

Here are your 1947 Midland High School Bulldogs. (Left to right.) Front row (seated)—Pearl Ward, John Richardson, Richard Clarke, Arlie Leftwich, Doyle Roberts, Jack Hightower, Moe Price, Al German, Charles Ruckman; second row (kneeling)—Dee Bivens, Ed Prichard, Larry Buckensham, Don Hamblet, R. A. Whitson, Joe Ed Filler, B. H. Spaw, Bill Little, Dunny Goode, Lloyd Henderson, Larry Messersmith; back row (standing)—Head Coach Jack Mashburn, Dan Branham, Charles Moncrief, Ken Goode, John Morrow, Billy Velvin, Fred Dunn, Oscar Cooper, Frank Roberson, Don Deel, Dave Hyatt, Line Coach Aubrey Gill, Head Coach Barnes Milam.

## Texas IL Bans Girl Gridders

AUSTIN —(AP)— Frankie Groves' football career—that is, as a member of a boy's team—was very brief. It lasted nine minutes, to be exact.

Frankie is the 16-year-old girl who captured the nation's headlines by playing tackle for Stinnett High School against Groom November 14.

But the Texas Interscholastic League stepped in Wednesday. It announced that "a prohibition against girls playing in any of these rougher sports" will be incorporated in the rules before the next football season.

It also found Frankie was ineligible to play in the first place since she didn't fill out an eligibility blank.

**Publicity Stunt**  
Roy Bedichek, director of the league, indicated the State Executive Committee believed Frankie was the victim of a publicity stunt.

This was denied by Coach Truman Johnson of Stinnett High, who said: "Frankie Groves' football playing was not a publicity stunt; it was serious business. The Interscholastic League is mistaken."

Then Frankie dispatched a telegram to the league, saying: "Gentlemen, I make a plea for the girl footballers of Texas. We want to continue to play."

But the league was adamant. It was indicated that there would already have been a rule against a girl playing football with an interscholastic League team if the league had thought any girl would ever want to play.

**Gets Fan Letters**  
Frankie still gets four to five fan letters a day over her gridiron exploits. She received a football pin Wednesday from a boy footballer at Franklin High School, New York.

It all started one day when Johnson, watching Frankie in a practice game with the boys, noted her vicious tackling and remarked: "Don't tackle my players so hard; you might hurt them." Then he added: "I wish I had you on my team."

So Frankie asked for a uniform. There was no rule against her playing and her parents didn't object, so Frankie got into the final game of the season against Groom. The biggest crowd ever to see a game in Stinnett turned out. Frankie did all right, too.

The result was that three other girls announced they would be candidates for the team next fall.

**Midland Will Play In H-SU Cage Tourney**

ABILENE —(AP)— The Hardin-Simmons University invitational basketball tournament will be held here December 12 and 13 with eight high schools competing.

They are: Polytechnic of Fort Worth, Plainview, Midland, Lamesa, San Angelo, Throckmorton, Abilene and Sweetwater.

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# Sports

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## Texas Schoolboy Football Title Race Opens Friday

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
Associated Press Sports Editor

The battle for the Texas schoolboy football championship opens Friday with Corsicana and Breckenridge, schools that have tasted title glory, swinging into the first of eight games that will cut the race to the quarter-final round.

Two more contests will be played Friday night with five Saturday afternoon. Unbeaten teams will figure in five of the games; in fact, since elevens with undefeated records do not meet each other in any instance, there is a chance that the first round of the play-off will wipe away all of the teams with unsullied marks. That chance is not strong, however.

More than 110,000 fans are due to witness the eight games with the largest outpouring at Port Worth, where 20,000 are expected to watch unbeaten but five-times-tied Forest of Dallas clash with Arlington Heights.

Here is the schedule:  
**Friday—Breckenridge at Corsicana, 2:30 p. m.; Forest (Dallas) vs Arlington Heights at Fort Worth, 8 p. m.; Lamar (Houston) at Goose Creek, 8 p. m.**

**Saturday—Odessa at Austin (El Paso), 2 p. m. (Mountain Time); Lufkin at Longview, 2 p. m.; Breckenridge (San Antonio) at Harlingen, 2 p. m.; Amarillo at Wichita Falls, 2:30 p. m.; Paris at Highland Park (Dallas), 2:30 p. m.**

Corsicana won the state championship in 1932, besting Masonic Home of Fort Worth on penetrations in a scoreless tie. Breckenridge and Port Arthur fought to a championship deadlock in 1929. However, neither Breckenridge nor Corsicana appears of title caliber this year. Both have been defeated. The result is regarded as a toss-up.

Arlington Heights carries a record of eight victories and one loss against Forest with its mark of four wins and five ties. Arlington Heights will be a heavy favorite to win.

**Favorites Have Breathers**  
Goose Creek, unbeaten but once tied, will be picked over a Lamar eleven that lost to Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) and Lufkin and was tied by John Reagan (Houston).

Mighty Odessa, defending state champion, will be selected to beat Austin with comparative ease as

## Salad Bowl Football Mixup Settled When Nevada Accepts Game

RENO, NEV. —(AP)— The Salad Bowl football game at Phoenix, Ariz., New Year's Day assumed the stature of a "grudge battle" Thursday as the University of Nevada, after scoring the Texans as unworthy opponents, reconsidered and agreed to meet the North Texas State Teacher's of Denton, Texas.

Coach Joe Sheetkotski of the Wolfpack announced to the team Wednesday night decided "virtually unanimously" to play the Texans. The decision was backed to the players after the Board of Athletic Control had rejected the bid because North Texas was not a "name" school.

North Texas is a college with a student body of approximately 5,000, while Nevada's enrollment is less than 2,000.

Sheetkotski indicated the mix-up was due primarily to disappointment felt by Nevadans when North Texas was announced as their opponent after the Wolfpack had agreed to play a nationally known team in the Salad Bowl.

Informed of Nevada's decision, Coach Odus Mitchell of North Texas State commented: "We are glad to play them. We want to show them we are good enough for them."

North Texas' only defeat in the regular season was 12-0 at the hands of Arkansas. Nevada's two defeats were to University of San Francisco, 13 to 37, and Detroit University, 6 to 38.

## Texas Schoolboy Setup Reshuffled For 1948 Season

AUSTIN —(AP)— The Interscholastic League will have four conferences instead of three next year, and class AA will have 14 districts and a system of byes for bi-district playoffs.

These were the conclusions reached Wednesday by the league's state executive committee.

The league added a new conference with establishment of a four-city group. All league events except music will be placed on a four-conference basis—city, AA, A and B.

Dallas and Fort Worth high school city champions will hold a Northern semi-final, and Houston and San Antonio a Southern semi-final. The two winners will then tangle to decide the state championship of the city conference.

Bedichek said Districts 1-AA through 10-AA will probably remain the same. Class AA will have only 14 districts, with the last four considerably re-grouped.

Winners in Districts 1-AA in the Southern bracket and 8-AA in the Northern bracket will receive byes at the bi-district playoff level in 1948, and consecutive district numbers will draw byes in following years, the executive committee decided.

Bedichek indicated the system of byes probably will not remain in effect very long. An increasing number of schools will qualify for AA competition on a basis of scholastic enrollment within the next few years, and a 16-district conference will be re-established when feasible, he said.

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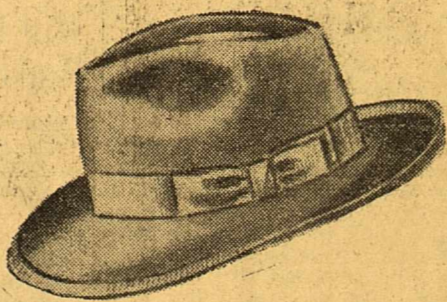
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**Spirited Bidding Expected At University Lease Sale**

Spirited bidding by a large number of oil companies and oil operators is expected at the auction sale of oil and gas leases to be held Friday in Austin by the Board for Lease of the University of Texas Lands. The sale will start at 10 a. m. in the Stephen F. Austin Hotel.

Wildcat drilling blocks in Irion, Crockett, Reagan and Crane Counties will be offered. Buyers of the Irion and Crockett blocks will assume obligations to drill wildcats to the Ellenburger in the near future. The Reagan and Crane County spreads are to have Permian prospectors drilled—if those tracts are sold at the auction.

Scattered leases in Andrews, Pecos and Ward Counties will also be offered at the Friday sale. **9,600-Foot Test Due**  
Drilling to 9,600 feet or to production at a lesser depth or sulphur water in the Ellenburger will be required of the purchaser of the Southwest Irion County block of 2,594.8 acres. The block is listed as Tract 68, adjoins the town of Barnhart on the south, begins one mile north of Texaco No. 1-U University, an Ellenburger failure drilled to 9,197 feet in section 22, block 14, University survey, and is nine miles southeast of the Barnhart (Ellenburger) field.

The block consists of section 3, 4, 9 and 10 in block 40. The minimum consideration that will be accepted will be a cash bonus of \$10,000 plus one per cent.

**10,000 In Crockett**  
The North-Central Crockett County block of 2,444.1 acres, offered as Tract 61, will require the same minimum cash bonus and the drilling of a 10,000-foot wildcat unless production is obtained or sulphur water is struck in the Ellenburger at a lesser depth. This block is about seven miles northeast of the Todd Deep field, which has both crinoidal and Ellenburger production, and consists of the south half of section 10, the southwest quarter and the east half of section 11 and the southeast and northeast quarters of section 8, all in block 51.

