

Perryton Jewel Robbery Broken

PERRYTON, Dec. 16 (UP)—A burglary charge was filed today against Lloyd Edwin Roberts, 24-year-old former private detective, who admitted pulling the Texas Panhandle's biggest jewel theft.

Here, in this top-of-the-Panhandle town, and at Dallas, where the case was broken last night, with Roberts' arrest, officers recovered an estimated \$150,000 in gems and rings taken nine days ago from a Perryton drug store.

Sheriff Ray Phagan of Perryton and District Attorney Bob

State Attempts Tying Hoskins To Killer's Gun

AMARILLO, Dec. 16 (UP)—The state sought to show today that a gun owned by Dwight Hoskins, former all-state football star, killed a crippled filling station attendant.

Charles Freeman, 21, the attendant, was alone in the filling station October 6 when he was shot and robbed of \$31. Hoskins, former Amarillo halfback, pleaded innocent following his arrest.

As Hoskins' murder trial opened yesterday, the state summoned two witnesses in a move to establish ownership of the gun that was used to kill Freeman.

William A. Smith, a store owner, said he delivered two nine-millimeter Luger automatics to Hoskins last September 2.

Howard H. Taylor, a state firearms expert of Austin, testified that he examined a bullet found in the service station wall. The bullet, he said, was from the same type of guns that allegedly were delivered to Hoskins.

However, Taylor could not state positively that the bullet was fired from a Luger which police unearthed at a lonely spot eight miles south of Amarillo. A woman friend of Hoskins' had taken officers to the spot October 13 after she had told them Hoskins had asked her to bury the pistol.

LOCAL NEWS

WEATHER FORECAST

By United Press
CHILDRESS — Partly cloudy to occasionally cloudy and warmer this afternoon tonight and Saturday. Lowest tonight near 38.

WEST TEXAS — Increasing cloudiness and warmer this afternoon and tonight. Saturday, mostly cloudy and colder in Panhandle.

HERE AND THERE

Mrs. Jim Andrews left yesterday morning to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Martin and family, at Long Beach, Calif. She will also visit her son, Dollis, and family at Los Angeles, and another daughter, Mrs. Clinton Yount and family, at Fresno, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. (Dub) Rogers of Medicine Mound will arrive here this afternoon for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lambert, her parents.

Althea Lambert of Matador will be here tomorrow to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lambert.

J. W. Galbraith, Louise Moon, Wynonah Wilson, Mrs. E. L. Wilson and Mary Laningham were in Quanah last night to visit Dorothy Seitzberg, who underwent surgery recently in the Quanah Memorial Hospital. She will be dismissed Saturday to return to her home in Cee Vee.

Betty Fields will leave tomorrow for Canyon to spend the next week with her aunt Mrs. J. T. Gillham and family.

Mrs. Jack Belt of Amarillo is here to visit her mother, Mrs. G. P. Free, who is ill, and her sister, Mrs. J. E. Simmons. Also visiting Mrs. Free is Jack Free of Pampa.

Bill Richardson has returned home from Halls, Tenn., to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Richardson and family.

Mrs. Roy Martin and children of Wellington shopped and visited here today.

Eleta Harris plans to leave tonight for Amarillo to shop and visit with relatives. Her sister, Joyce, who was injured recently in an auto collision, is reported much improved. She is employed in Lubbock.

Dick Duncan, student at Abilene Christian College, is spending the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Preston and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Continued On Page Two



WANTS TO ADOPT ABANDONED BABY—Mrs. Betty Cunningham of Houston, "Nobody's Baby" who was abandoned in a parked car in Houston 20 years ago, fondles little "Miss Christmas", who was left in a bus station package locker last week. Mrs. Cunningham hopes to adopt the infant since she has no children of her own. (NEA Telephoto.)

Local Conservation Practices Are Told

The final, official figure of \$98,200 for Childress County farmers, available for agricultural conservation measures, was announced this week by the county's Production and Marketing committee.

Previously, an estimate, approximating this figure, had been announced.

This figure compares with the \$89,000 available this year. An initial \$80,500 for 1949 was increased by \$8500 in August, Doyce Thomas, PMA secretary, said. The numerous practices available to Childress County farmers are an offer by the government

to assist the farmer in doing conservation work needed on his farm, Thomas explained. This assistance may be in the form of cash payments or advances of materials and services needed in carrying out conservation practices, he added.

The amount of assistance a farmer needs will be determined by the county committee, Thomas said, on the basis of conservation needs and the amount of funds available.

Farmers wishing to carry out the work of any of the below-listed farm practices may apply to the county committee.

Practices which Childress County farmers may receive aid in include:

Construction of terraces for which necessary outlets and waterways are provided; construction of diversion terraces to control excess water; establishing a vegetative waterway to dispose of excess water without causing erosion.

Field strip cropping; sub-soiling

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Teen Canteen Officials Are Chosen This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Carter and a new Teen Canteen council and other officers were elected in meeting early in the week at City Hall.

Co-chairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Black. The meeting was presided over by Palmer Massey, retiring general chairman.

The council is now composed of Aubrey Rogers, chairman, and Wallace Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ord, Mrs. Herman Smith, and Mrs. Vernon Cochran.

Mrs. Dewey Smith was elected to take charge of the snack-bar, Mrs. Ebb Chesnut was elected secretary, and Mrs. Nita Levi was elected treasurer.

Scouts' Court Set Here Tonight

A district Boy Scout court of honor and chuck wagon feed will be held in the City Auditorium starting at 6 tonight.

Sixteen boys will receive awards at the court of honor, which is scheduled at 7, following the feed.

All parents of Scouts and anyone else interested in the Scouts and their work are invited to attend.

Woman Dies From Wound In Head

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 16 (UP)—Mrs. Patricia Roberts, 46, formerly of San Francisco, died at the general hospital here today of a bullet wound in the head.

She was found critically injured in her downtown Kansas City hotel room about five hours before her death. Robert Kelly, of the police homicide bureau, said they were holding the woman's husband, Leland Roberts, an unemployed civil engineer, for questioning in the shooting but he expressed the belief that the death was a suicide.

Kelly said the woman died of a scalp wound inflicted by a .25 caliber automatic revolver found in the room with bloody fingerprints on it. A second gun, a .45 caliber pistol, was also found in the room.

Cotton Quota Is Heavily Favored By Childress Voters And Over The Nation

Rescued Girl Says Scout Training Saved Her Life While Lost In Woods

LONGVIEW, Wash., Dec. 16 (UP)—Sixteen-year-old Ruth Aberle said today that her Girl Scout training saved her life during the 96 hours she was lost in the wilderness.

Ruth slept late today, enjoying her first sleep in a bed since Saturday night.

The Kelso, Wash., High School sophomore said she probably would have died in the woods if the Girl Scouts had not taught her to find shelter and stay there until rescuers rescued her.

Ruth was found in a deserted

cabin yesterday by sawmill operator Charles F. Smith and his 16-year-old son, Philip. The rescue came after up to 1000 men had searched the brush and second growth timber in a 10,000-acre section eight miles north of Kelso.

Ruth became separated from nine of her school companions Sunday afternoon while hunting for Christmas trees.

She was exhausted and suffering from shock, but able to walk a mile and a half to the nearest road where an ambulance brought her to the Coville County General Hospital here.

"She's in pretty good shape," Dr. Clyde Duvall said. "She's exhausted and a little feverish, but she's come through it pretty well."

Ruth stumbled 11 miles through the forest Sunday afternoon to the 12 by 12 foot cabin where she found shelter from snow, rain, and freezing weather.

To keep warm while she slept in the cabin, Ruth propped a door in a corner to stave off cold drafts. She had no food but drank water from a nearby stream.

"I wondered if anyone would ever find me," Ruth said. "I wasn't very cold; in fact, I was a little bit warm. I got awfully hungry, living on just water."

Water Holiday Declared Today In New York City

SAHARA - ON - THE - SUBWAY, Dec. 16 (UP)—New York went off the water wagon today.

Voluntary drought lay over the city like a big ball of cotton as an overwhelming majority of New York's 8 million cooperated all the way with the water department's first "dry Friday" in history.

New Yorkers accepted the rule of "no-bath, no-shave" for 24 hours good-naturedly—then even joked about it—but they realized the city's acute water shortage was no joke.

The day was a test of whether residents could cut down on their usage or whether the city must be forced to ration water or lower the pressure in the mains.

A United Press telephone check of 114 homes in widely-separated areas of the city at mid-morning showed the following index of compliance:

Yes—95

No—5

The water department had asked that from midnight Thursday to midnight Friday New Yorkers skip bathing, skip shaving, and skip at least one drink of water.

"We're doing things we never thought we could do in a water shortage," Mrs. A. Jacobs of Brooklyn said. "We're eating sandwiches today, serving them on paper plates. We're drinking milk from paper cups."

Shortly before noon, Water Commissioner Stephen J. Casey announced: "The indication at this time is that New York City is going to make history with the water holiday."

Presbyterian Churches Will Present Cantata

Excerpts from Van Denman Thompson's brilliant cantata, "The Rose of Christmas," will be presented by combined choirs of the Memphis and Childress Presbyterian Churches at the 11 a. m. service Sunday morning at the First Church in Childress.

The program is composed of five choruses, using "Joy To The World," (based on "Antioch" by Handel and introducing "Adeste Fideles") as the closing number.

Mrs. Robert Sexauer of Memphis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardin, will direct the choir, with Mrs. Charles Barnes at the organ.

Soloists are Mrs. Sexauer, Mrs. Gladys Power and Steve Cowan.

