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WEATHER

Fair and continued cold Thursday night. Partly cloudy and warmer Friday. Maximum temperature Wednesday 42 degrees. Minimum Thursday 18 degrees.

Eleven Persons Are Killed In Blaze

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

James C. Watson
Oil Editor

Scurry Ellenburger Opener Completed As Pumping Oiler

A discovery from the Ellenburger lime in East-Central Scurry County has been officially completed as a commercial producer on the pump.

R. W. Baxter of Dallas, and associates, No. 1 D. D. Feldman, et al, located 660 feet from north and east lines of section 63, block 3, H&TC survey, and 10 miles east of the town of Snyder, reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 121.44 barrels of 42-gravity oil, and no water.

The production came from the Ellenburger pay between 7,310 feet and total depth at 7,357 feet. A string of 5 1/2-inch casing is cemented at 7,340 feet.

Acid Used In Pay

The zone between 7,310 feet and 7,340 feet is being produced through perforations in the casing and the 7,340-57 foot horizon is being produced in open hole.

The pay horizon had been treated with 1,000 gallons of acid, prior to the completion. Operator reported that the well showed a gas-oil ratio of 685-1, but it would not flow steadily and has been completed on the pump.

Top of the Ellenburger is at 7,308 feet. Elevation is 2,251 feet.

Shallow Discovery Finished In Pecos

Nash & McKay of Austin, Texas, have completed their No. 1-A Iowa Realty Trust, as a new shallow discovery in Central-North Pecos County, 22 miles north and slightly east of Fort Stockton.

This wildcat is located 355 feet from northeast and 330 feet from northwest lines of an 80-acre lease in section 73, block 10, H&GN survey. It is in an undeveloped area between the Lehn and the Apco fields.

On the official Railroad Commission potential test this new producer flowed 82 barrels of 33-gravity oil in 24 hours, through a one-half inch tubing choke. No water was shown. Gas-oil ratio was 500-1.

The pay section between 1,679 feet and 1,720 feet had been shot with 110 quarts of nitro glycerin. The 5 1/2-inch oil string is set at 1,638 feet.

C-S Mitchell Area Gets New Prospector

S. F. Hurlbut of Corpus Christi, and associates, have filed an application with the Railroad Commission of Texas, requesting a permit to start drilling immediately on their No. 2 Ellwood estate, as a 7,800-foot wildcat in Central-South Mitchell County.

The prospector will be 15 miles south of Colorado City and 2,352 feet from south and 1,660 feet from west lines of section 23, block 13, J. P. Smith survey.

The projected depth of 7,800 feet should take the venture into the Ellenburger.

Deep Wildcat For SW Borden Slated

Locations for a wildcat to 8,500 feet, and for two outposts in the Vealmoor field, all in Southwest Borden County have been reported. Drilling is to start on each of the explorations at once.

Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware and Pan American Production Company No. 1 Modesta Good Simpson is to be the wildcat. It is 1,980 feet from east and 1,972.5 feet from north lines of section 10, block 33, TP survey, T-3-N.

That makes it two miles southwest of the nearest completed oil wells in the Good field, and four miles northwest of the town of Vealmoor.

It is projected to 8,500 feet. That depth may take the exploration through the Pennsylvanian and into the Ellenburger.

Two Stepouts Staked

The stepouts to the Vealmoor field are:

L. H. Armer of Fort Worth and Spartan Drilling Company of Dallas No. 1 W. J. McAdams, located 570 feet from west and 2,039 feet from north lines of section 27, block 32, TP survey, T-3-N. It is three and one half miles east of the town of Vealmoor. Contracted depth is 8,000 feet.

Thomas W. Doswell of Dallas, and others No. 1 F. E. Chartiers is also slated as an 8,000-foot development in the Vealmoor area. It is located 660 feet from south and west lines of the south half of the northeast quarter of section 27, block 32, TP survey, T-3-N. It is also about three and one half miles east of the town of Vealmoor.

Brennand Has Water In Lime Reef DST

R. S. Brennand, Jr., No. 1 Everetts, Central Borden County wild-

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Bond Vote Light

Voting was light Thursday morning in the $450,000 school bond election, but it was expected to pick up during the afternoon hours as the interest of voters warmed with the bright, sunshiny weather.

Only 95 votes had been cast at 1:10 p.m. Frank True, presiding judge, said. He expects the total to reach the 500 mark. Only three absentee ballots were cast.

The voting will continue until 7 p.m. in the City-County Auditorium on West Missouri Street.

Results of the election will determine whether the Midland Independent School District will issue $450,000 worth of bonds for the construction of a Northeast Elementary School and a negro high school here. The elementary building will cost $275,000 and the negro school, $175,000, according to architects' estimates.

No Tax Increase

School officials said the voting of the bonds will not require an increase in the present tax rate.

They emphasized the need for additional classrooms throughout the school system and said every effort will be made to have the new buildings ready for occupancy by next Fall. Bids will be asked early next year if the bond issue is approved.

The proposed elementary building will be erected at the corner of Parker and Fort Worth Streets in Northeast Midland. It will relieve overcrowded conditions at North and South Elementary Schools and at the junior high school.

The proposed negro high school will be located immediately south of the Carver School in the Moody Addition.

Adult residents of the school district who have rendered personal or real property for school taxes, and who have paid poll taxes, are eligible to vote in the election.

Stores Wrecked, Six Hurt In Detroit Blast

DETROIT —(AP)— Wild gas exploding in flaming fury wrecked five stores and injured six persons here Wednesday night.

Quick warnings before the barrage-like blasts let go, police said, saved many lives.

Four firemen, a policeman, and a store employe were hurt.

The explosions shook Northwest Detroit for three miles around a business neighborhood at Wyoming and Schoolcraft Avenue.

The Michigan Consolidated Gas Company said gas from a high pressure main got out of control as a crew was installing a regulator on a line leading into one market.

Gas shot into the building. The gas company workers fled, sounded a warning, turned in a fire alarm and called for an emergency crew. A company spokesman said it had not been determined how the gas was ignited but a small spark was all it took.

Compact Commission To Meet In Midland

SANTA FE, N. M. —(AP)— New Mexico State Engineer John Bliss said Thursday the Pecos Compact Commission will hold its January 19 meeting in Midland, as "a matter of courtesy" to Texas.

The commission decided Saturday it would hold its annual meetings in Carlsbad, N. M., its principal office.

But Bliss, the New Mexico Commissioner, said Texas asked that the next meeting be held at Midland because attorneys for the commission live there.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

KEY WEST —(AP)— President Truman said Thursday that Treasury and congressional staff experts are making studies to determine whether wartime excise taxes can be repealed.

MANILA—(AP)—Constabulary headquarters Thursday reported 15 men were killed and 64 are missing and presumed dead in an encounter between government forces and Moro outlaws on Jolo Island in the Southern Philippines.

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.—(AP)—Dr. Lewis Webster Jones, president of the University of Arkansas, said Thursday a new coach would be named to pilot the Arkansas Razorback football team. Jones said Head Coach Barnhill would stay on at the university as athletic director.

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The Chinese Communists claimed Thursday that the Nationalists killed more than 500 political prisoners before they gave up Chungking November 30.

Missing On Christmas Tree Expedition

(NEA Telephoto)

In the insert is pretty 16-year-old Ruth Aberle of Longview, Wash., who has been missing since Sunday on a Christmas tree hunting expedition. Crowds of searchers are gathered around a Salvation Army table, where the weary searchers are being fed.

Halt Is Called In Senate's Coffee Probe

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senate investigators called a temporary halt in their investigation of the high cost of coffee Thursday with word that "the sky-rocketing of prices has stopped."

Senator Gillette (D-Iowa) told that to reporters as he suspended public hearings until Congress meets again early in January.

The senator called attention to Washington grocery advertisements of brand coffee at 56 cents a pound that had been selling for 84 cents. But he held out slight hope for immediate return of "the nickel cup of java."

Encouraging News

Two government officials brought Gillette's Senate Agriculture Subcommittee some encouraging news about coffee supplies at the final hearing.

Philip M. Hauser, acting director of the census, said a spot check of coffee stocks conducted at the senator's request indicated supplies on hand at the start of this month were about the same as last year.

John K. Havemeyer reported that a State Department check through U. S. embassies in Latin-America indicates that coffee exports for the next season will be at least as large as those for the present year.

Charges Manipulations

But Gillette called attention to census data that indicated "about 100,000,000 million pounds of coffee" moved out of stocks during October and November of this year.

Coupling this with testimony about "doubling of retail prices" and large increases in coffee speculating, Gillette said there has been "definite manipulation of the coffee market" with a resulting cost to U. S. consumers of $650,000,000.

Gillette said he has an idea who "manipulated or rigged" the price of coffee, but he declined to say more, except to add that such operations apparently are not illegal.

Trail Spurs Group In Search For Girl

KELSO, WASH.—(AP)—More than 500 searchers, spurred by a hopeful new trail, at dawn went into the fifth day of search for Ruth Aberle.

William F. Aberle, father of the 16-year-old girl missing in the rough, forested country northeast of here since Sunday, said, "I think we've got something this time."

That was after dogs late Wednesday took up the scent from footprints that matched a cardboard cut-out of Ruth's shoes.

The girl was lost while on a Christmas tree-cutting expedition.

Christmas Story Unreels As Boy Visits Hospital

By TANNER LAINE

The Christmas tree in the waiting room of Western Clinic-Hospital twinkled brightly.

The nice-looking, blond youngster looked at it intently. He is two years old.

He looked like any of a million other little boys peering at a Christmas tree—except.

Yes, except that he drew his breath—precious breath—through a silver tube in his throat.

The little boy was Roger Dean of Stanton.

He walks like your boy, talks like your boy, plays like your boy. But there is that tube. And at times, Roger makes a wheezing rasp as he fights to get that precious air.

He is a nice little boy and he deserves a life of a normal little boy.

Gets Preliminary Exam

And perhaps he is going to have just that.

We are going to see. Medical science in the skilled hands of a kind physician is going to bat for Roger.

He was given a preliminary examination at the hospital Wednesday. Another examination is scheduled Friday.

The doctor, one of the staff at Western Clinic-Hospital is sincere and serious about this case. If it's in his power he will do the operation to make this little boy well and happy as a normal youngster. God bless that doctor and guide his hands. He is not sure yet whether

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Texans Will Push Case To Block New Cotton Quota Plan

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Ten Texans, trying to block enforcement of the cotton acreage allotment law, will not slacken their court fight, their attorney says.

Even though proposals for changes in the program have been advanced, William H. Shireman, Corpus Christi, said the Coastal Bend growers will press their case against Secretary Charles Brannan and other top Agriculture Department officials.

The Texas lawyer filed a suit here Monday in U. S. District Court.

A House Agriculture Subcommittee has discussed the cotton acreage problem and drafted amendments to the law. Chairman Cooley (D-NC) of the full committee expressed hope Congress would approve the changes quickly in January.

"The proposed changes would give the Coastal Bend counties of Texas substantially more acreage than they seek through court action," Shireman told a reporter.

"Only Proposals"

"However, the changes at this stage are only proposals, and until they are set forth in the law we will prosecute our case.

"Many things could happen, such as a fight over the FEPC, to hold up speedy action on the matter."

A hearing is to be held Monday on the request of the Texans for an immediate injunction restraining Brannan from putting the announced acreage program into effect in Texas.

At least 60 days probably would be required before the court would go into the merits of the case, passing on the claim of the growers that they have been deprived of their rightful share of the cotton acreage quota, Shireman said.

He expressed confidence the court would agree with the farmers' contention the Agriculture Department misinterpreted the law in allocating Texas' quota without regard to lands previously planted in so-called war crops. These included flax and grain sorghum.

Speck Devore Is Home—Walking

Don (Speck) Devore came back to The Reporter-Telegram Thursday—walking.

The red-haired, freckle-faced popular newspaperboy, who was a victim of polio, is spending the Christmas holidays at home in Midland. He has been at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for several months.

Speck will return to the foundation for a final checkup following the holidays and then will return to Midland for good.

What does Speck want most for Christmas? "Just being home," he says, smiling.

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Little Is Named Chairman Of AIME Section For 1950

W. N. (Bill) Little of Midland, is the new chairman of the Permian Basin section of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers. He will serve in that position during 1950.

W. N. (Bill) Little

Little, who is district engineer for Tide Water Associated Oil Company for the Permian Basin was vice chairman of the section last year. He succeeds Tom C. Frick, also of Midland, in the chairmanship. Frick is divisions operations superintendent for The Atlantic Refining Company.

Clarence M. LaLonde, of Odessa, assistant district superintendent for Phillips Petroleum Company is the new vice chairman.

Joe Chastain of Midland, with Bethlehem Supply Company, has been named secretary-treasury to succeed J. M. (Jack) Moore of Dowell, Inc., also of Midland, on that assignment.

Frick, Moore and one other person, yet to be named will serve with the new officers, as directors of the section for 1950.

Plant Blast Death Toll Fixed At 16

By AL DOPKING

SIOUX CITY, IOWA—(AP)—Amid a scene of ruin "just like the place had been bombed," workmen and machines Thursday dug through rubble where at least 16 persons died in a violent explosion Wednesday.

As sorrowing families of the 16 identified dead went about funeral preparations the search at the Swift & Company packing plant continued for three persons still missing.

Nine of some 90 other persons injured remained in critical condition at hospitals.

Leaking gas which had hampered search operations was stopped Wednesday night.

Workmen who labored throughout the night under floodlights used blow torches to melt away twisted girders.

Discard Gas Masks

The searchers were able to discard their gas masks after ammonia fumes from the plant's shattered refrigeration system were cut off at their source.

The blast rocked the building shortly before noon Wednesday. About 1,000 persons were in the building.

The front end of the building was hit hardest. The first and second floors which housed the office staff and company restaurant received the brunt of the blast.

There was an almost warlike atmosphere Thursday as trucks and bulldozers moved ahead on the slow job of removing the debris. A veteran of the European front in World War II said he had seen lots of bombed out buildings "but never anything as bad as this."

National guardsmen still patrolled the area around the plant. It is located in the heart of the Sioux City stockyards, one of the nation's major terminal markets.

No formal investigation into the specific cause and location of the explosion had been begun. Fire Chief Charles Kuhl assigned escaping natural gas as the cause.

Antelope-Chasing Flier's Case Due To Be Heard Here

FORT WORTH — (AP) — The Civil Aeronautics Board says a Grandfalls man endangered life and property by: (1) flying too close to a town while chasing an antelope in his light plane, and (2) landing and taxiing on a public thoroughfare.

G. J. Douglas of Grandfalls contends his use of his plane did not threaten property.

To decide who is right, the Civil Aeronautics Board will hear the complaint and Douglas' reply in Midland on January 5.

J. B. Poindexter, CAB regional hearing examiner, said Wednesday the CAA had asked that Douglas' private pilot's certificate be suspended or taken away from him. Douglas asked for the hearing.

The complaint said Douglas flew his plane near Fort Davis while chasing an antelope last May 7. It said that on last September 14, he landed his plane on a highway leading into Grandfalls, then taxied onto the streets of the town.

Just before Douglas did that, the CAA complaint said, he flew the plane at an altitude of less than 1,000 feet over Grandfalls and flew closer than 500 feet to persons and structures in the town.

Besides claiming that he didn't threaten life and property, Douglas' reply said the Grandfalls city council told him he could taxi into town.

Mercury Drops To 18 Degrees Here

By The Associated Press

Cold weather settled down over Texas Thursday.

But a general warming up was forecast for Friday.

Coldest spot in the state Thursday morning was at Dalhart, in the Panhandle, where the temperature was an icy 10 degrees above zero.

Light rain was falling at Galveston, Brownsville and Beaumont along the coast just before dawn and fog was reported at Amarillo and Lubbock.

Minimum temperatures Thursday morning ranged from 42 at Brownsville and Laredo to Dalhart's ten. Other low readings included 16 at Lubbock and Amarillo, 18 at Midland, 19 at Clarendon and Ozona, 21 at Big Spring and Childress, 20 at Marfa, 23 at Abilene, 25 at San Angelo and 26 at El Paso. Midland's temperature was the lowest of the season.

FAIR

Rainfall in the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a.m. Thursday included 1.36 inches at Houston, 1.10 at Victoria, .76 at Galveston, .63 at Beaumont, .41 at Austin, .27 at Lufkin, .26 at Palestine, .08 at Corpus Christi, .16 at Waco, .22 at Bryan and .28 at San Antonio.

Farm Laborers Die In Fire Near Rotan

ROTAN —(AP)— Eleven transient farm workers—all members of one family—burned to death near here Thursday when fire destroyed their small home at the edge of a cotton field.

The blackened remains of the four-room home on the C. A. Douthit farm, eight miles northeast of this West Texas town, were found at 9 a.m.

Two hours later, 11 skeletons were counted in the charred ruins.

The dead included three generation. Six were children. One of the five adults was a 14-year-old girl, married and pregnant.

The position of the skeletons showed the victims died in their sleep, huddled together on the floors of two bedrooms.

Officers said the cause of the fire was unknown but that evidence pointed to a two-burner kerosene cookstove. The stove was in a "damaged condition," they said.

The dead:

Basilio Perez, 75.

His son and daughter-in-law, Manuel Perez, 38, and Mrs. Manuel Perez, 40.

The daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Perez, Alfredo Castillo, 21, and his 14-year-old wife. Officers said she was pregnant.