An obligation to drill 3,300 feet or to production shallower or to sulphur water in the San Andres at a lesser depth will be assumed by the purchaser of a block of 1,599 acres in north central Crockett County, extending north into Reagan County. The block is 3 1/2 miles northwest of the World field and on a trend between it and the Big Lake field. The block is listed as Tract 55 and comprises the east half of section 28, the south half of section 27, the south half of section 26, the north half of section 33, and the north half of section 32, all in block 7. The minimum cash bonus will be \$3,500.

**4,200 Feet In Crane**  
The drilling block in Northeast Crane County, containing 2,560 acres and listed as Tract 43, requires exploration to 4,200 feet or production at a lesser depth or sulphur water in the Grayburg shallower. It is three miles east of the Dune pool and four miles south and east of the Church & Fields sector of the McElroy field. The block consists of sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 in block 30. The minimum cash bonus that will be accepted is \$5,000.

**McCamey News**

MCCAMEY — Christmas lights have been strung in the downtown district by the West Texas Utilities Company, under the sponsorship of the McCamey Lions Club. The lights were turned on Monday night to welcome in the holiday season. A committee from the Lions Club, with Newton Key as chairman, will contact all McCamey business men for contributions to pay for wire, lamp bulbs, materials and electricity.

McCamey residents spending Thanksgiving holidays in Sheffield were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Locklin and sons, who visited in the Will Smith home; and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Guber and children, Yvonne, Darlene and Dwight, who visited in the home of Mrs. Guber's brother, and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Fikes. Mrs. Guber's father, O. Fikes, accompanied them to McCamey for a visit. Miss Iantha Sandel visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandel.

G. J. Tompkins and family spent the holidays in Hobbs, N. M., with relatives. Mrs. H. B. Eudaly of Grandfalls has received an appointment as a grand officer of the Order of Eastern Star, the appointment being made by the worthy grand matron of Texas.

Mrs. Eudaly, who is well-known in McCamey, will serve as deputy grand matron of Section 9, which comprises twelve chapters, including Alpine, Marfa, Jeff Davis, Fort Stockton, Iraan, Imperial, Toyah, Pecos, Barstow, Kermit, Monahans and Grandfalls.

She has been an active worker in many other organizations. She has been an active member of the Parent-Teachers Association 20 years and was presented a life membership by the Grandfalls association last year.

Serving as president of Sorosis, clubs, is another accomplishment made by Mrs. Eudaly.

A charter member of the Home Demonstration club, Mrs. Eudaly has served as president of the club two years, and is serving her second year as state vice president of the Texas Home Demonstration Association for district six, which includes 33 counties with 18 of them active in home demonstration work. She is also serving on the state committee on constitution and by-laws. She also is active in Red Cross and church work.

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**Confused Star Keeps Veteran Crew Amused**

HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — Henry Morgan's newness to motion pictures is keeping the veteran crew of "So This Is New York" in a continual state of amusement.

Morgan finds himself confused by all the apparatus used in picture making. When the director tried to get a shot in which Morgan was supposed to look directly into the camera lens, it required five "takes" to get the effect. Morgan looked everywhere but at the lens. His gaze went to a spotlight, the microphone, or the camera finder. Finally he had to confess: "I don't know what lens you mean. I thought all these gadgets takes pictures."

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**Midlander Returns From Wisconsin Trip**

B. M. Hays of Ace Motors returned recently from a week of intensive schooling for service managers at the Nash factory in Milwaukee, Wis., where men from over the nation learn latest techniques of maintaining and repairing Nash cars. He attended the school with other service managers of the Dallas Zone.

In addition to learning most up-to-date methods of servicing the Nash, he saw how the automobile is built in the factory, rode over the factory proving grounds, and otherwise observed every phase of the car's construction and testing. He enjoyed the trip, he reported on returning to Midland, but he

**East Texan Is Champ Nail Driver Of World**

LUFKIN — (AP) — East Texas claims the world's champ nail driver. He's Walter Morris of Lufkin, who pounded 1,200 six-penny nails in 19 minutes. Runner-up William Taylor handled 700 nails in the same time.

Taylor, former champion, wants his crown back and has challenged Morris to a return match in Baltimore.

found the snow and cold weather an uncomfortable contrast to West Texas weather. Hays returned in a 1948-model Nash which is on display at Ace Motors.

**Goat May Be Kidding, But Poundmaster Isn't**

SACRAMENTO, CALIF. — (AP) — The dog catcher got a goat in his net and now wishes he hadn't. "I just got to find the owner," wailed Poundmaster George Martin. "This goat is going to be a mother pretty soon. She may be kidding, but I'm not."

**Woman, 101, Longs For Dancing Days At 90**

SACRAMENTO — (AP) — Just one regret has Mrs. Ellen A. Murray on her birthday—she no longer can dance. She is 101. "Until I was 90," she mused, "I went to dances three times a week. I was no wallflower either."

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By GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Staff Writer

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**Potatoes and Sausages With Tomato Sauce**  
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Four tablespoons butter or fortified margarine, 5 tablespoons flour,

2 1/2 cups tomato juice, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 1/4 cup chopped green pepper, 1/4 cup chopped onion, 6 cups cooked diced potatoes, 8 sausages, 2 parsley sprigs.

Blend melted butter or margarine and flour in saucepan. Add tomato juice and cook until mixture is thick and no starchy taste remains about 15 minutes. Stir in salt, Worcestershire sauce, green pepper and onion. Continue simmering tomato sauce for three minutes. Place potatoes in heat-resistant glass eight-inch square cake dish. Pour tomato sauce over potatoes. Arrange sausages on top of potatoes. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 35 minutes. For serving, garnish with parsley.

### Budget Chicken Pie (Serves 5)

One and one-half cups diced cooked chicken, 1 1/2 cups diced cooked potatoes, 1/2 cup diced cooked carrots, 2 tablespoons minced onion, 1 1/2 cups medium white sauce, salt pepper. Plain pastry using 1 1/2 cups flour.

Combine chicken, potatoes, carrots, onion and sauce. Season well to taste. Pour into a shallow casserole. Meanwhile roll out pastry to fit dish, making it slightly larger. Make cutouts as desired. Cover dish with pastry, pressing it firmly to the edges. Bake in a hot oven (425 degrees F.) until the pastry is well browned and vegetable mixture is bubbly, about 25 minutes.

### Big Toes May Have Helped Judge Decide

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Superior Judge Leo Freund, who inspected the big toes of a man and boy in his courtroom, has decided the man is the father of the boy.

Miss Mildred Goldberg, 40, sued to establish paternity of her son and asked the court to observe what she termed were similarities in formation of the big toes of Edward W. Pollinger, 39, a market operator, and the boy, Matthew, 7. Judge Freund didn't say whether he considered the big toes in making his finding, but he did declare Pollinger the father and ordered him to pay \$40 a month for the boy's support.

### MONTANA WOMAN FINDS TAX EASY TO PAY

BUTTE, MONT. (AP)—A rural woman handed the county treasurer 17 cents in paying property tax for the first half of the year on a small parcel of unimproved farm land.

The second half payment will be easier, she said, because it will be only 16 cents.

## Newsman Gives Highlights On Export Control Talk

By JAMES MARLOW  
WASHINGTON (AP)—In Congress now there's a lot of talk, and there'll be more, on export controls.

What are they and what's behind the talk? Simply, the controls mean this: The government says only so much of this or that can be sent out of the United States, and it can say to what country.

In 1940, with war in Europe and some things getting scarcer here, Congress voted the government power to control exports.

**Power Renewed**  
Congress has renewed that power from time to time since then.

The law giving the government this power runs out Feb. 29, 1948.

President Truman has asked Congress to renew the control power so it won't end then. Why?

Because some important things, like grain and steel, are not too plentiful and other nations need them badly.

**Method of Control**  
Since there are not enough of the scarce goods to fill all needs, Truman wants the government to have power to say who gets what and how much.

The Commerce Department does the controlling and this is how: Not all exported items are controlled. About one in eight is. Al-

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Here are some of controlled items: Meat, fats and oils, grains, lumber, petroleum, and steel. Use steel as an example:

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tons to France. That would be 1,000,000 tons instead of the quota of 100,000.

In that case, the department might decide to limit each of the 1,000 exporters to 100 tons, so the total shipped would be 100,000 tons. (Actually it never divides up quotas equally among exporters that way.) Before an exporter can ship a controlled item overseas, he must get an export license from the department.

Four principal causes of death among pneumonia patients are respiratory failure, congestive heart failure, shock, and coma.

### Greeks To Radar In Britain

ATHENS (AP)—Within the next two months the Greek navy plans to send a maximum of 20 naval officers to study radar, gunnery, torpedo and electronics in Great Britain.

Capt. George L. Shane of Cornwall, N. Y., chief staff officer of Mission for Aid to Greece, says the applicants will be selected with the advice of the British naval mission.

The trainees will be dispatched to Great Britain rather than to the U. S., because most ships in the Greek fleet are British.

### Army Rations Candy In U. S. Zone Of Reich

FRANKFURT, GER.—(AP)—Candy bars and toilet soap, which have grown to rival cigarettes in Germany's black market, are being placed on the list of rationed items in the United States Army's post exchanges, the Army announces.

A box of 24 candy bars costing \$1.20 in the post exchange will often bring 400 German marks (\$40) in the black market, where sweets are scarce.

