The Weather

West Texas: Generally fair tonight and Thursday; slowly rising temperature Thursday.

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Good Evening

If ever I am a teacher, it will be to learn more than to teach.

AMARILLO MERCURY DROPS TO TWO DEGREES

NAZIS SWEEP AS BRITISH SOW 'FORMIDABLE BARRAGE'



Germany issues a world-wide order to its merchant vessels to head for home at any risk—the British admiralty warns Allied shipping that "a most formidable barrage of mines has been laid along the east coast of Scotland and England"—and as pictured above, Nazi mine sweepers patrol the North Sea, lift mines carefully from the sea, in their efforts to keep shipping channels open for Nazi ships.

Stalin Picks 300,000 To Crush Finns

Huge Red Army Ordered To Crush Finnish Resistance

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 27 (AP)—Fresh Soviet Russian legions under the command of Joseph Stalin's personal friends were reported by the Finnish military command today to be marching into the central and arctic fronts for new smashes against the stubborn Finns.

Coming on the heels of reported Finnish drives as much as 50 miles in some sectors, the Finnish northern army headquarters said 300,000 picked Red army soldiers were being massed to counteract recent retreats.

The Russians have lost 4,000 men in the sub-zero cold of the arctic fighting the last three days, dispatches from the Finnish headquarters said.

Russian strategy was foreseen by military observers to be a renewed drive to cut Finland in half.

Although outnumbered, the Finnish command counted on the bitter arctic weather, as well as military strategy, to withstand the expected attack.

A Finnish communique yesterday said the Soviet forces left 700 dead on the ice of Lake Suvanto on the Karelian isthmus in a clash in which Soviet tank, airplane and artillery units engaged.

(The Russian army communique merely reported "petty skirmishes of reconnoitering units and artillery duels in a number of areas."

It said Soviet aviation engaged in reconnoitering flights.)

Only 6,000 citizens of Vi Puri, near the Karelian isthmus front, here said to be left of the city's population of 40,000 following a shelling by long-range Russian artillery. The damage was reported as slight.

East of Lieska, the Finns were reported still advancing slowly into Russian territory in an attempt to cut off the Russian Murmansk railway.

MARRIED 50 YEARS TOMORROW



Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser, Sr., above, of Boydston, will observe their Golden Wedding anniversary with open house from 2 until 8:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The Frasers were married in Marlin in 1889 and two years later moved to Boydston in the southwest corner of Gray county, 5½ miles east of Groom, where they have since made their home. They are the parents of W. T. Fraser of Pampa.

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Frasers To Observe Golden Wedding Day

Residents of Gray county for 48 years, Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser, Sr., will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary in their beautiful country home at Boydston on Thursday. The pioneer couple homesteaded a section of land and built a home of native stone and lumber when they first came to the Panhandle. They have built two homes since then but one of the walls of the original home still stands.

Mr. Fraser and Miss Margaret Troup were married in Marlin on December 28, 1889. Although they both came from the same part of Scotland, they did not meet until reaching the United States. Mr. Fraser was born in 1866 in Tarland, near Aberdeen, Scotland. Mrs. Fraser was born in 1867 at Lunsden, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. In 1886 Mr. Fraser and a brother of his future wife came to America and a year later young Troup was joined by his sister and it was then that Mr. Fraser and Miss Troup met.

Upon his arrival in Gray county, Mr. Fraser joined Morris Knorpp, Sr., of Groom, and the late Col. Charles Goodnight, of Goodnight, in fencing the first land in the southwest part of Gray county and in parts of Carson, Donley and Armstrong counties.

Oldest Postmaster

In those days a stageline passed along what is now U. S. Highway 66 and on which the Fraser's live 5½ miles east of Groom. The Fraser home was designated a stageline stop and postoffice and given the name Boydston. Mr. Fraser was named postmaster, an office he has held ever since. He is now believed to be the oldest postmaster in point of service in the United States. There has been talk of abandoning the postoffice at the Fraser home where neighbors still get their mail but Mr. Fraser has asked that the office not be discontinued until 1941 when he will have 50 years of service.

The Fraser's will hold open house between 2 and 8:30 p. m., tomorrow when friends from all points of the Panhandle will visit them.

Had Nine Children

Nine children were born to the Frasers and six still survive. All of the children were born in Gray county. They were:

Mrs. Beatrice Fraser Angel, deceased; Buddy Fraser, deceased; Mrs. Marjorie Mae Fraser Emery, residing at the Jack Roach ranch headquarters in Donley county; Mrs. Jennie Watt Fraser Parker, Eagle Pass; John Fraser, Jr., deceased; Mrs. Bessie Victoria Fraser Slay, Wellington; William T. Fraser, Pampa; Walter Knorpp Fraser, at home; Mrs. Willie Wilhelma Fraser Inman, residing south of Boydston. There are 16 grandchildren who will join in the celebration.

Temperature Hits 3.7 Here Today

Under a bright sun this morning Pampans "thawed out" from the effects of the lowest temperature of the year. At 8:35 o'clock this morning the minimum 1939 temperature, according to the local U. S. Weather Bureau, was recorded when the thermometer read 3.7 degrees. Shortly before noon the temperature had climbed to 9 degrees.

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The forecast for West Texas was generally fair tonight, Thursday slowly rising temperatures.

At midnight Tuesday the temperature was 4 degrees, at 7 a. m. only two degrees higher. One hour later the reading had dropped back to 4, then .3 point lower still 35 minutes later.

Snow filled the Y east of Pampa, at the intersection of Highway 152 and U. S. 60, delaying departure of a Dallas bound bus from that point. The bus left Pampa at 7 o'clock this morning, but was halted by the snow-filled Y, while employes of the Texas Highway department worked to clear the road.

Buses Make Runs

Buses were arriving in Pampa yesterday with little delay in schedule and that occasioned by heavy traffic and the necessity of slowing down on account of slick pavements as much as by general weather conditions.

From Pampa to Amarillo, buses had no difficulty in making their runs, but roads west of Amarillo were blocked.

Amarillo last night exceeded Pampa's low temperature, with 2 degrees reported at the government station at the airport. At the government's thermometer in downtown Amarillo the reading was 10 degrees. A high of 30 and a low of 8 was predicted for tonight.

Despite the slow rising temperature, little melting of the Plains Yuletide snowfall was expected. Highways were ice glaced and hazardous.

There was no wind in Pampa today and none was predicted for tonight.

4 At Lubbock

Snow and rain brought approximately one inch moisture to the Panhandle. Locally, no precipitation was reported for last night or today. Yesterday precipitation amounted to .45 inch.

Wichita Falls, with a minimum of 22 degrees last night, had its first hard freeze of the season. It was the lowest temperature in Wichita Falls since last February. The sky was clear there today.

Lubbock reported a minimum overnight temperature of 4 degrees. At 8:30 o'clock the reading was 6.5 and was slowly rising. The sun was shining and there was a slight breeze from the northwest.

Clayton, New Mexico, Has 18-Inch Snow

(By The Associated Press)

Stinging winter weather, coldest of the season, struck deep into Texas today (Wednesday) and knocked down temperatures to as low as two degrees.

Over nearly all the state the sun shone out of a diamond-bright sky but its effect was small. The wintry blast stretched to the gulf, Houston reporting 31 degrees at its airport and Corpus Christi 40.

Freshly-fallen snow froze in the two-degree Amarillo weather. Lubbock's temperature fell to four degrees above zero, the lowest mark recorded since last February. Plainview with six degrees and Borger with 10 (lowest in two years) were other hard-hit centers.

The forecast for tonight called for more cold, clear weather with temperatures rising slowly tomorrow.

Other temperature minimums: Abilene 21 and lowest this winter; Wichita Falls 22 and lowest since February; San Angelo 23, colder tonight; Waco 29, season's low; Tyler 30; Corsicana and Austin 30; San Antonio 34; Dallas 27, lowest this winter; Del Rio 37, Brownsville 40, El Paso 30.

Amarillo's near-zero minimum was recorded at the airport, although the downtown government station registered 10 above. A low of eight degrees was predicted in the Panhandle metropolis tonight, enough to keep the snow from melting before New Year's.

All Panhandle highways were glazed with ice.

Snowstorms and zero weather whirled eastward today (Wednesnine to 18 inches deep over the day), leaving a white blanket old "dust bowl."

The snow was passing over Missouri, Iowa and northern Arkansas and was due to hit Ohio by nightfall.

But as midwest and southwest shivered, two of winter's strongholds reported "heat waves." Temperatures in the high 20s and 30s in Michigan were the highest for December in the 66-year history of the Detroit weather bureau, and a ski tournament in the Wasatch mountains of Utah was postponed because of lack of snow.

To carry out the freak theme—frost warnings were issued in the California citrus belt, and a gulf storm whipped near-freezing temperatures into New Orleans.

Two hundred automobiles were abandoned in snow-covered mountain passes near Clayton, N. M., but all passengers were brought out safely by highway department trucks and motorists with chains. The snow was 18 inches deep in Clayton, near the center of the "dust bowl" of 1934-37.

At Guymon, Okla., there were 10 inches of snow and at Boise City 12 inches. Rain, sleet and as much as five inches of snow were general over the Texas Panhandle. The temperature was eight above at Amarillo and was expected to dive below zero.

Kansas farmers were cheered by snow falls of five inches to a foot.

Crop experts said the snow would be of immense benefit to wheat in eastern and central Kansas and Oklahoma but feared crops to the west were too far gone to germinate. Continued precipitation will be necessary to guarantee a completely droughtless summer.

Nebraska, another wheat state, also benefited from three to nine inches of snow.

Planes were grounded at St. Louis, apparently the center of the storm early today. The storm had passed Kansas City.

Near-zero and sub-zero temperatures held generally over Colorado, Wyoming and Montana, but no new snow seemed on the way from the Rocky Mountains.

Lubbock Man Will Install Officers Of Pampa Kiwanis

W. G. McMillan of Lubbock, lieutenant-governor of division 6 of the Texas-Oklahoma Kiwanis district, will be in Pampa on the night of January 11, to install new officers of the Pampa Kiwanis club, it was announced today by W. B. Weatherred, president of the local club. The installation will be held at a banquet at the Schneider hotel.

Rev. Robert Boshen, a vice-president of the Pampa club, will be the principal speaker, and Fred Thompson, will conduct the installation of officers of the Sanford Kiwanis club at their annual installation banquet to be held in Sanford at 7 o'clock tomorrow night. Several members of the Pampa club are expected to make the Sanford trip.

American Student Union Opens Meet

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 27 (AP)—A message from President Roosevelt encouraging discussion of "the real issues that confront our country" launched the American Student union today on its fifth annual convention.

The President's message to Joseph P. Lash, national secretary, was presented to 400 delegates from colleges, universities and high schools as they assembled at the Memorial union on the University of Wisconsin campus for a four-day appraisal of world events, with war topics receiving major attention.

An evaluation of the Soviet union, with probable emphasis on hostilities in Finland, was scheduled for tonight. One of the principal speakers will be Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist party in America.

Farm Parity Price Benefits Will Be Kept, Says Senator

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Senator Bankhead (D-Ala) said after a conference with President Roosevelt today that the administration had no intention of abandoning the principle of farm parity price benefit payments.

Bankhead, who has been active in seeking congressional appropriations for these subsidies to give the farmer a fair exchange price for his products in relation to goods he buys, added, however, that if farm prices continued to rise an appropriation for parity payments on 1941 crops might not be necessary.

He remarked also that the $225,000,000 appropriated last session for payments on 1939-40 wheat, corn, cotton, tobacco and rice might not be used in full because of the present price trend.

Alaskan Indians Fastest Growing Population Group

JUNEAU, Alaska, Dec. 27 (AP)—Alaska's Indians, on the basis of preliminary 1940 census returns, are making a lie of that "vanquishing American" adage.

First census figures from several villages show them to be the fastest growing population group. Reports include: Craig, 501 from 231 in 1930; Hydaburg, 347 from 319; Klawock, 455 from 437; Metlakatla, 674 from 466.

Stop! That shimmy. Have your wheels balanced. Dixie Tire Co.

Fascist-Holy See Peace Move Favored

ROME, Dec. 27 (AP)—A suggestion that the Italian government and the holy see collaborate for promotion of peace and opposition to any spread of Communism has come from a journalist reputed to be closest to Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano.

The newspapermen, Giovanni Ansaldo, was quoted yesterday by the Catholic journal Avvenire as indicating such a possibility was heightened by the prospective visit of Pope Pius XII to King Vittorio Emanuele and Queen Elena tomorrow—the first visit by a Pope to an Italian sovereign in 69 years.

Red Bombers Raid Munitions City

HELSINKI, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Russian air force today struck repeatedly and vigorously at Tampere, vital Finnish munitions city, and other cities in a series of bombing raids.

Twelve bombers appeared over Tampere first at 9:58 a. m. (2:58 a. m., EST) and dropped only a few bombs, but returned two hours later to shower at least 50 bombs on the city.

Official reports said the result was "destruction of some dwellings, one dead and one injured."

The important seaport of Turki (Abo) on the southwest coast was bombed, first by two planes and then by a squadron of 15. Most of the 50 bombs dropped there fell into the water harmlessly.

Helsinki was visited by a lone enemy plane, but apparently no bombs were dropped.

Viipuri, Hameenlinna and other cities also sighted Russian bombers during the new wave of raids.

Convicted Bomber Sentenced To Prison

DALLAS, Dec. 27 (AP)—E. R. Wyatt, 36, former East Texas school superintendent, was formally sentenced to 50 years in prison today by Judge Grover Adams for his burglary by explosive attack on Miss Mary Jo Miller, 26, one of his former teachers.

Formal sentence was passed after Judge Adams denied Wyatt's motion for a new trial. Defense Attorney Albert S. Baskett, gave notice of appeal.

I Saw . . .

Tenants of the Combs-Worley building feudin' with courthouse officials over the sparrow situation. The Combs-Worley cliff-dwellers claim that each night the county officials take long poles and chase the thousands of sparrows out of the trees around the courthouse. The office-building occupants furthermore claim that the birds then fly to the Combs-Worley structure and roost on the windows. "If you can prove they're our sparrows we'll take them back," countered County Judge Sherman White.

That family group. Now is the time to make it while they are all here. Fletcher's.

Cities Service Head, Henry Doherty, Dies

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27 (AP)—Death has ended the success saga of Henry L. Doherty—the poor boy who realized an American dream of business empire.

The 69-year-old head of the far-flung Cities Service company died last night of bronchial pneumonia.

At his bedside in Temple University hospital were his widow, Mrs. Grace Doherty, and W. A. Jones, executive vice president of Cities Service.

Plagued for years by arthritis, Doherty had been undergoing one of periodic treatments for the condition. His physician, Dr. Charles Leonard Brown, said he was stricken with pneumonia two weeks ago.

With zeal characteristic of his climb to the pinnacle, the white-haired financier ignored the handicap of illness to forge still more accomplishments.

To the very end, he submerged personal feelings to immerse himself in the promotion of various researches which close associates described as among the most significant of his career.

Doherty's fortunes had their inception in Columbus, O., where he was born May 15, 1870—a newsboy at 10, gas company manager at 20, and so up the scale to millions at 40.

It was at 40 that life for Doherty began in the larger sense, for in 1910 he launched Cities Service. Under his guidance, it flourished into an enterprise of international dimensions. By 1929 its assets in utilities and oil holdings totaled more than a billion dollars.

The utilities magnate reached out into other fields. The Miami Biltmore hotel, built at Coral Gables during the Florida boom at a cost of $10,000,000, was Doherty's chief property at the winter resort.

Aside from the arduous responsibilities of finance—three years ago he was listed as a director of 95 corporations and president of 87 of them—Doherty's engineering prowess won him fame in the realm of science.

The one-time chief engineer for a gas company he ultimately absorbed in his corporation network perfected a cooler system for preparing artificial gas, new distillation methods for petroleum and sundry other devices.

Human Hands Break 'Lock Of Death'

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Dec. 27 (AP)—From the Kuskokwim river wilderness came a rare tale today of human hands realizing the "lock of death" in which two powerful bull moose apparently had been battling for days.

Pilot Don Glass reported first sighting the big animals with locked horns. He flew back to the spot two days later with Wild Life Agent Jack Benson and two other men.

Near the battle scene, they heard a sharp crack as the younger bull went limp with a broken neck. They rushed in and hog-tied both animals. With a small hand saw, Benson severed the entangled antlers of the victorious forest monarch. Released, it trotted away. The younger bull soon died.

Death in bull moose battles is no rarity, but wild life authorities here said it was the first case in which they had heard of men freeing the combatants. In many instances the victor dies with the vanquished because he can not free his horns.

BCD Officers To Be Named Tonight

Old and new directors of the Pampa Board of City Development and members of the advisory board will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. New officers will be elected at tonight's meeting.

Six new directors were appointed by the City commission at a recent meeting and they will be installed at the meeting, presided over by Farris Oden, retiring president.

The new directors are W. T. Fraser, W. A. Bratton, George Berlin, Ray Hagan, Frank Culberson and Glen Mordy.

Retiring directors are R. B. Allen, Dan Gribbon, Dan Williams, Reno Stinson, H. P. Lusby and J. T. Johnson.

Hitler Youth Collect Spud Sacks, Jute Bags

BERLIN, Dec. 27 (AP)—Members of the Hitler youth organization began collecting potato sacks and other jute bags from housewives.

The populace was informed that jute bags were needed urgently "for food and defense purposes" of the reich.

