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Pitcher Hurt, Softball Title Out Cancelled

Williams Teams Each With Win; Grocers Offer Forfeit

Jim Haire that got astride Pitcher Dorris Haire of the Williams Grocers late in the softball season to him to the ground in the middle of the two-out-of-three city ball title series Tuesday night until his team had nosed out by one run and held that with his superb pitching even for the handicap of a badly injured ankle.

That sprain, done in part earlier game and finished in a slide into homebase with a winning run in Tuesday night's game, put him out of action Wednesday and caused cancellation of the championship deciding game scheduled at Lions Softball Park Friday night.

Dorris Bower, manager of the Grocers, announced his team would forfeit the final game to the Williams Magnolias, winners of the championship game of the championship series played Friday night last week. Bower indicated that members of his team were unwilling to continue the series with Haire's services, even if allowed a substitute pitcher.

Dorris has pitched us through the season and we wouldn't want to play, even to win, unless he could play with us," Bower said. The game ended on a tragic note as the 1949 city softball league season ended without an on-field decision between these evenly matched teams will be an appointment to the growing number of followers of the evening sport.

The Magnolias nosed out the Grocers 8 to 7 in a hotly contested and well played ballgame Friday night. The Grocers came back Saturday night to make it all even with a 6 to 5 win over the Magnolias.

Pitcher Haire, whose control and deceptive delivery has kept his team at the top of the league standings all season, was injured in the first half of the sixth inning in Tuesday night's game as he slid into home base with a run which proved the necessary margin for his team's victory. He pitched hitless ball the sixth and seventh innings in spite of the fact that he was barely able to put the injured foot to the ground. In the top of the seventh, he was trapped on a single and hobnobbed to first safely and from there he gave a courtesy runner.

Haire's ankle was badly swollen Wednesday and he was unable to do his job as postal clerk. Examination showed no broken bones, however, only a severe strain.

The title series saw two fine pitchers and two good fielding hitting teams in action. Bill Haire, pitching for the Magnolias, and Haire for the Grocers, had splendid pitching records in the season's play and each pitched at his best in the title game.

Softball Season Tickets On Sale At Home Friday Night

Season tickets for the Ozona High School Lions home games in the 1949 schedule will be on sale at the gate when the Lions open their season opener at Lions Stadium Friday night of this week. Five home games will be played this season and season tickets are being offered for all at \$3.75 for adults and \$1.25 for students.

Season ticket holders will have to stand in line to pay admission and make their tickets for those who desire to attend the Friday night game.



GOOD DEBTOR . . . World bank president Eugene R. Black announces at Washington, D. C., press conference that the bank has approved loan to Finland.

Mrs. Ruth Hoover Named In Murder Charge In Pecos

Stockton Grand Jury Returns Bill In Slaying At Iraan

Mrs. Ruth Hoover was named in an indictment returned by a Pecos county grand jury at Fort Stockton Monday charging her with murder.

Mrs. Hoover is charged with the shooting of her husband, Rowdy (Rowdy) Rufus Hoover, at the family home in Iraan the afternoon of August 25. She posted bond of \$5,000 immediately, with M. H. Goode, Wilson Banner and Cecil Brown as sureties. The case probably will be docketed for trial at the Spring term of the 112th district court in Fort Stockton.

Rowdy Hoover, member of one of the pioneer ranch families of Crockett County and owner of extensive ranching interests in the county, died a short time after being taken to a hospital in McCamey. He was wounded by two bullets from a heavy caliber rifle. The couple's 16-year old daughter, Jimmie Kate, who told officers she was in the yard and heard two shots fired in the house, ran into the house and found her father sitting wounded in a chair and her mother standing in the middle of the room holding a rifle. The girl took the rifle from her mother's hand and hung it back on its rack.

Mrs. Clinton Glover and her daughters, Della and Mrs. Henry Strauss, and little Ted Strauss, spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Glover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wray E. LaBaron of Tyler, Texas, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam LeBaron who make their home here in the Stratton Apartments.

Live Oil Stains Logged In Couch Ranch Wildcat

Shallow Production Indicated In Well West Of Ozona

Topping the San Andres at 940 feet with elevation 2,470 feet, L. M. Glasco, George P. Livermore and Sharples Oil Company of Denver, Colorado, No. 1 Mrs. Clara Couch, Crockett County wildcat seven miles west of Ozona, last Thursday was drilling deeper after logging live oil stains and good porosity from 940 to 1,020 feet.

Some geologists think the wildcat could make a producer from the shallow section. Projected to 8,750 feet to explore the Ellenburger, No. 1 Couch was drilling below 1,200 feet in shale at the week end.

Located ten miles south of the Todd Deep Field, the wildcat is 1,980 feet from the north, 660 feet from the east line of section 15-ST-GC&SF.

Schools Open New Term With Enrollment Drop

Late Registrants May Swell Total Enrollment Figures

Ozona Public Schools opened the 1949-50 term with appropriate opening exercises in the High School Auditorium Tuesday morning. Members of the faculty attended general faculty meetings Monday at which plans for the year's program were outlined and assignments for teacher duties made by Supt. Jack McIntosh.

Opening day enrollment showed a sharp drop from last year's record totals for the first day, according to incomplete figures announced by Supt. McIntosh. The heaviest drop in enrollment figures was in the elementary and Junior High grades. A drop of 62 pupils from last year's total was registered in the kindergarten, North Elementary and Junior High grades and in the South Elementary there were 25 less pupils. The high school enrollment was off 11 pupils.

A part of this drop in opening day enrollment, however, was attributed in part to late registration on the part of a number of the pupils. New pupils were enrolling yesterday, and it is expected that the first week or two of school will see a considerable number of additional pupils enrolled.

The High School enrollment was 90, down from 101 last year. The North Elementary enrollment was 196 and the Junior High 110, a total drop of 62 from last year. The South Elementary enrollment stood at 165 against 190 last year.

