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Wallace, Thomas Fight Communist Bill

WOULD DEFY BILL IF PASSED; CLAIM IT WOULD CURB FREEDOM

B. W. Patterson Makes Statement On Candidacy

Judge B. W. Patterson of Eastland, some weeks ago announced his candidacy for the office of Judge of the 91st district court, though this newspaper, stating at the time he would later make a formal statement, has issued the following statement:

"In 1944 there existed two judicial districts in Eastland County, the 88th and the 91st. By your favor I served as judge of the 88th court for twelve years, and in 1944 you elected me to serve another term of four years beginning January 1, 1945 and ending December 31, 1948. The 88th court having been abolished by the Legislature in 1945, my services as judge of that court ended September 3 of that year.

WASHINGTON — Two presidential candidates — Henry A. Wallace and Norman Thomas — today denounced the Communist control bill as a "declaration of war" on American rights and an action to make "Martyrs" out of Communists.

Wallace, third party presidential candidate, said his party would defy the Communist-curbing Bill if it became law. He said it "reeks with hypocrisy" and destroys the basic guarantees of free speech and free assembly.

Thomas, perennial Socialist party candidate, said the Mundt-Nixon bill actually would be a "blessing to Communists." He said it would make them martyrs and is a "dangerously mistaken way" of dealing with the party.

The Senate judiciary committee heard the views of Wallace and Thomas. The committee is considering the bill which would put tight new restrictions of the Communist party. It would force the party to sever alleged ties with Russia and make it mandatory for the party and its members to register with the justice department.

Under the bill, Wallace said, he and his political followers would be liable to fines and jail sentences because they advocated "Peace Talks" between Russia and the United States.

"Because we insist on seizing this opportunity for peace and stopping the drive to war," he said, "The Mundt bill would empower the attorney general to prosecute our party and visit criminal penalties upon its members, in the event that it refused—as it most certainly would — to register with him."

The Anti-Communists bill would force the Communist party and its various "front" outfits to register with the Justice Department and file a list of officers. William Z. Foster, head of the communists party in this country, told the Senate committee yesterday that the party would refuse to register.

Wallace said "it is obvious that no such organization could register and continue to live." "For registration would brand organizations engaged in the peaceful advocacy of social change as members of a world-wide conspiracy to destroy American democracy," he added.

Last Rites For Herrington Baby To Be Sunday

Funeral services for Ernie Joe Herrington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Phelton Herrington of Lacasa will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Mount Zion and interment will be in the Mount Zion cemetery. Dr. Claude P. Jones will officiate, assisted by Charles Talley, and Morris Funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

The fourteen months old baby died at the Ranger General Hospital Friday night about 8:30 o'clock while undergoing surgery. He was born in Ranger March 7, 1947.

Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Mike Herrington, and his grandmothers, Mrs. Roy Herrington of Lacasa and Mrs. Frone Ames of Ranger.

Pallbearers will be Normie Richardson, Wesley Dempsey, Tommie Guess, Glenn Graham, Brooke Herring and Leland Howard.

New Oil Pool Looms Near Eastland

Likelihood of a new pool, four miles southwest of Eastland, is seen on the strength of the showing of the well of A. L. Andree of Wichita Falls on the Bransford, about a mile and a half from the nearest production.

The well was reported as having 2,000 feet of oil in the hole, total depth being 3,301 feet and acid treatment is to be administered.

Andree's confidence in the area is shown by moving in a rig, a mile east and a little north of the Bransford, on the Johnny Aaron, the test being half a mile from a well on the Martin which produced for 23 years until plugged last year.

Poe Floral Adds National Floral Wire Service

Poe Floral Shop has received their notice and contract with the Floral Telegraph Delivery Association, which is a National Floral service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poe are the owners and operators of the Poe Floral Shop and are in their second year of business, and are enjoying a good business.

Tim Fambrough Gets B. A. Degree From H-S-U.

Another Hardin-Simmons University graduate to the list already mentioned in this newspaper as being from Eastland county, is Tim Fambrough who will get his G. A. degree.

Fambrough formerly resided at 260 East Hill Street, Eastland. More than 1,000 Wisconsin high school students have joined Junior science academy clubs in the state.



Memorial Day, 1948, brings new solace to the families of thousands of American fighters who gave their lives in World War II. For this is the first Memorial Day since the war's end that finds the bodies of heroes who fell on foreign soil resting in their homeland, near their loved ones. Widow of one such hero is Mrs. Collette Gerity, praying with her children after decorating the grave of her husband, the late Pvt. Albert T. Gerity, killed in action in Germany, Sept. 21, 1944. Undoubtedly she expressed the feelings of most families who had their war dead brought home when she said: "I am glad I had him returned to his home city. The lost feeling I had when he was buried so far away in Belgium is gone now."

