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NEA FEATURE SERVICE

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Israel Refuses To Surrender Negev Desert Area

Jet Pilot Makes Safe Sidewalk Landing



Army officers and mechanics examine a fallen F-84 jet fighter which crashed on a Hempstead, N. Y., sidewalk shortly after taking off from nearby Mitchell Field. The pilot, Maj. Raymond F. Johnson of Westbury, N. Y., managed to avoid crashing into nearby group of newly-built houses, and escaped without injury. — (NEA Telephoto).

4-H Club Boys Feeding Calves Spring Shows

Eastland County Agricultural Agent J. M. Cooper extends an invitation to those interested to go on tours Saturday, November 20 and Saturday November 27, to see the beef calves being fed for next spring shows by Eastland County 4-H boys.

On Saturday, November 20, the group will meet at the school house at Morton Valley at 9:00 o'clock a. m. From there a visit will be made to see the calves of Gerald Williamson, Guy Warden, Joe Ben Koonce, Jerry and Joe Buckley, and Bob and Bryan Gailey.

Saturday, November 27, the group will assemble at 9:00 a. m. on the hill five blocks west of the street lights in Cisco on Highway 80 by J. E. Spencer's peach stand. From here they will go to see the calves of Sonny and Frank Dittmore, Don and Dan Jobe and Glen and Jovita Fleming.

Bring your lunch with you. Lunch will be eaten where ever the group should happen to be at noon time.

Both tours should be completed by 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

Social Security Representative Be Here Nov. 18

E. Glen McNatt, field representative of the Ablene office of the Social Security Administration, will be at the Eastland Army Recruiting Office at 10:00 a. m. on Thursday, November 18. Persons wishing to file retirement or death claims, or having social security problems to discuss, should call as soon after 10:00 a. m. as possible.

"Going to work on a new job without showing your social security card to the employer is as big a gamble as putting money in a bank without giving your name," says Mr. McNatt, "your wages can't be posted to your Old-Age and Survivors Insurance account, just like your money can't be credited to your bank account. And the chances are that your Federal insurance account is more valuable than your bank account."

"Every three months," Mr. McNatt says, "your employer must report your wages to the Social Security Administration, to be posted to your Old-Age and Survivors Insurance account. He must show the number of your account on the same line with your name and the amount of wages he paid to you. The number on your social security card is the number of your insurance account. If you don't show your card to your employer, he can't have your account number on his report. And you can't get credit for your wages."

"You want to be certain that all of your wages are posted to your account," Mr. McNatt says, "because the retirement or survivors benefits that you and your family will collect is a percentage of the wages that have been entered into your account. The way to assure that all of your wages will be posted is to show your social security card to each employer at the time that he puts your name on his payroll."

Expiration Date For Regulation W Registration

The Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas calls the attention of persons and firms engaged in the business of making installment loans and installment sales of "listed articles" that the period for filing the registration statement required by Regulation W will expire on November 19, 1948. For purposes of Regulation W listed articles comprise the following items of consumer durable goods: cooking stoves, dishwashers, irons, refrigerators, washing machines, combination units of any of the foregoing, air conditioners, radios, or television sets, sewing machines, suction cleaners, furniture and rugs, and automobiles. Articles having a cash price of less than \$50 are exempted.

While a substantial number of persons and firms have already submitted registration statements, others apparently subject to the regulation have not done so. Attention is called to the fact that such a statement should be filed by November 19, regardless of whether the registrant had filed a statement under the provisions of the old Regulation W in effect prior to November 1, 1947. Persons desiring information or registration statement forms should communicate with the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas or the branch (El Paso, Houston, and San Antonio) which serves the territory in which the registrant is located.

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Carbon Rites This Afternoon For J. T. Foley

Funeral services were being held at 3:00 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church in Carbon, for John T. Foley, 64, Eastland County farmer residing south of Carbon, who was killed about 6:00 p. m. Saturday evening on State Highway No. 6 between Eastland and Carbon, when his 1931 model A Ford collided head-on with a 1941 Model Ford driven by Ulysess E. Westmoreland of Gorman.

