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# Lewis Fined \$20,000; Union Over Million

# **Northwest Guns** For California **Tuna Monopoly**

By Harold Hughes United Press Staff Corespondent ASTORIA, Ore. (UP)-The efforts of a Seattle "wonder boy" to break the tuna canning monopoly of California packing firms might well decide how much you pay for that tuna sandwich at the corner drug store

Nick Bez, a determined Yugoslav immigrant from Seattle, who has risen to national success in fishing and aviation, has just de-livered the second blow of a onetwo punch.

A converted navy vessel is fishing at present off Costa Rica in 'home waters" of the Californians The ship is a former repair ship renamed the Sapain. The Sapain is the "mothership" in a new technique to freeze and store yellow-fin tuna off the hot tropical coasts of Latin-America.

The Sapipan is the follow-up of Bez's first blow which he delivered with the aid of \$4,000,000 spent on the ship Pacific Explorer by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The Pacific Explorer is being refitted in Seattle for further "exploratory" trips, probably into the Bearing Sea off the Russian coast.

The determined Bez has still another "mothership" called the Tinian is being outfitted at Astoria. It, too, will store 75 tons of frozen tuna.

And here is how Bez hopes to affect the drug store tuna sand-wich by his gamble on the high

The Astoria tuna canneries have been operating only during the summer and fall months, canning Albacore tuna, caught off the west coast of the United States.

If the expensive machinery and well-paid workers can be kept busy all year canning the tropical yellow fin tuna, then the sandwich is going to cost less-at least, that's what fishermen here be-

cause the scarce Albacore is a de fornia produces 65 per cent of the luxe tuna, not like the yellowfin nation's oranges. which just loves to snuggle up to a milk shake.



**Italian Premier Votes** 

Italian Premier Alcide De Gasperi and his wife (center) receive the crowd's ovation after voting in the school house near their Rome, Italy, home. The elections climaxed 70 days of frenzied campaigning by both r ight and left wing elements. (NEA Radiophoto.)

# **CALIFORNIA DROUGHT SEEN AS THREAT TO FOOD PRICES** which provides irrigation for most

By WILLIAM ANTHONY United Press Staff Correspondent fruit and vegetable crops in which school for instruction in televis-FRESNO, Cal. (UP)-The na- California is a major national pro- ion in the southwest will open in

least 17 foods higher in price, If the drought lasts through an- Brown, head of the Texas trade scarcer in quantity and lower on other year, farmers will be forced school, announced. quality if th edrought in Califor- to plant smaller crops. They will A 12-months course will be nia last another year.

The first effects of the drought, vineyards die and permit produc- ves into its new two-story building which began in this fabulously tive land to fallow for want of May 1. Brown said instructors had rich farm state two years ago, al- water. They might boost the price been obtained from the East wheready are beginning to be felt. of the crops they manage to har- retelevision has been in operation Some oranges, for example, are vest because of the cost of install- for a number of years.

Also, there will be a wider mar-et for the northwest canneries be-of the sub-normal rainfall. Cali-deeper well to reach water. In the San Joaquin valley, for instance, more than 3,300,000 acres of land are irrigated. Farm-California produces 100 per cent of the nation's dates, 92 per cent ers last year and again this year battle may land squarely on the of its avocados, 92per cent of its had to sink deeper well to get Bez beak. He has to whip the grapes, all of its olives, 32 per cent of its ind to sink deeper wen to get to grapes, all of its olives, 32 per enough water for their crops. The underground water table fell packers.

Television School To Be **Opened In Dallas** 

Dallas, Tex.,-(UP)- The first tion's housewives may find at ducer, is getting lower and lower. Dallas shortly after May 1, Henry

have to let some fruit trees and taught after the trade school mo-

#### U. S. Expects Aid Sister-In-Law In Policing Of **Of Hall Walker** The Holy Land **Dies In Abilene**

LAKE SUCESS, N. Y., Apr. 20 (UP)-The United States told the

United Nations today it would provide American troops to impose a trusteeship government on Ranger. Palestine provided selected other countries of the UN also contri-ed this afternoon at 4 o'clock at

