



\$13,500 Hereford

Lile Lewter, 10, beams as he displays his grand championship banner and the 1,130-pound steer, "Buster," which won the title at the annual Houston Fat Stock Show last night. The animal sold for \$13,500 at the show sale just before noon today. Anheuser-Busch paid about \$12 a pound for the champion. Lile is the son of County Agent and Mrs. Durward Lewter of Big Spring.

Lile Lewter Champ Sells For \$13,500

HOUSTON (AP) — The Anheuser-Busch Co., brewers, paid \$13,500 today for the grand champion steer of the Houston Fat Stock Show.

As Lile Lewter, 10, of Big Spring nervously prodded his 1,130-pound Hereford in the auction ring, his face broke into a wide grin when the bidders pushed the price over \$13,000.

7 Plead Guilty, Get Sentences

Lonzo Harvey, who was arrested Wednesday and indicted Thursday, this morning entered a plea of guilty to burglary charges and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Two others entered pleas of guilty Thursday afternoon and were placed on probation for two years. Pleading guilty to felony charges this morning were Jack Capps, forger; H. D. Van Zandt, perjury; Troy Turman, swindling by check; Jerry Huff, burglary; Luther Jones, theft; and Don Gulick, worthless check charges.

Harvey was charged with burglarizing the house of Ruby Lacey in northwest Big Spring Tuesday. He was taken into custody by city police early Wednesday.

Also named in the indictment was Curtis L. Vice Jr., but charges against him were dropped Thursday when it was learned that he is but 15 years of age. His case was turned over to juvenile authorities.

THE WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy and cold this afternoon and tonight. Saturday, fair and continued cold.

Government Appeals Ruling On Lattimore

WASHINGTON (AP)—The government announced today it will appeal the decision by Federal Judge Luther W. Youngdahl dismissing a new perjury indictment against Owen Lattimore.

Rover made the announcement of the intention to appeal before Chief Judge Bolitha J. Laws of U.S. District Court.

Mendes-France Likely To Lose Premier Post

By PRESTON GROVER
PARIS (AP) — Pierre Mendes-France's hours as French premier appeared numbered today as the National Assembly headed for a post-midnight vote of confidence on his North African policy.

Mendes-France demanded the vote—on which defeat would topple his seven-month-old government—after two days of bitter debate highlighted by a rift in his own Radical Socialist party.

The defection among his nominal followers made the prospect of his ouster so great that some of his own ministers privately voiced hopelessness.

The vote will be on Mendes-France's whole North African policy, including Tunisia, Morocco, and Algeria's Moslem majority and certain "reforms" for Morocco.

But the critical issue was home rule for the Tunisian Nationalists, a specter which alarms the important French landowners and businessmen living in the protectorate.

The probability of France's 20th postwar government crisis raised the question of what might happen to the Paris accords to rearm West Germany as a member of the North Atlantic Alliance.

These treaties, approved by the Assembly, are still under consideration in the Senate. However, Assembly observers believed there were other possible premiers who could successfully pilot the pact through the remaining parliamentary stages.

Mendes-France bluntly told the Assembly last night he planned to continue the African policy he launched when he visited Tunisia last July. To quiet terrorism stemming from Nationalist discontent, he promised "local autonomy" to the protectorate's 3 1/2 million people.

Rains Up To 2 Inches Reported Over Texas

GIRL REQUIRES RESCUE TWICE

BROOKLINE, Mass. (AP) — A sleepy little girl had to be rescued twice from the same fire last night.

Harriet Snyder, 8, was deep in slumber when her father Ben L. Snyder, discovering the family's second floor apartment ablaze, snatched her from her bed. He rushed his wife and Harriet and her brother to a first floor apartment and called the fire department.

Nobody noticed that while he phoned, Harriet sleepily walked upstairs and crawled back in bed.

Alarmed by her disappearance, her father ran upstairs again and carried her from the burning rooms.

San Angelo Notes North Concho Rise

By The Associated Press
A winter storm spun through Texas Friday, unleashing the state's best rain this year. Widespread downpours set dusty creeks gurgling and lakes rising. Spring growing and planting prospects brightened.

But freezing cold behind the storm turned to ice in the Panhandle and South Plains. The treacherous glass was blamed for three traffic deaths. The Highway Patrol warned against travel on some highways.

The rains were general over Texas but appeared heaviest in North Texas and in the drought-cracked country around San Angelo.

The cold moisture sprang from a low pressure, or storm, center that flailed Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas with wind-driven snow. At mid-morning the low was centered over North Texas and drifting northeast.

Unstable air curving around it set off the rains, ranging up to almost 2 inches.

The wintry weather was due to get colder as the murky day turned to night. Freezing rain was forecast Friday night in West and North Central Texas. The low expected was 15-25 degrees in the Panhandle and South Plains.

Lightning knocked out electrical service to four communities around San Angelo. Ice played havoc with phone lines in the Panhandle. Roads around Borger were still iced up, and the Highway Patrol advised against unnecessary travel.

Up to 1 1/2 inches of rain fell in San Angelo and heavy rains fell on watersheds of the city's two lakes.

The North Concho River was up slightly at Carlsbad, 20 miles northwest of San Angelo—the first time in months the river has run.

Rains of more than an inch fell along the watershed. It flows into North Concho Lake. Ranchmen reported draws all along the North Concho River were rising. The watershed extends to near Big Spring.

San Angelo's other reservoir, Lake Nasworthy, was fed by rains of up to an inch along the watershed.

Heavy Snowfalls Are Reported In Midwest States

By The Associated Press
One of the biggest storms of the winter dumped heavy snow on the central section of the nation today.

The Weather Bureau reported that the fall ranged up to 14 inches in northeastern Kansas. Traffic-slowing snow piled up in a huge belt which stretched from Iowa to the Rockies and from the Texas Panhandle northward into the Dakotas.

Freezing rain, sleet or snow—or a road-glazing combination of the three—hit the Texas Panhandle and parts of Oklahoma, Kansas and Missouri.

All of the northern states, from the Rockies to the Atlantic Coast, had cold weather. The lowest readings reported were -17 at Pellston, Mich., and Oakland, Md.

The Weather Bureau termed the Plains snowstorm one of the biggest of the winter. Depths up to 9 and 10 inches were frequent in Nebraska and Kansas.

Farmers in Kansas welcomed the fall. The moisture may give parched wheat fields a boost.

At Great Bend, Kan., yesterday federal crop adjusters had a gloomy discussion on possible crop losses because of the drought. Then the snow began.

Winds were causing some drifting. At Fort Riley, Kan., snow on the ground measured four to five inches and drifts were up to four feet deep.

The Weather Bureau said snow in northwest Missouri was expected to become heavy today and tonight. Freezing rain was forecast for the central portion of the state and rain for the extreme south.

Some snow and freezing rain also hit Oklahoma.

The Weather Bureau said the storm, described as a major one of the season, was centered this morning in North Texas and moving slowly northeastward.

3 Children Die In Fire

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — Three children, huddled together apparently to escape the flames, burned to death in their two-room home today.

They were Daniel Soles Jr., 4; Gloria Martinez, 3; and Nellis Martinez, 2, all children of Mrs. Nellis Rogers.

The mother was at a home on the front of the property when the fire started.

She and a neighbor, John Johnson, tried to save the children but were unable to enter the house because of the flames.

Fire Marshal Ben Van Pelt Jr. said the fire apparently started from a kerosene lantern.

Mrs. Rogers' husband was in jail serving out minor fines.

A fourth child, 6, was in school.

Sheriff Slashes Past-Due Total

Sheriff Jess Slaughter whittled the amount of past-due fines and court costs to less than \$750 this morning and said he will have the remainder in within two or three weeks.

The sheriff said he is going on "strictly cash" operations immediately.

He explained again that he has released some county jail prisoners prior to payment on their fines in the past because of "hardships" in some cases. In others, Slaughter said, the prisoners were released because he knew he could collect the fines they owed because they lived here and were employed locally.

One of the hardship cases the sheriff listed involved a prisoner whose wife had a broken leg.

Slaughter showed a tabulation of cases this morning showing \$1,120 still due on old fines. However, \$396.65 was collected during the morning to cut the figure to \$723.35. The sheriff said he thinks the remainder will be collected in the next few days.

Efforts to collect the past due fines and costs were accelerated Thursday after County Auditor Lee Porter submitted to county commissioners a report on audit of records in the various county offices.

The audit showed \$3,145 due on old fines and an estimate of about \$1,000 due on court costs, as of Jan. 1. It also showed that \$791.80 in fines had been turned in since the first of the year, as well as \$51 in jail time.

This, and other collections which Slaughter reported this morning cut the total amount outstanding to \$2,975.40, at the start of today's business.

Slaughter said that \$1,720.10 of this has been paid and is in the safe in his office. He said at noon that another \$396.65 was collected during the morning. These sums, plus another \$135 in jail time which was shown this morning, reduced the fines and costs still unpaid to \$723.85, Slaughter said.

The sheriff said he explained See SHERIFF, Pg. 6, Col. 4

AT GLASSCOCK SHOW Asbill Takes Two Of First Places

By CLIFTON LAWHORNE
GARDEN CITY — Thebert Asbill, FFA member, captured two first places in the 18th annual Glasscock County Livestock Show here Friday morning.

Overcast skies and a bite in the wind cut early morning attendance as judging got under way on the two sheep, steer and capon classes. Warming weather, sunshine and an old-fashioned barbecue was bringing out the people in large numbers around noon.

Everything pointed toward a brisk sale shortly after lunch.

Thebert Asbill won the grand championship of the fine wool class with a 109-pound lamb bred by Loy Hardy, Reserve in the class was shown by Jim Smith, whose 98-pound entry had been bred by Sam Brunson. Jim also is an FFA boy.

In the cross-bred class, Eddie Engle's 120-pound Fern Cox lamb was grand champion. Marion O'Shannon had the reserve championship, a 126-pound Foster Brothers lamb. Both are FFA members.

Milked calves captured honors in a steer division. John L. Daniels, with his 1,015-pound Hereford bred by Andy Fatken, took the grand championship, while Ben Cox, showing his 805-pound J. W. Cox calf, had the reserve animal. John L. is an FFA member and Ben a member of the 4-H Club.

Asbill also captured the grand championship in the capon division, edging out Bill Bowden's fine bird.

Government Sets Du Pont Appeal

WASHINGTON (AP)—The government announced today it is appealing the decision of the Chicago federal court which dismissed an antitrust action against the E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. and members of the duPont family.

Atty. Gen. Brownell said the case will be taken directly to the Supreme Court. Notice of the appeal was given to the Supreme Court this morning.

GEORGE GRAHAM JR.

Time Runs Out For Tiny Coahoma Lad, Born Ailing

Time ran out for little George Graham Jr. at Houston Thursday. George, who liked to call himself Buck-Pete because his Daddy is known to all the Coahoma folk as Buck, had been born with a congenital heart condition known as atrial septal defect.

Among the consequences was that his blood stream in part bypassed the lungs and was not properly aerated or oxygenated.

If George lived to four or five years of age, it might be possible to correct the congenital condition of his heart by surgery, doctors said.

Inexorably, as the red corpuscle count grew and grew, the blood stream thickened until it had been estimated to be only 12 per cent fluid.

It was now or never, doctors at John Sealy Hospital in Galveston said after checking George since Jan. 6. Mr. and Mrs. Graham concurred.

The initial stage of the extremely delicate surgery was performed.

"The doctor came out into the corridor and told us that the operation had been completed as far as it could go at that time, but that our baby was doing real well, considering."

"In about 30 minutes, they called him back, and he rushed down the corridor into the room. He stayed and stayed, and finally in about an hour he came out and gave us the bad news."

Little Buck-Pete had been born here Feb. 13, 1951, and he didn't quite reach that crucial four-year mark.

Elephant Freezes

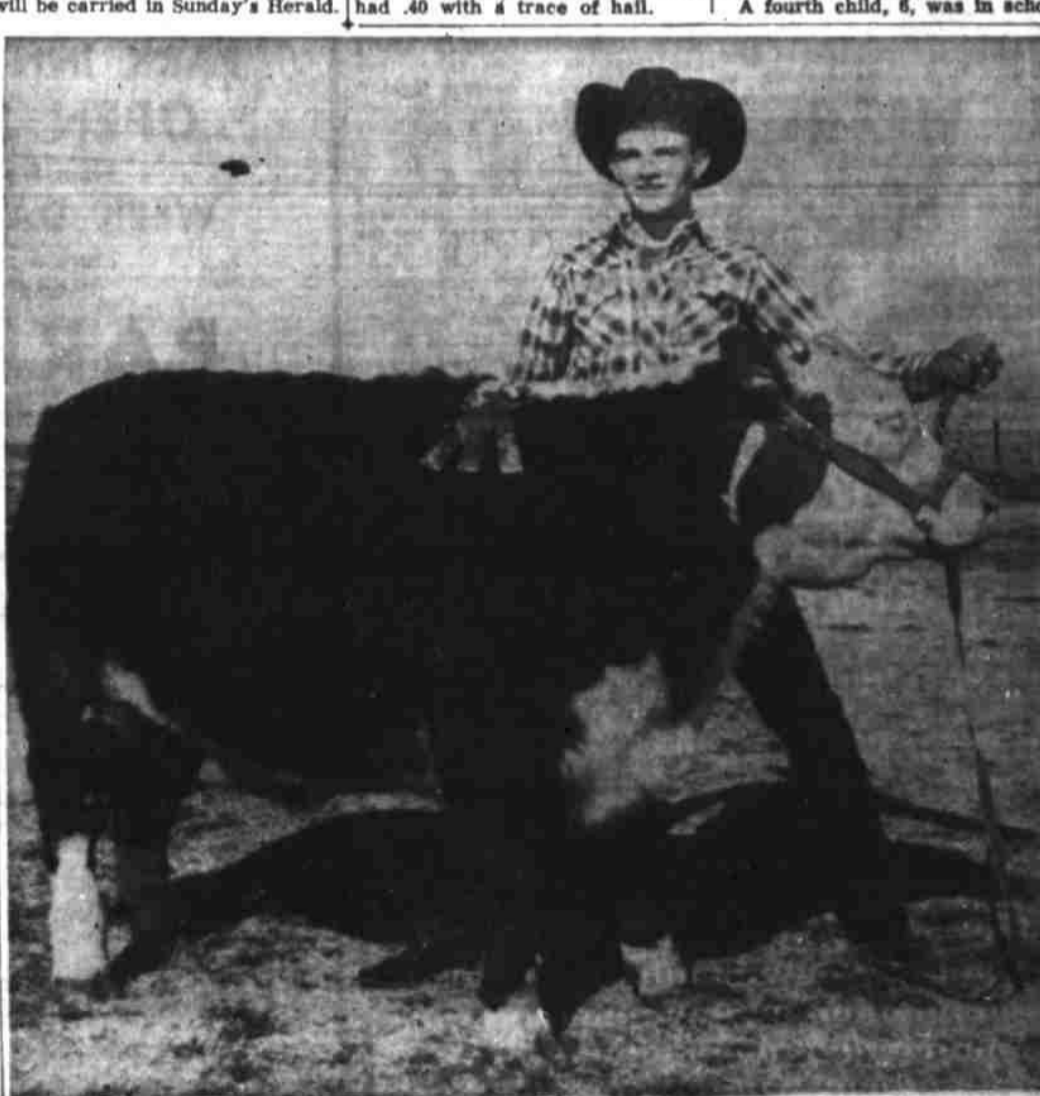
NEW YORK (AP)—An elephant being transported from the Belgian Congo to the Washington, D.C., zoo was found frozen to death in its cage aboard the motorship Bantagne yesterday.

