

85 Killed, Injured in Plane Crashes

SHANGHAI—(AP)—Three Chinese airlines, loaded with more than 100 persons anticipating gay Christmas parties here, cracked up in the fog-blanketed area last night, killing or injuring 85 persons. One American pilot was killed and another injured.

A fourth transport was missing and feared lost with at least 10 persons aboard.

Yesterday was the blackest in China's civilian aviation history. The American owned Shanghai Evening Post & Mercury reported 62 passengers and crewmen were killed and 19 were injured, some so critically they may not survive.

A Chinese woman was killed and her three children were injured when one of the transports crashed into her farm home near Wooning.

The Post & Mercury said two of the victims were Americans—Capt. J. M. Greenwood, who was killed, and R. B. Preus, injured seriously. Their home addresses were not given.

Greenwood and Preus were piloting two of the crashed planes, both owned by the Chinese National Aviation Corp., the country's leading airline. It employs many Americans as pilots. The third plane was owned by the Central Air Transport Corp., a Chinese company.

Another American, William H. Byrne, wing pilot surgeon of the U. S. Air Transport Command's Tokyo headquarters, nearly lost his life in a hero's role. He went into the burning fuselage of one of the planes in search of survivors. Overcome by fumes, he was pulled to safety by another American officer, who was not identified. Byrne is from Cookeville, Tenn.

All three of the crashed planes were from Chungking, loaded with passengers planning a Christmas night in Shanghai.

Twelve planes from various Chinese cities arrived over Shanghai late yesterday afternoon and last night but the thick fog prevented their landing. Eight turned back. The three that crashed had circled until their gasoline tanks were virtually empty, then were forced to try to make a landing.

Continued bad weather caused cancellation of all commercial air departures from Shanghai today.

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Truman Eats And Runs, Big Issues Ahead

By The Associated Press
INDEPENDENCE, Mo., (AP)—President Truman rounded out a brief holiday visit with the home folks today before returning to Washington to face labor and other legislative problems of unusual magnitude.

Three separate messages, on legislative, financial and economic issues, posed a task which his associates said would require most of the period remaining before the Republican-controlled Congress gets under way early next month.

Mr. Truman said he would pay a final visit to his mother, 94-year-old Mrs. Martha E. Truman, at Grandview, before taking off in the presidential C-54 plane, the "Sacred Cow," about 2 p. m. (CST).

He flew into Jackson county yesterday for a round of Christmas celebrations, which included a big turkey dinner shortly after noon at his home at 219 North Delaware street.

There, he had dinner with his mother, his wife and his daughter, Margaret, his brother, J. Vivian Truman, and the Wallaces, his wife's people.

The President kept close to home on Christmas Day except for an hour's visit to the nearby home of Colonel Mike Peters, an old friend whom he has visited regularly on Christmas for 25 years.

Mr. Truman, already at work on the all-important State of the Nation message which he will deliver to Congress, decided to return to Washington immediately.

He still has under consideration the administration's course during the next two years on the subject of labor legislation.

In addition to his state of the union message, the President will submit to the Congress messages on the new budget as well as on employment based on a yet-to-be-delivered confidential report of his new Economic Advisory Council.

Judge Winks With Iniquity—Dismissed

BUFFALO, N. Y. (AP)—City Judge Clifford J. Chipman, looked from his bench at 54 prisoners yesterday, and then because it was Christmas and also his birthday, he passed out cigars, read the Nativity and suspended sentence on 50.

"Boys, I'm sorry to see you here today," he told the group, most of whom were charged with intoxication or disorderly conduct. "Since it's Christmas and my birthday, too, I am suspending sentence on most of you. Go home and enjoy the holiday with your families."



W. C. FIELDS in a more typical pose. Just received leather weight electric iron, Lewis Hardware. (Adv.)

Bitbo Preparing Counter-Charges

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Bilbo (D-Miss.), an associate said today, is prepared to raise some "embarrassing" questions if his colleagues seek to make an issue of his dealings with war contractors.

Senator Elmer Thomas (D-Okla.) told reporters that Bilbo has had "a bunch of people" investigating other senators' connections with contractors, and is prepared to parry questions directed against him with "a record of what other people have done."

The Senate War Investigating Committee is weighing a subcommittee report on Bilbo's relations with a group of Mississippi contractors in the early days of the nation's defense program. While the report has not been made public, the public hearing went into stories of favors done for the Mississippi senator by men he aided in obtaining multi-million dollar air field contracts.

Bilbo himself has denied any wrongdoing. He contends that all the committee proved is that he got a few favors done for him. He said he furnished as Christmas presents, and that he shall owe a lot of money.

The committee's report is expected to be a major factor in a Republican fight to bar Bilbo from the Senate, to which he was elected for a third time last summer.

"There will be a long debate if they try to make him stand aside the next Congress convenes," Thomas declared.

"It may be an embarrassing issue for some, but it won't be for me, because I made it a campaign issue in my own state. I left nothing undone for Oklahoma contractors that I could do."

For example, Thomas said, he exercised the utmost pressure he possessed as a senator in order to get a government power plant located at Choctaw, Okla., built there.

As an example of the heat that has been engendered within the party, Rep. Hoffman (Mich.) lashed out today at what he called "a small clique" of House Republicans "hogging all the jobs and trying to run this legislation."

Hoffman told a reporter that Hallock in his view is not entitled to the leadership post, but probably will get it.

He added, however, that he does not intend to let Hallock, speaker-elect, to the House, or other "insiders" tell him what to do.

"The people are tired of being bossed around," the Michigan lawmaker continued. "They are against being told what to do by bosses of the Republican party just as much as they are against Porter, Bowles and Henderson (former OPA chiefs)."

Hoffman said he might serve as "a sort of steam whistle" to warn his Republican colleagues when they are getting off the track.

While Brown has gone no further publicly to declare himself available for the leadership post, he appears to be the rallying point for all anti-Dewey Republicans in the House.

Some members of this group contend that it represents at least a half-hundred GOP votes.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29, 1950. He revised his last name, reversed his initials and graduated from a \$5 a week juggler to the Ziegfeld Follies and ultimately into films.

Of his nose, a trademark sometimes believed connected with his love of strong beverage, he once said: "The Fields nose was this size before I ever learned there was such delight in experimenting with spirits furement."

Americans Set New Spending Record in '46

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Americans spent a record \$127 billion for goods and services this year, or an average of more than \$900 for every man, woman and child in the country.

The Commerce Department's Office of Business Economics which came up with this estimate today said the total \$21 billion over last year's previous record.

This 1946 shopping spree has been spending around \$1.20 for every \$1 they spent last year, and \$1.70 for every \$1 spent during the peak pre-war years of 1941.

Both higher prices—the department figured them up 10 percent over 1945 and more than 40 percent above 1941—and a bigger volume of actual sales played parts in boosting up the new record, the department said.

Spending on non-durable goods—food, clothing, tobacco, gasoline and the like—amounted to \$77 billion in 1946, or more than \$11 billion above the 1945 total.

The outlay for durable goods—furniture, household appliances, automobiles, jewelry and the like—was \$20 billion, or 15 percent more from a year ago and 50 percent more than 1941.

Further more spending on durables would have gone \$4 billion higher if automobiles had been turned out in quantity, the department estimated. As it was, however, \$2,500,000,000 more went into auto purchases than in 1945.

Spending for services such as housing, medical care and recreation increased 10 percent over the total of \$19.5 billion in 1945. A total of \$27,500,000,000.

Services—except for domestic help—took up more than 10 percent more money this year than last.

3,650 Casualties In Jap Earthquake Are New Figures

TOKYO, (AP)—The U. S. Army today revised the casualty toll in Japan's great earthquake today. It now stands at 3,650—400 more than previously reported.

The Army's totals were 1,108 killed and 2,542 injured. They surpassed for the first time the Japanese Home Ministry's figures, which were 1,239 killed, 162 missing and 1,800 injured.

The U. S. Fifth Air Force said Saturday's tidal wave, first reported at 7 to 10 feet high, actually swept the coast of Honshu Island, off the coast of heights of 25 to 27 feet.

Col. Crawford Sams of General MacArthur's Public Health and Welfare section, revised upward his report on the number of homes destroyed to 18,262 and those damaged downward to 33,500.

Goodwill to Man Is Expressed This Way

PALMYRA, Ill.—(AP)—Seventy men joined to help make Merry Christmas for Mrs. Harry Wood.

The neighbors of Mrs. Wood, whose husband was killed recently in a fire which destroyed their farm home, went to her home with 16 tractors, 10 trucks, 20 wagons and 10 campcipers.

'Conspiracy' to Revolution in the U. S. Is Declared by House Group to Be Afoot

Movement Is Said Coming From Russia

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Ernie Adamson, chief counsel for the House Committee on Un-American Activities, says there is a "conspiracy" afoot to foment revolution in this country, through a general strike or otherwise.

The matter is dealt with in a formal report which Adamson has given the committee. The document summarizes information assembled by his staff during 1946.

Although printed by the government printing office, the report has not yet been approved formally by the committee.

Besides referring to the revolution and conspiracy, the report contains critical references to representatives of foreign governments attached to the United Nations, (U. N.) claims that 17 important labor unions are controlled by Communists and (C) call the Library of Congress a "haven for aliens and foreign-minded Americans."

Of the general findings, Adamson wrote: "This committee cannot emphasize too strongly to the House and to the country the danger from this Fifth Column within our gates which follows with blind obedience the dictates of Moscow. They must be recognized for what they are—the agents of a foreign government and enemies of our American system."

During the last two years, Adamson declared, most of Europe has been swept by a world-wide movement to overthrow the American government.

