

## Truman Forces Delay Plans Of Labor Law

### Tobin Fails To Give Congress 'Blueprint'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28. (AP).—The administration today delayed telling congress what it wants in a new labor law.

Secretary of Labor Tobin has arranged to give the senate labor committee a blueprint this morning, but the meeting was postponed "until further notice."

Tobin had been called as the first witness at public hearings on proposals to repeal the Taft-Hartley law. The committee has decided to end the hearings Feb. 10 despite protests of Senator Taft (R-Ohio) and other Republicans.

President Truman already has told Congress he wants the Taft-Hartley law repealed and the Wagner Act restored with "certain improvements."

The house appropriations committee scheduled Gen. Omar N. Bradley, army chief of staff, and Gen. Hoyt Vandenberg, air force head, to talk over legislation permanently fixing the authorized strength of the armed forces.

Committee members indicated broadly yesterday that President Truman's \$14,288,000,000 defense budget probably would not be cut, but that they might not go along with him on a 46-group air force. Many prefer a 70-group air force which, they said, could be financed by giving the air force the \$800,000,000 the president set aside for universal military training. One lawmaker said Congress just isn't going to pass a UMT bill.

The Senate Banking committee opened "quickie" hearings on a measure to continue export controls, expiring at the end of this month. First witness was listed as secretary of commerce Sawyer.

After export controls, and a voluntary program for dividing scarce items among businesses needing them, are cleared up, the house banking committee turns to rent control and the senate group to housing legislation.

All are part of the president's anti-inflation program. Chairman Leistikoff (D-Mich) of the house labor committee said he plans to hear labor union witnesses give their views on the boost in the minimum wage from 40 to 75 cents or \$1. He said labor will be heard after two administration figures, who testified yesterday and today.

They were Labor Secretary Tobin and Wage-hour Administrator William R. McComb, both enthusiastic backers of the administration plan to boost the minimum wage and spread its coverage to include more workers.

## Legal Papers Ready To Get Federal Aid For Air Terminal

Legal work essential to formal application for Federal aid on construction of a new terminal building at the Big Spring Municipal airport has been completed, city manager H. W. Whitney reported this morning.

The required documents probably will be set up in the prescribed form within the next few days.

City commissioners already have authorized the application, which will be submitted as soon as the Civil Aeronautics Administration formally approves plans and specifications for the proposed building.

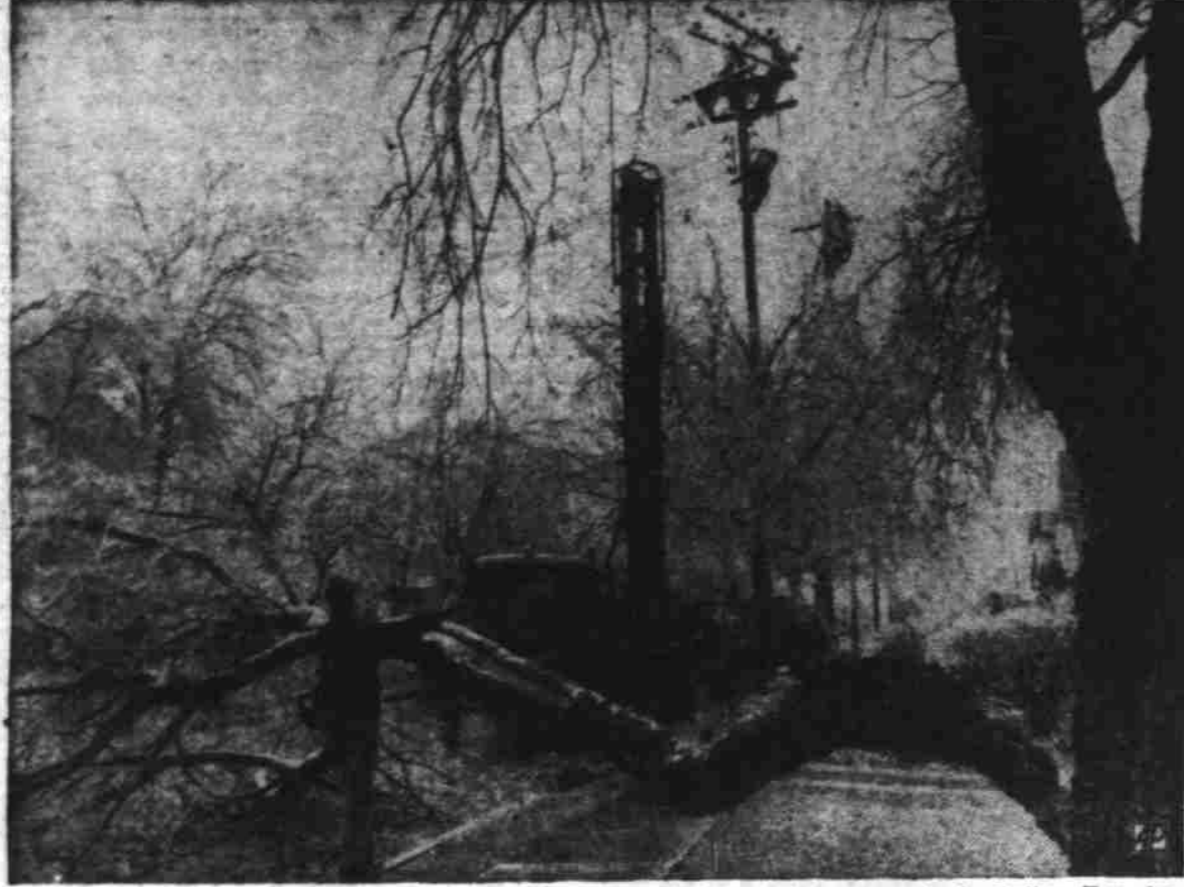
The CAA, government agency which has jurisdiction over such grants, has tentatively agreed to bear half of the expenses for construction of a new terminal building here. Estimates are that the type of building under consideration would cost something over \$30,000.

## New York Star Bows Out Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 28. (AP)—The New York Star, formerly PM, is closing shop because of financial difficulties.

Today's issue is the last. The tabloid daily, only metropolitan newspaper to support President Truman in the recent election campaign, was founded seven months ago as a successor to Marshall Field, 3rd's PM.

DEATHLESS DAYS  
In Big Spring Traffic  
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REPAIR ICE DAMAGE—A power company crew sinks a hole to set a new pole in Dallas, Tex. Ice with the help of a biting wind, snapped off the top of the pole in background and the large tree limb in foreground. Damage to trees and shrubbery was heavy in the two days of freezing rain and sleet that gripped the Dallas area. (AP Photo).

## MORE BAD WEATHER

### Snow, Wind Slows Fight To Save Starving Stock

#### Fear 600 Lost In Sea Disaster

SHANGHAI, Jan. 28 (AP)—More than 600 persons tonight were feared lost in an early morning collision of two Chinese ships off Chu Shan Island, 100 miles south of Shanghai.

The vessels, the passenger freighter Taiping and the freighter Kienyuan, collided in a fog a few minutes after last midnight.

Hours later only 40 of the 650 persons aboard the two ships had been accounted for. The Australian destroyer Waramunga picked up 35 and five others were rescued by other craft.

The Waramunga, en route to Shanghai from Japan, deposited its survivors at the mouth of the Whangpoo river, 12 miles below Shanghai. Language difficulty prevented the Australian officers from learning much about the sea disaster from the Chinese.

The Taiping, operated by the Chung Lien Ship company, was en route to Formosa with some 500 war refugees. It was feared some government officials and their families might have been lost. The vessel carried a crew of 75.

The Kienyuan was carrying coal to Shanghai from Formosa. She normally carried a crew of between 70 and 75 and no passengers.

#### Radio Signals Hint Airmen Safe

LONDON, Jan. 28. (AP)—U. S. Air Force headquarters said today constant radio signals are coming from the area 150 miles northeast of the Canary Islands and are believed to be from survivors of a missing superfortress.

The American B-29 was lost yesterday with 15 men aboard on a flight from Dakar, West Africa, to England.

#### Lodge Says Commies Might Use Filibuster

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—Senator Lodge (R-Mass) argued today that the Senate should kill the filibuster because there is danger it might be used some day by communists.

Lodge told the Senate Rules committee there is no guarantee that communists might not some day gain a foothold in the Senate and be able to tie up legislation by unlimited debate.

#### Pecos Flier Honored For Airlift Heroism

FRANKFURT, Germany, Jan. 28. (AP)—Three U. S. Navy airlift fliers were honored for wartime actions today at ceremonies at Rhein Main Airport. Two others were commended for heroism in an airlift accident.

Those honored included: Chief Aviation Mechanist Mate Sidney D. Pointer, Pecos, Tex.

Break Expected In Cattle Theft Case

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 28. (AP)—A break is expected soon as a result of several months' investigation of cattle thefts in nearby counties, Oscar Warnke, chief investigator here for the Bexar County sheriff's department, indicated today.

#### Stock Of KBST To New Concern

The Herald has been given in Washington by the Federal Communications commission for transfer of stock of the Big Spring Herald Broadcasting company to a new concern, the Big Spring Broadcasting company.

Shareholders in the new company who thus become owners and operators of the local radio station, KBST, are Jack Wallace, president; Howard Barrett, Ablene, vice president; Lewis G. Seibert, San Angelo, secretary; and R. W. Whipkey.

The change in FCC license and in ownership of the station becomes effective immediately. Application for the transfer was filed in May, 1948, at which time the Big Spring Broadcasting company was formed.

Wallace, who continues in active direction of KBST, has been manager of the station since 1940, and for two years before that was on the KBST staff. Barrett is a former Big Spring, having been KBST's manager in 1937-38. He now manages KRBC, Abilene, and Seibert is manager of KGKL, San Angelo. Whipkey, publisher of The Herald, has been president of the local broadcasting company and thus interested in KBST's operations since 1943.

KBST remains as an affiliate of the American Broadcasting company, and will continue its operations without change, Wallace said, "in an endeavor to give Big Spring and the surrounding area the very best in radio service."

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#### JUDGE IN QUANDARY

### Texan Would Aid Woman Facing Sterilization Or Prison

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28. (AP)—With apparently no money to pay for the operation, Mrs. Georgette Brucks faces sterilization or one to 14 years in state prison.

The chubby, 21-year-old brunette—who pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the slaying of her third baby and who now is expecting a fourth—agreed tearfully to submit to the operation. It was made a condition of her six-year probation by Judge Thomas L. Ambrose, in lieu of the prison sentence.

But the problem became enmeshed in fine legal and financial red tape today with these disclosures:

1. There is no provision in California law for forced sterilization of women, except in feeble minded cases. Judge Ambrose said three mental reports indicated Mrs. Brucks is sane.

2. The law does not provide for such operation—except in feeble-minded cases—to be performed at state expense.

The harassed judge emphasized that he did not order Mrs. Brucks sterilized.

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Clothing reported missing from a local store was recovered by city police Thursday afternoon following the arrest of a man and a woman suspected of shoplifting.

#### Your Dimes And Dollars Will Help

Polio Victims Walk Again  
JOIN HOWARD COUNTY'S MARCH OF DIMES

# New Cold Wave Hits West Texas

## Snow Flurries Hail Arrival Of Frigid Weather

The pulsating cold of January's record stretch of frigidly moved over this area again Friday.

Occasional snow was on the forecast, but with the air mass aloft freezing or below, no repetition of glaze conditions was expected.

Big Spring witnessed the spectacle of snow flurries in sunshine for a time Friday morning before a solid overcast moved in from the north.

Temperatures, which reached 49 and melted most of the sleet and ice Thursday, were not due to get above 33 Friday. A minimum of 22 was forecast for Saturday.

Western Union was back in operation after an interruption Thursday, and Southwestern Bell Telephone company reported several new circuits to the east and that the situation was improving rapidly. Telephone outlets now are working in all directions.

High winds aloft, reaching 92 mph, at 20,000 feet, are still bearing in from the west and likely will have an effect on pressing the worst of the current spell to the east. Early in the week temperatures aloft were above freezing in some areas, causing precipitation to fall as rain or soft sleet. Friday the outlook was that whatever precipitation might result would fall as frozen matter and hence avoid ice conditions.

Forty-nine communities, victims of a three-day north Texas ice storm, still were isolated today. Although a bright sun melted the north Texas ice cap yesterday, communications and power services were still badly crippled in a vast area extending from Denison and the Red River on the north to Hillsboro on the south and from Paris on the east to Gainesville on the west.

The new cold front invaded the Panhandle in the early-morning hours, bringing snow and bitter temperatures and by dawn had passed through the great north Texas area which had been imprisoned for three days in a heavy mantle of ice.

The Southwestern Bell telephone company reported 1,300 circuits still out, 5,300 poles broken and 22,000 wire breaks.

Power and phone service failures were reported in all sections of the ice storm area today—at bigger cities like Fort Worth, Dallas, Sherman and Denison as well as in small communities. And all cities were engaged in cleaning up the debris—the tens of thousands of trees felled by ice.

And the bitter weather had brought human suffering—at Dallas alone 250 persons appeared at the welfare bureau, seeking relief.

The heaviest snows today were on the upper reaches of the north plains. The Highway Department had snow plows out at Groom, 40 miles east of Amarillo, on Highway 66, and to Canadian and Perryton and on to Oklahoma City. There was a belief in Amarillo that the snow plows were fighting a losing battle.

There was blowing snow at Pampa, snow whipped by a 35-mile-per-hour wind, and there was snow, too, at Amarillo, Clarendon and Childress. Highways were slick in the Amarillo area. The mercury at Pampa dove to 14 degrees.

Colder weather was forecast for both East and West Texas, with See SNOW FLURRIES P. 9, Col. 3

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## ON EVE OF NEW YEAR

# Quell Revolt In China Army

NANKING, Jan. 28. (AP)—In the chaos of war China awaited an uncertain new year tonight amid a great sea of waning peace hopes.

The Lunar Year of the Rat expires at midnight and the Year of the Ox begins. The new year looked dark for the vast country.

A regiment of Peiping Nationalist troops rebelled at an order to move into Communist country and shot it out with fellow Nationalists bent on forcing them to obey a peace agreement. The Nationalist headquarters said the revolt was suppressed.

Two ships, one rushing some 500 war refugees to Formosa, collided and went down 100 miles from Shanghai. A loss of more than 600 lives, including crewmen, was feared.

Acting President Li Tsung-jen appealed to Red Chief Mao Tse-tung to name negotiators and start the new lunar year off right with a peace conference.

Two of Li's high government officials, the premier and foreign minister, may have deserted him to flee southward. They reportedly feared detention as "war criminals." There were also rumors of a Kuomintang revolt against Li with Chiang Kai-shek taking over once more.

Both Party Chiefs Back Truman Blast At Tulsa Landlords

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28. (AP)—Republicans and Democrats agreed today with President Truman that landlords are making a bad mistake if they try to evict tenants as a protest against rent controls.

Senate Democratic leader Lucas of Illinois told a reporter that senators certainly will look into these evictions when they consider extending federal rent controls that expire March 31.

Senator Saltonstall (R-Mass), acting Republican leader, said: "Personally, I don't think actions of that kind help in the solution of difficult problems."

Lyall T. Beggs, commander-in-chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, said eviction of veterans as a protest measure was a betrayal of men who fought for "the principle of free enterprise which permits men today to continue to be property owners."

He added in a statement that landlords are "playing into the hands of the communists by such action, giving them more material for propaganda against the United States."

#### Sheriff Jails Pair On Burglary Charge

Tommy H. Payne, 21, and Jesse Truman Fulcher, 19, were arrested by members of the sheriff's office this morning on charges of burglaries.

Both made written statements to County Attorney Elton Guiland to the effect that they stole a quantity of clothing belonging to Charles Wyatt, a local contractor, last night after breaking a window pane and entering a building in which Wyatt's crew had been working.

Wyatt had left the clothes behind when he went on a short out-of-town trip. Most of the togery was recovered by Deputy Sheriff C. E. Kiser this morning.

Both of the accused live in a local west-end camp. Fulcher said he had a two-year-old step son.

#### Re-Elect Kokernut

DALLAS, Jan. 28. (AP)—H. L. Kokernut of San Antonio yesterday was re-elected president by directors of the Baptist Foundation of Texas. George J. Mason, Dallas, was renamed executive secretary and Paul Dana, Dallas, re-elected secretary-treasurer.

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You May Want To Vote (On A New Courthouse) Pay Your Poll Tax Now!



## Annexation Of New Territory Serves Many Useful Purposes

This week the city commission took action which results in addition of considerable acreage to the corporate limits.

