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Chinese Gain At 2 Points As Front Becomes Active

Refugees Stop For Rest

A Korean refugee, with a heavy burden strapped to his back, sits on the ground to rest after a long journey to Hungnam. In the background other refugees wait for a boat ride to safety.

Treaty Will Be Signed With Japs Over Soviet Objection

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
(Associated Press Staff)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — A final split between Russia and the United States over drafting a Japanese peace treaty appears almost inevitable.

An exchange of notes between the two powers, the latest released here last night, disclosed several major points of conflict which diplomats doubt can be resolved. The United States shows every intention of pressing for a treaty regardless of Russia's attitude.

The American note released last night answered half a dozen questions which the Soviet Union had put to this government on Nov. 20 regarding American intentions on a peace settlement.

Points of difference which now emerge from the exchange are mainly these:

1. The United States rejects Russia's contention that any of the great powers should have a veto over the treaty. This means that if Russia will not go along on terms acceptable to this and other friendly nations, then the United States is prepared to go forward without Russia.

2. The United States is going ahead without consulting Communist China, despite Russia's emphasis on Red Chinese interest in Japan. It is pointed out that Washington has no diplomatic relations with the Peiping regime. Moreover there is no current prospect that such relations will be established.

3. The United States considers that it is "reasonable" for Japan to participate with this and with other nations in arrangements for a Japanese defense which "could include provision for the stationing in Japan of troops of the United States and other nations."

4. The United States is standing by its proposal for a future decision, either by the great powers or by the United Nations, on the status of Formosa. This is U. S. policy despite the 1943 Cairo agreement that Formosa should be restored to China. The Russians interpret that as meaning Communist China.

This country's view about Formosa as presented to Moscow appears to be that because of the Chinese aggression in Korea against United Nations forces, UN considerations now take precedence over the Cairo declaration.

Pennsylvanian Test in West-Central Borden

Norwood Drilling Co. of Midland and Wichita Falls have filed an application to start drilling at once on its No. 1 W. D. Johnson as an 8,700 foot wildcat in West-Central Borden County.

Location is 661.1 feet from north and 764.6 feet from west lines of section 34, block 32, T&P survey T-5-N. That makes it nine miles west and one mile south of the town of Gail.

The projected destination of 8,700 feet is calculated to allow a test of the Pennsylvanian limes.

This prospector is being drilled as a result of a deal worked up by Ed D. Alstrin of Midland. He secured a farmout on six tracts of 80 acres each in the region adjacent to the location, and turned those leases to Lewis T. Loman and Sidney Gardner of Dallas to drill the well.

He kept an override on the tracts. Alstrin also secured dry-hole contributions for the drilling of the well from Plymouth Oil Co., Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. and Don Ameche, all of whom own large spreads of acreage in that region.

Lohman and Gardner have made a deal with Norwood to drill the well.

GARZA WILDCAT

A. R. McElreath of Fort Worth No. 1 Spinning, East-Central Garza County wildcat five miles southeast of the town of Post and three miles south and one mile east of the Garza-San Andres field, is at total depth of 2,808 feet running surveys.

Operator bailed 30 barrels of sulphur water per hour from 2,754-70 feet. The water was increasing at total depth.

Location is 330 feet from south and west lines of the southeast quarter of section 9, block 5, GH&H survey.

It had logged some oil stains and some porosity on the interval at 2,763-80 feet. Operator cemented five and one half inch casing at 2,760 feet.

PECOS VENTURE

G. H. Vaughn No. 1 Iowa Realty Trust wildcat in North Pecos County is to start drilling in the immediate future.

Application filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas shows location for the 6,250-foot Ellenburger test to be 1,980 feet from northeast and 660 feet from southeast lines of section 27, block 10, H&GN survey, and 10 miles due west of Buena Vista.

That makes it on the east side of the shallow Pecos Valley high gravity field.

PUMPS 56 BARRELS

C. L. Norsworthy Jr., of Dallas, No. 1 R. M. Thomson, wildcat in North-Central Sutton County and assured producer from an upper Permian formation, made 56.17 barrels of oil during 20 hours of pumping from open hole.

Operator was in the process of

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Senator Urges Arms And Aid To Guerrillas

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP)—Sen. Wiley (R-Wis) urged today that the United States provide arms, sabotage materials, money and encouragement to underground groups inside Russia and Communist satellite countries.

Wiley, second ranking Republican on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee said in a statement that Russian and Communist leaders have been trying for many years to "foment revolutions within the western nations." Now, he added, America and other nations should give the Communists "a taste of their own vile medicine."

"All we need to stir up plenty of trouble in Russia, China and elsewhere is some daring leadership," Wiley said. "A counter-revolutionary program against communism would not cost a drop in the bucket compared with the billions we now spend."

He told a reporter later that his proposals would require no additional legislation or appropriations by Congress.

The Wisconsin senator proposed that America set up a world-wide revolutionary movement against communism patterned upon "the Cominform—the Communist international."

Walker's Son Is New Aide To MacArthur

TOKYO, Dec. 29. (AP) — Gen. MacArthur today appointed as his aide Capt. Cam Sims Walker, son of the late Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, who was killed a week ago in a Korean jeep accident.

Capt. Walker previously was assigned as company commander, Company A, 19th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division.

French Attack Breaks Rebel's Newest Drive

By SEYMOUR TOPPING
(Associated Press Staff)

SAIGON, Indochina, Dec. 29. — Communist-led Vietminh forces pressing a new northern offensive, smashed against French troops on a 25-mile front north of Hanoi today, but a French counterattack drove them back.

The Vietminh drive hit the French defense perimeter at Yenphu, only 10 miles north of the northern Indochina capital. Six French outposts along the front between the Duy and Songcau Rivers bore the brunt of the Vietminh assault, which began in darkness.

French reserves were committed to the battle. The counterattack drove back several attacking Vietminh battalions, and French positions which had been broken by the force of the assault and faced with encirclement later were restored.

The Vietminh offensive now is in its fourth day. Because of a series of French reverses along the frontier, the Communist-led Nationalists now are in positions directly threatening the Hanoi-Haiphong area.

The French-chartered passenger ship, Argentina, is scheduled to sail tomorrow from Haiphong with 1,000 women and children. This will be the first evacuation ship to leave under the current program.

Some 5,000 French women and children are scheduled to leave northern Indochina within the next month.

Houston Girl 'Cotton Maid'

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 29. (AP)—A Texas dream girl—luscious Jeannine Holland, who models, acts, dances and makes her own clothes—is the 1951 "Maid of Cotton."

The 21-year old Houston beauty last night nosed out 18 other lovely lasses hoping to win the title and go on a tour of the United States, Europe and South America as the industry's good will ambassador.

"And I've never been east of St. Louis," said the excited co-ed. "It's extremely wonderful."

Her first alternate is Eleanore Chalmers of San Luis Obispo, Calif. Jean Neal of Greenville, S. C., was named second alternate.

The first step for Miss Holland, a senior at Texas State College for Women, is a trip to New York City Tuesday to get her new cotton wardrobe and modeling instructions. She starts the tour in February.

The brown-haired, brown-eyed winner already has some experience as a fashion model. She also has had dancing roles in high school and college musicals. She majors in speech in college and studies cosutme designing and clothing.

She was picked for her beauty, poise, personality, family background and knowledge of cotton.

Report on Two Scurry Accident Victims From Hospital in Dallas

No improvement is reported in the condition of two traffic accident victims, injured near here, who are now in Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

Robert Dean Tixier, injured Dec. 15, is still in a semi-conscious state from a severe brain injury. He was taken to Dallas to undergo surgery shortly after being injured in a car-train collision here.

Fredrick Scott, injured Dec. 23, was taken to Baylor Hospital Wednesday. Attending physicians there now have him under observation to determine whether or not surgery will be neseccary.

Scott's brother, Robert H. Scott, less seriously injured in the same accident, is reported to be showing slight improvement at Snyder Hospital. The Scott brothers were injured Saturday on the Lamesa highway.

Loan Controls Are Tightened

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP)—The government cut down sharply today on money available for private loans and forged strong new links for harnessing the national economy more firmly to the defense drive.

A Federal Reserve Board order to its 6,885 member banks called for freezing $2 billion out of the loan market.

The board said its action would cut off a potential further increase of $12 billion in the already record-high volume of bank loans. This is because banks could have lent the $2 billion dollars over and over again.

TO OPEN OFFICES

The Economic Stabilization Agency (ESA) announced that it will open 13 regional offices "to handle price and wage problems," a step apparently paving the way for stricter controls expected later.

The National Production Authority (NPA) decreed that the U. S. will take over immediately as sole importer and distributor of natural rubber. Since it already controls synthetic production this move puts the government in virtual control of all rubber.

NPA announced this new move last night only a few hours after it had forbidden hoarding of 55 essential materials, including steel, lumber and paper. An NPA spokesman interpreted the latter ban to apply to newsprint.

ASK SPEEDUP

The Federal Reserve Board's credit curb action was announced last night after banks had closed. Today the board called on industry for a more rapid switchover from civilian to defense production.

Californian Is Champion Liar

BURLINGTON, Wis., Dec. 29. (AP)—A Californian who wandered far afield for the locale of a weird weather story was crowned today as the world's champion liar of 1950.

The Burlington Liars' Club picked this one by Frank J. Goulette, of Los Angeles, from a pack of lies submitted from all over the nation and from foreign lands in its annual contest:

"One winter, while I was working on a pile driver in North Dakota it got so cold that one night a member of our crew froze to death in bed.

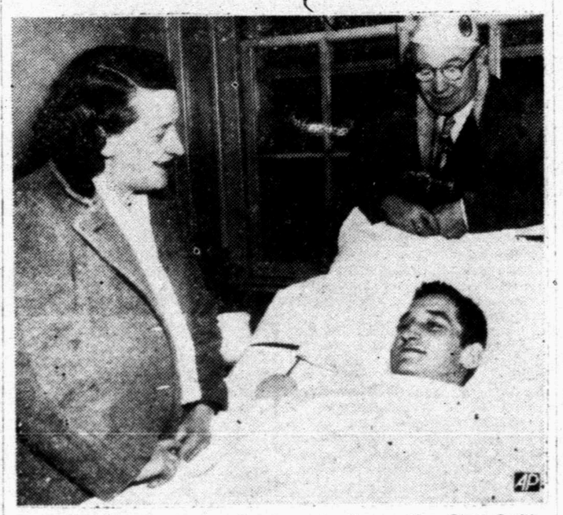
"The ground was frozen so hard that it was impossible to dig a grave. In fact, we never did find out how far down it was frozen. But this I do know: Seeing we couldn't dig a grave, we stood the fellow on his head under the pile-driver—and we had to drive on him seven days and seven nights before we got him down far enough for a decent burial!"

The judges liked this one by Joseph Flynn of Cleveland, O., enough to give it honorable mention:

"One night," Flynn lied, "when I was firing on the railroad, we got orders to go into a sidetrack to let a passenger by. We had a long drag, including 65 carloads of canaries, and when we got the highball the engineer just couldn't get rolling—too much weight.

"I guess we would have been there yet if I hadn't solved the problem. Going back along the train I hung a lighted lantern in every one of those canary cars. The birds, thinking it was morning, flew off their perches. With the birds in the air we had enough weight off the wheels so that we could get going."

Brave Smile From Mother



Mother and son have smiles for each other as Mrs. Clara Smith of Middlesburg, Pa., visits her quadruple amputee son, Pfc. Robert Smith, 20, at Walter Reed hospital in Washington. After he was slightly wounded, the terrible cold of North Korea caused Pfc. Smith to lose both legs below the knees and both hands. With them is Joseph McCracken, Kingston, Pa., Pennsylvanian state commander of the American Legion.

Redistricting County Justice Precincts Abolishes Offices

Scurry county has been redistricted, defining new boundaries for three old justice precincts, and creating one new precinct to comply with the requirements of the constitution of Texas, Edgar Taylor, county judge, said today. The action was taken by an informal meeting of the commissioners court this week.

At the last redistricting of the county, three justice precincts were set up. But that was an illegal districting of the county, Taylor said.

Justice of the peace and constable offices in the old precincts were abolished by the commissioners' court action, Taylor said.

New justices of the peace and constables in the four precincts will be appointed by the commissioners court.

