

Last Chance For Barkers Plan Studied

BY FORREST EDWARDS
AND STAN CARTER
PANMUNJOM (U)—The top neutral officer in Korea indicated today that reluctant war prisoners—including the 22 Americans—may get one last chance to change their mind after the explanation period ends.

Meanwhile, hopes dwindled that Allied persuasion teams will meet the Americans before the deadline next Wednesday midnight.

Mason Service Set For Monday

Mrs. Helen Florence Mason, 73, resident of Big Spring for two score years, died in a hospital here Thursday afternoon.

Services will be held at 2 p. m. Monday at the East Fourth Baptist Church, where she was a long-time member, with the Rev. Maple Avery, officiating by the Rev. Carlos McLeod, officiating. Burial will be in the city cemetery beside the grave of her husband.

Mrs. Mason was born in Nashville, Tenn. on June 14, 1880 and came here with her husband, the late H. L. Mason, about 40 years ago.

Fines Levied In Narcotics Cases

Two persons have been fined as a result of the narcotics raids pulled Wednesday night by local officers and two state narcotics agents.

Charges against a third person are to be dismissed, County Attorney Hartman Hooser said this morning. Six persons were charged yesterday as a result of the raids and findings of an undercover agent who had worked here for approximately six weeks.

Opal B. Lamar and Jimmie Nichols each pleaded guilty in County Court to charges of unlawfully possessing amphetamine. Each was fined \$100 and court costs.

Hooser said charges of possessing a barbiturate, filed against Mrs. R. J. Huffman, will be dismissed. He said Mrs. Lamar told him that barbiturate capsules found in Mrs. Huffman's bedroom were her property.

J. O. Gomez, who was charged with possession of marijuana, second offense, was released from custody Thursday after posting \$5,000 bond. Sureties on Gomez's bond were David Gomez and F. S. Gomez.

No disposition has been made of cases against two other persons. Vernon Keen was charged with unlawfully delivering amphetamine and Margaret Huffstetter was charged with possession of the drug. Warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. Huffstetter who is believed to be in Odessa.

consideration of demands by pro-Communist South Korean prisoners which the Americans and one British prisoner say must be met before they will attend interviews.

Lt. Gen. K. S. Thimayya, Indian chairman of the repatriation commission, said in answer to written questions from newsmen that he might "take up at a later date" the possibility of screening all prisoners who have refused to return to their homelands.

At that time he suggested he would station an Indian officer in a hut, have all POWs remaining in neutral custody file through individually, and express their desire in one word—"repatriation" or "nonrepatriation."

Other Indian officers offered another simple plan: have the prisoners walk single file, a considerable distance from each other, down a narrow Y-shaped path. One arm would lead to repatriation, the other back to the Indian-guarded compound in the neutral zone.

A South Korean prisoner who fled from the pro-Communist compound Wednesday said four Americans and about 20 South Koreans might return home if given a chance. A total of 77 Koreans remain to be interviewed by the Allies.

Thimayya has estimated that as many as 2,500 Koreans and Chinese among about 20,000 Allied captives who have not been interviewed would choose repatriation.

With time running out on the stalemated explanations, the Allied command laid plans to reach the former U.N. soldiers in ways other than face-to-face meetings.

U.S. officers said possibilities included loudspeaker broadcasts of Christmas carols, holiday messages from friends and relatives and "come home" appeals from speakers set up outside prison compounds.

The Communists did this recently—with Indian approval—to anti-Red North Korean and Chinese POWs.

CHRISTMAS FUND IS BOOSTED BY PUPILS' SAVINGS

A group of young people have put their savings together to help the Freshmen's Christmas Cheer Fund.

The Freshman Guidance Group of Room 310, Junior High School, today sent \$4.05, to help repair toys as Christmas presents for needy children.

Firemen need some money to buy miscellaneous parts for toys they are repairing for the poor kids' Santa Claus. Those who wish to donate may make checks to CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND and send them to The Herald. Proper acknowledgment will be made.

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C. A. Gowne 2.00
Mrs. Ben Lovelace . . . 2.00
Jim Ellison 1.00
Previously acknowledged 9.25
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Plane Slated To Depart At 9 Tomorrow

Persons planning to go by the special (Braniff) plane to the football game in Port Neches Saturday have been urged to be at the municipal airport by 8:30 a. m.

Time of departure is 9 a. m. but several minutes will be needed to clear all passengers.

Time of arrival in Beaumont is down for 11:30 a. m. The passengers will eat after the plane is landed.

A DC-4 four-engine plane is to be used. All seats have been sold.

The plane is due to take off for Big Spring shortly after the end of the game, which will probably be around 4:30 p. m. It is due back here at 7:30 p. m.

Transportation to the game for passengers on the plane is to be supplied by Port Neches city officials. A bus will be used to transport the group from and to the airport. The airport is located about two miles from the football field.

Persons boarding the plane can gain entrance to Webb Air Base merely by identifying their mission. They can park their cars in an area across the road from the air terminal.

They are advised to lock their automobiles if they leave them, however.

Vagrant Cow Leads To Fatal Accident

ELK CITY, Okla. (U)—A cow strayed onto U.S. Highway 66 four miles east of here last night and two cars, swerving to avoid the animal, collided head on killing a California woman and critically injuring four other persons, including two children.

The cow, struck by one of the cars, also died at the scene. Its carcass was found 85 feet from the smashed autos.

French Balloting For President Is Stalemated

VERSAILLES, France (U)—Fellied again today to elect a President of the Republic in an unprecedented third round of voting.

None of the three candidates left in the contest got anywhere enough votes for election.

Premier Joseph Laniel, wealthy industrialist, wound up with 358, Socialist candidate Marcel-Edmond Naegelen 313, and Radical Socialist Yvon Delbos 225. Foreign Minister Georges Bidault withdrew just before the third round of voting began.

The joint session of Parliament cast 26 votes for a varied assortment of men who were not officially candidates. Thus the number of votes needed for election was 462.

A fourth ballot is required to try to break the deadlock. That will begin at about 2:30 p. m. EST.

Naegelen led with 299 of the 923 votes cast by members of the National Assembly and Senate in the second ballot last night. Laniel had 276, Delbos 185 and Bidault, of the Catholic-dominated Popular Republican Movement (MRP) 143.

A majority of the votes cast is required for election to the seven-year term to succeed President Vincent Auriol. Never before in French history have as many as three ballots been required. Each ballot is a four-hour affair, since each member must walk to the rostrum and drop his secret ballot into an urn.

The voting takes place in the old legislative chamber built in 1871 in the courtyard of the Palace of Versailles, ancient home of French kings.

Though the presidency is largely a ceremonial post with almost no power, the candidates' views and beliefs were playing a big part in the corridor politicking.

The Communists after the first ballot threw their support to Naegelen because he and the Socialists, like the Reds, oppose the European army. Some observers thought the Red switch might be the kiss of death.

Because Bidault's party is as close to a church faction as any in France, he was opposed by various groups, particularly the Radical Socialists. The many-times foreign minister's staunch advocacy of the European army plan also ruled out Socialist support for him, but gained him strength in quarters which want to see Western defense strengthened by German troops and the advancement of European unity.

Delbos favors the European army but his candidacy produced little excitement earlier for or against him in earlier stages.

Laniel was the favorite of the rightist members. They hoped that if either Bidault or Delbos pulled out or lost votes, the Premier might gain strength and start a landslide.

There still was talk that a deadlock might bring out a compromise choice. Former Premier Henri Queuille, a Radical Socialist, and the retiring President, Vincent Auriol, were those most mentioned.

Auriol has said often and convincingly he wants to retire. Friends thought he might reconsider if needed to end a hopeless stalemate.

Spraberry Is Restored To Statewide Schedule



Four C-119 flying boxcars frame the memorial to Orville and Wilbur Wright on Kill Devil Hill at Kitty Hawk, N. C., in a display of air power. Several persons watched planes of all descriptions celebrate the 50th anniversary of the first flight. The flags flying are the International Goodwill, United Nations and The United States flags. (AP Wirephoto).

Air Pioneers Hear Ike Say U. S. Sky Power Necessity

WASHINGTON (U)—President Eisenhower told them: "The power of surprise attack grows too great, and with every further step in the perfection of the airplane, with the terrifying increase in the power of bombs, we get to the point that the side that denies the moral and spiritual values in life (maintains) over people who live as we do, such a terrifying advantage that something must be done about it."

"Now that something, I submit, my friends, is the same vision, the same imagination, the same courage and the same perseverance that brought the Wright brothers down to today x x x"

Speaking informally last night, the President told a banquet commemorating the 50th anniversary of powered flight that such an air armada is a powerful deterrent to potential enemies.

He also declared, however, that actually no amount of armed force of whatever nature is sure-fire insurance against aggression.

The real insurance, he declared, is a deep universal appreciation of spiritual and moral values—appreciation by potential enemies as well as by Americans.

Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle, in a talk at the same dinner, called for a long-range buildup of U. S. air power as a deterrent to war and "in the interest of self-preservation."

Doolittle said he meant home fronts and striking power to both defensive power to guard the retails with atomic weapons against any aggressor.

Many other pioneers of aviation and leaders in the field today were in the Statler Hotel audience.

Texas Allowable Raised By Action

AUSTIN (U)—The Texas Railroad Commissioner today increased the state's allowable oil production for the first time in six months, setting the permissive January flow at 2,824,423 barrels per day.

This will be an increase of 29,433 barrels per day, and will directly result from restoring the vast Spraberry Trend Field in West Texas to the statewide producing schedule.

The Spraberry was given 17 producing days for January, six more than for this month. Gas processing and pipeline company spokesmen said facilities will be installed by Jan. 1 to handle all casinghead gas resulting from as much as 20 days of oil production.

The Spraberry has been operating on a sharply curtailed producing schedule since last spring when the commission cracked down on wasteful flaring of casinghead gas.

The slight boost in production next month was granted despite fear expressed by Commissioner Olin Culberson that the critical storage situation is going to get worse.

It appears to me there has been little change in the situation since the last statewide hearing," Culberson told industry representatives at the statewide prorating hearing preceding announcement of the allowable.

"With gasoline stocks increasing in volume to offset reduction in light fuels, and with the continuing warm weather, it is hardly to be expected there will be any improvement in the unbalanced situation that exists," he said.

"It would seem to me the refineries have not as yet done their part in the effort to correct the situation.

"This is going to have to be done if we are to avoid a worse situation in the first and second quarters of 1954 xxx

"At the present moment there is no prospect in sight to relieve such a surplus as there has been in the past when excess stocks of gasoline were piled up—such as the Iranian incident or the Korean War.

"If the industry is to be corrected, the situation is going to have to take more realistic steps in its operations than its actions have indicated so far," he said.

Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson said he wished to concur in the conclusions drawn by Culberson.

"Further than that, they're talking about Iran coming back into production. There'll be some more trouble," Thompson predicted.

Though the Spraberry Field will enjoy the same number of producing days as the statewide pattern, 17, the Spraberry remains under a special order which prorates oil production so that only as much casinghead gas as can be put to legal use will be produced incidental to the flow of oil.

Only a small percentage of the Spraberry wells are not connected to gas processing plants.

expected by Jan. 1 to handle rest-gas from the processing plants, the practical effect will be that the Spraberry will enjoy virtually as much production as if the special prorating order were no longer in effect.

The East Texas field will continue on 17 producing days in January; Panter, 16; Pickett, 9; and Kelly-Snyder, 15. Powell Ranch field was cut to 10 days in anticipation that no greater amount of oil could be moved if cold weather prevails.

Five purchasers—Humble, Gulf, Atlantic, Stanolind, and Tidewater—recommended 17 statewide producing days and 17 for East Texas, in line with the commission's decision.

Continental, Braniff Merger Plan Proposed

DALLAS (U)—Braniff Airways President T. E. Braniff said today the proposed merger of Braniff and Continental Air Lines by the Civil Aeronautics Board is part of an overall move to reduce the costs of the U.S. mail system.

The CAB yesterday ordered an investigation to determine whether the consolidation of Braniff and Continental would be in the public interest.

Braniff said his company has wired for a copy of the CAB order. He said company directors would meet here today and that the proposal would be discussed on the basis of what's known so far.

Braniff said he anticipated no action on the proposal at the meeting and he would have no other comment until he studied the CAB order.

Commenting on its directive, CAB said: "The inability of Continental to attain self-sufficiency despite the currently high level of earnings prevailing throughout virtually the entire domestic trunk line industry may be an impediment..."

The CAB said it feels Continental needs a merger with some other air line system that would lower the unit cost of the carriers concerned, reduce mail pay requirements and "be in the interest of a balanced route pattern."

Treasurer W. W. Bailey of Pioneer Air Lines said the CAB proposal may slow proceedings on a requested merger of Continental and Pioneer.

Bailey said one reason for the proposed Pioneer-Continental merger was to reduce government subsidies on mail rates.

Roby's Sheriff Wants Trio Returned When He Recovers

SWEETWATER (U)—It's all right with Sheriff R. L. Wilkins of Fisher County for three re-captured prisoners to stay in the jail at Abilene now.

But as soon as Wilkins recovers from a beating the tough trio gave him as they slugged their way out of jail he wants them back.

Meanwhile, Dist. Atty. Bill Tippen here prepared today to file charges against the three men—Hughes Jack Pitts, 21, and Benny Bolton, 22, both of Dallas; and John Tarlton, 22, of Snyder. He said he would file jail-breaking and assault to murder charges and recommend they be held without bond.

From a hospital at Rotan, Wilkins telephoned officers yesterday who re-captured the trio, congratulated them and said it would be all right to keep them in Abilene until he is out of the hospital.

"Then I want them back at Roby," he said.

Wilkins, who has never carried a gun in nearly 30 years as a police officer, was beaten severely about the head and shoulders as the men made their dash for freedom.

Bolton said, "and I couldn't get mail from my sister in Dallas who was trying to help me."

Tarlton told their story of hardship after their escape. He said they did not have enough clothes to stand the chill West Texas nights and that they had walked until they were footsore.

"It was every bit on foot every inch of the way," the tired jail-breaker said. And when the bloodhounds bayed closed by yesterday, he added, "We just got up in a tree and waited for them to come get us."

Three other persons injured in the Tuesday night jail break at Roby were doing all right today. They were Jaller and Mrs. D. F. Driver, about 70, and a Fisher County farmer, Clyde Farrar.

All had tried to stop the three men as they whipped the sheriff and made their dash from the jail.

Eisenhower Agenda Meet Goes Into Its Second Day

WASHINGTON (U)—President Eisenhower and Republican leaders of Congress turned to taxes, the national debt limit, atomic energy and foreign affairs today in a second round of White House conferences to hammer out a new legislative program.

Social security and aid to the physically handicapped, as well as a continuing discussion of national health problems, also were on the agenda with Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare Hobby presenting her views at this morning's session.

Eisenhower and key staff members met with GOP congressional leaders and a succession of Cabinet members for the second straight day, continuing the process of deciding what recommendations the administration will make to Congress when it reconvenes early next month.

At 9:30 a. m., an hour after today's session began, Eisenhower issued a statement telling what was under discussion.

He said Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey would discuss "taxes and the debt limit."

Eisenhower gave no particulars. He has said previously some taxes would be allowed to expire. The administration also has tried unsuccessfully to increase the national debt limit and has indicated it

will press for favorable action on this step at the 1954 session.

The President said Lewis Strauss, chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission would discuss proposed amendments to the atomic energy act with the congressional leaders including Rep. W. Sterling Cole (R-NY) and Sen. Hickenlooper (R-Iowa), chairman and vice chairman respectively of the Joint Committee On Atomic Energy.

Secretary of Defense Wilson told the North Atlantic Treaty nations early this week the administration will ask Congress to change the law so this country can share atomic knowledge with fellow members of the Western defense alliance.

Eisenhower told a news conference last Wednesday he does not propose, however, to give away any A-bomb production secrets. He said at that time it may be advisable, depending on military circumstances, to share atomic weapons with this country's Allies.

The President today said Secretary of State Dulles and Foreign Operations Administrator Stassen would join in this morning's discussion of foreign affairs.

Cole and Hickenlooper were to stay on for the foreign affairs talk and were to be joined by Sen. Wiley (R-Wis), chairman of the

Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and Rep. Chipperfield (R-Ill) chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

In addition, Eisenhower said Mrs. Hobby would continue a discussion which began yesterday of the health plans of her department.

Rep. Carl Curtis (R-Neb) chairman of a House Ways and Means subcommittee on Social Security, was invited to take part.

Mail Volume Growing Rapidly

The Big Spring Postoffice has more than doubled the size of its fleet of delivery trucks in order to keep up with the heavy tide of Christmas mail.

Eleven extra workers already have been added to the postal force also, and several others are to start Saturday, Postmaster Elmer Boatler, an Superintendent of Mails A. A. Porter said today.

The volume of Yule mail being dispatched here is growing daily. Thursday there were 67,838 pieces of mail cancelled here, and the number of parcels mailed was estimated at 5,900.

Three Air Force trucks and one vehicle provided by the Soil Conservation Service have been added to the postoffice delivery fleet. Another Soil Conservation truck is to be pressed into service Saturday. There are three regular postal delivery trucks.

Movement of first class mail by air is to continue through Jan. 11. Boatler reported. Shipment of first class mail by air was started Wednesday. Yesterday, the local postoffice dispatched 193 pounds of first class mail via the air route. Daily limit is 200 pounds.

Postal workers expect the volume of mail to start decreasing a day or two prior to Christmas. Boatler said delivery of greeting cards, parcels, etc., is to be completed Christmas Eve, and only a skeleton force will be on duty Christmas to deliver perishables and special delivery items.

THE WEATHER

Big Spring and vicinity: Cloudy with occasional light rain. Partly cloudy Saturday.

High today 54; low tonight 40; high tomorrow 54.

Highest temperature in 1953: 79; lowest minimum: 19; date: 10/15/53; max. min. rainfall: 41.15; date: 6/22/53.

CLOUDY

Man Can Only Die Once, Jury Declares

PETERBOROUGH, Eng. (U)—A coroner's jury ruled today that a man whose heart stopped beating during an operation but later started again was legally dead the first time.

The man, Otto Ankip, finally died the next day.

"Once the heart was restarted this man was nothing more than an automaton," the coroner told the jury in accepting their verdict.

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SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

Army Reveals Some Details Of Its New Guided Missile, Nike

By ELTON C. FAY
AP Military Affairs Editor
WASHINGTON (AP)—The Army took some of the secrecy wraps off its uncanny, bomber-hunter guided missile last night and said the first battery of an eventual national system of such anti-aircraft weapons is being equipped.

On the basis of official disclosures, an Army motion picture and other information available, it may be said the guided missile, named Nike, can:

1. Streak at an enemy bomber at a speed of probably 3,500 miles an hour.
2. Locate and track the plane, despite evasive action, and destroy it in flaming wreckage even though

the missile contacts only an outer part of a wing.

3. "Knock down a jet-powered aircraft of any known capacity" in speed or maneuverability.

The first Nike unit is being set up at Ft. Meade, Md., headquarters of the 2nd Army. From there Nike missiles can provide protection for an area embracing the nation's capital, Baltimore's big industries and port facilities and a number of military installations in the Chesapeake Bay and Potomac River region.

The Army calls the Nike "the first guided missile system to defend American cities against aerial attack."

Taken literally, that appeared to be correct. It is the first missile anti-aircraft system for protection

of U. S. cities. But the Air Force and Navy have under test or on hand for operational use at least eight other guided missiles for various purposes.

Here are some of the missiles in use, in test or in development:

By the Air Force: the Matador, an intermediate range bombardment missile of ground-to-ground type, a tactical unit of which has been set up; the Bowmark, an experimental ground-to-air anti-aircraft missile; the Falcon, launched from a plane against another plane; the Snark, another ground-to-ground design, probably with longer range than the Matador; the Rascal, to be launched from a bomber flying outside and above the range of enemy interceptors and designed to "home in" on a target city.

By the Navy: the Regulus, for launching from submarines; surface ships or shore bases against enemy shipping, shore targets in an invasion operation or coastal manufacturing centers and harbors; the Terrier and Sparrow, two anti-aircraft missiles.

There is also a wide variety of research "vehicles" for aerodynamics, high-altitude conditions, cosmic radiation and other scientific problems.

