

TIMES, AS THE POET ONCE SAID, WILL CERTAINLY CHANGE. FOLKS USED TO MAKE CLOTHING ON SPINNING WHEELS. NOW THEY LOSE THEIR SHIRTS ON 'EM.

Dairymen's League Charged With Manipulation of Market Butter Price

Information Is Filed in Federal Court

NEW YORK — (AP) — The government charged Saturday in a criminal information that the Dairymen's League Cooperative Association, Inc., its president, Henry H. Rathbun, and three members of the executive committee manipulated the price of butter on the New York Mercantile Exchange for five days last month.

The information specifically charged violation of a section of the United States code, known as the Commodity Exchange Act. It provides that any person who manipulates or attempts to manipulate the price of any commodity in interstate commerce is guilty of a misdemeanor.

The charges stemmed from the drop of ten cents a pound in the wholesale butter price on Dec. 25 after organized support by dairy interests was withdrawn.

After the price break, the league said it had supported butter prices prior to the drop by purchases at levels that would keep the New York price to producers for milk in January at \$5.46 per hundred pounds as at present.

U. S. Attorney John F. X. McCleby, who announced filing of the information in federal court, said Rathbun said during an investigation of the price drop conducted by the U. S. attorney's office and the Department of Agriculture that he had undertaken "to support the butter price."

France Plans to 'Fight It Out' in Indochina War

PARIS — (AP) — Full-scale war in Indochina was foreseen yesterday when Colonial Minister Marius Moutet said that France would have to fight it out there.

"It is necessary to have a military decision," Moutet told the semi-official French press agency. The interview at Saigon followed his return from an eyewitness view of fighting in the northern city of Hanoi where he twice was fired upon by snipers.

Saying he was convinced the Viet-Namites started the fighting at Hanoi Dec. 19 with premeditation as part of a plan to force French control, Moutet declared:

"Those responsible for this tragedy have systematically destroyed many hopes and comprised the efforts in which we have put all our goodwill. Before any negotiations today it is necessary to have a military decision. I am sorry, but one cannot continue to negotiate with the Viet-Namites."

News of Moutet's plans to cut short his fact-finding trip to France's Oriental empire, reached Paris simultaneously with the arrival on official visits of the French resident generals of Tunis and Morocco. Another high French official is flying to Paris from Dakar in French West Africa.

The arrival of these colonial officials focused attention on the widely held belief that the natives of these lands were watching closely the outcome of the challenge to French rule by the Viet-Namites.

North African native groups have shown repeated signs of restlessness in recent years of French weakness, and few Frenchmen doubted that the interim government of Leon Blum was trying itself with up-to-the-minute information on the state of affairs in the colonial empire.

Moutet's expressed belief that the issue would have to be decided by fighting focused attention on France's top mobile warfare expert in Indochina, Gen. Leclerc.

Presumably he would be in command if the French begin a full-scale offensive in Indochina's jungles and rice paddies.

Leading French communists said the French were holding the Central sections of Hanoi but were encircled by about 10,000 Viet-Namites along a 15-mile front.

The Viet-Namites had artillery and mortars, which the French say was captured by the Japanese and turned over to the natives.

The French had tanks and planes which have been used to knock out all but four of the Viet Nam artillery pieces around Hanoi.

The French had been forced to evacuate five small towns on the mountain road from Hanoi to Langson on the Chinese border.

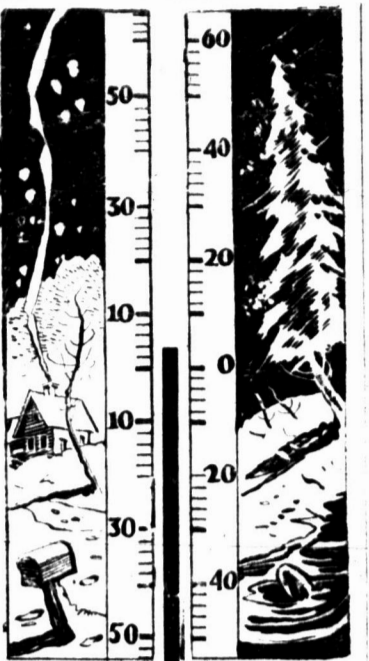
Balotting in Chamber Election Ends Monday

Counting of the ballots in the election of a new Chamber of Commerce Advisory Board will begin at 9 a. m. tomorrow morning, W. B. Weathered, president, announced yesterday afternoon.

Weathered urged all Chamber of Commerce members to be sure that they had their ballot submitted for count the first thing Monday morning.

Outgoing advisory board members, Crawford Atkinson, Marshall Hubbard, J. C. McWilliams, R. H. Nensel, and F. E. Shroyck, will count the ballots.

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Saturday 5:00 P. M. Reading

Zero Temperature Remains as Most Road Travel Open

Although the thermometer still hovered near the zero mark last night, a forecast of four to six below being forecast, general weather conditions were better here yesterday as Pampa, due out from a six-inch snowfall.

The weather was better news for travelers, too, as all highways in and around Pampa were reported open, although not in top shape.

The report came to a high of 15 here yesterday, compared to a low of three below zero early yesterday morning and had dropped back to eight above shortly after seven o'clock last night.

Frank Morris, manager of the Union Bus Station, said yesterday that he had "accurate information" that every highway out of Pampa was open and that his firm's buses were back on near-schedule at about four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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Travel on 66 has been resumed but motorists were warned to watch for icy spots on all highways.

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Miraculously, few ill effects were felt in Wichita Falls, with the exception of a few cases of pneumonia, according to the Associated Press.

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Two Scout Troops Added to Council

Two new Boy Scout troops have been added to the Adobe-Walks Area Council within the past month. Scout Executive Hugo Olsen announced yesterday.

The first of the newly organized troops is being sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Shamrock and has been designated as Troop 73. It now has a total of five registered scouts and 15 others working on Tenderfoot tests.

The second troop is being sponsored by the Church of God, 511 Reed St., Pampa. The Rev. A. R. Mitchell, pastor of the church, has been named scoutmaster. On the troop committee are Shelby J. Ruff, chairman; Arby E. Gee, and G. R. Poff. Eleven boys have been registered and six additional are working on their Tenderfoot requirements.

Drive for Salvation Army Funds Progresses



Over \$600 has been turned in, yet the reports are incomplete in the drive for operation funds of the Salvation Army unit here. It was reported yesterday afternoon B. R. Nichols, district chairman.

He said advance gifts in the campaign which began Dec. 31, would hasten considerably the general solicitation which will begin Tuesday. A breakfast will be held on Tuesday morning at Wilma's and some 35 workers will take about 400 cards bearing names of the city's establishments to start their canvass.

"We are highly gratified with the results so far," the chairman said. In the photo above, Capt. Beulah Carroll is conducting weekly Sunday School class at the mission at 611 East Albert St. L. May Dell Station is shown seated. The photo was taken last Sunday, a day when church attendance throughout the city was reported sharply cut by inclement weather. Six classes are conducted each Sunday at the mission.

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8:30 Shamrock Church of Christ.
9:00 Assembly of God Church.
9:30 Voice of Prophecy, MBS.
10:00 Bible Institute, MBS.
10:30 Northwestern Reviewing Stand, MBS.
11:00 First Baptist Church.
11:30 Lutheran Hour, WTAON.
12:00 Church of Christ, MBS.
12:30 Married to Love, MBS.
1:00 Bill Cunningham, MBS.
1:30 Theater Page.
2:00 Open House Party, MBS.
2:30 Music for Sunday, MBS.
2:45 Memorial Hour.
3:00 Church of Christ, MBS.
3:30 Penn. Detective Mystery, MBS.
4:00 The Shadow, MBS.
4:30 Church of Christ, MBS.
5:00 Those Websters, MBS.
5:30 Bible Institute, MBS.
6:00 Mystery Traveler, MBS.
6:30 Church of Christ, MBS.
7:00 Le. Alexander, MBS.
7:30 Old Brown Newcast, MBS.
8:00 Sunday Live, MBS.
8:30 George Carson Putnam, MBS.
9:00 Exploding Unknowns, MBS.
9:30 Bible of Nothing, MBS.
10:00 A Brighter Tomorrow, MBS.
10:30 Church of Christ, MBS.
11:00 Old Fashioned Revival, MBS.
11:30 Dance Orchestra, MBS.
12:00 Sign off.

Public Officials Have Moving Day
District Attorney Tom Braly surveyed his new surroundings in the courthouse Friday, and former Judge W. R. Evans, who performed his last official act in that capacity New Year's day by swearing in district and county officials, moved into his new quarters with Aaron Skaggs in the Combs-Worley Building.

Texans Will Attend National Grocery Meet
FARLINGEN—P—Fourth South Texas produce men will go to Chicago January 14 for a conference with National Retail Grocery Chain officials on nationwide citrus sales, the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Association has announced.

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Motorist Burns as Fire Is Controlled
CHICAGO—P—An unidentified Indiana motorist made a mistake in parking his automobile in front of a fire hydrant on W. 17th Avenue last night.

license plates were unable to move the car or get the hose around it. But they solved their problem by smashing the windows of the car and ran their hoses through the machine. Damage to the apartment was \$1,500, but the car's damage was not estimated.

SINK TO BOSTON U.
BOSTON—(NEA)—Director of athletics and head football coach Steve Sinko of Duquesne has followed Buff Donelli to Boston University as line coach.

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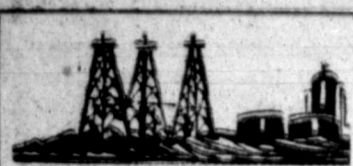
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THE DRILLER'S LOG

It is being strongly rumored here that the Gulf Oil Corporation is planning to locate and start drilling a deep test in the WILDCAT ACREAGE northeast of here within the next sixty days.

An official announcement of the transfer and promotion of B. O. Lilly, North Texas Division Manager of the Hughes Tool Company, to manager of the company's Pacific Coast Division, with headquarters in Los Angeles, came yesterday afternoon.

Lilly plans to leave here January 8, and his family will join him as soon as he can locate a home in suburban Los Angeles.

We always enjoy hearing of the advancement of one of our local men but we are always sorry when the promotion means the man's transfer to another part of the country. Lilly has been a Panhandle resident for over twenty years. His and his family's presence will be missed in Pampa.

The Pure Oil Company has temporarily abandoned their Cimarron County, Oklahoma, wildcat the No. 1 Phillips after reaching a total depth of 4970 feet. The well was plugged back to 4870 feet. They shot 38 qts. from 4840-64. The recovery rate was 6 barrels of oil to 20 barrels of water per day when it was abandoned.

Another wildcat, the No. 1 Unit (Lolita Wiggins) located 330 feet from the east and 212 feet from the south lines of Sec. 13-31N-36E, is being drilled by the Pure Oil Company in Union County, New Mexico. Approximate location of this well is due west of Boise City, Oklahoma, two miles west of the Oklahoma state line.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company's Cimarron County wildcat, the No. 1 Mathis is at a depth of 4948 feet and is swabbing at a rate of 15 barrels of salt water and slight shows of oil per hour.

Also in Cimarron County, the Stanolind Oil and Gas Company's No. 1 Laythrop, Sec. 11-3N-4E, was last reported drilling at 4010 feet.

In Beaver County, the Gulf Petroleum Company's No. 1 Ratzliff, Sec. 9-3N-17E, reached a total depth of 8920 feet several weeks ago. They set a seven-inch casing at 7160 feet and have perforated from 7011-37 feet, treated with 2000 gals. of acid and swabbed dry.

In the same county, the H. L. Hunt's No. 1 Light Estate, Sec. 5-6N-21E, has reached a total depth of 6903 feet and swabbed with a fair show of gas.

The Phillips Petroleum Company's deep test in eastern Sherman County, the No. 1 Gluck, Sec. 5, Bk. 2-1B, was last reported drilling at 3665 feet. No shows of oil or gas have been reported.

The principal crop of North America is weeds.

Sixteen Commencements Reported Throughout Area in Past 2 Weeks

Cities Service to Drill 7 New Wells

The Cities Service Oil Company last week announced the release of seven new locations to contractors in four states. Continuing the development of the North Lindsay field, Cities Service will start operations on the Lawson C No. 1, and the Harnberger No. 1, both in McClain County, Oklahoma.

Two locations were reported for Kansas—the Mehl No. 6 in Ellsworth County, and the Dahinten No. 2 in Barton County.

The Texas locations are in the University N-1 in Ward County, and the Baskin -1 in Sherman County.

The Brunson C-2 has been located in Lea County, New Mexico. The Brunson G-1 completed today for 388 bbl. daily. Producing from the Gloriatta at a total depth of 5160 feet, the well is flowing naturally through a 1/2-inch choke.

Texas
 Enter County—Thomas B-9, C SE NW Sec. 18, Bk. 45, TWP. 18, plugged back to 8135' with 41 sacks. To swap for test - Thomas C-4, C SW SE Sec. 6, Bk. 45, T. 18, TXL pool, drilling at 9738'. Thomas C-5, SW NE Sec. 8, Bk. 45, T. 18, TXL pool, drilling at 9153'.

Winkler County—Wheeler No. 2, C NE Sec. 10, Bk. 46, T. 18, TXL pool, drilling at 9015'.