By W. S. Warren

Nine out of ten Childress County farmers voted in favor of the cotton marketing quota election held here and over the nation yesterday, complete but unofficial returns showed last night.

The same nine to one ratio was reported throughout the 20 states balloting in the referendum, according to a United Press dispatch today.

The farmers' approval gave the government the right to tell the farmer what he could plant to cotton in 1950, and to penalize him with a heavy fine if he overplants. In return, the government guarantees the farmer 90 per cent of parity for the cotton he does plant in 1950.

Of the ten Childress County balloting boxes, two of them were

unanimously in favor of the quota. Carey voted 42 for and 0 against, and Olympus voted 13 for and 0 against. All Childress boxes were heavily in favor of the referendum—Community Center giving the largest percentage of votes against it.

The actual total Childress County vote was 423 for and 54 against. Twelve votes were challenged, and these will be reviewed this afternoon by the county committee when it meets to canvass the election.

This total of 477 voters in the county was considered by county committee members as a fairly heavy vote. They pointed out that even in general elections, usually only one-fourth of the eligible voters gets to the polls. Estimating an eligible 1500 Childress County farmer voters, the election shows one-third of them cast a ballot yesterday.

Individual ballot boxes in this county were as follows: Childress, 129 for, 18 against; Kirkland, 35 for, 4 against; Community Center, 34 for, 10 against; Arlie, 29 for, 4 against; Loco, 25 for, 5 against; Harrell Chapel, 23 for, 3 against; Olympus, 13 for, 0 against; Carey, 42 for, 0 against; Tell, 54 for, 5 against; and High Point 39 for, 5 against.

A report from Hall County last night unofficially showed that county in favor of the quota by 98 per cent.

According to the UP, with virtually all returns in, an unofficial tabulation showed:

For controls — 566,433

Against controls — 66,179

A two-thirds vote in favor of quotas was necessary to retain them for 1950. United Press figures showed an 89.5 per cent vote for controls.

That agreed substantially with the estimate of the Department of Agriculture in Washington, which said indications were that "it's going over by 90 per cent."

Farmers in every voting state approved the allotments by the necessary margin. Florida came closest to defeating the proposal, giving it a bare 68.6 per cent nod.

Returns were complete or virtually so for Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia.

A few farmers were also eligible

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New York Rector Found Guilty Of Wife's Murder

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 16 (UP)—A jury of 10 men and two women today found the Rev. George P. Hetenyi, 40, guilty of second degree murder in the slaying of his wife, Jean, 25.

The jury returned its verdict after six hours and 50 minutes of deliberation.

The court set January 16 for sentencing the balding clergyman, who faces a possible maximum sentence of 20 years to life imprisonment.

The Hungarian-born Episcopalian minister was convicted of shooting his wife and dumping her body in the Genesee River near here last April 22.

After the verdict was announced by the jury foreman, defense attorney George Skivington, Sr., demanded that the jurors be polled. Rev. Hetenyi sat quietly as each member answered "guilty."

He smiled and chatted amiably with court attendants as he gave them information for the records.

Neither Hetenyi's elderly mother, Mrs. Caroline Hetenyi, nor his mother-in-law, Mrs. Elsa Gareis of Oakland, Calif., was in the courtroom when the verdict was read. Mrs. Hetenyi had been at her son's side throughout the trial. Rev. Hetenyi was arrested two days after his wife's body was taken from the river.

Truman Says He And Ike Are Still "Good Friends"

KEY WEST, Dec. 16 (UP)—President Truman said through his press secretary today that he and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower were "good friends and always were."

Press Secretary Charles G. Ross expressed concern on behalf of the President about Eisenhower's feelings as reported from Fort Worth, last night.

"The general apparently was embarrassed," Ross said in reference to earlier dispatches from Key West to the general effect that Eisenhower was regarded by the Truman administration as a 1952 presidential candidate.

"Those stories were souped up," Ross said. "As far as I know no presidential intimates have discussed Eisenhower with anybody."

Three Prisoners Saw Way From County Jail

JOURDANTON, Dec. 16 (UP)—Three prisoners, all held on automobile theft charges, sawed their way out of the Atascosa County jail early today.

Hours later, officers had found no trace of them. Sheriff Gully Coward identified them as George Boynton, 27, and Buddy Crawford and Harvey Heiser, both 17.

Officers throughout South Texas and at Mexican border bridges were put on the alert.

Children's Xmas Party

Sponsored by the American Legion, VFW, DOKK, Knights of Pythias, Disabled Vets, 40 and 8, and Elks Club.

Previously received\$218.00
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Bud Adams 1.00
N. D. Roger 2.00
Hardin Grocery Apples

Index Reader Contest Is Announced

A prize of \$10 will be given to The Childress Index reader who comes closest to naming the ten persons who made the greatest impact in the first half of the twentieth century which the United Press will release sometime between Christmas and New Years.

The UP will announce the list of ten after a poll of all editors of newspapers which are clients of the press association.

The Childress Index reader whose list is nearest the UP list will be awarded the prize.

Only one list per person may be entered. All Childress Index readers, except employees of The Index and their families, are eligible. All that is required is the list of ten names, legibly written, preferably typewritten, and the signature and address of the person submitting it. Bring or mail the list to The Index, addressed to the Contest Editor.

Decision of the judges will be final. Lists become the property of The Index upon entry.

This is not a popularity poll. The impact made by the ten persons may be for good or for evil—Hitler or Gandhi. Choices are to be made on the basis of all the peoples of the world and not confined to the United States.

No reason for your choices is required. Merely list the ten names, and in any order. The first name has no more importance than the tenth.

Ballots received before midnight

Friday, December 23 (one week from tonight) will be eligible. Results will be announced within two or three days after receipt of the United Press poll—possibly before the first of the new year.

The following list of persons, compiled by the UP, includes those worthy of nomination. Your choices need not be confined to these, however.

Jane Adams, Abd-el-Krim, H. H. Asquith, Kemal Ataturk, Ronald Amundsen, Leon Blum, Sir Thomas Beecham, Madame Curie, Carrie Chapman Catt, Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek, Clemenceau, Charlie Chaplin, Churchill, Caruso, Capone, Bishop Cannon, Irene Castle, Chiang Kai-Shek, Edith Cavell, Floyd Collins, Calvin Cool-

idge, King Carol, Walter Chrysler.

Paul Cezanne, Jack Dempsey, De Valera, Alfred Dreyfus, John Dewey, Einstein, Eisenhower, Edison, King Edward VII, Edward VIII, Foch, Franco, Henry Ford, De Forest, Fleming, Anatole France, Sigmund Freud, Gandhi, H. W. Griffith, Samuel Gompers, Hindenburg, Hitler, Hirohito, Herriot, Huxley, Hemingway, Herbert Hoover, James Joyce, Marshal Joffre.

Helen Keller, Kerensky, Kettering, Kipling, Knudsen, Ludendorff, John L. Lewis, Huey Long, Lenin, Lloyd George, Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge, Sr., Lindbergh, Sinclair Lewis, Lisle Meitner, Mussolini, Continued On Page Two

DAILY DAWDLE SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

FRIDAY
The Home Arts Club will meet at 3 p. m. at the WDC Building for a Christmas program. Mmes. J. B. Johnson and Ruth Record will be hostesses.

The Do-Si-Do Club will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the Community House.

SATURDAY
The High Point Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. F. L. Taylor for its Christmas party.

The Harmony Club will meet at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. P. J. Gill for the Christmas party. Each woman is to bring a gift.

Program Leader Discusses Plans For Holidays

"Holiday Planning" was the program topic discussed by Mrs. S. Warren before the Modern Home Club yesterday afternoon. The women met at the Woman's Department Club.

In her discussion, the leader stressed five points to remember during the holidays: music, storytelling, sharing, giving and decorations.

A resolution to fine members who are absent was adopted during a business session, and the club voted to have an associate membership. Mrs. Jimmy Legate was appointed telephone chairman. Ten dollars was donated to the Goodwill Fund.

When the meeting adjourned, the hostesses, Mmes. Louise Saly and R. D. Bowersock served fruit cake, olives and coffee.

Other women present were Frank Crow, Don Ezell, Robert Headlee, Floyd Mitchell, O. B. O'Dell, Joe Pittman, Louis Sally, Sim Vaughn, and H. E. Newberry.

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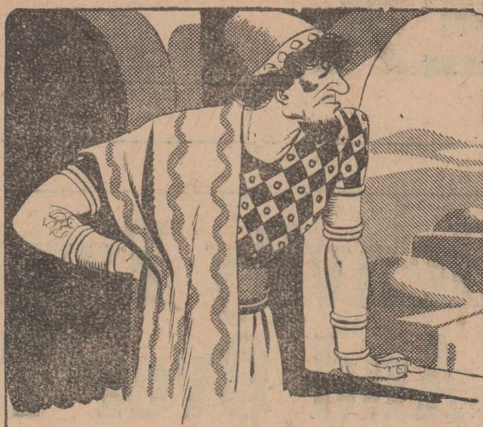
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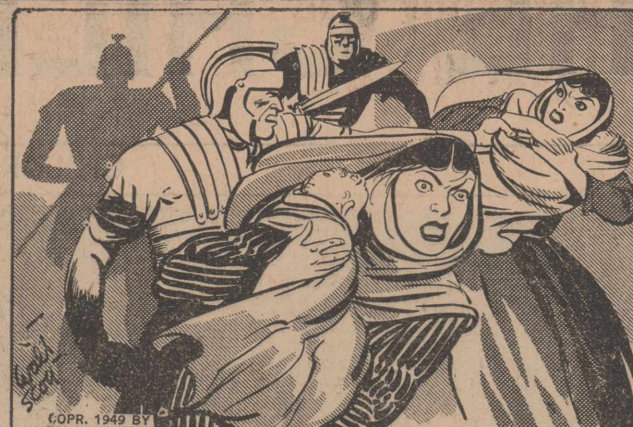
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LORETTA'S GIFT SHOP



Herod had bade the wise men return when they had found the baby, that he might worship him also, but evil was in his heart to destroy the child.



