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## Victory Date Being Moved Farther Back

### Over-Optimism Is Blamed For Nazi Army Successes

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 — Military strategists are now tentatively adding three to six months to their estimate of a date for victory in Europe.

There is still hope in high places that General Dwight D. Eisenhower will be able to turn the Allied reverse on the Western front into an early and decisive victory. But at the moment it is a gray and waning hope, although the battle is still fluid.

**Due To Over-Optimism**

Along with this sober estimate of the fighting has come a conviction that at least part of the German success was due to over-optimism throughout the Allied high command.

First Allied generals thought the European war would be won last fall; later they set the date at the year's end, then moved it forward to spring. Now they talk of next fall or winter.

**Russian Plans A Factor**

If it actually takes until late next year to lick the Germans, the date for victory over Japan will have to be moved forward also. But in Asia and the Pacific, as well as in Europe, much of what will happen depends on Russian plans, as yet unrevealed.

There is for instance the question of whether and when the Red army will open a full scale offensive against Germany on the Polish front. The ground is frozen and the time is ripe since the Germans are heavily engaged in the west.

**Failure Of Intelligence**

The success of the present German drive is being attributed by some authorities here partly to a failure of Allied intelligence and planning.

Very young, very old and second rate troops found in many westwall fortifications were considered typical of all German forces — relatively weak units held together with a sprinkling of battle-hardened regulars. Allied intelligence apparently made

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## Blaze Battled For 8 Hours

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27 (U.P.)—Firemen today battled for eight hours to bring under control the first general alarm fire in Kansas City in a quarter of a century.

The blaze was confined to a warehouse occupied by a wax company and several other concerns in the industrial district of Kansas City. It spread to adjacent buildings and leaped 60 feet across the street to ignite two others, but standby fire companies were able to throw streams of water into the structures immediately.

At one time, Fire Chief John T. Lynch said, a total of 35 hoses were aimed at the main blaze.

**Damage Half Million**

In a preliminary estimate of damage Lynch said "I would guess it at at least a half million dollars without even knowing what is in there."

Officials of the various companies occupying the warehouse space said that recent shipments could boost the total loss to possibly $2,000,000. The building housed, among others, the Johnson Wax company branch, a pharmaceutical house, a coffee concern and a dry goods company.

The blaze started in the basement, Lynch said, and gained headway when it raced between the first and a false ceiling above the basement sprinklers.

In the first general alarm fire since the stockyards went up in flames nearly 30 years ago, all Kansas City companies were pulled in to prevent the blaze from skipping to other areas in the densely packed district. Every ambulance in the city was put on a standby basis and all police

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## Weather Report

WEST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness except for fair weather in the Panhandle this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy with rain in east and central portions this afternoon and tonight, and in the southeast and extreme eastern portions Thursday. Not quite so cold in east and south portions tonight and Thursday.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES
(Readings recorded by West Texas Gas company during past 24 hours)

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| 6 p. m. | 29 | 6 a. m. | 32 |
| 7 p. m. | 29 | 7 a. m. | 33 |
| 8 p. m. | 29 | 8 a. m. | 33 |
| 9 p. m. | 29 | 9 a. m. | 32 |
| 10 p. m. | 29 | 10 a. m. | 33 |
| 11 p. m. | 30 | 11 a. m. | 34 |
| 12 M. | 30 | 12 N. | 34 |
| 1 a. m. | 30 | 1 p. m. | 34 |
| 2 a. m. | 30 | 2 p. m. | 34 |

## U. S. Submarines Sink Large Jap Carrier



DEATH'S TRAIL IN SKY—"V" weapons, including a new "mystery model," are reported an important factor in the initial success of the Germans' all-out counter-offensive on the western front. The unusual photo above, received through a neutral source, shows vapor trails from German rockets as the missiles arch up from enemy lines and descend on the Allied positions near foreground.

### Six Other Warships, 20 Additional Nip Vessels Included In Latest Bag

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Destruction of a large Japanese aircraft carrier, six additional enemy warships and 20 other Nipponese vessels by American submarines was reported by the Navy today.

Few details were given on the big bag by the subs operating in far eastern waters, announced by Secretary Forrestal at a news conference.

The aircraft carrier was not identified beyond the statement that it was "large." The other warships blasted by the underseas fleet included: One converted light cruiser, a destroyer, two escort vessels and two destroyer transports. Other ships sent to the bottom by American torpedoes and deck guns were two large transports, 10 medium cargo vessels, three small cargo vessels, one small transport, two medium cargo transports, and two medium tankers.

**1,090 Jap Ships Hit**

These sinkings bring to 1,090 the number of Japanese ships sunk, probably sunk or damaged since the war started. Included are 99 warships definitely sunk, 11 probably sunk and 16 damaged.

Forrestal, in issuing the submarine report, said the sinkings of Japanese vessels of all types now represent more than 3,500,000 tons of enemy shipping destroyed by American submarines alone.

He said that it is with "true regret that we are unable to tell" the full story of submarine activities because of the need for keeping information from the enemy.

Speaking specifically of the destruction of the large aircraft carrier, he declared: "This is hitting one of the most painful spots in the Japanese body at the moment."

## Berlin-West Front Rail Line Severed

### Nazi Supply Lines Pounded Heavily

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 27 — One thousand U. S. Eighth Air force planes from British bases raided secondary rail traffic centers in western Germany today, after photo reconnaissance officers reported the principal rail artery from Berlin to the west had been knocked out of commission.

Six hundred heavy bombers, escorted by 400 Thunderbolts and Mustangs, lashed at six railroad yards and one important junction. Favorable weather permitted Allied planes based on the continent to join the attack on Field Marshal Von Rundstedt's counteroffensive.

The Thunderbolts and Mustangs bagged at least 25 Nazi fighters in a furious battle with enemy planes southwest of Bonn.

**Several Targets Hit**

Targets included the traffic-glutted yards at Euskirchen and Andernach, northwest of Coblenz; Homburg, southwest of Kassel, and Fulda, 60 miles south of Kassel, as well as a rail junction 40 miles west of Coblenz.

**Alternate Route Raided**

A staff officer at headquarters of the U. S. Strategic Air forces in Europe, said all the targets were on the alternate route which the Germans began using during the past week.

"The main rail route from Berlin to the western front was by way of Hannover to Hamm, Munster and Osnabruck," he said. "The American air force and the RAF concentrated the attack on this network and photo reconnaissance on Christmas day showed all three of the yards empty."

Pictures taken on Christmas day showed yards along the southern route through Kassel crammed with a backlog of traffic, much of it apparently for the repair of bomb damage, the officer said.

The German radio reported

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## Some German Tanks Running Out Of Gas

U. S. FIRST ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Dec. 26. (Delayed) (AP)—German tanks in some sectors were running out of gasoline today as Allied air force blows at Field Marshal von Rundstedt's counter-offensive began to manifest their effects.

Recognizing the threat in smashing air blows at his forward elements and supply columns, the enemy has abandoned strafing and nuisance raids by fighterbombers over the battlefront during the day.

Instead enemy planes are tangling with great Allied heavy bomber fleets inward bound and bent on scattering German rail and road traffic in the channel behind the enemy wedge in American positions.

Combat commanders reported finding numerous Nazi vehicles abandoned in Belgium after they exhausted their fuel and were unable to get more from rear areas.

## Dismal Weather Continues In State

(By The United Press)

Most of Texas went about its work under low-hanging clouds today with little prospect that the damp, dismal weather would break before tomorrow — and even then more of the same was reported moving toward the state.

Only in the Panhandle, where high scattered clouds were reported, was there any relief today from several days of drizzle, rain, fog, sleet or snow.

Elsewhere over the state precipitation was general, but not heavy, during the past 24 hours, with continued cloudy weather forecast.

Most of the state, however, was free from freezing temperatures, with only the upper portion of the Panhandle reporting subfreezing minimums this morning. It was near freezing in an area north and west of Wichita Falls, Harpersville, Abilene, Wink and Midland, but along the coast and in the lower Rio Grande valley the mercury stood in the 40's and 50's.

**MRS. SIMMS UNCHANGED**

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP) — The condition of Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick Simms, Rockford, Ill., newspaper publisher and Republican leader, was reported unchanged today at Billings Memorial hospital. Mrs. Simms took a "sudden turn for the worse" yesterday. She underwent an operation for pancreatitis Dec. 4.

## Solon Accuses OPA Of Trying To Railroad Livestock Ceilings

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (U.P.)—Sen. Kenneth S. Wherry, (R., Neb.), today accused the Office of Price administration of arranging closed hearings in Chicago and Kansas City in order to "railroad through" a proposed ceiling on livestock without giving an adequate hearing to western cattle growers and feeders.

The Chicago meeting is being held today, while the Kansas City hearing will be held tomorrow.

"Our feeders and growers will have to crash these meetings in a last ditch fight to present their case," he warned. Growers and feeders are opposed to the proposed livestock ceilings on the grounds that they would be unenforceable.

**Ceilings Predicted**

Wherry predicted that, on Friday, OPA would put the livestock ceilings into effect and announce such action had been taken with the knowledge and consent of growers and feeders.

He said he had contacted Assistant Director John Madigan of the OPA food price division last night to learn what Nebraska men had been invited to the meetings. No one from his state had received an invitation, Wherry said,

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## Chaplin Relies On Blood Tests

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27 (AP)—Joan Berry's lawyer failed today to block testimony of blood tests declared by doctors to have shown that Charlie Chaplin is not the father of her 14-months-old daughter.

Superior Judge Henry M. Willis ruled that testimony of the scientists who made the tests was admissable in the trial of Joan's paternity suit against the comedian, but added:

"The opinion of the doctors that the defendant is not the father is nothing more than an opinion based on expert knowledge. Under our jurisprudence this evidence is not binding on the jury but shall be weighed by the jury."

The white-haired comedian, almost sphynx-like in contrast to the outbursts on his first day on the witness stand in Miss Berry's suit to have him declared the father, said "no, I did not," "that is not true" or otherwise voiced the negative 34 times yesterday.

**Denies Sexual Intimacies**

He specifically denied allegations of four sexual intimacies in December, 1942. The intimacies were alleged from the stand previously by his 24-year-old former drama pupil, who contends her daughter Carol Ann was begotten by him in that month. And

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## Seabees To Observe Third Anniversary

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (U.P.)—The Navy's Seabees, who fight with one hand and build with the other, celebrate their third anniversary tomorrow with a record of participation in every major amphibious invasion in this war.

Growing from an original nucleus of 3,300 men to more than 234,000 strong — more than three fourths of whom are now overseas with thousands more scheduled to go in the near future—the Seabees have followed close on the heels of the invasion waves to build airstrips and bases as fast as the fighing troops secured the land.

Secretary of Navy James E. Forrestal, in a message of congratulations to the Seabees said: "On this third birthday of the Seabees, I extend my congratulations to an organization which chose for its motto the words 'can do,' and then proceeded, by courage, skill and hard work to live up to it."

**WAR PLANT PLANNED**

EL PASO, Dec. 27. (U.P.)—Purchase of a vacant factory building covering an entire El Paso block by the Weber Show Case company of Los Angeles was announced today. The plant will be used to manufacture war supplies and is expected to continue operations after the war. Some 200 persons will be employed.

## Soviets Charge Upon Budapest

### Germans Fight Back Grimly

MOSCOW, Dec. 27—Red army shock troops charged upon flame-seared Budapest from snowy hills above the Danube river today. The German garrison burned military stores, dynamited public utilities and fought back grimly with field artillery scattered throughout the Hungarian capital.

Half a dozen Soviet spearheads were reported closing in on the western half of the encircled city and all German roads of escape were cut off.

Soviet assault units were believed to have slashed some distance into the Buda district on the west bank of the Danube.

A delayed dispatch from Szekesfehervar, about 32 miles southwest of Budapest, disclosed that the Nazis had fought for the city street by street.

**Dead Nazis Line Roads**

Thousands of German dead were reported to have lined the roads on the battlefields between Szekesfehervar and Budapest following the Russian advance. Burned out armored vehicles, many of them the latest King Tiger and Panther tanks, dotted the fields and endless columns of Nazi prisoners marched miserably to the cages, the dispatch said.

From hilltops on the west bank of the Danube Marshal Feodor I. Tolbukhin's heavy artillery dominated the entire city.

Armoured columns, already deep inside the city's western outskirts, were blasting their way house by house toward two big bridges that span the Danube and link the two sections of the city.

Field dispatches said other Russian successes achieved simul-

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## Inter-American Meet Is Expected Soon

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP) — The time schedule of unfolding plans for a peaceful world became apparent today with the report that an inter-American foreign ministers conference is to be held soon—probably in late February or early March.

Mexico has invited all the western hemisphere nations except Argentina to meet in Mexico City and discuss international security problems, it was learned on good authority.

The inter-American conference, a high official said, is scheduled to come shortly before the United Nations meeting on the Dumbarton Oaks peace agency proposals.

The schedule then will probably be: 1, a Roosevelt-Stalin-Churchill meeting at the end of January and early February. 2, the inter-American meeting in late February or early March. 3, the United Nations meeting in late March or April.

The exclusion of Argentina from the American foreign ministers list reaffirmed the unified support of the rest of the American nations behind a policy of isolation towards that nation. The United States has branded the Argentine government as fascist.

## French Radio Reports New York Bombed

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. — Perplexed Federal Communications commission monitors reported to the Office of War Information today they had recorded the following broadcast from the French radio station at Brazzaville:

"It was officially announced this morning at the supreme command of the Allied Expeditionary forces that New York was bombed last night. The attack was made by one plane."

The monitors said they had checked and rechecked the recording of the broadcast, which was in French and beamed to French areas, but that there could be no doubt of the text.

It was possible the Brazzaville station might have misintrepreted a headquarters announcement concerning the bombing of Paris last night.

## Yanks Down 74 Jap Planes In Two Sectors

### Fight Dwindles To Mopping Up In Philippines

(By The Associated Press)

About 50 Superforts bombed Tokyo today interrupting official war reports being read to the Japanese Diet.

The B-29's making their first mass raid on the enemy capital since Dec. 3 emphasized the increasing tempo of the Pacific air war that saw American fighter pilots destroy 74 Japanese planes over the Philippines and in North China.

As ground fighting in the Philippines dwindled temporarily to mopping up operations on Leyte island, the Chines Communist Eighth route army reported it had defeated a Nipponese force 30 miles east of Loyang in revivified fighting in western Honan province.

**Enemy Remnants Wiped Out**

Four American divisions wiping out the last vestiges of enemy resistance on Leyte, killed 899 more Japanese soldiers and took 14 prisoners. Seven Yanks were killed and 21 wounded.

Japan's war minister, Field Marshal Gen. Sugiyama, told the 86th session of the Diet that American forces had suffered 503,000 casualties since Pearl Harbor. He interrupted the reading of his war report to the lower house to announce:

"Approximately 50 B-29's have penetrated the skies over the Tokyo-Yokohama area" dropping "explosives and incendiaries on several points."

**Nine Raiders Said Downed**

An Imperial communique claimed that nine raiders were definitely shot down, five probably and 27 others damaged. Four interceptors were admittedly lost. Tokyo radio said crowds in the streets cheered when a Superfort fell.

"Japan is bleeding internally" from the 1,500 tons of bombs previously dropped on Tokyo and other industrial cities of Honshu island in their first 30 days of operation said Brig. Gen. Haywood Hansell, jr., whose Saipan-

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## Supplies Reach Trapped Yanks

LONDON, Dec. 27 (AP) — Hundreds of tons of supplies—mainly ammunition—were parachuted today to American troops cut off by the German drive in the Bastogne area of Belgium.

Twin-engined C-47 sky trains flew from Britain and France with cargoes for the doughboys who

NAZI RING PIERCED

U. S. FIRST army HEADQUARTERS, Dec. 27 (AP) — A single U. S. army vehicle has broken through the German ring around Bastogne and reached American troops who have been cut off for over a week there.

have withstood repeated Nazi tank attacks while waiting for relief columns last officially reported 4½ miles away.

Last week the American garrison, originally numbering several thousand troops, rejected a German ultimatum to surrender.

A lone C-47 piloted by Lt. Col. Joel L. Crouch, Riverside, Calif., sneaked over the German lines at dawn and dropped a parachute troop pathfinder unit to guide other cargo planes to the scene.

**Landed Safely**

They radioed back they had landed safely and an hour later troop carrier planes began dropping bundles of ammunition, food and medicine to the surrounded

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## Merchant Marines' Leaves Cancelled

HOUSTON, Dec. 27 (AP) — All shore leaves of men of the Merchant Marine from 18 to 37 have been cancelled, Lt. (jg) Marvin Simpson, public relations officer for the War Shipping administration announced here today.

Members of the Merchant Marine are directed to report immediately to their union headquarters or the recruitment and manning offices of the WSA at Galveston, Houston and Port Arthur.

Mariners who do not report to these offices will be subject to reclassification by their draft boards, Lt. Simpson said.

## House Group Finds Most Army Hospitals To Be Adequate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP) — Except for isolated cases of such things as "dehydrated" patients and the use of ancient eggs, Army hospitals got a clean bill of health today from the House military committee.

A peliminary report prepared by H. Ralph Burton, general counsel, said that generally speaking sick and wounded soldiers are receiving the best of treatment, their food is excellent, recreation facilities are adequate and equipment is of the finest.

The committee said its investigators inspected 89 hospitals in 20 states and the District of Columbia.

**Rumors Led To Probe**

Its investigation, it explained, resulted from "rumors of a disquieting nature that sick and wounded soldiers in many instances were being crowded into inadequate crude, uncomfortable, makeshift hospital buildings, often inadequately equipped and insufficiently staffed with doctors, nurses and attendants."

"Whatever may have been the situation," prior to the investigation, it added, "with few excep-

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## Nazi Offensive Is Turned Back In Meuse Area

### U. S. Troops Roll Germans Back 2 Miles In Christmas Day Battle; Front Said To Be Almost Ominously Quiet Today

By JAMES M. LONG
Associated Press Staff Writer

PARIS, Dec. 27. — American troops have thrown back German armored columns that thrust within four miles of the Meuse river, and a front dispatch today declared doughboys were slowly regaining the initiative on flanks of the German drive into Belgium.

The German offensive—believed to be powered with some 250,000 troops—had sent light armored combat teams to Celles and Ciney in a bid to reach the Meuse. But doughboys in a Christmas day battle rolled them back one to two miles, Supreme headquarters disclosed.

A dispatch from the field today declared U. S. armor and infantry, "slowly regaining the initiative, have locked in a series of sharp battles with probing Germans on both flanks of the 20-mile gap between the Hotton and Bastogne areas." Fighting still is extremely fluid in this sector, it added.

**Held Without Gains**

Supreme headquarters said Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt had been held virtually without gains in the 24 hours up to Tuesday morning.

But the German southern flank at that same time stiffened against the American push to relieve the encircled garrison at Bastogne. The Yanks at last official reports still were 4½ miles south of the city.

Hundreds of tons of supplies were parachuted today to the Bastogne garrison.

**Front Ominously Quiet**

Another front dispatch said the front was comparatively, and almost ominously, quiet today with each side thrusting tentatively and ineffectually at opposing defenses.

Von Rundstedt's advance tank units had speared into Celles, only four miles from the Meuse and eight from the French frontier, and near Ciney farther northeast, 14 miles below Namur. At Celles, his men were only 50 miles from Brussels, and had penetrated 57 miles from the take-off positions.

By Tuesday morning, Celles was firmly back in American hands.

The Americans folding back these thrusts found at least a dozen tanks and self-propelled guns dry of gasoline—perhaps an indication of the results of air blows on von Rundstedt's supply lines.

**Aimed At Antwerp**

Fighting continued in this sector near the Meuse, Supreme headquarters said, but there were indications the main German weight was being shifted to the northwest—toward the Allied Antwerp supply line.

More than 20 German divisions, including 10 armored or armored-infantry units, were reported to have been thrown into the winter counteroffensive.

Associated Press Correspondent Hal Boyle said the Germans in no battle had been able to summon

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## Serious Setback Is Handed Nazi Forces

### Deep Salient Reported Driven Into German Bulge In One Sector; Air Raids Effective

By WES GALLAGHER
Associated Press Staff Writer

STAVELOT SECTOR In Belgium, 2 p. m., Dec. 27.—During the past 24 hours field Marshal von Rundstedt has suffered his first serious setback since the German offensive began 11 days ago.

The 36-hour limitation on the release of news prevents giving details, but infuriated doughboys and tankmen have gone on the offensive and have driven a deep salient into the German bulge in one sector.

**German Positions Pounded**

At the same time the weather continued clear and the Allied air forces whittled away at Nazi tanks and transport. Flight after flight of Thunderbolt fighterbombers pounded German positions.

Just south of here, fighterbombers a few minutes ago caught a German tank spearhead milling around on top of a bald ridge and struck heavily, destroying at least two tanks and damaging several others.

"They really gave that column a working over," declared Maj. Albert Trearse of Landsdowne, Pa.

All along the northern flank there were indications the Germans were on the defense for the moment, with infantry replacing tanks and machinegun positions being set up. Von Rundstedt apparently still is trying to turn the American line to the west, but from here east the huge losses convinced him the line was firmly held.

## Two Persons Killed In Henderson Area

HENDERSON, Dec. 27. (U.P.) — Two persons were killed and five injured in highway accidents within 12 hours today in the Henderson area.

The dead were W. C. Mathis, a 66-year-old New Prospect farmer who fell from a truck load of wood and was crushed, and Mrs. Dedie Thomas, 61, a Marshall, Texas, resident who was killed last night when an auto driven by her son, Pvt. Robert L. Thomas, collided with a truck at a highway crossing.

## Three Killed In Raid On Paris

PARIS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Three persons were killed and 13 others injured last night by bombs which fell on the Paris area near world famous landmarks. It was the French capital's first air raid since Aug. 27, immediately after the city's liberation.

The casualties were the occupants of a house in (13 words censored).

Some damage was caused to buildings (11 words censored) where two bombs fell.

**Bombers Not Identified**

The bombers were not officially identified, but the fact that only a few appeared over the city virtually precluded any possibility that the bombs might have been dropped by accident from Allied aircraft.

A servicemen's club was wrecked by a direct hit which caused some casualties. French air raid defense authorities said a hospital was hit.

## Ward Workers Strike At Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27 (AP)—Picket lines were set up today at the Kansas City retail and mail order plants of Montgomery Ward and company as workers went out in a strike which union officials described as a protest against "Sewell Avery's defiance of the War Labor board."

Edward Chevlin, international representative of the CIO affiliated United Retail, Wholesale and Department Store Workers of America, said "several hundred" employes failed to report for work today.

Company officials were not available for comment, but an employe who refused to identify himself described the number of striking workers as "very, very few," and said both retail and mail order departments were operating "as usual."

The police department stationed a squad car at the scene, but reported there had been no disorder.