Wichita County—Sires No. 3, C SW SE Sec. 34, Bk. M, EL&RR, Wells pool, Dawson County, location.

Jones County—Hoehn No. 1, 330' of N line, 330' of W line, Cities Service-Hoehn lease, Sec. 214, A, Crain Srv. lost circulation at 2329'. Cemented with 40 sacks.

Gaines County—Riley No. 1, (wildcat) C NE NE Sec. 361, Bk. G, CC DD & IG NG Srv., drilling at 1998'.

Oklahoma
 McClain County—Lawson A-1, C SW NW 22-5N-4W, No. Lindsay pool, drilling at 11086'. Lawson-Harnberger No. 1 (partnership), C SW SE Sec. 22-5N-4W, No. Lindsay pool, drilling at 2343'. Von Wedel B No. 1, (partnership) approx. C NW NW Sec. 22-5N-4W, No. Lindsay pool, drilling at 9438'. Robinson No. 1, (partnership) C NW SW 22-5N-4W, No. Lindsay pool, total depth, 11,327', casing at 10,721' with 750 sacks cement. Woc.

Pottawatomie County—Douglass No. 1 (wildcat) NW SE of C 31-7N-3W, 10374' at 200'. WOC.

Jefferson County—Gardners No. 1 (wildcat) C SE NE Sec. 36, 5N-9W, shut down, had weather.

Osage County—Osage Gas Well No. 506, C NW NW SW Sec. 31-26N-10E, shut down; water line frozen.

Kansas
 Butler County—Chesney No. 129, C SW NW Sec. 21-25S-5E, preparing to drill plug.

Phillips County—Pearson B-3, C NW SW SW Sec. 27-5S-20W, cement failed to set. Will dump one additional sack cement for plug.

Russell County—Krug A-11, C SE NW NE Sec. 24-15S-14W, Trapp pool, rigging up rotary.

Union County, New Mexico
 Pure Oil Company, No. 1 Unit (Lolita Wiggins), pp. 6500' wildcat test located 330' from E and 2312' from S of Sec. 13-31N-36E.

I should like to serve notice now that while we shall remain attentive to the legitimate needs of business, we do not intend to sway in every passing breeze kicked by special interests. Maj.-Gen. Philip B. Fleming, Office of Temporary Controls Administrator.

News of Interest To Oil Men

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16 Gas, 7 Oil Wells 'Brought In' During Past Three Weeks

Twenty-five completions in this area stacked up during the holiday season. Hutchinson and Sherman Counties led the report with seven finishes recorded in each county.

The only wildcat that was completed was the Pure Oil Company's No. 1 E. E. Phillips which has been temporarily abandoned, after slight shows of oil.

Gas was way out in front in the number of wells proven. They showed a ratio of almost two to one. The total was 16 gas wells, 7 oil wells and two holes temporarily abandoned.

Of the four wells proven in Gray County the ratio of oil and gas wells was equal with two of each. The total daily potential production of the oil wells was set at 135 barrels. The total daily gas potential was 7.5 million cubic feet.

Hutchinson County
 J. M. Huber Corporation, No. 2 Stevens, oil, located Sec. 4, Bk. R-2, D&P Survey, TD 2290'; Acid 5000 gals.; IP 143 brls. oil pmp. 24 hrs.; LP 3281-3293.

Hutchinson County
 J. M. Huber Corporation, No. 18 Mayfield, gas, Sec. 4, Bk. R-2, D&P Survey, TD 3437'; PB 3200'; Acid 10,500 gals.; IP 9.4 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 262'; LP 2950-3180.

Hutchinson County
 J. M. Huber Corporation, No. 2 Henderson, oil, located Sec. 1, Bk. HC, H&CB Survey, TD 3272'; Treatment none; IP 140 brls. oil pmp. 24 hrs.; LP 3265-3272.

Hutchinson County
 M. M. Travis, No. 7 R. P. Groves, oil, TD 3285'; Shot 370 qts. 3130-3285; IP 23.5 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 395'; LP 2682-2795.

Wheeler County
 Smith Brothers Refg. Company, No. 1-Q Harlan, gas, located Sec. 29, Bk. 24, H&GN Survey, TD 2270'; Natural; IP 4.8 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 100'; LP 2123-2139.

Wheeler County, Okla.
 Pure Oil Company, No. E. E. Phillips, located Sec. 31-5N-2E, 4846-4670'; PB 4870'; Shot 58 qts. 4846-4664'; Temporarily abandoned.

Phillips Petroleum Company
 No. 1 Princess, gas, located Sec. 20-1N-1E; TD 2726'; PB 2715'; Acid 23,000 gals.; IP 22.2 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 432'; LP 2658-2710.

Republic Natural Gas Company
 No. 3 Blackmer, gas, located Sec. 22-6N-17E; TD 2795'; Acid 12,500 gals.; IP 22.9 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 408'; LP 2673-2715.

Republic Natural Gas Company
 No. 1 Custer, gas, located Sec. 20-6N-17E; TD 2814'; Acid 12,500 gals.; IP 24.9 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 393'; LP 2677-2810.

Republic Natural Gas Company
 No. 1 Hobbler Estate, gas, located Sec. 20-6N-17E; TD 2836'; Acid 12,500 gals.; IP 23.9 mil. cu. ft. gas; RP 404'; LP 2712-2838.

January Allowable Is Boosted in Louisiana
 BATON ROUGE—Oil producers in Louisiana will be allowed 2,015 more barrels per day in January than they were allowed to produce in December.

The State Department of Conservation announced yesterday that the daily allowable production for this month would be 446,426 barrels, compared with 441,411 barrels in December and 440,214 barrels in January, 1945. The increase was the tenth consecutive monthly boost allowed by the department.

The order, signed by Commissioner Joseph L. McHugh, sets South Louisiana production at 344,607 barrels, and limits North Louisiana fields to 101,819 barrels daily.

Effective as of January 1, the order sets the daily allowable production in the districts: Houma 64,581; Lafayette 121,384; Lake Charles 65,329; New Orleans 93,313; Monroe 66,062; and Shreveport 35,757.

Houston Line Men File Strike Notice
 HOUSTON—A strike notice against the Houston Pipe Line Company has been filed with the National Labor Relations Board by local 227 of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, International Union, CIO, union representatives have announced.

Ernie W. Johnson, president of the local, said last night the union had been seeking for eight months to negotiate a wage adjustment with the company.

No comment was available immediately from company officials.

Pure Submits Bid On Alkylation Plant
 HOUSTON—A bid of \$630,200 has been submitted by the Pure Oil Company for the War Surplus Aviation Alkylation Refinery at Port Neches, War Assets Administration officials have announced.

Only one bid was received for the plant which was constructed at an original cost of \$3,328,069. The plant has been used in conjunction with Pure's Refinery.

C. L. Farris, WAA acting regional director, said the bid will be forwarded to the Dallas office for study.

Pool Halls Victims Of 'Hangover Opinion'
 SAN ANTONIO—Faced with reports that Bexar County's crusading District Attorney William N. Hensley, might invoke a state law to close San Antonio pool halls, operators have said the establishments are victims of a "hangover opinion" from earlier days.

The hangover opinion, proprietors said, dates back to an era when pool halls allegedly were gathering places for the lower elements.

San Antonio operators, who will hold a mass meeting Sunday at 11 a. m. to discuss proposals to repeal the state law enacted in 1929, said that closing these establishments in here would place 1,000 persons on the unemployed list.

Nebraska Williams, champion marathon walker, wore out 835 pairs of shoes while walking 38,000 miles.

National Oil and Gas Committee Headquarters Set Up at Dallas

DALLAS—Organization of the National Oil and Gas Committee was announced here Saturday when committee officers chose Dallas for headquarters and set up offices here.

Formed to foster the general interests of the oil and gas industry and particularly to keep abreast of developments relating to the Federal Natural Gas Act and the gas investigations recently concluded by the Federal Power Commission, the committee is headed by Major B. A. Hardey of Shreveport, La., and Joseph Bowes of Tulsa, Okla., as co-chairmen. Officials of leading petroleum associations organizing the committee include Major Hardey, president Independent Petroleum Association of America; Mr. Bowes, president Independent Natural Gas Association; Jake L. Hannon of Dallas, vice-president American Petroleum Institute; Frank M. Porter of Oklahoma City, president Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, and Robert Hendee of Colorado Springs, Colo., representing the American Gas Association.

The oil and gas industry throughout the nation has become very much alarmed concerning the action of the Federal Power Commission under the Natural Gas Act and court decisions pertaining to such action. Co-Chairman Hardey and Bowes said in a joint statement.

"These threaten to place producing and gathering operations on a public utility status and likewise threaten to control the use to which gas is put.

"To correct the situation, the National Oil and Gas Committee favors the enactment of an amendment to the Natural Gas Act in order to deny to the FPC any authority to regulate production and gathering; the price at which the producer and gatherer sell gas; and the purposes for which natural gas may be sold or used. The committee also favors limiting rigidly the jurisdiction of the FPC to interstate trunkline transportation of gas and to the sale of gas for resale for public consumption after such transportation is completed."

The committee will hold its first general meeting in Dallas the middle of January, the co-chairman said. Members named Saturday are: George A. Hill Jr., Gardiner Symonds and Hines H. Baker of Houston; W. H. Wildes, Wallace Hawkins, D. A. Huley and Grady Vaughn Jr., of Dallas; Clyde Alexander of Corsicana; J. H. Dunn and R. C. Kay of Amarillo; Maston Nixon, Corpus Christi; George S. Bays, Colin C. Rae and D. R. Snow of Tulsa; Don Emery of Bartlesville; E. Buddrus of Chicago; Don Andrus of Bradford, Pa.; Merle Beckler of St. Louis; M. Gee of Findlay, Ohio; Walter S. Hallanan of Charleston, W. Va.; J.

Lone Star Gas Co. Gets Added Order

AUSTIN—The Railroad Commission today granted the Lone Star Gas Company permission to produce 60,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day in excess of January gas allowance in the Carlidge field, Patola County, to meet emergency fuel needs of "unseasonably cold weather."

The gas will be delivered to the Big Inch Pipe Line system, company officials told the commission. At a special hearing today.

The increased allowance will be permitted throughout January under the commission order, with excess production being charged against the Carlidge field production beginning in February and balanced out in accordance with commission rules applying to the field.

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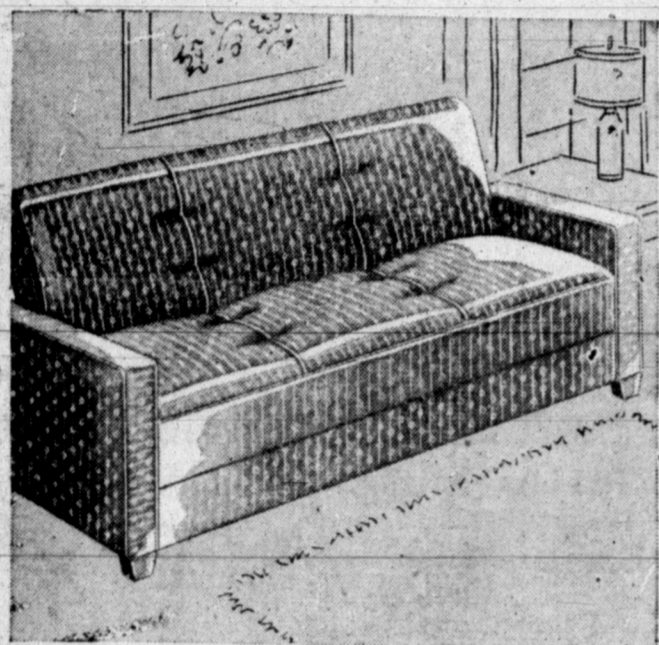
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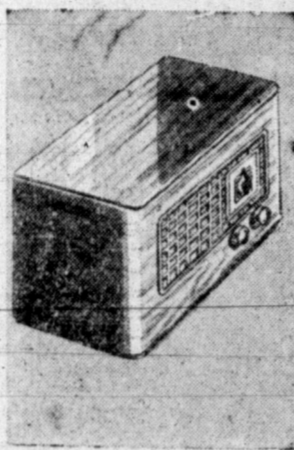
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Speer, Lockhart Get Honorable Mention on All-State Grid Team

Professionalism, Grid Rules Due For Going Over

By HAROLD CLAASSEN
NEW YORK—(AP)—Football's rules, both those that determine who shall play the college game and those that show how it should be played, are expected to be overhauled at the annual NCAA and coaches' meetings that start today.

The NCAA proper opens with a routine business session tomorrow, saving its fireworks for Monday when its subsidiary, the Conference of Conferences, tangles with the problem of determining how much—if any—financial reward shall be given gridiron heroes.

Answers to 1,100 questionnaires mailed a month ago by Rules Committee Chairman Lou Little of Columbia, will guide the coaches in their discussions. The Coaches Committee can only recommend changes to the NCAA group.

Foremost among the proposed changes are those that would throw the ball in 20 yards from the sidelines, instead of the present 15 yards; liberalization of the substituting rule; increasing the number of time outs; permitting the advancement of a recovered fumble and declaring the ball dead when an attempted conversion is blocked.

Much of Monday's Conference of Conferences meeting also will be devoted to the answers from a questionnaire sent last July. The list of questions deals almost entirely with financial aid to college athletes.

