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Rioting Breaks Out As Gandhi Dies

Line Up For Fuel



Forming a typical scene in International Falls, Minn., during the current fuel shortage a group of mill workers line up for their daily supply of fuel...

ADULT SCOUT LEADERS WILL MEET MONDAY

MONTHLY SCOUTERS POW-WOW AT CISCO AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

All registered adult Scout Leaders of Eastland and Stephens Counties are expected to participate in the monthly Scouters "Pow-Wow" at the First Presbyterian Church in Cisco Monday night Feb. 2.

Body Of John R. K. Murray To Be Home Mon. P. M.

Mrs. Alma Murray of Eastland, formerly of Olden, has been informed by the War Department in Washington that the body of her son, John R. K. Murray, who lost his life in action near Saint Low, France, on July 25, 1944, will arrive in Eastland at 6:30 P. M. Monday, Feb. 2.

GRAND JURY COMPLETES TERMS WORK

RETURNED SEVENTEEN INDICTMENTS DURING TERM; IN SESSION ONLY FOUR DAYS

The 91st District court grand jury, convened by Judge Geo. L. Davenport on December 8, reconvened Thursday and completed its work and was discharged after filing the following report:

Report Of The 11th Court Of Civil Appeals

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District for January 30:

Affirmed (Judge Grissom) Southwestern Greyhound Lines, Inc. vs. W. E. Wafer, Nolan.

Motions Submitted: Elgean Shield vs. Wesley Hall, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Mrs. Sue C. Whately vs. Edith Whately McKanna, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Charles H. Arendt, Sheriff, et al, vs. Herron Carter, joint motion to advance.

Motion Granted: Charles H. Arendt, Sheriff, et al, vs. Herron Carter, joint motion to advance.

Motion Overruler: Mrs. Sue C. Whately vs. Edith Whately McKanna, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Cases Submitted: T. C. Fambrough vs. Alex Fambrough, et al, Stephens.

J. D. Ashby, et al, vs. William David Luttrell, Erath.

C. A. Baker, et al, vs. Roy Lee Davis, Shackelford.

Ed Zimmerman vs. L. E. Hall, et ux, Erath.

Cases set for February 6, Winnie Hughes vs. J. H. Hughes, Taylor.

Texas Employers Ins. Ass'n vs. Emmett C. Wallace, Taylor.

Roy Frazitt vs. Mrs. Lillie Huckabee, et al, motion to affirm on certificate, Coleman.

Burst Water Pipes Prevent Opening Of Eastland Schools

Eastland school children were again out of school this morning, due to damaged water pipes which prevented the school building from having a supply of water.

It had been planned to re-open the schools, which had been closed two days on account of the extreme cold weather and dangerous streets and pavements covered with ice, this morning but the trouble with the water system was discovered.

Superintendent W. C. Womack stated this morning, that barring any unforeseen trouble, classes would be resumed at the usual hour Monday morning.

A few hundred wild ponies roam the Banks of North Carolina and are rounded up each year.

Youthful Professional



James Guy Hendrick Of Olden, Transfers To Columbia, S. A.

James Guy Hendrick, who has been with the Magnolia Petroleum Company for the past 22 years, left Monday for Columbia, South Africa, where he will be employed by the Colombian Petroleum Company, having been transferred there by the Magnolia from Olden, his home.

Mr. Hendrick went by train from Olden to Houston where he boarded a plane Tuesday for Miami, Florida. He was due to lay over a day in the Florida city before boarding a plane for the Colombian coast town of Baniquilla where he was scheduled to arrive on Thursday, January 29.

Mrs. Hendricks and the couple's three daughters, Miss Joyce, who is teaching in the public schools at Lamesa; Dortha, who will finish her work on her B. A. degree at Texas Technological College at Lubbock next August, and Marjorie who is at home and a student in Olden High School, plan to join the husband and father in Cucuta after his six months probationary period is over.

Hendrick was born on a farm near Santo in Palo Pinto county on February 26, 1900, where he grew up. His mother, Mrs. J. Y. Hendrick, lives at Santo. Hendrick began work for the Magnolia Petroleum Company at Olden July 28, 1925.

Hendrick's son, S-Sgt. James Q. Hendrick, with his wife and son live at Olden.

