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# Kidnapers Meet Death In Calm Manner Early Today

*FLIGHT MOMENTO*

Billy Parker of Bartlesville, Okla., flys a 1912 pusher type airplane over the spot (marker, right) that Orville and Wilbur Wright flew for the first time 50 years ago at Kitty Hawk, N.C. Two early bird flyers Niels Bangs (left) of Staten Island, N.Y., and Syd Vincent of Newport News, Va., watch in the foreground.

## Hospital Will Be Opened At End Of Jan.

The board of directors of Cogdell Memorial Hospital announced today that the $1,000,000 plant will be officially opened here Jan. 31.

R. B. Fulcher, administrator, said that patients would be accepted on Feb. 1. Equipping of the hospital will not be entirely complete until sometime in February, Fulcher said. However, the missing equipments will be minor in importance and will not materially effect operation of the plant, he said.

Major items which have not arrived yet are mattresses. Fulcher said that an invoice has arrived indicating that some have been shipped, but that none have arrived yet. An agreement has been made with the manufacturer that the mattresses wil be shipped as they are completed at a rate of about 10 per day, he said.

Plans have been made to start immediately to compile a full staff for the opening, Fulcher said. At present there are four staff members employed besides Fulcher. They are Miss Oleita Mitchell, business manager; Mrs. Norman Neundorf, director of nurses; Charles White, X-ray technician; and Virgil Walton, engineer.

Contract on the building was awarded in March, 1952, and the first machinery was moved in here April, 1952, to start construction. General contractor was Rex D. Kitchens of Austin.

The building was completed last summer, but the entervening time has been spent in equipping the hospital.

### Low Only 33 In Night

Temperatures were much warmer here last night, with a low of only 33, and at 7:30 o'clock this morning, when the reading was 42. Yesterday's high was 48, according to Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn, weather observer.

## Escapees Are Held In Abilene Lockup

SWEETWATER (AP)—It's all right with Sheriff R. L. Wilkins of Fisher County for three re-captured prisoners to stay in the jail at Abilene now.

But as soon as Wilkins recovers from a beating the tough trio gave him as they slugged their way out of jail he wants them back.

Meanwhile, Dist. Atty. Bill Tippen here prepared today to file charges against the three men—Hughes Jack Pitts, 21, and Benny Bolton, 22, both of Dallas; and John Tarlton, 22, of Snyder. He said he would file jail-breaking and assault to murder charges and recommend they be held without bond.

From a hospital at Rotan, Wilkins telephoned officers yesterday who re-captured the trio, congratulated them and said it would be all right to keep them in Abilene until he is out of the hospital.

"Then I want them back at Roby," he said.

Wilkins, who has never carried a gun in nearly 20 years as a police officer, was beaten severely about the head and shoulders as the men made their dash for freedom.

The escapees were recaptured eight miles east of here yesterday after baying bloodhounds had chased them up a tree. They surrendered meekly to mounted police officers directed to their roost by low-flying airplanes.

The trio said they wanted out of jail to see a lawyer and denied the charge for which they were held, burglary of a store Nov. 17 in Rotan.

"We couldn't get out on bond," Bolton said, "and I couldn't get mail from my sister in Dallas who was trying to help me."

Tarlton told their story of hardship after their escape. He said they did not have enough clothes to stand the chill West Texas nights and that they had walked until they were footsore.

"It was every bit on foot every inch of the way," the tired jail-breaker said. And when the bloodhounds bayed close by yesterday, he added, "We just got up in a tree and waited for them to come get us."

Three other persons injured in the Tuesday night jail break at Roby were doing all right today. They were jailer and Mrs. D. F. Driver, about 70, and a Fisher County farmer, Clyde Farrar.

All had tried to stop the three men as they whipped the sheriff and made their dash from the jail.

## Tip Here Leads To Capture Of 4 Wanted Men

The fact that only an extremely ill wind blows no good was evident here yesterday when a partly erroneous tip to police was fruitful in the apprehension of four men wanted for armed robbery and numerous burglaries.

Attendants of Ferrell Service Staton, eight miles west of here on the Lamesa highway, reported that three men in an automobile purchased gasoline there and that they fit the discriptions of three men being sought after the jail-break at Roby Tuesday night.

Officers here formed roadblocks but were evaded by the men in the car, who were stopped about 1:30 yesterday afternoon at Hobbs, N. M., by a roadblock formed because of the alert given here.

Officers there found that a fourth man had been lying in the rear seat of the car, beneath a blanket, when the car stopped here. The service station attendants here reported the suspects kept tucking at a blanket which appeared to have had a man's body under it.

Bill Love, chief deptuy sheriff here, said Hobbs police learned the men were wanted at Lovington as suspects in an armed robbery and that they were also wanted for burglaries in the vicinity of Mineral Wells Wednesday night.

The four were apprehended about the same time as the trio of jail excapees were caught near Trent.

## Both Chat As Gas Snuffs Out Lives

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP)—Carl Austin Hall and Bonnie Brown Heady died together in the gas chamber early today for the kidnap slaying of 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease, still talking calmly to each other as the deadly fumes rolled up around their faces.

Just before he was taken into the gas tank at the Missouri State Prison, Hall, the 34-year-old wastrel heir to a $200,000 fortune puffed on a cigarette. He passed it to Mrs. Heady, his 41-year-old paramour, for a puff as they talked for the last time.

When they were strapped into the chairs, Mrs. Heady asked Hall:

"Are you doing all right, honey?"

"Yes, Mama," Hall replied.

His lips were red as if he had received a last kiss from the plump, dark-haired woman who helped him kidnap and slay little Bobby Sept. 28.

The prison was quiet as the notorious pair went to their deaths. Seven degree cold kept the crowd outside at a minimum.

As the official witnesses walked through the darkness of the prison courtyard, Christmas decorations made by convicts sparkled on the trees and bushes.

Elaborate security precautions had been made, with extra guards and highway patrolmen brought in for the execution. But the extra men were not needed. There was no outburst from the 2,500 convicts.

As the parade of witnesses followed the death cars down to the gas chamber, one convict shouted from his cell: "Pour it on 'em."

Warden Ralph N. Eidson, who tripped the lever which sent cyanide gas curling around the faces of the kidnapers in a white cloud, said the pair had been "just as normal as they could be" since they entered the prison Nov. 20.

"I don't think we've had any more normal prisoners than they were down here," he said.

The Rev. George L. Evans, Episcopal rector from Kansas City, Kan., who was Hall's spiritual adviser, said both prisoners were "absolutely and completely reconciled" to death.

"They are prepared to meet Almighty God," he said after praying with them in the death chamber.

Neither of the kidnapers showed any outward signs of fear although Hall breathed deeply while being strapped into the death chair. The chamber door clanged shut on them at 12:04 a.m. Thirty seconds later Warden Eidson tripped the lever which dropped cyanide powder into two jars of sulphuric acid beneath the death chairs.

White fumes rose around the couple. Hall took a big gulp as the fumes hit his face but Mrs. Heady appeared to hold her breath for an instant.

Their heads jerked back. There were a few convulsive movements. Both were unconscious almost at once.

At 12:12 a.m. Hall was dead. Mrs. Heady kept breathing for another 2 minutes and 10 seconds.

One of the prison doctors, G. Donald Shull, said her breathing lasted longer than any person he had ever seen die in the chamber.

Some of the official witnesses had figured in the unusual federal court trial when a jury in Kansas City recommended the death sentence Nov. 19.

Hall's attorney, Marshall K. Hoag of Pleasonton, Kan., an old friend of the family, was one of them.

But the only representative of little Bobby Greenlease's family present was Norbert S. O'Neill, Kansas City business associate of the child's multimillionaire father. O'Neill was one of the men who negotiated with the kidnappers and dropped a record $600,000 ransom near a bridge east of Kansas City Oct. 4.

"I came down here," O'Neill said after the execution, "to keep faith with a vow I made several weeks ago. I don't like to see people die, but these people deserved to die. I came down here to see the sentence carried out because I thought it was a just sentence."

In the last few days law enforcement officers have made strenuous efforts to find out what happened to the missing half of the ransom.

Another last-minute effort was made tonight but failed.

"Have you anything to tell me?" U.S.Marshal William B. Tatman asked both prisoners after they were blindfolded and strapped into the death chairs.

Both shook their heads and Mrs. Heady added aloud: "No."

Their last audible words before the door was sealed were: "Thanks for everything," and "Goodby" to the guards who had watched over them in the last few days.

But they kept on talking to each other for the few seconds it took to seal the chamber.

Did they talk about the little boy they planned to kill even before they abducted him? Their few months of illicit love together? Or were they just two human souls trying to brace each other for death?

Witnesses peering through the thick glass windows of the gas tank couldn't tell.

All the witnesses knew was what prison and law enforcement officials have reported in recent days: that Hall did not regret the crime so much as he did his own stupidity in getting so drunk he was caught.

He was arrested in St. Louis Oct.6 after police were tipped that a man with a lot of money was on a drunken spending spree. He led officers to Mrs. Heady's hideout a few hours later. And that, according to guards who have been close to her, was her biggest disappointment. They had planned a life of luxury with the $600,000 they got in their vicious plot. But today $4.40 worth of chemicals killed them.

They went to their deaths in simple prison clothing, nothing like the luxurious clothes they used to wear.

Mrs. Heady was clad in a bright green cotton dress, the standard prison garb. Her dark brown wavy hair was carefully combed and she had on a little makeup. She wore scuff-type sandals but no stockings.

Hall wore olive green twill pants and shirt, a black stripe down the side of the trousers. He had on un-

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## Over $1,000 Taken From Safe In Night

Police are investigating the burglary last night of the Sears-Roebuck Co. mail order house, 605 East Highway, in which $1,085.02 in cash was stolen from the firm's safe.

Walter Suttle, police chief, said that apparently there was no force used in entering either the building or the safe.

Only cash was taken from the safe—and not all of it.

W. A. Stanley, Jr., manager of the western district for Sears-Roebuck, said that the burglary occurred sometime between the time the store was closed at 6 o'clock last night, and the time it was opened about 8 this morning.

Stanley quoted Mrs. Jewel Barton, manager of the store, as saying the store was closed as usual last night, and that from $3,000 to $4,000 in cash and checks was locked inside the safe.

Leamon Land, policeman said that the burglars left about $100 in change and currency among papers and checks in front of the safe, and that apparently they did not take anything but cash.

Land said the burglary was probably done by professionals, because there were no signs of breaking into the building, and the combination on the safe had been worked and the door opened.

In several recent burglaries here in which money was stolen from safes, the safe doors were blown or pryed open.

Last night's burglary was the second one in recent weeks in Scurry County. On Nov. 8, the Rainbow Market, 1614 Twenty-fifth Street, was broken into and the safe stolen. About $600 was taken from the safe after it was blown open five miles northeast of here on a country road.

Two places at Fluvanna were broken into Nov. 24. They were the Fluvanna School, and the Fluvanna Mercantile.

Earlier this year $60 was stolen from the cash register from Gordon's Drive In, after the register had been taken from the building Jan. 27, and $1 in pennies was stolen from Bagwell's Washateria Feb. 26.

On Feb. 29, Furr's Food Store was broken into, the safe blown, and $11,000 in cash and checks taken, and on Feb. 23, the B & B Food Market, 2112 Avenue S, was broken into, the safe torn open, and about $40 stolen.

A Negro arrested here Feb. 12, admitted two earlier burglaries, those of the Jack Rape Humble Station, 1401 Twenty-fifth Street, and the R. B. Sears Motor Co., in the 300 block of East Highway.

None of the other burglaries mentioned have been solved.

## Operations On Kent Wildcat Are Underway

Tom Slick and others of San Antonio have begun operations on their No. 1 Edwin George Heirs, a projected 7,500-foot wildcat 12 miles west-northwest of Clairemont in Kent County.