Being warned in a dream not to return to Herod, the wise men returned to their own country by another way. (Matthew 2:12.)



Then Herod's fury knew no bounds. He ordered the slaughter of all the boy babies in Bethlehem, hoping thereby to destroy the Christ-child. (Matthew 2:16.)

DILLS HAVE ANNIVERSARY YESTERDAY

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Dill quietly observed their 60th wedding anniversary at their home yesterday, and received many lovely gifts from callers throughout the day.

Local citizens for the past 13 years, Mr. and Mrs. Dill were married December 15, 1889, in Clarksville, Ga., leaving Georgia for Texas in 1891. Before coming to Childress, they resided in Quanah.

Children residing in Childress or vicinity are Mrs. L. W. Larmon, Mrs. B. H. Davis, Mrs. C. E. Kelso of Highpoint and Jesse Dill of Kirkland. O'her children are Mrs. Ada Hall of Durant, Okla., and Arthur Dill of Lonpoc, Calif.

A trip to Lonpoc will be another way of celebrating by the Dills. They leave tomorrow to visit their children there.

UDC Party Given By Mrs. Hardin In Her Home

Mrs. Wilson Hardin was hostess for an all-day session and party for United Daughters of the Confederacy at her home yesterday. A luncheon was served at the noon hour.

A white linen cloth covered the dining table which held a centerpiece of purple asters and greenery. The menu consisted of turkey dressing, cranberry sauce, and gravy, hot rolls, corn and green beans, salads, cake, pie and coffee.

The living room was decorated to feature the Christmas motif.

Members enjoyed a sing-song of Christmas music led by Mrs. Wood Barbee. Afterwards, little Mike Pennell, dressed as Santa, distributed gifts from the lighted tree in the living room.

Besides the hostess and Mrs. Barbee, those present were Mmes. F. L. Taylor, C. J. Hargraves, B. F. Hardy, Bob Gully, W. M. Stiner, Pearl McLeod, Oscar Moore, N. W. Wardlow, and Miss Mary Taylor. Guests were Mrs. Mike Pennell and son.

Shores Creek Club And Guests Hold Annual Party

Members of the Shores Creek Home Demonstration Club and their families observed the Christmas season with a party recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Groseclose.

Santa Claus was the main attraction for the evening, arriving during the party to distribute fruit, candy and nuts to all children. Members exchanged gifts at the decorated tree, and later enjoyed games of "42." The host and hostess served refreshments of coffee, cocoa and cake.

About 50 persons enjoyed the celebration.

Dallas Ford Plant Sets All-Time Record

DALLAS, Dec. 16 (UP)—The Dallas Ford plant, despite a morning shutdown, already through December 5 has set an all-time production record of 60,617 cars and trucks, the Ford News, a company publication, said today.

Plant Manager C. F. Jessee said the previous high mark of 60,054 units was set by Dallas in 1935. He predicted more than 63,500 units will have been assembled here this year if current production schedules are completed.

CORRECTION:
Rev. Frank Crow, not Rev. Wilson Cole, was speaker for the Wednesday Wilson-East Ward Parent-Teachers meeting.

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Gen. Chennault Attacked By Mob Of Ex-Employees

HONG KONG, Dec. 16 (UP)—Disgruntled former Chinese employees attacked Maj. Gen. Claire Chennault, head of the Chinese Nationalists' Civil Air Transport, and sabotaged several of his planes at Hong Kong Airport today.

(Chennault, president of CAT, and his executive vice-president, Whiting Willauer, later flew to Taipei and Tainan on Formosa with 10 CAT planes, a Taipei dispatch reported. Chennault told newsmen on Formosa that six other planes had been sabotaged at Hong Kong, but probably would be repaired in time to fly to Formosa later today or tomorrow.)

More than 100 police from Hong Kong's riot squad raced to Chennault's rescue, restored order and ejected the former employees from the airfield. Several were arrested.

Robert Rousselot, chief CAT pilot, nabbed one saboteur in the act of cutting cables on a transport plane in which Chennault was scheduled to fly to Formosa. An accomplice slugged Rousselot, whose home is at Noel, Mo., and the saboteur escaped.

The melee broke out after several hundred CAT Chinese employees paid off yesterday assembled at the airport and demanded six months' severance pay. Chennault rejected the demand.

One group attacked Chennault and others began puncturing tires and cutting cables on CAT planes lined up for a flight to Formosa.

Jury Declines To Fix Cause For Fatal Fire

ROTAN, Dec. 16 (UP)—A three-man corner's jury has declined to fix the origin of a blaze that swept a farm shack near here early yesterday, killing 11 members of a transient farm family.

County Judge U. S. Branscum said the jury's verdict was "accidental death by fire, origin of which was unknown."

Earlier, Judge Branscum had said he believed the fire spread from an open tub, in which the family, of Mexican descent, had been burning wood for warmth in 20-degree weather.

The victims were buried in Rotan cemetery yesterday afternoon, within a few hours after the fire was discovered. Branscum said he had contacted relatives of the victims at Mercedes, Tex., and they were unable to bear the expense of returning them home for funeral and burial.

LOCAL NEWS

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Preston and Raymond Preston will visit in Vernon Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Solomon.

Mrs. Sam Keith and Mrs. Dottie Morrison plan to leave the first part of next week for Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Slavin have just recently established residence here. Mrs. Slavin is a nurse at the local county hospital, and her husband is employed by the FW&D.

Vaughn Morrison of Pecos was a recent visitor here with his mother, Mrs. Dottie Morrison. Billy Ray Rothwell of Tell transacted business here today.

Mrs. Dick Turner is leaving tonight for Dayton, O., to spend the holidays with her niece.

Mrs. A. M. Woods is leaving tonight to spend the Christmas holidays with her niece.

Mrs. A. M. Woods is leaving tonight to spend the Christmas holidays with her children in Denton.

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to permit better penetration of water; bringing clod-forming subsoil to the surface of sandy cropland to prevent wind erosion.

Leaving on the land as a protection against wind erosion the stalks or stubble of sorghums or millet; control of bindweed; constructing or enlarging drainage ditches; leveling for irrigation land for which water is available.

Reorganization of a permanent farm irrigation system to conserve water and prevent erosion; drilling or digging wells for livestock water; installing pipe lines for livestock water or erosion control.

Lining earthen reservoirs for livestock water; application of potash and phosphate; growing a manure or cover crop of summer legumes; increasing the total farm acreage of biennial and perennial legumes and grasses.

Establishing a satisfactory cover of winter legumes and rye grass seeded in the fall of 1949; turning under or leaving on the land a satisfactory stand and growth of rye seeded in the fall of 1949; elimination of destructive plants on non-crop pasture and range land.

Control of sagebrush by mechanical or chemical treatment; controlling competing weeds in pasture by mowing; reseeding range or pasture land by deferred grazing; constructing fireguards on non-crop pasture and range land. Furrowing or chiseling non-crop land; establishing or improving permanent pastures by seeding adapted pasture grasses, pasture legumes, or mixtures of grasses and legumes; establishing permanent pastures by sodding Bermuda and buffalo grass.

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to vote in Illinois, Kansas and Nevada, where very small amounts of cotton are grown.

In all, about 1 million growers were eligible to cast ballots. Widespread bad weather cut the number of farmers actually voting to less than 650,000.

In approving the 1950 quotas, the nation's cotton growers agreed to plant 6 million 359 thousand acres less cotton than they were allowed this year. Agriculture Secretary Charles F. Brannan has already announced that 1950 allotments will total 21 million acres, compared with the 1949 total of 27,359,150.

There has been widespread discontent over the present method of determining quotas on a country-wide rather than an individual basis. But agriculture officials say there is no other way to formulate the allotments under the present law and Congress has been asked to consider changing the law next year.

Groton High Puts On Family-Affair Night

NEWBURY, Vt., Dec. 16 (UP)—With Groton High School leading in the final quarter of a basketball game against Newbury High School, Coach Bob Pratt decided to coast with his reserves.

Into the game for Groton went: Senior center Ralph Hatch. Freshman forward Dale Hatch, his brother.

Freshman forward Donald Hatch, their uncle. Freshman guard Cliff Hatch, cousin of Ralph and Dale and nephew of Donald.

Eighth-grade guard Lorrey Hatch, Donald's brother and uncle of the other three.

They scored 20 points in the last eight minutes of the game, winning 45 to 23 as the band played: "I'm My Own Grapaw."

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trict attorney said, they found the missing items, valued at about \$100,000.

Roberts' arrest ended a five-state search. Officers in Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico, along with Texas authorities, had been in the hunt for the burglar. All of those states are within easy striking distance of Perryton.

Roberts came under suspicion when Charles Smith, a Perryton implement dealer, found a dirty shirt and several empty watch cases near his store early this week. Ownership of the shirt was traced to Roberts yesterday morning. The arrest made only a few hours later in Dallas, by Sheriff Decker's men, who grabbed Roberts as he drove along a south-side street in his automobile.

Phaean left Dallas for Perryton with Roberts early this morning. Roberts had been employed recently at a Perryton bakery. Before that, he was a private detective for a Dallas collection agency.

