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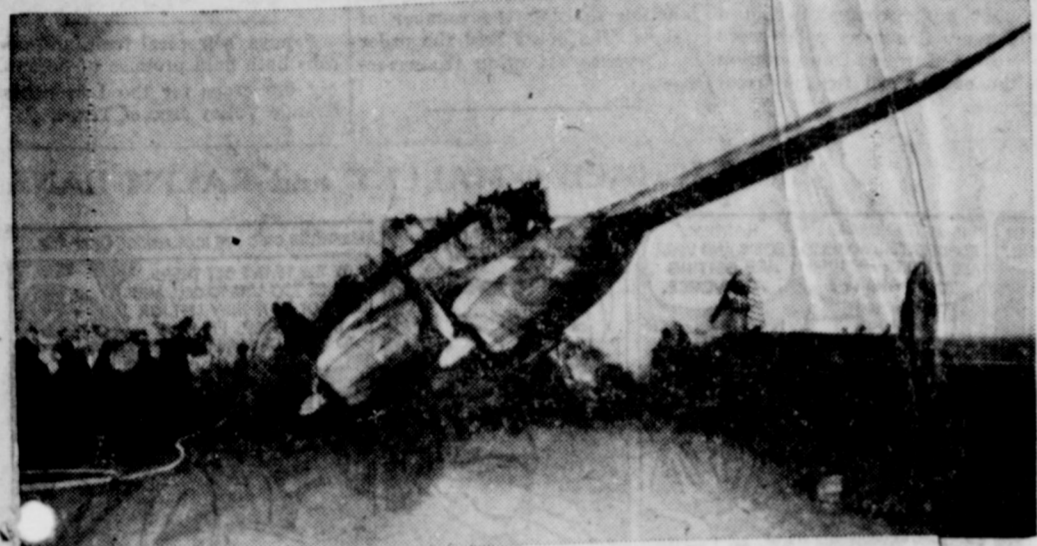
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Just A Shell Left



Firemen battle the last of the flames that destroyed a TWA Constellation after it caught fire on landing at the Los Angeles airport. Five crew members and passengers escaped injury by using an emergency exit. The fuselage of the plane has been destroyed completely, leaving only one wing with its two engines intact. — (NEA Telephoto).

PRES. PRODS ADMINISTRATORS FOR SWIFT LEGISLATIVE WORK

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27 (UP)— President Truman has told key legislators he expects prompt action on his program when the new Congress meets, it was disclosed today. An administration source said Mr. Truman is ready to insist on the legislative blue print which he laid before the voters in his successful campaign for election. Because of his insistence, the senate Democratic policy committee will meet right after Christmas to begin planning a specific program and to draft strategy for getting the 81st Congress organized quickly.

Secretary of Labor Maurice J. Tobin has a staff of lawyers already at work on suggestions for a new labor law to replace the Taft-Hartley Act. Repeal of this act is slated to be one of the first orders of business when Congress convenes Jan. 3.

On foreign policy matters, too, the tempo was stepped-up although members aren't slated to meet for another six weeks. White-haired Sen. Tom Connally, incoming chairman of the foreign Relations Committee, speeded toward Washington from his Texas home after an urgent communication from his predecessor, Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg, R., Mich. His committee already has received an informal program from state department officials, carrying requests for legislation which may involve as high as \$8,000,000 in foreign spending. A half dozen other important issues also

are on the agenda. Mr. Truman, it was learned, has informed White House visitors that he regards election returns as a popular "man-ate" for the proposals he espoused on his stumping tours. Mr. Truman is reported to have brushed aside suggestions that it might be well to adopt a "go easy" policy between Jan. 3, when the new Congress meets, and his inauguration on Jan. 20. Usually Congress takes a few weeks to get organized. But this time, it is said, the President wants the senate and house to start legislating quickly.

Chicago Air Crash Takes Four Lives

SIKESTON, Mo., Nov. 27. (UP)— Police reported today that four persons from the Chicago area were killed when a twin-engine airplane crashed and burned during a blinding rain-storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron T. Monsen, Jr., Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Jack Munfield, Hillside, Ill., were killed when an Army surplus training plane crashed on the southeast edge of Sikeston near the municipal airport yesterday.

Witnesses said the plane smashed into the ground with throttles wide open.

Has Early Christmas



Christmas came on Thanksgiving Day for little Bobby Cobb, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cobb of Whiteoak, Texas. Bobby is suffering from a cancer in the stomach area and doctors had advised his parents it was quite probable he wouldn't live to see a real Christmas on December 25. Here, Bobby has just received his most wanted gift, a football, from old Santa, played by Coach Lee Mitchell of Whiteoak. — (NEA Telephoto).

Rites For Ed Sikes Held At Breck. Saturday

Ed Sikes, Stephens county farmer-stockman and a former member of Eastland, passed away Friday at 3:00 p. m. in the Memorial Hospital in Fort Worth, following an illness of several months duration. He was a son of R. E. Sikes of Eastland.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Baptist Church in Breckridge. Survivors include the wife and four children as follows: Maydell of Seymour, Buer Kermit, Nell of Dallas and Johnson of Fort Worth. The daughters are married.

McGraw Motor Improving Blvd On S. Seaman

The McGraw Motor Company building, built about two years ago, is being improved and given the "New Look". The building is located on Southeast Seaman street.

Among other improvements being made on the building is the addition of two overheads and large glassed in show windows and front.

