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Baptist 'Man And Boy Movement' Originator Speaks Here Tuesday

An experience with a lad led him to the conclusion that getting boys into Sunday School was something that "men could and would do" in the field of evangelism, Ivy Boggs, Dallas, told the First Baptist Brotherhood Tuesday evening.

Boggs, originator of the "Man and Boy Movement" adopted by Southern Baptist laymen, issued a stirring appeal for evangelism. "No Christian church has any right to exist unless it is evangelistic," he told approximately 70 laymen from the First Baptist, East Fort Worth Baptist and Air Baptist Churches.

He recalled instances where interesting of boys not heretofore in Sunday School had resulted in entire families being converted. Missions, he continued, do not have to be "foreign" altogether.

"Not long ago people from 41 states wrote advice to a farmer in

Finn Regime Imperilled By Union Battle

HELSINKI, Finland, Jan. 4 (AP) — Premier Karl-August Fagerholm's government, harassed by Russian charges of peace treaty violation, today faced an additional battle for its life over trade union demands for a general wage increase.

A trade union federation heaped more trouble on the social democratic government of this tiny Baltic country with a demand for a 10 per cent general wage raise.

A special session of parliament has been called to discuss the wage question. Fagerholm is expected to support the trade union demands, but rightist parties oppose them. The session, demanded by the rightists despite Fagerholm's opposition, is expected to begin Jan. 10.

The Agrarians, strongest party of the rightists, threaten Fagerholm's leadership. His Social Democrat Party holds only 54 seats in the 200-member parliament.

If Fagerholm is defeated in parliament on the wage issue a caretaker cabinet will be appointed until after the next presidential elections Feb. 15.

The Social Democratic candidate is the current president, Juho Paasikivi. Strongly opposing him is the rightist Agrarian candidate Dr. Urho Kekkonen.

Hogan Is Back, Says Golf Ace

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 4 (AP) — Take it from Cary Middlecoff, the National Open champion from Memphis, Ben Hogan will make a successful come-back in golf.

Like the man said about Joe Louis—he isn't coming back, he's already back — Middlecoff had much the same thought about Hogan.

Bantam Ben announced that he'll start his come-back in the Los Angeles Open this week end. It's an event he's won three times.

Middlecoff, at a sports luncheon, said he wouldn't predict a Hogan victory in the Los Angeles Tournament, and it might be that Hogan won't be the consistent winner that he was before a near-fatal auto accident last February put him on the shelf.

"But Hogan is a miracle man," said Middlecoff. "I played a round with him several days ago. He pinned out rare birds."

Middlecoff added: "Sam Snead and some of the rest of us have been doing fine with Hogan gone. I guess we got a little big headed. But not anymore. We'll be looking back over our shoulder again with Hogan in the field. Ben ran Sam home once—he'll do it again."

Ninety players qualified on local courses for the tourney yesterday, including such topnotchers as Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo.; Joe Kirkwood, Jr., of Hollywood; Ed (Forky) Oliver, Seattle, and Ed Furgol, Detroit.

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Announcement of the transaction was made simultaneously by Roy W. Howard, president and editor of the World-Telegram, a Scripps-Howard newspaper, and Thomas W. Dewart, president and publisher of the Sun.

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Doctor Is Indicted In 'Mercy Killing'

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 4 (AP)—A popular young country doctor was under indictment today on a first degree murder charge in the mercy killing of an incurable cancer patient.

The Hillsboro County grand jury returned the indictment late yesterday against Dr. Hezeman N. Sander, 40, father of three children. In the death of Mrs. Abbie Borroto, 59, wife of a Manchester oil salesman.

Political Calendar

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to action of the Democratic committee.

For District Attorney: CHARLES BULLIVANT
For District Clerk: EDWARD CHAPMAN
For County Judge: EDWARD GILLIAM
For Sheriff: EDWARD GILLIAM
For County Attorney: MACK RODGERS
For Commissioner, Prec. 1: R. E. (Pancake) WALL
For Justice of Peace, Prec. 11: W. D. (Cotton) LEONARD

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF HOWARD
 GREETING:
 You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 30 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday the 30th day of February A. D. 1950, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Howard County, at the Court House in Big Spring, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 30th day of December, 1949, in the County of Howard, Texas, and is captioned as follows: "Valms Lee Caldwell and Plaintiff, vs. James Claude Caldwell and Defendant."

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows: To wit: Plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has been for more than one year; and has been a resident of Howard County for more than six months; Plaintiff and Defendant were married October 16, 1948, and separated February 5, 1949, because of the course of conduct of the Defendant was of such a cruel nature as to render Plaintiff's living with Defendant unbearable and insupportable. Plaintiff prays for a divorce and restoration of her former name as Plaintiff, Valms Lee Caldwell, as Plaintiff, and James Claude Caldwell as Defendant.

If this citation is not served within 30 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unexecuted. Witness my hand and seal of said Court, the 3rd day of January A. D. 1950.

GEO. C. CHAPMAN, Clerk, District Court, Howard County, Texas (SEAL)

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New Wildcat Is Located North Of Vealmoor

A wildcat location a mile north of Vealmoor was announced today. It will be the Seaboard Oil Corp. at No. 1 Porter Hanks, 660 feet from the north and 1,890 from the west lines of the section 19-32-3n, T&P. This places it a mile and three-quarters northwest of the nearest production in the Vealmoor pool.

The state charges the air, injected into the veins, hastened the end of the cancer-ridden patient as she lay near death Dec. 4 at Hillsboro County Hospital in Gettstown. The doctor's hospital report contained a notation of the air injections.

The jury deliberated three hours before returning its report to Superior Court Judge Harold E. Westcott.

Judge Westcott set arraignment for tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Court officials said it is possible the doctor may go on trial at the present session which sits until March.

The penalty for first degree murder is death by hanging or life imprisonment at the discretion of the jury.

The indictment charged specifically that Dr. Sander injected "10 cubic centimeters of air four times in close succession, air knowing the said air injection to be sufficient to cause death."

Authorities quoted experts as saying that air clogs the passage of blood through the heart and, given in sufficient quantities, causes death.

Dr. Sander, under instruction of counsel, remained tight-lipped after receiving word of the indictment. A member of the legal firm handling his case said, however, that he was "greatly saddened by the news."

Reginald Borroto, husband of the dead woman, said he and his daughter were "terribly saddened" upon hearing of the indictment. Earlier, he had described Dr. Sander as "a great physician."

Food Price Index Shows Advance
 NEW YORK, Jan. 4 (AP)—The Dun & Bradstreet wholesale food price index this week advanced one cent from a week ago to 5.73, and was 6.4 per cent below the year-ago level of 6.12.

The figure represents the total cost of wholesale of a pound each of 31 foods in general use.

NEW TAXES

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issue in the 1950 congressional campaigns.

Important 1949 items left out this time included: References to a need for anti-inflation controls, a call for universal military training, and specific mention of a tax boost figure. A year ago Mr. Truman asked — but never got — a \$4 billion tax increase.

Last January he reported the state of the Union was good. This time he said he was happy to report it continues to be good.

Mr. Truman declared: "If our productive power continues to increase at the same rate as it has increased for the past 50 years, our total national production 50 years from now will be nearly four times as much as it is today."

"Allowing for the expected growth in population," Mr. Truman went on, "this would mean that the real income of the average family in the year 2,000 A. D. would be about three times what it is today."

Government economists said the "real income" of the average family in terms of purchasing power is estimated at \$4,200, compared with \$3,400 in 1941 and \$2,900 in 1935-36. The estimate, based on the 1948 dollar, would give the average American family 50 years from now, under Mr. Truman's vision, a "real income" of close to \$12,000 annually.

Discussing the global situation, the President declared the free world must remain on guard against the danger that earnest demands for a better life "may be corrupted and betrayed by the premises of communism... in its ruthless struggle for power."

The United States, he said, has prevented the collapse of most of Europe and the Mediterranean area "under totalitarian pressure" and strengthened the foundations "of peace and freedom, abroad and at home."

Mr. Truman expressed confidence that America will master the global challenge of communism "at this critical point in world history."

He had a challenge, too, for those who work against his civil rights program. He proposed that southern Democrats abandon their plans for a filibuster against such things as a fair employment practices act, an anti-lynching bill and other measures aimed at outlawing discrimination against Negroes and other minorities.

"Those who oppose them, as well as those who favor them, should recognize that it is the duty of the elected representatives of the people to let these proposals come to a vote," the President declared.

U. S. Is Not Creating Jobs Enough--Sawyer

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (AP)—The nation is failing to create enough jobs for its fast-growing population.

So says Secretary of Commerce Sawyer in summing up the 1949 job situation.

Sawyer pointed out that the average 38,700,000 employed last year was higher than any other year in history, only slightly under the 1948 record.

However, he said there was an average of 3,400,000 unemployed in 1949. This was a big jump from the average 2,100,000 jobless in 1947 and 1948.

The answer, Sawyer said, is that new people are entering the labor force, looking for jobs, at a greater rate than the number of jobs are being created. The secretary put it this way: "The labor force has continued to expand in 1949 with the growth of the country's population, but employment opportunities have not kept pace."

Sawyer's comments were made yesterday in connection with Census Bureau employment figures for December. They showed total civilian employment for the month at 38,556,000.

Farm employment declined seasonally 1,105,000, but non-farm employment rose 143,000, leaving 962,000 fewer employed in December than in November. The unemployed in December numbered 3,489,000.

City Radio Hams Discuss Getting Further Equipment
 Plans for obtaining further equipment which might be needed in event emergency communications networks were established were discussed at this week's meeting of the Big Spring Amateur Radio Club.

The club has both portable and stationary equipment for use if normal communication facilities were knocked out. The hams hope to arrange for telephone communication to the radio shack, and also want to have assurance of transportation—small truck or pickup—in times of emergency.