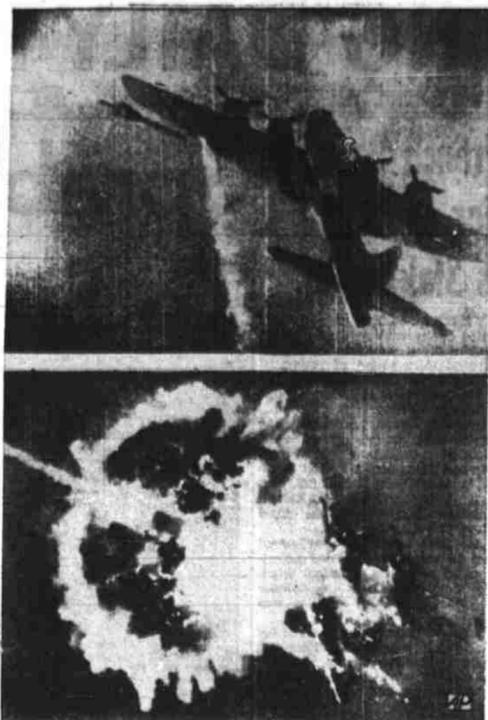
The Army revealed that the blueprints for the Nike were drawn eight years ago but not until two years ago did a reliable guidance system evolve for the rocket.

The Nike is about 20 feet long, a foot thick over most of its length, giving it the appearance of a huge pencil with fins fore and aft to steer it in flight.

It is placed on a launching rail which is horizontal. The rail then is elevated to a vertical position and the missile sent away by an initial booster charge. The rocket booster drops clear when the missile is several hundred feet up and the missile's own liquid-fuel rocket engine takes over.

Information obtained by radar has provided the general area in which the enemy plane is located. A navigational system steers the Nike to this area. Here the Nike's radar eyes begin to seek out the plane and manipulate the fins to head it toward the target. In the final phase, a "homing" device takes over and guides the missile into the target. Presumably a proximity fuse could detonate the missile's explosive load at the correct distance from the enemy bomber even if an actual contact is not made.

In its official motion picture, the Army showed a Nike blowing up the comparatively slow and easy target provided by a B17. That World War II plane has a top speed of only about 250 miles an hour. But Army spokesmen emphasized the Nike can operate as efficiently against jet aircraft with far higher speeds.



Designed To Track Down And Destroy

This is Nike, an anti-aircraft guided missile, faster than sound, designed to track down and destroy invading enemy aircraft. And here, in action against a big target plane at the White Sands Proving Ground, N. M., it does that with fine efficiency. The Nike comes in under the wing, top, and then hits the target plane, bottom, and explodes. The smoke coming from wing of plane itself at top was set there to enable photographers to follow the action. (AP Wirephoto)

Artist Denies Being Link Between White House, Reds

MAHWAH, N. J. (AP)—Miss Josephine Truslow Adams denies she ever served as a link between the White House and Communist party leader Earl Browder, as government witnesses have testified.

In her denial last night, Miss Adams said she was "an obscure and humble artist" and "not a Communist" or "a mysterious cloak and dagger figure."

Government witnesses named her Tuesday at a Washington hearing by the Subversive Activities Control Board. John Lautner, former Communist party functionary, said he knew Miss Adams "as a member of the Communist party" and as the link between the presidential office and Browder.

Lautner testified that Browder took orders from the late President Roosevelt and his Cabinet.

Miss Adams, 54-year-old private teacher of art who lives in this northern New Jersey community, said that when Browder was serving a prison term, she was active in a Civil Liberties group in Philadelphia that espoused his cause.

During World War II, she said, she relayed a message from Roosevelt to the then New York City mayor, Fiorello H. La Guardia, that Browder would be released from prison on his birthday if a

scheduled rally in his behalf was canceled.

A man, whom she described as a White House contact with minority groups, gave her the message.

Browder's four-year sentence for passport fraud was commuted by Roosevelt in 1942, after Browder had served 14 months.

The only time she was in the White House, Miss Adams said, was in 1933 when she and two Swarthmore College students went there to lobby for a liberal cause. She added that she never met Browder until he was freed.

General Angrily Denies 'Rumors' About B36 Crash

EL PASO (AP)—Investigation here into the crash of a huge B36 bomber which killed nine men is incomplete, Brig. Gen. John Reynolds said last night, angrily denying what he called "rumors."

Reynolds, commander of the 810th Air Division here, said results of the probe will be based on facts gathered from qualified witnesses "and not irresponsible theorizing or rumors."

The general denied emphatically that the big battle plane crashed into nearby Mount Franklin while attempting to land in a heavy snowstorm without aid from the ground.

The plane was supposedly following directions being given from the Ground Control Approach system at International Airport here.

William J. Slaughter, chief of the Airport Traffic Controller (AA), told the El Paso Times that as far as is known GCA can not be blamed for the tragedy.

The general denied emphatically that the B36 might have been disregarding the orders of GCA in attempting to land on its own accord. He said that if the commander of the plane had found it impossible to follow the directions of the GCA then he had certain emergency operations which he was supposed to follow.

However, Reynolds said, nothing has been uncovered as yet which would lead authorities to believe that this had happened.

The general said that the direction which the B36 was approaching Biggs from the West was routine and that visibility on both sides of the mountain was about the same. He said the plane was equipped with radar for such an approach and as far as is known it was operating.

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Kiwanis Hear Webb Glee Club

A pinch-hit program won the plaudits of the Kiwanis Club at its luncheon meeting Thursday in the Settles.

Appearing before the club was the Webb AFB glee club, directed by A-2C Howard K. Klein, and its numbers, featuring traditional Christmas music, reaped thunderous applause.

Originally the Kiwanis Club had planned to have the High School football squad as guests, but those plans were suspended when it became necessary for the team to depart for Port Neches on Thursday morning.

In a brief business session following the program the club completed plans for its annual Christmas party for children in the West Side Park area. That event is scheduled for noon next Thursday, and Kiwanis members will provide approximately 125 gifts for the children. In addition refreshments will be served. T. B. Atkins is chairman of the committee on general arrangements, while Troy Harrell heads the food committee.

The meeting at West Side Park will count as the regular club meeting on Christmas Eve.

Two Kiwanis members who were unable to attend the club's annual banquet a week earlier received special recognition Thursday. Nat Slick was presented his 15-year perfect attendance pin, while a five-year perfect attendance pin went to Harvey Clay.

Tractor Flip Kills
HOUSTON (AP)—Herman C. McWhorter, 20, was killed yesterday when his tractor flipped over and crushed him to death in a shallow canal near Crosby. He was pinned under the tractor for five hours before the body was found.

Jap Christmas Gift
TOKYO (AP)—The Japanese government announced today that the United States will return the Amami Oshima Islands to Japan on Christmas Day.

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Carl Hall And Bonnie Heady Die Quickly In Missouri Gas Tank



Die For Killing

Carl Austin Hall, 34, and his 41-year-old paramour, Bonnie Brown Heady, died early this morning in the Missouri gas chamber at Jefferson City, Mo., for the kidnap-slaying of six-year-old Bobby Greenlease. This picture was made as they left the Federal building in St. Louis Oct. 9. (AP Wirephoto)

Editor's Note: The writer of the following story was one of three newsmen who witnessed the Hall-Heady execution.

By LARRY HALL
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP)—Carl Austin Hall and Bonnie Brown Heady died together in the gas chamber early today for the kidnap slaying of 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease, still talking calmly to each other as the deadly fumes rolled up around their faces.

Just before he was taken into the gas tank at the Missouri State Prison, Hall, the 34-year-old west, rel heir to a \$200,000 fortune, puffed on a cigarette. He passed it to Mrs. Heady, his 41-year-old paramour, for a puff as they talked for the last time.

When they were strapped into the chairs, Mrs. Heady asked Hall: "Are you doing all right, honey?"

"Yes, Mama," Hall replied. His lips were red as if he had received a last kiss from the plump, dark-haired woman who helped him kidnap and slay little Bobby Sept. 28.

The prison was quiet as the notorious pair went to their deaths. Seven degree cold kept the crowd outside at a minimum.

As the official witnesses walked through the darkness of the prison courtyard, Christmas decorations made by convicts sparkled on the trees and bushes.

Elaborate security precautions had been made, with extra guards and highway patrolmen brought in for the execution. But the extra men were not needed. There was no outburst from the 2,500 convicts.

As the parade of witnesses followed the death cars down to the gas chamber, one convict shouted from his cell: "Pour it on 'em."

Warden Ralph N. Eldson, who tripped the lever which sent cyanide gas curling around the faces of the kidnapers in a white cloud, said the pair had been "just as normal as they could be" since they entered the prison Nov. 20.

"I don't think we've had any more normal prisoners than they were down here," he said.

The Rev. George L. Evans, Episcopal rector from Kansas City, Kan., who was Hall's spiritual adviser, said both prisoners were "absolutely and completely reconciled" to death.

"They are prepared to meet Almighty God," he said after praying with them in the death chamber.

Neither of the kidnapers showed any outward signs of fear although Hall breathed deeply while being strapped into the death chair. The chamber door changed shut on them at 12:04 a.m. Thirty seconds later Warden Eldson tripped the lever which dropped cyanide powder into two jars of sulphuric acid beneath the death chairs.

White fumes rose around the couple. Hall took a big gulp as the fumes hit his face but Mrs. Heady appeared to hold her breath for an instant.

Their heads jerked back. There were a few convulsive movements. Both were unconscious almost at once.

At 12:12 a.m. Hall was dead. Mrs. Heady kept breathing for another 2 minutes and 10 seconds.

One of the prison doctors, G. Donald Shull, said her breathing lasted longer than any person he had ever seen die in the chamber.

Some of the official witnesses had figured in the unusual federal court trial when a jury in Kansas City recommended the death sentence Nov. 19.

Hall's attorney, Marshall K. Hoag of Pleasanton, Kan., an old friend of the family, was one of them.

But the only representative of little Bobby Greenlease's family present was Norbert S. O'Neill, Kansas City business associate of the child's multimillionaire father.

O'Neill was one of the men who negotiated with the kidnapers and dropped a record \$600,000 ransom near a bridge east of Kansas City Oct. 4.

"I came down here," O'Neill said after the execution, "to keep faith with a vow I made several weeks ago. I don't like to see people die, but these people deserved to die. I came down here to see the sentence carried out because I thought it was a just sentence."

In the last few days law enforcement officers have made strenuous efforts to find out what happened to the missing half of the ransom.

Another last-minute effort was made just before their deaths but failed.

"Have you anything to tell me?" U.S. Marshal William B. Tatman asked both prisoners after they were blindfolded and strapped into the death chairs.

Both shook their heads and Mrs. Heady added aloud: "No."

Their last audible words before the door was sealed were: "Thanks for everything," and "Goodbye" to the guards who had watched over them in the last few days.

But they kept on talking to each other for the few seconds it took to seal the chamber.

Did they talk about the little boy they planned to kill even before they abducted him? Their few months of illicit love together? Or were they just two human souls trying to brace each other for death?

Witnesses peering through the thick glass windows of the gas tank couldn't tell.

All the witnesses knew was what prison and law enforcement officials have reported in recent days: that Hall did not regret the crime so much as he did his own stupidity in getting so drunk he was caught.

He was arrested in St. Louis

Oct. 6 after police were tipped that a man with a lot of money was on a drunken spending spree. He led officers to Mrs. Heady's hide-out a few hours later. And that, according to guards who have been close to her, was her biggest disappointment. They had planned a life of luxury with the \$600,000 they got in their vicious plot. But today \$4.40 worth of chemicals killed them.

They went to their deaths in simple prison clothing, nothing like the luxurious clothes they used to wear.

Mrs. Heady was clad in a bright green cotton dress, the standard prison garb. Her dark brown wavy hair was carefully combed and she had on a little makeup. She wore scuff-type sandals but no stockings.

Hall wore olive green twill pants and shirt, a black stripe down the side of the trousers. He had on unlaced shoes but no belt. His shirt was open at the throat.

Both were squeezed tight by the straps around their chests and Mrs. Heady complained about that. As they were led into the gas tank, she said: "I can't see a thing." Then as the straps were tightened, she told the guards, with a little chuckle: "It's tight—I'm not going anywhere."

Mrs. Heady asked Hall, who was seated on her right, if he had

plenty of room, but he made no audible answer. Mrs. Heady, the first woman to die in the gas chamber since it was installed in 1938, had one other woman near her almost to the end. She was Mrs. Tatman, wife of the U.S. marshal. Mrs. Tatman stayed until her charge was strapped in the death chair. Then she went outside and did not see the actual execution.

Other convicts had reflected the attitude of citizens all over the nation, the same attitude expressed after the trial by little Bobby's father:

"It's too good for them, but it's the best the law provides."

When two hearse took the bodies out of the prison about an hour after the execution, the streets were almost empty in the near-zero cold. Victor Buescher, a Jefferson City undertaker, claimed the bodies and prepared them for burial.

From here, Mrs. Heady's body was to be taken to Clearmont, Mo., her girlhood home, for burial Sunday morning.

Hall's attorney insisted to the end that he did not know where Hall would be buried. His mother and father are buried in a family plot at Pleasanton, Kan.

At their home in Kansas City, the Greenleases went to bed at their customary hour and did not stay up until the execution time.

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propaganda, officials are powerless to act. The main bulwark against communism here is not the government, however, but Islam, nor northern Sudan is a Moslem country. Communism is incompatible with the precepts of the Moslem faith.

Killers Leave Little Behind In Jail Cells

Aware of this, Sudan's Communists hammer away on the theme that communism and Islam can get along well together and claim there is nothing in Islam that opposes Marxism.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP)—The Christmas lights at Missouri State Prison were turned out for the Greenlease kidnap killers in the early hours today.

Soon after the double execution the lights came back on, even though most of the 2,500 convicts had gone back to bed.

Within an hour after the execution, the prison was deathly quiet. Even Sammy Reese, who has been waiting 18 months in death row, went back to sleep. Today he is the only prisoner left there. He is awaiting outcome of an appeal from a death sentence for killing a St. Louis hotel clerk.

Kidnaper Hall, 34-year-old son of a prominent Kansas country lawyer, left little behind in his cell besides the cigarette butts he had tossed into a corner in his last hours. The only personal articles were a toothbrush and a couple of short pencils.

Mrs. Heady, the 41-year-old divorcee, left even less. All that remained in her cell was a pencil drawing she had sketched on the wall of a big-chested, moustached baseball player leaning on a bat.

The couple had been separated in death row by six cells. They had their last visit in the detention cell at the gas chamber just before they died.

It was there they embraced and kissed each other, according to U. S. Marshal William B. Tatman, who sat nearby.

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By Beverly Brandow

The 'It' Gift

"Tempus fugit!" That's Christmas will be here before you know it! Does that fact have you firmly behind the eight ball? Move over, pal; you've got company. Those dizzy feelings when you see hazy dollar and question marks whirling about usually hit right between the budget book and your Christmas list. If you're a chronic sufferer you may be ready to trade your next A-plus for a worry bird or a case of sleeping sickness to last through December.

be very cold and meaningless if it is chosen hater-skiter. A picture of yourself, a book on something of mutual interest, a gift suggesting a happy time spent together, a picture you have painted, or a poem you have written are all appropriate. In short, give something that says, "This gift is a part of me which I give to you. It took time to make or choose, but I give it freely because you are my friend."

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If you want to choose a successful "boughten" gift, select something that your friend would not ordinarily buy himself. The necessities of life are seldom thrilling to unwrap, but the unnecessary items we day dream of are certain to bring sincerest thanks. Your money isn't of the folding variety? Don't despair. If your gift is to a real friend its value lies not in its price tag but in your desire to give it and in the affection and care that is used to choose just the right gift. A friend values your friendship more than the object in the gaily wrapped box.

Of course, it's natural to want to match the greatness of your affection with a razzle-dazzle gift, but in choosing be sure your gift also represents "a portion of yourself." An expensive present can

DeMolays Feted By Mothers At Formal

DeMolay Mothers Club entertained the DeMolays and their dates with a formal Christmas dance at the County Club Thursday evening. The dance climaxed the celebration of the Big Spring DeMolays' second anniversary. The ball room was decorated with cedar boughs, wreaths, mistletoe and red satin ribbon. The tables were centered with red candles and spruce boughs. The refreshment table was laid with a cutwork cloth centered with candles and pine boughs. Punch was served from a large bowl of ice behind which colored lights glowed. Thirty couples attended.

Girl Scout Troop 5 Has Holiday Party

Mrs. Ted McLaurin was hostess to Girl Scout Troop 5 Thursday for a Christmas party. Christmas carols were sung by the members with Lynette McLaurin accompanying at the piano. Gifts were presented each girl. Jessie Mae Taddick and Melva Lynn Patton distributed the gifts. Refreshments were served to nine members. They were dismissed by repeating the laws and the Scout promise.

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Entries In Decoration Contest Are Announced

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Please The Whole Family By Giving A Household Article

Among the best gifts at Christmas are practical presents for the home — gifts that a family can share, and use for years to come. Every time the family uses the gift they'll feel "Christmasy" all over again. Everyone will benefit, for instance, from a new reclining easy chair. If you haven't been to your furniture dealers recently, you'll be amazed at recent improvements. The newest models, based on scientific principles, guarantee the best in relaxation and are sure to become the favorite spot in your living room. Since the entire family has frequent clothes-mending needs, you can't go wrong with a modern electric sewing machine. The latest portable and cabinet models can do almost any type of stitch automatically. The new machines are very attractive, well designed and one type can even be installed as a kitchen unit in a gleaming pull-out cabinet. Besides being so useful, this particular gift is economical in the long run. In many cases, with Mom or Sis learning to make their own clothes, it pays for itself in a year or less. Also tailor-made as a Yuletide gift, as eating is a favorite household pastime, is a colorful serving cart. Useful, too, as a work table, the cart is mounted on smooth-

Scouts Have Investiture

An investiture ceremony was held by Girl Scout Troop 6 for eight new members Thursday in the home of Mrs. H. E. Bost, 803 N. Gregg. Janie McKeivay and Charlotte Henderson introduced the following girls to Mrs. Best, leader, and Mrs. S. H. Kelvay, assistant leader: Alice Best, Yvette Gonzales, Dorothy Wheeler, Tatuske Lovett, Janice Rhoten, Rheadean Smith, Nannie Tucker and Iwana Digby. A party followed the ceremony. The girls presented gifts they had made to their mothers. Mothers attending included Mrs. O'Shield, Mrs. Leo Gonzales, Mrs. C. W. Henderson. Other guests were Patsy O'Shield and Anna Marie Gonzales.

Mrs. Harlan Reads Story For TEL Class

Mrs. M. E. Harlan read the Christmas story at the annual party of the First Baptist TEL Class Thursday at the church. Mrs. Bernice Reed presided at a short business meeting. Mrs. H. H. Squires offered a prayer and the group sang carols. Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Hardesty, sang "White Christmas" and "Silver Bells." Twelve members attended. Guests were Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Mary Ellis of Edgewood. Gifts were exchanged.

Slides Shown At Church Class Party

Slides illustrating the Christmas story were shown at a party for the Baptist Temple Junior department at the church. Gerald Groth led the group in singing. Wanda and Barbara Murry sang a duet, accompanied by Mrs. McLean. Barbara Parks read the Christmas story and gifts were exchanged. About 45 attended.

Mrs. Wallace V. Capaldo, Julie and Wally of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Capaldo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, 209 W. 18th. Mrs. Capaldo's husband will join the family here after New Year's Day.



THE SCENT OF CHRISTMAS comes in both large and small containers and makes excellent gifts — both in the stocking and under the tree. The sequence at left is for Men Only. The gent is holding an assortment of "Old Spice" toiletries by Shulton. At left (top to bottom) are: Yardley's travel kit for men; a new gold-fused flacon of after-shave lotion by Kings Men that can be used over and over; and Palmolive's gift packet of shaving cream and lotion. Scents for lady are at right. The gal holds Yardley's Lotus cologne tied to a cake of Lotus soap. A gift package of scents and sachet by Yardley is at right. Top shows a straw basket of essences to please a little girl's heart. And bottom right is Jean Patou's "Joy," imported from Paris.

Rhythm Band, Dance Students To Perform

The Farrar Private School will present its annual pre-Christmas rhythm band concert on Dec. 20, at the Municipal Auditorium. The revue, which is open to the public, will begin at 3:30 and last an hour and a half. The band concert is to be presented as an informal demonstration of pre-school musical activities and included rhythm band selections, songs, choral readings and dances.

