

Last Minute Shopers will find many of the stores staying open

Mr. and Mrs. McNeill's home and end with his parents in East Tex-

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Children's program, 6:30 p. m.



#### BURKBURNETT STAR, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1946



ligations with the passing years. Let us take a summing up of self "as of 1946" and work out individual balance sheets, impelled by good resolutions we may be halted by the man who reminds us that 'hell is paved with good intentions.' But we might do Burkburnett Friday and Satur- lia Station announced this week our over-hauling and improving without an announcement day of our intentions. Surely that man does not breathe who can't better his character and if he contributes to Burk-



a foundation upon which to build this good business be- To My Friends forth to label him a fraud and impersonator. There was fore 1947 and its building through a personal inventory and balance sheet struck on December 31, 1946, will strengthen it.

#### RIDICULOUS-BUT TRUE

It would certainly be silly if the cotton industry askrayon manufacturers pay a high tax on their productand dye it all purple.

And yet the restrictions that have been put on margarine, or have been attempted, by the butter industry, are no less ridiculous. Margarine-healthful, sanitary, nourishing and good to taste, is discriminated against through the most outrageous methods directed against any wholesome American commodity.

on uncolored margarine and ten cents a pound on colored margarine. Each-manufacturer pays \$600 license fee anthe fees are \$480 and \$48.

Then many states tack on further taxes and license fees, restrictive and hampering requirements. Legislators in one state even tried to require that margarine be dyed

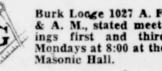
The industry has certainly made things tough for the housewife. She has to pay far more for margarine than it should cost-and she has to color it herself, or eat it

She colors it with the very same harmless, odorless, tasteless stuff that butter markers put in butter-although she may not realize that almost all butter sold has to be artificially colored, too, to give it that golden gleam.

If every housewife in the land knew the truth about the margarine outrage, there would be a women's uproar enough women will awaken to the robbery, and legislators-state and federal-will know what a woman's wrath



and Mrs. J. N. Anthony.





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## NEW YEAR SPEETINGS

#### TO EACH AND ALL

#### When We Count Our Blessings

We find many we had not thought about. Among the outstanding blessings in our list is the good will of the people of this community.

#### We Thank You

Most cordially for this good will and assure you of our deep appreciation. We wish for you a pleasant holiday. and a New Year that is the harbinger of many blessings to come.



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Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sutton and

baby of Houston are visiting

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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afford to take a chance with any medi-cine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Creomulsion blends beech wood creosote byspecial process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcoties. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, per-mitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back, (Adv.)

Gala New Year's EVE Prevue

Tuesday, Dec. 31st, at 11:00 P. M.

Chronic bronchitis may develop if

V. C. Skipwith.

Wedding Plans Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goodwin, engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Maurien Elizabeth Goodwin, to Everett Virgil Pearson, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Pearson of Texarkana, Texas. The above announcement and plans for the wedding, an event of Thursday, Jan. 2 were revealed at a delightful tea given Friday afternoon by the mother of the bride-elect.



Calling at the Goodwin home between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock, guests were greeted by a receiving line headed by Mrs.

P. A. Johnston. Others in the 316 Ellis St., have announced the group were the honoree and her mother. Presiding at a nearby table to secure signatures for the bride's book was Mrs. Agnes Richardson.

> In the dining room Mrs. Ted Boden presided at the silver tea service which was arranged at the extremity of the lovely refreshment table. The table was covered with a white linen handmade cut work cloth and featured a striking arrangement of white and blue chrysanthemums and gladiolas, flanked by tall apers of crystal candelabra. Attached to the center piece were streamers of blue satin ribbon n which held the names and date "Maurine and Everett, aJn. Dainty white and blue tea apkins were also lettered with the first names of the bride and groom-elect. The buffet was aranged with a floral piece of the bride's chosen colors. The background of music for the party was provided by Miss Butler. Decorations of the Christmas

> notif were carried out in the ving room where a row of blue candles burned in a centerpiece of blue and silver cedar arrangement placed on the piano. Poinsettas further emphasized the seasonal theme as did a holly wreath on the door. Others assisting with the tea

were Mesdames Will Teal, Fred Fewin, Jess Greer, Carl Day and Marian Ragsdale. Approximately 75 friends made

ip the invitation list for the tea.

The New Corduroy Robes at Opal's will make a nice Xmas Gift. 22-1tc.

