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LIONS SEE FILM OF 1951 COTTON BOWL GAME THURSDAY

The Lions were shown a film of the game between the University of Texas and the University of Tennessee played in the Cotton Bowl in 1951 at their meeting yesterday.

Dr. Dick Hodges brought the film to be seen at the Lion's Club yesterday as his program for the meeting.

Among other things at the meeting, the forthcoming clean-up campaign was announced and the members were urged to give their assistance, possibly re-location of the safety signs recently purchased and placed near the schools by the Lions, and the formation of a school boy patrol at the different schools in Ranger.

Lion R. V. Galloway urged the Lions to do their part in making the drive to clean up Ranger by the Volunteer Firemen a success. He said that all assistance would be entirely on a voluntary basis and the solicitations would be made.

Morris George commented at the meeting that the signs recently placed near the schools had not been put in the place for which they had been designed. Lion George seemed to believe that the effectiveness of the signs was lost when they were put at the side of the street. The original intention was to have the signs in the middle of the street.

Lion Dr. W. P. Watkins then suggested that the school authorities be contacted and see if they would assist in forming a school boy patrol to take care of the signs and protect them from damage as mentioned by Lester Cress-

sely as the reason for them being buried in the ground at the side of the street.

A committee of two consisting of Morris George and H. L. Coady was appointed to look into the possibility of forming a patrol unit at the schools.

Next week's meeting will be a Christmas program in which the Lions will each bring a small gift to be exchanged with their fellow members.

The meeting that would have fallen between Christmas and New Year was postponed through a motion being made and approved by the Lions.

The latter part of the meeting consisted of the showing of the film of the 1951 Cotton Bowl game.

The Lions had two guests yesterday, Mr. C. F. Briggs, who is the new band director for Ranger High School, and Mr. Delbert Capps who operated the movie projector for the program.

RJC Christmas Program Held At Assembly

The following program was held in the Ranger Junior College Assembly, Thursday, December 13, at 11:30 a.m.

Announcements
"Silent Night"—Audience
Scripture Reading—Luke 2:1-21
Tommy Wilson

"It Came Upon A Midnight Clear"—Audience
"The Other Wise Man"—Henry Van Dyke Miss Jeanne Crawley, Head of the Speech Department, Ranger High School.

"O Come, All Ye Faithful"—Audience
Presentation of Gifts
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"—Audience

Presiding Officer—Dale Hatley
President of Student Council
Program Committee—Hobby Boynton, Nelta Colvin, Charles Raney

Song Leader—Don Bryson
Pianist—Florence Ascraft
Two large baskets of gifts, consisting of canned goods, each can wrapped in white, were presented by the students of Ranger Junior College to the needy of Ranger. The gifts will be distributed by the Child Welfare Club.

RHS Christmas Program To Be December 21

Ranger high school will have their Christmas program December 21, the day school turns out for the holidays.

Mr. C. F. Briggs, head of the high school music department, said the program would be on the spiritual or actual meaning of Christmas, rather than the giving part, through music.

At the conclusion of the program the baskets gathered from the home rooms of the school will be brought to the stage and presented to a welfare agency in Ranger for distribution.

The gathering of non-perishable foods by the home rooms of the schools is a yearly function.

Commiss Would Kill Santa

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (UP)—The Communists are trying to kill Santa Claus.

Santa still is in the hearts of children behind the Iron Curtain, but apparently is competing with Josef Stalin. So the Kremlin has ordered him destroyed.

Reports from eastern Europe indicate the campaign has been relentless and ruthless.

In Hungary, pink plaster busts of Stalin have replaced the toys and gifts that usually fill store windows this time of year.

Christmas trees have been banned. A "paper shortage" has ruled out Christmas cards.

In some countries, Communists are trying to foster "New Year" celebrations as a substitute for the hated Christmas.

When trees are used on New Year's, the Hammer and Sickle is recommended as a decoration.

Ranger Resident Dies In Wichita Falls Hospital

Word was received here this morning of the death of C. S. Maddox in a Wichita Falls Hospital.

