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70% Of Lend-Lease Aid Marked 'Paid'

Truman Declares Accounting Will Prove Foundation Of World Economic Stability

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman informed Congress Friday 70 per cent of this nation's lend-lease aid has been marked paid...

Canadians Back Bernard Baruch's Atomic Bomb Plan

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y. (AP)—Bolstered by a complete understanding with the Canadian delegation, Bernard M. Baruch stood firm Friday in his demand that the veto must not stop the punishment of any nation violating international atomic control regulations.

The United States delegate to the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission held his ground as the commission went into session behind closed doors...

Homer F. Wilcox Dies In Tulsa

TULSA (AP)—Homer F. Wilcox, 62, Tulsa oil man and financier who discovered the prolific oil sand bearing his name, died Friday at his home from a heart attack.

Hoof And Mouth Disease In Mexico

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Mexico's Agriculture Department confirmed Friday that hoof and mouth disease has developed among cattle here...

Anderson Expected To Close Border

WASHINGTON (AP)—Agriculture Department officials said they expected Secretary Anderson to issue a formal order Friday closing the border to importation of cattle, sheep, goats and swine from Mexico...

Senator White Seeks Two Top Positions

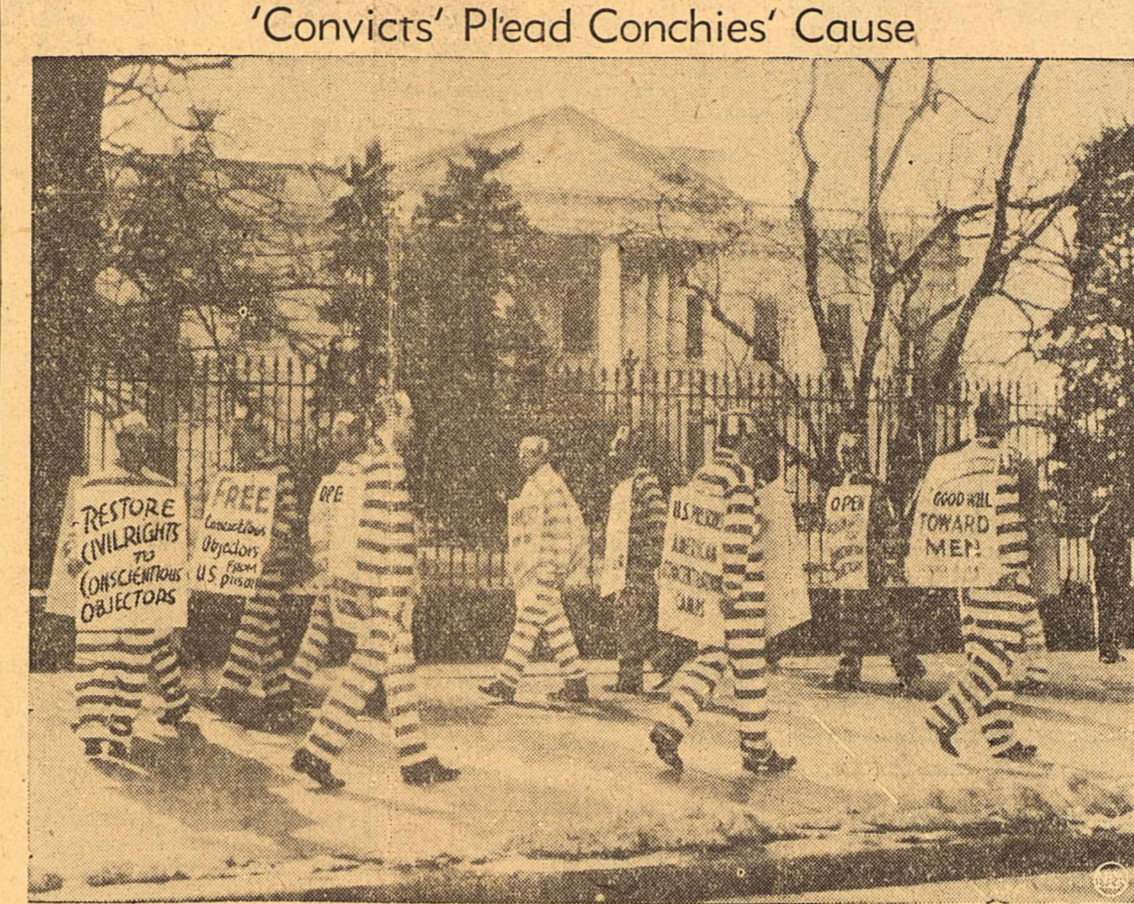
WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator White of Maine declared Friday he intends to try for two top posts in the new Republican-controlled Senate notwithstanding a fresh demand that no member hold more than one.

Republicans Discuss Bilbo Investigation

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Republican Senate Steering Committee was called together Friday to decide whether to try barring Senator Bilbo (D-Miss) at the opening session of the 80th Congress.

San Diego, Calif. Sheriff Bert Strand Ordered Out Ground Parties at Dawn Friday

TEHRAN (AP)—Ali Khan Mansur, who was premier of Iran when the Allies entered the country in 1941, has been appointed as governor general of Azerbaijan Province.



Dressed in convict garb, group of conscientious objectors pickets White House, carrying posters demanding amnesty for all "conchies" of World War II.

'Convicts' Plead Conchies' Cause

Thomas Wants To Remove Adamson As Chief Counsel

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. J. Parnell Thomas (R-NJ), who is in line for chairmanship of the House Committee on Un-American Activities, said Friday his first official act in that post will be to fire Ernie Adamson as chief counsel.

Allen Resigns As RFC Director

WASHINGTON (AP)—George E. Allen resigned Friday as a director of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation after recommending a sweeping revision of the act under which the RFC operates.

Oklahoman Wants All Immigration Into U. S. Halted

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Elmer Thomas (D-Okla) brought a hot congressional issue to the fore Friday with the assertion that all immigration into the United States should be halted immediately.

Texas Holiday Death Toll Mounts to 65

By The Associated Press Continuing reports of Christmas tragedies swelled to 65 Friday the total of fatalities in Texas from highway accidents and other violent causes since last Friday.

Bus Terminal Will Be Moved January 1

The Greyhound Bus Terminal of Midland and its associated installations will be moved to a new location January 1.

Forty Passengers Injured In Wreck

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Six cars of the Panama Limited left the rails on a narrow isthmus north of New Orleans Friday, and 40 or 50 passengers aboard the Chicago to New Orleans flier were injured.

COLDER WEATHER IS PREDICTED FOR AREA

By The Associated Press A break in the summer-like weather which has prevailed in Texas for a week was forecast by the U. S. Weather Bureau for Friday night in the Panhandle, the South Plains and the northwest section of East Texas.

Prices Tumble Suddenly On Several Cost Of Living Articles

By The Associated Press Prices for many cost of living items have tumbled suddenly in major cities throughout the nation, led by a sharp break in the New York and Chicago wholesale butter markets.

Death Toll In Shanghai Plane Crashes Is 71

SHANGHAI (AP)—The death toll in Shanghai's Christmas night triple plane disaster reached 71 Friday with the deaths of three more passengers.

W. A. Boiles, Father Of Midland Women, Dies

W. A. Boiles, 68, of Abilene, father of Mrs. A. M. Scoggins and Mrs. C. E. Hollingshead of Midland, died Thursday night in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, where he had been a patient five weeks.

French Defeat Viet-Nam Troops

PARIS (AP)—The French claimed in an Indochina communique Friday to have beaten back a strong Christmas-night attack in Hanoi with heavy losses to Viet-Nam troops.

Anderson Orders Investigation Of Butter Price Break

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Anderson Friday ordered an investigation of Thursday's break in New York butter prices.

Shell To Hunt For 'Burger' Pay On S-E Side Of TXL

By JAMES C. WATSON Oil Editor Shell Oil Company, Inc., has filed application with the Railroad Commission to drill an 11,000-foot exploration well to test the Ellenburger in the southeast side of the TXL-Devonian field, in West Ector County.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Pinson, south flanker to the initial Ellenburger producer in the Nelson field in extreme West Andrews County, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 13, block A-40, psi survey, tried a drillstem test at 10,667-732 feet, in the Ellenburger.

Humble No. 1 Turner, wildcat 12 miles southeast of Midland, had swabbed down to 7,500 feet from surface, on perforations in the Strawn between 10,323 feet and 10,385 feet. Recovery was some slightly gas cut drilling mud, with no shows of oil. Swabbing was continuing.

American Republics Corporation No. 1 TXL, West Ector County prospector, 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 7, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S, was swabbing out load water and some new oil. The water went into the hole when a 300-barrel water load used to hold back mud, while the casing was being re-perforated, was dumped, when the packer slipped.

Two Plugged

Ralph Lowe No. 1 Blake, Northwest Garza County wildcat, about six and one half miles northwest of Post, and in section 1200, I&GN survey, has been plugged and abandoned as a dry hole on total depth of 4,214 feet in lime.

Stand Oil & Gas Company No. 1-C Wright, Central Cochran County prospector, about nine miles west of Whiteface, and 660 feet from south and west lines of labor 15, lease 97, Brewster County School Land survey, has been abandoned and will be plugged on a total depth of 7,003 feet in dry lime.

