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British Calling For Indonesians To Give Up Fight

Move May Set Off General Uprising By Nationals

By RALPH MORTON
 BATAVIA, Nov. 9 (AP)—British planes dropped leaflets on Indonesian forces at Soerabaja today calling for their unconditional surrender—a move which may signal a general uprising by well drilled, Japanese-trained nationalists throughout the entire island of Java.

The ultimatum ordered the nationalists to lay down their arms before 6 a. m. tomorrow. Issued in the name of Lt. Gen. Sir Philip Christison, allied commander in the Netherlands East Indies, the leaflets said the order would be backed up by the use of all naval, army and air forces under his command.

An explosive tension gripped all Java. A British army official admitted the situation at Soerabaja was critical. He announced that more troops of the Fifth Indian division arrived there yesterday, and unofficially it was learned that 4,000 Dutch troops would land in Batavia tomorrow.

Christison pointed out carefully that the Soerabaja situation was different from that existing elsewhere on the island, and that the extremists at Soerabaja who were guilty of attacks on the British would be punished.

The Indonesians were reported mauling 100,000 strong in central Java, and leader after leader took to the radio last night urging the people not to lay down their arms but to fight, a Dutch monitor in Soerabaja said.

Observers here said the struggle between the Dutch and Indonesians now had become so bitter that it seemed only intervention by the United Nations—or possibly by the United States—would bring about a peace formula. President Soekarno of the unrecognized Indonesian republic already has appealed to President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee to intercede to prevent savage warfare on the island. He also has appealed to the United Nations security council for the removal of all Dutch forces in Indonesia pending completion of the allied mission.

Kramer Ready To Testify Now

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9 (AP)—Capt. Alvin D. Kramer, naval intelligence officer, said today he was "prepared to testify at any time" in the house-senate investigation of the Pearl Harbor disaster.

He is a patient at Bethesda, Md., naval hospital.

Rep. Keefe (R-Wis.), a member of the investigating committee, told the house Tuesday that a Captain Kramer, whom he did not further identify, was "one of the most vital and important witnesses" in the inquiry, but that committee members had not been allowed to see him.

Keefe stated that "whole legions of stories had arisen" about the manner in which Kramer had fallen into ill health.

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MOLOTOV PROMISES ATOMIC ENERGY—Russian Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov addresses meeting of the Moscow Soviet in Kremlin's great hall of the Supreme Soviet Nov. 6. He promised the Russian people "we will have atomic energy and many other things, too," and warned world against creation of blocs outside of Anglo-American-Russian grand alliance. (AP Wirephoto).

Chinese Nationalists Assuming Positions

By RICHARD BERGHOLZ
 CHINWANGTAO, Nov. 9 (AP)—American transported Chinese nationalist troops have moved into battle positions opposing the Yen-an communists forces along the eastern end of the great Chinese wall, boundary between disputed North China and Manchuria.

But, possibly because of the presence of American marines in strategic positions in the area, fighting has not broken out, despite the fact thousands of nationalists and communists oppose each other at Shankailan (Linyu), the ancient city which forms part of the great wall and is its eastern anchor on the Gulf of Chihli, 10 miles north of Chinwangtao.

The elements of two Chinese nationalist armies, the Thirteenth and the 52nd—were put ashore by United States amphibious forces under Vice Adm. Daniel Barbey.

At first the Chinese troops crowded into this relatively small harbor city and milled about doing nothing before they spread out toward the great wall of China—and the strong forces of the communist Eighth route army along it.

From all indications the communists are well dug in both in and around Shanhaiwan and are sufficiently mobile to swing either direction to combat any forced entry into Manchuria along that sector.

After a week of touring the critical areas, talking with Chinese

nationalist and American officers and communist leaders, I am convinced that although many local areas are dangerously tense, open full-scale warfare has not begun because neither the communists nor the nationalists have felt the time or circumstances propitious. But unmistakably the crucial

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President Signs Tax-Cutting Bill At White House

First Time In 16 Years Overall Tax Slash

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9 (AP)—The White House today announced that President Truman had signed the bill giving individuals and business a slash of \$5,920,000,000 in 1946 taxes.

Mr. Truman thus became the first president in 16 years to sign a general tax reduction measure. Not since Herbert Hoover put his signature on a "Christmas present" slash in 1929 has there been an overall reduction of pocketbook levies.

Congressional sponsors of the legislation said it would stimulate business in the reconversion period and create jobs.

The White House announcement this morning said the bill was signed yesterday.

The legislation:
 1. Removes 12,000,000 low income persons from the tax rolls and assures reductions of 10 per cent or more for individuals making up to \$50,000 annually. Smaller cuts are provided for those with incomes over \$50,000. Total reductions for individuals amount to \$2,644,000,000.

2. Provides special tax treatment for veterans of World War II, forgiving all levies on service pay of enlisted men in wartime and giving officers three years in which to settle with the government.

3. Clips \$3,136,000,000 of the burdens of business next year, principally through repeal of the corporation war-imposed 85.5 per cent excess profits tax.

4. Repeals the \$5 use tax on automobiles and boats at a saving of \$140,000,000.

5. Freezes the social security tax in 1946 at one per cent on employees' pay and employers' payrolls. Without the "freeze" this tax would have jumped January 1 to 2.5 per cent for each.

The bill makes no change in the excise levies on the so-called luxury items such as liquor, luggage, furs, jewelry and cosmetics.

Victory Gardener
 Potatoes Weigh In At 8 Pounds

Mrs. L. A. Coffey, for many years a resident of Big Spring, has established some sort of a record as a Victory Gardener at her home 800 Bowie, Sweetwater.

She and her husband, a former city policeman here and now special agent for the T&P railroad, worried about their sweet potato vines. They seemed to be more vine than root, but when they dug them up, they lifted one huge potato from the fertilized soil. It weighed in at eight and a third pounds. Another tipped the scales at four and a half and several others were unusually larger.

Mrs. Coffey raised butterbean vines that climbed 16 feet in the spring, and a ladder had to be used to harvest the crop. Tomato vines attained a height of eight feet and she gathered a heavy yield.

Over 1,500 Chinese Dead From Shipwreck

HONG KONG, Nov. 9 (AP)—Between 1,500 and 1,800 Chinese were believed today to have lost their lives when the Chinese river steamer Hai Chu struck a mine near the mouth of the Canton river yesterday and sank within a few minutes.

Survivors said they believed only 300 or 400 soldiers and 100 civilians who were aboard.

Some bodies are discovered crouched in foxholes. More are found in graves where the men were buried unofficially, usually by farmers or townspeople after the fighting swirled on.

Identified or not, each body is removed to one of the 37 permanent U. S. Military cemeteries in the European theater. So careful has been the identification check that there are only 3,362 unidentified dead in the cemeteries at present, in addition to the 22,000 unlocated dead.

Lewis Wants Wage Policy

Opponents Drive To Block Hearing On Training Bill

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9 (AP)—Opponents of universal military training held firm today in their drive to delay consideration of the proposal advocated last month by President Truman.

How successful they will be won't be known until next Tuesday. Then the house military committee resumes hearings that started and ended abruptly yesterday when the opposition made its first move.

Led by Rep. Short (R-Mo), committee members opposed to legislation requiring every able-bodied youth to take a year of military training at or near the age of 18 are seeking to have further consideration postponed until next year.

They made a move in that direction yesterday and would have put over Short's motion had not a technicality blocked a vote. Only a few supporters of the legislation were on hand for the opening hearing.

Fearful that Short would renew his motion today and that it might carry later in the year, Chairman May (D-Ky) postponed further hearings until next Tuesday.

Short told reporters he would offer his motion then and predicted it would prevail.

Big Spring To Host West Texas Bands At February Clinic

A high school band contest, which will serve to orient musicians for similar festivals that will be conducted throughout the States later in the year, will be staged here Friday, Feb. 1, 1946.

Plans for the clinic, which is expected to attract six or seven bands from other West Texas communities, are being arranged by Frank E. Wentz, conductor of the Big Spring high school concert band. The local unit will serve as the official clinic band.

D. O. Wiley of Texas Tech and Col. Earl D. Irons, North Texas Agricultural college, will probably serve as judges and guest conductors at the convention.

Forrest Gamble, director of the Midland school band, and Richard Young, Lamesa director, have been named assistants to Wentz and as such will help arrange the program.

At their last meeting, the Big Spring Athletic association voted \$100 toward the contest, which will be dedicated to the purchase of trophies and incidental expenses. According to present plans, premiums will go to the best concert band and the top marching organization.

Most of the bands which compete here are expected to be entered in the statewide convention, which will be held in Waco the second week in February.

An all-city band, composed of 75 or 80 pieces, will be chosen and combined under a director's baton for a public concert.

Miller Visits Here

First Lt. R. H. Miller, Jr., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Miller, before he goes to Boston for a new assignment. He recently finished a course at a veterinary school in Chicago.

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Denounces Murray Bargaining Plan

By STERLING F. GREEN
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 9 (AP)—John L. Lewis may try to draft a wage bargaining policy on which labor's divided forces might unite at President Truman's labor-management conference.

Lewis last night roundly denounced a resolution offered by CIO President Philip Murray, declaring it would limit labor's wage gains to the price of "a bottle of milk, a pair of shoes or a straw hat."