Pupils and patrons filled the auditorium Tuesday morning for the traditional opening exercises at which members of the faculty numbering forty teachers this year, were introduced and various announcements made. Mrs. H. B. Tandy led the group in singing and the band under the direction of John M. Armstrong rendered several selections. After the exercises, pupils were enrolled in the various grades and dismissed until Wednesday morning when actual class work began.

Lamb Feeding Programs Under Way By 4-H Club

2 Boys Have Lambs On Feed; Others To Start By Oct. 1st

Crockett County 4-H Club boys are looking forward to another year of lamb feeding in Ozona, according to County Agent Bill Bergfeld, who directs the club activities. Most of the boys will have their lambs on feed before October 1, Mr. Bergfeld said.

Frankie Jones and Bill Schneemann were the first two club boys to place sheep on feed at the 4-H Barn this year. Frankie Jones has two ram lambs on feed and Bill Schneemann has three Suffolk-Rambouillet cross-bred lambs and one Southdown lamb on feed.

Lambs to be selected for this year's feeding program will be chosen mainly from ranches in this county, the county agent said. Club members feeding lambs this year will exhibit them at the County Show in Ozona next January and at other Spring livestock shows in the state, according to present plans.

All 4-H Club boys, or other boys interested in feeding lambs this year are urged to contact the county agent in order that arrangements can be made for selecting their lambs.

GLOBE TAILORING CO. will have on display large FLOOR SAMPLES for men's and ladies suits on Monday and Tuesday, September 12 and 13. Come in and pick your suit. PARKER DRY CLEANERS.

PTA Honors Teachers At Party On School Lawn Monday Night

Ozona Parent Teachers Association will honor the faculty of Ozona schools at a lawn party on the southeast lawn of the high school building next Monday evening.

The occasion will be one at which parents will have an opportunity to meet the teachers and an entertaining program has been arranged for the evening. Lefty Walker will act as master of ceremonies for a quiz program which will feature the evening's entertainment. Prizes donated by Ozona merchants will be awarded quiz contest winners. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the program.

Ozona-Sonora Softball Melee Here Tonight

All-Stars Of Magnolia-Grocer Teams Meet Invaders

As a substitute for the cancelled championship softball game between the Williams Magnolia and the Williams Grocer teams, scheduled for this Thursday night but cancelled because of injuries to Pitcher Dorris Haire of the Grocers, an Ozona-Sonora softball exhibition has been scheduled for tonight on the local field.

A team of all-star players from the city league championship contenders, the Magnolias and Grocers, will be selected to meet the invading team from Sonora. Pitcher Bill Brown of the Magnolias probably will be called upon to start for the local all-stars.

The game is set for 8:00 p.m. It probably will be the final in the 1949 softball program here, since the league schedule is completed and most of the teams disbanded.

Ratliff Cooking School Scheduled September 15-16

Miss Pearl Hughey To Demonstrate Latest Homemaking Slants

All women of Ozona and the surrounding area are invited to attend a two-day cooking school in the furniture department of the Ratliff Hardware and Furniture Company store next Thursday and Friday afternoons, September 15 and 16th.

Miss Pearl Hughey, sponsored by the Maytag Company, manufacturer of the famous Maytag washing machine, the Maytag Dutch Oven gas cooking stove and Maytag refrigerators and home freezers, will conduct the school here.

Miss Hughey has had many years experience as a demonstrator and instructor in cooking and home management and will demonstrate the advantages of the Maytag Dutch Oven range and the Maytag home freezer in modern cooking methods. She will prepare special dishes and complete meals and students of her classes will be permitted not only to watch her prepare these dishes and to get her choicest recipes, but will have an opportunity to sample the food she prepares.

Several valuable attendance prizes are being offered by the Ratliff company to be awarded at the close of the afternoon cooking school sessions. The first day attendance prize will be a 6-piece set of Club Aluminumware, valued at \$23.50. On the final day, with women who attended both days having a double chance, a \$100 credit toward the purchase of a new Maytag Dutch Oven range or a new Maytag home freezer will be awarded.

Mrs. Martha Young is reported seriously ill at her home here this week.

Fire In Corbell Home Suspected As Incendiary

Prowler Suspected Of Setting Fires In Two Beds

Two fires found burning in the middle of beds in two separate rooms of the M. E. Corbell home Monday night are being investigated by officers as of possible incendiary origin.

No members of the Corbell family were at home when the fire was discovered by neighbors and the alarm sounded. Firemen found scraps of unburned papers in one of the beds and in a room across the house another fire was raging in a mattress. The blaze in that room had spread to the draperies and paper on the wall and ceiling. Both fires were extinguished in a few minutes by the Volunteer Fire Department.

Officers are investigating the theory that the fire were ignited by a prowler with pyromaniacal tendencies.

Lions To Meet Alpine Bucks In Opener Fri. Night

Non-District Tilt To Inaugurate 8-Game Season Schedule

Rough edges knocked off by two weeks of daily workouts and a couple of scrimmage sessions with the San Angelo Kittens the past week, the 1949 Ozona High School Lions football squad will show its stuff on the home field Friday evening against the Alpine High School Bucks. Game time has been announced as 8:00 o'clock.

Coach Jack Harris and Assistant Doug MacDonald have been giving the boys "the works" each afternoon at the Stadium, with an evening under the lights thrown in, and, although the team lacks a foundation of experience, coaches are hopeful that their charges will come through with enough determination and scrap to make up for their lack of savvy. In fact, the team has shown considerable improvement in the daily scrimmage sessions and are expected to give a good accounting in the opener Friday night.

The Alpine team will be better manned than the locals but they, too, have but a nucleus of experienced players to build their new squad. The Bucks sport a roster of 36 players with a weight average of 145.5 pounds.

After the one practice tilt, the Lions will launch into district play the following week-end against Reagan County High School of Big Lake, the game on Lions Stadium field.

