

### Name Local Man On Committee

Wheeler Martin, secretary of the Martin County Building and Loan Association has been appointed to the Attorneys' Committee of the United States Savings and Loan League. The appointment came from Henry A. Bub, of Topeka, Kansas, president of the League, which is the 58-year old, nationwide trade organization of the savings association business.

The Attorneys' Committee acts as a clearing house for the study of savings association court cases and legislation, besides advising the staff of the League on the

contents of the bi-monthly publication which it sends to all savings and loan attorneys in the country. It sponsors League studies of new legal questions and has been busy the past few years with interpretations of legal phases of the veterans home loan program. It has also given much attention recently to the study of trust accounts, which now occupy a more prominent place in the savings investments in the business than in former years.

### FARM NOTES

Egg production during 1949 increased about 4 percent over the previous year in the major producing countries of the world. Continued favorable egg prices throughout most of 1949, and more abundant feed supplies at declining prices in almost every country, have encouraged poultrymen to keep more birds and increase the rate-of-lay in their flocks.

Ronald and Max Kennedy, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kennedy of Route 2, Hillsboro, harvested 800 bushels of corn from their 10-acre crop this year, according to E. P. Barnes, assistant Orange County farm agent.

An attack of measles wiped out one-quarter of the population of Fiji in 1875.

### BROADWAY AND MAIN STREET Tragedy at Central Park Zoo Exists in Mind of an Old Man

By BILLY ROSE

Some of the sprightliest talk to be heard in Manhattan these nights is in the coffeehouses frequented by the talented and threadbare refugees of Mittel-Europa. Night after loquacious night, you'll find them huddled over red- and - white checked tablecloths, and though many a cultural door has been slammed in their faces, they remain a spirited and sociable lot, short on money, perhaps, but long on banter and bravado.

Most of the stories spun by these continental katzenjammers are on the comic side; yet, once in a while they come up with a yarn which leaves a ping-pong ball in your throat.

For instance, there's the tale about the old gentleman and his greying wife who, during the summer months, can be seen almost every day on the carousel near the Central Park Zoo, holding hands as the air adjoining ponies pump up and down.



Billy Rose

Who are they? Well, to tell you, I'll have to go back several years and several thousand miles.

Shortly after the Nazis goose-stepped into Vienna and decency went underground, a well-known surgeon and his wife, both of frowned-upon ancestry, were urged by friends to take their six-year-old son and leave the country.

The surgeon refused. "I'm needed at the hospital," he said, "and I intend to stay as long as I can be of use."

His usefulness, however, came to an end a few afternoons later when a detachment of SS men rang his doorbell. The doctor, who had been warned to expect them, led his wife and son out the rear door, but as they hurried up the street a neighbor spotted them and gave the alarm.

As the hunted trio turned a corner, they came upon a small carousel which had been set up in a public square to celebrate the arrival of the German "liberators," and thinking fast, the surgeon bought three tickets and climbed aboard with his family as the battered runabout started up. The child was placed astride a gaudy zebra while the parents sank way back in one of those chairs whose outsidies made a swan.

The SS men searched the square and were about to move on when the boy, to whom it was all a game, reached out, and grabbed a brass ring and, turning to his parents, shouted, "Look, look! Now I get a free ride!"

Attracted by the boy's cries, the storm troopers dragged the doctor and his wife from the carousel and were about to take the child when their leader, a youth with a hangman's sense of humor, stopped them. "The kid got the brass ring," he said. "He's entitled to a free ride."

As the carousel started up again, the tiny strains of "Chiribibi-bibi" drowned out the mother's screams, and the last the couple saw of their son he was riding on the merry-go-round.

The surgeon was too valuable a commodity to kill right off, and so was his wife, a skilled nurse. They were sent to a slave labor camp to tend those prisoners considered too healthy for the ovens, and when the Allies marched into the camp in 1945, the couple were still alive. By this time, however, the surgeon's brain was a bit misty, but friends in New York paid his passage, and he and his wife were among the lucky ones who got by the immigration quota.

Ever since, the pair has been spending most of their summer days in the vicinity of the Central Park carousel. The old boy is pretty much off his trolley, but his wife continues to humor him, and whenever he gets agitated and mutters, "Where's Otto? I saw him on the zebra a minute ago," she patiently takes him by the hand and says, "Come along, dear, maybe he got tired and went home."

The State's farm income from tobacco is about five times as large as its income from cotton.

American business men are facing 1950 with optimism.

### WANTS

FOR SALE: 'SCARLET SAGE' Plants. 25 cents a dozen. Mrs. Joe Roebuck, West Main Street, Williamston. m-30 je 1

FOR SALE: PORTO RICO Potato sprouts. W. W. Griffin, RFD 1, Williamston.

WANTED: FLAT TOP DRINK Box for use at the Youth Center during the summer months. Anyone having one who will lend or donate for the summer months, call Mrs. D. R. Davis.

### All Contests But One In County Settled Saturday

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polled 2,099 votes. Geo. C. Griffin polled 2,761 votes and Ernest Edmondson polled 2,745 votes to hold their seats on the education board.

Only one zero showed up in all the figures, and that was in the Poplar Point precinct where Candidate Hardison for the legislature was overlooked.

The vote was a see-saw affair in the county. With one exception no candidate carried every precinct, the race lead alternating from first one and then to the other.

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## WATTS

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