

**Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG**  
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Oil Editor

**Fusselman Opener Is Indicated At SE Upton Wildcat**

Interesting shows for possible production were uncovered on a drillstem test in the top of the Fusselman at Delta Gulf Drilling Company No. 1. Carter, wildcat in Southeast Upton County, one mile east of Rankin.

A three hour drillstem test was taken in the interval from 11,031 to 11,063 feet. Gas surfaced in one hour and 15 minutes. No fluid surfaced while tool was open.

After 79 stands of drillpipe had been pulled it started unloading. Recovery was a 2,000-foot water blanket which was very heavily oil and gas cut, 90 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut drilling mud and 200 feet of gas-cut salt water. Open bottom hole flowing pressure was 1,250 pounds and shut-in pressure after 15 minutes was 2,525 pounds.

Some interested observers believe the salt water was from an upper section and not from the 32 feet of Fusselman section which was tested.

Operator probably will drill a few more feet and take another drillstem test.

The Fusselman was topped at 11,027 feet on a datum point of minus 8.424 feet.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 25, block B, HE&WT survey.

**Phillips Schedules Embur Outpost In C-S Andrews Area**

Phillips Petroleum Company spotted location for a one-mile east outpost to Ellenburger production in the multipay Embur field of Central-South Andrews County, approximately 20 miles southwest of the town of Andrews.

It is the concern's No. 1-PP Texas University, 2,033 feet from west and 664 feet from south lines of the northwest quarter of section 28, block 10, University survey. It is contracted to go to around 11,000 feet.

The Embur field produces from the lower Clear Fork above 8,100 feet and from the Ellenburger above 8,200 feet.

Operations are to start at once.

**Fuhrman Will Dig Shallow Wildcat In North Pecos**

Fuhrman Petroleum Corporation staked location for a shallow wildcat in North Pecos County.

It will be drilled with cable tools to around 2,000 feet on No. 1 Humble-Shearer. Location is 330 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 43, block 10, H&GN survey.

That puts it five miles south of Imperial.

**Honolulu Offsets Spraberry Opener In SW Sterling Area**

Honolulu Oil Corporation filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas requesting permission to start drilling at once on a 5,400-foot Spraberry test in extreme southwest Sterling County.

It is to be drilled 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 28, block A, TC survey. That puts it 15 miles southwest of Sterling City and one location east of Honolulu No. 1-A A. A. Sugg indicated Spraberry discovery which is now shut-in while flow lines are connected and storage erected.

The new test will be No. 1 Herbert Cope and others.

**Shallow Prospector Staked In NE Pecos**

Carl Engle of McCamey has staked location for a 2,500-foot wildcat in Northeast Pecos County as his No. 1 Semmes.

Location is 330 feet from north and east lines of southeast quarter of section 48, block 11, H&GN survey. (Continued On Page Ten)

See latest models Smith-Corona Office and Portable Typewriters, Baker Office Equipment Co., Dial 4-6608, 511 West Texas.—(Adv.)

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**Reds List 11,559 UN Prisoners**

**Reds' Prisoner List Includes General Dean, 'Pappy' Noel**

By The Associated Press  
Red-haired Maj. Gen. William F. Dean has been reported wounded, dead or captured so many times in the last 17 months his wife and mother Tuesday found reports that he was in the hands of Communists "almost too good to be true."

Word that the Reds list him among their prisoners is the most definite statement on what happened to him since he led a small party of his 24th Division out of flaming Taejon in the early months of the Korean war and then went to hunt for more American stragglers.

"I'm afraid to let myself get too elated," his wife, Mildred Dean, said in Berkeley, Calif., Tuesday, when informed by The Associated Press of his reported POW status.

"Too Good To Be True"  
"It's wonderful. It's almost too good to be true."  
"But those peace talks have been going so poorly, you can't tell what will happen. We still have to keep our fingers crossed and keep hoping."

Dean's mother, 71-year-old Mrs. Charles Watts Dean, said:  
"I've been praying for his safety these many months."  
"I'm very, very happy."  
"At times I heard rumors that raised my hopes; then there would be silence. Then despair because there was nothing to substantiate the rumors."  
"It was discouraging when his helmet liner was found" with two bullet holes.  
"Mother Dean was in Japan when the war started. Her son went to Korea with the first American troops and was reported missing in the fall of Taejon July 20, 1950."

"Wonderful Surprise"  
The general's son, Cadet William F. Dean, Jr., exclaimed that the report of his father being alive "is a wonderful Christmas present."  
Notified at the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., Cadet Dean said:  
"It was a complete and wonderful surprise. I didn't know what to do at first. I felt good all over."  
Those with General Dean in the (Continued On Page 11)



Maj. Gen. William F. Dean



Frank (Pappy) Noel

By The Associated Press  
Ol' Pappy Noel may be coming home from the wars. A Communist newsman said at Panmunjon Tuesday the 53-year-old AP photographer was on the Reds' list of prisoners.

Pappy, formally known as Frank, was captured by Chinese Reds near the Chongjin Reservoir in North-east Korea Dec. 2, 1950.

Reports trickled out of Red territory from time to time that the Pulitzer Prize winner of 1943 was well.

Noel was captured, a colleague said, because "his heart was too big."

He was supposed to have gone back to Tokyo for a rest. But Noel said, "Ol' Pappy is going to stay here. I feel better with the kids up at the front."

Pappy was with the U. S. First Marine Division when the Chinese Communists entered the Korean war.

He was right there when the Reds swooped down from the north and the Marines withdrew to the Hungnam Beachhead.

He was with a convoy of Marines trying to reach an isolated regiment when the Communists pulled an ambush.

First reports were sketchy, but they indicated Pappy was not hurt. Two Marines who were with him but later escaped said, "He just sat and knelt in the frozen ditch beside the road and snapped pictures whenever he could. Frank Noel would make one hell of a Marine."

Almost six months later, 19 American prisoners escaped from the Reds. They said they had seen Noel two months before, and that he was all right.

He walked with a slight limp, they said. The Reds had marched him 60 miles in freezing weather. When his feet almost froze, he was allowed to finish the trip in an oxcart.

On July 18, Chinese newspaperman at Kaesong, original site of the cease-fire talks, said he had seen Noel two months previously. He said he was well and healthy in a prison camp "somewhere in Korea."

Only a week ago, Red correspondents at Panmunjon said they had heard he was in good health and following progress of the truce talks "with interest."

Noel's wife, Evelyn, is at Albany, N. Y. They have no children.

**Midland Fire Chief Walker Will Retire, Effective January 1**

James E. Walker announced his retirement as chief Tuesday morning of the Midland Fire Department he joined 24 years ago as its first paid employee.

The 55-year-old fire chief announced his decision Monday in a letter to City Manager W. H. Oswald and informed the members of the Fire Department at a meeting Tuesday morning.

The retirement becomes effective January 1.

No announcement was made concerning his successor but it probably will be discussed at a scheduled meeting Tuesday afternoon of the City Council.

"It is with a feeling of deep regret," said Walker's letter to the city manager, "that I take this step which has been both my vocation and avocation for the past 24 years, upon the advice of my physician and in consideration of the wishes and best interests of my family, this decision is necessary."

**Personal Satisfaction**  
"My regret in leaving that which I have had the opportunity of seeing grow from the small volunteer organization it was in 1927 is lessened somewhat by the personal satisfaction I have in knowing that I have had a part in making the department what it is today."  
"The City of Midland and its citizens have both been kind to me and, in turn, I have made every effort to serve them faithfully and loyally."  
"Though I am retiring from the department, such action does not affect my continued interest in the work I have been associated in so long."

"I shall always be interested in the progress of the Fire Department of the City of Midland. If I can be of service to you or the City of Midland at any future date, it shall be my pleasure to respond."

Walker became eligible for retirement in September but remained at his post until two new substations planned under his direction, were completed and placed in operation.

**Fresh Snows, Cold Push Nations Death Toll Upward To 152**

By The Associated Press  
Fresh snow and cold plagued the icy northern states Tuesday.

The toll of deaths attributed to the severe weather rose to 152.

A new blast of zero and sub-zero cold bore down on the Midwest.

Three inches of snow fell in Cleveland, topping the nine inches already on the ground. It continued to fall and drift there.

Western Maryland was burdened with five more inches of snow. Schools in many counties were closed.

Watertown, in Northern New York, had a fresh fall of snow. An additional six inches was expected on top of the 37-inch fall of Monday.

A new storm headed into the Middle Atlantic states and north-east.

It was far below zero early Tuesday in most of the Northern Plains states as the cold air mass pushed across the Canadian border.

It was 25 below zero in Bismarck, N. D.; minus 16 in International Falls, Minn.; minus 12 in Pierre, S. D., and minus 8 in Miles City, Mont. In the northeast, the coldest spot reporting was Old Town, Maine, with a low of 10 below.

**National Elections Underway In Iran**

TEHRAN, IRAN—(P)—National elections began Tuesday in Iran amid high political tensions that have touched off repeated bloody riots and death threats in recent weeks.

Premier Mohammed Mossadegh and his Nationalist followers were confident of winning on Mossadegh's reputation as a national hero who defied foreign "enemies" and took over the British-owned Anglo-Iranian Oil Company earlier this year.

Voting is for the 136 seats in the Majlis (lower house of Parliament). They select a premier. Mossadegh himself is not an election candidate.

**Three Persons Die In Airplane Crash**

VIENNA, ILL.—(P)—Three persons were killed Monday night in the crash of a private plane on a farm near Vienna during a blinding snowstorm.

The victims were identified by Sheriff D. E. George as J. J. Broadus, Harlingen, Texas, president of the Broadus Drilling Company; Nelson Briddy, 43, Evansville, Ind., and Murphy Pickles, Jr., 31, Harlingen, Broadus and Briddy were killed instantly. Pickles died early Friday in a Vienna hospital.

George said relatives had been notified and were enroute to Vienna.

**Vernon Grid Coach Hands In Resignation**

VERNON.—(P)—Buster Dixon, head coach and athletic director of the Vernon High School since 1947, resigned Tuesday, effective at the end of the school year.

While at Vernon, his football teams won 29, lost 19 and tied two.

The school board has indicated no one is under consideration to succeed Dixon.

**Senator Declares Ike's Nomination Would Be Mistake**

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Senator Kilgore (D-W Va) Tuesday said he thinks it would be a "terrible mistake" for either political party to ask Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower to leave his European command to run for president.

Just back from trip to Europe, Kilgore said he found an apparent prevalence of feeling among the people of France and Italy that they ought to compromise with the Russians.

He said that largely through Eisenhower's personality and ability, progress is being made toward erecting Western European defenses.

Kilgore said he feels that no other general could fill Eisenhower's military and diplomatic shoes in Europe successfully.

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And the House Ways and Means subcommittee, whose hearings figured largely in Truman's decision, Barnes & Co. Shoe Store will be open late every night this week.—(Adv.)

**★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★**

TOKYO.—(P)—The plane bringing in the list of war prisoners from Korea is fogged in and will not leave Korea before 8 a.m. Wednesday (5 p.m. CST Tuesday), making it probable that the first unofficial list of prisoner names will not be available here before 10:15 p.m. (CST) Tuesday.

MUNSAN, KOREA.—(P)—Reds are holding Allied prisoners in 11 prison camps lying between the North Korean capital of Pyongyang and the Manchurian border city of Sinuiju, a UN Command spokesman said Tuesday: The 3,198 Americans the Reds acknowledged holding are in four camps near the border, northeast of Sinuiju.

PUSAN, KOREA.—(P)—The South Korean government Tuesday night said the disparity between the number of South Korean and American troops officially listed as missing and the number given by the Communists as prisoners might mean the Reds are "camouflaging a tremendous number of tragic atrocities."

PARIS.—(P)—Nationalist China Tuesday accused Red China of having murdered 15,672,050 persons on the Chinese mainland in two years. The charge was made in the 60-nation Social and Humanitarian Committee of the UN Assembly by Dr. Yu Tsune-Chi.

**Four Killed, Eight Hurt, One Missing In Superfort Crash**

SHREVEPORT, LA.—(P)—A B-29 Superfortress bomber, gliding in for a landing, smashed through a one-story residence and crashed late Monday night, killing four of its 13 crew members.

Eight airmen were injured, three seriously, and another is missing, Barksdale Air Force Base officials said.

Witnesses said the crippled craft dipped to the ground, broke off an engine, then skidded 200 yards across U.S. Highway 80 and burst into flame.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDaniel was demolished by the impact. The McDaniels were asleep at 11:18 p.m. when their house suddenly was torn from its foundation. They escaped with minor injuries and shock.

The bomber's pilot had just radioed the Barksdale Air Force tower for landing instructions and was on his final approach with wheels down when the plane struck the house.

T. R. Felix, who lives just a few feet from where the broken fuselage finally came to rest, said several of the surviving airmen were (Continued On Page 11)

**Blast Demolishes Fireworks Store In West Monroe, La.**

MONROE, LA.—(P)—A wholesale fireworks store exploded at West Monroe Tuesday and the tremendous blast shook the downtown area 15 blocks away.

An hour after the explosion, authorities said no one had been reported injured.

The blast occurred at 9:30 a.m. and demolished a brick building housing the fireworks store, damaged a dairy across the street, and tossed fireworks for several hundred feet.

A fire broke out, but fire companies brought the blaze under control in 30 minutes.

A school two blocks away was not damaged, but the children had a Roman holiday salvaging fireworks tossed over the area.

Authorities were unable to determine immediately if any workers were in the building at the time, and if so, how they escaped.

West Monroe is across the Ouachita River from Monroe. Windows in homes nearby were shattered by the blast over a two-block area.

**Kerrville Rancher Dies In Plane Crash**

KERRVILLE.—(P)—R. P. Smith, 68, Kerrville and Port Arthur businessman and rancher, crashed to death in his private plane near Center Point shortly after 6:30 a.m. Tuesday.

He had taken off at 6:30 a.m. from the Kerrville Municipal Airport for Port Arthur. He was alone.

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Justice D. F. Thompson withheld his verdict in the deaths and posted a deputy sheriff at the fire scene, three miles south of south Houston. He said that although it appeared the fire was accidental, he had noticed what seemed to be a cut on the sergeant's head and his wife's body was found hunched up beside a couch in "an unnatural position."

Barnes & Co. Shoe Store will be open late every night this week.—(Adv.)

**Only 3,198 Americans Are Named**

MUNSAN, KOREA.—(P)—The Communists Tuesday turned over to the United Nations a list of 11,559 prisoners, including 3,198 Americans.

They said the list includes all prisoners of the Korean war in their hands. The UN gave the Reds a list of 132,474 Chinese and North Korean prisoners.

Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway's headquarters in Tokyo said it understood the Communist list includes Maj. Gen. William F. Dean, lost commander of the U. S. 24th Division. Dean has been missing since the fall of Taejon in July, 1950.

Communist newsmen at Panmunjon said Associated Press photographer Frank Noel also was listed.

Lists were exchanged Tuesday, when Communist truce negotiators suddenly capitulated to UN demands. The prisoner subcommittee recessed until Thursday. Rear Adm. R. E. Libby, UN member of the committee, said the purpose was to study the lists.

Brig. Gen. William P. Nuckols, UN spokesman, elaborated:  
"The Communist lists have not yet been verified. They probably include errors, omissions and possibly fictitious additions."  
"Every effort humanly possible will be made immediately by the UN Command to check the list. The respective arms of services in the United States will notify the next of kin immediately on verification."  
**Information Questionable**  
"I cannot emphasize too strongly that this is a Communist list."  
"Any information on prisoners received from the Communists is questionable due to their continued refusal to allow international committees of the Red Cross to inspect their prisoner of war facilities and operations."

Of the 11,559 names on the Communist lists, a UN Command communique reported: 7,142 are South Korean, 3,198 American, 919 British, 234 Turkish, 40 Filipino, 10 French, six Australian, four South African, three Japanese, and one each from Canada, Greece and The Netherlands.

The Communist list fell far short (Continued On Page 11)

**Release Of POW Names To Be Slow**

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The military in Korea, Tokyo and Washington Tuesday prepared to begin the gigantic, intricate task of advising kinfolk of the names of 3,198 Americans reported held prisoner by the Communists. The first official notifications were expected to go out by early Wednesday.