With support from AFL President William Green, Lewis outlined to the conference's Executive Committee—and later to reporters—a wage problem which would free labor to seek whatever it could "reasonably" get.

"We believe in the right of investors to get a return on their investment, of industry to make a profit, of labor to negotiate freely," the Mine Workers' chief told correspondents after a clash with Murray in the closed committee meeting.

Free competition within industry as peacetime production rises, Lewis said, will serve as a "limitation on prices and a brake on profits, while increased efficiency and competition will lower the cost of articles to the consumer."

Asked whether he might try to frame some other declaration of wage bargaining policy on which all of labor's 38 delegates to the conference might agree, the bush-browed UMW President paused, then said:

"We might come to that."

Murray's much-disputed resolution, held in the Executive Committee since Monday, would put the Labor-Management meeting on record as favoring full and prompt collective bargaining under the wage policy broadcast last week by President Truman—that wage rises are "imperative."

Lewis denounced Murray's entire resolution as "incoherent, feeble and namby-pamby."

He used those phrases also in yesterday's closed session of the Executive Committee, which must decide whether the resolution gets to the conference floor. His criticism touched off a stormy scene, persons attending said, in which the CIO and UMW leaders argued angrily.

Fred C. Smith, the Conference Press Officer, said that AFL Chief Green expressed himself "in full accord with everything Lewis said" on the wage question.

Management delegates were merely spectators to the feud in labor's ranks.

Mayor Urges City To Observe Holiday

Mayor R. L. Cook today called upon Big Spring people to observe Armistice Day.

A committee of a score of merchants Wednesday recommended a cessation of business Monday since Armistice Day falls on Sunday, and the mayor followed up with a proclamation in which he urged citizens not to forget "this hallowed day."

"Although there may be a disposition to pass lightly by the day since we have been forced to wade through the wreckage and blood of another World War," said Mayor Cook, "this should in no way diminish the honor we pay the veterans of World War I nor the gratitude in our hearts for the ending of that great war. Indeed, we should not forget this day, but seize upon it as a special occasion to reflect upon the blessings of peace."

Banks and the postoffice will close Monday, as probably will most businesses. Schools, however, will continue their regular schedule without interruption.

Field Marshal Dies

LONDON, Nov. 9 (AP)—Field Marshal August Von Mackensen, a German Commander on the Eastern Front in the First World War, died last night at his estate near Celle, Germany, an Exchange Telegraph Dispatch from British Army Headquarters reported today.

NAMED COMMISSIONER

LONDON, Nov. 9 (AP)—Lt. Gen. Sir Alan Cunningham, former commander of the famous British Eighth Army in Africa, has been named High Commissioner of Palestine and Transjordan to succeed Lord Gort, who resigned last week because of ill health. Cunningham also will act as Commander-in-Chief of British Forces in Palestine.

Youth Free On Bond; Charged With Forgery

R. J. Self, 17, is free on \$500 bond after having been hauled into county court on a charge of check forgery.

He allegedly passed several checks on a downtown business house.

Two other youths are being sought in connection with the case.

Hirohito Now Commands Respect Of Japs, But May Not Keep It

By Glenn Babb
 TOKYO, Nov. 9 (AP)—The Emperor of Japan to outward appearances retains the religious veneration and devotion of a vast majority of the 75,000,000 defeated and dazed Japanese, but powerful ferments are working which may change this in a few years.

American policy as executed under General MacArthur has been to permit Japan to retain the Emperor and use his unique prestige to make smooth the surrender, occupation and program of democracy dictated by the conquerors.

But there is no guaranty continuing Allied support for the imperial institution, and the ultimate decision on the Emperor concept emanate from the Japanese people.

Thus far there is little evidence of danger to the throne. Communists newly freed from prison and other restraints clamor noisily for the Emperor's removal but they are an infinitesimal minority.

Meanwhile, Hirohito goes about his functions as High Priest and Divinely Descended Ruler of his people with little or no alteration of the Ancient Shinto rituals.

Shinto's manifest decline may have far-reaching developments in

Japan's political as well as religious life. An American State Department spokesman recently announced that American policy is to make it impossible for Shinto to continue its pre-war role in the national scheme. To this end the Japanese government will be required to cease all financial support. Shinto and its great shrines always have been supported by the State, not the people. Observance of its rites was a duty from which release will be welcomed by many Japanese.

Inevitably, Hirohito's hold on the people would be most affected by decline of the cult which claims for him veneration on the grounds he is the Son of Heaven and the current manifestation of a "line unbroken for ages eternal." Unquestionably, Hirohito's personal prestige and that of the Imperial House suffered from his visit last month to MacArthur at the American Embassy.

However, there are many Japanese who assert that Hirohito's firmness in ending the war and carrying out the surrender made him personally more popular with the masses than any previous Mikado.

Underwood and Yater Land On Guam Nov. 2

Their parents have learned that Thomas Underwood and Wesley Yater, both seamen second class, have landed on Guam together.

Both left the United States on October 3 and departed from Hawaii on October 21, arriving on Guam on November 2. Both are attached to the 301st Seabees.

Underwood is the son of Mrs. Louellen Underwood, and Yater is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland A. Yater.

Jap Lawyer Refuses To Handle Tojo Case

TOKYO, Nov. 9 (AP)—Fusaaki Uzawa, prominent Japanese lawyer appointed to defend war criminals, today declined to participate in the defense of Hideki Tojo, the "Pearl Harbor Premier," because "Tojo personally was responsible for the war."

Uzawa, president of Meiji University, nevertheless said that Tojo should be given a fair trial. "Although I am not sure that he deserves it," because of the international importance of the case.

The 73-year-old Uzawa told the Associated Press that he would not defend any Japanese charged as a war criminal unless he personally was satisfied the accused was innocent.

None Shall Remain In German Soil—

Army Seeks To Identify 22,000 Unknown Soldiers

By JAMES LONG
 PARIS, Nov. 9 (AP)—The U. S. Army is pressing a determined search to recover and identify the bodies of 22,000 unknown American soldiers who lie in nameless graves between the littered beaches of Normandy and the wreckage of Berlin.

As Armistice day draws near and soldiers and civilians prepare to do homage to America's war dead, men of the U. S. Graves Registration Service are redoubling their efforts to solve the riddles of the fighting men who died in anonymity.

They lie, these men, beneath shallow mounds along the death-trap hedgerows of Normandy, beside woodland streams of the Marne where their fathers fell be-

Knott Activities Include Class Parties, Church Meetings, Visitors

KNOTT, Nov. 9 (Sp)—On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Riley Knightstep honored Mrs. T. J. Castle, the former Lou Dell Motley, with a bridal shower.

After gifts were presented, refreshments were served to Mrs. Henry Sample, Mrs. Lula Burchell, Mrs. Roy Motley, Mrs. O. B. Gaskin, Mrs. J. T. Gross, Mrs. Herman Puckett, Mrs. Tom Castle, Mrs. J. W. Motley, Mrs. W. A. Jackson, Mrs. F. D. Rogers, Mrs. C. G. Brown, Mrs. J. E. Murphy, Mrs. W. A. Burchell, Mrs. J. C. Spaulding, Mrs. Fae Motley and Alice Herron of Knott.

From Ackerly were Mrs. Paul Adams, Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry, Mrs. Geo. H. Rhea, Mrs. J. L. Maybrow, Mrs. W. M. Doster, Mrs. J. E. Griffin, Mrs. Jimmie Bolt. Others were Mrs. W. E. Plunkett, Judy Sue Evans, Lola Page and Lillie Mae Barnard of Big Spring, Mrs. Lula Motley and Mrs. Aubrey Hamlin of Vealmoor, Mrs. J. E. Airhart and Mrs. H. C. Powell of Sparenburg, and Mrs. J. R. Phillips of Stanton.

Elgin Jones reported at Fort Sam Houston this week for assignment.

L. Winton McGregor reported at his station in Kentucky Monday. Buck R. L. Brown, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Brown, arrived home Sunday after a year's service overseas.

W. A. Hocutt is here for a few days furlough. He has been transferred from California to Austin.

Edward Burchell, who is stationed at Fort Sam Houston, spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. T. A. Crestman and baby, who have been in Kentucky with her husband, returned home. She is with her parents.

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Newcomer and family spent Sunday with their parents at Brownfield.

Walter Unger, son of Mr. and

Parents, Teachers Hear Programs And Hold Business Session Thursday

Superintendent W. C. Blankenship explained the reasons for the crowded conditions of classes in Big Spring schools to members of the West Ward Parent Teachers association.

He told the group that due to limitations in numbers of teachers the classes are more crowded than they should be, but he urged parents to be patient, and understand the handicaps under which the schools are forced to operate.

Mrs. Burt Plant gave the devotional and Mrs. H. H. Rutherford acted as program chairman. Mary Ann Attaway gave a piano number.

It was reported at the business meeting that the organization now has 161 members. Delegates for the San Antonio P-T-A conference were announced and Mrs. C. E. Johnson will represent West Ward school.