I Heard - - -

Mrs. A. H. Doucette expressing delight over Pampa's quiet Christmas. Mrs. Doucette and the Twentieth Century club have been advocating the quiet Christmas idea for three years and the response this year was the best yet. "We thank everyone," Mrs. Doucette said today.

Wilson P-K One Stop now honors shell Courtesy Cards and coupons.

Air Tour Would Glamorize Army

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Army recruiting sergeants will take to the air next month in a super-selling effort to fill the 227,000 enlistment quota set by President Roosevelt.

Four flying recruiting units—two planes each—will tour the country from coast to coast.

The tour is another part of the campaign to "glamorize" the army, using all the high-pressure methods of modern American business—and more besides. "Glamor" is a word found in the army's own publicity.

Youngsters chosen for service in the air corps these days may be given a free ride in a big bomber to their first station of duty. "As many as the traffic will bear," a War Department official said, are being transported that way.

For the first time, magazines soon will be carrying army advertisements, paid for by some commercial sponsor "in the interest of national defense." The ads will show soldiers in laboratories and planes and even on kitchen police duty.

At any moment, your local radio station may give out one of eight transcribed programs appealing for enlistments.

In neighborhood theaters too, the same sort of talk can be heard, with accompanying pictures of the army in action.

Even the open road soon will be used by recruiting officers. Bids have been requested for 18 luxurious offices on wheels—big truck-and-trailer combinations with sleeping quarters for five soldiers.

Meanwhile, a glamorized "Miss Liberty," with bronze hair, beckons to young men from 75,000 army posters in busses, trolleys and subways, from 15,000 billboard sheets, and from the signboards in front of 44 recruiting stations and 488 substations (112 more than on Oct. 2.)

Decorations To Be Judged Tonight Or Tomorrow Night

Judging of Pampa home decorations will take place either tonight or tomorrow night by three members of the Amarillo Garden club. Pampans whose homes are decorated are urged to have lights burning between 7:30 and 10:30 o'clock both nights.

The contest is being sponsored by the Pampa Garden club which is giving a cash prize of $20 for the best decorated home in the city and prizes of $10, $5 and $3.50 for first, second and third places, respectively, in each of three districts into which the city has been divided. The home winning the grand prize will not be eligible for a district prize.

The heavy snow over the weekend has added to the beauty of many of the decorations.

Mrs. H. B. Landrum is president of the Pampa Garden club and Mrs. J. B. Massa is chairman of the committee on home decorations.

To manufacture cowboy boots we use imported leathers. Gurley's

Five Boys Killed In Dynamite Blast

WATERFORD, N. Y., Dec. 27 (AP)—State police theorized today that the explosion of approximately 200 pounds of dynamite that blew five Cohoes youths to bits was caused by a rifle bullet.

As identification of the parts of five bodies came hours after the blast late yesterday, Thomas Quigley, a state employe, told troopers he saw five youths near the scene and heard several shots fired.

The youths, identified from hunting licenses as Frederick Deeb, 15; Roger Murray, 18; Russell Prescott, 14; Bentley E. Fogarty, 16, and Arthur Perras, 15, died near a metal-covered trailer in which the dynamite was cached.

Hundreds Reported Killed In 'Quake

ANKARA, Dec. 27. (AP)—Hundreds were reported killed and whole villages destroyed in an earthquake which shook northern Anatolia early today.

Four shocks were felt in Ankara between 2:00 a. m. and 5:00 a. m. today (between 6 p. m. and 9 p. m. central standard time Tuesday).

Accurate information of the damage caused was not immediately available because communications were disrupted.

Officials by late afternoon said, however, that reports indicated a major catastrophe.

The quake's center apparently was along the Black Sea coast of Turkey in Asia.

Heavy damage was reported at Ordu, Samsu, Tokat, Amasia, Sivas and Yozgad.

Thousands were reported to have abandoned towns for the fields, fearing additional shocks.

Car Crash Victim Buried In White Deer In Afternoon

Funeral services for Barbara Jane Stone, three-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Stone of White Deer, who died yesterday in a Quanah hospital as a result of injuries suffered in an automobile collision two miles west of Goodlett on Highway 370, will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon in White Deer. Burial will occur in the White Deer cemetery. Arrangements are by Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral home of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone remain in the hospital at Quanah, where both are in a critical condition. Mrs. Stone is not expected to live.

Valton Guyen Hutson of White Deer, son of Mrs. M. T. Hutson of Tulia, had both legs broken in the accident that occurred Monday afternoon. He is in a Quanah hospital.

Mrs. M. T. Hutson died in a Childress hospital Monday of injuries received in the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutson and two children of Wichita Falls, other occupants of the Hutson car, were not injured.

Temperatures In Pampa

6 p. m.	Tuesday	17
9 p. m.	Tuesday	9
Midnight		8
6 a. m.	Today	4
7 a. m.		4
8 a. m.		6
9 a. m.		4
10 a. m.		9
11 a. m.		16
12 Noon		21
1 p. m.		23
2 p. m.		23
Tuesday's maximum		21

Drive safely on U. S. Royal Masters. Motor Inn Auto Supply, Dist.

Murphy To Present Sabotage Evidence

DETROIT, Dec. 27 (AP)—Attorney General Frank Murphy said today evidence of sabotage and espionage in Detroit, Flint and Lansing, Mich., will be presented next week in Washington to a special grand jury.

Murphy withheld details, but the automotive industry and the war department have been cooperating for some time on various projects connected with munitions and armament.

French Wash Hands Of Left Driving Tommies

PARIS, Dec. 27. (AP)—The "delicate" problem of what to do with British Tommies who lapse into their habit of driving on the left side of the highway has been solved by the French government.

These offenses and other traffic rule violations will be turned over to military authorities of the British army, Minister of Justice Georges Bonnet announced.

Formal Dance Entertains Guests And Members Of Lightfoot Club Tuesday

Lightfoot club members and guests were entertained with a gala formal holiday nickelodeon dance given at the Country club Tuesday night.

The ballroom was attractively decorated in red and green colors.

Sponsor for the evening was Mrs. L. L. McColm.

Registering were Joan Gurley, James Foran, Allen Hudgell, Iris Williams, Howard Buckingham, Jr., John King, Warren King, Harriett Price, William Miskimins, Patsy Gaut, Kirk Duncan, Vera Lee Brunow, Bob Andis, Jimmy Mosley, Max McAfee, Bill Smellage of Houston, Mary Kate Bourland, Charles Hickman, Joe Cargile, Martha Price, Hoyt Rice, Norma Jean McKinney, Bill Adams, George Cree, Jr.

Jerry Smith, Bill Davis, Ed Bissett, Margery McColm, Bobbie Karr, Frances Tolbert, Harold McMurray, Inez Shaw, Bud McAfee, Kathleen Palmer, J. I. Howard, Severin Katara, Jack Cunningham, Reita Lee Eller, Bill Jones, Ann Buckler, Aubrey Green, Jacquelyn Hurst, Harold Gillespie, Betty Jo Anderson, John Edwin McConnell, Elmer Watkins, Betty Shyrock, Bill Matthews, Howard Willingham.

Marguerite Kirchman, Hudson Meador, Carolyn Surratt, Junior Brown, Jane Hatfield, Leon Holmes, Roy Goodwin, Earl McKinney, Heidi Schneider, Jack Andrews, Mickey Ledrick, Travis Lively, Helen Draper, Chester Hunkapillar, Bonnie Lea Rose, Chief Carlyle, Clinton Evans, Frances Thompson, Carl Camp, Pat Bisett, Bill Richey, Betty Cree, Buddy Wilson, Ann Chisholm, Jerry Thomas, Jim Brown.

Robert Fletcher, John Garman, Jacob Garman, Jr., Betty Plank, James Evans, Donna Day, Wyndell LaCasse, Dorothy Jane Day, Jack Hessey, Dorothy Miskimins, Bill Winchester, Roberta Bell, Ralph Hamilton, Faye Redman, Buster Wilkins, Nevin Johnson, Hugh Anderson, Della Butler, Clayton Butler, Vee Anderson, Betty McAfee, Bob Ward, Ed Terrell, Billy Ward, R. G. Candler, Roy Lackey, Junior Williams, Howard Jensen, and Jimmy Hammill.

On New Year's eve night, the Moravians of Winston-Salem, N. C., gather to hear their bishop read a careful and lengthy "diary" of the past year. The document is called the memorabilia.

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Misses Posey Have Open House This Week For Guests

Misses Gloria and Virginia Posey entertained a group of friends with open house this week at home.

The afternoon was spent informally in rooms decorated in the holiday theme. Pictures of the group were taken also.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McCarley, Miss Idabelle Wagnon, Wayne Phelps, Otto Rice, Mayse Nash, Miss Donna Jo Berry, Larry McMurtry, Miss Betty Jo Thurman, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Gregory, Parks Brumley, Dorothy Brumley, Bill Davis, Jane Kerbow, Berton Doucette, Miss Mildred Patterson, Harry Barnett, Miss Mary Price, Ruth Wagnon, and H. B. Hackney of Clinton, Oklahoma.

LeFors Art And Civic Club Group Has Holiday Party

Special To The NEWS

LEFORS, Dec. 27—Members of Lefors Art and Civic club members entertained their husbands and friends with a Christmas party last week in the home of Mrs. Roy Calvert.

The rooms were decorated with holly, mistletoe, lighted with red and green candles, and a large Christmas tree where the gifts were placed.

The group played games and sang Christmas carols led by R. E. Paige and Miss Druzell Hudler told the story of each carol. Gifts were then presented by Santa.

Refreshments of popcorn balls, uncooked fruit cake, and hot spiced tea was served to members and guests, Messrs. and Mmes. W. C. Briening, Harry Barrett, J. K. Clarke, Henry Ellis, W. J. Finley, Scott Hal, Sr., A. C. Houchin, J. T. Jackson, F. L. Mize, C. E. Vincent, P. B. Kratzer, Lively; Misses Katherine Brooks, Ione Gill, Druzell Hudler, Margaret Dunlap; Messrs. Arlie Carpenter, J. T. Smith, C. L. McClusky, Ogden Stroud, and R. E. Paige.

Party Entertains Primary Group At Church Recently

Primary department members of First Christian church were entertained with a holiday party recently in the church.

The singing of carols was led by Mrs. Charles Madeira with Mrs. C. W. Moot at the piano. The children gave musical numbers, readings, and vocal solos, after which bags of candy were presented to the 47 attending.

Two Christmas trees were sent to children unable to attend.

Teachers present were Mmes. W. F. Taylor, R. J. Sailor, C. W. Moot, Shelby Gantz, Tom Eckerd, and Charles Madeira; visitors were Mrs. Ben Garber, Mrs. William Hawkins, Mrs. Earl Cloud, Mrs. J. R. Moore, Mrs. O. D. Patton, Mrs. S. J. Meador; Miss Lydell Moore, Miss Mary Frances McMullen, and Miss Maxine Gibson.

TO REMOVE WAX STAINS

To remove candle wax from fabrics, scrape off as much of the wax as possible, taking care not to injure the fabric. Place on ironing board with a blotting paper both under and over the spot. Press gently with a warm iron so that the wax is absorbed into the blotting paper. Repeat, if the spot is not removed by one treatment. Sponge with carbon tetrachloride if traces of wax still remain.

Reindeer scratch their hind legs with their antlers.

TENNESSEE STRUTS TO PASADEND—AND HOW!



Jo Hutchison, Volunteers' ultra ultra drum majorette, epitomizes spirit of Tennessee team and followers headed for scrap with Southern California before 90,000 people in Pasadena Rose Bowl, Jan. 1

Coffee-Shower Given For Bride And Club Group

A coffee and shower honoring Mr. Edgar Myatt, the former Miss Rose La Nell Williams, and a holiday party for members of B. G. K. club were held together at the home of Miss Helen Draper this week.

Gifts were exchanged by the club members in the attractively decorated rooms, after which Mrs. R. E. Williams poured coffee.

Guests were Misses Janice Purviance, Betty Jo Thurman, Ruth Wagnon, Virginia and Gloria Posey, Donna Jo Berry, Jane Kerbow, Clara Marie Hartell, Olive Daugherty, Dorothy Brumley, Aileen Schulkey, Maxine Wheatley; and Mmes. Freda Barrett, Paul Schneider, James Gotcher, Skeet Gregory, H. E. McCarley, Edgar Myatt, R. E. Williams, and Bill McCarty.

Gifts were sent by Miss Idabelle Wagnon, Miss Betty Jo Townsend, and Mrs. Leon Miller.

Couple Has First Family Reunion For Children in 21 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Denson had as their guests for the holidays their seven children. This was the first family reunion in 20 years.

Twenty-one members of the family enjoyed the Christmas dinner of turkey after which pictures of the family were taken.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stovall of Rossville, Kansas, and children, Maxine and Don; Mr. and Mrs. Forest Denson and children, Barbara and Joan, of Pampa; Mrs. C. L. Smith of La Junta, Colorado, and children, Naydean and Charlean; Mr. and Mrs. Burdette Denson and children, Billy and Claudie, of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bell of Richland, Washington; Bryan and Opal Denson of Austin and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Denson.

The Social CALENDAR

THURSDAY

Amusu Bridge club dbinner-bridge has been postponed until Tuesday, January 2, in the Hotel Schneider.

A weekly meeting of Rebekah lodge is to be held at 7:30 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Dorcas class of Central Baptist church will meet at 2 o'clock for visitation.

Young People's Christian Endeavor of First Christian church will meet in the church at 7:45 o'clock.

Stitch-In-Time club will meet with Mrs. Virgil Thomas.

Catholic youth association will have a dinner in the Hotel Schneider at 8 o'clock and a dance in the parochial school hall immediately afterwards.

Fidelis class of Central Baptist church will meet at 2 o'clock in the church for visitation and business.

FRIDAY

Central Baptist W. M. S. will have a silver tea in the home of Mrs. G. C. Stark at 2:30 o'clock.

Catholic Youth association will meet with Maxine French.

TUESDAY

Amusu Bridge club dinner-bridge has bridge in the Hotel Schneider.

Executive board of Business and Professional Women's club will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the city club rooms.

Na'arene Woman's Missionary society will meet at 2 o'clock in the church.

Ladies' Bible class of Francis Avenue Church of Christ will meet at 8:30 o'clock in the church.

A regular weekly meeting of B. G. K. club will be held at 7:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY

Susannah Wesley class of First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. Mullinax, 408 North Somerville street.

Home League of the Salvation Army will meet at 2 o'clock in the Salvation Army hall.

Woman's Missionary society of Harrah Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

Central Baptist Woman's Missionary society is to meet.

Ladies Bible class of Central Church of Christ is to meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

Colorful Party Given For Group At Pre-School

A party for children of the Rice Kiddie Kollege and their mothers was given recently at the school which was decorated in the holiday theme.

A program including solos by Janell Ewing and Dale Rhea Johnson, and special numbers by the rhythm band was presented. Carols were sung also.

Gifts were exchanged and favors were given to each one present and the group presented Mrs. LeRoy Rice, instructor, with a gift.

Attending were Bill Wild, Billy Curry, Greta and Patsy Miller, Dick and Bob Prigmore, Charles Swanson, George De Pee, James Roy Christopher, Johnny Lee Bell, Jerry Doggett, Tommy Schield, Mary Ann Langford, Phoebe and Buster Carter, Marilyn Fitzgerald, Sally Alford, Janell Ewing, Donna Conley, Cherry Jean and Barbara Maddox, Bobby and Dale Rhea Johnson, Rheta Lou Jones, Gale and Hubert Finkelstein, Billie Culpepper, Jan Roby, and Don Hicks.

Mrs. Steele To Begin Classes On Thursday

Kathryn Vincent Steele is to begin classes again on Thursday in her studio following a week's holiday vacation.

All students in dancing and expression are asked to start attending classes regularly on this day.

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Wooldridge-Rice Nuptial Vows Solemnized Here

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Betty Ruth Wooldridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wooldridge of Pampa, and Earl Rice, Jr., which was solemnized Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ward.

The Rev. James Todd, Jr., minister of the First Christian church of Panhandle, officiated at the service which was read before an improvised altar. The house was decorated in the holiday theme.

The bride was dressed in salmon pink with black accessories and her shoulder corsage was of pink rose buds.

Attending the couple were Miss Charlynne Jaynes and Clyde New.

An informal reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward followed the ceremony.

Mrs. Rice formerly attended Pampa High school and Mr. Rice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rice, Sr. of Pampa, was graduated from Pampa High school in 1936. He is employed at the Buckingham Service station.

The couple will be at home at 415 West Browning street after the holidays.

Mrs. Fulton Hostess At Holiday Party For Sewing Club

Special To The NEWS

SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 27—Mrs. L. B. Fulton entertained with a Christmas party recently at her home in the Skelly camp for members of Pleasant Hour Sewing club and two guests, Mrs. T. W. Baker, Pampa; and Mrs. Tommy Hall, Skellytown.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the house and gifts were exchanged from a prettily decorated and lighted Christmas tree with Mrs. M. L. Roberts acting as Santa.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. W. N. Adams, president. The group voted to have the annual New Year's party Saturday, Dec. 30, at 7 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Bowsher. Mrs. A. A. McElrath was appointed to buy prizes for the party.

Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Bowsher retiring president and secretary were presented with gifts from the club.

Refreshments of cranberry salad, ritz, mince pie and coffee were served on individual trays bearing favors of red and green gum drop candy holding lighted candles. The room was dimly lighted by the Christmas tree lights and two tall red tapers in holly holders.