Many families will be cheered by word that their soldier-sons are alive, although in enemy hands. But a still greater number are in for grief and disappointment.

The list supplied by the Communists is little more than one-fourth of 11,042 Americans reported missing in Korea.

The Army in Korea arranged to fly the prisoner list to Tokyo, where it was to be distributed to newsmen and relayed on to the Pentagon in Washington.

**Hours, Possibly Days**  
That list contained only the names, rank, serial numbers and unit designations. It will have to be matched in Washington against the roster of the missing to obtain hometown addresses.

That procedure will take hours, possibly days. But as quickly as possible after notifying next of kin, the Pentagon hoped to make public its list. Normally, the Pentagon waits about 72 hours after notifying kinfolk before releasing casualty reports.

The Pentagon said it would release names in installments, as soon as they are checked and notifications have gone out. The first lists for publication, it added, are not expected to be available before Friday.

Notifications to kinfolk will carry the statement that the Defense Department cannot guarantee the accuracy of the report. A Pentagon announcement stressed the same point in connection with the Communist list being distributed to newsmen in Tokyo. It said:  
"It must be emphasized that the Defense Department cannot vouch for accuracy of names as listed. The incidence of errors, omissions or fictitious additions is not known."

**U. S. Moves To Halt Threatened Walkout Of Steel Unionists**

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The government Tuesday called a meeting of the CIO Steel Workers Union and 10 big steel companies here on Thursday in an effort to head off a strike threatened for December 31.

Cyrus S. Ching, director of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, messaged the 10 companies and the union that the possibility of a steel strike is a "matter of grave concern" to the people of the United States. He added:  
"Any curtailment of operations in this key industry will seriously affect our national economy and have a direct and critical impact on our defense effort."  
The union is asking a 15-cent-an-hour pay boost and other concessions.

Philip Murray, president of the million-member union, said Monday night a strike was unavoidable unless the industry agreed to union demands.

The present contract expires December 31.

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**WILL MEET WEDNESDAY**

The Valley View Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. T. O. Midkiff, 1002 South Marienfeld Street. Members are asked to bring gifts for the state hospital in Big Spring and gifts to exchange.

**'Place in Sun' Picked As Best Film Of 1951**

NEW YORK—The National Board of Review of Motion Pictures has picked "A Place in the Sun" as the best picture of 1951.

For the year's best acting, the board has selected Jan Sterling in "The Big Carnival" and Richard Basehart in "Fourteen Hours."

The board announced its selections Monday night.

"A Place in the Sun" was the film version (Paramount) of Theodore Dreiser's "An American Tragedy," George Stevens directed it.

**WOMEN TO MEET**

The Women of the Church of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church will have a general meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church. A nursery will be open.

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**SANTA and the MAGIC MIRROR**  
by LUCRECE HUDGINS



**SYNOPSIS:** Belinda and Tommy enter the mysterious room. It is entirely bare except for a very shabby, milky mirror. Belinda hides it under her sweater. Now, unable to look into the mirror, the giants become horrible hobbits once again. They pull Belinda's hair and hurt Tommy and in freight they see up the stairs and hide under a bed. Belinda feels the mirror pressing against her and realizes this must be what makes the giants gentle. She tries to give it back to them, but they knock her down and the mirror breaks into a thousand pieces.

**CHAPTER 13 THE CHASE**

Belinda stared in dismay at the shattered glass surrounding her.

"Now see what you have done!" she cried. She stamped her foot. It was your very own fault. It was trying to return the old thing to you!

But the giants seemed not to care about the mirror. With a holler they charged for Belinda. She dodged between their legs and flew back to the bedroom. Now all seemed hopeless for the giants were at the door.

But Tommy had crawled from under the bed and rushed across the room to a large fireplace.

"Quick!" he called. "Remember Santa's second secret!"

With a gasp of relief, Belinda ducked into the fireplace beside Tommy. Each child laid a finger beside his nose, whispered some words, and up the chimney they rose!

"That was a close call," said Tommy when the two children reached the roof of the castle.

"But we're still in a spot," said Belinda. "For how shall we get down?"

Truly there seemed no way to get down. They could neither jump nor climb to the castle. They scurried around looking for an escape. Tommy found a trap door.

"We might as well try it," he said.

Belinda agreed. They flung open the door and dropped through. They found themselves in the lowest hall of the castle—seven floors above the ground.

A great staircase spiraled down through the very heart of the castle. Tommy and Belinda started down the stairs. But scarcely had they gone a dozen steps when they heard the seven giants storming up the very same stairs.

Tommy sat down right where



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he was. "I just can't go any further," he said. His face was white with exhaustion.

"We can't stay here!" exclaimed Belinda.

"There's no where else to go," moaned Tommy.

"Oh, yes there is!" cried Belinda. "I have an idea. Have you ever slid down banisters?"

"Never," said Tommy. "My father would never have permitted it in our house."

"Well, you're going to now," said Belinda. "Quick! Follow me!"

She put one leg over the banister and gave a push. In an instant she was flying down through the heart of the castle.

Tommy gave a whoop of joy and slid down behind her.

DOWN, down, down they zoomed past the seven startled giants, past the seven floors to the very door of the castle.

Without a pause they ran out doors, climbed on Santa's little sled and sped away.

When they were back safe with Santa both children were sad and forlorn.

Santa laughed at them both. "Suppose you tell me everything

that happened," he said. So Belinda and Tommy told him about the strange mirror and how much it had seemed to mean to the giants.

Santa was very excited. "That's the secret of it all!" he cried.

"But it was only a mirror," protested Belinda. "Cracked and bumpy. What could be its use?"

"It was a piece of ice from the Frozen Pond of Winnie the Witch," said Santa. "This magic ice will melt the hearts of all who see their reflection in it."

"But why didn't they tell us?" asked Tommy.

"They didn't know themselves. They knew they liked to look in the mirror but they didn't know that it softened their hearts whenever they did it."

"And now," said Belinda sadly. "The mirror is gone forever."

Santa laughed. "Far from it. If you are rested you must take one more trip. This time I will go with you."

"Where are we going?"

"To the Frozen Pond of Winnie the Witch."

(Next: The Strange Witch)

**Girl Scout Lists For Week Of Carols Are Announced**

Girl Scout Troops of Midland are providing the Christmas carols at the community Christmas tree site in the 1100 block of North A Street. Carols are sung from 6:30 to 7 p.m.

The following troops will sing as scheduled:

- Tuesday, Troop 17, with Mrs. W. C. Kimball, leader; troop 25, with Mrs. Robert Peyton, leader; troop 39, Mrs. John Down, leader; troop 58, Mrs. L. R. Luckie, leader; troop 34, Mrs. Walton Cates, leader; troop 29, Mrs. Jack Locke, leader; and troop 41, Mrs. M. O. Gibson, leader.
- Wednesday, troop 45, Mrs. Joe Gray and Mrs. R. A. Carroll, leaders; troop 43, Mrs. Ray Kelly, leader; troop 10, Mrs. W. O. Keller, leader; troop 15, Mrs. George Grimm, leader; troop 2, Mrs. A. B. Jenks, leader; troop 19, Mrs. R. H. Steedman, leader; troop 35, Mrs. John Kribbough, leader; troop 38, Mrs. D. F. Smith, Jr., leader; and troop 18, Jane Hardson, leader.
- Thursday, troop 57, Mrs. W. T. Douglas, leader; troop 1, Mrs. M. B. Arick, leader; troop 12, Mrs. I. A. Searles, leader; troop 13, Betty Jo Greene, leader; troop 14, Mrs. Clyde Davidson, leader; troop 4, Mrs. John Klingler, leader; troop 3, Mrs. Howard Ford, leader; troop 5, Mrs. Bill Glascock, leader; and troop 28, Mrs. J. O. Partanen, leader.
- Friday, troop 29, Mrs. R. H. Frazier, leader; troop 62, Mrs. Kelly Bell, leader; troop 42, Mrs. J. W. Dorman, leader; troop 64, Mrs. J. A. Windham, leader; troop 52, Mrs. Dennis Ford, leader; troop 21, Mrs. Fred Burleson, leader; troop 26, Mrs. John Chitwood, leader; troop 27, Mrs. Edward Knabe, leader; and troop 60, Diana Neisel, leader.
- Saturday, troop 65, Mrs. W. A. Dunn, leader; troop 33, Mrs. James D. Martin, leader; troop 47, Mrs. F. A. Scott, leader; troop 48, Mrs. Clarence Symes, leader; troop 20, Jean McMillam, leader; troop 61, Mrs. R. Johnson, leader; troop 51, Mrs. Robert Parks, leader; and troop 23, Mrs. R. H. Burton, leader.

**McCamey HD Club Will Honor Rankin Clubs With Party**

MCCAMEY—The Garden Home Demonstration Club of McCamey has announced the McCamey and Rankin Home Demonstration Clubs will be guests at its annual Christmas party at 3 p.m. Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Covill will be the hostess. Guests and members will exchange gifts.

Members will bring gifts to be sent to the state hospital.

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**★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★**

**Taffy Sisters Have Sweet Way To Fill Movie Houses Again**

By ERSKINE JOHNSON  
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—Far be it from me to urge Greer Garson, Irene Dunne and Claudette Colbert to drop their shoulder straps and hoist their skirts in front of the movie cameras.

But a couple of young, successful, Dixie-born sisters who design glamorous glad rags for Hollywood dolls whispered to me that there's not enough blushing pink on the movie screen these days to lure the male customers away from their TV sets.

"Our stars are all covered up," wailed Sari Taffy, a petite brunette. "Why, the women on the screen have more clothes on than the women in the audience."

"It's terrible, that's what it is," chimed in her soft-spoken sister, Ann. "There's just nothing for the boys to look at anymore."

The Taffy sisters sighed in chorus: "They weren't for anything that wasn't nice and proper, they were drawn."

It was just that they believed that producers ought to go back to the old device of putting at least one disrobing scene into every picture to be sure of drawing men into the theaters.

There were other little tricks that paid off big in the '30's, too. Like a star fastening her stockings to her garter belt or getting her skirt blown away over her head by a gust of wind.

"Why, men used to storm the theater doors to see Jean Harlow in black step-ins or Norma Shearer undressing behind a screen. While she talked to Clark Gable," Ann said. "Nowadays a star starts taking off her clothes and the camera cuts away quick-like."

Anything To Help  
"It's plain silly," said Sari. "Little things that help a picture."

"They cheer the boys up," from Ann.

Had I checked morning attendance at the popcorn palaces lately, Sari would know?

Well, one of her friends was an exhibitor and she had it straight from him that salesmen just weren't dropping in the way they used to.

"The fellows like to knock off for a few hours if there's a movie with a little zip to it," Sari said.

"It inspires them. The word gets around it. Lana Turner is swishing around in a negligee and sort of forgetting to keep the lace together. Only they don't let Lana do that in Hollywood any more."

Telephones began to jangle at their Beegley Hills salon and the Taffy sisters rushed away to assure Zsa Zsa Garbo that her evening gown was ready, and to make an afternoon appointment for a fitting with Rhonda Fleming.

"We think of men when we design clothes for women," Ann tossed it to me. "Right now I'm thinking of the expressions on the faces of the men who see Zsa Zsa in her evening gown."

"If we gave as little thought to men as Hollywood does," Sari ad-

ded, "we'd be out of business."

"That's right."

"You've got to think of the boys." Go Ahead And Tell  
Could the Taffys, I wondered, name any movie producers who were giving male moviegoers—a little peek-a-boo consideration?

"There's Cecil B. DeMille," Sari said. "Watch the women in his movies. Their skirts are always falling aside to reveal a shapely leg. Or they're doing all sorts of wonderful, feminine things. That's why his pictures make money."

"And then there's Howard Hughes," exclaimed Ann.

"Of course," said Sari, reverently. Ann sighed.

"If only he could put in movies what he puts on his big billboards—wow!"

They had been offered jobs as designers on the movie lots, the sisters volunteered. But they had decided it would get them all frustrated and that they had better stick to whipping up fancy duds for the off-screen hours of movie shebang.

"We made some sexy gowns for the 'Quo Vadis' premiere," Ann said.

"Spectacles, who needs spectacles?" shrugged Sari. "The burning of Rome is fine, but the boys would rather see Ava Gardner's bare back."

Short Takes: Twenty-six-year old Charlie Chaplin silent movies have been sold to television... Jane Wyman has a new flame, local attorney Judd Downing.

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### Mr., Mrs. Oates Hold Open House For Church Class

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Oates held the annual open house for the Fellowship Class of the First Methodist Church Sunday in their home.

The decorations were red candles and red carnations. The table was set with Madeira with silver appointments.

Guests attending were the Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Kirk, the Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brady and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Edgington.

Those assisting in the house party were Mrs. Charles Reeder, Mrs. W. V. Ray, Mrs. Arvid Augustson, Mrs. Hugh Bliss, Mrs. Marion Culver, Mrs. Charles Patterson and Mrs. Don Patterson.

### MOTHERS CLUB PARTY SLATED FOR THURSDAY

The St. Ann's Mothers' Club Christmas party will be held at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the school hall. It was previously reported as having been held last Thursday. Reservations should be turned in to Mrs. Fredric McLaren by Wednesday morning.

### Ruth Class Holds Annual Dinner

The Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church held its annual Christmas dinner party in the Recreation Hall recently.

Thurman Pylant was the master of ceremonies. Entertainment was provided by Jimmy Thomas. He did slight of hand tricks. Christmas carols were sung.

The tables were decorated with Christmas greenery, candles and Christmas trees. A Santa Claus was the center of attraction in the decorations.

Fifty persons attended.

### MCCAMEY GARDEN CLUB WILL HAVE PARTY

The McCamey Garden Club will have its annual Christmas party for the husbands of members at 8:30 p.m. Thursday in the Park Building.

The party will follow the judging of the Christmas decoration contest and the pilgrimage.

The state flower of Arkansas, 25th state admitted into the Union, is the apple blossom.

### Gift Tea Honors Bride-Elect

Patsy Ann Collins, bride-elect of Seaman First Class Ben Edward Taylor, was honored with a gift tea Saturday in the home of Mrs. T. E. Neely.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. James L. Daugherty, Mrs. W. T. Hagler, Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mrs. George G. Johnson, Mrs. G. W. Brenneman, Mrs. Forest Hunter, Mrs. A. E. Clements and Sara Hunter.

A color scheme of blue and white was carried out in the decorations. The table was covered with a linen work cloth and centered with a ship pulled with white carnations and blue daisies with ships sails bearing the names Pat and Ben. Blue tapers completed the decorations.

### At Guest Book

Mrs. R. W. Harrington, sister of the bride-elect, poured the first hour and Nadysie Griffin poured the second hour. Mrs. A. C. Tankley of El Paso and Mrs. James Dickinson, Jr. served.

Sara Hunter and Mrs. Harrington presided at the guest book and Mrs. Daugherty and Mrs. Johnson greeted guests. Those in the receiving line were Mrs. Collins, the honoree, Mrs. Ben Taylor of Oklahoma City, mother of the future bridegroom, and Mrs. Neely.

Margaret Baker of Rock Springs displayed the gifts. Mrs. Yates Brown and Diana Daugherty played piano selections.

Approximately 200 guests attended.

The turkey is the only poultry type to originate in North America.

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### Moment Musical MHS Presents Gives Program Yule Pageant In Auditorium

The Moment Musical Club held a "pop" Christmas program Saturday in the home of Ned and Lydie Watson.

Sue Akers, president, began the program with a piano solo, "Silent Night." Each member participating on the program called on another member who played a solo and then, in turn, called on someone else.

Other participants and their numbers were Kay Smith, "Ring, Sweet Bells;" Marjorie Martin, "Three Little Kittens;" violin; Bob Smith, "Minuet;" piano; Connie Scott, "La Carmelita;" accordion. Patsy Hickey, "Spinning Song;" Jerry Martin, "Mocking Bird Hill;" violin; Patsy Wilkerson, "Solfege;" piano; Linda Breith, "Ballade;" piano; James Doss, "The Fairy Court;" piano, and Sandra Jordan, "Golden Slippers;" accordion solo.

