Big Spring Will Fight To Retain Air Service



AMERICAN LUCIA BRIDE GREETED-Norms Freeman (right), American Lucia Bride, of Chicago, is greeted at the Stockholm Bromma airport by the Swedish Lucia Bride, Gerd Larsson (left), as Miss Freeman arrived in Sweden. The American girl is in Stock-holm to take part in pre-Christmas festivities which begin with the tradition "Queen of Light" festival. (AP Wirephoto).

ANSWER TO ATLANTIC PACT

Eastern Europe Red Purges Stepped Up

nist parties have been speeded up in a campaign apparently aimed at stiffening Red resistance to growing western military preparedness

OPPOSING PETITION DISREGARDED

Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary,

The observers saw as a forerun-ner to this announced campaign

munist regime there. Rajk himself was at one time a leading mem-

month's producing schedule.

Annexation Of Two Additions

To City Gets Final Approval

Commissioners also w

The new rash of purges and government shakeups from Poland to promises on intensificathe East-West cold war,

these diplomatic sources believe. The purges are seen by diplomatic observers not only as an at-tempt to rid the parties of those who sympathize with the West or with Yugoslavia's Marshal Titoousted from the Communist Infor-mation Bureau for defying Mos-

the party discipline.

The Cominform is made up of Communist parties from Russia,

Deathless Days 735

In Big Spring Traffic

tory heading. Whitney said. He said

Groups Reach Decision Today Exceptions to CAB **Examiner's Report** Will Be Filed

Civic, Official

A decision to fight for retention of air service in Big Spring had been reached Wednesday by civic and offi-

cial groups. The aviation committee of the meeting during the morning to join the city in filing exceptions to a Civil Aeronautics Board examiner's recommendations for suspension of service here by both American Airlines and Continental Airlines.

night had authorised action in pro-test of the examiner's findings. Exceptions to these recommendations must be filed with the CAB by December 19, and full briefs by January 5. A special C-C committee will go to work immediately with city representatives to prepare the bill of exceptions.

The CAB examiner last week recommended, among other things, that American Airlines be granted a suspension of service in Big Spring, and that Continental's services also be suspended.

American had asked for its suspension, whereas Continental continental continents.

American had asked for its sus-pension, whereas Continental op-poses being withdrawn from the city. The latter company has ad-vised local sources that it will join in resisting the examiner's recom

The examiner's decision is no final, but is subject to hearing by the full CAB. It is before this group, at a date to be set that exceptions and to the examiner's

City Plumbing Firm Operator Loses Eye Romania, Bulgaria, France and As Result Of Blow Italy. Last month it ordered its

E. N. Hurst, operator of the Big members to purge the party of those who don't toe the line, to Spring Plumbing company susstamp out sympathizers with Mar-shal Tito, to step up the Sovietresult of an altercation Tuesday

right. He told officers that he was proclaimed "peace" drive, and to boost the Soviet Union. struck while talking with another man. Force of the blow shattered his glasses and slashed the eyethe trial in Hungary of former For-eign Minister Laszlo Rajk. He was

Otis Snow was fined \$14 by Jus tice of the Peace Oren Leonard this morning on charges of simple assault growing out of the alterted the incident which occurred in

of that country's Communist Thomas Through

BULLETIN AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 14, 66-FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 14. 09 —Norman Thomas is through seek-ing political office. cut Texas' average daily allow-able for January 83,373 barrels

The Socialist Party candidate in the last six presidential elections told a forum meeting last night he will not run again.

(above) of Kelso, Wash, went Christmas tree hunting, became lost in snow-covered woods near Kelso, Scores of persons searched for her, fearing that she could not last another night in subfreezing temperatures. The search continued today, (AP Wirephoto).

General Fund Of

more than \$10,000 during November, the monthly financial report C. R. McClenny indicated Tuesday. Balance in the fund at the first of the month stood at \$69,860.03. On Nov. 30 it contained \$79,948,69.

Tax receipts more than account ed for the increase during the month. Current tax collection amounted to \$20,687.84, while de linquent tax receipts were \$2,001. 55. Water and sewer billed to cus tomers in November totalled \$18, 222.24 and garbage charges amoun ed to \$3,600.53.

Total general fund receipts dur ing the month were \$67,045.54, including \$8,362.97 transferred from other funds. Expenditures amount 641.53 was reported at \$64,641.53 at

Balance in the airport fund dropped from \$15,305.48 to \$14,674.06 in November. The cemetery fund grew from \$5,503.77 to \$5,610.04. Swimming pool and park system funds decreased from \$574.34 tem funds decreased from \$574.34 to \$287.95. Parking meter balance increased from \$1,066.72 to \$3,-975.37 and the water and sewer bond fund dwindled \$5,902.83 from a \$12,584.95 balance at the begin ning of the month to \$6,682.12 on Nov. 30.

KNEELING IN WRONG PLACE IS EXPENSIVE

Irwin Richard Reese knelt in a church here last night and drew

He entered a plea of guilty in corporate court Wednesday morn-ing to a charge of disturbance. The defendant's difficulty was in kneeling at the wrong place under

the wrong circumstances.

He had picked the Presbyterian church while a meeting was in progress. Members heard a door open and when no one entered the meeting hall, they searched the church. Finally a man was dis-covered kneeling in a closet be-hind choir robes.

1,000 Californians Flee Escaping Gas

Scores Of Persons Overcome By Fumes

OAKLAND, Calif., Dec. 14. (P)—Upwards of 1,000 persons were forced to flee their homes before dawn today as waves of ammonia gas spread through 20 square blocks of

BULLETIN

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 14. (A)

—The main office building of the
Swift & Co. packing plant here
was shattered by an explosion
at 11:45 a. m. (CST) today and
a high city official estimated at
least 25 persons were dead.

Walter W. Lindgren, superintendent of public safety for the
city, made the preliminary estimate of "at least 25 dead."

Lindgren called it "probably
the worst disaster in Sloux City
history."

Gas-masked firemen attempted to wash away the ammonia with streams of water. It was several hours later before evacuees began returning to their homes.

Battalion Chief Thomas Dolan said the tank car contained enough to "kill everyone in the area."

As the great fog like clouds drifted through the district, shrouding cars, homes and buildings, policemen helped remove hundreds of people to safety areas. Many, including policemen, were overcome.

history."
Lindgren said firemen and volunteers had donned gas masks
to go into the debris-choked
basement where cries of the injured could be heard.

Taft Finds Voters Truman Taking **Worrying About** Things Easy At Size Of Public Debt Vacation Spot

John R. Steelman, assistant, and clark M. Clifford, special counsel.
They in turn delegated to staffers in Washington necessary leg and research work to get the "State of the Union" message into shape for final consideration by the full cabinet before the last and made his tour as part of that and research work to get the
"State of the Union" meisage into
shape for final consideration by
the full cabinet before the last
draft is written at the White House.

The President, it has been made
clear, will urge Congress in a personal appeal in January, for that
part of the "fair deal" it refused
to pass this year.

Als constituents.

The Ohioan is a candidate for reelection to the Senate next year
and made his tour as part of that
campaign. His conclusions carry
national weight because of his influence in shaping Republican
strategy as chairman of the Senate GOP Republican Policy Committee.

He long has advocated a revision of the tax structure to close loop-holes, shift a greater share of the

holes, shift a greater share of the cost of government to the profits of corporations, and reduce the taxes of low-income groups.

Such a revision likely will be enbraced in his "State of the Union" message and elaborated upon in his budget message if some of his advisors have their way.

Presidential Press Becretary Charles G. Ross disclosed that Presidential Press Secretary Charles G. Ross disclosed that basic policy decisions on the tax program will await the President's return to Washington,

Kilgore Man Charged In Fatal Shooting

KILGORE, Dec. 14. 08 - Jesse



FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE

Russia Faces Famished Arctic 'Skeeter Threat

mittee.

"I do not think that workmen are by any means persuaded in favor of the socialistic, planned economy, hand-out state principles supported by the CIO and AFL supported by the CIO and AFL hend for a couple of minutes and "This ind hend for a couple of minutes and "This ind "This while"

supported by the CiO and AFL leadership." Taft said.

He said the real danger of such proposals is that the bulk of voters will greet them with little interest.

"My own job and that of others concerned with the preservation of liberty and the American system is to bring the issues directly and forcefully to the people," he declared.

Solution and out your line mues.

"There are unlimited breeding areas for them in the swamps and bogs, and apparently the Arctic does not have enough actural insect enemies of the mosquito to keep it under control.

"Moreover, the season for mosquito to bringing flea-infested enisting the issues directly and forcefully to the people," he declared.

Chuckles Mingled With Tears In Santa Claus' Mail

magleiau. He promises "I won't bring it to school."

And Nancy over in Brooklyn loves horses. She asked for a female geiding—"all black." But only male horses are geided.

