

Advocates of Free Enterprise Win in Australia

Second Defeat for Socialism in 11 Days

SYDNEY, Sunday — (AP) — Advocates of free enterprise ousted Australia's Labor Government yesterday. It was the second defeat of socialism in the British commonwealth within 11 days.

A combination of liberal and country parties was assured 64 of the 121 voting memberships in the House and the majority means a new government for them.

The Labor Party, in office eight years, had won 50 seats. Seven seats were in doubt.

The winners will have a majority of from seven to 11.

Returns from Senate races, which do not affect the shift in the government, were still awaited.

The outcome paralleled the election verdict Nov. 30 in New Zealand. There Nationalists pledged to free enterprise and slashing of state controls defeated a Labor Government after 14 years of socialist rule.

Robert Gordon Menzies, Australian liberal leader, will be restored to the prime ministry he held from 1939 to 1941. He called the turn on the Australian situation, in his comment Dec. 1.

"The socialists were brought to power in New Zealand, Australia and Great Britain in that order. This dramatic (New Zealand) result seems a happy omen that they will go out in the same order."

The British Labor Government of Prime Minister Attlee faces an election before July. Some Conservative spokesmen say the results in the dominions might influence the British vote.

A record number of Australians voted — about 5,000,000 men and women. The vote indicates they want socialism halted.

Why would Australians throw out a Labor Government when everyone who wished to work has a job and the country is prosperous?

Most persons tell you it is because they are tired of controls, the trend toward further socialization and rising prices.

Of the six Australian states, the swing against labor was greatest in Queensland in the northeast, which has a labor state government.

Menzies, a tall, dignified Melbourne lawyer, succeeds Joseph B. Chifley, a pipe-smoking former railroad engineer, as prime minister. Menzies is Liberal Party (See SECOND, Page 11)

Young Odis Seeing Santa For Last Time

MARLIN — (AP) — This is a joyful Christmas for Odis Clyde Havis, 3. He doesn't know he's seeing Santa Claus and Christmas trees for the last time.

Because he is the last time, the people of Marlin are making it the happiest Christmas ever. Friday there was a special party for him. Every day someone drops by with presents.

Because the handsome little fellow is going blind. He already has lost the sight of his right eye. The malignant tumor which closed it last June is now destroying his left eye.

But the bright blue left eye shone with happiness Friday. The special party was at the home of Mrs. Louis Bearden, one of several Marlin ladies who worked out details.

There were presents scattered all around the Christmas tree in the corner of Mrs. Bearden's cottage. Candy — bright and striped — fruit, apples, grapes. Santa himself was there. A hand Odis looked hard through the haze closing in on him. It was Santa all right.

Odis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Havis. His daddy is an auto dealer. During the second world war he fought in the European Theater.

Odis is a good little boy, though he sometimes gets up in his mother's lap and cries a little. Mrs. Havis said she first noticed when he was a few months old. Soon the right eye was removed. Next week there'll be a trip to (See YOUNG, Page 11)

Smithwick Will Go to Trial Monday for Mason Slaying

Speedsters On Probation

Two more juveniles speed demons have been placed on probation, County Attorney John Studer said yesterday.

All juvenile drivers caught speeding or driving recklessly will be given one warning and placed on probation. Studer said.

If they are found violating the law after that, their licenses will be revoked and they will be liable to prosecution as juvenile delinquents, the county attorney warned.

"The city police are doing a fine job in controlling speeding," he said, "and there has been no let-up in the current campaign to curb reckless driving, especially by youngsters driving to and from school."

The two youths most recently put on probation are 17 and 18 years old respectively.

One was caught speeding in the north part of town and the other was attempting to frighten a woman driver by weaving his car back and forth across the street behind her.

Cornett Infant Services Held

Funeral services were held yesterday for Jacqueline Kay Cornett, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Cornett of McLennan.

The child died shortly after his birth at 9:30 p.m. Friday. Services were held at 2 p.m. yesterday in the Dukenel - Carmichael Chapel with Dr. Orin W. Carter, pastor of the First Methodist Church officiating.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Besides her parents, the child was survived by one sister, Johnnie Sue; by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Prichard of Leflore and Mr. and Mrs. M. Sackett of Pampa; and by her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mudy of Pampa.

It's Donegal Time; Shamrock Council Protests

SHAMROCK — (Special) — It's donegal (whiskey) that is time in Shamrock and the City Council is protesting.

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, co-sponsor of the annual St. Patrick's Day celebration, began cultivating their facial foliage, Dec. 1, a month before the other males of the city are asked to put forth their best efforts.

Then the Jaycees voted the members of the City Council in as honorary Jaycees and are demanding that they, too, abstain from association with razors.

The council, however, in an official proclamation issued Thursday, stated that such beard-growing not only detracts from the dignity of public officials, but also constitutes a hazard "to the marital happiness of all members of the council."

And also, "due to the physical debility of certain members of the City Council it would be practically impossible to conform to all provisions co-incident to becoming one of the bearded ones."

The council proclaimed, therefore, "that it shall be unlawful for any member of the City Council to permit a beard to grow upon his face between (now) and January 1, 1950."

Shamrock councilmen, at least by press time, were still beardless.



SEEKS POST—Mrs. J. Parnell Thomas has announced in Washington that she will seek the Congressional post being vacated by her husband, who has been sentenced to six to 18 months in jail and fined \$10,000 for "padding" his office payroll. Mrs. Thomas stated that her husband's resignation was in the mail. (AP Wirephoto)

Perryton Man, Homar Eidson, Shoots Self

PERRYTON — (Special) — Homar Eidson, 38, was found shot to death in his car on a dirt road near here yesterday afternoon, and Justice of the Peace Dewey Allen returned a verdict of suicide.

The man, whose wife said he had been ill during the week, had died from a .22 pistol bullet in his right chest. Mrs. Eidson said he had not seemed despondent. His body was found by J. D. Ferguson and Robert Stephenson. His car had been seen parked on the dirt road leading to the Perryton Sales Co. yesterday morning.

Mrs. Eidson said her husband had left home at 9 a.m. in a light blue Ford sedan, a 1948 model of the Russell King Yard. Sheriff Ray Phagan investigated the death.

Besides his wife, he leaves his six-year-old daughter Eula Mae, a step-daughter, Mrs. Ralph Thompson of Kismet, Kan.; his father, T. Eidson of Spokane, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Julia Mae Groom of Las Vegas, N.M., and Mrs. Cletas Wells of Wyo. (See PERRYTON, Page 11)

Reds Charge 'Black Plot'

NEW YORK — (AP) — An old Russian charge that the United States and Britain are preparing a "black plot" against world peace ended the closing session of the U.N. Fourth General Assembly Saturday. It was knocked down by a salvo of cheers for a Western answer.

The Soviet delegate, delivered by Deputy Foreign Minister Jakob A. Malik, drew a rebuke from Sir Alexander Cadogan of Britain. Cadogan told the assembly the Russian had unnecessarily injected a "certain amount of poison" into the final speeches of the session.

After the Malik-Cadogan exchange, Assembly President Carlos P. Romulo said in his closing speech the peoples of the world are determined that every possibility should be explored that can lead the nations out of the Russian-Western deadlock.

Chiang to Formosa

TAIPEH, Formosa — (AP) — Chiang Kai-shek flew to Formosa last night from the chaotic mainland, where a Yunnan Province revolt was stripping the Nationalists of their last major foothold.

Large-scale organized resistance on the mainland is ending. A new era of Nationalist guerrilla warfare is at hand.

Two Hui-ching, Chiang's spokesmen, admitted the Yunnan situation was grave. Nationalist (See REDS, Page 11)

Boxes on Rural Mail Route Shot

Slugs from a high powered rifle or a .45 caliber pistol sometime late last week ripped through rural mail boxes on Rural Route 1, north of town, the Post Office reported yesterday. A few minutes after the Sheriff's Department reported the same incident.

Postmaster W. E. "Red" Weathered told The News that Rural Carrier Elmer Byers told him the boxes appeared to have been made with a .45.

The second report came to the postmaster's office from Mrs. M. C. Overton, Jr., who said the Overton box was hit. None of the boxes was shot away and all are still usable. Weathered said, but added that shooting at mail boxes is a federal offense.

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BUDGET MAY SHOW SLASH IN SPENDING

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Truman may work out a budget calling for expenses a half billion dollars or more below this fiscal year's indicated spending, it was reported.

Officials in touch with the situation said the figure is likely to be in the \$2 to \$3 billion dollar range, probably nearer the latter. Final decisions still are pending on some items, it was said.

Budget spending the current year ending next June 30 is running about \$43,500,000,000.

This wouldn't be enough of a cut to balance the budget unless taxes are increased. Mr. Truman has made it clear he sees no other way than increased revenues to halt deficit spending.

The budget will be handed to Congress next month. With tentative revenue expectations at the \$38,000,000,000 level of this year and last, the present outlook appeared to be a deficit of 4 to 5 billion dollars for fiscal 1951.

For the current fiscal year, the deficit — meaning the margin by which the government is overspending its income — is currently estimated officially at \$5,500,000,000.

Officials discussing the matter, but unwilling to be named, (See BUDGET, Page 11)

Man Shoots Son, 4, Then Kills Himself

WICHITA FALLS — (AP) — Joe Powell, 36, shot his only son to death Saturday and then killed himself.

Powell shot his son, Raymond, 4, as the boy played with his toys on the living room floor. Then he turned his .45 caliber automatic on himself. A verdict of murder and suicide was returned by Coroner H. M. (Doc) Newman.

"Joe, why did you do it?" Mrs. Powell said again and again as officers arrived at their five-room home in Southwest Wichita Falls soon after the shooting.

Colleagues said the former police officer had been upset since his transfer recently from the license weights division of the patrol's Wichita Falls substation.

Highway Patrol Sgt. Webster Bailey said Powell also had been upset over plans for moving his family into a new home he was in the process of buying.

Mrs. Powell ran screaming to the front door, her dead child in her arms, shortly after the shooting about 8 a.m. City Fireman W. H. Farmer, sitting in his car down the street, heard the screams.

(See MAN, Page 11)

Kerns Rites In Missouri

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Margaret Kerns, 426 N. Wynne, will be conducted at 9 a.m. tomorrow at the Blessed Sacrament Church in Hannibal, Mo.

Mrs. F. W. Kerns, born July 19, 1919, was visiting her husband's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Gally, in Houston when she had a heart attack, which resulted in her death early Friday morning.

Her uncle, Frank Walker, left Pampa Friday to take the body to the family home in Hannibal. It will lie in state at the S. T. McIntyre residence, 3101 S. Mary's Avenue, until funeral time.

Professor Kerns went to Hannibal yesterday to attend the funeral.

Besides her husband and her father, Mrs. Kerns is survived by two sisters, Virginia and Madeline McIntyre, Hannibal, and one brother, Jimmy, also of Hannibal.

Mrs. Kerns was graduated from the McCooey High School in Missouri, and received her BS Degree from the University of Saint Louis. She was a graduate nurse at Saint Mary's Hospital and worked at the Worley Hospital here for a short time.

The Kerns were married here April 5, 1949.

THE WEATHER

U.S. WEATHER BUREAU

WEST TEXAS: Occasional rain and windy rain changing to snow in Pampa Sunday. Coldest Sunday in Pampa.

OKLAHOMA: Strong northerly winds and rain changing to snow throughout state Sunday. Hottest conditions in Pampa Sunday. Coldest Sunday in Pampa.

Monday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60. Tuesday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60. Wednesday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60. Thursday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60. Friday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60. Saturday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60. Sunday: Partly cloudy, 45 to 60.

William McClellan, Prominent Hansford County Rancher, Killed in Plane Crash

SPEARMAN — (Special) — William McClellan, 49, prominent native Hansford County businessman and civic leader of Spearman, was found near the scene of his crashed plane shortly after 7 a.m. yesterday.

Bill, as he was widely known in the Panhandle, had taken off at 7 from the Spearman Airport to visit his ranch near Dalhart. He was alone, and there were no known witnesses to the fatal crash of the plane, which was found twisted and burned in a fence a mile from the airport.

Mr. McClellan's body was found nearby, badly burned. The plane crashed on the farm of his brother, R. L. McClellan. It was a new four-place Stinson, purchased about a month ago by the victim and his nephew, Roy Lee McClellan, Jr.

Mr. McClellan, who had owned a smaller plane before, had been flying for over a year. He used the ship in flying his farm and ranch properties in Texas and Oklahoma.

Several persons arrived at the crash scene about the same time. A fire alarm had been turned in to the Fire Department at Spearman by Silven Ray, who lives on the R. L. McClellan farm. No one is reported to have heard the crash, or to have known the fire was a crashed plane.

An official of the Civil Aeronautics Administration, stationed at Amarillo, was here yesterday investigating the crash, but no report was issued. The sky was cloudy, but it was not raining at the time of the crash, it was reported.

Mr. McClellan, born and reared in Hansford County, was a business man, farmer and rancher, a past president of the Spearman Chamber of Commerce, a charter member and past president of the Spearman Lions Club, a chairman of the Boy Scout Committee, and a member of the First Methodist Church, in whose choir he sang. (See WILLIAM, Page 11)

TB Seal Sales Little Slow

Gray County residents contributed a total of \$1,018.04 during the first week of the 1949 Christmas seal sale, Mrs. G. F. Branson, president of the county TB Chapter, said.

"The money for the seals isn't coming in as rapidly as we expected," she stated.

Nearly \$2,000 were raised in Gray County in 1948 through the annual Christmas seal sale.

NSA and B&W members sent out more than 7,000 envelopes each containing 200 seals. Residents have been asked to keep the seals and return a check in the enclosed envelope.

"Although the campaign will continue until Christmas, we greatly appreciate having returns made promptly," Mrs. Branson said. "Early returns, before the heavy rush of Christmas mail, place less of a burden on the Post Office. Further, they hasten the association in the belief that it will be able to put its plans for an expanded program of tuberculosis prevention and control into effect early in the new year."

The amount raised in the seal sale, 95 percent will be used to support work within the state directed at the prevention and eradication of tuberculosis; and the remaining five percent will be forwarded to the National Tuberculosis Association.

While the basic work of tuberculosis control is carried out in Gray County, Mrs. Branson pointed out that each local association draws upon the advice, experience and assistance of the state and national associations.

'Mountain Lion' Mystery Solved; Bobcat Caught

CANADIAN — (Special) — The mystery of the "Mountain Lion" that was seen in the Canadian River bottoms near here two weeks ago may be solved.

Game Warden C. W. Large caught an unusually large bobcat in a trap on the Mile Six ranch five miles northwest of Canadian Friday.

He set his trap in the brakes near where a group of pessimist hunters saw what they thought was a mountain lion two weeks ago. The animal sighted at that time was seen in the lengthening shadows of evening.

Large succeeded in putting the bobcat into a huge wire cage and exhibited him on the streets of Canadian yesterday.

When he was asked how he managed to cage the ferocious beast, Large said modestly, "I just got him by the tail and herded him into the cage."

This cat is said to be even larger than the one caught last winter on Ole Norman McGill ranch.

This animal's enormous paws left tracks that helped fan rumors of a roaming lion loose in the vicinity.

TEXAS PANHANDLE IS BRACED FOR BLIZZARD

(Gathered From AP Reports)

A small twister destroyed farm outbuildings near Morton and wind whipped a destructive cotton gin fire Saturday as the Texas Panhandle braced for its first snow of the season.

Here at Pampa what may have been a small twister of very high winds partially destroyed the south wing fence at the Pampa Drive-In Theater and knocked down about 50 speakers. Paul West, local theater manager, said.

West also reported that a gas regulator house, across the highway from the theater, was blown over. Intensity of the wind was shown in the fact that a 55 gallon water barrel, full at the time, was rolled over. There were no other reports of damage in or around Pampa.

A cold wave bore down on the state. The U. S. Weather Bureau said it should bring low temperatures of 14 to 20 degrees in the Panhandle and South Plains and 20 to 25 degrees in the extreme northwest part of East Texas Sunday night.

By Sunday night — the Weather Bureau said — colder weather should reach across the state to the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Blizzard conditions were forecast for the northeast part of New Mexico Sunday, and there was a possibility blizzard conditions (See TEXAS, Page 11)

Farm Loans May Be Upped

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Three senators said the government may be forced to put up far more money next year for loans to maintain promised price supports under farm crops. Their estimates ran from another \$1,000,000,000 upward.

The agreed in separate views that even though nearly \$5,000,000,000 now is available to Secretary of Agriculture Brannan for price props under farm income, more will be needed.

Declining prices on major agricultural crops and mounting surpluses should force action during the next session of Congress which convenes in January, they said.

The amount posted for loans does not mean the government expects to lose anywhere near that much. The loss cannot be foretold because it depends on the markets.

Senator Aiken (R-Vt.), No. 1 GOP member of the Senate Agriculture Committee, said "it's been evident for months that the present \$4,750,000,000 authorization for price support loans will not be adequate."

"It might be wise to provide another \$5,000,000,000 to cover the price readjustment period ahead for farmers," he said.

"We should have started this readjustment sooner and we may all regret that the support levels have been kept so high."

Santa's Sallies

Santa has put out a call for old toys that can be repaired. He wants everyone who has extra toys to drop them off at the Fire Department where he has instructed the firemen to be his helpers and fix up the toys for Pampa kids.

The large 12- by 18-foot blue cross on top of the Fisher Panhandle Grain Elevator certainly makes Pampa look "Christmasy." Guess ole Santa won't forget to stop here when he sees the yuletide sign.

Between C. L. Winborne's six-month-old rooster and Bobbie Conway's young raccoon, named "Dopy, Jr.," and "Connie," respectively, the pet section of the Flight of Santa Claus parade has everything. The two boys were among the football winners for the parade. The Sportsman Shop, Pampa Hardware, Thompson Hardware and Addington Western Store provided the footballs. Competitors were given the girl winners by Zale's McCarty's and Leder's.

Well, good ole Santa has been in town again. Several kiddies said it has seemed like a million years since he was in Pampa. But many of them picked their pockets with enough candy kisses during the Flight of Santa Claus Parade to last until Christmas.

Only five days left to complete the out-door home decoration for the Home Decoration Committee's contest. A large supremacy statue awaits the owner of the house judged "best decorated." Judging will start at 7 p.m. Friday. Houses will be judged from 7 to 10:30 p.m. on Thursday through Jan. 1.

It appears as if most Pampans should have their Christmas trees by now. We saw about half the town's population of men yesterday afternoon with Christmas trees under their arms or sticking out of their car windows, despite the nasty weather.

Quite a number of High (See SANTA'S, Page 11)

Texan Is 1950 March of Dimes Poster Girl

NEW YORK — (AP) — Meet the 1950 March of Dimes poster girl: eight-year-old Wanda Wiley of Austin, Texas.

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis announced that Wanda has been chosen to be pictured on millions of posters, coin cards and collection cans in the fund drive next Jan. 16-26.

Last year's poster girl also was from Texas—Linda Iris Brown of San Antonio. The foundation noted that Texas has had polio epidemics for two successive years.

Wanda, one of six children of Mr. and Mrs. Earl N. Wiley, was stricken in July, 1948. Almost completely paralyzed at birth, she now gets around with wheelchair and crutches.

AUSTIN — (AP) — Dark-haired, wistful Wanda Wiley, the 1950 March of Dimes poster girl, was stricken with polio in the summer of last year.

She nearly died.

Today Wanda is back in school, in the second grade. She uses braces and crutches, and doctors say she may be able to walk with the aid of only one cane by the time she is grown. She is only 8.

Wanda was hit by polio two weeks after an older sister, Joyce, 16, was struck by the crippling. They both went to Warm Springs, Ga., in October last year, and returned to Texas in May. Joyce is now at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation.

Ordinarily the national foundation would have chosen the new poster girl from another state, but Basil O'Connor, foundation president, saw Wanda at Warm Springs, Ga. He couldn't get the memory of her wistful little face out of his mind. That was largely the reason for Wanda's choice.

Wanda will leave Austin Jan. 10 for Washington and then will proceed to New York City to open the March of Dimes drive Jan. 16.

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"MARCH OF DIMES" GIRL—Wanda Wiley, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl N. Wiley, Austin, goes for a walk with her pet dog. Wanda, who 18 months ago was completely paralyzed, has been chosen as the 1950 March of Dimes poster girl and her picture will appear on the annual drive of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. (AP Wirephoto)

Commissioner For N. Mexico To Be Named

Appointment of a tri-state water compact commissioner from New Mexico was promised by Gov. Thomas Mabry, N. M., in a letter to Gov. Allan Shivers last week.

The information was received via the channel method from A. A. Meredith, city manager of Borger, Meredith was informed in turn by E. V. Spence, compact commissioner of Texas. Spence, now working with the commission, was appointed by the late Gov. Beauford H. Jester, after the 81st Congress authorized and directed the Governor to appoint a commissioner from Texas.

Mabry said he would make the appointment after consulting with the New Mexico Interstate Stream Committee.

According to reliable reports the Oklahoma Planning and Resources Board is authorized to act for the Sooner State.

Meredith, chairman of the Compact Committee for the Texas

Wheeler TB Fund

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Up to Tuesday afternoon \$430 had been donated to the Wheeler County Tuberculosis Association, according to Judge George Heffley of Wheeler, treasurer of the county association.

Fifteen hundred letters have been mailed to county residents, and Dr. H. E. Nicholson, founder and president of the county association is urging all citizens to contribute generously.

The sale will continue through Dec. 25.

SPEEDY FIRST BASEMAN

BROOKLYN, N. Y. — (AP) — Dee Fondy, one of four Dodger first basemen who will go south next spring, has stolen 106 bases in four seasons. He pilfered 26 last season, 20 with Mobile and six at Montreal.

Panhandle Water Users Organization, said Spence planned to call a conference with the commission and their technical advisors to make further studies on the South Canadian River immediately after the New Mexico representative is named.

At a recent Executive Committee of Panhandle Water Users meeting a State Legislative and Water Compact Committee was appointed, consisting of: A. A. Meredith, Borger, chairman; Ray Pritchett, Plainview; Lawrence Hagy, Amarillo; R. O. Stark, O'Donnell; E. O. Wewers, Pampa; Preston Smith, Lubbock. The committee is to work with the compact commissioners and representatives in the Legislature in formulation and approval of the tri-state water compact on the South Canadian River.



TOP FLIGHT—Fit to take off is the zany creation modeled by socialite Mrs. Harry Dorsey Watts at a New York charity ball for hospitalized veterans.

Sherman Pool Given New Field Orders

AUSTIN — (AP) — The Railroad Commission last week announced the following field regulations: East Sherman field, Grayson County — spacing 933 feet between wells and 330 feet from property lines; 20-acre proration units; allowable based equally on acreage and number of wells.

Telephone Company Again Denied Increase in Rates

Will the Pampa City Commission ever approve a rate raise for the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.?

That was the question in the back of George Newberry's mind Friday as he left the City Commission meeting following another unsuccessful attempt to get a definite commitment from the mayor and commissioners on the company's repeated request for a rate raise.

Responding to Mayor C. A. "Pete" Huff's assertion that service in Pampa was still on the poor side of the ledger, Newberry declared:

"We are making every possible attempt to better the service and will continue to do so even though we cannot get an increase in local telephone rates."

The Southwestern Bell has been attempting to get a \$2 business phone hike and a 75 cent boost in residential rates.

According to a chart on telephone rates in cities comparable to Pampa, made by City Manager Dick Pepin, the increase, if granted, would put Pampa approximately 50 cents above the average of about 11 cities.

Newberry said that an additional \$75,000 an improvements had been drawn out by telephone engineers for Pampa in 1950, but that the company would not authorize the expenditure if a rate increase is not granted. He added that it would definitely put the company in the red here and that Southwestern Bell was only asking for a three percent

return on investment.

Asked by Pepin if the company would install the dial system here at a rate increase was granted, Newberry countered with an, "I don't know." He did say he would contact the company and see if they would make a statement as to when dial would be installed if an increase here would be okayed by the commission.

Immediately after Newberry left with the commission still holding the same telephone rate, a short meeting with the School Board was held on bringing in the county on the tax equalization survey. Both groups agreed to meet with the County Commissioners' Court to discuss the matter, but no date was set for the meeting.

The first move to annex Blocks 5, 6, and 7 of the Lavender Addition to the city was made when the commission passed two ordinances on their first reading to bring in the blocks.

Block 7 was read in one ordinance and the remaining two in a separate ordinance. The majority of lots in those blocks are owned by an Amarilloan who has not yet been contacted by the commission on the annexation.

Pepin reported that the city's \$25,000 loan from the Citizens Bank and Trust Co. to pay off the paving topping has been paid down to \$9,400. This money was paid from receipts on paving payments and was not taken out of the general fund.

The commission instructed the city manager to send a map and request to Washington seeking

Woolen Clothing Costs to Stay Up

DENVER — (AP) — A man who should know says woolen clothing will cost as much next year as it does now.

F. Eugene Ackerman, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Wool Bureau, Inc., told the National Woolgrowers Association that he sees little or no reduction in woolen fabrics in 1950. Ackerman predicted a continued good demand for wool, saying that wool and rayon blends have not won public acceptance "on a quality basis, or on any fashion appeal."

The association approved the government's 1949 wool purchase program for next year, but insisted that growers have the right to accept or reject government bids on any or all of their clip.

permission to deed 10 acres to the State Highway Department for a maintenance barn. The park, developed through WPA funds, is still under federal control so far as leasing or disposing of any part of it is concerned. The letter and map will be sent to Rep. Eugene Worley to be passed on to proper authorities in the national capital.

Approval of monthly bills and payments to W. R. Colwell of \$4,580.66 for curb and gutter; first partial payment to Brooks and Gardner of \$15,319.93 for work on the disposal plant and lift station; partial payment to Parkview Construction of \$5,000 for removal of pipe at Dalhart Army Air Field; final payment to Lane Texas for three wells and three pumps in the new water field south of town were approved before the commission adjourned.

Motions for New Trials Overruled

Two motions for new trials in civil litigations were overruled by Judge Lewis M. Goodrich Friday in 31st District Court.

Charging misconduct of the jury, Attys. William Jarrell Smith, Arthur Teed and Curtis Douglass were overruled in seeking a new trial in the William I. Cheely versus The Texas Employers Insurance Co.

Cheely entered suit against the company for 401 weeks compensation due to injuries he received in a fight with another employee over working conditions.

The misconduct centered around alleged discussions of whether some of the jurors asked if Cheely paid premiums on a group insurance policy or if it was taken out of his salary. Another charge of misconduct centered on a discussion that the majority ruled in answering special issues. Jurymen J. B. Cornitt and William Flaherty were called to the stand by defense attorneys.

Cornitt said he had voted yes on a special issue he would have voted "no" to, but another juror said "majority rules" and he voted "yes."

Flaherty said he did not recollect whether any one discussed the premiums on Cheely's group policy or whether he asked such a question.

Earlier Judge Goodrich overruled a motion for a new trial on the debt suit brought against G. B. "Pinkie" Vineyard by the Panhandle Roofing Co. and Vine-

We Still Like Santa Way He Used to Be

CROWELL — (AP) — Santa Claus must have been hatching to the juke box.

When he comes to this West Texas town for the formal Christmas opening he'll be riding a mule train.

Ted Stafford, manager of the Ford County Chamber of Commerce, thought up the idea.

QUICK CHANGE

PROVIDENCE, R. I. — Brown hadn't defeated Yale and Harvard in football in the same season since 1932, but did the trick on successive Saturdays this fall.

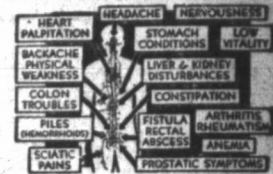
yard's cross action for damages. At the conclusion of both hearings attorneys in each case announced notices of appeal to the Court of Civil Appeals.

Cheely had been represented by Atty. Walter E. Rogers who also represented Vineyard.

Fistula May Often

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Rise in Number Of Unemployed Causing Concern

WASHINGTON —(AP)—A rapid rise in the number of unemployed workers exhausting jobs in the July-September quarterly period.

benefit rights is causing growing concern among government officials. Latest figures, compiled by the Labor Department's Bureau of Employment Security show about 500,000 persons ran out of their rights to further unemployment compensation payments during the July-September quarterly period.

These are persons who still didn't have jobs after running through all the unemployment insurance payments they were entitled to. The number of weeks of benefits varies from state to state. Employment has been gaining lately, and unemployment has been decreasing, so some of the

people out of work in the July-September periods may now have found jobs. However, unemployment in November was estimated by the Census Bureau to be 3,408,000 as compared with 3,311,000 in November, 1948. The November, 1949, employment figure was 39,518,000. The 500,000 figure is more

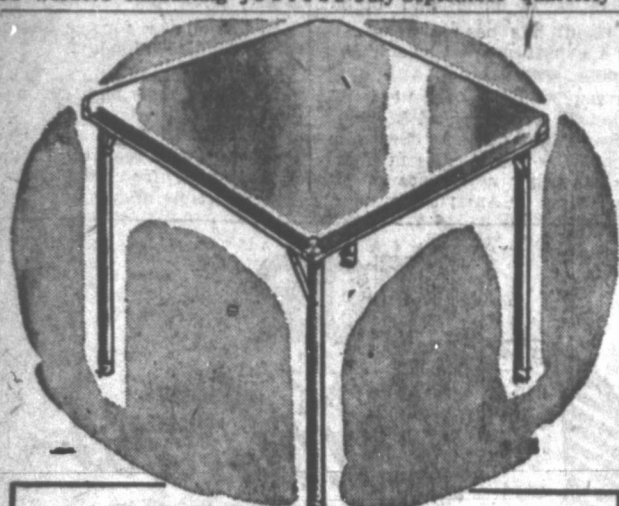
than double the 215,000 exhaustions of the July-September quarter a year ago. The big question is this: What happens to workers once they run through all their jobless insurance benefits? The Bureau of Employment Security has asked state employment offices to try to find out.

One thing is fairly certain, however. To the extent these workers were receiving unemployment aid, purchasing power is cut when their payments come to an end. The bureau listed exhaustions for Texas in the July-September period at 4,708, compared to 10,808 in the 1948 period.