Other Children

Other children of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Perez: Juanita, 12; Victoria, 10; Monse, eight, Jesus, six, Manuela, two, and a baby girl about one-year-old whose name was not known.

The victims were identified by other transient laborers who were working on the farm. While officers investigated workers went about their business of picking cotton nearby.

Pablo Perez and his family had begun picking cotton only Wednesday on the Douthit farm. They arrived here from a Brownfield, job. Their home was believed to be at Mercedes, on the Texas-Mexican border.

Rotan is about 50 miles northwest of Abilene.

A field worker, Gardo Trevino, discovered the tragedy when he passed the site of the house Thursday morning and saw the blackened ruins. The house was situated a mile away from any other dwelling.

Farmer Notified

Trevino notified Henry Cosby, a farmer who lived nearby.

Cosby and Trevino made a quick investigation of the smouldering wreckage and saw skulls "scattered all around."

Texans Vote On Federal Cotton Plan

By The Associated Press

Texas farmers, with the others of the nation, voted Thursday on cotton marketing quotas set by the government.

A marketing quota is the cotton produced on the acreage allotted to a farm.

This issue was decided:

Will farmers who plant more land to cotton than provided by their acreage allotments be required to pay a penalty on the cotton produced from the entire acreage?

If two thirds of the nation's farmers voted for the quotas, then farmers who overplant will pay a penalty of one-half the parity price on all cotton they grow in excess of their quotas. If the quotas didn't get that many votes, acreage allotments, provided by law, still will be in effect, but there won't be any penalties for overplanting.

By noon Thursday, 52 cotton farmers of Midland County, out of approximately 300 eligible to vote in the referendum, had cast their ballots at the County Production Marketing Association office in the Court House.

W. E. Pigg, chairman of the PMA

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Midland Hospital Work Progresses On Fast Schedule

Work on the Midland Memorial Hospital is progressing on schedule and contractors now are shooting for a March 1 completion date, E. R. Andres, administrator, said Thursday.

Most of the work now is on the inside of the large and attractive building. Exterior work will be completed as soon as the elevator installation is finished.

Steel door frames arrived this week and now are being installed, Andres said. Metal lathers and plasterers are working full force.

The two-story nurses' home is 90 per cent finished and officials expect completion early in January.

Kiwanis Donation

Equipment for the general hospital is on order and much of it already has been received.

The Midland Kiwanis Club this week donated a fracture table for the hospital. Cost of the item was $660. Other individuals and groups have donated funds for equipment and still others plan to make contributions soon.

Hospital officials said the need for funds continues as the building job progresses. They urged prompt payment of pledges and asked citizens who have not contributed to Midland's hospital to consider such action. The hospital will be the finest, largest and most modern in this section of West Texas.

Oil Men To Honor Legislator And IPAA President

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson and J. Ed Warren, president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, will be honored by West Texas oilmen in Midland Tuesday evening.

Members of the Permian Basin chapter of the IPAA will be hosts at a dinner at 6:30 p.m. at the Midland Country Club.

Tribute will be paid to Senator Johnson for his efforts in behalf of oilmen, especially the successful fight against Senate confirmation of President Truman's appointment of Leland Olds to the Federal Power Commission.

West Texans will acclaim one of their own in honoring Warren. A Midland independent oil operator, Warren is a member of the firm of King, Warren & Dye.

Congressmen Ken Regan, George Mahon and O. C. Fisher have accepted invitations to attend the dinner.

Dallas Man Beaten At Pecos; Officers Are Holding Suspect

PECOS — Ernest Lewis Cavett, 21, Dallas, is receiving treatment at a Pecos hospital for severe head wounds received about 12:15 a.m. Thursday. The wounds allegedly were inflicted by a young man who was arrested by officers.

The two men reportedly rode a freight train into Pecos Wednesday afternoon. Wednesday night they built a fire in the northwest part of the city near the Santa Fe railroad tracks.

Sheriff Charlie Fitzgerald, Jr., said the young man told him he attacked his companion without provocation, using a board and a brick to inflict the head wounds.

Following the incident, he told the sheriff he walked to a service station, asked the attendant for a package of cigarettes and requested that the police be called.

Asks Police Be Called

City Policemen Wingo and Morris answered the call. They said the man told them, "I have killed a man."

"Why I did it, I don't know," he is said to have told the sheriff. In his statement he declared he had picked up the board once before and laid it down, but had thought of striking his companion with it.

Cavett had been in California. The two met in Arizona about a week ago and had been traveling together since that time.

Sheriff Fitzgerald said he will file a charge of assault with intent to murder and that the charge will be changed to murder in the event of Cavett's death.

Bids For Martin County Road Opened

AUSTIN—(AP)—Two days of bidding on road jobs have brought low bid tabulations totaling $5,326,562, the State Highway Department announced.

Low bids Tuesday totaled $3,364,538, and Wednesday, $1,962,234.

Projects included in the Wednesday bid opening:

Andrews, Martin and Gaines—Farm 703, grading, structures, flexible base and double asphalt surface from Farm 67 east to Dawson County line. The low bidder was Ernest Loyd of Fort Worth. His bid totaled $167,007.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Hughes Set To Make Capital Of Bergman-Rossellini Idyll

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—Howard Hughes' advertising campaign on the Ingrid Bergman film, "Stromboli," will scream: "THIS IS IT!" The ads will further inform you that Ingrid was "inspired" by the direction of Roberto Rossellini. Both will share equal billing (the same size type).

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Barbara Stanwyck, nominated four times, has never won an Oscar. "Maybe this year," she says, "I'll get a door prize for constant attendance."

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Marilyn Maxwell and Andy McIntyre will tie the marriage knot this month. Andy says they'll be married out of town and then throw a party when they return.

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So many people have the idea that Larry Parks must have Jolson to do his singing for him, Parks is a trifle irked when asked: "Do you sing yourself?" He recently recorded two numbers with his wife Betty Garrett, titled, "Side by Side," and "Reckon I'm in Love."

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The Andrews Sisters take a lot of good-natured ribbing, but no one kids them the way they rib themselves. Maxine rushed up to Patty, exclaiming, "Hey, Kid, I've lost four pounds." Patty came back with: "Turn around, honey, I think I've found it."

Seeing Is Believing

Producer Alex Gottlieb and writer Ken Englund have come up with a new twist for a musical in "Two Tickets to Broadway." It goes before the cameras soon at RKO. They claim it's the first musical since "Cover Girl" without a single backstage cliche.

"We've invented a whole new set of cliches," laughs Alex.

"We made a list of all the things that shouldn't happen," says Ken. "Like the show must go on and cutting from the story to an act that doesn't belong in the picture."

"So what happens?" I asked.

"Nothing," said Alex, ducking. Actually plenty happens.

Says Alex: "We're going to show the real Broadway and a comic with his jokes down. Hollywood is five years behind Broadway musicals. We're going to make one as good as a Broadway hit."

Alex says Jane Russell will sing a couple of songs if Howard Hughes co-stars her with Bob Mitchum in "Macoa." I asked him what she would sing.

"Oh," he said, "a couple of low-cut songs."

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Swedish star Frank Sundstrom, who broke from D. O. Selznick some time back, is readying a stage version and later a film plot of Franz Kafka's novel, "The Trial." . . . No possibility of a reconciliation for Jean Wallace and Franchot Tone. He'll hit key cities on a tour with "The Man on the Eiffel Tower." He's the man on the hook—it's his money.

The educational influence: Letter from a 11-year-old to Colin Miller, producer of "A Kiss for Corliss": "I'm glad I saw your picture. I'm going to be a teenager soon and now I'll know how to kiss girls."

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Tempus fugits! It was only a few years ago that Jane Greer played a minor role in "Sinbad, the Sailor," which starred Maureen O'Hara. Now Jane is a star in her own right and turned down "Sons of the Musketeers," which Maureen accepts. But what does it mean? Olivia de Havilland and Ingrid Bergman both turned down "The Farmer's Daughter," which won an Oscar for Loretta Young.

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If Kirk Douglas wins an Oscar for his performance in "Champion," it will discount once and for all the theory that actors do not know how to handle their own careers. Kirk accepted the "Champion" assignment against the advice of his managers and three major studio production executives.

They said he should never work for an unimportant independent producer like Stanley Kramer!

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Helen Rose, the M-G-M designer, says there will be no plunging necklines for Lana Turner in her latest, "No Life of Her Own." Says Helen:

"Undressing Lana is like gilding the lily."

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Guy Madison has launched a campaign to convince Hollywood he's grown up—which he is. He's been under contract to Selznick for eight years but Hollywood still considers him a juvenile.

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Recommended: Spike Jones' recording of "Dance of the Hours." You'll play it by the hour . . . . Margaret Sullavan has checked into Columbia for "No Sad Songs for Me"—her first film since "Cry Havoc" in 1943.

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Troop 152 To Send Teams To Aid Meet

Gilbert H. Blankenship, Scoutmaster of Troop 152, will take two five-man teams to Odessa Thursday for a Buffalo Trail First Aid Meet to be held at the East Side YMCA.

Dwayne Chesnut will captain the Troop 152 Scout team. Other members are Tommy Edrington, Donald Forrest, Ervin Crisman and Stewart Hollingsworth.

Gene Hunter will lead the Explorer Post 85 Scout team, with Sammy Kersh, Billy Lillis, Billy Snow and Gary Hall as team members.

The two Midland teams will compete with two teams each from Odessa, Kermit, Pecos and one from Monahans. Dick Kneidl, Sr., of Odessa, chairman of the council's committee on Health and Safety, will have charge of the meet, which begins at 7 p.m.

Riddle Of Star's Death Unsolved After 14 Years

HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—Was it murder? or was it suicide? Or did Thelma Todd accidentally die 14 years ago Thursday?

That riddle has been cause for debate in Hollywood ever since the blonde star was found dead in her garage one morning in 1935. There's how the death occurred:

Thelma, the fun-loving ex-school teacher from Lawrence, Mass., went to a Saturday night party at the Trocadero in honor of the English comic, Stanley Lupino. A chauffeur picked her up between 2:30 an 3 a.m. and drove her back to her cafe at the beach. She appeared quiet and tired.

When she waved goodbye to the driver at four Sunday morning, it was the last time she was seen alive.

At 10:15 Monday morning, Miss Todd's maid opened the garage door and found the actress slumped in the front seat of her car. She wore a fauve and silver evening gown and mink coat, and jewels ornamented her throat and wrist. She had been dead at least 12 hours—of carbon monoxide poisoning.

The ignition key was turned on and the heavy garage doors were closed. There were no notes or other clues. A lengthy investigation ensued. There was no conclusive result.

Detective Chief Thad Brown of the Los Angeles police said this week: "The death is still accidental in my book."

Have A Laugh

By BOYCE HOUSE

A negro was sent to the penitentiary for stealing a ham from a smokehouse, but his wife appeared at the governor's office with six children and pleaded so earnestly that Governor Taylor of Tennessee granted a pardon. A few months later, the negro was arrested for stealing a hog and again was sent to prison. Time went by and the wife appealed again for clemency. The governor said:

"Sallie, you admit that he is a no-good, stealing drunkard, don't you?"

"Yas, sah, Guv'nor."

"Then why do you want him back?"

"Well, Guv'nor, we's outta meat again."

McCamey HD Clubs Have Holiday Party

McCAMEY—The McCamey Home Demonstration Council's Christmas party was held Tuesday in the McCamey Park Building. Myrna Holman, county home demonstration agent and Mrs. G. W. Huffman, council president, were hostesses.

Christmas scenes and a decorated tree were used in the reception rooms and guests received holiday corsages as favors. Carols were played during the afternoon.

Miss Holman led the Christmas devotional. A gift exchange was held after the program.

Attending were Mrs. William Wolf, Mrs. Lovie Burnett, Mrs. J. R. Surmall, Mrs. T. L. Fuller, Mrs. W. T. Thomas, Mrs. J. T. Gibbs, Mrs. J. L. Werst, Mrs. Tom Hudson, Mrs. N. C. House, Mrs. E. R. Sullivan, Mrs. T. C. Reimers and Mrs. Fred Gibson.

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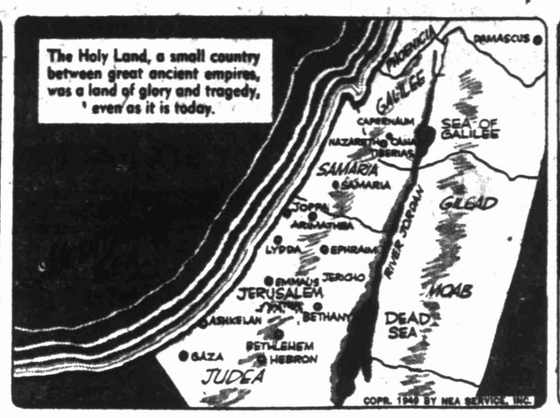
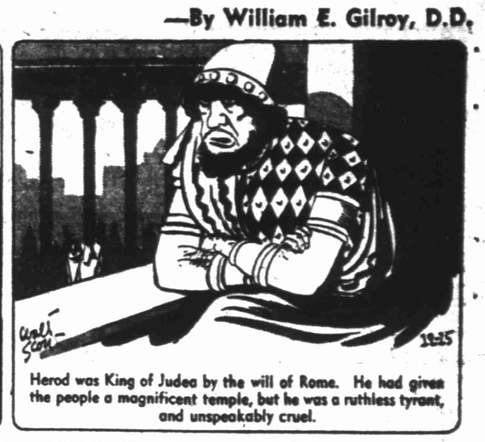
THE STORY OF THE SAVIOR

—By William E. Gilroy, D.D.

Peace was over all the world, but it was the "Pax Romana," the peace of the mailed fist of Rome, which had then conquered everywhere.





Herod was King of Judea by the will of Rome. He had given the people a magnificent temple, but he was a ruthless tyrant, and unspeakably cruel.

McKENNEY Answers Your CANASTA Questions

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written For NEA Service

As I previously have announced, the suggestion made by John R. Crawford of Philadelphia and myself that a national Canasta laws commission be formed, has become a reality. We now have a commission consisting of nine members, with Oswald Jacoby as chairman. The laws are not any different than they were. The commission simply has adopted as the standardized laws of Canasta those that are being used by the outstanding writers on the game.

The Regency Club of New York, where Canasta was introduced and developed in this country, soon will publish a book on Canasta which will contain the official laws of the national Canasta laws commission.

At our last conference Crawford and I discussed an angle which should help your game a great deal. The opponents freeze the deck and they have control of the pack. They are almost certain to get the deck back.

Do not start immediately to make discards that you feel sure are safe, such as cards matching the opponents' meld, but which it is unlikely they can pick up because the deck is frozen.

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If you think you will have to give them the pack, give it to them early. Remember that it was their deuce that froze the pack, and if they get it back, they may freeze the deck again.

Here is a situation showing the danger of discarding what you consider safe cards in these circumstances. In a two-handed game one player held four sixes and four black treys. The opponent had a handful of cards and froze the deck. The first player proceeded to discard his four black treys, then threw his four sixes.

The opponent already had melded three sixes, so the four sixes were safe discards as long as the pack was frozen. But, on the ninth round, the first player had to throw a card that enabled the opponent to pick up the pack. Now the opponent had a natural canasta of sixes and his four black treys.

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If the first player had thrown some of his dangerous cards early, such as singletons or unguarded cards, the opponent probably would have picked up the pack. Or, knowing that he had control of it, he might decide not to take the pack for a few rounds. Now, when it has built up to a fair size and you start to throw the four black treys and four sixes, the whole situation may change. The opponent may have to throw you a card that will let you pick up the pack, or he may have to break up his hand.

Now for my regular questions and answers.

Q—There is a black trey on top of the pack and I have two black treys in my hand. May I pick up the black trey with the two in my hand, provided that I can now go out?

A—No. You may never pick up a black trey, even though you have two or three natural black treys in your hand. This applies even if you can meld out your entire hand, including the other cards in the discard pile. Remember, a black trey is always a stop card and never may be picked up.

Q—My opponent melded a red trey and later on in the hand went down concealed. Was his side entitled to the concealed hand bonus?

A—Yes. Your opponent did not meld a red trey. A red trey is a bonus card, not a meld. When you get one in your hand, you have to put it on the table and draw another card for it. If later on you meld your entire hand, you are entitled to the concealed hand bonus.

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State Testimony Resumed Thursday In Hoskins Trial

AMARILLO —(AP)— State testimony was to resume Thursday in the murder trial of Dwight Hoskins, 24. He is accused in the fatal shooting of Charles Lee Freeman, 21, who died before he could name his attacker.

Freeman, a physically handicapped youth, was shot to death last October when two men robbed Wornie Kelley's filling statio i here.

Kelley testified Wednesday he hurried to the station when Freeman didn't answer the telephone. He found Freeman lying in the station office.

"I got a pillow and put it under his head and asked him what was the matter," Kelley said. "He said, 'Wornie, I've been shot,' but he died before he could say who did it."

Kelley, first of about 20 state witnesses, said Freeman's pockets were turned inside out and $31.11 was missing from the cash register.

Hoskins and Pvt. Donald Gene Young, 21, were arrested a few days later. Both were charged with murder. They are being held in jail without bond.