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<b>Edwards Coffee</b>	Rich blend. Drip, regular or pulverized grinds.	1-lb. can	<b>53c</b>
<b>Large Walnuts</b>	Diamond brand, No. 1. Check this big buy at Safeway.	1-lb. cello	<b>45c</b>
<b>Mixed Nuts</b>	Fine quality, new crop. Contain no peanuts. Buy today.	1-lb. cello	<b>49c</b>
<b>Enriched Flour</b>	Kitchen Craft brand. Milled for all home baking.	25-lb. bag	<b>2.35</b>

<b>CANNED FRUITS</b>			
Libby Peaches	Sliced or halves No. 2 1/2 can	30c	
Libby Pears	Halves No. 2 1/2 can	43c	
Pear Halves	Petite No. 2 1/2 can	37c	
Kadota Figs	Libby. In syrup No. 2 1/2 can	38c	
Red Sour Cherries	Honeybird pitted No. 2 can	29c	
<b>CANNED JUICES</b>			
Orange Juice	Libby fancy No. 2 can	14c	
Tomato Juice	Libby fancy 47-oz. can	25c	
<b>CANNED FISH</b>			
Fancy Tuna	Royal Pacific No. 1/2 can	42c	
Maine Sardines	In oil No. 1/2 can	14c	
Chum Salmon	Cold Cove Tall can	52c	

<b>CEREALS, RICE and BEANS</b>			
Corn Flakes	Kellogg 15-oz. pkg.	18c	
Quaker Oats	Quick or Regular 20-oz. box	16c	
Cream of Wheat	25-oz. pkg.	29c	
White Rice	Watermaid 5-lb. ctn.	52c	
Pinto Beans	In Kraft bag 5 lbs.	72c	
<b>SOAPS and BLEACH</b>			
Toilet Soap	Palmolive Regular bar	11c	
SuPurb Soap	Granulated 24-oz. pkg.	39c	
Dreft Detergent	9 1/2-oz. pkg.	36c	
Super Suds Soap	Granulated 21 1/2-oz. pkg.	41c	
White Magic Bleach	1/2-gallon bottle	25c	
<b>MARGARINE and BUTTER</b>			
Parkay Margarine	1-lb. ctn.	39c	
Butter	White Rock, quarters 1-lb. ctn.	69c	

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<b>CABBAGE</b>	Solid, green, heads.	Lb.	<b>8c</b>
<b>YOUNG CARROTS</b>	Tender, crisp. Tops are off.	Lb.	<b>12c</b>
<b>CAULIFLOWER</b>	White heads. Serve creamed.	Lb.	<b>19c</b>
<b>YELLOW ONIONS</b>	Nice for seasoning.	Lb.	<b>9c</b>
<b>POTATOES</b>	Fancy White-Rose bakers.	Lb.	<b>8c</b>
<b>POTATOES</b>	Red McClure variety.	10-lb. bag	<b>59c</b>
<b>CRISP CELERY</b>	Tender Utah-type. For salads.	Lb.	<b>13c</b>
<b>TURNIPS</b>	White and smooth. Tops off.	Lb.	<b>10c</b>
<b>RED GRAPES</b>	Fancy Red Emperor variety.	Lb.	<b>17c</b>

<b>PREPARED FOODS</b>			
Date Nut Bread	Dromedary 8-oz. can	22c	
Chili Con Carne	Van Camp's 16-oz. can	32c	
<b>JELLY and PEANUT BUTTER</b>			
Apple Jelly	Valmont 12-oz. glass	21c	
Peanut Butter	Skippy 16-oz. jar	43c	
<b>MISCELLANEOUS NEEDS</b>			
Syrup	Sleepy Hollow, Cane and Maple... 12-oz. bottle	25c	
Cranberry Sauce	Ocean Spray 16-oz. can	23c	
Salad Dressing	Duchess 16-oz. jar	27c	
Red Hill Catsup	14-oz. bottle	19c	
<b>EVERYDAY VALUES</b>			
Canned Milk	Carnation Tall can	13c	
American Cheese	Dutch Mill 2-lb. loaf	1.05	
Tomato Soup	Campbell's 10 1/2-oz. can	10c	
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## Time To Get Going

Last Spring President Truman ordered ship construction curtailed sharply for reasons of economy and because of material shortages. Shortly afterward he appointed a five-man committee of "practical-minded businessmen," to use their own phrase, who were to make a study of the country's merchant marine and shipbuilding problems. Their report is now in, and the President has passed it along to Congress and the appropriate departments "in the hope that it will prove helpful."

Essentially the committee has repeated the recommendations incorporated in the Merchant Marine Act of 1936. This act set up a shipbuilding program—thrown entirely out of gear by the war—on the scarcely disputable basis that a modern, first-rate merchant marine and an adequate, progressive shipbuilding industry are essential to our national defense and peacetime economy.

The President's advisory committee has also urged a four-year program, costing \$600,000,000, for the construction of 46 passenger vessels and a number of high-speed cargo ships and tankers. The first group would include two 50,000-ton liners for North Atlantic service.

There are 32 ocean-going vessels being built in nine private yards. Half of them are for foreign owners. Britain reportedly has 125 passenger and passenger-cargo ships now under construction. The United States has two. France, Spain, Sweden and Italy all are building more.

There should be, in the committee's opinion, not less than 60,000 workers engaged in shipbuilding in this country in any peacetime year. There are now less than half that number engaged in ship construction.

The committee wants to see eight passenger ships started immediately—three 21,000-ton vessels for the New York-Mediterranean run and five of 13,500 tons each for round-the-world service. These are among the ships whose construction was postponed last Spring. Designs are completed and bids are in. The Maritime Commission has \$84,000,000 previously appropriated, and the lines which would operate them are said to be ready to match that sum.

Thus it appears that while the United States at present is a fifth-rate power, or less, in the field of transoceanic commercial shipping, it can and should attain a position more in keeping with its place in world affairs. It also appears that it is high time a start was made toward that position.

It has been said repeatedly and truly that it is unsafe to dissipate our shipbuilding industry to a point where critical skills necessary to national defense are scattered and lost. It also has been said that it is ridiculous and inconsistent for this great nation to lag so far behind the smaller powers in ship construction and operation.

The President's committee has repeated these observations and added a sensible, current program for action. The money, the skills and the need for a beginning are at hand. All that remains now is to get going.

Americans are folks who elect people to pass down the laws so they can pass them up.

Maybe the moon has its quarters and halves because it doesn't get full very often.

A woman bandit used tear gas in an attempt to rob a store. The same old feminine story—tears for money.

There are too many clubs for the good of the home, says a judge. What's needed are more hearts.

## It Takes More Than That To Catch A Whale



## STANTON NEWS

STANTON — Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Lawson returned recently from a visit with Mrs. Lawson's grandmother, Mrs. S. E. McNullin, Stigler, Okla.

Mrs. O. B. Bryan gave a morning coffee honoring Mrs. R. F. Babbitt of La Marque.

The Altar Society of the Catholic Church here inaugurated a series of "42" and bridge tournaments at the Rectory. The first proceeds are to be used to buy a chest of drawers for the nursery at the Martin County Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. Cecil Bridges, and Sadler Bridges spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Bristol Chesser.

Ross Hay returned recently from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Pierce entertained the following relatives Thanksgiving day: Mrs. Emily Pierce of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. King of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nixon and daughter, Frances; and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayron Adams and sons spent Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. Walter Henson.

December 7 has been named Fund-Raising Day for the new \$75,000 building planned by Stanton Baptists. The building committee is composed of B. F. White, John Pinkston, J. R. Sale, Ben Carpenter, and Guy Eiland.

Billy Houston, Alton Turner, Rex Kelly, and James Ballard returned this week from a deer hunt on the Sprouts Ranch in the Davis Mountains. Each hunter bagged a deer.

Members of the senior class of Stanton High School went to Midland Wednesday to have annual graduation pictures made.

The junior class of Stanton High School presented the play, "Where's

Grandma?" in the high school auditorium Tuesday night.

Jess Woody and his twelve-year-old son joined a deer hunt on the D Ranch, south of Carlsbad, N. M., and killed a deer each. The ranch is operated by James Kenny, a nephew of Woody.

The Stanton Junior 4-H Club met recently and selected the following officers: Lou Vena McCoy, president; Ina Joy Williamson, vice president; Mary Ivy Henson, secretary; and Eula Belle Mott, reporter.

Mrs. Willard Turner honored her son, Johnnie, with a party on his third birthday. Balloons were given as favors. Ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Bobby Kelly, Sandra Kelly, Bobby Camp, Robert Wayne Turner, Diana Atkins, Jerry Henson, Pattie Turner, and Johnnie Turner.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**Marry Young? Marry Old?**

When Jeb Crowell's daughter, Sue, married nineteen-year-old "Slim" Blake, a lot of folks (especially older ones) began to shake their heads. Young marriages! Tut, tut!

So I looked up some figures. It's true, young American girls and boys marry younger than in other countries. And where do you suppose they had the least chance? I won't name it, but maybe you've guessed. One of those countries that before the war suppressed all individual freedom and tolerance.

That's why I'm not worried about our younger married couples. They were raised in a country that respects one another's right—a country of tolerance and temperance (a lot of bridegrooms are ex-G.I.'s, and it looked to me like their favorite beverage was beer.)

From where I sit, it isn't when you marry that's important. It's the all-important spirit of tolerance and understanding that you bring to marriage.

Joe Marsh

## Couple, Wed 72 Years, Gives Advice To Youth On Wedded Bliss

SALEM, ILL.—A southern Illinois couple married 72 years has been flooded with inquiries on how to stay wedded happily that long.

Noting a news story on the unusual anniversary of J. W. (Bill) Arnold, nearing 90, and his wife, Sarah, 86, a Boston lawyer wrote:

"I would appreciate your writing to me such suggestions that you may have for young people who desire to make their marriage permanent and successful."