BODY OF PVT. NANTZ DUE IN RANGER JUNE 2

The body of Pvt Albert Nantz of Ranger who was killed in action in World War II will arrive in Ranger Wednesday, June 2 and will be met by an honor guard from the Ralph McKinley Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church with Rev. David C. Ham officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery with Killingsworth's in charge of arrangements. Military honors in the service will be paid by members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. The body will be at Killingsworth's Chapel until shortly before funeral services.

Pvt. Nantz, the son of Mrs. Susie Nantz of Ranger, was killed in Barnville, France on June 17, 1944. He was born in Jacksboro on December 18, 1918 and prior to entering service had resided in Ranger for 21 years and attended Ranger High School. At the time he entered service he was employed by the King-Ball Motor Company in Eastland.

He went into service on January 23, 1941 and was sent to Camp Wolters. From there he was sent to Fort Bragg, N. C. and then overseas in October 1942. He took part in the North African campaign and in the invasion of Sicily. From Sicily he was sent to England and participated in the invasion of France, in which he was killed.

Besides his mother he is survived by six sisters, Mrs. Leo Hise, Mrs. Pearl McNurlin, Mrs. C. W. Blackney, all of Ranger, Mrs. J. E. Mangrum of Harlingen, Mrs. L. J. Lemons of Kerrville and Mrs. Myrtle Garrison of Mineral Wells; four brothers, Mose Nantz of Ranger, Elishaw Nantz of Jacksboro, John Nantz of Graham and Colonel Nantz of Graham.

Pallbearers will be members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

During World War I, Nebraska furnished the walnut for more than one-half the gunstocks for the rifles manufactured and used in the war.



Funeral services for Pvt. Albert Nantz, son of Mrs. Susie Nantz of Ranger, and a former resident of Eastland, will be held in Ranger Thursday, June 3. Pvt. Nantz was killed in action in France on June 17, 1944.

Qualifying For Ranger Tourney Starts Sunday

Qualifying gets under way today, Sunday, May 30, for the 13th Annual Ranger Country Club Invitation Golf Tournament. Entries for medalist must qualify on June 4th only. The barbecue and Calcutta Pool will be held at the club house, on Friday, June 4th, at 7:30 p. m. Match play will begin Saturday morning, with the finals Sunday afternoon.

The best group of prizes ever offered by the Ranger Club, totaling \$500.00, will be given to the winner, runner-up, and consolation in each flight.

A large number of the best amateurs from the entire state have been invited, and many of them have already given their intention of entering the tournament. Defending champion, Palmer Lawrence of Arlington, who defeated Bill Dill of Cisco last year in the finals will be on hand. It is also expected that Doug Higgins of Ft. Worth, recent winner of the Sweetwater Tournament, Doug Jones of Abilene, 1946 Ranger champion, the TWC golf team from Fort Worth; the NTSTC golf team from Denton; Dick Martin of Dallas, recent winner of the Brownwood and Corsicana tournaments will be on hand.

A cordial invitation is extended by the Ranger Country Club to all Eastland golfers and spectators to attend the tournament.

Closing Exercises Are Held For The Scranton School

Louise Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam W. Hull of Eastland, was valedictorian and Morrell Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Ray of Scranton, was Salutatorian of the Scranton High School graduation class for 1947-48.

Miss Hull was also Valedictorian of her Eighth grade class. She was the only girl in the senior class and was Queen of the Scranton school's first annual, "The Antelope." She was selected president of the class.

Morrell Ray was Salutatorian of his Eighth grade class. The Baccalaureate sermon was delivered on May 9 at the Scranton Baptist church by Rev. Otis Strickland, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cisco.

Before the closing of school the Senior class took a four day trip to Austin, San Antonio, and Corpus Christi. Lack of time prevented the planned trip to Mexico City.

The trip was made on one of the Scranton school buses driven by Ray Battle. Mrs. Ray Battle sponsor of the class, also made the trip.

At Austin the class visited the State Capital, an San Antonio the Sunken Gardens, Breckenridge Park, Buckhorn Saloon and Randolph Field and at Corpus Christi, they swam and fished in the Gulf of Mexico.

The members of the Senior class and their sponsor especially thanks Supt. Elms for his kindness and the many things he has done for the class during the past two school terms.

Commencement exercises for the Scranton class were held May 13. Harry Payne gave the commencement address and diplomas were delivered by Supt. E. L. Elms.

Membership of the class is as follows: Louise Hull, Morrell Ray, Bobby Blackwell, Eayne McCorkle, John Hull and Bobby Gattis.

Reese Huddleston Graduates From Cisco J-College

Reese Huddleston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen T. Huddleston, 412 S. Connellie Street, was one of the Cisco Junior College graduates. His major was in Bible, and plans to attend the Nazarene Church College, Bethany Penial, in Oklahoma.