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Letters from Santa

The North Pole

Dear Children,

Twinkle Toes, our baby elf, was one year old today. So we had a party. Everybody in the toy shop stopped working. Then we sang "Happy Birthday Dear Twinkle Toes." I helped Twinkle Toes blow out the candle on her birthday cake. She had a very hard time. She doesn't know how to blow out candles very well.

If I had room in the sleigh, I'd bring Twinkle Toes with me Christmas Eve. But then, I won't have room. And besides, Twinkle Toes is just a baby Why, she would need a nap And wherever would I put her! No, Twinkle Toes will just have to stay home until another year When she is bigger, then she may come with me. Let's say goodnight to Twinkle Toes.

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HOLIDAY MUSICAL IS SLATED AT McCAMEY

McCAMEY—Mrs. H. W. Driskill will present her piano and voice students in a Christmas musical in the First Baptist Church at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 21. Approximately 30 students will participate in the program. The public is invited.

LODGE PLANS PARTY

CRANE — The Rebekah Lodge Christmas party will be a covered-dish supper and party Tuesday night. All members are urged to attend and bring a gift valued at 50 cents to be placed on the tree for a gift exchange.

How To Relieve Bronchitis

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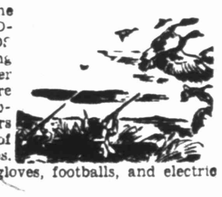
Sale of Pictures—

Right for every room—right for every budget—the large beautiful pictures, featured at MIDLAND HARDWARE FURNITURE DEPARTMENT, are reproductions of well-known artists' works, each distinctively framed. They are selling at a special price.. The $10.98 pictures are selling for $5.98. At this price these pictures are beauty lovers' loot! Give your home these decorator touches with the beauty of well executed landscapes, interiors, florals or still life. This outstanding group includes 10 subjects in a finely detailed gilt frame. They are 27 1/2 by 33 1/2 inches.

Fragrant Remembrances—

The luxury of loveliness to delight her—a gift that is a tribute to her feminity is a purse perfume vial in the form of a lipstick. CAMERON'S is featuring these novel gift items as gifts for the lady on your list. Solid perfumes are available in three fragrances encased in gold lipstick case, gift boxed in a beautiful suede case. This is a new French idea in perfume. It is selling for only $1.50. Shop Cameron's for other lovely gifts.

Happy Hunting—



Score a bullseye by giving Him just the gift he was secretly wishing for. MIDLAND HARDWARE SPORTING GOODS DEPARTMENT has every kind of hunting piece he may prefer. Shot guns, deer rifles, 22 rifles—all kinds and makes—are featured along with other hunting supplies. Hunting coats, jackets, trousers and caps are available. Make the men of your family happy with hunting supplies. For Junior there are air rifles, boxing gloves, footballs, and electric trains.

Architects' Supplies—

Quality construction makes the Hamilton Drawing Table featured at R. M. METCALFE, INC., an exceptional value for $15.95. It is rigid and sturdy, with an extra set of bracing clamps on each upright for height adjustment. Loosen the clamps in the base, set basswood top at desired height and tighten the wheel. This drawing table would be an excellent Christmas gift for the student or professional architest. R. M. Metcalfe, Inc., carries a complete line of architests' supplies.

Colorful Place Mats—

Add gaiety to your holiday meals with colorful plastic place mats from MIDLAND HARDWARE LINEN DEPARTMENT. Christmas patterns include beautiful poinsettias. Merely wipe with a damp cloth and they are fresh as ever. They look exactly like crisp linen. Other place mats include butcher linen handpainted by local talent. These are ideal for gifts. A new shipment of pastel, ruffled ninon bedroom drapes has arrived at the linen department and plastic closet ensembles are available in a wide selection.

Presents With A Bright Future—

Give a smart lamp or a pair from PHILLIPS ELECTRIC COMPANY. Attractive lamps with handpainted ceramic bases in period style and modern style in pottery, wood and metal in a choice of shapes and sizes are featured. Beautifully made shades of silk in ruffled or tailored styles, floor lamp shades are featured in rich decorator colors of cherry rose and hunter green to add a new trend to your decor. There is an outstanding choice in both lamps and shades.

Patterns For Any Decor—

Whether you're carpeting wall-to-wall or buying a rug to fit your room, you'll find patterns and colors at MIDLAND HARDWARE FLOOR COVERING DEPARTMENT that lend themselves to any type of decor. French Provincial is featured in green, rose, beige and blue. Swedish Modern is available for a fine soft effect. Round-Ware Wilton appeals to those who prefer a more sturdy effect. It is available in green, grey, beige and rose for any room setting. Custom made chenille rugs as individual as your fingerprint, are designed for you in your choice of colors and sizes. There are 2,000 colors to select from.

A Gift Of Joy For Years To Come—

Be a practical Santa and give her a gift for a year 'round Christmas! Give her a gift that means hours of leisure. Choose a fine nationally advertised vacuum cleaner from the wide selection featured by G. BLAINE LUSE. Mr. Luse, a distributor for 10 counties, is representative for Eureka, Premiere, Kirby and G-E Vacuum Cleaners. He also offers expert rebalancing and service on all makes. He will give you a better trade-in on your present cleaner. Call 2500.

Fireplace Accessories—

Home lovers will be thrilled with a fireplace ensemble from MIDLAND HARDWARE APPLIANCE DEPARTMENT. They are featured in hammered designs in antique brass finish. There are andirons, fire sets and fire screens. The fire screen adds beauty and lends positive protection from your fireplace. It sits flush against the fireplace preventing sparks from escaping. These beautiful brass accessories will add charm and decoration to your fireplace.

Covered With Beauty—

Boltaflex, featured at MILLER BROTHERS TRIM SHOP, is a sensation wherever women insist on fine, colorful upholstering material. This new all-plastic material is the answer to the housewife's dreams. It comes in a complete line of glowing colors, soft pastels, he-man dark shades. Mere soap and water keeps it clean. It resists scuffing, won't fade nor peel, is ideal for living rooms, dining rooms, kitchens, bathrooms, libraries. Be your own decorator and buy Boltaflex by the yard in quilted or plain patterns.

Sturdy Highchairs—

A sturdy highchair in natural finish birch, from MIDLAND HARDWARE BABY LAND, will make mealtime an occasion for your youngster. You'll like the smooth, roomy, adjustable tray that can be washed with soap and water. They are available with wood or plastic trays and are safe and sturdy so that he can't tip or fall out. Some are decorated with quaint little nursery characters, others are plain natural finish birch. All are of the finest construction.

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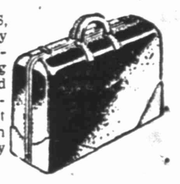
Scaled to fit your living room—custom made in your choice of style and upholstered in your favorite material—this is the modern way to furnish your home. MIDLAND HARDWARE FURNITURE DEPARTMENT makes no extra charge for planning your furniture and scaling it to fit your room. Sectional sofas in any size, style and material are custom-built to fit your living room arrangement. Visit Midland Hardware Furniture Department and let them help you plan your living room. This furniture fits into any setting—modern or traditional. Choose from a wide choice of fabrics including matelasse, frieze, metallics and many others.

Gifts For Travelers—



The travel-wise luggage, featured at CARL'S, is a perfect gift for Him. This superb quality luggage is magnificent—made of genuine California saddle leather equipped with gleaming brass locks, it is of natural colored leather and available in any number of pieces. Also available in open stock, you can give him a start that he can add to later. He'll thank you each time he has occasion to use it for he can carry it with pride

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Every youngster loves a hobby horse—and when they find the hobby horse really gallops they'll have a hilarious time Make this the grandest Christmas your youngsters ever had by choosing their toys from MIDLAND HARDWARE. There are wagons, scooters, tricycles, bikes, slides and a number of things to have fun with. Your little girl will be delighted with a fine doll buggy. There are buggies covered with leatherette or fiber.

From Santa's Workshop—

Tavern's whimsical little candle folk add a cheerful note of festivity throughout the whole holiday season—brighten up table and mantle decorations with colorful charm and Christmas spirit. Tavern Holiday Candles are featured in a wide assortment at MIDLAND HARDWARE GIFT DEPARTMENT. Select Santa-On-His-Sleigh, cute little fawns, choir boys, snowmen, or any others in the wide choice. They make welcomed, inexpensive presents, too—packaged in gay gift boxes. You'll love them! Enjoy an even merrier Christmas this year. There are also graceful tapered candles in many attractive colors, hand dipped in special selected waxes.

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Start a Dazey chain of kitchen aids from MIDLAND HARDWARE HOUSEWARES DEPARTMENT. The Christmas bride would love a "shower of Dazeys." Smart gift packages of Dazey can opener and sharpit, or you can give her one of the 3, 4 or 5-item gift packages of Dazey Kitchen Aids —or buy a Dazey singly. All fit the famous Dazey wall bracket; and are available in Dazey Kitchen-Tested Colors; red, yellow, black or green and all chrome. There is the cocktail hour that is a shaker and ice crusher and also the nut cracker set.

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SOCIETY

Terminal Branch Of Library Opens With 500 Books

More than 50 juveniles and a number of adults registered at the Terminal Branch of the Midland County Library which opened Tuesday.

The Midland Service League is assisting the Library with the branch and members of the league will work in it. Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Jr., Mrs. Roy Parks, Jr., and Mrs. Ronald Jarrett represented the League Tuesday.

It was decided that the branch will be open from 2 to 5 p.m on Tuesdays and Thursdays and that a Children's Story Hour will be held on Saturdays, beginning after the holidays.

About 500 books and a number of magazines are included in the branch collection and these will be rotated with books from the main library in the county courthouse.

Sliced persimmons served with cream cheese and crisp celery crackers make a happy ending to a holiday meal.

Mrs. Sleeper, Bride, Honored With Coffee

Complimenting Mrs. James Lockert Sleeper, Autumn bride, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton was hostess in her home Wednesday morning with an informal coffee.

The Sleepers, married in El Paso in late October, returned to Midland after a trip to Mexico and lately have established a home at 608 Watson Street. Mrs. Sleeper was Elizabeth Smith of Midland and El Paso before the marriage.

Decorated for the holiday season, the Hamilton home was a cheerful setting for the coffee, to which friends were invited for periods of visiting with Mrs. Sleeper.

Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mrs. Thornton Hardie and Mrs. D. C. Sivalls assisted Mrs. Hamilton in greeting the callers and serving the coffee.

Cubes of beef or lamb may be marinated in a mixture of lemon juice and olive oil, salt, pepper, and oregano, and then put on skewers with slices of green pepper and onion and broiled.

Country Club's New Women Members To Be Luncheon Guests

Women who have become members of the Midland Country Club during 1949 will be the honor guests at the Ladies Golf Association luncheon Friday, and those who have been members longer are invited to be present to welcome the newcomers.

The luncheon will be the only December meeting of the Golf Association, and will start at 12:45 p.m. in the clubhouse, Mrs. A. Knickerbocker, president, announces.

Mrs. Frank Ashby, golf chairman, is in charge of presentation of awards to winners in a women's ringer tournament which has been in progress for women of the country club for several weeks.

PARTY DATE SET

McCAMEY—The annual Christmas party of the Order of Eastern Star was planned at the regular meeting this week. It will be in the meeting hall on December 22. Two guests, Ida Lee and Anna McCollum, were present with 20 members at the regular meeting.

First Methodist Church Choir And Soloists To Present Cantata

"The Christ Child," Hawley, is the cantata chosen by the First Methodist Church choir for its Christmas musical program this year. It will be presented at 5 p.m. Sunday in the church auditorium, with Don Moore as director and Homer B. Meek, Jr., as organist.

The church will be lighted by candles set in greenery on the altar and choir rails and in the windows.

An organ prelude begins the cantata. The selections in Part I follow:

"The Voice of One Crying in the Wilderness," soprano solo, Mrs. Kenneth McFarland.

"Arise, Shine," chorus.

"The Angel was Sent From God," alto recitative, Mrs. J. C. Ratliff.

Bass Solo

"The People That Walked in Darkness Have Seen a Great Light," bass solo, Fred Carroll.

"He Shall Feed His Flock," women's voices.

"How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," chorus.

"My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord," soprano solo, Mrs. Wilson Blurton.

"Sing, O Heavens," chorus.

"Adeste Fideles," chorus and congregation.

Part II of the cantata begins with another organ solo, "The Plains of Bethlehem," and a soprano solo, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," by Mrs. Blurton. The remaining songs are:

"Fear Not," bass solo, Fred Carroll.

"Glory to God in the Highest," chorus.

Sopranos With Choir

"Peace on Earth, Goodwill to Men," chorus and soprano solos.

"Holy Night, Peaceful Night," chorus and soprano solos.

"O Praise the Lord," finale by the chorus.

The choir will present special Christmas music at the morning service of the First Methodist Church also. The anthem for that service will be "The Glory of the Lord," from Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah."

In addition to the soloists, personnel of the choir includes:

Sopranos — Mrs. Hugh Tanner, Mrs. J. R. Smith, Mrs. Kenneth Baker, Mrs. Ferd Rhodes, Ruth Ann Rhodes, Rosalynn Leggett, Myra McReyonlds, Mrs. Dan Gillett, Mrs. Paul Bowman, Mrs. Jack Chase, Mrs. O. F. Mason and Billie Prothro.

Altos — Lotta Williams, Carolyn Oates, Ruby Millard, Lilas Stewart, Jan Fuller, Mrs. Charles Reeder, Mrs. Arvid Augustson and Ramona Willis.

Tenors — R. C. Michener, George Vannaman and Chuck Einarsen, and basses — Paul Bowman, Lamar Kopecky, Howard Davy, Alex Oates and O. F. Mason.

Lucille Wemple Is In Pre-Christmas Activity At College

Lucille Wemple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Wemple of Midland and a sophomore student in Hockaday Junior College at Dallas, is expected to arrive Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents. She plans also to visit in Austin and Laredo and in Monterrey, Mexico.

Miss Wemple designed and helped execute the stage settings for the Christmas Wassail pageant and

Lucille Wemple

party Wednesday, given by the college's sophomore class in nonor of the freshmen. She also attended the president's formal Christmas dinner Wednesday night.

Last Sunday she took part in the Christmas vesper services in the Great Hall of the college. A cantata, "The Christ Child," was presented as a part of that service.

The Christmas vacation will end with the resumption of classes January 4 at Hockaday.

Navajo Student To Be Guest Speaker At Youth Center

Wilbur Dixon, a student at McMurry College in Abilene and a Navajo Indian, will speak at the Midland Youth Center's "Tree for the Navajo" Tuesday night.

The program will begin at 7 p.m. and will be a parent night as well. Dixon will speak about his people and their customs. He will arrive in Midland Tuesday afternoon and go home that night.

Plans for the Tuesday evening program include an amateur hour.

Guest Speaks On Club Theme Of Friendship

Pictures in words and on film of the lives of residents in several European countries were given the Twentieth Century Study Club members and guests at their Christmas party Tuesday by Esther Sorensen of Lubbock, who visited England, Holland, France, Switzerland, Italy and the Scandinavian countries in the Summer.

In Denmark she was a guest of a relative whom she never had seen, and she attended an international meeting of home economists in Sweden. Miss Sorensen is with the State Bureau of Vocational Education as a supervisor of homemaking programs. She is a graduate of Kansas State College and holds a masters degree from Columbia University.

Her Scandinavian relationship is apparent in the appearance of Miss Sorensen, a slender blonde. She displayed silver, linen and art objects which she brought home as souvenirs of her visit in Denmark and showed colored slides made from photographs she took.

She told the club group she was impressed with the cleanliness and beauty which she found everywhere in the Northern European countries. People there, she said, have found a more leisurely way of life and take time to fill drab corners with flowers and enjoy the art of living.

Swedish Theme

The meeting was in the home of Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Jr., with Mrs. H. H. Redding, Mrs. James O. Simmons, Jr., Mrs. Duke Jimerson and Mrs. Harlan Howell as assisting hostesses. The program and the decorative theme, "Swedish Christmas," was in keeping with the year's course on "International Friendship" in which the club is studying people rather than politics of many countries.

A vocal solo, "No Room," by Mrs. Jimerson with Mrs. Joseph Mims as pianist and Mrs. Ed S. Hitchcock playing a violin obbligato, completed the program. Mrs. Ray Howard impersonated Yule Nisen, the Scandinavian Santa Claus, to present favors and gifts which members exchanged.

The refreshment table was centered with a Christmas tree made of rows of green chintz ruffles edged with red rick-rack. Two large red candles were placed on either side of it, on a red cloth. The small cakes served with the tea held tiny flags of Scandinavian nations.

Guests of the club, in addition to those on program, were Mrs. Charles L. Snure, Mrs. Earl McDowell, Mrs. C. D. Hodges, Mrs. J. M. Grimland, Jr., Mrs. Brandon E. Rea, Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Mrs. J. S. Rhoden, Mrs. A. A. Jones, Mrs. J. O Hyde, Mrs. Paul Crandell of Rankin, Mrs. E. F. Fenstermaker and Mrs. Ernest Neill.

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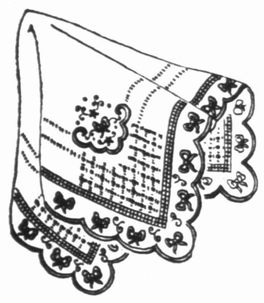

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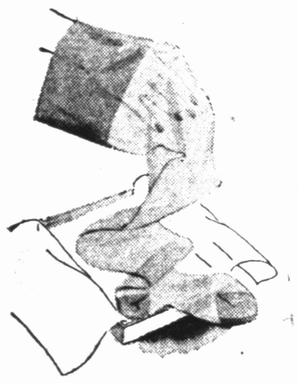

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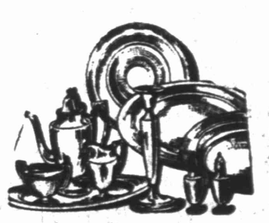

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Behold, God will not cast away a perfect man.—Job 8:20.

