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Citations For Service

Shine Phillips, center, and D. M. McKinney, right, receive the Big Spring Rotary Club's citation for service to the community. Jim Fryar, left, Rotary president, made the presentations at the club's luncheon program yesterday. Phillips, veteran druggist, author and local historian, was honored for nearly a half century of "service above self." Declaring that Phillips' contributions to the community

are too numerous to list, Fryar called attention to Shine's years of devotion to the needs of the underprivileged. McKinney was cited for his efforts in directing the 1956 United Fund campaign. Speaker at the luncheon was the Rt. Rev. George H. Quarterman, Episcopal bishop of North Texas.

4 Men Held In Alleged Theft Of Valuable Gulf Oil Maps

NEW YORK (AP)—The FBI has arrested four men here in connection with the alleged theft of top-secret oil exploration maps that a government attorney says are "worth millions."

The maps, federal authorities said, were stolen from the Pittsburgh offices of the Gulf Oil Corp. by an employee they said wanted to sell them to pay off gambling debts to New York racketeers.

The arrests yesterday followed a raid on the offices of the U. S. Tackless Corp. in the Bronx. FBI agents said they recovered many of the oil company's geological and seismic maps at the offices of the carpet firm.

In Pittsburgh, a spokesman for Gulf Oil Corp. said to the best knowledge of the company none of its high level officials was involved.

Among the four arrested on charges of transporting stolen property across state lines was Odie Richard Seagraves, 70, well-known Texas oil and natural gas promoter. Seagraves denied any connection with the alleged theft of the oil maps.

Also arrested was Emanuel Lester, 32, already in jail awaiting sentence for trying to extort more than half a million dollars from the late financial manipulator Serge Rubinstein. Federal officials said Seagraves was a former partner of Rubinstein in the early 1940s. The officials said the two Rubinstein connections were coincidental, as far as they knew.

The others seized were John Marvin Leivia, 34, Orange, Tex., and Edward Lieberman, 30, the

Bronx, listed as president of Tackless and identified as Lester's brother.

If convicted, each could get a 10-year prison term and a fine of \$10,000.

In Pittsburgh, Archie D. Gray, general counsel for Gulf, said the thefts, involving maps of potential oil-producing areas in the Southwest, Canada and the Near East, were discovered by the company a year ago.

He said Gulf became aware that the maps were missing when the company discovered lands it had surveyed in the Southwest were being snapped up by wildcat operators before Gulf could take leases on them. Gray said Gulf immediately assigned private detectives to watch the handful of trusted employees who have access to "top-secret" maps.

In Pittsburgh, U. S. Atty. D. Malcolm Anderson said a Gulf employe there got "deeply in debt while gambling with New York racketeers and took a few of the maps to square himself." Anderson said the information contained in the stolen maps was "worth millions" to the company.

Anderson said New York racketeers soon realized the tremendous value of the maps and pressed the employe to steal more. Anderson said no Gulf employe has been arrested. Anderson said the FBI has evidence that "a small portion of the maps were offered for sale for \$500,000."

Another set of three maps allegedly was offered for \$50,000. Neither of the sales was completed, however, authorities said.

Anderson said the government's chief concern was to get back all the maps. Now that most of them have been recovered, he said, the investigation will be conducted at a "somewhat more leisurely pace."

Authorities said the ring not only tried to sell the maps but actually set up drilling operations in the Southwest and tried to cash in on the Gulf company's oil surveys themselves.

Arraigned before a U. S. commissioner here, Seagraves and Lieberman were released in \$5,000 bail. Leivia was released in his own recognizance. Lester remained in jail. A hearing was set for Dec. 27.

Seagraves, who former associates say made and lost huge fortunes half a dozen times, has been a well-known figure since the 1920s in Houston and Texas business circles. He is credited with having brought natural gas to Houston.

He and W. L. Moody III of Galveston, Tex., set up a series of companies that acquired gas properties which eventually became a part of the United Gas Corp. system.

Mass Treason Trial Begins In S. Africa

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP)—South Africa's tensely awaited mass treason trial began in a closely guarded court today while 5,000 Africans demonstrated outside.

In all 152 white, colored (mixed blood) and black defendants appeared in a drill hall which had been converted into a courtroom. They included ministers, journalists, lawyers and executives of various organizations.

The list of defendants left no doubt that persons and groups opposing the Nationalist government's apartheid, or racial separation, policy, were the targets.

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Half - Inch Rain Measured In City

Big Spring got a welcome Christmas present Wednesday morning—a week ahead of Christmas day. Although the gift was deeply appreciated, most residents of the town were muttering Oliver Twist and pleading loudly for "more."

The gift was a brisk shower which began falling early Wednesday night, and which continued unabated until 9:30 a. m. It dumped anywhere from 1/4 to half an inch of badly needed moisture on the parched town. It was Big Spring's and Howard County's share of rains which saturated workmen was his own idea and not Egypt's. Egypt has declared it will not permit British and French crews to be used.

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Mrs. Jennie Belle Purser Dies After Heart Attack

Mrs. Jennie Belle Purser, 74, wife of Frank M. Purser, died in a hospital here at 6:40 p. m. Tuesday, less than two hours after suffering a heart attack.

For nearly a quarter of a century she had served as the Big Spring Independent School District tax assessor-collector. She also has been a Sunday School teacher for that long.

"Aunt Jennie," as hundreds of friends knew her, had overcome some serious and prolonged illnesses, and apparently was in reasonably good health at the time she was stricken suddenly.

Services will be held at 4 p. m. Thursday at the Nalley-Pickle Chapel with the Rev. Clyde Nichols, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. Burial will be in the City Cemetery beside the grave of a daughter.

Aunt Jennie was born Nov. 5, 1882, in Marquez as Jennie Webster. She was married to Mr. Purser on Aug. 25, 1904 at Walnut Springs. They came to Big Spring in 1914.

She was active in her (First Christian) church as long as health permitted and for more than 25 years she was the teacher of the Bluebonnet Sunday School Class. She took a leading role in other affairs of the church, too.

In 1926, tragedy struck when their only daughter, Marion Elizabeth, died following the bite of a spider. Partly to keep busy, Aunt Jennie accepted an offer to become

Oil Men Split On Desired Allowable

AUSTIN (AP)—Major oil companies today asked the Texas Railroad Commission for 17 days of production in January and independents demanded that the commission continue its 16-day pattern.

The effect of the major oil companies demand would be an increase of crude oil production next month, which the independents said was not desirable.

The commission took no immediate action on setting next month's permissive flow, but said it would issue an order as soon as possible.

The independents argued against any increase, saying that pipeline prorations continued in West Texas.

A. E. Herrmann, president of the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners' Assn., told the commission:

"On the basis of spot surveys, it appears there are no less than 7,700 unconnected wells in the State of Texas.

"In other words, we believe it is the desire of some companies to continue to have the Texas oil economy geared to excessive imports."

Major company crude oil nominations to the commission prior to the hearing showed an increase in demand for January of 142,000 barrels a day. But Charles Shaver, representing Humble said that his company had received requests for an additional 100,000 barrels a day for export.

This lifted the total major oil buyers' nominations to a whopping 242,000 barrels daily.

Humble asked for 18 days of production in January, stating that the company was selling 604,000 barrels in the United States and 170,000 barrels a day for export.

"It is clear that there is a serious and urgent need for the Railroad Commission to adopt orders for the rest of December and January to meet this unusual demand," Shaver said.

Armed Parents Await Word From Kidnaped Daughter

DALY CITY, Calif. (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mowatt armed themselves and waited today for some word of their 17-year-old daughter, taken from home at gunpoint by her mentally disturbed husband.

A statewide hunt for Clo Ann Mowatt Wiegner, her 16-year-old husband Mike and another escaped mental patient, Jesse Eastman, 35, of Oakland, failed to turn up a clue.

Police said Wiegner and Eastman entered the Mowatt home Monday night, bound the girl's

parents and dragged off the protesting girl.

The Mowatts feared for their own safety because they ignored the men's warning not to inform police.

Both Wiegner and Eastman were charged with kidnaping, armed robbery, assault with a deadly weapon, burglary and theft of Mowatt's automobile. They escaped from Napa State Hospital Monday.

Probation officer Anthony Lovey said the Wiegners eloped in November and were married in Superior, Mont.

Britain Holds Out Possible Partition Pact For Cyprus

LONDON (AP)—Britain today held out the possibility of partitioning the island of Cyprus between the colony's Greek and Turkish speaking peoples.

Colonial Secretary Alan Lennox-Boyd couped an offer of a new constitution to give limited self-rule to Cypriots with a conditional promise that Britain would consider allowing the islanders to choose their own political future inside or outside the British Empire.

The Greek-speaking majority has been waging a violent campaign for self-determination—the right to join Greece.

On this point Lennox-Boyd told the House of Commons:

"It will be the purpose of Her Majesty's government to insure

that any exercise of self-determination should be effected in such a manner that the Turkish-Cypriot community, no less than the Greek-Cypriot community, shall, in the special circumstances of Cyprus, be given freedom to decide for themselves their future status.

"In other words Her Majesty's government recognize that the exercise of self-determination in such a mixed population must include partition among the eventual options."

The promise that Britain would consider granting the right of self-determination was conditioned by two factors:

1. The international and strategic situation must be favorable.
2. Self-government must be working "satisfactorily."

Oil Average Up

TULSA, Okla. (AP)—Crude oil and lease condensate output for the week ended Dec. 15 rose 5,375 barrels from the previous week to average 7,277,825 barrels daily, the Oil and Gas Journal reported today.

VA GROUP AND CLUB AID FUND

Two fine groups, the American Business Club and the employees at the VA Hospital, gave the Christmas Cheer Fund a needed "shot in the arm" today.

From the ABC came a check for \$100, from the VA employe group a \$25 gift.

These assists brought the Fund to \$1,312.85.

To do its full job the Fund needs a little more money, and those who will help bring Christmas Cheer into poor homes are urged again to send gifts promptly. Make checks to CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND, and mail them to The Herald, or hand to any city fireman.

'Minimum Time' Retaliation By Air Force Pointed Up

DENVER (AP)—The U. S. Air Force is capable of launching a retaliatory strike force "in minimum time," the air chief of staff said last night.

Speaking to Air Force Academy cadets, Gen. Nathan F. Twining disclosed that more than 1,000 B47 Air Force medium bombers flew nonstop missions averaging 8,000 miles in a two-week period ended Dec. 11.

He also recalled that a few days earlier eight B52 jet bombers circled the continent in 24-hour-plus flights, logging as many as 17,000 nonstop miles.

"This is the first time that the nation's strategic Air Force has tested the operational capability of its strike force in such large numbers during such a short period of time," Twining said.

"This demonstrated ability of nations to deliver powerful weapons by air has clearly taken the profit out of war," he noted in a lecture commemorating the Wright brothers' first flight in 1903.

The operation meant that within a fortnight the swift bombers, reeling in the air, flew a total of

eight million miles.

Twining said the Strategic Air Command in its mission "dramatically demonstrated the potentiality of our B52, the world's hardest-hitting, longest-ranging jet bombers."

Eight of the B52 bombers made simulated combat missions circling the North American continent. They ranged as far north as the North Pole.

"All eight bettered the previous B52 record of 24 hours aloft," Twining said, "and in doing so flew nonstop flights as long as

17,000 miles."

He did not disclose specific routes or bases from which the B47s operated.

Twining predicted that by 1961 the Air Force procurement budget will be split 50-50 between new aircraft and guided missiles.

"Right now we are coming into the missile era," he said.

The 1954 procurement budget went about 90 per cent for aircraft and 10 per cent for missiles. The 1958 budget will see about 35 per cent allocated for missiles, Twining added.

Dag May Turn Down Plea On Suez Clearance

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP)—U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold is expected to turn down recommendations from his top advisers in Egypt that British-French salvage crews be used to help clear the blocked Suez Canal.

Informed sources indicated Hammarskjold felt the U. N. salvage fleet he has been organizing will be able to do the job quickly and efficiently without any help from Britain and France.

The secretary general said in a statement last night the U. N. had built up a fleet "able to begin operations immediately."

Hammarskjold was reported to have 10 salvage ships ready to start removing sunken ships, bridges and other debris as soon as the last British and French units leave Egypt. The salvage vessels have been drawn from Denmark, the Netherlands, Germany, Italy and Belgium.

Another 10 ships are scheduled to reach the canal area by tomorrow and 11 others are due there later this month.

Hammarskjold also was said to have 600 crewmen, divers, salvage experts and others lined up to begin the clearing operation, which diplomats estimate can cost as much as 60 million dollars.

A U. N. spokesman said Hammarskjold's decision to use neutral workmen was his own idea and not Egypt's. Egypt has declared it will not permit British and French crews to be used.

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MORE GIFTS TO HUNGARIANS

The community's share for Hungarian relief took a nice jump today, thanks to a generous gift from employes of the Veterans Administration Hospital. This was for \$100, biggest gift received to date, and with two other donations totaling \$15, the Hungarian Relief Fund now stands at \$374. At least \$500 more is needed to meet this community's assignment in the U. S. program to help dispossessed people caught up in the fight for freedom.

Those who will help are asked to make checks to the RED CROSS, and to forward them to The Herald for acknowledgment and clearance.

'Friendly Move' By U. S. Urged

WASHINGTON (AP)—Indian Prime Minister Nehru said today he had given the "thinking" of Red Chinese premier Chou En-lai to President Eisenhower—including the Red view that it is time for the United States to make a friendly move toward Communist China.

Nehru told a 45-minute news conference that his talks with Eisenhower here had shown him that United States policy "is not as rigid as I had thought." He indicated this might apply to the U. S. attitude toward Red China but said he could not say specifically.

Nehru also said he thinks the United States and Russia are "not far apart" on problems of how to establish a worldwide disarmament system. The great difficulty between them, he said, is a lack of confidence and the most urgent need is for measures to create confidence.

The news conference at the National Press Club drew some 200 reporters. It was broadcast by CBS TV-radio and NBC TV.

Responding rapidly to dozens of questions, Nehru asserted that he thinks the changes which have occurred in the Soviet Union since Josef Stalin died are fundamental and the "post-Stalinist policy cannot be suppressed."

He said he doubted that any Communist country could ever become a parliamentary democracy like the United States or India, but he said that he thought "other forms" of democracy which would express the popular will "will almost inevitably take shape."

Nehru expressed hope that 10 Americans still held in Communist China "will be released" but he said it would be "embarrassing" to talk about the problem of these Americans in any detail since the matter was one for another government and that what he could say about it might not be true.

But in reference to Red China's Chou En-lai, who completed a trip to India just before Nehru came here, the Indian statesman said "obviously we have discussed this with him and will discuss it with him."

Nehru has a date to have a second meeting with Chou En-lai at New Delhi on Dec. 30.

One of the first questions put to Nehru was whether he had given Eisenhower any message from the Chinese Communist Premier.

"I did not bring any particular message from Chou En-lai," he said. "Naturally I had talks with him and I gave the President the gist of our talks in regard to matters of common interest."

"As you know, Chou En-lai is a rather remarkable man and impressive. He gave me China's viewpoint on certain problems in Asia. I conveyed it to the President in a message but as to what their thinking was, they have certain complaints on steps taken or not taken."

"They say—and here I am merely repeating—that 'We have gone several steps forward but there has been no favorable reaction from the other side.'"

Nehru emphasized that he was not saying whether this was right or wrong but that it was what Chou said to him.

Speaking generally of his long talks with President Eisenhower, Nehru said they have helped him gain "a much better understanding of American policy."

And, he said, his meetings with the President have given him more knowledge of Eisenhower's "thinking, which is very important."

Among other observations by the Indian leader were these:

1. "I imagine that the people in the Soviet Union are not very happy about events in Hungary."
2. "We are anxious of course that steps be taken to reopen the (Suez) canal, subject always to the sovereignty of Egypt. We don't want steps that will harm that sovereignty in any way."

In response to a question, he said he thinks "the Suez Canal should be open to all ships of all nations."

Nehru suggested that the World Court at The Hague be asked to rule whether Egypt has the right to ban Israeli shipping from the canal.

President Nasser of Egypt takes the position that the 1858 convention which guarantees freedom of navigation does not apply to Israeli shipping, he said.

A reporter alluded to Nehru's radio-TV broadcast last night in which the Indian leader expressed confidence that peace will prevail, although saying the danger of war is not past. He noted—also that Nehru had spoken in India as standing for freedom of all human spirit, and asked how the Prime Minister reconciled this pronouncement with India's "refusal to condemn Russia's action in Hungary."

"It is not a question of condemning anybody," Nehru replied. "India itself sponsored a resolution in the United Nations on the situation. It is a question whether we are going to do more by condemning, or by putting forward a constructive proposal. We thought the constructive approach better. We expressed our own disapproval of what happened there in very strong terms."

4 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT
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Train To Nowhere

Egyptian police and train crewmen wave from the flower-decked engine of a train at Ismailia, Egypt, before an abortive attempt to move 1,500 police to Port Said to take over from evacuating Anglo-French forces. By agreement with United Nations Emergency Force, Egypt was to send 320 policemen to Port Said. In an apparent mix-up, 1,500 were loaded aboard the train at Ismailia and given festive send-off. After the train stood still most of the day, the police were unloaded again and billeted in Ismailia.