SHELLING OF PEANUTS BEGAN THIS WEEK

Many mills began shelling peanuts under Commodity Credit Corporation contracts this week in both the southeastern peanut growing states. Milling is done on a fee basis, under FO-41 contracts.

Buyers showed little interest in shelled peanuts for the trade either in the Southeast of Southwest, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports. Occasional sales brought mostly 16-3-4 cents per pound for prompt shipment in both areas.

Peanut oil weakened in the Southeast but held steady at 27 to 28 cents per pound for prime crude with five per cent refining loss. Southeastern meal markets weakened too, while the Southwest held firm at \$98 to \$100 per ton.

Limited sales of farmers' stock peanuts moved at CCC support prices in all sections, except that the better qualities brought a slight premium in the Virginia-Carolina region. Much of limited remaining supplies are of ordinary to poor quality.

Rev. Ham Gets Appointment To Baptist Board

Rev. David C. Ham pastor of the First Baptist Church in Ranger, has received word of his appointment to the executive board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Rev. Ham will represent the 17th District of the convention which includes practically all of North Texas. He explained that the board is not a policy making body but makes recommendations to the convention and then carries out the instructions of the convention.

The board meets quarterly and is subject to called meetings. Others on the board from this district are Dr. Millard A. Jenkins of Abilene, Dr. C. A. Powell of Rule, Judge E. S. Cummings of Abilene, Rev. Truman Alredge of Breckenridge and Dr. W. C. Ashford of Abilene.

Old Truth Re-Styled MEDIA, Pa. (UP)—Joseph Mielcarek, of the county domestic relations department, said there would be fewer marital mixups if men would remember that courtship is just as important after the marriage as before.

Ennis Business District Swept By Fire Today

ENNIS, Tex. Fire sweeping through a business area in Ennis today did damage unofficially at \$150,000 by Fire Marshall Evans.

The fire covered the south half of the 100 block of South Main Street.

At 9:15 A. M., the fire still was burning, but reports said the blaze was under control. It started at 1:20 A. M., from an undetermined cause.

Firemen from three towns fought the fire in 20-degree weather. There was plenty of water to combat the roaring inferno, but icy conditions made fire-fighting hazardous, the fire marshal said.

Although no major injuries to firemen were reported, many had to be treated for falls on the ice and for chilled hands and feet.

The volunteer firemen of Ennis were joined by crews from Waxahachie, 13 miles west, and Corsicana, 20 miles south. Buildings which were listed as a complete loss were White's Auto Store, McKee Supply Company, Scova's Shoe Repairing Shop, Neicy's Cafe, Boston Store, Curry's Photo Shop, Novy's Grocery, Kelsey's Drug Store, Everybody's Store, Ennis Watch Shop, and several smaller stores and offices.

Burst Water Pipes On Fifth Floor Of Bank Being Repaired

A burst water pipe on the fifth floor of the Eastland National Bank building caused considerable damage and much inconvenience to occupants of the building and patrons of the bank and other institutions housed in the building today.

The bank was open for business notwithstanding the burst pipe which workmen are engaged in repairing.

Carbon Rites For C. A. Redwine This Afternoon At 2:30

Funeral services were being held this afternoon at 2:30 at the Church of Christ in Carbon for C. A. Redwine who died Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at his home in Carbon.

Thief Softens Up MACON, Ga. (UP)—The "meanest thief" who stole Ben Manley's \$200 piano tuning tools had a soft side after all. When he learned the blind Manley could not replace the tools for several weeks because of a manufacturer's botchneck, he returned them.

BAN ON USE OF NATURAL GAS LIFTED

Restrictions on the supply of natural gas in 333 towns in Texas and Oklahoma served by the Lone Star Gas Company were lifted today, as a bright sun beamed down over the area for the first time in nearly two weeks.

The curtailment, which had forced closing of schools, shutdown of industry and business establishments, was lifted after sufficient pressure was built up overnight, the company said.

Service had been restored Thursday to bakeries and other essential industries to avert a threatened bread shortage.

As the cold wave which has gripped the entire state for the last eight days began to break up, rising temperatures were forecast for Texas today and Saturday.

Skies were expected to remain clear along the coast, where high and somewhat broken clouds still lingered.

Ending one of the most severe cold spells in the state in recent years, today was to be the first day since Jan. 22 that temperatures over most of the state were above freezing.

