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BLOOD-CHILLING TALE TOLD

Slain Savants May Have Been Sacrifice

MANILA, Jan. 27. (AP)—Two U. S. professors, hacked to death on a hiking tour, may have been the blood sacrifice of primitive tribesmen. The superstitious natives were trying to restore the fertility of their barren soil by this slaughter.

That is the strange, blood-chilling story that reached the U. S. Embassy today from the old head-hunting land 150 miles north of Manila.

Robert F. Conkitt and Marvin Pittman, members of the Philippines University staff, were slain with spears and knives on a lonely mountain trail Christmas Day. Robbery at first was given as the motive.

James L. Meader, public affairs officer of the embassy, said the new version was brought in by investigators who questioned six Ifugao tribesmen charged with the killings.

By this account, the professors wandered into a primitive village at the wrong time. The tribe was holding a meeting. Witch doctors were looking for someone to sacrifice in order to regenerate the soil. Crops had been bad.

The professors wanted guides. The tribe supplied them. The tribesmen waited at a spot chosen for the sacrifice.

The headman of the village came up with a spear and plunged it into the back of first one professor, then the other. The remainder of the savages then joined in cutting the Americans down.

Meader was told the bodies first were placed in an irrigation ditch on this theory: "The water flowing over their bodies would spread their spirit over the rice and garden plots of the tribe."

Five Children Burn To Death In Frame Room

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 27. (AP)—Five small children burned to death alone in their flimsy two-room frame home here yesterday. The structure's only door accidentally became locked and thwarted frantic rescue efforts by their 25-year-old mother.

Seven persons escaped unhurt from another two-room hut jammed against the burning building.

The victims, ranging from two months to six years old, were the children of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Young.

Mrs. Young said she stepped out into the yard to get water from a hydrant and stopped a few minutes to talk with a neighbor. Then the frantic screams from her children brought her racing to the door, only to find the inside wooden latch had dropped into place.

She tried to reach the crying children by breaking windows, but each time the heat drove her and helping neighbors back.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Henslee, their four children, and a visitor ran from the adjoining house when flames began seeping through the wall.

Reds Tighten Restrictions On Berlin Traffic

HELMSTEDT, Germany, Jan. 27. (AP)—Soviet guards tightened their squeeze on truck traffic between Berlin and West Germany today despite western allied protests of the new Russian restrictions.

Western German officials said the Russians were letting through only two, or at the most three, trucks per hour in each direction—to and from Berlin. This is about one-tenth the normal traffic.

American, British and French commanders in Berlin protested yesterday in a note to the Soviet commandant, Maj. Gen. Alexander Kotikov, against "these abnormal restrictions." The formal note said the slow-down appeared to be a calculated attempt to restrict normal movement between Berlin and the western zones.

A line of Berlin-bound trucks measuring more than three and a half miles long was curled up in front of the western checkpoint early this morning. On the Soviet side of the border another line of trucks nearly half as long was reported waiting to get through to the West.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Gospel Is For All Men, Saith The Lord

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL
Scripture—Acts 8:4-11:18.

Before Jesus' Ascension, He told His apostles to "make disciples of all the nations." This was a new idea to the Jews, who had accepted the Gospel of Christ for their exclusive own. It took some time and several object lessons to convince them that the Gospel was for all men everywhere.

In the modern world, missionaries journey far over the whole earth to bring this message to the people of far-off lands. Millions thus hear the word of God and become Christians.

The lesson today is long and can only be touched upon here, so full is it of episodes and action. In the first place, we are told of Saul, a determined persecutor of the converts to this new religion.

Saul went to the high priest and asked for papers to the synagogues at Damascus, so that he would have authority to seize any Christians he might find there and bring them captive to Jerusalem.

On the way, however, he was confronted with a vision of Jesus, who asked: "Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou Me?" Trembling and astonished, Saul asked the Lord what he should do, and was told to go on to Damascus and there he would receive further orders.

The vision had blinded Saul, so that he had to be led by the hand into the city. For three days he remained blind, and he ate and drank nothing. Then Ananias, a man sent by God, came to him, expounded the Gospel to him, and he who had been the bitter, relentless enemy of the early church now became its fearless exponent.

In Samaria, Philip was preaching the Gospel, led by the Lord's command. There, in a desert country he saw an Ethiopian—a eunuch, a man of great authority in the service of Queen Candace of that country.

The eunuch was reading the Gospel, and Philip asked him if he knew whereof he read. The eunuch asked for instruction, and Philip expounded it to him, converting him.

We travel far abroad in the comparatively limited boundaries of the old world in this lesson. The scene now shifts to three Mediterranean cities—Lydda, Joppa and Caesarea, and Peter is the central figure.

We are told of miracles he performed—first on Aeneas who, for years, had been confined to his bed with paralysis, and who was completely healed by Peter.

The other was the raising from the dead of Tabitha, or Dorcas, a good, devout, charitable woman for whom many mourned. She was restored to her household and friends.

However, Peter himself was also "converted" by a vision vouchsafed to him by God. Asleep on the roof of a house in which he was staying, Peter had a vision of a sheet being let down from heaven in which were all manner of beasts. A voice told him to kill and eat, as he was hungry. Peter, being a Jew, protested that he could not eat that which was considered unclean by his people. The voice said, "What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common."

Peter could not guess the meaning of this vision, but he was called to answer a knocking on the door. Three men had been sent to him. They came from a Roman centurion (soldier) who was a good man and true, who revered Jehovah. He had seen a vision of an angel who told him to send for

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DALLAS, Jan. 27. (AP)—The Transcontinental Bus System, Inc., and five of its drivers yesterday were found guilty of violating the U. S. safety code in interstate commerce.

The company was fined \$1,000 for violation of the code by permitting drivers to drive more than 10 hours at a time without taking a rest.

The firm was also found guilty of failing to require its drivers to keep an accurate drivers' log.

The drivers were fined \$50 each for failure to keep correct entries in their logs.

Boy Scout Leader Charged with Sodomy

DALLAS, Jan. 27. (AP)—A one-time Sunday school teacher and Boy Scout leader has been charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor and with sodomy.

The man, James Manly Edwards, is accused of organizing nude swimming parties involving at least a dozen Southeast Dallas youngsters, including one 10-year-old girl.

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Political Calendar
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Judge Herman Dies
Word has been received here of the death of Judge Henry E. T. Herman, brother-in-law of Mrs. Walter Anderson.

MISTER BREGER



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Ex-Chinese Bandits Too Tough For Reds

TOKYO, Jan. 27. (AP)—Tough former Chinese bandits who say they are Communists rule Tsingtao so rigidly that even old-line Reds have trouble with them.

They were bandits for years. They roamed the rich countryside in Shantung province, of which Tsingtao is a part.

When the Chinese Nationalists fled from that North China port two months before they were expected to leave, the former bandits moved in. They grabbed power and have hung on to it.

I saw them at the former U. S. naval base while I was in Tsingtao with the Flying Arrow which left there this week. I was the only correspondent aboard that American freighter, which was shelled by the Nationalists and put in to Tsingtao to unload cargo destined for Shanghai.

The former bandits say they are Communists and follow the party line. But they also like the fat jobs they inherited, and party regulars have found it difficult to remove them.

Chinese Communist leaders from outside arrived after the former bandits took over. The outsiders have run into trouble giving orders to these provincial rulers.

The former bandits leave no doubt about what they say is their Communist "mission." They regard themselves as allied with Russia. There are pictures of Stalin everywhere.

The Communist officials in Tsingtao make no pretense of living simply. They have taken over all the big automobiles. They occupy all the villas.

The streets are shabby and ill kept. Buildings are beginning to run down. Chinese in the streets appear listless, beaten and grim.

One thing is quite plain in Tsingtao. The Communist authorities have a right rule over the city—backed with guns.

Howard Wildcat Reaches Depth Of 6,400 Feet

Stanolind No. 1 Hutto, eastern Howard county deep wildcat, made hole below 6,400 feet today.

Located 600 feet from the south and east lines of section 4-31-15, T & P, the venture had taken two drillstem tests. Monday it had 120 feet of free oil and 630 feet of oil and gas-cut mud on a two-hour test from 6,285-6,372. Gas was to surface in 85 minutes. On the second test from 6,285-6,396, the tool was open six hours and 45 minutes with recovery of 780 feet of oil and gas-cut mud. Gas was to surface in two and a half hours.

Some reports indicated the pay section was in the Wolfcamp. It was possibly 20 more than 12 feet and aggregate 20 barrels hourly. Eastern extension of the northern part of the Vealmoor pool was reported. L. H. Armer & Spartan Drilling Co. No. 1 W. J. McAdams, 570 from the west and 2,039 from the north lines on section 27-32-3n, T & P, topped the Canyon at 7,790, a datum minus 5,248. While this was lower than in some wells, it was on a comparative par with others.

Tool was open for one hour from 7,785-95 and oil flowed in 42 minutes. In 18 minutes, it flowed at the rate of 20 barrels hourly. Huribut & Olson No. 1 U. D. Wulfgen, south-central Mitchell wildcat in section 89-26, T & P, prepared to test good oil stains and fluorescence in sand at 6,958-79.

Texas No. 1-X State, section 17-7, University lands, northwest Martin county, prepared to drillstem test from 11,100-11,285. Earlier on a test from 10,934-11,248 in Pennsylvania lime, it logged an estimated 100,000 cubic feet of gas per day.

Humble No. 1 Frost, 13 miles south of Garden City pool Mississippi production, prepared for a drillstem test in dolomite, possibly pool progressed to 7,285 feet. It is located in section 40-35-5n, T&P. Humble No. 1 Good, four miles northeast of Vealmoor production and five miles east of the Good pool, progressed to 7,285 feet in southern Borden. Sandtex No. 1 T. Griffin, southeastern Borden wildcat near the Howard line, section 35-25, H&T, drilled to 8,097 feet in lime.