Charlie wrote out his own Christmas list then added:

"Grampy wants a bottle of whisky."

To do times we reel swill to a complete the solution of times we reel swill so a complete the solution of times we reel swill so a constant with younget us son thing to keep us warm??"

From Kent, England, ear "Plees don't foget me this y identification of times we reel swill so the promise of times we reel swill son the promise of times of times we reel swill son the promise of times the promise of times and the promise of times the promise of times the promise of times the promise of times of times the promise of times the promise of times of times and times of time

whisky."

Laughs? Sure, but tears too.

The kids from Germany, France and England who write to Santa at New York, ask for chocolate or food. In their world, for a long time, toys have had a low priority.

time, toys have had a low priority.
Louis, a Manhattan seven-yearold, knows Santa "can do anything." So he wrote:

"Please bring me my mother.
She went out and left three of us
with my father. He is going to put
us in a home and my baby brother
is sick. I like toys but I like my
mother best.

Then there's Barabara whose
shildish acrawl reads





ashington's National Airport (buildings in background) when crashed in the fog. Four of the 23 persons aboard were killed.

ation, officials stated.

Mayor G. W. Dabney was authrized to sign leases with the Weather Bureau and CAA for space in the new airport terminal improved greatly after an operabuilding. Commissioners also authorized the mayor to sign contract with the Veterana Administration for furnishing water and sewer service to the VA hospital here and lease space at the Municipal air.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 13. UP—The federal attorney for the capital distorts to Certi Hamilton. federal attorney for the trict announced yesterday the gov-In the contract with the VA. the erument had evidence of a plo city agrees to supply water at a overthrow the government and im-rate of 25 cents per 1,000 gallons pose a Communist regime."

The paper contained 32 signa-of two and a half inch line ares, but had no type of introduc-ps cents per foot, Whitney said.

that only eight of the signatures cord as opposing the CAB examin ers living in the area to be an exed. The document was not not-

rized. Two publications of the propos- VI observed his 54th birthday to-

AIRLINE WRECKAGE IN RIVER—Wreckage of a Capital airliner—the forward section badly crushed and the tail half of the fuse-lage intact—rests in shallow water of the Potomac River near

Painter Farm Being Plowed With Chisels

Help Coming For Starving People

Of Poverty-Stricken Mining Town

Violating Pact

Pravda Charges
Finnish Premier
Violating Pact

By THOMAS P, WHITNEY
AP Staff

MOSCOW, Dec. 14. — The Communist Moscow, Dec. 6, the anniversary of the 1809 Boyto-Finnish Prime Minister Karl
A. Fager-hoim Tuesday of violating the Boyte-Finnish friendship treating the Boyte-Finnish friendship treating the Soviet-Finnish friendship treating the Will Russia.

Prayring to stir up trouble with Russia.

Pragerhoim, the paper said in an important editorial, "is once again dragging (Finland). Into blooddy sennelass adventures" like the two Finlands and sendence as an interpent of the 1809 Boyte-Finnish Fooviet wars in the last decade.

The editorial attack on Finland's anti-communist strikes in the last decade.

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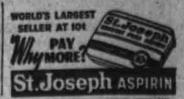
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sation for \$59.95.

P. O. Patrons Urged Not To Park At **Curb Courtesy Box**

ing a tempting parking spot. As a result, numerous traffic tickets have been issued for parking in a prohibited zone.

Most of the difficulty has arisen from those wanting to dart inside for a quick stamp purchase or posting of a parcel. But motorists are advised that the space is only for automobiles detains to to drop the particle. for automobiles driving in to drop letters or parcels in the curb box and departing immediately.

High Frequency Tubes

NEW YORK, Undiners report that ordinary radio tubes do not function at all satisfactorily when used for ultra high frequency receivers. That is the range from 800 to 3,000 megacycles. They say he chief limiting factor is "execusive inter-electrode capacitance and aductance." Or to put it simply, the elements that go to make up he tube have their own tuning effect. Special tubes are being designed for use in the tuning sections of the "UHF" receiver.



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Iowa Student Reads Poetry As He Awaits Hearing In Slaying

IOWA CITY, Ia. Dec 14. 48—A and lobster dinner in a room at the rooming house where he stayded to poetry as he waited in jail for a preliminary hearing is the strangulation slaying at a beautiful coed.

The hearing was set for Dec. 21 when the broad-shouldered Robert E. Bednasek, 24 was brought before Justice of the Peace C. J. Hutchinson here Monday.

He is charged with the first degree murder of pretty Margaret (Geege) Jackson, 20, whose body, clad in a white, strapless evening gown was found early Sunday in a men's rooming house.

With his manacled hands clasped together, Bednasek shook his bowed head sadly from side to side in a negative fashion as he heard the charge against him read in the charge a

Hollywood Vice Inquiry Closes

ing of the last of five police of-ficers of all charges.

The fifth so be freed was Police Sgt. Elmer V. Jackson yesterday. Superior Judge Stanley Barnes dis-missed the case, relieving a jury of

Mahon Asks Extension Girlstown Has Cottonseed Program

LUBBOCK, Dec. 14, UB - U. S. Rep. George Mahon says West Texas farmers may lose thou-

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Golden Circle Class Has Christmas Party

ch parior Tuesday evening.

2. Lepera Willingham and Mrs. Gordon Montgomery. Mrs. Joe Thurman, Mrs. G. D. Rice, Mrs. Weldon McClamahan, Mrs. G. C. Cuoningham, Mrs. Paul Jacoby With the singing of the hymn, in All Ye Faithful," Mrs. Thurman gave the welcome as and Mrs. R. T. Lytle of the opening prayer. Mrs. R. M. Jarratt, Barbara Lytle, Dorothy King Barbara Lytle sang a dust apanied by Mrs. H. M. Jar. Chaparral Club

Mrs. R. T. Barten spoke on
We Can Keep Christmas."
Bob Porter lend the closing

Christmas Music To Be Featured **At Band Concert**

mal concert appearance of the tool year, it has been a very live organization. Activities have duded 11 feotball games, an alse acqual number of pep railies, at equal number of per programs and several parades, of Accredited Beauty Cult



class of the East Mrs. J. J. Richardson, Mrs. F. W. in that church had White, Mrs. R. L. Lewellen, Mrs. strass party in the J. W. Croan, Mrs. Bob Reheley,

Unit 24 of the Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists held a Christmas party in the Settles hotel with Ins McGown as hostess. Gifts were exchanged.

During the business session, plans were made for a hair styling contest to be held on January 23. This contest will decide the unit's representative at the state hir styling contest to be held in Dallas in February.

A box of canned food was packed for a needy family.

Hub Beauty Supply of Lubbock, provided the door prize.

Those present were: Art Beauty Shop, Mallie Cathy, Betty Maxwell; Ruth's Beauty Shop, Ruth Dyer; Crawford, Alma McLaurin; Colonial Edna Womack, Mrs. J. F. George and Irene Harral; Youth, Lois Eason; Settles, Opal Osborne, Beth McRorey, Fern Bedell, Madge Reinhardt, Ellie Gilkerson, Ina Mc-McRorey, Fern Bedell, Madge Reinhardt, Ellie Glikerson, Ina Mc-Gowan and a guest, Hestand Kyle of Lubbock.

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Velma O'Neal gave the invoca-tion. Veda Carter served as emoce for a cornedy skit presented by Perry Ryan and Don-Lilly of the Radio Station EBST staff. They also presented a "Talk Your Way Out Of It" program. Clara Zack. Ollie Eubanks and Jessie Lee Townsend took part, in the pro-gram.

Townsend took part in the program.

Christmas carols were sung by the group, accompanied by Gall Bonner. Gifts were exchanged.

Those present were Velma O'-Nea! Pauline Sullivan. Doris Carr. Martine McDonald, Helen Jones, Veda Carter. Mae Hayden, Clars Zack, Johnnie Lou Callison, Marie Parker, Faye Coltharp, Odie Lane, Virginia Schwarzenhach, Anna Eb-Virginis Schwarzenhach, Anns Eberley, Margueritie Wooten, Reba Baker, Fern Wells, Katherine Homan, Moree Sawtells, Ollie Eubanks, Dorothy Ragan, Jessie Lee Townsend, Connie Felis and three guests, Gall Bonner, Terry Ryan

Wesley Methodist Society Program Held At Church

Wesley Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service members held a regular session at the church Monday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Pickle presiding.

After the opening prayer was led by Mrs. C. C. Hardaway, the group sang "Love Divine."

Following the business session, Mrs. W. W. Coleman led a program based on stories from the "World Outlook." She was assisted by Mrs. John Whitaker, Mrs. G. H. Briden and Mrs. T. L. Lovelace.

ing prayer.

Those present were Mrs. Arthur Pickle, Mrs. W. W. Coleman, Mrs. W. B. Ayers, Mrs. T. L. Lovelace, Mrs. G. H. Briden, Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mrs John Whitaker, Mrs. C. C. Hardaway, Mrs. E. R. Cawthrone, Mrs. Clyde Payne and Mrs. N. L. Childress.

