

Bulldogs Play Friday Night

Coach Jack Mashburn and nine Midland High School cagers departed for Abilene early Friday afternoon, where Friday night the Bulldogs begin play in the Hardin-Simmons invitational basketball tournament.

Midland is scheduled against Poly at 10 p. m. in the first round of Bracket Two. Lamesa tangles with Throckmorton in the first game of the lower bracket. In Bracket One, Plainview cries sweatwater in the first game and Abilene vies with San Angelo. All these games are Friday night.

Play continues through to a championship and consolation winner with the final games Saturday night.

Making the trip for Midland are: Danny Goode, Larry Messersmith, Hoot Harris, Al German, Herman Hankla, Don Hamblet, Kent Miller, Lloyd Henderson, Dicky Jackson and Frank Shepard. Injured Fred Dunn may make the trip. He is the tall Bulldog center who will be out of action for three weeks.

Hope Is Faint
Midland hasn't much hope in the tourney. The basketeers of MHS are scrappers, but they lack height and experience.

The Purple cagers opened the season this week and dropped to Kermit, 34 to 28. Inability to hawk the ball, and sink it, cost the locals that one, although they jumped out with an early lead and finished with a spurt. It was not enough to compensate for the slack in between.

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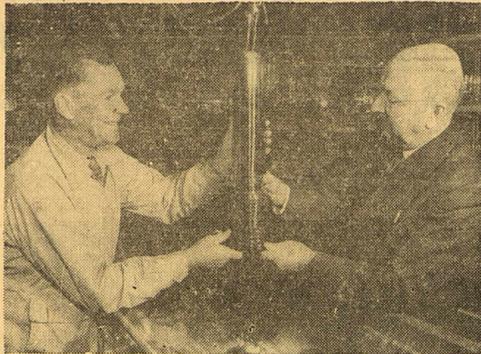
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Midland Bids For It



Pictured above is the Presley trophy to be presented to the winning high school team in the first Hardin-Simmons University invitational basketball tournament scheduled to be held Friday and Saturday at Abilene in new Rose Field House. Wes Eradshaw, Hardin-Simmons basketball coach, is shown receiving the trophy from Donor C. M. Presley, Abilene jeweler. Teams slated to part ipate in the two-day meet are from Plainview, Midland, Lamesa, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Throckmorton, Polytechnic of Fort Worth, and Abilene high schools.

'Torrid Temperature' Expected For Crane-Menard Region Tilt

CRANE—Come what may in the way of weather, the temperature will be torrid in Bobcat Stadium, San Angelo, Saturday when the Golden Cranes meet the Menard Yellowjackets in a Region 2 title game.

Here are the two records the teams will bring to the conflict.

- GOLDEN CRANES**
Crane 12-Eig Lake 6
Crane 39-Jal, N. M. 0
Crane 19-Ozona 7
Crane 39-Stanton 0
Crane 40-Ft. Stockton 0
Crane 26-Marfa 0
Crane 60-Grandfalls 0
Crane 39-Iraan 0
Crane 19-McCamey 0
Crane 19-McCamey 0
Crane 25-Robert Lee 0
Crane 47-Sanderson 0

- YELLOWJACKETS**
Menard 32-Melvin 6
Menard 20-Eden 8
Menard 50-Rocksprings 0
Menard 13-Eldorado 6
Menard 25-Ozona 20
Menard 12-Bronte 7
Menard 33-Reagan 0
Menard 7-Mason 0
Menard 14-Sonora 7
Menard 13-Junction 27
Menard 19-Bronte 6

Jimmy Edwards Wins Letter At College

SHERMAN — Jimmy Edwards, freshman center on the Austin College football team has been awarded a letter for his play in the 1947 Kangaroo grid season.

Edwards, son of Mrs. B. J. Edwards of Midland, was a five year football letterman at Midland High School.

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All Quarterfinal Tills To Be Aired

Four separate networks of Texas radio stations will carry the play-by-play accounts of the quarter-final games of the 1947 Texas high school football championship to be played Saturday.