FHA Policy on Race Restrictions Stated

DALLAS — (AP)—Housing projects which already have race or color restrictions in force won't be bothered by the government's new race policy.

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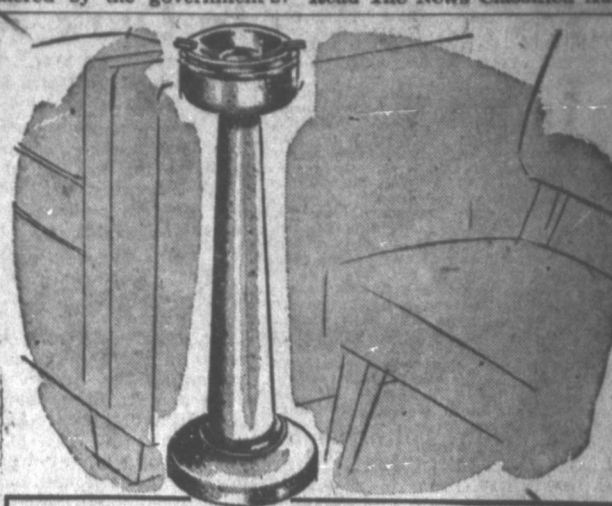
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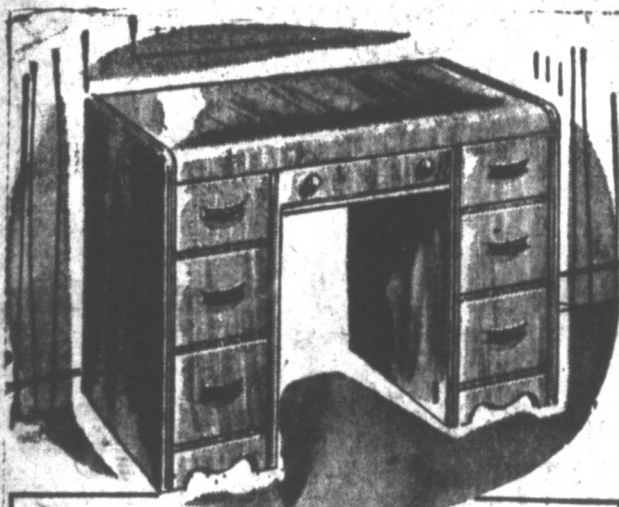
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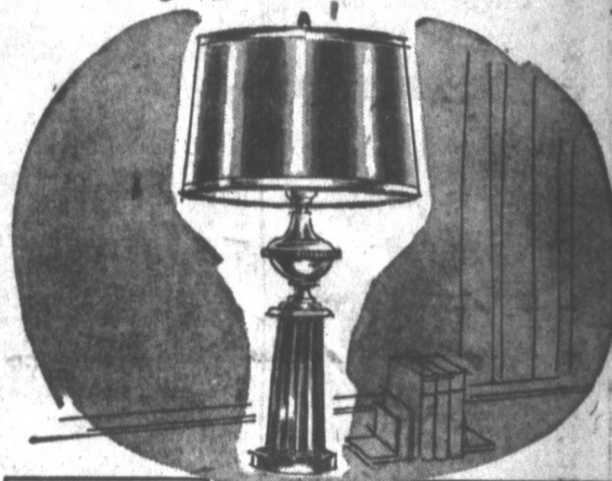
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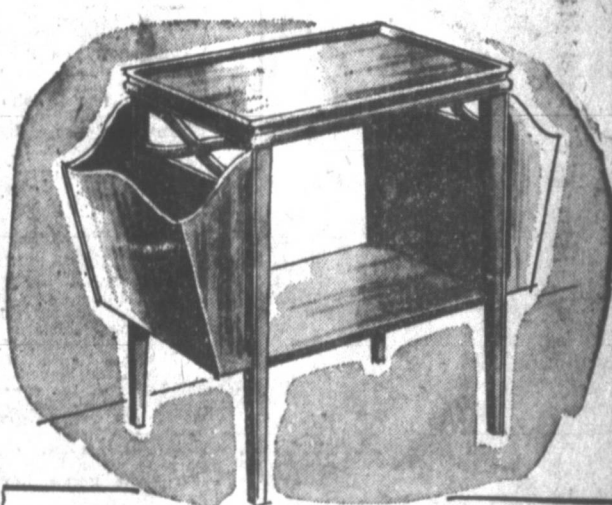


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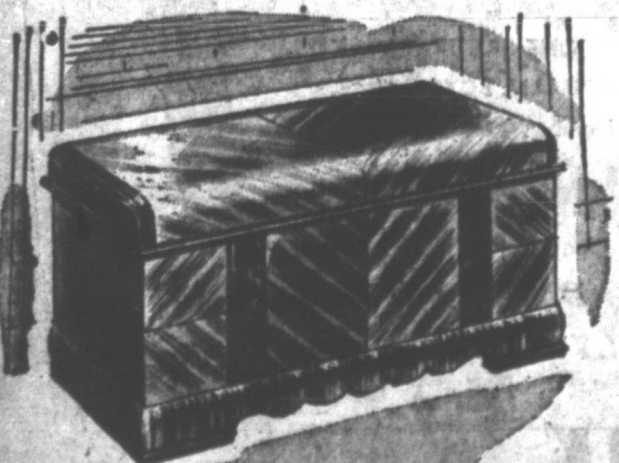
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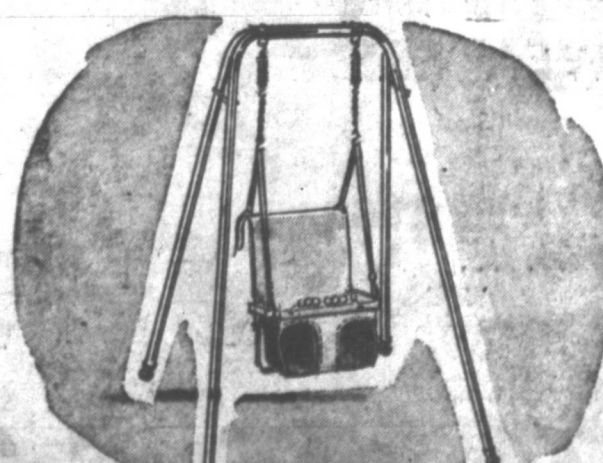


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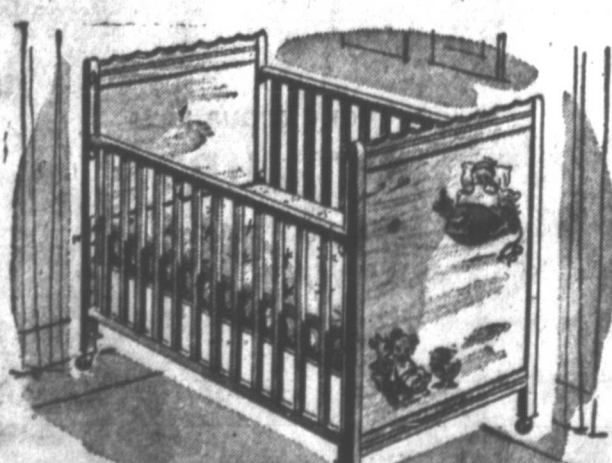
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NOTICE OF COUNTY BOND ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 20th day of December, 1949, within GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS, to determine if said County shall issue permanent improvement bonds, the proceeds of said bonds to be used to purchase, build or construct buildings and other permanent improvements to be used for annual exhibits of horticultural and agricultural products, and/or livestock and mineral products of Gray County, and if an annual ad valorem tax shall be levied on all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the annual interest and provide a sinking fund to pay the bonds at maturity, in pursuance of an ELECTION ORDER made and entered by the Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, on the 1st day of December, 1949, which Order is in words and figures as follows:

ORDER FOR COUNTY BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
ON THIS, the 1st day of December, 1949, the Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courtroom of said County, Texas, there being present and in attendance the following members, to-wit:

BRUCE L. PARKER, COUNTY JUDGE, presiding;
JOE K. CLARKE, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 1;
J. W. GRAHAM, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 2;
FRED S. VANDERBURG, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 3;
Wm. EARNST BECK, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 4;
and, among other proceedings had, were the following:
Commissioner Joe K. Clarke introduced the following election order:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, deems it advisable to submit to the resident qualified voting voters of said County who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered same for taxation, the proposition for the issuance of permanent improvement bonds, the amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000), to be used to purchase, build or construct buildings and other permanent improvements to be used for annual exhibits of horticultural and agricultural products, and/or livestock and mineral products of Gray County, and the levy of taxes in payment thereof, therefore, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COM-

MISSIONERS' COURT OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said County on the 20th day of December, 1949, which date is not less than Fifteen (15) nor more than Thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified taxpaying electors who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

SHALL the Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said County in the total principal sum of \$150,000 to mature serially at such time as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court of said County, not later than Twenty (20) years from the date thereof, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENTUM (3 1/2 percent) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, to levy ad valorem taxes sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, the proceeds of said bonds to be used to purchase, build or construct buildings and other permanent improvements to be used for annual exhibits of horticultural and agricultural products, and/or livestock and mineral products of Gray County, and the levy of taxes in payment thereof, therefore, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COM-

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Millions Are Still Living In Dark Ages

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

We pride ourselves mightily on Twentieth Century civilization until along comes some development to remind us that, while humanity has indeed made fair progress, literally hundreds of millions still are living in the dark ages.

What set me off on this unhappy line of thought was a news dispatch from Johannesburg, South Africa, saying that ritual murders in Basutoland are presenting the British authorities with a difficult problem in African administration. And Basutoland isn't the only part of the Dark Continent where primitive practices are found.

In Basutoland, the bodies of 293 victims of ritual murder have been found by police in the past seven years. And there is reason to believe that twice

as many cases have gone undiscovered.

These present day ritual murders in Africa frequently consist of cutting the victim to pieces while he still is alive. The sacrifice is made to ward off evils or bring good fortune, and in that sense are religious.

Much more common than the horrors of ritual murder are practices involving the supernatural, and I have encountered these in many parts of the world. For instance, a lot of weird beliefs center in the Hindu Sadhus, or spirit doctors, who are found not only in the Orient but in the

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Speech Class Recital To Be Held Dec. 15

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Mrs. Everett Smith will present a group of students from her speech class in a recital at Clark Auditorium Dec. 15.

The program will start at 7:30 p.m. and is open to the public.

but it got out of the father's control. The result was that the spirit was visiting the old home daily and flogging the father, mother and other son unmercifully. This, mind you, was a "fact" and "common knowledge," so I was told.

British Cotton Mills Behind U.S. in Output

LUBBOCK—British cotton mills have found no new uses for fibers in recent years and are actually trying to "hold on" during the present economic crisis, Prof. L. P. Parsons of Texas Tech reports.

Prof. Parsons spent most of October and November in Great Britain, France and Switzerland in a tour of textile schools and factories. He is head of Tech's Textile Engineering Department.

"Some British mills produce cotton cloth which is unsurpassed for quality," he said. "But they don't produce much and there isn't a demand for it."

He said British mills have fallen behind American plants in production methods and output. The result has been a great loss in the export market which Britain once dominated.

Parsons said the recent textile machinery exposition at Manchester was highlighted by Swiss exhibits. Swiss-built textile machines were smoother and more precise than British or American products, he said, but their high cost makes them impractical.

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Former Shamrock Woman Dies at 65

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Charles Cadenhead was called to Abilene Monday because of the death of his aunt, Mrs. A. B. Beatty, 65.

Mrs. Beatty, a former Shamrock resident, died Monday.

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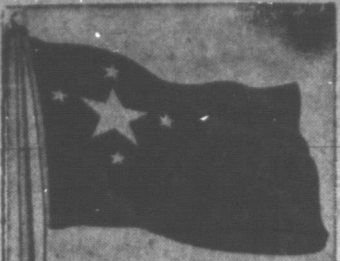
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Three Chosen for Shamrock Chamber
SHAMROCK — (Special) — P. B. Woodruff, G. L. Harrison, and Al Ryan have been elected to the board of directors of the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce. The three were chosen from a list of eight candidates named by the old board of directors. The new directors replace retiring president Lonnie Burks, C. W. Dalton, and Dave Skidmore. Holdover members of the board are: Oscar Walker, A. O. LeBlanc, Ben Parks, Aaron Fry, Ivan Wilcox, and Vernon Carver.

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Two plays On McLean's Program

McLEAN — (Special) — First stage production of the 1949-50 school year will be held tomorrow night, when the Curtain Club program is given in the McLean High School Auditorium at 7:30.

The program includes readings and skits, plus a one-act tragedy and a one-act comedy. The club is under the direction of Mrs. Jim Back.

Net proceeds will be divided between the Junior and Senior classes.

All students are first-year Curtain Club members.

Serving as master of ceremonies will be John Dee Coleman.

Between the two plays, Choral Club members Norma Watson, Marjorie Windom, Darlene Shadd, and Jane Williams, will sing, accompanied by Barbara Beck. Edward Dwyer will repeat his reading, "I Ain't Gonna Cry No More."

Members of the first play's cast, directed by Pat Reeves, are: Clyde Mounce, Edward Dwyer, and Benny Cooper. Members of the comedy's cast, directed by John Dee Coleman, will be: Wancie Hupp, Joyce Stewart, Norma Joyce Mercer, Jeannette Pharis, Charles Bailey, Mary Holloway, Dale Johnston, and Keith Myatt.

Others on the program are: Effie Lou Carpenter, Pat Hensley, Jerry Bybee, and Charlotte Wilson.

McLean Rescue Fund at \$252

McLEAN — (Special) — A total of \$252.72 is now in the McLean Volunteer Fire Department's rescuator fund, but more donations are needed. W. C. McHugh, chairman of the firemen's Finance Committee, said this week.

Donations may be left with McHugh, or with Fire Chief Boyd Meador or Assistant Chief Leo Gibson.

The rescuator will cost about

Rev. Day Resigns to Enter Army



REV. CLAYTON DAY

McLEAN — (Special) — The Rev. Clayton Day, pastor of the First Baptist Church in McLean since Jan. 1, 1949, has resigned effective Tuesday.

The young pastor, who has taken an active part in civic activities, is entering the Army as a chaplain.

He will leave here Tuesday for Fort Belvoir, Va., for his first assignment. His rank will be first lieutenant. He and Mrs. Day will retain their membership in the McLean church.

Arriving here Jan. 1, Rev. Day succeeded the Rev. Ray Stephens, who had resigned to accept the pastorage of the Spearman Baptist church.

Rev. Day, a native of Palestine, Texas, attended Baylor University, East Texas Baptist College, and the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth. He has held pastorates at Tyler, Friona, and Devers.

Mrs. Day and their two children will also leave Tuesday, and will visit briefly with relatives at Palestine and Tyler before joining her husband at Fort Belvoir.

Day has said he intends to make the Army his career.

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Postmaster Urges Early Yule Mailing

Employees of the Pampa Post Office have shown enough Christmas spirit to contribute funds and decorate the Post Office lobby. W. B. Weathered, postmaster said as he issued his annual appeal for early mailing of greeting cards and gift packages.

Weathered expects the greatest flood of Yuletide mail in Pampa's history this season. He predicted it would exceed "by a considerable margin" the record-breaking 1948 holiday season, when more than 50,000 pieces of mail were cancelled per day for several days.

"This year's deluge of Christmas mail will strain Post Office facilities severely," he said. "But we'll get everything delivered by Christmas if the public cooperates wholeheartedly."

Christmas packages for distant states should be mailed immediately, he declared. Christmas cards to friends in other states should be mailed by Thursday. Greetings for local delivery should click through the stamp cancellation machines at least two or three days before Christmas.

Preparations to handle this year's Yuletide rush have already begun. The Post Office is training extra mail clerks and carriers, setting up new sorting tables, hauling out reserve mail sacks, and overhauling delivery trucks.

To help keep Christmas mail on schedule, Weathered listed

- three recommendations for Post Office patrons:
1. Stop at the Post Office this week to purchase extra stamps, thus avoiding last-minute crowds. Also remember the rate for unsealed cards has been increased to two cents.
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200 Attend Pearl Harbor Services

McLEAN — (Special) — Approximately 200 people turned out Wednesday night to attend memorial services, sponsored by the Andrew H. Floyd Post of the American Legion, in memory of Pearl Harbor Day. The meeting was held in the Legion Hall.

Giving the address was the Rev. George MacDonald, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. He stated that people were listening to "men of education and men of science" and not to God.

The Rev. Clayton Day, Baptist pastor, served as master of ceremonies, opening the program with

the Pledge to the Flag. Mrs. Roy Reeves led the group in singing. A sextet of Mrs. Reeves, Norma Watson, Oma Bell McPherson, Jeanne Pharis, Marjorie Ledgerwood and Mrs. Truitt Sawyer sang, accompanied by Mrs. P. A. Miller.

Giving the invocation was the Rev. L. R. Green, pastor of the Assembly of God Church; and the Scripture was read by the Rev. W. B. Hicks, Methodist pastor.

END TO EDUCATION

HOUSTON — (AP) — Most college students think their education ends with graduation, says Chancellor Robert M. Hutchins of the University of Chicago. He thinks that is a mistaken idea. Hutchins spoke at the University of Houston.

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WARREN'S WARMUP

By Warren Hesse—News Sports Editor

QUESTION: In what year was the first professional football game played?

OWNER R. L. EDMONDSON OF THE PAMPA OILERS DROPPED by the office yesterday afternoon for a little "hot stove league" baseball gossip. Ed had just returned from Baltimore, Md., where he attended the 1949 Minor League baseball meeting and also picked up a few ballplayers for the 1950 edition of the Pampa Oilers.

Ed left Pampa Friday, Dec. 2, for the meeting. The first thing he did was to bump into the contingent from Amarillo bound for the convention. And, says Ed, "I had to shepherd them around all the rest of the time." They arrived in Baltimore last Sunday morning, and already there were about 1,000 representatives on hand of the 3,500 expected. They had filled up the first 17 floors of the Lord Baltimore Hotel. Ed said that the through made the huge lobby of the hotel look "like a smaller cracker box than the Amarillo and Borger ballparks."

Monday the majors, AAA, AA and A clubs drafted. Tuesday morning Class B got its choice and Tuesday afternoon Class C baseball selected its players.

Edmondson pulled in three men for the Oilers, and lost none in the draft to other clubs. First choice of Ed was a right-handed hurler, Joe J. Prucha, who spent last season with the Amarillo Oilers.

Prucha, who is 22 years old, is a top Class D organization, Prucha is a 2-year man, limited service, and is 22 years old.

Edmondson old. Last season he won 19 games and lost 8. He had 135 strikeouts and a fine earned run mark of 2.69. Ed had just scouted three times, and each report was very good on the youngster.

Second choice was an infielder, Donald L. Ricketson, who played for Vidalia-Lions in the Georgia State League last season. He is a third baseman, but also a good outfielder. He is also 22 years old, but Ed was uncertain whether he was a limited service man or a veteran. Last year he slugged out 22 doubles, 4 triples and 25 home runs. He had 129 runs batted in and finished with a batting mark of .290, very good for the heavy air in that league.

Third and least choice of Edmondson was another infielder, Loran Chafin, from Eastman in the Georgia State League. He is a second baseman, limited service, a bonus player and 21 years of age. Scout reports on him are also very high.

In another piece of business transacted at the meeting, Edmondson swapped A. B. Everett, who finished the season at third base for the Oilers, off to Amarillo in a three-cornered deal that brought Bob Ferguson, hard-hitting and versatile Borger athlete,

to the Oilers. Also added to the roster is Frank Gillespie, fireballing right-hander who pitched in the Cotton States League last season. He was purchased outright late in the season and hurled a shutout and a one-hitter after his sale.

Edmondson also laid the groundwork for the purchase of a Class B southpaw from the Southeastern League while in Baltimore. More news on that player should be forthcoming soon as the deal is rapidly nearing completion.

In addition to these new athletes, there will be at least four new rookies in camp when the Oilers start spring training next season. One is from Texas A&M, one from Oklahoma University and two are coming from Wichita, Kans. One of the four is a left-handed first baseman that can also play a lot of outfield and is supposed to be a terrific hitter.

The present roster of the Oilers looks something like this as the draft is completed:

PITCHERS: Howard Bass, Merlin Hubbard, George Payte, Charley Bodine, John Martin, Joe Prucha, Frank Gillespie and Ed Lacey, the rookie from Fort Worth that finished the season with the Oilers.

INFELDERS: Virgil Richardson, Ernie Velasquez, Donald Ricketson and Loran Chafin.

OUTFIELDERS: Homer Matney, Oa Engel and Bob Ferguson. CATCHERS: Jim Martin.

Add to this roster the four rookies due from the college camps in the springtime and the Oilers probably start spring training around the 25th of March about a week earlier than last season. There is also a very strong possibility that they will go to Durant, Okla., for the training. The old Army Air Field there has a fine diamond, housing and feeding facilities, plus a bit better climate than is usually available around the Panhandle at that time of the year.

So it looks like Ed did a good stroke of business on his trip to the East Coast in an effort to strengthen the Oilers for 1950. How good a stroke we will know about next July 4.

ANSWER: The first professional football game was played on August 31, 1895 between Latrobe, Pa., and Jeannette, Pa.

Harvesters Nudge Bobcats, 49-45

Howard Tops Scoring With 20 Points; Dalhart Tuesday

The Pampa Harvester cagers hung up their second victory of the new season Friday night as they downed a sharp-shooting, vastly improved band of Childress Bobcats, 49-45, at Childress. It was the second win in a week over the Cats, the Harvesters topping the 2-AA club 50-30 here Dec. 2.

The Harvesters rolled up a halftime lead of 29-18, which at the time looked sufficient, but the Cats came roaring back and fired at the basket from all over the floor, and found their shots knocking the bottom out of the net, in the second half.

Senior speedster, Jimmy Howard, led the Harvester scoring with 20 points. Lanky James Gallemore was pushing him with 14.

The Green and Gold will return to action Tuesday night when they travel to Dalhart to seek their third straight win of the season.

The Bobcats took an early lead Friday night when Joe Powell dumped in a free throw. The lead changed back and forth until midway through the period when Gallemore started finding the range and poured through 6 straight points. Howard and Duane Reno each added a basket, and the Harvesters held a 15-9 lead at the end of the first quarter.

In the second period the Harvesters extended their lead to 29-18 at halftime. Again it was Gallemore, with 2 baskets, and Howard, with 3, who led the scoring.

With everything apparently running smoothly, the Harvesters returned for the second half, changing their style of play from a fast break to a slower, methodical type of play. But they ran into a team that had caught fire. The Cats started uncorking shots from all angles, and hitting them. At the end of the third period the scoreboard showed the Pampans holding a 37-31 lead.

The Bobcats kept pecking away at the basket until they had the lead trimmed to 39-37 early in the final stanza. Then Jimmy Howard started an attack of his own that netted six points. Reno and Gallemore each added a basket, and Reno and Jack Sutton each contributed one free throw to make the final total for the Harvesters read 49, just barely enough to overcome a fourth period bit of shooting by Bill Woods and R. D. Bradshaw of the Cats, who were hitting from the center of the floor every shot they took.

Childress pulled a zone defense on the Harvesters for the first part of the game, but later switched to a man to man. The zone, the first time it was faced by many of the Harvesters, at first stymied the attack. But after getting the feel of it, they started moving the ball faster than the zone could shift, and consequently got their shots off.

Coach McNeely started an all-Senior team of Sutton, Tom Allison, Gallemore, Howard and Reno. Sutton was forced out of the line late on the fourth period when he ran into a Childress player and came up with a sprained ankle. He will probably be ready to go against Dalhart, though.

In a fast and thrilling "B" team game the Bobcats Bees downed the Guerrillas, 25-24. The Guerrillas had the opportunity in the final minutes of the game to tie the count but could not make their free throws. The final opportunity came after the game had ended, a Pampa player being fouled on the last play. But he attempted at the charity toss hit the side of the rim and caromed off, giving the game to the Childress club.

High point man for the Guerrillas was Roy Sparkman, who had three baskets and a free throw for 7 points. Tommy Smith and Billy Davis each added 4 points; Jimmy Cook had 4 and Duane Jeter the other 3.

Roy Sparkman, who was a regular with the Cats last season, but had a little difficulty with his books, led the Bees scoring with 13 points, 11 of them coming in the first half.

Other boys out for the Tiger squad are Charles Bailey, Lewis Robinson, B. W. Duncan, Gale Plummer, Charles Roby, Eddie Reeves, Jackie Bently and Don Kendall.

Coach Leach has said that he doesn't expect too much of the bunch of green youngsters at the start of the season, but as the year rolls along and the boys add experience they should be looking good. There will be no league play in District 2-A. The champion will be decided at the district tournament at Shamrock in mid-February.

The schedule for the Tigers is as follows:

Dec. 13—Mobeetie, here (boys and girls).

Dec. 15, 16, 17—Shamrock Tourney (boys and girls).

Jan. 6—Lefors, here (boys and girls).

Jan. 10—Shamrock, here (boys and girls).

Jan. 12, 13, 14—Wheeler Tourney (boys and girls).

Jan. 19, 20, 21—Canadian Tourney (boys and girls).

Jan. 24—Groom, there (boys and girls).

Jan. 27—Wheeler, here (boys and girls).

Jan. 31—Claude, here (boys and girls).

Feb. 2—Lefors, there (boys and girls).

Feb. 7—Wheeler, there (boys and girls).

Feb. 10, 11—District 2-A Tourney at Shamrock, (boys).

Feb. 23, 24, 25—District 2-A Tourney at Shamrock (girls).

Four-Year Pro Football War Comes to End With Merger

NEW YORK — (AP) — With the four-year professional football war over — a conflict that took its toll in dollars and teams — the 13 surviving organizations today looked to solving the problems of a new league.

The combination of the venerable National Football League and the upstart All-America Conference came with startling suddenness in Philadelphia yesterday, after a 48-hour conference.

The two loops merged into the National-American Football League. Here is how the new setup will look:

Philadelphia (combined with Buffalo) Los Angeles (Los Angeles Rams and San Francisco 49ers combined)

New York Giants New York Bulldogs (six New York Yankee players go to the Giants, remainder to the Bulldogs)

Baltimore Baltimore San Francisco Pittsburgh Chicago Bears Chicago Cardinals (Chicago Hornets eliminated)

Green Bay Washington The merger is more or less a victory for the NFL, which for several years has refused flatly to recognize the younger circuit. All members of the NFL are in the new league. Only three teams of the AAC — San Francisco, Cleveland and Baltimore — survived.

The 13 teams will be formed into American and National divisions. The winners of the two divisions will meet for the title.

The immediate problems dealt with this question: What should be done with the players on the three teams liquidated by the move? What about the college players already chosen in the draft for next season?

No sooner was the announcement made than there would be 13 teams, than rumors began circulating that Houston would obtain a franchise before long.

As for the surplus players, both college and pro, they all will be thrown into a giant pool. This will include the collegians already drafted.

The new circuit will hold a draft session probably in January.

SWC Censures Arkansas For Rough Tactics in Tilt

DALLAS — (AP) — The Southwest Conference Saturday censured the University of Arkansas for its rough play in the football game with Texas Christian University last fall.

The conference Faculty Committee, holding its annual winter meeting, found that charges brought by Coach Dutch Meyer of TCU were "just and warranted."

Meyer, after his team had been defeated 27-7 by Arkansas at Fayetteville, filed a protest with Southwest Conference Executive Secretary James H. Stewart, charging that Arkansas used "hands and arms too freely and alleging that most of the plays run by Arkansas were illegal."

The Faculty Committee made its decision following a report from Stewart, who said he had investigated the game and all other games played in the conference during the season.

Stewart said he viewed pictures of the game which Meyer charged showed illegal play by Arkansas that brought injuries to a number of TCU players.

The conference fathers used the word "dirty play" in making the announcement of the action and said the coaches must assume the responsibility for any instance of it.

A stern warning was issued that any repetition of football play like that would bring more drastic action.

The committee also clamped on a "gag rule" regarding statements of coaches on officiating, ruling that the mentors in the future would stay out of the newspapers and make their complaints in writing to the executive secretary.

The so-called "blackball" of officials would be eliminated in a rule passed by the committee that in the future a vote by a coach against any official would not disqualify that official from working conference games. This was

Port Arthur Meets Austin in Other Tilt

(By The Associated Press)

Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio won the City Conference championship of Texas Schoolboy Football Saturday while Wichita Falls, Highland Park (Dallas), Port Arthur and Austin moved into semi-finals of Class AA.

Jefferson beat Sunset of Dallas 31-12 for the City Conference crown in a game played at Dallas.

Wichita Falls thumped Austin of El Paso 58-6 in quarter finals of Class AA Saturday while Highland Park was beating Abilene 20-6 and Austin was downing Alice 28-7. Friday night Port Arthur kicked Marshall out of the race 18-0.

Next weekend Wichita Falls will play Highland Park and Austin will meet Port Arthur. Wichita Falls and Highland Park officials will meet Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at Decatur to decide the site and date of their semifinal game. Austin has to play at Port Arthur since these two teams met in championship play last year at Austin. The date has not yet been set.

Mexia, Garland, Littlefield and Uvalde advanced to the semifinals of Class A Friday. Mexia stunned unbeaten, untied New Braunfels 26-6. Garland won on penetrations over Minors in a 7-7 tie. Littlefield rolled over Ballinger 34-6 and Uvalde swamped El Campo 33-13. Garland plays Littlefield and Mexia takes on Uvalde in semifinals next weekend.

Littlefield and Garland will play their semifinal game at Vernon Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mexia and Uvalde will meet in Austin Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Self Paces Scoring With Three Scores

WICHITA FALLS — (AP) — Wichita Falls blasted its way into the semifinals of the Class AA, High School football race Saturday, smashing Austin of El Paso, 58-6, before nearly 14,000 fans.

The Coyotes will play Highland Park of Dallas in the semifinals next week.

The undefeated, untied Coyotes jumped into an early lead and poured it on the El Paso eleven throughout the game. They got two touchdowns in the first quarter, one in the second, two in the third period and a safety and three touchdowns in the final quarter.