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Among the students home for he Christmas holidays are: Mary Ann Danforth Alice Milikin Jean Boyd Martha Gayle Parr and Joyce Nichols from TSCW; Carol Lohoefener Betsey Ball Ed Richard Whitesides and Mary Fran-



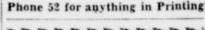
Four-year-old Mercia Brown of Springfield, Mass., is about to get that jam all over everything, but her mother needn't worry. The table cloth, the bib and the curtains are made of a new cotton fabric coated with a super-thin layer of a plastic called vinyl butyral. and Mrs. Brown can wipe that jam off with a damp cloth. Despite the plastic coating, the fabric retains its uncoated appearance.

#### Missionary Society Has Christmas Party

hill's home.

The house was beautifully Christmas tree was lovely.

licious refreshments had been served to fourteen guests.



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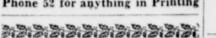
MR. AND MRS.

R. A. THOMAS

Mrs. C. L. Berryhill and Mrs. Jack Grubbs were hostesses to the Christmas party of the Missionary Society of the Christian Church Thursday evening. The party was held in Mrs. Berry-

A story of Christmas in a story and song was the main feature of entertainment. Mrs. Berryhill read the story and sang the solo parts. The crowd joined in singing part of the hymns. "The Black Madona" ,a story was very capably given by Mrs. Bob Kearns.

decorated with evergreens and an unusual and beautiful arrangement of red candles. The Gifts were exchanged after de

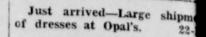


to all

1946

### Skating Togs





Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moori and daughter Brookie Lynn fre Humble, Texas, are spending t holidays with her brother, Jo Brookman and family.

Miss Maude Wickersham Fort Worth, formerly a teach in the local schools, spent Su day visiting with Mrs. Ger Brown and mother.



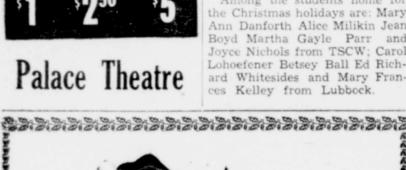


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Like a sincere handclasp, strong and warm we send you this message of the Spirit of Xmas with the hope that the holidays of 1946 may be the best you have ever spent.

We are mindful, too, of the favors you have shown us in the past and at this season we want to thank you very sincerely for the business you have given us.

And may your ship come sailing in to you this coming year laden with friends, health and wealth and a full cargo of good cheer-A joyous Christmas, and the best of everything in the NEW YEAR.

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### DEVOL NEWS Mrs. Clara Stofer

The adult class of the Bap-Church enjoyed a Christparty Wednesday evening ome of Mrs. Ross Wright Bob Hinkle, Mrs. Ted Ranand Mrs. Ona Slabaugh asosesses. Mrs. K. B. Uthe program chairman. group sang Christ, The

desirable homes to buy, see C. Tucker Agey., Phone 118.

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ur lives. It is our hope that this Christmas of 1946 will bring you many a blessing in the weeks and months ahead. **Union Bus Station** I. E. Lohoefener, Agent

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Randall conducted a Christmas questionnaire and Mrs. Louise

mas word game, and game of party at their home on West ed

Those present were Mesdames Ross Wright. Floyd Uthe, Curly Davidson, Floyd Jenkins, B. L. Jenkins, M.

E. Farmer, Douglas Skaggs, Wm. Tarrant, Kels Smith, Oles Stofer, Chas Woodley, W. H. Stevens, Bob Hinkle, Wm. Nelson, J. B. Stevens, K. B. Uthe, Carl Pow-

ell, Bob Maloney, Ted Randall, Slabaugh, Sandra Nelson and Price. Cheria Sue Douglas, Messrs. Bob Hinkle, Floyd Jenkins, B. L. Jenkins, Joe Wright, Kels Smith, is president of the class and Mrs. Thursday to spend the holidays ble. Ted Randall is Secretary.

same home the Intermediate thers, Dall and Vernon Usher. girls and their escorts enjoyed a Christmas party with 22 pres-

folks. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes Cozby returned last week from an ex- ily. Burial was at Clarietta, Tex-Mexico. They spent Thanksgiv- Thursday. ing at Clovis, N. M. with Mrs. Cozby's sister and husband. At Cozby, Mrs. Shaw, after which Frank McClendon home. they drove to Amarillo where they spent a few days with friends and attended the football game at Portales, N. M. At Littlefield, Texas, they visited with the Alf Patterson family, former residents in this com-

BURKBURNETT STAR, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1946 Lord is Born, followed with pray- munity. Mr. Cozby reports it an Mr. and Mrs. Landis, sponsors er by Mrs. M. E. Farmer. Mrs. enjoyable trip and nice vacation. of the Senior class, entertained

the class at their lovely country Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stevens home here Monday night. Nelson took charge of a Christ- entertained Friday with a 42

Stofer and Mrs. Curly Davidson, and Mrs. Joe Wright, Mr. and ditorium Friday. The program after which gifts were distribut- Mrs. T. C. Dillow, Mr. and Mrs. was presented with each room Kels Smith and Mr. and Mrs. giving 20 minutes of it. Santa

> Saturday for Amarillo, where to December 30th. they will spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Gayle Rhyne and family, returning Thursday.