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the minimum charge for a straight 10 word telegram is 36 cents. Except for the new minimum charge of 65 cents for all straight telegrams, the rates for press telegrams will continue to be one-third of day letter rates and one-sixth of night letter rates.

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Calves 300. Steady. Few good and choice slaughter calves 20.00-24.00, cull, common and medium lots 13.00-20.00. Stockers scarce.

Hogs 400. Butcher hogs steady to 25 lower, sows steady to 50 lower, feeder pigs sharply lower. Good and choice 200-270 lbs 15.50-75, mostly 15.65, good and choice 160-190 lbs 14.50-15.25. Sows 13.00-50. Feeder pigs 9.00-12.00.

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Mitchell Village Formally Opened At Lackland Base

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 16 (UP)—Lackland Air Force Base today formally opened its Billy Mitchell Village, largest military housing project to go up since the end of World War II.

Eugene M. Zuckert, assistant secretary of the air force, cut the ribbons opening the first of the 1000 model Mitchell apartments. A number of high ranking military personnel were on hand to tour the \$10 million construction.

Earlier, 215 men candidates and 17 WAF candidates were graduated from the air base as second lieutenants in the U. S. Air Force. A parade honoring the graduates was held at 8:30 a. m. graduation ceremonies took place at 10 a. m., the first OCS graduation to be held in blue.

TEMPERATURE

The lowest recorded temperature for the past 24 hours was 25 degrees at 6 this morning. The highest was 52 degrees at 5 p. m. yesterday.

Temperatures follow:

Noon	Thurs	Thurs	Thurs
1	45	1	32
2	48	2	30
3	50	3	30
4	51	4	28
5	52	5	26
6	46	6	25
7	41	7	27
8	37	8	28
9	36	9	28
10	36	10	34
11	32	11	40
12	34	12	43

FURTHER STRIFE SEEN IN BULGARINA TRIALS

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Dec. 16 (UP)—A Bulgarian source here said today that the chief public prosecutor of Bulgaria committed suicide rather than carry out orders to convict Traicho Kostov, former deputy premier. Kostov was found guilty of treason and spying, and was sentenced to death.

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Jackie Robinson Gets Formal Notice Of His Winning NL Batting Honors

By Milton Richman
NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—Jackie Robinson of Brooklyn, equally tough and terrific on the bases, in the clutch or at the plate, today received official recognition as the National League batting champion for 1949.

The mercurial 30-year-old Negro, first right-handed Dodger player ever to pace the league in hitting, compiled a .342 average to edge runnerup Stan Musial of the St. Louis Cardinals, who wound up with .338.

Robinson, the slick-fielding second sacker who previously was voted the National League's most valuable player for 1949, made a runaway of the base-stealing title, winning handsily with 37.

Although Robinson emerged with the highest batting mark, it was Musial and Ralph Kiner, Pittsburgh's long distance belter, who collared the majority of other hitting honors.

For the fifth time in his career, Musial led the league in base hits, gathering 207 safeties in 612 times at bat. But that's only half the story. The slender St. Louis slugger also chipped in with the most total bases, 382, the most doubles, 41, and ended in a tie with teammate Enos Slaughter for the most triples. Each had 13.

Kiner, who finished fifth in batting with .310, copped the all-important runs batted in and home run titles. He drove in 127 runs, three more than Robinson and four more than Musial, and walloped 54 homers. In four seasons, Kiner now has won the home run title twice and twice has tied for the distinction with Johnny Mize.

Sandwiched between Robinson, Musial and Kiner in the batting averages were Slaughter and Carl Furillo of Brooklyn, Slaughter winding up third with .336 and Furillo fourth with .324.

Al (Red) Schoendienst, agile Cardinal second baseman, smacked 160 singles to lead the circuit in that department while Pee Wee Reese of the Dodgers scored the most runs, 132.

Gil Hodges of Brooklyn and Boston's Eddie Stanky tied for the season's longest batting streak, each hitting safely in 19 straight contests. Marty Marion of the Cardinals and Robinson were deadlocked in the matter of most sacrifices, each with 17.

In the durability department, only seven players took part in all of their clubs' games. Musial, Robinson, Hodges, Thomson, Ennis, Richie Ashburn and Granny Hamner of the Phillies all enjoyed that distinction.

Pacing all clubs at the plate was the St. Louis Cardinals with a .277 mark. The Redbirds also garnered the most hits, 1513, most doubles, 281, and allowed the fewest runs scored against them, 616. Brooklyn, which finished runnerup in team batting with .274, led in homers with 152, in runs batted in with 816 and stolen bases, 117. The Phillies were last in batting with .254.

Childress Enters Wayland College Tourney Today

Eight Teams To Vie For Trophy Honors

Coach Vernon Johnson and his Bobcat basketballers shoved off early this morning for Plainview and the Wayland College High School Invitation Basketball Tournament today and Saturday.

Eight crack teams are entered in the tourney, in which first, second, third and consolation honors will gain the winning squad trophies.

Plainview, Lubbock, Gruver, Sudan, Samnorwood, Shallowater and Hollis, Okla., are other entrants. Each team will play three games.

Childress drew Sudan for its first opponent. The contest is scheduled for 2:40 this afternoon.

Should the Bobcats get by Sudan, they would play the winner of the opening-round Borger-Samnorwood game.

Feature game of the tournament will be a tussle between East Central State College from Ada, Okla., and the Wayland Pioneers tonight.

Childress defeated the Havin's five in an exhibition contest in Bobcat Gym, 42 to 34, last night. The Bobcats have dropped two games to Pampa in the only official non-district frays to date.

Girdles Replace Grid Pads After Girls Tussle A Bit

WACO, Dec. 16 (UP)—The world's most beautiful football players went back to wearing girdles and other feminine gear today after a brief 32 minutes of shoulder-padded gridiron glory.

The lovely griders—all Baylor Co-eds—battled in a titanic 2-to-2 struggle yesterday at Waco Municipal Stadium. What the gals lacked in scoring punch they made up in looks, a fact attested by plenty of whistles from 1000 spectators.

The only score in the game came in the first eight-minute quarter. End Shirley James of Vernon, a stalwart on the all-junior "cutes" team, was tackled behind the line of scrimmage by fullback Leta Fay Arnold of Houston.

Receipts from the game, at 25 cents a person, went to the junior and sophomore classes.

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Schoolboy Grid Ranks Will Be Lessened Today

By United Press

Three of the eight schoolboy football teams left in the running for the state Class AA and a grid championships will drop out of the running before sundown today with three-fourths of the semifinal schedule on tap in afternoon games.

An extra day of life will be the lot of either Highland Park or Wichita Falls, which do not play their Class AA northern bracket semifinal until tomorrow afternoon at Wichita Falls.

The penultimate round comes today for Port Arthur and Austin at Port Arthur in Class AA, Mexia and Uvalde at Austin in the Class A lower bracket and Littlefield and Garland at Vernon in the upper bracket.

Port Arthur, long rated the No. 1 AA power, Mexia and Littlefield were today's favorites, while Wichita Falls rated the favored spot in tomorrow's battle.

Favorites have been falling like autumn leaves in critical games season long as well as in the playoffs, however, and upsets wouldn't come as too great a shock to most observers.

It was at this stage of the 1948 race that a "great" Port Arthur team rolled up against underdog Waco and bowed to the eventual state champs in a stunning upset.

Already victims this year in playoffs were such teams as Lubbock, Kaufman and New Braunfels, all tabbed at one time or another as prime championship favorites.

Three undefeated, untied records—Port Arthur, Wichita Falls and Mexia—highlighted the semifinal round. Uvalde was unbeaten, but once-tied.

Each of the others had lost one game, while Littlefield had also been tied once, Garland three times.

SWC Cage Fives Losing Face As Well As Games

By United Press

Southwest Conference basketball teams took it on the chin again last night in inter-sectional play, but Baylor and Texas A&M take over the choice tonight with hopes of salvaging some prestige for this section's dimming cage record.

Midwest powerhouses turned on the heat to bury Arkansas and Texas Christian under an avalanche of points last night. Indiana smashed Arkansas 75-50 at Bloomington, while TCU fared even worse at Peoria, Ill., as Bradley poured it on 85-49.

Tonight, Baylor starts a mid-western tour with a game at Manhattan, Kan., against Kansas State, while Texas A&M meets Arizona at San Antonio in part of a doubleheader that will see Texas meeting Trinity. Rice entertains Southwest Louisiana at Houston in the other game.

Indiana started fast and Hoosier Coach Branch McCracken had all his starters out of the lineup before the game was one-fourth gone. Indiana held a 17-4 lead after only eight minutes had elapsed behind the accurate shooting of guard Lou Watson and center Bill Garrett, who wound up with 20



CONCA LINE—New York University and Oregon State players were in this dance when the referee blew his whistle after the Vio-let's Abe Becker, 11, with ball, was fouled by the Beavers' Harv Watt in the second half at Madison Square Garden. Others are Len Rhinerson and Dan Quilty. Visitors edged the home guard, 49-45.

80 Cents Seems To Be Holding Up Washington-New York Player Swap

By Stan Opatowsky

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 (UP)—The grand sum of 80 cents appeared to be the big hitch today in a player trade between the New York Yankees and the Washington Senators.

That amount is the price of a long-distance telephone call between the two cities. At last reports, the Senators were set to give the Yanks first baseman Eddie Robinson for infielder George Stinewiss, first baseman Dick Kryhoski and pitcher Don Johnson.

But the trouble seemed to be this—the Yankees said they were waiting for the Senators to phone back, and the Senators said they were waiting for the Yanks to phone back.

