

# Truman Proclaims National Emergency

## Communists Push To Within Three Miles Of Hungnam

TOKYO —(P)—Attacking Chinese Communists Saturday pressed to within three miles of Hungnam, beachhead port for U. S. forces in Northeast Korea.

The Chinese thrust through Hamhung, abandoned by the Americans Saturday, and covered half the six miles between the big industrial city and its port, Hungnam.

Air and Navy reports said increasing numbers of Chinese were massing around the steadily shrinking Allied perimeter.

An estimated 100,000 Chinese were swarming through the snow-cloaked hills overlooking the U. S. Tenth Corps beachhead.

Chinese patrols entered Hamhung almost as soon as U. S. Army Engineers blew the last of three bridges leading south from the once important manufacturing and rail center.

U. S. engineers kept blasting as they moved back, destroying tunnels, bridges and roads.

The Chinese failed to place the defense perimeter, held by the Seventh Division.

Artillery hammered at Red forces — identified as North Korean — building up a mile north of the 38th parallel in the center of the Korean peninsula.

Artillery, too, was playing a major role in the defense of the Hungnam beachhead in the northeast.

Big guns on the defense rim and inside the port city itself rained a steady hail of explosives on the Chinese.

Guns of the fleet standing off (Continued On Page 13)

## Draft Quotas Will Be Heavy—Shannon

"Induction and physical quotas for January and February will be extremely heavy," Dr. J. O. Shannon, chairman of Draft Board No. 137, announced late Saturday.

Selective Service has announced an 80 per cent increase in Texas' January and February quotas, and Shannon said the sharp jump in Board 137's quota is "surprisingly high."

Midland, Glasscock and Sterling counties are handled through Shannon's board.

The Midland board has received numerous telephone calls recently asking for data regarding induction.

Some men, who are interested in joining a reserve organization, call to find out how long it will be before they will be called for a physical.

"I am stating that induction and physical quotas will be much heavier," Shannon said. "Men know their classification, so the draft board no longer will give out information. If a person thinks he will be called for a physical soon, he should get quickly if he wants to join a reserve group or enlist in a particular branch of the service."

## Three Men Injured In Rig Accident

Three men were injured Saturday night at a rig in the Tex-Harvey field, 18 miles southeast of Midland.

They are O. H. Nix, B. S. Clements and L. T. Stephens. Extent of their injuries was not immediately determined. They were brought by ambulance to Midland hospitals.

Workers say the men were struck when a long line broke and the tongs hit all three. They were employees of the Three-Way Drilling Company. They are roughnecks.

Stephens was hospitalized at Midland Memorial Hospital. He is a Midlander. Nix and Clements were taken to Western Clinic Hospital. Their addresses were not immediately known.

The well where the accident occurred was the Beulah Coleman No. 1 of Tide Water.

**6 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT!**

**Buy Christmas Seats**

## General Wu Dumps UN's Peace Effort

LAKE SUCCESS —(P)—Red China's General Wu Hsiu-Chuan Saturday doomed United Nations efforts for a cease-fire in Korea except on Soviet terms. But he promised his government would "try to advise" Chinese Communist "volunteers" in Korea to bring the fighting to an early end.

Wu said in a prepared statement the cease-fire measures overwhelmingly adopted by the General Assembly two days ago were a "trap of the United States ruling circles."

He endorsed Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky's terms for peace in Korea—the withdrawal of "all foreign troops," leaving the Korean problem to "be solved by the Korean people themselves."

The stony-faced Chinese ambassador demanded U. S. forces be withdrawn from Formosa and a place for Red China in the United Nations.

"We are also willing to try to advise the Chinese volunteers to bring to an early conclusion the military operations which they have been forced to undertake together with the Korean People's Army in their resistance against the United States armed forces of aggression," Wu said.

Hopes Are Dashed  
Wu's statement dashed any lingering hopes among UN delegations the three-man cease-fire committee set up by the assembly would make progress with the Red Chinese delegation here.

Informal sources said the cease-fire (Continued On Page 12)

## Kansan Is Charged In Murder Of Wife And Three Children

TROY, KAN. —(P)—A young father who "didn't want another baby" told police Saturday he had set fire to his trailer home, causing the death of his pregnant wife and three children.

Lou P. Richter, director of the Kansas Bureau of Investigation, said James Lammers, 26, made a signed statement in the presence of officers after two days of questioning.

Lammers, a construction worker, told officers he left his Tuesday after a quarrel with his wife about her pregnancy. Wednesday morning, Richter quoted Lammers, he saturated canvas with fuel oil and set fire to the bedroom of the trailer.

A charge of first degree murder was filed.

Dead were Lammers' wife, Genevieve, 23, and their children, Laura Mae, three, Melva, two, and Lawrence, 11 months.

## Truman Program Will Emphasize Stronger Air Arm

WASHINGTON —(P)—President Truman's expanded rearmament program, now focused primarily on building Army strength, will shift emphasis next to making the air arm more powerful.

This became apparent Saturday on the basis of official expressions, including those by the President.

Truman said the Army and Navy would be able to attain their new manpower goals within a few months but the Air Force would take somewhat longer.

Air Secretary Thomas Finletter, in testifying recently before a House Appropriations Military subcommittee, said he was supporting requests for money enough to expand to the officially announced size of an 84-group Air Force.

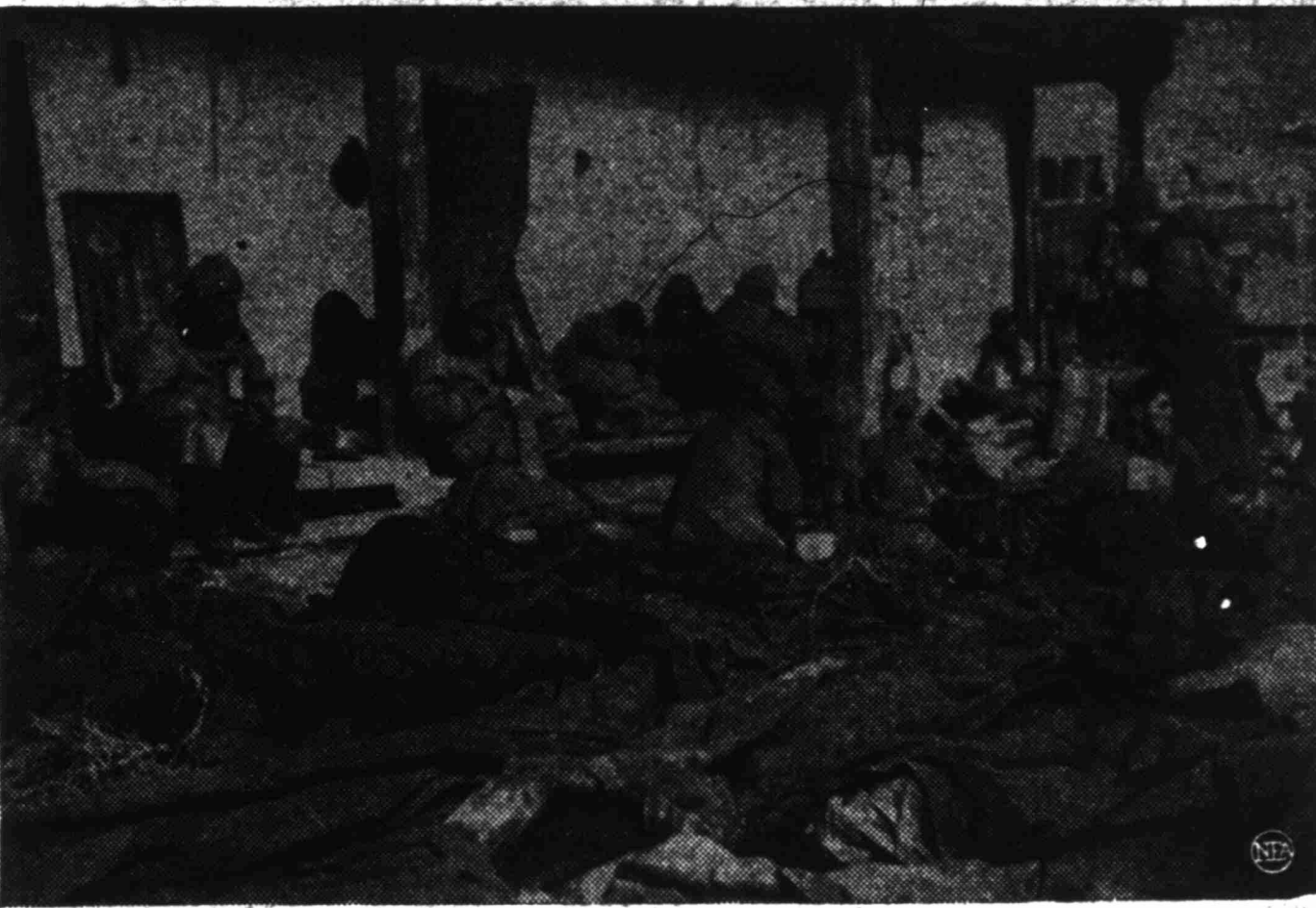


(NEA Telephoto)

## TO SEEK DIVORCE

Wearing a swept-back hair-do, screen actress Elizabeth Taylor announced to newsmen she would divorce her bridegroom of seven months, hotel heir Nick Hilton.

Miss Taylor made the announcement through her studio while on a Hollywood motion picture set.



(NEA Telephoto From Department of Defense)  
**WOUNDED MARINES WAIT FOR TRANSPORTATION**—Wounded and frost-bitten Marines in the Hungnam area lie on straw or rest on porch of building while waiting patiently for transportation to hospitals. This sector of the North Korean front was bearing the brunt of very fierce fighting as the Chinese Reds pushed mass attacks on the United Nations forces.

## Shoppers Ring Cash Registers

By COPE BOUTH  
Midland's cash registers tinkled at a record-breaking rate Saturday.

As the annual Christmas buying spree headed toward its final week, stores were jammed with motorists, shoppers were crowded with customers and money boxes were stuffed with cash.

A casual survey of Midland merchants indicated retail sales records for one day had been broken.

"I've been so busy today," said the harried but happy manager of one store, "that I haven't even had a chance to check up."

"But it must be a record-breaking day."

Coinciding with the regular semi-monthly payday, Saturday's Christmas shopping went on at a dizzy pace.

Automobiles attempting to turn into Main Street were lined up for blocks at times, and traffic police were busy trying to keep the flow moving.

Merchants reported a minimum of shoplifting and only isolated cases of small children being separated from their parents.

Midland's two banks were crowded (Continued On Page 12)

## American Economic Sanctions Slapped On Communist China

WASHINGTON —(P)—The United States Saturday night slapped economic sanctions on Communist China, freezing all its assets in this country and barring American ships and planes from going there.

The State Department said the freeze is to prevent Chinese funds here from being used against the United Nations in Korea.

The new ship movement restriction draws tighter the Commerce Department's ban on American cargoes to Red China.

The order prohibits planes and ships from handling cargo any place in the world if officials have reason to believe any of the goods are "directly or indirectly for Communist China."

American ships previously had been prohibited from carrying any war useful goods from port to port if they were to find their way to Red China—or any other Russian satellite.

The State Department made it clear the government's actions are a result of China's undeclared war in Korea. "If the Chinese withdraw 'and act in conformity with UN principles, this government will be prepared promptly to consider removing restrictions and restoring normal trade relations," the department announcement said.

"In view of the commitment of Chinese resources in this unprovoked aggressive activity," the department added, "this government cannot permit the Chinese Communists to have access to U. S. supplies or assets in the U. S. A. the use of which under present circumstances clearly runs counter to the interests and objectives of the UN in the Far Eastern crisis."

Watch for the opening of our new location at Illinois and Marienfeld. Daily Mail—(Adv.)

## New Traffic Plan Starts Monday

The first part of a new traffic plan for Midland will become effective Monday.

Designed to increase the flow of traffic in the business area and relieve present congested conditions, the changes effective Monday include:

1. The streets bordering the Midland County Courthouse will be changed from angle parking to parallel parking.

2. Right-hand turns on red lights will be eliminated in the business district.

3. Left-hand turns will be eliminated during specified rush hours.

4. Operation of traffic signals will be altered to permit the flow of a higher volume of traffic.

The new program was announced Saturday by City Manager W. H. Oswalt after it was worked out with Col. Milan N. Plavic, director of the Department of Public Safety.

Will Be Enforced  
"Patrolmen will be stationed at all points where changes are being made," said Plavic, "and the new regulations will be enforced."

Colonel Plavic earlier last week said six new patrolmen will be employed immediately to assist in enforcing the revised traffic program.

Plavic said the areas of Loraine, Texas and Colorado Streets, bordering the courthouse, will be marked Sunday for parallel parking.

"The only exception will be the area in front of the post office," he said.

Parallel parking already is used on Wall Street.

The city manager pointed out such a change will double the number of traffic lanes around the courthouse and, if these tests are successful, the practice may be extended to other areas.

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## Rollback On Auto Prices Is First Order

WASHINGTON —(P)—President Truman proclaimed a national emergency Saturday and the government quickly issued its first price control order—a rollback wiping out increases on 1951 cars.

The President established a new office with unprecedented power to mobilize the nation at a fast pace against "world conquest by Communist imperialism."

In proclaiming the emergency, Truman summoned every citizen to put the country's defense ahead of everything else.

A few hours later, the Economic Stabilization Agency, issuing the first of a series of mandatory control orders announced by Truman Friday night, froze prices of new automobiles at the Dec. 1, 1950, level.

The order will be effective until March 1 pending a study leading to price and wage stabilization in the industry.

The emergency proclamation declared world conquest is the "goal of the forces of aggression that have been loosed upon the world." Truman said the situation requires a speedy defense buildup.

The Office of Defense Mobilization was created at the same time by executive order with full authority over civilian agencies already at work building U. S. war strength.

Its chief will be Charles E. Wilson, who is resigning as president of General Motors Company to take the job. He will have the say-so over production, manpower, wages, prices, transportation and defense buying.

Wilson's appointment to the \$22,500-a-year post is subject to Senate confirmation. As GM president, he made \$750,000. During the war he was executive vice chairman of the War Production Board.

The executive order handed over (Continued On Page 12)

## Christmas Seal Sale Returns Hit \$5,394 Figure

The annual Christmas Seal Sale in Midland County was within \$1,485.50 of its \$6,880 goal Saturday as leaders reported returns totaling \$5,394.50.

The campaign will close Christmas Day, but sponsors predict the quota will be subscribed before the end of this week. Robert M. Payne is campaign chairman, and Richard L. Houghton is co-chairman.

The Christmas Seal Sale is sponsored by the Midland County Tuberculosis Association, which receives its sole financial support from seal sale proceeds. The 1950 quota corresponds to the association's 1951 operating budget.

Officials are elated at the excellent response to date and urge those who have not forwarded checks for their Christmas Seals to do so promptly. Reminder notices were mailed last week.

"Buy and use Christmas Seal" is the slogan.

## Joan Edwards Has Lain Unconscious Almost Two Years

In another month, Joan Edwards will have been unconscious two years.

Sunday marked the twenty-third month she has lain unconscious following an automobile accident.

The accident occurred Jan. 17, 1949, on an icy highway near Odessa. One died from injuries received in the crash. Others were injured along with Joan. They recovered.

But she has not. She is at Rankin now at the home of her parents.

Generous persons have contributed thousands of dollars to the Joan Edwards Recovery Fund. Every now and then a contribution comes in and is forwarded to her parents.

## Mother Of Three Midlanders Dies

Mrs. Alice Anderson, 80, mother of three Midland men, died at her home in Rapid City, S. D., Saturday, according to information received here.

R. S. Anderson, F. W. Anderson and W. D. Anderson, the sons, left for Rapid City immediately. Definite funeral arrangements had not been announced Saturday. Nine children survive.

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**GIFT TO CANCER CLINIC**—Albert Kelley, left, president of the Midland Kiwanis Club, presents a \$250 check to Jack Wicker, right, chairman of the trustees of the recently organized Midland Memorial Hospital Cancer Clinic Foundation, as M. L. McGee, foundation trustee, standing next to Kelley, and J. Harvey Herd, Kiwanis director, look on. The unsolicited club gift was presented to the foundation in memory of three former Kiwanians—Marion Emmons, Dr. Robert Noble and Dr. William I. Waters—who died this year.



**SENTENCED IN SLAYING**  
**BEAUMONT** —(P)— Raymond J. Ross of Fort Arthur was convicted Saturday and sentenced to 23 years in the penitentiary in the slaying of Andrew Blake Andries in Fort Arthur September 23. Andries' bullet-ridden body was found in his car.

**AUTO INJURIES FATAL**  
**TEXARKANA** —(P)— An auto failed to make a curve near Bassett, Texas, and its driver, Curtis O'Neal Williams, 23, of Fort Worth, was injured fatally. The machine overturned. The accident happened during a heavy fog Friday.

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## ★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

### Those Jungle Drums May Beat For Rita Hayworth

By **ESKINE JOHNSON**  
**HOLLYWOOD** — Now it's a celluloid African cycle started by MGM's "King Solomon's Mines." Latest entry in the jungle race is Columbia's "Swans," a big technicolor epic to be filmed in East and South Africa, with rumors that Rita Hayworth will be the star.

Richard Carlson got the idea while working in "Kines" in Africa and is writing the story. I asked him if he'd play a role. He grinned and quipped: "I'm not that good an actor. I couldn't trust myself with my own lines."

Skip the report that Ginger Rogers isn't happy about those tennis shots of her at Forest Hills that Ida Lupino incorporated into "Mother of a Champion." Ginger didn't give permission for Ida's cameras to grind, but she's seen a print of the picture and is happy about the whole thing.

It's being kept top secret, but Peggy Ryan will wed her dancing partner, Ray MacDonald. Peggy received her final divorce decree from Jimmy Cross earlier this year and Ray's wife, Elizabeth, just filed.

Big switch to comedy for Alexis Smith in the new Bing Crosby film, "Here Comes the Groom." When she talked to Frank Capra about her character, he told her: "She's a clown." Bubbles Alexis: "After all these years of being sophisticated I wind up as a baggy pants comedian. Isn't it wonderful?"

Discovery  
 Marta Toren is H. Bogart's new leading lady in "Sirocco." Enthusiase Bogey: "She's the greatest thing since baby." Lisa Ferraday will be Marlene Dietrich's sidekick in Howard Welch's rip-roaring frontier opus, "Chuck-a-Luck." Gals with glasses won't like this. Una Merkel wears 'em in "Rich, Young and Pretty" to look older.

Laurence Olivier and Vivien Leigh nixed a \$400,000 offer to co-star in a big Hollywood epic. After paying British and U. S. taxes, they'd collect only about \$18,000. Mark an X over the rumor of an any-day split-up between Joanne Dru and John Ireland. They've patched up the love boat.

Hal Roach, Jr.'s first hour-long movie for television, "The Three Musketeers," filmed in four days on a \$24,000 budget, will be a million-stone in Hollywood's just-around-the-corner battle to become the celluloid TV capital. The film makes live New York shows look like kindergarten plays and introduces a new star, Robert Clark, as D'Artagnan.

Young Roach is even convinced that the big comedy shows will be filmed for TV instead of played live before studio audiences. As he sees it:

"I've never seen an unfunny movie comedy in a studio projection room that turned out to be funny when it played before an audience. Good comedy is good comedy — whether it's played to one person or 800."

Walt Disney is trying to lure Jean

Arthur back to Hollywood as the voice of "Peter Pan" in his full-length cartoon version of the Barrie classic. The embarrassment over Columbia's "The Magic Carpet" hasn't spoiled the Lucille Ball-Marie McDonald palship. Marie turned down the role but Lucille accepted it.

Producer Nat Holt says he's "desperate" about finding four trained vaudeurs for his movie, "Fort Savage." This is difficult in Hollywood?

The wags are telling about the exhibitor who owns a Tivoli theater. He's trying to lure customers away from their television sets by shortening the name of the movie house to the Vol.

Tim Holt is being summoned by the War Department to pilot B-29's against the Axis. An Alibi artist's contract is looming for Guy Madison—his first since his David O. Selznick ticket. John Stillman, Sr., who supplied the greenbacks for "The Champion," will finance Joan Caulfield's first independent, "Save Your Kisses." Rouben Mamoulian, who co-authored the musical version of "Rain," hasn't heard a word about Howard Hughes' bidding for the property as a vehicle for Jane Russell.

Fox's "Take Care of My Little Girl" may run into more hot water when it's released than "No Way Out" and "Pinky." Twenty-seven-year-old author Peggy Goodin, who worked as technical adviser on the picture, whispered it:

"Sororities aren't going to like the picture any more than they liked my book. The alumnae, particularly the mamas who look back to their college days, are going to be the most shocked."

### Livestock

**FORT WORTH** —(P)— Receipts of all classes of livestock were considerably larger here and at other points around the major market circle during the past week. Cattle and calf prices were strong and around 50 higher in the first of the week, but much of the advances were lost at the close. Hogs were 50-75 off, sows 25-50 lower and pigs steady to 1.00 or more lower. Woolled fat lambs and feeder lambs were strong to 1.00 higher, and other sheep and lambs drew strong prices.

Comparative prices: slaughter steers and yearlings 22.00-23.50; slaughter cows 14.00-23.50; slaughter calves 18.00-22.00; stocker yearlings 23.00-31.00; stocker steers 22.50 down; stocker heifers 29.00 down; stocker cows 19.00-25.00; closing hogs top 18.25; sows 16.50-17.50; pigs 12.00-17.00; woolled lambs 28.00-31.00; clipped lambs 29.00 down; feeder lambs 23.00-29.00; fat yearlings 22.00-28.00; feeder yearlings 20.00-22.00; slaughter ewes 12.00-15.00; kid goats 15.00; shorn goats 12.00.

**PISTOL WOUND FATAL**  
**SAN ANTONIO** —(P)— Margarito Jimenez, 35, railroad section hand, died at the Robert B. Green Hospital Saturday morning of a pistol wound police said was inflicted by an acquaintance.

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### Air Force Soldier Robbed, Stripped

Officers in the Midland area were searching Saturday for three men who reportedly attacked an Air Force soldier, robbed him of his money and clothes and pushed him from their automobile shortly after midnight.

The victim, 28-year-old William Green of the Carswell Air Force Base near Fort Worth, reported the men attacked him at 12:15 a.m. Saturday.

He said they forced him into their automobile near Midland and took his possessions.

They stripped him of his uniform, \$80 in cash and his identification papers.

Lt. C. R. Hemingway of the Midland police department took Green to the scene of the attack a short time later.

They recovered his shirt, one shoe and his trousers, in the watch pocket of which they found \$10 in cash.

Green said he was staying at a tourist court near Midland.

## Casualties in Korea

**WASHINGTON** —(P)— The Department of Defense, in casualty list No. 177 released Saturday, listed one Army man, two Marines and one Air Force officer from Texas as killed in action.

**Killed, Army:**  
 Pfc. Floyd Thompson, Sundown, Texas.  
**Killed, Marine Corps:**  
 Pfc. Proslan Flores, Edinburg, Texas.  
 T/Sgt. Charley Radford, Waco, Texas.  
**Killed, Air Force:**  
 First Lt. Olin Johnson, San Antonio.

**Wounded, Army:**  
 Capt. Edward Campbell, Grapard, Texas.  
 Cpl. Adolph Chavez, Corpus Christi, Texas.  
 Pvt. Robert Oocio, El Paso, Texas.  
 Robert Edwards, Houston; Sgt. 1/c Robert Davidson, Houston; Pfc. Francisco Estrada, El Paso; M/Sgt. Lawrence Griffin, El Paso; Pfc. Willie Martin, Baycliff; Pfc. Willie McIntosh, Littleton, Texas.  
**Wounded, Marine Corps:**  
 Pfc. Oren Mitchell, Austin; Pfc. Ricardo Mora, Corpus Christi; Pvt. Percy Neal, Dublin, Texas.  
 Pfc. Richard Perez, San Antonio; Cpl. Harry Pinyan, Mansfield; Cpl. John Reynolds, Houston; Pfc. Martin Rivera, San Antonio; Pvt. James Simmons, Fort Arthur; Cpl. Lem Stephens, Abilene; Cpl. Lee Suderth, Jr., Farwell; M/Sgt. Elbert Thomas, Houston; Cpl. Walter Thomas, Houston; Pfc. Jose Tijerina, Seguin; Pfc. Louis Trapolino, Houston; Pfc. Dallas Waller, Fort Worth; Pfc. Fletcher Ward, Jr., Fremont.

**Wounded, Marine Corps:**  
 Pfc. Douglas Carmichael, San Antonio; Pfc. J. W. Whitehurst, Houston.

**Injured, Army:**  
 Sgt. Velton Lovell, Lockhart; Sgt. 1/c Rafael Rodriguez, Brownsville.

**Missing in action, Army:**  
 Pfc. George Meneses, San Antonio.

**Missing in action, Marine Corps:**  
 T/Sgt. William Pettit, Eliza; Cpl. Roy Ratliff, Amarillo.

**MARSHALL GOODS DUE**  
**TAIPEI, FORMOSA** —(P)— C. C. Wang, secretary - general of the Council for U. S. Aid, said Saturday Marshall aid goods valued at \$10,000,000 will arrive in Formosa within the next few weeks.

**FREEZE HALTS TRAVEL**  
**LONDON** —(P)— Freezing weather following snowstorms paralyzed road transportation in many portions of the British Isles and disrupted train services for the second day Saturday.

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## Santa and the COWBOY

By LUCRECE HUDGINS

### CHAPTER TEN

#### THE GIANT OF THE LIGHTS

**BUCKY** galloped his wonderful horse towards the Northern Lights. But no matter how swiftly he rode he never seemed to get closer to the great shafts of sparkling color.

At first the lights seemed to be at the edge of Santa Land but Bucky passed far beyond Santa Land and still the lights lay far ahead. If you have ever set out to find the end of a rainbow you know how it was with Bucky. Though the rainbow seems to end on the other side of town you may travel all day long and never find the pot of gold that some people say is buried at the rainbow's end.

Fast as Bucky went, the Jindian boy had gone faster still, for he was nowhere to be seen. It was a wild and lonesome ride for the little cowboy.

Through the whole long day he rode the horse that never seemed to tire. But Bucky tired and finally fell asleep on the horse's back. When he awoke it was night and he was surrounded by tongues of flaming light that darted at him, crackling fiercely like lightning. He was in the midst of the Northern Lights!

The horse shied from right to left, reared on his hind legs, whinnied shrilly in fear and astonishment.

"On, Fellow!" shouted Bucky, snapping the reins. "Keep on!"

AND the horse tore on through the forest of lights. It was like being on a merry go round in a scary house during a thunder storm. Curtains of bluish-green pink and yellow lights fluttered everywhere. Spurts of light rose like whiffs of smoke.

Bucky thought only of urging Fellow on faster. But suddenly a giant of many colors stood in his path.

"Who goes there?" roared the giant. Bucky's blood ran cold to see the awful creature with purple face, green ears and orange hair. In his hands the giant held one hundred strands of color that sized and crackled and coiled across the sky.

"Please, sir," said Bucky in his most polite voice. "I am running a race to save Santa Land from the Jindians."

"Oh," cried the giant. "I have already met the boy you race. He could not cross my walls of fire and I have imprisoned him forever. If you can cross the walls



The horse tore on through the fearsome lights. It was like being on a merry go round during a thunder storm.

you will win your race. But if you do not cross them you, too, shall be my prisoner."

"Show me the walls!" cried Bucky eagerly.

The giant pointed behind him. There stood three walls one beyond the other, each one higher than the one before. The first wall was a flaming blue, the second a jagged edged yellow, and the third was a scorching red with tongues of flame licking at the sky.

Without a word Bucky charged at the wall of blue. Up and over went Fellow in a jump that carried them over the wall.

But the second wall was higher. Over the top went Fellow, but the heat of the flaming color burned Bucky's cheeks and the jump was made with no room to spare.

THEY came to the third wall. Up, up rose Fellow while Bucky clung to his back and made

a mighty prayer. The horse leaped clear, though his skin was seared and his mane singed from his neck.

Still they had leaped the three walls and were safe. Bucky shouted happily and galloped on his way. But suddenly he wheeled in Fellow and came to a halt.

There beside him lay Lonesome Boy and his horse. The giant had tied them up with ropes of colored light and left them there to die.

"I have as good as won the race!" thought Bucky. "And Santa Land is saved!"

He started to ride away. But there was no joy in his heart. "It's no kind of a race like this," he told himself. So he leaped from his horse and ran back to Lonesome Boy.

"I'll untie you," he said. "And we'll finish the race fair and square."

(Next: End of the Race)

### Corsicana Is Site Of Baptist Parley

**LONGVIEW** —(P)— The newly-organized Missionary Baptist Association of Texas ended sessions here Friday, voting to meet next November at Corsicana.

The Rev. J. W. Harper, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Gallatin, Cherokee County, was elected

as moderator of the new Baptist group.

Other officers are the Rev. A. J. Findley, Omaha, vice moderator, and the Rev. Garland E. Allen, Mount Pleasant, corresponding secretary and treasurer.

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Socks ..... 29c to \$1.00

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Men's Durene  
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**PACKAGES APLENTY**—Post office employees Robert Atwill, Bill Greenshaw and Bill Pendleton assort parcels before delivery to Midland homes. All packages received here are handled at Station A on Marienfield Street, where this picture was taken. Mail sacks in background represent a new shipment of packages the mailmen had not yet opened. Postmaster N. G. Oates says the current Christmas mailing season probably will be the biggest in Midland's history.

### Breakfast Slated For CC Directors

Directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will attend a breakfast at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday in the Private Dining room of Hotel Scharbauer. President Robert L. Wood will be the host to the group. The meeting will be the last of the year for the directors. A report on the State Highway Commission hearing concerning the proposed road into the Pegasus oil field will be heard, and election and annual banquet committees will be appointed. All directors of the Chamber are invited and urged to attend.

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March 42.85-48, May 42.02-45 and July 41.65-70.

Scientists say lignite gas can be used in the manufacture of synthetic gasoline and oil, alcohol, ammonia and dyes as well as for heat.

### 'Watch Service' Plans Announced

A citywide Watch Service for New Year's eve has been announced. It will be held in the auditorium of the First Methodist Church with all faiths invited.

A fellowship hour will begin at 10 p.m. the evening of December 31. At 11:30 p.m., the meditation hour will begin. The Rev. Howard Hollowell will lead the meditation. He will be assisted on the program by various Midland ministers.

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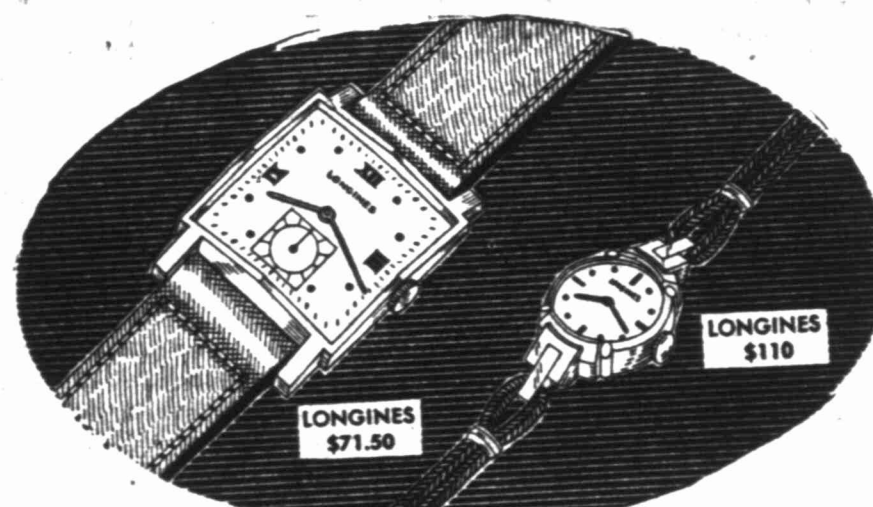
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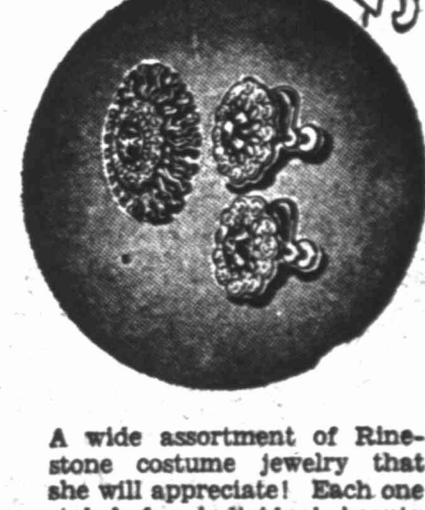
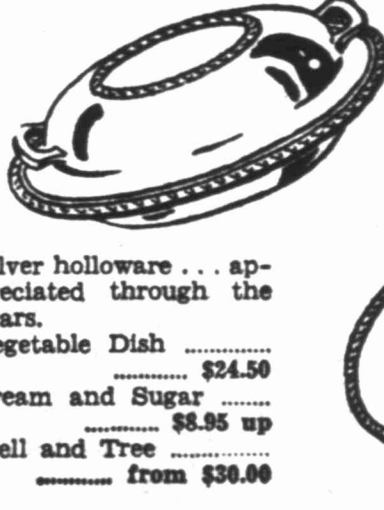
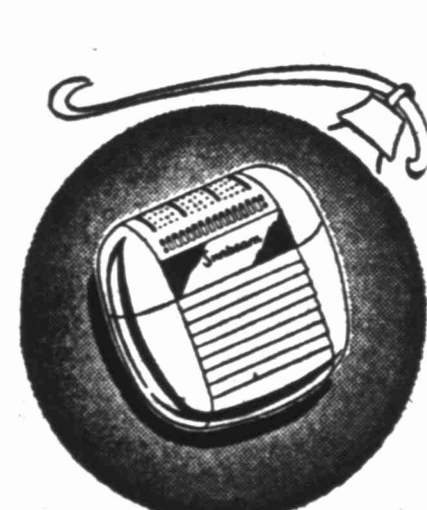


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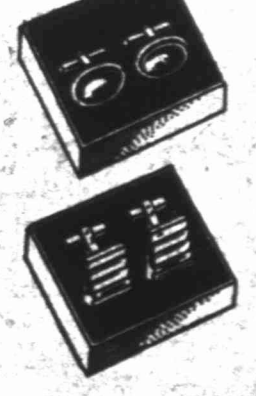
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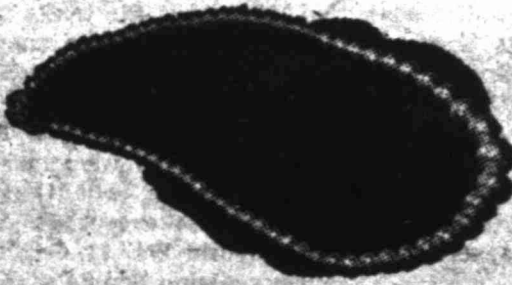
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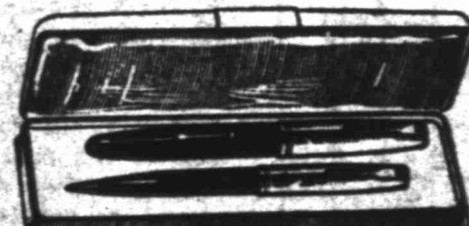
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For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints.—I Cor. 14:33.

## Incomparable Heroism

When they slashed their way victoriously out of a Chinese Red trap, some 25,000 U. S. Marines, 7th Division GI's and British commandos etched a pattern of incomparable heroism in the snow and cold of Northeast Korea. This was the longest retreat in Marine annals—almost 50 miles of bloody struggling over icy, tortuous mountain roads. Exhausted, tense, chilled by temperatures ranging down to 25 degrees below zero, these fighting men drove to temporary haven at Hungnam through a corridor of relentless enemy fire.

The cost of this epic break-out was high. The 1st Marine Engineer Battalion, which carved a path through the Chinese blocking the route ahead, suffered 60 per cent casualties of men and equipment. One reporter said 200 Americans were buried in a single grave, because there was no time for better arrangements.

As the gallant force hacked through to Koto on its way to the sea, it linked up with a smaller band of Marines surrounded for days by Chinese. Here's how, in the words of a correspondent, that little group looked to the larger force:

"It was a gruesome sight—wounded men with their blood frozen to their skins, their clothes stiff with ice, grotesque dead men lying across trailers and stretchers, live men stumbling along, grimacing from frost bite, using their rifles as crutches."

Once the long, bumper-to-bumper column stood almost motionless for four hours as engineers struggled to replace a bombed-out bridge. There were similar anguished delays as craters in the slippery road were filled. To go 10 miles on one part of the escape route required 14 hours.

All the way Chinese Communists were erecting obstacles ahead of our weary men, harassing their flanks, sniping at the column's rear. The enemy force was estimated at from three to five times greater than ours. Yet we exacted a toll of 10 Chinese for every casualty on our side.

When they finally made it down to the coastal plain, embattled Marines could find no energy for the formalities of "link-up" handshakes with the U. S. patrols who met them, nor had they many smiles for newsreel cameramen who asked them to "look happy." They'd seen and experienced too much.

"We have lost an awful lot of friends up on that plateau," said a Marine officer. "Almost everybody up there was a hero. It's just that some guys are asked what they did and tell about it, and others don't talk so good."

The schoolbooks of tomorrow will call this saga of skill and endurance and courage a retreat. But it is no surprise that the Marines who made that bitter march do not see it so. "It was no retreat," declared a colonel with fierce pride. "It was an advance to the rear."

What man, hearing of this ordeal, dares to say it was anything less?

It's okay to work eight hours and sleep eight hours—but don't pick the same eight.

Summer makes you want to be somewhere else even after you get there.

## A Ray Of Sunshine Through The Clouds



## DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

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Drew Pearson says: Atomic scientist says "It's time to wake up"; Russia's record on social welfare is poor; Modern saboteurs' biggest weapon—water poisoning.

WASHINGTON—A blunt, plain-spoken man with a shrewd twinkle in his eye gave bored Washington reporters an exhilarating shot of straight talk the other day. He was Dr. Vannevar Bush, wartime boss of U. S. science, and now a member of the "citizens" committee on the present danger.

Dr. Bush, a lean figure with a long face, faced restless reporters at a press conference the other day where he was asked about Soviet defenses against the atom bomb.

"In the five years since the end of the war," Dr. Bush replied, "we've built a fine television network. Instead, the Russians built a radar network. We'd better get busy!"

The reporters stopped doodling on their notepaper and sat up. "I haven't got anything against television," the gruff scientist continued. "I guess it's good entertainment. But the Russians are developing defenses against our delivering the A-bomb on primary targets, while we work on entertainment."

The shrewd eyes behind the steel-rimmed spectacles looked challengingly at newsmen.

If anyone has any illusions the Russians won't move because of scruples," Dr. Bush barked, the Korean war ought to wake him up. "We've got to get busy!"

Price Oar  
At a lunch at the Carlton Hotel just after his confirmation by the Senate as price administrator, Mike DiSalle looked down the menu to pick out a dessert. Finally he came upon one named "profiteroles," a small pastry filled with ice cream.

"Well," cracked DiSalle, "I don't know what it is, but if it's got anything to do with profits, I better look into it."

Russia's Record  
Though Russia has been talking big, most people don't realize that she has been doing little about the world's economic and social welfare. Here is the record of Soviet action, which speaks louder than Soviet propaganda:

International Relief Organization—The United States has contributed \$287,000,000, Russia nothing.  
International Children's Emergency Fund—The United States has donated \$74,000,000, Russia not a red ruble.

International Bank for financing the economic development of backward areas—The United States has subscribed \$635,000,000 and pledged another \$3,000,000,000; Russia has given her endorsement but no cash.  
Palestine Refugee Organization—The United States has contributed \$50,000,000; Russia zero.

The Soviet Union has even failed to pay its assessments to the World Health Organization, also has looked rather than rehabilitated occupied countries. In contrast, the United States has paid up all its assessments for world health and welfare, has granted \$28,000,000,000 in loans to other nations for rehabilitation.

Note—The only contributions Russia has made to other nations has been in the form of arms and ammunition to satellite governments, such as North Korea, for waging war.

Soviet Delegate Relaxes  
Soviet Delegate Jacob Malik, the Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde of the United Nations, isn't nearly as zealous off stage as he appears before the Security Council and the television camera.

After a particularly bitter de-

claration of the United States the other day, Malik switched personalities as he stepped out the door of the Security Council. His grim face suddenly lit up with a smile that caused the war on his cheek to dance.

Heartened by Malik's good humor, an amateur photographer timidly asked him to pose with a pretty Indonesian woman delegate. The Russian obliged, then quipped to the photographer: "I must ask you one thing. Please don't show this picture to my wife."

One of the biggest headaches of our defense planning is the possibility of a second Pearl Harbor from within.

This could take the form of a sudden, nation-wide campaign of enemy sabotage—directed at war industries as well as key individuals in Washington—before we even know we are in an all-out war. The idea would be to stun the civilian front into panic before we are set to strike back militarily.

However, the use of explosives or other devices to cripple war-plant machinery, communications, etc., probably would take a back seat in this highly specialized age of sabotage. For the modern saboteur has a much deadlier and simpler weapon at his command—poisoning of water.

What the nation has to be prepared for is an enemy attempt to kill off the personnel operating key factories as well as key leaders of government. This could be accomplished by a simple device which can be attached to a water spigot.

If, for instance, enemy agents wanted to wipe out every member of Congress or the top military brass in the Pentagon Building, they could attach a secret vial-like device to a spigot by a rubber nozzle. Meanwhile, an accomplice would damage a water main or commit some other act of sabotage—thereby shutting off the water supply in the building. Once this happens, the poison contaminant is back-siphoned into the big water mains supplying the building.

A number of the nation's top scientists are concerned about this threat of water sabotage, while the University of Pennsylvania has sent an urgent report on the subject to a few top defense chiefs in Washington.

Teaching Guerrilla Warfare  
A crafty and powerful weapon, as old as war itself, is being revived by the Army in the Georgia pine-covered hills around Fort Benning—guerrilla warfare.

At this Army infantry school, volunteers are being taught to creep behind an enemy unit and ambush it, or to steal into an enemy camp and blow up stores of ammunition. These are the tricks used by American Indians when they massacred British Redcoats and now by Communist guerrillas in Korea.

At one time, the Indian fighters of the U. S. Army were masters of guerrilla fighting, but the technique was lost except for a few units in World War II. Gen. Walter Krueger's Alamo Scouts saved hundreds of lives by weakening the Japs in the rear, but this lore was neglected by all but a few officers in the interim between World War II and Korea.

When the first fighting in Korea showed a need for guerrilla training, tough Gen. John G. Van Houten was ordered to train ranger units, one company to a division, at

## So They Say

While television still has the fascination of newness, let us not dull it with mediocrity. The potentialities of visual education via television offer new and almost unlimited horizons to teachers.

Frieda Henneke, member of the Federal Communications Commission.

We are not increasing our strength because we want to. We are increasing our armed strength because Soviet policies leave us no other choice.

—President Truman.

Europe is the theater of decision. Communist successes elsewhere might alarm the free world. Communist successes in Europe could destroy it.

—Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Hoyt Vandenberg.

When we think of strength, we inevitably realize that our profit and loss system of privately owned property is the warp and woof of our free way of life.

—Santa Fe Railway President Fred Gurley.

They (the king and queen) are such wonderful people. They make you forget they're royalty. First thing you know you're acting natural all over the place.

—Songstress Dinah Shore, commenting on her command performance in London.



When you call on a friend a maid whom you know by name answers the door.

WRONG: Say, "Is Mrs. James in?" without speaking to the maid.  
RIGHT: Speak to the maid, addressing her by name. Then ask if Mrs. James is in.

## McCamey News

MCCAMEY—A Sunday School program and Christmas party will be held in the First Presbyterian Church at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday for the children, parents and friends.

Mrs. Joe Bob Rowell recently was honored with a layette shower at the Park Building. Hostesses were Mrs. T. A. Tarrance, Mrs. Pete Allen, Mrs. Charley Young, Mrs. Ida Mae Walton, Mrs. Bernice Mabry and Mrs. Erlene Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Reimers have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Pear Valley, Marble Falls, Mullins and Santa Anna. Louise Nathan of Sheffield, Ala., is visiting in the C. W. Brown home.

The Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church were entertained with a Christmas party recently. Gifts were exchanged and distributed from a lighted tree.

Piano and voice pupils of Mrs. H. W. Driskill will be presented in a Christmas Musical at the First Baptist Church Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Voes and family visited in the Newman Dendy home recently.

Fort Benning. The men are all volunteers who understand they will be killed if caught by the enemy.

They are taught how to stay away from the main roads, out their way through underbrush and travel four to five miles an hour for long distances. Each man must know how to take care of his own wounds, operate a radio sending set, cook, handle small arms, a bazooka and a mortar. They will be placed behind the enemy lines by parachute drop, or by submarine.

With the terrible lessons of Korea fresh in their minds, the joint chiefs of staff also are studying the proposal that all troops be taught rudiments of guerrilla offense and defense.

## JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY  
Written for NEA Service

According to the old legend, 30,000 men are walking the streets of New York, homeless and hungry—because they forgot to draw trumps. While you're shedding a tear for those poor lost souls, get out another handkerchief for the unfortunate who drew trumps too quickly. If you have that handkerchief ready, you can take a look at today's hand.

West led the jack of diamonds and South won in his own hand. Since South was a firm believer

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♣ KQ1084			
WEST		EAST	
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♣ 92		♣ A785	
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♠ KQJ105			
♥ QJ10			
♦ A74			
♣ 73			
Both vul.			
South	West	North	East
1♠	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♣	Pass
4♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead → J			

Opening lead—♦ J

in drawing trumps first and thinking afterwards, he promptly led the king of spades from his hand.

East took the ace of spades and returned a diamond, forcing out dummy's king. Now there was nothing South could do to prevent the loss of one trick in each suit. He was bound to bet set one trick.

If South hadn't been in such a hurry to lead trumps, he would have seen his danger. It wouldn't have been hard to take measures against it.

There was no way to avoid the loss of three aces, but there was a way to avoid the loss of a diamond trick.

The proper line of play was to win the first trick with dummy's king of diamonds. Then the king of hearts should have been led from dummy.

If defenders could not prevent declarer from discarding one of dummy's diamonds on a heart. Then, and only then, would it be proper to lead trumps. With no loser in diamonds, the game contract would easily be made.

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There was an Irishman who enlisted in the 33rd Regiment because he wanted to be near his brother, who was in the 34th.

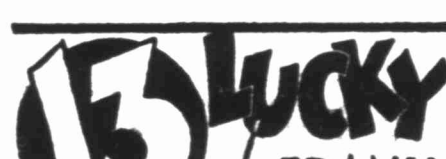
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And you remember Pat who visited a seaport and stood for hours looking at a ship's anchor because "I want to see the feller who swings that pick."

Another Irishman saw a hunter shoot a duck high overhead and the bird spun over and plunged to the ground. Mike said, "Ye wasted yer powder, miker; the fall would have killed it."

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There was, for instance, the case of the man who insisted that he had only one bank account. His wife, who was sitting in on the interview with the examiner, spoke up and admonished her mate that he had several, and named the towns. The taxpayer tried to brush aside



## 13 Lucky Guys

By FRANK R. ADAMS  
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THE STORY: Sergeant Eddie is one of 13 soldiers killed in battle who had themselves in their home town. Eddie was seen only by Duke, his dog, and by Margie Lou, the girl he fell in love with after he was dead. Margie was his because she wears his good luck charm. Margie and Eddie are talking in the moonlight outside the place where she lives.

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EDDIE was quite as conscious as Margie Lou that an understanding between them had been reached without anything having been said. What could he do about it? He would move on soon, just as Joe College had said, the river of eternity would sweep him along in its flood.

"Never mind," said Joe College. Eddie had thought of him and he was there. "She would never have really cared for anyone else anyway. This is something written in the sky with indelible stars. Have no regrets, sergeant. Taste her love and wear it close to your heart."

"Eddie," said Margie Lou, "are you listening to something?"

"Tell her you can't hear a thing, sergeant," advised Joe, "and get on with your love affair. Tell me later how come she can see you and not me. Your good luck, I guess, because I am certainly much handsomer. Anyhow, I can see you're not going to need any more help and I've got a pair of dice warmed up at Alf's Place, so I'll beat it."

Joe was thinning out as he talked and now he had vanished.

"It's so quiet that you feel like there must be a noise of some sort going to bust loose any minute," Eddie told her, "you know, like a tide shoe."