Radio station KCRS of Midland is one of several stations to air the Wichita Falls-Odessa clash. The broadcast begins at 2:15 p. m.

Other stations included are: KRBC, Abilene; KWFT, Wichita Falls; KGKL, San Angelo; KOSA, Odessa; KBST, Big Spring; KXOX, Sweetwater; KTRN, Wichita Falls. Various other Texas stations will carry the Highland Park-Arlington, Breckenridge-Longview, Breckenridge-Goose Creek, battles.

Midlander Is Flight Winner In Tourney

In the recent Five-City women's golf league tourney at Big Spring, Mrs. Morris Norton of Midland won the first flight play. She used a 15-point handicap to good advantage in beating Big Spring's Thelma Jean Black by four strokes. Mrs. Norton posted a score of 40.

Mary Ruth Robertson of Big Spring, working with an eight-stroke handicap, captured the tourney with a 39-net score to beat Mrs. G. E. Shows of Odessa. Mrs. Travis Griffin of Big Spring won the second flight.

Women golfers from Midland, Big Spring, Odessa, Monahans and Wink-Kermit are eligible to compete in the monthly tournaments.

Wink Cagers Drub Pyote, Odessa Teams

WINK—The Wink High School cagers opened their 1947-48 basketball season last week, and already have three victories to their credit.

The Wildcats outscored Pyote, 30-13 and 32-18, in recent games, and Wednesday night drubbed the Odessa Bronces, 56-33.

The Wink lineup: Vernon Barton, center; Rex Cooke and Gilbert Downey, forwards; Daniel Lawson and Wayne Pearson, guards. Odessa: Nichols and Moses, forwards; Roth and Everett, guards; Whisenhunt, center.

Barton, with 18 points, was high scorer of the Wink-Odessa tilt. Cooke accounted for 12 points, and Pearson and Downey 11 points each. Moses was the Odessa high point man with 11 tallies.

Wink and Odessa meet again next Wednesday night in Odessa. The Wink Kittens, junior football champs, were entertained with a barbecue supper Wednesday night. Mrs. Jim Blackburn, Mrs. Charles Crawford and Jewel Vincent were in charge of the event.

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Bronc-Coyote Battle To Highlight Quarter-Finals

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor
They play the Texas schoolboy football final's two weeks ahead of time Saturday as undefeated, untied Odessa and Wichita Falls get together at Wichita Falls.

At last, that's what all the fans and sports writers say of this clash of the top-ranked teams of the state. The winner will be the

most prohibitive title favorite in 28 years of schoolboy football.

A crowd of 17,500—all that can get into the park, either sitting or standing—will see the only game of the state quarter-finals that matches teams with unblemished records.

Elsewhere two unbeaten teams play, but their opponents aren't like that.

Undefeated, untied Longview battles Breckenridge at Longview, and unbeaten but once-tied Goose Creek tangles with Breckenridge of San Antonio at Goose Creek.

Chances are fair there will be only one undefeated eleven after Saturday.

In the fourth game of the day, Highland Park of Dallas sends its weakest team in a decade against a fine Arlington Heights outfit at Fort Worth.

Odessa Mild Favorite
The Wichita Falls-Odessa and Goose Creek-Breckenridge games are considered toss-ups, but Arlington Heights and Longview are favorites in the other two.

Showings against mutual opponents would appear to make Odessa a mild favorite over Wichita Falls, but comparative scores mean little in this game. Wichita Falls met a much stronger Amarillo team than lost to Odessa, 21-0. The Coyotes beat the Sandies, 7-0.

Odessa, spearheaded by its great Byron Townsend, is one of the highest-scoring teams of all time. It has rolled up 410 points in 11 games. Wichita Falls has done plenty of scoring too, with its 352 points in a like number of engagements. And the opposition has managed for only 14, whereas Odessa has given up 49.

Odessa will be seeking its twenty-sixth straight victory. Wichita Falls will be after its twelfth in a row.

Goose Creek probably will rate a paper edge favorite over Breckenridge, and the Longview margin isn't much better.