While such action also poses some problems, it seems to us that the step is a wise one. For one thing it helps "square" up the boundaries not that it is important within itself, but in instances where lines run contrary to section or block lines, and even without regard to center lines of streets, jagged and irregular lines frequently are sources of confusion.

Embracing of new areas also recognizes trends in growth and development. Some of the newly annexed territory does not cover intense building at the moment, but it is in a section which logically may be expected to develop.

Some of the new area is already a beehive of activity and would, as a practical matter, have to be served by the municipality with essential services.

By recognizing the community of interest and extending boundaries, the city brings the area under control imposed by zoning regulations. Left outside, there was nothing, except judicious decisions by those who owned and sold property, to control its uses. Inside, the development now can be bent to a general pattern that will perpetuate the values of property.

From a statistical standpoint, the development in these areas will be reflected in the census of the city, whereas it would not have been.

## No Such Thing As 'Off Year' In Democracy, Pay Poll Tax

Twice before this month we have urged people to pay poll taxes or secure exemption certificates.

But through a sense of alarm that several thousand people in our city and county will be caught napping, we bring the subject up once more in advance of the deadline Monday.

To Thursday morning only 2,329 people had paid their poll taxes and an additional 579 had secured exemption certificates. That means that as of that time, only about 3,000 people were qualified to vote in any election—no matter how important—that might come up during the year. For the opportunity of real democratic expression at the polls, we ought to have a voting strength of at least twice that number, and then the job wouldn't be complete.

Some people have the mistaken idea that there is no point in paying poll taxes

in "off years," that is in years which do not have democratic primaries or general elections.

This is a dangerous idea. Democratic government is not an "on year" process. It is an everlasting, day-in-and-day-out proposition. Actually, primaries and general elections constitute only a minority of our opportunities to raise our voices at the polls. Every year there are school and city elections—vital important ones. Few years go by without some sort of a bond vote, Constitutional amendments, which may affect the general welfare one way or another, are constantly coming up for decisions by the people. Special issues such as charters, tax rate limits, wet-dry, whether to embrace special laws, and many others are always constant possibilities.

If any do come, could you speak with a vote? Not without a poll tax.

Notebook — Hal Boyle

## 'Big Jim' Folsom Pines For Political Honeymoon

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—The governor of Alabama planked one big foot on the drawing room sofa, stretched another long leg on the coffee table and said:

"I ain't had no political honeymoon, but I'm going to get it. The people are going to insist on it.

"The people say, 'why don't they let Big Jim alone?' the people in the streets and the people at the branch heads—they demand a man having a chance. And I ain't had mine."

Easing his six-foot-eight-inch frame deep into the sofa, "Kissing Jim" Folsom said:

"I been in two years now. Morally, essentially and executive speaking, my administration has been a success.

"But my legislative record is a failure. The Legislature hasn't followed what the people endorsed. I haven't had the political honeymoon that any governor is supposed to get. And the people are saying 'Big Jim don't get it this year from the legislature, then he'll get it next year in the election.'"

As he spoke his pretty, brown-haired wife, soon to be a mother, played an old tune on a piano in an upstairs room of the executive mansion. It was "The Missouri Waltz."

Big Jim cocked his head and smiled.

"That's my favorite tune," he said. Folsom's current hero in American politics is Harry Truman. He says his state program for Alabama is the same as the Truman national program. And he feels like Truman, he has had an uphill fight.

Kissing Jim divides Alabama's population into two classes—the "got rocks", who are agin him, and "the people", who are for him. He doesn't include anybody who opposes him in "the people."

All of Folsom's critics—and they are highly vocal about it—concede nobody can teach him anything about the art of getting elected. But they don't think he has shown much talent for governing.

And this riles every one of Big Jim's 285 pounds.

"When you hire a man to mow your lawn, you give him a chance to see whether he can mow it before you start kicking him around," he complained.

"But they started right in kicking me before I had a chance to show them. Even so we've raised school teacher pay from an average of \$1,200 to \$1,900 in two years. And the poll tax? I just been laid headed and wide open for repeal of the poll tax."

Big Jim still has two years to serve. Under state law he can't succeed himself.

Affairs Of The World — DeWitt MacKenzie

## Truman's 'Bold New Plan' To Raise Living Standards

President Truman's idealistic project of aiding backward countries is described by Secretary of State Acheson as a proposal for raising living standards in order to promote political improvements and greater liberty. It would use material means for a non-material end.

Already talks are in progress between United Nations economists and the state department on the implications of Mr. Truman's idea. Over in Europe British Foreign Secretary Bevin pledges that England will join the United States in an all-out "answer-to-communism" crusade against poverty in Africa and the East.

Thus we are beginning to move from the broad conception of the idea towards concrete definition and details for implementation.

Don't let anybody tell you ideas don't count. They're about the only things that do count.

One of my early introductions to this thoughts came back in world war one when I was attached to British general headquarters in France as war correspondent. The morale of many of the troops was buoyed up by the idealism of Woodrow Wilson in his call for self-termination of small nations and for making the world safe for democracy. Day after day as I went up and down the fight-

ing front British officers would stop me and ask eagerly: "What does President Wilson say today?"

Such morale is needed as much today as it is in war.

But to get back to this thought of helping under-privileged peoples. You can't imagine how many folks fall in that category until you've traveled abroad.

I've knocked about a lot in the western hemisphere, in Europe and in Asia. I've been in so many countries I don't know their number off hand. But I can tell you from personal observation that there are literally hundreds of millions of unfortunate who rarely if ever even have enough to eat.

But doesn't charity begin at home? Sure it does, and we've got a lot of inequalities to iron out here in America. Moreover, we haven't any money to throw away.

However, that needn't prevent consideration of the idea of helping the other fellow, especially since by strengthening him we may help defeat bolshevist aggression.

In this connection Secretary Acheson has made an important declaration. He says that very great reservoirs of private capitals are available to back the president's proposal.

## Office His Farm

CHARLESTON, S. C. (AP)—A Charleston dentist runs a profitable farm on crowded King Street in the heart of the city's business district.

The farm is on the second floor of an office building. It's five feet wide and 14 feet long. Eighteen chinchillas live there.

The farmer, Dr. John T. Green, values the relatively rare little South American fur-bearers at \$600 each. He paid \$2,400 for his first four in 1946. He has sold two pairs since then for the same price and counts those he has now as clear profit.

Their peary-grey fur commands a premium price because it is so soft and downy. Sometimes as many as 80 hairs grow from a single root, Dr. Green said. From 135 to 140 pelts are needed for a woman's coat. A small one may cost from \$35.00 to \$50.00.

Probably none of Dr. Green's pelts will wind up on Milady's back.

## EXPANSION PROGRAM



Washington Merry-Go-Round — Drew Pearson

## Senators Mad At State Department, Dutch Reneged On Defense Pact Parley

WASHINGTON—Certain Democratic senators are boiling mad at the state department and even irked at the White House for trying to tell them not to support United Nations policy regarding the Dutch in Indonesia.

The incident is extremely significant. It may indicate what some diplomats have suspected, that the state department was talking loud about forcing the Dutch to pipe down in Indonesia, while playing footsie with the Dutch under the table.

Here is the inside story of what happened. Last week, twelve senators drafted a resolution vigorously supporting United States' and United Nations' position regarding Dutch highhandedness in Indonesia. Most of the resolutions simply repeated the U. S. U. N. demands that the Dutch release political prisoners and retreat to their original lines.

Then the senators added one more clause. They proposed that if Holland did not comply with the U. S. U. N. demands, all Marshall plan aid be cut off to both the Dutch East Indies and Holland. The United States has already cut off ECA aid to the Dutch East Indies but not to Holland.

When the state department heard about this, however, Acting Secretary of State Lovett slipped over to the White House and sounded the alarms. The White House then phoned senate Secretary Les Biffle, who in turn called senate majority leader Scott Lucas of Illinois, plus senators Pepper of Florida and Johnson of Colorado.

The resolution, the senators were told, would be most embarrassing. They were asked to kill it.

No explanation was given as to why the state department was opposed, since the resolution was almost identical with the position already taken by the state department at Lake Success. Nevertheless, the senators were asked to desist. Senator Pepper, who has just become a member of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, and who is on intimate terms with the President, asked that his name be withdrawn. Most others stuck by their guns.

Remarkable Senator Chavez of New Mexico: "What do they expect us to do—just appropriate the money for 'em?"

"I can't recall," observed Ed Johnson of Colorado, "that the senate has abdicated its right to ratify treaties and play its constitutional part in foreign policy."

Note—Other senators who signed the resolution included: Hill and Sparkman of Alabama; Magnuson of Washington; Gillette of Iowa; Kilgore and Neely of West Virginia; Murray of Montana; Malone of Nevada (Rep.).

A significant conversation has been taking place in Europe. The Dutch have told Field Marshal Montgomery that they can't afford to assume their proportionate responsibility under the defense pact because of the heavy cost of military operations in Indonesia.

Indonesia operations for one year cost the Dutch \$438,000,000. Dutch received \$476,000,000 of Marshall plan money from us. In other words, the U. S. A. really is paying for the war in Indonesia, yet the Dutch claim they can't afford to pay their

share of the western Europe defense pact.

Note—Inside reason why some state department officials are jittery about pushing the Dutch too far in Indonesia is for fear they'll pull out of the defense pact. If so, point out realistic diplomats, where else can the Dutch go—in to the arms of Russia, with 90 per cent of their population vigorously anti-Russian?

President Truman was talking to Senator Magnuson and Representative Hugh Mitchell of Washington about a proposed deal with Canada for water storage in British Columbia, from which the Pacific northwest could draw hydroelectric power. The northwest power shortage, they told the president, was due chiefly to the big aluminum plants built there during the war.

"Well, that's your fault," said Truman, eyeing Magnuson.

"How do you mean," inquired the dashing young bachelor senator.

"I mean that you wouldn't rest until you got those aluminum plants established in your state," chided Truman, obviously remembering his senate days when Magnuson had been lobbying to locate war industries in the Northwest. "What do you want us to do—take them away from you?"

"Oh, no," replied the amused Magnuson. "The situation isn't that critical."

Congressman Mitchell commended Truman for "recognizing the needs" of the northwest by approving plans for a Columbia River authority, which will expand and coordinate electric power, flood control and reclamation facilities in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Nevada and Utah.

"It can't honestly be credit for that," deprecated Truman. "The problem we face in the northwest wouldn't exist if the proper planning had been done in the first place."

One lady who was certain the Democrats would stage a comeback in November was Mrs. John McCormack of Massachusetts, wife of the house majority leader. Mrs. M. saved her husband's left-over stationery from the 1946 election; now he doesn't have to buy any. Latest election prophet to come out of the woods is Herbert Hoover. Close friends say that the former G. O. P. president predicted a week before the election that Truman would win because Dewey was "talking down to the American people." When Democratic leaders were looking for a place to store the files of the election-

Broadway — By Jack O'Brien

## Top Magician Winning Tuberculosis Fight

NEW YORK — Personal notes off a New Yorker's cuff:

Ballantine, once a top flight magician in the Broadway world, is coming back after several years' absence. He has been recovering from tuberculosis at Saranac, N. Y., but is now ready to resume his humorous flights into the art of legardeman which delighted vaudeville and night club audiences for so long.

Originally Ballantine was a straight magician, and a fairly good one. But, he discovered, his act was almost exactly the same as so many other magicians were doing and he had to contend with an overcrowded profession. So he started a comedy magician act, one where "nothing went right, everything went wrong." Instantly he was a success and received far more bookings by being a fumbler than he did as a legitimate magician.

It would be difficult to imagine a young Sophie Tucker, but the "last of the red hot mamas" has a worthy successor in Mitzi Green, the one time child movie actress who heads the new show at the Copacabana. Of course, Mitzi has a slim figure, far from the generous qualities of Miss Tucker's. But, the youngster sings with all the gassy enthusiasm and the particular mannerisms of the famed Miss Tucker.

Rehearsing in a new play on Broadway now, Melvyn Douglas was telling about the difficult time he had in adjusting himself after coming out of the Army at the end of World War Two. Douglas had enlisted as a private and he came out a Lieutenant Colonel.

"Coming back to civilian life was tough just as it was for every one who had been in the war," he said. "I think I had a great break of luck, though, for the first job I did on getting

out was to co-produce that Broadway revue, 'Call Me Mister'.

"The cast, as you recall, was made up entirely of ex-service men and women. So for several months there it was really like being in semi-Army life, which made the adjustment to civil life more gradual and easier."

Sonja Henie is back in town with her Ice Revue at the Madison Square Garden which is a delight. I am looking forward to seeing Miss Henie again because there is a mystery which has been confusing me since the war and only she can give the answer.

## WORD-A-DAY

By BACH

## PARVENU

(par've-nū) NOW  
A PERSON WHO HAS RISEN, AS BY THE ACQUISITION OF WEALTH, ABOVE THE STATION IN WHICH HE WAS BORN; USUALLY, IN A BAD SENSE; AN UPSTART



Around The Rim — The Herald Staff

## 'Smith' Proves Most Popular When Alias Name Is Needed

If I ever have occasion to conceal my identity I'll think twice before assuming the name "John Smith" which apparently is the alias most persons prefer whenever they deem it advisable to take such action.

It is presumed that the popularity of "John Smith" as a pseudonym developed from a general belief that more persons sign John Smith validly than any other name, thereby lessening the chances of detection because it would be too great a task for an ordinary person to check all of the John Smith's in the country. For the same reason I would refer to myself as one of the Smith boys if the occasion suggested it, but I would be Bill Smith, not John, because I have been persuaded that the Bills outnumber the Johns in the Smith family.

My authority is the city director for a well known metropolis of some half a million population. In that city 67 Smiths answer to the name William, while only 48 Johns are listed in the Smith section.

In fact John is not popular enough to hold second place, there being 53 men called Charles who are aligned with the Smiths.

The odds also would be with William if the surnames Jones or Brown should command preference over Smith. Charles would be the best bet, however, for anyone wanting to become a Johnson to confuse true identity.

John simply isn't at the top in either of the four families, and that well-known expression "sign your John Henry" certainly did not stem from a popularity poll in this particular city. The Smiths, Browns, Johnsons and Joneses all list five Henrys in their respective households.

A woman seeking an alias probably should select Mary if she prefers either Smith, Jones or Brown as a surname, but if she likes Johnson better, Dorothy is a logical first name. Margaret is next in line for all four families.

That should be enough on the subject—WACIL. (BILL SMITH) McNAIR.

Nation Today — James Marlow

## Communist Rule Fails To Fit 'Radical' Term

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Secretary of State Dean Acheson calls communism reactionary.

He said it at a news conference Wednesday. And he was right. But why was he, since so many people think of communism as "radical"?

Reactionary means going back, not forward. It's a return to the old way of doing things, says the dictionary.

And in its handling of people—disregard for the freedom of the individual—communism has turned the clock back a thousand years.

Radical, in the dictionary, means a sweeping change in laws or government.

And Russian communism, in the 1917 revolution which put them in power, certainly made sweeping changes in Russia.

So anyone who thinks of communism as radical in that sense—a sweeping change—is right.

But if you think of the Communist government as radical in the sense of being new, you're wrong.

Kings, dictators, emperors and ruling groups have run the world for most of history.

They looked upon themselves, or the state, as all important, not the individual.

In their thinking the individual existed for the state, not the state for the benefit of the individual.

Gradually as society grew older, commerce developed, and economic conditions changed—spreading ideas and people—western man finally fought his way to this point.

That a government belongs to the people, not the people to the government, and that all men are free and equal.

Western society developed to its highest point the idea that each human being is a free person.

When the Bolsheviks, now called the Communists, seized power in the 1917 revolution, they were only a minority group in Russia.

They still are a minority group there. Only 6,000,000 of Russia's 200,000,000 are permitted to belong to the communist party.

And that small group—and just because it is so small—runs the country by force.

Did the revolution mean a new freedom for the mass of the Russian people, something that would bring them abreast of the political and individual freedom men in the west were getting?

No. It meant a secret police, jail without trial, shooting or exile to Siberia. It meant a control and secret terror as bad as that under the czars but this story—and Dean Acheson—talks of western man's greatest progress: Political Freedom.

Today And Tomorrow — Walter Lippmann

## Acheson Has The Benefit Of Marshall's Decisions

Mr. Acheson, as General Marshall's successor, takes over many intricate and dangerous problems. But he inherits also the benefit of decisions which only Marshall could have made convincing and acceptable to this country in the postwar era. They are the most fundamental of all decisions—in that they have defined the vital interests of the Western Hemisphere in its relation to the Eastern Hemisphere.