Cecil Guthrie, Big Spring, drilled his No. 1 Griffin, a Clear Fork wildcat in the same area, part 2,200 feet. In southeastern Howard his Basin No. 1 Read, some 800 feet east of production, prepared to drill in lime.

Fire Damages Roof Of Local Building

The roof of the Oliver Tractor company building here was slightly damaged by fire about 1:30 a. m. today.

Cause of the blaze was not known. Main station firemen extinguished the fire. They had put out a grass fire, started by burning trash, on a vacant lot at 702 Johnson about 11 p. m. Thursday.

City Pioneer Ill

J. J. Hair, one of this city's pioneers, is seriously ill at the family home, 603 Russell street.

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MARKETS

LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH, Jan. 27. (AP)—Cattle: 20; calves: 20; manager supplies unchanged; medium slaughter steers: 22.50; common: 20.00-22.50; good yearlings: 15.00-22.50; butcher cows: 12.00-15.00; common to good fat calves: 12.00-15.00.

WALL STREET
NEW YORK, Jan. 27. (AP)—Mid session pressure pushed the stock market a bit lower today.

COTTON
NEW YORK, Jan. 27. (AP)—Moon cotton prices were unchanged to 20 cents a bale lower than the previous close.

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Religious Freedom Guarantee In Italy Ignored, Officials Say Here

The Italian government has backed down on its agreement to guarantee religious freedom in Italy, two leaders of the Church of Christ's orphanage and mission point at Fascist, Italy, charged here last night.

J. R. Chisholm of Brownfield, former business manager of the orphanage, and Jimmy Wood, minister of the Brownfield Church of Christ, addressed approximately 750 persons at Municipal auditorium. The pair recently returned from Washington, D. C., where they consulted with Reps. George Mahon, Ed Gossett, and Omar Burton in connection with Italy's refusal to grant permanent visas to missionaries in that country.

Wood, challenged a recent Time magazine article which indicated that there was no need for an institution cared for only 20 boys while it had facilities for serving 50. "The Italian government refuses to let us take more boys," he declared. "The orphanage is flooded with applications for admittance."

The Brownfield minister also denied reports that Church of Christ missionaries were asking special favors. They simply want the protection due them as American citizens, he said. Wood's address followed a detailed resume of the establishment of the Fascist institution by Chisholm. He pointed out how the need for the orphanage had been realized in 1947 and how \$60,000 had been raised the following year for the work, under the direction of Cline Paden and Bill Halcher, Brownfield.

Representation and charges of persecution arose over the orphanage's operation recently when visa extensions were refused Church of Christ missionaries in Italy. A three-month extension of stay has since been granted, but Church of Christ leaders fear the group may be expelled from Italy at the end of the period.

Representatives from Churches of Christ in Colorado City, Midland, Coahoma, Knott, Ackerly, Crane, Odessa, Sterling City and Big Spring attended the Thursday night meeting. The group contributed approximately \$300 for the orphanage.

Lomax Resident Succumbs Thursday After Long Illness

Mrs. Norma Lee Hull Newman, 30, wife of Ralph R. Newman of Lomax, succumbed in a hospital here Thursday at 1:10 p. m. She had been ill for the past three months.

Services are to be held at 2 p. m. Saturday in the First Baptist church at Stanton with the minister, Rev. T. R. Hawkins, officiating. Burial will be in the Evergreen cemetery beside the grave of a daughter, Patricia Ann, who passed away March 19, 1939.

Mrs. Newman was a native of Howard county, having been born at Coahoma on Oct. 16, 1919. Surviving are her husband, Ralph R. Newman; a son, Bobby Lee, 6; and a daughter, Ginnie Beth, 3; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Hull, Seminole; a sister, Mrs. Don Swafford, Hobbs, N.M.; a brother, H. A. Hull, Jr., Corpus Christi.

Other survivors due to attend services are L. A. Newman and T. E. Newman, Lomax, Mary Ellen Newman and Martha Newman, Big Spring, brothers and sisters-in-law; and these aunts and uncles: Earl Hull, Floyd Hull, Big Spring, Leon Hull, Stanton, Clyde Hull, Deming, N. M., L. D. Hull, Stamford, Ed A. Hull, Shreveport; C. B. Barnett, Ira; Mildred Newman, Odessa; Mrs. A. D. Frankland, Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Edna Davidson, Mrs. Donna Hull, Stanton; Mrs. Leon Baugh, Big Spring; Mrs. F. O. Stokes, Midland; Mrs. W. E. Lusk and Mrs. O. L. Rutherford, Cross Plains.

Pipe Is Evidence In \$257,000 Suit For Damages Here

A 1 1/2 inch length of five-and-a-half inch pipe this morning, as a \$257,000 damage suit against Empire Southern Gas Co. moved into its third day.

Plaintiff in the case is Garland Edward Morgan. The case developed after a high-pressure gas line was ruptured by earth moving machinery in Coleman county on Sept. 8, 1948. Morgan has alleged damages caused by a resulting fire, and that the gas company was negligent in maintaining and marking its right-of-way.

The pipe was brought into the court room this morning, but had not been formally introduced, as evidence when the court recessed at noon. The case is expected to continue through Saturday morning.

Two Burglaries In City Reported

Two burglaries were reported here Thursday morning. Four cases of beer were stolen from the Dreamland hotel some time Wednesday night, police said. A wrist watch, belonging to Otis Smith of 1701 Scurry, was taken from his home Wednesday night.

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Local Druggist Gives Books To UT Pharmacy Library

AUSTIN, Jan. 27.—University of Texas students will find some restful reading along with textbooks on professional subjects in the library of the new pharmacy building to be constructed this spring.

Druggists Shine Phillips of Big Spring and Gordon Mackey of Temple have given several books to start a special shelf of works written by Texas pharmacists and their kin.

A copy of Big Spring has been received from Author Phillips as well as Uncle Edgar and the Reluctant Saint by Margaret Cousins and Spaghetti and Meatballs by Champe Phillips, the Big Spring pharmacist's daughter, and Betty Pate.

Writer Mackey has donated two of his books, Tall Tallin' and Gratin' and The Sage of Poletat Ridge. Both Mackey and Phillips are 1909 graduates of the University.

CHURCHES

"The Four Elements Of Success," will be delivered by the Rev. Cecil Rhodes during the morning worship sermon at the Westside Baptist church Sunday. Biblical references may be found in I John 5:4. During the evening sermon hour, the Rev. Rhodes will discuss, "Highway Signs," from Matt. 7:14.

The Rev. Ad. H. Hoyer will speak on the subject of "True Worshipers," at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday at 11 o'clock. The Lutheran Men of the Church will entertain their wives and members of the church at a social in the Ellis Homes auditorium Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

At the State Street Baptist church the Rev. Everett M. Ward will speak on the subject, "Let A Double Portion Of Thy Spirit Be Upon Me," from II Kings 2:6-15. Sunday school is at 10 o'clock and BTC meets at 6:45 o'clock. During the evening worship hour, the Rev. Ward will discuss "God Forsaken People," from Isaiah 1:1-7. Wednesday evening, the Rev. Ward will direct the study on "The Church At Sardis," from the third chapter of Revelation.

City Eliminated In First Round Of Odessa Tourney

ODESSA, Jan. 27.—Marfa eliminated Big Spring, 44-26, in first round play of the Odessa basketball tournament here Friday morning. Harold Rossen led Big Spring's scoring with nine points, followed by Wayne Brown with six.

Howard Jones, ace Steer forward, is in bed with the flu and did not make the trip. Neither did C. B. Harris, substitute guard. In other games, Crane trounced Wink 41-25, and Dever City nosed out Levelland, 41-40.

Prichard Infant Succumbs Thursday

Granvel Duane Prichard, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Prichard, 1000 Scurry, passed away at 6 p. m. Thursday in a local hospital. He had been ill of an internal disorder for the past two days, and his condition steadily worsened.

Services were to be conducted at 4 p. m. at the McDaniel-Boullion chapel. The Rev. A. L. Byrd, Forsan, was to officiate and interment was to be in the city cemetery. Besides the parents, survivors include the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Prichard, Forsan, and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ragdale, Odessa, maternal grandparents.

Latin-Americans Give \$26.55 in Dimes Drive

Local Latin Americans contributed \$26.55 to the Howard county March of Dimes campaign Thursday night, giving funds raised through a benefit dance at the Gomes hall. Music for the dance was furnished by the orchestras of Neto Gomes, Manuel Fuga, and Frank Martin. Use of the hall was contributed by V. A. Gomes. The dance was promoted by A. P. Martinez.

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Liquor Store Window Shattered by Shot

A pistol shot, probably fired from a passing car, broke a big plate glass window fronting Pinkie's Liquor store on the East highway sometime after midnight this morning.

Investigating officers found only a fragment of the lead bullet. Nothing but the window was damaged, despite the fact that hundreds of bottles lined the shelves of the establishment.

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LIL' ABNER comic strip panels showing a character with a donkey and another character talking.

SLONDIE comic strip panels showing a character with a letter and another character talking.

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The Herald's Daily Page of Top Comics advertisement for Wrigley's Spearmint Chewing Gum.

HERALD RADIO LOG

Table with columns for FRIDAY EVENING, SATURDAY MORNING, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, and SATURDAY EVENING, listing radio stations and programs.

Jayhawks Meet Phillips Quint

Bound for Berger and Plainview, the Howard County Junior college basketball team left town this morning. The Jayhawks are faced with two rugged assignments. Tonight, they clash with the Frank Phillips Junior college aggregation of Berger, a team always tough to beat in its own gymnasium. On Saturday evening, the Big Springers square away with the Wayland college freshmen in Plainview.

