

# HST Declares Hands Off Policy Toward Formosa

## Man Overcome By Gas Still Unconscious

Jimmy Rhodes, who was found ill presumably from gas poisoning yesterday morning, has not regained consciousness, his physician said today.

He seems to be somewhat improved, however, the doctor said. He was able to drink a little water and a little coffee, and he winced when he was given an intravenous injection today. When similar injections were given yesterday he showed no signs of feeling them.

Rhodes is a patient at the Pampa Hospital, where his mother is a nurse's aide.

Funeral arrangements for Eugene F. Hardy, who was found dead yesterday are pending at Blackburn - Shaw - Sims Funeral Home.

The two men were found by Mrs. Hardy, an expectant mother, when she returned from a short stay in Pampa Hospital about 10 a. m. yesterday.

The two men were lying in the front room of the Hardy home, 312 S. Russell. A gas heater was turned on high, and the consensus of doctors and police officers today is that Hardy died of gas poisoning.

There were no marks of violence on either man to indicate foul play, but no inquest has yet been held.

Hardy, who was born July 24, 1927, in Springfield, Ill., is survived by his wife, Opal; by a son, William Ray; by a daughter, (See MAN, Page 4)

## Only Economic Aid to Continue

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman today declared an American hands off policy toward the Chinese of Formosa.

In a news conference statement, he said the United States has no desire to use its armed forces there or become involved "in the civil conflict in China."

He made clear the only help Chiang Kai-shek's government in Formosa can expect from the United States is continuing economic aid.

Mr. Truman said: "The United States has no predatory designs on Formosa or on any other Chinese territory."

"The United States has no desire to obtain special rights or privileges or to establish military bases on Formosa at this time. Nor does it have any intention of utilizing its armed forces to interfere in the present situation."

"The United States government will not pursue a course which will lead to involvement in the civil conflict in China."

"The United States government feels the resources on Formosa are adequate to enable them to obtain the items which they might consider necessary for the defense of the island."

"The United States government proposes to continue under existing legislative authority the present ECA program of economic assistance."

Mr. Truman's declaration followed weeks of growing controversy at the Capitol over policy toward Formosa. Some Republicans — among them former President Herbert Hoover and Senator Taft of Ohio — have urged that the United States use its Navy, if necessary, to keep the Chinese Communists from gaining Formosa.

The big island, lying about 100 miles off the Chinese mainland, is the last stronghold of the Chinese Nationalists.

Mr. Truman's statement made emphatically clear that under present conditions in the Far East the United States government would not lift a finger to prevent Formosa from falling to the Chinese Communists.

His declaration followed a meeting of the National Security Council last Thursday at which a general policy in this respect was agreed upon by the Chief Executive and his top foreign policy and military advisers.

The joint chiefs of staff have taken the position that Formosa, while important, is not of sufficient strategic value to American forces to warrant involving American forces in its defense.

The joint chiefs suggested the administration send a military mission to Formosa but Mr. Truman's statement made clear he has no such intention.

About the time Mr. Truman's statement was issued, it was announced that Secretary Acheson would hold a news conference at 1:30 p. m. (CST).

Undoubtedly numerous questions about Formosa will be put to Acheson, but the President ap- (See ONLY, Page 4)

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## Doctor Pleads Innocent to Murder Charge

MANCHESTER, N. H. —(P)—Dr. Hermann N. Sander today pleaded innocent in a loud voice to an indictment charging first degree murder in the so-called mercy slaying of an incurable cancer patient.

The state agreed to his freedom pending trial under a continuance of his \$25,000 bond with the stipulation that he refrain from medical practice until disposition of the case.

Dr. Sander's attorney, Louis E. Wyman, said the stipulation about refraining from practice was over the protest of defense counsel because of the presumption of innocence at this time.

"I assume this agreement is without prejudice in the future," Wyman told the court.

Dr. Sander stood erect and showed emotion while Court Clerk Arthur S. Healy read the indictment, charging the country doctor:

"Feloniously, unlawfully, and on this malice aforethought did indict to cubic centimeters of air in close succession into the veins of Mrs. Abbie Borroto, 59, his cancer patient.

Long before the physician entered the second floor superior courtroom with his wife and two attorneys, 280 spectators had crowded into every public seat.

Mrs. Borroto — ill a year and a half and shrunk to half her normal weight — was the wife of a Manchester oil salesman.

Dr. Sander, who said yesterday he had gone sleepless for days, was unsmiling and silent today.

It was disclosed that a trial date will be set before April 1.

Under New Hampshire legal procedure both sides will reach a mutual agreement on a trial date. The defense is anxious to go ahead as quickly as possible, Wyman said.

The proceedings lasted three hours from 9:15 to 9:45 a. m. (CST).

Dr. Sander left the courtroom (See DOCTOR, Page 4)

## Jaycees to Hold Banquet On Monday

The annual installation banquet for new officers of the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday evening, Floyd Wyman, retiring president, said yesterday.

John Ben Sheppard, Glade-water attorney and former president of the National Jaycees, will be the principal speaker at the Palm Room ceremony. Postmaster W. B. Weathered will administer the oaths of office.

Those to be installed are: president, Rusty Ward; first vice president, Travis Lively, Jr.; second vice president, Lee Cisneros; secretary, Roy Taylor; and treasurer, H. C. Grady, Jr.

Those recently elected to the Board of Directors are: Frank Fata, E. A. "Bud" Johnson, Ken Reeves, and Ward, Taylor, and Cisneros.

Holdover directors are: Murray Sealey, Zello Osborn, Tom Tipps, and Lively.

John Rankin, who was on the board, became 36 years old during the past year, and according to the rules of the club, had to resign his post.

Ward has served the club as secretary for several years, and Taylor, who will take his place, was treasurer last year.

Watson, as retiring president, automatically becomes state director.

## Congressional Leaders Turn Thumbs Down on Tax Issue

WASHINGTON—(P)—Congressional leaders responded to President Truman's state-of-the-union message today by turning thumbs down on half a dozen of his legislative proposals—including more taxes.

Important members in both parties were quick to frown on the "moderate" tax increase asked by Mr. Truman yesterday at the outset of a Congressional election year.

Instead, they emphasized reduced spending. Faling sharp economies in a budget expected to exceed \$42,000,000,000 the government presumably would continue red ink spending.

Similarly, Congress members in a position to act said in about as many words that the President's appeals for continuation of the military draft, Taft-Hartley repeal, medical insurance and the St. Lawrence Seaway will go on the shelf for this session.

There was an apparently clear road for (1) expansion of Social Security coverage and benefits and (2) continuation — on a reduced scale — of economic and military aid to non-Communist countries abroad.

Lawmakers leaped in the doubtful category the Presidential proposals for continuation of housing aid, continuation of rent control, expansion of displaced persons admissions, aid to education and the "point four" program of economic help for the world's backward areas.

They gave even less chance of passage to an international trade organization resolution and the President's civil rights program.

In his mildly-phrased message, the President did not expand his "fair deal" but asked for action only on things he has talked about before.

Republicans met this immediately with a scorching statement, signed by 100 House GOP members, accusing the President of committing himself "to the (See TAX ISSUE, Page 4)

## Arkansas' Escaped Convicts Captured

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — (P)—Four convicts who shot their way to freedom Saturday and touched off one of Arkansas' most sensational manhunts are back in custody today — two of them in a hospital with bullet wounds.

The end of the grueling, five-day chase through rain and finally sleet and cold weather came last night when the last of the desperados were captured in North Little Rock.

"I'm glad it's over," said 22-year-old Jack Rheurk of Sapulpa, Okla., one of the wounded men. "The cold was hell."

Arkansas Prison Supt. Lee Henales said he, too, was glad the hunt was over.

Rheurk and James Perry Williams, 29, of Sheridan, Ark., were the only two fugitives who lived up to Henales' prediction that the convicts would not be taken without a fight.

Corned in a shack, the pair defied officers' commands to surrender.

"Come and get us," they yelled.

The posse of about 25 opened fire on the shack. Then the officers called again.

"Come on out. You haven't a chance."

From the splintered shed came a plaintive cry:

"We can't come out. We're shot to pieces."

Williams was wounded in the back, thigh, neck and shoulder. Rheurk was hit in the leg, back, ear and hand. Their conditions were described as "not critical."

Less than an hour before, the second fugitive, 28-year-old David Dyer of Oklahoma City, was taken. Like the first of the gang apprehended — Odus Eaton, 25, of Stillwell, Okla. — Dyer didn't resist.

All four were armed.

Eaton separated from his companions Sunday night and was caught the next day near Scott, Ark., not far from Tucker Prison Farm from whence they escaped early Saturday, killing a trusty in their flight.

A "mistake" shooting Monday night during the height of the manhunt cost a recluse his life. A member of the posse was wounded. And an officer was wounded Sunday night in a brush with the fugitives.

Journey's end for the three remaining fugitives began Sunday night when police spotted three men apparently trying to steal a car.

One man — Dyer — ran one way, his pals — Williams and Rheurk — the other. Dyer was tracked to a garage and quickly captured. It took a little longer to run down the other two.

## WEATHER SIDELIGHTS

(By The Associated Press)

Two runaway Chicago boys — Leo Burke and Eddie McLaughlin, both 14 — huddled and shivered under a flimsy cardboard shelter in a Houston vacant lot last night.

Leo told the two policemen who found them that they ran away to Houston because:

"We thought it would be warm in Texas and here we are almost freezing to death."

The temperature was 34 degrees. And Houston was one of Texas' mildest spots.

At that, the Chicago boys weren't much more disillusioned than some Texans who found spring and winter weather in one spot yesterday — in the space of a few hours.

At Marshall, loud thunder rolled and lightning flashed in the afternoon. A spring-like rain, with large drops, splattered down then. The next thing Marshall residents knew, sleet and snow were falling and the temperature was down to 24 degrees. It had started up at 78 early yesterday morning.

And it was a little hard to tell whether the Rio Grande Valley has a semi-tropical or a frigid climate. Just before the current norther hit — at 12:30 p. m. — (See WEATHER, Page 4)

## Another Pampa Nearly Overcome By Gas Fumes

Mrs. Katherine Morris, local manager of Panhandle Trailways Bus Station, was almost overcome with exhaust fumes at the station yesterday.

A driver started the four buses in the station to keep them from freezing. About an hour later Mrs. Morris stepped in the back to shut off the motors.

Her attending physician said she was annoyed today, but should take precautions while in her weakened condition.

## W. B. Warrenburg, Father of Local Woman, Dies

W. B. Warrenburg, 74, died at 4 p. m. yesterday at his home at Dalhart. Mr. Warrenburg, father of Mrs. Malcolm Brown, 1206 Christine, had resided there for 30 years. He was employed at the Herman Steel Lumber Co.

In addition to his wife, Mrs. Mollie Warrenburg, he leaves the daughter and two sons, Dr. Clarence Warrenburg, Phoenix, Ariz., and Alton Warrenburg, Hartlingen, Texas.

Services will be held at the Central Methodist Church, Dalhart, at 2 p. m. tomorrow, and burial will be in that city. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

## Early-Day Resident of Wheeler Dies

KELLEVILLE — (Special) — Funeral services were held in McLean yesterday afternoon for Aunt Lucy Rippy, 89, an early-day resident of Wheeler County who died at the home of a daughter in Amarillo Monday.

She had made her home in the Heald Community south of here since 1902. Several years ago she moved to McLean and then two years ago she and her daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Swanson, moved to Amarillo. Mrs. Rippy had been in failing health for the past few years.

Services were held at 2 p. m. yesterday from the First Methodist Church in McLean with the Rev. H. A. Longino of Higgins, former McLean pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. T. Edgar Neal, pastor of the San Jacinto Methodist Church of Amarillo.

Survivors are the one daughter, Mrs. Swanson of Amarillo; three sons, M. Leo Rippy of Nashville, Tenn., E. C. Rippy of Norman, Okla., and A. C. Rippy of Lawton, Okla.; two brothers, R. C. Rogers of Phoenix, Ariz., and J. I. Rogers of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. M. Stone of Dallas and Mrs. H. N. Barrett of Eugene, Ore.; and by 13 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean.

## Apartment House First Major Building Project for 1950

Pampa's first major building in 1950 was applied for yesterday at the City Engineer's office when L. N. Atchison was issued a building permit for the construction of a \$20,000 six-unit apartment house in the McMurtry Addition.

Construction for the frame structure will begin immediately at 519-29 W. Montagu. The permit includes the installation of sidewalks and driveways on West, and also covers the removal of curbing on West.

The building will be 25 by 115 feet and will be completely insulated.

Atchison already has five apartment units at the location.

## Cab Driver Dies At His Home Here

James Newton Jackson, who has been a driver for Yellow Cab since shortly after he moved here from Kansas City two months ago, died yesterday at 4:10 p. m. at his home, 1234 S. Wilcox.

Mr. Jackson, born Nov. 14, 1902, at Trenton, Mo., leaves his wife, Mrs. Laurine Jackson; two sons, both of Pampa; one daughter, Mrs. Ervin Crowley, Pampa; and two grandchildren.

Duenkel - Carmichael Funeral Home has prepared the body for burial, which will be at Trenton Saturday. The body will be sent to Missouri by train, leaving Pampa at 6:50 p. m. today.



FLAMING FACTORY ERUPTS—Firemen throw five streams of water on a burning factory building at West Philadelphia. This picture was made an instant after fluid used to clean rigs caught fire and erupted upward from the roof. The burning drops of liquid make pinpoint lines in the cloud of smoke and flame rising from the building. On addition to the rug cleaning plant, the building housed a children's clothing factory. (AP Wirephoto)

## Europe Looks for Word About China

LONDON — (P)—The press of Western Europe expressed pleasure today at President Truman's promise of continued U.S. aid to the world's democracies but some papers asked:

What is America going to do about China?

British newspapers in particular were concerned at the U.S. President's failure to answer that question in his state of the nation address to Congress yesterday. Britain is expected to recognize the Communist government in China this weekend.

## College Science Laboratory Burns

CORSICANA — (P)—The Navarro Junior College Science Laboratory burned down last night, and the loss was estimated at \$25,000.

The cause of the blaze was undetermined. No one was hurt.

"It was the most valuable piece of the college," said James H. Edgar, Science Department head. "I would roughly estimate the loss at \$25,000."

## Two Elected To Council

MIAMI — (Special) — In a surprise last-minute development, two written candidates were elected city aldermen in one of the most spirited contests in recent years.

Frank Gracy, manager of the White House Lumber Company, and Bruce Maddox, owner of the Miami Feed Company, were swept into office yesterday.

Fred Gordon and W. R. Holland, both stockmen, were the ones whose names appeared on the ballot.

The final count gave Maddox 65, Gracy 62, Gordon 55, and Holland 35.

More than 114 voters turned out in spite of near-zero weather. Such a turnout is considered good for mild weather.

Gracy and Maddox replace the late W. E. Fogelson and L. A. Maddox, Jr., on the city council. Fogelson died last summer and Maddox, brother of the successful candidate, resigned several months ago to move to near Amarillo.

## Rebuilding of Prisons Growing

DALLAS — (P)—The manager of Texas' Prison System says the job of rebuilding it along modern lines is well advanced.

Manager O. B. Ellis told the Dallas Rotary Club yesterday that:

1. Rehabilitation of the "down at heel" plant has a long way to go but "we have gone a long way."
2. The \$4,250,000 appropriated by the last Legislature is being put into new buildings. Use of prison labor will give the system \$7,000,000 worth of physical properties, approved by good architects.
3. The prison will be better equipped to operate and to segregate inmates when the current program is finished.