The Ozona roster, with present weights and positions, as announced yesterday by Coach Harris, is as follows:

Name	Wt.	Pos.
Charles Cunningham	160	E
Gilbert Armentrout	170	E
Tom Mitchell	165	T
Pete Cisneros	190	T
Lee Armentrout	160	T
Sergio Martinez	130	T
William Meinecke	150	G
Tommy Laxson	160	G
Bobby Womack	165	G
Larry Brooks	130	G
Billy Oden	180	C
Alton Smith	190	B
Frankie Chapman	140	B
Albert Yancy	140	B
Jack Sorrels	110	B
Kenneth Perdue	150	B
Allen Haire	130	B
Andres Vela	130	B

Mrs. M. E. Corbell, under treatment in a San Angelo hospital, is reported somewhat improved this week. Mrs. Corbell suffered an attack of pneumonia.

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Northcutt Draws 5-Year Sentence On Murder Count

New Trial Denied, Defendant Gives Notice Of Appeal

Olen G. Northcutt, 47, of Amarillo, foreman of a crew of plasterers at work on the Methodist Church here during its construction, was found guilty of murder without malice in the slaying of J. D. Freeman in a local tourist court on the night of January 14 of this year, and assessed a penalty of five years in the penitentiary by a Crockett County jury Friday afternoon.

The case went to the jury at about 12:30 noon and the jurors returned with their verdict at about 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Defense attorney George McCarthy of Amarillo polled the jury on its verdict and immediately filed a motion for a new trial, the motion based principally on the contention that the court erred in not swearing in each juror individually as he was accepted. The motion was overruled by Judge W. A. Morrison of Cameron, here to preside over the 112th district court in the absence of Judge J. E. Randolph, who is ill. McCarthy gave notice of appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The State introduced the testimony of two women companions of the two men in the tourist court quarters, who testified to events leading up to the fatal shooting and the shooting itself. Mrs. Tillie Mae Stanley, one of the women, testified that the four of them had been drinking heavily for several hours when Freeman and Northcutt began arguing about wages to be paid to a third man on the plastering crew.

Mrs. Stanley said that Northcutt insisted on going into Freeman's room and serenading him on his violin. Freeman objected and a fist fight ensued in which the bow to Northcutt's fiddle was broken. Freeman knocked Northcutt down and continued to pummel him until Northcutt cried out "that he had had enough," the woman testified. Freeman then retired again and a short time later Northcutt walked to Freeman.

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Rebels Finish At Top Of Heap In Trans Pecos Loop

Defeat Goodfellow In Final 10-9; Playoff Begins Sept. 18th

Ozona's Rebels nosed out the Goodfellow Field Skyhawks on the Goodfellow diamond in San Angelo Sunday afternoon to finish at the top of the heap in the Trans Pecos league 1949 season. The Rebels finished barely ahead of the Big Lake nine who took a forfeit from the disbanded Fort Stockton entry.

The veteran chunker Frank James held the Skyhawks in check for six innings and when the soldiers began to pounce on his offerings, Mac McClanahan went in to put out the fire and held the Hawks in check the rest of the way.

The Rebels lost a 6-3 decision to Snipe Conley's Big Lake team in a Labor Day exhibition game on the Texon diamond Monday afternoon. Archie Peel, another of the ancients from semi-pro baseball in West Texas, working this summer on the mound for the Miles Giants in the Concho Basin league, pitched the exhibition affair for the Rebels. Bud Jordan, young Big Lake hurler, went all the way for Big Lake.

An all-star benefit game featuring all-star players from the Trans Pecos league against the Tri County league of Lefty Shelton fame, to be played on the Texon diamond next Sunday, will delay start of the Trans Pecos Shaugh- (Continued on Last Page)

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Last Mile

Herbert Hoover, the only living ex-president of this nation, has warned that we are blissfully driving at top speed down the back road to collectivism. He said: "We are on the last mile—you must give it thought."

Collectivism is the most insidious of all economic diseases—it can make fatal headway before the victim knows just what is happening. It begins with excessive taxation which, in effect, confiscates much of the savings and earnings of the people. And it is always advanced by appealing schemes whereby the government will assume more and more responsibility for the "welfare" of each individual, and more and more power is concentrated in the grasping hands of an expanding bureaucracy.

That, as Mr. Hoover said, is precisely what is happening here. We are carrying onerous taxes and, in spite of them, we are running huge governmental deficits. Every effort to reduce the cost of government, and to do away with waste and duplication and overlapping of bureaus and administrators, is met with fierce resistance.

Then, following the collectivist pattern, we are being sold the "welfare state." If the highest officials of our government have their way, we shall be forced to accept an enormously costly scheme for compulsory government health insurance—which is a polite phrase for political medicine. We shall have cradle-to-the-grave "social security." Individual responsibility and reliance will become things of the past. We shall pay for these doubtful blessings to the tune of tens of billions.

So we have come to the last mile. The greatest question of the day is whether we shall have the courage to stop in time.

Noah was 600 years old when the Ark was completed.



HOLDS NATION'S SOCK . . . Michael E. Slindlee, acting treasurer of the United States, looks on as Georgia Neese Clark, new treasurer, signs her name to receipt for \$27,424,341.375.78 in the U.S. treasury's vaults. The cash, currency and securities formerly were charged to the account of Slindlee. The receipt was confirmed by six auditors who certified the figures to two-thirds of a cent.

THE NEW WAGE-HOUR LAW

The new wage-hour bill, passed by the House, establishes a flat 75-cent minimum. It also continues the existing retail establishment exemption, with minor modifications.

It is important that the public understand the reason for the last provision, inasmuch as efforts were made to knock it out of the new bill, and that may happen again. Retailing, especially in the smaller communities, has peculiarities which is not shared by most other industries and businesses. For example, it is usually impossible for a retail store to operate on a 40-hour week—many people can shop only on Saturdays, or on certain evenings.