P. A. Zeissel, patrolman for the State Department of Public Safety station at Eastland, reported that the Foley car cut in front of the machine being driven by Westmoreland. Westmoreland was not injured but both cars were demolished.

Forrestal On Way Home From Ger.

FRANKFURT, Nov. 15, (UP)—U. S. Defense Secretary James Forrestal, who said yesterday that he wants to quit the cabinet, left for the United States today by special plane.

He wound up a flying inspection tour of Western Europe with a conference with Lt. Gen. Clarence Huber, commander of troops in the American zone of Germany. He took off from the Rhine main airport near Frankfurt.

Forrestal said that when he was elevated from secretary of the Navy he sent his resignation to President Truman, and "the date of termination of my resignation is at his disposal."

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W. R. Cole Resigns, Goes To Internal Revenue Office

W. R. Cole, who for some time has been Eastland County deputy Tax Assessor-Collector, has resigned, and has accepted a position as Deputy Internal Revenue Collector, located in Eastland.

Mr. Cole is said to be a very capable man. He is a steward in the Methodist church and is active in civic organizations.

THE WEATHER

By United Press
East Texas—Partly cloudy west, mostly cloudy east portion this afternoon and tonight. Warmer this afternoon. Tuesday partly cloudy, gentle to moderate mostly easterly winds on the coast.

West Texas—Fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday. Cooler in Panhandle this afternoon.

PROMISE TO FIGHT ALL ATTEMPTS TO REGAIN HOLY LAND TERRITORY

BY ROBERT J. MANNING
United Press Staff Correspondent

PARIS, Nov. 15 — (UP)—Moshe Shertok, foreign minister of Israel, told the United Nations today that the Jewish state never will surrender the Negev Desert area of southern Palestine. He promised "bloody battles" against any force which might seek to take it.

Opening the long-delayed debate on Palestine's future in the 58-Nation political committee, Shertok bluntly and in warlike words rejected the chief provision of the proposal of the assassinated UN mediator Count Folke Bernadotte for Holy Land settlement.

Shertok also appealed for early UN membership for the new Jewish state, and urged the UN to take prompt action to force out of all Palestine the armies of neighboring Arab states which invaded last spring after the 30-year British mandate ended.

As Shertok spoke in the political committee, the UN Security Council, meeting in another room of the white marble Palais de Chaillot, was debating a new Canadian resolution which would have the council order and force an Arab-Jewish armistice as a prelude to final peace settlement.

Shertok not only said the Jewish state would hold the Negev by force if necessary, but also asserted that the

Israeli would maintain their present hold on all of Galilee, in northern Palestine.

Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian delegate, urged that the Council direct the opposing forces to comply with a full armistice and to take the necessary steps to establish a broad no man's land between their armies.

McNaughton introduced a resolution in the Council to carry out this plan, which would follow roughly the lines of a plan proposed by Dr. Ralph Bunche, acting UN mediator for Palestine, that the terms of the armistice would be fuller than Bunche had suggested.

France and Belgium indicated they would back the Canadian plan, which was designed to supplant the present shaky truce in Palestine but not to interfere with the General Assembly's efforts to achieve a permanent Arab-Jewish settlement.

But Faris El Khoury of Syria, Security Council spokesman for the Arab nations, promptly declared that the Arabs never would accept such an armistice plan because it would "prejudice" the political situation in Palestine.

El Khoury also demanded that the Council immediately investigate reports of alleged shipments of arms to the Israeli from "certain European states" in defiance of the UN embargo on all shipments of arms to the Holy Land.

This was the first reference in UN public debate to recent reports that American intelligence agents were investigating allegations that a secret airline from Czechoslovakia to Palestine was carrying arms and supplies to the new Jewish state.

Meanwhile the 58-nation political committee bogged down in a fight over Korea.

Russia and Czechoslovakia asked action on their proposal that representatives of the Communist government of North Korea be invited to participate in the coming UN debate on Korea.

After extended debate, the political committee voted 38 to 6 against the Russian-Czechoslovak move to invite North Korean participation in Korea debate.