## Young Driver Leaves Damage Everywhere

BURBANK, Calif. — (P)—Terry Hupp, 3, went for a ride in his daddy's new car — all by himself.

In his wake he left a wrecked bicycle, a damaged auto trailer, two toppled trees and 100 feet of smashed fencing.

Terry wasn't hurt.

## Actress Said Ill With Laryngitis

LONDON — (P)—Actress Greer Garson came down with laryngitis today, delaying work on a new movie.

Friends said she worried herself sick over her ailing husband, Texas oil magnate Col. E. A. Fogelson. Fogelson had a heart attack in New York last month and remains ill there.

## Atomic Explosion Predicted Saturday

LONDON — (P)—A man who predicted Russia's first atomic explosion said today there will be another at midnight, Greenwich mean time (6 p. m., CST), Saturday.

Magazine Editor Kenneth de Courcy also said there are indications that the Russians now are ahead of the U.S. "in some respects" in atomic development.

De Courcy told reporters he based his statement on private reports from behind the Iron curtain. His forecast was made in a written statement to the press.

He predicted last January the Russians would attempt an atom explosion during 1949. President Truman announced in September they had succeeded.

## Local Minister Returns After Two-Week Tour and Revival in Hawaiian Islands

The Rev. E. Douglas Carver, pastor of the First Baptist Church, returned today from a two-week tour of the Hawaiian Islands of an approximate population of 538,342.

The tour, sponsored by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, included mission work on six of the Hawaiian Islands — Kauai, Oahu, Molokai, Lanai, Maui and Hawaii.

Fifteen men and women including five preachers, left Los Angeles Dec. 17 and arrived in Honolulu, Oahu, nine and one-half hours later. During the week before Christmas "the men visited each of the islands. The last week was spent in mass revival in Honolulu.

Rev. Carver spent Christmas with Mrs. J. C. McGraw, missionaries on Molokai. The McGraws were former Pampans, and McGraw at one time was pastor of the First Baptist Church.

While in Hilo, Hawaii, Rev. Carver stopped at the Chamber of Commerce. He requested the Chamber send some of the Hawaiian literature to the local Chamber of Commerce.

E. O. Wedgeworth manager of the local O.C. received a letter from the Hawaii O.C. yesterday saying all available literature about the island of Hawaii is on its way to Pampa.

Pastors from neighboring towns who made the trip included the Rev. O. C. Curtis, Perryton; the Rev. Taft Holloway, Canadian; and the Rev. Paul Cullen, Borger.

While in Hawaii, the delegation was shown through Parker's Ranch, which is said to be the second largest ranch in the world, and the many orchids grown on the island.

"The total square miles of the islands is 6,428," Rev. Carver said. "One thing that surprised us was the lack of racial prejudice there."

He said a good response was given to the missionary work there in the churches. All of the young people on the islands speak English and all of the services were presented in English.

Rev. Carver assisted H. B. Ramsour, pastor of the Nunant Church, during revival week in Honolulu.

The trip was organized by Dr. J. W. "Bill" Marshall, president of Wayland College.

Rev. Carver said he will give a full report of his trip next Sunday evening at the church.

## Britain's Unofficial Ambassador Dies

WASHINGTON — (P)—Sir Willmott Harcourt Lewis, 72, who was known for years as "Britain's unofficial ambassador" to Washington, died yesterday of a heart attack.

The Welsh-born newspaperman was formerly a correspondent for The London Times.

## THE WEATHER U. S. WEATHER BUREAU

WEST TEXAS: Increasing cloudiness with occasional rain and freezing rain east of Pecos Valley this afternoon and tonight. Some freezing rain in South Plains tonight. Continued cold this afternoon and tonight. Friday partly cloudy and not so cold.

OKLAHOMA: Generally fair today and tonight except mostly cloudy southeast today. Friday increasing cloudiness, slightly warmer west to day, west and central tonight and over state Friday. High today 25-30, extreme west, near 20, east, lower 20s.

TEXAS: High 25-30, extreme west, near 20, east, lower 20s.

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"SOUTH OF RIO"

**1950 CHEVROLET HERE SATURDAY**

**Story-Book Texan Writes Horse Book**

(By The Associated Press)  
Of the writing of horse books there is no end, and there shouldn't be as long as they are as good as "Horse and Heroes" by Frazier Hunt and his son, Robert.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Here are the great stories from Paul Revere's borrowed mare to the quarter horses of Texas and the many Southwestern sources and authorities such as "The Cattlemen" published at Fort Worth, and described as a rich gold mine of horse lore.

**Burglars Hit Two Shamrock Stores**

WHEELER — (Special) — Burglars operating in Shamrock over the weekend made off with approximately \$125 in two hauls, Wheeler County Sheriff Jess Swink said.

At the Shamrock Lumber Company, safe crackers knocked the knob off the office safe and took \$85.

At the Hub Cleaners, between \$30 and \$40 was taken from the cash register.

The burglars entered both places through back windows.

**Senior Class Play Successful**

HIGGINS — (Special) — "Bolts and Nuts," the Senior play presented annually by the Higgins High School speech class, will probably be presented again later this month, Harold Mason, director, said.

The play was given an enthusiastic reception at its first two performances just before Christmas.

Two members of the class will be given speech awards at this year's commencement exercises, but their names will not be announced before then.

**Semester Closes Friday the 13th**

HIGGINS — (Special) — Higgins students are dusting off their good-luck charms and studiously ignoring black cats and ladders.

Final examinations for the 1949 semester will be given Friday, Jan. 13.

The second semester will start Jan. 16.

**Wheeler Court Resets Cases to Feb. 6**

WHEELER — (Special) — The Wheeler County Court met in regular session Monday, and County Judge George Heffley reset several cases which were scheduled to have been heard. The cases were set for Feb. 6, when a jury will be called.

**Suits Filed At Wheeler**

WHEELER — (Special) — Suits filed recently in 31st District Court in Wheeler include two damage suits, one for \$72,286 and the other for \$12,045.

Carl A. Hammer alleges in his suit against Lester Hathaway that he was riding as a passenger with Hathaway about eight miles east of Ballblaw, Okla., on March, 9, 1949.

He says that Hathaway was driving above the legal rate of speed on a wet and slippery road when the car went out of control, struck a bridge abutment, and turned over.

Mrs. Hammer died as the result of injuries received, and Hammer alleges that the injuries he received incapacitated him for life.

The Hammers formerly lived at the Columbian Carbon Company camp near Pampa. Hathaway, who lives at Mobeetie, is a former Church of Christ pastor in Pampa. The smaller damage suit is entitled D. D. Vines vs. Bobby Calceote.



**DEBATED PHOENIX** — "Phoenix from the Ashes," carved by Ewald Metare for West German state of North Rhine-Westphalia, aroused objections in Dusseldorf Parliament.

**School Assembly Schedule Formed**

HIGGINS — (Special) — Each class and grade of the Higgins public school will have a chance to display its dramatic and entertainment talents during the second semester.

The assembly schedule recently completed calls for: fifth and sixth grades, Jan. 20; Juniors, Feb. 3; second grade, Feb. 24; Sophomores, March 2; third and fourth grades, March 24; Freshmen, April 14; primary grades, April 28; seventh grade, May 8; and Seniors and eighth grade in their annual class day program, May 17.

The assemblies will be 30 minutes long, and are open to the public.

**Senior Class to Hold Baked Goods Sale**

HIGGINS — (Special) — The 1950 Senior Class will sponsor a food sale Saturday in the Sell Garage, Glenns Critch, chairman, said.

The sale will start at 11 a. m. Read The News Classified Ads

**Ex-Pampa Girl Leaves Hollywood With No Regrets**

HOLLYWOOD — (P) — Jackie Lee Barnes, winner of a free trip to Hollywood, has returned to her Albuquerque home with no regrets. (She was formerly a Pampa Junior High student.)

Content winners appear on the Hollywood scene as often as new Ava Gardner dates. But Jackie was different. Selected to celebrate the 18th anniversary of the Radio Theater, the former Texan girl was treated to a whirlwind fortnight of Hollywood glamor. Here is her reaction:

"I wouldn't particularly like to be a movie star. I had a screen test, which took almost a whole day. If anything should come of it, I might accept a contract. But I don't expect one and I wouldn't be disappointed."

The winsome 18-year-old said she expected to be nervous when she met the stars.

"But I wasn't at all," she commented. "It was just like talking to anybody else. The stars are really much nicer than the newspapers lead you to believe."

She said her favorite stars were the younger ones like Elizabeth Taylor, John Derek and Jane Powell.

"The most exciting thing that happened to me," she said, "was going to the Coconut Grove. It was a great thrill to see the Pacific Ocean, too. I think I was over meeting the stars."

The Hollywood trip hasn't changed Jackie's ideas for the future.

"I still want to be a model."

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Lb. 43c

**SPARE RIBS**  
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Lb. 47c

**SIDE PORK**  
Fresh, sliced or by the piece  
Lb. 45c

**BEEF ROAST**  
Grain-fed, center cut  
Lb. 75c

**ROUND STEAK**  
Grain-fed beef  
Lb. 34c

**BACON**  
Armour's Columbia

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**Libby's cream style white sweet CORN** 2 No. 303 cans 37c  
**Libby's green LIMA BEANS** No. 303 can 29c  
**Libby's SAUER KRAUT** 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 29c  
**Libby's VIENNA SAUSAGE** 2 cans 35c  
**Libby's all varieties BABY FOOD** 3 cans 19c  
**Libby's PEARS** 2 No. 303 cans 45c  
**Heinz TOMATO SOUP** 3 tall cans 29c  
**Heinz TOMATO JUICE** 2 No. 2 cans 29c  
**Heinz VEGETABLE SOUP** 2 tall cans 27c  
**Heinz cooked MACARONI** 2 1 1/2-oz. cans 37c  
**Heinz cross cut SWEET PICKLES** Pint bottle 37c

**BANANAS 25c**  
Golden ripe 2 LBS.

**POTATOES 39c**  
Colorado No. 1 red, 10-lb. mesh bag

**TANGALO 25c**  
Nice fresh Texas 2 LBS.

**Cranberries 19c**  
Ocean Spray 1-lb. cello bag

**ORANGES 19c**  
California Sunkist 2 LBS.  
Washington winesap or Roman Beauty

**APPLES 39c**  
5-LB. MESH BAG

**Grapefruit 5c**  
Texas marsh seedless Lb.

**FURR'S BAKERY TREATS**

**DEVILS FOOD CAKES** 50c  
Oven fresh, iced with thick creamy icing. Med. size — Ea.

**ROLLS** 25c  
Fresh, Brown and serve — Dozen

**BUTTERMILK BREAD** 15c  
Furr's fresh — Loaf

**HAMBURGER BUNS** 10c  
Large fresh — Package

**COFFEE CAKES** 20c  
Furr's fresh delicious — Each

**RYE BREAD** 20c  
Delicious with cheese and fresh tomatoes — Loaf

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**LGE. PKG. VEL 25c**

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Solids 61¢  
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50c Milk of Magnesia

**IPANA** 29c  
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**MODART** 37c  
75c Value Shampoo

**LISTERINE** 33c  
50c Value Antiseptic

Look what you get each Wednesday at all Amarillo stores. Berger, Pampa, Dumas, Dalhart and Hereford. Double Gunn Bros. Thrift Stamps every Wednesday with a \$2.50 purchase or more.

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**TOMATOES** 2 16-oz. cans 29c  
Kuner's

**SPINACH** 2 No. 2 cans 29c  
Del Monte

**GREEN BEANS** 2 cans 27c  
Del Monte cut, No. 2 can

**PORK & BEANS** 2 tall cans 25c  
Van Camp's

**PEP-I-HOMINY** 3 tall cans 27c  
Uncle William

**Tilghman wrapped HERRING** Large 26-oz. can 37c

**Hershey's CHOCOLATE SYRUP** 2 16-oz. can 29c

**SYRUP** Log Cabin, 12-oz. can 27c

**RAISIN BRAN** Skinner's, package 15c

**Southern Charm Cherry Jam and Cherry, Grape and Apple JELLIES** 2 glasses 21c

**PINK SALMON** Glacier, No. 1 can 35c

**PEANUT BUTTER** Bama, 12-oz. mug 37c

**ARMOUR'S LARD**  
3 Lb. ctn. 43¢

**ARMOUR'S SHORTENING**  
3 Lb. ctn. 47¢

**MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI 19c**  
AMERICAN BEAUTY — Lb. package

**BABO Cleanser** 2 tall cans 23c

**CORN MEAL** Quaker white, 1 1/2-lb. box 15c

**WAX PAPER** Cut Rite, 125-ft. roll 23c

**OLEO, Sweet-N-Fresh Colored, lb.** 35c

**OATS** PURITY — 3-lb. box 31c

**FLOUR** PURASNOW — 5-lb. bag 39c

**RINSO** Giant box 56c

**CLOROX BLEACH** Pt. Qt. 1/2-Gal. Gal. 9¢ 14¢ 27¢ 49¢

**CRISCO SHORTENING** 3 Lb. can 69c

**AJAX CLEANSER** 2 Tall cans 25c

**Cashmere Bouquet REGULAR SIZE** 3 For 23c

**Crystal White LAUNDRY SOAP** 5 Giant bars 35c

**PALMOLIVE TOILET SOAP** 3 Regular bars 23c

**McLean**

McLEAN — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pevehouse of Amarillo were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rhodes of Bula were New Year's visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhodes and Mrs. J. B. Pettit.

Billy Reynolds of Amarillo

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visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Guthrie.

Tommy Sorrels has returned from a visit in Abingdon, Va.

The Rev. and Mrs. Seay have returned from a visit in McKinney.

Mrs. Selma Turman visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Roberts were weekend guests of Mrs. Horace Wilhelm in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gull of Amarillo were Sunday guests of Mrs. Kate Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dwyer were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Todd in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pope of

Borger visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odell Mantooth.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Armstrong of Alameda, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Armstrong and children of Gainesville, Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Bailey of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey and daughter, and Mrs. Bettie Warren and daughter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey for a turkey dinner.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. MacDonald were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jones of Sunray, the Rev. and Mrs. Buddy Jones and son of Richmond, Calif., Bob Jones of Brownwood, and the Rev. and Mrs. Leo MacDonald and son of Fort Worth.

Shirley Allison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison, has returned from a visit in Vernon with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McElroy and daughter. The McElroys accompanied Shirley to McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Magee and family, Mrs. Laura Andrews and J. L. Andrews have returned from a visit in Marion, La., and Huttig, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mitchell and children and Mrs. Vada Kline and daughter of Amarillo were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bodenhamer and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Bodenhamer in San Diego, Calif., during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo T. Bow visited in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dennison Sunday.

New Year's guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butrum were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moore and daughter of Pampa.

Dr. T. C. W. Magee and daughter

of San Antonio, Tex., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Magee.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crockett were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bohannon and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howard and son of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Howard and family of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Howard and family of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fleming of Bentonville, Ark., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Edwards Wednesday night of last week. Mrs. Stella Miller of Pampa is visiting in the Edwards home this week.

Rats are declared to cause an annual damage of around \$2,000,000 in this country, of which about half is the food supplies they eat.

**Wheeler**

WHEELER — (Special) — Mrs. Harry Monday of Shamrock visited her brother, A. B. Crump, and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hyatt and children of Olton visited friends and relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hardcastle of College Station visited relatives during the holidays.

Mrs. Alton Nations and daughters returned to Duncan, Okla., Monday after a visit with the O. Nations and Frank Hyatt families.

The home of Mrs. J. J. Ayres was the gathering place last week of all her children except a daughter in Arizona. Those attending the family reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ayres of Laton, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webb and family of Dill City, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ayres and

daughter of Jewett, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jones of Wheeler.