Stand Oil No. 1 Young, Northwest Andrews County wildcat, about two miles west of the Fullerton field, and 660 feet from south and 1,994 feet from east lines of section 6, block A-48, psi survey, was to make hole below 7,200 feet, in lime.

A drillstem test at 7,139-7,200 feet, open one hour; recovered 120 feet of mud cut salt water and 530 feet of salt water. No shows of oil or gas were reported.

Lion Oil Company No. 1 Tennie (Cowden), outpost to the Dollar Hide field, in Southwest Andrews County, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 6, block A-55, psi survey, was taking production to complete. Total depth is 8,062 feet, in lime.

Weather Partly cloudy and colder Friday night and Saturday. Lowest temperatures expected Friday night 28-32 in South Plains. Maximum temperature Thursday 71 degrees. Minimum 48 degrees. Minimum Friday 53 degrees.



On his former secretary, Edward P. Terry. "This poor man went absolutely wild in his mad desire for money. ... Judas. ... Modern Benedict Arnold."



On mysterious \$25,000 for Senator Dorey's campaign, given by F. T. Newton, of wartime construction firm: "I didn't get a damned cent of it."



On charges he profited from war work contracts: "... I am a very poor man and heavily involved in debt."

On Juniper Grove Church fund: "If my pastor, my deacons and my church are satisfied ... how can anybody on earth object?"

American Oil Companies Make Large Deals To Exploit Middle East Crude

WASHINGTON (AP)—Two big oil deals, under which American companies would exploit more thoroughly the vast oil resources of the strategic Middle East, have been announced in "principle".

Hundreds of millions of dollars are involved and taken together, the deals involve one of the largest oil transactions of all times.

State Department officials welcomed news of the transactions insofar as they relieved the drain on the dwindling oil resources in the United States and South America.

Two major American companies—Standard of New Jersey and Socony Vacuum—were involved in both deals according to announcements from London and New York.

In what was considered the most far-reaching transaction, it was disclosed that a "preliminary" agreement had been reached whereby the Arabian-American Oil Company, which owns exclusive rights to the Saudi-Arabian fields, would sell about 30 per cent of its holdings to Standard Oil of New Jersey. Socony Vacuum Oil Company is expected to buy another 10 per cent, controlled by Americans.

The Arabian-American Company is controlled by Standard Oil of California and The Texas Company.

Standard of New Jersey, announcing its share in this deal, said final consummation is contingent upon

surveys and discussions now in progress.

In the second agreement, Standard of New Jersey and Socony Vacuum reached an accord in principle with the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company, Ltd., to purchase substantial quantities of crude oil from this British company, which operates in Iran.

To Conserve Oil

Because Standard of New Jersey and Socony Vacuum up until now have shipped mostly American oil to their European and Asiatic customers, government officials said it would now be possible to conserve oil resources in the United States. Both companies will be able to ship the middle eastern petroleum instead because it is closer to their clients, they said.

Two new pipelines are foreseen as a result of the deals to facilitate the flow of oil from the Persian Gulf area to the Mediterranean. The first, operated by the Arabian-American Oil Company in Saudi Arabia, would go from Dhahran, through one of the Levant countries. The second would be laid from the Basra-Abadan area to the Mediterranean under the control of the Anglo-Iranian Company.

No Estimates Available

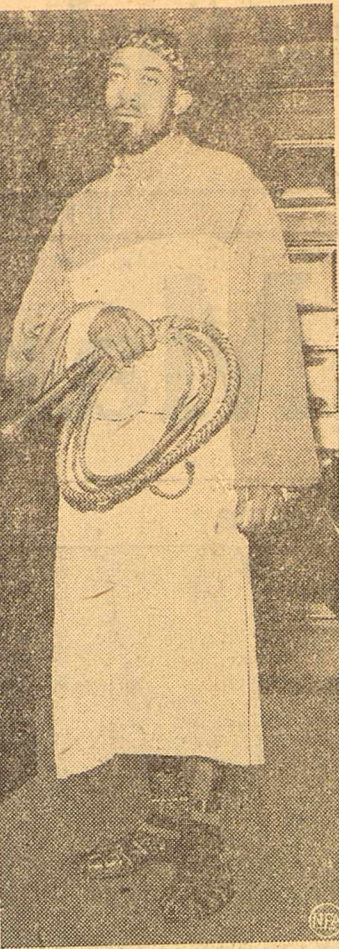
The two American oil companies involved in both deals will pay part of the cost of constructing the pipelines. No estimate of the cost was immediately available but officials said they thought the amount might run as high as \$300,000,000.

A third pipeline already is in operation carrying oil from Iraq. Officials said there were tentative plans for enlarging this to increase the flow to the Mediterranean from Iraq.

A direct effect of the increased oil output in Saudi Arabia, officials here said, will be to raise the revenue going to the Saudi Arabian government. The added money will enable the country to go ahead with long-contemplated projects such as improvement of harbors and transportation.

Crown Prince Saud's visit to the United States January 14 is tied in with the expected conclusion of the four-company agreement. Those officials said one of the main purposes of his stay in the United States would be to inspect harbor, transportation and sewage systems to get an idea of what Saudi Arabia should have.

Whips Up Trouble



Pictured as he appeared in Los Angeles court, respondent in royal purple and white robe, bearded turban and sandals with jingle bells on them is Rev. Peter John Jett. The 20-foot whip he carries was responsible for assault and battery charges lodged by police who said the part-time preacher, part-time barber tried to clear a way through traffic by lashing at passing cars.

Church News

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
Rev. Harold Williams
A. J. Lombard and Loraine
Saturday Services:
10:00 a.m.: Sabbath school.
11:00 a.m.: Morning service meet-
ing.

FRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
H and Illinois Streets
Rev. R. J. Snell, Rector.
8:00 a.m.: Holy Communion.
9:45 a.m.: Church School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning prayer and
sacrament, "Thoughts For the Old and
New Year."

COTTON FLAT BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Lester O. Green
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship and
sermon.

THE HOLINESS MISSION
East Pennsylvania and South Terrell
R. C. Jones, Pastor.
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
7:45 p.m.: Evening service.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
310 South Baird Street
Rev. Paul H. Cox
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
6:15 p.m.: Christ's Ambassadors.
7:30 p.m.: Evangelistic services.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Midweek services.

ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC
Father Frank Triggs, Pastor.
Sunday Masses:
8:00 a.m.: Low Mass.
9:30 a.m.: Low Mass, Spanish
sermon.
11:00 a.m.: Low Mass.
7:00 p.m.: Novena.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main Street and Illinois
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
10:55 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon, "When Time Runs Out."
8:45 p.m.: Training Union.
Thursday night Christmas program
directed by Charles Barron, student
of Vanderbilt University,
Nashville, Tenn.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
300 North Main Street
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Church School.
10:55 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon.
6:15 p.m.: Senior and Inter-
mediate M.Y.F.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship and
sermon.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. G. Becker, Pastor
Services in Trinity Episcopal Church
At H and Illinois Streets
6:15 p.m.: Sunday School and
Bible Class.
7:00 p.m.: Divine worship.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Garden City Road at City Limits
Elder E. R. Howze, Big Spring,
Pastor.
Regular services at 11 o'clock on
second and fourth Sunday morn-
ings. Services at 11 a. m. on sec-
ond Saturdays.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
California and Colorado Streets
J. V. Davis, Minister
10:30 a.m.: Sunday morning
service.
8:15 p.m. Sunday evening serv-
ice.
8:30 p.m. Wednesday; Prayer
service.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
401 South Main Street
Rev. Fred McPherson, Pastor.
10:30 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.: Preaching Services.
7:00 p.m.: B.T.U.
8:00 a.m.: Preaching Services.
Wednesday
8:30 p.m.: Mid-week prayer meet-
ing.
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School and
Bible Class.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE
300 South Colorado Street
O. W. Roberts, Pastor.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
7:45 p.m.: Preaching.
11:00 a.m.: Thursday: Preaching
8:30 a.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
8:00 a.m.: Bible Study
FRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Fort Worth and Tennessee
Rev. C. B. Hedges, Pastor.
8:30 p.m.: Sunday radio pro-
gram.
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
8:00 p.m.: Preaching service.
8:00 p.m.: Wednesday prayer
meeting.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Indiana and Big Spring Streets
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor.
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: N.Y.P.S.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Prayer Service.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
West Texas and North A Street
Rev. Hubert H. Hager, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon, "Carrying On."
6:00 p.m.: Young People's meet-
ing.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship and
sermon, "Propelled By Love."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Loraine and Illinois Streets
Rev. Clyde Lindsey, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon.
6:45 p.m.: C.Y.F. and Children's
Endeavor.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship and
sermon.

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Saturday 11:30 a.m.: Broadcast
over KCRS.
Sunday
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon, "Christian Science."
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chosen generation, a royal priest-
hood, an holy nation, a peculiar
people; that ye should shew forth
the praises of him who hath called
you out of darkness into his mar-
vellous light" (1 Peter 2:9).