Funeral arrangements have not been made at the present. The family, who reside on North Marston Street, will arrive back today and the body will be brought here for burial with Killingsworth's in charge.

Mr. Maddox had worked for a number of years for the railroad and was forced to retire a few years back because of ill health.

Volunteers Need Held To Load Trash Trucks In Drive Monday

Time is drawing nearer for the Ranger Volunteer Fire Department sponsored clean-up campaign here.

Volunteer Chief Virge Johnson said this morning that they are getting good response from persons wanting to lend trucks and a driver, but the most pressing need is help in loading those trucks.

Virge said that what he needed was some honest-to-goodness strong backs to work for three or four hours and make this thing a success.

Too many chiefs and no Indians

Carrier Wanted

WANTED — Boys for Ranger Daily Times carrier routes at once. Apply to Mrs. Joe Dennis at the Times office.

For Good Used Cars (Trade-in on the New Olds) DeBorner Motor Company, Eastland



LEADING JET ACE—Maj. George A. Davis, Jr., of Lubbock, Texas, shown in the cockpit of his F-86 Sabrejet after earlier kills, shot down two more Communist MIG-15 fighters to become the world's leading jet ace with 10 planes to his credit. Maj. Davis is with the 5th Air Force now stationed in Korea. (NEA Telephoto).

Hometown Friends Of Jet Ace Would Rather Have Him Home

LUBBOCK, Dec. 14 (UP)—The hometown friends of Maj. George A. (One-Burst) Davis, Jr. know him as a quiet family man who doesn't drink or smoke and rarely loses his temper.

His wife, Mrs. Doris Davis, today accepted the news that her husband had become America's "No. 1 Boy" in a jet plane with a calm that approached indifference. Davis knocked down 12 Communist planes in 16 days.

Yes, she was proud, she said, and pleased... but not surprised. "It seems increasingly clear that George can take care of himself," she said.

Mrs. Davis said it gives her a "warm feeling" to know that her husband is fast becoming a legendary figure in aerial warfare.

"But I can't relax," she said. "My husband's luck might not always last."

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"Of course we're awfully proud, but we worry... we need somebody over there who's good, but we think George has done his part. I'd like to see him come home."

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"We'd have a very happy Christmas," she said, "if only daddy would come home."

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Auto Must Pass Test Before New Plates Obtained

AUSTIN, Dec. 14.—Homer Garrison Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today that his Department has just issued the first certificates of appointment as authorized motor vehicle inspection stations under the State's new vehicle inspection law.

Three hundred applicants were included in the initial list and an additional 3200 are currently in the process of issuance.

Garrison estimates that actual inspection of autos will get under way by some of these stations during Christmas week and he urged all automobile owners to get their inspections as soon as a location is approved and licensed in their vicinity in order that the big rush may be avoided just prior of April 1, 1952. The new law requires that a vehicle must pass inspection before it can be registered. The 1952 registration year begins April 1st.

George Busby, Chief of the Public Safety's newly organized Motor Vehicle inspection, also appealed to motorists to have a preliminary check of the safety features of their regular mechanic pending the actual inspection by an official station. He pointed out that it is not wise to assume that your auto will necessarily pass the tests because it is new.

"A little research has shown us," Busby said, "that approximately fifty percent of brand new autos would fail to pass the tests because of a need for some minor adjustments such as headlights or wheel alignment."

"The first few miles of road use," he continued, "plus the new metal parts of the auto often work together to throw some of these parts out of adjustment and a pre-check by your mechanic will easily assure you that your auto will pass inspection."

Busby also pointed out to owners of new and old autos as well that only the safety features of the vehicles will be inspected. These include brakes, lights, horn, windshield wipers, etc.

Shoppers are becoming aware of the Christmas season and at least one member of that fraternity is resting in the Eastland county jail, awaiting action of the grand jury.

According to arresting officers he is not a new offender in this section, and has been a county boarder on other occasions. This time, it appears he took a knife and a hammer to an Eastland drug store. Shortly afterward police picked him up on a drunkenness charge, and later discovered the shoplifting, when a second charge was filed.