Two justices of the peace, W. C. Davidson of Snyder in precinct No. 1 and J. R. Jennings of Fluvanna in precinct No. 2, have already been appointed by the court, but no constable appointments have been made, Taylor said.

Precinct No. 1, which includes Snyder, is by far the largest of the new justice precincts in the county. It extends from the north to the south county lines through the center of the county. Other precincts are small corners of the county: justice precinct No. 2 in the northwest corner of the county; justice precinct No. 3 in the southwest corner of the county; and justice precinct No. 4 in the southeast corner of the county.

A summary of the action taken, and records recorded with the county clerk follows:

The Commsioners' Court may abolish old justice precincts and redivide the county into new justice precincts at any time, so long as there is a minimum of four and not more than eight justice precincts in the county. When such justice precincts are abolished the offices in the old precincts become vacant and the officers of the newly created justice precincts must be appointed by the commissioners court.

The authority of the commissioners court to divide counties into justice precincts is provided in Section 18 of Article V of the State Constitution, which reads in part as follows: "Each organized county in the State now or hereafter existing, shall be divided from time to time, for the convenience of the people, into precincts, not less than four and not more than eight. The present County courts shall make the first division. Subsequent divisions shall be made by the commissioners court, provided for this Constitution. In each such biennial election, one justice of the peace and one constable, each of whom shall hold his office for two years and until his successor shall be elected and in which there may be a city of 8,000 or more inhabitants, there shall be elected two justices of the peace."

The attempted nomination of a candidate for constable of a precinct before it comes into existence is entirely void and no one is entitled to such a nomination. Then it shall be the duty of the commissioners court to appoint new officers for the new precinct.

When the new precincts come in existence, all precinct offices will be vacant and the commissioners court will be charged with the duty of filling these precinct offices by appointment.

Snyder has only one justice of the peace, although it could have two under the constitution, because other towns of similar size had found that there was some conflict between two justices, Taylor said.

Both Lubbock and Sweetwater have only one. Appointing of justices is left to the discretion of the commissioners court, and after consulting Judge Davidson, they decided that one justice with some secretarial help would be more efficient then two justices without the help, Taylor said.

Suspended

Attorney General McGrath has announced the suspension from office of Harvey L. Carey (above) U. S. District Attorney for the Western District of Louisiana. McGrath declined to elaborate or to discuss reasons for the action.

GM, Ford, Packard, Studebaker Will Curtail Car Production

DETROIT, Dec. 29. (AP) — The auto industry got ready today to cut output of new cars at the start of the new year. National emergency demands will force curtailment.

Production cutbacks will cause layoffs of a large number of auto workers. The unemployment, however, is expected to be only temporary as the industry converts to defense production.

The car makers said government restrictions on use of critical materials make the cutbacks necessary. The trade paper Automotive News said the cutbacks will range from 20 to 30 per cent throughout the industry in the early months of the new year.

Four companies have announced plans for cutbacks. They are General Motors, Packard, Ford and Studebaker.

General Motors said a week's shutdown at its Linden, N. J. plant would idle some 3,000 workers. The plant is to close next week and reopen Jan. 8.

Packard Motor Car Co. announced it will curtail auto production approximately 20 per cent starting Jan. 2. The firm will lay off 1,800 workers here. Packard has been producing about 550 cars daily.

The Ford Motor Co. Lincoln-Mercury division announced a cut in car production from 440 to 280 units a day at Metuchen, N.J. More than 1,000 workers will be idled. This will bring total layoffs in Ford plants throughout the United States to about 13,000.

Studebaker Corp., at South Bend Ind. has announced a 20 per cent cutback of automobiles and trucks during January.

Any further cutbacks in production are expected to hit the Detroit area the hardest. Although the auto industry has received an estimated $1 billion in defense contracts recently most of the work is to be done in plants outside Detroit. So far most of the defense production has been assigned to new plant facilities with a minimum of interruption to auto output.

Korean War In Brief

(By The Associated Press)

FIGHTING FRONT — First blow of newly massed Communist Army drives back UN forces 10 miles on east flank. Skirmishes reported all along 150-mile line near 38th Parallel. Air observers spot heavy Red troop movements towards battlezone. New commander of U. S. Eighth Army, Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, says he has complete confidence in ultimate success of UN Korean effort.

DIPLOMATIC FRONT U. S. rejects Russia's contention that any of great powers should have veto over proposed Japanese peace treaty. Americans pressing for treaty regardless of Russian attitude.

Chinese Reds Seize Property Of Americans

HONG KONG, Dec. 29. (AP)—Communist China yesterday seized all United States property and froze all U. S. bank deposits, the Peiping radio said today.

The Red premier minister, Chou En-Lai, announced the seizure in retaliation for similar U. S. action on Dec. 16. He called the United States' action an "attempt to loot the Chinese people of their property."

A high Commerce Department official in Washington estimated the seizures would total "considerably less than $100 million." He said most U. S. property in China was seized when the Reds took over in 1949.

An unofficial translation of Chou's order follows:

"1. The local people's government shall control and inventory all property of American Government and American enterprises. They may not be transferred or disposed of unless authorized by the military and administrative commissions. In case of provinces and municipalities which are under the direct jurisdiction of the Central People's Government, such transfers and disposals should only be authorized by the financial and economic commission of the state council. The owners and those in charge of the property shall be responsible for protection of the properties and shall in no way cause damage to them.

"2. All American public and private deposits within the territory of the People's Republic of China shall be frozen. Necessary expense to maintain lawful merchants and the living of individuals may only be withdrawn upon approval by the local people's government. The amounts are to be regulated by the financial and economic commission of the state council in a separate order."

It was not clear whether the "separate order" would be a general ruling on all U. S. assets or would deal separately with each case.

Weather Due To Turn Cold

Clear skies brought a warmer day to Snyder yesteday, with a maximum reading of 52 degrees recorded by Mrs. D. F. Strayhorn, weather observer.

A mass of cool air, too weak to be called a real cold front, is scheduled to arrive here Saturday, lowering temperatures slightly, the weathermen say.

The new cool front is expected to sideswipe Northwest and North Texas tonight and tomorrow.

The front is expected to lower temperatures in the Panhandle tonight and in the upper Pecos Valley and north and northwest East Texas tomorrow.

Temperatures today were expected to be relatively warm for this season.

A heavy frost blanketed much of North Texas early this morning, with temperatures dropping into the mid and upper 20s under clear skies.

Lowest temperature this morning was 16 degrees at Ozona and Junction. High was 47 at Brownsville.

Vacation Ends Monday

Schools in Snyder will re-open Monday following the holiday vacation. The holiday was cut short due to the late opening of school this fall to permit completion of classwork by spring dismissal.

Air Force Hits Supply Lines And Masses

Yanks Give Up 10 And 13 Miles At The Two Places Under Attack

(Associated Press Staff)

TOKYO, Dec. 29. — Massed Red manpower drove United Nations forces back up to 10 miles today in the eastern sector of the Korean warfront.

There was skirmishing all along the defense line.

Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, expressed "complete confidence in the ultimate success" of the United Nations effort in Korea.

Gen. MacArthur said two Red regiments seized high ground northwest of Oron, 35 miles inland from the Sea of Japan coast and about 10 miles south of Parallel 38.

AND ANOTHER

Another thrust rolled allied forces back southeast of Yongpo, 13 miles due east of Oron.

MacArthur said the Reds were active in almost all sectors across Korea's waist. He reported 5,000 to 6,000 Reds were massed west of the frozen Imjin River. Another concentration was spotted south of Yonchon, in the central sector.

Korean Reds were in the forefront of the enemy action. Behind them were hordes of Chinese. MacArthur estimated Thursday that more than 1,350,000 Reds—Chinese and North Korean — were poised in Korea and Manchuria to strike allied forces.

U.N. warplanes struck the enemy all along the frigid front and at his supply lines from Manchuria. Observation planes spotted camouflaged vehicles in the forward areas.

LIGHT START

MacArthur said the assault in the Yongpo area began lightly with U.N. troops dispersing 100 Reds in the initial attack. Later, a regiment of Communists was thrown at the allied troops and ground was lost.

A briefing officer at U.S. Eighth Army headquarters said one allied unit was thrown back 10 miles.

Air observers reported mounting evidence of Chinese and North Korean forces moving up toward the battlezone.

Ridgway, Eighth Army commander, imposed tight restrictions on pin-pointing any units of his hugh force at this time.

RED BROADCASTS

While the lid was screwed a little tighter on news in Korea by the allied command, the Red radio at Pyongyang broadcast that United Nations forces had suffered losses of men and war material in the Kangwon area on Dec. 24 and 25.

"The people's forces operating in the Kangwon Province inflicted blows upon the enemy's powerful units in the area south of the 38th Parallel on Dec. 24 and 25 with immense results," the radio said.

"According to a part of the war records, our forces inflicted about 320 casualties upon the enemy forces and captured about 110 troops in the said actions."

MacArthur quoted the enemy report in his communique.

U.S. Far East Air Forces and Fifth Air Force fighters and bombers kept plugging at the Communists near the Red front.

Seven Men Trapped In Colorado Mine

(AP) — Seven men were reported trapped by fire in the Suggler Gold Mine here today.

A swiftly moving blaze destroyed the shaft house before anyone could get in or out and it was believed seven men were in the old diggings which lie close to a main transcontinental highway in this mountain village 40 miles west of Denver.

Transfer To Berlin

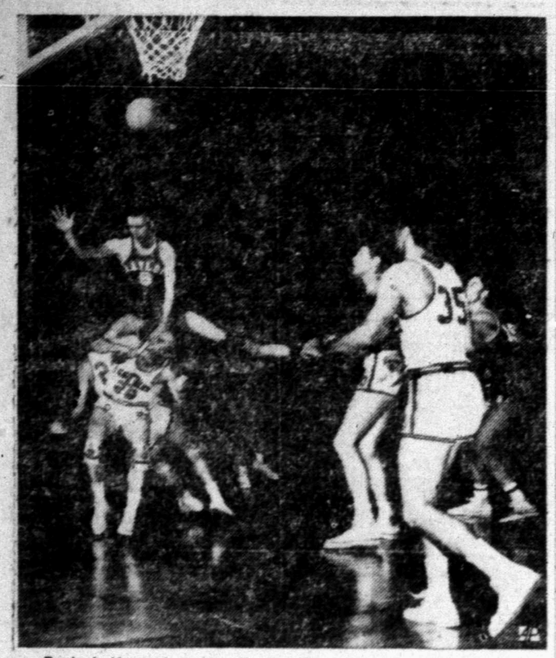
BERLIN, Dec. 29. (AP) — A battalion of U. S. infantry today completed its transfer from West Germany to the Berlin garrison. Former constabulary troopers, the soldiers were reorganized and reequipped to join the Sixth Infantry Regiment in Berlin.

Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and warmer this afternoon. Turning colder in Panhandle tonight and in upper portion of Pecos Valley eastward Saturday.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and warmer this afternoon and tonight. Turning colder in north and west portions. With a few showers in east portion Saturday. Gentle to moderate variable winds on the coast becoming southerly Saturday.

Hitches A Ride



Baylor's Howard Hovde (6) straddles the neck of Oklahoma A & M's Norman Pilgrim (29) as he misses a shot at the basket. The teams met in the first round of the All-College Basketball Tournament at Oklahoma City. The Aggies won, 75-38, and are favored to win the tournament.

Claassen Predictions

By HAROLD CLAASSEN
(Associated Press Staff)

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Two-platoon football has become so popular that the gridiron sport has two seasons during each year—the scheduled program in the fall and the bowl "season" on January 1.

But to prove to you that the two seasons are really one, here are the winners of the coming bowl contests.

Saturday, Dec. 30.

East-West Shrine game at San Francisco: The Eastern forces, with Everett Grandelius of Michigan State as the spear, are seven point favorites to chalk up a fourth straight triumph. But the real winner will be the crippled kids in the various hospitals, who get the gate receipts after expenses have been paid. The East to win.

DEFEAT GEOGRAPHY

Blue-Gray at Montgomery, Ala.: Dan Foldberg and Chuck Shira, members of the team that represented that grand old southern school, the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y., are members of the Dixie eleven. If the Southerners can defeat geography that easily why can't they bet the northern football team? The South, suh, by seven.

Monday, Jan. 1.

Rose Bowl at Pasadena: Michigan over California.

