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Commissioners Permanently Table Motion To Reinstall Five Discharged Policemen

At a special called meeting of the City Commission, Saturday morning at 10:15, Commissioners voted to permanently table the matter of re-instating the five policemen released by the Commission Nov. 7, 1950.

The motion to permanently table the matter resulted in three commissioners in favor of the motion and one opposed. Following is the Commission's action as it was recorded in the minutes.

"Special meeting of the City Commission of the City of Ranger, Texas, held in the City Hall November 9, 1950 at 10:15 a.m., the following members being present and participating in the meeting: Commissioner O. G. Lanier, Commissioner H. E. Angus, Commissioner N. M. McCallum, Commissioner A. H. Williams, Mayor Price Crawley.

Navy Offers New Medal To Men

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.—The Navy is now offering bright, new metal pendants to its Letter of Commendation holders, Eighth Naval District headquarters here announced today.

1951 Pontiac On Display Monday

With vibrant new styling, the 1951 Silver Anniversary Pontiacs paraded into public view Monday, Dec. 11 at Crawley Motor Co., 126 S. Rusk. They feature 27 styling innovations and sixteen mechanical improvements.

Jackson Pool Now Has Twenty Producing Wells

The Jackson pool 12 miles north-east of Ranger now has 20 producing wells and seven drilling rigs on location. Latest producer is the Bond Oil Co. Simmons No. 2 flowing 400 barrels per day after hydrofract treatment.

Open Discussion At Church Draws Varied Remarks On A-Bomb Use

Last Sunday, Dec. 3, an open discussion was held in the First Baptist Church on the question of whether we should use the Atom bomb in the Korean War.

chosen. It is time for us to withdraw, prepare and choose the next place of battle. The first impulse is to use it at once—now. But the question is, are we on God's side when we use it, and are manifesting the love of God for our fellow man which God would have us manifest?

Reservists Get Holiday Delay In Duty Orders

AUSTIN, Dec. 6.—Army reservists who have received orders to depart from their home for active duty stations during the holiday season are authorized to delay their departure until January 5, 1951, Colonel C. M. Culp, Chief of the Texas Military District, announced here today.



LONG STAR EMPLOYEES receive service awards. Elmer Schmidt, vice-president, Lone Star Gas Company presents 25 year Service awards to J. F. Byas of Lone Star Producing Co., Ranger Office.

Lone Star Presents 25-Year Service Awards To Employees

On Tuesday afternoon, December 5, 1950, service awards were presented to Lone Star employees at a joint Safety Meeting comprising the following units of Lone Star Gas System: Lone Star Producing Company, Gasoline Department, and Production Department.

Also attending the Safety Meeting and presentation of awards, were J. M. Kindle, Luther Tolbert, Carl Hill, T. J. Skrabanek, Jerry Stovall, M. O. Attebery and R. M. Scofield, all from the home office at Dallas.

T & P Announces Schedule Change

The Texas and Pacific Railway Co. has announced a change in train schedules for Ranger.

Eight Die In Rooming House Flash Fire

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (UP)—A flash fire swept through a five-story roominghouse in the Negro district today, killing at least eight persons.

Phony 'Accident' Becomes Robbery

BROWNWOOD, Dec. 9 (UP)—An attendant at the London & Burton Funeral Home received a telephone call from a woman who asked that an ambulance be rushed to an automobile wreck.

SECRETARY OF STATE GOES BEFORE COMMITTEES TODAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (UP)—Secretary of State Dean Acheson told congressional foreign relations committees today that the administration "is definitely and firmly opposed to any appeasement in the Far East."

HSU Buttons Win Doubtful Game From RJC, 48-47

Showing a vastly improved brand and basketball, the Rangers went down before the Hardin-Simmons Buttons 48-47, in Abilene Friday night.

Despite a bad bargaining position in Korea, President Truman and British Prime Minister Attlee at their final meeting yesterday offered firm peace bids on the Korean war and all East-West issues.

T. K. Hardy Makes Conference Team

T. K. Hardy, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Hardy of Ranger, was selected as guard on the All-Gulf Coast Conference football team this year.

Fireman Loses Helm

Fireman Charles Covington is going bareheaded to fires nowadays. He lost his aluminum helmet somewhere near the derrick across the railroad tracks.