Neither did. Actually, the delay is costing money. If someone had broken over last night, the call would have cost only half a buck—at the night rate. Clark Griffith might have bought a Senator-type infielder with the difference.

Of course, there was always the possibility that—despite the claims of the rival camps—something besides the 80 cents was holding up the works. One source said the Yanks wanted pitcher Mickey Harris as well as Robinson for the three players they have on

points to take high honors. The Razorbacks controlled most of the rebounds, however, as their six foot seven inch center, Bob Ambler, roamed the pivot spot freely to keep the defeat from becoming even more of a rout. Forward Gerald Hudspeth led the Porker attack with 15 points, while Ambler got 10. TCU never got a look-in as Bradley performed in the style which is stamping it as possibly the nation's No. 1 quintet. The victors jumped into a 12-1 lead in the first four minutes and led 45-22 at halftime.

Subs played much of the time for Bradley, so TCU's Ted Reynolds took high scoring honors with 17 points.

Old Guard Republicans Seek Deal With Democrats On 1952 Candidate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 (UP)—The Old Guard of the Republican Party is calling today for a 1952 deal with southern Democrats on a presidential candidate.

Republican national committeeman Walter S. Hallanan, West Virginia, made the suggestion in an open letter to committee Chairman Guy G. Gabrielson.

Hallanan's letter plopped into a widening and increasingly significant area of discussion. Sen. John W. Bricker, R., O., recently proposed formation of a new party to lick the Democratic coalition created by FDR and now confidently led by President Truman.

From Bricker's public discussion of the idea came a suggestion that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, now President of Columbia University, and James F. Byrnes, former New Deal stalwart from South Carolina, should assume some leadership of such a move.

Ike and Sen. Robert A. Taft, R., O., both have figured in speculation about possible presidential candidates upon whom Republicans and anti-Truman Democrats might agree. Sen. Harry F. Byrd, D., Va., would be a possibility.

The great barrier to any such combination has been the southern tradition of hatred, now turned to a milder dislike, of the name and fame of the Republican Party. The South does not forget that the birth of the GOP led directly to the war between the states.

Hallanan canvassed some of these problems in his letter to Gabrielson. He rejected suggestions that the Republicans should adopt a new party name because of legal complications and political tradition. But he added:

"Fortunately, there seems to be a simple way that the same purpose can be achieved without facing these legal hurdles. If the leadership of the Republican Party and the dissident Democrats can agree on candidates, the problem would be solved."

Hallanan's plan to organize the anti-Truman forces in this country for united front opposition in 1952 will attract a lot of attention and give all hands cause to think. General Ike is sure to give it careful consideration.

Of all the men discussed as possible 1952 Republican presidential nominees, Ike alone is not officially tagged as a party member. It has been argued, therefore, that it might be easier to obtain southern Democratic agreement to support him for President than to settle on any other man.

State's Rights Democrats who cast a vote for Ike would not have to explain away any such sin as having voted for a Republican.

Ike's name figures increasingly in political speculation. Dispatches from President Truman's Key West vacation spot reported that crystal gazers in his party rate the general as a candidate for the Republican nomination. That seems to be the consensus around here, too.

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Last Nationalist Governor Turns Over To 'Reds'

TAIPEI, Formosa, Dec. 16 (UP)—The governor of the last Chinese mainland province under Nationalist control was reported today to have gone over to the Communists.

Reports from the mainland said Gen. Liu Wen-Hui, governor of Sikang province, announced his defection to the Reds. Only last week, the Nationalists had said that they would make Sikang their last mainland base against the Communists.

Digging in on Formosa for a final stand against the Communists, the Nationalist government last night appointed Princeton-educated Dr. K. C. Wu, governor of the island to organize the civilian front for the approaching siege.

Wu, former mayor of Shanghai, is regarded by Americans in the Far East as one of China's ablest administrators. The 46-year-old Wu also has served as mayor of Hankow and Chungking, vice minister of foreign affairs and minister of information.

He announced that he intends to weld a united front against communism, promote freedom of the press and other democratic ideals, improve the welfare of the people, establish rule by law and eradicate corruption.

Wu will take over the governorship December 21 from Gen. Chen Cheng, who held the post concurrently with that of commander of southwest China. Henceforth, Chen will devote his entire time to military problems.

Wu prepared to begin his new duties as the Communists were reported massing and training troops in amphibious troop landing for an apparent attempt to storm Formosa.

Child Actress's Mother Decries Own Marriage

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 16 (UP)—Bandleader Don Sylvio rushed her into marriage so he could share in her daughter's income, the mother of child actress Margaret O'Brien charged in a deposition on file here today.

The deposition, filed in Mrs. Gladys O'Brien Sylvio's divorce suit, accused the 42-year-old musician of demanding the marriage in Florida last February because he would be embarrassed if it were cancelled.

Mrs. Sylvio said she herself, not her young daughter, objected to the marriage. Immediately after the ceremony, delayed nine hours by an argument, she and Margaret left for Europe, Mrs. Sylvio said.

Cuba, Neighbors Talk Of War, But It's Said Just Talk

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 16 (UP)—Talk of war rumbled through Cuba, the Dominican Republic and Guatemala today, but all concerned said they doubted there would be any shooting.

It all started last Monday when President Rafael Leonidas Trujillo of the Dominican Republic asked Congress for powers to declare war on Cuba and Guatemala because they allegedly aided and sheltered his political enemies.

But Trujillo's foreign minister, Diaz Ordenez, said yesterday that the president made the request only so that he would be in a position to "exercise the legitimate right of defense."

Ordenez said ordinary diplomatic methods had failed to suppress "the illegal conduct of certain governments in the Caribbean who favor aggression."

He said the "right of legitimate defense" is recognized in both the United Nations charter and the Rio de Janeiro inter-American treaty of reciprocal assistance.

President Carlos Prío Socarras of Cuba answered the "war threat" with a statement yesterday that "Cuba will not permit anyone or anything to threaten our sovereignty."

"... we are sure not only of the capacity of our men of arms to defend our territory, but of their exceptional willingness to do so." Prior told thousands of cheering soldiers at his entire cabinet stood by.

But he also told his listeners they could rest assured the war talk would not go farther than the verbal stage.

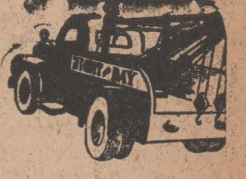
Reports from Guatemala City, capital of Guatemala, quoted the newspaper Diario de la Manana that an "anti-Trujillo legion" was being formed and that more than 500 men had been enlisted.

The reports said the move resulted from public indignation over Trujillo's threat against Guatemala.

Foreign Minister Cesar Solis of Guatemala was quoted in the newspaper La Hora Wednesday that Trujillo's request to Congress was "nothing more than a threat."

He added that his country would be ready if attacked.