Hungarians Gain Christmas Spirit

BUDAPEST (AP)—The Christmas shopping season is in full swing in Budapest, and it's a scramble even to get a Christmas tree. Despite all the suffering of their still-smouldering revolt, the Hungarians seem determined to make their traditional festival as merry as possible, especially for the children. Christians are wondering if the government and the Soviet occupation authorities will suspend the 9 p.m. curfew for midnight church services Christmas Eve. Most of the faithful appear willing to defy the curfew if necessary to maintain this tradition. Christmas shopping in Budapest and other Hungarian cities is marked by (1) high prices, (2) shoddy quality in toys and textiles compared with Western standards and (3) mammoth queues. One blessing is that food, including meats and butter, appears more plentiful. But there are long lines at the food shops too. In front of the department stores and toy shops of downtown Rakoczi Street the queues are tremendous—at one place nearly three blocks long, four persons abreast. Police lines hold the customers back, letting them enter the stores in groups of about 60 every 20 minutes or so. When they get what they can buy, the shoppers still must get home with their purchases. Public transport is so inadequate many have to trudge for hours. At a downtown square one afternoon this week nearly 1,000 people were queuing at a single bus stop. On nearly every streetcar and bus people cling like flies to the platforms and the rear bumpers. Often it is an actual physical scramble to get a Christmas tree, and many families won't get one. The official price for trees is 16 forints (\$1.45 at the official exchange rate) per meter (39 inches). Most of the trees on sale are scrubby saplings for tables. A better one runs at least 20 forints per meter and takes some searching. Hungary has to import most of its trees from Czechoslovakia and Rumania, and the revolt disrupted transport for weeks. Most of the toys are also imported from East Germany or Czechoslovakia. A small, cheaply made wooden sled costs 80 to 160 forints (\$7.20-\$14.40). Dolls run from 20 forints (\$1.80) to 300 and 400 (\$27-\$36). The unusual plenty of meat now appears to be due to two main factors: (1) most experts stopped during the fighting and the chaos that followed; (2) many peasants slaughtered their livestock and fowls in fear of confiscation and starvation during the fighting.

Virginia, Of Letter Fame, Is Now A School Principal

By IRISH DONNELLY
NEW YORK (AP)—Once upon a time there was a little girl named Virginia O'Hanlon who believed in Santa Claus. Her faith was a source of great delight, but one day her friends started teasing her. "There's no Santa Claus. It's your mother and father," they told her. Virginia was shaken, but she was not one to let go lightly anything so precious as her belief in Santa. So she consulted her father, Dr. Philip F. O'Hanlon. Then she sat down and scribbled in a childish hand the following letter to the old New York Sun: "Dear Editor: I am 8 years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says 'If you see it in the Sun it's so.' Please tell me the truth: is there a Santa Claus?" Virginia O'Hanlon, 115 West 95th Street. Virginia got her answer in one of the most famous newspaper editorials ever written. "Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus," the editorial by Francis Pharcellus Church began. "He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist. . . . That was in 1897. Today Virginia is Dr. Laura V. Douglas, principal of Brooklyn P.S. 401. She is the mother of a daughter and grandmother of seven children, all of whom believe in Santa Claus. "It has been a wonderful thing to have my own daughter and to work with children. It has kept me young in heart," she said today. "I am very happy." She and her staff instruct children in hospitals—children suffering serious illnesses such as heart conditions, cerebral palsy, polio and malnutrition, which keep them hospitalized more than three weeks. She started her Christmas season visits 10 days ago and will see 214 children in 11 hospitals before Dec. 25, helping to keep alive their belief in Santa Claus just as the editorial bolstered hers.

Legislators Favor Redistricting But No One Has The Solution

Editor's Note: Members of the Legislature were asked by The Associated Press to say what they considered to be the most important issue for the session starting Jan. 8. Here is another of several answers submitted up their replies to the poll.

By GARTH JONES
AUSTIN (AP)—A good many state legislators want redistricting—both congressional and judicial—but none of them has a prepared cure to the long-discussed problem. Several frankly said, in answering the Associated Press' annual

poll of legislators on expected major issues, that they have little hope of the 55th Legislature finding a solution to the problem. "I think there should be congressional redistricting but have no hope," said Sen. David W. Ratliff of Stamford. Texas gained a new congressman in 1953 when the 1950 census showed the necessary increase in population. Technically this meant that the state's congressional rep-

resentation—at the ratio of one representative from about each 350,000 Texans—would come from 22 congressional districts in the state, based on population of the area. Actually, because the Legislature has not acted, the Texas congressmen come from only 21 districts with one member named statewide as congressman-at-large. Texas has not had a congressional redistricting since 1933, when 18 districts were made into 21, doing away with three congressmen-at-large posts. "It is high time that the Legislature carries out their obligation to redistrict the state as required by the Constitution," Rep. Louis H. Anderson of Midland said in the AP poll. "Congressional redistricting is a must," said Sen. Bruce Reagan of Corpus Christi. Sen. George Parkhouse of Dallas said that congressional redistricting should be done by the next Legislature "but, of course, there will be a considerable difference of opinion on how it should be worked out."

"As congressional redistricting now exists it provides poor representation of the people of Texas in Washington, since where one representative now in Congress has a small population, another representative has over one million people in his district," said Rep. Tom Joseph of Waco. Sen. Searcy Bracewell of Houston, who also is a candidate for the U. S. Senate, promised to introduce redistricting legislation "as I have in the past two sessions. This is vital to Harris County, as the congressional district is now the largest in the United States. The difficulty in getting redistricting legislation passed is tremendous. I think it is neces-

Yuletide Business 'Coming To Life'

NEW YORK (AP)—"Christmas business," says a big New York retailer, "has been pretty awful. But it's coming to life now." A leading Washington merchant, who had kept his fingers crossed during most of December, reports a sudden buying spurt last Friday and Saturday followed by "very strong" sales this week.

He says: "We think this shopping season will end up with a bang, not only locally but all over the country." This sudden switch in retailer sentiment was disclosed in an Associated Press survey of Christmas shopping trends in 25 major cities. Up until last week, many merchants were despondent. Now some are beginning to smile again. "It will be a good Christmas," says a department store executive in Pittsburgh. "Nothing can stop that."

Optimists who figure there might still be a good chance of beating last year's record buying binge are comparing the 1956 shopping pattern with 1951. Then as now, Christmas came after a lull rather than before the fourth weekend in December, creating the illusion in many people's minds that they had more time to shop. Merchants recall that Christmas sales in 1951 lagged during most of the season but that a sudden surge of buying in the final week swept retailers' shelves clean. Now, they contend, there are signs that 1956 may be repeated. Consensus among retailers is that total Christmas sales will set new records but the gains over 1955 will be slight.

W. G. Austin, manager of the Kansas City Merchants Assn., states: "We can't possibly recover what has been lost so far this year. But I think the Christmas season is going to end up one per cent over last year." In Chicago, W. T. White, general manager of Wieboldt's, asserts: "We have every reason to believe this year's sales will make or break the sales levels of last year." A spokesman for Goldblatt's cautiously adds: "It all depends on the weather." Declines are looked for in the Pacific Northwest, where sagging demand for lumber has depressed wages and heavy snows have snarled traffic. Portland, Ore., merchants say business is off about 5 per cent. In Seattle, where a heavy snowstorm was preceded by a bus strike, earlier hopes for a 3 to 8 per cent increase have been tossed aside. Newspaper strikes have cut into Christmas sales in Kansas City and Cleveland. Boston retailers are counting on an 11th hour spending spree, with credit figuring prominently as a sales tool. Richmond, Va., stores complain that high costs are eating into profits. Texas merchants expect profits to be lower this season despite a 3 per cent gain in sales. Philadelphia's big John Wanamaker store says its sales should be up 3 to 5 per cent. Gimbel's and Macy's in New York balk at giving percentage figures—Macy's says only that "the final score isn't in yet." Gimbel's, however, reports "tremendous gains" over last year for its big new suburban branch in the Yonkers-N.Y., Cross County Shopping Center.

sary that emphasis be placed on the matter by the governor, lieutenant governor and speaker of the House." Some legislators stressed the need for revamping judicial districts where population growths and shifts have caused inequalities in the number of cases handled by different courts. "Some courts have too much work. Other courts have too lit-

tle," said Sen. R. A. Weinert of Seguin in favor of redistricting. Rep. Joe Lee Hensley of San Antonio favored "judicial and congressional redistricting and additional district, county courts at law, domestic relations and probate courts where needed."

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LONDON (AP)—Louis Armstrong blew and blew for Hungarian relief last night, and then the 100-piece Royal Philharmonic Orchestra came on to play Liszt's Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2. The shouting, stamping audience—many in evening dress—at the Royal Festival Hall would not have it. They chanted, "We want Satch, we want Satch. . . ." So the orchestra filed off the platform and Satchmo came back with his hot trumpet for five encores, while the Duke of Kent, the Earl and Countess of Harwood and Hon. Gerald Lascelles and hundreds of others applauded for more. It was one of the greatest ovations ever given to the American musician who started in a wails' home in New Orleans.

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Senator Suggests Nasser Visit U. S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Flanders (R-Vt.) proposed today that President Eisenhower invite Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser to a conference here as a move toward a Middle East settlement.

Flanders made the proposal in an interview as other senators disapproved of the advisability of inviting Yugoslavia's Marshal Tito to come to Washington.

Secretary of State Dulles said yesterday a visit by Tito might serve a useful purpose. He said Eisenhower is considering the idea. From other sources it was learned that Tito has reacted favorably to U.S. overtures.

Flanders said he thinks Eisenhower might be able to help the world take a long step toward peace if he would follow up his conferences with India's Prime Minister Nehru by talking face to face with both Tito and Nasser.

"I would like to see Nasser on the front porch at the Gettysburg farm, where Nehru was," he said. "I believe that out of the conversation of the two men might come something tangible in the

way of a Middle Eastern settlement."

Flanders said he wasn't proposing that Eisenhower act independently of the British and French, who say Nasser brought on the Middle East crisis by seizing the Suez Canal. He said U. S. allies ought to be consulted and it should be made plain that the President was seeking only a settlement and was not endorsing Nasser's policies.

Sen. Sparkman (D-Ala.) said in a separate interview any such move is up to Eisenhower.

"I think President Eisenhower has an extraordinary opportunity at this time to better international relations," Sparkman said. "I must say I think our handling of foreign affairs has improved since he took charge of them personally. I think it would be all right for him to invite Tito to come over here for talks."

However, Sen. McClellan (D-Ark.) said that "unless there is some specific gain to be made that I don't know anything about, I would be wholly opposed to having him come here."

Fire Losses In City Stand At Half Of Total Last Year

For the second straight month, losses from fire in Big Spring totaled less than \$1,000.

As a result, the year's record continues at about half of comparable period last year.

Losses for November amounted to \$931.88, and the October total was \$205.40. In comparison with

November of 1955, however, last month was about the same. The loss total for November, 1955, was \$936.75.

November's total brings the year's figure to \$34,346.32. The total for the first 11 months of 1955 was \$65,325.43.

Property damage resulted from only two of the 14 fires in the city during the month. No damage to buildings was reported. On Nov. 5, damage to the contents of the residence of 1202 W. 6th, amounted to \$900. The house belonged to A. L. Smith of Midland.

Grief Slows Boy In Joining Game

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—Teachers at Central Riverside School were a little puzzled, then wet-eyed when a lad in the second grade was slow in joining a Christmas game.

In a game each child takes his turn in filling in a line of a song about what Santa is to bring.

Principal Altha McLendon said the child was one of four attending the school after their mother died of a brain tumor. The father struggled to care for them but now is in a hospital so a grandmother is watching out for them.

The smallest of the four—the one who had balked at the song—finally was persuaded to say what he wants for Christmas: "A wheelchair for Daddy."

Killed Near Midland

MIDLAND (AP)—W. A. Shuler, 57, of Austin, was killed 10 miles east of here yesterday in a car accident.

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Safety Council Sees Record Holiday Deaths

CHICAGO (AP)—Traffic deaths will soar to a new record during the Christmas holiday period, the National Safety Council said today, unless motorists drive better than they ever did before.

The council estimated that 660 Americans may be killed on the streets and roads during the long holiday weekend — from 6 p. m. (local time) Friday to midnight Tuesday.

The highest toll for any holiday period was 609, compiled during last year's three-day Christmas celebration.

The council said the forecast increase is based upon an extra day of holiday observation and the fact that motor vehicle deaths were running ahead of last year's at latest count.

Ned H. Dearborn, council president, urged motorists to drive as though their lives depended on it — to join in a "drive for life."

"It would be an unprecedented safety demonstration if the toll could be held below 600," he said in a statement. "It could be done with a real effort by drivers and enforcement authorities."

The council reported that a special study of last year's Christmas holiday traffic accidents showed:

"Fifty-five per cent of the drivers involved had been drinking, compared with a normal proportion of about 20 per cent. Speed was a factor in 85 per cent of the Christmas accidents, but enters into only 35 per cent of the accidents at other times."

Statistical Abstract Available At C-C

The latest edition of the Statistical Abstract of the United States is now available for reference use at the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

The Statistical Abstract has been published annually since 1878 as a standard summary of statistics on the industrial, social, political, and economic organization of the United States. With the Census Bureau serving as compiler, 83 agencies of government and 56 private firms and research organizations cooperated in furnishing statistics for the 1956 edition containing 1,065 pages, 1,176 tables and 47 charts, totaling a half million facts.

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A Bible Thought For Today

The LORD is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit. (Psalms 35:18)

Editorial

A Tremendous Musical Success

Sunday the combined choirs of the First Methodist Church, Howard County Junior College and Webb AFB, plus several other local voices, were heard in an extraordinary presentation of Handel's "Messiah." As was the case with a similar arrangement just prior to Easter, the result was terrific.

Most people were amazed not only by the effectiveness of the young people under the deft directorship of Orland Johnson, but also by the fact that there are so many talented singers here. The combined choir was provided depth and richness by the young men from Webb, and we hope that for a long time to come the base will maintain a choral organization. This is another splendid example of how our base is part of our community.

By the same token, the young people from HCC contributed much toward the success of the undertaking, providing a

musical zest that made the choir alive and pulsating. And the voices from the First Methodist and other church choirs gave maturity, polished quality and finesse to the program.

The soloists, without exception, were outstanding. Mr. Ira Schantz of Texas Tech, was superb, as expected, but Mrs. Paul Wagner, Mrs. Don Newson, Lt. Harvey Dree and Joyce Howard were all brilliant in their passages. Too much cannot be said for the tremendous performance of Lt. Charles Webb at the console of the organ, for he played it with the delicateness of a flute and the mightiness of an orchestra. And in perfect taste and blend was the piano accompaniment of Jack Hendrix.

We mention all of these to say this: Few cities, regardless of size, will have Christmas music to equal what our own people made possible for us last Sunday.

Example For Civic Work

This is not to eulogize Ira Thurman, who died during his term as president of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Thurman's record of civic contributions will speak for itself.

This is rather to focus attention upon the wisdom of this type of service.

The things that live after us, and the things for which we will be most genuinely remembered, are those we have done for others and without any ulterior motives.

The efforts we expend in building a

community and its institutions may become tiresome and seem only to present their reward in another task or another responsibility. But underneath them they provide a man or a woman with the satisfaction of being a real part of the world around him. They afford a person the joy of putting into life as well as taking from it.

And so we say that the attitude of this man toward his civic responsibilities, and through them toward his fellow man, stands as a lasting example for us.

The Gallup Poll
Public Supports Two-Term Limit

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 15 — The Constitutional amendment limiting the presidency to two terms — an issue often raised during the Roosevelt administration and recently brought up again following President Eisenhower's successful bid for a second term — is solidly upheld by the American people.

During the latter years of Roosevelt's tenure in office, Republicans were overwhelmingly in favor of preventing any more third or fourth terms in the future. With Roosevelt's death, however, fewer GOP voters thought passage of such a law desirable.

	JULY, 1944	Favor	Oppose
Republicans	88	12	
Democrats	44	56	

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Republicans	74	26	
Democrats	47	53	

	TODAY	Favor	Oppose
Republicans	66	34	
Democrats	68	32	

Sentiment throughout the country today runs nearly 2-to-1 against changing the amendment. Among those expressing an opinion, 66 per cent are opposed to changing it, while 34 per cent are in favor.

Interestingly, the public voted in favor of adopting the two-term ban in an Institute survey in May, 1947, by a margin of 59 per cent in favor to 41 per cent opposed. This was just before the amendment was passed by the Republican-controlled Eightieth Congress.

In surveys conducted prior to the adoption of the two-term limit, the Institute always found opinion on the issue dividing sharply along party lines, with Republicans in favor of limiting the number of terms and Democrats opposed.

Now, with a popular Republican president in office, one might expect party attitudes to be reversed. Such is not the case, however.

Rank-and-file GOP voters see virtually eye-to-eye on the issue with Democratic voters today.

The survey question put to adults across the country by field reporters for the Institute was as follows:

"As you know, an amendment to the Constitution now prevents a President from being elected to more than two terms. Would you favor or oppose changing this amendment so that a President can run for more than two terms?"

The following sentiment is shown in the following comparison of the vote by political parties on adopting the third-term ban in July, 1944 (three months before Roosevelt was elected to a fourth term) and July, 1945 (three months after Roosevelt's death):

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Oppose changing current law
x Favor changing current law

President Roosevelt was the only president to break the two-term precedent established when George Washington declined a third term. Roosevelt, of course, ran and won not only a third term, but a fourth term.

The Institute began testing the issue in 1937, when it first appeared that Roosevelt might run for a third term.