Goose Creek, undefeated for the season, plays Breckenridge (San Antonio) here Saturday in the state quarter-finals.

Goose Creek Mentor To Be Fined When Team Gets Licking

GOOSE CREEK—(AP)—The day Goose Creek High School loses a football game, Pete Sultis, assistant coach, coughs up \$1.00. It will be a fine, too.

Superstition brought it about. The night Goose Creek played Milby of Houston, Sultis picked up head Coach Dan Stallworth and Assistant Coach Frank James to drive to the stadium.

Pete inadvertently drove a block the wrong way down a one-way street.

Dan, being quite superstitious, does everything on a game day the same, so long as he wins. So he has been having Pete drive down a one-way street the wrong way each day, about an hour before game time.

Chief of Police H. E. McKee made a deal with the coaches there would be no arrests but with the understanding that the first day after Goose Creek loses a game, Sultis will come in and pay a dollar fine.

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Stanton Cagers Defeat Coahoma

STANTON—Boys and girls basketball teams of Stanton High School recently defeated Coahoma teams at Coahoma.

Stanton boys won, 25-19, and the girls won, 25-10.

Officials of the games were Hesse Reid of Coahoma and Billy Louder of Stanton.

Making the trip to see the games were Coach Green, Mr. and Mrs. Hamrick, Frank Roquemore, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bennett, Johnny Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. James Briggs, Leona Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Stallings, Jimmy Stallings, Mr. and Mrs. Laymon Baker, Billy Tomason, and Sarah Haslip.

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Major Leaguers Turn Thumbs Down On Pacific Coast Loop

NEW YORK—(AP)—"The expansion of major league baseball to other territories is a virtual certainty during our lifetime," a high major league official prophesied Friday.

That prediction came Thursday in the form of a resolution that gave promise of better things to come.

In a carefully worded statement by Walter Mulbry, secretary to Commissioner A. B. Chandler, the

Rankin Invite Cage Tourney Scheduled

RANKIN—The Rankin invitational basketball tourney is scheduled Friday and Saturday.

Teams entered include: Rankin, Big Lake, Sterling City, Crane, Merzon, Fort Stockton, Eden and Barnhart.

Finals are carded Saturday night.

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League Of Women Voters To Hear Mrs. Taylor Cole

Among the speakers previously listed to feature the regular luncheon-meeting of the League of Women Voters, at 1 p. m. Saturday in the Scharbauer Hotel, is Mrs. Taylor Cole, who will discuss the economic situation in Europe as observed in her recent tour.

Mrs. Preston Lea, With Mrs. Paul Kolm, Entertain Jane Butler

A luncheon honoring Jane Butler, bride-elect, was given by Mrs. J. Preston Lea, Jr., and Mrs. Paul Kolm Thursday in the home of Mrs. Lea, 609 Cuthbert Street.

An attractively decorated table, carrying out the Christmas theme, was appointed with crystal and silver and held a floral centerpiece of red carnations in a crystal bowl, flanked by red candles in matching holders. Christmas dollies accented the centerpiece and service.

The hostesses presented a gift to the honoree. The guest list included Peggy Bissell, Mrs. Sally Fitzgerald, Mrs. Marjorie Gogwin, Mrs. Mary Ellen Conner, Dorothy Watson, Billie Walker, Frances Hill, the honoree and her mother, Mrs. John P. Butler.

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Mrs. M. Patton Gives Dramatic Reading For Fine Arts Club

Mrs. Merrill Patton presented a dramatic reading of Joe David Brown's "Stars in My Crown," to members of the Fine Arts Club at a Wednesday meeting in the home of Mrs. J. G. Garner, 2005 West College Street. Mrs. George Kidd assisted as co-hostess.

Arrangements of evergreens and poinsettias, carrying out the seasonal theme, attractively adorned the entertaining rooms.