**WEATHER RECORDS BROKEN**

HENDERSON, Tex., Dec. 27. (U.P.)—Henderson weather records of 40 years were broken today with rainfall amounting to 4.55 inches for the past 48 hours, swelling 1944's total to 66.36 inches. The previous high was 56.92 inches through 1941. All streams were at a flood stage, but no damage to bridges resulted.


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# Davis-Turner Wedding Read

The marriage of Miss Betty Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Turner of Slaton, and Doyle Dean Davis, son of Mrs. Trudie Davis of Acuff, took place Saturday night in a candlelight ceremony read by Rev. W. F. Ferguson in the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Arlene Gant played the traditional wedding marches and "I Love You Truly."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an aqua suit with pearl trim and brown accessories. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses. For something old she wore an heirloom pin belonging to her grandmother, for something borrowed, a gold bracelet belonging to the matron of honor, Mrs. V. T. Rush of Acuff. Miss Phyllis McReynolds of Slaton was maid of honor.

Mrs. Rush wore a black dress with gold trim and Miss McReynolds wore black with white trim. Both carried pink carnations.

V. T. Rush was best man.

Mother of the bride wore a navy blue dress with black accessories and a red rose corsage.

At the reception which followed, the serving table was covered with a lace cloth and was centered with pink and white carnations. Mrs. R. H. Bailey of Slaton presided at the refreshment table.

The bride is a graduate of Slaton High school and attended Texas State College for Women. She is employed by the Santa Fe Railway company. The bridegroom is a graduate of Roosevelt High school and will soon enter the merchant marines. The couple has gone to Dallas.

# Coffee Honors Two Visitors

Honoring Mrs. Pat Henry of Dallas, the former Miss Jean Shelley Jennings, and Mrs. Mark Welch of Little Rock, Ark., the former Miss Catherine Jameson, Mrs. Jimmie Wilson and Mrs. George Langford gave a coffee Tuesday morning. The coffee was given at the Wilson residence, 2622 Twenty-third.

A holiday theme was used in appointments.

## Mrs. Walter P. Jennings And Daughter Leave

Mrs. Walter P. Jennings and her daughter, Mrs. Pat Henry, left today for their homes after spending a week in Lubbock. Mrs. Jennings is spending the winter in Fort Worth where she is hostess at Foster hall at Texas Christian university. Mrs. Henry's home is in Dallas.

They and another daughter, Mrs. John Gammon, Mr. Gammon and children of Lazbuddy, were Christmas guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elliott Taylor, and family.


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# WOMEN'S NEWS

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# Hard Work Is Ahead For Gals In '45 Says Adelaide Kerr



HOLIDAY JUMPER . . . In bright red Shanara by George Seager.

By ADELAIDE KERR
Associated Press Writer

American women face probably the busiest and most complicated year of their lives in 1945.

Reason: they will have a foot in two camps—(1) working on the unfinished business of the war and (2) planning and working toward the postwar period.

It may be we won't have to settle in 1945 the problem that loomed so large this year: Will women in war industries go back home or stay on the job after the war? Margaret Hickey, chairman of the Women's Advisory committee of the War Manpower commission, says that cutbacks in some industries do not mean that the whole war industry is reducing the number of its workers. On the contrary, she declares, we will need several hundred thousand more workers in war industries by spring and more than half of them will have to be women.

**That means that millions of women, in war industries and other jobs, face another lengthy stretch of hard work — a stretch in which many will to do the three ring job of worker, wife and mother. They must face the complications which arise when household furnishing and equipment wear out and cannot be replaced immediately, and when returning service men must be helped in readjustment to civilian life. But the hard work does not end there.**

Women also face unfinished business for their sex. For years the National Women's party and others have been working for the passage of an Equal Rights amendment which will give the women of the United States equal rights with men. It was the first legislative measure laid before the 78th Congress, but so far has not been passed by either house.

**Other Unfinished Business**

Another piece of unfinished business ahead of women in 1945 is the battle for equal pay for equal work. So far equal pay laws have been passed by only five states—Montana, Michigan, Illinois, Washington and New York. This year, however, the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs and other national women's organizations plan to pool their efforts for the strongest woman-drive yet in an effort to secure the passage of equal pay laws in other states.

Looking toward the transition and postwar periods, women leaders say that women have a tremendous job ahead. Margaret Hickey, who is also president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, says:

**"Women are not preparing for the peace as they should. In wartime it is natural to work in harmony with your allies, but in peace differences of opinion often arise. Women have a great opportunity in the home, the community and educational circles to teach an understanding of other countries' problems which can help keep the peace.**

# Personals

Pat Quinlan and Virginia Bondurant have gone to Fort Worth to visit until after New Year's day.

Sgt. Turner Adams, 2515 Twenty-fourth, has gone to Conway, Ark., to spend the holidays with relatives and Mrs. Adams is visiting relatives in Artesia, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Raley, jr., have returned from Fort Worth where they were joined for a Christmas celebration by their son, T/Sgt. Bedford Raley and Mrs. Raley. Sgt. Raley is being transferred from Kansas City to Grand Prairie.

# Holiday Dance Is Scheduled

A holiday dance is being planned for Lubbock Dancing club Friday night at Hotel Lubbock, beginning at 10 p.m. and continuing through 1 a. m. Breakfast is to be served.

Hosts will be Messrs. and Mesdames R. C. Harvey, G. W. Cochran, R. E. Stroup, W. L. Morrison, George Livermore, E. Waldo Trotter, Dr. and Mrs. Olan Key and Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Barsh.

## Christian Family Holds Reunion At Christmas

A reunion was held in the O. D. Christian home during the holidays and the following were present:

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. George, Albert and Curtis, Mrs. Geraldean Sells, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hickman and Oleta, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McBride and LaVerne McBride, Dolores, Calvert, Wilma Fern and Lawrence Christian, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey, Forrest and Thomas Gambrell of Anton; Mr. and Mrs. Roy George, Ralph, LaVerne and Robert of Enochs.

Those unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gambrell of Tucumcari, N. M.; and Pvt. H. D. Sells who is overseas.

## Miss Irene Jenkins And Sgt. L. M. Baker Marry

The marriage of Miss Irene Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Jenkins of Bristol, Tenn., and Sgt. Leslie M. Baker, son of Mrs. Ola B. Stewart of 1920 Ninth, took place Christmas Eve in the Stewart home with Rev. Brown C. Welch officiating. Sgt. Baker is stationed at Charleston, S. C.

The bride wore a punch colored suit with a white carnation corsage. Mrs. H. E. Deshazo, sister of the bridegroom and matron of honor, wore a black suit with white carnations. H. E. Deshazo was best man.

Friends of the family attended the ceremony.

The bridegroom formerly attended Texas Technological college.

## GUILD TO MEET

There is to be a meeting of First Methodist Parents guild at 7:30 o'clock tonight at First Methodist church.

## New Mexico Police Official Suspended

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 27 (U.P.)—Suspension of Ben Martinez, assistant chief of the New Mexico state police, was revealed today by the chief of the state police force, Frank Young.

Young alleged that Martinez was involved in an accident with a police car at Tesuque, due to his own "negligence." The suspension dates from Dec. 18, the time of the accident, until the police board meets next month.

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# News Briefs

**Dr. O. C. Boone, local magician,** and his assistant, Miss Evelyn Davis, entertained Rotarians and their children in the Rotary club luncheon program today noon at the Hilton hotel. Children of club members were special guests at the luncheon. G. M. Unger was program chairman. Out-of-town Rotarians present included Pleas Childress of Ozona and Riley Carlton of Brownfield.

**Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Gantz left** this afternoon for Oklahoma City after having received word of the death of two aunts of Mrs. Gantz in a highway accident near Ceiling, Okla., late Tuesday. They were: Mrs. Mary L. Poole of Fort Madison, Ia., and Mrs. Claude Thomas of Oklahoma City. Mr. Thomas is in a Woodward hospital with injuries. Their car crashed headon with an Army truck in the icy weather. Funeral services had not been announced.

**Installation of new officers will** feature the weekly luncheon program of the Kiwanis club Thursday in Lubbock hotel.

**Police said today they had received a belated report that ration** coupons "good for 2,000 gallons of gasoline" were stolen Christmas night from Parr Service station, at Broadway and Ave. W.

# Kansas City Fire

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traffic officers were summoned to duty.

The walls of the five story brick building commenced collapsing under the terrific heat and the water barrage from hundreds of hoses a few hours after the fire was discovered at 3 a. m.

**Flames Hundred Feet High**

Flames leaped as high as a hundred feet above the building and the heat of the fire could be felt two blocks away as the highly inflammable wax products burned. The building was occupied by a branch of the Johnson Wax company.

At midmorning, only three casualties were reported—all injuries to firemen. One was overcome by smoke, another was hurt in a fall and a third was struck by flying bricks when a wall collapsed. The wall fell on a fire truck.

The terrific heat which escaped when the walls fell was sufficient to sound automatic alarms in adjacent buildings and in two establishments across the street. Firemen played streams of water over all structures in the immediate area.

**Four Blocks Blacked Out**

The public utilities companies sent in crews to remove power, light and telephone lines to prevent a breakdown of the systems throughout the district. An area of approximately four square blocks was without service.

A light wind whipped the flames under a heavily overcast sky which kept the smoke swirling low and put a deposit of ash over much of Kansas City's north end.

Firemen were hampered by ice forming in a 28 degree temperature.

Firemen expressed belief that a parking lot across the street in the path of the wind would serve to keep the blaze corralled.

## Oklahoma Relatives Are Visitors In Power Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Power of Eldorado, Okla., and their daughter, Mrs. Gene Russell of Pauls Valley, Okla., have been holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Power, 2317 Fourteenth. Mrs. Russell's husband, Sgt. Russell, has been overseas for 23 months, 14 of which were spent in Italy with Gen. Mark Clark's army. He wears the Purple Heart.

## Car Overturns Here On Ice-Coated Street

Dr. Olan Key was in surgery as usual this morning — too busy with accelerated wartime practice to give much thought to an incident that almost reversed his role there.

If he had been four feet less advanced into the Eighteenth and Ave. L intersection at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night he might have found himself on the operating table, the exploring hands of another surgeon working over him.

His automobile was side-swiped by one driven by B. G. Gossett of Levelland. The Gossett car, in which were four adults and one child, slewed off, struck a curb, turned over on its side and skidded on the glazed street —"a distance represented by the frontage of two houses," the physician told police.

Dr. Key, uninjured, examined those in the Gossett car. He gave first-aid treatment to Christine Gossett, 20, and to Dannie Daniel, 4. It was a "mystery" to him that none was seriously hurt.

Gossett's car was not in immediate operating condition, so Dr. Key, police said, went to his 2303 Eighteenth residence, got his other car and drove the victims back to Levelland.

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# Nazis Launch Attack In Italy

ROME, Dec. 27. (U.P.)—The Germans have launched a surprise attack in the western sector of the Fifth army front, striking in strength in the Serchio valley area, 15 miles inland from the Ligurian coast, headquarters announced today.

The attack, made in one of the few Italian front areas not blanketed by snow and preceded by artillery fire, was aimed at the town of Gallicano, a half mile from the Serchio river. A communique said Americans were forced to withdraw from outsposts to prepare positions.

The Germans also increased artillery fire in the central sector and planes dropped anti-personnel bombs behind Fifth army lines below Bologna.

**Nazis Mopped Up**

Eighth army troops, supported by artillery, continued to mop up German rear guards east of the Naviglio canal between Bagnacavallo and Faenza.

With weather turning fair and slightly warmer Allied air operations increased. More than 1,000 fighters and fighter bombers flew in close support of ground troops and attacked communications, supply dumps and rail and road bridges in Italy.

Heavy bombers hit oil installations in Germany and Poland.

The Mediterranean Allied Air force reported 21 of its planes missing after approximately 2,500 sorties yesterday. Four enemy planes were shot down.

## Woman's Leg Broken When Horse Falls

Mrs. Othor Johnson of Ruidoso, N. M., who broke her left leg a week ago and was brought by ambulance Tuesday to Lubbock General hospital is allowed to receive visitors, her mother, Mrs. P. B. Penney, said today. Mrs. Johnson, the former Miss Opal Penney of Lubbock, was accompanying her husband on a mountain trip by horseback to get a Christmas tree when her horse slipped on the icy path, the fall breaking her leg between the knee and ankle.

The Penneys, their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Upton, and Mr. Upton, Amarillo; Mr. Johnson's mother, Mrs. J. R. Johnson; his sister, Mrs. Bud Davis and family, his sister, Mrs. Clay Anderson and family, all of Lubbock, and his brother, Laing Anderson and family, of Shallowater spent the holidays in the Othor Johnson home. They have returned to their homes.

# Livestock Ceilings

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not even representatives of the Nebraska Livestock association. Only on his insistence, he said, did Madigan send wires to six livestock men of the state.

"In other words," he asserted, "these are closed meetings with representation handpicked by Madigan in his own field. It is just a setup and a pretense at hearings before they put the ceiling into effect Friday.

Meanwhile, Sen. Edward V. Robertson, (R., Wyo.), suggested that a ceiling of 21 cents a pound be placed on top corn fed cattle at Chicago with other cattle prices brought "into proper adjustments on all grades" down to utility beef.

Robertson's proposal came as New York butchers, assertedly unable to get a reasonable supply of meat at current ceiling prices, went into the second day of a meat "holiday" that reportedly closed down 34 per cent of the city's butcher shops.

**Butchers Demand Action**

The butchers are demanding either that steps be taken to see that they get meat at legal ceiling prices or that their own retail ceilings be raised so that they can make a profit on their sales. OPA last week recommended to Economic Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson that ceilings be placed on live cattle. A decision is expected within a week.

WWestern senators have strongly opposed such ceilings, arguing that they would be unenforceable because of the many marketing channels for beef. Sen. Hugh A. Butler, (R., Neb.), said OPA officials were thinking in terms of a top ceiling of 17½ cents which he said was not enough to absorb increased labor and feed costs.

Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney, (D., Wyo.), who arranged a meeting for 12 senators with Vinson on Saturday, said the present meat shortage and New York's meat holiday were not due to a failure on the part of producers to get sufficient meat to markets.

**Other Factors Blamed**

Instead, he blamed the increased purchasing power of the civilian population, the setting aside of 60 per cent of production for the armed forces, and "tie-in sales and side money transactions" at the distribution level which have created a tremendous black market.

He suggested that eastern newspapers have their staffs investigate:

1. Why more commercial and utility (low grade) beef is not offered for sale; and

2. To what extent ration coupons have been demanded for ration-free goods.

Such black market operations, he said, cannot be remedied "by applying a squeeze to producers" in the form of a ceiling on live animals that would "frighten" producers to get rid of cattle in an uncertain market.

The first sweaters were heavy dark blue jackets, which were worn by participant si nathletic contests before and after games.

# Army Hospitals

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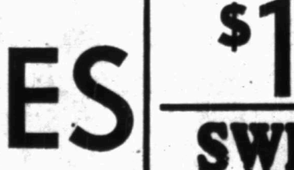
tions the results following the investigations have been decidedly re-assuring."

The committee said it had cited to the War department conditions in unidentified hospitals which "warrant attention."

Of one hospital the committee had this to say:

"No air conditioning of any kind in operating rooms; windows must be kept closed even in the hottest weather. It is difficult for surgeon and staff to operate under such conditions. Patients often become so 'dehydrated' as to require the administration of intravenous fluids in order to assure recovery."

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# Fliers Destroy Half Of German Armor

By WALTER CRONKITE
United Press War Writer

NINTH AIR FORCE ADVANCED HEADQUARTERS, Dec. 27, —In four straight days of perfect flying weather, fighter bombers of the Ninth U. S. Air force were believed today by air specialists to have knocked out more than half of the German armor and transport that Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt used to sweep back into Belgium 11 days ago.

The cumulative score of destruction since the weather broke Saturday and unleashed the Allied aerial fury stood today at 231 tanks and armored vehicles destroyed and 218 damaged; 2,026 motor transport vehicles destroyed and 503 damaged.

**8,923 Sorties Flown**

(A SHAEF dispatch listed totals for 8,923 sorties flown by the Ninth Air force in four days as 3,521 German transport destroyed or damaged and 571 armored vehicles, including tanks, destroyed or damaged. The SHAEF dispatch did not estimate that more than half of the vehicles used in invading Belgium were destroyed).

Roads through the 1,500 square miles that Von Rundstedt's offensive overran were lined with the burned out hulks of what he had counted on as mobile reserve that would turn the tide of battle.

In his big gamble on the offensive Von Rundstedt had put down a tall stack of blue chips on the weather. His weather forecast was excellent. It called for nearly two weeks of overcast skies that would keep off the dreaded American Thunderbolts, Lightnings and Mustangs.

In that time he apparently believed he could consolidate his gains and, with saved up luftwaffe strength, could maintain the offensive.

But Saturday both Rundstedt and Allied meteorologists were surprised by a sudden atmosphere shift that cleared the skies.

Now, in four days, Von Rundstedt's ground forces have been chewed to ribbons. Behind him Marauders and heavy bombers have taken out his bridges and smashed freight yards and Allied fighters have whittled the luftwaffe down to half its size.

**Optimistic Spirit Grows**

Today, despite a still serious situation on the ground in southeast Belgium, there was a growing spirit of optimism around here and the enthusiasm of the airmen was shared by the ground troops.

The hard boiled colonel of a famous ground force which is traditionally critical of other branches of the service told me at his battered farmhouse headquarters near the front:

"Those air boys have really been knocking them dead. They are taking out tanks and guns right in front of our noses. Brother they can crumple their hats any way they want to from now on. I'm for them."

Fighter bombers continued to plaster every vehicle and every building housing Germans in the spearhead.


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# B-29s Off To Good Start

BY VERN HAUGLAND
Associated Press Staff Writer

21ST BOMBER COMMAND HEADQUARTERS, Saipan, Dec. 27—(Via Navy Radio) — Superfortresses in their first month of operations against Japan from the Marianas islands have dropped more than 3,000,000 pounds of bombs on Honshu targets, Brig. Gen. Haywood Hansell, jr., disclosed today.

Hansell, commander of the 21st Bomber command, in a 1,000-word summary of the first month's results said "during 30 days we dropped a rough average of more than 100,000 pounds of bombs per day on urban industrial centers of Japan — including aircraft factory areas."

**Big Plant Knocked Out**

"The Hatsodoki plant, largest of its kind in Japan, is at this time out of business with at least 40 per cent of its buildings destroyed or gutted by fire," Hansell reported. "The Kokuki plant has also suffered extensive damage with resultant interruption of production."

Two plants of the Mitsubishi company nine miles apart in Nagoya were hit Dec. 13 and Dec. 18, respectively.

General Hansell added that in the first month, two B-29's were lost over their target while others were lost operationally at sea.

"These operational losses have in no sense been heavy," he continued. "They have been fewer than we expected. More than half of the crews have been rescued."

Hansell said "we haven't put all our bombs exactly where we wanted to put them, and therefore we are by no means satisfied with what we've done so far.

"We have much to learn, and many operational and other technical problems to solve. Some of our experiments, however, have been gratifying if not satisfying, and the B-29 airplane has proved itself a magnificent weapon of war."

# Robot Bombing Of U. S. Is Foreseen

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 (AP)—Within 10 or 20 years, robot bombing is "almost certain to befall this country and all other countries unless we are able to establish an efficient" peace organization, Secretary of State Stettinius said today.

Writing in the Kiwanis magazine, Stettinius said the Dumbarton Oaks proposals are important because they point the alternative "to unspeakable disaster."

"Let no one forget that the robot bomb and the rocket are still in their infancy, at a stage comparable to the stage of development which aviation reached at Kitty Hawk in 1903. These deadly missiles can be perfected to the point where they can travel thousands of miles at incredible speed.

"In that event our oceans, our industrial strength and our manpower would not be able to prevent surprise attack and vast damage by accurately aimed weapons traveling faster than sound."

The Dumbarton Oaks proposals, Stettinius wrote, revealed that the four participating powers "recognized that their economic strength and their military potential placed special responsibilities upon them for the maintenance and enforcement of peace."

**PRDUCTION UNCHANGED**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP) — The Federal Reserve board's index of industrial production for November was the same as of October—232 per cent of the 1925-1935 average. The index for November a year ago was 247.

**WAR REPORTER KILLED**

EL CENTRO, Calif., Dec. 27 (AP) Jack Frankish, 30, United Press war correspondent on the Western front, was killed Saturday, his widow, Mrs. Barbara Frankish was notified today. Frankish was a native of Ontario, Calif.


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Today On The Home Front

# Labor Union Discrimination Is Banned By High Court Decision

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27—The Supreme court has given decisions which lawyers here consider landmarks in labor history.

Their reason:

The court for the first time laid down the principle that a labor union must deal fairly with all the people it represents in bargaining with an employer.

Two decisions of the court said that a union, in bargaining for a group of employes, can not discriminate against any of them:

1. Because of race.
2. Because some of them opposed having that particular union represent them.

**Two Laws Cited**

This is the background:

There are two big laws—the wartime War Labor board doesn't have to be mentioned here—governing labor relations in this country:

1. The railway labor act. This covers the employes of railways and airlines. It provides for bargaining between a union—chosen by the employes—and a company.
2. The national labor relations act. This governs all other employes outside the railway and airline groups. This act is administered by the National Labor Relations board (NLRB).

So much for the background. This is where the Supreme court comes in:

The majority of railway firemen in the South are white men. Their union is the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen. Negro firemen are not permitted to join.

**Represents All Firemen**

But, having the majority approval, the brotherhood represents all the firemen, white and negro, in bargaining with the railroads.

Back in 1941, the negroes complain, the brotherhood entered into an agreement that would benefit white firemen but ultimately exclude negro firemen from employment altogether.

The negroes fought this all the way up to the Supreme court, complaining they had been discriminated against because of their race.

The court agreed with them and said the brotherhood must represent whites and negroes with equal fairness.

**Negroes Could Sue**

If this happened again, the high court said, the negroes could get an injunction in federal court and sue for damages.

The court made it pretty clear, however, that the brotherhood did not have to take negroes into membership, that it could choose its own members.

Here is the second case in the court's decisions:

An independent union and a CIO union both sought to represent the employes in a West Virginia plant. The independent won when the workers voted.

The NLRB approved the independent as the bargaining agent for all the workers. Then the indepedents signed a closed shop agreement with the employer.

(Only members of the representative union can work in a plant where it has obtained a closed shop agreement.)

**Some Workers Excluded**

Later, the NLRB says it discovered that the independent refused to let 43 employes who voted for the CIO union become members of the independent and worked out the closed shop agreement so those 43 would have to be fired.

So the NLRB stepped in and said the independent union could not be considered the exclusive bargaining agent of the workers in the plant. The company fought this up to the Supreme court.

The court upheld the NLRB and said:

When a union has been chosen as bargaining representative, it becomes the representative of all the employes, even those who voted against it, and must protect the interests of all.

The court said: "No employe can be deprived of his employment because of his prior affiliation with any particular union."