Those attending were Mmes. T. W. Baker, Tommy Hall, O. L. Satterfield, K. H. Brannon, G. F. Morris, Dallas Bowsher, V. J. Catska, Joe Wedge, M. L. Roberts, Pat Norris, Arthur Johnson, J. R. Stansell, A. A. McElrath, E. E. Crawford, W. W. Hughes, W. N. Adams and the hostess.

Mrs. J. R. Stansell will be next club hostess Jan. 5, at her home.

Luncheon Given To Entertain Students In Home of Teacher

Students of Mrs. C. C. Cockerill's pre-school and their friends were entertained at a holiday luncheon in the home of Mrs. Cockerill recently.

The lunch consisted of Christmas tree cookies, sandwiches, red and green jello, red punch, and tiny red candles in green gumdrops. Favors were presented to each guest also.

Santa Claus was present and gifts were exchanged by the children.

The guest list included Harry Swartz, Jimmy Baldridge, Cherry Jean Maddux, Jacquelyn Merchant, Louise Allen, Ronnie and Lonnie Dell Saulsbury, Harriett and Barbara Norris, Diebrell Stowell, Ernestine Fletcher, Ann and Carol Jean Perkins, Barbara and Joan Denson, Joyce Harrah, Mary Joyce Mobley, Alida and Melvin Anisman, and Colleen and Mary Jo Cockerill.

About 50,000,000 rabbits are bred annually in Italy. Italians consume 500,000 metric tons of rabbit each year.

Collegiate Class Entertained With Progressive Dinner

Members of the Collegiate class of First Baptist church were entertained at a progressive dinner recently.

The cocktails were served at the home of Mrs. Arthur Nelson, teacher; the salad at Norma Jean McKinney's; the main course was served at the church, and the dessert in the home of Mildred Martin.

After the dessert, gifts were exchanged and new officers were elected. Those named are Norma Jean McKinney, president; Freda Davis, vice-president; Doris Taylor, secretary; Eula Taylor, social chairman; Rita Cagle and Billie Jean Buck, group captains.

Members attending were Eula Taylor, Norma Jean McKinney, Doris Taylor, Rita Cagle, Fern Cagle, Mary Jean Ross, Gail Ross, Billie Jean Buck, Adaline Hollar, Minelle Baird, Mildred Martin, and Mrs. Arthur Nelson.

Guests were Irene Davis and Jo Nan Nelson.

Out-Of-Town Guest Honored At Waffle Supper Recently

Miss Vera Sackett entertained a group of friends in her home recently with a waffle supper honoring Mrs. Bonnie McMullen of Smackover, Arkansas.

The table was decorated with a lighted log and the holiday theme was carried out in other appointments. Individual holly corsages were plate favors.

Present were Mrs. Bonnie McMullen, Misses Eula Taylor, Jerry Smith, Donna Day, Jeanne Lively, Betty Plank, Harriett Price, Iris Williams, Faye Redman, Clarabell Jones, Betty Jean Tieman, Meribelle Hazard, and the hostess.

Mrs. Glendenning Becomes Bride Of L. L. Ladd Here

In a simple ceremony solemnized in the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. C. Gordon Bayless, pastor of First Baptist church, Mrs. Ruby Glendenning of Amarillo became the bride of L. L. Ladd Saturday night.

The bride wore a dress of black.

The couple will be at home in Pampa where Mr. Ladd operates the Artcraft Printing company.

MODERN MENUS

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX

Part of the fun of Christmas lies in making candies for our friends. Nuts, sugared and sliced or dipped in chocolate, are always thrilling to receive. Our old friend Lucy Maltby thinks these are the best nut recipes she knows for the non-professional candy-maker.

Spiced Nuts
(About 2½ cups)

One-fourth cup butter, 2 cups mixed nuts, 2-3 cup sugar, 3 teaspoons cinnamon, 2 tablespoons sugar.

Melt butter in a 1½-quart heat resistant glass saucepan. Add nuts and place over very low, direct heat. Cook 5 to 7 minutes or until delicately brown, stirring constantly. Mix 2-3 cup sugar and cinnamon together; add to nuts and stir constantly for 5 to 8 minutes, or until all nuts are thoroughly coated. Remove from heat; add 2 tablespoons sugar and stir until nuts begin to cool. Spread on wax paper to cool.

A package of spiced nuts, wrapped in cellophane and gayly ribboned, will fit comfortably into any Christmas stocking. So will little boxes of chocolate nut clusters, equally easy to make.

Chocolate Nut Clusters
(About 15 to 18 clusters, or about ½ pound)

Four squares slightly sweetened dipping chocolate (4 ounces), ¾ cup nut meats.

You need a reliable candy thermometer.

Cut the chocolate into little pieces and put in the top of small double boiler. Fill the bottom of the double boiler with boiling water and place on table, not on stove. Place the top of the boiler, containing the cut-up chocolate, over the boiling water and stir chocolate constantly. Make absolutely sure no water gets into the chocolate.

When the chocolate has completely melted and reached a temperature of 130 degrees F. on the candy thermometer, pour out the boiling water and replace with cold water. Continue to stir the chocolate, now set over cold water, until its temperature has dropped to 83 degrees F. on the candy thermometer. Then add the nut meats.

Stir the nut meats until they are thoroughly coated with chocolate. Then drop quickly by teaspoons on a well-greased pan or waxed paper. Place in cool place until firm.

If peanuts are used, skin them. Break walnuts and hickory nuts into quarters. Cashew nuts and almonds should be broken in half. You can dip seedless raisins in chocolate. First pour hot water over them and then drain. They must be drained dry before being dipped.

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Miss Choate And Bill McCarty Wed In Local Church

Miss Etta Marie Choate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Choate, became the bride of Bill McCarty in an impressive ceremony solemnized Monday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock in the Central Baptist church with the Rev. John O. Scott, pastor, officiating at the service which was read before a group of relatives and friends.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Byron Hilbun sang "I Love You Truly" with Mrs. Nolan Harris playing the accompaniment.

The bride wore a dress of winter blue silk crepe with black patent and grossgrain accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias.

Attending the couple were Miss Betty Jo Townsend and Myrt Studebaker.

Following the ceremony, dinner was served in the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, at the City Service Booster plant.

Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hilbun, Miss Betty Jo Townsend, Myrt Studebaker, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Choate, and Audie Lee Choate.

The couple will be at home in Pampa where Mr. McCarty is employed by the McGill Drilling company.

One of the few white doves ever seen in Texas was discovered this year by a game warden in Gillespie county. He examined it through field glasses at 30 yards and reported it appeared to be a pure albino with pink eyes.

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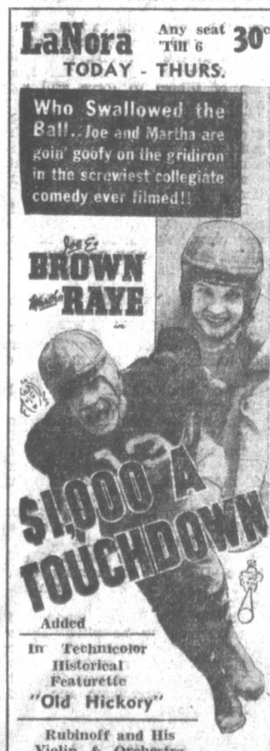
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Russia Can't Fight Finns And Aid Nazis

By DEWITT MacKENZIE

The audacious invasion of Russia by the fighting Finns, who are thrusting boldly eastward in an effort to cut the Leningrad-Murmansk railway upon which the Communists largely depend to move supplies to the frozen battle-zone of the Arctic coast, must rank among the epics of warfare.

Still this is merely an echo of daring deeds of the past, for these hardy folk of "the land of a thousand lakes" have been making red-blood history for 12 centuries—maybe more as the crow of time flies. And history is in a way repeating itself, for often in the past, as now, they have taken up arms to defend the thin soil which they have had to till with so much labor but which they love the more for that. Again too the Russians are involved.

Again, Russia can't continue such a war as is being waged in Finland and give Germany the supplies Herr Hitler so badly needs.

The world little thought when the Communists invaded Finland on November 30 that the tiny republic's army could withstand the military avalanche let loose by Russia. Yet almost four weeks have passed, and the pugnacious Finns not only are still standing up to their huge enemy but the defenders have been winning their war thus far.

Time and again the ghostly figures of the Finns in their white suits have swept across the snows on their skis like phantoms to repulse the invaders.

Need Supplies Quickly

The Finns remark that they think they can hold out indefinitely if they get quick supplies of planes, anti-aircraft guns and artillery. Their defense is having a profound reaction right around the world. They are giving an entirely new twist to the European crisis.

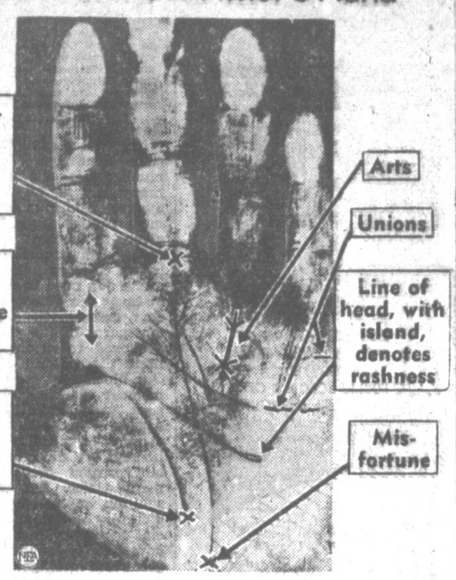
When the invasion of Finland began, Russia had so strengthened her position that she held the balance of power in eastern Europe. Indeed the whole of Europe was regarding the Soviet either with fear or anxiety because of the Muscovites' vast resources and that mystery army of a potential eighteen million men, with fleets of tanks, and only the Red Kremelin knew how many fighting planes.

Much of that has been changed by the Finnish stand. The small countries have plucked up courage. Fear of Russia hasn't disappeared, but mistakenly or not, the Balkans and northern states no longer look on the Soviet as the great god Bud. They are prepared to fight to defend themselves.

Beyond this, the Russo-Finnish war tends to keep the Soviet from striking elsewhere. So little Finland is in a way protecting a big slice of the continent.

All this works out to the fact that when the Anglo-French allies aid Finland—as they are—they are doing a good job of aiding themselves.

French Palm Off Hitler's Hand



Hitler is really not a bad boy at heart. He just can't help it, for he was born under the sign of the Ram. That, at least, is what the French magazine "Vu" informs us as the silly season for propagandists gets under way with a close scrutiny of bumps and lines in the Fuehrer's hand, above. This investigation by four French and Algerian seers revealed that Hitler loves no one (except himself), that he was disappointed in love at 30, that he can't sleep, that his is the "hand of an assassin, a murderer, a vampire." All concurred that Hitler's end was near, but they disagreed as to whether it would be suicide or assassination.

Held in Hacksaw Murder of Baby



Mrs. Tilly Irelin, 35-year-old Philadelphia governess, was held without bail after the torso of her 22-months-old son, wrapped in newspapers, was found in a cemetery, and the child's head, arms and legs discovered in her room. Authorities declare she confessed smothering the child and dismembering the body with a hacksaw because "he was a nuisance" and "interfered with my dates."

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The New York Institute of Human Art decided that comely Elaine Shepard is a completely mod l model on (f) Intelligence; (2) Features; (3) Hair (4) Posture; (5) Hands; (6) Body measurements and (7) Poise. So they gave her a loving cup, the Institute's first annual award.

Church Filled For G. H. Brown Funeral

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon for G. H. (Hamp) Brown, 57, in the First Christian church by the Rev. James Todd Jr., pastor of the First Christian church at Panhandle and former Pampa pastor. Burial was in Fairview cemetery under direction of Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral home.

Mr. Brown, resident of Pampa for 25 years, died of a heart attack at the family home early Sunday morning. He was one of Pampa's first barbers.

The church was nearly filled with friends and relatives.

Survivors are the widow, a daughter, Miss Clara Brown, a sister and four brothers.

Charter Is Granted Hardware Company

A charter has been granted the Hillson Hardware company of Pampa. Capitol stock of the company is listed at $20,000. Incorporators are D. L. Brooks, Lemore N. Hill and Laura Hill.

The hardware store was formerly owned and operated by R. E. Johnson and J. T. Johnson and known as the Johnson Hardware company. The name will be changed to the Hillson Hardware company, according to Rufe Thompson, manager of the store.

During one of his voyages to America, Columbus was stranded for 12 months on the north coast of the Island of Jamaica.

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Market Briefs

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 (AP)—Butter 656,481, steady, prices unchanged.

Eggs 10,770, steady; refrigerator extras 15¼, standards 15, firsts 14¼; other prices unchanged.

Poultry live, 68 trucks, turkeys weak, balance steady; broilers, plymouth rock 16, white rock 16; plymouth rock springs 4 lbs up 15½; turkeys, young oms under 18 lbs 13½, hens 16; other prices unchanged.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27 (AP-US Dept. Agr.)—Hogs: salable and total 2000; top 5.80; good to choice 160-240 lbs 5.65-80; sows 4.50-75.

Cattle: salable and total 2200; calves salable and total 400; early sales medium and good fed steers 7.50-9.50; short load good to choice yearings 10.00; short load choice mixed yearlings 10.00; choice heavy heifers 9.85; most fat cows 5.25-6.50; vealer top 10.00.

Sheep: salable and total 4500; best fed lambs held at 9.00; early top ewes, 4.25.

OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27 (AP-US Dept. Agr.)—Cattle 800; calves 300; bulk shortfed steers and yearlings 7.00-8.00; few to 8.50; beef cows 5.00-6.50; bulls 4.75-6.50; killing calves 6.00-8.50; heavy stock steer calves up to 9.00.

Togs 1530; top to all interests 6.00; bulk good and choice 170-250 lbs 5.90-6.00; most sows 4.50 down.

Sheep 300; slaughter lambs 25 higher; top wooled offerings 8.25; other classes scarce.

Goose Creek Woman Collects 300 Dolls

GOOSE CREEK, Dec. 28. (AP)—Mrs. E. D. Fisher of Goose Creek, has a collection of more than 300 dolls dressed in native and period costumes dating from 550 B. C. to the present day.

The collection includes native dress of 36 nationalities and the costumes are fashioned in detail, carrying out accurately the period, style and color fancies on dolls barely four inches high.

The units in the collection are paired, each including a boy and girl, or man and woman.

The oldest period represented is a Greek woman of 550 B. C., and the next a Greek man whose dress dates back to 332 B. C. Their wraps are very simple, held by minute leather belts tied loosely.

One of the observations Mrs. Fisher has made in studying for her hobby is the little change which has occurred in the basic design of uniforms worn by operating physicians and nurses.

A nurse and doctor dressed in the costumes of 1154 vary little from models representing the accepted uniforms today, she said.

Mainly About People

Phone Items for this column to The News Editorial Room at 666

William Franks, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Franks, was dismissed from a local hospital Tuesday following an operation.

Bobby Hallmark of Austin is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hallmark.

Mrs. A. W. Babion and daughter, Frances, of Austin are visiting in Pampa during the holidays.

Mary Jane White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White, underwent an operation Monday at a local hospital. Her condition is reported favorable.

Mrs. Katie Vincent had as her holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Broome and Miss Marion McKenzie of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vincent of Dallas.

Mrs. Glen Pool, accompanied by her nephew, Paul Stuckey, returned Monday from Wichita Falls where she visited her mother, Mrs. W. H. Stuckey.

Maynard Johnson who is attending college at Texas A. and M. college is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Johnson, of LeFors.

Mrs. Jennie White of Artesia, New Mexico, is visiting in the home of her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Mathes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benefield and family and Miss Ruth Kratzer spent Christmas in Chillicothe and Vernon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Benefield's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett and little daughter, Barbara Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Butram are visiting in Joplin, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gourley and son, Joe, are visiting in Wichita Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blackburn and sons, Russell and Billy, of Cushing, Okla., visited in the home of Mrs. Blackburn's sister, Mrs. W. W. Cumberledge, over the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Madge Paige and son, Joe, visited relatives in Amarillo Christmas day.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Cobb and children of Plainview spent Christmas with Mrs. Cobb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Gills of Kansas City, Kansas, visited in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young and daughter Andree left yesterday to return to their home in Austin after a Christmas holiday visit here with Mr. Young's parents, Justice of the Peace and Mrs. E. F. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hickman and son Billy returned Tuesday night from a holiday visit in Tyler with Mrs. Hickman's sisters, Mrs. H. M. Chapman and Mrs. Frank McCollum.

Gray county commissioners will hold their regular meeting Friday afternoon. Bids will be opened on a contract for repainting the court house.

Avis Thompson, deputy district clerk, is visiting friends and relatives in Tulia.

County Clerk Charlie Thut has been absent from his office the past two days on account of illness.

The first marriage license since the holidays was issued here yesterday to J. Truman Caster and Miss Helen Shares. Two marriage licenses were granted the week-end before Christmas day, one to Arthur Dwyer and Miss Helen Mae Todd, and one to J. W. Reno and Miss Edith Tabor.

Condition of O. H. (Shorty) Booth, critically injured in an automobile accident two weeks ago, remained unchanged today attending physicians reported.

Mrs. C. S. Boyd received emergency treatment in a local hospital following an automobile accident yesterday. She was able to be taken to her home.

H. M. Phillips was admitted to Pampa-Jarratt hospital yesterday.

George Clemmons of Phillips camp is a patient in Pampa-Jarratt hospital.

Carl Smith of Kingsmill underwent an appendicitis operation at Pampa-Jarratt hospital this morning.

Amarillo Soon To Know Oil Chances

AMARILLO, Dec. 28. (AP) — Wishful thinking has placed nearly every city in Texas, over a big pool of oil. Amarillo is no exception in this speculation but not for much longer.