The U. S. Weather Bureau sounded an optimistic note that there might be several days relief from the severe cold which resulted in untold property damage and the loss of at least 26 lives in Texas.

Miss Wilda Dragoo Undergoes Third Operation Today

Miss Wilda Dragoo, who some weeks ago underwent major surgery at a hospital in Dallas and who was later removed to San Angelo where a sister resides, was to undergo an operation at 10:00 o'clock this morning in a San Angelo hospital.

Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the Eastland Methodist church, Mrs. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin, left Eastland this morning for San Angelo to be with Miss Dragoo.

Rev. Mr. Gordon told the Eastland Daily Telegram this morning that doctors at San Angelo had first said that the operation they proposed to perform, which is to be the third, could not be performed at this time, but because of the improvement of Miss Dragoo's condition, had changed their plans.

Coach Little To Leave Eastland; Going To Graham

Johnny Little, who has coached football, track and basketball in Eastland for the past two years, and who piloted the Eastland Mavericks to a class A regional championship last season, has accepted a coaching job at Graham and plans to leave Eastland for that city in March.

When asked this morning by the Daily Telegram if the report that he had accepted the Graham coaching job was correct, Little first said that the deal had not been entirely completed. When told, however, that a weekly newspaper had published the statement to that effect, quoting him, he said: "Gravine gets things out pretty quick," indicating that he had not authorized the statement and that he did not verify the facts to this newspaper, however.

Eastland Couple Celebrate 48th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brady, 209 West Sadosa, celebrated their forty-eighth wedding anniversary on January 22. The affair was a quiet one with only a few close friends, neighbors and their own children dropping in during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady were married at Parksburg, West Virginia. They have three living children as follows:

Mrs. J. E. Curtin, Detroit, Mich.; Pat W. Brady, Wyandotte, Michigan; Jack Brady, Eastland.

Mr. Brady was for many years an oil well driller and for 17 years was general superintendent for the Westbrook Oil Corporation. He retired two and one-half years ago and moved to Eastland to make their future home and since have been residing quietly at 209 Sadosa where they enjoy a nice modern home.

Before settling in Eastland Mr. and Mrs. Brady had resided at a number of places including Taylor and Monahan.



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## WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—This is the third winter since the end of the war, and still the problem of what to do with some 850,000 displaced persons who can never go home has not been licked. What's worse, it will be another three to five winters before the problem can be cleaned up. Half are women and children. Four out of five are Christians. One in five is Jewish.

These DP's are now located, roughly, 650,000 in Germany, 100,000 in Austria and 100,000 in Italy. They are kept in DP camps. They cost the U. S. nearly \$150 million last year, in food, shelter, clothing and protection. As the U. S. takes over the costs of British zones in Germany and Austria this year, the cost may go to \$230 million. Obviously, the cheapest and best thing to do is to help resettle them.

They want another chance. On only two things do they appear to be adamant. They will not return to the now-Communist dominated countries from which they came, for fear of persecution. They will not help rebuild Germany. The plight of these people is due for another American airing in coming months as Congress takes up two bills intended to admit up to 400,000 as U. S. immigrants during the next four years.

Congressman William G. Stratton (R., Ill.) has proposed that 100,000 displaced persons be admitted to this country every year for the next four years. Hearings on his bill were completed last summer. But the measure is now bottled up in a House Judiciary sub-committee under Congressman Frank Fellows (R., Me.).

Shortly before Congress recessed last July, Sen. Homer Ferguson (R., Mich.), six other Republicans and two Democrats introduced another DP bill. It would admit to the U. S. during the next four years any displaced person who could qualify under the U. S. immigration laws.

The lobby in support of these bills and the lobbies against lowering the present U. S. immigration barriers have both been heavy. Whether the Stratton or the Ferguson bill is finally adopted by Congress, or whatever compromise may be agreed on, the fate of only half of the 850,000 European DP's will be settled.

The other half of the problem must be handled ultimately by the UN International Refugee Organization. IRO is largely an American idea. It was adopted by the UN General Assembly in December 1944. The deal was that IRO would not come into being until its constitution was ratified by 15 nations.

Until that time, a Provisional Commission of the International Refugee Organization—PCIRO—was to take over the DP relief work from UNRRA. PCIRO set up headquarters at Geneva, Switzerland.

