



Around And About The Sports Circuit By Tom Beasley

EXPERIENCED SPARTANS READY FOR HOBBS OILERS

LOCAL TEAM STRONGEST AT WINGS

By HANK HART Into the wilds of New Mexico Friday morning went the Big Spring Spartans with plenty of material and confidence for their game today with the mighty Hobbs Oilers in the New Mexico city.

Steele Meets Jones For Title

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 1 (AP)—Fred Steele, young middleweight champion, was an 8 to 5 favorite to win over Gorilla Jones of Akron, Ohio, in a 10-round title bout here tonight.

BASKETBALL THURSDAY NIGHT

(By The Associated Press) Notre Dame 24, Northwestern 23, Centenary 40, Evansville 26, Southwestern (Okla.) Teachers 29, University of Texas 35, Texas Christian 19, Hardin-Simmons 27, University of Mexico 18, Southern Methodist 40.

Mighty Panthers And Washington In Battle Of Roses

All-Americans Battle In East West Football Classic In Frisco

SA FRANCISCO, Jan. 1 (AP)—Collegiate football stars, representing the greatest of nearly every section of the nation, line up here today in a pigskin classic founded and fought out for the common cause of charity.

Favorites And Restriction Outsiders Meet Made On Clubs

Semi-Final Round Of Natl. Indoor Tennis Meet Reached

NEW YORK, Jan. 1 (AP)—The favorites were lined up against the outsiders in every bracket today as the national-junior and boys indoor tennis championships reached the semi-final round of play.

Golfers To Be Limited To Fourteen Clubs In 1938

NEW YORK, Jan. 1 (AP)—Tournament golfers, many of them accustomed to packing small trunks containing upwards of two dozen implements of the game, today were given just a year to decide which clubs can be dispensed with.

Thirteen Ponies In Santa Anita Stakes

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 1 (AP)—Thirteen horses were named to parade to the post today at Santa Anita park for the \$5,000 added New Year's Day stakes at one mile.

Waukegan, Outstanding Gridiron Representative Of The Middle West

Waukegan, outstanding gridiron representative of the Middle West, the game, which will be played in the huge Cotton Bowl on the Texas Centennial Exposition grounds, will bring together two of the foremost players in the county, Slingshot Sam Baugh of T.C.U. and Ray Buiuid of Marquette.

NEITHER HAS WON BOWL GAME

PARADENA, Calif., Jan. 1 (AP)—The New Year and the Pasadena Rose Bowl offered a new record today either to the football Panthers of Pittsburgh or the Huskies of Washington.

1936 Was Big Sports Year For So' West

South. Methodist In Rose Bowl Was Grand Send-off For Exciting Year

By FELIX R. McKNIGHT DALLAS, Jan. 1 (AP)—One hundred and twenty thousand crazed football fans bulged California's Rose Bowl and Louisiana's Sugar Bowl a year ago today to shove off, by remote control, Texas' most glamorous sports period.

LOVELY NIGHT

OLATHE, Kan.—Probate Judge Bert Rogers, father of Mary Pickford's Buddy Rogers, boasted a new marriage record today.

WEDDING CEREMONIES BEFORE MIDNIGHT

At the end of 1936 we of Big Spring and Howard County have completed a year of wonderful accomplishment, the high spot of which is a more universal understanding of fundamental values, as they affect our ability to better our existence as an economic unit of society.

LET US DEDICATE 1937 TO A YEAR OF FORWARD MOVEMENT, AND NOT LOOK BACK.

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TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA SQUARE OFF IN INVITATIONAL BASKETBALL MEET

McManus' guidance they charged through the Texas league's Shaughnessy playoff scramble and then tucked away the Dixie championship with a crushing victory over Birmingham's Barons.

BAYLOR AND RAIDERS SEMIFINALISTS IN MEET

By AUSTIN BRAYMEAL OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 1 (AP)—An intercollegiate feud between Oklahoma and Texas boiled for Oklahoma City's first annual invitational basketball tournament today as teams from both states squared away on opposite sides of the fence for tonight's semi-final battles.

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BASKETBALL Schedule And Standings Of Bi-County League. Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct.

STANDINGS Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct.

GAME BROADCAST Complimenting the teams of the Southwest Conference, the Humble Oil & Refining Company has arranged to sponsor a Texas radio broadcast of the football game on New Year's Day in Dallas between Texas Christian University, Southwest Conference representative, and Marquette University of Milwaukee.