The club received one new member, B. R. Fletcher. Members present, H. T. Walton, Terry Walton, Mel Boatman, Andy Jones, Maurice Rupp, Billy Plaw, Tony Jacob, Leonard Lyon, Jesse Lovett, Al Thompson and Sid Campbell.

Rites For Grissam Set Today Here

Funeral for Earnest Lee Grissam, who died Monday at Salem, N. M. where he moved four years ago, was to be held at 4 p. m. today at Eberly chapel.

The Rev. Cecil Rhodes, West Side Baptist pastor, will officiate, and burial was to be in the city cemetery. Pallbearers were to be Claude Hendrix, Ray McNew, Odis Williams, Ray Franklin, J. K. Hopper and Oscar Heenderon.

Services for Cole Infant Set Thursday

Services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at Nalley chapel for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Clint Cole. The baby was stillborn Wednesday.

The Rev. Warren Stowe, Airport Baptist pastor, will officiate and burial will be in the city cemetery.

IN NUT SHELL

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District of Columbia.

DISPLACED PERSONS — "Extend and broaden the existing displaced persons law and remove its discriminatory features."

TAXES — "Make some changes in our tax system which will reduce present inequities, stimulate business activity, and yield a moderate amount of additional revenue." The President promised specific recommendations "at an early date."

SECRET ORDERS GUARDED State Dept. Silent On Formosa Policy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (AP)—The State Department stood fast today against congressional efforts to ferret out the secret instructions on Formosa policy it sent to Far East diplomats last month.

Sen. Knowland (R-Calif.) said Undersecretary of State Webb had rejected his request for a look at the document. Knowland is demanding a copy for study by the Senate Appropriations and Armed Services Committees.

The Californian was told these instructions were "classified"—that is, secret—and had been drafted only as confidential advice to U. S. officials abroad.

Knowland said he understands the documents puts the State Department in the position of having decided already that Formosa must not be defended by the United States. In it, he said, U. S. officials were told that they must prepare public opinion for the "inevitable fall" of the island.

Formosa lies about 100 miles off the China coast and is the last stronghold of Chiang Kai-Shek's Nationalist forces.

Former President Herbert Hoover and Sen. Taft of Ohio, Republican leader, both have urged that the United States use military power if necessary to defend Formosa from attack.

And Gen. Douglas MacArthur, supreme allied commander in Japan, is said to favor U. S. action to keep Formosa out of the hands of the Chinese Communists. Senators who have talked to MacArthur say he believes Formosa is vital to America's Far East defensive line.

Garden City High Accepted Into Dixie Association
 GARDEN CITY, Jan. 4 (AP)—C. G. Parsons, superintendent, has been notified that the Garden City high school has been approved for membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

The action resulted at the association's meeting in December in Houston. Few schools in Texas of comparable size with Garden City have been accepted into full membership.

This and other matters will be presented to the board of trustees at its next meeting on Monday at 9:30 a. m. Lloyd Ponder, Midland, is to meet with the board and present engineering data on building of a new football field and reconditioning of the gymnasium.

Following the board meeting, members will be feted to a luncheon served by members of the homecoming department, under the direction of Mrs. James Renfro.

Kelley Files First Entry In Sheriff's Posse Futurity

M. H. Kelley of Big Spring filed the first entry in the 1950 Sheriff's Posse Futurity Tuesday.

Kelley entered Wonder Boy, a two-year-old bred by Tom Elrod of Odessa, Johnny Ray Dillard, Futurity secretary, announced. Requests for information on Texas' largest race of its kind indicate that colts from at least seven states will be entered prior to the Jan. 15 deadline.

Futurity officials have received letters from horse breeders in Oregon, Arizona, Oklahoma, Kentucky, Louisiana, New Mexico and California. Dillard said. All correspondents were contemplating entering two-year-olds in the Futurity.

Finals for the 1950 race will be held April 23, following trials on April 16.

Former Resident Of City Dies Here

Daisy Hayes, 38, former Big Spring resident, died in a hospital here at 8 p. m. Tuesday following a long illness.

She had been hospitalized for approximately six weeks.

The body will be taken overland by Nalley Funeral home to Vera, Texas with the Rev. Howard Hollowell, Midland, officiating. Time is pending weather developments.

Miss Hayes was associated with the Settles Beauty shop here for several years. More recently she had been making her home in Midland with her sister, Mrs. Ray Godfrey.

Besides Mrs. Godfrey, she leaves two other sisters, Mrs. H. D. Bady, George, Mrs. Ailya Laws, Vera; and three brothers, Jack Hayes, Duane, Bill Hayes and S. A. Hayes, Vera.

Buffalo Trail Scout Membership Largest In Council History

The Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America ended the year 1949 with the largest membership in its history. It was announced today by P. V. Thorson, council executive.

At the close of the year there was a total registered membership of 5,050 as compared with 4,175 at the close of 1948.

The membership is composed of 1,511 Cub Scouts, 1,870 Boy Scouts, 258 Explorer Scouts and 1,311 leaders. A total of 2,883 new boy members were registered during the year. The grand total boy membership served through the 12-month period was 5,778. The grand total membership of boys and leaders during the year was 7,943.

Council covers the 17 West Texas counties of Kent, Stonewall, Nolan, Fisher, Scurry, Mitchell, Sterling, Glasscock, Howard, Martin, Midland, Ector, Andrews, Ward, Reeves, Loving and Winkler.

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Stamps Funeral Rites Set Today

Last rites were to be said at 2 p. m. today at the Eberly chapel for Myrtle Ann Stamps, 71 sister of Bob Stamps, 205 W. 5th.

Miss Stamps succumbed Monday morning following a heart attack. Born in Estill Springs, Tenn., she came here in 1931 to make her home with her brother, a retired T&P trainman. She had been active in WMU and other affairs of the Baptist church.

Dr. P. D. O'Brien, First Baptist pastor, was to officiate. Burial was to be in the city cemetery with A. P. Clayton, Ernest Deason, L. Y. Moore, Lou Griffith, Bill Yates, Andy Crews, Eddie Watts and F. W. Bettie as pallbearers.

Poll Tax Sales Increasing Here

Sale of poll taxes and granting of vote exemptions are inching slowly forward. Tax Collector-Assessor Bernie Freeman said this morning.

As of this morning, a total of 1,199 polls and 445 exemptions had been distributed by Freeman's agency.

Persons have until Jan. 31 to obtain voting certificates.

Morgan Returns to Base After Visit

Ensign W. T. Morgan has returned to his base at Pensacola, Fla., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morgan, here over the holidays.

Mary Beth Morgan, also home for Christmas and New Year's, has returned to classes at McMurry college in Abilene.

Meeting of Scout Leaders Postponed

Regular meeting of the Big Spring district for Boy Scout leaders and district committeemen, set for Thursday, has been postponed until Feb. 2.

The January attendance is being passed in order to concentrate up on attendance for the annual council meeting in Midland on Jan. 19, and to permit time for organization of the committee and the work for the year 1950.

WEATHER

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Continued cold and partly cloudy this afternoon and evening. Thursday, fair and warmer in afternoon.

High today 31, low tonight 18, high tomorrow 31.

Highest temperature this date, 39 in 1911; lowest fair date, 41 in 1947; greatest rain this date, 2.66 in 1920.

WEST TEXAS: Continued very cold in Pecosdale and red river country this afternoon with a few snow flurries. Generally fair and very cold today with heavy ice accumulations below to 3 above zero in Pecosdale and South Plains. High in 19 above zero, low in 16 below zero. In Del Norte, Eagle Pass area, Thursday fair and not quite so cold as today.

TEMPERATURES

CITY	Max	Min
Big Spring	28	15
Abilene	28	15
Chico	28	15
Del Norte	28	15
Del Rio	28	15
El Paso	28	15
Fort Worth	28	15
Houston	28	15
San Antonio	28	15
St. Louis	28	15
Wichita	28	15

Temp. here at 7:47 a. m. Precipitation last 24 hours, none.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Building Permits
 W. W. Ogil to construct duplex at 889-9th St., \$1,500.
 Roy P. Hill to construct residence at 111 Elmore Street, \$2,000.
 E. P. Frazier to move building through city, \$1,000.
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I'LL BET YOU A SODA THAT I CAN.

O.K.

MEAD'S fine BREAD

LIL' ABNER

I HAD TO STOP SPREADING KISSES AROUND. THEY DID TOO MANY PEOPLE TOO MUCH HARM!

ALL KISSIES DOES IS STOP FIGHTING. HOW COULD THEY DO ANY HARM?

HAVE YOU EVER REALIZED HOW MANY PEOPLE HAVE A BEAUTIFUL LIVING FROM OTHER PEOPLE'S FIGHTS?

LAWYERS WERE STARVING TO DEATH— GENERALS WERE BEING LAID OFF BY THE DOZEN— THE BANKS AND LUMBER INDUSTRY WENT BANKRUPT!

FRY MAN— HIDE IT! THAT'S BAR!

MEANWHILE IN THE VEST VULTS BELOW— MILLIONS OF KISSIES ARE GOING MAD FROM LACK OF AFFECTION!

Oh! sob!— if only there was a size in loaf inside that!

I'm going STIR-CRAZY!— I can't stand this any longer!— every bone in my body is aching for a KICK!

BLONDIE

HOW MUCH WILL IT COST TO TAKE HER OUT?

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THAT'LL COME TO \$1.50.

MAKE IT \$2.00— THEN I'LL BE SURE.

ALL I COULD GET OUT OF YOUR ALLOWANCE WAS \$1.50.

WHY DON'T YOU USE SOME OF THE MONEY YOU KEPT OUT OF YOUR ALLOWANCE?

DO YOU THINK I'M DUMB ENOUGH TO SPEND MONEY ON GIRLS?

ANNIE ROONEY

YOU WANNA JOB AS DISHWASHER? ARE YOU KIDDIN' ME? YOU AINT BIG ENOUGH.