Wichita Falls picked up 29 first downs to eight for El Paso and 48 yards rushing to 91 for Austin.

James Self accounted for three Wichita Falls touchdowns, Edward Beach two, and Billy Bookout, Jerry Fouts and Billy Waggoner one each. Fouts kicked six extra points and Weldon Walker two.

El Paso's only touchdown came late in the fourth period. Richard Thurman passed to Reynolds Marro, who lateraled to Rene Rosas. The play covered 15 yards.

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Wheeler Gridders Feted at Banquet

WHEELER — (Special) — Approximately 108 football players, faculty members, school board members and fans attended a banquet last Monday night honoring the Wheeler football team.

James Clepper, vocational agriculture teacher, was master of ceremonies. Billy Hooker, president of the Pep Squad, gave the welcome address and J. T. Johnson, team co-captain, responded.

Barney Smith, Wheeler coach, introduced assistant coach Odie Crowell of West Texas State, who was the principal speaker of the evening.

Coach Crowell, in his talk, stated that the aims and purposes of football are to make a well-rounded citizen, not primarily to make a good football player. The banquet was held in the school cafeteria.

ISSUE REJECTED

MARSHALL — (AP) — Harrison County voters rejected an \$800,000 road bond issue yesterday, unofficial returns from 22 of 25 boxes indicated. The vote was 1,347 for and 863 against the issue, but lacked the needed two-thirds majority for approval.

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Woodruff, Wolf Resign Posts At Baylor University

Resignation of Athletic Director Might Sway Coach

WACO — (AP) — Ralph Wolf resigned Saturday as Baylor University athletic director — only a day after Bob Woodruff resigned as head football coach.

It climaxed three days of turmoil at the Baptist school during which the Athletic Committee held a meeting to define "more clearly the duties" of Woodruff and Wolf and ended up by continuing Wolf as athletic director but with the designation of stadium director when he accepted that job.

Wolf severed more than a quarter century connection with Baylor by announcing he was quitting effective next June 1 "to leave the atmosphere for Dr. White and the Board of Trustees to reorganize the athletic department."

Dr. W. R. White is president

Alley Agates

By the TIMBER TIPPER

Not much news from the bowling alley this week. The weather has tended to keep many of the local legions beside their fire. Old John, sore finger and all, has been helping a few new women bowlers to learn the game for a long time. It was a good week for beginners, "cause there wasn't much of a crowd to watch."

Ask Charles Prescott of Western Towel Supply who won the practice game last Friday night. Goldsmith, of the Curtis Candy Company team of Borger, was the top unfortunate of the week while bowling in the Travelling League. He got 8 splits in his first 3 frames last Sunday. Can anyone top this?

Al Lawson gave the boys a few lessons in kegging Friday night. Bob McCard, Buck Donnell, Boyd Hughes and Stan Brake were the others on the quintette.

Glad to have Ethel Bryan and Babe Master in to roll a few lines. Hurry back.

The Tom Rose Force and the Pampa Bowl team are host to the Banner Bowl team of Amarillo this afternoon at 2:30. Everybody is invited to come down and watch an afternoon of hot team competition.

That is all for this week except for this note. Henry O'Neil of Jacksonville, Fla., scored two Dutchman games in a row not long ago. They are harder to roll than a perfect 300 game.

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Bob Villemain Tops LaMotta

NEW YORK — (AP) — Rapid Robert Villemain officially has avenged his scored with Jake LaMotta. Now the scrappy little Frenchman wants the middleweight championship to put his title on the line. He may get his wish.

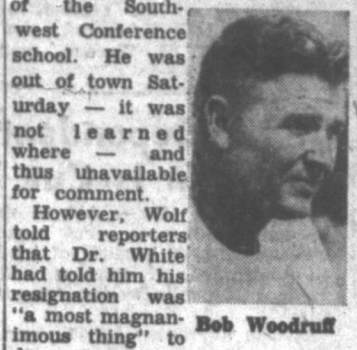
Robert a 5 foot, 6 1/2 inch bundle of perpetual motion, poured it on the slowed-up Bronx Bull Friday night to win a unanimous 10-round decision in Madison Square Garden. It was a big win for Villemain, a 3 to 1 underdog in the betting.

That squared accounts for the 25-year old Parisian who licked Jake in the Garden last March but lost the decision. The verdict, one of the rankiest in years, resulted in the suspension of the two officials who voted for LaMotta.

If Eddie Egan, chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission, has his way, Villemain will get the next shot at LaMotta.

Before the fight, Egan, a fluent speaker of French, told the gladiators:

"This isn't a championship fight. Whether there will be a return bout for the title depends on the outcome of this fight."



Bob Woodruff

Both Ashamed of Their Gyms, Too

PITTSBURGH — (AP) — Somewhere between Munnah and Jeanette busses carrying the basketball teams of the two small Pennsylvania towns' high schools passed each other last night.

They never met.

On Munnah's schedule, the game was scheduled to be played at Jeanette. The Jeanette card listed the contest at Munnah.

Gulf Coast Not To Try to Grow

DALLAS — (AP) — The Gulf Coast Conference decided Saturday against admitting any more members "at the time."

There had been no formal application for admission to the conference. But there were rumors that some schools, including the Oklahoma City University, wished to become members.

"It looks now as if there will be no expansion for at least another year," Bill Mahan, conference secretary-treasurer, said after yesterday's conference meeting.

The conference awarded the spring sports prizes in track and field, tennis, and golf — to North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the second week of May.

At that time the next meeting of the conference will be held in Denton.

The conference decided to put the Freshman rule into effect with the 1951 season. Thus next season will be the last in which Freshmen will be allowed to play in varsity competition.

Coaches Name District 1-A All-Star Teams

PERRYTON — (Special) — The 1949 all-District 1-A football team was selected here Thursday night by representatives of the schools in the district. No school had more than two players on the first squad.

The choice for the ends were Bruce Winn of Canyon and Mack Atkinson of Dumas. Jimmy Purcell, Dalhart, and Darrell Jammison of Hereford were the tackles. Gusson were Bill Hall, Canyon, and Charles Gresham, Hereford. Delbert Trew, Perryton stalwart, was the center choice.

In the backfield the two speedsters of the Phillips Blackhawks, Melvin Eldridge and Tommy Moore, were selected along with Dalhart's John Matlock and Ray McKowan, Dumas quarterback.

The second team had Wendell Howell, Dalhart and L. T. Hawks, Hereford, at the ends; Glen Wilson, Hereford, and George Sweeney at tackles; Norris Root, Canyon, and Kenneth Ringo, Dalhart, were the guards; Dale Doak, Hereford, was center. Jo Abbott, Canyon, Garland Butler, Canyon, Duane Christian, Hereford, and Jackie Newman, Dalhart, formed the second team backfield.



LET IT SNOW, LET IT SNOW!—Although it was snowing outside at Norman, Okla., and they couldn't work out, members of the Oklahoma University football team had something to cheer about despite the weather. When they heard their coach, Charles "Bud" Wilkinson, had been chosen "Coach of the Year," they lifted him high on their shoulders and celebrated. The team will meet Louisiana State University in the Sugar Bowl on Jan. 2. (NEA Telephoto)

Twenty-One Teams Enter Shamrock Cage Tourney

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Twenty-one cage teams, representing 13 schools of Wheeler, Gray and Collingsworth Counties, will be in Shamrock next weekend to participate in this city's Annual Invitation Basketball Tournament.

Play in the three-day tourney will start at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon, December 15, and continue through Saturday night, December 17.

Tournament entries have been received from the following teams:

BOYS — Mobetie, Briscoe, McLean, Kelton, Wellington, Allison, Wheeler, Quail, Panhandle and Shamrock.

GIRLS — Samnorwood, Mobetie, Briscoe, McLean, Kelton, Wellington, Allison, Wheeler, Quail, Panhandle and Shamrock.

meet the past two years. McLean teams won second place honors last year. Wheeler girls team and Pampa "B" boys club won consolation honors.

Shamrock's teams should do well in the event this year. To date this season the Irish Lads are undefeated after four games. The Lassies have suffered only Caperton and Gene Hamill.

The Lassie team is composed of: Venita Harris, Norma Chapman, Claudia Aycock, Bernice Close, Joan Bell, Patsy Eblevin, Betty Flowers, Peggy Porter, Martha Montgomery, Barbara Brickey, Wynona Lister, Patsy Dell Tindall, Cora Frances Briggs and LaVerne Aycock.

Rowland Named All-Texas Again

ABILENE — (AP) — Halfback Brad Rowland and end Les Cowan of McMurry were the only unanimous choices for the all-Texas Conference football team selected by coaches of the six member schools.

Champion McMurry placed four on the team, W. B. McDaniel, conference secretary, reported in announcing the team Saturday.

Only Southwestern University, the cellar team, failed to place a man on the first team.

It was the third straight year for Rowland and Cowan to make the team. Rowland also was voted the most valuable player award, which he won as a Freshman in 1947.

Although they did not receive all first place votes, four other players were mentioned for either

Cotton Bowl Foes Prepare for Battle

DALLAS — (AP) — Rice and North Carolina — the Cotton Bowl foes — did not have a chance to scout each other during the regular season but that little matter is being taken care of in an exchange of motion pictures.

Rice has received prints of the Tarheels' games with Wake Forest and Louisiana State while North Carolina got pictures of the Texas-Rice and Southern Methodist-Rice contests.

North Carolina already has done some work with the pictures, having been back at practice for a week. Rice starts next Monday while the Tarheels take the week off for school examinations.

Coach Jess Neely of Rice said he had only one problem at the moment — to get ready for North Carolina. Neely said:

"We know that North Carolina has a good football team, and one that we respect. We have worked hard all season and we don't intend to let up now. I've got a grand bunch of boys that work as a team, and I think that we will be ready to go for this game."

The Owls have been limbering up for the past few days under the direction of their co-captains, Freddie Williams and Gerald Weatherly, but Monday the tempo will be that of regular workouts with emphasis on both offensive and defensive maneuvers.

North Carolina players, with a full week of practice behind them, may welcome the switch to books as Coach Carl Swann sent the Tarheels through heavy workouts including long scrimmage sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Swann told his squad that he expected this to be the hardest game they have had.

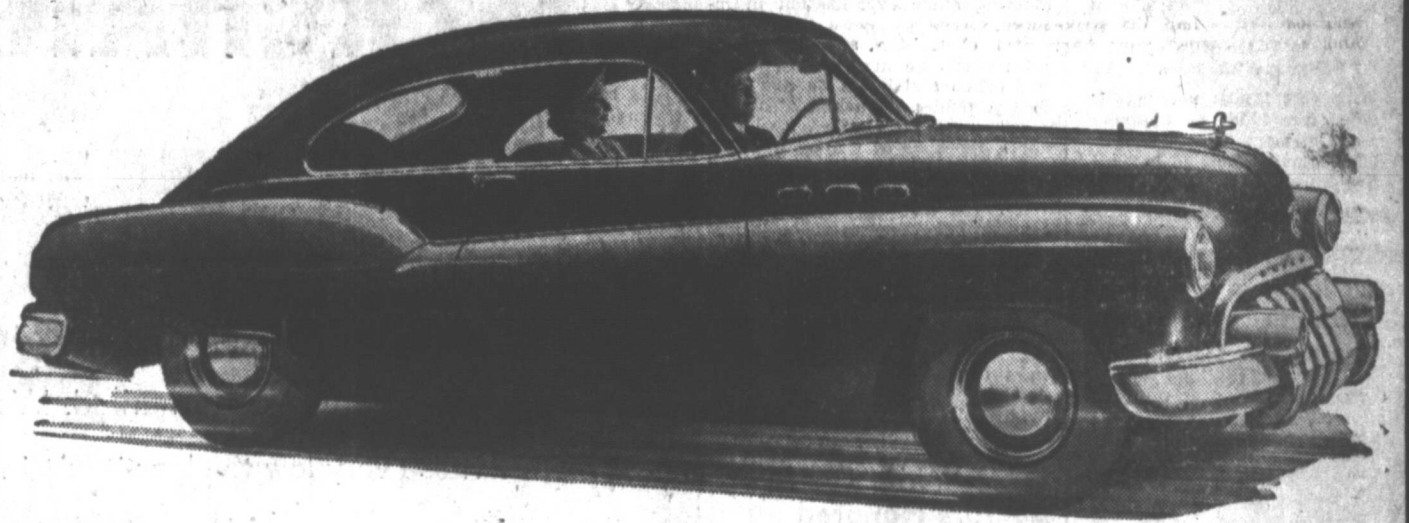
"Rice has a good football team, and I hope that we will be ready. We should be in the best shape first or second team by all coaches. They were center Bill Scoggins of Howard Payne, fullback Floyd Sampson of McMurry, quarterback Ben Harmon of Austin, and fullback Alton Green of Abilene Christian. Green barely missed being picked on the first team.

Cowan, Rowland and guard Bill Hamrick of Howard Payne were the only repeaters from 1948. Scoggins and Sampson moved up from the 1948 second team.

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Line Between Government Control And Citizen Responsibility Sought

HOUSTON — (AP) — Finding a dividing line between government control and citizen responsibility is America's biggest problem, General Dwight D. Eisenhower warned.

The Columbia University president told a crowd of 15,000 that Americans need to take stock of the situation. "I think each of us would admit he is worried," he said.

Americans are wondering where we are going, he told an annual meeting of the House Chamber of Commerce.

He quoted from Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Address as government of the people, by the people and for the people. "Lincoln left out one preposition," he said. "He did not say of government to do things to us like some bureaucrats now do—intriguing."

His remark drew applause. Eisenhower made one indirect reference to the 1952 presidential election.

He said one might be considered self-seeking should he discuss problems involving America's future.

"I have found it is no use to

say 'no,' he said, "but I still have the right of an ordinary American to say what I think about subjects I thoroughly believe are concerning all."

He offered a three-point formula for a strong, productive society — individual freedom, national cooperation and general education.

Eisenhower implied that many of the government's existing trends, "often with the highest motives," are leading to regimentation. He mentioned the ECA, the Atlantic Pact, arming of Europe.

"Always, for me," he said, "these things leave a sense of bewilderment. I want to know more."

Of armed forces unification problems he said "the acceptance of the 'unification' doctrine increases in proportion to the distance away from Washington."

Capital Spending Is Seen as Key to Prosperity in '50

NEW YORK — Prosperity next year depends largely on amount of capital spending, by business, and early reports from the machinery business make the outlook appear promising, according to Business Week.

The magazine points out that it is still too early to tell what business spending plans are for next year, but clues can be gleaned from the Federal Reserve Board's index of machinery production and a survey of important supplies within this widespread field.

The conclusion drawn from these two sources is that the machinery business now is slowly getting better and that next year's volume in most lines will be at least as good as this year's. By and large, production is moving up, as are new orders, the article said.

According to the magazine survey, buying has definitely picked up in the past 60 days. Many companies are still able to report a big backlog of orders. Deliveries have been in good volume recently, and most machinery makers expect to push equipment out of their plants at a fast rate during the close of 1949. Foreign orders for some companies are now the mainstay of their business, the magazine said.

Carlsbad Suggested Headquarters Site

SANTA FE, N. M. — (AP) — The Pecos Compact Commission's Legal Committee has recommended that the principal commission office be set up in Carlsbad.

The suggestion was one of a sheaf handed to the commission as it assembled here for its third meeting since organization in October.

The committee suggested that all records be kept at the Carlsbad office and be made available to the public. It asked also that a secretary be employed who is not a member of the commission nor an employee of the states of Texas and New Mexico.

It urged that any official action require concurrence of commissioners of both states and suggested that annual meetings be held on the third Monday in January and October.

Three standing committees — engineering, legal and budget — were proposed along with a rule that all three commissioners be present to constitute a quorum.

Scott-White Clinic Doctors Honored

CLEVELAND — (AP) — Three doctors of the Scott-White Clinic at Temple, Texas, received a special citation of merit from the Radiological Society of North America here.

They were Drs. C. A. Stevenson, Robert D. Moreton and E. E. Seedorf.

ICFTU CONFERENCE

LONDON — (AP) — The newly formed International Confederation of Free Trade Unions (ICFTU) ended its nine-day organizational conference with a pledge to fight all totalitarianism and a call for bread, freedom and peace.



HENRY BUSSE, above, will bring his orchestra to Shamrock for the homecoming dance on the night of Dec. 17. He will appear at the American Legion Home, it was announced.

Heap Big Chief Stalin, Says Here

LONDON — (AP) — Now it's Heap Big Chief Stalin, or so Moscow radio says.

A Moscow broadcast said Stalin had received the headdress of an honorary Indian chief, sent as a birthday gift. Stalin will be 70 on Dec. 21.

Accompanying the headdress, chief,

Franchise Tax Increase May Be Sought by City

HOUSTON — (AP) — Harris County legislators may seek an increase in the corporate franchise tax on the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and other communications firms.

Nine legislators have endorsed a statement saying "this matter presents a very interesting subject which probably will be considered at the next session of the Legislature."

The group met to consider the controversy started two weeks ago when the Houston city council approved a rates increase request from the telephone company. Other Harris County cities ejected similar requests.

Governor Allan Shivers, when informed of the statement, said: "I am willing to consider any proposal that members of the Legislature suggest, so long as we can broaden the base on which the tax is levied."

said the radio, was a greeting hailing "the greatest of warriors, Josef Stalin, elected honorary chief of the Indian tribes."

The broadcast did not say what Indians sent the gift, where they sent it from, or just when Stalin had been elected an honorary

FROM NINE TO FIVE

By Jo Fischer



Have you something with a very short toe? My boy friend steps on my feet when we dance.

Board of Control Files 'Wide Open'

AUSTIN — (AP) — The Board of Control's files are "wide open" to a requested Senate investigation, according to Board Chairman Hall Logan.

The investigation was asked by John F. Maddox, former chief claims auditor for the board who was recently discharged for what the board termed "gross insubordination."

Maddox's request went by letter to Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr., of Paris, chairman of the Senate's General Investigating Committee. He asked the committee to look into "all matters regarding the conduct of the affairs of the State Board of Control, and particularly of the conduct and actions of Hall H. Logan, chairman, and T. B. Warden, member."

Aid to Dependent Children Is Cut

AUSTIN — (AP) — Aid to dependent children was cut 9 percent this month because of limited funds, John H. Winters, state director of public welfare, reported.

Checks averaging \$45.55 per family were authorized for 48,440 dependent children.

Old age assistance payments averaged \$34.14 per person compared with \$34.15 a month earlier.

Department Store Sales Are Down

DALLAS — (AP) — Department store sales in four major Texas cities were down for the week ending Dec. 3 as compared with the same period last year, the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas said.

Stores reporting from Houston said sales were off 17 percent. San Antonio sales were down nine percent. The decrease at Dallas and Fort Worth was five percent.

The state's blind rolls gained 11 persons, a total of 6,287. The average was \$38.47.

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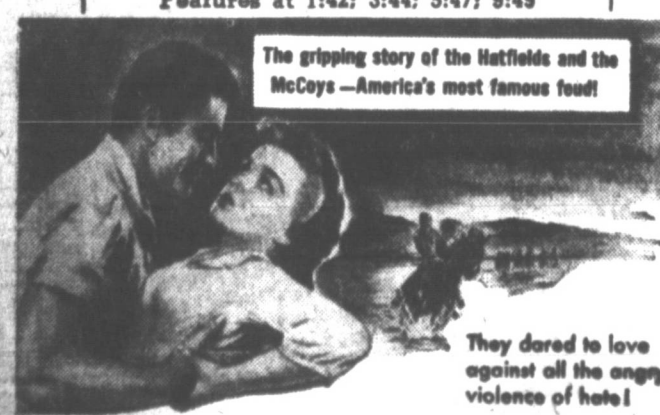
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Trouble With U.N. Termed 'Limousines'

By ED O'NEILL

NEW YORK — (AP) — "The trouble with the United Nations," said William J. (Boxer) Sheridan, taxi driver, Brooklyn booster and student of world affairs, "is limousines."

"I mean those big, long, black, expensive limousines that the delegates ride in, with the little flag of their country fluttering on the right front fender, and the liveried chauffeur, and the white wall tires. Arrrrrrh!"

"If I had my way your fine delegates would ride to and from their great meetings on the subway, cheek-by-jowl with the rest

of us. Yes, and at rush hour, too, all piled in together like clothes-pups in a basket.

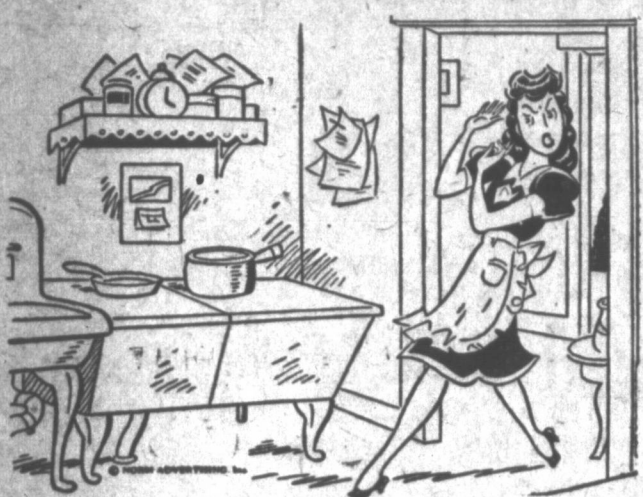
"Then," said Boxer, shifting his vocal gears into high, "maybe some of that hifalutin' nonsense about 'national sovereignty' and suchlike would be jiggled out of them, and they could get down to brass tacks."

"You mean," I said, "that a diplomat runs the risk of losing the common touch?"

"Right on the button, pal. All by himself in the back seat of a limousine, a guy is a big shot. He gets to thinking in big terms—so big that pretty soon they don't mean anything."

"Okay, but this same guy on the subway. Squeezed right in with guys who are worried about the grocery bill, the Dodgers, their bosses. How are his big, flowery speeches going to sound to him then?"

"Maybe," said Boxer, joyously crowding a big, black limousine to the curb, "maybe if these delegates lived like people they would start thinking like people."



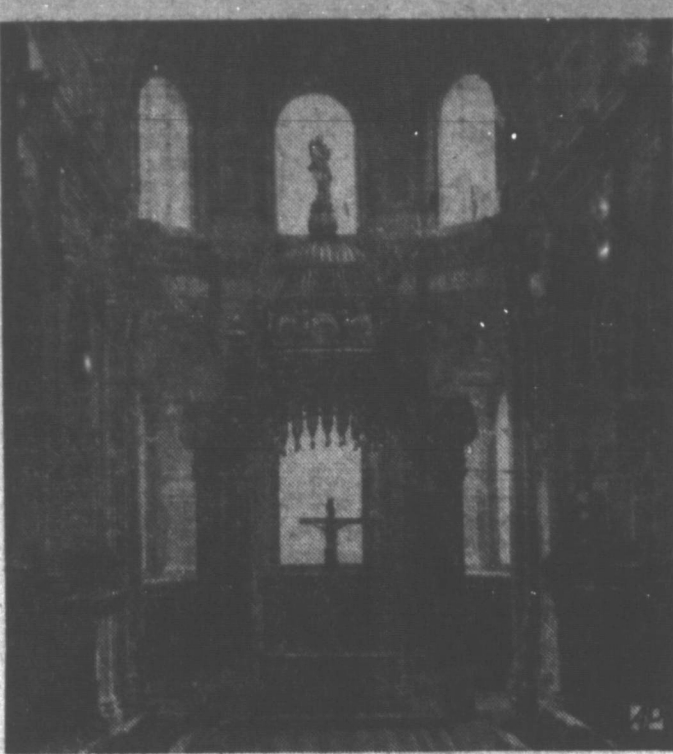
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China's War In Guerilla Phase Now

WASHINGTON — (AP) — China's civil conflict appears to be entering a new and perhaps even more terrible phase — the waging of guerrilla strife by the Nationalists against the now victorious Communist armies.

This means underground fighting. It means stealthy blows struck under cloak of night when no man knows whether he is facing friend or foe. It means destruction by the torch. It means the awful plague of the scorched earth for the hungry masses.

The orthodox phase of the protracted warfare was formally ended Thursday when the Nationalist government abandoned its temporary capital at Chengtu, Western China, and flew to Formosa. This great island off the southeast coast has been turned into a fortress by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and is defended by some 300,000 troops, supported by an air force.

Formosa long ago was prepared by the "gino," as they call Chiang, for his last ditch stand. There the government will have its seat. From there the Nationalist forces on the continent will be directed.

Thus Formosa becomes the symbol of all Nationalist China. So long as the flag still flies over this strategic island, and guerrilla Nationalists continue the fight on the continent, just so long can China still maintain

that his government is a going concern.

The loss of Chengtu and surrounding territory is a serious blow to the Nationalists. Charles A. Crumley, who served as an AP correspondent in China and now is on the AP staff with the United Nations, says the Chinese Reds in their sweep on Chengtu are grabbing probably the richest farmlands in the world.

Nationalist tactics, as envisaged by observers, may involve creation of a considerable number of guerrilla "pockets" on the mainland to harass the Communist forces. These pockets could be supplied by airplanes from Formosa. Paratroopers from the island might also be dropped at strategic points to help organize peasant uprisings against the Communists.

If all these things materialize, the country's 400 millions may go through a hell which will make past trials seem mild. It depends on how well the Nationalists are able to implement the plans which they have in mind.

There's Just Not So Much in a Name

LONDON — (AP) — The Christmas season is not so merry today. A burglar entered the flat of Mrs. Phyllis Christmas and stole the 14 pounds sterling (\$39.20) she had saved to buy Christmas presents for Diana, 8, and Richard Christmas, 7. He also took the 3 pounds sterling (\$8.40) that Diana and Richard had saved to buy presents for their mother.

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Loopholes In The Law

By WILL WILSON

District Attorney, Dallas County (Editor's Note: This is the ninth of a series of short case histories, all taken from court records, showing how legal loopholes often enable criminals to escape punishment in Texas. Will Wilson is chairman of a special steering committee of the State Bar, which is working for revision of the antiquated Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure in order to eliminate these loopholes.)

Burglar Joe admitted that he broke into a store operated by Mrs. Fred Smith in Prairie Hill, Texas. He confessed that on September 27, 1941, he broke in the back door of the store building, entered and stole several articles of merchandise.

Since there was no doubt of Joe's guilt, he was convicted and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. But on appeal the verdict was reversed.

At the trial, Mrs. Smith testified that she was the wife of Fred Smith and that she lived with him at Prairie Hill; where they operated a store. The indictment pointed out that the store, at the time of the burglary, was under the control and ownership of Mrs. Smith.

The reversal was solely on a technicality involving ownership of the store. Although Mrs. Smith was operator of the store, it was community property belonging jointly to her and to Mr. Smith. In the eyes of the law the husband was the owner. The indictment charging Joe should have alleged that the husband, instead of the wife, was the owner of the property.

If the State Bar is successful in its effort to bring about revision of Texas' criminal statutes, such loopholes in the law can be closed. Under the present system too many criminals escape justice, even when there is no doubt of their guilt, breeding disrespect for the law and subjecting good citizens to constant threats from law-breakers.

LOW BIDDER

GALVESTON — (AP) — A Denison construction firm, Wester-Burnett, is the apparent low bidder to dig part of the projected Lavon Reservoir near Dallas. The offer was \$14,952.50.

The U. S. Corps of Engineers opened bids yesterday.

Western Allies Still at War With Germany

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The three Western Allies — United States, Britain, France — are still in a state of war with Germany.

Next year they'll try to figure out how to end that. But when nations end war with another, don't they sign peace treaties?

Not necessarily. And State Department experts say the idea of making a peace treaty with Germany, if any, is far in the future.

And that — ending the war but not signing a peace treaty right away — is one of the problems the Allies face in ending the war.

Legal specialists of the three powers will meet next year to work out the problems, if they can.

This may explain some of it. Germany now is divided into two main parts: Eastern Germany, under Russia's thumb. Western Germany, dominated by the three Allies.

In their section the Russians have set up a German government. And in their Western section the three Allies have set up a German government.

Since the West and Russia are in a struggle over Germany, there is no likelihood that any time soon there'll be a single German government with which a peace treaty can be made, covering all Germany.

But — the West has permitted, and helped, the setting up of that government in Western Germany, is dealing with it although retaining final control over it, and is even letting it have consuls abroad.

Nevertheless, the West is still in a state of war with the German government it has helped create. This puts the West in a strange position and is one of the reasons it's seeking a way to end the war.

But since the West looks upon Russia as a threat to all Europe and Russia has troops in Eastern Germany, should the West try to keep troops in Western Germany as an outpost against a Russian move?

The West has to think of it. But how can the West, which now controls Western Germany, justify keeping troops there if it declares the war with Germany ended? That's another of the problems in declaring the war ended.

Authors Lead Autograph List

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Autographs of Rudyard Kipling, George Gershwin, Dr. Lise Meitner and Margaret Mitchell are among the most sought-after by collectors today, one expert says.

Describing autograph collecting as a stimulating and profitable hobby, collector Robley Stevens writing in the magazine "Hobby Digest" listed other "most sought after" signatures as: Prof. Albert Einstein, President F. D. Roosevelt, Justice Felix Frankfurter, the Duke and Duchess of Windsor, Gen. George Marshall, Cordell Hull, Charles (not Thomas) Edison.

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Guide Dog of Blind Man Is Poisoned

DALLAS — (AP) — Flash, the guide dog of a near-blind man, was poisoned yesterday. Police say about 30 dogs have been poisoned by strychnine within the past three months in the same general neighborhood of Northeast Dallas.

Buddy Dyer, a radio singer and former boxer, found his dog dead in the backyard of his home.

Logues list the following prices: George Washington—\$185; William Faulkner—\$45; John Philip Sousa—\$12.50; Woodrow Wilson—\$8.50; Sinclair Lewis—\$10.

Perhaps we shall some day give Christianity a tryout. —Federal Judge Harold Medina.



