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## Friendliness Marks End Of Big Four Meet

**Well ... I Dunno, But ...**

One more family has its birthdays all mixed up and December is sure gonna be rough on the family pocketbook, we know because of our own experience.

Harold Fyffe, proudly telling of the arrival of his baby daughter, tells us this morning that she was born on his birthday, December 11. The baby is the granddaughter of Mrs. Minnie Cox and the great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hummel, all of Ranger.

E. L. Martin is making quite a ceremony of delivering his new 1947 calendars, and a very appropriate ceremony it is, too.

The calendar is being distributed in the "interest of Boy Scout work in this community" and bears a Boy Scout outing scene. Very fittingly it is being distributed by Boy Scouts who walk into an office and ask politely if they may take up the calendar for you.

The delegation called on this morning and left one of the attractive calendars on our wall. Jimmie Martin, who has graduated in Scout work is accompanying the boys and those calling on us were Tommie Wilson, Jimmie Cantrell and Raymond Brown.

Ceremony seems to be the order of things around here lately. Everything must be done with great gusto.

A casting box was delivered to the Times Friday and was set up for operation Saturday morning.

We, with the rest of the office staff, were sent a very formal invitation by Foreman Wade to come back and witness the casting of the first cut in the new box.

It's a right handy thing. Working on weights, the box swings up to the mouth of the metal spout and in pours the metal. It's a lot handier than the old type, but, do you know, that those boys back here hate to give up the old standby, even if it is outmoded. And every single one of 'em would tell you that he's not sentimental or superstitious, either—it was delivered on Friday 13th.

If past years can be used as a standard, the annual Christmas program to be given Sunday night by the Ranger High school and Ranger Junior College students, is an event well worth attending. In past years the program has been one of the highlights of the Christmas season and is an event of which Ranger justly can be proud.

In fact since the beginning of the fine arts department in the college and to which high school students are eligible, we can see an increased interest in music in Ranger. That department is now staffed by Miss Ruth Hightower, head of the department and Mrs. Homer Heatly, head of the voice department.

In a letter from Bobby Eakin to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eakin, the paratrooper tells of life with the Armed Forces in Japan where he is now stationed.

Like all the other boys that get over to Japan, he writes back of the luxury enjoyed at the hands of the Jap hand boys and of a "surprise meeting with W. K. Cooper who is with the 15th Finance Company at Marioka, Hanshu.

Incidentally, Bobby asked that the Times, among others, be given his address so that he would start getting some mail. So with the hope that Bobby starts getting some mail from those about town, we publish his address here—  
that if we don't run out of space. It is: Pvt. B. R. Eakin, 18269722, Battery A, APO 468, 152nd Airborne AA Bn., 11th Airborne Division, Care of Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

**No Arrest**  
WENATCHEE, Wash. (UP)—A burglar alarm telephoned to the Wenatchee police department sent patrolmen scurrying to the home of a harried housewife, but they couldn't do anything about it. The woman reported a black crow was picking the tops off milk bottles on her back porch and was drinking the cream. Police listed "no arrest" in the call book.

### Winners Of Maria Cabot Gold Medal



Three winners of the Maria Cabot Gold Medal for journalistic efforts to better relations among people of the Western Hemisphere were feted at a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City. Left to right: Miguel Lanz Duret, publisher of Mexico City "El Universal"; Lee Hills, managing editor, Miami Herald; and Grant Dexter, executive editor Winnipeg, Canada, Free Press. Awards were given to these three men at Columbia University. (NEA Telephoto).

### MUZZLE-LOADING RIFLES DESPITE ATOMIC AGE

SHARPLESSVILLE, Pa. (UP)—Muzzle-loading rifles, popular when the United States was young still resound today in the Blue Ridge foothills of Berks County in Pennsylvania.

The old-fashioned, long-barreled weapons are used regularly in matches staged by the nine-year-old Blue Mountain Muzzle Loading Rifle Association, which counts upwards of 100 members from Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Use of micrometer sights is the only concession to modernity permitted the shooters, who rest the cumbersome rifles, weighing from 15 to 35 pounds, with barrels approximately 40 inches long, on specially-built benches during match action.

Time and science combined to dim the popularity of the muzzle-loaded rifle. Sharplessville, for generations a hot-bed of old-time shooters, now boasts the only range for the powder-primed weapons. Old-timers, however, are not the only persons lured to the sport. The average span runs from 12 to 76 years.

Women are well represented also, and display excellent firing talent. Mrs. Sue Hirtle, of Bath, Pa., whose husband, Dr. Jerome E. Hirtle, is club president, holds the Eastern States aggregate championship. A pre-Thanksgiving turkey shoot went to Mrs. Mary Wengert, of Bernville, Pa.

Two muzzle-loading rifle types, flintlock and percussion-lock, are fired at Blue Mountain. Both are loaded from the muzzle with black powder and a round lead ball inside a finely-woven cloth patch. The powder, specially manufactured is sold at gun shops the lead balls must be mounded by the individual shooter to fit the caliber of his rifle's barrel.

The flintlock, by far the older of the two types, dates back to 1635 and the percussion to 1807. Introduced in the United States early in the 18th century by the Germans and Swiss who settled Central Pennsylvania, the flintlock was the chosen weapon of frontiersmen. The percussion succeeded it as the nation's top rifle approximately 20 years before the Civil War.

