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UN Again Urges Solution To Berlin Crisis

Plans For Dr. IQ Jamboree Nov. 30 Being Completed

The Dr. I. Q. program to be held in the High School Auditorium on Tuesday, November 30, at 8:00 p. m. is a very much talked-of subject on the square these days. The chants of Eastland have been generous in their contributions to this very worthy benefit, and Father Jim is working up his old NBC program with his usual vim and vigor.

Among the contributors today were: Curtis Koen, Buck Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fagg, Messengers Plumbers, Shero's Furniture, Grady Pipkin, Osborne Motor Co., Lamb Motor Co., Charles Lucas, John Turner, and Judges Long and Grissom.

Father Jim who was the original Dr. I. Q. on the NBC Network for six years will take his old place as the man with the answers, and of course, the questions.

Great care and consideration has been given to the selection of his assistants in the audience. These men would naturally have to be very brilliant and learned geniuses possessing an extremely high intelligence rating. It astounded the experts who selected Dr. I. Q.'s assistants the large number of men in Eastland who class themselves among the world's geniuses, but certainly their superior intellect is recognized by their fellow citizens—in fact a city-wide poll recently taken by the experts on mental wizardry were by their wits.

And this discussion was thought by experts to be only a matter of envy by the weaker sex.

In the city-wide poll, Oscar Lyleria was one of the first chosen by the experts. He almost failed to make the grade as his wife and J. Y. Jordan both voted against him, but on the night of Nov. 2 (election night), Mr. Jordan relented and Lyleria forged ahead to be selected. The experts commented that they had had their eyes on Lyleria for sixteen years and felt their selection was sound because it is very apparent how Lyleria has broadened himself under the New Deal. Mead's Bakery of Abilene one of the earlier contributors to this program also took part credit for this broadening of Lyleria proclaiming him to be a walking example of their fine bread and the fat prosperity we all are enjoying under the New Deal Administration (sixteen years, that is).

John D. Harvey edged out Carl Johnson by a nose in the second race. Johnson failed on the question "of what year the Battle of 1812 was fought."

"Earl Francis came through with big colors as usual although there was some criticism from the 'white' race.

Earl Conner, Jr., was unanimously selected with wild acclaim, especially by the golf playing enthusiasts of Eastland. It is said to be amazing how he can juggle figures in counting up his golf score. Tickets are on sale at the Majestic Cafe, Toombs-Richardson Drug, and the Corner Drug, admission price 50c.

Pork Smugglers Caught By 'Oink'

Bonn, Germany, Nov. 17 (UP)—Customs officers at the Belgian-Germany border reported today that they had foiled a pork smuggling scheme involving drunken pigs.

For some time the guards have checked trucks bound for Belgium by poking sharp sticks into the cargo. Answering "oinks" betrayed any contraband hogs.

The last few days all was quiet along the pig-smuggling front. Today the guards found that three hogs didn't even flinch when prodded. The smugglers confessed that the pigs had been lullied into silence with alcohol.

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If your Eastland Telegram has not been delivered by 6:00 p. m., one will be delivered to you if you will call 601 before 6:30 p. m.
—Circulation Manager.

Strike Harasses Postal Clerks



Packages form a small mountain as they pile up in the Boston, Mass. Army Base Post-office due to the Longshoremen's strike on the east coast. The strike has virtually crippled east coast shipping and railroads have embargoed some shipments. Many of these packages are Christmas gifts for servicemen overseas. — (NEA Telephoto).

Cennally Says War Not Near

HILLBORO, Tex., Nov. 17, (UP)—No danger of war with Russia is near, but the United States definitely will not back out of Berlin according to Sen. Tom Connally.

Connally spoke at a luncheon here yesterday.

Referring to the Berlin blockade, Connally said the U. S. can not feed "all those people forever."

He based his remarks on four trips he has made to Europe on official business.

Connally said that the U. S. would continue to support the United Nations, but added he did not know what the 81st Congress will do to help Chinese Nationalists in their fight against the Communists.

Russia knows that the United States has the atom bomb and that they do not, he said.

"Let them stay behind the iron curtain," he remarked.

The strengthening of Italy and France by the Marshall plan has helped make the American policy popular among the common man in Europe, Connally said.

About 200 people from some 50 or 60 Central Texas towns attended the luncheon, which was given in honor of Connally and his wife.

Chambless Home From Deer Hunt; Party Bagged 9

V. W. Chambless has returned from a several days' deer hunting expedition near Sierra Blanca. He was accompanied by his brother, George Chambless of Hamilton and a party of friends. There were eleven in the party and nine deer was killed.

FORRESTAL SUBMIT S RESIGNATION; TO CONFER WITH TRUMAN TOMORROW

KEY WEST, Fla., Nov. 17, (UP)—Defense Secretary James Forrestal, who is ready to resign from the cabinet, will be President Truman's luncheon guest tomorrow.

White House press secretary, Charles G. Ross, told reporters today that Forrestal will fly here from Washington tomorrow and probably return the same day.