Veeck May Buy Into Senators, Report Insists

By RUSS NEWLAND
AP Staff
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—Baseball's grapevine tells this report clear across the country to this outfielder: Bill Veeck has made overtures and now may be negotiating for controlling interest in either the Washington Senators or the Chicago Cubs. The source of the report may not be disclosed, but always has been reliable. Veeck became baseball's boy wonder while hallyhooning and good-willing the Cleveland Indians into one of the best attractions in a majors. Previously he turned in a handsome front office job with Milwaukee of the American Association. When Veeck sold the Cleveland Club at a fine profit after last season, there was speculation whether he intended to remain out of the sport, or rest up to take another whirl at it. He demonstrated dynamic ability while operating the Indians. One rumor that later cropped up was that he was interested in taking over the Cubs' Pacific Coast league holding, Los An-

Track Workouts Get Underway At Water Valley

WATER VALLEY, Jan. 27.—Taking advantage of the spring-like weather the earlier part of this week, Elvis Mathis, track coach at Water Valley high school, has had several boys limbering up for the coming winter season. The prospects of Water Valley winning a district title in any of the three divisions are remote but a creditable showing can be made, Mathis said. Fred Hale is the only returning senior runner who placed in both the Water Valley Invitational meet and the district games. After a creditable freshman season, during which he won the Olympics 1000-meter steeplechase grid, a second place in the 600 and fourth place in the 200 and 400 in the Water Valley meet, he's set for better things this time out. Jack Willis was second in the mile in the Water Valley show in 1946, then proceeded to win that event in the district games. However, he could finish no better than third in Water Valley last year and will be attempting to come back this year. Henry Pope, a sprinter with the junior team last year, will be running with the seniors this time, along with Morgan Westbrook, Franklin Piagosa, C. W. Garner, Raymond Smith, Somar Fincher and Billy Westbrook. Jay Spears, a relay specialist a year ago, will concentrate on tennis with the hope of nudging E. L. Tankersly of Mertzon in the state.

Grapette And Legion Collide At 9 P. M.

Y Loop Lead Is At Stake

The championship of the YMCA basketball league could be decided tonight in a game starting at 9 p. m. at the HCCJ gymnasium. At that time, the Grapette Batters take the floor against the American Legion. Both teams are undefeated in conference activity. The Batters have won four times in as many starts. The Legion had copied three bouts but had no decision removed from the books because they allegedly played an ineligible man. The contest is due to be spirited, since there has long been great rivalry between the two contingents. The Legionnaires will have to get along without the services of Larry McCulloch, sharpshooting forward who had to take his basket to Odessa for the tournament in progress there. However, they'll be well fortified. Frank Hardesty, Bill Bell, Sheefer Salisbury, Paul Soidan and Bobby Martin will probably start for the Legion. Grapette is due to use Billy Rae Avory, James Briggs, Tommie Elliott, Barney Savage and Cotton Mize. Other games tonight will pit Center Point against Coca-Cola at 7 p. m. and Forsan against Rowan Drilling company at 8. Forsan remains undefeated for a strong contender for first place.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

The WT-NM baseball league has adopted a program which will serve to spotlight the achievements of its standout players during the 1946 season. The Longhorn league might do well to copy. The Class C circuit will select a player of the week, a player of the month and a player of the year. Last season, the Longhorn league went about to select the rookie of the year but they invested the privilege of decision in the wrong entity, the sports writers within the circuit. The scribes handed the laurel wreath to Kenny Jones, Midland's little catcher, ignoring the feats of one Carlos (Potato) Pascual, Big Spring's great handy man. Pascual proceeded to make the scribes look bad in every way. He was the driving force behind a team that won 16 of 20 regular season games from a Midland team that had Jones in there as catcher. When he wasn't hitting home runs or knocking down infielders with his line drives, he was robbing the Indians of base hits with sensational catches. When he wasn't playing infield, he was throwing aspirin tablets at the Warriors from the pitching rubber. Along came the playoffs and Midland won the right to enter the slaughter house by knocking over Vernon while Big Spring was coping four straight games from San Angelo. Potato continued to shine in the playoffs and brushed out a round tripper with the sacks jammed in the fourth and final game to end the act. He may not have been the rookie of the year in the eyes of the writers but he was with practically every one else.

A. O. Funderburk Named Skipper At Ballinger



BALLINGER, Jan. 27.—The Ballinger Longhorn baseball league club announced Thursday that Arnold C. (Dutch) Funderburk, 28-year-old native of San Saba, had been signed to pilot the Cats in the 1946 campaign. Funderburk will be a player-manager. Funderburk can catch and play the outfield. He played with Temple in the Big State league in 1940 and with Greenville in the same circuit in 1947 and '48. The new man has been in professional baseball since 1940, spending most of the time in the St. Louis Browns' organization. He will report to Ballinger Feb. 1. Signing of Funderburk leaves only one Longhorn league club without a manager. San Angelo announced Thursday that Jimmy McClure, a pitcher with Eldorado, Ark., in 1945, will pilot its club for the coming year. A left hander from Rossville, Ga., McClure piloted Eldorado to a second place finish in Cotton States league play. He is 25 years old.

Bauer, Lindsay In Golf Clash

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 27. (AP)—Marlene Bauer today faces her sternest test thus far in the Helen Lee Doherty Women's Amateur Golf Tournament when she meets Marjorie Lindsay in the third round of championship play. The tiny, 15-year-old Midland, Tex., sensation continued her blistering pace yesterday as she scored a lopsided 7 and 6 victory over Claire Doran of Cleveland, O. Miss Lindsay of Decatur, Ill., ten years and many tournaments senior to the petite Texan, yesterday eliminated Margaret Gauthier of Memphis, Tenn., 5 and 4. Mrs. Catherine Fox Fox Parb of Bloomington, Y. J., who yesterday beat Betty Mackinnon of Mt. Pleasant, Tex., one up after slugging a belated rally, is matched with Miss Riley.

LEAGUE SESSION

DALLAS, Jan. 27. (AP)—The Class B Big State League's annual schedule meeting will be held in Waco Sunday. In the second round match yesterday she turned 5 up after carding a one under women's par 37. Marlene's 22-year-old sister, Alice, withdrew under the existing putting pace set by Polly Riley of Fort Worth, Tex., and was eliminated from the championship flight, 3 and 2. The Marlene Bauer-Lindsay match is regarded as the most crucial for the 'teen-agers. Miss Lindsay found the going tough the first day but her one over par 38 on the front side and her fine back nine play ranked her among the chief contenders.

Demaret Fires 64 At Field

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 27.—Ben Hogan and Jimmy Demaret renew their Phoenix golf battle today with a fellow named Johnny Palmer giving a good chance of foiling them both. The opening round in the \$10,000 Ben Hogan Open Tournament went to Jimmy yesterday by a single stroke as he tied the competitive course record with a 64. He also dropped the first hole-in-one of his competitive career, as his high number three iron shot on the 13th hole rolled into the cup. Demaret had left the clubhouse when Hogan finished with a 65 to the Palmer in second place. Ben, who said his putting was "The best I've done in my life," stroked a 38-foot putt into the hole to score an eagle three on the long par five 19th hole. Demaret hasn't won a tourney since the 1946 Phoenix Open and is out to end the drought. The tournament is not all wrapped up for Hogan, Demaret or Palmer. Sam Snead and Wally Ullrich of Minneapolis were just two strokes off the leader's pace with five-under-par 66's. Jack Haden of El Paso and Dale Anderson of Hinsdale, Ill., each had scores of 67. At 69 were Clayton Heafner, Charlotte, N. C., Fred Hawkins of El Paso, and Ellsworth Vines of Chicago. All told, thirty of the play-for-pay boys were under regulation figures. The leading amateurs were Grey Medlow of Phoenix and Bill Markham of East Hampton, Conn. They both had 72, one over par for the 6,600-yard Phoenix Country Club course.

'Strive To Be Better Than You Are,' Sammy Baugh Tells Local Gridders

"Always strive to be just a little bit better on the athletic field than you are now," Sam Baugh of professional football fame told the high school and junior college gridders gathered with Lion's club members for the annual grid party at the Settles hotel here last night. "If you aim for such heights, chances are constant training will bring the desired improvement," Baugh stated. Blight Sam, for 13 years a member of the Washington Redskins and before that an All-American for Texas Christian, had the respectful attention of all ears as he recalled some of his experiences on the gridiron. Baugh said one of the greatest football players he ever played against was Tack Dennis, peerless back for Big Spring high school in 1931. Sam recalled Dennis turned in a remarkable performance against Sweetwater high last year, and his punting was phenomenal. In setting the stage for the introduction of Baugh, made by John D. Hurrell, team manager Gage Lloyd said TCU thought so much of Sam, they were thinking of having him announced and calling him "Saint Sam."

Kermit, Odessa Register Wins In Tournament

ODESSA, Jan. 27.—Kermit and Odessa advanced in the annual here Thursday night by grinding out victories over Seminole and Grandfalls, respectively. The Kermit aggregation walloped Seminole, 43-28 in the tournament opener, while Odessa cleaned Grandfalls, 59-26 in the second game of the first round. Play was due to continue Friday morning, with Defending Champion Big Spring booked for its first tournament activity at 9:30 a. m. The Steers were paired against Marfa in their first round encounter. Big Spring, Andrews, Crane and Odessa, the four top teams in last year's meet, all are expected to battle furiously for the 1946 crown. However, Lamesa, which gets its first action today, is the favorite. The complete Friday schedule: Crane vs. Wink, 8 a. m.; Big Spring vs. Marfa, 9:30 a. m.; Loveland vs. Denver City, 10:40 a. m.; Andrews vs. Midland, 12:30 p. m.; Lamesa vs. Fort Stockton, 1:50 p. m.; Lamesa vs. Kermit, 3:10 p. m.; and Pecos vs. Brownfield, 5 p. m. Second round play has been scheduled for 6 p. m. today and will continue until 11 p. m.