Cantata Guests Feted By Col. Dean

The 56-voice Monahans Senior High School Glee Club and choral group presented a Christmas cantata Thursday evening in the Academic Auditorium of Webb Air Force Base. The program was directed by Clark D. Hughes. Webb's 50th AF Band also provided music, playing before the cantata and at intermission. Preceding the cantata Col. Fred M. Dean, base commander, was host at a dinner in Ellis Hall for local guests and Webb's four group commanders, 17 squadron commanders and their wives. Attending the dinner from Big Spring were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tollett, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Rainwater, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beale, Mr. and Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. Ellen Ezzell, the Rev. and Mrs. William Boyd, the Rev. Bernard Wagner, Dr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanson.

OWC Has Grab Bag At Bridge Meeting

An exchange grab bag was featured at the bridge meeting of the Officers' Wives Club Thursday at Ellis Hall. Winners at bridge were Mrs. Fulgham, first; Mrs. Truxton Howell, second, and Mrs. Frank G. Ross, low. In beginners' bridge Mrs. Kenneth Clapham took first prize. Mrs. R. B. Wall was the canasta winner and the travel prize went to Mrs. Eve Dulmage, an associate member of the club. A Santa Claus theme was used in decorations. Hostesses were Mrs. Darrell M. Sinn, Mrs. Franklin M. Foster and Mrs. Milvov Benish.

Amersons Hosts To Homemakers Class

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Amerson, 110 Elm Dr., were hosts to the Homemakers Class of Airport Baptist Church at a meeting recently. Movies of scenes from trips made by the Amersons were shown the group. Mrs. O. L. Blackshear gave the devotion on the birth of Christ. John Buchanan offered the opening prayer. Mrs. L. A. Newman presided during a business session. A box of food was prepared by the members for a needy family. Movies were made as the members and their husbands opened their gifts. The Rev. Warren Stowe gave the closing prayer. Refreshments were served to 24 members and guests. The class will meet again in January in the home of Mrs. Newman.

Pinwheels

Pinwheel sandwiches are pretty to serve when the bridge club is coming. To make them, start with a loaf of unsalted bread. Trim the crusts from the bread and then slice it lengthwise. Spread the long rolls with the desired filling and roll each into a short cylinder; wrap tightly in waxed paper and store in the refrigerator. Before serving cut each sandwich cylinder into even slices.

Serving Tomato Salad

Old fashioned tomato salad still tastes good. Wash, acid and peel firm ripe tomatoes and cut them into slices or sections—whichever your family prefer. Arrange on lettuce or other green and garnish with celery hearts. (Use the outside stalks of the celery for some other dish.) Serve the salad with old-time boiled dressing.

MYF, Church Class Have Parties

WESTBROOK — A Christmas theme predominated when members and guests of the Baptist Willing Workers class held a special dinner at the church recently. The Rev. C. L. Eastman directed "The Sweetest Story Ever Told"; Mrs. W. A. Bell read the poem, "Let Us Keep Christmas" and a prayer was offered by Mrs. W. T. Brooks. Following the meal, the group sang carols and exchanged gifts which surrounded the lighted tree. Mrs. Bell is to be the hostess in January.

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship were honored with a Christmas party at the home of their counsellor, Mrs. J. D. Iglehart Monday evening.

Visiting with the N. W. Stokes family during the past three weeks has been Mrs. Stokes mother, Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. Oran Moore and Delza Kay accompanied her when she returned to her home in Seminole this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sullivan and family spent last weekend in Las Cruces, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Conaway and children of Midland were guests of relatives in Westbrook, the Dalton Conaways, recently.

Piggly Wiggly Staff Has Party

Bob Spears, manager of the Piggly Wiggly Food Store, entertained employees of the company and their families with a Christmas party at the high school cafeteria recently. For the program the Barber Shop Quartet sang carols and Leslie Daw acted as MC. Eddie Long did an impersonation of Al Jolson. Jimmy Byars gave a narration, "Rastus, the Colored Boy," and a poem "Piggly Wiggly Sympathy." Larry Nil presented several vocal selections. The group exchanged gifts. Refreshments were served to about 40.

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FCC Approves New System In Color TV

By ROBERT E. GEIGER
WASHINGTON (U)—The gateway to a color television era has been pushed open anew by the government, but color TV for the average fan is still many months and many hundreds of dollars away.

Virtually no color receivers are available to the public now and probably won't be for months, or longer. And when they do come, industry sources estimate a color set with a 12 1/2-inch picture will cost about \$1,000 at first. Mass production is expected to bring the price down later.

For broadcasters, too, color TV will mean big outlays of money.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) announced late yesterday its approval of a new color broadcasting system.

Almost at once, networks were racing to the air with owners of present sets could see them in the usual black and white.

FCC emphasized that point in approving a new system replacing one developed by the Columbia Broadcasting System and approved by the commission in 1950.

The new system was developed by the industry through its National Television System Committee (NTSC) and was proposed for adoption by the commission last August. Commission approval means it will standardize color broadcasting systems, of which there are several.

Meanwhile, NBC is planning a special Christmas broadcast in

color, as well as the Pasadena, Calif., Tournament of Roses parade, preceding the Rose Bowl football game. Both NBC and CBS are planning color telecasting of their regular programs on a rotating basis plus some regular shows, expanding operations gradually.

ABC reported it is not equipped for color, but will be, now that a new system has been approved. Du Mont said it planned color programs but has no schedule thus far.

The CBS color method, which the new system replaces, required a mechanical revolving wheel inside receivers. The new system is all electronic, without moving parts. The CBS system required extra equipment for present receivers to receive color broadcasts, and then only in black and white.

Industry officials have indicated few of the new NTSC color sets have been manufactured, and virtually all are in the hands of manufacturers, dealers and others in the industry. Dr. W. R. G. Baker, vice president of General Electric and chairman of NTSC, has said color for the millions may be two or three years away.

The FCC announcement said it has been estimated it will cost a television station up to \$187,850 for all equipment needed for participating fully in color broadcasting. If a station wanted to handle network programs only, it might get by for \$24,500 worth of new equipment, the FCC estimated.

Men In Service



WILLIAM SEWELL

Pvt. William R. Sewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sewell, 407 Washington Boulevard, is now stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, where he will receive basic military training.

Sewell's training will be in the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center, and he will possibly become an antiaircraft artilleryman. He will spend eight weeks learning how to be a basic soldier, and specialized training comes later. He has been in the service since Nov. 24.

Charity Rackets Probe Causes Honest Groups To Suffer, Too

NEW YORK (U)—State probes of charity rackets—who have heard revelations ranging from phony solicitations over the telephone from behind closed doors to fake "nuns" begging in public—plan to offer control measures early in the 1954 legislative session.

A joint legislative investigating committee wound up four days of public hearings here yesterday, and plans to hold others later in various parts of the state.

State Sen. Bernard Tompkins, the committee chairman, expressed hope that the disclosures of racketeering and the bonanzas reaped by collectors in some charity drives would not deter the public from giving liberally to honest and well-managed charity and welfare groups.

Tompkins, a New York City Republican, took note of reports from some reputable charities that contributions had dropped off since his committee launched its probe. He said he hoped the loss would be only temporary. He also declared that reputable and efficient charity organizations would benefit in the long run as unethical promoters were driven out of the business and the public became more wary.

Tompkins said "It is clear that the unscrupulous are in the minority."

Among yesterday's witnesses on various frauds was Asst. Dist. Atty. Joseph P. Hoey of Brooklyn, who told about "nuns" in rented

habits who paid a self-styled "bishop" \$2.50 a day for religious certificates.

These certificates made it possible for the women to beg in the streets without interference from officials.

The women took taxicabs back to the "bishop's" place at the end of the day to change clothes—and take home their collections.

NFFE Man Holding Conferences Here

Leland Walker, representative of the National Federation of Federal Employees from Washington, D. C., will complete a series of conferences here today with employees of the Big Spring Veterans Hospital.

Walker has been here since Wednesday to discuss the problem confronting people who work for the government. The NFFE sponsored a bingo party last Friday for the local VA employes, and approximately 230 attended.

Leaves Hospital

J. W. Wooten, who has been a patient in a local hospital since Dec. 1, returned to his residence at 500 Goliad Thursday. Though his condition is improved, he expects to remain in bed for several days.

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To Seek Re-Election

CHICAGO (U)—U. S. Sen. Paul A. Douglas, 61, Chicago Democrat, announced yesterday he will be a candidate for re-election to a second six-year term in 1954.

Riding

THE GRUB LINE

With Franklin Reynolds

Today's column is for the rifleman, and there are far more of them in this part of West Texas than the uninitiated might suspect.

Right now I am working on the premise that many of these riflemen, like the Grub Line Rider, have heard a great deal about the Weatherby rifles but have never seen, much less fired one. Having heard many of them speculate about these custom built jobs, the Grub Line has gone straight to Roy Weatherby for information.

Weatherby is a little past 40 years of age. Eight years ago he was an insurance salesman, with hunting rifles as his hobby. Today he is at the head of America's finest custom rifle shop, a \$200,000 business employing about 70 persons. His rifles are all built on the new Mauser action and are all of Magnum proportions. His shop in South Gate, Calif., will convert most of the fine sporting rifles to the Magnum calibre, but there isn't any .30-06 Magnum.

old-fashioned semi-smokeless, have seen some tremendous changes in rifles and rifle loads, changes equally as tremendous as that transportation gap between Model T Fords and today's jet planes.

In the field of rifle ballistics, Weatherby says he sees even greater changes, perhaps, just over the rim of the sky. While he admits the rifle with the perfectly flat trajectory will never be developed, he says he has come to one definite indisputable conclusion, which is that velocity plays the most important role in killing power, and that tomorrow's rifle is going to be one with higher velocity.

He anticipates changes in rifles. There will be new actions, made of new alloys; there will be new priming principles; new powders and new cartridge cases, all adding up to higher velocities. He expects to see bullets stepped up to 5,000, or maybe even 10,000 feet per second velocities. He says that today's superior Magnum loads will kill an animal approximately 90 per cent of the time, even with his in non-vital areas. He doesn't think it impossible that this score will eventually be stepped up to 100 per cent.

His 257 Magnum has killed, with one shot, everything from prairie dogs to Alaskan Brown Bear and African Lion. Roy Weatherby himself killed a five-ton elephant with one shot from one of the 300 Magnums he designed and made. A three-ton rhino was killed with two shots from a 300 Weatherby Magnum, at 200 yards, with two shots, one in the shoulder and the other in the head. In the Yukon he killed a big bull moose at 600 yards with one of his 270 Magnums, the bull dropping in his tracks when the bullet hit. One hunter killed both a Kodiak bear and an elephant in Africa with one shot each, using

Rudderless Ship Reaches Harbor

OSLO, Norway (U)—A throng of 7,000 persons lined Oslo's waterfront last night to cheer the liner Stavangerfjord after her 2,050-mile Atlantic trip without a rudder.

The big liner, whose captain steered with the vessel's twin propellers after she lost her rudder in a hurricane Dec. 8, docked only two days late.

Many of the Stavangerfjord's 644 passengers were Americans of Scandinavian origin from Minnesota and Wisconsin going to the old country for Christmas.

The liner was three days and 1,000 miles out of New York when the accident occurred. The rest of the trip took nine days.

a 375 Weatherby Magnum with 300 grain Silvertip bullets.

Today the eight-years-ago struggling insurance salesman is a wealthy man who can afford to go big game hunting all over the world, and his new designs in rifles are being used by sportsmen all over the world, simply because he decided to stop arguing velocity against bullet weight, and concluded to give the world some indisputable evidence to support his theory.

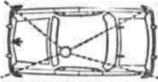
Weatherby appears destined to occupy a spot in rifle history comparable to the place won by Brownings in the field of automatic firearms.

The shop also custom builds rifles with chrome-lined barrels in the conventional calibres of 220 Swift, 257 Roberts, 270 Winchester, 7mm and 30-06 Springfield.

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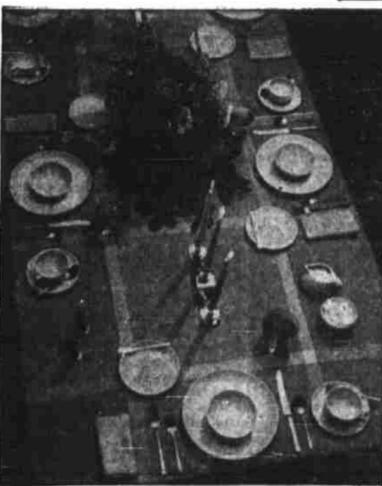
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A Bible Thought For Today—

"Such as I have give I thee." — Acts 3:6. Peter had neither silver nor gold, but he healed the lame man. The church since Peter's day has vast wealth, it should not ignore the mighty power of faith. That is far better than silver or gold.

Working Mothers Due Real Tax Relief And Not Mere Pittance

Among some 25 bills pending in Congress to give some measure of tax relief to working mothers, widows, widowers and others, Treasury and congressional experts are reported agreed on one providing limited and restricted benefits.

In the first place, the bill favored by the experts would limit income deduction for tax purposes to \$300, which might mean the saving of no more than a few dollars in the actual tax paid. In the second place, the proposed deduction for child care would be available only to single heads of household—widows, widowers, separated parents, and others. And finally, such deductions could be applied only to the care of children under seven years of age, presumably on the theory that children of school age are old enough to take care of themselves.

The limitation of deduction to \$300—our

dispatch did not specify whether this was for each child, but did say it was the maximum to be allowed—will not set well with some members of Congress, who think the limit should be at least \$600. And certainly this deduction, of whatever size, does not apply to the amount of tax paid, but only to the amount of taxable income. On the basis of \$300, the experts figure the Treasury would lose only about \$25 million a year from this source, which suggests that the individual saving to the qualified taxpayer would be pretty small.

The case for the working mother is a valid one, since business expenses are deductible, and the Treasury has always been pretty liberal in this regard. Indeed, this latter provision has been so widely abused that something should be done to close the more glaring loopholes.

Air Age Owes Much To Wrights For Their Fundamental Studies

As we enter into the second half of the first century of the air age, it is fitting to pause and pay tribute to the Wright brothers who ushered it into being 50 years ago Thursday.

That this era had unfolded with a rapidly undreamed in the annals of human history is due in no small measure to the sound fundamentals which Orville and Wilbur Wright sought out and proved in their first powered flight.

The initial hop was but a matter of feet. Today we have giant planes capable of circling the globe with a refueling or so while in flight. Speed was not an element of any importance in the experiments at Kitty Hawk; today we have aircraft dashing through the skies at twice the speed of sound.

Their first plane was mostly wood, canvas, wire and glue with a home-made engine because one they bought was too weak. Their initial flight was the result chiefly of their own initiative because most of the "laws" of flight listed in books was wrong.

Their big discovery was that they could make their contraption fly by giving the proper degree of flexibility to the wings.

This was the discovery that distinguished them from all other researchers in the subject, and finally produced powered flight.

The Wrights not only made the first successful powered flight, but they gave the aviation industry and the science of aeronautics in general one of the basic indispensable gadgets: the wind tunnel. They built the first, and they made thousands of experiments with it before hitting upon the answer to the riddle of flight.

As their recently published letters show, the bachelor brothers were dogged by "impossible" situations from the start, made thousands of mistakes, met with all sorts of difficulties. But they had the true spirit of experimentation and research: a determination that overrode all obstacles.

They were to all intents and purposes self-educated. They were humble, retiring and tight-mouthed. To their fellow Daytonians they were just a couple of bicycle tinkers. They were Hoosier-born, and their father was a bishop.

They shattered the old-fogy plaint: "If God had intended men to fly, He would have given them wings."

Instead, He touched the Wrights with genius, and they did the rest.

Business Outlook—J. A. Livingston

Stock Exchange Veep Keeps On Plugging To Put Across Idea

Lewis H. Kimmel, a studious, hard-working, matter-of-fact research economist at the Brookings Institution, started something in June, 1952, when he published his estimate of the number of shareholders in the United States.

He started John Haskell, a vice president of the New York Stock Exchange, to brooding. "Only 6,500,000 stockholders. Something's got to be done about that!"

Haskell talked his brood over with Keith Funston, president of the New York Stock Exchange. He brooded singly and collectively with partners of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane; Thomson & McKinnon; Bache & Co.; Dean Witter & Co.; Baird & Co. (Milwaukee); and other securities firms.

At Haskell's urgency, the market research firm of Stewart, Douglal & Associates made an estimate of the country's stockholder potential. It came out to 21,000,000. And the reality was only 6,500,000.

How could this mass market be reached? Haskell decided there was only one way. To sell stocks by the dollar, not by the share. Purchases would be tailored to the middle-class American's purse. The customer could put up as little as \$40 every three months. He'd buy shares, if necessary, by the fraction. And what he bought, he'd buy outright—not on margin, as in the purchase of an automobile on the installment plan.

When Haskell first broached his plan, he had hard going. One broker declared: "This bargain-basement stuff is not for me. I do business with big customers." Another said: "I'm busy trying to merchandise big blocks of stocks. I can't afford to have my bookkeepers snowed under by penny sales."

Haskell had to fight the battle of the "back office." How could he relieve brokers of the accounting load associated with

thousands of small investors buying fractional shares every month?

He tried the New York commercial banks. Would they handle the books? It would require recording purchases for each subscriber each month, adding those new purchases to old purchases, notifying the customer and the broker, and at the same time, maintaining a master account. The banks couldn't arrange it.

Then Haskell tried the Stock Clearing Corp. of the New York Stock Exchange, which handles transactions among brokers. No dice there.

Finally, he talked to the two large odd-lot houses, Carlisle & Jacquelin and De Coppel & Doremus. These firms make it possible for investors to buy shares in less than full lots (100 shares). They bought the idea. Now, the odd-lot firms will deal in shares by the fractions, but not directly with the public. Orders are placed through any New York Stock Exchange firm.

The Haskell plan for regular stock purchases by the dollar isn't new. Many mutual funds (investment trusts) have plans for monthly or quarterly purchases. Mutual funds make it possible for an investor to buy tiny fractions of many shares in a package all at once.

The Haskell plan gives the investor a direct stake in individual companies. He can buy duPont, or American Can, or General Motors, itself—not as part of a package. He gets annual reports from the companies, and proxies. He must make up his mind—with the advice of brokers if he seeks it—what to buy and when to sell. In a mutual fund, these decisions are made by professional managers.

If brokers like the plan and sell it, they'll gradually build up a group of systematic stock buyers even as banks in the United States have built up a group of systematic savers—in good times and bad. That would be a tremendous accomplishment.

Uncle Ray's Corner

Icebergs Made Of Fresh Water

It is common knowledge that icebergs are a danger to ocean vessels, but I can imagine a time when I should be glad to reach one of them. If you and I were on a lifeboat, and had run-out of drinking water, and if we saw an iceberg nearby, it would seem a good idea to try to reach it.

There would be danger, to be sure, of striking the side of the iceberg, and having the boat bashed in, but that risk would be worth taking. It would be better to dare that danger than to die of thirst.

An iceberg is made of frozen fresh water, and our problem would be to get some of the ice and melt it. A hammer, a hatchet or even a pocket knife would help us obtain pieces of ice to place in our boat. Several ways of melting the ice could be used. If we escaped the danger of being sunk by the iceberg, and rowed away with enough ice, we should have water for days to come.

Icebergs are formed on land, commonly

on tips of vally glaciers. They differ from ice which is made up of frozen ocean water.

These are masses of ice made up of frozen salt water in the Arctic (chiefly in bays) but it is somewhat rare for ocean water to freeze elsewhere north of the equator.

There are three main reasons why the oceans fail to freeze over in the North Temperate Zone. The first is the constant, swelling motion of ocean water, often with gigantic waves. In addition, the oceans are warmed by such currents as the Gulf Stream and the Japan current, and by warmer water which keeps rising to the surface from below. A third reason is the low freezing point of salt water. Fresh water will freeze at 32 degrees Fahrenheit, but ocean water (even though placed in a dish) will freeze only when the weather is several degrees colder.

Tomorrow: Famous Rocks.



"You May Find Something In Your Stocking Soon"

The World Today — James Marlow

Party Harmony Would Be Just About Top Gift Santa Could Give President

WASHINGTON (AP)—Just about the nicest Christmas gift for President Eisenhower would be a package of party harmony, wrapped in a guarantee that all Republicans in 1954 would see eye to eye on everything of importance.