American Delegate Warren Austin announced in the political and security comittee of the General Assembly that the United States was ready to send troops to the Holy Land "but it is not prewithin the last few weeks. She pared to act alone in this matter." had been a frequent Ranger visitor Austin disclosed that, so far, American attempts to bring other countries into an agreement for the Eastland and Cisco public Policing Palestine have "produc-

schools ed tangible results." Hall Walkekr was in Abilene The American spokesman emphasized that unless future nego- spent much time in Abilene during the last few weeks.

iations bring commitments of troops and supplies from other UN Sharples Corp. countries, the United States will not feel bound to send any fighting forces into Palestine to back Start Drilling up a trusteeship or any other government the UN sets up for Near Eastland Palestine. Austin did not tell delegates of

the other 57 United Nations what countries the United States wants to participate in an international army to enforce a trusteeship. It was reported by reliable circles, however, the American officals plan to exclude Russia from any such arrangement.

## **Funeral Services** For Mrs. Smith Largely Attended

Rev. E. R. Gordon, pastor of the Eastland Methodist church and Rev. C. A. Wilkerson pastor of the Strawn Methodist church, who conducted the funeral service Monday at 3:00 p. m., at the Methodist church for Mrs. Willis Smith who died early Sunday morning in her sleep at their

Movie star Lash LaRue, his hiews. wife, Gary Millard and a Miss Hanson of Hollywood were guests home, paid high tribute to the at the Connellee hotel in Eastland Sunday. Enroute to Hollywood from the east, LaRue and party checked in at the Connellee 7:45 Sunday morning for a f e hours rest and checked out at

Star Of Western

**Pictures Visits** 

Eastland

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depth of 4,000 feet if necessary.

# Anti-Communists FINES COVER Win Two To One In Italy's Test

ROME, April 20 (UP)-Anti-Comunist forces led by Premier ing of the death last night of Miss Alcide D. Gasperis Christian De-Ola Hutchison of Abilene, sister mocrats rolled up a two-to-one of the late Mrs. Hall Walker, of margin over the Communist front. today as counting in Italy's na-

tional election moved rapidly. the Chapel at Abilene Christian tion whether the Leftists would John L. Lewis was fined \$20,000 But there still was some ques-College and interment was in an accept defeat peacefully. Partis- today and his United Mine Work-Miss Hutchison had been in very

strongly Communist Milan area, tempt of court. poor health for a long time and and government fighter planes her condition had become worse and ground troops were seeking to break them up Premier De Gasperi clearly in-

until ill health confined her and dicated he would bar Communists recommended. formerly was a teacher in both from the new coalition government he will form about May 20, and his military authorities said impose a prison sentence" on Lewat the time of her death and had again that "troops and police" are

# 21 Maverick Lettermen Are

**Awarded** Jackets Former Maverick Coach John Little, who now is coaching at P. T. Sharples is spudding in Graham, a few days ago came to with a rotary rig for a test on the Eastland to present the Jackets J. H. Matthews place (Nancy Usawarded 1947 Maverick lettermen. sery survey) three and one-half The trophy presented the Mavsouth of Eastland. The test, it is eicks by the American Insurance understood, is due to go to a Company as regional winners and the district trophy presented the Fo rthe Kirk pool of Comanche Mavericks by other schools of the appeal the fines. county an east outpost has been district, have also been received The government had recomm-and at this time are on display in ended that Lewis be fined \$20,000 located by Commercial Production Company of Sinton as No. 1 Aaron Myers, three miles north the show window at Harkriders. Following are the Mavericks reof Gorman, 330 feet from north

ceiving jackets: and east lines of 73-acre tract on Dam Amis, Kenneth Benham, offense. the west edge of William DeMoss Bobbie Blair, J. C. Burke, Jack Chamberlain, Pat Crawford, Lewis Crossley, Jack Ernst, Bill Harde-man, Mack Harris, Johnnie Hicks, Jack Kelly, Hilton Kuykendall, Wayne Lambert, Dwain Lusk, Bill McFarland, Jim Smith, Earnest "from a repetition of Sneed, (manager), Dick Sparks, ially the same offense." and Winifred Ward, Jimmie Mat-

# ONLY ONE OF TWO CHARGES: WILL APPEAL

ans reported gathering in the ers Union \$1,400,000 for con-

Federal Judge Alan Gosldborough imposed the fines in exactly the amounts the government had

Goldsborough said that if he used his own judgment he "would is. But he said he felt it necessary to go along with the government's

The judge informed Lewis and the union attorneys that the fines were imposed only for criminal contempt charge. He said the penalty on their civil contempt convection would be considered Friday.