### Mrs. Beckers Is Story Narrator

Mrs. W. P. Beckers was the narrator for the Children's Story Hour Saturday morning in the Midland County Library.

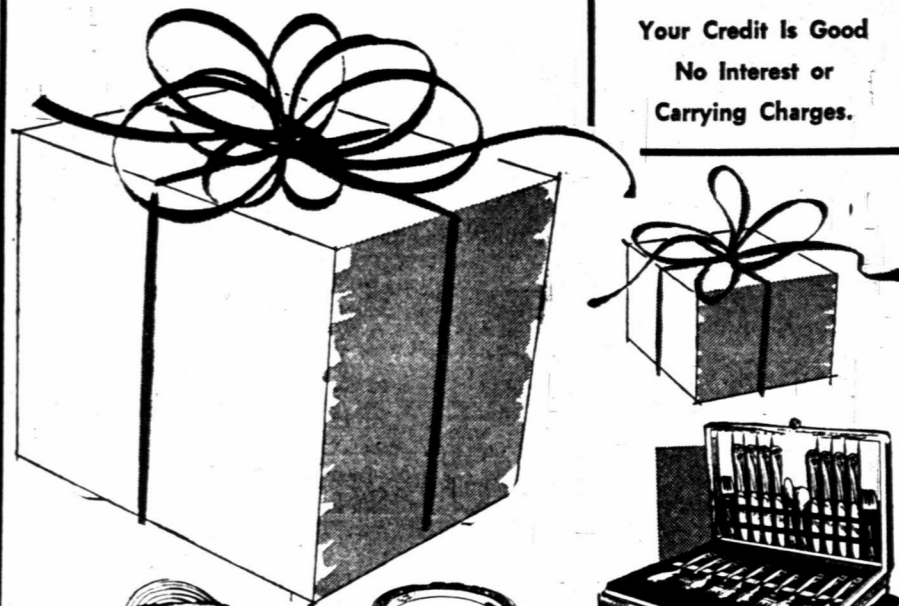
She read "The Christmas Puppy," "Morton," and "The Pussy-cat's Christmas," David, and also stories from "Dragons in Blue Land," Garrett.

Children attending were Carol Wright, Mary Evelyn Wright, Bobby Wright, Susan Kelly, Mary Ann McCarthy, Peggy McCarthy, Ellen McCarthy, Margaret Herrick, Florence Marberry, Anita Frizzell, Nancy Savage and Paula Ford.

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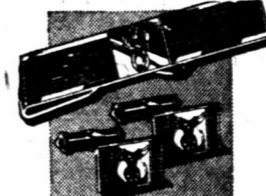


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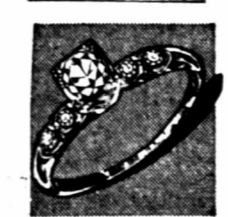


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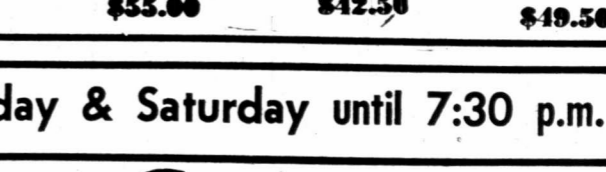
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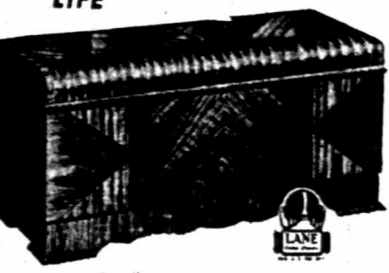


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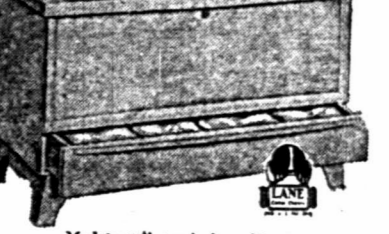
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### 'Curious Savage' Closes 1951 Season

The final performance of "The Curious Savage" was given Monday night by the Community Theater.

The three-act comedy was written by John Patrick.

This was the last play of the year for the Community Theater. The membership campaign now is underway and will continue through the first show of 1952.

The membership includes 16 tickets that may be used for any regular theater show and includes the privilege of enrolling children in the children's Theater classes. Information concerning membership may be obtained from Paxton Howard, Mrs. W. W. Waldschmidt or Art Cole.

### McCamey VFW Has Christmas Party

MCCAMEY—The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and Post held its annual Christmas party and dinner recently in the Park Building.

Under the Christmas tree were presents for each person attending.

A program was given by Mike Brooks, Johnny Northcutt, Gary Don Howell and Norma Jean Covill.

Post Commander Herschel Curry and Mrs. Loma Northcutt, auxiliary president, expressed greetings to the 80 present.

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And the saying pleased the whole multitude: and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Ghost, and Philip, and Prochorus, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicholas a proselyte of Antioch.—Acts 6:5.

A Gift Suggestion

Christmas and year-end gifts now are uppermost in the minds of most Midlanders as they approach the joyous holiday season.

Hours upon hours doubtless have been spent in the careful preparation of gift lists by those whose real spirit of Christmas comes from the joy of giving.

And while checking over these lists of friends and loved ones, it is hoped the Midland Memorial Hospital, a friend of everyone, will not be overlooked by the loyal citizens of Ever-Growing Midland.

Surely, this fine community owned and operated institution of service merits serious consideration as a possible cash gift recipient at this particular time of the year—or at any other time, for that matter.

We like to give to those who need and appreciate our gifts, and certainly Midland Memorial Hospital is in dire need of money. Certainly cash gifts will be appreciated by all concerned. And "all concerned" means more than just those who are connected officially in one way or another with the large non-profit hospital.

Midland Memorial Hospital opened for service about 18 months ago, and since that time the institution has served well the medical needs of hundreds of Midland and area residents. Several new services, special facilities and treatment centers have been added since the hospital's opening.

Of course there are complaints concerning the operation and services of the institution, some of which officials admit are justified. But actually there is nothing wrong with the hospital that money wouldn't cure.

It was planned originally to open the 100-bed hospital debt-free and with a sizeable operating surplus. Unfortunately, it didn't work out that way, due to the increased costs of building and equipping the institution.

Necessarily, the hospital has had to pay its own way, and believe it or not it has been operating in the black for months now. It has to operate in the black, even with a \$1,700 debt service and retirement payment each month.

Due to the shortage of operating funds, the hospital has not been able to provide the very best services which patrons expect and the hospital staff would like to offer.

It would be an entirely different situation if the \$150,000 debt could be retired. That alone would give the hospital an additional \$1,700 a month with which to improve services.

It is said that cash gifts will cure the ills of the hospital, which in turn will make it a much more effective force in serving the hospital needs of the community.

Yes, Midland Memorial Hospital, a friend of everyone every day of the year, certainly will appreciate your cash gift consideration at this particular time.

It is THE Christmas gift suggestion of 1951. "Just what we need" will be the appreciative comment of hospital officials and staff members when they open their Christmas gifts.

'Neutral' Wanted

It will be well if the Republicans can select a new Senate minority leader who is in the nature of a compromise choice. Since he must serve as spokesman for the whole GOP Senate membership, this seems more reasonable than that he represent merely one faction or another.

Especially does this appear a wise course for 1952, a political year. There should be no situation which would encourage Senator Wherry's successor to use his post of power and responsibility for the advantage of a particular presidential candidate.

White Christmas



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

Drew Pearson says: The history of Congressman Boykin shows that parties and backslapping pay dividends; Boykin got half-million-dollar loan just after big dinner; Alabama congressman changes "Everything Is Made for Love" to "Everything Is Made for Loans."

WASHINGTON—In considering how corruption takes root in government, it's necessary to give some attention to the social whirl. There is many an official who would be horrified at the idea of taking money for a favor who nevertheless will perform great favors as the result of a dinner party, a yachting trip on a weekend at a duck blind.

Take for example the ebullient and expansive congressman from Mobile, "Everything Is Made for Love" Frank Boykin, and let's see how he operates his influence-machine. While Boykin is not exactly typical, his methods of ingratiating himself with people in powerful places illustrates how loans can be granted and prosecution circumvented through backslapping and partying.

On Aug. 2, 1949, Boykin threw one of the most notable dinner parties in Washington, featuring a menu of heart meat, venison, possum and raccoon, plus a huge banner across one end of the banquet hall flaunting the congressman's famous motto, "Everything Is Made for Love."

Also present was the recently resigned chief of police, Bob Barrett, who took off his coat and started a fist fight with Congressman Dewey Short of Missouri—until restrained by some of his own cops.

I feel sure that few officials at time dinner felt obligated to Congressman Boykin as a result of his hospitality. Yet a lot of dinners, sprinkled with hunting trips and thoughtful presents of turkey and venison, have an accumulative effect. And just two weeks after this dinner, one of Boykin's major RFC loans was granted.

But to study the case history of "Everything Is Made for Love" Boykin, here are four chapters of his life in Washington, showing how his backslapping and wire pulling ends in corruption.

Chapter No. 1—Deal with Boykin's amazing wire pulling which got a \$455,758 loan for the Stutts Lumber Company of Thomasville, Ala., described in this column June 14, 1951. Not only did the congressman have a contract to sell his timber to this company, but Stutts immediately used \$300,000 of the RFC loan to pay an overdraft at the Thomasville Bank and Trust Company, two of whose officials now have been indicted.

Usually it takes two months to get a loan through the RFC. All sorts of officials down below have to pass on it. But the coon-eating congressman from Alabama obtained his loan on Aug. 18, 49, just two weeks after he had entertained RFC officials and other bigwigs at his historic dinner on August 2. The regional director of RFC in Birmingham opposed the loan, but it went through the RFC directors in Washington with flying colors.

Chapter No. 2—Boykin turned on the hospitality charm, and the coon meat, at another party, this one held under the Capitol dome in the private dining room of ex-Speaker Joe Martin. Members of the Fisheries and Wildlife Committee were invited to attend this party, supposedly for the purpose of refuting Virginia's Congressman Howard Smith and his derogatory remarks about the "love lives of the raccoon."

Chapter No. 3—Although never before published, Congressman Boykin pulled frantic wires to kill federal prosecution of a vote-fraud case in his home town, Mobile. In some respects this was more important than his efforts to kill tax-fraud cases, because it affected the most sacred right of the American people, the right to vote.

Chapter No. 4—The way Boykin pulled wires in the Ripps-Mitchell tax-fraud case already has been published in part. But the real story is how Congressman Boykin had protected Joe Mitchell for years and what, if anything, he got in return.

Boykin's friends allowed him to settle the bill out of court. In 1943, when tires were rationed, Mitchell was caught stealing tires from a Tupelo, Miss., filling station, but got off when his old friend Congressman Boykin intervened.

In 1945, Mitchell was convicted for violating the elections laws and sentenced to 60 days at hard labor. During this trial two key witnesses disappeared and later swore they were paid \$100 a week by Mitchell to stay out of town. Later, the case was reversed in the Supreme Court.

Despite this background, however, Congressman Boykin pestered Lamar Caudle incessantly in order to protect his friend from a tax-fraud prosecution. Boykin had gotten the art of wire pulling down to a science, and he used the science for his own ends, not the ends of the people who elected him. Today he rates as a top illustration of hour corruption can insidiously, almost imperceptibly, spread through government.



Q—Can light cause metal to move? A—Yes, light exerts pressure and can cause actual motion of an object. It is this pressure of light on the small particles that make up the tail of a comet that pushes them away from the sun so that the tail of a comet is always away from the sun whether it is approaching or receding.

Q—How are pearls formed? A—They occur when some foreign object—perhaps a tiny grain of sand—gets between the shell and the body of the oyster. The animal then secretes a substance called nacre, which consists of calcium carbonate, the same as the "mother of pearl" lining of the shell.

Q—Does Chile supply the United States with much copper? A—We get about one-third of our copper from Chile.

Q—Do insects obtain their food from plants by chewing or sucking? A—The mouth parts of some insects are adapted for biting, others for sucking and lapping.

Q—Which is larger Texas or Alaska? A—Alaska is slightly more than twice the size of Texas.



Have a Laugh

Two friends were talking. One said, "My boy, Jim, failed in the examination for rural mail carrier." The other asked, "What does he plan to do?" The father replied, "I reckon he'll go back to teachin' school."

The longest word in the English language: the one that follows this announcement, "And now for a word from our sponsor."

PETER EDSON'S European News Notebook

Your Dollar Will Go Long Way If You Can Manage Trip To Spain

BARCELONA—(NEA)—Spain is still the tourist's best bet in Europe. With the official exchange rate at just under 40 pesetas to the U. S. dollar, and the black market rate much better, money will go far.

A big double room and bath at the Ritz here costs \$4.40 a night. Best rooms in Madrid, with linen sheets, are \$5 and \$10. Rates at the official government inns are from \$1 to \$2 a night.

Second-class hotels without the conveniences are less. Food in Barcelona is higher than other parts of Spain, but the average table d'hote luncheon or dinner, with three courses and dessert, is \$1.15. Theater tickets are \$1, but bull fights get up to \$20. A big fight mignon in Toledo was 75 cents. Five pesetas—12 1/2 cents—is an average top and will get you service with a smile.

For those who can take it, Mediterranean seafood offers some rare adventures in eating. You start with French fried minnows, tails, heads, black eyes and all.

You go from there to baby clams about the size of your finger nail. Baby octopus in the soup or snails in the rice are the next step. Then eels. When you can eat octopus cooked in its own ink—then you're a real Spaniard.

Problem In Portugal LISBON—Difficulties of trying to bring European armaments up to modern standards are best illustrated in Portugal, where next North Atlantic Treaty Organization meeting will be held.

If Portuguese armed forces were mechanized and modernized, Portugal would have to double its present military budget, just to maintain the equipment.

And this, of course, would assume that the United States furnished all the modern jet planes, tanks and guns needed. Portugal couldn't afford to pay for them—much less make them in her own limited industrial plants.

Still No Change MADRID—Spanish government of El Caudillo Francisco Franco still is doggedly, determinedly fascist in character. This was strikingly shown after a recent Spanish government order temporarily expelling a New York Times correspondent.

When the order canceling the expulsion was issued, some U. S. newspapers praised the action. It was interpreted as a sign that Franco at last was seeing the wisdom of greater freedom of expression and less censorship.

Spanish government press officers immediately protested. The Franco administration was not becoming more liberal, they said. And they didn't want credit for being considered liberal when they weren't.

We're Still Friends PARIS—Dr. Philip Jessup, doing a job here as U. S. representative to the United Nations General Assembly meeting, had a unique experience after the Senate refused to

confirm his appointment. Republican Senator H. Alexander Smith of New Jersey, whose vote against Jessup had resulted in a 3 to 2 Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee adverse recommendation, called Jessup to his office.

Smith and Jessup had long been friends. Smith's vote had therefore come as a surprise. The senator said he hoped his vote would make no difference in their friendship.

He said his reason for the vote was a belief that Jessup had lost the confidence of the country. Jessup accepted President Truman's recess appointment, and came to Paris regardless.

Voice of America Popular MADRID—Voice of America perhaps has a better following in Spain than almost any country in Europe. There are daily 45-minute programs broadcast from London and Tangiers, and there are 31 platform stations handling Voice programs in the provinces.

All draw a tremendous amount of fan mail. When the Voice earlier in the year offered a little mimeographed pamphlet, "Graficas," it brought 17,000 replies. Circulation grew so fast that the publication has had to be discontinued because it cost too much to print.

When strikes broke out in Barcelona and Bilbao last Spring, British Broadcasting Corporation programs beamed to Spain played them up as though they were the beginning of a revolt against the Franco regime.

Franco's opponents put pressure on Voice of America to follow the same line, but the Voice played the news straight, reporting only demonstrations. When the demonstrations did subside, without result, Voice of America won endorsement for accuracy of its report.

Some personal or social deficit is being satisfied when one attends a concert. I do not advise protracted listening... It's just like eating three steaks in a row.

I have learned that comedy based on reality gets the deepest, most satisfying laughter. —Jackie Gleason, TV comic.

The luckiest thing that ever happened to me was being born a woman. At first, directors used to tell me, "Act sultry." That only made me nervous. Now they just say, "Be yourself." That does it. —Marilyn Monroe, movie actress.