Forrestal, who returned yesterday from a brief tour of Europe, has said his resignation is in Mr. Truman's hands and that its effective date is up to the President.

Ross replied to a question whether the President had "summoned" Forrestal to his Florida vacation headquarters here. He

Past Grand Master Addresses Local Masons

At a meeting of the Masters' and Warden's Association in Eastland Tuesday evening an audience of more than one hundred masons listened to a very interesting address by R. W. Bruce Brannan, past Grand Master.

After commenting on the Masters' and Warden's association and the work the organization is striving to accomplish, Bro. Brannan touched lightly on the subject of Militant Master Masons, which was his general topic during his year as grand master.

His principal talk of the evening dealt with "finding ourselves and fulfilling our places in life" which is something many of us have never done, of how many of us handicap ourselves of the comic attitudes of life. He stressed upon the lack of intestinal fortitude enough to be ourselves, of how some walk under the sham of make believe.

In closing he mentioned the act of analyzing what makes man think, and inspires him to higher and nobler things of life which is really the basis on which the superstructure of freemasonry is erected.

Bro. Brannan was introduced by Bro. J. J. Callaway of Cisco, D. D. G. M. of the 73rd masonic district.

Suicide Fatality In Famous Church

VATICAN CITY, Nov. 17, (UP)—An unidentified man committed suicide at noon today in the most famous church of Christendom, St. Peter's Basilica, by plunging from the inside cupola 164 feet to the ground.

The suicide was regarded as desecrating the great church, and it was closed until it can be re-consecrated in accordance with Catholic rites.

Rep. Sam Rayburn of Texas, who is expected to become house speaker again when the Democrats take over control of Congress in January, also will be a presidential visitor tomorrow. Ross said Rayburn will arrive from his Bonham, Tex., home in time for dinner and stay until Saturday.

Air Secretary W. Stuart Symington was the President's luncheon guest yesterday. There have been rumors that Symington also may be planning to leave the Truman administration, but there was no evidence of it in yesterday's meeting.

Meanwhile, Mr. Truman continued to enjoy his Florida vacation. He and his daughter Margaret went to his private beach at mid-morning for the President's regular swim.

Pleasant Weather Ahead For State

BY UNITED PRESS
The cold front which entered the Panhandle early yesterday had moved into the Gulf today, leaving cool, fair weather over most of the state.

Minimum temperatures early today ranged generally in the middle 30s in the Panhandle, with the mercury reaching into the lower 60s along the coast. The low was 31 at Salt Flat, the high 64 at Brownsville.

Yesterday's maximum readings ranged from 61 at Amarillo to 86 at Brownsville, Corpus Christi and Victoria.

Precipitation in the warm moist air ahead of the cool front brought 24-hour totals of .93 at Beaumont and 1.52 at Galveston, the only rain of consequence during the last day and night.

The East Texas forecast called for fair skies today and tonight, with warmer temperatures in the extreme northwest portion tonight.

Partly cloudy skies and mild temperatures were seen for tomorrow.

Fair weather was forecast for West Texas, with cooler weather in the Panhandle and South Plains tomorrow.

V.F.W. Celebrates 50th Anniversary Thursday Night

On Thursday night, November 18th, the Karl & Boyd Tamer Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will hold a "Golden Jubilee" party initiating the 1949 membership drive—the organization having its beginning in 1899, just after the close of the Spanish-American War. A Dutch lunch with all the trimmings will be served.

The party will be at the V.F.W. Hall, East side of the Courthouse Square, and all Foreign Service Veterans, whether members or not, are invited.

Disclosure of Forrestal's impending visit came as informed sources indicated that Mr. Truman has just about decided whom will drop from his cabinet. The President reportedly is holding up any announcements until he can find suitable replacements.

Mr. Truman said yesterday that everybody but the President has been reshuffling his cabinet ever since election day. He said he will take care of it at the proper time—presumably at the start of his new term Jan. 20.

Comanche Co. Wildcat Located West Of DeLeon

Location for a new Comanche County wildcat oil exploration four miles west of DeLeon has been filed by A. W. Gregg et al of Houston.

The project will be the No. 1 J. T. Quinn, a 3,500 foot test 330 feet from the south and 2,050 from the west line of Nathaniel Green survey. Drilling is to be done with rotary.

Six miles northwest of DeLeon Wampler Brothers, of Longview have plugged and abandoned their No. 1 A. A. Wallace, Marble Falls test 330 feet from the south and 990 from the west line of the A. A. Wallace tract in section 39 block 2, H&TC survey. Total depth was 2,925 feet and no shows were reported.

In the Kirk field, three and a half miles east of Gorman, completion for an official gauge of 190 barrels of 42 gravity oil per day has been made on the Coast Oil Corp., et al No. 2 B. I. Griffin-A 990 feet east and 330 north of the northwest corner of the J. A. Hirst tract in Wm. DeMoss survey. The production was through 16-64 choke with 575 pounds on casing and 200 on tubing from 36 perforations in casing at 2,750-65 feet.