HONEST, MISTER— I'M BIGGER THAN I LOOK.

I CAN'T LIFT GREAT BIG IRON POTS, BUT I'M A PROFESSIONAL DISHWASHER, AN'—

BEAT IT!

SHH— I HEARD TENDER-HEARTED TOM GIVIN' YOU THE BRUSH-OFF— GO 'ROUND TO THE BACK DOOR—

NO HOME— NO DOUGH— NO JOB— TOO YOUNG TO WORK BUT NOT TOO YOUNG TO STARVE— COME INTO THE KITCHEN— MAYBE WE CAN FIGGER OUT SO' ETHIN'.

Mead's Fine Buttermilk Bread

SCORCHY SMITH

YOU SAY SOMETHING'S PUSHLING YOU? ABOUT HAHM AL ZOOZ?

...ABOUT THAT COLLISION! BOTH YOU AND THE PERFECT SAW ME BURN HIS CAR. BUT I DON'T REMEMBER IT AT ALL! I ONLY RECALL WRITING THE HAHM! AND WHEN I LEFT MY PARKED CAR HAD A TWISTED FENDER.

AND YOU DON'T REMEMBER RACING TO THE AIRPORT TO SHIP A PRINCE TO YOUR FATHER ON THE 2:30 SUGAR PLANE?

PRINCE TO MY FATHER? NOT THAT DAY! WHAT WAS IN IT?

—A THEE BONG!

SNUFFY SMITH

SNUFFY— I'M VORE PAPPY AN' VE GOT TO GIT ME OUTIN THIS INFUNNEL ORILHOUSE!

TH' ONLIEST WAY I KNOW IS TO DIG VORE WAY OUT, PAPPY.

FER A DOLLER BILL I'LL SNEAK VE A SHOVEL.

A DOLLER BILL?? WHY, VE BACKBITIN' URMINT!!

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GET YOU'D LIKE TO MEET MY RM. "STRENGTH" WOULDN'T YOU!

SEE TO LIVE TO SEE YOUR HORSE!

—HORSE?? I WANT BUT NOT A HORSE.

DICKIE DARE

FOLKS, A NATIVE FISHERMAN WAS LOOKING FOR LAND CRAB ON THIS ISLAND NOT SO LONG AGO—

HE FOUND A LONG BRASS TUBE PARTLY UNCOVERED— INSIDE WAS A MAP SHOWING WHERE CAPTAIN "WILL KILL'S" TREASURE WAS BURIED—

WE HEARD OF IT— BOUGHT IT FOR A LARGE SUM— EXPERTS CALL IT GENUINE—

BRING IT ON "EYESY!"

DAN, D'YOU SPOSE THIS MAP COULD BE A FAKE?

IF SO, IT'S SUCH A GOOD FAKE THAT I'VE COME TO BELIEVE IN IT!

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OAKIE DOAKS

J-JUMPI' JIMINY! WHAT A SWORD! YEA, VERILY!

BUT WHY DID YA HIDE IT IN THIS TREE?

BECAUSE IT IRKETH MY GOOD WIFE, MATILDA, TO HAVE IT IN THE HOUSE!

WHENEVER SHE CAMEST AT ME WITH A SKILLET OR ROLLING-PIN, TWOULD LEAP FROM ITS SCABBARD AND—

GEE— G-GOSH!

YET SHOULDST SHE COME HITHER IT WOULDST BE BEST IF I GOEST HENCE— AND HOW!

GRIN AND BEAR IT

enjoy after every meal

HERALD RADIO LOG

WEDNESDAY EVENING

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Weight
- Scanty
- Pair
- Cudgel
- Music drama
- Thin narrow inlet
- Silk worm
- Revol
- Interested
- Material for caulking seams
- Flood
- In Asia war
- Form of greeting
- Drills
- Hebrew letter
- Widened
- Sail from door to door

DOWN

- The heart
- Monkey
- Spring back after striking
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- Address
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- Footless animal
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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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WHY OF COURSE! IT'S MUCH MORE FUN BEING TWINS THAN SINGLE PEOPLE—

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Tarheels Lose But Take Home Record Loot

By WILL GRIMSLEY AP Staff

NEW YORK, Jan. 4. — North Carolina lost the game but took home the fattest wad of cash of all from Monday's bowl football games.

On the other hand, Ohio State, which won the day's greatest thriller before the largest crowd in the richest and oldest of the post-season fixtures, barely made expenses — if at all.

The Tar Heels, beaten 27-13 by Rice in the Cotton Bowl, were handed a check for \$125,951.95, all for themselves.

Ohio's Buckeyes, victors over California, 17-14, on Jimmy Hague's last gasp field goal in the Rose Bowl, figure to collect a mere \$30,000. The losers will net in the vicinity of \$60,000.

These are just a couple of the quorks that popped up in carving the \$2,600,000 bowl melon.

The non-profit Cotton Bowl announced record gross receipts of \$37,412.80 which resulted in the lucrative checks to the principals.

Rice's Owls received \$125,951.95, just as North Carolina, but had to kick back 25 per cent of it to the Southwest Conference. This left the Owls \$94,463.95.

Rose Bowl auditors still are in the process of counting the change from the Pasadena classic but expect at least \$400,000 from tickets, concessions commitments and so forth.

From this, each of the two conferences involved — the Pacific Coast and Big Ten — stands to get \$185,000.

It's in the division of these spoils that Ohio State comes out with the shortest end of the purse of any team that played in the major bowls.

The Big Ten takes the money and carves it up 11 ways, two of the shares going to the competing institution. Another share — one eleventh, that is — goes to the commissioner's office.

One share goes to each of the other members of the conference.

The Sugar Bowl also is working on its books but is counting on a gross of around \$400,000. The competing teams, Oklahoma and Louisiana State, would receive approximately \$120,000 each.

The Sooners, who trounced LSU, 35-0, must donate \$27,000 of its take to the Big Seven Conference, leaving them \$93,000 if the \$120,000 estimate holds up.

LSU can keep the major portion of its check, having to fork over only a nominal sum to the Southeastern Conference.

The Orange Bowl simplifies matters by guaranteeing the principals a flat \$75,000 each. In this case it goes to Santa Clara and Kentucky. The gross was around \$325,000.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Autry Burk, because of his fleetness of foot, may be converted by Big Spring high from a guard into a back before next football season rolls around.

Burk played with the B string last fall, will probably be a regular next Autumn anywhere the coaches choose to place him. The Steers seem to have a wealth of guards, but a shortage of backs. So Burk is apt to get his chance to strut his stuff in the secondary.

He's up around 145 pounds now, should approach 185 or 190 pounds by next fall.

It appears now that Dub Day and Loy Carroll will be the lads who man the guard posts for the Longhorns. Both were with the B team last fall. Day has put on some ten pounds since last season, could still use about ten or 15 pounds.

The players themselves are counting on Bobby Gross and Bobby Wheeler to be standout backs next season. Gross made terrific strides last season, should shine both on offense and defense this year. Wheeler was used principally on defense last season but will get a chance on offense as well in the campaign ahead.

The Steers will probably start spring drills around the final week in February. Most of them will also come out for track.

RUSTY RUSSELL CONSIDERED BY COUGARS

Rusty Russell, SMU's cagey assistant grid mentor, is being talked as the new coach at Washington State college. It is doubtful that Russell would take the job if offered it, however.

The head man of Cougar athletics is always on the spot, can't compete with the other mentors in the Coast conference for material. Phil Scarboro recently resigned the post after four seasons there. Washington State is due to make public its choice of a new mentor about Jan. 28.

Bowden Wyatt, now of Wyoming and a former Tennessee star, is another who is getting a lot of support for the post.

WILKINSON UNHAPPY ABOUT TRIP?

From all reports coming out of Norman and New Orleans, Coach Bud Wilkinson of the Oklahoma Sooners probably regrets his team didn't take the Cotton Bowl bid rather than return to New Orleans.

When Wilkinson learned that an LSU supporter had been caught spying on the Sooners in a practice shortly before the Sugar Bowl outing, he stated:

"It's high time somebody did something about things like this. In the interest of fair play. We were not anxious to play LSU in the first place."

It is common knowledge now that the only thing that kept Oklahoma from going to Dallas was the united offensive staged by the Sooners players' wives, who wanted to go back to New Orleans.

OU had just as well get ready to watch its bubble burst. The team which does it, and you can put this down as a long range prediction, will be Texas university next October.

Harold Davis, the HCJC cage mentor, didn't get to sit in on the All-College basketball tournament Christmas week, as he had planned, but did manage to watch three Southwest Conference teams — Baylor, SMU and TCU — in action during his brief leave.

According to Davis, there's very little to choose between the three clubs.

A report out of Paris (Texas) says every team in the East Texas baseball league lost money in 1949. The financial reverses ranged from \$4,000 to \$25,000. Paris led the circuit in attendance with 66,000 paid admissions.

Jayhawks Take On Angelo Rams There At 8 Tonight

Back to the grid after a holiday respite, the Howard County Junior college basketball team invades San Angelo tonight for an 8 o'clock engagement with the San Angelo Junior college Rams.

The Concho City troupe will be gunning for revenge. The Hawks sprang a prize upset in defeating the SAJC gang here last month, 47-37.

Harold Davis' brigade used an advantage in height to defeat the Rams.

If Davis' gang wins again tonight, they will have to slow Glenn Lewallen, a ball of fire for the Rams all season. Lewallen scored 20 points against the Hawks last time and, in one game, hit for 32 points.

The HCJC gang will again be without the services of Frank Dunn held here by his work. However, they are due to be in better shape for this one. Del Turner is ready to go again. Bill Fletcher is feeling good again. And Paul Deatherage's knee misery has about disappeared.

HCJC can next be seen in action here against the torrid Hardin-Simmons freshmen on Friday night.

Prepsters Take On San Angelo

Big Spring Junior high and sophomore teams were to journey to San Angelo this afternoon for basketball contests with teams from that city's schools.