"We have very frank and very complete answers covering some 400 colleges," one NCAA official said today.

The same source said a set of conduct rules might evolve from Monday's discussion, which would then be sent to the NCAA for consideration. With the recommendation likely would be a suggestion as to how the code should be enforced, either by gentlemen's agreements or a censor of college athletes.

The official said he believed there was little likelihood of a czar.

The same official declared that falls to agree on a definite set of rules, schools would restrict their football schedules to schools with the same viewpoint. The Southeast Conference is the only circuit which has openly announced that it has given financial aid to athletes.

Gambling, ticket speculations and eligibility rules also will be given a thorough going over in the sessions which do not end until Wednesday night.

The Baseball Coaches Association also has its annual meeting scheduled for Sunday and Monday. Everett D. Barnes of Colgate, president of the association, said most of the members' time would be spent in devising a plan to protect their athletes from the cash offers of organized baseball until after graduation.

The game was postponed after it was to have been run off Wednesday but was carried over because of an ice storm.

Maurice Lockhart, outstanding center and captain, and Bill Speer, right end and co-captain of the Pampa Harvesters were named on the honorable mention list of the 1946 all-state high school football team, according to the Associated Press.

The squad, selected by Texas schoolboy coaches and members of the Texas State Sports Writers Association, includes 111 players from 33 of the state's 101 schools in the last football campaign. Each of the state's 16 districts were represented.

The first team: ENDS—Robert Payne, 170, senior, Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio); Billy Moorman, 168, senior, Odessa.

TACKLES—Mickey Spencer, 187, senior, Pasadena; Bob Vann, 190, senior, North Side (Fort Worth); GUARDS—Herman Foster, 175, senior, Odessa; Nick Kazanas, 190, senior, Waco.

CENTER—Abe Lincoln, 195, senior, Sweetwater. BACKS—Hayden Fry, 165, senior, Odessa; Kyle Rote, 172, senior, Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio); Vernon Glass, 160, senior, Corpus Christi; Byron Townsend, 172, junior, Odessa.

ENDS—JACK GLASGOW, AMARILLO, and Billy Wright, Milby (Houston). TACKLES—Harold Hendrick, San Angelo, and Morris Weis, Marshall. GUARDS—Bill Sluder, Gainesville, and Bob Beal, Paschal (Fort Worth).

CENTER—Dick Hightower, Tyler. BACKS—HARLAND COLLINS, AMARILLO; Roy Jackson, Denison; Leo Fikes, Highland Park (Dallas), and James Mott, Ludkin.

ENDS—Sam Adams, Riverside (Fort Worth), and Duane Hendley, Abilene. TACKLES—JARRELL PRICE, BROWFIELD, and Norman Hughes, Paschal (Fort Worth). GUARDS—Jack Simpson, Waco, and Willard Rhines, Lamar (Houston).

CENTER—Bill Repass, Lamar (Houston). BACKS—MILTON PRICE, BORGER; Pat Knight, Jefferson (San Antonio); Frank White, Breckenridge, and Harvey Gabrel, Odessa.

Honorable mention: TACKLES—STUART PAMPA, Perry, Texas; Wilson, Corpus Christi; Genaro, Laredo; Porter, Tyler; George, Arthur; Springfield, Ennis; Redd, Lufkin; Holstman, McHenry, Corpus Christi. GUARDS—HALL, AMARILLO; Hillshire, Wilson, Ennis, Colinga, Lufkin; Dowden, Odessa; Essary, Dallas; Cook, Adams. CENTER—Bosworth, Longview; Greiner, Beaumont; Fawcett, Denison; Shultz, Sherman; Conroy, Spring; Walker, Lufkin; Kueber, Thomas Jefferson; Wickett, Dallas; Williams, Ysleta; Long, Mineral Wells.

Center—Maddox, Highland Park; LOCKHART, PAMPA, Menasco, Longview; Poteet, North Side; Shumaker, Tasso, Thomas Jefferson; Billie, Forgive; Parker, Denton; Cochran, Galveston; Parker, Denton; Williams, Austin (El Paso). Backs—Alano, Galveston; Sedell, Paris; Carter, Kilgore; Mitchell, Marshall; North Side; Kirby, Corpus Christi; Smith, Lamar; Beason, Lory, North Side; Donier, Lamar; Brockmeier, Waco; Tyler, Yeagan, Sweetwater; Matzig, Smead, Sulphur; Brantley, Waco; Ham, Graham; Rogers, Wichita Falls; Alfred, Brownsville; Orssett, Mineral Wells; BOND, PLAINVIEW; Fraser, Austin (El Paso); Gillis, Ysleta; Ely, Edinburg; Mahan, Mineral Wells.

Lanes Lose Close Game To White Deer
Leading up until the last three minutes of play, Lane Sales Company's basketball team lost a 45-43 thriller to the White Deer Independents there Friday night.

Charley Barnard, White Deer's 6-foot, 8-inch center, dumped in the clinching field goal.

Gene Robbins, with 14 points, led the Pampans in individual scoring, followed by Bill Gambin with 10. Guy Hester dumped in 11 points for White Deer.

Army May Arrange Game With Stamford
SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Local football circles heard Saturday that the U. S. Military Academy (Army) will shortly announce the signing of a home and home series with a West Coast college. The name of Stanford University was mentioned as a possible opponent.

SW Cagers Open Season Monday; Texas Is Favored

(By The Associated Press)
The battle for the Southwest Conference Basketball championship opens Monday night with Texas, the title favorite, playing cellar-rated Texas Christian at Austin.

Six conference games are on the week's schedule as the practice campaign comes to a close. The schedule: Monday—Texas Christian vs Texas at Austin.

Friday—Arkansas vs Rice at Fayetteville, Texas A. and M. vs Texas Christian at Austin, and M. at Fort Worth.

Saturday—Arkansas vs Rice at Fayetteville, Texas A. and M. vs Southern Methodist at Dallas.

The Arkansas-Rice series could be one of the most decisive of the campaign. Arkansas, although its record isn't too good over the practice grind, still is one of the teams to beat. The Razorbacks will be much stronger from here on out, with several top hands having joined the team with the close of the football campaign.

Rice has been an up-and-down team since last year—but veteran material is there to make it a strong contender as the campaign progresses.

Texas should have little trouble with winless T. C. U., which has dropped 10 games. But Texas' clash with Baylor at Waco Friday night will be something else. The Bears haven't managed to break even but they have shown to be quite dangerous—no set-ups for any team.

Southern Methodist appears the toughest competition for Texas. Texas Christian announced Saturday some changes in its conference schedule due to moving its games from the T. C. U. field house to the Will Rogers coliseum downtown where 7,000 can be seated. T. C. U.'s games with Arkansas at Fort Worth Jan. 17 and 18 have been changed to Jan. 14 and 15. The Feb. 1 game with Southern Methodist has been shifted from Fort Worth to Dallas and the game with Southern Methodist for Feb. 19 has been changed from Dallas to Fort Worth. The game with Baylor Feb. 17 has been changed to Feb. 23.

These changes all were made to coincide with the ice hockey schedule carried on at the coliseum.

Westminster Wins Tropical Park Race
MIAMI—(AP)—Shamrock Stable's Westminster, a \$32,400 for two shot, sped home in lightning fashion to score a smashing upset by winning the first half of the \$30,000 double event at Tropical Park by five lengths yesterday.

Rigby Named Pilot Of Paris Peppers
PARIS, Texas—(AP)—Owner John Barnes announced yesterday signing of Lloyd (Rabbit) Rigby as playing manager for the Paris Red Peppers of the East Texas baseball league.

Rigby, a shortstop, managed Jacksonville in the East Texas league last year.

BOWLING
Sportsman's Shop, Imperial Furniture and Coffey Pontiac teams led the three main bowling leagues at the Pampa Bowl when league teams took off for the holidays, to resume this week.

Coffey Pontiac and Imperial were three games out in front in the City and Major leagues, respectively, while the Sportsman's Shop team led its nearest rival by two games.

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Standish 19 29 .396
Burnett's 14 25 .359
Coffey Pontiac 11 14 .438
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No longer is necessity the mother of invention. All that is necessary is for someone to desire a thing enough and the scientists pool their knowledge and bring it forth.—John Ritchie Schultz, president Allegheny College.

Georgia Tech's Dodd Turns Down Baylor Position

WACO—(AP)—The coaching situation at Baylor University was wide open today when Bobby Dodd, mentor at Georgia Tech, announced he was turning down an offer to head the Golden Bears.

Dodd, who visited Baylor officials here before going to Houston where his team beat St. Mary's in the Oil Bowl Jan. 1, disclosed his decision in a formal statement to the press at Atlanta.

Baylor Athletic officials declined comment and gave no indication what man, if any, was now under consideration for the job. No date has been set for another meeting of the Athletic Council but it was believed a coach would be hired before the end of this month and he probably would be an out-of-state man now holding the head coaching job at a major school.

Harry Stutler, assistant coach at Rice, was prominently mentioned for the job a month ago but announced he would not take it under the present set-up which, he said, prevented the head coach naming his assistants. The Athletic Council chairman, Alva Bryan, issued a statement that the head coach could name his assistants and said the council had not considered Stutler.

Longview Baseball Club Names Officers
LONGVIEW—(AP)—Marcus Wood, veteran Longview baseball man, has been appointed president of the Longview team, which will be known as the Texans in the new Class C Lone Star League.

Named Vice President was Ernest Luther (Doc) Jones, H. H. Spears, who operated the Tyler Trojans in the East Texas League in 1946, will be general manager and Ralph Hooper business manager.

Trippi, Duke Are Honored by League
ATLANTA—(AP)—All-America Charlie Trippi of Georgia, and Paul Duke of Georgia Tech, were named today to receive the Atlanta Touchdown Club's annual awards for the Southeastern Conference's outstanding players.

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By SCOTT RAFFERTY
Yesterday, we suggested to Morris Etkin, chairman of the sports committee of the Chamber of Commerce, that his committee select Pampa's 1946 "Sportsman of the Year" and present him with a suitable award, following a practice that many cities have taken up.

Among the top candidates for such an award, in our opinion, are Grover Seitz, manager of the Texas Class C baseball championship Pampa Oilers, and Don Martin, tireless sports who devotes much of his personal time to the betterment of conditions for hunters and fishermen of this area.

Then there's R. L. Edmondson, president of the Pampa Baseball Club; Otis Coffey, high school athletic director; Dr. Roy A. Webb, another benefactor of hunters and fishermen, and many others.

Men like these make sports their life, whether it's active participation or behind-the-scenes promotion of worthwhile sports activities.

Our goal, eventually, is to bring about the creation of a city office of sports coordination, bringing parks, playgrounds, the swimming pool and other activities under its supervision.

A young ex-Army or Navy athletic officer, with lots of ideas of sports for the small city would be an ideal selection for the job. Given the proper finances (and it wouldn't be too much) such a man could do much for Our Town.

We know that City Manager Garland Franks has lots of plans in the back of his mind for the improvement of public recreational facilities here and he has our support in every one of them and should, in

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STAR ROUTE BIDS
 PANHANDLE (Special)—Mrs. Letha Gramer, postmistress, has received information that bids are being called for the two star routes out of Panhandle for the period from July 1, 1947, to June 30, 1951.

The bids must be filed with the second assistant postmaster general at Washington by 5:15 p. m. Feb. 20, to be considered.

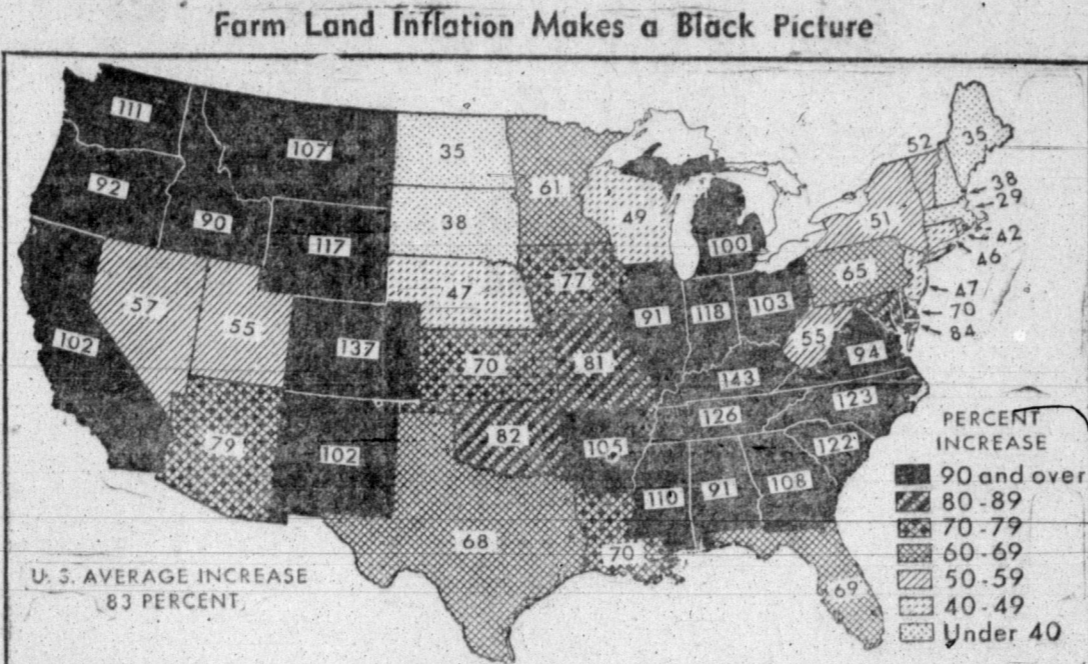
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Farm land prices, increasingly inflated for several years past, have now reached a boom peak from which a bad bust is in sight, warns the Department of Agriculture. Map above shows the percentage of change in average value per acre from the 1933-39 average to November, 1946. Farm land values have increased 122 per cent in the East South Central area and more than doubled in the Pacific States.