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# Fashions WOMAN'S PAGE Society

## Annual Flock Dinner Party Held At Crawford For "Younger Set"

Twenty-nine Guests Attend Annual Affair; Four Regulars Absent From Table Due To Out-of-City Visits

Extending the Christmas celebrations over to the final day of the year, the twenty-nine annual party guests of Joe Flock were entertained at the Crawford hotel Thursday evening with a dinner.

Flock's guests' ages range from three to fourteen years and at this affair parents are barred.

Last night's table was particularly attractive with two miniature Christmas trees furnishing the centerpiece. They were brightly decorated with vari-colored lights that flashed at intervals making beautiful reflections on the silver

pieces and tinsels. Surrounding the tree base was a garland of silver leaves with red berries through which were entwined blue lights.

Plate favors were loaded Santa Clads sleds drawn by silver reindeer and driven by St. Nick. On each was a gift card by which the

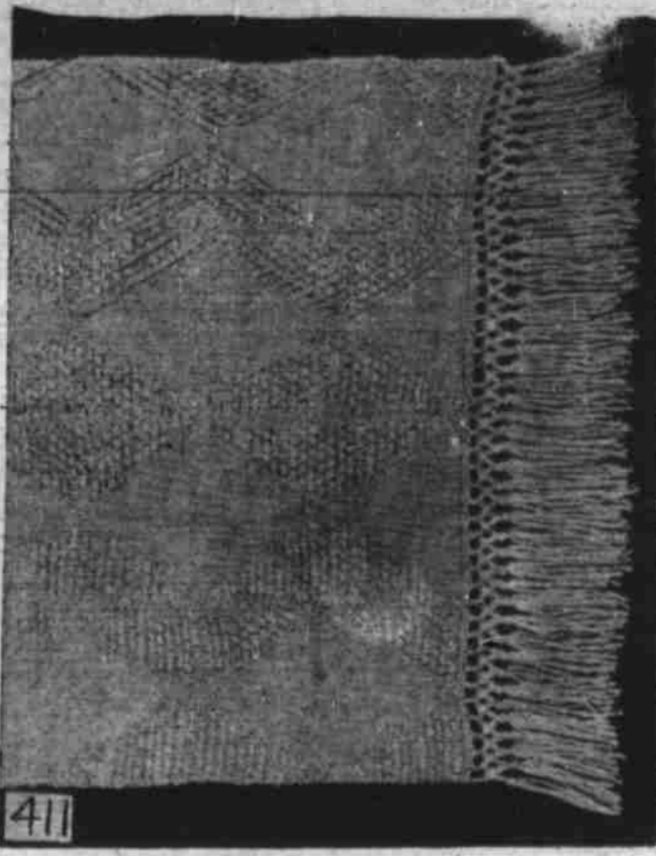
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**VICKS COUGH DROP**

little guests found their places. At the head table the four youngest guests are always seated while those who are able to fend for themselves take the main board. After the meal numbers were drawn for the grand prize which has become part of the annual affair.

Four of the guests who until this year have attended every party were absent from the affair. They were Bobbie and Calvin Boykin, Jr., who are in Rochelle with their grandmother, and John H. and B. B. Lees who are visiting an aunt who lives on a ranch near Deming, N. M.

Dinner guests were Rosemary O'Neill, Jo Ann Boykin, Janice Slaughter, Marijo Thurman, John Anna Terry, Clarice Terry, Gene

## Knitted Afghan In One Color



By RUTH ORR  
Pattern No. 411

Most afghans are like Joseph's coat of many colors. They're cheerful to throw over you when you take a nap, but when you aren't using them, and they lie folded at the bottom of the couch, they usually hit you in the eye the minute you come into the room. More often than not, they kill the color scheme you have worked so hard to create in your room. That's why we heartily endorse afghans of one color. Here's one for you to knit with the pattern in the knitting rather than in the color. It can be worked in squares or strips, whichever is easiest for you. The knitting stitch has a pattern of zig-zag lines on a ground of plain stocking stitch.

But if you want a carriage cover for baby, you can work this in a finer yarn, and instead of the fringe, finish the edge with a crocheted scallop.

The pattern envelope contains complete, easy-to-understand illustrated directions, with diagrams to aid you; also what needles and what material and how much you will need.