Mrs. F. A. Martin and her brothers, Herbert and Morton Svage and Oscar-Earl Svage of Los Angeles, Calif., visited their old home place near Stephenville.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Hutchison is reported recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. Sallie Ring has returned to Mobeetie after a stay in a local hospital.

Robert Lane is a flu patient in a local hospital.

Bill Brickey, a patient in the veterans hospital, Amarillo, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. R. D. Holt of Amarillo is visiting in Wheeler this week.

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Heavyweight. Twelve only ..... 77c

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One group. Sizes 6 and 8. Reg. 1.39  
Hurry! Reduced for quick clearance ..... 99c

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Mothers! Here's extra savings. Only 86 shirts in this group. Sizes 6 to 16 ..... 99c

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Beautiful for evening dresses ..... yd. 77c

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Made of plastic. Reduced to ..... 1<sup>59</sup>

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Regularly 1.49. Now only ..... 98c

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Copper and glass. Now only ..... 1<sup>17</sup>

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Club aluminum. 1 1/2-quart size. Now ..... 2<sup>44</sup>

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One large group of slips, gowns and pajamas. Broken sizes, all grouped and priced for quick clearance to make room for new stocks.  
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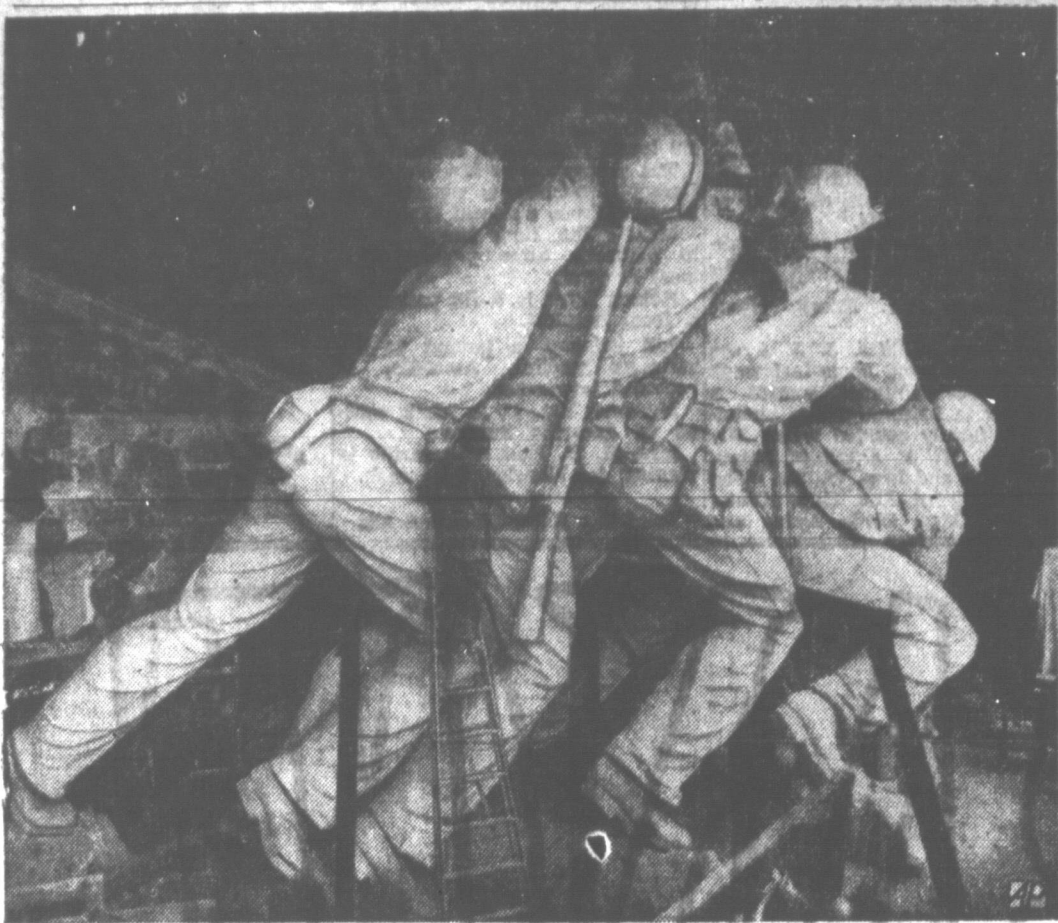
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**MARINE MEMORIAL FOR VIRGINIA** — Sculptor Felix Weihs de Weldon (on ladder) works on Marine Corps memorial based on noted wartime AP picture of two Jims flag-raising taken by Joe Rosenthal. The bronze group will stand on a hill between Washington and Mount Vernon.



**COOPERATIVE STARS** — June Haver and Kirk Douglas hold Golden Apples awarded them by Hollywood Women's Press Club as the most cooperative actress and actor of 1949.

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parently had covered the situation rather completely.  
In the light of Mr. Truman's stand, about the only thing the Chinese can do if they want American arms and advice is to hire American military men on a personal basis and use their own funds to buy American arms.

**CAR, TRAIN COLLIDE**  
**WICHITA FALLS** — (AP) — The Burlington Zephyr and an automobile collided near here yesterday. The automobile, driven by Joe Watson of Wichita Falls, was badly damaged, but no one was hurt.

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**1950 CHEVROLET HERE SATURDAY**

**SHEATH**

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moderate slightly tomorrow.  
The glistening crust of ice, sleet, ice or snow extended from Central Texas to the tip of the Panhandle and from Texarkana westward to San Angelo.  
No sub-zero temperature readings were reported at 6:30 a.m. today but temperatures generally were far below freezing.  
Readings included Pampa and Amarillo, 6 degrees above zero; Dalhart, 5; Lubbock, 13; Clarendon, 7; Childress, 12; El Paso, 34; Big Spring, 17; Abilene, 17; Fort Worth, 19; Austin, 27; Waco, 24; Dallas, 21 and Wichita Falls, 16.  
Clouds blanketed the state except in the Panhandle, the South Plains and most of West Texas.  
At Brownsville, in the Rio Grande Valley, the temperature at 6:30 a.m. was 40 degrees.  
At mid-morning, the Texas Highway Patrol continued urgent warnings to motorists to stay off highways in the ice-covered areas except in cases of emergency.  
The state highway between Temple and Belton was frozen over. Road conditions continued dangerous from Georgetown, north. There was no ice glaze at Austin.

**TAX ISSUE**

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eventual socialization of America and the elimination of the traditional American competitive system.  
Senator Taft of Ohio, who heads the Senate GOP Policy Committee, said Mr. Truman's mildness reminded him of Byron's quotation: "The mildest manner'd man that ever scuttled a ship or cut a throat."  
The Ohioan said Mr. Truman was fathering "hand-out programs which will add ten or 12 billion to the budget."  
That budget, to be sent to Congress Monday, promised to be a focal point for the economy wave which seemed to be lapping up recruits in Congress.  
House Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex) told reporters yesterday that the new budget will call for "a little above \$42,000,000,000," with about \$3,000,000,000 shared off foreign and defense outlays, but including a \$1,200,000,000 increase in domestic spending.  
This increase would be a sure target for Congressional money savers.  
Democratic Leader Lucas (Ill) called the first conference of all 56 Democratic senators (9 a. m. CST) today for what an aide termed "a free-for-all" discussion of the legislative program.  
There were clear signs that Democrats, as well as Republicans, have made up their minds against action on some of the President's proposals.

**DOCTOR**

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shortly after agreement was reached on continuance of his bail.  
The prosecution contends the injections were given ten minutes before the woman, suffering from incurable cancer of the large bowel, died in Hillsboro County Hospital.  
Authorities quoted experts as saying air injected in sufficient quantities clogs passage of blood through the heart and causes death.

**WEATHER**

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Hartlingen's temperature was 82 degrees.  
Thirty minutes later it was 55. And five and a half hours later, it was 44.  
Back up in North Texas, where it really got cold, farmers who visited the Soil Conservation Service at Henrietta ran into a little confusion.  
Gas pressure went down — just like the temperature — in the building housing the county agent, the home demonstration agent and the Production and Marketing Administration.  
So they moved next door to the soil conservation office. That made four agencies doing business in one 20-by-30-foot room.  
The collecting of contemporary and antique Wheeling glassware, made since 1819 in the Upper Ohio River Valley area surrounding Wheeling, West Virginia, has brought fame to this handmade American glassware.

**Scientists See Russia Building More A-Bombs**

**LONDON** — (AP) — The Atomic Scientists Association of Britain predicted today Russia will have enough A-bombs within a year or two to fight an atomic war.  
"Hence in a war in which atom bombs are used at all, they will be used by both sides," the group declared in its monthly bulletin.  
"The resulting havoc, particularly in a densely populated area such as Western Europe, will in all probability entail a complete collapse of civilization in this area."  
The bulletin said this threat "serves to focus attention on the real problem," which is defined as follows:  
"We must find some means of preventing recourse to war as a method of settling international disputes. Mankind must learn to submit itself to the rule of law in international affairs or our civilization will perish."  
The association was formed in 1946 with a membership made up mainly of physicists who took part during the war in the U. S.-British-Canadian atomic energy project.

**Board of Pharmacy Secretary Named**

**DALLAS** — (AP) — Buster Brown of Temple is the state Board of Pharmacy's new permanent secretary. He will begin the job April 1, replacing Walter Cousins, Jr., who resigned recently.  
Brown was appointed yesterday. The board also approved transfer of its headquarters from Dallas to Temple, effective April 1.

**Chief, Patrolmen Called Brutal**

**FORT WORTH** — (AP) — The River Oaks police chief and two patrolmen today appeared at the Tarrant County district attorney's office to give their side of four alleged brutality complaints made against them as a result of a Christmas Eve automobile collision.  
Chief James F. Barker, Patrolmen John Phillips and George Steele were to make sworn statements to Assistant District Attorney Ronald Aultman, who previously took sworn affidavits from five persons concerning the alleged brutality.  
A. W. Hall, 20, Billy Hall, 24, their sister, Mrs. Coyle Lee Weidaw, and Mrs. Frances Hall, wife of Billy Hall, alleged to Aultman they were slapped, beaten, abused and cursed by the officers following a minor accident.  
The fifth statement was taken from Jesse James Knight, a taxicab driver, whose vehicle was struck in the rear by the car occupied by A. W. and Billy Hall.

**Phone Strike Planned for Next Month**

**WASHINGTON** — (AP) — A nationwide telephone strike is planned by a newly chartered CIO union for early next month.  
The CIO's Communications Workers of America said it will call the walkout unless the Bell Telephone system yields to demands for a "substantial" wage increase, shorter apprentice periods, and a 35-hour week.  
A. T. Jones, CWA's vice president, said 100,000 workers are in a position to strike any time. Another wave of 150,000 workers, he said, will be ready to

quit their jobs by the end of February.  
Jones, indicating that the walkout may thus occur in two steps, contended his union is "getting nowhere" in negotiations with Bell companies. He said phone workers have dropped as a group from 7th to 25th place in average weekly earnings since 1939.  
In answer, a spokesman for the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, parent firm of the Bell system, said telephone workers are "well paid."  
The company statement said wage boosts granted since the end of the war cost about double the amount of telephone rate increases. He said any new wage rate would "have to be paid for by telephone users."  
The union contended 100,000 workers in a position to strike now could effectively stop service. Two of these groups of workers are equipment installers and salesmen.  
The biggest group now ready to strike numbers 50,000 of all types of phone workers in the six-state Southwestern Division. They had scheduled a strike on Christmas Eve but postponed it until Jan. 22.

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# AMERICAN BUSINESS ENTERS 1950 ON BIG NEW SURGE OF CONFIDENCE

By HARRY T. MONTGOMERY  
AP General Business Editor  
NEW YORK — (AP) — American business, taking heart from the way it rode out the mild recession of 1949, enters 1950 on the greatest surge of confidence in ten years.

Economists for industry and government alike, with a rare harmony of agreement, predict a strong first six months for the new year, with most forecasting a slight and gradual decline for the second half. They add it all up to a year of continued boom at levels equal to or only slightly below prosperous 1949.

Business and government leaders generally echo publicly these views of their economic specialists. Not since before the war have they regarded a dawning year with such optimism. Even at the beginning of 1948, which brought the postwar boom, forecasts were clouded with fears.

The new year confidence is based not only on large order backlogs in many industries and continuing strong consumer demand, but also upon the conviction that we had our long-feared and long-planned-for postwar readjustment in the mild recession of 1949.

Until now postwar forecasting has been sobered with the realization that an adjustment was necessary and bound to come and that it might be severe. The history of 1920-21, the period of sharp readjustment from the first world war, was expected by many to be repeated.

Many experts now feel that no further shake-down beyond that of 1949 is necessary, and that we can move along at a busy clip for an indefinite time.

The cost of living is expected to drop a little in 1950, with food, rent and clothing and taxes about the same. Total employment is climbing.

hugging around the 80,000,000 mark and just about where it was a year ago. As our labor force grows with the population, the area for unemployment increases, however, and there are some predictions that the jobless total may reach 5,000,000 in 1950, a whole million more than the postwar high reached in July of 1949.

The American economy appears to be in fine balance between inflation and deflation. For the months ahead inflationary factors seem to hold the greater threat. Among these are the federal government's deficit financing and its forthcoming payment of \$2,300,000,000 in cash to veterans as insurance refunds, public and institutional works programs, increasingly easy credit terms for consumers, including for housing loans, and wage increases and pension plans which step up industrial costs.

The financing of our foreign affairs also is inflationary. For 1950 we will spend between one and two billion dollars more than in 1949 on armaments and gifts abroad, and perhaps another billion extra on atomic warfare preparedness.

On the deflationary side are lowered investment by business (from record peak), lower farm expenditures, less selling of our goods abroad coupled with more buying of foreign goods, and a hard-to-calculate lessening of the public's purchasing power through increasingly higher productivity.

All forecasts are guesses, and the authors of none would regard their predictions as certainties. Forecasting nevertheless is a business if not a science, and economists are paid to do the best they can with the facts at hand. All business must plan ahead, and these forecasts are used to help shape the plans.

The comparative scoreboard for 1949 showed this:

Gross national product (the dollar value of all goods produced and services done): approximately \$259,000,000,000, or about two percent below the all-time peak of 1948.

National income (total wages, income and profit): about \$222,000,000,000, or \$4,000,000,000 under 1948.

Personal income: about the same as in 1948, or \$212,000,000,000.

Industrial production: The Federal Reserve Board's index closed the year at about 175 percent of the 1935-39 average, compared to 152 a year ago. The monthly average for 1949 was also 175, and for 1948 also 152.

Corporate profits after taxes: dipped to an annual rate of under \$18,000,000,000 at mid-1949 and apparently only recovered slowly, putting the year several billion dollars below the \$20,000,000,000 of 1948.

Retail sales: about \$128,000,000,000, not far below 1948's record \$130,000,000,000.

Electric power production: a clue to over-all activity: just under 6,000,000,000 kilowatt hours at year-end and about 200,000,000 higher than a year ago.

McMinn Taken to State Penitentiary  
MIAMI — (Special) — Sheriff W. H. Carr and Special Deputy Glynn Dodson left Miami Tuesday morning for Huntsville, where L. C. McMinn of Canadian will begin serving a five-year penitentiary sentence.

Snow and Ice Doesn't Kill Off Green Bugs  
STILLWATER, Okla. — (AP) — Wheat farmers received some bad news yesterday — the snow and ice doesn't kill off green bugs. Green bugs are those insects which thrive on wheat and damage the crops.