Far East Pilot Killed

TOKYO (AP)—Two U.S. F86 Sabrejets collided above northern Honshu today, killing one pilot. Far East Air Forces announced.

Top Steer At Garden City

John L. Daniels, Future Farmers of America member at Garden City, exhibited the grand champion steer of the 18th annual Garden City Livestock Show in Garden City Friday morning. His 1,015-pound milked calf edged out one shown by Jim Smith. (Keith McMillin Photo.)



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Rep. Mahon Thinks More Funds For Farm Loans Might Be Had

Rep. George Mahon is hopeful that additional funds may be had for Farm Home Administration production and subsistence loans. Currently funds for this purpose have been exhausted. Mahon said the Department of Agriculture so far had turned thumbs down for more of this type of loan. However, he added, "I have hope that FHA officials here may change their attitude within a few weeks." Additional funds would represent no actual loss to the treasury, he added.

Prospects are not good for any significant changes in the cotton allotment program this year, according to Mahon. Although there have been relatively few complaints from this (19th) district because allotments generally are greater than in most other areas, there are some hardship cases due principally to drought. The district, incidentally, raises about one-tenth of the nation's cotton.

Mahon has resumed his old post as chairman of the subcommittee on military appropriations. As such, he will be the one to present the biggest spending bill of the session to Congress in the spring. Already the committee has heard from Charles Wilson, Secretary of Defense, and currently has been interviewing Adm. Arthur Radford, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

"Hearings of this type are behind closed doors," observed Mahon, "and are more interesting because officials can and do talk frankly without danger of having their words concerning defense secrets quoted to the embarrassment of our government abroad. Non-secret testimony is later printed and made available to the public." Regarding his support of the resolution in regard to the defense of Formosa, Mahon said that though it was fraught with grave danger, "to have repudiated the

President on the issue would have produced an even more dangerous situation."

In a lighter vein, he was still puzzled why only about half the invited guests showed up at the reception President and Mrs. Eisenhower gave for members of Congress. Some of the Taft wing GOPs have been upset with the Presi-

dent, but by and large he is still very popular with members of Congress. In a debate recently with Rep. John Taber, former chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, Mahon predicted that Congress would reduce by two billion dollars the President's request (\$58 1/2 billion) for new funds.

IT HAPPENED

Conviction

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—Harold L. Candelara, 29, had a sad story to tell police early yesterday: He said a man whom he had offered a lift home tried to beat him up on the way, then drove off in his car. But Candelara's story was even sadder today. He's in Salt Lake City jail. Police, in a routine check of their records, found he owed them nine days for an unserved traffic conviction.

Confusion

CHICAGO (AP)—A short robber and a tall robber took \$800 from the Lad and Dad Store.

Contention

LAGUNA BEACH, Calif. (AP)—Ted Berry was strolling along the

Duval Check Case Compromise Seen

SAN DIEGO, Tex. (AP)—A hearing on an injunction restraining Duval County officials from cashing checks without the counter signature of a county auditor may end in a compromise. Duval County has had no auditor since spring. Judge Cullen Briggs of Corpus Christi, sitting temporarily in 79th District Court, said yesterday he would rule today. Briggs suggested that an interim auditor be appointed until the status of Donato Serna is settled. Serna's case seeking a court order requiring the commissioners court to accept his official bond and let him be auditor was argued before the 4th Court of Civil Appeals in San Antonio, Jan. 26. Briggs held court here yesterday while Judge Woodrow Laughlin conducted court in Alice.

Federal Job Total Continues To Drop

WASHINGTON (AP)—Federal Employment resumed its downward trend in December and the government ended the year with 2,368,073 civilian employees, the Senate-House Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Federal Expenditure reported today. The group, headed by Sen. Byrd (D-Va.), said the total was 16,951 less than the November figure. The Commerce Department accounted for 11,097 of the decrease, most of them temporary census employees whose hiring had caused the employment figure to rise in October and November. The trend has been downward for 25 of the last 29 months, the committee said.

Grocery Clerk Strike Called In California

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A strike which may idle 1,000 grocery clerks and close stores was called yesterday by the AFL Grocery Clerks Union. It posted picket lines at two of the 400 member stores of the Retail Grocers Assn. In a "one for all and all for one" retaliation, the association called on its members to lay off all AFL clerks for the duration of the strike. The union seeks a \$3-a-week raise and limitations on store managers taking over clerks' duties. The association offered \$2 but refused to accept the managerial limitation. Last night the association announced that hundreds of clerks had been laid off.

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Mental Test Denied To Thurman Priest

LEBANON, Mo. (AP)—A request to send Thurman Priest, 48, Texan charged with slaying his young niece, to St. Louis for a neurology test, has been denied. Judge Claude Curtis indicated several days ago he would grant the request if the prosecution and defense could agree on conditions under which the proposed tests would be made. The defense, however, would not agree. Priest, a Grand Prairie accountant, is charged with abducting his niece, Jeanette Earnest, 11, of Fort Worth and slaying her in a wooded area near Lebanon last November. He is in jail at Marshfield, near here.

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Legal Troubles Plague Haymes

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Although crooner Dick Haymes and his actress wife Rita Haymes have left their Nevada retreat for Hollywood, their whereabouts remained secret today.

The secrecy may be due to the \$2,500 bench warrant that has been outstanding against Haymes since last July, when he failed to appear in court and explain why he should not be held in contempt for alimony arrears to one of his former wives, Mrs. Nora Eddington Flynn.

Haymes has had considerable child support legal trouble with his other ex-wife Mrs. Joanne Dru Ireland. But he is scheduled to be a script writer for a film that Miss Hayworth will make soon at a Hollywood studio, so there may be negotiations to settle his legal obligations.

The crooner's lawyer Bartley Crum said he had reached agreement with Mrs. Flynn's counsel S. S. Hahn so that Haymes could return to California. But Hahn said this was predicated on Miss Hayworth guaranteeing payment of the back alimony the singer owes Mrs. Flynn. "Otherwise, there will be no settlement and the bench warrant will be served," said Hahn.

14-Foot Fall Is Fatal

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP)—Burr Evans, 49, a brick mason, was killed yesterday when he fell 14 feet from a wall at a construction project.

Mother Of 10 Dies

KIRBYVILLE (AP)—A mother of 10 children, Mrs. Sam Varner, 41, was killed last night in an auto-truck collision. Her husband and her youngest child were injured.

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Crash Kills AF Wife

WACO (AP)—Mrs. Sam Collins, wife of a Biggs Air Force Base officer, was killed and her husband was injured yesterday when their auto collided with a Burlington streamliner near Donia, Lt. Collins was reported in satisfactory condition at a Teague hospital. The couple's infant was not injured.



Snowstorm Cuts Foot And Auto Traffic

Locust Street, one of Philadelphia's normally busy and crowded cross-town streets, is virtually deserted at mid-day as a widespread snowstorm dumped more than three inches of snow on this area and high winds drifted snow on highways feeding into the city. Only two pedestrians (arrows) are shown in photo, made from Hotel Warwick, looking east toward Broad Street. St. Mark's Episcopal Church is at left center. (AP Wirephoto).

Cold Weather Moderates Slightly In Eastern States

Stormy weather, with rain, sleet and snow and strong winds, swept over wide areas in the central part of the country today as a cold wave in the East moderated a little. A storm center which centered in Texas spread precipitation over much of the plains states. The showers and thunderstorms in Texas changed to freezing rain and sleet across southeastern Kansas and parts of Missouri. It was sleet and snow northward all the way to the Dakotas. The snowfalls mounted steadily across much of Kansas, Nebraska, the Dakotas, Wyoming and north-eastern Colorado. It was still cold in most of the East but not so cold as yesterday.

DATE DATA

By Beverly Brandow

Lines Mean Trouble

"Oh what a tangled web we weave, when first we practice to deceive." Dating, defined in the dictionary, is pure and simple, but put into practice it can get mighty complicated. Instead of being a case of boy dates girl and all is happy, we sometimes run into such awkward and mixed up variations it's hard to believe they ever had a simple beginning. Bill dated Marge all one year. Then, because he was leaving for college and they couldn't see each

other often, Marge gave back his football, saying that it wouldn't be fair to keep it longer.

Apparently Bill misunderstood, and believing Marge to be disinterested, he ceased to ask for any more dates. Meanwhile, Marge withered up and died a little inside. How could she win back his interest? Make him jealous? Marge gave Harry the "come on." With the aid of a good sized line, they were soon linked as a twosome and she was wearing Harry's football to prove she meant business. But why didn't a jealous Bill appear on the scene to woo and win her back? Apparently he respected Marge's right to choose and discard her boy friends without his help.

Anyway she found herself with no Bill and plenty of Harry. She wants Bill back and doesn't care if she never sees Harry again. What can she do?

You don't believe any affair could get that mixed up? This problem came in this week.

Exciting a boy's jealousy sometimes does some good when you do it by dating first one boy and then another to prove that you are popular, however nothing erases a boy from the picture faster than letting your name become regularly linked with one particular boy. Dating and having a good time is one thing; tying that person up heart and soul with a line is another and I can think of nothing more cruel. Think of your own anguish of being rejected by the one you admire. Is it fair to do that to someone else?

Besides, how can you ethically attempt to attract one boy when you have willingly agreed to be another boy's steady?

First Marge must become an independent dater again, inflicting as little pain on Harry as possible. It always hurts to wake up to the fact that you are the "fall guy" in somebody else's love affair.

Next she can forget some of her pride and direct a puppydog friendly attitude toward Bill. Maybe he'll want to be friends again, and maybe he won't. It's the risk one takes for confusing a relatively simple issue.

(Is It Just A Line? is a free leaflet. To obtain it, write Beverly Brandow in care of The Herald, enclosing a 3 cent stamp.)

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Virginia Hotel Fire Claims Guest's Life

HOPEWELL, Va. (AP)—One man died early today in a fire that burned through the top floor and roof of the Chesterfield Hotel. Seventeen other guests fled to the street in near-zero temperatures. Police said the body of Percy Hatchell, about 53, was found in his bed after firemen had put out the stubborn blaze that began after midnight and for a time threatened to spread to other buildings in the center of this town of 20,000 about 22 miles south of Richmond. The roof of the four-story brick building caved in, police said, and the top floor was gutted. Extensive water damage was said to have been done to the lower floors.

Texas On Panel Staff

WASHINGTON (AP)—Vernon McDaniel, former deputy commissioner of agriculture in Texas, has been appointed to the staff of the house government operations committee. Rep. Jack Brooks of Beaumont told of the appointment yesterday.

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Officers' Wives Hear New Webb Commander

As guest speaker at the meeting of the Officers' Wives Club Thursday afternoon, Col. Charles M. Young, new Webb Air Force Base commander, said that any project the club has to improve the wives' lot indirectly improves that of their husbands.

Maj. William C. Whalin, Organization and Training officer, discussed overseas assignments, explaining how officers are chosen for overseas duty and briefing the wives on what to do and what to take when going to foreign countries.

The speakers were introduced by Mrs. Clifford Holske Jr., president. Presenting a musical program were A-2C Roy Scott, vocalist; and A-2C Ronny Lees, pianist.

Nelva Ferguson Weds K. Dunbar In Lamesa Rites

LAMESA—In informal candlelit wedding ceremony, Nelva Ferguson became the bride of Kay Dunbar at the First Baptist Church in Lamesa Jan. 29 at 7 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ferguson, 410 S. Ave. O, Lamesa. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. E. R. Dunbar of Union.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white waltz-length fall dress designed on princess lines. Her finger tip veil of illusion was attached to a Juliet cap covered with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of blue gardenias.

Mrs. C. E. Crawford, sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

Guy Dunbar, brother of the bridegroom, attended his brother as best man.

Harold and Carroll, twin brothers of the bride were candlelighters. Ushers were Johnny Jones and Charles Warren.

A reception following the wedding ceremony was held in Fellowship Hall.

After a wedding trip to New Mexico and other western points the couple will be at home Feb. 7.

The bride is a graduate of Lamesa High School where she was head cheerleader. She was a freshman at Texas Technological College in Lubbock.

The bridegroom is also a graduate of Lamesa High School and is now engaged in farming in the Union Community in Dawson County.

Forsan Has Visitors

FORSAN — Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gressett of Lubbock were here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gressett, and Kenneth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foresythe and June were in Abilene recently for a visit with Mrs. Foresythe's mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Caldwell were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Bob Wick of Midland was a business visitor here of the Sunray Oil Corp.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Barton and sons were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stringer and Warren Neal of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Story and brothers, Wallace, G. B. and Ector Stockton, left Wednesday for Corpus Christi to attend funeral rites of their uncle, J. E. Cannon. They are to return tonight.

Mrs. C. V. Wash and Mrs. C. C. Suttles were in Midland recently. Visiting here Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cowley was her mother, Mrs. G. L. Monroney of Vealmoor.

Turtle Club Elects Two New Members

Jack Flaherty and Don Cope were elected to membership in the Turtle Club when the group met at St. Thomas' Church Thursday evening.

A letter was read from George Krumpelman, former member. Winners in two contests were Mary Ann Zahradka and Phyllis Gappa. Pool and ping pong were played and a wire recording was made and played for the group.

It was reported that member, Jann Gregg, is in a hospital. Eleven members and one guest, James Manship, attended the meeting, for which Bert Sequin and Mrs. Jan Croteau were hosts.

Next week the group will meet at the church at 7:15 p.m. to go to the John H. Lees Service Club for a special program.

Legion Auxiliary Hears Accordionist

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary were entertained Thursday at a luncheon meeting at the Wagon Wheel by Cpl. Martin Lucas, accordionist from Webb Air Force Base.

The group voted to meet every first Thursday for luncheon.

Members agreed to make a donation to the March of Dimes.

Centering the luncheon table was a Valentine arrangement of snapdragons and carnations.

About fourteen attended.



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By CAROL CURTIS

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Coahomans Attend Fort Worth Show

COAHOMA—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bales and family, accompanied by Shirley Graves, attended the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth. Bales returned to SMU.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Puckett of Seminole visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. T. O'Daniel, this week.

Carol Jean Fleeman of Snyder spent the past two weeks here visiting the O'Daniels, her grandparents.

Mrs. M. E. Duncan and Vernon attended the funeral services of her sister held in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams visited in Farwell with Mr. and Mrs. John Holland and family.

Mrs. W. J. Jackson is spending the next several days in Hamlin visiting her children.

Mrs. Dewitt Shivers and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bates visited in Lubbock with their children Mr. and Mrs. Wayne DeVaney and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bates.

A. J. Moore of Dallas has accepted the position as water superintendent here and has assumed his duties and plans to move his family here soon.

H. D. Nelson spent a few days in Dallas visiting friends and relatives.

Marilyn Miller In Baylor Production

WACO — Baylor University Theater is presenting a new original comedy, "A Different Drummer" by Gene McKinney, professor of playwriting in the Baylor drama department. This new play, directed by Paul Baker, utilizes the famed five-stage theater which surrounds the audience.

Cast in the role of Royal's Imagination Chorus is Marilyn Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin M. Miller of Big Spring. The stage production of "A Different Drummer" is the most unusual since the Baylor Theater's production of "Othello" which won nationwide publicity. The production is scheduled to run Feb. 4-19 (with the exception of Sundays and Wednesdays) at the Baylor Theater, Waco.

Mrs. Rozelle McKinney and Mrs. Pete Harmonson have returned from a visit in Dallas.



Tea Hour For The Forum

Mrs. H. M. Rowe, at right, serves tea to guests of the Modern Woman's Forum Thursday afternoon. She is the club's president. Left to right, are Mrs. Charles Tompkins, president of the Woman's Forum, Mrs. C. G. Griffin Jr., vice president of the Spoudario Fora, and Mrs. R. E. McClure Jr., president of the Junior Woman's Forum.