Refreshments were served to the following: guests, Mrs. Cal Boykin, Mrs. J. Clifford Hall and Mrs. Harrie A. Smith; and members, Mrs. E. H. Barron, Mrs. Tom C. Bolo, Mrs. L. G. Byerley, Mrs. W. Bryant, Mrs. C. Garner, Mrs. Dewitt C. Haskin, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, Mrs. George Kidd, Mrs. Selman J. Lones, Mrs. Henry G. Murphy, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. B. R. Schabarum, Mrs. Harvey Sloan, Mrs. J. M. White and Mrs. Foy Proctor.

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Program On 'Greece' Features Beta Sigma Phi Chapter Meeting

A program on "Greece," featuring Dorothy Hamilton in a discussion of "Architecture, Sculpture and Music" and Wilma Ruth Holman in a discussion of "Art and Culture of the Greeks," was presented at a Thursday night meeting of the Xi Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi in the home of Mrs. G. B. Hallman, 409 West Dakota Street.

Mrs. Lucille Johnson, program chairman, introduced the program, and Mrs. S. R. McKinney, Jr., presided over a brief business session during which a letter from Mrs. W. G. Epley, on civic improvements, was read and suggestions made by the group.

The next meeting of the chapter is scheduled January 8 in the home of the president, Mrs. McKinney, 608 North San Angelo Street.

Members attending were Helen Barr, Enla Lee Cooper, Myrtle Dunca, Marguerite Fine, Margaret Gollwitzer, Paula Grubb, Laverne Hallman, Dorothy Hamilton, Wilma Ruth Holman, Lucille Johnson, Loren Jones, Janie McKinney, Juanita Potter, Faye Powers, Maedee Roberts, Dorothy Sain, Juanita Sherrod, Ruth Waldrep and Mary Zellner.

Mrs. W. C. Kimball, New Vice-President Of Progressive Club

Mrs. W. C. Kimball was elected vice president of the Progressive Study Club at a meeting Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Burl H Self 111 Club Drive, Mrs. Kimball will fill the vacancy created by the recent resignation of Mrs. George J. Byrne.

A guest speaker, Mrs. Ray Howard, reviewing Norah Loft's "The Silver Nutmeg," highlighted the program, which also included the reading by Mrs. A. A. Jones of a paper entitled "Christmas Rites and Customs" and the reading by Mrs. E. A. McCullough of an editorial, "Is There a Santa Claus?" from an 1897 edition of the New York Sun.

Christmas Party Planned During the business session conducted by Mrs. Cecil Waldrep, president, the group made plans for a Christmas party scheduled December 18. A letter from Mrs. W. G. Epley, a member of the Works Planning Board of the Chamber of Commerce, asking for suggestions from the club for the improvement of Midland, was read.

Those attending were Mrs. L. Otis Baggett, Mrs. W. E. Cox, Mrs. John Hill DeFord, Mrs. R. J. Hickman, Mrs. Lindley Latham, Mrs. C. W. Ledebur, Mrs. Burns McKinney, Mrs. H. E. Mills, Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Frank True, Mrs. Sol Bunnell, Mrs. L. M. Freels, Mrs. T. M. West, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. McCullough, Mrs. Waldrep and the hostess.

Chicago Opera Ballet Appears Here Friday

The internationally-known Page-Stone Chicago Opera Ballet will be presented at 8:15 p. m. Friday in the Midland High School Auditorium as the second program number of the current season of the Midland Concert and Lecture Association.

Guest night will be observed and members may bring children and guests. Guest tickets will be available at the door.

The 20-member cast is directed by Ruth Page and Bentley Stone, two of the best-known and most popular American dancers. The Page-Stone Ballet for nine seasons has been the official ballet of the Chicago Opera Company and has made numerous concert tours in the United States and abroad. It was the first American ballet to tour South America.

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Jane Butler Honored With Recent Luncheon In Culbertson Home

Miss Jane Butler, bride-elect, was honored with a recent luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. A. Cuthbert Street, Mrs. Cuthbert was co-hostess.

Entertaining rooms attractively decorated with tables centered with white of white crysanthemums. Among those attending were Mrs. Butler, Dorothy Watson, Billie Walker, Mrs. Sally Hill and Frances Hill of California.