Among the citations which com-
prise the Lesson-Sermon is the fol-
lowing from the Bible: "Who is
wise and will observe these things,
even they shall understand the lov-
ing kindness of the Lord" (Psalms
107:43).
The Scriptures are very sacred.
The Lesson-Sermon also includes
the following passage from the
Christian Science textbook, "Sci-
ence and Health with Key to the
Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:
"Our aim must be to have them un-
derstood spiritually; for only by
this understanding can truth be
gained" (page 547).

MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION
Washington and Midland Streets
Rev. S. Lara, pastor.

GOSPEL HALL
500 South Loraine
I. D. Jackson, Pastor.
10:00 a.m.: Bible study.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
7:45 p.m.: Preaching service.
7:45 p.m.: Tuesday: Young Peo-
ple's meeting.
2:30 p.m. Wednesday: W & B
meeting.
7:45 p.m. Thursday: Preaching
services.

GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 1, Midland.
Rev. Lee Bailey, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship and
sermon.
7:00 p.m.: Training Union.
7:45 p.m.: Evening worship and
sermon.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner North A and Tennessee
J. Weedie Holden, Evangelist
9:00 a.m.: Worship.
10:00 a.m.: Bible Study.
10:55 a.m.: Worship.
6:30 p.m.: Young People's Bible
Study.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
7:30 p.m.: Tuesday, Bible.
3:00 p.m.: Tuesday, Ladies Bible
Class.

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BIDS RECEIVED FOR Dismantling Air Field
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. (AP)—J. A. Sharrack of Dallas is the apparent low bidder for the job of dismantling the Big Spring Army Air Field, the U. S. Engineers' district office announced. His bid was \$85,845.
Col. Henry F. Hannis, district engineer, said award of a contract awaits approval by the War Assets Administration of a War Department request to have the field withdrawn from surplus classification.

BUSINESS LEADER DIES
STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS (AP)—Fount Taylor, 69, prominent business, civic and church leader, died at his home here Thursday. He operated a real estate and loan of-
fice.

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Aeronautics Group Considers Financing Of State Association

A proposed program of financing the Texas Aviation Association was discussed at a meeting of the Aeronautics Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce Thursday afternoon.

John W. House, chairman, outlined the program, which is proposed by the National Aeronautic Association.

Action was deferred pending further investigation.

Attending the meeting were House, John P. Butler, R. B. Cowden, W. W. LaForce, M. T. Smith, Jim Carlson, Delbert Downing and Bill Collins.

NAA Chapter To Elect Officers January 7

The annual election of officers of the Midland Chapter of the National Aeronautic Association will be held January 7, M. T. Smith, president, announced Friday.

Smith appointed a nominating committee composed of W. W. LaForce, John P. Butler and Jim Carlson.

Activities for the year also will be mapped at the meeting.

TO ATTEND BOWL GAME

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Yarborough, Maefair Apartments, and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Yarborough, Jr., 517 West Wall Street, left Thursday for California to see the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena January 1.

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SOCIETY

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, DEC. 27, 1946-3

Jessica Turpin And Frances Puett Entertain With Holiday Dance Here

Entertaining with a holiday dance Thursday evening at the Midland Country Club were Jessica Turpin, a student in Hockaday School for Girls in Dallas, and Frances Puett, a junior in Midland High School.

New Books Added To Midland Library

New books added to the shelves of the Midland County library include:

- The Salem Frigate (Jennings);
- World's Great Scriptures (Brown);
- Blaze of Noon (Gann);
- By Way of Wyoming (Bishop);
- Faith of the Episcopal Church (Damosch);
- On Being Fit To Live With (Fosdick);
- Best Plays of 1945-46 (Burns-Mantle);
- Long S'orm (Haycox);
- Handbook of Popular Antiques (Climack);
- Six Place Logarithms (Marsh);
- Popular Mathematics (Miller);
- Complete History of the United States (Wood);
- This Side of Innocence (Caldwell);
- The Austin Papers (Barker);
- French in 20 Lessons (Cortina);
- Hennessey On Roses (Hennessey);
- Best American Short Stories (Goley);
- The Chrysanthemum and the Sword (Benedict);
- Eastern Cooking School Cook Book (Barner);
- The Double Agent (Telhet);
- Behold Your King (Bauer);
- Let's Kill George (Cores);
- Lydia Bailey (Roberts);
- The Child From Five to Ten (Gesell);
- The Lost Range (Robertson) for adults.

For juveniles the new books include: Adventures of Arab (Slobodkin); Beautiful Joe (Saunders); The Little Carousel (Brown); Secret of Baldhead Mountain (Colt); Madeleine Takes Command (Brill); The Lion's Paw (White); The Little Island (MacDonald); The Lollypop Factory (Elting); Pocahontas (D'Aulaire); Marta the Doll (Lownsberry); The Bahamas; Virgin Islands; Bermuda (Henry); Future for Sale (DeLeeuw); Surprise for Timmy (Eamann); The Flying Horse (Carroll); America's Paul Revere (Forbes); My First Horse (James); How To Behave and Why (Leaf) and The Avion My Uncle Flew (Fisher).

rated Yule tree and a blazing fire in the fireplace, at the end of the room, gave the seasonal atmosphere.

Miss Turpin wore a green and gold metal cloth evening blouse with a black skirt and Miss Puett wore a white crepe and chiffon dress with a floral design applied on the skirt. Both wore gardenias in their hair.

The refreshment table, laid in a cut-lace banquet cloth, was centered with a large red candle surrounded with poinsettias, evergreen and silvered pine cones.

At Refreshment Table Presiding at the service were Mrs. William Hoey and Mrs. Robert M. Turpin, Sr., of Nashville, Tenn.

Miss Turpin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Turpin, was escorted by Lou Hoey and Miss Puett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Puett, was escorted by Dunny Goode.

Music was furnished by Jack Cecil.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Irby Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. John Richards of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. William Hoey, Mr. and Mrs. Turpin, Mr. and Mrs. Puett and Mrs. Turpin, Sr.

Kermit Rainbow Girls Have Christmas Dance

KERMIT—Members of the Kermit Rainbow Assembly for Girls No. 143 held their formal Christmas dance at the Kermit High School gym.

A program of music was furnished by Wanda Whitten and Jean Franklin, who sang "Night and Day;" Betty Fitzpatrick, who gave a Christmas medley and Sue McLemore sang "I'll Be Home for Christmas."

Miss McLemore is worthy advisor of the assembly.

Sponsors of the dance were the mother advisor, Mrs. G. E. Thompson, and Mr. Thompson.

The gym was decorated in Christmas colors and had a large decorated Christmas tree.

"HORSE MARINES" "Horse Marines" a humorous term, derives from the fact it was the duty of U. S. Marines on sailing ships to cast off hausers, leading to their being called "Horse Marines" by the sailors — which became "Horse Marines" and finally "Horse Marines."

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WALDREPS TO AUSTIN

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Waldrep and family will leave Friday for Austin where they will attend the state championship high school football game Saturday.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Collie, Jr., on the birth, Monday, of a son, James Morris, weighing five pounds, 15 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hall on the birth, Tuesday, of a daughter, Darla Sharron, weighing eight pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Coleman on the birth, Thursday, of a daughter, Shirley Deane, weighing seven pounds 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Allen on the birth, Thursday, of a son, weighing seven pounds, 15 ounces.

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Sheep 700; fully steady; medium and good fat lambs 19.00-21.00; medium and good yearlings 15.00-16.00; good feeder lambs 16.00.

TIRE STOLEN Police Friday received a report from Pecos of a stolen tire. Three persons were described as taking the tire, a soldier, a girl and a civilian.

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Nutrition Situation 'Serious' In Germany

BERLIN—(P)—A three-power survey of hunger conditions in Western Germany Friday found a "significantly larger proportion" of the population in "unsatisfactory condition" and an "increasing number" of these showing "signs of severe undernutrition," with children from 7 to 14 the chief sufferers.

The nutrition survey, sixth of a series since the occupation began, covered the French, American and British Zones.

The survey reported that the French Zone was in the most dangerous position in regard to food stocks.

CHICAGO DOG COMES HOME FOR CHRISTMAS CHICAGO—(P)—After a year's absence, Frank Consaco's Irish setter, "Red" returned home Christmas Eve.

Consaco's sons, Frank, Jr., and Ralph, fixed a big Christmas dinner for him and bought him some new dog toys.

Thursday Consaco let "Red" out doors for exercise. The dog bounded across the back yard in three strides and over the fence on the fourth.

Consaco is wondering if "Red" will remain away until next Christmas.

New Year's Dance Scheduled At Club

A New Year's dance for members and out-of-town guests will be held at the Midland Country Club, January 1, with music by Jack Frey and his orchestra from Abilene.

Dancing will be from 9 to 12 p. m. Cards announcing the dance will not be sent out Warren Cantrell, club director, said.

Bing Crosby Is No. 1 Box Office Attraction

HOLLYWOOD—(P)—The nation's motion picture exhibitors—who keep their fingers on the way the public spends its ticket money—again have voted Bing Crosby the year's No. 1 box office attraction.

It was the third successive year in which he has led the poll conducted by the trade paper, Motion Picture Herald. Others of the first 10, in order, were: Ingrid Bergman, Van Johnson, Gary Cooper, Bob Hope, Humphrey Bogart, Greer Garson, Margaret O'Brien, Betty Grable and Roy Rogers.