UNITED NATIONS FORCES PREPARE FOR EVACUATION

U. S. 5th AIR FORCE, Korea, Dec. 9 (UP)—American fighter pilots reported a new target today—camels being used as pack animals by the advancing Chinese Communists.

American planes and artillery were inflicting heavy punishment on the Chinese in the northeastern battle area, but the Reds still were attacking savagely. They laid down a deadly machine-gun and small arms fire from log and sandbag bunkers reminiscent of those used by the Japanese in World War II.



COLD WORK, EVEN ON THE GROUND—Despite the cold and snow, Sgt. James D. Goodwin, left, Shawnee, Oklahoma, and Cpl. Richard L. Lancey, Los Angeles, Calif., work on observation plane at airstrip at Hamhung, Korea.

C. B. Willman Is Killed In Accident

C. B. Willman, superintendent of the Wrather Petroleum Co., Overton, and a former Eastland City commissioner, was accidentally killed in a hunting accident yesterday.

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THE STORY: Sgt. Eddie Engstrom's squad is wiped out in the Pacific war and the men had themselves on the beach in their home town, Westwaygo. A medical officer appears and tells them that they, and he too, are dead. Eddie's dog comes up on the beach and sees his master, because dogs can see things people can't.

signer with nothing but an astral body can break any of the interesting commandments.

A SINGLE sharp bark from the dog gave warning of someone approaching. All the men looked in the direction of Duke's gaze. A bus had stopped on the highway and from it emerged a solitary passenger—a young woman. Several of the boys whistled. "I ain't seen a girl in six months. Don't crowd! Jake, for cripes sake, get out from in front of me so I can look."

"She don't see us," wailed Jake, "and don't hear us neither. Darn it, she's alive."

The young woman was heading directly for the group. As she came nearer it became obvious that she was not the radiant beauty type. She was nice but not showy. Straight, rather indefinitely blond hair, worn in coiled braids on her hatless head, gray-blue eyes that had a lot of sympathy in them but no "come hither" whatever, a sweet mouth that pretended to be hard but looked as if it might quiver if you spoke harshly.

"Good dog," said the girl patting Duke on his head. Duke liked it. "At least we can hear her." Jake took what consolation he could from that. "Nice voice, too. Gee, she's swell."

"Do you suppose she's a live girl?" asked Jake. "She might hear you."

"Wham!" Jake exclaimed. "Maybe it ain't so bad being like we are after all."

"Don't be silly. I've just got to hold a girl's hand or something."

"Whoose doggie are you?" the girl asked Duke, the way one might ask of an animal, not expecting an answer.



DUKE had followed the girl who looked a lot better in the bathing suit, to the beach line and now went into the water ahead of her, looking back and barking encouragingly. The water apparently, as far as dogs were concerned, was fine.

reached the road Carl had disappeared entirely. For some reason that was more convincing to Eddie than any other manifestation of their new status.

"I'm goin' in, too," Jake decided and began to take off his shirt.

The girl was still splashing around in the water near shore and not wet up to her knees yet. She found a stick and threw it out. Duke swam after it joyously.

The others followed suit. A little argument developed as to whether they needed to wear their G.I. tropical shorts or not but Eddie settled that. They were 'em.

"Go get it," Eddie commanded and the dog was off.

"I don't know," Carl told him miserably. "I guess it's like the captain said. You have to find out how things are in the place you used to be."

"That's strange, isn't it, Duke? I mean it's a wonderful coincidence that I should have found but your right name."