Members present at the meeting were Mrs. M. J. Reynolds, Mrs. R. L. Baber, Mrs. Ira Thurman, Mrs. Cecil Penick, Mrs. Durward Lewter, Mrs. George Mizell, Mrs. Lotie Holland, Mrs. F. H. Hinkley, Mrs. Odie Moore, Mrs. Kermit Hardy, Mrs. Marshall Poth, Mrs. Frank Page, Mrs. Ray Griffin, Mrs. W. L. Vaughn, Mrs. Harry Montgomery, Mrs. T. B. McGinnis, Mrs. J. D. Light.

Mrs. E. O. Sanderson, Mrs. E. T. Reynolds, Mrs. R. M. Harrison, Mrs. Paul Attaway, Mrs. Clyde Veffor, Mrs. C. R. Moad, Mrs. G. H. Daniels, Mrs. Brady Madry, Mrs. M. E. Hoerger, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. Virginia Blackburn.

Mrs. Zollie Boykin spoke to members of the College Heights Parent-Teachers association Thursday on discipline with children and discussed "How To Say No."

Mrs. Ada Harrison's fourth grade presented a musical program with two numbers by the class rhythm band. Piano selections were played by Myrna Jean Talley, Margie Beth Keaton and Susan Logan. Mrs. H. G. Keaton, president, gave the devotional.

At the brief business meeting Mrs. J. E. Brigham appealed to the group for den mothers, telling of the need for leaders for the Cub Scout packs.

Members present at the meeting were Mrs. Robert Satterwhite, Mrs. Keaton, Mrs. R. F. Blumh, Mrs. Boykin, Mrs. John Dibrell, Mrs. J. H. Jennings, Betty Collins, Mrs. Brigham, Mrs. J. E. Freeman, Mrs. Vernon Kile, Mrs. Grady McCrary, Mrs. A. L. Hobbs, Mrs. Henry F. Young, Mrs. Lawrence Robinson, Miss Neal Cummings, Mrs. J. S. Bennett, Mrs. Gayle Pickens.

Mrs. Marion B. Beam, Mrs. Franklin Holmes, Mrs. H. C. Stipp, Mrs. Jimmy Staggs, Mrs. M. A. Dillard, Mrs. Jack Sparks, Mrs. Julian Baird, Mrs. Allen Wiggins, Mrs. L. L. Telford, Mrs. Ted Phillips, Mrs. G. L. Harding, Mrs. Martelle McDonald, Mrs. T. J. Williamson, Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. George White, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. R. A. Pachall, Mrs. V. V. Strahan, Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Mrs. Vernon Logan and Mrs. L. G. Talley.

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'SKUNK CLUB' IS LITTLE EXCLUSIVE

SEATTLE, Nov. 9 (AP)—Post-office employees here have their own select golfing society. Membership, automatic for those who qualify, is not coveted, however. It's called the "Skunk Club."

Players with the poorest records for the season compete in a special tournament to see who gets the dubious honor of being the club president, whose official title is "chief stinker."

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Recently Listed Discharges Filed At Draft Board

More discharges are being filed each day with the Selective Service Board. Recently listed were:

Harry Jordan, T/3, 3553rd Ordnance Medium Automotive Maintenance Company, entered service Nov. 8, 1941; American Defense medal, A-P Theater; served three years, four months in the Pacific and Hawaii.

Cecil W. Peurifoy, Sgt., 2509th Army AFBU, enlisted Sept. 4, 1942; three years, one month in service.

Victor M. Brown, Sgt., 13th Engineers Battalion, entered service Sept. 4, 1942; Aleutian Islands, Eastern Mandates, Southern Philippines (Liberation), Ryukyus: A-P theater medal, Philippine Liberation ribbon; five months foreign service.

Andrew A. Flower, Pfc., 568th AAFBU, entered service June 11, 1943; Bronze battle stars, air offensive, Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Europe; EAME campaign service ribbon; one year, three months foreign service.

Robert L. Reagan, Pfc., 9th Infantry, entered May 19, 1943; Rhineland campaign, Central Europe; EAME theater medal with two bronze service stars, Purple Heart; wounded April 15, 1945, in European theater; five months foreign service.

Doyle G. Singleton, T/5, 601st Tank Destroyer Battalion, enlisted May 21, 1942; Tunisian, Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno, Rhineland, Central Europe; EAME campaign medal with five bronze stars, Bronze Star medal, Distinguished Unit Badge; two years, eight months foreign service.

Cooper C. McCrany, Sgt., 293rd Engineers Battalion, entered service Sept. 9, 1942; Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland; EAME campaign medal with three bronze stars; two years, two months foreign service.

Ramon Torres, T/4, 10th Tank Battalion, entered service June 21, 1941; Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Europe; American Defense Service medal, EAME campaign medal with five bronze stars; one year, seven months foreign service.

Mrs. Brenner Has Israel Ladies Meet

Mrs. N. Brenner was hostess to the Temple Israel Sisterhood when it met Thursday afternoon.

At the business meeting it was announced that ladies from the Colorado City organization will meet with the Big Spring unit after the first of the year. A round table discussion was held on the Palestine situation.

Those present were Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, Mrs. Joye Fisher, Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. Henry Frank and Mrs. Brenner.

Mexico Plans Giant Heroes' Celebration

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 9. (AP)—A colorful ceremony awaits the 201st Mexican Airforce Squadron next week when it crosses the International Bridge at Nuevo Laredo.

Veterans of the Pacific Air battles, members of the Squadron will reach Mexico City Sunday, Nov. 18. Secretary of War Francisco Urquiza announced here.

Plans at Nueva Laredo include the presence of troops from the Seventh Military Zone and regiments from the Third Infantry Division.

In Mexico City, the Squadron will be welcomed home officially by President Avila Camacho, and a giant parade will be held in its honor.

PHILLIPS DIES

NEW YORK Nov. 9. (AP)—Funeral services will be held in Dallas for Alexander R. Phillips, 65, President of the Great American Insurance Company and its Fire Insurance Company affiliates, who died Wednesday in a Newark, N. J. hospital. He was born in Waco, lived many years in Dallas.

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Musicians Have Ninth Convention In Odessa Saturday

The ninth annual convention of the Ninth District of Texas Federation of Music Clubs will be held in Odessa Saturday with the Odessa Music Study club acting as hostess.

Mrs. Ina Wooten Jones of Abilene, treasurer of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs will be guest speaker. Representatives from Big Spring, Midland, Odessa and Alpine clubs will be present.

The morning session will be held in the Ector county library clubroom, at which time all district officers and chairmen will give reports on their work for the past year. Following a luncheon at which Mrs. Jones will address the convention, the junior business session and fine arts program will be conducted. The final program will be presented by representatives of the senior clubs in the ninth district and is open to the public.

Members of the Big Spring Music Study club who will attend are Mrs. Wiley Curry, Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. J. E. Hardesty, Mrs. Morris Jarratt, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. J. P. Kenney, Mrs. Paul Graham, Mrs. C. W. Norman and Mrs. G. H. Wood.

Those attending from the Junior Music club are Helen Blount, Jean Ellen Chown, Clarice Wood and Billy Bob Watson. Allegro Music club will be represented by Jo Ann Smith, Patsy Maddux and Mary Frances Norman.

Bykota Members Meet At Dinner

A Thanksgiving dinner was served to the members of the Bykota class when members met Thursday evening at the First Baptist church for their regular monthly meeting.

The dining table was decorated with arrangements of fall flowers. Following the regular business meeting animal toys were made for the nursery.

Members attending were Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, teacher, Nell Brown, Zollie Mae Rawlins, Grace Mann, Lorena Huggins, Jewel McWhirter, Marie McDonald, Edythe Wright, Holley Morgan, Mabel Robinson, Ada Harrison, Letha Amerson, John Lou Callison and Faye Colthrop.

Guests for the dinner were Mrs. Lawton Callison, Mrs. Gordon Haynes, Jr., Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Elouse Haley, Betty Cannon, Sarah Harper, Lillian Shick and Doris Thurman.

WELFARE ASSOCIATION
WACO, Texas, Nov. 9. (AP)—The regional session of the Texas State Welfare Association and the State Convention of Childhood Education convenes here today.

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Holiday Theme Used At XYZ Dinner Party

The Thanksgiving theme was carried out at the dinner meeting of the X. Y. Z. club Thursday evening at the Settles hotel, with Mrs. J. B. Apple and Roy Reeder as hostess.

The entertaining rooms were decorated with arrangements of autumn-colored chrysanthemums and the Thanksgiving theme was carried out in the place cards.

Following dinner the group played hearts, with Mrs. A. H. Ryle winning high score. Mrs. Otto Peters was second high, and Mrs. Ted Phillips binged.

Those attending were Mrs. Elvies McCrary, Mrs. V. A. Whittington, Mrs. Coy Nalley, Mrs. A. McNary, Mrs. W. C. Carr, Mrs. Woodrow Campbell, Mrs. Burl Haynie, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Otto Peters, Mrs. Charles Girdner, Mrs. Douglas Orme, Mrs. Ryle, Mrs. C. S. Edmonds, Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. Bill Younger, Mrs. E. A. Caywood, Mrs. Ted Phillips, Mrs. Merrill Creighton, Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. Jimmy Jennings, Mrs. Chad Rockett, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. W. A. Rogers, Mrs. T. J. Dunlap and the hostesses.