**CRASH TOLL RISES**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 27 (AP) The death toll increased to 11 today in the Christmas day crash of an Army transport on nearby Roundtop mountain. One man died today in the Harrisburg general hospital. Sixteen other soldiers were injured.

**PRODUCTION RECORD SET**

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—The steel industry in 1944 established a new production record with an estimated 89,400,000 tons of ingots and castings, Walter S. Tower, president of the American Iron and Steel institute, said in a year-end statement today.


*Grandma Switches Millions of Mothers To Her Idea of Mutton Suet and Medication*

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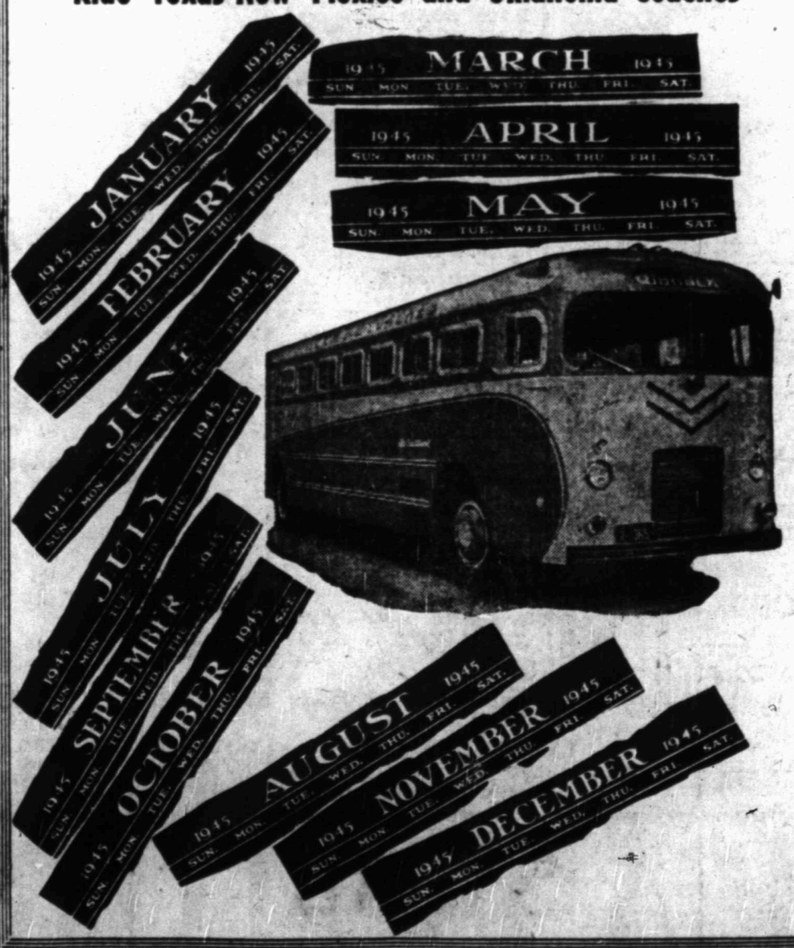
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# Legislature Due To Begin Work Early

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Writer

AUSTIN, Dec. 27 — The next Texas legislature, to convene Jan. 9, will get down to work earlier than some preceding sessions due to a lack of a speakership contest.

Rep. Claud Gilmer of Kerrville has been pledged almost unanimous support for the speakership and has no organized opposition. This makes it feasible for him to begin consideration of the committee appointments. Temporary offices have been opened to consult members about their committee preferences.

Here recently, Gilmer said he hopes to be able to announce committees within a short time after the House meets, organizes and elects officers.

**To Elect Several Officers**

Besides the speaker, these officers include the chief clerk, journal clerk, reading clerk, calendar clerk, enrolling clerk, chaplain, sergeant-at-arms and doorkeepers.

Most of the elections are by hat ballots and House organization generally consumes what remains of the first week after Tuesday's noon assembly.

The Senate organizes even more quickly than the House. Usually details are worked out at a Senate caucus the morning before the session opening at noon.

The lieutenant governor is presiding officer of the Senate, but a president pro tem is to be named.

**Four Mentioned For Place**

For this office four have been mentioned. They are Sens. R. C. Lanning of Jacksboro, George Moffett of Chillicothe, W. C. Graves of Dallas and W. E. Stone of Galveston.

If Lanning is not made president pro tem he likely will continue to head the important finance committee of the Senate.

Choice of committees lies with the lieutenant governor and many of the senators by invitation already have conferred with Lt. Gov. John Lee Smith on this.

The caucus selection of Senate offices who are non-members includes the Senate secretary, with duties in general like those of the chief clerk of the House. This office has been held for many, many years by Bob Barker, Fort Worth, who was chief clerk of the House before becoming Senate secretary.

**To Canvass Election Returns**

Soon after the organization of the House, the results of the last election of governor and lieutenant governor are canvassed. Inauguration is set for the Tuesday after the first meeting of the legislature.

Gov. Coke R. Stevenson has renewed his request for a wartime ceremony with no unnecessary expense and no frills.

This, too, will hasten the legislature's getting down to work, for after the usual inauguration and inaugural ball, legislators find it necessary to put off any morning session on the succeeding day.

Another factor that will hasten serious work by the legislature is the expected absence of the horde of place-seekers usually noted when a session begins.

During the ante-war period when there was great unemployment, the pressure became so great that most of the jobs about the legislature were split up, the salary being divided among two or more part-time workers. This time, there is a possibility that the legislature may have to seek for needed trained help.

## Tommy McGuire Is Running Tight Race With Richard Bong

AT A LEYTE AIRBASE, Philippines, Dec. 27 (AP) — In any other war theater, Tommy McGuire's record of 38 planes downed, including seven over Leyte and Luzon in the last 48 hours, would make him top dog.

Out here in the Southwest Pacific, Maj. Thomas B. McGuire's achievement has been overshadowed until now by America's ranking army air ace, Maj. Richard I. Bong, of Popular, Wis., who has 40.

While Major Bong was on furlough after bagging 27 Japanese planes, McGuire plugged away to reach the 20 mark. Flying together over the Philippines, the two aces matched victory for victory, but no matter how hot McGuire flew and fought, Bong always stayed ahead.

Another day like that McGuire had over Clark field, near Manila, Monday may lift him to the top.

The young man, who grew up at Ridgewood, N. J., and Sebring, Fla., lives to knock 'em down.

"For a time Mac used to be courageous to the point of being dumb," his commander said. "But now he's seasoned and knows his plane's limitations."

The short, dark-mustached ace, whose wife lives at San Antonio, Tex., has flown more than 720 combat hours, and more than 240 combat missions.

He holds nine Air Medals, five DFC's, the Silver Star and the Distinguished Service Cross.

## World War II Veterans Begin Organizing Throughout Nation

By JACK STINNETT
Associated Press Feature Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. — New organizations of the veterans of World War II were inevitable. Even with several national organizations already in the field, it was considered certain many of the lads of this war would want their national association.

Almost sure to be first to operate on a national basis will be the American Veterans of World War II, a temporary organization with temporary officers and national headquarters already operating.

**Ground Work Already Laid**

The factor which will probably cause American veterans of this war to grow is that it is finding nuclei of its chapters to be going concerns in the 48 states. These are the veterans clubs in the colleges and cities that have been organized by men in advanced training in 27 colleges and universities and by a portion of the more than 1,550,000 veterans who already have been given their discharges.

**Similar To Legion**

Organizational plans indicate that the scope of American Veterans of World War II will be very much the same as the American Legion, with state departments and local posts replacing the veterans' clubs and being set up where none now exist. Officers in the club are confident that shortly after the chapter is granted, they will be able to muster 50,000 members for the first convention.

An interesting clause already written into the by-laws is that the American Veterans "will not either as an organization or through any member, aid or sponsor any individual or party for political office."

More interesting still is that American Veterans have elected to include the women of the armed forces in the new organization.




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$2.00 VIDA-RAY HAND LOTION $100

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# Texas Crop Acreage Sets Record In '44

(By The United Press)

AUSTIN, Dec. 27 — Texas farmers, despite labor problems and crop planting difficulties, harvested in 1944 the largest acreage in recent years, the U. S. Agriculture department said in its annual crop survey today.

Wheat, sorghum and rice production set new records.

Total 1944 harvest was 29,179,000 acres for crops, two per cent more than the 1943 acreage and eight per cent more than the 1933-42 average.

**Hay Production Up**

Combined hay and roughage production (all tame hay, wild may and sorghums for forage and silage) was 6,609,000 tons, 12 per cent in excess of 1943 production.

Combined production of the four major feed grains (corn, oats, barley and grain sorghums) was up 17 per cent from a year ago, while oil crops (cottonseed, peanuts and flax) were below 1943 yield by three per cent, due mostly to the smaller cotton crop this year, the report noted.

**Wheat At All-Time High**

On individual crops the survey showed:

Wheat — 1944 production of 74,746,000 bushels is an all-time high, more than double 1943 production and more than 2½ times the 10-year average. Acreage harvested was estimated at 3,934,000, with yield per acre estimated at 19 bushels.

Sorghum — The 96,724,000 bushels produced broke all previous records in Texas, being almost three times larger than that for the 1933-42 average. Sorghum harvested for all purposes was 8,187,000 acres.

Rice — Production of 19,208,000 bushels established a record for the 392,000 acres harvested. Revised 1943 production was 16,684,000 bushels and 388,000 acres.

**Corn Acreage Down**

Corn — The 4,973,000 acres harvested was more than 500,000 acres less than 1943 acreage. Total production was estimated at 69,622,000 bushels, compared with 88,416,000 bushels in 1943.

Cotton — Production was estimated at 2,640,000 bales compared with 2,823,000 in 1943. Cottonseed production was six per cent below the yield of last year and 21 per cent below the 10-year average. Acres harvested were 7,200,000 compared with 7,780,000 last year. But 82 per cent of 1944 crop was ginned before Dec. 1.

Peanuts — Increased yield from 775,000 acres picked and threshed offset the reduction in acreage which was 906,000 in 1943. Production of 348,750 pounds was finally estimated, an increase of 17 per cent from last year.

**Potato Crop Short**

Irish potatoes—5,016,000 bushels produced is 21 per cent less than 1943's record crop.

Sweet potatoes — Yield of 5,025,000 bushels is 11 per cent less than last year.

Broomcorn — Production at 8,500 tons compares with 2,700 tons harvested in 1943 and was the largest increase of any of the six major producing states.

Pecans — The crop of 45,000,000 pounds is 73 per cent higher than last year and 84 per cent in excess of the 1933-42 average.

Citrus — Grapefruit crop is estimated at 20,150,000 boxes, compared with 17,710,000 boxes harvested last year. Oranges showed 3,850,000 boxes to 3,550,000 boxes a year ago. Deciduous fruits, except grapes, exhibited a material increase over last year.

## Youngster Found But He'd Lost His Toys

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 27 (AP) — Footsore, cold and wet, but still looking for his lost puppy, Jimmy Mellon, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Mellon, was found in suburban Terrell Hills about two miles from his home shortly before midnight last night.

A searching party composed of 300 police, neighborhood civilians and soldiers from Fort Sam Houston, Randolph and Dodd fields joined in the search after the child's mother missed him and notified the sheriff's office about 2 p. m. yesterday.

Having wandered several miles during the afternoon and night, the boy was found by soldiers from Randolph field sitting on a rock near the intersection of Garrity and Rotteman roads. He had lost his armful of toys he had when he started out. He was returned to his home after receiving first aid treatment, apparently not much the worse as a result of his experiences.

## Adm. Yarnell Retired For Third Time

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP) — Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, 69, has been placed on the retired list for the third time.

Yarnell, a native of Independence, Iowa, at one time was commander-in-chief of the U. S. Asiatic fleet.

He was retired first Nov. 1, 1939, and recalled to duty two years later to serve as special advisor to the Chinese military mission until his second retirement, Jan. 15, 1943.

He again was called back to duty in June, 1943, and since August of that year had headed a special section of naval operations.

**DRUGGIST DIES**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 27. (AP)—Hugh P. Beirne, 52, president of the National Association of Retail druggists in 1942, died last night of a heart attack.

**Would King Cole Be Merry With Stomach Ulcer Pains!**

The legendary Old King Cole might not have been a merry old soul if he had stomach ulcer pains. Sufferers who have to pay the penalty of stomach or ulcer pains, indigestion, gas pains, heartburn, burning sensation, bloat and other conditions caused by excess acid, should try Udga and they, too, may be merry. Get a 25c box of Udga Tablets from your druggist. First dose must convince or return box to us and get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK. At Mart Halsey and drug stores everywhere. Adv.

## News Briefs

**Two Lubbock men whose kin** already had been notified and kept informed directly by the War department of any change of status were officially reported to the press this morning as having been wounded in the European theater of operations. They were First Lt. Woodrow G. Howell, brother of Miss Mary L. Howell of 406 Ave X, and Pvt. John D. Figueroa, son of Mrs. Consuelo D. Figueroa of 112 Ave M.

**William M. Kirk, 39, of Spearman,** changed a plea of innocent to one of guilty of drunk driving, county court officials said this morning. He was fined $100 and court costs. A statutory provision for revocation of his driver's license six months caused that assessment to "overlap" with at least one other similar conviction. A Potter county court judgment revoked his license to March 29, 1945, and the defendant said in open court that he was under Hale county conviction too, Judge G. V. Pardue said. The current judgment will "add to former license expiration time," it was explained.

**A wrist watch, $5.75 in money** and three bottles of vitamin wine were taken Tuesday night in burglary of Carver Heights drugstore, at 1904 East Ave. B, H. F. Waite reported to police. Investigators found a barricaded door had been forced.

**Police did a bit of checking** then reassured Jack London, address not listed: "In regard to your 'stolen' car, a wrecker, mistaking it for another car, pulled it away. Case solved."

**This police report was not amplified:** "George M. Bankston said two men jumped on him at a dime and dance place and he broke his arm hitting at one of them." Officials listed Bankston as living at 2313 Texas Ave.

## Woman Exonerated In Two Deaths

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27 (AP) — Mrs. Louise Peete Judson, 63, paroled murderess now charged with murder in the death of Mrs. Margaret Logan, today was exonerated of suspicion in two other deaths which police were investigating.

Det. Lts. Harry Hansen and Roy Vaughn said they established that Mrs. Emily Latham, with whom Mrs. Judson lived for several months, and a neighbor, Mrs. Jessie M. Marcy, had died of natural causes.

Mrs. Judson was arrested Dec. 21 when the nude body of Mrs. Logan, 60-year-old real estate dealer who employed the parolee as housekeeper, was found in a backyard grave.

## Mail Theft Tied In With Black Market

PARIS, Dec. 27 (AP)—The U. S. army is investigating the theft of mail in connection with black market activities as the result of finding 28 pouches and 5 sacks of mail along with other government property in an abandoned Army truck located on the premises of a civilian home in suburban Nantes.

Also recovered were 4,950 cartons of cigarets, 150 gallons of gasoline, 2,000 empty cans—indicating at least 10,000 gallons of gasoline had been disposed of—and large quantities of Army truck tires, food and clothing.

## Crude Oil Production Increases In Week

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 27. (AP) — United States crude oil production increased 21,500 barerls daily in the week ended Dec. 23 to 4,721,550 barrels daily, the Oil and Gas Journal reported today.

California output was up 3,500 barrels to 888,750; Illinois, 7,800 to 204,200; Kansas, 12,100 to 279,200; Michigan, 50 to 52,750; Oklahoma, 1,200 to 359,400.

Texas production was unchanged at 2,111,550 barrels daily. Louisiana had a decline of 350 to 361,050; East Texas, 100 to 371,000, and the Rocky mountain area, 2,480 to 122,300.

## Nazis Report Use Of New Atomic Bomb

LONDON, Dec. 27. (AP)—A German radio station which has been trying to panic the Belgians ever since opening of the Nazi offensive said today Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt's forces were using an atomic bomb in the new attack.

"This is the type of bomb on which the Allies had claimed to have a monopoly," the announcer said. The "Germans used it at St. Vith. Wherever such a missile is dropped all animals and plants cease to exist. Huge areas of land are scorched, woods are consumed, and any human being caught in the hurricane is shattered to smithereens."

## Anti-Discrimination Legislation Planned

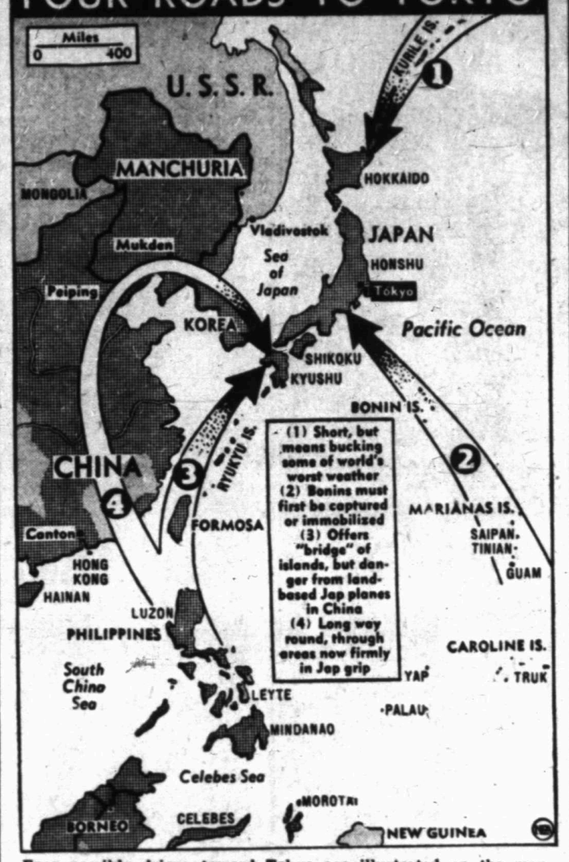
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP) — Legislation to forbid racial or religious job discrimination will be high on the calendar of the new Congress.

Senator Chavez (D-NM), principal sponsor of a bill which died on the Senate calendar last week, said today he would reintroduce the measure on the first day of the new session.

The silkworm and the honeybee are domesticated insects.

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## FOUR ROADS TO TOKYO




Four possible drives toward Tokyo are illustrated on the map above. Recent concentrated bombings of Bonin Islands may indicate a "pre-invasion" softening up or an effort to immobilize Jap planes based there, which have repeatedly attacked B-29 installations on Saipan.

## Servicemen's Vote In Election Estimated Around 2,800,000

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP) — Best estimates obtainable from election officials place the service vote in the recent presidential race at around 2,800,000.

This is far below the 3,392,000 estimated by state officers prior to the Nov. 7 election as likely to be cast. But it is a far greater percentage of the service strength than that recorded in the 1942 congressional elections.

**Total Vote 47,971,156**

The total military and civilian vote this year was 47,971,156, corrected to date.

The 1944 estimate of the service vote is around 35 per cent. That compares with the less than one-half of one per cent who voted in the off-year elections in 1942.

Pending a more complete estimate of the military vote, official returns and estimates from 24 states today placed it at 1,399,208.

**3 To 2 For Roosevelt**

Only five states broke down the vote by parties — Colorado, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Rhode Island. They gave Roosevelt 293,328 and Dewey 207,063, or roughly three to two in the President's favor.

Here's the way the 24 states recorded or estimated their uniformed balloters: (x) denotes estimate.

Alabama 5,000 (x); Colorado 28,348; Connecticut 39,419 (x); Florida 27,492; Illinois 200,000 (x); Iowa 47,362; Kansas 30,597; Kentucky 31,672 (x); Maryland 34,548; Minnesota 62,517; Missouri 79,277 (x); Montana 9,340; Nebraska 23,454; New Hampshire 12,212; New Jersey 160,329; New Mexico 7,032; North Carolina 49,541; Ohio 164,472; Oregon 33,377; Pennsylvania 255,226; Rhode Island 23,100; Tennessee 27,933; Virginia 38,475; Wyoming 7,885. (Wyoming's total is incomplete).

**ENERGETIC COLLECTORS**

MANCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 27 (UP) — News dealers have complained that enthusiastic waste-paper salvagers collect their bundles of daily papers before they have a chance to arrange them on their stands.

"Buy A War Bond TODAY"

## Freezing Rain, Snow Move Into Midwest

(By The United Press)

A freezing rain and snow that turned highways into sheets of ice moved into the Midwest today in the wake of the season's worst cold wave which invaded the East and Northeast.

The rain, which swept across the central states from northern Texas through Arkansas, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee, turned into snow in the north central states where a fall of two or three inches was anticipated. A fall of one inch was reported at Mason City, Ia.

The federal weather forecaster at Chicago said the storm would extend into northern Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and parts of Ohio today.

No zero weather was reported in the Midwest today but in the East, several weather stations reported subzero temperatures with Black Moshannon, Pa., reporting a low of 15 degrees below zero.

However, the weatherman said, the cold wave was decreasing in intensity as it moved eastward.

Subzero temperatures were reported in some parts of Illinois during the night but the mercury had climbed to 10 or 15 degrees above by this morning.

## Short Legislative Session Proposed

AUSTIN, Dec. 27 (UP) — A proposal was drafted today asking the Texas legislature to meet only long enough to pass appropriation bills and confirm appointments and then adjourn until the defeat of Germany.

The state executive board of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen adopted a resolution yesterday pointing out that the short session of lawmakers would conserve manpower and other war-needed materials.

Joe T. Steadham, legislative representative for the brotherhood, estimated that it would take no longer than two weeks to pass money bills and confirm appointments, whereas the regular session would last 180 days.

## Germans Warned On Mistreating Workers

LONDON, Dec. 27 (AP) — Gen. Eisenhower warned the Nazis today not to harm foreign workers in Germany, declaring "grave penalties will fall on those who are guilty of treating them badly."

The Luxembourg radio said the Allied commander's warning was carried in leaflets printed in many languages and dropped over Germany.

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# Truce Breaking Laid To ELAS

ATHENS, Dec. 27 (AP) — The British announced today that ELAS artillery had broken a conference truce by firing upon a British warship and the Anglo-Greek naval headquarters late yesterday and that, as a result, offensive air action would begin again.

The British informed the ELAS that the truce was regarded as null and void.

It had been agreed that no artillery action would be taken on one side or air action on the other for three quarters of an hour from 3 p. m., while ELAS delegates were being brought to last night's conference at which Prime Minister Churchill appealed for the warring factions to end their strife.

**Conference Tense**

The conference was so tense that all delegates surrendered their side arms at the door.

The British announced that the first shell fell at 3:10 p. m. near a British warship at Piraeus. The second landed a little later near the naval headquarters.

Nevertheless, the British said another 45-minute truce would be arranged today for the protection of ELAS delegates attending a second session of an all-party conference to discuss Greece's political troubles.

British guards returned the ELAS' delegates guns to them when they left last night's conference under a safe conduct.

**Free Election Pledged**

"Whether Greece is a monarchy or a republic is a matter for the Greeks and the Greeks alone to decide," the prime minister told the assemblage.