Goldsborough yesterday found Lewis and the union guilty of both criminal and civil contempt. The convictions resulted from their failure to obey an April 3 court order directing them to end "forthwith" the coal strike that began March 15.

Lewis and the union immediately gave notice that they would

and the UMW \$1,400,000 --double the penalty imposed in 1946 for conviction on a similar

Assistant U. S. Attorney General H. Graham Morison told the court that the twice-as-big penalty was necessary because the 1946 fine failed to deter Lewis from a repetition of substant-

But the counter punch in this

He also has to find the tuna. And there are a lot of bankrupt all of the artichokes, 41 per cent tuna fishermen around who ex. of the cantaloupes, 64 per cent plain that the latter can be very of the lettuce, 30 per cent of the



JERUSALEM, April 20 (UP) -The Jewish militia Haganah re-ported today that it had captured the Arab village of Beth Surio. nine miles from Jerusalem on the highway to Tel Aviv, making the eighth strong point seized by the Jews along this lifeline.

Haganah headquarters in Tel Aviv reported that in taking Beth Surio the Jews destroyed all hous-es which had been used as posts for sniping against Jewish Traf-

After the village was taken another convoy, the fifth in two weeks. carried food into Jerusa-lem. It included unleavened bred for the passover.

# **Pope Receives 17 Americans**

VATICAN CITY, April 20 (UP) -Pope Pius XII received in pri-vate audience for 15 minutes today a group of 17 Americans, in-cluding Hugh Baillie, president of the United Press, and Mrs.

Others included Kingsbury mith of International News Ser-ice, and Mrs. Smith, and Charles uptill, of the Associated Press d Mrs. Guptill.

C. P. A. stands for certified

gines to supply power pumping tomatoes, all of the nation's raisins and 34 per cent of the world's needs. George L. Henderson, chief en-

supply. gineer of the Kern County Land The state also contributes a lib-Co. in Fresno, summed up the seneral supply of eggs, spinach, rice, timents of most farmers and livestock men by saying: "We'll need two solid months nuts, cotton, potatoes, sugar

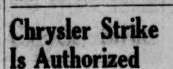
Nicaraguan soldiers.

beets, beans, apples, apricots cherries, figs, grapefruit, lemons, plums, melons and many truck the Sierra Nevadas to save out ed an all-time high of 540,000, accrops.

cattle and our crops." At present, the drought has had **Costa Dica Peace** 

only slight effect on those items. Most of the result of two consecu- Hopes Dimmed tive years of rainfall only a little above 50 per cent of normal has been felt in grains, hay an pasture for sheep and cattle. The

state's production in those lines is not felt in the rest of the nation. But the hydro-electric power reserves and total water storage,



The 22 man executive board of the CIO United Automobile Workers union today unanimously author ized a strike by 75,000 Chrysler Corporation employes if necessary

Corporation employes if necessary Scout Leftists to win wage demands.

Whether a strike will be called was left to the discretion of Nor-man Matthews, UAW regional di-day to scout the strength of lefrector in charge of the union's tist partisans reportedly gathering south of the Po River.

Chrysler department. BOY SENTENCED TO PRISON CHICAGO, April 20 (UP)-Howard Lang, 13, was sentenced today to serve 22 years in the state penitentiary for the murder of his playmate Lonnie Fellick. Saturday night have occurred.

provided courses in radio oper-

ation and electronics . and . with the growth of television. Brown said it had been decided to offer courses in this field.

The television instruction will include courses in how to run a television station and repair and maintain the equipment which

transmits radio shows and public Valley farmers already have spent more than \$1,000,000 to drill new wells or buy deisel en-

N. Y. State Hits New High In **Business** Activity

ALBANY, N. Y. (UP)- The number of business firms operatof rain and a heavy snowpack in ing in New York State has reachcording to a state commerce de-

partment survey.