Vote May Be Road-Block

Americans find it hard to get steamed up over issues like what is to happen to Italy's prewar colonies in Northern Africa. But there's a good reason why they ought to care: the world's colonial areas today are prize breeding spots for communism.

World War I generated a great upsurge in nationalist sentiment among subject peoples in Europe and elsewhere. New nations were carved out. It is now abundantly clear that World War II unleashed a similar powerful drive toward self-determination among colonial peoples.

India's independence, the newly conceived United States of Indonesia, the end of the British mandate in Palestine, these are milestones in that drive.

There is no question the Arab populations of Libya, Eritrea and Italian Somaliland, Italy's African colonies, have felt the contagion of this movement for independence.

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The existence of the United Nations has been a compelling factor in cementing bonds between colonial peoples in widely scattered areas. Countries which have racial or religious ties with colonial groups have a real voice in the world forum for the first time. They have made themselves heard.

Moscow correctly gauged the social and political ferment stirred by the war. It has stepped up Communist agitation among colonial peoples, hoping to warp their intense feelings to Russia's purposes of world domination.

Nowhere has the Soviet Union succeeded. But the scale of Communist activity remains a constant threat, a steady prod to the western nations to deal fairly and intelligently with the populations now pressing for freedom.

Viewed against this backdrop, the UN's compromise solution on the Italian colonies probably will satisfy most fair-minded Americans.

The UN General Assembly approved a resolution providing independence for Libya by Jan. 1, 1952; independence for Somaliland after 10 years under Italian trusteeship, and a decision on Eritrea in the 1950 session of the assembly.

Both in area and population, Libya is by all odds the most important of the three. Within its borders is the big city of Tripoli. Hence it appears a fortunate decision that independence should have been decreed earliest for that colony.

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Normally the actions of the General Assembly are not binding but merely have the force of recommendations. This particular decision is final, however, because the United States, Britain, France and Russia promised in the Italian peace treaty to accept the assembly's determination of the problem. The four powers were unable to agree among themselves.

Russia was one of nine nations which abstained from voting on the decisive resolution. Some UN delegates foresaw that the Soviet Union would not accept the assembly action. But such an attitude could have no practical effect toward preventing execution of the decisions, for the colonies currently are being administered by Britain and France.

Russia's counter-proposals called for immediate independence of Libya and freedom for Somaliland and Eritrea within five years. They never were voted on by the assembly.

It is likely that the agreed solution will go a long way toward eliminating Italian colonies as fertile spawning grounds for the enemies of the free world.

Call For 'Cross-Education'

Secretary of Defense Louis A. Johnson seems to have scored well in his first attempt at "cross-educating" the top men of the three chief defense branches—Army, Navy and Air Forces.

He took Army and Air Force leaders aboard the big carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt for a starter. According to reports, the experience proved his point perhaps better than he imagined it would.

By their detailed questions, the visiting firemen showed they had very little idea of some of the most basic facts about aircraft carriers. Men who wish to help make decisions about the future role of the Navy in defense demonstrated that they were not soundly grounded in the information vital to such determinations.

The process of broadening their education, and of course that of Navy men who may be equally ill-informed about land and air operations, should continue on an earnest level until the United States has a group of defense leaders who thoroughly are equipped for the joint decisions that our increasingly unified service establishment requires.

One way to gain popularity is to be unlucky at cards, says a writer. Except when you're playing with partners.

The sunburn season is over and it's okay now to give a person a pat on the back.

Speedy driving not only helps you to see this world, but often the next.

What A Brood!

DREW PEARSON ON The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

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Drew Pearson says: Snyder and Eccles are asked to cease their "public squabbling;" Eccles wants to discourage dumping government bonds; Snyder says Congress is responsible for inflation trends.

WASHINGTON — The inflation row between Secretary of the Treasury Snyder and Federal Reserve Dynamo Marriner Eccles attracted headlines a few days ago. But when the two men met behind the closed doors of a Senate committee, the final results of the feud were hushed up.

It was Snyder who, perhaps knowing he would be no match for the shrewd and experienced Eccles, insisted on a closed-door meeting. However, here is what happened.

Present at the Senate session was Tom McCabe, popular, easy-going Federal Reserve chairman who agrees with Snyder on most things, and who pleaded with both Eccles and Snyder to cease their "public squabbling" because of repercussions on business and the stock market.

Eccles shot back that stock-market reaction to his dispute with Snyder was far outweighed by the future economic and financial welfare of the nation. It would be better to have a showdown now, public or otherwise, he said, rather than wait until inflation hits us.

"The press has made this a personal dispute between Secretary Snyder and myself, but it's not that at all," Eccles declared. "It's a question of deep, fundamental policy that affects the future welfare of every man, woman and child in the United States. The Federal Reserve System cannot adequately carry out its obligation to control inflationary trends while the Treasury continues to borrow at fixed, low interest charges."

Government Bonds Dumped

The interest rate (now averaging about 2.2 per cent on long- and short-term government securities) should be somewhat higher, Eccles contended, to discourage dumping of government bonds by banks, insurance companies and other big purchasers. Also, it should be more flexible, he argued, so the Federal Reserve Board could use it as a lever to prevent either an over-expansion or a tightening of bank credit.

Interest rates on government securities naturally influence the rates on commercial loans, Eccles pointed out, and therefore the quantity of such credit—which the reserve system is expected to control.

"Well, the Treasury has obligations, also," argued Snyder. "Let the interest rate go up on government bonds and there will be a howl from farmers and other groups, who will then have to pay higher financing charges on private loans and mortgages."

Turning to Senator Douglas of Illinois, chairman of the meeting, Snyder remarked that Congress was chiefly responsible for inflation trends.

"Inflation originates in the Congress," he commented, tartly. "If Congress votes to appropriate great sums of money and then doesn't increase taxes to balance this spending, you are making inflation. You can't build up big deficits without taking risks."

The Treasury chief added that the low interest the government was paying on its bond issues represented that much of a saving to the taxpayer and helped to balance the budget. However, Eccles shot back that it did nothing of the kind, but was a rob-Peter-to-pay-Paul policy which actually cost the taxpayers more in the long run.

Low interest rates on government bonds often lead to dumping by big investors, who prefer to reinvest their money in less secure, but more profitable commercial loans, he explained. Since the Federal Reserve System is required by law to buy up the bonds dumped on the open market, this further increases national bank reserves—money is then issued.

The amount of money the Treasury is saving now by its fixed, low interest rates, is only a pittance compared with the future cost of inflation—if Snyder continues his present policy, Eccles warned.

Merry-Go-Round

George Craig, first World War II vet to command the American Legion, had four years active combat service, and really is fighting in peace for the democratic ideals we had in war . . . Courageous Congressman Andy Biemiller of Wisconsin deserves credit for taking Judge Armstrong's "Bonus-for Bigotry" foundation off of the government's tax-exempt list . . . U. S. Ambassador James Clement Dunn, now in Rome, is angling for the highly prized post of ambassador to the Court of St. James . . . Senator Pat McCarran now thinks he is almost as important as the President. When McCarran returned to Washington last week, the entire staff of the Senate Judiciary Committee was lined up waiting to greet him like a returning potentate . . . Avra M. Warren, now American ambassador to Finland, will be the next U. S. envoy to Pakistan . . . The Navy has just developed the world's most powerful airplane engine. It will outfly even the fastest Russian jet . . . A long-suppressed feud between Secretary of Defense Johnson and Atomic Energy Chairman David Lilienthal is about to break into the open . . . The real estate lobby has a new device for killing rent controls. It is fixing up a list of vacant apartments in overcrowded Washington exclusively for congressmen who want to rent—just to show there's no housing shortage.

Airline Lobbyist

You've got to hand it to Pan American Airways for being versatile when it comes to lobbying. All during the 80th Republican Congress they depended on GOP Senator Brewster of Maine and Sam Pryor, former GOP committeeman from Connecticut, to do their lobbying. In fact, only one Democrat, Carroll Cone, was on their lobbying payroll, and prior to November 1948 he was expected to exit after the elections.

Immediately after the elections, however, Carroll Cone, Democrat, went up in value to Pan American, and he now may become a vice president.

But in addition, Clark Clifford, soon to leave the White House for the law-lobbying business, will become the brightest star in Pan Am's lobbying army.

Note—Pan American has just put across a neat piece of lobbying with the Civil Aeronautics Board, by which it gets one foot in the door on the route to Rome. This route belongs to TWA. But Pan Am used the excuse of carrying Holy Year pilgrims, and CAB gave it a special route to Rome. It will be interesting to see whether the route is surrendered after Holy Year is over.

What's RIGHT?

A friend of yours from out of town is visiting a couple you know only slightly.

WRONG WAY: Invite the visiting friend to your home for dinner, but do not feel that it is necessary to include the friend's host and hostess in the invitation.

RIGHT WAY: Realize that the visitor cannot accept your invitation unless it includes the host and hostess in whose home the guest

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

Lately too many fairly good players have fallen into the bad habit of not wanting to throw a high discard to their partners to encourage them to switch from one suit to another. This was pointed out in today's hand by J. Leon Horkitz of Atlantic City, N. J., who said, "There are time when you must waste a high card."

The double of one no trump by North is a little dangerous, but if South has a fair share of high cards it may collect a good penalty, as East and West are vulnerable.

Horkitz, sitting North, did not open his partner's diamond suit, but led the five of hearts. South won the trick with the ace and returned the nine of hearts, which North won with the jack.

The king was cashed and North continued with the seven and deuce of hearts. The first discard South made was the deuce of clubs. Then he discarded the seven of diamonds. North led a small diamond, which South won with the ace. He now made the mistake of returning a small club and the contract was made.

South should have done one of two things. If he did not want to discard his ten of spades, then certainly, when he won the diamond trick with the ace he should have shifted to the jack of spades.

However, if South will discard the ten of spades instead of the seven of diamonds, there is no guesswork to the hand. North will return the deuce of spades after he has taken the last heart trick. South will win the spade with the jack, cash the king of spades and lead the four of spades.

North will win with the ace and play his long spade, then shift to a diamond, and North and South will cash the first ten tricks.

J. Leon Horkitz

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Lesson Hand—E-W vul.

South	West	North	East
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Opening—♥ 5 15

So they say

Q—What is the fastest speed ever traveled by man on land?

A—On one of his speed car runs at Bonneville, Utah, Sept. 16, 1947, John R. Cobb was timed at 403.135 miles an hour, the fastest ever traveled by man on land.

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Q—When was the first national forest in the United States created?

A—The first forest reserve—the Yellowstone Park Timberland Reserve—was created by President Harrison on Sept. 16, 1891. The land included within this reserve now forms parts of several national forests in Montana, Idaho, and Wyoming, adjacent to the Yellowstone National Park.

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Q—How did the city of Beacon, New York, receive its name?

A—The city takes its name from the beacon fires which were burned on the summit of Mount Beacon to warn Washington, at Newburgh, of British movements up the Hudson.

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Q—Is grazing by livestock harmful to hardwood forests?

A—Yes. Hardwood forests should be protected from grazing, because livestock browse the young trees

★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

X-Ray Is Favored Attack Against Hodgkin's Disease

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

Hodgkin's disease is more common in young people than in older ones and more frequent in men than in women. It has been reported from every part of the world. There is no danger of catching it from a patient. The first sign is usually but not always enlargement of the lymph glands in the neck. The swollen glands are not painful.

After a while, perhaps months or years later, glands in other parts of the body may become enlarged. The victim generally feels well for a long time, but gradually anemia tends to develop. A small amount of fever may be present and the patient slowly becomes thin.

The patient with Hodgkin's disease usually goes through periods of remarkable improvement. The enlarged lymph gland may disappear almost completely and the general condition may improve for a long time.

Cause Not Certain

The lymph glands and the spleen which are affected in Hodgkin's disease are part of a chain or group of tissues, called the reticuloendothelial system. The fact that this system is attacked has raised the question of some infection being at fault. So far, however, no germ or virus has ever been proved as the cause.

The favorite form of treatment has been X-rays. This often causes improvement lasting for months at a time. Treatment with drugs has not been particularly successful.

Recently there have been several favorable reports on the treatment of patients with Hodgkin's disease with preparations called "mitrogen mustards." These substances seem to be quite helpful for some patients who have become resistant to X-rays.

Two or three years ago a Hodgkin's Research Foundation to support investigations on this disease was established.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS
By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

QUESTION: Does smoking during pregnancy harm the child?

ANSWER: It is unlikely that smoking during pregnancy hurts the unborn child. Many obstetricians recommend that the mother should not smoke too much during pregnancy because of possibility of harm to herself. However, opinion on this matter is not entirely clear.

Holiday Warning Issued To Drivers

AUSTIN—(AP)—Drunk drivers will go to jail if the Department of Public Safety catches them—particularly during the holiday season.

The warning was voiced by Homer Garrison, Jr., public safety director, who explained:

"Anyone who thinks that drinking and driving can be mixed should take a closer look at the statistics. On the basis of all fatal traffic accidents in 1948, it was found that one-fourth of the drivers and pedestrians killed had been drinking. This is strong evidence that drinking greatly increases traffic hazards to both motorists and pedestrians.

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Questions and Answers

I believe the President should use the Taft-Hartley Act, but I don't believe he should use it except in case of an emergency where the public health and welfare of the people are affected.

—Sen. Robert Taft (R) Ohio.

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I found evidence of a basic faith in the soundness of our economy and our way of life.

—Commerce Secretary Sawyer, after surveying the nation's business.

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The State Department no longer can expect to determine a course of action in the Far East and then come to Congress expecting us to sign on the dotted line. We want to be told what's going on and have a part in deciding policy.

—Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R) New Jersey.

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There is no antidote to inflation equal to the development of a budget surplus and the use of that surplus to retire debt.

—Chairman Thomas B. McCabe of Federal Reserve Board.

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The press, the people, everybody has been wonderful. It has been a real pleasure to co-operate with them. I appreciate it and Mrs. Barkley does very much.

—Vice President Barkley, on his honeymoon.

BAPTISTS TO MEET

DALLAS —(AP)— Baptist Sunday School workers from 22 states will meet here in a southwide conference December 27-30. Six thousand baptists from all over the Southern Baptist Convention are expected to attend. Texas Baptists will be hosts.

I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

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THE STORY: After our elopement, John and I decide to look for a place for John to open his office as a doctor. We want four rooms to accommodate both home and office and the location must be desirable. Mother has just given me a tip on a location recently vacated by a doctor and we are going to see it tomorrow. Today we are going to a farewell party at the hospital where John is finishing up as intern.

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IT was a moment or two before anyone became aware of our presence. Bob Abbott, John's best friend, was playing ping-pong with what looked like a brand new girl, in the corner. Bob was the Beau Geste of the medical tribe. He dressed like a Fifth Avenue dummy, behaved as much like a Casanovic sultan building up a harem as society allows, and seemed to think that he was What Every Young Girl Should Know. Karl Holzmann, and his wife Trudy, a pretty Austrian girl, were dancing in the center of the room, while about five other couples were floating around.

"Hi," said Bob, dropping his racket, "look who's here!"

Everybody else pounced on us too. Janet Grayson began to pound "Here Comes the Bride" on the piano, but was almost completely drowned out by their noisy greetings.

Gert Shaw, Alec's wife, imported two years before from the wilds of Montana, came forward next. "Blankety blank," she began, and we all roared expectantly. Gert's profanity, which slipped so effortlessly and naturally into her everyday speech, had long since passed the shocking stage, and became, instead, a hospital landmark. Her words were all uttered with the casual detachment of a radio announcer rendering the baseball scores, followed by a forecast of the weather.

"Bring on the gifts," said Hilda Emmett, and I knew immediately that with her usual officiousness, Hilda had put herself in sole charge of selecting, wrapping, and producing the presents. She was born to collect dimes on street corners for worthy causes, to organize polite assistance for expectant catastrophes.

There was a pop-up toaster for us, a cocktail shaker with six glasses, and two guest towels.

"Oh, you shouldn't have." I said, knowing that they had spent their entire last month's pay, "but I'm glad you did."

By now, the party was in top swing, with the radio going full force and everyone dancing with everyone else. Suddenly, we all stopped moving, as Miss O'Grady, the night supervisor of nurses came and stood in the doorway with a plea for less noise.

"It's carrying a little into the wards, upstairs," she explained.

"We're terribly sorry," we apologized immediately, and offered her a quick drink before going back on duty.

"You take one too," Bob said to me, as she left, but John, who had come up to where we were standing, answered for me: "She doesn't like it, Bob, and I'm getting tired of drinking the ones everybody forces on her."

My dislike for alcoholic beverages had often been a major social sin during my adolescent years. Not that I am against liquor as such. I would certainly never demonstrate against the Demon Rum, or write my Congressman about it either. If everyone else wanted to go on a 10 day binge without bothering me, I would never complain—even if I do privately think that inebriation is a pitifully foolish state, and smells bad. It is unfortunate, however, that as far as I am concerned, the stuff tastes like a mixture of floor shellac, castor oil, camphor balls, and medicated cough drops.