To obtain this pattern, send for No. 411 and enclose 10 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to cover service and postage. Address Big Spring, Texas, Herald, Needlework Dept., P. O. Box 200, Station D, New York, N. Y. (Copyright, 1937, by Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Berry, Jerry Hodges, Champo Phillips, Anna Claire Waters, Sarah Woodward, Robbie Louise Pinar, Mary Ann Dudley, Caroline Smith, Anna Belle Edwards, Janet Robb, Louise Anne Bennett, Jane Read, Veda La Neil Robinson, Vivian Middleton, Jennetta Dodge, Jess Slaughter, Jr., Harry Hurt, Jr., Milton Knowles, Billie Wosencraft, Barkley Wood, Ike Robb and Richard Hill.

## Reading And Writing

By John Selby

Probably you don't feel much like reading anything except the label on a bottle of pick-me-up. If you do want a book today, it's a fairly safe bet you want a light one. Perhaps a murder story?

Corlind Fitzsimmons knows the market; was in fact, a book salesman before he became a mystery writer much in demand at rental libraries and in Hollywood. For "The Whispering Window" he has dug out a most amusing old lady named Miss Ethel Thomas to tell the story of her contact with six murders, the first of which occurs as she is on her way to a business conference in the department store in which she owns considerable stock. Miss Thomas does a grand job of clue-sorting; don't be surprised if you see Edna May Oliver playing the role in the movie. Or perhaps it's already been produced with somebody else.

If you can endure Eden Phillips and his incredibly slow manner of telling a story, try "The Anniversary Murder." This is not properly a mystery, or at any rate, the mystery element is very small. The story of two murders exactly seven years apart in time, the first unplanned, the second carefully prepared, is told by a particularly poisonous young physician named, of all things, Hector McOstrich.

And if "The Anniversary Murder" is not for you, turn to Helen Reilly's "Dead Man Control." Miss Reilly rarely misses her mark, and this time is no exception. When Inspector McGee gets back to New York he finds Katherine Kingston all but convicted of the murder of

her husband. She was found unconscious in the room with his body, the door bolted on the inside, her fingerprints on the pistol and motive enough for the deed is supplied by the character of the husband himself.

Just the same, Inspector McGee doesn't believe Katherine did the deed, and against the opposition of his numerous superiors, Inspector McGee starts out to prove his theory. Inspector McGee is a rattling good prover, too.

"The Whispering Window," by Corlind Fitzsimmons (Stokes); "The Anniversary Murder," by Eden Phillips (Dutton); "Dead Man Control," by Helen Reilly (Crime Club).

## DEFICIT REDUCED

Figure \$500,000 Under Same Date Last Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31 (AP)—The twin influences of rising government receipts and falling expenditures whittled the half-year deficit on treasury ledgers today about \$500,000,000 under the same period last year.

The public debt nevertheless was climbing toward another record. Available statistics indicated President Roosevelt may revise upward estimates of both income and outgo for the entire fiscal year in his budget message to congress next Thursday.

With the nation's economic machinery running at a steadily accelerated clip, fiscal officials said forecasts of income and other receipts may be elevated. Outlays for drought-relief are expected to raise spending estimates.

## RETURN TO HOLLYWOOD

Mrs. H. C. Porter and daughter, Jean, left today for Hollywood, Calif., after visiting here over the holidays with Mr. Porter, Jean is

## Many Friends Received At Coffee Home

More Than Sixty Guests Call During Afternoon At Year-End Affair

An informal air prevailed at the open house held by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Coffee when they greeted their friends at their home in Edwards Heights Thursday afternoon as a farewell gesture to the old year.

The hostess received her guests in a gown of red which color predominated throughout the house decorations. In the dining room Mrs. B. F. Willis presided at the coffee urn while Mrs. Albert M. Fisher poured tea.

Centering the linen clothed table was a large mirror upon which was placed poinsettias and on either side while holders held large red candles. A like motif was used on the buffet. Cyclamen and snapdragons were added to the poinsettias in furnishing further floral decorations throughout the rooms.

Receiving hours had been set from 4 until 7 o'clock but many

enrolled in a professional school in Hollywood where she is also studying singing, dancing and dramatics and appears on a weekly broadcast on radio station KGEF in Los Angeles. She has played several small parts in motion pictures and has been engaged to appear in a number of others during this year.

remained long after to visit with old friends. Approximately 80 guests called during the afternoon and evening.

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LAWS THAT MUST BE ENFORCED

With the returns all in, it appears that in Texas two score people lost their lives during the Christmas holidays by reason of traffic accidents...