Then the committee knocked down an Arab move to postpone the Palestine debate until the Security Council had finished its consideration of the question. The vote was 26 to 6.

Holiday Displays Start Store Blaze

DALLAS, Tex. Nov. 15 (UP)—Christmas decorations at Sanger Bros. department store burst into flames last night, causing damage estimated at \$400 to \$500.

Battalion Chief W. R. Cox of the Dallas fire department said a short in Christmas wiring apparently set fire to a Christmas tree which towered three stories above the street.

Cox said most of the damage was to decorations and several windows which cracked from the heat.

Several hundred persons gathered on the streets as a large array of fire fighting equipment sped to the scene, but the excitement-hungry crowd manifested disappointment at the flame was brought quickly under control.

FRENCH PREMIER BRACES FOR TWO-WAY ATTACKS

By Joseph W. Grigg
United Press Staff Correspondent
PARIS, Nov. 15 (UP)—Premier Henri Queuille bolstered his coalition government today against an anticipated two-way assault from Communists and the Rightists forces of Gen. Charles de Gaulle's rally of the French people.

Rough sledding appeared in prospect for Queuille always shaky "third force" regime made up of middle-road parties when parliament reopens tomorrow after its annual holiday.

De Gaulle had strengthened his position in the council of the Republic—the upper house of the French Parliament—in elections yesterday in the French African colonies, and appeared prepared to hamstring all legislation. He hoped to bring about dissolution of the National Assembly, forcing new elections, which probably would return him to the power he held just after the liberation.

But Queuille was not prepared to surrender. The aging professional politician—he held many minor government posts, before he became premier as a compromise candidate two months ago—was rallying what support he has.

He managed to obtain the assurances of the Socialists and of the popular Republicans (MRP) that they would not abandon his coalition regime in the face of the stiffened opposition—but both put a high price on their loyalty.

The Socialists demanded swift government action to boost the shrinking buying power of French

Accident Victims Brought To West Texas Hospital

Three young men were brought to the West Texas Hospital in Ranger about 3 o'clock Sunday for treatment of injuries sustained in an accident about 25 miles east of Ranger on Highway 80.

Louis Pritchard of California was treated for minor injuries and released this morning. Louis Raines of Midland is still in the West Texas hospital being treated for a fractured skull and Royce Segal of Midland—who sustained a broken neck was taken to a Fort Worth Hospital Sunday for an emergency operation by a specialist.

According to reports of the accident, the three drove onto a slick stretch of road, sending the car out of control.

A check of Ranger hospitals and funeral homes this morning, revealed that no one had been brought into Ranger from an accident which was reported to have occurred east of Ranger about 8 o'clock this morning.

More "Virginia" peanuts and more "Virginia" tobacco are grown in North Carolina than in any other state.

Fire-safe ceramic tile floor and walls around the stove reduce kitchen fire hazards, according to fire safety experts.

TEXAS DROUTH WORST IN STATE SINCE YEAR 1917

BY BOB WEDDLE
United Press Staff Correspondent
DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 15 (UP)—The U. S. Weather Bureau in Dallas today pointed to the worst drouth in Texas since 1917 and held little hope for immediate relief.

Showers rumbled over the state yesterday, but the damp, clammy air failed to yield precipitation in sufficient quantities to be of much help toward slacking the thirst of the baked soil.

The showers generally netted a quarter of an inch or less. Farmers kept a weather eye peeled on the skies in hopes of seeing a general rain of three-inch proportions.

Observers agreed it would take that much to revive wilted grassland and fall grain crops. Also suffering from the prolonged drouth were water supplies in various Texas cities.

Dallas county passed its 124th day with only 1.88 inches of rainfall, while normal precipitation for the period is 11.06 inches—the most tenacious dry spell since the weather bureau was established here in 1913. Rainfall for the year was 8 inches below normal.

Heavy Truck Is Overturned When Axle Is Broken

A large Dow Chemical Company's pumper truck went into the ditch early this morning at a point nine miles north of Eastland on State Highway No. 6. The driver, Ira L. Theford of Graham, was uninjured. Estimated damage to the truck was \$1,000.