The flintlock is fired by a flint fixed in the cock or hammer which on striking the battery—or pan cover—ignites the priming powder and communicates its fire to the

### UN COUNCIL TO DRAW UP ARMS OUTLINE

UNITED NATIONS HALL, Flushing, N. Y.—The United Nations General Assembly today instructed the Security Council to draw up a disarmament program, and determine what information the great powers should submit about their troops at home and abroad.

The disarmament resolution was approved without objection, but a compromise resolution on the controversial troop census cleared the assembly only after a sharp protest by the Russian representative.

The resolution, in directing the Security Council to determine, what information should be submitted, watered down both the Russian demand for a census of troops stationed abroad, and the Anglo-American call for an accounting of troops at home.

### New Schedule For Welfare Worker Visits

Miss Elsie Glenn, Field Worker, Department Public Welfare, Eastland, has advised this paper that she will be in Ranger on the second Wednesday of each month from 9:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m. at the Ranger City Hall beginning in January, 1947.

This is for the convenience of Ranger people and those who live on Ranger routes who wish to apply for Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Needy Blind, Aid to Dependent Children programs. It will not be necessary longer for people from this vicinity to go to Eastland to make application, she said, since this is now a set schedule.

### Bilbo Emphatic In Denial Of Graft Charges

WASHINGTON — Sen. Theodore G. Bilbo, D. Miss., said today he "didn't get a damned dollar" from Mississippi war contractors.

He threw in the remark as a Senate was investigating subcommittee inquired into charges that Bilbo accepted gifts from contractors.

His denial came as the committee questioned a number of witnesses in an effort to trace \$25,000 paid to Bilbo by F. T. Newton, a Mississippi contractor.

Sen. Homer Ferguson, R. Mich., suggested that Bilbo be called upon to tell how much of the \$25,000 he handled.

Bilbo, sitting at one side, broke in to say—

"I would prefer to make a statement at the conclusion of the evidence. But I will say now, though, that I didn't get a damned dollar."

### Eastland Masons To Observe 70th Birthday Monday

Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock the Masonic Lodge, No. 467, of Eastland will observe its 70th anniversary at an especially arranged program at the lodge.

Huge Craig, grand senior warden of the Grand Lodge of Texas, will be the guest speaker. Members of the Order of the Eastern Star will serve refreshments.

According to officials of the lodge it is the oldest in Eastland county, having been organized 70 years ago at Merriman near Ranger. It was the first secret order to be established in the county.

Ranger Masons have been invited to attend the meeting.

### Living Costs Up 2 Per Cent Within 30 Days

WASHINGTON —The cost of living increased two per cent between Oct. 15 and Nov. 15, bringing the total increase for the year to 17 per cent, the Labor Department reported today.

A 4 1-2 per cent rise in food prices was mainly responsible for the October-November increase.

Of the total cost of living increase for 1946, 16 per cent occurred after June 15, last measuring date under the old price control law.

—Find Her Perfect Gift Here—

### Annual Christmas Program To Be Sunday Night

At 7:45 o'clock Sunday evening the annual Christmas program will be given by Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College in the Recreation building.

The public is invited to attend the program for which most of the churches in town are making arrangements for the evening services so that the congregations can attend.

The program will be an arrangement of scripture readings, other readings and music.

The program is conducted by Mrs. Homer Heatly.

### HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE TO GIVE PROGRAM

At 3:00 o'clock on Friday afternoon, December 20, Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College will have their joint White Christmas program in the high school auditorium.

The Masquers, dramatic club of Ranger Junior College, will present No Room In The Hotel, a new Christmas play by Dorothy Clarke Wilson. The cast of characters includes the following students: Francis McHenry, Mrs. Tom Bryant, Carolyn Ducker, Billy Doss, Noble Robertson, Norma Jean Heinlen, Jim Sims, Billye Jeanne Crawley, Tom Bryant, and Juanita Jones. Mrs. Hal Hunter is the director of the play and Myra Sue Lee, president of the Masquers, is assistant director. Stage and property managers are Mike and Jerome Ready, Mary Guess is in charge of make-up.

The Cecilia Music Club of Ranger High School, accompanied at the organ by Barbara Stewart and Anne Mathews on the violin, will sing the following Christmas carols: Silent Night, Joy to the World, Come, All Ye Faithful, and White Christmas. Mrs. Homer Heatly is director of the club.

Gifts for the needy of Ranger, each gift wrapped in white will be presented by representatives of all the classes of Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College.

No admission will be charged and the public is cordially invited to attend the program.

### England Wrapped In Dense Fog For Second Day

LONDON — Fog so dense that dog racing had to be suspended because the mechanical rabbits were invisible blanketed England today for the second straight day.

Racing became a farce when the dogs repeatedly lost sight of the lure, and efforts were abandoned.

Thieves took advantage of the fog cover and kept Scotland Yard on the go. A welding company cashier lost a bag containing \$2,800 to a snatcher he never even saw. The driver of a truck containing 1,500 pairs of shoes became fogbound, went for assistance and returned to find his truck gone. Socially prominent Mrs. Irene Robert's home was robbed of \$32,000 by a second story man.

### REPUBLICAN TAX PLAN IS ALTERING

WASHINGTON —Republicans today were still committed to the 20 per cent personal income tax reduction but GOP leaders were willing to modify their earlier plans for making an equal slash in all brackets.

The original idea was to cut taxes "straight across the board", that is, to allow a 20 per cent reduction whether a taxpayer's liability was a million dollars or 20 dollars.

Now, however, the Republicans believe the important thing is to reduce the overall dollar total of personal income taxes by 20 per cent. Therefore, a GOP fiscal authority said, "the door is being left open" to alternative methods of accomplishing the promised cut.