French Colonial Minister Opens Indochina Probe

PARIS—(AP)—Colonial Minister Marius Moutet today began an on-the-spot probe of the situation in Indochina as French troops slowly fanned out through the northern states of Annam and Tonkin against stubborn opposition by Viet-Min nationalists.

Dispatches from Saigon in the southern state of Cochinchina reported Moutet's arrival there yesterday on a special fact-finding mission.

Moutet was greeted by Admiral Gen. Thierry d'Arignolles, French high commissioner for Indochina, who had arrived from Paris earlier in the week.

Moutet also was greeted at the airport by delegates claiming to represent the majority of the Annamite population as well as many French, who presented him with a petition asking replacement of d'Arignolles by a more liberal regime.

The delegates maintained that dissatisfaction with d'Arignolles was largely responsible for the trouble in the north. Saigon advised said Moutet declined to comment on the situation, merely declaring that there had been no change in French policy and that his government would continue to work for the protection of legitimate French interests. French citizens and the friends of France.

He was quoted as telling news-men that he intended to visit Hanoi, capital of the young Viet-Namense republic and one of the main trouble centers, but said his visit would be short because he had to return to Paris for the French presidential election Jan. 16.

Food Is Dropped to Isolated Radar Unit

NAYOGA, (AP)—A B-17 crew, flying at low speed although it was over mountainous terrain, dropped the contents of food today to a snow-bound radar installation on an isolated outpost in the Kyoga-Miaki area.

The package of steaks, fruit, bread and other food weighed 40 yards of the kitchen. The unit had not been contacted in 11 days.

Pampa Is Relatively Quiet Today, With Few Exceptions Like Chamber of Commerce

The boss' may be out of town but the girls at the Chamber of Commerce office have the work "stacked" up in front of them—in the form of a good tone of magazines, papers, road maps, pictures, calendars, etc.

When a Daily News reporter entered the office this morning, he was greeted by the sight of a huge stack of documents piled on the big meeting room table presided over by Mrs. Margaret Payne and Mrs. Leah Eastham.

Armed with a feather duster and a zest for labor surprisingly soon after the holiday, they were re-arranging, throwing away, filing, hanging and dusting everything from Petty Girl calendars to modest Housen, Dallas, Fort Worth and Lubbock Chamber of Commerce publications.

Death Stalks Highways of Nation; Figures Exceed Council Estimates

Texas College Will Re-open On January 2

Emphasizing that West Texas State College wants no students who cannot accept the leadership of the college rency board or administration, College President Dr. J. A. Hill made public yesterday a statement relative to the opening of the school Jan. 2.

The statement grew out of the recent flare-up of the college when over 500 students voted to go out on strike in protest to housing conditions.

Student strikers had also demanded the resignation of Virgil Henson, college business manager, whom they blamed for the housing shortage.

The school was closed following the strike, but was officially reopened last week. Classes will resume Jan. 2.

Dr. Hill's statement: "To Students, Patrons and the General Public: "The recent student disturbance at West Texas State and the conditions that produced it are matters of deep regret to me and probably to thousands of others."

"The problem now is to find a sure way for the college to resume its normal functioning and at the same time be certain that similar situations will not recur."

"First of all, the reverts and the president propose to make, as they have in the past, every effort to improve housing and other conditions as rapidly as possible."

"Secondly, we harbor no spirit of ill-will toward the great mass of our students, almost all of whom we think are trustworthy and honestly desiring of furthering their education. All such are cordially invited to resume their work on January 2, 1947."

"While inviting always the counsel of students, patrons and friends of deep respect, patience and sympathy to complaints from whatever source, we recognize our own legal responsibility for making decisions and formulating and administering policies. We cannot grant or delegate this authority without abandoning our legally constituted function. Accordingly, those who wish to do, and who think they are not getting here what they need, owe it to themselves to seek education elsewhere. Certainly their continued presence on our campus will contribute anything toward their happiness or educational progress. There is no service we can render them. All who feel themselves in this latter category are kindly advised not to apply for re-enrollment."

"With malice toward none, but with charity for all, let us press forward to a better and greater institution."

Otis Burk Heads Perrilton C of C

PERRYTON—(Special)—Otis E. Burk, former Perrilton football coach and Junior High School principal, has been elected president of the Perrilton Chamber of Commerce.

Burk is now engaged in the drug business, having entered the field on his discharge from the Navy in September, 1945.

Elected vice president was Jerome Woods, cashier of the First National Bank, also a war veteran.

Burk's greatest pride as an athlete of West Texas State College, came to Perrilton from Groom in 1934 as head coach and instructor in the Perrilton schools. After a successful six-year tenure as head coach, Burk left the coaching field to devote his time to school administration.

Burk left his post as Junior High principal to accept a commission as a Navy ensign in 1942. He later rose to the rank of lieutenant commander and served a total of three and one-half years in the Navy.

Burk was President Woods, who was formerly associated with the First National Bank in Wichita, Kansas, and with the Production Credit Association, served in the Army almost five years, rising to the rank of major.

Lee Little, who was re-appointed secretary-manager, was a former school administrator in Western Oklahoma and was Farm Security Administration manager in Wheeler County prior to coming to Perrilton.

Fog in East, Rest of State Is Clear
By The Associated Press
Most of East Texas came out of Christmas in a fog this morning. The fog, which stretched from the Gulf to the Oklahoma border, reduced ground visibility to one block at Gainesville.



WHIPS UP TROUBLE—Pictured as he appeared in Los Angeles court, respondent in royal purple and white robe, bestarred turban and sandals with jingle bells on them is Rev. Peter John Lett. The 20-foot whip he carries was responsible for assault and battery charges lodged by police who said the part-time preacher, part-time leather tried to clear a highway traffic by lashing at passing cars.

Death Did NOT Take a Holiday Thirty-Four Die on State Highways

Texas' Christmas holiday death toll mounted to 51 today in a tabulation begun Friday night.

Thirty-four died in traffic accidents; seven of burns; three of gun shot wounds; two in plane crashes and five of other causes.

Ian Samuelson, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Samuelson of Austin was killed there yesterday when a parked car rolled downhill, jumped the curb and crushed the child against a rock porch.

At Corpus Christi, Marlon Julian, 58, died Wednesday from injuries received when he was struck by an automobile Saturday night. In a secluded thicket near Corpus Christi, the body of Mrs. R. E. Lynton, 38, a former school teacher, was found Wednesday. She had been missing 48 hours. There was no evidence of foul play. A coroner was withholding his report pending further investigation.

The body of a man identified as Johnnie Kirksey, Fort Sam Houston soldier, was found at San Antonio late Wednesday. Justice of the Peace E. H. Talbert said he had been fatally injured by a bullet which pierced his neck and entered his chest. He had been dead about 12 hours, officers said.

Funeral services were planned at San Antonio today for Jo Ann Short, 7, who died Wednesday as the result of injuries received in a traffic accident Saturday.

Other deaths included Mrs. Lee J. Goldman, 22, of Colorado City, died Christmas Day of injuries received in a head-on automobile collision in Lorraine, Texas.

John Williams, 56, of Waco, drowned in the Brazos river at Waco Tuesday. His body was recovered yesterday.

Lubbock Takes One Of Teen-Age Boys

James Boyd Wilde, one of three teen-age boys arrested here by police, was removed Tuesday to Lubbock by Lubbock County Sheriff Grady Harris for questioning in connection with several robberies and burglaries there.

His teen-age companion, Bobbie Craig, was transferred to the county jail last Tuesday and placed with his other companion, Bobbie Jack O'Pray, who has been charged with assault with intent to murder, by District Attorney Walter Rocco.

No further developments on the boys' activities were reported this morning by city police.

No Horseback Ride—For Her Mare Was Ill

HARTSDALE, N. Y.—(AP)—Gen. Evangeline Cory Booth, retired international commander of the Salvation Army, celebrated her 81st birthday yesterday.

A few friends and relatives joined General Booth in the dual Christmas-birthday fete, and although there was no Yule tree there was a birthday cake with "too many candles to count."

General Booth had to forego her customary horseback ride—her mare was ill.

Prisoners Dined by Wife of Sheriff

Full course Christmas dinners were given to four county prisoners who were not permitted their freedom for the holidays.

The menu consisted of turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce and all the trimmings cooked for them by Mrs. G. H. Kyle, wife of Gray county's sheriff.

Sheriff Kyle reported later that the four prisoners entertained themselves in the evening by playing "Blind Man's Bluff" in the county jail.

Crankshaft now in stock. Let us do that overhaul job now, Cornelius Motor Co., 318 W. Posse. (Adv.)

THE WEATHER U. S. WEATHER BUREAU

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Gather Ye Rosebuds

By JANNETTE COVERT NOLAN
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CONTRARY to all her expectations, Rose was having a good time in Washington. The journey alone to Indianapolis had been accomplished without mishap and there she had met her fellow-delegates and their chaperon, Mrs. Florence Bannock of St. Louis, who was sleekly groomed, evidently a woman of wide sophistication and not old at all, as Rose had feared she might be. Mrs. Bannock expressed mild surprise that Bessie Pomeroy did not again represent the Blakesville chapter (and Bessie's inadequacy finally been realized?) but immediately took Rose under her capable wing.

Armed with Mamma's admonitions Rose was equal to the perplexities of the night, when she and such wily boys as she met for nibble contortions behind the green baize curtains, that she felt rare, stepping forth in the morning, no other passengers would have guessed how she had lain as if in a plaster of Paris cast through all the hours of darkness, to keep her coiffure intact. She looked neat as wax, and hot coffee and toast in the dining car entirely revived her—which was fortunate, because things began to happen almost as soon as the party reached Washington.