Shoppers to Have 2 Dollar Days

Dollar Day at Pampa is a two-day affair; this month, merchants have announced, due to the fact that bad weather will slow down considerably shopping activity.

Usually the first Monday of each month is declared Dollar Day, when shoppers may find exceptional values in the stores of the city; but both Monday and Tuesday will be Dollar Day for January, it was said.

Monkey of Community Circus Dies in Fire

GAINESVILLE — (AP) — Anabel, the performing monkey of the Gainesville Community Circus, was burned to death Friday in a fire which destroyed the storage building at Cooke County Fair Grounds.

Playground equipment also was lost in the blaze that firemen confined to one building. A number of performing ponies in an adjoining bar were moved to safety.

Anabel had been transferred from a cage in the park zoo because of the cold weather. The fire occurred during the coldest morning in three years.

'The Honest Man' Is Reported Found

FORT WORTH—(Special)—Diogenes, seeker of the honest man, can blow out his lantern. The War Assets Administration has found him.

A San Francisco veteran wrote the metal sales division of WAA that he had not turned in a government telegraph sending-key he used on an outpost.

With the letter came a telegraph key—and a receipted bill of a San Francisco firm showing the ex-soldier had paid 98 cents for the replacement.

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Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mundy have just returned from Parsons, Kans., where they were called because of the death of Mr. Mundy's brother. The Mundys had just returned from a month's vacation which included a trip to California.

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Rev. and Mrs. Leo Budd, and daughter visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Reed this weekend.

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Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Harvey have returned from a trip to Westaco and Edinburg, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hunkapillar are the parents of a seven-pound boy, Bill, born recently in Beaverton, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar, the grandparents, also live there. The family lived in Pampa for many years.

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Soil Conservation Meetings Scheduled

Memphis, Dalhart and Plainview will be the Panhandle sites of three of five meetings on soil conservation, being conducted in areas served by the Fort Worth and Denver City and Wichita Valley railroads this month.

Principal speaker at each of the meetings will be O. Dooley Dawson, vice president and agricultural manager of the Second National Bank, Houston.

The first meeting of the series in this area will be in the Dallam County court house at 2:30 p. m. January 23 and will be presided over by S. E. Brown, vice president of the Citizens State Bank there.

Other meetings are at 7:30 p. m. January 24 at the high school auditorium in Memphis and at 2:30 p. m. at the City Auditorium in Plainview, January 25.

Also participating in the meetings will be representatives of banks, Chambers of Commerce, county governments and other interested agencies.

The other two meetings are to be held at Haskell January 21 and at Iowa Park January 22.

It is estimated that the U. S. Department in the '30s caused the postponement of about 800,000 marriages.

Mother of Pampa Dies in Paris, Tex.

Mrs. Henry Clay Nash, widow of the late Dr. Henry Clay Nash, Sr., and mother of H. C. Nash, Jr., of Pampa, died in a Paris, Texas, hospital yesterday.

Funeral services will be held Monday at Antlers, Okla., where she will be buried beside her late husband.

Besides her son, she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Grady Lewis and Mrs. Paul Cameron, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. B. M. Clark, Beaumont, and five grandchildren, Henry Clay, III and Harriet Nash, Pampa; Mrs. Harrison Higburg and Jim Branson, Washington, and Mrs. Jack Handley, Los Angeles.

Engineers to Meet At Amarillo Monday

Panhandle Chapter, Texas Society of Professional Engineers, will hold its first meeting in 1947 on Monday at 8:00 p. m. in the Herring Hotel, Amarillo. Recently elected officers and directors will discuss the chapter program for the coming year. Chairmen and members of all standing committees will be announced, officials said.

Also on the agenda will be plans for participation in the 11th annual meeting of Texas Society of Professional Engineers to be held in Dallas, Jan. 16-17.

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Russia Wants U.S. Man as 'Criminal'

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Russia asked the United States Saturday to hand over to Soviet authorities "as a criminal" one of its former trade mission employees in Mexico...

LIVESTOCK SHOW

Continued from Page 1. The awards will be presented to the winners. The banquet will be held in the Palm Room and is scheduled to get under way at 5:30 p. m.

TENNIS MEETING

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The 68th annual meeting of the United States Lawn Tennis Association will convene at New York's Vanderbilt Hotel, Jan. 18.

WEATHER

Continued from Page 1. Overcome by fumes, two in Corpus Christi and one in Weslaco. Two died when their clothing caught fire...

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Little Damage Results From Blowtorch Blaze

Fireman extinguished a small blaze shortly after noon Saturday when the Kelly Apartments, E. Browning St., was ignited by a blowtorch used by plumbers repairing pipes.

No Decision Reached On Hospital Location

"No statement is forthcoming on the location of the new hospital," Commissioner Wade Thomason said yesterday afternoon.

BARUCH RESIGNS

Continued from Page 1. Praised Baruch's work Mr. Truman wrote him. "That our proposal should finally be accepted by a vote of 10 to nothing..."

Operating Expense Puts U.S. in Red

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The government closed its books on the midway point of the current fiscal year Friday, with an operating deficit of \$30,937,344 for the six months.

Try to Stop Sale

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Although refusing to grant an injunction, District Judge C. K. Quinn has continued a temporary restraining order which H. H. Theis and other obtained a week ago in seeking to prevent San Antonio city officials from selling \$5,700,000 in public improvement bonds.

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Ultra formal gowns shown in Paris collections prophesy a gala winter season. Jean Patou stresses the richness of gray satin in his gown, left, with intricate diagonal drapery on bodice and skirt. Schiaparelli plays up a bustle effect in the Nile green satin dress, right, with draped pouff at the back.

Approaching Marriage Of Miss Morris Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Morris, Sr., of Skellytown announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Erma Lee, to Guy Hester, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hester of White Deer, at a tea given in their home Dec. 30.

Panhandle Girl Is Married at Clovis

FANHANDLE (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Carroll are announcing the marriage on Christmas Day in Clovis, N. M., of their daughter, Winifred, to Brice Kimble. The bride wore a gown of yellow and white chrysanthemums were worn by the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. Gene Harlan, who sang "Because," and "Always," and Mrs. M. N. Osborn who presided at the tea service.

Gold Star Mothers Keynote Social Service

NEW YORK—A footnote at the end of World War II is the change in status of the Gold Star Mothers of America. Women who lost their boys in World War I sought consolation in the mutual sympathy or small, sociable groups. After this war the organization eligible for the club took hold of things and switched the motive of the organization from sympathy to social service.

Carson Lodge Will Have Installation

PANHANDLE (Special)—Plans are being made to install officers of Carson Lodge No. 688, IOOF, January 2. Jess Clay, of Pampa, district deputy grand master will be installing officer.

Smart Aleck Vets Can't Help Colleges

BY RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer
A spokesman for the Veterans' Administration says the ex-GI is making the grade at college, but that the college is not consistently making the grade with the ex-GI.

Former Pampa Girl Married In Ft. Worth

Miss Onita Guerry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guerry, 2613 W. Loraine St., Ft. Worth, formerly of Pampa, was married recently to Wayne Putman at the home of her parents.

Panhandle News

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Community Singers Will Meet at Church

The Community Singers will meet this afternoon at 2:30 in the McCullough Methodist Church. The meeting is open to the public and everyone is invited to attend, it was learned today.

Panhandle Pair Hosts At Party for Guests

PANHANDLE (Special)—Honoring Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Vincent, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Vance entertained with a "42" party Dec. 30.

Health Director Appointed

HEALTH DIRECTOR
SAN ANTONIO—Mrs. Margaret Ide, of La Marque, has been appointed Director of Health Education for the Bexar County Tuberculosis Assn., George Craze, the association's executive director has said.

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Miss Rolater Honored At Coffee in Shamrock

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(Photos from Sun Surf Modes)

By ESPIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer
NEW YORK (NEA)—The play clothes that will charm you into making wardrobe plans now, whether you're thinking of a winter holiday or are figuring ahead for next summer, are the convertible togs in the resort collections.

Johanne Studer, Ralph Blodgett Are Married

CANADIAN (Special)—Johanne Studer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton A. Studer of Canadian, and Ralph Blodgett, son of Mrs. Deta Blodgett of Spearman, were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony performed at the First Presbyterian Church in Canadian on Friday, December 27 at 2 p. m.

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Teen Talk

Perhaps the teens have been too busy with fun and frolic to make some New Year's resolutions. But it's never too late.

Mrs. Holmes Entertains Club at Holiday Party

SHAMROCK (Special)—Mrs. William F. Holmes entertained the Friday Bridge Club at her home Saturday afternoon of last week with a Christmas party.

Council of Clubs To Meet Jan. 9

The Council of Clubs meeting originally scheduled for January 2, which was postponed, will be held January 9, in the City Club Rooms at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Roy Chisum, president, announces.

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- 50 Melt drink
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January to December Puzzle

MAXIM GORKY

Six New Diesels Put in Service By Santa Fe Line

The first new application of the new E-3, wide range Diesel locomotive built by Electro-Motive Division of General Motors Corporation, was announced today when Fred G. Gurley, president of the Santa Fe Railway, stated that six of these locomotives had been delivered to the railway and added to the railway's power pool from which it draws the engines for the Super Chief, Chief and other high speed passenger trains.

In addition to Santa Fe's Diesel fleet brings to 338 General Motors locomotive units in Santa Fe passenger, freight and terminal switching service.

Among the unique features of the new E-3 is that each Diesel engine is rated at 1500 horsepower, which is an increase of 250 horsepower over previous models built by this manufacturer. The majority of the engine parts are interchangeable with equipment previously in service. As a result, these locomotives have, for the first time, a generator that produces both alternating and direct current in the same machine. The generator produces sufficient alternating current to operate accessories and auxiliaries and still produce the rated horsepower in direct current for train propulsion. It is the only locomotive of any type in which auxiliaries and accessories are driven by separate alternating current motors.

The Diesel engine-cooling systems have been re-designed with a slight increase in cooling capacity and all cooling fan V-belt drives eliminated. This is accomplished by the use of four alternating current, motor-driven cooling fans which are automatically controlled to regulate the engine temperature cyclically in such manner that the work is equally distributed between each of four fans.

Traction motor blower V-belt drives have been eliminated and blowers are driven by alternating current motors, the power for which is generated by an alternator built into the main generator. The engineer's cab has been enlarged, and equipped with an automatic electric water cooler for drinking water for use of the engine crew.

By a simple adjustment to one of its seven standard gear ratios the E-3 can be equipped to perform over a range from that of the heaviest dragging freight locomotive for mountain terrain, with a maximum speed of from fifty to sixty-five miles an hour, up to that of a heavy duty passenger locomotive capable of pulling long, standard weight Pullman trains at one hundred miles an hour, over most mountain grades without a helper. The gear ratios include one which makes the locomotive an exceptionally fine combination passenger and freight locomotive.

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Wintertime Is Meeting Time For Farm and Ranch Groups

By WILBUR MARTIN
AP Staff Writer

Texas farmers and ranchers are using wintertime to hold annual meetings, airing problems and discussing future aims. Some lofty resolutions and policies have been decided already at a few.

Mounting imports of foreign wool concerned delegates of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association recently. They called for an "adequate increase" to protect domestic wool and wool products.

Another resolution asked that the Commodity Credit Corp. be empowered to dispose of domestic wools it now owns at prices which will encourage and permit the rapid sale of competition with imported wool, but not interfere with orderly marketing of forthcoming domestic production.

State soil conservation directors went on record as opposing consolidating the soil conservation program with other agriculture agencies. And a resolution reminded that new would be a good time to apply natural soil-building programs, following heavy wartime land usage.

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By J. M. CLEGG

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Texas Vets Weather First Postwar Year With Ingenuity and Ambition

By WILBUR MARTIN Associated Press Staff

Ingenuity and ambition paired with disappointment and confusion for most Texas veterans in their first postwar year.

Over a 12-month span separation centers poured thousands into a whirlpool of shortages, ceilings and priorities, then, no ceilings, higher prices and universal scarcities.

A survey of the numerous government and state agencies, concerned directly with the veteran, pictures a much sadder situation.

Practically every veteran has availed himself to the "GI Bill of Rights" of the Veterans Administration in some way, leaving records and estimates to evaluate his problems of the past year.

Numerous war plants were closed, others were about to close, or gear for peacetime trade. Allied industry was apprehensive.

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In early December, Washington Veterans Administration officials reported Texas had received more aid in self-employed benefits than any state of comparable population.

Unemployment officials estimate that the period of early summer

saw peak membership in the "GI-29" club—\$2 per week up to 52 weeks for unemployed.

In the Dallas office alone, the number of "club" members dropped from 6,304 in June to less than half in December.