Mrs. Lynn Durhan, Mrs. Dyer, Hostesses To La Merienda Club

Mrs. Lynn Durhan and Mrs. E. Dyer were hostesses to La Merienda Club members and guests with a luncheon at 1 p. m. Thursday in the Ranch House.

Those attending included: guests Mrs. William Wamsley, Mrs. T. P. Tarwater, Mrs. Charles Haynes and Mrs. J. T. Pierce; a new member Mrs. Arthur W. Cole, and Mrs. Louis A. Bartha, Mrs. Clinton Buffington, Mrs. J. R. Cantrell, Mrs. T. S. Edgington, Mrs. Murray Fasken, Mrs. Robert D. Fitting, Mrs. J. H. Floyd, Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, Mrs. Hugh Munn, Mrs. John V. Norman, Jr., Mrs. S. L. Parham, Mrs. W. F. Pomeroy, Jr., Mrs. Earl S. Ridge, Mrs. Robert Roark, Mrs. Burl F. Self, Mrs. James T. Smith and Mrs. Edward Turrentine.

Mrs. Milton Ingram Is Bridal Shower Honoree

CRANE — Mrs. Milton Ingram was honored with a Christmas bridal party this week at the Community Hall, with Mrs. J. R. Bell, Mrs. Rube Smith, Mrs. R. H. Dickson and Mrs. Herman Pettit as hostesses.

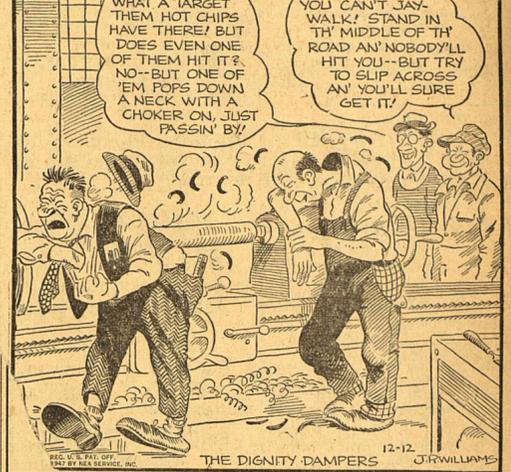
The honoree is the former Marjorie Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson.

A Christmas color scheme was used in decorations, consisting of red and white candles complemented with Christmas flowers.

Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Smith presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Pettit and Mrs. Dickson were in charge of presenting the gifts.

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McCamey News

McCAMEY. — Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Maxwell, former residents of McCamey, are visiting friends here. He has finished a course in a school of photography and plans to locate in Hobbs, N. M.

Miss Ruby Nelle Braly and Miss Jane McLean were guests of Mrs. James Buie in Odessa Saturday.

Raymond Cook, a student at John Tarleton, Stephenville, was listed on the honor roll the last semester with an average of 90 on all subjects.

Mrs. H. H. Dossett has returned from a weeks stay in Iran where she was at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Garner, who has been ill.

L. D. Stacy returned Wednesday from Mason where he went on a deer hunt.

The Young McCollum Auxiliary to VFW Post 5071, will entertain the post with a Christmas party December 19.

VFW and Auxiliary members attended a district convention in Pecos recently. Those attending were: Mrs. Burley McCollum, Mrs. C. L. Eddleman, Mrs. Gunnels, Mrs. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. James.

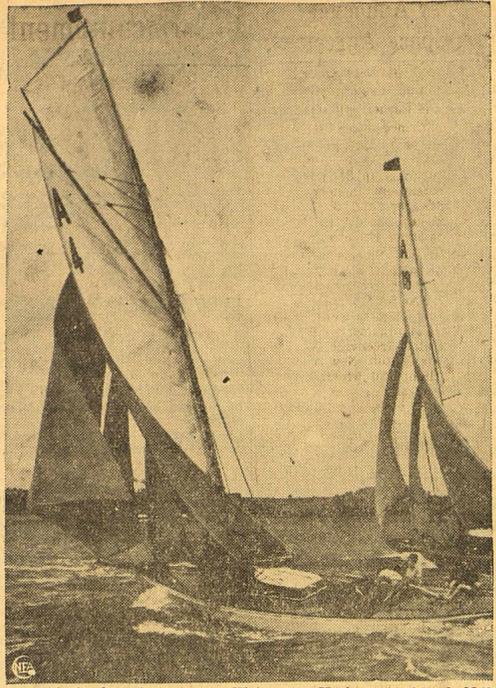
The 4-H Girls met at the High School Library recently when Miss Myrna Holman gave instructions on a number of ideas for Christmas decorations. She also demonstrated how to make various kinds of Christmas candles. A Christmas party is to be held December 20, at the home of Florence O'Callaghan.