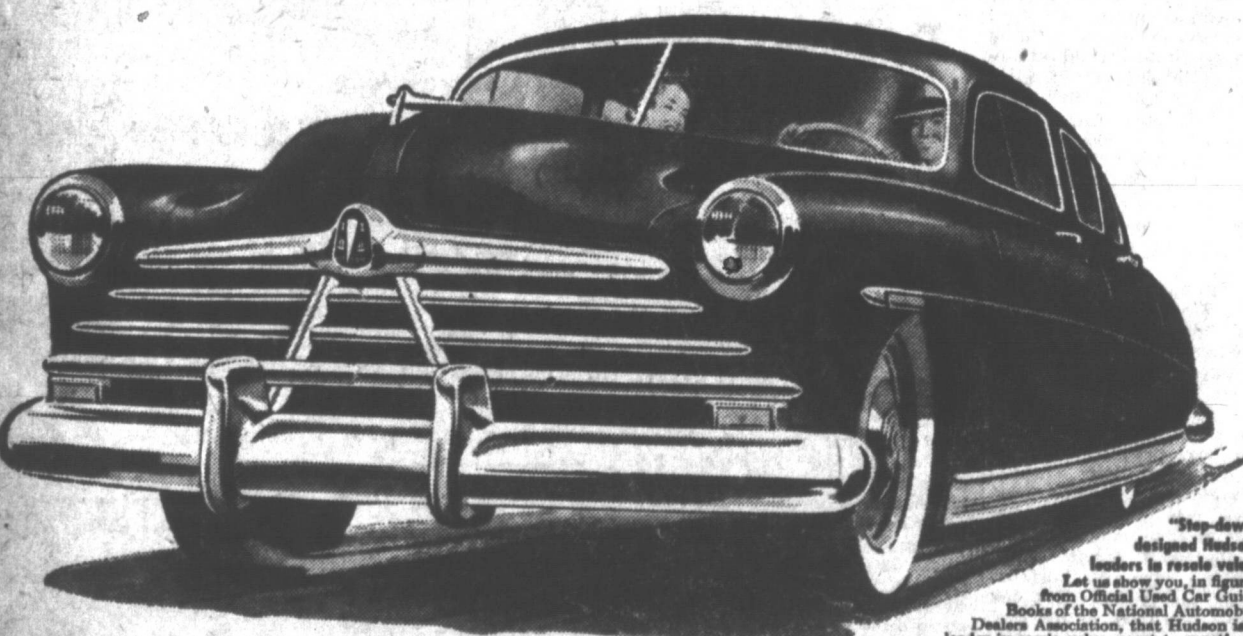
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Ex-Convict Charged in Rape of Girl

ORANGE — (AP) — A Houston ex-convict was charged Saturday in the rape of a teen-age Orange girl last weekend and the shooting of her boy friend.

Sheriff Chester Holt announced filing of charges of rape and assault with intent to murder against Paul J. Lafleur, 30, of Houston.

A nationwide manhunt is underway for Lafleur and \$500 in reward is offered for his capture, the sheriff said.

Early last Sunday Don Hulsopple, 18, Orange High School boxer, was shot in the stomach as he tried to protect his companions from a man who subsequently raped Hulsopple's 16-year-old girl friend.

The couple and another couple were parked on a lonely road near Orange. The man accosted them, forced the girls to tie up the boys in a water-soaked rice paddy, tore off the girls' underclothes, and then marched them through mud and water to another pool.

There he ripped the hem off the skirt of the older girl, 17, with his pocket knife, tied her up, and leaped her against a barbed wire fence. He then forced the younger girl into another rice field where he threw her down, tied her hands with his belt, tore off her clothing and raped her.

Hulsopple, despite his wound, gnawed through the shoe laces binding his hands, freed himself and "killed" Bullock, 16, and led the way to a nearby road where they hailed a ride to town. Officers returned to the rice fields and found the girls.

Sheriff Holt said the belt with which the younger girl was bound has been identified as Lafleur's, both by the hunted man's wife and by an unidentified man in Beaumont. A rice paddy found in one of the h's paddies also was a clue, he said.

Downs Is Named Representative

M. P. Downs of Pampa has been named a special representative of the Bankers Discount Corp., Dallas, in this area. Downs is head of the M. P. Downs Agency here, a real estate, loans and insurance firm.

The announcement was made by William R. Kennedy, president of the Dallas company which offers rediscunt facilities to serve individual loan companies and other types of businesses offering mortgage investments.

Kennedy said the business and assets of the company have more than tripled since it was established in Dallas in June of last year.

SECOND

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is the senior partner in the winning combine.

Chiefly, re-elected to Parliament, is expected to become opposition leader.

Labor held 43 of the 74 seats in the outgoing House and 33 of the 86 in the Senate. The membership was expanded with this election. The new House will have a total of 123 seats—of which 121 have voting privileges — and the new Senate 60.

TEXAS

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tions would develop in Western Oklahoma.

At Morton, on the Texas South Plains near the New Mexico line, at afternoon, wind-driven fire Saturday rapidly spread through 30 acres of freshly ginned cotton bales at the Morton Co-op Gin.

Near Morton farmer Lloyd Miller reported heavy damage to out buildings in a rural area six miles south and a mile west of the town.

North of Morton — in the Panhandle — Amarillo had a local forecast for rain turning to snow Saturday night. The forecast said the temperature should drop to 20 degrees at Amarillo by Sunday morning and to 18 degrees by Monday morning — with snow ending Sunday night.

Lubbock — in the South Plains — looked for freezing rain and sleet Sunday night. Before dawn Sunday the Lubbock area looked for winds of 25 to 40 miles an hour.

Rain fell heavily in the Lubbock area at noon Saturday. Light rain fell at Amarillo and Pampa during the day. A heavy downpour in the Morton section about noon was credited with helping prevent cotton in other

gins there for catching fire.

Cool air colliding with warm, moist air from the Gulf caused dreary, foggy, drizzly weather over most of Texas Saturday. Every major airport except El Paso was reported weathered in during the morning. By afternoon a few were allowing planes to land, but some out-of-state flights had been cancelled and others were arriving five to seven hours late.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said Sunday would be colder in the Panhandle and the Northwest part of East Texas; that conditions could develop into a rough north.

Blizzard conditions with winds up to 40 miles an hour were due in Western Oklahoma.

PERRYTON

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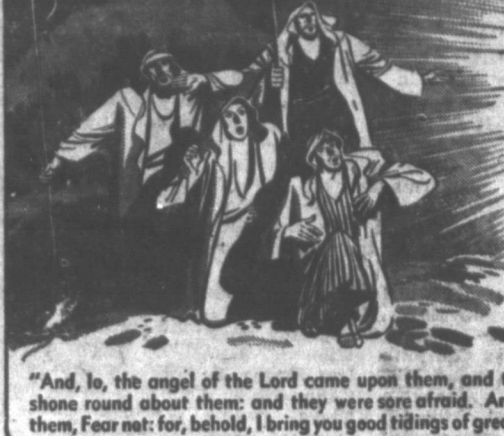
ming; one brother, Leonard; three half-brothers, G. W. Eldson of Ulysses, Kans., Henry Eldson of Cincinnati, and Edgar Eldson of Elkhart, Kans.

The boy is at Boxwell Bros. Funeral Home, and arrangements were incomplete last night.

Schoodic Point, Maine, just farther into the Atlantic than any other point of rock on the eastern coast.



"And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night." (Luke 2:8.)



"And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy." (Luke 2:9, 10.)



"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men." (Luke 2:13, 14.)



"And they returned, and found their flock." (Luke 2:15.)

Liquor Transporter Falls Into Station

DALLAS — (AP) — An Oklahoma City visitor fell 15 feet through a building transom — right into a police station.

As startled officers watched, the 25-year-old man rose from the pile of shattered window glass with an unbroken bottle of whiskey in each hand. He suffered only minor cuts.

He was held for investigation of drunkenness and destroying public property.

Mainly About People

Billy Gantz, a student at Newberry College, Newberry, S. C., has arrived to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Gantz, 305 E. Browning.

Canaries, love birds, cages and supplies for sale. Dick's Pet Shop, Ph. 3488.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hogan, 432 S. Reid, are parents of a daughter, Judy Cathleen, born Sunday morning at the Pampa Hospital. She weighed six pounds 13½ ounces.

Children's galoshes, sizes 4 to 12; red or white, at the Tiny Tot Shop. Mrs. John H. Hart, Amarillo, visited friends and relatives here Friday.

For Rent—3-room house; modern with shower. See after 6 p. m. 609 E. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray McPherson are the parents of a young son. He was born Thursday at the Pampa Hospital. Mrs. McPherson is the former Miss Rita Gay Cloud.

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Mrs. Dee Patterson and Mrs. D. A. Hunt went to Wheeler Thursday to bring Mrs. Patterson's twin

BUDGET

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stressed that the precise outcome will be determined by decisions now being reached by the President and his advisers at Key West.

Mr. Truman was reported hopeful that federal spending from here on out will be downward from the "current fiscal year's" peacetime record of \$43,500,000.

The administration blames the "cold war" with Russia for most of the sharp rise in federal costs this year and last from the postwar low of \$36,086,000 in fiscal 1948.

The size of the spending figure — and cut — will vary considerably according to such factors as the cost of defense, the cost of atomic energy, the cost of the Korean war, and the cost of the Marshall plan.

That alone was a \$800,000,000 item in last January's budget — and one which some advisers hope Mr. Truman will drop this time. Congress has ignored it.

Mr. Truman is reported sure, however, to push again for another hitherto unsuccessful proposal — federal aid to education — despite the \$200,000,000 a year cost tag it carries.

REDS

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quarters held a faint hope the revolt could yet be localized. They have counted on that south province for a base.

(Air crews of planes reaching Hongkong from Kunming, Yunnan Province capital, said it was believed the whole province had gone over to the Communists. Turncoat Nationalists held Kunming.)

More Atomic Records

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Congressional probes said Saturday they have asked for records of the Chemical Warfare Service as they sought to learn how the Russians were able to get precious atomic materials during the war.

Louis J. Russell, chief investigator for the House Un-American Activities Committee, said he sought to learn how the Russians got any of the supplies through the chemical service. The committee has learned shipments went to the Soviet Union in 1943 when the countries were allied against Hitler.

WILLIAM

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He was active in raising funds for the new church which was completed last year.

In addition to ranch and farm holdings, he owned the McClellan Chevrolet Co., the McClellan Krause Implement Co., and the McClellan Oliver Implement Co.

The body is at Boxwell Bros. Funeral Home at Perryton. Funeral services have been tentatively set for Monday, 2 p. m., at the First Methodist Church at Spearman. Rev. J. R. Watkins, local pastor, and Rev. H. A. Nichols, Stratford, will officiate.

He leaves his wife, Nell, and their daughter LaNelle; four brothers, Ted, D. L. and E. M. of Gruver, and R. L. of Spearman; and four sisters, Miss Orene McClellan of Dallas, Mrs. Walter Wilmet of Spearman, Mrs. Paul Higgs of Amarillo, and Mrs. Howard Hunt of Lubbock.

MAN

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the shots and screams. He ran up to the house.

"I could see no reason for it," Mrs. Powell told Farmer. "He got us up a little early this morning. I was in the bathroom at the time of the shooting."

SMITHWICK

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County, declared that "the state would show in the matter of some witnesses that diligence has not been used."

District Attorney Sam Reams of Alice, who has been working with Evetts on the prosecution, has been named a judge since the October trial. County Attorney Homer Dean, Jr., of Alice, had been working with Reams on the case since the beginning and will take over in Reams' place.

Less than two weeks ago Smithwick's attorneys failed in their appeal before the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin to get Smithwick released on bond.

Henry Taylor, Sr., of Temple, told the appeals court that testimony of a state's witness, Avelino Saenz, at the habeas corpus hearing injected the issue of self-defense on Smithwick's part in the shooting.

Reams replied that Saenz was getting out of Mason's car when the shot that killed Mason was fired. Reams said Mason was still behind the wheel of his car when shot.

In the Belton courtroom Oct. 24 Taylor said there were witnesses absent who would testify that Mason's remarks over the radio concerning Smithwick "were such as to arouse and disturb his state of mind."

In his last broadcasts, Mason had charged Smithwick owned property on the edge of the shooting on which a tavern was located, and where prostitutes plied their trade.

Smithwick is 61 years old. He was a Jim Wells County deputy sheriff at the time of the shooting and had been a peace officer in the county for 24 years.

He was brought to the Belton Jail Sept. 13 after his case was transferred from Jim Wells County.

SANTA'S

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School students plan to go to work Thursday when they are let out of school for the Christmas holidays. Thea Reim will sell Christmas cards at the Pampa Office Supply — Carmelita Dunaway will be employed at the Tru-Value Dress Shop — Joyce Adams will work at the LaNora Theater — Bill McPherson will work at Frankie Littlefield plans to help in the Advertising Department at The News.

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News Views

By Wesley Lewis

With Christmas no more than a couple of quick jingles away, the streets and stores of our town are busier than a juggler with a sprained finger. There is a fine spirit in the air ... and you catch it in the smiles of people, the sparkle of decorations and the sounds of music. It's a good time, because we're all thinking of other people at this season of the year.

We're trying to make other people happy ... and dogs if it doesn't make us nappy at the same time. There's a moral there ... but let's not belabor the point. And if you haven't done your shopping yet, you'd better hurry, hurry, hurry.

An Albany, N. Y., woman left her husband in a pawn shop as "collateral" on a \$45 loan. This is a much higher price than some women suspected their husbands might bring. It's a cinch you won't have to bring your spouse along as collateral when you trade at LEWIS MOTORS, 211 North Ballard St., phone 1716. Our prices are well within reason ... And we'll put our work up against anybody's anywhere.

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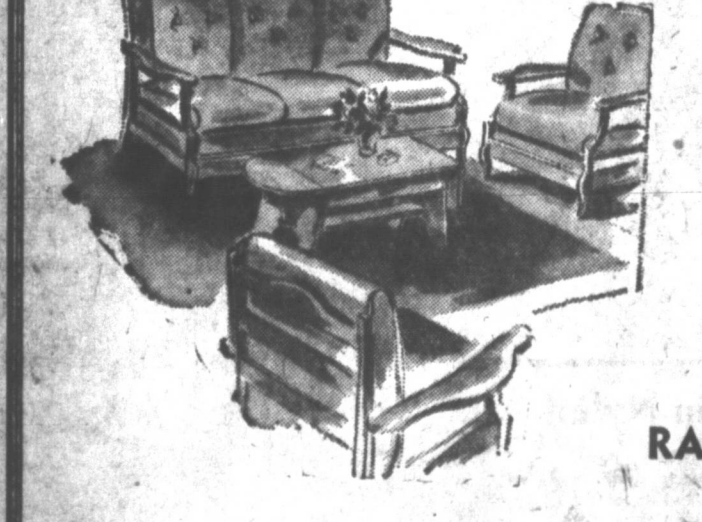
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RED ESPIONAGE IN U.S. IS FORMIDABLE FORCE

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the last of 12 dispatches by Peter Edson, NEA's Washington correspondent, who has discussed the "left against communism" in the United States over the last 30 years.)

By PETER EDSON
THERE HAS BEEN general belief that American Communist and Russian diplomatic "information gathering" activities in the United States have strained this country's espionage laws.

No Communist spy, however, has ever been caught, convicted, stood up against a wall and shot, or even decently executed in an electric chair like the six Nazi saboteurs caught coming ashore from a U-boat in 1942.

There have been at least three mysterious deaths connected with the pre-war Communist espionage. Mrs. Julia Stuart Poyntz Glaser, Omaha-born Communist organizer and OGPU agent, disappeared mysteriously in 1937 and no trace of her has ever been found.

Carlo Tresca, Italian anti-fascist, was shot in the back as he was leaving his New York office one evening in 1943. The killing came during a Communist struggle for control over Italian-American organizations, but the killer was never caught.

Walter G. Krivitsky, an ex-Red Army general and Russian master spy who had broken with Stalin and sought refuge in America, was found shot to death in his Washington hotel room.



CARLO TRESCA JULIA GLASER WALTER KRIVITSKY

One without trace, two without clues, all in mystery.

In 1941, Krivitsky could have been a suicide, but the other two have been put down as unsolved murders. The crimes indicate "how far the Communists will go, even in America, when they think it necessary to attain some specific objective."

It would be wrong to assume that post-war disclosures by the House Un-American Activities Committee, the court, the FBI, the Immigration Service and other government or private agencies have broken Communist espionage in the United States. No finger has yet been put on any Slav super-brain directing the whole works.

What has been disclosed, however, is the existence of many spy rings, operating in many fields. Just how many Communists there may have been in the United States in war and post-war times is unknown. One estimate by Thomas M. Johnson, a writer on American intelligence work since World War I, is that there may have been as many as 50. Johnson lists one each for New York, Chicago, Detroit and Los Angeles, with perhaps 10 in Washington.

Johnson points to the fact that in 1947 the Russians had 300 employees in the United States, with another 140 at United Nations headquarters in New York. The assumption has been that every one was a potential spy, but this does not include those American citizens or the nationals of satellite countries who can be persuaded to do the Communists' bidding.

A list of actual cases thus far disclosed makes a much more impressive record of the extent of Communist espionage fronts in the U. S.:

1. The "Amerasia" magazine case of 1945, indicating some kind of a leak in State, War and Navy Department papers dealing with the Chinese situation.
2. The Whittaker Chambers "pumpkin papers," indicating still other leaks of State Department documents, through other circuits.

3. Elizabeth Bentley's testimony that she operated as a courier for the Communists pointed to still another chain for commu-

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To meet this challenge, the National Security Council in March, 1949, created a highly secret Interdepartmental Intelligence Conference, known as the IIC. Serving on the IIC are the director of the FBI and the chiefs of Army, Navy, and Air Force Intelligence, the State Department, the Board of Economic Warfare and War Production Board.

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White Deer High School Production Hailed as 'Masterly Performance'

By CLAUDE EVERLY
Pampa News Correspondent
WHITE DEER — (Special) — With understanding and skill rarely seen in high school productions, members of the White Deer High School Speech Department, under the direction of Wendell Cain, presented a masterly performance of "Moor Born," a story of the famous Bronte family, Monday and Tuesday evenings in the grade school auditorium.

The three girls, Romona Hightower as Emily, author of "Wuthering Heights," Dorothy Barnett as Charlotte, author of "Jane Eyre," and Mary Lou Skaggs as Anne, author of "Anne Gray," played their roles with fine discrimination. Excellent characterizations were also given by Tom Horn and Dickie Ingram in the difficult roles of Branwell, the dissolute brother, and the Rev. Bronte, the broken-hearted father. Equally good in the bit parts were Roberta Corder and Dorothy Broome as the maids and Walter Staats as a neighbor.

The costuming, under the direction of Janice Marlar and Arlene Russell, and the setting faithfully followed the mode of 1845. Ronnie Buchanan and Don Platt were in charge of the lighting, and Lora Dale Wells

did an excellent job as student director.
The student director and seven of the eight members of the cast are Seniors and members of the National Honor Society. Walter Staats, the only Junior, six others of the cast, and the student director are members of the National Thespian Society, and the eighth member is now eligible for membership in that organization.
Cain pronounces this the most polished production that he has directed in White Deer, and it will probably be the last long play which he will direct here, since he will go to West Texas State College next year as an instructor in the dramatic department.

Wheeler

WHEELER — (Special) — County Attorney and Mrs. Homer Moss left Wednesday to visit his parents at Palestine, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pennington left today for Memphis, Tenn., where their son, W. E. Pennington, will graduate Friday from the Southern College of Optometry. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pennington will return to spend the holidays with his parents.

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ALANREED (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Andy Word were guests last week of their daughter, Mrs. George Orrick and family at McLean.

The young people's group of the Baptist Church held a social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrard Sunday night after church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Rondal Price of Oklahoma City visited his aunt, Mrs. Ollie Hommel, and family here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter were

in McLean Wednesday.

Jess Finley is recovering from a recent attack of pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams of Clarendon called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hommel transacted business in McLean Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burdine made a trip to McLean Wednesday.

BOND ISSUE PASSES

SAN ANTONIO—(P)—San Antonians voted overwhelmingly yesterday for a \$3,850,000 bond issue to complete an expressway.

Don't Let Death In, Is Slogan

CHICAGO — "Don't Let Death Take Your Holiday!" That is the slogan of a nationwide campaign by the National Safety Council to hold down the Christmas-New Year holiday accident toll this year.

Council figures show the year-end holiday season is the most dangerous period of the year, and that accidents annually mar the holiday celebration in thousands of homes throughout the nation.

In a united effort to focus public attention on the extra holiday hazards and the extra caution needed to meet them, city and state officials, civic groups, local safety councils and 180 national organizations are joining with the council in the Christmas safety campaign.

The council pointed out that traffic accident deaths on both Christmas Eve and Christmas Day run about twice as many as the annual daily average. Heavier travel and the festive spirit of the holiday season add to the normal winter hazards of bad weather, slippery roads and added hours of darkness.

"Every family in America should put one extra gift under its Christmas tree this year," said Ned H. Dearborn, president of the council. "That gift is life. It could be the life of some member of the household, or of a stranger. But it will be saved because someone has used just a little extra caution, common sense and courtesy to meet holiday hazards."

"Unless everyone is willing to GO TO A LITTLE TROUBLE to go to a little trouble by taking extra care during the Christmas holiday season, America is likely to celebrate the holiday by repeating the record-breaking carnage of the recent Labor Day holiday disaster, when more than 350 persons were killed by needless accidents."

"Remember — a safe Christmas celebration, free from accidents that mar family happiness at this joyous time of the year, is the very best present anybody can give or receive. Don't let death take your holiday!"

BOWLING ABROAD

BERLIN — No fewer than 420 bowling lanes have been installed in the American zone of Germany with 86 more soon to come.



AMERICAS QUEEN — Decked out in royal splendor is Peruvian beauty Ana Maria Alvarez Calderon Fernandi. The crown and the scepter go with her title, "Queen of the Americas," won at a beauty contest in Lima, Peru.

Resident Is Fined \$100 on DWI Charge

Samuel Krause, 529 S. Russell, was fined \$100 and costs in County Court Friday morning after pleading guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Krause was arrested by city police at 12:30 a.m. Friday in the 400 block of S. Cuyler.

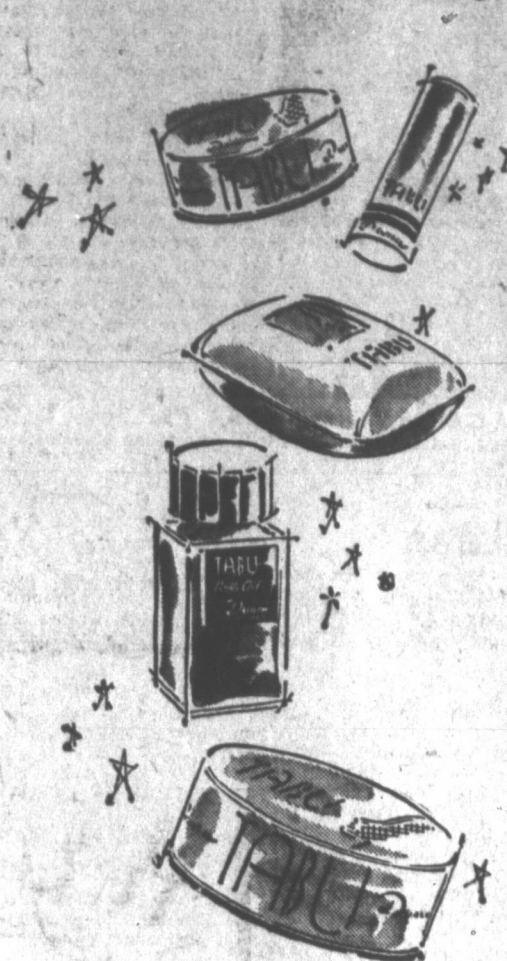
Officers Manning and Patterson said that Krause drove away from a liquor store in that block and into the path of a south-bound car on Cuyler.

The driver of the second car, whose name was not available, could not stop in time to avoid a collision.

The fine was assessed by County Judge Bruce Parker.

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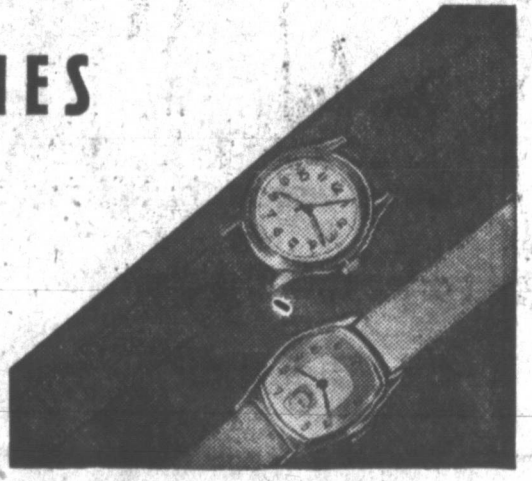
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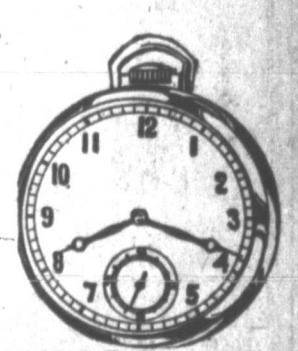


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Iron Lung Tried For Battle Shock

DENVER — (AP) — The U.S. Navy is sponsoring a pulsating chamber as a possible life-saver for men wounded during sea battles.

The idea is to shove a man, close to dying of shock, into one of these chambers, with assurance that he will be kept alive almost automatically until surgeons can attend him. Shock is one of the commonest causes of quick death from battle wounds. Plasma escapes into tissues and lowers blood pressure. Hearts may not get enough blood to pump and a man may faint because of lack of enough blood in his brain.

The chamber, known as the Thumberg apparatus, is like an iron lung. Studies are being made by Dr. Fred D'Amour and Dr. Donn L. Smith at the University of Denver.

ALMOST PERFECT
TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — (AP) — The University of Alabama's undefeated 1945 team scored a touchdown the first time it gained possession of the ball in its first eight games. Mississippi State stopped the Crimson Tide right at the goal line in the season's finale although Alabama won 55-13.

ALL LETTERMEN
LOS ANGELES — Southern California is fielding an all-letterman basketball team.

MINE FUND TRUSTEE—Charles I. Dawson of Louisville, Ky., above, lawyer and former federal district judge, is the new industry representative of the United Mine Workers' welfare and retirement fund. He succeeds Ezra Van Horn of Cleveland, who recently resigned. Dispute over the fund, created by royalties on all coal mined, figured in the current walkout of John L. Lewis' miners.



STORAGE PITS OF MALTA — Workmen remove grain from ancient storage pits at Valletta, Malta, which are fitted with stone slabs to keep grain and cereals for three years.

Bongo Visits Sick Writer

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK — (AP) — Bongo came back the other night.

I hadn't seen him for a year. Quickly I put my pillow over my face and counted: "1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10." But when I looked again he was still there.

Bongo is a phosphorescent go-rilla with searchlight eyes and teeth like translucent baseball bats. He waddled noiselessly over to the bed, sat down on my knees and opened a checkerboard.

"Play!" he commanded. It is the only word Bongo knows. Reluctantly I made the first move. Back and forth the checker-ermen marched. Just as the alarm clock rang Bongo finished winning his 17th straight game. He sneered and ambled out.

My wife awoke and saw me shivering and haggard-eyed.

"What's the matter with you?" "I been playing checkers with Bongo."

"Oh, dear," said Frances. "you're sick again."

So for the next two days she

stoked me with orange juice and aspirin.

Each night Bongo came back. When other people I know fall sick, roses and boxes of fruit and scores of friends come to call on them. But when I get ill the only one I'm sure will come is Bongo with his checkerboard.

He first came when I had the measles as a child, and he's been coming ever since.

Bongo plays worse every year. He also cheats. Whenever he thinks I have him cornered, he turns his searchlight eyes away and makes a few sudden moves in the darkness. When he turns his eyes back to the board — he's got me cornered.

And I am haunted by a fear that sometime I'll make a mistake and win a game. I don't think Bongo would like that. Once I had his last checker surrounded by three kings, and Bongo's fangs began to glow. I managed to drop the game.

Well, last night I looked at the board and saw in horror that he had brought a chess game instead of checkers.

Silently I slid my hand over and turned back the alarm clock. It shrilled, "Brrr... rrr... rrr... rrring!"

Bongo flew into a rage. But

Frances began to awaken and Bongo, with a final menacing growl, folded his game board under his arm and stomped out.

"Now, what's the matter with you?" asked Frances.

"Not a thing," I sighed. "Bongo was here, but he's gone now."

And I got up and came to work. I'd rather die on my feet than play Bongo chess. There is no way even a sick man can be sure of losing that game to a feeble-minded ape.

Vandenberg Urged To Declare Policy

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) is being urged by some Republicans to clear the way for GOP attacks on the administration's attitude toward China, Spain and possibly Israel.

Recovering in Michigan from a major operation, Vandenberg has informed friends here he plans to return to Washington for the opening of the new session of Congress Jan. 3.

His party colleagues want the Michigan senator to clarify early in the session the Republican course on the bipartisan foreign policy.

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McLean

McLEAN — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price and Mrs. Velma Betchan attended a homecoming in Hollis, Okla., over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bowen are the parents of a girl, Donna Lynette, born Nov. 30 in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Plummer visited Mrs. O. L. Derrick in Pampa over the weekend.

Mrs. A. N. Trout and family of Mobeetie were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase.

Little Martina Geisler is home from the Groom hospital and recovering rapidly after being hit by her father's car last Sunday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Geisler.

Mrs. D. M. Davis has recently moved to McLean from Groom. Recovering from tonsillitis in McLean are Bethie Mantooth, Donna Guinn, Gary Nicholson, and Flo Nell Crockett. All four are reported doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burks of Del Norte, Colo., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard.

Mrs. C. G. Nicholson accompanied her grandson, Gayland Dorsey, who has been visiting here, to Muleshoe to visit her daughter, Mrs. Muri Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Legon Burris visited in Amarillo Sunday.