Margie Lou laughed sympathetically. "There's nothing like that here. You mustn't remember things like that too much or you won't enjoy your furlough. For-

## WASHINGTON COLUMN

### U. S. Ready To Put Bee On Income Tax Evaders

By PETER EDSON  
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—With still higher taxes inevitable, the U. S. Treasury has been doing some checking up on tax evaders. The purpose is to see if a few more dollars for defense couldn't be collected this hard way.

More than 52,000,000 returns have been filed in each of the last few years. It's impossible to do more than a superficial audit on them all. Common belief has been that only the big income returns were checked carefully, but this is said to be not so.

All returns which show certain tell-tale signs of deliberate fraud or incorrect reporting are given a close scrutiny. Experience over the years has taught income tax examiners where to look for evasions and how to spot them.

Recently, however, the Treasury realized that it needed a more scientific method for selecting a small number of returns for close audit.

As described by Assistant Secretary of Treasury John S. Graham, this resulted in an "Audit Control Program."

First step was a scientific sampling method which turned up 162,000 out of a whole year's returns. Those returns which were selected for audit were picked by number, without any knowledge of who the taxpayers were, or how much tax they had paid.

One of the surprising results of this sample was that Secretary Gibson's own return was one of those scientifically selected for audit, as were those of some of his friends.

But the most surprising discovery of all was that one out of every four individual income tax returns audited was in error by \$2 or more in tax liability. In other words, 13,000,000 out of the 52,000,000 returns filed that year must have been in need of correction. And nine out of 10 of these errors were against the government.

In still other words, these errors must have lost the government about \$1,300,000,000, since the average understatement on the returns checked was \$114.

The other side of the picture is that the 10 per cent, or the 1,300,000 individuals who overstated their income contributed \$60,000,000 that the government wasn't entitled to.

On the returns with errors, five per cent were simple mistakes in arithmetic, with no fraud intended. Sixteen per cent, however, made mistakes in claiming exemptions, 25 per cent claimed deductions they were not legally entitled to, and more than 50 per cent made mistakes in reporting their income.

Examples of mistakes made by people in reporting their income taxes—as given by Secretary Gibson—show that out and out criminals who try to conceal income from illegal enterprises are relatively few in number, and usually are caught. The people who try to defraud the government of tax income are more numerous. But the big bulk are just ordinary people who apparently try to get away with something—just once, or perhaps often.

Temptation and greed are a little too much to cope with.

Cases Cited  
There was, for instance, the case of the man who insisted that he had only one bank account. His wife, who was sitting in on the interview with the examiner, spoke up and admonished her mate that he had several, and named the towns. The taxpayer tried to brush aside

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Q—What is an explanation of the word Gesundheit, said when a person sneezes?  
A—Gesundheit is German for "be you good health." Saying Gesundheit or "God bless you" when a person sneezes originated in the ancient superstition that a sneeze was the result of the soul's trying to escape from the body. "God bless you" supposedly acts as a charm to keep the soul from leaving the body.

Q—How old is the Pyramid of the Sun?  
A—The famed Pyramid of the Sun near Mexico City is dated by some scientists at 300 B. C.

Q—Do Army personnel receive an allotment for food?  
A—Enlisted personnel do not pay for their meals but the officers' monthly food bill is deducted from a special allotment given them for meals. When on duty in the States and not eating at Army mess halls, officers are permitted to draw the allotment in cash.

Q—Did the United States government ever sign the Versailles Treaty?  
A—The United States was never a party to the Treaty of Versailles since the Senate refused ratification.

Q—Where are the famous streets known as Basin Street and Beak Street?  
A—Basin Street is in New Orleans; Beak Street in Memphis.

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would help him in the least. He thought momentarily of summoning Joe College from his crap game again, but dismissed the idea. Wise-cracking Joe couldn't have any advice up his sleeve which would be of any use.

"Eddie," she said, and throwing maidenly modesty to the breeze, reached out to touch his hand.

He drew back merely to save her from the shock of finding that there was nothing for her to touch.

Rebuffed, however, Margie Lou voiced only interpretation of his action which occurred to her. She asked gently: "Is there someone else?"

The straw dangled temptingly in front of him. Regardless of consequences Eddie grabbed at it. "Yes," he answered miserably. It was a way out. He couldn't think of any other that wouldn't hurt her more.

"But you said—"

"I know but I never dreamed that you would be like you are—that you would really care."

"That's why you never—never even held my hand?" Margie Lou asked with pathetic shamelessness.

"And I wanted you to kiss me."

MARGIE LOU asked no further questions. She didn't blame Eddie. Nor did it occur to her to try to snatch a few moments of this heaven which she had so briefly glimpsed—not at the expense of someone else. Margie Lou wasn't that kind of a girl.

She simply sat there on the step above Eddie, the broken fragments of broken moonlight all about her, trying without any luck whatever, to keep back the tears.

One of them fell on the back of Eddie's hand. He felt it, but which he looked it wasn't there but was just a spatter on the wooden step. And when she rose slowly and a little unsteadily to her feet he did nothing to detain her. She looked at him a long while and turned away. He watched her climb slowly up the stairs. At the top he thought he heard her say softly, "Goodbye, Eddie."

After he had waited there a long, long while it was morning. (To Be Continued)

## Canine Breed

<b>HORIZONTAL</b>	5 He	6 Roman date
1 Dejected dog, the	7 Pause	8 Facility
2 Terrier	9 Grows pallid	10 Conductor
3 Frenchman's Paris	11 Brazilian state	12 Slip
4 Utopian term	13 Identical	14 Boat
5 Muddles	15 Polynesian chestnut	16 Pertaining to ancient Troy
6 Patriarch	17 Grumbling	18 Flowers
7 Pifer	19 Lost blood	20 Against
8 French island	21 Angers	22 Passage in the brain
9 The gods	23 Mohammedan magistrate	24 Fluid for writing
10 Snakes	25 Persuading to an age	26 College cheer
11 Bearded		
12 Babylonian deity		
13 Uncommon		
14 Mohammedan priest		
15 Near		
16 Entice		
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18 Symbol for Iridium		
19 Chemical suffix		
20 Priestly cloth		
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22 Arrow poison		
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24 Fortification		
25 Poker stakes		
26 Its straight		



## More Than Thousand Korean War Orphans Sail To Safety From Commie Aggression

SEOUL, KOREA.—(P)—Eleven hundred Korean war orphans sailed Saturday to a haven of safety from Communist aggression.

The walls of war were clutched from the grasp of starvation and death through the generosity of battle-hardened American soldiers. The kids can look forward with hope to a new life because of the untiring energy of an American Fifth Air Force Chaplain, Lt. Col. R. L. Blaisdell, of Fort Worth, Texas.

A South Korean Naval vessel is taking the children from Inchon, port for Seoul, to an island off Southern Korea. Hundreds of thousands of Koreans have found shelter there from the ravages of war.

Old found many babies and toddlers behind piles of rubble. Some were picked up beside the bodies of dead parents. Others, abandoned by parents, were found in doorways and buildings and along dusty roads.

The babies were turned over to Korean welfare agencies or to civilians heading south. Doughboys "adopted" older children. They were bathed and given altered Army clothing to cover their skinny bodies. Their faces became chubbier from regular rations.

Then the Chinese Reds entered the Korean war and United Forces were forced to withdraw from the north. Soldiers who had adopted the children wondered what would happen to them if the Allies left Korea.

Word got around on the Army grapevine communications system that there was a place to take them in Seoul.

When UN forces had made their way across the Inchon beachhead to liberate Seoul in September, Chaplain Blaisdell wondered what would happen to the waifs after the war stopped.

At his suggestion, the South Korean government set up a process-

ing center in a schoolhouse for the children. The UN welfare agencies, YMCA, Red Cross, Catholic sisters and Protestant missions all co-operated.

The Fifth Air Force flew in food. Chaplain Blaisdell said the present group is being moved "to escape the Communists who have been ruthless with anyone—even children—who has been associated with Americans."

He scrounged 16 trucks to carry the children to Inchon. The Korean Navy was talked into providing the ships. A hospital unit, including three Korean doctors and six Korean nurses, is traveling with them. Arrangements have been made for their care when they reach the island.

All seemed in excellent spirits. They jabbered and smiled. To them it was like a school picnic back home.

## 'High Lonesome,' Filmed In Big Bend, Opens Here Sunday

John Barrymore, Jr., who stars in "High Lonesome," plays his role of an untamed rangeland youth and suspected killer against the rugged background of Southwest Texas where America's new Big Bend National Park recently was established.

The area is one of the few remaining in the U. S., in which vast cattle empires still are common, and the awe-inspiring scenes of the countryside were captured in their full beauty by the Technicolor cameras.

One of the first pictures to penetrate this wilderness of cactus-covered mountains, "High Lonesome" was photographed entirely on location.

Opens Here Sunday  
The picture will open Sunday at the Texan Drive-In Theater in Midland.

Barrymore played scenes at the historic 125,000-acre Brite ranch, once raided by Pancho Villa. The young actor also enacted a part of his role in the real adobe houses and buildings of other ranches, including the W. F. Mitchell place, first fenced-in land of that area.

"High Lonesome" deals with the resurgence of a violent fence war, brought on by the murders for which Barrymore is blamed.

Chill Wills co-stars with Barrymore. The supporting cast includes Lois Butler, Kristine Miller, John Archer and Basil Ruysdael.

## M&S, Inc., Opens Greenhouses And Retail 'La Casita'

McDonald & Shelton, Inc., announce the opening of their wholesale greenhouse and "La Casita" retail store on the Andrews Highway. This firm formerly was McDonald's Greenhouse.

McDonald & Shelton, Inc., have a wide selection of Christmas decorations and foliage and throughout the year will fill your needs for bedding plants, seasonal house plants and foliage plants.

## Teague Says Former VA Employees Head 56 State GI Schools

DALLAS.—(P)—Rep. Olin Teague (D-Tex.) says 56 Texas GI schools are operated by former employees of the Veterans Administration.

Some of their contracts appear "rather high," Teague commented Friday as he brought to a close two days of sessions here by a congressional committee investigating the GI education setup.

Teague is committee chairman. The group will resume hearings in Washington this week. Before it closed sessions here Teague and Rep. Souder (R-Calif.) heard a number of former VA employees testify they received loans from men whose schools operated on VA funds.

Among the final witnesses was Vetter B. Watson, now a North Carolina jeweler. He said Texas GI school operators loaned him \$4,000 while he was chief training officer in the Dallas branch of the Veterans Administration. He said "at no time did I know it was against regulations of VA and I gave a note and have paid back \$400. I am going to pay the balance within 18 months."

In Personal Loans  
Earlier Sam B. Ward, training facilities officer at the Waco VA office until April, 1950, told of receiving \$2,225 in personal loans from three East Texas vocational school operators in 1947 and 1948.

And C. W. Peavey, operator of a San Antonio watchmaking school, testified the government had been charged \$850 for tools, some of which weren't needed, and that the cost to VA was reduced to \$331 when he cut the list of tools to essentials and bought in competitive bidding.

Watson testified he borrowed \$4,000 from Wallace Phillips and Nat P. Huggins who operate 20 GI schools in Texas. Huggins is Watson's nephew by marriage. Watson said he wanted to go into the jewelry business when GI training ended and his VA job was over.

He said he met Phillips through his nephew, got to talking about his idea for opening a jewelry store, and Phillips offered to advance money for the store.

Ward told of resigning his VA office in April, 1950, because of a personnel reduction. He said: "I have received loans from Nat Huggins, who has an interest in GI schools in East Texas; Wallace A. Phillips, his partner; and David Wright, who is connected with a Palestine school."

Florida has a total acreage of 35,000,000. Of this acreage, 22,000,000 acres or 63 per cent are forest land.

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## Rites Held For Thomas N. Wilson

Funeral services for Thomas Neal Wilson, long-time Midland resident who died at his home Thursday, were held at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Newline W. Ellis Chapel. Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

The Rev. Mickey Jones, pastor of the Holiness Mission, officiated at the services. Pallbearers were G. S. Steward, Wallace D. Jones, D. Branch, Ficus Righters, Lon Roberts and E. F. Penick.

Survivors include the widow, two sons, six daughters, a sister, two brothers, 18 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

First singing of the Marine Corps hymn was during the Mexican War. The lyrics were composed by an unknown poet of the Corps who used the music of an old French opera tune, in 1847.

## Disgusted Demo Writes To Santa

Here's a Santa Claus letter we received with a different slant and appeal:

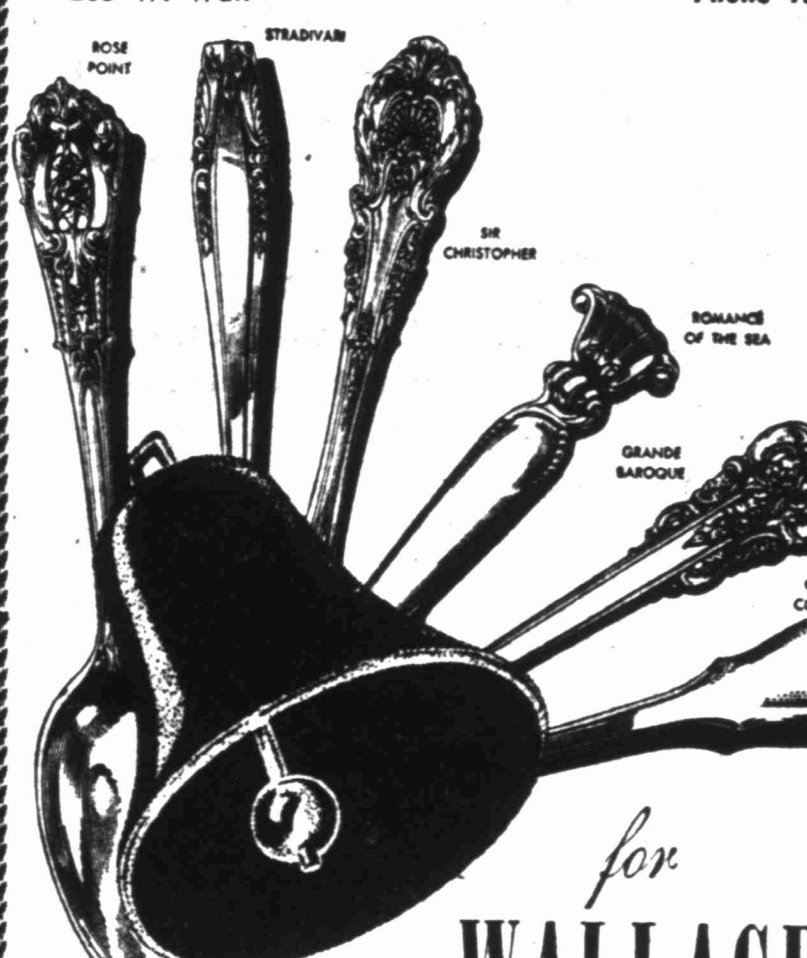
"Dear Santa:  
"I haven't been very good this year and don't expect anything for myself, but Santa, when you pass over Moscow, will you please drop an atomic bomb down Stalin's chimney and when you get to Washington, leave several boxes of stationery for HST."

"Santa, I know you live in Washington, D. C., but there are so many departments and bureaus there playing Santa Claus that I am confused as to the correct address so am sending this to our local paper." (Signed) —A Disgusted Democrat

"P. S. I don't hold any public office so you may never see this."

The Japanese volcano Fujiyama last erupted in 1707.

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## KILLED BY POWER SAW

CORPUSCANA.—(P)—W. E. Edmonson, about 68, was killed late Friday when a power saw foundation apparently broke loose and struck him. The accident happened at his home near the Rice community near here. He was alone.

## THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, DEC. 17, 1950—3

**DIFFERENT**  
Though rivers generally are at a low stage in hot months, those arising from glaciers frequently flood during the hottest months from melting snow, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

**IRON MONEY**  
The currency of the Fung tribe of Africa consists of iron imitation ax-heads, tied in bundles of 10 and generally used for the purchase of wives, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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## School Board Lets Bids For Buildings

At a meeting Friday afternoon in the high school, trustees of the Midland Independent School District let bids totaling \$407,459 for the construction of the new Sam Houston Elementary School and expansion of Zavala School (Latin American).

Bids were received Thursday, and the low bids for the general, mechanical and electrical contracts were accepted. Trustees present at Friday's meeting were Chairman R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, Vaughn C. Maley, Holt Jowell, Mrs. Ernest Sidwell and John Cornwall. Cooper Hyde was out of town on a business trip.

Houston Hill, Midland contractor, was awarded the general contract on both projects. His low combined bid was \$227,400. Mack's Plumbing Company of Big Lake received the combined mechanical contract on a bid of \$50,500. Central Electric Company of Odessa was awarded the electrical contracts on a combined bid of \$29,559.

Both schools are to be completed by Sept. 1, 1951, according to the contracts.

## Contributes \$3 For Former Newsboy

Since reading of the plight of Walter Fuller, 12, who has rheumatic fever, kind-hearted Midlanders have contributed to his assistance.

This newspaper has handled approximately \$45, which has been forwarded to him. A contribution of \$3 from C. D. Harricklow is reported.

Walter is a former newsboy.

Because most of the gold in South Africa lies deep underground, individual prospectors have struck it rich there than in Australia or California.

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## Supplies To Be Tight In Spite Of Allocation

By MAX B. SKELTON  
HOUSTON —(AP)—Oil and Gas steel supplies will be very tight even if the government allocates the 11,000,000 tons the industry says it needs for 1951.

Drilling operations have zoomed to record levels since the estimate of next year's requirements were prepared.

Production phases of the estimate, prepared by a National Petroleum Council Committee, were based on 43,400 new wells for 1951. Industry sources figure the current drilling rate projected on a 12-month basis would approximate between 45,000 and 46,000 wells.

There is confidence within the industry, however, the oil industry requirements will receive early action from Washington officials. There even is optimism over a chance of practically all of NPO's report being approved.

Independent operators, however, are asking that top consideration be given to the 3,240,000 ton estimate for the 1951 production operations.

Bryan W. Payne, Tyler, Texas, last week told a group of Southwest Texas independent operators black marketing of steel tubular goods "is getting worse and worse."

Committee Chairman

Payne, president of the Iowa Payne Oil Company, is chairman of the Independent Petroleum Association of America's Oil and Gas Field Materials Committee.

He said a survey just completed by the committee indicates the small operator is having a very rough time obtaining the tubular goods he needs. Some 250 independent producers took part in the survey.

Those with requirements exceeding 500 tons of steel goods a year, Payne said, reported they are obtaining an average 83 per cent of their needs through normal supply channels and three per cent of the black market.

In comparison, he said, the operators needing only 200 tons a year reported a normal supply channels average of only 42 per cent but a 24 per cent black market average.

Both groups received the balance of their supplies from converted or second-hand equipment.

Payne said his committee has information on three "obscure distributors" who have received tubular goods supplies since the shortages began to develop.

"We are going to take this information to the Petroleum Administration for Defense as soon as the industry's allocation is made," he said. "Once the allocation is approved, PAD can trace steel output and check where it is going and what it is being used for."

A speaker before the annual meeting of the Interstate Oil Commission last week said the current high rate of drilling opera-

tions can continue only with availability of sufficient materials and manpower.

A. W. Thompson, Houston, president of the American Association of Oil Well Drilling Contractors, recommended the oil industry be classified as a critical industry as to manpower.

He said the industry itself was indifferent toward holding its skilled manpower at the start of World War II.

"Recognition of our need of trained men to do a job is imperative," he said.

Thompson said about 42,000 wells involving 180,000,000 feet of pipe will have been drilled in 1950. Current operations, however, are equivalent to 170,000,000 feet a year, he said.

## Castleman & O'Neill, Midland Operators, Dissolve Partnership

William P. Castleman, Jr., and Joseph I. O'Neill, Jr., who have been operating in the oil business for the last two and one-half years under the partnership name of Castleman & O'Neill, announced in Midland Saturday that the partnership would be dissolved effective December 31, 1950.

Each of them will continue in the oil business and will operate independently. It is planned that in the future they make deals together as individuals.

All present properties of the partnership will continue to be jointly owned. The producing properties will be operated by O'Neill who will maintain his office and residence in Midland.

Castleman will maintain an office in Dallas, to which city he moved several months ago.

## New Andrews Field Gets Official Name

The Railroad Commission of Texas has officially named the new oil pool recently opened by The Texas Company No. 1 J. D. Biles. It is the Biles-Wichita Albany field in Northwest Andrews County.

Texas Co. No. 1 Biles was completed for a 24-hour potential of 330 barrels of 37.2-gravity oil from open hole at 7,390-7,573 feet. Flow was through a three-quarter-inch choke.

TO HOUSTON  
Mr. and Mrs. John Casselman left Saturday for Houston where they will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gunther.

## COUNTY OWNERSHIP MAPS

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## Union Oil Purchases Leases On 4,500 Acres In Midland

Union Oil Company of California has acquired a five year commercial oil and gas lease on a spread of approximately 4,500 acres in Central-North Midland County.

All the acreage is in block 38, T-1-S, R-10-E and about three miles east of the City of Midland.

The lease covers the Frank and Terry Ellen property. A cash bonus of \$85 per acre was paid for the lease, plus \$150 per acre to come out of one-sixteenth of seven-eighths of the production from the property, if and when the lease contracts call for the payment of \$1.00 per acre annual rental.

Acreage includes a portion of the south half of section 42, a portion of the north half of section 41, a portion of the north half of section 40, all of section 33, southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 32.

All of section 34 except 62 acres in the south half, all of section 27, south half of section 22, southeast quarter of section 21, south half and northeast quarter of section 28, south half and northeast quarter of section 26, north half of section 44 and all of section 34.

## Collingsworth Area Scheduled For Two Deep Explorations

Caraway Drilling Company has filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas, requesting permits to drill two wildcats to 7,000 feet in Central-South Collingsworth County, in the Texas Panhandle.

Caraway No. 1 D. C. Lacy will be four miles west of Wellington and 330 feet from south and east lines of the northwest quarter of section 88, block 14, H&GN survey.

It is on the southwest side of a 14,000 acre block Caraway recently acquired in that area. Elmer M. Caraway of Memphis, Texas, assisted Caraway in assembling the block.

Ray A. Albaugh of Midland owns a spread of about 6,000 acres adjoining the Caraway block on the west. Albaugh gave Caraway the 330 acre lease on which the No. 1 Lacy is to be drilled and also agreed to contribute \$25,000 in dry hole money for the drilling of the wildcat.

Rotary materials for the project is now being moved in and drilling will be started in a few days. It is to drill to 7,000 feet unless granite is encountered at a lesser depth.

Caraway No. 1 Leola True, the second wildcat in Collingsworth County will be 660 feet from south and east lines of section 97, block 19, H&GN survey. It is four miles south of Quail. Drilling to 7,000 feet, or granite is to be started by January 30, 1951. This prospect is to be about 10 miles west of the Caraway No. 1 Lacy.

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## West Pecos Region Gets Shallow Tester

McElroy Ranch Company is to start drilling immediately at its No. 1 J. H. Tipton, shallow wildcat in West Pecos County.

The location of the exploration is 330 feet from south and east lines of section 65, block 194, G&SF survey.

Contract calls for a destination of 2,000 feet with cable tools. Drilling is 10 miles northwest of the town of Iraan.

## Unofficial Report Has Hale Tester In Cisco

Ray A. Albaugh No. 1 Hornell, Central - Southeast Hale County wildcat, 12 miles southeast of Plainview and in the southeast quarter of section 5, block 5, EL&RR survey, is reported by unofficial sources to have drilled to 7,125 feet in the Cisco series of the upper Pennsylvanian and to be circulating while waiting for casing.

It is understood that the casing will be set at an unidentified point and production tests made.

Unverified sources say that this project has logged some interesting shows of possible production since entering the Cisco section. Albaugh will neither confirm or deny this report.

Neither will he comment on unofficial reports that he has drilled through a zone about 110 feet thick in the Wolfcamp of the Permian, which is said to have developed some signs of oil and gas. Depth of the Wolfcamp zone, which is supposed to have been tested, has not been learned.

It has been learned that during the past week there has been considerable lease and royalty buying in an area within a radius of six to seven miles of the Albaugh wildcat. Some sources say Albaugh has been doing some of that buying.

## Yokum Cobb Field Gets West Extender

A west one-location extension has been completed in the Cobb field of Central-East Yokum County. The new producer is Honohu Oil Corporation No. 3 Paul Cobb and others, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 361, block D. J. H. Gibson survey.

Initial daily potential for the well is 248 barrels of oil and no water.

No other details of the completion test are available.

Production is coming from the Clear Fork at total depth of 6,097 feet.

The No. 3 Cobb is the third producer in the Cobb field.

**Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG**  
James C. Watson  
Oil Editor

## Ohio Issues Orders To Plug Terry Try

Ohio Oil Company has issued plugging orders for its No. 1 Robert H. McCormick, wildcat in Northeast Terry County.

The prospector is bottomed on total depth of 10,430 feet in an unidentified section.

The last reported test from the No. 1 McCormick was at 6,380-6,504 feet. The venture developed salt water with no shows of oil or gas in that section.

Hole was deepened to its present total depth without any signs of oil or gas production.

Location of the failure is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 87, block 4-X, C&M survey.

## Ector Ellenburger Pool Gets Producer

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 6 C. H. C. Anderson, a deep exploration in the Yarbrough & Allen field of Southwest Ector County about 15 miles northeast of Monahans has been completed.

It flowed 306 barrels of 41-gravity oil on a 24-hour potential test through an 11-64th-inch choke. No water was present.

Flowing tubing pressure was 1,150 pounds and pressure on casing was 780 pounds.

Production was natural from open hole between 10,827 feet where seven-inch casing was set and total depth of 10,750 feet in the Ellenburger.

Location is 660 feet from south and 2310 feet from east lines of section 13, block B-14, pal survey.

## SE Upton Indicator Coring Ellenburger

Cities Service Oil Company and Continental Oil Company No. 1-AH Upton County, is coring below 10,816 feet in the Ellenburger which was topped at 10,733 feet.

The prospector has already shown for production from the Spraberry and the Ellenburger.

On the last test taken in the Ellenburger, at 10,743-10,805 feet, it flowed at the rate of 11 barrels of high-gravity oil an hour during two hours and 17 minutes of drillstem testing.

Exact location of the indicated multi-discovery is 1,980 feet from east and 860 feet from south lines of section 129, block 3, University survey.

## Spraberry Topped In SW Terry Test

Fred Turner and Lynn Durham of Midland are deepening below 7,672 feet in Spraberry on their No. 1 Luther Bohanan, wildcat in Southwest Terry County.

The project topped the Spraberry at 7,524 feet on an elevation of 3,399 feet.

The wildcat is 660 feet from north and east lines of the southeast quarter of section 74, block DD, John H. Gibson survey.

That makes it about three miles north of Seagraves, and eight miles west and slightly south of the Wellman-Pennsylvanian field.

The No. 1 Bohanan is an old dry hole abandoned in San Andres on total depth of 5,670 feet. Turner and Durham filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas to re-enter and deepen to approximately 10,500 feet to test for possible reef production in one of the lower horizons.

## Scurry Gets Five New Explorations

Five new locations have been staked for immediate drilling in Scurry County.

R. E. Smith spotted four new projects in the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field of Southwest Scurry County. All the projects are scheduled to

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The last reported test from the No. 1 McCormick was at 6,380-6,504 feet. The venture developed salt water with no shows of oil or gas in that section.

Hole was deepened to its present total depth without any signs of oil or gas production.

Location of the failure is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 87, block 4-X, C&M survey.

## Ector Ellenburger Pool Gets Producer

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 6 C. H. C. Anderson, a deep exploration in the Yarbrough & Allen field of Southwest Ector County about 15 miles northeast of Monahans has been completed.

It flowed 306 barrels of 41-gravity oil on a 24-hour potential test through an 11-64th-inch choke. No water was present.

Flowing tubing pressure was 1,150 pounds and pressure on casing was 780 pounds.

Production was natural from open hole between 10,827 feet where seven-inch casing was set and total depth of 10,750 feet in the Ellenburger.

Location is 660 feet from south and 2310 feet from east lines of section 13, block B-14, pal survey.

## SE Upton Indicator Coring Ellenburger

Cities Service Oil Company and Continental Oil Company No. 1-AH Upton County, is coring below 10,816 feet in the Ellenburger which was topped at 10,733 feet.

The prospector has already shown for production from the Spraberry and the Ellenburger.

On the last test taken in the Ellenburger, at 10,743-10,805 feet, it flowed at the rate of 11 barrels of high-gravity oil an hour during two hours and 17 minutes of drillstem testing.

Exact location of the indicated multi-discovery is 1,980 feet from east and 860 feet from south lines of section 129, block 3, University survey.

## Spraberry Topped In SW Terry Test

Fred Turner and Lynn Durham of Midland are deepening below 7,672 feet in Spraberry on their No. 1 Luther Bohanan, wildcat in Southwest Terry County.

The project topped the Spraberry at 7,524 feet on an elevation of 3,399 feet.

The wildcat is 660 feet from north and east lines of the southeast quarter of section 74, block DD, John H. Gibson survey.

That makes it about three miles north of Seagraves, and eight miles west and slightly south of the Wellman-Pennsylvanian field.

The No. 1 Bohanan is an old dry hole abandoned in San Andres on total depth of 5,670 feet. Turner and Durham filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas to re-enter and deepen to approximately 10,500 feet to test for possible reef production in one of the lower horizons.

## Scurry Gets Five New Explorations

Five new locations have been staked for immediate drilling in Scurry County.

R. E. Smith spotted four new projects in the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field of Southwest Scurry County. All the projects are scheduled to

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## Leases In Midland Sold To Los Nietos

Los Nietos Company, of Los Angeles, Calif., and Midland, has paid \$400,000 cash for the oil and gas leases on a spread of 23,000 acres in East-Central Chaves County, New Mexico.

The leases are alternate half sections in the east half of the J. F. White estate ranch of more than 100,000 acres.

The center of the property is about 35 miles east of Roswell.

Los Nietos Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Union Oil Company of California, acquired the leases from J. K. Wadley of Texas, and Walter Keith of Stephens, Ark. Wadley and Keith had held the leases approximately two years.

They acquired them from Richfield Oil Corporation late in 1948 when that concern disposed of all of its properties in the Permian Basin of West Texas and Southeast New Mexico.

In addition to paying the cash bonus of \$400,000 which was \$20.00 per acre, Los Nietos has agreed to

pay an additional \$200.00 per acre out of one-eighth of seven-eighths of oil production from the properties, if and when, such oil might be produced.

The leases on the other portions of the sections involved in the deal are owned by DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc., of Lubbock, and DeKalb, Ill.

The transaction was worked out in Midland between Keith, representing himself and Wadley, and the division headquarters executives of Union Oil Company, who represented Los Nietos.

## New Cities Service Executives Elected

F. B. Plank of Bartlesville has been elected a director, vice president and secretary of Cities Service Oil Company of Delaware and Cities Service Pipeline Company, and M. A. (Woody) Wilson of the same city has been elected controller of the organizations, A. W. Ambrose, president, announced.

Plank is a graduate of Purdue University, and joined Cities Service in 1918 at Bartlesville.

He is a member of the National Tax Association, the Tax Institute, New Mexico Oil & Gas Association and is a trustee of the Oklahoma Public Expenditure Council.

Wilson joined Cities Service in 1913 in Amarillo.

He is a member of the Petroleum Accountants Society of Oklahoma. He served as grand commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Oklahoma, and was recently elected to the honorary degree of K. C. C. H. of the Scottish Rite.

## Jorgensen Is New Intex Geologist

J. A. (Jay) Jorgensen has assumed the job as district geologist for Intex Oil Company in West Texas and Southeast New Mexico.

He will headquarter in Midland at the concern's recently opened office in the Crawford Hotel.

Intex has contracted for permanent office accommodations in the McCintie Building in this city. The move to those quarters will be made as soon as the addition now being built to the structure is completed during 1951.

Jorgensen resigned a position as district geologist for Union Oil Company of California at Roswell, N. M., to join Intex.

He had been on the Roswell assignment four months, having been transferred there when Union opened the office from that company's division headquarters in Midland.

Before going to Roswell Jorgensen had worked for Union three years in the Midland office. He was employed in the Phillips Petroleum Company's Permian Basin district office here before taking employment with Union.

## Organizations Hold Annual Xmas Parties

Christmas parties were held Friday night in Midland by two Permian Basin oil industry organizations.

The Permian Basin Landmen's Association staged a dinner-dance at Midland Country Club. Approximately 100 couples attended.

The Midland Geological Society sponsored a dance at the VFW Hall on West Highway 80. About 250 persons were present.

## Producer Is Added To Kelley-Snyder Caddo

Sun Oil Company has reported completion for the second producer in the Kelley-Snyder Caddo field.

It is the No. 1 Elza Rollins located in section 193, block 97, H&TO survey.

The well was completed for a daily potential of 163 barrels of oil plus 12 barrels of salt water. The gas-oil ratio on the potential test was 666-1.

Production in the No. 1 Elza Rollins is coming from open hole section from 6,831 to 6,865 feet.

No other details of the potential test have been reported.

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## Morrison To Speak At AIME Meeting In Odessa Monday

The Permian Basin Section of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers will hold its monthly meeting Monday evening at the Lawrence Steak House in Odessa.

Paul W. Morrison of the Chemical Process Company of Fort Worth will be the guest speaker. His topic will be "Fundamentals of Acidizing Technique."

Meeting time is 6:30. Bill Little is chairman of the organization and Ray Howard is vice chairman. Joe Chastain is secretary-treasurer.

## ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Louis Noble, 1011 East Texas Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Friday as a medical patient.

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# Flowing Wolfcamp Zone Discovered In C-W Lea Sector

ROBBS, N. M.—A flowing discovery from the Wolfcamp, in the Saunders-Pennsylvanian field area of Central-West Lea County, has been indicated at Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-SB State.

The prospector flowed 295.18 barrels of oil in four hours on a drillstem test at 9,770-9,803 feet.

The testing tool was open for four hours and nine minutes. Gas was to the surface in four minutes, mud in six and oil in nine minutes.

**Recovers Clean Oil**  
No water or basic sediment flowed out with the oil. Gravity of the petroleum is 41.8 degrees. Gas-oil ratio was 1.711-1.

Recovery after the tool was closed was 870 feet of clean oil and no water.

Operators cored from 9,803 to 9,860 feet and took a drillstem test of that interval. With tool open four hours and 17 minutes, gas surfaced in four minutes, mud in 13 and oil in 18. It flowed a total of 166.98 barrels of fluid in four hours. Gas volume was rated at 1,883,700 cubic feet per day.

Recovery was 900 feet of clean oil and no water. Flowing pressure was 900 pounds. Fifteen-minute shut-in pressure was 1,800 pounds.

The top of the Wolfcamp was called at 9,130 feet on an elevation of 4,205 feet.

**Low Test Offset**  
The No. 1-SB State is located one-quarter of a mile south of Shell No. 1-A State, which was completed from the Pennsylvanian.

The No. 1-SB State is low to the Wolfcamp in the Shell No. 1-A State.

Location of the possibly discovery is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 3-15-33e.

That makes its one-quarter mile east and one-quarter mile south of Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 Saunders, discovery of the Saunders field.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company and others No. 3 South Adams unit has been completed as a five-eighths mile southeast extension to the Fowler-Ellenburger pool of Southeast Lea County.

**Natural Completion**  
The extender was completed for a daily natural flowing potential of 350 barrels of 45-gravity oil and no water.

Casing pressure on the final was 530 pounds and tubing pressure was 1,410 pounds.

The hole is bottomed at 10,085 feet in the Ellenburger. Top of the Ellenburger and top of the pay is at 9,906 feet. Elevation is 3,292 feet.

Location is at center of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 22-24-37e.

**McAlester Fuel Company No. 1**  
Simpson, approximately one mile northeast of the same operator's No. 1-A Brownfield, discovery of the Gladiala field in Northeast Lea County, recovered 80 feet of salt water, and 930 feet of gas-cut mud on a two-hour and 25-minute drillstem test in the Wolfcamp.

Another test was taken at 9,752-99 feet with tool open two hours. Gas was to the surface in 11 minutes, water blanket in 46 and oil in 52 minutes. It flowed to tanks at the rate of four barrels of oil for one hour through a 3/8-inch choke.

The prospector unloaded its recovery when the tool was pulled.

Operator is now taking another drillstem test at total depth of 9,810 feet.

and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 26-12-37e.

**Plugged Back**  
Another McAlester No. 1-A Brownfield offset, Sinclair Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Virgie Green, recovered 270 feet of drilling mud and 8,100 feet of slightly gas-cut sulphur water on a drillstem test at 12,145-192 feet in the Devonian lime.

Operator now has plugged back to 9,781 feet in the Wolfcamp, and is waiting for cement to cure.

The Wolfcamp showed for possible commercial production on a drillstem test at 9,510-9,619 feet. That zone will be tested in an attempt to make an oil well out of the No. 1 Virgie Green.

It is two locations northeast of the No. 1-A Brownfield and 660 feet from south and east lines of section 13-12-37e.

Ohio Oil Company No. 3 Denton, discovery of the Denton field of Central-East Lea County, is taking a core below 11,585 feet in dolomite.

A core from 11,535-585 feet showed 50 feet of dense hard dolomite with good bleeding oil and gas in fractures.

The prospector has already shown a possible extension of the Denton field. It recovered 150 feet of free oil and 700 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud after a drillstem test at 11,405-11,275 feet.

Exact location is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 11-15-37e.

**Drilling Ahead**  
Total recovery on the two-hour and 45-minute test was 90 feet of oil and gas-cut mud. The top part had some free oil and the bottom section was slightly oil and gas cut.

Operator is now drilling below 8,560 feet.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 32-18-37e.

H. S. Moss of Dallas will drill a 10,750-foot Devonian wildcat in Northwest Lea County as his No. 1 State.

Drillsite is in the center of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 32-11-33e.

That makes it two miles west of the Lightcap-Devonian field of Northeast Chaves County, Magnolia Petroleum Company has completed its No. 1-B C. L. O'Brien as a discovery and a producer from the Devonian.

The well made 270 barrels of 54.2-gravity oil on a 24-hour completion test through a one-quarter-inch choke and perforations from 7,253 to 7,259 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 1,578-1.

Location of the No. 1-B C. L. O'Brien is at the center of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 1-9-28e.

DeKah Agricultural Association and Vincent & Welch have plugged and abandoned their No. 1 J. P. White, wildcat in Central-East Chaves County.

Last section test was through perforations at 7,550-7,620 feet in the Pennsylvanian. It showed a little gas for a short time and then the gas disappeared. Operators then ordered it plugged and abandoned.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 7-10-29e.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Marriage licenses had been issued Saturday by County Clerk Lucille Johnson to Lee Velarde and Olivia Rodriguez, Antonio Martinez and Berta Artis Aguilar, Wayne Thedford Williams and Ruth Stewart, Billy Roy Reeves and Barbara Nicholson and to Jimmie Joe Kennedy and Betty Marie Nix.

Each governor general of Goa, Portuguese India, receives the staff of St. Francis Xavier on being installed.



## Death Will Present Geophysical Papers At MGS Gathering

Martin J. Deuth will present a summary of papers pertaining to West Texas and New Mexico geophysical aspects, at the semi-monthly meeting of the Midland Geological Society, Tuesday.

The meeting will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer at 12 noon.

The papers were recently read at the regional exploration meetings in Fort Worth, held jointly by geological and geophysical societies of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

The papers will give information on the Delaware Basin, Marfa Basin, Northwest Shelf Area and Plainview Basin.

Mr. Deuth is district geologist of Shell Oil Company's western exploration district and has been in Midland approximately 18 months.

Before coming to Midland, he was stationed in Abilene and in the Gulf Coast area.

Max David, president of the MGS, will preside at the meeting. John Galley is program chairman for the organization.

## Empire Is To Open Plant In Abilene

A new machine shop, to be operated by the Empire Machinery Company, Ltd., will open in Abilene on or about January 15.

The announcement was made by Don Payne, general manager of the company.

W. K. (Kenny) Richey will be manager of the new Empire plant. He has been sales manager of the Abilene Sales, Service, and Parts house for the Empire concern for the past several months.

The new Empire shop will be located with the Malcom Manufacturing Company at 2601 Butternut.

Head offices for the firm is in Odessa. Branch offices are in Fort Worth, Dallas, Snyder, Tulsa and Abilene.

**Keefe Joins Union Midland Area Office**  
Edgar S. Keefe, formerly of Dallas, is now working in the Midland division headquarters of Union Oil Company of California.

He is to do lease and title work in the company's land department. Keefe was a practicing attorney in Dallas before he came to Midland.

## Washington Oil—

# Quitclaim Legislation Is Aim Of Texas Group In Tideland Battle

WASHINGTON—A 60-day deadline for passage of legislation giving the states title to the Tideland areas has been set by congressional leaders supporting state title.

Texas Reps. Ed Gossett, Ken Regan, John Lyle and others moved swiftly following U. S. Supreme Court action last week enjoining the states from further leasing. The federal government shall do the leasing, said the court.

Approving the action, Interior Secretary Oscar Chapman said present operations may go on for 60 days, during which time new leases are to be negotiated with the federal government.

Aim of state title advocates, now is to try to enact quitclaim legislation before the 60 days has expired. While passage of legislation during this brief period is possible, the threat of a veto augurs delay.

While President Truman is expected to veto any quitclaim bill, it is possible that state title advocates will be able to muster the votes to override it. Much of it depends, however, upon how far the bill goes in compromising the issues in dispute between federal and state officials.

One argument for speedy action is that, in any event, to operate the Tideland, legislation must be enacted to set up the rules, no matter if the federal government or the states are to have final authority.

The government smiled last week at the proposed West Texas-California oil pipeline, the largest of its kind now being proposed.

W. Stuart Symington, chairman of the National Security Resources Board, wrote in a memorandum that it's "a good idea."

The memorandum went to the Petroleum Administration for Defense, which is to recommend for or against issuance of a five-year tax amortization for the line in the event construction gets going.

A Dallas group, West Coast Pipeline Company, plans the construction, which would cost \$70,000,000, to carry Permian Basin crude westward through "World War III" first "Big Inch."

A general crude oil price increase, publicly hinted by K. S. Adams, Phillips Petroleum Company president, if enacted generally might stir the government into price-wage control action in the petroleum field.

For it is certain that price control, to be coupled with wage control, is coming as a matter of government policy in the stepped-up mobilization, over a large segment of the national economy.

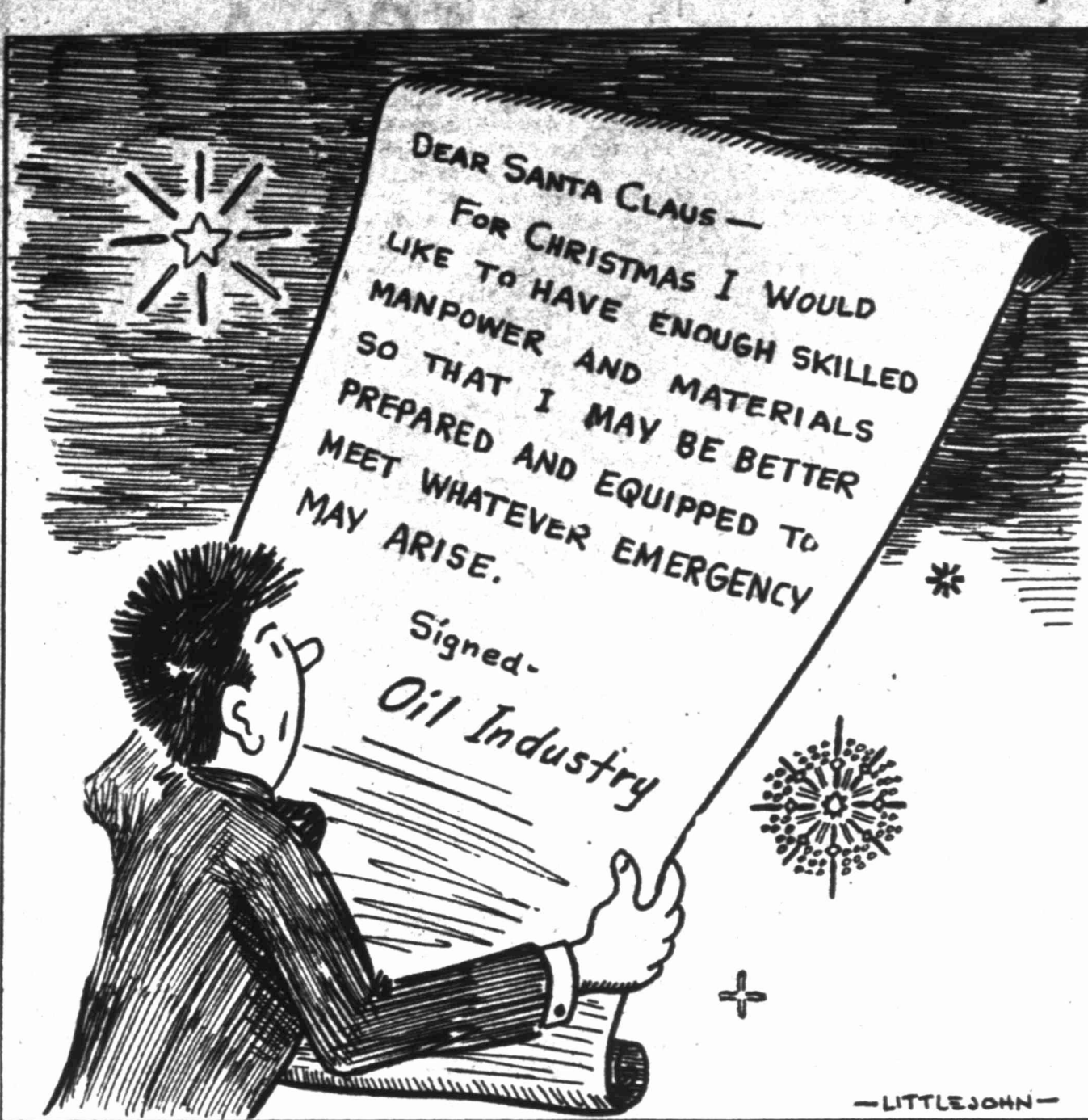
Whether this will affect crude oil and products in the near future depends upon many things, including the gravity of the war situation and the climate of public opinion.

A crude oil increase, followed by product price increases, might arouse such public clamor that the government would be forced to act.

**Selective Or General**  
Barring that, however, the decision of whether price controls are due for petroleum appears to depend upon whether the forthcoming controls are to be invoked on a selective basis or as a general freeze affecting all industries.

Evidence mounts that the government economists favor selective basis. Steel, autos, construction materials, metals and basic raw materials would be brought under controls one by one, if this method were adopted.

## Permian Pete



## Rip-Snorting Mustangman—

# Jim Windham Mounted A Different Type Of Pony

Wonder what Jim Windham thinks about, riding around on his horse on his ranch between Midland and Rankin?

James Windham, rancher, once rode a different kind of pony. He rode a Mustang—P-51 Mustang fighter plane

in World War II.

Windham rode with the famous 357th Fighter Group of the Eighth Air Force—one of the hottest air outfits in the business.

This particular group destroyed Nazis in the air at the most effective rate of any fighter unit in the war. It shot more than 700 Krauts out of the air over Europe in a little more than a year. It holds the record for most kills by one group in one air battle. That score is 59 1/2 German planes destroyed in one mission.

Windham was in on that deal. He got himself a Messerschmitt 109 to help the score.

It was Jan. 14, 1945, the 357th Fighter Group escorted the first three combat groups of the Third Air Division's B-17's on a mission to Derben in the heart of Germany.

Making rendezvous north of Ouxhaven, the group took up its position at the head of a long bomber stream on a course simulating attack on the enemy capital itself.

The challenge produced violent enemy reaction. About 20 miles north of Brandenburg, a powerful enemy air force was sighted approaching from one o'clock to the bomber stream.

**FW's And ME's**  
Sixty or seventy Focke Wulf 190's at 28,000 feet were covered by almost a 100 Messerschmitts 109 at 32,000 feet. The 357th, schooled in the type of formation to expect from the Krauts, and with squadron leaders positioned to meet the anticipated stab, a well-organized team of Mustangs (56 of 'em) immediately climbed to ward off the enemy host.

The foremost squadron, the 364th led by the group leader—Colonel Drege—turned into the swarm of 190's as they swept in wave after wave of eight aircraft abreast in company front formation. The maneuver completely broke up the enemy front and except for scattered stragglers by individual planes, the new disposed force of 190's passed harmlessly under the bombers and swarmed angrily to reform below on their left for another assault.