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans: Oklahoma over Kentucky. Five Oklahomans are supposedly on the hospital list. They will get well, miraculously, by the time of kickoff and football's longest modern winning streak will move to 32 games.

PICKS WHARTON

Cotton Bowl at Dallas: Texas over Tennessee. With Townsend in the backfield and McFadin on the line the Texas team is at least the equal of any team in the country. In addition, the Longhorns will be playing before the homefolks.

Orange Bowl at Miami: Clemson over Miami.

Gator Bowl at Jacksonville: Wyoming over Washington & Lee.

Cigar Bowl at Tampa, Fla.: Valparaiso over Lacrosse (Wis.) Teachers.

Sun Bowl at El Paso: Cincinnati over West Texas State.

Salad Bowl at Phoenix, Ariz.: Arizona State of Tempe over Miami of Ohio.

Tangerine Bowl at Tampa, Fla.: Morris Harvey over Emory and Henry.

Pineapple Bowl at Honolulu: Denver over Hawaii.

Oleander Bowl at Galveston: Wharton Junior College over San Angelo Junior College.

Brownwood Meet Goes Into Second Round

BROWNWOOD, Dec. 29. (AP) — Eight high schools were left in the running today as second round play started in the annual Howard Payne Invitational Basketball tournament.

Yesterday Sweetwater beat Olney, 33-21; Pampa defeated Midland, 45-39; Milby (Houston) downed Big Spring, 50-39; Fort Worth Northside licked Odessa, 40-38; Port Arthur crushed Temple, 38-22; Burkett knocked off Cleburne, 51-49, and Kerrville beat Brownwood, 32-27.

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2 Southwest Cage Teams In Tourney Play

(Associated Press Staff)

Two Southwest Conference basketball teams bid for tournament titles tonight—at Oklahoma City and Dallas.

Arkansas meets Oklahoma A&M for the championship of the All College Tournament and Southern Methodist takes on Texas Tech in the Cotton Bowl Tournament.

Arkansas advanced to the finals against Hank Iba's Aggies with a 46-34 victory over Alabama. A&M defeated the University of Texas 47-38.

Southern Methodist knocked off North Texas State, 47-39, while Texas Tech licked Texas Christian, 51-45.

In other games involving Southwest Conference teams, Rice took it on the chin from Stephen F. Austin, 84-72, and Baylor lost to Vanderbilt, 54-53, in the Oklahoma tournament.

Oklahoma A&M already holds two decisions over Arkansas this season.

In other games tonight Texas A&M meets Trinity University at San Antonio; Texas Christian, and North Texas plays at Dallas; Texas and Alabama and Oklahoma City University and Baylor play at Oklahoma City.

Michigan Band Arrives In California For The Rose Bowl Celebration

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 29. (AP) —The Michigan band is on the Rose Bowl scene and practicing to beat the band — California's, of course.

The 150-man Wolverine marching contingent arrived yesterday to put the blast on the California musicians. Nearly 2,000 persons were on hand to greet the band, which paraded through town and gave a good sample of the style which has won it national recognition.

California is slightly favored to win the football game by three points. But the Michigan band is favored by four trombones and a glockenspiel.

Houston Schools Are Rated As Favorites

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 29. (AP) — A couple of Houston schools — San Jacinto and Lamar—loomed as the top contenders for the Class AA title in the San Antonio Invitational High School Basketball Tournament.

San Jacinto last night bounced into the semifinals on a 53-44 victory over Burbank, while Lamar downed Austin, 58-45.

Other semi-finalists are Lanier, which beat Alamo Heights, 55-45 and Thomas Jefferson, which trimmed Brackenridge, 35-28.

In the open class, San Antonio Tech and South San Antonio gained the finals.

Tech defeated New Braunfels 52-35, and South San Antonio licked Hot Wells, 34-21.

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Crime Probers Open Florida Session Today

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 29. (AP) — The Kefauver Crime Committee opened a hearing here today, ready to explain the interlocking nationwide operations of king-size racketeers.

"We will describe how the national jigsaw fits together," Sen. Lester Hunt (D-Wyo) promised. Sen. Hunt was assigned to conduct the hearing by Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn), committee chairman who was unable to come here.

The Wyoming senator declared the committee has proved definite links of crime syndicates "all over the United States," with headquarters at New York and Chicago.

LAST SESSION

He said this would be the last Florida session before the life of the committee expires March 31. The committee, however, may be authorized to continue.

Tampa's many unsolved murders and any possible link with the Mafia will be spotlighted at the current hearing, expected to last two days. The Mafia is a secret Sicilian criminal society.

The committee has announced the names of 10 witnesses slated to appear today. Seven other witnesses, all of Tampa, are missing.

Alfred Klein, assistant committee counsel, said the committee has been unable to find them to serve subpoenas.

VOLUNTEERS

Cody Fowler of Tampa president of the American Bar Assn., has volunteered to testify as to how lawyers can help hold down big-time criminal operations.

Another volunteer was Circuit Court Judge Henry C. Tillman, who was to discuss possible legislation to help law enforcement officers fight crime.

Civil Defense Administrator Due Watching

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. — Sen. Humphrey (D-Minn) said today he will ask the new Congress to set up a "watch-dog" committee to keep a very close check on the Civil Defense Administration.

Humphrey said this should be done to prevent any abuse of the "tremendous powers" Congress is expected to hand the civil defense administrator in a compromise bill approved yesterday by Senate-House conferees.

DIFFERENCES

The compromise measure reconciles the differences in the bill passed separately by the two Houses last week. Congress is expected to approve it before the present session ends Jan. 2, and send it to the White House for President Truman's expected signature.

The bill is designed to (a) set up a new independent civil defense administration, headed by a single boss, and (b) set in motion the machinery for an estimated $3,100,000,000 three-year fedral-state-local outlay for civil defense purposes.

President Truman has announced he will appoint Millard F. Caldwell, Jr., former governor of Florida, as the $17,500-a-year administrator. Caldwell now heads the civil defense agency which Mr. Truman created temporarily.

TWO AREAS

Caldwell's powers will fall within two broad areas: Those he can use immediately, and those which he can use only after the President or Congress has declared a civil defense emergency when an enemy attack on the United States, its territories or possession "has occurred or is anticipated."

Austin Gridders In Dallas, Set For Game

DALLAS, Dec. 29. (AP) — Austin High School today is due to arrive here in time for a workout at Dal-Hi Stadium, site of tomorrow's Class AA Championship football game between the Maroons and Wichita Falls.

Wichita Falls romped through an offensive scrimmage yesterday, then tapered off today.

Last year, Wichita Falls won the title when it beat Austin, 14-13, at Fort Worth.

Texans In Lineup

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29. (AP)—Four Texans are listed today in the starting West lineup against the East Saturday.

They are Kyle Rote, SMU, fullback; Brad Rowland, McMurry right half; Andy Hillhouse, Texas A&M left end; and Lee Stonestreet, Rice, center.

Thoroughbred Breeder Dies At His Florida Winter Home

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 29. (AP) —Warren Wright, 75, owner of the fabulous Calumet Farm thoroughbred racing stable, died at his winter home here last night after an illness of three weeks.

Wright was master of the most successful racing and breeding thoroughbred farm in the history of the American turf.

Wright and his wife, the former Miss Lucille Parker of Maysville,

Warren Wright

Ky., arrived here early in December for the winter. He was stricken three weeks ago and died at 8:45 P.M. (EST). Death was attributed to natural causes.

Mrs. Wright and their son, Warren, Jr., were with him at the end. The son arrived here two weeks ago from Lexington, Ky.

FEW WAGERS

Wright, slender and quiet-spoken, had an inherent love for race horses and he bred them to win. He traveled thousands of miles to see his thoroughbreds run, but made only an occasional sentimental wager.

He began building his turf empire in 1931 when he inherited the bulk of his father's $30 million estate. The father, William Monroe Wright, had founded the Calumet Baking Powder Company in Chicago in 1888.

The elder Wright himself had been a successful breeder and turfman and won the Hambletonian, Kentucky Futurity and other major harness events.

His estate included the Calumet Farm near Lexington, Ky., which the son inherited.

Warren Wright was born in Springfield, Ohio, Sept. 25, 1875, and educated in the public schools of Chicago. He joined his father's baking powder company as an office boy in 1890.

Ten years after he inherited Calumet Farm, Wright's colt Whirlaway won the Kentucky Derby, the Belmont and the Preakness. Three more Calumet horses went on to win the Kentucky Classic—Pensive in 1944, Citation in 1948 and Ponder in 1949. Citation also won the triple crown of racing in 1948.

WILL TO WIN

By 1949 Calumet Farm had been the leading turf money winner for nine years. This year it is a close second to Brookmeade Stable.

In 1950 Citation became the world's leading turf money winner with total earnings of $948,630.

Other great Calumet Farm horses include Armed, Bewitched, Coaltown and Faultless.

The handsome, white-haired Wright attributed success for man and horse alike to "The will to win."

He had many interests and was on the board of directors of several major tracks, including Hialeah Race Course in Florida.

He was active in civic affairs and a heavy contributor to the Red Cross and the Damon Runyon Cancer Fund. He spent his winters at his palatial home on Collins Avenue in Miami Beach and his summers at Calumet Farm or in Chicago.

The body will be sent to Chicago for funeral srvices and burial.

Watch Service Planned At Calvary Baptist Church New Year's Eve

The Calvary Baptist Church, Avenue I and Thirteenth Street, will hold a watch service Sunday night beginning at 8 o'clock, the Rev. T. Gerald Cates, pastor, announced today.

As a rule, services begin there at 7 o'clock Sunday nights, but the time has been set at 8 this Sunday because of the long service and the distance some ministers and other out-of-town visitors will drive to the service, Mr. Cates said.

An intermission will be held at 10 o'clock when coffee will be served.

Guest speakers will include the Rev. Marvin Clark of Big Spring, the Rev. L. B. Boyles of Canyon, and the Rev. A. L. Patterson of Sweetwater. Several other ministers have been invited to speak at the services, but it is not definite yet how many will be able to come.

Defending Champs Out In Girls Cage Play

DALLAS, Dec. 29. (AP) — The Southwestern AAU Girls High School Basketball Cotton Bowl Tournament entered its second round today minus defending champion Mesquite.

Thorndale nosed out last year's winner, 21-20, last night.

In other first round games, Allen beat Kenedy, 42-41; Plano won over Irving, 45-33; Duncanville defeated Frost, 45-35, and Henrietta won by forfeit from Scranton.

Enlarge Merkel Church

Plans for remodeling and enlargement of the First Methodist Church in Merkel have been announced by the pastor of the church, after final approval by the congregation.

Present buildings will be remodeled to conform to an old English type of architecture, and the interior will be revised to give more classroom space. The present chapel will be converted into a two-story unit, which will provide most of the additional class space.

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County Officials Go To Abilene Ceremony Opening New Underpass

Judge Edgar Taylor, Doyle Parmer, county commissioner, and Cullen Toombs, commissioners elect represented Scurry County at the official opening of the Abilene underpass and traffic circle yesterday.

The county officials attended the celebration to get ideas for a similar program which may be held here when the proposed by-pass and county road project is completed, said Judge Taylor.

A. F. Mitchell, of Harlingen, Tex. state highway commissioner, represented Fred Wemple, chairman of the commission, who was unable to attend because of illness.

The Abilene underpass project was constructed by the city of Abilene and Taylor County.

S. J. Treadaway, district engineer for the State Highway Department, was presented with a gold watch for work on the project, Taylor reported.

Advances in Santa Fe

Kenneth C. May of Waynoka, Okla., has been appointed trainmaster of the Santa Fe's Slaton division with headquarters there. He will succeed John S. Reed, who has held the position for the last two years and is now being transferred to Pueblo, Colo.

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Tournament Opens

COMMERCE, Dec. 29. (AP) — The first East Texas State Invitation Basketball Tournament opens here today with 14 Northeast Texas high schools entered.

Gift Clothing Is Fitted To Needy Children

About 40 needy families, which included nearly 160 underprivileged children, were outfitted with clothing yesterday in connection with the Kiwanis Club Christmas program, it was announced by Frank Fisher, member of the underprivileged committee.

Distribution of the clothing was made from the V. V. Thomason residence, 2404 Avenue L, where the articles had been assembled by the members of the Newcomers' Club, Kiwanis, and other cooperating organizations.

Much of the clothing was practically new, and other garments received had been renovated.