The project has reached a total depth of 1,483 feet and is waiting for cement to cure on eight and five-eighth-inch casing set at that depth.

Drillsite the wildcat is 654.6 from south and 1,996.7 feet from east lines of section 197-G-W&NW.

SCURRY COUNTY

M. L. Mayfield of Houston has set location for the No. 2 C. T. McLaughlin in the Diamond M field 15 miles southwest of Snyder.

It is 2,910 feet from north and 1,000 feet from west lines of section 179-97-H&TC. Rotary contract calls for a depth of 6,900 feet.

Jones and Roberts of Abilene No. 9 C. A. Williams is a new producer in the Sharon Ridge 1700 field. The well pumped 24 hours to make 43.52 barrels of 38-gravity oil with 15 per cent water. Production is from open hole at 1,749-785 feet.

Drillsite is in section 192-3-H&GN.

MITCHELL PUMPER

Humble Oil has completed its No. 1 W. G. Trulock as a new producer in the recently opened Maude-Clear Fork field of Central-West Mitchell County.

The well pumped 24 hours on the potential to make 3.04 barrels of 26.7-gravity oil plus 60 per cent water. Production is from perforations at 2,790-820 feet. The well was drilled six miles southwest of Westbrook and in section 6-28-tls-T&&P.

FISHER FAILURE

Robert M. Bass of Kilgore No. 1 J. B. Terrell, Northeast Fisher wildcat, has been ordered plugged and abandoned on total depth of 3,460 feet.

The No. 1 Terrell was drilled 1,663 feet from south and 997 feet from east lines of section 86-1-H&TC, three-quarters of a mile northwest of the Round Top field.

DRILLING REPORT

Plymouth Oil No. 1 Oldham, Central-North Howard wildcat, is preparing to drill below total depth of 7,980 feet in lime after drillstem testing in the top of the Pennsylvanian reef.

The reef was topped at 7,954 feet, with the test from that depth to 7,980 feet. The tool was open two and one-half hours with a recovery of 110 feet of mud with no shows. No elevation was reported.

Texas Pacific No. 1 Little, North Howard project, has reported a flow of 244 barrels of oil in a 12-hour gauge on testing which is continuing. The project was acidized with 500 gallons of mud acid and then kicked off and flowed out the load. Water in the oil flow was .16 of one per cent.

Sojourner No. 1 Patterson, Stonewall wildcat, has completed two drillstem tests in the Strawn sand.

The first, with the tool open three hours, was run from 5,576-590 feet. Recovery was 280 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud with 35 feet of free oil. Flowing pressure ranged from 43-132 pounds, with 30-minute shutin pressure 2,333 pounds. A second test was run from 5,631-645 feet with the tool open 45 minutes. There was a light blow of air which died in nine minutes. Recovery was 40 feet of salty mud. Flowing pressure was zero with 15-minute shutin pressure 1,840 pounds.

## Allowable Up To Take In Spraberry's Return

AUSTIN (AP)—The Texas Railroad Commissioner today increased the state's allowable oil production for the first time in six months, setting the permissive January flow at 2,824,423 barrels per day.

This will be an increase of 29,433 barrels per day, and will directly result from restoring the vast Spraberry Trend Field in West Texas to the statewide producing schedule.

The Spraberry was given 17 producing days for January, six more than for this month. Gas processing and pipeline company spokesmen said facilities will be installed by Jan. 1 to handle all casinghead gas resulting from as much as 20 days of oil production.

The Spraberry has been operating on a sharply curtailed producing schedule since last spring when the commission cracked down on wasteful flaring of casinghead gas.

The slight boost in production next month was granted despite fear expressed by Commissioner Olin Culberson that the critical storage situation is going to get worse.

It appears to me there has been little change in the situation since the last statewide hearing," Culberson told industry representatives at the statewide proration hearing preceding announcement of the allowable.

Though the Spraberry Field will enjoy the same number of producing days as the statewide pattern, 17, the Spraberry remains under a special order which prorates oil production so that only as much casinghead gas as can be put to legal use will be produced incidental to the flow of oil.

Only a small percentage of the Spraberry wells are not connected to gas processing plants.

With adequate pipeline capacity expected by Jan. 1 to handle residue gas from the processing plants, the practical effect will be that the Spraberry will enjoy virtually as much production as if the special proration order were no longer in effect.

The East Texas field will continue on 17 producing days in January; Pantex, 16; Picton, 9; and Kelley-Snyder, 15. Pewett Ranch Field was cut to 10 days in anticipation that no greater amount of oil could be moved if cold weather prevails.

Five purchasers—Humble, Gulf, Atlantic, Stanolind, and Tidewater—recommended 17 statewide producing days and 17 for East Texas, in line with the commission's decision.

## Showers Fall On Gulf Coast

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rain fell Friday along the Texas coast and at scattered inland points. More showers were predicted for the weekend.

Winds curving out of the Midwest across the Gulf of Mexico brought the showers. The winds rotating around a cold air center, picked up moisture in the Gulf.

At mid-morning rain dampened College Station, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Austin, Victoria, Houston, Laredo and Galveston. Rain peppered down earlier at San Antonio, Houston, Del Rio, Midland and Cotulla.

The sky was overcast in the east half of the state. It was clear in the Panhandle and partly cloudy elsewhere.

Morning temperatures ranged from 21 at Dalhart to 55 at Brownsville.

The Weather Bureau forecast more cloudy skies and rains for most of the state over the weekend.

Rainfall for 24 hours ending at 6:30 a.m.: Brownsville .10 inch, Houston .39, San Antonio .05, Beaumont .15, Corpus Christi .29, Galveston .57, Laredo .03, Victoria .44, Palacios 1.16 and Cotulla .09.

### Kidnapers Discuss Weather On Way To Chamber Of Death

JEFFERSON CITY Mo. (AP)—C.O. Parker, driver of the car that carried Carl Austin Hall to the gas chamber today, said Hall's first comment was about the weather.

Parker said that when Hall stepped into the car, he said:

"It's colder out here than I thought it was."

The driver said Hall carried on a conversation with the other occupants of the car throughout the short trip.

"He walked right in with no hesitation. He did not appear tense or excited."

Parker, whose car was following the vehicle carrying Bonnie Brown Heady, said that she also appeared calm on the trip to the chamber.

"Mrs. Heady appeared very spry," he said.

## Mad Dog Killer Being Sought In Oklahoma

TULSA, Okla. (AP)—City, county, state and federal authorities were combing areas near Broken Arrow, Coweta and Alsuma today searching for a "mad dog" killer they believe is responsible for at least three brutal shootings.

Tulsa Police Chief Joe McGuire said somberly, "We've got a mad dog killer on our hands and we want to find him before he kills more."

The prime suspect is Quincy O'Neal, 33-year-old Negro wanted on charges of murdering his wife and federal flight to avoid prosecution. His wife was shot Aug. 3, 1952.

Officers disclosed yesterday a slug taken from the body of Mrs. O'Neal was fired from the same .45-caliber pistol used in the shooting Sunday of Vol Dale Royster, 24-year-old Tulsan, and Henry Unruh, a Dewey farmer, Nov. 10.

Royster, police theorized, was kidnaped after the rent-a-trailer firm where he worked as an attendant was robbed of $69. His body was found in a ditch eight miles south of Broken Arrow.

Unruh, 50, was shot near midnight after telling a Halloween-masked gunman he had only $2. He was slain in bed at his rural home in Washington County.

SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

## No President Yet For French

VERSAILLES, France (AP)—France's badly divided Parliament failed again today to elect a President of the Republic in an unprecedented third round of voting.

None of the three candidates left in the contest got anywhere enough votes for election.

Premier Joseph Laniel, wealthy industrialist, wound up with 358, Socialist candidate Marcel-Edmond Naegelen 313, and Radical Socialist Yvon Delbos 225. Foreign Minister Georges Bidault withdrew just before the third round of voting began.

The joint session of Parliament cast 26 votes for a varied assortment of men who were not officially candidates. Thus the number of votes needed for election was 462.

A fourth ballot is required to try to break the deadlock. That will begin at about 2:30 p.m. EST.

### Swedes Calling Flying Saucer 'Russian Robot'

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP)—A Swedish pilot told today of seeing a mysterious object flash by at tremendous speed and Stockholm newspapers immediatelly labelled it a "Russian robot."

"Russian robot from base at Libau" said a six-column headline in Aftonbladet, the city's largest newspaper.

Pilot Ulf Christiansson, a Swedish citizen but a British RAF flyer during World War II, told newsmen, it "was completely symmetric and I would say it had a spherical appearance.

## WEATHER

NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Mostly cloudy and cool Friday. Saturday, partly cloudy and warmer.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and a little warmer Saturday and in Panhandle and South Plains Friday.

SOUTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Mostly cloudy and continued rather cold with occasional rain through Friday. Saturday, cloudy to partly cloudy and a little warmer. Fresh northeasterly winds on the coast, becoming moderate easterly Saturday.

EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy and continued rather cold with occasional rain in south portion Friday. Cloudy to partly cloudy and a little warmer Saturday. Fresh northeast and east winds on the coast.

## Poisoner Says Mother Accused Him Of Abnormalities In Sex

NEW YORK (AP)—A 20-year-old chemist has confessed the cyanide cocktail murders of his well-to-do parents and says he killed them because his mother had accused him of sexual abnormality for as long as he can remember.

But a male friend says he and the lazy, luxury-loving son hatched the weird toast-of-death plot to get their hands on $150,000.

Bronx Dist. Atty. George B. De Luca announced last night that Harlow Fraden, poetry-loving college graduate, admitted he had treated his parents to champagne cocktails spiked with potassium cyanide.

Fraden allegedly hurried the job with more poison during the death agony of his parents—Dr. William Fraden, 50, a physician, said his wife Shirley, 46, a schoolteacher.

Fraden's mother had chided him as abnormal, even "before he knew anything about sex," De Luca said in announcing the son had confessed after many hours of questioning.

"This he strongly resented," the prosecutor said. "Fraden further stated that he did not kill his parents for personal gain, because his parents gave him all the money he wanted."

Fraden said he bore no animosity toward his father.

Fraden had been confronted with the confession of his friend, Dennis Wepman, 20, an unemployed freelance writer, who had related that he and Fraden plotted the crime for money.

De Luca said Fraden finally confessed he murdered his parents in the manner that Wepman had described. He told his parents falsely that he finally had gotten a job, and gave them poisoned champagne cocktails to join him in a toast to the end of his loafing.

The deaths of the parents had been listed tentatively for four months as a double suicide or murder and suicide until the case cracked open Wednesday through a pretty girl friend of Wepman. He confided to her that he was involved in the plot, and she reported to police.

The Bronx County grand jury will be asked today to vote indictments against Fraden and Wepman, both charged with homicide and locked up in the psychiatric division of Bellevue Hospital.

Bronx authorities said both Fraden and Wepman denied being homosexual.

As Fraden buried his nose in a book of poetry he carried during the police routine, Asst. Dist. Atty. George Tilzer said:

"That book is his whole life. He said it was one of the things his mother resented . . . 'Get out of the apartment and act like a boy,' he said she would tell him when she saw him reading the book or other books of poetry."

Fraden, an only son, collected an estimated $150,000—including a $20,000 insurance policy—after his parents' death and quickly squandered about $50,000 of it. He had a $200-a-month room at the fashionable St. Moritz Hotel.

Wepman—who said that Fraden's parental allowance had been cut and that the roommates were low on funds before the murders—told questoners:

"I went along with the (murder) idea. I expected to get my commensurate share of the inhertance but I only got $120 in small amounts."

## POWS MAY GET LAST CHANCE TO COME HOME

PANMUNJOM (AP)—The top neutral officer in Korea indicated today that reluctant war prisoners—including the 22 Americans—may get one last chance to change their mind after the explanation period ends.