The first of his great decisions was reached after a year of intensive inquiry in Asia, of which the Chinese civil war is only an aspect. It followed, therefore, that the true American policy was not to become involved deeply and irrevocably as a partisan in a struggle of which no man can foresee the outcome—and by not becoming involved, to keep open the door between the new nations of Asia and the older nations of the West.

The second of the great decisions will always be associated with Marshall's name. It was that Europe and the Americas are united, not divided as Americans once thought, by the Atlantic Ocean and its connections in the North Sea and the Mediterranean. Here we are involved by geography, by history, by economic and strategic interest, by our institutions and our culture, and by the religious and moral tradition of which Europe and the Americas are the bearers.

The relations between this Atlantic community and the world beyond it—that is to say the Soviet Union on one hand, and the new nations of Asia on the other—are the central issues of our age. They are misconceived when we reduce them all to the idea that the issue is exclusively whether mankind is to be ruled from Moscow or led by Washington. We are in the presence of history, and of movements among the nations, races, and tribes of humanity that no one government, however powerful, can control—and no ideology, however pretentious and presumptuous, can define.

Our responsibilities, as Marshall defined them, are enormous. But they are not universal, and if, having emerged so recently and so suddenly from our own isolation, we allow ourselves to imagine that we can shape the destiny of the globe, we shall not do what we can and must do because we try to do so many things that it is impossible to do.

The thing we can and must do is to consolidate the Atlantic community. This will not have been accomplished until the partition of Europe is ended, and the Eastern European countries are allowed to re-enter the European commonwealth to which they belong.

Among the things that it is impossible to do is to restore, or even to maintain, the relations between the West and the people of Asia which have existed for the

past two hundred years. That epoch, which began with the British conquest of India in the eighteenth century, is in its last decline.

The end has been honorable and hopeful when Western governments have recognized soon enough that Western Empire in Asia must be liquidated—as we did in the Philippines, as Mr. Atlee did in India. The end has been squalid when the Western governments have clung to the past and have resisted the realities of the present as in Indonesia, as in Indochina, as in Mr. Bevin's adventures with the Arab League. In the case of China, the end has been tragic, especially for those who would not look at and deal with what was happening in China because they were so spellbound by what they believed was happening in Moscow.

The decline of Western power in Asia is so great an historical event that for some time to come it will not be possible for any Western government to have a policy about Asia. That is to say, it will not be possible to have clearly defined objectives and a program for attaining them. For the essence of the matter is that the Asiatic world is now outside the reach of the military power, the economic control, and the ideological influence, of the Western world. Our diplomatic relations and our intercourse with it will have to be developed slowly, tentatively, and modestly, and we shall need for our guidance in this new era not so much a policy as a philosophy.

There are many who think that Western power in Asia will be replaced promptly and inevitably by the Soviet power. They may be right. But those who hold this view may be as wrong in their pessimism today as they were not so long ago in their optimistic notion that at the end of the war Asia would, with some change of the outward formalities return to the status quo ante. There is, therefore, some ground for hope that Asia which has become unmanageable by Western Europe will prove to be unmanageable by Russia.

After all, when the Roman Empire broke up, it had no immediate successor.

## Today's Birthday—

AUGUSTE and JEAN FELIX PIOCARD, twins born Jan. 28, 1884, in Basle, Switzerland, sons of a professor of chemistry. Both chose careers in science and teaching. Both were early enthusiasts in balloon aeronautics. They made a 18-hour flight together in 1913. They served in the Swiss Army lighter-than-air service in 1915. Auguste became a professor of physics at the University of Belgium. Jean became an American citizen and a professor at the University of Minnesota. Both have made record balloon ascensions in the interest of science, but now Jean is interested in soaring still higher, while Auguste concentrates on his bathyscaphs to probe the depths of the oceans.

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**Texas Women Given Important GOP Post**

OMAHA, Jan. 28. (AP)—Mrs. Lena Gay More of Brownsville, Tex., will be on the industry sub-committee for the National Republican Executive committee. She is national Republican committeewoman from Texas. Her appointment was announced by national GOP chairman Hugh D. Scott, Jr.

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**ECONOMIC WINDS HINT U.S. Wages Appear At Post-War Peak**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28. (AP)—The economic winds stirred up a hint today that wages, like prices, may have reached a postwar peak. In some cases, they may have started a downward trend.

More than 300,000 auto and electrical workers of the General Motors Corp., stand to take a two or three-cent an hour pay cut on the basis of the government's declining cost-of-living index.

And officials of at least one major union, the CIO's Amalgamated Clothing Workers, said they have decided against a fourth round of postwar pay boosts because of slackened demands for men's apparel.

The clothing workers are the fourth largest CIO union; only the steelworkers, auto workers and electrical worker unions are larger.

Pay cuts for the auto and electrical workers employed by General Motors appear imminent because their wages are tied by agreement to the government living cost index.

The index took its third straight monthly decline yesterday to 171.4. This covered December prices and was one half of one per cent below November and 1.8 per cent below the August-September peak. But prices still are high—29 per

**Square Dances Win Episcopal Okay**

DALLAS, Jan. 28. (AP)—The Dallas Episcopal diocese voted a budget of \$101,406.30 for the diocese and its share of the national church expense.

Ministers and laymen of the diocese yesterday also agreed that their bishop is right in defending priests who sponsor church square dances.

The diocese is made up of 48 north, east and west Texas counties.

More than 1,000 Syracuse University students are being taught to ski on the campus during the winter.

**In Meeting Tonight**

HOUSTON, Jan. 28. (AP)—Houston landlords meet tonight and the president of the Property Owners Assn. of Houston said the meeting is "liable to be as hot as a firecracker."



**THREATENS FILIBUSTER**—Sen. Russell Long (D-La.) (right) talks with Chairman Charl Hayden (D-Ariz) of the senate rules committee after hinting in Washington that southern senators are prepared to tie up the first session of the 81st Congress by a filibuster if necessary to save the filibuster. Long raised the threat at a rules committee hearing on proposals to provide for a limit to senate debate. (AP Wirephoto).

**Everitt Rites Held Today**

Final rites were to be said at 2 p.m. today at the Eberley chapel for John Ross Everitt, 69, longtime resident of Ackerly.

Mr. Everitt died suddenly Wednesday morning at the home of a son, J. F. Everitt, with whom he was visiting. He had returned with his son to Richland Springs during the week end and was stricken early Wednesday morning.

For the past 14 years, Mr. Everitt has operated a grocery and filling station at Ackerly. Services were to be in charge of the Rev. Bob Criswell, Hermleigh Baptist minister. Burial will be in the Big Spring cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, J. F. Everitt, Richland Springs, and C. R. Everitt, Ackerly; two daughters, Mrs. J. A. Gober, Odessa, and Mrs. Doyle Watson, Jackson, Miss; three sisters, Mrs. A. B. Robertson and Mrs. W. M. Foster, Pyote and six grandchildren.

Palbearers were to be Shorty Kingston, George Hall, E. V. Daniel, Chester Taylor, Pete Thornton, Ernest West.

**Farm Experts Have Plans To Back Up Truman Program**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28. (AP)—United States farm experts have 10 years of Western Hemisphere experience to throw behind President Truman's "bold new program" to raise living standards abroad.

The Agriculture Department recalled that today in a statement explaining how it plans to aid in carrying out Mr. Truman's program, which calls for wide use of American technical skill to help develop the world's backward areas.

The department noted that in 1939 Congress authorized it to lend technicians to Western Hemisphere countries and to help them set up agricultural stations.

"The activity has been going forward continuously since that time," the department said, and there are now plans to extend it to such countries as Afghanistan, Iran, the Philippines, Siam, and Syria in 1950.

**College Expects 300 To Register**

Registration reached 275 at the Howard County Junior College Friday, and prospects were good for a total of 300 before the second semester deadline Saturday evening.

There were still some veteran enrollments to be processed, explained E. C. Dodd, president, and some students have been given leave to transfer from other colleges to HJC when they complete first semester work. Organization of a special class for teachers Saturday morning is expected to add to the enrollment.

Classes were back on regular schedule Friday after a one-day halt Thursday due to hazardous road conditions. No compilation has been made on division of the enrollment between the regular day and the evening classes, but Dodd thought the number might tip in favor of the evening classes.

**New Grain Elevator Set For Fort Worth**

FORT WORTH, Jan. 28. (AP)—Construction of a new million and a half bushel grain elevator in Fort Worth will begin immediately, according to an announcement from Lathrop Grain Corporation of Kansas City.

The structure will be located on a tract in the north yard of the Burlington Lines between Fort Worth and Saginaw.

Completion of the elevator will boost Fort Worth's storage capacity to more than 23,000,000 bushels, said William Holden, executive vice-president of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.

**Federal Money Given States Draws Protest**

WASHINGTON — Grants of federal money to the states are becoming larger each year. And many leaders in the state and federal governments don't like it. The grants-in-aid gradually subtract from the independence of the states, they say, weakening the whole federal system.

Last August the Joint Conference of State Governors and members of Congress at a meeting in Chicago resolved that the grants should be reduced at least 20 per cent in the fiscal year 1950. But President Truman has proposed in his 1950 budget substantial raises, rather than reductions, in the total of grants. The largest increases he suggested were \$290,000,000 for federal aid to education and \$65,000,000 for increased general assistance.

Even without these new programs, however, the 1950 total of grants was bound to be higher rather than lower. This was pointed out in a speech in December by James E. Webb, director of the budget. The federal government was already committed to supply increased funds in grants, in accordance with past acts of Congress.

The practice of giving the states grants-in-aid is as old as the republic, but it has taken on major importance only in recent years. The big boom came in the 1930s, when the states and cities were unable to cope with the needs for work projects and other relief for the unemployed. The peak came in 1939, when \$2,908,999,000 was spent in federal grants.

Since 1946 they have been rising again: \$1,622,068,338 in 1948; \$1,941,784,566 estimated for 1949; and \$2,458,202,454 in 1950 if the President's proposed new legislation is approved. This would not include \$100,000,000 in contract authorizations for the new housing program which the President recommended as another grant measure.

The general idea behind grants is that the federal government should pay part of the bill to enable the states to conduct certain programs in the interest of the nation as a whole. The states themselves administer the grants. The programs chiefly concern health, education and social welfare. Grants are supposed to do two things:

1. Stimulate the states to conduct programs they might not undertake if they had to depend entirely on their own funds. The federal government dangles large sums of money in front of them. It is theirs to use if they match it, usually putting up from about 35 to 50 per cent of the total sum to be spent.
2. Equalize the burden among the rich and poor states.

But that's where the critics begin to differ with the advocates of grants. There is very little equalization of the burden, they claim, and some experts in the Federal Bureau of the Budget agree with them.

In fact, say the critics, grants discriminate against the poor states. To get the big hunks of federal money they obligate themselves to put up matching funds which leave holes in their small treasuries. To engage in the federal program they have to neglect some local programs which might be more important to them.

The federal government, moreover, must necessarily establish certain minimum standards for the programs it helps to finance, and this means a measure of control over local administration. Representatives of the Council of State Governments feel that the whole program tends to violate the well accepted political principle that the unit of government which spends money should be responsible for collecting it.

Neither the Council nor the Governors, however, want the grants program abandoned. They only want it minimized. And they want the federal government to withdraw from tax collections in certain fields where states can step in and raise money to conduct their own social welfare programs. But federal experts, and even Council representatives, admit that this probably would not be the answer. Localities hate to tax their own people, and states try to keep their taxes down because of interstate competition—the effort to provide tax havens for wealthy corporations and individuals.

The programs now financed by grants-in-aid might lag or be abandoned. And even if states and localities impose taxes as heavy as their people can afford, the poor states will end up with revenue which is inadequate for such programs as those now in effect.

**Shine Philips Tells Top Events In Big Spring**

Significant events in Big Spring's history were cited Thursday by Shine Philips who addressed the Kiwanis club at a luncheon meeting in the Settles hotel.

Other program features included a piano selection by Mrs. C. H. Rainwater. She played "Dripping Down Big Spring Trail" taken from the cantata "Big Spring" by Frank Grandstaff.

J. E. Brown was introduced as a new member of the club, while guests were Jack Watkins, Cecil McDonald, Capt. Olyv Sheppard and Frank Scarista of Silver Creek, N. Y.

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# 'The Coming Revival' To Be Radio Topic Sunday Of Dr. P. D. O'Brien

Dr. P. D. O'Brien of the First Baptist church will be heard over KBST at 11 a. m. Sunday on the subject, "The Coming Revival." Scriptural reference will be found in Acts 1:5.

During the evening services Dr. O'Brien will discuss "Revival and Sin," from Acts 2:23. Sunday school will meet at 9:45 a. m. in the new annex adjoining the church. Training Union is at 6:45 p. m.

In preparation for the coming revival, Feb. 20-27, the Saturday night prayer chain will convene at 8 p. m. for prayer and meditation, continuing until 8 a. m. Sunday morning.

J. E. Langston, minister of music and education, will serve as guest director of the choir in both services Sunday. Langston, with his wife and two children, Susan, 2, and David, 4, are visiting here from Seattle, Wash.

"Marks of a Christian," will be discussed by the Rev. Emmett M. Ward at the State Street Baptist church Sunday morning. Sunday school will convene at 10 a. m. Mrs. Marie Redcock will conduct the Wednesday evening prayer service at the church at 7 p. m.

A congregational business meeting will be held in connection with the morning sermon entitled, "Go Forward," presented by the Rev. Lloyd Thompson, pastor of the First Christian church.

Purpose of the meeting is to decide and make plans for a building program.

Basket luncheon will be served in the church basement at noon. During the evening service, the Rev. Thompson will discuss the sermon subject of "Things Unchanged."

Pastor Marvin H. Clark of the Trinity Baptist church will be heard on the subject "Hell" from Luke 16:19-31, at 8 a. m. Sunday morning over KBST. At 11 a. m. he will discuss, "Lord, Thou Knowest All Things," based on scriptures from John 21:17.

During the evening worship hour, pastor Clark will speak on "Him that Loved Us, Washed Us and Made Us," from Rev. 1:5-6.

Wayne Burt will conduct the study on the Gospel of John during the Young People's hour at 6:45 p. m. Sunday school will convene at 10 a. m. for a study of the chapter of Genesis.

"On Being Restored," will be presented by the Rev. Alsie Carleton at the First Methodist church at 11 a. m. Sunday. During the evening worship hour, the Rev. Carleton will discuss, "What Is

the Master Hearing Today." Herbert Katon will sing the anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord," by Roberts, prior to the morning sermon.

Sunday school is at 9:40 a. m. and Youth League meets at 6:30 p. m.

The partaking of the "Lord's Supper," will be observed by the members of the Airport Baptist church, following the morning service on "The Lord's Table," presented by the Rev. Warren Stowe.

Sunday evening, the Rev. Stowe will speak on the subject of "Blessings of the Holy Spirit." Sunday school is at 10 a. m. and Training Union at 6:30 p. m.

Using as his text, Matt. 6:6-13 the Rev. Cecil Rhodes of the West-side Baptist church will speak on "Appreciation" Sunday morning at 11 a. m. At 7:30 p. m., the Rev. Rhodes will present the sermon "Thought, 'God is Able,'" from Eph. 3:20-21. Sunday school is at 9:45 a. m. and Training Union is at 6:30 p. m.

At the First Presbyterian church, the Rev. R. Gage Lloyd will talk on "Jonah and Us—Missionaries" at the morning service and during the evening worship hour, he will discuss, "The Parable—The Father and Two Sons."

At 7:30 p. m. the Boosters will present a musical program under the direction of Mary Kendrick.

"Love" is the subject of the lesson-sermon to be read in the Christian Scientist reading room at 217 1/2 Main at 11 a. m. Sunday morning.

The Golden Text is "How excellent is thy loving kindness, O God! therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of thy wings" (Psalms 36:7).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God" (1 John 4:7), and from page 340 of the Christian Scientist textbook.

Based on the scriptural texts from Isaiah 60:21, 1 John 3:7 and Titus 2:11, the Rev. John E. Kolar of the Main Street Church of God, Corner Tenth and Main, will talk on the sermon topic, "Objections to a Sinless Life Considered," during morning worship at 10:50 a. m.

Sunday school will convene at 9:45 a. m. under the direction of Roy Utt, superintendent. Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:45 p. m., with Georgia Stroppe as leader and at 7:30 p. m. the Rev. Kolar will be heard at the evening service.