Dr. Hunt Is Speaker At Forum Guest Tea

"The Place of the Junior College" in the Nation as a Community College" was the theme of a speech by Dr. W. A. Hunt, president of Howard County Junior College, at the guest tea given Thursday by the Modern Woman's Forum in the college music room.

Dr. Hunt spoke in place of Mrs. J. S. Hendricks of Acala, president of the eighth district of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, who was unable to be here because of an illness in her family.

Also on the program was Martha Winans, piano student of Jack Hendrix at the college. Introducing Dr. Hunt and Miss Winans was Mrs. Hugh Duncan.

Guests at the tea were members of the Woman's Forum, Spoudario Fora and Big Spring Junior Woman's Forum. About 30 attended.

Mrs. H. M. Rowe, president of the hostess forum, and Mrs. Harwood Keith alternated at the tea table.

A Valentine motif centered the table which was covered with a white linen outwork cloth. Forming the centerpiece was a red heart as a background for a small doll dressed as the Queen of Hearts. Red and white carnations and white maline adorned the arrangement.

Flanking the central arrangement were tall white tapers in crystal holders. A silver service was placed on one end of the table.

Housewarming For The J. E. Deels

A housewarming was given Thursday evening for Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Deel in their home at 1011 Wood. Hosting the affair were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Deel. Gifts were presented to the honorees.

The guest list included Mrs. Roy Lee, Mrs. Johnnie Drake, Mrs. A. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rogers, Mrs. Agnes Altom, Mrs. C. M. Wilkerson, the Rev. and Mrs. Calvin Wiley, Sheila and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Calvert, Charles and Sandra, Mrs. G. W. Redding, Bill and Donna, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Anderson.

Philippines Topic For Ladies' Aid

The Concordia Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church met Wednesday evening at the Education Building for the monthly devotion and business meeting Mrs. Waller Heideman led the discussion on "Win the Philippines for Christ."

The president, Mrs. Leroy Budke, gave the opening prayer and Scriptural from the 115th Psalm. Plans were made for chili supper to be held Feb. 18 at the Educational Building. This event is open to the public.

Mrs. Jack Watkins was accepted as a new member. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Leslie Snow. Twelve members and four visitors were present. The next meeting will be March 3 at 7:30 p.m.

Miss Jernigan Weds Claude Miller Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller Jr. left Thursday immediately after their wedding for Norfolk, Va., where he is stationed in the Navy.

The bride is the former Patry Jernigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jernigan, 707 E. 16th. The bridegroom is the son of Claude Miller Sr. of this city.

Wedding vows were repeated Thursday morning in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. W. A. James, with the pastor officiating for the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a suit of aqua with black velvet trim, a white hat and black accessories. She has been attending Big Spring High School. Mr. Miller is a graduate of the local school.



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Method: Sift together the flour, baking powder, salt and dry milk. Beat eggs until thick and lemon colored; gradually beat in sugar, then vanilla. Stir in sifted dry ingredients just until combined. Fold in pecans and coconut. Turn into well-greased pan (8 by 8 by 2 inches). Bake in moderate (350 degrees) oven about 35 to 45 minutes or until center springs back when lightly touched with finger. Cool slightly. Cut into 2 1/2 inch squares in pan; remove with spatula. Serve warm. Serve with the following:

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Gerontology Is Topic Of 1905 Hyperions

"Texas ranks 39th in the amount paid in old-age pensions" Mrs. Lee Hanson told members of the 1905 Hyperion Club Wednesday afternoon at the meeting in the home of Mrs. Clyde Angel. She gave the maximum pension paid in Texas as \$38.

Mrs. Hanson then cited other states which have built housing units for older people and have arranged special activities for their recreation.

Dr. Roscoe Cowper was the second speaker on the program, the subject being "Gerontology, The Challenge of Our Generation." He spoke on the medical side of growing old and stressed the importance of minerals and vitamins in the diet. Dr. Cowper also told of the need of foods with a high protein value.

Members were told that people make a mistake in retiring from work and that some kind of interest should be maintained as long as possible.

The club voted to send endorsements of the following bills to the state senator and the representative: a law to suppress objectionable comic books and obscene literature; driver education in the schools; improvement of conditions in state hospitals; a law requiring students in state supported schools to study American history.

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A basketball triple-header, featuring both the Big Spring Steers and HCJC's Jayhawks, gets under way at Steer Gym at 5:45 o'clock.

A preliminary bout featuring the Big Spring High School B team and the Coahoma Bulldogs gets the show on the road.

Johnny Johnson's Big Spring Steers play host to the Breckenridge Buckaroos at 7:15 p.m. At 8:45 p.m., the Howard County Junior College Jayhawks square off with the Clarendon Bulldogs in a West Zone game.

AT FORSAN HIGH

After Nine Seasons, Bob Honeycutt Going Strong

Athletic fans in and around Forsan are as vocal as they are most anywhere but one species—the wolf—is in poor voice, if he's not missing entirely from the scene.



FRANK HONEYCUTT

Supporters stick with the Bulldogs through thick and thin and most think it is in bad taste to yell for the scalp of the coach.

Frank (Bob) Honeycutt, who coaches all boys' sports at the South Howard County school, is in his ninth year in that position and has never been more popular and well-liked.

If his tenure at Forsan doesn't set a record for longevity in this area, it comes close to it.

Honeycutt played high school ball at Big Sandy, which is near Longview. He played under Leonard Pickett, now at Gilmer; and Red Malone, at the present time associated with the Dallas school system. In those days (1933-37), Big Sandy's teams ran off the Single and Double Wing.

Honeycutt's football teams have been runners-up in district play on five occasions.

Since that time, Honeycutt's teams have won (six-man) football championships in 1948 and 1953, a basketball crown in 1952-53 and three times have prevailed as the

conference's best in track and field.

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Forsan's 1948 team was undefeated and emerged as probably the highest scoring team in the

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LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Big Spring High School's basketball game tonight with Breckenridge, and the one Saturday night with Vernon, are interesting, if for no other reason than Charles Clark needs to maintain a ten-point average to keep alive his chances to set a new Steer scoring record.

At the moment, Charles is 60 points away from Bobby Malnes' all-time scoring mark, set four years ago. He has six games in which to sink or swim.

His teammates won't be feeding the ball to Clark just to help him set a record. Neither will he risk a shot until he thinks he can hit or needs to loosen up the defense.

The Steers are still very much in the fight for a first division fight in District I-AAA. The boys are proud of the showing they've made in the race thus far—every observer around the conference was relegating them to the cellar again without a second glance.

Clark is only part of a scheme for victory but he is an important part. Generally, when he is hot, the entire team is hard to hold. When he's off center with his shots, the other lads often find they are, too.

Charles added 33 points to his aggregate in two games last week-end to bring his year's total to 332. Malnes' record, spread over 30 games, was 392.

Breaking the record would be a fitting way for the young man, who was an all-district choice last year, to close out his high school cage career.

Not many baseball fans know, probably, that Ossie Alvarez, the former Big Spring Bronco, set a new stolen base record in the Longhorn League last season.

Alvarez pilfered 51 sacks for the Roswell Rockets. The former record of 50 was established by Rex Pearce, then of Odessa, back in 1947, the first year the league operated.

Alvarez is probably the best base runner the league has ever known. Leo Eastham, the Odessa fly-chaser, was about as crafty as Ossie on the base paths but he wasn't quite as fast.

Ossie would often take two bases on a one-bouncer to the outfielder. If the outfielder stopped to count the stitches on the ball, Alvarez never slowed down and would come charging into the plate like Citation from the eighth pole.

It was because of that trait, more than any other thing, that caused many a scout to call him the best prospect in the Longhorn League.

More than one said he should be playing Texas League ball.

Dick Bass, a Negro athlete who was the most sought-after high school footballer in California the past fall, averaged more than four touchdowns a game in ten starts in 1954.

Bass attended Vallejo High School, up near San Francisco.

A school definitely going big-time in football is Florida State College, which was a girls' college until 1946.

The University of Florida will shortly sign a game contract with FSU, on "orders" from the State Board of Control.



CHARLIE FLEMING

ABC Representative Guest Speaker Here Saturday

Charlie Fleming, San Mateo, California, field representative of the American Bowling Congress, will be the guest speaker at a

Oil Income May Benefit Owls

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP)—Rice Institute's athletic department soon may be receiving income from what is believed to be a multi-million-dollar oil field discovery.

A Limestone County wildcat was completed last week with a daily flow of 964 barrels of oil. Other wells are to be drilled.

A group of Houston oilmen acquired leases on the property seven years ago. Three 32nds of any income was earmarked for special Rice Institute projects, with the athletic department to receive first consideration.

Since then the Southwest Conference school has constructed a 70,000-seat stadium and a 6,400-seat field house but the Board of Trustees is expected to follow the oilmen's wishes in apportioning the new income.

Long-range income from an oil discovery is very unpredictable but Jack Frazier, who conceived the idea for aiding Rice, believes there is much room for optimism.

The discovery is in a new pay zone some 5,500 feet below the old Mexia oil field.

"The original Mexia field produced over 100 million barrels," Frazier said. "I think the new one should produce very well."

Jess Neely, the Rice athletic director, is counting no money until it is received.

"Let us get that money in our hands," he said, "and then we'll start thinking what to do with it. Until then we aren't worrying."

Neely does not deny, however, that whatever money the department receives will go first to the stadium.

Built in 1950 at a cost of about 3 million dollars, the stadium still has a debt of around 2 million.

After that would come a field house expansion, with emphasis on dressing facilities, now overcrowded, particularly during spring training and spring sports.

Also under discussion has been a pitchputt golf course or a few fairways and greens on the several acres fronting the field house.

Frazier emphasized that disposition of income from the oil property will be left to the Institute's trustees.

Joining Frazier in the project seven years ago were Dick Schwab, O. J. McCullough, George Echols, H. C. Cockburn and the late Dale W. Moore.

The first drilling attempt was a dry hole. Drilling rights later were turned over to Humble Oil & Refining Co. and Shell Oil Co.

Wolves Finish Grid Schedule

COLORADO CITY—The Colorado City Wolves, bi-district champs in '54, will open their 1955 season against Lakeview of San Angelo on Sept. 9th at Colorado City.

The Wolves, coached by Dillard Adair, figure to be weaker for the 1955 season, with 10 of the eleven starters graduating this spring.

Only Billy Simmons will return this fall and the 170-pound Simmons who played left tackle this year, will be a senior.

Graduating are Hollis Galney, Arlis Parkhurst, Bud Windham, Billy Williams, Billy Bridgford, Weldon Ennis, Darrell Smith, Drew Cawthron, J. B. Padgett and Don Filppen—all ten and Simmons were all-district in the season just closed. Other A team graduates are: Joe Howell, Randall Oliver, and Billy Davis.

In addition to Simmons, other lettermen who will be back in the fall are Jimmy Hock, Jim Windham, Perry Barber, Reid Biggs, Larry Gayler, Jimmy Johnson, Charles Black, Bobby Williams, Don Fite, Tommy Jamison, Frank Mackey and Lee Mullican.

The Wolves 1955 schedule: Sept. 9, Lakeview, at home; Sept. 16, Ballinger, there; Sept. 23, Kerrville, at home; Sept. 30, Monahans, there; Oct. 7, Cisco, at home; Oct. 14, Winters, there; Oct. 21, Hamlin, at home; Oct. 28, Stamford, there; Nov. 4, Rotan, at home; Nov. 11, Anson, at home.

—Conference

bowling meeting here tomorrow.

Jake Douglas, Jr., president of the Big Spring Bowling Association, made this announcement today and said that the meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at Pepper Martin's Bowling Center.

Fleming will sell of the many and varied services of the ABC to its affiliated city associations, leagues, teams and individual members. He will outline some of the new special services which have been introduced during the past year or so under the ABC's Expanded Services Program.

Bowlers attending this meeting will be invited to submit questions to the ABC representative during a special open forum period.

In addition to the speaking program, Fleming will present the ABC's latest film on bowling. This movie—just off the production line—shows interesting scenes at the world's largest participant sports event—the ABC Championship tournament. Some of the nation's top bowling stars are seen in action on the ABC alleys in this film.

As a field representative of the ABC, Fleming travels thousands of miles each year attending city association meetings, conducting bowling rallies and assisting local groups with their organizational problems.

Phillips Defeats Forsan, 41-39

FORSAN (SC) The Phillips 66 team of Knott notched their seventh straight basketball win by toppling Forsan's Independents, 41-39, here Thursday night.

Pat Gaskin again led Knott with 19 points while Spot Cockrell had nine.

For Forsan, Kenneth Cowley pitched in 14 and Anderson nine. Forsan led at half time, 22-17. The 66ers will play Coca-Cola of Big Spring at Knott Monday night.

CAGE RESULTS

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Cincinnati 88, Boston Hall 78; John Carroll 79, St. Francis (Pa.) 78; Manhattan 88, St. John's (N.Y.) 81; Marquette 88, Adelphi 74; CCKY 85, Montclair 84.

Muhlenberg 81, Scranton 88; Juniata 82, Lycoming 83.

SOUTH

Kentucky 87, Florida 81; George Washington 78, Furman 71; Dayton 82, Murray (Ky.) 83; South Carolina 81, The Citadel 88; Appalachian 80, Elon 79.

New Orleans Loyola 78, Xavier (Ohio) 71; Randolph Macon 85, Virginia Military 79; Tusculum 103, Emory & Henry 84; Coker 82, Mississippi College 78; Dallas 77, Le Moyne (Tenn.) 88; Transylvania 88, Centre 80.

MIDWEST

Orlando 82, Detroit 80; DePaul 80, Valparaiso 83; Pittsburg 79, Duquesne 88; Concordia (Ill.) 82, Lincoln (Mo.) 81; Case 83, MIT 88; Baldwin-Wallace 88, Youngstown 88.

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Banquet Principals

Above are scenes snapped by The Herald photographer at Thursday night's high school football banquet at Coahoma.

AT BANQUET

Coahoma Coaches Given Presents

COAHOMA (SC) — An estimated 200 persons gathered at the Coahoma High School Cafeteria Thursday night for the annual banquet honoring the Coahoma Bulldog football team.

Stanton Gains 69-66 Victory

STANTON (SC) — The Stanton Buffaloes rang up their 13th win of the basketball season here Thursday night at the expense of the Odessa B team.

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Littler Pacing Phoenix Field

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SWC Grid Work In Full Swing

By The Associated Press. Three schools have opened spring football training in the Southwest Conference. Two more begin next week.

Gavilan Meets Ernie Durando

NEW YORK (AP) — Kid Gavilan, the known quantity in so many fights, plays the role of Mr. X tonight at Madison Square Garden in his bout with slugger Ernie Durando.

COACH

(Continued from Page 4) state. The Buffs that year averaged better than 50 points a game.

Honeycutt regards Eldon Prater and Dan Fairchild as perhaps the two best football players he ever coached at Forsan.

Among basketball players, the Forsan mentor ranks Virgil Bennett, Arlen White and Albert Oglesby among the very best.

Harold Hicks, still in school there, is perhaps the standout track performer he has tutored.

Though he stays busy throughout the school calendar, Honeycutt has found time for other things.

Since Honeycutt arrived on the scene, Forsan High School has added one of the finest small-school basketball gymnasiums and one of the very best football plants to be found anywhere.

Frank usually stays in Forsan during the summer months to see that the best stands of grass anywhere and supervises its watering regularly.

Honeycutt's hobbies are hunting and fishing but he doesn't find much time for either endeavor.

Juniors Split With Midland

MIDLAND (SC) — Junior High school basketball teams of Big Spring and John Cowden of Midland broke even in a double bill here Thursday afternoon.

The Ninth Graders from Big Spring vanquished Cowden, 38-28, but the Cowden Eighth Graders won, 47-41.