For a period of six years, majority sentiment was opposed to the two-term limit. In December, 1943, when talk about a fourth term for Roosevelt filled the air, majority sentiment swung over in favor of the two-term limit for future presidents.

The trend of thinking on the issue among those with opinions is shown below:

	2-TERM LIMIT	Favor	Oppose
1937	49	51	
1938	48	52	
1939	42	58	
1940	41	59	
1943 (April)	46	54	
1943 (April)	54	46	
1945 (May)	57	43	
1945 (July)	60	40	
1947 (Feb)	57	43	
1947 (May)	59	41	
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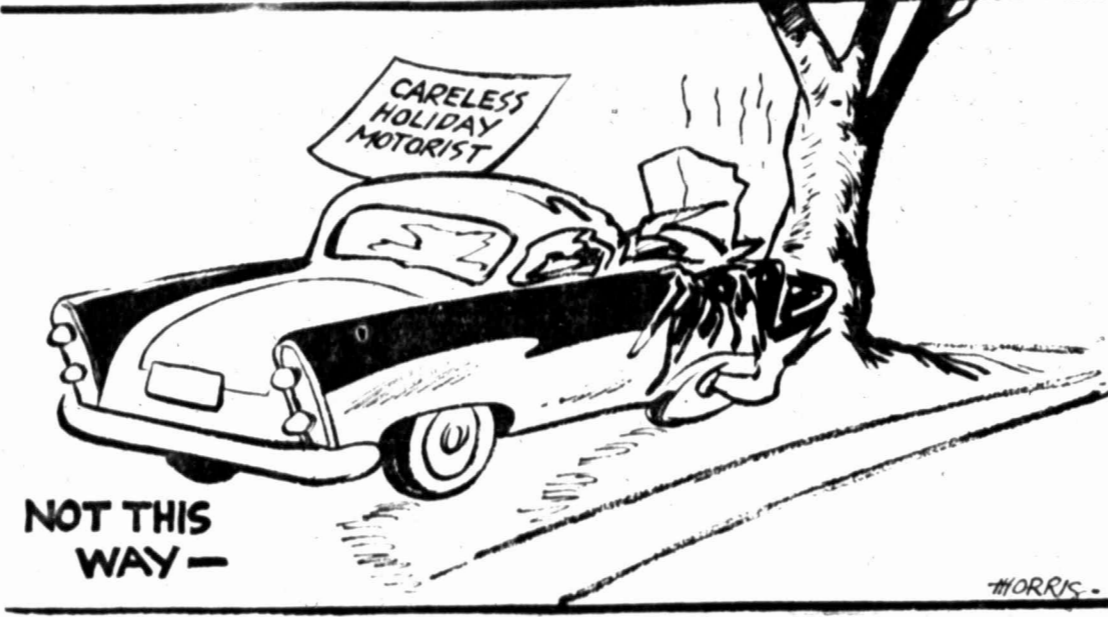
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Hints On Tree Decorating

James Marlow
An Elegy For Charlie Campbell

WASHINGTON — Washington won't see anything like Charlie Campbell in a long time. There couldn't be more than one of him in a generation. He's dead now at 52.

Most of the British, I'm sure, never heard of him. But in his way he did as much as any ambassador to create good will for the British in this country.

He was in charge of the British information office here since 1942. His job was to make Britain look as good as possible while providing newsmen here with information they needed about Britain. He was never quite sure of his full name. He always put an "Argyle" or "MacDougal" or something into it.

When I heard yesterday that he had died I telephoned his office and said I wanted his full name. The girl who answered said, "I'm afraid Charlie's name was never quite so full as he made it out to be. It was Charles Henry Campbell."

I said, "I remember other names mixed up in it. Like Argyle." The girl said, "I do too." Then she added, "He had two daughters and two sons. Maybe the sons' names will help. The first he named Charles Argyle Patrick Stuart Hall Howard Campbell, the other he named Ian Phillip Nelegan Hilaire Violette Campbell."

"Charlie was forever borrowing his son's names, using all of them or parts of them, interchangeably, in his own name whenever it pleased him to do so and it pleased him often."

They must have been names he wished somebody had given him. Charlie collected stories like a landlord going after the rent. Then he told them. He liked telling them. He liked telling them. I think, because it gave him a chance to act them out.

He was an actor, and a good one, in a kind of piqued way.

All the years he lived down South he looked and acted and talked like any American. If he hadn't told people in those days he was British, no one could have suspected it.

But from the moment he came

to work for his government in Washington he became more British than most Britons. He grew a walrus moustache—he had only a little one down South—and talked with a British accent so thick it sounded like a burlesque.

The half-fellow, story-telling side of Charlie broke down any barriers which might have existed between him and the American newsmen acted and reacted and what they wanted.

What they wanted, basically, was not his stories but information on Britain when they needed it. When a newsman called Camp-

Hal Boyle
It's Nice When Dreams Come True

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — "It's nice sometimes to find that dreams really can come true," said the blue-eyed, middle-aged lady, looking down from the balcony to the sun-worshippers on the beach.

"Yeah," said her husband, com-mo-nach of all these surveyed except the ocean itself.

They are Al and Sadye Tische who, with their two sons, Larry, 33, and Bob, 30, in a single decade have become the "world's largest family resort owners."

Their dream come true is the fabulous 17-million-dollar Americana Florida's "hotel of the year."

The building is a 15-floor luxury symbol of the postwar prosperity spree that has come to the United States and to a family—the four Tisches. It is the house that jack built, and there's more jack where it came from.

Ten years ago Al, a former New York City college basketball player, and Sadye, a former actress, and Sadye's two sons, Larry and Bob, were in running two businesses—a prosperous clothing business and a successful children's camp. They, like their parents, were interested in the hotel field.

"We came to Florida in 1946, but we couldn't make the right deal," said Sadye, who is vivacious and does the talking for the elder branch of the family.

"Yeah," said Al, who is balding, silent and friendly.

So they picked up the million dollars or so they had to invest and began buying hotels else-

where — Laurel — in — the — Pines in New Jersey, the Belmont Plaza in New York, the Traymore and Ambassador in Atlantic City, and some six other properties. Whatever they touched turned to gold, or, if it didn't they got rid of it quick.

"But we still had Florida sand in our shoes," said Sadye. "We kept coming back to our first dream."

In the spring of 1955 they bought a 10-acre site here, a 630-foot beachfront, and 17 months and 17 million dollars later they had the Americana.

The original million dollars or so they started with has been parlayed into properties which the Tisches themselves value at 50 million or more. There are rumors that some of the glamor hostilities here have been financed by foreign adventurers, including racketeers from New York and gamblers from Las Vegas.

"Every penny in this hotel is ours," said Sadye. "We are a closely knit family, and the money all comes from the same pot."

Each hotel the Tisches buy becomes a monument to one of the family, and the Americana is "Larry's baby—he deserves all the credit."

It is hard to describe the hotel. At last week's NBC convention its 475 rooms housed more than 900 guests who were cared for by a staff of more than 900 employees.

It has a lobby big enough to play full a football game in and quietly features an indoor "mountain" and the world's only indoor rain forest.

Some one-bedroom suites have two private entrances and two bathrooms. A \$100,000 art collection hangs on the walls and so do the seals of 21 American nations. There is enough wood, metal and concrete in the hotel to build 500 air-conditioned homes.

Without leaving the hotel grounds you can swim in the ocean, see a doctor, eat in six restaurants, order a \$25,000 diamond bracelet or a newspaper, get a massage or a haircut, buy a share of AT&T stock, a \$2.50 teddy bear, or an aspirin tablet.

Have the Tisches gone mad in a luxury — mad world? Isn't their magnificent hostelry one step too much—even for Miami Beach, the frontier of the frantic dollar?

"No," said Sadye, "the surface of the prosperity to be here has been barely scratched, in spite of all the hotels that have gone up since the war ended."

"I don't understand it myself," said Al. "Before we even had a guest in the place we were offered 10 million dollars more than we had put into it."

"It's comfortable," said Sadye. "It's our dream come true."

"Yeah," said Al. "Of course, you never know when another deal will come along."

Mr. Breger



There goes Terwilliger, the big financial tycoon, and his portable ashtray...

Second Thought

ALLEGAN, Mich. — Six seniors from Allegan High School who admitted climbing the city water tower in the dark of night to paint "Class of '57" on it decided against doing it again in daylight.

Given the choice of paying for a repaint job or doing the work themselves, they said they'd pay. "Climbing up is too dangerous," they agreed.

A Safe Safe

BENTON, Ky. — The Bank of Marshall County was extra safe. Employees of the bank tried to open the 85-year-old safe and failed. Experts gave up in disgust.

A welder was called to haul the 4-ton monster down to his shop. Several hours later, with the help of an electric torch, the bank recovered its ready cash—\$43,000.

Reds Train Indians

NEW DELHI — Eighty Indian engineers are now in Russia for training in connection with the one-million-ton steel mill the Soviets are building for India. Another 606 Indian engineers and technicians will go to Russia for similar training during the next two years.

Around The Rim
A Memorable Christmas

Funny how you remember some Christmases more than others.

Perhaps this one stands out in memory because it was the time you received that toy on which you had your heart set; perhaps it was the last time the "kids" all got together around the family hearth; or maybe it was your first Christmas away from home.

Usually, though, one Christmas becomes more deeply rooted in your recollections than others for no outstanding reason any more than one cake turns out better than another, or any more than you sing the same tune one time better than another.

In my boyhood I can recall many Christmas incidents which impressed me like the time Santa Claus miraculously appeared from the mesquite thicket and passed out the presents in our little country school. Or like the time a coveted tool chest got back-ordered and I learned from my mother what reason had already told me about Santa. Or the gay party and bulging sacks given by the Elks in the old Lyric Theatre. Or the first time I chopped down a juniper bush and we enshrined it in our home with tinsel, cranberries, cotton and Christmas bells.

One which stands out particularly was the time that Auntie and Uncle Bill came down with William and Evelyn to spend Christmas with us. Of course we were hardened young skeptics who still hung up our stockings. We knew just how it would be done, but somehow we kept an eye cocked for some sign of a sleigh mark on the roof or the hard gravel in the yard.

William always said he kept awake and watched out of the corner of his eye. I don't remember because I was sound

asleep the minute I got still. But I do remember that long before daybreak, there was a shrill cry of joy from the living room, and this was the signal for a pounding of bare feet against the pine floor—Evelyn and Jeanette—and little Judith and their dolls. William, Jake and I heard our knives, fountain pens, fire crackers, Roman candles, etc. All of us had oranges, apples, a banana, nuts, and candy stuffed in profusion. Jan was too old for this sort of thing but she got up to enjoy our happiness while Momi and Pop and Auntie and Uncle Bill kept to their beds.

Finally it dawned on us that we were shivering, and not just from excitement. We got hold of the shaker and joggled the ashtray through the grate, put in some paper, kindling and a few lumps of coal. Soon the fire was roaring—and soon the rest of the coal was gone.

So I got the skuttle and took out to the bin in the shed to get some more. It was a clear, crisp morning and it seemed that every star in the sky stood out on its own special mounting. Suddenly, I forgot about our trinkets and our fruit and I remembered the story of the wise men. "It was just heart beat faster," I thought, "a dimmy popule for 30 days. Then released and your tongue yanked out. Then horsewhipped all the way home. That would learn you!"

It surely would! It would educate almost anyone, including a Presley fan.

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He seemed a big gangling kid, awkward and not too sure of himself. He didn't, God help me, look bright enough to make even the lower rungs of Phi Beta Kappa, even if he is on his way to making his first billion. And I hoped someone was stashing at least some of the loot away in a trust fund for him.

Now, I am only certain of one thing: Elvis, no matter what he is or isn't, can't possibly be one-tenth as incredible and objectionable as his fans. Willy-nilly, this kid is in a real rat race.

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Inez Robb
Don't Say Anything About Elvis!

Anyone who writes a column is accustomed to the slings and arrows of outrageous fate in the form of "Dear Sir, you cur!" letters.

It is a symptom of the hard life and tense times of all of us in the mid-20th Century that anyone in violent opposition to a fellow citizen today believes the least poor dumb cluck is up to is subversion.

So I am accustomed to the purple prose of angry customers who disagree with me from time to time and tick me off as a Communist, Fascist, dunderhead and robber of poor boxes.

But all of this is as but the cooling of doves compared with the wild animadversions of the aroused fans of Elvis Presley. They are crying for my head on a platter—and never mind an apple in the mouth—in language so fundamental that I have been rooting through my souvenirs for collegiate notes. I once took in a course in Old Anglo-Saxon.

And to think that this was one fight—that over Elvis—that I intended to duck! As I see it, mine is the unenviable and inevitable fate of the innocent bystander.

All I did was quote Spike Jones, the specialist in musical mayhem, in re Elvis. And honestly, I thought that what Spike had to say about the boy was kind and jovial.

In effect, Spike said (1) that musicians owe a debt to Elvis because his great popularity has boosted all record sales and made money for everyone in the biz and (2) that Elvis is hard to caricature because he is, in essence, a caricature of Johnny Raye.

Where Spike is making a last stand at the moment, deponent knoweth not. But

I am busy manning the barricades under a barrage of anonymous letters whose language is—well, I have been forced to go wash out my eyes after reading most of them.

What astounds me most is not that the language is straight from the gutter, but that it is out of the gutter by sadism, induced—probably—by an addiction to terrorism.

As an example, the only fraction of one letter quotable in a family newspaper reads, "You STINK! You should be horsewhipped, tarred and feathered. Then put in an open iron cage and stoned by the populace for 30 days. Then released and your tongue yanked out. Then horsewhipped all the way home. That would learn you!"

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David Lawrence
U.N. Denounces Reds In Hungary

WASHINGTON — Prime Minister Eden and Premier Mollet and the peoples of Great Britain and France can derive a good deal of satisfaction over what has just happened in the United Nations.

For, without the noble example of self-denial which the British and French gave in agreeing to withdraw their troops from the Suez area, there would have been no such emphasis possible on the contrasting behavior of the Soviet Union with regard to Hungary.

Sometimes things work out for the best, and in this instance, had it not been for the original display of impatience by Britain and France over Nasser's tactics of aggression, there would not have been the same opportunity today to rally the free world in a great moral denunciation of what the armies of the Soviets are doing in Hungary.

Today the whole world sees Britain and France accepting the verdict of the free world that negotiation of a settlement of the Suez Canal question should be resumed without involving the pressure of military force. But the whole world sees also how the Soviet Union is depriving the people of Hungary of their rights and liberties as an independent nation by the cruel hand of an occupying army.

The U. N., by its resolution, "condemns the violation of the Charter by the government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in depriving Hungary of its liberty and independence and the Hungarian people of the exercise of their fundamental rights." It charges the Soviet Union with "violating the political independence of Hungary" by "using its armed forces against the Hungarian people" and calls upon Moscow to "desist forthwith from any form of intervention in the internal affairs of Hungary" and to make "immediate arrangements" under United Nations observation, for the withdrawal of its forces and the "re-establishment of the political independence of Hungary."

Many observers ask "What good will words do?" The question ignores the tremendous power of moral force in the modern world of extensive communication. The fact that the United Nations condemns the Soviet Union — for the first time in the history of the international organization — will become known throughout the Iron Curtain countries. It is a signal to the people generally that the Soviet Union, which has heretofore tried to give the impression that it was standing as a great government on a parity with other governments, is no longer doing so.

Most important is the encouragement which the U. N. resolution will give to other peoples behind the Iron Curtain to try the same tactics that the Hungarian people have so bravely put into practice.

The free world doesn't want to see its armed forces used to "liberate" the oppressed peoples in the satellite countries. For to do this would merely give the Soviets an excuse for a general war. Likewise, a revolt from within any one country has far more chance of winning the sympathy and support of the other nearby countries than would the interjection of an external factor which could serve as a means of rallying national passions.

It is a delicate situation for the Western Allies today, and they wisely agreed at the NATO meetings last week not to offer any program of military help if East Germany should revolt. This doesn't mean that private organizations of emigres supported by voluntary contributions do not aid the underground resistors. That's going on all the time. The Moscow government, in fact, is trying to prove that all this acrimony is inspired by the United States government, but it isn't so.

When the U. N. takes up the Soviet resolution demanding an inquiry on the subject, an excellent opportunity is afforded to tell the real story of what various little groups on this side of the Iron Curtain are trying to do to liberate their countrymen. It might afford the basis of an appeal by some of those same organizations to the U. N. to plead with the citizens of free countries to send arms and help of all kinds. Maybe Moscow will regret bringing up the subject.

The U. N. cannot but be regarded as a powerful moral force in the world. What it has done in condemning the Soviet Union stands out as a sensational step. It is unfortunate that India, Egypt and Indonesia abstained from voting and gave the impression that they are afraid to offend the Soviet Union. But the 53 nations, including some members of the Asian-African bloc, who voted for the resolution spoke words that will be heard 'round the world.

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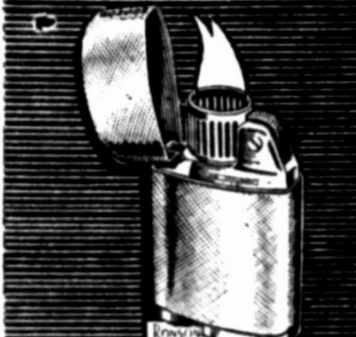
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Collier Rites Held At C-City

COLORADO CITY — Funeral services for Milton Watt Collier, 76, of Colorado City were held Tuesday from the Kiker and Son Chapel. Burial was in the Colorado City Cemetery.

