Cotton Crop Figures Cut By Government

12,686,000 Bales Of Lint Predicted In Latest Compilation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP)-The agriculture department today estimated this year's cotton at 12,686,-000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight, compared with 12,-847,000 bales estimated a month ago, 11,817,000 bales produced last year, and 13,-547,000 bales, the 1929-38 ten-year average

The indicated yield of lint cotton is 252.4 pounds to the acre, com pared with 252.1 pounds indicated a month ago, 237.9 pounds produced last year, and 198.1 pounds, the tenyear average.

The acreage of cotton estimated for harvest this year is 24,078,000 acres, compared with 24,222,000 acres last year: the abandonment was placed at 4.0 per cent of the acreage in cultivation July I, as compared with 2.9 per cent last year, and the acreage in cultivation July 1 was 25,073,000 compared with 24,943,000 acres a year

The census bureau reported the cotton of this year's growth ginner to December 1 totaled 10,870,247 running bales, counting round as half bales and excluding linters, compared with 11,110,486 bales gin ned to that date a year ago, and 11,230,522 bales two years ago.

REA Builds 58 Miles Of Power Line

O. B. Bryan, project supervisor 58 miles of power lines were com- ing. Men chosen for one year's merly supervised road work. pleted and meter installation would military training under the selecbe inaugurated Tuesday. Seventy-tive service act will leave for camp eight miles of line poles have been erected through the system.

Completed nower lines extend The January figure throughout from Moore, through Fairview, and the state is four times the call in to Lenorah, Bryan said actual ser- November. Since Howard county vice was expected to get underway supplied six men at that time, the immediately following installation of meter boxes in finished sections. He explained that REA work was delayed somewhat because of crowded situation in production of equipment, but, since problems ganization will provide a send-off were now solved, the project was for trainees. gathering momentum.

that basis.

Carnarvon Castle

These apparently were based or

assertions that the German fighter

came out of the 90-minute battle

Thursday even worse damaged

SCHOOL BOARD TO MEET

their regular session in the admin-

istrative offices at 7:30 p. m. today.

Regular business is to come before

the body and it is possible that football motion pictures of prev-

lous games will be shown.

Repairs Rushed

As yet, no definite answer has draft body, said questionnaires perbeen received by Bryan in regard taining to availability for service to an application for a "B" system. Three hundred forty-two prospective REA customers have number 1 to 25, inclusive, were signed the application for the ad-mailed those registered. ditional electrical service, giving a two per cent surplus over required number. Bryan said he was praccertain of obtaining the

If granted the "B" unit will cove or Midland county and Lomax, 35 may enlist for training now and Cauble, Vealmoor and Tarzan communities. Coahoma will also be reached by the service.

British Set Big Fire At Bordeaux

the German-held French port of damaged British auxiliary cruiser service said today.

This was part of farflung British lines by tomorrow night. air attacks last night in which, the air ministry said, RAF bombers raided industrial and military ships already had caught up with rgets in the Duesseldorf area of the nazi raider but so far, at least, Germany, the submarine base at there were only unconfirmed re-French Atlantic port of Lori- ports of a new sea battle. the harbors of Bordeaux Brest, Flushing, Dunkerque and Gravelines and "several enemy air



FLYING SHARK-Gaping "mouth" helps this army air Corps P-40 pursuit ship resemble a hungry shark, as it skims over Selfridge field, Michigan, at 300 m.p.h. Behind shark-like nose of plane is the motor cooling system's intake.

Unit Road System Defended In Talk

A staunch argument in behalf of Howard county's unitsystem of lateral road construction, improvement and maintenance-a system inaugurated some 15 months ago with resultant savings to the county and increased road construction-was laid before Big Spring chamber of commerce directors Monday by County Judge Charlie Sullivan, who urged the civic organization to work for continuance

of the program Directors turned the case **JANUARY DRAFT** over to their highway com- Howard county fair. mittee, called for an investigation of the program and an **QUOTA SET AT** ensuing report upon which British Stop future policy will be based. **24 MEN HERE** Howard county-largely through

is retiring from office January 1 -adopted the unit system on road Howard county's selective service -adopted the unit system on road quota for January was placed at development in September of last In Caribbean 24 men, according to information year. A county engineer was em ployed, to replace four precinct of the Rural Electrification Administration, announced Monday that state headquarters Monday morn- the four commissioners who for

> The program included abolition of precinct lines, so that all road work was put on a county basis; on or about January 13. the me of road muchinery in place of the "pony drag" system which had been employed on a the use of road man The January figure throughout localized basis; the purchase of gasoline and lubricants at wholesale; the erection of a warehouse present quota was arrived at on and other facilities for storage and care of the county's equipment. Ira L. Thurman, president of the

After several months devoted to Rotary club, indicated that his orreorganization of the system, the unit plan produced-in nine months -12 1-2 miles of new, permanent torpedoed, Bruce Frazier, secretary of the road, Judge Sullivan sold the C-C "That compares," he said, board. "with 18 miles of permanent road built in this county in all the years

prior to inauguration of the unit system." Sullivan emphasized-and Coun-Since ten volunteers for one year's active service are already available. Franier stated that fifdirect saving of over \$6,000 uneen more would remove the neces der the unit system, while extend sity of using a compulsory selective ing the mileage on improvements system. All men of the ages 18 to

and new construction; and that, at the first of January, the road and bridge fund will have a larger balance on hand than at any time in the past four years. "Howard county has about \$80,

000 per year to spend on lateral roads," the judge said. "We have MONTEVIDEO, Urugpay, Dec. 9 felt that this is too large a sum LONDON, Dec. 8. (AP)—A great were reported searching the south practical and economical manner. Cotton Quota fire was started by British night Atlantic today for the German raid- We think we have shown that the raiders among buildings be- er whose shells punctured the Car- unit system is the best. We hope tween two of the dock basins in narvon Castle's steel hull, the it will be continued, and we hope the citizens and taxpayers of the Bordeaux, the air ministry news prepared to get back into the fight county will work for its continu for control of Britain's vital food ance."

Sullivan pointed out that under the old precinct division, equal amounts of money went to each of the four commissioners areas; but, precinct I has 20 miles of roads, precinct 2 about 900, precinct 3 only 100 and precinct 4 approximately 350 miles.

"It obviously was a make-shift program to try to allot equal sums for election of community commitvices of a competent engineer, with this one man in charge of the whole program. We have built more roads, have saved money is School board members will hold so doing. We think the unit sys

tem ought to be continued." C. of C. directors, at the conclusion of Sullivan's talk, voted a formal resolution of commendation ing his four years as county judge.

Weather Forecast . S. Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS-Fair north and east portion. Increasing cloudin with intermittent rain southw portion tonight and Tuesday outhwest portion tonight EAST TEXAS - Partly cloudy

LOCAL WEATHER DATA

C. Of C. Plans **Activity For** Coming Year

Annual Membership Drive In January Talked By Directors

Chamber of commerce di rectors, in their luncheon meeting at the Settles hotel ITALIANS FROM Monday, laid groundwork for an approaching new year of ARGIROCASTRO

They approved general plans for of this event remains unset, until cist body to the north and west.

arrangements are made for a With Argirocastro, last of of this event remains unset, arrangements are made for a speaker. Pat Kenney again will speaker. Pat Kenney again will behind them, Greek soldiers behind them, Greek soldiers

Details for election of new direct fors also were approved, and balots will be prepared for submis tion to the membership shortly.

A report was heard on the C. of C.'s "Decision Week," during which suggestions were offered for incorporation into the organization's program of objectives for 1941 Edith Gay, office secretary report ing in the absence of Manager J. H. Greene, said some 300 sugges tions were offered, considerably more than last year. The recommendations had not been tabulated into workable form, but these gen eral ideas headed the list:

More city paving, county roads a consistent clean-up program for the city, and establishment of a

the efforts of Judge Sullivan, who Nazi Steamer

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 9 (P)-The 5,033-ton German freighter Idarwald, her attempt to run the British blockade a failure, either was in British hands today or at the bottom of the sen.

A British cruiser speatibly the ported in those waters) intercepted the Idarwald off the south Cuban oast yesterday. Conflicting reports, however,

left in doubt the ultimate fate of the vessel, which sailed from Tampico, Mexico, Nov. 29, en route to Spain.

small boats

navy department said the crew of will be held. the Idarwald attempted to scuttle her and set her office whfigures—that the county has shown tika flag and ran up their own,

department report that the Ger man merchantman had been captured "appeared more likely" than the Cuban report that she had been

Vote Checked

County committeemen Monday canvassed returns from the marand left the official figure at 461 M. Weaver, county AAA admin-

istrative assistant, said that all persons sharing in AAA benefits during 1940 were being urged to par- BERGSON QUITS COLLEGE ticipate in the conventions Friday

as, Earl Hull and Ross Hill.

Battle Of Egypt Starts Again As Desert Armies Clash

GREEKS CHASE

ATHENS, Dec. 9 (AP) the annual membership drive, to fighting beyond Argirocastro was reported today between Greece's advancing army and the Italian pary preceding the organization's rearguard, strongly entrenched to annual membership banquet. Date cover the retreat of the main fas-

> launched into the new, swift follow-up attack with cries of "on to Valona!"

Valona, next Albanian sea gate way for Italian supplies in Greek path, is about 40 miles northwest of Argirocastro. About midway on that line lies Tepelini, a road junction, toward which the Greeks are fighting from the east and south. Their goal, shouted as a battle slogan, is "Tirana by Tirana is Albania' Christmas!" capital.

Capture of Argirocastro yester day, two days after the fall of Italy's southernmost Albanian port, Porto Edda, touched off a three day celebration. Rather than by and highways, civic beautification. direct assault, it was disclosed, the inland base was occupied after it had been flanked from east and west, forcing the Italians to with-

> Part of the city had been burned by the Italians before they fied, but the amount of captured war material was said to be enormous and to include 12 full batteries of abandoned artillery.
>
> After six weeks of fighting, the

Greeks have driven the Italian in vaders completely from their soil and pushed their own counterinvasion across about 20 per cent

Baptists Will

Statewide Sunday school revival will be held at the East 4th St. Baptist church Tuesday. han 300 delegates are expected. Coffee will be served at 9:50

o'clock and a covered dish lunch-eon will be served at 12 o'clock. con will be served at 12 o'clock. The Cuban navy said the ship The church will provide the was reported sinking after being drinks and desserts, the Rev. R. the crew escaping in Elmer Dunham, pastor, advises. Officers will hold conference dur In Washington, however, the ing the noon hour and discussions

Rev. J. M. Sibley, Sweetwater; Dr.

J. W. Bruner, Fort Worth; Mrs. O.

E. Parris, Dallas; the Rev. B. A.

Rogers, Odessa; the Rev. and Mrs.

Firemen surveyed a growing stack

Rogers, Odessa; the Rev. and Mrs.

G. Odd toys and County Superin
a naval leader on the retired list cruiser approached, but added that Rev. J. M. Sibley, Sweetwater; Dr. Sullivan emphasized and Coun-ty Auditor Claude Wolf verified his the flames, hauled down the swas- E. Parris, Dallas; the Rev. B. A. cles declined comment on the Idar-and Mrs. N. W. Pitts, Coahoma; tendent Anne Martin saw the in three days all at their "own re-wald "incident," but one informed the Rev. Martin Leach, Forsan; probability of the saw the quest"—Il Duce lost two of his car-(In London, British official cir. Fred McPherson, Stanton; the Rev. of old toys and County Superin- a naval leader on the retired list observer said a United States navy the Rev. Z. C. Chambill, Goldsmith. Mrs. Joe Hamilton and Mrs. J. E. Nall of Odessa and from Big day season. Spring, the Rev. and Mrs. Dunham, the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, the Rev. W. C. Harrison, the Rev. A. B lightfoot, Mrs. V. Phillips and Mrs. Vernon Logan.

Polish Legation In Hungary Closed

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Dec. 9 (A) The Polish legation closed its doors today by request of the Hungarian government—once Poland's closest

The reason was not announced favoring the cotton quotas and 15 but it was generally believed that opposed. axis pact, she could not tolerate the legation of a country absorbed by Germany.

VICHY, France, Dec. 9 (A)

in the face of such variance in teemen. At the same time dele-Thirsday even worse damaged in the face of such variance in teemen. At the same time delethan the Carnarvon Castle and mileage," Sullivan said. "We are gates will be elected to the county that the 7,580-ton cruiser Enter-running our whole program on a convention the following day when against anti-semitic laws. It was prize and another British warship county-wide basis, which is as it the 1941 county committee will be learned today that Bergson, a Jew, show sharp gains within the next resulted in one death and five intody Saturday. refused exemption offered by the 10 days. Now serving as members of the government from the laws for his county committee are L. H. Thom-"literary and artistic services to us, Earl Hull and Ross Hill. "the nation."