**Bashful At First**  
Too abashed at first to assume roles of marriage counsellors, they finally answered. Arnold, the more talkative of the two, said:

"There would be fewer divorces among young people if they would stay out of taverns and not stay up late drinking and carousing; if wives stopped looking at other men, and husbands wouldn't look at other women.

"And if wives would go to bed early, then get up and get a good breakfast for their husbands to work on instead of staying in bed.

**Has Meals Ready**  
"My wife always has meals ready when I come home. She stays home and tends to her knitting. We share in handling the money. Young couples should be careful in this spending wave; they shouldn't spend beyond their incomes. Debt always causes arguments.

"If we get to quarreling, I just walk away. It takes two to make an argument."

Mrs. Arnold chimed in: "Everything he says is all right. I agree."

**Keep Love Glowing**  
She added:

"Young couples should do everything possible to keep their love light glowing. Real love has nothing to do with age. I think we are as much in love as we have always been." (They eloped to St. Louis when he was 18 and she was 14.)

Arnold said: "We always had the same tastes and liked the same things. We share in the house work, washing dishes and such.

"My motto on getting along is—always pay your debts and tell the truth at all times, even to your wife."

Polisonous snakes in India kill about 25,000 persons annually.

## Expert On Spaghetti Gives Unusual Recipe

TEXARKANA — (AP) — Winston Montgomery of Texarkana is an expert on Spaghetti, Jimmy Jamison, a restaurant man, asked him for his recipe.

Montgomery said, "You cook it until it's about done and . . ."

"How can you tell when it's about done?" Jamison interrupted.

"Take a few strands and throw them against the wall. If they stick, it's ready," Montgomery said.

He glanced at his wife and quickly added: "Well, it worked once, anyway."

## HITLER, BRAUN TO BE TRIED IN ABSENTIA

FRANKFURT, GERMANY—(AP) —A Bavarian denazification court will try Adolf Hitler and Eva Braun in absentia to determine disposition of their own and other Nazi fortunes and properties Stars and Stripes reported from Munich recently.

The U. S. Army newspaper's dispatch, quoting a Bavarian military government official, said the properties of Hermann Goering, Rudolph Hess, Martin Bormann, Heinrich Himmler, Julius Streicher and Baydur van Schirach would be dealt with in the same trial.

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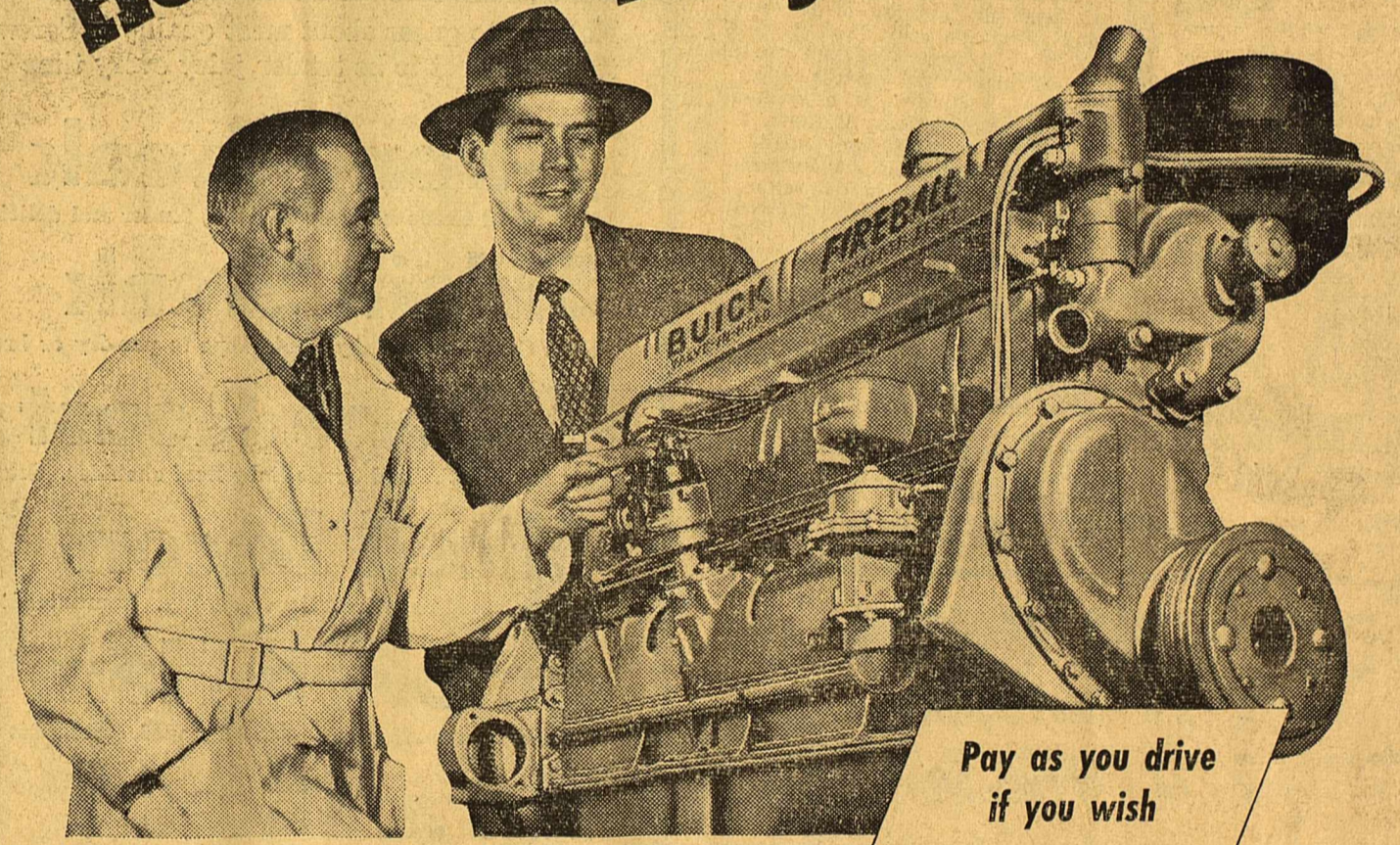
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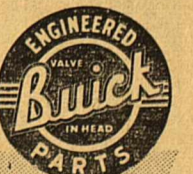
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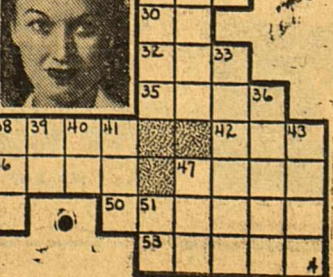
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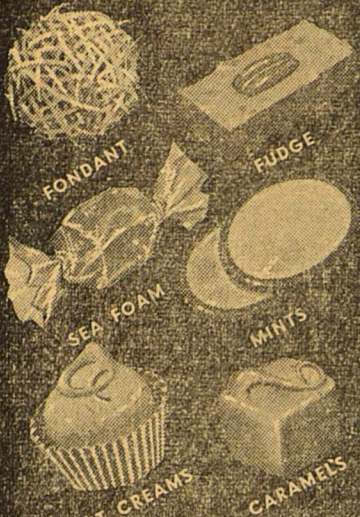
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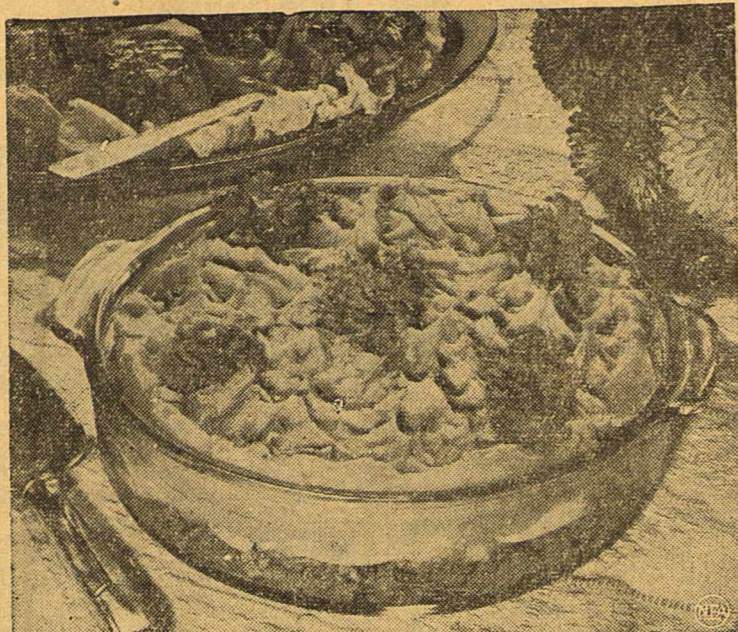
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By **GAYNOR MADDOX**  
NEA Staff Writer

Looking for a budget main dish everyone will like?  
**Sweet Potato Sausage Pie**  
(Serves 6)

One pound sausage meat, 1 1/2 cups apple slices, 1/4 cup brown sugar, 1 2/3 cups mashed sweet po-

tato, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 2 table-  
spoons butter or margarine, 1/2  
cup milk.

Put sausage into a heat-resistant glass round cake dish. Arrange apple slices on top of meat. Sprinkle with brown sugar. To mashed sweet potato add salt, butter or margarine and milk.

Beat until light and fluffy. Place sweet potato mixture on top of apple slices. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for one hour. Serve garnished with parsley.

Here's a salad to go with the main dish. Together, they constitute a balanced meal.