At the head of Britain there is now a statesman whose political skill may somehow compensate for the weakness of his country... although we can be certain that for whatever personal service he may render to the Allied causes Winston Churchill will charge us rather high brokerage fees. —Max Ascoli, editor, publisher.

The South is becoming ripe for a two-party system. In the 1952 elections we are going into the so-called "twilight zones"... and we are going to build the Republican Party in the South by starting at the precinct level. —Guy George Gabrielson, Republican national chairman.

MADRID—Question of Franco overthrow is no longer considered a remote possibility. Maximum opposition to Franco is considered not more than 10 per cent of the people, and most of the opposition leaders are in France or Mexico.

After 15 years of Franco rule, opposition has been pretty well dissipated. The country still is heavily policed, with 50,000 Guardia Civil, in their green uniforms and black patent-leather hats turned up at the back, patrolling every road day and night, keeping an eye on every truck and its cargo.

There is no opposition press in Spain. In recent months a little criticism of village officials has been allowed to creep into print. There also was some open criticism of candidates in recent municipal elections. Everything else is still under tight censorship.

Political Extremes LONDON—British journalists don't know any more about the future of politics in their country than Americans do at home. At a meeting with leading London editors, a group of American newspapermen got widely differing predictions.

One extreme was that if the Churchill government should decide to go to the polls again next Spring, it would win a majority of 100 seats, instead of the present 26. The other extreme was that the Conservatives could not possibly hold together for a year.

The Conservative members of Parliament were characterized as "corporation directors who couldn't possibly work together, and wouldn't work together if it was necessary to transact any government business before it was time to pass the port."

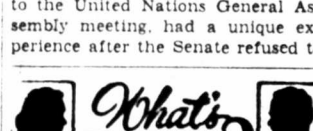
Student At Tech Is Part Heir To Swiss Fortune BERN, SWITZERLAND—A Swiss student at Texas Tech in Lubbock is part heir to a several million dollar fortune left by her father, Eugene Losinger of Bern.

She is Beatrice Losinger, a student of veterinary medicine. The father was principal owner of Losinger & Company, Switzerland's largest construction firm.

Losinger died last July. His share in the construction firm was left to his wife and four children. The chairman of the firm's executive board and executor of Losinger's estate said the value of the legacy had not yet been determined, but was expected to be "several million dollars."

QUEER REQUESTS A New York man owning 71 pairs of trousers died in 1880 and his will instructed his executor to auction off his trousers without their being examined, and only one pair to a person. His wishes were carried out and the purchaser of each pair of trousers found \$1,000 sewn in a cuff.

Dawson, one of the centers of the Yukon gold rush which took place late in the 19th and early in the 20th Centuries, has Summer temperatures which average 50 and 60 degrees.



What's Right? You are signing your own and your husband's name to printed Christmas cards. WRONG: Sign the cards Mary and John. RIGHT: Sign the cards John and Mary. If he were signing them he would write your name first.

MORE PRECIOUS THAN RUBIES By Nina Wilcox Putnam Copyright 1951 by NEA Service, Inc.

THE STORY: Alma Conroy, designer for an exclusive jewel firm, was supposed to have received a big salary boost! She stood stock still, a plate of fruit suspended in midair, feeling exactly as if she had run into an impassable wall.

Then all at once the little white radio answered her question. Musically it suggested that she sell her old gold and diamonds to the Mammoth Gold-buying Company.

At that moment Tommy stalked into the room, freshly shaved and dressed, and switched off the radio. "Mind?" he asked. "I have the world's worst headache."

Alma merely shook her tawny head. "Think of any way to raise the dough?" he asked. "Yes, I'll have it here for you by 5:30 this evening."

He did not ask her how she intended getting the cash and she did not volunteer her solution. "God bless you, darling!" he said gravely. "You'll never know what you've saved me from."

"Are you going out?" He made a wry grimace. "I have to. There's a little unfinished business I must take care of. See you later, Jewels. You're a great girl!"

WHEN he had gone Alma went to the drawer in which she kept a shoe-box containing odds and ends of old jewelry—discarded gold settings, childish ornaments, ugly pieces inherited from her family, which she had stowed away thinking to remodel them some day in a leisure hour.

She ran them through her fingers now, remembering the history of some, puzzling over others. There were two heavy gold bracelets which she had entirely forgotten she owned. But there was one item, well remembered, which appeared to be missing. This was a pair of gold and moonstone cuff-links which she had designed

and made for Tommy's birthday the first year they were married. Her taste had run to the florid in those days, and the cuff-links had been too large and too ornate. Later, she and Tommy had tacitly agreed that the links were suitable only for fancy dress and the gift had found its way into the old shoe-box. But they were missing now.

She looked hastily through Tommy's things, but the links were not to be found and it was getting late. Alma made up her package without them. At luncheon time she would take this package to the Mammoth Gold-buying Company. Her expert eye told her that she had enough stuff to obtain the amount she needed.

Undoubtedly Trumbull's would pay a higher price, but she did not dare take the things to The House, for solvency was imperatively required by Trumbull's; employees were liberally paid, and not supposed to get into financial difficulties—the companies which insured the fabulous stock made sure of that!—Alma tucked the package under her arm and went off to work.

THOUGH she was late in reaching Trumbull's, Old Victor was not at the bench when she arrived. She began to work rapidly hoping that when he came his keen old eyes would not read the strained anxiety in her heart. But when he arrived at last her grandfather was fairly glowing with excitement and happiness. For once he was too deeply absorbed in his own concerns to notice anything wrong.

"My small beautiful!" he cried, kissing her on both cheeks. "I have done it! It is approved!" "Yes, but what, Papa Victor?" "Surely you cannot have forgotten? My latest design, the Gold Star pin! The pin to be worn in memory of our heroes—in sapphires, diamonds and rubies for the haute monde, in plain gold or in patriotic enamels for the bourgeoisie! Mr. Muncie has said okay!"

"Mr. Muncie never said okay in his life!" she protested smilingly as she kissed him in return. "But I am so glad, Papa Victor! It is sure to be a great success!" (To Be Continued)

LITTLE LIZ



Some people seem to learn the tricks of the trade instead of the trade itself.



### Presbyterians Give 'The Holy Nativity'

The First Presbyterian Church annual Christmas pageant, "The Holy Nativity," closed with the Monday night performance. It was given to a full house Monday night and many were turned away at the opening performance Sunday night. The same pageant is given each year as it was in Saint Bartholomew's Church in New York City. Mrs. Clifford Hall was general chairman. Mrs. Forbes Pennycook was in charge of the production. Mrs. Frank Miller, music, and Art Cole, narrator.

**SUFFERS HAND INJURY**  
Joe Lamb of Odessa, employe of a drilling company, received emergency treatment Monday at Western Clinic-Hospital for a hand injury suffered when it was caught by a chain at a rig.



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### Bach Music Club Has Yule Program

The Bach Junior Music Club held its Christmas program recently in the home of the club's teacher, Mrs. H. D. Williams. Mrs. R. H. Frizzell and Mrs. Tod White were co-hostesses. The program included: "Vacation Time" (Thompson), Ralph McClellan; "Blue Bells of Scotland" (folk tune), Grover Tice; "Butterfly and Sledging" (Thompson), Tod White; "From a Wigwam" (Thompson), Judy Lynn Hollis; "O Come All Ye Faithful," Louise Langston; "Swans on the Lake" (Thompson), Anita Frizzell; "Silent Night," Betty Adams.

"The First Noel," Linda Kay Murray; "O Sanctissima" and "Waltz Revere," Ann Tillman; "While Shepherds Watched," Billie Helbert; "A Visit From Santa," Gary Scott; "Prelude in C" (Bach), Linda Muri Stracener; "Pavanne" (Bach), Sharon Fink; "Aria" (Bach), Janice Roberson; "Prelude in F" (Bach), Kathleen Smith; "Fireflies" (Scher), Harold Scott; "Rigodon" (MacDowell), Annet Smith; "Allegro" (Schumann), David May; and "Blue Butterflies" (Mauville), Karen Mork. Mrs. Williams and Karen Mork also played a duet. Eighteen guests were present.

Following the program the members exchanged gifts.

### Shower Honors Bride-Elect

Dorothy Raines, bride-elect of Bert Marks, was honored Saturday with a linen shower in the home of Mrs. G. E. Massey.

Decorations featured the Christmas theme. A white linen cloth with orchid bows at each corner covered the table. An arrangement of holly, candles and miniature brass angels, mounted on a turn-table, formed the centerpiece. The guest table was decorated with gladioli and pine boughs.

### Party Features Varied Program

A varied Christmas program was given at the Christmas party held by the Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church Monday. The party was held in the church. A group of Latin American students sang carols in English and "Silent Night," in Spanish.

Mrs. Paul Lavery gave the devotional and Mrs. J. A. Matthews explained "The Joy Gift," in the form of a story. This is the gift given to retired ministers and those dependent upon them.

Mrs. C. S. Britt gave "Happy Christmas," a story by Daphne DuMaurier. A nominating committee was named. It includes Mrs. J. C. Hall, chairman, Mrs. Murray Fasken, Mrs. Butler Hurley and Mrs. Coe Mills. Hostesses were Mrs. John Leigh, Mrs. A. P. Shirey, Mrs. Vernon Redpath and Mrs. Louis Williams. Mrs. Matthew Lynn poured.

### Hudgins Are Hosts To Training Union

The Young People's Training Union of the Westside Baptist Church held its Christmas party Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hudgins, sponsors.

Games were played and gifts exchanged. Refreshments were served to Betty Smith, Betty Whitley, Billy Smith, Harvey Phelps, Audrey Eaton, Donel Towery, Eunice Hudgins, Joan Towery and Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Stallo, sponsors.

### WCS Yuletide Tea Features Talk Of Europe

Mrs. C. W. Chancellor showed colored slides of her recent trip to Europe Monday at the Christmas tea of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church.

The tea was held in the Scharbauer Educational Building. During her tour of Europe Mrs. Chancellor visited Italy, Germany, France, Belgium, Holland, Ireland and Switzerland. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. B. B. Seawright, program chairman.

Mrs. J. H. Frazier poured and Mrs. George P. Bradbury and Mrs. Frazier presided at the guest register. Mrs. R. S. Watkins gave the devotional, "The Christmas Story," and led the prayer.

The table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with replicas of Santa and his reindeer mounted on three tiers of red foam. Silver appointments and red candles in silver holders were used. A Christmas tree and a piano top arrangement of cyclamen and white candles completed the decorations. Gifts were presented to several of the officers.

Mrs. Bradbury made the guest book, which carried out a Christmas motif. Members brought gifts of food to be distributed to needy families at Christmas. Guests were Mrs. R. E. Burt, Mrs. Vergil E. Galloway, Mrs. James Sneed, Mrs. Joe McReynolds, Mrs. George T. Brown, Mrs. E. E. Reigle and Virginia Breedlove.

The hospitality committee included Mrs. W. F. Schafer, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. J. P. Carson, Sr., Mrs. R. T. German, Mrs. Jack Goddard, Mrs. L. S. Stout, Mrs. Otis Ligon, Mrs. Hugh Bliss and Mrs. J. R. Smith.

### Cherub Choir Goes Caroling

The Cherub Choir of the First Baptist Church sang carols at the homes of shut-ins Monday night. They wore their robes and carried lighted candles. The choir is directed by Mrs. Gene Shelburne, Jr.

Those caroling were Bobbie Nickels, Iris Nell, George Cason, Judy Pylant, Carolyn Jones, Judy Aday, Marsha Ann Bagwell, Johnny Nickels, Billy Jo Mosley, Camellia Vos, Jana Sue Howell, Sandra Moody, Quinlin Hutto, Roberta Hazlip, Jeanne Gagner, Jamie Wright, Billy Wayne Godwin, Phillip Young and Marsha Layne Woodard.

### Fellowship Class Has Open House

The Fellowship Class of the First Christian Church was entertained Sunday with an open house in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zack McElroy. Co-hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd DeArmon and Dollie Miller. The table was covered with a lace cloth over red satin and centered with a Santa Claus and reindeer surrounded by pine cones, greenery and candles.

As a Christmas project the class adopted a needy family and gifts of food and toys were brought by the members. Delbert Downing, teacher, was presented with a gift. Candy canes were given as favors. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Athan Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Wienold, Mr. and Mrs. Wells Williams and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wicker, Joe Pat and Ann, Lou Annice Lassell, Anne Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Blackmon, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Williamson and Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Van Saun and Mary Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Akin, Mrs. David Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McHam, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bozarth, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Breneman and Brenda, the Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Lindsley, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Riddle and Ricky, June DeArmon and Sherry and Dwana McElroy.

### Training Union Has Christmas Party

The Intermediate Training Union of the Westside Baptist Church held a Christmas party Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christian.

Games were played and gifts exchanged. Refreshments were served to Dixie Sondra, Judy Christin, Wanda Towery, Jackie Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Christian.

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### Christian Church To Give Pageant

The First Christian Church will present a pageant, "What Is This Thing Called Christmas?" at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the church.

The pageant will be in several scenes explaining the meaning of Christmas. Charles H. Dixon is the director. The Sanctuary Choir and the Junior Choir will sing Christmas carols.

Mrs. Marian Alles is director of the choir. Organist is Mrs. John Koenig. Soloists will be Mrs. Jack Judd, soprano, and E. A. Jordan, tenor.

Other choir members are Mrs. Tom B. Campbell, Mrs. H. L. Grigsby, Mrs. Hugh Aikin, Calva Ann Frizzell, Juanita Tibbetts, Mrs. Guy Breneman, Mrs. Bernice Stevens, Mrs. Everett Shipp, Jr., Mrs. E. J. Pierce, Judy Ridge, Mrs. L. S. Melzer, Mrs. D. D. Downing, Mrs. C. R. Webb, J. R. Robinson, Tom Potter, E. J. Pierce, Malcolm Breneman, Hugh Aikin and Everett Shipp, Jr.

### Asbury WSCS Has Exchange Of Gifts

The Friendship and Builders Circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Asbury Methodist Church had their annual Christmas party Monday in the church.

Christmas carols were sung. Mrs. Tobe Power read the scripture and sang "Away In A Manger."

Mrs. J. S. Grimes gave a reading "What Christmas Means" (W. T. Bos).

Gifts were exchanged by the sixteen persons attending. They were Estelle King, Mrs. Jess Hooper, Mrs. Woody Allen, Mrs. G. H. Kinard, Mrs. Richard Shock, Mrs. Albert Russell, Mrs. Power, Grace Wright, Mrs. Leon Rhodes, Mrs. R. L. Dulaney, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Mrs. Carmel Purdie, Mrs. D. D. Nall, Mrs. F. T. Pollard, Mrs. Dennis Ford, Mrs. Clyde Gwyn and Mrs. Cecil Hardaway.

### Auxiliary Has Christmas Party, Business Meeting

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church held a white elephant party and a business meeting Monday in the church.

In the closing meeting for the year a report on the bazaar was given. It was decided to contribute \$100 to the Episcopal Center at Canyon. This center holds funds for student loans.

The hostesses for the Christmas party were Mrs. Payton Anderson, Mrs. C. C. Keith, Mrs. F. H. Sobey and Mrs. C. W. Coyle. Mrs. James Nolan sang Christmas songs and gifts were exchanged.

Hybrid corn, now generally grown in the U. S. corn belt, is producing a 25 per cent greater yield on less acreage than the types produced a decade or two ago.

When a U. S. government check for seven and a half billion dollars was issued in 1948 to balance treasury books, it was believed to be the largest check ever issued.