Sunday masses at St. Thomas Catholic church, 508 North Main, are at 7 and 9:30 a. m. and daily masses are at 7 a. m. Confessions are heard before the daily mass from 7 to 8:30 p. m. Saturdays. At the Sacred Heart Catholic church (Latin American) Sunday masses are at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. and weekday mass, Thursday through Saturday is at 7 a. m. Novena services will be observed Friday at 7 p. m.

Due to the illness of the Rev. J. R. Maceo, Holy Communion will not be observed at 8 a. m. Sunday morning at St. Mary's Episcopal church.

Other services scheduled will include church school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Services for the day will be presented by William R. Dawes and assisted by John Warfield, lay readers.

At St. Paul's Lutheran church, the Rev. Ad H. Hoyer will conduct the morning service, speaking on the subject of "Peace in the Home Through the Church." Sunday school and Bible class will convene at 10 a. m. and Adult Membership Bible class will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the church.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Cherry At Dorn Church

Funeral for Mrs. Mary Cherry, who died Wednesday after a long illness, was set for 2 p. m. today at the Dorn church, southeast of Westbrook with the Rev. Mason, Garden City, officiating.

Mrs. Cherry left one daughter, Mrs. H. P. Englehart, Westbrook; seven sons, Noel Hugh Cherry, Phoenix, Ariz., I. B. Cherry, Mt. Pleasant; Hal Cherry, Mt. Vernon, John Henry Cherry, Colorado City, Temple Cherry, Hedley, Roy and Marvin Cherry, Westbrook. Pallbearers were to be Charles Englehart, Leroy Englehart, J. D. Englehart, N. W. Stokes, Grover Broughton, Milton Broughton, W. N. Bacon. Arrangements were in charge of Eberley Funeral home.



This little builder is being very careful. But her block house is a rather shaky structure. One swipe of the puppy's paw and down it will tumble.

Even if the puppy keeps a respectful distance, the house is quite likely to fall before it is finished. But it will have served its purpose. It will have given this child entertainment and manual dexterity.

What matters a great deal more is another structure this child is building—the invisible edifice of character. Will its foundation be deep and solid? Will the structure be strong and beautiful? Will it stand the strain of years of living? Will it stand firm if the fierce winds of misfortune blow and the rains descend upon it?

Fortunate is this child if in these early, formative years she is surrounded with the influences that help build strong character. Chief among such character-building influences has always been the Church. Within its walls the child learns reverence, truthfulness, honesty, fair play, unselfishness.

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Sunday	Psalms 118:10-24
Monday	Matthew 7:15-29
Tuesday	1 Corinthians 3:10-16
Wednesday	Colossians 2:19-22
Thursday	Jude 1:17-25
Friday	1 Peter 2:1-7
Saturday	Hebrews 11:1-10

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Mid-Week Prayer Service Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.  
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Bible School ..... 10:00 A. M.  
Second Service ..... 10:50 A. M.  
Preaching ..... 7:00 P. M.

MONDAY  
Ladies' Bible Class ..... 3:00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY  
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# Seventh Annual "Birthday Banquet" Is Held At First Baptist Church

For the seventh consecutive year, crowds thronged the First Baptist church basement Thursday evening for the annual "birthday banquet."

Tables for the 12 months of the year, accommodating the members and guests whose birthdays occur in the particular month were piled high with food and gaily decorated in seasonal motifs.

Entertainment featured a minstrel directed by Mrs. C. H. Mahoney. The all-woman, black-face cast presented a variety of music and banter, introduced by Mrs. J. C. Pickle as interlocutor for the production, "Pancake Heaven."

Mrs. Bledsoe O'Brien, Mrs. Homer Ward and Mrs. J. O. Haygood comprised the "Jammin' Trio." Barbara June Greer, Jan Masters, Susan Houser and Wanda Petty the "Enzy, Moeny, Miny, Mo" quartet. Mrs. M. B. Beam, who directed the music, was Honey, the lullaby singer, and Mrs.

Charles Tompkins was Sara Jane, the piano virtuoso. Special parts were carried by Mrs. Jack Irons as Matilda, Mrs. T. F. Horton as Mrs. T. and Mrs. Reliance Jones as Mrs. Bone. Accompanist was Mrs. H. C. Mobley.

Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor, served as master of ceremonies, introduc-

ing the team captains, who in turn introduced helpers and a number of guests from a dozen other churches. W. L. Mead made presentation of a coffee table to Dr. and Mrs. O'Brien from church members. Invocation was led by J. B. Langston, who is visiting the church.

## Mrs. Don Seale Directs Program For College Heights P-TA Unit

Mrs. Don Seale was program director at a meeting of the College Heights P-TA held at the school Thursday afternoon.

A continuation of the year's theme, "The Evaluation Of The Home," the program featured a guest speaker, Joe Pickle. Taking as his topic, "The Home As A Unit For Developing Democratic Ties And Moral Values," Pickle stated that the home is an unfolding and progressing experience. We can not get along without our home, said the speaker, but our homes must function under changed times and conditions. Competition for the home is terrific and there is much demand for our time, he continued. Pickle concluded his

discussion by adding that we must do a better job of making a home in less time than in the past.

Mrs. Sitton's sixth grade students accompanied by Mrs. Bill Griese, presented a group of musical numbers. Ernest Kennedy announced the folk dance numbers, including three American dances, "Yankee Doodle," "Turkey in the Straw," and "Pop, Goes the Weasel," and a Hungarian number, "The Gypsy Dance."

Mrs. W. N. Norred presided during the business session when the room count was won by Mrs. Sitton's room and the group voted to equip the school kitchen by volunteer contribution of fifty cents from each member. All members were urged to pay their poll tax and to join the "March of Dimes."

Those present were: Mrs. H. H. Stephens, Mrs. J. O. McCrary, Mrs. Zarah LeFever, Mrs. J. E. Freeman, Mrs. Norman Spencer, Mrs. H. E. Clay, Mrs. R. S. Bluhm, Mrs. Haley Haynes, Betty Collins, Mrs. Leon Kenney, Mrs. J. W. Croan, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. H. E. McPherson, Mrs. W. B. Martin, Mrs. W. N. Norred, Mrs. Clyde Johnston, Mrs. J. E. Hogan, Mrs. Jesse Bailey, Russell Craft, Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Cooper Brown, Mrs. Arthur Leonard, Mrs. Charles N. Staggs, Mrs. C. E. Marstrand, Mrs. Ralph Wyatt, Mrs. Troy Gifford, Mrs. Eddie Savage, Mrs. J. C. Daugherty, Mrs. J. M. Saunders, Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mrs. Joe Hamby, Mrs. W. I. Carr, Mrs. Harvey Wooten, Mrs. Ray Griffin and Mrs. Ted Groehl.

## Tulsa Landlords Scorn Censure Of President

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 28. (P)—Tulsa landlords gave no indication today they would slacken their assault against federal rent control proposals despite censure from Washington.

President Truman told a news conference yesterday their plan of mass evictions was the wrong approach to the problem and he did not think they would get away with it.

The national housing expediter said his office would go into the courts to stop evictions if necessary.

The Rev. Wallace J. Murphy, a leader in the eviction action, termed Truman's statement puzzling. "We are American businessmen," he said. "We simply want to go out of business. It is unprofitable."

Murphy, a Baptist minister, claims he and other landlords can't operate if pending rent control bills before Congress become law and therefore they are sending their tenants eviction notices.

At Kansas City the move gained some support last night. The Property Owners Assn. of Kansas City voted their sympathy and support to the action but left the matter of evictions up to the discretion of each owner.

Tighe E. Woods, national housing expediter, said: "If landlords refuse to withdraw notices the office of housing expediter will seek to enjoin such evictions by action in the courts."

**Wildcat Coach At Grid Feast**  
Tonto Coleman, popular coach of Abilene Christian College, will be speaker at the annual banquet honoring the Big Spring high school football team here Thursday.

The affair, traditionally sponsored by the Lions club, has been set for 7:30 p. m. at the Settles, and is a ladies night event. It also is open to the public and fans and friends of the football team are requested to make advance registrations through Dan Conley, secretary.

Coleman, who addressed the banquet gathering in 1947, is the first repeat visitor in the nine years that the Lions club has been sponsoring the banquet.

Members of the team will be recognized by Herschel Stockton, coach, and in charge of the program will be John L. Dibrell, former coach of the Steer football team. The meeting will supplant the regular session next week.

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## Youth Groups Have Joint Meet To Plan Party

Tri-H-Y and Hi-Y Club members met Thursday afternoon at the YMCA in a joint session to discuss plans for a party to be held Monday night.

Bobbie Jean White and Judy Beene were accepted by the Tri-H-Y as new members.

Plans were made for a dance to be held in March.

Two films concerning the future and careful driving were shown to the group.

Those attending were: Vevagene Apple, Janelle Beene, Ann Crocker, Dolores Franklin, Susan Houser, Mary Louise Porter, Peggy Toops, Nancy Whitney, Joy Williams, Pat-ty Young, Quepha Preston, Thelma Lou Tucker, Muriel Floyd, Rodney Staggs, Woody Woods, Jimmie Jennings, Jackie Jennings and L. E. Milling.

## Dorothy Knappe Becomes Bride Of J. W. Neece

Dorothy Fay Knappe, daughter of Mrs. Lydia Knappe and A. Knappe, and J. W. Neece of Fayetteville, Tenn., were united in marriage Wednesday.

Dr. P. D. O'Brien read the single ring ceremony in his home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Perry Bailey attended the couple. Mrs. Bailey is a sister of the bride.

The bride was attired in a white dress, with a turquoise scarf at her throat and black accessories. Mrs. Neece is employed at Banner Creamery.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Big Spring.

**Dessert Bridge Session Is Held In Chrane Home**  
Mrs. Travis Carleton won high score at the meeting of the Dessert Bridge club in the home of Mrs. L. D. Chrane, 1502 11th Place, Thursday afternoon.

Second high score was won by Mrs. Jack Irons and low by Mrs. Charles Tompkins. Mrs. Jack Cook binged.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mrs. Bob McEwen, Mrs. Jack Cook, Mrs. Travis Carleton, Mrs. Tommy Hutto and guests Mrs. Allen Huddleston, Mrs. Hammons Mobley, Mrs. Jack Irons and Mrs. Charles Tompkins.

## Money From Son's Piggy Bank Used To Pay Man's Fine

Francisco Alvarado paid off the last portion of a \$25 fine in justice court Wednesday afternoon with money he said he had borrowed from his son's piggy bank.

In making the final payment, Alvarado brought the bank to court with him, forced it open and removed \$3 from it, all in nickles, which he turned over to Justice of Peace Owen Leonard.

Alvarado was fined the original amount Dec. 18 on a charge of simple assault. He reportedly was in a fight with one Leandro Juarez.

## Pastors In Tribute To Sally Chiefs

Tributes were paid by members of the Big Spring Pastors association to Capt. and Mrs. Olvy Shepard Thursday at a breakfast affair in the Maverick room at the Douglass hotel.

The Sheppards, in charge of Salvation Army work here for the past four years, leave Feb. 2 for High Point, N. C.

Arrangements for the affair were in charge of the Rev. Lloyd Thompson and the Rev. John Kolar. In formal action, the association expressed regrets at the transfer of the Sheppards and appreciation for their ministry in Big Spring. Rev. James Parks, president, presided, and several wives of the ministers were guests.

## Fog Hampers Search To Missing B-29

LONDON, Jan. 28. (P)—A heavy fog hampered today's efforts to search for a U. S. Air Force B-29 missing over the Atlantic with 15 men aboard.

Six B-29s were to have taken off last midnight from Marham, England—the missing plane's home base—to join the hunt. But an Air Force spokesman here said only two got away before the fog closed in.

**Stove Fumes Fatal To Texas Newlyweds**  
LONG BEACH, Calif., Jan. 28. (P)—Carbon monoxide from a burning heater is responsible for the deaths of Texas newlyweds Herman and Avis Patterson, police believe. Patterson, 25, employed by an oil survey firm, married his 21-year-old bride at Hooks, Tex., Jan. 6. Transferred here, the Pattersons rented the apartment with the deadly heater less than two weeks ago. Their bodies were discovered yesterday.

Only four lettermen are returning to the hardwood with the Cornell basketball squad this season.

## New Club Organized

The organizational meeting of the Busy Fingers and Fancy Doers Sewing Club was held in the home of Mrs. W. O. McClendon Wednesday. Club members plan to have a project for each month.

Each project will be designed to aid a needy cause. Project for this month is to sew for the lunch room at the Midway School.

Officers elected were: Mrs. C. B. Lawrence, president, Mrs. Walker Reed, secretary, and Mrs. E. W. Love, reporter.

Mrs. J. E. Brown was presented a birthday gift.

It was announced that the next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Bill Parks on February 9. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Bill Parks, Mrs. Howard Campbell, Mrs. E. W. Love, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. Walker Reed, Mrs. M. F. Bryant, Mrs. C. B. Lawrence and the hostess.

## Coke Party Given For Bride-Elect In Rudeseal Home

Anna Claire Waters, bride elect of Elbert Boulouin, Jr., was named honoree at a coke party and surprise potterry shower in the home of Wilma Rudeseal, 1106 E. 14th.

Those attending included Patti McDonald, Melba Douglass, Cudie Selkirk, Norma Jones, Muriel Floyd, Francys Weir, Billie Jean McClure, Evelyn Anderson, Bobbie Green, Mille Balch, the honoree, Miss Waters and the hostess, Miss Rudeseal.

## Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Fox were in Lamesa this afternoon to attend funeral services for Mrs. Fox's uncle, J. R. Skeen, who died Wednesday night in a Temple Hospital.

## Returns Home

Johnnie Carl Grantham, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Grantham, has returned to his home after surgery at the Malone and Hogan Clinic Hospital. Johnnie Carl had an emergency appendectomy about two weeks ago.

## Pack To Meet

Cub Scout Pack 44 will meet at the North Ward School Monday at 7:30 p. m. for a regular session. Mrs. Frank Wilson, den mother of Den 1, will direct the program. All parents have been asked to attend the meeting.

## Blount To Sponsor Prison Reform Bill

R. E. (Peppy) Blount, representative of the 91st district, has been chosen to introduce one of the measures pointing to reforms in the Texas Prison System.

Following Gov. Beauford Jester's appeal to the legislature to give the reform program emergency status, Blount was directed to introduce the bill which would remove from the board of control necessity of passing on building improvements. The board, he said, was amicable to the alteration in order to expedite the construction considered basic for adequate housing and segregation of prisoners according to types and ages. Prison reform was one of the points in Blount's platform.

## HEAR Marvin H. Clark Speak On

"Hell," from Luke 16:19-31 at 8 a. m. over KBST morning subject.

"Lord, Thou Knowest All Things," John 2:17 evening service.

"Him That Loved Us, Washed Us and Made Us." Rev. 1:5-6.

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## Theatre Party And Social Are Held By Sorority

Prior to a theatre party downtown, members of the Alpha Chi chapter of the Epsilon Sigma Alpha were entertained with a social in the home of Ruth Webb, 900 Douglass, Thursday evening.

An arrangement of pink hyacinths flanked by lighted green tapers in silver candelabra served as the centerpiece for the lace-laid refreshment table. Pink and green ice floated in the punch bowl. Table appointments were of crystal and silver.

Those attending were Patsy Shannon, Leatrice Ross, Edna Shannon, Wanda Richardson, Rhoda Miller, Bo Bowen, Jackie Hatcher, Jamie Bilbo, Jean Phillips, Dorothy Day, Mary Ann Goodson, Peggy Uthoff, Claire Yates and the hostess, Mrs. Webb.

## Mrs. Hershel Petty Is Bridge Hostess

Mrs. Hershel Petty was hostess to the Modern Bridge Club at a session held Thursday afternoon in her home, 1110 Wood. Mrs. Hal Culp won high score. Mrs. Al Aton and Mrs. Bill Edwards, binged.

It was announced that Mrs. Aton will be the hostess on February 10.

Those present were: Mrs. R. W. Hallbrook, Mrs. Hal Culp, Mrs. John Brinner, Mrs. Al Aton, Mrs. Elvin McCrary, Mrs. Joe Fowler Brooks, Mrs. Escol Compton and Mrs. Bill Edwards.

## YMCA Square Dance Session Is Held On Thursday Night

Members of the YMCA Square Dance Club entertained in the YMCA headquarters Thursday evening.

Hubbard and his string band provided the music.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Omar Pitman, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blum, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shive, Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roden, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Baker and guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cadberry, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Harbin and Lynette Blum.

## Leper Workers Plan Local Appearance

Plans were completed for the local appearance of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Kellersberger on February 25, when the executive board of the Big Spring United Council of Church Women met in the home of Mrs. John Warfield Friday night for a covered dish supper.