Area OIL News

EASTLAND COUNTY—Gorman Following is the report on activities in the Gorman Field for Friday, May 28:

Commercial Production No. 1, Hirst moving in on location.

Commercial Production moving in on the No. 1 Roy Parker. Mr. Gaines of Commercial Production shows the good sport and good loser which everyone admires so much in his attitude about having been unlucky in his two latest attempts. He says "You always expect a few dry holes. That makes the game interesting and also makes you appreciate the real pay when you find it." Mr. Gaines did find a good well in his first digging in this area and, undaunted, he is locating on two more as of today, (Friday.)

Man and Griffin drilling on the N. O. Whitfield at 2704.

Coast Oil is swabbing the J. S. Gilmore preparatory to installing pumping unit.

Coast Oil is drilling the No. 1 T. N. Seay at 1000 feet.

W. B. Johnson No. 6 Watson setting up a new location. Will skid rigs today, (Friday).

W. B. Johnson waiting on swab truck on the Ireland Watson No. 2.

Oil personnel noted in and out of the Gorman Hotel lobby:

Guest list Friday at the hotel included L. Morgan of Pasadena, California, consulting geologist; Roy Gaines, Sinton; Mr. Osborn, Alice; Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. Mellard, San Antonio; Joe Baldwin, Wichita; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harmon, Gainesville.

Aid Rushed To Flooded Areas

PORTLAND, Ore. May 29 (UP)—Army troops and coast guardsmen rushed to aid thousands of volunteers today in a battle against floods which drove 20,000 persons from their homes in Washington, British Columbia, Oregon, Idaho and Montana.

Officials said the flood situation was turning into a full-scale disaster as mountain snows melted and churned rivers and streams into unbridled torrents.

High School "Grads" Get Diplomas; Outstanding Students Get Rewards

The graduation exercises given by the Senior Class at the Eastland high school auditorium Friday night was an excellent program. Col. Don Brashear opened the program with the procession and Rev. J. B. Blunk gave the invocation.

Conner Van Hoy played "Carnival of Venice" on the cornet, accompanied by Miss Martha June Morehart at the piano, which was well presented.

Miss Jan Spalding, Salutatorian, gave the welcome and gave a splendid address. Betty Ann Harkrider sang "Ave Maria," (Schubert) accompanied at the piano by Miss Morehart and Violin Obligato by Miss Glenna Johnson, all of which was beautifully given.

Superintendent W. G. Womack made the presentation of certificates and awards. Frank Sparks, chairman of the school board, presented the diplomas.

Benediction was by Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck.

The following awards were presented: Miss Mary Halkias, Valedictorian of the Senior Class of Eastland High School was awarded a scholarship to any College in the State for having the highest average over a period of four years, which was 97.54. Miss Halkias was also awarded a medal and a year's subscription to Readers Digest.

Miss Jan Spalding, Salutatorian, was awarded a scholarship to

Memorial Day Services To Be Sunday At 4 P.M.

RANGER, Tex. May 30 —

The Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion assisted by the Veterans of Foreign Wars and Spanish-American War will conduct Memorial Day Services at Evergreen Cemetery, Sunday afternoon, May 30, at 4 o'clock. The following program has been announced by Post Commander of the American Legion, R. H. Hansford, who will be assisted by the American Legion Auxiliary, the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, and the Ralph McKinley Post of the V. F. W. and the Sam McKinon Camp of the Spanish War Veterans.

1. Presentation of colors.
2. Invocation—Chaplain Jasper C. Masseege.
3. Placing of wreaths on crosses of Carl Barnes and Ralph McKinley—Post Commander Don Butler of the V. F. W. and Post Commander R. H. Hansford of the American Legion.
4. Placing of wreath and flag on Memorial Plot—Gold Star Mothers.

5. Placing of wreaths and sprays at each Memorial Cross—Auxiliaries of American Legion and V. F. W.
6. Song—Quartet.
7. General Logan's Proclamation for Memorial Day—Carl White.
8. In Flander's Field—Jo Oyster.
9. Memorial Day Message—Chaplin Masseege.

10. Roll Call of all deceased veterans—Capt. Beverly Dudley Jr.
11. Firing Squad—Commanded by Bobbie Robinson.
12. Taps—Richard Martin.

Colors will be flown at half-mast until sundown. All Veterans of the Armed Services are asked to be present at the services. The public is urged to attend.

Members of the VFW Post and Legion Post at Eastland will attend the services in a body.

Grand Jury Is Dismissed After Final Report

The 91st district grand jury impaneled by Judge Geo. L. Davenport a week or two ago, made its final report for the term last Friday and was discharged.

The report list five true bills, one of which was a charge of assault with intent to murder.

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HELP WANTED: Fuller's Steam Laundry. Phone 261.

French Healthier Since Liberation

PARIS (UP)—Heart disease was the No. 1 killer in France in 1946, the first post-war government survey of health showed.