There is little that PCIRO can do, however, until more countries pay their share of the operating costs and ratify the IRO constitution. In the past year only 12 governments have acted. They are Australia, Canada, China, Dominican Republic, France, Guatemala, Iceland, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, United Kingdom and U. S.

These countries have provided, three-fourths, or \$115 million out of the \$153 million budget considered the minimum necessary to care for and resettle the refugees. The U. S. share was \$71 million this year, will be the same next year.

Nine other countries have signified their intention of coming in, but haven't formally ratified. In the meantime, the Preparatory Commission—PCIRO—is doing what little it can. General Executive Secretary of PCIRO is an American, William Hallam Tuck. His principal effort has been to get UN members to accept proportionate quotas of refugees they'll admit.

To date some 17 countries have agreed to take 300,000 DP's. Actually, they have taken only 112,000 in the past 10 months. The U. S. has taken 25,000 under regular immigration quotas. But Congress will have to act before this country can take more.

## SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON  
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The secret of the success of the New York American League organization down through the years has been the ability of the management and coaching staff to know a Yankee when they see one. And more frequently than not when the prospect was several years away, as the foxes forage say.

This is true of all consistent winners. For examples, came to the stoz system in part payment for other, and were peddled at fancy figures. Since Col. Jacob Ruppert originally built them, as Harry Frazee sold out the Red Sox, the Yankees rarely have been buyers.

Their winning way is finding and developing their own stars. For years the Cardinals were kept solvent by their sales, supplying the entire National League and occasionally turning a profitable piece of business with an American League outfit.

BRANCH RICKEY quickly transferred the balance of NL power to Brooklyn, now the fountain head of most player transactions in the elder wheel. George J. Weiss, new general manager of the Yankees, has made the development of talent his main objective since he joined the organization in 1932.

No other major league club was more representative of the farm system than the winning Bombers of 1947. No other parent club brought up so many first-year men to stay. But George Weiss has also done very well in what he calls his sideline, the disposal of surplus talent.

Weiss has sold 100 or more members of the chain for something like \$1,250,000. Minor transactions have mushroomed into \$100,000 deals. Players like Buddy Hassett, Johnny McCarthy, Bob Seeds, Eddie Miller and Vince DiMaggio, remain anonymous, said he wished to honor Mrs. Etta Willis. The bond's interest will provide a prize of \$20 a semester to a graduate of Junior High School 47, on the basis of scholarship and character.

## It Might Cause Uncle Joe To See The Light



## Wild Ducks Ignore Traffic Signs

ELGIN, Ill. (UP)—How to make ducks obey traffic signs is baffling officials of Fox River Valley communities. The signs were placed at several points to protect the wild ducks which winter in the area. Several times each day they waddle across a highway on food-seeking expeditions. The signs said: "Drive carefully Wild duck crossing." Put, complains Mayor Walter E. Miller, "the ducks no longer appear exclusively at the signs, but cross also at several other points." He reports that they have created a serious traffic hazard because of their "stiff-necked" insistence on crossing the road single file. It takes a long time for 500 ducks to waddle across the highway, Miller points out. State laws prevent harming them. If a motorist runs over one he must leave the duck there or risk a fine. So about the only thing drivers can do is wait until the ducks get across.

## Teacher Babe

Mrs. Babe Didrickson Zaharias, America's top woman athlete, is now a professional, gives golf instruction to Chief Needahbeh of the Penobscot Indian tribe at Chicago's Illinois Sportsmen's Show. The Babe says she intends to try to qualify for the Men's National Open Golf Tournament next summer.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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30 Weary  
32 Sick  
33 Malt beverage  
34 Name  
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39 Hereditary unit  
40 South Carolina (ab.)  
41 Left side (ab.)  
42 Artificial language  
43 Fiber knots  
45 Tenth parts  
50 June bug  
51 Strong wind  
53 Pull  
54 Commanded  
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57 Voids  
59 College officials  
60 Most serious  
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2 Saccharine compound  
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48 Depend  
49 Pitcher  
50 Fruit  
52 Sea eagle  
54 Bavaria (ab.)  
56 Nova Scotia (ab.)  
58 Gaelic (ab.)

