

Greeks Turn Back Italian Offensive

Two Counter-Attacks Reversed; Fascists Retreat Hurriedly

By The Associated Press Greece's mountain fighters reported today they smashed two Italian counter-attacks in the drive north from Klisura, in central Albania, compelling the fascists to retire in such haste they left dead and wounded on the battlefield. Then, the Greeks said, they resumed their advance toward Berat.

"The first assault was easily repelled," a Greek government spokesman declared. "The second attack turned out worse. The Italians suffered even heavier losses. They gave up and returned to their position in disorder."

Bad weather caused a lull in the air siege of Britain during the night, but RAF bombers flew through "dirty" skies to pound naval air bases, shipping and a railway bridge in German-occupied Norway. Two direct hits were reported on a motorship in Stavanger Roads, on the west coast.

London's millions enjoyed another night of quiet, wondering at the continued absence of German raiders since Sunday night. With the arrival of daylight, however, Nazi bombers returned to the assault. A lone raider machine-gunned a village in northern Scotland and dropped a single bomb. Planes were also reported over East Anglia.

Reports reaching British, Yugoslavian and Albanian guerrillas were raiding fascist lines of communication and ammunition depots. Thus complicating the Italian efforts to stem the Greek advance. Two Albanian battalions, organized by Italians, were said to have been disbanded because they refused to fight the Greeks.

There was little news from the north African front as the British continued preparations for an assault on the surrounded Libyan port of Tobruk.

Jury Acquits W. C. Denton In Assault Case

William Conrad Denton, charged with assault with intent to murder, was acquitted at the hands of a 70th district court jury Tuesday evening after a brief deliberation. Denton had been indicted on a count alleging he had wilfully piloted his car into a motorcycle driven by E. M. Moody. Denton denied this from the stand and introduced witnesses to refute statements he was impelled by jealousy in commission of the alleged act.

Governor Calls Strike Parley

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 15 (AP)—Governor Murray D. Van Wagoner called a conference in his executive office this afternoon to seek settlement of CIO union strikes in five plants of the Eaton Manufacturing Co., which is making airplane parts on national defense subcontracts.

Bottleneck Busters On Hand - - Camp Wolters Work Speeded

CAMP WOLTERS, MINERAL WELLS, Jan. 15 (AP)—Major Paul M. Brewer and two assistants he labeled as "bottleneck busters" today snuffed defiance of any possible work stoppage and promised that this amazingly-big and still raw army replacement center would be finished on schedule.

Hull Asserts Control Of Sea By Friendly Power Essential

Aged Trucks And Carts Haul Ammunition To Greek Armies

By J. WES GALLAGHER WITH THE GREEK ARMY IN ALBANIA, Jan. 15 (AP)—Truck drivers with rickety old cars and farmers with teams of stubborn mules are meeting transportation problems as fantastic as any army ever faced to keep food and ammunition flowing to their comrades in the Greek front lines.

country where the best roads are only "ruts frozen on the mountainsides." The drivers are men like Mike. He is married, has one child, owns and operates two buses in peacetime, and has his own car, a 12-year-old American flivver.

He told me, after tying down the hood with baling wire, that he had two hours of sleep in the last three days—driving 400 miles a day on roads where, in some places, a mistake would send the sedan hurtling 1,000 feet down a mountainside.

Solons Hear Testimony For Lease, Lend

State Department Chief Appears As First Witness

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Secretary Hull told the house foreign affairs committee today that "control of the high seas by law abiding nations is the key to the security of western hemisphere."

The state department chief appeared before the committee as the first witness on President Roosevelt's bill for aiding Britain and other nations "fighting aggression" by lending or leasing them war materials ranging from bullets to battleships.

Hull described the measure as one which would "make it possible for us to allocate our resources in ways best calculated to provide for the security of this nation and of this continent."

Above all, he declared, "it will do all of these things in the speediest possible manner, and, overwhelmingly, speed is our greatest need today."

Hull asserted that "the proposed so-called new order" in the Pacific means the domination by one country to the exclusion of the interests of other nations.

The secretary declared that "such a program for the subjugation and exploitation" of so many people by one nation was of "great concern" to the entire world.

Nevertheless, he said, the United States has tried to show Japan that her best interests would be in friendly relations with this nation.

President Roosevelt's angry assertion that "the rottenest thing said in public life in my generation" was being used as an argument against the aid-to-Britain program brought an opposition rejoinder today that the president had made the danger of war the foremost issue in the lease-lend armaments bill.

Senator Wheeler (D-Mont), who readily assumed responsibility for the statement which aroused Mr. Roosevelt, said with seeming elation that the president's criticism had raised a "clean cut" question: "Whether or not this bill would lead us into war?"

Wheeler took this position as the house foreign affairs committee opened its public hearings on the lease-lend legislation, calling Secretary of State Hull, Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau and Secretary of War Stimson as the first three witnesses.

The actual start of legislative work on the momentous measure took on heightened intensity because of Mr. Roosevelt's unexpected, blunt-spoken denunciation of the tactics he laid to some opponents of the bill.

The occasion was the White House press conference yesterday He had replied to a question concerning one criticism of the broad powers proposed for him in the lease-lend bill. Then he continued vehemently:

"That is not an answer to those, at all, who talk about plowing under every fourth American child, which I regard as the most untruthful, as the most dastardly, unpatriotic thing that has ever been said. Quote me on that."

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Senator Wheeler, who in a radio speech Sunday reported to the lease-lend bill as "the new deal's triple A foreign policy—plow under every fourth American boy" retorted at once that Mr. Roosevelt "appeared to have lost his temper."

He said last night he hoped that his "plow under" statement would prove untrue and that "no American boys will be plowed under because of this administration's war-minded foreign policy."

Senator Gurney (R-SD) today protested to the secretary of war that a lack of modern "fighter and bomber planes" threatened training of advanced army pilots.

Gurney, a member of the senate military affairs committee, made public a letter to Secretary Stimson which stated that so few modern planes had been delivered to the army "that I am convinced our advanced students have not had the opportunity of even riding in these fast planes."

The senator suggested that the army be assured an ample supply of modern planes and recommended establishment of additional training centers for advanced pilots similar to Randolph and Kelly fields in Texas.

Echoes Of Tax Fight Sound In Statehouse

Music Spreads From Politics To Banking

BURTON, O., Jan. 15 (AP)—G. B. Fox, president of the First National bank here 38 years, finally has found a way to get stockholders to attend an annual meeting.

Cash Route In Defense Urged By Institute

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—The nation's vast defense program could be financed without increasing the public debt, a Brookings Institute report declared today. If national income averages \$85,000,000 annually for the next three years and if appropriate taxes are levied.

Rules Change Debate Recalls 1939 Battle

AUSTIN, Jan. 15 (AP)—Echoes of the long, bitter fight two years ago over social security financing resounded in the senate today as members discussed possible rules changes.

City, County Commissions Meet Jointly

City and county commissioners Tuesday evening held their first joint session of the year in keeping with a policy designed to bring about closer cooperation between the two local governmental units.

Showdown Near In Plane Plant Strike

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 15 (AP)—Events moved rapidly toward a showdown today in a threatened strike which would affect work on \$1,400,000 of military planes at the Ryan Aeronautical company plant here.

Supreme Court Hears Oklahoma Dam Controversy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—The supreme court today called for arguments in the appeal of Oklahoma from a lower court decree enjoining the state from interfering with federal work on the \$20,000,000 Grand river hydroelectric project.

Bomber Crosses Ocean Between Breakfast, Tea

LONDON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Capt. Pat Eves of British Airways ferried a United States-made bombing plane across the Atlantic between breakfast and tea, said British sources today.

The time was not given, but it was called a record. (It is about 2,000 miles from Newfoundland to the British Isles, the shortest route from North America. Modern bombers, under favorable conditions, could span the distance well under 10 hours.)

City, County Commissions Meet Jointly

Both voted to support the application for a stamp food plan sought for Big Spring by agreeing to split expenses for operating the set-up if and when approved in Washington. The plan is for distribution of surplus commodities through regular commercial channels, using stamps designated for certain type purchases.

After a discussion of charity problems, it was agreed to name a committee composed of two members of each group to study the situation with view of making recommendations. R. L. Cook and J. B. Collins were selected by Mayor G. C. Dunham to represent the city and Judge W. S. Morrison indicated he would appoint two commissioners soon to represent the county.

Dr. Harold G. Moulton, president of the private research institution, urged that the nation strive to balance its budget during the period of high income expected to accompany the preparedness effort.

By exercising prudent economic policies during the emergency, he declared, the nation can avoid disaster afterward.