First game was slated for 3:30 p. m. With the Yearlings meeting the Junior Bobcats. The same two quintets were to clash for the second time at 4:30 p. m.

Sophomore teams from the two schools play at 6:30 and 8 p. m. Coaches Wayne Bonner and Roy Baird were to have left Big Spring with the two squads at 12:30 today.

BY 43-38 COUNT

Bovine Cagers Spring Upset By Defeating Lubbock Quint

Larry McCulloch's Big Spring Steers came onto their own here last night, upsetting the highly touted Lubbock Westerners, 43-38, with a stirring display of mixie, determination and hustle.

Only last month the Westerners, who steamrollered their way all the way to the state meet a year ago, had hung a 56-21 defeat on the Big Springers.

But the Bovines quite obviously have come a long way since that night. They allowed the Westerners to jockey into an early lead, caught them just after the second quarter got underway and out-sprinted the Waddies from there to the wire.

The guests held a decided advantage in wrestling for the ball under the basket but an airtight defense perfected by McCulloch kept them at a safe distance.

Lubbock staged a furious rally late in the third round that enabled it to pull within two points of the Longhorns but they refused to yield the lead. Wayne Brown and Harold Rosson applied the spurs to a counter-rally and the locals pulled away.

The Westerners led at the end of the first period, 13-8, but the Steers had pulled to the fore at half time, 21-16. After three quarters of play, it was still Big Spring, 31-28.

Howard Jones, Big Spring ace, was favoring an upset stomach but gave most of the way and gave his mates splendid support.

Brown was all over the court. When he wasn't shooting at his own basket, he was giving All-Stater Jim Wilson and others a had time defensively. Wilson was used sparingly by the Lubbock coach but was ineffective what time he was in there. He made only two points.

Brown collected 14 points for scoring laurels and Rosson, coming through a couple of times when the pressure was really on, was not far behind with nine.

Floyd Martin was a very steady influence afield as was Howard Washburn. Both were tops on defense.

Wayne Norton proved Lubbock's most dangerous threat, hopping 13 points. He used his 6-foot-3-inch frame to control the backboard.

The Lubbock B squad capped a 33-25 decision from the Dogies in the 6:30 o'clock opener with Sammy Adams in the starring role. Adams collected nine points.

W. C. Blankenship, Jr., collected six points for the Big Springers.

S'west Quints In Loop Openers

By The Associated Press

Southwest Conference basketball teams start tearing into each other tonight, and the best thing you can say about it is that now at least some of them are bound to win.

That's more than you could say about the games they've played against outside foes. The conference has been pretty thoroughly chilled in its early season "warm-ups" for the title race.

Against outsiders, conference teams have a record of 35 victories and 44 defeats. And most of the victories were against smaller colleges in Texas. It's hard to find anybody who won't admit the loop's cage strength is below that of past years.

The clubs were out of action last night.

Six teams open the first round of conference play. Southern Methodist and Texas A&M meet at College Station, Texas Christian and Rice play at Houston, and Texas and Arkansas play at Fayetteville.

The only measurement of intra-conference strength has been provided by Baylor, which has met Texas and SMU in tournaments. Texas trimmed the Bears, 49-41, in the Oklahoma City Tournament, and SMU walloped them, 61-37, in the Cotton Bowl Tournament.

Other conference games this week pit TCU against A&M Thursday, SMU against Rice Friday, and Baylor against Texas Saturday.

Button Awarded Sullivan Cup

NEW YORK, Jan. 4. (AP) — Richard T. (Dick) Button, first American ever to win an Olympic figure skating championship, has been voted the prized James E. Sullivan Memorial Trophy for 1949, awarded annually to the outstanding U. S. amateur athlete.

In winning the A.A.U.'s foremost award, the 19-year-old Harvard sophomore from Englewood, N. J., set another precedent. No other winter sports athlete ever had won the trophy before.

Button received a total of 947 points for a wide margin over runner-up Joseph Verdur of Philadelphia. A nationwide panel of sports authorities participated in the voting on a 5-3-1 basis for first, second and third places.

Raft Faces Knife

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 4. (AP) — Actor George Raft is scheduled to undergo a gallstone operation today.

Walker, Mates Open Drills

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 4. (AP) — Half a hundred football stars were cranking today for a big test Saturday.

Doak Walker and his Yankees were getting their instruction from Bo McMillin. Charlie Justice and his Rebels got theirs from big Steve Owen. They will apply it when they make their debut as professional footballers in the Senior Bowl game here Saturday.

The winners get 60 per cent of the players pool, and the way those four All-American players and their star teammates went at the practice sessions they must have been eyeing the winning share.

Justice of North Carolina, Walker of Southern Methodist, Wade Walker of Oklahoma and Clayton Tommemaker of Minnesota represent the All-American selections.

Three Rice players, including All-American End Freddie Williams, dropped from the Senior Bowl roster. Players from the Southwest said Rice officials had prevailed upon these three to remain eligible for spring sports.

Bowl Loss Enough, Says Dallas Judge

DALLAS, Jan. 4. (AP) — IT

guess you North Carolinians people had enough trouble at the (Cotton Bowl) game," Judge Joe M. Hill told two Tar Heel boosters charged with being drunk.

So he suspended sentences and let them go home yesterday for sober reflection on Rice Institute's 27-13 shattering of North Carolina in the football classic.

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Sikes Is Named Football Coach At San Angelo

SAN ANGELO, Jan. 4. — Pete Sikes was named Tuesday as head football coach and athletic director at San Angelo high school.

Sikes, associated off and on with San Angelo Junior college since 1938, applied Tuesday morning for the position vacated by Herschal (Red) Ramsay. He reportedly has been offered a three-year contract.

The new mentor will assume his position Feb. 1, which will give him time to conduct spring football drills.

Jewell Wallace, former San Angelo high mentor and at present a coach in the San Antonio public school system, reportedly had the inside track for the job.

Others who had applied included Logan Stollenwerk of Waxahachie, Fred L. Mahler of Port Arthur, Bob Harrell of Lamesa, J. H. Rousmore of Nacogdoches, Wesley Bradshaw of Ouachita college, W. E. Cooper of Edinburg, J. B. (Goose) Keyes of Lubbock, Tommy C. Marshall of Eagle Pass, Weldon Bynum of New Braunfels, R. W. Parker, Jr., of Laredo and Tex Kossen of Corpus Christi.

From 1934 through 1937, Sikes served as coach at Nederland and in 1937 and '38 was at Bonham.

He originally went to San Angelo Junior college as the basketball coach but took over the football team in 1939. He went into the Navy in 1943 and remained in uniform until 1946.

Sikes is a graduate of Texas university.

CCNY Defeats St. John's

NEW YORK, Jan. 4. (AP) — CCNY

knocked highly-rated St. John's from the unbeaten ranks and North Carolina State rubbed off a little more of the lustre from San Francisco in last night's top college basketball games.

City College snapped the St. John's streak, at 13 straight, 54-52. North Carolina state drubbed San Francisco, 69-64.

Washington State edged Oregon State, 43-39 in a Pacific Coast Conference game. Kansas State (3-3) walloped Utah State, 70-45. Cincinnati made it five straight without defeat over Western Reserve, 61-35.

Duquesne raised its all-winning streak to nine against Arizona State of Tempe, 67-63.

Ackerly Rallies To Nip Klondike

ACKERLY, Jan. 4. — The Ackerly

Eagles overcame a first half Klondike lead in the final period here to defeat the Cougars 49-47 in a district 12-B state game.

Jack Moss of the Klondike quintet was high scorer of the contest with 24 points. The Eagles' Junior Rhea swished the net for a total of 22 points while Elwyn Bass, also of Ackerly, accounted for 19 of his team's points.

Klondike led the Eagles, 34-17, at halftime.

Ackerly's girls lost to Klondike's feminine squad, 37-16, in a preliminary contest. Adams paced the Klondike team with 13 points. Cook was high for Ackerly with five.

Next district contest for the Eagles will be Tuesday when the Ackerly team plays Dawson. The Eagles will participate in the Union tournament this weekend.

LaVerne Roach Kayoes Crosby

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Jan. 4. (AP) — LaVerne Roach, 153. Plain

view, Tex., won by a technical knockout over Johnny Crosby, 155, New York, in 1:25 of the first round of a scheduled 10-round main bout here last night.

Roach dropped Crosby twice for nine counts with a left hook and a right cross to the head.

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After all, the latter is the preferable. The spirit of the gift is the thing. The Legion has the idea, and properly so, that this gesture can say for the coming generation of young Americans to the children of Europe that we are thinking about you and are sending these as tokens of our concern.

Oleo Tax Up Again, This Time It Has Good Chance Of Passage

The oleo tax repeal bill passed the House at the 81st Congress' first session, and has been made the first order of business in the Senate with the opening of the second session. The Democratic Senate leadership put it right up there at the top in order to get quick action, but the debate may hang along for several days.

Recently in Ohio an election was held to give the people a chance to express their opinion on the oleo tax. An overwhelming number of them voted for repeal. The oleo tax, in effect for many years, was not designed as a revenue-raising measure, but to place it at a disadvantage in competition with butter.

"Everybody Hold Still And Look At The Eagle, Now"



Merry-Go-Round - Drew Pearson

House Republicans Planning Action To Prevent Any More Kickback Scandals

WASHINGTON — Hottest problem facing congressional leaders as they get back to Washington was how to prevent another Farnell Thomas kickback scandal. This will be a major topic at a secret meeting of the House Republican Steering Committee early next week.

Federal Aid To Education — Already passed by the Senate, this hot potato will be revamped in the House to meet Catholic objections. One concession will be an amendment providing bus transportation for parochial as well as public school students.

The Brannan Farm Plan — No chance. Republicans are almost solidly against it and the Democrats are badly split. Meanwhile farm incomes continue to skid.