The entire structure is being stuccoed. McGraw Motor Company is an Eastland dealer for Dodge trucks and Plymouth cars.

Boggs Brothers Together 1st Time In 22 Years

Thanksgiving Day guests in J. R. Boggs home to enjoy combination Thanksgiving and birthday dinner, were: J. R. Boggs, who with brother, J. R., celebrated 47 birthdays, which were on Nov. 24 and 25 respectively; Mrs. R. Boggs and her mother, Mrs. H. Hill of Mingus, Mr. and Mrs. L. Boggs, Mr. and M. W. Boggs, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carter baby son; Mr. and Mrs. Bill L. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Doren Carter, all of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. J. Boggs and children, Linda Copeland and daughter, Cecilia Eastland.

The above occasion was the first time in 22 years that the Boggs brothers had been together at the same time.

Eastland Woman's Relative Dies At Graham Home

Mrs. Ida B. Foster received the message of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Snoddy, who died early Saturday morning at her home in Graham after a month's illness. Mrs. Snoddy was the widow of Rev. D. A. Snoddy, who passed away last year, and she was a sister of Mrs. Foster's.

Funeral services will be conducted at the First Methodist church Sunday night at 7:30 p. m. in Graham at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Snoddy was a member of the Methodist church \$4,000,000. Benny had no in Graham where they had lived for some time.

New Cold Front Moving South Across Texas

Another cool front was moving southeastward across Texas today, with rains expected to follow on the heels of sub-freezing temperatures tonight.

The weatherman predicted cloudiness this afternoon in East Texas, with rain in the northwest portion. The mercury was expected to drop as low as 27 degrees. In West Texas, cool, cloudy weather this afternoon was expected to be followed by readings as low as 22 degrees in the Panhandle and South Plains tonight.

The new cold front was reported this morning crossing the Panhandle, South Plains and the Big Bend Country, and was expected to reach Dallas by tonight. Along the coast, the weather bureau had ordered small craft warnings hoisted from Brownsville, Texas, to Lake Charles, La. Winds of 25 to 35 miles per hour were foreseen for tonight.

Friday maximum temperatures ranged from the middle 50's in the Panhandle and South Plains to the low 90's in the lower Rio Grande Valley. Guadalupe Pass and Clarendon each recorded a low of 55 degrees, while Brownsville recorded the high of 92.

The minimum readings early this morning from the middle 30's in the Panhandle to the 70's in lower Rio Grande Valley. Guadalupe Pass recorded 33 degrees, while the mercury hit 72 at Brownsville.

Rites For H. H. Hickman Held At Rising Star

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon for H. H. Hickman, 43, Rising Star rancher who died Friday morning in a Brownwood hospital.

Hickman, and his brothers, were instrumental in getting vetch production started on farms in this area. He graduated from John Tarleton College and attended Texas A&M.

He is survived by his wife and one child.

MOVING TO VERNON

O. C. Folmar and family, who formerly resided at 606 W. Commerce, are moving to Vernon, where he and his brother, E. T. Folmar, will be in the Linen Supply business. The Folmar brothers have been in the laundry business in Eastland and Cisco for the past three years.

BENNY'S CHANGE TO CBS MAY SET PRECEDENT FOR OTHERS

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 27 (UP)— Comedian Jack Benny's switch to the CBS radio network touched off speculation today on whether other shows on NBC's "sock sequence" of Sunday night programs might follow suit.

The deal whereby the violin-playing comic would move over to CBS for his Sunday evening show beginning Jan. 2 was announced yesterday. Benny has been with NBC for 17 years and his is the show in NBC's night line-up. There were rumors that the Harris show, starring the comedian and his wife, Alice, and Edgar Bergen might follow suit. Harris and Bergen followed Benny's lead at half hour intervals.

Harris wasn't talking about any deal and it was reported he would move to CBS but also would stay in the Benny show on Sunday nights. Benny's band leader, who was a brother of Mrs. Foster's, that Dennis Day, Benny's tenor, might switch his show to CBS.

County To Get Right-Of-Way For F-M Roads

County Judge P. L. Crossley stated Saturday morning that the County had not yet received the contract and agreement from the State Highway Department on the proposed Farm-to-Market roads in the County in the Carbon-Okra Rising Star area, but was sure that it would be received in due time as the matter had been formerly worked out by county officials and the Highway department engineers.

Eastland County, Judge Crossley said, had tentatively secured the right-of-way for the roads, or at least a major portion of it and the balance of it would be obtained.

The Highway Department announced earlier in the week that the Eastland county roads in question had been designated as Farm-To-Market Roads subject to the condition that Eastland county furnish right-of-way at no cost to the state.

2 Americans Die In Bombay Crash

BOMBAY, Nov. 27 (UP)— Reports reached Bombay today that all 21 persons, including two Americans and seven Britons, aboard a Pakistan Airways C-47 were killed when it crashed yesterday 196 miles from Lahore.

The Americans were crewmen. They were described only partially as Captain Geyser, the pilot, a native of Missouri whose home address was Los Angeles, and a radioman, named Athos. Geyser was among American Transocean Airline personnel loaned to Pakistan Airways under a recent agreement.

Fund To Provide For T. B. Hospital

GALVESTON, Nov. 27 (UP)— A tuberculosis hospital at the University of Texas medical branch here was guaranteed today under terms of the will of Mrs. Rosa H. Zeigler.