Stuard Service's Held At 3 Today

Funeral services were held today for R. C. (Uncle Bob) Stuard at the First Baptist Church at 3 P. M. Rev. D. C. Ham officiated at the services with Killingsworth's in charge of arrangements. Interment was in Merriman cemetery.

Mr. Stuard died in Ranger yesterday after a lengthy illness soon after reaching his 101st birthday October 8. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Amy Brown.

The deceased came to Ranger from Mississippi at the age of 14 and resided here until 1918 when the oil boom struck. He was married to Cornelia Scarborough October 22, 1879 in Merriman. She preceded him in death in October 1945.

He resided in Weatherford until 1945 being a member of the North Side Baptist Church there and a senior deacon. After retiring from farming activities, he operated a transfer business in Ranger during the boom.

Survivors include three sons, D. C. Stuard, Breckenridge, Ross R. Stuard, Mansfield and Truman P. Stuard, Ranger, one daughter, Mrs. Amy Brown, Ranger and 22 grand children, 32 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers at the services were Mr. Stuard's grandsons; C. H. Stuard, Aledo, R. L. Stuard, Eastland, George and John Stuard, Fort Worth, Claude Stuard, Iraan, Tex., Marion Stuard, Waxahachie, Jack Stuard of Scott Field, Ill. and Dan Stuard of Breckenridge.

Air Force Lifts Restrictions

The US Air Force has temporarily lifted the numerical restrictions of the enlistment of 18-year men in the Air Force of the United States for periods of 1-year, it was announced today by S-Sgt. James Sendrick, MCO in charge of the Eastland Recruiting Station.

Men enlisting for one year will receive their training at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, Texas and will not be subject to overseas assignment. They will also be exempt from the 21 months service required under the Selective Service Act.

One-year enlistees will be afforded the same opportunities for training and advancement as other volunteers.

Interested individuals are urged to file application at once with Army and Air Force Recruiting Station at 311 West Main Street in Eastland. In all probability the quota restrictions will go into effect again in December.

NEW APPEAL COMES AFTER BIG THREE REJECTS TALKS UNTIL BLOCKADE LIFT

Funeral For R. S. Balch Thur

Funeral services for R. S. Balch of Ranger will be conducted Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in Ranger with Dr. Claud P. Jones, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Cisco and Rev. Cecil Ellis of the Ranger church officiating.

Interment will be in the Cedar Hill Cemetery in Abilene with a brief graveside service there at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Killingsworth's is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Balch died in his sleep at his home in Ranger sometime during the early morning hours Tuesday. He was born in Alabama on July 31, 1882, and had resided in Ranger since 1918. At the time of his death he was manager of the Burton-Lingo Company in Ranger, a company with which he had seen 40 years service. He was a member of the First Methodist Church and was a member of its board of stewards.

Pallbearers will be J. D. Nicholas and W. F. Murray of Ranger; W. B. Ferguson and S. M. Milstead of Fort Worth, P. L. Ullum of Sweetwater, and W. L. Medley of Abilene.

Services had been pending word from a son, Wallard Balch of Belgium but were completed this morning when the son called from Belgium to say that he could not arrive in time for services.

Railroads Start Wheat Embargo

HOUSTON, Tex. Nov. 17 (UP)—A voluntary embargo on rail shipments of wheat from the Midwest was put in effect by railroads today to avoid traffic tie-up in yards at the port of Houston.

Port director W. F. Heavy said some 887 cars of wheat and milled grain were on hand, and that approximately 1,000 more were waiting on railroad sidings outside the city. That amount, Heavy added, was a backlog of eight days.

The director said the railroads themselves will determine how many carloads reach the port each day.

Bougainvillea, the flower of the Lower Rio Grande Valley, comes in many colors. During winter months driveways, hedges and houses of the area are aflame with the bright red, purple, pink or bronze of the flower.

Freak Explosion



Three employees were injured when an ammonia tank exploded in the basement of the Fasano Pie Company in Chicago. Nick Loschetter, Chicago fireman, points to large pipe that was driven through a three foot wall when the explosion occurred. — (NEA Telephoto).

Former Eastland Girl Is Writer Of Prize Novel

"Root Out Of Dry Ground," prize novel by Argye M. Briggs, is in its second edition and has proven to be a very popular book.

The author is a former Eastland girl, the daughter of H. A. McCullies, formerly express agent at Eastland and now residing in Cisco. She lives at Bartlesville, Oklahoma, with her family consisting of her husband and two daughters age 15 and 13.

"Root Out Of Dry Ground" is a real American story with a real American flavor. It is the author's first full length novel to be published. It was the winner of the Edgerman's \$5,000 fiction award for 1948.

The brief Lie-Evatt statement promised "further comment" later on "certain aspects" of the replies received from Russia and the Western Powers.

In their notes of rejection, the Western Powers took the concerted stand that the Berlin dispute must remain in the hands of the Council until Russia lifts the blockade or the Council takes other action to settle it.