Dr. Kellersberger is the general secretary of the American Mission to Lepers. The local appearance is part of a tour and is scheduled for the First Presbyterian Church at noon, Friday, February 25. Dr. Kellersberger established and supervised the Bibiana Leper Colony in the Belgian Congo. The luncheon meeting will be open to the general public.

Plans were also made for the first council meeting of the year which is scheduled for Monday at 3 p. m. in the First Christian church.

Mrs. J. D. Benson, new council president, presided during the business session.

Syracuse will be competing in gymnastics for the second season this winter.

Those present were: Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. Arthur Pickle, Mrs. L. B. Edwards, Mrs. J. D. Benson, Mrs. John F. Warfield, Mrs. D. T. Evans, Mrs. Sam Baker, Mrs. Tom Rosson and Mrs. Truitt Thomas.

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## Fat Is Not a Nice Word When Applied to the Body

Don't say it's your thyroid while reaching for the box of chocolates. Possibly one bulky person in 100 has some glandular disturbance and that is truly a case for a physician. Never take any treatment for a gland condition without your doctor's advice. But for the other 99 per cent who are trying to fight the "Battle of the Bulges" common sense is the watchword. It is not necessary to overeat and it is not necessary to go hungry, either. Furthermore, it just doesn't make sense to go on a strenuous diet—take off weight and then quickly put it back on again when the diet period is over. For it is obvious that one cannot construct a starvation diet over a protracted period. Within the last year or so, several diet and vitamin "plans" have appeared on the market, which means cut down on the food intake and fortify with vitamins for hunger distress. But as mentioned above, you can't keep this up very

long and when you quit—back comes the fat. An exhaustive survey recently made among Texas druggists showed one outstanding reducing aid is not based on the diet and vitamin "plan." It allows you to eat plenty. You eat all you want but you eat LESS. Sounds like double talk, but it isn't. It definitely stops you from eating more than necessary for the energy you spend. At the same time, it dehydrates and eliminates. Nearly one and a half million bottles of this preparation, called Barentine has been sold in Texas in the past four years. You can get a four-ounce bottle of Barentine from any Texas druggist. Mix with 12 ounces of canned grapefruit juice and take just two tablespoonsful twice a day. If the very first bottle doesn't show you the simple, easy way to lose that ugly fat, the makers agree to refund your money.

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## Events OF THE COMING WEEK

- FRIDAY**  
STERLING TEMPLE 43 of the PYTHIAN SISTERS will meet in the KP hall at 7:30 p. m.  
WOODMAN CIRCLE meets in the WOW hall at 7:30 p. m.  
MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM meets in the home of Mrs. O. W. Chowna, 217 City, at 7:30 p. m.  
CITY FIREMAN'S AUXILIARY meets in the home of Mrs. R. R. Fields, 306 E. 4th, at 7 p. m.  
**SATURDAY**  
ALL HYPERION CLUBS will meet in joint session in the Episcopal Parish home at 3 p. m.

## Father Of Former Governor Allred Dies In Houston

HOUSTON, Jan. 28. (P)—Renne Allred, 84, father of former governor James V. Allred, died here last night at the home of his son.

Allred, a retired rural mail carrier at Bowie, had been in ill health for some time and had been seriously ill for ten days. He was a native of Grayson County.

Survivors besides the former governor include his widow, Mrs. May M. Allred of Bowie; four other sons, O. H. Allred and Ben Allred, both of Fort Worth, R. S. Allred of Odessa and Renne V. Allred, Jr., of Austin; a daughter, Mrs. T. J. Christian of Fort Worth, 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## Given Party

GARDEN CITY, Jan. 27—Addie Lee Cook, Midland, was honored Sunday with a birthday dinner at the Clay Wells ranch.

Nettie McMasters, teacher at the Sterling City schools, was here for the occasion.

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**DICKIE DARE**

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YOU YOUNGINS HAIN'T ET ENOUGH TO KEEP A BABY ALLIGATOR! --HAVE SOME MORE!

YOU TOO DANIEL!

WH—HELP—NOT FOR ME THANKS --I HAD PLENTY!

WELL, I NEVER NOTICED YOU GUNS TO BE SUCH QUANTY EATERS BEFORE! --BUT IT WON'T GO TO WASTE WARMED UP IT'S A HEARTY BREAKFAST!

**NANCY**

HERE COMES FAT SLUGGO

WHY THE BIG SHOES?

TO CHEER ME UP

I'VE BEEN SO DEPRESSED SINCE I GOT FAT--

NOW I CAN SEE MY FEET AGAIN

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**OAKIE DOAKS**

OAKY I KNOW NOW IT WAS LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT!

PRINCESS LEETA! P-PLEASE!

SMACK!

DON'T DO THAT AGAIN!

Y-YOU'RE MEAN!

BOP!

HELP! HELP!!

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**MEAD'S fine BREAD**

**LIL' ABNER**

SO WHAT EF TH' TURNIP TERMITES DID ROOM DOGPATCHES--SO WHAT EF NODODY THAR GOT NOTHIN' T'EAR NOR WEAR? THAR GOOD NEIGHBORS'LL HELP 'EM!

HA!! PUT ON THE SECOND REEL!

HERE'S FOOD DOGPATCHES! YORE GOOD NEIGHBORS IS A-COMIN' T' TH' RES-KEW!

NO TRESPASSING!!

HE IS A VAN LUMP GUARD. WE PURCHASED A NARROW CIRCLE OF LAND SURROUNDING DOGPATCH. NO ONE IS ALLOWED THROUGH!!

WAL--THEY KIN DRAP FOOD FUM AIRPLANES--C CAN'T THEY?

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**BLONDIE**

DAGWOOD YOU PROMISED TO SWEEP THE CELLAR FOR ME TODAY

I'VE GOT TO THINK FAST

WHICH WOULD SOUND BETTER--IF I SAID I HAD A PAIN IN MY SHOULDER OR A SWOLLEN ANKLE?

NOW, DON'T GIVE ME THAT LINE ABOUT A PAIN IN THE SHOULDER OR A SWOLLEN ANKLE

HUSBANDS SOBBY LOT

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**ANNIE ROONEY**

I TRIED TO GET THE BOYS TOGETHER TO HELP ME FIGHT HIGH JACK-- BUT THEY'RE TOO SCARED

SAY, I GOT AN IDEA

YOU KNOW THE OLD GAG, 'IF YOU CAN'T LICK 'EM, JOIN 'EM'-- HIGH JACK IS MONEY-MAD--

SO WHAT?

WHY NOT GET IN TOUCH WITH HIGH JACK-- TELL HIM ABOUT THE MILLION BUCKS THAT BUNK BURR IS HOLDIN'--

YOU COULD BE RIGHT-- A MILLION DOLLARS WILL MAKE ANYBODY STOP AND THINK

HONEST, I DON'T KNOW IF FATHER IS RICH OR NOT, 'CAUSE ME AN' HIM DON'T KNOW EACH OTHER VERY LONG--

HAS HE BEEN SENDIN' YOU AWAY TO A PRIVATE SCHOOL?

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I DO HOPE THEY WILL FEEL AT HOME HERE IN THE BIG CITY, MR. TYLER

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SHUX--I THOUGHT YE HIRD A PAIR OF BLUE-NOSE MULES

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**PATSY**

I WILL BE GLAD TO DIRECT YOU TO THE ADDITION STUDIOS!

THAT'S THE TICKET, KID!...NEAL TICKET, THAT IS...HA! HA!...TELEVISION WAS SMART TO WAIT FOR ME!

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**Crossword Puzzle**

**ACROSS**

1. Jump
2. Soft mineral
3. Table protectors
4. Blunder
5. Butter substitute
6. Seed covering
7. Shaft of moon
8. Title
9. Platform
10. Coupled
11. Guss
12. Information
13. Fine openwork fabric
14. Spiral staircase
15. Behavior
16. Large volumes
17. Moving wagon
18. Give
19. Incline
20. Sound of disapproval
21. Minute orifices
22. Replenish
23. Pellet
24. Above
25. American Indian
26. Optical glass
27. City in Indiana
28. Final
29. Glut
30. Period of time

**DOWN**

1. Finished edge
2. Mountain bomb form
3. Things produced
4. Book of the Bible
5. Malt liquors
6. Pasture
7. Likened
8. Madman
9. Sandalwood tree
10. Note the speed
11. Vehicle on runners
12. Nostril
13. Luron tribe
14. Thick piece
15. Step
16. Matrons
17. Flowers
18. Too great a burden
19. Narrow road
20. Purpose
21. Labor
22. Desire for water
23. Kind of balsam
24. Offend
25. Move on wheels
26. Insect plant
27. Swamps
28. Harbor
29. Turnover
30. Masculine name
31. Zigzag

**Solution of Yesterday's Puzzles**

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**Herald Radio Log**

**FRIDAY EVENING**

8:00 KBST-Sports Spotlight KRLD-Beulah WBAP-Supper Club	8:00 KRBST-Off the Record KRLD-Ford Theatre WBAP-Smith of Hollywood	10:00 KRBST-Tomorrow's Headlines KRLD-World at Large WBAP-News
8:15 KRBST-Elmer Davis KRLD-Jack Smith WBAP-Falstaff Serenade	8:15 KRBST-Off the Record KRLD-Ford Theatre WBAP-Smith of Hollywood	10:15 KRBST-Headlines KRLD-In Your Name WBAP-News
8:30 KRBST-Say It with Music KRLD-Club 13 WBAP-Smile Program	8:30 KRBST-Easy Listening KRLD-Ford Theatre WBAP-Red Skelton	10:30 KRBST-Come for Thought KRLD-World at Large WBAP-News
8:45 KRBST-Say It with Music KRLD-Ed. R. Murrow WBAP-News	8:45 KRBST-Easy Listening KRLD-Ford Theatre WBAP-Red Skelton	10:45 KRBST-Dance Orchestra KRLD-Hillbilly Hall of Fame WBAP-News
9:00 KRBST-News KRLD-Jack Carson Show WBAP-Band of America	9:00 KRBST-Prudny We Hall KRLD-Phillip Morris Show WBAP-Life of Riley	11:00 KRBST-News KRLD-News WBAP-Golden Gloves
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9:30 KRBST-This is Your FBI KRLD-Mr. Ace and Jane WBAP-Jimmy Durante	9:30 KRBST-Serenade in Swing KRLD-Pause that Refreshes WBAP-Texas Legislature	11:30 KRBST-Dance Orchestra KRLD-Mel Cox's Ranchboys WBAP-Golden Gloves
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6:00 KRBST-Hillbilly Time KRLD-Shelley's Almanac WBAP-Old Chisholm Trail	6:00 KRBST-Shopper's Special KRLD-CBS News WBAP-Morale News	10:00 KRBST-News KRLD-News WBAP-Meet the Meeks
6:15 KRBST-Hillbilly Time KRLD-Shelley's Almanac WBAP-News	6:15 KRBST-Shopper's Special KRLD-Parade Revival WBAP-Slim Bryant	10:15 KRBST-Portraits in Melody KRLD-Let's Pretend WBAP-Meet the Meeks
6:30 KRBST-Agriculture Show KRLD-A & M Farm Review WBAP-Farm Editor	6:30 KRBST-Shopper's Special KRLD-Bid Hardin WBAP-Life of Riley	10:30 KRBST-News KRLD-News WBAP-Smiling Ed McConnell
6:45 KRBST-Agriculture Show KRLD-Garden Gate WBAP-Farm Magazine	6:45 KRBST-Shopper's Special KRLD-Parade Revival WBAP-Sat. Morning Roundup	10:45 KRBST-News KRLD-News WBAP-Smiling Ed McConnell
7:00 KRBST-Martin Astrosky KRLD-Morning News WBAP-News	7:00 KRBST-American Jazz KRLD-Red Barber's Club WBAP-Mary Lee Taylor	11:00 KRBST-Freddy Martin KRLD-Theatre of Today WBAP-Sunday School Lesson
7:15 KRBST-Musical Clock KRLD-Hillbilly Club WBAP-Early Birds	7:15 KRBST-American Jazz KRLD-Red Barber's Club WBAP-Mary Lee Taylor	11:15 KRBST-Freddy Martin KRLD-Theatre of Today WBAP-Sunday School Lesson
7:30 KRBST-News KRLD-News WBAP-Archie Andrews	7:30 KRBST-This is for You KRLD-Record Revue WBAP-Archie Andrews	11:30 KRBST-Christie KRLD-Christie WBAP-Robin's Roost
7:45 KRBST-Sons of Pioneers KRLD-Record Revue WBAP-Early Birds	7:45 KRBST-Saturday Strings KRLD-Record Revue WBAP-Archie Andrews	11:45 KRBST-Music Hall KRLD-Record Revue WBAP-Red River Central

**SATURDAY AFTERNOON**

12:00 KRBST-Three Suns KRLD-Radio Revival WBAP-News	12:00 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Radio Revival WBAP-Rodeo Broadcast	4:00 KRBST-Tea and Crumpets KRLD-Saturday at the Chase WBAP-News
12:15 KRBST-Ring Rings KRLD-News WBAP-Murray Cox	12:15 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Radio Revival WBAP-Rodeo Broadcast	4:15 KRBST-Tea and Crumpets KRLD-Saturday at the Chase WBAP-Wormwood Forest
12:30 KRBST-News KRLD-News WBAP-Mae on Farm	12:30 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Cross Section USA WBAP-Rodeo Broadcast	4:30 KRBST-Tea and Crumpets KRLD-Make Way for Youth WBAP-Hobby's Hoopla
12:45 KRBST-Luncheon Serenade KRBST-Give and Take WBAP-Mae on Farm	12:45 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Cross Section USA WBAP-Rodeo Broadcast	4:45 KRBST-Tea and Crumpets KRLD-Make Way for Youth WBAP-Hobby's Hoopla
1:00 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Stan Danarchy Or. WBAP-Nat'l Farm & Home	1:00 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Cross Section USA WBAP-Rodeo Broadcast	5:00 KRBST-Speaking of Songs KRLD-Christie Science WBAP-News
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1:45 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Country Journal WBAP-Report on Europe	1:45 KRBST-Metropolitan Opera KRLD-Treasury Bandstand WBAP-Frank Merritt	5:45 KRBST-Communism KRLD-City Light WBAP-News

**SATURDAY EVENING**

6:00 KRBST-Treasury Band KRLD-Winner Take All WBAP-Music You Enjoy	6:00 KRBST-Sat. Night Bandstand KRLD-Gang Busters WBAP-Your Hi Parade	10:00 KRBST-Tomorrow's Headlines KRLD-World at Large WBAP-News
6:15 KRBST-Bert Andrews KRLD-Winner Take All WBAP-Music You Enjoy	6:15 KRBST-Sat. Night Bandstand KRLD-Gang Busters WBAP-Your Hi Parade	10:15 KRBST-Music Camlight KRLD-CBS Orch. WBAP-Sat. Night Studio
6:30 KRBST-Western Swing KRLD-Takes the Show WBAP-The Sunshiners	6:30 KRBST-Amazing Mr. Malone KRLD-Takes the Show WBAP-Your Hi Parade	10:30 KRBST-Rhythm Roundup KRLD-Dance Parade WBAP-Via
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7:15 KRBST-Melody Parade KRLD-Gene Autry WBAP-Hollywood Theatre	7:15 KRBST-Musical Sketches KRLD-Big "D" Jamboree WBAP-Dance Day	11:15 KRBST-Dance Orchestra KRLD-Dance Parade WBAP-Jack Wye Orch.
7:30 KRBST-Famous Judy Trials KRLD-Phillip Morris WBAP-Truth or Consequences	7:30 KRBST-Serenade in Swing KRLD-Phillip Morris WBAP-Grand Ole Opry	11:30 KRBST-Dance Orchestra KRLD-Dance Parade WBAP-Jack Wye Orch.
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# Jayhawks Entertain Odessa Wranglers Here Saturday

## Brigades Stack Up About Even

Odessa Junior College's Wranglers move into town Saturday night for a Western Zone basketball conference game that could relegate the loser to the cellar. Scene of action is the Steer gymnasium, starting time 8 o'clock.

The debate was originally scheduled to be played here last Tuesday but the bad weather forced a postponement.

The Odessa coaching staff expressed hope that the game could be played sometime next month but Harold Davis, the local mentor, said tonight would be the only open date for his club.

H.C.J. will be trying to break a six-game losing streak but may have to go into the struggle without the services of Gil Barnett, a reserve. Barnett, reportedly, did not take his final exams because of illness and must remain out of action until he does.