Furthermore, retailing has room for beginners, part-time workers, and unskilled labor whose services cannot justify a high wage—and who might not be employed at all in many cases if a high wage and overtime payments were made legally mandatory. These people can earn a modest wage while developing skills and responsibilities which will bring them higher pay as time goes along. The consensus of the experts was that it was necessary to continue the retail exemption in order to assure the perpetuation of this kind of employment. If the exemption had been eliminated, many people, whom the wage-hour law is supposed to help, would have been hurt.

The House, in framing the new bill took these facts, which are based on years of operating ex-

perience by thousands of retail stores, into consideration. In that regard it acted wisely.

THE LOW DOWN . . . FROM HICKORY GROVE

Today, I will huddle with Congress. There are some nice guys down there—I don't like to see 'em being taken in as a sucker. If I can help, I want to do so. But also I don't choose to be taken for a

sucker either—and by a congressman.

I got in mind how the big money bills were put in the hopper down here. The Chief Squeeze in some department will say he needs 300 million bucks—when all he actually wants is 200 million. And up will jump a congressman and say, "Too much." So the Big Squeeze will hem and haw—and cut off the foney 100 million. That is more like it, says Mr. Congressman—and he tells the reporters how he saved the nation 100 million.

Now there is where I come in—as a sucker. Even this 200 million—part of it my dinero—is to be poured into some quack venture that is unneeded in the first place. Like what, says Henry. Like dams and power lines as just one sample. I says, where the Govt. pays no taxes on its ventures and where the outfit it will put out of business did pay taxes.

If he can cut down a money budget—any old budget—by 10 per cent, a congressman is happy and cheery, thinks he has done something. Does that make him a sucker or too, says Henry. You are catching on, I says.

Yours with the low down, JO SERRA

Weekly Swing of SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

(USDA)—Southwest farm prices ranged from slightly higher to somewhat lower compared to a week ago, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

More cattle and calves arrived at southwest and midwest markets last week than the week before.

Price trends were very uneven but, in general, fed cattle were steady to higher and grassers somewhat lower. Calves ranged from weak to \$1 lower, but other classes varied from weak to strong at the different markets. Most beef and veal sold steady to higher at Chicago, but lower grade steer beef weakened.

Butcher hogs and sows brought higher prices last week despite heavier receipts. Sows gained more than butchers, but pigs held about unchanged. Pork loins sold higher at Chicago, and most other cuts weak to lower.

All sheep classes closed the week unchanged at Fort Worth and steady to 50 cents higher at San Antonio. Spring lambs held steady at Chicago, but lost at most other midwest markets. Yearlings were also generally weak to lower. Ewes weakened at Denver, where feeder lambs gained 50 to 75 cents. Spring lambs and mutton held steady at Chicago. Goats ruled steady to 25 cents higher at San Antonio.

Texas wools found slow trade in Boston, but a good volume of 12-months wool sold in Texas. Some fall wool was contracted at 52 1/2 cents. Mohair held steady.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Moughon, who spent the summer in Ozona, returned to Dallas this week where Mr. Moughon will enroll for his Senior year in Southern Methodist University. Mrs. Moughon is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evart White of Ozona.

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Entries In State Fair Livestock Show To Close Sept. 12th

Entries will be closed September 12 in the beef and dairy categories, sheep, swine, sheep and Angora divisions of the 1949 State Fair Livestock Show, Bob Cabell, chairman of the State Fair Livestock Committee, has announced.

Palomino and quarter horse entries close September 19. The livestock premium list totals \$65,235.

Beef cattle will hold the spotlight during the first week of the Fair October 8-13, with interest also directed toward shows of Quarter Horses October 8-14 and breeding swine and sheep and Angora goats October 8-16.

The National Aberdeen-Angus Show, hailed as the most prominent ever held in the South for the breed, will top the beef cattle shows. Angus premiums also bulge with \$11,500, and upwards of 500 entries from more than 20 states are expected for this show.

Premiums listed for Hereford, Shorthorn and Brahman show bring the total beef cattle award to \$25,200.

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Agents On Tour Of Sheep Raising Area

Rockett County Agent Bill Field has just returned from a trip with a group of county extension officials and Department of Agriculture experts who are touring the state in a study of sheep and wool.

Motor Maniacs To Thrill Spectators At Texas State Fair

Thrill-happy motor maniacs will mock death nightly in the hippodromic Joie Chitwood spectacle of calculated calamity, which has just been signed as a major attraction for the 1949 State Fair of Texas, October 8-23.



DOWNCAST . . . Gun-shy Mickey Cohen, Los Angeles gambler (right), emerges from self exile at his barricaded command post to take stand at the inquest into the "rubout" of "Neddie" Herbert, his chief lieutenant.

tion for the 1949 State Fair of Texas, October 8-23.

The 23 world champion daredevils will race, smash and crash their way through the most hair-raising stunts ever performed on purpose. Stunt men from Hollywood, internationally known racing car drivers, circus clowns who laugh at danger—all combine their skills to electrify spectators in a program fair officials believe is a unique offering for State Fair visitors.

Chitwood, Cherokee Indian who was born in Denton, has been tops as a racing car driver for 18 years. Fifth-place finisher in the 500-mile Indianapolis Speedway classic on Memorial Day, the dapper speedster is a three-time AAA Eastern racing champion and holds the record of 87 feet for a broad jump in a standard sedan. He will seek to better this mark during his stay at the Fair.

Using new 1949 Fords as part of their \$100,000 caravan of stunt cars, the danger-loving thrill men will roar through such events as crashing a sedan end-over-end and side-over-side until the car is demolished, blasting an auto through a flaming plank wall with a stunt man lying on the hood acting as a human battering ram, a high speed game of automobile leap frog with one car leaping through the air while another auto passes underneath.

A modern version of the ancient Roman chariot race matches new cars in hub-to-hub races with 3-foot rampways as hurdles, and 70 miles an hour is about par.

Racing motorcycles also will be crash-snap-rolled through the air, hurtled through blazing barriers and catapulted through space while others dash beneath.