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The Eastland County Boy's and Girl's 4-H Clubs are having their Annual Rally Day in Eastland on Saturday, December 15 at 10:00 a.m. According to C. V. Whitaker, Assistant County Agricultural Agent.

This event has been held in the spring before but the County 4-H Committees decided to change it to the fall. This is the day that all 4-H members meet in Eastland for the awarding of Medals and Pins to those who won them on their past work.

The morning program will be in the Lyric Theatre where County Judge John Hart will present the Awards. The 4-H members will put on a talent show during the morning program.

At noon a picnic lunch will be spread at the City Park and the afternoon program will be held at the City Park.

Everyone is invited to attend any or all of the program.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (UP)—The visit of an assistant district attorney from New York City to the governor of Kentucky gave rise to a belief here today that a new development is near in the basketball bribery scandal.

Vincent O'Connor, the assistant D. A., would say only that his call on Gov. Lawrence Weeber by last night concerned "basketball fixes with regard to the University of Kentucky."

O'Connor said that he came here because Wetherby telephoned New York District Attorney Frank Logan several weeks ago in New York "offering his cooperation in respect to the investigation of fixing of intercollegiate basketball games."

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Truman Pushing Cleanup Plans

Senator Says Cabinet Must Be First Out

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (UP)—Sen. Richard M. Nixon today challenged President Truman to prove the sincerity of his anti-corruption drive by firing four of his top aides.

The California Republican said the "minimum program" for a cleanup drive should be the ouster of Secretary of Treasury John W. Snyder, Attorney General J. Howard McGrath, Maj. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan, the president's military aide, and Donald S. Dawson, his personnel advisor.

Nixon also said that House tax scandal investigators should call Supreme Court Justice Tom C. Clark for questioning about his appointment of T. Lamar Caudle as assistant attorney general in 1945. At the time, Clark was Attorney General.

The House Ways and Means subcommittee digging into tax irregularities has been reluctant to call Clark because of his high position in the judiciary. However his name has cropped up repeatedly in the inquiry—especially in testimony involving Caudle, who was fired by Mr. Truman.

Nixon said Mr. Truman's statement to newsmen that he plans no changes in his cabinet indicates that "there will be no cleanup."

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County Farmer Ends Own Life

Charles Walker, 50, a farmer residing in Long Branch community southwest of Eastland, was found dead in his barn at an early hour Thursday. A verdict of suicide was rendered by Justice of the Peace Will Brown, of Chico, who made an investigation.

His body was found by a daughter after the family became alarmed upon his failure to return to the house. A bullet had entered his right temple, passed through his head and came out through the left temple. A .22 rifle was found nearby.

Members of the family reported that he had been despondent since early September, because of short crops and other setbacks. He arose at 5 o'clock in the morning, as was his custom, and went to the barn and milked. He returned from the barn, washed his hands and left again. When he failed to return, a search was made, with the result a daughter found the crumpled body just inside the barn.

He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and several children.

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Ranger To Have Day At Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show

Ranger has been invited to choose one of the days that the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show will be open as "Ranger Day".

Upon receiving the letter from the officials of the show the Ranger Junior Chamber of Commerce elected to have as Ranger Day the first Sunday of the Show and Rodeo.

President Allen Fick of the Jaycees said that tickets have been ordered and will be on sale at the Senior Chamber of Commerce office as soon as they are received here.

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On Display At Clarke Motor Co. Friday
STYLE AND POWER FEATURED IN 1952 CHRYSLERS



The 1952 Chrysler New Yorker Newport, powered by the 180-horsepower FirePower V-8 engine, is an example of the sleek massive beauty which is typical of the luxurious new Chrysler line.



The interior of the 1952 New Yorker sedan features beautifully designed hardware and newly styled luxury upholstery and trim.

Refinements throughout the line rather than revolutionary engineering innovations, characterize Chrysler's 1952 models. Chrysler officials point out that the demands of the rearmament program have precluded the extensive tooling program necessary for drastic model changes. They add that Chrysler introduced more important new features in its 1952 line than ever before were offered by any manufacturer in a single year. These included the 180-horsepower V-8 FirePower engine, hydraulic power steering, Offroad shock absorbers and Fluid-Torque Drive torque converter.