For those who sought a field other than small business, education, or a good job, the state's veterans said "Thanks for services rendered" with 102 elective offices.

County attorney, 9; county commissioner or councilman, 7; district attorney, 5; county tax assessor-collector, 4; county judge, sheriff, city council, four each; county clerk, county superintendent of schools, justice of the peace, three each; chief of police and constable, two each, and city attorney and city recorder, one each.

Education lured thousands. Complete estimates on the number of Texas veterans receiving educational benefits would be almost unobtainable, but comparative figures in single regions indicate almost twice as many prefer institutions or learning to the dole of the office.

As separation centers at San Antonio (Fort Sam Houston), Tyler (Camp Fannin), Mineral Wells (Camp Wolters) and El Paso (Fort Bliss) released men, the waiting pay check was practically a thing of the past.

Blussions as to wages, jobs, tricky new gadgets and countless other items were shattered. The rose-covered cottage is still a dream and so is the utility apartment, for the most part.

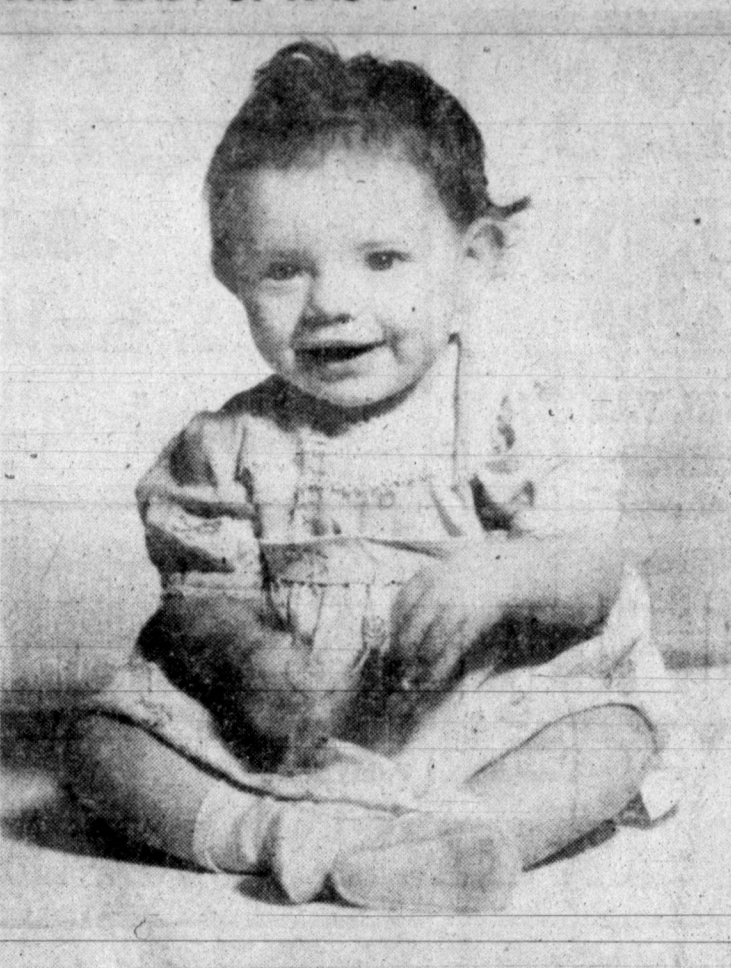
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FIRST BABY OF 1946



Little Helen June Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Reed, 1215 W. Main, is still evidently very proud of her title as the first baby of 1946—a title she doesn't have to

relinquish to anyone. Maybe part of that smile is for Sherryn Ann Lennox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lennox, 223 West Brown, Sherryn Ann was 1947's first baby.

LEFORS NEWS

LEFORS—(Special)—Mrs. Ed Bloomer, her son, Ed, Jr., and daughter, spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vanlandingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hill, Jr. left Tuesday for San Antonio after having spent the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garber and daughter Connie, have returned from Tulsa where they spent the holidays visiting relatives and friends.

Perry Barham, who is attending school at Amarillo, spent the New Year's holidays with his wife and son, and mother.

Mrs. Allie Murphree, who was called here by the illness of her stepfather, Henry Bandau, has returned to her home at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Call of Pampa were visitors in the home of Mrs. Bessie Call Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fulcher and daughter, Gloria June, of Pampa,

Over \$1,400 Raised For Children's Fund

PANHANDLE (Special)—According to D. M. Warren and Jess Hall, more than \$1,400 was raised for the Shriner's crippled children's work up to the first of the year in the recent drive in Panhandle.

Mrs. J. F. Weatherly gave \$500, with a rung in the Ladder of Smiles purchased by the following: Floyd Hubbard, Bill Mitchell, W. A. Miller, A. R. Schulze, F. F. Ferrell, Jess Hall, Jim Hunter, Tom Castelbury, A. D. Bender, Dr. W. Paul Roberts and D. M. Warren, two.

Reports from White Deer showed four rungs purchased in that community. Cost of the rungs is \$61.50.

FIFTH IN COLONIES

Portugal, which is smaller than Virginia, once was the leading colonial power of the world, and still ranks fifth in colonial possessions.

PANHANDLE BRIEFS

Five churches of Canyon will have one service each in a special series of sermons next week on "The Teachings of Jesus." Services will be held each night at 7:30 with music by the host church choir.

The Texas Highway Commission has appropriated funds for paving two highways in Carson County according to a letter received by County Judge O. R. Beddingfield.

In the columns of the Wellington Leader, farmers and ranchers of Colingsworth County were reminded last week that they must file either an estimated or a final income tax return by January 15, 1947, to avoid penalty.

According to information from Harry Kelley of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, the Community building fund is near the six thousand dollar mark.

Eighty-fourth District Court will begin in Panhandle Monday, at 10 a. m., with 22 general, 30 divorce and 24 criminal cases on the docket.

A hearing to determine whether or not the people of Lipscomb County are interested in organizing a Standard Soil Conservation District in Lipscomb County is to be held at the Court House in Lipscomb on Wednesday, at 2 p. m.

A reunion of the Canadian High School Class of 1946 was held Saturday evening, December 28, in the High School home economics room.

Legal Records

Marriage Licenses—Marriage licenses were issued in the offices of County Clerk Charlie Thayer over the weekend to: T. W. Chace and Louella F. Gier; Lawrence Jacob Halter and Frances L. Mathieu.

Divorce Suits Filed—One suit in divorce was filed in the office of District Clerk Deo Peterson late last week as: Yvonne Anderson Wilbur versus George Wilbur.

MASTERS SECRET—American growers mastered the highly skilled business of producing cauliflower seed long considered a European secret, during the war.

Pampa News CLASSIFIED ADS

Classified ads are accepted until 1:30 a. m. for week day publication on same day. Mainly About People ads until noon. Deadline for Sunday paper Classified ads, noon Saturday; Mainly About People, 4 p. m. Saturday.

3—Special Notices Eagle Radiator Shop 516 W. Foster Phone 547 Commercial size floor waxer for rent. Call 801. Montgomery Ward & Co.

11—Male Help (Cont.) WANTED—First class service station attendant. None other need apply. Walter Leonard, 215 W. Main, Phone 125 W. Main.

12—Female Help IF YOU have had selling experience, are a lady over 25, we will pay you \$25.00 weekly plus bonus, which should earn you \$100.00 a day. Write Betty L. Incorporated, 205 Chartres St., New Orleans, for complete facts.

18—Business Opportunity LIQUOR STORE for sale. Will invoice. Phone 228. 416 E. 1st. CAFE FOR SALE. Fully equipped and open for business. Long lease. Ruth's Coffee Shop, LeFors, La. 3. THREE.

23—General Service TUCKER-GRIFFIN—General contractor and cabinet makers. 1007 S. Barbee, Phone 712-1. Killion Bros. Garage 115 N. Ward Phone 1310

11—Male Help Male Help Wanted Large nationally known tire and automotive supply retail store is desirous of contacting salesmen between ages of 25 to 35 for retail sales.

84th District Court Will Convene Monday PANHANDLE (Special)—Eighty-fourth District Court will begin Monday at 10 a. m., with 22 general, 30 divorce and 24 criminal cases on the docket.

48-HOUR KODAK FINISHING SERVICE Berry Pharmacy City Drug Store SIMS STUDIO—PAMPA, TEXAS Fine Grain Finishing—Enlarging. Fatherre Drug Store Richard Drug

CALL US FOR FURNACE INSPECTION A furnace inspection will reveal whether your furnace is wornout and in dangerous condition. The inspection is wornout and in dangerous condition. The inspection is wornout and in dangerous condition.

OPEN SUNDAY AFTERNOON FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE We have a large selection of new and used records of latest recordings. Used records only 25c. Select your new.

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27—Beauty Shops FOR COMFORT and beauty try one of our lovely new treatments. Ideal Beauty Shop, Phone 1818.

29—Paper Hanging FOR SATISFACTION in painting and paperhanging call the Southern Paper Hanging Co., 215 S. Cuyler.

30—Floor Sanding MOORE'S Floor Sanding, Ph. 68 Portable floor sanding machine. Let us do your home wherever it is.

31—Plumbing and Heating CHROME—sink faucets and all size sinks at South Plumbing Co., 854 W. Foster, Phone 256.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"Dorothy wants to follow the career of a doctor, but I'm afraid she won't succeed—she's so awfully hard to wake up in the morning, let alone the middle of the night!"

A large grid of comic strips including 'Hello Miss', 'Sweet Running Little Joe', 'What Are You Doing Here, Red Ryder?', 'I Don't Think Releasing', 'Then Maybe You And Dave Can Help Me Find Out How My Coins Got On Your Face?', 'You And My Best Friend Know How They Got Here, Right?', 'Sweet Running Little Joe', 'There It Goes...', 'Holy Cow!', 'People Aren't as Particular What They Steal Today as They Used to Be, Gus!', 'So Mr. Hinkle', 'That's Fine, Countess!', 'When You Tried To Buy My House In Palmertown', 'But I Forgive You...', 'Yes, Bless Your Little Heart, You're Not Got Winkles For Me To Show My Gratitude', 'But Maybe You Not Like My House Maybe You Think It's A Little Shack!', 'I Have An Idea It's A Good Enough For You To Do For McKee', 'Now, These Old...', 'Sure Enough A Grand Plan As Day!', 'Clara!', 'Surprise! The Tooth's Coming In!', 'Davey's Just Six Months Old Today, So I Cut The Candle In Half!', 'You're Terrific, I Felt Sure You'd Forgotten This Was Davey's Half-Birthday!', 'Forgotten? Davey's Six Months Birthday? I Never Heard Of Such A Thing!', 'Legra', 'Yippayy! Ah is gonna live!', 'At Soft-Hearted John's', 'Wal, (Gonna) Th' Rat Warrn Kilt-An (Gor) Th' Haint Gonna Be If You Owns Our Home Now, But Who'd Be Rotten Enuff To Vex A Whole Community With A Hard Winter Comin' On?', 'Vic Flint', 'Haven't I Seen You Somewhere Before, Chum?', 'I've Been About Everywhere, Nice To See You've Got Here.', 'I Was Smooth as a Bowl of Cream.', 'But, Conner, I've Not Met The Quarling Gentleman.'

GET READY FOR THAT SPRING FISHING TRIP

Have that boat of yours ready for fishing pleasure by having a new Outboard Motor installed.

THOMPSON HARDWARE

MARTINDALE & SONS FURNITURE

New lime oak bedroom suite, complete with mattress and springs. Used lime oak bedroom suite, complete, \$139.50.

ECONOMY SPECIALS ON USED FURNITURE

One studio divan, \$25.00. One studio divan, \$35.00. Three studio divans, your choice, \$39.50.

ADD CHARM TO YOUR HOME WITH LAMPS OF UNUSUAL DESIGNS AND PATTERNS

See your lamps made. Novelty lamps, table, floor and bridge lamps made to order, according to your design and pattern.

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WOODIE'S GARAGE, 308 W. KINGSMILL. PHONE 48.

Come in and Talk Over Your Car Problems With Us.

PAMPA CRAFT SHOP

REFINISHING-REPAIRING-UPHOLSTERING

A nice selection of upholstery, slip cover and drapery materials. In stock.

KOTARA WATER WELL CONTRACTORS

Drilling, servicing, cleaning out, rods and tubing pulled. Towers and mills erected.

HOW DOES YOUR HAT LOOK?

Does your favorite hat have that droopy, out of shape appearance?

BURNS TAILORING CO.

124 S. Frost Phone 480

VENETIAN BLINDS MADE TO ORDER

These add maximum comfort and good looks to your home.

LET US KEEP YOUR NEW FASHIONS FRESH

The clothes you are continually buying need not lose that wonderful fresh, new look.

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312 S. Cuyler Phone 1290

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Scrubbing gas heaters and batteries for late model cars.

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700 W. Foster Phone 484

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Now in time to buy motors. New rebuilt Ford, Mercury, Chevrolet, Plymouth, Dodge motors, all models, rebuilt to factory specifications.

MOVING?

When it is time to move DON'T WORRY!

PANHANDLE TRANSFER AND STORAGE

916 W. Brown Phone 1025

McWILLIAMS MOTOR CO. PAMPA SAFETY LANE

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ALBERT NOLAND FOUR CORNER SERVICE STATION

Complete automotive service, wash and grease. Skelly products, tires, batteries and accessories, all at one stop.