The 364th, now joined by the 362nd Squadron, promptly followed up an advantage and swung down on the disorganized prey, with utter disregard of the peril of the hovering 109's. No less aggressive, the enemy's top cover dove to attack and the 363rd Squadron (that was Windham's outfit) came up from the rear, its tactical role as reserve perfectly timed, bore down.

Foiled of its bomber prey, the enemy force with an original numerical superiority of more than 2-1, found itself embroiled in furious dogfights ranging from 30,000 feet to the deck. It was the most spectacular melee in the history of aerial combat.

When it was over, the Luftwaffe was licked. The 357th Mustangmen had destroyed 57 1/2 enemy aircraft. Only three Mustangs were missing. Later, their pilots turned up in prison camps and reported two more German planes destroyed to make the total 59 1/2.

**"Mousetrap In The Sky"**  
The Chicago Tribune wrote up that air battle as "The Mousetrap In The Sky." Among the Eighth Air Force boys, it was "The Mustang Massacre."

Somewhere among his souvenirs, perhaps West Texas Jim Windham has that blue-ribboned Presidential Citation, the group won for that feat.

We doubt that Jim Windham ever wears his silver wings on his faded

## Area Delegations To Attend Highway Hearing In Austin

Representatives from Midland, Upton and Crane Counties will be in Austin Tuesday to attend a Texas Highway Commission hearing concerning the proposed road into the Pegasus oil field and extending on to Crane and McCamey.

The Midland group will include Tom Sealy, R. D. (Bob) Scruggs, County Judge C. C. Keith, W. B. Dixon and Delbert Downing, Chamber of Commerce manager. Sealy also plans to confer with Gov. Allan Shivers on other business matters.

The highway proposal concerns the paving of a new road from State Highway 349 in Midland County to U. S. 87 in Upton County, with a "Y" connecting with State 51 in Crane County. The proposed paving would provide direct routes between Midland, Crane and McCamey, as well as serving the Pegasus field.

Delegations from McCamey, Rankin and Crane are expected to join the Midland representatives in Austin Monday night.

The Kalmucks are the last known organized community among descendants of Genghis Khan's Golden Horde, according to the National Geographic Society.

And here's a Christmas story, perhaps Jim Windham will think about it this Christmas eve. It seems the 257th went out on Christmas Eve 1944 and got 31 Jerries to put it over the 800-destroyed mark in less than 10 months. That was the day the Eighth put up 2,000 bombers and 1,000 fighters.

There was much rejoicing in the old Nissen huts that night—that Christmas Eve.

Yes, Jim Windham will remember those days and some of the gallant fellows he flew with—Boots, Anderson, Peterson, O'Brien, Foy, Yeager, Pierce, Browning, England, Simpson and many, many more.

Yes, Windham flew in the same squadron with Chuck Yeager, now Major Yeager if you please, who has flown faster than sound and was pictured on the front of Time Magazine.

How do we know all this about Windham and his fellow fliers? Well, you see, we rode a typewriter with his boys and it was quite a job to keep score for them. We were their Press Relations officer. But don't call us a "publicity" man.

Those fliers don't like that term. And so perhaps you have seen Jim Windham in Midland and didn't know it. He would probably strike you as just a cattleman and had seen nothing much of the world.

But let's see—we imagine Jim Windham has been to Berlin more times than he has to New York or even Dallas. We would say Fort Worth, but Jim's a rancher and he might have been to Cowtown more times than Berlin, maybe.

**PIPE LINE GOES TO SEA**  
An ocean-going natural gas pipeline 10 miles long is planned to connect off-shore wells in the Gulf of Mexico with transmission facilities on shore. The line, using eight and five-eighths inch pipe, will be laid at a depth of 36 feet. It will have a delivery capacity of 30 million cubic feet of gas.

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## By Littlejohn Junior High Class To Present Play

The Eighth Grade Dramatics Club of John M. Cowden Junior High will present a three-act play, "The Perils of Prudy," Thursday in the school's auditorium. Performances are scheduled at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

"The Perils of Prudy" is a comedy. The cast includes: Prudy, a radio fan, Retta Hazlip; Selma, her older sister, Margie Miller; Mrs. Allen, their mother, Ann Burnside; Patch, a pal, Lee McCallum; Albert, a pesky cousin, John Scott; Mrs. Fehlan, a visitor, Peggy Tidwell; Jack, her grandson, Michael Flood; Beth, friend of Prudy's, Diane Nichols; Eddie, another friend, Addison Young; Singing Sade, a jewel thief, Carol Ann Wilkinson; Aunt Prudence, a late-comer, Penny Jones.

**The Story**  
The story involves the adventures of Prudy Allen, who after hearing numerous crime programs on the radio, suspects every one of being a criminal. Prudy and her friend, Patch, work hard trying to prove an innocent woman and her grandson are guilty of being jewel thieves. It is soon discovered that there really is a jewel thief in the house.

The public is invited to the evening performance. Admission prices are 20 cents for students and 30 cents for adults.

## Midland Doctor Made Fellow

Dr. Milton J. Loring, Midland eye-ear-nose-and-throat specialist, received notice Saturday he had been accepted as a fellow in the American Academy of Otolaryngology and Ophthalmology.

Dr. Loring received his fellowship along with Dr. Rex Green, former Midland physician now practicing in Amarillo.

The fellowships were awarded after written and oral examinations given by the organization which is composed of some 4,000 doctors.

## Former Midlander Visits Office Here

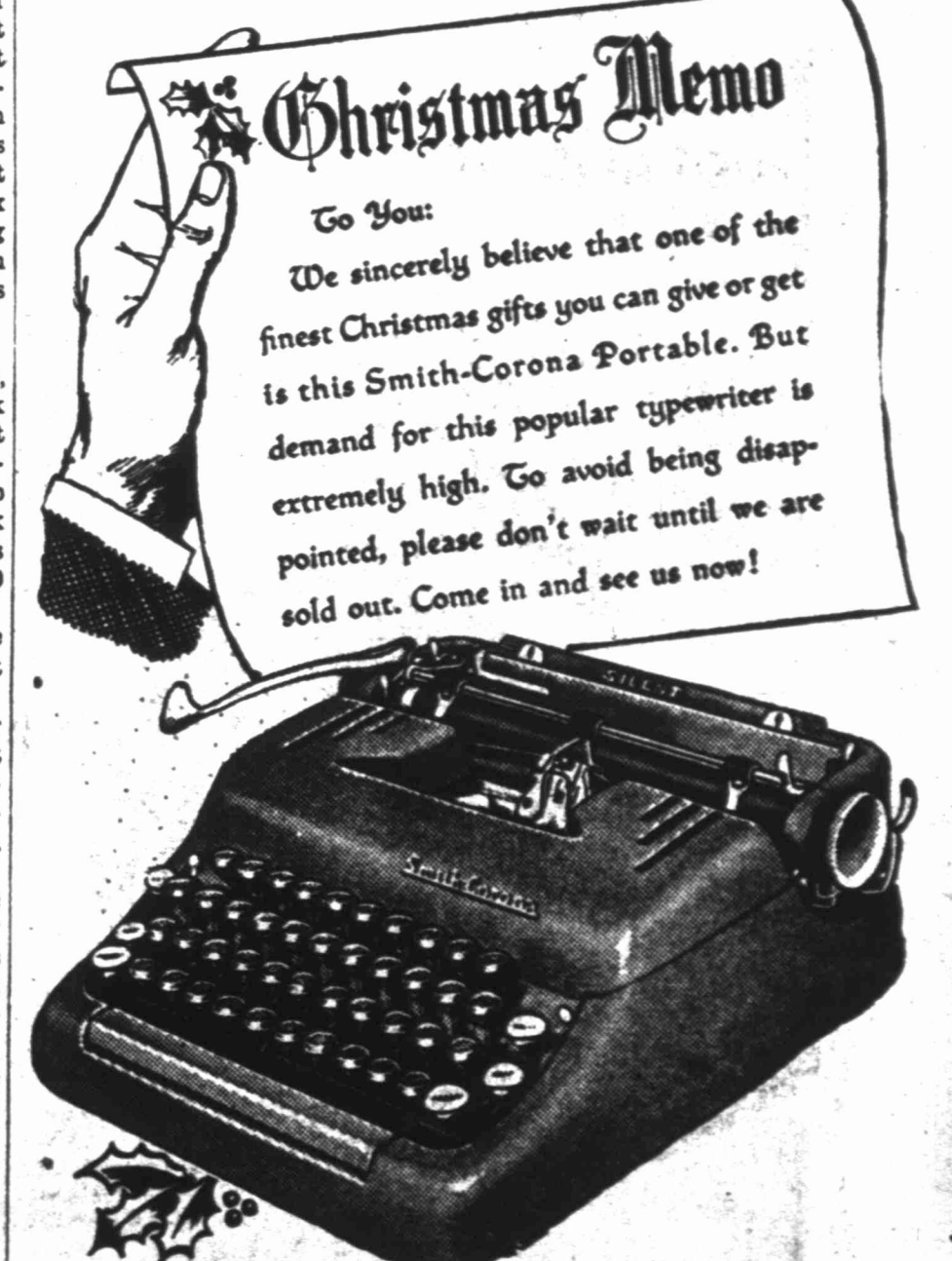
Jackson W. Barton of Tulsa, chief geologist of Deep Rock Oil Corporation was a visitor to that concern's division office in Midland last week.

Barton is a former Midlander. He left here about four years ago and went to Wichita, Kans., as an executive in the geological department of the Cooperative Refinery Association.

He resigned from that organization a short time ago to take the position with Deep Rock.

While living in Midland Barton was a geologist on the staff of Magnolia Petroleum Company's district office.

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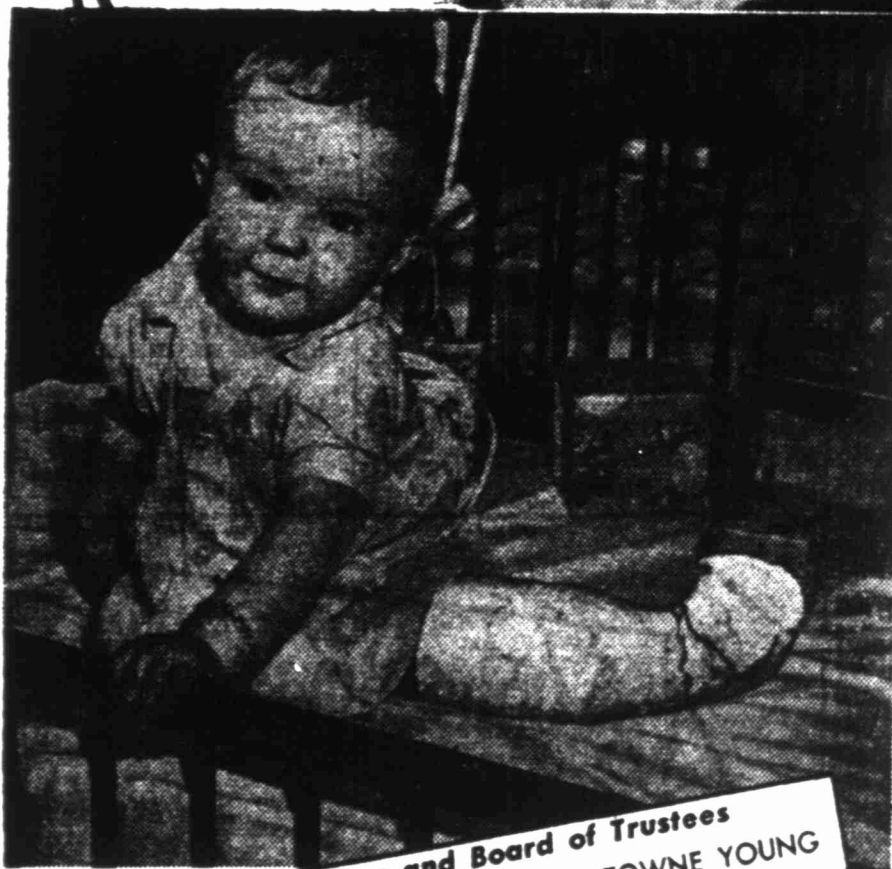
# "What if I were *your* little girl?"

**Y**ES, what if Joyce had been your little girl? She would have had the finest surgical care. Everything would have been done to give her the opportunities of normal childhood.

But Joyce, born with a deformed foot, did not have parents financially able to do that for her. Until she was six years old, it seemed

that she would never walk normally and would miss many of the opportunities of normal living.

Then a wonderful thing happened in Joyce's life. She was admitted to the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children. A whole new world opened up for her and a new life for her parents.



## THE SPIRIT OF LOVE

In time Joyce will walk normally... made possible because some one cared... because some one with the spirit of love in his heart contributed the money.

Thousands of Texas crippled children have been made whole and strong, have gone forth to become useful, self-supporting men and women since this hospital was founded 27 years ago.

## THIS YEAR MORE THAN EVER

In whatever county you live in Texas, near you is a crippled child helped by this hospital. Near you also is some mother praying that her crippled child will be admitted for treatment.

Every year more than 3,000 Texas children are born with some deformity, or fall prey to Polio. Many of these tragic cases are born to parents financially unable to pay for such treatment.

## SO WE ASK *You* TO HELP

You and other generous-hearted Texas men and women are asked to contribute to this work of rehabilitation of crippled chil-

dren. The hospital depends on your gifts to carry on its work. For not one penny is ever collected from the parents or guardians of our little patients.

## YOUR GIFT WILL HELP THREE

The gift you make will (1) mend broken bodies; (2) lift tragedy from some mother's and father's heart; (3) for you it will be an act of love that will abide all the days of your life.

## LOOK AT THIS RECORD

Since the hospital was founded 27 years ago, 16,721 crippled children have been admitted for treatment, and 73,537 clinical treatments have been administered. Not one penny has ever been paid by parents of these children. And less than one per cent of the children have come from the homes of Masons.

## LARGE OR SMALL *Your GIFT IS Needed*

Now at this season when we memorialize generosity and the spirit of love, won't you help? Whatever the amount of your gift, it will be welcome... and will help greatly.

Make an investment in childhood. In the spirit of Love.

Make it TODAY! NOW, while it is on your mind.

## TYPES of GIFTS

Gifts to the Hospital come under these five general classifications:

1. *Cash.* You may, at any time, and in any amount, make a gift of cash to the Hospital for its day to day financial needs.
2. *Memorials.* You may wish to memorialize some loved one by a gift to the Hospital. The occasion for such gifts usually is: a death, a birthday, or an anniversary. Both the names of the donor and that of the memorialized one are entered upon the Hospital's records.
3. *Life Insurance.* You may make your gift in the form of a life insurance policy, naming the Hospital as beneficiary. You may take out a new policy for this purpose, or, you may simply transfer an old policy to the Hospital as the new beneficiary.
4. *Bequests.* In your last will and testament, you could bequeath properties, stocks, bonds, or other assets as a bequest to the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children.
5. *Living Trusts.* You can, while you live, set up a living trust for the benefit of the Hospital, by the conveyance to the Hospital board, or to your bank or trust company, as trustee, such properties, monies, notes, stocks, bonds, and other assets as you may wish to set aside for that purpose. The trustee will administer the fund in strict compliance with the conditions set forth in your trust agreement.

*Your gift keeps giving forever—giving keeps you living forever.*

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Here is my check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ as my Christmas gift to the crippled children of Texas. I should like to have your Christmas booklet giving more details of the work you are doing.

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# King's Row

By LARRY KING

"Odessa Won't Play Midland," the headline ran on page one of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, Friday, December 15, 1950.

And so in four words, football faithful from both Midland and Odessa were informed that a series that stretched for 27 years, unbroken, has come to an end.

The series is one that has been spiced with colorful crowds, pregame color and horse play, packed holiday stands and vigorous football.

But the series is dead. Killed. And the man who killed it—without a thought of the fans—is Odessa's Coach Joe Coleman.

Strange that a man who has done so much for West Texas football should, with one final sweep of a hand and a negative shake of the head, bring to an end this long and honored series between two natural rivals and thus actually hurt the game of football as far as West Texas is concerned.

Coleman has turned out some fine teams at Odessa. The 1948 state champions—the 1947 near-champions. Several district title winners. He always has been regarded as a man who knows his football, and a man fair to the football-minded public.

But Coleman hasn't helped himself in the estimation of the dear hearts and gentle people who live in my home town—or in a town west of here either, will wager.

Despite the fact that Midland has taken 10 straight losses from the Odessa teams, fans still come in droves when the two teams meet. Some 13,000 fans—the largest ever to view a game in Midland—looked in on the 25-12 Odessa win over Midland this year.

They came from the entire West Texas area—Andrews, Seminole, Kermit, Wink, McCamey, Stanton, La Mesa, Lubbock, Big Spring—all to see the clash of these two rivals who have thrilled football fans over a long unbroken span.

And Odessa always has a fine turnout when Midland plays in the Broncho city. The Odessa fans love to see the clashes—nowhere will a more colorful game be found, than when East meets West—Midland vs. Odessa.

Frank Monroe and Tugboat Jones tried in vain to schedule the Odessa school. But Coleman said no. It couldn't be for financial reasons—the game always does well at the gate. And Coleman told why he is killing the series: "We would have nothing to gain and everything to lose by playing Midland since Midland now is in a lower classification," he said.

We don't want to seem unfair or unjust and give the impression that we are riding Joe because he is from Odessa. We are liked because Coleman didn't consider his own fans as well as Midland fans. The faithful followers of the game deserve to have "their" game.

When Midland moves up to AAAA ball in 1952, it will again meet Odessa. But not in 1951. It just won't seem like a football season, somehow.

As great as Kermit's Rick Spinks is offensively, he impressed us more with his defensive play Friday

against Arlington in the tilt played in Abilene.

Spinks made one play that we have never seen equalled—and several football "old-timers" told us the same thing, including Texas Western Coach Mike Brumbelow and former Midland mentor Bud Taylor.

In the fourth quarter, Arlington completed a short pass to Rusty Gunn. Spinks hit Gunn around the middle as he caught the ball, so Gunn lobbed the ball behind him to Charles Marshall—but Spinks boomed over to Marshall, arrived there at almost the same time the lateral did and bulldozed him down—and the play lost three yards. Two tackles in one play—it was something to see. And so was Spinks and his Yellow Jacket mates.

How much will they beat Wharton?

Arlington was on the short end of the score when the game with Kermit was over for the first time in 26 games, extending back to the last game of the 1948 season.

In their last 26 games, the Colts had not been outscored. They had three tie scores in the chain, losing on penetrations to Garland last season in a bi-district clash after the game ended 6-6.

DOTS AND DASHES: Reports say the high-scoring Rotary Engineers of Midland want to arrange a date to play the Phillips 66 Oilers here . . . That's Bob Kurland and company . . . The Rotary team has contacted the Oilers but thus far nothing has been decided . . . Midland cagers see action Tuesday night, playing in Brownfield . . . The following night they journey to Pecos for a pair of games . . . Mike Brumbelow, Texas Western Coach, taking a look at area football players on a swing through here . . . Mike tells us the Border Conference may play freshmen in varsity competition next fall . . . That may be the case everywhere, with the national situation as is . . . No Bronco bustin' in '51 . . . End of the series, and End of this Row!

Stanton Buffs Nip Courtney 31 To 28

STANTON — Coach Leo Field's Stanton Buffs opened their 1950-51 basketball season here Friday night, nipping Courtney 31-28. The Buff hoopers had worked out but four times prior to the contest.

Kenneth Hudson led the Stanton team, tipping in six field goals for a total of 12 points. Earl Koonce tossed 10 points through for runner up honors. Walraben led the visitors with 11 points.

Courtney got off to a 7-3 first quarter lead over the unseasoned Buffs and held a 17-13 halftime lead. The Courtney five led 25-22 at the end of the third quarter, but Stanton tallied nine points in the last quarter while giving up three points to salvage the game.

The Buffs, members of District 23-B in basketball, compiled a 26-4 record last season and the entire quintet returns this year.

The box score:

Stanton (31)	Fg	Ft	Ft P
Gibson	2	1	5
E. Koonce	3	4	10
McClain	2	0	4
Henson	6	0	12
Fisher	0	0	4
Huffman	0	0	0
G. Koonce	0	0	0
Totals	13	5	17 31

Courtney (28)	Fg	Ft	Ft P
H. Hull	1	0	2
Holcomb	0	1	3
R. Hull	4	1	9
Walraben	5	1	11
Yester	2	0	5
Glaskin	0	1	1
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HOME FOR WEEKEND

Priv. Johnnie Joe Patterson and Donald Pyle are spending the weekend in Midland visiting their parents. They are in the U. S. Air Force and are stationed at Sheppard Air Force Base near Wichita Falls.

GIANT TREE

It has been estimated that the volume of the "General Sherman," a Sequoia tree reputed to be the world's largest living thing, exceeds 600,000 board feet. The tree stands 273 feet tall and has a base diameter of 37 feet.

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A BOUNCER AND TWO POUNCERS—About to surround a loose ball, City College of New York's Ed Roman, left, and Brigham Young's Joe Richie look more as if they're chasing a hat in the wind than playing a thrilling basketball game at Madison Square Garden. Al Roth has his eye on the same thing. The home team staved off a rally to edge the Cougars, 71-69.

## Sports

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### Port Arthur High School Coach Asks For Ohio State Job

COLUMBUS, OHIO — (AP) — Ohio State University's search for a new head football coach to succeed resigned Wesley Fesler was on in earnest Saturday.

President Howard L. Bevis told a capacity audience Friday night at the annual football appreciation dinner.

"We'll look over the entire field, in and out of the university, and we'll hire the best man we can find. We'll try to find a genius—a man who never makes the same mistake once."

Athletic Director Dick Larking declared: "The search for a successor to Fesler will be conducted with all the dignity of a great university."

Fesler, in bidding farewell to his 1950 squad, paid high tribute to the university officials for their four-year cooperation, and urged: "Please allow my successor to be a coach whose ideals go further than just winning football games. We must not forget that football is a game, played by kids, and for fun."

To date, three coaches have applied formally for the job. They are Nick Wasylyk, former OSU quarterback now assistant coach at Colgate; Warren Gaer, coach at Drake University, and John Tomlin, Texas, who has lost only two of his last 44 games.

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NASHVILLE, TENN. — (AP) — Kentucky Coach Paul (Bear) Bryant's conference with the University of Minnesota officials is the tipoff in the opinion of Nashville Tennessee sports writer F. M. Williams, that the Wildcat mentor soon will end his coaching career at Lexington, Ky.

"To close friends of the Bear," Williams wrote Saturday, "that was the climax in a long chain of negotiations that started between Minnesota and Bryant shortly after (Bernie) Bierman's resignation."

Williams cited as "known" facts: That Oklahoma Coach Bud Wilkinson was Minnesota's first choice but turned it down because he could not amicably sever what is termed "the finest football contract in the nation" with the Sooners.

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### Rams Authorized To Play In Bowl

DALLAS — (AP) — The Pioneer Conference Saturday authorized San Angelo Junior College, the conference champion, to play in the Oleander football bowl game at Galveston January 1.

Approval by conference directors was necessary under conference rule.

The conference also awarded the championship formally to San Angelo, set the conference track and field meet for May 11-12 at Tarleton State, Stephenville, and postponed until the Spring meeting.

It Says Here Little Boys Benefitted

By WILBUR MARTIN

Associated Press Staff

The Intercollegiate League had to do something to equalize competition, but the real benefactors of the new high school sports program are the little schools of Texas.

Under the new plan, most schools now classed as Class B will be in Class A next year and will play to their own state football championship.

What the new classifications—AAAA, AAA, AA, A, B and Six-Man—do is give every school a chance to compete with others its size.

Class B schools now play only to regional titles, as do Six-Man teams. Class AA and A play to state championships, and so does the City Conference.

Most schools will advance one or two notches in classifications. For instance, of the 16 teams in the playoff of Class A this year, only four will be classed as A schools next season. The remainder will be in Class AA.

The top bracket of course matches the really big schools—those with 850 enrollment or more. Teams like Amarillo, Wichita Falls, Austin, and Lubbock.

No Doubt Of Playoff

There's not much doubt that a championship playoff will be voted between AAAA and AAA. The winner of this can rightly lay claim to the title "State High School Champion."

Shaking up its classification was not the only change the Intercollegiate League decided to make for next year.

At its Spring meeting, the League decided to up the eligibility age to 19 years, with certain provisions.

These say a boy or girl will be allowed to compete if they have not reached their nineteenth birthday on the first day of September before a contest and they have not finished the tenth consecutive semester after first enrollment in the eighth grade.

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## Bulldog Varsity To Be Honored With Banquet By Boosters

The Midland Booster Club will present the "A" squad football boys with a banquet at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school cafeteria, according to Russell Cotton, president. A crowd of approximately 300 is expected to attend. Those included on the guest list will be the football boys and their dates, the school board members and wives, the superintendent and wife, the high school principals and wives, the high school coaches and wives, and other guests coming under the classification of Midland football fans.

"The program will be designed for entertainment," Cotton said. One of the featured attractions will be a short skit written by Delbert Downing and presented by students from Miss Verna Harris' speech class. The skit will depict the different types of people who go to football games, as well as some impersonations.

## New District 5-A Forms Organization

**MCCAMEY**—Representatives from all schools in the newly-formed District 5-A football circuit met here recently to reorganize and appoint committee heads for the district.

Principal J. B. Huckaby of Fort Stockton was named chairman, and Edwin R. Sharp, McCamey principal, was elected secretary.

The committee levied a fee of \$10 for district trophies, approved a commissioner for referees, set a standard admission for all district games and agreed that all net game receipts will be split.

Schools representing District 5-A under the new setup are McCamey, Big Lake, Iraan, Crane, Wink, Fort Stockton, Marfa and Alpine.



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## Rotary Clobbers Hale Motors 72-56

The Rotary Engineers evened an old score in the John M. Cowden Junior High gym Friday night, bombing the Bill Hale Motors five of Odessa, 72 to 56.

The Odessa quintet handed the Rotary team three pastings last season, and the Midlanders were bent on getting revenge. The contest was close and hard-fought for a quarter and a half, but Rotary moved away to a 36-25 lead at halftime and kept pouring it on in the latter stages.

Bennie Rutherford led the Rotary assault with 23 points, slamming 'em through the hoop from far and near. Rutherford now has tallied 99 points in four ball games. Leiland Huffman was runner-up for Midland, chalking up 18 points. Huffman's four-game total isn't bad either—80 points.

**Other Scorers**  
Oullina scored 14 points for Rotary. Tom Shaik and Charlie Kelly grabbed a lot of rebounds. Churchill led the Hale Motors hoopsters, with 16 points.

The box score:					
Rotary Engineers (72)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp	
Rutherford	11	1	0	23	
Cullins	6	2	3	14	
Shaik	1	3	3	5	
Huffman	7	4	3	18	
Haskins	2	3	6		
Salmon	1	0	1	2	
Mitchell	0	0	1	0	
Kelly	2	0	1	4	
Totals	30	12	15	72	
Hale Motors (56)	Fg	Ft	F	Tp	
Slack	1	2	1	4	
Roby	2	0	2	4	
Hill	3	0	4	6	
Mitchell	2	1	4	5	
Churchill	6	4	2	16	
Williams	4	0	0	8	
Ward	0	0	0	0	
Friday	2	3	3	7	
Tarrantine	0	0	1	0	
Elliott	3	0	0	8	
Totals	23	10	17	56	

## Dave Bannerman Gives Up Ensign Stripe For Bride

**ANNAPOLIS, MD.**—(AP)—Ex-Midshipman Dave Bannerman, five months short of an ensign's stripes, walked out of the shadow of the Naval Academy Saturday and into the arms of his pretty young bride.

Dave didn't leave of his own accord. The husky football star who couldn't be stopped by the Army football team was tripped up by a paragraph.

That paragraph, in Navy regulations, states simply a midshipman "found to be married shall be recommended for discharge."

The news leaked out last week that Bannerman and Monette J. Chaney, daughter of an Annapolis professor, were married last Saturday in Frederick, Md.

The academy took official cognizance of the report and recommended for discharge.

Professional golfers will have a 17-tournament winter tour beginning in Los Angeles Jan. 5 through the Masters in Augusta April 5-8.

## Kermit Overpowers Arlington, 21-12

**FAIR PARK STADIUM, ABILENE**—Center Don K. Brown, a strong Yellow Jacket line and the great Rick Spinks combined efforts here this cool mid-December Friday afternoon to lead Kermit High School past the Colts of Arlington in a Class A semi-final football battle, that ended 21 to 12 for Kermit.

The game had everything: intercepted passes, blocked punts, sparking broken field runs, savage line play and vicious tackling. It kept a crowd of 10,000 fans in a constant uproar as the tide of battle favored first the Yellow Jackets and then the Colts.

But despite the threats of Arlington speed merchants, Kermit had too much power and that accounted for the nine-point Yellow Jacket win. It was the powerful Kermit line that turned the tide of battle, ripping the Arlington forwards to shreds as the Kermit backs went twisting and churning through to roll up 286 yards rushing. And that same line bottled the Colts to a net gain of 67 yards on the ground. Arlington gained 113 yards, but lost 46 in futile attempts.

Brown had a field day. The 190-pound senior center speared an Arlington pass in the third quarter and raced 15 yards untouched for Kermit's second tally. And later in the same quarter the crashing line-backer raced through to block a punt by Arlington's Ray Glasgow, grab the ball in the air at the Colt 34-yard line and outdistance the pack to the goal-line to score the one that wrapped it up for the Yellow Jackets and sent the Kermit team into the state finals for the first time in history.

**The Rick Spinks Story**  
But as great as the Kermit line and Brown were, it was once again Rick Spinks that was the golden boy. Spinks rolled up 187 yards rushing in the course of the afternoon, scored one touchdown, kicked three extra points, punted nicely and was the outstanding defensive

GAME AT A GLANCE	KERMIT	ARLINGTON
First Downs	13	5
Yards Rushing	296	113
Lost Rushing	7	46
Net Rushing	289	67
Yards Passing	0	51
Passes Completed	0 of 4	5 of 12
Passes Intercepted	2	0
Fumbles	1	0
For 55	8 for 95	7 for 55
Punts, No. Avg.	4 for 33.5	6 for 37.5
Penetrations	3	4
Score by periods:		
Kermit	0-7-14-0—(21)	
Arlington	0-0-6-0—(12)	

back on the field. And when Spinks wasn't running wild, Fullback Wayne Culvahouse plugged and chugged through the Colt forwards for enough yardage to keep Kermit rolling.

Arlington cashed in on a break early in the game, falling on a fumble by Haygood at the Kermit 21-yard line. Kermit had been set back to its own five-yard line by a booming 68-yard punt off the toe of Glasgow. Spinks crashed for a first down at the 13-YL, then Haygood fumbled, the Colts took over. Rusty Gunn, a big gun for the Colts all day, drove for three and then burst up the middle for a touchdown on a 10-yard canter. His extra point attempt was wide to the left, and Arlington had a 6-0 lead with but three minutes of the game in history.

Kermit came back strong after Pat Haygood ran the kickoff back 31 yards to the Yellow Jacket 36. Kermit drove to the Colt 19-yard line before the attack stalled and Arlington took over at that point. A 24-yard dash by Culvahouse and a pair of 11-yard trips by Spinks highlighted the move.

**Jackets Tally**  
But Kermit stopped Arlington cold at mid-afternoon, 16 yards to tally after forcing the Green and White eleven to kick. Spinks made the big move in this one, bursting for 29 yards off tackle to the Colt 17-yard stripe on a run that could be classified as only plain brutal. He was almost stopped four times, but kept driving.

Culvahouse picked up six yards on the first play of the second quarter, then Spinks spun to the four-yard line. Spinks repeated to the one, then sliced over his own left side to tally. Spinks' kick was almost blocked, but wobbled through to put Kermit in front 7-6 at 2:10 of the second quarter.

Arlington made a serious bid to score late in the quarter, blocking a third-down, quick-kick attempt by Culvahouse at the 32-yard marker of Kermit. End Eugene Cook took the punt just as it left the toe of Culvahouse. After Gunn made two steps, Glasgow ran back to pass, found no receiver and raced 30 yards to the Kermit 10-yard line for a first down. But the Kermit line smacked the Colts down and gave up but two yards in four plays. Thus the Jackets took over at their own eight.

Kermit drove back to the mid-field stripe, and Spinks punted over the goal. Arlington tossed three passes, hitting one for a seven yard gain, as the half ended.

The Colts gambled early in the third quarter and lost. From the 18-yard line, Glasgow faded back to the goal and tossed a flat-sonic pass intended for Gunn. But Brown pounced on the pigskin and romped 15 yards for his first TD of the day. Spinks converted. Kermit, 14-6, Colts Camp Back.

Arlington came right back. Charles Marshall took Spinks' kick near his own goal-line, cut up the middle and turned in a beautiful 60-yard scamper to the Kermit 40 before he was brought down—and Kermit was penalized on down to its 25-yard



**BEATING THE ODDS**—Surrounded by Denver players, Al Bigos of Long Island University stretches to coax the ball through the basket at Madison Square Garden. The Blackbirds won in double-overtime, 58-56.

## WEST TEXAS STATE BOWS

**HUNTINGTON, W. VA.**—(AP)—Murray's Thoroughbreds won the first Marshall College Invitational Basketball tournament Friday night 52-44 over West Texas State. West Texas' sensational forward, Dwaine Stewart, was the top scorer with 20 points.

## Kermit Fans Pack Victory Special

**By LARRY KING**  
So you think Midland had the football fever this season. And you think Stanton was sold on its ball team. Friend, until you've seen the Kermit Yellow Jacket boosters, you actually "ain't seen nothin' yet."

More than 600 hardy souls in that little West Texas city were up hours ahead of old Sol Friday, preparing to catch the special train to Abilene to view the Kermit-Arlington Class A semi-final football clash. This included 200 band and pep squad members, and the rest were just plain fans.

The "Victory Special" as Kermit fans called it, was crowded to capacity. Yells of victory, the Kermit school song and football football, football—that's all you could hear.

In the baggage car a makeshift milk bar had been set up. Kermit High School youths did a booming business selling milk, coffee, cokes, candy bars and sandwiches. The "closed" sign was up at Big Spring—it had sold out.

A railroad official praised the Kermit group as "the best-mannered group of people I've seen." He was wearing a Kermit school ribbon with a small plastic football attached. "My home is Big Spring," he grinned, "but they asked me to wear a Kermit ribbon and I didn't dare refuse."

**Fans Parade**  
When the train reached Abilene, the fans followed the band down town in a pre-game parade that ended at the Windsor Hotel, site of the Kermit football team. Many Kermit cars with football slogans were waiting at the station. One Kermit school official estimated that 5,000 Kermit fans were present—and that from a town of 8,000 within the city limits!

So through the game the fans wore their maroon and gold hats and cheered to high heaven.

And was the train a bedlam of noise on the return trip Friday night, after Kermit had posted a 21-12 victory!

J. B. Thompson, former Kermit and TCW athlete, said the Kermit spirit is "higher than I have ever seen it—and it always has been good."

A pair of freshmen girls—Dixie Lee Gates and Dot Thompson—were "just too thrilled for words." "I just don't see how we can possibly lose now," trilled Dot. And Dixie said she thought the 1950 Kermit team is "the best team that ever was."

Results of the Wharton-New Braunfels game had not been heard when the train reached Midland Friday night. But Kermit fans were making arrangements to go to the Class A final anyway.

One Kermit business man voiced the opinion of the entire city of Kermit. "I won't go to the finals," he said, "that is, unless the team goes."

The team is going. It will meet Wharton.

Oldest rival still on the Penn State football schedule is the University of Pittsburgh, an opponent for the first time in 1893.

## Tris Speaker First To Be Enshrined In Texas Hall Of Fame

**DALLAS**—(AP)—Tris Speaker, the famed "Gray Eagle" of baseball's greatest moments, is coming home next month to receive the homage Texas has owed him for more than a quarter of a century.

Speaker, called the game's finest center fielder of all-time, will become the first athlete to be enshrined in the Texas Sports Hall of Fame.

The Hall of Fame, a project of the Texas Sports Writers Association, blooms January 11 with Speaker the guest of a dinner in Dallas at which he will be honored for bringing lasting fame and honor to his state.

It is difficult to get into the Texas Hall of Fame; it requires an almost unanimous vote of the association membership to make it. But Speaker, the great, went in by a landslide. Today, the man who was Texas' first famous baseball player is employed by the Cleveland Indians, who he managed to the World Series championship in 1920. But in the off-season he still lives in his home town, Hubbard City, in Central Texas.

The big dinner here will be given at the Dallas Athletic Club. It will be while many famous names in sport are in Dallas for the National Collegiate Athletic Association Convention. There will be a great gallery of sport greats present when Tris receives his reward.

Speaker already is a member of Baseball's Hall of Fame.

Tris got his start in baseball as a southpaw pitcher at Cleburne, when that town was in the Texas League in 1906. But Speaker couldn't get the batters out and the owners planned to release him. Ben Shelton, manager of the club, knew Speaker was a good hitter, however, so he persuaded the club owners to keep Tris and put him in the outfield.

The rest is history. He went to the big leagues where he played for 22 years and set records that stand today.

Before that, however, was the matter of \$400. Speaker was sold to the big leagues for an amount that wouldn't pay a month's salary for the average minor league player now.

Doak Roberts operated the Cleburne franchise. In the Winter of 1906 the North and South Texas League were merged and most of the Cleburne players were transferred to Houston. But Roberts retained an interest in their potential sale to higher company.

Speaker and George Whitman, a great outfielder, were among the Cleburne players going to Houston in 1907. The Boston Red Sox wanted Whitman but Roberts refused to sell unless Speaker also was taken. Boston wasn't impressed with Speaker but finally agreed to toss

in an extra \$400 for Tris. Roberts made the stipulation both were to have fair trials at the close of the 1907 season.

Speaker got into seven games with Boston but the following year was farmed to Little Rock. There he hit his stride and went back to the majors.

Also, there was the time Tris paid \$10 even to get into professional baseball. Roberts wanted to sign Speaker and was prepared to offer \$50 a month. Tris was playing town ball in Cleburne. Roberts got in his buggy and drove out to the game. He called Speaker over. Tris, in uniform and wearing spikes, climbed on the hub of the buggy to talk terms. Roberts saw new paint chip off under Speaker's feet and knew it would cost him some money to have it touched up. So he offered Tris \$40 a month and he accepted. Years later Roberts told Speaker how he was "fined" \$10 before he even got into baseball.

Speaker had one of the longest periods of service of any major league player. Although he played his last game in the late twenties, his name still dots the record books. In 1912, while with Boston, he was voted the American League's most valuable player.

His lifetime major league batting average was .344. He hit above .300 in 18 seasons. He led the American League in 1916 with .386.

Among the records Speaker holds or shares are:  
Most doubles—783.  
Most triples in World Series play—4 (shared with Bill Johnson, New York Yankees).

Most assists by outfielder in one season, American League—38 (set in 1909 and equaled in 1912; shared by Sam Merites, Chicago).  
He managed the Cleveland Indians seven seasons—from 1919 to 1926.

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**SKATERS' WALTZ**—When Rangers and Red Wings started whirling around on Madison Square Garden ice, even New York Goalie Chuck Rayner got into the act—with the result a score for Detroit. Clockwise from lower left, the players Allen Staley and Jack Evans of New York, Marty Pavelich of Detroit, Rayner and the Wings' Jimmy Peters. The Wings had something to dance about, humiliating the home club, 9-0.

## Wartime Eligibility Rules Return To SW Conference

DALLAS —(P)— Wartime eligibility rules for athletes returned to the Southwest Conference Saturday. The conference faculty committee tightened the rules allowing financial aid to athletes and sent a mysterious recommendation to the National Collegiate Athletic Association, declining to say what it contained but leaving these conjectures:

1. The conference suggested to the NCAA that it refrain from being a regulatory agency for its "sanity" code but to leave that up to the individual conferences.
2. The conference wants a rule put into code allowing an athlete to re-

ceive aid from the school without working for it.

The wartime or military service rule provides the eligibility of a college student is the same upon returning to school as it was at the time he entered the service.

If an athlete participates in sports, even at a college, while he is in a military service while attending that school, this does not count against him.

**Rule Not Returned**

The rule allowing freshmen to participate in varsity sports was not returned.

The financial aid rule was changed. Tuition and fees are allowed athletes now along with a job for which they work for their board and room while outside aid is prohibited and jobs except during the summer and school vacations must not pay more than the prevailing wage for such work in the community.

Gifts of money and other valuables are prohibited. The committee said excessive loans and excessive sureties for loans would not be countenanced.

Under the rule prohibiting professional sports, a change was made in reading to make it "professional activities." Eliminated entirely was the use of an athlete's name in commercial advertising.

The conference voted to hold a pre-season basketball tournament between Christmas and New Year's next year with the seven members and one outside team participating.

The annual track meet will be held at Texas A&M College May 11-12; the cross-country meet at Arkansas November 19, the golf tournament at Texas A&M May 11-12 and the tennis tournament at Texas May 11-12.

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## Cage Scores

**FRIDAY NIGHT**  
Washington 57, California 52.  
Louisville 60, Boston Hall 58.  
Murray (Ky) State 52, West Texas State 44.  
Princeton 50, Colgate 54.  
Penn State 61, Rhode Island State 55.  
Syracuse 65, John Carroll 63.  
Oklahoma City 60, Indiana State 58.  
Eastern Ky. 72, Dayton 66.  
Duke 66, VMI 66.  
Tulane 72, Mississippi 63.  
Wyoming 63, Colorado 61.  
USC 72, San Diego State 40.  
UCLA 71, Santa Clara 48.

## Ablene Christian Dominates All-Texas Conference Squad

ABILENE —(P)— Title-winning Abilene Christian dominated the 1960 All-Texas Conference team, gaining seven of the 23 berths.

Selections, including for the first time an offensive and a defensive unit, were announced at a banquet sponsored by the Abilene Exchange Club on the McMurry Campus Saturday night. Morley Jennings, Texas Tech athletic director, was the speaker. A. M. (Tony) Coleman, University of Florida freshman coach, was master of ceremonies.

Texas A&I, runner-up in the race, was a close second, in the number of selections, with six. Howard Payne had four; McMurry and Southwestern two each, and Austin, one. The coaches voted last week.

Most valuable player award for the third time in the four years it has been offered went to Brad Rowland, McMurry's halfback. Rowland also made the team for the fourth successive season.

It was the first time for a player to make the team for four seasons since the conference voted to sponsor the selection of an official honor eleven in 1935.

**Three Others Repeated**

Three other men repeated from 1949. End Pete Ragus of Abilene Christian College and Center Bill Scoggins of Howard Payne made the offensive team, and Back Floyd Sampson of McMurry was chosen on the defensive eleven.

For one of the few times in history, a freshman made the team. He is Jim Martin, 210-pound defensive guard for Texas A&I.

The all-conference teams:  
Offensive—James Kenneth Adkins, Southwestern, and Pete Ragus, Abilene Christian, ends; Lester Wheeler, Abilene Christian, and Preston Allison, Austin College, tackles; Bob Bailey, Abilene Christian, and Frank Schneider, Texas A&I, guards; Bill Scoggins, Howard Payne, center; quarterback, Curtis Davenport, Howard Payne; halfbacks, Kenneth Scholz, Texas A&I, and Brad Rowland, McMurry; fullback, Alton Green, Abilene Christian.

Defensive—Carleton Massey, Southwestern, and Stanley Staple, Abilene Christian, ends; Stuart Norton, Texas A&I, and Harry Howe, Abilene Christian, tackles; Jim Martin, Texas A&I, and Pete Ragus, Howard Payne, guards; Alton Sanders, Texas A&I, linebacker; Wallace Bullington, Abilene Christian, linebacker; Bill Henry, Howard Payne; A. J. Boese, Texas A&I, and Floyd Sampson, McMurry, backs.

## Baytown Conquers Conroe Eleven 27-6

HOUSTON —(P)— Halfback Tommy Brundrett scored three touchdowns and set up another with a 68-yard run Saturday in leading Baytown to a 27 to 6 victory over Conroe in the quarterfinal round of the state Class AA schoolboy football race.

Baytown meets Austin next week in a semi-final game.

Brundrett scored on wide sweeps from the eight and three in the first and second period to wipe out an early 6-0 Conroe lead. In the final period he plunged over from the one and broke over left tackle on the 68-yard scamper to the Conroe two from where Halfback Eugene Fayle scored.

End Bill Parsley took an eighty-yard pass from Quarterback Jesse Powell for the lone Conroe touchdown early in the first quarter.

A bad punt that went out of bounds on the Conroe 15 and a fumble recovery on the Conroe 30 led to the first two Baytown touchdowns.

Brundrett's first score came after a pass from Quarterback Gordon Kellogg to Bill Bryan to the three and a five-yard pass by Kellogg.

After the fumble recovery, it took Baytown three plays to move to the three and Brundrett streaked to the three and Brundrett took a fourth down pitchout to score.

A pass interception and an interference penalty figured in the third Baytown touchdown. Bob Stout returned the interception to the Conroe 42. On the next play, interference was called on the Conroe six on a pass. Brundrett scored on fourth down.

## Linderman World Champion Cowboy

FORT WORTH —(P)— Bill Linderman of Red Lodge, Mont., was announced by the Rodeo Cowboys Association Saturday as the world champion cowboy for 1960.

He won the title first in 1945. Linderman won out over the 1949 champion, Jim Shoulders of Tulsa, by 3,132 points.

Linderman had 30,715 points to 27,583 for Shoulders.

The Montana also was named world champion saddle bronc rider and world champion steer wrestler. Toots Mansfield of Big Spring, president of the RCA, won the title of world champion calf roping. This is the seventh year he has won the crown since 1959.

Other champions include: World champion bull rider, Harry Tompkins of Dublin, Texas, who held the title in 1948.

**BELL FRANCE WINS**

INGLEWOOD, CALIF. —(P)— Bill Prince won the \$50,000 Sunset Handicap Saturday before 32,800 fans at Hollywood Park. Postcetting Next Move, a filly, was a routing second and there was a photo for the show position. Great Circle got 14.



**ALL-AROUNDERS**—These performers may mean the difference between just a good season and a conference title to their respective teams. Denver's Sid Ryan took home all the honors in the Skyline Six last time. Oregon State's Danny Johnston, the question mark of the Pacific Coast Conference's Northern Division, burned up the floor at Compton, Calif., Junior College. Kansas State's Ed Head sticks out in the Big Seven.

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## Unidentified Assailant Attacks Coach Stiteler

HOUSTON —(P)— Police said Saturday they will ask Harry Stiteler, head football coach at Texas A&M, "to give us all the facts" about a beating given the grid-iron mentor here Friday night.

Stiteler, from his home in College Station, indicated unwillingness to talk.

"Someone, possibly mistaking me for somebody else, took a poke at me as I was getting out of a cab near the Shamrock and there's nothing serious about it," he said Saturday.

Stiteler added he did not recognize the man who beat him so badly his face was cut, bruised and swollen.

Assistant Police Chief A. C. Thornton apparently wasn't satisfied. He ordered an investigation.

"If Stiteler was actually beaten," said Thornton, "the police should know something about it. I want Stiteler to give us all the facts, including a description of his assailant, and perhaps some more information which has not been revealed."

The coach apparently wasn't badly hurt. He cancelled an engagement to speak Monday night at a Brownwood football banquet.

Stiteler's version differed from that of Frank S. Gettle, Jr., a garage attendant at the Shamrock Hotel. Gettle said he saw Stiteler get out of a station wagon at the garage.

"He picked up a suitcase and started to walk toward Main Street," Gettle continued. "A man dressed in a tuxedo got out of the station wagon and whistled."

"Stiteler returned and the pair seemed to exchange some words. I couldn't hear what they said, but I know they were talking. There was no fight."

Gettle said Stiteler then asked him directions to the men's room. Another attendant said Stiteler washed his face in the men's room.

## Maroons Overpower Harlingen 35 To 0

AUSTIN —(P)— Austin's rugged Maroons overpowered Harlingen's gallant Cardinals 35-0 Saturday to move into the Class AA schoolboy semifinals.

Behind a line that averaged more than 20 pounds per man heavier than the opposition, Austin rolled to a touchdown two and a half minutes deep in the first quarter, then toyed with the smaller Valley boys the rest of the game.

The closest the Cardinals came to scoring was a drive to the Austin 25, late in the third. A touchdown pass was nullified by a penalty.

Tailback Durwood Watkins of Austin passed for one touchdown and scored two others, one on a 67-yard end run that was the game's longest offensive maneuver.

Watkins scored the second Maroon tally with a 12-yard jaunt around end. Late in the first half, Austin End Jackie Ludwig took a payoff toss from Watkins, the pass and run covering 44 yards.