Farmers have been led to believe that below freezing temperatures put the crimps to green bugs. Now Charles F. Stiles, Oklahoma A&M College Extension Service entomologist, says a 11 cold weather does is to stop the love life of the wheat renegades.

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## Accused Man In Hospital

CORPUS CHRISTI — (AP) — Raymond M. Hanks, 45, accused of malfeasance in office while district supervisor for the state Comptroller's Department, is under treatment in a hospital here. He lost consciousness yesterday while being taken to the courthouse by arresting officers.

Constable Lloyd Magee said that before passing out Hanks tried to throw away a bottle. Deputy Constable Morris Cage took the bottle from him, Magee said.

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AIRMATES — R. Marlin Perkins, director, Lincoln Park Zoo, holds chimpanzee Helnie II, and stewardess Ethel Roman holds orangutan Ling-Wong as the Zoo additions arrive by air in Chicago.

## Personnel at Arsenal Cut

TEXARKANA — (AP) — Some 1,234 employees of the Red River Arsenal will lose their jobs in about a month. The plan to cut down the working force at the giant war plant 20 miles west of here was announced yesterday by Col. Selby H. Frank, commanding officer, as "part of a nation-wide economy drive."

on or about Jan. 15 — two weeks in advance. Colonel Frank said the plant force has to be reduced because of limited funds and anticipated shop work. About 7,000 persons work at the arsenal now. The arsenal recently estimated its monthly payroll of \$1,700,000.

Government statisticians estimate that the rat population of the U.S. is at least 180,000,000, about equally divided between farm and city.

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Washington....by Peter Edson

WASHINGTON (NEA) — U. S. national defense and bipartisan foreign policies now in effect are in general supported by large majorities of American newspaper editors...

Italian Communists Shift Line—They 'Like Church'

By JOH. FISHER

The Holy Year in Rome has thrown Communists into confusion over the proper strategy for offsetting an anticipated religious revival on the Continent.

Vindictive Stalinists have not abandoned their life purpose to exterminate Christianity. Scarcely a week passes but faithful clergyman in Communist country is deported, jailed or slain.

Earlier Marxists had deluged villages with papers smearing the church. An extract from one blast reads: "The servants of the prince of abuse on those who fought in the partisan movement, threatening patriots who executed Mussolini with divine and human punishment and inciting to bloody violence against the communists."

Were plots Italians spurred to rage by this vilification and did American Holy Year tourists come in contact with vociferous, blasphemous Reds, riots and bloodshed would follow. Usually such disorder is exactly what Stalin wants.

He has suddenly shifted ground and is making a play to fool the church. He is now trying to convince the Communists really love them and want to pal up with them in the battle for economic rights and lasting peace and universal brotherhood.

Such kiss-and-make-up talk of religion in Italy reveals that he is in serious trouble. All through his address he railed at Italian "Titoists" who are splitting the Communist movement.

Lately his party has hit the streets in other directions. Small fry Marxists, in contradiction of party principles, eagerly accept Red farmers were recently in-

Common Ground

By S. C. HOLLES

A Meaningless Concept of Right

The other day I was rereading Isabel Paterson's book "The God of the Machine," which Ayn Rand says is the greatest book published in the last 400 years.

Right as a concept is necessarily distinguished from force, something other than force, and truly superior to force; otherwise the term is meaningless.

There is no greater need than to get more people who are in a position of leadership to realize that if they themselves initiate force, whether it be by way of the government or a group, that their concept of right is meaningless.

Most of our unemployment and a lot of our poverty comes from people believing that it is right for the state or a subdivision of the state to initiate force against an individual.

These are the kind of people who will do anything to get their hands on the money of other people.

Now let's mention a few kinds of collective initiating force that absolutely violate the meaning of right.

In fact, there seems to be absolutely no exception to the rule that in order for right to have any permanent meaning it must mean that no individual or group ever has a right to initiate force.

The Ten Commandments, the Sermon on the Mount, and the rationality of Independence when pointing out that tax supported against any man ever having the right to initiate force.

The fact that no man who believes in any form of initiating force will attempt to define his terms or answer questions where he cannot evade by long irrelevant answers is proof that they are in error and immoral.

I think that eventually the free nations of Asia will want the same type of security within the structure of the United Nations as the North Atlantic Pact nations.

Sen. William F. Knowland, (R) California.

IT'S BEAUTIFUL, DARLING, BUT DON'T YOU SEE HERE? A NEW ACCESSORY LIKE A CONVERTIBLE AND A MINK COAT?

There were but few qualifications on this one, the Barkers-Karpis gang, said, "Favor us under U. S. officers." The U. S. N.Y. Observer-Dispatch favors aiding Chinese Nationalists on Formosa, but not in Asia.

Nope! He Didn't Go Away!



National Whirligig

news behind the news

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON — Although major changes in the rules governing Congressional procedure and management have been advanced by so-called liberals and reformers as an effort to strengthen Congress, their fundamental effect would be to give the President and party in power a stronger grip on Capitol Hill.

Ironically, President Truman and his chief aides at the other end of Pennsylvania Avenue seek to correct a difficult situation that was created by his predecessor, Franklin D. Roosevelt.

It was Mr. Roosevelt who welcomed dissidents, soreheads and insurgents of all kinds into the Democratic fold from the 1932 to the 1944 elections.

It may be that the White House proponents of new Capitol Hill rules do not realize it. But their current move constitutes another repudiation of a "Roosevelt reform."

CAUCUS — Nor does this new generation of reformers realize, perhaps, that their recommendations for revision of legislative organization and conduct would have delighted the hearts of such ruthless and reviled bosses as Fenwick, Cahoon, Aldrich and Longworth.

Rebert Heller, chairman of the National Committee for Strengthening Congress, has urged "revival and more extensive use of the caucus as an instrument for the formation and promotion of party policy."

CANNONISM — The caucus disappeared with the advent of Mr. Roosevelt, although it had been weakened ever since the Earlroll against "Uncle Joe" Cannon in 1911.

On the economic front, I can report agricultural production in Europe is now close to the prewar level.

So They Say

On the economic front, I can report agricultural production in Europe is now close to the prewar level. The industrial production is now 20 percent above prewar and the political situation has moved from darkness into daylight.

Winter Chore

By GORDON MARTIN

When the winter first brings the ground a covering of snow, any man's inclined to think that it's a bright and sparkling snow. But as winter moves ahead the snow becomes an awful bore.

For it always seems to happen, when you're snuggled by the fire, that your wife declares removal of the blanket can be quite a nasty chore.

IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD (NEA) — Ronald Colman doesn't mind calling square dances in the vicinity of Beverly Hills mansions, but when Groucho Marx gets into the act on the screen — uh, uh.

Colman, as a square dance caller, and Groucho were all set for a gay routine in Bing Crosby's new film, "Mr. Music." Then Colman read the script and bowed out.

Orson Welles, I hear, is trying frantically to contact ex-wife Rita Hayworth. He wants to borrow some money from her Prince for his latest film enterprise.

The seven times married Sally Haines is single, again and waiting anxiously for the new 1950 husbands to come out.

REPORT TO THE POPCORN PUBLIC — I just took a survey of Los Angeles theaters with the following results:

Texture.....Fair  
Flavor.....Excellent  
Salt.....Average  
Butter content.....Above average  
Container.....Noisy  
Sound.....30 percent audibility  
Counter girls.....Blonde, blue-eyed

Latest Martin Ragaway report: A musician got into a taxicab and ordered the driver to take him to Glendale. The driver said: "I don't know how to get to Glendale." The musician said: "Well, get out a map and follow it." The driver said, "I don't know how to read maps."

I understand there is an airplane "bouncing" device which makes a humming noise in the pilot's earphones. By staying on the beam and keeping the hum loud and clear, even an amateur pilot can bring his plane in to land safely.

I followed the hum and wound up at the Coconut Grove where four happy young men were humming through their noses. They're the Sportsmen, the quartet which hums the commercials on Black Benny's show. They have parlayed a hum into a half million dollar enterprise and so can no longer be disregarded.

Our real trouble is debt and taxes, and we cannot cure it by more debt and taxes.

James F. Byrnes.

The Doctor Says

By EDWIN J. JORDAN, MD

A few years ago the late Dr. C. Anderson Aldrich and Mrs. Aldrich wrote a book called "Babies Are Human Beings," which I hope is still in print.

It is practically nothing so bound up with tradition and prejudice as the care of babies. Any one and everyone offers free advice on how the baby should be trained. This advice is given with the best of intentions but usually comes from a strange mixture of what grandmother did, what I did, and what somebody's aunt said.

PERFECTLY PROPER

One question which the Aldriches discuss is about fondling or loving babies. Conscientious mothers often ask whether fondling is proper. For some reason they sometimes feel that it may be wrong for babies to be rocked, hugged or mothered, and that the infant in order to be healthy must be raised as practically "untouched by human hands."

Everyone thrives on some affection and probably infants most of all. Of course, it is good to fondle babies — good for the baby and good for the parents. This does not mean using dangerous roughness or giving the child an infection, like a cold.

It is not good, of course, for a baby to have indiscriminate fondling by friends and relatives. Like everything else, this matter can be overdone. The more people who come in close contact with the baby the greater the chance of giving the infant some infection.

Common sense — which is perhaps rather uncommon — should be the attitude regarding the baby and infants. Dr. and Mrs. Aldrich rendered a great service when they wrote this book based on their professional and personal experience.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS

QUESTION: What causes everything to turn black when I stoop or bend over?

ANSWER: One possibility is a fairly rare condition known as carotid sinus syncope. This condition, as well as other possibilities, can only be determined by careful examination.

wide variety of songs. But the drum humming followed me home. An airplane pilot, I understand, can turn the darn thing off.

Producer Sam Stiefel is talking to Red Granger about doing the technical advising on his football film, "Beau Dore."

High Wedlock's toast: "Oh, here's to Darryl Zanuck, a person we can't overlook — first at Twentieth Century-Fox and last in the telephone book."

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### Water Group Is Asked to Texas

ABILENE — (AP) — The West Texas Chamber of Commerce wants President Truman's newly created Water Resources Policy Committee to hold its first meeting in this section.

The WTCC and the West Texas Domestic Water Association (WTCC-sponsors) wired invitations yesterday to the committee. The telegrams also said:

"Believing adequate domestic water is paramount national problem, we are hopeful that committee may give first emphasis to this problem and that committee personnel may not over-emphasize public power against drinking water for people."

The telegrams were signed by J. M. Wilson, Floydada, WTCC president; Homer D. Grant, Lubbock, WTDA president, and D. A. Bandeen, Abilene, general manager of both organizations. They were sent to U. S. Senators



**NEW GERMAN SPAN** — Workmen finish the new surface of the bridge across the Larn Valley near Limburg, West Germany, destroyed by retreating Germans in 1945. It connects autobahn traffic from southern Germany with the industrial Ruhr.

Lyndon B. Johnson and Tom Connally of Texas and to U. S. Representatives George Mahon of Colorado City, and Eugene Worley of Shamrock.

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### Wage Rates Set by Highway Commission Attacked by Labor

AUSTIN — (AP) — Wage rates set by the Highway Commission in its bid for projects Jan. 31 were attacked by Texas State Federation of Labor yesterday.

Through its attorneys, the federation sent a letter of complaint to the commission asking for a public hearing to determine "true prevailing wage rates." The body also was asked to require payment of the true prevailing rates on all highway work.

The federation cited wage rates set by the commission for an El Paso County highway project, declaring them "grossly sub-standard" and without basis "in the rates actually prevailing in the locality where the work is to be performed."

Although the letter was written especially on behalf of the El Paso Building and Construction Trades Council, A.F.L., the federation said its charges generally were applicable throughout the state.

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer, to whom the letter was handed for transmittal to the three commissioners, said a check of rates would be made immediately in the El Paso area.

"If we're wrong, we'll be the first to admit it," Greer said. He disclosed at the same time that a higher wage scale will apply to all state highway projects beginning in February. He said the commission "upped wages considerably" at a Dec. 29 meeting but felt the Jan. 11 lettings "were too close for the new scale to apply."

Greer also directed attention to the fact that the commission does not say what wage must be paid by contractors, but fixes a minimum they must meet.

"Generally, contractors pay what they have to in order to get workers," he said.

The new wage scale ups the lowest category of work to a minimum of 75 cents an hour. The federal wage-hour law was recently amended by Congress to boost minimum wages from 40 to 75 cents an hour.

Nat. Wells, Dallas attorney, and Paul Sparks, secretary of the fed-

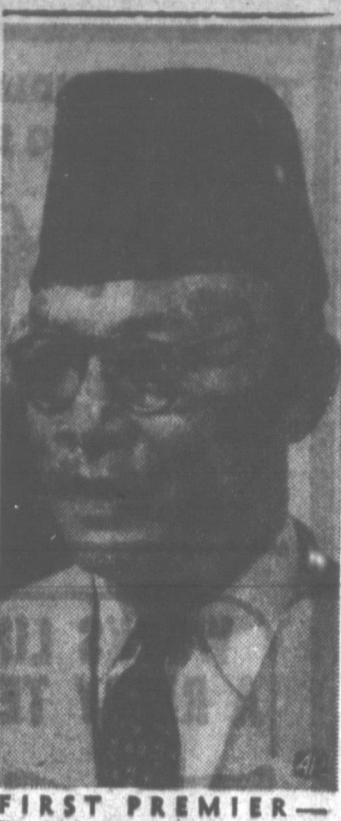
eration of labor, said wage scales set by the Highway Commission are generally 25 cents an hour to more than \$1 an hour less than actual prevailing wages throughout Texas.

The law firm of Mullinax, Wells and Ball of Dallas said in a letter written for the federation that wage rates set by the commission for the El Paso County project range from 45 cents to \$1.375 per hour depending on the type of work to be done.

"We are sure that if the commission will conduct even a cursory examination of the wage rates actually prevailing in the El Paso area, it will find that the actual prevailing rates are from 30 cents to more than \$1 per hour above those rates set by the commission."

As examples, the letter said commission rates for carpenters are \$1.15 per hour while the actual rate is \$2; for bricklayers, \$1.15 against actual rate of \$2.50; for structural steel workers, \$1.375 against actual rate of \$2.

Sparks, the federation's secretary, declined to say what action his organization might take if the commission ignores its request for a public hearing and determination of a new wage scale before bids of highway projects are submitted next Wednesday morning.



**FIRST PREMIER** — Dr. Mohammed Hatta (above) has been appointed by President Soekarno as first Premier of the newly-formed nation, the United States of Indonesia.

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### Texan Heads FBI New Orleans Office

NEW ORLEANS — (AP) — FBI Agent Leonard Blaylock of Cameron, Texas, is the new assistant special agent in charge of

the New Orleans office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He is 32, a graduate of Baylor University and a member of the Texas-Bar Association. Sumatra is nearly as large as Spain.

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### Import of Gasoline To Be Prohibited

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — The Diario Oficial publishes a decree today prohibiting the import of gasoline into border areas when Mexican production is sufficient to fill the demand.

The decree covers the entry points of Nuevo Laredo, Reynosa, San Pedro Romo and Matamoros. It bans ordinary and high-test gas, kerosene and fuel oil. Border areas, have previously been permitted to draw these from the U.S. because of the difficulty of supplying the Mexican product there.

### COMMISSIONER SOUGHT

AUSTIN — (AP) — Deadline for recommendations for a state commissioner of education was set for Jan. 9 by the State Board of Education here yesterday. The board's Screening Committee reported it hopes to have a report on applicants for the board's next meeting Feb. 3.