It's a gift he won't get.

Two of the most powerful Republicans in Congress yesterday came out of a White House conference with Eisenhower disagreeing.

One was the 63-year old John Taber with a face stern enough to be Biblical. Taber, a New York lawyer, built himself a reputation thundering for economy.

The other was Dewey Short of Missouri, 55, pink-cheeked and balding. The highly educated Short, who went to Oxford and taught philosophy, has long been one of the main oratorical attractions of the House.

He first went there in 1929, five years after Taber. Short is an orator with gestures which are sometimes as good as the oratory. Short's speeches bring Democrats and Republicans from offices and cloakrooms to listen, and watch.

Leaving the White House, Taber, who once advocated a meat approach to government spending, said optimistically he thought next year's budget could stand big cuts. Short didn't see big cuts at all.

As chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, where all government spending bills have to start, Taber is in a prime position to try to make his predictions of yesterday come true.

All the agency and department heads must parade before him and his committee to explain why they think they need the money the budget says they need. It's the Taber committee's job to keep spending down.

Short, however, is chairman of

the powerful House Armed Services Committee, which gives him a wide view and deep knowledge of the needs of the armed forces.

Since the money which Eisenhower will ask Congress to appropriate for the armed forces will make up by far the biggest item of government spending, Taber will probably try his biggest cuts there.

Taber and Short both sounded off before the budget itself was complete. The Eisenhower administration has been preparing it for months to submit to Congress in January.

Particularly the estimated spending for the armed forces isn't finished yet.

Nevertheless, the budget was one of next year's problems which Eisenhower discussed with Republican congressional leaders in going over the program he'll offer

Congress in January.

The general public will be hearing about the budget, cutting it and balancing it, from now until next summer when Congress will finally finish voting the money for the fiscal year starting July 1.

Taber and Short symbolize the differences which will spring up in Congress among Republicans over government spending, even over Republicans.

The more Eisenhower gets into his program, the more differences he'll see among his Republicans.

In the end he may have to depend on Democrats, who weren't invited to the White House, to help him get his program over.

But if it's any comfort to him, he can remember that former President Truman had a similar problem with his Democrats when he sat in the White House.

Notebook — Hal Boyle

Average Man's Trials Outlast Those Of Job

NEW YORK (AP)—Do we waste more time in our lives than we actually live?

I have been mulling over this problem ever since reading a U.S. Public Health Service estimate that the average man spends 427 days of his life shaving or getting haircuts.

Just how much time do we actually fritter away in the other daily chores of living, chores that subtract from our allotted span but sometimes don't add too much to it in the way of pleasure?

Let us take a typical bald-headed, overweight husband of 50, who has two grown children and four grandchildren. Here is part of the box score of how he has spent his days:

Time spent courting the wrong girls before his wife overtook him—two years.

Time spent waiting for his children to pick out the kind of candy they wanted at the candy store—four months.

Time spent pounding on the bath room door to make some other member of the family get out and let him in—three months.

Time spent waiting for wife to get dressed—12 years.

Time spent explaining the facts of life to his children—10 minutes.

Time spent telling children how much harder he worked when he was their age—one year.

Time spent trying to attract attention of restaurant waiter—two years.

Time spent holding telephone and waiting between moment a secretary's voice says, "Mr. Jones calling," and moment when Mr. Jones finally says "hello"—three years.

Time spent listening to wife—one year.

Time spent answering wife's complaint, "why don't you ever listen to what I tell you"—six years.

Time spent explaining to the boss why he didn't do something the boss didn't believe should be done at the time but later decided was absolutely vital to the continued existence of the firm—five years.

Time spent wondering why he had come to a cocktail party he never wished to attend anyway—four years.

Time spent listening to after dinner speakers—eight years.

Time wasted figuring how to

balance the household budget—one year.

Time wasted in brooding about it later—two years.

Time spent waiting for car ahead of him to start after green traffic light comes on—five months.

Time spent bawling out driver of car behind who honked at him because he was slow in starting—seven months.

Time spent fumbling in pockets for change—one year.

Time spent denouncing the government, taxes, high cost of living and other things he has no control over—12 years.

Time spent in helping his fellow man and praising the departed guest of honor at funerals—15 days.

Time spent waiting for sleeping pills and aspirin tablets to take effect—two years.

Time spent in feeling sorry for himself and brooding over man's inhumanity to man—24 years.

Time spent in church (counting only waking hours and including his own marriage)—eight days, four hours, three minutes.

Time spent on golf course waiting for foursome ahead of him to get on to next hole—three months.

Time wasted trying to save falling hair after it is too late—four years.

Time spent waiting in doctor's and dentist's offices—two years.

Time wasted getting out of dentist's chair—none.

Time spent justifying income tax returns so as to avoid going to jail—two months.

Time wasted complaining about it to friends—four months.

Time spent in jail—none.

Time spent serving on jury—15 days.

Time spent trying to avoid jury duty—30 days.

This box score shows that the average 50-year-old American husband has spent 94 years, 6 months, 8 days, 4 hours and 13 minutes either performing what he regards as the chores of living—or avoiding doing them. It doesn't include the time he spends shaving, getting a haircut, or looking through drawers for a clean shirt.

Naturally, also, it doesn't include the time he has spent sleeping or feeling grateful for being alive.

Around The Rim—The Herald Staff

Local Citizens Still Learning Something About Rules Of ISL

The opinions contained in this and other articles in this column are solely those of the writers who sign them. They are not to be interpreted as necessarily reflecting the opinions of The Herald.—Editor's Note.

Casting about for something besides football to "columnize" on this week is like looking for a Texas University fan on the Texas A&M campus.

It's been a long but fruitful season for our boys, and we were just as "hopping mad" as the next fellow when it was learned that the final game was going to be played down in the bayou country some 550 miles from Big Spring.

During all of the commotion we reflected a bit and decided that few local fans were in existence who would not have relished a match featuring the local team in the finals anywhere on the face of the globe in previous years.

If you had singled out any local fan, say three years ago, he probably would have let it be known he would like to see the day when the Steers went to the finals, even if the game had to be played at the North Pole.

Now, having come this far, our fans and school officials alike are considerably wiser about the functions of the Texas Interscholastic League. After all, we never had any occasion to investigate many of the rules that applied after a team finished its regular district play.

There was that one which affected the

bi-district game—the one which stated that we had to go to Brownwood because the last time we played them in a game that counted in the ISL race it was played on our home field. With that rule in there, we could all hope that the Steers and Port Neches go to the finals again next year so that we can even up the travel budget. They would have to play it on a spot designated by us.

Then, we thought that in case two teams in the playoffs couldn't agree on a method for selecting a game site a neutral field had to be selected. The rule is exactly opposite. So, in that lengthy meeting Saturday night and Sunday in Breckenridge all the Port Neches gang had to do was hold out. The rule book dictated a flip of the coin had to decide the site because no agreement could be reached otherwise.

Well, we're still playing by the rules here in Big Spring, and we hope that if anyone wants them changed after tomorrow it will be Port Neches.

Anyway, I guess we shouldn't feel too downhearted about our ignorance. Odezza is an old hand at this play-off business, and its team has to travel nearly as far as the Steers do this week.

—WACIL McNAIR

Today And Tomorrow—Walter Lippmann

Brownell Violated Solemn Trust And Uncovered Regime's Flank

Perhaps because I was away from Washington when it all began, it seemed to me in reading the record that the biggest puzzle was why Mr. Brownell's attack on ex-President Truman turned so swiftly into Sen. McCarthy's attack on President Eisenhower. Only eighteen days elapsed between Brownell's speech in Chicago and McCarthy's broadcast. In that short time, and by a chain reaction, a Republican attack on the Democrats had become a quarrel within the Republican party. In less than three weeks after Brownell had charged the Democrats with being soft towards Communist spies, McCarthy was charging Eisenhower with being soft about trade with Communist China.

Looking for a solution to the mystery, I may begin by remembering that Eisenhower was nominated against the opposition of the isolationist right wing of the Party. Before he was nominated and during the election his political strength, which is very great, lay in a constituency which cuts across the old party lines. Eisenhower was not a regular Republican. He was a national figure around whom there rallied Republicans, Independents, disaffected Democrats. They were a varied lot. But they had one great and binding conviction in common. They wished in this age of peril to maintain and to continue a national and bi-partisan policy of alliances, within NATO and the United Nations.

Eisenhower could not have been nominated without the backing of this broad constituency. And he is not able to govern without its support. This was proved in the last Congress. According to the Congressional Quarterly there were eighty-three roll calls on Eisenhower proposals. Of these fifty-eight could not have been won by the Administration without Democratic support. In the House twenty out of the thirty-one Eisenhower victories would have been impossible without Democratic support. In the Senate thirty-eight roll calls out of forty-two were won by Eisenhower because he had Democratic support.

The fact is that the Republican party has only the thinnest kind of nominal majority in Congress, and on the great issues of foreign policy this majority is deep and sharply divided with itself.

For a generation the Republican party has been divided within itself on the paramount issues of isolationism and unilateralism vs alliances and reciprocity. For at least twenty years the isolationist wing has never been strong enough to nominate and elect its own candidate for President. When at long last a Republican was elected President, he was a man who did not belong to the isolationist right wing. He was in fact a man who had great and decisive political strength outside the isolationist right wing.

For that reason Eisenhower cannot be successful President unless he keeps the political support which won him the nomination. If he lets the isolationists take control of his administration, he must inevitably alienate an indispensable part of his own political strength.

His problem is how to govern in spite of the division of his party. For he cannot hope to unite the party by converting the isolationists to his views. They have genuine and deep convictions. They may be wrong, but they have a reputable case, and they cannot be talked out of their views. The best that the President can do is to obtain their assent, to induce them to let him lead. This he can do, however, only if it is always manifest that the Eisenhower following is intact—that in the country and in the Congress he is so strong that he can carry his measures even against the opposition of the isolationist right wing. Then if his power is unquestioned, magnanimity and tolerance will not be appeasement and surrender.

Bearing this in mind, we can, I think, see why Brownell's speech precipitated a political convulsion among the Republicans. Brownell used partisanship of a kind that threatens to make bi-partisanship on the great issues impossible. It has threatened to cut away from Eisenhower an indispensable part of his support. Without the Democrats and the Independents who like Ike and are bi-partisan in foreign affairs, the President would be left with only an uncertain minority of regular Republicans behind him.

Brownell, intending to hurt the Democrats, uncovered the right flank of the Eisenhower administration. Suddenly it appeared that Eisenhower, who is strong in his party only when he is stronger than his party, had been separated by Brownell's extreme partisanship from the Eisenhower bi-partisan constituency. At that moment he was open and vulnerable to McCarthy's offensive, which is a formidable effort to seize control of the powers of the President, and to reverse the foreign policy of the United States. A measure of how vulnerable Eisenhower had suddenly become can be had by noting that the Republican leader of the Senate, Mr. Knowland, gave his public support not to the President, whose leadership was challenged, but to McCarthy.

Why was the Brownell speech so damaging to Eisenhower's political position? Because Brownell had carried partisanship beyond the point of no return; he had aggravated party contest into party warfare. He did that when he drew upon the secret files of the FBI. He is the steward there in a solemn trust. Those files have never before been used as a stockpile of political ammunition in partisan politics. The use of this outlawed ammunition opened up the threatening prospect that the Eisenhower administration would attempt to win elections and to keep itself in power by drawing its own selected material from the FBI files; that it would use that material to argue that the Democrats as such cannot be trusted on the issue of loyalty.

Men do not, men cannot, and men will not collaborate when the political contest of the party is envenomed to the point where it becomes a war of political extermination. How can men of differing views and parties work together for national ends under the President's leadership if they must wonder whether his Attorney General might be planning to pick a bullet from the secret files and to shoot them in the back?

I have always thought highly of Mr. Brownell. But what he did was a truly terrible thing to do. He planted the seeds of irreparable discord. The most charitable thing one can say is that he did not realize what he was doing. But the President realized what Brownell had done and he tried to undo it.

Perhaps it was easier for him to realize the enormity of the damage. For, unlike Brownell, he knows the outer world, and has been in the Old World. There he has seen how great nations decline and fall when the people become irreconcilably divided among themselves, when politicians become enemies when instead of trying to win elections by honest and open debate, they make schemes to destroy one another.

In the democracies that are foundering, and there are many of them, the underlying bonds have been ruptured which hold men together through all their differences in one community. The parties deny the good faith and loyalty of the opposition. Partisanship is a license to outlaw and ruin political opponents. When such a rupture of faith and confidence has occurred, democratic government and free institutions are no longer workable.

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Yanks To Play In Rented Park Next Season

NEW YORK (U.S.)—The world champion New York Yankees will play ball next season in a stadium owned by a Chicago real estate firm located on land owned by the Knights of Columbus but it will still be the "House That Ruth Built."

Del Webb and Dan Topping, co-owners of the baseball club, sold Yankee Stadium and Blues Stadium in Kansas City yesterday for \$4 million dollars.

They sold to the Arnold Johnson Corp. of Chicago, headed by Arnold Johnson. Johnson then sold the land under Yankee Stadium and the adjacent parking lots—about four acres of ground—to the Knights of Columbus for 2 1/2 million dollars.

Next, Johnson rented back the land from the K. of C. and then leased the whole works back to the Yankees. Johnson kept the Kansas City park.

Webb and Topping, along with Larry McPhail, paid only \$2,800,000 in 1945 for both ball parks, the Yankee ball club, its players and all equipment, the Kansas City ball club and its players and the Newark ball club. In 1947 Webb and Topping bought out McPhail for two million dollars.

Tax experts said that on their profit of some 3 1/2 million dollars Webb and Topping will pay a capital gains tax of about 26 per cent or roughly \$900,000.

None of the parties would reveal the Yankee rental but most guesses ranged around \$150,000. In addition the Yankee ball club will pay the taxes on the stadium.

The tax experts said Webb and Topping improved their tax position here, too, since they will be able to charge off the rental cost as expense deductible from gross income. About the only deductions they could claim as owners were upkeep and taxes and they will still get to charge these off also.

Johnson's lease on the land could run as long as 70 years. He also has the privilege of buying back the land after 15 years for three million dollars.

The Knights of Columbus get the stadium property when Johnson's lease on the land runs out. Webb and Topping said the deal had nothing to do with their baseball club. "We are merely getting out of the real estate business," Topping said.

Luke E. Hart, supreme knight of the K. of C. and chairman of the order's investment committee said the deal was a "long-term income investment" of the order's insurance funds. The K. of C. has similar property investments in Chicago and elsewhere.



Star Port Neches End

One of Quarterback Jackie Hathorn's favorite passing targets is Rodney LeBouef, 152-pound end, who'll play for Port Neches against Big Spring in the state championship football game in Port Neches Saturday afternoon.

Longhorns Lose In First Round

ODESSA (SC) — Big Spring, ousted from the championship round of the Odessa Invitational Tournament Thursday by Abilene, was prepared to face Pecos in consolation round activity at 1 p.m. Big Spring yielded to Abilene by a score of 51-37. A youngster by the name of Twyman Ash paced the Eagles with a 15-point effort. Wiley Brown tossed in 11 for Big Spring. Wayne Tollett had six and Jerry Brooks seven for the Longhorns.

San Angelo emerged as the favorite in the tournament by clipping Sweetwater, 61-57. In other first round games, Snyder upset Odessa, 44-43; Midland outlasted Kermit, 47-40; Plainview raced past Alpine, 59-50; Jefferson of El Paso downed Lamesa, 60-46; and Coleman upset Lubbock, 53-34.

Second round pairings (championship flight): Plainview vs Jefferson (EP), 2:30 p.m.; Coleman vs Midland, 6 p.m.;

San Angelo vs Snyder, 7:30 p.m.;

Abilene vs Brownwood, 9 p.m.;

First round pairings (consolation round): Sweetwater vs Odessa, 9 a.m.;

Lamesa vs Alpine, 10:30 a.m.;

Big Spring vs Pecos, 1 p.m.;

Lubbock vs Kermit, 4 p.m.;

The tournament ends Saturday night.

Abilene (51)	FG	FT	PF	TF
Ad	7	1	9	19
Perry	0	1	3	2
Vick	2	1	0	2
Barrett	1	2	4	4
D. Boyd	2	0	2	4
Strange	3	0	1	6
Milner	1	5	1	6
Winkler	2	2	2	4
H. Boyd	0	1	0	2
Clark	1	0	2	2
Totals	19	13	19	51

Yearlings Win, Lose At Odessa

ODESSA (SC) — Junior High School basketball teams of Big Spring and Bowle of Odessa broke even in games played here Thursday evening.

The Yearlings representing the Big Spring Eighth Grade won, 30-19, but the Big Spring Ninth Grade lost, 40-25.

In the Eighth Grade game, Jan Shursen led the Big Springers with 18 points, Eugene Walker and Julius Glickman each had four. Sherrod paced Odessa with ten.

In the Ninth Grade game, Jimmy Bice had eight for Big Spring while Marvin Wooten and Mike Musgrove each came in for six. Stice proved Odessa's top scorer with 12.



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In games of the past season the Steers have played with such vigor that sportswriters have come to talk of their "bruising game" and "thunderous ground attack."

Earlier, a few thought the Steers were rougher than the rules allowed. Later they joined the ranks of Steer supporters, convinced by pictures and closer observation that the Steers simply didn't hold back anything in their body contacts.

What sort of lads are these squaden—rowdies or a gashouse gang?

Not on your life! Pick out any one of them, and he is more likely than not to be that clean-cut, mild-mannered young man sitting next to you in church on Sunday morning.

The Herald conducted a survey of the Steer squad and results indicate that many have come to college—some of the secrets of success for Carl Coleman's finalists is that he has one of the best collection of boys ever assembled on a high school team here.

Coleman has long argued that this was so. And by best he means scholastically, morally and in extra-curricula activities as well as in football. There have been practically no disciplinary problems this year and team spirit has remained constantly high.

Two of the Steers are straight A students. Another six are B-plus in their averages. Twelve stack up as B students, and six each as C-plus and C scholars. So scholastically they stack up better than average. Only once during the season was a team member ineligible because of low grades, and then for only one game.

Out of 31 squadmen polled, 18 said they attended Sunday (or Bible) School regularly. Another 10 were occasional participants in Sunday School, and only three seldom attended.

The record was even better for worship services. Twenty boys regularly attend church and the remaining 11 attend occasionally. None listed his church attendance in the seldom category.

Five of the boys are officers in their Sunday School classes. One of the coaching staff is a Sunday School teacher and Coach Coleman formerly served in this capacity.

Fifteen of the boys belong to the Hi-Y Club at the YMCA. Another nine are members of the DeMolays.

Many have been Scouts and two—Bill Earley and Billy Martin—hold the highest rank of Eagle.

One, Roger Brown, is president of the senior class. Carlisle Robinson is junior class president. Jimmy Porter is president of the student council. Roger Brown and Billy Earley are members of the council and Buddy Cosby served on it last year. Robert Angel is president of the Hi-Y Club and was lieutenant governor at the recent Youth-in-Government project in Austin.

All this doesn't add up to perfection, or a bunch of Fauneroys on Friday. But a football uniform on them and they play the game for keeps. Thus, those who know the squad best are least surprised that it is in the state AAA finals Saturday.

Young Favored Over Graham

NEW YORK (AP)—Paddy Young is a 7-5 favorite to spoil welterweight contender Billy Graham's bid for middleweight laurels in Madison Square Garden tonight.

Graham, 31, boasting a victory over third-ranking middleweight contender Joey Giardello and a draw with second-ranking Rocky Castellani, has decided to aim for Bobo Olson's 160-pound crown.

A veteran of 120 pro bouts in 13 years of fighting for cash, Graham is spotting his fellow New Yorker 10 pounds and six years in the 10-rounder. Billy will weigh about 150 to Paddy's 160.

The question mark in this fight is just how much zip Graham has left in his legs. Billy needs plenty of spring for his left-jabbing, counterpunching style of boxing. If he's lost it, he'll be a target for the 25-year-old Paddy's smashing left hooks and body assault.

There's a lot of betting locally on the catchweight match. The odds switched back and forth from the time the two signed but in the last few days the heavier cash has been going for Young.

Still rated as the No. 5 welterweight contender, Billy figures the middleweights will be easier if he can whip Young, rated eighth among the 160-pounders.