Scoring plays in the erratic second half were Watkins' 67-yard run and a 33-yard pass from reserve Back Roy Beatty to substitute End Jerry Mann.

## Mack Is Puzzled By Chandler Ouster

PHILADELPHIA —(P)— Connie Mack, the retired baseball manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, said Saturday he can't understand why A. B. "Happy" Chandler was fired as major league commissioner.

The president of the A's, 68 next Saturday, said:

"Mr. Chandler has done a great job as commissioner of baseball. His accomplishments have been many. Frankly, I feel sorry for Mr. Chandler."

Major league owners notified Chandler early last week they were not renewing his contract when it expires May 1, 1962.

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## Wichita Falls Gains Semi-Finals In 31-20 Defeat Of Lubbock

LUBBOCK —(P)— The Wichita Falls Coyotes roared into the semi-finals of Class AA schoolboy football Saturday, whipping Lubbock 31-20 on the long runs of Jim Self, who skipped 67 and 66 yards for touchdowns. Ed Beach made the other three.

Lubbock punted twice. The first time Self ran it back 67 yards for a score. The next time Kermit Cummings blocked the kick and Bill Land recovered on the Lubbock 20 to set up another touchdown.

Lubbock was in the game until the final period when the score was 26-20. But the enraged Coyotes stormed 66 yards in 11 plays for the touchdown that broke the Westerners' backs.

Beach made the first Wichita Falls touchdown in the first period on a five-yard run around right end. Then came Self's long sprint with a punt in the second quarter.

In the third period Beach spun around left end six yards for the third touchdown and Self dashed 66 yards over right tackle for the fourth while Beach got the final counter on a four-yard run around right end.

**Taylor Makes Two**

Mack Taylor made two of the Lubbock touchdowns, one on a one-yard blast at center and the other on a 19-yard run over right tackle. Buddy Hill got the third Westerner score on a four-yard plunge.

Claude Williams kicked the extra point for Wichita Falls. Jack Welton made two for Lubbock.

Wichita Falls led in first downs with 19 to 17 for Lubbock and romped to 315 yards on the ground compared to 244. The Coyotes tried only three passes, completing one for three yards. Lubbock completed four of 11 passes for 51 yards. Wichita Falls didn't have to punt a single time.

Wichita Falls and Highland Park will play in Dallas this weekend.

## Schoolboy Grid Results

**HIGH SCHOOL**  
(Class A semi-finals)  
Kermit 21, Arlington 12.  
Wharton 28, New Braunfels 12.  
  
(Class AA quarter-finals)  
Wichita Falls 31, Lubbock 20.  
Highland Park 13, Breckenridge 0.  
Baytown 27, Conroe 6.  
Austin 35, Harlingen 0.

## Vernon Voled Into District 1-AAA

Vernon High School was voted into District 1-AAA Saturday at a meeting of the newly-organized district officials held in Lubbock. The Vernon officials stated they wanted to compete in 1-AAA rather than 2-AAA to which the school had been assigned, because more West Texas teams are in the 1-AAA group.

The Lions previously had participated in 2-AA, with Childress, Wichita Falls and Quanah, before the Interscholastic League made a drastic revision.

Addition of Vernon gives the loop four members and insures each school in the district a Thanksgiving Day game.

Schedules also were drawn up by conference members at the meeting. The Midland schedule will be announced at a later date, when non-conference foes have been added.

Supt. Frank Monroe and Coaches Tugboat Jones, Red Rutledge and Audrey Gill represented Midland at the meeting.

## Kermit, Wharton Officials To Meet

WHARTON —(P)— Officials of Wharton and Kermit High Schools meet in Brady Sunday to determine the site and date for the state Class A schoolboy football championship game between the two schools.

Wharton Coach Harned Mangum said the game probably will be played Saturday at Fort Worth, Waco, Austin or San Antonio.

## Manhattan Nudges Longhorns 47-46

NEW YORK —(P)— Jim Garvey, fouled by Luther Scarborough just as the final whistle was blown, made good his free throw to give Manhattan a 47-46 victory over Texas Saturday night at Madison Square Garden.

The inexperienced and outmanned Longhorns, trailing most of the way in the second half, staged a last minute rally to knot the game at 46-46. With seconds remaining, George Scolding carried the ball down court for Texas and passed to Scarborough. Scarborough accidentally pushed his opponent off as the whistle ended the game. The loss was Texas' fourth against two victories.

## McCamey News

MCCAMEY —Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibbs have returned from a vacation in Iowa.

Mrs. Flora Alexander is in a San Angelo hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. A. L. Ohlenburg, Mrs. H. H. Qualls and Mrs. Guy Burton and daughter Kristi visited in San Angelo recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burton and daughter Sherrill of Alpine visited in the H. H. Qualls home recently.

Jimmy C. Hayes, an employee of Dowell Chemical Company, was recently transferred to Post.

Mrs. I. L. Edwards has returned from a vacation with relatives in Rising Star.

At a recent meeting the Rebekah Lodge elected officers for 1961. New officers are Lois Fussell, noble grand; Era Keneaster, vice grand; Faye Proctor, secretary; Sarah Tipton, treasurer, and Clydene Wolf- rum, lodge deputy.

**Child Injured**  
Mary Catherine Barnett, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Barnett, is reported in fair condition in a San Angelo hospital. She was injured in an accident recently.

Supt. H. E. Stoker announces that McCamey schools will turn out for the Christmas holidays Thursday. Classes will resume January 2.

John O'Callaghan, who was injured in a hunting accident recently, is reported recovering satisfactorily in the McCamey hospital.

The McCamey City Hall received a face-lifting recently with the planting of shrubbery about the building. The City Council has instructed City Secretary Bob Davis to secure the lettering "City of McCamey" to be placed over the main door to the City Hall.

City Engineer Jim Wilson said the new 250,000-gallon overhead water storage tank should be ready for operation by January 1.

A. C. Dunn and Eugene Welty, both employees of Noble Drilling Company, were injured slightly in a recent car accident.

The biggest windmill in the world, producing electricity experimentally, is on "Grandpa's Knob", a peak of the Vermont mountains.



**SALES MANAGER**—Wayland W. Beene, of Midland has been named district traffic and sales manager for Pioneer Air Lines in the Midland-Odessa-Big Spring-Sweetwater area. A native of Roby, Beene Joined Pioneer in June, 1948, as a transportation agent in the Midland station. During World War II, he served with the U. S. Navy in the Pacific.

## Legislative Council Urges Coordination Of Education Setup

AUSTIN —(P)— Coordination of the state's public higher education system through an appointive nine-member board has been recommended by the Texas Legislative Council.

As the cornerstone of a program recommended to give Texans more work for their dollar, the new board would work to eliminate duplication of college training.

The council's recommendations were released Saturday. These deal with the major problems of negro education and the role of junior colleges plus the general problem of coordination.

The council stressed its recommendations are not final. Comments were invited.

The council's study committee on higher education will meet with advisory members here January 4-6 for a review. The final report for the Legislature will be voted January 8. The Legislature meets next day.

**Law Is Adopted**

The council advocated a law that no program or degree be added by any college if these were not in existence Oct. 1, 1960. Approval of the board would be needed for additions.

The nine members of the board of the system of higher education would be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Senate.

Other statutory powers requested would provide:

"That the board present an integrated program budget of higher education and coordinate the presentation of budgets with recommendations to the Legislature."

That the board study the higher education system and present a coordinated program to the Legislature, which will establish the role of each institution.

That the board develop, with the schools, standards for degrees and faculty.

That the board have the power to instruct the state comptroller to stop payments to any school violating limitations.

## Sugar Ray Robinson Wins 10-Round Match

GENEVA —(P)— Welterweight champion Ray Robinson defeated Jean Waldeck of France on points in a 10-round match here Saturday night.

Waldeck, who also lasted 10 rounds with Robinson in St. Louis last February, took fearful punishment from the Harlem boxer.

Waldeck went down for a nine count in the ninth round, then hit the floor for five in the 10th round.

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## Emergency—

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to him authority given Truman in the Defense Production Act of 1950, which delegated wage-price controls and other sweeping power to fight inflation and put the nation on a semi-war footing.

The proclamation of an emergency was accompanied by a lengthy list of laws conveying special powers to the executive which the White House said became effective automatically.

These included authority to lengthen work hours under U. S. contracts, requisition ships, and waive competitive bids on defense contracts.

But many of the laws listed merely reassured powers which Truman already had been given under other legislation.

The proclamation itself was a call to American loyalty in time of "a grave threat to the peace of the world" and danger to this country.

Senator Byrd (D-Va.) said the President did not exaggerate the perils confronting America. Byrd added the President has had for months the authority to do the things he suggests now.

Byrd Gratified

"I was particularly gratified," the Virginian said, "that for the first time the President recognizes that a drastic reduction in the present non-defense spending is an essential part of our security program."

"We should reduce, by not less than \$4,000,000,000, non-defense spending, x x x"

"I trust the budget to be submitted to Congress in January will prove the sincerity of his statement Friday night."

Friday night Truman pictured the beginning of a new life of austerity ahead of Americans—longer work hours, partial wage and price controls, cutbacks in civilian production, much higher taxes.

Saturday he called them to action. He said:

"I summon all citizens to make a united effort for the security and well-being of our beloved country—"

"To place its needs foremost in thought and action x x x"

"Our farmers, our workers in industry, and our businessmen to make a mighty production effort x x x to subordinate all lesser interests to the common good . . ."

"Every person and every community to make, with a spirit of neighborliness, whatever sacrifices are necessary for the welfare of the nation . . ."

"All citizens to be loyal to the principles upon which our nation is founded x x x firm in our devotion to the peaceful purposes for which the United Nations was founded."

He reminded them of "the full and rich life" they would forfeit if the communists won out. He cited freedom of worship, of reading and listening, of free speech and "the right to criticize their government;" of collective bargaining, and the right to run business enterprises.

At mid-day Truman boarded his yacht Williamsburg for an overnight cruise.

As he sees fit

Wilson's authority will extend to abolishing, setting up and reshaping defense agencies as he sees fit.

Officials, however, expected him to defer such changes, if any, until he has tackled the job of fighting inflation.

The presidential speech announced mandatory ceilings very soon in a number of defense production and cost of living items. The law requires that wage stabilization accompany such action. It was expected that besides autos, steel and copper industries would be among the first controlled. The possibility of food price controls has been mentioned.

These ceilings will be supplemented by suggested price-wage schedules in industries where mandatory controls are not imposed. However, the President said violations of these non-compulsory ceilings would bring on mandatory orders, and possible rollbacks.

The White House said the proclamation revived a number of emergency powers concerning which Congress declared on July 15, 1947, the end of national emergencies then existing.

Several of these involve the government's right, in an emergency, to take over control of airports or other property leased or deeded to cities and others.

Another of the powers which the White House said is revived by the proclamation is authority to close or take over any broadcasting station, or to suspend or amend regulations of the Federal Communications Commission regarding an station.

Other powers listed as being revived include:

Transfer of U. S. shipping to foreign ownership or registry, without prior approval of the maritime commission, becomes unlawful.

The President may suspend the eight-hour law regarding work done under contracts with the U. S. He must provide payment or over-time.

The President may suspend the law regarding wage rates on public building construction.

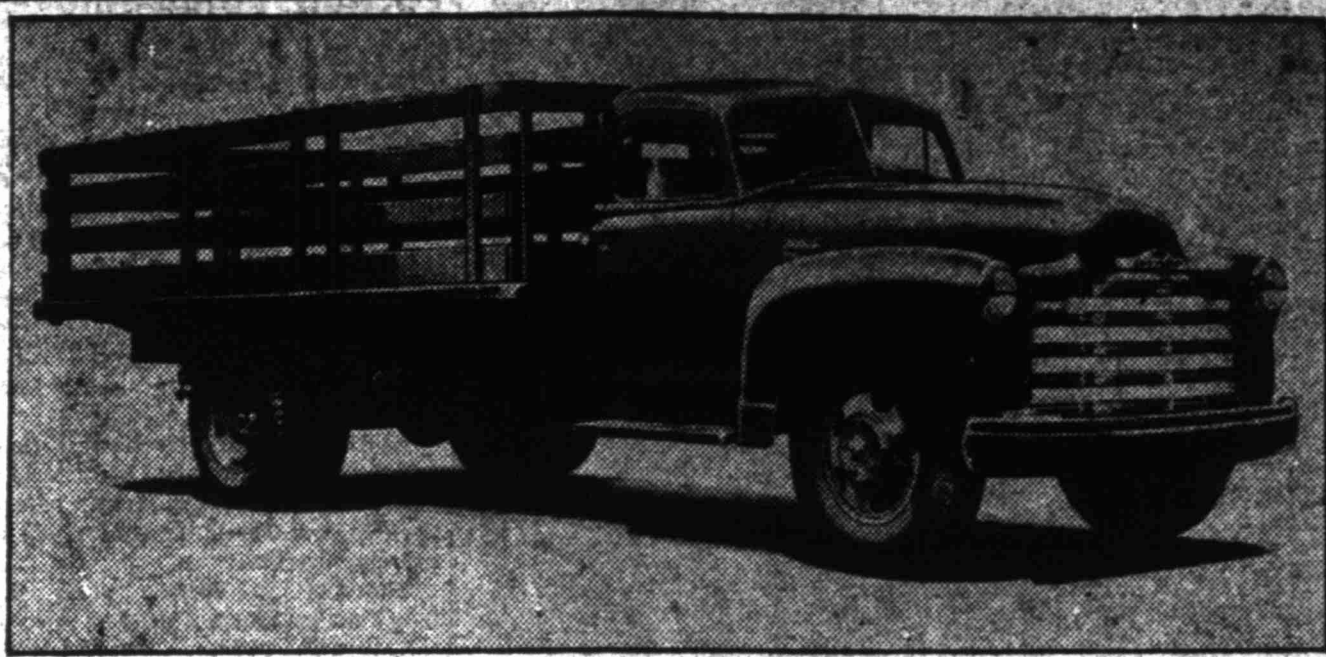
Broken Auto Glass Will Be Replaced

ABILENE —(P)—Abilene business men and the Chamber of Commerce are going to pay for auto windows broken by vandals at the Arlington-Kernit football game Friday.

Window glasses of an estimated 20 out-of-town cars were smashed during the Class A semi-finals game. Most belonged to Kernit fans.

Charlie Green, Kernit Chamber of Commerce manager, was authorized to see Kernit fans who had the broken windows, and have the glass replaced at Abilene's expense.

Read The Classifieds



1951 CHEVROLET TRUCKS—Typical of the improved 1951 Chevrolet trucks is this heavy-duty stake model (Series 6409). Newly-designed "twin action" brakes on rear wheels assure increased braking efficiency and longer life. Many other improvements are featured in the new models, on display at the Elder Chevrolet Company here.

## 'Go To Church' Program Launched By Junior Chamber

The Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce is completing plans for its all-out "Go To Church" project, which is a major function of its Christmas activities program, Chairman James Mims announced Saturday.

He said an intensive campaign to fill every church in the city to the point of overflowing next Sunday, Christmas eve, will be made this week.

A similar program last year was most effective, and this year it is expected to be even more popular, the project chairman stated.

"Pack The Pews"

"Keep Christ in Christmas—At Church Sunday" the JayCees urged. "Pack The Pews" is the slogan.

The Midland Ministerial Association is cooperating in the movement. Mims said four members of the association have prepared special Christmas articles for publication in The Reporter-Telegram on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Sunday.

The authors are the Rev. F. W. Rogers, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; the Rev. W. R. Mann, Presbyterian minister; the Rev. Gilbert Becker, pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church, and the Rev. Clyde Lindsey, pastor of the First Christian Church.

Shoppers—

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from the opening time until closing and observers estimated a record volume of business, although no figures readily were available.

This same activity was reflected in retail store business.

"We thought last Saturday would be our biggest day," said the manager of one department store. "We had a record business then."

"But Saturday will be even bigger."

Managers of other stores in Midland expressed the same belief, although it will be early in the week before any figures will be available.

Most stores planned a busy weekend of preparation for the final Christmas shopping week.

Stores will open and close at the regular time this week, with the exception of Thursday, when Saturday closing hours will be observed.

Cold Covers East Half Of Country

CHICAGO —(P)—Cold weather covered the Eastern half of the country Saturday while snowfall up to 12 inches marled traffic in the Northeast.

Below zero temperature readings were common in the Dakotas, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Northern Iowa and Illinois. Grantsburg, Wis., reported 23 degrees below zero.

Snow blanketed upper New York State, the Northern and Eastern Great Lakes region and from the upper Ohio Valley eastward into New England.

Fair and comparatively mild weather prevailed over the West.

Legion Christmas Dance Well-Attended

Lee Powers Sextet provided the music Saturday night when Woods W. Lynch Post 49 of the American Legion held its Christmas Dance in the Legion Hall.

The dance, which was for members and their wives and dates only, was well attended.

A Christmas party, primarily for Legionnaires' children, will be held in the Legion Hall at 8 p.m. Monday. The dance and party replace the monthly Family Night for December.

Levelland Youth Dies Of Collision Injuries

SNYDER —(P)—James Harold Kennedy, 16, of Levelland died Saturday of injuries suffered Friday night in an auto-train collision near here. Also injured were Harold Joe McKinnis, Jr., driver of the car, Robert D. Tricker, 18, and Harvey Campbell, 17, all of Levelland.

The youths' car hit a locomotive.

Magnolia Announces Talley Successor

DALLAS —(P)—Magnolia Petroleum Company announced Paul E. Harlan, superintendent of its land department Saturday. He succeeds Ralph Talley who died last week.

Harlan joined Magnolia 21 years ago during the Burdett boom.

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## Rescuers Recover Two Pilots' Bodies

NEWPORT NEWS, VA. —(P)—Rescue crews Saturday recovered the bodies of two pilots killed when their fighter planes tangled in the air and crashed in York County.

Rescuers came upon the body of Lt. William Mason Waltermann 1,000 yards from the patch of wooded swampland where, an hour earlier, they had found the body of First Lt. Gustav Schonenberg.

Lt. George McKee, pilot of the third plane, who was flying as wingman to Lt. Waltermann, flew safely back to Langley Field.

Schonenberg's home was in New Ulm, Texas. Waltermann also was a Texan, hailing from Riverside.

Schonenberg was the father of three. Waltermann's wife lives in Hampton.

General Wu—

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fire committee got nowhere in their first contact with the Chinese Friday night.

One source reported Wu had packed his bags and was ready to leave his New York hotel, but this could not be confirmed.

Wu declared the "peace-loving people of the whole world are demanding that the Korean problem be solved peacefully."

"Yet," he continued, "the Anglo-American bloc insists to maintain its aggressive forces and its aggressive actions in Korea, to continue its invasion and occupation of China's Taiwan (Formosa) and to carry out even more persistently its aggressive and war policy against the whole world."

"We have only to look for proof in the statement of President Truman which threatened to use atomic bomb, in the joint communiqué of President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee (in their recent Washington conference) and in the proclamation of a state of emergency by the United States government."

Burch Accepts Life Sentence

WICHITA FALLS —(P)—Robert D. (Bob) Burch, former Wichita Falls police captain, Saturday accepted a life sentence assessed last week on his conviction of harboring an escaped life-time criminal.

The 31-year-old former officer appeared before Judge Frank Ikard of 30th District Court to ask that notice of appeal given by his attorneys be withdrawn. The judge then overruled a defense motion for arrest of judgment.

Burch was convicted on an indictment of aiding and abetting Billy Wayne Powers, 27, escaped convict, last June 20.

Big Spring, Austin Get Traces Of Rain

By The Associated Press

Traces of rain fell at Austin and Big Spring Saturday, and there were drizzles at some points on the upper Texas coast.

More light rain was forecast Saturday night for the extreme upper coast. Otherwise little moisture was in prospect.

In a 24-hour period, ended at 9:30 p.m. Beaumont at .02 inches of rain; Galveston and Victoria .01.

At their highest temperatures ranged Saturday from 46 degrees at Texarkana to 82 at Brownsville. A little warmer weather was in prospect for Sunday afternoon.

JOHN DEERE STRIKE ENDS

MOLINE, ILL. —(P)—Federal Mediator Francis Sheridan Saturday night announced settlement of the 107-day old John Deere and Company strike.

BACK FROM HOSPITAL

L. E. Dungan has returned from Dallas where he underwent surgery in a hospital there.

CHURCHILL TO AFRICA

LONDON —(P)—Winston Churchill will fly to Marrakech, North Africa, Sunday for a holiday of several weeks. Mrs. Churchill will go along.

WORST RECORD

Florida, with the second largest woodland area in the United States, has the worst year-after-year forest fire record of all the states.

The first European to visit the present site of Kansas City is believed to have been Stennis de Bourgmont, in 1712.

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## Home Decoration Contest Judging Opens Tuesday

Judging starts Tuesday in the JayCee-sponsored Christmas Home Lighting and Decoration Contest for 1950.

Friday was the deadline for entries. Houses or apartments must be officially entered to be eligible for prizes.

Judging will be done in three different classes. Homes or apartments will be judged for general artistic effect, originality, ingenuity in utilizing surroundings and conformity to Christmas spirit.

Judges will view the actual displays. The home or apartment must be lighted during the hours of dark and 10:30 p.m. December 19 through December 25.

Big Beam Saves Life Of Miner

SELLECK, WASH. —(P)—His life saved by the same huge beam which held him prisoner 400 feet underground for 54 hours of torture, John Wolt was clawed to freedom by rescue crews Friday night.

The miner was weak, pain wracked and near a state of shock when he was brought to the surface.

His right arm was crushed, and his face covered with a grimy, three-day growth of beard.

Wolt was caught in an avalanche of rock and timbers Wednesday when the mine roof gave way. Several other miners escaped, but they were sure he had been swept to his death by the slide which came without warning.

And he would have been, too, Wolt said, except for a huge 12 by 12 timber.

The big timber held him securely, but it and others fell around him in such a manner that they held off the other debris. He was able to breathe and he remained conscious.

Basketball Results

Manhattan 47, Texas 46.

Navy 68, Harvard 60.

North Carolina State 83, Temple 61.

Cincinnati 64, West Texas State 41.

Tennessee 60, Florida 54.

West Virginia 64, South Carolina 55.

Duke 97, Washington & Lee 69.

Cornell 62, Yale 49.

Alabama 60, Georgia 39.

Kentucky 68, Kansas 39.

Indiana 58, Kansas State 52.

Tulane 74, Mississippi State 52.

Illinois 60, DePaul 68.

East Texas 69, Stephen F. Austin 63.

Texas Wesleyan 49, Wayland College 39.

Minnesota 72, Pittsburg 43.

Marquette 61, Wisconsin 55.

Mississippi 72, LSU 67.

Villanova 79, Louisville 69.

Columbia 73, Rutgers 53.

Oklahoma A&M 51, SMU 48.

Southwest Texas 93, Texas A&I 55.

Del Mar 48, Texas Lutheran 41.

Sul Ross 77, St. Mary's 63.

Drake 56, Tulsa 48.

Oklahoma A&M 51, SMU 48.

St. Louis U. 62, TCU 52.

Toledo 52, Texas Tech 66.

## 31st, 47th National Guard Divisions Are Called Into Service

GREENVILLE, MISS. —(P)—For the second time in 10 years, the 31st National Guard Division, composed of Alabama and Mississippi citizen soldiers is preparing to answer a call into federal service.

The division was one of two which President Truman announced Friday night was being called up.

The other is the 47th of Minnesota and North Dakota.

The 31st Division followed a bloody, heroic trail through the Pacific campaign in World War II under Maj. Gen. John C. Persons of Birmingham, now retired.

It will be inducted in federal service again January 16, and train at Fort Jackson, S. C.

About two thirds of the division's members are from Alabama.

The commanding general, Maj. Gen. Alexander G. Paxton of Greenville, Miss., said "We feel it is the heritage of every American to take up arms for his country in time of stress."

General Paxton added "We are proud that we have been selected because of our readiness."

He explained 9,000 officers and men were trained last Summer and that the division "was further advanced than any other National Guard division in the Third Army."

The 31st landed and fought at Mindanao in the Philippines during World War II. In World War I, the 31st went to France where it served as a replacement division.

Korean War—

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Hungnam helped hold the Reds at bay.

Carrier-based fighter planes struck through snow and low haze at Chinese columns moving down on the tightening UN lines.

A small force of Chinese tried to enter Hamhung Saturday before demolition squads finished wrecking the city's rail and highway bridges and its buildings of military importance. These premature Reds were chased out of town by Puerto Rican and American patrols of the U. S. Third Infantry Division.

Belief Expressed

"It may be," Lambert said, "that the Chinese had taken such a beating in their fruitless attempt to trap the U. S. Tenth Corps inland that they must regroup and reorganize."

A week ago, members of the U. S. First Marine and Seventh Infantry Divisions reached the Hungnam beachhead after an epochal fighting retreat to escape encircling Reds trying to block their withdrawal from the Chagrin Reservoir area.

Just as the bridges and strategic buildings of Hamhung were demolished, so were the American supply dumps Tenth Corps forces had to leave behind.

Fire from the burning equipment glowed across the coastal plain Saturday night. A great column of smoke rose above Hamhung. Landing lights twinkled at a new airstrip just built by American engineers inside the defense perimeter.

A Tenth Corps spokesman said the situation at Hamhung was not disastrous.

While the U. S. Tenth Corps pulled back in Northeastern Korea proceeded, forces in Western Korea still wondered when and where the next Chinese Red blow would fall there.

No Actual Front

There was no actual fighting front in the West. South Korean units clashed now and then with well-organized bands of North Korean guerrillas, but the U. S. Eighth Army was not firing a shot.

Officially, no Chinese had crossed south of the 38th parallel, arbitrary line which for five years divided Red Korea and Republican South Korea until the Reds invaded the South last June 25.

General MacArthur's Tokyo headquarters, however, reported a buildup of enemy strength, presumably Chinese, just north of the parallel.

Southbound refugees clogged the snowy roads.

The only allied combat units in the Eighth Army identified by the headquarters summary late Saturday were the British 27th Commonwealth Brigade and 29th Independent Infantry Brigade. Both were listed merely as "continuing patrolling and blocking tasks in their area."

Lt. Gen. George C. Stratemeyer, Far East Air Force commander, said since November 25 his fliers had killed or wounded 39,000 Chinese Reds in Korea. This was the equivalent of four divisions.

Snow flurries and low clouds curtailed flying.



MRS. MINIVER LIKES CATTLE—Greer Garson, Mrs. Miniver of the movies, in real life is a cattiewoman as well as one of Hollywood's favorites. Thursday, while visiting here with her oil man husband, Buddy Fogelson, she dropped in at the Midland Livestock Auction Company sale to look over the cattle and visit with ranchmen. In New Mexico on the Forked Lightning ranch, Mrs. Fogelson raises pure white Durham cattle. Her breeding stock was imported from Scotland and her cattle won several blue ribbons at the New Mexico State Fair this year. She also likes the Herefords she saw at the sale. Pictured, left to right, are: Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cowden, Crane; Sam Preston and Mrs. A. W. Dillard, Midland; Gerald Poe, San Angelo; Miss Garson and Foy Proctor, Midland.

## Senator McCarthy, Columnist Have Verbal Encounter

WASHINGTON —(P)—Senator McCarthy (R-Wis.) and Drew Pearson have clashed again—this time in a word battle over communism.

McCarthy declared in the Senate late Friday Pearson serves as "The voice of international communism."

He called the columnist-commentator a "Moscow-directed character assassin."

Pearson retorted in a statement that his record "in fighting communism x x x is well known to everyone—except the headline happy senator from Wisconsin." He threatened to sue McCarthy.

McCarthy said "it appears that Pearson never actually signed up as a member of the Communist Party and paid dues," then added: "However, that hasn't in any way affected his value to the party x x x."

The verbal exchange was a sequel to a physical scuffle at the swank Sulgrave Club Tuesday night.

Pearson replied he not only has fought communism but has been cited for his efforts by the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, President Auriol of France and Premier De Gasperi of Italy.

These intersections are those of Texas and Wall Streets with Main, Lorraine and Colorado Streets.

Rush periods are designated as between 7:30 a.m. and 9 a.m., 11:45 a.m. and 1:15 p.m., and between 4:45 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Signal lights at present are so

Anti-Red Material Is Object Of Hunt

VIENNA —(P)—Large reinforcements of Soviet military police are searching Danube River banks for anti-Russian propaganda material, ministry of interior sources said Saturday.

Assisted by East Zone Austrian police squads, the Soviet police are combing the shores for tin cans, allegedly dropped into the Danube by a Yugoslav Danube steamer along its route from Belgrade into Austria.

Marked "A present to the finger-please open," these cans—of which a substantial number already have been found—contain various types of anti-Soviet propaganda material in the Hungarian, Bulgarian and Russian languages, the sources said.

FDR Turned Down Moscow Proposal

WASHINGTON —(P)—President Roosevelt turned down a pre-World War II proposal from Moscow for a Big Four non-aggression pact to underwrite peace in the Pacific, because it excluded many other nations.

This was disclosed Saturday with publication by the State Department of a new series of long secret diplomatic documents.

The new volume records that shortly before the exchange with Moscow, General Han, Shantung Province war lord in North China, proposed to grant the U. S. concessions and military bases in Shantung as security in exchange for munitions in order to counteract further Japanese aggression in North China. He was informed promptly through a U. S. consul that the U. S. was "not interested."

## Traffic Plan—

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tended to other streets in the business district.

He pointed out that the downtown streets have a width of 60 feet and that angle parking takes up 15 feet on each side. This permits only a little more than two lanes of traffic. When an automobile leaves its parking place, under angle-parking, all traffic in that lane must come to a stop.

Parallel parking will permit the flow of traffic to continue, even when an automobile is leaving its parking place.







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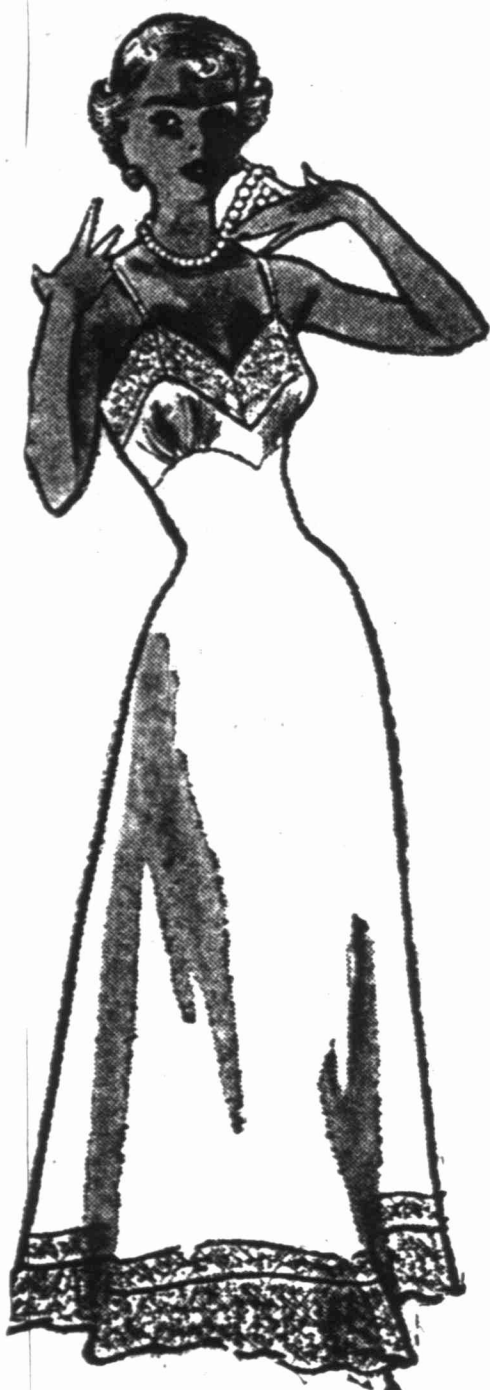
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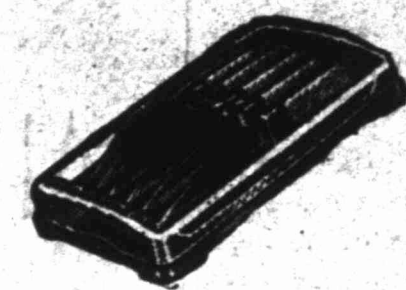
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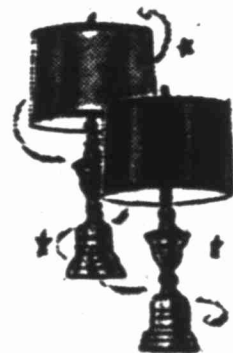
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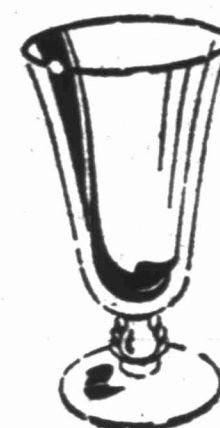
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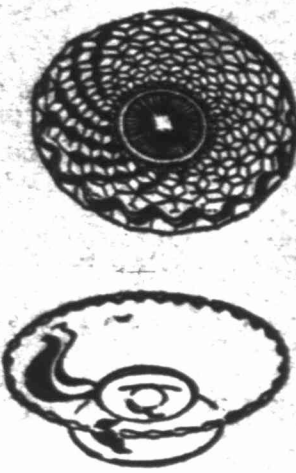
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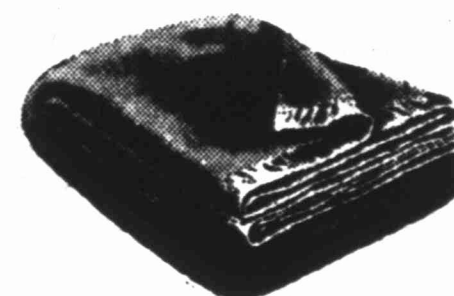
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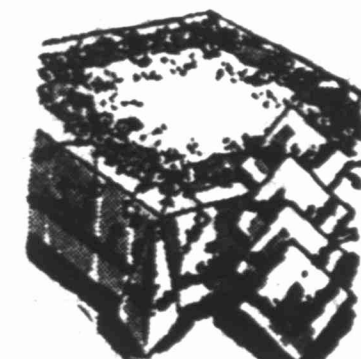
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Mrs. Edward G. Reigle

## Mrs. Smith Has Announcement Tea

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Smith, 1602 West Louisiana Street, announced the marriage of their daughter, Jo, to Edward Gordon Reigle, Saturday afternoon at a tea in the Smith home.

The couple was married July 3 in Roswell, N. M.

Reigle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reigle, 613 West Storey Street.

White carnations and chrysanthemums were used throughout the house. The serving table was centered with a crystal punch bowl and an arrangement of white carnations and glittered foliage in a crystal container. Behind the table were rose velvet drapes with crystal candelabra holding white tapers on either side.

### Carnations Used

On the buffet was an arrangement of Christmas foliage and candles. The mantel was centered with an arrangement of white carnations in a crystal cornucopia and the coffee table arrangement was white mums and stock.

For the occasion, Mrs. Reigle wore a white chiffon dress with silver sequins and a white stole. Her corsage was feathered white carnations.

Mrs. Smith wore a blue beaded dress and Mrs. E. E. Reigle wore a gray dress.

Mary Lou Viertel presided at the punch bowl and Carolyn Reigle at the guest register.

### 70 Attend

Approximately 70 guests attended. Mrs. Reigle is a graduate of Odessa High School and is a junior journalism major at Texas Technological College. At mid-semester she will join her husband at the University of Oklahoma.

Reigle is a graduate of Midland High School and is a junior at the University of Oklahoma.

## Coffee Honors Bride-Elect

Dorothy Reising, bride-elect of Harold Barber, was given a coffee Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. B. Worley. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Luther Tidwell, Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Mrs. Frank Prothro and Mrs. Stacy Allen.

Those in the receiving line were Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. Russell Reising and Mrs. Jess Barber.

The coffee table was covered with an Irish cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow mums and green candles. The house party members wore corsages of yellow mums.

Mrs. W. H. Dunn poured coffee and Mrs. J. M. Reising presided at the bride's book.

Approximately 60 guests called.



Mrs. Edward Wilson Thorp

## Miss Brown, Thorp Wed By Candlelight

McCAMEY-In a candlelight ceremony Saturday in the First Methodist Church, Claudine Brown became the bride of Edward Wilson Thorp. The Rev. C. Jordan Mann, pastor of the St. Luke's Methodist Church in Austin, performed the ceremony. He was assisted by the Rev. Ross W. Welch, pastor of the First Methodist Church in McCamey.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown of McCamey. Thorp is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johnson of Dalsetta.

The double-ring ceremony was performed before a background of palms and fern and an arrangement of white gladioli and white mums. The center of the altar was outlined with large balls of bronze mums. Tall candelabra holding bouquets of white gladioli marked the aisles.

### Mrs. Gaspar Plays

Mrs. Lester Gaspar of Austin played the traditional wedding music and accompanied Ann Hawkins, who sang "With This Ring" and "Wedding Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory satin fashioned with a molded bodice, delicate neckline and an illusion yoke accented with a deep bertha of lace encrusted with iridescent sequins, crystal beads and seed pearls. The long tightly fitted sleeves extended to points over her hands. The full skirt was accented with paniers of the beaded Alencon lace over either hip extending to the back and the length of the fan shaped Cathedral length train.

Her veil of light ivory imported French illusion fell in layers to her fingertips from a calot of lace beaded with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. She carried a bouquet of

white purity gladioli and stephanotis. Centering the bouquet was a corsage of white orchids.

### Attendants Named

Louise Favre Nathan of Sheffield, Ala., was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Janet Faubus and Sandra Johnson of Dalsetta. Shellen E. Ballard of Big Lake was best man. Groomsmen were Robert Lewis of Deridder, La., and Charles Douglas Foreman of Sulphur, La. Candelighters were Prudy Ramsey and Charles Mann of Austin.

The attendants were identically attired in gowns of mist green fashioned of satin and net. The dresses were bare top with a wide satin midriff and full gathered skirts. They wore satin jackets fashioned with a portrait neckline and cap sleeves. Their hats were of dark green velvet and they carried crescent bouquets of bronze mums with green satin leaves.

### Reception Held

After the ceremony a reception was held in the Park Building.

Betty Joyce Scott, Pampa, presided at the four-tiered wedding cake. The cake was topped with miniature wedding bells. Dorothy Borders of Kaufman presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Earl Brite, San Angelo, at the bride's book.

For traveling the bride chose a brown and beige sharkskin suit with brown accessories. She wore a white orchid corsage.

Mrs. Thorp is a graduate of McCamey High School and attended Southern Methodist University.

Thorp is a graduate of TMI, San Antonio, and Louisiana State University.

The couple will live in Lake Charles, La., where the bridegroom is an employee of the Union Sulphur and Oil Corporation.

## Charlene Walker Weds D. L. Brazell

In a double ring ceremony Saturday morning in the First Methodist Church, Charlene Walker became the bride of Douglass L. Brazell of Odessa. The Rev. H. H. Hollowell, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Amy Walker of Bronson. Brazell is the son of Mrs. J. W. Harabon of Hubbard.

Melba Knippling was maid of honor and Eddy Nakayna of Odessa was best man. The flower girl was Diana Kay Walker, and Sam Walker of Columbus, N. M., was the usher.

The couple was married before an altar decorated with candles and baskets of white mums and stock. The altar rail was decorated with greenery entwined with white maroon daisies.

### Dean Baker Plays

Dean Baker, organist, played traditional wedding music and accompanied Mrs. W. M. Garney, Jr., who sang "Because," "D'Ardelet," and "Love You Truly," Jacobs-Bond.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, V. E. Walker, wore a ballerina length ivory satin dress. It was fashioned with a full circu-

lar skirt and close fitting jacket with long sleeves and a peter pan collar embroidered with seed pearls. She wore a short veil fastened to braided velvet. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Knippling's dress was fashioned with a ballerina length brown velvet skirt with a toast colored lace bodice. She carried a bouquet of yellow ranunculus. The flower girl's dress had a rose velvet skirt and pale lace bodice. She carried a basket of white rose petals.

### Take Wedding Trip

For the wedding trip the bride wore an oxford gray fitted suit with tangerine and black accessories.

After a wedding trip the couple will be at home at 1011 West 19th Street, Odessa.

Mrs. Brazell attended Stephen F. Austin College in Mesquite and is a graduate of the University of Missouri at Columbia. She has been employed by the Shell Oil Company in Midland.

Brazell is a graduate of the University of Texas. He is an engineer with the Phillips Petroleum Company in Odessa.



Mrs. Halton Marvin Trout

## Hood-Trout Vows Exchanged Saturday

In a candlelight service held Saturday evening in the First Christian Church, Edwina Hood became the bride of Halton Marvin Trout of Odessa. The Rev. Clyde Lindsley, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Hood, 111 Ridgley Drive. Trout's parents are Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Trout of Odessa.

### Pre-Nuptial Music Played

Mrs. Marian Allen, organist, played a program of pre-nuptial music including "Choir de Lune," Debussy; "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod; "Liebestraum," Liszt; "Always," Berlin, and "The Joy of Love," Martini. She also played the traditional wedding marches, Nancy Webb sang, "I Love Thee," Greig, before the ceremony and "The Lord's Prayer," Malotte, during the ceremony.

The vows were read before an altar banked with baskets of calla lilies, maroon daisies and white stock. Palms formed a background for the candelabra. Candles and plumose fern outlined the chancel rail on either side of the altar.

### Bride's Dress Described

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pure silk French imported lace fashioned with a high neckline and a peter pan collar. The bodice was buttoned from the neck to the waist in front with tiny self-covered buttons. The ballerina length skirt was laid over pure silk net and slipper satin. Her elbow length veil of pure silk bridal illusion was caught to a small, starched Chantilly lace cap with lilies of the valley over the ears. She carried red Better Time roses fashioned into a crescent-shaped bouquet with satin streamers.

Deb Weiss of Seguin, formerly the bride's roommate at the University of Texas, was the maid of honor. She wore a dress styled like the bride's, of red net over red taffeta and, for her headpiece, a red velvet cloche. Her bouquet of white roses also was crescent-shaped and decorated with satin streamers.

Hal Farmer of Hobbs, N. M., was his brother-in-law's best man. Ushers were Dan Kirklint of Abilene, Ted Roby of Odessa, Arthur Neal Budge of Odessa and Bob Statton of Midland. Dorothy Thomas,

daughter of Mrs. J. Louis Thomas of Midland, was the flower girl.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlor. A maderia cloth covered the table. The centerpiece, an arrangement of red Better Time roses, was flanked by candles. A three-tiered wedding cake and a crystal punch bowl were placed on opposite ends of the table.

Mrs. C. M. Hood served the cake and La Juan Dunlap of Littlefield poured the punch. Others in the house party were Suzanne Hood, Sue Guest, Mrs. Matt Hays, Mrs. K. C. Slough, Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. Frank Curtis and Mrs. W. P. Z. German. Jr. Nannette Hays presided at the bride's book.

### Wedding Trip

For her wedding trip to Dallas, the bride chose an original coffee suit of wool gabardine with lizard accessories. She wore a brown orlone corsage.

Out of city guests included Jack Dwyer and Mrs. Henry Weiss of Seguin and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gaunt and daughter, Donnie, of Dallas.

Mrs. Trout is a graduate of the University of Texas where she was affiliated with Chi Omega Sorority. The bridegroom attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. He served with the armed forces during World War II.



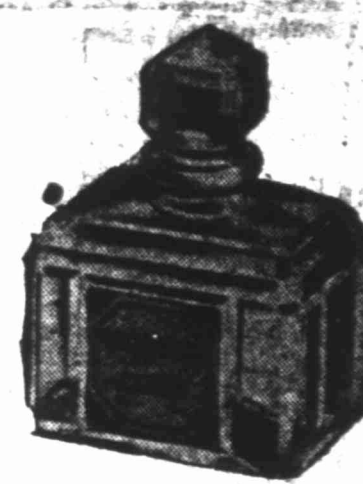
**MARRIED RECENTLY**—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vandervoort have returned from their wedding trip to New Mexico and are at home in Midland. The couple was married December 9 in the First Presbyterian Church in Santa Fe, N. M. Mrs. Vandervoort is the former Mallie Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert P. Jackson of Odessa.

## Caron's Fine Perfumes

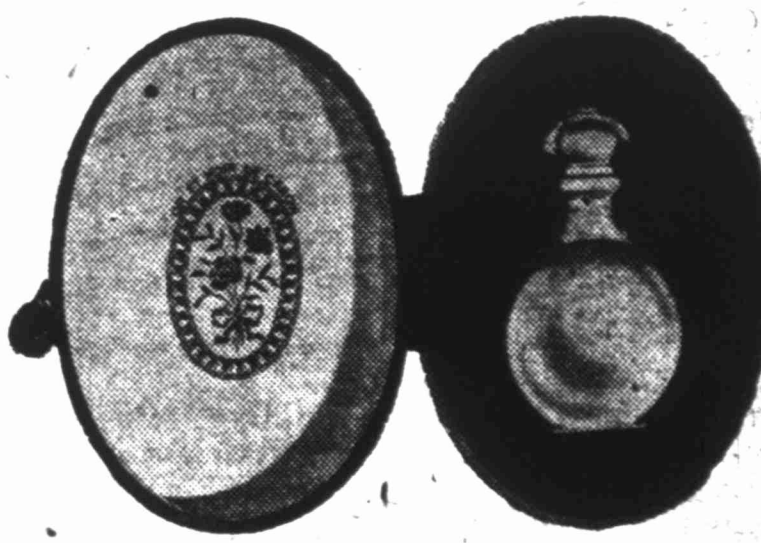
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Mrs. Douglass Brazell



## ★ RUTH MILLETT ★

Home Was Never Like This,  
And Pop Makes The Most Of ItBy RUTH MILLETT  
NEA Staff Writer

"They're making offices entirely too comfortable these days," I recently heard a woman complain. "Jim works in an air-conditioned office, and I've noticed that as soon as the weather gets sweltering Jim starts working longer hours at the office."

"He won't admit he just doesn't want to come home and sweeter with us in our un-air-conditioned dream house. But he looks mighty sheepish when I accuse him of stretching his work day just because he's a lot more comfortable in the office than at home."

"And another thing, I stopped by his office the other day and couldn't help but notice how fresh and crisp and cool-looking all the secretaries were, sitting there in that nice cool office."

"I must be a sad contrast when he comes home at night to find me mopping my brow with one hand and turning over the pork chops with the other—completely worn out from trying to do housework in this heat."

Maybe she has something there. But at least the men are having to pay in one small way for all

this working comfort they are getting that their wives don't have. No husband who toils away in an air-conditioned office all day can expect any sympathy from his little woman when he comes home at night.

If he tries to play the tired businessman with her he'll just hear: "Well, I sure did envy you today in that air-conditioned office when I was cooking and ironing and it was 99 in the shade without a breath of air stirring." The picture of poor Papa going to work in the hot city is fast changing to poor Mama having to stay out in the hot suburbs while Papa has it easy in a nice, cool office in town.

## QUICK HOLIDAY SWEET

For a quick holiday sweet, melt a package of semi-sweet chocolate pieces and stir in a cup of condensed sweetened milk. Blend the two ingredients together well and drop by spoonfuls onto waxed paper; press a piece of candied cherry in the top of each chocolate drop. In making be sure to melt the chocolate over hot water.

## Gem-Trimmed Hose Add Holiday Sparkle

By GAIL DUGAN  
NEA Staff Writer

NEW YORK — Decorative stockings, traced with jewels and delicate

embroidery touches, are ready to add interest to late-day and evening dresses for the holidays. Designed by Willys of Hollywood, for years a

custom designer to Hollywood stars, these stockings are intended as fashion accessories. The patterns are permanently ap-

plied to the filmy nylons by means of 10,000 volts of electricity shot through the stockings. Side-

eg and ankle tracings are done in two colors as well as in one. For daytime and street wear, seal brown appliques are combined with touch-

Shoulder Pads  
Attach To BraBy ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

Women who dislike removing and then reinserting shoulder pads each time a dress or blouse is washed may now wriggle out of this time-consuming job.

The answer lies in pads which are attached, not to your dress, but to your bra strap. Special fasteners are provided for quickly securing the pad in place.

Available in later foam rubber, the pads are washable and claim the added virtue of light weight and pores for ventilation.

Snap-in pads, also of latex, offer similar advantages for those who mistrust the bra-strap arrangement.

## DELICIOUS FLAVOR

Kohlrabi looks like white turnips, but it has a delicious flavor all its own and offers high food value. Choose kohlrabi that is young, before it becomes tough and strong flavored. Slice and cook it in salted boiling water, then serve it creamed or with melted butter.