There is oil under Amarillo or else there isn't and before long it will know.

The city has asked for bids for mineral leases on 1,140 acres of its land within and near the city limits. The bids will be opened Jan. 6, 1940.

The city's announcement practically clinched a shot at a deep test. There had been rumors for weeks that a test would be drilled near the city and oil circles say plans have been completed for it.

The order authorizing the leasing of the land included the statement that exploration for oil on the city's land might prove to be a great advantage to the city.

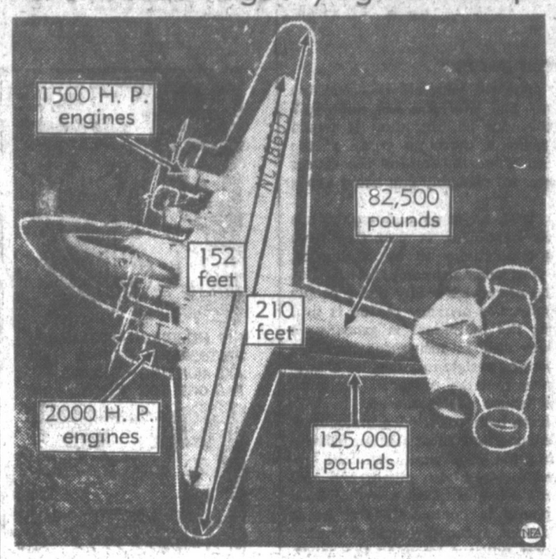
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U. S. Builds Huge Flying Battleship



Almost too huge to keep secret is the Gargantuan bomber now being built for the U. S. Army at the California Douglas plant. White outline above shows how this largest of planes encompasses even the Atlantic Clippers. The bomber, a land plane, will carry a 37 mm. cannon, many machine guns, and 20 tons of bombs on a 6000-mile cruising range.

To War for Finland on Skis



Kullervo E. Wallenius, Finnish skiing champion, is one of 400 men and women sailing from New York aboard the liner Gripsholm to aid the defense of their homeland against the Russian invasion. Annikki Miskola pins Finnish National Guard colors on Wallenius, who will be an officer in a ski patrol.

Bury The Hatchet, Urges NAM Head

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27 (AP)—H. W. Prentis, Jr., president-elect of the National Association of Manufacturers, declared today in an interview in the Evening Bulletin that "governmental business baiters should smoke the pipe of peace with industry."

"They should bury the tomahawk," he said.

In his first interview since his election to the N. A. M. presidency, the 55-year-old president of the Armstrong Cork company, Lancaster, Pa., also declared that the federal budget should be balanced quickly and suggested a plan for doing this without increasing taxes.

Prentis predicted that millions of unemployed would soon find jobs if a "sympathetic understanding" between government and business "were permitted to develop."

He foresaw a business gain of from 6 to 10 per cent next year over the average for 1939.

"Much of the criticism against business has sprung from political opportunism," the executive asserted.

Prentis' budget-balancing plan proposed decentralization of government to reduce administrative expenses and adjustment of taxes to make them "more equitable and as little burdensome as possible."

Eleven million menhaden, driven onto the beach by bluefish, were picked up at Beaufort, N. C., in one day.

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This Baby Will Keep You Awake!

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The most expensive baby in the United States—the federal budget—is about ready to be put to bed.

The budget is, of course, a huge book filled with facts and figures wherein the President tells Congress to the penny how much he thinks it's going to cost the people to run the government for another year.

It is called the baby because from time to time various people have looked at it askance and said publicly and privately for different reasons:

"That's your baby, not mine."

Putting it to bed is an old printer's expressing which means it's going to press, and that's where the budget's going—to the government printing office.

As babies go, the budget is a whopper. Last year it bulged with 971 pages between its thin paper covers and weighed nearly five pounds.

It is by far the country's greatest consumer of the comma . . . the decade's greatest digester of the decimal. Nobody knows how many of the government printing office's commas it swallows between the dollar marks and the countless ciphers.

It goes for decimals as an average baby goes for candy, rattling the poor printing presses hours into the night as they try to get the point.

And as figures go—boy, does it have one?

Last year this baby's figure was —$8,995,000,000. That's the kind of baby talk that keeps a lot of papas up at night.

Pastoral Letter To Be Read Sunday At Episcopal Church

"In Days of War" the pastoral letter of the house of bishops of the Protestent Episcopal church will be read at the morning prayer service of St. Matthew Episcopal church next Sunday, Dec. 31, at 11 a. m. in place of the usual sermon. The Rev. R. J. Snell, minister, will be in charge of the service.

This letter, Rev. Snell stated, expresses the conviction of the house of bishops of the Episcopal church as to the true Christian attitude in regard to the present wars in Europe and Asia and was drawn up at the recent meetings of the house in St. Louis in November.

"It is a direct answer to the supposed silence of the Episcopal church on the question of war and holds up for all Christians a high standard of morals and conduct to follow," Rev. Snell said. "All members of the church are urged to hear this powerful message and visitors will receive a cordial welcome."

One Xmas Baby Here

Only one Christmas baby was born in Pampa hospitals.

The Christmas baby was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hughes of Skellytown, born in Worley hospital.


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Funeral Held Today For Billy Wilson

Funeral services for Billy Wilson, 13, were conducted at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the First Methodist church by the Rev. W. M. Pearce, pastor, and the Rev. H. H. Bratcher, pastor of the McCullough-Harrah church. Burial was in Fairview cemetery under direction of Duenkel - Carmichael Funeral home.

The child, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson, died Monday afternoon in a local hospital of a brief illness. Mr. Wilson is manager of the City Drug Store here.

Survivors are the parents, a brother Dickie, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bebner, Bartlesville, Okla.

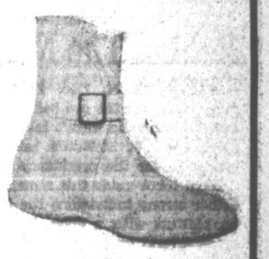
Pallbearers were James Hart, Billy Waters, Billy White, Billy Jake Nujent, Billy Edwin and Leo Southern, Jr.

Honorary pallbearers were Ernest Searle, Billy Denson, Joe Cree, Melvin Clark, Wesley Haney, Doyle Lane, Bill Gise, Glen Coats, Bobby Curtis, Bruce Daugherty, Billy Gethling, Jerry Moore, Glen Dawkins, Charles Erickson, Dale Harrah, Bill Cree, Max Smith, Edward Davis and Jerry Kerbow.

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Learning From U. S.

If Hitler and Stalin ever read the papers, they should be impressed by the way we do things in the United States.

Down in Cincinnati, O., a lot of men got together. They came from all parts of the country, and they came to get new ball players for their baseball teams next spring. They didn't carry guns, nor wear uniforms, nor spout ultimatums. They came armed with nothing more than contracts, pens and ink. There was a lot of "resettlement" done. Some baseball clubs that wanted players from other clubs got them; others didn't. There was no shooting. It was all done very peacefully.

The rub in this method, as far as Hitler and Stalin are concerned, is that the deals have to be honest—the players have to be paid for, either in kind or in cash. It would have looked pretty funny to see Manager Joe McCarthy of the New York Yankees stride into the conference room and demand that he be given half a dozen Washington players because the Senators were oppressing his ball players.

Not So Many Baths

It is not necessary now, Americans learn, to take a daily bath in winter. In fact, it's better not to. Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of a daily newspaper column, says a couple of baths a week are sufficient. In Jersey City, N. J., Dr. Fishbein's recommendation recently won support when the water commissioner urged residents to take only one bath a week to conserve water.

Conservation of water is not the doctor's reason for advising fewer baths. Too much bathing in winter, he pointed out, is not good for the skin. Other physicians have recently come to his support in urging overfastidious folks to spend less time in the bathtub and beneath showers.

To citizens below the age of 12, this news is as gratifying as the rumor that the circus is coming to town. To many of them it will provide potent propaganda against parential suggestions that the weekly bathing program might profitably be expanded from the conventional Saturday night routine.

Behind The News

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27—There may have been more than met the eye behind Secretary Ickes's recent assertion that he wasn't taking any stock in the talk about Paul V. McNutt's being the New Deal's pet candidate for the presidency.

Until Ickes made this remark, there had been some rather strong indications the inner circle was looking on McNutt with a good deal of favor. The Hoosier made several very New Dealish speeches in November and seemed a particularly welcome guest at the White House; and the assertions of some of his backers that he was getting the blessing of the inner circle at least went undenied.

Then Ickes spilled the beans, saying bluntly that the "liberal and progressive elements" in the administration weren't for McNutt.

One explanation for all of this—offered here for what it may be worth—is that McNutt served as an excellent counter-irritant while the White House was having its troubles with Postmaster General Farley. Now, it is said, Farley and Roosevelt have come to a harmonious understanding; hence it is no longer necessary to present McNutt as FDR's heir apparent.

DEWEY RIDES AHEAD ON GOOD VOICE

Although the New Dealers were quick to criticize Thomas E. Dewey's Minneapolis speech, a number of them feel that Dewey has considerable of what it takes to be a good presidential candidate.

He has a first rate radio voice and some of the same talent for mimicry—call it acting ability, if you like—which Roosevelt himself possesses.

At a press conference here Dewey got to telling about Fritz Kuhn's trial. In his account of it he mimicked the Bund leader as a witness: held himself in the rigid posture of the Yorkville fuehrer, spoke with his accent, and all in all put on a first-rate one-minute show.

It's a little thing, maybe—but it has been one of the elements in FDR's effectiveness.

RELIEF CRISIS RAPS AT GOVERNOR BRICKER

The speed with which the administration accepted the opportunity to blame the difficulties of the Ohio relief tangle on Governor Bricker is not entirely disconnected from the fact that Bricker has for some time been considered the leading dark horse in the Republican presidential race.

Late in the summer it became known that Bricker was the favorite choice of some of the most important behind-the-scenes Republicans in the east, including the wealthy Pennsylvania group which is ostensibly backing Pennsylvanian's overnor James as a "favorite son."

Bricker is not an avowed candidate. He is, on the contrary, pretty definitely on the sidelines in favor of the other Ohioan, Senator Robert Taft.

Yet there were a number of important Republicans who believed that no candidate would come to the next convention with a commanding lead, that a deadlock would ensue and that Bricker would then emerge as the likliest choice.

So now, although full relief in the meantime is being restored by the city, the Cleveland relief crisis is a political issue . . . which is okay for 'most everybody except Clevelanders.

NEW DEAL CHANGES IDEAS ON COMMUNISM

One of the interesting political twists of the fall is the way the New Deal administration is suddenly emerging as a devoted anti-Communist band.

Two months ago the administration was definitely on the defensive as far as Communism was concerned. The Dies committee was making sensational charges about Communist infiltration into the New Deal.

Now the administration is assailing Russia, giving aid to Finland, and—through Attorney General Murphy—opening a sweeping grand jury investigation of Communist agents in this country.

Sharing The Comforts Of Life - - -

By R. C. Hoiles

WHAT MAKES YOU HAPPY?

Have you ever analyzed yourself to determine why you are happy and why you are unhappy? If happiness is the aim of life, then it would seem we should make a thorough study of the causes of happiness. If we understand the causes that make us happy, we probably can bring about more happiness.

It is, of course, true, as some philosopher has said: "If you seek happiness, it will flee from you. If you seek opportunity to be of service, happiness will be your constant companion." But why does this being of service really make people happy? Undoubtedly, the primary reason is that it is a feeling that the individual is growing, is developing in power and in influence; that the individual is overcoming resistance; that he is having more experiences and the prospects for more experiences in the future are increased.

This happiness from being of service undoubtedly results from realizing how incapable an individual is in satisfying his own wants without exchanging ideas and services with others and how his accomplishments are multiplied when he does, and/or that happiness is contagious and he is becoming more efficient in increasing happiness.

The child is happy, without knowing the cause, when he runs and plays and exercises his muscles and develops his strength. Nature seems to give him the urge to do the things that are necessary for him to grow and develop. As the individual grows into maturity he is happy in associations that tend to develop him and cause him to become properly mated. Later in life, he is happy to see his family grow and develop because it gives him a feeling of accomplishment in the perpetuation of his influence, his life.

Even the person who accepts a supernatural religious belief is happy because it gives nim a feeling of security; a feeling of safety and of protection that he has someone who will overcome obstacles and resistance for him.

Even a statesman who is successful in bringing about public opinion and laws and customs that will permit great expansion of free creative initiative, resulting in great prosperity, is happy because he knows that not only the philosopher and statesman but no one is safe without good moral understanding of the importance of equality of rights, equality of freedom. It is for this reason he is happy when he is successful in putting into law principles that will perpetuate respect for the rights of every human soul, born and unborn.

Happiness From Beliefs

Probably the greatest happiness comes from the person with the wildest imagination and the most egoism. If he is obsessed with the hallucination that he is a martyr and benefactor of the world, true or not, and believes that he is bringing about something that will perpetuate his influence, then he is happy. That is the reason it is often said that one has to be dumb in order to be happy. He believes that he accomplishes more than the philosopher who knows how temporary and small his influence can be.

When it is summed up, probably the only thing that causes happiness is, as Nietzsche says, "the feeling that power increases, that resistance is overcome."

Analyze yourself and find whether you can think of another condition that causes you to be happy.

If you can, the rule is not good. If you can't, the hypothesis should stand until an exception is brought forth.

UNEMPLOYABLES

President Roosevelt has made the statement that there is such a thing as an unemployable. No one, of course, can define what an unemployable is. It is an arbitrary definition.

Now the Federal Government, by making laws that require a man to be able to earn so much before he dare work, is greatly increasing the unemployables. Roosevelt says that the Federal Government will take care of the unemployables, but when he makes rules, by federal laws that make millions of people unemployables, who are employable, then, of course, he is breaking the morale of the local subdivision and making it impossible for them to carry on their part.

Every individual who is able to move about is employable. He can do something. He can add something to the wealth of the world and, thus, relieve some of the sacrifice necessary to be made by those employed to take care of the so-called unemployables.

The sooner we commence to realize that every man is employable, if we do not have theorists make wrong definitions of unemployables, the sooner all men will go back to work.

The Nation's Press

ON THE CUFF
(Cleveland Plain Dealer)

The board of education's decision to keep the schools open for the rest of 1939 saved Cleveland from sharing the evil plight of Toledo, where public education is in a state of physical and financial collapse.

Cleveland schools are without operating funds for the rest of 1939. The result is hardship for school employes, whose pay for the last six weeks of the current year must be "deferred," no one can tell for how long. Meanwhile, Cleveland is in the undignified situation of running its schools on the cuff.

The blow to the schools' staff is the harder because they had hoped that the era of deep salary cuts was over. During the depth of depression the teachers suffered more heavily than most other public servants, taking cuts which at one time reached 48 per cent.

It was just that these cuts be restored as speedily as possible. The board had hearty public support in seeking a 100 per cent pay schedule. But it made a serious mistake early this year in ordering such a restoration when it did not have the resources to support it. It ignored the warning of its own financial statements and the advice of friends of the schools.

After January 1 the situation will be better, but 1940 financial operation will not be easy, in view of this continuing obligation of six weeks' deferred salary. This is an obligation which must be met. The board cannot go back on its promise to its employes, even if that pledge was imprudent.

PAMPA PERSONALITIES

—By ALECK SAKOWITZ



Carl Benefiel

Around Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 27—When Director Louis King approves the filming of a sequence in "The Way of All Flesh," Muriel Angelus sprints to her dressing room and the waiting hairdresser and wardrobe woman. Off comes the street-walker costume; off come the red mouth and the eye shadow; hair begins to fly into a blond, coiled rope. Practically in a trice, or in only a few trices, anyway, Miss Angelus skims into the accessories of a contrasting role and is hotfooting it for the "Down Went McGinty" set to resume her place as Brian Donlevy's leading lady.

Life for the English actress has been almost as hectic ever since her arrival here six months ago. First came an appearance opposite Ronald Colman in "The Light That Failed," with the newcomer as the cool and unemotional Maisie. That finished, she had two whole days of leisure before going on "Safari" with Doug Fairbanks, Jr., and Madeleine Carroll. Miss Angelus toted most of the comedy on that trip. Before it was over the production office was hollering for her to join Akim Tamiroff and Gladys George in "The Way of All Flesh." Miss George has the larger feminine part, but Miss Angelus has what might be termed the title role: she's the flesh.

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SHE'S GRATEFUL FOR HARD WORK

And now, due to the exigencies and manifold mysteries of movie-making, she is working in two pictures at once. "Bicycling," which is the Hollywood term for it, is not a rare chore for character people, but it's almost unprecedented for featured players. A prostitute one hour and a sweet young mother and secretary the next, Miss Angelus still finds time to be grateful for so much activity and such diversified roles.

Hollywood is full of stories about such actresses who are brought here with hoopla and star-talk and then are tossed into one picture, maybe, or directly into oblivion. Miss Angelus, though, will be the first person in movie history to complete four A-budget pictures before any of them is released. If that isn't startling enough, consider that she was not hired originally as an actress, but as a singer. So far, she hasn't warbled a note.

She dances, too, which is how she got into show business. Fifteen years ago, on Dec. 26, she pranced out on the Drury Lane stage as one of the ballet fairies in "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Muriel Angelus was 12 then. At 14, being somewhat precocious physically, she was able to get a job hoofing in the chorus of the Midnight Follies. Still a chorus dancer at 16, she was tagged by a scout for British Lion Films, tested and plopped into the feminine lead of an Edgar Wallace thriller.