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By Mildred Young

RIBBON

RAMBLINGS.

the Big Spring Credit Women's club Sunday.

Tables were decorated with a houquet of seasonal flowers and all visits being made elsewhere. If you're just spending a quiet Christmas at home with no the setting. Christmas decorations were used throughout the entermore that the setting. Christmas decorations were used throughout the entermore that the setting of the table. The following the table runner. The sunday of the table runner. The sunday of the table runner. The sunday in silver holders were surrounded by allver dusted branches of pine and placed at in the setting. has been divided between three of tervals along the table runner. The us and an attempt is being made centerpiece was a single, large to call every number. There will white candle flanked by pine to call every number. There will

Looks like old man winter has really arrived and on a day when the weather bureau said it would be partly cloudy and warmer. Per-sonally, we had just as soon that winter never arrived. We wouldn't

The Five Pointed Star." Mrs. J. L. Martin talked of the "Woman's Society of Christian Service in Paki-

Mrs. Graves' subject was "The Star That Shines Above The Cross In Pakistan."

After the program, a Christmas party was set for December 21 at the church.

Those present were: Mrs. Abbie
Anderson, Mrs. Dora Moore, Mrs
J. L. Martin, Mrs. Gould Winn,
Mrs. I. A. Smith, Mrs. Joe Darton. Mrs. Fannie Franklin, Mrs. G. C. Graves and Mrs. W. A. Laswell.

VISITS and VISITORS

Mrs. Mamie Mayfield were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coriey of Post and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pryor of Garden City. Also visiting Mrs. wife, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Padgett and son, Dickie. The Padgetts will leave Wednesday for Norfolk Va. He is in the US Navy and has recently been assigned to duty on the USS Grand Canyon,

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sonally, we had just as soon that winter never arrived. We wouldn't mind 90 degree temperature or, at least, a 60 or 70 all year long.

Mrs. J. W. Bryant

Is Program Leader

Mrs. J. W. Bryant

Mrs. J. W. Bryant was leader for a program held Monday afternoon at the church by the Wesley Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service.

After the program opened with a call to worship, the group sang "Beneath The Cross of Jesus" accompanied by Mrs. G. C. Graves. A litany given up by the group was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. W. A. Laswell sang "The Star Of The Morning," accompanied by Mrs. G. C. Graves. A mrs. C. Graves. A litany given up by the group was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. J. A. Smith read Job 38:42.

Mrs. Gould Winn discussed the topic, "The Land Of The Crescent And The Five Pointed Star." Mrs. J. L. Martin talked of the "Woman's Soc-

Alsie Carleton, Mrs. W. J. Ash-craft, Alsie H. Carleton, Mrs. L. E. Maddux, Mrs. Charlie Pruitt, Mrs. Martin Staggs, Mrs. Ethan Allen, Jr., Mrs. Burt Gannon, Mrs. Ben F. Smith, Mrs. Lewis Murdock, Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mrs. M. A. Cook, Mrs. V. E. Jones, Mrs. H. F. Jarrett, Miss Lucile Hester, Mrs. C. F. Morris, Mrs. H. F. Williams, Mrs. V. E. Jones, Mrs. H. F. Williams, Mrs. C. F. Morris, Mrs. C. F. Morris, Mrs. M. F. Williams, Mrs. V. E. Williams, Mrs. V. Williams, Mrs. V. E. Jones, Mrs. V. E. Jon H. J. Whittington, Mrs. L. A. Webb, Mrs. R. E. Saterwhite, and

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guest, Mrs. Grace Humphreys.

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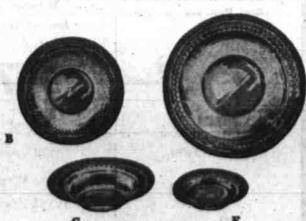
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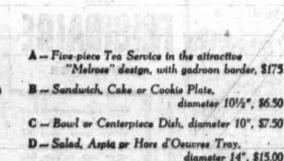
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Boy Convicted For Better Concrete Of Murder In Pal's Slaving

Sixteen-year-old Raymond Welsh has been convicted of first degree murder in the abooting of a teenage pal. The jury recommended life imprisonment.

The slender youth stood with eyes lowered and shook his head from side to side when the jury of eight men and four women returned the verdict yesterday afternoon. The jury deliberated only an hour and 15 minutes.

Welsh is the youngest person ever convicted on a first degree murder charge in Essex County.

He was convicted of shooting 15-year-old Freddie Januszkiewicz in order to rob him of 551 in wooded South Mountain Reservation last March 3.

The state had asked for a life sentence rather than the death penalty for the murder, because of Welsh's youth.

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Flier Recuperating After Having **Been Marooned In Mountains**

GLENDALE, Calif., Dec. 14. (4) had. I was unconscious (after land—A young filer is recovering today from serious injuries from being marconed for six days without food after his plane crashed onto a snow-covered 7,000-foot high moundary of a search plane overhead.

had eaten only acorns since last Wednesday.

party before becoming too weak to He was found struggling through Sespe Canyon, some two miles from where his two-place Culver Cadet pancaked near the top of 7,000-foot Devil's Heart Peak in the Topa Topa Mountains, some 70 miles northweet of here.

"You sure look good to me," were Bryant's first words, spoken through chapped and cracked lips to the 13-man rescue party. The young radar technician hiked a mile and a half with the rescue party before becoming too weak to go farther. He was brought to a waiting ambulance in an improvised stretcher.

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Physicians said that the airman.
Robert Bryant, 26, may have suffered a fractured skull as well as frozen feet and a back injury. He is at Glendale Sanitarium.

Air searchers spotted him yesterday as he stumbled feebly through a rugged, snow-mantled canyon. A ground party reached him and found the plucky fellow in surprisingly good shape for a man who had eaten only acorns since last Wednesday.

Bryant crashed in a heavy snow-storm last Wednesday shortly after taking off from here for Hamilton Field, near San Francisco. The Air Force and FBI clamped secrecy over much of the rescue operations. Bryant is believed to have been engaged in secet government work.

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his observations.

Conceding that everything in Texas is the Hall intimates that Texas talk is hig, too, a charge we have heard often before. He was surpersed to find that although Texas is usually considered to be Southern in location and background, its people are ninte like mid-Westerners than Southerners. He thinks this may be because people from the Middle West moved into Texas in large numbers.

We do not know what sections of Texas the visiting editor came in confact with, but there is a difference between the accenta and speech habits of native Texans varying with the locality. Deep East Texans are more Southern than anything class, complete with the non-existent terminal "g" and the "r" that becomes an "h", as in war (wah).

As a matter of fact West Texans differ

As a matter of fact West Texans differ from East Texans in many ways, in-

cluding secent, and Panhandle folk differ quite a lot from the Houstonians and Magic Valley people, though the Valley and the Panhandle both bave a heavy infusion of Northern blood.

But there is one likeness than is shared by all Texans, a fact Mr. Hall might have discovered he he scratched the surface just a little deeper. The people of Texarkans, like the people of El Paso, 850 miles away, and those in Dalhart and those in Brownsville, approximately 900 those in Brownsville, approximately 900 miles apart, are incurably and unshakably Texan in viewpoint, which means they are constitutional and inveterate boosters of the Lone Star State.

This isn't peculiar to Texans. The peo-ple of other states have plenty of local pride. The main difference seems to be that Texans travel a lot—distances mean nothing to them—and wherever they go they can't help putting in a good word for Texas. This naturally grates on a lot of nerves here and there, but Texans don't mind that either they love to ge a rise ou of the opposition.

Overturn In Government Arises From Resentment Of Restriction

First New Zealand, then Australia, booted out thet Labor governments, and it looks more than ever like the people of Great Britain might go and do likewise at next spring's general election,

at next spring's general election.

This is all very encouraging and enheartening to the opponents of socialism, but it would be easy to jump to some wrong conclusions about it.

Doubtless it would be found that the New Zealanders and the Australians licked out their Labor governments because they were completely fed up with wartime restrictions which had not been loosened when the shooting stopped. And if Britain's Labor government is defeated, it will be primarily for the same reason. In the case of Britain, wartime restrictions not only were not loosened, but in many cases tightened. Rationing became stricter and living more austere than ever.

Anglo-Saxons will take only so much of that sort of stuff. They will endure it in warfime—as the American people did—but it soon begins to pall when the

tary Republican triumph in this country in 1946 stemmed largely from American resentment over rationing, rent control and other factors that got under the skins of too many people, so they took it out on the party that happened to be in power at the time. A good many wartime restraints had been lifted in November of 1946, to be sure, but the resentment lin-gered on and found expression at the bal-

If the British Labor party gets thrown out next spring, it will be an expression of fed-upness on the part of the British

people.