Affairs Of The World - DeWitt MacKenzie

Foreign Affairs Outlook For 1950 Is Both Good And Bad

ABOUT EVERY OTHER PERSON ONE meets wants to know what the year 1950 is going to bring us in foreign affairs. You don't need to be the seventh son of the seventh son of a prophet to know that the answer is "plenty." There are some really bright spots, but there also are some dirty streaks blowing up.

ON ONE THING WE MAY BE SURE: Communism will continue its tactics of harassing the democracies both politically and economically. Washington officials say one of the critical issues facing American foreign policy in 1950 is that of preventing western Europe from encountering new economic troubles from the Marshall Plan aid ends in '52.

Notebook - Hal Boyle

Goddaughter Nina Learns Why Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow

NEW YORK, (U) — THERE IS ALWAYS something lost—a thing you can't go back to—when a child is broken up. And a child is as sensitive to this feeling as a grownup.

BUT BY SAILING DAY HER ENTHUSIASM had waned. There was a look of finality about the apartment she didn't like—the boxed books, the walls bare of pictures, the toys put away. It disturbed her.

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Hollywood - Bob Thomas

Marjorie Main Wants To Be Worst-Dressed

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 4 (U) — Now that the 10 best-dressed women of the year have been named, Marjorie Main wants to head a list of the 10 worst-dressed.

and take it to her and say, 'Here, whip me up something.' How many fittings do I have. I've had just one. She's got my measurements; now she can make the dresses all alike."

WORD-A-DAY By BACH. SCIOLOGISM (s'i-o-l'og-i-z'm) KNOWLEDGE OR LEARNING; PRETENSION WITHOUT SUBSTANTIAL FOUNDATION; TO SCHOLARSHIP OR SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE.

Around The Rim - The Herald Staff

Reds Take Leaf Out Of Hitler Book In Villifying Americans

Joe Stalin's boys are aping Hitler, whom they professed to hate with an undying passion. In a series of articles written for the Christian Science Monitor, Edmund Stevens, staff correspondent for that paper, has been giving glimpses of "unconscious" Russia gained from his experiences in that country.

This business of pouring the poison into young minds was a stock-in-trade for Adolf Hitler in his youth program. But, of course, this has never occurred to Joe Stalin's boys. Like all the important inventions, they probably thought they had thought up this trick themselves.

The Nation Today - By James Marlow

The Income Tax Law And Just How It Affects You In 1950

WASHINGTON, (U) — JAN. 16 IS AN income tax date for several million people. (It should have been Jan. 15, but that's a Sunday. So these tax returns must be in by midnight Jan. 15 instead of midnight Jan. 16.)

last quarterly payment from them is due Jan. 15. Some people had full tax withheld from their 1949 wages but received more than \$100 in outside income from which no tax was withheld. That outside income for a wage-earner might have been rents, dividends, sales. The government wants them to pay by Jan. 15 any tax owed.

Trip Is Lesson For Youngsters

NEW YORK, (U) — About 1,000 children are interested in Miss Louise Jackson Wright's trip to South America. Each of the junior high school youngsters will get five letters from five South American cities. And in each letter will be two stamp collections.

Judge Doesn't Care For Guns

WASHINGTON (U) — Judge George D. Nelson just got fed up. "You people who come in here on charges of carrying guns always claim you just found the gun a few minutes before," he told a defendant in Municipal Court. "Don't you know this habit of carrying guns is just what leads to serious crimes?"

Letter From Italy

NEW YORK, (U) — A letter from a thankful mother in a refugee camp in Italy reached its destination in America with only this address:

FOR INSTANCE: DURING 1949 THEY got a raise but will not know precisely by Jan. 15 — because the boss hadn't yet given them a receipt showing how much tax he withheld from their pay — what their total 1949 income was and exactly how much tax was withheld from them.

Today's Birthday

JANE WYMAN, born Sarah Jane Fuiks, Jan. 4, 1914 at St. Joseph, Mo., daughter of R. D. Fuiks, who served variously as town mayor and county collector.

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RIBBON RAMBLINGS

By Mildred Young

The year's first severe norther will take away what's left of last year's flowers and in that case, we must have "the last rose of summer" blooming in our office.

Mrs. J. N. Lane, who received so many compliments during the summer on her unusual flower garden at 1604 South Nolan, brought in a handful of beautiful pansies yesterday afternoon. They have nearly pretty "faces" even if they are among the last.

Looking at the lovely assortment which we have arranged in an office vase (Coke bottle) on our desk we are reminded of a time when we stood looking at another bunch of pansies. On that occasion, the "faces" were in a flower bed near the steps of a church and the time was very early spring. Three of us were "helping ourselves" more less "legally."

For some reason, we got to commenting about the intelligence of man and all that he has accomplished. We also discussed some of the beautiful things which man creates in the field of art and in other ways. Then someone remarked that with all of man's intelligence and accomplishments, that he had not been able to create anything as beautiful as the "faces" into which we looked.

And because of that remark, the pansies became something of a symbol of faith. Something to tell those who wanted to listen, that man does not live alone, that no man has ever become so great that they cannot be outdone or so important that someone or something else can not take their place.

One of the hardest and yet greatest lessons which any of us can learn is the fact that there is something greater and more important than ourselves. And along with this lesson is the idea that the something greater is also what we all need, "the touch of the Master's hand."

Wedding Vows Read

Double ring wedding vows were read at 4 p.m. Saturday, December 31st in the chapel of the Houston Central Church of Christ for Joy Lane of Big Spring, and Charles V. Mladinka of Houston.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lane, 1904 South Nolan.

Burton Coffman, church minister, officiated. The chapel was decorated with pink gladioli and fern.

The bride was attired in a turquoise printed silk with black accessories. She wore a corsage of yellow roses at her waist.

Margie Haney, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a navy costume with a corsage of pink Camellias.

E. G. Code of Houston, was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Foran High school and attended Abilene Christian College, Abilene, and Texas State College for Women, Denton. She is now employed as the advertising manager of Batelsteins in Houston.

Mladinka is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Mladinka and is a graduate of the University of Texas. He attended the School of Design in Chicago and is now employed as a police reporter on the Houston Press.

The Mladinkas will make their home in Houston.

Jim Bruce Frazier Honored At Party

Jim Bruce Frazier was honored with a party given on his fourth birthday by his mother, Mrs. James B. Frazier, and his grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Rogers.

"Pilate favors" were bubble gum and "all-day" suckers.

Those attending were Cindy and Burk Thompson, Ronnie Baird, Sharon Purser, Johnny Faulkner, Betty and Sara McWhorter, Janice and Billy Speigle, Gary Amon, Lyle Leuter, Patricia Rogers, Jim Penny, and Roger Frazier, Mrs. Vernon Baird, Mrs. J. W. Purser and Mrs. L. J. Thompson.

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Hostilities ceased more than four years ago, but this country has never officially declared the war finished. By law this can be done either by the President by proclamation or through a joint resolution by Congress.

Until such action is taken, the President continues to have many wartime powers.

"The President and the military have tremendous powers under the war powers act," Miller said. "I think all should be withdrawn and that legislative authority should be given back to the elected representatives of the people."

Mexico City Is Without Taxis

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 4 (U)—The Mexican capital faced another day today without taxis, with few streetcars and bus service which ends at midnight.

Some 10 per cent of the city's taxi drivers are in jail and the rest are keeping their cabs off the street. The streetcars groan after midnight with crowds which usually use the cheap taxi service.

Police have arrested 477 taxi drivers since they began a strike Monday. The bulk of them—303—were arrested yesterday after a fight with police which left two drivers dead and 23 persons injured.

The striking drivers ask that no more permits for additional cabs be issued. They also want to buy gasoline for less than the 40 centavos a litre (18.5 cents a gallon) which private drivers pay. Bus companies get their gas from the government oil industry at 23 centavos a litre (11 cents a gallon).

City High Accepted Again By Southern School Association

The Big Spring high school has been accepted again by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

This means that its credits, as in the past, are acceptable in schools and colleges throughout the southland.

Gordon Worley, secretary of the executive committee for SACS, called attention to a library requirement of 30 hours for the library. This condition will not be met in the year, said W. C. Blankenship, superintendent.

Midland Blaze Destroys Tanks

MIDLAND, Jan. 4 (U)—Fire destroyed two 500-barrel oil tanks and a tank truck last night on the Texas Harvey oil lease about 20 miles southeast of here.

Flames were visible for miles. No casualties were reported, and the cause was undetermined.



CLARK GABLE AND BRIDE—The honeymooning Clark Gables, in gala Hawaiian garb, stand before an almost heart-shaped tree trunk beside the sea near Waikiki beach, Honolulu. They have rented a cottage that fronts on the sea. (AP Wirephoto).

CAUSE OF MISHAPS STATED

Judge Clarifies City Traffic Regulations

Contrary to popular opinion, motorists on Big Springs north-south streets don't always have the right-of-way, according to City Judge William E. Greenless.

The driver on the right has the right-of-way at unmarked intersections, provided both enter the crossing at the same time, the judge pointed out. Otherwise, the first to enter the intersection holds the legal right-of-way.

"Several mishaps have occurred here simply because a driver on a north-south street thought he had the right-of-way over a vehicle on an east-west street," Judge Greenless stated. "The idea has grown out of the fact that streets running north and south were paved first and are more heavily travelled."

Highway 80, running east and west through this city, and highway 87, going north and south, are the only exceptions to the man-on-the-right rule for unmarked crossings, the judge said. Traffic on those thoroughfares always has the right-of-way.

"Another discrepancy in the tactics of most local drivers is the tendency to cross the intersection in the face of traffic desiring to make a left-hand turn. Motorists should pause briefly in order to let the other fellow make his turn, freeing that traffic which might be stacking up behind him, according to legal rulings.

A driver should be permitted to complete such a turn after he has allowed one car to pass in front of his vehicle inside the intersection, the judge said.