Bramuglia has devised a new formula behind which Lie and Evatt apparently now are prepared to throw their weight. While Bramuglia's plan still was being modified from hour to hour in minor details, it was known to call for simultaneous lifting by stages of the Russian blockade of the western sectors of Berlin and introduction of the Soviet-sponsored eastern mark as the only currency in Berlin.

The use of Soviet currency in the entire German capital is the main Russian demand in the dispute.

Miss Paula Duncan has been elected president of the Intra-City Council of Nurses at Houston and will represent the nurses of Houston at the coming state convention of nurses.

Miss Duncan, who graduated from Eastland High School with the class of '46, will graduate this fall from the school of nursing, University of Houston. She has been accepted as a member of Santa Filomena, a national society of nurses.

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THE WEATHER

BY UNITED PRESS
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West Texas — Fair this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Cooler in the Panhandle and South Plains Thursday.

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Search For Slayer Spreads To Okla.

DOCA RATON, Fla., Nov. 17 (UP)—The search for the killer of sculptor Leno Lazzari and his wife spread to Oklahoma today. Police Chief W. H. Brown disclosed he had found an army identification disc bearing an Oklahoma next-of-kin address in the sandy soil outside the modernistic studio home where the Lazzaris were slain early Sunday morning.

"It looked as if it had only been on the ground a little while," Brown said. He declined to reveal the name on the disc. Oklahoma authorities were asked to check the address.

Flying Farmers Off On Trail Drive To Kansas

GAINESVILLE, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Fifty-three planes flown by Flying Farmers of four states took off at 9 A. M. today, bent on "re running" the Chisholm Trail over which some of them drove Longhorn cattle 60 years ago.

The group, after a 11:30 A. M. stop in El Reno, Okla., will begin arriving in Dodge City, Kan., the trail terminus, at 4 P. M., according to Tim Osborne, operator of the Gainesville airport. The barbecue lunch and pro-

Area OIL News

EASTLAND COUNTY GOR MAN AREA

D. D. Feldman No. 1 Cooper Grocery at 650 feet.
Luling Oil and Gas No. 1 Rumph drilling at 300 feet.
Commercial Production No. 1 E. L. Park will acidize Tuesday afternoon provided trucks and equipment are available.
Commercial Production No. 4 J. C. Burns drilling at 1985 feet.
Commercial Production No. 4, J. C. Burns have set surface pipe and are drilling at 100 feet.
A. W. Gregg No. 3 Phillips drilling at 2750 feet.

A. W. Gregg No. 1 Paines perforated yesterday using 20 shots on 4 feet from 2804-2808. They are preparing to run tubing Tuesday or Wednesday.

W. B. Johnson Drilling Co., No. 4 Sanders will probably acidize Wednesday or Thursday.

Kirk and Mellard are reopening the Pete Mauney. They will make tests all the way from the Caddo to the Ellenburger, it is reported, or until they determine just what they do have in the hole.

Kirk and Mellard have installed high pressure separator and are building tanks to take care of production or whatever does come from the Moseley well. Southwestern have laid 3-inch line to the well for the gas, but there seem to be a quantity of oil showing recently.

Luling Oil and Gas No. 1 Moate drilling at 2300 feet.
Man Drilling Co., No. 1 Sandy Roberts are finishing drilling in today (Tuesday).

Pennsylvania leads the nation in 50 major industries, yet has a billions-dollar farm industry.

gram in El Reno will be followed by a gala celebration in Dodge City tonight, marked by a dinner-dance and another program.

The theme of the programs is centered around the progress which has been made during the life-span of one man.

It was exemplified by 82-year old Starr Nelson of Delta, Colo., who will lead the flight. The oldest member of the National Association of Flying Farmers, Nelson once drove cattle up the famous trail, a drive which required months to complete.

TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By United Press

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—The 1948 general election vote for Texas becomes official today at a canvassing by secretary of state Paul Brown.

In the presence of Gov. Beauford Jester and Attorney General Price Daniel, Brown will open and count the returns.

Actually, the secretary of State's office has been working on a day-and-night shift for the past week organizing the returns from Texas' 254 counties for the official canvassing.

And, in two races, the official returns will remain a secret until the convening of the legislature in January. The returns in the governor's and lieutenant governor's race then will be officially counted.

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—A service station operator told police today he was robbed last night by a lithe negro bandit who jumped in his car as he slowed down for a stop sign, took \$325 out of his wallet and jumped out again.

L. A. Moore said the robber held "something" against his side, which he believed to be a gun.

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Federal District Judge Thomas M. Kennerly was expected to rule today on a motion that the \$260,000,000 (m) Texas City damage suits be reset for trial next June.

Government attorneys presented Judge Kennerly with such a motion yesterday, claiming they had not had sufficient time to "adequately prepare" their defense. Lawyers from some 5,000 persons and corporations suing the government in the 260 suits, consolidated to speed court action, asked that the trial be held Dec. 6 as scheduled.

The suits grew out of the blasts in April, 1947, set off by the explosion of ammonium nitrate aboard the French ship Grand Camp.