**Winter Salad**  
(Serves 6)

One tablespoon unflavored gelatin, 1/4 cup water, 1 cup boiling water, 1/3 cup sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons vinegar, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1/2 cup finely shredded cabbage, 1 cup diced celery, 1/2 cup sliced olives, 2 tablespoons finely cut pimiento, 2 tablespoons finely cut green pepper.

Soften gelatin in cold water for five minutes. Add boiling water, sugar and salt; stir until dissolved. Add vinegar and lemon juice. Set aside to cool. When mixture begins to thicken stir in cabbage, celery, olives, pimiento and green pepper.

Pour into six glass five-ounce custard cups. Place in refrigerator for two hours or until salad is firm. Remove from custard cups and place on lettuce for serving.

**Third Quarter Hike**  
In Business Due To  
Increases In Prices

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Commerce Department has reported that the volume of economic activity in the third quarter of this year made little real advance over that of the second quarter.

Measured on a money basis, there was a \$3,000,000,000 annual rate upturn in the gross national product—the value of all goods and services—but the department said that was mostly due to rising prices.

With that dollar boost, the gross national output went up to an annual rate of \$232,000,000,000 by department estimates.

Major changes from the second quarter were reported as:

Domestic business investment—advanced from \$29,000,000,000 to \$30,000,000,000, at the annual rates, with new private construction activity up, especially in home building, and purchases of production equipment. Inventory accumulation was resumed.

**Foreign Balance Drops**

Net foreign balance—the excess of American sales to foreign countries over foreign buying from the U. S. dropped from the second quarter's high annual rate of \$10,500,000,000 to \$7,000,000,000.

Consumer spending — bounced up to an annual rate of \$166,000,000,000 from \$162,000,000,000, in part because "disposable income" increased by \$8,000,000,000 to a total of \$179,000,000,000 at annual rates.

Government buying — purchases of goods and services increased slightly, a "moderate expansion" of state and local government spending more than offsetting a "moderate" decline in Federal Government buying.

**'Three Naked Women'**  
Distract Hall Hirers

COPENHAGEN—(P)—The administration of the town hall in Viborg, Denmark, a town of 20,000 is getting bored with three naked women.

A few years ago Prof. Vilhelm Lundström, one of Denmark's most outstanding painters, decorated the walls of the hall. One of the decorations shows three naked women sitting at the edge of a swimming pool.

Since then the administrators have had to ask all hirers of the hall, whether they object to meeting in a room decorated with naked women.

Many do. A YMCA group and some priests refused to negotiate in the room, unless the painting was covered up.

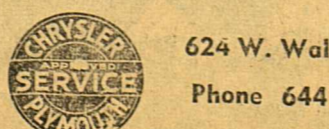
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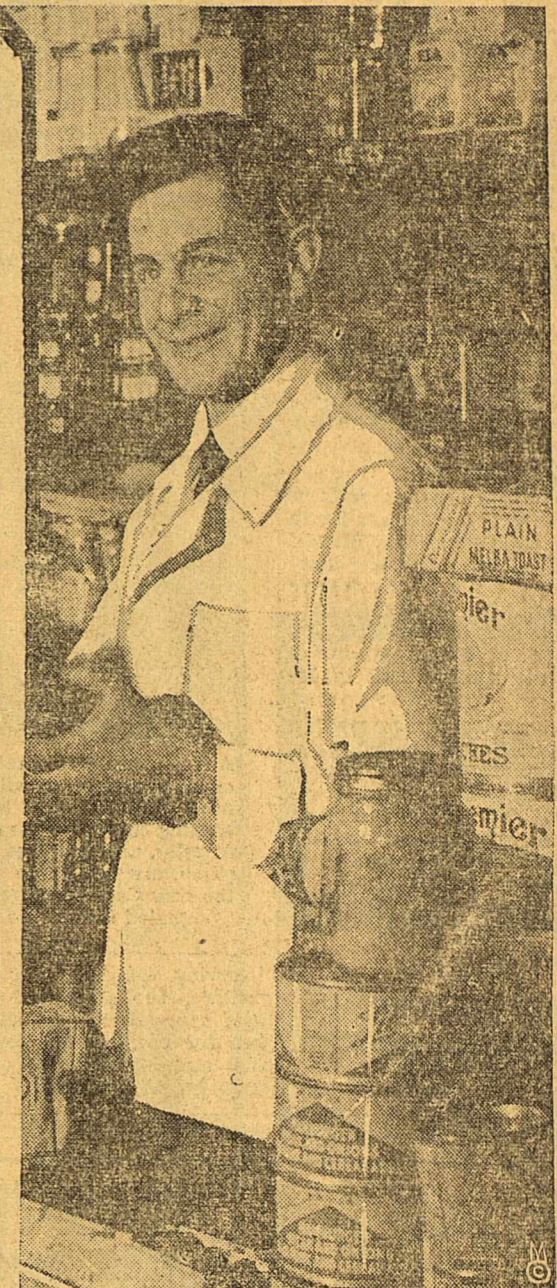
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- Crackers** Sunshine 1 Lb. Box **25¢**
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- Pinto Beans** Whitson's No. 2 Can **14¢**
- Green Beans** Blue Tag Fancy Whole, No. 2 Can **29¢**
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### Ancient Scriptures To Be Translated

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. — (AP) — Dropsie College announces a \$100,000 ancient scripture translation project which it described as "the most ambitious Jewish scholarly undertaking of our time."

President Dr. Abraham A. Neuman said the college will translate and publish within the next ten years thirty volumes of scriptural writings between the close of the Old Testament and the dawn of Christianity.

The writings are non-Biblical scriptures known as apocrypha and pseudepigrapha. Neuman said the new publication "will contribute materially toward a better understanding and evaluation" of their importance for the interpretation of both the Jewish and Christian religions.

#### Similar To Bible

"It is well known," the college head added, "that besides the books of the Bible, early Judaism also possessed other scriptures which were not regarded as equally inspired or authoritative."

The apocrypha, Neuman explained, are a group of books similar in nature or content to the Biblical writings. They were rejected, however, by Jews as sacred literature because they were known to have been written after the time of Ezra, after which, according to Jewish tradition, the spirit ceased in Israel.

The pseudepigrapha were written between 200 BC and 200 AD. They deal with life after death, the Messiah, immortality of the soul, heaven and the fate of the righteous. The books were banned by the rabbis, said Neuman, as tending to lead to religious sectarianism.

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### Chin Up—It Won't Be Long Now



Anyone who would rather think of sun and balmy breezes instead of slush and snow will be glad to hear that the nation's knitting mills are clicking 24 hours a day to meet next year's demand for bathing suits. On the complicated automatic machine above in Los Angeles, nine patterns, resembling rolls of an old-fashioned player piano, are needed to guide the thousands of needles turning out the new Catalina angel fish design. Bette Stewart models a completed suit as the cloth leaves the bottom of the machine.

During the war, for economy reasons, the Germans developed uses of relatively low purity oxygen for accelerating steel production and for synthesis of gasoline from brown coal.

## McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
America's Card Authority

At suit contracts a very high proportion of the 13 tricks are won by aces, kings, queens and jacks. In no trump contracts a race usually develops between the declarer and the defenders as to which one can first set up the small cards in a long suit.

For example if the opponents arrive at a four heart contract and you hold the A K 8 5 3 of spades you can expect to take no more than the ace and king. Against a no trump contract, however, you stand an excellent chance of winning tricks with your small spades. Consequently, your opening lead, with the A K 8 5 3 of spades, will depend on whether the opponents

♠ 1074	♥ 62
♦ 95	♣ J1087
♠ AK85	♥ A75
♥ 62	♣ J94
♦ 843	♠ Dealer
♠ 1075	♥ QJ9
	♦ AK4
	♣ KQ10
	♠ Q862

Lesson Hand—Neither vul.  
South West North East  
1 N.T. Pass 3 N.T. Pass  
Opening—♠ 7

are in a suit contract or in a no trump contract.

Against the three no trump contract on today's hand, if West had elected to open the king of spades in order to "look at dummy," declarer would have time to knock out East's diamond ace, thereby establishing his own diamond suit.

But when West opened a small spade declarer could take no more than eight tricks—four clubs, three hearts and a spade. When declarer knocked out East's diamond ace, East returned his remaining spade, and West's eight and three of spades both became winners.

Had South been in a suit contract rather than three no trump the correct opening lead would have been the king of spades.

#### U. S. RUBBER COMPANY RAISES TIRE PRICES

NEW YORK (AP)—The United States Rubber Company recently announced an increase in prices of its passenger car, truck, farm tractor and implement tires.

Passenger tires went up 6 to 8 per cent with the exception of the new low-pressure type, which remains unchanged. Truck casings increased from 5 to 7 1/2 per cent. Inner tubes remain virtually unchanged.

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### British Prefer Lead Of Ham And Eggs Raw

LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND (AP)—Liverpool stevedores hustled to prevent the mass boiling of 13,500,000 eggs and a quantity of ham brought from Canada on the freighter Melbourne.

The ham and eggs, precious food items in tight-rationed Britain, were stowed with other foodstuffs in one hold and in another 700 tons of coal were burning briskly. Steam from water poured on the blaze filled several compartments and it appeared as if some of the food would be cooked before it could be unloaded.

With the aid of firemen, who confined the fire to one hold, the stevedores removed some of the eggs in the raw state as the unloading continued into the night.