Possible alternatives might be allowance of higher exemptions and reduction of surtax rates. These might mean a cut of more than 20 per cent for some taxpayers and less for others. But the overall effect would be a 20 per cent reduction in the total.

The job of drafting the income tax bill will be started within the next few weeks and it is expected to be ready soon after the new congress is organized.

### 15 MONTHS OF WORK ENDS IN TREATIES FOR 5 COUNTRIES

NEW YORK — The Big Four foreign ministers will return home this week-end after completing 15 months of peace treaty negotiations.

Behind them were 15 months of bitter arguments that eventually ended in agreement on treaties for Italy, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Finland.

Ahead of them is the far more difficult task of writing peace treaties for Germany and Austria, and eventually one for Japan. Most optimistic estimates count on several years of peacemaking ahead.

The ministers, before parting ways for three months until they start on Germany in Moscow on March 10, participated in an epilogue to their council work on treaties by making appearances at the United Nations assembly last night to participate in the closing stages of the disarmament debate.

British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin and U. S. Foreign Minister W. M. Molotov were scheduled to sail to Europe on the Queen Elizabeth. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes will fly back to Washington, and French Deputy Foreign Minister Maurice Couve De Murville will fly to Paris.

### Radar Aids Planes To Safe Landings In Bad Weather

SEATTLE (UP)—An amazing war-time radar development for guiding planes to safe landings when visibility is poor has been unveiled at the Sand Point naval station after three years of secrecy.

Known as G.C.A., or "ground controlled approach," it transmits radar-directed instructions to incoming pilots, keeping them on the beam until they are ready to set their wheels down.

According to Lt. Cmdr. R. E. Martin, in charge of the air station, the G.C.A. installation has been used for 10,000 landings on the Pacific coast without a single casualty. About 3,000 of the landings were made at Sand Point, Martin said.

The equipment consists of a trailer on the field, inside which sit five men who keep constant watch on a series of radar scopes when a plane is coming in for a landing.

Radar impulses, reaching up 6,000 feet and out in a circle of 30 miles radius from the equipment, register the "shadow" of the plane.

The five men in the trailer can then direct the descent by use of range, elevation and azimuth data which is compiled by the radar system.

### Nobel Prize Men Teach Beginners

CHICAGO (UP)—Two of the University of Chicago's three Nobel prize winners are spending part of their time teaching elementary courses.

Dr. Enrico Fermi, who set off the first chain reaction in war-time laboratory underneath the university's Stagg Field, is teaching a beginning course in physics, and Dr. Harold C. Urey, who won the Nobel Prize for his development in atomic energy—has a basic course in chemistry.

His explanation is that they think the students ought to get "started out right" and that research is important in teaching.

Both are continuing their research work in the university's new Institute for Nuclear Studies.

The third Nobel prize winner, James Franck, is continuing his work in photo-synthesis, or the study of the process by which sunlight is converted into chemical energy in a plant.

—Ranger Is Full of Xmas Gifts—

### Tenement House Dead Total At Thirty-Six

NEW YORK—A tomb of rubble from a collapsed tenement house slowly yielded its final victims today. Police set the count at 36 as firemen and house wreckers picked away at the ruins for the last four bodies.

Authorities thus far accounted for all the 92 residents of the six-story tenement in New York's upper west side which crashed in an avalanche of brick, mortar and bodies early Thursday from the weight of an adjoining wall of a burning ice house which toppled against it. The injured totaled 40, some of them firemen. Twenty seven still were hospitalized.

### Advertising Women Like Competition

NEW YORK (UP)—Miss Ruth Kinyon, former St. Louis girl and other women in the advertising field in New York, welcome competition.

So much so, that they have formed a school to teach newcomers and it now has a registration of more than 400 women.

"We're on the inside, and because we're happy in our work we'd like to see a new crowd come in," Miss Kinyon remarked. Research director for a local advertising firm, she was speaking for the educational committee of the Advertising Women of New York, which is sponsoring the class.

"Are you an office slave?" Those were the opening words of a little booklet, passed around to prospective students, answered its own question.

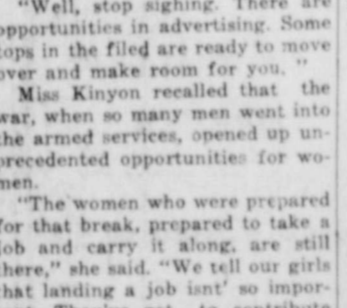
"Well, stop sighing. There are opportunities in advertising. Some tops in the field are ready to move over and make room for you."

Miss Kinyon recalled that the war, when so many men went into the armed services, opened up unprecedented opportunities for women.

"The women who were prepared for that break, prepared to take a job and carry it along, are still there," she said. "We tell our girls that landing a job isn't so important. They've got to contribute things the firm wouldn't have without them."

Miss Kinyon is a graduate of the University of Missouri School of Journalism. She and other teachers donate their time for the classes, which will be held once a week all winter.

### Soldier Victims of Train Wreck



GI shoes protrude from the wreckage of a crack passenger train. The Golden Triangle, Pennsylvania Flyer which crashed into scattered cars of two freight trains near Mansfield, Ohio. Eight are known dead and 30 injured. The train was mostly crowded with soldiers who were on their way home for Christmas. (NEA Telephoto).

### At Least 15 Are Injured In Head-On Train Crash

SALT LAKE CITY —A 13-car Western Pacific special passenger train, carrying homeward bound delegates from the farm bureau federation convention at San Francisco, collided head-on with a freight train west of here early today.