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Army To Release Reserve Officers

AUSTIN—Details concerning the release prior to April 1, 1950 of 3,387 Army Reserve Officers now on active duty were announced today by the Department of the Army after Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson put into effect an economy program for all three services designed to reduce expenditures for national defense.

Motorists Warned Against Parking In Private Drives

Sheriff V. O. Earnest this week issued a warning to Ozona motorists to refrain from parking in private driveways of residences and business establishments.

The sheriff called particular attention to this practice in the vicinity of the high and junior high schools and near the theatre. Residents in the area find their driveways blocked with parked cars and can not get their own cars out, the sheriff said.

Driveways are plainly marked as no parking areas, Sheriff Earnest pointed out, and those parking in prohibited areas are subject to fine. "We can not keep an officer in the area at all times to keep cars from parking in these driveways,"

Sheriff Earnest said, "And the only means we have of solving the problem is to arrest offenders. We sincerely hope this will not be necessary."

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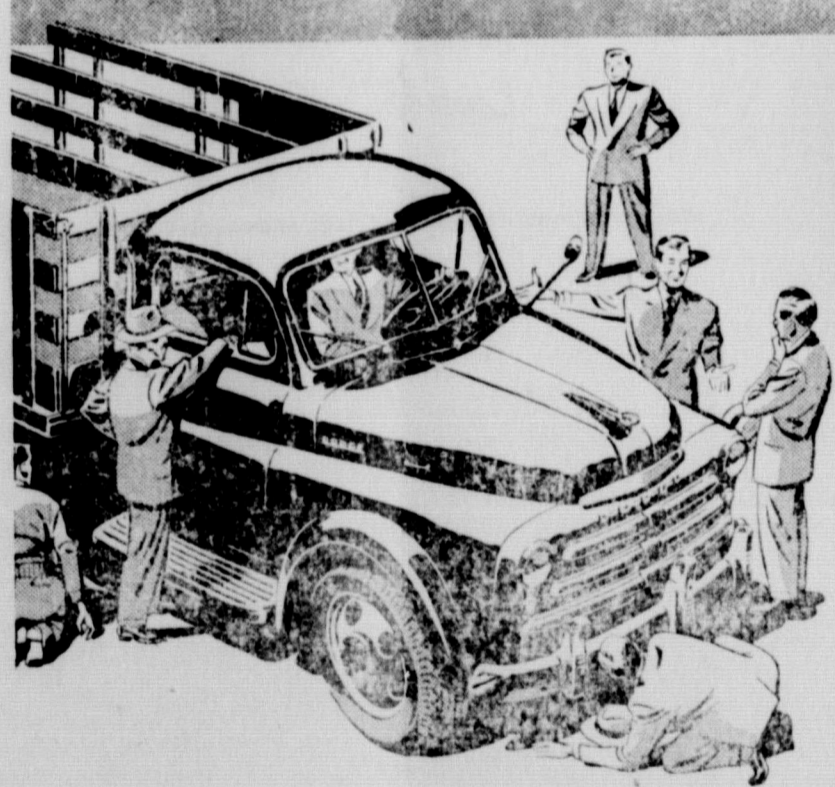
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Miss Joyce West Becomes Bride Of Leslie Sidney Terry In Impressive Wedding Ceremony At Methodist Church Here Saturday

Before an altar flanked by cathedral candles in graduating candleabra and baskets of white chrysanthemums against a background of huckleberry and English ivy, Miss Vivian Joyce West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Massie West of Ozona, became the bride of Leslie Sidney Terry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leslie Terry of Colorado City, in an impressive

ceremony at 8:00 o'clock Saturday evening in the new Ozona Methodist Church.

Rev. Horace M. King, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony which united the young couple, Robert M. West, Jr., and Jon Michael Clayton, brother and cousin of the bride, lighted the candles. Pre-nuptial music was provided

by Mrs. R. A. Harrell, organist, who played "Clair de Lune" "Leibestraum" and during the ceremony played "Ave Maria." She also accompanied Mrs. Carl Wallace of Dallas who sang "Through The Years" and "Because" and during the ceremony, "The Lord's Prayer."

Attending the bride were her sister, Miss Ann West of Ozona as maid of honor; her aunt, Mrs. Boyd Clayton of Ozona, matron of honor; and Miss Patty Powell and Mrs. Sidney Moughon of Dallas, her cousin, Mrs. C. D. Allen of San Angelo, and Misses Lucille Moore of Amarillo and Alberta Coleman of Kaufman, as bridesmaids. The attendants wore dresses of gray satin designed with high v-shaped neckline and small round collar, ledge sleeves and self-covered buttons down the center from a tightly-fitted bodice. The skirts were gathered fully and tied with self ties. Their headpieces were cloches made of mauve colored nylon net. They carried cascade bouquets of asters ranging from light pink to mauve.

David West, brother of the bride was ring bearer. He wore a white linen suit.

The bridegroom was attended by his cousin, I. W. Terry of Colorado City as best man. Groomsmen were Beaman Dockery, James F. Kelly, L. S. Girvin, Jr., Donald Hall Burrus, J. C. Cline, all of Colorado City, and Bronson Smith of Sulphur Springs, cousin of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father the bride chose a gown of diamond white Italian silk satin fashioned in the romantic tradition with a high round neckline and mall turn down collar, ledge sleeves, shirred detail across the yoke and a tightly fitted midriff. It buttoned down the back with self covered buttons. The very full sweep skirt extended into a full sweep train. She wore long fitted mitts of the same diamond white satin.

Her waist length veil of imported bridal illusion fell into graceful tiers from a scalloped satin calotte trimmed with a floral motif of crystal and silver bugle beads. She carried an oblong bouquet of white roses and showers of net and stephanotis.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Greeting guests was Mrs. Roy Henderson, and in the receiving line with Mr. and Mrs. West and the bridal couple were Mrs. F. L. Terry, Miss Ann West, Mrs. E. B. Baggett, Mrs.