Britain's only interest in using her troops in the current civil war Churchill asserted, is to bring an end to disorder and make possible an election by secret ballot.

Churchill declared that British troops came to Greece "with the knowledge and approval" of President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin and in the belief that all Greeks, including the commander of the ELAS army, wanted them.

## Nazi Parachutists To Try To Kill Officers

LONDON, Dec. 27. (AP) — The American army newspaper "Stars and Stripes" declared today that a well organized "task force of German parachutists clad in American uniforms had been dropped behind the Allied lines on the Western front in an attempt to kill high ranking officers.

The parachutists were equipped with small vials of sulphuric acid, fitted inside match boxes and designed to be thrown in the face of any person stopping them for questioning, the paper said.

It asserted the parachutists were equal in number to about two battalions, and had been specially trained for sabotage work in connection with the present German offensive. The Germans were said to have taken the uniforms from captured American troops who later were shot.

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## Funeral Held Today For Mrs. Maedgen

Last rites were to be conducted at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Mrs. Chas. E. Maedgen, sr., who died Tuesday in a local hospital. Services were to be held at the First Methodist church with the pastor, Dr. H. I. Robinson, officiating assisted by Rev. John A. Winslow of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Burial was to be in Lubbock cemetery.

**Died Of Pneumonia**

Pallbearers were announced as District Judge J. E. Vickers, Dr. Clifford B. Jones, A. V. Weaver, R. E. Karper, L. E. Grimes and Dr. M. C. Overton.

Mrs. Maedgen died of pneumonia after an illness of only three days. She died at 12:55 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The family residence is at 1811 Broadway.

Lubbock National Bank will be closed all day today, officials announced.

Spokane, Wash., a town of less than 20,000 population in the early 90's, has a population of more than 142,000 today.

## Foul Play Feared In Woman's Death

HOUSTON, Dec. 27 (UP) — Police suspected foul play today in the death of an unidentified middle-aged woman whose body was found floating in Buffalo Bayou here shortly before daylight.

The woman, believed to have been dead five or six days, had suffered bruises on various parts of her body. Her clothing bore no marks indicating her identity.

**NAZI GENERAL DIES**

LONDON, Dec. 27. (AP) — Gen. Theodore Geib, commander of a German army group, has died of wounds received on the western front, the Berlin radio said today.

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# Jackets Have Never Won Title Outright

## Port Arthur Has 186-Pound Line

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Writer

Tom Dennis, the University of Texas football great who has been a high school coach for some 20 years, thinks he should already have an undisputed state championship.

Instead he can boast only a tie for the title in his 19 years as mentor of the Port Arthur Yellow Jackets who play Highland Park of Dallas at Austin next Saturday for the championship.

It was in 1937 that Dennis came up with what he calls his greatest team. It had everything. But it was wrecked by a district ruling that prevented the use of twelfth graders on the squad. "If I had kept all those boys we'd have won the championship," says Tom.

**Age Rule Settled Matter**

The twelve-grade matter went into the courts but never was settled there, the question being moot before the supreme court received it. The Texas Interscholastic league inaugurated an 18-year-age rule that took care of the situation.

And now, says Dennis, Port Arthur is just getting adjusted to the rule—and that's why his team is in the finals this year.

Dennis started coaching at Austin High but went to Port Arthur soon afterward. Since taking over as mentor of the Yellow Jackets Dennis can boast of eleven district championships and one tie. In 1939 his team finished in a deadlock with South Park (Beaumont) which was named as the district representative.

**One Of Heaviest Teams**

Dennis' team this season is one of the heaviest ever to play in Texas schoolboy football. It boasts a 186-pound line, which is bigger than the Texas Christian university foward wall that won the Southwest conference title.

Operating behind this big, capable line are four fast backs with most of the power running being done by Ike Neumann, 184-pounder. The other Jacket backs are light.

### WEATHER LIMITS PRACTICE BY JACKETS, SCOTTIES

(By The Associated Press)

Old Man Weather called the signals yesterday as two young grid armies were forced to limit their practice sessions mostly to indoor drills in preparation for the state title game at Austin, Saturday.

The Port Arthur Yellow Jackets supplanted field drills with gymnasium calisthenics because of adverse weather.

The same held true for the Highland Park Scotties, at the north end of the state, where a cold blowing rain eliminated any outdoor practice session.

Highland Park's squad, 44 strong will leave for Austin Friday morning.

## Tulsa Gridders Are Arriving In Florida

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 27. (AP)—Determined to make every minute count before their New Year's day tilt with Georgia Tech, 21 Tulsa football players who arrived in Miami yesterday will take over the University of Miami's practice field today for their first Orange Bowl game workout in Florida.

The second contingent of the 49-man Tulsa squad, shepherded by Head Coach Henry Frnka, is due to roll into Miami late today—possibly on the same train that will bring the Tech Engineers from Atlanta.

## Heavier Draft Due To Leave Colleges Teen Age Gridders

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP) — Teen-age players will carry the ball for most college teams next fall if the Army and Navy induct their 4-F's.

Such a development was seen as a distinct possibility today as the Office of War mobilization said that college as well as professional 4-F's will be called up for review in scraping the manpower barrel.

However, the New Year's day bowl games seem secure. There is little time left for any re-examinations. Further, it was said there is no present intention of slapping any new transportation restrictions on football.

**Pros Mentioned Originally**

War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes originally mentioned only the pros in stating that he and the public find it difficult to understand how men can be unfit physically for military service and yet be able to compete with the greatest athletes of the nation in games demanding physical fitness.

Asked whether instructions to Selective Service to re-examine 4-F's also applied to college athletes, Byrnes' office said that they cover everybody, that there can be no discrimination.

Since many 4-F's on college teams are the older players, their induction would leave principally the youngsters—16 to 18—for next autumn's play.

## St. Louis Baseball Men Are Honored

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27 (U.P.) — The St. Louis domination of the major league baseball scene this year was extended today to include the three top awards by the Sporting News, which named Luke Sewell of the Browns as the manager of the year, Marty Marion of the Cardinals as the top played and William O. Dewitt, general manager of the Browns, as the top executive.

Marion, the roving shortstop, was cited by the baseball weekly as the greatest player at that position since the days of Honus Wagner of the Pittsburgh Pirates. Marion already had been named as the most valuable player in the National league in the annual vote of the baseball writers' association.

The publication gave Sewell and Dewitt chief credit for developing the perennially mediocre Browns into baseball's "surprise team" which won the American league pennant for the first time after being rated to finish no higher than fifth.

The weekly gave runner-up awards to Jack Zeller, general manager of the Detroit Tigers; Billy Southworth, Cardinal manager, who won the award in 1941 and 1942; Hal Newhouser, Detroit Tiger lefthander, who previously was named the most valuable player in the American league; and Joe Cambria, scout for the Washington Senators.

## East-West Teams To Use T-Formation

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27. (AP) —For the first time in the 20-year-history of the East-West classic, the 1945 New Year's day game in Kezar stadium will be a demonstration of T-formation football.

Both teams were polishing up on the tricky offensive today, and Homer Norton, co-coach, said the western stars were "absorbing it."

### TAYLOR MAN KILLED

WACO, Dec. 27 (AP)—Edwin Talley of Taylor, was killed and his wife Mrs. Thelma Talley, was critically injured in an automibile accident one mile south of West, late Tuesday.




# Southern Cal, Duke, Oklahoma Aggies, Georgia Tech Due To Win Bowl Games, Grange Says

By RED GRANGE
Written For NEA Service

PASADENA, Dec. 27—Southern California is a 1-to-4 or 20-point favorite over Tennessee in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day.

Duke is given a two-touchdown margin over Alabama in the New Orleans Sugar Bowl.

Georgia Tech is judged a touchdown stronger than Tulsa in their rematch in the Miami Orange Bowl.

Oklahoma A. and M. is considered 20 points better than Texas Christian in the Dallas Cotton Bowl.

As much as I would like to be different, I fear the books have the correct slant.

They usually do, as a lot of people were convinced when they refused to string along with them and myself, after I warned what would happen to Navy in the Army game. I can't help but remind you that I called the big one right on the dot.

As for the most worth while of all New Year's attractions — the East-West Shrine Hospital game at Kezar Stadium, San Francisco —I like the East. For the very good reason that in this third war year little Andy Kerr, George Hauser and Bernie Bierman have the pick of more and superior athletes, led by the versatile and resourceful Les Horvath of Ohio State.

It has been said and written that Tennessee is being led to slaughter, and that's the case from where I sit, as Southern California bids for its eighth straight victory in the Tournament of Roses without its star of a year ago, George Callanan, out with a bad knee. Tailback Callanan loss hurts, but by no means wrecks. Bob Morris is a speedy and capable replacement.

The Trojans have in Capt. Jim Hardy one of the more skillful passers and T quarterbacks and every advantage, including Navy and Marine trainees and tradition, easily could prevail by as many as five touchdowns.

Duke tackled the best, acquitted itself creditably. The Blue Devils certainly were the finest losing club in the country, finished like Whirlaway in the stretch. Eddie Cameron has stickout backs in Tom Davis and Gordon Carver and is strong in the middle. As in the case of Army against the Dukes, Alabama will have to pass and run outside to get anywhere in particular.

**Tech's Record Perfect**

Georgia Tech has a perfect record in four Bowl ventures. Tulsa dropped two of three. The Engineers have met the sterner competition.

They won in the Sugar Bowl, 20-18, a year ago, and I look for them to repeat in another thriller.

Texas Christian prevailed in what this year was a rather weak Southwest conference by playing them close to the vest, but that will be difficult to do against the brilliant Bob Fenimore and his Oklahoma A. and M. company. Everything, including comparative scores, points to considerable daylight between these teams.

Don't celebrate too much the night before, enjoy the game even if it's only over the air, and have a Happy New Year.

Like Tennessee, Alabama started from scratch following a year's layoff.

Durham has the Navy and Marine margin, figures to prevail by three touchdowns.

**Hurricanes Can't Take It**

Tulsa pours it on, but can't take it.

While the Golden Hurricanes have no Glenn Dobbs or Clyde Leforce in their backfield this trip, not once have they failed to score enough to win two or three games.

On the two occasions when they bumped into class, however, Oklahoma A. and M. and Iowa Pre-Flight rolled up 46 and 47 points, respectively, on successive weekends.

## Professional Sports May End Unless War Picture Brightens

BY JACK CUDDY
United Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (U.P.)—Club owners in professional sports are concerned with the possible results of re-examinations of 4-F and discharged athletes; but in our opinion that should be a minor worry, for a much more serious eventuality may confront organized sports unless the European war picture brightens soon.

For the past year or so, professional baseball, for example, has been regarded as "not non-essential" to the war effort. It was neither fish nor fowl. Despite President Roosevelt's "green light" of 1942, baseball and other organized sports were permitted to carry on, in the face of increasing manpower demands for service and production, merely because of their apparent contributions to morale at home and overseas.

If Byrnes was "seriously concerned" with the professional sports setup before the German drive began, we wonder what his attitude will be if the western front becomes more "fluid." We wonder if he will permit major and minor league baseball players to continue performing on the diamond, regardless of their draft status. Will be permit them to continue using transportation facilities? Or will he "request" that the ball parks be closed temporarily, and that the players shift their efforts to "more essential operation?"

We hope that Byrnes does not crack down on professional athletics, as he did on racing; but we are beginning to fear that he may.

Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, he opened with:

"I am seriously concerned that at this critical period when we are exerting every effort to direct manpower into critical war industries, we find such a large number of men between the ages of 18 and 26 engaged in professional athletics of all types." After this preamble, he made his suggestion that 4-F and discharged athletes be re-examined.

It should be remembered that Byrnes' letter to Hershey was written two weeks before Saturday's "request" that the nation's race tracks discontinue operations after Jan. 3. It was written before yesterday's reported amplification that the re-examinations would also include 4-F and discharged college athletes. It was writtten a week before the big German counter-attack started.

## Rose Bowl Fans Due For Aerial Show

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 27. (AP) —There'll be more in the air than perfume of roses Jan. 1, when Southern California and Tennessee meet in the Rose Bowl.

Take it from the respective coaches, Jeff Cravath of the USC Trojans and John Barnhill of the Vols, there'll be plenty of pigskin flying, with both teams resorting to frequent forward passes. Both coaches concentrated on pass defense in their workouts yesterday.

### GLOVES TOURNEY SET

HOUSTON, Dec. 27 (U.P.) — The eighth annual Houston Post Golden Gloves boxing carnival, scheduled for Jan. 23 through Jan. 25, opened its entry list today to all Southeast Texas amateurs from flyweight to heavyweight.

### WAAF WINS TENTH GAME

WACO, Tex., Dec. 27 (AP) — The undefeated Waco Army Air field Wolves defeated the Blackland Army Air force quintet, 55-47, last night to chalk up their tenth straight victory of the season.

Card games were introduced into Europe in the 14th century by fortune-telling Gypsies wandering from India.

## Duke-Alabama To Use 'Home State' Boys

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Duke Blue Devils and the Alabama Crimson Tide have squads dominated by out-of-state boys, but they plan to start the eleventh annual Sugar Bowl football game here on New Year's day with lineups loaded with "home grown" talent.

Duke, with only 12 North Carolina boys in a squad of 41 players, lists only two out-of-staters, end Clark Jones of Richmond, Va., and blocking back John Krisza of McKees Rock, Pa., on their starting team.

Alabama's squad of 15 Alabama-grown boys and 18 out-of-staters starts only four "foreigners." Wingback Lowell Tew comes from Nearby Waynesboro, Miss.; John Wozniak, tackle, lives in Fairhope, Pa.; end Jack McConville comes from Wheeling, W. Va., and Fullback Fred Grant is a Christenberry, Va., boy.

### CRIMSONS GO TO BOWL

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., Dec. 27 (AP)—Alabama's Crimsons leave today by bus for Baton Rouge, La., where they will take over the LSU practice field until the eve of their Jan. 1 appearance in the Sugar Bowl against Duke in New Orleans.

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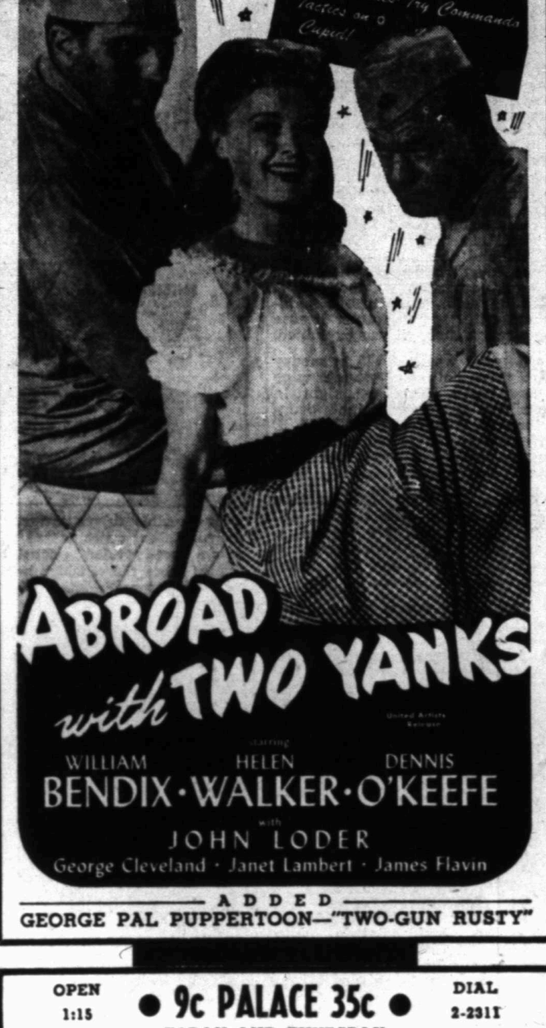
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JANET BLAIR

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BRIDE BY MISTAKE
NEW YEAR'S EVE

# Germans' Drive Being Slowed

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the initial force with which it lashed out Dec. 16.

"Buttered thinly over a wide area, von Rundstedt's panzers and Volks grenadiers are facing critical gas and food shortages as well as the problem of solidifying and also of contricting the American battleline," he said.

**Attack Driven Back**

The Supreme headquarters communique said simply that "a few enemy tanks and troop-carriers pushed forward in the direction of Celles," four miles from Dinant on the Meuse, but that "these were engaged by our forces and were driven back, some tanks being knocked out."

An 11-mile Sunday plunge had carried two forward columns of the Nazi offensive—powered by two and perhaps three armies—to Celles and to Ciney, six miles northeastward and nine from the Meuse.

**Garrison Holding Out**

The surrounded Bastogne garrison of several thousand doughboys still held out in an epic stand. Gen. Eisenhower's relieving counterassault from the south at last reports still was 4½ miles from the city, but the front of his attack had been widened.

Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt was pushing hard to the northwest — toward the Antwerp supply route—from his reinforced line along the Hotton-Marche road, but "our positions have been maintained," said the Allied communique covering actions two days old.

**German Armor Slowed**

It still was a grinding battle of huge cost in which von Rundstedt's next moves yet were to shape up. The terrific American defense had slowed but not yet stopped the German armor.

Along the northern rim of their bulge, Germans captured Manhay, 10 miles southwest of Stavelot.

Von Rundstedt kept bloody Bastogne near the middle of the bulge under incessant day and night attack, hurling in tanks which the defenders knocked out as fast as they came up.

**Force From South Advances**

The closest point reached by the relieving force from the south was just north of Chaumont, five miles below Bastogne. Seven miles southwest of Bastogne, Americans pressed near Cobreville. They cleared Hollange and Timtange, six and eight miles below Bastogne, entered Lultzhausen 10 miles to the southeast and fought German infantry and tanks in Eschdorf, 12 miles southeast of Bastogne.

This northward thrust was rolling over high hills carpeted with woods.

Farther southeast of Bastogne, Americans battled strong Nazi units in Kehmen and Ringel, five and seven miles from Diekrch. High ground was won below Diekirch, and a German attack was repulsed near Haller, midway between Kiedirch and Echsternach 12 miles farther southeast Waldbillig six miles from Echternach fell. Gains were scored below Echternach.

**Air Force Participates**

For the fifth straight day the Allied aerial whiplash fell across the German offensive path. Heavy bombers from Britain and the armor-busting tactical air forces, British and American, based on the continent, participated.

German patrols were active on the Holland front again yesterday.

Below Duren, Americans cleared the town of Winden.

Doughboys cleaned up an enemy pocket near La Gleize in the Stavelot area, taking 150 prisoners, and seizing 38 tanks, 70 half-track vehicles, eight armored cars and six self-propelled guns, the communique said.

On the Seventh army front, slight gains were made in forested areas west of Wissembourl, and in the high Southern Vosges an enemy raid on Thann was repulsed.

In a front dispatch last night Associated Press Correspondent Wes Gallagher said there were growing indications that the German high command had decided to risk the heart of the German army in this Western front effort. He added:

"The next few days should tell the story, with strong prospects for the greatest battle of the second World war in the offing."

# Airmen Lash Nazis

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formations of heavy bombers heading north over Austria, indicating that Flying Fortresses and Liberators of the U. S. 15th Air force were striking from Italy at Nazi war industries far behind the battle lines.

The Flying Fortresses and Liberators of the U. S. Eighth Air force attacked rail yards at Coblenz and rail bridges north of the city.

**RAF Bombs Nazis**

RAF heavy bombers bombed German troops and tank concentrations north of St. Vith.

Much of the front line assault yesterday was borne by the U. S. Ninth Air force and the British Second Tactical Air force, both based on the continent.

American fighters and bombers flew 1,400 sorties and the RAF 700. They destroyed more than 1,000 German motor vehicles, including 146 armored cars and tanks, and 71 Nazi planes. Allied losses were set at 30 fighters and one bomber.

**Nazi Refineries Hit**

Approximately 500 heavy bombers of the 15th Air force attacked three German synthetic oil refineries yesterday.

Since Saturday, when clearing weather permitted Allied fighters and bombers to lend their powerful aid to ground troops, 475 Nazi planes have been destroyed.

In yesterday's raids by Allied planes based in Italy 20 German planes were destroyed and 11 were badly damaged. Allied losses were 21 planes.

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# Daily Markets

## Stock Market

**LEADERS TURN RESISTANT**

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP) — Rail and industrial leaders extended their decline in the stock market today, then turned resistant as selling pressure slackened.

Losses ranged to well over a point toward the finish. In many cases, however, the dips were barely half those registered earlier during the first flood of offerings. Turnover, severed by that fast downturn in which the tape fell behind, was around 1,500,000 shares. The market was broad, about 1,000 issues showing.

Along with selling attributed to cloudiness of war news from Europe came some year-end liquidation for tax purposes, there being but 12 market hours left in 1945.

Steels, motors, metals and aircrafts were lower most of the day. Santa Fe, New York Central, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, Great Northern and Atlantic Coast Line stumbled badly before recovering somewhat. Texas Co., Westinghouse, General Electric, Dupont and Goodrear slipped.

Pierce Governor came to life in the curb and at one time was up 3 points. Off here were Cities Service, American Gas & Electric and Automotive Products.

## Cotton Market

**NEW YORK REPORT**

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP) — Cotton futures inched forward into new high ground for the day as light mill buying continued to meet only scale up hedge offerings.

Futures closed 10 to 25 cents a bale higher.

| | High | Low | Last |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 21.93 | 21.92 | 21.94 |
| May | 21.89 | 21.87 | 21.88 |
| July | 21.52 | 21.49 | 21.51 |
| Oct. | 20.61 | 20.59 | 20.61 |
| Dec. | 20.54 | 20.52 | 20.42B |

Middling spot 22.33N, up 5.
N—Nominal; B—Bid.

**NEW ORLEANS REPORT**

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27 (AP) — Trade buying offset hedge-selling and long liquidation in cotton futures here today and the market closed steady, unchanged to 15 cents a bale higher.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| March | 21.99 | 21.94 | 21.98 |
| May | 21.92 | 21.89 | 21.92 |
| July | 21.53 | 21.52 | 21.54B |
| Oct. | 20.44 | 20.42 | 20.44 |

B—Bid.

## Livestock Market

**KANSAS CITY REPORT**

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27 (AP)—(WFA)—Cattle 7,100 calves 800; slaughter steers and yearlings slow, early sales about steady but undertone weak; cows strong to 25 higher; vealers and calves fully steady; 2 loads good steers 15.00; numerous loads medium and good grades 12.75-14.50; package choice mixed yearlings 15.00; common and medium heifers 8.25-10.50; load good cows 11.60; most common and medium 8.00-10.75; good and choice vealers 12.00-14.00; choice heavy slaughter calves to 13.50; medium and good 10.25-12.50.

Hogs 2,500; active, fully steady at mostly ceiling levels; good and choice 180 lb. up 14.50; sows mostly 13.75.

Sheep 6,000; slow, opening sales killing classes steady; good and choice truck in native lambs 13.25; best fed lots held above 14.25; good and choice yearlings 11.75; common lots to 9.00; early top ewes 6.65.