WOMEN WANT TOBACCO

KYOTO—(P)—Mrs. Yoshiyo Oichi, one of the first women elected to the Diet, is campaigning for mayor of this ancient capital of Japan on the slogan: "Equal sake and tobacco rations for the women of Kyoto." Only Japanese men are allotted such rations.

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Stevenson Will Go To Cotton Bowl Game

AUSTIN —(AP)— Gov. Coke Stevenson said Friday he would be in Dallas Jan. 1 to attend the Cotton Bowl football game between Arkansas and Louisiana State.

TUNA FOR SPORT

The sport of catching "tuna" with rod and line from motorboats originated at Avalon, Calif., where the Tuna Club regulates the weight of rod and strength of line.

CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY

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17,327 persons less than 21 years of age arrested for these crimes during first half of 1946

New chart above shows the prominent role played by juvenile delinquents in crimes against property, according to FBI reports. For the crimes illustrated, a total of 54,584 persons of all ages were arrested in the first six months of 1946. Of these, 17,327, or over 31 per cent, were less than 21 years old. The FBI points out that the number of arrests is probably incomplete in the lower age groups (15 to 18) because some local authorities do not fingerprint youthful offenders.



Unbounded joy is expressed by this 6-year-old Viennese orphan after receiving pair of new shoes from American Red Cross. Hundreds of Austrian children like him would face winter of bitter suffering without the clothing and shoes distributed by the ARC.

Elaborate Plans Made To Expand Industry In South

By C. W. GILMORE
ATLANTA —(AP)— Industry in the traditional agricultural South has brought forth elaborate expansion plans for 1947, both to take advantage of cheap money and protect the current employment peak.

Cotton in particular and agriculture in general still remain the backbone of Southern economy, and most segments of the farming industry continued to ride high on the strength of bumper prices in 1946.

But industrial expansion, particularly in cotton textiles, captured a full share of the spotlight. All in all, 96 textile industry expansion projects already have been mapped in nine states, providing an estimated 22,975 new jobs.

Cotton producers, despite a series of price breaks, and tobacco growers, despite a record crop, came out of the old year with more money than ever. Only in Florida did the farmer suffer when torrential rains did multi-million dollar damage to the truck crop.

The latter part of the year brought expansion announcements totaling \$23,000,000 in the hosiery knitting industry and \$30,000,000 in the spinning and weaving industries.

The year was a record breaker, too, for the tobacco industry—both for the manufacturer and the grower. Farmers in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Georgia sold 1,328,940,266 pounds of leaf — 164,000,000 pounds better than 1945—at an average price of around \$47 per hundred pounds or four and a half cents above last year.

Hine Business College Will Train Veterans

The Hine Business College announced Friday it has been approved by the Veterans Administration as an accredited school for training veterans under Public Law 347, Section 7. The school also has been approved under Public Law 16 for training disabled veterans.

Operated by Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hine, the school recently moved from East Wall Street to 703 West Chio Street. While a shorthand teacher in Midland High School, Mrs. Hine wrote a shorthand book featuring oil terms which will be published next year by the Greeg Publishing Company.

A new term in the night school opens January 6 and in the day school January 13.

COTTON

NEW YORK —(AP)— Cotton futures Friday noon were \$2.55 to \$3.00 a bale lower than the previous close. March 32.62, May 32.28, and July 30.89.

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UNFAVORABLE WEATHER FORECAST FOR GAME

AUSTIN —(AP)— Unfavorable weather conditions for Saturday's Odessa-Thomas Jefferson state high school football championship game were indicated Friday.

CLOTHING STOLEN

Mrs. R. E. McBride, Jr., of Houston reported to police Thursday that clothing had been stolen from her automobile while it was parked at the Ranch House.

Portal-To-Portal Retroactive Wage Suits Increasing

By The Associated Press
Portal-to-portal retroactive wage suits' now on file in federal courts throughout the country seek a total of almost \$700,000,000, a survey disclosed Friday after filing of new actions by unions in behalf of thousands of workers.

Some industry leaders have estimated the claims may total between five and six billion dollars for payment to workers for the time consumed in traveling from a company's property entrance to their specific bench or machine where they work.

More Suits Filed
Suits were filed in nine cities Thursday seeking a total of \$14,123,000, and with previous suits brought the total amount sought to more than \$679,625,000. Also filed Thursday was a suit for an estimated \$50,000,000 against the National Biscuit Co. in New York by employees who contended the company did not pay them all of the overtime wages due in the last seven years.

CIO union attorneys said they are preparing to file a suit seeking \$270,000,000 against the Ford Motor Company's Rouge Plant and one against Ford's Willow Run bomber plant seeking what a CIO lawyer said will "run into the millions" and involve about 300,000 wartime employees.

The largest claim in the suits filed Thursday was for \$50,000,000, sought by an independent union in Boston against the Bethlehem-Hingham Shipyards, Inc. Other actions were started in Cleveland, Columbus, Pittsburgh, Houston, Bristol, Conn., Birmingham, and Evansville, Ind.

Reports Hit And Run Automobile In City

City Councilman Stanley Erskine of Midland reported to police Thursday his car was struck on Missouri Street by a hit and run automobile.

Erskine obtained the license number of the car and a description of it.

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Four Army Veterans File Discharge Papers

Four Army veterans filed discharge papers at the Midland County clerk's office Friday.

Sgt. Robert C. Wingo of the 803 Engineer Aviation Battalion who served 26 months and received the Victory Medal and the Philippine Independence Medal.

T/6 Meado N. Nelson of the Army Engineers who served 33 months, fought in the Aleutian Campaign, and received the Good Conduct Ribbon, a Bronze Star, the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon and the Merit Service Unit Insignia.

Pfc. Earl G. Branch, an engineer, who served 20 months and was awarded the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon, an Overseas Service Bar, the Victory Ribbon, and the Army of Occupation (Japan) Ribbon.

T/4 Joseph H. Chancellor, who was in the Army 14 months as a personnel clerk and received the Victory Medal.

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Pin-up queen of 1946 is 18-year-old Myra Keck, above, of Philadelphia, recently elected by an overwhelming GI and civilian vote. Blond Queen Keck, who works for a New York model agency, is five feet, seven inches tall, weighs 118 pounds and wears a size 34 bathing suit.

Pennock Expects Braves To Win

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— General Manager Herb Pennock of the Phillies predicted Boston would win the 1947 National League pennant if the Braves' mound staff comes through. Otherwise, said Pennock, a former big league pitcher, the pennant will go either to the Dodgers or the Cardinals.

Hardin-Simmons Cagers Are Robbed

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— There was gloom enough in the Hardin-Simmons dressing room Thursday night, after its touring basketball team lost to the University of Southern California's junior varsity, 60-39. Then someone discovered a locker bandit had been at work. The Texans' loss was put at \$225.

Musial Is Slugging Champ And Slaughter Also Grabs Honor

NEW YORK —(AP)— Stan Musial and Enos Slaughter of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals have new reasons to ask owner Sam Breadon for more cash in 1947 Friday after publication of the official National League slugging and runs batted in statistics. Musial, the batting king with a .365 average, added the slugging championship to his '46 accomplishments, clubbing the opposing pitchers for a .587 mark on the basis of 366 total bases for 621 at bats. The talented first sacker from Donora, Pa., already had monopolized the averages by leading in runs, hits, singles, doubles and triples among others. Three Time Winner It was the third time Musial had taken the slugging crown, having won previously in 1943 and 1944 before entering the Navy. Slaughter's 130 runs batted in told a large share of the Cards' success story, reflecting the real importance of his .300 batting mark. The hustling slugger, who electrified the crowd with his dash from first to home on Harry Walker's double in the last world series game, kept the Birds in the race with his timely basehits. His slugging average was .465, fourth among the regulars behind Musial, Johnny Mize of New York, .578, and Del Ennis of the Phillies, .485. Dixie Walker of Brooklyn, who won the RBI championship a year ago, was second with 116 and Musial had 103, good for third place.

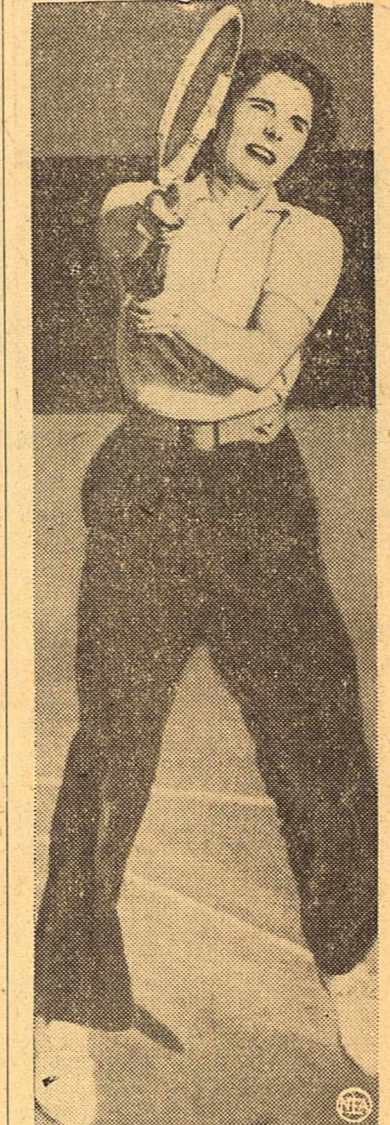
SPORTS

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Schroeder And Kramer Win Davis Cup For America

MELBOURNE —(AP)— Ted Schroeder and Jack Kramer won the Davis Cup, symbol of world tennis supremacy, for the United States Friday, breezing through Australia's doubles team in straight sets. John Bromwich and Adrian Quist, whose brilliant play won the cup for Australia in the last international matches in 1939, never had a chance, as the two Californians teamed to complete the whirlwind victory launched so magnificently Thursday with Schroeder's stunning upset win over Bromwich in the singles. If anything, the Americans gave the crowd at Kooyong Courts an even more convincing exhibition of their supremacy than they did Thursday, blasting out their doubles triumph, 6-2, 7-5, 6-4, in just 77 minutes.