Refinements contributing to performance, appearance, safety, economy and comfort have been incorporated in the 1952 line. Features formerly available only in certain models have been extended to cover the entire line. The number of body styles offered by Chrysler has been considerably reduced by eliminating those of similar production and those that are approximated by others retained in the line. Despite this reduction, however, there remain 18 body styles. All models save those in the Windsor and Windsor DeLuxe lines are powered by the 180-horsepower V-8 FirePower engine. The Windsor and

The 1952 Chrysler Windsor club coupe features the improved Spitfire engine with output increased to 119 horsepower.

Windsor DeLuxe have an improved version of the Chrysler six-cylinder "Spitfire" engine, higher powered and designed for improved performance and longer life. The torque available from this engine is higher at all speeds than that obtainable in the one it supersedes. The torque curve is much flatter at the peak and indicates an improved performance at normal driving speeds. The bore remains unchanged at 3 7/16 inches but the stroke has been increased from 4 1/2 to 4 3/4, increasing cubic displacement from 200 1/2 to 215 1/2. The engine produces 119 horsepower with a compression ratio of 7 to 1.

Longer life, improved economy and greater fuel resistance result from the use of the new chromium-plated top piston rings and new wide-skin oil rings. Improved cooling in the six-cylinder models is accomplished by a seven pound pressure release vent radiator cap which lessens the possibility of coolant loss due to boiling.

Power Steering Available on All Models. Hydraulic steering, which proved to be one of the most popular engineering advances ever offered by Chrysler, will be available also on the 1952 Windsor and Windsor DeLuxe lines. Instead of only on the eight-cylinder models, as was the case in 1951, it will be optional at

extra cost, except in the Crown Imperial where it remains standard.

Quieter operation of the Offroad shock absorbers, introduced as standard equipment on all models in 1951 is attained by refinement of the piston and base valve assemblies, permitting a more gradual change in the velocities of the fluid at the discharge ends of the orifices.

Smarter exterior appearance results from the use of new wheel covers and a new tail light. In all models except the Imperial and Crown Imperial models the ornamentation of the wheel cover is limited to a beaded ring just inside the tire valve opening and a raised center hub incorporating three concentric stepped rings. The wheel cover is of stainless steel. In the Imperial and Crown Imperial models the center hub is set in a depression three inches in diameter.

The new tail light used on all models save the Imperial and Crown Imperial projects from the fender and contains an integral back-up light, eliminating the separate back-up lights used on 1951 models.

Interior styling includes improvements in upholstery and trim with an unusually wide choice of materials used. The most luxurious and tasteful that Chrysler has ever offered. Thirteen solid colors and six two-tone paint combinations are offered.

Outdoor Texas Western Film At Arcadia Today



HOWARD DUFF and MONA FREEMAN in a scene from Universal-Internationals "THE LADY FROM TEXAS" in color by Technicolor.

New Chrysler Is Car Of Beauty; Changes Noted

Refinements throughout the line rather than revolutionary engineering innovations, characterize Chrysler's 1952 models, which will be on display in dealer's show-rooms throughout the country December 14. There are two fundamental reasons why changes are less sweeping than generally is the case with the introduction of a new Chrysler line, it is explained by Joseph A. O'Malley, general sales manager of Chrysler Division, Chrysler Corporation.

"The demands of the rearmament program have created a situation in the machine tool industry that would preclude the extensive tooling program entailed by drastic model changes," says Mr. O'Malley.

"The tremendous public reception of the 1951 cars, plus the shortage of materials prevented our coming anywhere near filling the demand for them this year and we carry into 1952 a bank of orders that will be augmented by the improvements in our new line. We believe that our current vehicles are far ahead of the times."

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State Hi-Y At Austin Watching Democracy Work

AUSTIN, Dec. 14 (UP)—More than 200 Texas high school students skittered through capitol corridors today as they knuckled down to a three-day practical lesson in what makes Democracy tick.

Gov. Allan Shivers headed a list of high state officials scheduled to address the opening session of the YMCA's fifth annual Hi-Y Legislature.