At least 15 of the 205 convention delegates aboard were injured. Other reports said there were more hurt, but none known dead.

A newspaperman aboard the train said he believed about 40 persons had injuries "more serious than cuts and bruises."

In the war of 1812, the Coast Guard cutter Jefferson made the first capture at sea when she took the British Brig Patriot.

—Ranger Is Full of Xmas Gifts—

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**Shopping Days To Christmas**

**The Weather**

Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Sunday. Warmer in northwest portion this afternoon.

Temperature at 1:30 p. m. today

Maximum	69
Minimum	47
Hour's Reading	68
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m. today	
Maximum	66
Minimum	47

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## EDITORIAL

by James Thrasher

### ONE-MAN LEGISLATION

Things now stand James Petrillo, president of the American Federation of Musicians, is free to indulge in the practices which have won him, in two separate polls of public opinion, a place among the three most unpopular union leaders in the United States.

Chicago federal court has held the Lea Act unconstitutional. Accordingly, Mr. Petrillo can continue to tell in dividual and network broadcasters how many musicians they must employ, and call his musicians out on strike if he is not obeyed. He can keep on blocking the development of frequency modulation by demanding double pay or double employment for simultaneous AM and FM musical broadcasts. He can continue to levy a private tax on record manufacturers for his union's "unemployment fund."

The test case which preceded this decision grew out of one of Mr. Petrillo's milder actions. He had ordered a Chicago radio station to hire three more union musicians as record turners.

U. S. District Judge Walter Labuy had to confine himself to this particular case, in which the station's operations were not seriously affected. The fact that Mr. Petrillo could just as well shut down the broadcasting industry was unfortunately, beside the point.

Judge Pabuy ruled that the Lea act violated the Fifth Amendment to the Constitution, which deals with citizens' rights before the bar, and also the Thirteenth Amendment, which prohibits slavery and involuntary servitude. This could well confuse the layman, who might be forgiven for imagining that the broadcasters, not Mr. Petrillo's musicians, were victims of involuntary servitude by being required to follow Mr. Petrillo's orders regarding employment.

But no one could fail to understand the judge when he said that, under this act, "broadcasting employees are placed in a class separate and apart from those of all other employees in the United States. . . This segregation and classification plainly falls within the arbitrary class of group legislation."

That fatal weakness was apparent when the Lea Act was passed. When the elected representatives of all the people set about to tailor a piece of legislation to the dimensions of one arrogant, dictatorial citizen, they are obviously approaching their problem from the wrong direction. The Smith-Connally Act, directed against John L. Lewis, was a similar case, and Mr. Lewis quickly found a way of using the law.

The need has long been evident for some new, sane and fair labor laws designed to favor all the people and their welfare.

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### This Curious World



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KWIZ KORNOR



CAN YOU NAME FIVE ARTICLES STARTING WITH THE LETTER 'S' THAT ARE WORN ON THE FEET?

ANSWER: Slippers, shoes, sneakers, sandals, stockings, socks, slits, etc.

NEXT: Don't underestimate a diamondback rattler.



Reports have come to the U. S. embassy in Nanking that American flyers, forced down in 1944, are being held as slaves of the wild, aboriginal Lolo tribesmen in mountainous western China (1). The captive Americans are said to have been seen southwest of Chengtu, one of the earliest B-29 bases, along the route followed by Superfortresses flying from India into China.

### Woman's Place Not Home Says Dorothy Fisher

BOSTON (UP)—The American woman must be freed from social pressure which confines her to the home and prevents her from developing into a mature citizen, in the opinion of Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Vermont author.

False and inaccurate, she contends, are such time-worn phrases as "Your home needs you — stay in it," or "What better job have you got to do than to take care of your children?"

For women to live only in the family, with no outside interests, she says, is to exclude what produces mature character.

### B-Complex Vitamins May Be Cancer Foe

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Preliminary findings in cancer research indicate the use of B-complex vitamins may help special cases of male sterility and feminine disorders, it has been found by Dr. Gerson R. Biskind, pathologist at Mount Zion hospital.

Reviewing ten years of cancer research based on the theory that vitamin deficiency may cause certain types of cancer, Dr. Biskind said his findings came as a result of focusing his research on sex hormone deficiency.

Male sterility and feminine disorders, he said, often tend toward cancer development.

Seeking proof that certain combinations of vitamins will give immunity to some types of cancer, the 38 year old scientist cautioned against extravagant claims for his findings.

"It would be premature to call our loosely knit theoretical structure a significant advance in the understanding of all cancer," he said.

"But if we are right," he added, "we will show how to diagnose certain forms of cancer and, most important, how to correct cancer-producing conditions even before the cancer itself is manifest."

Dr. Biskind's associates explain that findings to date have shown for the first time in medical history that, as a result of experiments in producing cancer in the ovaries of experimental rodents, B-complex vitamins will preserve the necessary balance between male and female sex hormones.

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I CAN'T TELL YOU, HILDA!  
CASHIER  
WELL, EVEN THOUGH THE SCHOOL PLAY FLOPPED AS A MONEY-RAISER, THE PUBLICITY FROM LARRY'S FAMOUS RIDE CAUSED SOMEONE TO SEND THE KIDS ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY FOR THE PAINTING OF PRISCILLA ALDEN!

**Mother, 70, in College**  
SEATTLE, (UP)—Mrs. Lena Eekert, 70, is the oldest student attending the University of Washington. She is the mother of four graduates and is attending classes in creative writing.