At the Willard Hotel, a slight confusion as to reservations confronted Mrs. Bannock; she said apologetically that one of her charges would have to take a single room—though she had planned for the girls to have congenial roommates, it would be so much more fun. Rose instantly said that she would not mind the single, whereupon Mrs. Bannock thanked her for showing courtesy

maient rate may intervene to make the separation permanent. "I couldn't stand it!" Rose told herself. "Rick is—just everything!"

RICK had said he might be at the station to see her off; she had hoped he would be, for it would have been a good moment for introductions, which she would somehow have contrived. The fact was, Rose had fretted at the secrecy of their romance. Meeting in the park and other sequestered places made everything seem rather tawdry—like a nursemaid carrying on with the grocer's boy. She wanted Rick to know her family, wanted to flaunt her pride in him and, anyway, until secrecy had been dispensed with, what future could there be for the romance?

UNPACKING her luggage, she thought also of Sidney and what a relief it was to be away from her for just this little while. To be free of Sid's scrutinizing, of which she for weeks had been conscious. Sid had been watching her and, not an easy person to fool, she probably thought that Rose was acting funny. Well, Rose would admit to unnatural conduct, but she couldn't help it. No one knew better than she herself that she hadn't been the same recently.

Of course, it was because of Rick that she had been so loath to leave Blakesville. When for weeks you've seen somebody every day and grown to count the days solely for him, when no other person matters and all your emotions are bound up (such emotions as you never knew you had!) in the mere fact of his living and breathing and responding to your love—then even the briefest separation seems intolerable; you have the terrible fear that some

In Hollywood

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD—(NEA)—Archangel Michael was puffing on a pipe and looking over the racing form. The Devil was reading "Freckles and His Friends."
"What's new?" we asked.
"The Archangel, better known as Robert Cummings, said he was tired. 'A late poker game with the boys,' he explained.
The Devil, known to movie fans as Gerald Mohr, the hero of the Lone Wolf series, said he was worried. He didn't have his wife's Christmas present yet.
No wonder we're confused.
Betty Grable's legs, Gable's ears and Marlene Dietrich's latest boyfriend are no longer big news in the Hollywoods. They have been replaced by the Archangel Michael's latest witty saying, by Clarence, the angel second class, by heavenly girls, and by ghostly spirits with press agents, yet.

It's the latest movie cycle—Hollywood has discovered heaven and the Archangel Michael is in more pictures than the Gables the Powers and the Flynns. The minor angels already are campaigning for a local union.
And to be a columnist in Hollywood today you have to wear wings. (I've got mine ordered, but they're like everything else these days. I can't get delivery until March.)
Let's take a look at what's happening.
FILMLAND GOES ANGELIC
In the Frank Capra-Jimmy Stewart picture, "It's a Wonderful Life," Jimmy's guardian angel (Henry Travers) comes down from heaven to help solve Jimmy's worldly problems. Clarence is the fellow's name, and he's an angel second class—because he never won his wings.

There's "Eddie and the Archangel," which Edward A. Golden is about to produce for RKO. A newspaperman, told that he is about to die, has one last big fling on earth and goes to heaven to talk things over with the Archangel.
In "The Miracle of the Bells," a priest sees the Archangel Mike returned to earth in the form of a press agent.
David Niven returns to earth as an angel to help Bishop Cary Grant out of his financial difficulties, in "The Bishop's Wife." But when he starts making romantic passes at Teresa Wright, the bishop gets mad.
In "Stairway to Heaven," an English picture co-starring Niven, Raymond Massey and Kim Hunter, heaven is in technicolor and a heavenly tribunal descends to a black-and-white earth to judge whether an RAF flier must die on an operating table.
But the Archangel Michael's in-

vading a western plot in a Montana mining-town, in "Heaven: Only Knows" is the latest trick of them all. Robert Cummings is the Archangel in this one, with the Devil trying to wreck his plans.
ANGEL INVADES WILD WEST
The opening scene shows consternation in the auditing department of heaven. An error has been found in the book of life. Through an oversight, one man is rattling around on earth without a soul—a man named Duke Byron (Brian Donlevy).
Duke's original destiny was brilliant. He was to have been a founder of the state of Montana, a great contributor to the community, married, the father of three children and a credit to his Maker.
But because his destiny wasn't properly entered in the book, Byron is now a cold, ruthless killer running a saloon in a town called Glacier in the territory of Montana. The heavenly authorities decide that some-

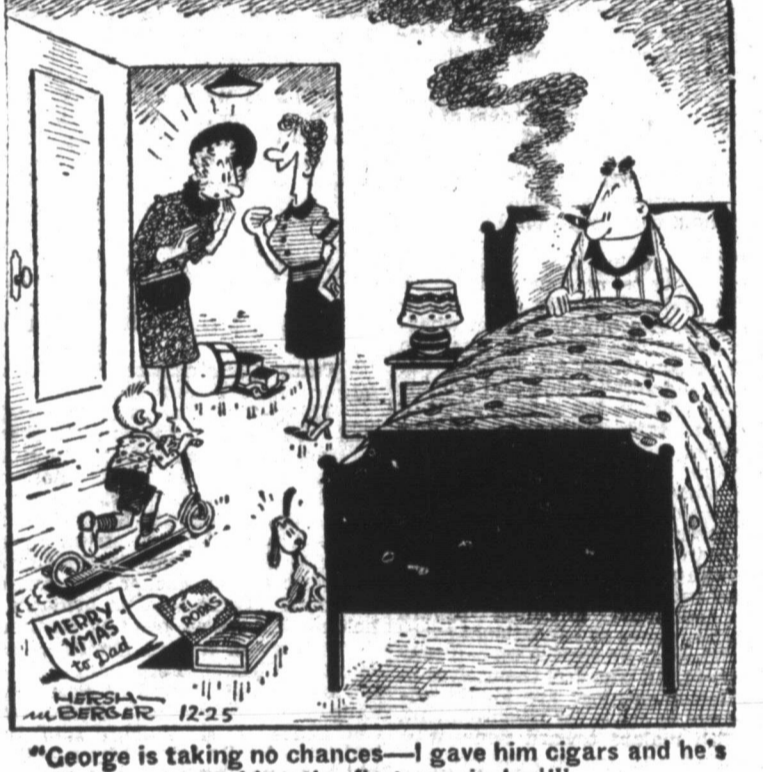
body must go down to earth and help Byron find his soul so that his destiny can get back on the right track.
George Washington became President of the United States at the age of 57.

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Leaves From a Correspondent's Life Notebook

By HAL BOYLE
ACROSS THE RIVER FROM CINCINNATI—(P)—The little old lady in the black hat sat alone at the table.
She seemed out of place in this dimly lit "night club" that would have confused immeasurably one of the picturesque gamblers who "cut the yards" on the old river steamers.
For in those halcyon days gambling was strictly a man's diversion. But the new illegal gambling emporiums clustered in Northern Kentucky have cozy attractions designed to take dollars from every member of the family strong enough to work a slot machine levee. Women with walking children are welcome.
The husband of the little old lady in the black hat was in the main "big money" room. But the thoughtful management of this department-store-gambling den wasn't neglecting her. No, her turn was

FUNNY BUSINESS



"George is taking no chances—I gave him cigars and he's smoking the first one in bed!"

coming.
When the lights came up, however, men bussed through the room selling bingo board. Her eyes lighted up. She pulled a dollar from her small black purse and bought a board.
This was what she had been waiting for the game the owners thought up to pacify the wives.
A tall pleasant-voiced young man climbed to the stage and began rotating a wire cage and calling out the numbered markers as they came out.
The faded cheeks of the little old lady crimsoned as she earnestly covered the numbers on her board. Several \$25 prizes were won by others. Near the close of number-calling for the \$200 prize, she was close to winning. She became excited. Her black hat slid to one side of her white hair. She had only one number to take, when someone yelled "Bingo."
The old lady sighed in disappointment. But she had had a good time. She sipped a little water, got up and went out to collect her husband, her sweet old face smiling with the memory of the money she had almost won. Armed in her last century innocence, she had no idea that she and the scores of other wives in the room were nothing more but "come-on girls" for the management.
"The house probably doesn't make a penny off the bingo," a Cincinnati friend told me, "but it keeps the ladies occupied while their husbands are betting their shirts off in the other room."

Funeral Rites Held For Panhandle Woman

PANHANDLE, (Special)—Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church here for Miss Maude May Cannedy, 59. Burial was at the Panhandle Cemetery with the Rev. L. E. Godwin and the Rev. Herbert Brown officiating.
Pallbearers were Oliver Russell, Ernest Russell, Herbert Sullivan, Carl Metcalf, V. D. Biggs, Porter Brown, H. N. Munro and Ernest Russell.
She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: J. H. Panhandle, O. F. Florence, Ariz.; K. I. Greenville, Euk.; E. P. Eakin, N. M.; Mrs. Fred Reiner, Panhandle; and Mrs. A. O. Howard, Childress. The parents preceded her in death.