PASADENA, Tex., Nov. 16 (UP)—The city council last night failed to act on the sale of \$1,430,000 (m) in city bonds, designed to finance water and sewer improvements.

Commoner Aubrey R. Cruse suggested further discussion with current bidders before any re-advertising of bids. The bond program includes \$1,600,000 for the water and sewer improvements and \$430,000 general obligation bonds.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—R. J. Schmunk, Cleveland, O., will conduct affairs of the American Automobile Assn. for another year.

He was re-elected president of the AAA at the organization's 46th annual meeting yesterday. Lou E. Holland, Kansas City Mo., was elected senior vice-president.

DENTON, Tex., Nov. 17, (UP)—Joe Skiles, business manager of North Texas State College since September, 1947, will resume his law practice in the office of Atty. Gen. Price Daniel.

NTSC President W. J. McConnell said last night that Skiles' resignation as business manager would become effective Nov. 30.

Skiles said he accepted Daniel's offer to join his staff because he wanted to return to active law practice.

TEXAS AGAIN?



Texas' first entry in the 1949 Maid of Cotton contest is Carnelia Frazier of Big Spring. Texas won top honors in '48, when Matilda Nail, Fort Worth, was named Maid of Cotton.

The '49 cotton ambassador will make a thrilling six-months' tour of the nation's major cities and will receive a beautiful all-cotton wardrobe created by topflight designers.

Any single girl between 19 and 23, born in a cotton-growing state, is eligible to compete for the Maid of Cotton title.

Entry forms may be obtained from National Cotton Council, P.O. Box 18, Memphis 1, Tennessee. Closing date is December 10.

POLIO RELIEF EFFORTS CURBING DREAD DISEASE

By Barbara Bundschu
United Press Staff Correspondent
NEW YORK, Nov. 17 (UP)—Mrs. R. O. Pearson, a tall, blue-eyed 40-year-old housewife from Abilene, Tex., with a tight coil of blonde braid around her head, took a course in mercy.

"Seven suddenly developed colds," she said. "Or their grandchildren came for visits, or they just had to get out of town."

The other 16 women just gritted their teeth and went to work, Mrs. Pearson said.

"When something holds on all year, it's not romantic or exciting, it's just hard work. But it had to be done."

Mrs. Pearson and hundreds of other women in Texas and in other epidemic areas around the country did it.

"It was a frightening responsibility," she said. "At first you're afraid to do even the simplest pack without asking the physical therapist if it's right. Then after a while the children get so they can tell you if you're getting it in the right place. And you get to know."

Mrs. Pearson is one of Texas' four advisers on women's activities of the National Foundation

"We had a very sinking feeling," Mrs. Pearson said of herself and the 23 other polio emergency volunteers in her community.

for Infantile Paralysis. She and the other women—the ones who told mothers not to worry, who opened their homes to the nurses rushed to epidemic areas, who drove automobiles and answered telephones and worked in the hospitals—learned another thing about polio this year, she said.

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.

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

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THAT'S THE WAY IT WENT, LEBBY. THE MORE I TRIED TO PLAY CUPID, THE WORSE WENT THE ROMANCE.

Dr. ROBIN ARCHER, a top-flight surgeon, is suspicious of his pretty young wife.

VERA. She has her own fears that Robin is two-timing her with some of his nurses.

CHRISTOPHER "Cuddles" MALLY. I can't make him out. He feeds the fines of suspicion on both sides and looks happiest when they scap.

And Vera's drunken brother WINDY GALE, doesn't help keep their marriage steered off the rocks of divorce.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

LOOK AT BLUBBER-BOY! HE ACTS LIKE HIS PANTS ARE ON FIRE!

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MARKET REPORT: DOMESTIC HAM HITS BOTTOM!

ALLEY OOP BY V. T. HAMLIN

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LET ME TAKE YOU AWAY FROM THIS. I, POKABABA, PRINCE OF A RULING HOUSE, CAN GIVE YOU EVERY LUXURY! SAY YES, MY LOVE...

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Rice Arkansas Linemen Receive Weekly Honors

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Guards Tom Parsons of Rice and Ray Peters of Arkansas today enjoyed the deputation of being the Southwest Conference's linemen of the week.

They were chosen yesterday in a poll conducted by the Austin American-Statesman.

Conference sports publicity directors acclaimed Parsons, a 210-pound junior, for his blocking in Rice's 28-6 win over Texas A. & M.

Peters, a 190-pound senior, shared honors with Parsons for his play against Southern Methodist.

Other linemen mentioned in the newspaper's poll were end Morris Bailet of TCU, tackle John Hamberger of SMU, and Andy Hillhouse of Texas A. & M., and center Dick Harris of Texas.

Nobody Loves Her



Phyllis Hockaday, seventeen, of Dayton, Ohio ran away from home because nobody loved her. She was picked up in a Columbus, Ohio hotel after police had received a tip from her father, Clyde Hockaday of Dayton. Phyllis is the granddaughter of Robert Osnau, president of the St. Petersburg Shipbuilding and Supply Company. — (NEA Telephoto).