Military Commanders Give Reasons For American Retreat In Korea

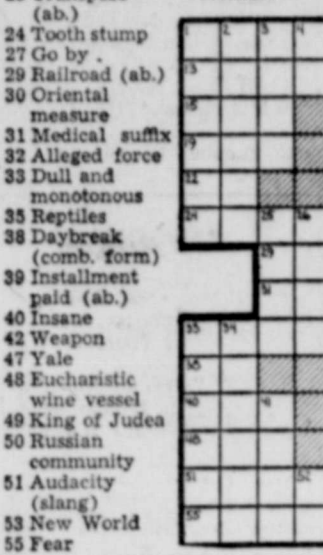
By William Chapman
HAMHUNG, Korea, Dec. 9 (UP)—American forces in north-east Korea have tremendous superiority in fire power, armor, and air power, but they're retreating. U. S. military commander gave these reasons:
Weather — The Army and the Marines ran into the most severe weather ever encountered by U. S. troops in combat. With some units poorly equipped at the sudden onset of the killing Korean winter, some men froze on guard duty, developed trench foot, lost all feeling in the fingers and ears, and found themselves holding weapons jammed after firing one clip of ammunition.
Machines full of summer weight oil and grease refused to start or stalled. Motor blocks were cracked by the cold. The troops solved these difficulties with makeshift, until the correct winter equipment came through.
Terrain — In North Korea the American war machine hit mountains criss-crossed by many ex-car trails and woodmen's paths

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18 Cape Verde island
19 Hops' kiln
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22 French island
23 Transpose (ab.)
24 Tooth stump
27 Go by
29 Railroad (ab.)
30 Oriental measure
31 Medical suffix
32 Alleged force
33 Dull and monotonous
35 Reptiles
38 Daybreak (comb. form)
39 Installment paid (ab.)
40 Insane
42 Weapon
47 Yale
48 Eucharistic wine vessel
49 King of Judaea
50 Russian community
51 Audacity (slang)
53 New World
55 Fear

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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EAGLE
17 Eye (Sect.)
18 Operatic solo
19 Snatch
20 Malaysian canoe
21 Helps
22 Extort
23 Nomad
24 Polish river
27 Helix
41 Challenge
42 Effuse
43 An (Sect.)
44 Dalmatian island
45 Capital of Italy
46 Paradise
47 Prince
52 It proceeds (music)
54 Right (ab.)



BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN
THE distance around the equator is said to have shrunk over one and one-half miles in the past 100 years. Better plan some other trip.

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN
A member league ball player carried a movie camera. Maybe he's a look on curse.

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN
REPORT says grapefruit has run into a price cut. More pain to the little equator.

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN
A computer says some nuts have been written in minutes. And some should just about that long.

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BY HAL COCHRAN
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PLEADS "INNOCENT"
Giovanni Rossi Lomanitz, a scientist from Oklahoma City, pleaded "innocent" in Washington, D. C., Federal District Court, to charges of Contempt of Congress. (NEA Telephoto).

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Society-Clubs

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Mrs. Byas Is Hostess To Class

Mrs. J. F. Byas was hostess to the Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church at a business and social meeting in her home Thursday afternoon, December 7th.

Mrs. W. W. Mitchell presided over the meeting which was opened with a prayer by Mrs. T. C. Jordan. A review of the life of Elizabeth and Mary was given by Mrs. R. E. Barker.

The next meeting was planned for December 19th in the home of Mrs. J. B. Shirley. The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Frank Arrendale.

Refreshments of sandwiches, nuts, cake and coffee were served to the following ladies: Mrs. Frank Arrendale, Mrs. Lee Mitchell, Mrs. Hugh Dawley, Mrs. T. C. Jordan, Mrs. Jim Thomas, Mrs. Albert Daniels, Mrs. O. L. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Shirley, Mrs. T. J. Fuller, Mrs. F. E. Langston, Mrs. R. E. Barker, Mrs. Amy Brown, Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, Miss Ethel Adams, and the hostess, Mrs. J. F. Byas.

Young People Entertained

Party Honors Miss Fulfer

Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pirkle entertained the Young People's Department of the First Christian Church with a Christmas party at the Pirkle home Friday night, December 8th. The young people went on a scavenger hunt and then exchanged gifts on the Christmas tree. Refreshments of punch and cake were served to those present.

Those attending the party were: Bernice Hatton, Betty Joe Fry, Joyce Dempsey, Virginia Glenn, Peggy Hatton, Patsy Hise, Betty Jean Howell, Jenna Vee Hatton, Janice Carter, Mary Joe Stie, Danny Dooley, Billy Mac Nichols, Bob Crawford, Delores Hagar, James Varner, Shirley Gray, Margaret Hartman, and Johnny Pirkle.