Film Producer's Wife 'Best Dressed Woman'

NEW YORK—(AP)—Mrs. Howard Hawks, wife of the film producer, has been selected by 150 fashion editors, stylists and social celebrities, as the best dressed woman in the world—much to her delighted surprise.
She told Hollywood newsmen who informed her of her selection that most of the judges "have never seen me—maybe that's why they selected me."
"If they ever saw me running around in my blue jeans and wild shirts they might change their minds," he added.
Runner-up in the 1946-47 list announced yesterday by the New York Dress Institute was the Duchess of Windsor, who once topped the annual list and last year dropped to 10th place.
Followed in order in the "ten best dressed" list were: Mrs. Cushing Mortimer (former Barbara Cushing, sister of Mrs. Vincent Astor and Mrs. John Hay Whitney); Mrs. Byron Foy; Mrs. Thomas Shevlin; Mrs. Millicent Rogers; Mrs. Harrison Williams; Mrs. William Rhinelanders Stewart; Mrs. William Paley; and Mrs. Clare Boothe Luce.
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BLACK EYE PEAS Kimball, No. 2 can 19c	NIL Pint 79c	PRUNES Med-Hunt's, 1-lb. box, 2 for 51c
WHEATIES Kix-Cherrios, 3 boxes 33c	AMMONIA Parsons, 10-oz. bottle 10c	RAISINS Hunt's, 1-lb. box, 2 for 61c
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APPLES Fancy Romes, bushel basket \$3.95	GRAPEFRUIT Marsh Seedless 10-lb. mesh bag 39c
TOMATOES Texas Vine Ripened, lb. 19c	

Sub Deb Club Has Holiday Party In Home

The Sub Deb Club were guests in the home of Angela Duncan for a lovely Christmas party Monday evening.

The Christmas theme was used in the decorating scheme and gifts exchanged from a brightly lighted tree.

Refreshments of Christmas cookies, nuts, candy and punch were served to Dorothy Dixon, Jean Patton, Margaret Price, Phyllis Shleg, Mercedes Roberts, Margie Dixon, Cassa Sloan, Donna Beagle, Johanne Sue Hart, Patsy Pierson, Pat Price, Carol Culbertson, Joan Thompson, Carol Perkins, Margie Sloan, Avis Kelly, Ida Ruth Taylor, Patsy Brantson, Maki Frasier, Betty Barrett, and guests Martha Kelly and Patsy McWhorter.

Panhandle Couple Celebrate 28th Wedding Anniversary

PANHANDLE — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sparks were host and hostess at a 9 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of their 28th wedding anniversary. Sharing the honors were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox of Long Beach, Calif., who were married the same day in a double ceremony.

Guests were Marvin Sparks and Mrs. Sparks and their four children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Metcalf, Panhandle; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox, Wayne and Clifford Cox, Austin, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jolly and children, Berger, and Mrs. Bertie Dickson, Berger. Mr. Jolly is a brother of Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. Cox.

First Baptist Class Has Christmas Party

Members and guests of the Martha Class of the First Baptist church were entertained recently, with a Christmas party, at the home of Mrs. E. A. Scott.

Beulah Claus in person welcomed the guests with Mrs. E. H. Orr presiding at the register.

Mrs. Tom Duval led the opening prayer and Mrs. N. B. Ellis led a group of Christmas carols.

Mrs. R. L. Edmondson told the Christmas story.

The quilt this group has been making for Boys Ranch was completed and forwarded with Christmas greetings.

Games entertained and gifts were exchanged around a gay Christmas tree.

Refreshments of fruit cake, whipped cream and coffee were served to Misses H. A. Gilliland, Clyde Batson, R. E. Gaddin, Homer Taylor, R. E. Anderson, Roy Holt, R. W. Tucker, Roy Chilton, M. E. Gurley, Floyd Yeager, W. J. Hatcher, Orville Batson, Virgil Calloway, Loyd Bennett, Ernest Baird, Harold Threshill, Elna Giles, W. B. Murray, J. P. Whisman, E. V. Davis, C. E. Powell, A. Z. Griffin, H. M. Stobbs, I. E. Byars, L. C. Vaughn, J. M. Haggard, E. L. Farmer, Joe E. Foster, E. B. Anderson, Hugh Ellis, W. E. Bell, A. A. Day, and those mentioned above.

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Church of the Brethren To Present Program

On Friday night at 7:30 the young people of the Church of the Brethren will present a good will Christmas play at the St. Mark's C. M. E. church on Elm street. This play was written by Dorothy Clark Wilson and is entitled, "No Room in the Hotel."

The cast is made up of Mary Lou Massey, Barbara Carruth, Maxine King, Wallace West, Eleanor Carruth, Donald Mack West, Richard King, Ronald Rice, Bob Parkinson and Russell West, Jr.

Proceeding the play there will be a period of inspirational music. Virginia Lee West will give a reading, entitled, "Christmas Days of Long Ago," by Frank Carleton Nelson. The program will be directed by Rev. W. L. Smith, pastor of the St. Mark's church and Rev. Russell G. West, pastor of the Church of the Brethren. All people are cordially invited. Rev. West announces.

Buffet Supper Honors Fidelis Matrons Class

The Fidelis Matron class of Calvary Baptist Church sponsored a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Keller Briscoe, with Mrs. Frank Slaten as hostess.

Christmas carols were used for the decorating scheme.

Games entertained and a buffet supper was served from a linen-covered table centered with lighted Christmas candles, presided with holly.

After the supper gifts were exchanged and more games were enjoyed.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pixler and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Collins Webb and Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Wilford, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lowe, Shirley and Bobby; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Humphries, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Fort, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slaten and Jerry, Lois and Hester Della Briscoe.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Parker, Phillip and Susan of Berger.

One Reported Dead In Bombay Fighting

BOMBAY (AP)—One person was reported killed and five injured during the night as a result of sporadic outbreaks of communal violence marked by repeated police gunfire.

Police said they had to fire to quell outbreaks of acid and stone throwing which developed in clashes between Hindus and Muslims. The lone fatality was the result of a knife, but the five persons listed as injured were wounded during the shooting.

Seven arrests were reported by police.

Build It Yourself Ends Housing Problem

RICHMOND, Va.—(AP)—Major William F. Tucker, who served 37 months in the transportation corps in Europe, came to Richmond to enter the Medical College of Virginia. He couldn't find a house or an available contractor.

So Tucker, himself, applied for a building permit.

"Have you ever built a house?" he was asked.

"No," replied Tucker, "but I can learn."

Today, the house, to be a story and a half, with five rooms downstairs and three rooms upstairs, is well underway, being built by Tucker and three GI helpers all still dressed in uniform. Tucker drew the plans from ideas he found in magazines.

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Miss Aura Jane Rook Is Christmas Bride of Milton Clement, Shamrock

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Miss Aura Jane Rook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rook, of this city, became the bride of Mr. Milton Clement, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Clement of near Shamrock, Friday evening, Dec. 20, at the First Christian church.

Vows were exchanged in a single ring ceremony with Minister Bedford W. Smith, pastor, officiating.

The bridal aisle was lighted with three-branched candelabra. Cathedral tapers, lighted by the ushers, Messrs. Mervell Stagg and Elvin Clay, burned in wrought iron floor candelabra and garlands of blue spruce and potted poinsettias completed the beautiful setting.

Messrs. James Griswold, James Paul Stribling and Kenneth Anderson sang "Always" accompanied by Mrs. Glenn White. Mrs. White played "I Love You Truly," and the traditional wedding marches for the professional and recessional.

Miss Betty Jo Ray was maid of honor, and Miss Dorothy Ann Purcell and Mrs. Mervell Stagg were bridesmaids. The attendants wore street-length dresses of light weight wool in pink, light blue and aqua shades. They wore sequin bandeaux and carried colonial bouquets.

The bride entered on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. She wore a winter white wool dress, trimmed with gold sequins accented with brown accessories, and a white felt hat with brown trim. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations and satin streamers.

Mr. Carl Clement served his brother as best man.

Mrs. Rook was attired in a dress of black crepe, and Mrs. Clement, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy blue suit. They wore corsages of pink carnations.

Immediately following the wedding the couple left for a trip, after which they will make their home in Shamrock.

Mrs. Clement is a graduate of Shamrock High School and the bridegroom attended school in Wellington.

Joint Birthday Party Honors Shamrock Girls

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Mary Letitia Carver and Jan Puckett were complimented with a party by Mrs. Vernon Carver Sunday afternoon.

The occasion was the anniversary of the sixth birthday of Mary Letitia and Jan was given a shower of gifts since she is moving with her parents to Sayre, Okla., to make her home.

The youngsters arrived with gifts for both of the honor guests. Games provided entertainment throughout the afternoon.

At refreshment time the birthday cake was served with ice cream.

Children attending the party included: Judy Mundy, Cheray Tisdal, Nona Pendleton, Peggy Mallow, Marilyn Benth, Judy Ann Perrin and Linda Sue Isaacs.

Governor Will Not Rule on Clemency

AUSTIN (AP)—Gov. Coke R. Stevenson has indicated he will not be ready to rule on a clemency protest from Anderson county until after Dec. 30.

Remission of jail sentence and reduction of fine for Marshall Moric of Palestine was vigorously protested by Anderson county Attorney V. L. Pitman at a hearing here Tuesday.

At that time, Stevenson said he also wanted additional testimony from backers of the clemency, including state Senator Kyle Vick of Pampa. He gave Vick until Dec. 30 to file any additional testimony he may wish to offer.

Stevenson said he would rule after that time.

Bull Halsey Named To Company Board

CARLISTE, Pa. (AP)—Fleet Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr., has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Carlisle Tire and Rubber Company.

Company President Purber Marshall, who announced the election of the famed Pacific naval leader at a Christmas party for employees, said Halsey has been relieved of active participation in naval affairs at his own request after 46 years' service.

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Christmas Party For Kingsmill Young People

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Blair of Kingsmill, entertained a group of young people at a Christmas party, Monday evening.

Games entertained and gifts were exchanged around a gayly lighted tree.

They sang carols by candle light and refreshments were served to Mary Mathieu, Marie Davis, Ray Carol Bartz, Barbara Blair, Jo Muri Keel, Basia Turner, Buddy Reno, Elsie Boyd, Eleanor Smith, Doris Walker, Jimmie Keel, Amos Harris, Jr., and Elsie Harris.