Mr. Collier was an early day teamster who unwittingly triggered off the oil development of West Texas. An oil man, obligated to drill a wildcat on a lease north-west of Westbrook, told Collier to pick a spot to give a neighboring rancher an offset.

Mr. Collier later said that the whole prairie was a sea of mud and that it took two days to get a wagon road in to the general area.

"I found the corner of the lease and stepped off one hundred fifty-five yards and drove a stab," he added.

The well drilled there was the Underwriter's T&P No. 1, discovery well of the Westrock field and the Permian Basin.

Mr. Collier was active for several years as an oilfield contractor, but had been retired for some time.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Tom Marsh of Sweetwater, and Mrs. Woodrow Crabtree of Colorado City; one sister, Mrs. W. D. Green of Lorraine, and four grandchildren.

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Eccentric Captured Following Gun Spree

ANGOLA, Ind. (AP) — A 40-year-old eccentric wounded three of his neighbors, one fatally, abducted a 4-year-old girl and then surrendered quietly in his flood-lighted home at nearby Ray early today.

Sheriff Harry Dirmir said the man, Merlin McNaughton, offered no resistance as officers closed in after blinding him temporarily with spotlights. The sheriff said the little girl, Cathy Bradley, was with McNaughton, terrified but unharmed.

The child's parents, Preston Bradley, 38, and his wife Nancy, 38, and another neighbor, Mervin (Smoky) Forrester, 48, were found wounded in their homes nearby. Forrester died a few minutes later of rifle bullet wounds in the head and chest.

Mrs. Bradley was reported in critical condition at Cameron Hospital here with a pistol bullet wound in the head. Bradley was listed in good condition with wounds in the face. Cathy, suffering from shock, was kept in the hospital for observation.

The Bradleys, Forrester and McNaughton were neighbors at Ray, a little town 10 miles north-east of here, near the Michigan and Ohio state lines.

Sheriff Dirmir said McNaughton went to the Bradley home late last night, shot the Bradleys in their bed and grabbed Cathy, who was in bed with them. Then he went to Forrester's home, the sheriff said, and shot him.

Dirmir described McNaughton as a "mental case," but said he never had been under treatment for mental disorder. He said he had received complaints of a minor nature against him but never had reason to arrest him.

When arrested, McNaughton was wearing pillows strapped to his back and chest. Neighbors said he had been wearing them for more than two years. He had lived alone in his two-story frame house since the death of his father a year ago.

80 Youngsters To Be Treated By Kiwanians

Eighty boys and girls from the west side of town, selected by officials who are advised on the economic conditions of the neighborhood, are to be guests of Big Spring Kiwanis Club on Thursday noon at the playground on West Third Street.

Each Kiwanian has the name of two of the youngsters and is charged to provide two gifts to be placed on the Christmas tree.

The youngsters will also be guests of the club at lunch. Wives of Kiwanians are to prepare sandwiches and other food for the meal. The dinner is to be served at the park.

Horace Reagan, president-elect of the club, is accumulating the gifts the members have purchased at his office across the street from the post office.

These presents will be taken to the playground and arranged for distribution Thursday morning.

The Christmas party for needy boys and girls is an annual event sponsored by the Kiwanians. Last year, the club was host to 120 boys and girls.

Youngsters are selected from children who make regular use of the playground on West Fourth.

Parking Fees Total \$1,146

For the first time of the 1956 Christmas shopping season, parking meter revenue passed the \$1,000 mark last week.

The meters downtown were emptied on Monday, and the collection amounted to \$1,146.31. The total on the prior Monday was \$992.62.

Four times during December of 1955 the collection went over the \$1,000 mark.

Monday's revenue included \$625.45 in nickels, \$508.86 in pennies, and \$2 in dimes—which do not register time.

Christmas Mail Rush Hits Peak

Christmas mail rush has reached its peak two days ahead of last December and the volume is materially larger than in 1955.

E. C. Boatler, postmaster, said that the "maximum cancellation load the post office has had so far this holiday season fell on Dec. 17. On that date, the postal workers rain 82,455 pieces of local mail — letters dropped in the slot at the Big Spring post office — through the cancelling machine.

This shows an increase of about 8,000 pieces of mail over the maximum day of 1955. The biggest day's business of last December fell on Dec. 19. On that date the cancellations ran 75,297.

On Dec. 18 this year, the letter

Survey On Cotton Classing Office In Lamesa Planned

LAMESA — Representatives of the cotton industry interested in establishing an additional cotton classing office on the South Plains have decided to conduct a survey to determine the wishes of the producers who would be utilizing its services.

Leroy Colgan, Dawson County agricultural agent, opened the meeting by reviewing the previous discussions held on the subject.

Herbert Green, chairman of the Dawson County group hosting the meeting, pointed out that the Plains Cotton Growers had listed the establishing of an additional classing office in their eight resolutions for the coming year.

Kenneth Purcell, Plains Cotton growers' director, reported that he had made a study of the costs of the office and the estimated production of the area. He said that it would cost between five and 30 cents per bale during the first year, depending upon whether the group decided to build a building or to lease one. He estimated that 300,000 bales will be classed in an office in the four counties represented.

The survey is to begin on Jan. 2, with the committee chairman to check survey results on Jan. 10.

In addition to Green, county chairmen include H. L. (Hub) King of Terry County and B. L. Hatchell of Lynn County.

Doll Dresses Still Needed

Fire Chief H. V. Crocker issued another plea for doll dresses this morning.

The chief said that the fire department has about 75 dolls that need dresses if they were to be of any use to give out to children for Christmas.

Crocker said that the Salvation Army plans to start giving out the toys Friday and the dolls need to be ready by then.

Any individual or organization wishing to dress any or all of the dolls is urged to contact the fire department. Crocker praised the way people have responded to the pleas earlier for doll dresses. And he said that every one of the 75 dolls is ready by Friday will be a help in providing a better Christmas for some needy child.

County Asks Bids On Photo Machine

Bids for a new photo recording machine for the office of the county clerk are being sought by the Howard County Commissioners.

Official notice said that bids will be considered on Jan. 7.

The machine, on which photostatic copies of all county records are made, will replace present equipment.

Mrs. Pauline Petty, county clerk, had appeared at the Monday meeting of the court and requested that the commissioners replace the machine.

Trade-in of the old recorder is requisit in the bids, the announcement stated.

Burglars Take Assorted Loot

Burglars took candy, cigarettes, 50 pennies, and five shirts from a laundry here during the night.

The burglary occurred at Brookshire Laundry, 807 E. 2nd. A window on the southwest was used to enter the building. A check revealed the five shirts missing, plus 50 pennies, and an unknown quantity of candy and cigarettes.

About \$15 was taken from the Sinclair Service station at the north end of the west viaduct. The money was taken from the cash drawer and the incident was reported to the police department about 9 p.m. Tuesday.

Dawson TB Drive Reaches \$1,722

LAMESA — Tuesday was a good day for the persons in Dawson County who are afflicted with tuberculosis. The mail brought donations totalling \$99.50 to the Dawson County TB Association, according to Harold Wilkinson, president of the association.

Those contributions raised the total for the year to \$1,722.91, just \$277.09 away from the \$2,000 goal set by the association. "Although we are nearing our goal, contributions are slowing considerably, and unless they pick up again, we may not reach the \$2,000 mark, Wilkinson said.

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4:00—Comedy Time	8:00—Kraft Theatre	9:30—Romper Room
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Uncle Ray:

Turkey Keeps Free Of Moslem Quarrels

By RAMON COFFMAN

As I said the other day, the Moslems differ widely in race, but agree in being followers of Mohammed.

Q. How many Moslems are there in the world?

A. According to the estimate made last year, there are 416 million Moslems. More than three-fourths of them (318 million) live in Asia. Africa has 85 million Moslems, and there are 12 million in Europe. Those in Europe are chiefly in the Balkans, but the Christians in Balkan countries outnumber them.

In Asia the countries with most Moslems are Pakistan, Iran, Iraq, Syria, Jordan, Saudi Arabia and Turkey. Several million Moslems live in Asiatic Russia.

Q. Why is Turkey left out when people speak of the Arabs, or Moslems, who oppose the Jews and Christians in the Middle East?

A. For years, the Turks have kept free of any alliance with Moslem countries which might bring the country into conflict with Great Britain, France or other lands in western Europe.

According to the 1955 census, Turkey had a population about 24 million. Ninety-eight per cent of the Turks are Moslems.

It is good for the western nations that Turkey stays out of present-day feuds in the Middle East. From a military standpoint, Turkey stands alongside Pakistan as the leading power among the Moslems.

Q. What is a mosque, and what was the origin of the word?

A. A mosque is a Moslem place of prayer. The word came from the Arabic language, and the early meaning was "bow down" or



A mosque at Baku.

"adore."

Q. Do the Moslems pray to Mohammed as a god?

A. No. The Moslems look on Mohammed as a prophet. Their prayers are offered to Allah.

Q. Is it true that the Moslems regard Jesus and Moses as prophets?

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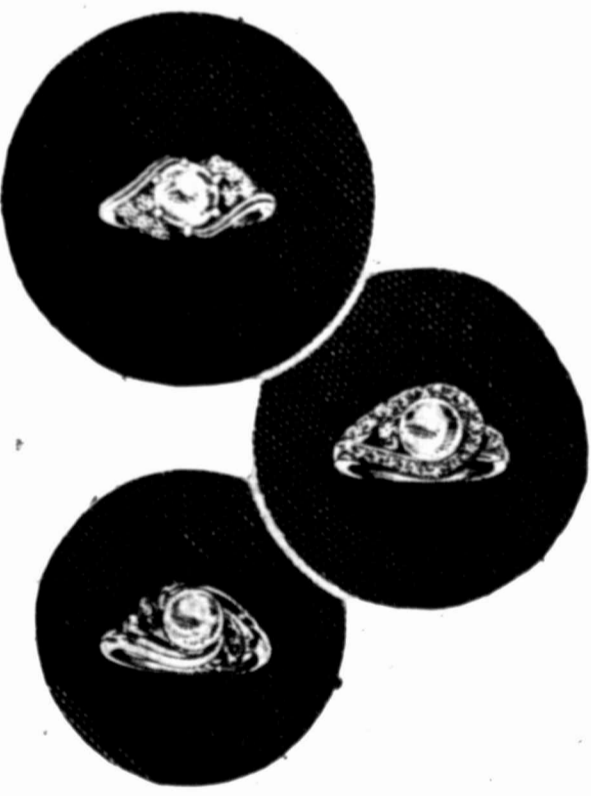
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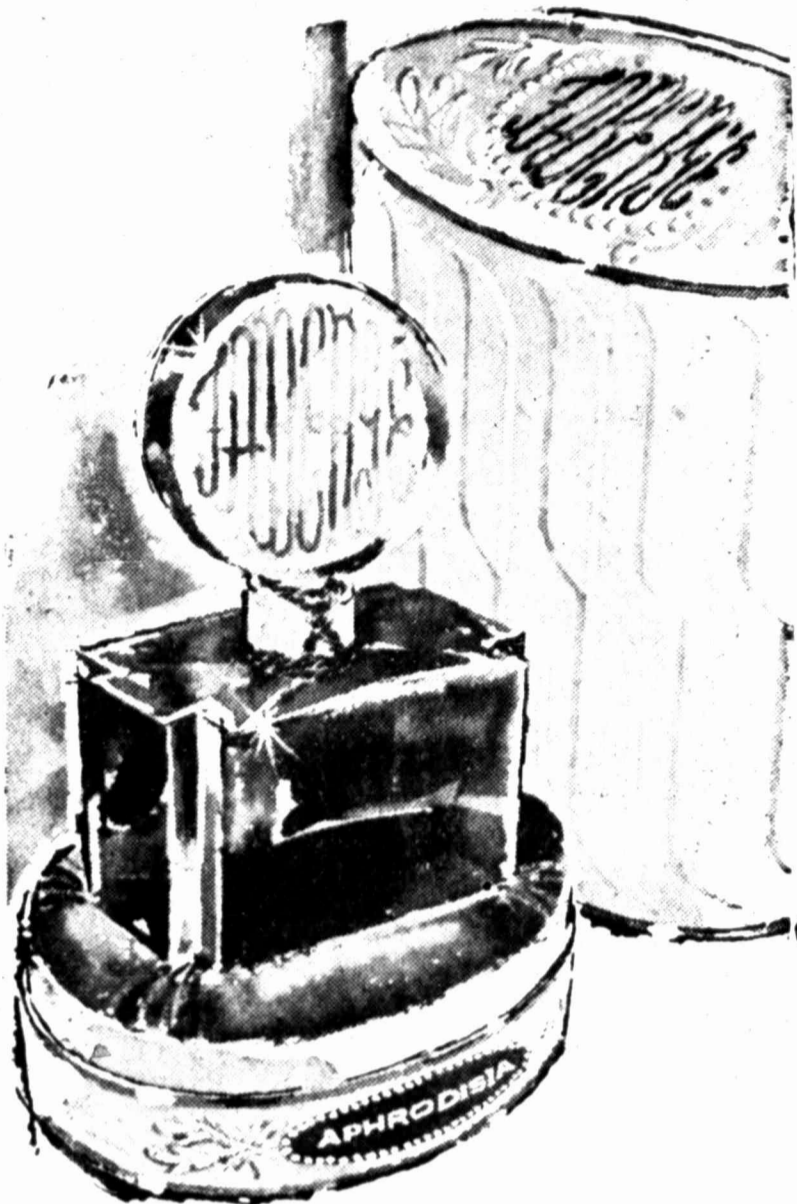
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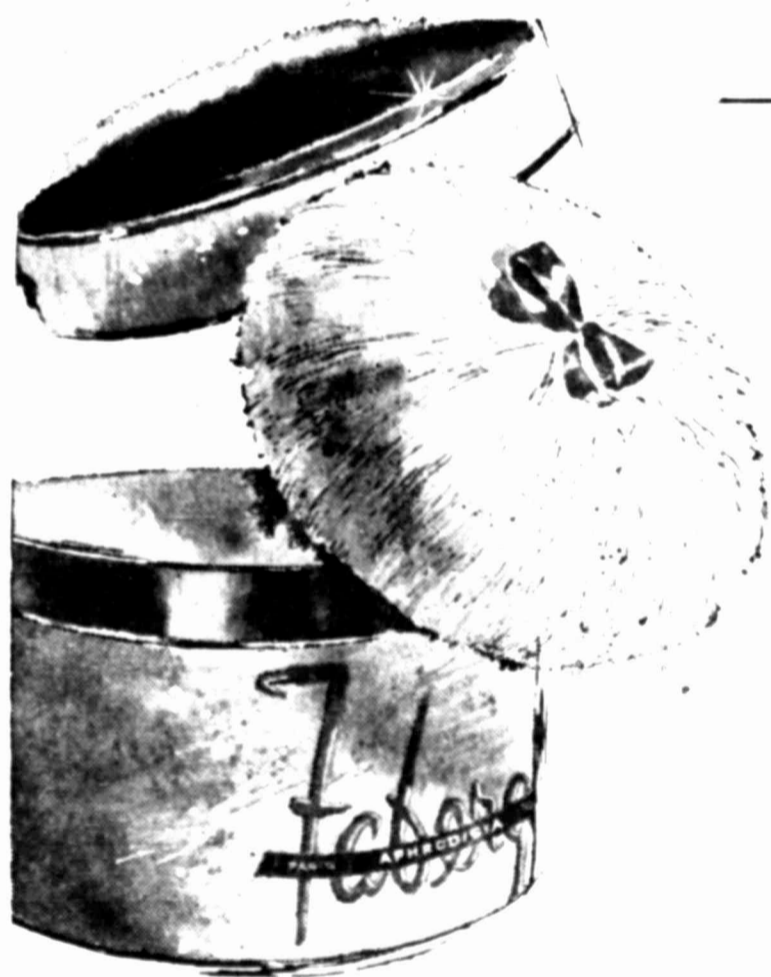


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Ready For That Christmas Trip

Mrs. Raymond Ware, 607 McEwen, is well equipped with luggage now, in case she wants to make a trip during the Christmas holidays. She won the set of luggage given away Tuesday by Big Spring merchants. Making the presentation is Mrs. Patti Gilbert, right, of the Chamber of Commerce Merchants Committee.

FOR HOLIDAYS

Webb Suspends Flight Training

Already hampered by low cloudiness and drizzle, flying training ground to a halt today for the Christmas-New Year's Day holidays at Webb Air Force Base. Officially, the holiday schedule doesn't start until Monday, and even then at least 50 per cent of Webb civilian and military personnel will be available for duty. The full holiday schedule will be in effect Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Year's Day. However, with many airmen on Christmas leaves, mess halls will operate on a reduced scale from Dec. 22 through Jan. 3, and most forces will have only "skeleton" forces on duty. The flight training, suspended today, will not be resumed until Jan. 3, although a few flights will be made by instructors and other Webb pilots. There were no figures available on the number of airmen actually going on leave, but base officials estimated that 60 or 70 per cent of military personnel will remain on the base or in Big Spring for the holidays.