The two teams stack up about even. The night after Wayland beat the Hawks by 13 points, the Pioneers took the floor against Odessa and won by 15 points.

In a previous meeting at Ranger the Big Springers succeeded in nudging the Wranglers by a single point.

Odessa defeated the Hawks twice in league play last season. The Wranglers boast a small club but a fast one. The Hawks faced the same type of team in Frank Phillips JC at Borger and lost.

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## Midland Quint Clips Steers In 3AA Bout

Midland's basketball opportunists added insult to injury by flooring the Big Spring Steers for the second time in two District 3AA starts here Thursday night, this time by a score of 27-30.

As the largest crowd of the season looked on, the Canines went out in front early and stayed there all the way, shattering the Big Springers' famed home-court jinx. The Steers had not lost a game here all season until the Bulldogs were unleashed.

It was a case of too much Larry Messersmith again. The classy senior dumped in 22 points. He had good in six of ten free tosses.

The defeat hammered the Longhorns deeper into the 3AA second division. They are now a full game behind the fourth place Midland club.

The Midland reserves also won a decision over the local Bees. Final tally was 36-35.

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Washburn	8	10	2	15
Martin	6	10	3	10
Johnson	5	10	2	10
Orsby	1	1	4	3
Lee	1	1	0	0
Brown	1	2	2	0
Russell	0	0	0	0
A. Jones	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>30</b>

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Messersmith	8	10	1	22
Gilmore	1	1	1	3
Harris	1	2	2	3
Henders	1	2	2	3
Buckley	1	2	2	3
Smith	1	2	2	3
McGee	1	2	2	3
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>37</b>

## Sports In Brief

**BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
**Football**—PHILADELPHIA—Ray Morrison resigned as head football coach at Temple University.  
 PHILADELPHIA—A city hall official said the Army-Navy football game may be played somewhere other than Philadelphia at least once during the next three years.  
**Racing**—NEW YORK—One hundred and three horses have been nominated for the 81st Belmont Stakes.  
 HIALEAH, Fla.—S. D. Sidwell's Allie's Pal won the featured Vanity purse.  
 ARCADIA, Calif.—W. A. Hargrave's Rialto won the Mt. Shasta Handicap at Santa Anita.  
**ORDSMAR, Fla.**—The favored Saucy Lee captured the feature race at Sunshine Park.  
**NEW ORLEANS**—Joe W. Brown's Riverlane won the Back Bay Purse at the Fair Grounds.  
**Golf**—PHOENIX, Ariz.—Sam Sneed of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. took the first round lead in Phoenix Open with three-under-par 68.  
**MIAMI, Fla.**—Medalist Peggy Kirk of Findlay, O., led the way into the quarter-finals of the Helen Lee Doherty tournament.

## Circus Agent Will Talk With Louis

GONZALES, Jan. 28 (AP)—Ben C. Davenport today was enroute to Tampa, Fla., to meet Joe Louis and discuss a \$500,000 offer made the Heavyweight boxing champion to travel with the Daily Brothers circus this season.

Davenport, owner of the Circus, wants Louis to give two exhibitions daily from April 16 to Nov. 16.

## Mermen In Action

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 28 (AP)—The Texas A. & M. swimming team, coached by Art Adamson, will open its 1949 schedule here Monday afternoon against the University of Oklahoma tankmen.

Jimmy Flowers and Danny Green of Dallas and Bernie Syfan of Ingram form the nucleus of the Aggie aquatic team.

## Larsen To Newark

NEWARK, Ohio, Jan. 28 (AP)—Carl Larsen, former business manager of the Lubbock, Tex., baseball club, is the new business manager for the Newark Yankees of the Ohio-Indiana Class D league. His appointment was announced yesterday by Yankee President Harry Arnold.

## Nathan Builds Bowling Lead

Nathan's Jewelers built up a two-game lead in Women's Class Bowling league standing here Thursday night by sweeping Zack's of Margot's in a 4-game series.

In other matches, second place Bendix Automatic Laundry, hobbled Douglas Coffee shop, 2-1, the same margin by which Malone-Hogan tripped Clark Motor company.

Wynelle Todd of Clark Motor scored a 176, high single game for the night, while Faye Johnston of Malone-Hogan pieced together a 452 for honors in aggregate scoring.

Nathan's Jewelers walked off with team honors with 604-1683.

## Standings

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
Nathan	7	2	.778
Bendix	5	4	.556
Malone-Hogan	5	4	.556
Clark	4	5	.444
Zack's	3	6	.333
Douglas	3	6	.333

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## Looking 'Em Over

by Tommy Hart

The popular and contagious custom of fleeing the American public apparently has infected all the promoters of the major football bowl games. Not content with a record rakeoff last Jan. 1, wherein each group announced its allotment to the participating teams reached an alltime high, the brain trusts are laying plans for even greater gates in future years. In more than a few cases, the bite will be taken out of each and every Gus Fan.

In Dallas, there's a move afoot to add anywhere from 8,000 to 12,000 seats to the Cotton Bowl. Texans don't especially like to pay second fiddle to anything, especially when it comes to football teams and football crowds. It has irked more than a few of the natives to think that the Rose and Sugar Bowls could seat more people than the Dallas stadium.

The Dallas promoters took some of the sting out of the humiliation by gradually upping the price of their ducats. At the latest reading, the minimum was \$4.40 per copy. That, of course, is subject to change and certainly not for the better.

Football fanatics get no nicer break down New Orleans way. The damage is \$5 a pastboard and prospects are very bright that the tariff will be upped to \$6.

Not to be outdone, the Orange Bowl people in Miami are said to be planning an addition of several thousand seats. A raise in the price of tickets is in the offing, too.

The fever has even hit Jacksonville, Fla., where the annual Gator Bowl game is played. The capacity of the stadium will be raised to about 50,000 there, up from 36,000. The customer is almost sure to deal out more for his ticket, too.

The tall millinery is keeping quiet out California way but the Rose Bowl fathers have always made the public feel they were doing them a favor to let them in the Pasadena saucer, in the first place. If they feel the other bowls are jeopardizing their position at the head of the class, they'll stake an added claim on the spectator's pocketbook without batting an eye lash.

**SOUTHWEST BALL ON PAR WITH BIG TEN-WILKINSON**  
 Bud Wilkinson, the personable University of Oklahoma football coach, made a significant remark recently which Texans were of the opinion all along, that Southwest Conference football is on a par with the Big Ten brand.

It was a very timely statement on Wilkinson's part. His Sooners happened to have beaten three Southwest Conference teams, Texas, Texas A & M and TCU, last fall.

## SIMMS LOOKING FOR PLACE TO STAGE GAME

Dick Snider, the new Odessa sports write, suggests that that city might be just the place to hold the Wigwag Wisemen of America's first annual all-star high school football game next year. That's the one Mose Simms is promoting.

Simms stopped in Odessa earlier in the week and said he was still seeking a place in which to stage the classic, if it ever takes place.

## EAST TEXANS MAY PLAY EVANGELINE CHAMPIONS

The East Texan (Lone Star) league may abandon its annual post-season playoffs with the WT-NM league champion in favor of an alignment with the Evangeline circuit of Louisiana, which recently upped its classification from D to C.

The East Texan champion has never fared well in rivalry with the West Texans, having lost two straight series.

## Coahoma Bulldogs Romp On Knott Hill Billies In 21B Test, 39-27

COAHOMA, Jan. 28—Coahoma's Bulldogs all but sewed up first place in District 21B basketball standings here Thursday night when they trounced the Knott Hill Billies, 39-27, in a game in which most of the action was confined to the last half.

The Canines led at the end of the first quarter, 3-0, and at half time, 13-9. By the end of the third, they had built their margin to 25-17.

Jack Wolf shouldered the task of guarding the Knott ace, Joe Beall, and did not allow the Billie star a point. Wolf, Dickson and Bennett meanwhile all had field nights for Coahoma with Edwin Dickson's 15 points setting a torrid pace.

In an added attraction, Coahoma's girls succeeded in trimming the Knott girls, 22-21. Sue Wise was the standout in the one with nine points.

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Wolf	3	3	8	9
Dickson	4	2	15	15
Bennett	1	0	3	2
Shive	1	0	2	2
Morrison	0	0	0	0
Read	0	0	0	0
Lindsay	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>39</b>

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Beall	2	2	4	6
Barnes	2	2	4	6
Cockrell	1	1	4	6
Burchell	1	0	4	6
Jackson	3	1	1	7
<b>Totals</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>27</b>

## Aide May Get Temple Post

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28 (AP)—Athletic officials at Temple University are looking for an experienced head football coach to succeed Ray Morrison, they need no camp.

When Morrison unexpectedly resigned yesterday after nine years of directing Temple eleven, the city's football quarterbacks began casting about for his successor.

Most prominently mentioned were two of Morrison's assistants—John (Ox) DaGross and Pete Stevens. Both had head coaching experience—DaGross at Holy Cross and Stevens at Ursinus. Stevens also is a former Temple gridiron star.

Morrison declined to say what he expected to do other than that he planned to remain in football, adding "I'm going south."

Morrison came to Temple after successful stints at Vanderbilt, from where he graduated in 1912, and Southern Methodist University. At S.M.U. he developed the aerial circus brand of football.

## Storm Forces Paper Into Morning Field

PARIS, Jan. 28 (AP)—The Denison Herald, without power for two days, and with power prospects dim, changed to a morning newspaper for the ice storm emergency.

It published a Wednesday edition at Sherman, but moved to Paris yesterday when power also went out at Sherman.

Yesterday's Herald, printed in the Paris News plant, was rushed to Denison for distribution this morning.

## State Pioneer Dies

CAMERON, Jan. 28 (AP)—Robert H. McIntosh, 81 years old, died at his home here.

## State Medics To Meet

AUSTIN, Jan. 27 (AP)—About 2,000 doctors are expected for the annual meeting of the State Medical Association in San Antonio May 3-5, the organization's headquarters here said.

**LOUIS FIGHTS TONIGHT**  
 TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 28 (AP)—Champion Joe Louis takes on Nino Valdez, Cuban heavyweight, in a four-round exhibition boxing bout here tonight.



NEW WISCONSIN FOOTBALL COACH—Ivan "Red" Williamson (above), head football coach at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., was appointed head football coach at the University of Wisconsin. The former Michigan star succeeds Harry Stuhldreher who will devote his full time to the athletic directorship. (AP Wirephoto).

## Junior Circuit Boasts Better Third Sackers

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP)—The third base situation in the Major leagues presents a strange picture. While the National league is starved for top notch hot corner guardians, the American is loaded with class in that department.

The senior circuit can boast but two outstanding third basemen—Bob Elliott and Sid Gordon. On the other hand, such stalwarts as George Kell, Ken Keltner, Johnny Pesky, Heinie Majeski and Bob Dillinger grace the American league lineup.

Approximately enough, the National has the better looking prospects. Ransom Jackson, who batted .322 for Des Moines and led the Class A Western league third basemen in fielding, is highly regarded by the Chicago Cubs. The Philadelphia Phils think a lot of Willie (Puddin'-Head) Jones, up from Toronto.

This is the way the teams probably will open the season at third base:

**American League**  
 Boston, Johnny Pesky; Chicago, Floyd Baker or Gene Markland; Cleveland, Ken Keltner; Detroit, George Kell; New York, Bill Johnson or Bobby Brown; Philadelphia, Heinie Majeski; St. Louis, Bob Dillinger; Washington, Eddie Yost.

**National League**  
 Boston, Bob Elliott; Brooklyn, Billy Cox or Johnny Jorgensen; Chicago, Frank Gustine; Cincinnati, Grady Hatton; New York, Sid Gordon; Philadelphia, Willie Jones or Bert Haas; Pittsburgh, Eddie Bockman or Jack Tobin; St. Louis, Whitey Kurovski or Ed Kazak.

## Snead In Lead At Phoenix

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 28 (AP)—Sam Snead takes a tough test today from a bunched field in the second 18-hole round of the \$10,000 Phoenix Open Golf tournament.

Slammin' Sammy gained the head of the heap yesterday with a three-under par 68.

Just one stroke behind are five charging golfers—Jim Demaret, Ojai, Calif.; Jack Burke, Jr., White Plains, N. Y.; Dick Metz, Virginia Beach, Va.; Jack Harden, El Paso, Tex.; and Tex Consolover, Wichita, Kas.

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## STEERS PLAY McCAMEY

# Midland, Lamesa, Andrews Odessa Tourney Favorites

John Malaise's Big Spring high school basketball Steers were to make their first start in the Odessa Invitational tournament at 11:40 a. m. today, taking the court against the rugged McCamey Badgers.

McCamey wrapped up the title a year ago, defeating the Odessans in the finals, 21-18. The Badgers re-

turn a veteran crew, although they are missing their all-tournament ace, J. V. Davis.

If Big Spring gets by that one, they'll play the winner of the Midland-Odessa B game at 5 p. m. today. Should they lose, they face

the loser of that contest at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning in the consolation bracket.

Other first round games finds Pecos meeting Wink, Lamesa clashing with Kermit, Andrews crossing swords with Seminole and Crane sparring with Fort Stockton. Denver City drew a first round bye and was to oppose the winner of the Pecos-Wink game this evening.

Championship finals are booked for 8:45 p. m. Saturday. Consolation finals go on at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Midland, Lamesa and Andrews rate as tournament favorites.

## Maturity Stakes On Tap Saturday

ARCADIA, Calif., Jan. 28 (AP)—The second running of the \$100,000 Santa Anita Maturity comes off tomorrow and a field of about a dozen candidates is in prospect for the world's richest race restricted to four-year-olds.

Entries were awaited today for the mile and one quarter attraction, but it appeared the lineup would read like this:

Ace Admiral, Dinner Gong, Quarter Pole, Oration, Manyunk, Lurline B., Mas-Miget, Rose Beam, Vulcan's Forge, Make-up Man, Henpecker, Solidarity and possibly Danada Gift.

## Nearly 300,000 Fans Attend Prep Games

HOUSTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—High school football last season drew 298,297 fans in Houston and grossed \$206,244.91, Hugh Johnson, director of the city school stadium, reported.

This was \$33.91 shy of the record take in 1947 and was 7,162 less than the attendance. Ninety-seven games were played in 1947, however, and only 87 last year.

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We Buy, Sell, Rent and trade New and Used Furniture

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Have your mattress made into a new innerspring. Call for free estimate. New mattresses made to order.  
All Work Guaranteed  
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General Machine Work  
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Any type casting repair  
Blocks, cylinders and heads  
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Clean by washing the air. Scrubs floors, picks up humidity, deodorizes, draws dust and dirt in a churning water bath. No lag to empty—just pour the dirt away.  
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It Walks As It Cleans  
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No Bag To Empty Has Attachments And Power Polisher  
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Pre-owned Cleaners \$19.50 Up.

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**G. Blain Luse**  
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Used Cars For Sale  
**SELECT Used Cars**

1947 Nash  
1946 Nash 4-door  
1946 Hudson  
1942 Plymouth 4-door  
1942 Nash Club Coupe  
1940 Ford 2-door  
1939 Ford 2-door  
1942 Chevrolet Pickup  
1939 Ford Truck

**Guaranteed Used Cars**  
1948 Buick Sedan  
1947 Studebaker Sedan  
1942 Ford Tudor  
1942 Hudson 4-door  
1941 Chevrolet Club Coupe  
1941 Pontiac Club Coupe  
1938 Ford Coupe  
1938 GMC 1 1/2-ton  
1948 Studebaker 1 1/2-ton  
1949 Studebaker 1/2-ton  
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1941 Mercury Coupe  
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1941 1 1/2-ton GMC short wheel base truck  
1946 2-ton GMC long wheel base truck, 2-speed axle.  
1948 1 1/2-ton GMC long wheel base truck.  
1937 1/2-ton Dodge Stake  
1935 International 1/2-ton Pick-up  
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310 W. 3rd Phone 2322

**SPECIAL**  
1949 Cadillac 4 door Sedan  
1949 Lincoln 4-door Sedan with everything. Under list.  
1947 New Yorker Chrysler. All these cars are worth the money.