This is a record that the legislature must face when it assembles in Austin in January. Texas is the largest state in the Union, with great wide-open spaces...

All the laws that can be passed cannot prevent deaths in traffic, but there can be, and must be, laws that will reduce the hazard of the road and which can be, and must be, enforced.

The law will "inconvenience" some people, of course. Some operators of trucks will not be allowed to keep drivers at the wheel until lack of sleep makes them incapable of knowing what they are doing.

Man About Manhattan

By George Tucker

NEW YORK—Bottom of the barrel: James Barton's favorite food is pig's knuckles. Tilly Losch, who won her first fame by dancing a number called "What Is This Thing Called Love?" hints that she may quit England definitely for Hollywood.

Maurice Sterne, the artist, was once a bartender in a Third Avenue beer house. New York's most famous musical comedy theater is the Winter Garden, where Al Jolson, Fannie Brice, Gilda Gray, and other stars of the post-war era won first prominence.

Perhaps the most politically enthusiastic figure on Broadway is Wm. A. Brady, dean of producers. It is said that he can even quote passages from the Congressional Record.

Sidney Kingsley likes to write plays, but not if he has to keep regular hours. Margaret Perry, who is an actress and the wife of Burgess Meredith, is the daughter of Annette Perry, a corking director.

There will be no great rush for export licenses after what happened to Mr. Cuse. One other export came down here to sound out the state department on his proposal to send machine guns and rifles to Spain.

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NEWS

BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

New Year Nuptial

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1—Congress passed a law divorcing the treasury from the federal reserve board, but there seems to have been a morganatic remarriage on the side.

Treasury Secretary Morgenthau is still not a member of the reserve board, not even ex-officio. There is also a natural rivalry between the two organizations which will never be entirely suppressed.

To an outsider, this may not sound like a very important development, but all insiders will consider it so. The two organizations have had the same telephone number for years, but that was about all.

The lack of enthusiastic sponsorship for the child is due to the unannounced fact that no one likes it very much. It was adopted as a necessary expedient, rather than a long term policy.

Mr. Morgenthau hopes it will not cost him very much, but there is every reason to expect the infant credit market by thus issuing interest bearing short term bills in payment for the gold.

Administration could stir up against anyone who tried it.

Notes: Treasury General Counsel Olyphant is not yet packing his bag. Whatever personal differences of policy have arisen lately within the treasury are not likely to prove fatal immediately.

Notes: The most amazing news of the year is that Vice President Garner is actually going to make a speech, and make it before the National Press club.

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TRAIN, PLANE BUS SCHEDULES

Table with columns for T&P Departing Times, EASTBOUND, WESTBOUND, and Bus Departing Times, EASTBOUND, WESTBOUND, NORTHBOUND, SOUTHBOUND.

TUNE IN KBST 1500 KILOCYCLES

Table listing radio programs for Friday Afternoon and Friday Evening, including Harry Reser's Orchestra, McKee String Band, and various musical performances.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes a 'Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle' section with words like SODA, MOSS, SHE, TIDOL, ANTA, HEA, CELLAR, ANNALS, MEN, ORGANDY, SPAN, ASK, IT, PEN, OFT, SLYLY, OR, ENTREES, OS, TULLE, LIFE, AGE, TO, ICE, TIER, LUMPISH, BEG, EMBERS, HOARSE, ABE, LURE, SEAT, FOR, YARE, BITCH.

Grid for the crossword puzzle, with numbers 1-35 indicating starting positions for clues.

6:15 String Ensemble, Standard. 7:00 Emanuel Diaz and Jose Gomez. Songs and Guitar. 7:15 Rowland String Band. 7:30 'Mellow Console Moments,' Jimmie Wilson. 7:45 Newscast. 8:00 'Goodnight.'

FRANK J. WILSON NEW SECRET SERVICE HEAD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31 (AP)—Frank J. Wilson, former internal revenue bureau investigator, was appointed chief of the secret service today by Secretary Morgenthau.