"I might just as well get in the scramble for Olson," said Graham. There's lively interest in the encounter and a crowd of about 7,000 or 8,000 is expected to pay upwards of \$25,000 at the gate.

The bout, starting at 10 p.m. EST, will be broadcast (ABC) and telecast (NBC) coast to coast.

This will be Graham's 121st pro fight. His record is 100-11-9 with 25 knockouts. He never has been stopped. Young's record is 45-9-5. He's been halted twice, by Turco (Kid) Portuguese and Gene Hairston.

This year Graham outpointed Art Aragon and Giardello, lost a close 12-rounder to Carmen Basilio and drew with Basilio in another 12. Young whipped Ernie Durando in a 12, lost a 15-rounder to Olson for the American middleweight title, and knocked out Sammy Ghiliani in two rounds Nov. 6.

Steers Bid For First State Crown Saturday

Port Neches Is Host To Locals

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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The Big Spring Steers seek to climax a great 1953 football season by winning their first State AAA football championship in history Saturday afternoon.

Carl Coleman's Longhorns take the field against Port Neches at Port Neches at 2 p.m.

In the eyes of all observers, the Steers are overwhelming favorites to bring home the bacon. However, the Port Neches team has been improving each week and could pose quite a problem for the title-hungry Bovine.

Big Spring boasts the better defensive record.

The Indians were two-touchdown underdogs to undefeated and untied Edinburg last week, yet defeated the Bobcats from the Texas Valley on penetrations.

The Steers are set to go all out in this one. There's no reason to hold back, to hide anything. Whereas, the scouts from throughout the state followed their every move in previous games, there'll be no need for scouting today. For both teams, this winds it up for the year.

Of the 58 AAA teams which opened the state race back in September, these are the only two still playing.

The Steers expect to see more passing than they have seen all season. Jackie Hathorn, the Port Neches quarterback, is an ace aerialist.

He also teams with Earl Sheffield to give the Indians an explosive running game.

The Warriors will have the faster club but must spot the Steers more than 15 pounds per man in the line. Too, Port Neches isn't as deep as Big Spring.

Carl Coleman is hoping for a dry field. He reasons his charges stand a much better chance of stopping Hathorn's passes than they do, if the ground is soggy. Their best pass defense has been rushing the passer.

Port Neches' outside speed may be a source of worry for the Longhorns, too.

On the other hand, Big Spring's running game poses a grave threat to the Port Neches' defenses. The Steers have simply overwhelmed Brownwood and Gainesville, their two playoff foes.

In their two playoff contests, the locals have scored the astonishing total of 98 points. All but one of their touchdown plays came on scrimmage plays.

Carlisle (Frosty) Robinson and J. C. Armistead will again spearhead the Big Spring attack but those two thunderous runners can expect lots of help from such lads as Brick Johnson, Billy Martin, Buddy Cosby and others.

To see how the job is done, at least 500 local persons will be on the sidelines. Thousands of others here and throughout the state will follow the game on a special radio hookup.

Dallas Top Bidder For Grid School

DALLAS (AP)—The site of the 1954 coaching school will be picked tomorrow by the board of directors of the Texas High School Coaches Association. Dallas is a top bidder for the clinic.

The board opened its winter meeting here today with selection of the instructors for the school the first business on the agenda. All except the basketball instructors will be picked but it may be tomorrow before they are announced. They must be contacted and acceptances obtained before they are revealed.

Dallas, Houston and Austin have filed bids for the coaching school. San Antonio, Lubbock and Amarillo may also seek the big clinic that attracts 1,500 coaches the first week in August each year.

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Ends Fine Career Saturday
J. C. Armistead, hard-running fullback of the Big Spring Steers, winds up his schoolboy football career in the state AAA finals at Port Neches Saturday, J. C., who is earning his fourth grid letter, is the Steers' leading ground gainer.

OVER AUSSIES

Talbert Gambles And Wins Match

BRISBANE, Australia (AP)—United States Davis Cup Captain Billy Talbert gambled and won today when he teamed with his young protege, Tony Trabert, and carved out a 6-3, 6-2, 4-6, 9-7 victory over Belgium's Philippe Washer and Jacques Brichant in the doubles match of the Davis Cup finals.

Talbert, old "long pants" of the prewar days, substituted himself for Vic Seixas, his slumping star, and he certainly made the right decision. The 35-year-old veteran, who has been playing little competitive tennis, was superb for two when the pace began to get him.

The victory was a must for the American team. Now they need only to split tomorrow's final two singles matches to gain the Challenge Round against Australia at the end of the month.

Talbert said he would send Seixas back into action against Washer and Trabert against Brichant, a reversal of the first two singles opponents. It was yesterday that Brichant upset Seixas and had Talbert worrying over just what course of action to take.

Billy used himself reluctantly and only after talking the entire matter over with the players and Dr. S. E. Davenport, manager of the team and a power in the United States Lawn Tennis Assn.

"We decided it was the most logical move for today," Talbert said. "The decision was made with the welfare of the team as a whole in mind and no thought for individuals."

But he still is worried about Seixas.

"There is nothing we can do about tomorrow," he said with a frown. He definitely won't play singles himself.

Billy was asked if Seixas had volunteered withdrawing because of his poor play.

"I make the decisions," Talbert said.

GRID BROADCASTS:

SATURDAY
Big Spring vs Port Neches at Port Neches, 2 p.m. KTXC Big Spring and KHSB Big Spring (Bud Sherman doing play-by-play).
Odessa vs Lamar at Houston, 2 p.m. KOVA Odessa, KRIG Odessa, KECK Odessa and RRLD Dallas (George Mooney doing play-by-play).

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Texas Western 82, McMurry 51
Rice 85, St. Johns 81
Duke 51, Texas 56
Amarillo JC 89, Lamar (Colo.) 86
NAAL TOURNAMENT (first round)
East Texas 75, Findlay (Ohio) 68
Springfield (Mo.) 88, Neb. Wesleyan 86
Illinois Wesleyan 77, Miss. Southern 71
Hamline 81, Rockhurst 68

Other Games

W. Kentucky 78, St. Francis (Ind.) 88
Army 81, Ithaca 87
Duke 51, Texas 56
Rice 85, St. Johns (Ind.) 81
Iona 70, Xavier (Ohio) 61
Little Rock JC 88, Hendrix 62
Delta (Miss.) State 82, Ouchitla 88

SOUTH

Maryland 80, Virginia Tech 53
Wake Forest 82, Morehead State 81
Virginia 81, Wash-Lee 82
Northwestern Ia 81, Central (Mo.) 54
Louisiana Tech 82, Southern State (Ark.) 61
McNeese (La.) 63, Camp Poole 88
Ky. Wesleyan 71, Berea (Ky.) 68
Delia (Miss.) State 82, Ouchitla 88

SOUTHWEST

Lon Morris 88, Weber (Utah) 63
Centenary 78, Arizona State (Tempe) 71
Arkansas State 71, Florence (Ala.) 61
Little Rock JC 88, Hendrix 62
Ark. State Tech 82, Coll. of Ozarks 63

MICHIGAN

Michigan State 80, Marquette 60
Notre Dame 81, Chicago Loyola 68
Oklahoma City 80, College of Pacific 64
Wichita 100, Creighton 87

PAK WEST

Beloit 70, Macalester 63
Erickville (Mo.) 68, Marquette (Mo.) 56
Peru (Neb.) 68, Tarkio 51
Phillips Oilers 86, Morningside 87

FAVORITE

Sacramento State 45, Washington State 44
Idaho State 51, Utah State 44
Seattle 74, Los Angeles Loyola 56

Though high jumping is the specialty of J. (Papa) Hall, University of Florida track star, he also runs the 100-yard and 220-yard dashes.

PROBABLE STARTERS

No.	Big Spring	Wt.	Pos.	Port Neches	Wt.	No.
82	Don Reynolds	160	L-E-R	Rodney LeBouef	152	46
75	J. W. Thompson	190	L-T-R	Malcom Herbert	170	51
61	Paschal Odum	160	L-G-R	Tom Harvey	185	58
50	Norman Dudley	190	Center	Hubert Miller	168	60
73	Tiny Ellison	285	R-G-L	James Blount	185	52
70	Louis Stipp	170	R-T-L	Winston LeFeur	174	50
83	Wayne Medlin	170	R-E-L	W. T. Black	153	53
10	Frank Long	140	QB	Jackie Hathorn	168	45
51	Frosty Robinson	190	LHB	Earl Sheffield	148	41
21	Brick Johnson	165	RHB	Ronnie Choate	155	39
30	J. C. Armistead	170	FB	Gordon LeBouef	156	37

Doak Walker Discovered He Could Kick In Pro Football

By JOE FALLS

DETROIT (AP)—A glamor boy in college, Halfback Doak Walker of the Detroit Lions didn't stub his toe when he played professional football. He found it.

The Lions will be banking heavily on Walker's place kicking when they defend their National Football League title against the Cleveland Browns, Dec. 27.

This is rather odd, too, because when Walker was gaining national fame with Southern Methodist a few years ago he did everything—but kick.

"I recall only one field goal in high school and three in college," Walker said. "Kicking is still rather new to me."

When Fullback Pat Harder became a victim of age, Walker took over the Lions' place kicking duties—both the long and short boots. In the past, he kicked only from close up on the theory he didn't have enough power for the longer ones.

Walker responded with 12 field goals in 19 attempts, several over the 35-yard stripe. This mark was second only to Lou (The Original Toe) Groza of Cleveland, whose 23 of 26 field goal attempts put him in a class by himself.

It's almost a necessity for the Lions to get good place kicking against the Browns because Groza

virtually kicks two or three a game himself.

Walker also kicked 27 or 29 extra points. The two misses were on bad passes from center.

The slight, 170-pound halfback does more than kick, though. He was the best pass catcher on the team, with 30 receptions for 502 yards. He also rushed for 337 yards—an average of 5.1 yards per try. Walker scored five touchdowns and wound up with 93 points.

WEAVER WILL SPEAK HERE

Date for the annual Football Banquet, given by the Lions Club in honor of the Steer grid team, has been set for Jan. 22.

Roxie Dobbins, president, announced that Dewitt Weaver, coach of the Texas Tech Red Raiders—Gator Bowl opponent of Auburn, will be the speaker.

Hour and place of the banquet have not yet been fixed. Dobbins made the announcement now so that fans who wish to attend can keep that date open.

on your side," says Coach Buddy Parker, "is that he comes through when you need it most."

The records stand behind Parker. Walker, who missed most of the 1952 season with a leg injury, returned in time to help Detroit beat Los Angeles in a playoff for the Western division title. Then, in the title game, he sprinted 67 yards to nail down a 17-7 victory over Cleveland.

And only last week, against the fired-up New York Giants, he played his best game of the season, scoring twice in a 27-16 victory which again clinched the Western division championship.

You can be sure the Browns are mapping strategy to stop Walker.

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Jayhawks Limp To 48-38 Win Over McMurry Bees

ABILENE (SC) — P. D. Fletcher stepped out to lead the crippled Howard County Junior College Jayhawks of Big Spring to a 48-38 triumph over the McMurry Bees in a basketball game played here Thursday night.

Fletcher hit for 21 points, the result of seven field goals and five free pitches. It was, by far, his best exhibition of the season. Coach Harold Davis did not use Jim Knotts the first half of play but sent him in after the intermission. The Hawks, who had trailed by four points at the half time whistle, seemed to find themselves after that and took command with a 19-point third period.

Don Stevens, despite an ailing arm, collected 11 points for the Hawks while Knotts came in for eight.

Bill McClure paced McMurry with 11.

The Hawks returned home to disband until after the Christmas holidays. The rest will be most welcome to the Big Springers, since most of the regulars are favoring injuries.

HCJC (48)	FG	FT	PF	TF
Jim Knotts	7	12	5	4
Don Stevens	5	10	3	11
Jerald Farmer	3	10	1	1
Tommy Patterson	4	10	2	2
P. D. Fletcher	7	8	2	21
Tom Anderson	3	10	1	2
Alvin White	1	0	0	0
Calvert Shortes	1	0	0	0
Charley Howie	0	0	0	0
Orville Haggood	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	60	15	24

McMURRY (38)	FG	FT	PF	TF
George Peel	2	11	1	5
Bob Hayworth	4	11	1	5
Bill Pierce	3	11	1	5
Bill McClure	4	11	1	5
Ezra Corley	1	0	0	0
Charles Atkins	0	0	0	0
Frank Young	0	0	0	0
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J. Wells	1	0	0	0
Totals	15	54	5	20

HCJC: 18 24 28
McMURRY: 8 18 24 28
Officials—Wade and Mosier.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Here's how I see the high school football playoff games this week-end:

BIG SPRING 33, PORT NECHES 14.
They say a team spots Port Neches a touchdown merely by playing the Indians at home. They spot them another TD, it's added, when a team has to travel as far as Big Spring has.

So, there are two touchdowns for Neches. Big Spring took its hitting clothes along, though, and there is no high school team in the state that can slow the Steer express, once it gets to rolling.

An observer says Big Spring and Odessa should have fought it out for the championship of this area and Lamar and Neches met for the title in Southeast Texas. At least, that might have pleased everyone here who wanted to see Big Spring in action and can't, for obvious reasons.

I'm thinking Big Spring and Odessa would have a whale of a game.

ODESSA 20, LAMAR (HOUSTON) 13.
Carl Schlemeyer and Company haven't looked impressive for two weeks in a row now.

Carl and his receivers should really step out and give the Houston folks a show, however, just to give fans in that area an idea of how they play football out here.

Lamar has a fine attack built around Walter Fondren and will have the advantage of playing on familiar grounds. Odessa was hard pressed to eke out a statistical win over Woodrow Wilson last week.

Still, Lamar has not faced a boy like Schlemeyer and will have to relax its tightly-knit defense to build its aerial armor. Trouble is, when Schlemeyer cranks up and throws, there's very little anyone can do.

BALLINGER 21, COMANCHE 6.
Odessa and Big Spring had to take their lumps in early season games before they really came around. Ballinger was the same way. The Bearcat look awesome now and should hurdle Comanche on the way to the state AA crown.

HUNTSVILLE 14, REFUGIO 0.
Huntsville, though it was held to a single touchdown last week, has just about the most offense-minded team in the state.

LeVega may have given Huntsville its toughest test until it meets Ballinger.

RANGER 34, CLIFTON 14.
Ranger looks plenty potent in any kind of competition. The team has been impressive in all its starts and looks capable of moving into the Class A finals.

LULING 14, DEER PARK 7.
A shot in the dark. However, Luling looked to advantage in its quarterfinal assignment. Deer Park had a lot of trouble with Lyford.

All in all, it looks like West Texas will be well represented when it comes time to pass around the state championships.

'Injured Man' Act Voted Most Unusual Incident

NEW YORK (AP)—Notre Dame's much-discussed "injured player" time-out in its Nov. 21 deadlock with the Iowa Hawkeyes popped up again today to be voted college football's "most unusual incident" in an Associated Press poll of sportswriters and sportscasters.

The Irish "incident," which brought forth nationwide expression of pros and cons, easily won out over the Duke-Navy "short count" and the collapse of Frank Leahy during the Notre Dame-Georgia Tech game in October.

The N.D.-Iowa controversy, labeled by some who halloated as the "big faint" and "the dying swan act," was one of the most heated in recent seasons.

It was set off by tackle Frank Varrichione who—with only seconds remaining in the first half, the Irish trailing 7-0 and already having used up its allotment of five time-outs—suddenly clutched at his back and legs and fell to the

ground. A time-out was called, following which quarterback Ralph Guglielmi fired a 12-yard touchdown pass to end Dan Shannon to tie the score.

The Duke-Navy "three downs" affair came in the third quarter of their Nov. 7 game. With the ball on Navy's 16 in Duke's possession, the officials inadvertently allowed the Blue Devils only three plays before handing the ball over to the Midshipmen. The game ended in a scoreless tie.

Leahy's collapse, later attributed to muscle spasms, occurred during halftime, while the Notre Dame coach was walking into his team's dressing room. He was taken to a hospital during the third quarter but the Irish went on to win, 27-14.

Of 56 varsity football players at West Virginia University, 38 are from West Virginia, 13 from nearby Pennsylvania, four from Ohio and one from New York.

Colts Appoint Layne As Boss For Next Year

SAN ANGELO (SC) — H1111's Layne, one-time infielder for the Washington Senators, has been named manager of the San Angelo Colts of the Longhorn League.

He succeeds Rudy Briner, who guided the Colts to a second place finish in the circuit last year.

Layne has been in baseball 11 seasons. He managed Anderson of the Class B Tri-State League in 1952.

He played three years in the Southern Association and parts of three seasons with Washington.

In 1945, he got in 61 games as a third baseman with the Senators and batted .299.

In 1948, he led the Pacific Coast League in batting with a .369 mark and wound up hitting .342 the following year. He was manager at Anderson since 1951 and at Pine Bluff in the Cotton State League in 1952.

He hit .385 for Anderson last year. At San Angelo, he will be a playing manager.

Miners To Depend Upon Fine Spirit

EL PASO (AP)—Mississippi Southern will be well advised to bring a spiritualistic medium along for its Sun Bowl football engagement with the Texas Western Jan. 1.

The host Miners boast the seventh strongest defense in the nation and Coach Mike Brumblow says it's all spirit.

"When you have a high rating in anything, there's usually a reason," he said. "The only one I can think of for our Miners is spirit."

"The spirit of this Miner team is just as good as any I've seen in 25 years of coaching."

The Miners wound up their pre-Christmas drills today and will return to action Dec. 26. Brumblow promised heavy stress on defense after the holiday.

The coach declined to single out any individual players as the rocks of the defense which yielded only an average of 198.6 yards per game during the regular season.

First Of Football Playoff Games Are Slated Tonight

By The Associated Press
The next to last weekend of Texas schoolboy football starts Friday with games in the lower classes. The big climax comes Saturday when champions are decided in the major divisions—

Enemy Errors Help Raiders

NEW YORK (AP)—If its statistical behavior during the regular season is a reliable guide, Texas Tech, when it faces Auburn in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville Jan. 1 will probably recover a flock of fumbles, get penalized right and left, push across a stack of touchdowns and miss a mess of extra points.

NCAA figures today show that the Raiders set an all-time major college record in fumble recoveries, were penalized more times and for more yardage than any other team, and had the odd distinction of trying most, making most and missing most extra points.

The Texans were the highest scoring team in the country, so they got most conversion tries, 64. They made 44, and they missed 20.

Their biggest satisfaction came in the fumble department, where they gave the purest demonstration of the truth of that time-honored coaching prayer, "If we could only stop fumbling." Last year Texas Tech led the nation in fumbles lost, with 31, and won three games, lost seven and tied one.

This year, it not only clung to the ball but picked up 32 enemy fumbles—and won ten out of eleven games.

Those 32 recoveries wiped out the record of 30, set in 1949 by Colorado A&M and matched in 1951 by Detroit and New York University. Since the Raiders fumbled only 17 times themselves, their "profit" of 15 fumbles was the largest in the country.

Less profitable were the 86 penalties meted out against Texas Tech for 760 yards. Three teams suffered more on a per-game basis, Cincinnati being set back 73.1 yards a game, Northwestern 69.8 and Kansas State 69.7. Texas Tech's average was 69.1.

Odessa vs Lamar (Houston) for the Class AAAA crown and Big Spring vs Port Neches for the Class AAA title.

Finalists in Class A are on the line Friday night as Ranger plays Clifton at Wharton.

One-half of the finals picture in Class AA will be determined Friday with Ballinger and Comanche battling at Coleman. Saturday afternoon, the Ballinger-Coleman winner's foe in the finals will come from a game between Huntsville and Refugio at Huntsville.

Lamar is a light favorite to beat Odessa in the AAAA showdown at Houston Saturday afternoon as a crowd of 30,000 looks on at Rice Stadium. It will be the largest turnout in schoolboy football in years.

Big Spring is a heavy choice to whip Port Neches at Port Neches Saturday afternoon and annex its first Class AAA state title. A

throng of 8,500—capacity—is expected to see the battle at Port Neches.

Comanche and Huntsville are favored to reach the finals of Class AA, meaning two undefeated, untied teams in the championship game.

In Class A, Ranger, which has lost one game, is favored over undefeated, untied Clifton, while Deer Park is picked over Luling in a clash of unbeaten, untied elevens.

The Luling and Deer Park game, however, is considered a virtual tossup affair in most quarters and victory for Luling would occasion no surprise.