1920 Club Has Meeting

The 1920 Club met Thursday, December 7 at 3:00 at the Community Clubhouse for a program on "American Home Life." Mrs. Saule Perlestein, president presided at a short business meeting. Mrs. G. E. Rush, program chairman, presented Mrs. J. J. Kelly, who discussed "Yesterday and Today" and "More Confident Living—Our Need." Mrs. H. L. Coody's topic was "Making Your Home Life Happier."

Mrs. Perlestein gave a report of the T.F.W.C. Convention held in Ft. Worth in November. The theme for the convention was "Our Proud Heritage."

The next meeting of the club will be held Thursday afternoon December 14th in the home of Mrs. John M. Gholson.

H. D. Club Meet

The Lacasa Home Demonstration Club will meet December 13th. Every member is urged to be present although the meeting is being held one week early. A covered dish lunch will be served at noon and a Christmas tree program will be held at 2:30. Everyone is invited to come and bring gifts to exchange.

First Baptist Church Calendar

The various circles of the W.M.U. meet at the following places, Monday, December 11th:
Mary Demorest meets with Mrs. Glenn West.
Virginia Riddle Circle with Mrs. W. J. Arterburn, Walnut Street.
Ruth Bryan with Mrs. P. C. Long, 218 E. Austin.
Juanita Dixon with Mrs. L. L. Bruce, 816 Cypress.
The Y.W.A. meets at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday, December 12th:
10:00 a. m., Worker's Conference, Breckenridge.
7:30 p. m., Homemakers Class Social with Mrs. Bruce Harris, 710 Cherry.

Columbia Study Club Meeting

The Columbia Study Club will meet Tuesday afternoon December 12 at 3:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. John W. Thurman. Mrs. J. P. Morris will review the book, "The Spanish Gardener." All members are urged to attend the meeting.



Party Honors Miss Fulfer

Miss Cecilia Ann Fulfer celebrated her ninth birthday November 20th and was honored at a party given for her by her grandmother, Mrs. Ben Dorris.

Cake and ice cream were served to the following: Pat Gallagher, Kenneth June Sawyer, Desmo Akins, Leola and Tommy Chick, Don Shelton, Bernie, Mary and Jimmie Milmo.

Cecilia Ann wore the cowgirl clothes she received as a birthday present and expressed the hope that someday she can be a "real cowgirl."

W. S. C. S. Meet

The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 3:30 Monday afternoon in the primary room of the Methodist Church.

Name of the Christmas program to be given is "For Unto Us A Child Is Born."

Hostesses for the meeting are Mmes. Gaston Dixon, W. C. Garrett, Morris Newham, R. E. Johnson.

Auxiliary Xmas Party

The American Legion Auxiliary is sponsoring a Christmas party and a Christmas tree at the American Legion Building Thursday evening, December 14th at 7:30.

The Auxiliary wants to place gifts on the tree for all children whose fathers are in the service now or who lost their fathers in the service. The mothers of such children are asked to contact Mrs. Con Hazard at 311 South Oak or call her at 249-J, immediately.

Miss Anderson and Mr. Squyres Take Wedding Vows In Ft. Worth

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian D. Anderson of Jacksonville, Florida, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Nora, to Mr. E. Myri Squyres, son of Mrs. S. E. Squyres of Ranger, Texas.

The double ring ceremony was performed on Friday evening, December 8, at 8:00 p. m. in the chapel of the First Methodist Church of Fort Worth by Dr. G. Alfred Brown, superintendent of the Fort Worth District of the Methodist Church. Traditional wedding music was played by Mr. Robert Clarke, Minister of Music of the First Methodist Church of Fort Worth. Lt. (jg) H. Reid Hunter, of Ranger was best man and Mrs. Hunter was matron of honor. Only the immediate families attended the wedding.

Personals

Mrs. Lee Mitchell had as guest in her home this last week, Mrs. Tom Jordan of Thurber.

Wesley Walker of North Texas State College in Denton spent the week-end with his father, Hall Walker.

Mrs. J. R. Sumrall returned to her home in McCamey today after visiting her sister, Mrs. James Higdon in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lyon of Comyn spent the week-end in Ranger visiting old friends and relatives.

Mrs. Pearl McNurien has been visiting her son, Bill McNurien, in Abilene.

Emmett Wilson has been visiting his brother and sister, May and Jim Wilson in Stephenville.

Mrs. B. Merrill and Children of Junction, Texas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flake Turner.