Details of the document, announced yesterday, showed \$300,000 was provided for the hospital. The fund will be made available to the university Jan. 1, 1947. Mrs. Zeigler died Dec. 4, 1947. The will specified that the hospital be known as the Rosa and Henry Zeigler Hospital.

HIGH AMERICAN OFFICIAL REPORTS PERMANENT DIVISION OF CITY NEARS

President Of Venezuela



Lt. Col. Delgado Chalbaud, former Defense Minister and a member of the three-man Junta which seized control of Venezuela in a bloodless coup, has been appointed president with an 11-man cabinet to help him rule. — (NEA Telephoto).

Traffic Officer Averts Disaster

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 27 (UP)— Several motorists today possibly owed their lives to a quick-thinking Dallas traffic policeman. Police officer T. L. Baker was standing at his traffic post on Harwood and Ross Avenue last night when a trolley wire broke and fell across six automobiles.

Baker blew his whistle loudly and told occupants of each car to remain seated. He told them that if they stepped out of their car they possibly would ground the 800-volt current and be electrocuted. Dallas street railway repairmen fixed the wires shortly afterward. There was no panic.

VISITS IN OKLAHOMA

Jack Grubb, who returned last Sunday from an 18 months stay in Guam, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Frona Grubb, and sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson, visited his sister, Mrs. E. R. Buchanan and family at Oklahoma City for the Thanksgiving holidays. Also accompanying the group to Oklahoma was Mrs. John Beatty of Wichita Falls, a niece of Mr. Grubb.

BY R. H. SHACKFORD United Press Staff Correspondent

PARIS, Nov. 27. (UP)— A high American source warned today that the Berlin crisis must be settled soon or not at all.

This source confirmed the western power view that the Berlin situation is deteriorating so rapidly that only an immediate solution will prevent the virtually permanent division of Berlin into two cities.

The West does not take the position that a solution is impossible, this source said. But he added that the point is being approached rapidly where a continuation of the present trend toward two cities will make it impossible to introduce the Soviet mark as a single currency for the entire city.

He added ominously that the trend is going that way very rapidly.

This source also said Soviet action in Berlin during the last two months, aimed at further division of the city and its administrative operation, has introduced a new element into the picture.

The United States and other western powers still stand on the Aug. 30 Moscow directive as a possible basis for settlement, he said. But, he added, it is almost impossible to consider an agreement until a unified city administration under four-power control is re-established.

Latin Official Quits In Protest

MIAMI, Fla., Nov. 27. (UP)— Carlos Blank, inspector general of Venezuelan consuls throughout the world, resigned today in protest against a coup which ousted the elected government of Venezuela.

He said the Venezuelan ambassador Gonzalo Carnevali had resigned in Washington and that the consul general of New York and Galveston, Texas, also had joined the protest.

Whether the remainder of the 20 consuls in the United States and several score throughout the world follow his lead is "a matter of honor with them," Blank said.

"The government which was overthrown was put into power by a free vote of the people of Venezuela and it now has been replaced by a military dictatorship," Blank said. "The deposed government remains the legal one."

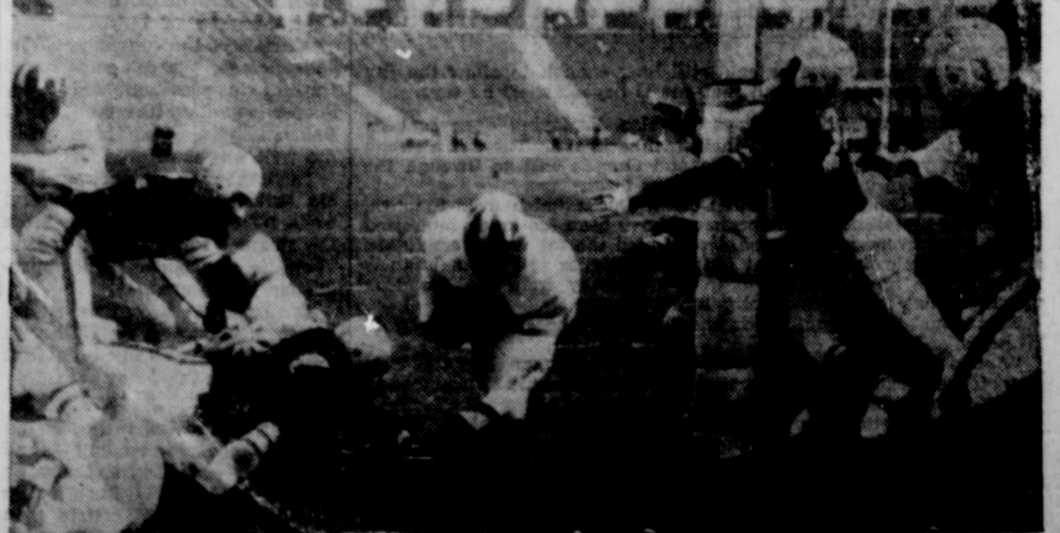
THE WEATHER

By United Press EAST TEXAS— Considerable cloudiness this afternoon, with rain in northwest portion. Rain and colder tonight. Lowest temperatures 27-32 in extreme northwest portion. Sunday partly cloudy and cool.

WEST TEXAS— Partly cloudy and colder this afternoon and tonight. Lowest temperatures 22-28 in Panhandle and South Plains and 28-36 elsewhere tonight. Sunday fair and cool.