Elks To Stage Yule Party At State Hospital

Big Spring Elks, assisted by nearly a dozen other local organizations, will stage their annual Christmas party for patients at the Big Spring State Hospital this evening. Activities begin at 7:30 p.m. at the hospital, with members of Girl Scout Troops 6 and 37 and a new Brownie unit to present a program of Christmas carols. Elks and their aides then will distribute commissary checks to the patients. This feature of the program will be followed by a session of games. Refreshments will be served. Assisting Elks with the party will be local Kiwanians, Rotarians, Lions, American Business Club members, the Book Stall, Big Spring Credit Women's Club, BPO Does, Presbyterian Business Women's Club and Jaycees. Gandy's Creamery will furnish ice cream for the party.

Odessa Run-Aways Apprehended Here

Five Latin-American teenagers—three girls and two boys—who were identified as run-aways from Odessa were apprehended by officers here Tuesday. They were turned over to A. E. Long, juvenile officer, who contacted Odessa. Later in the day the five were returned to their homes. They ranged in age from 14 to 16 years.

OIL, GAS TRANSACTIONS

Oil and gas leases to Reese Cleveland granted by following persons: Stella Porter et al; Guy Keel Guffee Jr.; E. M. Dealey; Harry J. Mason et al; Roy Burgess; W. P. Bentley; Samuel Snider; Agnes H. Hoss; George W. Mitchell and John Jenkins. Description northwest quarter, north half of southwest quarter, north half of northeast quarter, and north half of southeast quarter, Section 58, Block 38, Lavaca Navigation Survey.

Auto Acceleration Event Set Dec. 30

First official acceleration race meet under sponsorship of the newly-organized Big Spring Timing Association has been set for Sunday, Dec. 30. Along with the speed events to last throughout the day will be an automobile show, to include display of most lines of the 1957 glamor cars. At least four dealers have signed up for participation in the show, said Association officials, and others are expected to join in. The "drag races" will be conducted under the strict rules of the Automobile Timing Association of America and the National Hot Rod Association—organizations which boast of no accidents at any official-sponsored meet. The events are expected to attract a large number of "souped up" cars from all over West Texas. Many entries already have been promised from Lubbock, home of a successful Timing Association. The quarter-mile acceleration course (drag strip) will be at Webb Air Force Base, with accommodations for a large crowd. A special area is being allotted nearby for the automobile show. Preliminary trials in the racing are to start at 10 a.m. Sunday, and main events are scheduled in the afternoon. The Big Spring Timing Association has recently completed organization, and will be affiliated with the national organizations in their programs to develop interests in automotive engineering, and to put special emphasis upon driving safety. The various "hot rod" clubs formed under this sponsorship are those which confine their races to specified courses, with definite opposition to "drag racing" on streets and highways. Considerable interest is being manifested in the aims of the Association, and its officials are hopeful that the acceleration events on December 30 will be a start into an active program.

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Angelic Voices

Shiny-faced "cherubs" pictured above are members of the Celestial Choir, which will be presented in a Christmas program this evening at the Lamesa First Baptist Church. A combination of choirs will be featured in the Christmas cantata scheduled for 7:45 p.m.

Choirs To Present Christmas Carol Program This Evening

LAMESA — One-hundred-forty voices will participate in the Christmas cantata. The Christmas Angels, which will be presented this evening at 7:45 at the First Baptist Church.

The Cherub Choir, directed by Mrs. O. C. King, will be accompanied by Mrs. Charley Buey. Mary Lassiter will direct the Joy Carol Choir, which is the junior group, accompanied by Martha Smith.

Marilyn Cox will accompany the Concord Choir as Mrs. W. J. Beckham directs, while the Chapel Choir will be directed by Ed Wittner and accompanied by John Lee Bryant.

Community Missions Baptist WMS Program

Meeting for community mission study Tuesday, members of the Young Women's Circle of the Baptist Temple Church heard the story of Mrs. Jane Carol McRae, missionary to Gaza, Egypt.

The group met in the home of Mrs. L. A. Sims. Prayers were offered by Mrs. Sims, Mrs. Grimes and Mrs. Pete Shepherd.

Girl Scouts Have Two Christmas Activities

Girl Scouts of Troop Three had the annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. D. C. Meyers, leader, Tuesday evening.

The next meeting of the group will be Jan. 8 at the church when the entire W.M.U. will meet.

Forsan Baptist Party

FORSAN — Young people of the First Baptist Church of Forsan were entertained Sunday evening following the regular church services.

Members of the W.M.U. Sandridge, on plans for the W.M.U. Focus Week to be held Jan. 13-18.

Knott WMS

Eight women of the First Baptist WMS of Knott heard the Royal Service program at their meeting Tuesday.

TEL Class Holds Christmas Dinner

Members of the TEL Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met for a Christmas dinner Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. W. A. Waller.

Fluffy Dessert

Beaten egg whites folded into applesauce give a fluffy snowy dessert children usually enjoy.

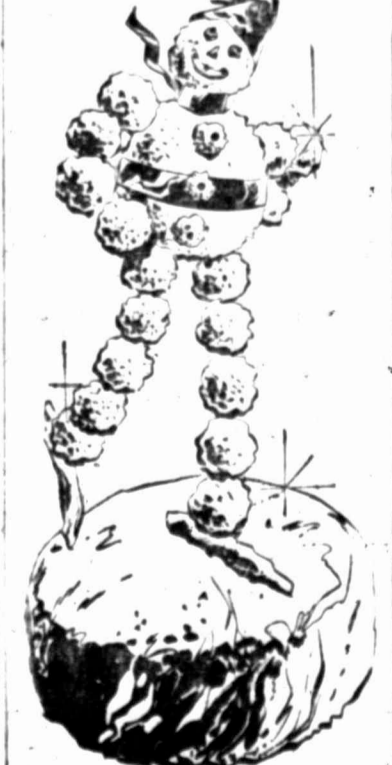
Burchells Announce Birth Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burchell Jr. 601 Abram, are the parents of a daughter, Susan Kim, born Dec. 14 at 8:12 a.m. and weighing 7 pounds 7 ounces.

Let Busy Little Hands Make Yule Decorations

Youngsters can have lots of fun making Christmas decorations from foil, newspaper, paper mache and food staples such as cranberries.

Common pins may be used to attach decorations to foil. A candle holder may be made by standing a candle upright and crushing foil around it. Decorate with beads and glitter.



Christmas Centerpiece — a skater made of foil may decorate the holiday table

OWC Gives Yuletide Coffee For Newcomers

About 50 attended the newcomers' coffee given Tuesday morning by members of the Officers' Wives' Club at the Officers' Club Lounge.

The coffee is a regular monthly entertainment of the club for the newcomers among officers' wives at Webb Air Force Base.

Jaycee-Ettes Meet For Dinner And Business Session

The Jaycee-ettes met Tuesday evening for a Christmas dinner at the Wagon Wheel.

A discussion of the hospital project being planned by the group. Four members were appointed as a committee to distribute magazines to local hospitals.

Baptist WMU Plans Donation To Needy

The College Baptist WMU made plans for distributing a basket to the needy when they met Tuesday morning at the church.

Arrangements of large candles used in decorations were awarded to Mrs. Harry Coates, Mrs. J. J. Burning and Mrs. Stanley Corvin.

Make 'Gift' Decorations For Doorway

Looking for a new idea for your doorway decoration this Christmas? Here's one that will delight the whole family because they'll have an opportunity to watch how it's put together.

Complete the decorating theme with Christmas lights and green above the door.

Make Door Attractive With Cards

Compliment your friends on their choice of greeting cards by featuring them as part of your holiday decorating indoors and outside, too.

A festive holiday doorway can be made with your early collection of Christmas cards.

Kappa Xis Plan New Year's Eve Dance

A New Year's Eve dance was planned by the Kappa Xi Tri-Hi-Y group when they met Tuesday evening.

Lighting specialists recommend that electrical cords be "anchored" with insulated staples. Also, be sure to allow just enough extra cord to accommodate the opening and closing of the door without catching the cords.



Daytime Frock

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Crusader Hood

Be in fashion this Winter with a knitted hood copied from the Crusader's helmet. So inexpensive to make, No. 230 has knit directions.

Send 25 cents in coins for this pattern to MARTHA MADISON, Big Spring Herald, 367 W. Adams St., Chicago 6, Ill.

Rebekah Lodge Has Draping Ceremony

John A. Kee Rebekah members, meeting at Carpenters Hall Tuesday evening undraped the charter, which had been draped at the death of Mrs. C. H. McDaniel.



MRS. FRED BROWNING

Lamesa Girl Is Wed In Lubbock

LAMESA — A single ring ceremony, read Tuesday united in marriage Robin Hatchett and Fred Randolph Browning. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatchett of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Browning of Burleson.

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Mrs. Skalicky Heads Fairview HD Club

At a social and business meeting of the Fairview Home Demonstration Club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. Skalicky was installed as president of the group. Mrs. John Sutherland was hostess for 1956.

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Mrs. W. H. Ward Sr. installed Mrs. Skalicky, along with Mrs. Sutherland, vice president; Mrs. E. O. Hicks, secretary, and Mrs. Shirley Fryar, treasurer.

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The group sent Christmas cards to shut-ins and elderly members. Mrs. R. W. Barnes was nominated to fill the office of financial secretary.

Lamesa Band Feted At Holiday Party

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A walk for a ten-pound box of homemade candy was won by Mrs. H. F. Jarrett. The candy was contributed by Mrs. K. L. Brady. Proceeds from the walk will go into the lodge treasury.

BPODoe President Gives Christmas Party For Group

Mrs. Joe Clark, president of the BPODoe, was hostess for a party given Tuesday evening for the group.

Meeting in the Clark home, 15 members played games, gave charades and had a grab bag. Proceeds from the bag went into the grand lodge fund.

Gay Hill To Have Christmas Program

A Christmas program will be presented Thursday at 7 p.m. at the Gay Hill P-TA meeting.

A gift exchange was held, and refreshments were served. A green runner, decked in snow and glitter, marked a red cloth which served as a backdrop for an arrangement of Christmas balls in a crystal bowl.

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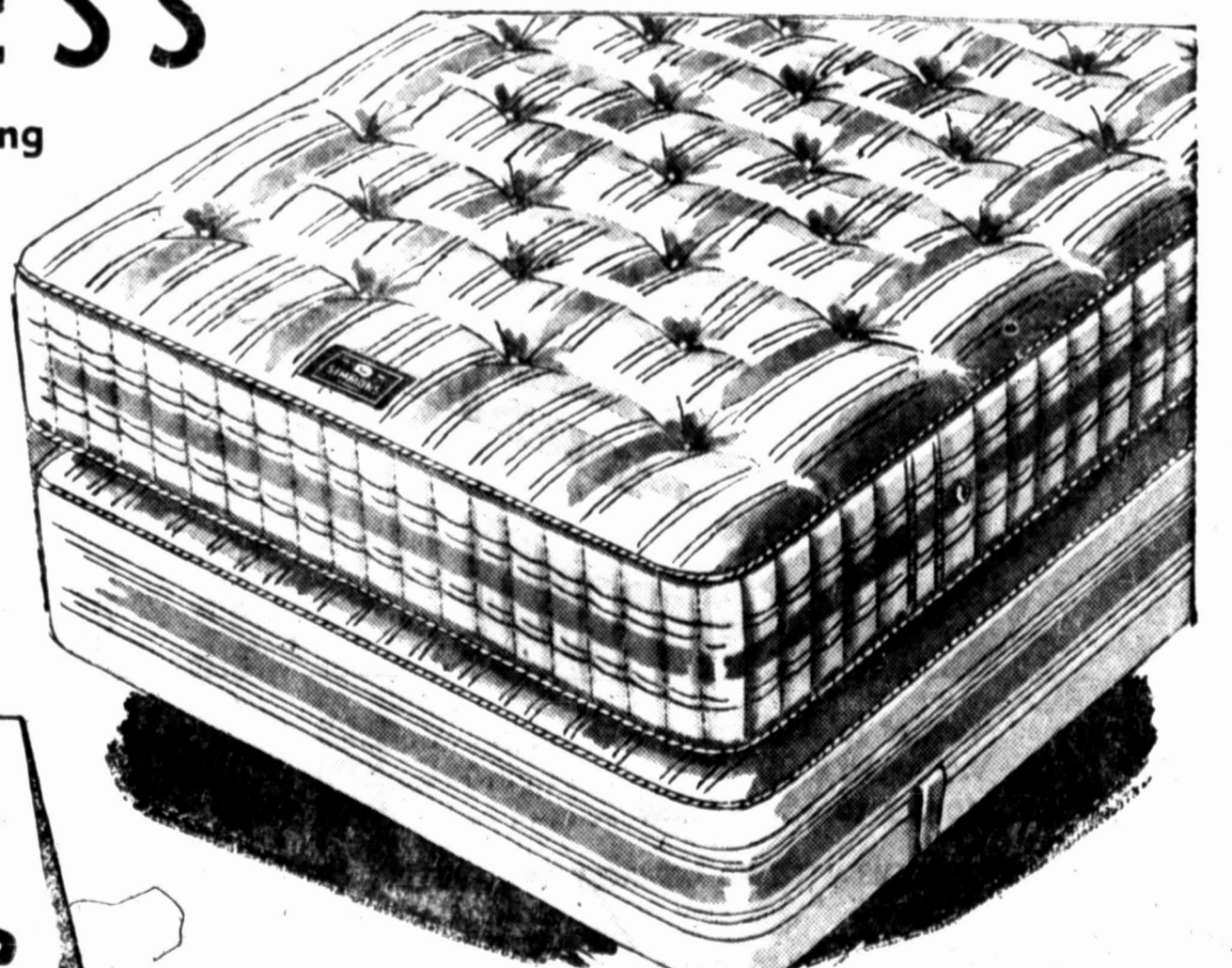
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Joseph Was Challenged In A Fight With Galling Shame

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fourth in a series of eight studies of the birth and times of Christ. It illustrates the challenge presented to Joseph and recounts his rewarding triumph.

By GEORGE CORNELL, Associated Press Newsfeatures Writer

Walk slowly now. Think calmly. The air is cool and the depths of the night are uncharted. Be not otherwise nor over-nasty. Though the feast has turned into mourning and the gladness to gail.

"My God, my God!" Walk slowly, oh Joseph, in the darkness, with shoulders bent and sorrow burning your bones as on a hearth. Search the heart. There are things which seem right to a man but the end thereof are ways of death.

"Oh God, the very waves of the sea rage in me, foaming out their frame."

He stopped beside a tree and put his hands over his face. His body shook. How lovely she seemed, how fair! But the splendor has turned to ashes, the rubies to clay.

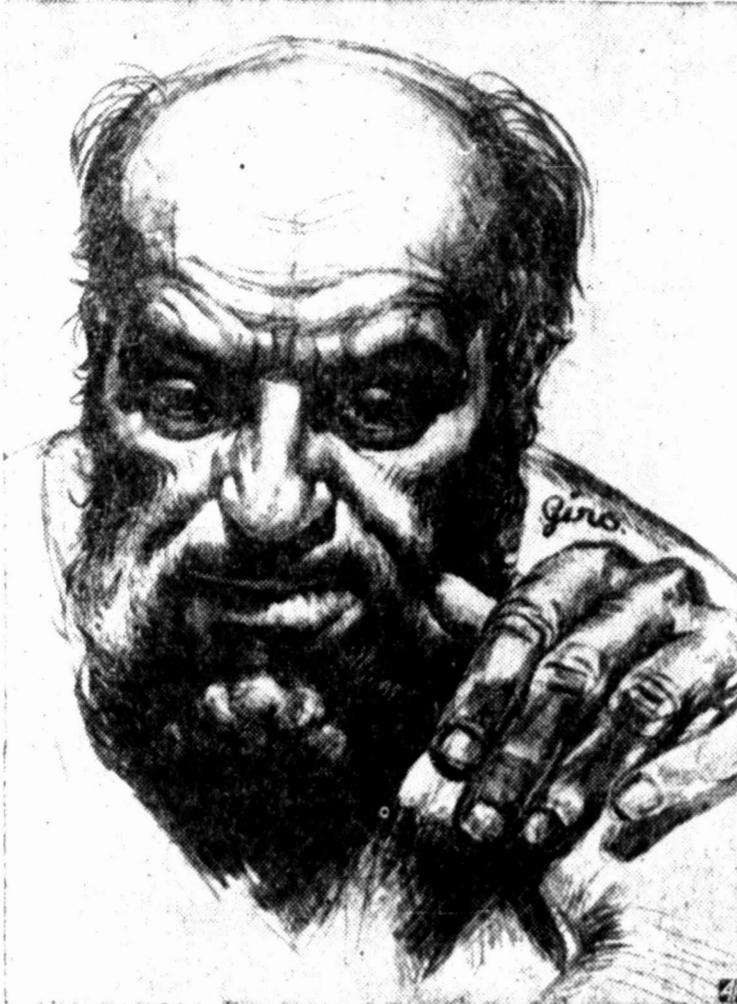
With his fist, Joseph struck the pole of the tree. He turned his drawn face upward, his eyes pinched shut with beseeching. "Oh Lord, give light to thy servant whose spirit is bitter unto death."

How tenderly he had cherished his betrothed, his Mary. Her pledge to him, at his greater age, had been like a healing touch. But the image was fallen and crumbled. His Mary was with child!

Walk slowly, oh Joseph, and meditate your duty. The air is cool and dark. Tread carefully this inner abyss. Judge well your steps.

And what does man do? Why, put her away, speedily! Disown her and make void the betrothal. Leave Mary to disgrace and grief. Sit in judgment on this new life, and ordain condemnation!

Their vows, in that day, were like unto a marriage, and the betrothed might be together and bear children properly, but they had not. Three months ago, she



JOSEPH A personality study by Guy Rowe

left Nazareth in haste to be with her cousin, Elizabeth. Ghost, and she shall bring forth a Son . . . Jesus."