Meanwhile, hopes dwindled that Allied persuasion teams will meet the Americans before the deadline next Wednesday midnight.

The Neutral Nations Repatriation Commission put off until Monday consideration of demands by pro-Communist South Korean prisoners which the Americans and one British prisoner say must be met before they will attend interviews.

Lt. Gen. K. S. Thimayya, Indian chairman of the repatration commission, said in answer to written questions from newsmen that he might "take up at a later date" the possibility of screening all prisoners who have refused to return to their homelands.

Although Thimayya said he had "no plan, either concrete or tentative," there has been speculation he would give the POWs one last chance—without any coercion. He said six weeks ago he planned on it.

At that time he suggested he would station an Indian officer in a hut, have all POWs remaining in neutral custody file through individually, and express their desire in one word—"repatriation" or "nonrepatriation."

Other Indian officers offered another simple plan: have the prisoners walk single file, a considerable distances from each other, down a narrow Y-shaped path. One arm would lead to repatriation, the other back to the Indian-guarded compound in the neutral zone.

A South Korean prisoner who fled from the pro-Communist compound Wednesday said four Americans and about 20 South Koreans might return home if given a chance. A total of 77 Koreans remain to be interviewed by the Allies.

Thimayya has estimated that as many as 2,500 Koreans and Chinese among about 20,000 Allied captives who have not been interviewed would choose repatriation.

With time running out on the stalemated explanations, the Allied command laid plans to reach the former U.N. soldiers in ways other than face-to-face meetings.

U.S. officers said possibilities included loudspeaker broadcasts of Christmas carols, holiday messages from friends and relatives and "come home" appeals from speakers set up outside prison compounds.

The Communists did this recently—with Indian approval—to anti-Red North Korean and Chinese POWs.

A U.N. spokesman said "either possibilities" are under consideraton, but cannot bie revealed "for obvous reasons."

The repatriation commission, which met Friday, said it had to postpone consideration of the pro-Red Korean POW protests because translation of the 30-page document was not complete.

Meanwhile, at a Military Armistice Commission meeting the Allies renewed charges that the Communists are illegally detaining captured Allied soldiers in forced labor camps in North Korea.

The Reds in turn accused the Allies of holding back 98,000 of their soldier-prisoners.

The U.N. Command based the accusation on the reports of two former South Korean soldiers who said they escaped a labor battalion early this month. They reported 5,000 fellow South Koreans were held in forced labor camps in North Korea.

# Charity Rackets Bringing Cry For Controlling Legislation

NEW YORK (AP)—State probers of charity rackets—who have heard revelations ranging from phonies soliciting over the telephone from behind closed doors to fake "nuns" begging in public——plan to offer control measures early in the 1954 legislative session.

A joint legislative investigating committee wound up four days of public hearings here yesterday, and plans to hold others later in various parts of the state.

State Sen. Bernard Tompkins, the committee chairman, expressed hope that the disclosures of racketeering and the bonanzas reaped by collectors in some charity drives would not deter the public from giving liberally to honest and well-managed charity and welfare groups.

Tompkins, a New York City Republican, took note of reports from some reputable charities that contributions had dropped off since his committee launched his probe. He said he hoped the loss would be only temporary. He also declared that reputable and efficient charity organizations would benefit in the long run as unethical promoters were driven out of the business and the public became more wary.

Tompkins said "It is clear that the unscrupulous are in the minority."

Among yesterday's witnesses on various frauds was Asst. Dist. Atty. Joseph P. Hoey of Brooklyn, who told about "nuns" in rented habits who paid a self-styled "bishop" $2.50 a day for religous certificates.

These certificates made it possible for the women to beg in the streets without interference from officials.

The women took taxicabs back to the "bishop's" place at the end of the day to change clothes—and take home their collections.

Hoey said the "bishop" and the "nuns" finally were arrested and their cases are pending before a grand jury.

Among other charges made in testimony were these:

Some clothing donated for Korean relief was sold by a crooked promoter to the second-hand trade.

Some women who rattle collection boxes in front of theaters and in shopping centers have different sponsors' labels on the canisters they collect. City rules limit the length of such public solicitations.

Eyes have been blackened as rival women solicitors fought for choice spots outside big movie houses or theaters where hit plays were showing.

The probers received many control suggestions from public officials and representatives of charities and legitimate fund raisers. Among them were:

Legislation requiring registration of all charity drives and submission to a state agency of financial reports, to which the public would have access. One essential part of these reports would be how much of the money collected finally was spent on charitable or welfare work.

Also, state licensing and finger printing of professional fund promoters, and a requirement that solicitors wear large buttons showing what percentage of each donation would go to actual charity.

## *12 YEARS WAITING ON WIFE*

# We Spend More Time Doing Things Than Lives Are Long

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Do we waste more time in our lives than we actually live?

I have been mulling over this problem ever since reading a U.S. Public Health Service estimate that the average man spends 427 days of his life shaving or getting haircuts.

Just how much time do we actually fritter away in the other daily chores of living, chores that subtract from our allotted span but sometimes don't add too much to it in the way of pleasure?

Let us take a typical bald-headed, overweight husband of 50, who has two grown children and four grandchildren. Here is part of the box score of how he has spent his days:

Time spent courting the wrong girls before his wife overtook him—two years.

Time spent waiting for his children to pick out the kind of candy they wanted at the candy store—four months.

Time spent pounding on the bath room door to make some other member of the family get out and let him in—three months.

Time spent waiting for wife to get dressed——12 years.

Time spent explaining the facts of life to his children—10 minutes.

Time spent telling children how much harder he worked when he was their age——one year.

Time spent trying to attract attention of restaurant waiter—two years.

Time spent holding telephone and waiting between moment a secretary's voice says, "Mr. Jones calling," and moment when Mr. Jones finally says "hello"—three years.

Time spent listening to wife—one year.

Time spent answering wife's complaint, "why don't you ever listen to what I tell you?"—six years.

Time spent explaining to the boss why he didn't do something the boss didn't believe should be done at the time but later decided was absolutely vital to the continued existence of the firm—five years.

Time spent wondering why he had come to a cocktail party he never wished to attend anyway—four years.

Time spent listening to after dinner speakers—eight years.

Time wasted figuring how to balance the household budget—one year.

Time wasted in brooding about it later—two years.

Time spent waiting for car ahead of him to start after green traffic light comes on—five months.

Time spent bawling out driver of car behind who honked at him because he was slow in starting——seven months.

Time spent fumbling in pockets for change—one year.

Time spent denouncing the government, taxes, high cost of living and other things he has no control over—12 years.

Time spent in helping his fellow man and praising the departed guest of honor at funerals——15 days.

Time spent waiting for sleeping pills and aspirin tablets to take effect—two years.

Time spent in feeling sorry for himself and brooding over man's inhumanity to man—24 years.

Time spent in church (counting only waking hours and including his own marriage)—eight days, four hours, three minutes.

Time spent on golf course waiting for foursome ahead of him to get on to next hole—three months.

Time wasted trying to save falling hair after it is too late—four years.

Time spent waiting in doctor's and dentist's offices—two years.

Time wasted getting out of dentist's chair—none.

Time spent justifying income tax returns so as to avoid going to jail—two months.

Time wasted complaining about it to friends—four months.

Time spent in jail—none.

Time spent serving on jury—15 days.

Time spent trying to avoid jury duty—30 days.

This box score shows that the average 50-year-old American husband has spent 94 years, 6 months, 8 days, 4 hours and 13 minutes either performing what he regards as the chores of living—or avoiding doing them. It doesn't include the time he spends shaving, getting a haircut, or looking through drawers for a clean shirt.

Naturally, also, it doesn't include the time he has spent sleeping or feeling grateful for being alive.

## *LOOKED LIKE HIS HOUSE, ANYWAY*

A 36-year-old man has been released from city jail after posting $25 bail bond on a charge of intoxication and disturbance.

The man was arrested by city police Wednesday night after he had entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fikes, Jr., 903 Twenty-third Street.

Police said the man had entered Fikes house by mistake thinking it was his home.

# *KIDNAPERS*

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laced shoes, but no belt. His shirt was open at the throat.

Both were squeezed tight by the straps around their chests and Mrs. Heady complained about that. As they were led into the gas tank, she said: "I can't see a thing." Then as the straps were tightened, she told the guards, with a little chuckle: "It's tight—I'm not going anywhere."

Mrs. Heady asked Hall, who was seated on her right, if he had plenty of room, but he made no audible answer.

Mrs. Heady, the first woman to die in the gas chamber since it was installed in 1938, had one other woman near her almost to the end. She was Mrs. Tatman, wife of the U.S. marshal. Mrs. Tatman stayed until her charge was strapped in the death chair. Then she went outside and did not see the actual execution.

Both inside and outside the prison, officials carried out the tightest security plans to prevent any trouble. Some convicts had expressed hatred for Hall because they thought he had hurt their chances for parole.

He was paroled from the same prison last April 24 after serving 15 months of a five-year term for robbery in Kansas City. It was while in the penitentiary for robbery that he hatched the idea of easy riches through a kidnaping.

Other convicts had reflected the attitude of citizens all over the nation, the same attitude expressed after the trial by little Bobby's father:

"It's too good for them, but it's the best the law provides."

When two hearses took the bodies out of the prison about an hour after the execution, the streets were almost empty in the near-zero cold. Victor Buescher, a Jefferson City undertaker, claimed the bodies and prepared them for burial.

From here, Mrs. Heady's body was to be taken to Clearmont, Mo., her girlhood home, for burial Sunday morning.

Hall's attorney insisted to the end that he did not know where Hall would be buried. His mother and father are buried in a family plot at Pleasonton, Kan.

At their home in Kansas City, the Greenleases went to bed at their customary hour and did not stay up until the execution time.

## Funeral Services Held Today For Barnett Child

Funeral services were to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Diana Kay Barnett, eight-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Barnett, 420 Thirtieth Street, who died at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Battenfield Hospital.

The child was born last March 31.

The Rev. Robert Owens of the Assembly of God Church was to officiate in services there. Burial was to be in the Snyder Cemetery under direction of Bolger Funeral Home.

Survivors include the parents, one sister, Vickie Nell Barnett; one brother, Donnie Barnett; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Barnett of Snyder; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Collinsworth of Hot Springs, N.M.

Connecticut claims that the first successful U.S. steel mill was set up in 1744 in Simsbury.

## No Injuries In Wreck

No one was injured when two cars collided at 3001 Avenue M yesterday, Marvin Brister, police sergeant, said.

Involved were a 1953 Chrysler, driven by Wallace Brent Newby, 16, 2706 Avenue O, and a 1948 Chevrolet driven by Robert Bryon Blaylock, 25, whose address was not listed.

# Anderson Davis Out And Back In County Jail

Anderson Davis, Sr., Snyder Negro bootlegger and hotel operator, was released from the county jail here this morning when he paid a fine of $223.50, including court cost, but was soon re-arrested and jaled again.

Davis was first released by mistake after serving about 18 and a half full days of a 20-day jail sentence assessed at the same time the fine was assessed when he pleaded guilty to a charge of operating a bawdyhouse.

Because county prisoners are customarily given a full day of credit for any portion of a day served in jail, the number of days was miscounted. Davis was imprisoned about 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, Nov. 30, given credit for that day and also for today, and released about 10 o'clock this morning.

He was arrested again when the sheriff's department recounted the time he had served as a part of 19 days. A full 20 days would schedule his release late Sunday afternoon, but in counting part of each day served, his release could be effected tomorrow.

The Negro, numerously convicted on charges of bootlegging, has a conviction on appeal at present. In it, he was fined $2,500, and is bound by an appeal bond pending the action of the court of criminal appeals in Austin.

# Wreck Victim Still Critical

A 28-year-old Latin-American expectant mother, Mrs. Nancy Rocha of Colorado City, remained in critical condition at Battenfield Hospital from injuries suffered in an accident at Ira Monday night.