COUNTY'S HOWARD formal resolution of commendation for his services to the county dur-

Howard county's cash balance labor. Lateral road expenditures jump a sharply during November were held at \$336. General fund as current tax payments boosted the reserve from \$83,761 to \$115,085.

However, the difference between calances as of Nov. 6, when bills lars in amounting to \$2,106. Offihad been paid, and the same date cers and salary fund ran to \$3,220.

in December, showed the balance to date had gained by \$37,496.

A check showed that the road and bridge fund was in its strongest position in perhaps two years.

Dec. 6, the reserve stood at \$105,117
for all funds. Checks since Dec. 1 \$8,555, road and bridge \$29,805, lattonight for all funds. Checks since Dec. 1 38,505, read and bridge \$22,855, latted \$11,737 as compared to \$15,orth cen508 for the same period a month ago.

DATA Roal and bridge expenditures and sinking \$19,150. It should be real to \$5,882, about on a par with the previous month, and included John F. Wolcott estimates that well of the group during the west and regular wages and \$662 for extra collections are already on hand.



proximate location of sea encounter between British merchant cruiser Carnaryon Castle and a German raider, as reported by informed sources at Montevideo, Uruguay. Arrow indicates how Carnaryon Castle was reported proceeding to Montevideo and how, Buenos Aires reports said, ship sailed from point near Victoria, Brazil, Dec. 1.

Italian Navy Gets

ROME, Dec. 9. (AP)-The Italian navy, as well as the army, functioned under new command today after a shake dain lost prestige, Britain's de-up by which Premier Mussolini apparently intends to in- armies were ready. tensify the nation's war efforts.

Admiral Arturo Riccardi, 62, became naval chief of staff ish now have a well-organized and undersecretary of the navy—Premier Mussolini holds the naval portfolio himself-following the resignation of the fascist invaders have

Among those on the program are TOYS TO FIX

probability of a paycheck for quest"—Il Duce lost two of his genteachers in advance of the holi-ern Italy Saturday.

She announced receipt of \$2,138, 52, his chief of civil aviation, the representing a \$2 payment on the other General Pietro Pintor, 60, scholastic apportionment, and head of the armistice commission bringing the total received to date to \$5 on the \$22.50 figure. Since current taxes also have been comparatively good, she felt that were expected in some circles to be checks would be issued before schools dismiss for the holidays.

Firemen had a wide assortment of old toys ranging from bleycles had withdrawn to a new defense to tops, from dolls to machine line north of Afgirocastro, southguns, from blackboards to base-ern Albania. (The Greeks announcball bats.

Chief Olie Cordill previously had terday.) announced that firemen would receive toys until Dec. 20, repairing command's daily war bulletin as-and refinishing them so they serted, "completed its orderly withand refinishing them so they serted, "completed its orderly with could be distributed to needy childrawal without loss of men or ma dren on Christmas Day.

Delivery trucks began to heavier loads and the express com- ties." pany had two trucks unloading.

Judges came through with a dec sion on the rural school division of the Friday parade, awarding prizes to Midway (Christmas float) land (Indians). Honorable mention went to the Pied Piper group from Fairview, to the Forsan rhythm band youngsters and the Chalk

Negroes Will Face Theft Charges Here

Deputy Sheriff Denver Dunn wa to leave Monday afternoon for Sweetwater to take four negroes Sheppard reported today. Sweetwater to take four negroes into custody on misdemeanor theft

Dunn said that they had been arrested in Sweetwater with merchandise allegedly missed from the 109,818.
Montgomery Ward & Co., the J. C. The Penney Co., and Lloyd's stores at h

British Take 500 Italian Prisoners

Skirmish Was First Action In Sector In Three Months

By The Associated Press Indications that a longawaited battle of Egypt may have started - breaking three-months stalemate arose today when the British African command reported that British troops clashed with Italy's desert armies "on a broad front" in western Egypt.

There was no immediate information whether the offensive had been taken by the Italians or by the British.

The British said 500 Italians ere captured in fighting south of Sidi Barrani, the main Fascist Marshal Rodolfo Graziani's expeditionary armies.

The battle was apparently the first major action since Graziani's forces seized a 70-mile coastal strip along the Mediterranean three months ago.

Powerful forces of British, Ausralian, New Zealand, Polish and French soldiers were reported agerly awaiting the Italian offen-

Sidi Barrani lies 70 miles inside he Egyptian frontier, the farthest point of importance reached by the talians in their campaign in mid-

Shortly before the release of this war bulletin, British authorities in Egypt declared that if Premier Mussolini's shake-up in the Italian high command signalled an offen-

It was pointed out that the Britcommunication system, including a railroad, to their front lines, while Admiral Domenico Cavagnari, limited road communications over the arid wastes. Admiral Angelo Jacchini was

So far apparently, Marshal Rogiven the title "commander of dolfo Graziani has been reluctant the fleet on the sea," and Ad- to risk an offensive, with the necessity of moving aupplies—especial-ly water—over poor road communmiral Inigo Campione was made vice chief of the naval leations, against Britain's well-organized transport system, includ-ing a railroad to their front lines.

In the midst of the series of changes-which placed two army for to the British in manpower and

Perkins Upholds Wage-Hour Law

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (A) secretary Perkins asserted today that defense needs at this time Changes in the political ranks of did not warrant a breakdown of Mussolini's fascist government wage and hour legislation.

were expected in some circles to be Opening a three-day session of the seventh national conference on labor legislation the labor secretary said: announced that Italy's 11th army

"There has been loose talk o cerning the hours of work in the fair labor standards and public contracts acts as a hinder the defense program, but there is no valld reason to undermine the wage and hour legislation as defense needs shape up at this time."

San Angelo Woman **Held For Forgery**

ported shot down in fighting in North Africa, three by Italian held by city police Monday on fighters and one by naval aircraft charges brought by county officials The woman was taken into cus-

resulted in one death and five in-juries, the high command said. tody Saturday after a grocery con-cern reported a checking offense British raids on Gallabat, in the late Friday evening.

Forsan (Liberty float), and Rich-LARGE INCREASE OVER 1939

AUSTIN, Dec. 9. (P)-Valuations The state ad valorem tax rall 1940 totaled \$4,273,321,619, as increase of \$59,920,182 over last year federate pensions and 27 cents for and the biggest jump ever record- school purposes.

One was General Aldo Pellegrini,

rent replacements of keymen.

ed occupation of Argirocastro yes

terial on a line north of Argirocas-

tro and minor surrounding locali-

"The eleventh army," the high

Meanwhile, the high

Sheppard said increases in counties whose property valuations were raised aggregated \$97,0366,000 while decreases in those where cluded Angelina with \$1.110 they dropped amounted to \$37. Archer \$1.530,375, Bexar \$1,100.

The comptroller pointed out that homestead exemptions, amounting to nearly 16 per cent of the total in 1999, would reduce the valuations for state purposas approximately \$478,200,000 to about \$3.00,000,000. custody in 1939, would reduce the valua-weekend, materials for state purposes approxi-materials 200,000,000 to about \$3.

for ad valorem taxes in Texas for of 69 cents on \$100 valuation to

Sheppard attributed large in creases in some counties field development.

Counties in which incre more than \$1,000,000 were n

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on asks that folks on his route be reminded that his An-gain Rate on yearly subscriptions lasts only until Dec. for 17 months).



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DOWNTOWN STROLLER

At the American Business Club Dance. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McGann were there dancing. Mrs. McGann were a black taffeta formal embroidered in silver. . . .

Hilds Dixon and Fowler Faubien attended the dance and both were taking a lot of kidding from club members about their approaching marriage. But they seemed to be pretty good-natured about all the joking. She were a black crepe formal and looked awfully nice. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Snodgrass were the center of attraction as they are leaving for Austin next week. He is prexy for the club and the members are pretty upset about losing him. . . .

Mr. and Mrs. M. Carnoban were dancing. She wore a white satin formal with puffed and ruffled sleeves and had on a corsage of pink

Nancy Jo Haymes, home from Levelland for the weekend, and

Stormy Thompson were sitting at one of the tables on the mezzanine talking to a group before the dance began. . .

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Raiston were there. He has been in Okla-ma City working but is here to stay now. . . .

Mary Louise Inkman Is Complimented With A Miscellaneous Shower

piece for the table at the miscel- games of a flower wedding were the C. W. Cunningham home. gifts as a prize.

Entertains Friends At Clubhouse

ments served to Gayle Green, Bob-Lee Hanson, Janice Jacobs, Mrs Bond. bie Jo Grant, Juanita Sewell, Ozel- Pete Kling, Mrs. Ellen Wood. la Neil, Martha Southerland, Gwen Virginia Chambers Mattie Mae West, Marion Russell Carol Jean Criner, Paul White, Mina Mae Taylor Is Cowley, James Craig, Cookie Gardner, J. R. Smith, Clarence Mc With Party At Home Clucky, Junior Roga, Harold Shaw, Wilma Hoard, Claude Couch, Billie

Mrs. Haislip Guest Speaker In Odessa

Day program.

and World Missions.

Durwood Riggs, a new member of the club, was there with June Sheppard and both were having a good time. . . .

Jack Free and his orchestra were there too, playing polkas, waltzes and rug-cutting numbers. Funds from the dance go for welfare work

Christmas balls spilling out of a holding a white Christmas tree Lakeland, Fla., where he will spend glass top hat formed the center-lighted with blue lights. Guessing Christmas with his family, laneous shower given Saturday played and Miss Inkman was denight for Mary Louise Inkman in clared the winner and given the Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wills, Sr.

over the table.

Others attending were Mrs. Mor

Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Shine Guests wrote either advice to the Philips, and Mrs. M. A. House were bride or recipes in her bride's book. Martin 4-H hostenses. Miss Inkman is the Ice cream made in the shape of bride-elect of Maurice Koger and a wedding slipper and angel food

Mary Margaret Spivey

FORSAN, Dec. 9 (Spi) — Mary ris Patterson, Mrs. W. W. Inkman, Margaret Spivey entertained some Mrs. Jim Waddle, Dorothy Lee Basof her high school friends Friday sett, Evelyn McCurdy, Lynette Mcnight in the club house at the Hum- Elhannon, Mrs. Vance Lebkowsky

Fay McAlpine.

Danish Nazis **Promote Riot**

COPENHAGEN (via Berlin). Dec. 9 (49 — Nearly 300 Danish nazis were arrested in the north Schleswig town of Headerslev last night when they tried to parade illegally in uniforms. In rioting that accompanied the

day cake and punch was served.

arrests, ten policemen and nazie were wounded.

ANNOUNCING WINNERS!

First Prize (\$100.00)
Mrs. C. T. Subbie, 1212 Frederick St., Fort Worth, Tex.

Secund Prize (\$40.00)
Mrs. Estelle Patterson, 703 W.
35th Austin, Tex.

Third Prize (\$20.00)

Mrs. Harry Smith, Navasota, Tex. Next 20 Prizes (\$2.00 Each) Mrs. Howard Anderson, Kened,

Mrs. Howard Anderson, Kenedy, Tex.
Mrs. O. O. Ashenhust, Box 7,
Lorena, Tex.
Mrs. Eugene Bailey, 512 Oakdale,
Lonaview, Tex.
Mrs. Laudery, Tex.
Mrs. La N. Brushears, 522 N. Van
Buren, San Angelo, Tex.
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Buren, San Angelo, Tex.
Mrs. Scottie Chamblins, 2880
Irving, Beaumont, Tex.
Miss John Garcis, 694 Ruiz St.
San Antonio, Tex.
Mrs. C. Harshaw, 769 N. 14th,
Duncan, Okla.
Mre. L. W. Hilgenberg, 892
Cypress St., Abliene, Tex.
Mrs. H. A. Jackson, 723 W. Cepper Ave. Albaquerque, N. Mex.
Mrs. A. M. Mosse, 731 W. Elm
St. Denison, Tex.
Mrs. C. C. Powell, 1628 Firth St.,
Part Arthur, Tex.
Mrs. C. C. Powell, 1525 West College, Midland, Tex.
Mrs. Den Robertson, Carthage,
Tex.
Mrs. Louise Shepperd, 905-A Sul

Louise Shepperd, 905-A Sul sa Houston, Tex. D. A. Smith, 311 Ward St., rlin, Tex. M. D. Smith, 201 W. 7th, Bonham, Tex. J. M. Stokes, 1004 N. Laon, Victoria, Tex. Cleye Tucker, Route 2, seabook, Tex.

Seventh Contest Closed Nov. 30 Dealer's Prize (\$50.00) Pickwick No. 3, Fort Worth

Dealer's Prize (\$20.00) Wood Food Store, Austin, Tex. Dealer's Prize (\$10.00) R. M. Love Food Market, Navasota, Tex.

Next 20 Dealer's Prizes (\$2.00 ea.) Piggly Wiggly, Kenedy, Tex.