### Texans Help Okies Invade New Orleans

(By The Associated Press)  
Texas helped Oklahoma take over Louisiana during the Sugar Bowl weekend. Grimacing Texans, all having a fine time, decorated every hotel. They were mugh in evidence, also, at the night spots. And they paraded Canal Street, New Year's Eve in the annual, wild celebration. New Orleans believes in bringing the new year in with plenty of color, fervor and noise, and Texans were willing to help. It is difficult to figure such things, but presumably North Texas was very good for Oklahoma, and southeast Texans favored Louisiana State. Walk down a New Orleans street before a bowl game and you are certain to be asked "a dozen times" — "who're you rooting for?"

One Texan, asked this question, replied: "I'm for Rice — in the Cotton Bowl!"

The pretty Rangerettes from Kilgore, (Texas) College, were really the hit of the Sugar Bowl. The triumphant University of Oklahoma football team was a hit, certainly, but their appeal more or less was limited to Oklahoma rooters. Everybody liked the shapely, attractive Texas girls, and the swell show they put on.

There were 83 of them and they paraded while the Kilgore Band, in cowboy outfits, played. The Rangerettes wore brief white and blue skirts, boots and cowboy hats. They danced and strutted. Watching the amazing precision with which they danced and stepped around, you wondered how many dozens of hours they must have drilled and practiced to achieve such perfection.

At one time, during their half-time show, they used two sets of colored paper plumes to achieve the most exacting sort of effects. The great crowd of 83,288 roared and applauded its approval. The Rangerettes seemed to be enjoying their show — all were smiling, happily. Texans in the stand were mighty proud of those girls — and the band — from Kilgore.

Down on Bourbon Street, at the old Abingdon Hotel, a great Negro pianist, Walter (Fats) Pichon played nightly to big crowds of visitors. Pichon, composer and conservatory-trained, plays what many consider to be the best boogie piano in the world. Pichon wore cowboy boots from Texas while he plays — boots sent to him by Texas jazz devotees. On New Year's Eve, Pichon swung into "The Eyes of Texas." About 150 persons were in the audience. Forty Texans stood up.

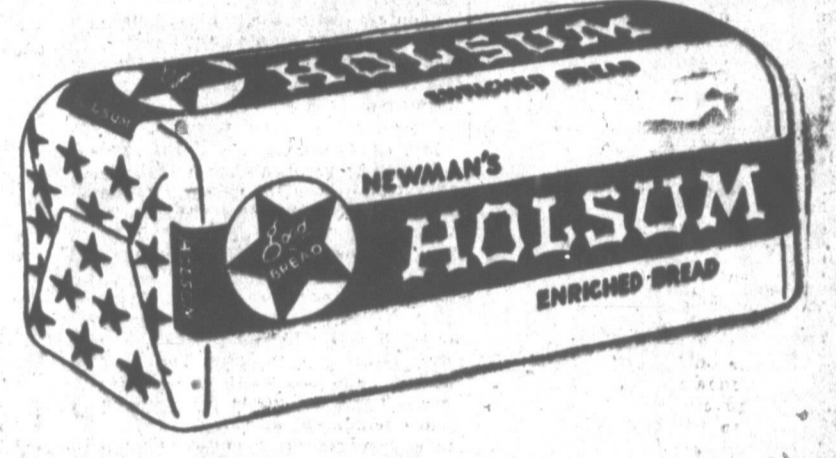
### Hearing Slated On Affidavits

NEW ORLEANS — (AP) — A hearing will be held Jan. 18 before the U.S. Fifth Court of Circuit Appeals on a case to decide whether labor federation officers must sign non-Communist affidavits before a member union is eligible for NLRB services. The court set the date for the hearing yesterday.

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<b>OLEO 21c</b> ADMIRAL — PLAIN — LB.	<b>PIG LIVER</b>
<b>GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 33c</b> SHURFINE 48-OZ. CAN	<b>FRESH LB. 21c</b>
<b>CRACKERS</b>	<b>PORK STEAK</b>
<b>SUNSHINE 25c</b> 1 LB.	<b>LEAN AND TENDER 39c</b> LB.
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4:45—News, Coy Palmer.  
5:00—Straight Arrow, MBS.  
5:30—B Bar B Ranch, MBS.  
5:50—Patterson Lewis, Jr., MBS.  
6:15—Gaslight Quartet.  
6:30—News, Penny Sullivan.  
6:45—Sports, Ken Palmer.  
6:55—Sports Memories.  
7:00—TUNE-UP.  
7:15—News, Sherman Olson.  
7:30—Gabriel Heatter, MBS.  
8:15—Lullaby.  
8:30—Grouchy We Hall.  
9:00—Frank Edwards.  
9:15—Mutual Newstreet, MBS.  
9:30—California Caravans, MBS.  
10:00—News, MBS.  
10:15—I Love a Mystery, MBS.  
10:30—Fishing and Hunting Club, MBS.  
10:55—News, MBS.  
11:00—Dance Orchestra, MBS.  
11:55—News, MBS.  
12:00—Sign off.

**FRIDAY MORNING**  
5:55—Sign On.  
6:00—Yawn Patrol.  
6:15—News, Penny Sullivan.  
6:30—Musical Clock.  
7:00—John Darcus Quartet.  
7:15—Musical Clock.  
7:30—News, Penny Sullivan.  
7:45—Coy Palmer, Sunshine Man.  
8:00—Robert Hurligh, News, MBS.  
8:15—Tell Your Neighbor, MBS.  
8:30—Tennessee Jamboree, MBS.  
8:55—Recorded Music.  
9:00—John Darcus, MBS.  
9:15—Three Quarter Time.  
9:30—Virgil Miller.  
9:45—Organades.  
10:00—Bob Poole, MBS.  
10:45—Lightest Dancings.  
11:00—Marine Program.  
11:15—Lanny Rose, MBS.  
11:30—B & D Chuckle Wagon, MBS.  
11:45—Gabriel Heatter Mailbag, MBS.  
12:00—Cedric Postler, MBS.  
12:15—News, Ken Palmer.  
12:30—Blue Bonnet Bow.  
12:45—Eddie Arnold Show, MBS.  
1:00—Ladies Fair, MBS.  
1:30—Queen for a Day, MBS.  
2:00—Bob Poole, MBS.  
2:00—Sign Off.

**TONIGHT ON NETWORKS**  
NBC—7 Henry Aldrich; 7:30 Father Shows Best; 8:30 Duffy's Tavern.  
CBS—7 FBI in Peace and War; 7:30 Mr. Keen; 8 Suspense; 9 "Egg and I"; 9:30 Abbey Caduceus.  
ABC—7:30 Date with Judy; 8 Mack Annegers; 9 9 About Men's Critics; 9:30 Someone You Know.

**FRIDAY ON NETWORKS**  
NBC—8 a.m. Eddie Albert; 10:15 News Garroway; 3:30 p.m. Lorenzo Jones.  
CBS—8:15 a.m. Barnyard Follies; 11:15 Aunt Jenny; 1:15 Percy Mason.  
ABC—10 a.m. Homage; 1:30 p.m. Bride and Groom; 4 Challenge of the Yukon.

**Glazier**  
GLAZIER — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Elmer F. Hazlett and Carol of Phillips spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hazlett.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Ward spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ward.  
Edward Howard of Shamrock spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Howard, and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Duke and family of Phillips spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jamison.  
Clint Wright took his daughters, Maxine, Joan, and Sandra, to Childers Monday, where they boarded a train for Austin to return to college after spending the holidays with their parents.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bussard and family returned from Gainesville Monday after spending the holidays with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy of near Lipscomb left Tuesday for a West Coast vacation.  
Mr. and Mrs. Granville Sheppard of Pampa were dinner guests of Mrs. Ada Dickens Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Howard of Arnett, Okla., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Howard and family Monday.  
Guests in the Tom Tipton home Thursday were Mrs. Gladys Manley of Amarillo and Mr. Francis Matlock and son of Higgins.  
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Green of Canadian and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Fox and family of Lipscomb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Price and family.  
Elmer Ward and Bobby Carol of Higgins spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ward.  
Woodrow Wilmoth spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wilmoth of Gem.

**STOCKS**

NEW YORK STOCKS  
(By The Associated Press)  
(Wednesday, Jan. 4)

Am Air Lines	101 1/2	97 1/2	101 1/2
Am T&T	69 1/2	140 1/2	145 1/2
Am Woolen	14 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Anacostia Cop	68 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Arch T&EP	40 1/2	102 1/2	104 1/2
Avco Mfg	34 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Beth Steel	93 1/2	31 1/2	32 1/2
Brantford	35 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Chrysler Corp	86 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
Cont Motors	31 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
Cont Oil	87 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Curtiss Wright	13 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Freeport Sul	2 1/2	50 1/2	51 1/2
Gen Elec	111 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Gen Motors	112 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Goodrich	8 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Greyhound Cor	107 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Gulf Oil	106 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Houston Oil	9 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Int Harv	42 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Kan City South	21 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Lockheed Air	46 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
MKT	42 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Montgomery	29 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
National Gyp	28 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Nor Am Avia	44 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Ohio Oil	46 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Packard Mfg	51 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Pan Am Air	122 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Panhandle P&R	19 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Penney Jc	56 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Phillips Pet	95 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Plymouth Oil	13 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Ray	38 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Radio Corp A	124 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Republic Steel	43 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Sears Roebuck	32 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Shinclair Oil	81 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Society Vac	65 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Southern Pac	66 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Stand Oil Cal	28 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Stand Oil Tex	21 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Stand Oil NJ	77 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Sun Oil	12 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Texas Co	60 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Tex Gulf Prod	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul	19 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Tex Pac C&O	16 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Tex Wat A Oil	51 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
US Indus	15 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
US Steel	230 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
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Both for

1.00 Tussy Wind and Weather Lotion **50¢**

2.00 Tussy Wind and Weather Lotion **1.00**

4.00 Dorothy Gray Salon Cold Cream **2.00**

2.00 Dorothy Gray Salon Cold Cream **1.00**

4.00 Dorothy Gray Dry Skin Cleanser **2.00**

2.00 Dorothy Gray Dry Skin Cleanser **1.00**

1.50 Lucien Lelong Soap **1.00**

Tweed Cologne **1.25**

Tabu Cologne **2.00**

**HAIR NEEDS**

Richard Hudnut Egg Shampoo **1.00**

1.00 Baker's Best Hair Tonic **79¢**

75c Modart Shampoo **49¢**

75c Jeris Hair Oil **49¢**

60c Boyer's H.A. Hair Arranger **39¢**

Pound Jar Helene Curtis Creme Shampoo **1.39**

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**COLGATE DENTAL CREAM** 59¢

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**Economize BUY THE GIANT SIZE**

**COLGATE LATHER SHAVING CREAM** 49¢

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**BABY NEEDS**

2-oz. Infant Syringe **39¢**

1.00 Johnsons Baby Oil **59¢**

40c Glycerin Suppositories **23¢**

1.00 Q-Tips **79¢**

**DENTAL NEEDS**

50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste **39¢**

Economy Size Colgates Tooth Paste **59¢**

60c Kleenite Tooth Powder **49¢**

60c McKessons Ammoniated Tooth Powder **39¢**

75c Listerine Antiseptic **59¢**

50c Ipana Tooth Paste **39¢**

53c Amurol Tooth Powder **39¢**

50c Dr. Wests Tooth Brush **39¢**

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**TO SAIL AROUND WORLD**—Marcel Bardiaux works aboard the 30-foot homemade sailboat Four Winds with which he will shortly leave Paris on a cruise around the world.

## Mainly About People

Mrs. Fefe Auwen and her son, Ted Auwen, of Noble, Okla., visited Tuesday evening in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Auwen, 219 Gillespie; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, 1120 Garland, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perkins, 615 E. Campbell.

Mrs. Colman Williams, 514 N. Russell, and baby daughter, Shirley Rhea, returned home today from the Pampa Hospital.

Hickory stripe coveralls in sizes one to eight years, \$2.25. Tiny Tot Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kidd, 632 N. Nelson, visited in Electra over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barnert, two sons and a daughter-in-law of Baudette, Minn., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prather, south of town, and with relatives in LeFors and Borger.

For Rent—New 4-room unfurnished efficiency apt., well located, furnace heat, venetian blinds, insulated, utilities paid. Ph. 1577.

Miss Ellen Praetor is in Pampa Hospital as a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Folsom and son, Chick, 522 Finley, recently returned from Kinta, Okla., where they spent the holidays.

Vans Cleaners, equipped for quality service. We deliver. Ph. 57.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dudley and children, Glenda and Junior, 700

Somerville, have returned from Willburton, Okla., where they spent the holidays.

Mrs. Jaunel Phillips, 422 Hill, recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shelton, Mobeetie.

Cadillac emergency ambulance, Ph. 400. Dunkel-Carmichael.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Radcliff and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morrow attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas Monday.

Pampa Business College, Ph. 353. Bill Speer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speer, Sinclair-Merten Camp, has returned to the University of New Mexico to resume his studies.

Bill Gantz, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gantz, 305 E. Browning, has returned to Newberry College at Christmas holidays here.

Bedroom for rent. Outside entrance, adjoining bath, 109 S. Wynne, north of tracks.

Don Gracey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gracey, Sinclair-Merten Camp, and Robert Branson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Branson, have returned to Texas Tech to resume their studies.

For Rent—2-room house with garage. Call at 403 N. Somerville, Ph. 58.

Billy C. Anderson, F. N., U. S. Navy, has returned to his ship, Thompson D. N. S. 38, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed, 320 N. Dwight. He has been doing sea duty for the past 16 months. His ship has returned to San Diego after participating in the Miki operations at Pearl Harbor.

## MARKETS

**FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK**  
 FORT WORTH, Jan. 5—(AP)—Cattle 500; calves 200; cattle firm; calves strong; supplies very limited medium-grade slaughter steers and yearlings 17.00-24.00; medium and good fat steers 24.25; common below 17.00; beef cows 14.25-17.00; canners and cutters 19.00-14.50; cutter to good sausage bulls 14.00-18.00; good and choice slaughter calves 22.00-25.00; common to medium calves 16.50-21.50; culls 14.00-18.00.

**KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK**  
 KANSAS CITY, Jan. 5—(AP)—Cattle 2500; calves 200; fed steers and heifers fully steady; cowb firm; bulls steady to strong; weaners and killing calves steady; medium and good steers 22.00-27.00; medium to low good heifers 15.00-24.00; canner and cutter cows 12.50-15.00; good cows up to 17.00; bulls mostly 18.50 down; weaners 28.00 down; medium and good killing calves 19.00-23.00.

Hogs 2000; mostly steady; good and choice 17.25-24.00; sows 12.00-13.50; stags 11.25 down.

Amber cellophane used on automobile headlights will render them more efficient in penetrating fog.

## Speaker for Meet Named

Mrs. R. A. Burnett, Amarillo, regional officer of the National Girl Scout Association, will speak on "Come Along With the Girl Scouts" Tuesday at the annual banquet meeting of the Pampa Girl Scout Association.

The meeting will start at 7 p. m. in the Palm Room of the City Hall.

Mrs. Burnett, a Scouter for the past 19 years, began as a leader in the Amarillo Girl Scout Council. She served on the council committee nine years and was president in 1934-35. The Scouter has been a member of the Cactus Regional Committee

since 1944. Cactus Region includes Girl Scout councils in New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.

Mrs. Burnett will cite highlights of the recent national Scout convention which was held at Milwaukee, Wis.

Jimmy McCune will serve as master of ceremonies and Mrs. Ivalde Hobden, Dallas, will install 1950 officers of the organization.

A. C. Tesop, outgoing president, will preside. Reservations may be made at the Girl Scout office in the City Hall.

## All-Church Choir Elects

Mrs. Lee Newsom has been elected president of the First Baptist Church All-Church Choir. She and other officers were named at a recent meeting of the organization.