MAJOR-SERGEANT LOVES TO TRAVEL

CAMP GRANT, Ill., Nov. 9. (AP) John Mandeville, who enlisted in the army in 1940 as a private and advanced to major, recently was discharged with 103 points after 34 months overseas.

Now the 33-year-old Rockford, Ill., soldier has joined the army again—this time as a master sergeant.

His explanation: "I like to travel."

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Social Calendar Of Events For Week

FRIDAY
WOODMENS CIRCLE has a regular meeting at 8 p. m. at the WOW hall.

SATURDAY
HOWARD COUNTY HD CLUB COUNCIL will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the agent's office.

MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. R. L. Warren.

Garden City P-TA Fete Successful

GARDEN CITY, Tex., Nov. 8.—The Garden City PTA netted \$300 to the organization as the result of the Halloween carnival held last week.

The queens chosen were Orlene Dozier of the senior class for the high school, and Kay Mitchell of the first grade for the grammar school.

Dukes and duchesses were Kay Mitchell and Frank Powell, first grade; Sandra Wilkerson and James Tweedie, second grade; Doris Ann Hahn and Jimmy McCorquadal, third grade; Anne Mary Gran and Gene Phillips, fourth grade; Darja Ricker and Harvey Clark, fifth grade; Johnnie McHenry and Charles Phillips, sixth grade; Mary Yvonne Griggs and Bobby Baker, seventh grade; Frances Linyne and Wilson Marsh, eighth grade; Frances Cox and Bill Roberts, ninth; Harry Sina Cox and Basil Keathley, tenth; Janet Hightower and Harry Caverley, eleventh; Orlene Dozier and Donald Cook, twelfth.

Activities at the USO

FRIDAY
8:30—General activities.
SATURDAY
9:00—Dance.

Joint County, Area AAA Meeting Slated

A joint meeting of the county and community committees together with representatives from other agricultural agencies will be held in the AAA office beginning at 1 p. m. Saturday, Nov. 10.

Object of the meeting is to determine the 1946 soil conservation practices to be approved for Howard county.

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Dogies Test Mettle Of Midlanders In Saturday Night Encounter Here

Big Spring high school's second string footballers and the Midland B team clash in a game at Steer stadium at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night and the odds appear to be "all even."

High School Essay Winners Announced

Winners of the fire prevention essays for high school were announced Thursday by Walter Reed, principal. The junior class did not participate in the contest this year.

LINDA DARNELL COMES HOME TO DALLAS, A BIG SUCCESS

Linda Darnell, the big city girl who went to small town and made good, is home again and wowing the home folks. The now-famous movie actress from Dallas (a pretty fair-sized town) has made good in Hollywood (which is just a corner of Los Angeles and if it insists on calling itself a town, then okay it's a town, but a very small place).

John Malaise Named New Cage, Tennis Coach Here

Former NTSTC Athlete Saw War Action

John W. Malaise, who is now on terminal leave from the United States Navy, has been added to the coaching staff at Big Spring high school. He will handle both the Steer basketball and tennis teams, according to Walter Reed, principal.

ancy in the navy shortly before he was given accrued leave. Overseas some 43 months, the new mentor saw action in both theaters.

Ramblers Vow To Avenge '44 Loss To Army

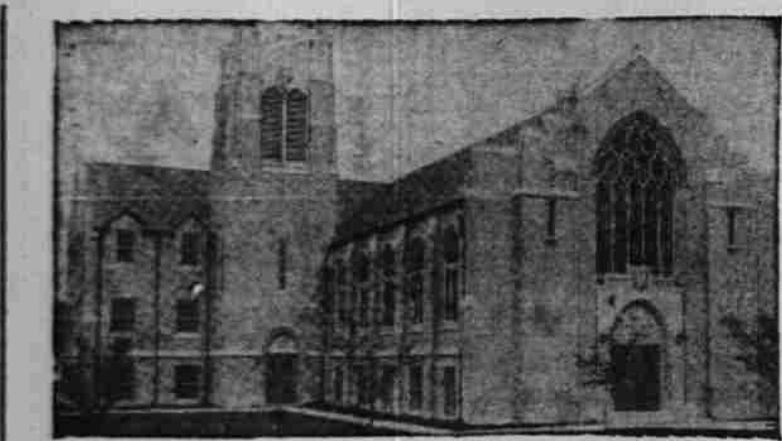
NEW YORK, Nov. 9 (AP)—Army, Michigan, Pennsylvania Southern California and Louisiana State will triumph in Saturday's major football games in the opinion of this corner, which has sputtered through the season so far at an .805 gait.

Steers Mentioned For Pasadena Bowl

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 9. (AP)—The choice for the Eastern Representative in the Rose Bowl today narrowed to seven teams following a meeting of the Rose Bowl Committee.

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The Association desires to thank you, the public, for your loyal support of everything we have tried to promote for the progress of the kingdom. Especially do we thank you for the support you gave the recent united effort in the revival, both in attendance and money.

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BIG THREE MAY MEET

LONDON, Nov. 9. (AP)—The possibility of another meeting of President Truman, Generalissimo Stalin and Prime Minister Attlee was advanced in the London Press today, and diplomatic sources, pointing out there had been no meeting of the Statesmen since the final defeat of the Axis, said such a conference in the near future could not be ruled out.

Weather Forecast

Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Cloudy, continued rather cold this afternoon, tonight and Saturday. Occasional light rains. High temperature 42, Low 32 to 35.

WEST TEXAS: Cloudy, and colder except fair and continued cold Panhandle and South Plains this afternoon and tonight; low-est temperatures 26-30 Panhandle and 30-34 South Plains tonight, Saturday cloudy with occasional rain and continued cold.

EAST TEXAS: Cloudy and colder tonight and in North and Central portions this afternoon; occasional rain Central portion this afternoon and in South portion tonight, Saturday cloudy and continued cold, occasional rain West and South portions. Moderate South to Southeast winds shifting to fresh Northerly on upper coast this afternoon and on lower Coast tonight.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max	Min.
Abilene	73	49
Amarillo	56	27
BIG SPRING	71	44
Chicago	70	38
El Paso	63	38
Denver	34	16
Fort Worth	81	49
Galveston	80	70
New York	80	58

Sunset today 5:30 p. m. Sunrise Saturday 7:11 a. m.

Mrs. Hayes Marries

Word has been received here of the marriage of Mrs. J. O. Hayes, former Big Spring resident, to F. L. Langworthy, in Santa Barbara, Calif. on Nov. 4. Mrs. Langworthy has made her home in Santa Monica, Calif. for the past 10 years.

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Red Maley Tops Nation's Punters

DALLAS, Nov. 9. (AP)—Howard Maley, Southern Methodist University halfback, is the real kicking leader of the nation's college football.

Statistics through games of Oct. 27 released today by Homer F. Cooke, Jr., director of the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau, show Maley to have booted the ball 35 times for an average of 39.8 yards. He is the only punter among the ten leaders who has plunked his toe into the ball more than 30 times.

The leading punter in yards averaged is Howard Hawkins of Oklahoma with 42.9 on 11 kicks. Other Texas college players are among the leaders in national statistics.

Hubert Bechtol, great Texas wingman, is tied with Reid Mosely of Georgia in the number of passes caught—each with 19. Bechtol has realized 314 yards on his receptions, Mosely 382. Paul Page of Southern Methodist ranks sixth in passes caught with 14 for 189 yards.

Texas Tech's Walter Schlinkman ranks sixth in rushing with his 535 yards on 79 carries and is eleventh in total offense.

Ereston Smith of Texas A. and M. has been the hardest-working ball-carrier in the nation, averaging 18 carries per game. Smith ranks seventh in ball-carrying with 502 yards on 108 carries.

Jack Price of Baylor is second in the nation on percentage of pass completions, connecting with 29 of 52 pitches for an average of .558. Maley is sixth in the nation on pass completions with 32 of 68 for 218 yards and Leon Joslin of Texas Christian is next with 31 of 61 for 499 yards.

Mendez In Buckner Bay At Surrender

Alphonse Mendez, Jr., seaman first class, USNR, of Big Spring, had helped put more than 150,000 miles of sea travel on the records of the light cruiser USS Denver when news of Japan's capitulation came while the ship was refueling at Buckner Bay, Okinawa, for further action.

The cruiser's career in the war dated from the operations in connection with consolidation of the Solomons, right up to the final sweeps along the China coast just before the Japs decided they had enough.

Bus Conference Ending On Snag

FORT WORTH, Nov. 9. (AP)—The conference to settle the four-day-old Southwestern Greyhound Bus strike apparently hit a snag today.

One hour and forty minutes after the second day of negotiations was started, the conferees left their closed room and went their separate ways.

It was announced that the negotiations would be resumed at 10 a. m. tomorrow.

With the preliminary skirmishing disposed of yesterday the first time representatives of the busmen's union, and officials of the company have gotten together, some hope was held that tangible results might begin to show up.

Ray Majure, U. S. conciliation service commissioner, said yesterday's conference got "no results whatever."