Stopping before turning right on red lights and making prohibited turns are other practices for which local police have been alerted. Judge Greenless also urged motorists to observe all stop signs and speed limits "for safety's sake" as well as for conformity with traffic regulations.

Public Meeting Set Monday In Behalf Of 'Tide Of Toys'

A public meeting has been set for Monday night by the American Legion to enlist all-out support of the organization's Tide of Toys campaign.

Frank Hardisty, local American Legion post commander, is to conduct the meeting which will be held at 8 p.m. in Municipal auditorium. Civic leaders and city and county officials will take part in the program.

The Tide of Toys drive is being sponsored throughout the nation by American Legion units in an effort to secure new toys for underprivileged European youngsters. The campaign has been extended to run through Jan. 15.

Mayor G. W. Dabney, County Commissioner R. L. Hall, and Rev. R. Gage Lloyd, Presbyterian minister, are to be among those appearing at the meeting in behalf of the drive.

White's Employees Receive Bonuses

Bonuses amounting to \$22,000 have been distributed to employees of the Whites Stores system. The extra payment amounted to two-weeks salary for department heads; one week to those with six months or more employment, and a flat sum of \$15 for those with less than six months association. The distribution was part of the company policy formulated at the outset in 1930, said W. Erio White, president.

County School Officials Go To Austin Meet

School administrators of Howard county were to leave today for Austin and the 17th annual mid-winter conference of Texas Schools and College Administrators.

The two-day parley will feature a joint meeting with the new state board of education on Thursday and Friday.

Among matters to be discussed are progress and status of education in Texas, problems under the new minimum foundation program, life adjustment programs, teacher education. Conference chairman will be H. B. Anderson, chairman of the state board.

Due to attend from here are W. C. Blankenship, Big Spring superintendent; Walker Bailey, county superintendent; M. R. Turner, Coahoma superintendent; Homer Barnes, Knot superintendent; G. D. Kennedy, Forzan superintendent; G. C. Parsons, Garden City superintendent.

Blankenship said that an effort would be made to bring the Big Spring district's plea of release of state held local bonds. If this can be done, the district is committed to a refunding program which will save it approximately \$12,000 in interest.

Woman Burned In Rescuing Daughter

HOUSTON, Jan. 4 (U)—Mrs. Bertha Illingworth, 83, struggled into a flaming bedroom yesterday to rescue her invalid daughter.

The fire broke her back, after burning her severely.

Neighbors rescued the daughter, Mrs. R. H. Longdon, Sr. She was not burned.

RICH IN LORE OF SOUTHWEST 'Horses And Heroes' Is Unique Story Of Horse In America

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD
Associated Press Staff

Of the writing of horse books there is no end, and there shouldn't be as long as they are as good as "Horses and Heroes" by Frazier Hunt and his son, Robert.

Frazier Hunt — "Spike" Hunt to two generations of American newspapermen, isn't a Texan. But he looks like a story-book Texan, a huge man, a talker and a doer, and as big-hearted as all the great open spaces of the world.

He has spent a lot of time in Texas, on the Rio Grande in troubled times, as a reporter, magazine and fiction writer and as a lecturer. Now he lives on a Pennsylvania farm where he and his son did much of the work on these lively, anecdotal stories of famous horses of America and their riders.

Each chapter is a little classic, complete in itself, by men who know horses and how to write about them.

"I cannot remember when I did not ride a horse," says the elder Hunt. "I literally learned to ride when I learned to walk. I was brought up on horses and stories of great American horses.

"As a young man on a plantation in southern Mexico I owned a number of excellent saddle horses — and from the time the Mexican revolution ran me out of that beautiful land until I bought a cattle ranch in the foothills of the Rockies in western Alberta, I deeply missed these noble animals."

Young Hunt spent the big end of twenty years on the Alberta ranch. About three years ago father and son conceived the idea of this panorama of the story of the horse in America. The son researched in libraries in New York, Philadelphia, Trenton and Washington and corresponded with historical societies, libraries and people all over the country.

As a result, we have the fabulous tale of old, broken Diomed, who came from England to America to begin a dynasty of thoroughbreds. Of little Justin Morgan whose name still has a magic ring to a million horsemen. Of Comanche, the only survivor of Custer's last stand.

The book is rich in lore of the Southwest; Frascots Aubry, who rode over 800 miles up the Santa Fe trail in less than six days. Father Kino, who traveled tens of thousands of miles on horseback founding missions in the Southwest. The Rangers who tracked down Sam Bass, Texas outlaw.

Here are the greatest stories from Paul Revere's borrowed mare to the quarter horses of Texas and the Kentucky bluegrass thoroughbreds.

Acknowledgements are made to many southwestern sources and authorities, such as "The Cattlemen," published at Fort Worth, and described as a rich gold mine of horse lore.

Government Has Surplus Skylights

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (U)—Want some frosted glass skylights bearing the seals of all the states and territories?

Or do you have any good suggestion as to what can be done with them, now that they have been removed from the decorations in the House of Representatives chamber?

Rep. McGregor (R-Ohio), member of a special House-Senate Committee in charge of redecorating the capital, said the group will welcome suggestions.

"Maybe the various state and territorial historical societies will want their own seals," McGregor told a reporter, "but we hope for more suggestions before we dispose of them."

No New Army Units For Guard Planned

AUSTIN, Jan. 4 (U)—No new army units will be organized in the Texas National Guard in the immediate future.

State Adj. Gen. K. L. Berry announced yesterday that recruiting will be limited to the air units of the guard and to replacements in army units.

The reason, he said, was that the Army National Guard had reached its strength goal of 350,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, better than six months ahead of time.

NACILBUPERS ANNOY SOLON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 (U)—Rep. Huber (D-Ohio) has coined a word to describe those who seek a union between Republicans and southern Democrats.

"Those who indulge in this backward thinking should be labelled and treated as nacilbupers," Huber set forth in a prepared statement.

He explained later that a "nacilbuper is a Republican spelled backwards." He did not make clear how one of them should be treated, though.

SPA, Oklahoma Utility Companies Reach Agreement

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 4 (U)—The Daily Oklahoman says that Oklahoma public utility companies and the Southwestern Power Administration have reached an agreement of an interchange of electric power.

The contract, the newspaper said last night, calls for sales of electric power from government hydroelectric plants handled by the SPA to the utility companies. They include the Oklahoma Gas & Electric Co. of Oklahoma City and the Public Service Co. of Tulsa.

In Washington, Henry W. Blacklock of the Southwestern Power Administration said last night a proposed contract was "still in the negotiation and study stage."

Austin Attorney On State Liquor Board

AUSTIN, Jan. 4 (U)—James A. Stanford of Austin went to work today as assistant administrator of the State Liquor Control Board.

He is a former state senator and member of the House of Representatives. Stanford is an Austin lawyer. He spent his boyhood in Waco and is a former student of Baylor University.

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ACCENT ON STYLE — The Chrysler 1950 New Yorker four-door sedan, with restyled longer rear fenders, more massive bumpers, new radiator grille, and better visibility from the larger rear window, stresses styling refinements. The 1950 lines go on display tomorrow, may be seen locally at Marvin Hull Motor company.

STYLING REFINEMENTS

1950 Chrysler Line Will Be Displayed

Going on display Thursday will be the 1950 line of Chryslers which is featured by new styling inside and out, including new upholstery in virtually all models.

In conjunction with the national showing, the new models are to be seen locally at Marvin Hull motor company.

The 1950 line brings an entirely new body style available in both six and eight cylinder models. There are improvements in the instrument panel, larger brakes on the six-cylinder cars and an improved booster on the brakes of the eights.

Other features are increased visibility through a rear window that has 27 per cent more glass area; a slight increase in height, width and length; and various styling refinements.

Nineteen body styles are listed, with 15 standard body colors, eight of them entirely new.

Appearance improvements begin at the front bumper and are carried through to the rear bumper.

per, giving the new line distinction and individuality. Different styling features have been incorporated in the states and in the eights, so that one is readily distinguishable from the other at first glance. Among the points of difference between the two lines are the parking lights, the length of the molding on the front fender, the nameplate on the front of the radiator and the wheel cover.

Front-end styling features an entirely new die-cast grille, comprising three heavy horizontal bars, topped by a fourth bar that curves down at the ends.

Body changes include a longer rear fender, which retains its full height almost to the extreme rear of the car.

A new large combination of tail-light, stop-light and turn signal is flush mounted in each rear fender, thus contributing greatly to the clean and sweeping rear-end lines. Back-up lights are mounted on each

side between the fender and the deck lid. A new script Chrysler nameplate and vertical lock handle ornament the deck lid. The rear bumpers, like those in front, have been made more massive.

Appearance of the rear-end also is improved and visibility increased by a newly-designed rear window that has an area of 684.4 square inches, as against 537.2 in the 1949 cars. The bottom edge of this window is extended to the belt molding, giving an attractive double molding line around the rear of the car.

The instrument panel has been improved by new and larger rotary switch knobs with a vertical bar for easier control. The transparent backgrounds have been provided for the gauge dials, speedometer, radio dial and clock.

Interior styling has been given additional touches of elegance in all models. In the Royal and Saratoga, there are new horizontal lines and a new arm rest on the door panel. In the Windsor and New Yorker, the door panel has been improved by the addition of new horizontal lines, a new type arm rest and a chrome molding strip below the door handle. Horizontal lines have been added to the front seat back. In the New Yorker, the improvements noted for the Windsor have been made, plus refinements in the rear-seat cushions and backs of the sedan models.

THREE-DAY MINE WEEK BLAMED

Passenger Service Cut Looms In Railroad Fuel Shortage

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. (AP)—A 25 per cent slash in passenger service today threatened the nation's coal-burning railroads, which are operating on scant fuel supplies because of a three-day work week in the mines.