But so great is the intolerance of the drinker for the root beer fan, that for years I would order drinks upon request, and leave them wastefully behind, purely as a gesture of self-defense. Now, as John spoke, I sensed a new liberation.

"You do as you please," he went on, turning to me, "and ignore the remarks. Come on, darling, we'll get you a good ginger ale before you die of thirst."

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AS we approached the refreshment table, I suddenly remembered that we hadn't told anyone of our new housing lead.

"That's a pretty good neighborhood," Janet Grayson said, after I made our announcement. She and Hank would be needing a place of their own in another few months, and it was obvious that she had already been brushing up on locations.

"I hope you get it," Bob said sincerely, "and if there's anything I can do, just let me know."

Alec and Gert Shaw promised to come over and answer the telephone for us when we wanted to go to a movie.

"That's right," Janet said, "you need a baby sitter for a doctor's telephone. You'll find yourself rather tied down."

John laughed. "Who'll call?" he asked. "I don't even have an office yet, or a patient, either."

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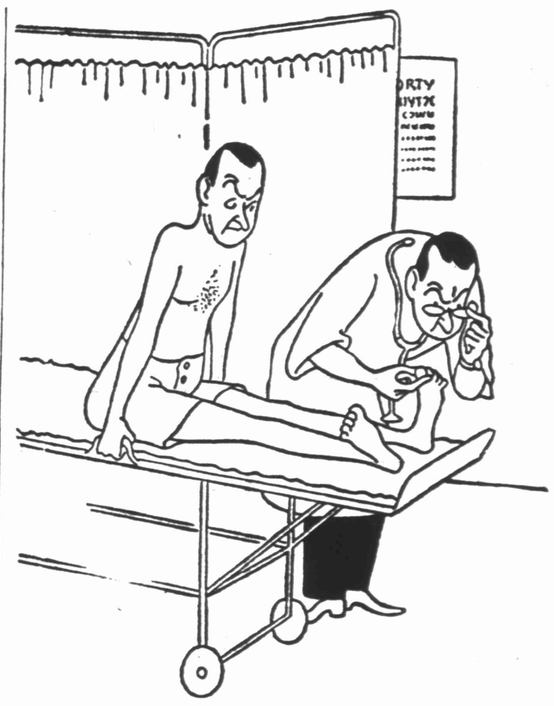
THE next morning, of course, we overslept, but soon after we did awaken we were heading for Longview Road.

As we neared our destination, I could see that we were in a middling part of town. Not that King Midas had any relatives there, but a careful appraisal assured me that this wasn't Tobacco Road, either.

The apartment houses on either side, were high and well kept, and the children crowding the streets were noisy and messed, but not in rags. No. 42, the house on the corner, was only one block and a half from the subway station, and a cross-town bus stopped at the far east side. With quick sighs of relief, we both checked off "location" and stopped still in front of the building.

We both noticed the black and white sign, in the street entrance of the ground floor apartment, which said: "Four room apartment for rent: Inquire Superintendent in rear."

John obediently set off for the rear, while I waited impatiently up front. Restlessly, I tried the street door, and to my surprise, it opened.



All the clamor and congestion in the street was supposed to be good for a young doctor just starting out.

The invitation was too pointed to ignore.

There was a short entrance hall leading ahead into a medium-sized foyer about six feet wide and 12 feet long. On the right of the foyer were two doors leading into two large rooms. In the center of the foyer's back wall, there was the opening for the unusually-large kitchen, while to the far left was a little hall with a bedroom and bath off of it. The entire apartment was immaculately clean.

So engrossed was I in examining the place, that I never even noticed John's entrance with the superintendent's wife, until a voice behind me asked, "Like it?"

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I JUMPED and turned around.

"Darling," I nearly hugged him in my excitement. "Isn't it wonderful? Isn't it perfect? Can't you just see us living here, John?"

The superintendent's wife, who until then had seemed bored with the routine of showing a vacancy, smiled.

"Newlyweds?" she asked, more as if stating a fact.

I grinned back at her. "Doesn't it show like a rash, Mrs. —"

"Lang," the superintendent's wife replied. She was a heavy-set woman, but with a surprisingly young-looking face, and kind, bright, blue eyes. As we stood laughing at each other, I felt that I had made a new friend.

"Oh yes," she said merrily, "when you're married over 20 years like me, you can always spot it when it's brand new."

"A whole month," I told her, "next week."

"Tell you what," Freda said, when she heard how we had looked and looked for a place to live, "this is a good apartment for a doctor. Feller here before, Dr. Trent, do you know him?" We shook our heads, no. "Well, anyway, he did fine here. Had to move just because they were having twins. They were newlyweds also when they moved in, but a lot older than you two."

We opened closets and looked in cabinets and even Freda joined in the fun of planning the layout.

Suddenly I stopped short. "For Heaven's sake," I remembered. "My mother said not to seem over-anxious or they'd quote the highest price. We spilled the beans!"

John laughed. "Two big financiers," he said, "that's us."

(To Be Continued.)

Shower Honors Miss Harrison

Dorothy Harrison, bride-elect of Bob Martyn, was honored with a pottery and crystal shower Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Cecil Stevens. Mrs. Varyna Brashears and Mrs. Stevens were the hostesses.

Miss Harrison will be married in Midland on December 31 in the First Methodist Church.

A Christmas theme was used in the decorations and was carried out on the serving table with a lace cloth over red. The centerpiece was a large cake with "Dot and Bob" written on it in red. The punch was green.

Red candles, tied with white satin bows, were used near the bride's book and a Christmas tree and other holiday decorations were used in other parts of the house.

Mrs. Stevens, Miss Harrison, Mrs. H. L. Harrison, mother of the bride-elect and Mrs. C. D. Martyn of Lubbock, mother of the prospective bridegroom, were in the receiving line. Mrs. Horace Underwood served the cake and Mrs. Brashears, the punch. Shirley Harrison, sister of the bride-elect who will be her maid of honor, was at the bride's book.

About 50 guests called and sent gifts.

STUDENT TO ARRIVE

Billie Pigg, a junior student in Abilene Christian College, is expected to arrive Friday to spend the holidays with her parents.

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Parties At Rankin Fete Miss Workman And Joe McCommic

RANKIN — Mary Ann Workman and Joe T. McCommic, Jr., who are to be married December 23, have been honored at several recent parties. Their wedding is planned in the Rankin Methodist Church.

The bride-elect was complimented with a shower Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Walton Harral. Mrs. C. G. Taylor, Mrs. Clint Shaw, Mrs. C. J. Holcomb, Mrs. Elizabeth Rains, Mrs. Dunn Lowery and Mrs. Ralph Daugherty were hostesses with Mrs. Harral.

Silver, white and red, colors chosen by Miss Workman for her wedding, were used in the decorations. A silvered Christmas tree was hung with bright red glass balls. The tea table had a smaller white tree in a circle of satin and tulle as a centerpiece, with white tapers in silver candelabra on either side. White carnations interlaced with silver and flanked by white candles made an arrangement on a side table.

For the party the honoree wore a black and gold taffeta frock with gold accessories. She and her mother, Mrs. Tom Workman, were presented corsages of white carnations tied with silver.

Among the 54 guests who registered were Mrs. John A. Menefee of McCamey, Mrs. Harry Cowden of Crane, Mrs. Clyde E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Workman, Mrs. E. J. Compton, Mrs. J. J. Isbell and Mrs. Charles Beyers of Texon.

A dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Workman Sunday night was a courtesy for the couple. Christmas decorations were used. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Workman, Darlene Workman, Mr. and Mrs. David Workman, Cathy Ann Workman, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Menefee and David Workman.

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Christmas Program Presented For Club

Christmas sprays and "Merry Christmas" lettered across the drapes decorated Mrs. O. E. Messersmith's home Wednesday when she was hostess to the Garden Addition Home Demonstration Club. This was the club's Christmas party and only a short business session was held.

Aileen Whitaker read the Christmas story from the Bible and Winona Pyeatt gave a Christmas poem. Mrs. Duby Newman told a Christmas story. Gifts were exchanged and Mrs. O. E. Sherman, outgoing president of the club, was given a gift by members.

Those attending were Mrs. Mae Sammons, Mrs. H. O. Allen, Mrs. D. G. Dawkins, Mrs. C. H. Stanley, Mrs. O. J. Kniffen, Mrs. L. Cartwell and Mrs. H. Cartwell.

Dr. Lynn Speaks On 'The Bible' At Wednesday Club Meeting

Dr. R. Matthew Lynn, speaking to the Woman's Wednesday Club, said Wednesday that it is time for the Bible to be retranslated because through the centuries our languages have gone through many changes.

This was the club's Christmas meeting and guest day, in the home of Mrs. Andrew Fasken. Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, Mrs. Ben F. Black and Mrs. J. M. DeArmond assisted Mrs. Fasken as hostesses.

Dr. Lynn's topic was "The Bible in Basic English" and in illustrating his points he said that in the begining the Christmas story was told in five languages but that today it is told in 1,020 languages.

German Lullaby

Mrs. Edward Temple was the guest soloist and Mrs. Frank Miller, her accompanist. Mrs. Temple sang "The Lovely Voices of the Sky," by Matthews, "I Wonder As I Wander," and "Maria Wietenlied," by Max Reger, a German lullaby.

After Dr. Lynn's talk, Mrs. Fasken played records of "The Lord's Prayer" and "Just for Today," as sung by John Charles Thomas.

Guests of the group were Mrs. Margaret E. Murray of Toronto, Canada, Mrs. Winston Hull, Mrs. R. E. Burt of Minden, La., Mrs. J. O. Nobles, Mrs. C. J. Thompson, Mrs. Don David, Mrs. B. M. Vick, Mrs. Lynn, Mrs. R. C. Crabb, Mrs. Jack Rettig, Mrs. Harry Pryor, Mrs. Emil Rassman, Mrs. John FitzGerald.

Guests Listed

Mrs. C. S. Britt, Mrs. Tom D. Fowler, Mrs. John J. Redfern, Jr., Miss Lydie Watson, Mrs. W. T. Harris, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge and Mrs. Douglas Murry.

Other members attending were Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Mrs. Russell C. Conkling, Mrs. Allen Cowden, Mrs. Clyde Cowden, Mrs. Guy Cowden, Mrs. Marion Flynt, Mrs. George Glass, Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith, Mrs. Paxton Howard, Mrs. W. L. Kerr, Mrs. N. Dave McKee, Mrs. Erle Payne.

Mrs. John Perkins, Mrs. L. W. Sager, Mrs. Tom Sealy, Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, Mrs. C. R. Steinberger, Mrs. R. M. Turpin and Mrs. Jack Wilkinson.

Mrs. West Speaks To Progressive Study Club On 'Christmas'

Mrs. Thomas West spoke on "The Spiritual Aspect vs. the Material Aspect of Christmas" at a Progressive Study Club meeting Wednesday in the home of Mrs Kenneth Newton. There was no business session.

Members attending were Mrs. L. Otis Baggett, Mrs. Sol Bunnell, Mrs. W. E. Cox, Mrs. John DeFord, Mrs. A. A. Jones, Mrs. John K. Lydecker, Mrs. Burns McKinney, Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Frank L. True, Jr., Mrs. Haden Upchurch, Mrs. R. A. Estes and Mrs. John J. Kimberlin.

Dates Changed By Swing Away Square Dancers

A change of meeting dates to be effective in January, when 1950 officers will take their posts, was adopted by the Swing Away Square Dance Club Wednesday night, when Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald James were hosts in the Midland Officers Clubhouse.

Instead of meeting on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, the club will have its meetings on first and third Wednesdays, after the regular December 28 session. James will take office as president in January, with Hollis Newnham as vice president and George Baumgardner as secretary-treasurer. Jay Johnson is president this year, Mrs. George Parks vice president and Jesse Baker secretary-treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis L. Hardy were guests Wednesday night and instructed members in new folk dance steps. Johnson, James and Newnham served as callers for the dances.

Other guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Skaggs, Mrs. Mabel Stanley and M. I. Smallwood. Members present included Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Newnham, Mr. and Mrs. Golden Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McKee, L. A. Brunson and Daniel Peterson.

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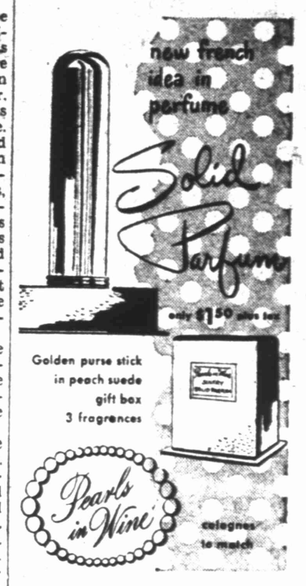
To make beef birds spread round steak rectangles that are about two by four inches with a bread dressing; roll and tie in shape. Brown in a little hot shortening, add a small amount of liquid such as water or tomato juice, season, and braise.



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Christmas Parties Entertain Members Of Girl Scout And Brownie Troops

Thinking of others as well as of their own pleasure, girls of several Brownie and Girl Scout troops enjoyed Christmas parties Wednesday and prepared gifts for the less fortunate.

Gifts and refreshments which members of Brownie Troop 5 enjoyed at their party in the home of Brenda Gale Anderson were shared with a member who is ill, when some were sent to Olivia Rayburn in her home.

Bobbie Jobe led the group in singing carols and gifts were exchanged from a tree. A box of gifts was prepared for children in the tuberculosis sanitorium at Carlsbad. Mrs. B. G. Anderson assisted her daughter in hostess duties, when refreshments were served from a table decked with holly.

Donny Joyce Nix was a guest and members present were Peggy Flynn, Ann Goodman, Molly Ann Hardwick, Leslie Harris, Virginia Howard, Virginia Lou Johnson, Patricia Morgan, Mary Frances Glasscock, Diana Owen, Carla Kay Ruff, Judith Six, Carol Wright, Patricia Nix and the readers, Mrs. Bill Glasscock and Mrs. Fred Wright, Jr.

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Members of Intermediate Troop 26 presented scarfs as gifts to their leaders, Mrs. E. R. Andres and Mrs. K. C. Heald, Jr., at their party in Mrs. Andres' home. They exchanged gifts and played games.

Girls attending were Mary Wynn, Peggy Hoover, Norma Hart, Joan Cunningham, Patricia Chambers, Helen Shadden and Janice Michener.

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Patsy Kimball's home at 1810 West Kentucky Street was the scene of the annual Brownie Troop 17 Santa Claus party Wednesday afternoon.

A gift exchange featured the entertainment, following which the Brownies heard recorded Christmas music and stories.

Mrs. Howard McKoy and Mrs. J. C. Blackwood, leaders, received potted poinsettias as gifts from the troop members. The leaders also presented gifts to the Brownies.

A Christmas party plate was served to Jane Armontrout, Sandra Kay Aycock, Bonnie Gay Blackwood, Betty Sue Bowman, Lorraine Collyns, Sally Glass, Sue Lynn Gregory, Marilyn Johnson, Patsy Kimball, Martha Marks, Gretchen Meisenheimer, Nancy McCall, Kay McKoy, Teresa McNeal, Sassy Rinker, Kay Stall and Virginia Warren.

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Brownie Troop 40 members met in the Educational Building of the First Baptist Church with their mothers as guests. They exchanged gifts and gave their mothers the gifts they had made for them.

Anita Lou Frizzell was initiated and received her Brownie pin.

Other members attending were Clara Lou Butcher, Carol Sue Hall, Frarylee Hardgrave, Marsha McCormick, Judy Sue Morgan, Sharon Polston, Evelyn Schafer, Sanora Scott, Janie Seifert, Marjorie Walker and Pat Webb.

Mothers attending were Mrs. R. L. McCormick, Mrs. E. L. Hardgrave, Mrs. W. T. Webb and the leader, Mrs. F. L. Houghton, Jr.

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Mrs. B. B. Leaton told the story of "The Littlest Angel" at Brownie Troop 18's party in the home of Mrs. C. O. Fredregill. Troop members decided to portray the story at their next meeting.

The girls sang Christmas songs and exchanged gifts around the Christmas tree. Other decorations included poinsettias, candles, snow men, holly and mistletoe on the serving table and mantel.

Benita Oldacker was a guest of the group and members present were Bennie Brown, Betty Adams, Bobbie Towery, Cecil Kelly, Chloe Eubanks, Jackie Brookshire, Janie Merritt, Kay Leaton, Pauline Gwyn, Patsy Wilson, Sherry Gill, Shirley Jones, Zella Booth, Mae Fern Sorge, Jeannine Connolly, Betty Bond, Barbara Harring, Margie Oldacker, Sylvia Ann Burke, Mary Jo Newman, Sonya Leaton, Lavonya Leaton and Patsy Medart. Mrs. L. D. Towery, leader, also attended.

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Members of Brownie Troop 24 sang Christmas songs and exchanged gifts when they met in the Boy Scout Hut with Mrs. Tate Brady and Mrs. Tommy Henderson as leaders.

Attending were Glenda Henderson, Mary Giesey, Nancy Dixon, Judith Sprinning, Susan Hills, Norma Grimm, Wendy Bradley, Janice Carpenter, Vicki Anderson, Cecelia Hodges, Carolyn Boles and Beverly Bradberry.