Table with columns: NINTH GRADERS, BIG SPRING (88), COWDEN (88). Rows: P, FG, FT, PF, TP.

Table with columns: SEVEN GRADERS, BIG SPRING (41), COWDEN (41). Rows: P, FG, FT, PF, TP.

WEEK'S SPORTS MENU IN BS

Ward School Basketball League, Jr. and Sr. High School Gyms, 9 and 10 a.m. H.C.J.C. vs Clearmont, basketball, Jayhawk Gym, 8 p.m.

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Texas Steers Are On Way To All-Time Worst Record

By JOE BENHAM The Associated Press. The University of Texas basketball team Friday was on the brink of the worst record since the school took up the cage game back in 1906.

A 79-74 loss to Texas Tech Thursday night gave Texas its 15th loss in a row and its 15th of the season—the first time a Longhorn team has lost 15 games since 1931.

Next action for the Longhorns comes Saturday night, when they face Arkansas at Austin in a conference tilt.

Thursday night's loss was one of the toughest of the season for the Longhorns, who dropped the game only after one of their strongest showings since they beat Hardin-Simmons in the season opener.

Texas led 39-35 at halftime, kept the score as close as 59-57 with 12 minutes to play, but fell behind when Tech turned on the pressure.

when Tech turned on the pressure. Jim Reed of Texas Tech and Raymond Downs of Texas shared scoring honors with 20 points, followed by DuWayne Blackshear with 19 for Tech.

The Raiders took the game on free throws, sinking 37 of 43 for Texas. Texas held the edge in field goals 31-26.

No games are slated Friday night. The Arkansas-Texas clash and the Baylor-Texas Christian battle make up Saturday's schedule.

Goldman Attains Golf Semi-Finals

HARLINGEN (AP)—Semifinal play expected to land defending champion David Goldman of Dallas, and Missouri State Amateur Champ Warren Rippen of St. Joseph today in the Life Begins at 40 Golf Tournament.

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Imports Danger Cited At C-City Chamber Dinner

COLORADO CITY (SC) — The danger of imports to domestic industry was stressed Thursday night by Roland V. Rodman, president of the firm operating Col-Tex refinery here, at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet.

He stressed the differences in costs occasioned by the cheap labor of the Middle East countries. This gave refineries in the Eastern U. S. using imports advantages.

He also stressed enlightened corporate leadership as "the best defense American has against communism and socialism." Corporations must offer employees four things to get value received, he said.

He listed these as opportunity, responsibility, participation and security.

Rodman was introduced by District Attorney Eldon Mahon, Roy Porter, the retiring Chairman, President, presented the new chairman, Joe Bell, editor of the Colorado City Record.

Ken Eastin, vice president of the City National Bank, was master of ceremonies. Dinner music was provided by the Colorado High Mixed Chorus, directed by Curtis Baker.

Couple Injured In Mishap Here

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lawdermilk, 311 Owens, were rushed to Big Spring Hospital yesterday about 7 p. m. in an Eberley-River ambulance following an automobile accident at Fourth and Owens.

Hospital attendants report their injuries as only minor sprains and bruises. They are expected to be released Saturday.

The driver of the other car in the collision was Loren Macken-thum, Webb AFB. The serviceman was apparently uninjured in the mishap.

A minor accident occurred about 9 p. m. Thursday night in the 2100 block of South Gregg. Cars involved were driven by Annabell Botwell, 114 Hardin, and Kenneth Wayne Wilson, 100 Rannels.

A girl's bicycle was reported stolen from the Colored Methodist Church, 1000 NW 3rd. The bicycle was missed about 12 p. m. yesterday.

Police picked up a 1940 model motorcycle behind Radford's Grocery on First Street. It apparently had been abandoned. They are holding the vehicle for further registration checks.

Work Begun On U. S. 80 Drainage

The Highway Department has begun work on Highway 80 at the intersection of Galveston, San Jacinto and San Antonio streets. City Manager Herbert Whitney said the construction is to provide more adequate drainage of water in the area.

In the past, water has been unable to drain off the area because of inadequate flow pipes under the road. The construction will provide for drainage dips in the highway enabling water to cross to the other side.

Highway 80 is being routed through on Fourth Street while the construction is being completed, Whitney said.

Mrs. Ida Mae Oldham Suffers Broken Hip

Mrs. Ida Mae Oldham was taken to a local hospital this morning in an Eberley-River ambulance after she had suffered a broken hip at her ranch home.

The mishap occurred within the home about 10 o'clock last night. The Oldham place is located about 15 miles north and slightly east of Big Spring.

Grass Fire Put Out

The Fire Department answered a call to the 1400 block of West First Thursday. A grass fire was quickly extinguished on the vacant lot there. Cause of the fire is unknown.

Former Resident's Father Succumbs

Word has been received here of the death in San Angelo Thursday night of H. B. Gillam, Sr., a former Big Spring resident.

Burial will take place at Brady but other arrangements are pending.

CONFUSING CLUES

Man Dies Peacefully in Bed But Police Are In Confusion

IKE'S BROTHER CAN SHARE IN TEXAS CLAIM

DALLAS (AP) — Dr. Milton Eisenhower, who spoke here last night on Latin America, was presented two pairs of cowboy boots by his host, the Dallas Council on World Affairs.

"I've always hoped I'd be able to match my bigger brother," he responded with a grin.

President Dwight Eisenhower was born in 1890 at Denison, Tex., Milton, president of the Pennsylvania State University, was born nine years later after the family moved to Abilene, Kan.

SHERIFF

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his policies and bookkeeping techniques to members of the grand jury Thursday. The report on the audit had been referred to the grand jury by county commissioners Thursday morning.

The grand jury made no reference to its interview with the sheriff when it filed its final report Thursday afternoon. Ed Carpenter, foreman, handed Judge Charlie Sullivan four indictments in felony cases and the panel had completed its work.

The indictments, three on felony charges and the fourth on misdemeanor charges of aggravated assault, were returned against Lonz Harvery, Don Gulick, O. P. Strother, and W. C. Walton. Harvery was indicted on burglary charges, Gulick on charges of worthless checking, Mrs. Strother on second offense DWI charges, and Walton on misdemeanor assault charges. Bond was set at \$1,000 in each case.

Walton is a city policeman. Indictment against him alleges that he committed an aggravated assault on Manuel Vega on Nov. 28. Vega was shot as he fled from officers. Walton said at the time that his gun discharged accidentally.

Gulick and Mrs. Strother were named in indictments returned by the grand jury last week, but District Attorney Guilford Jones said the documents had to be redrawn because of technical errors.

The grand jury spent most of its session yesterday in conference with the sheriff and other county officials concerning the audit. Slaughter complained this morning that he had not been given an opportunity to explain his position to the other officials before the audit was submitted to the grand jury. He said that as a result of the audit his department is going on "strictly cash" operations — that no prisoner will be released until he has either paid or laid out in jail his fine and court costs.

Strict Compliance With Farm License Law Advised Here

N. K. Warner, state investigator, issued a warning here today against securing "farm" license plates for vehicles other than those used solely in farm or ranch operations.

Warner said that vehicles bearing farm licenses must be used exclusively in operation of a farm or ranch. This includes the hauling of farm and ranch products, laborers, tools, and other supplies. Vehicles used to haul produce purchased from farmers or ranchers are not eligible for the farm plates, he said.

The investigator said he has found some evidence of misuse of farm plates in this area, and that he is giving the warning as a result. He said no cases have been filed, but that any additional abuse of the farm license law will result in prosecution.

The farm license registrations cost half the amount of regular commercial fees, he said.

In addition, Warner said, a vehicle owner is required to sign an affidavit when purchasing farm plates, stating that the vehicle will be used in compliance with the law. The making of a false affidavit is a felony offense, he pointed out. Conviction carries a penitentiary sentence of two years.

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British Write Off Hopes For Speedy U. N. Truce

By SEYMOUR TOPPING

LONDON (AP) — The British government today wrote off all immediate chances of a United Nations cease-fire in the Formosa Strait.

Instead, it turned to Asian leaders of the worldwide British Commonwealth, meeting here, in the hope of finding a solution to the explosive situation and averting a major shooting war in the Far East.

Shocked and disappointed by Red China's refusal to come to the U. N. and talk things over, Prime Minister Churchill's government saw the best prospect of peace in secret, behind-the-scenes diplomacy instead of public negotiation through the U. N.

The British hopes rested mainly on India's neutralist Prime Minister Nehru, who has been in constant touch with the Chinese Communist government and has been a chief negotiator between East and West in the past.

The Commonwealth prime ministers began a series of urgent consultations this morning on new ways to bring a quick end to the shooting between Red China and Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalists.

Responsible informants said Nehru, Churchill and the other Commonwealth premiers are studying these alternate cease-fire moves:

1. A personal approach by Nehru to the Chinese Reds in an effort to arrange a de facto — "unwritten" — cease-fire.
2. Acceptance of an Indonesian proposal for mediation in the Formosa dispute by the Colombo powers.

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RAINS

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shed of the South Concho River, Spring Creek and Dove Creek were on the rise at Mertzon and Knickerbocker, respectively.

Big Lake, also on Spring Creek, received up to 1 1/2 inches. The Skiles area, also in the South Concho watershed, received 2 inches.

Norton, in Rannels County northeast of San Angelo, had a 2-inch rain and an electrical storm. The storm disrupted the power lines. Officials were trying to decide whether to dismiss school because of the lack of heat.

Other communities in the area without electricity because of storms were Norton, Knickerbocker, Mereta and Pecan Station. The West Texas Utilities Co. was trying to restore service.

The bulk of the San Angelo area rain fell after 1 a. m. Rains up to 1.78 inches fell in the Lake Dallas watershed.

The Panhandle got little moisture. Observers generally reported it mostly an inconvenience as ice glazed highways.

By noon, the overcast was beginning to break up in the West but some snow was expected Friday night in the eastern Panhandle where drizzle continued most of Friday.

Highways were termed treacherous in the northern and eastern Panhandle Friday.

The Highway Department reported that U. S. 66 was slick as far west as Albuquerque.

Some typical overnight rainfall figures for the Panhandle included 77, Texarkana, 75, Abilene, 75, Austin, 42, Houston, 38, Junction 31 and Lufkin, 28. Dozens of other points — including Collette Station, Palacios, Dalhart, Amarillo, Beaumont, Del Rio, Galveston, Odessa and Laredo — received less than 1/4 inch.

Heavy rains pounded the watershed of Lake Dallas, which supplied the city, Burleson got 1.78 inch. Amarillo received 1.44. McKinney 1.36, Valley View 1.02, Carrollton 1.38, Rockwall 1.70 and Gunter 3.52.

The biggest rains fell in North Texas. Lakes in southern Nolan County were rising after 1 to 1 1/2 inches fell in the area. Sweetwater got .63. The moisture was of great benefit to grain and pasture land.

A shower shortly before midnight dropped 35 inch on Colorado City. Skies there remained overcast.

Rain in Navarro County ranged from .7 to 2 inches. Corsicana had 1.08 by 7 a. m. and was still coming down. The moisture helped pasture cover crops and small grains and seasoned the soil for spring planting.

Marshall had .88 inch by mid-morning. The rain appeared general over that East Texas area. Eastland received .94 inch.

Market Varies Steady To Strong

The market at the Big Spring Livestock Auction Company's sale Wednesday varied from steady to strong.

Bulls sold for 14.00 to 14.50, fat cows for 11.00 to 12.50, butcher cows for 8.00 to 9.00 and fat calves from 17.50 to 21.00.

Stecker steer calves went for 17.00 to 20.00, heifer calves for 16.00 to 17.00, cows beside calves for 8.00 to 12.00, and hogs for 17.00 to 18.00.

An estimated 400 cattle and 25 hogs went through the ring.

MARKETS

WALL STREET — The stock market opened mixed today.

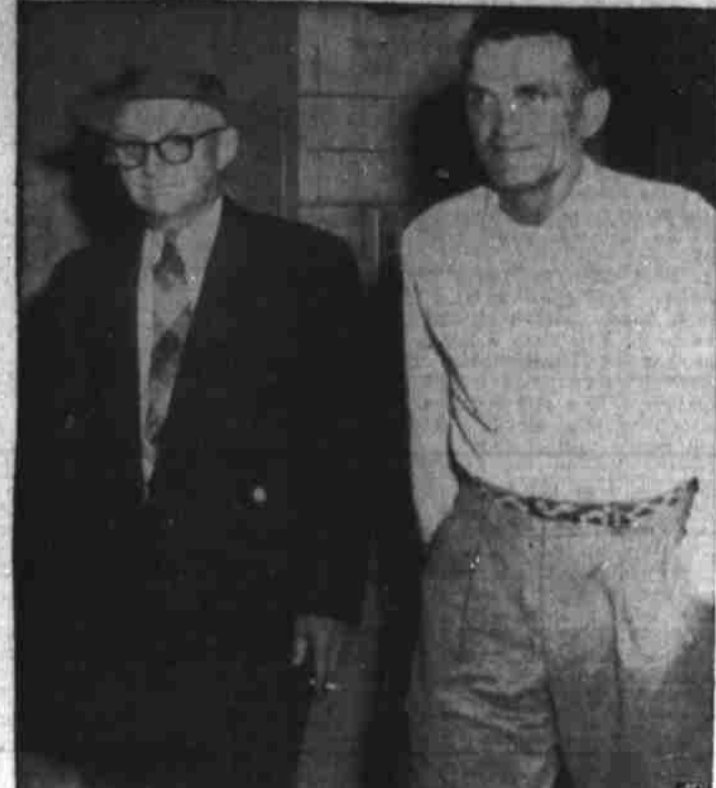
Industrial stocks led with a net gain. American Telephone and Telegraph advanced 1/8 point. Oil stocks were flat, but with about a 1/4 point net gain.

Grain futures were mixed, but with a net gain. Royal Dutch/Shell advanced 1/8 point. U. S. Steel advanced 1/4 point.

LIVESTOCK — A market of 400 cattle, 25 hogs, 100 sheep, 100 goats and 100 swine was sold in Big Spring today. Market was steady to strong.

Wheat — 1.36, 1.36, 1.36. Corn — 1.02, 1.02, 1.02. Soybeans — 1.38, 1.38, 1.38.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS B

LODGES B1

CALLER MEETING
Shaded Plains Lodge No. 1349 A.F. and A.M. Fri. 7:30 p.m. Feb. 4, 1955. Work in S.A. Degree.

Big Spring Lodge No. 1349
Stated meeting 1st and 3rd Thursday 8:00 p.m. A.M. Degree, Friday, February 4, 7:30 p.m. O. O. Hughes, W.M. Jack Douglas, Act. Sec.

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S.P.C. Lodge No. 1349, every 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights, 8:00 p.m.

Joe Clark, EM
R. L. Nelson, Sec.

EDWARDS OF PLYMOUTH
1403 Lancaster, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
M. L. Goulier, C. C. Otto Peters, Jr., Secy.

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Big Spring Commandery No. 31 K. E. Monday, Feb. 7, 7:30 p.m. Work in Order of The Temple. H. C. Hamilton, Sec. Walker Bailey, M. C.

ANNOUNCEMENTS B

LODGES B1

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'54 FORD 6 cylinder Customline 4-door sedan. Radio, heater and overdrive. Sharpest car in town. 7,990 actual miles. \$435	'49 STUDEBAKER 1 1/2-ton cab and chassis. Fair tires. \$195
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HOUSEKEEPER WANTED, Middle-aged lady preferred. Call Mrs. B. D. Walker, 4-6068.

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U. S. Seventh Fleet Waits And Wonders

By FRED HAMPSON
TAIPEH, Formosa (AP)—The U.S. 7th Fleet, cocked and primed for heavy duty and vast risks, rode at anchor or cruised at marktime today, still waiting and still wondering.