The group later went caroling to neighboring communities.

Baker School Pupils Present Christmas Play

The Baker school auditorium was filled with members, Thursday afternoon, when the first grade pupils entertained with a colorful Christmas play featuring the characters of the Mother Goose nursery rhymes.

In bringing the devotional Mrs. Sherman White, read the second chapter of St. Luke and told the story of the birth of Christ.

The group joined in the singing of Christmas carols, and the play completed the program.

Mrs. E. M. Culbertson gave a report of the P-T-A state convention.

Following the brief business session the group adjourned for a social hour in the basement cafeteria.

Mrs. J. C. Largent and Mrs. W. F. Slaten served refreshments of coffee and doughnuts.

Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Mrs. F. E. Elber has as holiday guests her son, Erhan Elber, student of UCLA, California, and her daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jones, and son, Billy, of Gulf Port, Miss.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lee Barrett of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mrs. Ramona Matheny, student of TSCW, Denton are guests in the C. C. Matheny home. Mrs. Barrett is a member of the Matheny's.

New location of Pampa Business College is 408 East Kingsmill, O. H. Foster, Owner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Burquest 413 N. Carr, spent Christmas with their parents in Wellington.

Clegg's instant ambulance, P. 254. Loyal Camp spent Christmas with her parents in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bowen spent the holidays in Ardmore, Okla.

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Mrs. Carl Jones, 1132 N. Russell has, as her holiday guest, her mother from Sterling, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Forsa are spending the holidays in Guymon, Okla.

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Mrs. Dean Cason and daughter Sonja, spent Christmas with relatives in Wellington.

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Oliver Trimble spent the Christmas holidays with his parents at H. Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trosle of Shamrock spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stark visited their daughter at Kellerville, Tex., over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Bearden and sons, spent the holidays with her relatives in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gilstrap spent the holidays in Berger with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Pendergrass are the parents of a baby daughter born Dec. 25 in the Worley hospital.

Fueck Love is a patient in the Worley hospital undergoing an appendicitis operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trosle spent the holidays with his parents at Shamrock.

Rev. Gordon Bales of Miami preached at the Central Baptist Church Wednesday night at the "People Power Night" service in the absence of their pastor Rudolph G. Harvey.

Doris Fae Duniven of Miami visited in Pampa Wednesday night.

Mrs. Nellie Winston and daughter of Wichita, Okla., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wainwright this week.

Christmas Party Entertains Club

MOBETTIE—(Special)—The Blue Bonnet Study Club were guests of Mrs. E. E. Johnston Thursday, Dec. 19 for their annual Christmas program and exchange of gifts.

Mrs. J. M. Boswell read "The Night Before Christmas," Mrs. Willard Godwin gave a Christmas story, "The Gift Revealed" and Mrs. Matthews led the group in singing Christmas carols.

Delicious refreshments of chicken salad, pickles, hot rolls, fruit cake with whipped cream, and coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames John Dunn, Tracy Willis, Dick Brown, Buck Scribner, Willard Godwin, H. E. Matthews, Mayme Patterson, Austin Caldwell, Allen Leonard, J. M. Boswell, and the hostess, Mrs. E. E. Johnston.

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Tips for Teens

Sparks fly in most homes when the question "How old for dates?" comes up. It's usually more like a battle than a question, more often an argument, loud and long, instead of a discussion.

At the risk of going "way out on a limb" between parents and "teens," here's an answer to the question, "At what age may girls and boys begin to have dates?"

It seems common sense to us that when girls and boys are old enough to go to high school, they're old enough to go to high school doing—football and basketball games, club affairs and dances—if they prove they can be trusted to come home on time until a reasonable time after the affair is ended. Movie dates must wait until your parents think best; most of them agree on sophomore year in high school.

School activities are almost as important, in some ways, as studies, for they help to teach sportsmanship, leadership and poise. They help to teach how to get along with other girls and boys, how to work and play together, taking part in community life. All this helps to make you a well-rounded personality and a good citizen and should help to make you remember that there are millions of others in this world besides you.

That's what school activities are for. They're not planned just by students, but are carefully planned, supervised and approved by faculty, school board and Parent-Teacher Association. They're the normal beginning of "teen" life and girls' social and community life.

So run along and have fun—and don't forget to come home on time so you can go again.

Miss Stewart Becomes Bride of Robert H. Ware

PANHANDLE — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart of Oklahoma City announce the marriage of their daughter, Lorean Stewart Medlin, to Robert H. Ware, son of Mrs. Frank Ware and the late Mr. Ware of Panhandle.

The ceremony was performed Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, in the chapel of the First Christian church with the pastor, Rev. James Todd, officiating.

After a wedding trip the couple will be at home on their farm west of Panhandle.

Jean Franklin Has First Birthday Party

Jean Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Franklin, was given a surprise birthday party Dec. 21 in the home of her parents, celebrating her first birthday.

A birthday cake decorated in pink and blue, and ice cream were served to Rochelle and Dwayne Smith, Sue and Darrel Franklin, Janice Franklin, Mrs. Cliff Rutherford, and Mrs. Allan Smith.

Those sending gifts were Glenda Sue Rutherford, Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith of White Deer, and Henry Kolb.

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Joyce DeWitt Has Birthday Party

MOBETTIE—(Special)—Joyce DeWitt gave Emma Nell Wright a surprise birthday party amid decorations of red and green Dec. 20.

Parlor games were played and afterwards popcorn balls, cookies and cocoa were served to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worthington and Evelyn and Charles, Patsy Johnston, Edna Ruth Meadows, Mary Ruth Jeffus, Hayward Romines, Jay Wallis, C. H. and Joyce Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. DeWitt, Jr., Mrs. J. Y. Wright and George Arthur, Oda Jean and Reba, and the honoree Emma Nell Wright and the hostesses Mr. and Mrs. J. W. DeWitt, Sr., Joyce, and Noel.

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Americans Take First Singles in Davis Cup Meet

MELBOURNE (AP)—Ted Schroeder's smashing upset victory over John Bromwich and Jack Kramer's easy triumph over Dinky Pails in the opening matches of Davis Cup play today virtually extinguished Australia's hopes of retaining the International Tennis Trophy.

The two Americans, trying to bring the symbol of world tennis supremacy which has been held Down Under since 1939, team up tomorrow to meet with Bromwich and Adrian Quist in a doubles match which could—and should—clinich the cup for the United States.

It was Schroeder's genuinely great triumph over the two-handed swinging Bromwich in the first match of the series which set the tone for Australian gloom. About the only comfort the Aussies could find was in the memory of the last Davis Cup matches in 1939, when they won the cup after losing the first two singles encounters.

Seldom in the history of tennis has a player of any country given a greater demonstration of gameness and sheer determination than did Schroeder in turning back Bromwich, 3-6, 6-2, 0-6, 6-3. Kramer beat Pails in straight sets, 8-6, 6-2, 9-7.

Never for an instant in the long grueling struggle did Schroeder relax the pressure. If he had, it probably would have been fatal, for Bromwich always was waiting and ready to pounce if given an opportunity.

The Big crowd in Kooyong Stadium gave Schroeder a tremendous five-minute ovation after he sliced the last winning placement past Bromwich. And that placement was symbolic of the match. Schroeder scored 52 placements in the match, to only 27 for Bromwich, and blasted many of them when he needed them most.

Kramer, on the other hand, had a far easier time with Pails, hitting terrific drives to the corners. He discovered he could beat Pails without going to the net, or exerting himself overmuch. When Pails tried to attack Kramer wired clean placements passed him.

Kramer, like Schroeder, began applying heavy pressure from the outset, but he did not rush the net as consistently as did Schroeder. Pails produced a final cannonball service and scored repeated aces in the first set, but he never looked like a winner and before the end Kramer was coring clean winners from the baseline.

PAID IN RICE
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Pampa Plays State Champs in Tourney

Their "backs to the wall" in their first tournament start this year, the Pampa Harvesters square off against the defending state champion Crozier Tech Steers of Dallas in the opening round of the Dallas invitation basketball tourney tonight.

Thirty-two teams are entered in the meet with Tech, North Side of Fort Worth, Greenville, Adason of Dallas and Lamar of Houston regarded as the outstanding teams.

The sixteen first round games will be played today at Dal-Hi and Perkins field houses with the finals scheduled for Tuesday, December 31.

The Harvesters left here by bus this morning and will remain at Dal-Hi until they are eliminated from the tournament.

Should Pampa lose to Tech, however, the Harvesters will still go into the consolation bracket, which plays for third place in the tournament.

Tomorrow, the first round winners will meet in games at Dal-Hi with the losers hooking up in the consolation bracket at Perkins gym on the Southern Methodist University campus. Succeeding games, on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, will be held at the Dal-Hi gym.

Dal-Hi Gym
Noon today—Deaton vs. Sherman.
1:15—North Dallas vs. Greenville.
2:30—Forest (Dallas) vs. Highland Park (Dallas) vs. Bryan.
3:45—Sumner (Dallas) vs. Bryan.
6:00—Adason (Dallas) vs. Lamar (Houston).
7:15—Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) vs. Denison.

Perkins Gym
Noon today—Bailey vs. Price.
1:15—Buckner vs. East Mountain (Gilmer).
2:30—Garland vs. Duncanville.
3:45—Winnboro vs. Avinger.
6:00—Blossom vs. Mesquite.
7:15—Jett (Dallas) vs. Plano.
8:30—Ennis vs. Pleasant Grove (Dallas).
9:45—Gladewater vs. Malakoff.