C. S. Rice, J. W. Sullivan, and C. G. Nicholson were in Pampa Thursday of last week on business.

E. E. Watkins of Amarillo is visiting Mrs. C. A. Watkins and Thomas Watkins in McLean this week.

Mrs. Bob Sheddick and daughter, Rhonda Sue, were in Amarillo on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Sitter are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster in Houston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kibler of Oklahoma City were weekend visitors of Mrs. J. W. Kibler and Mrs. J. T. Glass.

Gerald Knutson has returned to WTSC at Canyon after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Y. A. Knutson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Nolan of Clarendon, and June Ann Nix and Jim McDowell of Shamrock

were weekend guests of Mrs. Frank Harlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Golf of Dumas were visitors in the J. W. Burrows home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Andrews went to Lawton, Okla., Sunday to bring Mrs. Laura Andrews to McLean after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Neil Humble.

Mrs. Corinne Trimble was in Oklahoma City on business Monday.

Clyde Carpenter of Perryton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cringle of Oklahoma City visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Glass over the weekend.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cory and Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless of Borger. Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Abbott of Sudan visited the Homer Abbotts last week and attended the T. H. Andrews funeral.

Bryan Caviness and Mr. Glunt of Amarillo visited in the Luther Petty home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James Lefors were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty.



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WHERE CHRISTMAS WISHES COME TRUE

Palaver de Pampa

CHRISTMAS BEING such a wonderful season, I have indeed been looking forward to it ... and I still am ... However, I wonder what got wrong with the weatherman that he had to bring sleet, or snow or whatever it was—just one day too soon! We had had such a stretch of sunny weather, and the children came to the jumping-off place just like that ... even so, the flight of Mr. Whiskers was very good, and I could tell all the kids liked it too ... from here on out everything is going to look very much like Christmas, and from what I heard about the weather this (Saturday) morning, you may be reading this through large, ugly gusts of wind, or maybe snow.

I OVERHEARD a couple of good definitions the other night, and dig around for some more to go with them: acquaintance—a person whom we know well enough to borrow from, but not well enough to lend to; gossip—the art of saying nothing in a way that leaves nothing unsaid; sympathy—what one gift offers another in exchange for details.

SANTA CLAUS should keep a sharp eye out to see that these people are recognized at this season ... a good disposition is an asset ... it is both cause and effect, always paying for itself many-fold ... For instance, what will replace a good neighbor? ... Mrs. Charlie Fuller on N. Russell is one of them, and she is as well noted for her lovely flowers in summer, beautiful yard, thoughtful of others ... For a keen sense of humor give me Ploy Heath ... Neal Sparks for a cheery "Hello" ... Homer Doggett, apparently not a care in the world ... Art Teed, for a smile that's always there ... Frank Leder, in his effort to help others is commendable and often commended ... Charming are Helen and Ruth Huff, who, by the way, have been giving some talks and showing pictures of their August-September trip to Europe ... (they went as far as Switzerland) ... Bunny Behrman, who, I understand, spends time and thought helping the underprivileged ... A. A. Schuerman and Mrs. Frank Lard for their able help for the Salvation Army.

PANORAMICALLY—The floats were nice, and I especially liked the Business & Professional Women's ... I heard the committee had a rather difficult time getting the paper together for the decorating ... Lillian Jordan and Viola Clendinning were in charge of it ... Wanda Jay Campbell made a very nice Madonna ... Pampa is conducting a big mail race these days, and the snails are up to par ... you can't get anywhere around the streets ... merchants must be doing a land-office business, for there is an endless line to the traffic ... I got tied up on Kingsmill in front of the Worley Building, and I was going to have to do something about that street ... Mickey and Frances Rafferty are in the new home on Doucette St., which, by the way, is becoming the address of a lot of people ... that addition is certainly growing ... the bowling clubs had a Christmas party on the Palm Room on Monday night ... I couldn't find out much about it on the fly, but I understood they exchanged gifts ... Chris and Crawford Aldrich are now moving into their new home, just across the street from the Frasers ... I hear the Stormy Jordans brought some Cuban cigars back with them from their trip to Havana ... they returned a week ago ... The Jaycee-Elite Christmas dance was a colorful affair, at the Southern Club on Friday night ... Mrs. Bob Quick, any brunette in beautiful green, with bustle ... Norma Graham in a cloud of pink net ... Frances Tipps with most unusual and attractive corsage for the Christmas season ... BGKs have a dance coming up ... and the Kiwanis Club annual installation banquet will be next Tuesday night, I believe.

The C. A. Scotts, a close-knit family—one of the great attributes of American life, which is built on the home.

THE COUNTRY Club formal dance, regular for this time of the year, was so nice ... I believe the decorations were about the best I've ever seen ... and the Mello-Airs do very well on "Don't Cry, Joe" ... Lots of people there, and all of them well-dressed ... for instance, Mrs. Ivan Howard, petite in green satin evening dress, with full skirt ... Mrs. E. C. Kilpatrick, very striking ... Mrs. Jeff Bearden, tan lace ankle-length evening dress.

Let's see—have I forgotten anything? ... Well, if I have you'll have to drop me a letter—you know, in care of The Pampa Daily News ... In so excited about Christmas that my mind has gaps in it. Mentally awry, FEG O' PAMPA.

Mid-December Wedding Told

MISS CORENE STEELY

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Steely, 418 Crest, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Corene, to Jack McKay, son of Mrs. Clara L. McKay, 214 West Brown. The wedding will be solemnized on Dec. 15 in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church.



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Holiday Plans Made by Club

WHITE DEER—(Special)—The Venado Blanco Club met in the home of Mrs. B. J. Thompson Tuesday evening to plan the Christmas dinner and the visit of Santa Claus to the children of the community, which are sponsored annually by the club.

Misses Edward Frix, Alvin Smith, and Hope Rusk were co-hostesses.

Dec. 20 was set as the date for the dinner, to be held in the high school homecoming department.

Santa Claus will make his annual visit on Dec. 16. In charge of arrangements will be Misses George Watson, B. J. Thompson, Fred Mullings, D. V. Biggers, Edward Frix, Alvin Smith, and Ray Vineyard, and Miss Mildred Cole.

Others present for the meeting were Misses E. R. Weeks, Kenneth Gibson, and Bob Farley; Misses Gertrude Golladay, Mary Green, Helen Walker, Ruby Lee Hill, Doris Smalley, and Virginia Alexander, and one guest, Mrs. McHenry Lane of Pampa.

Mrs. Turner's Home Meeting Place for Service Guild

The home of Mrs. J. M. Turner, 420 North Yeager, was meeting place for the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church. Miss Diamia Wood was co-hostess.

Mrs. Harold Wright was program chairman, with Minnie Allen, president, in charge of the business session.

The devotional was by Mrs. Ben Ogden, and was taken from "The Lost Star." Mrs. Lee Harrah continued the study, "The Women of the Scriptures," assisted by Miss Lillian Mullins.

Other members present were Mrs. Florence Graham, Mrs. Malcolm Benson, Mrs. Aubrey Jones, Miss Be. Poole, Miss Mary Newman, and Miss Alma Wilson. Two visitors, Mrs. Ben Ogden, and Mrs. Coy Palmer, were present.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party with the WSCG at the church on Dec. 13.

Golden Wedding Celebrated By J. W. Everlys

WHITE DEER—(Special)—About 60 friends and relatives from Pampa, Panhandle, Miami and White Deer joined Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Everlys in celebrating their golden wedding anniversary at an open house in their home Tuesday evening from 4 to 7 o'clock.

Punch, cake and nuts were served from a lace-covered table centered with a beautiful arrangement of gold chrysanthemums, a gift of the women teachers of White Deer High School. The large square cake was iced in white and bore the inscription "Golden Wedding, 1899-1949." Mrs. Kermit Lawson, Panhandle, and Mrs. Harvey Landrum, Miami, were at the punch bowl and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lawson and Mrs. Leonard Olson, Panhandle, assisted with the refreshments.

Bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums and yellow roses, both gifts of groups of friends, decorated the living room. Another gift from a group of friends was an electric toaster.

Mr. Everlys' gift to his bride of 50 years was a matching ensemble of watch, engagement and wedding rings, set with diamonds.

During the evening, music was furnished by Mrs. Neal Edwards, Mrs. Charles Milligan, and Mrs. Kermit Lawson.

NARROWED THE FIELD—Bertha Lawson was born in Virginia, but came to Texas at the age of 14. Three years later, dapper young "Bob" Everlys, a native of Denton County, was "playing the field" when she was a quiet little Virginian moved into the Fairview (Denton County) community, and the "field" soon narrowed down to one. After their marriage in a quiet ceremony at the courthouse on Dec. 6, 1899, they lived on a farm near Sanger until 1908, when they moved to the Panhandle.

Hauling their household goods by wagon from Miami, 23 miles away, they stayed in a north of Mobeetie and lived there two years. In 1910, after buying a section of land in the Mt. Zion community, eight miles northwest of Mobeetie, with lumber shipped from Shreveport, La., and freighted from Miami, they built an eight room home on their farm and lived there four years.

They needed a large house at that time, for in addition to their own family, three, three of Mrs. Everlys' younger sisters made their home with them, and there was usually a hired man in the household, also.

SANG ALL NIGHT—Since theirs was the house nearest the little schoolhouse, it was a meeting place for the community, and many Sundays there were from 15 to 20 guests at dinner, preceding the afternoon "sings" at the school house. On one occasion, when a sudden storm arose, the entire congregation adjourned to the Everlys home, and spent the night in conversation and singing—and drinking quantities of coffee!

The eight miles to Mobeetie for supplies was an almost all-day trip, for it was made in a buggy drawn by an old white horse named "Dick." Sometimes it was not only a long, but an adventurous trip, because when they met an occasional automobile, "Old Dick" expressed his resentment of the new-fangled "horseless buggies" by either running away or kicking out of the shafts, breaking the harness, or otherwise causing trouble.

The "bad weather" of 1912 was one that Mr. Everlys recalls vividly. With snow on the ground from November to March, he had to freight coal from Miami and often suffered frostbite from the bitter cold.

MOVED TO MIAMI—After four years at Mt. Zion, Mr. and Mrs. Everlys sold the farm and moved to Miami that their daughter might attend high school. Mr. Everlys worked in the grocery business there, but purchased another farm nine miles south of White Deer.

In 1919, the family moved to Denton, intending to stay there until the daughter graduated at CIA, now TSCW, but the call of the Panhandle was too strong. In August, 1920 they returned, built a home in White Deer, and have lived there ever since, except for a few months spent in Texas City, when their daughter was teaching there and Mr. Everlys worked in the sugar refinery. In White Deer, he first worked in a hardware store; then bought a furniture store in partnership with S. B. Henderson and later with E. F. Tubb. After two years they sold that business and Mr. Everlys has devoted himself to wheat farming.

PMA CHAIRMAN—A strong believer in saving the soil, he is now serving as chairman of the Carson County PMA and as a member of the Soil Conservation Committee.

Although Mr. and Mrs. Everlys have only one child, Miss Claude Everlys, a teacher in the White Deer High School for the past 21 years, throughout their married life, except for about five years, some of their brothers, sisters, nieces, or nephews have made their home with them. One nephew, Chester Nunn, has been with them since his mother's death in 1929, and now has charge of the farming interests. Mrs. Everlys, whose short blonde hair shows no traces of gray, is much interested in house planning, interior decoration, and other

(See GOLDEN, Page 16)



MR. AND MRS. HENRY FRANKLIN PLETCHER

Christmas Party For WSCS Group

Members of Circle One of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. A. E. Carruth for a Christmas party.

Following a covered dish luncheon Mrs. R. W. Lane read the Christmas story from Luke. The group then sang "Silent Night," followed by prayer by Mrs. Walter Purviance.

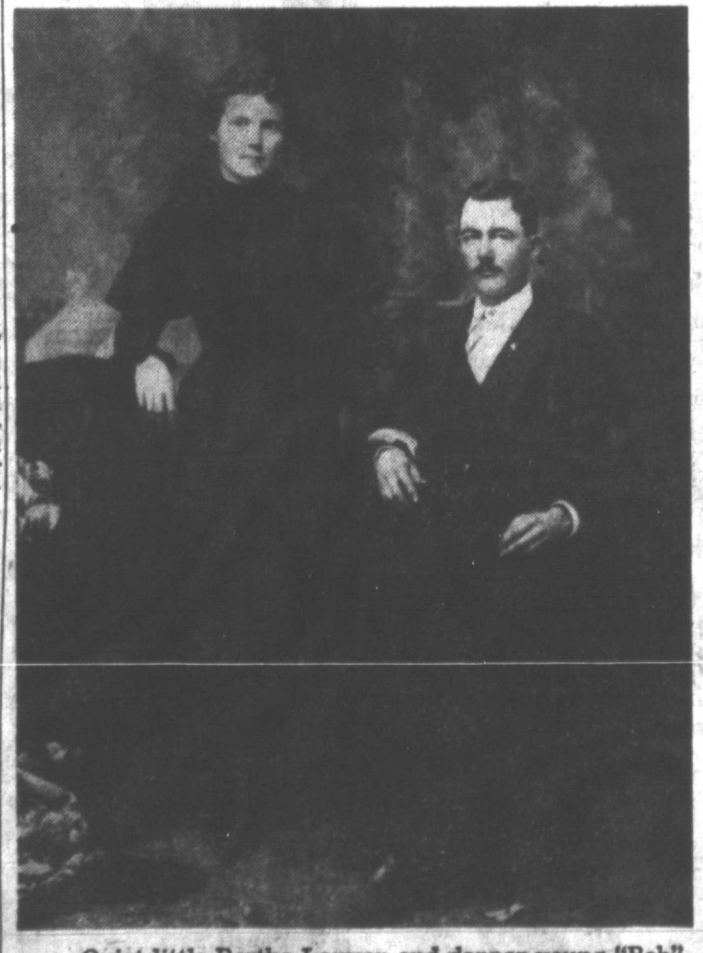
Gifts were exchanged from a decorated Christmas tree. Circle One donated a large number of toys to the nursery department. Mrs. Joe Shelton, chairman, presided over a short business meeting. Mrs. R. W. Lane, study chairman, announced that the new study will begin on Jan. 4. The study will be "Japan Begins Again."

Those attending were Mrs. C. W. Andrews, Mrs. Ross Byars, Mrs. E. L. Campbell, Mrs. Thurman Cline, Mrs. John Hodge, Mrs. R. W. Lane, Mrs. W. H. Moseley, Mrs. W. S. Exley, Mrs. R. J. Epps, Mrs. L. M. Harrah, Mrs. Joe E. Williams, Mrs. Ben Ward, Mrs. W. E. Jarvis, Mrs. Joe Shelton, Mrs. Walter Purviance, Mrs. Charles Woolley, Mrs. A. B. Carruth and two guests, Mrs. Orion Carter and Mrs. Maude Hall.

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MR. AND MRS. J. W. EVERLYS



Quiet little Bertha Lawson and dapper young "Bob" Everlys are shown here in their "courtship days." She had not yet lowered her skirts to the accepted length for women of that day, but wore them in the shorter length favored by young girls. Mrs. Everlys, who wore a dress of grey silk crepe with a rose vestee and a rose necklace at her golden wedding reception, recalls that her wedding dress of 50 years ago was of beige wool, trimmed in cream lace and ribbon.

Jo Alice Franks, Henry F. Pletcher Exchange Vows

The marriage of Miss Jo Alice Franks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Franks of Kingsmill, and Henry Franklin Pletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pletcher of Perryton was solemnized in a candlelight ceremony on Dec. 4 in the Kingsmill Community Church. The Rev. Ben Barker of Laverne, Okla., officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

Vows were exchanged before an altar decorated with an arch of huckleberry, multi-colored pompons and baskets of multi-colored chrysanthemums flanked by silver candelabra holding white tapers.

Preceding the ceremony Wilbur Fullbright of Spearman, pianist, played several nuptial selections and accompanied Paul Mahan of Hardesty, Okla., who sang "Always" and "Because." During the ceremony "Facing the Future" was sung by Mrs. Wallace Bingham, Miss Joann Wallenberg, and Miss Eula Mae Taylor, a trio from Laverne, Okla.

The traditional wedding march was played for the processional and recessional.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gowned in white bridal satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice trimmed with seed pearls, long pearl-pointed sleeves, and a full skirt terminating in a chapel train. Her finger-length veil of lace trimmed illusion fell from a bandeau of bouvardia. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow pompons centered with white carnations.

TINY SILVER BELLS—Mrs. Bill Williams attended her sister as matron of honor, wearing a gown of yellow taffeta and carrying a bouquet of multi-colored chrysanthemums from which fell gold and bronze streamers with tiny silver bells. Misses Anna Ruth Scott and Lavonda Barker of Laverne, Okla., were bridesmaids, and wore yellow (See JO ALICE, Page 16)

Baby Shower Compliments Mrs. C. J. Williams

Mrs. Coleman J. Williams was guest of honor at a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Margaret Taylor, 930 Mary Ellen.

Cohostesses were Mrs. Lucille Turner and Mrs. James Roush. The honored guest was presented with a corsage of pale pink carnations, tied with blue ribbon, by the hostess. She was also presented with a pink and blue bassinet filled with gifts, which she displayed.

The table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with a miniature stork and doll. Pink cake squares topped with blue and white flowers were served with coffee. Cups filled with mixed nuts were also served and guests were presented with tiny white eylet saucers tied with blue ribbon, for favors.

Mrs. Jean Turner registered the guests in the "Log of Life" baby book.

Those present were Mrs. Maxine Much, Mrs. Edna Prescott, Mrs. Bertha Hussa, Mrs. Wesley Williams, Mrs. Edwin Southard, Mrs. Lois Hanna, Mrs. Jo Jeter, Mrs. Cassie McPherson, Mrs. Joe Ford, Mrs. C. E. Courts, Mrs. V. S. Keashey, Mrs. Rosemary Caylor, Mrs. Ruth McCaw, Mrs. Gladys Jaynes, Mrs. Eloise Brady and Mrs. Vicki Williams.

AAUW Annual Christmas Tea To Be Sunday

The annual Christmas Tea of the American Association of University Women is being held Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11, at 4 o'clock in the City Club Rooms. Presidents of all the women's clubs in the City Council have been invited as honored guests. AAUW members will also take guests.

Mrs. N. Dudley Steele, vice president and program chairman, has arranged the program. Guests to appear include Mrs. W. F. Wilson, who will tell the Christmas story, Miss Jann Ethridge, who will sing, and Mrs. H. A. Yoder, who will accompany Miss Ethridge and also furnish the music for the tea hour.

Hostesses for the evening are the club social chairman, Mrs. Lee Harrah, and Mrs. Don Boyd, Mrs. J. R. Weaver, and Miss Jamie Eaton.

Duke-Jordan Vows Exchanged

DARROUZETT—(Special)—Miss Maxine Jordan of Perryton and Bob Duke of Darrouzett were married at 10:30 Sunday morning at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Duke in Darrouzett.

The Rev. C. T. Jackson officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Dean Terrell served as best man and Mrs. Terrell was bridesmaid. Only a few close friends and relatives were present.

After a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home in Darrouzett. Mr. Duke has wheat and cattle interests in this section.

The Women's Society of the Methodist Church had an all day meeting and Christmas party at the church Tuesday. A covered dish lunch was spread at the noon hour, and the regular program was held in the afternoon, ending shortly after 4 o'clock. About 20 women were present.

Mrs. E. B. Burton is president of the society.

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Marriage Plans Announced



MISS JOYCE PRATT

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pratt, 414 North Gray, Pampa, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joyce, to Bruce C. Detter, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Detter, of Hutchinson, Kans. The wedding will take place Saturday, Jan. 28, in the First Presbyterian Church in Pampa.

Fine Arts Club Members Hostesses At Tea, Book Review in Shamrock

SHAMROCK—(Special)—The Federated Club women of Shamrock were entertained with a guest tea and book review recently at the home of Mrs. Theo Nichols, when members of the Fine Arts Club were hostesses.

Cohostesses with Mrs. Nichols were Mrs. Robert Laycock, Mrs. Cabot Brannon, Mrs. Harry Clay, and Miss Pauline Benson.

A yellow and green color scheme was used in decorations. In the dining room the lace covered table was centered with an arrangement of yellow pompons flanked with lighted tapers.

Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. Scott McCall, club president, greeted the guests as they arrived. Mrs. Cabot Brannon played piano selections as the group assembled.

Miss Nell Adams presided at the guest register.

Mrs. Harry Clay, Miss Pauline Benson and Mrs. Robert Laycock poured alternately. Mrs. Baxter Purcell assisted in the dining room.

Mrs. Bedford Harrison, who was introduced by Mrs. McCall, reviewed "The Fugate" by Irving Stone, story of the life of John Noble, an artist of Wichita, Kansas.

Those present were Mrs. J. R. Benson, W. R. Wooten, L. S. Griffin, M. E. Risk, T. D. Blund, R. A. Nichols, Sr., W. Y. Burden, L. E. Davis, Marshall Adams, Lyle Holmes, Ben A. Skidmore, William Holmes, H. P. Mundy, Fred Holmes, George L. Stanley, Earl Koger, T. H. Sonnenbrugg, Tom Brown, S. M. Dunaway, C. L. Reavin, Virgil Agan, Lonnie Burks, Glenn White, Matt Lewis, Mmes. O. T. Nicholson, J. B. Clark, H. B. Hill, Charles Green, R. M. Barkley, Winfred Lewis, Gaston Harbour, Seibert Worley, L. L. Draper, Perry Bear, Joe Hindman, Huey Cook, R. C. Lewis, John B. Harvey, A. R. Hugg, Tom Clay, Sol Blonstein, M. A. Whitehurst, Albert Ryan, Baxter Purcell, J. W. Gooch, J. B. Wright, Vernon Carver, Aaron M. Fry, Bedford Harrison, Earl Gobble, Joel Gooch, Walter Pendleton, Jr., Lyman Benson, Roy Berton, Jack Stroup, Scott McCall, Misses Nell Adams, Ruth Zeigler and Miss Geraldine Kanigan of Boston, Mass.

The Forum Club had a meeting recently on the subject, "The (See FINE ARTS, Page 16)

Zeporia Hall Party Honoree

Mrs. Roy Hall gave a party at the Hall home, 1123 East Frederic, in honor of her daughter, Annie Zeporia Hall, on her birthday.

The afternoon was spent playing games and listening to Walt Disney recordings. Pictures were also taken of the group.

The table was centered with a holly wreath, and cookies were topped with colored candles. As each candle was lighted the group sang "Happy Birthday." The cookies were served with ice cream. Miniature story books, cotton Santas and candy canes were given for favors.

Those present were Nancy Williams, Anita Guldry, Joy Nichols, Kay Nichols, Gene Lewis, Sara and Jon Naylor, Carol Carnes, Marcheta Hall, and the guest of honor. Several who could not be present sent gifts.

Pastor To Be Installed Today

The Rev. Arthur A. Bruns, new pastor of the Zion Lutheran Church of Pampa, will be installed this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. H. F. Peiman of Borger will be in charge of the installation service.

The Rev. Bruns comes to Pampa from San Benito, where he served the Lutheran Church for the past eleven years. The Rev. and Mrs. Bruns live at 722 N. Lefors, with their two children, Dorothy and Donald. Another daughter is attending St. John's College in Winfield, Kansas.

Gift Exchange Highlights Merten HD Club Meet

Exchanging Christmas gifts from a trimmed and lighted tree highlighted a meeting of the Merten Home Demonstration Club Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Frank Bailey, 426 North Warren. Mrs. H. H. Threath explained the origin and traditions behind the singing of Christmas carols. She then introduced Mrs. Jack Studebaker, a guest, who played a number of Christmas carols on the accordion, several of which were the traditional carols sung in her native Germany. Games were conducted by Mrs. T. G. Groves.

Mrs. O. G. Smith conducted a candlelight installation ceremony for officers for the new year. Those installed were Mrs. C. A. Jones, president; Mrs. D. A. Rife, vice president; Mrs. V. Smith, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Nash, council delegate; Mrs. H. E. Threath, local leader; Mrs. T. G. Groves, recreation; Mrs. Jones Brandon, finance; Mrs. V. S. Day, Seitz, parliamentary; Mrs. John Marking; Mrs. A. Swafford, community service.

Mrs. A. M. Nash conducted a short business meeting and Mrs. V. Smith gave the council report. Spiced tea, cake and candy favors were served on trays.

A special gift on the tree for the highest scoring club member of the year was presented to Mrs. D. A. Rife. There was also a gift from the club for the retiring president, Mrs. C. L. Cudney, in appreciation of her year's work.

Others present were Mrs. D. A. Caldwell, Mrs. W. F. Gibson, Mrs. S. E. Waters, Mrs. W. E. Coop and two children, Aldis Maurice Studebaker and Sammy Waters.

Program Honors OES Past Matrons, Past Patrons

MOBEETIE—(Special)—A regular session of the OES was held Tuesday night, with Mrs. Thelma Bairfield of Claremont, District Deputy Grand Matron, present to give instruction in work of the Order.

After the chapter was closed the officers presented a program honoring the Past Matrons and Past Patrons of the Mobeetie chapter. There were 18 Past Matrons and Past Patrons present.

Charles Bairfield of Claremont was also a guest, as were several from the Wheeler OES.

Refreshments, including out the Christmas theme, were served. There were 44 members and guests present.

Shower Honors Mrs. Williams

WHEELER—(Special)—Mrs. Afton Williams was guest of honor at a post nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. Thomas J. Daugherty, 710 o'clock Tuesday evening. Mrs. Daugherty was assisted by six other hostesses.

The Christmas motif was used in decorations. In receiving line were Mrs. Daugherty, the guest of honor, and her mother, Mrs. Arch Scribner. Mrs. Williams is the former Miss Ols Mae Scribner.

Mrs. J. Hastings registered guests and Mrs. Hester Dodson displayed the gifts. Others assisting were Miss Ruth Merrill and Miss Virginia Henderson. More than 100 guests called or sent gifts during the receiving hours. The table was laid with an ecru lace cloth and centered with fall flowers in a blue bowl, flanked by white tapers. Miss Vendell Starkey and Miss Genevieve Merton presided at the table.

The Social Calendar

MONDAY
The Martha Class of the First Baptist Church will hold a Christmas party in the church at 7:30 Monday evening. Members will take gifts for Baptist Mexican Orphans Homes.

Friendship Class of the First Methodist Church will have the annual Christmas tree gift exchange at 2:30 Monday in Fellowship Hall. A special invitation has been extended to all new members and teachers.

TUESDAY
Club Christmas parties will be given Tuesday as follows:

Variety Study Club, Mrs. J. G. Doggett and Mrs. F. E. Imel, hostesses.

Twentieth Century Club, Mrs. I. B. Hughey, hostess. Apron exchange.

Twentieth Century Forum, Ruby Lee Hughes, Pat Manning and Jean Rogers, hostesses.

Twentieth Century Culture Club, Mrs. E. E. Shelhamer, hostess.

El Progreso, Mrs. Knox Kinard, 1425 North Charles, hostess. Gift exchange.

Civic Culture Club will meet at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, with Mrs. H. R. Van Sickle as hostess.

WEDNESDAY
Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary will meet at the church at 2:30 Wednesday.

A Presbyterian Fellowship covered dish dinner will be held at the church at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Circle Four of the WSCS will meet with Mrs. B. S. Via, 903 Somerville, at 2:30 Wednesday.

Mrs. A. B. Whitten, co-hostess. OES Past Matrons Gavel Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. B. Murphy, 117 North Gillespie, at 7 p.m. Wednesday, to go to the home of Mrs. W. S. Kiser.

Mrs. Cox Hosts Holiday Party

MIAMI (Special)—Mrs. Bill Cox was hostess to the Forty-Niners Club with a Christmas party, with Mrs. Ford Cowan as co-hostess.

Mrs. Ed Talley, leader of the program, gave a Christmas story. She was assisted by Mrs. Evelyn Guill, who gave an article on helpful hints for the housewife. The special feature, a kitchen spice contest, conducted by Mrs. Rene R. Ratliff, was won by Mrs. Laverne Wilson and Mary Lou Cowan. They were presented with prizes.

The hostesses served Christmas pies, with lighted candles on them, and presented seasonal favors.

Present were Wanda Talley, Betty Talley, Penn Rankin, Billy Ratliff, Betty Ratliff, Evelyn Guill, Fanny Greenhouse, Marie Gill, Laverne Wilson, Laverne Smith, June McCusiston, Marion Heare, Leona Hale, Maxine Howard, and the hostesses.

Students See Color Film of Europe

On Wednesday afternoon, in the Junior High School auditorium, Misses Helen and Ruth Huff, who recently returned from a trip to Europe, showed colored films which they had taken on the trip and explained them. There were 328 sixth grade students and 80 eighth graders present.

northwest of town, to a Christmas party. Each member will take a gift for the OES Old Ladies Home. Secret pals will be revealed and new names drawn.

A party for all WSCS circles and the Wesleyan Guild of the First Methodist Church will be given in the sanctuary at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

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gowns. They carried nosegays of yellow pompons with streamers of multi-colored ribbon tied with silver bells. Candlelighters, attired in yellow taffeta, were Misses Carolyn Bartz and Elsie Harris. From their arms fell talismans colored ribbons on which hung small bells. Little Miss Alice Ruth Scott, of Oklahoma City, niece of the bride, served as flower girl.

BROTHERS USHER
Alvin Lee Barker of Laverne, served as best man. Leon Pugh of Balco, Okla., and Neil Ragan of Beaver, Okla., were groomsmen. Ushers were Paul Allen Pletcher and Tommy Pletcher, brothers of the bridegroom.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Frank was a dress of beige gabardine with brown accessories. Mrs. Pletcher, mother of the bridegroom, wore a dress of navy crepe with black and beige accessories. Both wore corsages of pink carnations.

FORMAL RECEPTION
Following the ceremony an informal reception was held in the home of the Rev. Pearl Yeakley, aunt of the bride. The serving table was centered with the bride's cake and was decorated with bells and yellow chrysanthemums. Mrs. Bruce Scott, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Dale Ballard served. Misses Dreka Rowe and Joan Bryan presided at the guest register.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Frank Eason, grandmother of the bride, and Mrs. T. S. Pletcher and F. B. Kile, grandmothers of the bridegroom, all of Perryton.