Three boys and one girl noisily campaigned for governor as a record-breaking number of 'teen-agers prepared to ballot on their choice for the "state's" highest office.

The candidates were Sarah Davis Corpus Christi; Ray Harvey, Tyler; Carl Paschetag, Beaumont, and Ray Farabee, Wichita Falls. The winner will succeed Sue Etchison, McAllen, as governor of the Hi-Y conference.

A hopper full of bills was ready for floor debate and eventual action. These included measures calling for a high school course on narcotics, establishment of a state board of narcotics, and substitution of the gas chamber for the electric chair in carrying out the death penalty.

Rita Walks Out

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14 (UP)—Rita Hayworth was bounced off the payroll at Columbia Movie Studio today for refusing to work in her comeback picture four days before it was to go before the cameras.

But the titian-haired star, a princess by virtue of her now broken marriage to Indian Foteleah Aly Khan, replied she was "ready and willing" to start work on the film—"as soon as I can see exactly what I am going to do." Miss Hayworth walked out on the film yesterday, announcing she would not work until she saw a complete script of the picture, "Affair In Trinidad."

Soviet White Paper on Korea



FACES IN THE NEWS—At her offstage best, tempestuous Tallulah Bankhead strikes pose outside General Sessions courtroom in New York, where her former secretary-maid is on trial for larceny and forgery. Tallulah, left, and other witnesses were ordered from the court by the judge because of the star's "groans, noises and remarks." Joseph Jaxon, center, 91-year-old onetime Montana Indian fighter evicted from his basement apartment because he was too feeble to work for his lodgings has stated that he would continue to crusade for the rights of the red men. Flight, Mildred Bailey, 44, one of the nation's greatest blues singers who was famed for singing "Old Rocking Chair", has died of a heart ailment at Poughkeepsie, N.Y. (NEA Telephoto).



NO OUTSIDE INTERESTS—President Truman, center, leaves the Old State Department in Washington after a conference with the press at which he said he is planning quick executive action to prevent Federal employees from having profitable outside interests. On his left is advisor John R. Steelman and on right, press secretary Joseph Short. (NEA Telephoto).

Amputee Prepares Home For Bride

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 14 (UP)—A Marine veteran who lost both arms and both legs in Korea began a three-week vacation today by planning the home he will build for his bride-to-be.

Sgt. Werner Reiminger, visiting his parents here, said he planned to marry Miss Jeanette Stretton of San Francisco as soon as possible, probably in June. The Marine hero, who lost his hands because of frostbite and his feet in a Communist attack, said he would live in San Antonio after he marries the 21-year-old girl he won on his return from the front.

He has been offered a job by the Veterans' Administration, he said. Reiminger said his amputations sometimes embarrass him when he is with young people or the very old—"only the middle-aged seem to understand."

But he said the only time he became despondent over his wounds was the day he met Jeanette.

"I knew she was the girl I wanted and I was afraid she wouldn't accept me," he said. He grinned and added, "but she did."

Two Charged With Selling Illegal Drugs

ABILENE, Dec. 14 (UP)—A Sweetwater druggist and his pharmacist were charged yesterday in Federal Court with selling narcotics without a prescription and in mislabeled bottles.

The charges were drawn up on information from an inspector for the U. S. Food and Drug Administration.

Charged were druggist Earl Burns and Calvin H. Garner, a pharmacist. Burns said he was in the hospital at the time of the alleged illegal sales and knew nothing about them.

The inspector said he bought tablets containing a derivative of barbituric acid on two occasions, April 27 and May 2. Once, he said, the tablets came in bottles marked as a b-complex vitamin and another time under the label of a drug which is not habit forming.

Tropical Storms Spare Philippines A Second Blow

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 14 (UP)—Two tropical storms churning toward the Philippines veered to sea today sparing the islands where 600 persons already have been killed by a typhoon.

The Manila Weather Bureau said typhoon "Amy", which struck the islands earlier this week, and typhoon "Babs" would hit Luzon only with tailwinds.