Dr. Wilton N. Jones, attending physician, said the condition of Mrs. Rocha had improved some but that she was still considered in critical condition.

Mrs. Rocha suffered a skull fracture and a broken leg in addition to numerous less serious injuries.

She was injured when the car in which she was riding and another collided about the center of Ira on the Snyder-Big Spring highway.

The driver of the car in which she was riding, Mrs. Lucia Rodriguez, 17, was dismissed after two days hospitalization, Dr. Jones said.

The driver of the other car, D. F. Duncan, 41, Sweetwater, and two small boys with the Latin-Americans were not injured.

## Prizes Still Haven't Been Claimed In Hunt

Prizes are still available from Snyder merchants in their annual Christmas treasure hunt.

The merchants gave treasure hunt tickets to their customers until Dec. 12, then they began to place numbers in their windows for prizes to the winning ticket holders.

Bob Crowell, chamber of commerce manager, said ths morning that many of the merchants' prizes have not yet been claimed. Many of the merchants will have several prizes, placing new numbers in the window as soon as prizes are claimed for the first ones.

# T. C. Maynard Dies Today In Fluvanna Home

Truman Connor (Curly) Maynard, 69, died at his home in Fluvanna at 4 o'clock this morning following an illness of five years.

Mr. Maynard had lived in Fluvanna since his illness began, previously ranching in Borden County for 10 years.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Presbyterian Church at Fluvanna, with the Rev. Ronald Hubbard of Snyder officiating. Burial will be in the Fluvanna Cemetery under direction of Bolger Funeral Home. The body will lie in state at the funeral home until noon tomorrow.

Pallbearers will be Jack Hunnicutt, Charles Hunnicutt, Fowler Mathis, Horace Carmichael, Vibe Patterson, and Wallace Jones, all of Fluvanna, and Hinton Fluitt and Homer McCrary of Post. Honorary pallbearers will include all Mr. Maynard's friends.

Survivors include his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Vivian Edgerton of Seattle, Wash.; four sons, Doyle Maynard of Natchitoches, La., Clyde Cox and Murle Cox of Carlesbad, N.M., and Don Cox of Quinton, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Eula Craven of Eastland and Mrs. Eunice Moon of Gladewater; three brothers, Frank Maynard of Hopeville, Cal., Claude Maynard of Eastland, and Lorenzo Maynard of Putnam; and six grandchildren.

## Shostakovich's Tenth

LONDON (AP)—Dmitri Shostakovich topped Beethoven last night—in quantity if not in quality. The Russian Composer's 10th symphony got its first performance in Moscow. Beethoven wrote only nine.

Announcing the premiere, Moscow radio said the symphony was played by the Leningrad Philharmonic Orchestra, which also introduced the composer's other nine.

. Tibet is the highest country in the world says the National Geographic Society.

# Deadline Nears On Decorations Contests Here

More entries were being turned in late this week for the Christmas decoraton contests being sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Lions Club.

The contest highlight the remaining Christmas activities. Also still in progress is the calls by direct line to the North Pole from Snyder children to Santa Claus. Santa has already given three nights to the calls in cooperation with the Junior Chamber. Tonght is the last night for the calls. His number is 3-3501.

Midnight tomorrow night is the deadline for entry in all decoration contests. Entries for these being sponsored by the Junior Chamber are being accepted by the Chamber of Commerce, by William Cameron Co., or any member of that club. Those for the Lions contest will be taken by the chamber, Wolfe Studio, Dyer Jewelry, or any member of the Lions.

By noon today there were 14 entries in all the contests. Entered in the city residence decoration part of the contests of the Jaycees were the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. McClatchey, 3702 Rose Circle, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Donner, 312 Thirty-fourth Street; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brooks, East Thirty-seventh Street; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Griffith, 911 Thirtieth Street; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buerlein, 413 Twentieth Street; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hales, 3749 Sunset; and Mrs. W. R. Bell, Sr., 2811 Avenue U, and Mrs. James Bomar, 1914 Coleman.

In the business decoration contest are McDonald's, Snyder Insurance Agency, Texas Electric Service Co., and Walter Hales Lumber Co. That contest is sponsored by the Lions Club.

Entered in the Jaycee contest for multiple family units outside the city limits are Magnolia Petroleum camp on the Lamesa highway and Magnolia SACROC No. 2 camp on the Lubbock Highwway.

# *HOSPITAL NOTES*

The following admissions and dismissals at Battenfield Hospital are those whose names were released by the hospital.

Admittances: Eltorina Ann Roberts, Snyder; Benny Bollinger, 163 Browning; Wilbert Lee Walker, Jr., Snyder.

Dismissals: Charles H. Callin, 1101 Twenty-sixth Street; Joe Fowler, Snyder; Henrietta Fowler, Snyder.

## Account Is Settled

FREMONT, Ohio (AP)—Clair Zimmerman, a hardware store operator, has finally received payment on a $5 store bill he sent out in 1917—and with $5 interest.

A woman who now lives in Burbank, Ohio, sent the $10 in a letter yesterday. She said the bill had been mislaid while the family moved from Fremont to Oklahoma and then back to Ohio.

Zimmerman did not identify her.

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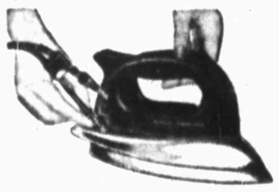

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SOCIETY SCRIBBLINGS

# Charley Marrs Married In Buggy Rites 50 Years Ago

Dec. 13, 1903. A young couple, accompanied by the girl's sister and a friend, rein their team and buggy to a stop in front of the Rev. Hick's home in Ira. CHARLEY MARR and ARTIE BELL McGAHA had come to be married, and so they were—in the buggy. Neither remembers any particular reason why they wanted to remain in the buggy during the ceremony, but both laugh as they tell about it.

The wedding climaxed a courtship which began with notes passed in school by a friend.

Mrs. Marr recalls that her wedding gown was a tan cashmere trimmed in white silk and was made by Mrs. Zack Taylor, affectionately called Aunt Tine by the Marr's.

Dec. 13, 1953. The scene this year is the Knapp Baptist Church, and again Mr and Mrs. Marr have the leading roles. Only this time they are being honored by children and friends on their golden wedding anniversary. Aunt Tine was there, although she isn't able to get out much now. The day is described as being a very happy one by Mr. and Mrs. Marr, who enjoyed visiting with friends, some of whom they had not seen for a long time. They also appreciate gifts brought by friends to the open house.

At the celebration were their five children: Mrs. Dixie Bynum, Redondo Beach, Cal.; Fred Marr, El Centro, Cal.; Glen Marr, Santa Monica, Cal.; Dewey Marr, Borger, and Mrs. Georgie Bates, Dumas. Several grandchildren, and twin great-grandchildren attended.

The years between are called good ones by Mr. and Mrs. Marr. Except for seven years at Borger, all fifty have been lived near Snyder. "It just isn't home anywhere but here," Mrs. Marr comments.

Home was, and still is, on a farm. "I've been a dry land farmer all my life," states Mr. Marr. He considers a farmer has more fair and bad years on crop production than good, but they both say promptly that farm life, for them, is the happiest and best there is.

Perhaps one reason for the happy years is a bit of advice they were given when they married and which they pass on to newly-weds of today. "Try not to get mad at the same time." They laugh and admit it isn't always easy to do, but is excellent advice and they have always tried to follow it.

### HONORED AT TEA

Miss CORIN DODSON of South Pasadena, Cal. was honored by relatives during a recent visit in Snyder.

A seated tea was given by Mrs. ELLA COOPER, 3007 Avenue S, Sunday afternoon for relatives of Miss Dodson, and a family Christmas dinner was given Tuesday by Mrs. J. O. DODSON, 3105 Avenue S. Fifteen were present at both events.

After spending Tuesday night with Mrs. JOE CATON, 2711 Avenue R, Miss Dodson left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., where she will spend the holidays with her brother, Phillip F. Dodson, a lawyer in the city.

### HOME FROM SCHOOL

Miss MARY JO HARRELL, a freshman at Southern Seminary and Junior College, located at Buena Vista, Va. will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. GARRETT HARRELL, Gail road. Miss Harrell is majoring in kindergarten work at the college.

## Supper Held For Study Club Here

A buffet supper was served 18 members of the Altrurian Daugher's Club and their husbands at Ballard's banquet room Wednesday night.

The buffet table was laid with a floor-length filmy white cloth, covered with glitter, and centered with an arrangement of modern white and silver Christmas trees. The white and silver theme was also used on individual tables, which were centered with sequin-dotted hurricane lamps. Place markers were Christmas balls dressed as men and women.

Following dinner, guests participated in a scavenger hunt which terminated at the country club, with Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Josephson and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Galbraith as winners.

Hostesses to the club were Mrs. R. F. Wasson, Mrs. Bob Bickerstaff, Mrs. B. M Greenfield and Mrs. R. E. Patterson.

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1-3 cup sugar
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
1 tablespoon melted butter or margarine

Cake:
¼ cup shortening
1-3 cup sugar
1 egg
½ teaspoon almond flavoring
½ cup ready-to-eat bran
¼ cup orange juice
¼ cup milk
1 cup sifted flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
2 teaspoons grated orange rind
½ teaspoon salt

For topping: sift together flour and brown sugar; add grated orange rind and melted butter, mixing with fork until it crumbles.

For Cake:

Blend shortening and sugar; add egg, grated orange rind and almond flavoring and beat well. Stir in ready-to-eat bran, orange juice and milk. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Add to bran mixture, stirring only until combined. Pour into greased eight by eight-inch pan; sprinkle with topping. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees) about 25 minutes. Makes nine two and one-half-inch squares.

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If Santa sends an over-abundance of peppermint candy canes to your house, crush some with a rolling pin. Then serve as a festive topping on ice cream and pudding desserts.

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Do you have an easy-to-prepare recipe for a canape tray? We are particularly fond of seafood canapes. F. A. E.

Here is a seafood recipe that is usually a popular choice for a canape tray at a party.

SMOKED SALMON ROLLS

1 7-ounce can smoked salmon
1 teaspoon horseradish
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon onion, grated
¼cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
1 cup pastry mix
Paprika

Drain and flake salmon. Add seasonings and mayonnaise; blend into a paste. Prepare pastry according to directions. Divide in half; roll very thin in circles about nine inches in diameter. Spread with salmon mixture. Cut into wedge-shaped pieces, and roll in jelly-roll fashion beginning at the round edge. Score top of rolls with a fork, and sprinkle with paprika. Bake in a hot oven, 425 degrees, for about 14 minutes or until brown. Serve hot or cold. Makes approximately 32 rolls.

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I want some new recipe for stuffing celery. Do you know of any unusual ways? R. J. W.

I don't know if you have this recipe, but if not, I believe you might like to try it.

FILBERT STUFFED CELERY

2 tablespoons chopped filberts
1 package cream cheese
2 tablespoons lemon juice
8 pieces celery
1 teaspoon parsley, finely choped
1 teaspoon green pepper, chopped

Wash and dry celery. Mix cheese with other ingredients. Spread on celery. Sprinkle with paprika and refrigerate until ready to serve.

Robins rarely live more than 12 years.

# Ethel Merman Loves Living In Denver With Her Family

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — It's a long way from the bright lights of Broadway and Hollywood to the crisp air of mile-higher Denver. But Ethel Merman has made the transition and she's never been happier.

The veteran musical star is a proud resident of the Colorado capital since her marriage to Bob Six, airlines boss, whose headquarters are there. No chamber of commerce ever had a louder voice to sing praises.

"I love Denver," she said emphatically. "I don't think I've ever been happier in my life. The air is simply wonderful; it's the mile-high city, you know. I was in New York last week, and oh, it was terrible. The smaze or smog or whatever you call it. You can hardly breathe.