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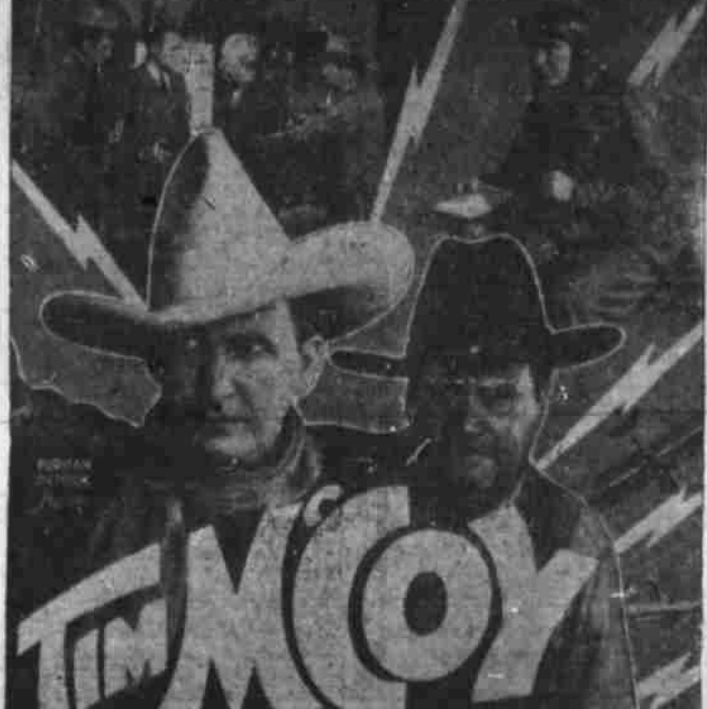
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WHEELER OAKMAN

**PHANTOM RIDER NO. 15**

### Question Man In Fire Death

**Body Of Young Woman Found In Ruins Of S. C. Shack**

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 1 (AP)—Firemen found the burned body of 19-year-old Clara Edens, blackened surgical instruments by her side, in the ruins of a fire-swept shack in West Charleston today.

Coroner James E. Roberts said he would perform an autopsy to determine if the girl was about to become a mother.

Police said Allen Meyers occupied the hut and held him for questioning.

The officers said he told them he left the shack early today and was informed soon after it was afire.

Police removed the charred body as soon as the ruins cooled. The girl's home was at nearby Siasonville.

Police Chief W. A. Tully said Meyers told him:

"She was staying with me. She went to her home day before yesterday and had some trouble with her people and so she came back to stay in the shack with me."

Police thought the instruments might have been stolen from a physician's automobile.

### First National Bank Increases Surplus

First National Bank in Big Spring closed out 1936 with the announcement of addition of \$50,000 to its surplus, bringing the figure to \$100,000.

The addition was made after the payment of the semi-annual dividend.

The increase brings the bank's surplus and capital to \$200,000.

Appointment of T. J. Goode as a director of the bank was announced today by R. T. Piner, vice-president. Goode is one of the leading cattlemen of this section, operating large holdings in Borden county.

**Thanks!**

for a splendid 1936

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Gracie ALLEN  
Mary BOLAND  
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in  
**COLLEGE HOLIDAY**

Marsha HUNT  
Eleanor WHITNEY  
Johnny DOWNS

**SHORTS: METRO NEWS OF THE DAY**  
"TWO LAZY CROWS"

### Confidence All

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

MAX JACOBS, ladies' ready-to-wear—"I think it will improve because everything points that way."

RONALD WOOD, clothing dealer—"It's bound to pick up and we expect the best 12 months since '29."

ALFRED COLLINS, druggist—"I business year since 1929. At least think it will improve."

O. P. GRIFFITH, county agent—"The outlook for 1937 is good. There is a more optimistic outlook on the part of farmers than I have ever seen here. That is because they can see their way out, partly because of the good seasoning, partly because of the government soil program."

R. T. PINER, banker—"Good outlook for 1937, but any phenomenal jump must come from a heavy rise in agriculture prices. With wool up, oil prices better, and plenty of cheap money in the east for those who want it, it should be a better year than 1936."

BEN CARTER, automobile dealer—"Best it has looked. Looks better than 1936 because conditions are better and the model is better. The only thing that could hold us back is deliveries."

V. A. MERRICK, automobile dealer—"In my 11 years in the business I have never seen a better prospective year. We have been selling everything we can deliver."

RUSSELL McEWEN, automobile dealer—"It looks better than anytime since 1928—much better than 1936 when December sales of one of our models exceeded the entire 1933 volume. We can sell as much as we can deliver."

E. V. BEHNKE, city manager—"The next two years should be plenty good. They will give us plenty to do trying to satisfy demands for more service, more paved streets, lower water rates and reduced taxes."