The citizens of McCamey Wednesday were privileged to see an interesting and educational demonstration of an iron lung, which is making a tour of the country under the Mobile Health Unit, in the interest of the Infantile Paralysis menace.

TWO FINED FOR FIGHTING
Two Midland men were fined \$14.20 each, including costs, in justice court Thursday on charges of affray.

If hay is carried over for a year most of its vitamin A content disappears.

Stately Speed



Majestic keel yachts race in Waitemata Harbor, Auckland, N.Z. The boats, ranging from 40 to 60 feet in length, hold their own with any fleet of pleasure craft in the southern hemisphere

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority

My title for today's hand is "The saddest story ever told in bridge," and as long as I am telling you the facts, I will admit it happened to me. My partner was Jack Denny of Toledo and Philadelphia, who sat West.

When he bid four clubs, I was not sure whether or not he was playing the Fishbein convention. Nevertheless, when North bid four spades, I took a desperate chance and bid five diamonds, which South loudly doubled.

Denny of course was justified in redoubling. Why the opponents did not take the redouble out, I do not know. But if they had, there would have been no story. They could have made six spades without much trouble—but I was playing the hand at five diamonds.

South opened the king of spades, which I trumped in dummy with the eight of diamonds, discarding a small club from my own hand.

♠ QJ10983
 ♥ K106
 ♦ None
 ♣ Q1082

♠ None
 ♥ A Q 8 5
 ♦ 9 8
 ♣ A J 6 5 4

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♠ None
 ♥ J 9 4 2
 ♦ A K J 10
 ♣ K 9 7 3

♠ A K 7 6 5 4 2
 ♥ 7
 ♦ 6 5 4 3 2
 ♣ None

Tournament—E-W vul.
 South West North East
 3 ♠ 4 ♠ 4 ♠ 5 ♠
 Double Redouble Pass Pass
 Opening—♠ K 12

All-Night Sing-Song Scheduled At Lamesa

LAMESA—This city will host Saturday night to the Five County Singing Convention in an all-night session of gospel and class songs.

J. Lawrence Deavers of Snyder, convention president, said the all-night session will get underway at 7 p. m.

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It's easy to be annoying at an intersection. Just jog your car back and forth while waiting for the light to change. Foot traffic will be confused and have to wait till you're gone.

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CARNIVAL

I led the queen of diamonds from dummy, and North played the six of hearts. Yes, a red card—and I never imagined that South would be mean enough to hold five diamonds against me. So when South played a diamond, I assumed that everybody had followed, and that I had picked up all the trumps with three more leads. I next led a small heart and took the finesse. North won with the king and returned a spade, so I trumped with my last diamond, spread the hand and claimed the balance. I thought I had made the contract.

We were vulnerable, so we would have had a plus score of 1350 points. But the little girl sitting South insisted upon playing the hand out. I ran another heart, she trumped, and then she spread her hand, claiming the balance! Down I went, 1400 points, all because I thought that North's red card at trick two was a diamond. It was a difference of 2750 points.

Of course five diamonds could have been made by overtaking the first diamond lead when North showed out, and taking the heart finesse immediately. This would leave a diamond in dummy in case North returned a spade. If he returned a club or a heart, South could win only a trump trick.

Foreign investments in the United States increased about \$5,000,000 during World War II.