The same report was given after the short-lived meeting today.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Nov. 9. (AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 1,500, calves 1,100; steady; common and medium beef steers and yearlings 9.50-13.00; good fed steers 15.00; common and medium cows 8.00-10.50; cutter 7.00-7.50; canners 4.50-6.50; bulls 9.50 down; good and choice calves 12.00-13.00; common and medium 8.50-11.50; culls 7.00-8.00; common and medium stockers 9.50-11.50.

Sheep: 2,500; all classes around steady; good fat lambs 12.50-13.00; good 103 lb. yearlings 11.00; good ewes 6.00; medium and good ewes 5.00-5.50; cull and common ewes 4.00-4.50; medium and good feeder lambs 12.00.

AAA Closing Session Irons Out Details

Some 60 persons attended the closing session of AAA administrators Thursday afternoon at the Settles hotel.

The conclave was called to iron out details on the proper procedure for federal payments routed through that department. In the future, computations will be made through local offices, eliminating the need for sending records to College Station.

Speakers at the meeting included Otis Cowart, AAA auditor; A. H. Jeffers, field representative; and M. C. Puckett, who represents District 8 and 6-A on the State AAA committee.

Nazarene Revival To Continue Next Week

Revival at the Church of the Nazarene, Fourth and Austin, will continue through next week with services at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. daily, the Rev. W. R. McClure, pastor, announced Friday.

Good interest has been manifested in the meeting this week with the Rev. M. R. Archer of Antlers, Okla., as evangelist. Mrs. McClure is accompanist for the meetings and Edwina Turner is leading the singing. The Rev. McClure presents devotional over KBST at 1:45 p. m. daily.

Sgt. Bagley Admitted To Brooke Hospital

Sgt. William R. Bagley, son of Mrs. W. H. Bagley, 514 Dallas street, has been admitted to Brooke Hospital Center, Fort Sam Houston, for treatment of lils incurred while a prisoner of war.

Sgt. Bagley was captured on Corregidor and no word was heard from him for three years and five months other than that he was a prisoner. He was liberated after surrender.

36th Division Ready To Sail From Europe

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9. (AP)—The war department announced today that the 36th (Texas) division has been ordered to be ready on Nov. 20 to sail from Europe for home.

Departure for the United States may not occur then, it was explained. The division is given the "readiness date" so that it can be prepared for sailing on immediate notice on or after that time. It is expected to disembark at New York.

NO PRISON BARS AFTER LIFE TERM

Edinburg, Tex., Nov. 9. (AP)—A life sentence for armed burglary of a McAllen residence was assessed against Jesus Juarez, an alien, in criminal district court this week and after Judge Bryce Ferguson set the penalty the defendant asked:

After I have served the life sentence do I have to come back and finish out the other three?" He had been sentenced to five years each on three other charges in the same case.

Doolittle Tells Congress Army Air Force Plan

By MAX HALL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9. (AP)—Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle gave congress a peek today at what the army air forces want in peacetime: A force of 400,000 officers and men, backed by a reserve of 1,000,000.

But an administration proposal to build up a reserve for the armed forces through a year's military training for America's young men was in trouble in the house military committee. Opponents temporarily have disrupted hearings which began only yesterday.

Doolittle talked to the senate military committee. He spoke up for a single department of national defense in which air power would be on a par with the army and navy.

This is needed, he said, because America's military planes of the future will be able to go to any part of the world and return.

Other countries soon will have such planes—and atomic bombs. Congress also picked up some ideas about:

Farm prices—several state agricultural commissioners said rising farm labor costs are threatening food production. But a representative of the National Farmers Union said it would be inflationary to include labor costs in the farm parity price formula.

They appeared before the senate agriculture committee. It is studying a bill to change the formula for parity prices—which are intended to give farmers a fair purchasing power.

Wages—an official of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America urged a house committee to approve a measure to increase the national minimum wage from 40 to 65 cents an hour. But a spokesman for the National Co-operative Milk Producers Federation said farmers would go bankrupt if they have to pay the minimum wage to their help.

Federal Wages—Dr. Vannevar Bush—he runs the office of scientific research and development—told senators government scientists ought to be paid as much as \$15,000 a year. The top now under civil service is \$9,800.

Today's session of the house military committee on universal training was cancelled. Secretary of the Navy Forrestal's testimony will have to wait at least until next Tuesday.

Gen. Eisenhower Leaving For US

By WES GALLAGHER

FRANKFURT, Germany, Nov. 9. (AP)—Gen. Eisenhower will leave for the United States within "a few hours" to testify before Congressional committees, his headquarters said today.

The announcement did not state the nature of Eisenhower's testimony, but it is expected that he will support the stand of the U. S. Army Chief of Staff, Gen. George C. Marshall, for consolidation of the Army, Navy and Air Forces Defense Department.

While the announcement said Eisenhower would return to Europe by Nov. 23, authoritative sources predicted his stay there would be short and in the nature of a farewell to his Command in Europe before assuming duties as Army Chief of Staff, succeeding Gen. Marshall.

Gen. Marshall reached the retirement age of 64 last Dec. 31 and is known to have expressed desires to retire around his 65th birthday. Rumors have been current since September that Eisenhower would succeed him.

Authoritative sources express belief that Eisenhower will be succeeded in Germany by Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, former American Commander in the Mediterranean Theater.

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A junior college here would be of credit to the county, giving the people a real educational asset and the area an institution to attract people. It would raise the educational level by two years.

A junior college would be a source of trained, efficient young personnel for business, offices, industry and agriculture through terminal or vocational training courses.

A junior college would offer advantages in economy of education, which would be the difference between college training and none at all for many. A junior college here would have its curriculum tailor-made to our area's needs in many fields. It would make available extensive possibilities in adult education.

A junior college would offer guidance to youthful graduates of high school during a critical period of their lives when they are going into adult maturity. It also would offer pre-professional training for courses in senior colleges and universities.

A junior college would be another pivot for the better things, would inevitably benefit business, would set this county apart from others which cannot offer such an advantage.

- Higher Educational Level
- Economical Education
- Terminal Courses
- College at Home
- Tailor-made Training
- Adult Education
- Guidance
- Pre-professional Training

Howard County Junior College Committee

Longhorns Pull Anchor For San Angelo Date

Billy McMillan Paces Central 11 To 35-0 Triumph Over West Ward

Led by hard-hitting Billy McMillan, Central's Trojans sacked the Cowboys of West Ward, 35-0, to win the Junior football championship of the city schools Thursday evening at Steer stadium.

The Trojan power was devastating, especially when McMillan carried four of his team's five touchdowns and piled up most of Central's yardage.

Onlookers might well have been looking at a lad capable of leading the senior high eleven out of the football wilderness in future years. McMillan possesses more natural ability. It was generally agreed by the spectators, than any grider of his age seen here in years.

Charles Wright's Cowpokes tried hard enough but they simply did not have the club to stop the Tro-

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Locals Afforded Little Chance For Upset

The first time the House of Troy got the ball, they drove half the distance of the field for a touch, McMillan going over from inside the five.

Ross Word broke Billy's spell by taking a pass for Central's second tally in the follow-up period but McMillan was on the throwing end. A short time later, the brilliant little signal barker returned to plunge over for the third six-pointer.

Central left the field at half time with a 20-0 advantage. McMillan and his tribe then returned for markers in both the final periods.

The Waddies never got nearer the Trojans' goal than the 25-yard line. They ran up four first downs against the Central eleven, all of them in the second half.

In other league games played Wednesday, College Heights blanked East Ward, 12-0, while the North Siders routed South Ward, 27-0.

Standings: W. L. T. Pts. Op.

Central	4	0	1	95	7
North	3	2	0	40	14
West	2	1	2	21	35
Coll. Hts.	2	1	2	40	13
East	1	3	1	21	25
South	0	5	0	0	114

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LOOKING 'EM OVER

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Odessa 25, Sweetwater 7. Not that much difference if the Broncs are not in top shape, as has been rumored. Reports from Abilene say the Eagles outplayed Sweet-

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Greco-Janiro Mix Tonight

NEW YORK, Nov. 9. (AP)—Big time boxing returns to Madison Square Garden tonight with a capacity crowd of 18,000 expected to watch welterweights Tony Janiro of Youngstown, Ohio, and Johnny Greco of Montreal tangle in their third and "rubber" eight-round windup.

Boxing fans figure to contribute to a \$100,000 gross gate for this third take between the smart boxer from Youngstown and the wild swinging Canadian puncher.

The youthful Janiro, who lost a close decision to Greco on July 20, then won easily Aug. 17, is rated a 1 to 2 favorite to chalk up his 42nd victory in 44 pro starts.

Sooner Mentor To Quit Post

NORMAN, Okla., Nov. 9. (AP)—Suffering from what he termed "football battle fatigue," Coach Dewey (Snorter) Luster, who piloted the University of Oklahoma to two straight Big Six titles, will retire at the end of the present season.

The pint-sized, bespectacled mentor said he had intended to resign for the past two years due to his failing health but remained upon insistence of college officials.

Luster will continue at the university, assisting in the intramural athletic program.

Seek Fourth Win

AMARILLO, Nov. 9. (AP)—Victorious in their first three games of the season, the Amarillo Army Air Field basketballers meet Clovis Army Air Field here tomorrow night.

The Sky Giants beat Amarillo College 55-28 and downed Abilene Army Air Field 66-40 and 53-32.