"They came to the Thomason residence all day and as fast as we could, we outfitted a family and sent them on their way," Fisher said.

The clothing distribution was part of the toy and food Yuletide gifts sponsored by the Kiwanians, which will be an annual affair, according to Dr. Woodrow W. Mikeska, committee chairman.

Kiwanians who assisted in the work yesterday besides Fisher, included Bill Brown, Walter C. Billingsley, Roy A. Harrison, Lloyd Davis, Harold W. Grant, and Robert M. Wemple.

Abilene Christian Is Victor At Tournament

PORTALES, N. M., Dec. 29. (AP) —Abilene Christian College downed Southeastern State of Oklahoma 56-45 yesterday in the first round of the Sunshine State Basketball Tournament.

Guard Warlick Thomas scored 16 points for high. Forward Kenyon Hicks broke the free throw tournament record by pitching nine for nine.

Ratify Water Contract

Roby residents voted unanimously yesterday to ratify a contract for the city to purchase water from the Fisher County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1. The water district is a joint group formed by Roby and Rotan to purchase water for city purposes from Sweetwater after completion of Oak Creek Dam. Rotan residents will vote on ratification of the contract on Jan. 6.

Methodist To Hold Services New Year's Eve

Members of the First Methodist Church will see the old year out Sunday night with a special watch night communion service which will begin at 11:15 o'clock, the Rev. W. W. Adcock, pastor, said today.

The regular church services Sunday will be held as usual with morning worship at 10:55 and evening services beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Snyder Methodists will also join the denomination's nearly nine million other members in a national mid-century prayer for peace Sunday, Mr. Adcock announced.

He said the call to special prayer was sounded by the Methodist council of bishops and the church's general board of evangelism in view of the "exceptionally grave condition of the world today."

In a letter to pastors of 42,000 Methodist churches, the board urged every congregation to unite in "a chain of prayer on Mid-Century Sunday, beseeching God's guidance in converting a world crisis to a just and lasting peace."

Declaring that "mankind's hope for freedom is in desperate jeopardy," the plea for prayer coincided with a similar request by the president of the new National Council of Churches, Episcopal Bishop Henry Knox Sherrill, of New York. He urged all Protestants to offer prayers on Dec. 31 for "a peace which is the fruit of righteousness."

The letter to pastors, stressing individual and group participation, stemmed from the following call by Methodist bishops:

"With a sense of deep urgency we call our fellow Methodists and all others who will to join us in special prayer.

"Let us pray daily for the leaders of our country and of the United Nations, that God will give them wisdom and courage to seek and to do His will.

"Let us pray for all who are under the shadow of war; for those who do battle for us....the homeless, the hungry, the children. Let us pray for our enemies that God may lead them in the way of righteousness and peace."

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Youth Revival Begins At Baptist Church

The Youth Revival of the First Baptist Church began last night with the Rev. Mori Hiratani, Hawaiian of Japanese ancestry, conducting services. Singing will be directed by Sam Choy, Hawaiian of Korean ancestry.

The revival will continue through Sunday night with services each night at 7:30 and morning services at 7:30 o'clock.

Seven committees were chosen to assist in the revival work. Chairmen of the advertising committee is Durelle Stokes and Bob Davie.

The prayer meeting chairmen are dack Ready and Joe Cargile; chairmen of the hospitality committee, Miss Mary Belle Weathersbee and Wendel Autry; chairmen of the visitation committee, Miss Cary Patrick and Miss Jenny Cargile; music chairmen, James Patrick and Miss Wanda Jean Rainwater; fellowship chairmen, Miss Ila Ruth Newton and Jerry McDaniel; and chairmen of the usher committee are Wayland Walton and Kay Tate.

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Pastor

Permian Basin Oil News

Terry Stepout Rates 2,704.8

Honolulu Oil Corp and Union Oil Co. of California have completed their No. 1 McGowan as a southeast stepout to production in the Brownfield, South - Canyon field of East - Central Terry County.

The new well was finished for a daily initial production of 2,704.8 barrels of 43-gravity oil, flowing naturally through a one-inch opening on tubing from open hole pay at 9,932-10,100 feet in the Canyon reef lime.

The oil had a shakeout of five-tenths of one per cent water. Gas-oil ratio was 676-1. Flowing tubing pressure was 350 pounds. Casing pressure was 650 pounds.

The 24-hour potential was based on an actual flow of 450.06 barrels of oil in six hours.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of the north half of the southwest quarter of section 72, block T, D&W survey. The new well is one half of a mile south of the discovery well of the Brownfield, South-Canyon field.

It topped the reef at 9,925 feet on an elevation of 3,252 feet.

Honolulu is rigging up for its No 1 McGowan which is to be one location south of the partnership's new producer. It will be 660 feet from south and west lines of section 72, block T, D&W survey and is slated to dig to 10,100 feet to try to production in the reef. Drilling will start at once.

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Schleicher Well Is Completed From Middle Permian Lime for 298

Frank and George Frankel and Shell Oil Co. No. 1 R. S. Williams Northwest Schleicher County wildcat, two miles south of the Tankersley-Strawn field, which is in Southeast Irion County, has been completed as a flowing discovery from a middle Permian lime through perforations in the casing at 4,288-4,305 feet.

The well reported a 24 hour potential of 298.1 barrels of 34.2 gravity oil, plus 9.5 per cent water. The gauge on the completion test was through a 20-64th inch tubing choke. The perforated zone had been washed with 500 gallons of acid. Flowing tubing pressure was 160 pounds.

Location is 660 feet from south and 810 feet from west lines of section 26, HE&WT survey.

This exploration had previously reported a 24-hour potential of 299.7 barrels of 39.2 gravity oil, flowing from perforated section at 5,520-40 feet in the Wolfcamp, lower Permian.

That production declined quickly to practically nothing and the operators then plug back to 4,415 feet and perforated the section at 4,288-4,305 feet for the testing which has now resulted in the completion of an oil well and the discovery of a new producing area.

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Test of Clear Fork In Northwest Andrews

Fair and Woodward of San Antonio are to start operations at once on their No. 1 Hall-McWhorter, which is project to 7,700 feet to test the lower Clear Fork of the Permian in Northwest Andrews County.

Location is 660 feet from south east quarter of section 8, block A-29, psl survey.

That makes it one half of a mile due east of the Garrett M. Smith No. 1 McWhorter-Hall, flowing discovery of the Smith-Clear Fork field which was completed several months ago.

Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 Hall, a due south offset to the Smith discovery was recently plugged and abandoned as a failure after being low and dry in the pay which was found by the pool opener.

The Fair and Woodward project is 28 miles northwest of the town of Andrews.

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Kimble Location Made

A. W. Gregg of Houston has staked his second location in the Ken-Pennsylvanian field in Central-West Kimble County.

It is No. 2 Otto Thiers, which is projected to 3,000 feet with rotary tools.

Location is four miles west of Roosevelt and 660 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of section 80, block A, GWT&P survey.

It is 400 feet northeast of the same operator's No. 1 Thiers, a newly staked location.

Operations on No. 2 Thiers will begin immediately.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT'S INTENTION TO FIX SALARIES FOR THE YEAR 1951 AT ITS REGULAR MEETING ON JANUARY 8, 1951

WHEREAS, it is provided by statute that it shall be the duty of the Commissioners' Court of Scurry County, Texas, to set the salaries of the precinct, county and district officials, their deputies, or any of them, and the precinct commissioners; and

WHEREAS, such salaries will be determined by the Commissioners' Court at its first regular meeting on January 8, 1951.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners' Court will meet on January 8, 1951, at its first regular meeting to discuss salaries of the precinct, County, and district officials, their deputies, and the precinct commissioners.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, as provided by law, that the court has authority and will consider the raising of the salaries of the precinct, county and district officials, or any of them, and their deputies and of the precinct commissioners, on said date.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, this the 11th day of December, 1950.

EDGAR TAYLOR, County Judge, Scurry County, Texas.

Well in West Wellman Field of Terry County Plugged As a Failure

Anderson - Prichard Oil Corp. No. 2 H. C. Bevers, one location west of the discovery well of the Wellman field in Southwest Terry County, has been plugged and abandoned at total depth of 12,700 feet in an unidentified pre-Woodford dolomite.

The project topped that dolomite at 12,645 feet. It drilled to 12,700 feet and ran a 90-minute drillstem test with the packer at 12,650 feet.

A 2,610 - foot water blanker was used. Gas surfaced in eight minutes. There was a steady blow of gas throughout the remainder of the test.

Recovery was the 2,610-foot water blanket and 5,410 feet of sulphur water.

This prospector was extra low to the discovery of the Wellman field and it did not find any signs of commercial production in any zone it drilled through.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of the northeast quarter of section 39, block DD, John H. Gibson survey.

Some observers had reported that the section above 12,700 feet was in the Ellenburger. Operator representatives say that assumption is in error. The formation has not been identified as to age except that it is pre-Woodford.

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Reagan Wildcat Plugs Back to the Wolfcamp

Blackwood & Nichols Co. 1 Daniel, North-Central Reagan County wildcat, located 660 feet from south and west lines of section 40, block 35, T&P survey, T-5-S, made salt water with only slight shows of oil and gas in the Ellenburger.

The prospector has plugged back and will make production tests on a section in the Wolfcamp of the Permian.

After topping the Ellenburger at 11,105 feet, on an elevation of 2,687 feet the exploration drilled to 11,147 feet and ran 2 hours and 45-minute drilstem test at 11,128-147 feet.

There was a weak blow of air for 35 minutes and it then died. Recovery was 160 feet of heavy drilling mud with no shows of oil or gas.

The wildcat was then deepened to 11,175 feet. Two efforts to run a drillstem test at 11,145-175 feet were unsuccessful. However the third attempt to test that interval was saisfactory.

The tool was open two hours. The tester was plugged with cavings the first hour, but was open the second hour. Recovery was 90 feet of drilling mud slightly cut with oil and gas. 270 feet of muddy salty water and 780 feet of salt water.

Operator has now plugged back to 9,145 feet in the Lower Permian and will cement 5½-inch casing at 8,800 feet to allow making production tests on a zone in the Wolfcamp.

The section to be tested did not show any indications of any sort of fluid on an electric log. However, some oil appeared in the mud which went through the pits while the section was being drilled and the testing will be to try to learn the source and quantity of the petroleum which did show up in the mud.

Completions On East Side of Field Reported

Both El Tee Oil Co. and Carlton Beal have reported the completion of one prospector at the east side of the Tex-Harvey field in Central-East Midland County.

The El Tee producer is one-half mile southeast of production and 667.1 feet from north and 674.2 feet from west lines of section 24, block 37, T-3-S, T&P survey.

It was potentialed for a daily natural flow of 440.07 barrels of 37.1 - gravity oil daily through an 8-64-inch choke.

Gas-oil ratio was 610-1. Pay was topped at 6,988 feet. Hole is bottomed at 7,198 feet.

Tubing pressure on the final test was 125 pounds. A packer was used in the casing.

It was completed as the El Tee No. 1-24 Floyd Estate.

Carlton Beal's No. 1 Corbin-Ross was finaled for 27 barrels of 37.4-gravity oil on a 24-hour flowing test. The new producer made .1 per cent water. Gas-oil ratio was 515-1.

Pay in the No. 1-13 Corbin-Ross was topped at 6,960 feet and total depth is 7,234 feet. Open hole was shot with 648 quarts of nitro glycerin.

Tubing pressure on the completion test was 112 pounds. A packer was used in the casing.

Location of the producer is 658.8 feet from west and 667.7 feet from north lines of the southeast quarter of section 13, block 37, T-3-S, T&P survey. That makes it three-quarters of one mile northeast of El Tee No. 1-24 Floyd estate.

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No Production From Lubbock County Wildcat

Bankline Oil Co., Wilshire Oil Co. and Basin Oil Co. No. 1 Elliott, West-Central Lubbock County wildcat, is at total depth of 11,400 feet in granite wash waiting on orders.

The base of the Ellenburger was picked at 11,340 feet on a datum of minus 8,070 feet.

No indications of possible commercial production were encountered while drilling to the present total depth of 11,400 feet.

Location of the No. 1 Elliott is 1,980 feet from east and 660 feet from south lines of section 33, block JS, EL&RR survey.