Pampa will take a record of four victories and one loss into the tournament.

The Harvesters opened the season with a 40-25 victory over Morse; lost to Hollis, Okla., 36-17, and defeated Childress, 33-27, Kress, 48-17, and Ada, Okla., 31-20.

Three regulars are running a merry race for team high scoring honors, with Captain Bill Speer topping the list on a total of 38 points.

George Gambin and Charlie Laffoon are close behind, Gambin with 35 points and Laffoon with 33. Their only competitor is Carrel Davis, who has 16 points. Davis is the younger brother of Earl Dean Davis, Harvest star of two years ago.

Sports Round-Up
By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
NEW YORK (AP)—There's a hot basketball debate raging hereabouts as to whether Oregon, which handed NYU its worst Garden routing, could beat Kentucky. But Wyoming and Utah may burst into it before the week is over.

The Utes have four of their 1944 national champion team back in action but they haven't found the right chemistry yet. Wyoming, with its temperamental scoring, offers five-foot, eight-inch Jimmy Reese as its scoring star. Some claim he's even better than Kenny Sailors.

OH, BROTHER
Athletes' "family style" at Lehigh U. include Edwin Eriksen on the wrestling team and Frank and Karl Reinhardt on the basketball team. During the football season Coach Bill Leckonby had to deal with Richard and Russell Jones in Weissport, Pa., and Charles and Garvin Jones of Havertown, Pa., as well as three Heck brothers, Guy, Theodore and Williams. And they still couldn't win, by Heck.

END OF THE LINE
When the Boston Celtics of the Basketball Association of America bought Dutch Garfinkle from the Rochester Royals of the National League the other day, it was the first recorded inter-league sale of a cage star. Dutch was waived out of the National—and not on personal grounds.

Eddie Miller, Famed Red Shortstop, Quits
CINCINNATI (AP)—Eddie Miller, recognized as one of baseball's best shortstops during his four years' service with the Cincinnati Reds, plans to hang up his spikes for good.

Quail Breaks Neck Against Man's Gun
JOPLIN, Mo.—(AP)—Quail hunting with a friend, Gene Hatfield leveled his gun on a bird as it rose in a flush, but he didn't have to shoot.

Playing Game To Be 'Relief' To Tired Arkansas

WACO (AP)—Playing in the Cotton Bowl game at Dallas against Louisiana State New Year's Day will be a relief to members of the University of Arkansas squad.

It will mean the end of those endless laps—the running that hard-working John Barnhill requires of his men in football.

A statistician from the university has figured it out: the Razorbacks have run 21,000 100-yard laps, which is 1,761 miles and then some since last March 18 when spring training started. All the cross-country men in the Southwest Conference combined haven't run that much.

Barnhill told the Porkers before grid practice began:

"Boys, you will miss me all season long for what I will exact from you, but when it is all over, you will thank me."

The Razorbacks haven't gotten around to thanking Barnhill yet. They figured it out: they and faced a lot of laps in practice sessions leading up to their departure Dec. 31 for Dallas and the bowl game.

Even next Sunday you can expect the grinders from Fayetteville to be doing some running. Barnhill requires three laps on Sunday afternoon without the coaches being present. It's just an honor system and the boys graciously do it.

But the running already has paid off. Arkansas, rated as one of the toughest teams in the country, always is best in the stretch. If you don't beat the Porkers in the first half, you might as well go home. It is one of the most superbly-conditioned teams the Southwest Conference ever saw.

That's why it is for the championship to get the Cotton Bowl bid.

Playing Louisiana State in the Cotton Bowl is going to be a picnic compared to what the boys have gone through with in training. Why they will only be a football game. They can't run much more than a half-mile in a football game.

Texas Team May Be High Scorer

FORT WORTH (AP)—What's the highest-scoring football team this season in America?

The St. James high school team of Fort Worth is putting in a claim for the honor.

The Redskins have romped to 563 points in 14 games—an average of 40.2.

And they'll have the opportunity of adding to it here Dec. 31 when they meet Irouma High of Baton Rouge, La., in a Charity Bowl game sponsored by the Fort Worth Cancer Society.

Before last week-end when St. James beat Cathedral of El Paso 65-6 for the Texas Catholic high school championship, Central High of Little Rock, Ark., had claimed the national record with 548 points in 14 games.

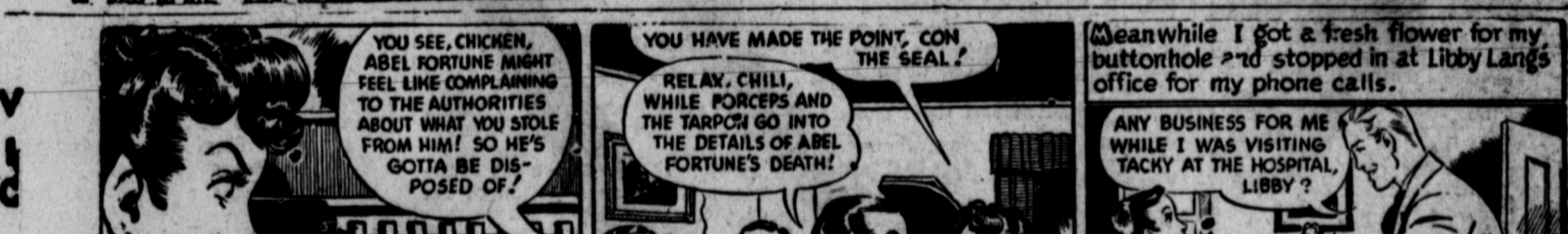
Central also has another game to play—with Holy Cross Catholic high school New Year's Day at Little Rock.

Wichita Falls Exes Defeat Vernon, 9-0
WICHITA FALLS (AP)—A touchdown and a safety, both scored in the final two minutes of the game, gave the Wichita Falls Cowboys a 9-0 victory over the former stars of the Vernon Lions here yesterday in the Legion Bowl football game.

Billy Pyle, University of Texas freshman, scored in two plays from the kick-off that followed, Vernon's Sugar Bowl game because of a refigurement of the pulled muscle that kept him out of the Georgia Tech tussle.

Southern Runs Over Tuskegee Team, 64-7
DALLAS (AP)—Operating from a T-formation that had speed, precision and power, Southern University of Baton Rouge, La., reeled off ten touchdowns yesterday afternoon to whip favored Tuskegee Institute of Alabama, 64-7, in the first Yam Bowl football game. Three other Southern touchdowns were called back because of penalties. Some 5,000 fans saw the game.

Notre Dame Center Married at McAllen
MCALLEN, Texas (AP)—George Strohmeyer, Jr., center of Notre Dame's 1946 football team, and Miss Janis Brown, South Bend, Ind., were married here Christmas Eve in a surprise ceremony. The Rev. George Doyle officiated.



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Mrs. P. B. Wright Is Hurt in Wreck

Mrs. P. B. Wright, 925 East Twelfth, was injured in an automobile accident Christmas Eve night. It was reported this morning she was said to be suffering from three fractured ribs and shock.

The accident occurred at approximately 10:30 on Highway No. 152, five miles east of Mobeetie, when the 1941 DeSoto coupe driven by P. B. Wright was in side-swipe collision with the 1940 Oldsmobile coach driven by Harley Rackley, 921 North East 8th Street, Oklahoma City, Highway Patrolman stated this morning.

Total damages to the cars has been estimated at \$1,200. The Wright family, Mr. and Mrs. Wright and their daughter, Mary Beth, were enroute to Breckenridge to visit relatives.

Law Passes Out Legal Presents

As the Christmas dawn broke across the horizon, law enforcement officers and the minor judiciary got into the swing of the holiday with legal Christmas presents. At least nine persons indulged too freely with liquid Christmas cheer on the night of December 24. Picked up by police and sheriff's deputies they spent the night in both city and county jails.

Four of the imbibers were let go Christmas morning by Corporation Judge Clifford Braly, while Sheriff G. H. Kyle unlocked the county jail doors for five others.

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THE STORY: Contrary to her expectations, Rose is enjoying the trip to Washington. Mrs. Bannock, the chaperon, is especially taken with her, is anxious for Rose to meet her very eligible nephew, Dixon Thayer. But Rose isn't interested.

ROSE wore her pink dress to the dance; it was the best thing she had, a skirt of tiered net flounces, a bodice of frothy tulle just the shade of a sea shell. In Lahr's notion department she had bought an artificial water-lily exactly matching the exquisite pink of the dress. She fastened the water-lily into her hair, which was pompadoured and curled down to the nape of her neck.

Rose was vague about how they got to the hall. There was a vast white building with a vaulted portico, steps to be climbed, a foyer swarming with women, young and old, in evening gowns and veils, and men doffing top hats and bowing. Then more steps, a cloakroom, at last a hall which was all flowers, banners and polished floor—quite like fairyland.

A receiving line stretched across the hall; the delegates, fifty strong, and their chaperons, took their places in it; then as if at a signal, people began filing past, hundreds of people, whose hands Rose shook and passed along to the delegate next in line. From her wrist dangled a green silk cord and on the cord was a little vellum-covered dance program in which certain of the gentlemen had scribbled hieroglyphic initials.

THE grand march. . . . Rose, keeping close to Mrs. Bannock.

Man Dies After 100-Year Toast CHICAGO (AP)—Leo Kropiewnicki, 38, following a time-hallowed Polish custom, proposed a Christmas toast in wine to his father, Joseph, 65, at a family get-together.

Westinghouse Names Research Director ELOOMFIELD, N. J.—(AP)—Appointment of Dr. Charles M. Slack as director of research for the Westinghouse lamp division was announced today by Ralph C. Stuart, vice president.