Citation Nosed By Long Shot

ARCADIA, Calif., Jan. 27. (AP)—Citation, for only the third time in 31 starts, has come off the turf second best. Citation's return was marred yesterday by Mico, an unheralded little gray horse from the Argentine. The small one, ignoring the greatness of his rival, outgamed Citation and whipped him by a neck in a six-furlong thriller at Santa Anita Park. The race was Citation's second trip to the post after a 13-month layoff due to leg injury, and it was a tune-up for the Calumet cannon-ball for the \$50,000 San Antonio Handicap Feb. 11 and the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap Feb. 25. It was a full-scale race for Mico, however, as he took Citation's measure in 1:10 4-5. The winner paid \$50.20. Citation was 1-4. The distance favored Mico, a sprinter, and his 114-pound weight assignment couldn't be compared to Citation's 130 pound package. It was the first setback for five-year-old Citation since 1944 when he lost to Saggy at Havre De Grace, Md. As a two-year-old he was beaten by Bewitch in the Washington Park Futurity. Both races also were at six furlongs. Calumet Trainer Jimmy Jones was not pleased to see a defeat pinned on his former title crown champ's record, but he pointed out that Citation was brought to Santa Anita for big game, not yesterday's \$2,500 winner's purse. Huon Kid was third, followed by Royal Blood, On Trust and Double Jay.

Douglass Keeps Lead Position

Douglass outscored Leonard's two games to one, to remain at the top of the west-coast column in the Women's Classic Bowling league standings last night. Zack's team climbed up a notch in standings, passing Handy Liquor 1-0, Nathan's ledgers won two of three contests with Clark Motors. The Douglass bowlers had the highest aggregate for team scoring, compiling 2,139 for the three games. Nathan's team turned in the best single game score, 744. Douglass was second in that department with 725. Leonard's had a series total of 2,980. Margaret Newle, Douglass leader, turned in the best individual performance for three games with a total score of 307. Olive Casble had the best single game, 744. The Zack's team-member turned in a 185. Jessie Pearl Watson, Nathan's scored a 187 and 204 for second position in game and series high scoring.

Ft. Worth Stock Show Underway

FORT WORTH, Jan. 27. (AP)—Broom, boots and blue jeans hold sway in Fort Worth today. The 54th Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show gets underway for a 10-day run and officials expect thousands who "can't ride 'em" to come to see 'em. A list of 941 entries are on hand for the big rodeo that goes with the stock show. Prize cutting horse, quarter-horses and other show horses will also grace in divisions of their own. Gov. Allan Shivers is due to head the big street parade opening the exposition. He's also down for several meetings and to make several speeches. More than 6,000 cattle, sheep, swine and boys' livestock were jammed into exposition stalls and stalls last night as hopeful owners got ready to try for blue ribbons. Officials said all available stall space had been grabbed up.

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Ward School Meet Resumes Saturday

First round play in the Ward school basketball tournament will be conducted at the high school gymnasium Saturday. In 7th grade activity, one Central Ward team clashes with College Heights at 1 p. m. while another Central outfit opposes East Ward at 2 o'clock. In 6th grade competition, Central Ward and Airport tangle at 4 p. m., an hour after West Ward and College Heights take the floor. The 1916 New York Giants set a record of 28 straight victories at home, had another string of 17 wins on the road—yet finished fourth.

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Fowl Cholera in Panhandle Reported
WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—The Department of Interior reports an outbreak of fowl cholera in the Texas Panhandle near Bull Lake. Secretary of the Interior Chapman said yesterday that the disease broke out Jan. 15 and within three days workers at the Blue-spring National Wildlife Refuge killed up 330 dead ducks.

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SWIMMING ON A SNOWY MOUNTAIN — Lestrie Reich dives into the pool at the foot of Aspen Mountain, Colo., where world ski championships will be held in February.



HIGH HIGHSCHOOLERS — John Holup (left), a senior, six feet five inches tall, and his brother, Joe, a sophomore, six feet four inches, play on the Swoyerville, Pa., High School basketball team and are also members of the football squad.



MEADOW MUSIC — Miss Nora Johnston tests her theory that music for cows increases milk production by serenading a barn-bound herd on her portable carillon at Staines, England.



BEST OF THE BIRDS — Pianist Artur Schnabel, as a penguin, and his wife, in a headdress of ostrich feathers, won prizes for the outstanding bird costumes at a "Ball of the Birds" given by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kellerman in Beverly Hills, Cal.



CARNIVAL HAIRDO — A model demonstrates a hairdo for the German pre-Lenten carnival period in the hair style show sponsored by the Munich Hairdressers Association.



MINIATURE ARTIST — Zygmunt Sowa works on a miniature of Bishop Stephen S. Woznicki, in Detroit. At right are completed miniatures of Princess Irene Czajkory made in Poland.



BANANA BUYER — Miss Sally Booth, an American visitor to Puerto Rico with a liking for bananas, takes advantage of the low price to buy all she wishes in San Juan.



EPIPHANY DAY PRESENTS — A traffic policeman in the Piazza Venezia, Rome, Italy, adds a bottle of wine, presented by a youngster, to the gifts he has received on feast of the Epiphany, Jan. 6, which is celebrated like another Christmas.



VOCAL DRUMMER — Two-year-old Claire Breen, enroute to Highland, Ind., adds a vocal accompaniment to her drum solo as she arrives in New York by plane from London.



BOUGHT HOME FROM U. S. — Mrs. J. Richard Brendel, wife of the Mayor, plays with son, Richard in one of 700 houses residents purchased from the government at Winfield, N. J.



GERMAN LOOT FOR SALE — Prospective purchasers inspect some of the 23 tons of confiscated silverware found in German salt mine hideouts by American Army, on sale at New York's United Nations Galleries. International Refugee Organization will receive proceeds of sale.



GOLDEN KING 'TUT' — Egyptian authorities, searching for tombs of 14 Pharaohs of 4,000 years ago, hope to find treasures like the gold mask (above) of King Tutankhamen.



TOWNEOPLE BUY A COMMUNITY — Street in Winfield, N. J., 20 miles from New York, a community containing 700 houses which residents have voted to buy from the government for \$1,250,000 through their own cooperative Mutual Housing Corporation.



JUNIOR RACING CAR — Terry Evans, 5, sits in the car his dad, Ted (left) built for him at Bell, Cal. The auto is 62 inches long, weighs 150 pounds and travels 15 miles an hour.



ICE BOWL GAME IN SNOW — University of Alaska and Ladd Air Force football teams battle in ten inches of snow in Ice Bowl game at Fairbanks, Alaska. University won, 7 to 6.

City's Young People To Be Honored In National Youth Week Services Sunday

Big Spring youth will be honored at special services Sunday to be held in connection with local observances of National Youth Week. Highlight of the day will be held at the First Christian church, when the youth of that congregation will serve as officiants in the evening service.

Esses on the program will include Jackie Marchant and Jeff Hanna, who will preside at the organ. Jimmy Wilcox will give the invocation; Bill Early will read the scriptural text; Justin Allen Holmes will say the offertory prayer; Joan Smith will be heard in a musical presentation, accompanied by Mrs. Nell Frazier and Ray Horton Shaw will pronounce the benediction. Joy Williams will serve as program director.

Peggy Thomas, president of the state Christian Youth Fellowship, and a student at Texas Christian University, will be a special guest at the church Sunday and will serve as a speaker at the World

Fellowship meeting to be held in San Angelo Friday and Saturday, February 3 and 4. A group of local First Christian youth will accompany her on the trip.

The Rev. Lloyd Thompson will be heard on the subject, "Heaven Is Real," during the morning service at the church. In the evening, he will speak on "God's Call and Man's Answer." The education committee will meet at the church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Members of the local Young People's Service League of St. Mary's Episcopal church will attend special youth services in Midland Sunday afternoon.

Services at St. Mary's Episcopal church will be as follows: Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m., under the direction of Otto Peters, Jr.; Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock, under the supervision of church lay readers.

At the First Methodist church the Rev. Aisle H. Carleton will be heard on the subject, "My Church," during the morning worship hour. Members of the choir will present the anthem, "God So Loved the World," by Stainer. During the evening the Rev. Carleton will discuss the topic, "My Need Of Christ and Christ's Need Of Me."

The Young People's department of the Trinity Baptist church will sponsor a radio program to be heard over KTXC Monday through Friday at 1:30 o'clock. The "Bible Broadcast" messages will feature a series of sermons on the Bible. Sunday morning, Pastor Marvin H. Clark will present another in a series of sermons from the Gospel of John 6:22-40. Subject of the sermon will be, "Christ, the Bread of life." Sunday evening, Pastor Clark will discuss, "The Two Advents (Comings) of Christ," from Psalms 2. The evening sermon will be broadcast over KTXC.

Members of the Sunday school department will conclude their study of Leviticus at the church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The Young People and the Prayer groups will convene at 7 p. m. Thomas Yeats has been installed as Sunday school superintendent, and will serve for the first time in that

capacity Sunday morning.

The Rev. Wilburn Birdine will serve as guest speaker at the Assembly of God Church Sunday morning, and the Rev. V. F. Love, brother of the pastor of Colorado City, will fill the pulpit Sunday evening. The Rev. C. R. Love will serve as host pastor.

"History's Longest Employment List," will serve as the sermon-topic to be discussed by the Rev. C. C. Hardaway at the Wesley Methodist church Sunday morning. Prior to the sermon, the choir will present the anthem, "Though Your Sins Be As Scarlet," by Crosby. The Rev. Hardaway will discuss the subject, "Good Wishes In Action," during the evening hour. The Young People of the church will bring the evening worship and will occupy the choir Sunday evening.