**Enough to Start a New City**  
BOSTON (UP)—A total of 189,000 babies have been born at Boston Lying-In Hospital since it was founded 114 years ago.

**WHEN DAY is done-**  
When you're spending an evening at home street shoes are certainly out of place. If you want comfort — (and what man doesn't?) put on a pair of slippers. But be sure they're EVANS SLIPPERS... EVANS SLIPPERS are comfortable—naturally—but they're also good looking, well made—and built to stand plenty of hard wear. The latest styles are now on display. Come in—won't you?



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### The Globe

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Saule Perlstein

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**MISS RANGER CAFE**  
Come in Please - Go Out Pleased

**Ked Ryder**  
PUT THE RUSTLERS TO PAT ATTENTION TO IT, LITTLE DEAVER!  
WESTER VALLEY  
KEEP OUT

**By Merrill Blosser**  
HE INSTRUCTED US NOT TO REVEAL HIS IDENTITY!  
IF WE KNEW WHO HE WAS WE'D EACH GIVE HIM A BIG KISS!  
I SURE WISH THAT GUY HAD GIVEN ME THE AUTHORITY TO ACT IN HIS BEHALF!

**Alley Oop**  
HE SHOT OUT THE SUPPORTING TIMBER!  
THE CEILING'S COMIN' DOWN—LOOK OUT!

**By Fred Harmon**  
WE'RE GOING ON AND FIND THOSE STOLEN CONS!  
HOLD ON, STRANGER! CAN'T YOU SEE I'M READY!

**By V. T. Hamlin**  
CRASH!

**Burglar Sleuth Trapped**

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—When Walter Benson, burglar-alarm inspector, failed to return from a call to a store here, his office became alarmed and called the police. Benson was found trapped inside the store's cashier cage. The door had swung shut and he couldn't get out.

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**Testifies In Bilbo Hearing**



F. T. Newton, Hattiesburg, Miss., contractor, as he testified before the Senate War Investigating committee which is currently investigating charges that Senator Theodore Bilbo, received gratuities from Mississippi contractors for helping them get construction jobs. Newton told the committee that he gave Bilbo four checks totaling \$25,000. At right is Newton's partner, Frank S. Glenn. (NEA Telephoto).

**NAVY GODFATHER TO 53,000 NATIVES ON PACIFIC ISLES**

By Donald J. Gonzales  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON (UP)—On tiny isolated islands scattered across the Pacific, the Navy is supervising today the education and general welfare of some 53,000 natives of the former Japanese

mandated islands. Captured by American marines, soldiers and sailors during the war, the islands and their dark-skinned, near primitive inhabitants have become temporary wards of the United States.

The Navy, because of its pre-war administration of the islands of Samoa and Guam, has been given the job of maintaining the Pacific areas until the United Nations decides their ultimate disposition. To carry out its mission, the Navy has created a School of Naval Administration for Captured Areas at Stanford University. Selected naval officers are enrolled in a 21 week course on the racial background and history of the native peoples. Under the direction of Dr. Eel-

ix M. Keesing, noted Pacific anthropologist, the Stanford students are given courses in native religion, ceremonial and family customs, inter-island trade, health sanitation, law and education.

Until the Stanford graduates can be sent to the islands, admirals and seamen are struggling with the immediate problems at hand. They include translating school books from native languages to English; the tuberculosis problem on a spot named Koror; the fire department on Saipan, and the vitamin content of a coconut on Likiep.

To give a progress check on its system of military government the navy recently conducted a 25,000-mile tour of the ex-mandated islands for a group of reporters from the United States. Islands visited included Kwajalein, Likiep, Majuro, Laura, Truk, Saipan, Peleiu, and Koror. The islands are located in the Marshall, Caroline and Palau groups. Saipan sticks out as the show-place of the Navy's administrative system. It was captured in mid 1944. The 4,462 natives on Saipan are being educated and they are well fed, clothed and housed. Some of them are establishing small businesses.

Evidence of the bitter fighting for the island still is evident in the school buildings where 1,000 children are learning the three R's in English. Bullet holes are visible in the walls and ceilings. Plaster knocked loose by bombings of a American planes has not yet been replaced. Unmindful of their war-damaged buildings, the native children are showing good progress in learning the English language, natural sciences, music, sewing, gardening and handicrafts. Modern farming methods are offered under a vocational training program.

On Koror, a former Japanese stronghold in the Palaus, other dark-skinned students are learning how to spell the names of cities and states in the United States. They proudly sing "America" or "Bas, Bas Black Sheep" to display what they have learned under Navy tutelage.

But schooling is only a part of the Navy's effort to get the war-riddled economy of Saipan back on its feet. Programs supervised for the islanders include public safety, hospitalization, medical care, sanitation, business ventures, agriculture, fishing, banking, and light industry.

Aiding the Navy in its mission, are the relatively simple needs of the people. They are peaceful, law abiding and religious. They re-

**OCEAN AIRLINES COMBAT SHARP SLUMP IN TRAVEL**

By Robert Liles  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
NEW YORK (UP)—Internationally operated air lines are facing a slump in trans-Atlantic passenger travel, more pronounced on east-bound than on west-bound flights. They are gearing their operations, however, for a change in the trend.

Flight schedules have not been decreased, although 40-passenger Constellations have left New York for Europe carrying as few as 12 passengers. West-bound flights into New York have for the most part been fully loaded.