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BIBLE HEADS DRIVE
AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Athletic Director Dana X. Bible of the University of Texas will head the 1948 statewide drive of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, it was announced today.

Baylor Stars Fit For Heavy Duty

By United Press
WACO, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—The Baylor Bears felt comforted today by the thought that half-back George Sims, tackle Buddy Tinsley and guard Bentley Jones would be ready to play against SMU Saturday.

Sims, Tinsley and Jones ran at full speed yesterday during a workout emphasizing ball handling.

Earlier the Bears watched movies which showed the numerous mistakes they made in losing to Tulane in New Orleans last Saturday.

Judge Spurs Help For Woman

ODESSA, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Friends of Mrs. Emma Louise Wilson will get 48 hours' notice to pick up the money they donated to help her pay the \$2,181 she is accused of embezzling from the Fort Worth Trinity Bank.

Federal Judge T. Whitfield Davidson changed Mrs. Wilson's original 18-month jail sentence on one year on probation in a decision at Fort Worth yesterday.

The Odessa American, which had started the fund raising campaign last Saturday, and Mrs. Wilson's personal friends could not agree with Judge Davidson, who said he didn't think the public should be asked to help her pay back the money.

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Farmers, Wives Invited To John Deere Party Fri.

The Taylor Implement Company of Ranger, the John Deere dealer for this area, has extended an invitation to the farmers and their wives of this area to be the guests of the company on Friday, November 19, at an all-day celebration at the store.

There will be a display of all farm implements and equipment at the store all day and at noon a luncheon will be served at the store.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the farmers and their wives will be guests at the company's showing of the film "The Sugar Plum Tree" at the Arcadia theatre. The film stars the beloved Billie Burke and Don Wilson and is the story of a young couple who have never been on a farm and who inherit one. The film is concerned with what the young people do with the farm.

Several other new, all-talking pictures will be shown including "A New Day Dawns For Cotton Growers" and "Guardians of the Harvest."

As part of the program at the theatre two prizes will be awarded, a G-E iron to the wife that wins and a case of oil to the farmer that wins.

Wayland Taylor, owner of the implement company, stated today that all entertainment is free and that all farmers and their wives of this area are cordially invited to attend the activities of the day.

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the crime with which Mrs. Wilson was charged." Publisher V. L. Deholt of the American said.

"But when we learned that the Judge was lenient enough to permit her to return to her four daughters, we felt someone should help."

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Deholt asked: "How could a woman raise the money while serving a sentence?"

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Eleven Families Win Damages

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., Nov. 17, (UP)—Eleven families who claimed they were nauseated by fumes from a soap plant were \$31,916 richer today.

A jury in Judge H. W. Fillmore's district court awarded the plaintiffs \$15,500 in personal damages and \$16,416 in property damage.

At the same time the jury ruled that women suffered more discomfort than men from the odors and said each male plaintiff should receive \$500 and his wife \$1,000.

"Women were forced to remain at home and suffered the odor throughout the day, while the men had only to contend with it in the early morning and evening."

The defendant was the Soap Corporation of America, which operates a plant on the south side of Wichita Falls.

Some 50 witnesses testified that fumes from the plant smelled like "dead salmon," "something that had been dead a long time," or "something foul."

The jury's verdict was that the soap plant "discharged foul and obnoxious odors into the atmosphere, causing injury, damage, harm or inconvenience to a person of ordinary sensibilities."

The plaintiffs now are seeking an injunction to restrain the company from further operation of the plant.

The New Orleans, a steamboat built by Robert Fulton, was the first to navigate from Pittsburgh to New Orleans.

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NEWS FROM GORMAN

GORMAN Nov. 16—Mrs. Charlie Underwood returned Monday from Borger where she has spent the past ten days in the home of her son Billy Chas. The younger Underwoods are the proud parents of a daughter Kay Ann born Nov. 3rd. They also have a son.

Mr. Bill David, S. M. U. student was home over the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. D. David.

Mrs. Otis Neill and daughter Susanne of Slaton spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Mehauffey while visiting Mr. Neill's mother who is ill in the blackwell hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Hite of Austin spent the week-end in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ellison.

Mr. M. F. Allen suffered a heart attack Saturday afternoon but was taken to his home from the hospital on Monday. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. L. A. Shugart is also reported to be progressing well after

suffering a heart attack several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wilson went to Hot Springs, Ark. Saturday in response to a message that his brother had suffered a stroke.

Miss Verna Cole became the bride of John Lasater in a ceremony performed in the home of Bro. and Mrs. John W. Henderson, with Bro. Henderson officiating on last Friday evening.

The bride is the daughter of G. W. Cole and for the past few months has been employed in the city office. The groom is a resident of the Kokomo community.



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Baptist W. M. U. Meet In Circles

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church met in circles Monday for circle programs, the Maybelle Taylor circle, Mrs. J. L. Waller, chairman, met with Mrs. A. J. Blevins Jr., South Seaman, Mrs. W. C. Tillman gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Charles Butler was in charge of the program and brought the scripture, reading parts were given by Mmes. Lewis Barber, Howard Upchurch, and L. D. Harris with Mrs. L. M. Chapman giving the closing prayer.