Sunday school will meet at 10 o'clock at the Church of Nazarene. The Rev. Lewis Patterson will bring both worship sermons of the day. The morning sermon will be held at 11 o'clock and the evening service will be held at 8 p. m.

"Love" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, and in the local reading room, 217 1/2 Main, Sunday morning. The Golden Text is: "The Lord hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yes, I have loved thee with an everlasting love; therefore with loving kindness have I drawn thee." (Jeremiah 31:3)

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "No man hath seen God at any time. If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us." (I John 4:21). The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Divine Love is infinite. Therefore all that really exists is in and of God, and manifests His love." (Page 340)

The Rev. John E. Kolar will bring the morning sermon at the Main Street Church of God, Corner Tenth and Main. He will speak on the subject of "Sanctification," from I Thes. 4:3. Mrs. John E. Kolar will serve as the evening speaker. She will discuss "Holding On," from Acts 12:6.

Sunday school is at 9:45 a. m. at the church. Eddie Hickson will direct the Youth Fellowship meeting at 6:45 p. m. and Truett Thomas will be in charge of the Singpiration at 7:30 o'clock.

Mona Moors, a returned foreign missionary to Orissa Province and Cuttack, India, will serve as the main speaker at the all-day Mission rally to be held at the church Friday. The program will begin at 10 a. m.

At the East Fourth Baptist church, the Rev. James S. Parks will be heard on the subject of "A Mountain Top Experience," from II Peter 1:15-18. During the evening, the Rev. Parks will discuss "Out of the Dark, Into the Light," from I John 1:5-9.

Services at the First Baptist church will be under the direction of the pastor, Dr. F. D. O'Brien. In the morning worship period, Dr. O'Brien will speak on, "A Serious Contrast." Scriptural references may be found in Proverbs 28:13 and Psalms 55:2. A religious moving picture will be projected at 4 o'clock. Baptismal services will be held following the evening sermon. Dr. O'Brien will present the sermon, "A Merciful Embassy," from II Cor. 5:20. The scriptural text reads: "Now then we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us; we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God."

Sunday masses at St. Thomas Catholic church, 606 North Main, will be held at 7 and 9:30 a. m. and weekday masses are at 7:30 a. m. Confessions are heard before the daily mass and from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Saturdays. At the Sacred Heart Catholic church (Latin American) Sunday masses are at 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock under the direction of the pastor.

The Rev. I. A. Smith will conduct both morning and evening worship services at the Park Methodist church Sunday. Morning services are at 11 a. m. Sunday school is at 10 o'clock. Methodist Youth Fellowship will convene at the church at 8 p. m., to be followed by the evening sermon at 7 p. m. Midweek prayer meetings are scheduled at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of the pastor.

"What Makes A Growing Church," will be explained by Lloyd Connel, minister of the Church of Christ, 14th and Main, Sunday morning. During the evening, Minister Connel will speak on the subject, "God's Dividing Line."

Herbert Love, minister of the Church of Christ, East Fourth and Benton, will be heard on the subject of "The Lord's Supper," at that church Sunday morning. Scriptural text may be found in I Cor. 10:16. During the evening worship hour, the minister will discuss, "What Must I Believe To Be



NOT DEAD... BUT SLEEPING

We know a man who says, "When you're dead, you're dead." Wonder what he would think of this picture?

This is a picture of things that seem dead. Barren trees, shrubs laden with snow, and a million blades of grass buried beneath the winter's mantle.

But we know these things are not dead... just sleeping. Waiting for another Spring... waiting to blossom and flourish again.

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Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	John	3: 21-29
Monday	Mark	4: 26-29
Tuesday	Mark	11: 23-25
Wednesday	Psalm	15: 4-11
Thursday	Romans	8: 21-29
Friday	Acts	2: 28-32
Saturday	John	3: 12-14

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A Bible Thought For Today -

No system that denies God brings forth good fruit, only cruelty and bitterness and tears and for most rage. Their grapes are grapes of gall, their clusters are bitter. —Det. 32:32.

Better Make A Careful Check On Terms Of New Wage Law

The new minimum wage law which went into effect this week is estimated to saddle employers with an additional burden of about \$300 million a year. It raises the minimum wage from 40 cents to 75 cents an hour, or from \$16 to \$30 a week, and it calls for time and one-half overtime pay above 40 hours a week.

to him might hesitate to sue his boss. Under the new law, enforcement officers will be looking for just such situations, and can be expected to crack down hard. The new law does not apply to all classes of workers, of course; some are still exempt, including government employees, agricultural workers, domestic servants, seamen, fishermen and many retail service workers.

FEPC Advocates Have Own Fuss, Strengthen Opposition To Bill

Opponents of federal fair employment practices legislation had the first good laugh they'd enjoyed in months when internecine warfare broke out among supporters of the measure. It started when Rep. Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr. (D-NY) got up a petition to force House consideration of FEPC. He soon got 79 of the necessary 218 signatures, but there he bogged down.

thing but re-election to the House. This little spat among Democrats soon sucked in a lot of Republican supporters of the FEPC. They refused to sign the Roosevelt petition, but expressed eagerness to sign Powell's. There were open sneers at Roosevelt, a freshman representative, for trying to horn in. An unwritten rule of Congress is that a freshman should be seen and not heard.

Notebook-Hal Boyle

Average Ghost Is Preferable To Average Week-End Guest

NEW YORK, (AP) THERE IS A CLASSIC yarn of a jittery ghost who went to see a psychiatrist. "Doc, you've got to do something for me quick—I'm a nervous wreck," complained the spook.

at 6 o'clock every morning and following members of the family around. also, he said, she woke up the children. So a young vicar of the Church of England was called in to exorcise poor Mrs. Drury's spectral figure by ancient rites. Somehow this whole business seems grossly unfair. Shouldn't ghosts have equal rights with people?

Affairs Of The World-DeWitt MacKenzie

British General Asks Renewal Of Anglo-German Friendship

TWICE IN A GENERATION BRITAIN has suffered all but mortal wounds from German aggression. It therefore is of peculiar interest to find the high commissioner of the British zone in Germany calling for the burial of hatreds and a renewal of Anglo-German friendship.

probably tell us that the question which I have posed is simple to answer. Englishmen and Germans are all God's children and brothers. They can be friends and should be friends. You may feel that such an answer is unpractical and unrealistic. However, religion itself is not unpractical and I believe it to be right to remember that the answer which the churches would give to my question is 'fundamentally right.'

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HATCHING



Merry-Go-Round - Drew Pearson

Miracle Man Taft Practically Dictates Democratic Reports On Taft-Hartley Act

WASHINGTON - GOP Senator Bob Taft has just shown himself a real miracle worker—this time by pulling wires inside the Democratic Party. Taft, generally considered the arch-enemy of labor, would be the last person expected to dictate a Democratic report on the Taft-Hartley Act. But that is essentially what he did behind closed doors of the Senate Labor Committee.

Then he sprang his surprise proposal that the so-called collaborationist radicals—a splinter faction which broke with the parent party in 1946 to support Pearson—be given the task of setting up the new "opposition" party. These men, he explained blandly, could be relied upon to found a party "whose basic aims and principles will coincide satisfactorily with our own, while at the same time providing a separate list of candidates on election day."

later this year—with about 60 per cent of the electorate deprived of the right to vote for candidates of their own choosing. Brig. Gen. Manuel Odría, chief of the military junta which seized power from Peru's legally constituted government 15 months ago, recently announced plans for the election "in the near future." Every adult citizen will be allowed to cast a ballot, he said, but the apistras, who cast 62 per cent of the votes five years ago, cannot put up a nominee.

Hollywood-Bob Thomas

Ramon Novarro Laments Stars Of Yester Year

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 27. (AP)—Back in movies after a lapse of a decade or more, Ramon Novarro finds this big difference from the old days—the stars aren't what they used to be. "In the silent era," he recalled, "there were 18 or 20 stars of first magnitude. Today there are 100 or 200. But they lack the stature and the style of the old-time stars. They are no longer individual; they look alike and dress alike and cut their hair alike."

they used to be. And they don't smell as sweet." Bette Davis' next picture is aimed at the "over 30" audience, which seems to be getting more attention from the movie makers. It is touted as the first picture to deal with the problem of divorce in an adult manner. Title: "The Story of a Divorce."

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Around The Rim-The Herald Staff

Modern Street Salesgals Make One Regret Old Medicine Show

Talk about the "good old days" has never stimulated any great amount of yearning within us, but we must confess that in some cases a return to earlier practices and customs might be refreshing. Reference has been made here previously to itinerant sales people, and it is with them in mind that our thoughts return to former "technique" that apparently was just as effective and certainly more interesting than today's variety.

or while draped over a parking meter or a car fender. Instead of working their way through college, members of the skirt corps are competing for prizes. To draw comparison, we cite the old-fashioned medicine show, which offered uncertain products for sale, but used an unabashed and interesting gimmick in nailing its customers. Probably no more than a few customers maintained any true interest in the medicine show's merchandise, but they paid their money with little reluctance. Their compensation was entertainment, which, incidentally, was not confined merely to the blackface routine or banjo pickin' alone, but extended through the voluble sales technique itself.

Capital Report - Doris Fleeson

Maryland Senator Brings Order Out Of Confused Navy Picture

WASHINGTON - FOR ADDICTS OF Senate debate it is a pleasure to watch Sen. Millard Tydings at work. The gentleman from Maryland is bright, brisk and brave. He thoroughly understands Senate institutions and how to make them serve him.

ond Denfeld commission, Senator McCarthy, Wisconsin Republican and a former Marine, saw in all this proof that Secretary Matthews' character required investigation. The secretary explained through Tydings that President Truman's naval aide took the unusual step of delivering the second commission directly to Denfeld without the secretary's knowledge. Matthews argued however, that since no oath was taken nor other formalities complied with, the vacancy legally existed for Admiral Sherman to fill.