Cash Mercantile Store, Lorena, Latham's Food Store, Longview, Tex. Stop & Shop Grocery, Lueders, Tex.

Modern Way Grecery, San Angelo, Tex. Evans Grocery, Beaumont, Tex. Piggly Wiggly, San Antonio.

Bolles Grecery, Duncan, Okla. Brashear Grocery, Abilene, Tex. Public Food Mart, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Akers Grocery and Market. Denison, Tex Lone Star Super Store, Port Arthur, Tex.

Ellis Conner Grocery, Midland, Tex. 8. Midyett M & M Grocery, Carthage, Tex. ABC Stores, Inc., Houston, Tex. Red Front Grocery, Mariin, Tex. W. E. Newton Grocery, Bonham, Tex.

Huvar Cash Grocery, Victoria, Tex. Thompson Market, Grosebeck, Tex. Cruck Grocery, Granbury, Tex.

New Contest On Now, Enter

te in 25 words "Why You Prefer Admiration Coffee"...
If grocer for further details, Remember ... this is NOT
tel contest ... You are not competing with millions ...

Kongenial Klub Entertains At **Dinner Party**

Husbands were included guests when the Kongenial Klub ntertained Saturday night with a inner party at the Settles hotel. Three miniature Christmas trees corated the dinner table lacecards were red and green

mint cups. Bridge was played and high core went to Mrs. Bill Gage and R. W. Hallbrook. Elmer Dyer and Escol Compton bingoed.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shive, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mitchell, Mrs. Elmer Dyer, Mrs. R. W. Hallbrook,

Personalities

In The News

E. M. Conley spent Sunday in

Mrs. Harvey Bunce receive word here Saturday morning of the Susan Janes in Paris, Tenn.

Charlie Woodard of Fort Worth was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tollett. Mrs. Tollett is leaving Wednesday for Dallas to

Mr. and Mrs. George Handle of Hobbs, N. M., and Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins were in Abilene over the weekend for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Haag and family Mr. and Mrs. Handley returned to Hobbs on Monday.

M. D. Collins, district manager of the Walgreen Drug of Chicago, is here on a business trip and visiting with his father, Mr. T. M. Collins. M. D. expects to go to Dallas, New Orleans, La., and on to

Mrs. Ben F. Wills, Jr., of Pass dena, Calif., is the house guest of

will be married on December 21st. cake were served. The table was lace-laid and at opposite ends of Calves Show the table, red tapers burned in crystal holders. Silver wedding bells hung from the chandeller Good Gains

STANTON, Dec. 9 (AP)-Boy feeders in the Martin County 4-H clubs indicate that their baby beef calver on feed this year are showing un-Judith Pickle, Mary Bell Minger, usually good gains, according to Games were played and refresh- Fern Smith, Doris Cassle, Roberts the Martin county agent, George

The calves are just now going Other gifts were sent by friends. into the home stretch of their race and most of the fancy finish re- Mother Dies quired at the shows are put on beween now and show time. Many of the calves are gaining in excess Honoher On Birthday of three pounds a day and are eat- Mrs. Henry E. Mosley, died at 9:12

Mins Mae Taylor was honored ing were entertainment and birth- feeder in the county.

that should finish in time for Big lived with the Mosleys. Spring, Stanton, and Odessa shows.

Doctors Reject Many Draftees

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP) Octors at army induction centers ed Mrs. Tracy in death. have rejected 10 to 28 per cent of the prospective soldiers passed by physicians for the local draft oards, authoritative sources dis losed today.

Officials at selective service eadquarters declared that this showing was no cause for alarm. The whole business was new to most of the local examiners, they said, and the percentage of rejec-tions by army doctors could be expected to fall between 5 and 10 pe ent eventually.

French Aircraft Raids Siam Town

HANOI, French Indo-China, Dec 9. (P) French warplanes were re-ported to have dropped 22 bombs on the Thai (Siamese) town of Lakhon early today in "retaliation" for an alleged bombing of the Indo China border town of Vientiane by

Thal planes yesterday.

French authorities announced of ficially that hostilities in the bor der dispute flared to serious proportions and involved considerable bombing.

The official attitude here was described as changing from a passive attitude to active retaliation against alleged Thai attacks.

CORN QOUTA UNCHANGED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. UP) -Secretary of Agriculture Wickard innounced today that the 1941 corn planting allotment under the gov ernment's crop control program would be between 88,000,000 and 90,000,000 acres, the same as in

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Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

TUESDAY

REBEKAH LODGE 284 will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall NORTH WARD P.T. A. will meet at 3:15 o'clock at the school, CHILD CULTURE CLUB will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church for a Christmas party
PAST MATRON'S CLUB will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs.

J. T. Brooks, 606 Johnson, with Mrs. Emily Andrews as co-hostesses, for a dinner party.

G. I. A. will meet at 4 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall for a dinner party. BETA SIGMA PHI will meet at 8 o'clock at the Settles hotel.

BLUEBONNET CLASS of First Christian church will meet at 7:30 ference, Evans said the European

o'clock with Mrs. Tom Rosson, 168 Lincoin. WEDNESDAY CENTRAL WARD P-T. A. will meet at 3:15 o'clock at the school.

MUSIC STUDY CLUB will meet at 3:30 o'clock at the Settles hotel.

CHILD STUDY CLUB will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Iva Huney

cutt, 1405 Scurry.
MOTHER SINGERS will meet at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist church T. E. L. CLASS will meet at 2 o clock at the First Baptist church.

THURSDAY

COLLEGE HEIGHTS P.T. A. will meet at 3:15 o'clock at the schoo and the Study Group will meet at 1:30 o'clock.

WEST WARD P.T. A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the school.

X. Y. Z. CLUB will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the Settles hotel with Mrs. Leenard Hilton and Mrs. R. C. Hitt as hostesses.
ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet at 2 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall. FRIDAY

SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS party will be at 3 o'clock at the Firs Methodist church with Mrs. R. L. Warren as hostess. LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION will meet at the Country Club for business session.
WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall. HYPERION CLUB will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. James

T. Brooks.

1930 HYPERION CLUB will meet at the Settles hotel for a luncheo FIRST BAPTIST FRIENDSHIP CLASS will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Chester Cluck, 1105 E. 13th.

Mrs. Moselev's In Abilene Sunday

ing some 15 pounds of grain mix-o'clock Sunday morning at Mr. and Top show prospects are being fed Mrs. Mosley's home, 306 East Fifth.

on her birthday anniversary Sat-urday night in the home of her Sadler, Tom Estes, Elmer Ander-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Taylor, son and Dub Clements and William Open Rosary will be conducted Old-fashioned games and danc. Roy Woolsey, all veteran 4-H club at 11:15 p. m. the body will be The Sadler brothers, who are placed aboard a train for shipment to St. Louis for burial beside the

Verna Jo Stephens, George Can-been on feed since last April. These Mrs. Tracy came to America as a ay program.

Werna Jo Stephens, George Candary in the lighter and the larger calves will very likely go to early shows as they have sevoral of the lighter smaller calves.

Werna Jo Stephens, George Candary in the lighter smaller calves will very likely go young girl. She was married in 1873. Since 1926, when she came to a smaller calves are the lighter smaller calves. eral of the lighter smaller catves Big Spring from El Paso, she had

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Mosley, Mrs. Gus Boyer and Mrs. Eran McCaulley of St. Louis, Mrs. Florence DeRayadt and Mrs. Agnes McDonald of Los Angeles, and a son, Martin Tracy of St. Louis. Five other children preced-

Coralie Brownfield is confined to her home with tonsilitis

The United States bought Alaska for two cents an acre.

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KELSEY STUDIO

More Power For Defense **Body Asked**

HOLLYWOOD, Fla., Dec. 9 (P)-The Investment Bankers Associa-tion of America called upon the federal government today to reor-ganize the advisory defense commission, giving its executive powers and a 'full-fledged division of fi-

The association, in the second day of its 29th annual convention was put on record as favoring nely, its president, who said in making his annual report:
"We urge that the advisory de

Washington, be shaped in the di-rection of the old war industries aggressively, administration offipoard, with a chairman and with authority to act.

should have a full fledged division of finance, charged with coordinating the production of credit, just as the other divisions are charged with coordinating raw materials, finished products, labor

Connely declared the association ecommended these steps to avoid the mistakes of the early period of the world war. Then, he said, "We wasted precious time until the was industries board was established.

Grain May Get **Market Quotas**

BALTIMORE, Dec. 9 (A)-R. M Evans, agricultural adjustment ad- and four surrounding states today ministrator, told grain farmers today that the government may pro-

sale of wheat and corn next year. bureau federation convention con-tal's overtaxed power facilities.

farm official said, "that the out-kilowatt hours daily. now indicates the need for marketing quotas next year on wheat and corn a well as on cot- State Makes Per ton and tobacco."

Quotas must be approved by two-

thirds of the affected growers voting in a referendum, Quotas for cotton and tobacco already have been approved. Horse And \$1

Bring 90 Cents SALISBURY, N. C., Dec. 9 (AP)said the apportionment was base on 1,537,588 scholastics. They were holding a public auc sale at a lot near here. A horse was put on the block. It GREEKS EXPRESS THANKS wasn't much of a horse, it's true

Not a single bid was offered. on, Aultman, Jr., spent Sunday in see what it'll bring," someone sug-with enthusiasm here today and a

Abilene. They were accompanied gested. by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Maddux and and the greenback were knocked by to convey the thanks of the daughter, Patsy.

This was done. Then the norse like the convey the thanks of the down at 90 cents.

Defense Officials Ask Higher Speed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (A) — "best insurance to keep Roused to greater action by their war." increasingly grave apprehensions for the peace and security of the tary of War Stimson, Secretary of

today that—impelled by recent accelerated production of war events in Europe and Asia—the materials. major urgent topics at the almost bers are speed and greatly expand-ed production of planes, ships and cated round-the-clock production to

cials now are also emphasizing the urgency and magnitude of the task "Further, we urge that the board of providing armed strength-for Britain, Greece, China and the American republics as well as for the United States-at officially inspired roundtable discussions with industrial and labor leaders.

William S. Knudsen, defense pro duction chief, sounded the keynote of the "blitz-production" drive in an address last week at Detroit "speed and more speed" in producing modern war weapons as the

Mexico Moves Up Clocks An Hour

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9 (A) Mexico City, the federal distric moved their clocks ahead one house -the new time is identical pose marketing quotas to regulate Eastern Standard-as part of a campaign to reduce the use of elec-Addressing an American farm tricity here and relieve the capi An unusually war had "shattered" export mar-that diminished the amount of wakets for wheat and corn and meat ter available for generating curproducts. As a result, he said, huge rent caused the Mexico City Light surpluses of these commodities had and Power company to advise the government power "I can tell you frankly," the had to be reduced at least 650,000

Capita Payment

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (P)-Release of warrants representing a \$2 per capita apportionment and aggre gating \$3,075,176 was announced to day by State Superintendent Education L. A. Woods. Asserting another \$2 paymen ould be made in January, Woods

ATHENS, Greece, Dec. 9 (AP) President Roosevelt's promise to "Pin a dollar bill to its mane and give help to Greece was received government spokesman received This was done. Then the horse American correspondents especial-

Secretary of State Hull, American continent, national de-fense authorities are intensifying the Treasury Morgenthau have efforts to speed up production of been among the most outspoken, all defense essentials to an "all-privately and publicly, in urging out" wartime tempo. out" wartime tempo. industry, labor and the average industry, labor and the average citizen to awaken to the need for

A new and powerful recruit joindaily conferences of cabinet and ed them when Senator George (Dinational defense commission mem-Ga), new chairman of the senate step up plane, ships and munitions

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Germans Say War's Biggest Raid Made On England

Dog Gets Negro Out Of Doghouse

collie chased police chasing a negro is a gambling raid.

Out came howls and-a split sec-

ond later—the negro, with a bitten hand. Police oredited the collie

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"Gas containers flew into the air gisantic flames and oil tanks"

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Dut Of Doghouse BALTIMORE, Dog. S. CET—A ME Subsidy For Police chased the collie into his Cotton Asked

BALTIMORE, Dec. 9 (P)-I. W. Duggan, director of the southern division of the Agricultural Adproposals to peg cotton prices at higher levels by raising government loan rates would necessitate large appropriations for export

The government loan rate of

arantee. Ru-Ex Compound the annual convention of the Ameris for sale and recommended by Ican Farm Bureau Federation, de Collins Bros. and drug stores every-clared that under a high loan there clared that under a high loan, there could be no assurance that "year n and year out we could get the necessary funds to maintain our

fair share of cotton exports." fine-shaved reindeer fat, creamed districts were hit and some houses and mother in surprise. with seal oil and flavored with were fired. Nine civilians were killered a choice delicacy.