DAVE TOBOLOWSKY, retail merchant—"Judging from what traveling men from the east, north and west tell me, 1937 is going to be the biggest retail sales year on record."

R. M. McNEWE, WPA director—"Based on the number of relief workers certified to us, now and a year ago, economic conditions appear better. Certainly, they are better than a year ago since many apparently are finding private employment."

GEORGE WHITE, farmer-rancher—"The new year looks good to ranchers because of a good underground seasoning, even more so than because of indicated better prices."

NAT SHICK, postmaster—"I look for a little gain in 1937 over the year just finished. Any pronounced gain will have to come from new businesses."

W. T. STRANGE, Jr., chamber of commerce manager—"I am confident that 1937 will see Big Spring going ahead. Many things of permanent, public good should be accomplished."

L. A. EUBANKS, Retail Merchants Credit Bureau manager—"Based on our contacts with the best bunch of businessmen living in any town, we are looking to 1937 as being a better year financially. Do not think that 1937 is just a baby as she is going to be a whopper when she starts."

### Name Airline In Litigation

**U. S. Seeks Penalties In Crash Fatal To N. M. Senator Cutting**

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 1 (AP)—United States District Attorney Maurice M. Milligan filed civil action in federal court today seeking \$3,550 in penalties from Transcontinental & Western Air, Inc. for alleged violations of air commerce department regulations in operation of an airliner that crashed near Macon, Mo., May 7, 1935, killing five.

One victim of the crash was Sen. Bronson M. Cutting of New Mexico. Three survived the accident.

Commerce department officials previously had assessed fines against the company which refused to pay and the suit filed today is an action to enforce collection.

Otto Schmid, assistant federal district attorney, said the alleged violations of regulations set out in the petition did not constitute negligence on the part of T. W. A., and that the action was not a criminal case.

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<b>Tomatoes</b>	No. 1 Can		5c
	No. 2 Can	8c	2 for 15c
<b>SPUDS</b>	WHITE	10 LBS.	23c
<b>Lettuce</b>	ICEBURG	4c	3 FOR 10c
<b>Grapefruit</b>	LARGE, 6 For		19c
	MEDIUM, 6 For		14c
<b>Coffee</b>	MORNING BRACER		
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ADDED: PARAMOUNT NEWS — TRAINING PIGEONS

### Oil Field Explosion Fatal To Three Men

NOCONA, Tex., Jan. 1 (AP)—An explosion in the Nocona oil field near here left three men dead today.

E. R. Crow of Wichita Falls, tank company employe, and Kenneth S. Deeds, 33, of Nocona were killed instantly. Roy Jones, 30, of an oil camp 10 miles north of here died a short time later.

The blast occurred yesterday on the Continental Oil company's Roland lease while the men were welding a "gun-barrel" tank. The cause had not been determined.

The bodies of Jones and Deeds, badly mutilated, were brought here for burial. Each man was survived by his widow and one daughter. No arrangements had been announced for Crow.

### DOCTOR OF QUINTS RESOLVES TO BRING THEM THROUGH 1937

CALLANDER, Ont., Jan. 1 (AP)—Dr. Allan Roy Defoe, who became famous because five little girls died of quints and lived, made just one new year's resolution today.

His resolution was to bring those little girls—the Dionne quintuplets—safely through 1937, just as he did through 1934, 1935, and 1936.

Specifically, "le docteur," as the quints affectionately call him, hopes to prevent his charges from suffering the three common ailments of childhood—measles, quumps, and whooping cough.

Although they were born prematurely, on May 28, 1934, the five so far have escaped the group of children's diseases, and Dr. Defoe has resolved to ward them off this year.

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**NO NEW CLUES IN PLAINVIEW MURDER**

PLAINVIEW, Jan. 1 (AP)—Sheriff J. Kelly Hooper said today routine questioning of friends and acquaintances had brought no developments in the solution of the slaying of E. P. Hamner, 61. Hamner was beaten to death by unknown persons at his filling station near here Tuesday night.

Hamner's body was sent last night to Tuscaloosa, Ala., his former home, after funeral services.

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### Market Specials

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<b>ROAST,</b>	Choice Beef	Lb.	15c
<b>STEAK,</b>	Nice and Tender	Lb.	15c
<b>STEW,</b>	Short Ribs	Lb.	10c
<b>CHEESE,</b>	Full Cream	Lb.	21c
<b>BOLOGNA,</b>		Lb.	10c