A stake driven down in the center of a sparse spot in your hedge will help to remedy the condition. Simply pull branches over from either side and tie them to the stake until they are trained to grow where of their own accord.

## SHOPPING 'ROUND TOWN with BARBARA

## Your Christmas Store—

Just in time for Christmas shopping, many new items have arrived at KRUGER'S. Among the tremendous assortment of gift items are beautiful pottery, china, silverware and hollowware, diamonds and watches for men and ladies, luggage, appliances and lamps. You can select from the entire stock and pay a small down payment and then as little as \$1 per week. Stop at Kruger's tomorrow and take advantage of this wonderful credit plan.

## Give Entertainment This Christmas—

When you give theatre gift books, you give someone priceless hours of entertainment at his favorite movie. The coupon books are on sale at the YUCCA, RITZ and TOWER THEATRE box offices and also at the main office of the Tower Theatre. All books are sold at a 10% discount. With a \$5 book you receive \$5.50 worth of entertainment and a \$2.50 book you get \$2.75 worth of entertainment, and for \$1 you get \$1.10 worth of entertainment. The coupons are good at any theatre.

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Flowers make your holiday brighter—they mean festivity, frolic, fun! Let them join in to make your holiday Christmas flowers. The centerpiece is the heart of your decorations and sees that your orders are delivered on time for special occasions. When you are busy, just call 408 and order your Christmas flowers. The centerpiece is the heart of your decorations and sees that your orders are delivered on time for special occasions. When you are busy, just call 408 and order your Christmas flowers.

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You can be proud of your wood work when it is designed by STEWART WOOD WORKS, 1506 West North Street. Through the entrance of your home will pass admiring guests when these craftsmen design your doorway. A new fireplace mantel will lend beauty to your home. You may have it finished to your taste. Also, a china cabinet designed by Stewart Wood Works will complement your fine china and figurines or books. Call 1263 for estimates.

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## Entrust Your Feet To Comfort Wonders—

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Be ready for the holiday season. Let GLAMOR BEAUTY SHOPPE, 1109 West Wall, style your hair in a becoming easy-to-manage manner. Rejuvenate your self with a flatteringly styled coiffure. First get a good permanent at Glamor Beauty Shoppe then a beautiful hair-do. Expert stylists at the shop will style your hair in a way to flatter your face and personality. Call 1349 for your appointment.

## For Christmas—

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## The Perfect Ending—

Top off that fine Christmas Dinner with good-old fashioned fruit cake, check full of wonderful goodness—lots of yummy fruits and nuts. TERMINAL BAKERY is accepting orders now for specially baked fruit cakes to be delivered. You may have yours baked in any size you prefer. The fruit cakes are made by a famous old recipe—just like grandma used to make! Fruit cake is a delightful between-meal treat, too.

## Antiques Of Rare Beauty—

Lovers of Chinese decorative objects will be particularly interested in the lovely or- naments at HESTER GALLERIES, 321 North Colorado. There are exotic objects of art including exquisite vases, suitable for wiring into lamps, oil paintings, crystal, porcelain and many authentic antiques.

## New Glass For Your Auto—

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The road to relaxed motoring starts at MATHEWS' HUMBLE SERVICE STATION, 400 North Big Spring. You can be sure your car's in tip-top condition... and wherever you're going, you'll be on the road to relaxation. The new Humble Station specializes in all Humble products and also Atlas Tires, Tubes and Batteries. It is thoroughly equipped to service your car completely, including washing and polishing.

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## Sharon Miller Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Bert Onley gave a birthday party Friday for four-year-old Sharon Miller in the Onley home.

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## Brownie, Intermediate Girl Scout Troops Hold Meetings

Two Brownie and one Intermediate Girl Scout Troop met Friday. Intermediate Troop 21 gave a program during its meeting in the Girl Scout Little House. Entertainment features were songs by Charlotte Martin and Marquette Wells, a tap dancing number by Glenda Brookshire and Christmas carols sung by the group. The girls also exchanged gifts.

Guests were Mrs. Vernon McQuarry, Mrs. C. D. Gouchie, Mrs. C. D. Craig, Mrs. Walter Thompson, Mrs. C. H. Cavitt, Mrs. Alma Penick, Cookie Gaine and Carolyn Burleson.

Others present were Brenda Gouchie, Francilla Brooks, Charlotte Craig, Carol Matteson, Frances Cavitt, Mary Revel, Sue Thompson, Beverly Burleson and Mrs. Fred Burleson, leader.

Holiday Activities  
Members of Brownie Troop 31 continued work on presents for their parents during their Friday meeting. The girls also discussed plans for their Christmas party and the gifts which they plan to send to the tuberculosis hospital.

Those attending were Diana Wells, Louise Gibson, Marion Kay McGowan, Linda Bowers, Verna Ann Wells, Georgene Peters, Brookline Williams, Barbara Ponder, Rebecca Payne, Patricia Stafford, Kathleen Cunningham, Kerry Oberkamp, Mrs. J. P. Cunningham, leader, and Mrs. M. O. Gibson, assistant leader.

Brownie Troop 45 made clothes-

pin angel decorations for its Christmas tree when it met Friday in the Girl Scout Little House. The girls also worked on Christmas gifts for their mothers and made plans for their annual Christmas party to be held this week.

Refreshments were served by Troop 37 to Sharon Alwood, Barbara Carroll, Ollie Dell Dawkins, Camille Gray, Becky Gray, Johnnie Houston, Marie McKennie, Patricia Mae Morgan, Roniece Mills, Linda Kay Murray, Patricia Nix, Judy Six, Sondra Stewart, Glenda Thomas, Ann Goodman, Mrs. D. G. Dawkins, leader, and Mrs. J. M. Stewart, assistant leader.

## Mrs. R. Van Zandt Speaks To Club

ANDREWS — Mrs. Raymond Van Zandt was the guest speaker at the recent bi-monthly meeting of the Andrews Study Club. Her subject was "Christ and Women in the Home." Hostesses were Mrs. R. R. Ramsey and Mrs. John E. Smith.

Mrs. J. W. Pinnell gave the story of "Lydia" and Mrs. Max Ramsey talked on "The Relations of Naomi and Ruth."

Others present were Mrs. Joe Allbright, Mrs. Sam Gant, Mrs. Carl Ham, Mrs. Lloyd Morgan, Mrs. Percy Morrison, Mrs. James Roberts, Joyce Rasco, Mrs. B. F. Seay, Mrs. Nell Hays and Mrs. J. N. McMin.



WEDDING DATE SET—Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spears announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Billie Ruth, to Cassie L. McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Cassie McDonald, all of San Angelo. Miss Spears is a graduate of the San Angelo High School and attended Texas State College for Women in Denton. She is employed by Merchants Motor lines in San Angelo. McDonald is also a graduate of SAHS and attended San Angelo College. He is now employed as a realtor with Horton, Yaggy and Kenley in San Angelo. He was formerly connected with the Texas State Highway Patrol in Midland. The wedding will be held January 21.

## Rankin B&PW Club Has Christmas Meet

RANKIN — A Christmas gift exchange featured the Rankin Business and Professional Women's luncheon-business meeting Thursday noon in the private dining room of the City Cafe.

Tiny sleighs filled with candy and drawn by reindeers, poinsettias and a little tree decorated the white covered tables.

President Naomi Midkiff presided and Darlene Workman gave a Christmas reading. Gifts were exchanged after luncheon.

Guests at the event were Mrs. Helen Reynolds and Mrs. Inez Dossett of Iran and Darlene Workman of Rankin.

## GOOD WITH STEAK

Men usually like a salad of orange and onion rings served on lettuce and doused with a tangy French dressing. This salad is good with steak, roast beef, or plain hamburgers.

## Christmas Dinner Honors Employees

W. F. Chesnut and Ben Rodgers were hosts at a Christmas dinner for their employees Thursday night in Mrs. Atwood's Dining Room.

Guests were John Glenney, L. W. Sharp, O. M. Darr, C. W. Foreman, F. W. Darr, Z. L. Moore, James Mitchell, R. C. Hodges, L. A. Mitchell, J. W. Snodgrass, Lee McKinnis, J. S. Fleming, V. P. Barber, L.

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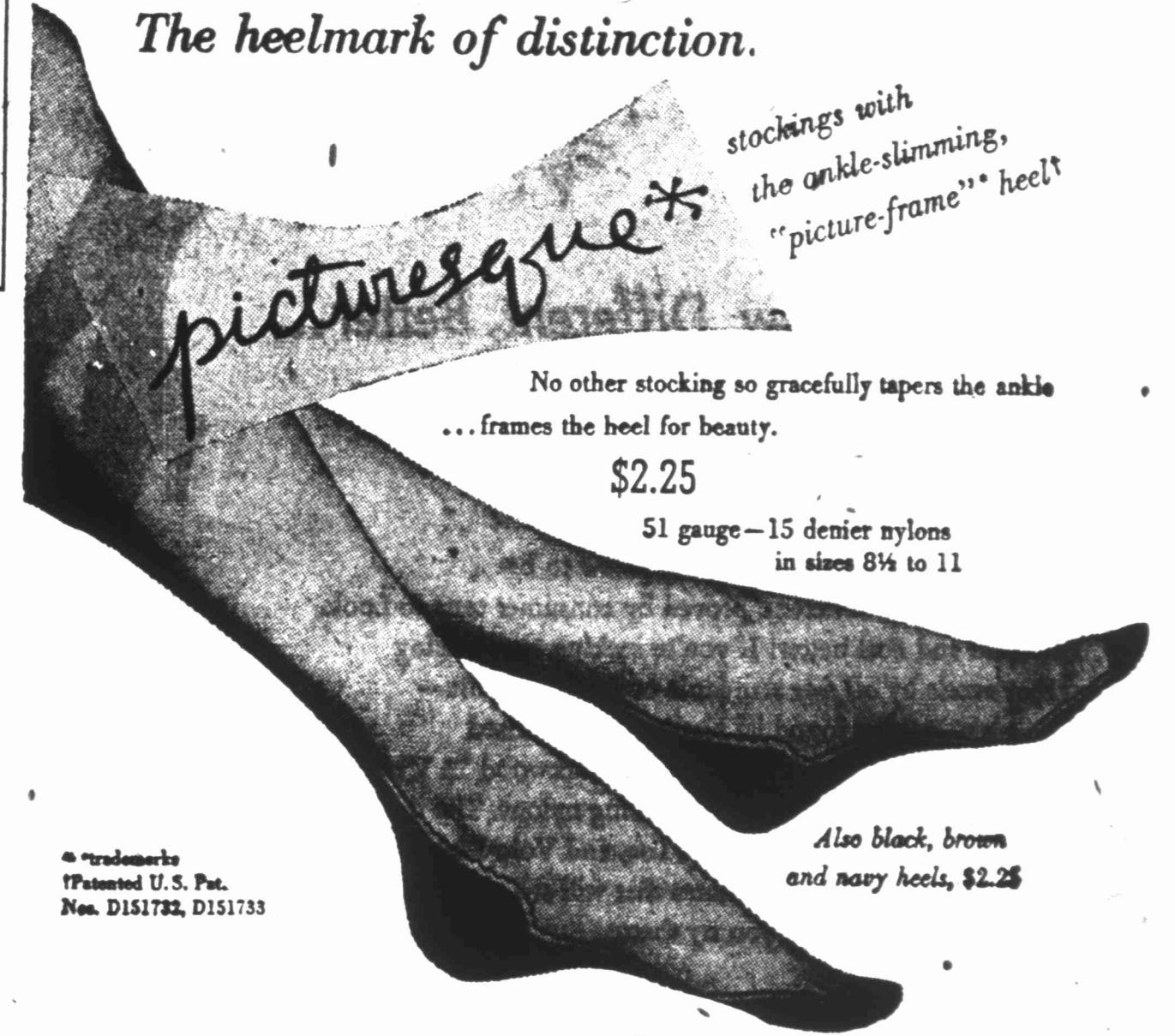
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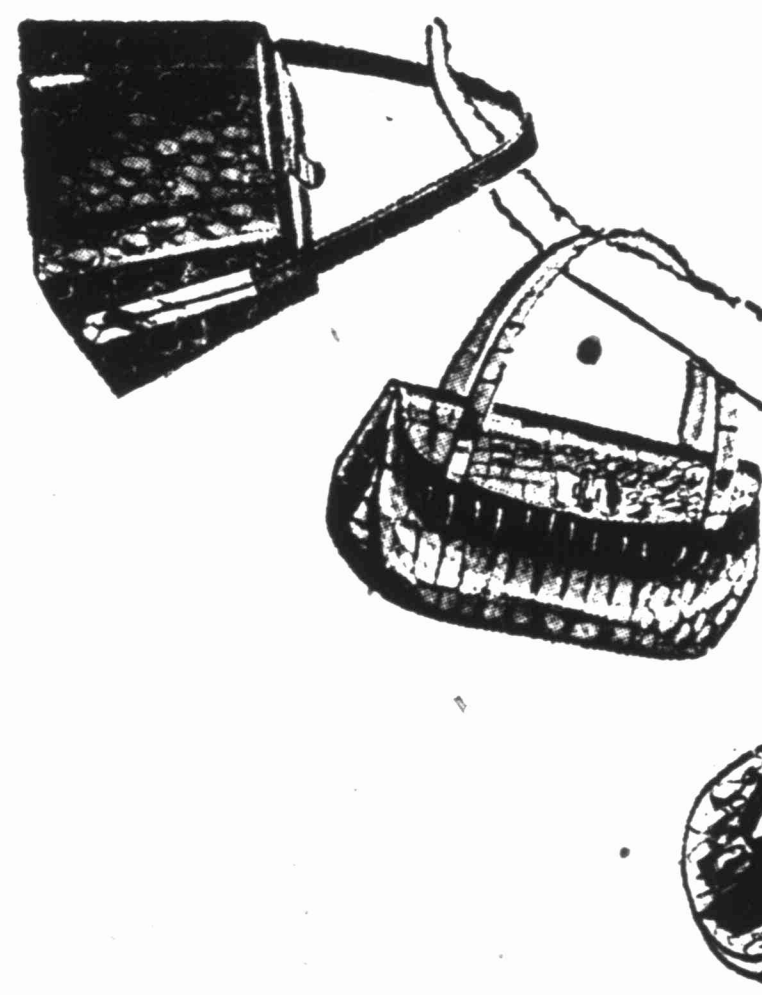
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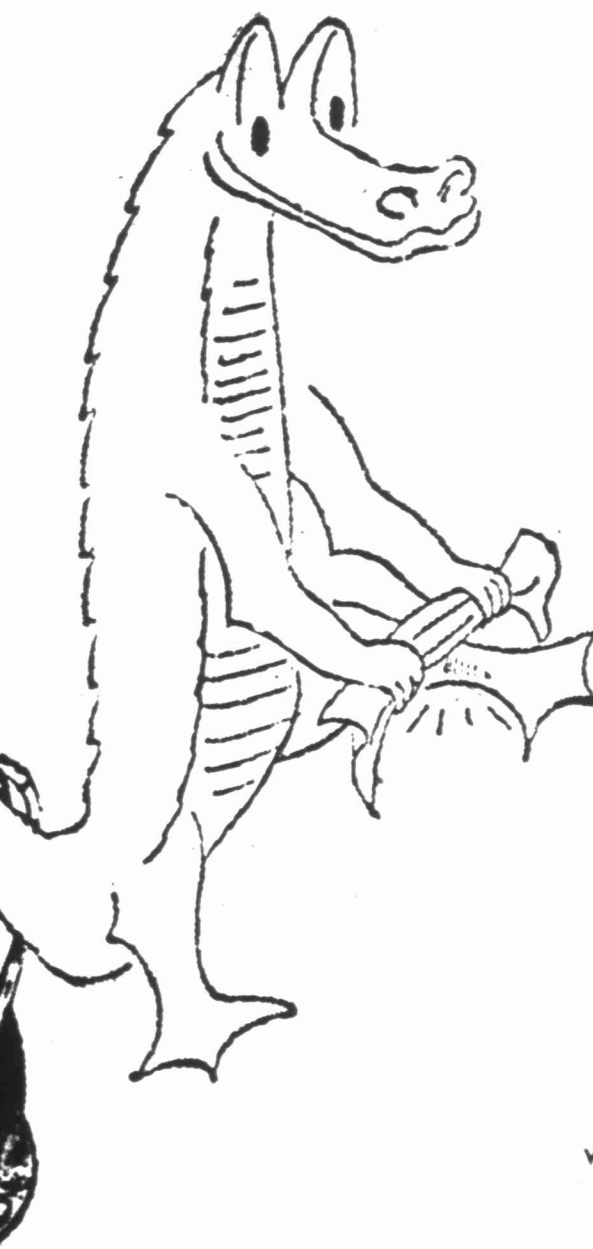
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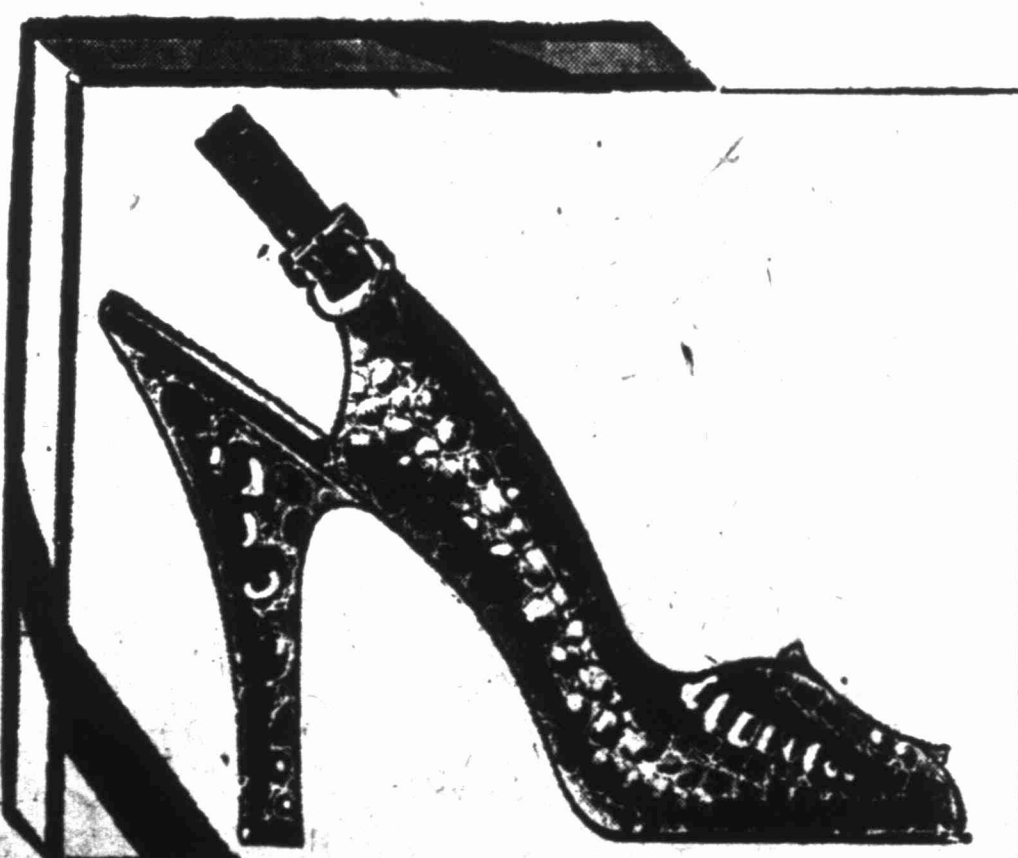
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The pageant is directed by Art Cole, and Mrs. Frank Miller is the choir director and organist. Mrs. Hugh Gilmour is the assistant choir director and organist.

Members of the cast are Roy Huffington, annunciation angel; Mrs. Jack Huff, angel of the shepherds; Frances Puett, Mary; Wayne Wallace, Joseph; Mrs. John Leigh and Mrs. R. D. Madland, stage angels.

Mrs. Sol Bunnell, Mrs. Murray Facklen, Dorothy Perkins, Mrs. Bill Caldwell, Mrs. Nolan Hersch and Mrs. Cliff Torgeson, flower angels; Ed Stitt, Walter Cremin, David Stubbeman, Randall Gibson and year.

Billy Little, shepherds: H. E. Bahr, Gilbert Thomson and G. B. McNary, wise men; Joseph Hills, Hamill McRae, Mary Deane, Lynn, Susan Pennycook, Susan Facklen, Mary Adele Hardy, Jerry Chiles and Margaret Gibson, angels and cherubs.

Mrs. Harry Gossett is general chairman for the pageant. Mrs. Forbes Pennycook, Mrs. E. M. Braselton, Mrs. W. T. Hays, Mrs. W. N. Little, Mrs. R. L. Clarke and Mrs. D. M. Secor are in charge of costumes and properties; Mrs. Roger Sidwell, Betty Jo Greene, Burt Atkinson, W. N. Crenshaw, Alan Leeper, G. B. McNary and Harry Gossett, scenery; R. B. Carroll and Bill Baird, lighting; Madeleine Roberts, make-up, and Mrs. John Starr, decorations.

The same pageant was presented last year and will be presented each year.

## Shower Honors Bride-Elect

Barbara Nichols, bride-elect of Bill Reeves, was honored with a gift display shower Thursday in the home of Mrs. E. G. Ruhmann. Mrs. Jack Morgan was co-hostess.

Christmas decorations were used and the coffee table was centered with the names "Bill and Barbara," with green foliage around the names.

Tena Hines presided at the guest book and Mrs. Morgan poured. Approximately 87 guests called.

## Alathean Class Has Luncheon

The Alathean Class of the First Baptist Church met for a covered dish luncheon Friday in the home of Mrs. Fred Wycoff. Co-hostesses were Mrs. M. D. Cox, Mrs. Dot Price and Mrs. C. A. Barton.

A special offering was made for the Mildred Cox Mein Fund and a Christmas gift was sent to the Brazilian girl whom the class supports.

Appreciation gifts of Christmas flowers were given to the teacher, Mrs. R. E. Johnson, and the class president, Mrs. W. B. Preston.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the house. The table was covered with a red cloth and centered with poinsettias. The individual tables were centered with pine cones, red ribbon and Christmas balls.

Others attending were Mrs. Lenton Brunson, Mrs. Fred Middleton, Mrs. Zeb Wilkins, Georgia Bryant, Mrs. Ray Hyatt, Mrs. George Phillips, Mrs. A. W. Wyatt, Mrs. Ann Little, Josephine Ligon, Mrs. Ralph Barton, Mrs. G. G. Hazel, Mrs. Anton Theis, Mrs. Jack Nobles, Mrs. L. P. Drew, Mrs. Leonard Proctor, Mary R. Shepard and Freda Wycoff, a guest.

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Mrs. J. E. Beaky, guest speaker, read a one-act Christmas play, "Uncle Jimmie Versus Christmas," to the group. She was introduced by Mrs. F. E. Sadler, program chairman. Pictures of the members and their guests were taken for the scrapbook.

A Christmas theme was used in the decorations both in the house and in the yard. The yard set a holiday mood with replicas of prancing reindeer and a Christmas tree topped with angels. A Santa face was centered in the wreath on the front door.

In the living room a ceiling high white Christmas tree was hung with rose and gold colored balls and candles banked underneath with gift packages. The mirror over the mantel reflected a picture of a Santa and deer in a white forest.

A miniature Santa in a sled loaded with Christmas packages and drawn by reindeer was the decoration topping the piano in the music room. The breakfast room table held a white Christmas arrangement brightened with red berries and centered with a large red candle.

A snow man dominated the top of the organ in the sun room, while a sled drawn by life-size reindeer was suspended from the ceiling.

The dining table was centered with a couple of ice skaters on a silver pond bordered with silver ribbon and bows. A canopy effect was achieved through the use of lavender stock and sweet peas.

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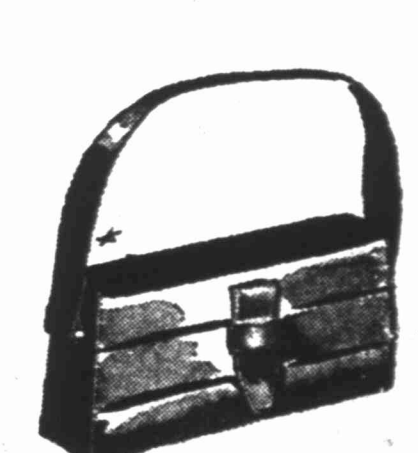
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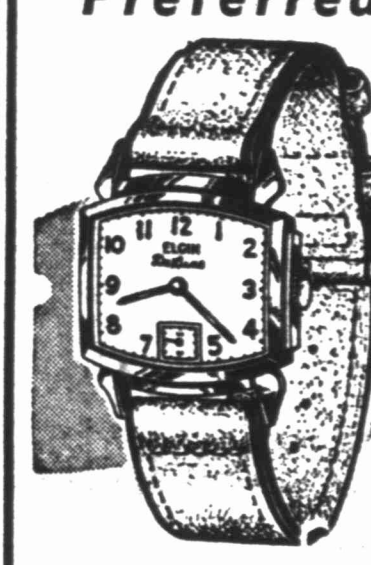


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## Mrs. Oswalt Is Coffee Hostess

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Red, green and silver predominated in the Christmas decoration scheme. A small, lighted Christmas tree formed the centerpiece on the table. Red candles in silver candelabras completed the decorations. The table was covered with a red cloth.

Those in the receiving line were the club officers, headed by Mrs. Clyde Sharrer, president.

Approximately 60 guests attended.

### +Rankin News+

RANKIN—Mrs. Dan Runyan and Myrna Holman attended a holiday banquet for Delta Kappa Gamma at Crane recently. Members were present from Big Lake, Rankin, McCamey, Iran and Crane.

Gene Welty and Red Dunn, both of Rankin and both employed by the Noble Drilling Company, were injured in an automobile accident here Monday evening. They were rushed to the Cooper Hospital at McCamey for treatment.

Mrs. Gertrude Smith left from Midland by train Saturday to visit her son, Lewis M. Smith, and family in Oregon.

Travis (Shorty) Taylor is home on furlough from Fort Ord, Calif. The son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Taylor, he has been in the U. S. Army several months and flew home for the visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moore and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Workman, Mrs. Mike Grimm, Mrs. Stanley Kosimor, Mrs. Marcus Price and Mrs. Johnnie Hurst were among Rankinites in San Angelo Tuesday.

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## Gift Tea Honors Bride-Elect

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Mrs. Dick Midkiff and Mrs. Ray Jackson were in the receiving line. Others in the house party were Mrs. Bates Witt and Mrs. Bud Calcutt.

The decorations carried out the bride's chosen colors of green and white.

Approximately 75 guests attended.

## First Christian Choir Will Give Cantata

"The Christ Child," a Christmas cantata by C. B. Hawley, will be presented by the First Christian Church choir at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in the church auditorium.

Marian Allen, minister of music, will direct the 30-voice choir. Mrs. Wayne Moore will be the organist and Patsy O'Brien, pianist.

Members of the choir are Mrs. A. J. Olsen, Mrs. L. S. Melzer, Mrs. Ray Hurst, Mrs. Bernie Stevens, Nancy Webb, Mrs. Tom Campbell, Charles Dixon, J. R. Robinson and Addington G. Bruton.

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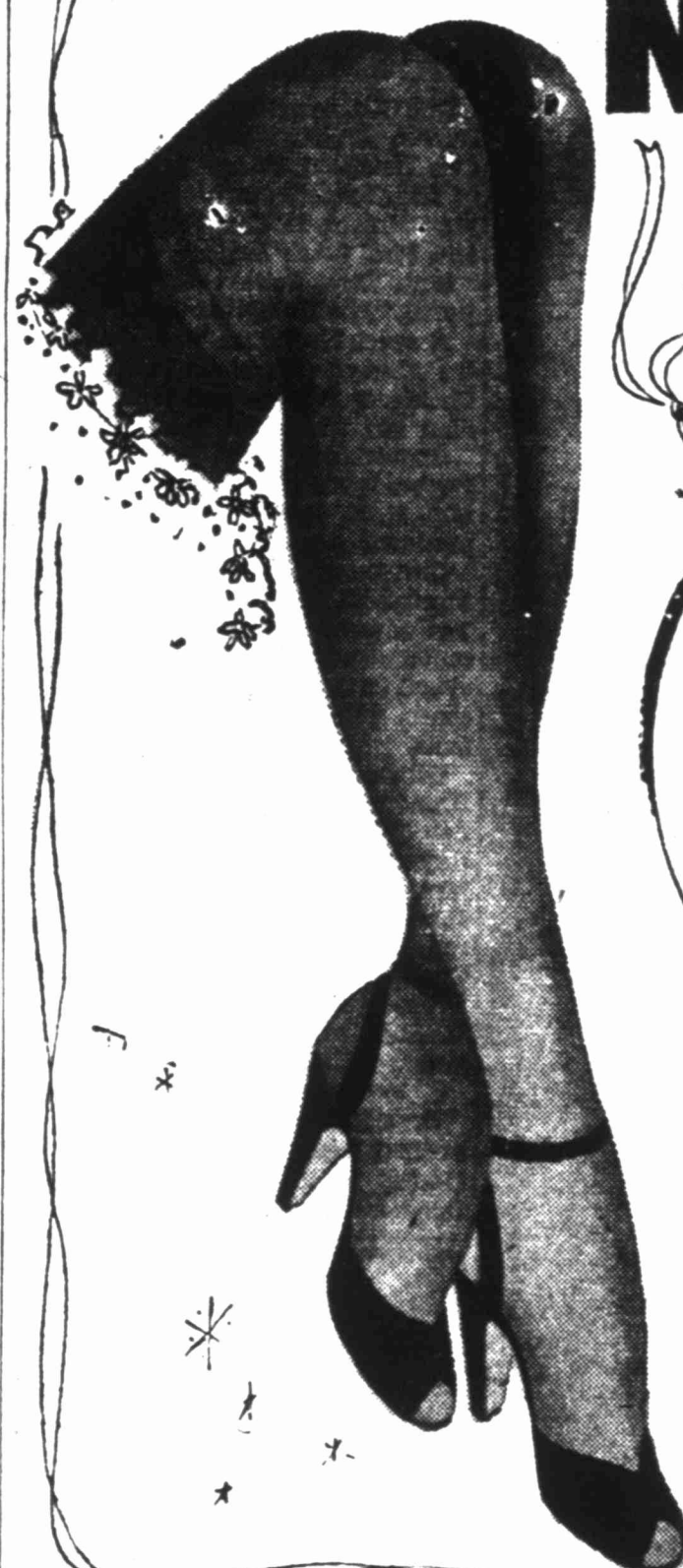


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**FROM HOCKADAY**—Joan Lipscomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick C. Lipscomb, 1802 South Lorraine Street, arrived home for Christmas Friday from Hockaday School in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Lipscomb recently moved to Midland from Houston. Miss Lipscomb will return to Hockaday Jan. 2, 1951.

### Midland Service League Meets, Discusses Cases

The Children's Service League met Thursday in the home of Mrs. C. H. Ervin.

Final plans were made for the Christmas "adoption" of a needy family in cooperation with the Goodfellows. Various cases were discussed.

Mrs. Fred Cassidy announced plans for a one day regional meeting of the Texas Society for Crippled Children to be held in Midland the first of the year. Mrs. Cassidy is a member of the state board for the society.

**Easter Seal Sale**  
Mrs. Hayden Atchison, chairman, reported on the annual Easter Seal campaign.

Others members present were Mrs. H. L. Beckman, Mrs. L. W. Davis, Mrs. Robert Dewey, Mrs. F. D. Douglas, Mrs. Lee Flood, Mrs. H. M. Fritts, Mrs. M. O. Gibson, Mrs. John M. Hills, Mrs. David Johnston, Mrs. T. S. Jones, Mrs. Hugh Munn, Mrs. L. S. Page, Mrs. V. W. Rogers and Mrs. W. A. Waldschmidt.

### Junior Red Cross Sends Christmas Gifts To AF Base

Midland's Junior Red Cross Council, which includes 120 high school students, has prepared 100 Christmas stockings for delivery to patients in the Sheppard Air Force Base at Wichita Falls. Wanda Burnside, chairman, announced Saturday.

The council purchased 50 pounds of nuts and Christmas candies for the project. Members of the school's Homemaking Department wrapped each piece of candy in celophane. Small gifts and candy canes also were placed in the stockings.

### Wesleyan Guild Installs Officers

**RANKIN**—Installation of officers and a pledge service were held at a recent meeting of the Wesleyan Guild in the Methodist Church.

Mrs. R. O. White, coordinator, installed the officers in a candle-lighting ceremony. Installed were Mrs. Ted Hogan, president; Mrs. Linton Clark, vice president; Louise Nelson, secretary; Mrs. O. R. Adams, treasurer; Mrs. Tom Workman, secretary; and Mrs. Virginia Ivey, music chairman.

Mrs. Clark led the pledge service ceremony, assisted by Mrs. Hogan. The Guild will meet the second Monday night of each month at the church. The program topic for the January 8 meeting will be "The Desk Next To Mine."

Mrs. Herbert Hurn served fruit cake and coffee at the close of the meeting. A number of WSCS members were guests.

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The Ghost nodded and took Scrooge to where a group of businessmen were gossiping. "When did he die?" asked one. "Last night, I believe," replied another. "Old Scratch has got his own at last," chuckled a third.

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## St. Mark's WSCS Has Holiday Party

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the St. Mark's Methodist Church held a Christmas party and buffet supper Friday in the home of the president, Mrs. Douglas Nix, 1700 North Edwards Street. Mrs. Bill Kenney read "The Littlest Angel" to a background accompaniment of Christmas music.

An arrangement of Christmas tree ornaments and silver spruce flanked by tall red tapers centered the table. A Christmas theme was used in all the decorations.

### Program Listed

Mable Nix assisted her mother in entertaining. The scripture, "The Three Wise Men," was read by Mrs. T. J. Smith. Mrs. J. C. Lucious, Jr., program chairman, reviewed "The Department Store Santa Claus" and discussed the need for the white Christmas gifts which the members had brought for distribution to needy families. Mrs. H. G. Brewer was in charge of the gift exchange.

In a short business session, Mrs. Charles Poole was elected reporter. Gifts were presented to the hostess and to Mrs. J. B. Sharp, wife of the pastor of the church.

Others attending were Mrs. Jack Locke, Mrs. H. B. Curry, Mrs. J. W. Graham, Mrs. J. H. Allison, Mrs. G. C. Merrett, Mrs. R. R. Frantz, Mrs. Dale McReynolds, Mrs. Bill Sandeen, Mrs. Leland Olson, Mrs. Sam Crews and Mrs. Bandon Rea.

### THREE ARE HOSTESSES TO THE MINUT CLUB

Mrs. Frank Ashby, Mrs. Leland Davidson and Mrs. George Putnam entertained the members of the Minut Club in the Petroleum Club Thursday night, preceding the group's dance in the Midland Country Club.

### ODESSAN IS ADMITTED

Mrs. E. T. Cobb of Odessa was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Friday as a medical patient.

**CHURCH OFFICERS** — Deacons of the new St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, left to right, above, are: H. L. Hagler, C. A. McClintic, G. Newman Shell, William Caldwell and Hue Nunnallee. The first elders of St. Andrews Church are pictured at left. Left to right, they are: Raymond Howard, John Drummond and R. Francis Carroll. The new church, organized last Sunday, is holding services temporarily in the David Crockett Elementary School.

## Brownie, Intermediate Scouts Present Program, Make Gifts

Brownie Troop 53 and Intermediate Girl Scout Troop 19 held meetings Thursday.

### Presents Program

A Christmas program was presented by the members of Troop 19 when they met in the Girl Scout Little House. Mary E. Murphy was master of ceremonies.

Other program selections were a reading by Dian Chorney, "The Night Before Christmas—In Texas, That Is," a solo by Sandra Burkett, "Silent Night," and a carol by Jo Linda Faria, "O, Come All Ye Faithful." The whole troop sang "Joy To The World."

Guests at the meeting were the members of Troop 44 and their leader, Mrs. Goss.

Others present were Sandra Daniels, Gay Lynn Dorsey, Judy Bessley, Alison Gray, Juana Sanchez, Sandra White, Jean Dilley, Kay Thomas, Priscilla Evans and Mrs. Frank Shinkle, leader.

### Decorate Tree

The members of Troop 53 decorated the Christmas tree Thursday and made plans for a holiday party to honor their mothers. The party is scheduled Tuesday. The girls brought their gifts for the tuberculosis sanatorium.

Those attending were Judy Aday, Paula Ford, Nancy Savage, Carol Burke, Virginia Ridge, Janice Timian, Melody Porter, Mabel Brown, Nancy Hitchcock, Sara Deas, Donna Hollingsworth, Dorothy Landwehr, Mary Grace Mayfield, Mrs. Dennis Ford, leader, and Mrs. R. V. Hollingsworth, assistant leader.

## FHAs Have Holiday Party

The Future Homemakers of America had a Christmas party Thursday in the high school.

Games were played and gifts were exchanged. After the party the girls went caroling.

Those attending were Mary Hunt, Leora Crawford, Jerry Allmon, Evelyn Adams, Betty Jo Chapman, Clara Coleman, Sherry Bethel, Shirley Biggs, Shirley Boyett, Shirley Pannell, Barbara Kirby, Lu Glenn, Barbara De Lay, Barbara King, Betty O'Neal, Wilma Fugua, Vera Beasley, Rosamond Turner, Roxie Smith, Sharon Burt, Nancy Crowwell, Frances Whigham and Audrey Eaton.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

Everybody Welcome

## Mrs. Higdon Is Lula Brunson Class Hostess

The Lula Brunson Class of the First Baptist Church held its Christmas meeting Thursday night in the home of Mrs. G. H. Higdon, 1402 West College Street.

The Christmas theme was carried out in the decorations. A cutwork cloth covered the table which was centered with an arrangement of Christmas flowers. The room was illuminated by candlelight and the lights from the Christmas tree.

The class presented a gift to Mrs. Robert Donnell, teacher. The members also exchanged gifts. Mrs. J. D. Lyle and Mrs. James L. Bradley were guests.

Others present were Mrs. N. L. Dillard, Mrs. M. F. Marchen, Mrs. Gene Brewer, Mrs. C. F. Hunter, Mrs. H. Glenn Walker, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford, Mrs. Arnold Schaubauer, Mrs. Roy Herrington, Mrs. H. M. Robinson and Margaret Frances Barber.

## Scout Council Gains 26 Units

Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, is only one unit short of its 1950 goal, according to Scout Executive P. V. Thorson.

Through Saturday, the Council had 184 units, which is a net gain of 26 units thus far this year. Thorson is confident the council will attain its goal of 185 units by the end of the month.

### MIDLAND COUNTRY CLUB SETS FORMAL DANCE

The annual formal Christmas dinner dance of the Midland Country Club will begin at 6 p.m. Saturday in the clubhouse. Music will be furnished by Reggie Childs and his orchestra. The Childs' orchestra has played several engagements in the Keystone Room of the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth. Reservations may be made beginning at 6 p.m. Wednesday by calling No. 1185.

Newfoundlanders use Labrador retrievers to haul wood as well as for hunting.

## Winter Camp Set By Scout Council; Quota Is 100 Boys

The Buffalo Trail Council will hold its third annual Winter Camp December 27-January 1 at the Buffalo Trail Scout Ranch in the Davis Mountains. Scout Executives P. V. Thorson announced Saturday.

A complete program has been arranged, and the Camp will be held under the supervision of H. D. Norris, assistant scout executive, and S. G. Painter, district executive of Odessa and Midland. The camp is a council-wide affair, and the fee is nine dollars per boy. Leaders with eight or more boys will not be charged.

Pete Hardeman of Sweetwater, who has cooked at Buffalo Trail Council gatherings for 25 years, will be the camp cook. Plenty of well cooked food will be available, and the meals will be well balanced.

### Own Transportation

Each unit attending the camp must furnish its own transportation and adult leadership for each unit is required. Every boy and leader attending the camp must have a medical examination.

Included on the program are marksmanship, skeet shooting, archery, burrow pack trips, horseback riding, campfires, handicraft, games and ceremonies.

A limit of 100 has been set on the number of boys attending the camp. The camp begins with the evening meal December 27 and concludes with breakfast January 1.

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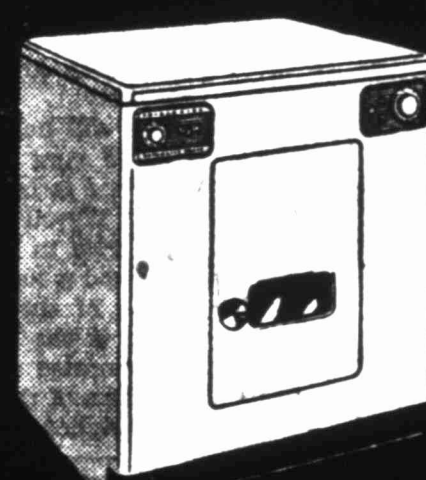
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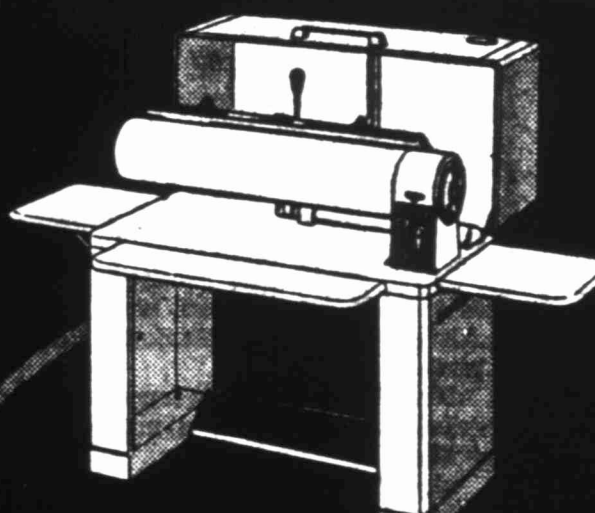
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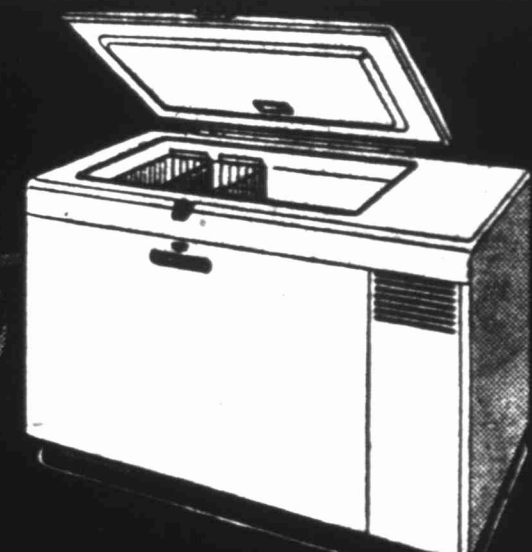
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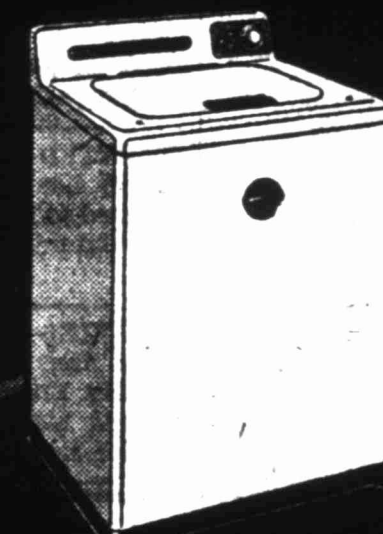
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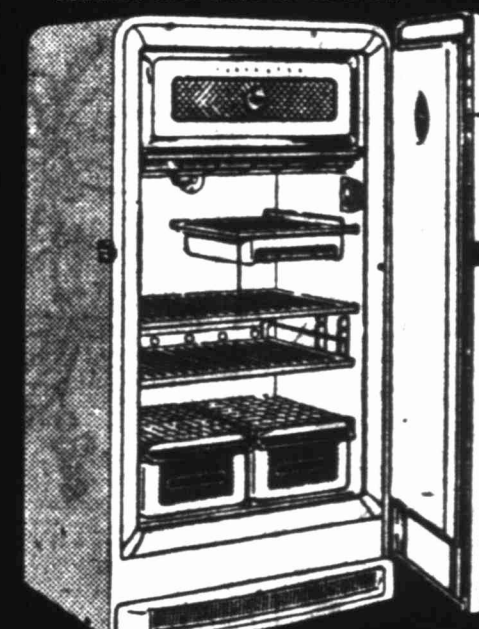
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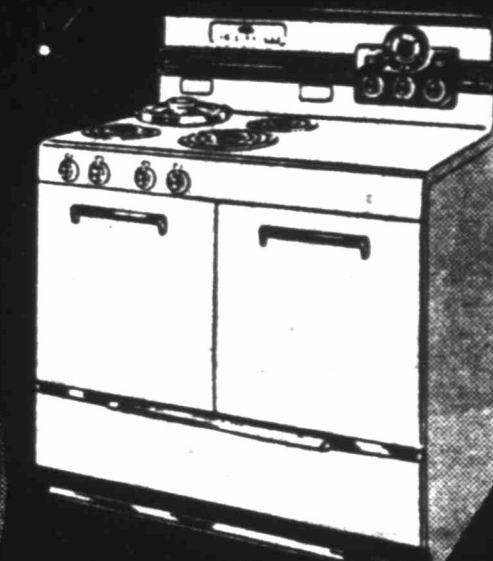
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On the whimsical side is another colorful card addressed "To A Perfect Girl Friend." This design shows the Perfect Girl smiling.

### EDWARDS IN HOSPITAL

Robert Edwards, 1907 West Illinois Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Friday as a medical patient.

cheerily from under an enormous hat brim of red felt.

Although there are many new ideas among the 1950 Christmas cards, their central theme is an engaging simplicity in verse and sentiment.

### Traditional Symbols

As in the cards above, Santa Claus, candles, holly and poinsettia, and the other traditional Christmas symbols, will decorate most of the 1950 Christmas cards. Color, however, is playing an increasingly important role, and this year's greetings will reflect an attractive color range that apparently is without limit.

Publishers estimate there are 25,000 different Christmas card designs, and that they will be mailed at the rate of 50,000,000 per day during December. In all, about \$1,500,000,000 Christmas cards are expected to find their way into America's homes during the 1950 Holiday Season.

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### + Crane News +

CRANE—The Sheriff's posse is organizing an independent basketball team with George Teague as manager. Uniforms will be furnished by sponsoring businesses. Players include Teague, Bill Lowe, Bill Edwards, Tiny Earp, Dwain and R. T. Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mullis of California are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mullis.

Jack Porter was elected president of the Men's Downtown Bible Class at a recent meeting. L. L. Martin was named teacher and Ken Spencer assistant teacher. L. H. Downing will serve as vice president and song leader, with Roy Pilgrim handling the duties of secretary and treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Loftin have returned from Bronte, where Mrs. Keith and son had been visiting.

Mrs. Jess Miller was elected president of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire Department at a recent meeting. Other officers elected were Mrs. C. C. Swift, vice president and reporter, and Mrs. Pete Mattox, secretary-treasurer. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. O. B. Wagner.

Mrs. Sam White visited with her parents in Fort Stockton recently. Mrs. Flora Alexander was recently dismissed from Crane Memorial Hospital, where she was a medical patient.

Mrs. A. T. Carroll, who underwent major surgery at Crane Memorial Hospital recently, has been dismissed.

Mrs. H. A. Satterwhite has been dismissed from Crane Memorial Hospital, where she had undergone major surgery.

Spike Jones, who received head injuries in an accident, has been released from Crane Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson is reported recuperating well after a major operation.

Mrs. Lou Strain recently was admitted to Crane Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

## Gold Star Winners Of 1950 Named By Midland 4-H Club

Gold Star awards, the highest available in 4-H Club work, were presented to Charles Locklar and Wanda Fain at a Midland County 4-H Club Christmas party Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bizzell. More than 45 club boys and girls attended.

Midland County's Gold Star boy of 1950 is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Locklar of the Cotton Flat Community. He is 15 years of age and has been in club work eight years. He has fed lambs, calves and hogs as his club projects. He exhibited the champion barrow and the champion dry lot steer in last year's district show here. He has won numerous trophies and ribbons. He also won two trips earlier this year.

Locklar's club projects this year include eight acres of cotton, two acres of grain sorghum and the feeding of two milk pen calves, two dairy cows and calves, two barrows and a Duroc Jersey brood sow.

Gold Star Girl  
Wanda Fain, the 1950 Gold Star girl, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fain of the Valley View Community. Lulu Norwood, last year's Gold Star girl, pinned the award on the 1950 winner. Miss Fain has been in 4-H Club work four years, during which time she has participated in clothing, bedroom improvement and gardening. She represented Midland County in the dress revue at this year's state 4-H Roundup.