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A YEAR'S READING

Nazis Assert London Came SAM Near Collapse

BERLIN, Dec. 9 (P)-Informed German circles declared today last night's smashing attack on London justment Administration said today by the German air force since it was the heaviest ever carried out carried the war to Britain,

The number of planes participating was not disclosed but these sources said the number could be imagined from the fact that 70 tons of explosives and

in gigantic flames and oil tanks caught fire and smoked heavily."

Inga very happy.

That Christmas morning after Eskimo ice cream is made of and several other spots residential shell. Eric looked up at his father

> (The British air ministry said targets in the Duesseldorf area, France, "enemy" airdromes and shipping and harbors along the -occupied coast during

the night." One German plane was reported nissing and informed quarters in shell will take you anywhere on Berlin asserted that the British water." report that only two nazi raiders

New Testament's Reading Time Found

McLouth, Kas., Dec. 9, (A)-The entire New Testament can be read in 17 hours and 40 minutes. At least that's how long it took 71 members of the Methodist

'MAN AGED 94

walks to town most every day" help?"

Santa chuckled. He was pleased ADLERIKA last 15 years." ADLE-to see that Eric had such good RIKA contains 3 laxatives for quick bowel action, with 5 carmin-see if he was brave before he told constation. atives to relieve gas pains. Get AD-

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on a year's adventures to prove he is brave enough to be king. He is a prince that King Nep-All Rights Reserved AP Feature Service Cparter Seven ERIC MEETS SANTA Now all these years the young prince who had been given to Saul

the fisherman's son, must set out

and Inga grew into a fine, strong man. Saul knew that one day the boy would be King. But he didn't tell the lad until the Christman Saul and Inga had named the boy Eric. He was a head taller than Saul. He had thick, yellow the course of the night united and hair, bright blue eyes and a warm formed a great, glowing sea of laugh. He was known all up and down the coast as the finest sailor "Gas containers flew into the air in the land. He had made Saul and

Solitary British planes, the high breakfast the three of them uncommand communique said, drop-ped bombs at "numerous places in western Germany during the night." Wrapped their gifts. There was just a little box by Eric's plate. He opened it carefully. Out fell a In Duesseldorf, Munich-Gladbach gold locket and a tiny white sea

Saul and Inga were watching d, 17 were severely wounded and and they chuckled. They knew the 24 slightly wounded x x x No mil- story of the locket and the sea tary nor war vital industrial shell, because the mermaids had damage was done."

'Must Travel Far' "You must travel this year, Eric," said Saul. "If you prove brave enough you kill be king this time next year. That locket you may open three times when you are in danger and each time it will bring you help. The sea

Eric was both sad and happy as had been shot down was evidence he prepared to set out at once. His of the success of the night's heavy mother gave him a new leather raid on London and the result of jacket and fine leather leggings. His father gave him a bow and arrow and a leather pouch to sling

over his shoulder. Eric kissed both his parents and they walked part way through town with him. They smiled happroud of him.

71 members of the Methodist met an old beggar walking with church. They started at 3 a. m. met an old beggar walking with yesterday and finished at 8:40 p. a stick. You and I know that it operation Stops was Santa in disguise, But Eric

"Good father," said Eric, "this is hard walking for you. May I

see if he was brave before he told operation. Eric of the good, gray Queen and her troubles.

go home I should like to find a the attack. traveling companion. Would you

into crystals in the air."



YOU AND I KNOW IT WAS SANTA IN DISGUISE. BUT EPIC DIDN'T.

"Even so, I should like to go,"

Santa Identified So Santa blew a silver whistle, me? Throught the air flew his reindeers and sleigh. They settled in

Santa chuckled. "Are you-could you me -?" stamered Eric. He stopped.

ta chuckling. "Could you be Santa Claus? I ble.

"Do you still want to travel with

So the two of them hopped into the field beside the road. Eric's the sleigh. Santa cracked his long eyes were big with surprise and whip in the air, and the reindeers pulled the sleigh high into the sky and turned toward the North Pole. But when Santa and Erio "Could I be whom?" asked San- arrived there they found Santa having some serious trou-

have seen your pictures since I TOMORROW: Toyland.

British Financier Postpones Talks

Frederick Phillips, undersecretary iting Secretary Morgenthau Friof the British treasury, cancelled day that he would present such a pily as he left because they felt an appointment he had at the statement Monday.

certain he would succeed. You see treasury today at which he was exhe was their son and they were pected to present a "balance sheet crick apparently had not complet-

> TULSA, Okla., Dec. 9 (P)-D. E. aid to Britain were advanced on "improved" today, his five days of ited-proceeded with one eye on

An operation at the base of the her troubles.

Santa said, "I live in the coldest land there is I have a great deal which activates the diaphragm, was Sir Frederick worked over the of work there to do, but before I used by Sanders' physician to halt weekend. The financial picture it

day, but the attack subsided. His ture proposals involving cash or "Why not?" said Eric. "I am physician said the nerve may not credit assistance. cooking for a year's adventures." have been completely paralyzed.
"It is so cold where I live," said Sanders, however, for the first Santa, 'that your breath will turn time in almost a week was able to Colo) told newsmen that Britain eat and sleep.

The Paper

The Whole

Family

Enoys

Jap Reaffirms

was a child." "That's right." laughed Santa

"Oh, more than ever," said Eric

Hiccough Attack

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)-Sir of supplies in the United States.

Half way up the mountain Eric of British resources and the cost ed the date which he planned to appointment had been made, but that they expected Sir Frederick

Meanwhile, a fresh series of ar guments for and against greater

ury.
The agenda of the second meetdiscloses may determine the con-Sanders hiccoughed again Sun-sideration to be accorded any fu-

> On the congressional front should have at least 60 per cent of American aircraft production, instead of the prevailing 50 per cent.

"We have a considerable number of defense planes now," Adams asserted. "We have enough to protect us against any immediate at-Senator Nye (R-Nd) retorted

that an increased allotment of aircraft to Great Britain eopardize our defense."

Schedules

7:00 a. m. 7:25 a. .11:10 p. m. 11:30 p. a Arrive Depart9:00 p. m. 9.15 p. m.

7:25 a. m. 7:55 a. m Buses EASTBOUND Depart 3:10 a. m 6:34 a. m. 6:29 a. m. 9:35 a. m 9:45 a. m 3:25 p. m. 3:20 p. m. 10:40 p. m. 10:45 p. m. WESTBOUND

12:13 a.m 12:18 a. D 4:00 a. m 9:55 a. m 3:05 p. m. 3:10 p. m 7:54 p. m NORTHBOUND 9:45 a. m 3:10 p. m 3:30 p. m

8:00 p. m SOUTHBOUND 7:15 a. m. 10:15 a. m. 3:25 p. m. 11:00 p.

Depar 7:28 p.

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would determine which nation was les guard of the elaborate proportions usually accorded only to the tillties between any of the three president of the United States has and another nation not now ineen assigned to the Duke and volved in the war. Duchess of Windsor for their arrival here tomorrow from Nassau. McCarthy said 50 policemen would guard the pier where the famed yacht Southern Cross will dock with the former British king and

An escort of 20 motorcycles will company them to a Miami Beach cospital where the duchess will ndergo a major dental operation The duke, governor of the Brit-ish Bahamas, let it be understood he would make no public appear ances while in the United States.

TOKYO, Dec. 9 (P) - Japanes

Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsucks

told newspaper correspondents to

day the German-Italian-Japanes

alliance was the "pivot" around which Japan's foreign policy evolved, and said Japan would not

'quibble" in going to the defense

Pro-Axis Policy

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Matsucka explained that point

pact which Japan signed with Ger-

many and Italy last Sept. 27 provided that all three of the powers

three of the military and con

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Of Sportsmen

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (A)-Foot NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (H)—Foot-ball's mounting popularity is re-flected in the overwhelming mar-gin by which Tommy Harmon, Michigan's great back, has been man's Saturday night dance until gin by which Tommy Harmon, Michigan's great back, has been voted the outstanding male athlete of 1940 by sports experts partici-pating in the annual Associated

who sent in their ballots named the Welverine wow their No. 1 ice for his personal exploits in ling his team to a once-defeaton and for breaking Red Grange's record for scoring over a

Hank Greenberg, Detroit's slugwith 11 first-place votes and a to-desert mesa to a first-class ski

The voting: Athelete and Sport Firsts Points Tommy Hermon, Michi-

gan, football30 Hank Greenberg, De-Bucky Walters, Cincinnati, baseball 6 Bobby Feller, Cleve-land, baseball

John Kimbrough, Texas A&M, football 4 Boxer Lew Jenkins of Sweet

water, Tex., and Don McNeill, Oklahoma City tennis star, each re caived three points.

Local Youth Leads H-SU **High Scorers**

H. C. Burrus of Big Spring, high scorer on the Hardin-Simmons unbeaten and untied eleven, at Abilene, led the Ranchers in scoring for the 1939 and

SU games in the season just ended, More Members after understudying Neal Davis, veteran wingman, when a sophe

more last year.

Catching 7 touchdown passes, and recovering a Loyola fumble for another marker, he scored 48 points to lead the Cowboys this year, and 25 points to lead the

A former Big Spring Steer letter man, he earned an award when a senior, in the fall of 1936.

An all around athlete, he has lettered in football, basketball and tennis at Hardin-Simmons, and is James T. Brooks, Mrs. S. A. Mc-a star baseball, softball and bad-Comb, Mrs. W. R. Ivey, Mrs. W.

Moving to Big Spring from Lub-bock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Burrus, when a Mrs. B. T. Cardwell, Mrs. G. G. sophomore, he played his first competitive sports the next year, as a junior, on urging of Ben Daniel, taking up softball and becoming a witches softball and become s

coming a pitcher and outfielder.

With the Big Spring Junior softballers, he participated in two national tourneys, at Buffalo, N. Y., and at Columbus, Ohio, when the locals went to the fi-nals, with H. C. pitching two games. Graduating from Big

chool when only 15—he is Lorraine Lamar, Wayne E. Mat 19 now-H. C. went to H-SU in the fall, but did not complete his work that year, returning home and re-Murphy, Seth H. Parsons, Lillian Shick, Doris Cassle, Dorothy Lee entering the next fall. He carned his freshman numer-

als in '38, and varsity letter awards the past two seasons.

A major in physical education.

cts to enter recreational work on graduation from Hardin-Simmons with the class of '42. Mrs. Martelle McDonald, Joe Emery Ratliff, Annie Fern Sides

The municipal building commission of Helsinki, Finland, has aphome settlement for war invalids. Douglas, Mrs. Bill Gage. The War Invalid Committee of the Loyce Gwathmey, Mrs. Robert Finnish Red Cross will provide 25 M. Parks, Lois Carden, Ladonis

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AP Feature Service
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—The
southwest's desert mesquite and
cactus belt, to its own amazement, has joined the

a few years ago. Today rustic cowhands can tell

you what kind of wax to use on corn snow-and even the Indiana Where once only the hardy for

est ranger cut a path through the today a dozen as sorted accents-from New York's Bronx to the southern drawl of Texas—echo through the aspe basins high in the snow packe anges of Arizona and New Mexico Almost anywhere in New Mexic

Desert yuccas wave Points are counted on a basis of spikes in the sandy mesa country three for a first choice, two for below, but up in the mountains second choice and one for third. cow-puncher boots for ski shoes. Amazing Development

"Development of winter sports "At the outset, a couple of year

ago, we had to question whether was a passing fad that justified the use of public funds; but the uestion now is answered. "Fifty thousand winter

ans can't be wrong That's the number the service men counted last winter n southwestern national forest ski grounds and the problem now the University of New Mexico and the crest of the Sandia mountain is how to meet the skiing demands, Arizona Teachers of Flagstaff,

Tonight's Cage

Game Cancelled

Big Spring high school officials

amounced this morning that to-night's basketball game between

the Steers and the House of

No word had been received from the House of David team,

and officials feared they would

Among those Howard county

Johnson, Mrs. Willard Read, Mrs.

Mrs. T. R. Adkins, Mrs. John A

Coffee, W. C. Blankenship, King Sides, Amabel Lovelace, Edmund

Notestine, Mrs. F. M. Purser, Al

lene Warren, Pascal Buckner, J. A.

Coffee, Vivyen Beard, Pearl Butler,

Agnes Currie, Wm. R. Dawes, Reta Rogers Debenport, Joseph T. Field-

thews, Florence McAlister, Ione

McAlister, Evelyn McCurdy, E. S.

Bassett, John Daniel, Mrs. Joseph-

ine Dawes, Mary Louise Inkman.

Mrs. Merie Paulsen, Clara Se

crest, Sallie Sue Young, Mrs. Thei

ma Price, E. Warren Curtis, Doro

thy May Driver, Buna Edwards,

Lottye Lee Liggett, Grace Mann,

B. Harrison, Mrs. C. H. Purker.

H. F. Railsback, Mrs. R. C. Hatch, Mrs. E. M. Conrad, B. Reagan.

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ABC Has Charity

Auction Of Hats

E. Wolfe.

American Red Cross are:

David had been cancelled.

not be present.