In the state program to encourage post-war business development and employment through tax cuts the department said both individuals and business corporations CARTAGO, Costa Rica, April were saved more than \$164,000, 20 (UP)-Prospects for settle-000 in the 1947 fiscal year. But, ment of the civil war in Costa Rica despite the reductions, state rev-enues kept within \$22,000,000 of were clouded today by a reported invasion of this country by 500

the previous year's record intake because of expanded business vol-

Gen. Jose Figueres, commander of the Costa Rican Rebels, repor ted that the Nicaraguan troops crossed the frontier at San Carlos Representative north of the capital city of San Social Security Here April 29th In a message to the Inter-

American Conference at Bogota E. Glen McNatt, a representa-tive of the Social Security Admin-istration, Abilene Office, will be at the Army Recruiting office in Eastland, Thursday, April 29. All persons wishing to see Mr. McNatt should call promptly at that time as he will remain in the office only a short time. MILAN, April 20 (UP)- Itaoffice only a short time.

The Street and Traffic Safety

Lighting Bureau reports that 84 per cent of fatal accidents, 55 per cent of purse snatchings, 71 per cent of assault on women and 68 per cent sof car thefts in 1947 oc-curred after dark.

llowhammer is a member

eceased. Messrs. Pat Miller nad Homer Smith, Mmes. A. H. Johnson, John P. Beatty, and Mrs. Pat Miller sang: "Does Jesus Care," accom panied at the organ by Miss Martha June Morehart and on the violin by Miss Glenn Johnson. Mrs. Miller sang "Always" very softly, accompanied on the violin by

Miss Johnson. A very large and beautiful floral offering filled the altar, and every seat in the church was fill-

About 70 relatives and friends from out of the city were in atten-

Local Students Honored At NTST College, Denton

Jack Turner and Barbara Hauue, students at North Texas State Teachers College, Denton, have been elected to membership in Gammadian Honor Society. Gammadian Society is a local

toner society for freshmen and sophmores and has for its purpose the recognition and encourag-ement of high moral standards amoung first and second year students.

The scholastic requirement is an average of B on first semester of freshman work. Turner has also been elected

to an art society which requires its members to maintain an A average Miss Hague also made the hon-

or roll for this year.

Fort Worth Livestick Cattle 2400. Active and strong. Medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings, 23-28. Good beef cows 21.50-23. Medium and good stocker steers and yearlings 22-

Calves 600. Mostly steady Good and choice slaughter calves 26-29. Medium and good stocker

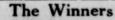
calves 22-28. Common 18-20. Hogs 1100. Good and choice 275-400 lbs. 17.50-21.25. Sows 15-16. Stocker pigs. 15-17

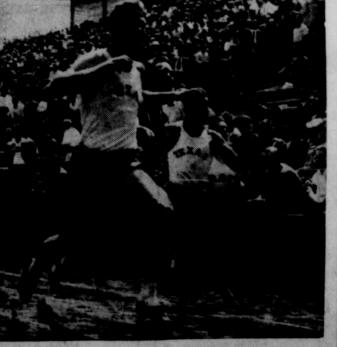
> Puppets worked strings

The mid-week prayer service at 6:30 that afternoon. the Methodist church will begin with prayer meeting at 7:30 Wed-LaRue, popular star of western pcitures, is featured in the picture nesday evening. The pastor, Rev "Return of The Lash" showing at E. R. Gordon, will lead the pray-er group from 7:30 to 8:00. The Workers' Council of the the Lyric theatre in Eastland Friday and Saturday.

church school will have it's regu-lar monthly session at the close of prayer meeting. W. R. Cole, FRITZ KUHN SENTENCED MUNICH, April 20 (UP)-Fritz Kuhn, former fuehrer of chairman of the board of educathe German-American Bund in tion, will call the council into sesthe United States, was sentenced sion. He will preside over the in absentia to 10 years at hard meeting.

labor by a denazification court to-Some fifty persons are expected to be present.





Charley Parker, Texas University sprint star, hurtles across the tape to win the 100-yard dash at the Kansas Relays, Lawrence, Kansas, in the fast time of 9.5 seconds. Trailing Parker is Perry Samuels, also of Texas. (NEA Telephoto.)

PITTSBURGH-More than Pastor To Lead Mid-Week Prayer Service Program

100,000 miners struck agair today in protest against the conviction of John L. Lewis on contempt of court charges.

# **President Of Costa Rica Quits**

SAN JOSE, C. R. Apr. 20,(UP) -President Teodoro Picado res-igned today and announced that the unconditional surrender of his military forces to those of Gen. Jose Figueres, leader of an uprising against the government, would be effected within 24 hours.