Alcoholism, which reached its peak in the jittery depression year of 1933, hardly rates it all today as a cause of death in France.

The survey also showed that the death rate per 10,000 inhabitants in France was on a sharp decline since occupation. For example, in 1938, before the war, 155 people died yearly per 10,000 persons. That rose to 188 in 1942, a bitter year under the German occupation, but now has settled (for the year 1946) to 134, a proof that health conditions in France are improving.

Cancer and tuberculosis, two of the world's potent killers were on a slight decline in France over the occupation years.

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Western Allies, With Eye On Future, in Favor of Fezzan "Occupation"

By ROBERT D. GRAFF
 United Press Staff Correspondent
 PARIS (UP) — Seventeen French soldiers are holding on to a piece of land in the Sahara no bigger than the state of Texas. It has great strategic value in wartime and perhaps hidden oil reserves worth millions below the shifting sands.

The area is known as the Fezzan. It doesn't show on most maps as such, but it is a huge stomach-shaped territory in southern Libya extending up in a narrow corridor to the sea between Tripoli and the eastern border of Tunisia.

What makes Fezzan important is that it connects Algeria and Tunisia with French Equatorial Africa. It gives France a solid block of territory between the Mediterranean and ports along the West African coast such as Dakar, Accra and Lagos.

It makes a continuous war-time supply line possible. Any oil that might be found beneath the sand would be an added prize.

In 1942, Gen. Jacques Philippe Leclerc's second armored division marched to the Mediterranean from Lake Tchad. En route he occupied the Fezzan. The French have never moved out.

Diplomatic sources close to the French foreign minister say France intends to stay there, even should the rest of Libya be returned to Italy by agreement among the victorious allies.

There are many signs pointing that way. The French last month issued an Algerian airmail stamp showing a plane flying over a map of the Fezzan.

The French also have sealed the Fezzan off from the rest of Libya by erecting road blocks on the roads south of Tripoli which force traffic through Tunisia.

French military government in Tunisia currently is responsible for feeding its 17 men and for controlling the tribes in the windswept Fezzan.

Naturally, the Arab nationalist movements in North Africa are excited. At Cairo, Arab League headquarters has made a formal protest with the Allied Treaty Commission dealing with disposal of Italian colonies.

However, diplomatic sources

said the United States and Great Britain, presumably for strategic reasons, are known to favor French possession of the Fezzan.

That means, those sources said, that despite any shouting and fuss France probably would end up in possession of the territory it grabbed during the last war.

French eyes are less on the last war than on the possibility of the next war and such oasis as Chadames and Anat would provide planes and heavy bombers.

For the past decade, Fritz A. Toepperwein and his wife have been writers of juvenile fiction. Their headquarters is a 36 acre farm near here.

Not only is their business a way of making a living for the Toepperweins—they love children and many hours of research and planning goes into every booklet the couple put out.

Before he wrote one of his best-sellers among youngsters called "The Little Valley Quail," Toepperwein encamped for 34 days on the Rio Grande river where quail are thick.

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 Earl Conner, Jr.
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For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh District
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For County Judge
 P. L. Crossley (re-election).
For Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1
 E. E. Wood, (re-election).

For Constable Precinct No. 1:
 J. D. (Dug) Barton (Re-Election).

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
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They even are using some of Lucian F. Toepperwein's hand-made presses and bookbinders that he brought from the old country.

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His current book, "Uncle Kris and His Pets," was read and criticized for many months by Boerne children and children in the Houston school system, before it was published.

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EARL CARROLL, famed California showman, selected the girls pictured above, as the beauties of Mary Hardin-Baylor college for the 1948 Blue Bonnet, college yearbook. Chosen most beautiful, at top, left to right, are Misses Dorothy Hooks, Newman, Calif.; Gloria Strange, Temple; Rosemary Blackwell, Cuero; Betty McCann, Kirbyville, Mo.; Bottom, Annidine Richardson, Decatur, Ga.; Virginia Hartman, San Antonio; Glenella Grant, Fort Worth; and Norma Riddle, Dallas.

How Small Can They Get?



Here's the new claimant to the world's smallest-dog crown. This chihuahua from McAllen, Tex., weighs one and three-quarter ounces, and likes to take naps on a lemon. Mrs. G. F. Wetz, of Alamo, Tex., owns the pup. The former champion was a 2 1/2-ounce dog from Houston, Tex., which could sit in a cup.

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Where Salmon Go In Deep Sea To Be Quest Subject

By Jack B. Evans United Press Staff Correspondent SEATTLE (UP)—They're going to take a look into the home life of deep sea fish along the West Coast. The denizens of the seas won't have any more privacy than gold fish in a bowl. The fisheries departments of California, Oregon and Washington have formed a tri-state commission to study the habits of fish. Part of the study will concern salmon, especially silvers and chinooks.