"Yes, I miss the theater a little, but happiness is more important. My kids, Ethel, who is 11 and Bobby, who is 8, love Denver. They're going to public schools now, instead of the private schools they went to in New York. Ethel likes that much better, because she's in school with boys now."

Like Bette Davis and Gary Merrill, who have moved to Portland, Maine, Miss Merman said she will commute to the entertainment capitals.

"I'll do some TV in New York or Hollywood and come here for a picture now and then," she explained. "I'll spend the rest of the time with my family in Denver."

What about doing a Broadway show?

"Never again," she replied. This may be a blow to Broadway, where she starred in an amazing succession of hits. But she added: "Nobody is indispensable."

Some of her old stage pals find it hard to believe this. Some time ago, producer Leland Hayward asked her to read a book called "the last resorts" as a future stage possibility. Irving Berlin was to do the score and Lindsay and Crouse the book, the same crew who turned out "Call Me Madam." Berlin even pitched a couple of the songs at her when she visited New York.

But Miss Merman turned the deal down with a smile. "My family is more important," she explained.

The lusty songstress is here to renew an old acquaintance with Jimmy Durante. She'll appear on his TV show tomorrow night, and he'll return the favor on one of the two hour-long shows she will do here after the first of the year.

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## WOMEN'S CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Altrurian Club, 3 p.m., with Mrs. H. P. Brown, 2812 Avenue U.

SATURDAY

Community Chorus, 7:30 p.m., high school.

## PERSONALS

W. A. Watson and daughter, Thirty-seventh Street, have returned to Snyder after flying Mrs. T. E. Huntley to her home in White Oaks, near Longview, Tuesday. Mrs. Huntley is the mother of Mrs. Watson, and had been a guest in the Watson home the past month.

## Acacia Christmas Party Wednesday

Mrs. Ray Martin and Mrs. Jim George were hostesses Wednesday night in the Martin home for the Acacia Study Club Christmas supper.

Following supper the group sang carols and later danced. Twenty members and their husbands were present.

In 1800, the average American farmer raised food for his own needs and one-third of those of another person compared with today's farmer who supplies himself and 14 others.

CHRISTMAS MORNING . . . Mother and daughter wear their new robes in gay matching plaids of Lorette, the washable blend of Orlon and wool. Daughter's duster robe has Peter Pan collar with white braid trim. Mom's fitted house coat will do duty for TV evenings.

## Arrangements Are Demonstrated At Garden Club Meeting

Demonstrations of decorative arrangements were given by Mrs Frank Miller and Mrs. W. R. Bell, Sr., at the Garden Club meeting yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. T. Hughes was hostess for the meeting. Roll call was answered by the 13 members attending with the name of a Biblical plant. Mrs. Miller prepared an arrangement suitable for church display and Mrs. Bell prepared a "Winter Moods" display.

## Cosmorama Meets For Christmas Party Wednesday

The Cosmorams Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Leland Herod, 2611 Thirty-second Street, for a Christmas dinner. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. John Lynch, Jr., Mrs. Lee Smyth, Mrs. J. R. Meadows and Mrs. Ross Hemphill.

A turkey dinner and trimmings was served buffet style on a table laid with a green felt cloth which had a reindeer design made of multi-colored sequins.

Guests ate at card tables, laid with green cloths and centered with miniature Christmas balls. Silver was placed in red felt Santa Claus stockings, which also served as place markers.

Following the dinner, a program was given with Mrs. John Casebier and Mrs. W. W. Park as leaders.

Members sang three Christmas songs, led by Mrs. Casebier, who was accompanied by Mrs. James Rosser at the piano. Mrs. Park read a Christmas story, "A Baby Sitter for Christmas," by Margaret Cousins. Following the story, a solo, "Little Town of Bethlehem," was sung by Mrs. Casebier, after which she gave a scripture reading, taken from Luke 2:1-20.

Twenty-eight members and two guests, Mrs. John Blum and Mrs. Sam Joyce, were present.

## Recital Tonight In Jr. High Auditorium

Piano students of Mrs. Joan Bell and dance and drama students of Mrs. J. L. Williford will be presented in a recital at 8 o'clock tonight in the junior high school auditorium.

Piano students who are to play are Billie June Newnham, Donna Martin, Jan Holloday, Faye Beidleman, Paulette Walton, Judy Noah and Carolyn Dudley. Dance and drama students on the program are Bill Roach, Rebecca Roach, Mrs. W. T. Roach, Marsha Hurst and Winnefred Watson.

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8. Grows less bright
12. Scent
13. Turn to the left
14. On top of
15. Power gained by using a lever
17. Nothing more than
18. Adjective suffix
19. Female sheep
20. Teaching of a fable
21. Pertaining to the skin
23. Chess piece
24. Pronoun
25. Boy
26. Witticism
27. Smallest integer
29. Genus of the maple tree
30. Queen of the fairies
31. Declare
32. Fortune
33. Intimidate
34. Madame: abbr.
35. Exist
36. Chart
37. Harsh
40. Two-footed animal
42. River island
43. Luzon savage
44. Tart
45. Hermit
47. Animal's neck covering
48. Writing fluid
49. 160 square rods
50. Liquors
51. Thing
52. In that case

**DOWN**

1. Not hollow
2. Feminine name
3. Bedspread
4. Native metal-bearing compound
5. Article of apparel
6. Side of a book leaf
7. Reverent fear
8. Friend of Pythias
9. Roman road
10. Glacial debris
11. Commercial name for zinc
16. Peruse
20. Came together
22. Deface
23. Lawless crowd
26. Animal's stomach
27. Meet overhead, as branches
28. Southern state
29. Funny
30. Cleaning implement
31. Wine vessel
33. Bounder
34. Destructive insect
36. Ancient people
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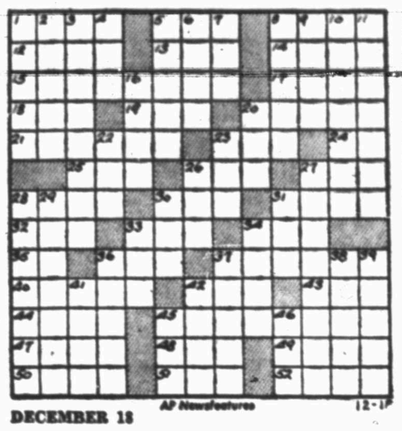

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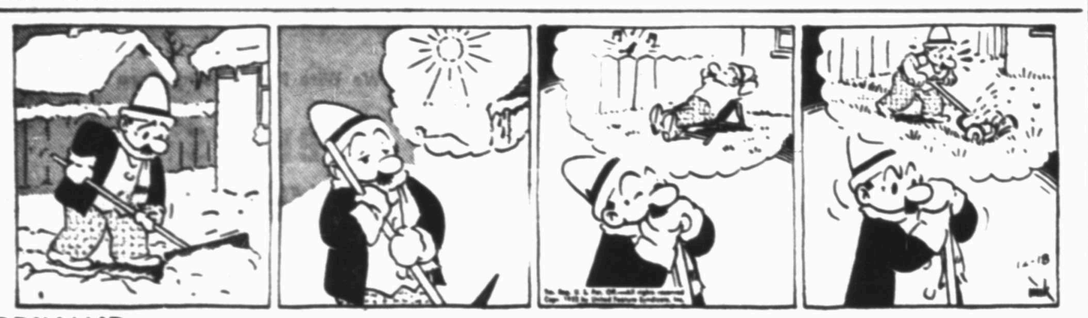

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# Many Churches Are Planning Special Christmas Services

Music, singing and drama will be highlights of the many Christmas programs to be presented in several Snyder churches Sunday.

Most of the churches planning special Christmas services will hold them Sunday night, although some have already been held and others are scheduled for presentation through the week. Among these is the cantata "Gloria in Excelsis," which will be sung at the First Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock Tuesday night.

Soloists for the cantata will be Mrs. Giles Bowers, James Rosser, and Robert F. Weeter, with Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Armor McFarland to sing a duet. Music from the cantata is taken from familiar themes composed by Felix Mendelssohn with lyrics by Elsie Duncan Yale. Rosser will direct the chancel choir of about 16 voices, with Mrs. Rosser as organist.

A Christmas party for children of the Sunday school and members of the congregation will precede the musical presentation. Gifts wrapped in white will be brought for the Reynolds Presbyterian Home in Dallas, and offerings of money will be made.

The church will observe its traditional Christmas Eve candlelight communion service at 7:30 Thursday night. Special music will be brought by the chancel choir. The theme of the service will be "The Word Became Flesh."

"Jesus, the Light of the World" will be the theme of the First Baptist Church Christmas program at 7:30 Sunday night. The service will be climaxed by the lighting of 700 candles near the close of the program.

The congregation will participate in the singing of seven familiar Christmas carols during the course of the service. The primary training union choir and rhythm band, ages six, seven and eight years, will sing "Away in a Manger" and will play "Little Baby in a Manger," under the direction of Mrs. Annie Weaver. A trio composed of M. H. Roe, Silas Devenport and E. M. Inman will be assisted by the church choir in singing "We Three Kings," and the choir will present the anthem "Send Out Thy Light." Ralph Wesson, music and education director of the church, is serving as program director.

Scripture readings during the progam will be presented by the Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor of the church. He will also give a brief Christmas message, "His Name Shall be Called Wonderful." As the candles are lighted near the end of the service the lights in the auditorium will be darkened and the congregation is to join in singing "Silent Night."

About 75 persons, members of the various choirs of the First Methodist Church, will participate in a Christmas musical program at the church at 7 o'clock Sunday night.

Included on the program will be the nursery rhythm band, the cherub choir, the junior choir, the youth choir and the adult chancel choir. Robert Clinton is choir director, with Wayne Pitner organist.

A feature of the program will be provided by an ensemble made up of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Dennis, Mrs. Kirby Tatum, Mrs. Jack Blanchard, Miss Betty Sanderson, Jack Youree and Clinton. They will sing "Come, Singing Noel" from the cantata "This Is Noel." The Rev. Woodrow W. Adcock, pastor of the church, will give the scripture readings which will be part of the program.

The women of the First Christian Church will present a dramatic program entitled "Madonnas of the World" Sunday night. Familiar Christmas music will be part of the program.

Two Christmas pageants are to be presented at the Assembly of God Church at 7:30 Sunday night.

The Intermediate department will present "The Little Lame Shepherd," while members of other Sunday school and church departments will give "Make Room for the King." About 20 persons are expected to participate in the presentations under the direction of the Rev. Robert Owens, pastor of the church.

No Wednesday night service will be held at the church, Mr. Owens said.

Mrs. T. Gerald Cates, whose husband is pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, has written a pageant which will be given at the church Sunday night. Mr. Cates will also speak briefly, taking as his topic "Why Jesus Came."

A pageant written by Mrs. Cates will also be presented at the Apostolic Faith Church at 7 o'clock Wednesday night.

About 20 young persons of the church will be featured in the program, which is under the direction of Mrs. Grace Waters, Mrs. Rose Blythe and Mrs. Louise Blythe.

Young people of the Church of the Nazarene will have direction of a Christmas program at that church Sunday night.

## SERMON TOPICS

"Life Abundant" will be the topic of Ted Norton, minister of the Twenty-fifth Street Church of Christ, as 10:45 Sunday morning. "Why Should I Be a Christian?" will be his topic for the evening service at 7 o'clock. Bible study classes meet at 9:45 Sunday morning and training classes at 6 o'clock.

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The Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will speak on "The Greatness of God's Love" at the Sunday morning service. Sunday night Mr. Shepherd's topic will be "His Name Shall be Called Wonderful."