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STUDIO CHANGES ITS MIND ABOUT HER

From then on, it was pretty easy going—films to stage, stage to films, and each change an upward step. Upward in England, anyway; Hollywood didn't want her. Nine years ago she and another youngster, an actor named Ray Milland, were tested together by Paramount, and the result was something awful. Chances are, however, that they'll still make a picture together, because both now are under long-term contracts at the same studio. And the studio, incidentally, is Paramount.

Most of Miss Angelus' films were silents, which prevailed in England quite awhile after our movies became articulate. The most silent of all her experiences, though, was a flicker she was persuaded to make in Berlin. "I spoke no word of German," she recalled, "and nobody in the cast spoke more than a word or two of English. They hired an interpreter for me who wasn't much better. He'd try to explain a scene and I'd go into it with only the vaguest idea of what I was supposed to be doing. I didn't know what action had gone before, or what was to follow. I never saw the picture, or even learned its name, and I still don't know what it was about. But I got paid."

Serious vocal study, aimed at grand opera, took her into light opera and musical comedies. Broadway beckoned after the long run of "Balalaika" in London; and in New York, Miss Angelus stepped into another bit—"The Boys From Syracuse." By that time, Paramount decided that it really needed her.

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

The most intriguing, and at the same time slightly disturbing and disconcerting Christmas card came from Raymond Weedman of the University of California, Berkeley. The card showed the cubistic figure of a brute man. He had a dagger dripping blood in one hand and a rose in the other. Underneath was the caption: "Peace is a red rose."

All was drawn in red ink. . . .

Ray, former Pampan, was graduated from Pampa High school. He was a Harvester. He served a term in the marines and then went to a junior college in southern California, and then to the Berkeley school. . . .

The saddest thing this Christmas; the saddest thing in many a day was the death of little Billy Wilson. We remember when he first joined our Scout troop. He was enthusiastic in the flattering, the beautiful manner of the young, and there was a smile always on his face—just as there was when we saw him the day he became sick. We used to drive by the vacant lot where Billy and his friends played football in the fall, and as far as you could see Billy you could see that smile. . . . It must be mortal agony to lose a boy like that; it must be unbelieveable—for it's hard to realize that a boy as fine as Billy was can be here today and gone tomorrow. . . .

Well, it was a privilege to have known him; it was a refreshing experience . . . but still the knowledge that all the splendor and the love and the enthusiasm and the beauty of boyhood shone wonderfully in Billy's face is not enough to assuage our grief—and we weep for Billy for he is dead.

The Family Doctor

Dr. Morris Fishbein

Unless we plan our meals and choose intelligently from among the wide varieties of foods now available, we cannot get an adequate diet, no matter how much we eat or spend. The amount of money spent on food is important because a purse that is too lean simply cannot buy the essential foods.

During the long period of the depression, many surveys were made to learn the food habits of the nation. A study made in 1936 showed that one out of 25 families, not on relief, ate less than five cents worth of food per person for each meal. Few families in our country regularly spend enough for food to be able to disregard economy in selection.

Milk, even at expensive prices, is a cheap and important food for supplying essential protein, calcium, and vitamins A, B, and B2. If skimmed milk is used, it is necessary to get the essential vitamin A, which is fat soluble, by taking extra butter.

Such vegetables as potatoes, sweet potatoes, beans and peas provide calories necessary for energy. Potatoes are important as a source also of vitamin B1 and iron. The sweet potato contains more vitamins A than do many other vegetables. Beans and peas are important as a source of the essential vitamin B1. They also provide protein and iron.

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Oranges, lemons, grapefruit and tomatoes are important as sources of vitamin C, but also because they contain important minerals. Fruits help the appetite, enrich the alkali reserve of the body, and help to establish regular intestinal activity.

Once leafy green vegetables were not conspicuous as a part of general diets. Now a tremendous variety of such vegetables is available, varying somewhat in different sections of the country.

In the north, spinach, beet tops and Swiss chard are popular. In the south, turnip greens, kale and collards are more frequently used. We know that the thinner and greener the leaf, the greater is its value for iron and vitamin A. But in addition to the green vegetables mentioned there are asparagus, broccoli, snap beans and peas. These are not quite as rich in vitamins and iron, however.

Add to the foods that have been mentioned such substances as eggs, liver, lamb-kidneys, and enough of the cereals to supply energy needs and your dietary requirements will be cared for.

Cranium Crackers

Your Body

Too few of us remember, if we ever learned, some of the simple physiological and anatomical facts concerning our own bodies. If we knew more about these things, we might be better able to take care of the body, guard it against disease. Test yourself by underlining the correct phrase given in the parentheses below:

1. Normal body temperature is between (50 and 60 degrees, 100 and 103 degrees, 84.5 and 90 degrees, 98 and 99.5 degrees).
2. The auricle is the (chamber of the heart that pumps out blood, cartilage in the nose, chamber of the heart that receives blood, a section of the lung).
3. Normal pulse beats vary between (50 and 55, 70 and 75, 90 and 98, 30 and 50) per minute.
4. The word "cervical" pertains to the (hips, bones, neck, ankle).
5. An artery is a blood vessel that (carries blood from the heart, links blood vessels from the hand to the elbow, carries blood away from the heart, takes blood directly to the neck).

Answers on Classified Page

Crude Production Shows New Increase

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 27 (AP)—Daily crude oil production in the United States increased 11,220 barrels to 3,866,550 for the week ended Dec. 23, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

Oklahoma production was up 3,475 to 435,775; California, 5,300 to 621,250; Kansas, 1,300 to 183,750, and the Rocky Mountain area, 3,580 to 85,830. While East Texas production declined 898 to 492,850, the state as a whole increased 17,808 to 1,568,091.

News Clearing House

"It is for each to utter that which he sincerely believes to be true, and add his unit of influence to all other units of influence, and let the results work themselves out."—Spencer. Contributors are urged to confine their articles to 300 words

Dear Editor:

National Socialism, (alias Fascism, Nazism, Sybdicalism, Communism) is not alluring when recognized as an enemy of democracy and human freedom. We must realize it as a new name given to ancient barbarian tyrants, demagogues, olgarchs, dictators, Caesars, and absolute monarchs. We need to read history to discover the bloody tales of murders, assassinations, pogroms and massacres of the people who endeavored to attain freedom, or limit the powers of a dictator. Our blood runs cold when we remember the time when 6000 persons were crucified along the Appian Way, because of their vain attempt to gain human rights and liberty. We must not forget that our present crisis has occured many times. But whenever the solution was sought by electing a dictator, human freedom and social justices vanished for periods covering 700 to 1500 years. Many great and intelligent nations went into oblivion, because they were intrigued to their doom by national socialism. They failed to recognize the axiomatic principle which is imperative to social evolution—freedom of will, individual responsibility, and self-determination.

The evolution of society from the Dark Ages was the rennaisance of the belief in personal liberty, freedom of the soul. Enthused by this idealism men suffered themselves to be butchered, boiled in oil, torn limb from limb, dismembered on the rack, maimed, blinded, burnt alive in order that posterity might enjoy the blessings of personal freedom. National Socialism has again challenged individual freedom and the right of self determination. It has already perfected an intricate political hierarchy which plans to deprive mankind of their divine right to liberty of soul, and condemn them to the tyranny of barbarism by an inhuman oliharchy. Whether we like it or not—we must again reaffirm our human rights of personal liberty and individual responsibility before it is taken from us by intrigue.

One of the most potent weapons being used is "collective bargaining." It appears to be harmless because it claims to be humanitarian, but this is untrue. Primarily it concerns human values—not increase of wages, coercive bargaining, or control of industry. It strikes at the freedom of the individual soul. It denies the right to use the power of self-determination. Whenever a person joins a "collective" group, he surrenders his human rights of individual responsibility and freedom of choice. He becomes a mere cog in the revived iniquitous barbaric dictatorship of a totalitarian state.

EDWIN O. COLBECK.
(To Be Continued)

So They Say

Few people have been, in the best sense, more fundamentally American.

—PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, eulogizing Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter.

If you can't balance it (the national budget) in two years, you can't balance it in 10 years. If you're going to balance it at all, you've got to do it in two years.

—SENATOR ROBERT A. TAFT (Rep., Ohio).

I am quite certain that Herr Hitler is very anxious for peace—on his own terms. I am not so sure as yet that he is anxious for peace on terms that would make for peace in Europe for the next generation.

—BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY VISCOUNT HALIFAX, addressing house of lords.

On a fair and impartial analysis, the trade agreement program, taken as a whole, unquestionably resulted in gain to agriculture.

—SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE HENRY WALLACE.

France and Britain are fighting for Europe, for themselves, but not for the benefit of spectators.

—JEAN GIRAUDOUX, French commissioner of information.

You and Your Nation's Affairs

THE MEN WHO MAKE THE WHEELS GO ROUND

By WALTER E. SPAHR
Professor of Economics, New York University

If people would only pause to consider that they can get along without government much better than they can without business, many of them, who think they endorse the Federal government's "liberal" policies, might change their minds about the present government's "riding" of business.



People cannot live without business, but they could get along after a fashion without government. And business cannot get along without profits. Nor can a representative government last long unless business makes profits and people prosper. Since these things are so, how is it that so many people seem quite ready to approve governmental policies that stall business, destroy profits, reduce national income, and perpetuate unemployment? The answer is that they have not stopped to consider or do not understand what it is that makes the wheels go round.

But I believe a turn is coming in the thinking of the mass of people. Facts are standing out in such bold outline now that they can no longer be denied. Businessmen have been quiet — too quiet. They have taken it on the chin for seven hard years. But more and more they are speaking out, not so much for themselves as individuals as for the good of the nation as a whole. They know that if they go down in the government's drive toward socialism, this nation will go down too.

Out of the various letters which come to me, I wish to quote from one which I think is representative of the thoughts of our good solid businessmen who do know what makes the wheels go round. This man, president of a mid-western business, says:

"Despite the doubling of the federal debt in seven years, despite the heavy toll exacted from the industrious, thrifty, intelligent and self-sacrificing taxpayers, we find the theorists have either spent up to about the legal limit or will be close to it by the end of this fiscal year.

"My mind has many times carried me back to the talks made by candidate Roosevelt, especially at Pittsburgh. While I should dislike to lay the charge of insincerity at the door of Mr. Roosevelt, yet I wonder how long an individual is expected to remain patient with another human being when a definite promise is more than seven years delayed in its start.

"At the present time, the President, in rather an amateurish manner, is asking for an expression from the people as to whether a mere pittance like 500 million dollars (part of the defense program) shall be secured by a defense tax bill or be borrowed. Well now anyone who has gotten the public debt in seven years from 20 billions to over 40 billions and hasn't felt the necessity to counsel with anybody about holding expenses down, seems rather boyish to single out just part of a budget (the defense proposal) to make a vain gesture at economy.

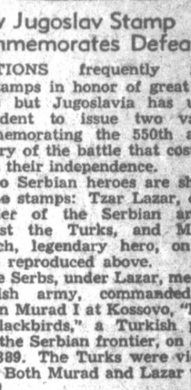
"Who advocates 2½ billions for defense? Do the people want this outlay? I thought the nation was almost a unit in its determination not to go to war? Then why the expenditure of 2,250 million dollars for military, naval, armament defenses?

"I don't know of course how much sweat Mr. Roosevelt ever indulged in to pay his tax bills, although I do recall that he said that taxes are paid in the sweat of every man who labors. I subscribe to that 100 per cent, because for fifty-two years in a modest, little business I have labored and sweated and practiced self-denial, and in fact we are doing it today, in order that the tax bill that's been laid on us may be met even if we are unable to get any return from our business or not.

"It is pretty tough to work like a slave from the first of January to the 31st of December, employ what little capital we have acquired and using what little God-given endowment or brain matter we have only to bring up on December 31 (after we have paid the tax bill) with frequently less than we had on January 1. The tax gatherer gets his whether the workers or the cash invested get any return or not.

". . . How much longer are we going to let the politician and the theorist and the inexperienced and impractical chaps have their way?"

• STORIES IN STAMPS



New Jugoslav Stamp Commemorates Defeat

NATIONS frequently issue stamps in honor of great victories but Jugoslavia has upset precedent to issue two values commemorating the 550th anniversary of the battle that cost the Serbs their independence.

Two Serbian heroes are shown on the stamps: Tzar Lazar, commander of the Serbian armies against the Turks, and Milosh Obilich, legendary hero, on the value reproduced above.

The Serbs, under Lazar, met the Turkish army, commanded by Sultan Murad I at Kossovo, "Field of Blackbirds," a Turkish plain near the Serbian frontier, on June 15, 1389. The Turks were victorious. Both Murad and Lazar were killed.

Tradition relates that before the battle, Lazar discovered a plot against his life. He denounced Milosh Obilich, his son-in-law, as a traitor. Obilich fled to the Turkish camp, and, gaining audience with the sultan, mortally wounded Murad. Obilich was killed by the Turks but before Lazar was slain, word was brought to him of his son-in-law's heroism.

A BID FOR A SMILE

A backward boy in English composition class was unusually graphic in a theme supposed to be written about a ball game. When the teacher came to his paper she read, "Rain—no game."

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A solicitor, having considered a question laid before him by a Scotchman, agreed to take the case and assured his client that they would undoubtedly win.

"Ah, weel," averred the wily Scotchman, "I'm much obliged tae ye, but I dinna think I'll gae tae court. You see, the case I've laid before ye is my opponent's."

Record Crowd Expected To See Game Saturday

DALLAS, Dec. 27 (AP)—The largest crowd ever to see a state championship schoolboy football game is forecast for Saturday when Lubbock plays Waco—that is, provided the weather is favorable.

The sale of tickets opened today. The high mark to date was last year's 22,000 who crowded into the Cotton Bowl despite bitter cold weather to pay $22,600 into the coffers.

P. C. Cobb, athletic director of the Dallas schools who has charge of the game, points out that both Waco and Lubbock are popular teams in Dallas and have large followings and that Waco is closer to this city than Corpus Christi, a finalist last season.

He also expects the Cotton Bowl game to swell the crowd for the schoolboy tussle. Last year two Lubbock teams played here. The high school met Corpus Christi in the schoolboy finals and Texas Tech played in the Cotton Bowl the following week.

For that reason the West Texas fans had to divide their interest, many making only one of the games. This season they can concentrate on the schoolboy tilt as West Texas has no team in the Cotton Bowl game.

He also expects the Cotton Bowl game to help the attendance because many fans, here over the week-end for the college contest, will attend the high school tilt for sports entertainment while waiting for the Bowl game.

Word comes that both Lubbock and Waco will be at full strength for the game. Waco's injured are rounding into shape and will all be able to start, Coach Paul Tyson said. Lubbock had no injured list to begin with.

Advance Guard Of Texans Stream Into Sugar Bowl City

By MORTIMER KREEGER

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27 (AP)—The advance guard of sombrero-topped Texans streamed into New Orleans today to start the Sugar Bowl sports carnival and open a barrage of fun-making which Mardi Gras-famous New Orleans loves.

Thousands more, augmented by visitors from every section of the nation, will be here by Monday for the Tulane-Texas Aggie football game. That classic is expected to draw only 70,000 fans, not because more didn't want to go but because there were not enough tickets.

The sports festival opens formally tonight with the University of Kentucky-Ohio State university basketball game. Many of the world's best tennis players are in the net tournament opening tomorrow. Track, rowing, yachting and boxing are scheduled for the week.

Tomorrow the Texas Aggies football team is expected to pass through en route to Biloxi, Miss., to go into training quarters before coming back for the New Year's day game.

The Tulane football squad worked out briskly yesterday, cheered by the way All-Southern Halfback Bob Kellogg's injured ankle was holding up. Kellogg, the Wave's offensive spark, took the full workout with no ill effects.

Jimmy Evert Wins 2 Matches Monday

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—Little Jimy Evert has grown two inches since he captured the national boys' indoor tennis championship last year but he's still the smallest and youngest of the seeded entries in the national junior tournament, into which he graduated this year.

Despite his boyish appearance and his tender years (he's only 16) Jimmy did a man's size job yesterday for he was the only favorite to play a matinee and an evening performance. While the seven other ranking players were enjoying first round byes, Jimmy took a 6-1, 6-0 decision over Francis Rice, of New York. Then he defeated Walter Preston, of Hamtramck, Mich., 6-1, 6-2.

The convincing manner in which he eliminated the two stamps him as a threat to top-seeded William Umstaedter's title aspirations.

Umstaedter, Louisiana State University, had little trouble in beating Adrian Hirshhorn, of New York.

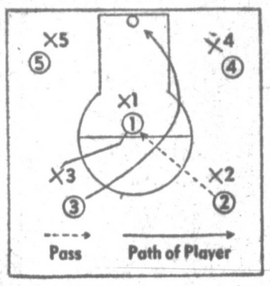
Enough cement was put into the Grand Coulee dam in September, 1939, to cover a football field to a depth of 265 feet, 25 stories high. The builders averaged 15,000 cubic yards a day, setting a world's record.

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Ethyl Gas 18c
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• WINNING BASKETBALL



Minnesota Break

Speed is the keynote of this Minnesota scoring play.

No. 3 starts play by passing to No. 1, and then breaking along outside at top speed for basket.

No. 1 fakes a pass to No. 3 as he goes by, whirls and dribbles in toward foul circle as indicated.

Simultaneously, No. 4 cuts speedily toward basket, breaking by where No. 1 had started dribble. No. 1 feeds him the ball as he barges in for a short dribble and lay-up shot, or a short pop-in attempt from close quarters.

No. 2, meanwhile, swings out for follow-up, and to be in position to stop fast break if defense recovers.