Contest Winner  
Betty O'Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. O'Neal, was announced as the winner of this year's Midland County Farm Home and Electric Contest. Using the electric dishwasher was her project. She has been in club work five years and represented the county at the state camp this year.

Those attending the Thursday night party exchanged gifts and played various games. Charles Green, county agent, and Pauline McWilliams, home demonstration agent, were special guests.

Even if a person doesn't have a wash to do, it would be a good idea to stop by and see the Laundromat. The latest Westinghouse equipment has been installed—20 laundromats and a dryer.

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Bob is also proprietor of Bob's Dancing School, and will be remembered for his part in the last Midland minstrel. Bill formerly worked for the state department of public welfare.

### Mrs. J. N. Allison Is Club Hostess

The P. E. O.'s held a Christmas party Friday in the home of Mrs. James N. Allison.

The table was decorated with evergreen branches, red candles and holly.

Mrs. D. A. Ross read a Christmas story, "The Little Mixers." Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served.

Guests were Mrs. Allison's sister, Mrs. Ernest LeBaron of Fredonia, N. Y., Mrs. Pat Ruckman and Mrs. K. C. Heald.

Others attending were Mrs. J. L. Brown, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. John Casselman, Mrs. T. W. Flewharty, Mrs. H. A. Hemphill, Mrs. W. David Henderson, Mrs. R. E. Hubbard, Mrs. A. A. Bradford, Mrs. W. H. Brimm, Mrs. Paul Kolm, Mrs. C. J. Mathews, Mrs. Glen E. Mershon, Mrs. Joe Norman, Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Jr., Mrs. D. A. Ross and Mrs. G. S. Turner.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL  
Mrs. M. C. Peck of Midland has been admitted to the Baylor Hospital in Dallas for medical treatment.

ADMITTED FOR TREATMENT  
Perry Lee Steele, O'Donnell, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Saturday for medical treatment.

ADMITTED FOR SURGERY  
Mrs. Fred Lackey, 905 East Pennsylvania Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Saturday for surgery.

## Midland Stamp Club Elects Officers

Bill Key was named president of the Midland Stamp Club in an election of officers held at a recent meeting. Other officers are Bob Clarke, vice president; Betta Lees, secretary, and Clem George, treasurer.

The next meeting will be an informal swap session Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Lees, 308 South N Street.

All collectors in the area are invited to attend the regular meetings which are held at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the Commissioners courtroom in the courthouse.

### FRED WEMPLES BACK FROM FLORIDA TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wemple have returned from Miami and Key West, Fla., where they attended the annual convention of the American Association of State Highway Officials. Wemple is chairman of the Texas Highway Commission.

Following the convention, Mr. and Mrs. Wemple visited several days in Havana, Cuba.

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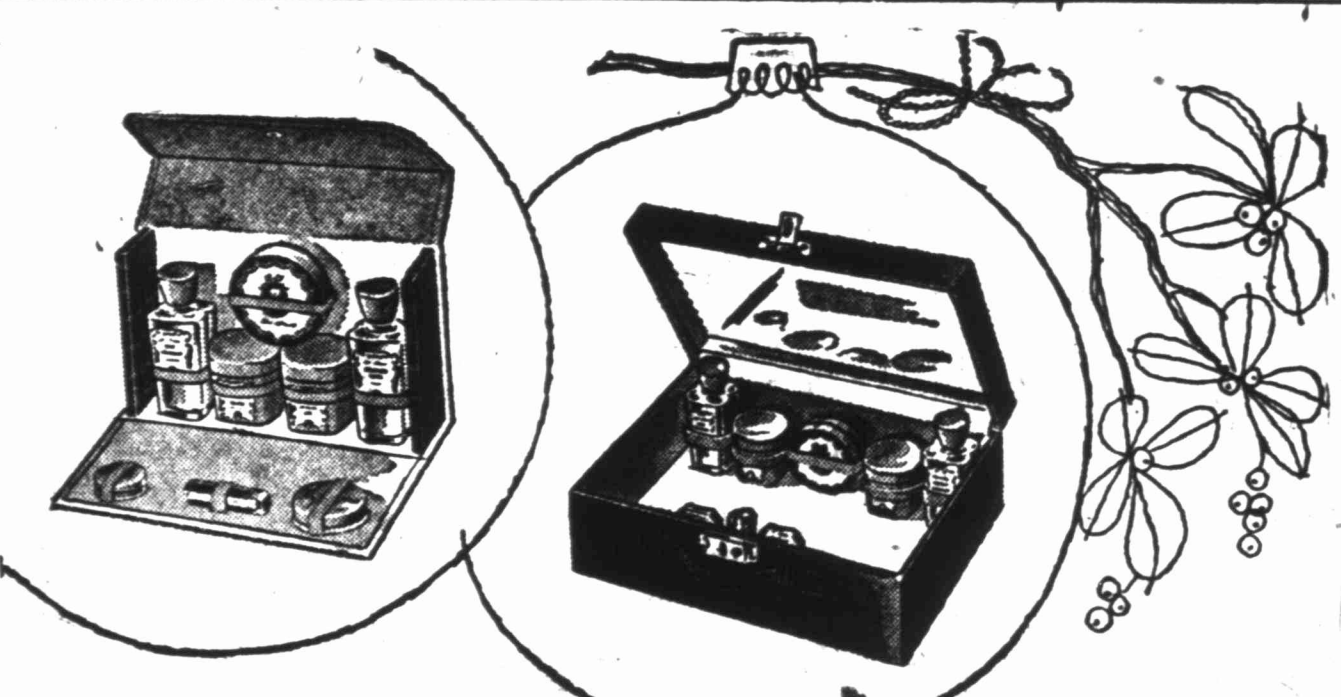
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# COMING EVENTS

## MONDAY

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 3:30 p.m. in the parish house. Hostesses will be Mrs. Hal Rachal, Mrs. H. W. Mathews, Mrs. W. D. Henderson, Mrs. J. L. Crump and Mrs. John H. Beatty.

The Midland Palette Club and Contemporary Painters will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Palette Studio.

The Rebekah Lodge will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Odd Fellows Hall.

The Silver Spur Square Dance

Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Asbury Methodist Church will meet in circles as follows: Friendship and Builders Circles at 1 p.m. in the church for a covered dish luncheon and Christmas party; Willing Workers Circle at 7:30 p.m., Mrs. C. W. Holleman, 2600 West Washington Street.

The Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 3 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for a Christmas program. The women of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church will be guests.

The Business and Professional Women's Club will have its annual Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in Hotel Scharbauer.

The Sunbeams (pre-school and six-year-olds) of the First Baptist Church will meet at 3 p.m. in the church. The Sunbeams (seven to nine-year-olds), the Girls' Auxiliary and the Royal Ambassadors will meet at 4 p.m. in the church.

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will have a Christmas party at 3 p.m. in the church. Members are asked to bring gifts costing not more than \$1 for the gift exchange.

The Women's Missionary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church will meet at 2 p.m. in circles as follows: Katie and Alvin Hutton Circle, Flora Baker, 802 South Canal Street; Gene Newton Circle, Mrs. Brody Caudle, 1010 North Loraine Street; Mrs. Ulys Barber and Mrs. A. L. Teaff will be the mission study leaders.

The Evangelists Class of the First Baptist Church will have a Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. G. Epley, 1700 West Louisiana Street.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will have a Christmas party at 2:30 p.m. in the educational building. The Evening Circle will have a Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. F. Gaines, 503 West Broadway Street.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Midland Memorial Hospital will have a tea at 3:30 p.m. in the Nurses' Home.

## TUESDAY

The Beta Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will have a Christmas party at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Randy Rubin, 105 Ridgelea Drive. Members are asked to bring gift books for Girlstown.

The Social Order of Beauceants will meet at 5 p.m. in the Masonic Hall for initiation of officers.

The Terminal Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 3:45 p.m. in the school.

The Promenaders Square Dance Club will have a Christmas party at 7 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club.

The Progressive Study Club will have its annual Christmas dance at 8:30 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

The Brotherhood luncheon of the First Baptist Church will be held at noon in the church. The Intermediate Royal Ambassadors will have a dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the recreation hall. The Business Women's Circle will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. M. H. Davis, 2306 West Kentucky Street. A Worker's Conference will be held at 10 a.m. in the Trinity Baptist Church in Odessa.

The Grace White Class of the First Baptist Church will have a Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. L. Johnson, 2915 West Wall Street.

Mrs. H. L. Beckman and Mrs. Robert Dewey will be in charge of the Children's Service League Clothing Room in the Red Cross Building.

The Boys' Choir of the First Methodist Church will practice at 4:15 p.m. in the primary room of the educational building. The Young Adults' Class will have a Christmas party at 6:30 p.m. in the educational building. The Fellowship Class will have a Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the home of R. K. Kimberlin, Jr., 1805 West Louisiana Street.

West Elementary Club Pack 6 will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Junior High School Auditorium.

## WEDNESDAY

The Do-Si-Do and the Circle Eight Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall for a Christmas party.

The sewing room in the Midland Memorial Hospital will be open from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. for members of the Women's Auxiliary to the hospital.

The Home Demonstration Council will have a Christmas party and installation of officers from 2 to 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. B. L. Mason, 800 South Baird Street.

The Modern Study Club will meet at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Harrie Smith on East Highway 80. Mrs. J. E. Beakey will review "The Velvet Touch." Members are asked to bring \$1 for the club's building fund.

The Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will have a Christmas party at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. C. P. Henderson, 1202 West Storey Street.

The Swing Away Square Dance Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club. Members of the Garden City Club will be guests. An orchestra from Garden City will furnish the music.

The Teachers of the First Baptist Church will have a meeting at 7

p.m. in the church. The choir will practice at 8:15 p.m. in the church.

The May Tidwell Circle of the First Methodist Church will have a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Jack Walcher, 1701 West Kansas Street. The Chancel Choir will practice at 7:30 p.m. in the primary room of the educational building.

## THURSDAY

The Junior Choir of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 7 p.m. in the church.

The Midland Garden Club will have a luncheon at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. E. Hill, 1208 West Illinois Street.

The Little Diggers Club will meet at 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, 1502 West Texas Street.

The DYT Club will have a Christmas party at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. T. S. Henderson, 1201 West Storey Street.

The YWA of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Dub Hagler, 1300 West Tennessee Street.

The Midland Shrine Club will have a dance from 9 p.m. until 3 a.m. in the American Legion Hall. Jack Free's orchestra will furnish the music.

The Girls' Choir will practice at 4:15 p.m. in the primary room of the educational building. The Vesper Choir will practice at 6:30 p.m. in the primary room of the educational building.

## FRIDAY

The Ranchland Hills Country Club will have a ballroom opening dance in the clubhouse. Reservations may be made by telephoning No. 4578. Denny Beckner's orchestra will furnish the music.

The Midland Youth Center will have a semi-formal dance from 8 to 12 p.m. in the Youth Center at 805 West Illinois Street.

## SATURDAY

The Children's Story Hours will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library and in the library's Dunbar branch. At Terminal, the time will be 10 a.m.

## Golf Association Has Luncheon.

Mrs. J. J. Travis acted as hostess to the Ladies Golf Association of the Midland Country Club at a luncheon Friday in the clubhouse. Decorations carried out a holiday theme with an arrangement of Christmas flowers and spruce centering the table. It was announced that the next luncheon will be held January 5.

Guests were Mrs. J. Homer Epley, Mrs. Ralph Troseth, Mrs. G. A. Kroenlein, Gladys Hunt and Mrs. Jack Walton.

Others attending were Mrs. N. M. Ligon, Mrs. Jack Bliss, Mrs. Frank Downey, Mrs. E. E. Reigle, Mrs. N. B. Smith, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. J. E. Bucher, Mrs. Charles Sherwood, Mrs. Bob Franklin, Mrs. Frank Aldrich and Mrs. James Phipkin.

The Moment Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a.m. in the Watson Studio.

The Trinity Episcopal Church will have a church school service and program at 7 p.m. in the church. Contributions of toys and canned goods will be collected for the Good-fellow's baskets.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, DEC. 17, 1930-11

## Midland County Library Adds 267 Fiction, Non-Fiction Books

A total of 267 fiction and non-fiction books has been added to the Midland County Library since November 1.

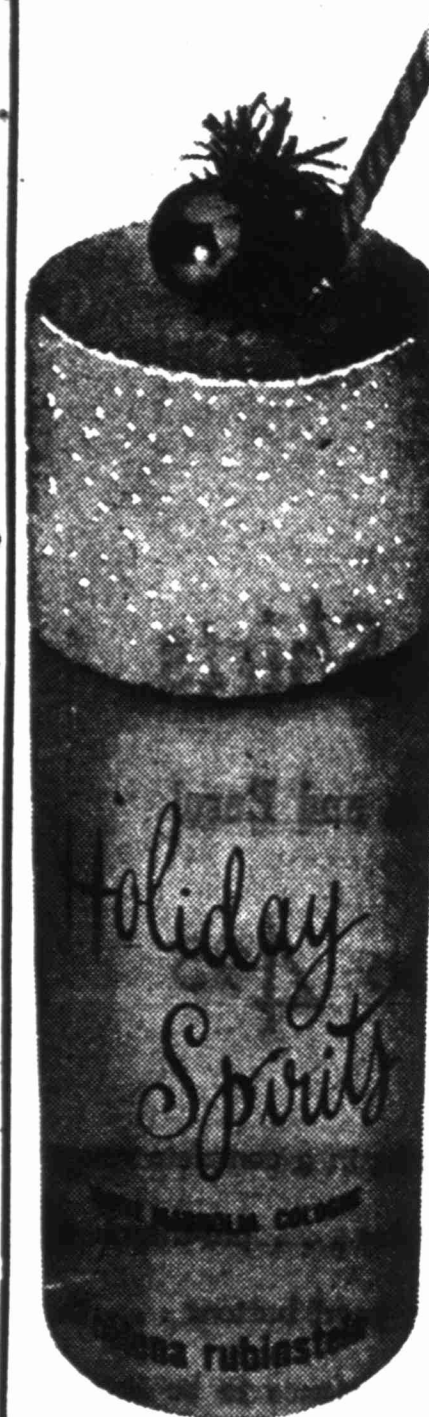
The fiction list includes "Joy Street," Keyes; "Valley Forge, 24 December, 1777—A Christmas Story," Mason; "Somebody Speak For Katy," Witherspoon; "Purple Passage," Hahn; "Rainbow In The Royal," Roark; "Pathway To The Stars," Kane; "Adventures of Richard Hannay," Buchan; "City Of Flagg," McMeekin; "The Sign of Jonah," Hale; "The Far Lands," Hall, and "She Rode A Yellow Stallion," Reed.

Among the new non-fiction books are "The Hinge of Fate," Churchill; "Air Power: Key To Survival," De Sevsky; "Sourcebook of Atomic Energy," Glasstone; "Courtroom," Reynolds; "London Journey, 1662-1763," Boswell; "Fifth Chinese Daughter," Wong; "Little Britches," Moody; "Nuts In May," Skinner. "Decline And Fall Of Practically Everybody," Cappy; "Decorate Your Home For Better Living," Brandt; "Four Thousands Years of Christmas," Counts; "A Life Of Jesus," Goodspeed; "American Painting, History and Interpretation," Barker; "Index Of American Design," Christensen; "Western Flower Arrangement," Starker; "Birds," Menaboni; "U. S. Camera Annual, 1931," Maloney, editor; "How To Be Happy Though Young," Lawson; "Neurosis And Human Growth," Horney; "Preparing Your Child For School," Gabbard; "Applied Sedimentation," Trask; and "Natural Regions of the U.S.S.R.," Berg.

## +Rankin News+

RANKIN—Sam Crites, who superintended considerable drilling activity in the Rankin area last year, was a business visitor here Thursday. Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, Mrs. D. O. McKelvey and Mrs. S. O. Langford were San Angelo visitors Thursday. Mrs. M. O. Wheeler has been confined to her home by illness the last two weeks.

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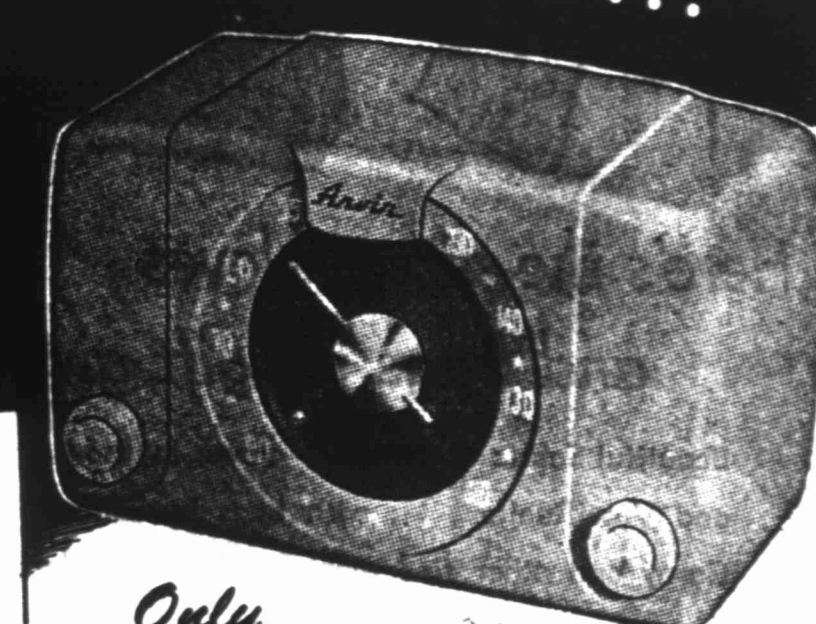
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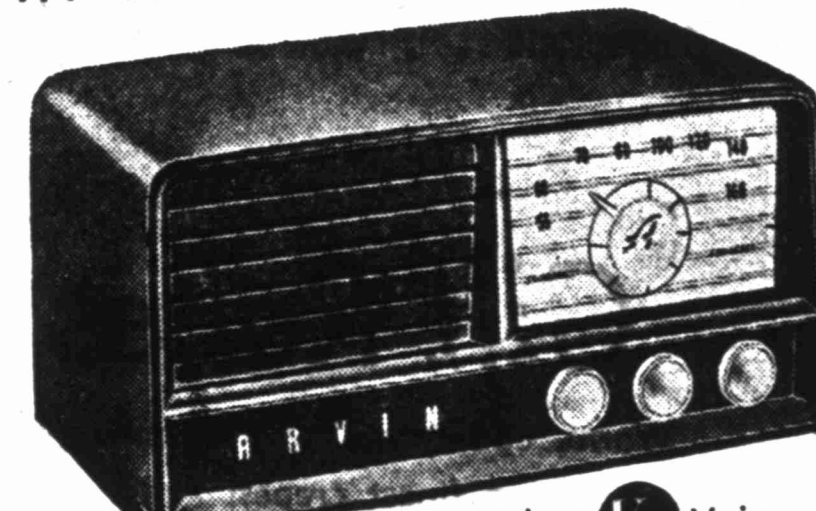


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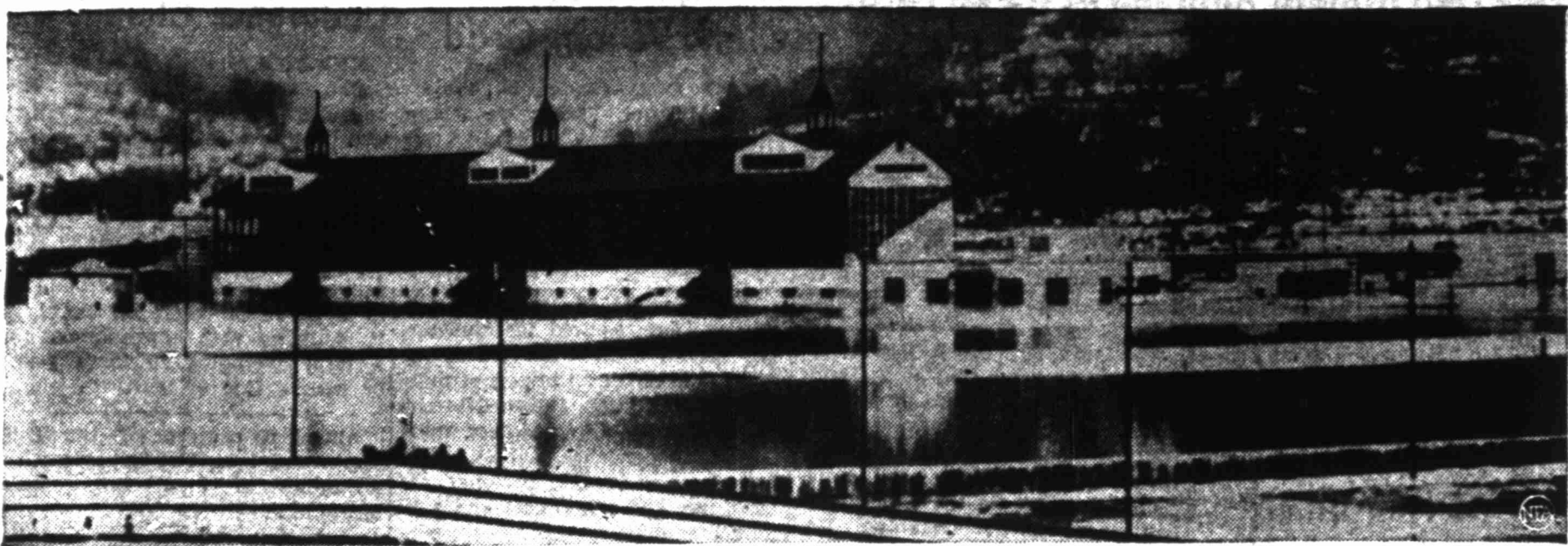
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## Helen Hayes Takes Backstage Role To Provide Some Youngsters A 'Break'

NEW YORK (NEA)—Anybody looking for Helen Hayes these days will find her on the other side of the footlights. The actress, one of Broadway's brightest stars, has temporarily deserted the greasepaint for the job of producer.

Her switch wasn't made because she has a burning desire to produce, or because she thinks there's more money in that end of the theater. In fact, she admits that she doesn't know too much about producing plays. And she's getting \$75 per week for her efforts, which is a cut or two below her normal take-home pay.

She's gone in for production to give the American National Theatre and Academy a hand in its crusade to help young actors and actresses. Helen Hayes explains her interest in ANTA and its work like this:

"Most of the women stars in the theater are almost 50, or over," she confides, and she mentions Katharine Cornell, Lynn Fontanne, Judith Anderson, Tallulah Bankhead, Ruth Gordon, Gertrude Lawrence and herself.

"When I was a youngster," she adds, "producers realized the necessity for helping young people to carry on the tradition. Plays were written for them and those with talent were given every opportunity to develop it."

That's how it was in the past, but something has changed. Beginners are now completely on their own, Miss Hayes points out, and nobody tried to help them until ANTA came along. Its aim is to give assistance, not only to talented young players, directors and writers, but to the theater itself.

Miss Hayes, ANTA's president, is doing her bit by organizing a production of Sir James M. Barrie's fantasy, "Mary Rose." The play is now being cast, a promising young director has been chosen, and Miss Hayes will handle the technical and



Star's new role is desk job—Helen Hayes, actress turned producer—for a while—takes her place at her desk in the ANTA offices and talks business with actress Gertrude Lawrence.

financial aspects. She'll supervise everything that happens off stage. Her production will be one of a series of ANTA plays, each of which will run for two weeks only. Each production will have a completely new cast.

**Not All Novices**  
"But no cast will be composed of amateurs," the star emphasizes. "ANTA is not made up of beginners. In fact, it hasn't any. Those taking part have all had experience in some phase of the drama, but they haven't yet made big names for themselves. ANTA hopes to give them that boost."

Everyone taking part in the series—even to big names like John Garfield and Judith Anderson—will receive the same salary, the actors' minimum of \$75 a

week.  
"I love the theater and I've had this ideal for a long, long time," says Miss Hayes, who turned down play and movie offers for her idea and \$75. "This is the first chance I've had to work it out—to help other people establish themselves as someone once helped me."

Once "Mary Rose" has run its two-week course, Helen Hayes will be ready to retire as a producer. She'll have realized her dream of helping others reach fame. And she'll be ready to get back on the other side of the footlights to demonstrate that she deserves her own fame.

The sacred African lily is a native of India, not Africa.

## Feverish Capital Of Korea Now Rumor Center Of World

By HAL BOYLE

SEOUL (AP)—This feverish and insecure capital of Korea has become a rumor capital of the world.

Because the 1,500,000 people who dwell here feel the advance of the Chinese Communist Army has made the future of Seoul uncertain, they are caught between hope and dread.

This has put them in a mood to listen to any wildly wagging tongue. Military security necessarily forbids the United Nations Army and Korean government authorities from revealing their plans. This adds to the wagging of irresponsible tongues.

Some rumors may be started by Communist agents seeking to spread panic. But this known Communist technique hasn't been proved in use here yet. Most rumors probably spring spontaneously from natural unease.

Rumors aren't confined to Koreans, unfortunately. Some are springing up among American troops and spreading concern in the hearts of the weary men who have fought well.

But they have a phrase to describe this senseless gossip mongering. They call it "ringing the panic button."

**Here Are Answers**

Three soldiers were asked to relate the latest rumor circulating among troops. These were their answers:

"I've heard they are going to drop atom bombs on all Chinese troops massed on the Manchurian border," said Sgt. Don H. Burton of Dallas.

"A guy who was on guard duty said he heard the sound of Red artillery booming on the outskirts of Seoul, and I think it was the same guy who rushed into his barracks yelling the Chinese were 20 miles south of the 38th parallel," said Cpl. Robert E. Kerr of Salisbury, N. C.

"The rumor is always around that we are going back to Japan tomorrow—and leaving this hole to the Chinese," said Sgt. Richard Orten-gren of Marinette, Wis.

None of these three soldiers believed the rumors. But such uncorroborated tidings of hope or dismay are bad for the morale of the Army.

The iron law of military security here forbids an answer to still the big mouths of rumor. All a soldier under discipline can do is wait and take his orders when they come. No Army can announce its plans before the right time comes.

To wait and wonder what those plans are—and then try to carry them out—is the sad and lonely and necessary duty of a loyal soldier.

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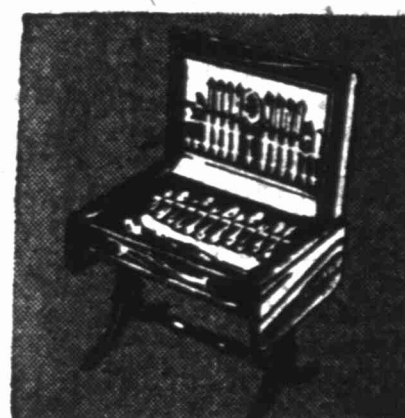
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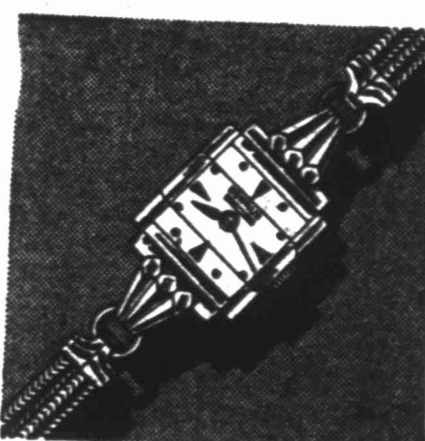
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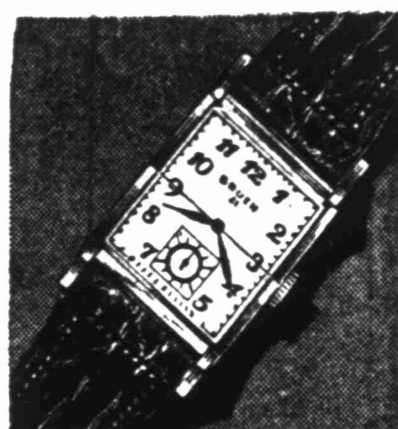
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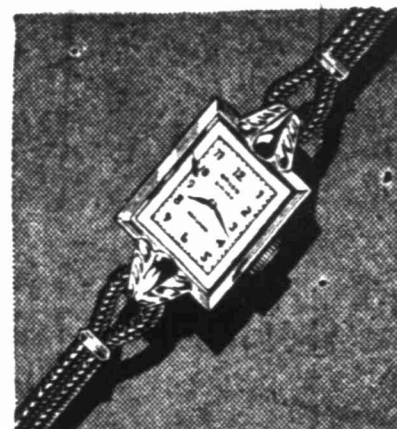
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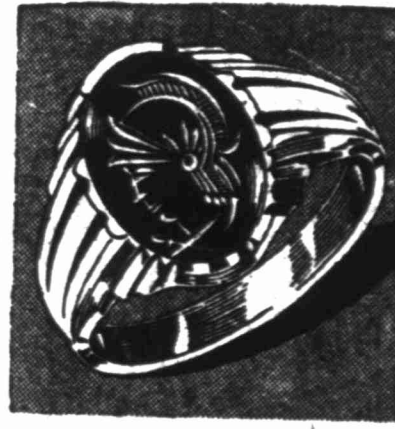
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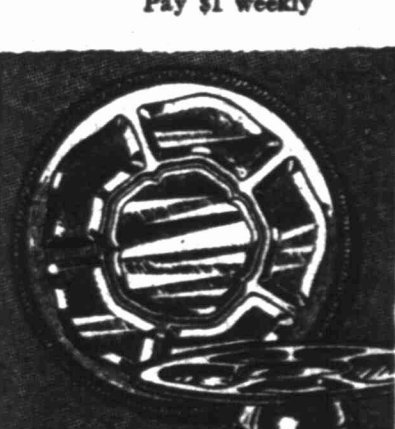
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## Q. and A.

## You and the Service

By DOUGLAS LARSEN  
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON — (NEA) —

Q.—My husband was in the Merchant Marine for two years during World War II but was never officially discharged. We have two children. Can he be drafted?

A.—They aren't drafting fathers. Q.—I am 19 and have a commercial pilot's license. Can I get into the Air Force or Air Guard as a pilot?

A.—You can't fly in service except by getting wings through the flight training schools.

Q.—Can pilots who do not have college education get into the Air Force cadet program?

A.—No. At the present time you must have two years of college.

Q.—I enlisted in the Air Force for three years but only served a little more than one year. On the back of my discharge is written "recommended for further military training." What is my status?

A.—By ending your active enlistment early you were required to finish the three years as a reservist. All enlistments, reserve and active, have been extended. You are therefore subject to recall. But unless you are in the critical category you won't be called.

Q.—I am of draft age and have registered with my board. But I have not received a questionnaire although all my friends have, some of whom have been drafted. What do you advise doing?

A.—Better call your draft board and tell them about it.

Q.—My son is about to receive a medical discharge from the National Guard. Will that make him subject to the draft?

A.—Yes, but chances are he won't pass the medical exam if he's getting a medical discharge from the National Guard.

Q.—Are Army reserve commissions frozen?

A.—Yes.

Q.—I am interested in enlisting in the Air Force nursing corps. I have a son six years old, but I wonder if my mother is made legal guardian of the child, will I be free to enlist?

A.—The Air Force provides this answer: "Females who have a dependent or dependents under 18 years of age or a child or children under 18 years of age are not eligible to apply for appointment under the provisions of the regulations. The fact that the applicant does not have legal custody of the child or children will not remove the disqualification."

Q.—When I was in service a few years ago my father got in an accident and lost his arm. I was dis-

charged to help take care of the family. Does this mean that I have to give a certain amount of time or part of my salary to the support of my parents? And how long does this obligation last?

A.—There is no obligation on your part, other than a moral one, to keep supporting your parents or to give them a part of your salary.

Q.—Can an inactive reservist apply for active duty and be accepted?

A.—Absolutely. If they need you and you pass the physical you're in.

Q.—Our 18-year-old Philippine houseboy has registered for the draft. He was with us for many years including a period of internment by the Japs. He has a half year to go to finish high school and we would like him to continue on to college. Do you think he will get a deferment? When is the best time to ask for one?

A.—If he is physically fit there doesn't appear to be any grounds for deferment. There might be a question of his citizenship. You should have requested the deferment when he filled out his questionnaire.

## Reserve Officers May Become Active

AUSTIN—Authorization to transfer Army Reserve officers from inactive status without regard to vacancies in the Volunteer Reserve was received from the Department of the Army, Col. C. M. Culp, Chief of the Texas Military District, announced.

Under this new policy, many Texas Reserve officers who have been kept on the inactive list for lack of a vacancy in the Volunteer Reserve will be enabled to become active and participate in training activities, receive credit in longevity, retirement points and better prepare themselves for active duty, Colonel Culp pointed out.

Any Reserve officer who is not over age in grade may submit an application for such transfer to his local unit instructor. Applications must be in writing and include the following statements:

- a. That the officer desires the transfer.
- b. That he believes himself to be physically qualified for active duty in the armed forces.
- c. That he is capable of participating in the required Reserve training.

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## Reserve Seamen May Enlist For Active Navy Duty

Seaman recruits and seaman apprentices who were members of the Naval Reserve prior to Sept. 1, 1950, now can volunteer for active duty in the Navy after they have received draft induction notices, Eighth Naval District headquarters announced.

The Commandant of the Eighth Naval District said the new ruling will affect approximately 14,000 men in the district who are in the above category.

Until now, he said, regulations had prevented men in the Naval Reserve's two lowest pay grades from volunteering for active duty unless they had at least six months' previous full time duty on their records. Under those regulations, a number of these men have been drafted for lack of required regular duty. The Navy cannot now take draftees.

These reservists may now be placed on active duty in the Naval Reserve while they are being processed under selective service, an any time prior to the actual selective service induction date, the Navy ruling stated.

Procedure Listed  
The procedure is as follows: The reservist wishing to volunteer should contact his nearest Naval recruiting station or substation. He must meet the same mental, physical and other standards as the regular Navy recruit.

He will then be sent into recruit training with regular Navy recruits, but will maintain his identity as a Reservist in Class V-13 of the Naval Reserve.

Reservists in the rates of seaman and fireman, and petty officer in certain ratings, still are being accepted as volunteers, the Commandant pointed out.

## Lt. Hickey Named PIO For Reserves

Lt. Jack Hickey, 2500 W. Elizabeth Street U. S. Army Reserve, has been appointed Public Information Officer for the Organized Reserve Corps in Midland.

In this capacity, Lieutenant Hickey will work closely with newspapers and radio stations in Midland to keep people in this area informed about activities of reserve units and individual reservists.

He will report on local news of reservists as well as statewide reserve news origination at the Headquarters, Texas Military District at Austin.

Since the beginning of the Occupation 2,248 Christian missionaries have been cleared to enter Japan.

## Billy McCarter Back From Korean Attack

SAN DIEGO, CALIF. — Billy M. McCarter, engineer - fireman, USN, son of Mrs. W. E. Byrd, 1806 North Main Street, Midland, Texas, arrived back in the United States from Korea aboard the amphibious attack cargo ship USS WASHBURN of the Pacific Fleet Amphibious Force. His ship was one of the first ships which took part in the assault landings at Wolsong Do and Inchon.

On hand to welcome the veterans of the largest naval landing since World War II was Rear Admiral Francis X. McInerney, commander of the Amphibious Training Command, representing Rear Admiral Ingolf N. Kiland, commander Amphibious Force, Pacific Fleet. Gals "Welcome Home" and "Well Done" banners were strung from buildings on the pier. A band from the Marine Corps Recruit Depot played tunes of welcome for the returning heroes and their families and friends who were waiting on the dock. Drum majorettes from San Diego high schools added a particularly jubilant touch to the scene.

The WASHBURN left San Diego only four months ago on August 17, but in that short time she has seen plenty of action. She carried much-needed supplies from her country to the fighting men in Korea as she was rushed into the "bridge of ships" that transported men and supplies from Japan to Korea in the early dark hours of the conflict.

The record established by the WASHBURN in Korean waters represents her first wartime experience. She was commissioned at Hoboken, N. J., on May 17, 1945 and made her maiden voyage to Europe. From there she circled the globe to China, Japan and the Philippines and reached San Diego for the first time in April, 1946.

REDS SAY FAMOUS CHINA TOO FANCY FOR PEOPLE

BERLIN —(AP)—Saxony's famed Meissen china is too fancy for the common people so the style will have to be changed, East Germany's Communist regime has ruled.

The state-owned plant has been ordered to develop Meissen in forms that are "healthy, lively and close to the people," and to disregard the old "grotesque" style.

The Thames River is pronounced "Tems", says the National Geographic Society, because it was once spelled "Temze".

## Army Department Announces It Can Further Combat Readiness By Unit Field Training

AUSTIN—The Department of the Army announced that it now will be able further to improve the combat readiness of the Organized Reserve Corps by providing for the participation of all members of the U. S. Army Organized Reserve Corps troop units in 15 days of unit field training each year. Under this new program all members of the ORC troop units will be required to participate in this training.

## Marine Recruiter Now At Odessa

M/Sgt. Boyd Knowles, Marine recruiter, has been transferred from San Angelo to Odessa. He had opened a sub-station recruiting office at the new location.

Sergeant Knowles has been making Odessa, Midland, Monahans and other West Texas cities and he will continue to meet recruits in those cities and in other U. S. Highway 80 locations.

The Marines recently made changes in enlistment requirements and will take men with dependents. Men enlisting in the Marine Reserve will be called to immediate active duty and be sent to a training center.

These recruits taken into the Reserve have the same privileges as other Marines. Knowles said. Higher ratings are competitive. Knowles will have one assistant in the Odessa office. A schedule for visits to other cities will be announced.

## Trade Unions In Malaya Smaller

SINGAPORE —(AP)—Malayan trade union membership is steadily dropping. The 1949 annual report of the Registry of Trade Unions revealed that 30,000 members left their unions during the year.

Only five per cent of Malayan workers—about 50,000—were in organized unions at the end of the year.

## INTRODUCED BANJO

The banjo was introduced into the United States by negro slaves. Its name is a corruption of the Italian bandore and the Portuguese bandura, derived from the Greek pandoura, a three-stringed instrument.

Read The Classifieds.

## George Friday Is Clerk School Grad

FORT ORD—George D. Friday, 18, of Midland, Texas, has been graduated from Administrative Clerks Course at Fort Ord, Calif.

This eight week specialized training school is designed to prepare personnel for varied administrative duties required by the Army.

High physical and mental qualifications are required for students. The entire eight week course is spent in study of all phases of military administration. Included in the curriculum are filing, orders, military correspondence, supply, military law, insurance, personal affairs, pay and allowances and personnel administration.

During the last two weeks of the school, students work in what is called an administrative laboratory where their knowledge is applied to coping with administrative situations as they would occur in actual practice.

Friday is the son of Mrs. Mary Ethel Friday, 500 South Main Street, Midland, Texas.

## Sudan Penal Code Undergoes Change

KHARTOUM, SUDAN —(AP)—The Sudan Legislative Assembly has amended the Sudan penal code dealing with sedition. The new section reads:

"Whoever arouses or attempts to arouse illegal opposition to the Sudan government, or feelings of hatred or contempt against that government or against the governments of Egypt or of Great Britain, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term extending to three years, or with a fine or both."

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## Farmers Learning There Is More To Electricity Than Flicking A Switch

By TEX EASLEY

WASHINGTON —(P)—Texas farmers are learning that they need to know a lot more about electricity than simply flicking a switch.

So reports O. B. Bryan of Stanton, who is in charge of a power use educational program in the rural areas of the state. He has been here for conferences on the subject at Rural Electrification Administration headquarters.

"Sometimes a farmer buys a lot of electrical appliances in town," says Bryan, "and when he gets home with them he finds they won't work at all on the type of current on his place."

"It may sound a little technical, but put as simply as possible, our rural electric co-op lines are single phase designed to operate up to 10 horsepower motors. Most of our city lines are set up to handle up to three-phase motors."

He cited the example of the farmer who bought a feed grinding machine and sorrowfully discovered after he had it installed that it wouldn't operate on his circuit. And, Bryan continued, occasionally farmers pick up what they think to be good second hand bargains, or buy from a none-too-scrupulous dealer, and find they can't return equipment that they can't use.

### Taking The Lead

"Texas cooperatives are taking the lead in an educational program to reduce these unhappy occurrences to a minimum," Bryan said. "But that is only part of our program."

"Once a farmer has electricity, he may be surprised to learn a lot of new ways he can make use of it and make it pay dividends in dollars."

"Proper use of equipment also is important. A brooder that is regulated correctly, for instance, might be operated at just half the cost on one which hasn't been checked and adjusted."

Bryan is manager of the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, as well as chairman of the Power Use and Education Committee of the Texas Power Reserve Electric Cooperative. The reserve cooperative is managed by Elmo Osborne of Austin and is composed of about 80 cooperatives throughout Texas. Osborne and Mrs. George H. Robbins of Perryton were here with Bryan attending the power-use conferences.

Around the Capital: Mayor Carol Shiffer of Texarkana, here for a meeting of the American Municipal Association, came out for a tour of the Capitol. His hometown congressman, Wright Patman, took him into the House chamber where workmen are finishing a \$3,000,000 remodeling job.

Miss Diana Sandefer of Abilene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Sandefer, was chosen "Sweetheart of A&M" for the big Texas A&M-Georgia Presidential Cup football game sponsored by the American Legion.

Local Aggie exes rooted for their old alma mater, with J. Arnold Shaw of Dallas and Maj. Fred A. (Bodie) Pierce, Jr., of Luling directing. Both are of the class of '40 and were yell leaders at the college.

State Department administration of the Fulbright Scholarship program has come in for lambasting by Waco's Congressman W. R. (Bob) Poage.

Vice President W. T. Gooch of Baylor University had called Poage's attention to reports that an unusually large percentage of scholarship awards to study abroad had gone to New Yorkers and others in the East.

Checking, Poage said he learned that in 1949-50 school year, New York with a total population of approximately 14,000,000 had received 204 scholarships, while 15 southern states with a total population of 45,000,000 had received only 109 awards. Texas received 13.

Describing the administration of the program "an outrage," Poage said those in charge told him that any inequities probably were due to the fact that many more applications for scholarships were filed by New Yorkers.

"It also was pointed out that the New York students filed applications for study in many smaller countries, while Texans usually sought to study in either England or France."

"I suggest that if the quantity of applications is to be a factor, then Texas students should show them with requests. And it would be a good idea to select smaller countries where possible."

### OFFICIAL RESIDENCE

Whitehall became the official residence of English rulers in 1697, giving way to Buckingham Palace in 1837. The British court is called the Court of St. James after a religious establishment which once occupied the site.

The pasque flower is South Dakota's official flower.

## Fox In Boxes Rocks Yankee Stadium

NEW YORK —(NEA)—Yankee Stadium maintenance supervisor Jim Thomson stood at the entrance of the home team bullpen and scanned the outfield through squinted eyes. He wasn't looking for a lost ball. He was looking for a fox.

"I'm telling you there's a real, honest-to-pete fox out there someplace raising hob with this ball park and everything and everybody in it," he insisted, with the pained expression of a thwarted-outfoxed that is—huntsman.

"We've been trying to nail him for more than a month, but he's onto all the tricks. I'm wondering if he'll ever catch him. He's no dope, that fox."

Since October 13, the object of Thomson's admiration has plagued stadium maintenance men and ground keepers since he first was spotted October 13.

"Wouldn't you know something like that would happen on Friday the 13th?" came a wail from a carpenter, his hands full of horseman for one of the myriad traps set all over the park.

"There was a truckload of Army football equipment pulled in here that day from West Point. Almost simultaneously, another truck, carrying tarpaulins from south of Philadelphia, began unloading across the field," Thomson explained.

"That fox was in one of those trucks. He's no city fox. They've got foxes in that wooded park behind the Veterans' Hospital at Kingsbridge—but they're stupid compared to this guy. You can catch them."

All Over Place  
When maintenance man Jim Regan announced to a group of Stadium officials that there was a fox sunning himself on the outfield grass, his boss tried to send Regan home.

"I'm telling you, there's a fox out there," Regan insisted. "I know a fox when I see one."

A few moments later, a West Point colonel entered the office, his eyes suspiciously blank. After a moment, he raised a finger in the direction of the field and stammered:

"There's a blankety-blank fox running all over that place!"

Traps Set

Immediately, traps were set. Floodlights bathed the darkest corners of the park. Monsieur (or Madame, as the case may be) Reynard could be seen, but not caught. A few days later, the small army of cats protecting the Stadium from vermin began disappearing like beaten pitchers heading for the showers.

"Even Minnie—she was the boss of them all—been with us 13 years," lamented Thomson. "Minnie was no quitter. She never would have left this place. She's inside that fox."

"And another thing—we never saw a rat around here before. Now we've got to call the exterminators. I don't know if they're here because the cats are gone or because he just stirred 'em up."

"And you oughta see what he's done to the pigeons. He's eaten up dozens of them. They're none too smart to start with. We even run into them with lawn mowers—but we're running out of pigeons."

For Patrol Work  
Other officials said if that was the only thing Reynard did, they'd just as soon have five more foxes for patrol work.

Night watchman Al Martel is the only one of the intrepid band of fox chasers who threw in the towel. "That thing made a pass at me the other night and I'll be back when you produce a body!" he said, leaving for foxless Boston.

Yankee auditor Aaron Lanier, irked that such liberties should be taken without benefit of past-

### Burmans Charge Police Torture

RANGOON —(P)—A peace mission committee at Katha, North Burma Irrawaddy town, has charged the police of the district with excesses against the townfolk. It has told the district commissioner the police responsible for state property use Japanese Kempeitai methods to force confessions from suspects.

These police are known as the four P's. Their official title is Preservation of Public Property Police. State property includes everything from government treasure to state-controlled forest lands.

### Skin Banks Urged By New Zealander

AUCKLAND, NEW ZEALAND —(P)—Dr. H. P. Pickerill, a plastic surgeon of Wellington, thinks "skin banks" should be established in readiness for atomic warfare. He said, in a speech at Auckland, that there would be thousands of burn cases in future wars, yet nothing was being done about it.

Dr. Pickerill said American medical houses should be persuaded to take up the idea of skin producing. With their big laboratories and highly-paid scientists, he said, they were the only people who could tackle the problem. Dr. Pickerill expressed the opinion that human skin of a universal donor type might be cultured and grown like penicillin in laboratories.

### INDIAN WATER-CLOCK

A large vessel was filled with water, and a smaller vessel with a hole in the bottom, was set on the surface. When the smaller vessel sank, a time-boy lifted it out, emptied it, struck it loudly as a time signal, and set it on the water again.

## British Malayan Casualties Told

SINGAPORE —(P)—British troops fighting Communist terrorists in the dense jungle of Malaya have had casualties since June, 1948, of approximately 200 killed and 300 wounded. This list includes the troops sent here from England, British Gurkhas, the Malay Regiment and locally enlisted personnel.

Military observers say these figures are strikingly low. Communist casualties included 1,441 killed and 704 captured, of which 141 were wounded. Additionally, 575 Communists were wounded but escaped in actions with the British.

While the Communists have taken a comparatively light toll among British troops, the list is steadily rising among civilians and police. A total of 1,147 casualties have been killed by Communists and 702 wounded; 334 civilians are missing. Police losses include 280 regular police killed and 275 wounded. Special police killed number 188 with 210 wounded; 37 auxiliary police have been killed and 24 wounded.

### Italian African Projects Finished

TRIPOLI, TRIPOLITANIA —(P)—A forest belt of 5,000,000 trees—begun during Italian occupation of Libya—has been completed around Tripoli under British administration. The belt is intended to protect Tripoli from hot summer winds and the full effect of the Ghibli sand storms which last for days at a time. Trees also are used throughout the territory to control drifting sand dunes.

Another pre-war Italian project is just arriving at maturity. Millions of olive trees planted in the early '30s are now reaching full production throughout the area. Machinery is lacking, however, for pressing and canning, so much of the record crop has been wasted.

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board, stormed: "That fox suns himself in the most expensive seats in the house." Ed Fisher, Yankee promotion man, says that hundreds of well-meaning persons have offered ideas on how to trap or kill the fox. "We even brought in a foxhound one day," Ed said. "He flopped." "And we don't want the fox dead. If we shoot him, the ASPCA will be on our necks and if we poison him he may decide to die under the four-dollar seats. Can you imagine anybody sitting in them next season?"