IN PAMPA IT'S KERBOW'S

Who can make your furnaces and all gas appliances perform as the manufacturer intended.

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Priority on 1947 Nash will be granted to anyone who can find a veteran or former military man for a large downstate apartment.

Brummett's Furniture

Specials: dining room suite, Montgomery Ward refrigerator, radios, lamps, smoke stands, etc.

Texas Furniture Co. Specials

1-piece breakfast set, \$15.00. Studio divan, \$25.00.

67-Radios

FOR SALE-Automatic combination radio phonograph.

22-Room and Board

ROOM and Board in private home. Most of costs preferred.

95-Sleeping Rooms

ROOM FOR RENT-With kitchen privilege. Call 3357-J or see at 461 S. Warren.

68-Farm Equipment

Scott Implement Co. John Deere Mack Trucks Joles and Service

70-Miscellaneous

FOR SALE-Cement block making machine.

72-Wanted to Buy

WANT TO BUY used bicycle. Standard brand. Phone 479 from 3 to 5 o'clock.

75-Flowers

WE HAVE a wide assortment of fresh flowers.

78-Groceries and Meats

Lane's Red and White Grocery have foods for your needs.

81-Horses and Cattle

Only 10 Milk Cows Left. Fresh heavy varieties.

83-Pets

FOR SALE-One male Cocker Spaniel 4 mos. old.

85-Baby Chicks

James Feed Store 522 S. Cuyler Phone 1677

88-Seed and Plants

FOR SALE-5000 shrike handles, 50 per bundle.

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ROOM and Board in private home. Most of costs preferred.

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99-Home, Farms, Income and Business Property

If you want to rent a good business building, I have a party who wants to build one.

100-City Property (Cont.)

Most of the time, a good business building, I have a party who wants to build one.

110-City Property (Cont.)

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111-Lots

CALL 234-J for H. O. Simmons if interested in lots.

116-Farms and Tracts

FOR SALE-80 acres farm with fruit trees, grape vines, etc.

117-Property To Be Moved

FOR SALE-Three room house to be moved.

118-Farm for Sale or Trade

FOR SALE-5 room modern house. Vacant. Hardwood floors.

119-Real Estate Wanted

Large National Concern. Handling good lines wants good retail location.

121-Automobiles

1938 CHEVROLET Sedan for sale. Good tires, good motor.

122-Trucks

NEW one-ton Ford pick-up bed with fenders for sale.

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PERSONAL NEWS OF McLEAN

McLEAN—(Special)—Mrs. W. T. Elridge and Miss Cleo Pope were in Groom recently.

Francis L. Petty, a student of Denver University, left Saturday for Springfield, Colo., where he will be joined by his roommate, Harold Dickey, and go on to Denver.

A. L. Rippey was in Amarillo Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and sons, Joe and Eddie, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barron of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stewart, during the holidays.

T. N. Holloway returned home several days ago from Savannah, Mo., where he has been for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCasland were visitors from Canadian recently.

Mrs. Zora Kennedy took her son, Vernon, to Groom, recently, for medical treatment. She was accompanied by Mrs. Nora Loveland and Herman L. Petty of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Baker and children of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Langham and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reel of Amarillo; J. E. and Leroy Langham were Christmas visitors in their parents' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilkerson and baby of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilkerson, were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elridge.

Bobby Decker of Mountaineer, N. M., visited his aunt, Miss Eunice Stratton, recently.

Mrs. W. R. Lawrence has been ill recently.

A "Student Night" program was observed at the Baptist Church recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Banner of Amarillo have moved to their new home on the F. E. Stewart farm.

which they recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley and son visited his brother and family at Clarendon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Burleson visited his brother, Jasper Burleson, and family at Shamrock.

Mrs. G. H. Baker visited her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Christie at Pampa, last week. Mrs. Christie was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowry of Clarendon visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Story and other relatives recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shredrick of Norman, Okla., visited her father, Harris King, and family.

Mrs. E. Lewellen of Burk Burnett, arrived last week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Kate Stokes. They went on to Amarillo.

Mrs. Eula Bearden and daughters have moved here from Oton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne have returned from a trip to Red Oak, Texas.

Misses Marjorie Goodman, Darverne Rossen and Betty Norville were in Amarillo recently to attend a meeting of the Presbyterian denomination.

Mrs. Birdie Allen and children have returned from a visit to Knoxville, and Aspermont, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Burris Legon were in Amarillo recently.

L. H. Mann and Fred Mann, Jr., have recently returned from a visit of several weeks with their father in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sanders and sons, Edwin and Jerry, visited in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson have returned to Amarillo after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson and Mrs. J. W. Sullivan.

Miss Hazel Dyer of Ft. Worth and Chas. Dyer and family of Lamona have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dyer.

Mrs. C. O. Goodwin visited her sister, Mrs. W. B. Taylor at Amarillo recently.

Neal Bogard and family of Clarendon, visited Mrs. Neil's sister, Mrs. J. W. Pettitt, and Mrs. Wheeler Carter recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Magerkurth and daughters, Ann and Frankie Sue, visited in Oklahoma City recently.

Ercy and Erma Ruth Fulbright have returned to college after spending the vacation with their parents.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Rochell and sons, J. D. and Glendon of Hinton, Okla., visited Mrs. Rochell's brother, Eugend Woodrome recently.

Joan Morrison has returned to her home in Pampa, after a visit with her cousin, Ann Magerkurth.

The Hiroshima atomic bomb demolished four square miles of buildings and left another three square miles uninhabitable.

Loss of Voice Due To Shock, Strain

By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—Laurie Langer, who became a star in "The Killers," may have his career nipped by loss of voice. Two weeks ago, the actor spent an entire day

playing a highly emotional scene before the cameras. Two days later his brother died. Doctors tell him the strain on his voice followed by the shock of his brother's passing has caused swelling of his vocal chords. But now cannot talk above a conversational tone and the condition is being aggravated by his work in "I Walk Alone." He is advised that only a desert rest will

restore his full voice. But he is lined up with work for the next six months and couldn't even get time off for his honeymoon.

MGM is well satisfied with the Jane Powell-Walter Pidgeon team of "Holiday in Mexico" and their next co-starring film will be something now called "Daddy is a Wolf," a shipboard story. . . . Milt Gross will produce a film based on his own

book, "I Shoulda ahd the Edair," and he wants Larry Adler to play in it. The harmonica is being written in. . . . Mary Pickford and Lester Cowan have dispatched their screen writer, Harry Kunitz, to New York in an attempt to inveigle Ingrid Bergman into "One Touch of Venus." It would be her first musical.

The notes will be flying when Jo Stafford and Ginny Simms drop in

on Dinah Shore's show Jan. 15. . . . Vic Mature's two-story dog house now has a guest house, a gift from Peggy Cummins. How elegant can a Hollywood dog get? . . . After "Heaven Only Knows," Robert Cummings plans to take his wife on a flying trip to Paris, Cairo, Vienna, Rome, Athens, Madrid and Tel Aviv.

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January and February DRUG NEEDS and ACCESSORIES DOLLAR DAY

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TUSSY

Wind & Weather Lotion

Use this silken lotion once and you'll never be without it! Helps prevent chapping, helps protect sensitive skin, softens and smooths skin. Even doubles as a make-up base.




51 SIZE NOW ONLY **50¢**
52 SIZE NOW 51¢
Handy family carton of six \$1.00 bottles, \$3.00 all prices plus tax

Shampoo	75c	Modart	59c
25c Gillette	Blue	Blades	17c
\$1 Wine of Cardui			59c
Alcohol	Rubbing	Pint	13c
Boyer	Hair	Arranger	39c

We have a limited amount of the following soap

LUX, small box	15c
RINSO, small box	15c
SWAN SOAP, bar	11c


SPECIAL SALE!
LIMITED TIME ONLY!
12 to 49¢



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In snow or sleet or blazing heat, New methods now prevail, The plan is new—
And quicker too,
Save time and Bank By Mail.

Endorse your check "FOR DEPOSIT ONLY," mail, and it will receive the same prompt attention as if you called in person.

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REMNANT SALE!

Cotton prints, muslins, spun rayons, plain color spun rayons, Arispun woolens, wash rayons and many other fabrics.

At 1/2 Price

Hundreds of Dollars Worth of Remnants

Children's Winter weight health Union Suits Short sleeves, long legs 98c	Children's Balbriggan PAJAMAS Knit cuffs, pants have full elastic top with feet Pastel colors \$2.49	Cotton Batts 3-lb. unbleached stitched 98c
Men's wool leather trimmed Jackets Full zipper front \$4.00	Men's fuzzy Work Gloves Heavy with knit wrist 39c pr.	Men's Woolen Shirt Jackets BUTTON FRONTS Navy blue. Sizes S.M.L. Regular 4.98 \$1.00
Boys' Wool MACKINAW Wine, blue brown Sizes 4 to 12 \$3.00	PLENTY OF RUBBER FOOTWEAR For the entire family	WATCH BAND \$2.50 Metal 1.89 100 1-4 Grain Sachrin Tablets 17c

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OVERNIGHT CASES

20" by 12" **98c**

\$3.50 **Curtis Coffee Maker** **269**

Six 6 oz. **GLASSES** **39c**

OVENWARE DISHES 19c 29c and 39c

\$2.50 Metal **WATCH BAND** **1.89**

100 1-4 Grain **Sachrin Tablets** **17c**

20% discount

on **FRANCES DENNEY Beauty Preparations**

AFTER 4 YEARS IT'S BACK AGAIN!

A marvelous chance to restock your dressing table with the favorite lovely beauty preparations

• OILS OF THE WILDERNESS, \$2.50	• MILD SKIN LOTION, \$1.40	• MILD SKIN LOTION, \$1.40	• MILD SKIN LOTION, \$1.40
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• CLEANSING MEAL, \$1.50	• OVERTONE, \$1.20	• OVERTONE, \$1.20	• OVERTONE, \$1.20

SALE ENDS JANUARY 11th—SO HURRY!

Harriet Hubbard Ayer night cream regular 1.75 now	1.00
Cheramy hand lotion, regular 2.00 now	1.00
Dorothy Perkins gift set, regular 2.00 now	1.39
TUSSY BEAUTY KIT	7.50
DUBARRY BEAUTY KIT	7.50
1.00 JERGEN'S HAND LOTION	79c
OLD SPICE TOILET WATER	1.00
Revelon lipstick in all new metal cases	1.00
55c Lady Esther all purpose cream	39c
75c OJ's BEAUTY LOTION	49c

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60c ALKA SELTZER
49c
75c BAYERS-ASPIRINS
59c
75c BAUME BEN-GAY
59c
35c ROLL WAX PAPER
19c
WEIMET FILM Size 616 Roll 19c No Limit

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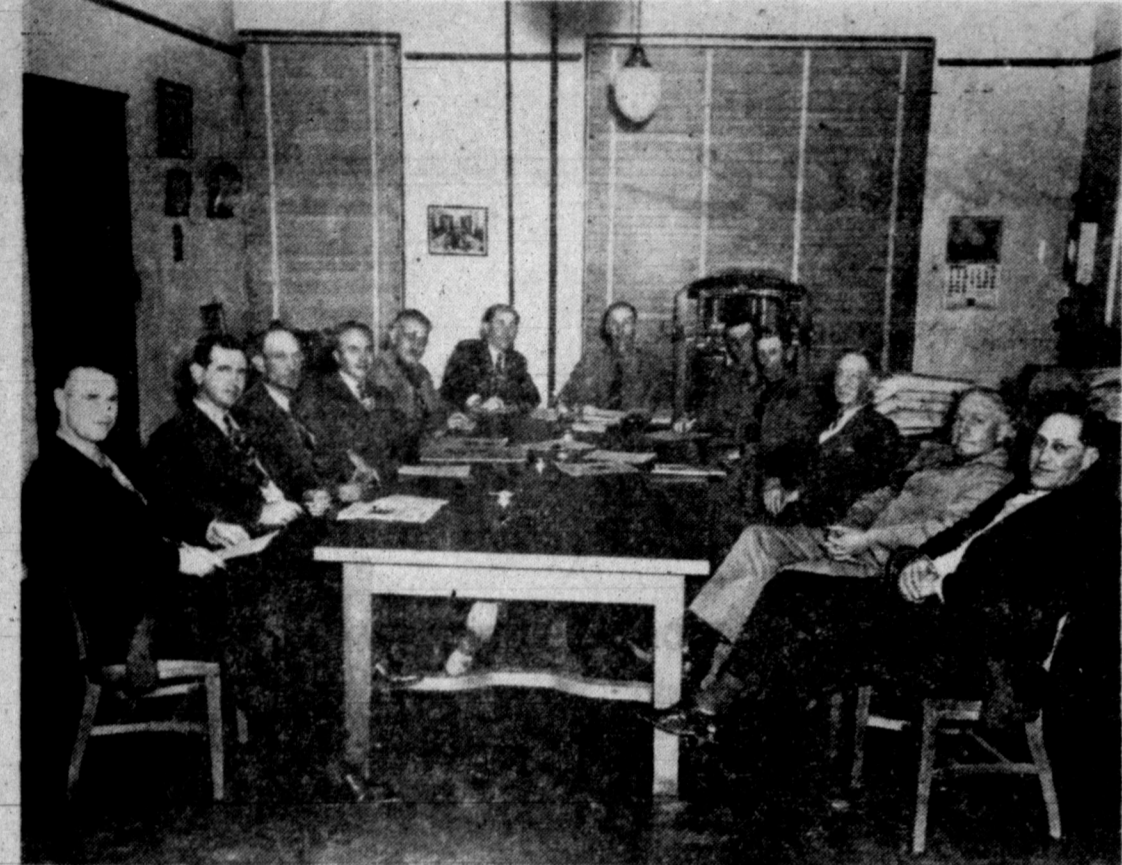
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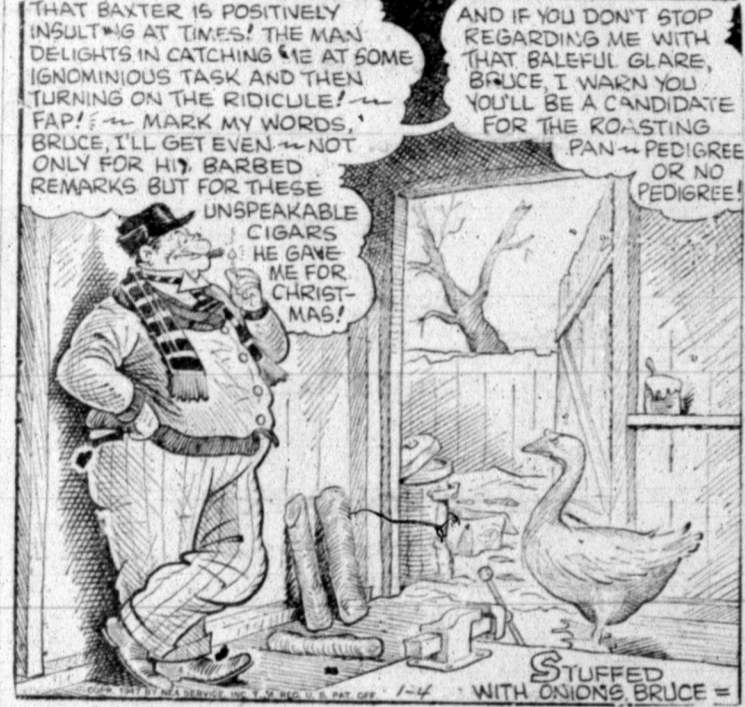