Oh, Kay!



Kay Stammers, wearing long pants and using two-handed grip, makes a return during practice session at Wimbledon.

Razorbacks Start Workouts Friday

WACO —(AP)— Coach John Barnhill ordered two work-outs Friday for his University of Arkansas Razorbacks as they start their last week of drills for the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas Jan. 1 with Louisiana State University. Barnhill said his squad of 47 which arrived here Thursday was in good shape but needed work after the Christmas holidays. Guard Dale Counts and Tackle Charles Lively are nursing minor injuries, but Barnhill expects them to be ready by game time. Herman Styles, an end, who has a shoulder injury, did not make the trip.

East And West Grid Squads Start Grinds

SAN FRANCISCO —(AP)— Both East and West football squads in the New Year's Day Shrine game were down to serious business Friday—the full dress scrimmage. And the East trotted out a typical pigskin curiosity tinker, the secret practice. Co-Coaches Andy Kerr and Bernie Bierman of the East matched their players Thursday under the game rules, a Yellow team winning from a Blue outfit two touchdowns to one. For the West Co-Coaches Lon Stiner (Oregon State), Homer Norton (Texas A&M), and George Sauer (Kansas), were impressed with the blocking and pass catching of Dick Hagen, University of Washington end, and Gene Wilson, wingman from Southern Methodist.

Mershons Have Guests From Oklahoma City

Mr. and Mrs. Mairand Kennerly and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Halliburton of Oklahoma City are holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mershon, 208 South Marienfield Street. Kennerly, a brother of Mrs. Mershon, is assistant attorney general of the State of Oklahoma in charge of legal affairs of the State Highway Department. Mrs. Mershon is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Halliburton.

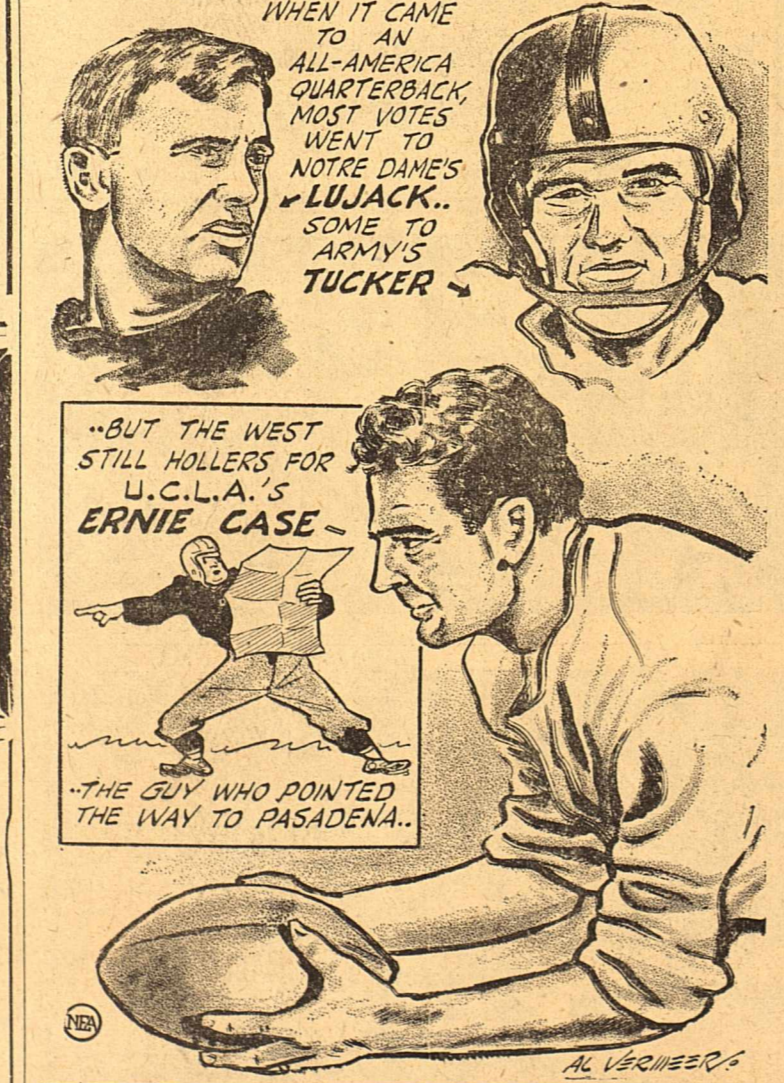
Austin Police Chief Warns Football Fans

AUSTIN —(AP)— Police Chief Raymond D. Thorp Thursday issued a polite warning against drinking intoxicating liquors at the high school football championship game Saturday. He said he hoped it would not be necessary for any of his officers to reject fans for drinking or other disorderly conduct. Thorp reminded adult fans that many of the spectators would be teen-agers, suggesting they set a good example.

To Los Angeles

Mrs. Bill Collins left Thursday afternoon by plane for Los Angeles where she will visit her mother, Mrs. T. A. Evans, who is ill.

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U. S. Border Closed To Mexican Cattle

EL PASO —(AP)— The U. S. border at all points was closed to Mexican cattle Friday upon orders from the U. S. Bureau of Animal Husbandry in Washington. Inspections for cattle here were suspended late Thursday when Dr. John Redmond, inspector-in-charge of the El Paso bureau received the following "urgent" message from Washington: "Effective now make no further inspections on Mexican ruminants or swine offered for inspection pending further instructions." There was no immediate explanation for the order. The border was quarantined June 15, when stock imported from Brazil was believed to have been infected with hoof and mouth diseases. That ban was lifted Oct. 15. About 1,800 head of cattle crossed to El Paso from Juarez, Mexico, Thursday before the new order went into effect. A small number of cattle are reported to be in Juarez and several shipments from Chihuahua ranches were expected within the next few days.

Grid Fans Scramble For Orange Bowl Seats

MIAMI —(AP)— The scramble for tickets to the Orange Bowl reached fever pitch Friday as the Rice Owls flew into town and got down to work for their New Year's Day clash with Tennessee. Only 38,000 seats were available in the stadium and 98,000 persons had applied for them months ago. Coach Jess Neely sent his squad to the practice field at 9 a. m. and scheduled another workout for 2:30 p. m. He will follow a similar schedule Saturday, with single workouts planned for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Big Spring CC Names Assistant Manager

BIG SPRING—Cecil E. Edwards, 26, Dallas, has been named assistant manager of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce and will report for duty January 6. Edwards, a native of Cisco, graduated from Southern Methodist University with a journalism major. He was a major in the Army Air Forces during World War II.

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Boy Gets Girl

In 10 years the British have never completely recovered from the abdication of Edward VIII and his marriage to a divorced American.

And now the lovely Princess Elizabeth seems to be heading into a far less sensational but possibly difficult betrothal.

The young man is Prince Philip, 25, of Greece. And the one complicating factor is the continued presence of British troops in Greece.

The marriage apparently has been arranged. He is an acceptable enough chap for a royal marriage. He is sixth in line for the throne of the Hellenes, now occupied by his second cousin King George. Although born on the Greek island of Corfu, the prince spent most of his younger years in England.

Educated at an English preparatory school, a Scottish public school and the Royal Navy College at Dartmouth, he made his home with his uncle, none other than Admiral Viscount Louis Mountbatten. He had a good war record with the British navy in the Mediterranean and the Pacific.

He speaks flawless English. The match is well enough made, it seems.

But there remain those British troops in Greece. Summed up in four-syllable words by the New York Times, here is the problem:

"Because of the troubled situation in Greece it was thought that the present was an inauspicious time for the announcement (of the betrothal) lest it provide a new reason for criticism of the government's policy of keeping British troops in Greece."

Britain's leftists are reported already in full cry. They did not like the return of King George to Greece. They do not like British troops there.

They fear a marriage between Elizabeth and Philip will commit Britain even more thoroughly to the continued sponsorship of a rightist-monarchist regime in Greece.

Some sentiment is against Philip because he is not British, despite his German blood and flawless English diction. Opines columnist Tom Driberg, a leftist member of parliament:

"It might be different if the poor girl had not been so carefully sheltered from contact with ordinary working-class and middle-class people."