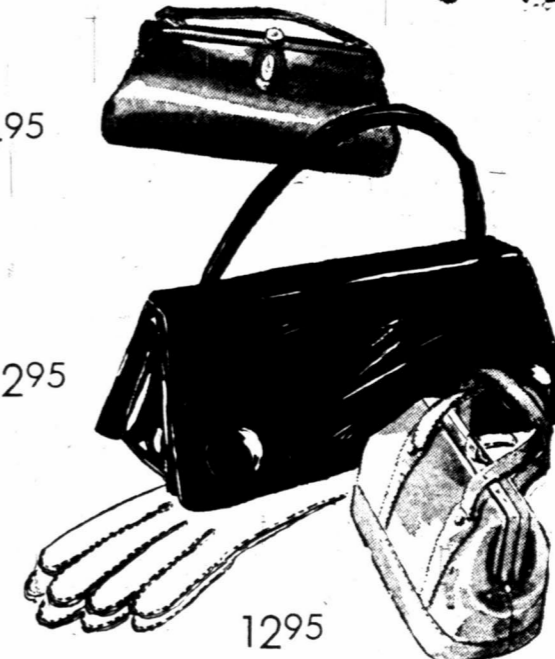
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# DADDY RINGTAIL

## Daddy Ringtail and Barefoot Boy

Mugwump Monkey, the monkey boy, was walking down by the Whispering River. Snow had fallen to cover the ground, and the water in the river was frozen to ice. All the world and round about was white with ice and snow. Old Man Winter was there.

Mugwump kicked at the snow as he walked. He was wearing winter shoes, and a warm jacket, and a cap that would cover his ears. He wished and how he wished! That he had ice skates now to skate on the frozen ice of the river. Mugwump kicked at the snow again, and walked on down the river away.

Now Mugwump was thinking so much of the skates—and wishing so hard he would get some for Christmas—he really walked a little farther than he had intended. He was cold now, and the time had come for him to turn on back to the monkey house.

"Yoo-hoo! Mugwump!" called out a voice nearby.

Mugwump hurried through the bushes to the place at the river where the voice had called, and what do you think Mugwump saw?

He saw where the ice was broken at the edge of the river, and he saw how the water looked black against the white of the ice and snow all around.

"Yoo-hoo! Here I am!" called out the voice, and then Mugwump saw who it was. It was Barefoot Boy, the polar bear. He was hard to see in his white fur on the white snow. But now Barefoot Boy called out: "Yoo-hoo! Watch while I jump in the water!"

Barefoot Boy held his nose with one of his hands, and then he jumped in the water "kerplash!" A polar bear likes cold water, you know. Barefoot Boy then swam on out to talk with Mugwump about Christmas presents.

"I want some ice skates for



Christmas," said Mugwump, "but I will have to be going now, because I am getting a little cold."

"A cold in your nose?" asked Barefoot Boy.

"No," said Mugwump, "I need to take a cold bath when he got home—a cold, cold, polar bath, Barefoot Boy said—and then Mugwump would get used to the cold, and he wouldn't be cold all over when he went for a walk in the snow."

Mugwump promised to think about it, and I hope he thinks about it twice and doesn't do it. No, sir, but I'll tell you tomorrow what happened next. Happy day!

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# Aussie Population Passes 8,500,000

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA—(AP)—Australia's population has passed the 8,500,000 mark.

There are more men than women in every State except South Australia. Males outnumber females by 78,000 throughout the Commonwealth.

Unofficial estimates place the population at the end of last month at 8,530,000. Ten years ago Australia's population was 7,137,000.

Scientists are not certain why birds migrate in Fall and Spring, although one theory is that changes in the amount of daylight is the "trigger."

**REPRESENTATIVE VISITS**  
State Representative Max Triplett of Hillboro was a business visitor in Midland Monday.

**CRANE WOMAN ILL**  
Mrs. Eva Johnson, Crane, Sunday entered Midland Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

**SPRAINS ANKLE**  
Georgia Ford, 407 1/2 South C Street, was treated at Western Clinic - Hospital Sunday for a sprained ankle.

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PIKE'S DOING AS WELL AS COULD BE EXPECTED WITH THOSE JOKES THEY MUST HAVE DUG UP OUT OF THE RUINS OF POMPEII! HE FOUND ANOTHER ACROBAT TO HELP HIM!—AND DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT LAVISH GIFT YOU ALWAYS BUY ME— I'VE ALREADY GOT HANKIES!

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I HOPE WE CAN DEFEND OURSELVES WITH IT, ROCKY! IF WE'RE RECAPTURED, THEY'LL TOSS US OUT INTO THE COLD!

NOT COLD, DR. BUDD, AND NOT HOT! NOT ANYTHING... JUST EMPTY SPACE!

# VIC FLINT

WHY INSPECTOR GROWL! YOUR PANTS DON'T MATCH YOUR COAT!

WHEN YOU WAKE ME UP AT THIS UNHEARTLY HOUR? CRAWN UP TO AN OFFICE.

SO WHAT? I LOOK INTO THIS HOT-ROODIE SQUAD CAR SPORT AND THERE'S INSPECTOR GROWL OF HOONKIDE!

SO WHAT, ANTONIE? WELL SITTING WITH HIM WAS THIS SHAMUS YOU'VE BEEN SEEING SO MUCH OF LATELY...

—VIC FLINT!

# WASH TUBBS

NICE TO SEE YOU BACK, EASY. WE READ THE NEWS LOOK... I'VE CONFIDED PLENTY TO YOU IN THE PAST AND I'M HURT THAT YOU'D HOLD OUT ON ME!

I DIDN'T, PAL! I'M STILL SINGLE, AND I'VE NEVER SEEN THAT JANET TULLIS!

I DON'T DATE MARRIED MEN, CAPTAIN EASY! NO, NO! I APPRECIATE YOUR TAKING ME OUT LAST SPRING WITHOUT MENTIONING IT!

BUT, CECILE, THE STORY'S NOT TRUE!

CONGRATULATIONS, MY BOY... BUT YOU MIGHT HAVE TOLD ME! HOWEVER, HERE'S A LITTLE WEDDING GIFT, I'VE NEVER MET JANET, BUT—

THANKS, MR. MURKIE, BUT NEITHER HANES! AND I'M GETTING TIRED OF HAVING TO SAY SO! I'D LIKE TO POKE HER LONG, LITERARY NOSE!

# RED RYDER

A PURDON BOUGHT UP ALL THE COW FEED DUES!

YOU'VE JUST GOTTA WAIT, BUT HAY, I TOLD YOU I'D BORROW FROM THE BANK—RED!

NO USE BORROWING! I'LL CALL MY FRIEND OVER ON THE EASTERN SLOPE!

YEAH, TODD... I'VE GOT IT, REDDY! I'VE GOT IT, REDDY! I'VE GOT IT, REDDY!

I'VE GOT IT, REDDY! I'VE GOT IT, REDDY! I'VE GOT IT, REDDY!

IF I CAN BORROW FROM THE BANK, I'LL SEND THE MONEY TO MY CREDITORS!

IT'S A 200-MILE CATTLE DRIVE, YUH BETTER HURRY 'FORE IT SNOWS IN! SO LONG, REDDY!

I'LL NEVER SPEAK TO JENNY LU AGAIN!

SHE SAID A TERRIBLE THING!

GOOD HEAVENS, PRISCILLA! WHAT DID SHE SAY?

NO, NO! I CAN'T SAY IT! IT'S TOO AWFUL!

COME, NOW! YOU CAN TELL YOUR MOTHER!

SHE SAID SHE SAID...

SHE SAID SHE HOPES I GET UNDERWEAR (SOS) FOR CHRISTMAS!!

HERE WE ARE... NOW THIS SHOULD PROVE I KNOW YOU PEOPLE!

WHY, LOOK, OOLA! IT'S YOU TO THE LIFE... AN' ME TOO!

SA GOOD LIKENESS OF YOU THREE—BUT HOW COME Y'HECKON THERE AINT ONE OF ME?

AN OVERSIGHT, MY BOY... AND WE'LL REMEDY IT RIGHT NOW... YEZZIR!

DO YOU THINK YOU'LL HAVE ANY DEMAND FOR FOOZIES HAPPY IS MY BUSINESS!

WELL... NO, BUT THEN IT'LL MAKE HIM HAPPY... AN' MAKING PEOPLE HAPPY IS MY BUSINESS!

# ALEY OOP

OM-HH... COME ALL YE FAITHFUL...

NOW, DORY... I CAN'T HELP IT, MA'AM!

I THINK YOUR SUGGESTION FOR PUG AND HER FRIENDS TO SING CHRISTMAS CAROLS WAS A FINE ONE!

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IT'S RATHER NICE THAT OLD HOOPLE IS SHOWING SO MUCH CHRISTMAS SPIRIT!

YES, BUT—

JANGLE BELLS— JANGLE BELLS—

THIS IS THE KIND OF CHRISTMAS I WANT THIS YEAR, LADIES. A REAL OLD FASHIONED AFFAIR WITH ALL THE TRIMMINGS!

ONLY 7 DAYS LEFT TO GO, SO LET'S ALL MOVE A LITTLE FASTER—GIDDAP!

SIR, I THINK I KNOW THE MEANING OF THAT OLD MAP! THAT SHIP'S A SPANISH GALLEON... AND...

THE GALLEONS CARRIED TREASURE! WE COULD MEASURE THE SWORD BY THE SCALE, AND TAKE THAT NUMBER OF PACES IN THE DIRECTION...

CHANGE TO "WILL DIG" CADET! WE ANCHOR OFF THAT ISLAND TOMORROW!

IN WHICH THE SWORD POINTS, AND THEN DO THE SAME WITH THE DAGGER! AFTER THAT, WE'D DO!

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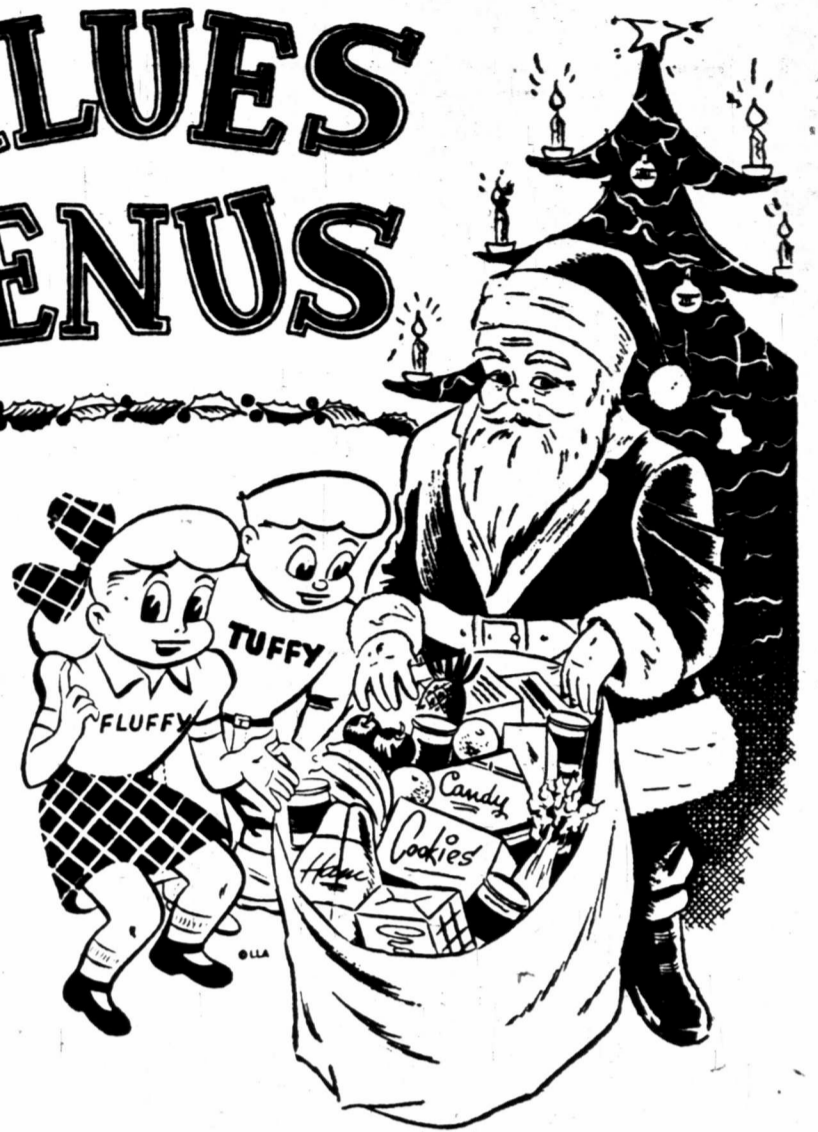
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Yellow <b>SQUASH</b> Pound	<b>19<sup>c</sup></b>	Roasted Peanuts Lg. Jumbo lb.	35 <sup>c</sup>	<b>Chewing Gum</b> 3 pkgs 10 <sup>c</sup> Box	65 <sup>c</sup>
Navel <b>ORANGES</b> 2 Lbs.	<b>25<sup>c</sup></b>	Eagle Brand Condensed Milk Can	30 <sup>c</sup>	<b>Ginger Ale</b> Canada Dry—(plus dep.)	20 <sup>c</sup>
Puerto Rican <b>YAMS</b> Pound	<b>19<sup>c</sup></b>	Pumpkin Monarch—No. 2 can	19 <sup>c</sup>	<b>Pecans</b> Shelled, new crop—Pound	10 <sup>9</sup>
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<b>Joy</b>	30 <sup>c</sup>





# The Greatest thing in the world



SINCE MAN first began to think about man's duty to man, he has asked, "What is the supreme good?" And always he has found the answer in one word: "Love."

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How abundantly love repays the giver! How enduringly it is remembered! How desperately it is needed today!

The moments that stand out... the moments when one has really lived, are the moments when he has done something in the spirit of love.

## This Same Spirit Mends Crippled Children

Texas men and women, with the spirit of love in their hearts and by their gifts of money, founded the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children 28 years ago. Hearts animated by that same spirit have made it possible for the Hospital to continue the work of rehabilitating crippled children.

Their gifts have paid dividends in stricken bodies made whole and strong... in broken hearts reanimated with hope and joy... dividends in opportunities for useful living.

## TYPES of GIFTS

Gifts to the Hospital come under these five general classifications:

- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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. Names of persons leaving bequests in their last wills and testaments to the Hospital, will be carved into the marble status on the Hospital lawn. There, such names, shining with an untarnishable lustre, will live forever, enshrined in the hearts of their fellow men.
- 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.

## A House of Mercy for Not ONE PENNY Collected from Parents

Children treated at this Hospital have come from 224 of the 256 counties in Texas. So, no matter where you live in Texas, there is a crippled child near you helped by treatments here. Near you also, TODAY, is a mother praying that her crippled child will be admitted to the Hospital.

The number of crippled children grows each year in Texas. Many of these are crippled at birth. Others are crippled by accident. But the largest number are crippled by that dread killer "Polio," which kills and maims more people than war.

So each year the need for money is greater. For each year the Hospital treats an increasing number of these children.

In 28 years of operation, this Hospital has treated 18,324 surgical patients, and has given 62,108 clinical treatments. Not ONE PENNY has ever been paid by a parent or a guardian for any of this service. These children come from families unable to pay for such treatment. Hundreds more crippled children await admission.

## A Christmas Gift of Hope

The gift you make is more than a gift of money. It is a gift of hope to some mother... a gift of opportunity to some crippled child for a life of usefulness.

## Will You Make an INVESTMENT in Childhood?

Just now while the spirit of love is being memorialized, won't you make a gift of money to the Hospital? Whatever the amount of your gift, it will be welcomed. And it will help greatly. Remember, gifts such as yours are the means the Hospital has for continuing its work.

Make your gift today. NOW, while it is on your mind. Make an investment in childhood... in opportunities for useful living... in the spirit of love.

IN THE SPRING OF 1952, the Annual Memorial Service honoring those men and women who have left bequests in their wills to the Hospital, will be held on the lawn at the Hospital. Their names will be carved into the marble statue. They, like other names carved there, and names to be carved there in the future... among them, your name, perhaps... will go marching on endlessly... names not born to die. The radio broadcast of this program will reach an area in which more than 5,000,000 people live.