First Lieutenant James A. Shackelford of Mineral Wells has been called for active duty with the Air Corps. He reported for duty on December 5 in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Killingsworth and daughter Karen have returned to their home in Ranger. For the past nine months they have resided in Dallas where Mr. Killingsworth attended the Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science.

Mrs. Squyres attended the University of North Carolina and is a graduate of the School of Government of the George Washington University, Washington, D. C. She recently returned from a year's study in Europe, having received her Master's Degree in International Relations from the University of Geneva, Geneva Switzerland, last October. Mr. Squyres was graduated from Ranger Junior College and the School of Government of the George Washington University. He is at present a member of the faculty of Breckenridge High School, Breckenridge, Texas.

Meeting Of The Eastern Star

The regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday evening at 7:30 in the Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Frank Hicklin, worthy matron, asks each member to bring a gift to put on the Christmas tree and at the conclusion of the regular meeting, the gifts will be exchanged.

Baytown Beats Port Arthur On Penetrations

By United Press
The penetration rule got a rugged workout in Class AA schoolboy grid circles Friday night as underdogs Baytown and Conroe slipped into the championship quarterfinals along with Austin and Harlingen.

It took that method to settle the issues as Baytown played highly-favored Port Arthur off its feet to get a 13-13 tie and Conroe duplicated that feat against touted Texarkana to emerge with a 7-7 deadlock in two of the four bi-district games played Friday night.

Baytown's margin was 3-2, Conroe's 5-1.

Only the margin of an extra point kept the same rule from being invoked in Austin's game with Temple as the big Maroons eked out a 13-12 triumph. Harlingen had no trouble with Alice, winning 25-0.

The remainder of the quarterfinals field will be determined

Fresh Chevrolet Styling Imparts Lower Lines



The Styleline De Luxe four-door sedan is one of lower appearance. Radiator grilles have been simplified, the decorative body moulding lowered and car line for 1951. Notable in this picture are the rear fender crowns raised. Models also offer added design improvements which accentuate a longer, safety.

Saturday as the eight northern bracket teams squared away with Pampa at Wichita Falls, El Paso Austin at Lubbock, Breckenridge at San Angelo and Sherman invades Highland Park.

Both Port Arthur and Texarkana were undefeated and untied going into their games and Pampa and Breckenridge supporters hoped Friday night's results were not an omen—for their teams, too, carry perfect marks into Saturday's contests.

Baytown had figured to give the playoff - jinxed elbow Jackets a close tussle, but were not favored to win. Port Arthur's loss of triple - threat Frank Eldom in the first few minutes of play via of a charley horse hurt the Jackets.

But, the statistics tell how soundly the fierce ganders from Baytown outplayed their coast city rivals. They gained more yards rushing—183—than Port Arthur got both rushing and passing and added 93 yards through the air themselves. The Jackets managed only 56 yards rushing and 124 on passes.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Del Mar Beats Kans. Team In Jr. Sugar Bowl

MONROE, La., Dec. 9 (UP)—Del Mar Junior College of Corpus Christi dealt a decisive 41-0, defeat to the outclassed Garden City, Kan., Junior College team last night to win the fourth annual Junior Sugar Bowl football game.

The Kansas team never threat-

ened to score, but seven Garden City players were taken out of the game due to injuries.

Halfback Eddie Ansley rammed over from the one-yard line for the first Del Mar touchdown.

Murphy Webster carried the ball for three touchdowns, the last on a 50-yard run through left tackle.

Sophomore back Billy Clemens whipped out a seven-yard touchdown run for another score, and Robert Sweet plunged over for the final tally.

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- 1—9 X 12 Alexander Smith Rug Regular price \$84.95 now **\$59.50**
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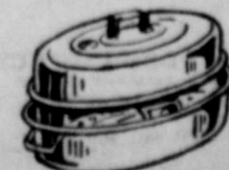
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COMMUNISTS START NEW OFFENSIVE IN KOREA—Chinese Communists smashed south below Pyongyang (1) in what may be the start of a big offensive aimed at Seoul. From Koto (2) 20,000 encircled U. S. Marines and Army troops struck south to battle through six Chinese Red Divisions for a possible "Dunkirk" at Hungnam. Other UN forces, guarding the port city, struck north to try to aid the embattled GI's who have already broken out of one trap just below the Chosin Reservoir. One column of Communists struck through Chinnampo (3) crossed the Taedong River and drove south in apparent effort to flank 8th Army. Enemy forces are reported just few miles west of

Texas Heavy Favorite For LSU Game Sat.