Lamar carries an unbeaten but twice-tied record into its struggle with Odessa, which lost one and tied one during its drive to the finals for the first time since 1945.

Neither team is unbeaten in the Class AAA final. In fact, each has lost three games.

Flock Upsets St. John's

By The Associated Press
Southwest Conference basketball teams split two games Thursday night with strong Eastern collegians as Texas Christian prepared to meet a challenge Friday night from Abilene Christian College.

Texas' Longhorns, dropping their third game in five starts, fell before the undefeated Dukes of Duquesne University, 71-58, at Pittsburgh, while Rice was defeating potent St. John's, 85-61, in Madison Square Garden, New York.

Saturday night Arkansas plays host to Missouri at Fayetteville, Baylor invades Nashville to play Vanderbilt. Rice meets Tennessee in Knoxville and touring Texas takes on Manhattan in New York.

In winning their sixth straight game the Duquesne Dukes took a 41-29 halftime lead over the Longhorns and were never headed as the Texans missed field goal attempts time and again. In the first quarter, the Longhorns made only 3 of 22 shots from the floor.

Rice Owls Work On Grid Timing

HOUSTON (AP)—Emphasis on timing was scheduled to take up the major portion of training time today for the Rice Owl football team.

Rice is host to Alabama Jan. 1 in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas.

Coach Jess Neely said yesterday after the Owls had been through two light workouts that blocking and tackling would get full attention today, too.

Neely cut his squad to the 36 men who will make the Dallas trip yesterday, releasing freshmen and squadmen for the holidays. He said Rice would continue its two-a-day workout schedule through next Wednesday.

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Gift Ideas For Him

There's plenty of merchandise right here in Big Spring to provide attractive gifts for those men on your Christmas shopping list. B. R. Wood, 1608 East 15th, looks over some of the selections at Prager's Men's store, while A. J. Prager displays a new hat for inspection.

Testing Is Continued On Luther Venture After 243-Barrel Flow

Testing was being continued today at Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. 1 Helen Virgil Little, wildcat project near Luther, following flow of 243 barrels of oil in 12 hours through a 24-64th inch choke.

Borden

F. Kirk Johnson and Robert L. Wood No. 1 Owens, 2,162 from west and 660 from south lines, 12-33-3n, T&P survey, hit 8,425 feet in black shale.

Texas Crude No. 1-10 Modesta (Good) Simpson, C SW, SW, 10-33-3n, T&P survey, is reported making hole at 7,345 feet in lime.

Skelly No. 1 Windham, C SE SE, 674-97-H&T&C survey, got down to 4,602 feet in lime.

Stanolind No. 1 J. Homer Beal, C SW SE NE, 14-31-3n, T&P survey, reached 7,590 feet in lime and shale.

Texas Company No. 8-A Clayton, 662 from north and 2,002 from west lines, 32-32-4n, T&P survey, is drilling at 5,620 feet in lime.

Dawson

Cities Services No. 1 Winford, C SW SE, 3-4-Cunningham survey, is boring below 5,741 feet in limestone. Carleton Beal No. 1 J. H. Adkins, C NW SE, 20-35-5n, T&P survey, is trying to regain lost circulation at depth of 6,087 feet in lime.

Ray Abaugh No. 1-A Graves, C SW SE, 48-34-3n, T&P survey, made it to 8,772 feet in lime.

Murphy No. 1 Walls, C SW NW, 12-35-5n, T&P survey, dug to 5,950 feet in shale.

Glasscock

Sun Oil Company completed its No. 28 Hart Phillips in the Howard-Glasscock field for a potential on pump of 40.12 barrels of oil. Some 49 per cent of recovery was water. Gas-oil ratio was 33-1, and gravity measured 33.2. Top of pay was 2,180 feet, total depth was 2,314.

and the 5/8 inch oil string went to 2,073. Pay zone was acidized with 3,000 gallons. Elevation was 2,660 feet. Location is 330 from south and east lines, 14-33-T&P survey.

Howard

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. 1 Helen Virgil Little, C SW NE, 11-32-2n, T&P survey, was still testing today following recovery of 243 barrels of oil in 12 hours through a 24-64th inch choke. Flow followed acidizing with 500 gallons of mud.

BIG RECEPTION DUE FOR TEAM

Local football fans are being urged to take part in a big reception for the local high school football team, upon the Steers' return from Port Neches, here Sunday night.

Time of arrival will be announced later. The reception will take place at Steer Stadium, where the players will disembark.

Win, lose or draw, the team deserves a championship greeting, Omar Jones of the Big Spring Quarterback Club stated.

Mitchell

Great Western No. 1 Bauman, C SW SE, 62-25-1s, T&P survey, bored to 7,826 feet in lime.

Wellman, Weiner and DeCleva No. 1-39 Blessingame, C SE SW, 39-27-T&P survey, made it to 2,739 feet in lime and shale.

Sun No. 10 McCabe, C NW SW, 4-1A-H&T&C survey, reached 6,628 feet in shale.

Humble No. 1 W. G. Trulock, 660 from west and 2,090 from north lease lines, 6-28-1s, T&P survey, should have potential of 304 barrels of oil per day instead of the 304 erroneously reported Thursday.

Mising Navy Plane Spotted

LONDON (AP)—The broken wreckage of a missing American Navy patrol bomber was sighted today on a bleak Icelandic glacier. First reports said there are survivors among the nine-man crew.

U.S. Air Force headquarters in London said an Icelandic ground rescue party will be rushed by plane to a small airfield at the foot of the glacier.

An American air rescue plane from Iceland reported sighting the "badly broken up" wreckage this afternoon after a 24-hour search by 10 planes and at least two Danish ships. The spotter plane said the wreckage was sighted on Myrdalsjokull Glacier on the south coast about 110 miles southeast of Reykjavik. It reported "presumed" survivors.

The P2V bomber was on a round-robin training mission from Keflavik airfield, near Reykjavik, when it disappeared. It last contacted its home base by radio yesterday afternoon. It was then some 100 miles south of Iceland. All aboard were Navy fliers.

The weather was vicious, with heavy rain and snow cutting visibility to near zero during the early part of the day, but was improving later.

Two-Headed Baby Ready To Leave Indiana Hospital

INDIANAPOLIS (AP)—A two-headed, four-armed baby boy, 6 days old and thriving like a normal infant, was ready today to leave Riley Hospital.

Dr. John D. Van Nuys, dean of the Indiana University Medical Center, said there is nothing to prevent the father from taking the baby home.

The hospital has kept the baby on the critical list but only because doctors have virtually no precedents for such a malformation.

Dr. Van Nuys said examinations disclosed that the baby has two stomachs, joined to a single intestinal tract. It had been determined previously that there is only one heart, and doctors had thought there was only a single set of internal organs.

Second Two-Headed Baby Reported Born

BELO HORIZONTE, Brazil (AP)—The birth of a second two-headed baby in the Western Hemisphere in a week was reported here last night by doctors attending her at Sao Vicente Hospital.

The infant, a girl, was born at home four days ago to Mrs. Geralda Francisca de Jesus, the wife of a rural storekeeper.

Roswell Rites Held For W. H. Beaty

Last rites were held in Roswell, N. M. on Tuesday for W. H. Beaty, 75, former owner of a laundry establishment in Big Spring.

He died Sunday at Hobbs, N. M. where he had gone to supervise the operation of a laundry. Mr. Beaty operated a laundry under his name at Sixth and Gollard for a number of years. Almost a score of years ago he was born at home four days ago to Mrs. G. M. Beaty, who was county home demonstration agent.

Besides his wife he left three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Tingle, Mrs. Paul Jones, Sinton, and Mrs. Harold Hatch, Farmington.

Pistols Are Stolen

Theft of two 38-caliber pistols from the Homan Auto Supply was reported today. The guns were stolen within the past week and sheriff's officers speculated that one of the weapons may have been used in the robbery of Vernon's Liquor Store last Saturday night.

A bandit armed with an automatic pistol took between \$200 and \$300 from the store.

acid. Tubing pressure was 407 pounds, and the gas-oil ratio is 741-1. Some .16 per cent of recovery was water.

Stanolind No. 1 Anderson, C SW SW, 20-31-2n, T&P survey, has depth of 8,670 feet in lime today.

Barnes No. 1 Fryar, C NE NE, 27-33-2n, T&P survey, is reported at 8,656 feet in shale.

Plymouth No. 1 Oldham, C SW SE, 26-27-H&T&C survey, is now drilling ahead below 7,980 feet in lime after a 24-64th inch choke. Flow followed acidizing between 7,954 and 7,980 feet. Tool was open 2 1/2 hours and recovery was 110 feet of mud and no shows. Top of Pennsylvania was 7,954 feet. Elevation has not been reported.

Wellman and Texas Crude No. 1-35 Mildred Jones, C NE NE NE, 25-33-3n, T&P survey, is going ahead at 7,730 feet in lime.

Oceanic et al and Phillips No. 2 J. F. Winans, C NE SW, 25-33-3n, T&P survey, is still fishing.

Martin

Stanolind No. 1-BO University, C SW SW, 44-6-University lands survey, made it to 11,511 feet in lime.

Texas Company No. 1-A Star, C NE SE, 17-7-University lands survey, is drilling ahead at 8,279 feet in lime and shale.

County Set To Take Action On Right-Of-Way

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Sooners Hunt Craze Killer

TULSA, Okla. (AP)—City, county, state and federal authorities were combing areas near Broken Arrow, Coweta and Adair today searching for a "mad dog" killer they believe is responsible for at least three brutal shootings.

Tulsa Police Chief Joe McGuire said somberly, "We've got a mad dog killer on our hands and we want to find him before he kills more."

The prime suspect is Quincy O'Neal, 33-year-old Negro wanted on charges of murdering his wife and federal flight to avoid prosecution. His wife was shot Aug. 3, 1952.

Officers disclosed yesterday a slug taken from the body of Mrs. O'Neal was fired from the same .45-caliber pistol used in the shooting Sunday of Vol Dale Royster, 24-year-old Tulsa, and Henry Henry Uruh, a Dewey farmer, Nov. 10.

Royster, police theorized, was kidnapped after the ren-a-trailer firm where he worked as an attendant was robbed of \$69. His body was found in a ditch eight miles south of Broken Arrow.

Uruh, 50, was shot near midnight after selling a Halloween-masked gunman he had only \$2. He was slain in bed at his rural home in Washington County.

Forged Checks Are Found In Odessa

Eight additional forged checks made out on John Turner Inc. blanks have turned up in Odessa, sheriff's officers reported.

Two checks had been reported passed earlier in Midland. All were made out for amounts of less than \$100.

Twenty-three check blanks and a check-writing machine were stolen from the Turner offices in Coahoma last week. The machine was found beside a road west of Big Spring Saturday.



Christmas Story-1. The Annunciation

Fear not—And the angel said to her, Fear Not, Mary; for thou has found favor with God. And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name Jesus—Luke 1:30-31. (The painting is by Rogier van der Weyden and was selected by the Department of Worship and Arts, National Council of Churches, courtesy of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.)

Suspended Engineer Plans To Legally Test Witnesses

NEW YORK (AP)—Martin Levine, electronics engineer suspended from the Rome, N. Y., Griffiss closed session before Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.), head of the Air Force Base laboratory, says he intends to legally challenge McCarthy subcommittee witnesses who contended he was a Communist or a Communist sympathizer.

The 28-year-old Levine said yesterday he appeared Wednesday in Senate permanent investigations subcommittee.

McCarthy yesterday adjourned open and closed hearings here until after the first of the New Year. Levine, suspended Nov. 23 from Griffiss, said he answered all questions put to him by McCarthy. Neither the senator nor the subcommittee has released any details of Levine's questioning.

Levine was discharged from the air base laboratory specifically on charges of Communist leanings and violation of security regulations. He has not yet received an Air Force hearing.

Levine said McCarthy told him "15 or 20" persons—not named—charged he was a Communist or had Communist leanings.

In a statement yesterday, Levine said he agreed with McCarthy that perjury was indicated on one side or another, and added: "The senator informed me that my statements contradicted these and that if the statements were made by the individuals under oath, the Justice Department will receive charges of perjury."

"Someone, either they or me, is lying."

"I desire that those who have made these false statements be sworn under oath so that it can be brought before a grand jury."

"I desire this for three reasons: "1. To clear my name completely and thoroughly before the court and in the eyes of the public. "2. To hold the individuals making these false accusations up to the scrutiny of their fellow workers so they can be known as falsifiers, twistors of the truth, spreaders of false reports, etc. "3. So that I can obtain sentence against them for perjury and, in addition, to sue them directly for the mental anxiety, financial loss, loss of health and the attempt to ruin my reputation."

"I feel that I can prove beyond any shadow of a doubt that I am not and never have been Communist, Communist sympathizer or Marxist."

At the closed hearing, Levine said, he told McCarthy the security violation counts can be "simply explained." He did not elaborate.

Included among Air Force charges, Levine said, is one of having read from a book, "Communist Doctrine and the Free

World," allegedly to convince his fellow workers that communism has merit.

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Dean Readies His Report

WASHINGTON (AP)—Special Ambassador Arthur H. Dean, expressing a personal view that Korea will have peace, readied an official report today on his so far fruitless negotiations for a Korean peace conference.

Dean came back from Panmunjom last night. He had walked out of the conference, called to set a time and place for a peace pact meeting, after protesting Communist charges that the United States was guilty of "perfidy."

Alighting hatless and without an overcoat at the icy, windswept airport, Dean told newsmen: "Based upon what I observed and as a personal opinion, I am quite sure hostilities won't be renewed."

He declined to go into details prior to his report to President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles. The secretary is expected to report to the President also on the Paris trip from which he returned yesterday.

Dulles came home several hours before Dean, from the North Atlantic Council meeting, where he pressed for early action by France on a European army in which West Germany would be rearm.

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10 Men Inducted From Local Board

Ten men were inducted into the Armed Services Thursday at Abilene through local board serving Mitchell, Howard, and Martin Counties.

They were Eddie C. Cooke, David F. Pearson, Bobby G. Baker, Carl L. Howell, Jimmy C. Hardgreen, Billy W. King, Bobby C. Jenkins, George L. Bruton, James E. Suttles, Marshall D. Huffman. They were sent to Fort Bliss for further processing and assignments.

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PIGEON SHOOT SET AT TECH

LUBBOCK (AP)—There'll be a shooting on the Texas Tech campus during the Christmas holidays. Victim: pigeons.

The ROTC at the school will issue 50 shotguns to 50 good shooters, rope the campus off for two hours on Dec. 24 and again on Dec. 26 when most of the students are home for the holidays and it's open season on pigeons.

Thousands of the birds are making the campus buildings their homes—so many that something had to be done.

Peace Officers, Families Attend Christmas Party

Approximately 120 law enforcement officials and members of their families attended the annual police Christmas party last night.

The party was held in a city building in the Silver Heels addition, starting at 6:30 p.m. Law enforcement officials attended the party in shifts so that the city could be efficiently patrolled at all times.

Police, sheriff's officials, members of the highway patrol, the juvenile officer, border patrolmen, and the Air Police town patrol attended the party.

Gifts were exchanged, and Santa Claus was on hand for the children. Bags of fruit and nuts were passed out to all boys and girls present. Comedians, dealing with safety, were shown to the children.

Arrangements were made by Capt. M. L. Kirby and patrolmen Alvin Hillbrunner and D. C. Sanders. The party was sponsored by the following local firms: Lone Star Motor, McAlister Trucking, Duncan Drilling, Universal Credit, Griffin Service Station, and Baldrige Bakery.

HOSPITAL NOTES

BIG SPRING HOSPITAL Admissions — Debra White, 603 Bell.

Dismissals — Vargas Rodriguez, Knott; Joan Tyler, Gen. Del; John Adams, Olden; Elmer Boater, 604 Edwards; Cleaman Robinson, Rt. 1; Rosa Ramirez, 610 NW 3rd; Dora Salvador, 610 NW 7th; Harold Eadlin, Texarkana; A. V. Lewis, Goldsmith; Joy Brown, 1103 N. Nolan; J. W. Wooten, 500 Gollard; Emma Ayers, Odessa.

To Tour Far East

TOKYO (AP)—The all-Negro choral group Wings over Jordan arrived today to wing in Japan and Korea for servicemen.

Dr. Moffett Rites Held In Stanton

STANTON (SC) — Funeral for Dr. J. E. Moffett, 67, former Stanton physician, was held here Monday.

Dr. Moffett, who had been a councilman, mayor and active in civic affairs here, died at his home in Silsbee where he and Mrs. Moffett had lived for several years. Rites were held at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. E. B. Coons officiating and burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, Mary, and a son, Milton (Speedy) Moffett.

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Police said the body buried in Gardiner's name will be exhumed and the inquest reopened.

Auto Inspections Are Urged Before Holiday Travel

Don't let an unsafe car ruin your Christmas plans. Before starting on that holiday trip make sure that you will reach your destination by having your car inspected, G. C. Morris of Austin, executive director of the Highway Safety Council, cautioned today.

"Accident figures show that one traffic death in every 10 in Texas is caused by faulty mechanism," Morris pointed out. According to the Department of Public Safety, about half of the cars inspected so far have required minor repairs.

Headlights, brakes, horns, rear view mirrors, and windshield wipers—all vitally important during the winter months—must be checked before April 15, in accordance with the Texas Motor Inspection Law, Morris said.

Morris urged holiday drivers also to drive carefully, obeying traffic laws and observing the simple courtesies of the road.

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COUNTY OF HOWARD
By virtue of an execution and Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Harris County for the 131st Judicial District Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on October 20, 1953, in favor of Brown & Root, Inc. and against Mrs. O. C. Wildman, and the unknown heirs of Mrs. O. C. Wildman, if any; and the unknown heirs of the unknown spouse of Mrs. O. C. Wildman, and the unknown heirs of the unknown spouse of Mrs. O. C. Wildman; all persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed executed by L. V. Thompson to Mrs. O. C. Wildman, as grantee, dated August 23, 1948, recorded in Vol. 133, at page 47, of the Deed Records of Howard County, Texas, conveying Lots 20 and 21 of Block 13 of Washington Place Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and the real and true unknown owners of the above described real property, in the case of Brown & Root, Inc. vs. Mrs. O. C. Wildman, et al., No. 423,041 in such Court, I did on the 3rd day of December, 1953, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Howard County, Texas, as the property of the above named defendant(s):
All of Lots 20 and 21 in Block 13 of the Washington Place Addition to the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, being the same property conveyed by L. V. Thompson to Mrs. O. C. Wildman by deed dated August 23, 1948, recorded in Vol. 133, page 47 of the Howard County Deed Records.
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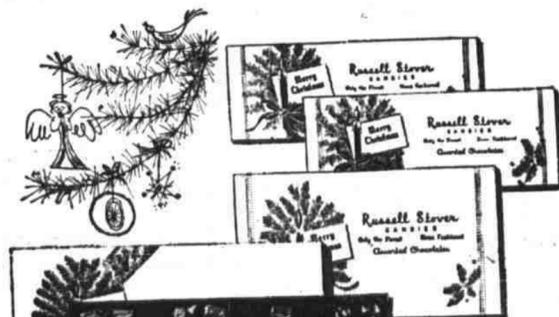
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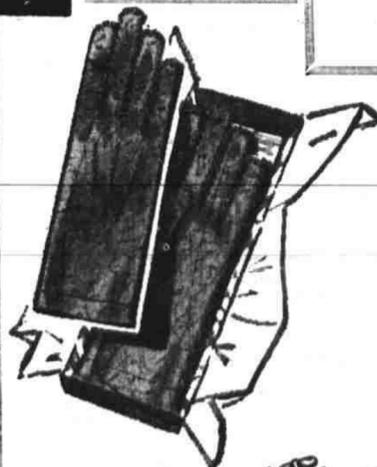


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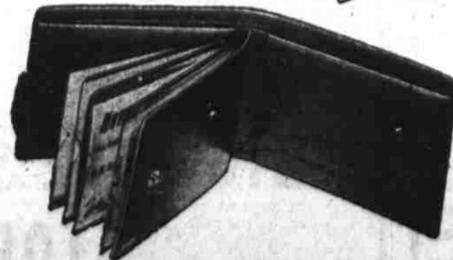
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Oil Production Peak Due Soon

LONDON (AP)—World oil production will reach a record peak of 675 million metric tons by Jan. 1, the Petroleum Information Bureau predicted yesterday. This will be about 35 million metric tons more than in 1952.