Mrs. K. B. Uthe, Patsy Turner Buster Rogers, Orlie Doty, H. H. and Mrs. Uthe's brother, Bill Hinkle, John Quickle, Jo Wright, Williams left Monday for Drum-Vernon Spier, A. L. Greenway, right, Okla., to spend Christmas A. Bridges, of Edmond, Okla. Mr. Mrs. Dolly Hardin, Mrs. Ona with Mrs. Uthe's mother, Mrs. Bridges will remain over the

with their Grandparents, Mr. and On Wednesday evening at the Mrs. John Coker and their bro-

Mrs. Vernon King was called arrived Friday to spend holidays

ting in her chair and was dis- families. covered by members of her fam-

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dillow were Wichita Falls visitors Friday.

Miss Opal Hale, employed in the U. S. Bureau of Reclaimation Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mayes. Judat Denver, Colo., came home Saturday morning to, spend a week with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hale. Their son, Ho-

Miss Pauline Usher who is a

and daughter, all of Long Beach

tended trip thru Texas and New as. Mrs. King reutrned home Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jenkins attended church services at Grandfield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. dinner guests in the Boyt Garner home.

> Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Carruthers and their son, Judson Lee, who has been stationed at camp in Virginia, spent Sunday with Mr. Carruthers' aunt and uncle, son Lee will leave in a few days We know Santa Claus has gone for California from where he

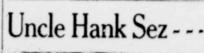
## **Chick Chats**

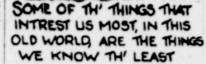
#### Keep Layers In Warm Dry House

large number of patrons were in fortable quarters? This is an im-Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wright left attendance. School is dismissed portant consideration in winter apparently are successful in raisflock management for during ing birds in houses having no cold weather improper housing flooring, there can be no ques-

> from 4 to 6 inches of good dry wooden floors or none whatlitter on the floor of the poultry house. As soon as the litter becomes damp or dirty, it should be removed and replaced with particular care for the litter here becomes wet quickly, and must be replaced with dry

the poultry house is an efficient insulation against cold weather in the winter and it also serves to keep out excesive heat in the







-But the Clifford Wells Paint will go to Korea for further ser- and Bedy Shop is still here with

should be at least 15 inches of make sure there are no cracks settled straw for efficient insulat through which cold air can enion. Circulation of air in the dead ter. space above the straw will keep the insulation material dry. This Phone 52 for anything in Printing can be accomplished by having small openings at each gable end of the poultry house. Walls also should be insulated as completely insulated house is Are yur layers housed in com- much easier to keep warm. While many poultry raisers

tion that cement floors are con-A poultryman should have sistently more satisfactory than ever. Cement flooring is easier to clean and disinfect. It is impossible to do a good job of cleaning and disinfecting on a the floor is made of wood because the cracks and crevice har-

> It is a good idea in constructing a cement floor, to have it slope toward a floor drain. This will facilitate cleaning and disinfecting. The ventilating system should

provide an adequate supply of fresh air, but there should be no drafts in the house. Check walls, windows, and doors





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Lots of good buys in new and used furniture-	-Floor
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Used Radios.—Come to see us.	



A school Christmas tree problindfold. Prizes won by Mrs. Main Street. Guests were Mr. gram was held at the school au-

appeared and gifts distributed. A

and program will be held at the Baptist Church Tuesday night.

Visiting in the C. H. Reynolds home is Mr. Reynold's uncle, W. holidays.