Pan-American World Airways was the first of the three States airlines to streamline their internationally scheduled United organizational personnel to meet the lack of full revenue. A 20 per cent reduction in personnel was termed by a company spokesman as a "selective housecleaning."

Officials of American Overseas Airlines have claimed their company will make a reduction in its employees, but Trans-World Airlines, most of whose personnel were furloughed during the 25-day strike of the Air Line Pilots Association which ended Nov. 15, has not yet returned to its pre-strike employment total and "doesn't expect to."

Sir William P. Hildred, general director of the International Air Transport Association, said on a visit to New York that there were four reasons for the current slump (1) seasonal weather, (2) resumption of steamship passenger service, (3) disappearance of the backlog of passenger reservations, and (4) recent accidents.

"The air lines are facing stiffer competition now since the Queen Elizabeth is running," Sir William stated, "but the lines are set for increased business, which will go steadily up and up."

For the most part, air line executives here reflect Sir William's optimism for the future. Some however, cite additional factors they believe to be contributing to the present downward trend, including foreign air line competition, less desire for speed travel to Europe and a general settling

guard the United States as just another administrator that has followed the German, Spanish and Japanese control since the islands were first discovered.

**State Replacing Blighted Chestnuts**

HARRISBURG, Pa. (UP)—Pennsylvania wants to return to the ranks of the leading chestnut producers and 100 cross-breed seedlings are scheduled to start the ball rolling next spring.

The blight-struck American chestnut trees in the state have just about petered out in produc-

tivity according to R. Lynn Emerick, forests bureau director, who announced an experimental planting of the 10-inch-long Nanking hybrid would be made in Logan Forest, Huntingdon County.

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## St. Rita's Pupils To Give Annual Christmas Program

On Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word will present the students of St. Rita's Catholic School in the annual Christmas program at the school auditorium.

Parents of the students and friends of the school have been extended an invitation to attend. Following is the program which will be presented: Welcome, Laura Kay Gray; sons, The Birthday of the King and God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen by the senior pupils; a Christmas playlet, Patsy's Problem with the following taking part, Gail Garner, Barbara Bray, Shirley Sharp, Linda Shaffer, James Williams, Charles Lavery, Layne Pleslar, Laurence Alfred, Jimmie Burnett, Patricia Gallagher, Deanne Swartz, Polly Raines, Deanne Hazard, Robert Downtain, Tommy Falsetti, Eddie Jacoby, Tommy Taylor, Jimmie Hagar, Peggy Alfred, Laura Kay Gray, Ronald Obel, Bobby Gene Weekes, Patricia Shaffer, Archie Bill Robinson, Linda Plumley and Linda Kay McKinney.

Reading, Giving and Getting, Louaine Shaffer; Santa Claus parade, William Creager and Jimmie May Miller; We've Got The Mumps, Primary grades; a Christmas play in one act with the following characters; Mary Ann Wallace, Clara May Jacoby, Dena Pullow, Jeannette Kirkpatrick, Patricia Fieckenstein, Kathleen Richardson, Wynona Rains, Cecelia Mooney, Peggy Russell, H. V. Daveshport, Louaine Shaffer, Tony Falsetti, Sanford Pleslar, Madeline Bond, Mildred Wall, Barbara Faye Daskevich, Cecil Lynn Robinson, Bertha Gallagher and Mary Jane Pates.

A tableau, the Nativity Scene as Silent Night and Adeste Fideles are sung by the students with Miss Mary Helen Kirkpatrick as piano accompanist. Ushers will be Misses Anita Carlisle and Nancy Phillips.

## Dinner Party Given For Miss Crawley

Complimenting her daughter, Pilye Jeanne, on her birthday, Mrs. A. E. Crawley entertained at her home Friday evening with a dinner party.

The dinner was served from a table laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a Christmas scene placed on a reflector. Across the snow covered reflector a miniature Santa Claus in reindeer drawn sleigh traveled toward a tiny house. Surrounding the reflector were red berries and cedar. Reindeer candles were placed at each corner of the reflector and tall red candles in crystal holders lighted the table. Red and green ribbons extended the length of each side of the table.

The tables for four were lighted by green candles in pottery holders and places were marked by white cards topped by Santa Clauses.

Guests for the occasion were Misses Betty Cosper of Strawn, Mary Frances Ohr, Sayra Jo Evans, Sudie Rawlings, Norma Jean Heinlen, Mary Guess, Myra Sue Lee, Dorothy Penn, Carolyn Ducker, Valerie Leonard and Miss Crawley.

## T. E. L. Class Has Morning Coffee

The T.E.L. class of the First Baptist Church was entertained Thursday with a morning coffee in the home of Mrs. Colonel Brasher, at 435 W. Main St.

Christmas gifts were exchanged and fruit cake, cookies, and coffee were served from a lace laid table in the attractively decorated dining room which carried out the Christmas theme. The table was centered with a cornucopia filled with nuts, grapes, candy, a n d evergreen.

A large number of the class was present.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hickey of Eldorado, Arkansas are the guests of their son, Bob Hickey and Mrs. Hickey. Mrs. Hickey will remain through the Christmas Holidays.

## Annual Sub Deb Dinner Held Tues

The Sub Deb Club of Ranger High School was entertained with its annual progressive dinner Tuesday evening beginning at 7:00 o'clock in the home of Miss Jane Hardy, who was assisted in serving cocktails by her mother, Mrs. T. K. Hardy, and Mrs. Frank Deaton.

The cocktails were served from the white linen laid table which was centered with an arrangement of mistletoe, red Christmas berries and red candles.