1946 Cadillac sedan, like new, worth the money.

1949 Ford, everything on it, worth the money. Variety of any model cheaper cars.

**FOR SALE**  
1937 Plymouth Sedan  
New Reconditioned Motor \$290.00  
See at 701 Douglas

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**AUTOMOTIVE**  
4-Trucks  
FOR Sale, bargain price: 1934 Ford pickup. Also 1934 Buick sedan. See at 2401 Runnels, Phone 1854-J.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
10—Lost and Found  
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**MADAM CARLO Astrologer AND Advisor**  
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40—Household Goods  
WE buy and sell used furniture. J. B. Sloan Furniture, 508 E. 2nd street, West 2nd St.  
FOR SALE: Good used refrigerators both electric and gas. Can be handled on regular terms. Brooks & Launs, 201 Benton.  
TROR Automatic washer and dishwasher combination. Reasonable. 508 Dallas.  
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250-GALLON butane tank, with pipe and fittings for 4 rooms. Call 1543-W.  
FOR SALE: Good new and used copier radiators for popular make cars, trucks and pickups. Satisfaction guaranteed. PEPPER'S RADIATOR SERVICE, 801 East Third St.  
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FURNITURE wanted. We need used furniture. Give us a chance before you sell; get our prices before you buy. E. McCollister, 1091 W. 4th, Phone 1261.

**FOR RENT**  
TWO large rooms for housekeeping, adjoining bath, close in, prefer couple with young baby. \$11 W. 4th.  
3-Room and bath furnished apartment, all utilities paid, \$12.50 week. 311 Galveston.  
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EXPERIENCE for coal re-molding. Years of experience. Also applications on all branches. Mrs. J. L. Hayes, 1100 Gregg, Phone 1833-M.  
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63—Bedrooms  
BEDROOM for rent in Allen Building across street from Settlers Hotel. Phone 284.  
NICE bedroom, connecting bath, close in. 603 Runnels. Phone 1716-W.  
BEDROOM for one or two ladies. 1292 Johnson. Phone 4184-M.

**REAL ESTATE**  
80—Houses For Sale  
1. I have four stores, grocery stores, cafe, apartment houses, hotels, business and residence lots in choice locations and numerous other listings not mentioned in this ad. It will pay you to see my listings before buying.  
2. Five room home close in on Lancaster, corner lot. \$2250.  
3. Duplex on Lancaster, 3-room and bath, corner lot. \$2250.  
4. Business building with 6-room living quarters, close in on Highway 90, two corner lots 100 x 146, priced to sell quick; small down payment, balance to suit buyer. Owner will handle sale or would lease property to responsible party. Must leave account of health.  
5. 6-room home, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, hardwood floors, large lot, double garage, 3-room apartment, second floor, close in on Johnson. Must sell. Owner leaving town.  
6. 4-room home with bath, extra good lot on Johnson. \$2600.  
7. 5-room barracks with shower bath, kitchen cabinets, two good corner lots. \$1800.  
8. 5-room brick home, double garage, 3 east front lots, good well water, electric pump, in best location. Beautiful home and priced very reasonable.  
9. 4 1/2-room home, corner lot, on both ends of Washington St. \$2000. \$500 down; owner will carry balance \$46, monthly.  
10. Very nice 5-room modern home, hardwood floors, 3-room garage apartment, close in. \$1800 down payment. Let us help you with your Real Estate needs, buying or selling.

**W. R. YATES**  
PHONE 2541-W  
705 Johnson

**Real Estate For Sale**  
Dwelling, 4-room and bath, 406 Donley, \$2225. Loan available. Priced to sell. See us at once if interested.  
Some 3-bedroom dwellings.  
5-Room dwelling well located in South part of town.  
Two new FHA houses in good part of town. A very desirable loan, 4 1/2 per cent, 25 years to pay.  
Contact us for loans, FHA, conventional, farm, and new and used automobile protective payment loans.

**REEDER'S**  
304 Scurry Phone 331

**McDonald, Robinson, McCleskey Realty Company**  
711 MAIN  
Phone 2676 or 2012-W

Lovely lot on South Main. \$550.  
Two beautiful 6-room houses in Park Hill Addition. Immediate possession.  
Have some good buys in duplexes.  
Beautifully furnished house, practically new.  
Duplex for sale, completely furnished, \$6300. Good income.  
3-Room house completely furnished, large storage house, three lots, south part of town, \$3500.  
A beautiful home, close in, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths.  
5-Room house in Highland Heights, \$7000.  
5-Room house like new, vacant, \$7750.  
Some choice lots in Edwards Heights and other parts of town. Many other good listings.

**W. M. JONES For Real Estate**  
I have made special effort in locating some nice residences in a good choice location. Also some good revenue property. If you are looking for a real beautiful home completely furnished, I have it.  
A nice list of:  
6 room houses  
5 room houses  
4 room houses  
3 room houses  
These places are in good locations.  
Business opportunities:  
Choice 1 1/2 section ranch near Big Spring.  
A wonderful grocery store.  
300 acre farm—extra good buy on pavement.  
643 acre stock farm with an ideal home on it.  
A very nice variety store.  
Some wonderful irrigated farms.  
Nice downtown cafe — good paying business.  
Choice building lots, West 3rd and Gregg St.  
Good store building, corner lot on E. 3rd and Austin.

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Duplex, furnished, is bringing in good income, 2 extra lots, \$7500.  
320 acres on paved highway, \$47.50 per acre.  
390 acres, 2 sets improvement, tractor and farm implements included. \$40.00 per acre.  
20,000 acre ranch, plenty good water and grass, \$12.50 per acre.  
Best lots in town for tourist court, and some good residential lots.  
Three apartment houses worth the money.  
I have many listings not mentioned.  
To buy or to sell, see me first.  
**J. W. Elrod, Sr.**  
110 Runnels  
Phone 1635 Night 1754-J

**Worth The Money**  
5-Room FHA home in Park Hill addition. See this for the best buy in a new home for \$2000.  
5-Room new home in Washington Place, large rooms, fenced back yard, only \$7000.  
5-Room East 15th, double garage, corner, new and extra nice. Price today \$7000.  
3-Room close in on Lancaster, 2 bedrooms and sleeping porch, corner, \$2500.  
5-Room, close in on Bell, floor finish, all large rooms, see this for \$4750.  
6-Room duplex close to West Ward school, mostly furnished, paved, price \$2500.  
4-Room, East 14th, large rooms and extra nice home for \$4000.  
3-Room and building garage to be moved; modern and extra nice; only \$2700.  
4-Room and three good lots close to West Ward school, \$4700.  
3-Room and large work shop and two good lots, only \$2500.

**A. P. CLAYTON**  
Phone 254 800 Gregg

**81—Lots & Acreage**  
TWO outstanding lots, well located, fine well water with complete equipment, reasonable. J. E. Felix, weekdays Phone 535, Sunday and evenings 1201 Wood.

**SPECIAL**  
Nine section ranch for sale, good water, four windmills, good grass, three room house and three room garage. All fenced sheep proof. Three-fourths royalty reserved. Fifteen miles south of town. — See  
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**EXTRA SPECIAL**  
Choice ranch, 13 1/4 sections, one of the best ranches in West Texas. Near Big Spring. Good sheep proof fence, five good wells water, 3 sets of improvements, 21 large tanks, 350 acres in cultivation. Can be handled very reasonably.  
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Phone 1822  
501 E. 15th St., Big Spring

**83—Business Property**  
FOR SALE: Liquor store priced to buyer's advantage, very reasonable, good location on Highway 90, 900 West 3rd.  
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Beautiful large new 6-room rock house with garage attached, \$5000 down and easy monthly payments.  
A dandy 4-room and bath on acre land with water well for \$6750.  
A nice four room and bath well located, with garage for rent purposes only, leased for \$50 month, \$3750.  
News stand in good location, doing good business, \$2750 or invoice.  
Tile and stucco building on West Third, long lease on ground, cost price.  
Three room and bath, paved street, \$3000. \$650 down, reasonable possession.  
8 rooms and two baths, nice close location, \$13,500.  
Two, three and four room houses to be moved.  
Furniture store stock \$1250, good long lease on building.  
9 rooms and 2 baths at 608 Ayford worth the \$12,500 asked.  
Very good 6-room and bath stucco house, well located, very pretty, \$12,000.  
Seven room duplex, two baths, small down payment. Tile and stucco construction, best location, north side. We can show you where this is the best buy in town.  
5 Room brick South side. Three lots, well and pump, \$10,750.  
4-Room and shower two years old, nice appearance, nice location.  
Large 6-room and bath on 75' front corner for \$7,000.  
Most beautiful 5-room in Park Hill. See us right away for this one.  
Best 6-room in Washington Place, paved street, double garage. See it today.  
Nice drug store. Also good feed store.  
Some trades to offer, such as houses for farms, house in Sano Springs for one in Big Spring, and many others.



**BACK IN HOLLYWOOD** — Sense Hayakawa, Japanese star of silent pictures, now back in Hollywood for the first time in 16 years, studies his role with Julia Fukuoka.

## Russians Escape From Octopus, Large Eagle

MOSCOW — Two stoves have been reported here recently of narrow escapes by Russians from an octopus and an eagle.

Tass dispatch from Sakhalinsk told how one diver, Nikolai Chrednikov, got entangled with an octopus and fought him under the water.

He had gone below removing a motor from a sunken ship when, according to the megarage. A large octopus grabbed his feet. For three hours he struggled to get away. He was not successful until another diver, Yakov Karpenko, came to his aid.

Karpenko was also entangled by the octopus, but by slashing out with a large knife. He fought his way to the surface and freed him enough so he could get at his knife. Then the two of them finished the octopus.

The second story was a Tass dispatch from Nikolopol. It related how hunter Andrei Argyrini, while hunting ducks, fired at a 50-pound eagle and wounded him.

Although wounded the eagle attacked the duck hunter and, according to the dispatch started to claw his gun. Again a friend came to the rescue. Together they killed the bird, about eight feet.

## Homes Are Found For Homeless

NEW DELHI, (U.P.)—The government of India has found homes for 1,450,000 refugees from Western Pakistan.

A spokesman of the relief and rehabilitation ministry here said schemes for housing another 750,000 urban refugees has been taken on hand. He added the housing schemes that had so far received the approval of the government of India would involve financial assistance to the extent of 166,000,000 rupees (nearly US \$50,000,000).

## Seven Sisters Bother Travel

DILLON, Colo.—When the Seven Sisters of Loveland Pass go on a rampage they sometimes block as much as 500 yards of U. S. Highway No. 6.

The Seven Sisters are a series of snowslide areas running parallel down the side of the same mountain slope and ending at the highway.

Wildred Davis of the U. S. Forest Service says that the reason the Sisters frequently cut loose simultaneously with seven roaring, tumbling avalanches, is that "when one starts sliding, the concussion sets off the others."

Winter driving through the high mountain passes can be less than safe, because when the slides hit the highways, they hit hard. Davis recalls one motorist, a traveling salesman, who was killed by an avalanche near Stanley Peak. The snow made a steel sandwich of the car, pressing the roof flat against the floor.

## Ancient Castle Faces Oblivion

FOLKSTONE, England (U.P.)—A hole big enough to hold a five-ton bus has been washed out under Sandgate Castle, anti-invasion bastion which King Henry VIII built in 1539.

New cracks show in the walls. New notices warn the public away. Workmen are shoring up the old place.

The castle, long a territorial (National Guard) armory, now belongs to a man who lives nearby.



# Club Hears Talk On Oil Operations

Progress of petroleum drilling operations over the past three decades was described before the American Business Club Friday by Dave Duncan, drilling contractor.

Advent and development of the rotary had enabled drillers to go to much deeper depths in search

of oil, he said and had made it possible for producers to make a 90 per cent recovery of discovered oil.

He gave detailed descriptions of various types of drilling operations and of specialized instruments, and gave highlights on cost of operations. His talk covered 30 years of personal activity as a driller and drilling contractor.

In charge of the program was J. D. Jones.

## Seats Move Fast For C-C Banquet

Seat reservations for the annual chamber of commerce banquet scheduled for the night of Feb. 10, are moving rapidly, officials reported this morning.

Most space in the immediate area of the speakers table is expected to be filled within the next day or two. Tables will be provided in the banquet hall for 368 persons.

J. H. Greene, chamber manager, said requests for reservations has been received from several of the town delegations. He urged local residents to list their space requirements as rapidly as possible.

## Meeting Scheduled

There will be a joint meeting of the Big Spring Hyperion Clubs Saturday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the First Methodist church, according to an announcement made by a club representative Friday morning.

## Lions Ready Plans For Minstrel Show

Initial steps toward building of the second annual Lions club minstrel is set for Feb. 7 at the Settles. The club is observing a ladies night program, and the meeting will be devoted to enlisting the cast and other workers for the minstrel.

Rex Van, a member of the Moran and Mack original "Two Block Crows" team, again will direct the production of the show, which will feature three score voices in the costumed chorus.

## Big Spring Wins

ODESSA, Jan. 28.—Big Spring high school defeated the McCamery Badgers, defending champions, in a first round game of the Odessa invitational basketball tournament here Friday morning, 41-30. Big Spring led at one stage, 20-1, and was never in danger.

The Steers were to meet Midland in the second round at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Midland surged past Odessa's B string, 38-23.

## Postman Fined For Whistling At Dog Finds Himself Hero

EL PASO, Jan. 28.—It was just like tossing a pebble into a pond. The ripples, that is, after Mail Carrier Ronald A. Rynning was after a health inspector complaint of the dog catcher's hands.

Police Judge C. M. Lanier, assessed a \$15 fine Wednesday. That was after a health inspector complained the postman actually kept him from capturing two poodles.

But today Rynning surprisedly found himself somewhat a hero amid these developments:

1. Branch 805 of the National Assn. of Letter Carriers formally denounced the fine as unjust and voted to reimburse Rynning.

2. Owners of the dog—Peggy Skipper, 8, Bonnie, 10, and Betty, 12—expressed the opinion their postman was simply super.

3. Lady, the dog he saved from the pond, appeared to have a special wag for Rynning as he made his rounds today, on behalf of her three pups as well as herself. Lady is a vivacious and very black cocker spaniel.



**ANKLEWATCH**—Ingenue Williams, motion picture actress, demonstrates an anklewatch for which a special window has been cut in a new stocking designed by Willys.

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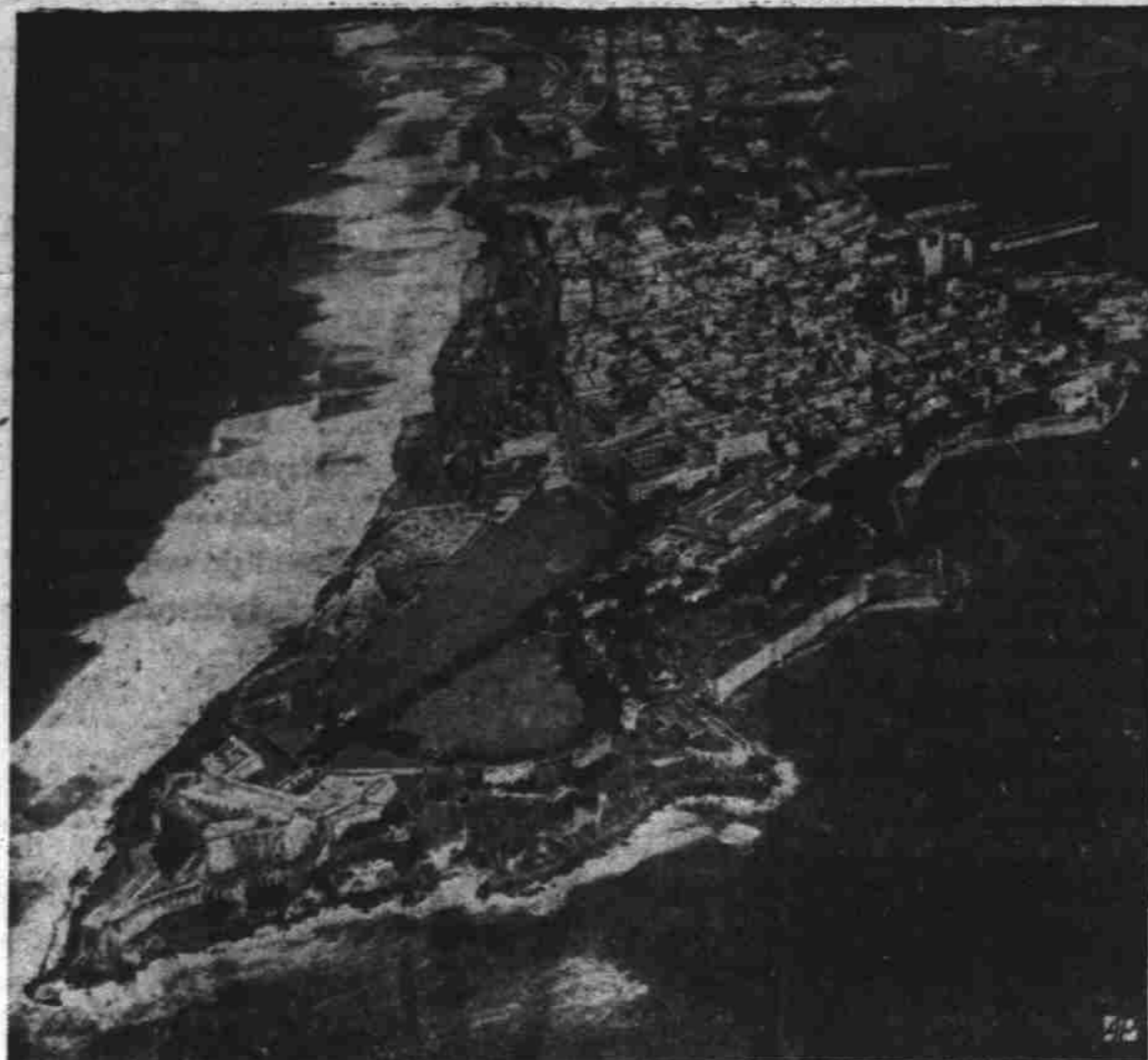
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**PUERTO RICO ON ANNIVERSARY**—This is an aerial view of San Juan, Puerto Rico, 50 years after island was annexed by U.S. At lower tip is El Morro, fortress started in 1539 by the Spaniards who took 250 years to build it. Vacant area near fort is parade ground. The island, which is 100 miles long and 40 miles wide, now has a population of 2,100,000.