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NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Radio Actress

**HORIZONTAL**

1,8 Depicted radio actress  
 13 Alleivate  
 14 Dropay  
 15 Salt  
 16 American anatomist  
 18 Card game  
 19 Chief priest of a shrine  
 20 Bodies of land  
 22 Pronoun  
 23 Symbol for radon  
 24 Epistle (ab.)  
 26 Let it stand  
 28 Cushions  
 31 Tube  
 32 On the sheltered side  
 33 Paradise  
 34 Genus of frogs  
 35 Deceased  
 36 Genus of maples  
 37 French article  
 38 Symbol for tellurium  
 39 Hebrew deity  
 41 Foreordain  
 47 According to (ab.)  
 49 Ocean  
 51 Narrow (comb. form)  
 52 Mineral spring  
 53 Silken fabric  
 55 She is a radio

**VERTICAL**

1 Gaelic  
 2 Thin  
 3 Measure of cloth

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

29 Low sand hill  
 30 Gunlock catch  
 39 Essential being  
 40 Shakespearean king  
 42 Domestic slave  
 43 Thoroughfare (ab.)  
 44 Afternoon social events

45 Unit of length  
 46 Memorandum  
 47 Church part  
 48 Go by  
 50 Indonesian of king  
 52 Several (ab.)  
 54 She — on the air waves  
 56 Sun god of Egypt

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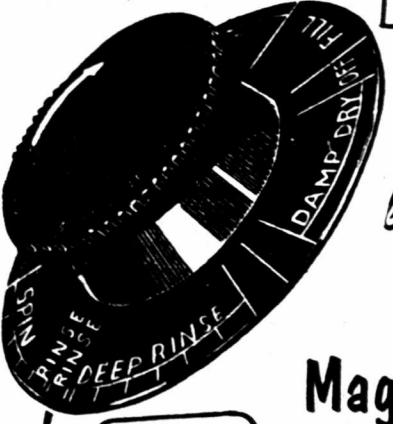
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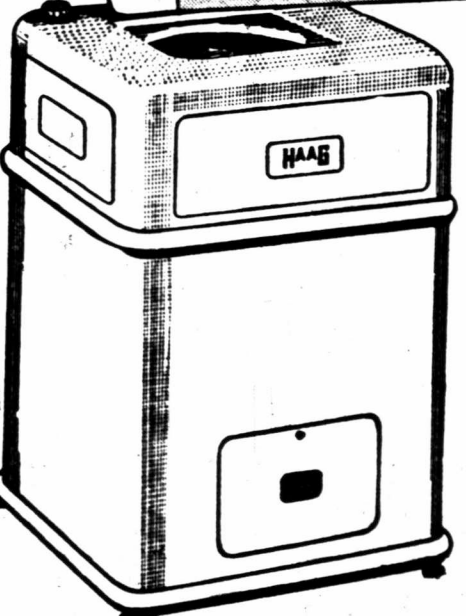
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### Jacoby On Bridge

By OSWALD JACOBY  
 Written for NEA Service

"How do you signal your partner to shift to a particular suit?" asks a Pittsburgh correspondent. "We didn't find the answer in the accompanying hand."

"West opened the king of spades, and East signalled with the six of spades. East was willing to encourage a spade continuation, and

**NORTH (D)** 18

♠ 9  
 ♥ K Q J 9  
 ♦ 8 5  
 ♣ A Q J 8 7 4

**WEST**  
 ♠ K Q J 10 7  
 ♥ 8 7 4  
 ♦ 3 2  
 ♣ 6 3 2

**EAST**  
 ♠ A 6 5 4  
 ♥ A 10 6 3 2  
 ♦ K 7 6  
 ♣ 5

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ 8 3 2  
 ♥ A Q J 10 9 4  
 ♦ K 10 9  
 ♣ 10

North-South vul.

North	East	South	West
1♠	2♠	3♠	4♠
2♥	3♥	4♥	5♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead—♠ K

perts handle this kind of situation?" I'm afraid this one is on East. There is no need for him to rely on a signal when he can take personal direction of the defense.

East should overtake the king of spades so as to win the first trick with the ace of spades. East should then cash the ace of hearts, following with a second round of spades.

This compels dummy to ruff, leaving only one trump in dummy. One trump is not enough to pick up East's king of trumps, and the contract is defeated.

The lesson is short and sharp: Never ask your partner to do what you can do for yourself.

### CARD Sense

Q—The bidding has been:  
 North East South West  
 1 Heart Pass 1 Spade Pass  
 3 Hearts Pass ?

You, South, hold: Spades K-J-9-5-2, Hearts 4, Diamonds 10-9-6-3, Clubs J-8-3. What do you do?

A—Pass. North's jump bid is highly invitational, but not forcing. You could hardly have a worse hand for your response, and your partner has reason to expect that you will not accept an invitation with the worst possible hand.

**TODAY'S QUESTION**  
 The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold: Spades K-J-9-5-2, Heart 4, Diamonds 10-9-6-3, Clubs K-5-3. What do you do?  
 Answer Tomorrow

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### Midlander's Father Dies In Gonzales

A. B. Lewis, father of Mrs. Martin L. Lewis, died Sunday night at his home in Gonzales, Texas, following an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services were to be held Tuesday afternoon in Gonzales. Mrs. Lewis had reached her father's bedside before his death.

Other survivors include the widow, a daughter and four grandchildren.

The Department of Commerce and Labor was created by Act of Congress Feb. 14, 1903.

### THE SONGS OF CHRISTMAS



The history of "O Come All Ye Faithful" is obscure, but then the actual origin of caroling itself is unknown. French historians say that Bishop Telesphorus of Rome began the custom of celebrating Christmas with songs about 129 A. D.



"O Come All Ye Faithful" is believed to be one of the old Latin carols that were danced as well as sung. We know that many carols were danced. This kept them from being approved by the church for centuries. The word "carol" comes from the Latin "carolare," a medieval ring dance accompanied by singing.



The music of "O Come All Ye Faithful" first appeared in print in 1751. Some credit it to John Reading, an English composer. Others say it was an old folk song that Reading merely arranged.

### School Holidays Start Wednesday

The Midland public schools will close officially Wednesday, following classes for the Christmas holidays. Students will return to classes January 2.

Almost every home room in the school system has erected a Christmas tree and a Christmas party will be held in each of the rooms Wednesday.

Students will exchange gifts and sing Christmas carols.

**ODESSA MAN ILL**  
Jack Thrombrough, Odessa, Monday entered Midland Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

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### Chinese Reds Jail Another U. S. Bishop

HONG KONG—(AP)—Another American bishop has been arrested by Chinese Reds.

A spokesman for the Hong Kong Catholic Mission identified him as Bishop Philip Cote, Lawrence, Mass. The spokesman said eight Canadian Jesuit priests in Cote's mission at Suchow had been placed under house arrest.

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vey. That makes it three miles south of the two-well Wentz-Ellenburger field.

**Nine WT Counties Report Dry Holes**

Wildcats in nine West Texas counties have been plugged and abandoned.

The Texas Company No. 1 J. M. Montgomery, wildcat in Central Pecos County, has been plugged at 3,400 feet.

Location was 3,300 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of J. A. Miller survey No. 217 and four and one-half miles northeast of Fort Stockton.

Murphy Corporation and Ashland Oil & Refining Company are pulling seven-inch casing preparatory to abandonment of their No. 1 Couey, Southwest Glasscock County wildcat.

**Southeast of Driver**

It was at the center of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 13, block 36, T-5-S, T&P survey and one mile north of the recent four-mile southeast extension to the Driver-Spraberry pool. It drilled to a total depth of 11,442 feet in barren Ellenburger. None of the upper sections had any shows of possible production.

Sun Oil Company No. 1-A Central National Bank is a dry wildcat in Northwest Coke. It was drilled to 7,138 feet.

The dry hole is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 80, block 2, H&TC survey and 15 miles northwest of Robert Lee.

In Southwest Gaines County, James H. Snowden of Fort Worth and associates have plugged and abandoned their No. 1-7 Nick Alley at 9,638 feet in dry Devonian.

**Had Drillstem Test**

That formation was drilled and tested from 9,564 to 9,638 feet. Tool was open one hour. Recovery was 75 feet of drilling mud with no shows of production.

The Devonian was topped at 9,553 feet.

Location of No. 1 Alley was 660 feet from east and 661.5 feet from north lines of section 7, block A-27, pal survey and two miles northwest of Boydell.

J. W. King has abandoned his No. 1 Minor Alexander, Northeast Stonewall County wildcat, at 6,383 feet in the Ellenburger.

That formation was topped at 6,320 feet on a minus datum point of 4,545 feet.

It was in section 24, block F, H&TC survey and four miles west of the Kiowa Peak field.

**In Northwest King**

In Northwest King County, Headquarters Oil Company of Dallas has quit No. 1 Pitchfork Ranch in the Pennsylvanian at a total depth of 4,995 feet.

Operator took a drillstem test in that zone from 4,875 to 4,995 feet. Tool was open 30 minutes. Recovery was 810 feet of muddy salt water and 3,165 feet of salt water.

Location was 12 miles northwest of Guthrie and 680 feet from south and east lines of section 136, John Wilson survey, A-834.

Bay Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Melton is a failure two and one-half miles southeast of Rotan in North-Central Fisher County. It was drilled to total depth of 6,520 feet.

Location was 500 feet from south and 300 feet from east lines of section 115, block 2, H&TC survey and two and one-half miles southeast of Rotan.

**Dry In Ellenburger**

L. E. Scherck No. 1 C. M. Arrott, Northeast Tom Green County wild-

### Chinese Reds Jail Another U. S. Bishop

HONG KONG—(AP)—Another American bishop has been arrested by Chinese Reds.

A spokesman for the Hong Kong Catholic Mission identified him as Bishop Philip Cote, Lawrence, Mass. The spokesman said eight Canadian Jesuit priests in Cote's mission at Suchow had been placed under house arrest.

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cat two and one-half miles east of Orient, has been found barren in drilling to 5,714 feet in the Ellenburger, and has been plugged and abandoned.

Top of the Ellenburger was reported at 5,510 feet. Elevation was 1,966 feet.

It was 660 feet out of the northeast corner of section 38, Washington County Railway Company survey.

In Southeast Concho County, Stephen G. Pappas has abandoned No. 1 Mrs. Tezanna Ledbetter at three depths of 3,504 feet.

Location was 330 feet from north and 2,310 feet from east lines of T. J. McCarty survey No. 1791 and eight miles east of Eden.

### Settlement Made In Prichard Suit

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—A \$300,000 damage suit has been settled for \$10,000 in the death of a San Antonio, Texas, man who lost his life while strapped to his bed in a burning ambulance plane.

Mrs. Helen P. Prichard, 39, and a son, Lev III, 14, sued the Schaffer Ambulance Service, Inc., and others for the death of her husband, Lev Jr., 42, an oil well supplies dealer, who was being flown from Van Nuys, Calif., to San Antonio when the plane caught fire and made an emergency landing at Hachita, N. M.

The pilot and a male nurse saved themselves, the complaint stated.

Attorneys for the plaintiffs said New Mexican law limits recovery in such cases to \$10,000.

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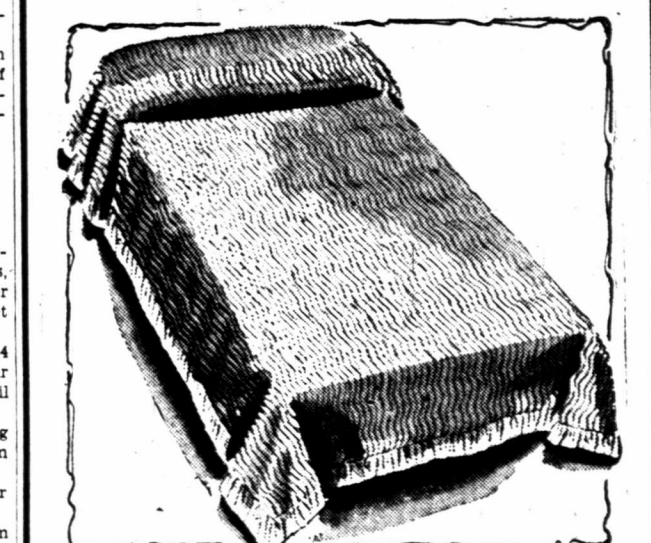
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The baby, named Beverly Ann, is the second child for the Hills.

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### Rotarians To Meet With JayCees Friday

Members of the Rotary Club will meet jointly with Midland JayCees Friday noon at their annual All-Civic Christmas luncheon scheduled in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, Dr. J. O. Shannon, Rotary president, announced Tuesday. The regular Thursday noon meeting of the Rotary Club will not be held this week. Members of other civic and service clubs also are invited to attend the luncheon as special guests. John Ben Shepperd, secretary of state and former president of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be the guest speaker at the annual Christmas function, which is a part of the JayCees' Christmas activities.

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### Livestock

FORT WORTH—(P)—Cattle 1,300; calves 500; slow. Good and choice steers and yearlings 30.00-33.00; common and medium 20.00-28.50; beef cows 20.50-25.00; good and choice slaughter calves 29.00-33.00; common and medium 20.00-28.00; medium and good stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 25.00-32.00; good stocker calves 30.00-33.00; common and medium calves 20.00-28.00. Hogs 1,400; steady. Good and choice 180-270 lb butchers 18.50-19.00; good and choice lighter and heavier hogs 17.00-18.25; sows 15.00-16.50; feeder pigs 10.00-14.00. Sheep 1,700; mature sheep and feeder lambs were steady but slaughter lambs sold steady to weak; good and choice fat lambs 27.00-28.00; stocker and feeder lambs 18.00-26.00; fat ewes 13.00-14.00.

### Reds List POW Names-

(Continued From Page One) of previous public Allied estimates of perhaps 100,000 or more. The 3,198 Americans listed as prisoners compare with approximately 12,000 Americans officially listed as missing in action. But a reliable source in Tokyo said there probably was "no great disparity" between the official U. S. Army estimates of the number of prisoners the Reds hold and the number announced by the Reds. He said that probably many of those listed as missing actually died in battle. **First Official Data** Col. James M. Hanley of the U. S. Eighth Army recently reported that 5,500 Americans were slaughtered by the Reds after being taken prisoner. The lists supplied by Red truce negotiators Tuesday was the first official information from the Reds since July and August, 1950, when the Reds gave the International Red Cross the names of 110 prisoners.

Coincidentally with the sudden change in Red attitude, General Ridgway flew to Munsan from his Tokyo headquarters.

He immediately went into a top strategy conference with his armistice negotiators and military commanders.

Ridgway was quoted as saying the "military and truce delegations are in complete accord" on future steps in Korea.

The conference was attended by Gen. James A. Van Fleet, UN ground commander in Korea, and Vice Adm. C. Turner Joy, head of the UN armistice team.

No progress was reported by a second truce subcommittee arguing at Panmunjom over how to enforce an armistice. It adjourned until 11 a.m. Wednesday.

**Most Hopeful Break** Sudden Communist capitulation in turning over the names of prisoners they hold is the most hopeful break in talks since a provisional cease-fire line was created last month. The buffer line will become effective if other truce terms are agreed to by December 27. Otherwise it will be changed to conform to changes in the battle line.

The reported listing of General Dean among the prisoners climaxes a long series of reports that the front line general was wounded—was killed—was taken prisoner.

The Reds' lists included the name, serial number, rank, unit and the number of the prison camp in which each man was held. It did not include home towns.

The UN Command had refused to go into detailed discussion on the question of exchanging prisoners until such a list was supplied. Allied spokesmen said they wanted to know what they were negotiating for. They emphasized that they could expect from the Reds no more men returned than actually were listed.

**Roll Under Study** Nickols declined to indicate whether the UN would be satisfied with the list. Presumably the UN Command will complete its study of the list before deciding whether to press for additional names or inspection of the 11 prison camps in which the Communists say the men are held.

A reliable source in Tokyo indicated that the Red list of British Commonwealth prisoners tallied closely with the British list of men missing in action. This source said "a little more than 1,000" men are listed as missing in action.

The Reds said they had 919 British and 11 other Commonwealth troops in their prison camps.

Both sides agreed that lists submitted Tuesday could be changed from time to time until an armistice is signed.

### WAC Uniforms To Be Displayed

New uniforms of the WAF's and the WAC's will be displayed Wednesday and Thursday here by Sgt. Mary Cottingham. Sergeant Cottingham will be at Dunlap's all day Wednesday and on Thursday morning to display the uniforms and to confer with young ladies interested in joining the armed forces.

### COTTON

NEW YORK—(P)—Cotton futures at noon Tuesday were \$1.85 a bale lower to 30 cents higher than the previous close. March 41.52, May 41.20 and July 40.79.