LOS ANGELES— Partly cloudy and fair tonight. Lowest temperatures 50-60 in the Los Angeles area and 40-50 in the mountains. Sunday fair and cool.

OOPS . . .



Los Angeles' Dons fullback Walt Clay, center, hurtles through a big hole to score the first touchdown in the Dons vs Cleveland Browns professional football game at the Los Angeles Coliseum. Cleveland's defensive fullback Tony Adamle, right of center, almost stopped the play except that he tackled the goal post instead of the runner. — (NEA Telephoto).

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

Cabinet Speculation Looks to Democratic Ticket for 1952

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Who will succeed President Truman and Vice President Barkley as heads of the Democratic ticket in 1952? President Truman will be 68 in 1952, Barkley will be 75. It is unlikely that either will be renominated. Sam Rayburn is likely to be Speaker of the House in the new Congress, but he will be 70 in 1952. So the Democratic Party must find new and younger leaders and build them up during the next four years.

That's why talk of making Sen. Scott Lucas, 56, of Illinois, majority leader of the Senate is important. Lucas would take the place of Sen. Kenneth McKellar of Tennessee, now 79.

That's why there is so much talk about possible shifts in Truman's cabinet. Washington is now just as full of cabinet rumors as it would have been if Dewey had been elected. Party leaders vacationing at Key West, Fla., have lots to talk about.

Since Democrats consider the election such a smashing victory for the New Deal principles of Franklin D. Roosevelt, the party leadership would like to find some ardent New Dealer to build up for years to come.

A BOOM has already been started for Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas, now 50. He was the unwilling candidate of Leon Henderson's Americans for Democratic Action before the Philadelphia convention. Labor groups also backed him.

The play now is to get Douglas named secretary of state, to succeed General Marshall if and when he retires. That would put Douglas in the limelight and give the public a chance to know him better.

Defense Secretary James V. Forrestal, now 56, bowed himself out of the 1948 political picture early this year. He may have bowed himself out for good at the same time. One explanation is that he wanted to keep the national defense job on a nonpartisan basis. The other is that he wanted to keep his job regardless of which party won.

Much of the gossip now flying around Washington on imminent cabinet changes is inspired by people who want some incumbent fired, and so plant rumors.

Take the case of Secretary of Commerce Charles Sawyer of Ohio. It has been reported that he might get the bounce because he made no campaign speeches in support of President Truman. It was Sawyer, however, who had a big hand in arranging Truman's campaign trip in Ohio.

Several people are said to want Sawyer's job, including Eric Johnston, who is a Republican, and was mentioned as a possibility for the job under Dewey. Friends of William Benton, former assistant secretary of state, are boosting him for the Commerce job.

INTERIOR SECRETARY J. A. KRUG'S case is much like Sawyer's. Krug is not only the biggest but the youngest man in the cabinet, being only 41. He would have a great political future before him, only he just isn't interested and can't be bothered with politics.

During the campaign Krug made a six weeks' inspection tour of interior projects in the West. He has done this every summer. President Truman wanted him to do it again this year. Besides which there was no money in the Democratic kitty to finance a political tour for Krug. He did make 25 speeches and held numerous press conferences on his tour, appealing for independent and Republican support for the present Department of Interior policies. At the end of the tour, Krug made political speeches at Seattle, Madison and Hot Springs, on his way home.

Reports that Krug would retire from the cabinet and go into the textile business arise from the fact he holds a small interest in Brookside Mills, Knoxville, Tenn. When Krug entered the cabinet he told the President he owned this stock and intended to keep it, and this was okayed.

THE SCOREBOARD

California Sports Experts Weep Over Rose Bowl Plans

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—California sports experts are knocking themselves out already in connection with the upcoming Rose Bowl situation. First they are moaning because the Big Nine's Pasadena representative, Jan. 1, will not be the conference champion, but rather a defeated, second-place outfit at best.

These down in time print in the agreements between the Pacific Coast and Western Conferences prohibits the same Big Nine school from traveling to the Tournament of Roses more than once in three years.

This means that Michigan, still regarded by many as the most powerful steamroller in the land, is ineligible.

The Wolverines were in the Rose Bowl last—remember? Southern California will never forget.

With Michigan ymied, Northwestern is the most likely choice, or maybe Minnesota.

"If our Pacific Coast Conference team is fortunate enough to win, it won't mean a thing," laments Braven Dyer, Los Angeles' veteran typewriter thumper. "I can see the midwest scribes snickering out loud right now."

If Dyer had his way, the Pacific Coast faculty members who kow-towed to the Big Niners would be lined up on the 50-yard line on New Year's Day, and made to listen to the raucous raspberry he contends they deserve.

"How our brass hats ever held still long enough to allow the Big Nine nabobs to stick 'em with that one is beyond me," he says.

THE California football jockeys are also displaying deep concern about the set-up brewing in their own backyard. There is a strong possibility, you see, that California and Oregon will go through the league campaign unbeaten. They do not meet.

Should the Golden Bears and Donald Ducks finish even—Stephen, the faculty representatives, who never have been too much interested in the attractiveness of a game, would pick the far west's candidate. And a new rule provides that if the pedagogues split even in their balloting, the team that has been longer away from the Pasadena noggin-bustin' be automatically nominated.

That would be Oregon, which hasn't been to the Pasadena wars in 29 years.

"And don't think the northwest won't vote Oregon into the Rose Bowl if the Oregonians and Californians are tied at the end of the season," groans Dyer, himself an old Tacoma man.