**FORT WORTH REPORT**

FORT WORTH, Dec. 27 (AP) — Cattle 800, calves 500, active, strong; medium to good slaughter steers and yearlings 11.00-14.25; cutter and common steers and yearlings 7.00-11.00; good beef cows 10.00-12.00; good and choice fat calves 12.00-13.50; common to medium calves 8.00-12.00.

Hogs 600; good and choice 180-270 lb. butcher hogs 14.55, the top; packing sows 13.50-75; pigs 12.50 down.

Sheep 1,300; steady; medium to good lambs 12.00-13.75 with top paid for load averaging 92 lbs.; good wooled yearlings averaging 97 lbs. 11.75; common and medium grade ewes 5.50.

## Grain Market

**CHICAGO REPORT**

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 (AP) — Futures offerings in the grain markets increased on all the hard spots today and price fluctuated erratically in a narrow range. Selling was attributed to profit cashing and to weakness of the stock market.

At the finish wheat was ⅛ lower to ¼ higher than yesterday's close. May $1.64¼. Corn was ⅛ higher to ⅜ lower, May $1.10⅝. Oats were up ¼ to off ⅛, May 66¼-⅜. Rye was unchanged to ⅜ lower, May $1.12⅛-¼. Barley was off ⅛ to up ⅜, May $1.09.

**FORT WORTH REPORT**

FORT WORTH, Dec. 27 (AP) — Wheat No. 1 hard 1.70-78.

Barley No. 2 nom 1.16-18.

Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs. 1.75-78.

Corn, No. 2 white 1.45½-46½.

Oats No. 3 white 84-85.

## Produce Market

**CHICAGO BUTTER, EGGS**

CHICAGO, Dec. 27 (AP) — Butter receipts 234,454 lbs.; firm and unchanged; 93 score 41¼; 92 score 40½; 90 score 39½; 89 score 40½; 88 score (cooking grade) 39.

Eggs 11,573 cases; firm and unchanged; extras 44.95-47.3; standards and current receipts both 40-42.5; dirties 31-35; checks 31-34½.

**KANSAS CITY REPORT**

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27 (AP) — Produce unchanged.

# Markets At A Glance

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—
STOCKS—Lower; rails, industrials stem declines.
BONDS—Easy; rails in supply.
COTTON — Steady; mill buying.
CHICAGO:
WHEAT — Mixed. Profit taking, short covering.
CORN—Mixed. Light trade.
RYE—Easy. Profit taking.
HOGS — Fairly active and fully steady. Top $14.75.
CATTLE — Steady to 25 cents lower. Top $17.40.

# Budapest Battle

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taneously with yesterday's full encirclement of the Hungarian capital had brought the German command in the east to a moment of supreme crisis.

Tolbukhin's Third Ukraine army and Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's Second Ukraine army, it was pointed out, are tactically linked up northwest of Budapest for a joint drive up both sides of the Danube to Bratislava, Slovakian capital, and Vienna.

**Reds Take 13 Towns**

Swarming forward along Hron (Garam), a northern tributary of the Danube, Malinovsky's troops captured at least 13 towns in southern Czechoslovakia and advanced within 63 miles of Bratislava and within 96 of Vienna.

Tolbukhin's gains west of Budapest tightened the Russian battle zone in the Danubian basin into the equivalent of a single front stretching some 250 miles from the approaches to the eastern Slovakian fortress town of Kassa to the southewestern Hungarian gap below Lake Balaton.

# Over-Optimism

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two great blunders:

1. It believed that the German armies in France had been almost completely destroyed.

2. It believed that it knew the strength and had guessed the intended use of German reserves backing the west wall and it considered them to be defense forces.

As a matter of fact the German force, reportedly numbering toward 20 divisions, represented a reorganization of the defeated remnants of the armies beaten in France; the use of many second-rate troops in the west wall completely camouflaged this reorganization.




ABC's FOR G. I.'s—American servicemen can polish up their grammar when they get time off from fighting with the help of cartoons like these. This visual method of teaching is incorporated into the U. S. Armed Forces Institute's "The Mechanics of English," designated to help men in the services teach themselves.

# Crowd Damages Ward Store In Michigan

DETROIT, Dec. 27. (U.P.) — A crowd estimated at 75 persons surged through the Montgomery-Ward and company's store at suburban Dearborn today, leaving smashed glass, toppled counters and trampled merchandise in its wake.

Roland Easterbrook, store manager, asserted that the crowd was composed of "union goons."

The Dearborn store is one of three Montgomery Ward establishments in the Detroit area where workers have been on strike for three weeks.

There were no injuries reported, and Easterbrook said the crowd was in the store but 15 minutes and left of its own accord.

Dearborn police reported that order was restored quickly.

Easterbrook said he was unable to determine amount of damage immediately.

# Low Flying Brings Dismissals For Two

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 27. (AP)—The dismissal of 2nd Lt. Daylon E. Chafin of Tucumcari, N. Mex., and 1st Lt. Ernest E. Boruski, jr., of Des Moines, Iowa, from the Army Air Forces for low flying was announced today by headquarters of the Second Air force. Each was tried by a general court-martial.

Cpl. Edward L. Peterson, a passenger, was killed, the announcement said, when the plane of Lt. Boruski struck power lines over Lake Brownwood, 80 miles from Abilene, Tex., last September and landed in the lake. Besides being dismissed, Boruski was ordered confined at hard labor for six months.

Lt. Chafin was accused of flying low over his hometown last October.

# New York Butchers Reopen Shops Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP) — Many butcher shops, closed yesterday in a protest against OPA regulations, reopened today with the receipt of partial supplies, a police survey showed.

A police count of 24 retail meat shops in the lower East Side showed only 96 closed today, third day of a butcher-sponsored meat holiday, as compared with 136 yesterday.

Most of the stores open were reported to have received some supplies. Results of the police survey were substantiated by the department of markets which made an independent tabulation.

Butchers began the shut down Christmas day in protest against lack of ceiling prices on livestock.

# U. S. Running Out Of Materials—Godo

(By The Associated Press)

A former Japanese minister of commerce declared today the United States is running out of war materials and is 'anxious to avoid a protracted" struggle and called on Japan and Germany to "deal blows that will bring an end to their common enemies, America and Britain."

The former cabinet member, Vice Admiral Takua Godo, gave his views in an article published by the newspaper Tokyo Shimbun and quoted by Domei in a broadcast intercepted by the Federal Communication commission.

# Estes Plans Return To Texas After War

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27 (AP)—Lt. Comdr. Carl L. Estes, Texas newspaper publisher and oil man, expects to return "to Texas to be a real Democrat" after the war.

Estes, democratic friend of former GOP Governor Arthur H. James, made the statement before leaving Willow Grove Naval air station for sea duty.

Addition of two per cent beryllium to copper hardens the metal and increases its tensile strength.

# Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brown of Ropesville on birth of a daughter weighing 8 pounds 13 ounces at 5:10 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in St. Mary's hospital. Brown is a farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Medlin of Abernathy on birth of a son weighing 7 pounds at 6:15 o'clock Tuesday night in St. Mary's hospital. Medlin is a farmer.

1st Lt. and Mrs. A. T. Wilson of Tahoka on birth of a son weighing 5 pounds 5 ounces at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in West Texas hospital. Lt. Wilson is in foreign service.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Walker of Sundown on the birth of a daughter, weighing 6 pounds 14 ounces, at 9:35 p.m. Tuesday in West Texas hospital. The father is an oil field worker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Pinkston, 3212 Twenty-first, on the birth of a son, weighing 8 pounds, at 4:45 a.m. today in St. Mary's hospital. The father is employed at Auto Parts company.

Cpl. and Mrs. Edward J. Walther, 908 Ave K, on the birth of a daughter, weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces, at 5:13 a.m. today in Lubbock Army Air field station hospital. The father is stationed at LAAF.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Moore of route 1, Abernathy, on the birth of twn daughters at 10 a. m. today, weighing 7 pounds 14 ounces, and at 10:06 a. m., weighing 6 pounds 15 ounces, in West Texas hospital. The father is a truck driver.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooper, 1704 Ave. O, on the birth of a son, weighing 8 pounds 1½ ounces, at 11:48 a. m. today in St. Mary's hospital. The father is a welder.

# Lloyd George Plans To Retire From Post

LONDON, Dec. 27 (AP)—David Lloyd George, who led Britain to victory in the last war, announced today he would retire from parliament when his term expires, on advice of his physician.

The 81-year-old statesman is known as the "father" of the House of Commons, where he has sat for 54 years.

**OIL MAN DIES**

LAREDO, Dec. 27. (AP)—John Augustus Buttron, 62, superintendent of construction for the Gulf Oil Co. in Venezuela died suddenly Christmas day in Barcelona, Venezuela, his mother, Mrs. J. Buttron of Laredo, was informed by telegram.

**TO CUT TRUCK PRODUCTION**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—ODT said today commercial truck production scheduled for 1945 is only 24.1 per cent of estimated requirements. The truck program, recently announced by the War Production board, calls for 186,792 vehicles next year.

# B-29's Raid Tokyo

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based B-29's carried out today's attack. These earlier strikes knocked out one of Japan's largest aircraft plants at Nagoya, extensively damaged another nearby and hurt the big Musahima airplane engine factory in Tokyo.

Between 16 and 25 Japanese planes raided the B-29 Siapan base Christmas night—four were brougth down—and Tokyo said they returned again last night.

American Liberators making their fourth successive raid on Luzon island air bases near Manila poured 44 tons of explosives on Clark field Christmas day while Lightning fighters shot down at least 39, possibl 43, of 50 Japanese interceptors.

**Japs Consolidating**

A Chinese spokesman said the Japanese were consolidating along their war-acquired supply route running to the tip of Asia "to put up very stubborn fighting in China, he said, expected to supply "by the far the largest land forces" to drive the enemy out.

An unconfirmed Japanese Domei news dispatch asserted Nipponese planes attacked an American convoy off the west coast of Mindoro island in the Philippines last night, sinking or damaging four loaded transports.

**GOOD BOMBING REPORTED IN RAID ON TOKYO**

By VERN HAUGLAND
Associated Press Staff Writer

21ST BOMBER COMMAND, Saipan, Dec. 27.—Tokyo, bombed in force four times previously by Superfortresses and many times hit by harrassing planes alone or in small groups, was pounded again this afternoon (Wednesday, Japan time) by a sizeable force of B-29s.

The first of the raiders struck during the noon rush—a couple of hours earlier than the Japanese capital has come to expect bombings—and reported good visibility for their targets in the great industrial area.

The early elements reported "zero clouds" and good bombing.

**Nagoya Raided Twice**

This was the first Superfortress visit to Tokyo since December 3. Since then, however, they have twice raided Nagoya, great Japanese aircraft center, and have twice bombed Iwo Jima, the small island half way between here and Tokyo from which Japanese planes have been attacking Saipan.

Today's raid came just one month after the second B-29 bombing of Tokyo, November 27.

(A Tokyo broadcast, heard in San Francisco by NBC, said pedestrians in downtown Tokyo witnessed one of the B-29's plunge in smoke and flames into Tokyo bay in today's raid. There was no other mention of American losses nor of damage done by the raiders.)

# Chaplin-Berry Case

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he said no to such questions by his attorney as—

"Did you in November, 1942, or at any time after that have an act of sexual intercourse with Miss Berry?"

"Did you tell her" (when Miss Berry disclosed her pregnancy) "that 'for all I know I might have a lot of other children running around?'"

"Did you tell her, 'you know my views on marriage; I don't believe in it.'"

Chaplin's lawyer, Charles E. Millikan, announced to the court that he planned to call two physicians today and a third foray to tell of blood tests they made last February of the comedian's, Miss Berry's and the baby's blood. The tests indicated, the physicians reported, that Chaplin was not the father.

# Snow Jeep Opens New World For Sourdoughs In Alaska

HEADQUARTERS, ALASKAN DEPARTMENT, Dec. 27 (AP) — Alaskan sourdoughs and Indians used to tell you seriously that the only vehicle that could possibly traverse the frozen swamps and spruce jungles of the northern wilderness would have to be a Buck Rogers affair complete with wings, pontoons and caterpillar treads. Any more conventional conveyance, they said, wouldn't have a prayer. It would bog down in the first half mile.

But that was before they saw their first snow jeep.

**Looks Like Racing Car**

The snow jeep looks like a racing car crossed on a tractor, with perhaps a strain of P-39 somewhere back in its mechanical ancestry. It was designed to travel over bogs and snowfields at high speed, and it was first tested during the landing on Kiska island, where it was so secret you weren't even supposed to wear an interested expression when you looked at it. It has the same weight per square inch on its treads as the average human foot has, and consequently can negotiate terrain in which any other vehicle would bog to its hum cops. If there had been any Japanese on Kiska when we landed there, they would have been dismayed to see fleets of these snorting mechanical curiosities racing over bogs they had considered to be impassable.

Later, during the snow manoeuvers held during the winter at Talkeetna Village, in the foothills slopes of the Alaska Range, the snow jeep was first unveiled to the civilian public, which stood around bug-eyed watching it dash over 15-foot drifts so soft they would have bogged a snowshoe rabbit.

**Could Tour Wide Area**

"Gotta have me one of these after the war," asserted a grizzled prospector, who at first obviously didn't believe what he was seeing. "Why dammit, with a gadget like that I could prospect every river and creek in this part of the north. I could load some grub and a stove and tent in it and go anywhere. It is the doggondest thing since the airplane."

The snow jeep took part in establishing the Normandy beachhead, where it was nicknamed the weasel, and Army men who saw it in action state it was as effective there as at Kiska and during the Talkeetna maneuvers. But their enthusiasm for the queer-looking vehicle doesn't exceed that of the sourdoughs, who state it will revolutionize winter travel in the north and retire a lot of husky sled dogs.

# Trapped Yanks

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Americans.

Crouch, who flew the first paratrooper spearheads on every Allied landing in the war against Hitler, said German planes did not molest his craft but that he encountered heavy ground fire from a German tank concentration.

**Saw Burning Tank**

"I noticed three or four tanks burning in the area and saw one huge tank—probably German—about 400 yards from the point where our paratroops were dropped," he said.

"The entire area was covered with shell holes that spotted the frost-covered ground in the area. There was an enemy armored column resting alongside the road which would have been duck soup for our fighter-bombers. I radioed the information back in hopes that the fighters would come out."

The C-47, unarmed and unarmored, returned safely to base without fighter escort either way.

**FIRE DESTROYS PLANT**

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27. (AP)—A four-alarm fire early today destroyed 3,200,000 pounds of wool and the Kensington plant of Hyman Brodsky & Son Co., almost trapping seven employes and threatening for a time an adjoining oil plant containing 186,000 gallons of oil.

**FRENCHMEN EXECUTED**

PARIS, Dec. 27, (AP)—A military firing squad today executed Henri Chamberlain, alias La Fonte, Pierre Bony and six other members of Vichy's French gestapo who were convicted of collusion with the Germans against French patriots during the occupation of France.

**WAR I ACE DIES**

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Leonard M. Reno, 47, World War I ace who bagged 11 German planes, died suddenly at Provo, Utah, on Christmas eve, his brother, H. D. Reno, publisher of Furniture Age, disclosed today.

**TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The united fruit company, steamship operators with headquarters in Boston, has asked the Civil Aeronautics board for permission to withdraw its application for air routes between New Orleans and Caribbean points.

**PRISONERS RECAPTURED**

DALLAS, Dec 27. (AP)—Three German prisoners of war who escaped from the Camp Hearne prisoner of war camp were recaptured yesterday at Caldwell, Tex., the Dallas Federal Bureau of Investigation office announced today.

**MEXICAN BANKER DIES**

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27. (AP)—Alberto Mascarenas, 67, long one of Mexico's foremost bankers, died yesterday. Mascarenas was one of the founders of the Bank of Mexico and for many years was its geenral manager.

**AL JOLSON IMPROVING**

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Dec 27. (AP) — Al Jolson, blackface singer, continued to improve today from a recurrence of malaria he contracted on an overseas entertainment tour, his physician said.

**DISTRICT OFFICER NAMED**

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Captain Norman H. Leslie, who has been in New Orleans since December, 1942, today became district Coast Guard officer for the Eighth naval district.

**MCDONALD INDUCTED**

AUSTIN, Dec. 27 (AP) — Harold B. McDonald, zone deputy collector for the Bureau of Internal Revenue and youngest son of J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, reported today at Fort Sam Houston for assignment in the armed forces.

**SLAYING SUSPECT HELD**

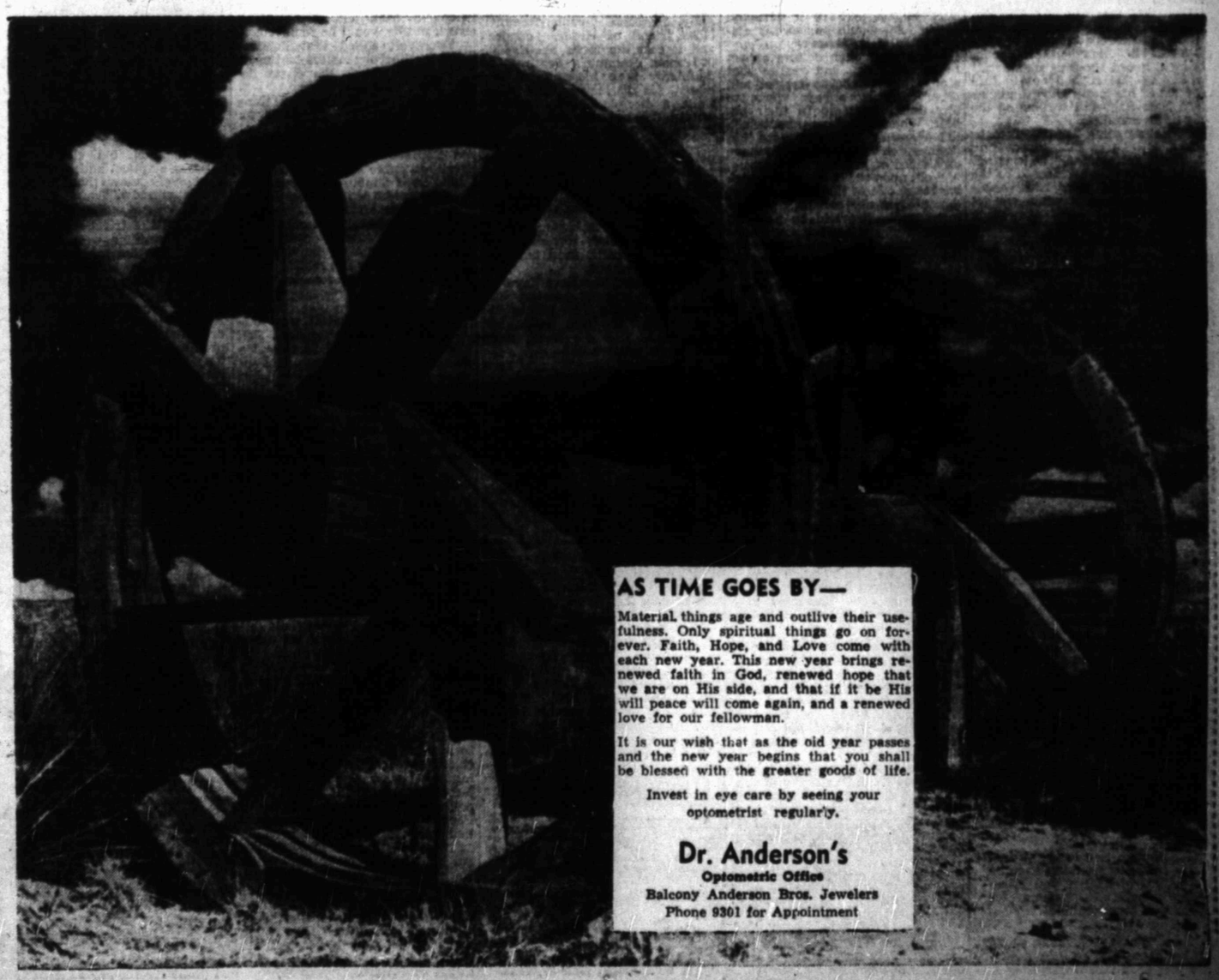
LAREDO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Police were holding without bond today a suspect in the axe slaying of Jose Gonzalez, whose body was found Monday near his home on the Block ranch 20 miles south of here. There were deep gashes in the head.

**HOUSING PROJECT DRAFTED**

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—A $260,000,000 public housing project, designed to clear slum areas and provide modern housing for 36,750 low income families, has been drafted by the New York City housing authority for the first three years after the war.

**DENISON MERCHANT DIES**

DENISON, Dec. 27. (AP) — E. Regensberger, 89, Denison's oldest merchant, died today.



AS TIME GOES BY—

Material things age and outlive their usefulness. Only spiritual things go on forever. Faith, Hope, and Love come with each new year. This new year brings renewed faith in God, renewed hope that we are on His side, and that if it be His will peace will come again, and a renewed love for our fellowman.

It is our wish that as the old year passes and the new year begins that you shall be blessed with the greater goods of life.

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That Girl on Broadway says the principal reason why it's so easy to go to the devil is that he'll meet you more than half way.

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A woman has reached deep middle-age when she begins to experience considerable difficulty in keeping her center of gravity from shifting southward.

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IT'S easy to be nonchalant about "buzz bombs" and rockets when those instruments of destruction are landing four or five thousand miles away. But it's our guess, bolstered by a letter recently received in Lubbock, that it's something else altogether when you are "under the gun," as it were.

Mrs. L. W. Blann, of 2209 Fifteenth street, got a letter the other day from her sister, Mrs. F. M. Martin, who lives in Kent, England, where the German flying bombs have been falling with monotonous regularity these past couple of months. And Mrs. Martin testifies that it's no fun.

"I am," she writes in part, "still in the land of the living, but these 'doodle-bugs' and rockets get one down. I don't mind the doodles so much, because one can hear them coming. Had to go to earth (underground) twice last night and once in the evening. I am very nervous. I ought to be used to them by now, having been through so much, but I just can't help it."

Some Britishers—a very few it may be understandingly imagined—don't get "worked up" over the robot bombings and one of those apparently is a relative of Mesdames Blann and Martin. Continued Mrs. Martin in her letter:

"Uncle Fred doesn't take the slightest notice. He is as cool as a cucumber." This is especially interesting, since Mrs. Martin explains that Uncle Fred's car was gutted by fire from incendiary bombs, which also set the Martin sitting room ablaze.

Mrs. Martin has seen literally dozens of the robot bombs. "They look gruesome," she says, "flying through the air, one mass of flames, and the noise they make is terrific. We get the siren (air raid warning) every night now and I just drop everything, put on slacks, two or three coats, thick shoes and go into the dugout. We have electric lights and a stove down there. It is bitterly cold here now, especially when one has to turn out of a warm bed at night."