Picado prepared to leave the country as soon as possible. He turned over his power to a provisional government headed by Santos Leon Herrera, 74, third vice president.

Herrera will serve as president until May 8, by which time the new government was expected to be set up and functioning.

> THIS WEEK AT LOCAL THEATRES

Majestic TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY "WOMAN'S VENGEANCE" With Charles Boyer and Ranchel Kempson THURSDAY ONLY THE GANGSTER' With Barry Sullivan Belita FRIDAY - SATURDAY "Black Bart"

with Louis Hayward and Janet Blair ---

Lyric FRIDAY - SATURDAY "RETURN OF LASH"

Al (Lash) Larue The Telegram has tickets for Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Abernathy to see "Woman's Ven

Wednesday. (Please clip the above progra from this newspaper and g sent it with federal tax at 1 tic box of

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## **SASTLAND TELEGRAM** And Weekly Chronicle

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Hikers reported the disappear-

ance of the rock. They said it apparently toppled from the rocky

New X-Ray Marvel

General Electric Co. has announ-

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. (UP)-

### Oregon's Teetering **Rock Vanishes**

NECANICUM, Ore. (UP)-Sad. Itdge into a steep canyon. dle Mountain has lost its rider. Teetering Rock has tottered from its precarious perch without a trace.

Teetering Rock, famed as the ced devlopment of an R-ray most perplexing landmark in thickness guage to measure autonorthwestern Oregon, was perch- matically and continuously the ed atop Saddle Mountain when the thickness of a moveing strip of white man came to the Pacific hot steel without physically touch-Northwest.

It would quiver at a baby's touch, yet withstood an assault of Brown and white eggs have the 50 CCC workers when they tried same nutritional value and the to pry the boulder from its moun- same cooking qualities.

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outstanding .....

1. Other assets



ing the steel.

Of Eastland in the State of Texas, at the close April 12th., 1948. Published in response to call made by comptroller of the currency, under section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS		
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including re-		
serve balance, and cash items in process of collection 1,	062,361.30	1
2. United States Government obligations, direct		
and guaranteed1,	256,750.00	2
3 Obligations of States and political subdivisions	60,735.00	3
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	NONE	4
5. Corporate stocks (including \$ 3,000.000 stock of		
Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00	5
6. Loans and discounts (including \$674.28 overdrafts)	625,202.43	6
7. Bank premises owned \$17,000.00, furniture and		
fixtures \$7,265.00	24,265.00	7
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$ NONE liens n- assumed by bank)	ot	
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises	NONE	*8
9. Investments and other assets indirectly represent-		
ing bank premises or other real estate	NONE	9
10. Customers' liability to this bank ton acceptances		



EASTLAND TELEGRAM,

This 1949 Mercury Sport Sedan typifies the low, graceful lines of the all-new Mercury models. Inside there is room for six passengers.



BARBECUE TEXAS STYLE - Mrs. R. A. Thompson of Goliad is shown here presenting a prize steer to Governor Beauford H. Jester for use at the Texas Democratic barbecue at

plane before landing buzzes the Atom Bomb Base field to alert a crash crew.

In Pacific Goes **Back To Nature** 

By James E. Roper

to care.

NONE 10

United Press Staff Correspondent here to eat. TINIAN, Marianas Islands (UP) They mme The airfield that hurled the mercial undertaking on the island atom bomb against Japan lies de- -- a farm intended to furnish fresh serted today. Wild cattle roam a- vegetables to American service cross the great landing strips. Nobody cares. There is nobody This base, with probably the

strips are paved roads marked "Broadway" and "Eighth Ave." Each is nine miles long. Each is polka-dotted with thousands of African snails, descendants of the snails which the Japanese brought

tions

They mmenace the only compersonnel on Guam and Saipan. A half-dozen Navy men tend for the rusting Tinian port, and about 200 Army men have been destroying the staggering piles of aerial 17,888.94 11 world's greatest array of runways, bombs which were abandoned

Yellowstone May **Become Winter** Stretching away from the air **Resort**, Too

Fort Worth April 20. All Texas party mem-

bers are invited to the barbecue, which is

sponsored by official Democratic organiza-

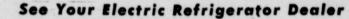
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weather months.

when the war ended. Now that



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#### CODY, Wyo. (UP)- Yellowstone National Park, one of the nation's most scenic summer play-

grounds, may become a vacation paradise for winter tourists, too. The Big Horn Basin clubs of Wyoming have begun a move aimed at opening the highways in Yellowstone on a year-round basis instead of permitting travel through the park only in good