After estimating that about one-quarter of the national income would be needed to meet the expenses of state, local and federal government, Moulton added that in order to balance the budget it would be necessary to hold military expenditures to essentials, cut non-military outlays sharply, broaden the tax base and increase current levies.

The senate agreed also to meet jointly with the house Thursday and Friday mornings and hear Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's message which will be delivered on two days instead of the customary one.

US Minister To Italy Returns

ROME, Jan. 15 (AP)—The United States ambassador to Italy, William Phillips, returned to his post today without a message, he said, for either King Vittorio Emanuele or Premier Mussolini.

"I did not bring any special message," the ambassador said.

City Sells Bonds For Record Low Interest

Next Bad Colds Due In March NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP)—March is the next common cold period, says a study from Cornell Medical Center-New York Hospital today.

Navy Asks For 400 More Ships

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—The navy asked congress today for authority to build 400 small vessels, including sub chasers, mine sweepers and torpedo boats, and asked also for extra facilities to construct them.

Birthday Ball Date Changed In Big Spring

Announcement of a change, to Jan. 31, of the date for the local Birthday Ball for the President came Wednesday from Grover C. D'Amico, Howard county chairman of the program.

Although President Franklin D. Roosevelt's birthday is Jan. 30, the date usually observed with dances and parties to raise funds to combat infantile paralysis, the Big Spring dances are being changed in order to get bookings of orchestras, Dunham said. The benefit events have not been held on the 30th for the past two years.

Dances will be held on the night of the 31st at the Settles hotel, the Crawford hotel and the Elks club, the latter place to be the scene of old-time dancing. Tickets will be \$1.85 per couple, and are good for admission to any and all dances.

Sandy Sanderson's orchestra will play at the Settles. This group has played all season at Hotel Lubbock, and is popular with dance crowds in that area. At the Crawford, Gerald Liberty's orchestra will play, the regular ensemble to be supplemented with an electric organ.

In addition to the new guns, the committee was told, the program provides for "splinter protection" for gun crews and other deck personnel.

Rear Admiral Samuel M. Robinson, chief of the bureau of ships, testified that protection included the installation of thin plates of high tensile steel around the anti-aircraft guns. These plates, he said, would be opened at the top so as to allow the guns to be aimed in any direction.

In all, the committee is considering requests for authority to spend a total of \$808,000,000 on naval anti-aircraft and on additional shipbuilding and ordnance facilities.

Weather Forecast U. S. Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS — Mostly cloudy tonight, except partly cloudy southwest portion. Thursday, partly cloudy, except fair southwest portion. Occasional snow extreme north portion tonight. Colder north and southwest portion Thursday.

EAST TEXAS — Considerable cloudiness, slightly colder in extreme northwest portion tonight; Thursday partly cloudy to cloudy, slightly colder in west portion. Moderate southerly winds on the coast, shifting to northerly late Thursday afternoon or night.

LOCAL WEATHER DATA Highest temp. Tuesday, 53.9. Lowest temp. today, 40.3. Sunrise today, 6:04 p. m. Sunset tomorrow, 7:47 a. m.

Good Cartridges Get Into Sham Battle

FORT DIX, N. J., Jan. 15 (AP)—Post authorities sought today to determine how deadly cartridges had been issued to members of the 71st infantry, from New York, for a night-time sham battle.

Brig. Gen. Ralph K. Henderson, acting 4th division and Fort Dix commander, revealed last night that lead-tipped "guard cartridges" had been found in ammunition issued for a tactical problem the preceding evening. The ammunition was quickly recalled and the maneuvers proceeded without the firing of a shot.

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# ABLE TRAINER HELPS GOLDEN GLOVE ENTRIES

## Bob Stinnett Has Boxed In Major Rings

Big Spring's Golden Gloves contenders may not take the final decisions when district tournament bouts go on the boards January 20 and 27, but it will not be because they have lacked just about the best coaching that could be obtained in this area. Trainer Bob Stinnett, has met most of the good boys during his career as a professional battler on the West Coast and in Nevada and Texas.

Stinnett pushed leather for five years before he decided to quit the game in 1933. During that period he showed his wares in competition with the best middleweights and light heavies in the business. He fought under the management of Ray Carlin, past owner of Max Baer, heavyweight champion, Frankie Chick, bantam titleholder, and present owner of Lou Nova, top-ranking contender for Joe Louis' heavyweight crown.

Fighting mostly in the middle weight ranks Stinnett has marked up a draw with Wes Ketchell, West Coast and Eastern ring artist, and has taken a kayo victory over Johnny Burns, one of the games stand-out sluggers.

Slapless Maxie Rosenbloom, ex-lightweight champ, is probably the best known fighter Stinnett met while he was making his coffee and cakes the hard way. He lost this fight to the ring clown, but took decisions over George Dixon, Joe Rosch and the great negro lightweight, Ham Jenkins.

Probably due to long hours spent in the training ring with Baer, Stinnett still works out with a bouncing hands-down style of boxing that is reminiscent of the former world's cham-



TRAINER BOB STINNETT, center, steps in to show Billy Franklin, left, and O. T. Teague, right, what the referee means when he says "break" during a ring workout at prospective Golden Gloves' training quarters at ABC park. (Photo by Kelsey.)

He is still rather fast for a man his size, despite eight years on the retired list.

Since leaving the pro rings, Stinnett has kept in touch with the sport through work with amateurs. He cooperated with Ray

Simmons a couple of years back to put on Big Spring's district Golden Gloves meet. This year, he has devoted a great deal of time to form a Big Spring boxing team that will give the paying customers a run for their money when fisticuffs get underway next week.

### Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- Kind of rubber
  - Smak rug
  - Portion of curves
  - Hebrew prophet
  - Old musical note
  - Dry
  - Pertaining to the head
  - Body joint
  - Compass point
  - Observed carefully
  - Peculiar
  - State whose capital is Pierre; abbr.
  - Cover
  - Label
  - Ourself
  - Foundation
  - Public walk
  - Aggravate
  - Body of water

- DOWN**
- Markings by walking
  - Improve
  - Heavy cord
  - Tree
  - Tunesful
  - Disappointed
  - Orchestral direction
  - Invited
  - City in Nevada
  - Easily imposed upon
  - Oracles
  - Derived from a certain plant
  - Obstruction in a stream
  - Resinous substance
  - Opening
  - More certain
  - The one defeated
  - Pronoun
  - A drug
  - Individually
  - Allow
  - Enslaved
  - Light bed
  - Color
  - Defeated the victory
  - Asiatic palm
  - Fastidious cords
  - Alcohol
  - Swiss city
  - Buckwheat
  - Charge for the use of a
  - Edible seaweed
  - Manicure
  - Sickness
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### Philadelphia Signs Former Midland Player

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15 (AP)—The Athletics had signed contracts

today from two of their most promising hurlers. Manager Connie Mack said both Porter Vaughan, former University of Richmond, Va., southpaw and Rankin Johnson, Jr., had returned their 1941 agreements signed. Johnson, a big righthander, was with the Midland team in the West Texas league.

### Football League Magnates Meet

CHICAGO, Jan. 15 (AP)—The owners of National Football league teams have finally concluded that it is time to hire an all-powerful commissioner to police their thriving sport. The magnates had hoped to discuss that at an informal and secret powwow in Chicago tomorrow, but the meeting now is about as secret as a smallpox epidemic. The gathering still is strictly off the record, having no status as a league meeting and at which no official business can be transacted.

### FLOOD CONTROL ASKED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Senator Sheppard (D-Tex.) has introduced a bill (S. 300) to carry out flood control measures in the vicinity of Jefferson, Tex., as recommended by army engineers, and authorizing appropriation of \$150,000 for the work.

### Lookin' em Over

With Jack Douglas

According to talk from the Texas High School Football Coaches' Association meeting, Clifton Patton has received the nomination for one of the tackle berths in the annual North versus South all-star high school football game in early August. The show closes a pre-season parley of the body.

Other district 3-AA lads on the nominee list are Midland's Guard Edison, San Angelo's Guard Morty Mertz, and Odessa's Back Billy Hogan.

Big Spring's basketball outlook took a turn for the better Tuesday night when the high school cagers took a fast game from Lamesa, one of the strongest aggregations in the district.

Coch John Daniels has been sweating blood in an attempt to offer the public something good in the basketball line, and, if last night's performance is any indication of what is to come, he is well on the way to success. Of course, the local basketbears are liable to fall off their peak Thursday night when they go to Midland, but right now they are running hot and heavy.