The fleet built around several large carriers has been on station for well over a week now for some action in support of Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist Chinese and to put a stop to Red encroachment in the Formosa Straits.

At first, the job seemed to be merely the removal of troops and equipment plus some 15,000 civilians from the Tachen Islands, 200 miles north of here.

This, to a fleet like the 7th, was a small operation, but it held billion-dollar dangers because it would thrust American forces for the first time into direct participation in the Chinese civil war and would certainly take them into

close shore waters that the Reds consider theirs.

Whether the Communists would do anything about it was the question. If they did, almost certainly some kind of war would be touched off, maybe just a localized three-party air-sea scrap or maybe a global atomizer.

The evacuation decision first seemed to be snaggled by disagreement between the United States and the Nationalists.

The United States reportedly wanted the Tachens evacuated and the troops and gear saved for use elsewhere. Chiang reportedly was willing, although he felt the islands could be held. But in exchange he wanted the United States to promise specifically to help him hold two other sets of offshore islands, Matsu and Quemoy. The United States seemed unwilling to go beyond the wording of the Eisenhower resolution.

ONE HAS DUTY EXTENDED American Contingent On Quemoy Not Very Fearful

By JIM BECKER
QUEMOY (AP)—A grim, tight-lipped crew of American officers and soldiers are stationed on this bleak red clay island within sight and easy gun range of the Chinese Communist mainland.

A Chinese Nationalist army spokesman said the U.S. contingent numbered 10, but the Americans themselves would not specify their exact number.

Many asked that their names not be used because they have not informed their families they are stationed here on the island that

chokes Communist Amoy Bay. The Reds have shelled Quemoy "fairly consistently" since Sept. 3 when they touched off their bombardment of Quemoy from some 400 gun positions that ring the island. Two Americans were killed in that shelling.

Capt. William S. Donald, La Platta, Mo., one of the few who allowed use of his name, said Americans have comfortable quarters, food shipped from Formosa, "good American coffee and beer made right near my old home town." Donald, a slim, mustache-tipped Missourian who bites off his words, said:

"I like it here. The tour of duty is 90 days and I've been here six months. I've already extended one. The Communists could do nothing to me in Korea, so I thought I'd give them another chance here."

Another Korea veteran stationed here is Sgt. Richard Hoover, Tampa, Fla., who has served two months on Quemoy. He says he's "happy" on Quemoy and quite unconcerned about the Red guns.

"They can hit just about the whole island from there," he said, indicating the Communist mainland about three miles away, where Red soldiers could be seen through binoculars.

Asked if Red threats of invasion of Quemoy worried him, Donald snapped: "Negative."

"I'm damn proud of the units of this island and mean that sincerely. They can take care of themselves."

C-City Students Hold 'Howl Nite'

COLORADO CITY—High school students celebrated "Howl" night Tuesday with the Journalism Department and Quill and Scroll presenting Colorado City high school favorites.

The Howl, CHS newspaper sponsored the evening's entertainment, which included a play, presentation of the favorites, and a reception for journalism students, and parents of Quill and Scroll members.

Elected as favorites were King Arlis Parkhurst, and Queen Beth Newell; most popular boy, Billy Williams, and most popular girl, Jean Rogers; girl most likely to succeed, Marcia Schmidt; boy most likely to succeed, Weldon Ennis; cleverest girl, Carolyn Billberry; cleverest boy, Don Forrester; neatest girl, Bobby Walding and neatest boy, Jimmy Bolla; friendliest girl, Lou Watson and friendliest boy, Jimmy Cawthron; best all-around girl, Clara Mae Whitley, and best all-around boy, Hollis Galney.

Billy Bob Marlett acted as royal trumpeter, Bob Kiker as master of ceremonies. Mrs. Gerald Gordon is sponsor of the journalism organization, Quill and Scroll, and head of the journalism department.

Ray Anthony Due Back In Hollywood Following Divorce

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Band leader Ray Anthony is due back in Hollywood from Mexico City tomorrow with a divorce decree in his pocket and a new flame at the airport to greet him.

A spokesman at 20th Century-Fox Studio, where Anthony is making a movie, said he went to Mexico to divorce his former band vocalist Dee Keating. They were married in Denver in 1939, separated in New York last August and have no children.

The studio source said a financial settlement was reached, giving her a cash sum plus \$1,000 a month until she remarries. Anthony, who played 251 one-night stands last year, blames the breakup on incompatibility.

The girl at the airport is to be Mamie Van Doren. Some close friends say she and Anthony are "definitely not."

Record In Spendable Personal Income Reported For 1954

WASHINGTON (AP)—Spendable personal income—the amount left after taxes—reached a new record of \$54 billion dollars last year despite increased unemployment, the Commerce Department reported yesterday.

The figure was about 3½ billions above the previous record set in 1953, largely because of reduced income tax rates which became effective last year, the department said.

Total personal income also reached a new high of \$86½ billions, up 400 millions over 1953. The department said increased dividend and interest payments and unemployment benefits offset a drop in wage and salary payments.

Farm income continued its decline, dropping from \$15,100,000,000 in 1953 to \$15,800,000,000 last year.

Church Council Raps Prejudice

NEW YORK (AP)—The National Council of Churches says that anyone who condones or practices racial prejudice of any kind "sins against God."

In one of the strongest church denunciations yet of color-line discrimination, the council of 30 Protestant and Orthodox denominations declared yesterday:

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"If they are against the family, they are opposed to the will of the father. If they are against God, then, whatever may be the basis for them—ignorance, fear, prejudice, or aught else—they are sin."

The message was drawn up for use in connection with the churches' 33rd annual observance of Race Relations Sunday Feb. 13, which was adopted last fall, but its text was not released until yesterday. It will be read from pulpits in many of the 147,000 churches embraced by the council.

It urged opening the church's membership, services, organizations and facilities to all men, regardless of race, and conducting of study groups to deepen understanding.

Land Office Audit Urged

DALLAS (AP)—The Dallas Chapter of the Americans for Democratic Action has urged a general auditing of the State Land Office.

In a resolution Wednesday, the ADA asked that action be taken on such an audit and the findings made public. The resolution was passed following an address by R. K. Towery, editor of the Cuero Record.

Towery, 32, is credited with helping disclose alleged irregularities in the 100-million-dollar Texas veterans land program. He outlined the history of the land program in his speech.

"One thing we need," Towery said, "is a law permitting state auditors to go in and audit any state government department without notice."

"As it is now," he continued, "the law requires the attorney general to issue a power of visitation before any auditing can be done."

Towery, a World War II veteran who spent 3½ years as a prisoner of the Japanese at Corregidor, praised the state press for its coverage of the veterans land program investigations.

"I don't think there will be any white-washing of this thing," he said, "but citizens and the press must keep a constant vigilance."

South Plains Crash

LUBBOCK (AP)—William Franklin, 75, was killed and three other persons were injured last night in a traffic accident 15 miles southwest of here.

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UNCLE RAY'S CORNER



1894 Pioneer gasoline car of Charles Duryea.

After Selden applied for a patent for a gasoline car, but before the patent was granted, several men worked to produce practical automobiles of this kind.

Charles Duryea is honored as the first American to build a successful gasoline automobile. He was behind Selden in the general idea, and he was behind several pioneer inventors in Europe, but he was the leader in the United States.

Duryea was born on an Illinois farm. Even as a boy he showed a keen interest in transport. Using the wheels of an old buggy, he made a velocipede—a kind of bicycle—for himself.

After graduating from college, he spent a few years as a school teacher, a carpenter and a millwright. Then he went to St. Louis and obtained work in a bicycle repair shop. Later he designed a bicycle along new lines.

At the Ohio State Fair in Columbus 60 years ago, Duryea exhibited his bicycles. Next to his display was a booth which contained a large, clumsy gasoline motor. That motor weighed about one ton. Going to Springfield, Mass., Dur-

yea visited a factory which made bicycles of the kind he had designed. In Springfield he rented space which he used as a shop, and in which he worked to make a gasoline motor of lighter weight than the one he had seen at the Ohio State Fair.

With the help of his brother, Franklin, who was eight years his junior, Duryea built a gasoline automobile. This machine worked fairly well and was made before Duryea's thirtieth birthday.

Anxious to improve their car, Duryea and his brother built a better gasoline engine, and made the carriage somewhat more sturdy. Then they tried it again, with success.

Several years before his death, Charles Duryea wrote me letters describing his early adventures with motor cars. I shall quote from these letters tomorrow. Tomorrow: Notes from Duryea.

Malone Says Many Back Reds For U.N.

DENVER (AP)—Sen. George W. Malone (R-Nev) says that "many high government officials in Washington are committed to the recognition of Red China" and are "dangling free trade as the bait."

Malone made the remark at a panel discussion at the Colorado Mining Assn. convention. He later told a newsmagazine:

"Many substantial people in Washington, including Supreme Court Justice Douglas, want recognition of Red China. They're conditioning industrialists throughout the nation with the idea of more trade to get them ready for recognition."

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Salute To A Fallen Comrade

Rene Gagnon of Manchester, N. H., salutes the Marine Corps' Iwo Jima flag-raising memorial in Washington, D. C., after he attended burial services in nearby Arlington National Cemetery for Ira Hayes. Hayes and Gagnon are among the six who raised the flag in the famous Associated Press picture by Joe Rosenthal, basis for the memorial dedicated last fall. Hayes, a Pima Indian, who died on his native reservation in Arizona last week, attended the memorial dedication. (AP Wirephoto).

Stevens Begins 3rd Year In Washington

By C. YATES McDANIEL

WASHINGTON (AP)—Robert T. Stevens starts today on a third year as secretary of the Army, having survived two of the roughest years served by any top government figure in recent times. When Stevens came to the Pentagon two years ago today, he was hailed by the Army as a man who had worn its uniform in two world wars and by the Eisenhower administration as a successful industrialist who could place the Army's far-flung enterprises on a business-like basis. But Stevens got personally involved in a bitter quarrel, which is still continuing, with Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.). The secretary has heard some men say he should quit in the best interests of the Army. There have been many rumors he is on the way out. The textile industrialist from New Jersey made a hit with the Army when he moved into his Pentagon office because he promptly took up the crusade for better treatment of all men in uniform. And when Stevens early last year accused McCarthy of abusing one of his generals, the secretary's

stock rose further among Army men grown restive under the senator's charges that the Army codified Communists.

Two reports from the subcommittee which upheld the row criticized Stevens, with the Democratic minority less severe on him than the GOP majority.

Echoes of the row continued. Just yesterday the Pentagon made public a letter in which the secretary told McCarthy he would not—as the senator had demanded—give a dishonorable discharge to Pfc. Marvin Belsky, due for discharge today.

Belsky, a draftee, has declined on grounds of possible self-incrimination to answer questions about communism before the subcommittee McCarthy headed in the last Congress. He once was promoted to corporal, but the promotion was later revoked and the colonel who authorized it reprimanded.

Stevens' new letter, dated Feb. 1 asked McCarthy to submit before today "any evidence or information upon which evidence can be developed with reference to any alleged subversive conduct on the part of Belsky." McCarthy could not be reached for comment. Stevens acted on his own initiative in the early stages of his feud with McCarthy. But as the row blew up into storm proportions, Secretary of Defense Wilson and President Eisenhower voiced full confidence in him.

Dawson Terrace Systems Rebuilt

LAMESA (SC)—Repair or rebuilding of old terrace systems is getting a lot of attention in this vicinity.

J. D. White, two miles south of Midway, Percy Peterson at Midway, Del Barron, three miles southeast of Lamesa, and Herman Burkett, two miles east of Cotton Center, are among those making changes and additions.

In most cases closures are being erected at the end of furrows to prevent water from spilling out at the end of the rows. The Soil Conservation Service at the Lamesa office is offering assistance in setting end blocks to proper level. With them, considerable stand water is retained.

Stubble and litter are preventing any appreciable movement by wind at the J. M. Caldwell farm, three miles north of Sand, on the field planted to blue panicum grass. The field was combined for seed last fall and the stubble and litter left. Caldwell anticipates with favorable moisture he will be able to get some early grazing from the field.

More and more farmers are attempting irrigation wells. Last week the district's flow meter was used to check wells on the Hamilton farm four miles south of Lamesa. It also was used on wells on the B. B. Beatches Jr. place east of Arvana and the Jim Dunn farm north of Welch.

SCS engineers obtained elevations for an underground irrigation pipe on the C. J. Beach farm four miles east of O'Donnell. Horsepower requirements will be computed in the net lift of water from the well to highest point of delivery.

Jewel Auction Set For Valentine's Day

LOS ANGELES (AP)—An estimated \$600,000 in jewels belonging to the late Countess Dorothy di Frasso will be sold at auction on St. Valentine's Day. The international society figure died Jan. 4, 1954, after suffering a heart attack on a train between Las Vegas, Nev., and Los Angeles.

'Good Partner' Policy Sought

By BRUCE HENDERSON

DALLAS (AP)—Dr. Milton Eisenhower says the United States has changed its "good neighbor" policy because Western Hemisphere nations today are much closer than neighbors.

The President's brother and adviser on Latin America said in a major administration foreign policy speech last night that instead of simply trying to get along peacefully and helping each other when asked, hemisphere nations now must be keenly interested in the problems of all.

"So interdependent are our destinies today that each American republic must recognize its direct, continuing and even self-interest in the solution of the critical problems of every other member of the family," he said.

"We must now be dependable partners in a great and lasting enterprise—the peaceful independence, the prosperity and the happiness of all our peoples."

Milton, president of Pennsylvania State University, toured South America in 1953 at the President's request. In his report, he called for more economic aid to help Latin America help itself.

He said last night, "Most developments since my trip and report have exceeded my fondest hopes."

Milton told the Dallas Council on World Affairs President Eisenhower has announced this nation "will seek to be more than a good neighbor. It will be a good partner."

Milton declared: "This signifies more than a difference of words. It emphasizes a new approach . . ."

He said both "good neighbor" and "good partner" policies supersede the "big brother" policy of the early 20th century.

Dr. Eisenhower listed these major accomplishments in the 14 months since his trip:

1. The Anti-Communist resolution adopted at the Inter-American Conference in Caracas, Venezuela, last spring—a document of "historic importance."

2. "The significance for the security of the American republics" of steps by the Organization of American States in the recent, unsuccessful Costa Rican revolt. He said OAS determined the "real facts" in the situation and helped

Art Masterpieces To Be Shown Here

Under the auspices of the art department of the Junior High School, examples of the masterpieces of art will be exhibited here Feb. 9.

The collection of 150 reproductions of the great master painters has been loaned to the department for display in the junior high gym. Proceeds from the admission charge (35 and 15 cents) will be applied to a fund for purchasing pictures for classrooms.

The exhibit will be during school hours, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and all interested adults are urged to inspect it.

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Meany Says Labor Plans Further Political Activity

By NORMAN WALKER

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—AFL President George Meany said organized labor plans to play an increasingly active role within the present two-party political system and has no present idea of forming a third party.

Meany told reporters at winter meetings of AFL leaders here that workers may consider forming their own party if and when they find themselves unable to achieve progress with the two existing parties.

He indicated belief that by alerting workers to the political issues they will elect candidates to carry out organized labor's aims.

"After all," Meany said yesterday, "we're not politicians and we make no pretense of being politicians. We don't want to run the country or its policy."

"But we are convinced that if we tell the workers what's going on they will vote for what is their own best interests. That's what we are trying to do and we feel we succeeded quite well in the 1954 elections."

Meany conceded the AFL and CIO mainly supported Democratic candidates in 1954 but he said that was only because the Democratic

candidates generally stood for labor's objectives.

"We are not wedded to the Democratic party," he said.