WITH CONSIDERABLE INGENUITY,

Chairman Tydings has lately been transforming the picture of a still confused, quarrelsome Navy into the single question: Should the Senate penalize a brave officer, Admiral Sherman, by long delaying his confirmation as chief of naval operations? The answer so obviously was no that even Tydings' opponents did not commit themselves to vote for confirmation, but confirm him they did Tuesday.

1.) SINCE SENATOR MCCARTHEY'S photostat had to come from somewhere either Admiral Denfeld or his admirers in confidential positions are not averse to fanning the old quarrels. 2.) The Truman naval aide, Rear Adm. Robert L. Dennison, is something of an apple polisher who likes to bestow White House benefactions in person rather than through channels. As a senator, Mr. Tydings thinks no senator should be so indecently eager to impeach the honor of a cabinet member. As Armed Services chairman, he still wants to give the Navy a chance to clean its own house.

The Nation Today-By James Marlow

New Wage-Hour Law May Leave Window Washer Out In Cold

By NORMAN WALKER FOR JAMES MARLOW WASHINGTON, (AP) - THE CASE OF the window washer is one of the tough ones under the new wage-hour law. A window washer doing his job in a building where there were firms engaged in interstate commerce was held to be covered by the old law.

But in another place the statement says Congress intended to exempt a window washer employed by a local firm to clean windows for firms engaged in interstate commerce. This case of the window washer may wind up in the courts.

WORD-A-DAY

By BACH AMBUSCADE (an bus-kad) A PLACE WHERE TROOPS, OR OTHERS, LIE HIDDEN TO ATTACK AN ENEMY UNEXPECTEDLY; THE ACT OF HIDING FOR SUCH A PURPOSE.

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But a man who sweeps trash from around machines so they can be kept producing efficiently might be deemed "closely related" or "directly essential" to production. Here's another change in the new law: Coverage formerly applied to any firm shipping "from any state to any place outside" that state. Now it applies to any firm shipping "between any state and any place outside" that state.

IN ADDITION, CONGRESS FOR THE first time defined what it means by saying a worker must get 1 1/2 times his "regular rate" for hours he works overtime. Regular rate now means to exclude gifts, bonuses, certain premium payments, payments for vacation and illness, and other types of payments unrelated to straight pay for employment. But say most workers in a plant get \$1 an hour for a certain type of work, while the man who does the same work at night gets \$1.16. What's the night worker's regular rate?

Today's Birthday

SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS, born Jan. 26, 1871 at Dunkirk, N. Y., son of a minister. Winning fame as a "muckraker" early in this century, he went on to write "Flaming Youth" in the '20s, followed by "It Happened One Night" and other novels. He has taken history and biography in his stride.

Foot-Fiddle-Forty-Niners Clubs Merge At Meeting Held On Thursday

In a business session held Thursday night, members of the Foot and Fiddle and Forty-Niners Square Dance clubs voted to merge the two organizations. Newly-elected officers of the Forty-Niners club will serve the new organization. Officers are: president, Dr. Lee Rogers, vice-president, Matt Harrington, secretary, Joe Clark, and treasurer, Mrs. Harry King. Sessions will be held every Thursday from 8 to 11 p.m. in the IOOF hall. Organizational activities took place when the Foot and Fiddle club entertained the Forty-Niners at a dance with Hubbard's band providing the music. The dance was held in the IOOF hall. No decision was made concerning a name for the new organization.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Forestry, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Rainwater, Mrs. Frank McCleskey, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cagle, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dulain,

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. William Dean, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Nugent, E. P. Driver, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Beed Petty, Dr. and Mrs. Allen Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Price, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Harmonson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stipp, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeder, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Anderson, Eugene Bush and Mary Isaacs, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bogart, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscles, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herdeman, Dr. and Mrs. Marshall Cusley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dupont, Mr. and Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. Ben LeFevre, Kyle Miller Jr., Jeanne Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. Lee Rogers, Harry Staicup, A. C. Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. John Tibbrell and Mr. and Mrs. Harry King.

Pat Shannon Serves As Sorority Hostess

Pat Shannon entertained the members of the Alpha Chi chapter of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha with a supper party at her home, 1017 Nolan, Thursday evening.

Seven members celebrated their birthday anniversaries. They included Ruth Webb, Mary Ann Goodson, Jean Phillips, Rhoda Miller, Dot Day, Ida Stokes and Gypsy Ted McCollum.

The sorority banner served as a background for the refreshment table. The table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a white birthday cake in a silver tray. Silver and china appointments competed the setting.

Announcement was made that a called meeting will be held in the home of Jamie Bilbo, 412 Edward Blvd., Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A vaudeville show was presented during the program hour. Stella Mae Wheat served as master of ceremonies. Others in the show included Jamie Bilbo, who gave the reading "Since Ma Has Upped Her Hair", Myrtle Franklin who did a fan-dance, Ida Stokes, who sketched the song, "Tears In My Beer," accompanied by Gypsy McCollum and Pat Shannon and Miss McCollum, who sang the selections.

"I've Been Working On The Railroad," and "When You Were A Tulip." Pat Shannon concluded the program with a tap routine. Dot Day served as program chairman. Jean Phillips acted as audience prompter.

Those attending the affair were Joyce Williamson, Myrtle Franklin, Ruth Webb, Ida Stokes, Myrtle Earle Johnson, Billie Smith, Maxine White, Bo Bowen, Gypsy Ted McCollum, Dot Day, Gayle Johnson, Jean Phillips, Maxine Ryan, Mary Ann Goodson, Rhoda Miller, Stella Wheat, Jamie Bilbo and the hostess, Pat Shannon.

Shower Is Given For Patsy Burrus

Patsy Burrus, bride-elect of Deacon Stanley, was named honoree at a personal shower given in the home of Mrs. T. A. Proctor, 202 Goliad, Friday night. Floral arrangements decorated the entertaining rooms.

Attending were: Mrs. J. M. Stanley, Martha Bearden, Mrs. Floyd Williams, Mrs. Cooper Reese, Mrs. Lela Gumm, Mrs. Bill Morris, Mrs. Lucille Brown, Mrs. Zula Reeves, Joyce Wood, Patty Hull and Mrs. Delbert Stanley.

Royal Neighbors Meet For Business Session

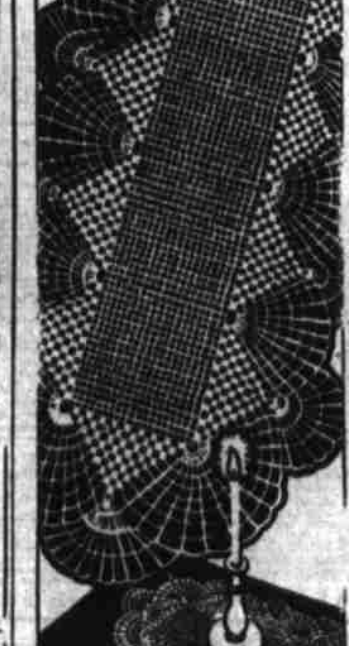
Royal Neighbors met in the WOW hall Thursday afternoon for a regular business session. Plans for coming conventions were discussed.

Attending were: Mrs. Claude Wright, Mrs. R. L. Holly, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. Roy Wilson and Mrs. W. M. Gage.

The Rev. W. G. Buchsacher of Waco, a former pastor at St. Paul's Lutheran church in Big Spring, is a week end guest in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Ad H. Hoyer, 206 W. 9th.

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RIBBON RAMBLINGS

By Mildred Young

Looks like Eleanor has done it again. According to a recent poll released by the quilt master, George Gallup, she is heading the list of women most admired. (Wonder if she'd consider the presidency of TSCW?)

Sister Kenny, the world-famous Australian expert on the treatment of polio, is the second place winner. She is followed by Clare Boothe Luce, author and former congresswoman. Next comes Helen Keller, author and lecturer who overcame the handicap of blindness and deafness.

Next is Madame Ching Kai-Shek who left the United States recently to return to her husband's side in Formosa.

This survey is conducted annually by the American Institute of Public Opinion. The question is: "What woman living today in any part of the world, that you have heard or read about, do you admire the most?"

Just to show how many women are really in the headlines, here are some of the other nominations. Mrs. Harry Truman, Senator Margaret Chase Smith, Mrs. Thomas Dewey, Mrs. Alben W. Barkley, Mrs. Pandit Nehru of India, Mrs. Robert A. Taft, Queen Elizabeth, Queen Wilhelmina, Duchess of Windsor, Bess Streeter Aldrich, Pearl Buck, Margaret Landon, Eve Currier, Ernestine Gilbreth Carey, Dorothy Thompson, Agnes Meyer, Kate Smith, Mary Margaret McBride, Betty Crocker, Miriam Anderson, Rise Stevens, Cornelia Otis Skinner, Ethel Barrymore, Mary Martin, Jeanette MacDonald and many others.

You probably remember the ten top men as being President Truman, General Dwight D. Eisenhower, Winston Churchill, General Douglas MacArthur, Herbert Hoover, Pope Pius XII, Senator Robert A. Taft, Bernard Baruch, Alben W. Barkley and Governor Thomas E. Dewey.

'Chicken And Chili' Contest Slated For Herald Route Boys

Approximately 35 Herald route boys have squared off for a "chicken and chili" contest.

Details of the program were outlined at the regular Thursday evening meeting of route boys at the Herald. Truman Kirk, circulation manager, explained that boys serving the eastern half of the city would vie against those in the west on service, collections, and increased readers. Winners will enjoy a chicken dinner on Feb. 10, day after the contest closes, while losers will sit across the table and dine on chili.