Others: Miss Ann Spencer, first vice president; Mrs. Harold Thornhill, second; Mrs. Frank Turpen, third; Mrs. B. W. Johnson, fourth; H. S. Hultender, secretary-treasurer; R. E. Anderson and Mrs. Topsy Reynolds, robe monitors; and Paul Barrett and Jimmie Moore, librarians. Group captains for voice parts are Mrs. Floyd Hatcher, soprano; Mrs.

## Solons Open New Drive Against Tax Repeal Bill

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senators fighting a House-passed bill to repeal federal oleomargarine taxes today opened their drive to ban the yellow product from interstate commerce.

With Senator Gillette (D-Iowa) as their lead-off speaker, opponents of the repeal legislation hoped to rally support for a substitute that would permit yellow oleomargarine to be sold only in a state where it is manufactured. Gillette and Senator Wiley (R-Wis) are the chief authors of the proposal but 23 other senators are listed as co-sponsors. Like the House bill, it would wipe out the present federal taxes on oleomargarine. These include a 10-cents-a-pound tax on yellow colored margarine, a one-quarter cent a pound levy on the uncolored variety and occupational taxes on manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers. The Senate battle got underway yesterday with Senator Fulbright (D-Ark) calling the proposed substitute "thoroughly mischievous."

Lilly Hartfield, alto; C. R. Tooker, tenor; and B. R. Nuckols, bass. R. Virgil Mott is director of the choir; Mrs. Mott is organist; and Miss Eloise Lane, pianist.

The Schipperke poodle dog is the only breed of canines which is born tailless.

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<b>Pinto Beans</b>	NEW CROP 5 LBS.	<b>39c</b>
<b>LARD</b>	PINKNEY'S 4-LB. CTN.	<b>45c</b>

<b>ORANGE JUICE</b>	BIB - 3 for	<b>29c</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	GREEN GIANT - No. 303 can	<b>21c</b>
<b>LYE</b>	BABBITT - 2 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>CORN</b>	NIBLETT'S - 12-oz. can	<b>17c</b>
<b>P-I-D-O</b>	AUNT ELLEN'S - 8-oz. package	<b>15c</b>
<b>COFFEE</b>	ADMIRATION - 1-lb. can	<b>75c</b>
<b>PUDDING</b>	KRE-MEL	<b>6c</b>

<b>Fresh Fruits &amp; Vegetables</b>	
<b>LETTUCE</b>	
Firm and Fresh Each	<b>10c</b>
<b>POTATOES</b>	
Colorado McClures 50-lb. sack	<b>\$1.39</b>
<b>TOMATOES</b>	
Pick o' Morn Each	<b>25c</b>
<b>ORANGES</b>	
Texas Juice, Nice Size 5-lb. mesh bag	<b>25c</b>

<b>HOT ROLL MIX</b>	American Beauty 13 1/2-oz. pkg.	<b>25c</b>
<b>MEXI-CORN</b>	Niblett's 12-oz. can	<b>19c</b>
<b>Weiners With Barbecue Sauce</b>		
Oscar Mayer		<b>49c</b>
<b>Barbecued Pork With Barbecue Sauce</b>		
Oscar Mayer		<b>49c</b>
<b>BABY FOOD</b>		
Gerber's 3 for		<b>23c</b>
<b>AJAX CLEANSER</b>		
2 for		<b>25c</b>
<b>FRUIT COCKTAIL</b>	Dole, No. 2 1/2 can 3 for	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CORN</b>	Del Maize, 303 size 2 for	<b>33c</b>
<b>CHILI CON CARNE</b>	Gebhardt's 303 size	<b>31c</b>
<b>TAMALES</b>	Gebhardt's Tall can	<b>21c</b>
<b>CREAM STYLE CORN</b>	Kounty Kist 300 size	<b>9 for \$1.00</b>
<b>IRELAND'S CHILI</b>	No. 2 can	<b>57c</b>

<b>McCartt's Top Quality Meats</b>		
<b>PICNIC HAMS</b>	Small Morrell Pride . . . . LB.	<b>32c</b>
<b>PORK CHOPS</b>	End Cuts . . . . . LB.	<b>35c</b>
<b>SUMMER SAUSAGE</b>	Morrell, Long Stick . . . . LB.	<b>35c</b>
<b>SLAB BACON</b>	Pinkney's, by the piece, . LB.	<b>39c</b>
<b>BACON</b>	Corn King . . . . . LB.	<b>39c</b>
<b>ORANGE JUICE</b>	TREESWEET - 46-oz. can	<b>39c</b>
<b>PEACHES</b>	STOKLEY'S - No. 2 1/2 can - 4 for	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>WHOLE PEELLED APRICOTS</b>	STOKLEY'S - No. 2 1/2 can - 3 for	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>FRUIT COCKTAIL</b>	STOKLEY'S - No. 2 1/2 can - 3 for	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>PEARS</b>	STOKLEY'S - No. 2 1/2 can - 3 for	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>WHITE CREAM STYLE CORN</b>	STOKLEY'S - No. 2 can - 5 for	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	ARGO - 303 size - 8 for	<b>\$1.00</b>



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Pint	Regular 2 for	Giant bar 3 for	Large size	Large size	Giant bar 3 for
<b>36c</b>	<b>15c</b>	<b>25c</b>	<b>23c</b>	<b>23c</b>	<b>23c</b>
Quart	Bath 2 for				
<b>71c</b>	<b>25c</b>				

Miscellaneous Shower Compliments  
Miss Joyce Pratt, Bride-Elect

Miss Joyce Pratt, bride-elect of Bruce Dettler of Hutchinson, Kansas, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Farris Oden Friday afternoon. Mrs. William Dixon and Mrs. Frank Stallings were co-hostesses. The honoree was presented with a corsage in her chosen colors, gold and copper, and a corsage of red split carnations was presented to her mother, Mrs. Bruce Pratt. George Friauf presided at the bride's book, and as each guest registered, she was given a card on which to write her favorite recipe to be presented to the guest of honor. "Bride's bingo" was played as entertainment. Mrs. Gene Sidwell poured coffee at the round refreshment table, which was covered with a green cloth. The lazy Susan center held a decoration of spruce, red candles and little gold packages tied with green ribbon, which were presented as favors to the guests. Those attending were Mrs. R. P. Durkin, Mrs. Joe Gordon, Mrs. J. B. McCreary, Mrs. Charles Thul, Mrs. James Masana, Mrs. Gene Sidwell, Mrs. Arthur Teed, Mrs. Clinton Henry, Mrs. E. L. Biggerstaff, Mrs. Frank Culbertson, Mrs. Roy Bourland, Mrs. Carl Wright, Mrs. George Friauf, Mrs. James McCune, Mrs. R. H. Nantiel, Mrs. Bruce Pratt, Miss Jean Pratt and the honoree. Gifts were sent by many who could not be present.

'Mental Health' Topic at Merten HD Club Meeting

Mrs. A. M. Nash gave a ten minute talk on "Mental Health," from a magazine article written by Dr. John A. Schindler, at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Merten Home Demonstration Club. The meeting was in the home of Mrs. C. A. Jones. Mrs. Mary Ann Duke, County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a talk on "Facilities for Recreation and Entertainment in the Living Room." She urged each member to have ample entertainment, as books, games, magazines, radios and record players, for their children from early childhood. These, she said, will encourage self-reliance and self-entertainment. She also urged parents to play and read with their children. Fruit cake, coffee and cokes were served. Others present were Mrs. V. Smith, Mrs. D. A. Rife, Mrs. T. G. Groves and Tommy, Mrs. A. Swafford and one visitor, Mrs. C. R. Taylor.

A. R. Harveys in New Home; Celebrate

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harvey have moved into their new home at 1512 West Oklahoma, and celebrated with a holiday dinner. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Maok Moddrell, Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slavens and children, Eddie and Karen; Mrs. Juanita Coomer and children, Donna and Beverly; and Mrs. Bernice Fleming and children, Eugene and Carolyn Sue.

Grace Friend...

PICKING THE WINNERS  
Dear Grace:  
As you are probably aware, Santa Anita Race track has opened again. My problem is how am I going to be a winner. I have been told that there is a system you can use and that there are ways of getting inside information so that you can always be a winner. Kindly advise me of where I can get this information so that I may be a winner.  
A. R.

Dear A. R.:  
As you are probably aware there is an old adage which goes like this: "A fool and his money are soon parted."  
The only way you are sure to end the racing season with as much money as when you start it is to stay away.  
There isn't any system that will make you a winner nor is "inside information" infallible.  
THE PAINFUL TRUTH  
My Dear Grace Friend:  
We are constantly in the company of a mature married couple, who are always repeating "Well, we are glad that our boys don't drink." "We feel that this is the way to the 'downward path'."  
Now as a matter of fact, we know that their boys both drink, and plenty, when the occasion arises, in fact so much so, that one of their friends took them home with them one night, rather than incur the wrath or "shock" as you wish to put it, of these "self-righteous" parents!  
Now, are we to sit and hear "our young people" reviled by a couple whose own children we know darn well, do the same things? My husband says "yes" "if" for one say we should let them have it. "What say you?"  
Mrs. B.M.J.

Dear Mrs. B.M.J.:  
It is far better for your friends to hear the truth and adjust themselves to it. We have to face the facts of life and it might be easier for them to hear from another friend than to be wakened some night by a policeman with the news of their sons' drinking. Allowing them to continue their condemnation of other people's children for drinking only makes them ridiculous.  
Try to choose an occasion when you can tell them tactfully, don't shout out the news before others as there is no reason to humiliate them no matter how annoyed they have made you.  
ADD TO DRESSING  
Add chopped Brazil nuts to a bread stuffing for poultry to make it company fare.

Will Mrs. Barkley Overtake Mrs. Cafritz? Washington Asns



Mrs. Barkley



Mrs. Cafritz



Miss Nabuco



Miss Truman



Miss Morgenstierne

By DOUGLAS LARSEN  
NEA Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON — (NEA) —  
Thrown into high gear by the holiday spirit, Washington's frantic but fabulous winter social season is off to an inspired start. Over every cocktail glass you hear it whispered: "The coming months are fraught with the most intriguing possibilities." And from all reports it looks like banner competition for all honors.  
Here's a list of the vital issues facing the capital's social set:  
Will Mrs. Morris Cafritz manage to hang on to her crown as the town's No. 1 hostess?  
What impact will the new wife of Vice President Barkley have on capital society?  
Is this the year when a man with the necessary qualifications will claim the hand of Margaret Truman, singer, and daughter of the President?

Which embassy will win the party battle on the diplomatic front?  
Will some native Washington lass step forth to bring back to America's possession, top debutante honors?  
Whether or not Mrs. Cafritz keeps top hostess honors is the top tongue-wagging topic. Wife of the city's wealthiest realtor, she took the honor last spring when her rival, Mrs. Pavia Mesta, left to become U. S. Minister to Luxembourg. According to social-set experts, if Mrs. Cafritz can maintain the same lightning party-throwing pace through the next few months that she set last spring, the crown is hers without question. Mrs. Cafritz herself demurely says this about the situation:  
"What is all this silly business about No. 1 hostess? I just entertain because I love to do it. You know, there's more significant conversation in Washington than in any city in the world. I love significant conversation."

Of key importance to the standing of all Washington hostesses is the question of how much party-going and throwing the Veep's new missus decides the Barkleys will do. In order to maintain prestige, a hostess has to produce the Vice President at a fair share of her functions. Before Barkley's marriage. Mrs. Cafritz had no trouble along those lines.  
The Veep's budget being willing, however, Mrs. Barkley might have some ideas about cutting a path as a hostess on her own. Next to Mrs. Truman—who has disqualified herself from the party scene—official protocol designates the Veep's bride as the most socially prominent woman in the city.  
Next in fascination as far as cocktail chit-chat goes is the conviction among many insiders that this is the year some eligible man will step forward to claim the hand of Margaret Truman. In two years the "insiders" have had her engaged to two D. C. lawyers, a White House aide, a singer and a newspaperman. Consensus is that one of the D. C. lawyers—unnamed — will win.

Along the same line is the current irritation among ambitious Washington mothers—the manner in which a daughter and niece of two foreign ambassadors have turned the heads of Washington's eligible swains.  
These girls are Sylvia Nabuco, niece of the Brazilian ambassador, and Margaret Morgenstierne, daughter of the Norwegian ambassador. Both girls, debas of this season, love parties and are exceedingly popular.  
In addition to claiming one of the season's outstanding debas, the Brazilian embassy also is involved in what has narrowed down to a three-way race with the Iranian and French embassies for top entertaining honors on diplomatic row. What they are trying to prove with this sudden burst of party-giving isn't quite clear.  
This particular phase of the capital's social struggle is making the inveterate party-goers exceedingly happy. It is their fond hope that none of the contestants drop out any time soon.  
No matter how you look at it, prospects are for a very wet winter in Washington.

LUNCHEON DISH  
Serve stuffed hard-cooked eggs on salad greens for a luncheon main course. Remove the yolks from six eggs and mash the yolks with three tablespoons of mayonnaise, a teaspoon of vinegar, two teaspoons of mustard, salt, pepper, and paprika to taste.

Take Off Ugly Fat With This Home Recipe  
Here is an inexpensive home recipe for taking off unsightly weight and helping bring back alluring curves and graceful silhouettes. Just get the ingredients, four ounces of liquid Barcostrin, add four ounces of grapefruit juice to make a pint. Then just take two tablespoonsful twice a day. Wonderful results may be obtained quickly. Now you may slim down your figure and lose pounds of ugly fat without any breaking exercise or starvation diet. It's easy to make and easy to take. Contains nothing harmful. If the very first week doesn't show you the simple, easy way to lose bulky weight and build regular, slender, more graceful curves, return the empty bottle and get your money back.

Morgan-Timmons Vows To Be Said Friday

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morgan of the Kingsmill-Cabot Camp have announced that their daughter, Miss Eva Joyce Morgan, and Tony Lee Timmons will be married at 7:30 Friday evening in the Bible Baptist Church in Pampa. Mr. Timmons is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Timmons of Lefors.

Spoon Bread Teams With Gravy

By GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Staff Writer  
Spoon bread, a Southern specialty, was originally made with white corn meal and buttermilk. But northern homemakers liked the idea and adapted the recipe to yellow corn meal and sweet milk.  
The Northern Golden Spoon Bread might be compared to a soufflé, whereas Dixie Spoon Bread approaches a light more bread-like texture. Both should be served with a spoon direct from the oven casserole in which they bake.  
Spoon bread may take the place of a bread or substitute for a starchy vegetable in the meal. With leftover turkey or giblets folded in, it becomes a substantial luncheon or supper main dish.  
Golden Spoon Bread (Makes 6 servings)  
One cup enriched yellow corn meal, 1 cup cold milk, 2 cups scalding milk, 2 tablespoons butter or drippings, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 3 beaten egg yolks, 3 stiff-beaten egg whites.  
Mix corn meal with the cold milk. Slowly stir corn meal mixture into scalding milk; bring to the boiling point, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and cool to lukewarm.  
Add butter, baking powder, salt and beaten egg yolks, beating vigorously. Fold in stiff-beaten egg whites. Bake in a greased baking dish (1 1/2-quart size) or 6 custard cups in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) one hour or until puffed and brown.  
Serve immediately with butter or as a main dish with creamed fish, chicken or eggs.  
Dixie Spoon Bread (Makes 6 servings)  
Two cups enriched white corn meal, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 2 cups boiling water, 1 tablespoon drippings or butter, 3 beaten egg yolks, 1 teaspoon soda, 3 cups buttermilk, 2 stiff-beaten egg whites.  
Sift together corn meal and salt into mixing bowl. Add boiling water, making a stiff dough. Stir in drippings and beaten egg yolks. Combine soda and buttermilk; add to corn meal mixture, stirring until smooth.  
Fold in beaten egg whites. Pour into a greased baking dish (2-quart size and bake in a hot oven (400 degrees F.) 40 to 45 minutes. Serve immediately with butter or gravy.