Mrs. Martin expresses pride in the way the British people "have taken it" and how well they "can take it." She is a great admirer of Messrs. Churchill and Roosevelt.

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It's about time to begin drawing up those New Year's resolutions you're going to break!

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LEAVE it to the American solider to figure out ways and means of wangling something extra! The boys who worked out many a clever ruse in France in 1918 have sons who are just as clever—and fully as original.

Since Army mess sergeants usually never get anywhere near the front, they are especially keen for souvenirs from the battle lines. A Nazi armband, helmet, or a German flag are usually good for special attention in the matter of food, say Americans who have returned to this country after visits to the front.

Overseas recently, Al Toombs, former Washington newspaperman who is now attached to the Twelfth Army's Intelligence branch, heard shooting outside his window. He rushed out to find several of his mates shooting holes in a Nazi flag, and wallowing the rag into the dirt.

"What's going on?" Toombs asked.

"Don't get excited," he was advised. "That flag is going to be the one that flew over Nazi headquarters at Aachen when we get through with it—and it's going to be good for a turkey dinner for the whole bunch of us!"

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Incidentally, Correspondent Drew Pearson reports that the Germans are resorting to propaganda efforts similar to those the Japs used in the early fighting in the Paoific.

A favorite stunt of the enemy on the Western Front is to drop neatly printed cards from airplanes over American lines. One side of the card, for instance, will be written "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes;" on the other side, "But Blondes Don't Go for Cripples." Another card features a drawing of a mother and child asking, "When is Daddy coming home?" On the other side a message reads: "Do you want your wife to reply that Daddy isn't coming home?"

Like their counterparts in the Pacific, who sniffed at clumsy Jap efforts to shake their morale, American fighting men on the European front are reported to be unimpressed.

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SPEAKING of propaganda, a Jap news report recently had a Nip Zero pilot flying his plane into the side of a B-29 and coming out, still shooting, on the other side.

Don't miss the next thrilling installment, which likely will have the same Zero pilot sinking a whole American fleet single-handed!

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Although murder is against the law, you wouldn't even be brought to trial if you killed the person responsible for most of your troubles.

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That Man on Avenue Q says he believes that as long as there are people in this world, they will have considerable trouble with one another.

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Overheard on the street:

"I believe to my soul that I managed to go all day yesterday without violating a single dadgummed federal regulation. I spent the day in bed!"

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IT was 10 or a dozen years ago, during some sort of afternoon gathering of Lubbock matrons. Somehow the conversation switched around to a comment we had offered in this column a few days previously and several of those present put The Plainsman "on the pan" for what he had written.

There's nothing unusual about that. Every individual who sticks his neck out in print every day must expect to have it whacked at—in fact, would be secretly disappointed if it weren't.

But even though editors expect to be criticized, and realize that many times criticism is just and deserved, they always warm to any defense offered in their behalf. When they hear about such defense, they don't forget it—that is, they don't forget it if they have any sense of gratefulness.

Well, upon the occasion to which we refer, one of the ladies present dissented in our behalf. The comment under fire had no personal tinge; it was concering some public question, and the lady offering the defense explained in the beginning that she, too, disagreed with our stand. But she added something like this:

"If he is wrong, as some of us think he is, he is honestly mistaken. I can forgive him for that; only if he had an ulterior motive would I criticize him for what he has written about this matter."

Of course, The Plainsman heard of the occasion; appreciated the action and the kind thought which prompted it; has never forgotten.

So, in return for the kindly comment in our behalf we respectfully salute the memory of that lady who has been called from our midst. She was Mrs. C. E. Maedgen.

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It is generally agreed that it is futile to worry about yesterday, or tomorrow. Therefore, it must be foolish, too, to worry about anything as temporary as today.

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ACCORDING to Pierre-Henri Tietgen, French Minister of Information, to restore France's economic equipment will require 10 years of unceasing effort and even basic industries will not be restored until at least four or five years after a United Nations victory.

France lost its economy, its industry, its place in the world sun, much of its treasure—and thousands of its best men when it was over-run by the Germans, and all because France was not strong enough to defend itself.

Yet there are people in the U. S. today who cry out against any plan of compulsory postwar military training of our able-bodied young men!

To them we say:

"Look at France! Should we play similarly fast and loose with our country?"

# Feminine Viewpoint

BY RUTH MILLETT

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A Chicago newspaper recently carried a story about the need of the baking and meat packing industries for unskilled women workers to help pack K and C rations, and pointed out that here was a place where housewives could play an important role in the war effort.



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Another news item of the same day said that women of one of the city's volunteer organizations had packed thousands of Christmas bags and boxes for servicemen in hospitals.

It is strange how hard it is to sell women, who get real satisfaction out of doing volunteer jobs, on the idea of taking on real jobs with definite hours for real pay.

Perhaps it is because many women who are free to work don't want to work as hard as a real job requires. Perhaps some social aspects of the situation, knowing they add to their social prestige when they pack fancy Christmas boxes on a volunteer, charming-matron basis but might detract from it if they went to work in a factory packing K or C rations.

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SEEK SOCIAL CONTACTS

MAYBE there are those, too, who take on the volunteer jobs for the "social contacts" they make at their work—or on the chance of getting their pictures on the society page.

But with so many of the country's men volunteering for the hard, realistic jobs of the war it doesn't look very well for women who turn up their noses at the jobs that are far more important to the war effort than any volunteer work they could possibly dream up.

If Congress should pass a measure providing for a year's compulsory government service it might prove to be a very good idea to include young women in the set-up.

For American women as a class apparently need to be made more aware of their own obligation to serve their country in time of need.

# Star Beams

A physicist says electrons are continually waging war with atoms. For goodness sake, is there no peace in the universe?

# Today's Journal Editorial

SNAKES CAUSE SNAKE SHORTAGE

Probably no one ever dreamt that a war started by that ignonimous trio, Hitler, Benito and Hirohito, would result in a shortage of snakes, but one must become reconciled to the fact that total war, regardless of its serpentine origin, results in unpredictable and bizarre deficiencies.

There hasn't been a word from the government on this shortage, but T. A. Schubach of Long Beach, Calif., who runs a boarding house for rattlesnakes with 350 venom-paying guests, ought to know whereof he speaks. Mr. Schubach is in the business of providing rattlesnake poison for the manufacture of anti-venom serum required for soldiers in the Pacific. Every two weeks he collects from his boarders by opening their jaws and extracting three or four drops of pure amber rattlesnake poison, which he ships to a laboratory in the East. There it is injected into horses which develop an immunity to snake bite. From each horse three quarts of blood can be taken to be converted into anti-venom serum.

Mr. Schubach has a production problem on his hands, not through lack of cooperation on the part of the snakes which patriotically produce the required amount of poison, but because Californians kill so many rattlers that Mr. Schbach's crew of nine snake hunters is encountering difficulty in finding a sufficient number. The hunters, who used to corral from 450 to 700 in a four-month season, now come home from the range with a total of fewer than 100. Mr. Schubach fears that by next summer there may not be enough anti-venom with which to treat snake-bite victims among the soldiers in the Pacific.

Of course, no blame attaches to Californians, who are probably merely engaged in trying to make that state a better place in which to live. But at this particular time, local pride must be foregone, and patriotism permitted to take its place. If Mr. Schubach is right, it is imperative that snakes be permitted to grow in California.

Pearson Explains Factors In Nazi Attack

# Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON — It is no secret that both sides on the Western Front know pretty much what the other side is doing behind each other's lines. Observation planes fly back and forth, the Nazis having jet-propelled planes which go well over 400 miles an hour — so fast that no fighter plane can catch them, but not too fast to take pictures of Allied operations below.

U. S. observation planes, while not so fast, undoubtedly must have been good enough to note the massing of the German army opposite the First Army for what was probably about a week ahead of the big Nazi counter-offensive. However, it is admitted that the First Army was taken off guard, so no steps had been taken to prepare for the German drive. U. S. commanders apparently figured that the Germans were massing to defend against an American attack.



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Also U. S. troops noted the weakening of Nazi forces in the Vosges mountains to the south, which meant that the Germans left this rough snowy mountain area relatively undefended and risked everything. It was a desperate gamble similar to the 1918 Marne offensive.

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HERE ARE REASONS

HERE are some of the reasons for the initial success of the daring Nazi move:

1. Marshal von Rundstedt, the ablest German general, is now in complete command. He is the man who argued that the German army should withdraw from France at the time of the Normandy invasion. Erwin Rommel, close friend of Hitler, opposed and it cost the Nazis about 800,000 men. Rommel's death undoubtedly is a blessing to Germany, for it leaves von Rundstedt, a disciple of von Mackensen in the last war, in complete control.

2. The Nazis have tanks superior to ours — their latest Tiger tank being almost impossible to put out of commission. Even their older tanks have been reinforced with a bulkhead in the nose behind which is poured concrete. This makes it almost impossible for shells, fired head on, to knock them out.

3. The Nazis also have developed a new type of mortar, also have been saving their planes and put about 1,200 into battle last week end, also are using more and more robot bombs.

4. The Nazis have brought up a lot of fresh troops, while our men have been fighting for six long months—ever since Normandy.

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REDS GO SLOW

MOST important and inescapable factor, however, is the let-up of the Red army on the polish front, plus the stalemate of the two British armies. It was known in advance, though officially denied, that the British would furnish only 30 per cent of the Western invasion army, with an even lower percentage of replacements. American troops were to furnish 70 per cent. This is about the ratio followed.

However, it was not contemplated that the Red army, after reaching the Vistula river and Warsaw, would stop and detour through Budapest to Vienna. While the Germans probably haven't been able to shift many troops from the Polish front, they have been able to use far less munitions; in other words, if the Nazis had been fighting heavily on two fronts, their supply and production problems would have been terrific. As it is, they can now concentrate the major portion of their supplies on the Western front.

Last fall, when the Red army eased up on the Polish front, highest U. S. war chiefs had their experts make a study of that front and report whether the Russians were easing up on purpose. The report was that the Red army had actually tried to cross the Vistula, that German fortifications were extremely strong, and that the Red army needed more supplies.

At least two months have dragged on since then. Regardless of the factors, it is no secret that U. S. military men are bitterly disappointed at the Russian delay. They have been hopeful recently, however, that with the ground frozen the Polish offensive will soon start.

It is the biggest factor to watch in the entire war.

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BATTLE OF STATE

SENATORS Pepper, Guffey, and Chandler had an interesting conversation with the President when they called him on the phone to ask whether the Stettinius-Hopkins State department appointments really represented his own personal choice.

They especially mentioned to him James C. Dunn and Brig. Gen. Julius Holmes, the latter known as a strong anti-Roosevelt man, and both of them linked with pro-Vichy, anti-de Gaulle group which snarled things up in North Africa.

Roosevelt replied that Dunn was Secretary Hull's personal choice as assistant Secretary of State, and implied that a request for Dunn's promotion had been made when Hull resigned.

Regarding Holmes, the President replied that he should be given a trial, and if he didn't work out he would be removed.

Roosevelt added that he was glad the liberal senators had made the fight against the State department new executives.

"It was a very healthy thing and will put them on guard for the future," he remarked.

NOTE—Those who have watched Roosevelt operate over the years all agree that if there is one thing he is famous for it is failure to remove an official who doesn't function. In all his 12 years of office there have been only three known cases where Roosevelt has removed outright a relatively high official. Usually he shifts them to another job or promotes them.

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CAPITAL CHAFF

INSIDE fact is that it was self-effacing Brain-Truster Ben Cohen who first sold Senator Joe Ball of Minnesota the idea of having a talk with Roosevelt regarding foreign policy before elections. Cohen met Ball in New York and planted the first seeds which led to Ball's famous switch to Roosevelt . . . But when Cohen passed word along to Harry Hopkins and the meeting with Roosevelt took place, Ben was left out in the cold. Harry, not Ben, sat in on the conference which made history . . . The only senator who voted against the confirmation of Ed Stettinius as Secretary of State was Bill Langer of North Dakota. Since then seven senators have told him he was absolutely right . . . Senators Pepper of Florida and Guffey of Pennsylvania always have been ahead of their time when it comes to foreign policy, always have been proved right in the end . . . In May, 1940, before France fell, Pepper proposed a resolution by which France and Britain could buy U. S. army planes immediately. Other senators snorted, said it was an insult to the Foreign Relations committee, demanded that it be rejected in 24 hours. It was . . . The only senator who joined with Pepper in voting for his resolution was Guffey of Pennsylvania . . . At that time, as now, Pepper got no support from the White House. But a few weeks later, Roosevelt dipped into U. S. arsenals without permission from Congress and rushed all sorts of munitions to Britain. This was one factor which probably tipped the scales in England's favor in the Battle of Britain.

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# Walter Winchell

ON BROADWAY

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MEMOS of a First-Nighter — George Bernard Shaw rates the accolades his nimble mind has earned. His squelches are considered classics of wit. However, if anyone else uttered such remarks it would be considered insulting, rude and an invitation to a bloody nose. It is something for psychiatrists to ponder . . . Tennyrate, Shaw was once trapped into attending a dull dinner party. The hostess seated herself between George and a pretty actress and gushed: "How delighted I am to find myself between wit and beauty" . . . Shaw promptly knocked the wind out of her by adding: "And without possessing either!"

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This story should be displayed in a theatrical museum. It offers a unique example of actresses praising each other. That's about as rare as a palm tree in Siberia . . . Actress Margaret Anglin once left this note in the dressing room of her fellow thespian, Mrs. Fiske: "Margaret Anglin says Mrs. Fiske is the best actress in America" . . . Mrs. Fiske read it, inserted two commas and sent it back to Miss Anglin. It read: "Margaret Anglin, says Mrs. Fiske, is the best actress in America."



WINCHELL

Noel Coward, who recently lost the Battle of Brooklyn, skyrocketed to fame in his early twenties. As the years whizzed by Coward was irked because he was continually tagged as a boy wonder . . . On his thirtieth birthday he was invited to a party.

"Sorry I can't attend," he wrote, "but at last I am living up to my reputation as a youthful prodigy. I have the measles!"

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P. T. Barnum's name is a synonym for showmanship. He never muffed an opportunity to garner publicity . . . Frixample: Trains passed near Barnums farm, which was also his circus' winter quarters—and a sign was displayed announcing that fact . . . In order to be certain that the train passengers didn't miss the sign, Barnum attracted their attention this way: He never hitched horses to the plows that cultivated his farmland—only elephants.

Wilson Mizner once wrote a play that was angeled by an aging dowager . . . During rehearsals Mizner was gabbing with his backer and, without thinking, asked her how old she was. Her icy query gave him the shivers: "Why do you wish to know that?" . . . Wilson saved the situation in this wily fashion. "Dear lady," he replied, "I merely wanted to know at what age a woman is most fascinating."

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This is Alex Woollcott's definition of the difference between drama and melodrama: "In a drama the heroine merely throws the villain over. In a melodrama she throws him over a cliff."

Samuel Johnson, the famed critic, described a boring actor this way: "He talks like a watch which ticks away minutes, but never strikes the hour."

A colyumist comes across many stage-struck youngsters anxious for advice. We believe that few neophyte thespians can overcome the heartbreaking obstacles in the greasepaint jungle without a genuine love for make-believing . . . This spirit is best illustrated in a definition of an actor that has appeared here often, but deserves repetition: "An actor is one who can walk to the side of the stage, peer into the wings filled with theatrical props, dirt and dust, other actors, stagehands, old clothes and other claptrap and say: 'What a lovely view there is from this window.'"

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EVERY theatrical season revives the familiar wail that critics are ruining the theatre. Of course such beefing comes from those who have been panned. Those who are given critical praise are always mum . . . When Brooks Atkinson was the N. Y. Times drama boy he summed up the problem deftly: "Blaming the critics for writing unfavorable reviews is a frivolous way of putting the cart before the horse. No one would be silly enough to maintain that the successful plays in the theatre are the result of the critics' genius and clairvoyance. The credit for good plays belongs to the authors, directors, actors and producers who have created them. It is equally silly to blame the critics for the failures; the authors, directors, actors and producers are responsible for them. In the ideal sense good plays engender good notices; bad plays breed bad reviews. For the function of the critic is that of an experienced theatregoer who differs from other members of theaudience the privilege he has of printing his opinion in public."

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A few weeks ago the critical majority panned a play because they considered it "mystical and confusing" . . . But when Saroyan is mystical and confusing, the same aisle-sitters hail him as a genius.

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THE lives of many stage and screen stars are packed with more drama than any show or film they appear in. No script contains the emotional wallop of this true story: For the last five months of her life Marie Dressler's illness let her be up for a few days, then down again—getting worse all the time. Each week, no matter how busy he was, L. B. Mayer used to take his briefcase full of scenarios to her home. Her illness was never mentioned. Mayer merely discussed plans for the future, exactly as if she was still working. Right through the last week of her life Miss Dressler remained cheerful and happy because of such thoughtfulness.

# Along The Road To Peace




Republican Schism Of Late '20's Haunts Wrangling Democrats

# History May Repeat Itself In U. S. Senate

By THOMAS L. STOKES

Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON — The death of former Sen. George H. Moses of New Hampshire stirs up recollections of his career and that, in turn, serves to point up the axiom that history repeats itself.

George Moses, the cynical wag of the Senate in his day, was the storm center in the late '20s and early '30s of the bitter fight within the Republican party between the Eastern Old Guard, with which he was identified, and the Western Insurgents a rampant and rambunctious crew.

This conflict cracked the party wide open. It helped to make the bickering Republicans easy game for Franklin D. Roosevelt and the then united Democratic party. The added factor of the depression which kept Herbert Hoover floundering around so, only making matters worse for the party.



STOKES

Today the Democratic party is in about the same shape as the Republican party in Herbert Hoover's and George Moses' day, with the schism between its conservative and left wings on domestic issues so graphically exhibited only a few months ago at the Chicago convention. And now the party is divided, too, on the approach to foreign policy, as was revealed by the recent fight over State department appointments in the Senate.

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Moses Caused The Split

This latter difference, however, is not basic. The Democratic party hangs together closely on foreign policy. But the controversy over domestic policy will flare up again in postwar reconstruction measures. The party then will split into warring factions as did the Republican party in George Moses' last years in the Senate.

The late senator's tongue was too sharp for the purposes of political conciliation. He it was who produced that phrase "Sons of the Wild Jackass"—lifted right out of the Old Testament—and applied it to the Western Insurgents. That was the match that touched off the explosion and shoved it on to the front pages for days.

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THERE'S an intriguing newspaper story connected with it. The writer saw that close from the sidelines. He was on the United Press copy desk at the time.

One afternoon, Joseph H. Baird, now staff man at the State department for the Washington Evening Star, came in from his run and reported he had learned that there was to be a dinner that night of some New England businessmen at which Senator Moses was to speak. It was agreed that Joe would drop by.

That night Senator Moses took after the insurgents and pulled his quip, as he got expansive, about "Sons of the Wild Jackass." Joe returned to the office and wrote a short story about the senator's speech and his label for the insurgents. It appeared the next morning on the front page of the Washington Post.

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Senator Sits Tight

The late Senator Norris of Nebraska, insurgent leader, only had to take one look at that item. When the Senate opened he was up — and off for hours, pouring out his resentment at Senator Moses. A move was started to oust the New Hampshire senator as chairman of the Senatorial Campaign committee. Senator Vandenburg (R-Mich) a member of that committee, led the fight to discipline Senator Moses, as a party matter, for he was not among the insurgents.

But Senator Moses outmaneuvered his foes and sat tight.

The fight, however, continued. The rift widened between the Eastern and Western wings of the party. Thereafter the insurgents were the "Sons of the Wild Jackass." The phrase stuck — and rankled.

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SENATOR MOSES had been a participant earlier in a bigger and more important piece of history—it seems now a tragic piece of history. He was one of the so-called irreconciliables—the "Battalion of Death" — which fought and finally defeated Woodrow Wilson's League of Nations. Of that famous group, there now survives only former Senator Jim Watson of Indiana.

In contemplating the Moses era of their party, Republicans can take some comfort today.

The Democratic party seems headed for the same sort of crack-up as the Republican party of that day. And, in the coming Senate consideration of the peace, there is no sign in the Republican party of such an organized, belligerent, effective group as the irreconciliables to smash up the projected world organization and take the blame for the party down into history.

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8:05 Musical Interlude.
8:15 Headline News.
8:30 Breakfast Club.
9:00 My True Story.
9:25 Aunt Jemima.
9:30 United Press News.
9:45 Listening Post.
10:00 Breakfast At Sardis.
10:30 Gil Martyn's News.
10:45 Jack Berch.
11:00 Glamour Manor.
11:30 Song Shop.
11:45 Star Reporter.

Afternoon

12:00 Stamps Quartet.
12:15 Everlite Rangers.
12:30 Drug Store Cowboys.
12:45 Noon News Edition.
1:00 Kiernan's News Corner.
1:15 Personal Shopper.
1:30 Auction Broadcast.
1:45 Dance Matinee.
2:00 Bob Hanna.
2:15 Music and Stuff.
2:55 Markets.
3:00 Time Views the News
3:15 Ozark Ramblers.
3:30 I'll Buy That.
3:45 Hawaiian Echoes.
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4:15 Mitch Ayres Orchestra.
4:30 Concert in Miniature.
4:45 Hop Harrigan.
5:00 Terry and the Pirates
5:15 Dick Tracy
5:30 Jack Armstrong
5:45 Milt Herth's Trio.

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6:35 War Commentary.
6:40 Rhythm Roundup.
7:00 Trails to Glory.
7:15 United Press News.
7:30 America's Town Meeting of the Air
8:30 Victory Parade of Spotlight Bands
8:55 Sketches in Ivory
9:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
9:15 Radio Edition of Field and Stream.
9:30 March of Time.
10:00 Fred Waring Program.
10:30 Let's Dance
11:00 SIGN OFF

# Today's Thought

They conceive mischief, and bring forth vanity, and their belly prepareth deceit.—Job 15:35.

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In life it is difficult to say who do you the most mischief, enemies with the worst intentions, or friends with the best.—Bulwer-Lytton.