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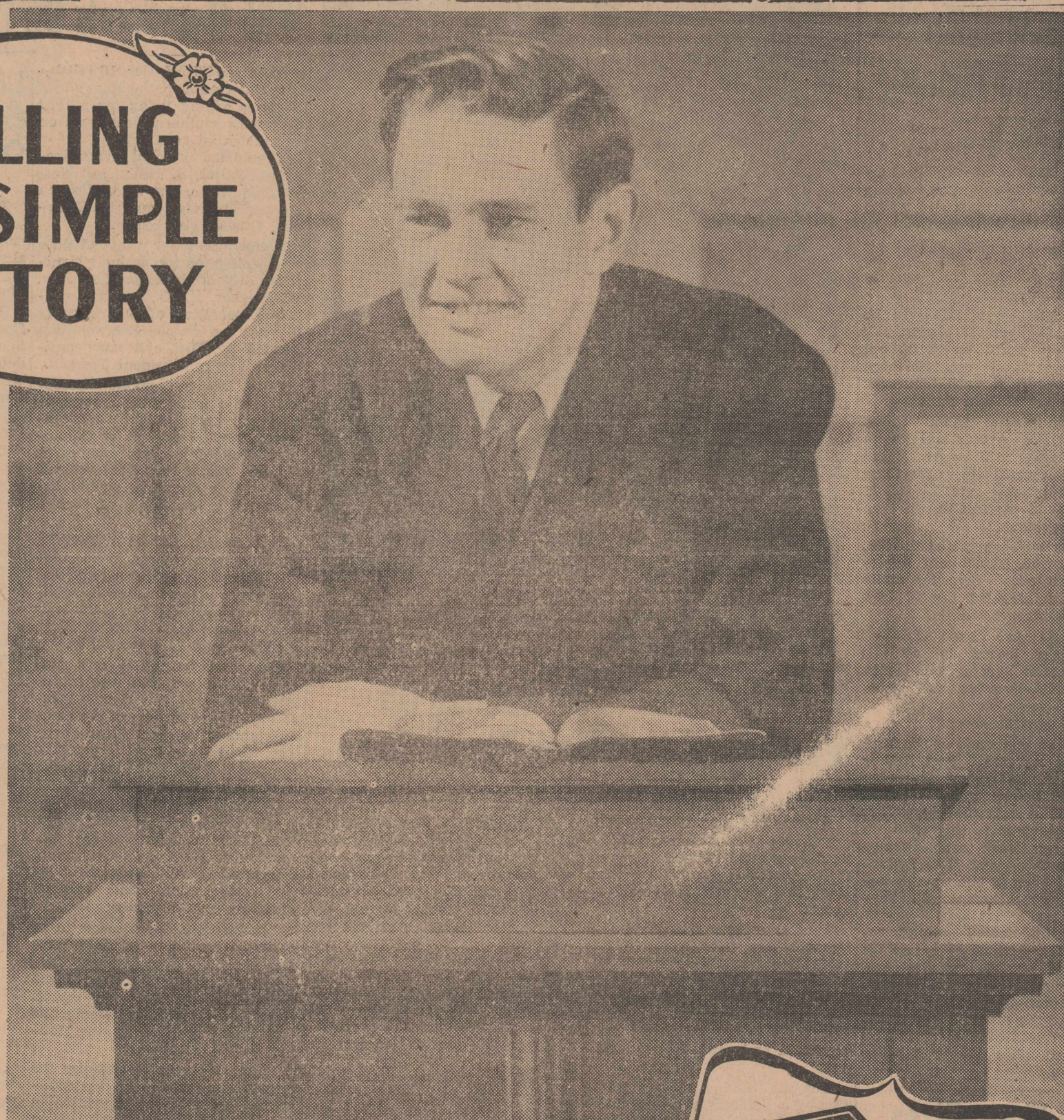
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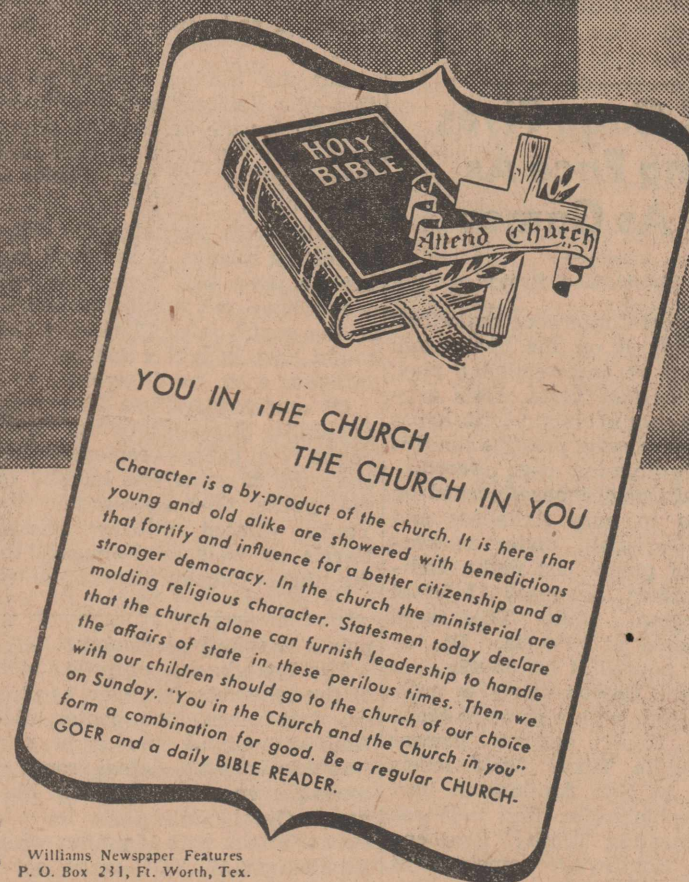
TELLING the SIMPLE STORY



MANY of us smiled at the farmer in Pearl Buck's story of the Good Earth. It seemed to us most strange that a man should buy his coffin ahead of time and take grim satisfaction in looking at the fine box in which he was to be buried. Perhaps many of us are as strange in our American refusal to think about death at all. The old adage "as sure as death and taxes" should have put us in the frame of mind to look forward to our own death and to make some preparation for it. Too many of us, however, are like the proverbial ostrich; we dig our heads down into the sand and assume that while death will overtake everybody else, by some strange shift of good fortune, it will never knock at our door. We are "foolish virgins" as Jesus called the people who made no provision for the coming of The Great Day, because the hour was uncertain.

ONE of the SIMPLEST STORIES ever told is the one told by Jesus to the Disciples on how to be saved, how to be ready for death. He made it so simple that even a "little child" can understand. Let us not take lightly the responsibility of telling this simple story! May we be conformed to right; subject to, and influenced by the moral laws of the Supreme.

FACE TO FACE let's face the fact of death and its certainty for ourselves. Then make plans that take death into account. See to it that we have arranged our minds and our souls for the promotion that we expect, from earth to Heaven. See to it that our families have been adequately provided for; let us face the fact fearlessly. May we be resolute and more determined to keep telling the Simple Story of how to live and what to live for so that we may know how to die. Come with me to Church.



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E. A. Sanders will bring both messages.

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Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Training Union at 6:00 p. m.
Evening worship at 7.
Rev. Ira L. Parrack will deliver the sermons.

CHURCH OF GOD
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Evening worship at 7:30.
YPE Service at 7:30 p. m.
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Pastor, Mrs. Gertrude Alexander.

SOUTH SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH, TELL
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Training Union at 7:30 p. m.
Evening worship at 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday—Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. A. L. Eubanks, pastor.

KING MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Robert Kiker is Sunday School Superintendent.
Youth Fellowship at 6:00 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:00 p. m.
Rev. C. R. Copeland is pastor.
Bible study and singing at 8 on Wednesday evenings.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

ESTELLINE BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
B. T. U. Sunday evening at 7.
Evening worship at 8.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday.
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Pastor is W. B. Grimes.

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The pastor, Rev. Percy Smith will be in charge of services.

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Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Rev. Albert Cooper, pastor.
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Mrs. Hulien Clifton is president.
A. D. Britt is Sunday School Superintendent.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:50.
Evening worship at 7:30.
Rev. Frank Crow, pastor, will bring both messages.

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Mass schedule for the winter months is as follows:
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First Friday at 7 a. m.
Devotions at 7:30 p. m. Friday.
Rev. R. M. Schindler, pastor.
Services at 11 a. m. in Memphis.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Training Union at 5:45 p. m.
Evening worship at 7.
Rev. W. H. Colson, pastor, will bring both messages.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Evening worship at 7.
Rev. Virgil Sparks is pastor.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Training Union at 6:30.
Evening worship at 7:30.
Rev. Marvin Averett will bring both messages.
Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

CAREY BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Training Union at 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:45.
Cloyce Holeman, superintendent.
Earnest Ham, B. T. U. director.
Wayne R. Williams, pastor.
Mid-week prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11. A musical program will be presented instead of the regular morning services.
Evening worship at 7. (No evening service will be held Sunday, December 18.)
Rev. Wilson Cole is pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:40. Sermon subject will be "The Lord's Supper."
Evening worship at 6. Sermon subject will be "Rightly Dividing The Word."
Boyd D. Fanning, minister, will bring both messages.
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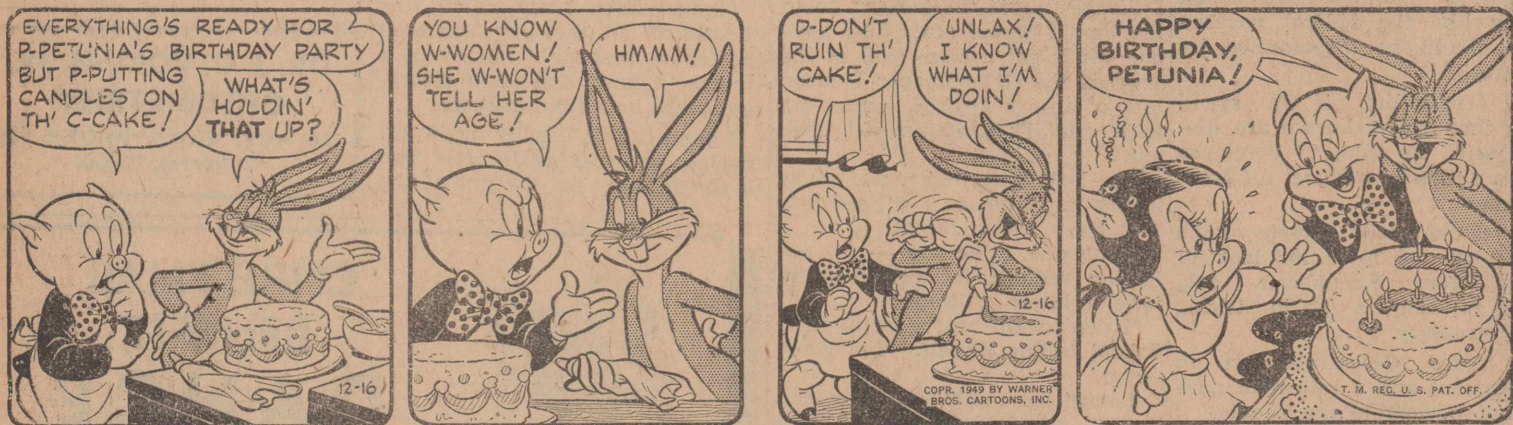
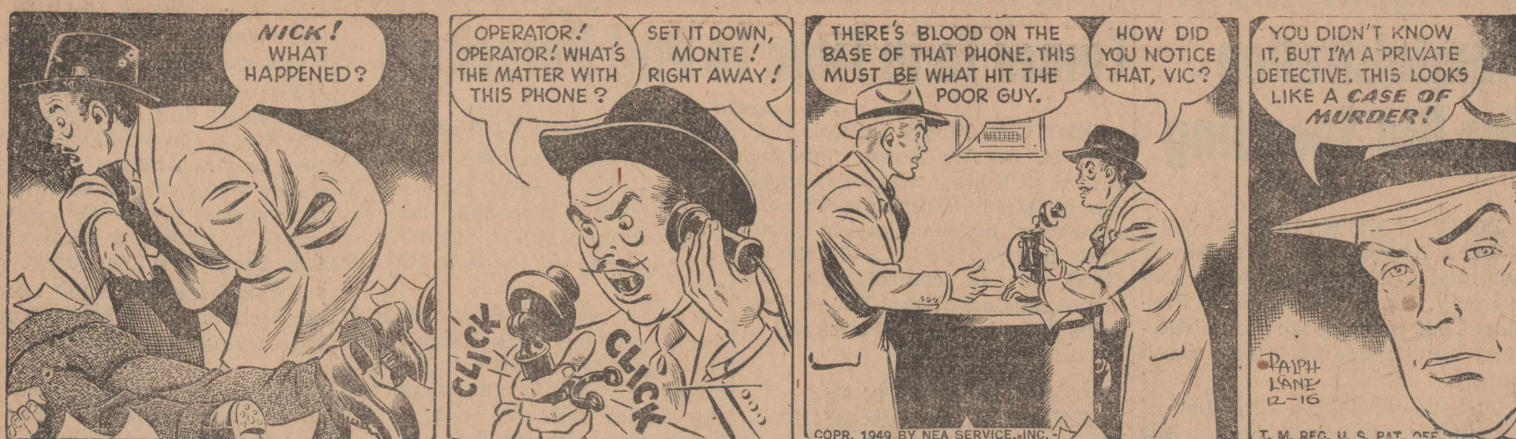
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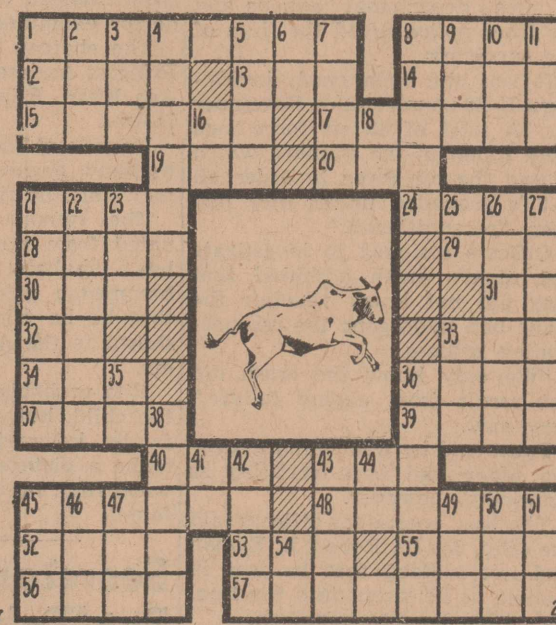
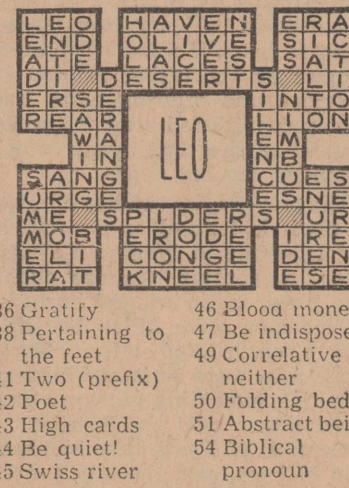
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- 2 Narrow inlet
- 3 Upper limb
- 4 Jewish
- 5 Solar disk
- 6 Negative reply