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mother made it

He said: "I'd like to meet you mother. Is she here tonight?" "Mamma? Oh no, she's at home in Blakesville. I came on with Mrs. Bannock—she's the Midwest delegates' chaperon."

THE violins made their poignant most of the song. Rose thought of Richard Breen and felt like crying. The dancers demanded an encore; but when the violins resumed, the big young man did not take Rose again into his broadcloth embrace.

THE grand march. . . . Rose, keeping close to Mrs. Bannock.

Successful Marriage In Hollywood? Here Is a Woman's Answer By BOB THOMAS HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—The Laughtons and the Quinns have a common solution to the odds against Hollywood marriages.

Sues Mrs. Truman Mrs. Nelle Noley Pearson, above, of Auxvasse, Mo., has named Mrs. Bess Truman, wife of the President, as a defendant in \$10,000 damage suit.

Legal Records Marriage Licenses Pre-Christmas vacations meant nothing to County Clerk Charlie Thut on Tuesday when he kept the marriage license office open for last minute Christmas weddings.

Man Badly Hurt in Fireworks Explosion FORT WORTH—(AP)—Marvin D. Padgett, Jr., of Handley was injured seriously last night when his fireworks sales stand was demolished in an explosion.

Local Firemen Hold Class for Miamians Fire Chief Ben White and several other local firemen held a fire fighting drill Monday night for the Miami Fire Department, in Miami.

Missing! One Set Of Islands—Nimrods ABOARD USS MT. OLYMPUS—As far as this Antarctic expedition is concerned, the Nimrod Islands are missing.

GOOD CATCH TOKYO—(AP)—Allied headquarters today reported the Japanese whaling fleet caught 30 in its first six days in the Arctic.

Deaths

(Continued from Page 1) 3. 0; Maine 3. 1. Maryland 8. 0; Massachusetts 5. 4; Michigan 8. 2; Minnesota 3. 0; Missouri 2. 0; Nebraska 1. 0; New Jersey 2. 4; New Mexico 3. 0; New York 10. 2; North Dakota 1. 0; Ohio 7. 1; Oklahoma 4. 0; Oregon 3. 2; Pennsylvania 7. 3; Tennessee 8. 0; Texas 2. 0; Vermont 1. 0; Washington 4. 1; West Virginia 5. 1; Wisconsin 4. 2; District of Columbia 0. 1.

Conspiracy

(Continued from Page 1) slaught from the totalitarian Left and "England is on route," thus leaving the United States "the main bulwark against this onslaught."

THE chief counsel said "deep inroads" already have been made in this country by the forces of Communism and "they have succeeded in entrenching themselves in government, labor and education."

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Search Resumes For Lost Plane

SAN DIEGO (AP)—Coast Guard planes and ground parties resumed the search today for a Western Airlines plane missing since Christmas Eve with 12 aboard but drizzly weather shrouded the mountain area over which the plane last reported.

Ground searchers include a party led by Rudy Frowiss, brother-in-law of Edgar Martin, Holtville, Calif., rancher, who was one of the plane's passengers.

Adams' report came to light as Rep. Rankin (D-Miss.) told reporters that one of the first choros of the un-American Activities Committee in the new congress will be to inquire into purported subversive influences in some of this country's leading educational institutions.

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POLITICAL EARLY BIRD
 The longer the journey, the greater likelihood there is of accidents. That holds as true in politics as it does in motoring or airplane riding. So it is a perilous journey of 18 months' duration that will take Harold E. Stassen to the summer of 1948, when he hopes to obtain the Republican presidential nomination.

In announcing his candidacy so early, Mr. Stassen has defied practical considerations as well as tradition. In fact, the tradition is probably the outgrowth of practicality. It is almost axiomatic that smart politicians don't do what the former Minnesota governor has done. Ever Mr. Roosevelt held back the announcement of his third and fourth-term candidacies almost till the last minute, and thus injected a measure of suspense into a foregone conclusion.

The reasons for this are obvious. There are many chances to stumble over a long course. A candidate must commit himself definitely on too many things. And he always runs the risk of the voters losing interest in him.

Further, Mr. Stassen confronts hazards peculiar to his own case. First of all, there is his chief objective of 1947—the job of trying to persuade Republican leaders in Congress to follow a legislative program that he has already outlined.

Nothing in that program is brand new. It embraces a number of bipartisan views which form a legislative basis conforming to Mr. Stassen's definition of liberalism. Some of his views are certain of majority support in the new Republican Congress. Others will probably be opposed. But in the unlikely event that his whole program is adopted, could and would he try to take credit for it?

At present Mr. Stassen seems to have a good deal of popular support. He does not, however, hold public office. He has not tested himself since 1942, when he was re-elected governor. Minnesota elected Stassen-supported men as senator and governor last fall, but that is not the same thing. Furthermore, there is little indication that the Minnesotan has great financial backing to offer in place of a guaranteed block of votes.

As we said above, smart politicians don't do what Mr. Stassen has done. But Mr. Stassen has proved himself a knowing politician in the past. Why, then, has he taken this unconventional step? The apparent reason is that he is as determined as was Wendell Wilkie that Old Guard conservatism has no place in present-day America. Politically wiser than Mr. Wilkie, he seems to be making an early and direct bid for that same popular support that carried his liberal predecessor to the top of the Republican Party.

But first he must hurdle some formidable opposition within that party. It is almost certain that Mr. Stassen would have a harder time getting nominated than elected. It is already apparent that, in the 1948 convention, he will have to match his political achievements, war record and distinguished public service of Senator Vandenberg, the impressive election victory of Governor Dewey this year, Senator Taft's powerful organization in Congress and his control of the Southern Republican delegations, and Governor Warren's great popularity on the West Coast.

Harold Stassen is out to prove that the proverb about the early bird holds good in American politics. Whether he succeeds or fails, he is certain to provide a great deal of interest, an ample serving of food for speculation, and an instructive experiment which future candidates will study with interest.

MACKENZIE'S Column

By GLENN BABB

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst
 (Subbing for Mackenzie)

All of the Western powers which believe are relaxing the ties that held their prewar empires together. France just now is finding the process most painful. In the bloody fighting that surges over broad areas of Indochina she is reaping the harvest of six decades of not very enlightened or generous colonial rule and nearly six years of tragic collapse after Hitler's 1940 triumph in the west.

It is a strange spectacle presented today in Southern and Eastern Asia. Nations which as victors in World War II divested themselves of some of their empire. This process is accompanied by expressions of desire to spread the light of freedom and self-government throughout the world. In some cases at least, skepticism is pardonable. The bald fact is that in the fight for survival against the predatory Axis powers some of the ultimate victors paid so dearly in blood, treasure and prestige that they no longer have the strength to keep faraway peoples in the subjection of pre-war times.

France, probably more than any other European power, lost "face" in Asia as the result of her tragic misfortunes between 1939 and 1945. Struck down by a European power on battlefields thousands of miles away, she had to submit for four years to the domination of her prize Asiatic colony by an Asiatic conqueror, Japan. Her role in Indochina was more humiliating than that of the British in Burma, for example, or the Dutch in Java.

The major result was that when the Japanese tide receded in 1945 it left a vacuum.

left behind in Indochina a vigorous nationalism that made it certain that French rule never could be re-established on the old basis. The Annamese, who form the bulk of the population—totaling some 19,000,000—of the three most important sections of Indochina, Tonkin, Annam and Cochinchina, turned from resistance to the Japanese to resistance to the returning armies of imperial France. So strong was this resistance that France was impelled to come to terms with it and strike a bargain, in the agreement of March 6, 1946, that recognized "the Viet-NAM republic as a free state having its government, its parliament, its army and its finances forming part of the Indochinese federation and the French Union."

In grappling with this crisis France has been handicapped by absence of a strong government at home. The Fourth Republic has just come into being after long months of indecision and conflict between evenly matched political forces. Leon Blum, the aged Socialist premier, pledges continued recognition of Viet-NAM independence but warns that things in Indochina may get worse before they are better. Blum's mandate runs only a few years. In the circumstances France's chances of retaining much of her Asiatic empire are not bright.

Gracie Reports

By GRACIE ALLEN

Well, I saw a story from Boston about Mrs. Elsie Stapleton, who advises married couples concerning their budgets, but I'm afraid Mrs. Stapleton is not going to be any help to me.

The very first thing she says is to be "optimistic and business-like" in going about your budget-making. Now, I can be either optimistic or businesslike in that situation, but I certainly can't be both.

Mrs. Stapleton said to call the entire family in on budget discussions. I tried that and all it did was give George two chances to say that a new hat for me has no place on the budget—once when we discussed it and again, later on, when I bought the hat anyhow.

I think the only scientific budget plan is for a husband to turn over his entire pay envelope to his wife and hope for the best.

One answer to radicalism is for the conservatives to learn to get along with the decent groups in the majority of American homes. —J. Tobin, president National Teachers Union.

The Russian Point of View

By DR. MELCHIOR PALYI (The Commercial & Financial Chronicle)

Editor's note: Dr. Palyi was born in Hungary. Attended universities in Switzerland and Germany. Doctor's degree from the University of Munich. Founder of the German League for free economy. Since 1935 Dr. Palyi has been in America. He has been a visiting professor for the University of Chicago.

Common Ground
 By R. O. HOLLES

"The Law of Labor"
 I want to give a summary in the next few issues of some laws that have brought on a labor monopoly that threatens to strangle industry. I am using the information compiled from an American Affairs pamphlet published by the National Inustrial Conference Board. The pamphlet, "The Law of Labor," was written by Murray T. Quigg and is extremely timely, telling briefly the history of labor laws that have organized labor given despotic power.