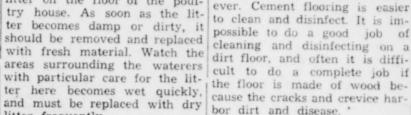
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tribble, Ponstudent at the Jefferson Academy ca City, arrived Sunday to spend W. H. Stevens, Rev. Quickle, and in Jefferson, Texas, and JoAnna the holidays with Mr. Tribble's litter frequently. H. H. Hinkle. Mrs. Bob Hinkle Usher of Ft. Worth arrived parents, Daddy and Mother Trib-

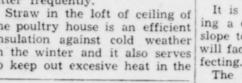
> Mrs. Jack Lowe and son, Geo. and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lowe

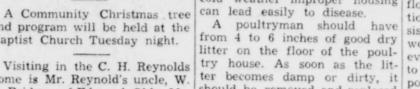
ent. Mrs. Ross Wright, Mrs. K. to Dublin, Texas last Sunday with Mrs. Jack Lowe's parents, B. Uthe and Mrs. Ted Randall week by the sudden death of her Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dickson and were hostesses to the young mother, Mrs. Ella Houk. Mrs. with Mrs. W. S. Lowe's parents Houk passed away while sit- Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sykes, and

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins and

Mrs. R. G. Baumhardt and L. Jenkins remained for dinner Muleshoe, Texas, they visited daughter, Caudia, Burkburnett with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hamel in the home of a sister of Mr. spent last week visiting in the while Floyd and Hortense were







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lieve will ever be, the protector of

privileges of individual citizens."

trict court, the high tribunal set Jan-

uary 14 as the date for government

and defense arguments. Upon the

Legally, the issue boiled down to

this: Could government operation

final decision not only rested wheth-

workers from striking.

ince.

BRITAIN:

Royal Romance

Greece and Princess Elizabeth.

otherwise staid Britishers in believ-

While the prince and princess

ing the match was "super."

#### \$6,000,000 Film

The most expensive motion picture ever made was "Wilson," released in 1944, whose production and advertising amounted to more than \$6,000,000, says Collier's.

The cost was due largely to many spectacular scenes, one being the 1912 Democratic convention in which the lighting consumed enough power to service a city the size of Lansing, Mich.

### a Point to That

"Doctor." said the wild-eved patient, as he rose from the steps of his farm homestead and rushed down to meet the doctor's car, "I'm in a deuce of a pickle. Don't know where to turn for relief. You've got to help me." What's the trouble?" asked

the doctor

The ghosts of my departed relatives come and perch on the tops of the fence posts all round the orchard," replied the patient. "Every night it's the same old round-they just sit there, waiting, waiting, waiting. What can I do to get rid of them?

"Why, that's simple. Just sharpen the tops of the posts," the doctor prescribed, as he drove off.



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Wire Direct



#### MAN ABOUT TOWN

Sallies in Our Alley: Chums hear that war hero Flip Cochran "went ! through every dime he had" fooling around the zig-zaggy cotton market. . . . Preston Sturges, the film producer, is such a stickler for per-

fect grammar that he argues with waiters all over town whenever he sees a word used incorrectly on a menu. That's a new way of aggravating yourself! . . . We hear Sally Rand is weary of courtroom scenes and may retire. . . . One of the Zanzibar employees is such a ham he bought \$500 worth of lookingglasses (to put all over his apt.) so that he can see how small he is from any angle. . . . Gail Barber, Village Corner strip-teaser, was bitten by a dawg recently-and the bowwow died two days later!

The Miami rain fell as it did in the Jeanne Eagels show, "Rain," and the wind howled for two nights (sometimes at 42 miles per hour). But the Florida gazettes referred to the storm as "squalls" . . . Squalls? Midget hurricanes! . . . Floridians with a sensayuma call them "Yankee breezes" . . . And just when California's Governor Warren arrived. Haw! Florida's Governor Caldwell handled it adroitly, saying: "We had these storms to make Governor Warren feel at home."

The Late Watch: Tip the feature editors that Howard Hughes has a good story about the people he is rewarding for helping him live after his plane crash. A fire chief posed the famous song, "Off We Go -Into the Wild Blue Yonder, dumde - dum - deedle - de - dummm!" Well, he's opened a spot called The Blue Yonder in Miami. He says the brass hats never gave him any recognition for it or the 39 months he

ending over there! Fine thing. Washington Sq. Vignette: They tell this story around the square. . . . They add that it may not be true-but then again-it may. . . . Two little boys (with the unknowing cruelty of children) were plaguing a friend because he was lame. . . . A woman paused and told them that they shouldn't poke fun at anyone less fortunate than they. . . . Besides, she said, just because he couldn't use his legs didn't mean he wasn't

just as strong and brave as they

were. . . . The last great Presi-

dent, she said, became President, though paralyzed. . . . "And he continued. "was as strong and brave as any man living. I know. You see I was his wife." His name is Bob Turner . . . Was for 2,000 employees of Ohio Cranka Zanuck hireling before the war shaft company. but never made a film. . . . Understudied in a couple of shows last season but rarely got on stage. . . . He became friendly with a girl working on a movie mag, who put his picture in the July issue. Since then he's received 5,000 fan employees of John L. Lewis' UMW's letters from every state, Hawaii, District 50 a total of \$4,656,000. South Africa and even India. . . Has 124 fan clubs, a monthly news- FREIGHT RATES: paper and a quarterly magazine put out by the clubs. . . . He's been swamped with marriage proposals and has been forced to move because he never got any rest. . . .

ended. . . . I thought the violins

that love was gay and rich and

splendid. . . . And that the moon

was married to the sky. . . .