One of the plan's promoters forsees the creation of a huge win-

1 Total Assets	3,050,202.67	12
LIABILITIES		
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and	1	
corporations	2,370,400.44	13
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and		
corporations	NONE	14
15. Deposits of United States Government( including	1	
postal savings)	83,360.50	15
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions		
17. Deposits of banks	NONE	17
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's check	ks,	
etc.)	40,553.35	18
19. Total Deposits 2,92,565.14		19
20. Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for		
borrowed money	NONE	20
21. Mortgages or other liens, \$NONE on bank prem-		
ises and \$NONE on other real estate		21
22. Acceptances executed by or for account of this		
bank and outstanding	NONE	
23. Other liabilities	NONE	23
24. Total Liabilities	2,923,565.14	24
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS :		

#### 25. Capital Stock

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8	
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MEMORANDUM	
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625,100.00 31 for other purposes ..... State of Texas, County of Eastland, ss:

I, Walter Murray, President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WALTER MURRAY, President Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of April, 1948 Ida B. Plummer atter with Notary Public.

CORRECT-ATTEST: (SEAL)

Guy Parker, Fred Brown, Russell Hill, Directors

as been abandoned Runway "Abel" is the one that | work has stopped to save the the atom bombers used. B u t bombs for China.

there are six others, all paved with Some 16,000 oriental civilians white coral that makes them glare survived on Tinian when the U.S. under the Pacific sun. Laid out | Marines captured the island in a parallel, they form great grids a- nine-day campaign in July, 1944, at the cost of 290 American lives. ross the green island. Each runway is 8,500 feet long When the war closed, the United and 500 feet wide-the envy of States sent the Tinian residents every American airport, but just back to their original homesan annoyance to cattle searching Japan, Okinawa, Iwo Jima and Korea. Now a civilian population

for pasture. Near the sea is the building where the atom bombs were as-sembled. Typhoons have torn open to island of 36 square miles is loaded with hangars, barracks and its sides. Artillery ammunition is other ground installations that stored inside. The ammunition would serve as housing if maintained. cases are rotting.

A little farther on are two pits where atomic bombs once rested. slowly caving in. But the landing Now they are partly fliled with strips, which together used to put water. A frog, disturbed by the B-29's in the air at the rate of first visitor in weeks, leaps into one every 10 seconds, are in perthe water, and sticks his head out protestingly. An occasional plane hands at the An occasional plane hands at the

strip at the other end of the grid. There is no airport radio, so the Dim Your Lights and Save a Life!



ter sports area in the national park.

#### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



### **RED RYDER**



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EASTLAND, TEXAS







**BY MERRILL BLOSSER** 

SWEETES

HOOKED RUG

I THINK ORANGE CURTAINS WOULD BE PERFECT! I MEAN TO SAY.

ON A BOAT ---

EASTLAND, TEXAS

EASTLAND TELEGRAM, TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1948.

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Church S Clubs MRS. FRANK A. JONES, Editor Phone 601 or 431W

#### Music Study Club To Have Guest Day Program Wednesday

Music Study Club will have a Guest Day program Wednesday beginning at 3:30 p. m. Guest artists on the program will be Mrs. С. Т. ic at McMurry College at Abilene and Mrs. J. W. Crutchfield president-elect of the Abilene music

lie Bennett, I. C. Inzer, A. F. Taylor, F. L. Dragoo, D. L. Houle, and T. R. Atwood. Each member is to invite a guest.

#### CARD OF THANKS

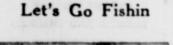
God bless you all. The family of Loss Woods.



Mrs. W. E. Stalter of Ft. Worth visited her husband over the past week-end. Conerly instructor of Mus-Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Patterson Miller West Commerce Street, this week-end will be Mr. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Miller and Hostesses are to be Mmes. Holfamily of Troy. Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Cullen and Mrs. Andy Taylor and little daughter Sandra returned Sunday

We wish to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their sympathy, understanding and many deeds of kindness during our sor-row caused by the loss of our beloved husband and father. May

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der the care of Neurologists and nerve specialists is now back at nome and is feeling better. Her husband and two children were in Houston with her. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Plummer and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Bennett spent the past week-end at Poss-

um Kingdom with Mrs. Plummer prother, M. M. Hines and friends from Big Spring. J. C. Allison, accompanied by

Personals

children of Dallas are visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Chan-

from Bryan where they attend-

ed the wedding of Leon Hale and

Miss Helen Vick at Bryan. Mr. Hale is a brother of Mrs. Cullen

and Mrs. Taylor. Bruce Pipkin,

Pat Owen and E. J. Pryor of Cole-

man were in the wedding.

v in Hillcrest

Mrs. Clyde Chaney and three

father, J. D. Yielding.