The truck was out of Graham and was headed for Brownwood. The axle of the right front wheel broke causing the machine to swerve into the bar ditch and overturn.

State Department of Public Safety Patrolmen Phillip Ziesell and Oscar Avera, investigated the accident.

Department of Public Safety patrolmen also reported two other minor car accidents on highways in this area but stated no one was injured.

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Cleburne Banker's Funeral Tuesday

FORT WORTH, Tex. Nov. 15 (UP)—Funeral services for Herman C. Custard, 51, Cleburne banker, will be held at 2 P. M. tomorrow in Cleburne.

Custard, also a prominent Cleburne civic leader, died in a Fort Worth hospital after being seriously ill the past month.

Born near Austin, he came to Cleburne in 1926 and helped found the Union Bank & Trust Co., serving as vice president. Two years later, he and his associates bought the Cleburne State Bank and consolidated the two institutions. The

Cleburne State Bank became the Cleburne National in 1934, and Custard was vice president and cashier. He was named president in 1934.

A special switch, designed to prevent fire when a motor vehicle overturns, is available. It automatically cuts off engine ignition the moment a vehicle tips to an angle of 45 degrees or more.

The University of Illinois football team got its name "Illini" from the tribe of Indians for which the state was named.

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PRINCESS RESTING AS BRITAIN CHEERS BIRTH

BY BRUCE MUNN

United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, Nov. 15 (UP)—

Princess Elizabeth rested comfortably at Buckingham Palace today after the birth of her first son, a prince who may some day be the king, and all Britain threw off its somber austerity reserve for a rousing celebration.

The prince second in line to the British throne after his mother, arrived at 9:14 P. M. (4:14 P. M. EST) yesterday. Elizabeth 22, was in labor less than two hours, and the delivery was understood to have been relatively easy.

A bulletin this morning from the palace, signed by two royal physicians who delivered the baby, said:

"Her Royal Highness the Princess Elizabeth had some sleep during the night. Her condition and that of the infant prince is satisfactory."

Buckingham Palace announced shortly after 1 P. M. today that the prince weighed seven pounds, six ounces at birth. No mention of the baby's weight had been made in the first two bulletins, but newspaper reports had said the father, Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, first had been told his son weighed just over eight pounds.

The royal physicians, Sir William Gilliat and Sir John Weir, who stayed at the palace during the night, left directly after their morning bulletin was issued. Their departure was taken as a sign that they were eminently satisfied with the condition of both the princess and her son.

Several hundred persons gathered this morning before the palace where 10,000 massed last night when the birth was imminent and shouted their regard for the members of the royal family. Of Phillip they roared in unison, "for he's a jolly good fellow."

The clamoring crowd which dallied outside the palace until after midnight, so disturbed the princess at one time that palace functionaries asked the celebrators to be quiet and go home.

The birth was celebrated from Land's End to John O'Grants with the pealing of church bells, while British ships in the seven seas announced the respects of the Royal Fleet.

Massive Union Jacks floated in a lazy breeze from hundreds of office buildings in London. Newspapers, scarce at best on the short paper ration, sold out early to the long queues before newsstands. The first official celebrations began at 9:05 A. M. (4:05 A. M. EST) when salutes of 41 guns were fired by the Royal Navy at Portsmouth and other bases where British warships lay.

At 10:30 A. M. (5:30 A. M. EST) the Bells of Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's pealed forth their salute to the prince. Eight aged bellringers started a clangor at the abbey that would go on for three hours.

Some time today or tomorrow the duke will summon the registrar of births from Caxton Hall to Buckingham Palace. With no ceremony the prince will be registered as the son of "his Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh," occupation, "Naval officer," and "Her Royal Highness the Princess Elizabeth, Duchess of Edinburgh."

The entry will not even be made on a separate page.

In a recent year, New York University doctors were responsible for the medical care given to 45,000 bed patients and 250,000 out-patient visits at Bellevue Hospital.

Ponca City, Okla., is observing the 200th anniversary of the location of the first white settlement in what is now Oklahoma. It was established 200 years ago by French fur traders.