# OFFICE Nurse

By Adelaide Humphries  
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Dr. Holbrook came out of his office actually mopping his forehead. Betty Jane had told her aunt. "He said he didn't believe he could keep up the pace unless he took five or ten minutes out."

THERE had been a scene that morning which had disrupted the ordered calm of Dr. Holbrook's office. It was, perhaps, unfortunate that one of Dr. Holbrook's most long-standing and promptly paying clients had caused it. However, as his office nurse, Janice Hilary, pointed out, Mrs. Stoval—Mrs. James Kidder Stoval, of the Long Island Stovals, if you please—had really been a patient long enough. "It's time we dismissed her," Janice said to Miss Willows, Dr. Holbrook's secretary. At least, Miss Willows was one of the doctor's secretaries; he had two. He also had two nurses.

It was just after lunch hour that this conversation was taking place. The four young women—Miss Willows, of course, could not properly be called young, although she strove desperately to appear so—were all engaged in it. "Dismiss anyone as important and rich as Mrs. Stoval? That would be unheard of. Imagine the stew she would stir up over that!" exclaimed Betty Jane Cox, the other nurse. Betty Jane had been employed by Dr. Holbrook for only the last few months. The other girls exchanged glances. But Miss Willows said: "Yes, I doubt if it would be wise to go quite that far. Think of all the patients who come to Dr. Holbrook through Mrs. Stoval. I doubt, Jan, if even you can get away with that."

"Oh, no?" Janice raised her dark eyebrows, then drew them together in a determined line. "Well, that's what I intend to get away with," she declared. "Mrs. Stoval cannot come into this office and raise merry H because she is kept waiting 20 minutes. She has to wait her turn the same as anyone else. Besides, it was only 17 minutes—I timed it—and she insisted it was a full half-hour. And she yelled at me as though I were so much dirt under her feet."

"No doubt she thinks you are darling," said Mrs. McKee, the other secretary. "When you have that much money, and your name is in the social register, you are likely to consider anyone who slaves in an office from 9 till 5 as so much dirt."

"Well, we'll see," Janice said, with an enigmatic little smile. She slipped down from the edge of Miss Willows' desk where she had been perched. Her quick ear had caught the sound of the door that led to the inside passage to the front office, a door no one used except Dr. Holbrook and herself, which meant that the doctor had also returned from lunch.

"In fact," Janice added, with a little smile, "we'll see about it right now." She gave Miss Willows and Mrs. McKee another significant glance, and walked out.

BETTY JANE'S pretty mouth hung open; her wide blue eyes were incredulous. She gave a small gasping sound. "You don't actually mean she'll try to get Dr. Holbrook not to allow Mrs. Stoval to come here ever again? She—she couldn't do that, could she?"

"Suppose we wait and see," Mrs. McKee said with a shrug of plump shoulders. Mrs. McKee was nice. She was Irish and inclined to be jolly, only she had a husband who, Betty Jane had learned, was no good, and a little girl whom she fairly idolized and over whom she never ceased worrying, because the child

that the town will be inundated with the construction of the Falcon Dam, being built across the Rio Grande to provide irrigation water. The mayor asked residents to bring their deeds to his office for filing claims for settlement with the government for property that will be submerged.

Mexican Town Informed It's To Be Underwater  
GUERRERO, Mexico (UP)—This little Mexican town, across the Rio Grande from Zapata, Texas, is going under water. Mayor Fabio de la Garza has posted notices telling the residents

Haven for Drunks  
ATLANTA, Ga. (UP)—Drunkards seem to have the inside track on jobs with the State Highway Department, Chief Engineer Warren Neel complained. Neel said the maintenance staff of 1,800 employes is such a political dumping ground that "often we can't fire some uninterested worker who stays drunk half the time."

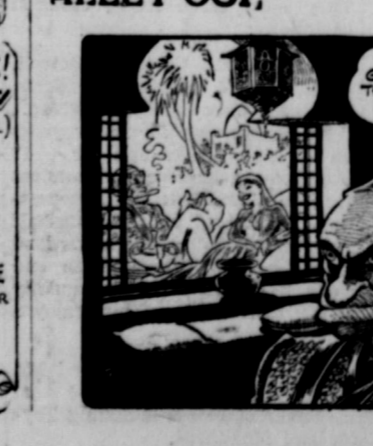
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## NOTICE

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## NOTICE MASONS

Eastland Lodge No. 467 will have work in the Master's degree, Friday night, January 23. C. J. Owens, Master

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## HELP WANTED

### I Must Get A Man

at once in this community to work with our District Manager. Must have car and be over 25 years of age. This work is in line with the Greater Food Production Program. Permanent work, good pay for man who has lived on farm. Write Box 29, Care of Eastland Telegram.