Big Springers who like to see a fast game, plus a bit of legal scrambling, missed a show last night. With two little speedsters like Blake Talbot and David Lamun to produce the fire, Horace Bostick and James Fallon to draw accurate beads on the basket, and Peppy Blount to give the paying customers dividend-paying freak shots, Daniels is tutor of a crowd-pleasing quintet.

Hartman Hooser, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hooser, will enter Howard Payne college at mid-term to take on a bit of education and get in line for football. Hartman now tips the beam at 200 pounds.

### Beauty Parade In Basketball Mark Of Times

DALLAS, Jan. 15 (AP)—The basketball beauty parade has begun.

Pictures of girls in silk uniforms take up twice as much space as the stories of who won, century ago with its long black bloomers, black stockings and middie blouses.

Then basketball was played only to see who had the best team. The homeliest girl probably was the best forward. Glamour had not entered the scheme. But streamlining girls basketball, where comely bows, has not lowered the brand of play, says Joe Riddle.

If anything, declared this veteran of 27 years as player and official, it has made a faster, more skillful sport.

The abbreviated uniforms make for better play and certainly, he says, add color to a sport once as drab as Monday's wash.

Now a girls tournament is not complete until the beauty contest is held, the queen selected and the prettiest blonde, red-head and brunette suitably rewarded—and photographed.

Start of this glamorization of the game is attributed by Riddle to Foster Jacoby of Dallas, secretary of the Southern AAU. A decade ago Jacoby suggested beauty contests as features of girls tournaments. The idea caught on immediately.

### Golfers Try For 'Frisco Purse

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15 (AP)—The golfing brigade unlimbered war clubs today for a whack at the latest purse—the \$5000 San Francisco match play open tournament. The eleventh annual San Francisco event offered a slight change from the straight medal play competition encountered in the first three tournaments on the winter swing, the Miami, Fla., and Los Angeles \$10,000 opens and the \$5,000 Oakland affair. Eighteen hole qualifying rounds were listed for today and tomorrow with the 32 low scores continuing in match play competition.

# STEERS WIN OVERTIME BOUT WITH LAMESA CAGERS, 22-20

## Visiting B Team Wins By 27-16 Score

Blasting away with a wild flurry of unpredictable shots, Big Spring high school's basketballers defeated Lamesa's quintet Tuesday night in the local gym in a fast and furious contest that had the finish undecided until James Fallon, Steer forward, lobbed a ball through the basket in the second extra period to mark the final tally 27 to 20. The Herd's "B" team was chopped down by a Lamesa lineup, 27 to 16.

Last night's performance was the best offered Big Spring cagers during the current season. Fighting it out, nip and tuck, both crews wound up the scheduled distance in an 18-18 deadlock.

A sudden assault by a determined Lamesa five in the opening moments of the first extra period, put the visitors ahead by a two-point margin, but a fast-breaking rally by the Herd saved the day with Fallon evening the record.

Big Spring took possession of the ball immediately following the second extra frame and sacked up the affair a few moments later without being seriously threatened by the Lamesans.

Lamesa's carot-topped forward, Harold Gill was the spearhead of the invaders attack. Gill ruled supreme for the evening's ball-stealing title, turning in a brand of tactics that contributed much to a rather hard-fought joust.

Peppy Blount, skyscraping Big Spring center, hit his first stride for the first time in 1941, taking a standstill role in maneuvering the ball into position and chalking up a pair of field goals for the record Horace Bostick, guard, took honors in the scoring division for Big Spring, accounting for three tosses and a free pitch.

Big Spring took the lead at the outset of the struggle, but a strong bid by the Lamesans soon had the local boys hanging on the ropes. Displaying an erratic, but fairly accurate bit of basket marksmanship, the Bovines gradually moved up the comeback trail and a few desperate attempts at scoring had them in reaching distance of a victory as the closing half started.

The Big Spring cagers lost out on some paydirt strikes because of a tendency to go to pieces under the goal, but freak shots and good mid-court work kept them in the running throughout.

Tuesday's show put Big Spring in district 3-AA standings as a two-time loser and a one-time winner. Lamesa now has losses to Colorado City, San Angelo, and Big Spring against it in conference books.

Thursday night of this week, the Herd moves into Midland for a continuation of district competition.

### Bad Weather Stops German Luftwaffe

BERLIN, Jan. 15 (AP)—The German high command reported today that Luftwaffe activities over Britain yesterday were limited to scouting flights because of "unfavorable weather."

"In this action," the high command said, "the good effect of raids on war-essential objectives at Plymouth and Portsmouth carried out on recent nights was observed."

(The British reported no air activity over England last night.) Informed Germans said earlier there was little to report from the war front.

# Sports

The Big Spring Daily Herald

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## Babe Ruth, Bill Klem Steal Show Honoring Hot-Dog Stand Founders

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP)—Babe Ruth and Bill Klem, a couple of heroic figures out of the folklore of baseball, have come to life again to help the sport honor the Stevens brothers.

Everybody knows Ruth and Klem, so it may be necessary to say only that the Stevens brothers are four sons of Harry Stevens, who founded the hotdog and peanut concession business in major league ball parks half a century ago.

The venerable sire, now dead, and his sons tided many a ball club over a rough spot with financial assistance, and it might provoke some eye-brow lifting today to nail the Stevens boys down as to their connections with various clubs.

Anyway baseball—National League President Ford Frick, manager Frank Frisch of the Pittsburgh Pirates, Manager Joe McCarthy of the New York Yankees, the presidents of the three New York clubs and other bigwigs of the national pastime—turned out last night to honor Harold, Frank, Bill and Joe Stevens.

But Ruth and Klem stole the show. The Bambino, making one of his semi-public appearances, added a fifth and hardly harmonic voice to a quartet of professional singers that entertained the gathering, and afterward made a voluble and sincere speech in which he thanked baseball for its benefits to him.

Klem, now chief of National League umpires, kidded himself of Penn student paper in putting the blast on Cagle Coach Lon Jourdnet for losing to Cornell, 51-24—says his system is a relic of the horse and buggy days. . . . Lew Jenkins and Lou Ambers are all but signed for an over-the-weight Garden fight, Feb. 21.

"Of course, the first secret of the show."

Big Spring A—			
Womack, I.	FG	FT	TP
Couch, f	2	1	5
Talbot, f	0	0	0
Fallon, f	0	0	0
Weaver, c	0	0	0
Bostick, g	2	0	4
Rowe, g	0	0	0
Lamun, g	0	0	0
Stuteville, g	0	0	0
Reaves, g	0	0	0
Total	2	1	9
Lamesa A—			
Gill, f	3	1	7
Ernest, f	2	1	5
Blair, c	0	0	0
Reeves, g	3	0	6
High, g	1	0	2
Barnard, g	0	0	0
Total	9	2	20
Big Spring B—			
Shully, f	0	0	0
Moore, f	0	0	0
Kasch, c	2	0	4
Graves, c	0	2	2
Stewart, g	2	0	4
Tidwell, g	1	0	2
Piangman, g	2	0	4
Total	7	2	16
Lamesa B—			
Barnard, f	1	1	3
McLendon, f	1	0	2
Price, f	3	1	7
Wade, c	1	0	2
Bratcher, g	1	0	2
Taylor, g	1	1	3
Bussell, g	1	0	2
Beck, g	3	0	6
Total	12	2	27

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## Arkansas And Baylor Tie In S'west Race

By the Associated Press  
Arkansas and Baylor were tied for the lead in the Southwest conference basketball race today, the only undefeated teams in a campaign less than two weeks old.

The Bears defeated Southern Methodist 24-20 in a thriller at Waco last night to give Baylor its second victory in two starts.

All the teams swing into action this weekend with Arkansas meeting the Texas Aggies in a series at Fayetteville and Baylor tangling with Rice at Houston Friday night.

Southern Methodist plays Texas at Dallas and Texas Christian engages Texas at Fort Worth Friday and Saturday nights respectively. In the game at Waco last night, the score was tied eleven times but with five minutes to go Frank Bryski and Grady Vaughn tossed in enough points to put the Bears ahead 31-25.

From there on Baylor froze the ball and pulled out with the win flashing some sensational defensive work. Dwight Parks of the Bears led the scoring with 14 points with Roy Rucous high point man for S. M. U. with 8.

Rice was gloomy over its chances against Baylor Friday night with Bob Kinney, high-scoring center, suffering from a sprained ankle received in practice. Kinney may not be ready for the game with the Bears.

Twenty-five years ago  
By the Associated Press  
Jan. 15, 1916—German commerce raider Moewe seizes British ship Appam off Madeira.