JUNIOR PILOTS LAUNCH DIZZY AERIAL CIRCUS

OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 15 (UP)—

Things were back to normal at the Oakland Municipal Airport today, but around the hangars and in the control tower they still were talking about two teen-age boys and the hectic take-off they made in a "borrowed" airplane.

In their take off the youths set the plane afire, used three different runways, forced an airliner to pull up, and scattered 30 Navy fighter planes like a covey of frightened quail.

Jimmy McCall, 15-year-old Alameda high school boy, and his pal Elmer Varvil, 16, launched an exciting afternoon yesterday when they decided to visit grandma in a

Culver Cadet, owned by R. G. Gillespie of Oakland. This without the knowledge of Gillespie.

The boys were at the airport when the urge came to visit grandma, a Mrs. McCay who lives 75 miles to the north in the little Stanislaus County town of Riverbank.

So they climbed in the Culver, regarded as a "hot-rod" by light plane enthusiasts, and started an unauthorized take off. Midway down the gravel light-plane runway, the left wheel on the Culver froze tight and started to smoke.

The tiny monoplane slied across on the main runway, where a two-engine Douglas DC-3 transport was landing. The airliner,

carrying three passengers and a crew of two, made a quick pull-up and wandered about for 10 minutes until the excitement was over.

But the boys still were headed for the wide blue, which at that moment looked mighty yonder. Pursued by the airport fire truck and trailing a cloud of smoke, they again headed down the field and again the wheel locked.

This time the Cadet crossed into another runway, directly into the path of 30 Navy fighter planes taking off on a training mission. The Navy yielded the right-of-way.

In the air at last, and with the wheels half retracted, the boys headed for grandma's. Behind them a frantic control tower operator called Gillespie and alerted the police.

It was an hour later when the wayward plane came in for a perfect wheels-up landing in a weed patch across the river from grandma's. The damage was a broken

propeller, a battered wing, a twisted under carriage and minor bruises.

As the sheriff's deputies arrived at the scene, unlicensed pilot McCay explained:

"After all, I've had about 20 hours instruction."

Grandma wasn't at home.

SUNDAY'S FOOTBALL

By United Press
National League
Philadelphia 45, Boston 0.
Chicago Cards 24, Pittsburgh 7.
Washington 46, Detroit 21.
Chicago Bears 7, Green Bay 6.
Los Angeles Rams 52, New York Giants 37.

All America Conference

New York Yankees 21, Brooklyn 7.
Baltimore 38, Chicago Rockets 24.
Los Angeles Dons 27, Buffalo 20.
Cleveland 14, San Francisco 7.

VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BL MERRILL BLOSSER



ALLEY OOP

BY V. T. HAMLIN



MARY WORTH'S FAMILY



KERRY DRAKE



HAIR-BREADTH HARRY



CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Food Expert, Coed Missing, and other words. Includes a small portrait of a woman.

Coed Missing



Lillian Debell, 17-year-old student at Colorado State College, Greeley, has been missing since Nov. 1, it was reported to police by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Debell of Arvada, Colo. The Debells reported their daughter missing after reading of the abduction and murder of a Colorado University coed, 18-year-old Theresa Foster. — (NEA Telephoto)

Fed Up on Diet



William Childs of Cleveland, Ohio, thought his 125-pound wife, Jean, above, was constructed of "too large a scale." So the amateur weight-lifter put her on an eight-day water diet and made her join him in weight-lifting so that she'd lose pounds. She got fed up, sued, and the judge said "Divorce granted."

Advertisement for TRYST by Elswyth Thane, featuring a couple's silhouette.