One of the tragedles of socialism is that it's difficult if not impossible to unde some of the evils it commits. Thus in aome of the evils it commits. Thus in Australia, in New Zealand and in Bitain an overturn of the socialists may not mean any radical changes from their socialistic practices. Nationalization of industry may be halted, but the evil men do lives after them, and such nationalization as has been achieved probably will endure.

Notebook-Hal Boyle

We're Travelling, All Right, But In Just What Direction?

NEW YORK, On — THE 20TH CEN-tury reaches the halfway mark Jan. 2— but halfway to where?

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This is one the oracles haven't figured out. Has it taken mankind halfway to the sill-but-perfect life, or halfway on the road back to the silence of the jungle?

At 50 the 20th Century has a few circles under its eyes and undoubtedly it is hoping, as we all do, that the first 50 years are the hardest. They have been years of tremendous progress in many ways, and an equal number of years of promise its ahead.

NO CENTURY EVER DAWNED IN brighter hope. Across the land there were many "century balls" held the last night of 1898. And when midnight struck the dancing throngs cheered, and women wept, wondering what the next 100 years

would bring to them, their children, and their children's children. It was a great century that died that might, for the 19th Century saw the apread of the scientific spirit and popular edu-eation. It was the century that said good-hys to the horse and hello to the gasoline

It was the century that struck off the

many ways the 20th Century is only car-rying on its reforms. Among them are equal political status for women, shorten-ing of the work week and increase of leisure, and a rising standard of living. At the midmark our present century is still unlocking the atom's secret, a power source for good or evil more epoch-mak-ing than the gasoline engine. Medical science has whipped a dozen age old dis-eases in the last 50 years, but the biggest problems-cancer and heart disease-kill

MAN MAY BE HEALTHIER, BUT HE still hasn't found ease of mind. There aren't enough psychiatrists' couches for the people who want to lie on them and tell their troubles. This is true despite the fact that money

more than ever.

and life seem safer than they did in 1889. and men and women have more certain-ty of looking forward to an old age free of financial worry.

Perhaps the reason for this is that, despite its material progress, the 20th Centry has done so little to end the spiritual unrest that arises from man's timeless war against himself.

Capital Report-Doris Fleeson

GOP Tactics In 1950 To Take Shape At Strategy Conference

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12-The shape of high-powered staffs. Each included Republican campaigning in 1950 will begin to emerge from a meeting Tuesday Chicago of the party's 23-member strategy committee. Senate, House, state organizations and the national committee are all represented in the group.

One of the first things it has to decide is whether to maintain the present expensive, hydra-headed setup for the 50 drive. When the rebellion against ernor Dewey's chairman, Hugh Scott. was at its height, separate Senate and House campaign committees advertised their intention of being independent of the chairman by establishing their own

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press agent and general factotum well and favorably known to Washington correspondents-Victor Johnson for the Senate and Robert Humphreys for the House.

Since then the old guard rebels have displaced Scott and elected their own choice, Guy Gabrielson of New Jersey, national chairman. Also, the very popular William C. Murphy, Jr., who stayed on as press officer for the passing show of all the Republican chairmen, has

Some Republicans feel that in view of the sorry state of their treasury, it might be well to put at Gabrielson's disposal some of the high-class talent already hired, rather than force him into the market place for new staff workers. Mr. Murphy reportedly had a salary of \$25,000 and it will not be possible to replace him at cut rates with the kind of person capable of running the Republican on slaught on the welfare state.

The job also requires a peculiar combination of talents and acquaintance. Ex-

perience has shown, for example, that advertising agencies will not serve the purpose in the 1 litical-press field. Another shelved problem that Republi-cans must soon face up to is who shall head their women's division. The successes of Mrs. India Edwards in obtaining recognition from the White House for Democratic women have pointed up the weakness of the G.O.P. since its giorious victory in 1946 encouraged the then chairman, Carroll Reece, to fire the aggressive, ambitious Marion Martin.

"Pump Harder - This One's Going Down Too!"



Merry-Go-Round-Drew Pearson

Some Reasons Why Justice Department Is Reluctant To Act In Maragon Case

WASHINGTON - A significant development has taken place inside the Justice Department regarding the amazing John Mara-gon, close friend of Gen. Vaughan and once a frequent caller at the White House

Higher-ups in justice have given orders to Morris Fay, efficient U. S. attorney for the District of Columbia, to give them a full report on the perjury case against Maragon and to make no move without consulting the Justice Department.

This has not been done in other important cases. Gen. Benny Meyers also faced a perjury charge, but no such order went Fay from the Justice Department. He was convicted and jailed without any delay or con-

John Maragon not only faces an lamost identical perjury charge, but Sen. Clyde Hoey of North Carolina, chairman of the Senate Expenditures Subcommittee, officially sent the case to the Justice Department with a request for prosecution. Furthermore, went to extra precautions we a quorum of his subcommittee present when Maragon was questioned so there would be no legal loophole for a wrig-gling out of a perjury prosecu-

Finally, it has been three full months since the Senate sent its report to the Justice Department, still no action. Ordinarily, ft takes about one week to bring a case of this kind before a grand

jury. Maragon, of course, has had a special White House pass, has supplied liquor to Gen. Harry Vaughan, has ridden on special presidential trains, stood on the bridge of a battleship with the President when he reviewed the fleet in New York, and at one time had access to the White House at almost any time of the day or night. So while Gen. Benny Meyers can't even get parole, Maragon isn't even in-

RELUCTANT DEPARTMENT Failure to act in the Maragor case bring up a point regarding the Justice Department which most people don't realize. The public generally thinks of the Justice Department as the protective branch of the U. S. governat, which reaches out to pun-dishonesty wherever found does its best to keep the federal government clean.

A review of important cases, however, indicates that the Justice Department is extremely re-luctant to go after the big boys in government, and that most of the cleanup cases have been de-veloped either by committees of Congress or by the newspapers. Frequently it isn't until after a crime has been thoroughly aired by the press and on Capitol Hill that the so-called upholders of the move in. And if some friend or high political figure is involved, such as John Maragon, some-times they don't move at all. Here are a few notable cases

ALGER HISS - Now on trial for perjury. This case was developed by the House Un-American Activities Committee, which turned up the famed pumpkin papers. Since the Justice Department finally moved in, however, its lawyers have done an efficient and persistent job.

CONGRESSMAN ANDEEW

MAY OF KENTUCKY - Now sentenced to jail. Various hints of May's peculiar activities were published by this column and others for some years, but it took the Senate Investigating Com-mittee, under Sen. Jim Mead of New York, to bring out the facts-After that the Justice Department acted.

CONGRESSMAN PARNELL CONGRESSMAN PARNELL
THOMAS — Now sentenced to
jail. It took a newspaperman to
dig out Thomas's skulduggery.
After the cancelled checks in
Thomas's kickback deals, plus
an important witness, were turned
over to the Justice Department,
and thomas's thoroughly and it carried through thoroughly and efficiently. However, Alex Camp-bell, dynamic chief of the criminal division, who carried the ball, had to buck some opposition near

the top.
GEN, BENNY MEYERS -The first public revelation that Gen. Meyers had been up to no good was published in this column on July 29, 1947, when it was stated that Meyers had speculated in the stock market with as much as million. Chief credit belongs to the Brewster committee, howbringing out t e facts in the Meyers case and turning them over to the Justice Depart-

ARABIAN OIL - It was also the Brewster committee which developed the amazing manner in which certain admirals and the Navy had overcharged the U. S.

government for Arabian oil during the war. The Justice Department, for reasons best known to itself, never prosecuted this scandal, but exposure of the facts resulted in new oil contracts and a saving to the taxpayers of millions of dollars.

WAR CORRESPONDENT House colleagues are getting a big chuckle over the ill-starred efforts of Ohio's Representative Clarence Brown to become a "war correspondent" during the recent uprising in Panama-Congressman Brown was vaca-

tioning at the Tivoli Hotel in Ancon, Panama, when the revolt started, and was envious of his GOP colleague, Rep. Charles Wolverton of New Jersey, who witnessed some of the early

So Congressinan Brown decided to do a little front-line report-ing himself and walked bravely up the street toward the theatre

two miles away, However, when the congressman was several blocks away from the hotel he heard shots from a near-by building and sudto be a "war correspondent" aft-

According to colleagues, the hefty Ohioau, who tips the scales above 200 pounds, returned to the hotel in a dead heat with a run-away horse which had also been surprised by the shooting,

Hollywood-Bob Thomas

Linda Darnell Doesn't Want The Boyish Look

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14 W-If fashion designers are seriess about promoting the "boyish look," they can include Linds look," they Darnell out. "I'll have no part of it," says

the busty glamor girl about the proposed return of the slim sil-houettes of the '20s. "I think it looks terrible. Be-

sides, it's unhealthful. Many girls really ruined their figures for life when they had to bind their chests to get the flat ef-

"Why can't women look like women and men look like men? That's what makes life more in-

Betty Grable's leg measures are the same as when she arrived at 20th-Fox 13 years ago. vital statistics: ankle 716, calf 12, thigh 18%.