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# The War Today -- Both Belligerents May Try Irish Invasion

By DeWITT MACKENZIE

When the European belligerents get to accusing each other of having the self-same scheme in mind, it's a fair guess that the thoughts of both of them do indeed run in the same channel.

I have a feeling that's the way the wind blows in the matter of the strategic naval bases of Eire (southern Ireland). England and Germany are charging each other with intending to invade neutral Ireland to occupy these ports -- which would be worth their weight in rubles to either side -- and personally I wouldn't bet a ha'penny that both aren't right.

It wouldn't be surprising to see the two of them, at any moment now, racing for southern Ireland to snatch these prizes. Each can use the customary explanation for such operations -- that he was forced to act in order to head the other fellow off. The respective viewpoints of Britain and nazidom are these:

Use of these bases is among England's most pressing needs to enable her to combat the grave dan-

gers of the German submarine campaign against shipping.

Should Hitler occupy strategic points in Eire, he would acquire ideal naval and air bases to strengthen his attack on British vessels. These bases also would increase Nazi chances for a successful invasion of Britain, since she would have to defend herself against attacks from both east and west.

Small wonder then that uneasy Eire should be sitting in a mighty drafty spot, with no better place to go. However, Prime Minister Eamon de Valera has squared his chin against desertion of neutrality, and Eire has sworn to fight if any one of the belligerents sets foot upon a shamrock.

Having known Mr. De Valera for many years, I can testify that he is a fighter. His point in refusing to abandon neutrality and allow Britain to use the bases in question, is that if he does so he immediately turns Eire into a battlefield for the nazis and allies. London challenges the wisdom of this argument, though there can be no doubt of its truth.

# Cowboy Band Prepares For Inauguration

ABILENE, Jan. 15—Hardin-Simmons University's Cowboy Band, booted and spurred, with instruments tuned, was ready today to begin its trip to the inauguration of President Roosevelt, as official musicians for the Texas delegation.

Scheduled to depart Thursday on a special train with Texas democratic leaders, with Abilene, Fort Worth and Dallas as assembly points, the delegation will arrive in Washington Saturday, two days in advance of the inaugural ceremonies.

The band will head the Texas delegation in the inaugural parade next Monday.

Burtis C. Jackson, of Hillsboro, arrangements chairman for the Texas special train trip, announced the band will take its six white horses with color guard of the six flags of Texas history, plus a span of white mules and chuck wagon, to provide added color.

In Fiji the human head is sacred and it is an insult to reach about it.

# Shrine Elects New Officers

GALVESTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—W. L. Baskin of Port Arthur was named potentate of Elmina Shrine Temple at the annual election of officers here last night.

Baskin also was named a representative to the imperial council and representative to the all-state Shrine meeting.

Munger T. Ball of Port Arthur was named a representative to the imperial council.

# Local Teacher Writes Article For Magazine



William R. Dawes, above, Big Spring public school music director, is author of an article in the current issue of Texas Outlook, entitled "Our Music Department Is On A Homeroom Basis."

In the article, teaching of music in the Big Spring public school system is described in considerable detail. The Outlook is a magazine published principally for Texas school teachers.

Dawes points out that teachers in the first six grades present music activities in their homerooms on the same basis that all other educational activities are presented in these rooms.

Improved attitude on the part of the children toward music activities, large percentage of pupil participation, and other advantages are pointed out.

# Invigoration Of Demo Theme Of Scout Dinner

A theme of strengthening and invigorating democracy, pushed during the past year, will be sounded again at the annual Buffalo Trail council meeting here Friday at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. W. R. White, Abilene, Hardin-Simmons University president, will be the principal speaker, while Charles E. Paxton, president of the council for 10 years, and Dr. Elery Pool, Sweetwater district chairman, will appear on the program.

Scout leaders expected around 200 to attend the meeting out of the 508 scout leaders in the council. As an indication of interest, S. P. Gasikin, area executive, showed that the number of cubs and scouts has jumped from 1,678 to 2,357.

At the banquet three men will receive the Silver Beaver award for outstanding service to boys. Delegations from over the council will vie for the attendance award won by Kermit last year on the basis of the number of man miles traveled.

# Nazi Carpet-Baggers Run Czechoslovakia

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Germany's economic conquest of Czechoslovakia has cost the Czechs "at least \$1,000,000,000" since the "made-in-Munich" Nazi occupation 22 months ago, according to authoritative information received in diplomatic quarters here.

The reports, compiled by non-Czech sources, state that the Germans also have imposed tribute taxes to assist in financing the Reich's war against Britain. The yield from these was estimated at an additional \$100,000,000 annually.

(German troops invaded Czechoslovakia in a blinding snow storm on March 15, 1939, and divided the republic into the "protectorate" of Bohemia and Moravia, and the independent state of Slovakia. At the time the total population was 6,400,000.)

in the nation's largest plants, factories, and businesses.

4.—Movable property, needed or useful to Germany's military plans, valued at approximately 22,000,000,000 crowns (when the crown was worth roughly three cents) was "purchased" with marks or crowns, and transported to Germany.

5.—Practically every large concern not "bought" or taken over has a Nazi economic commissar making sure that its activities are conducted in accordance with German policies.

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# Optimism Returns To Oil Industry

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 15 (AP)—A better feeling, a slow swing toward more optimism, stood out today in the oil industry.

The feeling is a decided change from last fall, when many oil leaders looked forward with much uncertainty. Here and there in major firms, executives are dispelling this attitude.

There are many factors contributing to the change. Demand for crude oil continues strong, with the market showing some improvement. Production, meantime, has remained stable.

While gasoline sales have eased, and some prices are off an eighth of a cent a gallon, industry is actively buying heavy grades of fuel oil.

The industry feels confident that it can easily meet defense needs and the first sharp upturn of such demand is expected near the end of the first quarter.

In the field, the Oil and Gas Journal reported 462 completions for the week, compared with 456 the previous week, and 491 a year ago.

The old Dilworth pool of Kay county, Oklahoma, apparently was revived when a well drilled to shallow pay in 1917 was deepened to the Wilcox sand and filled 2,000 feet of hole with oil in six hours... (Cao county may be the second county in Nebraska to produce oil. A test near Plattsmouth showed heavy oil saturation in the Wilcox sand at 1,333 feet... A test in the abandoned Mexican border town of Samfordyce, southwest Texas, established the Nichols pool with an initial test of 91 barrels of oil in 24 hours through choke... Discovery of deeper pay in the Trenton lime in the Lake Central-Salem field has set off a campaign of deepening old Devonian lime tests.

# Philanthropist Of England Succumbs

LONDON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Viscount Wakefield, 81, noted philanthropist, died today in Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire.

Lord Wakefield, who made his fortune in oil, was a patron of British enterprise in automobile and speedboat racing and civil aviation.

He sponsored many flights of Mrs. Amy Johnson Mollison, who recently died in the "James Estuary in an air accident."

# Radio Program

- Wednesday Evening
- 5:00 Baylor University Program.
  - 5:30 Songs of Lowry Kohler.
  - 5:45 Jimmy Walsh Orchestra
  - 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
  - 6:15 Selective Service.
  - 6:20 Musical Interlude.
  - 6:30 Sports Spotlight.
  - 6:45 News.
  - 7:00 Roger Busfield.
  - 7:15 Memories of a Concert Master.
  - 7:45 Commentators Round Table.
  - 8:00 Billy Davis' Songs.
  - 8:15 State Wide Cotton Program.
  - 8:30 Guy Lombardo Orch.
  - 9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
  - 9:15 News: The War in the Air.
  - 9:30 Lone Ranger.
  - 10:00 News.
  - 10:15 Goodnight.
- Thursday Morning
- 7:00 Musical Clock.
  - 7:30 Star Reporter.
  - 7:45 Morning Devotions.
  - 8:00 News.
  - 8:05 Piano Moods.
  - 8:15 Musical Impressions.
  - 8:30 Keep Fit To Music.
  - 8:45 What's Doing Around Big Spring.
  - 9:00 Organ Melodies.
  - 9:15 The Fashionaires.
  - 9:30 Backstage Wife.
  - 9:45 Easy Aces.
  - 10:00 Neighbors.
  - 10:15 Our Gal Sunday.
  - 10:30 Songs of Carol Leighton.
  - 10:45 News.
  - 11:00 News.
  - 11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood.
  - 11:10 Musical Interlude.
  - 11:15 School Forum.
  - 11:30 "11:30 Inc."
  - 12:00 News.
- Thursday Afternoon
- 12:15 Curbstone Reporter.
  - 12:30 Ohio School of the Air.
  - 12:45 Jack Free Orch.
  - 1:00 Cedric Foster.
  - 1:15 Mark Love, Baritone.
  - 1:30 School of the Air.
  - 1:45 Joe Sanders Orch.
  - 2:00 Johnny Duffy, Organ-Piano.
  - 2:15 Song Treasury.
  - 2:30 Women World Wide.
  - 2:45 Here's Looking at You.
  - 3:00 News.
  - 3:15 All Request Program.
  - 3:45 The Johnson Family.
  - 4:00 Tommy Hopton and Chet Rykes.
  - 4:15 Crime and Death.
  - 4:30 Books: Mary Agnes McFarland.
  - 4:45 American Family Robinson.
  - Thursday Evening
  - 5:00 News: Paul Pendarvis Orch.
  - 5:15 Campus Notes.
  - 5:30 Sunset Reveries.
  - 5:45 Happy Rambler.
  - 6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
  - 6:15 Brook Haven Trio.
  - 6:30 Sports Spotlight.
  - 6:45 News.
  - 7:00 Don Allen Orch.
  - 7:30 In Chicago Tonight.
  - 8:00 To Be Announced.
  - 8:15 London: Arthur Mann.
  - 8:25 Musical Interlude.
  - 8:30 Alfred Wallenstein Sinfonietta.
  - 9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
  - 9:15 Will Hudson Orch.
  - 9:30 Cadets on Parade.
  - 9:45 Chicago Symphony Orch.
  - 10:00 News.
  - 10:15 Goodnight.