He said he felt American workers are too independent to accept a labor party—"Independent not only of politicians but in their unions, and I hope they will always remain that way."

"But I think the American worker will go as far down the road as necessary to see that his political aims are carried out," he added. "That may eventually take him to his own labor party."

Six AFL railroad unions announced yesterday they will seek a guaranteed annual wage in bargaining negotiations this year for 250,000 workers in railroad maintenance shops throughout the country.

Oil Compact Measure

WASHINGTON (AP)—A law to authorize a 4-year extension of the Interstate Oil Compact was introduced today by senators from oil-producing states, Texas Sens. Johnson and Daniel were co-sponsors of the measure offered by Sen. Dirksen (R-Ill.).

Crossing Crash Fatal

DENISON (AP)—Mrs. Luther Eastham, 43, was killed yesterday when her auto and a freight train collided.

Look For Escapee

KINGSVILLE (AP)—Police hunted today for Jesse Allen, 18, who walked away from the Kleberg County Jail yesterday. Allen was held on a charge of child molestation.

St. Peter's in Rome is the world's largest place of worship, says the National Geographic Society.



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Boy Scout Week And National Youth Week To Inspire Several Special Church Services

Boy Scout Week and National Youth Week will inspire special services at a number of local churches Sunday.

Sermons tying in with Boy Scout work will be given at Wesley Memorial Methodist Church and at Protestant services at the Webb Air Force Base Chapel.

Young people will have charge of services at First Christian Church and First Church of God.

These and other services throughout the city are given in detail below:

BAPTIST

"Helping Others on the Pilgrim Road" (I Thes. 5:14) will be Dr. P. D. O'Brien's sermon topic at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church, 511 Main. At 8 p.m. he will preach on "Put Yourself in the Other Fellow's Shoes" (Gal. 6:1).

At Baptist Temple, 409 Eleventh Place, the Rev. A. R. Posey will discuss "Willingness to Suffer" at 11 a.m. He will present another sermon at 8 p.m.

CATHOLIC

At St. Thomas Catholic Church, 506 N. Main, the Rev. William J. Moore, OMI, will say Mass at 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. Benediction will be after the last Mass. Con-

fessions will be heard from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. and from 7 to 8 p.m. Saturday.

At Sacred Heart Church (Spanish-speaking), 501 N. Ayiford, the Rev. William J. Meagher, OMI, will say Mass at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Rosary and Benediction will be at 6 p.m. Confessions will be heard from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Saturday.

CHRISTIAN

The 10:50 a.m. service at First Christian Church, 911 Gollad, will be a special observance of Youth Sunday and the young people of the church will be in charge. The Rev. Clyde Nichols will bring a sermon, the second in a series of "Three Ways of Living," and it will be entitled "Take the High Way." At 7:30 p.m. Rev. Nichols will have "Warriors and Weaklings" as his sermon.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Man's universal right to spiritual growth and progress will be brought out in the lesson-sermon entitled "Spirit" at Christian Science services Sunday at 1209 Gregg. Scriptural selections to be read from the King James Version of the Bible will include the account of Philip's baptizing of the

Ethiopian eunuch as recorded in Chapter 8 of The Acts of the Apostles.

CHURCH OF GOD

The Rev. Hal Hooker, pastor of First Church of God, 911 Main, will have "Should We Love Our Enemies, Today?" as his 10:50 a.m. sermon. In observance of National Youth Week the young people of the church will have charge of the evening evangelistic program at 7:30 p.m. A new men's quartet, made up of local high school youths will sing. Rev. Hooker will preach on a subject geared to the important present-day question, "What makes the teen-agers delinquent?" The topic of this sermon will be "It's a Teen-ager's World!"

At Galveston Street Church of God, 307 Galveston, the Rev. W. E. Mitchell will have "Broken Fellowship with God" (I John 1:7-8) as his 11 a.m. topic. "He Careth for You" (I Peter 5:7) will be the pastor's sermon topic at 7:30 p.m. EPISCOPAL.

Services at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 505 Runnels, will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Family worship service will be at 9:30 a.m. and morning worship and sermon by the rector, the Rev. William D. Boyd, will be at 11. The Young People's Fellowship will meet at the Parish House at 5:30 p.m. and instruction class at 7 p.m. in the rector's office.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

At Main Street Church of Christ, 1401 Main, Lyle Price will speak on "Stewardship" at 10:30 a.m. At 7 p.m. his sermon will be on "Great Commission."

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Service at 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 7:30 p.m. Services will be held at the Girl Scout Little House, 1407 Lancaster.

LUTHERAN

Celebration of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the 11 a.m. service, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Ninth and Scurry. The

Rev. A. H. Hoyer will deliver a sermon on "The Grace of God in Our Church Work." Members are requested to register on Saturday for communion. Sunday School and Bible class will be at 10 a.m. and Welter League at 7:30 p.m. for business and topic study meeting.

METHODIST

Dr. Jordan Grooms will discuss "The Succession of Believers" at 10:55 at First Methodist Church, 400 Scurry. At 7:30 p.m. his sermon will be "Shield of Faith."

The Boy Scout troop and Explorer post of Wesley Memorial Methodist Church, 1206 Owens, will take part in the court of honor and color presentation at the 10:55 a.m. service. The Rev. Wayne Parmenter will have as his sermon, in connection with Boy Scout Week, "On My Honor." At 7:30 p.m. the pastor will speak on "Our Revival." The church will begin a revival Feb. 13 with the Rev. Gerald P. McCollum as guest speaker.

At Park Methodist Church, 1400 W. 10th, the Rev. Jesse Young will speak on "Hands at the Communion Table" (Luke 22:21) at 11 a.m. Bible study will be at 6:30 p.m. followed by the evening sermon.

PRESBYTERIAN

"The Cooperation of the Spirit" (Gal. 5:25) will be the sermon topic of Dr. R. Gage Lloyd at the First Presbyterian Church, 701 Runnels, Sunday at 11 a.m. A series of messages from the Book of Revelations will begin at the evening service at 7:30. The topic of the sermon will be "The Everlasting Gospel." The children's choir will sing "Signal Lights."

TEMPLE ISRAEL

Regular Friday evening services of Temple Israel will be held in Room 30D of the Settles Hotel at 8 o'clock.

BUSINESSMEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Businessmen's Bible Class will meet at 9:15 a.m. Sunday in the ballroom of the Settles Hotel.

BUILDERS' BIBLE CLASS

The Builders' Bible Class will meet at 8:30 a.m. Sunday in Carpenters' Hall. Coffee and doughnuts will be served prior to the lesson.

WEBB AIR FORCE BASE

A special Protestant service in observance of Boy Scout Week will be held at 11 a.m. at the base chapel and Chaplain William H. Barker will speak on "Think You Can." Catholic Confessions will be heard at 8:30 a.m. at the chapel followed by Mass at 9:00 a.m. Sunday School will be at 11 a.m. at the chapel annex.

The Grace of God

HE SENDS HIS SON TO DIE FOR OUR SINS

Scripture—Luke 15:11-24; Ephesians 2:1-10; Titus 2:11-14; I John 4:10.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL.

THE PARABLE of our lesson was told in Fares, on the east coast of the Jordan river, in January of 90 A.D.

Jesus told the Parable of the lost sheep at a time when He had been criticised for receiving sinners and eating with them. He first told the Parable of the lost sheep and the shepherd's rejoicing when the lost lamb was found and restored to the fold.

"A certain man had two sons; and the younger of them said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he (the father) divided unto them his living."

It is explained in our lesson notes that this action was according to an old Jewish law which made it customary that when a man's faculties were failing, his sons could demand that he abdicate and give them their portions of his goods, but they must care for him as long as he lived.

Nothing in the Parable suggests this father's faculties were failing, however, but the demand for his portion of his father's goods was not an unusual one. The father immediately gave to each son his portion, which, according to law was one-half or one-third to the younger of that of the older brother.

Why did this young man want his portion of his father's possessions? From what followed it seems that he was tired of staying at home and wanted to get away and be on his own.

"And not many days after the younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there he wasted his substance in riotous living."

Like so many young people he didn't appreciate the love and comforts of home and had a great yearning to go away where he could do as he pleased without criticism. Also, like many such young people, he was not wise enough to direct his own life in constructive ways, but lived riotously, wildly, spending his money lavishly, until it was all gone.

Then in this far country a famine struck, and without funds he began to want. And he went and joined himself to a citizen of that country; and he sent him into the fields to feed swine.

Work that he would have despised at home and feel humiliated to do, he took gladly now, in his misery. He even looked hungrily at the husks the swine ate, but no man helped him. Then "he came to himself," and said, "How many hired servants of my father's have feast."

"For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found. And they began to be merry."

Many of the children will be able to picture the scene because they will have brothers, uncles, cousins or friends who have returned from far countries where they have been serving their country.

They know what it means to rejoice at the return of some loved one. Members of the family older than themselves may have returned from far away, and have been welcomed home to love and comfort after much suffering.

We all have sinned, some grievously, but God will forgive us, if we truly repent and ask Him, for "God, being rich in mercy, for His great love wherewith He loved us,"

"For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men, teaching us that denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world."

God loved us and loves us still, as our Memory Verse says: "Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us, and sent His Son to be the propitiation of our sins."

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"Take The High Way"
"Warriors And Weaklings"



WELCOME

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
"Should We Love Our Enemies Today?"

Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.
"It's A Teen-Ager's World!"

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Blessed Be the Name of the Lord!

"If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed." — John 8:36

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Always A Member

Business Men's Bible Class

Non-Denominational
Meets Sunday in Banquet Room on Mezzanine of Settles Hotel

Coffee 9:15 a.m. Class 9:45 to 10:30 a.m.

Attendants are urged to go to the church of their choice at the close of class program.

RUPERT P. RICKER
Lecturer

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IN THE FEBRUARY 6TH ISSUE, YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS:

"How to Make Friends—and Keep Them!"
by DR. WILLIAM C. MENNINGER

Did you ever take inventory of your friendships? Ask yourself these questions: how many close friends do you have? Are you always trying to make new friends? Why do some friendships last and others not? These are some of the topics that the famed Dr. Menninger takes up in this authoritative article.

"Entertaining with Love"
(Your Family Weekly Cookbook)

For Valentine's Day, or any special occasion for that matter, you'll want to try the dainty delicacies suggested in this week's food section. You'll find wonderful recipes for Strawberry Bavarian Cream, Lobster Newburg, Valentine Dessert Mold, Coconut Cookies, and other tempting fare. Each recipe has been carefully prepared and tested in the kitchens of Chicago's Culinary Arts Institute.

"Metal Furniture Moves Indoors"
by RUTH W. LEE

Something new and important has happened to contemporary interiors, reports our home-furnishings consultant: metal furniture, formerly relegated to patio and yard, has moved indoors. She describes some of its handsome, practical uses in this picture story, another in the specially written series of "Bring Your Home Up-to-Date" features.

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THE HERALD

Mitchell Poll Tax Payments At 1,624

COLORADO CITY—The Mitchell County tax collector's office reported the final tally on polls paid and exemptions received at 1,624. This compared favorably with 1,575 during the last "off" year, according to Mrs. Herman Parsons, deputy collector, but was well down from the record off year of 1951, when 2,462 polls and exemptions were issued.

This will give the county an estimated 2,000 voters for the coming year, as officials estimate three out of four hundred who are over age and do not require an exemption.

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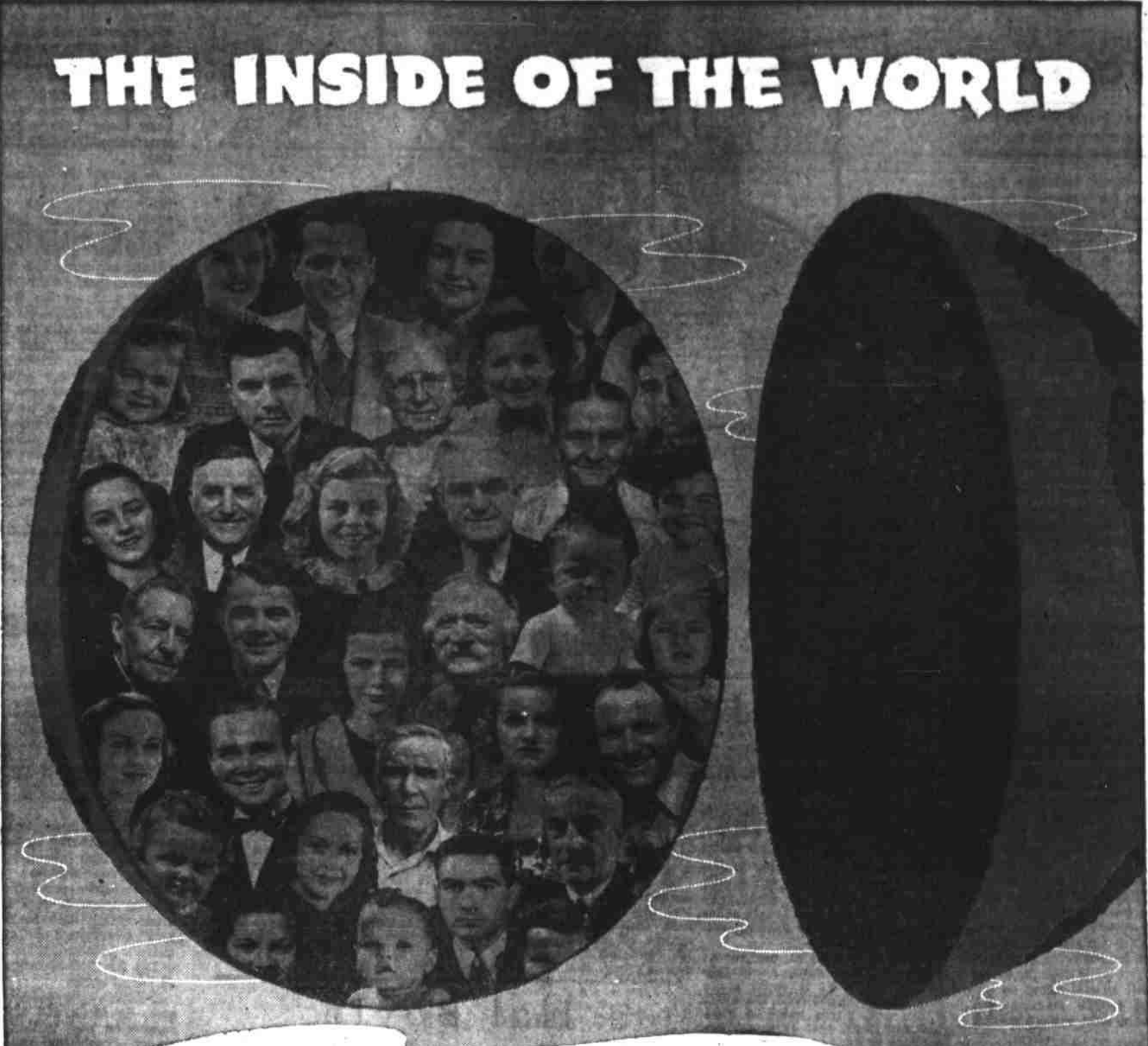
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THE INSIDE OF THE WORLD

Continents, oceans and international boundaries are the outside of our world. And the constant folly of man has been his implicit belief that he could improve his world by spanning the continents, hopping the oceans, and juggling the boundaries of nations.

To improve our world we must change the *inside* of that world. For the globe is full of people—imperfect people. And all of the evil that threatens to engulf our world has its roots deep in the lives of individuals.

The one great hope of the world is to find a way to change the lives of individuals. Did we say *find*? We're forgetting that we found the way centuries ago in the truth which Jesus Christ revealed. The one great hope of the world is to *follow* the way our Saviour gave us.