Mrs. Pletcher was graduated last year from Pampa High School, where she was a member of the National Honor Society and the Tri Hi Y. Mr. Pletcher was graduated from Perryton High School.

The couple will live in Perryton. For traveling, the bride chose a wine gabardine suit with black and winter white accessories.



Movie star Gale Storm models two of the new neckwear styles that cover up necklines bared by short hair: A vivid, tailored, triple ermine tails, breaks the bareness between low neckline and high hair-line. Polka-dotted net, pleated layer-on-layer, fashions neck ruff which ties with long ribbons to make a new type saucy collar (right).

FINE ARTS

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Negro Speaks," when the group and a number of guests were entertained in the home of Mrs. Shirley Draper.

Mrs. R. M. Barkley was program leader and conducted a quiz on outstanding American Negroes. Each member was given a person to identify, and then given clues until the correct answer was given.

Mrs. Sol Blonstein and Mrs. Rufus Dodgen gave a review of "North Star Shining," a pictorial history of the American Negro, by Hildegard Hoyt Swift.

During the business session the group voted to give a year's subscription to the Reader's Digest to the Dunbar Colored School. They also made a donation to the Fine Arts Club to assist with

the annual Music Week program to be given in the spring.

At the close of the program the following recordings by Marian Anderson were played: "Ave Maria," "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," and "My Heart At Thy Sweet Voice."

Refreshments were served during the social hour to Mrs. J. R. Benson, J. H. Caperton, P. T. Boston, F. E. Stevens, Milt Williams, Hubert Tindall, J. W. Gooch, E. K. Caperton, and Carl Linkey, guests.

Mmes. R. M. Barkley, E. K. Worley.

Skellytown Lodge Plans Banquet

An informal banquet honoring Past Noble Grands was planned

Bechtol, Sol Blonstein, Rufus Dodgen, Louis Hill, Lyle Holmes, William F. Holmes, Winfred Lewins, B. F. Risinger, Jack Stroup, S. Q. Scott, M. A. Whittemurst, W. R. Wooten, and Seibert Worley.

at a meeting of the Skellytown Rebekah Lodge. The banquet will be at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, Dec. 15.

An exchange of gifts will feature the program of the evening. All gifts will be numbered, and all Past Grands have been asked to attend. The menu will consist of chicken dinner, complete with all of the trimmings.

The use of "tin" cans for holding preserved foods did not become common until late in the 19th Century.

GOLDEN

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artistic pursuits. The Sunday school building which houses the nursery and beginners' departments of the First Baptist Church is evidence of her skill in planning for while she was superintendent of those departments, she not only designed the building, made up much of the money needed to build it, and supervised the construction, but did much of the interior decoration herself.

She is constantly adding something to her own home and is now busily engaged in constructing bookcases, shelves, and other "gadgets" for bedroom and storage space which she and her husband have recently made in the attic of their house.

Matching her knack at carpentry is Mr. Everly's skill in cooking, with superlative biscuits and waffles a specialty. If he has a hobby, it is helping people, and his proudest boast is that, although he has served at various times on the school board, city council, and even on the war rationing board, as far as he knows, he hasn't an enemy in the world.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Everly have always taken an active part in the First Baptist Church here, he having served as superintendent of the Sunday School for 15 years and a member of the board of deacons for more than 20 years, and she as superintendent of the cradle roll for many years.

He sums up their fifty years of married life thus: "We haven't had much of this world's goods, but we have been blessed with a comfortable home, excellent health, and many, many good friends. God has been good to us."

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7. Children like to finger paint. For very young children, oil cloth can be used and washed after each painting time.

8. Play interests can be encouraged by using discarded household utensils.

9. Children need climbing equipment. Some can be made out of boxes and an old ladder.

10. A sand box is a must for the younger children.

11. Holidays are fun for parents. Think of the magic of planning for the special festivities—planning for and with your children.

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Charm at Home On the Range

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

How do you look as you go about your housework? Do you catch your visitor's eye? Are you trim, neat and well brushed-up, or do you quake in your shoes for fear that the doorbell's ring will usher in a visitor who will find you unkempt?

The way you look as you do your housework, go on errands or a shopping trip, is as important to you as it is to your family or to callers. What they think of your appearance influences your own opinion of your looks and has a marked effect upon your morale. The woman who has fallen into the habit of "wearing out" old clothes about the house, neglecting skin, hair, and nails because she's too busy (and because it seems a waste of time anyway) should start mending her ways.

The time will inevitably come when neglect has gone too far for repairs. One bad habit leads to another.

Moreover, preventive beauty work is far more important than a dozen frantic trips to a beauty salon to try to patch up the damage of years of neglect.

If you don't own three or four comfortable, neat, tailored cotton house dresses, you should equip your wardrobe with such work clothes. They have earned their rightful place in the home today because they're functional. Wearing out your castoffs about the house is false economy in relation to your health, comfort and appearance. Besides functional house dresses, a woman should also have one tailored house coat for wear at the breakfast table, never a negligee sleeved with ostrich fronds to trail in the butter.

Women in Church Work

By MARY FOWLER

Reports from the Service Center of the Young Woman's Christian Association in Istanbul, Turkey, is that its English and stenography classes cannot train girls fast enough to meet the requests coming in from offices and firms. Many calls are from banks, government offices, and British and American business houses.

The native Dyak headhunters brought the Island of Borneo the first note that it had among the civilized peoples of the world. But that "art" is known no more, according to Missionary Hobart B. Amstutz, of Singapore, who reports that the Methodist Church has some fifty parishes and chapels up and down the central Rejang River. Mrs. Hopart recently met with 113 Borneo women, representing the Women's Societies of Christian Service of these 50 churches. And Mr. Amstutz tells of a conference over which he presided in Borneo where, in addition to the Dyaks and the Americans, were two Malays, two Sumatra Batak Methodist pastors whose ancestors had been cannibals, and the Chinese wife of a Dyak missionary. Much of the evangelization of Dyaks in Borneo is being carried on by Batak Christians from Sumatra.

Holiday Fete Planned For Chatter Box Club

GLAZIER — (Special) — Mrs. Jack Porter was hostess to the Chatter Box Club members. At the festive Christmas party to be given on Dec. 16 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hurdle Smith.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dewey, and Mr. and Mrs. Porter.

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By MRS. ANNE CABOT

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Share Children's Play and Give Them Feeling of Security Advised

By DAVID TAYLOR MARKE
AP Newsfeatures

It is fun to be with children and to play with them. Yet how often one hears the busy mother say, "Go play, dear, I have too much work to do." Too often one hears the tired or apathetic dad say, "Go play" — period!

With all we have learned in the last few years about the importance of play, says Rowena Shoemaker, assistant director of the Play Schools Association, "parents might as well be saying go play with dynamite, my little ones!"

Says Mrs. Shoemaker: "It is difficult for adults to differentiate between work and play of children. What better way than to include their youngsters in part of the work necessary in any home — dusting, shopping, washing, simple cooking, table setting, care of the garden, washing and polishing the family car. This is one approach to building better parent-child relations."

Parents need to take a critical look around the home and ask themselves:

Is this truly "our" home? Does our home provide space for the children to play undisturbed and when necessary undisturbed to the grownups?

Does our home give the children opportunities to share in its comforts, its responsibilities and its resources?

Does our home encourage self-reliance? For instance, have we low hooks for wraps and clothing; chairs which fit the children; low cupboards or shelves for toys and books?

Does our home provide opportunity for the children to have friends both indoors and out?

Does our home give our children a sense of security and a feeling of "belonging" — "we-ness"?

Have we in our home the toys and play equipment to meet the needs of our children?

Does our home allow our children full scope to create without too many do's and don'ts?

All children must play to grow — individually and with their contemporaries, says Mrs. Shoemaker. The need of children to play cannot be side-stepped by wise parents. Keeping a home with happy participating children in it need not be drudgery — it can be fun if we use good old-fashioned common sense.

Today, we are reinforced by the great strides that have been made in our understanding of children. We are beginning to know them as people — little people who think, who feel. Wise parents accept the fact that today's children will be heard and must be seen if they are to learn to live in this complex world, she says. "If we keep the home forces strongly knit — a home of work and play as a family group — we can face with confidence this emerging 'one world.' Parents must make absolutely sure that their children feel love and devotion in the home; it is the basis of their security."

Let's do things with our children. The following suggestions may help you think of many others:

1. Make a list of things which need to be done and decide who will do what. Have plans of the day but also have long range plans. Something to look forward to is always an exciting experience for the whole family.
2. Have two sets of toys (especially for the little ones) — alternate them — they then become a novelty.
3. Plan museum visits. They are legitimate jaunts for rainy days.
4. The family mending box holds untold treasures for both boys and girls. Old trunks can yield bits of soft material, cotton batting, colored wool, old stockings, strings, etc. What better idea than to make a doll out of the scrap material?
5. Doll furniture can be made of small milk containers, or cardboard boxes. Dad can help here, too.
6. "Let's go for a walk" will

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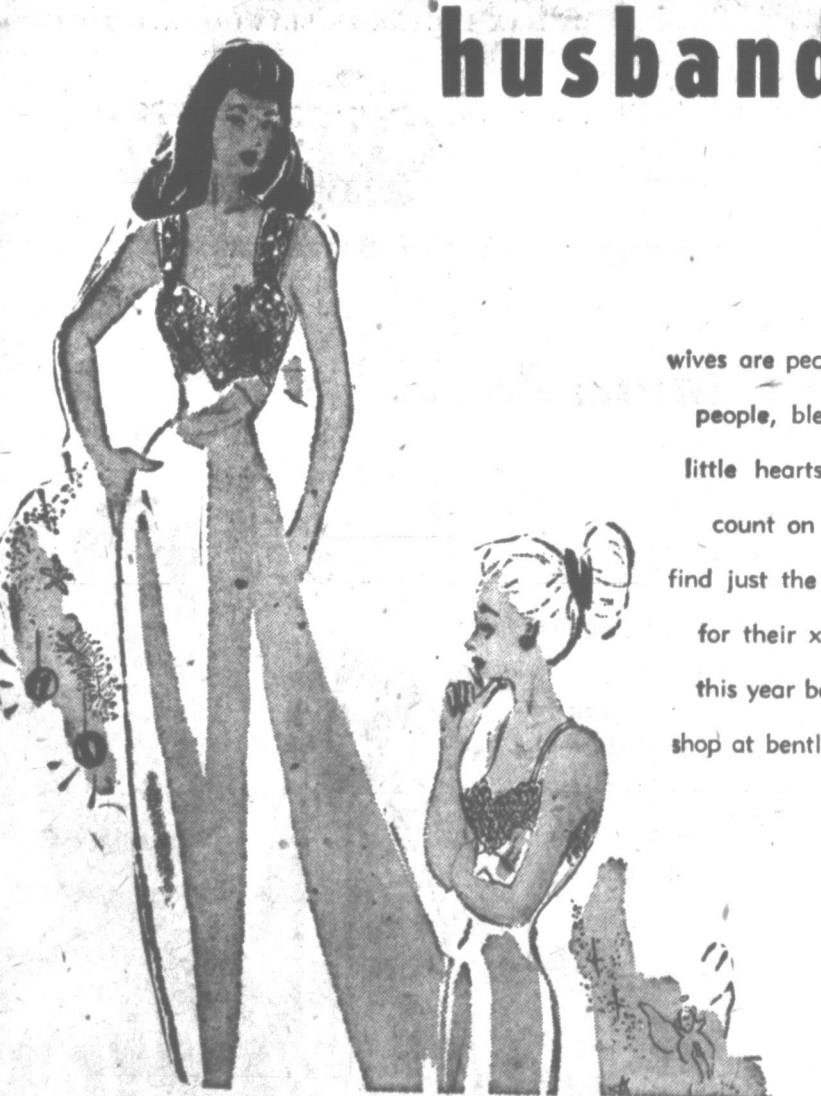
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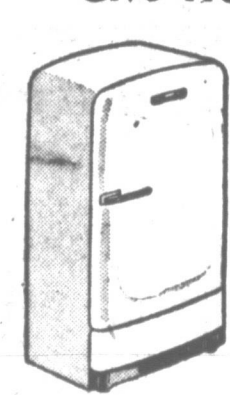
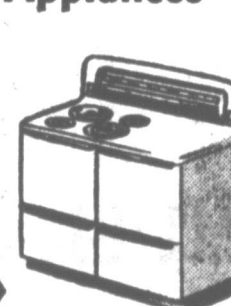
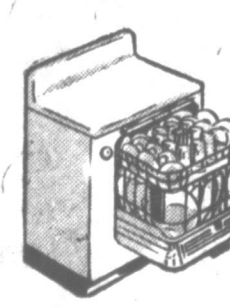
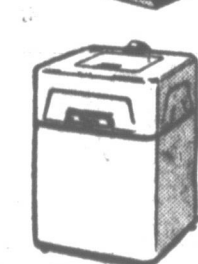
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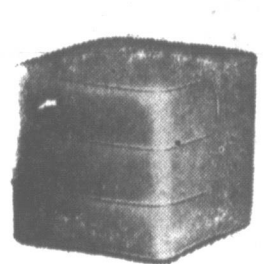
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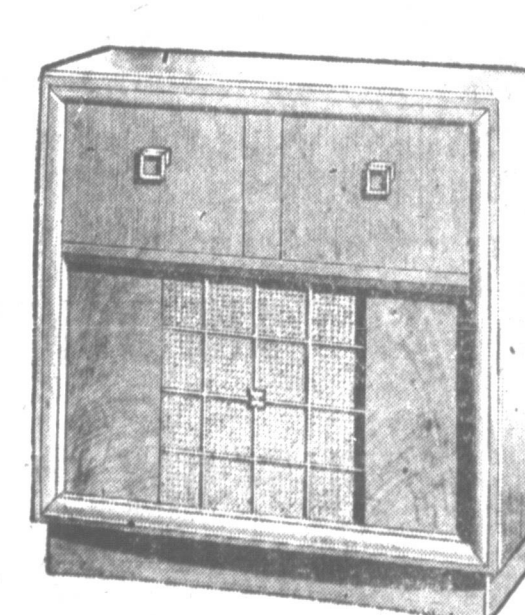
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COMMISSIONER DIES

HOUSTON — (AP) — Mrs. Iva Adair, 52, a former state deputy, died here yesterday at her home.

FATALLY INJURED

LAMESA — (AP) — Roy Davis Smith, 42, was fatally injured in a car-truck collision near here yesterday.

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The CAMEO
By Virginia Teale

THIS STORY: Just as police and Stephens Smith prepare to meet Andy Yakov to exchange information about a valuable camera, there is a phone call for Chief Peters. From his conversation, Stephens fears that something has happened to Yakov.

CHARLIE REDDY slammed down the phone and looked up at Trotter standing in the doorway.

"Well," he spread both hands in an expression of defeat, "there goes our missing link. Yakov's in the hospital with a cracked head. May or may not live. They found him in the alley back of Bob's Place—that's the bar, you know. One of Bob's customers, full to the gills, went out back to get a little fresh air or something and found Yakov, lying on his face, blood on the back of his head, and a smashed half-gallon demijohn nearby. No fingerprints on it, of course."

"Nice!" Trotter commented quietly. "Yeah, you bet. Nice!" Reddy's mouth was a taut, pale line. He struck his right fist hard into the palm of his left hand. "The Chief's right! We're a bunch of yokels in Dolorosa! A bunch of Keystone Cops playing games while the citizenry is getting knocked off right and left!"

Trotter gave his attention to fitting his pipe into its battered leather pouch. "No use wasting time maligning ourselves," he declared. "Let's get downtown and learn the particulars. Somebody ought to be near Yakov constantly in case he becomes conscious and is able to talk."

"May I come, too?" Stephanie's face was worried and fearful. "I don't want to stay here alone!" Reddy nodded concernedly. "No, you can't stay here, that's a cinch. Tell you what—why don't you pack up your toothbrush and pa-

principal speaker Wednesday night. Col. D. Harold Byrd of Dallas, vice chairman of the board, again paid tribute to Texas CAP fliers who helped guard coastal waters during the war. Nine Texans were presented air medals Tuesday night.

Byrd said that air medals were being sent to others, including Jesse L. Pate, Jr., Amarillo.

Meeting Adjourned; All Go Deer Hunting

KERRVILLE, Texas — (AP) — Executive board members of the Civil Air Patrol ended their eighth annual meeting here Thursday with a brief session and then went deer hunting.

General Carl Spaatz, former head of the Air Force and now chairman of the CAP board, was

Crew of Two Die As Plane Crashes

ARDMORE, Okla. — (AP) — An Air Force fighter plane crashed and killed its two crew members 12 miles east of here Thursday. Officials from Bergstrom Air Force Base identified the dead as:

Capt. Harold M. Sawyer, 27, Lincoln, Neb., pilot.

Sgt. Conrad Liebbeck, 46, Orchard, Neb., mechanic.

Bergstrom officials said the plane was from that base and crashed on its way back from Lincoln, Neb.

Rain and snow had been reported in the flight area.

Legal Publications

NOTICE TO BIDDERS—Contract No. 5488

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Pampa, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Pampa, Texas, until 10 o'clock a. m., December 15, 1949, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence, and labor for completing the following work:

Division I: Pump House Structure, pipeline, equipment and miscellaneous work.

Division II: Moving 20,000 Barrel Steel Tank.

Bidders must submit cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bidder's Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of C. A. Huff, Mayor, in an amount not less than five (5 percent) percent of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the form provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.

The successful Bidder must furnish performance bond in the amount of 100 percent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the OWNER.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities in case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids. The Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the Unreasonable (or "Unbalanced") unit prices will authorize the OWNER to reject any bid.

The Bidder's attention is also called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the specifications and that compliance must be insured with House Bill No. 54 of the 44th Legislature and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and also all Federal Wage and Hours Legislation applicable.

Instructions to Bidders, proposal forms, specifications, and plans are on file at the office of the City Secretary at Pampa, Texas.

Copies may be secured from Roberts & Merriman Consulting Engineers, 218 N. Russell, Pampa, Texas, or 1310 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas, upon deposit of \$25 each which deposit will be returned to the Bidder on submission of a bona fide bid on the work, with such Plans and Specifications upon returning the Plans and Specifications immediately after examination of same, and advising the ENGINEER that bid will not be submitted; otherwise, the deposit shall be forfeited. No obligation is assumed to return deposits under other conditions.

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Q and A

Q—Where is the geographic center of the United States?
A—The geographic center of the United States is Smith County, Kansas.

Q—What is unique about the Australian koala?
A—The koala never drinks, obtaining enough moisture from the young eucalyptus leaves on which it lives.

Q—How much wood is used for fuel?
A—It is estimated that 63,000,000 cords of wood are annually used for fuel—about one-eighth of all the wood used in the United States.

Q—Where is the oldest city in the United States still operating under its original charter?
A—Albany, the capital of the state of New York.

Q—Where is the "Mother Lode" region of the United States?
A—The Mother Lode region, the principal site of the 1849 gold rush, is in the western foothills of the Sierra Nevada in California.

Q—What is the oldest house of worship in the country?
A—Old Ship Church, located in Hingham, Mass., is said to be the oldest church structure in continuous use in the United States. The frame and walls stand as erected in 1681 by shipbuilders.

Q—Who was Nicholas Break-

spare?
A—He was the only Englishman ever to become Pope, taking the name of Adrian IV.

Q—How do bats sleep?
A—When they sleep or rest, these odd creatures hang head downward, holding to their perch by means of the claws of their hind feet.

Q—What was the first American newspaper to be regularly issued?
A—The Boston News-Letter, founded by John Campbell, April 24, 1704, was the first American newspaper to be regularly issued.

Q—When was the Hall of Fame for Great Americans established?
A—The Hall of Fame for Great Americans, established in 1900 on the campus of New York University, is an open-air colonnade containing busts of 75 of the 77 persons so far honored for national achievements.

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Sex Crime Laws Eyed

AUSTIN — (AP) — Possibility that the special session of the Legislature may consider tightening sex crime laws is growing.

Gov. Allan Shivers said that "something ought to be done" about the wave of sex crimes. He said that while he does not now contemplate submission of a bill on the topic, he might do so if the special session makes fast progress on the purpose for which it will be called: consideration of state hospitals and related matters.

Shivers indicated the special session will not be called until very near the end of January.

Grand Lodge Installs Officers for New Year

WACO — (AP) — Installation of officers today winds up the 114th communication of the Grand Lodge of Texas Masons.

Albert J. Delange of Houston last night was elected grand master; W. J. Burris of McAllen was named deputy grand master; Henry M. Bell of Tyler grand senior warden and Gibb Gilchrist of College Station grand junior warden.

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One Texas City Tripled in Size Overnight—Annexation

By TIM PARKER

Probably only one Texas city can claim to have tripled in size overnight.

That city is San Angelo in West Texas. San Angelo tripled its area — though not its population — in an annexation last Sept. 29.

Annexations, important to any population survey, have helped many Texas cities boost their population claims quickly.

San Angelo grew from eight square miles to about 28, but boosted its population only about a third. Nevertheless, the West Texas wool center now expects a 1950 federal census count of 55,000, up from 25,802 in 1940, or more than double.

Before annexation, San Angelo's population was estimated at 40,000 which alone was a sizeable gain over 1940. Annexation brought in about 15,000 people.

Cities in whose growth annexation was a factor include: Austin — The state capital grew from 53,000 in 1940 to 87,500 in 1949. City officials believe the 1950 census will show 150,000 residents. Austin has added about seven square miles to its area since 1940 by taking in subdivisions.

Beaumont — This coastal city has about doubled its size since 1940, when it was listed as 59,061. Estimates include: Mayor Otto Plummer, 125,000; Chamber of Commerce, 110,000; Postmaster F. S. Braden, 95,000 to 100,000. About 20,000 persons were brought into the city by annexation of 20 square miles in 1946, doubling the city's area. The annexation was bitterly opposed by some of the residents of the annexed area. It was by City Commission action. A growth of diversified industries boosted Beaumont's population.

Big Spring — Early this year Big Spring annexed 33 of a square mile with about 500 people. City estimates present population at 18,500 compared with 12,404 in 1940.

Bryan — Using water taps as a basis, City Manager Mills P. Walker estimated Bryan's population at 21,579, almost double the 1940 figure of 11,842. Bryan has annexed several areas, but the population growth in them has been greater since than before annexation.

Corpus Christi — Corpus Christi added 1,300 persons by annexing the State Orphans Home and the IOOF Home and 7,500 more by taking in and area called Zion's Rest. But there was considerable growth within the city limits from the 1940 figure of 15,282. With the annexation Mayor Hubert T. Braselton estimates the population at 26,000.

Galveston — An island city which has managed to expand its area. Extension of Seawall 5 1/2 miles west at cost of \$5,000,000 is planned. Area in east end has been filled in to allow a small new district for development. Chamber of Commerce estimates population at 79,900, up from 60,962 in 1940.

Kingville — Annexations this year have expanded city area from 1.7 square miles to 3.5. Chamber of Commerce estimates population is 18,000, up from 7,782 in 1940.

Lubbock — Has doubled its area since 1940 by annexations which have added about 15,000 to total population. Chamber of Commerce and City Commission estimate population at 66,000 in city limits compared with 31,853 in 1940. Further annexations soon expected to add 10,000 to 15,000 residents.

Waco — City Water Department estimates population at 95,845, compared with 55,982 in 1940. Twelve square miles annexed since 1940 but no estimate of population in annexed areas available. Population estimate based on water meters.

McAllen — Population almost doubled since 1940 figure of 11,877. Based on utility connections and scholastic enrollment, city now estimates population at

tend city services. Chamber of Commerce estimated the population at 17,500, compared with 9,567 in 1940, and says greater Lufkin has more than 21,000 residents.

Paris — annexed 140,550 square feet in 1949 over heated opposition of some residents of the built-up areas. But growth from 18,878 in 1940 to estimated 25,500 not principally a result of annexation. The 1949 population was estimated by the Chamber of Commerce.

Pecos — took in three square miles since 1947, bringing total area to about five and a half square miles, and adding about 1,200 persons. City Secretary Bob Davis estimates present population at 9,831 persons compared with 4,852 in 1940.

Port Arthur — annexed one square mile and 6,000 people in 1948, one and a half square miles and 5,000 people in October, and may annex an area with 10,000 more residents before the census is taken. Listed at 40,140 in 1940, the Gulf city's population is estimated by Mayor James W. Long at about 50,000. Widescale waterworks and sewer improvements will be necessary to care for the new areas.

Texarkana — City Council of the Texas side of this border city recently won voters' approval to annex by city ordinance and promptly used the new authority in three sweeping annexations in 1949. Texarkana, Ark., has not annexed to such a degree. Texarkana, Texas, with a 1940 population of 17,019, is now estimated by Mayor Bruce Cunningham at 30,800. The two-city area, counted at 28,840 in 1940, is now estimated by the Chamber of Commerce at 51,400.

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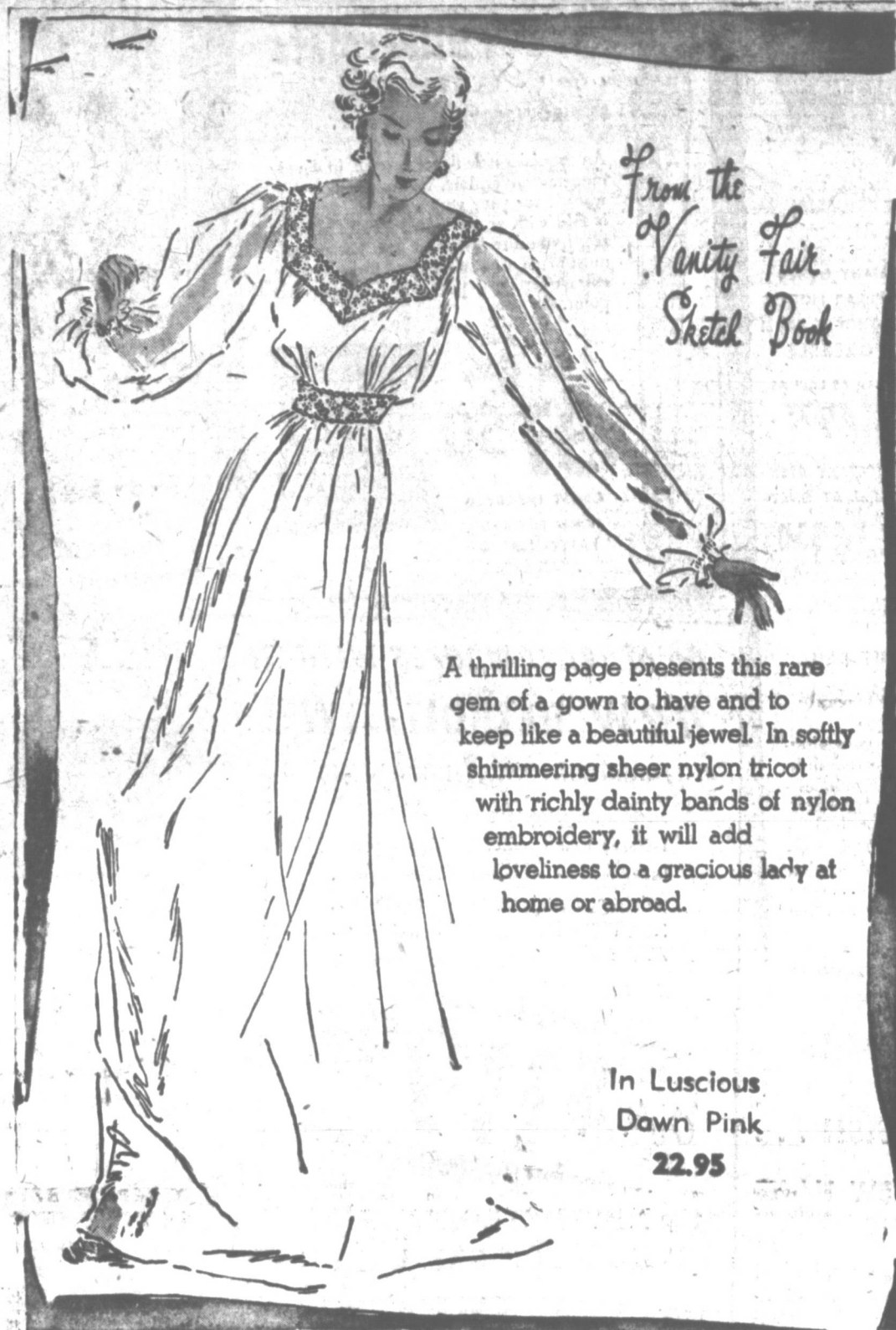
SHAMROCK — (Special) — A number of speech students of Mrs. Everett Smith were among 500 who gathered at Canyon Saturday for the annual speech festival.

Local students taking part were: Sandra Burden, who was rated superior; Johnnet Hood, superior; Dewayne Beatty, perfect; and Paul Roper who had an excellent rating on a radio sketch, "Our Home Town."

ALL AROUND GRIDDER

NEWARK, Del. — (AP) — Jack Gallagher, Delaware's crack defensive end, has played every position in football except quarterback and center. With the Hens, Gallagher has played guard, fullback and end. In high school he played halfback and tackle.