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# Installation Is Held For Blue Bonnet Class

Candlelight installation of officers was held by the First Christian Blue Bonnet class in the home of Mrs. James Wilcox Tuesday evening. Mrs. Homer W. Haislip was in charge of the ceremony.

# Society

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## The Three R's Are Still Being Taught In The Modern Schoolroom

(This is the first of two articles on Big Spring schools, dealing with modern teaching methods in the high school. Another on the elementary schools will appear at a later date—Ed.)

## One Time School Marmas Are Now In Texas Legislature And Doing All Right Too, Thank You

By HARRIETT E. LEE  
AUSTIN, Jan. 15 (AP)—Two young one-time schoolmarmas make up the feminine contingent in the 47th legislature. Neither is especially interested in so-called women's causes.

## Downtown Stroller

Loyce Gwathmey joined the early birds for coffee this morning. After awhile we may have enough to fill up one side of a counter, the way we keep getting recruits.

## B. T. U. Given Party By Pastor And His Family In Forsan

FORSAN, Jan. 15 (Sp) — The Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Leech and Helen Marting entertained the young people of B. T. U. class at the home of Helen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marting of the Royal lease Monday night.

## Needle Painters Have Luncheon In McDowell Home

Mrs. Lorin McDowell was hostess to the Needle Painters club Tuesday afternoon in her ranch home and members knitted and did needle point work.

## 2-Way Help For WOMEN!

CARDUI may help women in two important ways: Many who begin 3 days before "the time" and take it as directed find it helps relieve pain. When taken by directions as a tonic, it usually helps stimulate appetite, increase the flow of gastric juice, and so aids digestion. Thus, it helps build energy and strength and reduce periodic functional distress for many, 50 years of use proves CARDUI's merit—adv.

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# Young Couples Have Party At Church Tuesday

First Methodist Young Couples class met at the church Tuesday night for a face, fun and food feast and hostesses were Mrs. Lou Palmer, Mrs. Robert Satterwhite, Mrs. Jack Rinsart, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. J. J. Payne, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, assistant teacher.

# Rev. Haislip Is Guest Speaker For P.T.A.

Cooperation of parents and teachers in guiding children in relation to society was the theme of the talk given by the Rev. H. W. Haislip of the First Christian church before the North Ward P. T. A. Tuesday afternoon.

# Delegates To Attend Episcopal Meet In Sweetwater Sunday

Delegates from St. Mary's Episcopal church will attend the thirty-first annual convocation of the missionary district of North Texas and the Protestant Episcopal church at Sweetwater January 19 and 20.

# New Colorado City Power Plant Opposed

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 15 (Sp) — By unanimous vote, the city council of Colorado City Monday night denied application of representatives of Fairbanks, Morse & Company for a franchise to build and operate an electric power and light plant and system in Colorado City.

# Ford Opens Naval School At Dearborn

DETROIT, Jan. 15 (AP)—Henry Ford, who believes "a navy strong enough to protect both shores of the United States presents the nation's greatest assurance of national security," saw his navy service school at Dearborn formally get under way today.

# Dr. H. D. Mansur Called By Army

Dr. Harl D. Mansur, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Harl D. Mansur, 1513 Main, and first lieutenant in the army, has received a call to report for active duty with the medical corps at Fort Sam Houston. He left Wichita Falls Monday with Mrs. Mansur.

# Stockholders Of Old Bank Hold Meeting

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 15 (Sp) — Stockholders of the old Colorado National bank, now in process of liquidation, held their annual meeting Tuesday morning, following the meeting of stockholders of the City National bank.

# Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

THURSDAY  
G. I. A. will meet at 8 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall.  
EAST WARD P. T. A. will meet at 8:15 o'clock at the school.  
HOUSECLEANING AND INVENTION party will be held at the Century club at 1 o'clock and all members are urged to come.  
A. A. U. W. will meet at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Sylvan Daimont in her home northeast of town.

# MODEST MAIDENS



"I decided to just stay home and listen to the radio."

# Pertaining To PEOPLE

V. A. Welsh, Fort Worth, is spending several days here checking the radio equipment at the airport.

# Past Matrons Have Party In Home Of Mrs. J. B. Young

Mrs. Agnes Young and Mrs. Mae Nostrene were co-hostesses to the Past Matrons' club when it met in the home of Mrs. Young Tuesday night.

# High Hat Club Gives Surprise Party For Dorothy Moore

The High Hat club honored Dorothy Moore with a surprise party on her birthday anniversary in the home of Joyce and Alva Powell Monday evening.

# Lubbock Airport Gets WPA Aid

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP) — The works projects administration notified Representative Mahon (D-Texas) that it has approved plans for a \$306,242 airport improvement project at Lubbock, and that approval by the civil aeronautics authority and the president should be forthcoming within a week.

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# Mrs. Chester O'Brien To Be Speaker Tonight

Mrs. Chester O'Brien is to be the speaker at the prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

# PENNER RITES SET

GLENDAL, Calif., Jan. 15 (AP) — Joe Penner, stage, screen and radio comedian, will be buried here tomorrow morning. Pallbearers will include Actor Jack Oakie, Charles Correll, radio "Andy" of "Amos and Andy," and J. J. Nolan, general manager of RKO studios. Penner died in Philadelphia last Friday.

# MALONE-HOGAN NOTES

Mrs. G. W. Hogan, Nacogdoches, mother of Dr. J. E. Hogan, underwent minor surgery at Malone & Hogan Clinic-Hospital.

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# Beta Sigma Phi Has Program On Verse-Making

Verse-making was the theme of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority meeting held Tuesday night at the Settles hotel. Roll call was answered with a lyric, limerick and a non-sensical jingle of that each girl composed.

# Business Women Have Bible Quiz At Session

A dinner and program was held for the Business Women's Circle when it met at the First Presbyterian church Tuesday night.

# South Ward Has Study Of Way Of Life

"This World of Ours" was the subject studied by the South Ward Study group Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. R. L. Gomillion.

# 1940 Sewing Club Meets In Alex Stewart Home

Mrs. Alex Stewart entertained the 1940 Sewing club in her home Tuesday afternoon for a sewing session. Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. E. M. Conley, Mrs. J. E. Lawrence, Mrs. H. H. Squires, Mrs. J. R. Copeland, Mrs. H. W. McCantless.

# Good Times Club Holds Sewing Session Here

Sewing for the Red Cross and knitting, members of the Good Times club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. A. Coffey. Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. J. C. Loper, Mrs. Vernon Logan, Mrs. Joe B. Harrison, Mrs. W. R. Verschoyle.

# T. E. L. Class Has Business Meet In Home

Introducing new officers and hearing reports of class records, members of the First Baptist T. E. L. class met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. C. Douglas.