# Crossword Puzzle

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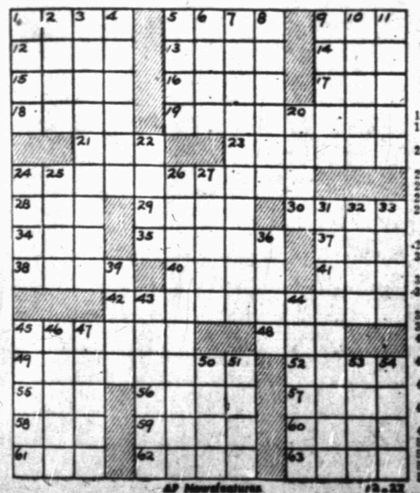
1. Insects
5. Always
9. Head covering
12. Sea eagle
13. Evergreen tree
14. Luzon native
15. Pith of a matter
16. Burden
17. Are
18. Location
19. Half tone
21. Cry of a cat
23. Prepared for printing
24. Not ready
28. Nothing
29. Tibetan monk
30. Biblical country
34. Adherent of: suffix
35. Jogs
37. Preceding night
38. Bones
40. Medicinal plant
41. East Indian weight
42. Numbers at one's command
45. Knife case
48. Part of a curve
49. Grabbed
52. Playing cards
55. Feminine name
56. Masculine
57. Bark of the paper mulberry
58. Clear profit
59. Small island
60. Of the ear
61. Before
62. Close
63. Heed: archaic

DOWN

1. Asks alms
2. Great Lake
3. Models to follow: archaic
4. Hunting dog
5. Epic poem
6. Climbing plant
7. Census taker
8. Live
9. Discoverer of the American continent
10. Make amends
11. Handled roughly
20. Motion of the sea
22. Part of a shoe
24. River mussel
25. Eggs of insects
26. Reproduce the meaning in other terms
27. Soap plant
31. Preserve by drying
32. Finished
33. Nothing more than
36. Bristle
39. Russian sea
43. Star in The Dragon
44. Eloquent speaker
45. Division of a play
46. Hang fluttering on the wing
47. Puff up
50. Feminine name
51. Antlered animal
53. Heroic
54. Bag

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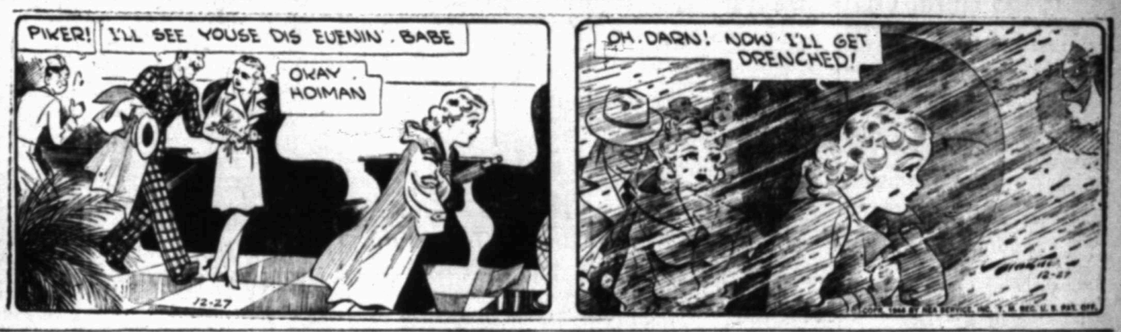
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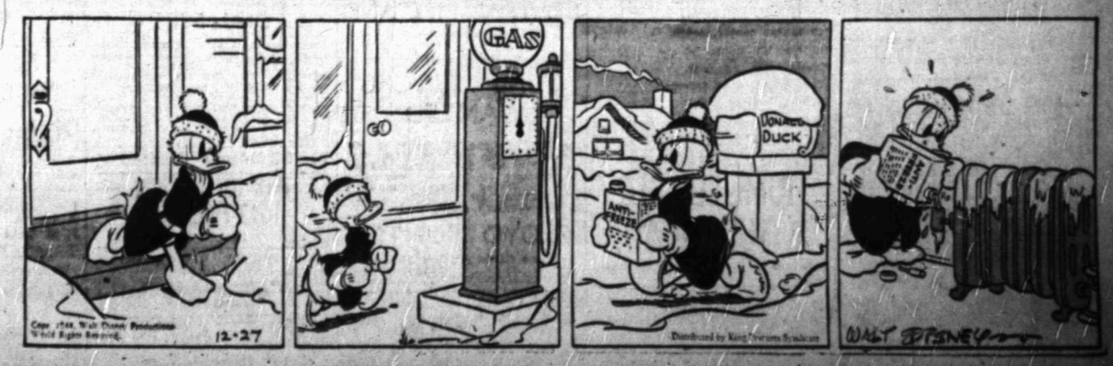

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2x8-8 to 24'
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2½ fence stays, ready sharpened.

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| 2x4, ⅜" Sheetrock | $2.25 |
| 4x8, ⅞, 8, ¼" Sheetrock | $2.75 |
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See Youngblood at—
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Two men for route work. Good places for right men. If not willing to work and if not permanent do not apply. Call in person—do not telephone.
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Man to work in pipe yard and shop who is mechanically inclined.
CENTRAL PIPE AND SUPPLY
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To haul caliche, Andrews county, Texas. Pay 35c per four-yard load, mile, long job. Trucks now making an average of $40 per day. Will hire 15 trucks between Dec. 20th and January 1st in order to start second crushing plant. Call—
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SEMI-SKILLED OR UNSKILLED
Time and one-half after 40 hours per week. Apply—
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Experienced
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Will pay top salary, also shirt finisher wanted, top salary. Apply
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THE BORDEN COMPANY
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Married man, draft exempt, with small family for farm work. Straight salary, $125 month.
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1—Bear Machine Operator
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These jobs are permanent, with the best of working conditions paying 50% commission.
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These jobs pay 50c per hour. See—
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FENNER TUBBS CO.
1302-10th

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Make extra money at nights and on week-ends. Set sins. 7c and 8c per line.
PLAMOR LANES

WANTED: Man to wash cars. $6.00 day. Pat Murphy's, 1301 Ave. Q.

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EXPERIENCED presser, also young lady to train as presser. Stinson's. 1708-Broadway.

NEED a home making teacher to start work on Jan. 1, 1945. Salary, 10% above state aid plus $470.00 Federal supplement. Telephone, write or call in person, Whitharral school.

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## 13-B—Wtd. Male, Female

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WELL drilling, no irrigation wells. F. E. Cook, 2 blocks south and 3 blocks east Swain Hatchery on Tahoka Highway.

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Nice 4 piece bedroom suite, innerspring mattress, $110.
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| Nails, per keg | $5.00 |
| 2x4, No. 2 per 100 Ft. | $6.95 |
| 2x6, No. 2 per 100 Ft. | $6.95 |
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SEE US FOR BEST PRICES.
TRUCK OR CAR LOTS
**PURINA MILLS**
Plainview Highway — Dial 5789

## 23-A—Bus. Prop. For Rent

OFFICE space in Owen's building available. Located 10th and Ave. K. Dial 2-2214 or 2-2806.

## 24-A—Unfurn. Houses

5-ROOM house, 2 blocks west of Tyler on 30th.

## 25—Bedrooms For Rent

BEDROOM on busline, private entrance. 1306-28th.

"Buy A War Bond TODAY"

## 25—Bedrooms For Rent

### ROOMS

College Inn. 18th St. at College Ave. steam heat. Comfortable. Bus line Phone service. Rates $4.00 to $8.00 per week. Phone or see Mrs. Fields

DIAL 2-9312

## 26—Furnished Apts.

2-ROOM upstairs apartment. 1830 Main St. Dial 2-2712.

## 27—Wtd. Apts., Houses

WANTED: Small furnished house or apartment. Dial 6736.

PERMANENT couple desire house or apartment. Dial 5547.

WANTED: Furnished apartment, middle-aged couple, no pets. Dial 6378.

CIVILIAN couple wants furnished or unfurnished apartment or house. Dial 2240 or 2-1551. J. C. Hughes.

FAMILY of 3 adults, civilians, want 2 to 4 bedroom house. Will appreciate and care for nice yard. Dial 5402, after 6:00.

Officer and wife desire 3 or 4 room furnished apartment by January 1st. Dial 2-2481.

One or two unfurnished bedrooms, location no object. H. D. Waller. Dial 4679.

Want to rent or lease well located furnished or unfurnished house by professional man and wife. Dial 2-3133.

## WANTED

Room and Board, Bedrooms, and Bedrooms with kitchen privileges for Draughon's Business College students. Dial 5544. Ask for

## G. C. STEWART

## 27-A—Farms For Rent

260 acres for rent with sale of farming equipment, stock and household furnishings. Inquire Bridges Barber Shop, Levelland, Texas.

## 28A Bus. Prop. Wanted

WANTED

Close-in semi-business location. Either vacant or improved. All cash. P. O. BOX 736

## 29—Houses For Sale

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL and HAPPY NEW YEAR.
J. E. SHEWBERT
2323 18th Phone 9704

### POSSESSION JAN 1ST

This is one of the nicest 5-room homes in Lubbock. Master bed room full size dining room, large kitchen. Well located on paved street near one of the best schools. Priced at $7350.00 Shown by appointment.

### TEXAS AVE. BARGAIN

80 ft. lot with good six room home. Located south of 19th St. on Texas Ave. Priced at $8500.00.

### 100 FT. ON AVE. H.

Well located 100 ft. lot, priced at $8,000.00.

We have cash buyers for homes. We will appreciate your listings.

## W. R. Faubion




"REALTOR"

Dial 4651 or 6140 1109 Main St

### REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT

ATTRACTIVE 5 ROOM FHA HOME at 2306 20th St., large rooms, lots of closet space, possession on closing of deal.

320 ACRES NEAR MEADOW, good land, modern 5 room house, large barn, lots of outbuildings, one 4-room tenant house, butane, on REA, a real home. $85 per acre, ½ minerals. Good terms if desired.

NEAR TECH, 6 rooms and bath, tile-stucco construction, situated on extra well located 66 ft. lot. $3700 HOLC loan balance, payable $39 per month. Price $9000. Shown by appointment.

NEAR HALE CENTER 320 acres good land, 280 in cultivation, nice improvements, some Johnson grass, ¼ mineral reserved. Price low at $47.50 per acre.

NEAR BROWNFIELD 320 acres, 312 acres in cultivation, good sandy soil, fair improvements, price low at $30 per acre.

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Lee C. Golightly — Res. Phone 9068
1629 Broadway Dial 9353

4 room stucco on Ruby St. $4250.00
4 room frame on Ave. L. $4750.00
4 room brick on 27th. $5500.00
5 room brick on 23rd. $6500.00
6 room frame on 29th. $6850.00
5 room brick on 20th. $8500.00
6 rooms on four acres. $6500.00
3 room on seven acres. $2750.
13 acres close in, per acre $175.00
321 acres 10 miles south. $85.00
32 sections, with ten sections of cheap leases thrown in. $6.50.
Oil land gas leases and royalties.

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Res. Ph. 2-1062 — Res. Ph. 6413

### NICE HOME

SOUTH OF TECH COLLEGE

100 foot lot, double garage, 6 rooms, asbestos siding. Two floor furnaces, venetian blinds. Carpeted. Large rooms. Price $14,000.00 unfurnished, and $15,500.00 furnished. Shown by appointment.

### OSCAR KILLIAN

Dial 8114 or Office 8932
212 Conley Bldg

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Four-room modern house. Possession at once. Will take around $3500 to handle. 1310-27th.

## 29—Houses For Sale

### FOUR BEDROOM BRICK HOME

Located in choice neighborhood midway between town and college, with north frontage on 64 ft. lot. Completely carpeted and entire interior condition like new. Attractive modern large kitchen. Large breakfast room, also full dining room, in fact all rooms large, $13,000.00, quick possession.

### DESIRABLE BRICK DUPLEX APARTMENT

Of grey brick construction with slate roof. Within walking distance of town, in good neighborhood south and west of business district. Each apartment has 2 bedrooms. Condition good, $10,500.00. THIS IS A BARGAIN.

### Robert W. Wright

1220 TEXAS AVE.
DIAL 7142
REALTOR

VACANT and immediate possession, five-room frame stucco, shingled roof, all large rooms, lots of built-ins, venetian blinds. Lot 72x140, located at 2505-20th St. Look it over and Dial 8481 for the key.

OPAL SELLMAN
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ANSEL HINES
Res. 4076
With CARL SCOGGIN
Dial 8481 Room 3 Weaver Bldg

Extra large 8 room house completely furnished with very nice furniture and rugs, very good location. $8500

3 bedroom house, lots of closets, garage with knotty pine finished room attached and storage house. This is a very nice place for $8500.00.

4 room house, 4 years old, well located. $4250.00

2½ acres with 4 room modern house, butane, elect., pres. pump, chicken houses. $5,000.00.

Several other good listings.

### STELLA ANTHONY

with WALTER PRICE AGENCY
414 Myrick Building
Office Phone 2-1932; Residence Phone 5054

### GOOD HOME BUYS

Beautiful ranch-style home on big lot, two floor furnaces, $10,000.00, $4000.00 cash, approved for $6000.00 loan, all new and modern.

6-room tile and stucco, on big lot, well located for schools, $8500.00.

Big two-story brick home, $12,500.00.

Nice, sound-proof brick apt., 5 units, all well furnished, $22,000.00.

Beautiful 6-room home, well furnished, baby grand piano, garage and apt. in back yard, only $15,000.00.

400-acre farm in N. E. part of Lubbock county, 6-room house, only $30.00 per A.

### TOM SAWYER

Realtor
Room 6 Weaver Bldg.
Dial 7239 or 9125

6-ROOM brick duplex, $100 month rent. Good price.

6-room house on busline, ready to move in.

4-room house, close in, $3,000. Possession.

Several suburban homes with acreage 160 A. farm, 9 miles south College Ave. A real buy.

180 A., near Ropes, $65.00 A.

I have cash buyers waiting list with me for quick action.

### GEO. H. HALL

Dial 2-2938

18TH STREET, near Ave. Q, 5-room brick house with 75 foot frontage, immediate possession. By owner. Dial 5926.

### POSSESSION NOW

3 BEDROOMS - 1 BATH

Brand new, just completed, 3 bedrooms, bath, living room, large kitchen (ample eating space) huge closets, service porch, Hardwood floors, inlaid linoleum weather-stripped and insulated Southwest Lubbock. If you are in essential work as defined by the National Housing Agency you are eligible to occupy $1,275.00 minimum cash payment, balance FHA terms, less than rent. Investigate and ask us for addresses of these new homes

### C. J. NORTON

REALTOR
814 Lubbock National Building
Dial 8778

GOOD buy, duplex on 9th, $6,000.00, $2,000.00 cash, balance terms, rents for $80.00 per month.

5-room brick on 9th, $5,500.00

Extra good 5-room FHA, double floor furnace, corner lot on 25th with possession.

Good apartments on Ave. O.

Business lots on 26th and Adams Ave.

130 acres on pavement, 5 miles out. Good buy, 640 acres near Ropes.

### J. F. PETERSON

—WITH—
BRILEY & COWSERT
204 Conley Bldg
Phone No. 8411 or 2-3550

4 room house, one fourth acre of land. Price $3750.00. South of Lubbock.

On 18th street, 5 room brick veneer. Vacant. Price $6500.00.

### OSCAR KILLIAN

Office 8932; Res. 8114
Room 212 Conley Bldg

WISHES FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS
Let's all stop talking trade long enough to look around and see if you can find someone who has been less fortunate than we, and give them a helping hand that your Christmas and theirs will be a much happier one.

### H. H. WHITNEY

1309 - Texas

4 rooms and bath, 2 blocks of George R. Bean, $3,150.
2 rooms and one lot, 50x146, new, $800.
3-room modern, on 27th, $6,800.
3-room modern, and will take a '40 or '41 car in on deal, $2,100.
4 rooms and bath, modern, one-car garage, $4,750.
6-room modern, near school, $3,400.

### SUSIE POARCH

OFFICE 9682 608 Myrick Bldg
Res. 3-2128

## 29—Houses For Sale

HAVE some nice 5 and 6 room homes, well located, also some acreage.
6-room house, 1914-17th.

### J. L. PATE

with J. E. ALEXANDER
Over J. C. Penney Store Dial 9177

APARTMENTS

14th street, partly furnished, 18 rooms, brick main buildings, 8 rooms in back building, both buildings cut into apartments, furniture and buildings both selling for $17,500.00.

### E. O. STEWART

Phe. 8114; Office 8932
Room 212, Conley Bldg.

LOVELY furnished duplex good location, special price.

165 A., irrigation well, good 4-room house, lights and water. $94.50 per acre.

7-room house, good location, fenced back yard.

Your Listings Appreciated

### J. E. LIGON

Dial 7637

### HOUSES AND LAND FOR SALE

5 room brick veneer in good condition in one of the best locations in southwest Lubbock on 22nd street. Nice back yard, double garage. House newly roofed. Possession soon. Price $10,000. Shown by appointment.

18 A. good land with modern 8-room house, near City limits, located southwest of Lubbock. Good barns, some outbuildings, pressure pump, natural gas, electricity. $10,000. Shown by appointment only.

5 room frame, practically new for quick sale, $5,850.

3 room rock house, one of nicest in Lubbock, beautiful yard, landscaped in back. Garage and wash house. Only $9,500. Location—south of High school.

5 room brick like new, southwest Lubbock worth the money. We have the key.

160 acres of well improved land, ½ mile off the highway near Ropesville. Good house, garage and barn. Can buy this property for only $65.00 per acre, and possession January 1st.

Fine section of land, improvements fair, 500 acres of good wheat. Possession at once. Can buy this farm for $42.50 an acre. Located near Dimmitt, Texas on highway. Wheat goes with farm.

5-room frame house, completely furnished, rooms fair size, beautiful kitchen, nice bath, fenced-in back yard, possession. We have the key. Located S W. Lubbock, for quick sale, $7,300.00.

### Martin & Ameen

REALTORS
517 Myrick Building—Phone 7181
Raleigh Martin Res. Phone 5975
C. S. Ameen Res. Phone 6464
H. D. Boyd
Walter Herrin, Res. Phone 7339.
Land Salesman

### WILL PAY CASH

FOR SUITABLE RENTAL PROPERTY WELL LOCATED.

DIAL 2-2401 OR 4056

### A MERRY CHISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

IF YOU WANT TO SELL OR BUY A FARM OR CITY HOME, LET US HANDLE YOUR PROBLEM YOURS FOR PROMPT AND EFFICIENT SERVICE.

### H. W. CREWS

with
CLYDE C. JONES AGENCY
Realtors
Dial 8261 Res.: 5180 or 2-3708
301 Citizen Nat'l Bank Bldg.

FURNISHED rooming house, close in, priced to move.

Seven-room ranch-style four bedrooms, three baths, garage, servants quarters in S. W. Lubbock.

640 A. 4 miles rom Shallowater. All minerals.

Four-room stucco in the sixteen hundred block on Eighth street.

One hundred sixty acres, modern five-room house, electricity, butane plant, septic tank, fine irrigation well, all in cultivation, on pavement. Three hundred twenty acres with good outbuildings, all in cultivation, near Acuff.

Three hundred twenty acres, four-room house and good outbuildings, all in cultivation but fifteen acres, near Olton, priced to sell.

One hundred sixty acres good land, fair improvements, N. E. Shallowater.

Two labors with four-room house, fair outbuildings, good irrigation well, near Levelland on school bus and mail route.

One hundred sixty acres, good four-room house in irrigation district, five miles S. W. Lubbock, priced to sell.

We have cash buyers for several better class homes in southwest Lubbock. Also cash buyer for furnished duplex.

### RALPH WYNN & J. P. LEONARD

201-202 Leader Bldg. Phone 3-1121

### STANDARD ABSTRACT CO.

1220 Texas Avenue
GEO. W. BREWER, Mgr.
Abstracts and Title Insurance

4-bedroom brick home
6-room home, 28th St.
6-room home, 23rd West College.
4-room home, 27th St.
6-room home, 17th St.
2 bath home, 30th St.
These are swanky homes. Have other beautiful places

### C. L. LINDSEY

2005-31st

### 4-ROOM MODERN HOUSE

½ acre of ground, pressure pump, garage, insulated pump house, chicken house, barn, feed-room, also irrigation tank, located 37th and Washington.

### DIAL 5180 AFTER 5 P. M.

6-ROOM brick veneer, newly decorated, inside and out, venetian blinds. Possession. $8,250. Dial 2-1622.

HOUSE for sale, 28x28 four room. 2712 Ave. A

## 29—Houses For Sale

Outstanding home in choice part of southwest Lubbock. Situated on 75 foot lot with paving paid. Has floor furnace and fenced back yard. Just like new inside and out. Can give quick possession.

Attractive five room FHA efficiency located west of College St. on 30th. Neatly arranged with lots of closet space. Has furnace heat. Price $6000.

Two story brick and stucco located on 13th near Tech. This place is arranged into four apartments. Ideal for income or home and income.

320 acres highly improved and well located. All in cultivation and all red cat claw land. All improvements new. Has six room completely modern home with hard-wood floors. This is an ideal country home. Can give possession for 1945 if sold soon.

2880 acres bordering paved highway. Has 640 acres in cultivation and a modern attractive home. Will subdivide and sell with or without the improvements. Can arrange excellent terms.

120 acres located in Lubbock County. Has fair improvements and on REA. Close to gin, church and school. Priced or quick sale at $42.50 per acre.

200 acres well located and has five room home. $3000.00 will handle.

325 acres with ordinary improvements and 200 acres in cultivation. $3000.00 will handle.

Suburban tracts or city lots. Twenty per cent cash. Balance $10.00 per month.

### Chapman - Walker

REALTORS

HARRY MILLER Res. Ph. 9077 1006-13th St.
FRED GROVES Res. Ph. 8371 Office Ph 8632

Suburban homes, 4 a. tract, well imp., $1,000 cash, bal. monthly. One A tract, good imp. $750 cash, bal. monthly. Some good resident lots in SW Lubbock.

H. W. FULTON
Owner, 1712 Ave. O

2-ROOM house, W. E. Alexander, 5 miles south College Ave. Route 4, Lubbock.

NICE 5-room brick-veneer and garage with large 3-room brick-veneer furnished apartment, on corner close to high school, priced cheap.

5-room brick-veneer and garage on 30th, a dandy for the money, possession.

5-room brick-veneer, well located on 25th, priced right.

Large 20-room house on 100-foot front lot, close to Tech, south Broadway.

### F. E. DUNCAN

214 Conley Building
Dial Office 6751; Residence Dial 6810

### 21ST STREET

Lovely 6-room brick, thoroughly insulated and warm and comfortable, floor furnace, venetian blinds, beautiful arrangement, with modified English architectual exterior design. And best of all—a nice furnished garage apartment adjoining the 2-car garage in rear. A home and income too.

### IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

of one of the best duplex apartments in Lubbock and both sides completely furnished in bleached mahogany, and other appointments, strictly in keeping. Call—

### H. L. Willeford or Harry Bell

(Dial 8226) (Dial 2-3230)

### BROCK HESS CO.

(REALTORS)
Dial 8539

### BY OWNER

5 AND 6 ROOM HOUSES
POSSESSION

### J. R. WHATLEY

2516-26th Dial 4271

LOOK THIS OVER
Dwelling, 3 lots, pays income 25% on $4,000.00. Priced for quick sale.
6-room brick, Ave. V between 10th and Main, $5750. Possession.
Tracts of land from 1 to 640 acres, listings appreciated.

### PIT EMERY - B. T. HAMBRIGHT

Res. Ph. 7817 Office 6991
Rm. 1 Brown Bldg.