Even the Indiana have gone in for skiing in the South

were counted. Few of them went

Sports enthusiasts now demand week-end on their favorite ski Hyde Park run near Santa Fe.

cisco peaks in the Coconino Nat-belt."

Other Meets Also nearly 1,000 ski enthusiasts with dizzying speed.

visited forests during winter. Eight gathered in anowy Carson National years ago less than 5,000 visitors Forest in the Sangre de Cristo mountains, near the New Mexican village of Taos, for a full-fledged in the southwest has been little weekly snow bulletins so they can meet. Others were held at La Mashort of amazing," says Frank C be informed just what conditions dera in the Sandia mountains, 30 W. Pooler, regional forester.

Looking 'em

With Jack Douglas

Colorado City high school's en

rance into district 3-AA for the

make a more handily arranged season's schedule. This will apply

to football alone, since Colorad

City merely took over the vacane, left by Odesna's withdraws! from

tofore existing in the loop, mid-se

In the seven-team system, here

son gaps were left in the card, C.

H. Kenley, secretary of the district

governing body and principal of the San Angelo high school, said.

With eight crews lined up the

Friday afternoon at Midland, Colorado City's Wolves meet Wink

for a region 4 title scrap, winding

up Colorado City's competition as

regular member of class A foot ball. This show will be something

of a toss-up, although the Wolver

Johnny Grubbs and Billy Wade are

capable of swinging the tide in

Colorado City's favor with a hot-

shot brand of ground attack and

to district 3-AA ranks, will not-

urally be due to find the going

rough at times next year but

this year's record can be taken

as a prediction of things to come.

73 to 0-what a final score fo

bout. Although both clubs fought

on about even ground on first down count, the Chicago Bears

shot Washington's Redskins so full

of holes that the dust-biting ones

didn't know whether they were

playing football or polishing off a

rousing game of button-button

It seems a shame to let Big

Spring's baseball park go to pot

what's wrong with another stab at baseball in 1941."

ROUNDUP

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Say

there wasn't another player rebel-

papers) in the majors last season

was there?... All right, we're only

asking....When Tommy Harmon turned pro, he didn't fool around

about it-picked up \$3,200 in radio

broadcasts, personal appearances

n last two weeks The boys and

esterday saw what probably wil

urn out to be the finest old fend

Before Al Sharp, the Atlanta

ports writer, hired that lip read-

er to tell him what was going on in the baseball huddles, he gave

the guy a work-out... Al backed off 20 paces and called him a so-

nd-so....When the guy started to

charge him, Al knew he had the

should Judge Landis resign?.... Every picture we saw of him at

the Atlanta meeting indicated hir

honor was having himself a fine

wielding a big 'drum' stick at the

girls at the Washington m

n all football history.

Resign. Why?

Why not floor it and make it

who has the button.

SPORTS

world's professional football title

The Wolves, being newed

the cage roundelays.

with eight out even,

acrial blitzkrieg.

Over

The snow, some experts claim, Last year, in March, the first is better at Taos and La Maders intercollegiate ski contest in south- the year 'round than at many western history was held in the places that are considered part of Arizona "sun bowl" at San Fran- the northern United States "snow

The ski tow at La Madera is mile long and the racing trail It brought together teams from drops from 11,000 feet altitude, at "rim," from two miles downward

LESSONS IN MERCY—Capt. Howard C. Jones checks items in a cold-weather rescue unit, one of several used at the army's medical field service school at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., to teach the care of soldiers wounded in battle.

Thrills Mark Year On Southwest Grids

DALLAS, Dec. 9 (F) - Football Mrs. Thomas Stephens, Theo Sul fever in the Southwest, scorching canter that quieted Oklahoma in proved construction of a new own- livan, Mrs. James Wilcox, Opal through one of the most dramatic the Dallas thriller, 19-16. seasons in all history, switched 5. Bill (Jitterbug) Henderson's Loyce Gwathmey, Mrs. Robert
M. Parks, Lois Carden, Ladonis
Cook, Mildred Creath, Mrs. O. C.
day with the Texas Aggles still on walloped Rice, 25-0. Hart, Arthur Hawk, Judith Pickle, center stage.

Lowell Dean Bennett, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. R. C. Anderson. Myrtalle Antilley, Mrs. R. L. Barber, Office Ann Hale, Jack Holliday. Cleo S. Mundt, Mrs. Cecil Penick Fordham university in a clash be-Mrs. H. H. Rutherford, Billie tween two of the nation's top rank- catch over his shoulder of the 33-Suggs, Letha Amerson, Amends ing, once beaten teams.

Neal, Joe Edward Davis, Mrs. Joe On Saturday the Methodists

Helene Irene Reese, Mrs. Mabel traded their skill for an extra Evans, Mrs. Sharp, Mrs. Charler serving of luck and whipped Rice Deats, Mrs. Walter Jayes, Mrs. J. Institute, 7-6. It made no differ-M. Morgan, Mrs. W. D. Willbanks ence that Rice made 16 first Rev. Duffey, Mrs. Earl Corder, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Carrie downs to their six; gained 341 yards to 173. They missed their Scholz, Jack Wallace, James Edwards, Mrs. Robert Currie, Dr. M. scoring chances; S. M. U. cashed H. Bennett, Mrs. Gail L. Seale, Mr its only one and Joe Pasqua and Mrs. T. W. Ashley, Mary Mathis, Mrs. J. C. Thomas, Mrs. O. kicked the all-important point. Out of the season that finished with the dramatic uppet of the Mrs. Fred Winn, Mrs. Ray Wil-Aggies by 13 Texas iron men, came cox, B. F. Airhart, W. C. Hadley,

enough thrillers to bulge a dame novel from cover to cover. To 1. Fullback Preston Johnston' 92-yard gallop against Auburn that

gave Southern Methodist 20-13 triumph. Terry, auctioneer-extraordinary when the American Business club

ing the season's longest punt-82 yards against Pitt's Panthers. 3. Stout Jack Wilson, Baylor's injured wheelhorse, running a tight Funds will be used for welfare against Rice—and 26 kicks of a work during Christmas season muddled ball in driving rain against S. M. U. for an average of E. J. Brooks.

4. Cowboy Jack Crain's 68-yard

J. A. Clevenger of Rocky Ford Colo., made two trips, a year apart, from Rocky Ford to Milan, Mo. He drove different cars on each trip but in each case the

4 Wild Bill Constser's magnifi-

7. Finally—the piece de resis-tance. Noble Doss's incredible

On New Year's Day the Aggie cent 66-yard kick that ren out those ow plays the little weterans—ten seniors and a junior bounds on the one yard line, emiss supposed to have given the 10:15 will carry the torch for the abled the Aggies to go on and lick Engles must have included the 10:30 complete works of Shakespeare 10:45 On New Year's Day the Aggie cent 66-yard kick that fell out of those 50 plays Coach Frank Leahy

> Time marches on-11:05 Dr. Amos R. Wood yard pass by Pete Layden that gave 1940 brought—two Thankagivings 11:05 the nation its greatest shock of the ... The third term....The fifth 11:30 1940 brought-two Thanksgivings year the defeat of the Aggles, 7-8. down.

Sports

The Big Spring Daily Herald

football and basketball wars, will Big Spring, Texas, Monday, Dec. 9, 1940 PAGE FOUR



of a 232-pound mule or black tail buck. Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel is admiring the huge buck, which was a gift to him. The deer was shot in the Davis mountains and had eleven points on its massive antiers. The picture was taken on the extensive laws of the governor's mansion at Austin and the huge state capitol building is in the background.

Arithmetic Favors Sandies, Jeff Davis Golden Glove By The Associated Press If the "figgers" can be relied on Christi, won over San Jacinto Meeting Hour

for comparison of strength, Amar-illo and Jeff Davis (Houston) will win in this week's quarter-final In a roundabout way, Paris can games of the Texas schoolboy football race, but there's little to go sonic Home (Fort Worth), the tion (hushed up before it hit the by in the other two.

Amarillo plays El Paso High, a team that defeated Austin (El Paso) 7-0 but which the Sandies heat 20-9 at El Paso.

to (Houston) 50-0 and the Hous-

RADIO LOG

U. of Texas Program 5:30 Lowry Kohler, Songa. 5:45 Los Trobodores, Fulton Lewis, Jr. 6:15 Off the Record. Sports Spotlight. To Be Announced

7:30 To Be Announced. 7:45 Song Spinners. We're asking you why on earth g.go Billy Davis. Songs 8:15 Geneva Davis, Songs 8:30 George Underwood Orch. 8:45 Off the Record. Raymond Gram Swing 9:15 News: Lew Diamond Orch. Lone Ranger. 9:30 banquet board....In another, he 10:00 News.

Backstage Wife.

Our Gal Sunday

Musical Interlude.

Tuesday Afternoon

1:00 Cedrie Foster. 1:15 John Duffy, Piano-Organ. 1:30 School of the Air.

Old Fashioned Girl.

Radio Gessip Club.

3:45 The Johnson Family,

Crime and Death.

4:30 Office of U. S. Gov't Re-

Paul Pendarvia Orch.

Fulton Lewis, Jr. To Be Announced.

Sports Spotlight.

Off the Record.

Morton Gould Orch.

Raymond Gram Swing.
To Be Announced.
Valley Church.
ACC Program.

Mystery Hall.

Sunset Reveries. Supper Dance Melodies.

American Family Robinson. Tuesday Evening

Ned Jordan, Secret Agent

College Life.

Manny Landers Orch.

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12:15 Curbstone Reporter.

2:36 Vaughn's Dough-Boys.

Jack Free Orch.

1:45 Sterling Young Orch.

2:00 Palmer House Orch,

3:15 Sidewalk Cafe.

Sung.

was entirely surrounded by easy- 10:15 Goodnight. to-look-at blondes. . . . The judge is Tuesday Morning going strong and right now prob-7:00 Bing Crosby, Songs. ably is humming this slightly re-vised Gilbert and Sullivan ditty: 7:30 Star Reporter. Morning Devotions.

9:15

12:45

4:00

9:15

Though my honors you begrudge News. Yet I'll never, never budge, Plane Moods 8:05 Public: And a good judge, too! Musical Impressions 8:30 Keep Fit To Music. Today's guest star-What's Doing in Big Spring Organ Melodies. Morning Melodies. 9:00

Tom Sweeny, Worcester (Mass.) Gazette: "The more we ponder the Boston College-Holy Cross game, the more we are convinced that and Eugene O'Neill."

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team the Wildcats play at Fort Worth Saturday.

Falls 6-0 and Wichita Falls won meeting of prospective Golden over Gainesville by the same score. Paris Beat Gainesville 21-0.

As far as Longview and Tem-ple are concerned, there is nothing you can dig up to shed any light on the situation so far as comparative sceres go.

Longview and Temple look like schedules may come up for distoss-up with Longview carrying cussion. any possible edge by virtue of a better season's record and because has the state's outstanding back sign up for Golden Gloves compehus far in big Don Fambrough. Temple has a heavy team that's bouts in four and one-half years just now hitting its stride. It ro- of ring jousts.

moved an undefeated, untied eleven last week in Stephenville, coming back couragenosity to tie the score and win on penetrations. Masonic Home also has a tough afternoon ahead against Paris. But

that will be nothing new. The Masons went through the fight of their lives to win the district title and there was nothing easy for and there was nothing easy for them in having to come from be-hind last week to tie Sunset at hind last week to tie Sunset at Dallas and win on penetrations.

Masonic Home-won 10, lost 0, hit for two scores. tied 0, 150 to 13. Temple-won 6, lost 4, 117 to 64.

Jeff Davis won 9, lost 0, tied 1, Dec. 9, 1915 — Germans stretch of French trenches in hand

Jeff Davis leaped to the forefront last week by beating the state's high-scoring team, Port Arthur, 13-0.

The Panthers remain as the only nscored on team in the state Sites and dates for all quarterfinal games have all been arrang

ed. The schedule El Paso High at Amarillo, Sat rday, 2:30 p. m. Paris vs. Masonic Heme at Fort Worth, Saturday, 2 p. m. Longview at Temple, Friday, 2

Corpus Christi vs Jeff Davis at

Houston, Saturday, 2 p. m.

Bowl Tickets Sold

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 9 (P) No use writing in for tickets to the Nebraska-Stanford Rose Bowl fotball game. They're all gone.

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Bears Break All Records To Take Title

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 UPI-Chi cago's powerful Bears today rule the football roost, thanks to a record-breaking 73-to-0 rout of the Washington Redskins in the annual playoff for the National league title.