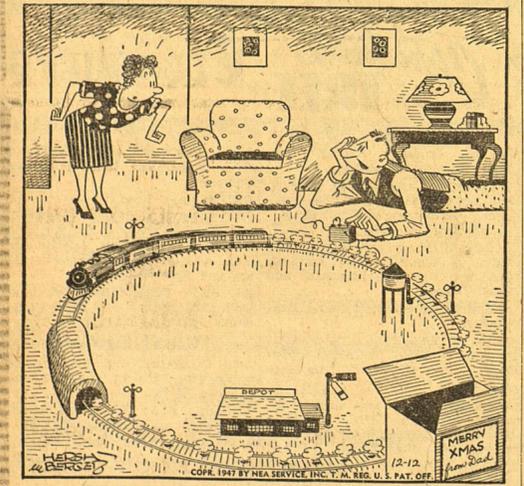
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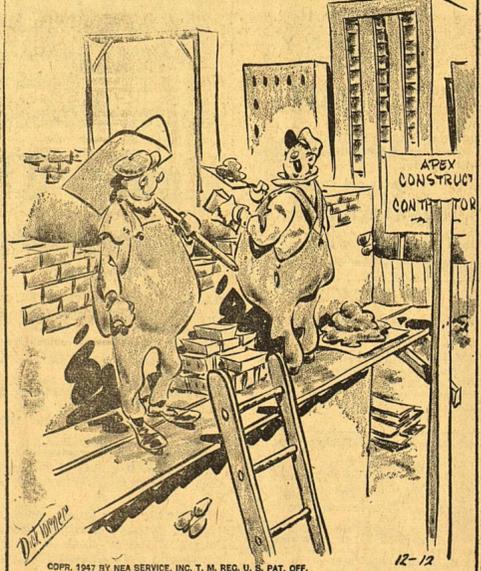
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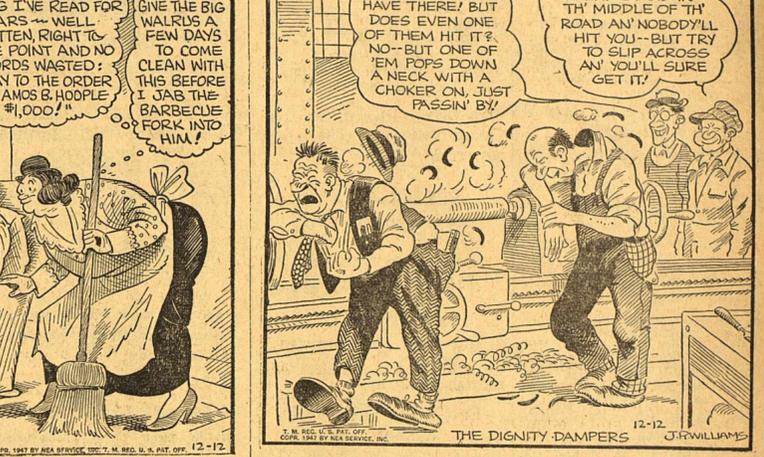
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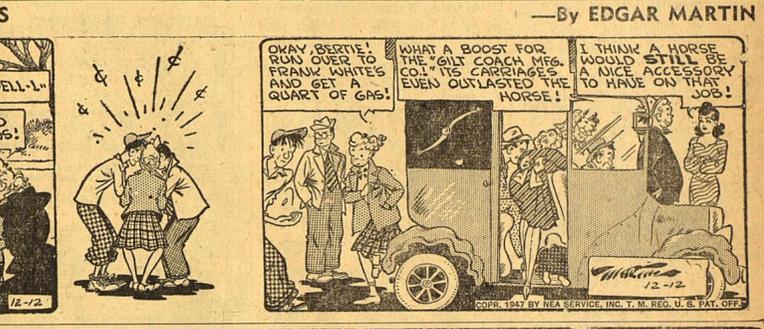


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Farley Says He's No 'Prodigal Son'

WASHINGTON —(P)— James A. Farley said he is no "prodigal son" from the household of the Democratic Administration. Amid roaring laughter, the one-time chairman of the Democratic National Committee and postmaster general told a gathering of postal officials Thursday night that he just had not been "invited" to come back before. Farley appeared at a testimonial dinner for the newly-appointed postmaster general, Jesse M. Donaldson.