Gene Bledsoe, son of Mrs. C. O. Bledsoe, 207 Jefferson, is captain of the east side, and Jackie Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gilbert, 1312 Scurry, will head the west side. Speaker at the Thursday evening meeting was W. D. McNair, city editor.

Striking Miner Loses Courage, Hangs Himself

CARMICHAELS, Pa., Jan. 27. (AP)—Frank P. Starzyk, 34-year-old striking soft coal miner, brought home one day's pay for his last work at a robena mine and told his wife, Frances:

"It's a shame to bring home such a small amount of money. I'm no good to you, or to our three children, earning such a little bit of wages."

His wife tried to cheer him up but he remained depressed. Yesterday morning, Starzyk—employed by the H. C. Fricke Coal and Coke Co.—was missing from his bed.

Mrs. Starzyk found his body hanging from a basement rafter. Charles Halnes, Green County coroner, said Starzyk—a world war two veteran—had tied a rope about his neck and stepped off a barrel.

Part of Aga Khan's Jewels Recovered

MARSEILLE, France, Jan. 27. (AP)—The French news agency today said part of the half-million dollars worth of jewels stolen from the Aga Khan and his wife on the Riviera last summer have been recovered.

Nine men were arrested last week for alleged participation in the daring highway holdup last Aug. 3. Police continued seeking other members of the gang believed to have hidden the loot.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taylor, 808 Lancaster, have returned from Houston where they attended the 32nd annual convention of the Texas Hardware and Implement Association, held in the Shamrock hotel. While away, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor visited their son who is a senior at A. & M. College Station.



THEY'RE MARRIED—Drucile Snyder, 25-year-old daughter of the secretary of treasury, and Major John Earnest Horton, White House aide, who were married in Washington, are shown in front of a portrait of Secretary Snyder. Their marriage took place before 2,000 guests, headed by President and Mrs. Truman, in the Washington Cathedral. Episcopal ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Malcolm Marshall. (AP Wirephoto).

Spotlight In Film's Romance Swings To Mexico; Ingrid Silent

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 27. (AP)—The spotlight in film's great international romance between Ingrid Bergman and Roberto Rossellini swings today to Mexico.

In Juarez, just across the border from El Paso, Tex., attorneys for the Swedish actress plan to file divorce action against Dr. Peter Lindstrom, leaving her free—perhaps within a week or 10 days—to marry the Italian director with whom she fell in love on Stromboli.

Her Hollywood attorney, Greg Bautzer, gave the go-ahead to El Paso lawyers after negotiations with Dr. Lindstrom's attorney, Lawrence Brinn, in New York.

The principals—Dr. Lindstrom here, and Ingrid and Rossellini in Rome—maintained silence.

The details of the divorce were in the hands of attorney William Bergman and Roberto Rossellini divorce suit—until it was handled by Merle Oberon's case last year.

The state law of Chihuahua, in which Juarez is located, provides for a quick divorce—a week to 10 days—when both parties consent. One of the parties must establish residence in the state or else file the divorce petition by giving power of attorney to a lawyer.

Not all of the details of the divorce settlement have been agreed upon attorney Bautzer said. Presumably still up in the air is the question of custody of the Lindstroms' daughter, Pia, 11, now with her father.

Miss Bergman, now 34, and the physician, several years her senior, were married in Stockholm in 1937. Their marriage apparently was serene until she went to the volcanic island off Italy to make "Stromboli" with Rossellini, 43.

Court officials all over Chihuahua are waiting for the Ingrid Bergman divorce suit—but it hasn't shown up so far.

One report was that the members of an El Paso law firm handling the case left Texas late yesterday bound south. Efforts to find them in Chihuahua were unavailing. There were reports they had continued to Camargo, which also has a civil court.

355 Persons Plan To Attend Banquet

According to figures released by church officials this morning, 355 persons have reserved plates for the ninth annual First Baptist Birthday banquet. The affair will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the high school gymnasium.

As in former years, the plan is unchanged. Members and guests will be seated at a table with others whose birthdays occur in the same month.

There will be a brief program, featuring a novelty sketch under the direction of Mrs. Helen Mahoney. Title of the skit is "So Green The Corn." Taking a hill-billy theme, the skit is based on an old, family album belonging to Ma and Pa Tucker. Viney, Violet and Vanshli and their boy friend, Hiram Walker, as well as Minnie Pearl, will be featured on the program. There will be many others, too. Joe Pickle will serve as narrator.

Red Batteries Fire On British Freighter

TAIPEI, Formosa, Jan. 27. (AP)—Officers of the British Freighter Wingsang reported today Communist shore batteries fired on the vessel from the mainland Wednesday afternoon.

The ship was attacked at a point about 60 miles northeast of Red held Amoy as it was heading for Keelung, the port of Chinese Nationalist Taipei, from Hong Kong. Ship's officers said about 12 big shells splashed uncomfortably close to the Wingsang but caused no damage or casualties.

The Wingsang plies regularly between Hong Kong and Formosa.

Woman May Testify In Murder Trial

EASTLAND, Jan. 27. (AP)—Mrs. Elva Moad of Cisco was expected to testify today in her trial for the slaying of her estranged husband.

Yesterday the defense presented witnesses who told of beatings. Mrs. Moad suffered at the hands of her husband.

Mrs. Moad is charged with shooting to death Emory Moad last Sept. 4 when he drove to the front of Mrs. Moad's home.

Mrs. Moad's two daughters, Neola 14, Elova, 15, yesterday testified there were domestic difficulties between their parents prior to the death of Moad.

Billy Rose Robbed Of \$100,000 In Furs And Jewelry

NEW YORK, Jan. 27. (AP)—Bandits carted off a safe and furs and jewelry valued at \$100,000 last night from the fashionable east side home of Columnist and Cafe Owner Billy Rose.

Police said three men entered the four-story residence while Rose and his wife were away, tied up a Negro butler, and carried away a small safe containing the jewelry.

After Rose and his wife, the former Eleanor Holm, one-time swim champion, returned home, a check disclosed that a number of fur pieces also were taken by the robbers.

Rose said the loss might have been much greater had it not been that his wife wore much of her jewelry to a play premiere they attended last night.

He said the bandits left undisturbed a \$500,000 collection of paintings, and \$75,000 worth of antique silver.

Shivers Paying For Articles On Hospital Needs

AUSTIN, Jan. 27. (AP)—Three newspaper articles dealing with the state's hospital needs are being circulated to weekly newspapers by Gov. Allan Shivers.

The governor said he was paying for the project himself to halt possible complaints against spending state money in that matter.

The series, he said, is designed to remove confusion from the minds of many persons about the hospital problem. He said the confusion seems to exist despite what he termed "a great job" done by the newspapers in presenting the problem to the public.

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St. Joseph Aspirin for children.
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Bible School 10 A. M.
Morning Services 11 A. M.
Evening Services 7:30 P. M.
Mid-Week Services Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.
EVERYONE WELCOME

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Morning service broadcast over KTXC.

EAST FOURTH BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Praying Union 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
JAMES S. PARKS, Pastor
Mrs. H. M. Jarratt, Pianist, Billy Rude, Educational Director
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If you are overweight and want to take off extra fat, just go to your drugstore and ask for four ounces of **DOLBY**.
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CHIMP INTRODUCED TO BANANA SPLIT—Pierre, a bespectacled chimpanzee who's trying to make a name for himself in the movies, is introduced to the banana split by comedian Jerry Lewis, a fellow Hollywood actor. Top, Pierre is only mildly interested as Lewis takes a spoonful of banana and strawberry. Center, he decided it's worth a closer look. Bottom, our chimp takes a taste with a bit of urging from Lewis. P. 5.—A minute later Pierre gobbled a whole one without even using his hands. (AP Wirephoto).

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—Adm. Forrest P. Sherman was sworn in today as chief of navy operations.



GETS LIFE IMPRISONMENT—Sam Smithwick, former Jim Wells Deputy Sheriff of Alice, Tex., leaves the courtroom in Belton, Tex., after a jury found him guilty of murder with malice aforethought and assessed a sentence of life imprisonment for the pistol slaying of W. H. (Bill) Mason of Alice last July 29. (AP Wirephoto).

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C-54 Missing In Alaska With 44 Persons Aboard

EDMONTON, Alta., Jan. 27. (AP)—A United States Air Force C-54 with 36 passengers and eight crew members aboard has been unheard from since yesterday, RCAF officials announced today. The four-engine plane was en route from Elmendorf Field at Anchorage, Alaska, to Great Falls, Mont., and last reported its position at 5:09 p. m. (CST) over Snag, Yukon territory. Snag is 1,300 miles northwest of Edmonton. RCAF said a sweep would be made today at Amber Airway No. 2 from Northway, Alaska, to Fort Nelson, B. C., covering an area of 20 miles on either side of the air route. The language of each country's agreement varies, but the main commitments are identical. These provide that all countries will pool their defense plans to defend western Europe against any attack and that no arms furnished them will be turned over to any other nation "without the prior consent" of the United States.

Poll Tax Deadline Close With 3,000 Payments Lacking

Howard County voters moved near the poll tax deadline today with possibly 3,000 needing to pre-empt their right to vote in 1950. Totals of exemptions and poll tax receipts stood Friday morning at 5,191, which was 25 behind the comparable date of the last "on" year in 1948. Considering that there has been a substantial increase in population, the loss was accentuated. Civic leaders urged heavy payments in the remaining three days before the deadline falls. They may be secured at the tax collector's office in the courthouse, or all day Saturday, Monday and Tuesday in sub-stations in the lobbies of the Settles and Douglas hotels. Deputies are on duty at those points under a plan sponsored by the Jaycees to encourage voter qualification. There were other reasons, too, for maximum representation. One was the determining of state senatorial district. Another was the fact that counties with large potential votes command more attention. Those who come 21 during the year and who will be 21 by the time of the election in which they participate are entitled to exemptions. So are those who attained their 60th birthday before this year. An exemption for the over-age voters inside the corporate limits of Big Spring is obligatory same as for poll tax receipts for those from 21 to 60.