### Marriages Decline

**NEW YORK (UP)—**The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company estimated there were about 2,000,000 marriages in the United States in 1947, compared with 2,285,000 in 1946. It predicted the downward trend would continue.

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## • LOST

**LOST — Billfold** containing 4 \$1.00 bills, valuable papers. Finder keep money and return billfold to Joe Nell Poe. Care of Coca-Cola Bottling Plant.

## Pioneer Recalls Early Days In West

**SEATTLE, (UP) —** A pioneer Washington State woman who has spent all but two of her 80 years in the region celebrated her birthday with two parties and a lot of reminiscing.

Mrs. Ella T. Barrows, born in Illinois, came west with her family to San Francisco when she was two years old. That was in 1870. The family traveled on the Union Pacific Railroad one year after its completion. Later they moved to Washington Territory.

**We Should Live So Long!**  
**NEW YORK (UP)—** Dr. Harry L. Shapiro, anthropologist with the Museum of Natural History, believes man eventually will have heads as round and shiny as billiard balls, four toes, no appendix, no third molar, a larger brain and a smaller face. He estimated that will be their appearance about the year 501,984. A. D.

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**NEWS FROM CISCO** CALL AT 400 E. 7th  
Mrs. A. M. McBeth, Cor.

**CISCO Jan. 29.**—Mrs. J. E. Norris is spending a few days in the home of her son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Norris of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rupe spent Sunday near Hamilton, Texas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willey Maples of Rising Star spent Wednesday night in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurman Harrelson and daughter, Lavone, were in Gorman Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Balderes of Putman, spent Friday in the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Balderes.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ward of Hillsboro attended the funeral here last Friday of Mrs. Ward's aunt, Miss Cora Harris.

Mrs. Lane Gilmore returned home after a visit in Ft. Worth with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Doren of East Lynn Ill., are spending the winter at Laks Cisco courts.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Hooks and her mother, Mrs. Hart of Amarillo visited here last week with his mother, Mrs. F. M. Hooks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hart went to Eastland Tuesday Morning.

Mrs. H. H. Harrelson and daughter, Miss Doris Jean Harrelson, attended the wedding at Ft. Worth last Friday of Miss Velde Lucille Simpson, Mrs. Harrelson's niece.

## 209 Killings In Chicago In 1947

**CHICAGO (UP)** The Chicago police homicide bureau said that at the end of 1947, 19 murders still were on its books as unsolved.

The annual report of Lt. LeRoy Steffens, head of the bureau, said the most sensational crimes still not resolved were the slaying of Mrs. Esther Libert by an early morning purse snatcher and the beating-murder of Mrs. Leda Duty, a fashionable modiste.

He said there were 209 murders and cases of manslaughter in 1947. The bureau found that domestic troubles caused 27 killings and lovers' quarrels 19.

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**MOSCOW (UP)—**The most important shot in the life of a professional hunter named Grishko was fired by a companion, Smislov. It killed the tiger that was carrying Grishko in its mouth back into the bushes.

The story of the battle of the two hunters with the tiger and its dramatic conclusion reached here from Vladivostok.

Smislov and Grishko are hunters in the village of Nesterovka. They were awakened early one morning by the alarm spread by one Shevchenko, who had heard terrible bleatings from his sheep pen.

The tiger seized a sheep and fled as the hunters approached but Grishko's first shot wounded it. In its fury, it turned on the hunters.

Grishko was not fast enough. The tiger seized him in its mouth and turned back toward the bushes. To the accompanying screams of Grishko, Smislov knelt, took aim and fired at the rapidly receding figure of the cat.

He knew it was the only shot he would go. The animal, although wounded, its blood staining the helpless Grishko, was making good time and by the time Smislov could reload would be out of range.

But Smislov's aim was true. The bullet pierced the tigers' head. It dropped dead and Grishko tumbled from its mouth.