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (UP)—The Cotton Bowl-bound Texas Longhorns were heavy favorites today in their football clash with Louisiana State University's Tigers,



1950 COACH OF THE YEAR—Named by Scripps-Howard newspapers as "Coach of the Year", Princeton football coach Charlie Caldwell, left, receives the Lambert Memorial Trophy for being top team of the East from Victor Lambert in New York. (NEA Telephoto).

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United Press Outdoors Consultant The day, when a man could walk afield in almost any direction and shoot the first rabbit or quail he saw are just about over in America, unless every sportsman makes game conservation his personal business.

Noted conservation authorities tell us the days of free hunting are almost gone forever, not so much because of the scarcity of wild game, but due to continued pressure of an evergrowing sportsman population and the vandalism of a minority.

These factors have caused large tracts of our most fertile hunting lands, formerly open for free hunting for all, to be shut down. Conservationists say the farmer, in pure self-defense, is closing his lands to hunters and fishermen and eventually will turn wholly to the fee system which has been used successfully by European farmers for centuries.

Under the fee system, a farmer charges the sportsman a fee for use of his land or streams. Growth of the system already has made it next to impossible to find a ranch in Texas, which permits free deer hunting. The fee system in Europe has resulted in better hunting and fishing than can be found in most of America today.

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All through the last few months of extreme drought, one of Higginbotham's fields has not blown, while the land around has been blowing away, he says.

What has made this difference? Higginbotham's field was strip-cropped with 8 rows of peanuts, and 2 of sudan. The sudan was planted with a corn plate, so



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slaughter steers and heifers 25.00-30.50, common and medium cows 20.00-22.00, canners and cutters 13.00-20.00, medium and good bulls 23.50-25.50, medium and good stocker steers yearlings 25.00-29.00, heifers 28.00 down, medium and good stocker cows 20.00-24.00.

Calves compared last Friday: Mostly 1.00 higher. Good and choice slaughter calves 27.00-31.50, common and medium 20.00-27.00, culls 18.00-20.00, good stocker calves 28.50-30.50, few lightweights higher, common and medium 22.00-28.00.

Sheep: Compared last Friday: Slaughter lambs 50 higher, other classes steady. Weeks tops: Slaughter lambs 30.00, shorn slaughter yearlings 24.00, slaughter culling 18.00, feeder lambs 27.00. Closing bulks: Good and choice wooled slaughter lambs 29.00-30.00, good and choice shorn slaughter lambs

27.00-28.00, good and choice shorn slaughter yearlings 23.00-24.00. Cull to good slaughter ewes 12.00-15.00, wooled feeder lambs 25.00. 27.00, shorn feeder lambs 22.00-24.00.

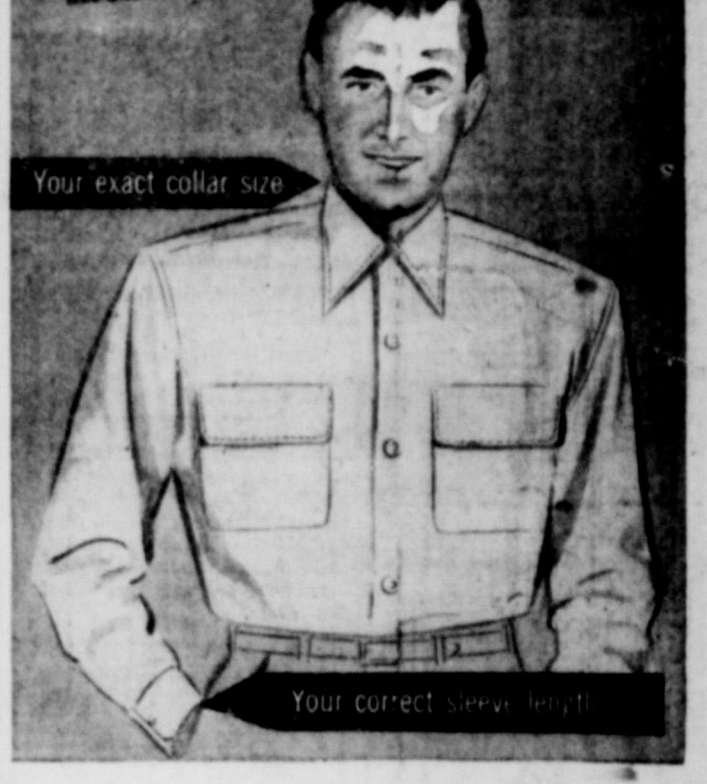
Hogs Compared last Friday: Butcher hogs 35-40 higher, sows 50 higher, pigs steady. Weeks top butcher hogs 19.00. Closing bulk: Good and choice 190-275 lbs. 18.75, good and choice 150-185 lbs. 17.50-18.50. Sows 16.50-17.50. Feeder pigs 15.00-17.00.