Pictured above are directors of the Top of Texas Hereford Breeders Association who met recently to discuss plans for the 1947 livestock show and sale, scheduled here next month. Directors pictured, left to right: Floyd Imel, J. P. Smith, Paul Caylor, Ralph Juillard, Ralph Thomas, E. O. Wedgworth, L. A. Maddox, A. B. Carruth, Cliff Vincent, W. L. Williams, Jake Hess and Irvin Cole. Members not pictured are Clyde Gilbert, H. H. Reeves, O. W. Hampton, R. T. Alexander and Buck Hines.

Movie Stars Have Reason to Worry

HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — If movie stars are more worried than usual these days, it's not only because the income tax season is approaching. The economy wave which is sweeping the industry threatens the livelihood of many of them. MGM is leading the way in slashing expenses; the studio will make only 24 films in 1947, against 41 this year. Other studios will follow suit and this means that expensive star lists will be pared down. There will be more free-lance fighting for

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few jobs, since the independent producing situation is tightening up. The role of Singer Jean Ogilvie in "The Hucksters" is still uncast although six top names have tested. Clark Gable hasn't given his okay to any of them yet. Lucille Ball would do the role if it is built up.

Jimmy Stewart isn't exactly the nodding type. Donna Reed, who played opposite him in "It's a Wonderful Life" for five months,

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Paralyzed Boy to Visit His Uncle

DALLAS — (AP) — Bobby Griffing, Dallas, 15-year-old youth who was paralyzed in an automobile accident more than a year ago, intends to spend an auspicious Christmas check for \$145.29 on a trip to his Uncle's ranch near Abilene.

The boy has not been able to walk or speak since December 1945. Doctors say he is slowly improving.

The check was accompanied by a note saying: "This represents a voluntary gift by every employe of a Dallas firm to Bobby Griffing for a happy New Year."

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Texas Demos Foresee Passage Of Few New Laws by Congress

By TEX EASLEY
WASHINGTON — (AP) — Texas House members don't foresee passage of a lot of new laws in the coming Republican-controlled 80th Congress.

Stripped of the speakership and chairmanships of some of the most important committees in the House, the Texans note that the Republicans may have the majority of votes but not enough to override a presidential veto if it came to a strictly partisan cleavage.

The dean of Congress from standpoint of age, 85-year-old Rep. J. Mansfield of Columbus in the Galveston district, called attention to this situation.

For the past 16 years he has been chairman of the House Rivers and Harbors committee and, had the Democrats retained control, would have headed the proposed New Public Works committee which will handle navigation, flood control and roads projects.

"I don't look for a lot of new legislation," he commented, "because the Republicans know that anything they pass must bear close scrutiny at the White House."

"I don't think they're foolish enough to try such tactics as overriding a veto."

The Texan expressed doubt that there would be any large sums authorized for expenditure on rivers and harbors or floods control projects in the next two years.

"The Republicans are pledged to cut taxes and the budget," continued the veteran legislator. "I'm in favor of going along with them in cutting down expenditures."

Labor legislation designed to reduce strikes in the primary matter in the cards for enactment, the Texan agreed.

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ville, doesn't see much likelihood the Republicans will be able to carry out their pre-election platform of reducing taxes and balancing the budget.

"It depends on a lot of things," he said.

"I don't see how they can reduce taxes much, for instance, if we have a big steel strike early in the year. Those strikes cut down on the national income and thus revenues to the government."

Rep. Gene Worley of Shamrock had similar views.

"The Republicans criticized the Democrats during the war years when we were trying to save lives by spending dollars," he declared.

"I'd like to see them do what they've been advocating—cutting down expenses and balancing the budget. I think they will find it difficult to balance the budget, reduce the national debt and cut taxes at the same time. That's a rose dream to have but it's not being very realistic."

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Game Warden Hurt South of McLean

McLEAN — (Special) — State Game Warden Davis was injured Wednesday afternoon about 4 when his car got out of control 10 miles south of here, ramming a bridge on the Magic City road.

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CAT ODORS GO TOO! Spray cushions, sofa, chairs, other spots cat favors; also spray cat's sand-box with NIL.

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GOOD THINKING—THE KEY TO WORLD UNDERSTANDING

Quite a case for cause is made in a recent issue of The Saturday Review of Literature, by one of its editors. The Articulation Committee of the National Council of Teachers, according to the article, recently made a report based on a nation-wide survey, of pupil and student learning in our schools and colleges.

A marked inadequacy to read and understand the English language is noted, despite the fact the land prides itself on such wide dissemination of the printed word.

Since the editor constructs an intelligible argument to the effect that democracy depends upon wide and concrete understanding of the written word, we see room for comment. Perhaps, as the editor notes, the "variety and prodigality" of such available information has created confusion, and has developed the tendency among readers to skim through what they read.

As we see it, communication of ideas is probably the shortest and easiest route to world amity, but that road is fraught with trip-holes, due to the fact that too few people of the earth know how to read and then understand what they have read.

Reading and understanding is no more than good thinking, but it would be amazing to know how many people do what is really "good thinking." Too many peripheral thoughts will creep in, and when we have finished and formed a conclusion, it is usually based on prejudiced and pre-conceived ideas.

Be that as it may, it seems we are on the right track in that we have dissemination of information, but to place before youth a set of facts will do little good. It is not enough to pack the minds of youth with facts; it must be facts which have meaning and application for them, which they can use in their relations with those about them, and for an understanding of those of other lands.

The author of the SRL item is probably right when he says: "If the world is to be saved from disaster it is going to be on the basis of good thinking, and then only if good thinking can be brought within the understanding and made to appeal to the imagination of the multitude."

For "... unless the members of nations everywhere learn both to comprehend and talk to one another, we will be fallen on evil days indeed."

COUPONS FOR DIVORCE

(Truth, London, England)

It may seem unlikely that the prevalence of divorce should aggravate the shortage of clothes, but so it is. To cope with the situation it has been arranged that County Court Judges shall hear divorces, though divorce is not to be remitted to the County Court, the main practical difference being that counsel will still have to be briefed to appear.

Now, if a County Court Judge sits as a Commissioner in the room where the County Court Registrar in attendance as Divorce Registrar, the only way to show the public that this is not the County Court is to dress the Judge like a Divorce Court Judge in a black silk robe instead of the "purple dressing-gown" worn by County Court Judges. Accordingly the Judges are now being measured for their new finery, for which the Board of Trade has generously obliged with a special issue of coupons.

SHOULD CONGRESS CONVEN?

(The Daily Oldhamian)

Congress has tackled the "labor emergency" many times and each time it has refused to act. But the president decides to call a special session this time, he should take a poll and see how many members have the nerve to do something about it.

FARM SURPLUSES

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Principals of the farm problem to come before the new Congress is what to do about the government's price-support policy.

Under present law farmers have been promised that the government will support prices for 20 major farm crops for two years after the declared end of hostilities. What this means is that the government guarantees the farmer a market for all the corn, wheat, cotton, tobacco, rice, hogs, eggs, milk, oilseed and a dozen other crops that he can raise. The guarantee is good clear through 1949, at the least.

The idea of this promise was to keep the farmers producing most-needed crops during the war without any fear that the market would collapse after it was over.

This policy got the government in trouble as applied to potatoes in 1946. Before the planting season began, farmers were asked to cut down on their potato acreage. Goal for the year was set at 277 million bushels, because the 425-million-bushel crop of 1945 had produced a surplus.

But because the government-supported price was high and the market guaranteed, farmers grew and harvested 478 million bushels. Because the government was committed to buy all potatoes offered at 90 percent of parity, Uncle Sam had to buy the 100-million-bushel surplus. The cost was \$80 million. What to do with the surplus potatoes is still a problem.

FAST ACTION NEEDED
What happened to potatoes in 1946 might easily happen to any of the other major farm crops covered by this price-support program from 1947, '48, or '49. It may cost the government hundreds of millions of dollars. That's why the price-supported program must have early review by Congress.

This whole prospect of overproduction of farm crops is acute for the first time since the depression. All during the war the great problem was shortages. Ahead is a period of apparent overabundance. It may cause a complete revision of U. S. farm policy. Any business recession, cutting back consumer purchasing power, would augment this problem.

The authority of the Commodity Credit Corporation, which handles all these price-support programs for the Department of Agriculture, is due to expire next June 30. Legislation to continue CCC is certain to be introduced and passed, but this process price-support theories will have a critical airing.

A new wool bill on which the last Congress did not act, despite Presidential recommendations, is set to come up again. Price support government authority to sell domestic wool for export at less than parity, to meet competition from lower-cost wool produced abroad, and further wool research are likely proposals.

Setting up a government system for grading cotton samples on a self-supporting fee basis is another proposal. Its purpose is to free cotton growers from arbitrary appraisals and down-grading by cotton buyers.

PLENTY OF ISSUES
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news behind the news

Common Ground

By R. O. HOLLES

Here is an article by Consulting Editor W. Scoville that sets forth my idea of the Wagner Law better than I can.

EQUALIZING RIGHTS
By John W. Scoville
Consulting Economist

We quote from a Detroit News paper editorial of December 10, 1946:

"The rights of labor as provided by the Wagner Act must not be infringed upon. But, management must be given equal rights."

The fallacy in this statement is the assumption that opposites can coexist. This idea of equality of rights of labor and management is so widespread that an autopsy should be performed on this logical fallacy so that no one will believe or assert that it is possible for an object to be both light and cold at the same time—that the coexistence of opposites is possible.

The Wagner Act does not give labor an assortment of rights. It gives to labor only one right—the right to compel the employer to bargain with the union collectively. Now if management is to be given an equal right, what is that equal right? Obviously, the correlative equal right is to confer on the employer the right to compel the employees to bargain individually rather than collectively.

There are four possibilities:

1. The employees may have the legal right to coerce the employer and compel him to follow their methods of bargaining (individual or collective).
2. The employer may have the legal right to coerce the employees and compel them to adopt his method of bargaining.
3. Both the employer and the employees shall have the right to coerce the other party.
4. Neither the employer nor the employees shall have the right to coerce the other party.

The first proposition is what we have now. The legal right of the employees to coerce the employer and compel him to bargain collectively, against his will and his interests.

The second proposition is not advocated by anyone. Employees do not ask for the right to compel the employer to bargain individually and to prevent them from getting jobs elsewhere, if they object to individual bargaining.

The third proposition is advocated by those who would amend the Wagner Act to give employers equal rights with labor. But this proposition is impossible, for coercion in order to make the parties shall coerce and the other party shall be coerced. Both parties cannot have the legal right to coerce in opposite directions at the same time.

The fourth proposition should be adopted as our national policy. It establishes the freedom of the employer and of the worker. It eliminates coercion. If this policy is adopted, then the Wagner Act will be amended to "equalize the rights of management and labor"—instead, the Wagner Act will be repealed.