On her return, he knew. With great gladness, he rose from his bed, and took Mary as his wife, and her time drew nigh, and sweetness as a song was in his house.

When the emperor's decree went out for the census, he did not leave her alone, but took her with him. And the dust of the road, of the 84 miles, did not oppress them, and she rode on the burro smiling at her Joseph.

No, there was no room in the Bethlehem inn, but there was in the stone stable, the warmth of beads, and bright stars looked in. So the Child was born.

When the boy was 8 days old, he was circumcised, and given the name, "Yeshua," or Jesus, which means the "Salvation of God."

After 40 days, they took the Child the five miles to Jerusalem to offer him to the Lord at the temple as was the law.

A devout old man, Simeon, being in the temple, had believed he would see Christ before he died, and he picked up the Child and said:

"Lord, now let thy servant depart in peace, for mine eyes have seen salvation."

There is witness in your eyes, Joseph, and Mary's, too. Then old Simeon said a strange thing: "Behold, this Child is set for

the fall and rising again. Yea, a sword shall pierce thy own soul also, that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed."

But he not troubled, Joseph. Sufficient now is this, thy beautiful Son, given of God, and this, thy Mary, radiant beside you, cradling Him in her arms. All things in their fullness await the unfolding of the Lord.

So they returned to their house, and the Child grew in their love, and within a year, three learned Eastern nobles came with gifts from Persia, from 1,500 miles or more, and adored the Child, saying their researches had convinced them a new, prominent star had signalled the birth of a sublime One.

Then Joseph learned of Herod's jealousy — his design to slay all children of Bethlehem.

"Rise up, Joseph! You are young no more, but you are armed with love. It girds you like strong timber, like the Ebon tree. Rise up, poor carpenter! And stand against your own Goliath."

In the night, with laden burro, they went, taking their Child. Out of Judea toward Egypt, more than 250 miles, mingling with wayfarers, tenting by night, resting under a sycamore tree.

For only a while, they remained in Egypt; then Herod the Great died, and they came back toward the high country of Jerusalem.

But when they learned that Archelaus, a loutish son of Herod, now ruled there for Rome, and 2,000 Jews had been crucified, 3,000 slain in riots and 30,000 sold into slavery, they journeyed northward by another route back to their old home in the lowlands of Galilee.

In the newly disjoined kingdom, another son of Herod, called Herod Antipas, ruled in Galilee, and

they were safe. So Joseph taught the Boy gently and well, the trade of his hands and the words of the Lord.

Oh Joseph, of the great heart, wearing goodness and understanding. You are strong, Joseph, a man of hard toil, of gnarled hands and faith. For a short moment long ago, you hesitated before this Child, but then, in great love, you battled for Him, and won.

You will endure, Joseph, for out of homeless nights and weary journeys and strength and sacrifice for a Child, you built not beams and trestles but life. Old carpenter, it is said you died at 110, but the structure that you raised lives on beyond the best of wood.

You did not know, Joseph. But that Boy was yours, nourished in your love, and is yours, and all mankind's who want Him.

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LOGKHAH, Tex. — Dr. E. C. South of Logkhaah, retired Baptist minister, publisher, author and former editor of the Baptist Standard, remembers how he "ate high of the hog" for 30 cents per day 63 years ago while a freshman at the University of Texas.

"I weighed more that Christmas than at any other time in my life," he said.

Freshman Eugene Routh of La-Grange, who took his meals at Brackenridge Hall, still has in his possession a printed copy of the Thanksgiving Day menu, Nov. 30, 1893.

A glance at the list of foods offered the students reveal that the high cost of living had not reached the campus in those halcyon days.

The highest item on the food list was a dozen raw oysters for 9 cents. An oyster stew brought .04.

Some of the other items: Baked trout or redfish .05, fat turkey with aspice .05, chicken giblet dressing .05, venison ham with currant jelly .05, baked turkey with oyster dressing .05, Spanish olives, celery, cherkins or onion pickles were .03 each.

Patties of turkeys' livers, lettuce salad, shrimp and celery salad and chicken salad sold for .04 each.

Some of the desserts were English plum pudding, pumpkin pie.

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Professor, Wife Renounce U. S.

MOSCOW (AP) — Tass announced today a St. Louis University professor and his wife have renounced their American citizenship to live and work in the Soviet Union.

They were identified as Prof. O. S. Makar, 47, a specialist in the science of photographic map-making, and Mrs. Alexandria Sophia Makar.

Quoting the Stockholm Communist newspaper Ny Dag, the Soviet news agency said the couple announced their decision to abandon their American citizenship in a letter mailed to the U.S. Embassy in Stockholm before they boarded a plane for Moscow Saturday.

The Ny Dag account quoted Makar as saying he hoped to get a university chair in the Soviet Union. Tass did not indicate where he might be assigned.

A St. Louis University publication of 1955 shows an Orest Stephen Makar was appointed associate professor of engineering there Sept. 1, 1954, after service as a mathematics consultant and general physicist on the technical staffs of the U.S. Air Force and Army.

Makar was notified by St. Louis University that his contract was being terminated last Aug. 31, because his teaching had been "unsatisfactory."

The Rev. Victor J. Blum, S.J., dean of the university's Institute of Technology, wrote Makar "the continuous and serious complaints of students in your courses and your inability to give satisfactory instruction in the various courses you have taught for us has become a source of great embarrassment."

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Baptists Promote Ex-Pastor Of City

DALLAS — The Rev. James Roy Clark, pastor of the East Fourth Street Baptist Church in Big Spring from 1944 to 1947, has been named Dist. No. 14 missions secretary for the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Rev. Clark resigned from his pastorate at the Morgan Avenue Baptist Church in Corpus Christi Sunday to accept the new position. He succeeds the Rev. M. O. Cheek of Waco and will take up his new duties Jan. 15.

Rev. Cheek, former pastor, missionary to China and missions secretary for the past 17 years, is retiring.

The district includes nine Baptist associations, 233 churches, 11 missions and 73,415 members in an eight-county area extending from Hillsboro and Corsicana on the north to Marlin on the south, and from Meridian and Gatesville on the west to Teague and Fairfield on the east. District offices are in Waco.

Rev. Clark's duties will be to help pastors and churches in counseling, pulpits, general church promotional work and missionary endeavors.

He also will create and maintain district and associational organizations, promote denominational programs, institutions and agencies, and serve as a public relations representative for Texas Baptists.

In addition to the Corpus Christi church, other congregations the new secretary has pastored include the Edgefield Baptist Church in Waco and the North Hill Baptist Church in Houston. Clark was graduated from the Baylor University and attended the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

Deny O. Henry Home Legend

AUSTIN — Nine residents of the Gaston Avenue area of Austin have challenged that O. Henry spent his honeymoon in a house that is to be moved to a park near their homes.

The nine residents filed a second suit yesterday in an effort to keep the O. Henry "Honeymoon Cottage" from being placed in a residential area.

O. Henry, if he did move to the building now called "O. Henry Honeymoon Cottage" did so approximately six months after his marriage, the suit said.

The nine also seek an order to keep the Austin Heritage Society from carrying out any work in connection with making the former writer's home a shrine in that area.

O. Henry, whose real name was William Sydney Porter, lived in Austin between 1884 and 1895. A suit was filed last month by attorney Wright Stubbs asking the court to remove or destroy the house.

Mail Fraud Case Ends In A Hung Jury

HOUSTON — The jury in the mail fraud trial of George B. Parr, eight of his Duval County associates and two banks, announced yesterday after six days of deliberations that it could not reach a verdict.

The jury was split 11 for conviction and one for acquittal. U.S. Atty. Malcolm Wilkey said he would try the case again. Defense Atty. Percy Foreman said that "if this case is ever tried again, it will take six months instead of six weeks."

The 11 defendants were charged with having taken part in a scheme to defraud the Benavides Independent School District of more than \$200,000 in tax funds collected through the mails during the years 1949 to 1953.

The government called 81 witnesses, the defense 12 in the trial. Near the end of the sixth day of deliberations Jury Foreman Oscar Breeding told U.S. Dist. Judge Allen B. Hannay:

"Your honor, we've done the best we can, and this is all we can do." Hannay dismissed the jury. Wilkey said, "No defendants were acquitted on all counts, and seven weren't acquitted on any counts."

Foreman said, "I'm disappointed that the jury didn't reach a verdict for all counts and all defendants. I thought it would be a verdict of innocence."

When asked if he thought he got a fair trial, Parr grinned, pointed to Foreman and said: "He still speaks for me. I've got no comment."

Parr faces trial at the end of January in Austin on a federal charge of income tax evasion. Joe Grimes identified himself as the juror who held out for acquittal.

Grimes said, "Well, that's the way I saw it—and that's the way I had to vote. I just couldn't tell who was lying, and who wasn't." The jury action on the 11 was: Parr, former president of the school district's depository bank—no verdict on all 20 counts.

B. F. (Tom) Donald, former cashier of the school district's bank—no verdict.

D. C. Chapa, former tax collector-assessor for the school district, no verdict.

Jesus Garza, ex-member of the school district's board of trustees, no verdict.

Santiago Garcia, ex-Benavides school board member—innocent on 10 counts and no verdict on 10 counts.

Octavio Saenz, ex-president of the school board—no verdict on any count.

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Junior Red Cross Members Send Parcels Across Seas

Sometime in January, there should be quite a flood of mail reaching Big Spring from a number of remote and distant lands. These letters will carry odd foreign postage stamps; the writing will be "queer" as compared to that which is so familiar here.

The letters will be addressed to young members of the Big Spring Junior Red Cross chapter. They will be "thank you" notes from children in other lands—Hungary, Korea or perhaps Vietnam. The letters will acknowledge receipt of packages sent from Big Spring recently by the Junior Red Cross to needy children in foreign lands.

The local chapter sent 139 packages in the shipment. Each package contained the name of the Big Spring boy or girl who packed it. There are no individual addresses for the youngsters scheduled to receive the gift. This will be determined by Red Cross officials in the land to which the shipment is sent.

The packages contained such items as soap, writing materials, toothpaste, pencils and other articles. Red Cross officials said the shipment went from Big Spring to the East Coast. Where it will be sent from there is up to national headquarters. The destination will be determined largely by the need in certain countries, it was said.

It is usual, the Red Cross reports, for the senders of such packages to receive letters from the boys and girls who receive them. Naturally, there will be a considerable delay.

It was not hazarded whether the 139 packages sent from Big Spring will reach their ultimate destination before Christmas.

Treasury Cards Must Be Renewed

Several attorneys and agents in this area will have to renew their Treasury cards during 1957 in order to continue to practice before the Treasury Department, according to Ben Hawkins, chief administrative officer of the Big Spring office of the Internal Revenue Service.

These are persons who, as of the time of their prior enrollment, were found qualified to represent claimants before the department, principally in internal revenue matters, and whose enrollments expire next year. Enrollment cards are valid for five years following date of issuance. The large number of practitioners who must file renewal applications in 1957 results from the running of this five-year limitation made effective beginning January 1, 1952.

Hawkins said machinery to process the expected peak load of renewals is being set up in the Dallas District office. Renewal applications (Form 23A) will be available at all Internal Revenue Service offices in North Texas on approximately Jan. 1.

Family Of 4 Asphyxiated

GLENDALE, Calif. — Police broke into an apartment yesterday and discovered a gas heater burning full blast, all windows tightly closed, and a family of four dead of apparent asphyxiation.

Officers estimated the temperature at 150 degrees in the small apartment. Gayle E. Hinton, 23, his wife Frances, 18, and their children Ava, 18 months, and Michael, 5 months, apparently died early Monday, investigators said.

Hinton's body was in the living room, sprawled near a tipped-over lamp, indicating he died in a desperate effort to reach and open a window. The other bodies were in or near their beds.

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Constipation is caused by what doctors call a "thrifty" colon. A "thrifty" colon is one that, instead of retaining moisture as it should, does the opposite: robs the colon of so much moisture that its contents become dehydrated, so dry that they block the bowel; so shrunken that they fail to excite or stimulate the urge to purge that propels and expels waste from your body.

TO REGAIN NORMAL REGULARITY two things are necessary. First, the dry, shrunken contents of your colon which now block your bowel must be re-moistened. Second, bulk must be brought to your colon to S-T-R-E-T-C-H STIMULATE it and so, excite its muscles to action; to a normal urge to purge.

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Surrender Of U.S. Spy Told

LONDON — Moscow newspapers claimed today a Russian-born U.S. intelligence agent has given himself up to Soviet authorities because he couldn't bear to spy against his homeland.

Here is the story of Rem Petrovich Moroz, the reluctant spy, as related by Moscow radio. Moroz, now 30, had lived in West Germany for a long time, making his living as a thief. In 1954 he took a job with the U.S. intelligence service to "spy on so-called displaced persons."

Later Moroz and his American boss, an agent named Muller, were sent to Washington for Moroz to continue his training at a special intelligence school.

"He was taught various methods of espionage work — photography, secret writing, marksmanship and topography — and given intensive training in walking long distances across rugged country."

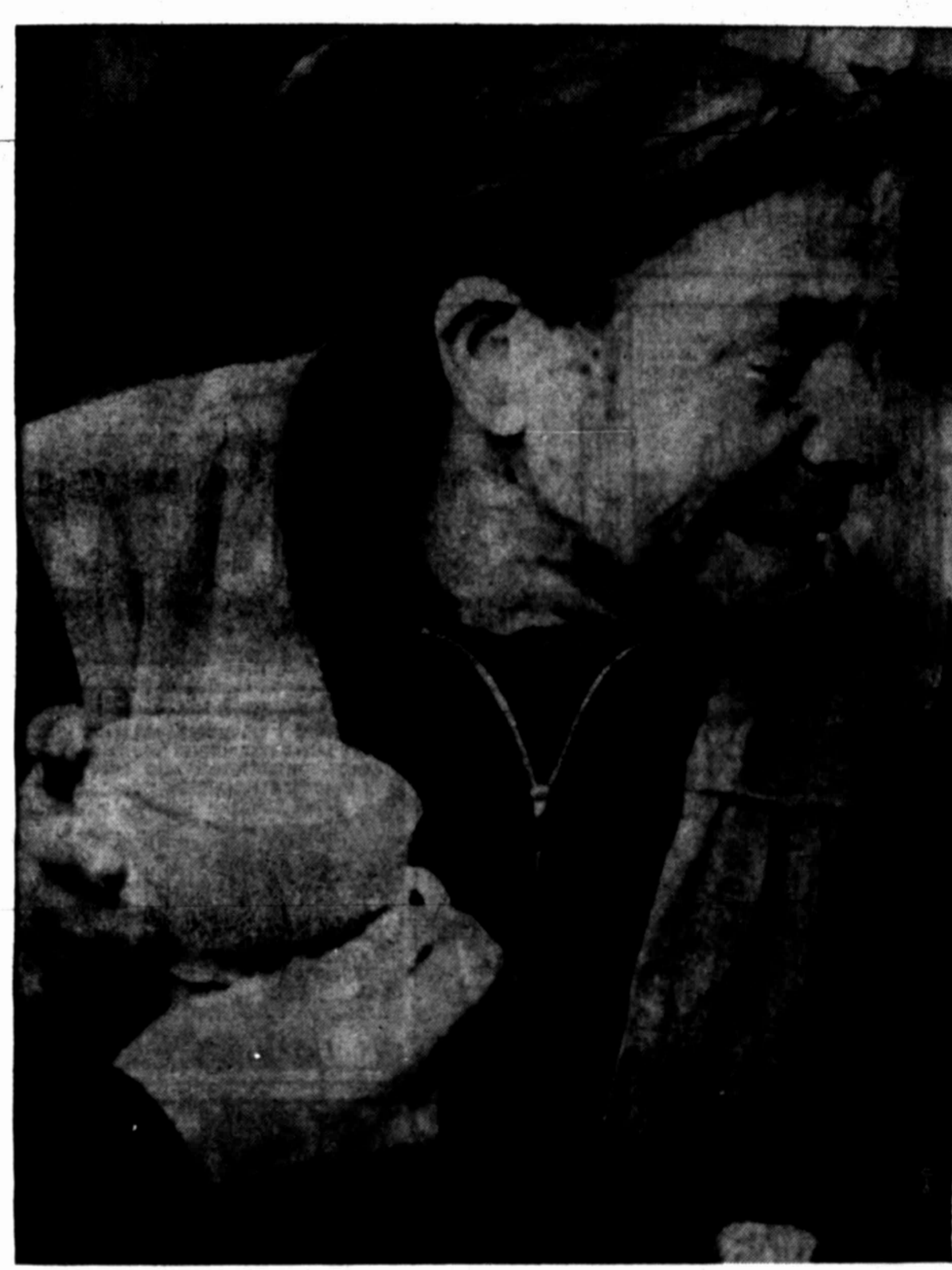
All this time Moroz was firmly resolved to refuse to spy once he got back to Russia.

Last May 15 he and other U.S. agents were taken to Turkey on "four-engine transport aircraft No. 05533" and Moroz was dispatched into the Soviet Union with "forged documents in the name of Peter Grigoryevich Marchenko, a great number of forged certificates, a camera, a firearm, a considerable amount of Soviet money and a poison phial."

His mission was to obtain at all costs, even by murder, various Soviet documents (passports, military warrants, official passes, etc.).