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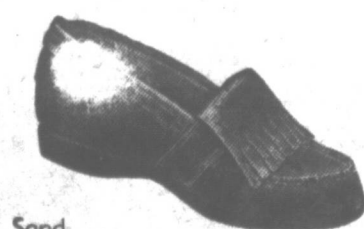


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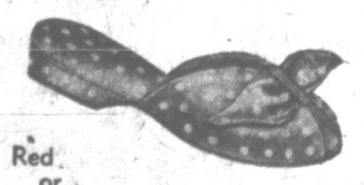
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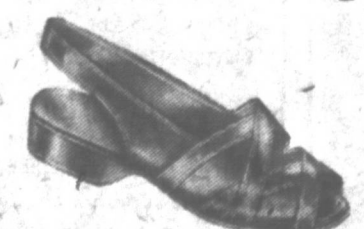
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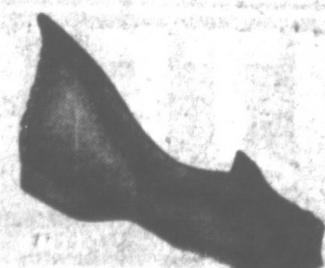
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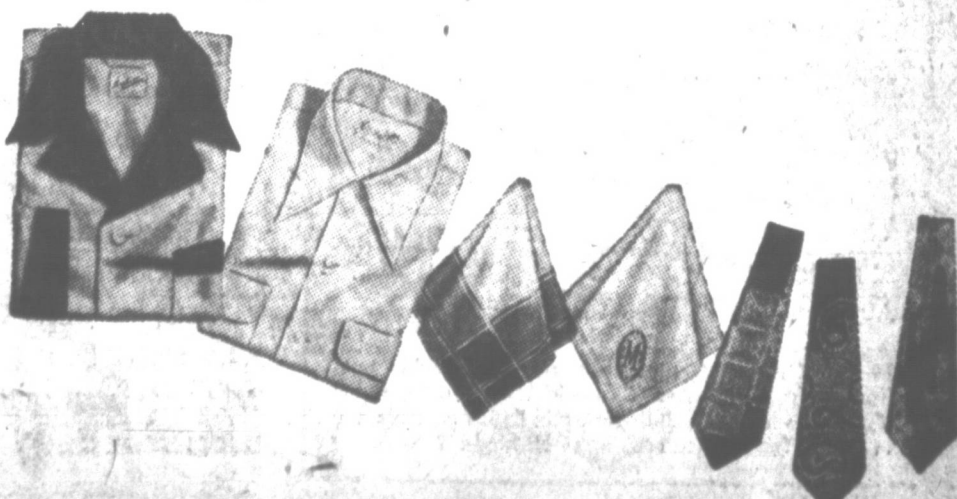
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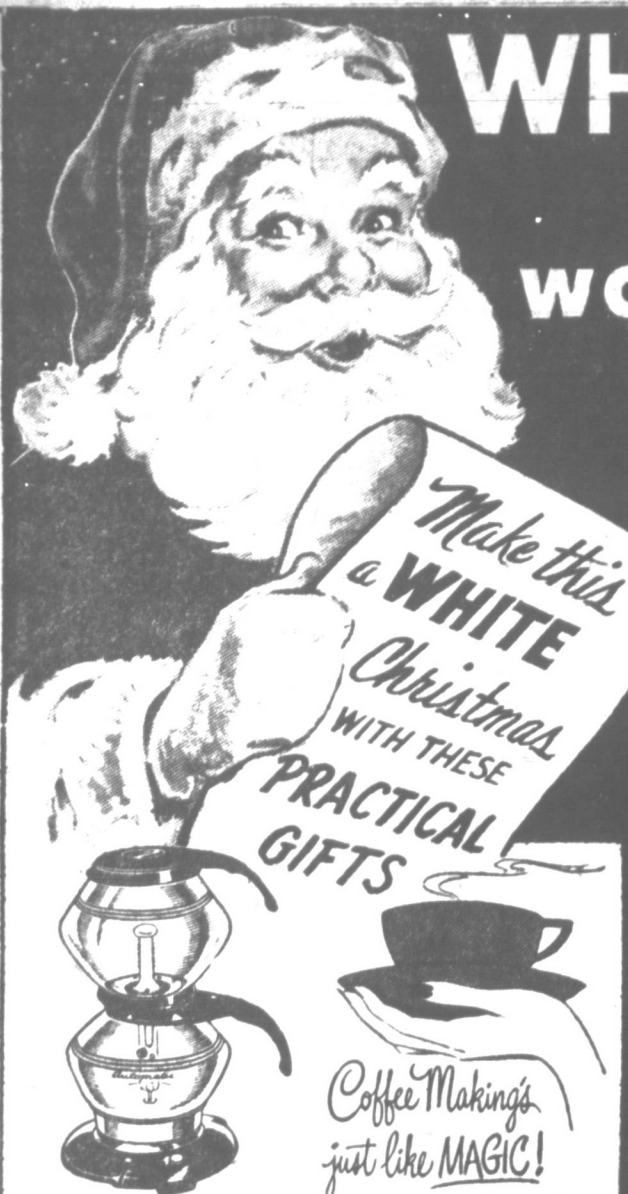
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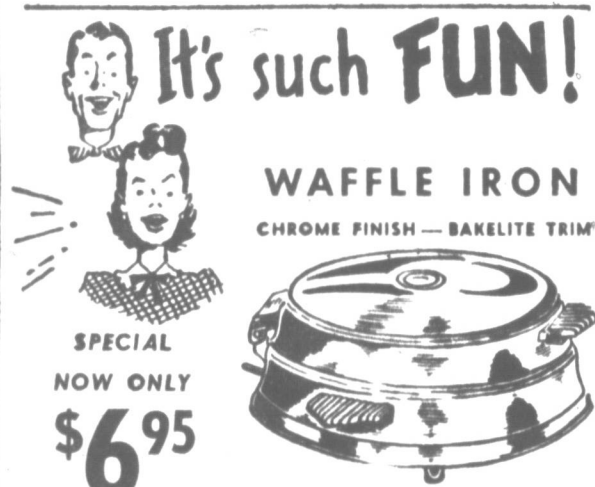
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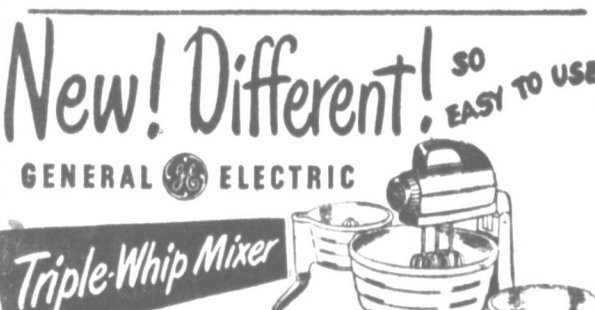
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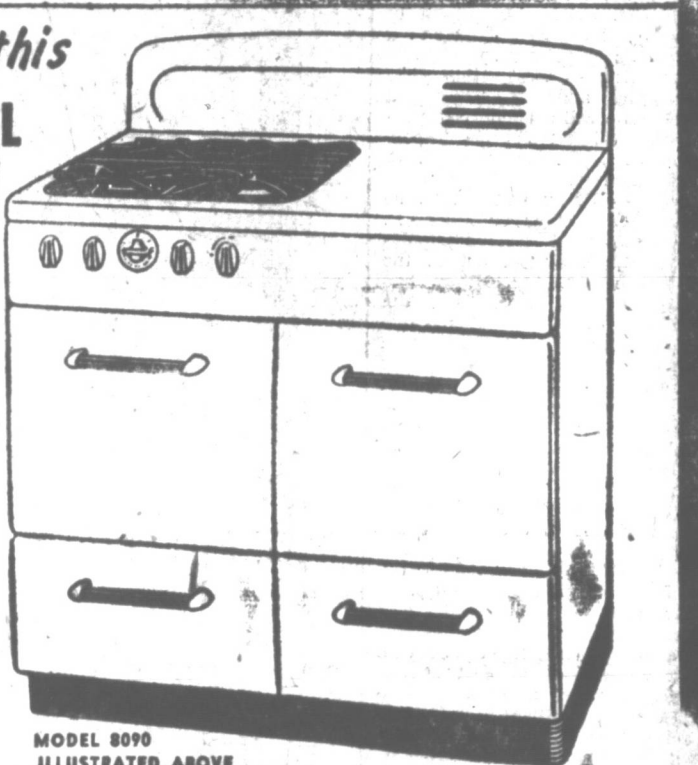
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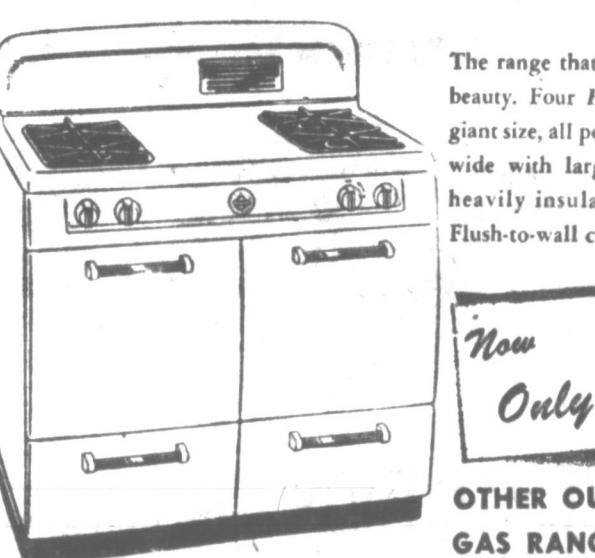
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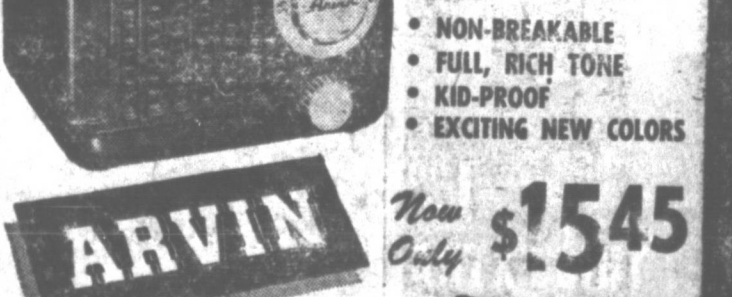
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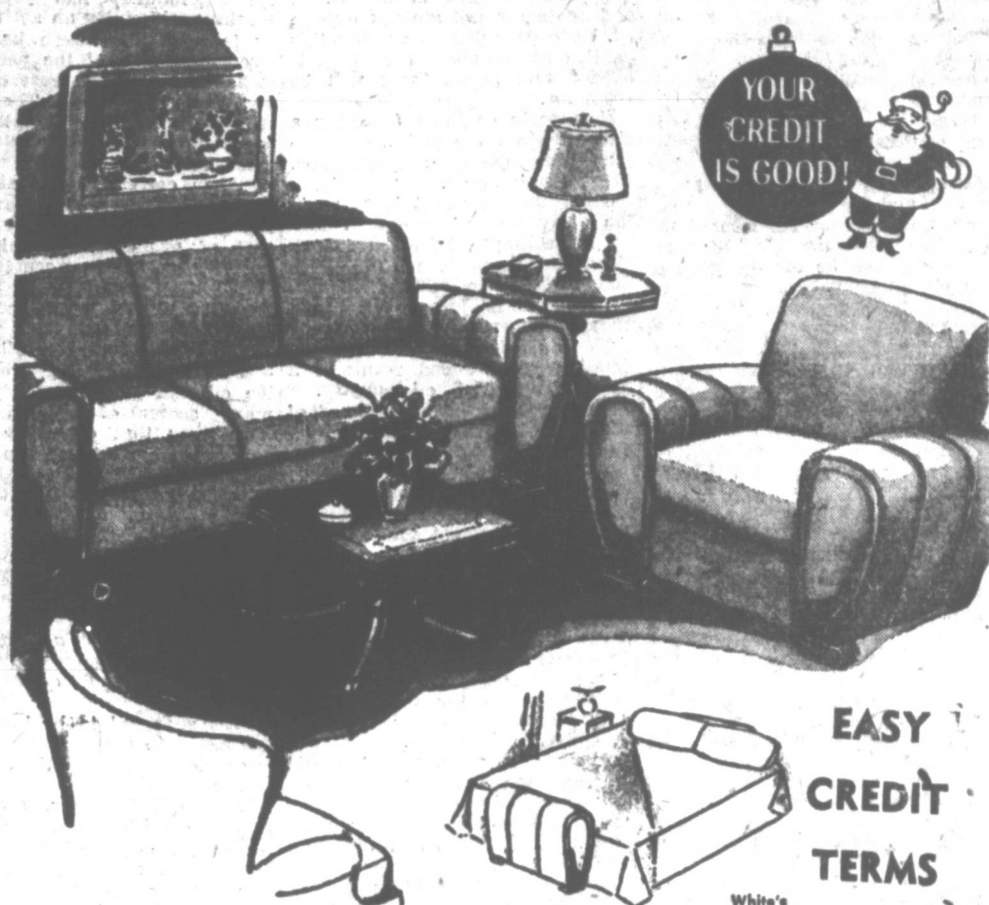


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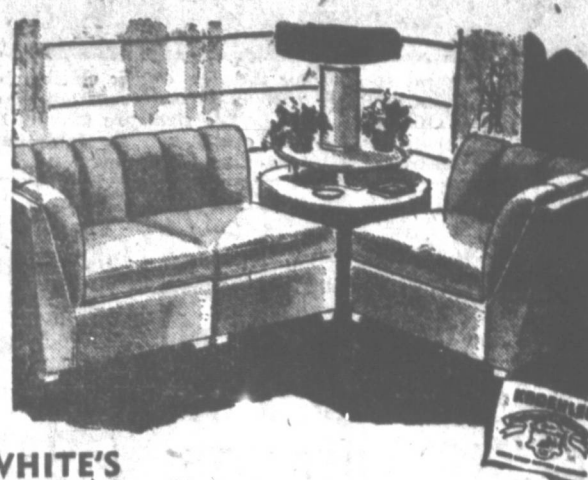
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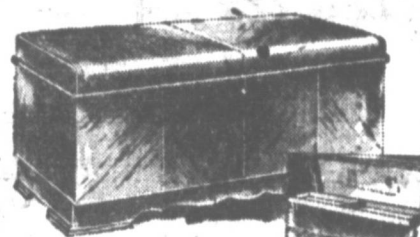


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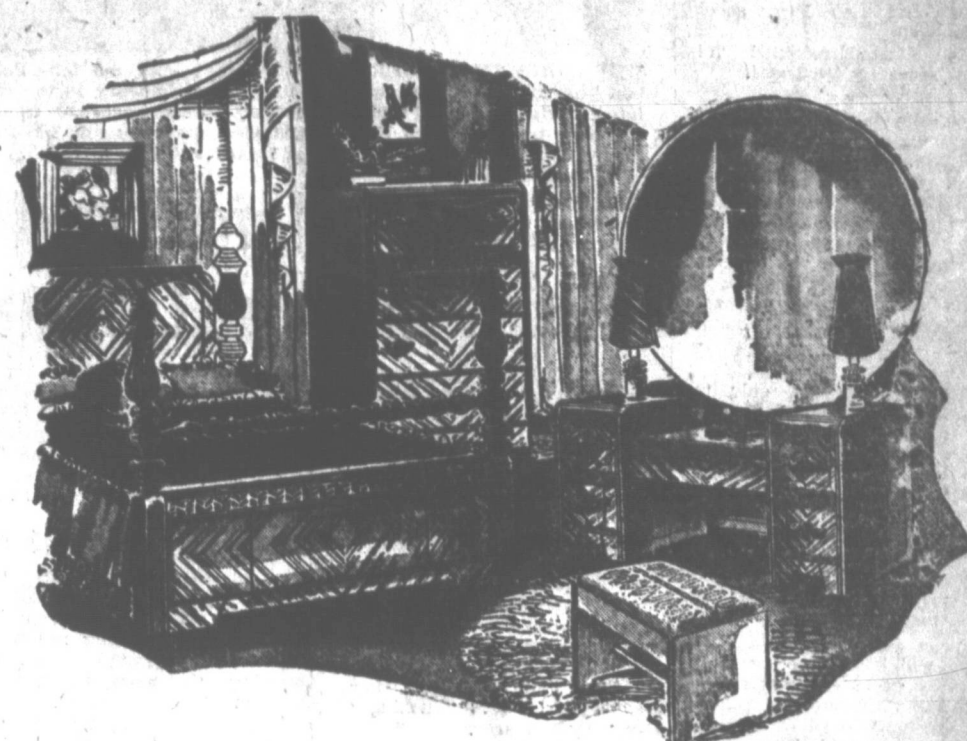
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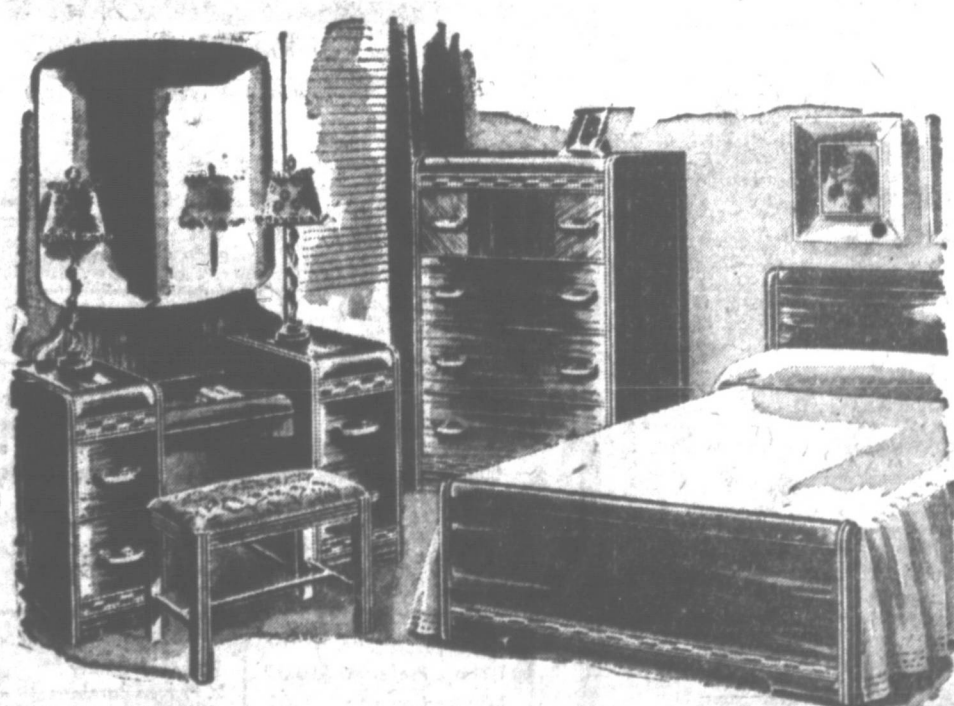
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THE DRILLER'S LOG

By BUD ANDERSON

From all indications, the banquet given last Tuesday night by the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum Institute was a big success. Remarks made following the session backed this up and the way most of the men seemed to be enjoying themselves made it more apparent.

Congratulations are then in order to the planning committees and those others responsible for the meeting's general success.

Max Harbison, of course, was elected chairman of the association for 1950 by a democratic process. In due order, Fred Neale was named first vice chairman and Leo Fry, second vice chairman.

Clayton Husted retained his post as secretary-treasurer.

One of the big items contributing to the overall success of the banquet was the large attendance. In the face of other banquets and affairs vying for attention, the API gathered around 250 men—not far from 300 into the Bunavista cafeteria. The greatest percentage of those in attendance had to drive from Pampa and Amarillo and points outside Borger.

Concerning speakers, only two were officially scheduled plus one other to introduce the speakers. These were Lawrence Hagy, Wes Izzard as speakers and Jerry Knight who introduced them.

However, an impromptu welcoming address was made by Bob Lindsey, a Borger businessman. Needless to remind those present, this welcome added a great deal to the meeting.

Three will be a meeting of the new API officers early this week. The primary function will be to select the new board of directors for the coming year. These board members will be duly recognized in next Sunday's oil sheet.

From all reports there is another Basin wildcat due to be plugged. It is Gulf's Porter, the deepest test in the basin.

Verbal approval has been given to plug the Lipscomb County test located in Sec. 413, Blk. 43, H&C Survey.

The hole is tight and no information is available as to actual depth. It is somewhere near 14,300 feet, however. Reports last week had operators attempting to free a stuck packer.

This will be the fifth wildcat plugged by Gulf in the Anadarko Basin.

The company has plugged its Collard and Gametstetter in Hansford County, the Stump and Harbaugh in Ochiltree County and now the Porter in Lipscomb.

Speaking of the Harbaugh, there are reports The Texas Co. is not completely satisfied with the amount of tests run on the Harbaugh. The company had bottom-hole money in the well and may have asked for additional tests.

However, reports from the Harbaugh indicate operators are tearing down derrick and moving out.

Not to be denied, Gulf officials have intimated the company will try again in the Basin.

Although no plans have been revealed to the extent of naming any location or even the county for the stake, there are indications it will be south and east of the general area in which their other wells have been drilled.

This would mean, possibly, a location in Roberts County.

The company is watching Sinclair tests closely and may wait until Sinclair's No. 3 and 4 Lips wells are completed.

A definite date has been set on the meeting for opening the oil-rich submerged coastal land.

The meeting has been scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, in the Herring Hotel, Amarillo.

This is the meeting which will settle all the ground work accomplished during the year into a working organization.

Rentals Are Maintained On Tidelands

NEW ORLEANS — (AP) — Oil companies with leases in the Louisiana tidelands must continue to pay rentals to the state while the title to the area is being settled, the State Supreme Court held late Friday.

The federal government has sought to prove its right to the oil-rich submerged coastal land.

An opinion by Associate Justice E. Howard McCall affirmed the dismissal of 15 suits by District Judge C. Caldwell Herget.

The companies had maintained there was an implied condition in the leases which suspended payment during litigation arising by the federal government's questioning of the title. The companies also continued the payment was not to become effective until the litigation had been successfully determined in favor of the state.

"We think that it would be an obvious fallacy to conclude that the parties to the leases contemplated that, should the state's title be attached, plaintiffs would be entitled to suspend any and all payments falling due for the period of the litigation," the supreme court said. "The obligation of the state was to deliver the thing and to cause the leases to be in peaceful possession during the continuance of the leases."



WHEN OILMEN GATHER—Lawrence Hagy—extreme left—Panhandle oilman and guest speaker for the API officer election banquet last Tuesday, reviews problems facing the oil industry in the coming year. Upper center, Ralph O'Neill—second from left—congratulates newly elected API chairman Max Harbison—second from right—as other new officers join in. Left to right are Clayton Husted, secretary-treasurer, Leo Fry, second vice chairman and Fred Neale, first vice chairman. Lower center—left to right—Lawrence Hagy, Bob Kay, Jerry Knight, Wes Izzard and Dan Gribbon. Extreme right—Wes Izzard, guest speaker for the banquet.

API Social Has Large Crowd As Harbison Named Chairman

Almost 300 API members and their guests turned out last Tuesday to elect Max Harbison chairman of the Panhandle chapter and to hear addresses by Wes Izzard, managing editor of the Amarillo Globe-News and Lawrence Hagy, Panhandle oilman.

Elected with Harbison, assistant division superintendent for Lawrence, were Fred Neale, pool engineer for West Pampa Representing Association who will be first vice chairman; Leo Fry, Stanolind engineer, second vice chairman and Clayton Husted, partner in Jeffries Trucking Co., secretary-treasurer.

These four men were voted unanimously to head the association following their nomination by Dallas Bowsher, chairman of the nomination committee. Other members of the committee were Dan Gribbon, district superintendent for The Texas Co. and Husted.

Ralph O'Neill, assistant district superintendent for Phillips Petroleum Co., is the outgoing chairman.

According to Izzard, many of the differences that have arisen between the United States and Russia could be ironed out if contact could be made with the Russian people.

"Bypass the Kremlin," he said, "and we can solve most of our problems. The average Russian is a product of propaganda," Izzard observed.

"There is little difference between the people of the two nations."

"Place a Russian soldier in a G. I. uniform and few people would ever know the difference," he said.

Izzard made these remarks in recounting previous incidents—his tour of Europe he and Hagy made the past summer.

Hagy's remarks centered about various problems facing the U. S. in this tax allowance.

Panhandle Oil Potentials Rise as 18 Wells Completed

Panhandle drilling activity took a healthy hop last week as operators completed 18 oil wells for a total increased potential of 1,316 barrels, a per-well average of 73.44.

This more than doubles increased production the preceding week when only nine wells were completed for 591 barrels and a per-well average of 65.6.

New gas completions dropped slightly from 14 for the week ended Dec. 3 to an even 10 for the past week. Increased potential last week was 17,930 MCF compared to 100,003 MCF for the preceding week.

The Railroad Commission reported 15 new locations staked in the area and one well plugged.

COMPLETIONS
Carson County

Bell O&G Burnett No. 6, 990 feet from E and 1650 feet from S lines, Sec. 116, Blk. 4, I&GN, tested 96 bbls. with pay from 3,008 to 3,220 feet.

Kewanee Vida No. 2, 334 feet from N and 331 feet from W lines, Sec. 118, Blk. 4, I&GN, tested 101 bbls. with pay from 2,980 to 3,138 feet.

Gray County

Gulf J. M. Saunders Tr. "B", No. 15, 990 feet from N and W lines, Sec. 40, Blk. 3, I&GN, tested 132 bbls. with pay from 3,025 to 3,200 feet.

Herrmann Bros. and Ruel Smith Morse No. 2, 330 feet from E and 990 feet from N lines, Sec. 4, Blk. 2, H&GN, tested 61 bbls. with pay from 2,387 to 2,461 feet.

Herrmann Bros. Worley No. 2, 330 feet from N and E lines, Sec. 37, Blk. 3, I&GN, tested 20 bbls. with pay from 2,707 to 2,730 feet.

Kewanee Morse No. 7, 330 feet from S and 990 feet from W lines, Sec. 18, Blk. A-9, H&GN, tested 80 bbls. with pay from 2,435 to 2,515 feet.

Texasco Saunders NCT-3 No. 1, 1671 feet from W and 330 feet from S lines, Sec. 1, Blk. 1, G. Eustice Survey, tested 116 bbls. with pay from 2,690 to 2,777 feet.

Cities Service George No. 8, 330 feet from W and N lines, Sec. 151, Blk. 3, I&GN, tested

112 bbls. with pay from 3,159 to 3,275 feet.

Sinclair O&G W. W. Merten "B" No. 4, 330 feet from E and 990 feet from S, Sec. 81, Blk. 3, I&GN, tested 100 bbls. with pay from 3,243 to 3,314 feet.

Texasco Gething No. 9, 990 feet from N and W, Sec. 13, Blk. A-9, H&GN, tested 121 bbls. with pay from 2,670 to 2,757 feet.

Hutchinson County

Huber Henderson No. 9, 990 feet from N and E lines, Sec. 1, Blk. HC, H&OB, tested 31 bbls. with pay from 3,231 to 3,254 feet.

Selliger Weatherly No. 2-A, 1262 feet from N and 330 feet from W lines, Sec. 18, Blk. Y, M&C, tested 42 bbls. with pay from 3,134 to 3,250 feet.

Adams, Jr. Thompson No. 3, 915 feet from S and 330 feet from W lines, Sec. 4, Blk. M-23, tested 80 bbls. with pay from 3,012 to 3,079 feet.

Adams, Jr. Erley No. 1, 330 feet from N and W lines, Sec. 15, Blk. M-23, TCR, tested 68 bbls. with pay from 2,920 to 3,055 feet.

Conoco Carver No. 9, 926 feet from S and 1,040 feet from E lines, Sec. 15, Blk. X09, H&OB, tested 24 bbls. with pay from 3,085 to 3,169 feet.

Holt Bros. Whittenburg No. 6, 330 feet from S and 990 feet from W lines, Sec. 15, Blk. X02, H&OB, tested 24 bbls. with pay from 3,105 to 3,185 feet.

Budco Pomona-Walker No. 2, 990 feet from N and 330 feet from E lines, Sec. 44, Blk. 24, H&GN, tested 68 bbls. with pay from 2,409 to 2,593 feet.



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Brown Sees Additional Cuts If Import Trends Continue

The expected increase in imports of foreign crude oil and refined products into the U. S. next year will result in further cutbacks in domestic production, the Wall Street Journal quoted Russell B. Brown, general counsel of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, as saying.

According to forecasts made by the importing companies, Mr. Brown said, total petroleum imports can be expected to run at the rate of 850,000 barrels daily in 1950. This would compare, he said, with the current level of "a little better than 600,000 barrels a day."

The higher expected imports next year, said Mr. Brown, who has spearheaded the IPAA's campaign against bringing foreign oil to this country, will more than offset the predicted increase in domestic demand for petroleum in the early part of 1950. "This definitely indicates," he added, "domestic production of oil will have to be lower to prevent waste."

Producers in several mid-continental states have indicated to him, Mr. Brown stated, their drilling budgets for next year definitely will be "cut." Exploration in 1950, he noted, will be "budgeted on a basis of how much oil producers expect to sell."

In a swing through Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana and north-east Texas, Mr. Brown said he found producers more and more concerned over a possible reduction in the general crude oil price structure because of oil imports. Cutbacks in allowable oil production ordered this year by state regulatory bodies, he indicated, have been successful in maintaining firm prices. Lower production, he added, has meant deferred payments of bank loans would not allow this to go on indefinitely. Lower domestic prices, he noted, probably would increase volume of oil sold.

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Congress Plans to Battle U.S. Petroleum Industry

Imports and Taxes Hit Oilmen's Weakest Spot

By BUD ANDERSON
News Oil Editor

The nation's oilmen are in a bad spot today. Behind the proverbial eight-ball, so to speak.

The war, begun eight years ago last week, is over now and the service given by the oil industry is beginning to be forgotten.

Inter-continental trade routes are open once more and a deficit-spending Congress is looking for new fields of revenue.

Open seas and renewed diplomatic relationships have encouraged vast drilling operations in foreign fields with the result being the number of tankers coming into U. S. ports is increasing daily.

Also larger and faster oil tankers are being planned and built. This brings up one headache for the oilman—imports.

Another problem of vast importance to oilmen everywhere is that of taxation.

The Treasury Department has taken a deep breath, planned new tactics and is preparing to fight tooth and nail for revision of the depletion allowance. And this revision will not be for the good of the oil industry.

Concerning imports, the daily average shipped into the U. S. daily was slightly over 400,000 barrels in January, 1949. By January, 1950, or shortly thereafter, importers are promising average daily imports to reach 600,000 barrels and in the not-too-distant future to reach a million barrels daily.