Rites For Victim Of Asphyxiation Set Saturday At Odessa

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Sales Volume Still Below Last Year

NEW YORK, Jan. 27. (AP)—The dollar volume of retail trade this week continued to run below a year ago, Dun & Bradstreet reported today, although spending picked up on a week-to-week basis. On a nationwide basis, the dollar volume of sales was estimated at 1 to 5 per cent under a year ago. Percentage changes by regions from last year include Southwest, unchanged to down 4.

ONLY 3 DAYS LEFT In Which To Pay Your POLL TAX Or Secure An Exemption Certificate

The Score: Poll taxes to date 4265 Exemptions 926 Totals to date 5191 Totals in 1949 5216

Coal Operators Will Talk Contract With Lewis On Wednesday

France Urged To Modify Its Saar Proposal

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—The United States was reported today to be urging France to modify its proposal for leasing the Saar coal mines in order to head off the danger of a political crisis in western Europe.

The main American suggestion is said to be that if the French government insists on going ahead, it should make the contract subject to future German peace treaty provisions.

American officials said today that unless the Bonn and Paris Governments can resolve the problem all the plans for western European unity will be gravely endangered. The Saar has been a sore point in French-German relations for more than a century. The present argument arose over a recent proposal on the French to lease the coal mines for 50 years.

The French occupy the Saar and by agreement with the United States and Britain have detached it from their zone of Germany. Its economy is joined to that of France and it has a government independent of the West German Government.

The three-power agreement under which France detached the Saar from Germany provided that the eventual status of the area would be fixed by the German peace treaty.

Seizing on the lease controversy, some German political spokesmen have recently sought to make the Saar a rallying point for German nationalism by insisting that it must be returned to Germany.

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Variety Program To Be Presented Here Today In Polio Fund Drive

Young artists will add their talents to the polio campaign fund drive at 7:30 p. m. today, presenting a variety program of free entertainment in the city auditorium. Vocal and instrumental music, along with pantomime, will be featured on the fast moving program. Terry Ryan is to be the emcee. The program is primarily informational. For those who wish to contribute to the March of Dimes campaign, there will be containers at the door for donations. Among those on the program will be Eddie Long, a precision pantomimist in black-face of Al Jolson; Larry Evans, young musician who will be at the concert grand; an old-fashioned barber-shop quartet; and the Melody Maids. The latter group is composed of Anita Forrest, Peggy Carter, Joanne Touchstone, Shirlene Walker, Darlen Coulter, and Dolores Sheats, directed and accompanied by Mary Jane Hamilton. A brief talk on the need of support of the March of Dimes campaign will be given by the Rev. Cecil Hardaway, Wesley Methodist minister. The public is urged to hear the young entertainers and to learn about the Howard county chapter's appeal for \$8,000. This amount is needed to refund a \$7,360 emergency advance from the national foundation in the wake of a record-breaking case last year, and also to provide for cases that might arise this year. Saturday evening, the American Legion is sponsoring a dance at the Legion hut as a benefit March of Dimes affair.



WANTED HER LOVE, GUBITCHEV DEFENSE—Judith Coplon, former Justice Department employe, holds up her head as she arrives at Federal Court house in New York for her espionage-conspiracy trial with Valentin A. Gubitchev, Russian engineer, in opening Gubitchev's defense, his attorney, Abraham L. Pomerantz, said his client's behavior at the time of his arrest with Judith was not that of a spy but of a "crazy man wanting desperately to be with a woman." (AP Wirephoto).

Solons Seek 40-hr. Week

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—Congressmen already get pensions when they retire. Now they are talking wistfully of getting a 40-hour week while they work.

The matter came up at the hearing the Senate-House Economic Committee is holding in its study of the price of steel.

Alva Phelps, president of the Oliver Corp., a Chicago farm equipment company, was explaining how the steel increase affected his business.

Rep. Rich (R-Pa.) was doing the questioning. Suddenly Rich asked: "How many hours do you put in each day?"

"We put in a 40-hour week in the office, just the same as they do in the plant," Phelps said.

"First time I ever heard of an executive who could get by on eight hours a day," said Rich, who runs a woolen mill in addition to his duties as a congressman.

"I have always felt, congressman, that eight hours was about all a man could work—if he worked efficiently," Phelps said.

Senator Flanders (R-Vt.), cut in to say: "I think senators and representatives would do a better job if they worked a 40-hour week."

Chairman O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) chimed in with: "I think that's true. Of course, here in Congress it's . . . Phelps nodded. "You understand," he said, "I said, if he worked efficiently."

13 Killed by Blast

ST. ELOY, France, Jan. 27. (AP)—A violent underground blast killed 13 coal miners yesterday and sent 20 others to the hospital with gas poisoning.

Court To Hear Charges Against Czar Meanwhile

Mine Chieftain Is Accused of Unfair Labor Practices

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27. (AP)—Northern and western coal operators agreed today to start new contract negotiations with John L. Lewis Wednesday but held out for an hour late enough to let a court hear unfair labor practices charges against Lewis before the bargaining begins.

They suggested a meeting at 1 p. m. (CST). Lewis had proposed renewal of contract negotiations next Wednesday at 9 o'clock—the same hour when the United Mine Workers are due in court to answer a petition of General Counsel Robert N. Denham of the National Labor Relations Board.

Denham contends that Lewis has not been bargaining in good faith and has asked the court to order an end to production-stopping tactics on grounds they are "unfair" labor practices.

Frank Amos, chairman of the North-West negotiating committee, wired Lewis of his acceptance of the proposal for talks Wednesday, without qualification except to change the hour of the proposed session.

At the capitol, meantime, the Senate Labor Committee pigeonholed a resolution by eight Republican senators asking that President Truman invoke the Taft-Hartley Act to restore full coal production.

A motion to postpone action indefinitely was approved 6-2. Sen. Alben (R-Vt.), who was on the losing side, said the decision amounted to killing the resolution.

But Sen. Elbert D. Thomas (D-Utah), the committee chairman, and Humphrey (D-Minn.) disagreed. They said it did not necessarily mean there would be no action at some time in the future.

The motion to postpone action indefinitely was offered by Humphrey as a substitute to a motion by Sen. Donnell (R-Mo.) that the committee approve the resolution.

Humphrey argued that action should be deferred because "negotiations are underway" looking toward a settlement of the coal dispute.

Maneuvers toward that possibility are underway. Their results may be to get soft coal workers back to work, at least part time, and perhaps help John L. Lewis in his legal complications.

Six Die in Crash

BESANCON, France, Jan. 27. (AP)—Six persons were killed and 15 others injured last night when two trains crashed into each other near here.

Deathless Days 779 In Big Spring Traffic



MACARTHUR REVIEWS TROOPS ON 70TH BIRTHDAY—Gen. Douglas MacArthur (second from right), supreme allied commander in Japan, reviews an honor guard outside the American embassy in Tokyo on his 70th birthday. Capt. Kenneth G. Groom, commander of the honor guard, is in right. (AP Wirephoto from Department of Defense radio from Tokyo).

EXECUTIVE BOARD PRESENTS REBUTTAL

WTCC Works Program Stoutly Defended At Abilene Meeting

A joint meeting of the West Texas Domestic Water association and West Texas Chamber of Commerce directors in Abilene turned into a dress rehearsal for defense of the WTCC works program for 1950.

In an executive session during the afternoon, executive board of the WTCC issued a statement reiterating that its 1950 program "is one of the most constructive regional work programs ever presented to any organization anywhere."

This obviously was in rebuttal to a resolution adopted recently by the executive board of the Chamber of Commerce Managers Association of West Texas here. The CCMAWT had declared that the program "is not in keeping with needs and growth of the development of West Texas."

Thursday morning some 30 West Texans heard Harry P. Burleigh, Austin, state planning engineer for the bureau of reclamation, outline work done on basic studies for municipal water supplies in West Texas. This session was in charge of Homer Grant, Lubbock, head of the West Texas Domestic Water association. It also developed warnings from Homer Hunter, Dallas that West Texans need to be alert to any discriminatory water code revision for the state. He lauded the WTCC for resisting changes at the last session of the legislature.

At a luncheon in the Windsor hotel, brief reference was made to the works program by Jim Wilson, Floydada, WTCC president. He termed it a great program and challenged "anyone to show me differently." Otherwise the session dealt with a prospectus by various committee heads. One exception was a spontaneous endorsement of the 27 1/2 per cent depletion allowance for oil wells after the matter had been brought up on a question by R. T. Piner, Big Spring.

The Abilene meeting Thursday reportedly discussed recent WTCC staff rearrangements. Max Bentley and L. A. Wilke of the staff resigned. D. A. Barden is the long-time manager of the regional agency. The director statement stressed the program and did not engage in personalities.

"Every item on the WTCC 1950 work program is in accordance with the will of our membership and has been overwhelmingly approved by the constituted voting authority of the organization, attested to by the fact that our January membership receipts have been the highest in the history of the organization," the WTCC directors declared.

They asserted that "soil and water conservation, farm-to-market roads, industrial development, municipal water supply parity in freight rates, parity in tax payments and benefits, parity for our educational institutions, parity in agricultural allotments and benefits, industrial research, etc., as called for in our work program are 'in keeping with the needs and development of West Texas.'"

"We respectfully declare ourselves to a policy of developing and strengthening our organization as a regional body for maximum aid to local communities on problems beyond the scope of local chambers and not interfering in strictly local affairs," the board's statement added.

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