Birthday Party For Glendon Bynum And For Talmadge Bynum

A double-header birthday party Tuesday honored Glendon Bynum and his cousin, Talmage Bynum, on their twenty - sixth birthdays.

Mrs. Zay Hudman, 1907 Fifteenth Street, entertained both men with a festive luncheon, served in traditional holiday manner.

Guests at the lunch besides the honorees and their families, were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McGlaun, Mrs. Frank Burk, Kirk Burk, Mrs. Eunie Barringer and Mr. Hudman.

Snyder Family Goes To Midland Reunion

Christmas day was celebrated by the Roy Stewart family in Midland at a family reunion in the home of Mrs. Stewart's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Preston.

Accompanying the Stewarts was their daughter, Miss Luroy Stewart, home from Andrews, Tex., where she teaches physical education in the public schools. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. George Lee also joined the family group.

Miss Stewart will remain here at the Stewart residence, 1909 Thirtieth Street, until she returns to Andrews early next week.

Mrs. C. E. Wade, who has been visiting in the Stewart home, returned to her home in Kingsville, Tex., last week.

Relatives Gather In McCravey Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCravey, 1008 Twenty - sixth Street, entertained their four sons and two daughters and their families in their home over Christmas. Present were Miss Jessie McCravy of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. Lon L. Crane of Malad City, Ida., daughters, and Jack McCravey and Thurston McCravey of Corpus Christi, and L. B. McCravey and Loyce McCravey of Snyder, sons.

Also in the McCravey home for the holiday were Mrs. McCravey's mother Mrs. J. B. Etheredge, her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Patrick, and her uncle, W. F. Rogers of Roscoe.

Mr. McCravey's aunt, Mrs. Pearl Wilson of Lubbock, also spent the yuletide season with the family.

Crane County Venture Produces In San Andres

Placid Oil Co. has developed commercial production from the San Andres-Permian lime at its No. 1 A. R. Eppenaur, Southeast Crane County wildcat, 10 miles south of the town of Crane, and that concern is slated to complete the new discovery and put it on production.

It is located 660 feet from north and east lines of section 14, block 6, H&TC survey, and three and one-half miles west of the south side of the shallow McCamey field.

The development has flowed 20 barrels of oil per hour for seven hours from perforated section in the San Andres at 2,710-30 feet. In addition to the oil which was produced during the seven hours the prospect made between five and ten per cent water during the testing.

The oil was 35.8 gravity. Flowing tubing pressure was 75 pounds. Casing pressure was 150 pounds.

The exploration drilled to a total depth of 3,001 feet in lime and cemented 7⅝-inch casing at that point.

The pipe was perforated at 2,915-3,001 feet. That formation did not give up any fluid and it refused to take acid. The project was then plugged back to 2,800 feet and the zone at 2,710-30 feet was perforated and test and the flowing production was developed.

The exploration was originally started to dig to 6,200 feet to test the Devonian. However, when the San Andres production was found operator decided to complete the well from that pay.

TALK OF THE TOWN

By FRANCES BIOW

Christmas has become so commercialized that those of the more sentimental folk cringe at the ballyhoo, enforced heavy spending and loss of old time simplicity and sacredness of the holiday. The complaint is well-grounded, but, so long as everything from penicillin to ice cream is in the act, we may as well relax and look around at what some of the advertised products give us in return for a lot of publicity.

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Abbott Laboratories published this Christmas an elegantly camouflaged "slick", streamlined as Esquire Magazine and as easy to take as the sugar-coated pills they advertise. You'd hardly know that they make medical pharmaceutics by the peck and do a great business with the hospital world. Seven artists painted as many yuletide scenes for the covers from each section of the country; Robert Lowell did a truly great poem for them; their illustrations are works of artists who hang in the major galleries, and the reading matter.

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"Cesarian Section under Continuous Spinal Anesthesia" is from an Obstetrics and Gynecological magazine of repute and is written for the layman about the brilliant work which in past months has made fatalities in the delicate operation nearly drop out of sight. "Narcosis in the infant was dreaded when the mothers were deeply anesthetized at the time of the Caesarean section. Now with spinal-dose, the babies cry immediately and spontaneously." Other readable and up-to-the-minute articles and smooth fiction, too, abound in this gift. Order from Abbott Laboratories, North Chicago, Ill.

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A gross of pens, pencils, calendar art, blotters, and memo books flooded the market over Christmas....Oil firms, noted for generosity at Christmas, thought nothing of lavish gifts to customers and acquaintances in the business ...their largest ranged from open houses with a quantity of expensive food and drink being dispensed, to boxes of candy and poinsettias dropped off...the telephone girls at their 24-hour station were perhaps most often thought of by businessmen, many of whom probably regretted bad-tempered shouting during the year.....

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Lion Oil Camp greeted the men in their employ with huge boxes of very usable grub.....cartons of cheese products, sweets, cakes, delicacies, all packed carefully dispensed on the Eve. . . .

Miss Blackard, Billy Wayne Williams Hosts At Dance Wednesday

It was a night for Snyder's younger set when Miss Sandra Blackard and Billy Wayne Williams entertained Wednesday with a dance at County Club. Mrs. Charles Cooper, Miss Blackard's mother, and Mrs. Wayne Williams, mother of the host, helped receive the 100 guests.

Miss Blackard wore a red semi-formal gown, studded with rhinestones. Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Williams were in black afternoon dresses.

A cold buffet of sandwiches, punch, and cookies was served at intermission to the young people.

There was dancing from 8 o'clock until 11:30.

Guests of the younger group were Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Hicks, Mrs. P. W. Cloud, and Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Prude of Odessa.

PERSONALS

T. W. Burkhalter of Electra, Tex. arrived in Snyder Wednesday morning for a short visit with his brother, Guy Burkhalter, 3104 Avenue U, and his sister, Mrs. W. G. Breedlove, 2004 Avenue N.

Floyd E. Breedlove, 2004 Avenue N, will report Jan. 3 to Laurel, Miss., for induction into the armed services.

Mrs. A. C. Preuitt, 3104 Avenue V, is in Dallas this week visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Freeman Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker, Wichita Falls spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burkhalter here, their son Robert remaining for a still longer visit.

Mr and Mrs. Louis Lowman of Algona, Iowa, are in Snyder for several weeks. They are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lowman, 2306 Avenue I.

Mrs. Jimmie McDonald, 1206 Thirtieth Street, is in Graham, Tex., visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Henon left Snyder Tuesday for Laurel, Miss., to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Sayner, 2907 Avenue T, left Friday for an extended trip which will keep them away through Jan. 9. They will visit Tyler, Tex., and New Orleans, stopping en route home for marketing in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davie have returned from their holiday spent in San Antonio, with Mrs. Davie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Boone Chastain.

The members of the Herman E. Doak family, 3101 Avenue W, have been confined to their home with flu and sore throats throughout the holiday season.

Mrs. R. C. Miller, Jr., 2608 Avenue U, had as holiday visitors her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ritter, and four children of Alpine, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Phelan of the Texas-NewMexico Pipe Line Co., Clairemont Road, entertained Mrs. Phelan's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt McMinn and sons of Carlsbad, N.M., over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Greer left Thursday for New Orleans to attend the Sugar Bowl classic. They are expected back after New Year's Day.

PERSONALS

A holiday guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Land, 1312 Seventeenth Street, was Mrs. Land's mother, Mrs. Ella Parvin of Ladonia, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper, 3007 Avenue S, left yesterday for Carrizo Springs, Tex., to visit over New Years with Mrs. Cooper's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mogford. Meanwhile, Miss Sandra Blackard Mrs. Cooper's daughter, will visit with her grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Rogers in Colorado City.

Cpl. Richard E. Land is now visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Land, 1312 Seventeenth Street. He is en route from his station at Camp Campbell, Ky., to Cheyenne, Wyo., where he will receive special training before being returned to Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson went to Rotan yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner, 3102 Avenue W, have had as a visitor in their home over the holidays Mrs. Turner's sister, Mrs. J. T. Hall of Vernon, Tex.

Mrs. Slick Hambrick of Big Lake, Tex. spent Christmas here with her mother, Mrs. Lula Bratton, 1905 Fifteenth Street. Mrs. Bratton's other daughter, Mrs. Alma Belew of Artesia, N.M., is also here with her mother for a holiday visit.

Luzon Storm Warnings

MANILA, Dec. 29. (AP) — Typhoon warnings were hoisted on Luzon Island tonight as a tropical storm with 85-mile winds swirled in from the sea.

Electronic Brain Proves To Be Great Help To Astronomy

(Associated Press Staff)

HAVERFORD, Pa., Dec. 29. — History's most spectacular astronomy calculation, done by an electronic brain the size of a small house, was reported to the American Astronomical Society today.

The machine discovered and corrected errors in movements of the great planets, and showed their precise motions, something astronomers have been trying to do for more than a thousand years.

EXACT ORBITS

The machine calculated the exact orbits of Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune and Pluto. In four weeks it showed exactly where they have been moving in their orbits around the sun ever since 1653 and where they will be until the year 2060. Some of these planets are or will be as much as ten thousand miles from the places where the best astronomy had placed them.

The new results are of practical use in navigation, predicting weather and tides, and in a better understanding of the laws of motions which are the basis of the machine age.

RAPID WORK

The electronic brain did in four weeks the calculations which a mathematician would have done in a thousand years by hand, and in eighty years by using ordinary desk calculating machines.

The work was reported by Dr W. J. Eckert, director of pure science, International Business Machine Corp., Dr. Dirk Brouer, director of Yale Observatory and Gerald Clemence, director of the Nautical Almanac Office of the U. S. Naval Observatory. The work was financed by the Office of Naval Research. The almanac will print 300 pages of the new planetary tables, for use of navigators, weathermen and other scientists.

The 300 pages are part of 30,000 pages of figures which the machine turned out.

RFC Studying Loan To Lone Star Steel

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP)—Reconstruction Finance Corp. officials said a decision on the $83 million loan application by Lone Star Steel Co. of Daingerfield, Tex., may come next week.

The company's president, E. B. Germany of Dallas, said the loan was sought for construction of a plant to make oil field pipe and other equipment from iron made by present facilities.

The RFC and the Commerce Department's National Production Authority are studying the loan request.

Dallas Real Estate Man Faces 17 Counts

DALLAS, Dec. 29. (AP) — Nathan L. Jones, 58, president of Town & Country Builders, Inc., of Dallas was arrested yesterday on 17 indictments returned against him in Livingston.

Jones, whose Texas real estate license was revoked early this month, is charged in Dallas County with theft in two housing deals.

Sheriff T. W. Walker of Polk County wrote Sheriff Bill Decker that the 17 Livingston indictments allege theft by acceptance of deposits on houses that never were started. The letter said bond had been fixed at $1,000 in each case.

Alter Courthouse Dome

Fisher County commissioners in special session yesterday voted to carry out a recommendation of the district court grand jury to remove the dome from the courthouse. Cost of the project is expected to be less than $15,000, and is to be paid from county funds. Steel removed from the structure is to be sold by the county.

The Coat Off His Back County Hospital

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 29. (AP) —It was chilly in New Orleans last night—so chilly a robber took a man's overcoat off his back.

John E. Ryan, Jr., told police a Negro armed with a revolver took his watch, $60 cash and his overcoat as Ryan walked along the sidewalk.

Buddhists Oppose Reds

RANGOON—(AP)—Buddhist monks of this country hope to lead a nation-wide battle against Communism in Burma. They will shortly make a countrywide appeal to all Buddhists to help them in stamping out "this irreligious creed of the Russian camp."

Half Price Sale
TUSSY
wind & weather lotion
Regular $1 Size
Now Only 50¢
Large $2 bottle now $1
wind & weather hand cream
$2 size jar now $1
all prices plus tax
SNYDER DRUG
West Side of Square
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NEW DAYLIGHT TRAIN SERVICE
Now Links
WEST TEXAS and HOUSTON
Via Fort Worth
TEXAS EAGLE · SAM HOUSTON ZEPHYR
GO T&P
THE TEXAS AND PACIFIC RY.

BANK CLOSING NOTICE

Deposits Insured Member Federal Depository Insurance Corporation. Up to $10,000

Snyder Banks will observe Monday, Jan. 1st as a Legal Holiday by closing their doors in observance of

NEW YEAR'S DAY

Snyder National Bank
West Texas State Bank

If You Miss Your...