C. L. Anderson, assistant director of Washington state fisheries, said that of the five species of salmon which make up the \$36,000,000 a year industry, only silvers and chinooks are landed in all three states. Heretofore, the home life of the salmon in deep water has been kept pretty well secret. "We know about salmon when they hit fresh-water streams. What happens then is obvious," Anderson said. "We want to know where they go as they streak through the salt seas. That's got us baffled."

Anderson said the commission will start by tagging silvers and chinooks caught by trawlers. "We'll send men out on boats," Anderson said. "They will remove a certain number of hooked fish carefully so as not to injure them. The fish will be tagged through the dorsal fin, then measured and released."

A comparatively small number—several thousand—of tagged fish should do the trick, Anderson said. "Gallup takes only a few sample polls and usually can predict the outcome of elections. It should work with fish, he said. "We should be able to tell by this method where they go."

When tagged fish are caught, the fishermen will look at the discs and relay the information to the departments stating where they were caught. "Thus, we will be able to solve the mystery," he said. "There are more fish in the sea than have ever been caught."

Anderson said silvers and chinooks are caught from California, to Alaska, both commercially and by sportsmen.

Treed Cat Offers Much Excitement

OCEANSIDE, Cal. (UP)—Police officer Tony Telebar answered a telephone call from an excited woman who reported that her dog had treed a cat near her home.

As Telebar arrived on the scene, the dog left the treed cat and chased the officer. The cat then jumped from the tree and bounded down a canyon. The dog switched back after the cat and again treed the feline. This time the officer turned a flashlight on the tree and saw—not a housecat—but a full grown wildcat.

He fired his service revolver and the animal fell from the tree into a clump of bushes. There were many snarls and growls from the area but Telebar declined to approach the wounded cat. In the morning there was no sign of either a dead or wounded wildcat.

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Press Photographer Queen



Miss Peggy Sullivan, 22, Dallas, Texas, model was chosen from 19 other contestants at Vickery Park Amusement Center in Dallas, to be "Miss Dallas-Fort Worth Press Photographer." Miss Sullivan will represent the Dallas-Fort Worth Press Photographer Assn. at the National Convention in Atlantic City, where a Nation Queen will be chosen. (NEA Telephoto)

Eminent Scientist Proclaims His Belief In Divine Rule Of Universe

By JOSEPH L. MYLER United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON (UP)—A lifetime of scientific research has convinced Dr. Robert A. Millikan that there really is a Divinity that guides man's destiny.

Many men of science have been agnostic. They believe that life and the universe could be explained without recourse to God. But the 80-year old Noble Prize winner, retired now as president of the California Institute of Technology, holds that "a purely materialistic philosophy is... the height of unintelligence."

Millikan proclaimed his views at a meeting here of the American Physical Society. No scientist has delved more deeply into the mechanisms of matter. It was Millikan who first determined the charge and mass of the electron, the tiniest known particle in the universe. He told the country's leading physicists that "wise men in all the ages have seen enough to at least make them reverent." He quoted Dr. Albert Einstein as saying:

"It is enough for me to contemplate the mystery of conscious life perpetuating itself through all eternity; to reflect upon the marvelous structure of the universe, which we can dimly perceive, and to try humbly to comprehend even an infinitesimal part of the intelligence manifested in nature."

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But belief in God is not to be little man, Millikan believes. "For while the Great Architect had to direct alone the earlier stages of the evolutionary process," Millikan said, "that part of Him that became us—for we are certainly inside, not outside, creation's plan—has been stepping up amazingly the pace of vegetable, animal and human evolution since we began to become conscious of the part we had to play."

"It is our sense of responsibility for playing our part to the best of our ability that makes us God-like." Millikan cited instances in the

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war when, in his view, "something other than any demonstrable superiority of the allied performance tipped the scales in our favor."

"Almost a turn of a hair in some, if not most, of these events," he said, "and civilization might have been doomed. But it was saved."

"Shall I say by human agents? Yes, in part, for we are certainly a part of the great evolutionary scheme."

"Just how we fit into the plans of the Great Architect and how much He has assigned us to do, we do not know, but if we fail in our assignment it is pretty certain that part of the job will be left undone. "But fit in we certainly do somehow, else we would not have a sense of our own responsibility. A purely materialistic philosophy is to me the height of unintelligence."

Liver Output Increased McAllen, Tex. (UP)—Cattle men of the Lower Rio Grande Valley say the livers of steers fed on dehydrated citrus peel and pulp are bigger and redder than livers of steers on ordinary feed. The cattlemen claim the grapefruit and orange diet contains vitamins A, B, C, D, and P.

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Presbyterians Sacrifice For Church Fund

Sunday, May 30th, will be observed in Presbyterian churches throughout the nation as a day of sacrifice and giving for the completion of the \$27,000,000 Restoration Fund for overseas church relief and rehabilitation.