### Relief Packages Jam Post Office Facilities

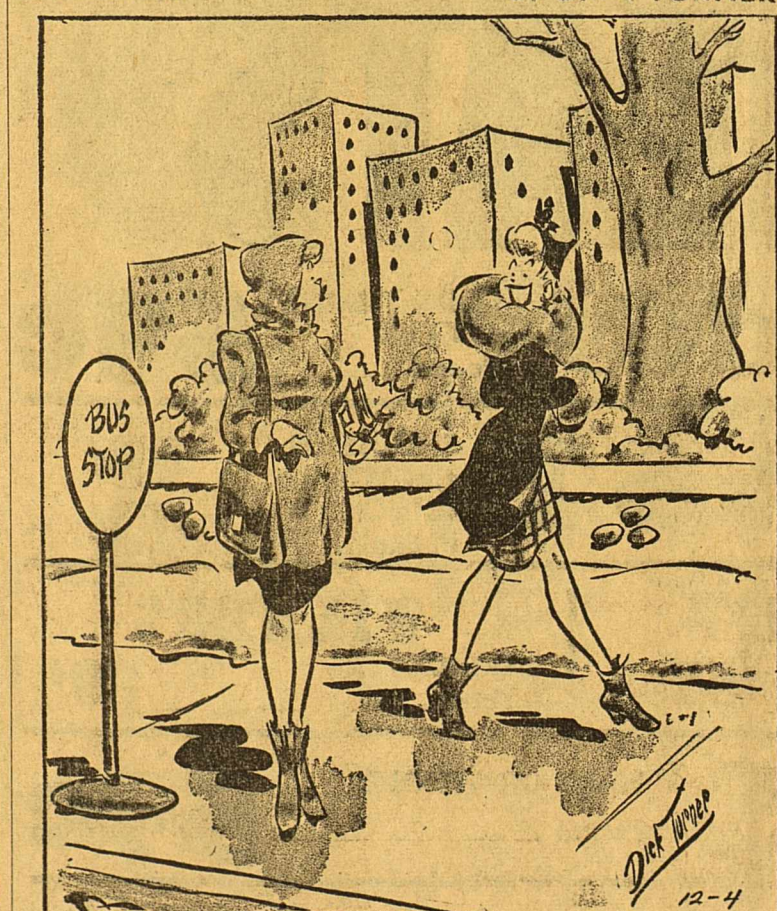
WASHINGTON (AP)—The Post Office Department, now handling the greatest volume of mail in its history, says it cannot handle with its present facilities a heavy increase in shipments of relief packages to wartorn countries.

Paul Aiken, Second Assistant Postmaster General, told the Senate Civil Service Committee that heavier relief shipments abroad will require additional manpower, trucks and facilities.

The committee is studying legislation proposing to make such shipments postage free or to cut in half the present rate of 14 cents a pound on overseas packages.

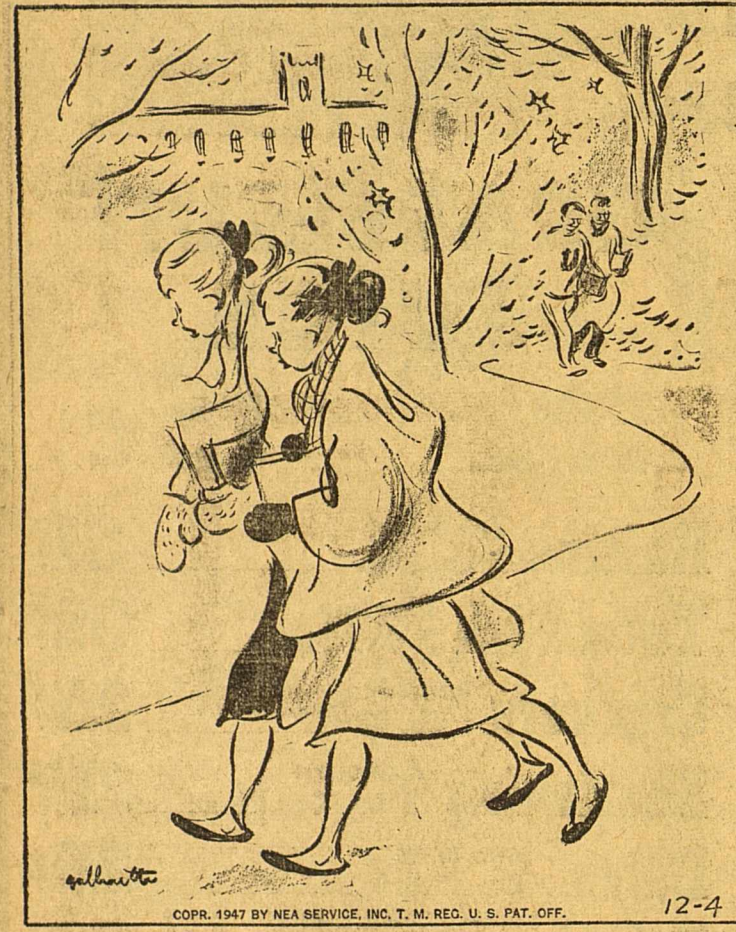
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By DICK TURNER



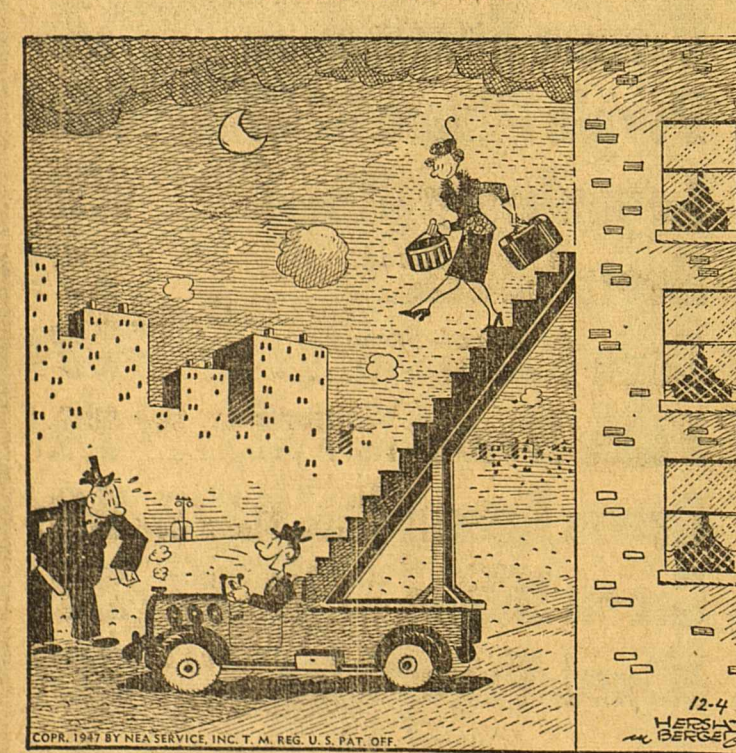
"I can't stop to talk now, Elsie—a man is following me!"

### SIDE GLANCES



"Oh, I've learned loads this semester—a simple hairdo, natural fingernails and neat shoes are preferred by nearly all the boys!"

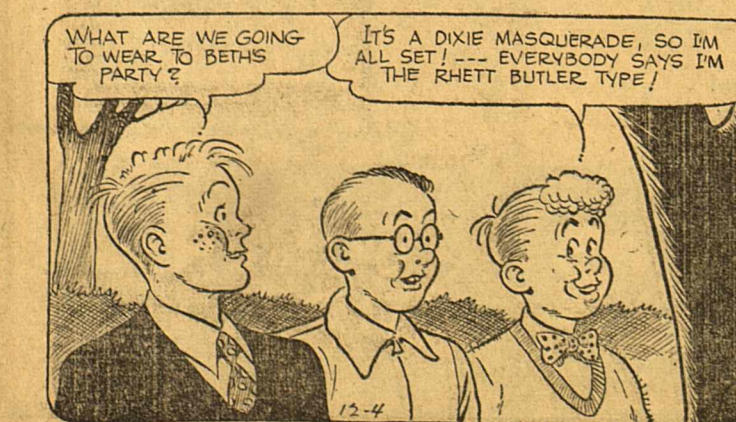
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By MERRILL BLOSSER



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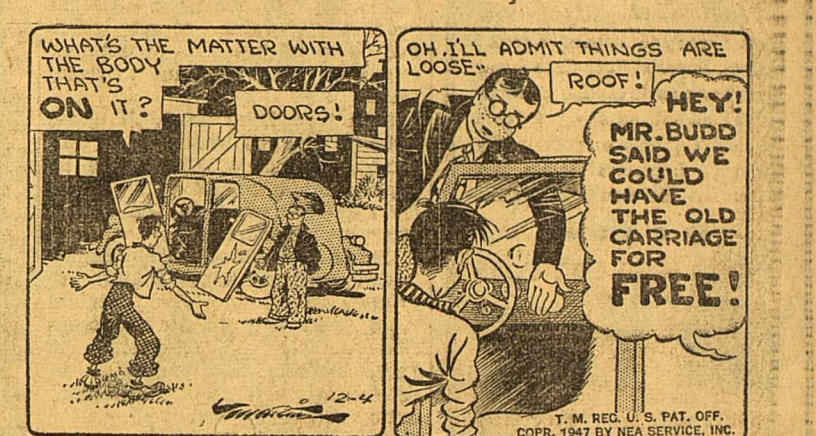
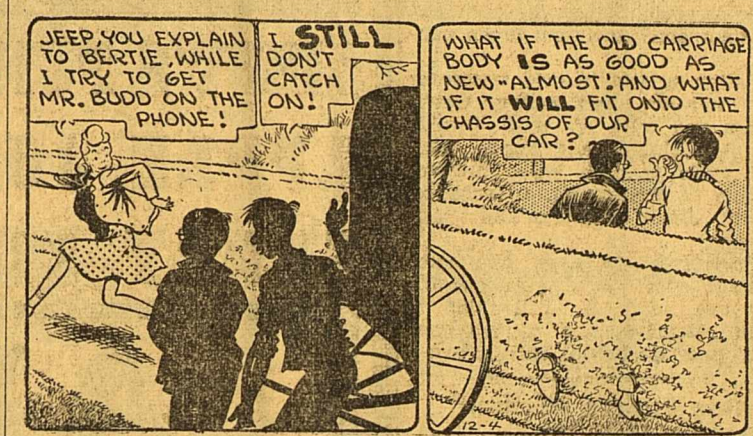
with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