Snyder Daily News

Phone

1 2 3 4

And one will be delivered to you

Phone by 7:00 P.M. Weekday
And 9:00 Sunday Morning

ANNOUNCEMENTS A

SPECIAL NOTICES A2

Sealed bids will be accepted in the Chamber of Commerce office until 2:00 P. M. January 2, 1951, on the building now occupied by the Chamber of Commerce. Building 16'x36'. 3 rooms, built on 16" centers, studs and joists—sheated on outside with asbestos shingles, composition roof, sheetrock on inside, pine floor with inlaid linoleum covering, weather stripped doors and windows,wired for electricity, 3 light fixtures and composition roof. Consideration Cash. Building must be moved at buyers expense by Jan. 7th. Chamber of Commerce reserves right to reject all bids.

My farms are posted! Trespassers will be prosecuted. James A. Clark Sr.

CARD OF THANKS A3

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation for the many deeds of kindness and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and loss of our beloved Faye. May you receive the same condolence in your hour of sorrow is our prayer.—Rev. J. C. Crawford and girls, and the entire J. O. Sheid family.

LOST AND FOUND A4

Lost: 3 months old cocker spaniel, male, answers to "Doodle", lost Tuesday front of city hall. Call Taylor Tool Co., 2307 Avenue G.

PERSONAL A5

Alcoholics Anonymous: For problem drinkers who want to help themselves. Queries strictly confidential. Phone 1720, 24 hour day.

ALCOHOLIC'S ANONYMOUS
Regular Meeting Each
Tuesday.
If you have an alcoholic problem, call 9688.
Club at
1919 25th Street.

ANNOUNCEMENTS A

TRAVEL A6

Wanted: Two passengers, Bakersfield, California. Leaving Friday. Apply 1600 25th Street.

AUTOMOBILE B

AUTOS FOR SALE B1

Brand new 88 Oldsmobile 4 door, delux. Fully equipped, $2695.00. Price includes registration and sales tax. Call 20471, Lubbock.

BANK SAYS TO SELL THEM
1950 Chevrolet 2-door. Low mileage.
New Chevrolet Convertible.
$355.00 Cash Discount.
New Bel Air Chevrolet.
$200.00 Cash Discount.
1949 2-Door Chevrolet.
$100.00 Cash Discount.
Ranch House Motel
At Y on Post Highway
Phone 9582

1936 Standard Chevolet, good transportation car. $100.00 cash. Yarbough Trailer Court, Colorado City Hwy. W. L. Bevins.

Equity in 1949 Ford Pickup. Call 9586.

Bring your prescriptions to Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square, for careful, dependable service.

TRUCKS FOR SALE B2

For Sale: 1950 Studebaker half ton pickup. 5,000 miles, $1,250. Can be financed. Small down payment. See B. A. Jones, Smitha Trailer Court, Rt. 2 Behind New Moon Trailer Sales.

AUTOMOBILES

TRAILERS B3

TRAILER
FOR SALE
Equity in beautiful 36-foot Spartan Imperial Mansion. Custom built, 5 months old. Leather upholstery throughout.
A GOOD BUY!
Phone 1096-W

WE BUY, SELL OR TRADE
TERMS
BEST TRAILER BUYS IN SNYDER.
Refrigerators, Stoves, Toilets, Accessories at Lowest Prices. 1947 Jeep with 300 amp. General Electric Welder.
Snyder Trailer Sales
East of Y on Highway 84

We will give you fast service in developing your Kodak films. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

$25.00 bonus to anyone who will sell my 1945 Travelo house trailer. Inquire at 809 24th Street.

For Sale: 1950 Travelite trailer, 35'. Also 1935 Ford. E. J. Gardner, Hicks Trailer Court.

My equity for sale in 1950 Trailette 21'. May see at 2904 Avenue U, Snyder.

Beauty by Barbara Gould, and perfume by Germaine Montiel, Lanvin, Faberg's, Evening in Paris. Harris Pharmacy, Southwest corner of the square.

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1 x 6 '105 SIDING	$13.50
1x10 & 1x12 Sheeting (Dry White Pine)	$8.00
OAK FLOORING (Good Grade)	$16.50
1 x 6 Sheeting (Short Lengths)	$5.50
24x24 2 lt Units (Weather Stripped)	$15.95
PAINT-Gal. (Outside White)	$2.95

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1 Mile West on Lamesa Highway
Phone 1573

AUTOMOBILES B

TRAILERS B3

New and Used
TRAILERS
NEW MOON
Terms & Trade
New Moon Trailers
One of the Finest
25ft-30ft-33ft.40ft
All with complete bath, copper plumbing, picture windows, one unit drain, spun glass insulation and many other outstanding features.
USED TRAILERS
$100.00 down will purchase a used trailer from us, balance on low monthly terms.
NEW MOON TRAILER SALES
Across from Starlite Theatre

Let us wrap your gift of clocks, dolls, pandas, mechanical toys, nuts and mints. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

JORDAN TRAILER CO.
SPARTANS
¼ down, up to 5 years at 5%
Also representing:
Trailetts, Vagabond, M System
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Large Selection of USED TRAILERS.
Reconditioned and Guaranteed.
Insured payment plan. Liberal trades. For better values, see us.
Our volume of business saves you money.
EAST HIGHWAY
PHONE 1417

Let our courteous sales personnel show you the complete line of Jewelite Brushes. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

AUTO SERVICE B5

ALLEN BROTHERS
and
WILLIS
Body Works — Painting
Baked Enamel
Wheel Balance
Across from Starlite Theater
East Highway
Phone 1506

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY C

Out of town owner holds first mortgage on new $6000.00 home in city limits of Snyder. $4000.00. I will sell this for $3300.00. It is drawing 6 per cent interest, payable $60.00 per month. Write Box E-2, Snyder Daily News.

Hotel and employment agency for lease. Good opportunity for man and wife. Living quarters, good business. Will sell, lease or hire the right man to run it. Call 621, 2403 Avenue S.

BUSINESS SERVICES D

HAULING-DELIVERY D10

Long Distance
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New Modern Warehouse
Specializing in Storage of Household Goods
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Free pickup and delivery.
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Don't let baby suffer. We have his needs. Bottles, nipples, powder, food of all kinds. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

EMPLOYMENT E

HELP WANTED, MALE E1

Wanted: High School Junior or Senior, with car for paper delivery. Earnings after expense $40.00 to $50.00 per week. See Pope at Snyder Daily News.

Would hire disabled veteran or person for dispatcher for Yellow Cab. Frequent night work, no experience necessary. Apply Mr. Buzbee, Yellow Cab Co.

Messenger boys 16 years old. Full or part time work. Apply Western Union, 1910 25th Street. School boys preferred.

Warehouseman: Apply Baker Oil Tool Inc. 1301 Lubbock Hwy. Snyder Texas. Phone 837.

Let Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square, explain teen-age face care, and show you the Barbara Gould line of cosmetics.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE E2

Cashiers Wanted: Full and part time. See John Fuller, Palace Theatre.

Wanted: Experienced alteration lady. Starting salary $40.00 per week plus liberal discount on purchases if requirements can be met. Call 43 for appointment.

Two girls to work in office. Apply in person, Snyder Steam Laundry, 1401 26th Street.

Wanted: Experienced ready to wear and department sales ladies. Starting salary, $40.00 per week plus liberal discount on purchases. Call 43 for appointment.

HELP WANTED, MISC. E3

Typist, bookkeeping knowledge helpful. Must have transportation. Male or female. Salary $175.00 per month. Phone 1708.

Wanted: Wool presser and silk finisher. Apply Lockhart Cleaners, 610 E. Highway. Must have experience.

WOMAN'S COLUMN H

CHILD CARE H3

For good child care, phone 1308-M. Also Ironrite Ironer for sale, bargain.

Care for your children, day and night. Mrs. J. C. Beavers, 501 25th Street. Phone 337-J.

Will keep your child in your home from 2:00 p. m. till 12:00 midnight. Apply 1707 Avenue R.

MERCHANDISE K

BUILDING MATERIAL K1

CASH AND CARRY
Oak Flooring
Cement
SNYDER-GRAY LUMBER CO.
2200 Ave. R — Phone 749

LUMBER
Cash & Carry

1 x 4 Sheeting	$5.50
1 x 6 Sub Floor and Roof Decking	6.00
2 x 4 and 2 x 6	6.50
24 x 24 Window and Frame	8.00
Composition Shingles	4.75
No. 2 Pine Flooring	8.50

CASTLEBERRY LUMBER COMPANY
Hi-way 80 Fort Worth, Texas

DOGS, PETS, & ETC. K3

Gift season is near. Parker fountain pens, Pipes, Cigars, Whitman candy, Compacts. See Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the Square.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS K4

VERNON'S FURNITURE COMPANY
NEW AND USED
WE BUY — SELL — TRADE
501 East Highway Phone 1383

FOR SALE
FOUR GAS HEATERS
2 LARGE
2 SMALL
3101 Avenue K

Gas fired suspension type blower heaters $79.50 to $99.50. Space heaters $7.50 to $30.00 W. S. Hart 1816 Avenue O. Phone 1503.

For Sale: Nice double burner circulating heater. See at 118 Milburn Street or phone 1385-W after 6:00 p.m.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS K5

Newest style Acrosonic Baldwin spinet piano. Call 9566.

MISCELLANEOUS K11

SINGER: Sewing Machine Repair-Motors-Lights-New parts. Drop a post card giving name and address to: Singer Sewing Machine Co. 159 Walnut Street, Colorado City, Texas.

Enjoy excellent fountain service. A fast cup of coffee or a thick malt. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

For Sale: Small building, rubber mats, spot light, benches, national cash register. Inquire at Savoy Hotel, Lamesa Hwy. Phone 9548.

Ask Mr. Harris about the Livestock Biologicals and Vaccines carried by Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

MERCHANDISE K

WANTED TO BUY K14

Would like to buy good used hemstitching machine. Write immediately: Mrs. Lee Grant, Box 125, Ira, Texas.

WE BUY
Scrap Iron and Metal
Highest Prices Paid
For your convenience we have installed a "Fairbanks, Morse" truck scale.
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WANTED
Junk Iron $16.00 to $20.00
Per Ton.
Also Oilfield Cable.
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Clairemont Route Phone 1797

RENTALS L

BEDROOMS L1

Bedroom for 3 men. 1508 27th Street.

THE BEST HOTEL
"Known For Its Cleanliness"
Newly Renovated
36 PRIVATE ROOMS
$7.50 PER PERSON
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12 Large Clean Rooms
Close in and Quiet.
RATES
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Best Beds in Snyder
No Better Anywhere!
Air Foam Mattresses.
Weekly rates $5.00, $8.00 and $12.00.
Plenty of bath and toilet facilities.
2621 Ave. S.

Odessa Hotel, 2401 Avenue U, two blocks west of square. Private rooms, good beds-not cots-$7.00 and $8.00 each if 2 in room. Gas heat, hot water

Private bedroom for rent. 1311 20th Street, phone 45-J.

APARTMENTS
For Working People
Weekly rates $6.00 up. Well located across from Scotty's Service Station. Adjoining baths.
Ranch House Motel
Post Hwy. Phone 9582

FURNISHED ROOMS
2 Blocks Court House
Warm and Clean
New Management
Rates: $5.00 per Week and up.
Ladies and Men
SCURRY LODGE
Phone 9601

Double room with bath. Private home, reasonable. Nice location, 1111 24th Street, Avenue L. Couples welcome.

Plaza Hotel, rates that you can afford. Phone 9666, 2708 Avenue E.

The Rexall druggist of America sponsor Dick Powell as Mr. Diamond each Wednesday night over N.B.C. This is Snyder's Rexall store. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS L3

For Rent: Furnished 3-room apartment, bath. 1601 Avenue K. phone 1769-W.

Why pay rent when only $300.00 down will buy this 3 unit furnished apartment house located in Greenhill addition. Inquire Taylor apartments, Hermleigh.

Furnished apartment for rent. Couple only. 2304 Avenue I.

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All utilities paid. Private bath. Reasonable rates. One block from shopping center
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Bargains worth looking for.
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LEE COURTS
Lubbock Highway

Small furnished apartment, close in. 2604 Avenue K.

RENTALS L

APARTMENTS L3

Two room apartments, full bath, bills paid. Phone 1223-J.

Nice 2 room apartment, 1312 17th Street Phone 139-J.