W. E. West, Mrs. C. D. Allen, Mrs. Sidney Moughon, Miss Patty Powell, Miss Lucille Moore, Miss Alberta Coleman and Mrs. Boyd Clayton.

The bride's table, laid with a pink net cloth, was centered with silver candleabra holding white tapers entwined with satin ribbon and lily-of-the-valley. The cloth was caught with clusters of the lilies. On the credenza was a silver and crystal epergne with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums, and throughout the reception rooms were used chrysanthemums in shades of pink and mauve. Presiding at the interlocking heart-shaped cake were Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Ira Carson and Mrs. W. W. West. At the guest book was Mrs.

Carl Wallace of Dallas.

Others in the house party were Mmes. Marshall Montgomery, W. A. Wilson of Alpine, E. B. Baggett, III, of Lufkin, Jack Baggett of Barnhart, Cecil Craddock of Dallas, Clay Adams, T. A. Bailey, Sherman Taylor, Evert White, James Baggett, George Montgomery, Tom Ed Montgomery, R. A. Harrell, Cecil Craddock of Dallas, and Misses Jean Ann Sloan, Patricia Melick and Earline Smith, all of Dallas and Miss Corinne Phillips. Junior members of the house party were Joan Terry and Joyce Ann Warren, both of Colorado City, Carolyn Foster of Sterling City, Judy White, Darrene and Jeanene Thompson of Ozona. The couple left immediately on a wedding trip to Santa Fe, New

Mexico, and for traveling the bride wore a gray covert cloth suit with flared belted jacket, black velvet and suede accessories and a corsage of gardenias and stephanotis. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bright Baggett of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. West of San Angelo. A graduate of Ozona High School, she has been attending Southern Methodist University at Dallas where she is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. The bridegroom is a graduate of Colorado City High School and is in the ranching business. The couple will be at home at their ranch near Colorado City. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Clayton entertained with a rehearsal dinner in the garden of their home Friday evening.

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LOOPHOLES in the Law

By WILL WILSON

District Attorney of Dallas County



Editor's Note: This is one of a series of short case histories, all drawn from court records, showing how legal loopholes often enable the criminal to escape punishment in Texas. Will Wilson is chairman of a special steering committee of the State Bar, which is working for revision of the annotated Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure in order to eliminate these loopholes.)

Mr. Homeowner went out for a short while, neglecting to close the front door of his private residence. The entrance was completely open, the door not having a lock, and during Mr. Homeowner's absence lightfingered Harry came in and starting picking up articles that suited his fancy. As Harry had his arms pret-

ty well loaded, he heard a noise behind him. He whirled around to see Mr. Homeowner standing in front of him. Harry dodged past the owner of the house, ran out the front door, which was still open, and disappeared with a number of Mr. Homeowner's valuables still in his possession.

Harry was captured and prosecuted for burglary. Mr. Homeowner testified convincingly against him and he was convicted.

The verdict was reversed by the appellate court. This court held the defendant could not be guilty of burglary because he had walked right into the house through the open door without any use of force and had left the same way, again without using force. The court held that force must be used either in entering or leaving premises before the crime of burglary

can be committed.

The State Bar of Texas is endeavoring to close such legal loopholes as this. The statewide organization of attorneys is working to bring this about through a revision of Texas' outmoded criminal statutes.

Methodist Church To Entertain Teachers

Members of the Ozona Methodist Church will honor and welcome the teachers of Ozona schools and college students and high school exes at a lawn party at the church tonight beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

All members of the congregation and the Youth Fellowship are expected to be on hand to meet the new teachers and to honor the college students who will soon be returning to classes. An entertainment program and refreshments have been prepared for the evening.

Cars To Be Allowed To Park In Football Field Friday Night

This year spectators are to be allowed to drive their cars into Lions Stadium to witness the foot-

ball games from their cars if they desire, athletic officials have announced.

The experiment will be tried out for the first time Friday night of this week when the Ozona Lions meet the Alpine Bucks in the season's football opener.

Cars will be allowed to enter at the South gate and will be parked at the south end of the playing field and along the east side. None will be permitted on the field's race track at any point. A few cars will be admitted early to occupy the limited amount of space available on the west side but all others will be admitted only through the south gate. Spectat-

ors may park their cars in the parking lot at the south side and enter on foot through the south gate or through the west gate. There will be no extra charge for entry of cars.

937 Peace Officers Received Training In Enforcement Schools

AUSTIN—Nine hundred and thirty-seven Texas peace officers participated in law enforcement training programs conducted by the Texas Department of Public Safety Training Division during the 12-month period ending Aug-

ust 31st, according to an announcement today by Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Public Safety Department.

A total of 19 schools were conducted with 201 rookie Highway Patrolmen and Drivers License Examiners graduated; 185 members of the Department received inservice training; and 551 city and county officers were enrolled and graduated from schools offered by the Department of Public Safety. The latter group included a school for newly elected sheriffs and their deputies which was held last fall as well as classes held in several cities over the State for the benefit of local officers.