Instead he turned himself into the authorities. "In consideration of the fact that Moroz voluntarily presented himself and frankly related everything regarding his work with the American intelligence service," Moscow radio said, "the authorities concerned have decided not to bring him to trial."

Quakes Hit Chile
 ANTOFAGASTA, Chile — New earthquakes rocked northern Chile last night. The shocks were felt in several cities. Though there was some material damage, there were no reports of casualties.



TO THE MILLIONS OF AMERICANS WHO HAVE ASKED: "HOW CAN WE HELP THE BRAVE PEOPLE OF HUNGARY?"

You have read about the incredible suffering of the freedom-loving people of Hungary. You and millions of other Americans have looked around your own safe homes—looked at your warm clothes and asked: "How can we help?" Here is your answer. To date, over 100,000 Hungarian men, women and children have escaped with their lives to neighboring Austria. Many are sick. Some are wounded. All are hungry. And most of them face winter with only the clothes they were wearing when they escaped. But their ordeal is not over. For generous Austria's meager supplies have been stripped bare. There is little food, little medicine, little coal, little shelter. And new thousands of refugees arrive daily. In Hungary itself, hundreds of thousands must be fed through the cold winter. The lives of these people depend upon your generosity. Your money will buy desperately needed supplies for those tens of thousands stranded in Austria. Your money will reach into the ruins of Budapest and help feed the hungry people there. Literally every dollar you send will be used for on-the-spot relief. The need is terrible and the need is now. Please give to HERO (Hungarian Emergency Relief Organizations). And please give today!

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BACK AT BASE OPERATIONS.

BASE OPS TO CHASE PLANE, HAVE YOU GOT A FIRE UP THERE? WHAT'S THE SITUATION?

SEEMS TO BE NO MORE FIRE, BUT SITUATION IMPOSSIBLE! ROCKET PLANE WON'T DROP AND B-29 CAN'T LAND WITH IT!

DIXIE DUGAN

WE MUST HAVE A LOT OF THINGS WE DON'T NEED—SOME POORER PEOPLE MIGHT HAVE USE FOR.

WONDERFUL IDEA, DEAR.

YEN—LIKE PLAYIN' SANTA CLAUS.

BUT HOW—IN THIS SNOW??

COME HERE, DEAR.

O'TOOLE'S OLD SLEIGH—YEAH!

NANCY

POOR GUS IS THE HOMELIEST DOG IN TOWN.

I FEEL SO SORRY FOR HIM.

—ERNIE BUSHMILLER—

NOW YOU LOOK PRETTIER.

L'L LABNER

WAIT!! WE DON'T HASTA ABANDON OUR BELUVV'D DOGPATCH!!

BUT TH' TERMITES ET TH' TOP-SOIL OFF!!—WE CAN'T GROW NO MORE TURNIPS!!

ANY WIFOUT TURNIPS, DOGPATCHERS DIES!!

TURNIPS IS TH' STAFF O' LIFE!!

THARS ACRES O' FOOD—RIGHT UNDERNEATH YORE STOOPID FEET!!

NAMELY IN TH' OLD MUD-MUSHROOM MINE!!

BUT IT'S SO DANGEROUS!! NO MORE N ONE MAN KIN GIT IN THAR AT A TIME!!

WHUT IDIOT WOULD SACK-REE FACE HISSELF FO EVRYBODY ELSE??

BLONDIE

DAGWOOD COME SEE THE WONDERFUL TURKEY I GOT AT THE MARKET TODAY.

IT'S GORGEOUS.

I'M SO PROUD OF IT! HOW ABOUT A KISS?

SMACK

I MEANT FOR ME, NOT THE TURKEY.

ANNIE ROONEY

NO, J. K.—NOTHING HAS TURNED UP ON THE ANNIE ROONEY CASE. WE ARE INTERVIEWING ROONEYS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY AND HAVEN'T TURNED UP A SINGLE ONE WHO EVER HEARD OF LITTLE ANNIE. SHE REALLY IS AN ORPHAN.

NOBODY IS EVER BORN AN ORPHAN, SHARPE. SHE MUST HAVE PARENTS SOME PLACE.

TRUE, BUT IT'S AN EXPENSIVE SEARCH TRYING TO FIND THEM—AND I HOPE THE ORGANIZATION DOESN'T GO BROKE BEFORE IT'S OVER—

IT'S A FUNNY THING, ZERO! MA FLING AINT SAID A WORD LATELY 'BOUT HIS SEARCH FOR OUR REALLY-TRULY PARENTS. I WANDER, IT MAYBE HE'S GIVIN' IT UP!!

SNUFFY SMITH

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DO IT! GET RID OF HOUSEHOLD PESTS?

DO IT? IT CERTAINLY DO!!

GOODY!! I'LL TRY ONE—

BOMBS AWAY!!

FWOOSH

GRANDMA

GEE, GRANDMA WHY TH' IRONS? GONNA SLUG SOMEONE?

OH, NO!! BUT WHEN I HAVE T' BE OUTDOORS IN CHILLY WEATHER...

I FIND A COUPLE O' WELL-HEATED FLATIRONS CARRIED ALONG LIKE THIS...

KEEP MY LITTLE PINKIES AS WARM AS TOAST!!

DONALD DUCK

GEE, AREN'T YOU GOING TO GO DOWN?

I HOPE YOU'VEER THESE THINGS BY SHIFTING YOUR WELLS LIKE EGGS!

JOE PALOOKA

JOE SET UP BABA WITH AN UPPERCUT... THE CHAMPION PRESSES HIS FIERCE ATTACK WITH A SERIES OF WITHERING LEFTS AND RIGHTS!

8-9-10—OUT!!

HEY, JOEY—AINTCHA WAITIN' T'BT YER HAND RAISED?

SORRY... I CAN'T... WE MUST GET TO KNOBBY'S SIDE!

I GOT EVERYTHING READY, JOE—LET'S GO.

SCORCHY SMITH

LUKE HAS ME PINNED DOWN BEHIND THIS ROCK LEDGE... WOW!! THAT WAS A BIT CLOSE!

AT LEAST JAY IS SAFE! HOPE HE HEADS FOR THE RANGH AND SOME HELP!

LUKE CAN'T SEE ME DOWN HERE... SHOULD I GO FOR HELP OR STICK AROUND??

OAKY DOAKS

SIR OAKY DID YOU CATCH UP WITH SIR BOLTON BUTTS?

YEH!

—HE'S IN JAIL, AND HERE'S THE MONEY HE STOLE!

THERE MUST BE A MILLION SMACKERS IN BIG BILLS!

AND HERE'S FIFTY THOUSAND IN BIG BILLS FOR YOU TO TAKE TO KING CORNY!

NOW HIS MAJESTY WILL PROCLAIM ME DUKE OF DEADHAM, GLORIA! I WANDER IF YOU'D LIKE TO BE THE DUCHESS?

WHY DON'T YOU STOP WONDERING AND FIND OUT??

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I PLAY THE "NOT EVEN."

"NOT EVEN?"

SURE, YOU KNOW WHERE IT SAYS "NOT A CREATURE WAS BITTEN."

WELL, IN THE "NOT-A-CREATURE" WHO IS BITTEN... "NOT EVEN" THE MOUSE.

DICKIE DARE

IT'S A MIDGET SUB, DOC. THAT'S WHY IT ROLLS WITH THE SWELLS, AND IT'S RUN BY A MAN WHO STRADDLES IT.

NOTE: THIS IS A REAL INVENTION, RECENTLY DEVELOPED.

HYA, PAL! WHAT'S THE LATEST SPORTS NEWS? JEEPS, WHY DOESN'T HE ANSWER?

HE'S SEALED IN AN AIRTIGHT SUIT FOR USE UNDERWATER, COOK, THAT'S WHY!

— BUT WHERE'S HE COMIN' FROM? WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

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- Greek letter
- Flat-bottomed boat
- Roman emperor
- Co. pail
- Pulled apart
- Image
- Nocturnal bird
- Poker stake
- Fish
- Send out
- Tote
- Expert
- Devoured
- Injure
- Dance step

DOWN

- Light carriage
- and con
- Occupy a chair
- Small engine
- Ignited
- Cut off in pronouncing
- ashamed
- Short letter
- Gaiter
- Cabbage salad
- Building site
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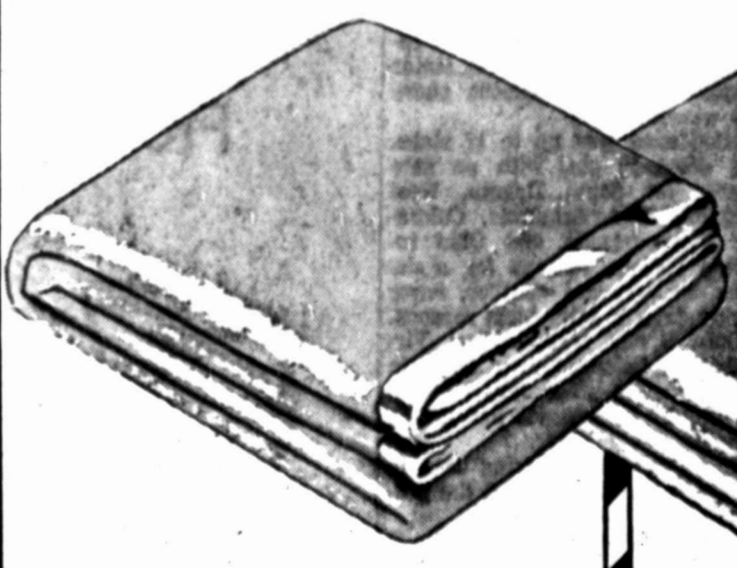


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Jan Loudermilk Sets New Record In Win

Jan Loudermilk went on a record-breaking scoring rampage as the Big Spring Steers trounced Andrews, 74-59, for their sixth victory in seven basketball starts here Tuesday night.

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

The community in general and sports in particular will miss Ira Thurman, who passed away over the weekend.

Thurman did many things to boost the city and no job did he tackle with more enthusiasm than when called upon to boost baseball.

Quite probably professional baseball would not have returned here after World War II had it not been for him. And professional baseball had no better public relations office than the First National Bank during the game's existence here.

Any friend's death diminishes me and I counted Thurman one of the warmest and most cheerful I have ever known. The sports beat will not be the same without him.

Fearful, perhaps, lest some larger school grab him off, Leveland has raised the wage of its football coach, Johnny Hickman, to \$7,500 per annum.

The pact will run for three years. Hickman had failed to act on a \$7,000 offer a short time ago.

In three years at Leveland, Hickman's teams have won 19 games, lost eight and tied three. Two of those 19 games have come at the expense of Big Spring.

Bert Haas, another ex-big leaguer, is moving in as manager of the Clovis Southwestern Baseball League early next year. Jodie Phillips replaces Thurman Tucker as the Carlsbad skipper, Tucker having moved on over to Hobbs.

Area scribes have expressed some doubt that the circuit, despite all its serious planning, will be able to start with more than six teams next year.

Buck Francis, who reasons that you can't be neutral when you discuss Snyder, allows that the Tiger round-ball brigade might just up and beat Big Spring the next time the two teams play.

The two points are booked here the night of Jan. 8. Francis' points out that the Tigers were up against it in the two teams' previous meeting, because the Bengals had been working out only one week.

That's what Snyder gets, I'm thinking, for playing football so long. According to Buck, the Tigers outplayed Big Spring from the first quarter on the other night. That could have been the case but Coach Johnny Johnson could have been experimenting with his reserves, after the Steers had salted away the verdict in the first eight minutes.

Francis gave Sweetwater the back of his hand in the same column. He accused Coach Elwood Turner of the Ponies of supplying Graham (in an indirect way) with action films of the Snyder-Sweetwater football game which helped Graham upset Snyder in the playoffs, 7-6.

The Snyder scribe has no love in his heart for Sweetwater and its environs, which dared to play the Tigers to a 3-0 game in football last fall. If it were possible, he'd gladly trade Sweetwater for a gourd and bust the gourd.

Odesa will host both the State TAAF Boxing tournament and the State TAAF Tennis tournament in 1957.

Dan Anderregg, football coach of the highly successful Crane Cranes and an alumnus of Oklahoma University, is planning to visit here shortly to discuss the local coaching situation with Supt. of Schools Floyd Parsons and school board members.

All Attendance, Betting Records Fall In Racing

NEW YORK (AP)—Thoroughbred racing smashed all attendance and wagering records in 1956, and swelled state treasuries with an all-time high of more than 165 million dollars in revenue, an Associated Press survey of the 24 states with pari-mutuel betting disclosed today.

Attendance, led by California and New York tracks, passed the 30 million mark. Pari-mutuel turnover reached \$2,283,332,191, according to figures from state racing commissions.

Figures were incomplete in several instances, but the totals were not expected to vary greatly. In California it was estimated that 5,372,757 persons attended races at the major tracks and fairs.

Attendance at New York tracks, with no fair racing, reached 4,681,806. Nine states reported attendance over a million. The total shot to 30,174,322, compared with 29,012,131 in 1955—a jump of 3.97 per cent.

Wagering in 1955 was \$2,097,009,240. The 1956 total showed a boost of 8.88 per cent. New York's major tracks reported \$381,706,245 slightly under the California estimate of \$384,996,006.

As for revenue to the states, the \$165,484,954 for 1956 was 7.39 per cent above the \$149,528,941 reported a year ago. Several states boosted their tax takeout share last season.

Attendance was up to 17 states and down in six, with no gate figures for South Dakota, West Virginia, Ohio, Arkansas, Colorado, Massachusetts and Ohio reported various reasons for a decline, such as bad weather, fewer racing days or other local reasons.

Only Rhode Island, West Virginia and Colorado were down in betting, while state revenue was off slightly in Colorado and Rhode Island.

Jay Sherrod and Robert Burk of the visiting team fouled out trying to do something with the Steers' pivot man.

Hart had a good evening for the Ponies, tossing in 22 points. Adams accounted for an even dozen.

Don Lovelady was the only other Big Spring player to score in double figures. He managed ten points.

Jimmy Evans, Mike Musgrove and Jesse McElreath each had eight for the locals.

The Steers outscored the Cayuses in every quarter, although the margin was only one point in the final round.

Loudermilk has now scored 130 points for the season. Big Spring's B team, staying comfortably in front all the way, defeated the Andrews reserves in the preliminary contest, 48-42.

Bill Thompson enjoyed another fine night for the Dogies. He scored 19 points. Preston Hollis was second for Big Spring with 11.

Roy Mack Perrin paced Andrews with an 18-point effort. The Steers visit Lamesa for a game Thursday night, then call it quits until after Christmas.

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TCU's plans to work out Tuesday to prepare for its game with Syracuse in the Cotton Bowl on New Year's Day were changed by an all-day rain. The Frogs were confined to watching a movie of Syracuse in action.

And Syracuse, which flew out of the cold New York weather to work out in the warmth of Norman, Okla., was forced to prepare for its game with TCU in a freezing mist.

The Baylor Bears were also forced by rain to cancel a scheduled rough defensive workout at Waco against plays they expect to see when they meet Tennessee in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans on Jan. 1.

But Tennessee was far from idle. The Vols tested the defensive formations it will use against Baylor in a long workout at Knoxville.

Tennessee Coach Bowden Wyatt stressed pass defense in the drill. All-America tailback Johnny Rogers, one of the Jayhawks' champion boosters, has donated a \$24 Coleman camp-fire stove, a \$5.95 stand and a \$12.95 Coleman lantern to the trophy committee. All will go to the tutor of the winning team.

Zale's Jewelers will again give the tournament's outstanding player, as adjudged by a committee, a Baylor wrist watch. Other prizes are being assembled by Coach Harold Davis, tournament director.

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Webb, 24, will be trying to extend a 17-fight winning string, in the nationally televised encounter—10 p.m. EST, ABC—against the British Empire middleweight champion.

McAteer, a native of Birkenhead, England, can punch with either hand but especially is adept with a left hook. The invader has won 42 out of 44 starts and scored 21 knockouts.

McAteer made his U. S. debut last September, taking a 10-round decision from Jerry Luedee in New York. A month later he successfully defended his empire crown against Lou Lazar in 15 rounds.

"I would say that Pat is what you Americans call a sharpshooter," said his manager, Johnny Campbell. "He can adapt himself to his opponent's style, then pick his spots and fire away at an opening. I think he'll look pretty good to you."

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The 10-game grid slate also includes six Southwest Conference teams, athletic director and head coach Jess Neely said.

The 1957 schedule: Sept. 21—Louisiana State at Baton Rouge.

Sept. 28—Open.

Oct. 5—Stanford at Houston.

Oct. 12—Duke at Houston.

Oct. 19—SMU at Dallas.

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The C team takes the court at 6:30 p.m., the B team at 8:00. The Bees will be seeking revenge for the only team to beat them this season.

Admission prices have been set at 50 and 25 cents.

Hill A Worry To NY Giants

NEW YORK (AP)—Already singled by the hair-raising pass grabbing of end Harlon Hill, the New York Giants today turned their attention toward Hill, in particular, and the Chicago Bears, in general, as they planned strategy for the National Football League championship playoff Dec. 30.

"We'll try to double up on him as much as we can," said Jim Lee Howell, coach of the Eastern Conference champs. "But we can not go overboard on him because the Bears have such good runners. That's what makes it so hard to set up a defense for them."

In the only regular season meeting between the teams, in Yankee Stadium Nov. 25, Hill came up with two spectacular touchdown catches in the final quarter to enable the Bears to pull out a 17-17 deadlock. Since the Bears won the Western Division title with a 9-2-1 record over Detroit's 9-3-0, Hill's performance in that game was of paramount importance.