The Social Calendar

THURSDAY  
There will be a meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary Executive Board at 8 p.m. Thursday in City Club Room.  
Firemen's Auxiliary will meet in the home of Mrs. E. N. Pierce, 2077 Coffee, Thursday at 2 p.m. Secret Pal gifts will be exchanged and new names drawn.  
City Council of P-TA will meet in the reading room of Junior High at 3 p.m. Thursday. E. M. Baker School will be in charge of the program.

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12" x 12" wash towel 25c  
Small wonder "Pinwheel" is so popular! See the graceful swirls, notice the mouth-watering colors (flamingo, buttercup, greenspray, saure, peach!), then check Penney's prices!  
Nation-Wide\* Muslin Sheets  
81x99 ..... 1.67  
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**People Caused Major Changes in Texas Cities**

By WILBUR MARTIN  
Associated Press Staff

The cities of Texas changed during the Fantastic Forties. They probably will never again be the same.

The people caused the major change. Too many people or too few people.

An estimated 1,250,000 men and women trained in the armed services in Texas during World War II. They trained at more than 34 major posts and camps, at 28 major air fields. They were stationed at 21 prisoner of war camps.

They trained over miles of land, land located around or near a hundred cities. Some of these cities were tiny places, some small farming communities. Most of the cities were ill equipped to cope with the thousands of men or the hundreds of families that came with the troops.

Bastrop, Smithville, Lockhart, Temple, Killen, Belton, Hondo, Poyot, Lubbock, Waco, Dallas, Fort Worth, San Angelo, Sherman, Denison, Laredo, Harlingen, San Marcos, El Paso, Childress, Paris, San Antonio, Houston, Galveston, Corpus Christi, Brownwood, Tyler, Abilene, Odessa and countless other cities were in or near major posts or airfields.

They faced problems of housing, of police and fire protection, of water, light and gas services, and a hundred other municipal tasks. They weathered the war years with little physical improvement. Material was almost impossible to obtain. They faced the first years after peace with a backlog of "must" projects.

They faced an added headache of growth — spectacular growth in such places as Houston, Denison and Odessa. And many towns and cities added to their size by annexing outlying territories.

Thousands of the men and women who trained in Texas came back to live. Other thousands were attracted by the state's job opportunities.

Practically every city and town in Texas has grown tremendously since the last census. But in some tiny villages, residents moved away to get war jobs. They never came back.

Austin figures it has a population of 150,000 today. Its census was 87,930 in 1940.

Amarillo estimates it has just about doubled its 61,686 population in the last ten years. Houston's estimated size today is 620,000 compared to 384,514 in 1940.

This trend is noted in all parts of Texas. It can be traced to war-born industry that converted to peace-time use; to oil booms; to new industry. It can also be traced to the hundreds of marriages made during the war. Some Texans brought home brides. Many Texas girls married soldiers stationed at camps in the state during the war. Many of these men decided to make Texas a permanent residence.

"No money" was a common complaint city officials made as the Forties faded. Bond issues could handle the bigger projects. But red ink still faced many a mayor and city council.

Inflation has played a big part in this financial headache. Bond issues prove inadequate by the time work starts on the project for which they were issued—because of the climb in costs. Construction and operation costs have jumped faster than tax rates.

In many instances, already heavily burdened taxpayers are in no mood to approve new bond issues or taxes.

There's another reason for the money woe of rapidly growing cities. There's a big lag between time of the growth and when it starts paying tax dividends. Essential services like sewers, gas and water main extensions—can't wait. They must be provided to new residential areas immediately.

No one is willing to predict that this growth of Texas cities will stop any time soon.

And city officials will continue to juggle the tax dollar to meet a hundred needs.

The amazing growth of many cities was a part of the Fantastic Forties. Many city officials are wondering if their town will keep growing and make the fifties fabulous.

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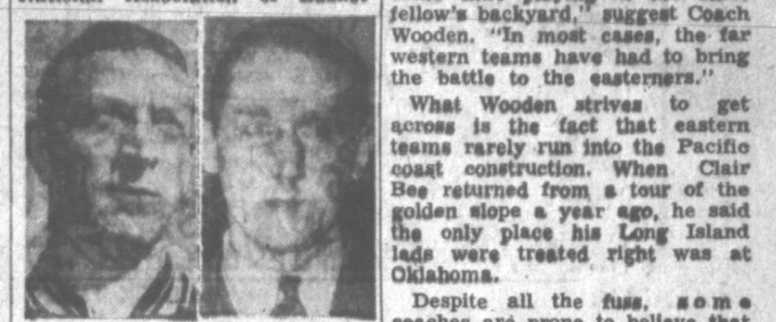
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### Whistle-Blowing Is Inconsistent; Trick Is to Standardize Calls; Officials' School Might Be Aid

PASADENA, Calif. (NEA) — College basketball whistle-blowing throughout the country remains as inconsistent as the weather. Far western teams making the relatively short hop from Buffalo to New York, for example, complain about the difference in the calls.



John Wooden, UCLA coach, and Moose Krauss, former UCLA player, discuss basketball rules.

Players definitely are thrown off their game by differences in rules interpretation. Steps were taken last year to ease the wrangling about the wide span in rules translation. For the first time in the visual interpretation committee of the National Association of Basketball Coaches made a study of the acute situation. All eight NCAA districts were represented.

Each group contributed motion pictures of the controversial points — hacking, traveling, screening, blocking, charging and so on. Each showed how his particular section defined the rule. The eight flickers were edited, knitted together and shown at the national meeting, coaching schools and other educational gatherings.

Yet coaches remain deeply concerned with the way rule versions differ in the various spheres. "A dribbler in the midwest is allowed—or was when we last played there—to pour over a defensive man, instead of going around him," says Washington's Art McLarney.

"During the western NCAA playoffs in Kansas City, officials called hacking much more frequently than in our ballwick," Blasts by coaches led Nick Kearns, veteran midwest official, to retort: "Fans boo officials when they ought to let the coaches have it."

"For example, I am a player with the ball, and after passing I cut across and barge into an opponent. That's blocking, pure and simple, but the crowd lets out a loud howl when the whistle is blown."

"The coach, the culprit who's been teaching his team those tactics for three months, jumps up side with the coach, the guy they

screams bloody murder. The fans really should be booing." Moose Krauss of Notre Dame points out that the colleges abide by the same basic rules, but agree the rules committee must further analyze the regulations, and do something toward standardizing the game.

UCLA's John Wooden feels that more intersectional games is the solution, although the many Cook's tours of more recent years do not seem to have helped a great deal.

"More schools should spend some time playing in the other fellow's backyard," suggests Coach Wooden. "In most cases, the far western teams have had to bring the battle to the easterners."

Despite all the fuss, some coaches are prone to believe that basketball is leaning toward a better general understanding. — But the dissenters have it, and Washington State's Jack Friel is one of their leaders.

Perhaps sectional clinics, or a national school for officials, would help. Either that or the Fort Sheridan, Ill., boxing-glove plan, where the officials do nothing more than toss up the ball. Movie studies are being continued this winter. Even in college basketball, Hollywood gets into the act.

### SEC Votes to Keep Cage Rule

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — Southeastern Conference basketball teams will keep the present rules governing the final two minutes of games.

SEC commissioner Bernie Moore announced this decision Wednesday after discussions with conference basketball coaches.

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### Young Spivey, 7 Feet Plus, Kentucky and Coach Rupp's Basketball Player-of-Future

NEW YORK (NEA) — Columbia's Gordon Ridings summed up the coaches' attitude toward basketball rooms with "When the tall boy gets hold of the ball he scores. When you have the ball, he can't stop you."

As to be expected, Kentucky has the exception in sophomore Bill Spivey. Well proportioned at 215 pounds, the 20-year-old Spivey is a legitimate athlete at seven feet and a quarter inch—by admission of Adolph Rupp, who has measured the Macon, Ga., center beside Bob Kurland, the game's tallest at exactly seven feet.

Schooled observers were in agreement that Spivey — rhymes with ivy — possesses all the necessary shots, while watching him pivot, dunk and rebound against St. John's of Brooklyn in a Madison Square Garden game. The engagement left a red-hot second-half Kentucky team suffering at the end from lack of time and the new two-minute foul rule, 69-58. They were trailing by five points, and coming fast with three minutes to go, but the game went cold when leading St. John's had all the advantages of possession at the end.

But most impressive was the defensive ability, stamina and agility of Spivey. The youngster went nearly the full 40 minutes, didn't tire at the end, nor, with only one personal foul, was he in danger of fouling out, the irksome fault of most big men. The Redmen's six-foot-six Bob Zerulok, who had been playing at a 18.3 average, hit only once out of 13 shots, and added a foul shot for a grand total of three points.

Spivey repeatedly blocked and hurried passes or shots by Zerulok, kept pace with Kentucky's quick-breaking offense while accounting for 17 points with light finger-tip control. It didn't take long for Rupp to dig up the successor to Alex Gross, big man of Kentucky's two-time NCAA champions and Olympic representatives of 1948. In fact the Wildcats' mentor and chief talent scout had him before Gross had finished school.

Rupp found the dark-haired youngster, then a meager 165 pounds and without high school experience, fed Grits Spivey till he rounded out to his present size, and gave him a steady diet of basketball simultaneously. Spivey also has had the benefit of schooling from two of the finest big men in the game, Groza and Kurland, the former Oklahoma A. M. and Phillips Oilers' luminary.

Rupp missed no opportunity, made sure that his freshman star, who scored 298 points in 15

undefeated years, was around while the combined Kentucky-Oilers Olympic squad was practicing and on a fund-raising tour through the Blue Grass country.

Adolph Rupp has worked hard on his player-of-the-future; has practically three years to sit back and watch Bill Spivey reap in another harvest for Kentucky.

CAGE CROWD MINNEAPOLIS (SF) — A record crowd of 72,373 fans saw the 3-day state high school basketball tournament at the University of Minnesota.

RACE SELLOUT INDIANAPOLIS (SF) — Reserved seats for this year's 500 mile auto race here were sold out within three days after the Speedway classic had been run in 1948, to assure another crowd of about 150,000.

### DePaul Knocks Aggies Off on Home Court

NEW YORK (AP) — It used to be Dartmouth and Rhode Island State which upheld New England prestige in national collegiate basketball. Now it's Holy Cross.

The unbeaten Crusaders, ranked sixth in the Associated Press poll, wrecked Harvard last night, 102-71, for their 10th straight victory.

Unranked DePaul again demonstrated its hex against Oklahoma A&M in the Aggies' home court at Stillwater. DePaul edged the Aggies, 61-60.

Kentucky, ranked 2nd to St. John's of Brooklyn, opened its Southeastern Conference season with an easy 87-55 conquest of Mississippi State. St. Louis, ranked 11th, whipped Detroit, 84-41, in Missouri Valley Conference fray.

Coach Stan Lambert of Lamar College has been named a member of the Sports Trail Century Club for winning more than 100 football games, according to a letter from Dana Morrison, president.

The Century Club, a nationwide organization with headquarters in Chicago, seeks to honor coaches of all sports who have records of 100 or more athletic victories in tribute to their work with American youth.

Coach Lambert, whose membership lists 116 gridiron wins, has added another since the frames certificate was drawn up last month. On December 18 his champion Lamar Cardinals swam ed Georgia Military College, 38-14, in the Spindletop Bowl.

Would Determine U.S. Prep Champ KNOXVILLE (NEA) — A. F. Bridges hopes that some day the United States may be sectionalized so a national high school basketball champion can be decided by regional and final tournaments.

Tennessee's high school basketball tournament process has shed its handlebar mustache and high button shoes for a crew cut and suit.

The state has been redistricted in the same manner as most other states where prep basketball champions are crowned.

Formerly the state was divided into three distinct sections — east, middle and west. Now there are eight regions, each with districts set up according to enrollment.

Bridges, executive secretary of the Tennessee Secondary Schools Athletic Association and a member of the National High School Athletic Federation board of directors, says the plan will put the state on a par with the others.

### WARREN'S WARMUP

QUESTION: What college team won the NCAA basketball championship last year?

SPORTS SIDELIGHTS: Oklahoma's Bud Wilkinson and LSU's Gaynell Tinsley were teammates on the 1937 All-Star team that defeated the Green Bay Packers, 6-0 at Soldier's Field in Chicago. Last weekend they had some hot words for each other. Wilkinson was quarterback and Tinsley was end. The lone touchdown of the game came on a pass from Sammy Baugh to Tinsley.

OKLAHOMA has had five players picked on one or more all-America teams this fall. They are guard Stanley West, tackle Wade Walker, end Jim Owens, quarterback Darrell Royal and halfback George Thomas. And Wilkinson was named Coach of the Year. Ten of Oklahoma's starting 11 are natives of Oklahoma. George Cross, president of OU, played guard on the 1923 South Dakota State football team. It was his support that enabled Oklahoma's athletic department to increase the seating of the football stadium to 55,000 from 30,000. There was some criticism of his move until \$1,503 jammed the plant for the Santa Clara game last fall. Cross is now planning a new basketball field house with a minimum seating capacity of 20,000.

LOS ANGELES RAMS are being asked to guarantee visiting teams an additional \$5,000 for all home games in the newly formed National-American League. The additional expense is to cover the long trip to the West Coast for the clubs, most of whom are located in the Midwest and East. George Thomas, Oklahoma headback, led the nation's major colleges in scoring last fall with 117 points. He opened the season by returning the opening kickoff 95 yards against Boston College and closed it by racing 90 yards against Oklahoma A&M. Phoe Allen, University of Kansas basketball coach, says: "I win more games by keeping my players in good condition than by teaching them trick plays." J. W. Sherill, University of Tennessee end, intercepted more passes (14) in the season just ended than any Tennessee receiver caught from his own passers.

EDDIE DYER, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, says the reason he voted against the return of the spitball is because "the pitchers today can't control fast balls and curves, so what

would they do with the spitball?" Jeff Gravath signed a new three-year contract at Southern California just in time. A mild movement was underway among some of the alumni to have him fired. They hoped to replace him with Matty Bell or Jimmy Phelan. The most familiar license plates in California are those belonging to Joe DiMaggio. They read "New York 2D-7D." Bill Veeck, who netted more than \$800,000 for himself in the sale of the Cleveland Indians, is thinking of going back to college to get that rest he has promised himself.

MANAGER CASEY STENGEL of the Yankees is high on the prospects of Al Martin, young infielder who will get a trail with the New York club next spring. Casey likes the boy's cockiness in addition to the good batting average he had last season at Oakland. Casey likes to recall the days he was managing the Oaks and Martin, a brash rookie, reported for duty. Casey game time and Martin, slated to start, scanned the batting order and found he was in the No. 3 spot. "Wow!" Martin told Stengel, "you've got me down hitting with the grounders!"

Kentucky's basketball team has appeared in Madison Square Garden more than any other team outside the Manhattan area. A New Orleans citizen who was willing to swap two Sugar Bowl tickets was offered a horse, a television set, and four suits of clothes.

LOU WATSON, Indiana University's all-Big Ten guard, recently incurred one of his most embarrassing experiences. Watson, who gives lessons on the art of free throw shooting at University High School, had just finished giving his pupils a demonstration of adding those vicious points from the charity lane. That night Indiana played a non-conference game in the fieldhouse. Watson missed six of seven chances from the foul line.