Typhoon "Amy" slashed across the Philippines leaving an unofficial total of 600. Press reports said the death toll on Leyte Island alone was 402. The typhoon roared into the China Sea and then turned and headed back toward the islands, but today's reports said it would not hit them full on.

Typhoon "Babs" has been moving on the Philippines southwest of the northern tip of Luzon, but will also spare the islands.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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SPORTS EVENTS

RHS Teams Win One, Lose One At Dublin

Coach Sam Aills' two basketball teams won one and lost one in the Dublin tournament last night. The boys topped the Comanche Indians in a game that was nip and tuck all the way. The score remained tied or within a few points, during the entire play. Ranger lost the ball while trying to "freeze" it in the final seconds of the game, and Comanche, a short time later was given a free shot on a foul. The shot was missed and the Bulldogs held the ball the fading seconds to win the game by one point. The score read Ranger 34—Comanche 33.

Tommy Hinds, Ranger's hustling forward took away high point honors for the night with 15, Chico Mendoza made 10, Jimmy Cole 4, Boddy Carter 2, and John Rush 1 ring the game. Coach Aills said his boys "missed a thousand shots." But their defensive work held the Indians to long shots, most of Comanche's scoring came on their long tries. The Beauties dropped their game to the Grayford girls last night.

Aills said the game was much closer than the 31-23 score. About all he could figure out was that his guards tired in the last few minutes of the game, allowing the Grayford girls to make a number of points in a hurry. Betty Pounds was high scorer with 16 points, Cynthia Hull made 4, "Coke" Kirkpatrick made 3.

The Bulldogs play Goldthwaite tonight at 6:30, the girls will play Dublin in the finals Saturday night.

Five Bulldogs Make Press All District Team

The five Bulldog, making the 2A-10 all-district team have again been honored by being named on the team chosen each year by the Fort Worth Press. Coach O. C. Warden gave half-backs Jimmy Comacho and Charles Masseege, end Chico Mendoza, guard Wayne Hargraves, and tackle J. L. Barnes, certificates from the Fort Worth Press naming them to their all-district team.

Jr. Arterburn Reaps Honors At Texas Tech

"Junior Arterburn, the Ranger flash, lived up to his all-conference honors when he quarterbacked a hustling, speedy Red Raider team to a well earned victory," said Collier Parris, sports editor of the Abilene Reporter-News after the Texas Tech and HS-U football game the first of this month.

Junior was picked on the first poll for All Border Conference quarterback, made honorable mention for All-American, and will play in the Sun Bowl come January 1. College of the Pacific will be Texas Tech's opponent in the bowl game.

Arterburn was also runner-up for back of the year in the Border Conference, Danny Goode of HS-U took the top honor on his ground gaining. Two of Junior's teammates, Red Phillip and Jerrel Price are going to be doing double duty in their post season work. Phillips will play in the Shriner game and Price will play in the East-West game.

Arterburn was credited with gaining 622 yards through the air and 362 yards on the ground while quarterbacking the Raiders this year. Junior will play his final game for Tech, in the Sun Bowl. He formerly played for Ranger Junior College and Ranger high school.

RJC Tourney Starts Today


Ranger Junior College will meet the Cisco Wranglers, and San Angelo will play Howard County tonight in the last of four games to be played today in the tournament.

Ranger has met two of the three teams that will see action with them tonight. The Rangers fell before the Howard County Jayhawks but came right back a few days later to beat a very highly regarded Cisco team.

This will be the Rangers third game of the year when they tangle with Cisco tonight. Saturday morning the play continues with the winners in the first go-rounds meeting their opponents in the same brackets. Play is set for all day Saturday, and on into that night when the championship games of the consolation, and the winners, will be played.

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Yanks Leading Tennis Matches

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 14 (UP)—Ted Schroeder and Tony Trabert moved the United States into the 40th Davis Cup challenge round today by beating Sweden out of the international competition.

Schroeder, 30-year-old refrigerator expert from La Crescenta, Calif., and Trabert, 21-year-old Naval Reservist from Cincinnati, O., were merciless to Norwegian Lennart Bergelin and Sven Davidson for the second straight day of cup interzone final matches.