The day will be marked by special sermons, literature distribution, and the calling in of Restoration Fund pledges and contributions. The campaign is now in its final phase after close to three years of intensive effort in the country's 8604 Presbyterian churches to raise the fund, the largest single project ever undertaken by the Presbyterian Church.

Restoration funds raised thus far have been spent for repairing, rebuilding, and restaffing war damaged mission institutions of the Church in the Orient, for European relief and rehabilitation, and in this country, for meeting the unprecedented de-

mand for churches and church services in new communities developed as the result of population shifts during the war years. In the past three years church building grants from Restoration funds for new churches alone in war industries communities have totaled more than 100.

As of April 30th, Restoration fund expenditures for Europe total \$3,121,177; for missions rehabilitation in the Orient, \$6,828,201; for relief work in the Orient, \$790,435; for orphaned missions, \$84,712; for Presbyterian colleges and G. I. student work, \$750,606; for ministering to men in service, \$1,431,932; for the Presbyterian Pension Fund, \$2,510,709; for Bible printing and distribution through the American Bible Society, \$171,550; for work in this country, \$2,117,833.

Theft or Barter?

TACOMA, Wash. (UP)—Mrs. Paul A. Olson returned home from a trip and found that someone had entered her home and stolen several articles of her underclothing. But in return she found a two-piece woman's suit and four skirts lying in neat order on her bed.

Special Service For Methodist Church Today

Two special services are arranged for the Methodist Church, Sunday, May 30. At the 10:55 Morning Service, the congregation will observe Memorial Day with a period of silence in which they will honor the men who gave their lives in battle to protect American and preserve this country's freedom.

The choir will sing the anthem "Give Ear, O Shepherd of Israel" and the pastor, Rev. E. R. Gordon, will bring the sermon on the topic, "A Description of Faith." The general public is invited to this service.

At 5:30 p. m. a special service for the young people has been arranged. The pastor will bring a sermon on the topic "Is It Wrong To Dance." The service is being called at 5:30 so that all the young people of our community may attend without neglecting the services at their prospective churches. The entire public is invited to this service and especially all young people and parents who have children under 20 years of age.

Personal

Mrs. Charlie Fields and son of San Angelo are visiting relatives and friends here and attended the graduation exercises Friday night.

Mrs. Robert Cornute and children Miller Bob and Kala of Seminole, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hood, South Seaman Street. Mrs. Cornute has returned home but the children remained for a longer visit.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, Betty and Bob, plan to attend a recital given by Mrs. C. C. Perrino in Ft. Worth at the Ridgela Methodist Church. Mrs. Perrino is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson and is also director of the choir at the Ridgela Church.

Bob Ferguson, law student and senior at the State University, will be home this week-end. He will receive his B. A. degree on the 31. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson.

Mrs. W. S. George is in Harris Memorial hospital in Fort Worth for a physical examination.

Mrs. R. L. Watson received bad bruises Friday morning when she was struck by a bicycle and knocked to the ground. She was not sure Saturday morning as to just what the injuries were. A boy about 11 or 12 years of age was on the bi-

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
"Ancient and Modern Neuro-rancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 30.

The Golden Text is "He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son" (Revelation 21:7).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "When thou art come into the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee, thou shalt not learn to do after the abominations of those nations" (Deuteronomy 18:9).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Erring human find forces can

cycle and stopped and rendered aid.

Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church announces, there will not be a meeting of the Society Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Samuels of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Wightmer and their son David of Fort Worth are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Samuels.

Spark Plug Heir Wins British Golf Tourney

SANDWICH, Eng. May 29 (UP)—Frank Strasshan of Toledo, O., amateur heir to a \$10-million fortune, won the British amateur golf championship today by defeating Charles Stone of Britain 55 and 4 in a decisive rain-storm.

That a British amateur championship ever has been in 53 years, the rivals wound up all even at the end of the morning 18-hole round before Strasshan came through with some speculative golf to close out the match on the 32nd hole.

In the 19th American to win the title Strasshan piled up most of his victory margin on the afternoon nine holes of the afternoon round, gaining a 4-up edge.

Question and Answer
MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Norman Moore, police investigator, asked a key question of a suspected thief and got a confession. "Why didn't you steal a ham or bacon or something to eat?" Moore asked. "Why steal soap?" "But that was a drug store," the suspect said.

Neither botanists nor physicists can explain satisfactorily the process by which sap rises to the top of trees, reports Don Fowler, researcher of the Davey Tree Expert Co.

work only evil under whatever name or pretence they are employed; for Spirit and matter, good and evil, light and darkness, can not mingle" (page 186.)

Arabs Making Gains In Holy Land Fighting

CAIRO, May 29 (UP)—High Arab sources reported today that Arab armies invading Israel had cleared within some 15 miles of Tel Aviv from the southeast and within six miles of Netanya, the Jewish capital's coastal outpost to the north.