The big Bears, opening up with touchdown in the first 59 seconds of the game, proceded to pour it on with a vengeance as 35,034 spec-tators, who paid more than \$100,-500, looked on in amazement yesterday under a warm Decemi

The Redskins found themselves in the position of playing the first few seconds for fun and the rest of the afternoon in a vain effor to get back in the game.

They started the game relying on a five-man line to stop the tricky Chicago offense and they were so dazed by the touchdown ouring through that they never did switch and when the eleventi touchdown was scored the forward wall was still five men.

Early in the first half the play off mark of 30 points, made by the New York Giants against the Bears in 1934, was tossed into the discard and an all-time figure of 64 points compiled by Philadelphia against Cincinnati was wiped out later. Not content, the lusty Bears lambasted other records.

Even the record for lost footballs was broken. When they are kicked into the stands in pro football they do not come back and after the Bears had scored nine times, 11 footballs had been removed from circulation. Only a ozen balls were on hand, so after the two final counters, the Bears tried passes for the extra points getting a 50-50 break in this de partment.

Another record exceeded was n the financial side. The cash istomers' outlay of a net \$102,280 contributed to a players' pool of \$54,562.80, providing \$873.99 for each winning player, and \$626.25 for each loser.

In a roundabout way, Paris can Change Made

In order to avoid a conflict with Big Spring's basketball engage-The Masons downed Wichita quintet tonight at 7:30, time for a Gloves contenders has been advanced from 7 to 6:30 p. m.

Purpose of the meeting is to get R. F. Stinnett and Malcolm Bridges, probable trainers of the amateur boxers, acquainted with pre-tournament details. Training

Brady Piper, 158-pound ex-soldier, is the most experienced battler to tition thus far. He has had twenty

7 to 7 deadlock here Sunday after-As the teams square off for the noon. An estimated crowd of 200 or quarter-finals here's how their 300 turned out for the field show. Jay Floyd of Midland, riding in Amarillo—won 11, lest 0, scor-ing 316 points to 35 for the oppo-honors with a total of five strikes. Lyn Parkinson, Lamesa, chalked El Paso High—won 7, lost 2, tied, up four counts, while Elmo Smith added three markers for the visitors. Dr. M. H. Bennett, Big Spring,

Temple—won 6, lost 4, 117 to 64. Longview—won 10, lost 1, 211 to By the Associated Press

Dec. 9, 1915 - Germans take Corpus Christi-won 11, lost 0, to-hand fighting at Butte de







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Rainbow Inn Operator Set A Record Picked Location Here After Careful Study

out of Dalins, I kept my eyes open for a good place to put in a permanent business of my own," Moreheud explained. "Atter looking over all towns in my ares, from Dallis to El Faso and between the Ohlahema line

Auto Accessories Listed As Ideal Christmas Gifts

ty problem at Christmas time, but satisfy him. Chevrolet dealers are now showing a special display of years of experience cooking for emphasis the government is plac-new 1941 accessories that offer a score of solutions to the Christmas gift problem

The average motorist, regardless of the age of his car, takes pride in its appearance, comfort, and On Strawberries safety features. Likewise, most motorists prefer to personalize latest "inside dope" on strawber-their own cars with accessories ries comes from Louisiana where tailored exclusively for them. This state experiment station workers year. Chevrolet's range of acces- found that a little soil left on a the 1941 car and yet harmonizing in increased berry yields.
with other models, is the broadest Horticulturist W. F. Wilson, Jr. the national sales leader has ever reported that plants set in this ing handicaps to industrial devel

Listed under four groupingsies, from grille guard to trunk guard, are modern to the minute, and are priced within the average budget for Christmas gift items.

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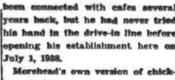
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Seal Sale May

muni Christmas Seal sale spen red by the national and state years back, but he had never tried ords are likely to be set this year, tording to H. A. Wroe, veteral Tuberculosia

First reports from national hea Inn's specialty. Served sizzling hot and couched in shoestring fried potatoes, Morehead states that high, and early reports from coun-number one dish has brought him thes scattered over Texas reflect the same trend in the Lone Star

in any the amount of the Christmas Seal orm.

Sale in its fight against tuberculo Rainbow Inn is one of the few sis," Wroe stated, "and each year West Texas drive-ins that has a the death rate from this disea omplete soda fountain service in has shown an encouraging drop a drop which meant last year that Morehead caters mainly to Big more than 250 persons escaped pring people, preparing orders for death in Texas from the white

Authorities in Texas and in nths from May through Decem-battle against tuberculosis and the onstant drive to curb its spread J. B. Dean, with about 15 or 18 to make long strides in 1941. The tional and preventive program will ontinue to carry on with an expanded program, state headquar

East Texas Push Water Survey

LONGVIEW, Dec. 9 .- Attacking directly one of the greatest exist opment in the East Texas region the East Texas chamber of con safety, appearance, pleasure, and en clean of soil yield only 202 merce industrial research commit-protection—the Chevrolet accessor-crates. tee, today was making plans to obtain by private subscription in the region \$5,000 with which to enable the state board of water engineers to match a similar allocation from the U. S. geological survey, and preck of a fire truck in nearby to J. A. McGill, of Paris, chairman to stop lowed a meeting of the committee last week in Tyler, with representatives of large industrial concerns at which the necessity for assembling accurate information as to water resources of the region was Move To Abilene stressed as one of the most vital steps in industrial promotion.

water of good quality, low in min-eral content and at low temperatures, and they are unwilling to consider localities which do not have accurate information on water supply, not only at present but for the future, when they locate committee. Included among the speakers were Dr. George H. Anderson, industrial director Texas Power & Light Co., who has recently been on a contact trip visiting the DuPont and other large eastern industrial concerns; Julius D. Madaras, of the Madaras French Island Steel corporation of Texas; Dr.

JUNEAU HAS MISS JUNEAU JUNEAU, Alaska. (UP) - This utheastern Alaska city has a athing beauty connotation. She Mary Jean Juneau of Aurora, L, whose grandfather helped ound Juneau in 1880.

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I. L. Brooks Is Newcomer To the disease, and the generous fi-Business Here

Newcomer to Big Spring business circle is J. L. Brooks, Jr. Big Spring, Texas, Monday, Dec. 9, 1940 who has purchased the Standard Auto Parts store at 209 East Third

Coming to Big Spring two weeks ago from Seagraves, Brooks assumed ownership and operation of the store from C. E. Hamilton. He has been in the parts business for the past five years, and was manager of the Southern Auto Parts store in Sengraves for two and a

half years. The store handles an extensive

and such items as anti-freeze, auto enamel, and auto accessories. Marshall Hamilton is employed by Brooks to aid in operation of the business.

Connally Pledges Support Of Army

MARLIN, Dec. 9 (AP) - A pledge to support a war department order

protested the order after its issu-ance, but later Congressman Mike
Monroney of Oklahoma said he

Monroney of Oklahoma said h the future, when they locate story of Okianoma said ne plants, several experts told had been advised the war depart-committee. Included a more ment intended to maintain a gar-custodians. Principal interest will dition, even during day, if needed ment intended to maintain a gar-rison of "an average strength of 24,000 men" at Fort Sill despite the

President Visits

Steel corporation of Texas; Dr.

Charles Carpenter, of Southland
Paper Mills, Lufkin; C. S. Clark, of the Texas Board of Water Engindent Roosevelt was off on another eers; and W. N. White, of the U. S. Geological Survey.

See For Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the high school gym. Other class meetings will be held at 7 pp. m. each evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will end to a restaurant the high school. The class will entire the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school. The class will entire the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening are evening in room 108 at the high school are evening in room 1 late Sunday off the French island of Martinique, potential trouble ment, to give instruction in health, "Is

Lying hove to in full view of the

Bombs Damage Radio Offices

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (A)-Lonion offices of both the National Broadcasting company and the Co-

nit, told in a trans-Atlantic broad Nelson went on a tour

Hungarians And Yugoslavia Talk

BUDAPEST, Dec. 9 (P)-Hungarian Foreign Minister Count Istvan Casky will leave for Belgrade tomorrow night to negotiate a friendship pact with Yugoslavia, informed quarters announced to-

The meeting apparently has the blessing of both Rome and Ber-lin. The agreement will be pure-ly political, informants said, witht any military ties.

Unwelcome Guest Never Takes Hint

ENTERPRISE, Ore., Dec. 8 (F) The Forest Wilsons have hinted for a week that their guest should

They've made his room as cold as possible by leaving an outside door open, and they haven't brought any food out of the base

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Motorists Urged To Take Extra Precautions For Winter Driving

"Old Man Winter," Col. Garrison

declared. He named "O. M. W." as

current Public Enemy No. 1, citing

the 35 to 45 per cent increase of accidents in northern states dur-

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"No," he replied, "I've got a le

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AUSTIN, Dec. 9-With the state Garrison, state" police director to and national death toll for 1940 day warned motorists to be preapparently increasing, and because pared for safer winter driving. De-"pile-up accident," a develop severe December storms and more dangerous driving conditions recember, which usually combines has been analyzed by the

Custodians' Course Will Start Tonight

will begin tonight at Big Spring "National Large industries, particularly to support a war department order the chemical and allied concerns, transferring the 45th division from high school, under sponsorship of tests on Lake Cadillac, Michigan, require enormous quantities of the Sonster Tom Connally (D. A. and M. college. traction and obscured vision are

Instructors for the class were in the primary dangers," he said Several Oklahoma congresamen Big Spring today making final ar

> invited to attend the free course ing other cars." A special meeting for classroom teachers, in which heating, light ing, ventilation, personal health and sanitation will be discussed it set for Tuesday night at 7 o'clock Right Anyway

As usual, his next destination ing conditions, and other problems "No," he replied, "I've got a more in my basket here. Instructors for the course are

Lying hove to in full view of the French aircraft carrier Bearn at Fort De France, the cruiser Tus-caloosa, on which the president is traveling, was the scene of an hour's conference between Mr Roosevelt, U. S. Consul Brocker and Naval Captain Ernest J. Blankenship, American observer on the island.

Instructors for the course are Arnold E. Wittmann, registered engineer and architect with 23 nETHEBLANDS SUB SUNE.

LONDON, Dec. 9 (IP)—The loss of a submarine of the Netherlands are constantly in war operations" was announced officially here today. M. Blackman school sourced aurerin. Sine didn't make a purchase. A. M. Blackman, school superin ating with the British tendent with 28 years experience who will teach public relations health and other subjects.

Hitch-Hikers In Hurr,

PORTALES, N. M. (UP) - Two lumbia Broadcasting company and the Co-lumbia Broadcasting company were damaged by bombs in Ger-man raids on the British capital last night.

Larry Lesueur, CBS correspond-Nelson went on a tour which Eastern New Mexico College stuent, told in a trans-Atlantic broad-cast today of finding his London office "in ruins" when he returned to it this morning.

It was the second time since the aerial warfare against Britain started that Columbia's office had been wrecked by bombs, he said.

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The Big Spring Daily Herald

Local Laws

Editorial

Matters of real importance will present themsolves to the Texas Legislature when it assembles next January, and if they be given the attention they deserve there will be no time for playing dities nor for passage of local bills such as have cluttered the calendar of the two houses for several pant sessions.

Legislators who take an oath to perform their duties, "agreeable to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this state," cannot enact a local law that has not been introduced in the manner provided by the constitution, without violating that oath. Yet some of them have been doing just that enough of them to make a lot of these local laws have the effect of real laws until they get to the courts.

The constitution provides that "The Legislature shall not except as otherwise provided in this constitution, pass any local or special law . . . and in all other cases where a general law can

NE. YORK

Some legislators may been laying the flattering luction to their souls that the "census brack-et" laws escaped this constitutional demand, but

The incoming legislature will raise itself in the estimation of the people-if it will refuse to consider, much less enact a law that does not

Washington Daybook -

WASHINGTON-It isn't always true that even the noisest congressional observers can smell a new law coming. The distance from the point where new legislation is introduced to the point whether it is written on the statute books is no straight line and even if it were, it would be too great for mortal eyesight.

But when bills directed at a single subject begin to drop into the hopper like ticker-tape on New York hero and when speeches on the particular subject begin to sizzle into white heat. you can be pretty sure that congress is blowing a note you are going to keep hearing.

That is just what has been happening in the house of representatives, and the subject has been: Putting a stop to labor strikes in defense

Rep. Howard W. Smith, conservative Virzinia democrat, chairman of the committee to investigate the National Labor Relations Board. and author of the NLRB amendments which passed the house two-to-one, is also the author of one of the new bills designed to eliminate strikes in defense industry.

Mr. Smith was one of the mildest to take the floor in the present round of denunciation, but speaking of recent strikes in the aluminum and airplane industries, he did get worked up enough to ask the house "Now, does it strike you as significant that this little handful of radical 'reds' in these various key matters have been able to absolutely stop the production of necessary and essential materials in two of the most important things this country has to deal with?