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Ags, Frogs, Herd Football Choices

Rice Owls Due To Knock Over Hogs; Four Battles Due To Attract 64,000 Customers

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

The Southwest conference football campaign skirts through the half-way mark tomorrow with no chance of breaking the deadlock for first place but with prospects of eliminating a couple or more teams from championship consideration.

Texas battles Baylor at Austin, Southern Methodist clashes with Houston. A. and M. at College Station and Rice engages Arkansas at Houston.

Texas, A. and M. and Rice will be favored to win and if they all come through Baylor will be definitely out of the race and Southern Methodist will retain only a mathematical chance.

There are no intersectional games on the schedule for the first time since the season opened.

Texas Christian plays outside the conference but not outside the state. The Horned Frogs go to Lubbock for a tussle with Texas Tech.

Sixty-four thousand fans are expected for the four games with the largest crowd due at Austin where 22,000 are forecast for the Texas-Baylor mele.

At Lubbock they're already selling standing room for the TCU-Red Raider tussle with 12,000 expected to jam into the park.

Feeling quite skittish, in view of the fact that we hit four out of four last week (being the only one to pick T. C. U. to beat Oklahoma) we bravely and insistently give you these selections for Saturday (anticipated attendance in parentheses):

Southern Methodist vs Texas A. and M. at College Station, 2:30 p. m. (15,000) — this ought to be a dilly of a ball game; lots of scoring, footballs flying everywhere — the Aggies by a touchdown.

Rice vs Arkansas at Houston, 3 p. m. (15,000) — Arkansas is going nowhere; Rice hopes to take a good trip — maybe to the conference top rung. Good chance for an upset but we'll take Rice by two touchdowns.

Texas vs Baylor at Austin, 2:30 (22,000) — Baylor is seldom easy for Texas; don't think they will be easy this time, but the Longhorns ought to take it by a touchdown or two.

Texas Christian vs Texas Tech at Lubbock, 2:30 p. m. (12,000) — T. C. U. could have its mind on Texas next week instead of the business at hand. If so, Tech could knock over the Horned Frogs. Don't think so, however; T. C. U. by thirteen points.

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A Refreshing Treatment With The News

by Dewitt Mackenzie
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

The closing of several concessions at a travelling show here may be taken as something in the course of ordinary events. But really it might be a good starting point for eliminating some of the laxity which has sprung up in recent years. The action was brought about upon the suggestion of the county juvenile officer on the grounds that the concessions involved devices which appeared to be for gaming purposes. If this were established, under the law, any juvenile who participated could be classified as a delinquent. Many parents perhaps were unfamiliar with the law but they had their own opinions about the devices. They said so in talks to officers.

A thing of this sort is easy to let slide. It is the course of least resistance to assume the attitude that it is temporary and innocent. It seems to us that those who took the initiative in this instance are to be commended, and that it will be better still when we don't have to attack these problems through children.

Good Beginning

Ernest Bevin, foreign secretary of Great Britain, did some pretty straight and strong hinting in Commons that England considers some of the Russian motives subject to suspicion.

The unique treatment which he gave the subject in his discussion in Commons was somewhat refreshing, for there was little doubt that he was referring to Russia when he said "You cannot help our being a little bit suspicious if a great power wants to go right across the throat of the British Commonwealth."

Usually this kind of talk is carried on beneath the surface in stilted, polite and loop-hole diplomatic language. The action of Mr. Bevin in discussing it with a degree of greater frankness and in the open is refreshing. We'd like to see more of it by responsible officials.

Perhaps the greatest disadvantage a treatment of this sort has is that the address will not be reported freely in all quarters—and particularly in the quarters where it ought most to be reported.

It seems to us that the friction and heat some-time generated from frank exchanges is more often compensated by ultimate understanding which will beget confidence.

Hollywood—This Movie Just Can't Miss

By GENE HANDSAKER

"This Love of Ours," a Universal Picture production with Merle Oberon, Claude Rains and Charles Korvin. Running time: 90 minutes.

HOLLYWOOD—Of course, any movie with Claude Rains in it would have a hard time being anything but good, but with the slender, regal beauty of Merle Oberon and the rugged handsomeness of Charles Korvin, "This Love of Ours" can hardly miss.

It's a taut, eye-moistening tale, though. Korvin, cast as an eminent pathologist, suspects on apparently good grounds that his wife (Miss Oberon) is unfaithful. He leaves with their daughter, who grows into adolescence believing her mother dead.

When Korvin discovers his mistake and brings Miss Oberon home as his "bride" the strands of bitterness, hatred and love really get snarled up.

There are Bohemian backstage goings-on in Paris; champagne-laden troupers who burst in on their honeymooning dandies (Miss Oberon) and her bridegroom; dignified doctors' meetings in Chicago, and smock-clad medics researching with test tubes in immaculate laboratories.

An interesting shot was of several surgeons scrubbing before a lavatory mirror, their conversation made anonymous by the gauze masks over their faces.

For a time Miss Oberon teams as a pianist with a caricaturist, Claude Rains, in a smoky Chicago

night club. His swift sketches of the patrons are accompanied by a philosophical, humorously incisive patter.

Sue England, a plump-cheeked native of Tulsa, Okla., is cooed at by Miss Oberon's embittered 12-year-old daughter.

The Hungarian-born Korvin has wavy hair, a cleft chin and a pleasantly mannish voice. His only other movie role was in "Enter Arsene Lupin."

There are effective supporting performances, notably by Helen Thimig as Sue's companion and by Vienna-born Carl Esmond. White-haired, grinning Harry Davenport, who prances in with the cake at Sue's birthday party, will celebrate his 75th anniversary as an actor next April. He started at five.

"This Love of Ours" is based on a play by the late Italian dramatist, Luigi Pirandello. The picture was directed by William Dieterle.

TODAY'S VICTORY LOAN STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9 (AP)—So the war's over is it? Well, the war may be over for you, but thousands of our soldiers are still fighting. Thousands of kids in veterans hospitals all over the country are fighting to get back the use of their limbs and heal their wounds. We've got to finish the job by supporting the Victory Loan.

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 - 8:45 Inside of Sports.
 - 9:00 Blind Date.
 - 9:30 Freedom of Opportunity.
 - 8:00 Gabriel Heatter.
 - 8:15 Twilight Theater.
 - 8:30 Steer Football Game.
 - 10:00 Tomorrow's Headlines.
 - 10:15 Benny Goodman Orch.
 - 10:30 Sign Off.
- Saturday Morning**
- 6:30 Musical Clock.
 - 7:00 Bandwagon.
 - 7:15 Conro Round Up.
 - 7:30 News.
 - 7:45 Rhythm Rumble.
 - 8:00 Breakfast Club.
 - 9:00 To Be Announced.
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 - 9:25 News Summary.
 - 9:30 Thompson & Woods.
 - 10:00 Harry Koenig Orch.
 - 10:30 The Vagabonds.
 - 10:45 Notes From a Diary.
 - 11:00 House of Mystery.
 - 11:30 Downtown Shopper.
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- 12:00 Man on the Street.
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 - 12:30 News.
 - 12:45 Walk Time.
 - 1:00 News Summary.
 - 1:15 Ilene Woods.
 - 1:30 It's a Hit.
 - 2:00 To Be Announced.
 - 2:30 Roseland Ballroom Orch.
 - 3:00 News Summary.
 - 3:02 Saturday's Symphony.
 - 4:00 News Summary.
 - 4:02 Duke Ellington.
 - 5:00 Bandwagon.
 - 5:15 Harry Wismser.
 - 5:30 Jazz Sextet.
 - 5:45 Labor U.S.A.
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 - 6:15 Correspondents Abroad.
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 - 7:00 Woody Herman.
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 - 8:00 Gangbusters.
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Shippers Meet Soon

DALLAS, Nov. 9 (AP) — The first postwar meeting of the Southwest Shippers Advisory Board will be held here Nov. 15.

Guest speakers will be W. C. Kendall, Washington, Chairman of the Car Service Division of the Association of American Railroads, and R. C. White, St. Louis, Mo., chief operating officer of the Missouri-Pacific Lines.

Trial Begins Nov. 26

BONHAM, Nov. 9 (AP) — Monday, Nov. 26 has been set as the date for the trial of Clint Smith, charged with the murder in the butcher knife slaying of his brother and sister-in-law, Curtis and Jean Hazel Smith. The slayings occurred at Leonard, Sept. 30.

The trial will be held in Sixth District Court here.