With bombs that can change the outside of the world, and churches that can change the inside—which shall we use?

THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Sunday	Book	Chapter	Verses
Monday Psalms	16	25-32
Tuesday Isaiah	6	1-8
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Thursday Mark	9	23-31
Friday John	17	1-11
Saturday Acts	16	19-24
 Psalms	51	1-17

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A Bible Thought For Today

And Asa cried unto the LORD his God, and said, LORD, it is nothing with thee to help, whether with many, or with them that have no power: help us, O LORD our God; for we rest on thee, and in thy name we go against this multitude. O LORD, thou are our God; let not man prevail against thee. (II Ch. 14:11).

Editorial

Handwriting Has Become a Chore

You read, of course, of the 16-year-old junior in the Reese (Mich.) High School who spent six days copying President Eisenhower's 7,700-word speech on the State of the Union then wrote the President that he "might have covered the same ground in fewer words," and the President's "profound apologies" for not being less prolix with his prose.

Well, it turns out that the whole thing was a misunderstanding. Elaine Solgat got mixed up in her pretty head about just what Teacher Vito Tetura had told his class to do with the speech. She thought she had been told to copy it, which she did in longhand, but when the story came out the teacher said he had merely told the class to read it and write a summary. "The whole business makes me look like an egg," he complained.

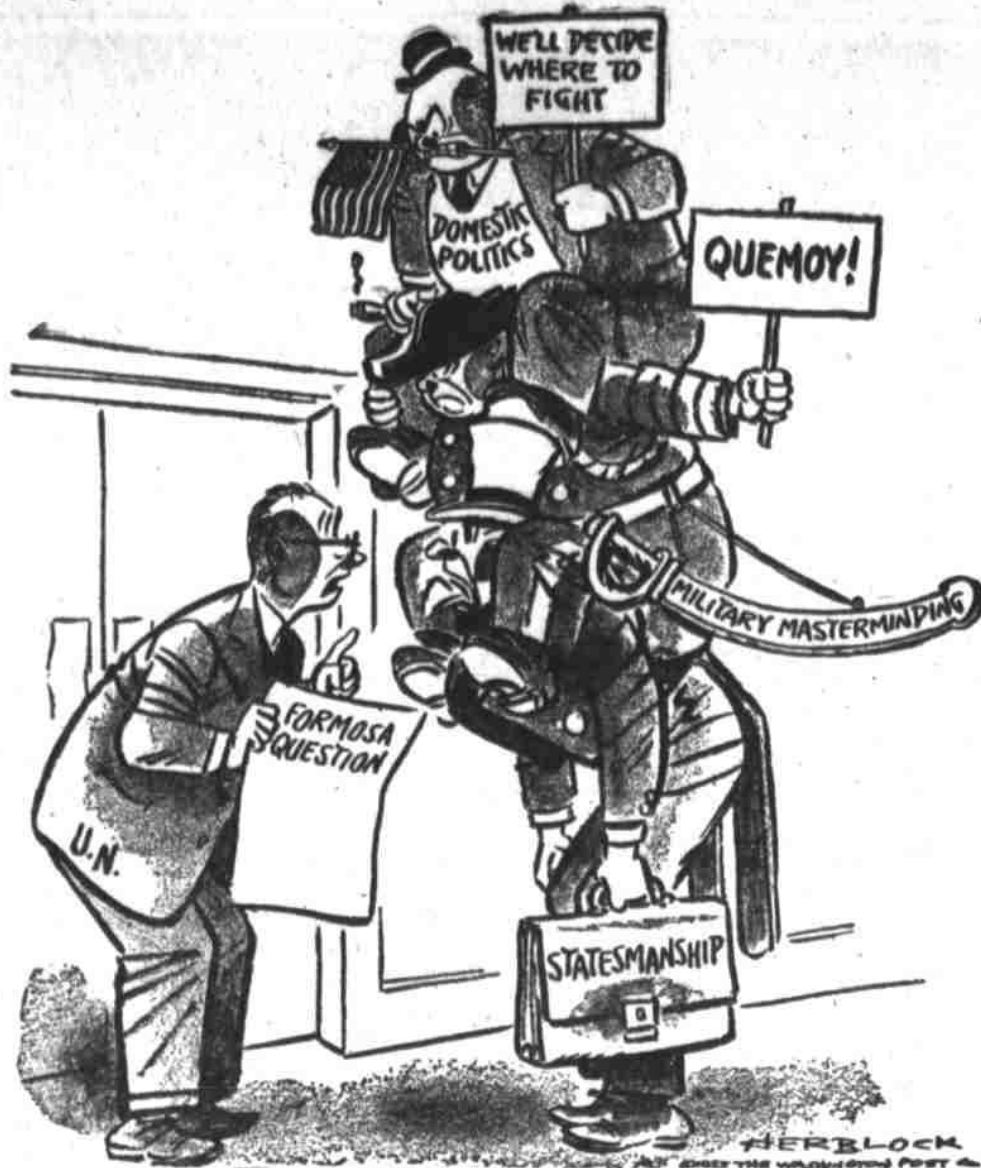
Anyway, Elaine deserves a medal of some sort for effort. We'd hate to try to get out an edition of this newspaper with pencil or pen and ink. In fact, it would be physically impossible to prepare that much copy if Mr. Sholes or somebody hadn't invented the typewriter. How the oldtimers

got out newspapers before the typewriter came along is a mystery to the moderns, but they did, and they did an astonishingly competent job.

Some literary lights, including Ernest Hemingway, scorn the typewriter in making the first draft of their compositions. But they don't work under pressure, and against a deadline. Modern journalism depends as much on the typewriter as on type-setting machines, and the art of penmanship—or more accurately, penmanship—is lost to the average reporter. His occasional scribbles look like doodles, or hentracks.

The penmanship of Edgar Allan Poe looked like copper-plate engravings, but Horace Greeley (who did not write, "Go West, young man!"—it was John Babson Lane Soule of Terre Haute, Ind., who invented that sound advice) wrote such an execrable hand that only one printer in all New York was able to decipher it.

So handwriting has nothing to do with genius, it's purely a mechanical function. But it has become a drudgery to most Americans, as with Elaine Solgat.



Around The Rim

Calendar Reform Again Urged

Calendar reform is a subject which has been creeping into conversations more often lately, and I suspect that the World Calendar Association is due much of the credit—or blame—for this turn.

The association and the calendar it advocates have been discussed in several magazine articles of the past few months, and association pamphlets—Journal of Calendar Reform—have been distributed all over the country.

Quite a few people have been exposed by now to the new calendar idea, and a good many have admitted that a new type calendar would probably be beneficial.

At present the unequal months—28 to 31 days—cause some business headaches at bookkeeping time. Quarters are unequal, and the last half of the year has more days than the first half.

Businessmen who favor a calendar change generally fall into two schools of thought. They want 13 months of four weeks each, or the World Calendar advocated by the association.

The trouble with the 13 months is that working periods could not be broken up into quarters. However, Sears-Roebuck Company operates efficiently on the 13 four-week periods now.

If the calendar were broken into 13 months with 28 days each, there would be quite a few people without birthdays.

The World Calendar, on the other hand would make every year the same. Each year would begin on Sunday, Jan. 1, and each working year would begin on Monday, Jan. 2.

Quarters would be equal under the World Calendar, each having 91 days, 13 weeks, or three months. The four quarters would be identical in form, each beginning on Sunday and ending on Saturday.

Each month on the World Calendar would have 28 days plus Sundays. The first month of each quarter—January, April, July and October—would have 31 days, and all others would have 30.

The calendar would be established by ending the year with a 365th day following Dec. 30. This additional day would be dated "W", and would be referred to as Worldday, a year-end world holiday.

Leap-year Day would be added at the end of the second quarter, right after June 30. It would be dated "W" and called Leapyear Day, another world holiday in leap years.

Such a calendar would be just what the businessman ordered. Bookkeeping would be simplified, and dealers would know on just what day to start specific operations each year. Calendar makers would be aided too, as calendars could be used year after year.

So far as birthdays would be concerned, only individuals born on March 31, May 31 and August 31 would be without one. Those born on December 31 could use Thursday for a birthday.

This World Calendar Association has sold me on the perpetual standardization idea. In addition to all other reasons, a calendar such as the association advocates would be a heck of a lot simpler to understand.

—CLIFTON LAWRENCE

Can We Survive Lack Of Effort?

But if handwriting is becoming a lost art with most Americans, the art of walking can't be far behind.

Houston yesterday opened the South's first revolving rubber sidewalk, which connects Sam Houston Coliseum with a parking lot just across Buffalo Bayou. This lazy man's delight is 115 feet long, travels at the rate of 132 feet per minute, rises 12 feet in its course, and cost \$235,000. It won't be put into use until later, while excavation for a new freeway is in progress.

Other large cities have experimented with moving sidewalks, and basically the idea is sound. It keeps people with nothing else to do from standing around all day in the middle of the sidewalk discussing high taxes, the drought and politics.

But it adds up to just another way to keep Americans from practicing the healthy exercise of walking, a neglect that has become a besetting sin. Just another labor-saving device to undermine the health and self-reliance of the genus Americano. Surveys have shown that Europeans of all classes are far healthier and more

able-bodied than similar groups of Americans, the survey being concerned with the physical wellbeing of comparable groups of Europeans and Americans. The Europeans won hands down on a long series of tests, and the experts decided it was because they do a lot of walking and a lot of bicycle peddling—not from choice perhaps but from necessity.

Our forefathers, with fewer good things to eat, with less medical care, with less comfortable shelter, managed to do pretty well for themselves and by the progeny. We brag a lot about our lengthening span of life, but place us in the surroundings that were familiar to our ancestors, under the same living conditions, and we'd die like flies. We couldn't take it.

And when you come right down to it, is living a long time the supreme goal of mankind? Can we long survive a civilization in which everything is done for us, by machinery, without special effort on our part, and without enough stamina and hardiness to walk a mile without getting sore muscles?

Marquis Childs

Harriman Eying '56 Nomination?

ALBANY, N. Y. — Something distinctly new has been added to the staid atmosphere of this capital of the richest and most populous state in the country. For the first time in 12 years a Democratic governor and a Democratic administration are making the news.

While Gov. Averell Harriman is discovering the headaches that beset most of the 43 governors, he is also beginning to get the feel of the big new job he has taken on. He is preparing to push a variety of plans for improving one aspect or another of the state government; plans that are certain to come up against the stubborn resistance of the Republican legislature that has already set out to trip him up.

You could feel sprouting in the heavy political atmosphere, a hothouse atmosphere anticipating the political spring, a potential candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination. But there are other factors. One of them is the presence at Harriman's elbow of his newly appointed Secretary of State, Carmine De Sapio, who is also the leader of Tammany Hall and Democratic national committee.

If De Sapio, who has already proved himself a shrewd and resourceful political manager, has his way, Harriman will be

the Democratic standard-bearer in 1956. The late Ed Flynn, boss of the Bronx who had a great deal to do with making Franklin D. Roosevelt President, was Secretary of State when FDR was governor and the parallel has not escaped the friends of either Harriman or De Sapio. The new governor will not talk about what may or may not happen in '56. But he is aware of a kind of vacuum in Democratic politics at the present moment and he means to take advantage of it.

The Democratic leadership in Congress is on the conservative side and has thus far shown a great reluctance to challenge President Eisenhower on either domestic or foreign policy. This "me, too" attitude, as it is considered here, will serve only to prepare the way for President Eisenhower to walk into a second term with scarcely more than token opposition. Harriman says frankly that he favors the political philosophy of former President Truman, who insisted that the Democratic party had of necessity to be a dynamic party, championing measures of reform and social change.

Adlai E. Stevenson, generally considered the Democratic front runner up to now, is refusing all requests to speak as he pursues the private practice of law. Moreover, Stevenson has no public base of operation such as he had when he was Governor of Illinois in the months leading up to his "draft" for the Democratic nomination in '52.

For many who have known Harriman through the past 20 years as he has held important appointive offices in Washington, Paris, London, and Moscow, it is simply impossible to take him seriously as a Presidential candidate. To begin with, he has a fortune inherited from his father. Great wealth, and particularly inherited wealth, has long been considered an almost irremediable handicap to aspiration to high elective office.

The governor's shy, diffident manner has made him an indifferent practitioner of the art of speechifying, which is so important to the politician's career. Until he was a candidate in the District of Columbia's preferential primary in the spring of '52—really a sort of popularity contest since the District is voteless—he had never run for any office. Harriman is 63 years old, one year younger than President Eisenhower and nine years older than Stevenson.

Harriman's ardent backers, many of them now in his administration, believe that his election as governor puts him in a new light. They see a parallel with Roosevelt, who was considered even up to the Presidency as an amiable aristocrat without very much force of character.

Certainly as governor, Harriman has a new perspective. His hope is to play a leadership role with the Democratic governors. He hopes they will supply the kind of dynamic leadership not evident in Washington.

Potomac Fever

WASHINGTON — Ike briefs his Republican leaders on the Formosa crisis. Things look so bad, they may have to cut the armed forces again.

Arthur Burns, White House economic adviser, warns business against over-confidence. Yeah, if times get much better, some people may get the idea they can afford the Democrats again.

A Russian general warns that the U. S. would be the battleground in an atomic war. Point of order! It's Red China's turn to scare us this week.

Oklahoma Republicans urge Ike and Nixon to run again. Vice President Nixon appreciates the compliment. He didn't know anybody thought he had to be urged.

Recruiting offices are jammed as boys beat the deadline on wartime veterans benefits. One recruit claims he already has fought for his country—he almost got killed in the rush for a free education.

Sen. Williams reveals a \$72,000 shortage in a U. S. consulate in Pakistan. What with these bottle-necks in the distribution system, it's getting harder and harder to give money away to foreigners.

The Senate Judiciary Committee votes to increase Congressmen's salaries to \$22,500. The idea is to put Congressmen in a higher tax bracket—so they'll be more careful about spending our money.

FLETCHER KNEBEL

"Could I See You Alone A Minute?"

James Marlow

Red China Going Through Its Old Paces

WASHINGTON (AP)—Red China is going through the same performance it put on in 1950, with variations. Its refusal yesterday to discuss a Formosa cease-fire in the United Nations doesn't necessarily mean it won't be glad to talk about Formosa, one way or another, outside the U.N.

It might be glad, perhaps at a place like Geneva, completely outside the U.N. It could make propaganda, might split the allies a bit, and might make a good deal for itself, just as it did the last time it went to Geneva, where the West gave up half of Viet Nam in Indochina.

The Red Chinese made their first and only appearance in the U.N. in 1950. Then they demanded a U.N. seat as the price of discussing a Korean cease-fire. They got nowhere. Four years later they were willing to discuss Korean and Indochinese problems in Geneva. Nothing happened on Korea. They got a chunk of Indochina.

Now they not only demand a U.N. seat but refuse to discuss a Formosa cease-fire. They want to discuss, they say, only American "aggression" against Formosa. This is the history repeating itself.

In the summer of 1950 Chou En-lai, Chinese foreign minister, accused the United States of aggression against Formosa when, after the start of the Korean War, President Truman threw the 7th Fleet around the island where Chiang Kai-shek had taken refuge. Now Chou once again charges the United States with aggression against Formosa, which he claims belongs to Red China.

In 1950 Russia backed up the Chinese Communists by accusing this country of aggression in Formosa. Now again Russia makes the same charge. The U.N. in 1950 invited Chou to send a delegation to New York to discuss the "aggression" charge. Chou refused at first, changed his mind 10 days later.

At that point he hadn't demanded a U.N. seat as the price of talking about American "aggression." But by the time the delegation reached New York, Red China had entered the Korean War and was herself then under the charge of "aggression."