Two large rooms and bath, bills paid, $65.00 per month. See Jess Green, Green Hill Addition on Clairemont Road.

Comfortable, light housekeeping cabins. Private bath. Furnished. 115 15th Street, just west of Avenue E.

Warm apartment, gas ranges, hot water, private bath, Frigidaire, accessible telephone, utilities paid. Ideal for couple or two or three men. Merrill and Avenue V in Bootheland Addition.

Two room modern apartment. Private bath. $20.00 per week. Yeager Courts, Lubbock Highway.

Furnished and unfurnished two and three room apartments. Also unfurnished 4 room house. Call 174, Jack & Jack Realty, 500 East Highway.

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2 room furnished apartment. Call 1748. Texas Auto Parts.

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UNFURN. APARTMENTS L4

For Rent: New unfurnished 3 room apartment. Private bath. 1101 30th.

Three room duplex, west side, unfurnished, good location, immediate posession. Couple preferred. $80.00 per month. Lyle Dennenbech, phone719

Three room apartment. Good location. Inquire 415 29th Street.

Nice 3 room unfurnished apartment with bath. Close in. Bills paid. Phone 632-W.

Comet Hose, Billfolds, and leather goods. A few of the things you will find at Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

FURNISHED HOUSES L-5

Four room furnished house for rent. Apply 701 29th Street.

Two room furnished house for rent. Bills paid. One block east of Canyon Drive-In on Big Spring Highway.

Two room furnished house in Greenhill addition. Phone 617 M, Mrs. Camp.

For Rent: 3 room house, furnished. H. G. Moore, Snyder Route 1. 4 miles out on Ira Road.

For Rent: New furnished houses, private baths, electric refrigerators. 3 miles on left on Lubbock Highway. Willingham's.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES L6

For Rent: 4 room house and bath, good location, 2912 Ave. F. Will give possession in few days. Phone 775 for information.

Four rooms and bath, near high school. Inquire 1306 31st Street.

MISC. FOR RENT L7

Storage space for rent. Inquire at Benbenek Shoe Shop, across from Palace Theatre.

TRAILER SPACE L9

21 Ft. House Trailers $45.00
Trailer Space $15.00
HILLSIDE LODGE
1400 Block on 13th Street
NEW MANAGEMENT
First right hand turn after the traffic light at Y on old Post Highway. First camp on right after underpass.
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All Utilities Furnished

Trailer Space	$15.00 month
House Trailers for rent	45.00 month
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Quietest camp in Snyder. Your satisfaction is our goal.
LANDLORDS, we manage your rental units and keep them rented.

Your man will enjoy a Ronson lighter, and a carton of his favorite cigarettes. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

TRAILER FOR RENT L10

BEFORE YOU RENT—
VISIT
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Modern — Reasonable
$14.00 Per Week
Across Tracks on Old Post Road.

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Three trailer houses, very nice and clean, furnished, all bills paid. 1704 17th Street.

For Rent: Trailer houses equipped for cooking. Good beds, clean baths, adults only. 2502 Avenue I.

18-20-25 FOOT
TRAILERS
RENTING
TRAILER TOWN
FOR
$10 — $12 — $15
612 30th Street

REAL ESTATE M

HOUSES FOR SALE M2

For Sale: Two room modern house, furnished. 75x150' lot.Phone 45-J.

By Owner: New 2 bedroom home. Owner being transferred. Small down payment. See at 104 Browning Street, Parkway Addition. Telephone 1540-W.

3 room shack to be moved by Feb. 1st, 1951. $750.00. Inquire at Rose Const Co. field office, Big Spring highway, Highland Park addition.

For Sale: 4-room house and bath. $7000.00. Good loan Already established. Good location, corner lot. Address 2912 Ave. F. For information call 775.

Four room tile and stucco house and lot. Well, windmill, storage tank. $2350.00 if sold by 31st. See Houlton Connor, Huffman and Avenue T, Bootheland Addition.

Nice furnished house, owner being transferred. Must sell immediately. Modern three room with bath, also small apartment. $28.00 per week present rent income from apartment and one bedroom. About 4 blocks from grade school and 6 blocks from High School. Must sacrifice for $4500.00. 3206 Avenue L. Phone 134-W.

For Sale: Two bedroom home, furnished, less than year old. Near School. $6,950.00. 1009 33rd Street. Phone 1412.

Girls-Girls-Girls! Get your Royal scented and Montac stationary at Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

REAL ESTATE M

HOUSES FOR SALE M2

Infra-red Lamps, treating pads, Universal electric blankets. Don't let winter bother you. Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

For Sale: 5 room and bath. Corner lot extra lot joining, three trailers parked. One block south Piggly Wiggly. All for $7,000. Immediate posession. See J. Ramsey 2011 Avenue W.

HOUSE AND LOT
Suitable for home or business. New building 18x30, hardwood floors, plumbed. Consider car or cash payment and terms.
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FOR SALE
One and one-half story brick veneer house, 3 bedrooms, 3 tile baths, wall to wall carpet. Servel heating and refrigerating system. 16x30 play room, 2 garages, tile yard fence. Consists of approximately 3200 square feet on 100x140 ft. lot. Well located to schools. Would consider in trade smaller house, sheep or cattle.
SEE
C. E. HAMMOND
Telephone 999
COLORADO CITY, TEXAS

SUBURBAN M4

Six lots 50'x40' for either business or residence. $650.00 inside lots, $750.00 outside lots. Located, ½ block west of Williams Drive In, Post Highway. Write Box K-12, Snyder Daily News.

FARMS-RANCHES M6

Want to lease immediately: 200 to 400 acres for grazing. Near Snyder. J. H. Brewer, Box 907 or phone 850.

IRRIGATION, AND DRY LAND FARMS
181 acres improved and under the Conchas Irrigation Project near Tucumcari. Made 4,500 Lbs. maize per acre. 18 inches of water during the season cost only $2.85 per acre. This farm offered for short time, $200 acre.
640 acres Hale County Irrigation well and fair improvements, $150 acre.
336 acres Castro County. 310 cultivation and a perfect tract of land 180 acres in wheat. 4 room modern house.
Half minerals with all these places. See me here or make date for me to show you this land.
D. P. Carter
BROWNFIELD HOTEL
Brownfield, Texas

HOUSE MOVING M3

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HOUSE MOVING
R.R.C. & I.C.C. Permits
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Phone 1310 Snyder or
2511 Lefors, Texas

OIL LEASES M7

For the very finest in Hand made, and Hand tooled luggage, see Harris Pharmacy, southwest corner of the square.

REAL ESTATE M

The Last 3 Bedroom Home We Have
Avoid he hazards of buuilding. Spacious living room with wall to wall carpeting. 3 large bedrooms, knotty pine den, year round air conditioner, large closets with built-ins galore. In fact, this house has everything. Owner says sell at sacrifice.
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Officers' club at Hobbs Army Air Base, 5,736 sq. ft. floor space; good construction; to be moved; priced reasonable.
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New frame building, 18x30, hardwood floors. Suitable for home or business. Plumbed. Cost price.
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Automatic heat—tile bath—best furniture, frigidaires and stoves money can buy. Garages. All bills paid.
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British Archbishop Is Against Use Of Atomic Bomb In War

YORK, Eng., Dec. 29. (AP) — The archbishop of York, Dr. Cyril F. Garbett, said today use of the atom bomb could be justified only as a "final attempt to save western civilization from catastrophic ruin by unprovoked aggression."

The archbishop — second-ranking prelate in the Church of England — declared in his monthly diocesan letter that atom bombing of the Chinese Communists in Korea would lead to an "irreparable breach" between East and West.

He added the "very thought of the possibility of war" with the "patient long-suffering people" of China "is hateful."

The prelate called for another attempt "at the earliest possible moment and at the highest level" for an agreement with Soviet Russia.

"Possibly even more urgent," he declared, "is the necessity of a good understanding with China."

Doctors Sign Up For Draft

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP) — Virtually all of the nation's physicians, dentists and veterinarians less than 50 years old and not already registered must sign up for the draft on Jan. 15.

Draft director Lewis B. Hershey, who announced the medical call-up last night, estimated some 210,000 medical men must register. Dr. Richard L. Meiling, director of medical service for the Defense Department, said about 13,000 doctors will be needed to care for the military establishment of 3,500,000 now being planned.

Dr. Meiling grouped doctors into four priority classes. Nearly all those in the first priority group, he said will probably be called within the next six months. They are men who received their training at government expense in the World War II training program, or who were deferred to complete their education, and served less than 90 days.

They are among 21,000 doctors registered in the first medical call last Oct. 16.

Dr. Meiling said the second priority group embraces doctors with the same qualifications as the first group, but who served between 90 days and 21 months. He predicted some of them will be called. They also are registered.

The third group contains doctors who did not serve in World War II, or since.

In the fourth group are war veterans.

These two groups are the ones who must register Jan. 15.

Dr. Meiling said only aliens and doctors who are regulars in the armed services or who are reserve medical officers will not have to register next month. Gen. Hershey immediately sent telegrams to all state selective service directors alerting them for the Jan. 15 registration.

Double Funeral Set For Man And Wife

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29. (AP)—A double funeral will be conducted today for a 73-year-old couple who died as they lived, together.

Born only 48 hours apart in 1877 in Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guy Evans had been married 44 years. Mrs. Evans died Christmas night of coronary thrombosis. Her husband succumbed at General Hospital 41 hours later of arterial sclerosis.

"Thank God that neither knew of the other's death," said their son, Raymond, yesterday. "Their wedding anniversary would have been on New Year's Eve."

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Two Texans Are Killed In New Mexico Wreck

TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES, N. M., Dec. 29. (AP) — Mrs. Lavada Honea, 34, and her daughter, Cynthia, 3, of Tulia, Tex., died yesterday from a truck-auto collision Tuesday. Mrs. Mozelle Fowler 26 of Tulia, was killed in the crash.

Ray Eugene Cross, 44, of Albuquerque, the truck driver, was fined a maximum $100 on a reckless driving charge. His truck dragged the car 204 feet.

Doyle Honea 25, husband of the dead woman, was injured critically.

Cotton Broker Aids

CLINTON, Ky., Dec. 29. (AP) — This little town has a $320,000 county hospital today, largely through contributions of W. L. Clayton the Houston cotton broker.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Babb, 3100 Avenue T, entertained Mr. Babb's mother, Mrs. Minnie Babb and Glynn Babb, a brother, both of Graham, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Underwood 1700 Ninth Street, were host over the holidays to Mrs. Underwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bass of Brenham, Tex., and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long of Sweeny, Tex

Judson Marion, Jr., has just returned from Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Olian Vinson, 200 East Thirty-first Street, are the parents of a six pound, 13 ounce daughter born yesterday morning at Snyder Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Casey, 2500 Thirty-second Street, are entertaining Mr. Casey's mother, Mrs. Sam Casey of Olney, Tex.

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1. Slavs
6. Ropes: naut.
11. Ripe
12. Pressed
14. Cossack chief
15. North American country
16. Drink slowly
17. Street arab
19. Pad
20. Crude metals
22. Make lace
23. Measure out
24. Cuddled
26. Opposite extremities
27. Hawaiian birds
28. Bronzed
29. Helmsman
32. Striped cotton fabric
36. Dry
37. Play on words
38. The anise
39. Negative
40. Twinges
42. Take food
43. Involve as a necessary accompaniment
45. Card game
47. Rib of a Gothic vault
48. Soldier armed with a lance
49. Confession of faith
50. Command

DOWN
1. Irony
2. Halting places
3. Alcoholic liquor
4. Boast
5. Legislative houses
6. Lawful
7. Persia
8. Not: prefix
9. Type of paint
10. Proper
11. Builder with stone
13. Fixes in time
18. Irate
21. Remained upright
23. An individual: philos.
25. A great amount: colloq.
26. Churn
28. Cross between tangerine and grapefruit
29. Portion of a framed structure
30. Sarcastic
31. Put into disorder
32. Firearm
33. Liquid measure
34. Filament
35. Change
37. Became wan
40. Evergreen
41. Mark of a wound
44. Exist
46. Conjunction

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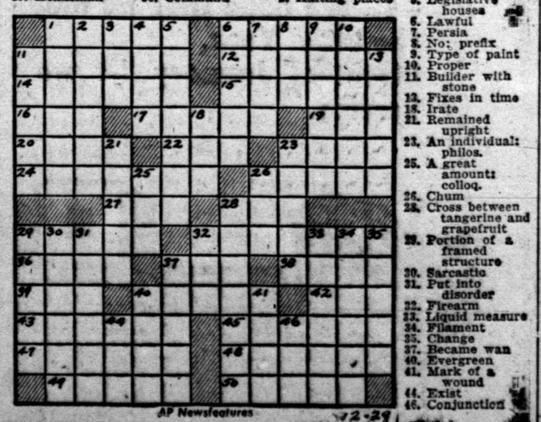
Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



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Republicans Are Not Alone In Making Big Play In Politics

BY DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, — Whenever there is denunciation of "politics" in connection with the international situation, the public jumps to the conclusion that the Republicans are the ones to blame. The usual outcry is that the Republicans are "stabbing the country in the back" or disturbing "unity."