Fred Astaire is now teamed with a gal who may prove to be his best dance partner-Vera-Eilen. Mel Torme is trying to avoid wisecracks about now be-

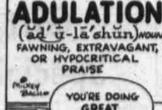
Swisher County Former Is Killed

KRESS, Dec 14 W - A Swisber County farmer was found shot to death yesterday about 50 yards from his home. He was T. A. Shei-

His hody was on one a'de of a barbed wire fence, his shotgun, with one barrel fired, on the olb-er. Sheriff Hugh White and Justice the Peace V. R. Gardner of Tuthing I ever saw on TV was a silent-movie skit by Buster Keaton on Ed Wynn's show. What a great field video will be for great old comedians! Elsa Lanchester, who has four

unreleased pictures, was asked what she'll do next. "I think I'll nd on my backlog," she answered.

WORD-A-DAY By BACH





Around The Rim-The Herald Staff

Who Shall Deliver The Press From The Body Of This Death?

the same as the next profession. Despite the constant cry for freshness, the same

old moth-eaten formulae crop out in season. For instance, there is always the delieste matter of desperately ill children at Yuletide. You can shut your eyes and open them five years fom now and accounts will still be about early Christmas trees for youngsters beyond the pale of medi-cal help. These are heart-rending incidents which are treated with a human touch 11 other months of the year. But come December, newsmen like to give ther the Christmas angle.

The press is an easy target for a slogan or a tag-line. Remember a short time ago when Senator Hickenlooper was fuming about David Lillienthal? The ACE chairman, said the Senator is silverly flow of words, was guilty of "incredible mis-management." The Fourth Estate wore holes in the typewriter ribbons on that phrase before it expired with the fizzling

Not long ago authorities picked up a scountirel who had been robbing and attacking women in the middle of the night. He was flippantly tagged the "love bur-giar." For days this title gave light treatment to a sordid situation, "Love burglar!" Phooey.

There is something about the death of a printer or a newspapermap that is utterly irrestible to wire services and edi-tors. It's uncanny how they show up on P1 (page one) the length and breadth of

the land. Maybe it's compensation for not getting rich during a life time. It couldn't be news value that determines it when a printer on a Vermont weekly gets top billing in Texas.

News photographers are afflicted, too, Ever see a picture of some dignitary ar-riving by airline? Yes sir, there he is, a big smile on his face, his hand stretched overhead in enthusiastic greeting as he emerges from the door. And cheesecake is always in over-supply. Everything short of a Bible convention has a shaply gal in scanty bathing suit to proclaim in pic-tures a coming event. Then there is the matter of candid shots, which have an interesting way of catching the person alities feing away from the camera. Mrs. Ziich and Mrs. Doe are dutifully identi-fied, left to right, but from the rear they look like sisters.

Commentators-but let us stop. There is no limit to what could be said about the tattered gimmicks employed by the ivery-lower brethren who single out a pop ular pony to ride and spend the day hard at work tearing copy from the printer, They warm over the hard work of hundreds of reports on the firing line and dish it out as expert, authoritative and

As I.f. Abner would say, "there (sob) ain't no hope." The brethren are convinced the revered patterns sell papers and get listeners. f course there is some faint idea about a higher function, but it's all taken care of in the ethics course in school.-JOE PICKLE.

Affairs Of The World-DeWitt MacKenzie English Landed Aristocracy Is Approaching End Of The Trail

THE DISAPPEARANCE OF ENGland's heavy aristocracy through heavy taxation continues apace, and this economic revolution is no respecter of per-

Among the latest victims is George's nephew, the young Earl of Harewood, son of Princess Mary (the princess royal) and the sixth Earl of Harewho died in 1947. The present 26year-old earl inherited an estate valued at \$2,196,480 and this has been tax-

ITS THE EARL'S HARD LUCK THAT much of his inheritance consisted of an ancestral estate of 24,000 acres on which live hundreds of tenant farmers. In order to raise the cash to meet his taxes he must sell much of his property, which has been in the family for generations. More than incidentally this presumably deprives him of a large revenue.

It's an ironic twist of fate that only as far back as 1922, when the present earl's father married the princess royal, the

Harewood fortune was huge. king's daughter in the manner to which

It has to be in order to support the she was accustomed.

reputation, a grenadier guardsman, a thrice wounded veteran of the World War, and with considerable experience in diplomacy. And, as I recall it, he inherited a vast fortune fro: 1 an uncle, apart from the family estate. WHAT A WEDDING THAT WAS! I was stationed in London at that time with

hand-picked as sultor of the young prin-

cess. He was 40 years old, of impeccable

the AP, and it was my good fortune to at-tend the ceremony in Westminister Abbey. The American public devoured the story and reporters poured a torrent of words across the Atlantic. One assumes from the size of the estate left to the present Earl of Harewood that his father spent a fortune in maintaining his position, the elder since was reputed to have had much more than he handed on

to his heir. That of course is understandable, for the expenses of royalty are heavy. However, the current holder of the title isn't doing so badly. It's tough to lose

so much of his ancestral estate, but if my mathematics are right he still had close to the equivalent of a million and a half

The Nation Today-By James Marlow Sex Crimes Against Children Are Not Necessarily Violent

der are the extreme and most violent forms of sex offenses against children.

They've made headlines lately. But sexual offenses against children also take other forms, less violent. There are more of

What causes a man to commit any kind of sex offense against a child? I asked a couple of Washington psychiatrists. They said there are a number of causes.

Here are some:
1. Feeble-mindedness. A man of 40 may have the mind of a child. 2. Senility. An old man's brain may have

deteriorated so that he's in his second childhood. 3.Disease of the brain. Syphilis, for ex-

ample. Disease destroyed that part of the brain which previously kept a man from such an offense. 4. Bad early family and social training.

It may have left a man socially immature so that he never fitted into grownup society. 5.Or, for one reason or another, he has

become a sadist who can find emotional comfort only in inflicting suffering or death upon a child.

CAN SUCH A MAN BE CURED BY medical or psychiatric treatment? Some can, some can't, Almost nothing can be done for the feeble-minded (No. 1) or the old and senile (No. 2). If the man with brain syphilis (No. 3)

isn't too far gone, the disease can be stopped and in time he may resume a normal life. Some of those in No. 4 and 5 may be

eured by psychiatry, some not, These doctors think the definitely incurable ones should be put away for life in a hospital or, if they've committed a crime, in jail. Why? Because, if let loose,

they're a menace. And they think the curable ones should be kept in custody for treatment until the doctors feel it's safe to let them loose

All sex offenders against children, these doctors think, should be given medical care as soon as first detected to get them out of circulation until they can be cured if incurable, permanently isolated. Does a person progress (or retrogress) from one stage of sexual offense against child to another until finally he rapes or kills?

Some do, some don't. An exhibitionist for example, may never go beyond that stage although he needs medical treatment

WASHINGTON, W-RAPE AND MUR- and should be isolated until cured, if that's

SOME MAY START WITH EXHIBL tionism and go on to rape and murder. Others may start with rape and murder. Fifteen states and the District of Columbia have recently acted-more or less -to crack down on sexual abnormals. But what they've done or plan to do varies widely: from hospital treatment to stiffer

jail sentences. There seems to be no agreement among the 48 states on how to handle sexual offenders against children. Rep. Chelf, Kentucky Democrat, wants a sexual offense against a child made a federal crime, with psychiatric treatment for those not sen-

Fearing publicity, some parents don't report to police a sexual offense against their child. This leaves the offender free to approach, attack or maybe kill some other child.

The psychiatrists and J. Edgar Hoover, head of the FBI, think sex offenses against children would cut down if police were called in on every case. This would help, no doubt. But at this point in America's social development there are many instances where sex offenders against children are arrested and then released with hardly more than a brief detention, if any,

Today's Birthday

KING GEORGE VI of England, born Dec. 14, 1895, at York Cottage, Sandring-ham, England, second son of King George V. He is a twentieth century anomaly



ilous times, after the abdication of his bro-ther Edward VIII. He was a less brilliant fig-ure than his brother, but during World War II he reached full maturity in statecraft, the brights of his people's affection and the esteem of the rest of the

world. He has always shown great con-cern for the welfare of his people and probably has talked to more of them than any other British monarch. He is the father of Princess Elizabeth and Princess

WASHINIGTON, Dec. 14 th - will receive these increases.
ome 2 million war veterans and About 58,000 widows receiving

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their dependents are due shortly for that Congress-voted raise in the amount of benefit money they receive from the government.

The Veterans Administration announced Monday that checks to be issued late this month for delivery after Jan. 1 will show in creases voted by the Sist Congress. These cover service connected disabilities are given to support the past.