And then I heard the awesome

sound of thunder. . . . The light-

ning dashed-and I was numb

with fear. . . . And, childlike,

I could only stare in wonder. . . .

And trace the landscape, deso-

late and drear. . . . I turned to

you-and you were white-and

shaken. . . . And love was but

a gray and misty ghost. . . .

And we were trapped, forgotten

and forsaken. . . . By all the

lures that we had cherished

most. . . . And on the lips that

once were surely mine. . . .

There were no words-no laugh-

Quotation Marksmanship: Anon:

You can't fool all the people all the

Evelyn Knight: A gal with that fur-

is no lover at all. . . . Anon: Habits

language in which you cannot say

a mean or sarcastic thing. . . . De

Casseres: Hope is the gay pajamas

we wear over yesterday's bruises,

stared right back at me.

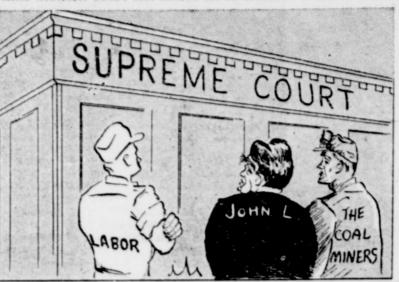
. . A Hounie: Her dimpled knees

time-but it isn't necessary. .

ter and no wine!



(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper )



#### LABOR: Packer Peace

Meat conditions continued to look rosy for the American housewife with the AFL and CIO packinghouse unions coming to terms with the big packers on new contracts without resorting to costly strikes. The AFL Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen set the pattern for peace in the industry by agreeing with Swift on a 71/2 cent

an hour wage increase, higher pay for night work, a better vacation plan, pay for eight holidays and reduction of geographical wage differentials. Including all benefits, the total hourly increase amounts to 12 cents.

Not to be outdone, the CIO United out there is among them. . . . Re-member Bob Crawford? He com-then signed with Cudaby for an then signed with Cudahy for an average wage increase of 15 cents, extra night pay, a sick leave plan, compensation for eight holidays and elimination of geographical wage differentials. At the same time, the CIO union also reached agreement with the Tobin Packing company of flew with the air corps! And some Fort Dodge, Iowa, on a new conguys got army diplomas for weektract providing for guaranteed employment of 52 weeks.

#### Sue for Back Pay

As a result of a Supreme court decision of last June 10 decreeing that employees of the Mount Clemens Potters company were entitled to compensation under the fair labor standards act of 1938 for walking to their jobs on plant property, American industry faced the prospect of being forced to shell out hundreds of millions of dollars of back pay.

Wasting no time in taking advantage of the court ruling, the CIO United Steelworkers and CIO Auto Workers filed suits in the Cleveland, Ohio, federal court for back pay for 180,000 union members. The Steelworkers asked 56 million do

lars for 148,000 employees of Re-

public Steel company and 38 mil-

lion dollars for 30,000 workers of

American Steel and Wire. The Auto

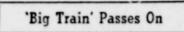
#### U. N.: Slap Franco

Even as 300,000 Spaniards assembled before the national palace in Madrid to hear Generalissimo Franco lash "foreign interference," the United Nations political and security committee, meeting at Lake Success, N. Y., adopted a resolution for the withdrawal of all members' ambassadors from Spain.

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Remaining obdurate in its contention that no drastic action should be taken against Spain but the Spanish people should be given every opportunity for holding free elections, the U. S. abstained from voting on the resolution. As it was, the resolution was mild enough, since the countries agreed to leave other diplomatic representatives in Spain to conduct business as usual. Effect of the action was to snub Franco on the direct government level. Fiery Spaniards plastered fiery

placards against "foreign interference" in Madrid in the demonstrations against world condemnation against the Franco regime. In addressing the throngs, Franco declared: The Spanish government was a matter of concern to the Spanish people alone: Spain had demonstrated its peaceful intentions by remaining neutral through World American liberties and the rightful War II; Spain showed its willingness to further prosperity by being Having agreed to consider the willing to deal commercially with case directly from the federal dis- other nations.



er the heavy fines against the UMW Another of baseball's greats and Lewis would stick but, more passed into Valhalla with the death of Walter Johnson, 59, acclaimed importantly, whether governmentoperated industries could prevent by many as the greatest pitcher who ever toed the rubber.