Present were: Mmes. Bailey Hinton, Butler, Harris, John Dossett, Waller, Barber, Upchurch, Roland Koch, Quyn Quinn, Jr. Jim Hart, A. J. Blevins, Jr. and a visitor, Mrs. Geo. Hendricks, Tillman.

The Lottie Moon Circle, Mrs. Jennie Self, chairman, met with Mrs. J. F. Goldson, Cisco Highway. The program opened with a prayer by Mrs. Crosby. Mrs. Goldson was in charge of the program. A prayer by Mrs. Andrews was followed by parts given by Mmes. Goldson, and J. H. Hart. Mrs. Frank Lovett gave the closing prayer.

Present were: Mmes. Hart Goldson, Lovett, Crosby, L. D. Williams, Nora Andrews, Donald Daniels, Jennie Self, James Ward and a visitor, Mrs. Jimmy Young.

The Blanche Groves Circle, Mrs. Winston Boles, chairman, met with Mrs. H. F. Vermillion, 607 South Mulberry, Rev. L. M. Chapman gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Vermillion was in charge of the program with parts given by Mmes.

Mrs. Burkett Is Honoree At Club Party, Tuesday

The Stitch and Chatter Club honored Mrs. Bob Burkett with a breakfast in the home of Mrs. Guy Robinson, Tuesday morning, Nov. 16 from 9 until 11 o'clock.

The president, Mrs. G. L. Whitely, presided over the short business session before breakfast. Plans were completed for a Thanksgiving supper honoring the husbands on Saturday evening, Nov. 20, at 7:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Howard Upchurch. The members also drew names for their secret pals Christmas gifts. The president appointed Mrs. Weldon Armstrong and Mrs. J. J. Cooper for a telephone committee.

After the business session breakfast was served to the following: Mmes. G. L. Whitely, Weldon Armstrong, Howard Upchurch, Clarence Penn, J. C. Poe, L. W. Dalton, George Hendricks, J. J. Cooper, Tom Ernest, the honoree, Mrs. Bob Burkett, and the hostess, Mrs. Guy Robinson.

Mrs. Burkett, formerly of Eastland, now lives in Odessa. She was in Eastland to attend the Sixth District Pythian Convention.

Dim Your Lights—Save A Life

Siebert and Chapman. Mrs. Chapman gave the closing prayer.

Present were: Mmes. Boles, Rhodes, John Williams, Rush, Vermillion, Siebert, Rev. and Mrs. Chapman and Miss Susie Naylor.

Teeth, Rings And Money Taken



Robert Cooper, right, proprietor of the Cooper Phonograph Company of Greenville, Ohio was beaten and had four teeth pulled by a man and woman as they robbed him. Kathleen, thirty-six, Cooper's wife had her rings clipped from her fingers by the robbers. — (NEA Telephoto).

Mrs. Perkins Addresses DAR Meet In Ranger

"American Tradition," was the theme of the talk given by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, at the Charles Crawford Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, meeting Monday morning in the home of Mrs. B. A. Tunnell in Ranger. Mrs. M. H. Hagaman was co-hostess for the meeting.

Mr. Perkins also talked on the new American history recently adopted by the State board of Education in Austin in which Mrs. Perkins is the only woman member. The book is to be placed in the schools.

Miss Brown of the Fine Arts department of Ranger Junior College and Mrs. Scott, a musician of Ranger, were presented in musical numbers. Miss Brown played the piano and Mrs. Scott the marimba.

Mince pie and coffee was served to those present from out of the City Mrs. Frank Castleberry, Eastland, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Malbary, and A. H. Gleason, from Cisco were Mmes. W. Wallace, Alex Speer and Clark.

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Fort Worth Livestock Report

FORT WORTH, Tex. Nov. 17—(UP)—(USDA)—LIVESTOCK: Cattle 2600; slow, most classes steady to weak, cows generally 25 or more lower. Few good grade steers and yearlings. 25.00-26.00, common and medium sorts mainly 17.00-24.00. Medium and good beef cows 17.00-19.00, canner, cutter and common cows 10.00-17.00. Bulls mostly 15.00-19.00, few outside that range, odds to 20.00. Stocker steers common to medium good yearlings 17.50-24.50. Calves 1900; slow, weak, few choice slaughter calves steady, others, including stockers weak to unevenly lower, instances 25-50 lower. Good slaughter calves 21.00-24.00, few choice 24.00-25.00. Medium 17.00-20.00, cull and common 13.50-17.00. Stocker steer calves medium to choice 18.00-25.00.

Hogs 800; active, fully steady with Tuesday's average. Good and choice 190-280 lbs. 22.50-75, top 22.75, 290-350 lbs. 21.75-22.50, 160-180 lbs. 21.50-22.50. Sows 19.00-20.50, few lightweight to 21.00. Feed er pigs 21.00 down.