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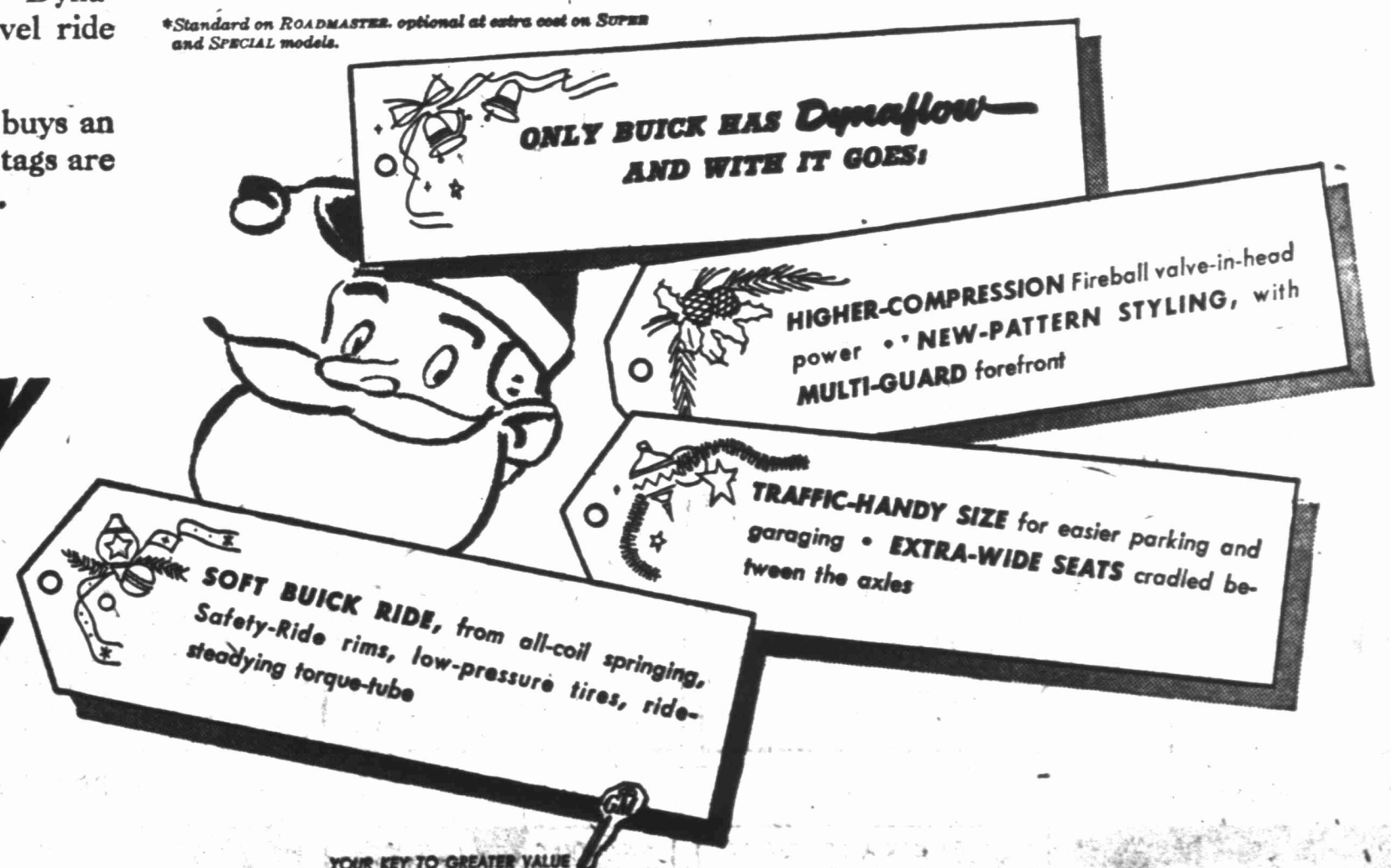
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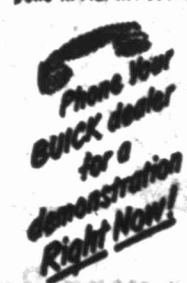
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# DADDY RINGTAIL

**Daddy Ringtail And Huffy Tuffy's Brother**

Daddy Ringtail, your monkey friend, one fine day was sitting out on the swing on the porch of the monkey house. Mother Ringtail came out and said: "Daddy Ringtail, did you see all the coconuts down there on the ground beneath our very tall tree?"

Ah me, those coconuts were quite a mystery, you know. They were quite a mystery indeed, except Daddy Ringtail knew what had happened, and he said he knew, and he explained all about it.

He explained that Huffy Tuffy's brother had never intended to leave the coconuts down there. He had planned to take the coconuts home

to his house. And why hadn't he done it? Why oh why oh why? Well, Huffy Tuffy's brother was a big, big fellow with a terrible, terrible temper. He was always los-



ing his temper, always becoming very angry when the least little thing went wrong. So Huffy Tuffy's brother had

been walking along with the armful of coconuts. He had dropped one, which made him so angry that his face turned red. He bent over to pick it up, and when he did, there! He had dropped another coconut, which made him angrier than ever. His face turned purple, this time. Now, how very, very angry he was. How very, very much his temper was lost.

Again he stooped to pick up the coconut, but there! He had dropped still another. He was so angry now that his face changed from purple to red to orange and back again to three shades of purple. His temper was so very lost now that he didn't care if he never saw a coconut again for the rest of his life. He threw the rest of the coconuts down on the ground, and away he walked through the forest without them.

And so that is how the coconuts happened to be down there on the ground beneath the very tall tree where Daddy Ringtail lives in the top. That's what Daddy Ringtail said. They were waiting down there for anyone who wanted to get them. Yes, and so Daddy Ringtail went down and got them. Mother Ringtail made some scrambled coconut for supper, but Huffy Tuffy's brother, poor fellow, went to bed hungry. I am sorry to say, because of the temper-losing he had done. Happy day!

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**MOVIE MAC**—Looking as much like General MacArthur as the general himself, Robert Barrat, veteran actor, strikes a typical pose while portraying the general in a Hollywood movie. Barrat studies newsmen of MacArthur to get realism into his part.

**ITALIAN MERCHANT FLEET GETTING BACK TO NORMAL** —(AP)—The Italian merchant fleet reached a total of 2,722,823 tons with 1,175 ships by the end of September, it was officially disclosed.

The Italian merchant fleet was down to 400,000 tons at the war's end. Purchase of U. S. liberty ships and building of new craft under the ERP program has steadily increased the tonnage of the Italian merchant marine, now almost at its pre-war peak.

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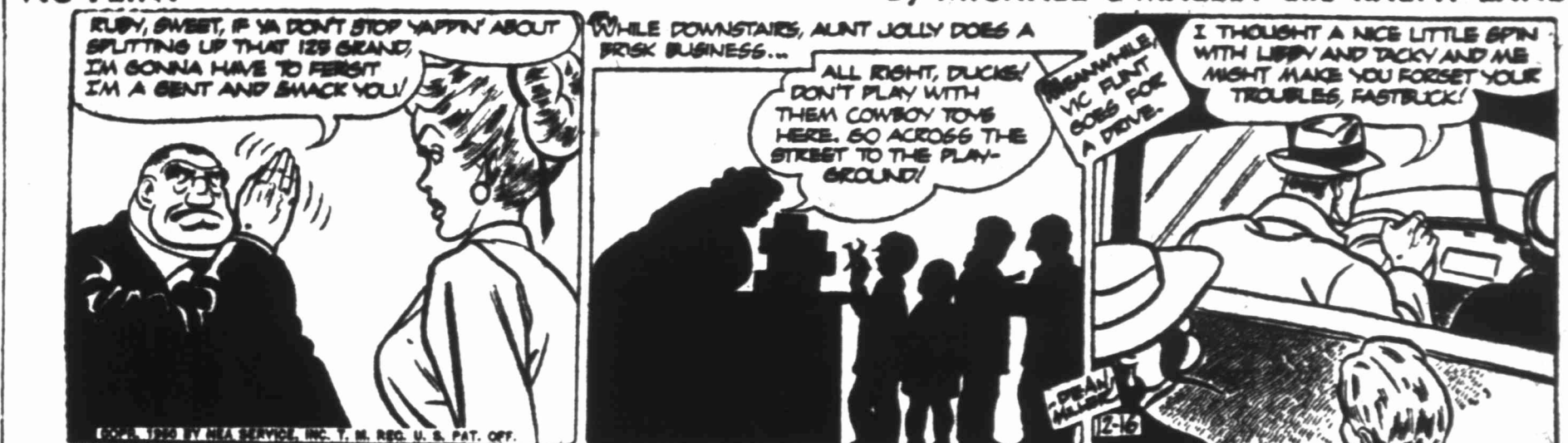
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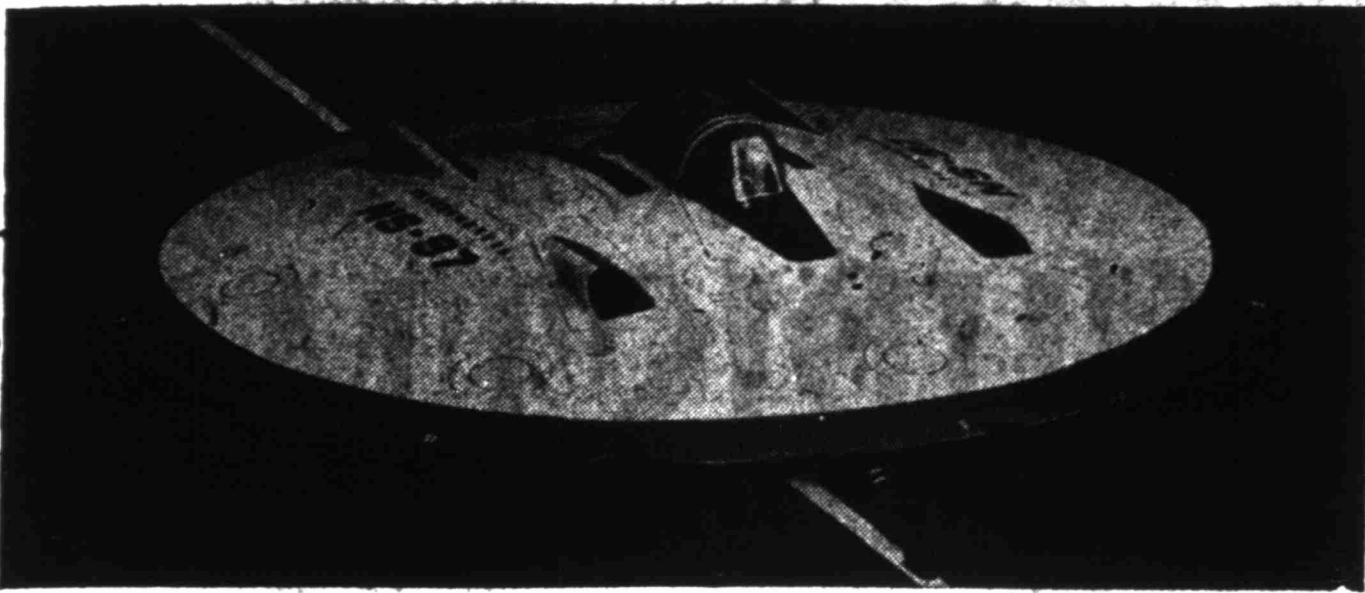


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**NON-FLYING "FLYING SAUCER"**—This model "flying saucer" was built by Nick Stasinos of Inglewood, Calif., on order for a New York museum. The craft, called the "Experimental NS-97," shows two main jet installations in the center section and eight turbo-jet ports on the outer revolving disc. Considered aerodynamically practical, the saucer is not scheduled for production now.

## • The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

(Copyright, 1950, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)  
Drew Pearson says: Truman shuns A-bomb use; Taxpayers finance three congressmen's press notices; Some patriotic businessmen are helping government mobilize.

WASHINGTON—When new price director Mike DiSalle conferred with the President recently, he told him that the subject of the atom bomb was a topic of lively conversation around the large DiSalle dinner table. One night, said the ex-mayor of Toledo, he polled his five children on whether or not the atom bomb should be used. Each one of them said "Yes"—except his youngest daughter, Dianne, aged ten.

"Why do you say it shouldn't be used?" DiSalle asked.

"Well," replied Dianne thoughtfully, "if we used it, somebody might also use it against us."

The President smiled at the story. "That young daughter of yours," he said, "makes a lot more sense about the atom bomb than a number of people I've been talking with recently."

### Taxpayers Finance Publicity

Three headline-minded congressmen—Clare Hoffman, George Dondero and Paul Shafer, all Michigan Republicans—have discovered a sure-fire way to get their names in the papers back home. They simply pay off, with the taxpayers' money, the reporter who writes the news.

In fact, all three keep the same Michigan reporter, or his wife, on the public payroll.

He is Thomas L. Munger, who writes for a string of small Michigan papers, including the Pontiac Press. He is carried on the payrolls of both Hoffman and Dondero, while his wife, Mayme Munger, is listed as an office clerk for Shafer. However, other Michigan congressmen claim it is Munger, not Mrs. Munger, who works for Shafer, too. This enterprising reporter, therefore, appears to be paid both by his newspapers and the congressmen for writing about them. Hoffman pays \$58 and Dondero \$100 per month to Munger, and Shafer authorizes another \$190 per month for Mrs. Munger. Of course, these side salaries actually come out of the taxpayers' pockets.

### Rollcall Of Patriots

One important problem most people don't realize today is that of getting trained executives to give up the high salaries paid by private business to work in Washington.

Every week various experts are invited to help out their country with the intricate problem of mobilization, but usually the answer is "No."

However, this column would like to pay tribute to the following men

who patriotically have given up private jobs to help their country:

Dr. William L. Langer, distinguished Harvard history professor and expert on Europe who helped the ultra-secret Office of Strategic Services during the war. He now has come back to Washington to work for Central Intelligence.

Robert Lovett, undersecretary of Defense. Lovett disregarded the advice of both his doctor and his family to help his old friend, Secretary of Defense Marshall.

William H. Jackson, law partner of Jock Whitney, who was deputy intelligence chief for Gen. Omar Bradley in Europe. He now has given up a lush law practice to assist Gen. Beidell Smith at Central Intelligence.

Anna Rosenberg, assistant secretary of Defense, who made a quarter of a million dollars a year as labor adviser to the Rockefeller, R. H. Macy and some of the biggest corporations in the country. Having come to Washington to help out in the manpower emergency, she faced, unfair, scurrilous attacks on her patriotism by irresponsible people.

Allen Dulles, now working with Central Intelligence. A partner in the law firm of Sullivan and Cromwell, Dulles formerly was chief of the State Department's Near Eastern Division and helped direct OSS during the war.

Note—Few people realize it, but high-income individuals who step way down to a government salary take an awful licking on their income tax. They must dig into their savings to pay taxes, because the Treasury check won't spread out the tax they have to pay on the high income of the year before. Undersecretary Lovett, for instance, was forced to use up his savings to pay taxes and upkeep in Washington during his earlier tour of duty.

### McCarthyism

An Oregon war hero and a noted Catholic order make some interesting comments regarding Senator Joe McCarthy and his wild charges.

Bill Exline, Oregon senior vice-commander of the Military Order of the Purple Heart, writes in the Purple Heart Magazine, "His (McCarthy's) complete disregard for American principles in jurisprudence makes him potentially far more dangerous than those he accuses."

Associate Editor Francis Dowling hit equally hard in the Catholic weekly, Commonweal: "The Voice of McCarthy was abroad in the land and it is now, as it was in the

beginning, a poisoned and fearful thing. . . . We have known demagogues in our political history, but this is a special kind—an evil kind, a deliberate kind—it adds falseness to the already false. It is the spurious and the counterfeit."

### War Notes

Casualties—Even before the Marines broke out of the Chinese trap and began counting their dead and wounded, actual American casualties were running 20,000 ahead of the official announcements. At the end of last week, the announced casualty list was 32,645. In contrast, the actual casualty list still to be given the public was 53,212 dead, wounded and missing.

Self-inflicted wounds—Secret cables from the Korean front report an alarming number of American troops are shooting themselves in order to get shipped back to Japan for hospitalization. Medical officers blame severe battle conditions and battle fatigue for the rise in self-inflicted wounds.

Arm-chair strategist—Likable presidential assistant John Steelman has become a military strategist. In an official memo to the joint chiefs of staff, he gave some ideas on how he thought the Air Force ought to operate, including a suggestion that the Air Force use slower planes, so older pilots could fly them and so the pilots could get a better view of the target. He didn't say what the slow planes were supposed to do in case of an attack by Russian MIG-15 jets.

## Educator Doubts Homework's Value

NEW YORK —(P)—How valuable is homework?

It may have no value, says Dr. James V. McGill, first assistant in social studies in New York City's John Adams High School, writing in "High Points," a magazine published by the New York City Board of Education.

Dr. McGill enlisted four Adams High School social studies teachers in a two-term experiment. On the basis of ability and intelligence tests, they paired off 185 pupils, half in classes where no homework was required, the other half in classes with daily homework. Tests at the end of the year showed about the same level of achievement.

However, cautions Dr. McGill, let's not follow this conclusion out the window. A great deal of research must still be instituted in allied fields, particularly in the various branches of English, "to ascertain whether the nature of the subject matter is a factor in the result obtained."

# ICC Learns Something New In Every Train Wreck But Human Failure Still Has Not Been Wiped Out



End of the line—In this sheared-off passenger car, which plowed underneath the car in background in the Long Island Railroad's Thanksgiving Eve tragedy, investigators will seek clues to the nation's eighth worst train wreck.

### By NEA Service

"We learn something new from every wreck," an official of the Interstate Commerce Commission said right after the Long Island Railroad disaster, eighth worst in U. S. history, which took 77 lives.

It will be some time, probably, before they tell what they learn from New York's Thanksgiving Eve disaster. Five separate investigations—including one by the ICC—are being made. But it has stirred up an unprecedented demand for action and for more rigid safety devices.

What the ICC has learned in many previous investigations is that human failure is a major cause.

Another Long Island wreck less than a year ago, which took 42

lives at Rockville Centre, N. Y., was blamed on the failure of an engineer to heed a stop signal, although the engineer was later acquitted of manslaughter.

### By Human Errors

In one 13-month period a few years ago, the ICC decided that out of 89 wrecks in which 177 persons died, 57 were caused by human errors. And 19 of them, with a death toll of 77, were blamed on failure to obey signals.

That was the year the engineer of the Exposition Flyer "ran the yellow" because he took it for granted the train ahead of him would move on in time. It didn't, and 45 died at Naperville, Ill. That wreck was just one example in that period; it happened to be the worst.

After the Long Island's Rockville Centre wreck, there was agitation for installation of automatic tripper devices, which stop a train if it passes a red signal, on the entire Long Island trackage.

The railroad replied that the cost of such trippers made them beyond consideration. Soon afterwards, the Long Island signal system and safety devices were given a clean bill of health by the New York State Public Service Commission. The demand for trippers, which reached bill form in the legislature, was dropped.

Now it is being revived with full fervor.

### Tripper Devices

The Long Island does use such tripper devices in the tunnels between Manhattan and Long Island, under the East River. It has them at a couple of other danger spots.

Trippers are standard devices, too, on New York's subways, where trains operate on very close headway.

They are not standard, however, on other railroads. Railroad men—not just the officials, but

the men who run the trains, too—man in the cab. Officials call this do not consider them practical for standard railway operations. One reason they give is that the trippers work fine underground, but are apt to be disabled by weather when used out in the open.

Many working railroad men think the answer lies in an extra featherbedding. But electric computer trains such as these involved in the Long Island crash have just one man up front—a motorman in a cab in the head car.

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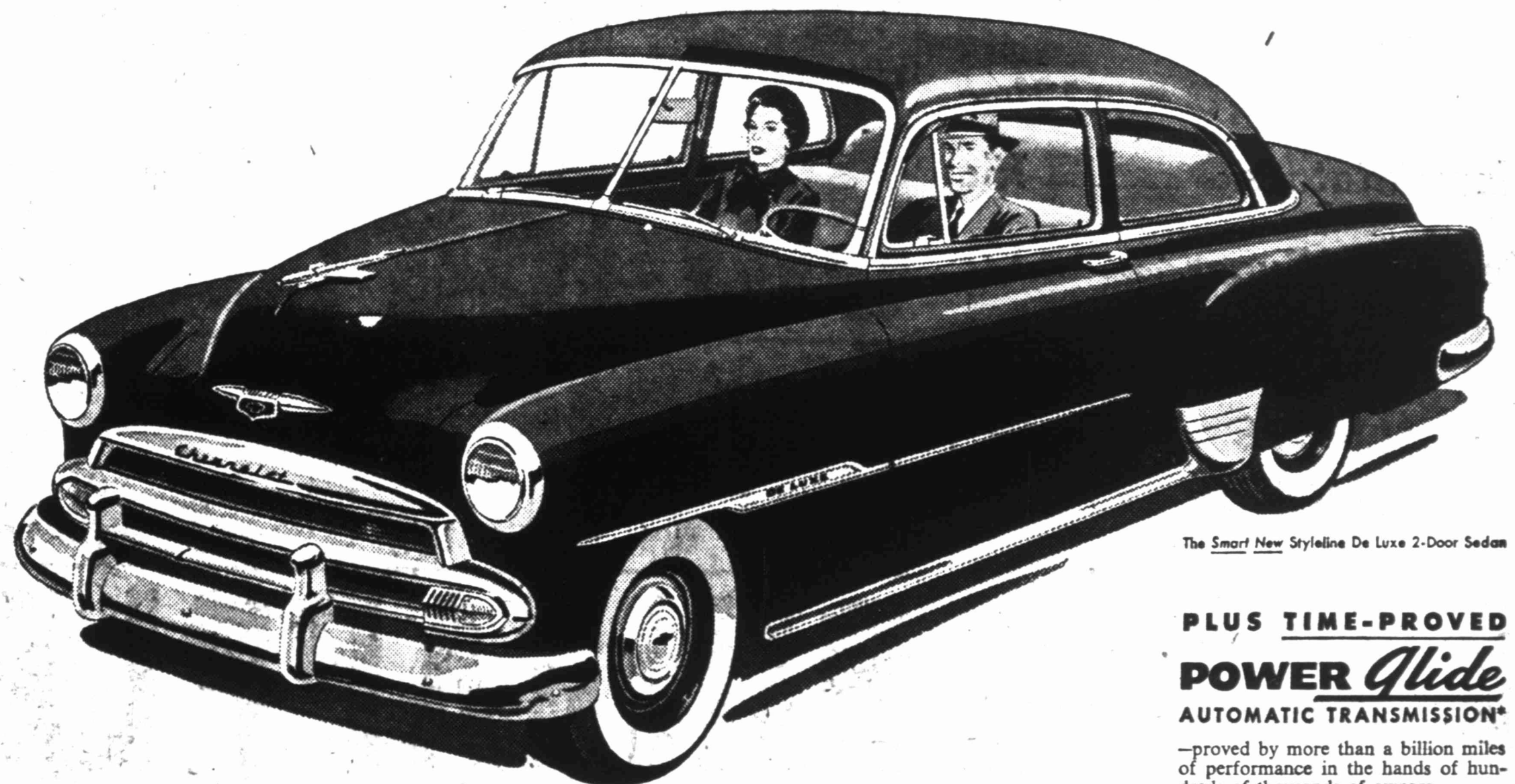
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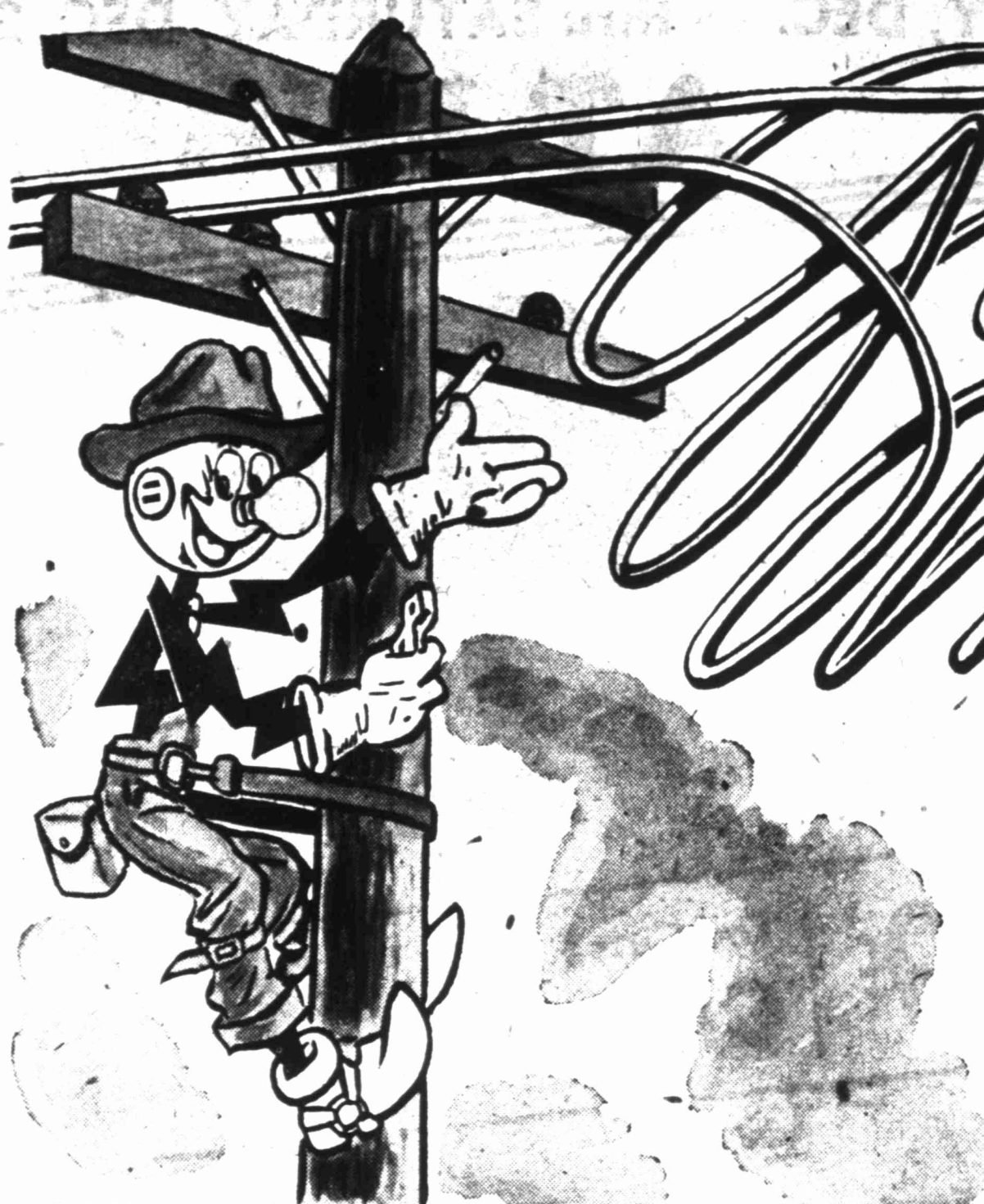
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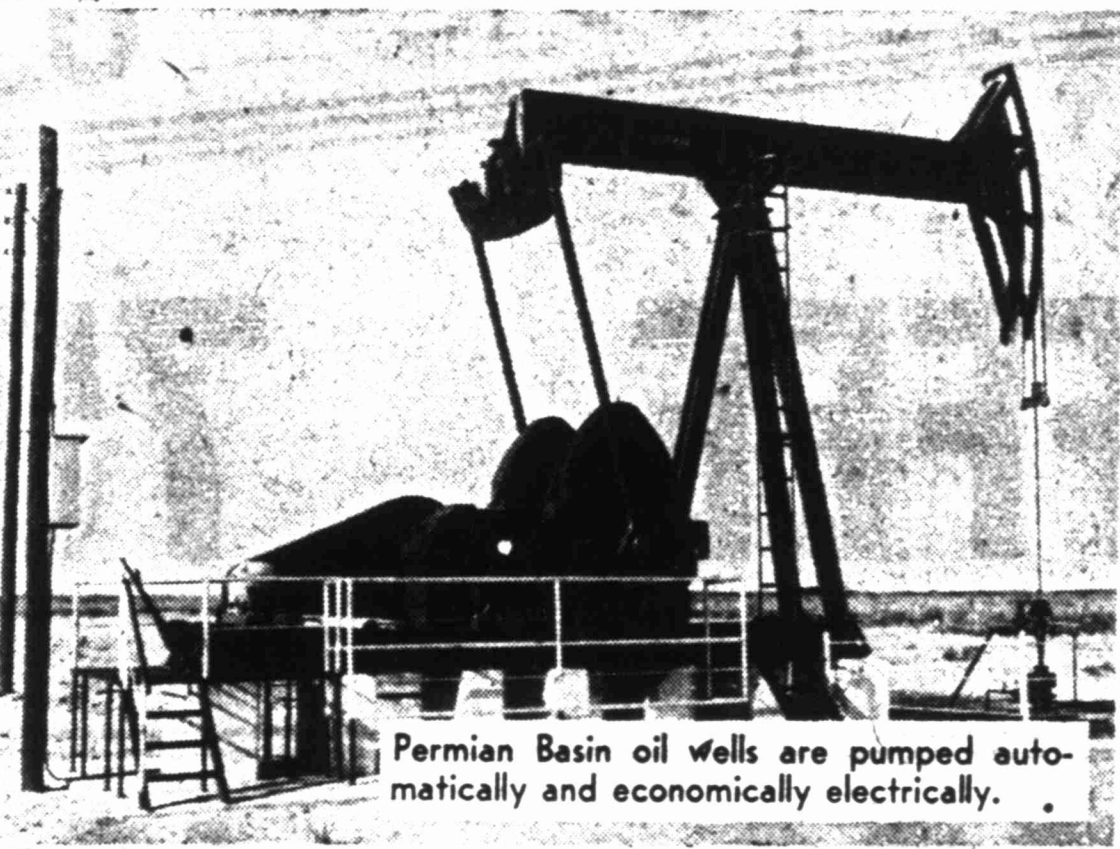
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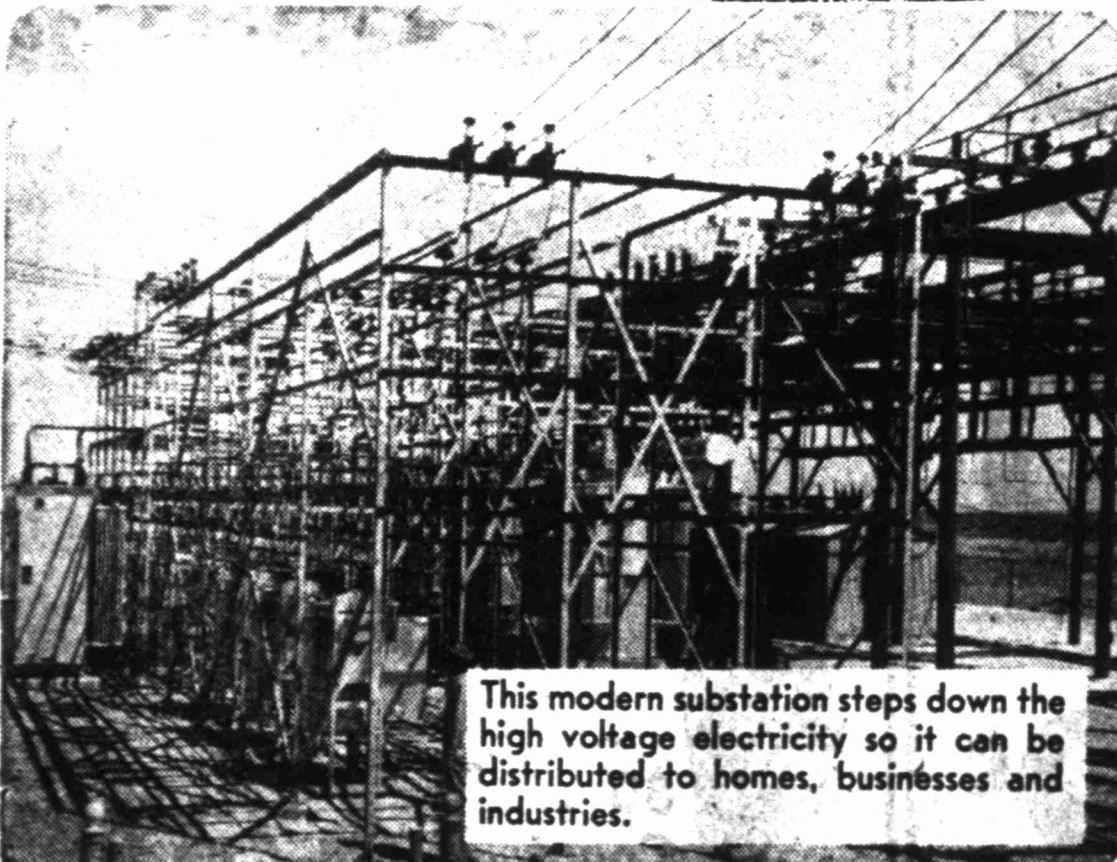
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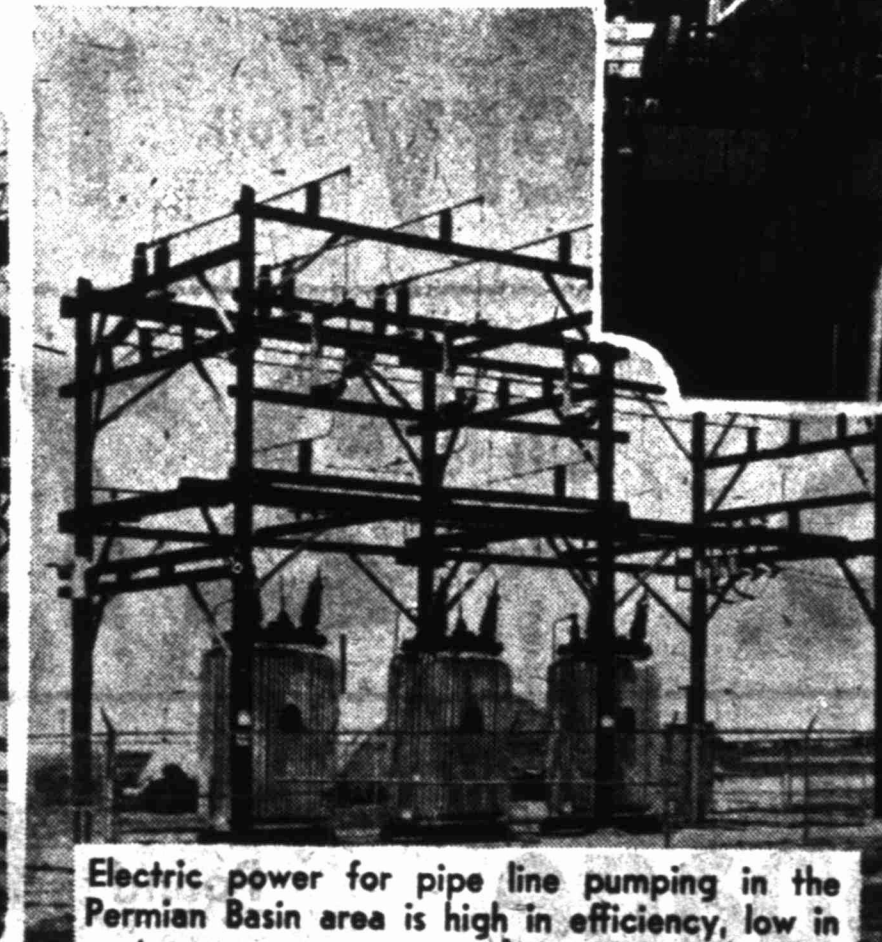
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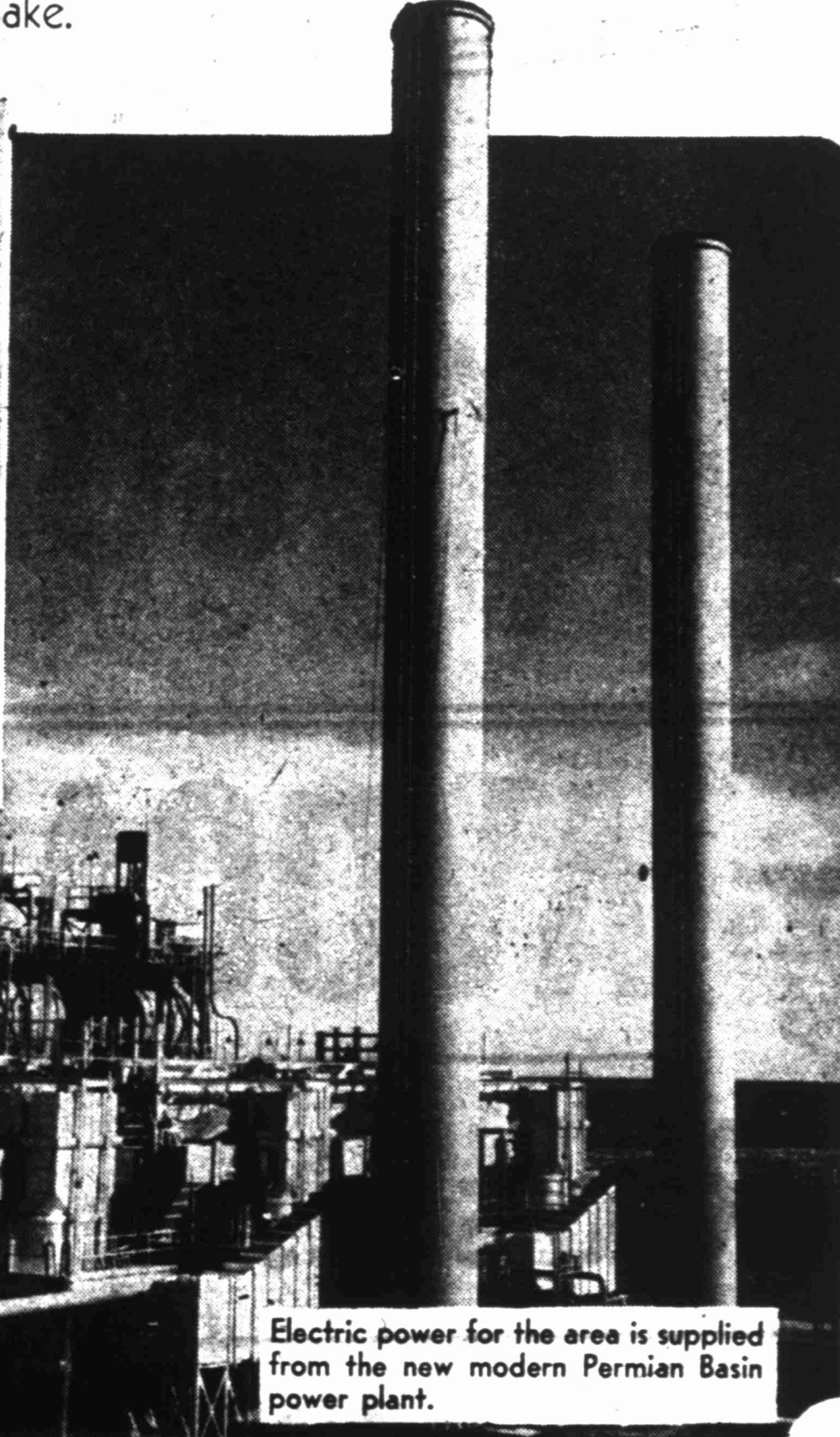
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## Dirt, Squirt and Quirt

— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

A carelessly-tossed burning cigarette was blamed Friday for a six-hour blaze which Thursday afternoon burned the grass off an estimated 400-acres of grazing land 18 miles south of Midland, was the lead on a page one story appearing in Friday's Reporter-Telegram.

And this business of grass fires is causing West Texas ranchers more worry right now than any other one thing.

The situation is brought about by the prolonged dry weather which has made the grass dry as tinder, but a carelessly-tossed burning cigarette usually is responsible directly for grass fires.

**Startled From Highway**  
Firemen said the Thursday fire south of Midland definitely was started from the highway, spreading over the hundreds of acres of valuable grazing lands. Chances are a burning cigarette tossed out of a car window by an unthinking motorist was responsible. The same thing could happen in other sections north, south, east and west of Midland and throughout West Texas.

**"BE CAREFUL — HELP PREVENT GRASS FIRES"** is the plea of landowners.

**Dear Santa Claus:**  
Please bring us a good soaking rain, even before Christmas is possible. We are good boys who have the utmost of faith in you.

(Signed) West Texas Ranchers.

Upton County will stage its annual Junior Livestock Show January 27, W. M. Day, Jr., county agent, has announced. Club members are feeding out approximately 115 lambs for the show, which each year is one of the top events of the area.

Hubert Martin, Ector-Andrews-Crane county agent, was a Midland visitor Friday. Martin formerly was county agent here.

The market was strong and active on butcher cattle at the Midland Livestock Auction Company sale Thursday. Stockers were weaker

than the record high of a week ago. One thousand and twenty head were received and sold.

Fat calves and yearlings drew \$27 to \$32.50, mediums \$24 to \$27, commons \$20 to \$24. Fat cows sold for \$20 to \$23, heiferette kinds higher, mediums \$18.50 to \$20, canners and cutters \$14.50 to \$18.50. A good selection of bulls brought \$22.50 to \$26.

Stocker steer calves were bid from \$29.50 to \$31.50 and a few higher. Heifer calves were about the same. Steer yearlings auctioned for \$28 to \$29.50 and heifer yearlings by the head for \$115 to \$205. Stocker cows went at \$18.50 to \$23 and cow and calf pairs grouped for \$175 to \$275.

Blanche Altizer of Del Rio is the world's top steer and calf roper for 1950.

The young woman, who has participated in Midland Rodeos, topped the title by scoring 1,967 points in performances this year. She also won fourth place in the All-Around Cowgirl contest.

Morris Cooper of Midland reportedly has purchased the 1950 calf crop of Irby Dyer, Sr., of Barstow, and a load of calves from Silk Kyle of Pecos.

Other sales reported in the Pecos country: A. B. Cooksey, 100 steers to Walton Kothmann of Menard; Buck Jackson, 50 calves to Cecil Rourke of Marfa; 100 calves to Thomas & Curtis of Toyah; 100 cows to Les Bates of Carlsbad, N. M.; 50 cows and bulls to Dryer Feedpens of Glendale, Ark.; 115 steers to Bill Norton of Phoenix, Ariz., and 100 cows to Verner Danielson of Fort Stockton.

Jackson, former Reeves County sheriff, also has purchased several strings of cattle, including 100 calves from Mrs. H. T. Collier & Son of Pecos for Spring delivery, 112 cows and bulls from Glen Bobbitt of Carlsbad, N. M., and 116 steers and 50 calves from V. G. Nevill of Toyah.

The Texas section of the American Society of Range Management

held its annual meeting recently in San Angelo with some 60 ranchers, county agents, teachers, and range conservationists attending. Topics under discussion included brush control, deferred rotation and continuous grazing, reseeding, getting range management into practice, the relation of livestock nutrition and health to range forage, and soil splash and water loss on range lands. Following the discussions, a field trip was made to the Pecos Station to inspect effects of soil condition on water intake, range reseeding, pitting, chiseling, brush clearing, and deferred grazing practices.

John C. White, incoming Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, was the principal speaker at a banquet held in connection with the meet. White advocated improvements of the marketing conditions in Texas and also stressed the importance of Texas agriculture in the world situation today.

**New Officers**  
The Range Society has decided to expand its membership with the idea of promoting better range management for Texas and the nation.

New officers are John Classen, rancher from San Antonio, chairman; H. L. Lethhead, Soil Conservation Service at Marfa, vice-chairman; and E. B. Keng, Soil Conservation Service at Sonora, secretary-treasurer.

Chairman Classen said he would like to see the Society of Range Management become a meeting ground for ranchers, agricultural agencies, and other interested persons, where ideas and information can be exchanged which would be of benefit to the range livestock industry and to range lands.

A South Texas committee has launched a search for five persons in that region who have made the most notable contribution to the advancement of agriculture in the state during the last two years.

Names of the five nominees will be forwarded to the Texas Research Foundation at Renner, Texas, as possible candidates for the Hobbs Achievement Award for the Advancement of Texas Rural Life. The award of \$5,000 and a gold medal, and will be given for the first time in May, 1951.

The list of persons eligible for the award includes farm and ranch men and women, professional agricultural workers, livestock breeders, editors and agricultural writers, farm service organization representatives and others.

William R. Anderson, Cross Plains, was high point man in the beef identification part of the Intercollegiate Meat Judging in Chicago. The Tech senior meats judging team ranked third in beef identification and 18th in the entire contest.

Other team members were Stanley Jones, Charles Roberts and Paul C. Murphy, Jr., all of Lubbock.

J. K. Webb of Miles, president of the San Angelo Milk Producers Association, upon his return from Dallas where he attended a discussion of the proposed North Texas Federal Milk Marketing order for that section, said the order as proposed would include all the central West Texas area, San Angelo, Abilene, Pecos, McCombs, Midland, Big

Spring, Lubbock, and all other cities in the region.

Webb believes the proposal would work a handicap on most Texas producers and probably would force a number of them out of business due to the fact that milk cannot be produced in this area as cheaply as it can in the North Texas area. Lack of rainfall and higher feed prices in this area make it necessary for a slightly higher price here, Webb said.

Webb said a hearing on the proposal is scheduled January 8 in Dallas.

The International Live Stock Exposition began its second half century in a spectacular way at the 51st edition of the big show which closed Saturday in the International Amphitheatre at the Chicago Stock Yards. Attendance exceeded the 300,000 mark.

The 11,000 head of livestock entered in the exposition were among the highest number on record and both exhibitors and visitors agreed that the quality of animals in all divisions topped any previous show. Entries came from Maine to California this year, a total of 41 states and five Canadian provinces. Four states were represented by entries for the first time and many "first time" exhibitors were present.

**High Prices**  
Show auctions, both for fat and breeding stock, brought owners more than one and a half million dollars. Steers raised by boys and girls for the Junior Livestock Feeding Contest were auctioned at an average \$40 per cwt., almost four dollars over the top price paid on the open market during the same period.

Lloyd Robinson, 19-year old 4-H boy of Big Spring, captured grand champion honors with a 1,025 pound Hereford steer. The animal sold for \$12 a pound to the Congress Hotel of Chicago, smashing the previous record of \$11.50 paid last year.

A Texas cotton crop of 2,900,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight is estimated by the Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics in its final report of the year. The December estimate is 1.7 per cent, or 50,000 bales below that of a month ago. It compares with 6,040,000 bales harvested in 1949 and 2,729,000 bales the 10-year average. Due largely to reduction in acreage this year, cotton harvest would be smaller than in any year since 1946.

Average yield per acre, computed at 208 pounds, is substantially below the 266 pound yield in 1949, but is well above the 10-year average of 170 pounds.

Dairy cattle will have their inning at the 1951 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth. Premiums in this division amount to \$4,493, including the prizes in the boys' dairy calf show.

In the open show for Jerseys, awards total \$2,279 and for the Guernseys, \$1,679. In each breed, junior champion bull, senior champion bull and grand champion bull will be chosen; also junior champion female, senior champion female and grand champion female; likewise junior get of sire, senior get of sire and produce of dam.

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## More Than Hundred Attend Gasoline Plant Yule Party

ANDREW—More than 100 persons enjoyed a barbecue dinner and Christmas party recently when the Phillips Gasoline Plant held its annual event in the Community Auditorium here.

Frady Brothers of Odessa served the meal. Women of the camp furnished dessert.

C. L. Leisure, plant superintendent, welcome the employees, their families and guests. Children of the group presented a program of Christmas carols.

Old Santa made an appearance and gifts were exchanged. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Phillips and family, Mead Corley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Means, all of Odessa, and Mrs. Hazel Hollingshead of Shreveport, La.

Employees included: C. L. Leisure, Morris Ivy, Leon Melton, Leonard Greenfield, Austin Peacock, A. A. Rhodes, J. F. Graham, T. T. Langford, Clarence Corrine, D. D. Edgington, Dean Ragland, W. B. Wynn, Ben Maher, Rayond Jones, Max Hensley, W. H. Weaver, Carol Yates, Bert Cornelius, "Andy" Andrews, Benny Hoggard, W. R. Smith, Thomas Kimbrough, Robert Bacon, Robert Skinner, W. O. Wylie, Vernon Mosely, Johnnie Hollingshead, Russel Perrine, Glenn Day, Leonard Hobbs, B. Jones, A. B. Hungerford, J. P. Ellis and T. C. Young.