Authoritative Arab reports from Amman suggested that Trans-Jordan and Iraq forces in twin jabs at the rich coastal plain around Tel Aviv were trying out the chance for a pincer push against the Israel capital.

Units of the Arab legion moved into Lydda and Ramleh, the Arab dispatches said, taking over from irregulars who had been holding the twin bastions south of Tel Aviv and neighboring Jaffa.

Doubts Felt For British, Russian Peace Plans

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y. May 29 (UP)—Informed sources doubted that either the British or Russian plans for dealing with the Palestine crisis would survive the United Nations Security Council votes on the issue today.

France stood by with a proposal for salvaging at least a cease-fire arrangement to halt the warfare in Jerusalem. While Jews have surrendered the mile-square old city to the Arabs, some UN members still hoped to stop the fighting in the rest of the Holy City.

Doctor at Last
CORNISH, N.H. (UP)—After getting along for 40 years without a physician, this town of 800 population, now has its own one—Dr. Carl Comstock, Jr., a World War II veteran.

Woman, U. S. Attorney For Law Careers

LAREDO, Tex. (UP)—The only woman assistant U. S. district attorney in Texas likes her work and insists there is a definite place in law for women.

Miss Lou Nora Foster of the Houston district attorney's office was here for a term of federal court. The attractive, brown-haired attorney said she noted a lack of prejudice from her fellow workers against a woman holding such a position.

"They treat me like any man. Nor do they give me a lighter load to carry," she said.

Excuse Goes Across
DETROIT (UP)—Eddie Dozier 29, came up with a quick explanation for his failure to appear in traffic court. "My rooming house burned down and the traffic ticket went with it," he said. Judge Murby suspended sentence.



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Current News Of Baptist Church Activities

The preaching services at the First Baptist Church seem to be growing in interest and numbers. Since October of 1947 94 new members have been added and 7 are waiting baptism. In this time \$12,359.53 has been raised for all causes. The church has \$4,725.05 in the building fund and is now getting ready to redecorate the present building. After this, it is planned to build an educational building to take care of the growing situation.

This Sunday evening the Young People will take over the services. At 7:00. The Training Union has planned a very interesting program to be led by E. L. Middleton. Following the Training Union the young people will have charge of the worship service. Charles McIlveene, who has been Youth Leader in the church for several months will preach. Due to the illness of his mother he has had to resign his work to go and be with her.

During the month of June church membership is to be stressed. The members are asked to be examples from every standpoint and to show their loyalty by church attendance at every service. It is also the months in which each member is urged to catch up with offerings which may have been neglected. June 20 is to be roll call Sunday in which the members are to answer the roll.

The church now has two nursery departments, one year, two and three year. In the one year nursery a germkill lamp has been installed which destroys contagious germs.

Today's (Sunday) morning service the pastor's subject will be "The Disturbing Gospel."

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Displaced Persons Problem Discussed By Catholic Group

Diocesan directors appointed by their Ordinaries to direct the work of the National Catholic Resettlement Council in the State of Texas met at the Chancery Building, (Dwyer Avenue.) San Antonio, to discuss the problem of the displaced persons in Europe.

"Preliminary studies already made, reveal that there are considerable opportunities for displaced persons in the small towns and rural communities of Texas," Msgr. John O'Grady, Secretary of the National Conference of Catholic Charities, who has come to attend the meeting, announced.

"The work of the committees which have been organized in the various dioceses is a part of a general plan that is being developed in other dioceses throughout the United States under the auspices of the National Catholic Resettlement Committees in Texas are confident they can show that the opportunities existing in the State can be filled by the disabled persons without interfering with employment or housing facilities for American workers. Studies made in many other states lead to the

same conclusion."

Pointing out that the United States government is contributing heavily to the maintenance of the displaced persons' in camps in Germany, Austria and Italy, Msgr. O'Grady said, "our government is also committed to giving these people an opportunity for resettlement in other countries, and is presently trying to prevail on those countries to accept their fair share of the DP's but it is very difficult to carry out this responsibility unless we also do our share."

The providing of a haven for the displaced persons is in line with the tradition and policy of the United States to provide a home for persecuted people of other countries, Msgr. O'Grady said. "It is assumed that they will be admitted on the basis of adequate evidence of the existence of employment opportunities and of suitable housing for them."

His Honor Fines Himself
 FRANKLIN, O (UP)—Charles G. Black, council president, was acting mayor in the absence of Mayor J. T. Riley. Black received a parking ticket. The acting mayor, also serving as municipal judge, fined himself \$1.

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Plenty Of Accidents But She Survives

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During the war a ton of rubber and cloth matting slid from a carrier crane. Mrs. Pafford was partly buried, suffering a leg injury.