Grishko is recovering from his wounds.

## College Students Pay For Traffic Mistakes

**COLUMBUS, O. (UP) —** A college education can prove increasingly expensive if College Joe drives an automobile.

The Ohio State University traffic department announced it had collected \$5,385 for student violations of parking regulations during the autumn quarter. The traffic department said 13,750 tickets were issued.

Fines for tickets lost or not presented within three days after receipt are doubled. Fines for parking operate on a sliding scale—\$1 for the first offense and \$25 each after the eighth offense.

## Rows 15,000 Miles A Year, Gets Nowhere

**MIDDLEPORT, O. (UP) —** Arvin Roush, Clifton, W. Va., rows a boat an estimated 15,000 miles a year yet never gets more than three-quarters of a mile from his home.

Roush, operator of the Clifton-Middleport (O.) ferry across the Ohio river, is one of the fast-disappearing clan of hardy ferry operators who still work their ferries by hand. They have been replaced mostly by toll-free bridges, automobile transportation and power craft.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Beggs Announces The Marriage Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Beggs, 301 East Plummer Street, Eastland, announce the marriage of their son, J. T. Beggs to Miss Betty Lou Russell, formerly of Ranger, and daughter of Mrs. R. G. Young of Oklahoma, at the First Baptist Church in Fort Worth on Saturday, January 24. The double ring ceremony was read by the pastor, Rev. B. K. Selph.

Floyd Russell, brother of the bride, was best man and Ina Monro was maid of honor.

The bride wore a white dress with brown accessories and wore a corsage of white gardenias and pink carnations. The maid of honor wore a pink dress with a corsage of white carnations.

The bride is a graduate technician from an Oklahoma school.

Those attending the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Young, mother and step-father of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Beggs of Eastland.

Floyd Russell and Miss Ina Monro and the bride and groom all reside in Fort Worth where the groom is employed at the plant of the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation.

Olden Bonners Club Meet At Riley Home

The Olden Bonner Club held a slumber party, Friday night, January 23, at the home of Mrs. George Riley, when those who went to sleep had their toes tied together with strings by their fellow Bonners.

Refreshments with peanut butter fudge were served at 3:00 a. m. Supper consisted of tuna fish salad, crackers, home-made chili, fruit and cookies.

Among those present were Peggy Matlock, Edwina Martin, Barbara Dick, Yvonne Smithers, Yvonne Smithers, Marjorie Hendricks and Mrs. Riley. All enjoyed the event and left for home at 8:30 o'clock the next morning.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fitch of Monahans were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brady, 209 West Sadosa street.

Bobby Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Blair West Commerce St., Wayne Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lambert, and Dick Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks, entered Hardin-Simmons University today (Friday).

Mrs. J. T. Berry, underwent surgery in a Ranger hospital Thursday, Mrs. Berry became ill suddenly. She had never been ill before. Mr. Berry is employed by the Highway department.

Funeral services were conducted in Baird Saturday for Jack Lambert, of Baird, who is a nephew of L. J. and B. W. Lambert of Eastland.

Mrs. Spencer Campbell, widow of the late W. C. Campbell and who has been quite ill at the Big Spring hospital, is improving at the home of her sister, Miss Mattie Leatherwood. She is able to be propped up in bed.

Mrs. Dixie Williamson, who underwent surgery in Scott and White Hospital in Temple, Thursday, is reported as doing fine.

Misses Myriene Griffin and Barbara Hague, who are attending North Texas Teachers College at Denton, came in Thursday evening for the mid-term holidays.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Receive Approval 1948 Texas Goal Agri. Commodities

Approval of 1948 Texas goals for agricultural commodities has been received from Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson by Howard Kingsberry, acting state director of the Production and Marketing Administration and chairman of the Texas USDA Council.

The 1948 cotton acreage goal has been set at 8,300,000 acres; rice, 475,000 acres; corn, 3,400,000 acres, and all sorghums (including sorghums raised for syrup, forage and grain), 6,800,000. The wheat goal, announced earlier, is 7,220,000 acres.