The old rates range from \$13.80 to \$138.00 a month for war service. The old rates range from \$13.90 to \$138.00 a month for war service and \$11.04 to \$110.40 for peacetime service, depending on the degree of disability.

The new scale raises these rates to \$5 minimum and \$10.00 maximum for war service disabilities; \$12 minimum and \$10.00 maximum for peacetime service.

The VA says 1,882.000 veterans

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The variation of the rates payable for direct service connected disabilities, veterans in this group now will receive the full rate.

Mature Under

Mature Under Suspension

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14. US—Vic-tor Mature is under suspension from 20th Century Fox today for his refusal to make a picture for

another studio.

Fox says it bought Mature's contract from Hal Rosch and that the contract specifies that RKO may use Mature in one film a year.

RKO cast the handsome actor in a movie tentatively titled, "Mr. Whiskers."

Meture turned the gangater part

Mature turned the gangater part down with this comment: "I haven't seen the finished script, but what I did see con-vinced me it wouldn't be good for

Mature, known as the "Beautiful Hunk of Man" will not draw his salary for a minimum of eight weeks, a 20th Century Fox spokes-

man explained.

A divorce complaint two months ago showed he makes \$2,750 a week. He and his wife have made up since the complaint was filed.

MAYOR TO GET SHAVING WATER

to Mayor William O'Dwyer of wa-

noted water was flowing over the waterworks dam here and decided

With New York's bathless-shaveless Friday decree in mind, they should stop now.

said in a letter to Mayor ODwyer, "hope this will be good for a few shaves, anyway."

Mansfield said he had concluded that American aid through the recovery plan has stopped the ad-



PILOT BREAKS DOWN—Capt. Laurens Claude, 52, pilot of the American Airlines DC-5 which crashed and burned at Dallas, Tex., Rev. 30, taking 28 lives, bows his head as he breaks down in amotion during testimony at the healing held by the Civil Aeronautics Board of Dallas, Tex., in to the causes of the accident. (AP Wirephoto).

CONGRESSMAN SAYS AMERICA MUST **ACCEPT COMPETITION WITH EUROPE**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. UP—Rep. vance of Communism in western Mansfield (D-Mont) has brought Europe and put it on the defendance western back and idea that sive. back from overseas an idea that Americans must keep on exporting billions or "get in the habit" of buying more European goods. "Competition in some measure, and on fair and reasonable terms with the goods and services of our own producers," he said, "will have to be accepted."

This, he said in a report to the House Foreign Affairs Committee, will require "a profound shift in the outlook of the American people to make them really import-Americans, Manafield said, have three choices in helping Europe. He listed them this way:

The first is to stop or greatly reduce our exports and freeze world trade at a low level. He said this must be rejected because it would lead to stagnation and perhaps war.

ple to make them really import-

minded."

Mansfield and Rep. Javitz (Republican - Liberal - NY), another member of the committee, took opposite views on a quick peace treaty and diplomatic recognition for western Germany.

Mansfield is for them, Javits resident Fach county weeks abroad.

against. Each spent weeks abroad. Mansfield has been back for some BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Dec. 14. (#) time but just submitted his report today. Javits flew in yesterday and surplus water was on its way today to Mayor William O'Dwyer of wa-

ter-short New York city.
Staff members of Radio Station
WTTS and Television Station WTTV

ter-short New York city.

economic trends in France, Western Germany, Austria and Italy.

He said all western Europe He said all western Europe should be brought into an economic waterworks dam here and decided union without any customs barter that they called an irrigation-by-mail plan.

With New York's bathless-shave and dismantling of German plants

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NEW YORK, Dec. 14. US

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Neale Boasts **Best Defense**

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14. UM the day time hours are churning--as Coach Clark Daniel Shaughnessy tries to concoct some magical T-formula to crack the potent defensive tactics of the Philadel-

paring the Los Angeles Rams for Three months ago reports were the struggle with the Eagles here current that Meyer would step out

looking down his nose at the of-fense fashloned by Greasy Neale for the Eagles. Far from that But Shaughnessy long has ad-

mired the defensive mastermind-ng of the Quaker City coach, and

will throw at you in the way of defenses. I tell you, he's awfully Tough the Eagles were, too, as

they whipped the Rams, 38-14. Comes now the title game, and the Eagles are still very stubborn. They are merely the best defensive club in the league, as the latest statistics disclose, and better than the Rams in all departments.

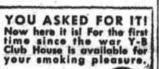
To make things even rougher, Shaughnessy had hoped to begin preparing for the Philadelphia tesm two weeks ago, without bothering too much with the Washington Redskins.

The Chicago Cardinals ruined that hope. They beat the Rams in a dramatic last second play, forca dramatic last second play, forc-ing them to go all out in prepara-tions for the Redskins in order to win the Western Division title.

Twins Will Remain in Big State Loop

SHERMAN, Dec. 14. (B-There'll still be a Sherman-Denison club in the Class B Big State Baseball League next season, and it will need a new business manager and player-manager. Club President J. Tip Newell

said yesterday the club will stay in business.





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Meyer Surprises Scribes By Inking New Contract

R. (Dutch) Meyer, cornerstone o ics, has pulled another upset.

Noted as the coach who has killdefensive tactics of the Philadelphia Eagles.

Literally speaking, this is the
scene as Shaughnessy and his
akilled staff of grid technicians labor almost around the clock preparing the Los Angeles Rams for
the struggle with the Eagles here
current that Meyer would step out

Sunday for the National Football as head coach and retire to the League championship.

No one, Shaughnesay included, is looking down his nose at the ofopinion was that he wouldn't want

campaign was over.
Statements made by Meyer since then indicated he was thinking sejust prior to their regular season then indicated he was thinked just prior to their regular season then indicated he was thinked just prior to their regular season then indicated he was thinked just prior to their regular season then indicated he was thinked were game in Philadelphia last Nov. 6, riously of doing it. Reporters were commented:

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newsman he would issue the statement in a few days and what he
said indicated it would be retirement. The scribes sadly agreed that
a dash of color was going to pass
from the southwestern football

a strong emotional man who dies a thousand deaths in defeat but will upset was in 1941 when TCU licked weep like a child when "my boys" come through in a hard game.

Dutch came to Texas Christian the Rose Bowl.



LEO (DUTCH) MEYER

game of the season. But Meyer said nothing. That night he indicated he would make a statement soon.

Saturday at the Southwest Conference meeting in Dallas he told a baseball and basketball in four baseball and basketball in four tor. He became bead coach in But yesterday, Meyer signed the 1934. He has produced two South-But yesterday, Meyer signed the new contract.

Thus the little guy will be starting his thirty-second year in Texas Christian University athletics.

Meyer is known as the "spoiler of champions" and a producer of champions, too. He's a tough loser, a strong emelional man who dies Conference champions. His greatest

LOOKING 'EM

With Tommy Hart

Now that Baylor university is in the market for a football coach, the school couldn't go wrong in selecting Mike Brumbelow, the Midland man who did some swell job scouting Notre Dame for the SMU

Mustangs.

Brumbelow has all the qualifications necessary to make a top-flight mentor. He was an all-conference performer while at TCU and has spent several years as assistant coach at both his alma mater and Ole Miss.

Incidentally, Mike was probably one of the best paid scouts in the country this past season.

Johnny Malaise's Odessa high school basketball team, which puts in an appearance here a week from last night, took on Ama-rillo's Sandies last weekend and dropped a 39-31 decision. The

The Sandies led all the way, boasted a 21-14 bulge at half time and were out front, 34-21, after three quarters of play.

Joe Howell may be Malaise's best offensive threat this season. Howell collected 14 points against the Amerilloans.

MANY A GOOD BOX SUSPENDED BY NBA The list of well-known professional boxers suspended by the National Boxing association, either permanently or indefinitely, might

Included in the bunch not in good standing with the NBA uch headliners as Frank Augustain, Gunnar Barland, Booker Beck with, Nick Castiglioni, Carlos Chavez, Henry Chemel, Eddle Compo. Jesse Fonseca. Bob Foxworth, Willie Joyce, Herbie Katz, Danny Kapilow, George Kochan, Cabey Lewis Lloyd Marshall, Anton Raadik, Elmer (Violent) Ray, Joe Reddick, Ceferino Robleto, Leo Rodak, Genaro Robe, Becker Becker, Bulker Charles, Bulker Charles, Booker Becker, Becker Becker, Bulker Charles, Bulker Charles, Becker Becker, Becker Beck Rocky Rossano, Ruben Shank, Bob Sikes and Chuck Taylor,

ODESSA SIGNS ROOKIE PITCHING STAR

ODESSA SIGNS ROOKIE PITCHING STAR

The Odessa baseball professionals, who do business in the same league with Big Spring, have signed Al Sokolowski, a 19-year-old 200-pound Baltimore lad who reportedly has won 98 games as a semi-pro pitcher along the Atlantic Seaboard.