The rangy veteran and the crew-cut youngster, who needed only one more victory in Koo-yong Stadium to clinch the interzones, walloped Sweden's best doubles combination, 10-12, 6-0, 6-3, 6-2.

Today's doubles victory combined with yesterday's two American triumphs in singles knocked out Sweden, winner of the European group ties in 1951 cup competition.

The two remaining singles matches of the best-of-five Swedish-American series will be played tomorrow but they have been reduced to the status of exhibitions after the two days of tennis carnage wrought by the two "slambang" Americans.

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Educators Study Football Program

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (UP)—A financial limit on aid to athletes will be a chief point to be considered when the 10-man committee of college presidents investigating athletics meets here again on Jan. 6.

The committee, appointed by the American Council on Education, announced that forthcoming topic at the same time that it suggested four sweeping reforms to be made in college sports.

These points, announced yesterday by committee chairman Dr. John A. Hannah, president of Michigan State were: 1, a limit to the football season, which Hannah said would mean "out go the bowls"; 2, regulation of athletic scholarships by the regular scholarship board instead of the athletic department; 3, forcing athletes to make "normal progress" toward a degree taking "legitimate courses in a prescribed curriculum"; and 4, elimination of freshmen from varsity teams.

The group proposed that the criticized by some observers for choosing Schroeder and Trabert to meet the Swedes, said he would likely announce his challenge round team tomorrow.



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Miss McEver Host To AAUW

The Ranger Branch of the American Association of University Women met in the home of Miss Anna McEver Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m.

After a short business session which was presided over by the president, Mrs. Walter Daniels, Miss Mildred Balch, program chairman, presented Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick who gave a most delightful discussion on the "Third Hunger", by Robert P. Coffin.

Those present were Misses Vernon Deffenbach, Earskin Gibson, Hal Hunter, Mamie Ruth Hamrick, E. H. Bobo, Howard Oliver, Daniels and Misses Anna McEver and Mildred Balch.

The next meeting will be a covered dish dinner January 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Walter Daniels.

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The Order of the Eastern Star school for District 3 Section 4 was held in Ranger Monday December 10 at the Masonic Hall with one hundred and fifty-six registering.

Arrangements for the school were made under the direction and supervision of Mrs. Kitty Hicklin, Deputy Grand Matron of District 3 Section 4.

The hall was beautifully decorated in the color scheme of the OES of Gold and Green. Large baskets of giant mums and chrysanthemums were placed at each end of the hall and eight containers of beautiful ferns adorned the place. A poster was displayed at the east end of the hall showing the open Bible in the center and the words "Our Faith is Real" over the top and "truth and love" on the right and "unity and peace" on the left.

At six o'clock a banquet was held in the Blue Room of the Gholson Hotel honoring the Grand officers. Rev. Ralph Perkins served as master of ceremonies. Music was furnished by the girls' trio from the Ranger Junior College under the direction of Miss Peggy Patterson, head of the Theory Department. A Christmas song and "I Love You Truly" was presented by the trio composed of Pat Taylor, Lorain Burdette and Nelta Fae Colvin. The color scheme of gold and green was used in the table decorations.

At eight o'clock the evening session was resumed at the Hall. Mrs. Ruby Perkins gave an inspirational reading and Bill Bullock sang "Oh, Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Holy Cry." The Grand Officers introduced

were Mrs. Flora Best Boone of Littlefield, Worthy Grand, Matron of the State of Texas; Mrs. Inez Mathews, District Deputy Grand Matron from Fort Worth; Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard of Albany, Grand Examiner. There were 10 other grand officers in attendance from the other districts.

The climax of the school was the inspirational address by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Luncheon Held In Spivy Home

The women of the Church of Christ held their regular monthly luncheon in the home of Minister and Mrs. Floyd J. Spivy Wednesday.

The women of the church meet each week for Bible study and then once a month they have a luncheon in someone's home. Mrs. Spivy had her house decorated very attractively and as each guest arrived they were presented a small green Christmas tree cut from paper with a number on it. This little tree was used in seating the guests at the luncheon and also when the gifts were exchanged from the tree.