Bobby Fernandez, who played with the Abilene Blue Sox last season, is playing a lot of ball for Cienfuegos team in the Cuban Winter League. Jackie Robinson, second baseman of the Dodgers, will play himself in the projected Eagle-Lion film, "The Jackie Robinson Story." Ralph Kiner apparently is going to get his \$60,000 salary from the Pittsburgh Pirates next season without any trouble. General manager Roy Haney of the Blues says that they won't have any trouble getting together.

ANSWER: The University of Kentucky Wildcats retained their NCAA cage crown last season, defeating the Oklahoma Aggies in the finals.

Vernon Baseball Club Placed on Sales Block ABILENE (AP) — The Longhorn League will be asked to approve Sunday sale of the Vernon Baseball Club by R. E. and R. C. Huntley to 157 Vernon stockholders.

League President Hal Saylor said he was notified of the deal yesterday by R. E. Huntley. Reported price for the franchise was \$25,000.

2 IN ROW ANN ARBOR, Mich. (SF) — The Michigan Wolverines won their second Western football conference title in a row in 1948, the first Big Nine eleven to turn the trick since Minnesota in 1940 and 1941.

West Texas State defeated DePaul of Chicago in the only meeting of the two schools in basketball. The defeat was administered in Chicago.



By DICK KLEINER NEA Staff Correspondent

EVERYBODY else is reminiscing about 1949's best this and that, so let's get in the act: Year's biggest thrill—the Korner picked the outcome of the major-league pennant races and out of the 15 teams involved, made only two mistakes. One was the American League, the other the National.

Best finish of the year—lucifer. Most under-rated sport of the year—curling.

Least publicized champion—Pierre Etchebaster, court tennis champ. Did you ever hear of him? Diamond star of the year—Diamond L.

Court star of the year—Alger Hiss. Green star of the year—traffic light. Back of the year—Paulette Goddard's.

End of the year—Dec. 31. Line of the year—"Didn't I see you somewhere before?" Closest race of the year—the Scotch, a very close race any year. Year of the year—1949. What else?

Here's a toast to '49 Which brought both joy and sorrow. And while we toast old '49, Let's also toast tomorrow. May all your future bets come through. May all your teams play nifty. May all your puts roll straight and true. In a happy 1950.

KEY MAN in the purchase of 40 percent of the Washington Senators' stock is Hugh Grant, young Pennsylvania oil man. The Nats hope to get more miles per pitcher next season.

The Boston Braves have acquired outfielders Sam Jethroe and Bob Addis from Brooklyn farms. Willard Marshall and Luis Gordon from the Giants and Luis Olmo from the Dodgers. It's nice to see that Billy Southworth has a hobby.

One reason Manager Southworth may have wanted Olmo is that the Puerto Rican's English is far from fluent. The probability is that he wouldn't be very vocal in any discussion moves.

Sports stars, headed by Ted Williams, Stan Musial, Steve Van Buren and Gene Sarazen, will appear in Miami Beach in a benefit for the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. The junket is called the Sports Safari.

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TAKE IT EASY, KARL!

LOOK WHO SAYS TAKE IT EASY! KLANCY THERE WAS THE LAST ONE OF US TO BE KICKED! KICKED! HE CAN STILL FEEL IT! HE'S HAPPY!

YOU SAID IT MORNING!

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AREN'T HE ALWAYS WAS HERE THERE ONE MISSING! KRIS KOLUMBUS!

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WHAT'S UP, JEFF?

THAT FRESH LITTLE GUY INSULTED ME! IF I THOUGHT I COULD LICK HIM I'D GO PUN HIS EARS BACK!

HERE, HOLD MY CIGAR AND CAME! I'LL GO SEE HOW GOOD HE IS WITH HIS MITTS!

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WELL, YOU WONT HAVE ANY MORE TROUBLE WITH HIM, JEFF!

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ME? YOU AND YOUR LOUSY AIM WITH THAT TOMMY GUN! BLOW OUT ONE OF THE TIRES!

LOUSY AIM? I WIPE OUT THAT DE CARLO. DIDN'T I?

DON'T GET SO MAD AT EACH OTHER, GENTLEMEN. I SHOT OUT YOUR TIRE.

**Vic Flint**

HERE, BO! DOGSOME HIM HE GOT!

I CAN'T FIND BO... HE DOESN'T ANSWER WHEN I CALL HIM.

OH... HE'S PROBABLY JUST GONE FOR A WALK... HE'S OKAY.

WOW... I SHOULDN'T HAVE COME DOWN TO THIS TOUGH NEIGHBORHOOD TO LOOK FOR TRIK.

GR-GR- WOOF- WOOF- GR-GR- WOOF

**Vic Flint**

I STILL DON'T SEE HOW YA CAN AFFORD TAKIN' ME T' DINNER IN THIS SWANKY JOINT!

YOUR CHECK, SIR!

THANK YOU, MY GOOD MAN!

WHERE YA HEADIN'?

THIS IS TH' WAY OUT!

FOLLOW ME, GUV'NOR!

I'D RATHER WASH DISHES HERE THAN ANY PLACE IN TOWN!

**Bugs Bunny**

OH, WALDOO! SHE ISN'T SHE A LITTLE DARLING?

JUST LOOK AT THOSE BIG EYES AND THAT CURLY HAIR!

BOY! I'LL SAY!

AND HER LITTLE GIRL IS CUTE, TOO!

MY GOSH, HAZEL! WHAT DID I SAY NOW?

**Bugs Bunny**

PHIL—I WANT TO HAVE A TALK WITH YOU! COME UPSTAIRS!

SURE!

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VERY WELL! BUT IF IT TAKES, I'D INSIST ON HAVIN' A SHOWDOWN, IMMEDIATELY!

WELL, IT ISN'T YOU! SO KEEP OUT OF IT!

OKAY! OKAY!

**Priscilla's Pop**

NO, MOTHER, I NEVER SEE RONALD ANYMORE—HE'S A POSITIVE DRIP.

REALLY? HE SEEMED LIKE SUCH A NICE BOY!

WELL, ARE YOU DEAR? DOODIE AND PRACTICAL BY EVERYBODY AT THE PRAT WILL TELL YOU I'M HIS ONE TRUE GIRL.

SO WHAT'S HIS DEAR'S OPINION AGAINST SO MANY?

**Priscilla's Pop**

OH, DOUGLAS, YOU'RE JUST SUPER!

BLONDIE USED TO GET A KICK OUT OF SEEING ME DO THAT WHEN WE WERE KIDS.

LOOK, DEAR, I CAN STILL WALK ON MY HANDS.

OH, STOP IT, PAGWOOD! YOU LOOK SO SILLY.

WOMEN ARE TALKED THAT PLATON OF FALLEN ARCHES, THEY LEFT THE PLACE LOOKING LIKE THE CITY DUMP! WE'LL WAIT FARTHER DOWN THE PATHWAY OF LIFE TOGETHER IF YOU STICK TO YOUR STANDARD SATURDAY NIGHT SOLO ROLE OF BATHTUB CARUSO!

REASON: NO COAL AT THE CLUB.

**OUT OUR WAY**

By J. R. WILLIAMS OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

OH, IF BATH TOWEL! WELL, YOU KNOW I AIN'T SO GOOD WITH SOAP SPECIALLY ON TH' STAIRS—BUT DON'T WORRY, I'LL WRING IT OUT!

EGAD, MARTHA! YOU MAY SEE ME IN A NEW ROLE SATURDAY NIGHT—THE SENIAR HOST!—I'M INVITING A GROUP OF OWLS CLUBBERS TO HOOPLE MANOR FOR A SYMPOSIUM ON WORLD AFFAIRS!

THE LAST TIME YOU ENTERED THAT PLATON OF FALLEN ARCHES, THEY LEFT THE PLACE LOOKING LIKE THE CITY DUMP! WE'LL WAIT FARTHER DOWN THE PATHWAY OF LIFE TOGETHER IF YOU STICK TO YOUR STANDARD SATURDAY NIGHT SOLO ROLE OF BATHTUB CARUSO!

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**Wash Tubbs**

INSIDE THE BANK A MOMENT LATER, THE CRACKSMEN HANDCUFF THE NIGHT WATCHMAN.

YOU FILTHY SCUM! THIS WAS YOUR GAME ALL ALONG!

QUIET! WE DON'T AIM TO INTERRUPT YOUR REGULAR ROUTINE, POP!

EVERY HOUR, ON THE HOUR, YOU'LL RING IN YOUR BOKES, JUST LIKE EVERYTHING IS OKAY! BUT ONE WRONG MOVE AND YOU'RE DEAD!

I'LL GO SIGNAL TH' DEACON HERE READY FOR HIL TO MOVE IN.

WHILE I NEXT DOOR...

OKAY... THAT'S LEW'S SIGNAL! KNOCK OUT THAT WALL PANELING IN THE BANK... WE'RE READY TO GO!

**Red Ryder**

I SOLD O'FARRELL'S WHOLE KIT AND KABOODLE FOR \$3,000 TO A FELLA HERE IN TOWN!

\$3,000? WHY UNCLE MIKE HAD \$10,000 WORTH OF GOODS IN HIS STORE?

THEN YOU'D BETTER SEE SLINK PARSONS, MISE—I DONE THE BEST I COULD!

SLINK PARSONS IN THAT CASE, I'D BETTER GO ALONE!

MEANWHILE... AT SLINK PARSONS PLACE...

SOYA LET A RED-SHIRTED VAGABOND STOP YA FROM GETTIN' THAT WAGON!

YEAH... BUT WE GOT MIKE O'FARRELL FOR YA, DIDN'T WE?

**Boots**

HYUM... MR. B!

I CAN'T IMAGINE WHAT ON EARTH WAS COME OVER ROD!

MR. BUFFINGTON, I'M WORRIED ABOUT ROD...

YOU'RE WORRIED? LOOK, YOU ONLY HAVE TO LIVE WITH 'IM! I HAVE TO WORK WITH THE GUY!

**Tex Austin**

9-10 AND OUT!

THE WINNAH!—SAILOR JOE SMILEY!

YOU GOT IN SOME GOOD LICKS, KID!

YEAH—A LOTTA GOOD PAT DID—I LET YA DOWN, TEX! I LET YA DOWN!

TAKE IT EASY, FRANKIE! IT WAS ONLY A BOXING MATCH!

IF ONLY I'D LISTENED TO YOU—BUT I HADTA GET SMART!

**Bo**

HERE, BO! DOGSOME HIM HE GOT!

I CAN'T FIND BO... HE DOESN'T ANSWER WHEN I CALL HIM.

OH... HE'S PROBABLY JUST GONE FOR A WALK... HE'S OKAY.

WOW... I SHOULDN'T HAVE COME DOWN TO THIS TOUGH NEIGHBORHOOD TO LOOK FOR TRIK.

GR-GR- WOOF- WOOF- GR-GR- WOOF

**Mickey Finn**

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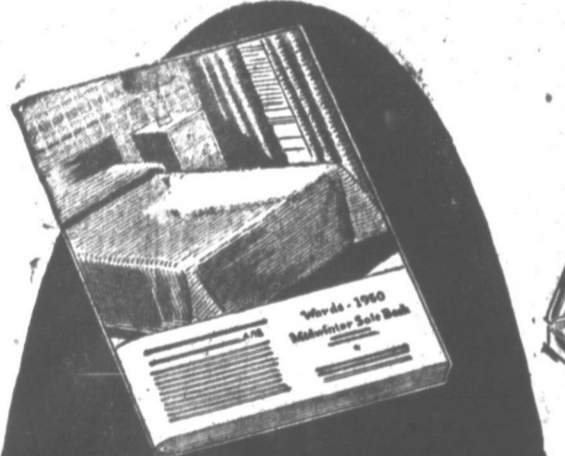
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## Something Lost When a Home Is Broken Up

By HAL BOYLE  
NEW YORK (AP)—There is always something lost—a thing you can't go back up—when a home is broken up.

And a child is as sensitive to this feeling as a grownup. My goddaughter, Nina, felt that way the other morning as she watched the first home of her life—she's only two-and-a-half years old—come apart under her eyes. It was the day she was to sail for Italy with her parents, George and Helen Palmer, a young newspaper couple.

Nina was told weeks ago of the trip. To her Italy was just a name that meant going somewhere. But she was excited. She grew even more excited as the household belongings were packed.

But by sailing day her enthusiasm had waned. There was a look of finality about the apartment she didn't like—the boxed books, the walls bare of pictures, the toys put away. It disturbed her.

When the man came to carry away the last trunk in the living room, Nina tried to stop him by sitting on it.

"Nina wanna sit here," she pleaded.

She was very thoughtful on the way to the ship—the Vulcanica. There was a small bon voyage party in the Palmer stateroom, but Nina didn't take part in it. She wandered about, uneasily inspecting her new surroundings.

Then she demanded sternly: "Where big boat? Show Nina big boat."

Everyone laughed. She didn't realize that she was already on the big boat. So I wrapped her up warm in a pet blanket she calls "lubby" and carried her out on deck. I pointed out the ferryboats crossing the river, and explained that very soon the big boat she was on would pull out and sail away, too.

She thought this over for some time in silence. Going to Italy, she was beginning to understand, was quite a different thing from going uptown to a department store.

Soon after that all visitors had to leave. As each member of the party left, saying goodbye, Nina grew more and more restless. Frances and I were the last to go. Nina gave us each a kiss-peck on the cheek. Then she made up her mind the whole deal was off.

Nina's face puckered in tears: "No wanna go. Hittale! No want big boat! Nina wanna go home! Take Nina home!"

And suddenly all of us were crying together, crying for the lost fun in the home behind. Hittale might be wonderful, but the home behind—for Nina the only home she had known—had been wonderful, too.

### Lefors

LEFORS (Special)—Visitors in and around Lefors during the holiday were:

Mr. and Mrs. George Newkirk, Greeley, Colo., guests of the A. G. Roberts family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hill, San Antonio, guests of A. L. Michaels and W. T. Hill, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAninch and son, Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McAninch and children, and Jerry McAninch, Albuquerque, visited the C. J. McAninch family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parks, Oklahoma City, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, Phillips, guests of the C. W. Teeters family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Guthrie, Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Callahan and son of Plainview visited the J. W. Guthrie family.

N. W. Jones, Dumas, guest of the H. L. McCauleys.

D. C. Rickman and daughters visited the H. F. Jones family in Wiley, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Welborn visited his mother, Mrs. H. E. Welborn, at Wichita, Kans., over the Christmas weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Baxter visited the J. G. Stroup family in Amarillo last week.

J. M. Wright and family visited relatives in South West City, Mo., last week.

Juan Hall visited the Clarence Parks family in Oklahoma City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Rowe and family visited Mrs. W. H. Rowe of Elkhart recently.

Melba Joyce Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cisco at Seminole, Texas, during Christmas.

During the holiday week, the H. L. McCauley family visited friends and relatives in Carlsbad, N. M., and El Paso.

The E. Menafee family held a family reunion on New Year's day. There were 34 persons present, including relatives from Pampa, Borger, and Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tubbs of Canyon and formerly of Lefors are the parents of a son born Jan. 1.

Students home from college for the holidays were: Clarence Teeters, Oklahoma A&M; Joe Ogden, C. H. Keaton, Freddie Newsum, Tommy Jinks, and Bobby Jean Hedrick, West Texas State; C. I. Vincent, and Nathan Turbbo, Texas Tech; Robin Tibbets, McMurry; Betty Scott and Angie Davis, North Texas State; Doyle Guthrie, Hardin-Simmons; Tommy Ferguson, Wayland; Joe Pafford, Bill Stafford, and Joe Gourley, Texas A&M.

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