200,000 Mines To Be Laid By Great Britain

LONDON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Great Britain's answer to the plague of German mines off the British coast is a 500-mile charted minefield extending from the Orkney islands to the Straits of Dover.

The admiralty announced that mines would be laid in a strip 30 to 40 miles wide and about eight miles offshore to guard coastal shipping from mines "laid by the Germans without notice in the North Sea outside territorial waters off the British coast."

The British mine belt thus would be an inner screen behind which ships could move in relative safety. A neutral naval attache said it also would protect British warships in port from submarine attacks.

Presumably the British mines would prevent the laying of German mines by submarines or surface craft between the British belt and the coast.

Naval sources estimated that more than 200,000 mines would be required.

A British mine field also extends along the German coast from Denmark to the Netherlands.

The admiralty said it believed Germany had mined a rectangular area in the North Sea from 75 miles off Jutland southward to the Netherlands. Overlapping of the rival minefields was considered probable.

Committee Studies Regulation Of Life Insurance Firms

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Members of the federal monopoly committee disclosed today they have been considering informally several possible methods for government regulation of life insurance companies.

They have not agreed on any recommendations, but they contend committee hearings have shown some form of regulation should supplement existing state laws.

The federal government now has no jurisdiction over life insurance companies, which control assets totaling $27,000,000,000. This is more than the total amount of deposits in the nation's commercial and savings banks, according to committee records.

Members who favor some form of federal regulation said they would not advocate supplanting state jurisdiction but rather would suggest federal authority over matters which are beyond the jurisdiction of any one state.

Among the suggestions which they said have been underconsideration are:

1. Amendment of the federal bankruptcy act to give the government jurisdiction over insurance company failures.

2. Creation of a form of fund insurance similar to the federal deposit insurance for banks. It would give the government opportunity to require uniform accounting and make possible the disclosure of any irregularities.

3. Establishment of an even more comprehensive control system patterned after the federal reserve system for banks, or regulation under an administrative body such as the securities commission.

Norton Not Pleased With Aggie Workout

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 27 (AP)—Coach Homer Norton warned his Texas Aggies today that "Tulane will be the toughest team we have met this year" when they tangle in the Sugar Bowl game next week.

Norton was dissatisfied with the way the Aggies looked against the Tulane offense yesterday as they returned to the practice grind from the Christmas holiday.

The Cadets donned extra warm uniforms and picked out dry places for their drills. The workout was in near freezing weather.

It's A Bet Cafego Will Start Game

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 27 (AP)—Sideline trainers, strictly of the laymen variety, examined the injury rolls of the Tennessee and Southern California ranks today and decided that the vaunted Vols from Knoxville had more to worry about than the mightly Trojans of U. S. C.

Chief concern for Tennessee was George (Bad News) Cafego, tailback and big noise of Vol offense. On the Trojan side of the report, Coach Howard Jones could view with anxiety the physical condition of Grenville Lansdell, number one quarterback, Jack Banta, number two fullback, and an assortment of banged up shins, tricky knees, and overconfidence.

Make no mistake, however, about the possibilities of the two leaders in the hospital gang, Cafego and Lansdell, starting the game. Major Bob Neyland of Tennessee is uncommunicative but two will get you five that the terror of the Tennessee will be in the starting lineup if he's able to walk into the Rose Bowl New Years Day without the aid of crutches and two shoulderbearers.

For sentimental reasons, if nothing else, will Coach Neyland send into the lineup the lad who has been the mainstay of his team for three years. Whether Cafego will be able to stay in action remains to be seen.

So will it be for Lansdell, the young man who blows hot and cold for the Trojans. He has a sore shoulder, but he'll be in the game. And if he happens to be "right" he's seventeen kinds of danger for any team.

Clark Announces He Will Support Senator Wheeler

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Senator Clark (D-Idaho) announced today he would support Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1940.

Clark's statement, following an announcement by Senator Burke (D-Neb.) favoring Vice President Garner for the nomination, aroused new interest in political discussions as embers of Congress began arriving for the session which opens next Wednesday.

Senator Clark, who has been critical of some new deal legislation, said he believed Wheeler could retain the accomplishments of the Roosevelt administration and prevent a return to "the reactionary stand-pattism and predatory capitalism" of the 1920's.

"Wheeler was fighting the uphill battle of liberalism 20 years ago when many of those who are now so loud in their praises were in their political swaddling clothes," his statement said.

In indorsing the candidacy of Vice President Garner for the Democratic presidential nomination, Senator Burke expressed the opinion that President Roosevelt had decided not to run for a third term. He added, however, that it appeared "perfectly proper" to him for the President to decline to disclose his intentions at this time.

"The President is anxious to find someone now who can carry on his progressive policy," said Burke. "I think that could be done most effectively by Vice President Garner. I think the sound part of the Roosevelt program could be carried out most successfully by Garner or a man of his type."

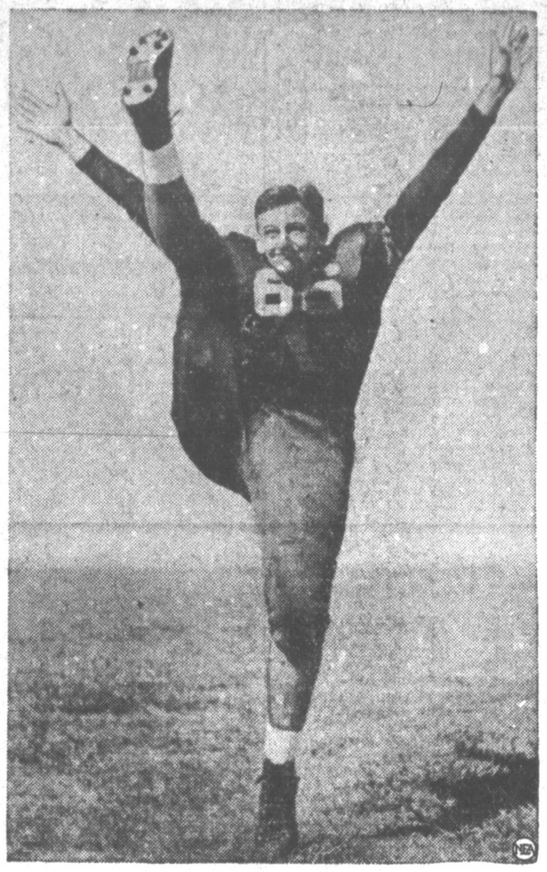
Great Britain held the Hawaiian Islands for a period of five months in 1843.

Eagle-Eyed Plus



Dashingly attired, complete with monocle and boutonniere, Col. Hubert F. (for Fauntleroy) Julian, negro aviator called "Black Eagle of Harlem," is pictured as he appeared in New York court on behalf of Father Divine. Offering $12,000, mostly in warehouse receipts for whisky, Col. Julian tried to settle $6500 suit brought against negro cult leader by former "angels."

It's Clemson By Eyelash Or Closer In Cotton Bowl



Banks McFadden



Vito Ananis

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By JERRY BRONDFIELD
NEA Service Sports Writer

It's a venturesome spirit who will name the Cotton Bowl winner—quick, just like that—without giving the matter some really serious consideration.

I've changed my mind three times since sitting down to begin this piece, before finally deciding I like Clemson to edge Boston college in Dallas' New Year's day gridiron party.

Number one reason for my choice isn't because I regard the South Carolinians as the sounder football team, but because in Banks McFadden they will have the best football player on the field.

And with little to choose from in the way of comparative strength, I think the difference lies in Bonnie Banks, the lanky tri-threater who is Clemson's first All-America.

The Bostons played a slightly tougher schedule, but not much. The once-defeated Eagles beat Lebanon Valley, St. Josephs, Temple, and St. Anselm in early season games and wound up strong by whipping Auburn, Detroit, Boston university, Kansas State, and a good Holy Cross outfit.

Their lone setback came in their third game, which they dropped to Florida in a 7-0 upset.

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LEAHY CLICKS IN FIRST YEAR AT CHESTNUT HILL

Clemson defeated Presbyterian, North Carolina State, South Carolina, Navy, George Washington, Wake Forest, Southwestern and Furman. The one loss the Tigers suffered was a 7-6 edging by Tulane. And dropping a decision to the Green Wave—a one-point decision at that—is far removed from a debacle.

Frank Leahy, who learned his football under the late Maj. Frank Cavanaugh, did a swell job in his first year at Chestnut Hill. Gil Dobie left him plenty of good material, but not every coach can install a new system so successfully in a single season. In Leahy's case he uses a modified Notre Dame set-up and makes any change necessary to suit his material.

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BOSTON HAS BULGE IN RESERVE MATERIAL

Charley O'Rourke, a 155-pounder, is a good ball carrier and a whale of a passer.

Lou Montgomery, nifty negro back, is staying home as a courtesy gesture to the southerners, but Vito Ananis, top scorer in eastern major circles, gives the Eagles plenty of threat.

The team is big and strong up front and in Gene Goodreault has the outstanding end on the Atlantic seaboard. Capt. Ernie Schwotzer is a whale of a guard. Reserves are good and deep and, in fact, are the big reason why an edge might be given Boston instead of Clemson.

Jess Neely, Clemson head man and a smart article, can't match Boston's depth, but he has the brilliance.

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NET PROFITS GO TO CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

McFadden, a great ball carrier and an excellent passer, heads one of Dixie's sharpest attacks. Shad Bryant is a devastating runner whom many consider even better than All-America McFadden when it comes to lugging the leather.

Capt. Joe Payne is one of the best blockers in the business and Fullback Bru Trexler is the spinner who adds hocus-pocus to the attack.

Sophomore Joe Blalock has been little short of terrific as a pass-snatching end. George Fritts has attracted rave notices in the line.

The game is highly worth while from every viewpoint. Net profits go to the Texas Children's hospital.

The battle is a toss-up, depending on the breaks, but we haven't changed our mind a fourth time.

We still pick Clemson.

Girls' Absence Not Due To Court Order

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—It's an appendectomy—not just defiance of a habeas corpus—that's kept Eileen Herrick away from George Lowther, III.

Her mother, Mrs. Walter R. Herrick, made this disclosure when her daughter's absence was noted at a family party.

The operation, she said, had been performed just before Christmas.

It was Eileen's second hospitalization in six weeks—the first because she was "tired and nervous"—and tended to halt rumors that she had been spirited away from her swain because her father was opposed to their marriage.

Lowther had gone into court twice for habeas corpus writs charging Eileen was being held against her will.

Clemson Training Behind Locked Gates At Dallas

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

DALLAS, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Clemson Tigers go on public display today, their only time before the Cotton Bowl game. "We didn't come down here for a vacation" heatedly explained their veteran coach, Jess Neely.

Thirty-three Tigers, or Country Gentlemen as they prefer to be called, arrived last night.

Neely said they would train behind locked gates at Southern Methodist University until Monday, when they clash with Boston College in a game expected to attract 30,000 fans.

Neely, coaching his second Bowl team, said all his boys were in tip-top shape except guards Frank Deitz and Walter Cox and they would be ready by game time.

"Well," he drawled when asked his team's attitude, "we didn't come down here for a vacation." There seemed to be some heat back of the words.

He hastily added that he looked for a hard game, "as wide open as anything dished out in the hurly-burly Southwest conference."

Neely said he knew nothing about Boston College except what he had read. "We got all the papers published in Boston since September and I only hope they're not as good as those New England sports writers have made them out."

He warmed up when Banks McFadden, his All-American backfield star, was mentioned.

All this 6-foot-3-inch, 180-pound young man does, Neely said, is "run our team, handle all the kicking and passing, much of our ball-carrying, blocks when he's supposed to and plays a fine defensive game.

"He's the best back I ever coached."

Neely made his first bowl trip in 1931 as assistant mentor at Alabama when the Crimson Tide rolled back Washington State 24-0 at Pasadena.

Along betting row Clemson rated a slight favorite. It might have been caused by a glimpse of such fellows as McFadden and Shad Bryant, the All-American's very efficient running mate in the Clemson backfield.

Love-Life Of Chameleons Cited As Proof Of Darwin's Sex Theory

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Editor

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 27 —In the love life of Florida chameleons one of the first confirmations of Darwin's theory of the influence of sex on evolution has been found.

This was reported today to the American Association for the advancement of science by Dr. G. K. Noble, of the American Museum of Natural History, New York. Darwin said evolution had two motors, natural selection and sexual selection.

The first, better known as survival of the fittest, has long been accepted. But Dr. Noble said thousands of naturalists have studied sexual selection among animals without finding the confirmation.

These Florida chameleons, he said, are surprising. The males know each female personally, and know other males personally too. They fight the other males.

A chameleon stakes out some ground, which becomes his own, unless another male wants to fight him for it. Then he waits for females to enter the preserve. They do, usually in numbers. The females then fight among themselves to see which is to be the boss lady chameleon.

If, said Dr. Noble, the fighting is severe, it ends with only one female remaining. In that case, the two chameleons make a truly monogamous pair.

One result is that the female selects the most attractive male and passes on his traits to future generations of males, thus bringing Darwin's rule into play.

This selection, Dr. Noble said, has been demonstrated experimentally only twice before on animals, one being a species of fish and the other love birds. Chameleons belong to the reptile family.

KPDN Radio Program

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

3:30—Final Edition of the News.
3:45—Borger Studios.
5:00—Ken Bennett.
5:15—Sports Cast.
5:30—Air Adventures of Jimmie Allen—
5:45—Talking Drums.
6:00—Cornshuckers
6:15—To be Announced.
6:30—To be Announced.
6:45—Reflections at Twilight.
7:00—Goodnight!

THURSDAY

7:00—Rise and Shine—WBS.
7:10—Do You Believe in Ghosts?
7:25—Borger Studio.
7:30—Cornshuckers.
8:00—Borger Studios.
8:30—Crimson Trail.
8:40—Shoppers Guide.
9:00—Sam's Clock of Fortune.
9:15—Your Lexicon of the Air.
9:20—Name a Number.
9:30—Borger Studios.
10:00—Mid Morning News.
10:10—It's a Fact.
10:15—Women's Club of the Air.
10:45—Borger Studios.
11:00—House of Peter MacGregor.
11:15—News—WKY.
11:30—Moods in Melody.
11:45—Rhythm and Romance—WBS.
11:55—Fashion Flashes.
12:00—Reed and Console.
12:15—World Dances—WBS
12:30—Linger Awhile.
12:45—Billy Gilbert.
1:00—News Headlines.
1:15—Sweet or Swing.
1:30—Hits and Encores—WBS.
1:45—Keeping Ahead of the Jonses
2:00—American Family Robinson.
2:15—Tito and His Swingette
2:30—Today's Almanac.
2:45—Tonic Tunes—WBS.
3:00—Rough Riders—WKY.
3:15—Borger Studio.
3:30—Final Edition of the News.
5:00—Ken Bennett.
5:15—Know Your Public Schools.
5:30—To be Announced.
5:45—Talking Drums.
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7:00—Goodnight!

Workers In Nash-Kelvinator Plant On Sit-Down Strike

DETROIT, Dec. 27 (AP)—The management of the Nash-Kelvinator plant here asked police shortly before noon today to eject 1,400 workers from the factory.

Company officials reported to police that members of the Mechanics Educational Society of America, an independent union, had started a sit-down strike.

No. 2 Communist In Federal Net



Caught in the Federal round-up of alleged passport fakers, Nicholas Dozenberg is pictured as he arrived in New York after his arrest in Oregon. Dozenberg, described by prosecutors as the No. 2 Communist in the U. S., said he quit the party in 1927.

Oil Industry Heads Differ On New Year

By EDWARD CURTIS

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 27 (AP)—Many oil men asserted today the new year may be a happier one for their industry.

And while the president of one major company declared "in my opinion too much optimism is being displayed toward gasoline demand for the new year," many other executives asserted use of oil products may reach new highs.

The chief worry of the industry appears to be the threat of federal control. There is some criticism of present, high gasoline stocks. Few executives see much reason to expect an immediate or heavy war demand. Some see in the European war circumstances which would curtail this country's export market.

Landon Views With Alarm

Calling attention to the high gasoline production, Alf M. Landon, former Republican Presidential nominee and an independent producer, warned that the "industry is threatened with the same situation as last August and may require another shut-in."

Landon asserted the 15-day shutdown was successful but added, "another such shut-in would be bad in that it would play into the hands of those urging federal control, to be considered at the next session of Congress." He urged members of the industry to cooperate "more than they have" to solve their problems.

Gov. Payne Ratner of Kansas also urged greater cooperation.

Ernest O. Thompson, member of the Texas Railroad Commission, asserted he was "hopeful that the year 1940 will see the end of all efforts at federal control, since the states are demonstrating that they can do a workmanlike job."

Frank Buttram, president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, declared that while the industry can point to many achievements for 1939, it "faces certain acute problems."

"It continues to be taxed too heavily, a burden which it shares with the consumer," he said.

Phillips Deplores Prices

Better prices were advocated by Frank Phillips, chairman of the board of the Phillips Petroleum Co.

"For an industry that has the best growth record of any, periods of unprofitable prices seem unreasonable," he declared.

"But for a few selfish interests, concerned more with their individual profits than with the welfare of all, the industry could be one of the leaders in restoring national prosperity."

He added that there now is a "basis for optimism regarding price prospects."

Edward G. Seubert, president of Standard Oil Co. (Ind.), anticipates that "consumption of petroleum will continue to increase in 1940 and that there will consequently be more activity in oil fields, the refineries and the distributing fields."

R. H. Colley, president of the Atlantic Refining Co., termed the present outlook "clear and encouraging."

A pessimistic note was sounded by one executive who declined use of his name. He declared that the "refining division has piled up excessive gasoline inventories which have offset the good accomplished by the production division."