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Nathan, the brilliant dramatic critic, once said that the worst vaudeville joke was the one in which the comedian remarks "I'm working on an invention—a dill pickle compass. It shows you which way the pickle will squirt."

Nathan also declared that, next to that was this one:

"Little girl, what might your name be?"

"It might be Mary Pickford—but it ain't."

An expert cannot tell, by looking at a sample of blood in the microscope, whether it came from a Negro, an Indian, a white man or a Chinese. All men belong to the same zoological species, known as homo sapiens, and their blood is the same.

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SCENES AROUND RANGER

William Green's address to the Rotary Club last Wednesday was pertinent and to the point. In the light of today's international situation it was a timely discussion on the possibilities of enemy attack.

Green, who lives in Abilene, is manager of the West Texas section of radio communication for civil defense. His main subject was the role radio can play in civil defense but he also gave a general outline of civil defense.

Jimmy Smith, local amateur radio operator, has been named civil defense coordinator in Ranger. Smith has already offered his radio facilities for use in any and all types of emergency communication, into or out of Ranger and vicinity.

His radio station, WSECE, is located at 425 Walnut Street, and may be reached by telephone during day time at 202 or at night at 399. Of course, the radio is not available for commercial means.

Smith has received numerous certificates of citation for emergency work during bad weather when communication lines were down and during the Texas City explosion when he and other radio amateurs relayed messages.

I have a bone to pick with Weldon Cunningham. A bone in his leg to be specific. He's made a liar out of me. It's been only two weeks since the Coleman game when Cunningham broke a small bone in his leg and I reported that he would be on crutches for four weeks and wouldn't be able to play basketball.

Hy prophesy has two weeks to run yet, and Cunningham is galloping all over the gym floor. That brings my predictions for the season down to an even zero.

Comacho continues to receive the attention of the state's sports-writers. Now it is Dan Jenkins, sports-writer for the Fort Worth Press, who makes note of the Ranger halfback. In last Thursday's column, Jenkins picked Comacho as the best brokenfield runner that he has seen in Class A or AA this year.

Comacho is one of 64 backs who have been nominated for the 1950 Class A All-State Team. That's a lot of backs to choose



Junior and baby both approve of the wonderfully gay new carpet called "Patchwork." It has a delicate contemporary flavor and is equally a delightful choice for provincial furnishings. Colors are light and gay. Don't forget the young fry when buying furniture Christmas gifts. (Firth Carpet Company)

from. Eventually, the 64 will be pared down to eight. The All-State team should be announced in about two weeks.

While Western Europe was in the so-called "Dark Ages," Baghdad, capital of modern Iraq, was a center of learning.

Texas Sports Writers Pick SWC Grid Team

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—Southern Methodist and Texas A&M both of which failed to finish one-two in the Southwest Conference football race, dominated the all-conference team selected by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

The Mustangs and Aggies each placed three men on the mythical team, chosen by the votes of 58 Texas sports writers, while champion Texas and Baylor placed two each and Rice one.

Only one vote kept Texas guard Lewis (Bud) McFadin and Aggie back Bob Smith from being unanimous choices as the standout selections on the team.

Voting was close for one end and one tackle spot, Baylor's Harold Riley nosing out Rice's Bill Houston for an end berth by two votes and SMU's Bobby Collier nosing out Texas' Ken Jackson for a tackle slot by four votes.