Regardless of home-isle sentiment and international complication, it seems certain now to be the old story of boy gets girl. He gets her, that is, when King George VI has signified his consent under the Royal Marriage Act and the prime minister and privy councilors have been consulted on the desirability of such a marriage.

A wealthy alumnus gave a college 1000 volumes of humor. And with so many freshmen on the campus, too.

A railroad crossing flagman in Ohio quit his job to become an undertaker. Our guess is that he got his inspiration from careless people.

Careless people have no license to hunt even if they've bought one.

Too many people think that what's worth having is worth going after—after a while.

"Kinda Rushin' the Season, Ain't Yuh, Son?"



Navy Plans 19-Mile Ascent To Add To Information On Cosmic Rays

INYO KERN, CALIF. —(AP)—An ascent of almost 19 miles into the stratosphere is planned for 1947 at the Naval Ordnance Testing Station here.

The 100,000-foot climb, to be at-

tempted via special balloons carrying natural scientists and their complicated instruments, will be in search of new discoveries on cosmic rays, which contain particles with 5,000,000 times as much energy as those in the atomic bomb.

New kinds of particles, different from the protons, neutrons, electrons and other things familiar to atom smashers, are sought. Natural scientists are particularly interested in the mesotron, a powerful but short-lived component of rays found at present research levels and a product of nuclear disintegration of a type never achieved by scientists.

If successful the newest invasion of the stratosphere will leave far behind the previous ascension record of 72,395 feet achieved by two U. S. Army balloonists in 1935.

The announcement was made in the course of a press inspection of a carefully-guarded laboratory here from which B-29 bombers are being utilized to capture evidence of the cosmic rays six miles above the earth.

Design for the stratosphere balloons already has been completed, and some now are undergoing tests.

member can move that he not be sworn, and again a simple majority vote is deciding.

After the oath-taking, new officers will be elected.

The House pattern is similar, but not identical.

Sergeant-at-Arms Kenneth Romney will call the House to order; and after the prayer a reading clerk will call the roll by states. All are members-elect, since there are no House holdovers.

The chairmen of the Republican and Democrat caucuses will then nominate their respective party's candidates for speaker, and the roll will be called in alphabetical order to elect a speaker.

Romney will announce the election of a new speaker—probably Rep. Martin (R-Mass)—who will select a senior member of his party to administer the oath to him. The speaker then will give the oath to the entire house.

House And Senate Have Old Ritual

By HOWARD DOBSON
WASHINGTON —(AP)—When the House and Senate of the 80th Congress convene January 3, each will follow ritual more than 150 years old.

It has changed only in minor details since the first congress met March 4, 1879, in New York.

Each house will be called to order by a Democratic employee who will be out of his job less than an hour later when Republican control is formally asserted.

This is the opening day schedule for the Senate:

The call to order will be by Secretary Leslie Biffle. He will preside because the senatorial term of the current presiding officer, Senator McKellar (D-Tenn), expires with the 79th Congress at the moment the 80th convenes. Thus for a few minutes, McKellar will be just another senator-elect.

Following the prayer, the Senate will receive the credentials of 32 men elected to full six-year terms and four more to complete terms expiring in 1949.

Challenges Can Be Made
This is the first point at which a new or re-elected member's right to his seat may be challenged. Any senator can move that the credentials of a senator-elect may not be accepted, or that they be accepted subject only to a vote later on seating him. A simple majority decides this motion.

Next comes the swearing in of new members, who are given the oath individually and in alphabetical order. This will be done by Biffle unless the Senate votes to have someone else do it.

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1947 Farm And Ranch Goals For State Set Near Wartime Levels

COLLEGE STATION —(AP)—The Texas USDA Council has set 1947 farm and ranch production goals for the state at or near wartime levels.

Goals for the various crops as suggested by the U. S. Department of agriculture were changed in several cases to fit Texas conditions. B. F. Vance, chairman of the council and State Director of the Production Marketing Administration, said the high levels were necessary because of:

1. Strong domestic demand.
2. Critical shortages of food in many foreign countries.
3. The need to build up reserves of many commodities.
4. Allowance for possible poor growing conditions and low yields.

Based On Requirements
The goals were based on estimated requirements for food and fiber.

USDA Secretary Anderson, in a message to the Texas council, pointed out that unlimited demand no longer exists for all farm commodities and that farmers could easily over-produce some crops, such as potatoes and peanuts, if the goals were exceeded.

He added that he realized that the acreage in cash crops suggested by the goals is larger than desirable for proper use and conservation of the soil and asked the council to check closely on the relation to good land use, even though the need may justify a request for increased acreage of soil-depleting crops, as in the case of cotton.

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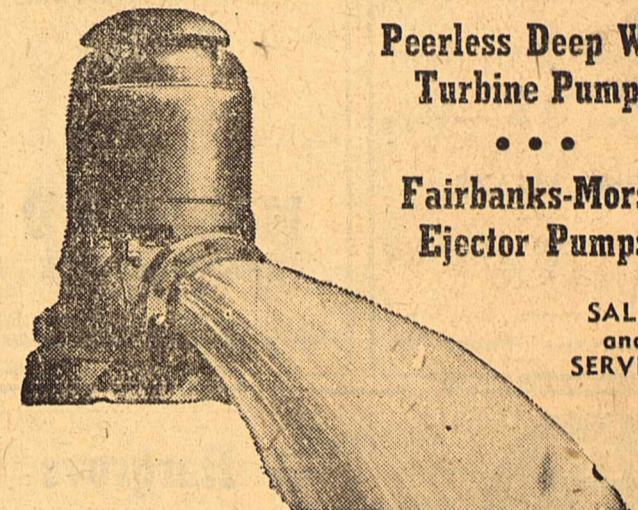
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But, each succeeding year found your increased demand running far ahead of our expanded facilities. Thus, Budweiser had to be rationed to dealers, each year for several years before wartime shortages introduced

rationing of many products to the country at large. In spite of the fact that grain quotas have been largely restored, Budweiser still is being rationed, because your demand still exceeds the production of our present vast facilities.

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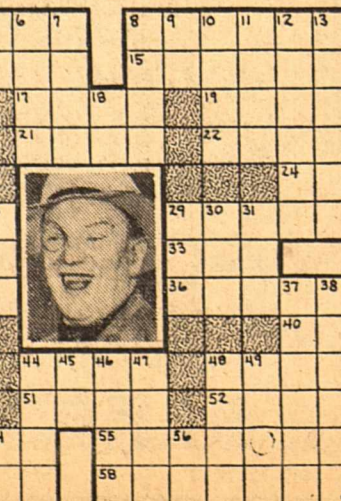
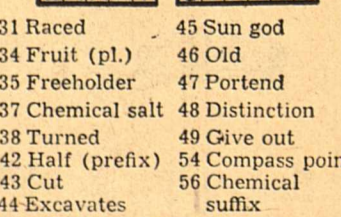
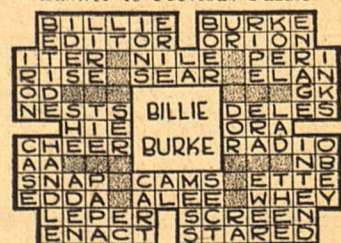
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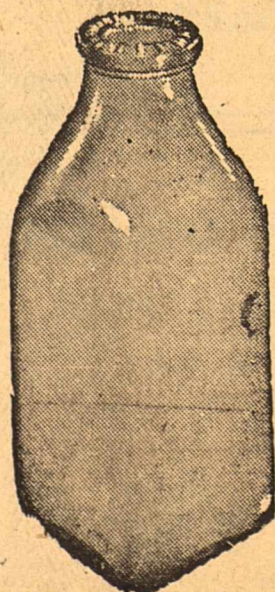
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Tommie's Says Winter Best Time To Recondition Motors For Summer Use

Tommie's Electrical Shop, 207 South Pecos Street, thanks its customers for their patronage during 1946 and looks forward to 1947 when more parts and equipment will be available to make the New Year even a greater year of service.

Tommie Thompson, owner, pointed out that the beginning of the new year is the time to have air-conditioning and refrigeration equipment put in tip-top repair for the summer months.

Repairing the electrical motors of air-conditioners and refrigerators in the winter often saves a major breakdown in the summer when the equipment is sorely needed, Tommie said.

He pointed out that the obtaining of new motors is still an uncertainty, but that he will sell and install them when they become available. He pointed out, however, that citizens probably will have to count on using their present equipment most of the year. Strikes

have held up the production of new motors and motor parts, he pointed out.

Repairs Anything Electrical
Tommie prides himself on being able to repair any type of electrical equipment—electric irons, electric fans, electric motors. If parts are not available Tommie makes them. The shop lives up to its motto: "If it's electrical, we do it."

The firm also does both electrical and acetylene welding, and is the authorized dealer for Stewart-Warner South Wind car heaters.

Tommie's daughter, Betty Jean Thompson, a senior in Midland High School, is an apprentice in the shop. "She's really learning the business and is an expert on rewinding motors," Tommie said. "She's a lot of help too on small repair jobs."

She dons coveralls, pitches in to help her father after school, during holidays, and on Saturdays.