The major league teams were bidding for Sokolowski, the story goes, but A. D. Ensey of the Odessa club is supposed to have anted up the biggest chunk of lettuce.

During the winter, Sokolowski is employed as an accountant with an oil company in Baltimore.

He is supposed to have lost only six decisions while winning his 98 games in the past three years. Among his feats was a no-hitter thrown at the expense of the Naval academy. He claims he fanned 230 batters in 1949, had an earned-run-average of 1.50 a game. He struck out 175 in '48 and 185 in '17, all in sandlot competition. He struck out 175 in '48 and 185 in '47, all in sandlot competition.

He couldn't give Big Spring much more trouble than did Jess
Grimes, the big boy who was drafted by Kilgore at the minor league

Dillinger Goes To Philadelphia In Major Deal

category.

The Braves disposed of two players, sending Pitcher Bill Voiselle to the Cubs for Infielder Gene Mauch and cash and handing over Outfielder Mary Rickert to the Pirates for "more then \$10,000" plus a minor leager to be named later.

Its cause, too.

The first game was a cause of the first game w

Madison Named To Second Zone All-Star Team

members of the Ranger clubs we chosen to the Western Zone Juni College all-star football team che en recently by coaches.

Not a member of the wini Howard County Junior college co tingent was named but Gord (Moe) Madison was honored as second team nominee and sever of the Jayhawks gained honorab

FIRST TEAM: Ends-Nobles, Decatur, and 1 Grigsby, Cisco. Tackles-Cox, Odessa, and Hill Cisco. Guards-Torres, Decatur, as

Musselwhite, Odessa, Center—Neel, Ranger, Backs—Reynolds, Odessa; Craw ley, Ranger; Yarner, Cisco; and Sides, Cisco. SECOND TEAM Ends-Spence, Cisco, and H

Tackles-Jones, Ranger, an Tate, Cisco. Guards — Neel, Ranger, an Moore, Cisco. Center-Milsap, Cisco. Backs-Wright Ranger; Mead, Big Spring Odessa; Turner, Decatur; and Midland

Madison, HCJC, HONORABLE MENTION: Ends—Puckett and C. Grigsby.
HCJC; Jones, Ranger.
Tackles—Whaley, Odessa: Price.

Ackerly Edges

JC: Ford, Ranger; Staples, De-catur; Oliver Clifton; Spence, Cis-co; McWhorter, Ranger.

Forsan Decisions **Garden City Girls**

GARDEN CITY, Dec. 14—For san's regulars turned back Gar den City, 33-22, in a girls' volle ball game played here Monda

Petty and Camp were outstand ing for Forsan while Shafer le Garden City.

In other games, the B teams of the two schools tied, 16-16, while the Garden City Juniors won, 18-9

Big Springers Slow On Christmas Mail

Local residents obviously are tar-dier in getting their Christmas packages and letters into the mails

STOP THAT SHIMMY

Bovines Trounce Midland, 43-20

Big Spring (Texas) Herald, Wed., Dec. 14, 1949

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 if — The drowsy winter basebail meetings were slow waking up but when the shot came it was a corker — a deal between the St. Louis Browns and Philadelphia Athletics involving \$100,000 and six players.

Connie Mack's pennant-anxicus Athletics shelled out the \$100,000 plus four players to the Browns to get one of the American League's top infielders, third baseman Bob Dillinger, and a good outlielder, Paul Lehner.

The \$100,000 was the welcome part of the deal for the Browns whose president, Bill DeWitt, said, "I can't make any money at the gate."

Harold Rosson, looking very The Steer C team added insult to injury by edging the Midland Buildogs, 43-20.

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The Steer C team added insult to injury by edging the Midland Browns to the Midland Browns with the Canines, As it was, they ran up 15 points in the first period and yeared content just to keep ahead of Jack Mashburn's hapless 'Dogs, Howard Jones continued his torrid scoring for Big Spring, flipping in 15 points. Of that aggregate, seven were free tonses.

Harold Rosson, looking very To Be Formed

The Browns also receive veteran third baseman Frank Guetine and three rookies — Shortstop Billy Demars and Outfielders Ray Coleman and Rocco Ippolitto.

Two other transactions earlier, involving the Boston Braves, Pittsburgh Pirates and Chicago Cubs were tossed into a subordinate the backboards and percentagory.

The Braves discount of the time of the time of the time of the time. Midland's common the side, was right behind with 13. Wayne Brown had seven.

Big Spring was usually able to dominate the Backboards and percentagory.

seemed to control the bell most of the time. Midland's own errors hurt like cause, too.

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Big Spring, 22-20, in a basketball game played here Tuesday night. The home club won in an overtime period when Duane Williams made good on a field goal.

Grapette led at half time, 18-12, but ran out of gas after the inter-**Norton Rumored** WACO, Dec. 14. 18 — Ray Morrison, Homer Norton, Henry Prinks, Raymond (Bear) Wolf and H. N. (Rusty) Russell were mentioned today in speculation over whom would become head football coach at Baylor University.

Bob Woodruff, coach of the Bears for three years, resigned last weekend.

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Ingram Fined \$100 On Assault Charge Quin Ingram, accused of aggravated assault, was fined \$100 and cost in county court here this morning. Ingram is accused of lighting. The response was lighted by New York Parks and Russell in the coaching profession: Fruka is coached at Tukas, Wolf formerly coached at Galveston but has said he still is interested in the coaching profession: Fruka is coached at Tukas, Wolf formerly coached Texas A&M and now operates a hotel at Galveston but has said he still is interested in the coaching profession: Fruka is coached Texas A&M and now operates a hotel at Galveston but has said he still is interested in the coaching profession: Fruka is coach at Tulane, Wolf formerly coached Texas A&M and now operates a hotel at Galveston but has said he still is interested in the coaching profession: Fruka is coach at Tulane, Wolf formerly coached to the said he still is interested in the coaching profession: Fruka is coach at Tulane, Wolf formerly coached at Texas Christian, North Carolina and Florida, and Russell is backfield coach of Southern Methodist.

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AA.
At that time, Kidd recommended
a Class AAA division instead of the
City Conference, but the league's
advisory council turned down the plan.

Now Cobb wants a Class AAA conference which would take in all schools with enrollments of 1,000 or more. Those of 500 to 1,000 enrollment would stay in Class AA.

"I will admit that now I am opposed to the City Conference arrangement," Cobb said, "When it was organized I thought it was the best plan to offer the big city schools, but the public hasn't takto it. It seems the football people in Dallas feel like they are playing in a minor league — that the conference was formed to keep city schools out of the tough state competition, That was not the idea at all."

Dawson Lasses Win Over Lamesa, 26-19

ACKERLY. Dec. 14—Dawson's girls' turned back Lamess, 26-19, in a first round game of the Ackerly invitational basketball tournament here Tuesday night. Boyer and Kelly, both of Dawson, led Dawson's attack with 11 and nine points, respectively.

Ackerly's A string turned back Ackerly's reserves. 30-12, in a boys' game. Bill Grigg led the winners with a dozen points. Jack Rogers was tops for the losers with four.

The Dallas News said a survey disclosed that Fort Worth officials oppose the City Conference and Houston is satisfid with it.

Claude Kellam, athletic director of the San Antonio School District said last night. "I feel that a thorough study of the matter will be taken and what ever the outcome the San Antonio schools will go along with it."

Ki d d said the Interscholastic League hadn't received a request that the City Conference be dissolved.

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The tournament will be resumded. Friday.

Annier Bears. Rice Victors

By The Associated Press Southwest Conference backethall teams got a little better than an even break against clubs outsidthe loop last night.

Texas ARM whipped Abliene Christian, 75-38; Rice eased by Sam Houston 63-42, and Baylor Just managed to beat Texas Wesleyan, 53-51. But Missouri best Tem-as Christian, 54-45. and West Tex-

B3-18.

Holy Cross stamped itself as a contender for national honors by licking Dartmouth, 85-53, in one half of a twin bill at Boston. Harvard beat Boston College, 54-49, in the other.

Wisconsin railled in the lest five minutes to hand Notre Dame a S6-48 setback.

Holy Cross stamped itself as a contended to the University of Texas, 46-42.

The Aggles started slowly against Abiliene Chystian Wildeats but built up a 32-18 lead by halftime. A sharp-shooting second half gave A&M its biggest final score in three sherp-shooting second half gave A&M its biggest final score in three seasons, John DeWitt of A&M le

seasons, John DeWitt of A&M led the scoring with 16 points. Big Joe McDermott scored 19 points for Rice before fouling out in the second half. But J. B. Cellins of Sam Houston was the game's high point man with 21. Don Heathington popped in a free throw with two seconds to go, givlog Baylor its one-point margin over the Wealeyans. The Rams had thed it up, 42-42. Baylor puiled away, 49-46. But Wesleyan came



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Coahoma Drops Lions, 39-18

COAHOMA, Dec. 14—Bill Bennett copped high point honors here Tuesday night as he paced the Coahoma Bulldogs to a 39-18 victory over Westbrook's cagers.