THE STORY: Dying in the... ed. Something had brought him suddenly nearer. Something was different. Something special... FATHER and Aunt Effie had nearly finished breakfast when she entered the dining room. "Darling!" cried Aunt Effie in astonishment, dropping the "Express." "You shouldn't have got out of bed without letting me know! But how well you look this morning!" "I had a lovely sleep," said Sabrina, with a secret smile for the dream. "Nobody could stay in bed on a morning like this!" She kissed them both lightly, and went to inspect the sideboard hot-plates. "What can I have to eat?" "I'll ask them to boil you a little egg," said Aunt Effie, and rang the bell. "Oh, Auntie, can't I have some bacon or something with it? I'm hungry!" "Do you hear that, Alan, she's hungry!" Sabrina had bacon and a boiled egg and two pieces of toast, well-buttered. She decided against a second cup of lukewarm tea when Aunt Effie left to do the ordering and Father escaped to his study. She drifted out to the garden. The snap-dragons were blooming at last. Pale yellow, peach and pink and dark crimson, they stood in sturdy ranks along the border. She bent and pinched one to make it gape, detached a full-blown bloom from a pillar rose to pull through her belt buckle, and glanced up at the windows of the L-shaped room as she always did from that part of the garden. They were closed, of course. All the bewildered mistrust of the room which had come upon her—in the chill gray twilight of her last visit had vanished over night, and she was able now to lay it to the weather, or to her illness, whatever it was, coming

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FOR SALE: C-88 R, Special Texas Form oil and gas lease.—Daily Telegram, Eastland.

FOR SALE: Two well-secured vendor lien notes. S. E. Price. Phone 426.

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TO: E. B. Ingram Defendant, Greeting!

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County at the Court House thereof, in Eastland, Texas at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 6th day of December A. D. 1948 then and there to answer Plaintiff's original Petition filed in said Court, on the 13th day of September A. D. 1948, in this cause, numbered 20,371 on the docket of said court and styled Lucille Ingram Plaintiff, vs. E. B. Ingram, Defendant.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: This is a suit for divorce, custody of children and partition of 35 acres of land, said land being the homestead of the parties, to this suit, and having a rock house thereon, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's original Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Eastland, Texas this 18th day of October A. D. 1948.

ROY LANE, Clerk, 91st Dist. Court, Eastland County, Texas.
By MATTIE DOYLE, Deputy. (SEAL)

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BY SPECIAL SPORTS WRITER

Races Tighten In Skate League

BY UNITED PRESS
The St. Paul Saints were closing in on the Kansas City Pla-Mors in the northern division of the United States Hockey League today while Fort Worth pulled in to a tie with Tulsa for the southern half lead.

The Saints broke out with six goals in the first two periods to down the Omaha Knights 7-5 last night for their eighth victory and 17 points, one less than the Pla-Mors, who remained at 18 points when they lost a 3-1 decision to the Minneapolis Millers. It was the second straight Miller victory over Kansas City.

The Fort Worth Rangers shaded Tulsa 3-2 at Fort Worth for their seventh victory and left each with 14 point in the standings.

No games were scheduled to night. Minneapolis plays at Omaha tomorrow night in the only league contest.

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Hey, It's Autumn



It may be leaf-falling season, but these won't. They're hung securely on the decorative Barbara Nichols who, for reasons unknown, was an exhibit at New York's National Hotel Exposition. Barbara and her big leaves were the hit of the show.

Unbeaten Roster Grows Slimmer

NEW YORK, Nov. 15 (UP)—It was getting mighty lonely today on the list of unbeaten and untied football teams with only 18 surviving perfect record outfits—some of them still there only after narrow brushes with disaster.

Of this number, five were so-called major college teams—Michigan, Notre Dame, Army, California and Clemson—and after what happened Saturday, it seemed likely that each will go the rest of the way unscathed.

Three of the teams, Notre Dame, Army, and Clemson, were forced to score touchdowns in the final period to preserve their winning records in games that found them up against highly inspired opposition.

Notre Dame barely beat Northwestern. Army had to score in the final 30 seconds to top Pennsylvania, and Clemson was extended all the way against Wake Forest.

McMurry Indians Lead Conference

By United Press
McMurry was out in front in the Texas Conference football race today, but has to win this week over Southwestern to clinch the championship.

The Indians outlasted Howard Payne in a 32-0 offensive show last week to take over the undisputed lead as Southwestern was upset by Hardin 14-7.