Midland Steam Laundry Wishes Customers And Friends Happy 1947

Midland Steam Laundry at 605 South Marienfield Street thanks its many customers and friends for their continued patronage during 1946. The owners, Bill Davis and Chad Gravette, wish them all a happy and prosperous New Year.

Midland Steam Laundry was the first steam laundry in the city. Its motto is "First and Best." It has given many years of service in Midland, the last two and a half years under the ownership of Davis and Gravette, both experienced laundry men.

The firm offers the various laundry services, including a diaper service. This fast service will have diapers turned in at 9 a.m. out by 5:30 p.m.

Pickup and delivery service is maintained in the city. Customers' bundles are given immediate attention on arrival and are safeguarded in handling and delivering.

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The so called "sonic barrier" is the result of shock waves in the air produced when an airplane or projectile approaches the speed of sound.

Palace Drug Enjoys Year Of Growth



The Palace Drug Store, 108 South Main Street, experienced one of its greatest years of growth and development during 1946. J. B. McCoy, owner, announced. The home-owned store has complete drug, cosmetic, fountain and jewelry departments; and plans further expansion in 1947. McCoy thanks his friends and customers for their patronage and wishes them a Happy New Year.

Palace Drug Has Greatest Year Of Growth In 1946

J. B. McCoy, owner of the Palace Drug, 108 South Main Street, said 1946 has seen the greatest growth of this home-owned drug store, and he thanks his friends

and customers for their patronage during the year.

He is looking forward to an even greater year in 1947 when merchandise which has been scarce during 1946 should become available.

The Palace Drug is known for its friendliness, and the owner and clerks do everything possible to make visitors and customers feel at home. A big variety of merchandise is available.

Jewelry Department Grows
A licensed prescription clerk is on duty during store hours, and

prescriptions are filled exactly as the doctor intended.

The jewelry department has grown by leaps and bounds during the year. Dr. T. J. Imman does expert watch repair and fits glasses for customers in an office at the back of the store.

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The entire personnel wishes friends, customers, and visitors a prosperous and happy New Year.

Record Farm Income From Marketing Is Predicted

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Agriculture Department economists predicted recently this year's farm income from marketings will set a new record.

Latest surveys indicate, they said, a farm income for the first 11 months of \$21,600,000,000, or 14 per cent more than in the same period last year.

The total 1945 income from marketings was \$21,522,000,000.

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Dodson bought the firm from H. C. Watson on December 5, and has added a new Checker-made cab to the fleet. The firm now operates six cabs in 24-hour-a-day service.

The new owner said the firm is looking forward to further expansion and growth during the coming year.

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Gather Ye Rosebuds

By JEANNETTE COVERT NOLAN

THE STORY: The Major is having no trouble selling his stock certificates and he is out on his drummer's route when Dixon Thayer comes to town. Dixon tells Miss Amy that he seeks the Major's approval before proposing to Rose.

XXII
ROSE was standing in River Park, a blistering noontide sun shining upon her and upon Richard Breen—just standing there; and the narrow path between them was wide as the Grand Canyon. She was saying something which she had known for weeks must be said.

"It can't be like this, Rick. It can't. Because this isn't enough." "I'm willing to grant you it isn't enough, Rose." His lips smiled, but not his eyes. "But it's the best I can do. So here we are, chewing the rag as usual." He got out his watch, looked at it. "My train leaves at twelve-thirty."
"If you just didn't have to go to Chicago, if we could ever discuss it all, every bit, without being angry..."
"Well, I do have to go. Why don't you do with me, honey?" "You're joking, of course."
"Think so?" He reached for her hands.
"Not... It isn't enough," she said, "because of the kind of person I am. Some girls might not mind meeting you day after day at Lahr's, skulking off into the park or any hidden spot we can think of. Some girls..."
"Some girls would be tickled to death to meet me anywhere. There are plenty of girls, honey."
"Oh, yes! And I suppose you were with one of them yesterday and Monday and Saturday of last week—while I worried!"
"Jealous, aren't you?"
She winced. She hadn't meant to say that, about the worrying. But she wouldn't retract.
"GOD deliver me from a jealous woman!" he exclaimed, and

kicked at the loose gravel on the path.
"Rick, why can't you come to my house? Why won't you?"
"You told me your mother would have a calf."
"Oh, what a horrible thing to say! Don't—don't talk like that!"
"Like what? I'm only repeating—" "No, you're not! I never said my mother would—would have a calf. Never!" She stopped; this was the merest bickering, fault-finding, nagging. What difference did words make now? She loved him; she loved him not to try to reform him.
"Please, Rick, if you will come to my house, I'll think of something to explain how we got acquainted, and then everything will be so much better. It's the strain, the hiding, that makes me so cross. I just can't be myself."
He shook his blond hair. "I'm not going to your house, honey. That's out—gone."
She was silent, mourning for the little hope, which was out.
He looked at his watch again, frowning. "Almost train-time. I've got to beat it."
"Rick!"
"Yes?"
She blushed. "You do still love me?"
"Oh, you crazy little kid!" The frown vanished, he stepped forward and caught her in his arms, holding her close. He kissed her until she was breathless, leaning weakly against him. "There! You think I don't love you?"
"Rick, darling!" She might protest the tumultuous embrace, but she was encouraged by it, her darkest presentiments assuaged. "I just feel that I can't let you go away from me—"
"You've got to, honey." He stroked her hair. "But I'll be back Sunday. I'll see you then."
"Sunday afternoon?"
"Yes. Right here."
"You wouldn't fail me, Rick?"

"Oh, Lord, no! Don't start that." "I won't. Really, I won't," she said contritely. "I'll be waiting."
He went striding, swaggering a little, along the path, turning once to wave his hand. Her eyes followed him to the street. She sighed and began to walk homeward.

She would probably never know why she swung down the street which passed the St. George Hotel; it was not the shortest way home; she had never gone that way before. But there she was presently, approaching the marquee-sheltered entrance—stopping.
She saw him—and the girl. Their backs were toward her, they were sauntering in the same direction, slowly, as if the hotel was their destination. The girl had on a green linen suit and a hat with daisies; her hand was tucked in his; their shoulders touched; he was bending down intimately, as if to whisper to her.

Rose faced about, stopped again, feeling sick and faint and that she hadn't the strength to put one foot before the other. But, of course, she had to get home, crawl off and lick her wounds. She couldn't just languish here on the pavement, in the glaring sun. Her eyes misty with tears, she groped forward...

Oh, Rick!... She toiled up to the porch and opened the screen door and heard voices, Mamma's and someone else's. She glanced into the parlor. It was Dixon Thayer. Dixon in shirt-sleeves, rubbing a dust-cloth over the keys of the piano! She laughed hysterically, and Dixon and Mamma turned and looked at her.
"Well, Rose?" Mamma said. "We have a guest. A very nice guest."
Then Mamma murmured something about dinner and went out of the room; and Rose and Dixon were staring at each other.
"Rose, I came. Are you sorry?"
No, she wasn't sorry. How big and solid he was; you would never have to be afraid of anything with Dixon.
"I'm glad," she said. "I'm glad!"
(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority
(Written for NEA Service)

The All-American Tournament was really an "All-American" this year. The Masters individual and open pair championships were won by Cincinnati, the men's pairs by Chicago, the mixed pairs by Pittsburgh and Detroit, and the team-of-four event by Louisville, Ky. The winning team consisted of Leonard Goren, Mary O'Brien, Joseph J. Kaplan and R. C. Carter, and it is interesting to note that all four bear names already famous in bridge. Their namesakes are the famous Charles H. Goren of Philadelphia, Maureen O'Brien (now Maureen Bailey) of San Francisco, the colorful Life Master Fred Kaplan of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. David Carter of Kansas City.

Their bidding and play on today's hand helped the Louisville team to win the match and title. East correctly doubled South's one-heart bid, and when his partner bid one spade, East had a choice of bidding either one or two no trump. He bid two no trump, but he might easily have gone overboard on the hand, and certainly, if his partner held any of the missing strength, he would show it over one no trump.

Charles Goren himself could not have used finer judgment in the play than Leonard did. North won the opening heart lead and shifted to a diamond, which was won in and North played low. Now Leonard reasoned that if North had held the king of spades and ace of hearts, he would not have passed South's opening heart bid. East did not expect to capture the singleton king, but he wanted to assure himself of the maximum number of tricks. Confident that the finesse would fail, he went up with the ace of spades. When the king dropped, he cashed three rounds of diamonds and the queen of spades, then led the deuce of spades to dummy. A small club was led and the jack finessed. South won and was forced to lead either a heart or club, giving Leonard eight tricks for a win on that board.

When the board was played against the Louisville team, East found himself in a three-no-trump contract, and he incorrectly took the spade finesse.

He said his twenty-seventh annual survey of 668 universities for "School and Society," a weekly educational publication, showed total enrollment of 1,718,862 students, including 714,477 war veterans. In addition, he added reports from other sources showed another 350,000, including 150,000 veterans, enrolled in 650 junior colleges and other thousands "in several hundred institutions not on the 'School and Society' list which would bring the national total to well over 2,000,000, of which slightly over half are veterans.

Read the Classifieds for Results

2,000,000 Enrolled In Nation's Colleges

CINCINNATI—(AP)—The year 1946 draws to a close with "well over 2,000,000" young men and women enrolled in the nation's schools of higher learning, reports Dr. Raymond Walters, president of the University of Cincinnati.