And he drew a generous round of applause when he concluded with "I just urge the congress again to wake up and get out of the class of Rip Van Winkle and let us do something

OTHERS SPEAK OUT

Judge Hatton W. Sumners, chairman of the the judiciary committee, to which the Smith bill be made applicable no local or special law shall be enacted. No local or special law shall be passed unless notice of the intention to apply therefor shall have been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected may be situated, which notice shall state the substance of the contemplated law and shall be published at least thirty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of such bill . . . The evidence of such notice having been published shall be exhibited in the legislature before such act shall be passed."

it was a subterfuge on the face of it.

come before that body constitutionally.

By Jack Stinnett

will go for report to the house, is about as quiettempered and dignified as representatives come, but he startler his colleagues by declaring angrily that the country is afflicted with "a bunch of cutthroats" who are doing "a dastardly thing" and "preaching force" and that they "ought to be given a double dose of their own medicine."

John Costello, whose balliwick is Hollywood, suggested that the business looked to him like 'an organized program-possibly a plot." Eugene Cox, of Georgia, shouted "sabotage" and "treason able conduct" and Robert F. Rich, of Pennsylvania, suggested a cure in "concentration camps.

Clare E. Hoffman, Allegan, Mich., republican, wanted to know: "Is one of the objectives aid and comfort to Hitler by the slowing up of our industries?"

What brought all this to a head was the since-settled strike in the airplane factory in California concerning which Jerry Voorhis, Los Angeles representative, said the laborers were justified in demanding higher wages. Voorhis said, however, that he did believe the California strike had been unnecessarily prolonged.

STILL SMOLDERING

That's the battle to date and the controversy still is smoldering. What will come of the proposed legislation nobody at this date could even guess. Unless some greater emergency arises, it won't come up until after the new congress convenes in January.

The Smith bill provides a maximum life imprisonment penalty for sabotage and forbids the closed shop in defense industries. On the strike situation, its keynote is "mediation," with a preliminary "cooling-off period" of 30 days. The chief weapon of enforcement in this phase of the bill would be public opinion, with, in the event of no settlement through mediation or arbitration, the president's issuing a statement, proclaiming the offending party.

By George Tucker

NEW YORK-So many odd and irresponsible utterances are made about people in public and professional life these days, especially about authors and actors around Broadway, that when something really gracious or constructive is said you have to sit up and take notice.

Man About Manhattan -

I have in mind one instance where a wellknown dramatist publicly denounced the newspaper critics as incompetent and degenerate.

I have in mind another where a dramatist announced that he, and he alone, of all the playwrights associated with the theatre, possessed the skill and ability to write a perfect play.

I recall public face-slappings between authors who flatly accused each other of plagiarism, and I have seen hair-pullings between prominent women who shouted epithets that the newspapers could not print.

So, when you find anyone who goes out of his way to say a lovely and a gracious thing about one of his contemporaries these days I find it exhilirating and worth repeating; more than that, in this instance at least, it is worth framing and hanging on the wall.

I am referring to a passage in Louis Nizer's recent book, "Thinking on Your Feet," about Fannie Hurst. Mr. Nizer is a lawyer and a successful one. His clients are chiefly stars and Hollywood producers. He knows a lot of people, and has written about them. Of Fannie Hurst he

"I like to think of Miss Hurst not as a fine writer who happens to be a woman, but rather as a fine woman with a sense of social righteousness, whose art of expression encompasses writ-

That says everything. After rereading it a couple of times, I found myself thinking. "I wish I had said that first."

If I were one of Miss Hurst's publishers I think I should frame that on a piece of parchment and hang it where everyone could see.

Much was made recently of the army maneuvers which saw troops using broomsticks for machine guns and packing cases for tanks.

Well, that makes Frank Morgan, or Monty laughing everytime they think about it. That's the accepted routine on Broadway. Actors never have anything to rehearse with, except empty theatres or draughty halls. In this case a hat thrown on the floor may become a fireplace, a cigaret case a picture, an upturned chair a safe. In dinner scenes the actors dine on make believe dishes, and in murder mysteries villians shoot each other with imaginary pistols. They never see live props until a few days before the open-

But, even the actors admit there's a difference between play-acting for fun and fighting for

Who Killed Aunt Maggie?-The Heriald's Berial Story ____

see in the night.

This was, no doubt, responsible for the sold draft which had wn across me is my dream feeling that the secret of the hid-

The rain had stopped in the night, but the sky was leaden, as though a downpour might begin at any moment. On the way downstairs I remembered the matches I had lost the night before somewhere near the landing. They were easy enough to find this morning but, except for the fact that I had automatically looked for them along the way. I looked for them along the way, I should have passed unnoticed a small scrap of rose-colored taffeta which evidently had been snagged off by a nail projecting from one of the rounds supporting the stair rail. Of course, the nail should not have been there in the first place, and it was easy to see that had been used in a crude atempt to repair a split in one of

delicate rounds. "Some of Thomas's work." I told nyself, with a mental note to have he repair looked after properly. Thomas had been my grandnother's gardener and general handy man for many years, and as she had grown older he had grown a bit slovenly. He and Lindy, his wife, had lived in the ervants' quarters back of the ouse until a month or so ago. when they had moved to a tenant louse about a quarter of a mile

It occurred to me now that I might question Thomas along with Bessie and Andrew about the seret room.

Thinking of all this, I picked ip the small piece of silk as any I noticed that ousewife would. tiny feathers or down clung to the cloth and wondered idly where uch a scrap could have come from. Then I remembered that Mice had been wearing a rose uilted robe the night before. Alice had said she wen mly to the head of the stairs I stuffed the matches and the

bit of silk into a pocket of my red cardigan and hurried on to the lining room. Bill, usually almos

bon beight and chearded in the sistence I forced down touch and into gorillas or to have micrors "That's the trouble. I can't remornings, now jocked like double coffee. At the same time I related rise up and sook you on the head," member. It was all a mixed-up warmed even. The knot on his to him the reason for my telp Beesle padded in, bringing fresh jumble, something about hands and

head had gone down, but the distribution of the morning.

Notody else appeared to be up and Bill axplained that Andrew sheet over Aunt Maggie had been had set out on foot for Roswell, disturbed. I had purposely emitted to spread the alarm," and also to try to stir up an electrician and a wrecker for the ears.

"Of course, it's Sunday, and This ghoulish detail now teep to the distribution of the small house of the small house of the small house of the wall all by theirself down off the wall all by theirself on this here house. Miss Bally, "I don't think they bothered we gotn' back to town today, ain't try to stir up an electrician and a wrecker for the ears.

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SERIAL

YOU HEAR ME?

THROW AWAY

CIGARETTE!

THAT

feeling that the secret of the hidden room might be somewhere right under my nose. After all, this was the room in which the warning message had been left.

But a hurried survey revealed to survey reveal

could have negotiated that mud."

"A car that turned around and gone to visit her sick aunt." went back? I get you," said Bill,
"but why?"

Like all his people, whatever
their usual disregard of the broad

"Look here," said Bill sudden-

"All of them are more or less go?" crazy, according to what you've always seemed to think," I answered, with a feeble attempt at Saily. Yes'm, she went day before

to hide the afflicted one away."

course, Grandmother did die rather Hall?" suddenly. There wasn't any chance Sally?" for her to tell anybody anything. sible explanation," Bill said.

Cryptic Paper "Speaking of crazy relatives," I said slowly, "that makes me won-your grap'ma say somethin' 'bout der.... There was some sort of one." fingle set aside in Aunt Maggie's

papers when I came out here yesterday. When I didn't see it last night. I thought she had put it away. Do you suppose-" "The clue, you mean?" Bill, his face brightening.

By Medora Field

But a hurried survey revealed no clue. Later, I would make a telephone."

"Tm glad it is Sunday," I said. "Maybe, we can get everything new I could not hurry fast enough with my bathing and dressing, so anxiously was I for the comforts of Bill's nearness, his reassurance that daylight meant a straightening out of at least some of our difficulties.

The rain had stopped in the notice of the separation of Bill's nearness, as the rest of the separation of Bill's nearness, his reassurance in gout of at least some of our difficulties.

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Bill remained firm in her conviction. "Somethin' evil in this bath," and I want a shave and a demitted. "God knows there must be some reason back of it all. But why on earth didn't you let me go on this little research expedition?"

"Of course, there's the reasourance was reversed to the kitchen.

Bill w

flat tires. And both Andrew and I tried to start the station wagon this morning. Anyway, no car could have negotiated that mud."

I come to see if I could help Andrew and Bessie some, seein' as how Lindy couldn't come. Andrew come over to my house Friedrem to the come over to my house Friedrem and Bessie some, seein' as how Lindy couldn't come. "Perhaps it was a car from the help, but she ain't home. She

"You tell me why," I suggested. "a," Thomas pronounced it a'h'nt. "Yes'm, her a'h'nt is sick.

ly, "did you have any crazy rela-said absently. "When did Lindy "I hope she isn't very sick," I

"No, I mean would any of them be likely to be shut up here in this so-called secret room? You know how people sometimes are after Andrew's visit and that about admitting such things. Try to hide the afflicted one away."

"Well, I never heard of any-thing of the sort," I said, "Of heard of a secret room at Wisteria "Thomas," I said, "have you ever "Have I ever heard of what, Miss

for her to tell anybody anything to tell."

A secret room, 1 reposition with the first time. "Think, stood me the first time. "Think, Thomas."

"I don't rightly remember, Miss Sally. Seems as how I did hear

To be continued.

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WHY, IT'S MAYOR

DOAKS!

By Robbin Coons ling at the finish-and you and I know they won't

HOLLYWOOD-Don't lose any sleep over it, but some of our favorite screen characters I ven't a chance for draft exemption even if they As sturdy screen heroes, they naturally

Hollywood Sights And Sounds

ouldn't want exemption. But draft or no draft, you'd think they might like to get married-and they can't do it. They aren't allowed to think of It seriously, although they have their tender moments in every picture and some are permitted to go so fas as to plan on matrimony. You know these perennial celibates-hard-

working young Dr. Kildare, the Saint, Hopalong Cassidy are the foremost. We might include Andy Hardy, although Andy's years exclude him as a real matrimonial problem for the present. Its the writers who don't let them get mar-

ried. The writers want to keep on writing about them, and well, you know how marriage is. Look illidog Drummond, who was doing all right until the time he took the fatal step. They called the movie "Bulldog Drummond's Wedding," and It was his last.

The Saint has a new girl in every picture. The sleuthing rascal never lets himself become too attached. Might spoil his foot-loose freedom. Dr. Kildare almost wound himself up with his

get around to it in the next installment. Harry Sherman, the Hopalong producer, has a letter from an exhibitor in a midwest town who

tells about two Cassidy fans, both women. They drive to the theatre in a limousine and tell the chauffeur to wait. "Does Hoppy get mar-

ried this time?" they ask the cashier. Reassured that he doesn't, they motion the shauffeur on, buy their tickets, and go inside.

Tim Holt, Jack's sprout, is a western star himself now. He was doing a tough scene for "Along the Rio Grande"-a scene that needed some acting. He acquitted himself well in the eyes of an extra on the sidelines.

"That kid can act rings around his old man already," the extra commented. He's going places.

The man behind him smiled. "You bet he can act rings around his old man," said Jack Holt. Henry Hull, who created Jeeter Lester in "Tobacco Road," wasn't the type for the movie. Charley Grapewin, because of his Grandpa in

"The Grapes of Wrath," is doing the role instead. "One nice thing about your FIRST picture," says Bob Crosby, Bing's brother, "is that people around the studio still mean it when they say 'Glad to meet you'." (But "Let's Make Music" already has put Bob on the list for another movie.)



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ANNAPOLIS, Md. (P)-A longcloset; private bath; porch; U. S. Naval Academy is going by close in bills paid. 710 E. 3rd, the boards.

This senson, for the first time women will be allowed to take part SIX-room house, newly refinished, women will be allowed to take part \$25 per month; 701 East 17th. in a play presented by the midship Phone 472 or see Ted Phillips. men's Masqueraders club. Heretofore, middles have played feminis

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brook, 90 acres in cultivation brook, 90 acres in cultivation balance grass. Well, mill. On pub-lic road, school bus line. Federal DENVER, Dec. 9 (P)-The sports atclaw Want rewritten at the National A. A. U. loan \$2104. Good rolling catclaw

sandy land. Price \$3200. Want caulty cash. Has small 3 room house and good lot but no barn. 160 acrea 5 miles southeast of Colorado, fine tract of land, good 5 room house, well, mill, lots, sheds, all in cultivation. On mail route and bus line fine red sandy land. Price \$35 an acre. \$1200 cash, balance casy. These include 9.4 seconds in the 160 acres 2 miles southwest of 100-yard dash by Clyde Jeffrey of Westbrook, good 4 room house, Stanford, 22.6 seconds in the 200 large chicken house. 80 acres in meter hurdles by Fred Wolcott of cultivation, balance grass, all Rice, 1:48.6 in the 800 meters by tillable, level tight sandy land. John Woodruff of Pittaburgh, 15 Price \$22.50 acre. Thousand cash, feet 1 1-8 inches in the pole vault balance easy.