Hardin and Abilene Christian, which downed Austin College 45-6 last week, now share second place and can finish in a dead heat for the title if Hardin beats Austin College this week. Southwestern beats McMurry and ACC trims Howard Payne Thanksgiving Day. Or, Hardin could win it outright should McMurry lose and Howard Payne knock off Acc.

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Tardition Carried On

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (UP)—Midshipman Stephen Decatur VIII, a Great-great-grand-nephew of Commodore Stephen Decatur, hero of the war against the Barbary States in 1804, was a guest at Camp Decatur, reserve headquarters at the naval training center 2,000 naval R. O. T. C. midshipmen here. Young Decatur was one of brought here for amphibious warfare training.

The McMurry-Southwestern and Hardin-Austin games were the only ones scheduled this week.

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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

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AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 15 (UP)—Members of the Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., have undertaken a program that was announced today, to plant Texas wild flowers along the Blue Star Memorial highway from Gainesville to Lored.

The Texas Garden Clubs, which includes 457 clubs with a membership of 19,330 is affiliated with the Texas Highway Department to beautify property adjoining the state roads.

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 15, (UP)—Dallas services were set today for John M. Bogan, one of the nation's oldest telegraphers. He was 94.

Bogan died at his home here Saturday. He retired from the Western Union Telegraph Company in 1920 after long service in Louisiana and Texas.

ATHENS, Tex., Nov. 15 (UP)—President Truman could look forward today to enjoying a dish of Texas black-eyed peas.

The Athens chamber of commerce said it was shipping canned samples to the White House to prove that Athens is the "black-eyed pea capital of the world." Governors of Texas, Louisiana



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and Oklahoma also will receive samples, the chamber said. the Second National Bank of Houston.

DECATUR, Tex., Nov. 15 (UP)—The first of a group of soil conservation meetings in West Texas was scheduled to be held here today.

The other discussions will be held at Seymour Tuesday, Vernon Wednesday, Wellington Thursday, and Clarendon Friday.

West Texas conservation experts will discuss soil problems at the meetings, which are sponsored by the Burlington railway and

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Members of the Suzannah Wesley Class of the First Methodist church entertained with a 42 party complimenting their husbands, Friday night at the Woman's clubhouse.

Refreshments of pecan pie and coffee was served from the table laid in a lace cloth with a centerpiece arrangement of pink and white mums and white candles. Hostesses were Meses. W. G. Marquardt, W. R. Cole, R. N. Whitehead, "Dosh," McCreary, and Massengill. Fall garden flowers decorated the clubroom.

Present were Messrs. "Dosh" McCreary, Massengill, Marquardt, Cole, and Dr. Whitehead, Messrs. and Meses. R. D. McCrary, H. L. Hassell, J. M. Cooper, Frank Crowell, Meses. Henry Van Geem, E. J. Turner and hostess.

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Fort Worth Livestock Report

FORT WORTH, Nov. 15 (UP)—(USDA) — Livestock: Cattle 6,000; slow. Cows 25-50 lower, other classes around steady to weak. Common and medium steers, yearlings and heifers 17.00-24.00, good grades held above 25.00. Medium and good beef cows 17.00-19.50, canner, cutter and common grades 11.00-17.00. Bulls 14.50-19.50. Stocker steer yearlings 25.00 down. Calves 4,400; steady to weak. Good and choice slaughter calves 21.00-25.00, medium 18.00-20.00. Cull and common 14.00-18.00. Stocker steer calves 26.00 down. Hogs 1200; mostly 1.00 lower than Fridays average on all classes. Top 22.75, bulk good and choice 19.00-23.00, few 29.00-40 lbs. 21.50-22.25. 150-180 lbs. 21.00-22.25. Most sows 19.50-20.50. Feeder pigs 21.00 down. Sheep 6,000; Active, all classes about steady. Percentage of yearlings larger than usual. Medium and good slaughter lambs 21.00-23.00, cull and common 13.00-20.00. Medium and good yearlings 18.00-19.50, one load 20.00, common lots down to 14.00. Cull, common and medium aged ewes 8.75-9.00, few good to 9.50, some culls 8.50 and less. Small lot good wethers 10.00. Most stocker lambs 14.00-19.00.