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Editorial

How To Drive Million Miles Without A Wreck

After having driven 1,000,000 miles on American highways without a single accident since he came from Switzerland 12 years ago, C. J. Schmid of Austin, should be qualified to discuss safe driving methods. Schmid, associate of D. C. Reed, Austin financier, drives hard and fast on long business trips throughout the Southwest, usually at an open speed exceeding 60 miles per hour. Here are some of his personal driving rules:

Washington Daybook

Disaster Relief Crew To Aid Inauguration Crowd

WASHINGTON—Welcome to President Roosevelt's third inaugural: "A first aid program designed as a model on which other large cities may pattern efficient disaster organizations has been planned for inauguration day under direction of Rear Admiral P. S. Rosstiter, U. S. N., retired. "Admiral Rosstiter's first aid organization will include establishment of 11 first aid stations along the parade route, each with four nurses, two nurses aides, four motor corps drivers and eight first aid men and stretcher bearers. Twenty-five ambulances, each carrying a doctor and a nurse, will supplement the stations. Besides the regular station personnel, 200 first aid men will be assigned to posts between the regular first aid stations. Each of these men has been thoroughly trained in standard and advanced first aid courses given by the American Red Cross. "Familiar with disaster problems, Admiral Rosstiter has appointed as members of his committee men conversant with emergency work in large centers. These include Dr. Roy Lyman Sexton, chairman of first aid, life saving and accident prevention of the District of Columbia chapter, American Red Cross; and Dr. A. Magruder MacDonald, coroner of the District of Columbia. "The committee agreed to use the inauguration as an experiment for large-city disaster relief. These are direct quotes from a recent release by the Inauguration Committee, Fifth Floor, District Building, Washington, D. C. If you have any questions, take it up with them. I'm going to spend inaugural day in my new disaster-proof shelter in the Virginia hills... and I WILL be careful, I promise."

NEW BETTING TRICK Bangtails and Science: The Federal Communications Commission recently arrested two men for possession of unlicensed radio equipment with which they were supposed to be broadcasting "sure tips" from the Charles Town, W. Va., racetrack. The method, according to FCC inspectors: "At the start of a race, a man could be heard whistling on a certain frequency, followed by the words 'Oh Johnny,' repeated several times and then a few bars would be sung from such songs as 'Beer Barrel Polka, or 'Maryland, My Maryland.' As the race neared the finish, the voice would cut in with a number repeated until the race was completed. Immediately, a stronger signal on another frequency would repeat the number ten or 15 times... and finally the words, 'That is all.' On checking race results, it was obvious the number applied to the winning horse... Thus, persons receiving were able to make advantageous bets before results of a race were generally known. "What FCC and I want to know is how the receiver got his set shut down after that long cut of 15, got his poor unsuspecting bookie on the phone and got the bet on the line before the poor unsuspecting bookie knew the race was over. Maybe the bookie cut your way are like those dreamy fellows in New Orleans who accepted bets on the Columbia-Brown football game until mid-afternoon—a game played in the morning."

Man About Manhattan

The Colonel Is Confined To His Quarters

NEW YORK—Still in bed... Temperature normal... Beard shaggy... Though much of the puff in the right jaw has crossed over into the left, giving this incumbent's head the general appearance of a mishapen medicine ball, weep no salt tears for me. I am being attended hand and foot. While you work, I play. While you are bucking the world or racing for commuters' trains, I am sleeping, eating, gossiping with loving friends or expressing wishes that are instantly fulfilled. Something tells me I shall have to pay for all this. This morning my girl at the office telephoned to say that Kay Kyser had called. His mother is visiting him from Rocky Mount, N. C. and for her boy James—that is what she and indeed everyone in Rocky Mount calls him—she brought along an assortment of home-cooked hams, chicken, pies, cakes and other sweets. My first impulse was to pick up my couch and walk. On second thought, however, I contented myself with dropping "James" a little note, emphasizing my pleasure at being remembered and also my displeasure at being unable to do anything about it. Am about half way through Ernest Hemingway's "For Whom the Bell Tolls"... Before he left

Hollywood Sights and Sounds

Van Dyke Makes Picture In 14-Day Army Leave

HOLLYWOOD—It's an ill-wind department: William Holden's salary squabble (he was still drawing \$150 a week while co-starring in "Arizona") left a hole wide open in the cast of "Texas," and Glenn Ford, overdue for a break, got the bid. See also: Rita Hayworth vice Ann Sheridan, etc. Speaking of Rita, as most people do nowadays, her dad, Eduardo Canino, is teaching Spanish dances to some of the cast of the new Cisco Kidder, "Ride On, Vaquero!" Eduardo, a slim, youngish-looking Spaniard, teaches all kinds of dancing in his own school, but the movies call him only for Spanish steps. "And that," he says, "is why I had Rita change her name to Hayworth when she went to work at Columbia. They would think of a Spanish dancer, nothing else. But Rita Hayworth..." Right he was, for Rita hasn't played a Spanish role since. M-G-M would be horrified to think of it, but it's engaged on a quickie. I wouldn't be surprised if Robert Montgomery, the star, is already disconcerted by it, but Major W. S. Van Dyke III, of the U. S. Marine Corps, is taking it in stride. The picture, "Rage in Heaven," had begun under direction of Robert Sinclair but the latter gave up the helm. Needing a quick taker-over, Metro got in touch with Van Dyke, who these past several months

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Every State Demands Name On Battleship

WASHINGTON — If you can make 7 go into 23 with none left over, you're the mathematical wizard the Navy needs to name its new two-ocean fleet. That problem's got to be solved, or there's going to be a bounty on admirals in 14 states disappointed when a battleship isn't named for each. There are only seven battleships still unchristened, and 23 states are contesting for the honors. Senators, representatives and civil delegations are putting on pressure to win the nomenclature sweepstakes. Even Navy Secretary Frank Knox of Chicago is on the spot, because there's no U.S.S. Illinois. Some Have Had Six In the past, there's been top-heavy favoritism in naming U. S. war vessels. Some states have had only one ship in their names, others as many as six. The 23 states not now represented by a battleship and the number of vessels previously named for them are: Oregon, 3; Montana, 2; Kansas, 2; Nebraska, 2; North Dakota, 1; Minnesota, 2; Louisiana, 2; Florida, 4; Georgia, 1; South Carolina, 3; Virginia, 4; Delaware, 6; Rhode Island, 2; Connecticut, 6; Maine, 2; New Hampshire, 2; Vermont, 2; Utah, 1; Wyoming, 3. Kentucky, Georgia, North Dakota really have the loudest squawk coming. Each has had only one ship in its name in history. Technically, Utah, Wyoming and

Trouble Besets Wild Gas Well HAWKINS, Jan. 15 (AP)—A wild gas well that developed a cave-in after being choked on 1,700 sacks of cement threatened to topple its derrick today. The well, the Bobby Manziel No. 1 Lee Bell west of here, had roared with 30,000,000 feet of gas daily before it was choked off. The cave-in occurred yesterday as a crew attempted to salvage the derrick abandoned when gas pressure threatened to open craters in the surrounding area. Too Many Sunday Islands CANBERRA, Australia — Australia is un-umbered with two Sunday islands. One is off Queensland and the other on the western Australian coast. Why Barking Lizards CANBERRA, Australia—Herpetologists have ascertained that Australia's barking lizards won't bark if they are not disturbed.

Oregon don't belong in the list of 23, because each has a ship name—make, even if they aren't battleships. The Utah is an ex-battleship used as a target ship. The Wyoming is demilitarized and used as a training vessel. Oregon Satisfied The Oregon is the veteran of the Spanish-American war which captured world attention in her famous dash around the Horn to Cuba. She illustrates how seriously states take their namesakes. When she was obsolete, there was talk of scrapping her. Oregon citizens raised such a protest she was "loaned" to the state as a naval museum. She now is permanently tied up in the Willamette river at Portland. It begins to look as if a couple of the ships will have to be named "Middlewest" or "Deep South," and then name the separate big guns for states.

Trailer Tintypes



The Herald's Serial Story WHO KILLED AUNT MAGGIE?

Chapter 47 SILENT VISITORS Could this explain Alice's ghost? Had the kidnaper, perhaps afraid to replenish the fire and also afraid that his prisoner might develop pneumonia and die, gone foraging for cover and used the down comfort as a disguise in which to escape from Alice? I shuddered as I pictured him on his search for that extra covering. Stealthily turning door-knobs in the night until at last he found one that yielded to his touch. Suppose our bedroom doors had not been locked? Would he have invaded them and what would have happened, had he been discovered? It was all too horrible to think about. "Mr. Brannen," I called softly, then more loudly, but he did not stir. I shook his shoulder, but he only moved restlessly and mumbled something that I did not understand. Gradually, the cause of that heavy breathing began to dawn on me. He had been drugged.