Answer to Previous Puzzle



CHURCHES

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lesson, a radio program.

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Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Evening worship at 7:45.
Rev. George Wrigler of Dallas will be guest speaker at both services.
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Rev. Wrigler will hold services at 7:30 Friday and Saturday night.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Morning service at 11. Sermon subject will be "Do They Admit That Jesus Christ is God the Son?"
Prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m.
Evening service at 7:30. Sermon subject will be "But This Man."
Rev. Bruce Powell, pastor, will deliver both sermons.

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Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:55. Sermon subject will be "The Man of Galilee." Rev. E. E. White, pastor, will bring the message.
MYF's meet at 5 p. m. Sunday, one hour early.
Evening worship at 6 p. m. The Christmas musical program will be presented instead of the regular sermon.

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The Lesson-Sermon "also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Inspired thought relinquishes a material, sensual, and mortal theory of the universe, and adopts the spiritual and immortal" (page 547).



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U. S. Steel Ups Average Price On Products \$4 Ton

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16 (UP)—The U. S. Steel Corp. increased the prices of its products an average of \$4 a ton today, causing congressional economic experts to express fear of a new inflationary spiral.

Chairman Joseph C. O'Mahoney D., Wyo., announced that his House-Senate Economic Committee will investigate big steel's price boost sometime after Christmas and that corporation officials will be asked to explain the increases at a public hearing.

The price boosts are "completely unjustified," O'Mahoney said, because the industry is operating "on an extraordinarily high profit level." U. S. Steel, he said, is doing more to "injure the whole free enterprise system than all the crackpots have ever done."

Sen. John J. Sparkman, D. Ala., a member of the economic committee, echoed the warning of labor experts that a price increase now might be "the stimulus for another round of price and wage increases."

Despite the congressional up-uror, it was a virtual certainty that the other major steel firms would, before the end of the year, raise their prices along the pattern set by big steel.

U. S. Steel produces more than a third of the nation's steel. Its price hikes will increase costs in the manufacture of automobiles, refrigerators, stoves, washing machines and in numerous other steel-consuming fields. Whether the higher rates will increase the buying price of these consumer goods could not be determined immediately, however.

In Detroit, the nation's automakers declined comment on the immediate effect of the steel increase of auto prices.

But K. T. Keller, president of Chrysler Corporation, admitted that "We buy steel, and if it costs us more, then naturally the cars are going to cost more."

Industry sources admitted the steel hike removed all hope of

major car and truck price cut-backs.

Announcing the price revisions in Pittsburgh last night, Benjamin F. Fairless, president of U. S. Steel, said the changes "reflect actual and approaching changes in the cost of production, including the substantial higher costs to result when our insurance and pension programs become effective."

Contracts providing social insurance and \$100-a-month pensions for the CIO United Steelworkers, headed by CIO President Philip Murray, cracked the steel dispute last month. Murray had no immediate comment on the Fairless announcement last night, but he said he might issue a statement today.

THEATRE CALENDAR

Boxoffices at the three theaters will open at 1:15 p. m., and the shows will begin at 1:30 p. m.

PALACE

Friday and Saturday, December 16 and 17 — "Brimestone" with Rod Cameron and Adrian Booth.

Saturday prevue, Sunday and Monday — "It's A Great Feeling" with Dennis Morgan, Doris Day and Jack Carson.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday — "Fighting Kentuckian" with John Wayne and Vera Ralston.

Friday and Saturday December 23 and 24 — "Abbott and Costello Meet the Killers."

MONOGRAM

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 15-17 — "Fighting Redhead" with Jim Bannon and Emmett Lynn.

Sunday and Monday — "Ring-side" with Don Barry, Tom Brown and Shelia Ryan.

Tuesday and Wednesday — "Drums Along the Mohawk" with Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday — December 22 and 24 — "American Empire" with Richard Dix and Leo Carrillo.

GEM

Friday and Saturday, December 16 and 17 — "Wyoming Bandit" with Allen Lane.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday — "Geronimo" with Preston Foster, Andy Devine and Ellen Drew.

Wednesday and Thursday — "Flame of Youth" with Barbara Fuller and "Gang of Mine" with the East Side Kids.

Friday and Saturday, December 23 and 24 — "Lone Texas Range" with Red Ryder.

BRITISH NEWSPAPER ADDS EXPLANATION TO NEWS ITEM

LONDON, Dec. 16 (UP)—The News Chronicle reported today that a British performer had "wowed" clubs in America. The report carried the following footnote: "Wow" astonish, flabbergast.

Air Force Probe On Latest B-29 Crash Continues

ROSWELL, N. M., Dec. 16 (UP)—Air force officers investigated today to learn if a B-29 Superfort bomber which crashed killing six crewmen and injuring eight, had been reconditioned after the series of fatal crashes last month which grounded the big craft.

The four-engine bomber plunged to earth last night as it came in for a landing at Walker Air Base after a routine training flight. The plane exploded and burned. Five men were killed instantly and a sixth died later. Three other men were seriously injured. The five remaining crewmen suffered minor cuts and bruises.

Capt. A. H. Pyatt, base information officers, said the quick work of fire department squads and air force police saved the lives of the survivors.

It was the fifth crash involving a B-29 bomber since November 11. A total of 33 air force men were killed in the mishaps which caused the air force to order all B-29's grounded unless they had been "reconditioned."

Officers assigned to investigate last night's crash admitted that they did not know whether the plane had undergone the reconditioning process.

"We only know the crash did not result from engine failure," they said.

Pyatt said he was "almost sure" the plane had been certified as airworthy, however.

The base operations officers said the pilot, 1st Lt. Robert L. Eymann had not radioed that he was in trouble as he swept into the final leg of his landing approach.

Eymann was killed in the crash along with 1st Lt. Richard Leggio, 1st Lt. Robert Vandermullen, Capt. Charles A. Whitlock and S/Sgt. Carmello J. Cannata of New Britain, Conn.

Those injured seriously were S/Sgt. Glen Howard Stoddard, Jr., of Stoughton, Mass., Capt. Richard Simonson of Roswell, and S/Sgt. Adria L. Edgell of Bristol, W. Va.

Mexico May Deport "Prince"

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15 (UP)—"Prince" Otto Wilhelm Hohenzollern claims to royal birth and German citizenship may cause his deportation, Mexican authorities said today.

Immigration officials who have been checking the "prince's" status, said he entered Mexico on a tourist card as a United States citizen. They said he could be deported if he really is a German citizen as he claims.

The self-styled son of the late Kaiser Wilhelm II has been identified by American newspapers as Rico David Tancous, a Washington burglar suspect. He came here with his bride, New Orleans heiress Virginia Kirk, several weeks ago when a storm of publicity wrecked his brief career as a lion of Creole society.