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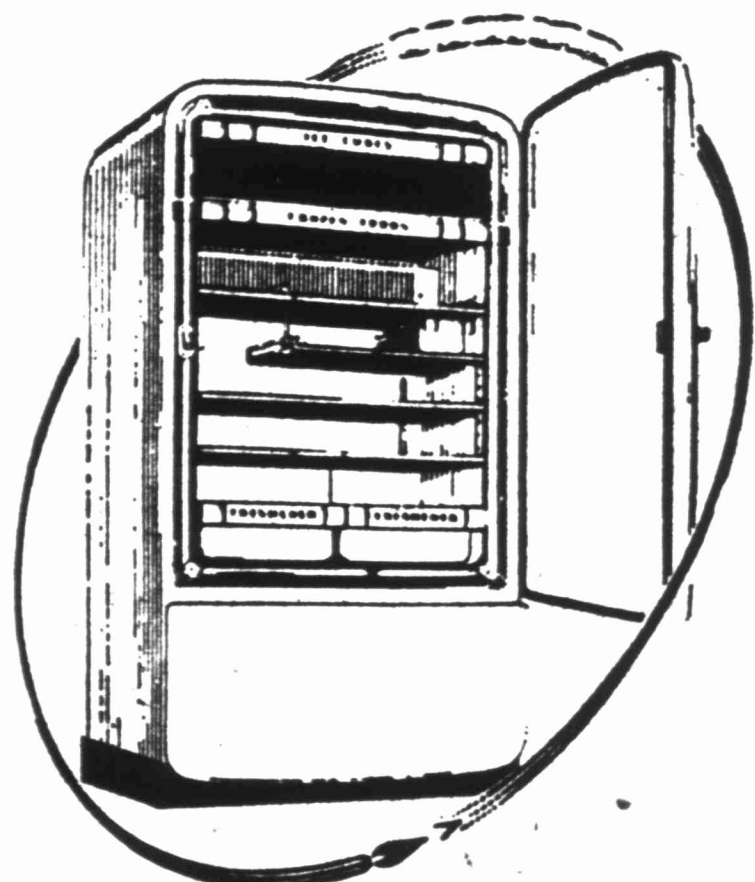


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# THE BULLDOG

Written By The Journalism Class Of Midland High School



## Jim O'Neal, Wanda Burnside Are 'Most Representative'

Jimmy O'Neal and Wanda Burnside were elected Most Representative Boy and Girl, respectively, in the election held Tuesday, December 12, in the home rooms of MHS.

Wanda takes part in many school activities this year. She is president of the Junior Red Cross and Music Appreciation Clubs, secretary of the National Honor Society and assistant editor of The Catalyst.

Wanda's subjects for this year are: algebra, English, A Cappella and shorthand.

Jimmy was Junior Class Favorite and president of the Junior Class last year, and has lettered three years in football.

His subjects are: chemistry, English, speech, algebra and PE.



O'Neal



Burnside

## MHS Decorates For Christmas

By SHIREY WINTER

Want to feel happy? Well, just come along with us to view the varied and brilliant Christmas decorations about MHS.

The first hint of good cheer comes as we stroll up the front walk and all of a sudden our glance rests upon the beautiful and proverbial Christmas manger scene. This is complete from figures of Mary and Joseph to woolly white sheep.

After entering the front door, we turn to the left on our way to the library—and lo and behold! We see a bright and sparkling cluster of fuchsia leaves and dainty green bells attached to the center of the door to Room 104. On further inspection we also discover many Christmas cards tacked to the bulletin board.

Finally we journey into the library.

Having taken a few steps our attention is focused on the middle window where a colorfully decorated tree stands.

Curiosity Aroused

By now our curiosity is sufficiently aroused and we give special notice to the other decorations around the school.

Room 202 gives up a cherry reception with its cedar branches and gay red bell on the door.

On peering into Room 206, we are surprised by a shouting Merry Christmas sign dripping with simulated snow that is attached to the bulletin board. The decorative theme is further carried out by a stately red candle and holder on the bookshelf.

Have you ever? Take a look at 209! The first thing that greets us as we peek in, is a glittering and sparkling tree with its blue drifted with dazzling white cotton. But that's not all—take a look at the red and green streamers which are draped with silver icicles and mistletoe. The finishing touch, however, is the red roping adorning the blackboard.

Highly satisfied, we meander into a room where a glass tree with dainty red, green and blue baubles hangs from the south side. A flaming poinsettia further carries out the Christmas spirit.

Justly we traverse down the end stairs and what a sight greets us from within Room 115 on the right! Each window is decorated with cedar wreaths and fat red boys while the chandelier drips silver tinsel bells. To top it off, gay Christmas streamers hang from corner to corner.

Taking a turn to the left side of the hall we wander into 112 where a tree draped with angel hair gives off a soft radiance. Also, we see glittering red and silver roping hung over the blackboard head.

Spanish Cards

We go into Room 111 to find an original display of Spanish Christmas cards not to mention a delicate white tree glowing with blue lights. "What an imaginative decoration!" we say to ourselves as we go over to the windows in Room 107. Here the bottom sections are painted with gay Christmas scenes. We decide the whole room is decorated imaginatively when we behold the fascinating snowflakes on the back board and the colorfully designed ones on the north board. The crepe paper tree holds our attention, too, as does the small adornment tree atop the bookshelf.

While we're still exclaiming in admiration the first bell rings. Reluctantly we leave for first class, A Cappella, which is in the next building.

Mingled Voices

As we enter the door we hear mingled voices singing Christmas carols. Our eyes rest on the green covered bulletin board which is delightfully draped with glittering silver rope and dainty bunches of vivid glass bells.

We settle down in our seat and look toward the front board where the beaming face of Santa smiles directly at us. The words "Merry Christmas" really begin to affect us and that's the wish we leave with you.

The oil filter should be checked frequently, even if it has been installed recently.

## Club News

Eddie Mae Hamlin gave a short talk on the ideals and purposes of the Future Teachers organization at a regular meeting of the Future Teachers Club.

The Business Club had a Christmas party during club period Thursday, December 14. Refreshments were served. Before the party, Patty Hammon was elected president and the projects and constitution of the club were discussed.

The National Thespians Society met Thursday, December 14, to decide what type of play to give as the Thespian annual production. It was decided to attempt a Shakespearean play.

Jean Ann Watts reviewed the life and works of George Gershwin. Soloist Wilma Like sang "Summer Time" and Helen Hollowell played "The Man I Love," a piano selection. Both selections were written by Gershwin.

The FHA Club had a party Thursday, December 14, in the homemaking department. After refreshments of hot cocoa and sandwiches, the girls went Christmas caroling.

## Library News

The Christmas spirit has not escaped the library this year as the decorated tree in the middle window will tell you.

This glittering reminder of good cheer is sponsored by the Library Club.

Another bright spot in the MHS library is the colorful array of book jackets, located near the front doors, introducing the new books.

Lucille Wilkinson, librarian, prepares this timely and interesting exhibit weekly.

This was especially appealing to the boys last week with its jackets from such books as "Rose-Bowl All-American," "The Lost Eleven," "Blackboard Magic," and many others.

There is a special meaning behind the book, "Anybody Can Do Anything," contributed by the Science Club Group 1 to the Joe Akin Memorial Shelf.

"Remember, Boys"

It is said that before a football game, Coach Akin would always pep up his team with words to this effect: "Now remember boys, anybody can do anything—you can do anything, so go out and win."

Mrs. Joe Akin, wife of the late coach, contributed two books to the Joe Akin Memorial Collection Wednesday, December 12. These were "Hunting and Fishing Stories" and "Four Fares to June."

Mrs. Akin also stated she was going to contribute two books each June on her husband's birthday to the memorial shelf.

## ATTENTION!!!

Students and faculty beware! The phantom has returned! Humphrey, the school spirit, has ascended from his favorite cloud and now is haunting the halls of MHS. A messenger brought the news to The Bulldog staff and we pass it along to you. Be on the lookout for Humphrey and don't say or do anything you wouldn't want the spook to know. Remember, we warned you beforehand. Keep your eyes and ears open and watch for Humphrey!

## This Is A Gripe!

(An Editorial)

A few students are robbing a lot of other students of a big advantage that is being offered.

Every student in MHS would benefit by knowing in what field of work he or she would be most satisfied and what work they could do best.

If they had this knowledge, they could then go through high school and college selecting the best courses and have an assurance that they are on the tight track.

Jack Mashburn, the dean of students, intends to give scientific interest and achievement tests to all MHS students—but it takes a great deal of time to give these tests—to file them and to give advice to the students about them.

Mashburn has been having to spend so much time with tardy students that he has not had time to work on this program.

Students who continually are late to class should be looked upon at their face value—robbers!

## Report: THSPA Meet At Denton

By JEAN FERGUSON

Oh how I hate to get up in the morning! Especially at 4 a.m. But there I was, ready to go along with Mary Neill, Leon Cline, Jo Underwood, Peggy Read and Mrs. H. C. Rowland.

Why were we up? You mean you haven't heard? We all went to TSCW at Denton for the 25th Annual Texas High School Press Association. We were gone Thursday and Friday of last week. It seems as though some one would have missed us!

We left here at 5 a.m. Thursday morning and arrived in Denton early that afternoon. We went to the Journalism building at TSCW to get our room assignments and were assigned to Sayers Hall.

At 8 p.m. there was a general get-together in the Union Building. There were ping-pong tables, pool tables, a snack bar, a television set and around 700 teen-agers all interested in annuals or high school papers.

At 11 p.m. that night we climbed into bed, tired but happy, eager for our classes the next day.

At 9 a.m. Friday, there was a general assembly in the Science Building Auditorium, where we were officially welcomed by Dr. John A. Guinn, president of TSCW.

"Newspapers And You"

Next on the program was a talk, "Newspapers and You" by Felix McKnight, who is managing editor of The Dallas Morning News. We adjourned for our first discussion, "Weekly Newspapers" with Mrs. Dick Colby of Lubbock presiding.

After a brief lunch, we again went to the auditorium in the Science Building for another general session. We heard a talk, "20,000 Ways and Journalism," by Donald Burchard, head of Journalism Department at Texas A&M. From 2:45 to 4 p.m. we listened to a discussion entitled "Writers Clinic," headed by Donald Burchard and Robert Chambers.

The yearbook representatives went to a meeting where they discussed two themes, "Layout Headaches, Here's An Aspirin" and "Themes, What Good Are They?"

At 6:15 p.m. Friday we attended a banquet and dance given in our honor.

Saturday morning we had our last Assembly with Steve Durkee presiding. Next came a general round-table discussion. The subjects and leaders of which were: "How We Create News" by Edmund Fahrenkamp of Fort Worth; "Ways to Avoid Repeating Names" by James Hall of Gladewater High School; "Arguments Against the Gospel Column" by Billie Sue Mullien of Waco; "Arguments for the Gospel Column" by Joyce Holley of Abilene; "How We Obtain News" by June Cosner of Corpus Christi; "Advantage of Having Our Paper Printed in the School Shop" by Richard Zepeda from San Antonio; and "How We Paid Off the Mortgage" by Leah Fair Bahmann of Commerce High School.

At the same time the yearbook delegates were attending a similar program with the following leaders and discussions: "Building a Yearbook Staff" by Louise Davis of Lubbock; "The Problem of Getting Everything in the Yearbook" by Ann Read of Ennis High School; "Should the Theme Be Kept Secret?" by F. T. Crews of Amarillo and "How We Advertise Our Yearbook in the School" by Pat Olson of San Antonio.

At 11 a.m. we had election of the officers to serve next year and then packed and started for home.

On our way back to Midland we all decided the meeting had been educational and entertaining. We had learned a lot of do's and don'ts of this annual and high school paper business. We heard other schools problems and helped them through them out as well as having some of ours answered. A lot of our major problems have been solved. But if you don't believe me, just read The Bulldog and see how much better it is!

In 1672, the American invention of pressing glass—pouring molten glass into a mold, then using a plunger to press it into all parts of the mold—contributed one of the few technical changes in its production since glass blowing was first attempted in the pre-Christian era.

## Calendar

Monday—Clubs Group II; Football Banquet at 7 p.m.  
Tuesday—Advisory Room; Christmas Pageant at 8 p.m.; A Cappella party.  
Wednesday—Christmas Musical at 1:30 p.m.  
Thursday—Clubs Group II.  
Friday—Advisory Room and Christmas parties; out for the Christmas holidays.

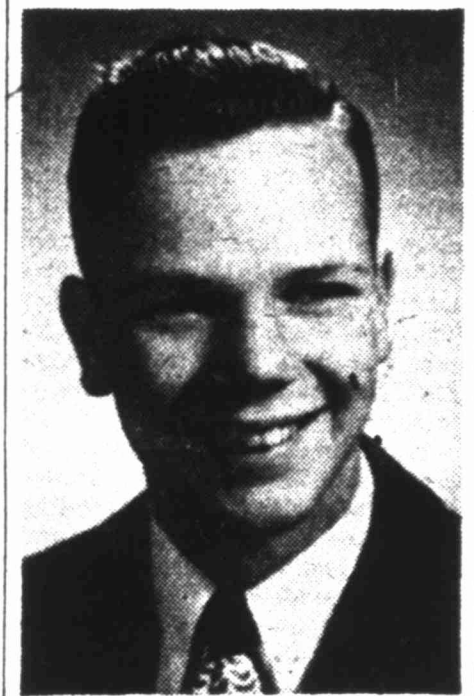
## Who's Who

Basketball and its participants have the attention of the student body now that the football season is over the hill.

One of the most promising players on the "A" squad is John Van Buskirk.

John has a lively interest in basketball, and he lists it as his favorite pastime and college ambition. Should you ask his feminine classmates, they would say "He is tall and good looking with brown hair and blue eyes."

A more exacting description would come from his masculine associates.



John is a junior this year and his schedule includes geometry, history, English, chemistry and basketball.

He claims his most exciting moment came when he learned he was to move to Midland from Healdton, Oklahoma, which indicates he is a booster for our city. He was born in Oklahoma City, February 25, 1934.

John hasn't decided definitely where he will attend college, although Oklahoma University and Southern Methodist University seem to head the list of colleges he is considering.

John is a basketball player, five feet, nine inches tall and weighs 140 pounds.

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## 'The Promised One' Slated December 19

"The Promised One," annual Christmas pageant, will be presented Tuesday, December 19, in the high school auditorium. Curtain time is 8 p.m.

The story of the birth of Christ is the most beautiful and sacred program of the year. It is presented each year under the same title, but the script is rewritten and staged differently.

## Art Class Is 'Factory'

By Suzanne Young

While wandering through the halls of MHS, I happened to pass Room 211. Sounds of laughter and industry echoed forth so I stopped to peek. Inez Parker's sixth period art students were busily doing all sorts of odd jobs and evidently having a swell time.

Over in one corner, I saw Bobby Collins and Shirley Pulliam carefully operating a buzz saw and laboriously trying to cut snow foam in strips. Their pained expressions were obviously caused by their anxiety over the possible loss of fingers. Fortunately, they completed their job without any accidents. Also a part of this assembly line, Dana Roper painted the strips green and put them together to resemble miniature football fields.

Looking about I discovered Bertha Phillips and Dorothy McQuerry painting helmets on Bulldog football players made of pipe cleaners. The cute players were to be a part of the decoration scheme for the football banquet to be held Monday, December 18.

December 18, Martjann Forrest, Sarah Hendricks, and Ginger Randolph bent the figures into different positions and placed them in strategic places on the football fields. The decorations were planned by Miss Parker and will be a beautiful addition to the banquet.

Layout Jerusalem

As the end of the period was drawing near, I started for the door and happened to notice Bill Cartwright and Waldo Leggett engaged in painting a stack of boxes. Upon closer observation I discovered it was a layout of the city of Jerusalem. The boys had designed and made the prop to serve as the background of the Christmas pageant.

Much as I hated to leave this little "factory," I said goodbye to everyone. If I had expected them to leave at 4 p.m. I was very mistaken. It is not unusual for these "factory workers" to stay as late as 5 p.m. voluntarily completing their work.

The art classes make up an important part of MHS and should be congratulated for the outstanding work that they have done to promote various campaigns, such as "Howdy Week," and other school sponsored activities. May they continue to serve the school and community as faithfully as they have in the past.

The population of Buenos Aires, Argentina, is 3,000,371.

## Remember When?—

About a year ago...

Jo Ann Nelson was named Band Sweetheart of 1950.

Charles Worthen was among the newcomers to MHS.

Student Council members operated a cold drinks stand at the basketball tournament held in Midland.

Nancy Trauber was the featured student of the week.

Many students as well as teachers were busy decorating the rooms of MHS for the Christmas season.

Winners of the Drill Squad Marching Contest were announced. Many "Letters to Santa" were published in The Bulldog.

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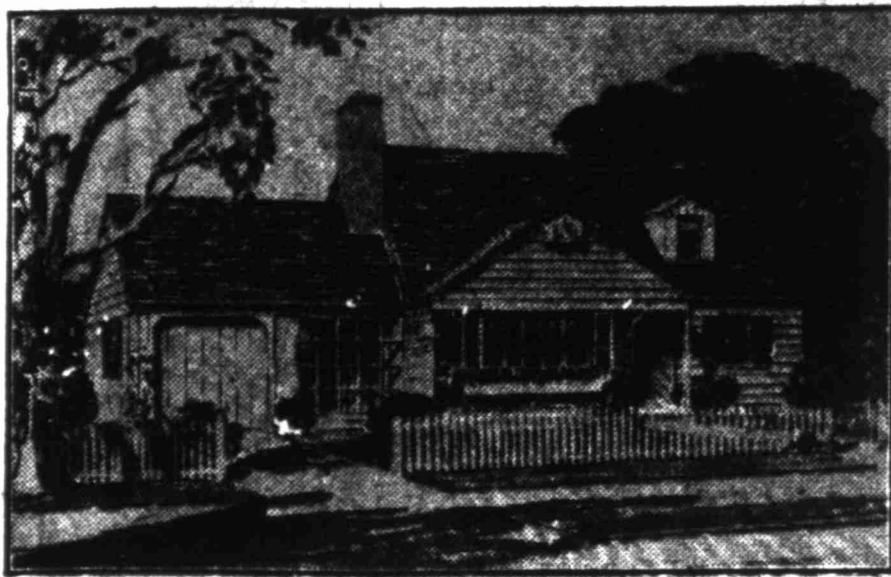
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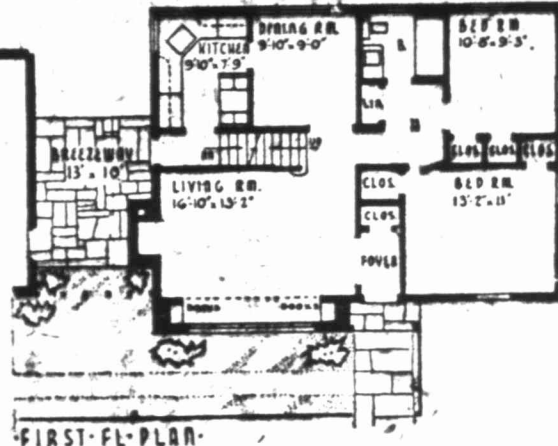
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## Home of Simple Charm



Time-tested popularity and simplicity of New England lines are exemplified in this 5-room house with expansion attic. The covered entrance leads to a foyer with coat closet. 13' x 13' living room has broad bay window and a fireplace. The staircase is located conveniently to make easy traffic between future second floor bedroom, bath and storage room, and downstairs bedrooms and kitchen. Locating one bath directly over the other economizes on plumbing. Further economy in building and operation of the home is effected by insulating walls and ceiling and roof area with mineral wool. This will increase efficiency of the heating plant, cut fuel costs and provide greater indoor comfort. Kitchen has large corner window over sink; unusually large work surfaces; a compact corner breakfast nook. Kitchen vestibule affords access to cellar stairs, breezeway and attached garage. The smart latticed front of the breezeway can be glassed in for winter. Each bedroom has cross-ventilation and 2 closets. The house is built on a concrete foundation, with wood framing, over a full cellar. Exterior finish attractively combines wood shingles and clapboards. Oak flooring, plaster walls, tile bath and linoleum kitchen counter tops are features of the interior.



## Garage In Home Calls For Special Fire Precautions

New homes today tend to have their garages under the same roof or just a few steps away, a study of building trends indicates.

Since the automobile plays a big role in modern living, home buyers want garages handy. Protection and nearness are especially desirable when husband or wife steps out of the car with loaded arms after one of their frequent shopping trips.

Garages integrated with new homes usually are situated facing the street, with short and straight driveways that are both economical and convenient. A further reason for placing garages toward the front is to leave all possible space in the rear for gardens and outdoor living.

**Storage Space**  
A garage that is made part of the home lends itself logically to planning for wider use than protecting the car. The garage can include valuable storage space and a workshop. Heating units are installed in garages of many one-story homes.

Safety as well as handiness should be considered in planning a garage. Fire safety authorities warn that all garages attached to houses should be separated from living quarters by fire-resistant walls and doors.

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Q—I want to put a new roof on my house which stands in an exposed location, where winds of sale force are frequent. What roofing would you recommend?

A—Several types of roofing could be used, but it is likely you will use asphalt roofing.

It will be advisable to cement down the asphalt shingles by applying a dab of quick-setting cement about the size of a fifty-cent piece under the exposed portion of each tab.

**Special Paint**  
Q—Is a special type of paint required for painting concrete?

A—Ordinary house paint can be used in painting concrete and portland-cement stucco. But the concrete must be dry. Sufficient time should be allowed for night dampness to dry off, and after a rain three or four days are required to permit the concrete to dry out thoroughly.

Q—What is the proper method of taking care of waxed floors?

A—Waxed floors should be dusted with a dry brush or cloth and polished once a week or so. This holds true whether the wax is applied directly to the wood or over varnish or shellac. But do not use an oil mop because oil will soften the wax.

## Bookkeeping Class Discusses Insurance

Victor Rinhaltz and Joe Davis of Permian Basin Association of Life Underwriters were guests of first period Bookkeeping, Room 106, Wednesday, December 13.

These men discussed insurance premiums, types of policies and mortality rates, and answered many questions in general.

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## Modern Shingles Free Home Owner Of Roof Worries

The problem of costly roof repairs and replacements, once commonplace with home owners, has been overcome to a large degree through the development of improved materials, building specialists report. Greater resistance to fire, wear and weathering, they say, has added many years to the life expectancy of today's roof.

One of the outstanding advances in this field was the introduction early in the century of roofing shingles made by combining asbestos fibers and portland cement. These shingles, being mineral in composition, are both fire-safe and weather resistant.

Asbestos-cement roofing shingles were first produced in this country almost 50 years ago. Many of the roofs first covered by them still are in use and show little or no signs of deterioration.

Mindful of the danger to life and property through roof fires, many builders regard fire safety as reason enough for their choice of incombustible shingles. In addition, they obtain the advantages of attractive appearance, low upkeep and long service.

**Variety Of Styles**  
Asbestos roofing shingles are made in a variety of styles and colors.

A sound, weatherproof roof is one of the most important parts of any building. It should be permanent enough to stand the effects of sun, wind, rain and snow. It should be attractive in appearance and easy to maintain. It also should provide protection against fire.

## House Repair Maintains Maximum Property Value

New government home-building regulations, which reduce the number of new homes to be built, place a higher valuation on existing homes.

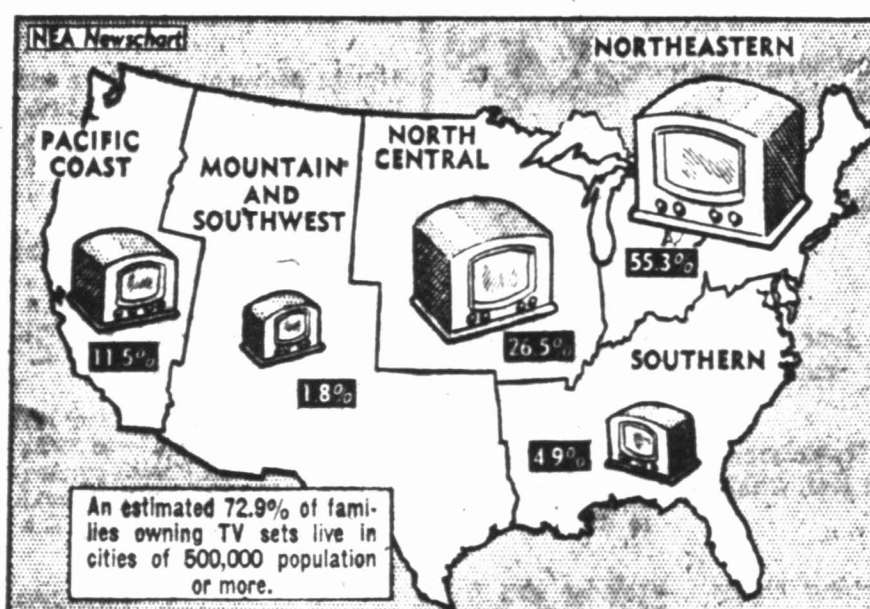
## Second Bathroom May Be Must In '51, Expert Says

More crowded living space in 1951, due to some extent to government curbs on new home construction, may make that second bathroom in many homes a must, according to a nationally known industrial engineer.

Howard Ketchum, whose work in developing color and design stylings for homes and home products has affected millions of American homes, predicted that many homeowners will turn to the unfinished attic to provide space for the growing family. The key room in any such expansion, he said, will be the additional bathroom.

**Age Old Problem**  
"To solve their housing problems, a lot of families again will have to double-up. This will revive the age old problem of use of the bathroom, which is normally the busiest room in the home," Ketchum says.

A new, cheerful, clay tile bathroom can be one of the biggest factors in making doubling-up more enjoyable, the color engineer believes. "Color is important," he emphasizes. "But never before has the homemaker had a wider choice. Clay tile, for example, is now available in more than 200 shades, enough to meet any homemaker's taste."



**TUNING IN ON TV OWNERSHIP**—About 7,213,700 U. S. families—almost one out of every five—own television sets, according to the Industrial Surveys Co. The Newschart above shows ownership geographically, with northeastern states far in the lead. In that region urban areas (where most TV stations are located) predominate and so more than one of three families owns sets.

## Commander Of First Marine Division Pays Honor To Leathernecks Who Died Fighting

By TOM LAMBERT

WITH U. S. MARINE, KOREA —(P)—The general arrived early, for these had been his Marines and he owed them more than the few brief words he would speak during the ceremony.

He walked slowly up the hill, the red clay mud gathering in great lumps on his shoes, and stood very still for a moment at the foot of the pile of graves.

The white crosses and the Star of David gleamed on the hillside against the rust-colored muddy ground. There was a thin powder of dust on the older graves, and the crosses on them had been dulled somewhat by the weather. The mud was fresh on the new mounds and the crosses were lustrous.

To the north lay the mountains. Here these Marines had died fighting for towns with strange names like Koto and Hagaru and Yudom. To the south lay the sea.

Maj. Gen. Oliver P. Smith, commander of the First Marine Division, walked slowly among rows of crosses.

The graveyard lies on a small tilted plateau. From a white pole the half-masted flag hung limp in the still air.

**Line Up On The Right**  
A Marine firing squad wearing parkas and helmets and carrying their rifles carefully under watchful eyes of a bearded sergeant crossed before General Smith and lined up on his right.

Two Marines walked up the hill and atop the dirt which had been scooped from the plateau to make the graves. They took off their Winter caps and stood at attention. The Marines' chaplain came forward then, looking north, and prayed for those who lie here.

One of them said: "May hate cease and wars be forever ended." The small group of Marines at the flagpole and the few soldiers and Marines standing to the side kept looking ahead.

Now a sudden breath of wind arose and unfurled the flag from the pole and it stood out to the north, toward the graves. A flight of

Marine Corsairs drummed north, flying very high.

**Steps Toward Graves**

Then General Smith stepped toward the graves. He is a tall thin man and he looked lonely against the background of white crosses. He took off his fatigue cap and the sun glinted on his white hair.

He turned and faced the few who had come to the cemetery and he spoke briefly of the dead.

"It is regrettable that their last resting place must for the time being be in foreign soil," he said. "But the memory of what they did here will remain with us always."

The firing squad sergeant gave his orders then, not loudly, and the three volleys crackled in the cold sunlight.

Then a bugler walked across the cemetery, behind the last row of crosses, and stood at attention and blew the mournful "Taps."

The wind died down on the last notes and the flag fell back limply against the flagpole.

Then the living walked away, very quietly, from the dead.

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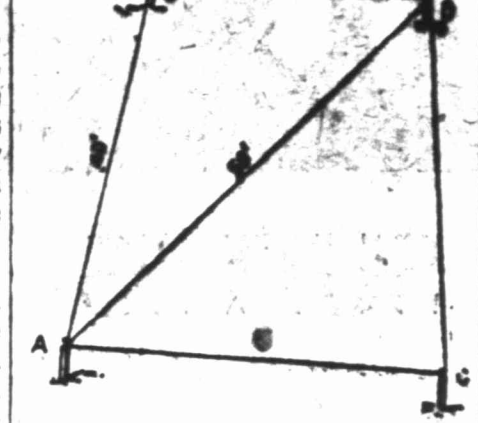
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Next, drive stake A to mark one corner. Drive a nail in the center of the top of the stake. Then place stake B, with a nail in its top, exactly 40 feet away. To establish the corner at D, measure 30 feet from B and 50 feet from A. For C, measure 40 feet from D and 30 feet from A. The diagonal from C to B should be 56 feet.

## City's Guard Unit Called To Meeting

Maj. Hank Hannaford has called a meeting of the Midland unit of the Texas State Guard at 3:30 p.m. Sunday in the courthouse.

All personnel of the guard are urged to attend as well as persons interested in becoming members.

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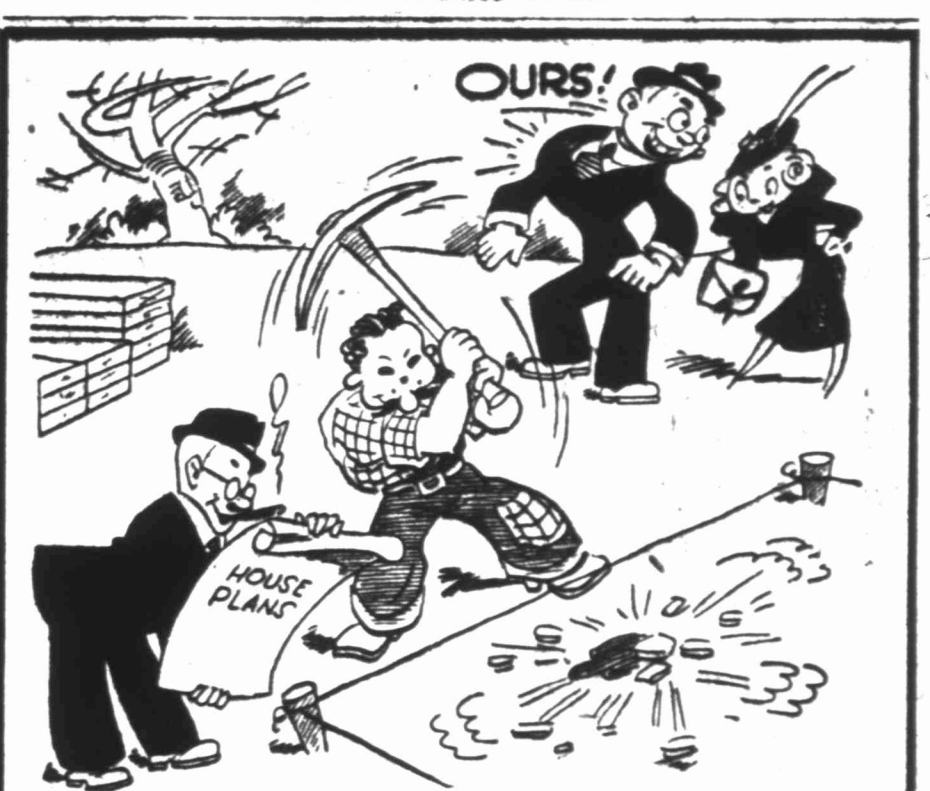
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**SANTA CAME EARLY**—Santa Claus made a special, early visit to the three little Eidsen children in Detroit, because they may not live long enough to see him again. The twins, Mary and Margaret, 3 (held by Santa), and Charles, 3, all are suffering from a rare fibrocystic disease which attacks the lungs and for which doctors say there is no known cure. Their sister, Carol, 4, right, it is feared, may also have caught the disease. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Chloe Eidsen.



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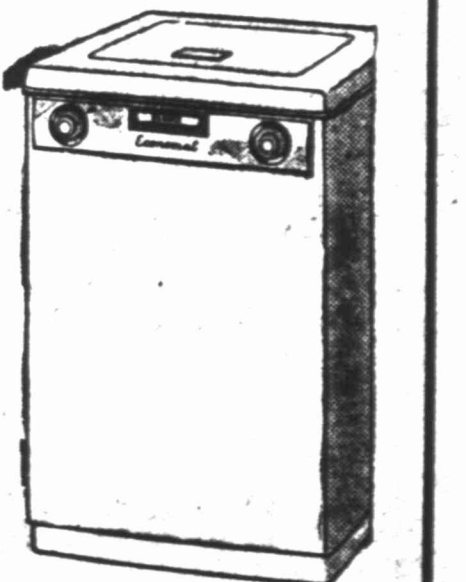
If you've a vacant space 2 feet square, you have room for a Dialomatic. And you needn't worry about the location of plumbing fixtures, because no plumbing is required!

\$189<sup>95</sup>

## Gyramatic

The finest washer money can buy... but not the most costly. Faster spinning—no vibration—no floor fastening required. Completely automatic, but any cycle may be omitted or repeated to handle special laundering requirements.

\$269<sup>95</sup>



## Economat

... with the exclusive new Rins-Saver that saves up to 50 gallons of water every washday. Underflow Agitator Washing—Float-away-Flushaway draining. New miracle Wonderdub (guaranteed for 5 years in writing). Safer, gentler, natural squeegee-drying. All fully automatic.

\$229<sup>95</sup>

## Generous Trade-Ins—Convenient Terms

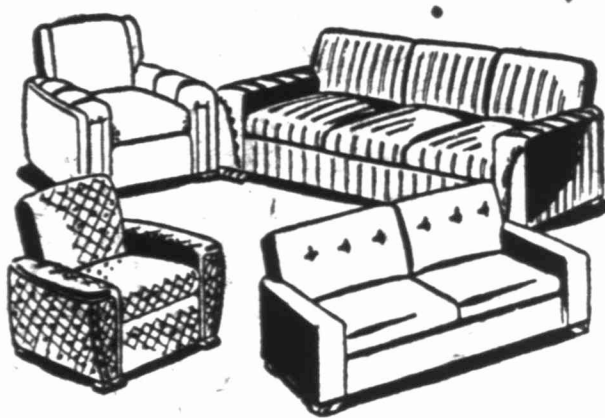
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# Give something for the Home... WHITE'S Christmas Thrift Sale

Holiday Values

## LIVING ROOM SUITES



3-piece sectional sofa in beautiful grey tapestry upholstery with blonde trim. Innerspring construction throughout. **\$99<sup>50</sup>**

2-piece sectional with a beautiful green frieze cover. A fine quality sectional sofa that will fit into any home. Regular \$179.50 value... **\$149<sup>50</sup>**

8-piece Kroehler sectional sofa in chartreuse frieze. Kroehler... nationally known for finer quality furniture. A wonderful buy! **\$149<sup>50</sup>**

3-piece Kroehler sectional sofa covered in fine quality green frieze. Styled simply to fit into any home with easy grace. **\$189<sup>50</sup>**

2-piece Kroehler crescent shape living room suite covered in mohair boucle in colors of red, sage green, grey, or kelly green. **\$269<sup>50</sup>**

For the merriest Christmas, choose a wonderful living room suite from our grand selection and brighten up your home! The entire family will appreciate your thoughtfulness and taste. We've suites that fit into any budget... all on EASY TERMS!

2-piece wing back living room suite upholstered in green frieze. Innerspring construction throughout. A wonderful value. **\$189<sup>50</sup>**

3-piece Kroehler sectional sofa covered in fine quality green frieze. T-cushion style for extra beauty. Floor-sample. Regular \$219.00. **\$198<sup>50</sup>**

2-piece Kroehler sectional covered in quality beige frieze with T-cushion styling for additional beauty. A floor sample. Regular \$209.50. **\$198<sup>50</sup>**

2-piece Lawson style living room suite with fringed bottom. Covered in beautiful grey frieze. A luxury suite for your home. **\$198<sup>50</sup>**

## DINETTE SUITES



Choose from our wide selection of beautiful chrome or oak dinettes. Chrome dinettes have micalite plastic tops that are burn proof, won't crack or fade with age and are resistant to fruit acids. Available in six colors. A wonderful Christmas gift!

Solid oak dinette. Table and four matching chairs. Chair seats upholstered in Duran plastic. **\$44<sup>50</sup>**

5-piece chrome dinette. Table in double leg style. Four matching chairs. **\$89<sup>95</sup>**

Duncan Phyfe spread leg table and four matching chairs. Table 30"x42" and has a 10" extension. A beautiful dinette! **\$98<sup>50</sup>**

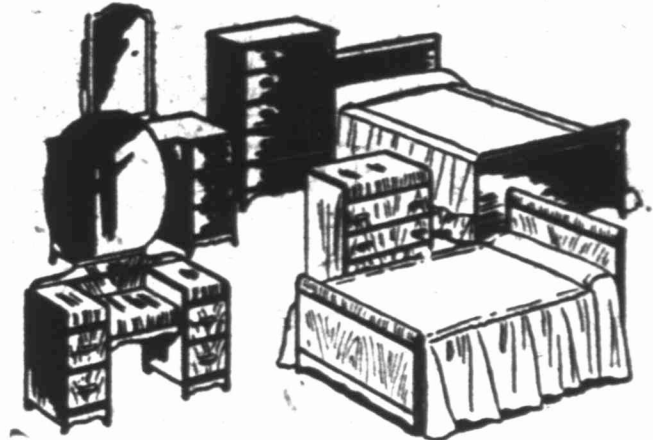
Daystrom Colorama 5-piece dinette. Table measures 30"x48" and has a 10" extension leaf. Chairs upholstered in Duran plastic. **\$109<sup>50</sup>**

Duncan Phyfe table and four matching chairs. Table measures 35"x47" and has a 12" extension leaf. Regular \$129.50 value... **\$119<sup>50</sup>**

7-piece dinette set. Table and six matching chairs. Table measures 35"x47" and extends to six feet! Chairs luxuriously upholstered in Duran plastic. **\$169<sup>50</sup>**

## BEDROOM SUITES

This Christmas thrill her with a brand new, up-to-the-minute bedroom suite for her bedroom! She'll enjoy it for years to come! You can buy it on White's Easy Terms, too! Come in and let us show you our fine selection of suites... you'll be sure to find the one you want!



4-piece walnut bedroom suite in modern style. Desk type vanity with large round mirror. Panel bed, chest, vanity and vanity bench. Regular \$89.95. **\$84<sup>95</sup>**

4-piece bedroom suite in a beautiful wheat finish. Suite consists of poster bed, vanity with round mirror, chest and vanity bench. Regular \$139.50. **\$129<sup>50</sup>**

4-piece bedroom suite in a rich walnut finish. Suite consists of panel bed, desk type vanity with square mirror, vanity bench and chest. Regular \$139.50. **\$129<sup>50</sup>**

5-piece twin bed bedroom suite in a lovely wheat finish. Suite consists of twin panel beds, vanity with square mirror, vanity bench and chest. Regular \$169.50. **\$159<sup>50</sup>**

LA FIESTA DESIGN 5-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE. Saddle tan finish. Unusual design. Slightly damaged. Consists of bed, chest, vanity, vanity bench and night stand. Regular \$198.50. **\$179<sup>50</sup>**

4-piece solid oak bedroom suite. Finished in a wonderful bronze walnut. Suite consists of panel bed, drop center vanity with square mirror, vanity bench and chest. Night stand available. **\$189<sup>50</sup>**

4-piece lime oak bedroom suite. Desk type vanity with large square plate glass mirror, vanity bench, chest and panel bed. Regular \$198.50. **\$189<sup>50</sup>**

5-piece solid birch bedroom suite. A wonderful suite consisting of panel bed, vanity, chest, vanity bench and night stand. A fine suite... an economical price! **\$198<sup>50</sup>**

5-piece modern oak bedroom suite. Center drawer guides and dust proof construction. Suite consists of bed, vanity with plate glass square mirror, vanity bench, chest, and night stand. **\$219<sup>50</sup>**

### BABY ITEMS

KIDDER CHAIRS... all metal chair with vacuum cups on legs to sit on regular chairs. A practical item. **\$3<sup>95</sup>**

TRAINING CHAIR with porcelain potty. Solid birch. Regular \$8.95... **\$7<sup>95</sup>**

HIGH CHAIR of solid birch with removable tray. Let baby have his own chair. **\$14<sup>95</sup>**

PLAY PEN with folding legs and sturdy masonite bottom. Baby will enjoy this! Regular \$17.95... **\$15<sup>95</sup>**

CRIBETTE with MATTRESS. Solid ends, wet proof innerspring mattress. Sturdy and handsome. **\$27<sup>95</sup>**

### LAMPS

Choose from a wide variety of table lamps in all colors, all shapes, sizes and styles. A complete line available for you! **\$5<sup>95</sup> \$7<sup>95</sup> \$9<sup>95</sup> \$10<sup>95</sup> \$12<sup>95</sup>**

From our assortment of floor lamps, you'll be able to find the one you want to fit your home. A number of different styles. **\$9<sup>95</sup> \$12<sup>95</sup> \$17<sup>95</sup> \$19<sup>95</sup> \$24<sup>95</sup>**

CLOCK LAMP that is complete with electric clock, cocktail tray, cigarette well, ash tray. Step light control switch. Plasti silk shade. **\$24<sup>95</sup>**

### LINOLEUM RUGS

Linoleum rugs in every pattern desirable... colors to fit into any color scheme. Buy several at this low price! **\$4<sup>95</sup>**

Reg. \$5.95 **\$4<sup>95</sup>**

### KNEEHOLE DESKS

Waterfall or period design kneehole desk finished in mahogany or walnut finish. Seven roomy drawers. **\$54<sup>95</sup> to \$69<sup>95</sup>**

## SOFA BED SUITES

STUDIO COUCH makes into a double or twin beds. Modern plaid tapestry upholstered. A wonderful value and a beautiful piece of furniture to fit into any home or apartment. **\$89<sup>95</sup>**

2-piece SOFA BED SUITE covered in fine quality grey or aqua tapestry. Sofa makes into a double bed. Regular \$109.50... **\$99<sup>50</sup>**

2-piece SOFA BED SUITE covered in modern frieze in rose or aqua color. You'll be delighted with the way this comfortable suite fits into your home. Regular \$149.50... **\$139<sup>50</sup>**

5-piece Ranch Style sofa bed suite in Colt design. Upholstered in DuPont Fabrilite plastic. Consists of couch, matching chair, 2 end tables and coffee table. In a beautiful lime oak finish. **\$219<sup>50</sup>**

6-piece Ranch Style suite. Wagon wheel design. Upholstered in DuPont Fabrilite plastic. Consists of couch, platform rocker, matching chair, coffee table and two end tables. **\$349<sup>50</sup>**

### MAGAZINE RACKS

Roomy magazine racks with a rich mahogany finish. Handsomely designed for beauty as well as convenience. **\$6<sup>95</sup>**

### THROW RUGS

5 only Pebble Tuft throw rugs size 4'x6'. Non-skid back. Regular \$14.95... **\$12<sup>95</sup>**

### ANTIQUE MIRROR

One only beautiful antique mirror with a heavy gold oval frame. A fine quality mirror that will be welcome at Christmas. Regular \$19.95... **\$15<sup>95</sup>**

### CARD TABLES

Durham card table with water repellent top. Tubular steel legs. All steel frame. Attractive colors and designs. **\$4<sup>95</sup>**

### SMOKING STANDS

All metal, light weight smoking stand with cocktail tray attached. A practical gift. **\$2<sup>95</sup>**

Heavy fancy bronze smoking stand with glass tray. Boot design. He'll like this as his Christmas gift. **\$9<sup>95</sup>**

Electric smoking stands with ash tray, cigarette well, electric lighter and light in base. A luxurious gift. **\$17<sup>95</sup>**

### RECORD CABINETS

Open front record cabinet in walnut or mahogany finish. Has record and album storage space. An attractive piece of furniture. **\$17<sup>95</sup>**

Sliding door type record cabinet in a delightful period design. Storage space holds ten albums. A beautiful piece of furniture. **\$24<sup>95</sup>**

### USE WHITE'S EASY TERMS

### Hostess Chair

A beautiful hostess chair in a luxurious green frieze cover by Kroehler. Curved back and blonde trim. **\$34<sup>95</sup>**

### Occasional Rockers

Practical, useful rockers with a rich walnut finish. Tapestry upholstered. Spring filled seat, padded back. Reg. \$9.95. **\$7<sup>95</sup>**

### Spot Chairs

Handsome, practical chairs with blonde trim. Tapestry or frieze covers. Solid colors of red, grey, beige or wine. Spring seat, tufted back. **\$19<sup>95</sup>**

### Occasional Chairs

Wonderful occasional chairs in grey upholstery. Blonde trim and spring filled seat. A delightful Christmas gift. **\$14<sup>95</sup>**

### Platform Rocker

A deluxe platform rocker with modern cover. Blonde wood trim. Spring filled seat and back and padded arms. Regular \$49.95. **\$44<sup>95</sup>**

### 3-in-1 Chair

Makes into a bed, chaise lounge chair or club chair. Covered in red frieze with moss edging. Innerspring construction. **\$89<sup>95</sup>**

### Hassocks FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Medium size hassocks covered in Duran plastic. Modern colors and shapes. **\$6<sup>95</sup> and \$9<sup>95</sup>**

Heavy drum type hassock with removable lid for storage. Colors that will fit into any color scheme desired. **\$18<sup>95</sup>**

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### PICTURES

A wonderful assortment of large size framed pictures of florals, pastorals and others. See these for Christmas. **\$5<sup>95</sup> and \$7<sup>95</sup>**

23 x 34 picture mirror. A fine quality mirror with a beautiful picture painted on it. **\$7<sup>95</sup>**

Actual photographs of Western Scenes taken in West Texas. Large size. An entirely "different" gift for Christmas! **\$14<sup>95</sup>**

### INNERSPRING MATTRESSES

180 coil innerspring mattress with ACA tick. Half or full size. One year guarantee. **\$34<sup>95</sup>**

Full or twin size innerspring mattress with ACA or Damask tick. Quilted top. Five year guarantee. **\$49<sup>95</sup>**

Lux-o-rest mattress with oven-woven coils. Damask tick. A fine quality mattress with a 10 year guarantee. **\$59<sup>50</sup>**

### Axminster Rugs

Beautiful rugs that will beautify your home. Fine quality and popular designs and colors. A welcome gift this Christmas. **\$64<sup>95</sup> up**

### Modern Table Sets

Three matching tables... coffee table, end table and lamp table finished in blonde mahogany. Very modern. **\$39<sup>95</sup>**

Set of Three **\$14.95 each**

### ODDS & ENDS DEPARTMENT

#### Three only SOLID OAK VANITY

Square, plate glass mirror, drop center style. Four drawers. **\$64<sup>95</sup>**

#### Six only TWIN CHESTS

In lime or grey finish. Three drawers. Box type. Solid oak. Each **\$34<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only WALNUT BUFFET

Finished in rich walnut with a waterfall front. Two doors, two drawers. Regular \$89.95. **\$49<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only 5-PIECE DINETTE

Red color with S-type chairs. mismatched. Regular \$89.95 value. **\$69<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only CHEST OF DRAWERS

Walnut finish on this fine chest. Four roomy drawers. **\$24<sup>95</sup>**

#### 30 x 40 MIRROR

Plate glass, bevel edge. Slightly damaged. Regular \$22.95. **\$16<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only HIGH CHAIR

Solid birch, removable tray. Slightly damaged. Regular \$14.95. **\$10<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only TORCHIER LAMP

Bronze base, ivory bowl. Regular \$29.95. **\$22<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only Kitchen Utility TABLE

Plastic top, drop leaf. Rubber rollers. Regular \$24.95. **\$17<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only AQUARIUM LAMP

Fish bowl type. Unusual and beautiful. **\$19<sup>95</sup>**

#### One only VANITY LAMP SET

Chartreuse color. Regular \$7.95 each. **\$10<sup>00</sup>**

### Game Table AND CHAIRS

Round table with four chairs. Folding type table and chairs. Removable plastic top on table. Wonderful for his Christmas. **\$34<sup>95</sup>**

### Hollywood Bed

Half size only in these wonderful Hollywood Beds. Six blonde hardwood legs on box springs. Comfortable, innerspring mattress. Ivory plastic headboard. **\$64<sup>95</sup>**