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Mrs. Bill Roush was hostess to Brownie Troop 21 in her home. Members exchanged gifts around a lighted Christmas tree and were served refreshments from a table with Santa Claus as a centerpiece. They also sang Christmas carols and Francis Cavitt brought candy for all members.

Attending were Marquita Wells, Beverley Burleson, Brenda Gouchie, Zeba Flynt, Sue Thompson, Carol Mattison, Sharon Shaw, Bernice Barron, Marjorie Davis, Glenda Brookshire, Charlotte Craig, Glenda Jo Leslie, Peggy Crabtree, Mary Gay Revel, Pamela Miles, Deanna Darr.

Guests were Mrs. W. M. Garrney, Patricia Garrney, Carolyn Sue Burleson and Billy Roush. Mrs. Fred Burleson and Mrs. Roush, leaders also were present.

Christmas Music Is On Club's Program

"The First Christmas," a story with music, was presented by members of the Young Arts Music Club at their meeting in the home of Betty Pitzer. Jane Beakey was hostess with Betty, and Tommy Miller, president, presided.

Numbers on the program were "Good King Wenceslaus," an English carol, by Kisty Howell; "Around the Christmas Tree," Eckstein, by Sue Ellen McCray, and "The Arrival of Santa," Engelmann, by Kay Little and Diane Nichols, with Eliza Jane Payne playing the bells.

Christmas charades and carols by the group completed the program. Refreshments were served and favors were given to the children.

Others present were Carol Chiles, Nancy Creswell, Johnny Daugherty, Marilyn Elder, Don Hanks, Caroline Hazlip, Janis Hill, Nancy Klingler, Jackie Matthews, Billy Dan Miller, Mary Jane Miller, Mary Lynn Osborne, Angus Smith and Lois Nell West.

Christmas Program In Latin American School Announced

Children of the Latin American School will present the Christmas story in pageant and song at their annual program beginning at 1 p.m Friday, Mrs. Lucy Mashburn, principal, announces. There will be a Christmas party for the pupils, sponsored by the American Association of University Women, and a visit from Santa Claus will be included.

All costumes, stage properties and decorations for the room and the tree have been made by art classes of the fourth and fifth grades. The program is directed by the teachers Mrs. Bill Conner, Mrs. John Colvin, Mrs. Paul Hickey, Mrs. Wayne Campbell, Mrs. W. B. Standefer, Mrs. W. B. Kalhofer and Mrs. Mashburn.

First and second grade pupils will sing "Up on the House-Tops," "Santa Claus Is Coming" and "Jingle Bells." The first grade will present a skit with songs, "I'll Hang My Stocking" and "A Letter to Santa" by Lucy and Mary Jane Cordosa.

Third grade pupils will present a song, "Merry Christmas Now Is Here," with solos by Alfreda Vela, Frances Natividad, Beatriz Costella and Esperanaza Sanchez. Fourth grade pupils, dressed in blue and silver vestments, will sing a group of songs including "White Christmas."

Wearing red vestments and carrying holly with which they will decorate the stage, girls of the fourth and fifth grades will sing "Deck the Hall." Frances Natividad, accompanied by Mrs. Campbell, will sing "Silent Night" in Spanish. All other program numbers will be in English.

The Nativity pageant will be presented by the fifth grade with Matilde Ochoa as reader. In the cast are Manuel Munoz as Caesar Augustus; Lupe Torres, Lidia Reyes and Lillie Ochoa as angels; Josephene Reyes, Mary; Roy Costillio, Joseph; Cuca Reyes, the handmaid; Johnny Moreno, the magi; Reymundo Vilarde, Jose Esponoza and Max Merino as the three kings. Boys of the third, fourth and fifth grades will play the roles of shepherds.

Rankin Class Has Christmas Party

RANKIN—Members of the Winsome Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church were guests of the Ruth Class at a luncheon in the Park Building Tuesday. Poinsettias were used in the decorations and recorded Christmas carols were played during the luncheon hour.

Present were Mrs. Allen Moore, Mrs. Mildred Ballard, Mrs. Lucile Dodson, Mrs. John D. Hurst, Mrs. W. A. Hudson, Mrs. L. C. Holcomb, Mrs. G. C. Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. W. Nickson, Mrs. J. P. Senter, Mrs. Ann Brasher, Mrs. Opal Capps, Mrs. Verna Romine, Mrs. Tiny Williams, Mrs. Jean Guest, Mrs. Gladys Treadwell, Mrs. Ethel Windham and Mrs. Mabel James.

Coming Events

then go to the home of Mrs. Robert Dewey, 1210 West College Street, for a business meeting.

Children's Theater, Group III, will meet at 4 p.m. in the City-County Auditorium.

Daleth Delphian Society will be entertained with a coffee in the home of Mrs. John S. Braun, 1201 West Cuthbert Street, at 10 a.m.

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SATURDAY

Moment Musical Junior Music Club younger group's Christmas Program will be at 3 p.m. in the Watson Studio.

Children's Story Hour will be at 10:30 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

Junior Theater will meet at the City-County Auditorium.

FRIDAY

First Baptist Alathean Class luncheon will be at 12:15 p.m. with Mrs. Ida Fay Cowden, 201 North C Street.

Ladies Golf Association luncheon for women who are new members of the Midland Country Club will be at 12:45 p.m. in the Country Club.

BS Chapter of P. E. O. will meet at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. Herbert Hemphill, 1207 West Indiana Street.

Christmas party for the girls of Honolulu Oil Company will be at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. A. R. Aytes, 1408 West Ohio Street.

Midland Oil Scouts Association annual Christmas dance will begin at 9 p.m. in the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall.

Oklahoma University Exes dance will begin at 9 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

Children's Service League will meet at 2 p.m. in its workroom and

Congratulations To Mrs. Hodge Sent By State Clubwomen

Messages from club women and other friends from all parts of Texas have come to Mrs. J. Howard Hodge this week, adding their good wishes to those expressed verbally by Midland clubwomen and some from other cities who called at the tea given in her honor Tuesday by the Midland Woman's Club.

Mrs. Hodge took office last month as president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and the tea was given by clubwomen of her home city to express their congratulations.

A lasting expression of affection and good wishes from the Woman's Club members was a silver tray in Mrs. Hodge's chosen pattern, presented by Mrs. W. C. Goldsmith, president, and displayed during the tea on a table with a bouquet of red roses given by the club officers.

Other flowers at the tea were gifts of the Midland clubs. There was a bouquet from the Garden Club Council, one from the Woman's Wednesday Club, another from the Junior Woman's Wednesday Club and still another from the Fine Arts Club. Corsages for house party members were gifts of Mr. Hodge.

Mrs. Hodge received a bouquet of flowers from Ethel Foster of Sterling City, a past president of the federation, on the day of the tea, and another from a group of Amarillo clubwomen. In addition, there were telegrams and notes from federation board members and various club members from other parts of Texas.

Miss Ellis Honored With Bridal Shower In Home At Rankin

RANKIN—Winnie Pearl Ellis was honored with a shower Monday by Mrs. Allen Moore, Mrs. Dorothy Forry and Mary McKinley. The party was in the home of Mrs. J. O. Barfield.

Miss Ellis will be married to John Kidd on December 22.

Gifts were displayed on a table centered with a miniature bride doll with pink and silver around it.

Guests were Mrs. C. P. Roady, Mrs. H. D. Shaw, Mrs. E. W. Yocham, Billie Ward, Mrs. Boyd Cox, Mrs Bill Parham, Mrs. Dunn Lowery, Mrs. Frank Parr, Mrs. Tom Workman, Mary Ann Workman, Allen Moore and Stanley Kozmor.

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McCameyite To Wed Washington Girl

McCAMEY—Mr. and Mrs. Glen P. Bates of Everett, Washington, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Hathyl Roe, to Edd Collyns Barfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Barfield of McCamey. An early Spring wedding is planned.

Miss Bates was graduated from Everett High School. Barfield is a graduate of McCamey High School and served four years in the U. S. Navy, getting his discharge last September. He now is attending Everett Junior College, but plans to further his education at Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

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Plenty Of Sugar On Way

Marilyn Cheaney, Imperial Sugar Company employe of Sugar Land, shows Garvin Cathey of Abilene, Imperial broker for this area, one of the company's new $35,000 packaging machines. It is part of a $4,000,000 improvement program being completed at the Imperial Sugar refinery, which soon will go on a 24-hour production basis to meet increased demands for sugar in this and other sections of the state.

San Angelo And San Saba Ranchers Stage Roundup Of Goats On Tiny Island

PARRAMORE ISLAND, VA. —(AP)— A couple of mounted Texans coursed the desolate thickets and sand dunes of Parramore Island Thursday getting ready for a roundup that may be tough—even for Texans.

They're going after goats—thousands of goats—that frisk on this 10-mile fringe of Virginia in the Atlantic Ocean. They're out to round them up, pen them and ship them to Texas.

Few Virginians on the mainland—separated by 15 miles of Chesapeake Bay from the eastern shore—know that Parramore has a thriving goat community. But Texas Ranchers Percy Roberts of San Angelo and Lewis Smithwick of San Saba got wind of it and made a deal with the owners of the island for the crop of goats.

The owners, Mrs. Jean M. Schmidlapp of Cincinnati and Dr. Carl Schmidlapp of New York, have a waterfowl hunting lodge in the old Coast Guard station—the only building—on the island. They put a few dozen goats on the island 10 or 12 years ago to clean out the undergrowth. The goats nibbled and browsed. They also multiplied.

Minor Consideration

Distances being a minor consideration to Texans, Roberts and Smithwick dispatched Joe Whitehead and Cliff Clary 3,000 miles to Virginia for the goat roundup. The men arrived with three cow ponies and material for fencing and penning.

After a preliminary cruise over the 15 square miles of desolation to the accompaniment of the lonely wash of the sea and the occasional bleat of an alarmed goat, Whitehead offered this observation:

"Bad."

But, added his companion from the land where seldom is heard a discouraging word:

"We've got 'em out of worse places than this."

To Ask For Herd Dogs

The cowboys said they would ask the folks at home to send along three herd dogs to keep the goats in line and dig out any tough cases.

If they can do the job with the aid of the dogs and more roundup hands early next month, the goats will be ferried over the salt marshes at high tide to the eastern shore. Thence, by train, they will be shipped to Texas.

Roberts and Smithwick supply them for growing serums and vaccines, among other things.

How many goats they will get is a point in question. Some eastern shore people say not more than 2,500. Others say probably 7,000.

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American Airlines Shows Vast Increase In Midland Business

M. D. Miller of Dallas, southern regional vice president in charge of sales for American Airlines, Thursday expressed pleasure with the recent recommendation of the Civil Aeronautics Board examiner that American be permitted to continue serving Midland, and cited figures showing a vast increase in the volume of business from Midland Air Terminal.

The statement was issued in Dallas following Miller's return from a business trip to Mexico.

He voiced the hope that the CAB will act quickly on the recommendation, reaching a favorable decision in the near future.

Second Anniversary

The CAB early this year asked American to "show cause" why it should not discontinue service here for a five year period. A hearing was held last Summer in Austin, at which time American, the Midland Chamber of Commerce and the City of Midland intervened in the proceedings.

"The recommendation," Miller said, "comes a little over a month after American's Midland stop celebrated its second anniversary and just in time for the celebration of the first full year of DC-6 flagship service."

American first moved into Midland Nov. 1, 1947, with a personnel complement of 15.

300 Per Cent Increase

"Today passenger handling shows an increase of 300 per cent above the number recorded soon after the start of service. Today cargo also is mentioned in tons rather than in pounds as it was in the beginning," Miller commented.

The Douglas DC-flagship made its debut at the station as a Christmas gift to the Midland area last year, the first DC-6 touching its wheels down here on Dec. 25, 1949, as a new service was inaugurated.

In addition to the 52-passenger four-engined airplanes, the new and equally luxurious 40-passenger, twin-engined Convair flagships now are serving Midland on regular schedule.

Berlin Reds Greet Andrei Vishinsky

BERLIN —(AP)— East Berlin gave its rubble-scarred face a hasty polish Thursday and flags flew as German Communists honored visiting Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky.

Vishinsky stopped off on his way to Moscow from the recent UN General Assembly session in the U. S.

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Daughter Of Unhappy Mother Has Few Things To Learn

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I am writing this column for one particular 18-year-old girl—though it may hit home to a number of other teen-agers.

Your mother, who sounds like an intelligent woman, signs her letter "An unhappy mother."

And what is making her unhappy? You are. You and your scornful attitude toward the kind of education for living she has tried and still is trying to instill in you.

Do you know what she says of you? "In her estimation I am just an old fogey and no other mother requires the things that I do.

"She is an intelligent girl, doing well at school, but her attitude at home almost is unbearable.

"She treats everything at home, including the furnishings, with contemptuous scorn. Her room is disorder itself. She cares nothing about keeping it tidy and if I clean it up for her the moment she steps into the room clothes, shoes, books, papers, etc., are scattered all over the bed and floor."

Not A Pretty Picture

There is more but that should be enough to give you a picture of how you look to your mother.

It isn't a very pretty picture, is it? Of course, I haven't heard your side of the story. And you are bound to have a side.

But whatever it is—you are giving your mother some very bad years.

It isn't easy to be young, as anyone who has outgrown youth, fully realizes. But it isn't necessary for a girl to treat her mother and her home with contempt, even if her mother may seem to be wrong sometimes or to be lacking in understanding.

Most mothers want the best there is for their daughters. Often what the mothers think is best is not what the daughters think they want.

But at least give your mother credit for trying. And when the two of you aren't in agreement, be enough of a lady to put your case before her in as pleasant a way as you can, instead of creating a scene.

And while you are being supported at home, try to have enough decency not to be contemptuous of the way your home is furnished.

You'll have your own home some day. But you're living in your mother's home now. So don't try to run the show. Believe me, you'll some day regret the unhappiness you are causing your mother now.

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W. W. Eilands To Observe 63rd Wedding Anniversary

STANTON—Sixty-three years of married life—that's what Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Eiland of Stanton will observe Friday.

The couple, long time residents of Martin County and well known throughout West Texas, were married in Shady Grove, Hunt County, Texas on Dec. 16, 1886.

At that time Eiland was a farmer. He continued to farm for several years in Hunt County before he and his family moved west in a covered wagon.

Oil-rich Scurry County is where they settled first, never dreaming that under their land was an oil reserve estimated at billions of barrels now.

Move To Martin County

After 13-years in Scurry County, they edged a little farther west—to Martin County. Eiland acquired another farm near here and worked it for several years.

Later he went into the automobile business with his sons, Guy and Horace. He worked in the business as an active member until a few years ago. His eye sight started failing but otherwise he still is in pretty fair health.

Mrs. Eiland, the former Georgia Adelia Smith, also has continued to enjoy good health for a person 82 years of age. He is 88.

The Eilands have three living children, Guy of Stanton, Horace of Snyder and a daughter, Mrs. J. E. Fails of Ira, Texas.

Valley View Party Has Gift Exchange

Mrs. B. L. Mason was hostess to the Valley View Home Demonstration Club for its Christmas party Wednesday afternoon. Gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Mason presented favors to each guest.

Mrs. I. J. Howard told the story, "The Birth of Christ," and Mrs. J. D. Bartlett, "The Origin of Santa Claus." In contests, Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. J. C. Stevens, Jr., won the prizes. Refreshments were served to them and to Mrs. D. M. Bizzell and Mrs. Bennie Bizzell.

Party Slated Monday For McCamey WSCS

McCAMEY—Plans for the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service Christmas party Monday were completed at a recent meeting of the group. The party will be at 3 p.m. in the church and gifts will be exchanged.

At the meeting, plans were made to decorate a tree in the Church Annex for the use of church groups during the Christmas season.

The Rev. C. J. Mann gave a study of the Book of Hebrews for the program.

Pauleys Are Hosts At McCamey Party

McCAMEY—Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pauley were hosts to the Monday Night Bridge Club in their home this week, entertaining with a Christmas dinner and bridge. The holiday theme was featured in decorations.

Dinner was served at the game table and gifts were exchanged. In bridge, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Griswold made high scores. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Ott Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edwards.

R. J. SNELLS ATTEND ORDINATION RITES

The Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Snell were in Plainview Wednesday for the ordination of the Rev. Henry Seaman, to the priesthood in the Protestant Episcopal Church. Mr. Seaman, is the son of the Rt. Rev. E. C. Seaman, retired bishop of the Missionary District of North Texas. Bishop Seaman has visited many times in Midland and has many friends here.

The Rev. Henry Seaman was ordained by the Rt. Rev. G. H. Quarterman, bishop of the district, and is the vicar of the Episcopal Churches in Plainview, Canyon and Hereford, with residence in Plainview. Mrs. E. C. Seaman, now in Phoenix, Arizona, was present for the service but Bishop Seaman was unable to attend because of ill health.

JAPS MAY STRIKE

TOKYO —(AP)— Japan's organized workers, seeking pay hikes and year-end bonuses, may stage a 24-hour general strike shortly. The Japan Federation of Labor's Central Executive Committee said it may reach a decision Friday.

Store Employes Are Guests For Dinner

Grammer - Murphey Women's Wear employes and their families were entertained at a dinner party Wednesday night in Hotel Scharbauer.

After the dinner, the group had a Christmas tree and exchanged gifts. This is the store's annual Christmas party.