Sheep 4000; active, steady. Medium and good slaughter lambs 21.00-23.50. Shorn lambs 22.00 down. Common and medium slaughter yearlings 14.00-18.50, load good yearlings 20.00. Few medium and good aged ewes 9.00-50, cull and medium 8.75-9.00, some culls down to 8.00. Common and good feeder lambs 15.00-19.50.

Vernon Man Held In Shooting

WICHITA FALLS, Tex. Nov. 17 (UP)—Chancey G. Puckett, 28, of Vernon, Tex., was held on \$7,500 bond today on charges of firing seven bullets into the body of Merwin Browneller of Baltimore, Md., in a tourist court yesterday. Browneller's naked body was found sprawled inside the tourist cabin by Night Clerk James Newland, who heard the shots. Puckett was held in the Wichita County jail.

He surrendered in Vernon to Texas Ranger Jim Greer, who returned him to Wichita Falls. Puckett refused to make a statement.

Meanwhile, police are searching for his 16-year-old wife in an effort to establish a motive for the shooting.

Six Robberies Net But 30 Cents

BAYTOWN, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Andrew Jackson Weaver, 19, was certain today that bad luck rolled his way with the greatest of ease. The La Porte youth is faced with jail offenses he incurred at the average price of five cents each. Weaver was picked up by police here Monday night as he jumped from a rear window at the David-on Sheet Metal Works. In his pocket was a loot of 30 cents. He later admitted two other burglaries here, and six charges of night-time burglary and misdemeanor theft were filed against him.

Court Proposes Election Schools

ALICE, Tex., Nov. 17 (UP)—Schools for election officials today were among suggestions offered by a Jim Wells County Grand Jury which has concluded its inquiry into election practices in the July and August primaries. The jury, ending a two-week study of vote fraud, recommended changes in present election laws. It is said it had found complete evidence of laxity and lack of responsibility in holding elections. The investigation would not

Letters From Readers

TO THE STATE PRESS: I have been requested to express my views on the following matters which will probably come before the next session of the Legislature:

New and Additional taxes: It is my considered opinion that no new or additional taxes should be levied by the legislature meeting in January. With the prospect of a surplus in the general fund of \$100,000,000.00, I can see no necessity of any more revenue. I am in hearty accord with the proposition of "freezing" at least \$50,000,000.00 of this surplus for future use. If this country should suffer a depression or recession, this fund would certainly assist in relieving the situation.

Recommendation of the Gilmer-Aikin Committee: I have just received a copy of this report dealing at length with our schools and their problems, and would prefer to make no comments without thoroughly considering the matter.

State Prison Reform: I am committed to the proposition that we should spend whatever sum is necessary out of the surplus in the general fund, of the State Treasury to remedy the situation in our penal institutions, and I favor the recommendations of the General Manager of the Prison System, Mr. O. B. Ellis, who seems to be an able administrator and doing an excellent job.

Revision of State Election Laws: I have had no opportunity of going into this matter, but it appears to me that some legislation is necessary. We should have a more secret ballot, and it should

Woman Waives Extradition

MCKINNEY, Tex. Nov. 17 (UP)—Mrs. Betty Janice Snyder, under FBI investigation in Oklahoma in connection with a Mann Act violation, has waived extradition and will be returned to Collin County sometime this week, District Attorney Paul Worden said today.

Worden has filed a technical charge of murder against Mrs. Snyder in the death of a baby girl in September, 1941, found by the road side near the Collin-Dallas county line.

The incident came to light recently when Sheriff Ralph Tension of Enid, Okla., investigated Mrs. Snyder's story that her illegitimate daughter was smothered to death by its father and thrown into a ditch near Plano.

have been necessary had election officials exercised due precaution and care in handling election data the jury observed.

he made a felony to tamper with election returns, with particular reference to attempting to change the results in any voting precinct.

Farm to Market Roads: I am in accord with the view that farm to market roads should be built as rapidly as possible. I do not believe, however, that an additional tax on gasoline should be levied for this purpose. It is reported that over \$100,000,000.00 was or will be spent this year on our road system, and it occurs to me that out of this vast sum of money more of it could and should be used for lateral road purposes.

There will doubtless be many important matters to be considered by the legislature, but the above matters will probably require and receive the most attention.

November 15
T. M. COLLIE

Whooping cough is a dangerous childhood disease and immunization for it is advised by many doctors between the second and third months of life.

In a recent year, New York University doctors were responsible for the medical care given to 45,000 bed patients and 250,000 outpatient 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.

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The Brahman, a native of Asia, is becoming one of the more popular breeds of cattle in the American southwest. The Brahman sweats through its skin and is able to withstand hotter weather.

The tiny village of Penitas, 14 miles southwest of McAllen, is reportedly the oldest in Texas. It was founded between 1525 and 1530.

A spokeless steering wheel has been invented by a Wisconsin man. The steering column is near the front of the wheel instead of its center, as in conventional types.

C. M. Kirkpatrick of Edinburg, Tex., has one of the world's largest cactus gardens, often shipping as many as 5,000 plants a day.

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