There was no second team selected.

The complete team:

- Ends—Andy Hillhouse, Texas A&M and Riley.
- Tackles—Paul Gioski, Rice and Collier.
- Guards—McFadin and Max Greiner, Texas A&M.

Center—Dick Hightower, SMU.
Backs—Larry Isbell, Baylor; Kyle Rote, SMU; Byron Townsend, Texas, and Smith.

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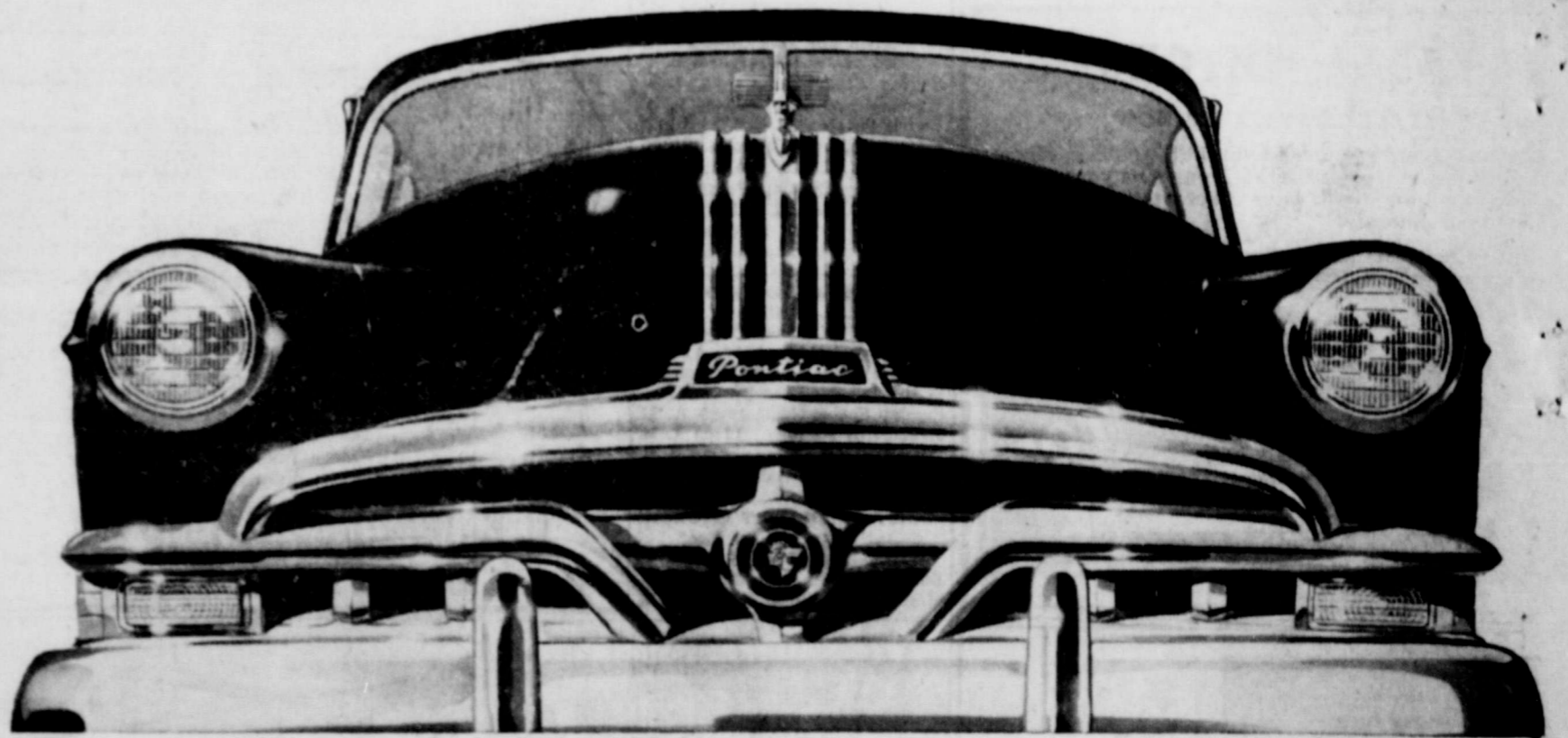
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