The "prince" said he was "outraged" by reports that the Federal Bureau of Investigation would bar his return to the United States on the basis of a Justice Department ruling that Tancous is an "undesirable alien."

"That Washington business is all arranged," he said. "I talked to Washington and New Orleans and there is nothing to it." He did not explain how he had "arranged" the affair, but admitted that he did not plan to return to the United States. He said the Justice Department ruling "had nothing to do with my decision."

The "Prince" said his immigration difficulties were due to an American "plot" to keep him from ascending the German imperial throne under Russian sponsorship.

Rita Calm After Hearing She May Undergo Surgery

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Dec. 16 (UP)—Actress Rita Hayworth has taken calmly the news that she may have to undergo surgery during the birth of her child, expected this week end, her friends said today.

While Prof. Rudolph Rochat's ultra fashionable Montchoisi clinic made last-minute preparations to receive its famed patient this week end, Rita was reported planning her return to Hollywood to resume her film career.

The career was interrupted when she left for Europe and marriage to Prince Aly Khan last May 27.

Despite the fact that Prof. Rochat told Rita yesterday about the possibility of surgery, she was in excellent spirits when she returned to the Lausanne-Palace Hotel from Chateau Dorigny, where the doctor examined her.

The chateau is the home of Princess Andree, third wife of the Aga Khan, Rita's wealthy father-in-law.

Friends of the princess and her husband deride rumors that she may quit the films.

The rumors apparently originated from the fact that if Rita has a boy baby his status as a Mohammedan prince would require that he be taken to India to be shown to the Aga Khan's followers.

Rita probably would accompany the child, but circles close to the family believed that Rita would make a picture or two in Hollywood first, if suitable stories were found.

Secretary Took It But 'Take It Away' Leon Didn't Like It

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 16 (UP)—The blond secretary of western band leader Leon "Take It Away" McAuliffe says she took nearly \$10,000 from his band because she loved McAuliffe but he was always "strictly business" with her.

Wanda Wall, 27, charged on two counts of embezzlement, explained from her jail cell that she was in love with her boss, but he saw her only as a secretary.

She said she admired McAuliffe's "personality" and music "as long as I can remember" before he hired her last year to handle the band's affairs — and money — for \$29 a week.

"Leon just kept his relations with me on a strictly business basis and I was tired," she said. "I kept thinking of ways to hurt him and I thought of this. I wanted to hurt him as much as possible and I thought this was the only way."

The stocky secretary said earlier she took the money for "clothes, whisky and living."

She was arrested after failing to account for \$299.81 of the band's money in November. Assistant Tulsa County Attorney James P. Devine said she also admitted taking some \$1300 earlier, but covered up with false bank deposit slips.

She said she has only a few dollars left, after buying jewelry, clothing, furniture, a television set and a Christmas tree.

More Telephone Installers Walk Out On Strike

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16 (UP)—Another 80 Western Electric Co. telephone installers walked off their jobs yesterday as the strike began last week in Granite City, Ill., spread to Springfield, Mo., and three Arkansas towns.

J. H. Brashear, president of the installers' union, Local 70, CIO American Communication Equipment Workers, said about 30 quit their jobs at Springfield while another 50 struck at Little Rock, Fort Smith and Texarkana, Ark. Two hundred installers walked out here the day after 40 men left their jobs in Granite City when Western Electric refused to grant a union demand for increased subsistence and housing pay for installers transferred to Kansas City, Mo.

Ike Again Hits At Administration For Big Spending

FORT WORTH, Dec. 16 (UP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower returned to New York today, still denying that he wants to be President but criticizing the administration for spending too much money.

Eisenhower told a Chamber of Commerce audience here last night that a family which spent money like the federal government would be dispossessed by the sheriff.

"In family life, if we spend more than we make we are dispossessed," he said. "I don't see how a nation can expect different treatment."

More than 4000 persons, some sitting on the floor for lack of seats, heard Eisenhower ask, "How far can we go in taxing away property?"

He urged decentralization in government and a return of paramount powers to the people.

A solution for many of the nation's domestic problems, he said, "can be found in the tremendous powers that is America—its natural resources and the genius of the people."

Referring to the "atomic shadow" covering the present age, he said, "We ought not to depend on the atom bomb winning a war for us, nor should we expect it to win against us."

"Since V-J Day, there has been a growing, constant concern among our people—a resentment, a weariness. There are a number of problems to which there is no sure answer."

Eisenhower said he viewed with alarm "an ideology constantly creeping over the world and reaching farther into Asia." He said at times the American people "have felt almost alone in a fight for freedom."

At a news conference earlier, he repeated that he is not a presidential candidate and won't be talked into becoming one.

"Frankly, I have no political angles and I'm not going to let any sort of talk by others make me a candidate," he said.

Two Injured In Jump From 'Iced' Air Force C-82

RENO, Nev., Dec. 16 (UP)—Six military passengers parachuted from a C-82 air force flying boxcar which "iced up" over the Nevada mountains early today but the plane made a safe landing here.

Two of the men who parachuted were injured. One received a broken leg and the other a broken arm.

The plane's four crewmen stayed with the ship as the pilot, Lt. George Dumont fought it to a landing at Hubbard Field here despite the heavy coating of ice on its wings and controls.

Dumont said the ice formed on the plane as it flew at 14,000 feet over the rugged Pyramid Lake mountain range in western Nevada.

He said he ordered the six passengers to jump because he believed they had a better chance to survive than if they stayed with him as he brought the ship down. His crew elected to stick by him, he said.

The six men who parachuted landed close together and the four who were not injured built a fire and bundled the two others in "plenty of warm clothing." Then the uninjured men hiked across 20 miles of rugged terrain to a highway for help.

Two Injured When Airliner Wrecks

MEXICO CITY, Dec. (UP)—Two persons were slightly injured here today when a contract DC-3 airliner was wrecked on take off at the Central Airport.

There were no fatalities.

The co-pilot and an American employee of the Mexican-American foot and mouth disease commission both received cuts and bruises.

Pilot Blacks Out When Oxygen Fails; Comes To In Time To Pull Parachute

(EDITORS NOTE: Lt. Col. F. C. Fay, U. S. Air Force, "blacked out" at 16,000 feet when his oxygen supply failed. He recovered consciousness just in time to parachute to safety as his F-51 fighter dived out of control over the Monongahela National Forest. This is his account of his experience.)

By Lt. Col. F. C. Fay

ELKINS, W. Va., Dec. 16 (UP)—It's pretty hard to remember what I thought about the hardest about the time I passed out. Like anyone who's got a close look at the jaws of the Grim Reaper I guess, lots of things flashed across my mind and it's tough to sort them out.

The last thing that really sticks in my mind before I slipped into that sleep was a regret — just a fleeting one, mine you — for not having radioed for permission to take a lower altitude.

"I don't want any more of this," I kept telling myself. "I'm going down."

I must have still been knocking myself about that when I saw the tips of my fingers go blue first, then my whole hand. All my muscles and joints then seemed to go to sleep. My reflexes slowed, then stopped. I felt myself going all right but there was nothing I could do about it.

Pretty soon, I was limp all over. I couldn't think and I couldn't do anything. I was totally helpless. You might say I felt something like a marshmallow in a cup of hot chocolate.

I don't know what it was — instinct, I guess you'd call it — but something told me right then and there I'd better get out fast. It's probably because of the instinct of self-preservation and the air force training that naturally comes out of its flyers in emergencies that I'm still around.

I don't remember exactly but I have a foggy recollection of grabbing the emergency which slid the canopy back, throwing my right arm over the side of the cockpit, rolling in that direction, then out with one quick push. The strong wind velocity of the dive did the rest.

I don't recall it being difficult but I probably was kicking and shoving like all fury. My foot clipped the tail of the plane and the doctor tells me two of the bones were fractured.

I must have been feeling the "blackout" all the way down on the chute because I landed in a tree on a farm and don't clearly remember how I got in there.

I guess I didn't really begin gathering my wits until after two of the farmers got me out of the

dangling position in which I was freed. My first thoughts were of my wife and 4-year-old son. My wife is expecting another child and I wanted to be sure she knew I was alright.

The soldiering, I guess, was the next thing that showed on me. I was afraid the publicity would reflect on the air force and that the public wouldn't like hearing about that plane I was flying to the safety engineering conference at San Diego being smashed up.

I only hope this won't cause the air force to think I'm too old for high flying. I'm still only 31.

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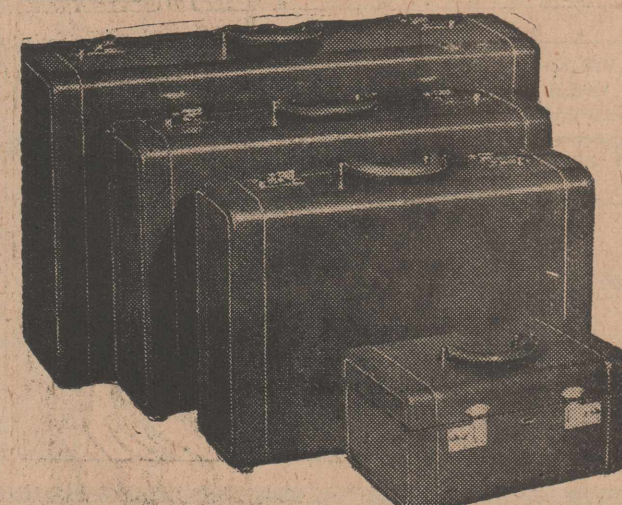
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