"Those babies to the north don't like California (the state). They'd like nothing better than to thumb their noses at us by snubbing the Bears, currently the fourth top collegiate squad in the nation.

"Inasmuch as Berkeley never has gone to much trouble to schedule either Montana or Idaho, it can't be expected that the weak sisters will desert their northwest cohorts. Yep, this intra-conference cold war is apt to be a dilly before it's finished.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Oil and Gas News

Area OIL News

EASTLAND COUNTY GORMAN AREA

November 26th.

Potter and Alsbrook No. 2 Kleiner drilling at 1200 feet.

D. D. Feldman No. 2 Grocery is making location and preparing to get under way on rigging up. Martin Harris moving their rig from the No. 1 location to the No. 2.

Coast Oil No. 2 George Bell gauged 70 barrels of 42 gravity oil on a 25 hour test under 12-64 inch choke.

Luling Oil and Gas No. 1 Rumph are resuming operations after the holiday for Thanksgiving.

Moncrief No. 1 Johnson in Comanche County—near the town of Comanche—drilling at 300 feet.

Commercial Production No. 5 J. C. Burns is WOC after having set pipe at 2817 feet.

Commercial Production No. 1 E. L. Park still cleaning and preparing to shoot and treat if necessary.

Carl Webb, the claim agent for the Premier Oil and Refinery Co., which company takes a great percentage of the oil from Kirk field came by just as we were going to press on our news sheet and gave us this item. Premier is upping the price of crude to \$3.00 per barrel, effective immediately. He had this information from his head office just a few minutes before from a long distance telephone conversation, and Mr. Webb authorized us to quote him on this information.

West Central Texas oil operators Friday got their first taste of the 35 cents per barrel crude oil price increase initiated last September 28 by Phillips Petroleum Company.

The price increase was met Wednesday by Sinclair Prairie Oil Company and has been followed by Baird Oil Company and Premier Oil Refining Co., which have a pipeline connections with Sinclair.

Fields immediately effected by the increase included the Novice and Goldsboro Fields of Coleman County, the Kirk Field of Comanche County, and that part of the Callahan County production which goes to the Baird Refinery.

No change had been announced by Onyx Refining Company, nor by Humble Oil & Refining Company or Magnolia Petroleum Company on whose postings the Onyx price is based.

Neither Phillips, nor the few smaller concerns which had previously met the increase by crude in this area.

Well Completed in Cisco Area; 2nd Test Due

The Del-Lake Oil Company of Delavan, Wis. this week was completing its A. W. Wright No. 1 in Section 36, Lavaca County South Lands, 14 miles south of Cisco, for flowing Marble Falls production, and preparing to drill the second well of a ten-well program on a 1200-acre farmout from J. T. and Robert S. Anderson of Cisco.

The second well, now rigging, will be drilled on the H. A. Bible tract, one and one quarter miles south by west of the Wright.

The Wright topped Marble Falls at 3000 feet, drilled to a total depth of 3057 and shot the stratum with 170 quarts of nitro between 3017 and 3050 feet. The well responded with heads, flowing through shot bridging which is being cleaned out now. Tanks will be set this week and potential run as soon as swabbing and cleaning are complete. Completion is being done with spudder after rotary drilling to the pay. Contractor is Virgil Taylor of Gainesville. Frank A. Proctor, Jr., recently of Gainesville and now of Cisco is drilling superintendent of Del-Lake.

Officials of the company, Fritz Johannessen, president; Floyd Hurd, vice-president, and J. A. Y. Reeder, secretary-treasurer, all of Delavan, Wis., were here when the well was shot.

The tract is in semi-proven Marble Falls territory where several wells have been producing from the stratum for 12 to 22 years. There is also some shallow production in the area.

The Del-Lake, a corporation only recently formed by Wisconsin business men, obtained its first production in the Olney area.

Men fight over what they do not know—misunderstanding—and never over what they do know. So says Dr. Willis R. Whitney in an American Magazine article in which he recommends that every child and adult keep an honest diary as a record of truth.

Rail Commission In Oil Ruling

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 27 (UP)—The Texas Railroad Commission today supplemented a close-in order on the Foster Fiter Field and issued a new ruling allowing continued but curtailed production in the Ector county area.

The action was in line with an announced railroad commission policy of allowing production in fields, previously ordered closed in, where operators could prove that gas was being economically utilized.

The Foster Field had a previous allowable of 25,347 barrels daily. However, on the basis of evidence submitted by the operators, the commission established a new allowable of 20,278 barrels.

That figure was established as the maximum at which oil could be produced and the natural gas not wasted.

It was brought out that the production curtailment would not effect 19 isolated wells in the Foster Field where it was shown that it would not be economically feasible to connect with gas lines.

Kansas Repeal Margin 83,984

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 27 (UP)—Kansas repealed constitutional prohibition after 68 years by an 83,984 vote margin, complete official returns revealed today.

The count from 2,772 precincts was: "Yes" 442,294, "No" 358,310. That approximately reversed the balloting of 1944 when Kansas voted dry by a margin of 89,044.

County by county tabulation showed that in the recent election 45 of Kansas' 105 counties went wet.

Kansas' eight presidential electoral votes went to the Republicans by a plurality of 71,137, less than half the margin the state accorded Thomas E. Dewey four years ago. In 1944 his margin was about 164,000 votes.