EASTLAND TELEGRAM,

United Mine Workers president John L. Le wis leaves District Court in Washington after being convicted of criminal and civil contempt of court for failing to end the recent coal strike forthwith. The United Min e Workers was also held guilty of contempt, Judge T. Alan Goldsborough announced. Sentence will be imposed on Lewis and the mine workers union Tuesday, April 20, (NEA Telephoto.)

of maintaining adequate gas re-

after dividend payments, repres-

enting a balance of \$4,801,567,

was retained by the company to

help meet costs of necessary ad-

In a progress statement accom-

serves.

#### 1947 Was Record Year For The Lone Mrs. H. S. Lewis, who has been n Houston for the past week un Star Gas Company

Lone Star Gas Company had the biggest year in its history in 1947 with gross business of \$40,-300,567 stockholders will be told 300.567, stockholders will be told

Tuesday at their annual meeting. Total operating revenues of the company and its producing subsidiary were 36.1 per cent higher ditions to the system property. than the firm's best previous year

and net income was equivalent to earnings of \$1.87 per share on the 5,499,000 shares outstanding.

946 paymen

ed

The annual report details com-

pany plans for expanding its fac- operating expenses exclusive of federal taxes on income, were ilities to meet what it terms the "unprecedented demand' for gas \$21,706,787, compared with \$15,-resulting from industrial and dom- 188,533 in 1946. The year's tax However, Curtis estic growth throughout the terbill increase \$973,686 over 1946 to \$7,459,774. ritory served. It also cites "continuing activity" for the purpose

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1948.

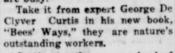
The 1947 operating revenue of \$40,649,550 compared with 1946 revenue of \$29,875,487. Last The balance of 1947 earnings | year's net income of \$10,300,567 compared with 1946 net income of \$6,795,873.

> The company gets gas from sixty-four fields in Texas Oklahoma, operates 5,262 miles of transmission and gathering lines, corn.

years old.

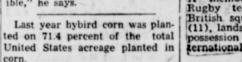
costs of supplies and materials.

Latin Holds Its Own New Books At CLINTON, N. Y. (UP)-Latin Public Library apparently isn't altogether a dead language. After using Latin on Following are new books recen-tly received at the Eastland Pubdiplomas for 136 commencements, Hamilton College last year switched to English. But Class of 1948 lic Library 'Pilgrims Inn"--Goudge. graduates voted to resume the Latinized version. "It's more ap propriate," they argued. Mary Donovan"--Downes Milk Route"--Oletenso 'Ides Of March"Wilder. The Garretson Chronicls"--Brace **Snappy Landing** "The Alamo"-Meyers. Midnight Lace"-Kantor. "The Precious Secret"—Ousles Red Plush" -McCrone. "Earthbound" Reymond. Lucinda Brayford"- Boyd. 'So Young So Fair" -Seifert. 'Milthilde" -Frank. 'Uncounqured" -- Swanson. That "Busy Bee' Saying Is Not Wholly A Gag BOSTON (UP) - Bees really are busy.

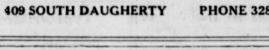


Curtis says the average load of nectar carried by a single bee is only 20-1,000th of a pound. That means that 20,000 bees making one trip each would add one pound

However, Curtis estimates in a good season he removes 200 pounds of honey from one hive besides leaving plenty for the bees' own use. In addition, one third of the nectar is lost due to evaporation of excess moisture. 'The whole thing seems incredible," he says.













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**Campus Communists** 

CHICAGO (UP) - Left-wing student groups in American col-

leges are losing ground, President

Howard S. McDonald of Brigham

Young University believes. He

said most educators agree that

Communist campus organizations

are an "irritation" rather than a

"Some institutions." McDonald

Merely "Irritation"