Chairman J. Monroe Johnson said the Interstate Commerce Commission "very probably" would announce an order to that effect this afternoon, to become effective next Sunday.

It would mark the second time in recent months that the ICC has taken such action as a result of the virtually deadlocked coal dispute.

Senate Faces Fight Over Oleo Tax Repeal Bill

By JOHN CHADWICK AP STAFF

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. — The Senate headed today into a session opening fight over a House-passed bill to erase federal taxes on oleomargarine.

Supporters of the measure predicted they had the votes to win but admitted the outlook was clouded by proposals to link other excise tax cuts to the bill.

Senator Fulbright (D-Ark.), ready with the first major speech for the bill, said he had heard reports that an attempt also would be made to tie a civil rights rider to the legislation.

He denounced any such plans, along with moves to attach a general reduction in excise levies to the oleo measure, as "subterfuges intended to snarl up the situation."

Democratic Leader Lucas, of Illinois, moved to forestall any filibuster against the bill by senators from dairy states, whose constituents don't want their butter market hurt by competing bread spreads. Lucas announced in advance that the issue would be fought to a showdown vote.

The legislation, passed by the House last year, would wipe out the 10-cents-a-pound tax on yellow colored oleo. It also would remove the one-quarter cent a pound levy on the uncolored variety, as well as occupational taxes on manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers.

Before Congress adjourned last October, a batch of amendments to Wiley (R-Wis.). These would scale down or eliminate excise taxes generally.

Wiley, a leading foe of the oleo measure, also is the sponsor with Sen. Gillett (D-Ia) of an amendment to ban the interstate shipment of yellow colored margarine.

Reds Admit Belief In God Not Dead

MOSCOW, Jan. 4. (AP)—The Soviet Journal of Science and Life says many people in the USSR continue to believe in God. It called yesterday for education of the masses in the spirit of militant atheism.

The journal, organ of the all-union society for the dissemination of scientific knowledge, declared that the struggle against religious prejudices is one of the forms of the struggle for communism.

An article by F. N. Oleschuk said, however, that anti-religious propaganda must strive at convincing the masses by remaking their consciousness and not by compulsion or prohibitions. He said administrative measures to curtail religious thought would be "harmful."

Bank Official Dies

HOUSTON, Jan. 4. (AP)—Funeral arrangements were to be made today for Robert E. Williams, 54, vice president of Houston's Second National Bank. He died yesterday of a heart ailment.



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between John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers and mine operators across the nation.

Passenger service on trains drawn by coal-burning locomotives was cut by one-fourth last Oct. 26, during the UMW's 32-day strike, and was restored Nov. 15 when Lewis announced that the miners were returning to the pits.

The UMW members have been working only part of every week—a situation which has slowly eaten away at coal stocks above ground. The ICC had previously taken note of the squeeze on railroads by giving those with less than a nine-day supply on hand a virtual priority on coal produced at the mines which usually supply them.

With Lewis keeping his strategy to himself, rumors continued to circulate that a full walkout might be resumed—thus cutting coal production to the relative trickle coming from small mines which have signed contracts with the UMW.

Major Illinois coal mines were shut down yesterday as some 16,000 miners stayed away from work without explanation. Their state president ordered them back to work Monday.

Johnson told reporters he is particularly alarmed at the situation in the Illinois coal fields, and the possible effect on rail transportation. He said the Canadian government has notified the ICC that it is cutting coal-burning passenger train service by 25 per cent next Sunday.

The ICC chairman, who was U. S. transportation chief during the war, said the agency's earlier order giving fuel-short rail lines first crack at coal had enabled most railroads to hold their own. But some, he said, had lost ground.

State Revenue Stamp Sales Show Increase

AUSTIN, Jan. 4. (AP)—A decline in state revenue stamp sales in December over November but an increase over December a year ago was announced yesterday by State Treasurer Jesse James.

December income was reported at 2,798,582, compared with \$3,022,939 in November and \$2,529,290 in December a year ago.

13 Assessed Fines On Various Charges

Thirteen persons, most of them Latin-Americans, were fined a total of \$63 plus costs in justice court Tuesday on charges ranging from reckless driving to drunkenness.

One of the men was charged on two counts, reckless driving and no operator's license.

Alert Doctor Saves Man's Life

HOUSTON, Jan. 4. (AP)—P. C. Wetzel, 50, probably owes his life to an alert Bryan doctor. He might have died of food poisoning.

But Dr. J. P. Fleming, who treated six Bryan residents yesterday for food poisoning, learned that Wetzel also had eaten some of the bad food. Fleming put through a call to Wetzel, who was so sick he had to crawl to the telephone.

Fleming telephoned police and told them they'd better break down Wetzel's door. If necessary, to get him to a hospital.

The police followed through.

Civil Service Okayed

BORGER, Jan. 4. (AP)—Borger voters approved yesterday a civil service system for the city's fire and police departments by a margin of 34 votes. A similar proposal was defeated by one vote in an election two years ago.

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Publisher-Husband of Amelia Earhart Dies

TRONA, Calif., Jan. 4. (AP)—George Palmer Putnam, publisher-husband of the late aviatrix, Amelia Earhart, died today.

Death came at 6:05 o'clock this morning to the 63-year-old Putnam, now operator of Stove Pipe Wells Resort in Death Valley.

He has been under treatment for uremia poisoning and internal hemorrhages for four weeks.

Miss Earhart, who vanished on a Pacific flight in 1937, was the second of his four wives. Since she was declared legally dead in 1939, he has married twice. He instigated a long search for Miss Earhart.

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64-YEAR-OLD LEGS RETAIN BEAUTY

Perennial Mistinguett Still Is Wowing Parisians Nightly

PARIS, Jan. 4. — How can a girl keep a pair of legs like that so long—and just how long has she kept them?

Nightly the A.B.C. Theater, one of this gay city's gayest, is jammed with people come to stare at Mistinguett and ponder those grave questions.

Mistinguett—who seems as perennial to the French as Sophie Tucker does to Americans—is renowned as having legs the like of which are walked on only by Marlene Dietrich or Betty Grable.

As befits a lady whose legs have been famous since about the turn of the century, Mistinguett is coy about her age. She recently told a group of newspapermen, "who cares?—was born in 1885." That would make her 64, which experts agree is an understatement. Some of her friends say she will privately admit to 72.

Nor has she any steps to make about how she keeps her legs that way. It is enough, she feels, that people still consider them worth looking at. She is under no illusions that they come to see her face, which she admits is not pretty, or to hear her rather harsh voice, although it has been recorded thousands of times.

They do come to see how energetic she still is, and to watch her jitterbug in a traditional Paris Music Hall show called "Paris S'Amuse" (Paris is having a good time).

"I am an electric woman," she said in an interview, "sweet music and love songs are not for me. I want something with more punch to it."

Probably they also come to be carried back to "the good old days"—either to Mistinguett's successes of the 20's, when she was manager of the Moulin Rouge, or to still older and better days of her debut.

That, she recalls was at Eldorado, a cafe concert hall on the Boulevard Sebastopol, now something like New York's Eighth Avenue. The cafe concert, where the audience could take drinks while watching a kind of vaudeville show, is an almost forgotten institution.

The Eldorado, like the Moulin Rouge, has become a movie house. Mistinguett's success came with a favorable article by Catusse Menda, a critic, poet and playwright who died in 1908.

She went on the legitimate stage and made it in both comedies and drama.

"I was earning 20 francs a day and had to buy my own clothes," she recalls.

At that time, 20 francs was about \$4—now a 20 franc bill is worth about a nickel.

"I preferred the music hall with its lights and music and atmosphere," she says, "but I always

wanted to play "Madame Sans-Gene" at the Comedie-Francaise."

"Madame Sans-Gene" is a play of Victorien Sardou about an army laundress who married one of Napoleon's marshals. It reached the ultimate distinction for a French drama, inclusion in the regular repertoire of the government-run Comedie Francaise, the French National Theater. But Mistinguett has never had the distinction of playing there.

She was the star of the Jolles Bergere and the Casino de Paris, and that is what she remains in the memory of Paris today.

An hour and a half before curtain time, Mistinguett is ready in her dressing-room, her eyes made up "bicycle style"—the lashes widely spread like the spokes of a bicycle wheel. She does needlepoint while she waits—"Just for fun, because I hate to be doing nothing."

"But don't think I'm a homebody," she went on "my only pleasure in life is to be here. The two hours of the show are the best ones in my day."

In 1950, she hopes to make a tour in Canada and show the famous legs in New York, "but nothing has been signed yet."

Union Official Is Wounded By Night Prowler

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4. (AP)—A laundry union official was wounded last night by an assailant who shot through a living room window and then disappeared.

The victim, Charles Naddeo, 46-year-old vice president of the AFL Laundry Workers Union of Philadelphia, was struck on the left wrist as he sat watching a televised western movie with three sons.

Detective John Scanlin of Suburban Haverford township said Naddeo narrowly escaped receiving a more serious wound because he was sitting with his head resting on his hand.

Naddeo said at first he thought his wrist watch "had exploded. When the three boys—Michael, 16, Charles, 13, and Stanley, nine—realized their father was wounded, they summoned Mrs. Naddeo from upstairs.

Postal Receipts Up

DALLAS, Jan. 4. (AP)—Postmaster J. Howard Payne reported yesterday Dallas postal receipts for 1949 totaled \$11,940,227. That's an 18.7 per cent gain over 1948's total of \$10,058,311.

Importation Of Mexican Laborers To Be Discussed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. (AP)—The question of importation of Mexican nationals for use on American farms probably will be discussed Jan. 17 at a meeting of an industry advisory committee here.

The labor department said yesterday that representatives of farm labor organizations as well as spokesmen for growers and food packers and processors will take part in the discussions.

Meanwhile, a group of grower representatives are expected here later this week from the Rio Grande Valley of Texas to discuss conditions affecting their industry.