W. S. Farrish, president of Standard Oil Company (N. J.) said the outlook for 1940 is "fairly good."

Earnings should be benefited if Illinois adopts a conservation program as uneconomic production in that area would be curtailed," he said.

John Lewis And CIO Taboo In Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 (AP)—John L. Lewis and the CIO are tabooed subjects on the Chicago stage now because a rival union chieftain doesn't like either.

Two current stage productions carried references to the CIO chief when they opened but last night there was no mention of him.

James C. Petrillo, president of the AFL Chicago musician's union, imposed the ban on the theory that even uncomplimentary references to the rival unionist served as CIO "propaganda."

The first statue erected in modern Turkey was one showing Mustapha Kemal on horseback. Under the sultans, sculptures and portraits were forbidden.

Murphy, westernmost town in North Carolina, long land-locked, will soon find itself a lake city. Water from Hiawassee dam will back several miles right up to the city limits.

Dies Committee Members Disagree On Probe Report

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Members of the Dies committee were said today to be in disagreement over the report of their investigations of un-American activities which must be presented to the House next Wednesday.

Authoritative sources said the preliminary draft, submitted to the committee by Chairman Dies (D-Tex), was being altered drastically by one member who objected to emphasis placed on certain references to Communism.

An argument was reported brewing, too, over the question of whether the committee should include recommendations for legislation to curb subversive activities.

A year ago Dies prepared a similar report containing proposals for registering aliens and a public recording of members and activities of such organizations as the Communist party. They were dropped at the last minute, however, when some committeemen suggested that their inclusion might influence some House members to oppose continuing the committee on the theory that the investigation had been completed.

The committee will expire Jan. 3, but Dies already has introduced legislation which would extend it for at least one more year.

Leviathan Ordered Sold For Scrap Iron

SOLOMONS, Md., Dec. 27 (AP)—Four American prizes of the World War, on whose decks trod 300,000 soldiers enroute to French battlefields, will follow another one-time German luxury liner, the Leviathan, to the scrap heap.

The 23,788-ton George Washington, on which President Wilson traveled to the peace conference, the 19,360-ton Monticello, the 18,372-ton Mt. Vernon and the 21,329-ton American have been ordered sold for scrap by th Maritime commission.

Unlike the Leviathan, which was sold to Scottish ship breakers last year, the four rusting at anchorage in this remote southern Maryland fishing port will be sold only to nations not designated by President Roosevelt as belligerents.

The ghost fleet, machinery daubed with grease and hulls spotted with red lead paint, but still showing vestiges of former splendor, must not be used in commercial operation, the commission stipulated in invitations for bids which are to be opened January 19.

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Phone Your Want Ad To **666**

Our courteous ad-taker will receive your Want-ad, helping you word it.

Notice of any error must be given in time for correction before second insertion.

Ads will be received until 10:00 a. m. for insertion same day. Sunday ads will be received until 5:00 p. m. Saturday.

AUTOMOBILE SERVICE

1-A Wash-Grease-Gas-Oil

PENNIES saved or pennies made. White gas, 14c; Bronze (leaded) gas, 16c; Ethyl gas, 18c. Long's Station, 701 W. Foster.

BE sure your clothes are really clean! Send them to the Service Cleaners! Free delivery. Phone 1290.

DON'T take chances—Let us "Bear-A-Line" your car. Dynamic wheel balancing. New equipment. Schneider Hotel Garage. Phone 1888.

1-C Repairing-Service

BATTERIES recharged 50c. Rental batteries, first class body work, and general motor overhauling. Pampa Body Works. South Cuyler and Tuke.

Let Us Paint Your Car

DU PONT it will look like new. Expert body and fender repair.

See us for free estimate

PETE'S BODY SHOP

806 W. Foster Phone 802

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2—Special Notices

COMPLETE line of fresh meats and Groceries. Pure pork sausage 20c lb. Lane's Grocery & Station. 5 Points. Phone 9554.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—160-A rental contract government program 100-A wheat growing. Tractor (John Deere). Oneway. 1/3 rent. $500.00. 1½ miles northwest Kingsmill.

TAKING inventory is a regular task of every business firm. Each home should also take inventory at regular intervals so that all articles no longer in use but of intrinsic value may be sold through the classified columns of The Pampa News, to someone looking for just such an item

FOR FULLER Brush Service, Phone 261. Lowest prices in history.

GARAGE equipment, all in fine condition. A real sacrifice for cash. Modern Motor Service, Perryton, Texas.

A BRIGHT New Year. An F. H. A. home of your own. Charlie Maisel. Acme Lumber Co., Phone 257.

THAT family group—Now is the time to make it, while they are all here. Fletcher's.

GOOD plumbing adds to your comfort, health, and pride in your home. Call Storey Plumbing. 533 S. Cuyler. Phone 250.

EMPLOYMENT

6—Female Help Wanted

WANTED—Experienced white girl for general housework for employed couple. Must be good cook and stay nights. References. Call at 721 E. Browning after 6 p. m. or phone 552-J.

BUSINESS SERVICE

17—Flooring-Sanding

LOVELL'S A-1 Floor Sanding. Floors resanded are safe, sanitary and easy to clean. Portable power. Phone 62.

18—Building-Materials

PUT YOUR house in A-1 condition for winter. Furnace installing, servicing, warm air heating, Metal Work. Des Moore, Pho. 102.

21—Upholstering-Refinishing

CALL us for free estimate on 1st class furniture repairing, upholstering, mattress work. Pampa Upholstering Co. 824 W. Foster, Phone 188.

CASH in the hand is worth something but of what use is that household furniture, farm machinery, etc., if stored in the attic, cellar or garage. Let us help you get a little cash in hand through a classified ad.

FURNITURE repairing and re-upholstering. Lowest cost. Guaranteed work. 1st class shop. Spears Furniture Co. Phone 555.

BRUMMETT'S upholstering and refinishing shop. Free estimate and delivery service. Satisfaction guaranteed. 614 So. Cuyler. Phone 1425.

26—Beauty Parlor Service

THIS ad is good for $1.00 on a $2.50 permanent or up. Pampa Beauty Shop. North Crown Theater. Phone 108.

MERCHANDISE

28—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—One 6 foot meat case and compressor. Practically new. 306 S. Cuyler. S. B. Black.

NINE great Evinrudes! An Evinrude for every type boat. Every model is "tops". McConnell Implement Co., Phone 485.

29—Mattresses

WE will be in our new location, 817 W. Foster, about the 1st of the year. Ayers Mattress Factory. Phone 633.

WHY not let us convert your present mattress into a guaranteed innerspring. An ideal gift for anyone. Ayers Mattress Factory. Phone 633.

30—Household Goods

1940 Servel Electrolux is now on display at Thompson Hardware. 107 North Cuyler. Phone 43.

WILL sacrifice McCray, 8 foot meat case with frigidaire. Phone 888.

34—Good Things to Eat

DRESSED hogs, 13 miles South and 2 west of Pampa. Clarendon Road, John Baggerman.

36—Wanted to Buy

WANTED TO BUY—Small trailer house. Not over $50.00. Phone 1230.

LIVESTOCK

39—Livestock-Feed

JERSEY milk cows for sale or trade. Vandover and Zello at Vandover's Feed Store. Phone 792.

ROOM AND BOARD

42—Sleeping Rooms

NICELY furnished bedroom. Telephone privileges. With or without garage. 311 N. Wells. Telephone 1326.

FOR RENT: Nice comfortable bedroom. Outside entrance. 403 East Kingsmill.

DESIRABLE bedroom, convenient to bath for rent to gentleman only. 704 E. Francis. Phone 1392.

FOR RENT REAL ESTATE

46—Houses for Rent

5 ROOM unfurnished modern house, garage. 922 E. Fisher. See Elmer Fite, Standard Food Market No. 1.

6 ROOM unfurnished house, 510 East Francis. See Nolan Harris at Anthony's

CLOSE in 3-rm. furn. duplex with garage $30. 3-rm. unfurn. apt. $22. 2-rm. modern unfurn $15 Phone 166.

FOR RENT:—5 room unfurnished house, hardwood floors. Mrs. Ed Fowler, Phone 1694W or 377.

47—Apartments

2 ROOM apartment furnished, bills paid, modern. $15.00 per month. Apply Tom's Place.

NICELY furnished 2 room apartment. $3.50 and up. Maytag. 508 So. Ballard. Phone 247-W.

3 LARGE room unfurnished duplex, clean, garage. Bills paid. Phone 651 W. Call 125 S. Nelson.

4 ROOM modern duplex. Newly decorated. Private bath. Built-ins. Water paid. Garage. Hardwood floors. 619 N. Cuyler.

FURNISHED 2 room apartment to permanent elderly couple. Quiet home, Norge, washer, bills paid. 902 E. Browning.

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE

54—City Property

FOR SALE—5 room modern house. Coleman furnace. Will take car. 519 North Hazel.

$1200 is our sacrifice price on this lovely 3-rm. modern with built in garage. Located on E. Francis corner lot, beautiful lawn, shrubs and trees. A real homey home, ideal for couple. On account of other investments, owner is offering this cozy little place way below former price. Someone is going to get a real buy, so act quickly. John L. Mikesell, Phone 166.

FINANCIAL

62—Money To Loan

XMAS MONEY
$5.00 to $50.00

Every "Santa" may need some extra cash to see him through the holidays. Our signature loans are easiest. See us about quick convenient loans without endorsers.

Salary Loan Co.

Room 3, Natl. Bank Bldg. Phone 303

AUTOMOBILES

63—Automobiles

USED CARS

'38 Chevrolet Town Sedan $550

'39 Chevrolet Master Coupe $525

'39 Chevrolet Town Sedan $625

'37 Chevrolet Town Sedan $425

'36 Chevrolet Town Sedan $325

Culberson-Smalling Chevrolet Co.

USED CARS

'38 OLDS 2 DOOR SEDAN
Motor reconditioned. Heater and ready for winter driving.

'37 PLYMOUTH COACH
A dandy.

'39 FORD DEL. 2 DOOR SEDAN
Columbia overdrive. Tip top in every way.

'34 CHEVROLET COUPE
A fine cheap car.

Many others to choose from

CHRISTOPHER MOTOR CO.

114 S. Frost Phone 1939

Lot at 411 S. Cuyler

GOOD USED CARS

'36 DODGE
Deluxe, 2 dr. radio, heater, defroster $325

'37 FORD
Coach, deluxe, a good clean car, bumper to bumper $325

'37 CHEVROLET
Standard coach, radio, heater, new tires $450

2 MODEL (A) FORDS
Lots of transportation at low cost. '31 coupe, $85—'29 coach, $55.

MARTINAS MOTOR COMPANY

211 N. Ballard—Phone 113

Used Car Lot, 111 E. Kingsmill

J. E. Martinas, Owner
Phil Middleton, Sales Mgr.

DODGE — PLYMOUTH

USED CARS

With A 30 Day Written Guarantee

1938 Buick 40 series, 2 door sedan.
1937 Packard Coupe.
1937 Dodge Coupe
1935 Chevrolet Coupe
1935 Dodge 4 door sedan

TEX EVANS BUICK CO., INC.

Used Car Lot Opposite Post Office

Phone 1617

AUTOMOBILES

63—Automobiles

1 USED 1936 G. M. C. pickup. Cheap. Osborn Machinery Company. Phone 494.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for late model used cars. Also, see us for car loans or refinancing your present car. Bob Ewing, 123 N. Somerville.

NOW WRECKING
1937 Chivey coach. Real good motor. Ford parts of all kinds. Glass installed, $2.50 up. C. G. Matheny, 923 W. Foster.

CONSULT our classified page for bargains in good used furniture and stoves to "put your house in order" before "winter comes." Phone 656.

AT OUR LOT
Corner S. Cuyler and Atchison

1937 Plymouth 2 door sedan ..$450
1936 Ford 2 door sedan $350
1937 Dodge 4 door sedan $450
1937 Packard 2 door sedan $525

PAMPA BRAKE
Authorized Chrysler-Plymouth
315 W. Foster Phone 346

USED CARS

'38 FORD—Deluxe sedan, radio, gasoline heater. Good mechanical condition. Brown finish $575

'38 CHEVROLET—Deluxe sedan, beautiful brown finish. Radio and heater, good mechanical shape, brand new tires $575

'37 CHEVROLET—Deluxe sedan, good rubber, motor overhauled $450

'36 CHEVROLET—Deluxe sedan, very nice appearance. Good tires, motor overhauled, radio and heater $350

'35 FORD—Deluxe coupe, a very good car for this low price $225

Tom Rose (Ford)
Phone 141

IT'S COLD ON OUR LOT BUT OUR PRICES ARE HOT!

'37 Pontiac Coupe. Completely reconditioned. Has new paint, Tires good.

'37 Packard coupe. Extra clean, Has heater and radio.

'27 Plymouth Coach. Finish like new Tires, Motor and Upholstery good.

Lewis Pontiac Co.

Another Fund For Defense To Be Asked

By H. R. INGRAHAM

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Congress will be asked to approve another record-breaking fund for national defense at the coming session, and indications today are that it will accede without much of a fight.

Congressmen with military ideas of their own, however, may provoke greater controversy than the outlay of more than $2,000,000,000 President Roosevelt said he would recommend to finance the army and navy for the year starting July 1.

Before the new session is a week old, two house committees will study proposals designed to make the navy the world's mightiest armada. Both are likely to provide forums for proponents of super-battleships, possibly twice as big as any now afloat.

Chairman Vinson (D.-Ga.) set Jan 8 tentatively for the house naval committee to begin public hearings on a proposed $1,300,000,000 expansion of the navy.

Rep. Maas (R.-Minn.), senior minority member of the committee, said he would urge the establishment of a separate fleet for the Atlantic and for construction of bigger battleships—up to 80,000 tons each.

Although Mr. Roosevelt was reported to have slashed about $700,000,000 from the estimates of both the army and navy, there were indications the total would be at least $300,000,000 and possibly $500,000,000 above the current year's peacetime record of about $1,800,000,000. Nevertheless, Democrats and Republicans have shown little disposition to quibble over money spent for defense.

However, defense measures will not have entirely plain sailing, for some members have served notice they would fight proposals to expand the armed services if it meant reductions in relief funds or other benefits for the needy.

Republican leaders also have made it plain they do not intend to support lump-sum spending in the guise of defense.

Members of a joint senate-house committee which made a 15,000-mile airplane tour of military establishments came back with a lot of ideas which threaten to conflict with those of war department experts. Among other things, they recommended speeding up production of the army's new semi-automatic rifle, greater attention to protection of cities from possible air attacks, modernization of field artillery, and expansion of airports and troop training areas.

The army contends it would take all prospective defense funds to provide even a portion of the nation's major cities with stationary anti-aircraft guns.

In 1543, Copernicus came forth with the startling news that the sun was the center of our particular system, and that the apparent motion of the stars was due to our own rotation on our axis.

Counties To Benefit From Birthday Ball

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 — America has a new frontier with more than 700 outposts fighting an invisible enemy—infantile paralysis.

These frontier fighters are members of the chapters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

They have called for more ammunition, and dimes and dollars contributed by millions of citizens in the "Fight Infantile Paralysis" campaign will be rushed to them, Keith Morgan, National Chairman of the Committee for the Celebration of the President's Birthday, declared today.

The work of these chapters—first to be organized under the Foundation banner—tells a story of great achievement in a war which cripples little children, Mr. Morgan said.

During the past year more than $700,000, a large part of which has already been spent, was left in the counties for local help. This amount represented fifty per cent of the money raised in the last "Fight Infantile Paralysis" campaign.

With more than four times as many cases of this dread disease this year than last, these chapters have heroically carried on and in many cases have fought serious outbreaks of the disease.

Epidemics struck swiftly and heavily in South Carolina, Michigan, New York, California and other states, Mr. Morgan pointed out. Wealthy and poor alike were equally afflicted.

In South Carolina, $7,650 was provided for immediate care of victims. This grant made possible an equal contribution by the Federal Government which swelled the State's war chest to more than $15,000.

In Buffalo, N. Y., the Erie County chapter assisted in providing splints for more than 300 persons afflicted during one of that city's most virulent epidemics.

In Detroit, a new laboratory for scientific study, established with cooperation of the Michigan State Board of Health, went into operation twenty-four hours after an epidemic broke out.

Cap Believed Clue To Hunters Slaying

RAYMONDVILLE, Dec. 27 (AP)—Officers sought the owner of a cap today as a possible clue in the slaying of two hunters in the dense brush country near here.

The cap, apparently the type issued to CCC camp enrollees, and a shotgun shell were found near the bodies of J. B. White, 56, and John Bunch, 48, when they were discovered yesterday. The hunters had been sprayed with buckshot.

Sheriff J. A. Goolsby of Cameron county expressed the belief that an inexperienced hunter fired at the men thinking they were deer and fled in panic when he learned his mistake.

Justice of the Peace F. D. Nance said he would render an inquest verdict today.

Funeral services for White were to be held at Combes today. The body of Bunch was to be sent to Gurdon, Ark., for burial.

Because rusty water cools more slowly than clean water, an automobile radiator should be drained at least once a month and filled with clear water.

This Time Texas Gun-Girl Missed



Wal, pardner, she missed and she's downright ashamed of herself. Coming from Texas, Mrs. Martha (Ginger) Harrison has a right to be ashamed of her marksmanship. She admitted as much when haled before a Pittsburgh magistrate following a wild effort to shoot her husband and radio team partner, Tex Harrison.

AFTER SANTA CLAUS?