The first of such laws was a state law. Prior to 1842, wage earners' organizations were regarded under common law and ancient conspiracy statutes as criminal conspiracies to fix the price of labor in the market place. In 1842 the Supreme Court in an opinion delivered by Chief Justice Roger Taney, in *Commonwealth v. Hunt*, dismissed an indictment against a group of strikers and declared that a combination of wage earners to improve their own conditions and give despotic power to only members of their union by employed in the shop where they worked was not a criminal conspiracy.

This was the first break of universal law that set labor relations apart from other contractual relations. While this was only a state court decision, other states appear to have universally followed the decision.

The Knights of Labor became strong enough to have gained about a million members by 1869, but the organization collapsed after the Haymarket bomb tragedy in Chicago in 1886.

Meanwhile Samuel Gompers organized cigar workers in New York. His fundamental principle was that "the wage earners have the right to be represented by representatives of their own choosing."

There is one word in this sentence that needs watching. It has done more to confuse and change our form of government and our beliefs than almost any other word. Notice that Gompers said "earnings," not "earn" and "their own choosing." This, of course, means that the majority, and not the individual, has a right to select representatives. That is the beginning of collectivism as contrasted to individualism. It has led to the present laws that give the collective power to strangle our industry.

I quote from the pamphlet: "There developed a struggle over the use of the equity powers of the courts in labor disputes. It lasted for forty years and what happened during that struggle laid the basis for the labor law revolution that has taken place in the past fourteen years.

"In accepting jurisdiction in strike cases and issuing their orders, equity courts merely applied to labor disputes the principles applied in other fields of private conflict where property rights were involved. As one type of strike after another and one form of union activity after another came under legal scrutiny, attorneys analyzed the claimed rights of their clients, and the courts began in this arena of organized buyers and organized sellers of labor to chart the equities between the parties as they had long done in other and more familiar arenas of human conflict."

"The injunction in labor disputes first attracted national attention in the Pullman strike of 1894. Under the leadership of Eugene Debs, the head of the Socialist Party, employees of the Pullman Company went on a strike and in sympathy with their aims the operating personnel of trains leaving Chicago refused to run trains with Pullman cars.

"A federal court granted an order enjoining any persons from combining to refuse to handle trains in the course of interstate commerce and the transportation of the mails. . . . Debs violated the order of the court, was arrested and charged with contempt. He challenged the arrest by application for a writ of habeas corpus. The Supreme Court refused the writ, holding that the strong arm of the Federal Government might be used to sweep away any obstruction to interstate commerce."

Here is a very important statement issued by the Supreme Court in this case: "If a State, with its recognized powers of sovereignty, is impotent to obstruct interstate commerce, can it be that any mere voluntary association of individuals within the limits of that State has a power the State itself does not possess?"

Read that statement a second time. The Constitution prevents the states from interfering with free exchange of goods and services between the states. It prohibits tariffs between the states. Then, as the Supreme Court pointed out, why should any group of men, like the coal miners or the railroad workers, or any other group, have a right to combine to interfere with interstate commerce?

(To Be Continued)

Nowhere but in this courtroom can you see the real damage the older generation is doing to the younger.—Judge James C. Connell of Cleveland.

We are not far from the atomic energy power plant of the future. There is every expectation that the first power pile will be operating within two years.—Prof. Milton Burton, U. of Notre Dame chemist.

THOUGHTS
 For the Lord search the poor, and despise not his poverty;—Psalm 134.

NATIONAL WHIRLIGIG

WASHINGTON
 By RAY TUCKER

HATCH—Although the Republicans have fought and technically violated the Hatch Act since its enactment ten years or so ago, they will oppose the demand of its author for immediate repeal or modification of the "clean politics" law.

The G. O. P. concedes that the New Mexico Senator's legislation has not prevented or even lessened the use of money in American politics, and they doubt whether any statute can abolish such an ancient custom.

It will force the opposition to pay out real money for headquarters clerks, errand boys, typists, pamphlet folders, and have them so much less cash for the more important work of hauling in the votes.

Since price inflation has increased the cost of running political offices, clubs and headquarters, this item of maintenance and election-day operation will have more importance in 1948 than ever before. And the G. O. P. thinks that the Hatch Act's ban on government workers' electioneering will prove to be a definite asset in the next presidential contest.

WILLING—Republican critics also suspect that Senator Hatch was talking with a partisan tongue in his check when he volunteered his post-election admission that there was a "phony" "George E. Killian, Democratic National Treasurer, that the federal government finance the political expenditures of the two major parties.

Messrs. Hatch and Killian, they point out, were only too willing to enact and to try to enforce the law when the Democrats controlled the federal government, with its vast expenditures for WPA, PWA, and AAA subsidies, as well as the billions poured out to war contractors.

The Bilbo investigation, and it is not an isolated instance, shows that the beneficiaries from federal awards usually took care of their friends on Capitol Hill.

Now that there is a prospect that the G. O. P. may win the White House in 1948, together with the fact that the war chest is practically empty, the Democrats want to return to the free-and-easy methods of pre-New Deal days. Such, at least, is the Republican reaction to the Hatch-Killian program, and it explains why the G. O. P. wants to keep these "idealistic region" measures on the books until after the 1948 election, anyway.

REACTION—Senator Robert A. Taft's apparent attempt to depict himself as a "liberal" on industrial problems has sparked an immediate and favorable reaction among powerful labor groups. A lead article in Labor, the Railroad Brotherhoods' weekly newspaper published at the Capitol, recently rejoiced over G. O. P. leaders' new caution in discussing

labor legislation: "For example," it said, "Senator Taft, just back from a vacation in South America, disappointed a battery of newspapermen who sought to badge him into an outright declaration against labor. The Ohio Senator is in line for the chairmanship of the Senate Labor Committee, but has not yet decided that he wants it."

"He said the only commitment he has made is in favor of 'financial accounting by labor unions'—"

"Senator Alben W. Barkley, Democratic floor leader, in speeches delivered in the West, has taken an equally temperate attitude. Which means, of course, that the firebrands are not going to have everything their own way when Congress settles down to the vital job of considering the labor problem."

PLEA—In view of labor's present-day demands for shorter hours and higher wages, official and unofficial circles have been amused by a letter which has been read at numerous Christmas cocktail parties.

The communication, a plea for work, was written to a Truman doozy in Old Georgetown, and it speaks for itself:

"Dear Madame: I take the liberty of writing you to say I should be pleased to work at the Good Will shop again this Christmas. I worked at the branch in Georgetown for five years in the furriers repair shop, getting old venter of things, rubbing them down and half-getting them in shape to sell at the Pennsylvania Avenue store."

"I cannot stand on my feet all day any more, but am in good physical condition for seventy years. I can do housework such as waxing floors, polishing brass and silver and helping around the kitchen. I used to work for Levi P. Morton and other fine families, but it is too much for me now to be around more than twelve hours a day seven days a week."

Levi Parsons Morton was Vice President of the United States from 1889 to 1893 under Benjamin Harrison the last of the Civil War Presidents.

Tennis Champ

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15 Soon	4 Kings (ab.)
16 Leer	5 Vegetable
18 Stagger	6 Stagger
18 Storeroom	7 Area measure
19 Writing fluid	8 Bad (prefix)
20 Hardens	9 Short jacket
22 New (comb. form)	10 Directs
23 Compass point	11 Precipitates
24 Street (ab.)	12 Negative word
25 Higher	13 Ermine
27 Sun god	17 Earth goddess
28 Guide	20 Peculiar
30 He served in the — Guard	21 Follow
32 Constellation	24 Italian novelist
33 Slice	44 Merit
34 Mohammedan bible	46 Smoke
36 Build	47 Advantage
39 Either	29 Hearing organ
40 King of Bashan	31 Consumed
41 Plural suffix	34 Arboreal
42 Artificial language	35 Pastry
43 Fruit drink	35 Commands
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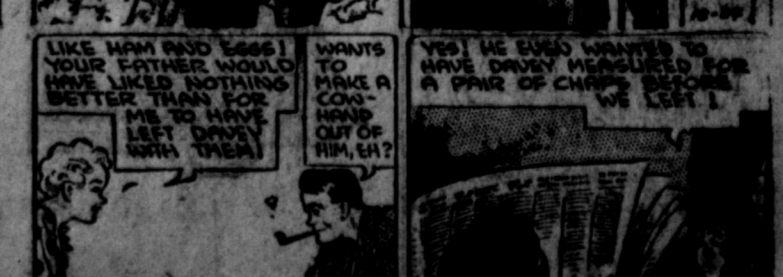
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BOOKS



BOOTS



For the Lord search the poor, and despise not his poverty;—Psalm 134.

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ROY PRICE, general hauling and moving. Local. Careful handling. 222 E. Murphy, Phone 1809-W.

CURLY BOYD, the transfer man, with Tex Evans Hauling Garage. Call 123 or 124 for hauling, moving.

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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.

Previous experience in these lines helpful but not essential. Good salary, expenses while training and two weeks paid vacation to those who qualify. Give education, family background and previous experiences in first letter. All replies confidential. Write Box 30, Pampa News, Pampa, Texas.

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625 S. Cuyler. Phone 165. (In Rear of Alpaco Construction Co.)

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Radio Service. Repair on all makes of radios. We have parts and tubes for all makes. Imperial Furniture Co. 119 N. Frost. Phone 364.

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1946 16-gauge Stevens Pump Shotgun with Poly Choke. 5 Boxes Shells. Gun is only 45 days old and has shot 7 boxes shells. Good as brand new.

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TULL-WEISS

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- UPJOHN'S UNICAPS, 100 \$2.96
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