Texas Lass Wins 4H Club Award

CHICAGO, Nov. 27, (UP)—Beverly Runnels, petite blonde 16-year-old girl from Brazoria County, Tex., today held top honors in the National 4-H Club citizenship contest at the meeting here of the National 4-H Congress.

A \$200 scholarship to any college in the United States went with the award, announced late Friday.

Beverly, who is attending the meeting here, has served as president, secretary-treasurer and reporter of her club, of which she is a charter member.

The Texas girl, who is also active in church work, has taken 57 ribbons for her agriculture and home demonstration exhibits at county fairs.

Mexican Splashers Defeat Longhorns

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 27 (UP)—The Mexico City Y.M.C.A. won a double victory last night over water polo teams of the University of Texas.

The Y's touch "A" team out-fought the Longhorn Varsity in two three-minute extra periods to take the night's feature match, 8 to 6. Mexico's Chompas Santoyo swam like a seal for the "Y" and slammed in four of his team's eight goals.

In a preliminary match, the Y's "B" team defeated the Longhorn "B" squad, 6 to 1.

The teams are scheduled to play again tonight.

Citrus research chemists say that a simple way to restore the fresh fruit flavor to canned juices is to pour chilled juice back and forth from one container to another.

Some of Africa's forests are so thick that most animals cannot live in them, and only reptiles, monkeys and birds exist there, the World Book Encyclopedia notes.

HAIR-BREADTH HARRY



STRIKE VIOLENCE LEADS TO JAILING OF PICKETS

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 27 (UP)—Sheriff's deputies arrested 24 pickets and two union organizers today following a brief skirmish in front of the strike-bound American Zinc Oxide Company plant in which the automobile of a worker was overturned.

The outbreak was the first in the four month-old strike that began when the company refused to bargain with the International Mine, Mill and Smelter (CIO) because its international officers failed to sign anti-Communist affidavits under the Taft-Hartley law.

Sheriff Ralph J. Paul said the skirmish occurred when Carl Buckenberger, the picket, Buckenberger said, then shouted to the other strikers:

"Let's turn his car over. The sheriff's office dispatched 25 deputies to the scene as soon as it received word of the flare-up and the demonstration was brought under control within a half hour. Columbus police were called to furnish transportation to the county jail for the arrested men.

Organizers arrested were Ralph Locke, of Cleveland, and Bob Holloway of St. Louis. The strike, affecting 160 employees at the local plant, began last Aug. 14 when the company refused to bargain with the union because of the anti-Communist affidavit issue.

The union, in turn, has charged the company with attempting to break up the union by refusing to bargain on a company-wide basis for all of its four plants.

Union and company officials agreed during a recent conference with Sheriff Paul to limit pickets after the company asked the common pleas court for an injunction limiting the number of pickets. The court held the order in abeyance following the agreement.

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

Shirt manufacturers and laundries have found a new use for sun lamps. They bleach out scorch.

Weed tree stumps do not respond to poisoning as they lack a complete circulatory system to spread the poison.

Fire each year kills 2,000 children under five—ten times as many children as die from infantile paralysis.

Papaya, a tropical fruit, and peans both hold promise of becoming big crops for the Lower Rio Grande Valley area of Texas.

VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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FORT WORTH MEETING TO DECIDE TITLE PLAYOFF ARRANGEMENTS

By Marvin Gross
With the blue chip game safely tucked away via a 39-0 victory the Rangers—the champion Rangers—will be waiting for a twisting coin to land and signify the site of the play-off site with Navarro Junior College.
The Bulldogs copped the eastern sector of the complicated junior college set-up with a 14-7 win over Henderson. A Fort Worth meeting with representatives of both schools attending will iron out last minute details for the north zone title game.

Basing predictions of the October 28 Navarro game the impending clash shapes up as a thriller-diller. The Bulldogs fed the Rangers an undigestible diet of passes fashioned by the magic left arm of quarterback Bill Reed. And the 134-pound passing man almost snatched the game from the front-running Rangers with a last period flurry of aerials.
Comparing the two ground attacks the Rangers rate a commanding edge although statistics from the first game indicate otherwise. The Navarro running game is almost a one man affair with Bill Davis the wheelhorse. But Davis has enough drive to handle the whole show.

The Rangers have a week-end of relaxation and then its more pass defense drills and block, block, block. Except for one brief let-down the Ranger anti-aircraft defense in the Hillsboro victory was close to 100%. The Indians with Cecil Franks on the mound completed but four heaves in 15 at-tempts.
Inviting disaster and looking ahead past Navarro the Rangers, if they get by the Bulldogs, loom as a possible foe for Wharton Junior College. Wharton has already accepted a bid to the Oleander Bowl and is mentioned in the same breath as Kilgore. Their scores have reached telephone number proportions all year and in their last outing they ruined Blinn Junior College, 48-14.
But the Rangers flashed sufficient all-around strength to cope with any junior college eleven in any man's land. The attack has functioned for 259 points through the season—permitting but 58 points to the opposition and 34 were racked up by Kilgore in the opener.
Six of nine teams were blanked in the scoring column with the majority never threatening. And in most ball games the Ranger forward wall has been outweighed from five to 15 pounds a man.
Again launching air sorties only when necessary the Ranger passing game against Hillsboro was inches shy of perfection. Behind a combination of Junior Arterburn and Jackie Wright seven of eight chunks hit the mark with the lone incompletion being the res-

ult of an over-anxious receiver.
Only minor injuries were suffered by the champs in the bruising Hillsboro struggle. Ben Blitch was half carried off the field in what appeared to be a damaging leg injury. But five minutes later the durable captain was back in action spearing some Arterburn passes. Frankie Ford tried to crush an oversized pebble with his nose and came out second best. A few of the boys have an ache here and a scratch there but nothing which necessitates hospitalization.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL RESULTS