**EASTERN LEADERS CONFER**—Sardar Budh Singh (right), president of the Malayan Indian National Congress, confers with Giani Gurmukh Singh Musakiri, president of the East Punjab Provincial Congress Committee at New Delhi. Budh Singh appeared on behalf of Malayan Indians.

## SNOW FLURRIES

(Continued From Page 1)

readings of 10 to 20 degrees in the Panhandle and South Plains and 15 to 25 degrees for the northwest section of the state.

At least four deaths could be attributed to the ice storm that forged an icy band around an area stretching from Denison and the Red River on the north to Hillsboro on the south and from near Paris on the east to Gainesville on the west.

Two of the fatalities occurred yesterday.

Mrs. Alice Wilson died at Fort Worth of exposure.

Roy G. Stinchcomb, 43, Denton carpenter, was electrocuted yesterday when he came in contact with a power line which had fallen to the ground at Denton because of its weight of ice.

Thirty-eight towns remained isolated from communications and others were without power yesterday.

But the sun quickly thawed the huge area. Glacier-smooth lawns at dawn were brilliant green in the afternoon.

The great thaw left flooded areas in the frozen zone twisted and grotesque—like weary, wounded victims of an artillery barrage.

The Weather Bureau said a low pressure area developed in Oklahoma and by 9:30 o'clock last night had centered in southern Illinois.

It said that meant cooler air circulating to the southern side of the low began moving into the Texas Panhandle late last night. But before that air reached the North Texas ice area the big thaw should be almost complete.

The low temperatures indicated by tomorrow are to come from another mass of cold air—the front of which was centered last night in northern Colorado, the bureau said.

Tens of thousands of trees were killed. Estimates of monetary damages were incomplete and some officials refused even to guess.

Fort Worth reported damage to trees and utility installations at \$1 million. Power and communications were still not normal there last night.

Falling trees and limbs blocked streets in many of the cities. Dallas Public Works Director T. J. Conroy said it would take two weeks to clean up the debris.

A mobile radio unit of the Department of Public Safety was moved from Dallas to Bonham yesterday to furnish emergency communications. That city, and nearby Honey Grove, were completely without power.

Wichita Falls, Abilene, Pampa, Vernon, Bonham, Dallas, Fort Worth and all along the line reported the ice was melting.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. estimated damages by this storm at \$850,000 in Texas. It put that with the more than \$2 million damage from the Jan. 10 freeze.

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## THREE YEARS WORK

# Salvation Army Services Told

Summation of three years work by Capt. Olvy Sheppard and his wife, Capt. Ruth Sheppard, was heard by the Salvation Army advisory board here Thursday afternoon.

The board also re-elected G. H. Hayward to be chairman of the board and fill vacancies on the board.

Capt. and Mrs. Sheppard will leave next week for High Point, N. C. to assume charge of corps work there. They will be succeeded by Capt. and Mrs. James Harrison, who have been in charge of the SA at Abilene for the past four years.

Financial summary showed total expenditures of \$54,206 for four years of work here, according to reports submitted by the Sheppards. Budget in 1945 was \$8,309. In 1946 it was \$11,835. In 1947, it was \$16,866 and in 1948 it was \$17,313.

Per cent of support from the Community Chest increased from 37.5 of the 1945 total to 59 per cent of the 1948 aggregate. Breakdown for activities for the four years showed \$20,006 to administration, \$10,599 to program, supplies and equipment, \$3,572 to religious activities, \$4,778 to transient service, \$7,674 to recreation, and \$7,573 to emergency family relief.

Growth of the transient load was reflected in the reports. In 1945 disbursements were \$547 and in 1948 they were \$3,114. The summation showed 6,262 meals, 5,119 beds, 51

medical cases, \$4,779 expenses. Recreation group meetings totalled 1,203, drawing \$6,759, and costing \$7,674. Religious activities showed 1,484 youth sessions with 19,781 attending, 1,224 adult meetings with 16,274 attendance, 638 street meetings heard by 4,771, and 98 converts during the period, 71 in the past year.

Emergency family relief reflected an aggregate of 325 grocery orders to 286 families with 1,604 individuals; 7,779 meals, 14,835 articles of clothing, 2,189 pairs of shoes, 241 other types of aid, 49 medical cases, 582 Christmas baskets, 3,301 articles of toys. Cost factor for the four years was \$7,573, more or less evenly distributed over the period.

Other officers named at the meeting were H. B. Reagan, vice chairman; Mrs. L. A. Eubanks, secretary; R. T. Piner, treasurer; H. B. Reagan, J. L. LeBlau and M. C. Grigsby re-elected to three-year terms on the board. Joe Pickle to succeed R. W. Whipkey, H. W. Whitney to succeed W. C. Blankenship; C. O. Nalley to succeed Cliff Wiley. The board approved the budget for the year embracing \$10,000 support from the Chest, expressed appreciation to the Sheppards and wished them Godspeed. They will leave Feb. 2 following an audit by Capt. Ernest Holz on Feb. 1.

## PUBLIC RECORDS

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In his 22 seasons as head basketball coach at Michigan State College, Ben Van Alstyne has had only three losing teams.

## Houston Woman Held In Roomer's Death

HOUSTON, Jan. 28.—A charge of murder has been filed against Mrs. Thelma Bordelon, 32, following the death of Victor Lorenzo Walker, 38-year-old Houston carpenter.

Walker died while enroute to a hospital last night after a shooting at Mrs. Bordelon's home, where he and his wife were roomers.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

# Jesus Tempted Then, Just As We Are Today

Scripture—Luke 4:1-13.

By NEWMAN CAMPBELL

Temptation comes to all human beings. They are tempted to lie, to take what is not theirs, to strike their enemies when angered, even to kill.

There are many small temptations, such as selfishness, ill-temper, lack of consideration for others, and modern life presents many chances to become prey to these faults.

We think of Jesus as the one perfect being in the world—without fault—and it is comforting to think that He, too, was tempted. We gain strength to meet our own temptations when we read how He resisted the evil one and remained without fault.

Jesus had been baptized by John the Baptist, and leaving the Jordan river where the baptism took place, He—led by the Holy Spirit—went to the wilderness alone. He had not yet begun his ministry, and this period of 40 days in solitude was perhaps His preparation for it.

However, He was not left alone. Satan—arch-enemy of the good—came to Him, bent on mischief.

After days of fasting in the wilderness, the Lord was hungry—even as I and you would have been. That was natural even for Jesus in His human form. Satan pointed to the stones at their feet, and said to Him, "If Thou be the Son of God, command this stone that it be made bread."

However, Jesus, quoting the Scripture answered "It is written, that man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God."

Could you have withstood that temptation, after fasting for days, and having the power to do as Satan suggested?

The next temptation was on what we might call "a large scale." Taking Jesus up into a high mountain.

Satan showed Him "all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time."

"And the devil said unto Him, All this power will I give Thee, and the glory of them: for that is delivered unto me; and to whomsoever I will I give it. If Thou therefore wilt worship me, all shall be Thine."

Jesus' answer was: "Get thee behind Me, Satan: for it is written (again quoting Scripture) Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and Him only shalt thou serve."

Tempted the second time, the devil then took Jesus to the very top or pinnacle of the temple, and suggested that He throw Himself down. God Himself had given His angels charge over Jesus, said

MEMORY VERSE

"Jesus... hath been in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin."—Hebrews 4:14-15.

## WEATHER

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:** Partly cloudy, occasional snow this afternoon and tonight. Saturday partly cloudy, not much change in temperature.

**HIGH TODAY:** 23. **LOW TONIGHT:** 22. **HIGH TOMORROW:** 33.

**HIGHEST TEMPERATURE** this date, 77 in 1947; lowest this date, 8 in 1948; maximum rainfall this date, .07 in 1921.

**EAST TEXAS:** Partly cloudy, colder tonight and Saturday and in north and central portions this afternoon. Lowest temperature is to be in northwest and 24 to 32 in northeast and west central portions tonight. Gentle to moderate northerly winds on coast becoming fresh tonight.

**WEST TEXAS:** Occasional snow in Panhandle and partly cloudy elsewhere. Colder tonight and Saturday and in Panhandle, south plains and east of the Pecos Valley this afternoon. Lowest temperatures 18 to 20 in Panhandle and south plains and 20 to 33 elsewhere.

**TEMPERATURES**

CITY	Max	Min
Abilene	46	27
Amarillo	44	24
BIG SPRING	48	27
Chicago	27	13
Denver	31	19
El Paso	42	24
Fort Worth	42	24
Galveston	60	46
New York	37	28
St. Louis	38	24
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## Fort Worth Stock Exposition Opens

FORT WORTH, Jan. 28 (AP)—Boots, bluejeans, cowboys and cowgirls hold sway in the city "where the west begins." The fat stock show's in town!

Officially, the 53rd Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show gets under way at 4 p. m. today. Unofficially, judging in several divisions has been going on the last couple of days. An auction will see the champions in several divisions on the block today.

The big attraction for a lot of Texans is the indoor rodeo and horse show held each night in conjunction with the livestock exposition.

Top cowhands (Rodeo Cowboys association) compete for thousands of dollars in prize money and in the horse show, golden Palominos, Tennessee walking horses, roadsters and that marvel of the west—the cutting horse—vie for honors in their own divisions.

Gov. Beauford Jester, Lt. Gov. Allan Shivers and other dignitaries will take part in opening ceremonies of the rodeo and horse show.

A mounted parade through the streets of Fort Worth will signal the kickoff of the exposition.

Robert H. Johnson, Goldthwaite, Tex., Future Farmers of America member, showed the grand champion fat steer award yesterday, Kilroy Return, a 1,000 pound Angus. Kilroy also was judged best in the Angus show and was grand champion in the boy's show.

Another Angus, "shorty," was judged reserve fat steer champion. "Shorty" was exhibited by Frank Hermelbracht of Van Croft, Neb. Floy Woodward, Mills county 4-H club girl, exhibited the champion Hereford steer, J. V. Oklahoma A. and M. college's entry. Leader's Triumph, was judged champion shorthorn.

A Southdown wether lamb shown by Glenn Bragg, Talpa, Tex., 4-H club boy, was named champion sheep.

Mark Campbell, 4-H club boy from Ballinger exhibited a 770-pound Hereford steer for championship honors in the boys' livestock show.



**MOTHER TO BE STERILIZED**  
—Mrs. Georgette Brucks (above), so repentant of beating her baby boy to death in a fit of rage, offered to have herself made sterile and a judge in Los Angeles so ordered it. An expectant mother, she also offered to give away another son, Donald, 20 months old, and her unborn child. The rare court action came on her plea of guilty to manslaughter in the death of her seven-month-old son, Howard, last October when this picture was made. (AP Wirephoto).

## Hospital Will Welcome Probe

AMARILLO, Jan. 28 (AP)—The two ranking officials of the Amarillo veterans hospital said they would "welcome investigation" after veterans organizations here had protested that a former Marine who died Sunday had been refused admittance to the hospital a week ago yesterday.

Col. Paul Clauser, executive officer, and Dr. George S. Littell, manager of the hospital, said in a joint statement that they "would welcome" an investigation.

The former Marine, Billy Gene Smith, 18, died in another hospital. An autopsy report said he died of "a massive brain hemorrhage of several days duration."

Mrs. Farley Wilson, mother of Smith, said he was denied treatment at the veterans hospital on the grounds that he was not an emergency case.

Clauser and Littell said that as to charges regarding an alleged statement, "take him home and let him sleep it off," they are conducting an investigation on their own to "see that if such was the case, it will never happen again."

## State Apparel Store Sales Show Increase

AUSTIN, Jan. 28 (AP)—Texas department and apparel store sales in December were 3 percent over the 1947 comparable month and rose 7 percent in 1948 over the previous year's level. Houston recorded a 21 per cent increase to lead the state in 1948. The University of Texas bureau of business reported today.

Plainview was second with a 13 percent increase, and Tyler and Abilene had 12 and 10 percent surges respectively.

December sales were 47 percent above November's but fell below the seasonally-expected increase of 49 percent.

Cleburne topped the state with a December jump of 125 percent. These increases were also recorded: Baytown, 84 percent; San Angelo, 81 percent; Corpus Christi, 80 percent; Temple, 59 percent.

## Plaque Honors Noted Composer

ROME, Jan. 28 (AP)—A marble plaque now marks the place where operatic composer Pietro Mascagni died in Rome.

The plaque was put up recently on the facade of the Plaza Hotel on the Corso thoroughfare, where the author of "Cavalleria Rusticana" spent his last days.

Selections from "Cavalleria" were played by a military band, while tenor Beniamino Gigli sang three arias from Mascagni's operas to a large crowd gathered in San Carlo's piazza. Mascagni, born in Livorno in 1863, died in Rome Aug. 8, 1945.

## 'Harvey' Real Thing in Port Washington

PORT WASHINGTON, N. Y., Jan. 28 (AP)—Although the stage production of "Harvey," with its large imaginary rabbit, has now left Broadway, Harvey has not disappeared from this region.

In certain rabbit-raising, 10-year-old circles, the game of Harvey maintains popularity. Harvey pops in and out of closets and, unlike its stage counterpart, has form and substance.

## Patman Plans Law To Finance Homes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—Rep. Wright Patman of Texas, Tex., is preparing legislation to help middle-income families finance new houses.

He said he would propose creation of a "mutual home ownership administration," modeled upon the general principles of the rural electrification administration.

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## Belgium Claims First Newspaper

BRUSSELS, Jan. 28 (AP)—Belgium has traced what may have been the first newspaper in the world.

The honour goes to the "Wettelijke Tijdinghe" (Legitimate Tidings) which first appeared in Antwerp in 1605. A printer named Abraham Verhoeven was responsible.

Under various names and managements the "Wettelijke Tijdinghe" was published for 222 years till 1827.

First the paper appeared twice monthly and then in 1617 as a weekly. The top half of its pages were printed in French while the bottom half appeared in Flemish. Then as now Belgium supported two languages. For illustration Verhoeven used wood-cuts, mostly of famous persons of the day. Some of the many battles fought about this time were also shown in wood-cuts, and famous buildings too were engraved.

The earliest copy of the paper in existence is owned by A. M. Ixias, an Antwerp collector. His copy is dated 1621, and contains maps, plans and music manuscripts. The main article concerned the siege of the town of Ecluse in Flanders which was going on at the time. Accompanying the reportage is a wood-cut in great detail showing troop emplacements.

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**Birthday Fete For Eighth Airforce**  
FORT WORTH, Jan. 28 (AP)—The eighth airforce turns seven years old today and top ranking air force officers will be on hand to say "happy birthday" and witness

an aerial review of the big B-36 super bombers.  
Scheduled to attend the ceremonies are Gen. Carl Spaatz, retired chief of air force; Lt. Gen. Curtis E. Le May, chief of the strategic air command; Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, Maj. Gen. W. E. Kepner and Maj. Gen. Clements McMullen, all former commanders of the eighth air force.

**Retains Customs Job**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP)—Re-appointment of Harris Walthal as collector of customs at El Paso, Texas, was recommended by Senators Connally and Johnson.  
Len Mutcherson of the Washington Lions of the American Hockey League is of Chinese extraction.

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