Three years ago Mrs. Pafford was in an automobile accident in which the car was demolished. And now Mrs. Pafford is recovering from another accident—she fell out of a taxicab.

Embarrassing Moment
 DENVER (UP)—The young man was more embarrassed than most traffic offenders when Judge Hubert D. Henry fined him \$15 or careless driving and taking the right-of-way.

But he was even more red-faced when the judge offered to suspend \$10 of the fine if George W. Ashford would attend the police traffic school.

"Uh, well I can't do that, Judge," Ashford stammered. "You see, I'm traffic instructor at North High School."

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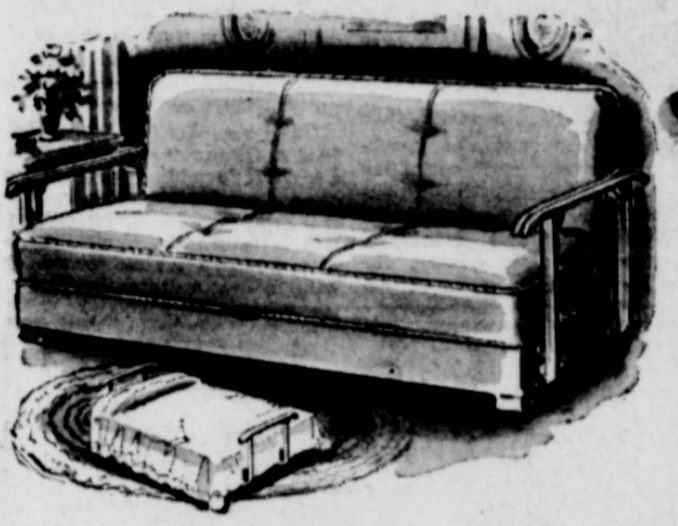
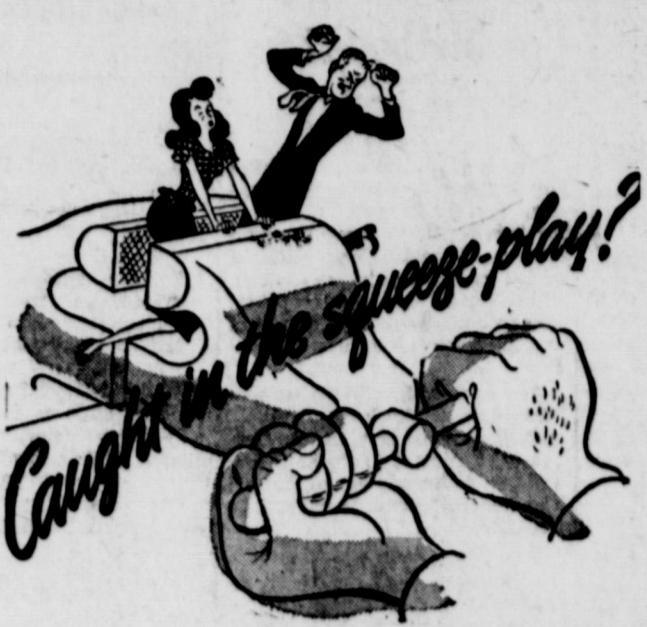
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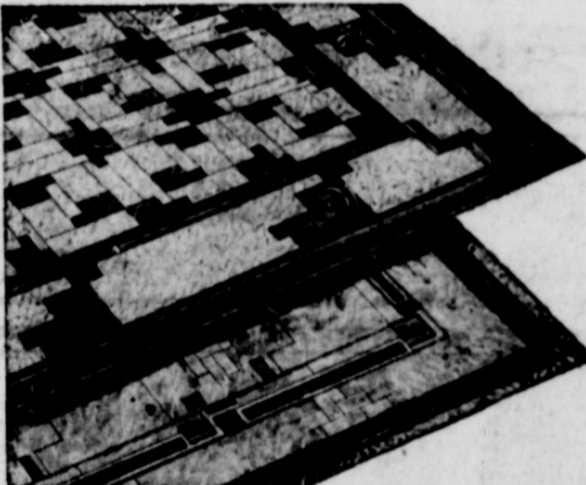
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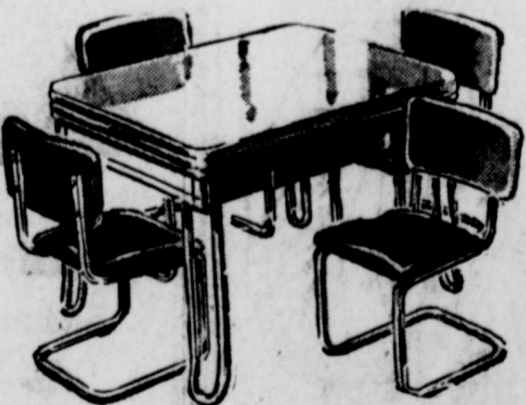
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