### SUFFERS CHEST INJURY

John W. Branch, 602 South Baird Street, an employee of the Cameron Lumber Company, Tuesday was given emergency treatment at Midland Memorial Hospital for a chest injury which he received when he missed a step and fell between two trucks.

### Four British Tanks Exchange Fire With Egyptian Terrorists

ISMAILIA, EGYPT—(P)—Four big British Centurion tanks exchanged fire early Tuesday with Egyptian terrorists blamed for killing one and wounding three British Royal Military Police here Monday night.

The tanks and armored vehicles sped into the city to retrieve a jeep abandoned by the Military Police after it was ambushed by sniping and bombing near the Ismailia Police Headquarters.

The city has been one of the bloodiest trouble spots in the Suez Canal Zone dispute since mid-October.

The victims were brought out by a second MP jeep that escaped the firing.

Both jeeps were returning to the British base at Moascar from the Lake Timshah Camp on the far side of Ismailia.

When the tanks were ordered in, Egyptian snipers opened up on them, the British said, and the tanks replied with their big guns. There was a second exchange 30 minutes later.

No British casualties were reported in Tuesday's fighting.

**CHEMICAL WORKER HURT** Carroll McIlroy, 605 East Estes Street, an employee of the Dow Chemical Company, Monday was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital with an injury to his right shoulder which he received when he fell off a tank onto a motor.

**SUFFERS HEAD INJURY** W. C. McConnell, 305 West Florida Street, an employee of Bosworth Drilling Company, Monday was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital after a grease pump fell and struck him on the head. He suffered lacerations of the forehead.

### Dean—

(Continued From Page One) last days of Taejon told many stories of his heroism. They expressed confidence their soft-spoken commander would show up again.

"The general will take care of himself," they said.

Dean remained in Taejon with his bazooka teams until the town fell before rumbling Red tanks at midnight July 20, 1950.

The general acted as an ammunition passer to bazooka teams, directed their fire and fired bazookas himself.

Typical of comment was that of Cpl. Ralph Vargason of Newark Valley, N. Y.:

"All of our regular bazooka teams were so busy General Dean took a couple of men downtown and went after tanks. I saw him passing ammunition to the men and directing fire. x x x"

**Among Last To Leave** Alfred Vessels of Stanton, Texas, told of seeing Dean knock out a Red automatic rifle with his .45 caliber pistol.

"Brother, that's shooting," Vessels said.

The general himself gave the order for his rear guard to pull out. The whole town was burning and the men were surrounded by machine gun fire.

Dean was among the last to go. He led a small motor caravan through the unfamiliar streets until the men were forced to take to the hills on foot.

He led this little group into the mountains. There he told Lt. Arthur Clarke of Boone, Iowa, to wait for him while he went down to a river to hunt stragglers.

That was the last his men saw of him.

### ENTERS HOSPITAL

Lloyd D. Coffman, Garden City Highway, Monday was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

### Plane Crash—

(Continued From Page One) thrown from the plane. He said he picked up five of them, broken and bleeding and took them to the Air Base Hospital in the back of a pickup truck.

The path of the plane looked like the aftermath of a tornado. Powerlines and a gas line were sheared. Highway 80 had big chunks of concrete torn out, and where the plane first hit the ground there was a crater-like hole 15 feet deep. Just 3,500 feet beyond was the end of the Barksdale runway the pilot expected to reach in another half-minute.

The air base is four miles southeast of here and is surrounded by a few widely spaced residences.

The Air Force officials at the base withheld the names of the crewmen but said papers from the wreckage indicated the ship was from Fairchild Air Force Base, Spokane, Wash.

The force of the crash broke the plane apart and hurled the tail assembly another two hundred yards beyond the fuselage. The main segment of the plane burned several hours after the crash.

A reporter said he found the plane's "form 1"—a sort of trip sheet or airplane log—that indicated it recently had flown from Japan to Hickam Field, Hawaii.

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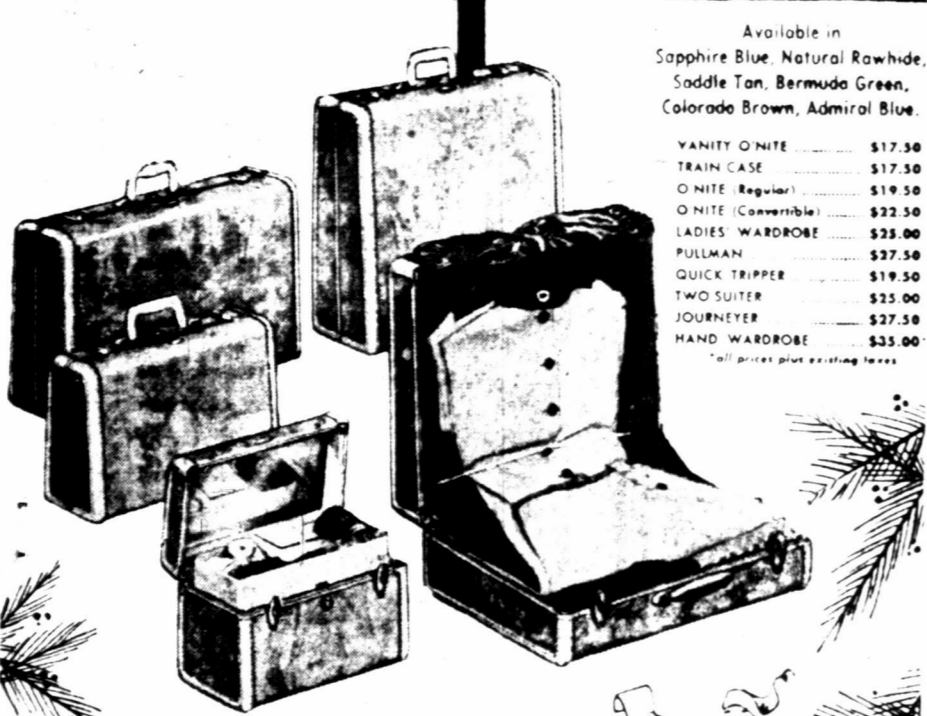
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And other boys, at work and play, watched friendly Cadillacs that day—and the dreams grew in their hearts.

There was the boy mowing lawns . . . and the boy pitching hay . . . and the grocery boy . . . and the iceman's helper. And there was the lad gone out to fetch his mother's laundry—and the one on his way to a music lesson, his violin tucked carelessly under his arm.

"There," they thought, "is the car for me!"

And, since this is America, where dreams make sense in the heart of a boy, the farmer's lad is now a surgeon . . . and the boy with the papers is an editor . . . and the grocery boy's an industrialist. And so on and on they go, through all the professions, and all the various phases of business and finance.

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## St. John's Named Number One; But Kentucky Won Tilt

NEW YORK—(AP)—St. John's University of Brooklyn was rated the No. 1 college basketball team in the country Tuesday in the weekly Associated Press poll, but you can't convince the University of Kentucky.

Votes of the nation's sports writers and sportscasters were cast over the weekend. The weekly poll closed Monday afternoon, several hours before Kentucky and St. John's met at Lexington, Ky.

The Kentucky Wildcats trounced the Redmen, 81 to 40.

One hundred and three ballots were received and St. John's got 36 first place votes to only 15 for Kentucky, which was ranked No. 1 a week ago. St. John's, which had won five straight games up until the Kentucky game, was No. 2 last week. This time, the Redmen received a total of 837 points, while Kentucky got 687.

The voting obviously was influenced by Kentucky's upset defeat at the hands of Minnesota last week, 61-57. St. John's had thumped Rhode Island State Saturday night, 82-62.

Illinois, a favorite for the Big Ten crown, St. Louis University and Kansas State remained the No. 3, 4 and 5 teams in that order—same as last week. Kansas State was bounced out of the undefeated class last week by San Francisco, 55-52. Monday night, Kansas State trounced Hamlin, 92-73.

St. Louis, another undefeated team when the voting closed, was beaten Monday night by Wisconsin, 55-54.

There were a few other switches in the top 10, but the only one to drop out was La Salle, which skidded from ninth place a week ago to twelfth. Indiana, eleventh last week, moved up to the No. 6 place, on the strength of a thrilling 37-55 triumph over Wyoming.

Kansas, a 58-57 winner over Southern Methodist, moved up from No. 8 to No. 7. The University of Washington Huskies, won a pair from California last week, 60-52, and 65-41, but dropped from No. 6 to No. 8. North Carolina State, defeated by Texas Tech earlier in the week, 63-62, won over Eastern Kentucky Saturday, 70-58, and moved up a notch to No. 9.

## Nichols Tops NL Hurlers

NEW YORK—(AP)—Chester Nichols, a slender 20-year-old rookie with the face of a college freshman and the poise of a big league veteran, emerged as the most effective National League pitcher with a top earned run percentage of 2.88.

The Boston Braves southpaw, second first-year man to win the honor and the first since Jim Turner, also of the Braves, turned the trick in 1937, ranked ninth on a won-and-lost basis with 11-8 mark. He finished strong, however, winning seven of his last 11 starts including a dramatic 4-3 win on September 27 that broke the back of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Figures released Tuesday, show that the Pawtucket, R. I., youngster allowed only 61 runs—only 50 of which were earned—in 156 innings. Nichols just managed to get under the wire as only those who hurled 154 or more innings were considered. Chet completed 12 of his 19 starts and fashioned three shutouts.

Nichols shared the pitching spotlight with Elwin (Preacher) Roe, veteran Brooklyn southpaw, whose spectacular 22-3 mark gave him the highest won and lost rating at 880. Roe missed an opportunity to better Fred Fitzsimmons league record percentage of 889 when he was the victim of Nichols' September 27 win.

In all, three hurlers were under the 300 earned run average. Sal Maglie of the New York Giants placed second with 2.93 and Warren Spahn, crafty Braves' southpaw, was third with 2.98. Three pitchers were tied for fourth with 3.03. They were Larry Jansen of the Giants, Robin Roberts of the Phillies and Joe Mauer of the Red Sox.

Maglie also placed second on a won and lost basis. The 34-year-old right-hander, who took the honors in 1950, compiled a 23-6 record to tie teammate Jansen for the most victories; Jansen's 23-11 was fourth best. Third place went to Don Newcombe, big Brooklyn right-hander, who won 20 and lost nine. Newcombe, however, ranked eleventh in the earned run ratings.

There were seven 20-game winners, the highest total since 1923. The list included Maglie, Jansen, Roe, Spahn (22-14), Roberts (21-15), Newcombe and Mury Dickson, who notched a 20-16 record for the seventh-place Pittsburgh Pirates.

Spahn, a four-time 30-plus game winner, was the high man with seven shutouts, 26 complete games, 109 bases on balls and tied Newcombe for the most strikeouts, 164. Roberts pitched the most innings, 315, and started the most games, 39. Spahn, with 311, was the only other to hurl more than 300 innings. Maglie had 298.

Cliff Chambers, 29-year-old left-hander, traded by Pittsburgh to St. Louis in mid-season, pitched the only no-hitter, a 3-0 victory for the Pirates over the Braves on May 6. It was the first National League no-hitter since Rex Barney of Brooklyn blanked the Giants in 1948.

Roe had the longest winning streaks, two of 10 each.

## Todd May Be Next Redskin Coach

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Cliff Todd, former Texas A&M football star, is at his Crowell Ranch thinking over an offer to become head coach of the Washington Redskins.

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CAREFUL THERE—But the model isn't worried as Paul Hahn sets to shoot his famed "William Tell" shot. The deft golfer with the chatter of a funny-man will appear at Midland Country Club Wednesday. He'll give an exhibition at 2 p.m. and a clinic at 4 p.m. The public is invited, free of charge.



It will cost approximately \$60,000 to operate the Midland Baseball Club during the 1952 season. The ball club gets 74 cents on each ticket. That means more than 71,000 fans must turn out for the games this season. In the past, Midland has averaged only 55,000 paying fans per year. Last year, 52,000 saw the Indians in action.

The present park seats slightly more than 1,800 fans. For 70 home ball games, the most the team can draw is 126,000 fans. And, naturally, the stands aren't going to be filled for every game during the season. Some nights more than 2,000 spectators may crowd into the park; other nights the club may have trouble drawing 500. That, of course, depends greatly on the opposition playing here. Midland's success in the loop will depend on the weather.

The team itself looms as the strongest Midland entry since the Longhorn League was organized in 1947. That should account for pretty good crowds, as, after all, the spectators pay their money to see good baseball.

But we have another solution: Do something to improve Indian Park.

Some work, of course, has been done at the Indians' wigwam during the winter. Most of this, however, has been done on the playing field. Plans were being talked—after last season—to paint up, fix up and repair the present stands before the 1952 season gets underway.

So far, the plans haven't materialized to any great extent, although some work has been done.

Midland people own the ball club; the city owns the park. When Harold Webb owned the club here, the city built the original park but to Webb went the job of making necessary repairs.

We don't know who the responsibility lies with at present to make repairs—the club owners (the people of Midland) or the city proper. At any rate, the old structure should be repaired.

That will help crowds tremendously. Fans are getting tired of sitting on worn-out bleacher benches and picking up splinters in the process. Several fans have appealed to us to see if the situation can be helped somewhat.

With a good club and a good park Midland could draw more than 100,000 fans in 1952.

Fifty more seats could be added before the year starts by moving the press and radio section to a booth atop the stands—the setup in many league parks. The additional seats, if filled every night, would total more than \$2,000 more per year, with 70 home games.

But above all, general repairs must be made. A new park is promised in 1953, but a few dollars and some time spent in readying the present ball garden for the coming season seems to us like a wise investment.

If the powers that be are willing to spend some cash, Midlanders probably would be willing to donate some of their own time to doing part of the work. King's Row even would give a day or two of time. How about it? Let's improve it. It will improve the city.

DOTS AND DASHES: Christmas greetings come from H. B. Dickinson... Thanks... Hayden White, the Midland Indian outfielder, plays with the JayCees basketball team here... So does Eddie Melillo, infielder... We hear Spring training for the Indians is to start about March 8 in Litcher, La... Bob Boone, local... Howard Price, who Tech will defeat Baylor in the Orange Bowl... Howard Price, who canned 20 points in a cage game for Borden's Monday night, hadn't even been on a basketball court in more than two years prior to the contest... Still no word on whether or not Midland will have a Golden Gloves team... We think amateur boxing is a fine sport and good for the boys who participate... End of The Row for now!

## Baylor Bears Cook Up New Plays For Orange Bowl Tilt

WACO—(AP)—The Baylor Bears planned to try out two new running plays in scrimmage Tuesday in preparation for Georgia Tech in the Orange Bowl New Year's day.

Coach George Sauer handed out the two new grid plays Monday. He also said that it was doubtful if Dick Parma, regular offensive fullback, will be ready for the classic. Parma suffered a broken collar bone in the Southern Methodist game.

Jerry Coody and Frank Bouldin will alternate at fullback while Mickey Sullivan takes over Coody's right halfback slot.

## Paul Hahn Appears At Midland CC For Exhibition Wednesday

Paul Hahn, famed trick golfer, will be at Midland Country Club Wednesday. His exhibition will run from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., with a clinic to follow. The public is invited to attend. There will be no charge.

Hahn was here last year, appearing at Ranchland Hill Country Club. Since that time he has added new acts to an already novel group of shots and approaches.

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## Bulldog Cagers Go To San Angelo For Tilt With Bobcats

Midland High School's winless basketball team journeys to San Angelo Tuesday night for a clash with the Bobcats, who conquered Midland last week, 53-33.

Coach F. D. (Red) Rutledge probably will start the following lineup: Ralph Brooks, Robert Keisling, Larry Friday, Jesse Hatfield and John Van Buskirk.

The Midland B team will meet the Bobcats in the first game at 6:30 p.m. Friday night, the Bulldogs hit the road again, this time to play Monahans.

## Kentucky, Kansas State Win Contests

LEXINGTON, KY.—(AP)—You wouldn't expect it to happen to the nation's No. 1 basketball club but a stinging 81-40 defeat embarrassed St. John's Tuesday as it stepped out in front in the collegiate basketball race.

Second place Kentucky hit for 44 per cent of perfection and threw a tight ring around both backboards to rout the cold, bewildered Brooklyn Redmen here Monday night.