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Class AA
Waco 34, Temple 7 (Waco wins 9-A-A title).
Class A
Monahans (5A) 13, Rotan (6-A) 0.
Ballinger (7A) 41, Dublin (8-A) 6.
Irving (12A) 19, Handley (11-A) 6.
New London (16A) 27, Mount Vernon (15A) 0.
Van (18A) 14, Athens (17A) 0.
Cameron (21A) 27, San Saba (22A) 13.
New Braunfels (24A) 27, Navasota (23A) 7.
Aldine (25A) 25, Jasper (26A) 7.
El Campo (28A) 26, Edna (27-A) 6.
Falfurrias, (29A) 19, Weslaco (30A) 7.
Survives by a Nose
FORT WAYNE, Ind. (UP) — Joseph Neal, 48, was buried 20 minutes in a collapse of a seven-foot sewer trench but survived. A fellow worker tore away some of the dirt to expose the tip of Neal's nose. Later, fireman and police dug the rest of him out.

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OREGON TOPS PROSPECTS FOR COTTON BOWL GAME

DALLAS, Tex. Nov. 27 (UP)—Indications mounted today that if the University of Oregon could obtain permission from the Pacific Coast Conference, the Webfoot eleven would oppose Southern Methodist here in the Cotton Bowl New Year's Day.

Rocky Suspended For Withdrawal

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 27 (UP) — The hectic, checkered boxing career of bad-boy Rocky Graziano today appeared to be at an end.
The former middleweight champion from Brooklyn was suspended indefinitely by the National Boxing Association yesterday for his withdrawal from a fight with Fred Apostoli, scheduled for Oakland Cal., next Wednesday night.
The suspension action first was taken by the California State Athletic Commission, which notified Abe J. Greene, commissioner of the N. B. A. Greene announced at his home here that it would be automatic for the 40-odd member states of the association to uphold the California suspension.
Pennsylvania leads the nation in 50 major industries, yet has a billions-dollar farm industry.

Hamilton Looms As Pitt Mentor

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 27. (UP) —Capt. Tom Hamilton, athletic director of the Naval Academy today appeared to be "in" as the new head man at Pitt—if he wants the job.
The eight-member athletic committee at Pitt definitely has made Hamilton its top choice, it was reliably reported.
If Hamilton should decide to stay at Annapolis, insiders believe Lloyd Jordan, former Pitt grid star and now athletic director and head football coach at Amherst, would be the no. 2 choice.
Wes Fesler for Ohio State already has rejected the job. Others reportedly under consideration were Harvey Harman, head coach at Rutgers, and Jack (Spike) Harding, athletic director at Miami.

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NEWS FROM LONGBRANCH CARBON ROUTE 1

LONG BRANCH, Nov. 23—Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Vaughn of Eastland and their mother, Mrs. Arthur Wright from Long Branch, motored out to McCamey to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Bradshaw. The party returned home Sunday evening.

J. W. Cooper of Eastland has a good nose for hog killing. He has returned home after assisting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sherrill in slaying and dressing a three hundred and fifty pounder at Long Branch.

Ace Howard visited his mother, Mrs. Eliza Howard, accompanied by his aunt Mrs. Mary Sherrill. The two drove home from Brantton Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wright and Jimmy of Eastland, visited relatives at Long Branch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Britt Dudley, Miss Lucille Furr and Wayne Wilson of Long Branch and Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Dudley from Cisco motored to Brownwood and visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Wind-

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Scale Runners Met Wednesday At Corbell Home

Scale Runners Juvenile Music Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Corbell, with Lou Ann and Dickie as host. Helen Taylor, president presided over the meeting when an election of officers were elected for the ensuing year. For president, Lou Ann, vice president, Donna Jan Moser, secretary, Patsy Atwood pianist, Helen Taylor; reporter, Gale Kilgore; historian, Nancy Gann; critic, Christine Overton, parliamentarian, Dickie Corbell.

Names were drawn for the Christmas party to be in the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Chapman with Helen Taylor as co-hostess, December.

The program opened with assembly singing of America and Morning hymn with Patsy Atwood at the piano. The following piano solos were played, "Singing Fingers," Dickie Corbell, "Bouncing Ball," by Dana Jan Moser, "Falling Leaves," by Glenna Kilgore. An

article on hand position by Gale Kilgore, Pretty Little Daisy was played by Margie Lane and On The Meadow was played by Patsy Atwood.

The Corbell home was decorated with autumn leaves and mums. Refreshments of sandwiches, chocolate cake, candy and punch was served.

Mrs. Cullen Was Guest Speaker At Sorority Meet

Guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Zeta Pi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, Tuesday night, at the American Legion clubroom, was Mrs. P. J. Cullen who reviewed some of her original poems.

The poems read were "Heart of a Home," and poems dedicated to the Church and Country home.

Mesdames: Mattie Doyle, Art Johnson, Charles Cline and Miss Glenna Johnson, who were delegates to the State Convention in Houston last week-end, gave splendid reports on the meeting and Miss Johnson was on the pro-

gram, playing some of her violin selections.