During the exchange of gifts, Mrs. Spivy received a gorgeous friendship quilt from the group as a going-away gift. The Spivys will be moving to Little Rock, Arkansas the first of the year. Mr. Spivy made pictures of the group and also of Mrs. Spivy with the quilt.

The regular Bible study was also held with about forty in attendance.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of J. D. Revis takes this opportunity to express their appreciation for all the kindness and sympathy shown at a time when friends were needed.

We wish to express a special word of thanks to the Killingsworth's Funeral Home and to Rev. Lynn Robbins who so ably conducted the services Thursday.

Nephew Critically Ill In Galveston

David Gray, nephew of Mrs. D. C. Singleton is reported to be critically ill with spinal meningitis.

David underwent surgery Tuesday morning in the John Sealy hospital in Galveston after being accidentally shot with a .22 rifle November 10. He lives on a farm near Winters.

Christmas Party and Supper Held By Auxiliary Thursday

The Auxiliary to the Ralph McKinley Post entertained their families with a turkey supper and Christmas party Thursday evening in the V. F. W. Headquarters.

A beautiful tree had been decorated with handmade trimmings and the hall was decked with evergreen, tinsel and bells. The long table was covered with a white linen cloth with evergreen down the center and large poinsettias spaced between tall red tapers in crystal holders. The supper was served buffet style. Favors of miniature Santas were used.

After the meal, the group joined in a number of games which produced an enormous amount of fun and laughter. Rev. Jasper Massee led the

group in singing a number of old familiar Christmas Carols and then directed the thoughts of the group to the Christmas Story from the Bible.

After the devotional period, the group joined in with the children in singing "Jingle Bells" and "Here Comes Santa Claus" when the jolly ol' fellow arrived with gifts for everyone from the brightly lighted tree.

The party came to a close with a Good-bye stunt that ended with everyone shaking hands and saying "Haven't we had a wonderful time!"

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Musical Program Enjoyed Wed.

The Ranger Garden Club and Civic League met Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. at the Community Club House.

Mrs. O. G. Lanier, president, presided at the meeting and introduced Fred Baumgardner who presented the Madrigal singers of the Ranger Junior College in the following program of interesting Christmas numbers.

"Christmas Is Coming"; "The Twelve Days of Christmas"; "Jingle Bell"; "Mary Had a Baby"; "Joy to the World"; "Silent Night"; "Star of the East"; and "Winter Wonderland."

The Madrigal singers are composed of Nelta Faye Colvin, Lorain Burdette, Pat Taylor, Joy Hull, Don Bryson, Fred Baumgardner Jack Hull, Rusty Talbot and Kenneth Wright. Mrs. Fred Baumgardner was the accompanist.

The program was enjoyed and appreciated by those present.

In the business session, the club voted to support the Blood Mobile Unit 100 per cent when it comes to Ranger in January 1952. It was also voted on to contact as many eligible voters of Ranger as possible and get them to pay their 1952 poll tax since it is to be the most important election year in the history of the United States.

Sunday Singing In Eastland

The regular 3rd Sunday afternoon singing class will meet in the Eastland Church of God Sunday, December 16, at 2 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend according to Rev. W. E. Hallenbeck and bring someone with them.

Home Demonstration Council Presents New Officers At Meeting

The Home Demonstration Council met Wednesday afternoon, at the First Methodist Church in Eastland for their annual Christmas party and regular monthly business meeting.

Mrs. M. W. Grieger, chairman presided and appointed a nominating committee to replace Mrs. J. M. Yency, newly elected officer, who has resigned.

Other newly elected officers were presented by Mrs. Bulah Turner, nominating chairman, and included, Misses W. W. Fewell, of Cisco, chairman; Mrs. H. C. Fridge, Pioneer, vice chairman, Mrs. Raymond Beck, Morton Valley secretary, Mrs. Marshall Berry of Pleasant Hill, treasurer, Mrs. Earnest Schaefer Word first alternate; Mrs. G. C. Crowell, Union Center, second alternate.

In reports of officers, \$578.25 on deposit was reported by Mrs. Jimmy Fridge, treasurer.

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