—By J. R. WILLIAMS



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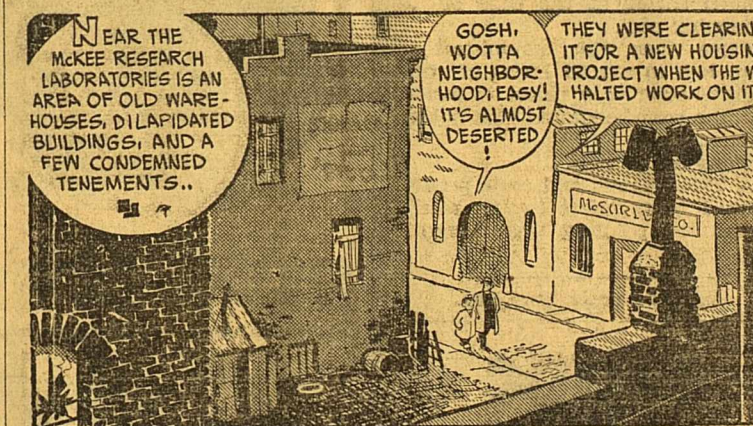
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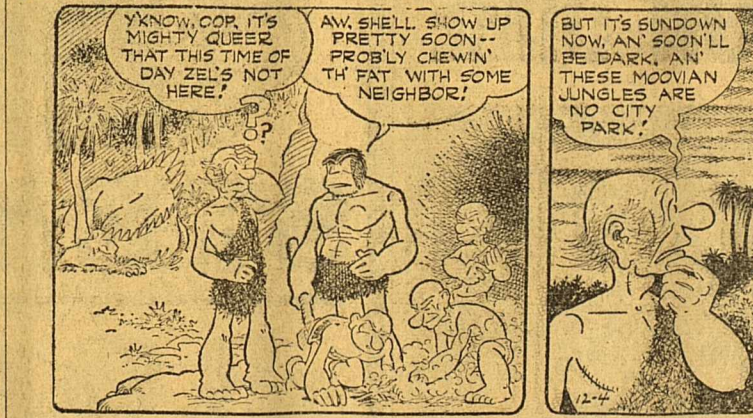
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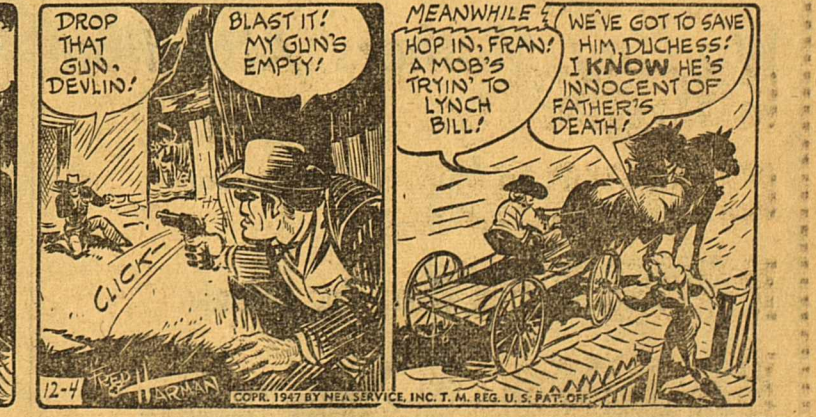
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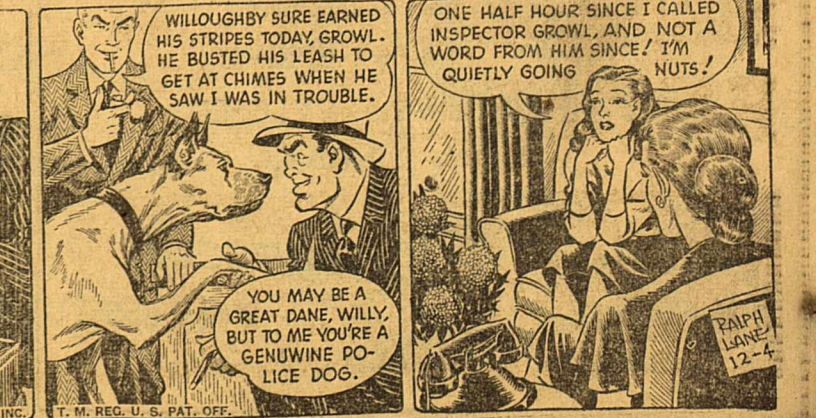
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**Hollanders Campaign To Sell More Herring**

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—(AP)—A campaign to convince Americans that the lowly herring is a good substitute for expensive meat dishes will be launched early in 1948 by the Holland Herring Exporters Association, a representative has announced.

Jan van Buren van Hayst of The Hague conferred with importers in this western Michigan city on means of boosting the sale of fish from The Netherlands. They discussed particularly a newspaper advertising program.

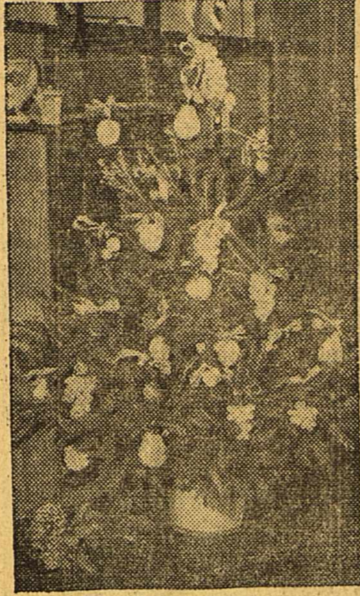
He said the Dutch fishing fleet—virtually inactive during the war—had been making rich hauls since VE-Day and had brought in a large surplus for export purposes.

**Yule Decorations That Bear Fruit: Imagination Mixed With Evergreens Achieves Right Effect**

By **EPHIE KINARD**  
NEA Staff Writer

Make your Christmas tree a fruit tree this year and your original trimmings of grape clusters, oranges, pears, apples and nuts will be both admired and eaten.

By mixing a little imagination in with your evergreens—such as trimming a tree with fruit and tying it to branches with gay ribbon bows—you can achieve more heart-warming effects with your home decorations.



Imaginative Christmas decorations include the tree, left, trimmed with real pears, grapes and apples. A big evergreen sock is nailed to entrance door, below, by musical comedy singer Mary Hatcher. Candy-striped plastic tube centers the evergreen wreath, bottom, and is tied in place with white satin bows.



To make your task easier, Jack Kelly, Manhattan florist whose clever effects shout Merry Christmas inside and outside of many imposing homes, offers suggestions.

He says to put your tree in a small painted bucket or tub which can be moved from room to room during the holidays.

Have you a fireplace? If you have or haven't, here's how to concoct a wreath which decorates a mantel or a door or hangs in a window. Using a wire hoop, scaled to fit the space you want to fill, make a wreath of evergreens, and decorate with pine cones, holly twigs or bright Christmas balls. Inside the hoop of greens, place an air-blown life-preserving tube like kids who can't swim use to keep themselves afloat. A candy-striped "life preserver" gives a more Christ-massy effect. Secure the tube to the evergreen hoop with holiday ribbon.

Ingenious idea of Jack Kelly's for spreading Christmas cheer is a giant-size evergreen Christmas sock hung on the entrance door. To make one on which callers will pin Christmas messages and cards, when you're not at home, cut a big stocking out of a piece of buckram. Mount this on cardboard, cut in the same outlines. Cover solidly by wiring or pinning on a flat type of evergreen. Decorate with berries or pine cones and add a whopping big bow of red ribbon. After you hang up your evergreen sock, take the scissors and trim edges neatly to achieve a clear-cut stocking outline.

**Texas Auto Accidents In 1947 Top 1946 Total**

AUSTIN—(AP)—Fewer persons were killed in Texas automobile accidents in October than in the same month last year, but the year's total to date is still ahead of 1946 figures.

The department of Public Safety reports that 125 persons lost their lives in October motor vehicle accidents, compared with 163 in the same month last year.

For the first ten months of 1947, the total dead was 1,575 in 1946, the ten-month toll was 1,565.

**Licenses Suspended**

The annual report on driver's license suspensions for the fiscal year ending August 31, showed 5,737 Texas-issued licenses and 257 issued by other states were suspended.

Of those issued in Texas, 4,450 were suspended for drunken driving and out-of-state licenses cancelled for the same reason totalled 253.