St. John's found it had nothing to cope with the distance shooting of little Bob Watson and the deft, under-the-boards work of Cliff Hagan and was out of the running before the first quarter ended.

About 12,000 fans who turned out to the battle between the nation's first and second cage powerhouses saw Hagan and Watson hit for 25 points apiece to drive St. John's into submission.

Two other members of the new top 10—fourth-ranked St. Louis and fifth-ranked Kansas State—a 1-0 saw action Monday night.

Kansas State, beaten by Kentucky in the NCAA finals last Spring whipped Hamline, 92 to 73, with a blistering fast break. In winning their fourteenth straight home game, the Wildcats roared to a 27-lead and never were threatened thereafter. Dick Knostman and Jess Priskoff led the K-State drive with 14 points each.

St. Louis wasn't as fortunate. The Billikens invaded Madison, Wis., and were tumbled by a battling Wisconsin team, 55 to 54. Paul Morrow, Wisconsin center, dropped in the winning free toss with 69 seconds to go. It was the first defeat for St. Louis after three straight wins.

In other top midwestern attractions, Nyrre Dame rallied to down Chicago Loyola, 57 to 57; Butler, paced by Orvis Bursall's 29 points, tripped Michigan, 63 to 53; and undefeated Iowa turned back Washington University of St. Louis, 60 to 53.

In the south, Vanderbilt, Alabama, LSU, North Carolina, Eastern Kentucky, Western Kentucky, Tennessee and Florida all came through with victories.

The East's only outstanding action saw Boston College take a 70-48 decision from Boston University and Georgetown turn back Catholic University, 88-44.

In the far west, Drake Downed Denver, 57-50 and Wyoming bombed Baylor, 51-45.

## College Basketball

By The Associated Press  
LSU 59, Texas 55.  
Wyoming 51, Baylor 45.  
Kentucky 81, St. John's 40.  
Midwestern 61, McMurry 53.  
Wisconsin 55, St. Louis 54.  
Kansas State 92, Hamline 73.  
Notre Dame 77, Loyola (Chi) 57.  
Butler 63, Michigan 53.  
Iowa 60, Washington (SL) 53.  
Boston College 70, Boston U 48.  
Georgetown 88, Catholic U 44.  
Drake 57, Denver 50.  
Independent League  
Borden's 51, JayCees 18.  
Western Plastic 26, Shell Oil 22.

## Tech Cagers Are Home Grown Outfit

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Texas Tech's Red Raiders, responsible for the biggest upset of the young basketball season, are a home grown outfit.

Three of the starters in Tech's 63-62 victory over highly ranked North Carolina State in Raleigh played for Lubbock High School. A fourth played at neighboring Sudan, and the fifth came from Alvarado, in central Texas.

In fact, only one member of Polk Robinson's traveling squad played out of state in high school—reserve Center Irl Brown, who went to Katonah, N.Y., High School but who moved to Amarillo with his parents a few years ago.

The New York Yankees are the only team to play through a World Series without committing an error. The 1937 Yanks played perfectly in beating the Giants four out of five games.

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## Borden's, Western Plastic Win Games

The show belonged to the Price brothers Monday night as they combined talents to lead Borden's past the JayCees, 51-18, in the John M. Cowden Junior High Gym.

Roy canned 16 points and brother Howard shot 20 points through the hoop as the winless Borden outfit shocked the favored JayCees with a thorough lighting.

In the second game, Western Plastic prevailed over Shell Oil, 26-22, after a late Shell rally came near wiping out a 23-8 Plastic lead. The win elevated the Plastic five into a tie with Rotary Engineering Company for the lead in the Midland Independent JayCee Basketball League.

The JayCees took an early lead over the Borden outfit in the first quarter and led, 8-7, near the end of the first frame. But Howard Price worked under the goal for some quick points to give Borden's a 12-8 first quarter lead. The Borden five stretched its lead to a 27-15 margin at halftime and to 37-15 at the end of three quarters. Jimmy Edwards led the JayCees with six points.

Paul Brabaney slipped 10 points in to give Western Plastic its decision. Ware of Shell was high for the game with 11 points. The Plastics had it easy early, as Shell found a lid on the bucket and couldn't ring for points, falling behind, 16-6, at halftime and being behind 23-8 late in the third quarter.

But with Ware and Fanning waxing hot, the Shell five pulled to within four points as Western Plastic fought grimly to hold its lead.

The box scores:  
BORDEN'S (51) Fg Ft Pp Tp  
Price, R. 7 2 4 16  
Harris 0 0 1 0  
Wall 2 0 4 4  
Watkins 1 1 3 3  
Erb 3 2 2 8  
Price, H. 9 2 1 20  
Totals 22 7 15 51

JAYCEES (18) Fg Ft Pp Tp  
Woodward 2 0 2 4  
Daugherty 0 2 1 2  
Cooper 0 0 4 0  
Edwards 3 0 0 6  
Stephenson 1 0 0 2  
White 1 2 1 4  
Lomax 0 0 5 0  
Brown 0 0 2 0  
Aday 0 0 0 0  
Totals 7 4 15 18

W. PLASTIC (26) Fg Ft Pp Tp  
Patton 2 2 5 6  
Dyes 3 1 1 7  
Brabaney 5 0 1 10  
Humphreys 0 0 3 0  
McCormick 1 0 1 2  
Dunlap 0 0 1 1  
Totals 11 4 12 26

SHELL (22) Fg Ft Pp Tp  
Ware 4 3 2 11  
Hall 0 2 2 2  
Metzger 1 0 2 2  
Fanning 2 3 1 7  
Philphy 0 0 0 0  
Flowers 0 0 1 0  
Totals 7 8 8 22

## TCU Frogs Drill For Kentucky Team

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Texas Christian University had a blank injury list Tuesday as the Frogs continued practice for their New Year's football game with Kentucky in the Cotton Bowl.

The Southwest Conference champions resumed daily workouts Monday after a week of idleness followed by only three drills last week. The offense got a review of blocking and of all the TCU spread formation plays. The defensive unit took part in a brief dummy scrimmage.

Coach L. R. (Dutch) Meyer missed the drill. He was in San Antonio to receive the award of "Southwest Conference Coach of the Year," given by the San Antonio Express-News.

## Wednesday Night Cage Card Announced

Phillips Oil meets Shell Oil at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday and powerful Rotary Engineering Company plays the Jay Cees in Independent League action.

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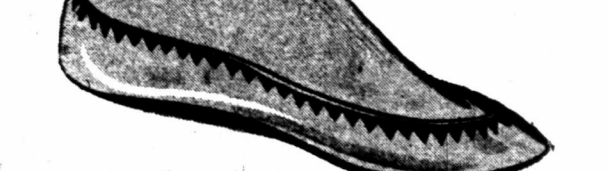
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 ery trucks will serve Midland and Ector Counties.

**Increasing Stocks May Bring Reduction In Texas Crude Flow**

AUSTIN—(P)—Increasing above-ground crude oil stocks may bring a cut in Texas allowable oil production next month, Railroad Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson indicated here Monday.  
 Thompson raised the storage question simultaneously with an announcement of increased nominations for Texas crude next month from major purchasers.  
 The January nominations totaled 3,025,637 barrels daily, 11,909 barrels per day more than were nominated for December.  
 Thompson noted that crude oil in storage above ground December 8 was 259,085,000 barrels.  
 "The only testimony we have on record (October, 1950) is that about 250,000,000 barrels crude storage is adequate," he said, adding:  
 "It would seem that now is the time to adjust stocks down to the testimony or that the industry should promptly bring us some new testimony."  
 The commission will hear testimony Wednesday at a state-wide hearing before setting January allowables. Thompson suggested the hearing would be a good time for heads of oil companies to present any new storage facts.

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 For the last seven years Brock has been in the insurance and finance business in Midland and prior to that time he had been in the banking business in Central Texas for 15 years. Phone number of the new office is 2-3075 and after office hours the number is 4-4526.

**Fomal Opening Of Laundromat No. 2 Slated Wednesday**

Bob Richards and Bill Johnson, owners of Midland Laundromat No. 1, Tuesday announced the formal opening of Midland Laundromat No. 2 at 307 North Dodson Street.  
 Free coffee and doughnuts will be served to all visitors at the formal opening Wednesday.  
 The new Laundromat features 20 new Westinghouse machines. Plenty of parking space is available for all customers.  
 In addition to holding the formal opening for the new Laundromat, the men will also observe the first anniversary of the opening of Midland Laundromat No. 1.  
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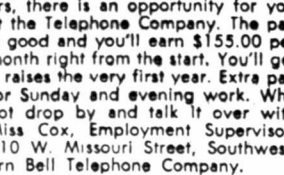
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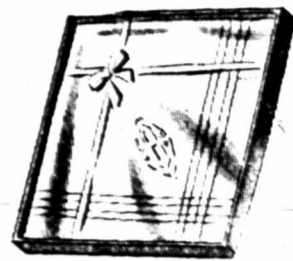
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The Western Big Three had followed up the deadlock in 10 days of secret big four disarmament talks with revisions they thought would meet some Russian objections.

McCamey Students Will Present Christmas Program

MCCAMEY—Mrs. H. W. Driskill will present her piano and voice students in a Christmas Musicale in the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.  
Those participating will be Anna Bell Tension, Johnnie Wade, Joan Lucado, Ann Adkinson, Mary Eloise Zimmerman, Sandra Box, Patricia Hart, Judy Cooper, Beverly Short, Billie Jean McDonald, Dolores Hargerty, Shirley Flow, Naomi Ruth Taber, Carolyn Clinton, Beverly Sikes, Jacquelyn Lucado, Carol King, Sandra Welch, Judy Cole, Paulann LeMarquand, Faye Skalinik, Mary Ash, James Lyles, Frankie Miller, Darnell Holfield, Richard Box, Susie Haven, Charles Schuman, Linda Putnam, Dick Brooks, Nadine Casaway, Sharon Reynolds, Winona Hodges and Dorothy Reynolds.  
Ushers are John Nicholas Pat Ingram, Flayd Coots and Sonja Jacobson.

Congratulations To:

- Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Merriam, 500 North Main Street, on the birth Saturday of a daughter, Shirley Joe, weighing seven pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.
- Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramirez, 406 North Marshall Street, on the birth Friday of twin sons, Ruben, weighing four pounds and four ounces, and Roberto, weighing three pounds, 12 ounces.
- Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Van Golder, 617 West Indiana Street, on the birth Saturday of a daughter weighing six pounds, eight ounces.
- Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rhodes, Jr., of Midland, on the birth Sunday of twin daughters weighing four pounds, four ounces.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hiltbold, 2312 West Storey Street, on the birth Sunday of a daughter weighing seven pounds, one ounce.
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam La Croix of Odessa on the birth Sunday of a son.

The San Francisco earthquake of April 18, 1906, cost 700 lives.

Governor-General Obeys That Impulse

OTTAWA—(AP)—Viscount Alexander, Canada's governor-general, has fulfilled a long-standing ambition—to slide down a fire station's brass pole.  
It happened over the weekend at a fire station where he opened an exhibition of Christmas toys made by Ottawa firemen.  
As he was leaving the station Viscount Alexander spotted the brass pole on the second floor, used by firemen to reach the main floor in a hurry.  
I have always wanted to go down one of those things," he confided to Fire Chief Gray Burnett.  
The fire chief invited him to go ahead.  
To the astonishment of spectators on the main floor, the governor-general suddenly arrived among them—via the brass pole.

Cult Leader Given Prison Sentences In Flogging Deaths

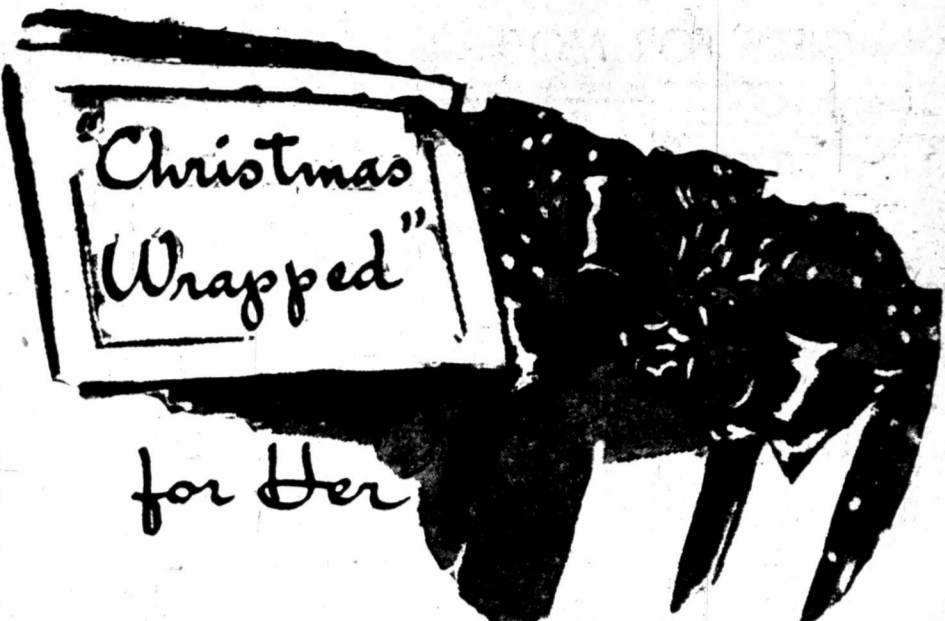
ST. PAUL, MINN.—(AP)—A husky, 33-year-old railroad man is going to prison for from 14 to 60 years for the whipping cult deaths of his wife and another woman.  
Curtis Lennander, self-admitted leader of the whippers, Monday pleaded guilty to two charges of third degree murder. He immediately was sentenced by Judge Clayon Parks to serve consecutive terms of seven to 30 years in Stillwater Prison on each count.  
"I was possessed of satanic fury that night," Lennander told the court.  
The defendant referred to the night of October 15, when he inflicted the fatal wounds on his 35-year-old wife, Ardith, and Mrs. Anna Halvorson, 64, in the flagellation rites to "drive out the devil."  
"I am sane now and I believe I was sane that night except for being possessed by satan," Lennander said. "God intends me to plead guilty."

A court-appointed sanity commission reported on November 28 that he was sane.  
Lennander was indicted for second degree murder by a grand jury after the two women died. But Ramsey County Attorney James F. Lynch recommended acceptance of his plea to the lesser charge because "tests disclosed that his mind is depraved."  
Both first and second degree murder convictions carry life terms in Minnesota, which has no capital punishment.

Optimist Club To Hold Dinner-Dance

The Optimist Club will hold its annual dinner-dance at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the Ranchland Hill Country Club. Approximately 100 persons are expected, including Optimists, their wives and other guests.  
The club will hold its noon meeting Friday at the all-civic luncheon in Hotel Scharbauer.

Wild turkeys originally ranged from the Atlantic coast of North America to the Dakotas and from Southern Ontario to Southern Mexico.



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Killer George Ross Nabbed At Baltimore

BALTIMORE—(AP)—A small, shifty-eyed man with a defeated air—George Ross—sat silently behind bars Tuesday, waiting for his ticket to Cleveland to face the rap for the murder he said he committed.  
Ross, 27, was picked up Monday afternoon about 10 miles south of Baltimore, hitchhiking south. He was armed, but he gave himself up to two county policemen without a struggle.  
"You got me," he calmly told his captors. There was one bullet in his gun.  
Ross is wanted for the murder of Traffic Patrolman Forney L. Haas in a Cleveland rooming house on December 8.  
U.S. Commissioner Ernest Volkart ordered Ross held in \$30,000 bond and continued his arraignment until the arrival of federal authorities from Ohio with a warrant charging unlawful flight to escape prosecution.  
Ross couldn't raise the bail.  
FBI Agent S. S. Alden, in charge of the Baltimore office, said Ross had admitted killing Haas. Alden

Influenza Closes Schools At Crockett

CROCKETT—(AP)—Public schools closed Monday because of a seige of influenza.  
They are scheduled tentatively to reopen January 2.  
Monday, there were more than 200 absentees out of an enrollment of 764 at the white school. One hundred eighteen were absent from negro classes.  
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