In the act of tearing away the tape from his eyes, I withdrew my hand. Should the kidnaper return, undoubtedly it would be better for him to find his prisoner as he had left him. Conscious Mr. Brannen might be able to help me plan some method of escape, but so long as he slept that terrible sleep there was no hope of any assistance. Walking back around the screen, I spied, by the light of his fast-decreasing candle, a piece of green paper on the floor near the table. It had a jagged edge and was no doubt the piece from which the scraps had been torn for the notes planted in our bedroom. It was all beginning to fit together. The jigsaw puzzle made up of scraps of paper and scraps of silk. Could the kidnaper notes have been written on this same sort of paper? Was that why Lieutenant Gregory had regarded with such interest the notes we received and why he had refused to answer questions about them? If so, it was no wonder he had gone after Bill so relentlessly. Picking up the paper with the tips of my fingers, I carried it behind the screen and shoved it under the cot. Perhaps there would be fingerprints on it, even though there had been none on the notes themselves. But what to do? Plutarch seemed to feel the same way, for he looked at me questioningly. Then I noticed that he was sniffing at a milk bottle full of water which stood on the floor with a cup turned over it. So thirsty that I forgot all about fingerprints or germs, I poured myself a drink and then filled the cup for Plutarch, who lapped greedily, stopping now and then to look up at me with that same questioning look in his eyes. "Yes," I said, "I know it is Mr. Brannen's cup, but maybe we will be out of here before he needs to use it again." Plutarch switched his tail and we moved together into the open part of the room. The candle was almost burned out now and there were only three matches. Although kindling and wood lay on the hearth, I did not dare make a fire, for fear of its effect on the kidnaper. In the back of my mind was the thought that when he came I might be able to escape by hiding under the stairway and watching to see how he opened the trap door on the way out. But why on earth hadn't I tried to find the opening while there was enough of the candle to guide me? And, I realized sickeningly, it was possible that in my preoccupation with exploration I had failed to hear footsteps if they passed along the landing above the stairs. Standing there, completely discouraged, I admitted to Plutarch

that I was the world's biggest fool. My ankle, forgotten until that moment, began to broadcast uncomfortable twinges. Panic was crowding close again. Oh, well, I would go to the stairway and listen, sitting in the dark and hoarding my infinitesimal bit of candle and the three matches. Every now and then I would call for help. If no one came finally, I would still have the matches and scrap of candle to light me back to the room, where I would make a fire. Surely next day someone would see the smoke and try again to find me. Beyond that, my thoughts did not dare to travel. As I reached the brick passage leading from the room to the stairs, a faint silt of light told me that the trap door was being opened. Not as a rescuer comes, with shouts and reassurances. Shrinking back inside the doorway as the silt widened, I tried to tell myself that it was all right. But I knew that it was not, as I heard footsteps descending the stairs. I hastily blew out the candle and hid myself behind the screen, realizing that I was following blind instinct and that my hiding place offered no real protection. Then I held my breath and waited, certain that the kidnaper was coming nearer every moment. Discovery The door opened, and beyond the screen I saw the bobbing beam of a flashlight. Certain that my time had come, I almost cried out, unable longer to stand the suspense. "There was a scuffling of footsteps and then a voice said, "Smells sort of smoky in here." "It was a voice that sounded somehow familiar, yet I could not quite place it. "What was that noise?" the same voice asked and I recognized it then. The alleged plain-clothes man. To think that I had met the murderer face to face and had let him get away. In fact, had helped him. Now, unless unexpected intervention came, I would meet him face to face again, but— "Just that damn cat," said another voice, a voice pitched so low that it was almost impossible to hear, what with the pounding of my heart. So there were two of them. But that was not surprising. One man could hardly handle such a job alone. "I told you he followed me down here," the second voice resumed, a little louder now. "And why the hell didn't you stay down here, too? Don't you know the house is full of policemen?" My heart stopped beating and the world rocked under my feet. For this time I recognized that



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Fourteen of her children are living. The latest arrival increases the number of girls in the family to eight. The oldest child is also a girl, 22.

Mrs. Trapp was married when she was 17.

**Justice Rules In Double Shooting**

CORPUS CHRISTI, Jan. 15 (AP)—Justice of the Peace Joe Cherry of Edna held today that Louie Nickel shot Sheriff H. L. White of Jackson county to death at Nickel's tavern near Edna Monday night.

Nickel was found with bullet wounds and was taken to a Victoria hospital where he died yesterday.

Justice Cherry had not returned an inquest verdict in Nickel's death.

Sheriff White had gone to the tavern to quiet a disturbance.

## Who Killed Aunt Maggie?

Continued From Page 6.

"No, no," I whispered over and over to myself. Something wet dripped on my hand and I realized that I was crying.

But even in my shocked horror and grief, I knew that I must be careful. Perhaps, oh, perhaps, they would go away and later I would be rescued and could tell of finding Mr. Brannen. I could say quite truthfully that I did not see the men who came into the secret room.

Quarrel  
"Gettin' scared, are you, Buddy?" sneered the first voice. "What'd you expect me to do, wait down here all night? I know how to keep out of the way of the police. 'Sides they ain't got a thing on me. Why shouldn't I come out here to call on a friend? How'm I to know he's committed a couple murders?"

"Damn you, Spike." The second voice was loud and angry beyond all sense of caution now. "Whose fault is it you didn't come back last night like I told you to? We could have got him out of here all right if you had had the car ready."

There was the sound of a chair scraping across the floor and almost simultaneously a quick feminine wail and indignant spitting, which made it all to plain that Plutarch had got in somebody's and getting' out as it was.

"Didn't seem to bother you much that I was left with the bag all gone, too. Had to give him so much he'd probably wander around and get run over if we turn him loose on the highway tonight. That is, if the police ever get out of the house."

"Your little stunt didn't seem to do much good, did it?"

"No, just messed things up worse, I suppose. But it seemed to me if they thought somebody out-

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By The Associated Press

**UNLUCKY**  
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It was a mistake.  
An automobile pulling a trailer hit Roberts' car. He received a cut over one temple and a hand injury. As he tried to get his damaged car off the highway another automobile struck it. No additional injuries.

Roberts climbed out of his battered vehicle and was knocked down by a hit-run driver. First aid put him back on his feet, and he finally got home.

**TRAVELER**  
BRANTFORD, Ont. — A hitchhiking hen from Redwood, Miss., has arrived in Brantford. When a freight car of lumber sealed at Redwood was opened, the hen, a white-rook, bustled out with much squawking and flapping of wings.

Inside the car, workmen found two eggs—frozen solid. Canada's coldest weather didn't bother the hen, though. She chased all over the railway yards before workmen finally cooped her up.

**WIDE-AWAKE CITY**  
LOUP CITY, Neb.—Ever have your alarm clock get you out of bed two hours early?  
That happened to all of Loup City when the telephone operator turned on the usual 7 a. m. whistle at 5 a. m.

People got up, looked around, went back for two more hours' sleep.

### Livestock

**ORET WORTH**  
FORT WORTH, Jan. 15 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle, salable and total 1,500; calves, salable 1,000, total 1,100; slaughter cattle and calves active and steady to strong, stockers and feeders strong to higher, around 25-50c up for the three days; most common and medium beef steers and yearlings 7.00-9.50, few low grade sorts downward from 7.00; good fed offerings 10.00-30, best heifers and mature steers on offer at 10.50 with part load yearling steers 11.00; beef cows 5.00-7.00; canners and cutters 3.75-4.75; bulls 5.00-7.25, odd head higher; good fat calves 8.50-9.50, common and medium 6.00-8.25, culls largely 5.00-7.50; load and stock calves sold at 11.50 for the steers weighing 441 lb. and 10.50 for heifers averaging 397 lb.; older feeder steers 10.25 down.

Hogs, salable 2,000, total 3,400; mostly 35c higher than Tuesday's close or 50-60c higher than early Tuesday; top 8.45; most good and choice 100-125 lb. at 8.35; good and choice 160-185 lb. 7.85-8.30; packing hogs 25-50c higher, mostly 7.25, few 7.50; pigs dull at 5.00 down.

Sheep, salable and total 1,000; woolled fat lambs strong to 20c higher; other classes steady; woolled fat lambs mostly 9.00-25; fall and short lambs 8.00-25; shorn yearlings 7.00, shorn 2-year-old wethers 6.00 and medium grade woolled aged wethers 4.75; feeder lambs 7.00-8.00.

## Employees Of Cosden Divide New Dividend

Another six per cent dividend has been declared by directors of the Cosden Employees Federal Credit Union, it was announced Wednesday.

Dividend payments totaled \$922.57 and as much as \$116.60 went to one individual. Two others had payments of half the amount paid the high individual.