At the close of the program Miss Merlene Ross bride-elect of Mr. Bobby King, served candy to members of the chapter as follows: Mmes. Oscar Avera, Glen Boyd, Jeff Chenault, Robert Clinton, J. T. Cooper, Milton Fullen, Jack Gourley, F. W. Graham, E. N. Grisham, Dan Kralls, David McKee, Dillard Morgan, M. H. Peery, Frank Sayre, Connie Wade, Bill Walters, R. N. Whitehead, and Misses Ross, Catherine and June McKee.

Harrell Family Has Reunion At Turnersville

The family of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Harrell enjoyed a family reunion and turkey dinner Thanksgiving Day at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Foust of Turnersville.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Harrell, Travis Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Walters and daughter, Galia Loy, all of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Dudley Jr., of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Harrell and daughter, Elaine, of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Foust.

The date was also the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walters, the birthday of Travis Harrell, and Mrs. Foust's birthday was also observed, since it will be December 3.

Coming Events

Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church meets Monday at 3:00 p. m. at the church. Mrs. R. C. Ferguson president will preside over the business. Mrs. Ina Bean will be leader of the program.

W. M. U. of the First Baptist church meets Monday morning at 10:00 a. m. for an all day meeting and observance of Foreign Missions and week of prayer. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. Mrs. James H. Hart, president stated.

Music Study Club meets Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. at the Woman's club for a program on Russian Influence on Music. Mrs. M. B. Murdock will be leader of the program.

Nazarene Church Announcements For This Week

Sunday Bible School—9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship ... 11:00 A.M.
NYPs and Junior Meeting 6:45 P. M.
Evening Service ... 7:30
Midweek Prayer Meeting Wednesday 6:45.

"Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

Personals

J. M. Cooper County Agent, suffered the second heart attack Thursday night, and is reported as showing some improvement. He had an attack Tuesday night and was carried to the West Texas Clinic in Ranger. Mr. Cooper began to feel badly Monday and gradually became worse.

Mrs. Lloyd Bland and little son John Lloyd of Wichita Falls, are

His Record's Not Very Good



Twelve-year-old George Latimer (inset) went downtown from his Pittsburgh, Pa., home to pick up \$58,000 for his mother, Mrs. William Latimer. Instead of returning home, he went to an amusement center and cut a record. It said "Goodbye, mother, I'm using this money to go to New York City. I'll be back some day." Mrs. Latimer, listening to the record, said "If anyone sees him, tell him money doesn't matter. I just want him to come home."

visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davis, Miss Geveve Truly and Mrs. Velpau Truly, West Commerce Street.

Mrs. W. C. Whaley who underwent surgery November 18, in the Harris hospital, Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jackson of Dallas are spending the weekend with Eastland friends. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are former Eastland people living on South Daugherty Street. Mr. Jackson was with the Magnolia Oil Company.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Collins Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis, son Freddie, and daughter June of Denver, Colo. Mrs. Davis is a sister of Mrs. Collins.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Nellie Pate this week are Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Jones of Big Spring. Mrs. Jones is a niece of Mrs. Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Huddleston, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Paschal, Reese Huddleston and Cpl. Lavon Huddleston were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Freeman who are Mrs. Huddleston's parents. Mr. Freeman has been in ill health but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rhyne of Corpus Christi are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyne at Carbon and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Safley. Mrs. Rhyne is the former Miss Winfred Safley.

Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Owen were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Drienhofer and their two little daughters Dana and Susan of Agua Dulce, Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson Owen and family of Austin, and Pat Owen of Odessa. Mrs. S. E. Grady of San Marine, Calif., is also a guest in the Owen home. She is a sister of Mrs. Owen and Roy Stokes at Leon Plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burkett of

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.

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.

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.

In the bee family, the worker has 3,000 to 4,000 lenses in its eyes, the drone 7,000 to 8,000, a queen about 5,000.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Dallas, spent Thanksgiving Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burkett, South Oak Street. Mr. Burkett is attending Southern Methodist University and will be a senior at mid-term.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hickman and two children returned Friday night from Dallas and Cooper where they visited Mrs. Hickman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fultz, and in Cooper, they visited Mr. Hickman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Hickman and friends.

Youngest Driver



Generally speaking, harness racing is an old man's game, but Richard Standriff, at 13 the nation's youngest driver, hopes to crash the Grand Circuit next year. That's Richard's father, George, preparing the pacer, Chestnut Time, for a race. The Standriff's hail from Williamsburg, Clermont County, O.

Oldsmobile Boosts Price of '49 Cars

LANSING, Mich. Nov. 27 (UP)—The Oldsmobile division of General Motors today announced price increases ranging from \$45 to \$370 on 1949 models.

The company priced its least expensive car at \$1,670 and its most expensive car at \$2,830. The increases were in line with the three to six per cent increases recently announced by the GM Cadillac and Buick divisions.

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

Magnesium pipe is used for transferring gasoline and volatile solvents because it will not strike a spark.

Ohio has 318 airports and landing fields and 11 seaplane bases, giving airline and private plane connections with all parts of the world.

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

As many as 20 steel balls are now used in artificial limb joints to gain smoother articulation and greater comfort for the wearer.

More than 8,500,000 acres of land are included in the big timber areas of New Mexico.

Farmers were getting 53 cents of the consumer's food dollar in July, 1948. Wholesaler, retailers, transportation companies and others shared the remaining 47 cents.

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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.

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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