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British Bar Brooke's Return To Sarawak

SINGAPORE — (AP) — The British Government in Sarawak has announced that Anthony Brooke, former crown prince and pretender to the throne, has been prohibited from entering Sarawak to "insure the present peaceful state of the country."
The official statement from Kuching said Anthony Brooke "openly and frequently expressed the intention of changing the form of government and restoring the Brooke regime" and that he was barred to "protect the people against the danger of disorder."

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DONT' QUOTE ME TILL I GET MY SMOKED GLASSES!
IT LOOKS LIKE SOMEBODY TRIED TO GET EVEN WITH YOU MAMSE YOU TRIED ONE OF YOUR JOKES ON A GUY WHO NEVER FORGETS AN INSULT!
EGAD PIKE! I'VE SEEN MATERIAL LIKE THAT BEFORE, BUT NEVER OFF A HORSE—KYUK-KYUK!
LISTEN—TH' OL' MAN AN' ME WENT WITHOUT LOTS TO PUT YOU THRU COLLEGE, AN' YOU FALL FER A SIMPLETON SHOP GAG-- DROP THAT CAN AN' BEAT IT BEFORE I GIT NASTY!
WE PUT TH' NEW GLYU UP TO ROWDERS! TH' BRASS BUGS--AN' THAT MUG'S SPOILIN' TH' FUN!
THAT'S HIS BROTHER-- HE GOT SO LITTLE EDUCATION THAT HE THINKS A COLLEGE SHOULD TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING!
EVEN GLADSTONE CAN'T TAKE IT -- 12-27

THE FAMILY HOPE 12-27 J.R. WILLIAMS

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By EDGAR MARTIN

OH, THE CHILDREN SHOULDN'T OUGHT TO HAVE SUCH FINE CHRISTMAS BOXES! MY MUMMY! SO MANY PRETTY THINGS!
YEP! THEY'RE GONNA SPOIL ME! IF WE AIN'T CAREFUL!
TAKE THESE CIGARS, FROM ME TO YOU! I BETCHA THAT BOY DIDN'T HAVE NOthin' TO DO WITH PICKIN' THESE OUT!

I'M PLUMS WORRIED ABOUT TH' NEW BOOTS! I'M BEINGIN' 'IM UP 'IN TOWN! HE'S GETTIN' SOFT, MA!
TRY TO CALM YOURSELF, COUNTRESS! WE'LL DO ALL WE CAN. LET'S SEE... IF IT WAS OUT OF YOUR NAME TEMPORARILY...

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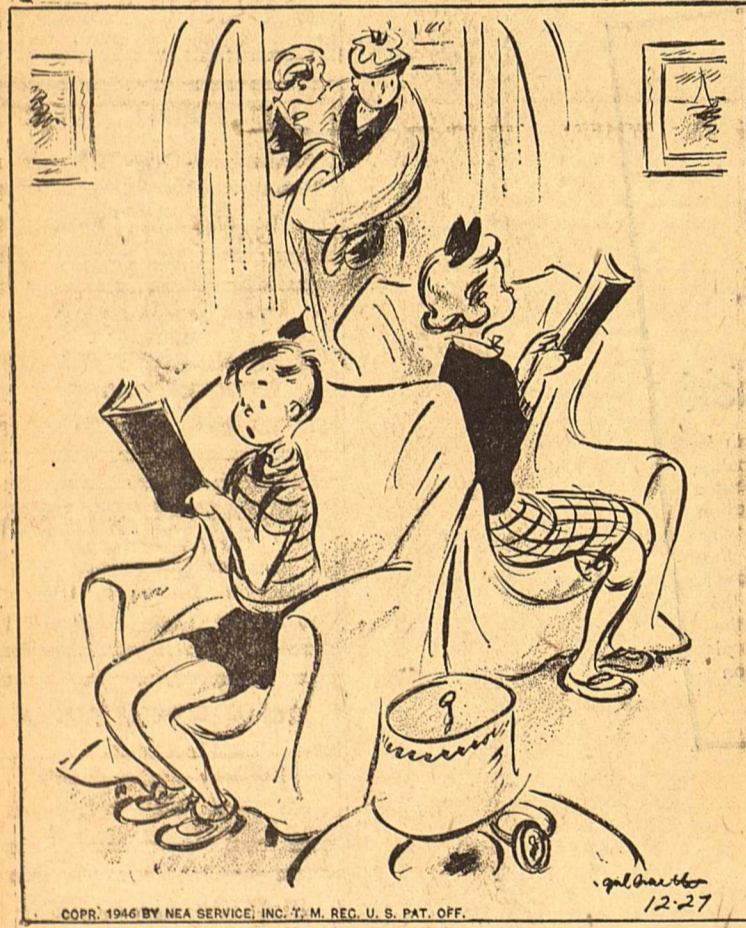
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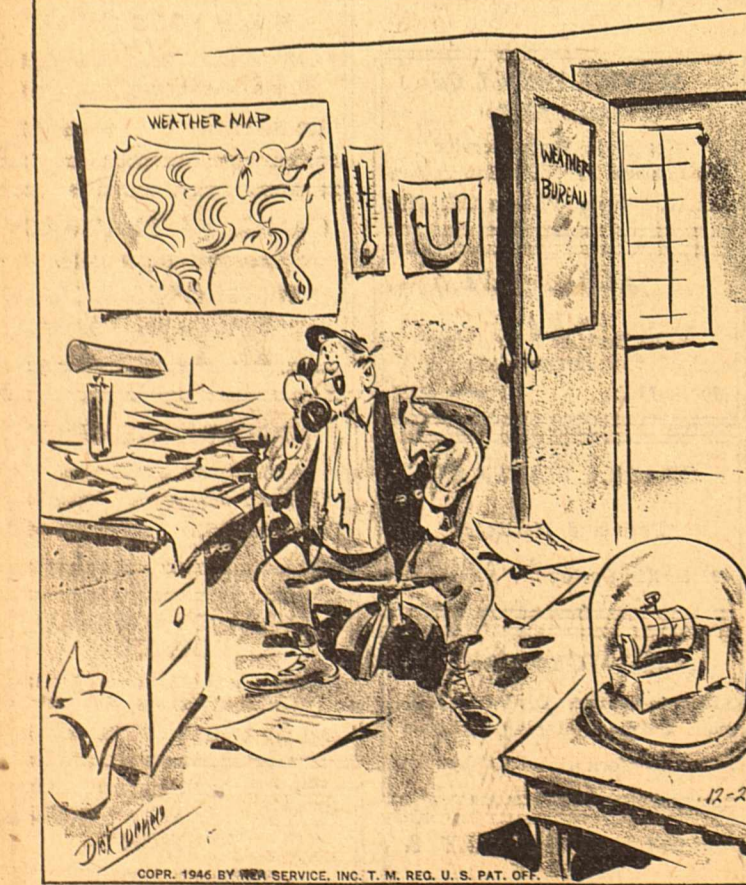
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SHE'D SAVED SOME MONEY BY CONCERNING IT FROM THIS FORTUNE HUNTING WRETCH.
BUT THEES HOUSE I CANNOT HIDE, WHEN HE ARRIVE THERE IN TWO DAYS! OH, WHY DEED I BUY EET TEEL AFTER DIVORCE?
THEN YOU THINK HE'LL DEMAND THE PROPERTY OR CONTEST YOUR SUIT?
I KNOW HE WEEEL! OH, PLEASE, YOU GENTLEMENS MUS' HELP ME GAVE MY HOUSE ON GOSGAMER TERRACE!
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ALLEY OOP —By V. T. HAMLIN

AHH! THEES IS UNEXPECTED PLEASURE! I THEENK I TAKE YONG LADY, TOO!
HERE, FATSO, CATCH!
HEY, PETE, LOOKOUT!
FUNNY STUFF, EH? SON OF PEEG, I KEEL YOU!
CRASH!

CRASH!

RED RYDER —By FRED HARMAN

NO, SON, I AINT SEEN A CALF NAMED KICKIN' BULL!
WELL IF THE CALF'S HEREABOUT, MAYBE PANGCH'S SEEN IT--HE DELIVER SUPPLIES TO ALL THE RANCHES AND HOMESTEADS.
WHO IS PANGCH?
THERE'S PANGCH!
PLEASE, GALAPAGOS! DO NOT NOW!

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VIC FLINT —By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

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When the bells ring out this New Year's morning, proclaiming the birth of another year, many will look back upon their past lives with dissatisfaction or regret, and will resolve to mend their ways and make a better record during the year that lies ahead.

Many of these good resolutions may soon be forgotten; others, doubtless, will be faithfully kept. But the habit of looking back and appraising the past, and the impulse to make our lives better each year, bespeak character that is fundamentally sound.

A resolution which every person should make this New Year's Day is the resolution to place greater stress on the spiritual elements in life during the coming year than they have done in the past. For spiritual values are the highest and most enduring values in human life.

The Church can be of great help to those who seek to enlarge their spiritual outlook and enjoy the happiness and rich blessings of a living faith. This is the message of the New Year bells, as they call us to the House of God and the paths of eternal peace.

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