Starting slowly, the Bulldogs were unable to sink a field goal until midway in the second quarter. Westbrook held an 8-3 advantage at the end of the initial period.

Coahoma's big guns started to work just before the half time intermission and the Buildogs led 16-11 as the second quarter ended. 16-11 as the second quarter ended.
Field goals by Bennett, Paul Sheedy, Rodney Cramer, Edwin Dickson, and R. J. Echols gave the Coahomans a 26-15 at the end of the third period.

COLORADO CITY, Dec. 14—Colorado City's Wolves slipped past the Big Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves slipped past the colorado City's Wolves slipped past the Big Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves slipped past the Big Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves slipped past the Big Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves slipped past the Big Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string, 29-22, in a string colorado City's Wolves Spring B string colorado City S

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125 couples, will hold its first dinner meeting at the Settles hotel Friday evening at 7:15, and a full turnout of membership is expected

speaker will be Gerald The magazine "Science Illustrated" and consulting editor of the "March

of Time." Dr. Wendt, a distinguished American scientist before entering the number of years business and and Coffee Products Corp. professional leaders have been informed, through his lectures, of Presbyterian Class their appearance as the practical common place necessities of Holds Annual Party cal, commom-place necessities of industrial, business and family life. In his talk here "On The Hori-son Of Science," Dr. Wendt is pre-pared, by reason of his strategic position at the source of all news concerning scientific developments, to talk on a host of new improve-ments and sources of what the public eats, wears and uses, and on the industrial changes in the on the industrial changes in the American pattern as a consequence of laboratory research.

Dr. Wendt recently finished an extra job as the editor of "The Atomic Age Opens," a new Pocket Book which already has reached a large eleculation.

ed a large circulation. litor of Time magazine, and earlier was professor at the Univer-sity of Chicago and dean of the Pennsylvania College. He also has been director of scientific research



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BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Mostly cloudy with occasional vain this after-soon, tonight and Thursday, Righ today 42, low tonight 37, high to-High today 42. low tonight Jr. high temorrow 42. low tonight Jr. high temperature this date. 76 in 1933; lowest this date. 15 in 1919; maximum rainfall this date. 0.38 in 1937. EAST TEXAS: Cloudy with occasions rain this afternoon, tenight and Thursday, Noderste to fresh northeast winds on the coast. WEST TEXAS: Mostly cleudy and not quite so cold. Occassional rain east of the Pecoa River this afternoon and tonight and in Panhandle and South Plains and east of the Pecoa River Thursday.

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of gifts to the Lodge's adopted girl at Corsicans.

Announcement was made that the Miriam club will meet at the IOOF Hall Thursday at 7:30 p. m. for a business meeting.

Attending were Jennie Kim-brough, Minnie Murphy, Katherine Woods, Jewell Tucker, Lucille Petty, Gladys Miers, Maggie Richardson, Opal Walker, Thelma Braune, Lois Coffee, Lucille Thomas, Rosalee Gilliland, Lois Foresyth, Lenora Amerson, W. A. Cook, B. D. Walker, T. H. Amerson, Gordon Gross, A. Knappe, Ace Wilkerson, Eugene Thomas, Juanita Campbell, Louella Edison, Lula Harper, Bernice Harper, Irene Gross.

Jewell Caldwell, Myrtle Brown, Laverne Green, Frances Shank, Ruth Wilson, Velma Mitchell, Marie Hughes, Amanda Hughes, Eglee Patterson, Billie Barton, Julia Wilkerson and Ida Mae Cook. ty, Gladys Miers, Maggie Richard-

Attend Luke Trial

left this morning for South Bend Ind., where they are to appear as witnesses in the trial of Delbert Luke, who is charged with car

Luke was picked up here in September, 1948, by Kiser in what police said was a stolen car. Thomas was county attorney at the time and took Luke's statement.

Brief Case Stolen

Ben P. Cook, reported the theft of a brief cas. from his car which was parked in front of the post office Tuesday morning. The case contained books, Cook said.

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Members of the Ruth Class, Barbara Reagan Class, Emily Andrews Class and Mary Martha Class are sponsoring the party.

Mrs B. A. Graham. 1005 Wood, will be hostess to the Wesley Meth-odist Mary Martha Class Friday at 7:30 p. m.

MARKETS

Thomas, Kiser to

Attend Luke Trial

George Thomas, local attorney, and Deputy Sheriff C. E. Kiser of this morning for South Rend Markets (Dain 2.6) delivered. Loan 2.6) delivered. Pouliry: heavy hear. 22: light hens, 16: fryers, 36: cockervis. 17: No. 1 turker heas. 38 No. 1 turker towns. 26.

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artel today but prices moved atubiora-Online were in a majority although not by too hefty a margin. Changes either were tractional.

Past tracking followed the biggest session of the year yesterday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14. (P) — Noon col-ton prices were 20 to 55 cents a bale higher than the previous close. Dec 25.25. March 25.31 and May 26.56.

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HINT GIVEN BY TOBIN

Truman To Ask Expansion Of Old Age, Insurance System

washington, Dec. 14. It.—New evidence piled up today that the present social security system should be expanded to provide for a greatly expanded federal old age and survivor insurance system during the forthcoming session.

The new pressure hint came from Secretary of Labor Tobin during an appearance before a Senate-House subcommittee which is looking into the problem of low income family.

The present tax goes to three per cent in 1950, and under the House bill, to four per cent in 1951, with employer and employe each contributing one half.

The House measure, on an average, is expected to raise insurance before a Senate-House subcommittee which is looking into the problem of low income family.

lies.
Tobin told the committee yester-

REPORT MAY BE EXAGGERATED

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14. W -Christmas stories don't al-ways have a happy ending-like this one police told yes-

A small boy was "lost" in a big department store. He was taken to a nearby police sta-

Under questioning, the young-ster said he was six years old and member of a poor family that included 14 brothers and

Then the query: "What's Santa Claus going to bring you, "Nothing," was the reply.
"My mother told me Santa
Claus is dead."

Fred a. Block

pension for workers covered by social security along with a grad-ual increase in the minimum wage

to \$1 an hour. Congress this year raised the minimum wage from 40 cents an hour to 75 cents. Tohin estimated that under present social security benefits, "a retired worker and his wife now receive on the average less than \$500 a year."

Tokin thus made it clear that he wasn't satisfied with the social sewash't satisfied with the social se-curity measure passed during the last session by the House, although he said he was "delighted" with the progress that had been made. The House bill, which now is awaiting Senate action, extends so-

cial security coverage to some 11 million additional workers, makes changes both in the rate and base of tax assessment. At present the two per cent tax,

one per cent each on employer and sale per cent each of employer and employe, is levied against the first \$3,000 of the worker's income.

The House bill would increase this figure to \$3,600. Tobin suggested that it should be increased to

month pension favored by Tobin. Tobin said that private industrial pension systems, such as labor un-ions have been driving for vigorously this year, should supplement but not replace, a government in-

surance system.

The subcommittee is seeking information on what can be done to increase the earning capacities of families receiving less than \$2,-000 annually.

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among those from throughout the South to produce commercial South who have some to participate in a testimonial dinner tonight pers. when the awards are to be pre-

sium banquet that is to climax a day-long program.

Mitchell is president of Sylvania

Products, Inc. The "Man of the Year" award was made by Dixie Business, At-lants, Ga., magazine. The Texas Manufacturers Assn. named him as the state's industrialist of the

year.
Schools were closed this morning as the city's numerous industrial plants held open house to out-of-town visitors and Lufkin resi-

> THE UNITED Is Open Every Night Until CHRISTMAS

LUFKIN. Dec. 14, 49 — Lufkin was taking a holiday today as thousands of visitors came to honor. Industrialist Ernest L. Kurth.

The 64-year-old Lufkin husinessman, civic leader and industrialist has been named "Man of the South for 1949" and Texas' industrialist of the year.

Federal and state officials are among those from throughout the lite South to produce commercial

when the awards are to be preparation of Kurth's vision — how he was sormer Gov. William P. Hobby, a pioneer in realizing the possibilities of covering East Texas yellow pine timber into newsprint.

A parade presenting examples of the companies of the principal speaker to night at the high school gymnasium hangust that is to climax a signer hangust the signer hangust that is to climax a signer hangust that is to contain the signer hangust that is a symbolic example of Kurth's vision — how he was a pioneer in realizing the possibilities of covering East Texas yellow pine timber into newsprint.

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A parade presenting examples of these Angelins County plants was to be held in downtown Lufkin in the situation of the second signer has a symbolic example of the second signer has a pioneer in realizing the possibilities of covering East Texas yellow pine timber into newsprint.

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