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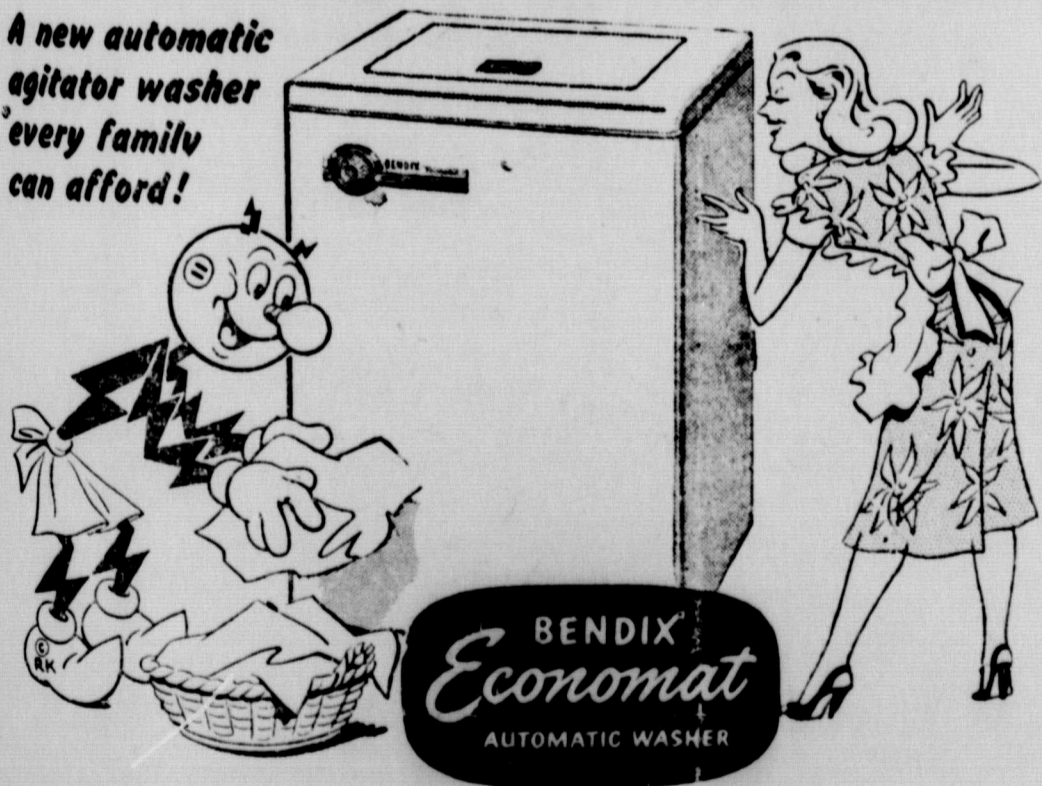
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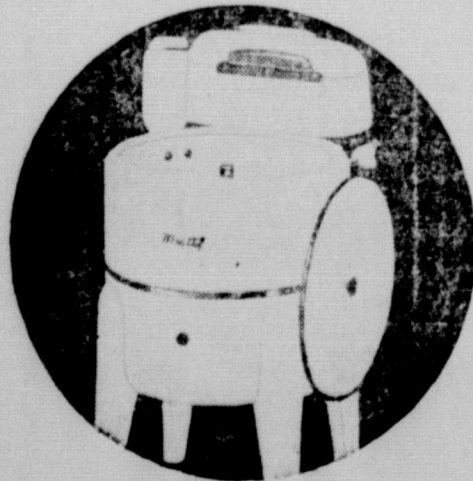
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Ozona Woman's Club Hold First Meet Of New Club Year Sept. 19

The Ozona Woman's Club will hold the first meeting of the new club year on Monday morning, September 19, with a President's Day breakfast at the home of Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., club president, announced this week. Members of the club's entertainment committee will assist as hostesses.

Members will answer roll call with "Good Resolutions as a Club Member." Mrs. B. B. Ingham will give the Federated Counselor's report and Mrs. Friend will outline the club objectives for the new year. All members are urged to be present for the reassembly breakfast.

Distribution of Congressional districts is made every ten years when the Federal census is taken.



LUXEMBOURG MINISTER VISITS PLAYHOUSE . . . Mrs. Perte Mesta, new U.S. minister to Luxembourg, stands with her niece, Betty Tyson, and other members of the "strawhat circuit" during her visit to the Westport (Conn.) Country Playhouse during her visit to see her niece perform in the role of a French maid in "Yes, My Darling Daughter." Left to right are Miss Tyson in maid's uniform; Mrs. Mesta; Ann Harding, star of the show; and Lawrence Langner, founder of the theatre guild and owner of the playhouse. Mrs. Mesta recently was sworn into her new office by Vice President Barkley. The appointment of a woman minister caused some diplomatic comment.

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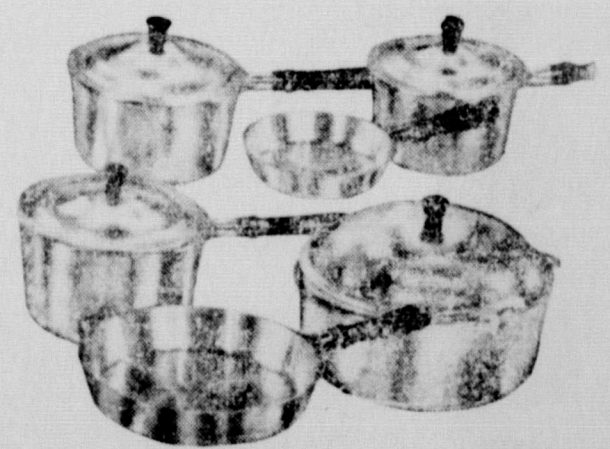


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NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL... J. Howard McGrath, Democratic senator from Rhode Island, (center) assures newsmen at the White House that he will accept the post of attorney general of the United States. He had already informed President Truman of his decision to accept the appointment. McGrath said he would resign his seat in the senate and his post as chairman of the Democratic national committee when his appointment to the cabinet office was confirmed by the senate. He fills the vacancy created by Tom Clark's appointment to the supreme court.

First Broadcast Of Ozona Football Game Planned Friday Night

Several "firsts" will be chalked up at Lions Stadium next Friday night when the Ozona High School Lions meet the Alpine High School Bucks. It will be the first football

game of the new 1949 season. It will be the first team fielded under the new OHS coaching staff, Messrs. Jack Harris and Doug McDonald.

And it will be the first football game ever broadcast over the radio from an Ozona field.

The manager of the Alpine radio station informed Supt.

Jack McIntosh by telephone yesterday that the station planned to broadcast the game and asked about facilities. The broadcast will be made by wire hook-up from the press box at the new Lions Stadium.

WCS Reorganizes Circles At First Meet Of New Season

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met in its first session of the new season Wednesday morning at the church.