But, in all fairness, it must be reported that the playing of politics occurs on both sides. As for damage done, the Democratic administration, by playing politics and considering the influence of groups and factions to which it is beholden for votes, has inflicted more damge in the last five months than all the criticism by the Republicans.

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If there were in Congress constructive partisans on the Republican side—and some partisanship is necessary in government to apply checks against abuses—there would today be a thoroughgoing investigation in Congress of the political deals made by the Democratic administration since the outbreak of the Korean War. Here are some unanswered questions which reveal the influence of politics as played by the democratic administration:

1. Why did the administration remain silent as labor-union chiefs reopened contracts on every side and compelled increases in wages in several industries, even threatening work stoppages and wildcat strikes to force wage increases where contracts did not provide for reopening?

2. Why did the administration pass the word out to the unions in the steel industry to stall negotiations for wage increases until after the November elections so that the announcement of the inevitable price increase would be delayed past the elections, because the steel companies had indicated they would announce a price increase along with any settlement for increased wages?

3. Why, although congress had provided the necessary power for wage and price stabilization, was nothing done until just before Christmas and then only in one industry?

4. Why was a "rollback" of prices to Dec. 1 announced in the auto industry and why was there an announcement of a wage freeze, too, only after public criticism?

5. What deals are going on now with labor unions to permit rises in wages before the freeze is applied, and what deals are being made in various industries including coal, to let prices rise enough to absorb wage increases?

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Clearly the nation expects when men are dying on the battle field that all kinds of profiteering—not only by management but by labor-union politicians, too — will be frowned upon.

It is customary to say that politics — but only Republican politics—helps the game of Russia and the Communists, but all the speechmaking by Hoover and anyone else with a conscientious point of view will never do the damge that sordid politics does behind the scenes when special privilege gets the upper hand. No system, whether it be capitalism or socialism, can remain strong if it is corrupted from within by factionalism.

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Perhaps the most vicious piece of politics played thus far in the international situation is the passage of the excess profits tax with provisions that favor the larger companies and discriminate against the smaller ones. Will anyone in Congress have the temerity to put an amendment on any current piece of the legislation requiring that full publicity be given at the end of this year not to amounts earned or profits as such but to the tax rates being paid by individual businesses, under the so-called excess-profits law? The country would be very much interested to see a table showing that the successful companies pay, for example, a total rate of around 45 per cent of their profits or less, while the companies with low earnings during the base years may have to pay as high as 60 per cent. Such a tabulation would forever condemn excess-profits legislation as an excess penalty on the less successful and as a discriminatory application of the taxing power.

The politics back of the excess-profits legislation should be thoroughly exposed. It will be found that labor unions supplied the chief pressure on Capitol Hill because of a belief that higher corporation taxes would mean less and less resistance to increased wage rates. The inflationary spiral of today owes its origin to selfish politics played by an administration interested in currying favor with the labor vote.

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Lamesa Ginner Dies

Funeral services for J. W. McDonald, 74, of Lamesa, were to be held this afternoon at the First Baptist Church there. Mr. McDonald died yesterday in the Lamesa General Hospital. He had been a resident of Lamesa since 1927, and held extensive gin and farm interests near there. Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Myrtle McDonald: a son, Ross McDonald of Lamesa and two daughters, Marie McDonald of Big Spring and Mrs. Harry G. Stokes of Slaton. Three sisters and three brothers are among other survivors.

Elmer Gross is in his second year of coaching Penn State's basketballers.

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Oil News

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taking a potential test when the pumping unit broke down at the end of the 20 hours.

The oil is being recovered from plugged back total depth of 1,018 feet. Casing is set at 920 feet. Available information shows the No .1 R. M. Thomson to be the first oil well in Sutton County.

It was drilled to the Ellenburger before being plugged back to its present depth. All formations below 1,018 feet down to the bottom in Ellenburger were eliminated as producing horizons.

It is not known whether operator will calculate a daily potential from the 20-hour gage reported or take a full 24-hour test.

Location is 1,980 feet from east and 660 feet from south lines of section 67, block A, HE&WT survey. That makes it eight miles northeast of Sonora.

BURDEL REPORT

Burdell Oil Co. No. 1 Seekamp, Gaines County field location, is washing with oil and 500 gallons in an effort to complete. The well is bottomed at a total depth of 5,152 feet. It is located in the northwest quarter of the southeast quartr of section 34, block G, CSD&RGNG survey.

Services For J. G. Patterson Set Saturday

Funeral services for James Gill Patterson, 93 years of age, will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. W. W. Adcock, pastor of the church, officiating.

Mr. Patterson died at 7:15 this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John R. Covey of Route 2. He had been in ill health for several months.

A residents of this county for the past 34 years, Patterson had made his home with his daughter recently. He was a member of the First Methodist Church.

Assisting Mr. Adcock at the funeral services will be the Rev. E. K. Shepard, pastor of the First Baptist Church, the Rev. Ronald Hubbard, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, the Rev. W. H. Hanks and the Rev. M. W. Clark, both retired pastors.

Survivors in addition to Mrs. Covey include another daughter, Mrs. Joe Caton, also of Snyder; three sons, Horace B. Patterson, Seminole, Frank Patterson, Snyder, and James N. Patterson, Fort Worth; a brother, Everett Patterson of Hico, Tex.; two sisters, Mrs. Don Warren of Childress, Tex. and Mrs. Lula Warren of California; nine grandchildren and 15-great-grandchildren.

Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery under the direction of the Bolger-Barnes Funeral Home.

Police Probe For Clues In Child's Death

ATLANTA, Dec. 29. (AP) — Police searched the family background of four-year-old Sandra Dianne Peeler today for a clue to the true story of her death of multiple body injuries as she slept at her mother's side.

Her stepfather, Luther M. Cash, 23 and unemployed, was jailed on suspicion of manslaughter yesterday at the inquiry's outset.

Cash said he accidentally fell and struck the child in the stomach with his knee Wednesday while her mother was at work and he was at home minding her. But Police Lt. M. M. Coppenger said an autopsy showed the child was hurt earlier than the hour the stepfather gave for the accident.

When Mrs. Virginia Cash, Sandra's mother by an earlier marriage, returned home she found her daughter complaining of pains in the stomach. She said Sandra later appeared much better, however, and went to sleep with her on a sofa. When she awoke yesterday the child was dead.

One piece of background under scrutiny was a six-month suspended sentence Cash received last year for cruelty to Sandra. Policewoman Frances Lykes said the foster father was accused of swinging the child by her heels until her head struck a stone wall and of forcing her "to eat with a dog on the back porch."

Coppenger said Sandra's five-year-old sister, Brenda Sue, is in a hospital suffering from burns and "we want to look into this, too."

Rail Crossing Aid Given To Beaumont

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29. (AP) — Beaumont has a $60,000 advance today to help plan an $8,500,000 railroad crossing project. Accidents at crossings in the Texas City have killed seven and injured 17 in two years. The Housing and Home Finance Agency made the grant.

Freezing Rain In Wide Area Over Country

(By The Associated Press)

Freezing rain and sleet created hazardous driving conditions over wide areas in the eastern part of the country today.

At the same time most of the eastern half of the country was still getting cold weather — but much warmer than earlier in the week.

The U. S. Weather Bureau in Washington issued a special warning to motorists in the eastern states to use "extreme caution" in driving because of the freezing rain.

The freezing rain hit areas from Northeast Georgia into southeastern Pennsylvania and to New York City. It was expected to continue most all day in western Virginia, western Maryland, western North Carolina, extending into West Virginia and most of Pennsylvania and southeastern New York.

The bitter sub-zero weather of the past three days in many Midwest and eastern areas moderated. Temperatures climbed over a broad area extending from Texas northeastward into the Ohio Valley, Great Lakes region and into New England. Readings continued on the chilly side over the South Atlantic states.

Blalock Rites Set For Today

MARSHALL, Dec. 29. (AP) — Funeral services were scheduled today for Myron G. Blalock, Texas Democratic leader, with his six brothers as pallbearers.

Blalock, who was a former state party chairman and national committeeman and had done much to keep peace between Texas and national Democrats, died at his home yesterday of a heart attack.

Some of his most successful efforts were in keeping anti-Roosevelt Democrats from taking over state party machinery in 1944. And among the many leading Democrats who sent expressions of sympathy to Blalock's widow was President Truman, who wired:

"I am shocked and saddened by the sorrow which has come to you and yours with such crushing force. Myron was an old and trusted friend whose passing is a sad reminder that our circle is drawing in. To you and to the children who mourn with you the loss of a loved and loving husband and father, I offer the assurance of heartfelt sympathy."

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Tanker Blast Kills Two Men

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 29. (AP) — Two explosions and a fire aboard the tanker SS Sinclair HC about 80 miles south of Miami last night cost the lives of two crewmen.

The explosions occurred in a small pump room on the upper deck and was of "unknown origin," according to a report to the Coast Guard.

One explosion occurred at 6:08 p.m. (EST) and the other at 6:23 p.m., the Coast Guard said. The explosions filled the small room with live steam.

The dead were identified as:

Cecil E. DeMoss, Houston, Tex., pump man second class, who died at 11:05 p.m. aboard the SS Sinclair HC, and Ernest Stickland, 42, of Jacksonville, Fla., who died at 2:49 a.m. (EST) aboard a health service boat which had just reached harbor at Miami. Both men were married.

The bodies are at Gerhardt Funeral home in Miami.

The SS Sinclair HC was en route from Houston to Wilmington, Del. with a cargo of gasoline. It continued to Miami and lay off the entrance to the harbor.

Houston Negro Dies In The Electric Chair

HUNTSVILLE, Dec. 29. (AP)—Edward Exnoel Johnson, Jr., 30-year-old Houston Negro convicted of rape, died in the electric chair at the state penitentiary early today.

As he was being strapped in the chair, Johnson repeated from memory the 23rd Psalm in its entirety. It starts off: "The Lord is My Shepherd."

Testimony of his trail was that he lured an 11-year-old white girl away from a church playground on Nov. 19, 1949, by telling her that a priest wanted to see her. He was sentenced to death last Dec. 13.

In 1951, Yale's football team will meet Bates, Navy, Brown, Columbia, Cornell, Colgate, Dartmouth, Princeton and Harvard.

Physician, Injured In Crash, Makes Progress

Dr. Robert F. Wasson, injured in a two-car collision Saturday evening, is reported to be showing satisfactory improvement although he will probably not be released from Snyder Hospital for three or four days.

Dr. Wasson suffered a fractured vertabra, which will require him to wear a brace for four to six weeks after his release from the hospital.

Theft From Grocery On Post Highway Reported

Burglars stole about $8, several cartons of cigarettes and a small amount of candy from the Cates Grocery Store on Post highway last night, according to L. E. Haynes, deputy sheriff, who made the investigation.

A cash drawer was pried open to obtain the money. Entrance was effected by cutting a hole in a back door, and lifting the inside latch, Haynes said.

Mrs. Alice Greene, wife of John Greene, serving his second year as co-captain of the Detroit Lions football team, practices law in Detroit.

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Kaiser Plant To Be Installed On Gulf

HOUSTON, Dec. 29. (AP) — Kaiser Aluminum Co.'s proposed $70 million Gulf Coast plant probably will be built in the Beaumont or Corpus Christi areas, the Houston Post revealed.

Two other big aluminum producers — Reynolds Metals Co. and Aluminum Corp. of America—were said to be planning industrial expansions on the Gulf Coast.

Bates College and the University of Maine have met 61 times on the football field.

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