A "metric ton" contains a little less than 2,200 pounds.

The United States will have produced more than 340 million tons of the total output, or more than half.

London oil traders report the international market bulging with the record flow. And now the big oil companies are trying to figure out how to make room for Iranian oil.

Oil revenues could start pouring in soon after Britain and Iran settle their dispute. Iranian crude oil could hit the market by early spring of next year. Stocks of refined products, estimated at about 1.5 million tons, could also go on the block then. It would take at least three or four months after the return of foreign technicians before the Abadan refinery could get rolling again.

Experts think Iran could export between 10 and 12 million tons next year. In 1955, exports could mount to 20 million tons.

Schemes for selling this oil are under study by the oil companies meeting here. They are thinking of forming a big combine to market Iranian oil for the Zاهد government.

Any cutbacks in production probably would have to come elsewhere in the Middle East. This would be ticklish business. Arab rulers are jealous of their oil revenues.

Output in the Arab lands has increased steadily since they were called upon in 1951 to make up the Iranian deficit.

The petroleum bureau estimates that Kuwait will produce over 42 million tons this year; Saudi Arabia 41.5 million and Iraq 28 million.

Venezuelan output was estimated at 92 million tons—three million less than last year. Canada was expected to supply some 11 million tons and British Borneo about five million.

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Britain and Iran, who recently resumed diplomatic relations, are expected to sit down soon and work out a way to start Iranian oil flowing again. The huge holdings of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Co. were nationalized in 1951. The huge Abadan Refinery and fields have been shut down since.

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ATOMS FOR PEACE

Muscular Disease Treatment Hoped

By FRANK CAREY
AP Science Reporter

BETHESDA, Md. (AP)—Utilizing atomic "cocktails," government scientists are making a new approach towards trying to solve the riddle of one of mankind's saddest afflictions—muscular dystrophy.

That's a disease—at present incurable—in which there is a progressive wasting away and destruction of muscles. Estimates are that between 200,000 and 300,000 Americans, the large majority of them children under 10, are affected by it at any given time.

Children who get it before they are 5 usually die within five years. Individuals who get it in adolescence or adulthood usually die by the time they are 30, but in the meantime they are seriously crippled. All victims ultimately die as an indirect result of their muscular dystrophy because while the disease doesn't kill of itself, it leaves its sufferers prone to deadly infections that other people might fight off.

Greater Aviation Advancements Seen

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—Even greater advancements in Texas and San Antonio in the next 50 years of aviation were predicted here last night by Lt. Gen. Laurence S. Kuter.

Kuter, commanding general of Maxwell Air Force Base in Alabama, spoke here last night at a dinner honoring more than 50 aviation pioneers.

Occasion for the dinner was the 50th anniversary of powered flight. Kuter said that behind every sensational and spectacular invention there were men with "incredible ingenuity, perseverance and courage." He said San Antonio was the "hub around which much of man's progress in the air revolved."

Helpless Parents See Children Die

DALLAS (AP)—Three West Dallas children burned to death yesterday while their parents watched helplessly as the four-room frame house was destroyed by fire late yesterday.

Dead were Annette Ranson, 2; Betty Howard Ranson, 3, and Kenneth Wayne Ranson, four months.

The children's 50-year-old great grandfather, Jim Russell, who had been acting as baby sitter, was in a serious condition from burns on his head, face, arms and back.

The parents of the children, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ranson, and an aunt, Miss Ruth Dixon, had walked to a bus stop about a block away. They were going to hire a truck so the Russell family could move out of the house tomorrow.

Christmas Tree Fire Fatal To Children

DUBLIN (AP)—Two small children were burned to death yesterday when a fire that started in or near a Christmas tree swept a farm home near here. They were Linda Seales, 2, and Charles, 11 months.

Their mother, Mrs. Vernon Seales, was badly burned in an unsuccessful attempt to save her children. The mother was called from the field where she was working by another child, Patty, 5.

No More Cotton Seed Available As Relief

COLLEGE STATION (AP)—The state Production and Marketing Administrative committee has announced there will be no more cottonseed for Texas counties still getting drought relief.

State PMA chairman R. T. Price said yesterday the reason for the cutoff order would have to come from Washington.

However, PMA officials in other states said there was no more cotton seed available.

Young Chemist Confesses He Murdered His Parents

NEW YORK (AP)—A 20-year-old chemist has confessed the cyanide cocktail murders of his well-to-do parents and says he killed them because his mother had accused him of sexual abnormality for as long as he can remember.

But a male friend says he and the lazy, luxury-loving son hatched the weird toast-of-death plot to get their hands on \$150,000.

Fraden, 50, a physician, and his wife Shirley, 46, a schoolteacher.

Fraden's mother had chided him as abnormal, even "before he knew anything about sex," De Luca said in announcing the son had confessed after many hours of questioning.

"This he strongly resented," the prosecutor said. "Fraden further stated that he did not kill his parents for personal gain, because his parents gave him all the money he wanted."

Bronx Dist. Atty. George E. De Luca announced last night that Harlow Fraden, poetry-loving college graduate, admitted he had treated his parents to champagne cocktails spiked with potassium cyanide.

Fraden allegedly hurried the job with more poison during the death agony of his parents—Dr. William

De Luca said Fraden finally confessed he murdered his parents in the manner that Wepman had described: he told his parents falsely that he finally had gotten a job, and gave them poisoned champagne cocktails to join him in a toast to the end of his loafing.

The deaths of the parents had been listed tentatively for four months as a double suicide or murder and suicide until the case cracked open Wednesday through a pretty girl friend of Wepman. He confided to her that he was involved in the plot, and she reported to police.

The Bronx County grand jury will be asked today to vote indictments against Fraden and Wepman, both charged with homicide and locked up in the psychiatric division of Bellevue Hospital.

Bronx authorities said both Fra-

den and Wepman denied being homosexual.

As Fraden buried his nose in a book of poetry he carried during the police routine, Asst. Dist. Atty. George Titzer said:

"That book is his whole life. He said it was one of the things his mother resented. . . . 'Get out of the apartment and act like a boy,' he said she would tell him when she saw him reading the book or other books of poetry."

Fraden, an only son, collected an estimated \$150,000—including a \$20,000 insurance policy—after his parents' death and quickly squandered about \$50,000 of it. He had a \$200-a-month room at the fashionable St. Moritz Hotel.

Wepman—who said that Fraden's parental allowance had been cut and that the roommates were low in funds before the murders—told questioners:

"I went along with the (murder)

idea. I expected to get my commensurate share of the inheritance but I only got \$120 in small amounts."

Catholic Diocese Is Renamed Thursday

DALLAS (AP)—The Catholic Diocese of Dallas-Fort Worth yesterday by order of a decree from the Sacred Consistorial Congregation in Rome.

Under the change St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Fort Worth was designated co-cathedral of the diocese with the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Dallas.

Motor vehicles are by far the largest consumers of motive power from petroleum, using nearly a billion barrels of gasoline annually.

Instructor, Student Die In Crash Of Jet

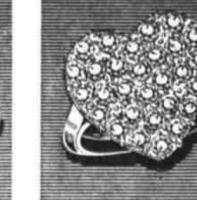
BRYAN (AP)—Capt. David A. Harte Jr., 33, of Bryan and his student, aviation cadet Leon F. Murphy, 21, of Elma, Iowa, were killed yesterday when their jet trainer crashed and burned near Navasota.

A witness said the jet appeared to be trying for an emergency landing when it suddenly went out of control and crashed.

Car Accident Injuries Prove Fatal To Man

WACO (AP)—Richard C. Carlton, 48, Waco, died in a hospital here yesterday of injuries received last Friday when struck by a car.

The driver of the car is being held in jail pending filing of charges.

					
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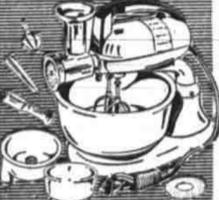
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The Prince of Peace Is Born

ISAIAH PROMISED A WARLESS WORLD TO COME

Scripture—Isaiah 9:1-5; 54:17-25; Matthew 6:9; Luke 2:1-14

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL
ONCE A YEAR in our unhappy world we feel a sensation of hope and peace. It is the Christmas season when we read again the story of the Lord's birth, and hear (in our consciousness) the angel proclaim the good tidings that "The Prince of Peace" was born.

The world about us grows more and more confused, revolts are reported here and there and innocent blood is shed. Nations and individuals are suspicious of one another, war often seems near, and hopes for permanent peace are likely to grow dim.

David Livingstone, the Scotch missionary-explorer, wrote from Africa:
"I do not know how the great loving Father will bring out light at last, but He knows, and He will do it."
We must cultivate his faith, and that faith always seems to get at least momentary aid when we read the prophecies of Isaiah and the New Testament story of the coming of Christ.

MEMORY VERSE

"For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace."—Isaiah 9:6.

Isaiah began his prophetic ministry about 758 B. C., and he is thought to have lived to about 698 B. C. It was a time of very little government in Judah and Jerusalem, and a period of national ruin. What must his words have meant to his people? They were prophecies of hope for the time ahead—light shining on a dark world.

Isaiah visioned, thus:
"And it shall come to pass in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established on the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all the nations shall flow unto it."

"And many people shall go and say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob, and He will teach us of His ways, and we will walk in His paths."
The temple should be set high up, so that it would be seen of all.

"And He shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people; and they shall beat their plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more."

Then in the second verse of Chapter Nine he says: "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of

death, upon them hath the light shined."

"For every battle of the warrior is with confused noise and garments rolled in blood; but this shall be burning and fuel of fire."

"For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace."

"Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice henceforth even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this."

True Isaiah was writing of his own time, but it is for our time, too. We are still expecting and hoping for the prophecy to come true—which it will in God's own time.

Read from the verses 17-25 of Chapter 65, to see how he visualized the future world when people would live in comfort until a more

than ripe old age, and when "the wolf and the lamb shall feed together, and the lion shall eat straw like the bullock," and "none shall hurt nor destroy in all My holy mountain, saith the Lord."

Children and young people should be shown in their homes and in the Sunday school how they, too, can help to prepare themselves for this peaceful world by always being kind and courteous, considerate of those with whom they come in contact. It might hasten that good time for we should the more deserve it.

"And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the fields, keeping watch over their flocks by night."

"And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid."

"And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people."

"For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Savior, which is Christ the Lord."

"And this shall be a sign unto you; ye shall find the Babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."

"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

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Birth Of Christ To Be Theme Of Sermons In Churches On Sunday

The birth of Christ will be the theme for sermons delivered Sunday in preparation for the observance of Christmas. Choirs in several churches have prepared special music.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
The Savior's birthday and his purpose for coming to the world will be the theme of the Rev. S. E. Eldridge's sermon at the First Assembly of God for the 10:50 and 7:30 p.m. services.

BAPTIST
"The Coming of Jesus Illumines All of Life" (Isaiah 9:2) will be Dr. P. D. O'Brien's topic at the 11 a.m. service at the First Baptist Church. The choir directed by Darrell Mook will present a Christmas cantata, "The Christ Child" by Holley at the 8 p.m. service. Dr. P. W. Malone will show the last set of Holy Land pictures, scenes of the Nativity, taken by Dr. O'Brien.

The Rev. James S. Parks, pastor of the Baptist Temple, will speak on "They Went Home Another Way" (Matt. 2:2) at the 11 a.m. service. At the Training Union meetings at 6:30 p.m. Dr. R. Gage Lloyd will show slides of the Holy Land. A program of Christmas music and baptism will be held at 7:30 p.m.

CATHOLIC
The Rev. William J. Moore, O. M. I., will say Mass at 7 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. at St. Thomas Church. Rosary and Benediction will be at 5 p.m. Confessions will be heard from 4-6 p.m. and from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Saturday.

The Rev. B. A. Wagner, O. M. I., will say Mass at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church (Spanish-speaking). Confessions will be heard from 4-5:30 p.m. and from 7-8:30 p.m. Saturday. Rosary and Benediction will be Sunday at 6 p.m.

CHRISTIAN
"Glory Be To God" by Wilson will be the anthem of the choir at the First Christian Church at the 10:50 a.m. service. The Rev. Clyde Nichols will speak on "Christmas Rearranges Things" (Matt. 2:3). Mrs. E. M. Rainbolt will direct the chancel choir in singing the cantata, "The Music of Christmas," by Ira B. Wilson at the 7:30 p.m. service. Mrs. Bob Simpson will be organist. Baptismal services will conclude the evening worship.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read at the Christian Science Society.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lyle Price will speak on "Not My Will But Thine" at the 10:30 a.m. service at the Main St. Church of Christ. "The Promised Messiah" will be his subject at the 7 p.m. service.

CHURCH OF GOD
The Rev. John E. Kolar will speak at 10:50 a.m. at the First Church of God on "My Father's Gift" (John 3:16). Mrs. Kolar will direct the Junior Choir when young people of the church present "White Gifts for His Birthday" at the 7:30 p.m. Christmas program.

"Let Us Keep Christ in Christmas" (I John 2:15-17) will be the Rev. W. E. Mitchell's topic at the

Security Bypass Plan Is Urged By Baptists

NASHVILLE (AP)—The Southern Baptist Convention's Executive Committee recommends that the nation's churches not be involved in the federal social security program.

The group approved a resolution yesterday urging that any extension of social security coverage to ministers be made a contract directly between the government and individual pastors, by-passing the churches.

The committee will conclude tomorrow a study of a proposed 1955 budget of some 10 million dollars.

Iced Choppers Make Corporal All Gummy

SEOUL (AP)—The Army planned for months and spent millions of dollars to keep its soldiers warm in Korea this winter but a "cold weather casualty" cropped up today.

A 7th Division supply clerk Cpl. Rex C. Burdette of Claysville, Pa., slipped into a warm sleeping bag last night and placed his false teeth in a cup of water.

Water and teeth were frozen solid when he got up.

He was late for breakfast.

OIL, GAS TRANSACTIONS

ROYALTY DEEDS
E. P. Alstair to J. C. Williamson, 7-1024ths interest in the north half of the north half of Section 23, Block 33, Township 3-North, T&P Survey, \$10 and other considerations (assignment).

E. P. Alstair to J. C. Williamson, 7-1024ths interest in the south half of the north half and the south half of Section 23, Block 33, Township 3-North, T&P Survey, \$10 and other considerations (assignment).

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PUBLIC RECORDS

WARRANTY DEEDS
Perfect Homes Inc. to Robert E. Thomas et al., Lot 10, Block 5, Standard Park Addition, \$4,000.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS
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W. M. Doster, Acersky, Mercury.
O. R. Kirby, Box 1728, Ford.
H. R. Kirk, 418 Dallas Park.
BUILDING PERMITS
W. H. Stockman, remodeling at 1203 Nolan, \$1,500.

Galveston St. Church of God at the 11 a.m. service. He will speak on "Jesus Inroads the World" (Matt. 2:1) at the 7:30 p.m. service.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
Service of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints will include a priesthood meeting at 9 a.m. followed by Sunday School at 10 a.m. and a sacrament meeting at 6:30 p.m. Services will be held at the Girl Scout Little House.

EPISCOPAL
Services in St. Mary's Episcopal Church will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m., family worship service at 9:30 a.m. and morning worship and sermon by the rector, the Rev. William Boyd, at 11. The Young People's Fellowship will meet in the Parish House at 6 p.m. and the Instruction class in the rector's office at 7 p.m.

LUTHERAN
Bible class will be at 10 a.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. The Rev. A. H. Hoyer will speak on "Preparing for Christmas" at the 11 a.m. service. Rehearsal for the children's Christmas program (rehearsal) will be at 2 p.m. and the Waltham League members will exchange gifts at a social at 7 p.m.

in the Educational Building.
METHODIST
The Rev. Jordan Grooms' sermon topic at the 10:55 a.m. service at the First Methodist Church will be "God With Us." The choir will present special music from Handel's "Messiah," including the Hallelujah Chorus and "Glory to God," a solo by Mrs. Don Newsom. The choir will furnish special music at a service of candlelighting and carols at 7:30 p.m.

"The Eternal Child in the Midst" will be the Rev. Marvin Fisher's topic at the 10:55 a.m. service at the Wesley Memorial Methodist Church. At 7:30 p.m. "Christmas pictures entitled 'Holy Night' will be shown. These pictures are among the best made on this subject according to Rev. Fisher, and the public is invited.

PRESBYTERIAN
Dr. R. Gage Lloyd will address the First Presbyterian congregation on "Christmas Gifts" at the 11 a.m. service. The choir will sing "Joy to the World" at the 7:30 p.m. service. The Women of the Church will present a two-act play, "Peace Be Given With Us," under the direction of Mrs. Charlotte Sullivan, Dell McComb and Mrs. Noble Kennemur.

"The Incarnation" will be the Rev. E. Otis Moore's topic at the St. Paul Presbyterian Church at the 11 a.m. service. The choir will sing "Come and Adore Him" and Nancy Conway will sing a solo, "Peace in Thy House." A candlelight service will be held at the Joy Gift Program at 7:30 p.m. The choir will sing carols.

TEMPLE ISRAEL
Regular Friday evening services of Temple Israel will be held in Room 30-D of the Settles Hotel at 8.

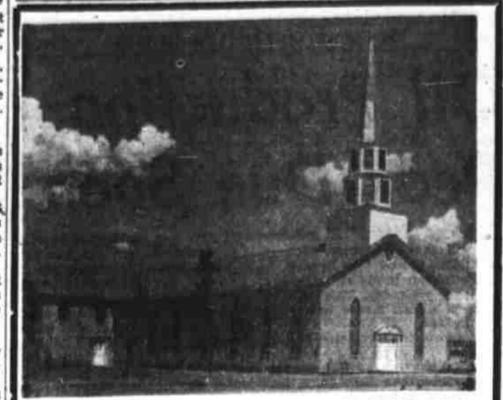
BUSINESS MEN'S BIBLE CLASS
The Business Men's Bible Class will meet at 9:15 a.m. Sunday in the ballroom of the Settles Hotel.

BUILDERS' BIBLE CLASS
Builders' Bible Class will meet at 8:30 a.m. Sunday in Carpenter's Hall. Coffee and doughnuts will be served prior to the lesson.

WEBB AIR FORCE BASE
Chaplain Hugh Lenahan will say Mass at 9 a.m. in the Academic Building at Webb Air Force Base. Confessions will be heard from 7-8 p.m. Saturday in Building 261 and beginning at 8:15 a.m. Sunday in the Academic Building.

Chaplain Francis E. Jeffery will conduct a Lutheran service at 10 a.m. in Building 481, speaking on "The Light Comes." He will teach the Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m. and Sunday school will be held at the same hour.

Chaplain Grant E. Mann will speak on "The Nativity" at the general Protestant worship at 11 a.m. in the Academic Building.



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Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
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But where is He? Where can weary travellers from the deserts of life find the King of their souls? Where can they lay down before him their precious gifts and render their heart-felt praise?

The church spires, like the Star, beckon those who seek Him. Each is a guidepost to Bethlehem. Each alone, and all together, they seem to answer the searching heart.

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Sunday	Book	Chapter	Verses
Monday	Deuteronomy	30	11-20
Tuesday	Judges	5	14-23
Wednesday	Isiah	48	6-13
Thursday	Matthew	2	1-12
Friday	Luke	17	1-12
Saturday	Hellweg	11	20-24
	Psalm	44	1-10
			8-14

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Tricky Gadgets Intrigue Male, Female, Young, Old

Few things are more intriguing to male and female, young and old, than a tricky gadget, useful or otherwise. So be sure to include a sprinkling of such items in your Christmas gift selection, as regular gifts for friends or as "extra" gifts for family members.

A gadget, according to Webster is simply a "contrivance, object or device for doing something." But that doesn't tell the whole story. As most of us look at it, a gadget must do its task in a manner that's especially clever—a way that inspires the remark "What'll they think of next?"

Measuring up in every way to the popular definition is a doodad called a brow light. Perfect for the home handyman or motorist, this item fits around the head—you don't just like a cap—and focuses a beam of light wherever the wearer looks.

And how about a card shuffler? You insert the playing cards, twist a crank, and—slap—slap—the cards are shuffled. Much better, by the way, than you can hope to shuffle by hand, unless you learned to play on a Mississippi stern-wheeler.