"Naturally the state is in accord with the USDA's desire to increase the production of grain crops", Kingsberry said, "and our goal for feed grains has been set at an increase of about 12 percent over last year's production. Although our goal is below that suggested by USDA, it is not to be interpreted as a lack of interest on the part of Texas in the grain program. It's just a recognition of the fact that the cropping system in the state is pretty complicated and the change from one crop to another can't be made as easily as it sounds".

Commodities, approved 1948 goals, 1947 harvested acreage and percentage of the '48 goal over the 1947 harvested acreages are listed in that order:

- Wheat: 7,220,000 acres, 7,450,000 97 per cent.
Rye: 35,000, 32,000 109 per cent.
Irish potatoes: 45,900, 45,000 102 per cent.
Peanuts—picked and threshed: 562,000, 752,000, 75 per cent.
Flaxseed: 100,000, 84,000, 119 per cent.
Winter legumes seed: 75,000, 37,000, 220 per cent.
Tame Hay, harvested: 1,273,000, 1,273,000, 100 per cent.

Total feed grains: 12,350,000, 10,940,000, 112 per cent. Total includes corn, 3,400,000, 3,071,000 110 per cent; oats, 1,875,000, 1,875,000, 100 per cent; all sorghums, 6,800,000, 4,794,000, 117 per cent; and barley, 275,000, 200,000 and 137 per cent.

Grain sorghums for grain: 4,450,000, 3,506,000, 127 per cent. Cotton: 8,300,000, 8,365,000, 99 per cent.

Rice: 475,000, 441,000, 108 per cent. Sweet potatoes: 65,000, 55,000, 118 per cent.

Alfalfa seed: 10,000, 19,000, 52 per cent. A suggested goal of 3,000 acres of soy beans was approved by the Council.

Goals for livestock and poultry were set by the USDA on a national basis and were not broken down into state figures. They call for a reduction in hens and pullets (from 26,791,000 to 24,791,000) and beef cattle (42,600,000) while the number of milk cows (1,264,000) and sheep and lambs (8,308,000) is the same as in 1947.

According to the Council the goals for chickens raised in Texas will drop from 42,459,000 in 1947 to 39,496,000 in 1948, and turkeys raised will increase from 3,681,000 in 1947 to 4,000,000 in 1948, while sows to farrow in the spring are estimated at 186,000.

Cat Rings Doorbell To Get In House

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Benton Grill doesn't let the cat out at night because she'd disturb the household by ringing the bell.

Grill's daughter Joy now 15 found a kitten on the street three years ago. The cat grew smarter each year.

Now when she wants to go indoors Mama Bell—the cat—doesn't scratch or meow. She gets on tip toes and cranks the handle of the old fashioned doorbell.

Iraq Premier Flees



Ex-Premier Sayed Saleh Jabr, right, fled in disguise by air from Transjordan, escaping possible reprisals from countrymen who were angered by an alliance he signed with the British which failed to realize "the nationalisms of Iraq." The worst rioting in the nation's history has claimed 14 lives, with 65 persons injured. This photo was taken after the British-Iraq treaty was signed in Portsmouth, England. British Foreign Minister Ernest Bevan left, and Sayed Jabr, then Premier, admires the mace of the Royal Navy, just after the signing in January of 1948. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Production Of U. S. Food Is Up One-Third

CHICAGO (UP)—Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson has revealed that United States food production is about one-third above the pre-war average.

Writing in the National Association of Retail Grocers bulletin, Anderson predicts that citrus fruits will be abundant and inexpensive in 1948. The supply of both fresh and canned vegetables, he said, will be adequate to meet unusually heavy requirements. Anderson reports that civilian consumption of canned vegetables had jumped 41 per cent over the

1935-39 average. Meat consumption is up 23 per cent, fresh fruits 7 per cent, fresh vegetables 11 per cent and eggs 27 per cent.

Two Army Pals Play Mutual Cupids

STEELTON, Pa. (UP)—Dennis R. Ward, Chehalis, Wash., and Charles Strickler Steelton, became pals while in army service at Scott Field, Ill.

Each introduced the other to his sister by mail and two steady exchanges of correspondence began. Dennis is to be married this month to Nancy Strickler and Charles will be the best man. Dennis had never seen Nancy until he arrived here from Chehalis to make the arrangements.

In February Charles will go to Chehalis and meet for the first

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time Dennis' sister, Martha. Friends of the Strickler family said they wouldn't be surprised if wedding bells ring there, too.

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