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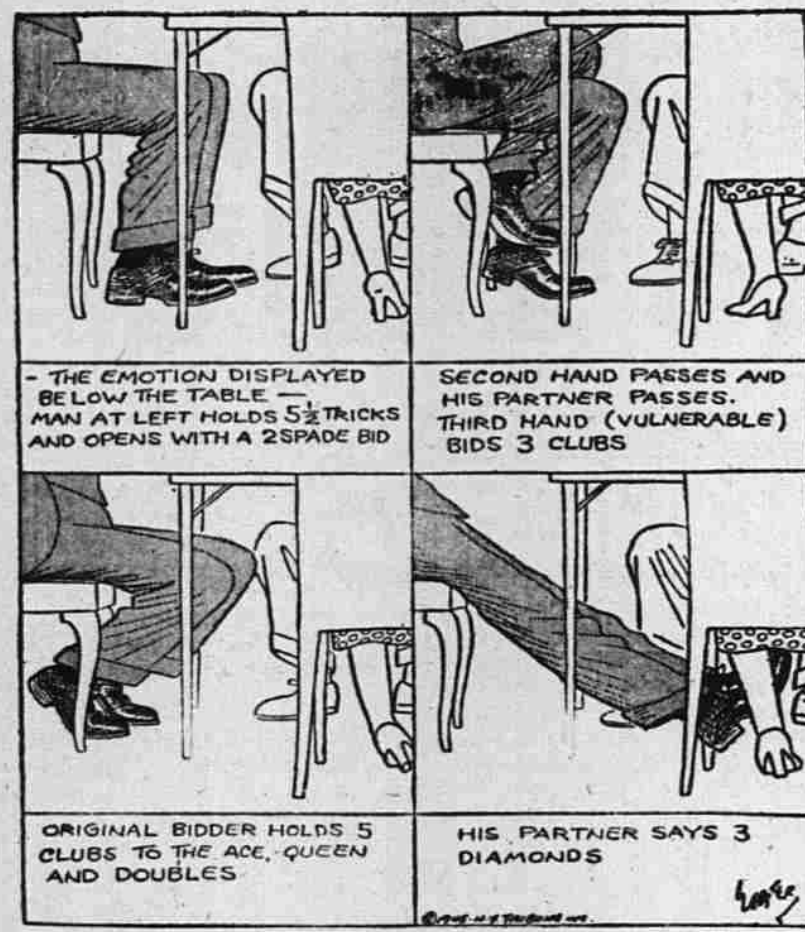
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With The AEF: Wealthy Japs Offering Expensive "Hospitality"

By HAL BOYLE

TOKYO, Nov. 9 (AP)—The Japanese custom of giving expensive gifts to American occupation troops is causing considerable concern in some army quarters.

Wealthy Japanese have been dishing out yens by handfuls in entertaining American officers, and there is more than suspicion that much of this "hospitality" is only a prelude to the asking of special favors.

In other cases it is perhaps only the desire of Nipponese bigshots of doubtful status to bolster their position by being seen often in the company of influential American officers.

So far as I know, no Japanese war profiteers have tried to buy special advantages or personal immunity from past misdeeds by out-and-out financial bribery.

But they are certainly working hard at the old sales game of landing a big order by giving the customer a great time.

Most of this entertaining is done in Geisha houses. The Japanese host rents the house for the evening and hires a flock of good-looking girls to sing and serve and pour. In a couple hours his army

Washington Merry-Go-Round—

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — Friends of atomic-bomb inventor J. Robert Oppenheimer are trying to persuade him to run for Congress from California.

Oppenheimer made a big impression on the Senate Kilgore committee when he dramatically urged the only defense against atom bombs was world peace, and that atomic energy should become the means of raising living standards the world over.

Fellow scientists say there is need in Congress for an experienced scientist, now that we are entering into the atomic age. All the experts agree no one knows atomic power better than Oppenheimer.

Friends also point out that 30 learned men were elected to the French Chamber of Deputies in the recent election; that 70 scientists are being voted members of the Supreme Soviet; that A. N. Back, one of the world's greatest biochemists, is Vice President of the Supreme Soviet; and that Juan Negrin, former Premier of Spain was a professor of physiology.

G. I.'S KEEP OUT

American soldiers taking a few days off to see the sights of Japan recently, drove toward Mount Fuji, one of the most historic and beautiful spots in Japan. But when they entered the area around the base of the mountain, they found it "off limits" for all U. S. Army personnel.

Investigation found that the boundary between the U. S. Sixth Army Command and the Eighth Army runs near Fujiyama, and the Sixth Army Command declared its area—which includes Mount Fuji—off limits, in order to keep the Eighth Army out.

Meanwhile, in nearby Miyano-shita is one of the most beautiful hotels in Japan. There live the former German Ambassador, members of his staff, the Cabinet of the Puppet Filipino government which collaborated with Japan, and a collection of other Axis diplomats. They are inter-fering—but in one of the most luxurious and beautiful resort spots of Japan.

However, American G. I.'s who fought from New Guinea to Okinawa may not enter this beautiful resort area.

ATOM DEBATE

Last week's closed-door session of the House Military Affairs committee was one of the hottest. It involved the atom bomb.

Hard-hitting Representatives Chet Holifield of Los Angeles and John Sparkman of Huntsville, Ala., had managed during the previous week to win committee approval for several amendments liberalizing the atom-control bill.

One provided that administrative power over the bomb should rest with the atomic commission, rather than with an Army-controlled administrator.

Proposed but not adopted was

another amendment to cut the size of the commission from nine to seven and make each member a full-time Atomic Energy Commissioner instead of a \$1-a-year man whose chief loyalties would be to a private company paying his salary.

Chairman May limited secret debate on the latter amendment to half an hour, during which Sparkman and Holifield did their best—even though facing a solid line-up of Republicans.

In addition, three Democrats also opposed the amendment—Carl Durham of North Carolina, Cliff Davis of Tennessee, and Bob Sikes of Florida. They were fearful that a \$15,000 job as commissioner would not attract the best possible men. Durham, incidentally, is sold on the idea of having men prominent in private industry or education serve the government in consultative capacities.

\$1-A-YEAR MEN

"One of the finest and most respected men we had in Washington throughout the war period," Durham argued, "is Dr. Frank Graham, President of the University of North Carolina. Dr. Graham would not have come here for a full-time job on the War Labor Board or anywhere else, and we would have lost his extremely valuable services."

Then Sparkman pointed out that the University had called Graham back to North Carolina, but Durham stuck to his guns.

"For the length of time he was able to serve here, the government benefited," he replied. "If it had not been for the part-time arrangement, we would not have had him here at all."

Davis of Tennessee insisted during the secret debate that better men would be available on the \$1-a-year basis.

"You set this up as a full-time commission with a \$15,000 salary and every lame-duck in Washington will be coming around trying to get an appointment. This commission is so important for political appointees," he said.

But Alabama's Sparkman stood pat.

"What you will get," he warned, "is a commission of members who fly in from New York or Chicago once or twice a month to sign a pile of papers the administrator has drawn up for them. You're really handing atomic authority back to an Army administrator if you defeat this amendment."

Sparkman also spoke at length of the importance of having Commissioners with no loyalties to private companies—men dependent on no one and determined to

Washington—Hybrid Corn Is Making Headlines

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — Specialists in the U. S. agricultural research administration are putting it mildly when they say hybrid corn has been a spectacular success. If they dragged in those Hollywood superlatives like sensational and stupendous they would be coming closer to the truth.

Let's start with a few statistics. From a statement by Robert M. Salter, chief of the bureau of plant industry, soils and agricultural engineering: "During the two war years, 1942 and 1943, hybrid corn increased the national corn harvest 1,300,000,000 bushels.

"Even though 1943 was none too favorable a year, the crop was more than 3,000,000,000 bushels, second only to 1942 and slightly larger than that previous record crop of 3,071,000,000 bushels in 1920. But here is the difference—in 1943 we grew that slightly larger crop on 6,570,000 fewer acres than in 1920," said Mr. Salter.

He could have said a good deal more; that hybrid corn will make around 25 bushels more per acre than the old varieties; and that grand-pap and 16-year-old Joe can machine-shuck 1,000 bushels of hybrid corn a day, while an expert hand-shucker going like a robot can bring in only 100 bushels.

He could have said that less than a decade ago less than one-half of one per cent of the corn grown in Illinois and Iowa was hybrid, but that now in the war years, it's close to 100 per cent in those states.

Even for a city fellow, hybrid corn isn't hard to recognize in the fields. Look over the top of a stand and if it's all ragged and straggly, it's the kind that has been grown around here for 20-30 years or so. If the stalks are short and as even as a field of fine wheat, it's hybrid. You can go on calling Iowa "out where the tall corn grows" if you want to, but if you do the farmers in the corn belt will know you haven't been keeping up with things.

Closer comparison would show clusters of healthy, uniformly-filled ears around three or four feet up on the hybrid stalk; with ears of all sizes ranging from knee-high to out of reach on the old-style. Wind, rain and hail

Locate Son

FORT WORTH, Nov. 9 (AP) — The parents of missing Tommy Boyd, 30-year-old discharged Army Private, said their son has been located in Colorado and will leave "for home shortly."

The parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boyd of Godley, received a wire yesterday from their son's wife, Mrs. Tommy Boyd of Orlando, Fla., that "Tommy wired today. Is in Colorado. Will be home shortly."