Famed for his blinding speed. Johnson blazed a trail of glory during his 21-year play-

of an industry be considered essening career with the tial to the running of the govern-

> 2 no-hitters, and 114 **Big Train** shutouts.

with the latest regal romance, this But statistics do not tell the true one involving Prince Philip of story of Johnson's greatness. Indicative of his prowess and strength, he blanked the New York Yankees Long rumored, the engagement of three times in four days in 1910. the royal couple loomed as more In 1911, he struck out four men in and more of a possibility as the one inning after his catcher had al-British press continued to build up the handsome, blond prince. Much lowed one batter to reach base when he dropped a third strike. In 1912, ado was made of his application for British citizenship. Steamed up over he pitched 56 straight scoreless inn the ballyhoo, bobby-soxers joined ings.

#### **ROCKET PLANE:** Beautiful!

made a fitting couple, the rumored Stepping out of the Bell XS-1 after romance was not without its polititaking the rocket plane up to 35,000 feet and running it at 550 miles per hour, test pilot Chalmers Goodlin, 23, exclaimed gleefully:

everything about the flight - was speaking, there was a question beautiful. It was all very quiet, with absolutely no noise at all in the alone to Rome.

#### Improved **SUNDAY** Uniform International SCHOOL \* LESSON \*

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#### Lesson for December 29

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PAUL CLAIMS THE WORLD FOR CHRIST

LESSON TEXT - Acts 9:15: 19:21; 23:11: 28:28-31: Romans 1:13-16: 15:22-24. MEMORY SELECTION-I am debtor both to the Greeks, and to the barbarians; both to the wise, and the unwise.-Romans 1:14.

The gospel is for the whole world. God wants all men to hear and come to repentance (John 3:16; II Pet. 3:9)

For the establishment of the great missionary program with its worldwide sweep, he called a man gifted, prepared and anointed for that work, namely Paul, whose life and ministry have been our interesting portion these three months.

Now we find him at the very center of the then known world to claim it for Christ. Politically, commercially, socially and religiously, Rome was the very heart of the known world which centered around the Mediterranean sea (the name of which means "the middle of the earth").

Having preached almost everywhere else, Paul had a longing to face heathendom at its very center and claim trophies for Christ and the gospel.

#### Our Scriptures present:

I. God's Plan and Man's Purpose (Acts 9:15; 19:21). Choice involves the thought of selection because of certain qualities or abilities. The Lord had prepared Paul for just this ministry, and now he chose him to carry it out. That encourages us to believe that God is leading in the experiences of our lives, preparing us for the day when he will call and use us. Let us be yielded and ready.

Our second Scripture (Acts 19:21) tells us that the plan of God was put into operation by the purpose in Paul's heart. God does not have to depend on man to do his work, but he does just that! We may hinder his full use of us if we fail to purpose in our spirit to do his will, as Paul did. God wanted Paul in Rome. That was his plan, and that was the purpose of Paul's heart.

II. God's Confirmation and Man's Determination (Acts 23:11; Rom. 1: 13-16: 15:22-24).

Man needs to have his good purposes confirmed by the Lord, and so it was in the case of Paul. He had been taken prisoner for the gospel's sake. His trial had resulted in an uprear. Things did not look "The plane, the engine - in fact, too promising for him. Humanly

#### Color Custom

An age-old custom of Oriental peoples is to associate colors with the cardinal points of the compass, white with the North, yellow with the East, red with the South and black with the West. In some parts of China, this color custom is still followed in the painting of city gates which face in these directions.

#### Henry's Widow Was Al. **Out** for Forced Labor!

"Do you wish to have the body cremated or buried?" the undertaker inquired, when the widow called to arrange for the interment of her late husband, Henry.

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"If it's up to me, I want you to cremate the lazy rascal and put his ashes into an hour glass," the long-suffering woman replied.