Senate Resolution Expressing Confidence In Leo In Edition

By HOWARD C. MARSHALL
Associated Press Staff

Another innovation has appeared in connection with the administration of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel although presumably he himself had nothing to do with it.

A resolution adopted by the Senate expressing confidence in the governor, has been printed in facsimile form at the front of the official edition of the general laws enacted at the last session of the Legislature. The edition is just off the press.

Heretofore, simple resolutions, that is, resolutions passed by only one house of the Legislature, have not been printed in the general laws. Resolutions, which are proposed constitutional amendments and concurrent resolutions, which may be on any subject but are intended to voice views of the entire Legislature, have been printed at the back.

The O'Daniel Resolution, signed by 26 of the 31 senators and Lieut-Gov. Coke Stevenson, who is president of the Senate, is a simple resolution—and there it is, right up at the front of the general laws, between the title page and the table of contents!

"Be is resolved, by the Senate of Texas, that we express our confidence in the sincerity, honesty and integrity of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel."

It was approved June 19 at the height of the bitter fight over Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 ("S. J. R. 12"), proposed constitutional amendment which the governor favored and which would have levied sales-natural resource taxes to support Texas' social security program.

The edition was prepared and issued by the secretary of states department.

It was a good thing that the Junior Tom L. Beauchamps of Austin chose the right name for their new baby. They might have run afoul of the Constitution, this on the word of Associate Justice Tom L. Beauchamp of the Texas court of criminal appeals.

The judge of Texas' highest criminal court was being congratulated on the birth of a boy to the wife of his son, Beauchamp, Jr., who is attorney for State Auditor Tom King.

"And what did they name the baby?" asked a friend.

The judge glared.

"What did they name him?" he replied. "What do you think they would name him? Anything else would have been unconstitutional."

Which was the same as saying the baby is Tom L. Beauchamp III (Third).

Texas' senators, high court judges and other prominents about the capitol as usual have obtained their share of this season's deer hunting spoils.

Various senatorial parties have gone out and without exception reported excellent luck.

One group, composed of Senators Wilbourne Collie of Eastland, Albert Stone of Brenham, W. C. Graves of Dallas and Jesse Martin of Fort Worth, as well as D. K. Martin of San Antonio, member of the state game commission, and Will Tucker of Austin, commission secretary, hunted on the great King ranch in Southwest Texas.

All of the hunters obtained a deer and a wild turkey. In addition, Martin bagged two javelinas, which are wild pigs.

In the words of Senator Collie, when you refer to a javelina as a "wild" pig "you mean very wild."

"They were so wild I couldn't even get near enough to shoot," Collie said.

Reporting on the trip, in the office of Bob Barker, senate secretary, Collie said he believed that his deer, which weighed 112 pounds, was the largest shot by anyone in the party. It was an eight pointer.

Martin's deer had 15 points and Tucker's 14, according to the Eastland senator.

Another body of hunters included Barker and Senators Morris Roberts of Pettus and Vernon Lemens of Waxahachie. They went to a ranch west of Kerrville where Lemens obtained the largest deer, weighing 94 pounds and having nine points.

Still another group, including Senator Will Stone of Galveston, hunted in the Llano country.

Four judges of Texas' high courts were in a party which hunted on the ranch of J. M. West, Houston capitalist, near Carrizo Springs. They were Associate Justices J. H. Sharp and Richard Critz of the supreme court, Associate Justice Harry Graves of the court of criminal appeals and Associate Justice J. H. Baugh of the third court of civil appeals.

Also in the party were former Governors James V. Allred, now a federal judge, and R. S. Sterling; Ernest O. Thompson, member of the railroad commission, and a number of professional and businessmen of Houston and elsewhere.

The four judges of Austin bagged five deer, Judge Baugh bringing down two, which is the season limit.

Hist! There was no meeting of the supreme court on the Wednesday over which the hunt extended and, while the judges did not announce that the state's highest civil court did not meet on schedule because of a deer hunt, the capitol considers the events closely related.

One reason Attorney General Gerald Mann declared the big tax remission to Harris county (Houston) unconstitutional was his belief the constitution intended to remit taxes only to relieve disaster and Harris county could not qualify on that ground.

Said a capitol wag after the jarring opinion:

"If there had been no disaster in Harris county, there certainly was one as a result of Mann's ruling."

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"It's such a satisfaction to go shopping with you. My daughter creates a scene when I order a chocolate eclair."

ANSWER TO CRANIUM CRACKER

Questions on Editorial Page

1. Nromal body temperature is between 98 and 99.5 degrees.
2. The auricle is the chamber of the heart that receives blood.
3. Normal pulse beats vary between 70 and 75 per minute.
4. The word "cervical" pertains to the neck.
5. An artery is a blood vessel that carries blood from the heart.

Mexico Business Booms

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27 (AP)—The tourist business is booming in Mexico.

A luxury train arriving last night from St. Louis, Mo., had so many tourists it had to run in two sections.

The starfish has one set of eyes on each of its five arms.

The State of Texas,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Gray if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, C. E. Lewis whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Gray on the 1st day of January, 1940, at the Court House thereof in Pampa, Texas, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1939, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6392, wherein Bonnie Lewis is plaintiff and C. E. Lewis is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Suit for divorce upon the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment; for custody and control of two minor children, to-wit: Frances Ann Lewis, a girl, age five years, and Curtis Ray Lewis, a boy, age two years; for $15.00 per month support for said minor children; for attorney's fee in the sum of $100.00; for costs of suit and such other and further relief, general and special, in law or in equity, to which she may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 12th day of December, A. D. 1939.

MIRIAM WILSON,
Clerk District Court, Gray County, Texas.

(Dec. 13-20-27-31, 1939)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration upon the Estate of C. B. Barnard, Deceased, were granted to us, the undersigned, on the 4th day of December, 1939, by the County Court of Gray County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are notified to present the same to us within the time prescribed by law, and all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment to us at Pampa, Texas.

(Signed) T. H. BARNARD,
AMA B. GRAHAM,
Administrators of the Estate of C. B. Barnard, Deceased.

Dec. 27; Jan. 3, 10, 17.

GOD OF LOVE

HORIZONTAL

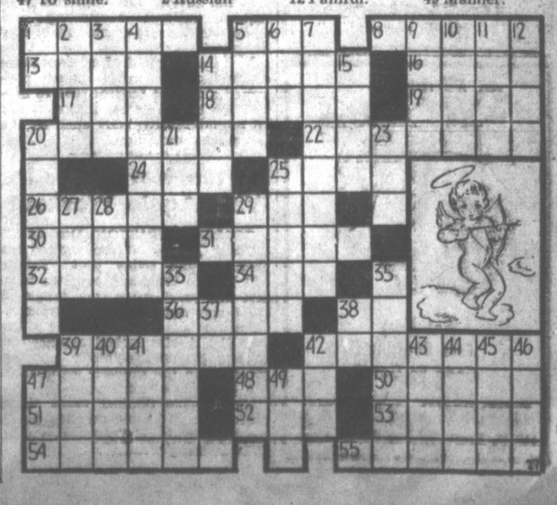
1 The Roman god of love.
5 Strife.
8 He was the son of ——
13 Stepped upon.
14 Station.
16 Knife.
17 Beer.
18 Foe.
19 Surplus.
20 Gratified.
22 To conciliate.
24 Book cover.
25 Unique person
26 Ascetic.
29 Ready.
30 The shank.
31 Out of bed.
32 Tasting of ham.
34 Thus.
36 Narrative poem.
38 Greek letter.
39 Steel clothing.
42 War vessels.
47 To shine.
48 One plus one.
50 To ascend.
51 Having wings.
52 Serrated tool.
53 To wash lightly.
54 To rely.
55 He is pictured as a naked, —— boy.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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VERTICAL

1 Court.
2 Russian mountains.
3 Extremity of the earth.
4 Opposed to realism.
5 To proceed on
6 Monkey.
7 He is the hero of many —— tales.
9 Tree.
10 New star.
11 Rubber trees.
12 Painful.
14 Action.
15 Symbol.
20 He fell in love with ——
21 Iniquity
23 Impertinent peeping.
25 Ocular.
27 English coin.
28 Tooth tissue.
29 Aids.
33 Petty officers.
35 Arrow poison
37 Pair.
38 Musical note.
39 Genus of auks
40 To obtain.
41 Husband or wife.
42 He carried a —— and arrow.
43 Ireland.
44 Chinese dynasty.
45 Actual being.
46 Ovule.
47 To rove.
49 Manner.



SERIAL STORY

BLACKOUT

BY RUTH AYERS

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YESTERDAY: Vincent fails to arrive for his breakfast date and Mary goes to Southampton alone, boards the Moravia. In her stateroom she finds her cabin-mate, Anna Winters. As the time of sailing nears and Vincent does not come, Mary becomes panicky, tries to leave the boat.

CHAPTER IV

TOO late!

Already the gap widened between the Moravia's black hull and the dock. The third class gangplank had not only been lifted but was being rolled away to its shelter to await another steamer.

"I'm sorry, Miss. I thought you could make it." The steward lifted his hands in a gesture of despair.

Mary knew it was useless to hope any longer. Reluctantly, she found her way back to her cabin.

"It wasn't meant to be, that's all," she told herself. "I had a feeling all along that Vincent and my failing in love was too good to be true."

What could have happened to Vincent? Where was he? He had never failed her before. She could not believe that he failed her now. Something had detained him. That, she must believe. All love was based on trust. If she could not trust the man who was to share her life, hers was a poor kind of love.

Something had happened to him, undeniably. But what? His letter had said that he was dashing off on a last minute commission. Well, if that was all the explanation she had, she would have to make the best of it.

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SHE fought to hold back tears. But they blinded her before she found her way back to the cabin.

"I'm sorry. Oh, believe me, I am sorry." The little soft mouse of a girl who was her cabin mate was sympathetic when Mary's sobbing revealed she had not been able to get off the Moravia. "If I hadn't unpacked all your things you could have made it easily."

"It couldn't be helped, I guess." Mary was glad to have someone to talk to and this girl's sympathy was not unwelcome. "I waited too long. I should have known that when Vincent hadn't come by the first warning he wasn't going to come at all."

"You mean your fiance?" Anna Winters queried.

Mary nodded. With an effort she winked back tears and faced the girl who was to share her quarters for an undetermined number of days across the Atlantic. For the first time she noted the pallor of the face and the violet shadows like dark scallops under her eyes.

"You'd better tell me something about yourself," she said at length. "If you're from Bournemouth and English born, I should think you're headed in the wrong direction. Didn't you want to join the Wrens or the Wats or any of the other women's service groups?"

"I did but they wouldn't take me."

"Wouldn't? Why not?"

But Mary could have bitten her tongue for the awkward question. The whiteness of the gentle little face and the shadows of the eyes told all too clearly why Anna Winters had not signed up.

"It's my heart," she answered quietly. "When I went up for examination I was turned down flat."

The Moravia had steadied herself to the swells of the sea. The black-daubed porthole of the D deck cabin became darker with the wash of waves over the tarred glass. Soothed by the motion of the boat and the pound of the sea, Mary was able to shut out for a time the ill-starred events of the past 24 hours—the restaurant's blue black shadows, the whine of the air raid siren and the panic that was averted only by the kindness of the big American doctor. But it took actual effort to keep from thinking of Vincent and his failure to appear on board.

To shut out genuine grief, Mary forced herself to pay strict attention to what Anna Winters was saying.

"I'm in service in New York," she said. "I'm a governess. This summer was my first trip home—to England. I'll probably never get home again."

Looking into the deep wells of her gray eyes, Mary thought, "You poor kid. You probably won't."

There was silence for a moment. Then unexpectedly Anna said, "Let's ring tea. It might make us feel cheerier."

There was something in the way she said it that brought to the surface all the pent up hysteria in Mary Carroll. She rocked in mirth. "The world can smash," she choked incoherently. "Doom can be on your doorsteps. Your heart can be breaking to bits. But you have to hand it to you British. In moments of the greatest calamity you can always say, 'Let's ring for tea.'"

But she had to admit that Anna had the right idea, to carry on normally under trying circumstances. And she felt considerably braced after a "spot" of the steaming beverage and a plate of buttered scones.

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THAT day and the next passed quietly for the two. Mary felt strangely drawn toward the little English governess. For all her lack of the advantages that Mary herself had taken for granted, there was a dignity that could not fail but impress.

The second night out Mary walked the deck for a breather of fresh air. Back and forth and around the deck she walked, busy with but one thought. "Vincent, Vincent, Vincent. What are you doing tonight, Vincent? Where are you? Why did you not come?"

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"GOOD evening, Miss." Mary recognized the captain's four gold stripes.

His voice was cheering. Mary answered pleasantly, "Good evening, Captain. I thought I had the deck to myself."

The captain's laugh was reassuring. "Some of the rest of us like to make a practice of walking to America, too. You may find the passengers below deck, but the officers still believe in constitutionals. However, my own will have to be short tonight. I'm on my way back to the bridge."

With a friendly nod he walked forward and disappeared.

The brief interlude had been comforting. No longer did the tar black of the windows of the glassed-in deck loom so somberly. With the captain so brisk and matter-of-fact, Mary no longer felt the isolation of winter seas at night. She knew the radio was silenced and that there was no contact between ship and shore save for the patrolling war craft in this mine-infested area.

Mary continued her way aft. When she reached the companionway she stopped suddenly. She was certain a figure had moved. She tried to piece the shadows. It was baffling business in the dark.

(To Be Continued)

Finnish Author Thanks America

NEW YORK, Dec. 27—Jean Sibelius, Finland's world-famous composer and author of "Finlandia," one of his best known works, today cabled the American people, through Herbert Hoover, national chairman of the Finnish Relief Fund, that the sympathy displayed by the American public "electrifies the civilized world and has convinced more and more people of the justice of Finland's cause."

While he realized that how Finland emerges from the struggle, "depends in the first instance on ourselves," he declared that Finland's "fate depends also in a large measure on what those nations which prize liberty do." His cable read:

"You Americans wished to hear what I think of the fate of Finland now that she is being attacked by a Great Power. I need hardly to say that I have only one thought, to see the Fatherland defended. My anxiety for its welfare and my desire to act fills my heart night and day.

"I have heard of your generosity and gratitude and I have experienced the sympathy with which you in America listen to Finnish music, and I know the understanding shown for the people whose being this music interprets. Recent events show the truly deep comprehension of the situation and state of my country in the American mind. The sympathy displayed for us in all circles of the American public electrifies the civilized world and has convinced more and more people of the justice of Finland's cause.

"You go on insisting that the voice of Finland in the choir of nations shall continue to echo freely and Finland's independence given every support against the crushing odds now threatening. During these two weeks, I have seen Finnish people put forth all strength in defence of their existence. How we shall emerge from the struggle depends, in the first instance on ourselves. But when the question of immense material superiority is considered, our fate depends also in a large measure on what those nations which prize liberty do."

Trinity At Flood Stage At Liberty

LIBERTY, Dec. 27 (AP)—Residents of this city watched with some uneasiness today as the Trinity river hovered around the 25-foot mark—a foot over flood stage.

T. E. Lewis, United States weather observer, said the water was rising slowly and warned stockmen in the lowlands below Liberty to drive their animals to higher ground immediately.

The river has been fed by heavy rains of the past few days.

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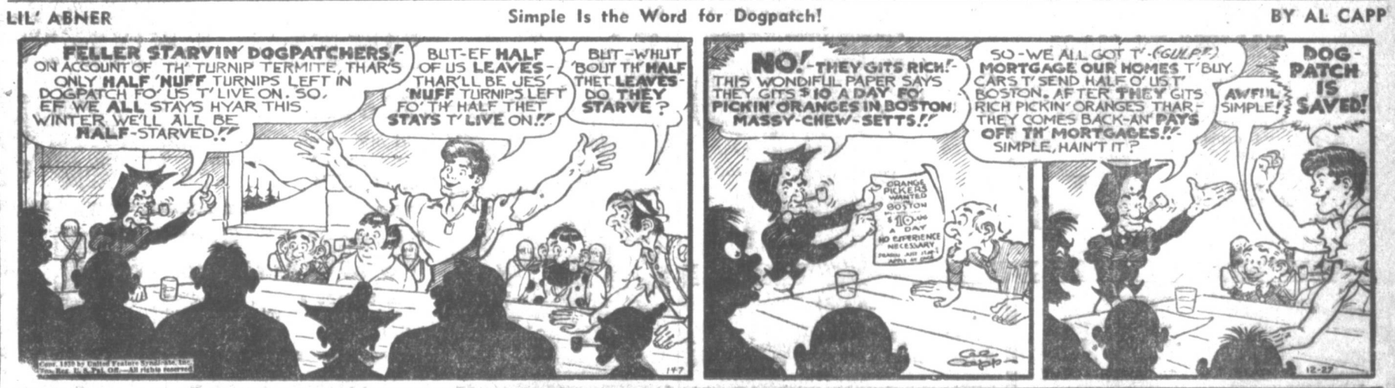
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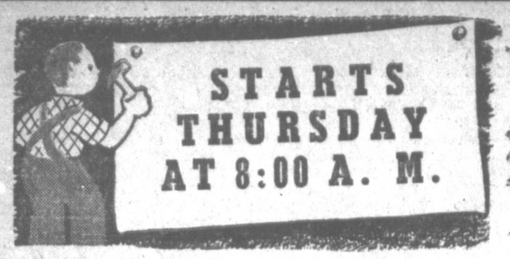


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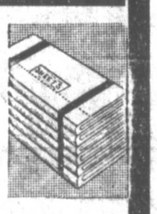
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