Those attending were Mrs. Dona Dunagan, Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock, Mrs. Violet Knight, Mr. and Mrs. John Rice, Mrs. Raymond Jones, Imogene Walls, Mildred Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fromhold, Mrs. Eddie Simms, Mrs. Emma Dean Landwermeyer, Mrs. Verna Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hap Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Sowell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny B. Brazell, Mrs. Geniveve Stovall, B. W. Stevens, Dee Odom, Jo Winters, Bonnie Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murphey and J. Burdine.

Gift Box Planned By OES At Crane

CRANE—Plans to send a Christmas box to Mrs. Willie Lee Biggs in the Eastern Star home were made at a recent meeting of the Crane chapter of the OES. Three candidates also were initiated at the meeting.

After the business session, the group sang Christmas carols and exchanged gifts.

Frankie Miller Is Birthday Honoree

McCAMEY—Frankie Miller was honored on her eighth birthday recently when her mother, Mrs. Hursel Miller, and her aunt, Mrs. Lloyd Gilbert, entertained in the Gilbert home. The two hostesses also honored Mrs. John Buchanan on her birthday the same afternoon.

At the children's party candy canes were presented as favors to 30 guests who enjoyed games and refreshments.

1950 Series '98' Oldsmobile

The new "Futuramic" styling of Oldsmobile's 1950 Series "98" model is emphasized in this frontal view. Flowing horizontal lines accent the new width and new roominess of this brand new Fisher body which also offers greater vision and increased comfort. Oldsmobile's new 1950 "Futuramic Fleet" will be seen by the motoring public early in January. Company officials Thursday announced important new low prices on newly-styled Series "88" cars for 1950.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Parks Reviews Book For Fine Arts Club Guest Program

Review of Arnold Michael's book, "Blessed Among Women," by Mrs. Roy Parks was the program for the Christmas guest day meeting of the Fine Arts Club Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Fred Wemple.

The book is a dramatized story of the life of Mary, the mother of Christ ,which draws upon tradition as well as the Biblical narrative, and presents a universal message in the friendship of Mary and her cousin Elizabeth, the mother of John the Baptist, and the friendship of Jesus and John.

Mrs. Park developed this message and the religious implications as well as the dramatic plot of the book.

Mrs. Wilson Bryant and Mrs. Tom S. Bobo poured tea for the members and their guests, and Mrs. Elliott Barron assisted in the dining room.

The tea table had a pink Christmas tree in the center, set on a pink satin and net cover which was caught at each corner with a nosegay. Christmas decorations were used throughout the rooms.

Guests and members present were Mrs J. G. Garner, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. Hermann Williams, Mrs. Charles Klapproth, Mrs. Leonard Proctor, Mrs. M. S. Doss of Seminole, Mrs. John Dublin, Mrs. Tom Nance, Mrs. Dan Hudson, Mrs. J. Homer Epley, Mrs. W. H. Sloan, Mrs. Ralph Oberholtzer, Mrs. George Kidd, Mrs. Dewitt C. Haskin, Mrs. L. G. Byerley, Mrs. B. H. Blakeney, Mrs. Wayne Stokes, Mrs. Foy Proctor, Mrs. R. G. Patterson, Mrs. H. E. Cummins, Mrs. J. E. Sadler and Mrs. B. R. Schabarum.

Church Kitchen Is Given Shower By McCamey Auxiliary

McCAMEY—Items for the church kitchen were brought instead of gifts for an exchange by members of the Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary at a Christmas dinner and party Tuesday night.

The covered-dish supper was in the home of Mrs. H. E. Stoker which was decorated in a holiday theme. The table centerpiece was a tree trimmed with red candles. Small Christmas bells, tied with red and green ribbon, marked each place.

A special guest was Mrs. Stoker's mother, Mrs. C. F. Yeager of Mineral Wells. Others attending were Mrs. Erle Bone, Mrs. R. L. Cope, Mrs. Fred Senter, Mrs. Robert Slagle, Mrs. W. W. Plasek, Mrs. John Fussell, Mrs. L. P. Hinde, Mrs. O. K. Furr, Mrs. Ethel Moore, Mrs. John McAdon, Mrs. Doug Reeves, Mrs. Margaret Littlejohn, Mrs. Curtis Thomas, Mrs. A. L. Ohlenburg, Mrs. Walter Putnam, Crescenze Hinde.

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Feature Writing Is Subject For Club

The advantages of pictures with feature articles and the qualities that make a picture good were discussed by Mrs. Forbes B. Pennycook at a meeting Wednesday night of the American Association of University Women's Creative Writing group. Mrs. Brandon E. Rea was hostess to the group in her home.

It was announced that this will be the group's last meeting before the holidays and that the next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. January 11. Mrs. John Powell will be the hostess in the new playroom in her home off the Andrews Highway. Anyone needing directions to her home or a ride to the meeting may call her at telephone No. 1211-W.

Mrs. Pennycook said that almost all feature articles require pictures and that very few magazines have photographers in this part of the country or will send them. Mrs. Pennycook also discussed the types of photographs and prints that reproduce clearly and the qualities that make a picture good for a magazine or newspaper.

The group also discussed material that has been submitted for publication since the last meeting and Mrs. Leonard Swords, Mrs. Jack Kimbrough and Mrs. Norman Sax read articles that they had written.

Mrs. Frederick Convers also attended the meeting.

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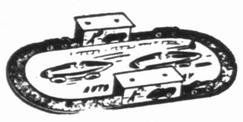

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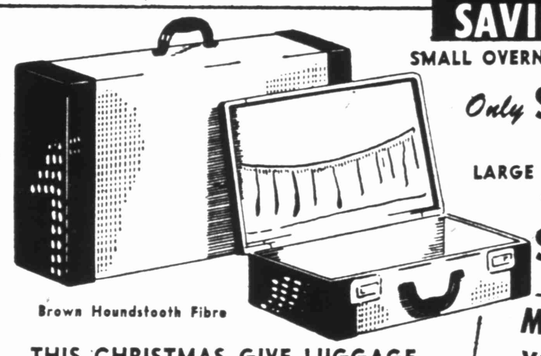

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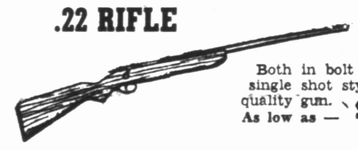

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Football War Ends

(NEA Telephoto)
Arthur Friedland, left, attorney for the New York Yankees of the All-America Conference, and Bert Bell, National Football League commissioner, chat together in Philadelphia after the merger of the two professional football leagues, ending the most costly war in history of organized sports.

Sports

Rotary Engineers Stop Hale Motors As JayCees Lose

Midland independent basketball teams split another double-header with teams from Odessa in the Junior High Gym here Wednesday night.

It was Rotary Engineers on the winning end again. They scored a 55 to 51 victory over the touted Bill Hale Motors quint in a fast tilt.

The Midland JayCees dropped a 49 to 35 decision to Holder Grocery of Odessa in the nightcap.

Paul Haskins, Frank Brahaney and Charlie Kelly joined forces to lead the Engineers to the win. Haskins sank six buckets and four free throws to tie Vernon of Hale Motors for high scoring honors. Kelly scored 14 points and Brahaney collected 12.

Jim Smith of the Engineers chipped in eight points to aid the scoring.

Rotary Leads

The Engineers jumped to a big lead in the first period, scoring 16 points to eight for Hale.

The Odessa quint closed up in the second quarter to make the score 29-25, favoring Rotary at the half.

Hale's Vernon went to work in the third stanza and put his team into the lead by a 45-43 margin at the end of the period.

But the Engineers engineered a sparkling offensive assault in the final quarter to finish with a two-basket lead.

It was the first defeat in seven starts for the Hale Motors five.

Jakes Go Down

The Holder Grocery quintet played strictly progressive basketball in whipping the JayCees.

Holder led by an 8 to 6 score at the end of the first quarter, but picked up steam from there on.

At the half the gap had been widened to 22-16 and in the third quarter it was 39 to 25.

The teams scored 10-points each in the final quarter to give Holder the edge by 49 to 35.

Reeves of Odessa was high point man with 15. Hopkins of the Jakes was second with 13 points.

Engineers (55)	fg	ft	f	tp
Haskins	6	4	2	16
Brahaney	6	0	3	12
Fleming	0	0	1	0
Salmon	0	0	0	0
Kelly	7	0	2	14
Shepherd	1	0	0	2
Pyle	0	0	4	0
Schalk	0	2	3	2
Smith	4	0	0	8
Blair	0	1	0	1
Totals	24	7	15	55

Hale Motors (51)	fg	ft	f	tp
Slack	0	0	1	0
Churchill	5	4	4	14
Smith	0	0	1	0
Nicholson	2	2	1	6
Ward	2	2	2	6
Wade	1	1	2	3
Vernon	7	2	1	16
Hitt	1	2	2	4
Epperson	0	2	0	2
Totals	18	15	14	51

Midland JayCees (35)	fg	ft	f	tp
Fielder	1	0	0	2
Hall	1	1	1	3
Hopkins	6	1	2	13
McDonald	0	0	3	0
Reeder	1	0	2	2
Harris	0	0	0	0
Dunlap	0	0	0	0
Einerson	2	0	1	4
Webster	3	1	2	7
Gillet	2	0	0	4
Totals	16	3	8	35

Holder Grocery (49)	fg	ft	f	tp
Coats	4	0	0	8
Erwin	5	1	1	11
Manning	1	1	0	3
Jackson	2	0	1	4
Reeves	5	5	1	15
Clark	1	0	1	2
Roth	2	0	1	4
Townzen	1	0	3	2
Totals	21	7	8	49

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Fans Are Wondering If Giants Or Boston Got Better Of Deal

NEW YORK —(AP)— Baseball's biggest transaction in years—the New York-Boston deal which involved upwards of a half million dollars in talent—had buzzing bystanders asking Thursday:

"Who got the better of the trade, the Giants or the Braves?"

In a spectacular 11th-hour swap, the Braves sent their double play combination of Shortstop Alvin Dark and Second Baseman Eddie Stanky to the Giants in exchange for Outfielders Sid Gordon, Willard Marshall, Shortstop Buddy Kerr and Pitcher Sam Webb.

This swap easily overshadowed three other big league trades, the most important of which sent St. Louis Second Baseman Gerry Priddy to Detroit for $100,000. The Browns acquired Pitcher Lou Kretlow in addition to the huge bundle of cash.

Priddy's sale added more than $200,000 to the Browns' exchequer, since late Tuesday night the club collected in excess of $100,000 plus four players from the Philadelphia Athletics for star Third Baseman, Bob Dillinger.

The Athletics traded Third Baseman Hank Majeski to the Chicago White Sox for relief Pitcher Ed Klieman, and the St. Louis Cardinals re-acquired Outfielder Harry Walker in exchange for Flychaser Ron Northy and utility Infielder Lou Klein. The Cards are to get another player, from the minors, at a future date.

Lovers of power and punch are of the belief that the Braves got much the better of the big National League deal. They point out that in giving up Gordon and Marshall the Giants sent a pair of sluggers who hit 38 home runs between them in 1949 for a pair who collected only four.

Advocates of the fast-fielding, heady hit-and-run type of athlete think the Giants got the edge. They point out that despite the 169 home runs hit by the Gordon-Marshall duo during their five years with the club the Giants could finish no higher than third.

On the other hand, the Braves won a pennant and finished fourth in the last two years that Stanky and Dark played with them.

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Southwest To Have Same Coaches If Barnhill Remains

WACO—(AP)—It's up to Arkansas—or rather Athletic Director John Barnhill of Arkansas—whether the Southwest Conference starts the 1950 football season with the same array of head coaches.

Baylor settled its problem Wednesday as Bob Woodruff decided to withdraw his resignation and continue as head coach. The day before Texas Christian had retained Leo (Dutch) Meyer, who signed a three-year contract.

Barnhill has promised an announcement on reorganization of the Arkansas Athletic Department Friday. Barnhill has said he didn't know whether he would relinquish the head coaching job and be athletic director only or continue to hold down both.

Ending almost a week of turmoil at Baylor, where Woodruff and Athletic Director Ralph Wolf both resigned as the result of friction between them over operation of the athletic department, the Baylor Board of Trustees announced Woodruff would remain as head coach and Wolf would become executive vice president and general manager of the Baylor Stadium Corporation. The job of athletic director was left open, it being explained that it would not be filled until the duties and responsibilities of this post were most definitely defined.

Ultimatum Issued

After Woodruff last week issued what in effect was an ultimatum that conditions in the Athletic Department were intolerable and that he would accept no compromise, the Baylor Athletic Committee continued Wolf as athletic director pending his acceptance of the job of director of the stadium. Woodruff then resigned. The next day Wolf turned in his resignation "to clear the atmosphere for reorganization of the athletic department."

This week the athletic committee and a special committee met repeatedly and finally worked out a plan that met the approval of both Woodruff and Wolf. The two accepted it before the board of trustees ratified it. Then Dr. W. R. White, president of Baylor, announced the matter had been settled.

Clash Over Policy

Wolf and Woodruff reportedly clashed over the way the athletic department was to be operated—Woodruff wanting it on a greater scale and at more expense than in the past. Wolf opposed this.

Woodruff has been head coach at Baylor three years, during which time the football team came out of the Southwest Conference cellar to fight for the championship and gain national prominence. Wolf has been at Baylor 28 years as athlete, coach and athletic director.

Dr. White predicted that "Both Mr. Wolf and Coach Woodruff will perform in the future still greater service in Baylor's total life in their respective fields."

Texas Christian Getting Exicted About Cage Team

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Texas Christian is more than a little excited over its basketball team.

It's been 15 years since more than close friends and relatives took an interest in the doings of the Horned Frog Cagers.

Here, TCU has the youngest team in Southwest Conference history yet the boys have already won as many games as all last season and the campaign is less than three weeks old.

The payoff was a 37-35 triumph over Missouri in the start of a Midwestern tour Monday night.

The eight boys doing most of the playing for TCU average 19 years. Oldest man is Gene Schmidt, forward, who is seeking his fifth varsity letter.

He would be the first athlete in conference history to make five letters. Wartime eligibility rules made this possible.

There are four 18-year-olds on the squad, along with five who boast 19 years and one who is 20.

Of the ten leading pitchers in the National League in 1939 only Hugh Casey was still active last season.

SPORTS SLANTS
by
SHORTY SHELBURNE

Leon Roberts, brother of Tommy Roberts who is New Mexico state golf champion, has been employed as assistant pro at the Midland Country Club. He succeeds Marion Sexton who has moved to Fort Worth.

Roberts formerly was connected with a Roswell, N .M., newspaper. He turned pro to accept the job here.

Before turning pro, he was noted in New Mexico amateur circles for his fine play.

—SS—

Frank Meeks, business manager for the Sweetwater Swatters last season, has been returned to that position by Cy Fawcett who operates the Sweetwater franchise in the Longhorn League.

The move came as a surprise to many fans in Sweetwater and other league cities. It had been rumored that Meeks was out.

Personally, Frank is a nice fellow and we thought he did right well in lining up some material for the Swatters last season.

—SS—

One of the best stories we have seen in a long time came from Pittsburgh, Pa. recently. We'll pass it on:

"Somewhere between Munhall and Jeanette, busses carrying the basketball teams of the two small Pennsylvanian towns' high school cage teams passed each other last night.

"On Munhall's schedule, it said Jeanette was the game site. On Jeanette's schedule, it said Munhall was to be the host team.

"They never met."

Look out, Jack Mashburn. Let's check that schedule again.

—SS—

This area of West Texas should be well represented on the Hardin-Simmons University football team next season.

Donald Deel of Midland, Weldon Boggus and Pat Tone of Monahans lettered on the Cowboy freshman team this season.

Deel was a member of the 1948 Bulldogs and was one of the outstanding linemen in the conference.

Tone and Boggus played on the Monahans State Class A championship team in 1948.

—SS—

Umpires in the Longhorn League and officials in other sports events around here think they have a hard time. They haven't been subjected to anything like this:

"A basketball game between a Mexican team and a Philippine Government Agency team was called late in the third quarter at Manila's Rizal Memorial Coliseum recently when spectators hurled bottles, orange peels and paper bags on the floor.

"The 8,000 spectators became annoyed with officials and demanded they leave the floor for favortism to the Mexicans, who were leading 36 to 22."

Bear Bags Hunter

Mr. Bruin, wearing his favorite hunting cap, signals for a left turn proudly driving into Buffalo with a fine specimen of homo-Buffalonia, which he claims to have bagged near Salamanca, N. Y. The nimrod is Harry Szarowski, who, to confess it all, shot the 300-pound black bear.

1949 AP All-Pro Grid Team

Position	Player	Team	Ht.	Wt.	College
END	MAC SPEEDIE,	Cleveland Browns	6-3	212	UTAH
TACKLE	ARNIE WEINMEISTER,	New York Yankees	6-4	235	WASHINGTON
GUARD	DICK BARWEGAN,	Baltimore Colts	6-0	230	PURDUE
CENTER	FRED NAUMETZ,	Los Angeles Rams	6-1	222	BOSTON COLLEGE
GUARD	GARRARD RAMSEY,	Chicago Cardinals	6-1	210	WILLIAM & MARY
TACKLE	DICK HUFFMAN,	Los Angeles Rams	6-2	255	TENNESSEE
END	PETE PIHOS,	Philadelphia Eagles	6-1	215	INDIANA
BACK	OTTO GRAHAM,	Cleveland Browns	6-1	190	NORTHWESTERN
BACK	STEVE VAN BUREN,	Philadelphia Eagles	6-1	205	LSU
BACK	BOB WATERFIELD,	Los Angeles Rams	6-1	195	UCLA
BACK	CHET MUTRYN,	Buffalo Bills	5-10	175	XAVIER

Yellowjackets Edge Mustangs By 57-56

By The Associated Press

Two Southwest Conference teams played basketball Wednesday night. Both got trimmed.