## 30—Lots For Sale

5-ROOM HOUSE TO MOVE

Lots, near school, $400 to $650; 2 lots $300 each; 2 4-room houses $4,000 to $4,500; 1 4-room house $3,500

### ED O'DELL

Route 2 2616-Ruby St.

## 31—Farms, Land For Sale

160 ACRES, good five-room house, R. E. A., barn 30x70 with built-in feeder. Many other outbuildings. This is a very productive farm but is sloping and will not irrigate. Priced at $75 per acre cash.

320 acres, joins the above farm that lies perfect to irrigate, irrigation water is available, has a very nice farm home. Mail route, school bus and on R. E. A. Large butane gas plant. This is a modern home that compares favorably with most city homes. Large barn 30x70 with built-in feeder. There are several irrigation wells adjoining this farm, 3 miles from pavement, 6 miles from good school and markets. There is an additional 80 acres that joins this farm, a very good 80, making 400 acres of very fine land. If you are interested in a nice home and an irrigated farm let us show you this. Priced at $400. Terms.

WE HAVE CASH BUYERS FOR FOUR, FIVE AND SIX-ROOM HOUSES. PLEASE CALL US ABOUT YOUR LISTINGS.

### B. A. Cantrell - E. F. Lumpkin

Res. Phone 4787
—WITH—
H. T. KIMBRO
Realtor
Office 1104 Main Phone 2-3891

HAVE BUYERS FOR FARMS, DO YOU WANT TO SELL?

Have clients gathering 3 to 500 bales of cotton, also man with many oil wells seeking So. Plains land for home and investment.

If you would like for these buyers to see your property it will be necessary for you to let me know.

Always appreciate your listings.

Write, Phone or Come to See Me

### J. E. ALEXANDER

REALTOR
J. L. PATE or C. P. EDWARDS, 9626
Over J. C. Penney Store Dial 9177

### FOR SALE

30 A. orchard land on the Rio Grande, 24 miles north of Espanole, N. M. 20½ A. under ditch, permanent water right. Well with windmill and tank. 6-room modern house, warehouse and store room, 1 2-room and 1 3-room house, also several other buildings. Equipment to operate place, including Bean Armored Sprayer (300 gal.), McCormick Deering tractor, ladders, pruning and other implements. For information contact—

### MRS. ROBERT SCHAFRANKA

Route 1, Box 4, Green Gate Orchard, Embudo, N. M.

BEAUTIFUL farm of 309 acres on paved highway in Lubbock county, modern 6-room home, gas, lights, bath, commode, lavatory, sink and kitchen cabinet, oak floors, fine irrigation well, 3-room helper house, chicken houses lots and sheds, all in cultivation, priced to sell, possession Jan. 1st, 1945

### F. E. DUNCAN

214 Conley Building
Dial Office 6751; Residence Dial 6810

"Buy A War Bond TODAY"

## 31—Farms, Land For Sale

### ACREAGE

2 acres, 4-room house, 1 cow, 140 hens, near college, grade school, and bus line. Natural gas. One block to grocery store. Price $4250.00.

### OSCAR KILLIAN

Dial Office 8932 Res. 8114 or 2-1886
Room 212 Conley Bldg.

Season's Greetings
TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS

### GAMBLE REALTY COMPANY

303 Lubbock Nat'l. Bank Bldg.

A FINE SUBURBAN HOME
2 acres, 6 room modern home, 5 years old. Carpeted. Floor furnace Venetian blinds. Concrete basement, natural gas, double garage, 3 room modern apartment, orchard. Pressure pump On pavement. Priced at $12,500.00.

### E. O. STEWART

Phe. Res. 8114 or 2-1886. Office 8932
Room 212, Conley Bldg.

FOR SALE

Choice 160 acres, all in cult., 5-room house, bath, lights, pressure pump, water piped all over place, good barns, 5 miles out of Slaton. Possession.

160 A., 8-room house, bath, on REA, fair outbuildings, in irrigation belt and all will water. Possession.

5-room brick, south of college, ready to move in to.

We have cash buyer for your farms and city property. We will appreciate your listings.

### HOLT LAND COMPANY

1106 Texas Ave. Dial 6011

LIST 'EM with EMERY AND HAMBRIGHT, we will sell 'em.

160 A., 3½ mi. NW Abernathy 6 rm. house, lots outbuildings, on R. E. A., real good piece of land, $65 A.

80 A., well imp., 4 mi. NW Abernathy, $80 A.

### Pit Emery - B. T. Hambright

Res. Dial 7817 Office Dial 6991
Room 1 Brown Bldg.

### FOR SALE

12 labores, will sell all or any part. Red catclaw land, near Morton, fine land, all in cultivation, well located, fine water, encumbered, $25.00 per acre.

### L. P. JEFFERIES

Box 77A Morton, Texas
Phone in care of King Hotel, Morton

### CHOICE FARMS REAL BARGAINS

In Lubbock, Hale, Floyd and Crosby counties. Irrigated or dry land

### T. A. COCKE

Phone 36 or 29-J Petersburg, Texas

### Spikes - Sellers REAL ESTATE

John Spikes D. E. Sellers
1003-13 St. Dial 4071

2 labores well improved, electricity and butane. $78 A.

80 A. near Lubbock, 5 room modern house, telephone, electricity and butane, $125 A.

320 A. well improved including 7 room house, irrigation well and alfalfa. $105 A.

640 A. near Hereford, in wheat and has two good irrigation wells, improved, $55 A.

160 A. near Shallowater and located in good irrigation district.

WE HAVE A VERY ATTRACTIVE TWO BEDROOM F. H. A. HOUSE COMPLETELY FURNISHED AND WELL LOCATED. OCCUPIED BY OWNER AND CAN GIVE QUICK POSSESSION.

We have a good selection of five and six room houses. We will appreciate your listings.

C. E. CESEY
IN CHARGE OF FARMS

320 ACRES on pavement 16 miles out. Nice 4-room house, lot of outbuildings.

160 acres, ¼ mile off pavement, 16 miles out.

3-room house on Walnut for $3,000.00.

### J. F. PETERSON

BRILEY AND COWSERT
204 Conley Bldg. Dial 8411, 2-3550

### NOTICE

For rent or sale—section 37, block F, Lubbock, Tex. A first class irrigated stock farm. Mr. R. Gray, the owner, will be in Lubbock about the 1st of Jan. Contact through the Hilton hotel or 2480 Lakeview Ave., Chicago, 14, Ill. Direct contact or through your broker.

640 acres north of Lorenzo well imp. 175 acres wheat will irrigate well $57.50, good terms. Possession with the wheat crop.

Priced at $40. Terms.

5 room bk. on 26th St. $7400. pos. at once.

Your listings appreciated.

### W. G. ABERNATHY

1309 Texas Ave. Dial 7076

DRAFTED, GOING TO ARMY, IMMEDIATELY
Just purchased 640-acre farm, you can assume contract on 640 acres, $42.50 per acre, 400 acres in wheat, 80 acres in pasture, balance in row crop, irrigation plant, 1100 gal. butane tank. $7,000.00 will handle 4-room house, fair outbuildings.
A perfect 3-section farm, all in cultivation except 80 acres, 4 sets of improvements, 1200 acres in wheat, balance row crop, rented for 1945. A steal at $35.00 per acre. Might trade. good terms.
Clean four apt. two apt. down stairs, two up stairs, five-room and bath frame, three-room, breakfast nook and bath, six garages, all for $16,000.00, good terms, close in.

### MONTE M. PAGE or D. T. POTTS

with
J. T. TRIGG
REALTOR
912-13th Dial 2-1722

302 ACRES, 16 miles southwest of Lubbock, in irrigation district about 140 acres level enough to irrigate, 5-room house, barns and windmill, 2-room picker house, rented for 1945. Price $60.00 per acre.

640 acres, 11 miles southwest of Meadow, all in cultivation, 5-room house, garage, graineries, pickers shacks. Price $50.00 per acre.

### BEN F. WIGGINS

with WALTER PRICE AGENCY
414 Myrick Building Dial 9-1932

4 A., GOOD improvements, house furnished, real bargain. Terms. Possession. $4,650. West Cotton Club. Weathers, Box 683

## 31—Farms, Land For Sale

### NORTH PLAINS RANCHES

10 sections highly improved, some in cultivation, balance subject to cultivation. Mostly buffalo and grama grass and well watered. Price—$12.50 per acre.

8 sections in same vicinity, only fair improvements but exceptionally good grass and plenty of shallow water from 8 to 10 feet. A good portion very desirable for cultivation. Price $11.50.

Have number of good Eastern N. M. ranches.

### GUY L. McAFEE AGENCY

1012 Texas Ave Dial 677?

8, 10 OR 15 ACRES
All improved, some well impr with irrigation, located SW of Lubbock. Possession.
Trade lot, cor. 27th St. and Ave. S on 6 rm. cottage and pay cash difference.
Well located homesites, $15 cash, $7.50 mo.

### E. Z. HOGAN

1114 Texas Ave. Dial 6872 or 7182

### B. A. MADDOX

REAL ESTATE
FARMS, RANCHES AND CITY PROPERTY
1111-15th St
OFFICE PHONE 7170 RES. 2-2808

GOOD 30 section ranch, near Kenna, New Mexico, 5,000 acres deeded, balance state and federal lease.

1 section south Elida, N. M., 190 acres cult., 5-room house, well and mill, $18.00 per A.

1 section north of Dimmitt, all in wheat, priced to sell.

½ section near Hereford with 2½ sections leased.

### BRILEY & COWSERT

204 Conley Bldg.
Ph. 8411 Res. 4749

### CHOICE IN HOMESITES

Jefferson Avenue Addition ONLY two blocks from the new Junior Hi location. Make your selections early They are going fast.

### DEEN & WILLIAMS

Dial 2-3868: Res. 7819 1114 Texas

We have several choice residence and farms to offer. Your listing appreciated.

### COME TO ANTON

BEST LAND
BEST NEIGHBORS
WILL BUY LEASES AND ROYALTIES
—SEE—

### TOM EDES

ANTON, TEXAS c/o SPADE HOTEL

A NICE brick home on the corner lot southwest of town, a real buy Man leaving town.
Two quarters 10 miles southeast of Lubbock, half mile of pavement, with good farm improvements and all minerals intact. For quick sale and delivery.
160 A., well improved, 10 miles southwest of Lubbock.
160 A., fair improvements, northwest 8 miles, $85 per A. Good, close-in Lubbock property and land to lease for oil in Cochran and Bailey counties.
Cash buy for a well located 8-room brick and a 9-room brick veneer.

Appreciate your listings
Shown by Appointment

### W. C. McCELVEY, REALTOR

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# Advantages Of Rationing Cited

By PAUL M. O'LEARY
Formerly Deputy Administrator in Charge of Rationing, Office of Price Administration
Written for NEA Service

Rationing has been accepted by the American people as a necessary instrument of wartime control. In foods, rationing has been more than accepted; it has been welcomed. Most of us have been grateful to rationing for largely curing recurrent shortages in sugar, coffee, meats and canned foods.

But controls which the public will accept in wartime it may be eager to cast off when active warfare ceases. This is natural and understandable. Americans have a wholesome dislike for controls which seem to exist merely for their own sake. The emotional release generated by the cessation of active warfare in all theaters, Atlantic and Pacific, could very easily bring a demand for the liquidation of all rationing programs a demand even accompanied by the tearing up of ration books by our more exuberant fellows.

**May Continue After War**

Such a reaction against rationing would be most unfortunate. Actually some degree of rationing may have to continue for at least several months after active warfare ceases and the world is again, in a sense, at peace. The immediate peace which can only be stabilized by active and sustained effort.

Unless we are to throw away in the crucial hour of victory everything we have fought for, we must maintain considerable military forces abroad for some time after the war, and we must help to rehabilitate economic and social life in those areas which will otherwise be the fertile breeding grounds of future wars. Self-interest and the "long view" dictate that we play an active part, and for a while a materially somewhat costly part in the restoration of economic life and social stability in our "one world." We must not merely "cease firing."

**Prepare Now**

No one can say now to just what degree and for how long a time rationing must continue when active warfare ceases. But we should prepare ourselves to ex

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# Decisive Battle Due Soon In Europe

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

We can't know the extent of the damage which the German offensive has done the Allies until General Eisenhower launches his major counter-attack and puts Nazi Marshal Von Rundstedt's flashing steel to the full test.

That great and perhaps decisive battle isn't likely to be long deferred. As things now look we may expect to see shortly a titanic engagement which will flame throughout much of the some 2,500 square miles which the Germans have overrun.

**Prospects Remain Same**

The prospects remain broadly what they were the day Von Rundstedt flung his attack through a pea-soup fog against the thinly held American front along the Argonne. He knew then that his colossal gamble, into which he was pouring all his resources, would bring him one of two things—either he would succeed in delaying final Allied victory over Hitlerdom indefinitely, or he would receive a knockout blow.

Those alternatives still are before him. There is, however, this difference: His position is much stronger today because of the damage he has inflicted to the American fighting machine and because he has succeeded in uniting his two original spearheads, thereby giving his salient much greater stability.

**Nazis Strengthened**

General Eisenhower hasn't yet lost his opportunity of administering a knockout to his opponent. Still, Von Rundstedt by clever generalship has maneuvered himself into such a position that when he has to face the full strength of the Allied counter blow he may be able to pull back into his old position in the Siegfried defenses and thus avoid having his forces cut off and annihilated. This of course would mean he had succeeded in protracting the war so that his masters could fish for peace.

It would also mean that the Germans had secured greater freedom of action in meeting the Russian drive in the east. We may be sure that the German high command had this aspect of the situation well in mind in launching the attack against the western Allies.

The western Allies naturally are watching anxiously for the development of the Russian drive against the Vistula front toward the German frontier. That would be calculated to ease the situation on the western front immeasurably.

## Rites Held Today For Crosbyton Woman

CROSBYTON, Dec. 27 (Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. C. W. Warren, 52, victim of a headon collision of two automobiles Saturday night near Dickens, were to be at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Crosbyton Baptist church, Marr Funeral home announced.

Mrs. Warren's husband, who suffered several broken ribs, cuts and bruises in the same accident, was released from West Texas hospital, Lubbock, Tuesday. He was taken there Saturday night.

Other survivors are a son, Silas Jewel Warren of the U. S. Army who is stationed in Louisiana; her mother, Mrs. Tearcy Barber of Crosbyton; four brothers, J. W. Mounger of Levelland, S. H. Mounger of Memphis, A. A. Mounger of Lubbock and W. D. Mounger of Seagraves.

Warren owns a tire store in Spur and the couple was returning to their home in Crosbyton from Spur when the accident occurred.

## Yanks Retrieve Gun By Lassoing It

TEMPLE, Dec. 27 (AP)—American ingenuity in the form of retrieving a mortar by lassoing it was described here by Pfc. David J. Howell, paratrooper just arrived at McCloskey General hospital.

Howell, with the 101st Airborne division, was one of a crew of four which gave the Nazis "hell for five days and nights" before German tanks finally found their position and knocked it out. His home is Vinton, Va.

The crew which went in with the airborne invasion into Holland Sept. 17, was knocked out Oct. 6.

"We had been forced from our mortar several times before by machinegun fire and snipers," he said. "We took refuge behind a building and this time retrieved our mortar by lassoing it." The Germans soon found the ranger, and Howell said he came to several days later in Brussels.

## Army Wins Victory Over Trench Foot

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Army today reported a western front victory over trench foot—a disease that can knock a soldier out of combat as effectively as a bullet.

At one time, the disease reached 9.82 men out of every 1,000 on the western front. This has been cut 75 per cent.

The Army enforced precautionary measures, taught treatment, increased supplies of footwear and alerted soldiers to the danger in combatting the disease.

The disease results from prolonged exposure of the feet to cold and moisture. Average hospitalization period is 60 days.

## Train Stewards And Waiters Are Fined

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. (AP)—Fines totaling $9,250 were imposed upon 20 stewards, assistant stewards and waiters of Union Pacific trains today after they pleaded no contest to charges that they conspired to commit theft in interstate commerce.

Varying jail sentences were imposed but were suspended.

Pleas of others of the 135 defendants were set for next Tuesday. They are charged with withholding receipts from meals served on the Union Pacific's Challenger trains.

## Official Records

### Marriage Licenses

L. M. Miller, 21, and Miss Novie Davis, 18, both of Lubbock.

Millard Mead, 23, of Pikeville, Ken., and Miss Bernice Wright, 19, of Vallejo, Cal.

Wilburn Preston Coffman, 23, and Miss Opal Mae Boldin, 18, both of Lubbock.

Vincent William Bruns, 23, of Lismore, Minn., and Miss Yvonne Eskin, 19, of Lubbock.

Leo L. O'Hare, 31, of Kimball, Neb., and Miss Marjorie L. Holmes, 23, of Floydada.

### Lubbock Courts

72ND DISTRICT COURT
Dan Blair, Judge Presiding

Willie Mae McDuffie against Walter C. McDuffie, suit for divorce.

Grace Valdez Flores against Willie M. Flores, suit for divorce.

99TH DISTRICT COURT
J. E. Vickers, Judge Presiding

Ruby Mae Hilton against George H. Hilton, Jr., suit for divorce.

Amelia Rodriquez Almendez against Ramiro Almendez, suit for divorce.

### Building Permits

W. C. Holden, owner, to construct two-story adobe residence and garage at 3106 Twenty-first, $2500.

J. H. Price, owner, to construct one-story frame residence at 2110 Ave. O, $3,000.

### Warranty Deeds

H. W. Crews and wife to A. J. Gonzales, lot 10, block 5, Rice sub McCrummen's second addition, $6500.

R. M. McCallon, et al, to Jewell Lynch, part of S sec. 1, block S, GC and SF Ry., $1400.

Walter McNabb and wife to Jesse Warren, E 20' lot 20, lot 21, block 3, Texas Avenue addition, $1750.

Jessie Waldrop and wife to C. A. Porter, W ½ lots 1, 2, W ½ of N 35' lot 3, block 111, West Park addition, $150.

F. S. Shockley and wife to Mrs. Julia Cane, lot 11, block C, Butler estate addition, $300.

W. W. Grigg and wife to T. J. Sullivan, part of S ½ block 11, Suburban Homes addition, $850.

## U. S. Fliers In China Down 29 Jap Planes

CHUNGKING, Dec. 27 (AP)—A formation of P-51 fighters of the U. S. 14th Air force struck the Japanese airdrome at Tsinan in Shantung province again yesterday and destroyed 29 enemy aircraft, boosting to 69 the number knocked out there in three days, an American communique announced today.

The planes destroyed in the latest assault included nine fighters and 20 bombers, all caught on the ground.

Only yesterday the 14th announced its fighters had destroyed 37 Japanese planes in a raid on the same airdrome Dec. 24. Today's communique said it had ascertained that three additional enemy aircraft had been destroyed in that raid.

Yesterday's assault upon Tsinan was carried out in conjunction with sweeping operations over Central China, South China, Burma and Thailand at a total cost of one plane missing.

## Patch Pays Tribute To 36th Division

DALLAS, Dec. 27 (AP)—A glowing tribute to the gallantry and fighting ability of the 36th division has been paid by Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch, according to a special news dispatch received by the Dallas Morning News from staff correspondent, Wick Fowler.

In the commendation addressed to Major Gen. John E. Dahlquist, commander, Gen. Patch said "you have pursued the enemy from your beachhead in southern France to the Alsace plains. You have received no rest and you have allowed the Germans none.

"Your task has been bloody, tedious, difficult. In its accomplishment you have added another page — a page you can justly be proud of — to the long and brilliant history of your division."

**MANCHESTER BOMBED**

LONDON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Berlin said today that Manchester had been struck by V-1 bombs, indicating either that German pick-a-back planes were making daring sweeps toward northern England, or that an improved type of V-1 had a longer range.

(Censorship has not permitted British correspondents to comment).

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TRIBUTE ON TARAWA—Sister Raphael, of the Order of Sacred Heart, prays at the grave of an unknown Marine who died in the liberation of Tarawa on Nov. 20, 1943. Marines who took the island rescued her from the Japs, who, believing she harbored the crew of a wrecked American bomber, had questioned her with bayonet at her back as she faced a machine gun.

### Rayburn Has Helpers In Remembering Names

## 'Three Thurstons' Are Magic In Recognizing New Solons

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—The new Congress may show up now. The three Thurstons are ready.

The three Thurstons really aren't Thurstons at all. They only act like magicians.

They sit by the rostrum in the House and, like magic, reel off the names of every one of the 435 members whether they have seen them before or not.

They are Col. Bill Roy, the assistant parliamentarian; George Maurer, the reading clerk, and Fishbait Miller, custodian of the 103-year-old mace.

Speaker Sam Rayburn will tell you how important they are to the orderly conduct of the House.

**Sam Is Pretty Good**

Sam is pretty good at remembering the names and states of the members. But with 90 new ones coming in—a vast majority strangers—the speaker would have a tough time all alone "recognizing" them for the privilege of the floor—which means a speech.

That's where the three Thurstons step in. One of them is always Johnny on the spot ready to whisper to the speaker when a new member gets up:

"That's Doakes of Arkanses."

The speaker "recognizes" the gentleman for whatever business the gentleman had in mind. And you can imagine that the gentleman is pleased about the whole thing. How in the world, he wonders for a while, does the fabulous Rayburn do it?

**Thurstons 'Go Crazy'**

The three Thurstons just go crazy for a couple of weeks. That's all there is to it.

They have a book. It has pictures of every member. The day after election letters go out to the newcomers for pictures and biographies.

Then the three sit down for hours daily and study the pictures, memorizing the facial characteristics.

After a while, they see the pictures in their respective nightmares.

Being so good at that sort of thing, you'd think they knew Fishbait's right name. Come to think of it, most everyone around the House says, he's been Fishbait for so many years they don't know him by any other handle.

Fishbait won't tell you, either. He likes it.

## New Uses Found For Synthetic Rubber

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. reported today that it had worked out a method of using a new compounding ingredient which makes synthetic rubber usable in a variety of products formerly restricted to natural rubber.

Through use of a new synthetic resin, the company said in a statement, synthetic rubber can be made rigid without use of carbon black.

While this is important for such products as safety helmets, golf ball covers, and some types of electric insulation, the company added, the synthetic so compounded is unsuited for tires.

**STRIKES REPORTED**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Bureau of Labor statistics in preliminary estimates reported today there were 375 strikes last month, involving 200,000 workers and 710,000 man-days of idleness. This was one-tenth of one per cent of the available working time, the bureau said.

**TEXAS WOMAN KILLED**

SUSANVILLE, Calif., Dec. 27. (AP)—Lola Luella Shrader, 24, formerly of Dallas, died here yesterday from injuries received when a car door opened throwing her to the pavement. The body is to be returned to San Angelo, Texas, for burial.

**TEXAN PROMOTED**

LONDON, Dec. 27 (AP)—Archie J. Old of Atlanta, Tex., a pioneer in heavy bombardment in the European theater, has been elevated to the rank of brigadier general, it was announced today. He is with the Eighth Air force.

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