Winter Diseases On Increase In State

AUSTIN —(P)— Winter was bringing mild increases in "cold weather" diseases last week in Texas, the Department of Health reported Friday. Influenza was up with 1,512 new cases this week in addition to the 1,501 new cases last week. Diphtheria had 46 new cases recorded the highest weekly occurrence this year. Scarlet fever had increased from 19 cases a month ago to 47 cases this week.

TOLL REACHES SEVEN IN COLLIERY BLAST

WILKES-BARRE, PA. —(P)— The death toll reached seven Friday in a gas explosion which ripped apart a section of Lehigh Coal Company's Franklin colliery.

Two blasts in rapid succession, 1,000 feet underground, killed five men outright. Two others died in hospitals.

State and federal authorities started an immediate investigation.

AGGIE EXES WOULD BUY NORTON CONTRACT

FORT WORTH —(P)— Sixty former Texas A&M students Thursday night formed an organization, "Aggies-Unlimited," for the purpose of a fund-raising campaign to buy up the contract of Aggie Football Coach Homer Norton.

A total of \$1,200 was pledged at the meeting, and the group set a tentative goal of \$3,000 for their part of the campaign.

ANCIENT BIBLE RUINED

DAMASCUS, SYRIA —(P)— The Aleppo newspaper Attatqaddom reported Friday that mobs, in a recent orgy of destruction, put the torch to a 2,750-year-old synagogue in the Jewish quarter of Aleppo, ruining a library which included a priceless ancient Bible.

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Roman Police Rout Communists

ROME —(P)— Jeep-borne police riot squads, swinging clubs, charged surging crowds Friday in the heart of strike-bound Rome, as throngs chanted the Communist anthem "Red Flag."

Police quickly cleared the crowds, in the Piazza Colonna, from their concentration point below the windows of the Italian Foreign Office. The crowd gave way, jeering and hooting.

Two Associated Press photographers from the United States, J. Walter Green and Frank Noel, were struck on the head by police clubs, but suffered no serious injury. They continued working after identifying themselves.

The Ministry of Interior announced that 23 persons were arrested when demonstrators erected a road block on one of Rome's bridges in the Via Nomentana. Another 40 or 50 demonstrators were arrested in the Piazza Colonna.

Close Stock Exchange

In the Piazza Risorgimento, near the Vatican walls, police in jeeps charged a throng of demonstrators, breaking one youth's leg and knocking down a woman who was selling black market cigarettes. Rome's black marketeers are not participating in the strike.

Dispatches from Milan said that the stock exchange in that city was invaded again by demonstrators, compelling it to suspend its session. Throughout Rome, jeep loads of police circulated constantly.

'Look To Him' For Faith, Says Speaker

The Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor of the First Baptist Church, told Midland Jay-Cees, at a luncheon meeting Friday in the Scharbauer Hotel, "The faith of your Christmas theme is embodied in the Lord Jesus Christ."

"Toward a Greater Faith" is the theme of the Christmas activities program of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The speaker said "Christ is the object of greater faith. Your Christmas program is far-reaching. You exercise faith every day in every scheme of life, and you should exercise faith in the Babe of Bethlehem."

A translation of "Glory to God in the highest, peace on earth among men with whom God is well pleased," was explained by Yearby. "Look to him," the speaker said. Ernest Neill presided as program chairman. Riley Parr of the Jay-Cees public health committee welcomed members as to blood types for a donor list, to be kept at the hospital.

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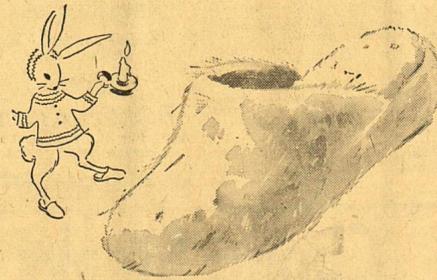
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