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"I'm Glad We Have Christmas" will be the theme of the address given by the Rev. T. Gerald Cates on the Word of Life broadcast Sunday morning. Speaking for the 11 o'clock worship service of the Calvary Baptist Church, Mr. Cates will take as his topic "The Message of the Christmas Angel." Bible classes meeting at 10 o'clock will study "The First Christmas According to Prophesy."

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A discussion of "The Three Gifts" will be presented by the Rev. Jack Dean at the Sunday morning worship service of the North Side Baptist Church.

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"Let Bethlehem's Babe Grow Up" is the sermon topic of the Rev. Glenn Ricketts, pastor of the First Christian Church, Sunday morning.

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"God's Greatest Gift to Man" will be the subject of the Rev. Woodrow Adcock at 9 and 10:55 worship services of the First Methodist Church Sunday morning. Special Christmas music will be featured at all services of the church Sunday.

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The Christmas worship service of the First Presbyterian Church will be observed at the 10:55 worship service Sunday morning. The Rev. Ronald Hubbard, pastor, will take as his theme "The Christmas Story," and special music is planned.

## Annual Christmas Fete Of Euzylean Class Is Held By Its Members

Mrs. G. B. Clark, Sr., and Mrs. Lyman Wade were hostesses for the annual Christmas party of the Euzylean class of the First Baptist Church Monday night.

Mrs. J. E. LeMond, class teacher, was presented a gift from the class, and an offering was taken for the Round Rock Orphans' Home. Class members also exchanged gifts. Games were directed by Mrs. E. N. Baker.

Others present were Mrs. J. L. Crow, Mrs. Collie Fish, Mrs. John DeShazo, Mrs. Nolan von Roeder, Mrs. T. C. Goss, Mrs. Luther Fargason, Mrs. H. W. Cargile, Mrs. Amos Joyce, Mrs. Cecil Osborne, Mrs. Gaither Bell, Mrs. W. R. Bolin, Mrs. Clarence Wade, Mrs. M. M. Tooley and Mrs. Mattie Wilson.

## Son Of Snyder Couple To Lead Program At First Methodist Church

Creston Fish, president of the Methodist Men's Fellowship in Lubbock, will be guest speaker for a special Men's Fellowship Christmas program at 7 o'clock Monday night in the First Methodist Church fellowship hall. Fish is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fish of Snyder.

More than a hundred men are expected to attend the program. Special Christmas music will be part of the program. The dinner will be a covered dish meal, wth turkey furnished by the organization as the main dish.

Joe York, president, will preside at the meeting, with Joel Hodges in charge of the program. All men are welcome to attend.

## Christmas Activities Planned By Classes

Junior departments one and two of the First Baptist Church Sunday school and training departments will have a Christmas party at 7 o'clock Monday night in the church.

The Intermediate two department of the Sunday school is planning a caroling party Monday night. The group will meet at the church at 7 o'clock and ride through areas of town on a truck to sing before returning to the church for refreshments.

A dinner for the young married people's department will be held at the church tonight.

Plans are now being made for the annual Watch Night service on Dec. 31 and the Student Night program on Dec. 27.

## B&PW Sunday School Class Meeting Monday

The Business and Professional Women's Sunday School class No. 1 of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. Archie Logan.

Assisting Mrs. Logan as hostess were her daughter, Mrs. Lanell Tate and Mrs. Sam Chorn and Mrs. George Whitted.

Gifts for a needy family were discussed.

Mrs. E. P. Thomas brought the devotional.

Refreshments were served.

## Youth Meeting Held

Seventy-five young persons attended the Epworth sub-district meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship at the First Methodist Church here Monday night.

A Christmas drama was presented by officers of the sub-district. Members of the local group presented the devotional. Refreshments were provided by the Wedding Band Sunday school class.

## Women's Group Party

The Presbyterian Women's Organization will be hostesses for a Christmas party for all women of the church at 7:30 tonight in the basement of the church church.

Mrs. John Casebier will present a Christmas narrative, "Christobal." Gifts are to be exchanged during the evening.

## Guest Speaker Sunday

The Rev. S. B. Echols, Jr., formerly of Big Spring, will be guest speaker at the Apostolic Faith Church Sunday.

The Rev. Jacob Regier, pastor of the church, is now recuperating from a recent operation. He plans to resume preaching duties at the church on Dec. 27.

## Contribution Planned By Philathea Circle

Plans for a contribution to be sent to the Wesley House in Amarillo were made at a called meeting of the Philathea circle of the First Methodist Church Saturday.

Mrs. H. P. Brown, 2812 Avenue U, was hostess for the meeting with seven members and four guests present.

Mrs. Frank Wilson presented a discussion of the work of the Wesley Houses in Texas. Mrs. W. W. Adcock showed a film made on a trip to Mexico City.

## Special Fund Offering

A goal of $7,291.33 has been set for the Lottie Moon offering for foreign missions at the First Baptist Church.

A Christmas tree in the auditorium of the church, decorated only with lights and icicles, is being used to denote progress in the fund. different string of colored lights is added for each additional $1,000 collected in the fund, with a star on the top to be lighted when the goal is reached.

## Officers To Be Elected

New officers to serve the First Presbyterian Church during the coming year will be elected in a congregational meeting at 7:45 Sunday night, the Rev. Ronald Hubbard, pastor, said.

The meeting will follow the regular evening worship service.

## Morning Broadcasts

The Rev. Joseph J. Good, founder and pastor of the Roundup Church, will be the speaker on the Morning Devotions broadcast Monday through Friday next week. Mr. Good is on leave of absence from the church until April.

## Crusaders' Class Party

Forty-nine members of the Crusaders' Sunday school class of the First Methodist Church attended the annual Christmas party Monday night. The class has recently donated a new piano for church sanctuary.

## Contribution To Home

A contribution of $800 was made Sunday at the First Methodist Church for the Methodist Home in Waco. There are 425 boys and girls in the home.

## North Side Baptists Set Christmas Program And Caroling Party

A Christmas program will be held at the North Side Baptist Church at 7:30 tonight, the Rev. Jack Dean, pastor, has announced.

Gifts are to be exchanged, and a program is planned.

The Senior Sunday school of the class will sponsor a caroling party for all members of the church Monday night. Persons who plan to go with the group are asked to meet at the church at 6:15. Members of the Senior Sunday school class will be guests at a party at the home of Mira Caswell, 3757 Dalton, Drive, following the caroling.

Scientists believe that insects have existed for about 250 million years.

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## PARENTS OWE A LOT TO THEIR CHILDREN (No. 2)

Ted Norton

He who does not seek to please God in all things, does not seek to please Him in anything! Parents owe it to their children to "bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." (Eph. 6:4). This is both pleasing to God and profitable for the children. This guidance is lacking in too many homes. Happy is the child whose parents guide him as the Lord directs in His holy word, the Bible!

Children need to have a feeling of security. Security is a natural desire of all normal people. In infancy, childhood, and youth the love and care of mother and father supplies this desire. In maturity the tendency is to find security in owning property and wealth, even to the extent that sometimes people will "marry for money." However, it needs to be realized that "he who marries for money earns it!"

Wealth gives a temporary feeling of security, but a firmer security is needed. Because of temporary security, the love of money increases to a degree of slavery for some. "For the love of money is the root of all evil" (1Tim.6:10). "When money talks, all listen!" Love of money is an appetite that grows with every bite that is eaten. The love of money leads to covetousness and "covetousness" is idolatry (Col.3:5). The Lord warns to "beware of covetousness for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth" (Luke 12:15). At death "things" give no security. What then?

Real security is found in being a faithful child of God, growing "in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ" (2Pet.3:18). God holds the father as the responsible head in the family (Eph.5:23) and it is his duty to provide for his family to the very best of his ability (1 Tim.5:8). He will chasten his children (Heb.12:9-11). The mother is to "guide the house" (1Tim.5:14; Titus 2:4,5); it is her laboratory. The mother, doubtless, has the greatest influence in molding the lives of her children for she is with them more in the formative years. Happy is the child whose parents "set the example" in living as children of God! This is the most potent teaching. The parents love God and seek to please Him in rearing their children. (John 14:15). The children love their parents and as maturity dawns they love God as do their parents. Their "faith works by love" (Gal.5:6). No greater heritage can parents give their children than "the unfeigned faith" (2Tim.1:5). This is real security!

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# Army Unveils Guided Missile Used As Antiaircraft Weapon

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Army took some of the secrecy wraps off its uncanny, bomber - hunter guided missile last night and said the first battery of an eventual national system of such antiaircraft weapons is being emplaced.

On the basis of official disclosures, an Army motion picture and other information available, it may be said the guided missile, named Nike, can:

1. Streak at an enemy bomber at a speed of probably 1,500 miles an hour.

2. Locate and track the plane, despite evasive action, and destroy it in flaming wreckage even though the missile contacts only an outer part of a wing.

3. "Knock down a jet-powered aircraft of any known capacity" in speed or maneuverability.

The first Nike unit is being set up at Ft. Meade, Md., headquarters of the 2nd Army. From there Nike missiles can provide protection for an area embracing the nation's capital, Baltimore's big industries and port facilities and a number of military installations in the Chesapeake bay and Potomac River region.

The Army calls the Nike "the first guided missile system to defend American cities against aerial attack."

Taken literally, that appeared to be correct. It is the first missile antiaircraft system for protecton of U. S. cities. But the Air Force and Navy have under test or on hand for operational use at least eight other guided missiles for various purposes.

Here are some of the missiles in use, in test or in development:

By the Air Force: the Matador, an intermediate range bombardment missile of ground-to-ground type, a tactical unit of which has been set up; the Bowmark, an experimental ground-to-air antiaircraft missile; the Falcon, launched from a plane against another plane; the Snark, another ground-to-ground design, probably with longer range than the Matador; the Rascal, to be launched from a bomber flying outside and above the range of enemy interceptors and designed to "home in" on a target city.

By the Navy: the Regulus, for launching from submarines, surface ships or shore bases against enemy shipping, shore targets in an invasion operaton or castal manufacturing centers and harbors; the Terrier and Sparrow, two antiaircraft missiles.

There is also a wide variety of research "vehicles" for aerodynamics, high-altitude conditions, cosmic radiation and other scientific problems.

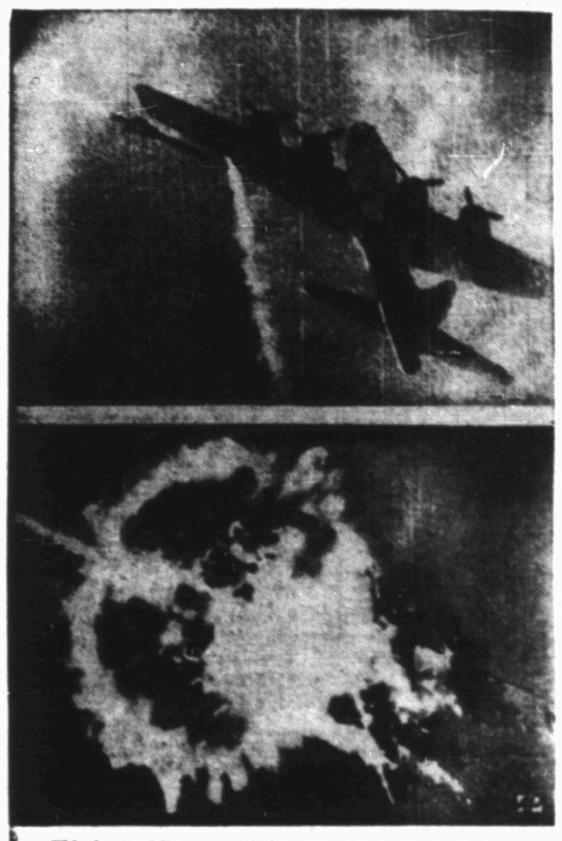
The Army revealed that the blueprints for the Nike were drawn eight years ago but not until two years ago did a reliable guidance system evolve for the rocket.