The Communists demanded the U.N. Security Council penalize the United States for "aggression" against Formosa but refused to

discuss a similar charge against themselves. They said the Red Chinese in Korea were just volunteers. After a while Chou produced a price tag:

He said Red China would not discuss a cease-fire in Korea unless the Communists got a U.N. seat. Chiang's Nationalists were thrown out of the U.N. and the 7th Fleet left Formosa. The U.N. wouldn't buy. Red China, instead,

was condemned as an aggressor. Red China in 1953 finally agreed to a Korean cease-fire, but not in the U.N. Then in the spring of 1954 it agreed to go to Geneva to talk about a final peace settlement in Korea and a cease-fire in Indochina. That was outside the U.N. and since Nationalist China wasn't involved in Korea or Indochina, the Nationalist China was not at Geneva.

Hal Boyle

Men Start Buying Groceries

NEW YORK (AP)—There has been a quiet revolution in the American family's food buying habits.

Wives may select most of their husbands' clothing, but more and more husbands now do the grocery shopping. They have to. It's the only way they can get what they want to eat.

"About a third of the sales in the average supermarket now are made to husbands who do the family food shopping alone," estimates Frank Packard, "and another third to husbands and wives who shop together."

Packard, a cheerful, well-fed businessman who gallivants about the country in his own private plane, operates a pioneer supermarket at Hackensack, N.J., which for many years claimed it did the biggest food business under one roof of any store in America. This was before Texas started building supermarkets.

His long experience has led Packard to develop an interesting theory about women. They simply don't have as good taste as men—in food.

"I've never heard of any great professional woman tea or coffee taster—or chef either," he said. "A man's taste for food is more glamorous than a woman's, because his taste buds are more sensitive."

"If you gave them a physiological test, I'm sure you'd find women's taste buds are inferior to men's. That's probably why women are inclined to overseason food."

He has found women are less adventurous than men in trying new foods. A supermarket push cart brings out the Marco Polo in a man.

"Most of the free recipe leaflets are picked up by husbands, not wives," Packard said. "Men like to experiment. They are more likely to buy things like Japanese octopus, buffalo steak or canned rattlesnake meat."

"They buy the rattlesnake meat as a gag usually—to fool a friend, or startle a visiting mother-in-law. I don't know of anyone who eats rattlesnake meat regularly. At \$1.50 a can it isn't exactly habit-forming."

Here are some other differences he has noted between men and women grocery shoppers:

"Women enjoy buying new clothing, but buying food is just a chore to them. They get it over as quickly and efficiently as possible. But it's fun for the men—a hobby.

"Women stick strictly to the household budget in buying food. Men throw the budget overboard. Sometimes they go on such food-buying jags our clerks actually have to discourage them."

"Children behave better when they are with their father. They never get lost and they stick close to him. But they are more used to mother. When they come in with her, they run and romp all over the store."

"Left to his own choice, a man will rarely buy fowl or fish. He'll buy beef. And he won't even go near the bakery table unless it's to get something on his wife's list."

"There's a reason for this. The psychology of food is imbedded in our language. Tell a man he's a bull, and he's flattered. Call him a creep, he's insulted."

Packard predicts changing food habits will doom the home-delivery milkman within 10 years—because of the labor cost—and that frozen precooked foods such as fried chicken and pizza pies will hike in popularity. So will standardized, prepackaged steaks and chops.

"The trend is toward what is easier, easier, easier," he said, and added:

"There is no longer much class distinction in food buying. A low income man today brags about the quality of the meals his wife cooks. But some rich people now serve the worst food in the world. Many wealthy people don't know or appreciate good food."

Maybe He Put The Bird In Doghouse

NEW YORK (AP) — Maybe next time Thomas Tindall, 15, of Fort Wadsworth, Staten Island, will build a birdhouse with a smaller hole.



"It says 'Put in another penny for your weight and fortune—everything else has gone up in price.'" —Tompkins

Political Playback

Race-Betting Came By Indirection

Some of Texas' significant legislation has reached the books by indirection, and similar to the riders that Congress hitches onto virtually unrelated laws.

A master of this tactical plan of getting things through that couldn't pass as separate bills, was T. H. McGreggor of Austin. McGreggor served in the Senate, then after a time came back for a long tenure in the House.

His most famous exploit was to restore legal horse-racing in Texas that brought back the lush "downs" at Arlington, San Antonio and Houston.

A statewide combination of powerful financial interests carefully laid plans to bring racing back to Texas in the "liberal" atmosphere of Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson's administration, when what they called the "witchburners" had been turned out of office.

It couldn't be passed as a bill on its own. So McGreggor showed up when a committee was writing the "conference report" after House and Senate had passed different versions of the general appropriations bill.

"Farming is on the downgrade," lawyer McGreggor told them. "We have got to do something to help the farmers. They can't afford plow mules any more. Why

can't the state make it possible for every farmer to grow his own stock?"

"The state ought to buy some breeding animals, to help every farmer raise his mules. Here's how we can do it without costing the state a cent. Let's put in the Agriculture Department section authority for the state to own breeding animals, and pay for them out of a percentage levy on the racing at fairs and so on that would result from a big livestock industry. Just a percentage out in the profits of racing. And you gentlemen know racing is perfectly legal."

Of course he had written the "rider," whose effects authorized legal racetrack betting. The conferees let the section go into the bill. The House and Senate could only take or reject the bill as a whole. The governor could only approve or veto it as a whole. The provision became law, and the courts upheld it.

So Texas, for about three years had a new era of legal betting, with the state standing by to take its cut.

A tragic note of the repeal of the parliamentary section was testimony that the careers of at least two legislators had been destroyed by involvement in racetrack operations and betting losses.

—BY RAYMOND BROOKS

Walter Lippmann

Best Hope Is For A Deadlock

It would be a mistake for the country not to take very seriously the difficulties and the dangers which have been raised up in the Formosa area. We are living in anxious days. There is a danger of hostilities of which no one could see the end, once they had begun. And there is danger that we may find ourselves in a very difficult position among our allies and among the uncommitted nations of Asia and elsewhere. Our case has not been well worked out and stated and we are not invulnerable. Let no one suppose that another blistering statement by Sen. Knowland or by an admiral can do anything but magnify the danger and compound the difficulties of our position.

On the face of it the position taken publicly by the parties to the great dispute are irreconcilable. Is there, then, the responsible statesmen are asking themselves, any light at the end of the tunnel? There may be some light. It is a dim light and distant. But perhaps with the fate of man at stake, there may be enough reason left in the high places to keep that light burning.

The light is this. The conflict of positions, irreconcilable as it is, is just one stage short of being as bad as it could be. Nobody has delivered an ultimatum and nobody is committed to taking any military action beyond what he is now doing. Neither side is compelled to take military actions now, next week, next month beyond the status quo. The only exception to this is the decision to evacuate the Tachens, and that is an action not to engage forces but to disengage them.

It must obviously be the business of every friend of peace to bring pressure to bear against any action to disturb the status quo. This is not a cease-fire, and certainly not even a beginning of any kind precluded by the official statements of either side— for exchanges and for negotiation. This country will assume that the President has taken every precaution that can be taken to see to it that neither the Nationalist Chinese nor any of our units in the Far East disturb the status quo.

If eventually there are to be negotiations for a cease-fire, it is evident that they cannot deal with the ultimate issues. We cannot expect Peking to sign any kind of truce which implies the surrender of her claims to Formosa. Nor should we at this time confuse the juridical issues by recognizing in a formal treaty Chiang's claims to Formosa. The only sound and the only safe position is to treat the ultimate disposition of Formosa as a matter which cannot be settled now even by negotiations much less by force.

The world's best hope is to play for time, recognizing that a final settlement cannot be contemplated until the Chinese

civil war comes to its final end. There are now two Chinas. But that is a great question whether we should treat that fact as the permanent historical nature of things. Neither China will accept the two-China view, and therefore we must in fact treat the two Chinas as provisional. Nobody knows what ten years will do to either or both of the Chinas.

What is certain is that the issue of the civil war cannot now be decided by military force. The mainland Chinese cannot conquer Formosa. Chiang is unable, and the United States will not attempt, to conquer the Chinese mainland. Except for a few unimportant offshore islands, which are negotiable, there is a military deadlock in the Formosa Strait. Let us hope that it can be maintained.

Parking Meter Gold

EAST HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Police found gold in a parking meter — a century-old \$2.50 gold piece. They returned to a woman who said it belonged to her eighty-year old son. She had dropped it in the meter by mistake.

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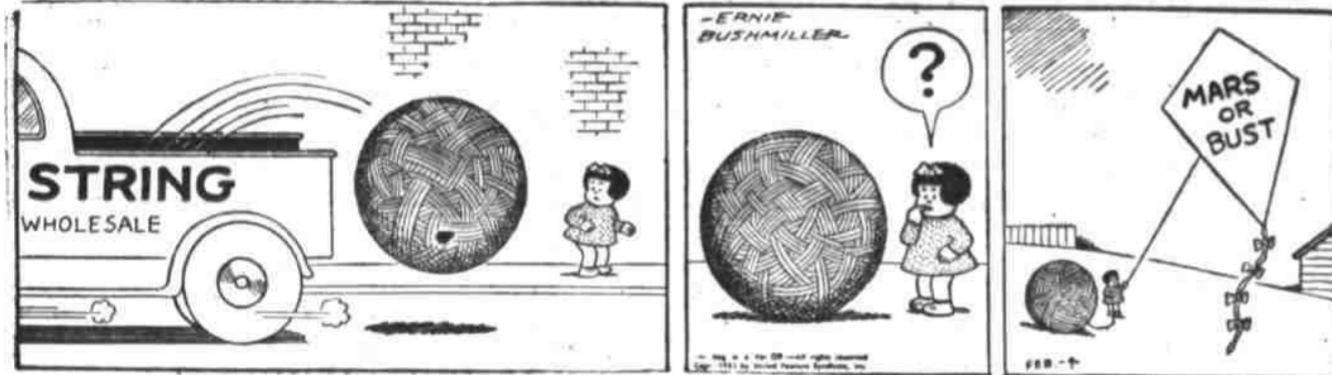
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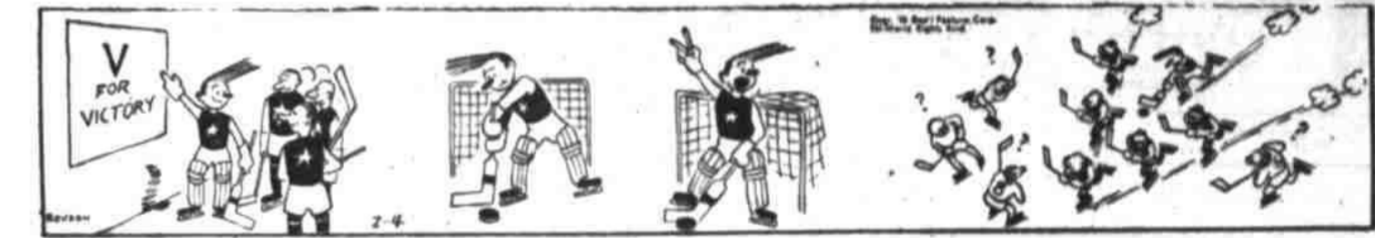
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Russia Marked Industrial Gains Last Year, Inched Nearer U. S.

By TOM WHITNEY
 Associated Press Foreign News Analyst
NEW YORK (U.S.)—The biggest news story from Russia rarely breaks into the headlines: It's the fact that the Soviet Union continues year after year to register big gains in industry. Production of machinery—capital goods and

war material—is zooming upwards. Figures make dry reading. But they are much more likely to tell who wins out in the race for world leadership than conflicts within the Kremlin.

Kremlin leaders agree on one thing—that the industrial building of the U.S.S.R. must be pushed. Only last night the central committee of the Soviet Communist party published a new decree reminding the party that its "major duty" is the "further increase of heavy industry."

Here's how the Soviets compared in 1954 with the United States in production of four major industrial commodities generally regarded as reflecting overall economic strength of nations:

Commodity	U.S.S.R.	U.S.
Steel	41	80
Coal	346	373
Petroleum	58	312
Electric power	148	544

(Steel, coal and petroleum measured in millions of metric tons, electric power in billions of kilowatt hours.)

Except for coal, U.S. production of these basic items is from two to five times that of the U.S.S.R. but the U.S. margin used to be much higher in some items.

In coal, not only a basic fuel but also a raw material for the chemical and metallurgical industries the story is quite different. Because American coal production has dropped sharply during recent years, the U.S.S.R. is about to capture first place in the world unless there's a quick upswing in U.S. output.

The Soviet leadership has many serious problems in its economy, particularly in agriculture. But none was serious enough to prevent the Soviet Union from increasing steel output in 1954 by more than 3 million tons, coal by 26 million, cement by 3 million, petroleum by 6 million tons and electric power by 15 billion kilowatt hours.

During this same year U.S. steel

production fell off by about 20 million metric tons, coal by about 60 million and petroleum about 6 million tons.

In electric power, however, the United States output increased more than twice as much as that of the U.S.S.R.—by 31 billion kilowatt hours. Since power production is considered the most significant single index of industrial development this demonstrates that America is not by any means sliding backwards economically.

While giving priority to heavy industry—capital goods, war goods, fuels and the like, the Kremlin also has increased output of many industrial consumer goods.

More than 5,000 privately owned industrial organizations employ 250,000 scientists in their own scientific institutions.

Four Lose Lives In Missouri Fire

JOPLIN, Mo. (U.S.)—Four persons lost their lives early Wednesday in a fire that destroyed a three-room house.

Three of the victims, two men and a woman, were found dead in a bedroom. Another man was found in a small lean-to at the back of the house. The victims were tentatively

identified as Mrs. Alma Moffett, 45; James Gosnell, 54; Johnny Kemp, about 45; and Charlie Schoppe, about 40.

Ed Johnson, 54, owner of the house, escaped the flames by breaking a window. Johnson was taken into custody for questioning. Police said neighbors reported a party had been in progress at the house.

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Russian Central Committee Sets High Farm Goals

By STANLEY JOHNSON
MOSCOW (U.S.)—The Soviet Communist party's powerful Central Committee has ordered an all-out drive to increase production of grain, livestock, milk, wool, poultry and eggs in the Soviet Union.

But a committee decree, published today, said the party still "regards as its major duty a further increase of heavy industry, which forms a solid basis for the whole economy and for the indestructible defenses of our country."

The decree followed up a Jan. 24 editorial in the party newspaper Pravda denouncing recent emphasis on production of consumer goods at the expense of heavy industry as a distortion of previous decrees and dangerous to the defense of the country.

Although the committee gathering came as the Far Eastern crisis gathered steam and Russia's campaign against West German rearmament hit full stride, neither the decree nor the newspapers mentioned any foreign policy decisions.

Based on a report presented to the meeting by Party Secretary Nikita Khrushchev, the decree said the nation's grain harvest must hit no less than 10 billion poods (150 million tons) by 1960.

The Soviet grain harvest in 1952 was officially announced as eight billion poods (144,448,000 tons). The decree said there also must be a "marked increase in the production of meat and animal fats, production of milk must be doubled and there must be approximately twice as much production of eggs and wool."

The committee ordered the output of pork hiked 40-50 per cent and said poultry production on collective and state farms "must be trebled." No present production figures were given in the decree.

The committee called on government ministries to step up production of such equipment as combines and tractors and urged that more grain be devoted to feeding animals. It set April 1 as a deadline for submission of plans to accomplish these aims and ordered an improvement in managerial staffs.

Western observers reading Moscow newspaper reports of the committee meeting noted that although Khrushchev's report received prominent play, no mention was made of other Soviet leaders, such as Premier Georgi Malenkov. As party secretary, Khrushchev has been the dominant figure in a drive to step up Soviet farm production.

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