Reports of officers and committee chairmen were heard and plans for the year's activities discussed. Drawings for membership in the three circles of the Society for reorganization for the new year were made at the gen-

eral session. Reports from delegates who attended the recent missionary school in Kerrville were heard.

Announcement was made of the District Seminar to be held here September 20. Delegates from Societies in Barnhart, Big Lake, McCamey, Rankin and Ozona will attend.

Drawing of names made the following assignment of members to the various circles:

Jennie King Circle:

Mrs. Martin Harvick, Mrs. Geo. Montgomery, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, Mrs. Eddie Bower, Mrs. Sid Millspaugh, Mrs. H. L. Voelker, Mrs. M. K. Ellis, Mrs. C. B. Guthrie, Mrs. Boyd Clayton, Mrs. Royce Pruet, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. B. C. Scott, Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Ted White, Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, Mrs. Frankie Jones, Mrs. John Henderson, Jr., Mrs. Charles E. Davidson, Jr., Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Mrs. Harold Femby, Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., Mrs. Dempster Jones, Miss Ola Gilbert and Miss Frances Taylor.

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Texas Aggies Prep For Opener Against Villanova Wildcats

COLLEGE STATION—Business—both of a football and musical nature—pulled into high gear this week in preparation for the Texas A&M football team's first game of the 1949 season which will be played September 17th under the new lighting system installed this summer at Kyle Field.

The Aggie's foe for the season opener will be the Villanova Wildcats, annually one of the nation's better Eastern elevens but this year especially strong and boasting two players who are being boomed as all-american candidates. Those two stars are Ralph Pasquariello, huge, steamrolling full-back, and Johnny Sandusky, 260 pound tackle who is rated one of

the fastest big linemen in college football.

As for the musical business, 24 high school bands representing towns from as far away as Port Arthur, Lufkin, Ennis, Palestine and Mexia are making preparations to come to the "High School Band Night" which will be held in conjunction with the football game. A pre-game baton-twirling contest and a downtown parade in the afternoon are other activities on the day's menu for the some 800 visiting musicians.

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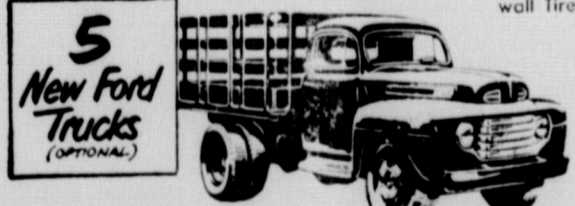
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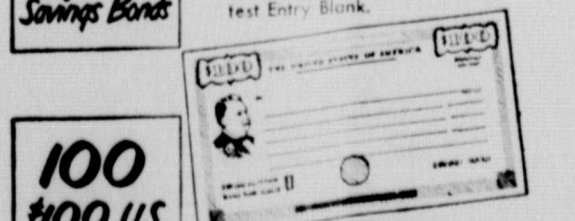
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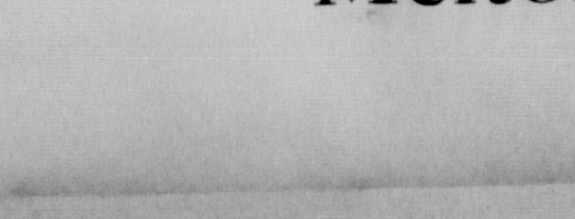
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Northcutt - - -

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man's door with his rifle in his hand and, according to the woman's testimony, told Freeman, "I am going to kill you" and fired at Freeman with the heavy caliber rifle.

Miss Vera Latham, Mrs. Stanley's sister, the second witness, admitted that she was drunk at the time of the trouble but corroborated for the most part her sister's account of the shooting.

Northcutt testified in his own behalf and under defense attorney McCarthy's questioning told of the drinking preceding the shoot-

ing and of his playing the violin. His account, however, was that he was standing in the doorway from the kitchen to his own bedroom playing his violin. He was accompanying a radio in his own room, he said, his back turned to the kitchen. Something struck him and the next he knew he was sitting on the side of his bed, his face badly beaten, his false teeth broken and both eyes blackened.

He got up and walked to the kitchen door, he said, and asked Freeman, who was in the kitchen what had happened. "You - - - - -, I'll finish the job this time," he quoted Freeman as saying. Freeman started toward his own bedroom, walking near the door where Northcutt stood, the latter testified, and Northcutt said he stepped back and got his gun from a closet and stepped back into the kitchen. When he saw Freeman approaching him, he fired, he said, because "I thought he was going to kill me."

Sheriff V. O. Earnest and Deputy Hearst Laws were called by District Attorney Hart Johnson for rebuttal testimony and testified to blood stains on the east, south and west walls on Freeman's room and on the ceiling and floor and to details of the position of Freeman's body and his injuries.

A number of character witnesses were called by the defense to testify to Northcutt's good reputation as a peaceful, law-abiding man and for truth and veracity in his former home town of Silverton.

Members of the jury hearing the case were L. J. Epperson, Byron Williams, Ted Doggett, John Childress, Johnny Hokit, Bud Coates, Pete North, Glen Sutton, D. C. Ratliff, Harley Cox, Lee Wilson and Roy Miller.

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The all-star game to be played next Sunday will be a benefit for Joan Edwards, Rankin girl, who has been unconscious since early in the year when she was injured in an automobile accident. All proceeds will go to the Joan Edwards fund.

All-stars will be selected from both leagues. Selections from the Ozona Rebels include Manager Byron Stuart, Joe Ross Hufstедler outfielder; Red Harrison, first base and outfield and Mac McClanahan, infielder and pitcher. Several players are expected to be chosen from the Goodfellow

and Iraan teams and the rest from the Big Lake nine.
Ozona will meet the Goodfellow Field aggregation on the Powell Field diamond here Sunday afternoon, September 18, in the first round playoff series. Meanwhile, Iraan and Big Lake will tangle in the opener, site of this game not yet announced. The winners in these two games will meet at a site to be agreed on Sunday, September 25, to decide the league championship.

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