"I don't know for sure who's going to defend against Hill," said Howell. "He's all over . . . at end, in the backfield . . . just all over. If I tried to have specific men cover him, they'd be running into each other. The best I can hope for is to do it by assigning areas, to double him on either side."

Between now and the Yankee Stadium title game, the Giants will have to concentrate on defense. The Bears produced the most powerful scoring machine in the NFL in the regular campaign—363 points in 12 games for an average of better than 30 points a game.

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Powell Paces Hawks To Win

Mike Powell climbed out of a sick bed to lead the hard-pressed HCJC Jayhawks to a 70-66 victory over the McMurry Papooses here Tuesday night.

Powell had been ill the previous night with a stomach virus and Coach Harold Davis had expressed doubt he would even be able to suit out.

The Coleman sophomore not only played most of the game, he wound up scoring 21 points and playing an outstanding floor game, as well.

The win was the sixth in seven starts for the Hawks, who visit Cisco Thursday for a joust with that city's JC Wranglers before calling a halt for the holidays.

McMurry came to town loaded for bear and almost shot down the Jayhawks who, for the most part, played uninspired ball. Owen Mobley and Glenn Smith beat a steady rat-a-tat-tat on the HCJC goal that all but turned the tide.

Mobley wound up counting 20 points for the Papooses while Smith managed 16.

Charles Clark lent the Hawks a big hand. He tossed in 18 points while Bobby Wardell chipped in with 11.

Poor rebounding all the way kept the Hawks in hot water. Too, the Papooses came to play. They hustled right down to the final gun and almost pulled it out in the final 90 seconds of play.

The HCJC team had to go all out to tumble Nabors Paint Store, 76-75, in the preliminary engagement.

Wick Pickett stepped on the gas and wound up scoring 25 points for HCJC. Bobby Maines had 20 and Wiley Brown 19 for Nabors.

The score was deadlocked at half time, 39-39.

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NABORS (75) Wiley Brown 8 3 4 3 19 Bobby Maines 9 2 3 1 20 Ipe Cockrell 2 2 3 1 6 Ray Crook 4 6 3 8 16 Floyd Martin 2 1 1 4 5 Max Coffey 1 1 2 0 3

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Cosden, T-B-P, Nabors Record League Wins

Cosden, Nabors Paint Store and Tate-Bristol-Parks Insurance registered wins in the initial round of YMCA Industrial basketball league play at the Junior High School Gym here Tuesday night.

Cosden outlasted Elliott Drug, 44-41. Nabors drubbed McGibbon Phillips 66 by a 55-30 lath while Tate-Bristol-Parks subdued Mort Denton Pharmacy, 69-50.

Wiley Brown of Nabors and Cosden's Swam emerged as the top scorers of the evening, counting 20 points each. Charles Caraway of Tate-Bristol-Parks wound up with 18.

Elliott's rallied late against Cosden but couldn't quite close the gap.

ELLIOTT DRUG (41) - Scott 7-17; Jenkins 2-0-4; Newell 1-0-3; Parks 4-11; Pinsky 0-0-0; Moore 0-0-0; Lathan 0-0-0; Hicks 1-0-2; Elliott 2-0-4. Totals 17-41.

COSDEN (44) - Swam 7-0-0; Baird 1-0-1; Coffey 1-0-2; Martin 2-0-4; Berry 0-0-0; Platt 0-0-0; Greenfield 0-0-0; Drake 2-0-4; Soltien 4-2-10. Totals 17-44.

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40 Olympic Athletes Seek Haven In United States

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States may have come out second in the unofficial competition for points at the 1956 Olympics, but it seems likely to emerge with more athletes than it had when the games started.

Atty. Gen. Brownell announced yesterday he has authorized emergency admission into the United States of 40 Olympic athletes who chose not to return to their Iron Curtain countries when the games ended in Australia.

The athletes concerned, who are now in Melbourne, include 35 Hungarians, four Romanians and one Czech.

The Hungarians to be admitted to this country are among 48 who went to Australia for the Olympics and then did not return to their revolt-torn Communist homeland. The original Hungarian team numbered 175, including coaches.

In a broadcast heard in Vienna yesterday the Hungarian minister of state, Gyorgy Marosán, congratulated those who did return for escaping "traders in human beings" who, he said, went to Melbourne to "buy victims for political purposes."

"We know what difficulties and nervous tension you had to face in Melbourne," he said in a talk broadcast by radio Budapest. "You had to fight and conquer

lures and temptation. We know what was tried in Melbourne to prevent your return."

Marosán said the Hungarian government had tried to thwart efforts to "buy victims for political purposes." He said the West had tried to lure the Hungarians from their homeland "by false rumors and big financial offers."

He voiced gratitude that Russia finished first in the Olympics, saying "this proved that the Socialist countries are in the forefront in every field." The United States

was second; Hungary finished fifth.

Some of the Hungarians who stayed behind planned to remain in Australia for the time being and others hope to settle in countries other than the United States. One of those to be admitted to this country is Laszlo Tabort, four-minute miler. Another is his

coach, Mihaly Igloi. Others include fencers, swimmers and members of the water polo team. In granting them U. S. entry, Brownell used discretionary authority under the immigration laws, acting on State Department recommendations.

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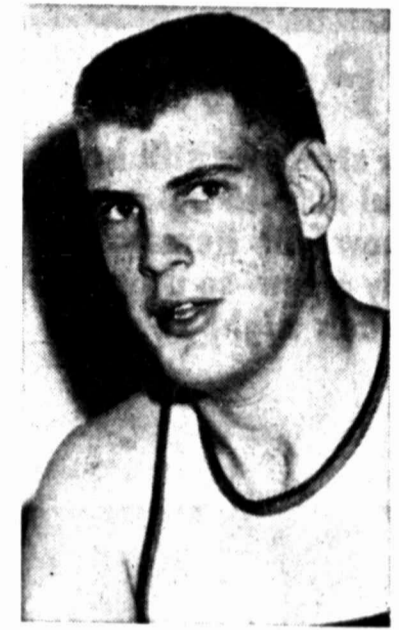
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Reserve Cager

A first-line reserve on the Big Spring High School basketball team, usually the first boy summoned when Coach Johnny Johnson wants to make a change in his lineup, is Billy Blum (above), a six-foot senior. Billy has been responding with some good performances.

Cal In Tribute To Wilt The Stilt

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—California's rooting section yelled this tribute to Wilt Chamberlain as they watched the 7-foot Kansas basketball ace warm up for last night's victory.

"On the highways
"In the air
"Wilt the Stilt
"Is every-where!"

Lucky Strikes Clinch Top Spot In Base's OWC Loop

The Lucky Strikes proved up the challenge in the final week of first round competition in the OWC bowling league at Webb Air Force base recently and clinched first place with a 33-22 won-lost record.

The Queen Pins had a chance to overtake the Lucky Strikes until the final week, but failed to pick up ground on the No. one team.

Jerry Kraus, using a handicap to good advantage, won a trophy for posting the high series — 548. The high game award went to Ann Bratcher, with a 209.

Marilyn Garrett earned an award as the most improved keeper. All entries were given a souvenir pin, complete with a bowling ball and five bowling pins.

In the Webb Chicks circuit, the Mad Cats boast a seven-point advantage and shows no signs of a slump.

Competition is keen in the Holy Name Society Mixed League, although Hit and Miss is way out in front with a 25-3 won-lost record.

The Splits currently are in second place but in danger of being overtaken by the Spoilers, the Yankees and the Woodchoppers.

All base keepers will take a rest during the holidays.

A recent meeting of the Big Spring Woman's Bowling Association was held, at which time a city constitution was adopted.

Dot Kain was elected delegate and Kay Leighty alternate to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Woman's Bowling Association at Wichita Falls on 22 March.

The Texas State Tournament (for women) will be held during March and April. City tournament plans were also discussed. It was also decided to donate \$3 to The Bowlers Victory Legion, an organization supported by bowlers everywhere which aids disabled veterans throughout the United States.

Standings:

TEAM	Strikes	Won	Lost
Lucky Strikes	34	26	22
Queen Pins	34	26	22
Pin Heads	31	29	29
Texas Rangers	23	37	23
Rockets	23	37	23
Holy Rodders	23	37	23

WEBB CHICKS

TEAM	W	L
Mad Cats	41	15
Suez Hess	34	22
Hit and Miss	27	29
Five Fives	25 1/2	30 1/2
West Pin-ups	21	35
Alley Cats	20 1/2	35 1/2

HOLY NAME SOCIETY MIXED LEAGUE

TEAM	W	L
Hit & Miss	25	15
Splits	13	14
Woodchoppers	12	16
Yankees	11	17
Alley Burners	7	21

Coast Fight Is Called Off After Bribe Try Exposed

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP)—Dick Goldstein, scheduled to fight Art Aragon, third ranked welterweight, last night, charged early today in a written statement to police that an attempt was made

to have him throw the fight for \$500.

Aragon told a reporter he knew nothing about Goldstein's report. Louis Quintanilla, deputy state boxing commissioner in the San Antonio area, said an immediate investigation would be made.

The fight was not held. Dr. C. D. Henry said Aragon had a temperature and strep throat. A capacity crowd with a gate of about \$10,000 got its money back.

Goldstein told the Associated Press by telephone that the attempt started about 2:15 p.m. yesterday. He said the contacts "offered me some money, \$500, and they wanted me to put up my own \$500 to make sure that I'm going to throw the fight."

"I told them Okeh. I turned around and I went to the officers and reported what happened. I had a police escort following me every place I went."

He said the contacts called him 15 or 16 times, seeking to get him to check out of the hotel and into a motel. He said his life was threatened.

"I don't know why they wanted me to check into the motel. Maybe they wanted to work me over or keep a check on me," he said.

Goldstein said he talked to the contacts at various times with police listening on the telephone.

The fighter said he earlier had been approached with an offer in Los Angeles, from which both boxers are listed.

Officers here said no charges would be filed and that any action would be up to the state boxing commission.

Billies Shade 'Dogs, 41-38

KNOTT (SC) - Knott topped Coahoma, 41-38, in a boys' basketball game played here Tuesday night.

Woody Long paced Knott's attack with 17 points. Joe Hill had ten for Coahoma.

Knott's won-lost record is now 4-1.

Coahoma's girls rallied in the final moments to salvage a 53-30 victory after Knott had led at the end of the first period, 17-10; at half time, 27-26 and at the end of the third period, 35-34.

Jean Sample hit 31 for Knott. Sue Paige had 11 and Ann Rogers eight. For Coahoma, Patty Francis scored 20, Peggy Francis 18.

Coahoma's girls also won a B game, 36-32, in an overtime period. The count was tied at the end of the regular game, 30-30. Bernell Bayes of Knott led all scorers with 26 points.

KNOTT (41) - Day 13-4; Long 6-5-17; Parker 2-3-3; McNew 3-3-13; Whit 1-0-2; Williams 0-0-0. Totals 14-11-41.

COAHOMA (38) - Stanley 2-0-6; Hill 4-2-10; Cover 1-0-2; Hull 4-0-8; Smith 2-0-4. Totals 17-14-38.

Score by quarters:
Knott 12 22 30 41
Coahoma 8 14 28 38

Ackerly Wins Again, 57-34

ACKERLY (SC) - Joe Cook led the Ackerly Eagles to a 57-34 conference victory over the Gall Coyotes here Tuesday night, tossing in 28 points.

The Eagles started off very slowly, scoring only six points in the first period, but caught fire in the second and never headed.

The win was the second straight against no losses in conference play for Ackerly. Over the season, Ackerly's record is 4-3.

The Ackerly girls won their first district start in two tries by toppling Gall, 62-33. Overall, the Ackerly ladies have won eight of 12 assignments.

Wanda Williams scored 33 and Dorothy Williams 20 for Ackerly. Janice Bearden had five and Janie Kunkle four. For Gall, Burrus counted 15 and Staggs 14.

Ackerly led at half time, 35-19. Gail's boys' B team won, 34-17. Bunny Massingale scored 14 for Gall while Alvin Harry led Ackerly with six.

ACKERLY (57) - Joe Cook 11-6-28; Robert Taylor 13-5-30; Phil Waller 0-1-1; Pat Origg 3-0-6; Dalton Gill 4-2-10; Benny Kunkle 1-0-2. Totals 21-15-57.

GALL (34) - Reuben Vaughn 4-2-10; Jerry Stagers 4-0-4; Larry Doyle 2-0-4; Jerry Reddell 2-2-8; Wilson Walker 2-0-4. Totals 15-4-34.

Score by quarters:
Ackerly 6 22 42 57
Gall 7 18 28 34

CAGE RESULTS

HIGH SCHOOL
Big Spring 72, Andrews 59
Hobbs, N.M. 62, Midland 39
Bridger 34, San Angelo 50 (overtime)
Colorado City 30, Post 29
Odessa 77, Lamesa 64

JUNIOR COLLEGE
HCJC 70, McMurry B 66
San Angelo 68, Odessa 62

TOURNAMENTS
Wake Forest 57, Florida 53
Auburn 66, St. Joseph, Pa. 64

KIWANIS INVITATIONAL
Chambersburg (Chambersburg)
S'Eastern La. 66, S'Eastern Okla. 60
Third Place

Troy, Ala. State 71, Bol Ross 67 overtime

OTHERS
Indian 93, Lashley 82
Temple 79, Penn 56
Bucknell 58, Delaware 58
Cantius 90, Canton 67
Duke 85, Kentucky 84
West Virginia 105, Richmond 74
Georgia Tech 80, Georgia 58
Mary 78, Beverlin 56
Georgetown 91, Catholic Univ 66
McNease 55, Mississippi College 40
St. Louis 83, Louisville 77
DePaul 71, Wichita 61
Dayton 72, Los Angeles 81, 46
Detroit 81, Toledo 68
Oklawa, Kan. 82, Okla Baptist 77
McAfee 72, Concordia, Minn. 62
Hamline 82, Minn. Duluth 73
St. Mary's 83, St. Mary's 83
Ariz. St. Tempe 97, Colorado A&M 66
Pittsburg, Kan. 71, North Texas 60
Ariz. St. Flagstaff 73, New Mex. 68
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Pinkie's Fails To Gain Ground

Pinkie's Liquor of Big Spring spilled Honolulu Oil in Midland Women's Bowling league competition Tuesday night but failed to gain ground on the pace setter, West Texas Reproduction.

The league leaders won a total of four points from Lone Star Beer to remain one game ahead of Pinkie's.

Big Spring's other entry in the race, Cosden, defeated Fashion Beauty, 3-1.

Cosden posted scores of 637-630-715-2002 in winning Fashion Beauty came up with 616-657-609-1962.

Sugar Brown led Cosden with 198-450. Dot Hood was close with 191-445.

Pinkie's reeled off scores of 707-785-777-2269 to post its win. Honolulu Oil responded with tallies of 687-675-646-2008.

Frances Glenn and Mary Ruth Robertson led Pinkie's with 232-536 and 215-551, respectively.

In other matches last night, Ray's Rendezvous turned back I. W. Hynds, 4-0; Basin Electric trounced West Texas Brick and Tile, 3-1; and Pearl Beer decimated Midland National Bank, 3-1.

The teams will not play next week, due to the holidays. Next round of action occurs Jan. 8, at which time Basin Electric opposes Cosden and Pinkie's tries it with Hynds.

Standings

U. S. Library Expert Hits 'Ready-Mixed Literature'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Randall Jarrell, poetry consultant at the Library of Congress, is appalled at the modern taste for "instant literature, ready-mixed literature." He took a look at "The Taste of the Age" in a lecture last night and found things fine in music, architecture and interior decoration. But he said there is a vast assault on everyone with "instant literature." "People have learned," Jarrell said, "to process words, too—words, and the thoughts and at-

itudes they embody; they have learned to manufacture entertainment and uplift us as efficiently as they manufacture anything else." The trend, Jarrell went on, is to "humor us, flatter our prejudices, pull our strings, show us that they know us for what they think us to be: impressionistic, emotional, ignorant, somewhat weak-minded common men."

He said there is a turn toward the "palatable, reassuring, timely anecdote, full of human interest, immediately comprehensible to es-

everybody over, and to many under, the age of 8."

"The professional users of words process their product as if it were baby food," Jarrell said, "and we are the babies. All we have to do is open our mouths and swallow."

"One of the most frightening things of our age," Jarrell said, is that "a great deal of the body of common knowledge that educated people and many uneducated people used to have, has disappeared or is rapidly disappearing."

For this, he put the blame mostly on elementary and grammar schools, which he said concentrate on making education easy and

Hungarian Refugee Trend Rises Again

VIENNA (AP)—Security officials near the Hungarian border said today the flood of refugees streaming into Austria was showing a "rising trend."

The total who have come over since the start of the Hungarian fighting Oct. 23 is estimated to be close to 140,000.

Stalin Name Is Still Up

MOSCOW (AP)—Stalin's name is still up on the Lenin-Stalin mausoleum in Red Square.

Workers today dismantled wooden scaffolding which covered the mausoleum wall over the entrance—where the names of the two occupants of the tomb were carved—and showed only a

No Splitting Hairs

HARRISBURG (AP)—Partners John Hibner and Clyde Patton have their own ideas about naming their barber shop and geography doesn't influence their choice one bit.

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Street but they brought their weather-worn shingle along still reading "Locust Street Barber Shop."

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