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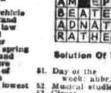
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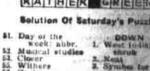
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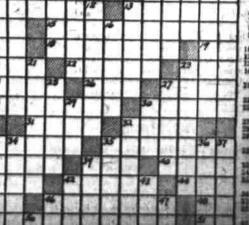
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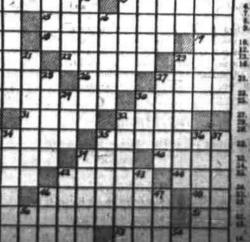
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YOUTH takes It



P. Rainey today rounded out his first year as president of the University of Texas by plugging away in his office as usual and receiving the congratulations of friends.

On Dec. 9, 1939, he was inaugu-rated with elaborate ceremonies in which educators from over the na-tion participated. He succeeded Dr. H. Y. Benedict, deceased.

A highspot of his administration came Saturday with the selection of Dr. J. Alton Burdine, professor of government, as vice president at a salary of \$10,000 a year

Autos Damaged In Wreck Here

Severe damage to automobiles resulted from a collision at 14th and Young streets here early Mon-

day morning.
Mrs. H. G. Bettes suffered mild case of shock but otherwise was unhurt as was Cecil Long, driver of the other car. Front of the Bettes machine was smashed and Long's car overturned. Mrs. Bettes was driving south and Young and Long was going west on 14th when the mishap occurred, according to police.

London Reports Raidless Day

LONDON, Dec. 9 (7) -An alarmless, raidless day for London stretched into the darkness to night, past the usual time for night raiders to approach, and gave the capital another respite after the severe hammering which last night chattered a 44-hour full.

Thus, for the second time since Friday, the German air lapsed into total mactivity-following the raids last night and early today in which German bombers concentrated their might on London, swelling its toll of casualties

Mrs. Willkie Invited ms: W. E. Buckner, 1210 To White House Fete

ath, had major surgery Sunday; WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (49) C. S. Baker of Garden City for edical care; E. W. Whatlington of Midland for treatment. wife of the defeated republican weeks ago; Mrs. J. E. Green, 710
Saturday night.
Wilkie will be the Gridiron din-

Willkie will be the Gridiron dinna after major surgery 12 days ner main speaker.

to attend because of his Caribbean

High Court Will Hear Music Cases

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (P)-The mile Mexican boundary. supreme court agreed today to re-radio-equipped autogyros will be view litigation involving one phase used to track down border-jump-Society of Composers, Authors and A growing network of radio Publishers (ASCAP) to control transmitters and observation towof the nation's popular music.

Nebraska anti-monopoly law which der. permitted public performance of music whenever the original purchase price had been paid.

McPHERSON RETURNED Deputy Sheriff A. J. Merrick, ac-

companied by Jess Slaughter, Jr., returned here Sunday evening from California with H. H. Mc-Pherson, who is under indictment for the alleged kidnaping of his



NCREASE_Production

Greek Celebrants Break Sidewalk

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (27) Greek officials here today had 25 American ambulances originally des-tined for British service—and 200 square feet of cracked sidewalk in front of the Greek cathedral here. front of the Greek cathedral here caused by the weight of a crowd which assembled yesterday to witness transfer of the ambulances from the British-American ambulances corps.

The pavement aank two feet and cut short presentation covered to the Greek and a couple were picked up for byestigation. At the Drobes

The pavement sank two feet and up for investigation. At the Dream-

Civilian Police For Navy Formed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (A)-The

sald present plans called for a it. In other words, it wasn't so force of approximately 2,500 men according to officers. to be selected from the civil service

Refugees From Orient Arrive

and harassments by Japanese air- youngsters had used chair cushions planes but most of them were puz- for pillows and window curtains zled by the U. S. government's act for covers in making an unanin ordering them home without ex- nounced appropriation of the room planation.

They declared they felt safe in the Orient.

Wealthy Leave German Ruhr

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (P)-A passenger who returned from France today on the American Exportimer today on the American Exportiner of commerce at 7:30 p. m. today. of commerce at 7:30 p. m. today. S. P. Gaskin, Sweetwater, area other industrial sections of Germany to southern France along the Riviera.

Georges Bally, associate profes-sor of French at Vanderbilt university, said the removal apparently followed upon the RAF's bomb-ing of industrial Germany.

Health Officer Is Reelected

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (P)-The state coard of health today unanimously celected Dr. George W. Cox as tate health officer for a term of wo years.

Dr. Cox, who formerly lived in and directing head of the state health department for approxinately four years.

His third term begins immediate

W. F. Whatlington of Midland SHIP IS ROBBED

STONE_Number stones in

which house numbers are in-

laved have appeared in Berlin, as being especially suitable for blackouts. The stone's of white

porcelain, has green numbers.

GETS MANGLED HAND

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 UP - The navy announced today creation of a civilian police corps to take over police duties in navy yards and establishments so that marine corps personnel may be released for military duties. Unfortunately, a little item, quoting an out-of-town man as saying that he had been relieved of his roll by a taxi driver and a woman, appeared to have reflected on the drivers. The story simply the duties was and sought to Unfortunately, a little item. tary duties. Acting Secretary James Forrestal show that police found nothing to

cutting, police found a Mexican by

the name of Gonzales at the foot

cers he had been tossed.

Here 'n' There

Things warmed up in the north

Three boys, who dwell at the Sand Springs community, were a bit too presumptious, and they spent one aight of the weekend in the city jail. Mrs. A. C. Bass, who operates a rooming and board SAN PEDRO, Calif., Dec. 9. (Ap) ing house at 605 Main, was awak-Six hundred and forty-niae evac-ened by sound of water being dash-uces from the Orient returned to American soil on the liner Mon-by laughter and noise from the supposedly unoccupied space. She Some told stories of bombings called police, who found the three

> Water consumption has dropped down to around 700,000 gallons daily now, taking some of the now, taking some strain off Powell Lake. It still has around 11 1-2 feet of water, enough to last for a couple of months at the present rate of depletion.

> Scout leaders will set their own goals in a meeting at the chamber charged to carry them out.

Main Street, from 11th to 18th, is getting another bit of topping this week. It is the scal coat cours which will give the street a com pleted status.

Man Charged In **Fatal Shooting**

BURNET, Dec. 9. (AP)-Charges of murder were filed today against Spencer Jamar of Richland Springs in connection with the fatal shooting Sunday night of Elton

Blumer was shot in the cafe where Mrs. Jamar was working.

MRS COOK RECOVERS

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (P)-Domei, Mrs. J. T. Cook of Ackerly was had his hand badly mangled Sun-day afternoon at Moss Creek lake broadcast today that Chinese po-major surgery at Cowper Clinic when he became entangled in a lice of the Nanking regime had eight days ago. Danoleen Daughnotorboat propeller. He was taken boarded the British steamer Hsin crty, 11, returned to her home at to Big Spring hospital for treat-Peking at Shanghai and selzed gold Sterling City after receiving medi-ment. Cal care at Cowper Clinic.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt sald today that Mrs. Wendell L. Willkie, Uncle Sam Eyes Mexican Line Dismissalst Mrs. H. T. Hale of candidate for president, had been invited to the White House for a Cristian club "widows' party" next

IIM, CLARK KENT

DEKTTY OF

AP Feature Service SAN ANTONIO-North of the border, down Mexico way, the U. vised the club he would be unable S. Border Patrol is readying for

emergency. Troublesome interna-tional conditions increase the burden of these hawk-eyed watchers, who are gaining in personnel and equipment. Soon the patrol will sprout wings for an aerial watch on the 2,000-

of the attempt by the American ing aliens and smugglers of aliens prices charged for public playing ers and an authorized increase of approximately 360 men, for a total The tribunal consented to pass of about 750, indicate how the wind on a decision holding invalid a is blowing along the southern bor-

Refugee Problem

The patrol eyes with precaution an influx of Europeans into Mexico. Should revolution come in the southern republic these refugees -and possibly others-would be on the move. Most aliens nabbed on the bor

der these days are Mexicans look ing for a job, but old hands don't forget how they swapped lead with raiders in the days of Pancho Villa. Aliens are being trapped more quickly-more of them in the act

of crossing the dividing line and fewer of them inland. Seacoast business is picking up too because

The patrolmen's job is a 24-hour vigil covering thousands of sun broiled, cactus-spiked miles They work in crews of twos and ter he has entered. than 300 are recorded in the El Paso area alone—and more than 39 patrolmen have failen in 15 years. Tough hombres are the smugglers of goods and aliens and those ,38 caliber pistols, army rifles, riot guns and sub-machine guns are not for decoration.

When roads run out in border thickets, the patrolman shucks his and mounts a horse or strikes out He might have to hide in bushes N

all night to observe a likely river

all night to observe a likely river' crossing. fighting rattlesnakes, ticks, mosquitoes and sand fleas.

Masquerades
The Rio Grande is a sinch to cross in many spots It's been done on a bicycle. Wash tube, boats and rafts are favored too. But wading and swimming are most popular. In patrol lings a suspect is a "wet."



Officers of Uncle Sam's border patrol question all strangers to see if they are aliens from Mexico who have crossed the boun cary lines. Allems cross by riding the rods, hiding in refrigerator cars and tender tool boxes, by hitchhiking, walking and wading and swimming the Rie Grande river.

Lots of aliens are nabbed when masqueraded as a woman and they wade out on the American worked in a cotton field. But the by bank but the accomplished officer trick backfired when wind bil automobile, horseback and on foot can track a wet by signs long af-lowed up his skirts, revealing his uniform. In their flight the sus-

threes, sometimes as many as 25. The patrolman knows few lim-pects practically fun duels are plentiful—more its in pressing his duties. One good cotton patch. WHEN LOIS ASHMED, MR. WATSON! WHAT PARMALE! YOU KEED IS DIS CIPLIN ELETTER FROM PARMALE! YOU KEED IS DIS CIPLIN ELETTER FROM PAPERS TODAY WHO CLAIMS EVERYONE WOOGES ON M. CLAIMS The patrolman knows few lim- pects practically mowed down





car snap alive as you give 'er the gas.

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ners of the San Diego metro-politan football title.

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HEAD AND HEART-If Patsy were her mother, Sylvia Golden, who writes children's verse, she'd probably do a rhyme about this headless doll. Instead, she turned her over, for repair and use in some needy N. Y. child's Christmas stocking

Livestock FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 CP1-(U. ceipts at most terminals S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle, salable and choice offerings scarce total 2,800; calves, samble 1,600, total 1,700; market slow; occasional sales about steady but most bids Relief At Last lower; good yearlings 9.00-10.00: Relief At Last short lond heifers 10.25, some steers

caws 4.25-6.25; canners and cutters 3.00-4.25; bulls 4.25-6.00; good and choice slaughter calves in light chitis is not treated and you cannot

year-old wethers out at 5.50 and aged wethers 4.00; feeder lambs ball helmet is the favorite spot of "Desperate Dexter," mascot of Coronado high school, win-7.00-50.

Switzerland Adopts Income, Capital Taxes

The federal government adopted special emergency capital and income taxes today for national deheater manager told police two fense-giving Switzerland its first bandits robbed him of \$148 just at tax on capital. midnight, between Sunday and 1, 1941, for four years. The law becomes effective Jan.

BERN, Switzerland, Dec. 9 (A)

The present normal income tax frequently reaches 12 per cent.

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NEW YORK STOCKS-Steady; selected is

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COTTON-Steady: smaller bueau estimate stimulates demand. SUGAR - Firmer: 1941 sugar quota below expectations. METALS - Quiet; steel opera

WOOL TOPS. Firm; Boston and

CHICAGO WHEAT-Unsettled; new crop

rospects bright. CORN-Unevent increased re CATTLE - Steady to 25 off;

HOGS 5-10 up; bread demand

held higher, plain and medium For Your Cough Chronic bronchitis may develop if

supply, few sales 7.25-8.25, common afford to take a chance with any mediand medium 5.00-7.00; culls down to 4.00; good stock steer calves which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ Hogs, salable 1.800, total 3.100: soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Greomulsion blends beechwood

market steady with Friday's averages; top 6.10; good and choice 190300 lbs. 6.00-10; good and choice 150-185 lbs. 5.25-95; butcher pigs 4.00-75; packing sows steady, 5.0025.

Sheep, salable and total 1,300; bidding steady to weak on good wooled fat fambs; other classes steady; good wooled iambs bid 8.50, fall shorn yearlings 6.50, with 2year-old wethers out at 5.50 and

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