The Nike is about 20 feet long, a foot thick over most of its length, giving it the appearance of a huge pencil with fins fore and aft to steer it in flight.

It is placed on a launching rail which is horizontal. The rail then is elevated to a vertical position and the missile sent away by an initial booster charge. The rocket booster drops clear when the missile is several hundred feet up and the missile's own liquid-fuel rocket engine takes over.

Information obtained by radar has provided the general area in which the enemy plane is located. A navigational system steers the Nike to this area. Here the Nike's radar eyes begin to seek out the plane and manipulate the fins to head it toward the target. In the final phase, a "homing" device takes over and guides the missiles into the target. Presumably a proximity fuse could detonate the missile's explosive load at the correct distance from the enemy bomber even if an actual contact is not made.

In its official motion picture, the Army showed a Nike blowing up the comparatively slow and easy target provided by a B17. That World War II plane has a top speed of only about 250 miles an hour. But Army spokesmen emphasized the Nike can operate as efficiently against jet aircraft with far higher speeds.



This is the Nike, an anti-aircraft guided missile, faster than sound, designed to track down and destroy invading enemy aircraft. And here, in action against a big target plane at the White Sands Proving Ground, N.M., it does that with fine effeciency. The Nike comes in under the wing, top, and then hits the target plane, bottom, and explodes. The smoke coming from wing of plane itself at top was set there to enable photographers to follow the action.

## Reds Making Progress In Sudan Cities

KHARTOUM (AP)—Communism in the Sudan, an undercover movement since the end of World War II, is beginning to show a bold face.

Local Reds made a major bid in last month's general election here. Communist pamphlets showed up among all classes of the populaton and the self-styled "Sudan Communist party" stepped up the distribution of its clandestine news organ, The Red Standard.

The stenciled tabloid openly urged the people to "unite in the fight against capitalism and imperialism which have plagued our country for years."

At the same time, Red agitators harangued crowds in every major city in northern Sudan.

Communism in the Sudan is illegal and convicted Reds are liable to 14 years imprisonment. Police occasionally uncover a Red cell and arrest a few people caught printing Communist leaflets. But authorities concede that most of the Communist leaders in this country are still at large.

The Communist movement here, according to highly placed Western observers, is financed from the outside.

"It is suspected that most of the funds come from behind the Iron Curtain," one informant says, "but from which country and through what channels, nobody knows."

Authorities here keep a close eye on known Reds. But getting evidence against them is difficult. And without definite evidence to prove suspects actually are engaged in spreading Communist propaganda, officials are powerless to act.

The main bulwark against communism here is not the government, however, but Islam. Northern Sudan is a Moslem country with the precepts of the Moslem faith.

Aware of this, Sudan's Communists hammer away on the theme that communism and Islam can get along well together and claim there is nothing in Islam that opposes Marxism.

## Mrs. Bryant Gives Reading

Mrs. Bill Bryant gave a reading, "The Other Wise Man," as a Christmas program to the Rotary Club in its weekly luncheon yesterday.

For the program, the club had as guests five ministers of Snyder churches. They were the Rev. W. W. Adcock of the First Methodist Church, the Rev. Ronald Hubbard of the First Presbyterian Church, the Rev. E. K. Shepherd of the First Baptist Church, Warder K. Novak of the Thirty-seventh Street Church of Christ, and the Rev. Glenn Ricketts of the First Christian Church.

Marcene Holt was inducted as a new member of the club.

Visiting Rotarians were George Cowan, Horatio Bardwell, W. B. Terrell, Sam L. Glass, and Henry Rogers, all of Sweetwater, and Alfred Shiner of Braymer, Mo. Other guests were C. D. Fielder of Abilene and Billy Bob Hardee of Snyder.

## Former POW Joins Up In Army Once Again

BUTTE, Mont. (AP)—A former Korean prisoner of war reenlisted in the Army here yesterday.

He is Candio Mascarenas of Vadito, N. M. He was captured in Korea in September 1950. He was discharged six weeks ago and came to Butte looking for work, then decided to return to the Army.

From 1940 to 1950 the gain in U.S. population was 19,028,000 or more than the total population of the country in 1840.

## Snyder Annual Wins Award

The 1952-53 edition of The Tiger's Lair, Snyder High School annual, has been named among the best student publications of that school year by the Texas High School Press Association.

Awards were announced recently at a meeting of faculty members and students in Denton. A certificate of merit was received this week by Miss Katherine Northcutt, Snyder faculty advisor.

Marshall was awarded top honor in the Class A division for high schools with an enrollment of 500 or more. Sharing the All-Texas rating with Snyder were Lubbock, Abilene, Amarillo, El Paso High School of El Paso, Stephen F. Austin High School of El Paso and Wichita Falls.

Marilyn Thomas was editor of the 1952-53 annual.

## Two-Day Roping And Cutting Horse Contest

A jackpot roping contest between Toots Mansfield of Big Spring and Doyle Riley of Ballinger will be featured at a two-day roping and cutting horse contest in Abilene Jan. 1 and 2.

The event is under the sponsorship of the Abilene Range Riders' Club and will be held at the Range Rider Arena southeast of Abilene. The contests will begin at 1 o'clock each afternoon.

Other contests will include a jackpot roping for amateurs and RCA members in good standing, a jackpot roping open to amateurs only and a girls' barrel race open to amateurs or professionals. Entries will close at 12 noon Jan. 1 for roping and at 12 noon Jan. 2 for the cutting contest.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS A**

**SPECIAL NOTICES A-2**

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**LOST AND FOUND A-4**

Lost: Female Boxer pup. Valley Animal Hospital Tag No. 1314. Anyone having information on pup dial 3-3710.

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**TRUCKS FOR SALE B-2**

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## Plays Do Not Get Off Easy With British

LONDON (AP)—A farce called "13 for Dinner" opened last night with all gallery regulars barred by the producer, who denounced them as "play-wreckers." The evening was a disaster.

Extra cops had to rush 300 members of the Gallery First Nighters club who stood in the lobby and booed ticket holders.

The husband of the play's comedienne punched a playgoer on the nose for low-raging his wife's performance. Hubby was threatened with a date in police court.

A character on the stage said "I think I am the most bored man in town tonight" and a character in the audience shot back: "Oh, no, you're NOT."

Upstairs 150 British army, navy and air force men—let in free to pack the gallery—sat through the performance with "the dogged sort of discipline that wins wars," as a reviewer later put it.

London press reviewers gave the offering the severest trouncing of the season.

Producer Emile Littler announced yesterday he was packing the gallery with invited servicemen because of "organized booing expeditions" at some of his other shows, including "Bruno and Sydney" which opened Sept. 9 at the Phoenix Theater and closed three nights later.

## World's Largest Globe Is Under Construction

WELLESLEY, Mass. (AP)—Construction was well under way today on a gigantic globe nearly 28 feet in diameter—designed to be the world's largest revolving globe.

A $200,000 project, it is expected to be finished late in 1955 after welders complete the 21½-ton steel skin, a geographer maps the continents and oceans and painters translate his work to the steel sphere.

The globe, on a scale of 24 miles to the inch, is being constructed by Babson Institute of Business Administration at its campus, Babson Park.

## Hermleigh Honors Its Junior High Team

The Hermleigh Junior High School football team and pep squad were honored at a banquet this week.

T. P. Henderson, an instructor in the school, served as master of ceremonies. Orville Paty, superintendent of schools, and Charlie White, the coach, were the principal speakers.

Arlon Groves expressed the appreciation of the team for the work of the pep squad, and to the mothers who gave the banquet. Glen Kruger and Clyde Wicox, team captains, presented White a gift on behalf of the team. Glenda Tate and Enid Minor spoke for the pep squad, commending the team for its season score of five wins with no losses.

## Bust Doesn't Arrive For Its Presentation

DAYTON, Ohio (AP)—Brig. Gen. Enrico Cigerza, air attache for the Italian Embassy in Washington, was here yesterday to present a bust from his government to the Dayton Art Institute in honor of the 50th anniversary of powered flight.

But the bust didn't arrive.

"I am a poor man, alone in a lot of trouble," said Cigerza. "This upsets me very, very much. I apologize in the name of the ambassador I represent."

The bust, somewhere between here and Rome, is either a likeness of the late Mario Calderara, Wilbur Wright's first Italian pupil, or of Wilbur himself.

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*AWARD KISS*

Harvey Kuenn, Jr., Detroit Tiger short stop, gets a congratulatory kiss from his dog, Cooky, as his dad looks on at their Milwaukee, Wis., home. Kuenn was selected as the American League's Rookie of the Year by a vote of 23 out of 24 members of the Most Valuable Players committee of the Baseball Writers Association.

# Lions Are Banking On Walker's Kicks

DETROIT (AP)—A glamor boy in college, Halfback Doak Walker of the Detroit Lions didn't stub his toe when he played professional football. He found it.

The Lions will be banking heavily on Walker's place kicking when they defend their National Football League title against the Cleveland Browns, Dec. 27.

This is rather odd, too, because when Walker was gaining national fame with Southern Methodist a few years ago he did everything—but kick.

"I recall only one field goal in high school and three in college," Walker said. "Kicking is still rather new to me."

When Fullback Pat Harder became a victim of age, Walker took over the Lions' place kicking duties—both the long and short boots. In the past, he kicked only from close up on the theory he didn't have enough power for the longer ones.

Walker responded with 12 field goals in 19 attempts, several over the 35-yard stripe. This mark was second only to Lou (The Original Toe) Groza of Cleveland, whose 23 of 26 field goal attempts put him in a class by himself.

It's almost a necessity for the Lions to get good place kicking against the Browns because Groza virtually kicks two or three a game himself.

Walker also kicked 27 of 29 extra points. The two misses were on bad passes from center.

The slight, 170-pound halfback does more than kick, though. He was the best pass catcher on the team, with 30 receptions for 502 yards. He also rushed for 337 yards—an average of 5.1 yards per try. Walker scored five touchdowns and wound up with 93 points.

"The best part about having him on your side," says Coach Buddy Parker, "is that he comes through when you need it most."

The records stand behind Parker. Walker, who missed most of the 1952 season with a leg injury, returned in time to help Detroit beat Los Angeles in a playoff for the Western division title. Then, in the title game, he sprinted 67 yards to nail down a 17-7 victory over Cleveland.

And only last week, against the fired-up New York Giants, he played his best game of the season, scoring twice in a 20-16 victory which again clinched the Western division championship.

You can be sure the Browns are mapping strategy to stop Walker.

# Sports Writers Are For Single Platoon

NEW YORK (AP)—The decision of the college football rulemakers to switch from "platoon" football to limited substitution received a hearty vote of approval today from the nation's sports writers and broadcasters.

But there were enough differences of opinion reflected in the ballots of more than 300 newsmen participating in the Associated Press postseason poll to indicate that heated arguments likely will continue all winter.

The NCAA Football Rules Committee will meet in Sarasota, Fla., Jan. 11-13 to consider the effects of the rule change made a year before and to decide whether it will be retained, modified or abandoned.

The votes of 123 football writers and broadcasters say "keep it," although 10 of these proposed modifications of one sort of another. There were 59 negative ballots, 8 suggesting a compromise of some sort and only 14 whose opinions weren't definite one way or the other.

A few of the experts admitted they liked the single-platoon game because it made covering football easier. A good many more said the public liked it better and could follow the game more easily with only one group of players, instead of two, in action.

From there on the opinions were as emphatic as they were divided and, to some extent the same arguments were used on both sides. It was claimed, for example, that the limited substitutions helped the smaller colleges financially and gave them a better chance of beating the big teams. And it also was claimed that the rule had failed to accomplish its purpose in helping the small schools.

One school maintained that the 1953 two-way football was faster and more interesting. The opposition maintained it was slower and dull.

Many of those opposing limited substitution said it increased the number and severity of injuries. Others claimed there had been no increase. A couple, favoring the one-platoon system, said they'd change their minds if it could be shown that more players were hurt.