The idea now is to try to keep pace with the new uses for the nation's No. 1 crop. The number of important industries entirely dependent on corn or by-products is more than 30.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Viper
- Analyze grammatically
- Part of an apron
- Hindu cymbals
- Particulate in the planet
- Town in Pennsylvania
- Pull of suffix
- Wasting with disease
- Guided
- Aspect
- Suffer
- Transmit
- Dry
- Growing or living in water
- Pay out
- Ringlet

DOWN

- Flower containers
- Grandchild; Scotch
- Hurry
- Small inlets
- Massachusetts
- Comparative ending
- Matched
- Liquors
- Part of a flower
- Surfeit
- Chills
- Steals
- archaic
- Stillezza
- Inquired
- Bustle
- Capital of Delaware
- Exist
- Clear profit

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

- Surmounting
- Window frame
- Enjoyment
- Apparent
- Brazilian macaw
- Biblical king
- Siberian antelope
- Sandwiches
- Exploding meteor
- Feminine name
- Portend
- Railty
- Pitches
- Dislodged
- Piece of the fairway
- Fains
- Measure of paper
- Caverns
- Nine-part composition
- Type of car
- Tribulation of the year
- Natives of a U. S. Territory
- Staff of office
- Purposes
- Stearmen
- Headresses
- Tally
- Warbled
- Notion
- Innocent plant
- Silk-worm
- Small valley
- Conclude

Atom Scientist May Run For Congress

guard the interest of the American people.

Leader of GOP opposition was Charles Elston of Ohio, who objected most strenuously to letting Truman get a chance at filling another group of high-paid jobs.

"Are all members to be from one party?" he asked.

Sparkman answered Elton's further charge that new bureaucracy would be created by pointing out that if the committee were to vote for a single administrator it would create one of the most powerful bureaucratic jobs in all Washington.

But his arguments were of no avail; the vote against his amendment was 12 to 6.

ARMY HOARDS DOCTORS

While civilian areas are crying for doctors, Gen. Norman Kirk, Surgeon General of the Army, continues to keep doctors and nurses doing next to nothing. Here are the facts regarding a Seventh Army Evacuation Hospital in Germany:

Though it has a capacity of 400 patients, the hospital averages only 64 patients daily. But it keeps 276 doctors, nurses, and enlisted men hanging around to care for these 64 patients.

For each 10 patients there are four doctors, five nurses, and 32 enlisted men—all getting into each other's way.

Average cost of taking care of these 64 patients is \$45,471.21 a month. Based only on pay and rations for hospital personnel, one patient costs the taxpayer \$23.68 a day.

It actually costs six times more to handle a patient today in peace than it did during combat. This is because so many doctors and nurses have to sit around doing nothing. They would much rather come home.

Meanwhile, Surgeon General Kirk maintains 18 evacuation hospitals in the Seventh Army alone, plus 13 field hospitals, plus 5 station hospitals, 2 convalescent hospitals, and 3 general hospitals.

Note—in some parts of the Pacific, the situation is just as bad or worse.

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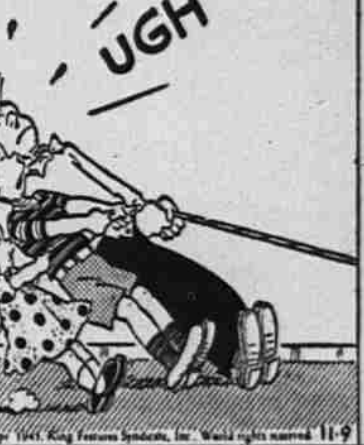
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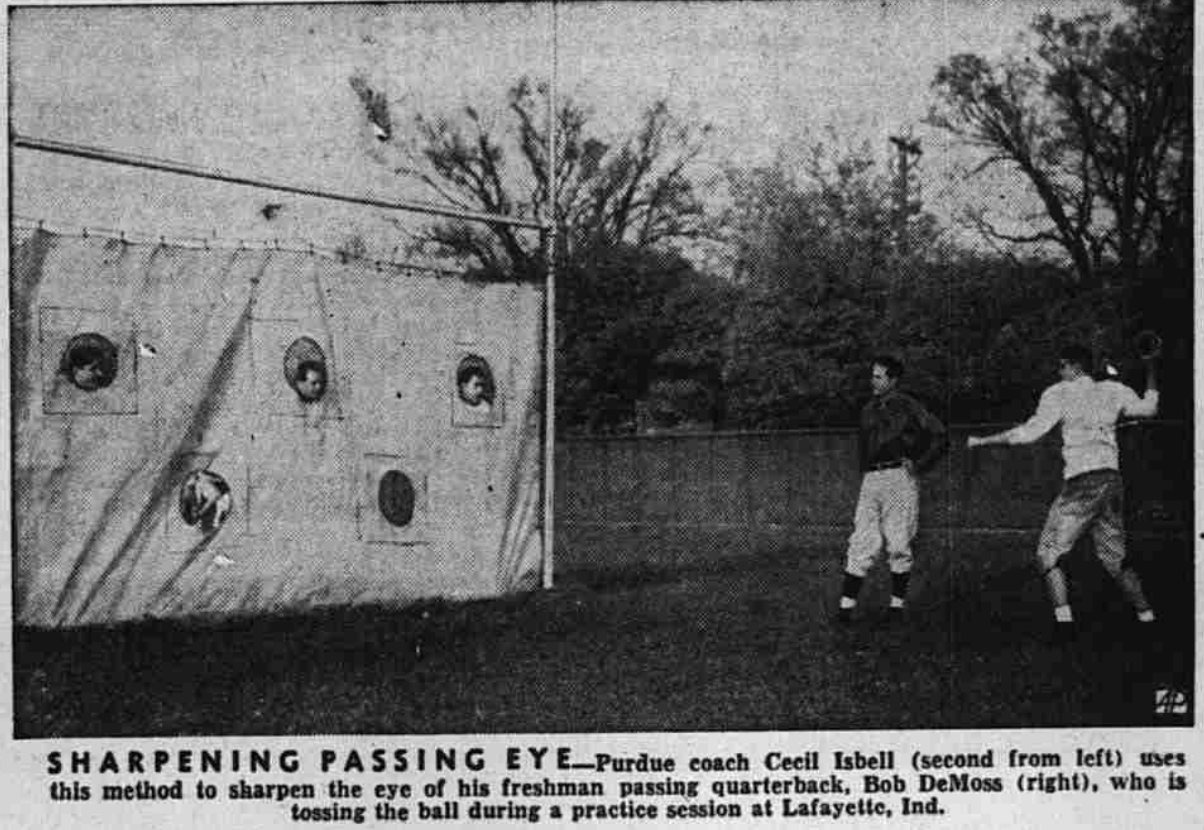
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Mrs. Frost Resigns, Malaise Is Elected At Board Meeting

The resignation of Mrs. Marie Frost was accepted by the Board of Trustees in regular session Wednesday at the school tax office and John Malaise was elected as coach of basketball, tennis and track and high school teacher.

Mrs. Frost will accompany her husband, Charles Frost to College Station where he will attend Texas A. & M. Malaise was recently discharged from the Navy after serving as a Lieutenant. He is from Hanley and plans to take up his duties in 10 days.

Announcement was made that in Service diplomas will no longer be granted because boys in high school passing their work or under 18 will now be deferred until they finish high school or until they reach their 20th birthday.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty

"The atom bomb has its compensations—in the next war, it's highly probable that this will be as good a command post as any!"

Search For Youth

SAN ANGELO, Nov. 9. (AP)—Officers continued a search today for Clark Wynne, Jr., 14-year-old youth is believed headed for Wichita Falls.

His father, Clark Wynne, Sr., a San Angelo mail carrier, said yesterday he had learned the boy told schoolmates he wanted to visit Wichita Falls. The youth has been missing since Monday night.

**The Nation Today—
Congress Now Must Worry How To Handle Peaceful Scientists**

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9. (AP)—Scientists who worked on the atomic bomb have given Congress something new to think about: how to handle a scientist in peacetime.

Congress has before it now a bill (the May-Johnson bill) which would set up a commission, appointed by the President, to control the development of atomic energy in this country.

It's a sweeping bill. Some of the language is vague. It gives the commission enormous authority to lay down rules and regulations governing atomic research and development.

It gives the commission so much authority it seems to say that a scientist could suffer terrific penalties for giving out information the commission thinks should not be given out.

The scientific group went up to the Capitol yesterday to talk to Congressmen about the bill and the future of atomic energy. They admitted the future is cloudy to them.

Digging out and using knowledge on atomic energy for peacetime uses is a long, tough road, they said.

And it was plain from the questions the Congressmen asked—about 50 showed up—that many know as little about the subject as the average man in the street.

Yet upon the decisions made in Congress may depend the future welfare and safety of this country, the whole course of our foreign relations, and the history of the world.

These were some of the things the scientists told the Congressmen:

Scientists should not be hampered in the exchange of ideas and information unless it directly involves the safety of this country.

Scientists will not want to work on development of atomic energy if, through an innocent slip of the tongue, they might find themselves disgraced by the commission.

The government should not try to control private research in atomic energy any more than it should try to control literature or any other intellectual activity.

New Construction For State Fair

DALLAS, Nov. 9. (AP)—Directors of the State Fair of Texas have authorized issuance of \$600,000 in bonds to cover costs of construction and rehabilitation work.

A new Exhibits building in Fair Park is planned to replace one destroyed by fire. Improvements for the Auditorium and Cotton Bowl were also authorized by the Board.

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Gold and black sequins encircle the neckline of this black crepe dress. Bracelet length sleeves and slim skirt make this an ideal dress for festive nights. 1995

He'll love you in this black crepe dress with daring black net shoulders and back. The low neckline is trimmed by black sequin flowers. Skirt has new front fullness. 1995

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