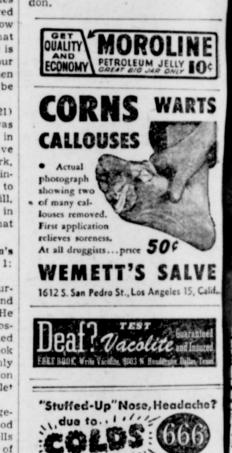
"But, my good woman!" objected the undertaker, "I couldn't do that. Why that's unthinkable!" "Unthinkable, my eye!" re-

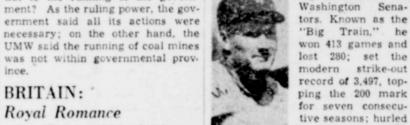
joined the widow. "That good-fornothing loafer never worked a lick in his life, but now that he has no say in the matter, I'm going to make him to be useful at last!"

#### Octobass, 13 Feet High, Failure Because of Size

The octobass, a three-stringed musical instrument invented in Paris in 1849, was 13 feet in height and thus required its player tostand on a box to bow it and press its strings with artificial fingers. which he moved by levers, says Collier's.

Owing to its unwieldiness, this giant instrument was a failure and only four were made, three of which are preserved today in museums in Vienna, Paris and London.





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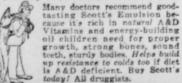
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Workers seek 121/2 million dollars At least one employer, faced with the prospect of being forced to pay help for time spent in reaching their

jobs in the plant, settled with the union. Dow Chemical company of Midland, Mich., agreed to pay 1.200

## Grant Boost

Interstate Commerce commission was unanimous in granting rail and water carriers an average 17.6 per Because he said his hooby was col- cent freight rate increase and perlecting giraffes, he's received 35 mitting railroads to maintain a 10 miniature giraffes. . . . He's the per cent passenger fare boost. most famous unknown person in the Noting that wage costs alone business. . . . But despite his great since 1941 have mounted by \$1.382,.

popularity and fame-he can't get 000,000 annually, ICC declared that the new rates were necessary (1) for maintenance and development of the transport system to meet na-Third Act: (By Don Wahn): I thought the lovely party never tional needs, and (2) to assure the movement of a high volume of trafwould never die. . . . I thought fic efficiently.

Rates on commodities other than those especially treated were increased by 20 per cent under the ICC order while tariffs on agricultural products and livestock (except fruits and vegetables) were boosted 15 per cent. Maximum increases were allowed on many items to maintain the competitive balance between different regions.

#### SUPREME COURT: Weighty Decision

In calling off the costly soft-coal strike, John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers was content to leave determination of the issue to the "The Supreme court is, and we be- capital.

#### Whooping Cough Takes Surprising Toll

Hardy: A lover without indiscretion bined and many hundreds of unnec-. John Erskine: Music is the only cause of exposure of children to this dangerous disease, according to a from scarlet fever. health warning from Northwestern National Life Insurance company. In 1944 the United States Public

Whooping cough kills more chil-, from whooping cough, compared to away look in her eyes. . . . Thomas dren each year than infantile 1,361 deaths from polio and 422 paralysis and scarlet fever com- deaths from scarlet fever. Preliminary figures for 1945 show 1.726 are at first cobwebs, then cables, essary deaths occur annually be- deaths from whooping cough, compared with 1,189 from polio and 349 The number of cases of whooping

cough climbs steadily throughout the winter months, reaching a high Health service recorded 1,878 deaths | in March or April, it was said

Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip shown as they attend reception in London.

cal implications. Such a royal mar- upon temperature and altitude. In riage would bind Britain more hitting it up at 550 m.p.h., Goodclosely to Greece, which occupies a lin achieved a speed of 75 per cent, strategic position in the eastern Mediterranean and presently is a NEAR EAST: diplomatic battleground between Britain and Russia in the fight for Bluff Reds control of the Near East.

#### FOREIGN MINISTERS: Germany Next

Having cleaned up the Balkan peace pacts, the foreign ministers of the Big Four agreed to undertake tent of Russian determination to the thorny issue of a German treaty dominate oil-rich northern Iran, in Moscow next March.

The decision came as the U.S. and Britain determined to unify their guarantee free parliamentary electwo occupation zones to speed up the tions. At first, Communist leaders economic recovery of western Ger- threatened civil war if the governmany and trim their relief burdens, ment troops continued their march, and continental Europe, once de- but suddenly backtracked when the pendent upon the Reich for essential Nationalists called their bluff. supplies, continued to lag in reconstruction.