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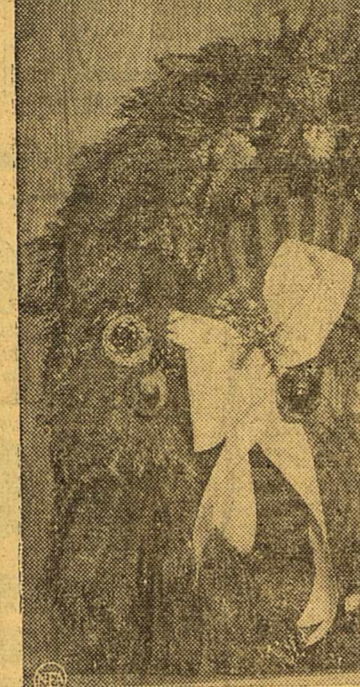
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- PEAS** Yacht Club No. 2 Can **19¢**
- CATSUP** Heinz Large Size **29¢**
- MIRACLE WHIP** Pint **31¢**
- SALAD DRESSING** **31¢**
- CURED HAM** Sliced, End Cut, Pound **69¢**
- Butt End **65¢** Shank End **62¢**
- GROUND CHUCK** Fresh Lb. **35¢**
- CHUCK ROAST** Lb. **47¢**
- PORK CHOPS** Lb. **59¢**
- BACON JOWLS** Sugar Cured, lb **59¢**
- SAUSAGE** Pure Pork, Country Style, Pound **49¢**
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- SEVEN STEAK** Pound **49¢**
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**Law Stops Pinochle Game After Six Years**

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Three elderly men who for six years have been playing pinochle in the sun in Hollenbeck Park were hauled into municipal court by the law on gambling charges.

"We played for a nickel for 300 points," said Noah Simon, 88, speaking also for Abe Levin, 76, and Human Mittleman, 65.

"Judge, you can take my word for it, in the pot was only 20 cents." The trio pleaded guilty.

"This," said Judge Louis W. Kaufman, "is the most ridiculous charge I have ever had brought in to court. The sentence, \$10 fine—suspended."

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**Libby's Pumpkin** No. 2 1/2 Can **19¢**

Friendship **PEAS** 2 No. 2 cans **25¢**

Monarch Vacuum Pack **CORN** 12 oz. can **23¢**

Van Camp's **PORK & BEANS** No. 1 can **15¢**

Libby's **TOMATO SAUCE** 8 oz. can **8¢**

Peerless **KRAUT** 2 No. 2 1/2 cans **25¢**

Libby's Mixed **VEGETABLES** 16 oz. glass **15¢**

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Blue Plate Cut **OKRA** No. 2 can **16¢**

Libby's Cut **BEETS** No. 2 can **12¢**

Little **Sweet Potatoes**, No. 2 1/2 can **19¢**

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- Sliced Bacon** Armour's Star Pound **79¢**
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**ALL-TIME HIGH**  
CHICAGO—(AP)—Lawrence H. Whiting, president of the American Furniture Mart, said sales and production volume in America's home industry is reaching an all-time high this year.

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**Delicious Zucchini Is Exciting Dish**

By GAYNOR MADDOX  
NEA Staff Writer

The dark green Italian squash, zucchini, should be even better known to American tables than it is. French Fried Italian Squash (Zucchini)

Cut zucchini lengthwise in medium-thin slices, dip in salted evaporated or fresh milk (1 teaspoon salt to 1/2 cup milk), then roll in flour. Fry a few pieces at a time until brown in hot fat (370 degrees F.), 1 to 2 inches deep in heavy pan. Drain on paper towels and keep hot. Sprinkle with salt and pepper, and serve.

That, as well as the following recipe, comes from the California Cook Book.

**Zucchini Italian Style**  
(Serves 6)  
Four tablespoons butter or fortified margarine, 1 medium-sized onion, minced; 2 large, ripe tomatoes, peeled and sliced; 6 small zucchini, salt, pepper.

Melt butter or margarine in saucepan, add minced onion and brown lightly. Add tomatoes and continue cooking for 2 or 3 minutes, then add washed and sliced zucchini. Season with salt and pepper, cover, and cook 15 to 20 minutes, until zucchini is tender. Add a little boiling water if mixture cooks dry.

**Smart Teens Can Balance Yule Budget**

Yours for the Making



Novel Christmas gifts that are easy on a teen-ager's budget include the scribble scarf, above, on which the junior miss is writing messages with a crayon. Inset at top right, a teen-ager uses a hot iron and special tape to sear printed chalis mittens and over-the-belt bag. American knit white wool gloves, below, are pepped up with a name chain-stitched across the back.

By Kay Sherwood  
NEA Staff Writer

Teen-agers searching for a formula to balance a Christmas gift allowance and a lengthy list of friends will find the answer in tricks that dress up a little gift to look like a lot.

One trick that gives an inexpensive gift top rating with school chums is the personal touch of

initials, names or school memos. Rayon fabric scarfs, for example, treated to take the scribbles of pen or crayon offer a promising slate for autographs, school cheers, phone numbers or whatever suits a girl's fancy.

Some scarfs have border printed basketball motifs and a scoreboard for recording home-team victories.

Knitted gauntlet gloves step into the ranks of upper-bracket gifts when the boy's or girl's name is chain-stitched in bright colors across the back. This same treatment peeps up plain ties or woolly warm mufflers as gifts to winter sportsmen.

Even though she may not know how to thread a needle, the teen-ager can pull more gifts out of her allowance with accessories she makes herself. What helps her swing this one is hot iron mending tape which substitutes for stitches to join simple fabric pattern pieces together. A hot iron welds tape to fabric in firm and decorative seams, bindings, block initials.

In one evening, a smart junior miss can turn out plain wool or printed chalis mittens, over-the-belt bags, and bonnets for school friends; ruffled aprons, monogrammed or tape-appliqued place mats for mother; barbecue chef sets, shoe bags or a heavy fabric holder for dad's hammer and nails.

With a small investment in a set of brilliant nailheads and the simple device for attaching them, a budget-wise young lady can add expensive-looking glitter to plain ribbon headbands, dickers and cummerbunds that will charm the prom queens on her list.

**Hollywood Restaurant Serves 600 Free Meals**

HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—The owner of a Hollywood restaurant celebrated Thanksgiving by throwing open the doors of his establishment to all comers for free meals.

Sam (Zeb) Kaufman, the restaurateur, said there was no catch. He told reporters he simply wanted to provide the free meals because last year on Thanksgiving Day he was away from home and homesome.

By the end of the day Kaufman said he had given away 600 meals, twice his usual daily average. "The Better Business Bureau called to find out what the 'angle' was," he said, "and that was the attitude almost everyone took—they wanted to know what the catch was. People would see the 'free' sign, come in and eat with one eye on the alert."

"I guess they expected the house to fall in on them. One customer was so overcome he left a \$10 tip."

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**Indians Take Pearl Powder As Cure-All**

NEW DELHI—(AP)—A nervous breakdown in India could get expensive under the Ayur-Vedic treatment, for the medicine of powdered pearls costs seventy rupees (\$21.33) per half ounce.

But it is only one of hundreds of Ayur-Vedic compounds made from pearl dust, emeralds, silk cocoons and other costly ingredients as well as hundreds of herbs. Ayur-Veda is the Hindu book of science of health and medicine.

Millions of Moslems and Hindus have implicit faith in Ayur-Vedic medicine. There are Ayur-Vedic doctors by the thousands who prescribe according to a system followed for many centuries.

The nizam of Hyderabad has founded in his capital the Unani Hospital where the ancient Greek system of treatment with herbs is combined with the modern X-ray. When surgery is needed, the modern doctor is called in reluctantly.

"Summer Specials"  
However, the average believer in the Ayur-Vedic system often prescribes for himself from a list such as the "summer specials" advertised in magazines. This is one:

"Mukata Pisti, prepared from costly pearls. Best tonic for brain exhaustion and nervous breakdown and easily digestible. Dose, one-half to one rati (one to two grains) morning and evening with butter or honey."

All the medicines aren't so costly, by any means. For instance, "rajat vidrum" at eight rupees (\$2.66) per half ounce is "a regulator of the function of the heart, purifier and promoter of blood and generator of vigor and energy."

About half the U. S. milk production is used as fluid milk, the rest being processed into butter, cheese, condensed milk, ice cream and similar products.

**Whatza Guayabera? Noi Shirt, Noi Coat**

HAVANA—(AP)—Cuba is setting a new masculine fashion. All the men here wear the guayabera.

Visitors to this tropical land quickly fall into line and adopt the guayabera because of its comfort. Even such conservative men as Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, honeymooning here with his bride, discard formal coats and ties and get into guayaberas.

Thurmond was introduced to the guayabera for the sake of Cuban "atmosphere." He expected to take it right off again. But once it was on, the governor asked:

**New Fashion Wins Friends**  
"What do you call this thing? A guayabera? Can you wear it anywhere in town? Huh, I'm going to keep it on."

The new fashion wins friends like that. Coats and ties are so hot under a Cuban sun, but a guayabera is so cool.

The guayabera is a coat and shirt in one. It buttons all the way down the front, has two pleats in front and two in back, four pockets, like a hunting coat, and is made of linen, broadcloth or rayon.

No undershirt is needed. The guayabera is worn without being tucked in.

**Martin County Gold Star Winners Are Announced At Meet**

STANTON—Martin County 4-H Club members met Wednesday night in the high school auditorium here to present awards to club winners, including Gold Star awards.

Billy Joye Angel was presented the Gold Star girl's award and W. D. Chandler, the Gold Star boy's award.

The award is sponsored by Texas A&M College and given each year to the most outstanding boy and girl in county 4-H club activities.

Silver pins were awarded to the following girls who received high ratings on garments entered in the dress review: Harriet Higgins, Maryann Forrest, Patsy Clements, Billy Pat Everett, Patsy Pollock, Billie Jean Carlile, Wanda Lou Wise, Pearl Howard, Lee Ona Chandler, Peggy Cross, Mary Alice Anderson, Billy Joye Angel, Beth Creech, and Joye Anderson.

The Thomas E. Wilson Meat Animal Award was presented to Bob Cox for his outstanding achievement in beef calf feeding.

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