The salad course was served in the home of Miss Joyce Cole, with her mother, Mrs. Odell Cole, assisting in serving. Tables for six were lighted with red candles in silver holly leaf holders with green reflectors. Place cards were in the form of miniature Christmas trees with the names in silver. The dining table was laid with crystal appointments and was lighted by red candles in crystal holders.

From there the group went to the home of Miss Dorothy Imholz for the main course, where her mother, Mrs. H. W. Imholz was assisted in serving by Mrs. J. E. Matthews, Mrs. Stanley McAnelly, and Mrs. A. W. Brazda. The dining table was centered with a large reflector which was surrounded by red Christmas balls. Figurine candles were placed on the reflector. The red and white place cards were tied with green ribbon. The small tables were centered by single red candles.

The dessert course, in the home of Miss Mary Helen Kirkpatrick, was served by Mrs. S. L. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Jess Weaver. In the center of the table, holly and red Christmas balls surrounded a reflector topped by a large red and white candle. Holly extended down the center length of the table. The home was decorated throughout with white candles and a miniature Nativity scene was carried out on the panel.

Following the dessert course, the group moved on to the home of Kay George where gifts were exchanged at the Christmas tree.

The following members attended the party: Misses Ann Matthews, Sara Whately, Joyce Cole, Dorothy Imholz, Boots Anderson, Jo Ann Deaton, Patsy Wallace, Joan Boyd, Glenna Weaver, Pat Wheat, Hattie Lou Kirk, Barbara Wylie, Anita Carlin, Nita Creager, Wanda Browning, Jane Hardy, Beth Pearson, Sue Vaughn, Kay George, Mary Helen Kirkpatrick, Mary Richards, Helen McAnelly, Nancy Phillips, Melba Creager, Barbara Stewart, Sue Cooper, Wanda Clem, Loretta Culpepper, Loretta Steffen, Gwendolyn Woods, and their sponsor, Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick.

## Miss Stephen Honored Friday

Mrs. D. N. Gregory entertained Friday night complimenting her niece, Mrs. Loretta Stephen, on her birthday. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. B. E. Stephen mother of the honoree.

Games and dancing were enjoyed at the home until 10:00 o'clock when the group went to the park for a wicker roast. The evening was climaxed by the party attending the midnight show at the Arcadia Theatre.

The following guests were present for the affair: Wanda Browning, Worth Carlin, Jacqueline Edwards, Paul MacDonald, J. G. Wright, Glenna Weaver, Joe Max Stiles, Velma Lou Rose, Hillard McGowan, Jerry Gray, Bill Townzen, Barbara Stewart, Joan Boyd, Dickie Everett, Sammy Elder, and Miss Stephen.



MARY, MOTHER OF JESUS is portrayed by Elizabeth Louise Sorrell in the annual Texas State College for Women presentation of "The Story of the Nativity." Written by Pres. L. H. Hubbard, the play will be given Sunday and Monday (Dec. 15, 16) at TSCW. Miss Sorrell is from San Antonio.

## Pat Adams Accepts Ranger Church Call

Pat Adams, who has conducted services at the First Christian Church for the past two Sundays, was unanimously called as pastor by the congregation at a special meeting of the church members last Sunday evening.

Mr. Adams has accepted the call. This will be his fifth pastorate, having last served at the Urbandale church in Dallas where 150 members were added during the last six months of his ministry. He has baptized more than 300 converts while serving as an evangelist. He stated today that he is looking forward eagerly to the work here marked by the addition of two new members to the church last Sunday.

At the 11:00 o'clock service today he will speak on the subject "Beginning A New Chapter and at the 6:30 o'clock evening service, his subject will be The Origin and Mission of the Christian Church.

## All-Girl Traffic Squad Controls The Main Street

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Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday evening prayer service 7:30  
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Church school 10:00 a. m.  
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Golden Rule Bible Class—  
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Preaching by pastor, 10:45 a. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

**SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Jasper C. Massenge, Pastor  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., J. E. Marshall, Supt., (Classes for all ages).  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.  
Officer's and Teacher's meeting Wednesday 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
W. M. U. Thursday 2:30 p. m.  
Weekly visitation Friday 2:30.  
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Harry Payne, Minister  
Bible Class 9:45 a. m.  
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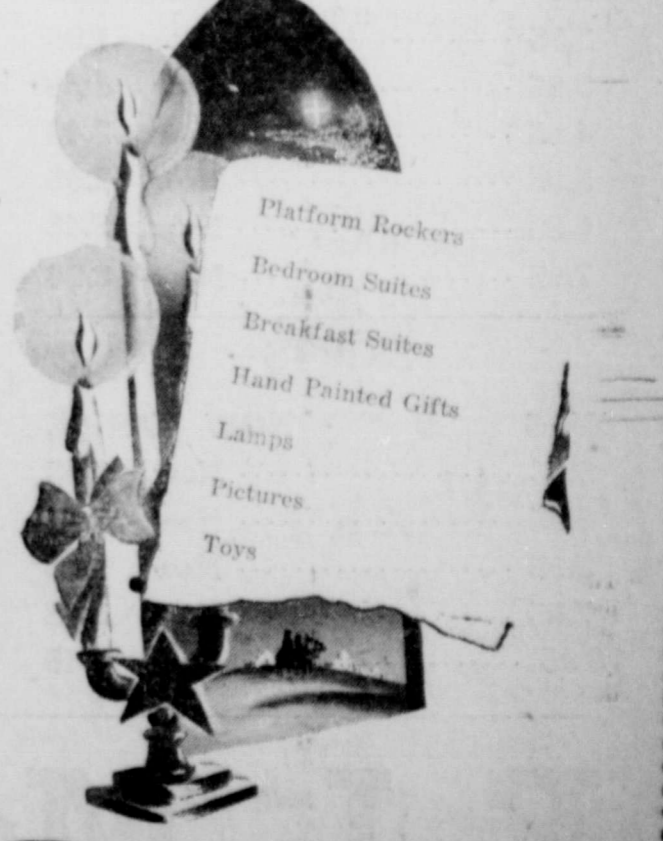
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## SEVERAL NATIONS UNEASY OVER POLAR EXPEDITIONS