Rep. Bentsen (D-Tex) said he had received a call from Austin Anson of Harlingen, manager of the Texas Fruit and Vegetable Growers and Shippers Assn., asking for a conference of the group with him Thursday.

La Fara Postmaster Sought In Lake

RAYMONDVILLE, Jan. 4. (AP)—Johnny Cantu, about 42, was missing today in a lake near here. Searchers in boats were dragging the five-mile-wide waters.

Cantu, postmaster at La Fara, Tex., disappeared while duck hunting about 6 o'clock yesterday evening.

H. S. Downey and Tracy Snites of Raymondville said they were in one boat and Cantu in another. Cantu went out in his boat to retrieve some ducks off the water. He disappeared, and his companions could hear him yelling for help. They couldn't find him because of growing darkness.

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CONGRESSIONAL LEADERS CONFER WITH PRESIDENT—President Truman (seated left) discusses his State of the Union address with Congressional leaders at the White House a short time before opening of second session of 81st Congress. Vice President Alben Barkley is seated right. In rear (left to right) are Senate Majority Leader Scott Lucas (D-Ill.), House Speaker Sam Rayburn (D-Tex.) and House Majority Leader John W. McCormack (D-Mass.). (AP-Wirephoto).

HST Asks New Taxes In State Of Union Message

Trillion-Dollar U. S. Economy Envisioned

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4. (AP)—President Truman advocated a "moderate amount" of new taxes today in a glowingly optimistic State of the Union message voicing hope of an eventual trillion-dollar economy.

If America keeps growing as it has in the last 50 years, he told Congress, the total national production 50 years hence will be nearly four times what it is now, or at the rate of more than one thousand billions of dollars a year.

In a mixture of humility and pride, Mr. Truman said: "Today, by the grace of God, we stand a free and prosperous nation with greater possibilities for the future than any people have ever had before."

The President's message was one in which he (1) looked far into the future—when, he said, the average family may make the equivalent of more than \$12,000 a year—and (2) dwelled on what he called the present day needs for such things as continued rent controls and repeal of the Taft-Hartley Labor Law.

The President gave no inkling of how much new revenue he wants nor or where he would turn to get it. Nor did he disclose what existing taxes he would drop or lower, as he put it, "reduce present inequities" and "stimulate business activity."

He simply said there should be "some changes" in the tax system to produce these results. His tax proposals will come later in a special message. He is expected to yield to demands for an end to the bulk of the war-time excise levies on such things as transportation fares and telephone bills, provided the loss is more than offset by taxes from corporations and other sources.

Mr. Truman said the budget he will submit Monday, for the fiscal year starting July 1, "holds spending to the lowest levels consistent with cold war requirements and essential economic needs at home. He declared that his fiscal policy offers "the quickest and safest way of achieving a balanced budget" but he did not hold out any hope that government spending can be held within income during the forthcoming fiscal year.

He laid particular emphasis on funds for the European Recovery Program for non-Communist nations. The President appeared before a joint session of the Senate and House, many of whose members have been demanding sharp cuts both in government spending and in existing taxes.

In many respects, the message was much like the one Mr. Truman delivered a year ago. Again, he called for repeal of the Taft-Hartley Labor Law, extension of rent control, a government housing program—this time for middle income families, civil rights legislation, stronger anti-trust legislation, social security expansion, liberalized laws for admission of Europe's displaced persons, aid to education, the highly controversial compulsory health insurance plan, and careful development of natural resources.

Mr. Truman also came out again for the Brannan Plan for farm subsidies. The brainchild of Secretary of Agriculture Brannan, it was projected during the past year as a means of providing lower prices on some foods to consumers, with keeping up the farmer's income with "production payments."

Attacked by major farm organizations, it promises to be a standstill. See NEW TAXES, P. 9, Col. 3

Truman's Proposals In Nutshell

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FOREIGN—Support Atlantic Pact defense plans. Keep the European recovery program before Congress in his State of the Union message—listed in the order used by the President.

BUSINESS—"Close the loopholes in the Clayton Act which permit monopolistic mergers." The President promised to send Congress later "a series of proposals to strengthen the anti-monopoly laws, to assist small business, and to encourage the growth of new enterprises."

LABOR—Repeal the Taft-Hartley Law and replace it with "a law that is fair to all and in harmony with our ideals." Set up a labor extension service to encourage education in labor relations.

FARM—Provide mandatory price supports for products which are major sources of farm income and are not adequately covered. Pass the Brannan farm plan with its system of production payments.

HOUSING—Provide housing for middle-income families by authorizing co-operatives and other non-profit groups to build dwellings such families can afford. Extend federal rent control another year.

POWER—Offer public power in such regions as New England, Appalachia and the Columbia Valley Administration.

SCIENCE—Complete action on the bill to set up a national science foundation.

HEALTH AND SECURITY—Increase the benefits and extend the coverage of old age and survivors' insurance. Do the same for the unemployment compensation law, as well as improving its operation. Remedy the shortage of doctors, nurses, public health services. "Establish a system of medical insurance which will enable all Americans to afford good medical care."

Provide federal assistance to the states for education.

CIVIL RIGHTS—Enact the full civil rights program proposed previously (it includes anti-poll tax legislation, an anti-lynching bill, and a fair employment practices law.) Grant statehood to Alaska and Hawaii. Give more self-government to American island possessions. Accord home rule to the



CARS STALLED IN SNOW—Snow fell fast and heavy northeast of Fresno, Calif., in the high Sierras, stalling automobiles traveling along the highways. These cars stalled on California state highway 41, five miles north of Coarse Gold and ten miles south of Bass Lake, where five inches of snow was reported. Traffic was blocked for several hours. (AP Wirephoto).

State Areas Icebound As Norther Strikes

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Vast areas of Texas were ice-bound today as a bitter cold wave swept southward to the Gulf of Mexico.

There was ice or sleet or snow from Temple on the south to San Angelo and Abilene in the west. The ice, sleet and snow cover blanketed the Fort Worth-Dallas area, the Red River Valley, the South Plains and the Texas Panhandle. At Dalhart in the northern part of the Panhandle, the mercury dove to eight degrees below zero.

For these great areas, the Texas Highway Patrol issued a red and white warning: "Travel extremely hazardous. Stay off the highways." The Weather Bureau believed rich citrus belt in the lower Rio Grande valley would be spared a severe freeze but believed the temperature there would fall to 32 degrees tonight.

By mid-morning, the fast-stepping cold wave had reached the Gulf coast. It was the coldest weather of the season.

Continued bitter cold was forecast for both East and West Texas tonight and tomorrow, with freezing rain for the eastern section and snow for the western half of the state and the Panhandle.

Temperatures down to five degrees below zero were predicted for the ice-locked Panhandle tonight. The mercury fell to zero at Amarillo at 6:30 a. m. today. Other low readings included Lubbock, eight degrees above zero; Big Spring, 17 Abilene, 15; Mineral Wells, 17; Pampa one degree below zero.

Many areas in Central, East and

South Texas reported light rains at mid-morning. To the north and west conditions had cleared or were clearing.

In the great glazed-over areas, the Texas Highway Department rushed sand to bridges and hills. The highway north of Gainesville, Tex., to Ardmore, Okla., was closed to most highway travel.

A tremendous early-morning traffic tieup stalled transportation at Dallas. In a single block, on a hill, 12 crowded buses stalled.

Airlines in the Dallas-Fort Worth area reported approximately normal operations. Buses were running late.

The Weather Bureau thought Laredo would get a hard freeze tonight, but said indications were that the temperature around Brownsville, McAllen and Harlingen probably would get no lower than the low thirties.

Stock raisers in East and South Texas were warned to protect their animals tonight.

Temperatures went skidding from a comfortable 59 degrees Tuesday afternoon to a chilly 15 degrees this morning that was hanging on tenaciously. Local temperatures were not expected to rise above the 21-degree mark today.

The low mark of the spell is expected tonight, however, with a forecast of 10 degrees.

It is a typical West Texas dry norther, as far as Big Spring is concerned, although freezing rain, snow and sleet were reported in other sections of the state. The weather bureau here noted only a trace of moisture at the Municipal airport late Tuesday.

Skies are due to continue partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Temperatures are expected to begin easing up by Thursday afternoon, with a maximum of 31 degrees forecast for Big Spring.

Reuben Anthony Trantham, 75, who came here four months ago to make his home, died here Wednesday morning.

Following brief services at 2:30 p. m. at the Nalley chapel with the Rev. Cecil Rhodes, West Side Baptist pastor officiating, the remains were to be taken to Hico, final rites are set there for 2 p. m. Thursday.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. R. A. Trantham; one daughter, Mrs. J. J. Burcham, Big Spring; five sons, Jack Trantham, Odessa; Dan Trantham, Reuben Trantham, Jr., and Jess Trantham, Big Spring, and Lemmie Trantham, Andrews. He also leaves three brothers, Lee Trantham, Hico, Frank Trantham, Morgan, and Bert Trantham, Fort Worth; and two sisters, Mrs. Betty Bullard, Abilene, and Mrs. Nora Needham, Hico. Twenty grandchildren survive.

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Poage's bill would provide for redistribution of Texas' acreage allotment to give farmers credits for cotton croplands diverted to war crops. Fisher's bill is similar.

One of Pickett's bills is similar to the Cooley measure. The other provides that unused portions of individual allotments be reassigned to other farmers in the same county.

MAYBE PICTURE LACKED ACTION

A roaring two-gun adventure film apparently didn't stimulate a Saylor man in a local theatre last night.

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The show's manager was awakened to release the man.



CONVICT CAPTURED—Sarefoot Odus Eaton, 25, (right) of Stillwater, Okla., is back in the Little Rock, Ark., prison after being captured by State Police Sgt. J. M. Porterfield (left) and "Doggie" Brown, (center), trusty convict. Eaton was one of four convicts who escaped the Tucker prison farm last Saturday. (AP Wirephoto).

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