# Jr. High Teams Split Games In Colorado City

One junior high team dropped a game and the other won one in Colorado City yesterday.

The junior high A cage team lost its game to the Colorado City team 40-26. Snyder had jumped ahead early in the game, but C-City tied the game at the half and again in the third period after Snyder had moved ahead. The C-City five then went ahead and kept the lead to win.

Gale Courtney led Snyder scoring in the game with eight points, while Richard Pickett had six and Israel Hinojos five.

The loss gave the A team a 2-2 record.

The B team is still undefeated in four games after beating the C-City team 20-16.

The lead changed several times in the game, and the Snyder team was behind within four minutes of the end of the game but moved ahead.

Jimmy Allen headed up scoring for the team with six points. Chuck Warren and Dwayne Merritt had four each.

The two teams will go to Roscoe Monday afternoon for games, with the first beginning at 4 o'clock.

A 75-minute drive will take a motorist to Providence from the farthest point in Rhode Island.

# Tigers Take Surprise Victory Over Odessa

The Snyder Tigers last night upset the Odessa Broncs in the Odessa basketball tourney and advanced to the second round of the championship bracket.

The Tigers downed Odessa 44-43 after a close game all the way. They are scheduled to meet the San Angelo Bobcats at 7:30 o'clock tonight. San Angelo last night beat Sweetwater 61-57.

Six more teams went into the second round. They are Midland, which downed Kermit 47-40; Plainview, which topped Alpine 59-50; Thomas Jefferson of El Paso, which beat Lamesa 60-46; Abilene, which defeated Big Spring 51-37; Brownwood, 45-35 winner over Pecos; and Coleman, which upset Lubbock 53-34.

In the championship bracket, Coleman was to play Midland at 6 o'clock tonight. Plainview and Jefferson were to start at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, and Abilene is to meet Brownwood at 9 o'clock.

In the consolation round, Sweetwater was to meet Odessa at 9 o'clock this morning. Lamesa was to play Alpine at 10:30. Big Spring and Pecos were matched for 1 o'clock this afternoon, and Lubbock and Kermit were to play at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The winner of the Snyder-San Angelo game will meet the winner of the Abilene-Brownwood match tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Tigers took a two-point lead over Odessa in the first quarter, ending that period ahead 10-8, then picked it up to 22-16 by halftime. Halfway through the third period, Odessa tied the Tigers, but Snyder put the Odessa team back under.

The Snyder team led 40-37 at the end of the third. In the fourth, Odessa tied it up again and even went two points ahead with slightly more than two minutes remaining. Ray Courtney put in two free throws to tie the game again, but two Odessa free throws put the Tigers behind again. With 40 seconds left, Jimmy Bennett sacked up a field goal to tie the game. With 30 seconds left, Reagan White put in one free throw to put Snyder a point ahead.

Odessa went one point ahead on a field goal, then sophomore Don McNew, one of the most improved players on the team, laid one up with 10 seconds to go and gave Snyder the one-point winning lead.

Bennett headed up Snyder scoring with 13 points, followed by Alan Snead with 10.

San Angelo came from behind to win its game after Sweetwater had led almost half the game.

| SNYDER | FG | FT | TP |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bennett | 4 | 5 | 13 |
| White | 2 | 3 | 7 |
| Snead | 4 | 2 | 10 |
| Blair | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Courtney | 2 | 3 | 7 |
| McNew | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Tankersley | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| TOTALS | 14 | 16 | 44 |
| **ODESSA** | **FG** | **FT** | **TP** |
| Davis | 8 | 1 | 17 |
| Gillespie | 2 | 4 | 8 |
| Gamblin | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Henderson | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Whetstone | 4 | 2 | 10 |
| Vaughn | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Ward | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| TOTALS | 16 | 11 | 43 |

# Graham Shoots For Title Try If He's Victor

NEW YORK (AP)—Paddy Young is a 7-5 favorite to spoil welterweight contender Billy Graham's bid for middleweight laurels in Madison Square Garden tonight.

Graham, 31, boasting a victory contender Joey Giardello and a draw with second-ranking Rocky Castellani, has decided to aim for Bobo Olson's 160-pound crown.

A veteran of 120 pro bouts in 13 years of fighting for cash, Graham is spotting his fellow New Yorker 10 pounds and six years in the 10-rounder. Billy will weigh about 150 to Paddy's 160.

The question mark in this fight is just how much zip Graham has left in his legs. Billy needs plenty of spring for his left-jabbing, counterpunching style of boxing. If he's lost it, he'll be a target for the 25-year-old Paddy's smashing left hooks and body assault.

There's a lot of betting locally on the catchweight match. The odds switched back and forth from the time the two signed but in the last few days the heavier cash has been going for Young.

Still rated as the No. 5 welterweight contender, Billy figures the middleweights will be easier if he can whip Young, rated eighth among the 160-pounders.

"I might just as well get in the scramble for Olson," said Graham.

There's lively interest in the encounter and a crowd of about 7,000 or 8,000 is expected to pay upwards of $25,000 at the gate.

The bout, starting at 10 p.m., EST, will be broadcast (ABC) and telecast (NBC) coast to coast.

This will be Graham's 121st pro fight. His record is 100-11-9 with 25 kayos. He never has been stopped. Young's record is 45-9-3. He's been halted twice, by Tuzo (Kid) Portuguez and Gene Hairston.

This year Graham outpointed Art Aragon and Giardello, lost a close 12-rounder to Carmen Basilio and drew with Basilio in another 12. Young whipped Ernie Durando in a 12, lost a 15-rounder to Olson for the American middleweight title, and knocked out Sammy Giuliani in two rounds Nov. 6.

# BASKETBALL SCORES

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Texas Western 62, McMurry 53
Rice 88, St. Johns 81
Duquesne 71, Texas 58
Amarillo Junior College 68, Lamar (Colo.) Junior College 56
NATIONAL TOURNAMENT (First round)
East Texas 79, Findlay (Ohio) 68
Springfield (Mo) 86, Nebraska Wesleyan 50
Illinois Wesleyan 77, Miss Southern 71
Hamline 81, Rockhurst 68
Other Games
EAST
Western Kentucky 78, St. Francis (Bkn) 55
Army 81, Ithaca 57
Duquesne 71, Texas 58
Rice 88, St. Johns (Bkn) 81
Iona 70, Xavier (Ohio) 64
Utica 61, Harpur 57
Canisius 66, Scranton 56
Utica 61, Harpur 57
Williams 87, Trinity 58
Marshall 80, Georgetown (Ky) 71
West Va Wesleyan 76, W. Va. Tech 71
SOUTH
Maryland 80, Virginia Tech 53
Wake Forest 82, McCrary Eagles 66
Virginia 81, Wash-Lee 62
Northwestern La 81, Central (Mo) 58
Louisiana Tech 82, Southern State (Ark)
McNeese (La) 63, Camp Polk 58
Ky Wesleyan 71, Berea (Ky) 69
Delta (Miss) State 82, Ouachita 56
SOUTHWEST
Centenary 76, Arizona State (Tempe) 71
Arkansas State 71, Florence (Ala) 61
Little Rock JC 64, Hendrix 63
Arkansas State Tchrs 62, College of Ozarks 63
MIDWEST
Michigan State 68, Marquette 60
Notre Dame 81, Chicago Loyola 68
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Beloit 70, MacAlester 63
Kirksville (Mo) 60, Maryville (Mo) 56
Peru (Neb) 66, Tarkio 51
Phillips Oilers 85, Morningside 57
FAR WEST
Sacramento State 45, Washington State 44
Idaho State 53, Utah State 44
Seattle 74, Los Angeles Loyola 56
Lon Morris 88, Weber (Utah) 69

Although many insects count their lives in hours rather than years, some queen ants may live for 16 years.

# Schoolboys In Final Stages Of Contests

By The Associated Press

The next to last weekend of Texas schoolboy football starts Friday with games in the lower classes. The big climax comes Saturday when champions are decided in the major divisions—Odessa vs. Lamar (Houston) for the Class AAAA crown and Big Spring vs Port Neches for the Class AAA title.

Finalists in Class A are on the line Friday night as Ranger plays Clifton at Ranger and Luling and Deer Park clash at Wharton.

One-half of the finals picture in Class AA will be determined Friday with Ballinger and Comanche battling at Coleman. Saturday afternoon, the Ballinger-Coleman winner's foe in the finals will come from a game between Huntsville and Refugio at Huntsville.

Big Spring is a heavy choice to whip Port Neches at Port Neches Saturday afternoon and annex its first Class AAA state title. A throng of 8,500—capacity—is expected to see the battle at Port Neches.

# Yank Stadium Becomes Rent Property Now

NEW YORK (AP)—The world champion New York Yankees will play ball next season in a stadium owned by a Chicago real estate firm located on land owned by the Knights of Columbus but it will still be the "House That Ruth Built."

Del Webb and Dan Topping, co-owners of the baseball club, sold Yankee Stadium and Blues Stadium in Kansas City yesterday for 6½ million dollars.

They sold to the Arnold Johnson Corp. of Chicago, headed by Arnold Johnson. Johnson then sold the land under Yankee Stadium and the adjacent parking lots—about four acres of ground—to the Knights of Columbus for 2½ million dollars.

Next, Johnson rented back the land from the K. of C. and then leased the whole works back to the Yankees. Johnson kept the Kansas City park.

Everybody seemed happy about the tremendous and complicated deal.

Webb and Topping, along with Larry McPhail, paid only $2,800,000 in 1945 for both ball parks, the Yankee ball club, its players and all equipment, the Kansas City ball club and its players and the Newark ball club. In 1947 Webb and Topping bought out McPhail for two million dollars.

Tax experts said that on their profit of some 3½ million dollars Webb and Topping will pay a capital gains tax of about 26 per cent or roughly $900,000.

None of the parties would reveal the Yankee rental but most guesses ranged around $150,000. In addition the Yankee ball club will pay the taxes on the stadium.

The tax experts said Webb and Topping improved their tax position here, too, since they will be able to charge off the rental cost as expense deductible from gross income. About the only deductions they could claim as owners were upkeep and taxes and they will still get to charge these off also.

Johnson's lease on the land could run as long as 70 years. He also has the privilege of buying back the land after 15 years for three million dollars.

The Knights of Columbus get the stadium property when Johnson's lease on the land runs out.

Webb and Topping said the deal had nothing to do with their baseball club. "We are merely getting out of the real estate business," Topping said.

French statisticians estimate that 65 per cent of French families own one or more bicycles.

## Freshmen Cagers In Colorado City Win

The freshman basketball squad remained undefeated after playing its third game of the season last night.

The squad, coached by Hal Battle, downed the Colorado City freshmen 31-26.

Colorado City took an early lead and was ahead 8-6 at the end of the first quarter and 14-12 at the half. Battle's teamsters moved ahead in the third and were leading 18-17 by the end of that period.

Milton Ham paced the team with 18 points, while Robert Dabbs had six, Floyd Blackwell five, and Ronnie Smith two.

The team will meet Sweetwater here next Monday in its next game. The squad has prveiously downed the Sweetwater frosh and the Fluvanna A squad.

# Faked Injury Best Incident Of Grid Year

NEW YORK (AP)—Notre Dame's much-discussed "injured player" time-out in its Nov. 21 deadlock with the Iowa Hawkeyes popped up again today to be voted college football's "most unusual incident" in an Associated Press poll of sportswriters and sportscasters.

The Irish "incident," which brought forth nationwide expression of pros and cons, easily won out over the Duke-Navy "short count" and the collapse of Frank Leahy during the Notre Dame-Georgia Tech game Oct. 24.

The N.D.-Iowa controversy, labeled by some who balloted as the "big faint" and "the dying swan act," was one of the most heated in recent seasons.

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