By A. M. Goul  
United Press Staff Correspondent

**NEW YORK (UP)**—The North and South Poles are proverbially far apart, but in recent months—and days—both the North and the South Pole have appeared in the world's newspaper headlines in dispatches loaded with military and diplomatic significance.

The North Pole and the Arctic regions have been given thorough attention, if not as a prospective battleground, at least as of the highest strategic importance in any possible future war.

The South Pole has suddenly become the focus of attention in international discussions for two reasons: (1) The decision by Allied headquarters in Tokyo to permit a Japanese whaling expedition to Antarctica, and (2) the announcement that Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd is heading a United States Navy expedition for further studies of the vast ice-bound area.

The first point of argument brought protests from Australia and New Zealand, of the South Pacific, and objections from Norway—but for different reasons. The Australians and New Zealanders didn't like the idea of Japanese sailing around in territory they considered vastly important from a defense viewpoint. The Norwegians were not satisfied with permitting a former enemy to invade a major source of their national revenue.

The Norwegians are the world's best whalers, and they are depending on resumption of their pre-war eminence in that field to help lift their country from the effects of Nazi occupation. It's true that the Japanese will be strictly supervised by Allied officials accompanying the whaling expedition.

Their principal efforts will be devoted to obtaining whale meat as a food for a hungry nation rather than as an expedition to garner a supply of whale oil that can be dumped on the export market. The expedition was approved by Gen. Douglas MacArthur because it offered the possibility of a food source that would help lift the burden of the Allied nations in feeding that conquered country.

With regard to the second point, the Byrd expedition, there already have been heard rumblings of protest from various world fronts about the South Pole. The Antarctic has not been mentioned as being a strategically important from a maneuvering standpoint as has the North Pole, but underlying the Navy's announcement was the inference that the United States has two major military

## Patrice Munsel Balks At Baby Star Tagging

PITTSBURGH (UP) — The staid old Metropolitan Opera is going to have a no-girl revolt on its hands unless it stops calling Patrice Munsel its "baby soprano."

The 21-year-old petite singer said so herself during a concert appearance in Pittsburgh.

"After all," Miss Munsel complained with a shake of her handsome head, "don't you think it's kind of silly now that I'm grown up and 21?"

The tag might have been all right when she was 17 and got her first contract with the Metropolitan after attracting attention with her singing while attending school in Spokane, Wash. But now she insists that "I can't stand being called a child prodigy."

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A westbound Pennsylvania Flyer carrying furlough-bound Army men crashed into a derailed freight train near Mansfield, Ohio, killing three train crewmen and five soldiers. The center of this aerial photograph shows the smashed cars. At least 30 persons were injured. (NEA Telephoto).

### GERMAN SCIENTISTS BELIEVED TO HOLD KEY TO MILLIONS

CLEVELAND, O. (UP)—German chemists under the Hitler regime developed new methods of producing hundreds of synthetics from acetylene gas, reports Dr. Oliver J. Grummitt.

Dr. Grummitt, back from a trip to Germany, said knowledge gained from those and other processes discovered by the war-minded Germans may be equivalent to millions of dollars in reparations to the Allied countries.

Acetylene gas is a raw material hitherto believed by American researchers to be limited in use because it explodes when compressed.

Dr. Grummitt, research consultant for Sherwin-Williams Co., and assistant professor of chemistry at Western Reserve University here, was authorized to make the tour by the Office of Technical Services, Department of Commerce. He visited German chemists at the I. G. Farben plants in Leverkusen, Uerdinger and Hoechst, Germany.

"Unlike the United States, which produced many of its synthetics in America should be worth millions of dollars to us."

He also obtained information which will permit more efficient

manufacture of phthalic anhydride a raw material for synthetic resins, and chloral, for the manufacture of DDT. Grummitt said German methods of making phthalic anhydride could represent an annual saving of several hundred thousand dollars to American industry.

The once huge I. G. Farben plants are operating at only 25 to 50 per cent capacity, he said. One of the reasons for the curtailment is the division of Germany into zones of occupation, which prevents integration of the I. G. Farbenindustrie. In its integrated set-up, I. G. Farben used many plants to carry out a process from raw material to finished product.

Dr. Grummitt said German chemists are marking time until the peace treaties are signed and the United Nations decide what is to be done about Germany. He said the chemists, largely of the middle class, are also apprehensive of the advance of communism.

German chemists, he said, have a very limited knowledge of American war-time chemical achievements and when an American chemical journal is received, they photostat it and distribute the copies.

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WASHINGTON—The State Department was seeking more information today on how much property in Yugoslavia will be seized under that country's new property nationalization law.

The department announced yesterday it had received word that private concerns in 48 industries "deemed to be of national or state importance" would come under nationalization measures passed Dec. 4 by the Yugoslav people's assembly.

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