U. S. consent to conduct the parley also were left holding the bag when in Moscow was forthcoming only aft- Greek regulars routed 1,000 leftists er Russian Foreign Commissar Mo- at Corymbos and the remnants were lotov promised Secretary of State wiped out by Turkish troops when Byrnes that newsmen would be giv- they fled across the nearby border. en both freedom and facilities for Communist - dominated Bulgaria reporting the meeting. Byrnes in- was implicated in the scuffle, Greek sisted that newsmen had not been afforded suitable accommodations U. S. Supreme court. Said John L .: during the last confab in the Soviet Bulgars and some of the wounded



As John L. Lewis maneuvered for shorter hours and higher pay for his United Mine Workers an industry spokesman asserted that the miner draws more money than auto, steel and oil workmen.

Declaring that conditions in the mines have changed in recent while miners were paid for a keeps and satisfies. 54-hour week they actually dug coal sated for lunch time and travel pay.

cockpit, no sensation of the roar of In man's hour of discouragement God stands by with a good Fueled with ethyl alcohol mixed word. "Be of good cheer," he tells

with oxygen, the XS-1 is designed Paul; "as thou hast testified of for a speed of 1,700 m.p.h., but me in Jerusalem to must thou bear Goodlin held it down to 550 m.p.h. witness also at Rome." in the preliminary test. Built for In his letter to the Romans, Paul speedy, high altitude flying, the expresses his determination to come plane measures only 31 feet in to them. There were hindrances, length and has a wing span of 28 there was a con-emplated trip to

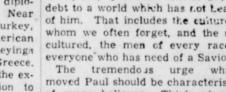
Spain (which he probably did not Army acceptance of the craft is make), but in spite of all these conditioned upon its ability to trav- things he would come in due time. el at 80 per cent of the speed of The reason for that determination sound, which ranges from 660 is tremendously interesting and perm.p.h. to 763 m.p.h., depending tinent to our own lives. He saw himself to be a d btor. The gospel had been committed to him, not as a deposit for his own good or pleasure, but as something he

an engine."

feet.

Russia drew a pass in the diplomatic poker game in the Near East as Iran, Greece and Turkey, backed by the Anglo-American powers, rebuffed leftist jockeyinga for advantage in Iran and Greece. In a bold maneuver to test the exgovernment forces marched into Azerbaijan province ostensibly to

Guerrillas seeking to establish themselves in northeastern Greece government sources claiming that the guerrillas were provisioned by carried back into that country.



must give out to everyone who bud not heard, including Rome. We, too, who know Christ are in debt to a world which has not heard of him. That includes the cuitured. whom we often forget, and the uncultured, the men of every raceeveryone who has need of a Saviour. The tremendous urge which moved Paul should be characteristic of every believer. Think what it

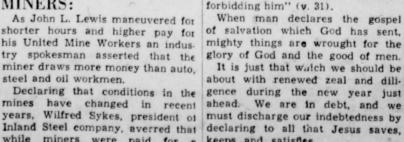
to preach the gcspel" (v. 15). 11). God's Salvation and Man's Declaration (Acts 28:28-31).

would mean for the evangelization

of the world if every Christian said:

"As much as in me is, I am ready

A slight change in the arrange ment of our Scriptures brings us to our concluding thought. God had sent salvation to the Gentiles and they would hear it (v. 28), even if the preacher had to come as a prisoner, for Paul came thus to Rome. How wonderfull, God arranged it all, for Paul was given the privilege, even as a prisoner, of living for two years under guard in a private house. Here he won his guards to Christ, many members of Caesar's official household (Phil. 4:22). and others who came and went as he preached and taught, "no man



Best wishes for a most blessed only 35 to 42 hours, being compen- new year! It may well be the most important year in all history. Let us make use of it for the glory of God



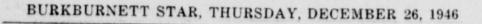
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All the pathos of a boy in quest of his lost pup is expressed in the photo shown above as pictured in the December issue of Cosmopolitan magazine. The photo, made in the Detroit dog pourd by Howard Shirkey of the Detroit Times, was selected by U. S. Camera magazine as one of he best news shots of 1946.

### **Owl Patrol News**

Our patrol had a wonderful Christmas Party this Wednesday, December 18. We have a good meeting place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bear. The whole patrol was present; Philip Baker, Jon Hy Bear, Dennis Wilkenson, Jim Bob Giles, Donnie and Johnie Ouzts. We closed our meeting about

5:30 and then played basketball. We also planned the menu and what each boy is to bring on the Troop 155 over-night hike to Perkins Reservation on December 20 and 21. Mr. Carlos Baker, the Scout executive from Wichita Falls, will be in charge of the boys.

Johnie Ouzts, Scribe, Philip Baker, Patrol Leader.



and son spent Sunday with her ited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. A. M. Corder in Kingston, Okla., Kindsfather in Bellview. Sunday.

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