A good gadget for the sports-

man, serviceman, or any man or woman, boy whatever, is a new cutlery set that folds into one plastic handle. Looking somewhat like a pen knife, the set contains fork, spoon, knife and can and bottle opener. And the whole thing slides apart so that the implements may be used individually.

Sure-fire also for salesmen, traveling men, doctors, teachers, students and housewives are a telephone pencil that sticks to the phone by magnetism; a combination paper weight and cellophane tape dispenser; and a novel letter opener that slices open an envelope as you pull it through a slot in the device.

To brighten up the household, there are several colorful light-switch plates made of durable plastic. Mom will like "Oscar the Chef" for a lighter touch in her kitchen. The kiddies won't mind "lights out" when the switch-plate is shaped like a clown, with a luminescent nose-tip switch. And Dad will love Minnie the Mermaid: a flick of her tail controls the light in the bathroom.



Here Saturday Night

A special program of variety vocal music will be presented Saturday night by the Imperial Quartet, pictured here. Favored numbers will be included in the program, which will be at the City Auditorium beginning at 7:30. The quartet appears under auspices of the American Legion.

Smokers' Gifts Available At Prices To Fit Budgets

Have you a smoker on your Christmas list? The odds are pretty good that you do. And if so, you can delight this person and ease your shopping tasks by catering to his smoke-dreaming habits.

The nicest thing of all, of course, is the fact that smokers' gifts are available in wide price ranges, and can be fitted to almost every budget.

Certain gifts are old standbys. A cigarette smoker is sure to welcome a carton of his best-liked brand; a cigar fancier will go for a favorite box of stogies, and pipe smokers can always use new pipes or a can of good tobacco.

Other gifts are more unusual, and show the recipient that you've at least given some special thought to the matter. A good example is a new type of ash tray, designed for television viewers. The tray itself glows in the dark, so the user won't miss with any ashes, and the base is a pliable "bean bag" that balances firmly on chair arm or knee.

Another article with a different touch is a personalized cigar humidifier, with matching ash tray. Humidifiers can be purchased in a variety of fine materials, among them hand-tooled leather. One new style is particularly smart: it is made of vitrified china and features colorful designs of old-time American autos.

In lighters, there are models to fit almost every smoker's taste. And even if the person you're buying for already has a pocket lighter, you can be sure of wowing him with a fashionable table model. Particularly appealing is a new styling in gold and emerald enamel; another of metal and plastic in classical lamp design is truly unusual.

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Los Angeles Mayor Says City Ripe For

ALLENTOWN, Pa. (AP)—Mayor Norris Poulson of Los Angeles drew a round of laughter yesterday in a humorous reference to the West Coast city's efforts to replace Philadelphia as the nation's third largest city.

Poulson, visiting this city to inspect anti-smog devices, was asked about Los Angeles' means of boosting city population by annexing surrounding communities.

"In this respect," Poulson told Mayor Brighton C. Diefenderfer, "I am anxious and ready to annex Allentown."

El Paso Engraver Says Bills Just Fun

EL PASO, Tex. (AP)—Ellis J. Aylward, a photo-engraver who is fascinated with his work, yesterday pleaded guilty to five counts of counterfeiting.

But he indignantly denied he planned to spend the \$20,000 he had half printed when Treasury agents nabbed him. Just did it for the heck of it, he contended.

Refugees Accepted, But Ideas Changing

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the last in a series of stories written from Germany by Jan Dickerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dickerson. Miss Dickerson has been in Germany for the past six months, most of the time spent in contact with the refugee problem. She related her first newspaper experience on The Herald.

By JAN DICKERSON

BERLIN — The attitude of the West Germans toward refugees has undergone a none-too-subtle change in the past few years.

This is not an officially expressed idea, but it is the frank opinion of many average citizens.

At first, when people began to pour across the border from the Soviet Zone, all were welcomed gladly, for they seemed irrefutable evidence to the world that Communist domination in East Germany was intolerable.

It was hoped that the Western Powers would be spurred to renewed efforts toward a reunified, free Germany.

But the trickle of humanity has turned into an avalanche, threatening to smother the West German economy and drain the productive powers of the East Zone.

Whether the Soviets are pleased or discomfited over the refugee situation is a moot point. Since mid-1952 they have almost blocked the possibility of flight across the zonal border. However, hundreds of persons are allowed to slip into the West Sector of Berlin every day.

It could be surmised that they would like to stop the flow into West Berlin, if for no more purpose than to still unfavorable propaganda, but do not feel the expenditures necessary for tight control are justified.

Chancellor Konrad Adenauer of the Federal Republic once said he believes the whole thing is "a Soviet move deliberately designed to shatter our social and economic structure and to make possible Communist subversion, which flourishes during social and economic upheaval."

As for the resultant weakening of the East Zone, which has been

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Green is the reputed head of Fort Worth's notorious "Greenhand" gang. Green and Eggleston were once listed as suspects in the unsolved slaying of Dallas gambler Herbert Noble last year have long criminal records.

The two were arrested at the home of Miss Lucille Harris, 58, legal secretary to a criminal lawyer. A quantity of burglary tools and firearms were seized.

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BUZ SAWYER

IT'S NOT THAT I HATE THESE SPECIAL FLIGHTS, COMMANDER HAGGARTY, BUT THEY'RE PLAYING HECK WITH MY HOMEWORK.

NEVER MIND, YOU'RE PASSING.

IT'S STILL HUSH-HUSH, BUT WE'RE DOUBLING THE NUMBER OF PLANES FLYING CAP OVER THIS AREA, KEEP YOUR RADIO TUNED TO THE PROPER FREQUENCY, AND IF YOU HEAR THE CODE WORDS "SCRAMBLE, EAGER-BE-AVER," THAT'S YOU.

YES, SIR.

AN HOUR LATER, BUZ IS ABOUT TO CALL IT A NIGHT AND COME IN.

SCRAMBLE, EAGER-BE-AVER! UFO 80 MILES SOUTH-SOUTHEAST WASHINGTON... OVER.

WHAT! THAT'S A "FLYING SAUCER" HERE I GO!

DICKIE DARE

FATE'S A STINKEROOD, HUCK! HERE WE ARE, LOCKED IN, WHEN WE HAD SUCH A SWELL PLAN TO ESCAPE.

SOON, THE SHIP IS ON THE MOVE AGAIN...

OUT YOU COME... DUMMERS! GO TO WORK, YET!

AW GOSH! WILL WE EVER GET THE CHANCE TO SKIP TO SHIP?

YES! SOONER THAN YOU THINK!

NANCY

AUNT FRITZI--- MAY I TRY OUT MY NEW TOBOGGAN?

SHOVEL THE WALK FIRST

I CAN'T FIND THE SHOVEL

YOU CAN'T GO OUT UNTIL YOU'VE CLEANED THE WALK

LIL' ABNER

WHY WON'T HE TAKE HIS HAT OFF? WHY??

FELLA-CITIZENS-- ONCE A YEAR, WE GIVES A HAT FREE, TO TH' LUCKY TICKET-HOLDER! WHO'VE AM-- DRAW TH' WINNIN' NAME!

TH' WINNER IS-- PAPPY YOKUM!!

YIPPEE!!--AH ALLUS DREAMED O' OWNING A GENOOWINE TEXAS HAT!!

AS USUAL, WE WILL CROWN TH' WINNER-- TAKE TH' HAT OFF, AN'--

T-TAKE TH' HAT OFF? NO!-- DRUTHER DIE!!-- KEEP IT!!

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YOU'RE A LUNKHEAD

WHO TAUGHT THIS PARROT TO SAY "YOU'RE A LUNKHEAD"?

NOBODY--HE FIGURED IT OUT FOR HIMSELF

YOU'RE A LUNK HEAD

ANNIE ROONEY

PERHAPS YOU HAD BETTER NOT COME IN WITH ME, ANNIE-- UNLESS I MISS MY GUESS, OUR MR. COBB HAS SOMETHING VERY IMPORTANT TO SAY TO ME IN PRIVATE.

IS IT SOMETHING GOOD?

VERY GOOD INDEED, DEAR-- CORNELIUS IS ABOUT TO SURPRISE ME WITH A PROPOSAL OF MARRIAGE--

GOL-LEE! HOW DO YOU KNOW??

HEAVENS, CHILD-- IT'S JUST AS I'VE PLANNED IT-- BUT WHAT A TASK IT WAS, BRINGING HIM AROUND TO THINKING IT WAS ALL HIS OWN IDEA!

BUT REMEMBER, HONEY-- THAT'S A LITTLE SECRET BETWEEN US GIRLS--

OH, YES, MA'AM

SNUFFY SMITH

HOW DAST YE STAND THAR ANY LOW RATE MW BARBYCUE SASS, YE CACKLIN' O' HEN!!?

WHY, YE O' HEIFER!! I GOT A FOUR-YEAR OLD THAT CAN MAKE TWANGIER BARBYCUE SASS THAN---

GALS!! GALS!! LET'S DON'T HAVE NO HAIR PULLIN' CONTEST!!

YE NEEDN'T WORRY, YE O' GOAT!! YE'D BE SAFE ENUFF!!

PERCEED, LADIES

GRANDMA

IF YOU'LL CARRY MY GROCERIES, BILLY, I'LL COOK US BOTH A DANDY SUPPER!!!

I'D LIKE THREE CANS O' SPINACH, TWO POUNDS O' TURNIPS, A HEAD O' LETTUCE, A COUPLE O' BAGS O' CARROTS, ASPARAGUS...

...SACK O' PARSNIPS, CABBAGE, SOME NICE BRUSSELS SPROUTS, A BIT O' CAULIFLOWER, AN' A FEW ONIONS!!

HM!! NOW WHERE COULD THAT BOY HAVE DISAPPEARED TO IN SUCH A HURRY??

LITTLE SPORT

SLOW DOWN! SLOW DOWN! SLOW DOWN! SLOW DOWN!

LOW GEAR! STEEP HILL!

LOOK OUT! HARBOR BRIDGE!

SCORCHY SMITH

ANXIOUSLY, THE CROWDS SCAN THE SKIES---

HERE THEY COME!

THERE'S ONLY TWO OF THEM! SMITH MUST BE DEAD

BUT SCORCHY IS NOT DEAD---

GOT TO HANG ON! CAN'T CRACK UP NOW---

SCREEEEEEE!

OAKY DOAKS

BINNIE, IF MINNIE SPOTS A WHALE, I'LL--!

BUT, OAKY! DON'T YOU NEED SOME BAIT?

AHA!--

THAR SHE BLOWS!

--AND IT'S THE B-BIGGEST ONE I EVER SAW!

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YOU BOTH KNOWS THE WORDS TO THE "TWELVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS" AN' ALL?

GNX. WURF. WURF.

I THOUGHT SO--MAM GAY'S CHILLINS IS THE SINGLE TYPE CRITTERS WHAT IS ALWAYS FREE-PARDED FOR CHRISTMAS-- IF CHRISTMAS WAS DECLARED ON FOURTH OF JULY-- IT WOULD BE "READY."

GEORGE FOLKS IS THE ONLY ONES WHAT GOTTA PRACTICE UP GITTIN' IN THE MOOD... SPRING DEC. 25 ON 'EM SUDDEN AN' HALF WOULDN'T HAND OUT THEIR RIGHT NAMES.

DONALD DUCK

OKAY BOYS, IT'S TIME! HERE'S A DIME EACH!

OKAY!

PRETTY BAD GUYS? THE WORST THIS WINTER!

LIKE ICE!

OKAY, UNCA DONALD!

OKAY, BOYS!

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GRIN AND BEAR IT

This Christmas let's give Father something he's wanted for years... his car!...

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- City in Maine
- Mineral spring
- Grows in bright
- Scent
- Turn to the left
- On top of
- Power gained by using a lever
- Nothing more than
- Adjective suffix
- Female sheep
- Teaching of a fable
- Pertaining to the skin
- Chest pieces
- Pronoun
- Boy
- Witticism

DOWN

- Not hollow
- Feminine name
- Bedspread
- Native metal-bearing compound
- Article of apparel
- Side of a book leaf
- Reverent fear
- Friend of Pythias
- Roman road
- Glacial debris
- Commercial name for zinc
- Peruse
- Came together
- Deface
- Lawless crowd
- Animal's stomach
- Meet over-head, as branches
- Southern state
- Funny
- Cleaning implement
- Wine vessel
- Bounder
- Destructive insect
- Ancient people
- Famous Quaker preacher
- Cubic meter
- Devoured
- Evergreen tree
- English queen
- Vegetable
- Cereal grass

MISTER BREGER

"Hey, Mac, wouldja check the time with me? I'm establishin' an alibi..."



Nalley Service Lives Up To Firm's Motto

"This home is dedicated to the memory of those who in eternal sleep repose herein and is for the use and comfort of relatives and friends."

Such is the inscription found on a plaque at Nalley Funeral Home, 906 Gregg.

And the home is indeed a beacon of helpfulness when tragedy strikes in a family. Personnel at the funeral home are always at hand to ease the shock of those nearest the deceased.

Coy Nalley, owner and manager of the home, has devoted his entire adult life toward serving relatives and friends when a loved one is lost. He and Mrs. Nalley have been in business in Big Spring since 1938—some 14 years.

A 24-hour alert is maintained at the funeral home in case of emergencies, and ambulance drivers are ever helpful. Four ambulances make up Nalley's fleet—two Pontiacs, a Cadillac, and a Buick. These ambulances are oxygen equipped for every emergency.

Good service is a byword at Nalley's, and the firm is famous for helping others in time of distress. The Nalley chapel is equipped with a Hammond organ and has ample seating space.

Nalley is one of the two licensed morticians and funeral directors with the concern. The other is Joe Bunch, a graduate of Landig College of Mortuary Science in Houston. Bunch has been here since 1948.

Also associated with the funeral home is Mrs. Nalley, bookkeeper.

Filing Cabinet Is Always Useful To Businessman

A useful gift for the business man this Christmas would be a filing cabinet, without which the modern business office is lost.

Cabinets of all sizes and models are stocked here by the Thomas Typewriter and Office Supply, located at 107 Main Street. The filing cabinets range in price from \$49.95 up to the four-drawer all-steel model with the greystone finish.

Christmas cards of all grades, a must in any household around the Yuletide, are sold by the Thomas concern. Though such items are in great demand at this time of year, stocks are considered ample by Gene Thomas, owner and manager of the establishment bearing his name.

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Necchi Sewing Machine Is A Gift That's Appreciated

A Christmas gift that the housewife can use and enjoy for years is the Necchi sewing machine, which does everything automatically and without the bother of attachments for this and that.

You can inspect a variety of models of the famous sewing machine at Gilliland Sewing Machine Company, 112 East Second, A.F. Gilliland, owner of the establishment, will be happy to demonstrate the Necchi.

Gilliland also has the famous Swiss precision-built Elna portable sewing machine, which has become extremely popular in this country. He also is distributor here of domestic machines, another popular and efficient make.

The Elna portable is a compact little unit about the size of a small suitcase. When set up for operation, the case unfolds into a large table-top work area and the machine does everything one of the larger standard models does.

All of the automatic machines, of which Necchi is the world's first and finest, perform different operations as simply as the setting of a small lever. The Necchi stitches, buttonholes, monograms, embroiders, and does all the sewing jobs that most machines require com-

plained and worrisome attachments to accomplish.

A. F. Gilliland also provides Big Springers with complete sewing machine service and repair, regardless of make or model. He has a large stock of parts for all brands of machines and is skilled in the service of all models.

The Gilliland Sewing Machine Company and its Alteration Shop provide alteration service and sewing of all kinds. Covered buttons and buckles in a variety of sizes and styles are stocked, as well as belts and other accessories.

Additional gift ideas may be secured on a visit to the concern at 112 East Second. Gilliland invites Big Springers to telephone for additional information on any of the machines, or for sewing machine or alteration service. The telephone number is 4-5011.

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First Raid Shelter

HOUSTON (AP)—Houston's first public air raid shelter is a large cafeteria in the basement of a downtown office building. It was picked by civil defense officials yesterday. E. B. Mansfield, an engineer, said it would protect about 1,000 persons. Five other downtown buildings will be designated later as shelters.

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Weekend Turkey Shooting

Two turkey shoots, both sponsored by 4-H Clubs, will be held this weekend, and both will have divisions for revolvers and pistols, 22 rimfires and high power rifles, both with and without scopes. In the upper picture is a group behind the firing line at the Sterling City range which is located on the west side of the Big Spring Highway two miles west of Sterling City. There will also be a division for shotguns at this turkey shoot. In the bottom picture is the Glasscock County caliche pit, two miles east of Garden City on the Sterling City Highway where another weekend turkey shoot will be held. The Sterling City shoot will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, while the one at Garden City will be in progress all day Saturday and again Sunday afternoon. The two shoots are about 25 miles apart.

Vocational Training Is Big Help To TB Patients

Three Tuberculosis victims from Big Spring, now being treated at the McKnight Sanatorium in Carlsbad, are finding new vocations as well as health.

Three persons who entered the hospital after careers as heavy laborers, found that they would not be able to resume their former strenuous work when the cure was completed. But, thanks to the newly set up training in vocation right at their finger-tips, they are being trained by expert therapists in

new lines of work suited to their capabilities.

One is studying to become a barber, another will enter the radio field and the third, leathercraft.

This is one of the services now being financed by the local Tuberculosis Association through its annual sale of Christmas Seals.

With the present shortage of Tuberculosis nurses in the state sanatoriums, the vocational therapy directors are now setting up a medical training program at the hospitals and enlisting former patients as students. Its success has become evident by the fact that over 80 per cent of present Tuberculosis nurses are former TB victims.

A shortage of laboratory equipment in these schools, however, has forced the hospitals to turn to local associations for assistance.

Members of the Howard County Tuberculosis association met recently with a representative of the McKnight Sanatorium to consider the allotment of funds for this purpose. They voted to set aside the sum of \$100 to be used by the medical department toward the purchase of laboratory equipment.

At present another former patient of McKnight Sanatorium is continuing his treatment at home in Big Spring. His drugs and X-rays are paid for by the TB Association.

This is but one phase of the year-round program carried on by the Tuberculosis Associations over the nation.

Others include school patch testing, now underway; the annual mass X-ray, informational programs in the schools and follow-up X-rays for those who cannot afford to pay.

Because the Tuberculosis Association is composed of local citizens who donate their time, almost every cent given by the purchase of Christmas Seals is used in the program of TB control. Only the executive secretary, who keeps all records, does correspondence and assists the board members in promotion receives a small salary.

One Kiss Not Enough For Chicago Woman

CHICAGO (AP)—Mrs. Patricia Kolarik, 19, contended her husband Louis, 26, was guilty of a fraud in marrying her last May.

After the wedding, Mrs. Kolarik told Circuit Judge Julius H. Miner yesterday, her husband kissed her. But, she said, he did not kiss her again, spurning her offers of affection. They separated last Aug. 15.

Mrs. Kolarik was granted an annulment by Judge Miner, who upheld her contention Kolarik was guilty of a fraud in marrying her.

Haste Makes Waste

DENVER (AP)—Mrs. Robert Brewster put in a rush call for police help after her 18-month-old son Paul swallowed a souvenir gold coin about the size of a half dollar. Spending to a hospital with the boy, the police patrol car hit a sharp dip in the pavement and bounced—and up popped the coin from Paul's throat.

Woman To Continue Working Despite Gaining Of Fortune

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—The fact that Mrs. Lois McCaskill has been awarded one third of a 50-million-dollar estate didn't keep her from reporting for work as usual yesterday at the restaurant where she has been hostess and manager for the last 13 years.

The Mississippi Supreme Court has upheld her petition for a widow's share of the estate of Malcolm McCaskill, wildcat oil man who hit it rich after almost a lifetime of trying, and then died six months later.

Denies Pastors Reds

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A Methodist bishop from Texas asserted yesterday charges that some 7,000 Protestant ministers are "related to the Communists" are preposterous. "Those who make these charges have today failed to turn up a single Protestant minister in the country who is a Communist," said Bishop William Martin of Dallas.

Mrs. McCaskill left her husband to come to California, buy a modest home and see that her son, now 23, received a college education. She said she sued for divorce, "only in an effort to bring him to his senses," but lived with her husband afterward and later petitioned for the final divorce decree. It was this marital mixup that made it necessary for her to sue for "her share of the estate," she told newsmen.

Will the 15 or 16 million dollars to which she is entitled make a big difference in her life. "I'm going to stay at my job," she explained. "I like working. I like the girls at the restaurant. I like the job itself."

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