Total assets of the credit union ran to \$21,905, of which \$10,786 was in shares, \$905 in reserve for bad loans, and \$1,214 in undivided profits. During 1940 a total of \$36,351.31 in loans was reported and \$10,215.36 was paid into the union.

Officers of the organization include C. F. Dyckmans, president; E. W. Richardson, vice president; and V. A. Whittington, secretary-treasurer. Directors were Dyckmans, Richardson, Whittington, Otto Peters, Sr., A. L. Tamplin, Harold Bottomley, and Hayden Griffith. On the trades committee were J. L. LeBlieu and A. V. Karcher. J. T. Morgan, D. A. Watkins and John Collins were named to the supervisory committee.

## Work Center For NYA Established

AUSTIN, Jan. 15 (AP)—J. C. Kellam, state director of the National Youth Administration, today announced the establishment of an NYA full-time work center for 50 boys at Big Spring.

The director stated that during one-half of each day the boys would aid in construction of a municipal airport building and the rest of the day would devote themselves to working in the center's metal shops.

Kellam said the city of Big Spring was sponsor to the center.

It had been announced previously here that the resident center would be opened here around Feb. 1. Furnishings are under process of construction in other centers now and will be brought here soon. Other equipment is on hand.

## Hog Prices Soar To New Levels

CHICAGO, Jan. 15 (AP)—In the sharpest advance since September, 1939, hog prices today soared 50 to 75 cents a hundredweight, the top reaching \$9, highest in more than a year.

Livestock men attributed the advance to greatly increased demand for meat from consuming interest, including buying in industrial areas stimulated by the defense program and army purchases.

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## Draftees To Camp

BROWNWOOD, Jan. 15 (AP)—Draftees 285 most of them swarmed into the Camp Bowie reception center today, bringing to 486 the total since yesterday.

## Navy Airman's Parachute Is Brought Here

All those involved are dead—killed on a rugged mountain peak in California—but R. C. Huse, Dawson county farmer, brought parachute to go to a hospital but I navy fliers here for examination Tuesday.

Huse, on whose farm L. J. Hughes, one of five to bail out of a navy bomber between Ackerville and Sparsburg on Jan. 2, left the container of one parachute and the flap off another with Postmaster Nat Shick, who was to notify the commanding officer of VT-14, naval barracks, San Diego, Calif.

A blinding snow was falling at the time L. J. Hughes landed about 100 yards from the Huse home. He was pretty well beaten up, had a bad gash on his head and was half frozen.

"He didn't say much," recalled Huse, "I don't know whether he was frozen or scared. He didn't here with the material."

"I wrote out a telegram to his wife but he didn't wire the commanding officer because he didn't know if the plane was up or crashed. When we saw some smoke bombs (flares), he just knew they were pieces of the plane."

Mrs. Huse and their son, Victor, picked up Hughes' chute, damaged only by a maize stalk, and Huse and the sailor circled around looking for others. They missed passing where the body of W. F. Percich lay near a lateral road.

Hughes bailed out from 12,000 feet and had six to eight inches of snow on his chute pack. He had jumped from above the cloud.

Flap on the chute container found by Huse was all but torn away. It was No. 1044. A flap found on the E. C. Grissom farm had been completely torn off and bore the numbers 6335. Numbers, however, may be of no value to naval authorities due to the scramble in getting chutes. Ben and R. A. Huse, brothers, accompanied R. C. Huse here with the material.

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## Here And There

Doing good is no insurance against thieves. When Mrs. A. A. Porter emerged from a First Presbyterian church service Tuesday evening, she discovered that thieves had made away with the family car.

Three boys had their sentences set aside on petty theft charges after a stern talk by City Judge Tracy Smith. They had been taken into custody for theft of a battery from a used car lot.

Farmers will be privileged to see farm machinery in operation Friday at 10:30 a. m. when the Kenton-Oldham Co. gives a Farm-all tractor demonstration at 302 Rannels street. In addition, there will be a free picture show and barbecue. Farmers are invited to come and bring the family.

Archie Suggs—Suggs Construction Co.—has come up with another contract. Tuesday afternoon he was awarded contract for construction of a Gulf Oil Corp. super-service station at the corner of Gregg and 4th streets. In December the company took out permit on the building in the amount of \$6,000. The complete layout will cost around \$10,000.

Bill Mead, dough mixer in charge at Mead Bakery, comes out with a new cake line, available only through grocery stores in a variety of sizes and flavors.

Mrs. Ted O. Groehl, getting ready for the chamber of commerce banquet, has named Mrs. P. W. Malone, Mrs. Joe Fond and Mrs. G. H. Wood as members of the decorations committee.

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## All Officers Re-elected In Local Banks

Both of Big Spring's banks will be operated under the same officers for the coming year. Stockholders, in annual meetings Tuesday, re-elected all old officers at both banks.

At State National, T. S. Currie is president; A. C. Walker, vice president; Robert W. Currie, vice president and cashier; Edith Hatchett, Joe B. Harrison, Milburn Barnett and Chester O'Brien, assistant cashiers.

Members of the board of directors are the president, Walker, Robert W. Currie; Bernard Fisher and H. Noble Reed. At First National, Mrs. Dora Roberts continues as president; Robert T. Piner as active vice-president; Ira L. Thurman as cashier; J. W. Middleton, H. H. Hurt, B. T. Cardwell and Reba Baker as assistant cashiers.

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### Public Records

**Building Permits**  
Mrs. Dollie B. Williams to move a house from 1308 W. 2nd street outside the city limits, cost \$75.

**In the County Court**  
Taylor Emerson versus H. M. Miller, suit for sequestration.

**New Cars**  
G. T. Orenbats, Oldsmobile sedan.  
Big Spring Motor Co., Lincoln sedan.  
W. M. Blevins, Midland, Chrysler sedan.  
M. H. Cox, Cadillac coupe.  
Henry Park, Oldsmobile tudor.  
John R. Hull, Chrysler tudor.

### Price Correction Announced For 'GWTW' Seats

A correction in admission prices for the return showing at the Ritz theatre of "Gone With The Wind" was announced Wednesday by the management. The picture, one of the most notable ever to come from Hollywood, plays Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

All seats for the night show, the Ritz said, will be 55c, there being no children's schedule at night. Matinee admissions are 25 cents for children and 40 for adults, including tax.

Three showings daily have been scheduled by the Ritz, at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. "GWTW" is being brought back here for the first time since its premiere showing last February, when seats sold as high as \$1.10.

The picture is a technicolor version of Margaret Mitchell's famed Civil War piece, with Clark Gable, Vivien Leigh, Leslie Howard and Olivia deHavilland in the leading roles.

### MARKETS AT A GLANCE

**NEW YORK**  
STOCKS—Easy; leaders dip in light trade.  
BONDS—Narrow; some specialties move up.  
FOREIGN EXCHANGE—Quiet; quotations hold steady.  
COTTON—Firm; trade, mill and Bombay buying.  
SUGAR—Higher; refine price up 5 points.  
METALS—Steady; spot tin price moves up.  
WOOL TOPS—Improved; short covering, trade support.  
CHICAGO  
WHEAT—Firm; some short covering.  
CORN—Higher; reduced country sales.  
HOGS—Active, 50-75 higher; top \$9.00.  
CATTLE—Fairly active; fed steers 25 higher.

**Draft Misses Nantucket**  
NANTUCKET, Mass.—This old whaling town is bearing up well under the burdens of selective service. Nantucket was assigned only one draftee by a recent quota—and it developed that this draftee actually was a resident of Fairhaven, on the mainland. So Fairhaven officials did all the work of examining and inducing the lone recruit.

### Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP)—Most stocks were marked down fractions to around 2 points today in extension of a sluggish decline from the recent new year upswing.

The market seemed to give ground mainly from lack of buying support rather than important selling. Transactions, approximately 400,000 shares, were the smallest in three months.

Selective demand for individual issues again was evident in scattered gains and new 1940-41 peaks, chiefly among preferred stocks.

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1. 117 inch wheel base	YES	YES	YES
2. 27 cubic foot trunk	YES	YES	YES
3. 4 door "4 door" body	YES	YES	YES
4. 4 wheel drive	YES	YES	YES
5. 5 year 50,000 mile warranty	YES	YES	YES
6. 4 door convertible top	YES	YES	YES
7. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
8. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
9. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
10. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
11. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
12. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
13. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
14. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
15. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
16. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
17. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
18. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
19. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
20. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
21. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
22. 1 automatic door	YES	YES	YES
TOTAL	22	9	7

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