The Nation's Press
THE DEMOCRATIC FORUM (Antioch Notes)

"Free Trade In Ideas," as Justice Holmes called it, is one of America's great strengths. But now we are in the Anglo-American world, this concept is being challenged. Public opinion must be marshaled, the argument goes, behind a single ideology in order to make rapid progress. And in a way it has been effective. How then do we prove that in the long run the democratic method is the more effective method?

In Soviet Russia the principal advance has been in the rapid building-up of mass production tools and techniques but we must grant others too: from an illiterate nation to literacy; from suppression of the masses of the people to a general feeling of participation by the people; from cleavages among races to freedom from discrimination. There is little doubt that singleness of ideology helped accomplish these gains.

But the anecdote of the man who worked so hard in acquiring the wealth with which to live that he forgot how to live may be true also of nations. Single-mindedness may be necessary to successful revolution. But the advantage of freedom in ideas is that fresh ideas can engender vigor for new methods which the old ones have served their purpose. And the intellectual ferment out of which ideas spring is the highest phase of civilized living.

I prefer to side with the school which agitates for international action on the (atom) bomb, not necessarily because the bomb makes war more terrible, but because it makes war more possible.

Dr. T. Harrison Davies, U. of Chicago, physicist.

QUICKIES

By Ken Reynolds

Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson is expected to make requests for two additional assistant secretaries in his department.

Republican drive for economy may affect the Department of Agriculture somewhat. Its appropriations for the current year were \$820 million. Farm-states voted heavily Republican in the last election, however, and there is a possibility that the farm states will be let down.

For a number of years the farm bloc in Congress has operated as a non-partisan group.

Chairman of the Agriculture Committee in Congress are expected to be Arthur Capper in the Senate, Clifford Hope in the House. Both are from Kansas.

"Either we got to have more boxes for me to stand on—or stop our News Want Ads!"

Fraternalizing?



To some 16 million Siamese, Siam is known as Muang Thai, meaning "Land of the Free."

THOUGHTS
Answer not a fool according to the folly; lest thou also be like unto him. —Proverbs 26:12.

Those who wish to appear wise among fools, among the wise seem foolish. —Quintilian.

Lucille Ball will play the singer in the film version of "The Hucksters." ... Miss America—Marily Buford—got that M-G-M contract after all. The studio reconsidered after originally nixing her screen test.

It was Humphrey Bogart's observation at a recent big Hollywood party. Bogie looked over the glittering crowd of gals in ultra-formals and guys in white ties and tails and said:

"No wonder there are so many divorces in a town where all the girls are so beautiful and all the men are so handsome."

(Well, anyway, that's our "cleaned-up" version of his comment.)

IT'S ALL YOURS, SISTER
The contest committee, casting switch or the year, Joan Fontaine took the title role in "Ivy," which sister Olivia de Havilland turned down. Olivia said she didn't like the script and didn't want to play another murderess after doing "The Dark Mirror." But Joan likes the part.

She poisons her husband (Richard Ney) in the film, then tries to fetch back a letter to her husband. But the contest letter, in the armadillo basket on the hall table. He threw his hat down, slipped out of his coat and carried the letter into the parlor, knowing before he opened it what the letter would say. Then he tore the envelope.

The contest committee, after careful consideration, felt that Mr. Cameron's sketches showed more than a little talent; indeed their quality was so nearly in accord with professional standards that the judges' task in rejecting them was rendered doubly hard. But the contest, of nation-wide scope, had brought in a flood of entries, some of which were even more meritorious; in the final elimination, Mr. Cameron was one of twenty young American artists awarded honorable mention.

"Honorable mention, eh?" said Jeff to himself, reading. "Well, that's just dandy." But he was not angry; he had always known it would be like this.

He went up to his room and jerked out the top drawer of his bureau and dumped its contents on his bed. Sitting down, he stared at the miscellany. Pencils, crayons, pads—junk! And now he was through with it. Tomorrow he would take it all down to the river, he would walk out on that narrow pier and throw it in.

JEFF heard somebody on the stairs and then his father's voice at the door.

"May I come in?"

Gather Ye Rosebuds
By JEANNETTE COVERT NOLAN

"One little kiss and you go getting ideas?"

"But I love you—and for yourself, your cooking, I never think about anything else."

"Hearts? Oh, you mean Dixon? Maybe Rose will give me her old fur coats or her diamonds when they get dirty."

"You think Rose will marry him?"

"Yes, next summer. If she doesn't she's crazy."

"As a matter of fact," Basil said, "I didn't mean that at all. You'll be an heiress in your own right as soon as the ship comes."

"What ship?"

"A rhetorical figure, of course, for the Major's investment."

"Papa's?"

"Papa's," Basil said. "He was talking to me about it one day last week, or talking around it. Vast vistas are opening for him. The aliteration is his."

"Oh, Papa's always fancying—"

Sidney said. "What did he say to you?"

"Nothing much. Just that he's in this stock something and bound to make wads of dough. He hinted I could maybe buy into it."

Sidney sat straighter. "And what did you say?"

"That I haven't a cent except an allowance from Mr. Rutherford Eadie, and that it's insufficient for the bare necessities of life—and always due my creditors, anyway. So then Papa closed up like a clam."

Sidney threw her cigarette into the brook. "You mean he's selling stock and tried to sell you some?"

"Well, we didn't get that far. But I rather think so. Why?"

"Why? Suddenly her memory was like a rubber ball bouncing back through the summer, the spring, back to the start of Papa's eccentricity, and with every

MACKENZIE'S Column

By DEWITT MacKENZIE
AP TUCKER with Harry Analyst

Your correspondent has been asked to name the most important international issue with which we are faced this year—what one might call a meaty assigner.

The mills of 1947 already are working full-speed on the heaviest peacetime grist of problems in history—and in every country domestic questions are so great as to tend to obscure foreign affairs. Still, it will be a grave mistake if we allow ourselves to become so absorbed in home matters that we lose track of what is going on in other lands.

The biggest problem of this year isn't new, but is a variation of the one which caused so much anxiety during 1945—relations between Russia and the Western Democracies.

Our problem is entering a new stage, however. Up until now it could be said broadly to revolve about a maneuvering among the powers—and especially on the part of Russia—for military security. That is to say, the readjustment of zones of influence in Europe and the Far East has been aimed in large degree at ensuring protection in event of war. At least the maneuvers seemed to be aimed largely at security (though that isn't the whole story by a jug-full), and thus were factored in to the main.

But now the realignment of power has ceased to be a matter of security, and if it continues it will be political. It has become a battle between Communism and Western Democracy.

Thus our big international problem of the new year rests in the question of whether the Soviet Union intends to carry on its "world revolution."

Italian Immigrant To Take Vacation
NEW YORK—(P)—Vincent Sardi, the one-time Italian immigrant boy who came to America through New York's "golden door" nearly 40 years ago, is about to seek the first extended rest from his busy life, leaving behind him the famed restaurant that has become a living tradition for Broadway's show folk.

Sardi, who started his restaurant career in the 30's as 12-year-old dishwasher in a London restaurant, is retiring Feb. 5.

The Sardi's have decided to turn over their restaurant to their son, Vincent Jr., a Marine Corps veteran, and "see America."

Early oil production methods covered only 20 percent of the existing oil, but modern methods recover as much as 80 percent.

"Oh, sure!" He scrambled up, tumbled the things back into the bureau, slid the drawer into the bureau, and opened the door.

"Hello, Papa."

The Major came in, peering around rather uncertainly, as if it occurred to him, as to Jeff, that not in years had he intruded the surroundings. "Your mother told me you were at home. I just wanted to have a little chat with you, my boy."

"Well, that's fine," Jeff said, trying to guess what this might be shadow.

"We don't see much of each other, Jeff."

"No, sir. Won't you sit down?"

As the Major sat bulky on the bed, his feet dangling short of the floor, his dubiousness increased. When before, when ever, had he and Papa had a little chat?

"I've never talked to you about Mr. Thayer," Papa said. "You were awarded honorable mention."

"With Dixon? Yes, sir. Most favorably."

"I was sorry to miss his visit, but he has written to me." The Major paused. "Marriage is a serious step, Jeff. I suppose so."

"Yes, I suppose so."

"I wouldn't want any of my children to make a mistake and choose an unworthy mate."

"No," Jeff said. "Especially not Rose, she's such a sweet kid."

"How, Mr. Thayer seems very well-connected in Virginia."

"Seems to have lots of money."

"Yes," the Major said, "though that is not of prime importance. Birth, breeding—those are the more important things."

Jeff nodded.

Papa continued, still casually: "Anyway, I shall provide for Rose, so that no one can ever say Mr. Thayer's money was a factor. Rose will have a dot."

"A what? Maybe after all, that was not leading to Jeff's

(To Be Continued)

bounce brought a surge of recollection to the Major. Grumbling, Basil followed with the picnic things.

"Where's Jeff?"

"Well, I don't know. Isn't he here? He must have gone out, Sidney. Is anything wrong?"

"Oh, no. Let's go sit down." In the parlor, she said: "Mamma, suppose some should have the chance to do something he's always wanted to do, something which would make him happy? Would you object?"

"Object? Why, you know there's nothing I want more than Jeff's happiness, and yours, all my children."

"But if this took Jeff away from home? No, don't say anything until you've thought it over. I know how you feel about us, and about a family circle, a group. How love Jeff so much because he's the oldest?"

"I love you all the same!"

"But suppose Jeff had to leave home soon?"

"If it's another contest?"

"No, so far, just suppose."

"Well, Mamma said, 'If Jeff wanted to go, and if it was the right thing, I'd never stand in his way.'"

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BY J. R. WILLIAMS



Catastrophes Were Less Frequent And Claimed Fewer Lives in 1946

NEW YORK, N. Y.—With the memory of the Atlanta hotel fire and the New York City tenement disaster still fresh in the minds of newspaper readers, statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company report that catastrophes—accidents which take at least five lives—were less frequent and claimed fewer lives in 1946 than in 1945.

Record compiled by the life insurance company show that up to the closing week of the year the total figure is approximately 1,300 deaths, which is about 400 less than for 1945 and the lowest since 1941.

The report of the statisticians

shows fewer lives lost in tornadoes, from catastrophic accidents in water transportation and in mines, and in major bus accidents, but a rise in the death toll from chartered air transport wrecks and fires in hotels and homes.

A summary of the catastrophes of 1946 places the Atlanta hotel fire with its 119 fatalities—the worst, in point of lives lost, in American hotel history—and another hotel fire in Chicago with 61 fatalities as heading the list. Other outstanding disasters of the year were the tenement collapse, with a death toll of 38; a railroad collision in Illinois which killed 46 persons, tornadoes in Texas which caused 33 deaths; crashes of a scheduled air liner in California, each of which claimed 27 lives; and four military plane wrecks in which 25 or more persons were killed.

Bulldog Grieves Over Lost Skunk

CHICAGO—Elmer, a deodorized skunk, and Pepper Martin, a bulldog, became great pals when Mrs. Dolores McCrossen, 40, acquired them as pups in Detroit two years ago.

Because a new landlord objected, Mrs. McCrossen had to get rid of Elmer and Pepper Martin has been upset and restless and ate little. Thursday night he disappeared.

Mrs. McCrossen asked police to help find Pepper. She said he'd be easy to identify. His toe nails were painted red. And she promised to do her best to get Elmer back if the dog were found.

Womens League Working Again For World Peace

NEW YORK—Mrs. Rosika Schwimmer, a vice-president of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, said Thursday that she was working as ardently for a permanent peace as an aftermath of world war two as she did after the conflict of 1914-18.

The official report of the International Congress of Women, held at the Hague in the spring of 1915, stated that "in the first month of the war Rosika Schwimmer outlined a scheme for a conference of neutrals for mediation and went to the United States to enlist help and sympathy."

Mrs. Schwimmer was a delegate from Hungary and a principal figure of the Congress at which Miss Emily G. Balch, of Wellesley, Mass., who recently was co-winner of the Nobel peace prize, was in contact with Women's International League efforts.

Today Mrs. Schwimmer works in her book-lined library overlooking New York's Hudson river drive (54 Riverside Drive) where she still seeks to further the cause of permanent peace by working for world federal government with the same vigor that she displayed in 1915. That year, enroute to the Hague, she obtained the signatures of 24,511 Swedish women and 24,000 Norwegian women on documents endorsing her program.

Eventually Mrs. Schwimmer won her fight and the Congress adopted her resolution of mediation, which asserted in part that "the International Congress of Women resolves to ask the neutral countries to take immediate steps to create a conference of neutral nations which shall without delay offer continuous mediation."

Mrs. Schwimmer was insistent that women should have an equal share with men in the struggle for permanent peace. Her resolution that peace envoys "shall be women of both neutral and belligerent nations" was also adopted.

As the final resolution of the Congress, Mrs. Schwimmer moved that "the International Congress of Women of different nations, classes, creeds and parties is united in expressing sympathy with the suffering of all, whatever nationality, who are fighting for their country or laboring under the burden of war."

"Since the mass of the people in each of the countries now at war believe themselves to be fighting, not as aggressors, but in self-defense and for their national existence, it urges the governments of the world to put an end to this bloodshed, to begin peace negotiations and it emphatically demands that the peace which follows must be permanent."

Mrs. Schwimmer said today that "brains have so far ruled the world. But, brains have brought us to what we are in now, I think it is time to let our hearts speak too."

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