More than 90 mission churches were built in New Mexico during the "Golden Age" of Mission construction, 1620-1650.

Fire losses in October 1947, were 37 per cent higher than in the preceding month.

Straw Skiing



Edythe Moisan is poised to take over a straw-covered slope at the new Lookout Hills Ski Park, Alpena, Mich. The straw provides fast and tricky skiing amid a scene of blazing autumn colors. The park will have two, rope tows this winter.

Oil and Gas News

May Close 17 Texas Oil Fields

AUSTIN, Tex. Nov. 15 (UP)—Oilmen attending a state-wide oil proration hearing today were told that the railroad commission still is studying issuance of orders shutting down 17 Texas fields to halt flaring of casinghead gas. "I don't know when orders will be ready," said Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson, "or when the effective date will be." The orders were expected to have been issued today. But Thompson said the commission intends to be "careful and reasonable," and is studying the proposed order with lawyers.

At the hearing prior to setting of the December oil proration order, the commission heard opposition to a proposed state-wide deviation drilling rule. Opposition to such a rule where the bottom of the well is on another driller's property was expressed by H. P. Nichols, representing the East Texas Oil Association.

Nichols also asked that production in the East Texas field be dropped from 21 to 20 days in December. For the past seven months, the field has been producing on a 21-day basis.

Bottom hole pressure in the huge field, the commission reported, dropped 1.19 pounds during October. It is now 1,002.76 pounds per square inch, the commission said.

Total estimated Texas production now is 2,523,000 barrels daily. The U. S. Bureau of Mines estimate of market demand for December was pegged at 2,450,000 barrels a day.

Purchasers' nominations for Texas oil in December amounted to 2,961,917 barrels daily 19,783 barrels over November nominations.

About 45 per cent of the nation's total duck population is on New York state farms. According to latest figures, there are nearly 6,000,000 ducks on farms in the state.

New Mexico is the "cradle of Christianity" in the United States. The earliest Franciscan monks visited New Mexico with Coronado in 1540, or 50 years before the landing of the Pilgrims.

The Kentucky-Derby is the richest three-year-old stake race in the world, offering \$100,000 added money.

Well Completions Jump In Texas

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 15 (UP)—Oil well completions in Texas numbered 188 during the last week, bringing the total for this year to 6,684, the Texas Railroad Commission reported today.

During the same period last year there were 4,991 completions.

Gas well completions during the last week totaled 24, and in the same period there were 58 dry holes reported.

Auto-Bus Crash Takes Two Lives

BALLINGER, Tex., Nov. 15, (UP) — A man and woman were killed today when their car crashed into a bus during a shower near the small town of Benoit, eight miles east of Ballinger on U.S. Highway 67.

The man was identified tentatively as T. L. Jarvis of San Angelo. The woman was not immediately identified.

Three of the passengers on the bus, a Continental Trailways en route to Brownwood from San Angelo, were treated at a Ballinger Hospital for scratches and bruises, then released.

A red salmon, marked by the U. S. Bureau of Fishes in Alaskan waters in May and caught 44 days later in a Siberian stream, was found to have traveled 1,300 miles in that time.

Area OIL News

EASTLAND COUNTY GORMA NAREA November 13th

A. W. Gregg No. 3 Phillips have had trouble with the surface pipe. They are broken down at 2000 feet.

Commercial Production No. 1 E. L. Park have set pipe and are WOC, after having drilled deeper — past 2950 feet. They think they have about 30 feet of the pay, after this had been called a dry hole.

W. B. Johnson No. 4 Sanders are WOC at 2852.

Coast Oil Co. 2 George Bell drilling at 2160 feet.

E. P. Griffin No. 1 Calloway are setting a whipstock hoping to overcome trouble they have had with a collapsed pipe.

Star Oil Co., No. 1 Buck Anderson have installed a new pump unit and new tanks.

Leasing has taken on a new turn West of Gorman. Waldon H. Ezell has placed several tracts within the last few days.

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