This import problem and the resulting reduced allowances may soon be brought into sharp focus for the Panhandle oil industry. And the time involved will not be a matter of months.

There are strong indications that the maximum allowable for Panhandle wells on 20-acre spacing may soon be reduced from 60 barrels daily to 40 barrels.

Some are advocating a five percent maximum. That is, importers can bring in only five percent of the total amount demanded for use in the country. The other 95 percent would be supplied by domestic producers.

Another plan forwarded would increase the tax per barrel on imported oil from 10.5 cents to an even \$1. This would make imported oil more costly and therefore less lucrative.

Oilmen will be fighting for one or both of these plans when the

81st Congress reconvenes in January.

But oilmen will be fighting on another front when Congress goes back into session. The import question is but half the headache. Taxes is the other. And it is every bit as serious as the import threat.

This is the problem as summed up by Joseph Huttlinger, authority on oil and gas legislation. "Formation of an oil and gas industry committee on general depletion taxes to fight a proposed multi-million dollar grab by the Treasury on the oil man's tax dollar is in the works."

"It will take time, and nothing will be announced yet, but the search is actively on for a man to head the committee."

"Virtually since the income tax became law, during World War I, the oil industry has enjoyed a special position. By an act in 1918, its income taxes were based on discovery value of the petroleum rather than on the cost of finding that specific oil. The sound reason for this was to allow for losses in drilling dry holes and other hazards."

"When certain abuses and confusions crept in, the law was changed in 1926 to specify that a part of gross income might be tax exempt. This percentage now is 27.5. The purpose was to give incentive to daring prospectors to go out and find oil."

"Under this depletion allowance—heart of the drilling program—the oil industry has enjoyed many more scores of million dollars each year than otherwise would go to the government in taxes. Without it, drilling would fall off, and the government lose the revenue anyway."

"For years the Treasury Department has wanted to eliminate or lower the depletion allowance. Recent drives to give the allowance to other minerals only added fire to Treasury's stand. Two months ago, Congress ordered a review of the whole question next year."

"It's supposed to be hush-hush, but here are the names of Treasury officials handling the tax grab study."

"Lazlo Ecker-Rand, acting director, tax advisory staff; Vance N. Kirby, office of the general counsel; F. Nevell Campbell, excise tax consultant; Douglas Eldridge and Robert E. Siltor, business consultants."

"Not since before the war has there been a determined assault upon the depletion allowance. And not since the close of the war has any subject excited so much attention in Washington as the impending battle of the depletion tax raid."

As one tax consultant close to the oil industry in Pampa observed last week, reducing or rescinding the allowance would "... cut the heart out of the oil business."

Lowered Allowables Bring Drop in Texas Production

AUSTIN — (AP) — Texas oil production, curtailed by railroad commission order this month, dropped to an average calendar day allowable of 2,134,321 barrels.

There were 107 dry holes. Wildcat drilling produced 10 oil wells, 3 gasers, and 60 dry holes.

One gas well, 44 oil wells and 109 dry wells were plugged.

This was a decrease of 66,963 barrels from last Saturday a week ago. The allowable reflects the effect of the cutback for the first full week in December.

The permissible flow is approximately 688,000 barrels below that of December a year ago when a peak of some 2,720,000 barrels a day was reached.

Successive cutbacks for the first eight months of this year reduced the allowable to 1,871,938 for July and August.

Three consecutive increases then sent the daily average up to 2,335,063 for the week ending Nov. 26. Professing fear of cluttering the market, the commission ordered smaller production for December.

The commission reported completion of 195 oil wells last week, sending the year's total to 8,379 compared with 7,420 a year ago. Gas well completions, which have lagged behind the 1948 mark most of this year, finally caught up with year-ago figures. Seventeen gas wells were brought

Wildcat Reports

Childress County

Stanolind No. 1, Steve Owens, Sec. 87, Blk. 1, SPRR Survey, drilling in shale and sandy lime at 3,988 feet.

Hansford County

Phillips No. 1 Dix, Sec. 4, Blk. 3, GH&H Survey, drilling below 3,215 feet.

Lipscomb County

Gulf No. 1 Porter, Sec. 413, Blk. 43, H&C Survey, application filed to plug from below 14,280 feet.

Ochiltree County

Gulf No. 1 Harbaugh, Sec. 142, Blk. 13, T&NO Survey, operators tearing down derrick preparing to plug.

Gulf No. 1 Wamble, J. J. B. Lentine Survey, 7 inch casing run and set with 500 sacks of cement, operators waiting on cement to set.

Texasco McGarrough No. 1, Sec. 136, Blk. 6, I&GN Survey, drilling below 5,500 feet.

Roberts County

Sinclair No. 3-C Lips, Sec. 133, Blk. C, GM Survey, drilling below 9,940 feet.

Sinclair No. 4 Lips, Sec. 159, Blk. 13, TNO, drilling below 6,665 feet.

Four Oil Companies Ask Employee Classes

AUSTIN — Four major oil companies have requested a University of Texas Extension Division course to train employees.

After conducting a trial course in Colorado on treating oil field emulsions, Instructor Jack Wiggins has given it in Quitman, Texas, and Kilgore Junior College.

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Christmas Trees Are Plentiful in Pampa This Year

There will be no shortage of Christmas trees in Pampa this year, a survey yesterday indicated.

Prices, in general, are the same as last year's, but one dealer said his prices have gone up about 10 percent.

Chain grocers, who receive their supplies from their Amarillo or other Southwest warehouses, said their supply and prices are about the same as last year.

But one dealer, who supplies about a fourth of the Pampa market, said his prices are up about 10 percent.

He gets his trees from Montana, and "the tree that costs the retailer \$1.10 this year cost \$1 last year. And that same size tree cost only 50 cents before the war."

This year's increase is due largely to higher freight costs, he said.

One South Side dealer cuts his own trees in Northern New Mexico. He was not in the holiday tree business last year, but he said his prices are about the same as they were two years ago.

"We have all the trees we can sell," he said.

The bulk of the trees coming into Pampa are fir and spruce, with a few cedars.



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Committees For Livestock Show Named

Committees for the 1950 Top of Texas, Hereford Breeders Association and Junior Livestock shows and sales were named Friday at a luncheon meeting of the directors of the Hereford Breeders Association and Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Committee.

Ralph Thomas was named chairman of the Catalog Committee. Members of the committee are Buck Hines, H. E. Taylor, Jr., and Cliff Vincent.

The Advertising Committee is headed by E. O. Wedgeworth, who is assisted by W. W. Hampton and Ralph Jullard.

Barns and Grounds Committee is under the chairmanship of Irvin Cole. Serving under him are Bill Kinzer, Gus Carruth, Vic Joyner, Hampton and Hines.

Wayne Maddox will lead the Show Details Committee. Committee men include Farris G. Hess, Carruth and Vincent.

Ray Kuhn is chairman of the

GIRL SCOUT NOTES

By MRS. FRANK FATA Public Relations Chairman

TROOP 28

The investiture ceremony was held for members of Troop 28 this past week in the cafeteria of Horace Mann School on Faulkner. Each girl said her Brownie promise and gave the salute after which her pin was pinned on her.

The troop has been working on the project of coloring and staining a rose on a piece of material. After this past week's meeting.

Banquet and Program Committee, with W. C. Williams, H. H. Reeves and Arthur Rankin as assistants.

Halvey Neastiel and Rankin were elected clerks of the Hereford Breeders and Junior Livestock shows and sales, respectively. The shows will start Monday, Feb. 13, and the sales the following day. A banquet will be presented Monday night at the American Legion-VFW Hall.

Judges for the shows and sales have not yet been announced.

they took their work home to be framed.

Cookies and confections were served to the following: Becky Burrens, Marie Golden, Patricia Hawpe, Patricia Gabriel, Christine Lane, Ann Kennedy, Patsy Prichard, Royce Ann Shaffer, Martha Ann Duke, Robin Hood, Janice Flowers, Nancy Lee Bowen, Virginia Golden, Patricia McCullum, Martha Nolen, and Carmelita Hogen, Jr.

Leader of the troop is Mrs. R. K. Suggs and her assistants are Mrs. George McCullum and Mrs. R. W. Rogers.

TROOP 12

On Tuesday afternoon at their regular meeting members of Troop 12, under the leadership of Mrs. M. X. Beard, Jr., went to the Catholic Parish Hall and watched an instructor give square dance lessons.

Girls present were: Carol Arney, Kay Baker, Cynthia Beard, Carol Falkenstein, Kay Layne, Susanne Lemons, Kay McMurry, Judy Morris, Mary Pursley, Patsy Riggs, Susan Rogers, Sarah Weaver and Margaret Ann Williams. Assistant leaders are: Mrs. Ellis Lemons and Mrs. Curtis Billings.

60 CHINESE DIE HONG KONG—(AP)—More than 60 Chinese passengers lost their lives when the motor vessel Yu On broke in heavy seas.

Story of Christmas Will Be Depicted Both Vocally and Visually on Friday

The story of Christmas will be both vocally and visually depicted at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the City Park when the 1949 Nativity scenes are unveiled.

Approximately 250 members of church choirs, about 300 members of High School choruses, members of the Junior High School choruses and members of SPEBSQSA will join their voices in singing traditional Christmas carols.

Harley Bulls, music director of the First Methodist Church, will direct the chorus and Mrs. May Foreman Carr will serve as accompanist.

Churches and directors to be represented will include: First Baptist, R. Virgil Mott; First Methodist, Bulls; First Christian, Mrs. Faudie Gailman.

First Presbyterian, Mrs. H. A. Yoder; Central Baptist, Raymond White; Holy Souls Catholic, Sister Corbinian; Church of the Brethren, W. C. Colson; Assembly of God, Arthur Rhode; Saint Henshaw.

Matthews Episcopal, Mrs. Edgar McCullough Methodist, First Church of Christ Scientist, Har-

rah Methodist, Church of Christ, Church of the Nazarene and Calvary Baptist.

Others will be local chapters of SPEBSQSA, Sunny Shultz; Measiah Chorus, F. W. Ferns; High School A Cappella Choir, Kenneth Baumgardner; and Junior High choruses, Miss Eloise Lane.

The only rehearsal will be held at 4 p.m. today at the First Methodist Church. At that time final instructions will be given.

The Rev. Russell G. West, pastor of the Church of the Brethren, will preside over the program and present the invocation.

COTTON CONGRESS HILLSBORO—(AP)—The time and place of the 1950 Cotton Congress will be set at a preliminary meeting in Dallas Dec. 12. Burris C. Jackson of Hillsboro, head of the congress, announced.

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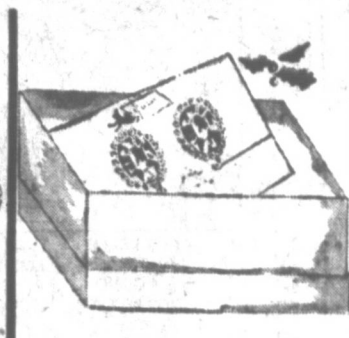
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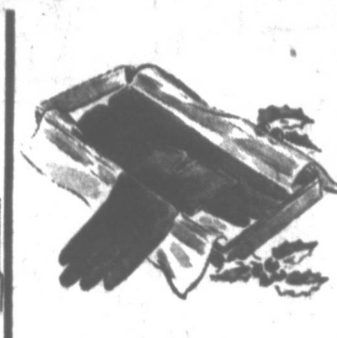
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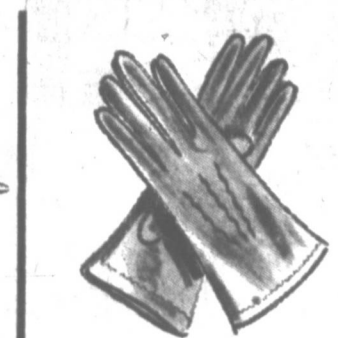
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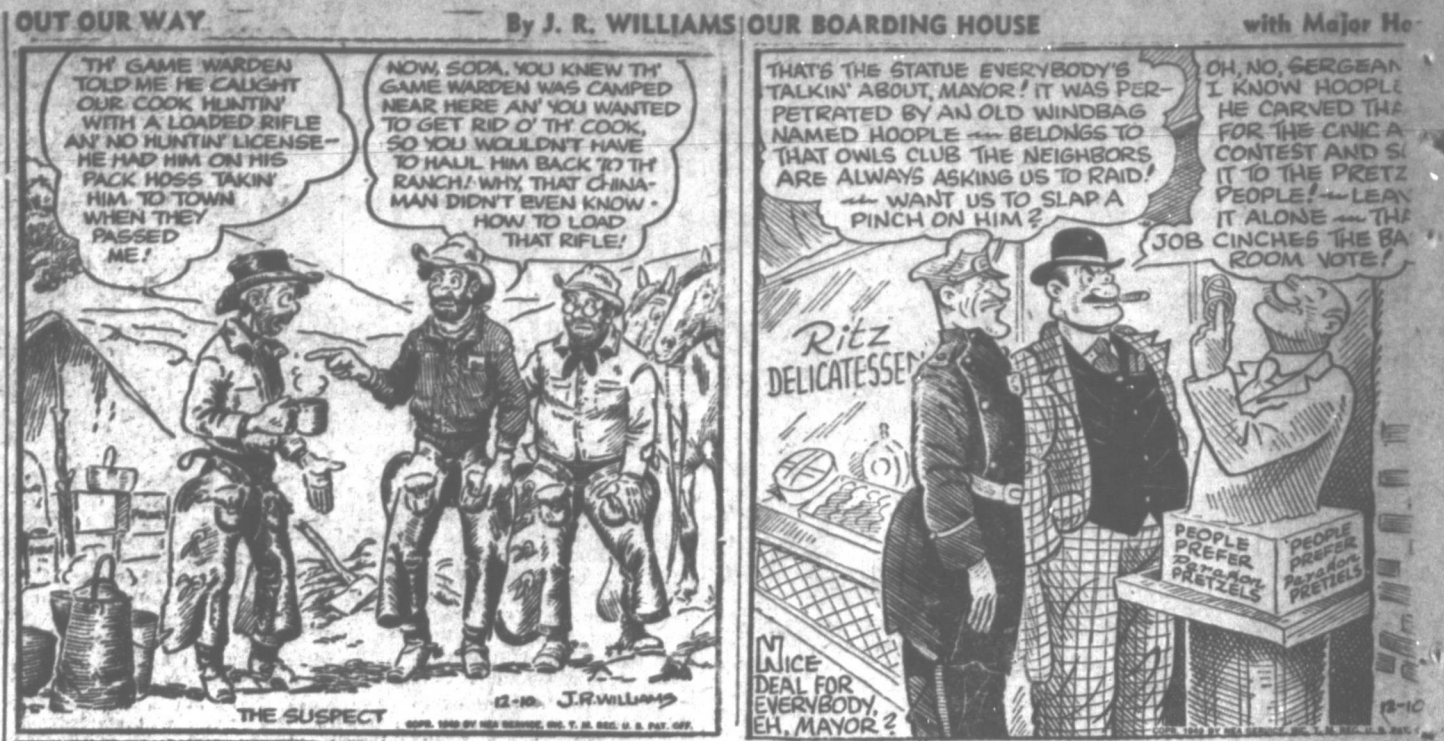
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So Hel-l-lp Us... It's All Very True, According to National Safety Council

By PAUL JONES
National Safety Council
Director of Public Information

So little Alice thought things were wacky in Wonderland! She should have stuck around and seen what the National Safety Council dug up in 1949 in its annual roundup of odd accidents.

Did Alice's daffy dreamland have hitch-hiking deer, gun-toting bluebirds, boxing baboons, jumping jinnies, four-wheeled pickpockets, firebug cookies and exploding pants?

Give up, Alice? Want proof? Look —

Every ballplayer dreams of the

day he's as hot as a firecracker. But few attain it as literally as outfielder Norman Lawrence of an East Oakland, Calif., sandlot team. Thirteen-year-old Norman claimed a fly ball so vigorously that the friction of his pants ignited some matches in his pocket. The matches touched off a pocketful of firecrackers Norm had been hoarding. Now, a lot of players would have blown up along with the firecrackers. But not Norm. He banged his way spectacularly across the outfield and caught the fly — to the thunderous cheers of his amazed and delighted teammates.

In the same anatomical category in the fascinating case of Ivan Harrell of Yreka, Calif., who gave not a hoot but a hotseat to, of all people, himself. Mr. Harrell was working in a field with a sodium chlorate weed killer that impregnated his trousers. He highly inflammable chemical was touched off by friction when Mr. Harrell rammed his hand into his pocket, and his pants exploded.

Every pedestrian who has lost to a motorist will admire and applaud the behavior of a hitch-hiker deer up in Connecticut. The deer stepped into the road to hoof a ride with Clark Pounell, of Unionville. Startled a bit, Mr. Pounell swerved his motorcycle, and the next thing he knew the deer was seated, but clumsily, on the handlebars. Now this of course, just couldn't last, and a minute later Mr. Pounell, his motorcycle and the deer were sprawled along the roadside. The deer picked himself up, glared balefully at Mr. Pounell and, with quiet dignity, walked over and kicked him in the seat of the pants.

Statistics show that very few cars skid on icy streets in New York City in midsummer. But that's what happened on the hottest day of the year in 1949. A taxicab driven by Arthur Irise crashed into another taxi. Irise explained to police that his cab had skidded on ice that had fallen from a truck. He was advised to put on chains.

Probably the biggest flaccid upset of the year was the one-round encounter between Ricky Pelouquin and his father Ralph at Berlin, N. H. In this corner, wearing white dippers and still champion at the age of seven months, is Ricky. In this corner, wearing a black and blue temple and a sheepish look, is Pelouquin, Sr. The father, an ardent fight fan, was fastening a pair of tiny souvenir gloves on Ricky when one of the gloves fell to the floor. As Pelouquin stooped to pick it up, Ricky swept a six-pound coin-dilled piggy bank off the tray of his highchair. The bank toppled Pop on the temple and he was out cold.

Mrs. Lowell Long is used to hearing her neighbors in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, say that her biscuits are always sure-fire. Nonetheless, she was startled when shots rang out from the hot oven into which she had just popped



NEW LORD MAYOR—Sir Frederick Rowland, London's new Lord Mayor, greets well-wishers as he drives from London's Law Courts in ceremonial coach after being sworn in.

a pan of dough. Then she remembered that when the family left on a recent vacation, two revelers had been hidden in the stove.

Fully aware that things are tough all over, police in Sacramento, Calif., nevertheless were surprised to get a report that an automobile had picked the pocket of a pedestrian and escaped with \$102. The victim, W. T. Taylor, had walked too close to a moving car. His coat pocket — wallet and all — was ripped off by the auto and carried away.

Football fans realize that pretty drum majorettes of high school hands practically knock themselves out to please the crowd. But Celia Slavens of the Champlain, Ill., high school band actually did it. She twisted her baton so energetically it smacked her in the head and knocked her cold.

Most people don't like to be framed. But 8-year-old Douglas Stumowski of Milwaukee is glad it happened to him. Doug was sitting on his tricycle on the sidewalk in front of his home when a panel truck overturned on him after it had been struck by a car. It looked bad for Doug until rescuers lifted the heavy vehicle to find Doug and his tricycle safely framed by an open window of the truck. The opening was just large enough to enclose boy and tricycle as the truck fell.

Bob Akers and his nose spent a busy but unpredictable afternoon while playing softball at the University of Cincinnati one day last spring. First, the nose was hit and broken by a grounder. Bob retired disconsolately to the bench. A little later a batter hit a ball so hard the bat broke. A piece of the bat struck Bob smack on his aching nose. He gave up and went to the hospital — to find that the latest blow had knocked his nose back in shape. He went home while he was ahead.

In Pasadena, Calif., 8-year-old Sharlyn Burns decided to play nurse, tried to take her own temperature, used a weather thermometer, bit off the bulb, swallowed some of the fluid. Her condition, after sudden squalls and use of a stomach pump, was reported as fair but unsettled, with rising mercury.

Every mere male motorist will know just how Attendant William Wardley felt the day a lovely lady drove her big, flashy car briskly into his filling station in San Francisco. Her bumper caught a pop stand, and bottles went flying. She then hit an oil display stand and a tire rack, dispersing oil cans and tires galore. Then she plowed into two gas pumps and knocked them flat. She then drove briskly away with a cheery "hello" to the dazed attendant.

Two hundred school children in Detroit got a safety lesson the unexpected, hilarious way when three policemen teamed up to prove to the kids that even the law can look a little silly at times. One policeman was steering a stolen car he and his partner had spotted and were taking to the police garage. His partner rode in the police car, pushing the stolen car. The third policeman — Patrolman Joseph Barath — was directing the school children safely across the street when he saw the police caravan bearing down on them. He waved his charges back to safety, but couldn't quite make it himself. He was knocked flat. Nothing was hurt but his pride, but the disheveled, youngsters wondered if policemen always talk to each other like that.

It can happen to firemen, too. In Atlanta the Fire Department was showing 800 school children just what to do in case of fire. They gathered the youngsters around a seven-story training tower, unloosed the smoke bombs and went into action. The kids shrieked with excitement. They shrieked even louder when fire wagons dashed up with sirens wailing. They were slightly confused when the embarrassed Fire Department carried seven of its men from the training tower to the hospital, overcome by smoke.

In Bridgeport, Conn., a box of cookies set fire to a house at 183 Charles Street. How? Well, the box toppled from a kitchen shelf onto the handle of a water faucet, turning on the water. The cookies spilled out and clogged the drain. The sink overflowed, the water seeped through the floor, a short circuit resulted, and fire broke out.

And in Chicago Warren Oakes played the winning card in a gin rummy game with so triumphant a flourish he broke his wrist. Aerodynamic engineers might check into what happen in Brighton, N. Y., when an auto driven by Raymond Boyle ran head-on into a lamppost. What happened was that the auto used the blade of the plow as a ramp, took off, gained altitude rapidly, leveled off at 12 feet, sideswiped a telephone pole at that height, made a four-point landing and tumbled to a halt 81 feet from

the point of flight. In repairing the car, Mr. Boyle decided to reject suggestions from awe-struck friends that he pressurize the cabin of the car for future flights.

There's something about the stage that makes for temperament. So no one was too surprised when the gun in "Annie Get Your Gun" refused to fire at the proper time during a performance at Birmingham, Ala. Two stage managers and a stage hand took the silky rifle backstage to reason with it. It joyfully exploded, sending them all to the hospital. They agreed unanimously that from then on Annie could not only get her gun, but keep it.

In Bath, England, the vicar of Priston Church had an experience that really was a belleranger. When the Rev. J. E. Williams, pulled on the bellrope he didn't know that the stay which prevents the bell from revolving was broken. So round and round went the vicar. At 20 feet he let go. He was taken to the hospital with cuts and bruises

and complaining of a ringing in his ears.

Parents and others who are a little weary of bubble gum have an ardent ally in Quincy Elmer Ferguson of Anaheim, Calif. Quincy was driving a young woman home from the office one afternoon when she chose that moment to demonstrate her skill as a gum-bubbler. The balloon-sized bubble burst in Quincy's face. He did what came naturally — let go of the wheel and claved at the rubbery goo which covered his eyes. The car swerved into others. Then things were really gummed up.

In Keithsburg, Ill., 7-year-old Jerry Nylan was shot by his pet goat. Jerry and two pals were shoving off for a cruise on the Mississippi when the goat leaped into the row boat and jarred the trigger of a rifle.

And in Kampsville, Ill., bridegroom James Inman blissfully carried his bride across the threshold, slipped and broke his ankle.

A lot of people have called a spade a spade. But you should have heard what Raymond Aucoin called one that smacked him in the face in Waltham, Mass. He was working on a construction job when a brick fell from a scaffold. It struck the blade of a shovel lying on the ground and caused the handle of the shovel to fly up and land a haymaker on Aucoin's nose.

Remember that nightmare of falling through space? Harry

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Crawford, a railroad brakeman, experienced the real thing. When the train stopped near Monongahela, Pa., one dark night, Crawford didn't realize it was on a bridge. He stepped out of the caboose — and plunged 85 feet through space. Note of comfort to nightmarers: he suffered only minor injuries!

In Island Park, N. Y., Harry Pierson heard a bang on his door, answered it and found that a 1,100-ton sea-going tanker, equipped with cargo and crew, had dropped in on him. It had

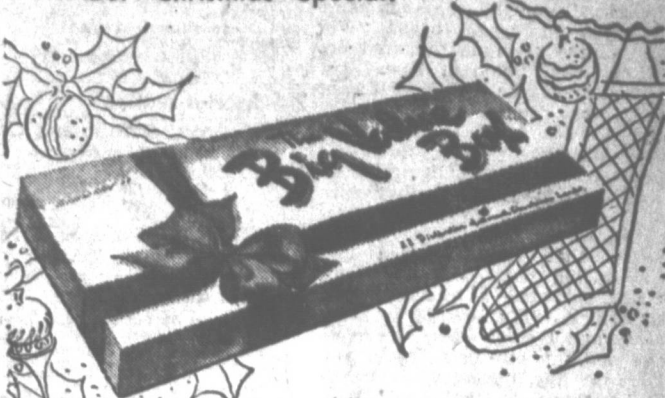
been blown off its course by high winds.

And in Santa Monica, Calif., police arrested a motorist on a speeding charge for the second time in 18 months. His name? No fooling, folks — It's Safety First!

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Clerks Hear Many Strange Requests

CANADIAN — (Special) — One can hear a lot of strange requests in over a quarter of a century of work in a post office, according to assistant postmaster, Can. ybach.

Clerks are glad to oblige, and frequently render a sort of "curb service" when mother sends the tiny tot in to get the mail — even though the little one is too small to reach the box.

Sometimes the little folks inadvertently "tell-off" on Mamma with some remark like "Mamma is double-parked and wants me to hurry," or the one that came in, many years ago, to ask, "Will you please give me the mail out of our box? Mamma hasn't got any stockings on and doesn't want to get out of the car."

But H. L. (Red) Owens of the Canadian Post Office force is perhaps the most obliging clerk. Recently a young mother with an 11-month-old boy in her arms called at the parcel window. The parcel that Owens handed her was a big one.

She hesitated a moment, then exclaimed, "My car is a block away and I can't carry the package and my boy both. Here, you keep my boy, please, while I take the package to the car."

The little fellow enjoyed the unusual experience — so did the clerk. The mother was back in a jiffy, and another Post Office clerk was happy to have been of service.

32 Named to Honor Rolls

WHITE DEER — (Special) — Thirty-two students were listed on the honor roll in White Deer High School for the second six weeks of the semester. LaVerne McAdams, a freshman, led with an average of 95.

The Senior class led in the number named on the roll, having 11 members listed. They were: Vivian Barrett, Douglas Smith, and Ruth Smith, 94; Ramona Hightower, 93; Dorothy Barnett, Jon Scott, Bonnie Swinford, and Lora Dale Wells, 92; La Donna O'Neal, 91; Dorothy Broome and Tom Horn, 90.

Next were the Freshmen with 10 receiving honors: LaVerne McAdams, 95; Betty Lou Cofer and Alma Howard, 94; Jerry Foote and Carl McCabe, 93; Barbara Bentley, Nancy Ford, and Carroll Kalka, 92; Buyda Baten and Morlan Shuman, 90.

The Juniors were in third place with eight on the list: Gene Guyer, 94; Ronnie Buchanan, 93; Jackie Awtrey, 92; Carolyn Evans, Charles Ford, and Beth Smith, 91; Billy Joyce Adams and Charles Meadows, 90.

The Sophomores class was last with only three making the honor roll: Marilyn Bagley, 91; Bob Bost and Margaret Moran, 90.

Holiday Pageant To Be Dec. 20

SHAMROCK — (Special) — Tentative date of the annual Christmas pageant in Shamrock has been set as Tuesday night, Dec. 20, bandmaster S. L. Stine announced.

Approximately 175 students will appear in the holiday event which will be presented at the Community Building. The High School Chorus, Junior High Chorus and High School Band will play major roles.

Starting time has been set as 8:00 p.m. There will be no admission charge.

Son Born to Former Residents of Area

A son, Terry Drake, was born Friday, Dec. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Turner, formerly of LeFors. The child weighed seven pounds and six ounces at birth.

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We wish to express our deep gratitude to our many friends and neighbors for the assistance, sympathy and floral offerings during the loss of Mrs. Ruby Sparkman, also to Bro. Belts for his comforting words. May God bless each and everyone of you for your prayer.

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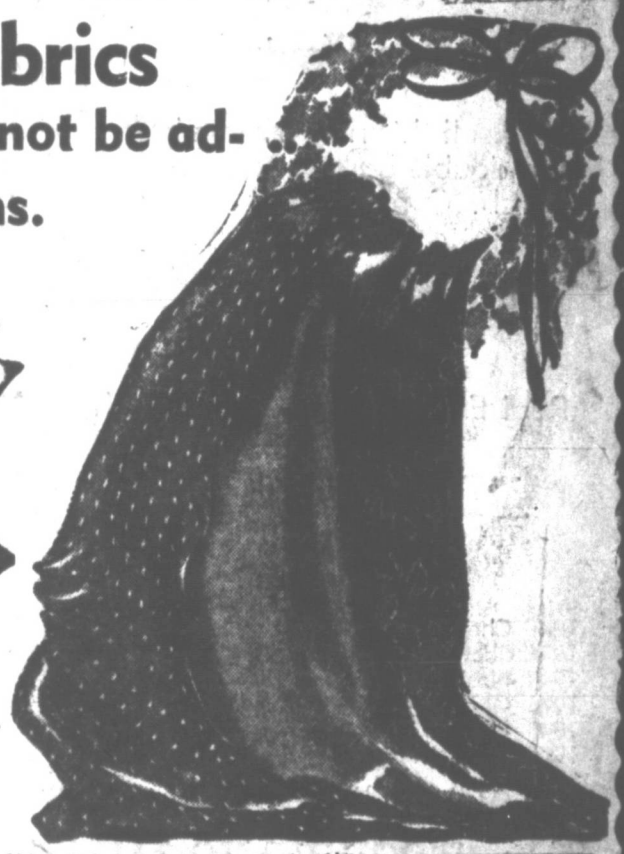


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