Howard Payne College's Yellowjackets squeezed out a 57-56 upset victory over Southern Methodist. The University of Illinois beat touring Arkansas 65-53.

The Mustangs, just back from an Eastern tour, couldn't hit the baskets consistently on their home court, although Forward Jack Brown led the scoring with 19 points. Herman Moore of the Yellowjackets got 16.

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Class AA Games To Be Broadcast

Both semi-finals tilts in the Class AA state football race will be broadcast on special networks Friday and Saturday.

The Port-Arthur-Austin engagement at Port Arthur Friday will be aired by South and East Texas stations. Broadcast time will be 1:45 p.m. with WRR, Dallas; KNOW, Austin, and WACO, Waco carrying the game along with 18 other stations.

Saturday, the Wichita Falls-Highland Park (Dallas) meeting will be described from Coyote Stadium in Wichita Falls. A special statewide network will bring the game to West Texas fans over stations KRBC, Abilene; KBST, Big Spring; KRLD, Dallas; KCRS, Midland; KSEL, Lubbock; KOSA, Odessa; KGKL, San Angelo; KWFT, Wichita Falls, and KGNC, Amarillo.

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Boyle Offers Some Suggestions For Christmas Books

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK—(AP)—Thinking of giving a book for Christmas?

It is a problem, isn't it? So much depends on the choice you make. For in the task of selection you are judging the one you give the book to—and you are judging yourself.

Every year Santa Claus gets in a blue funk over what books to give famous people.

To help Saint Nick out of his annual quandary we compile a tentative list of books to give to the big and little folks on his Christmas roll call. Here's the 1949 list—and maybe it has a few ideas for you too:

The Passionate Journey — Vice President Barkley.

A Guide to Confident Living—Harry S. Truman.

A Graveyard to Let—Guy George Gabrielson, chairman of the Republican National Committee.

That Shaggy Man

The Shaggy Man of Oz—John L. Lewis.

South Carolina Bird Life—former Secretary of State James F. Byrnes.

Growing Roses—"Cactus Jack" Garner.

It's Fun to Retire—Herbert Hoover.

What Everyone Should Know About the Law—ex-Rep. Andrew Jackson May of Kentucky.

Some Problems in Federal Taxation—ex-Rep. J. Parnell Thomas of New Jersey.

Hypnotherapy of War Neuroses—the U. S. Navy.

The Show Must Go On—Ingrid Bergman.

Horses: Their Selection, Care and Handling—U. S. Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas.

Twilight on the Floods—the New York City Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

I Married a Redhead—Aly Khan.

And so Farewell—Chiang Kai-Shek.

I Hear You Calling Me—Gen. Dwight Eisenhower.

Bertrand Is Found Guilty Of Murder

BEAUMONT—(AP)—Louis F. Bertrand, 58, was found guilty Wednesday night of murder in the fatal shooting last November 15 of Homer Clifford Edgerly, 28, Port Acres carpenter.

The Port Arthur seaman drew a sentence of life imprisonment. A district court jury returned its verdict, three hours after it received the case. His attorneys said they would appeal.

Bertrand had testified he shot Edgerly in self defense.

Independence Treaty Session Is Recessed

NEW YORK —(AP)— The big four deputy foreign ministers decided Wednesday to halt temporarily their attempts to write an Austrian Independence Treaty.

They will meet again in London January 9 at which time, a British spokesman said, there is "every possibility of success."

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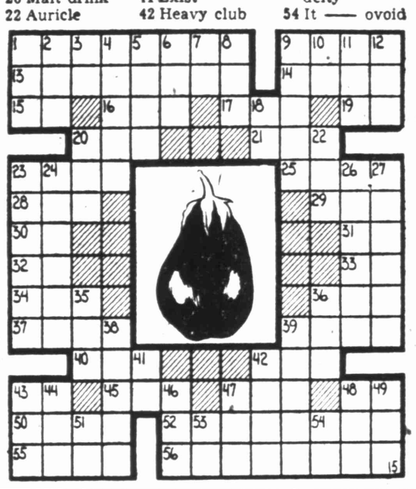

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Guessing Farm Prices Is Still Far From An Exact Science

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

prophets have proved themselves not as smart as they prophets have proved themselves not as smart as they thought they were. This time they have had to show red faces on their hog calling.

Two seasons in a row, now, there have been official cries of alarm that the farmers were producing too many pigs. There have been dire warnings that the market would be glutted and that prices would go below the farmers' costs of production. The only alternative offered to save this situation was that the government would have to go into a big hog-buying program to support the market.

A year ago, when there was considerable fear of a big surplus Spring pig crop, the situation was saved by the purchase of many million dollars' worth of pork for Great Britain and other Marshall Plan countries. That took the surplus pig population off the market. It left a reduced supply for American consumers, at fairly high prices.

While the Brannan farm income-support plan was before the last session of Congress, there again were predictions that a bumper crop of pigs would glut the market this Fall. The prospect of the government having to support hog prices was freely predicted as likely to cost the taxpayers as much as $250,000,000. This was cited at the time as one good reason why the Brannan plan was better than the present farm price-support program.

But matters haven't worked out that way at all, and the experts have been confounded. Two things seem to have happened to prevent the catastrophe so freely predicted last Summer.

One factor is that consumer demand for pork has been heavier than anticipated. With a big corn crop making feed available at reasonable prices, and with plenty of pigs in the pens to eat it up, the supply of pork has been good and prices have been relatively lower than for other meats.

The second factor is that farmers this Fall have been marketing their hogs at lighter weights. Instead of fattening to 300 pounds, they have sold more hogs at 200 to 225 pounds. This practice has been in accord with Department of Agriculture suggestions to market hogs with more lean meat on them and not so much fat.

The result of all these practices has been that hog prices have been from 15 cents to $1.20 a hundredweight above support price levels throughout the Fall. And the government hasn't had to enter the market to buy up any surpluses.

The Fall run of pigs to market usually begins in September, increases during the next two months, reaches a peak in December, then falls off again in the two months following. Government support prices are varied from month to month in an effort to create an even run of hogs to market throughout this period.

This year the support price was $17.50 per cwt. in September, $16.40 in October, $15 in November, $14.90 for December. It is $15.50 for January and $16.20 for February.

Farmers May Be Holding Out

There is still a possibility that farmers may be holding back some of their hogs to market later at heavier weights and for higher prices. But marketings have been from 20 to 40 per cent heavier than normal so far this Fall. So the likelihood of a glut is minimized and the predicted Fall hog market crisis isn't going to come off.

The moral of this is that economics still isn't an exact enough science for accurate prophecies. The tides and the phases of the moon can be predicted with absolute accuracy for as far ahead as anyone wants to know. The weather can be predicted with say 50-50 accuracy from 24 to 48 hours ahead. It will rain or snow, or it won't.

But business cycles and the ups and downs of farm crops, consumer demand and general prosperity or lack of it are still in the realm of the unpredictable, like the stock market.

It is fun to guess at how they will work out. Plenty of farmers and businessmen make or lose fortunes trying to dope these things out. If they guess right they're considered smart men. If they guess wrong, they're suckers.

But any theory or economic plan for predicting and leveling out these uncertainties, no matter how carefully drawn, is apt to fail just because of the unpredictable turns like in this year's hog market. Men—economists and lawmakers in particular—aren't that smart yet.

POPE AUTHORIZES MASS

VATICAN CITY —(AP)— The pope authorized Thursday the celebration of a special mass for the Holy Year at midnight December 31 in all the Roman Catholic Churches of the world.

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Cage Meet To Open Friday

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The biggest invitation basketball tournament in the history of Midland High School will get underway at the new, modern MHS Gymnasium at 8:30 a.m. Friday. Fifteen teams, representing cities throughout West Texas, are entered.

The Midland Bulldogs and the Big Lake Owls tangle at 8:30 in the first game of the tourney.

Big Spring meets McCamey at 9:50 and Monahans takes on Wink at 11, in the morning session.

Kermit and Pecos tangle at 12:50 to open the Friday afternoon slate.

Seminole vs. the Odessa 'B' Bronchos follows at 2 p.m.

Denver City contests the Odessa A team at 3:10 p.m. and Crane goes against Andrews at 4:20 p.m.

The Midland 'B' Bulldogs draw a bye in the first round.

Night Session

Play in the championship bracket will continue Friday, starting at 6 p.m. Three more games will follow.

The consolation round will open at 9 a.m. Saturday with the losers of the Midland-Big Lake and Monahans - Wink tilts opposing each other.

Play in the consolation bracket will continue Saturday morning.

The Saturday afternoon session brings the semi-finals in the championship and consolation brackets. Championship semi-finals tilts are scheduled at 1:10 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. Consolation semi-finals will follow.

Finals in the consolation division will be played at 7:30 p. m. Saturday and the championship finals will follow at 8:45 p.m.

Crane and Andrews, both strong for this early in the season, are rated among the favorites along with the Big Spring, Odessa and Midland A teams.

Tickets Available

Tournament tickets will be available at the door. Adult ducats for the entire tourney are priced at $3. Student tournament tickets are $1.20.

Session tickets will sell for 60 and 30 cents.

Officials for the entire tournament will be Souter of Denver City and Lawson and Tate of Abilene.

Coach Jack Mashburn of Midland is tournament director. He will be assisted by Coach Tugboat Jones and Assistant Coaches Red Rutledge, Garvin Beauchamp, Audrey Gill and Joe Akins.

A large following of fans from the cities with teams entered in the meet is expected.

A special invitation has been issued to all Midlanders to attend and inspect the new gymnasium.

Jim Martin Only 1949 All-America To Play Pro Ball

NEW YORK —(AP)— Only one member of the 1949 college All-America—Jim Martin, the big Notre Dame tackle—is dead set on carrying on in professional football.

Four of the honored squad insist they definitely won't play for money while the other six are doubtful, their enthusiasm chilled by the recent merger of the two major pro circuits.

"It looks like the quick and easy money is gone," wailed Clayton Tonnemaker, the 245-pound center from Minnesota.

Sharing the "undecided" fence with Tonnemaker are Leon Hart, the Notre Dame end; his teammate, Fullback Emil Sitko; Halfback Doak Walker of Southern Methodist; and those two great guards, Rod Franz of California and John Schweder of Pennsylvania.

"I definitely will not play pro football," said triple threat Charlie Justice, the two-time All-America halfback from North Carolina.

Stringing along with him are Arnold Faliffa, the talented T-quarterback of Army; Wade Walker, Oklahoma tackle, and Jim Williams, the Rice end.

Williams, who weighs only 185, said, "I'm not big enough for the pros. I'm just an all-around end and they want specialists these days."

Doak Walker, the three-time All-America triple threat star, declared, "I might like to try it but I haven't decided yet."

Committee Studies Adequacy Of Texas Sex Crime Statutes

AUSTIN — (AP) — Adequacy of Texas sex crime laws is being studied by a legislative committee.

It has enlisted the aid of J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the FBI, and attorneys general in other states.

Chairman Cecil Storey of the interim Committee on Revision of the Criminal Code said if the sex crime question is submitted to the special session of the Legislature, it will be given "careful and thoughtful consideration." Storey is chairman of the House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

Gov. Allan Shivers has indicated he might submit the sex crime question to the special session if it makes fast progress on its first duty: provision for the state hospitals and special schools. A number of groups are urging legislative action.

Air Force Reserve Speakers Listed

Major Cargill and Capt. Max McClure will be speakers at a meeting of the Permian Basin Air Force Volunteer Reserve unit at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Odessa courthouse.

Midland Air Force reserve officers will attend.

Speakers at the Thursday night meeting will discuss: "Reserve Benefits" and "Organization of the Air Force."

NEWS AGENCY APPROVED

DUBLIN —(AP)— The bill to set up an Irish News Agency passed the senate Wednesday night and now goes back to the lower parliamentary house, the Dail, for final approval.

It is expected to become law soon.

Cage League Meet Called

A meeting of players, sponsors, managers and others interested in the City Cage League here has been called for 7:30 p.m. Thursday on the mezzanine floor of Hotel Scharbauer.

Pat McMullan, VFW representative in charge of the league, said this will be the final meeting before drafting a schedule. He urged everyone interested to attend.

McMullan said it appears at least six teams will enter the league. Two more are prospective entries.

Eighth Grade Pups, 'C' Bulldogs Play

The Midland 'C' Bulldogs and the Eighth Grade Bullpups were scheduled to play in cage tilts at Andrews Thursday afternoon.

Coach John Higdon was to send his Bullpups on the floor at 4 p.m.

The 'C' Bulldogs, coached by Joe Akins, were scheduled to play at 5 p.m.

The 'C' Bulldog roster includes John Brenneman, Roddy Brown, David Breith, Don Cissell, Keys Curry, Bill Erskine, Larry Friday, Gwyn Grisham, Bobby Harris Robert Keisling, Teddy Kerr, Roy Kimsey, Harold Paden, Dan Ratcliff, Harold Robbins, Ronald Rone, M. A. Rose, Jim Ten Eyck, Bobby Turner, Bobby Whiteaker, Charles Whitmire, Walter Cremin, Jack Tabor, Joe Brodigan and Barney McClendon.

Crane Commissioners Make New Contract

CRANE—Cancellation of a contract with Prichard and Abbott in favor of a new agreement with the same company was the main business Monday at the meeting of Crane County commissioners.

Funds not needed now were transferred to more active accounts and a motion to pay salaries of county employes on December 20 was carried.

The contract with Prichard and Abbott calls for that firm to compile and furnish data for the Board of Equalization to use in determining what values should be placed on properties, and the appraisal and evaluation of oil and gas public utilities in Crane County. The contract calls for the payment of $6,000 in 1950 and $7,000 for 1951. The old contract called for payment of five and one half cents per $100 valuation.

A total of $11,173.90 was transferred from the 1947 Road Construction Fund to the 1947 Road Sinking Fund; $468.89, now held in the Park Sinking Fund to be transferred to the Park Sinking and Maintenance Fund; $120.31 to be transferred from the 1948 Road Construction Fund to the 1948 Road Sinking Fund and $638.38 to be transferred from the 1948 Court House Sinking Fund to the Court-house Warrant Fund

All commissioners and the county judge were present for the meeting.

Explosion Closes Abilene Refinery

ABILENE —(AP)— The Onyx Oil Refinery was closed down Thursday because of an explosion and fire which destroyed a cracking tower and the plant's control building.

H. L. Price, Sr., of Abilene was hurt as the cracking tower blew up Wednesday. Price, a truck driver, was delivering a load of casing head blending gasoline. He suffered a broken arm when he jumped out of his moving truck and ran.

Fire swept the small control building and the cracking tower, a vapor separator, after the blast.

The refinery is seven miles north of here. Jack Levering, general manager, said he did not know how soon operations could be resumed. He wouldn't estimate damages.

Sports

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Friday, Saturday Games To Determine Finalists In High School Football

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

Texas schoolboy football reaches the last lap along the Autumn trail this weekend.

Three games Friday and one Saturday send both Class AA and Class A into their final rounds.

Mighty Port Arthur, the Class AA championship favorite, plays Austin's determined maroons at Port Arthur Friday afternoon. Port Arthur is given odds of 11 points.

Saturday afternoon, Wichita Falls, like Port Arthur unbeaten and untied, tackles fast-moving Highland Park of Dallas at Wichita Falls. Wichita Falls is a seven-point favorite. That's how many points Wichita Falls beat Highland Park when the teams met in mid-season.

In Class A, both semi-final games will be played Friday. Littlefield, a solid favorite, takes on Garland, the team that has hooked up in three ties and won them all on penetrations, at Vernon. Mexia, the team picked for the championship, engages dark-horse Uvalde at Austin. Mexia and Uvalde are the only undefeated teams left in Class A.

It's old stuff for Wichita Falls, Highland Park, Austin and Port Arthur to be fighting for a state title, all being former champions. But in Class A the teams are newcomers to title play.

Neither of last year's champions is around. Monahans, the Class A king, and Waco, the Class AA winner, both were eliminated in district strife.

Texas' Four Oldest Junior Colleges To Form New Circuit

ARLINGTON —(AP)— Texas' four largest and oldest junior colleges will form a new athletic conference at a meeting in Brownwood next Tuesday.

They are Arlington State, Tarleton State, San Angelo and Schreiner.

All now are members of the Southwestern Junior College Conference, but it is going out of existence at the beginning of the 1950 football season. The loop voted to disband at its Winter meeting.

Three other members of the SWJCC are to help form another new conference in Kilgore next Monday. That conference will take in Northeast Center of Monroe, La., McNeese of Lake Charles, La., and the Cameron Aggies of Lawton, Okla.

To Get Ready

The eighth member of the SWJCC, Lamar of Beaumont, will spend next year getting ready for senior college competition in 1951.

The meeting in Brownwood will be at the Brownwood Hotel at 10 a.m. Other junior colleges interested in entering the circuit are invited to be represented.

These men will attend the meeting: Arlington State—President E. H. Hereford; W. L. Hughes, chairman of the athletic council, and Coaches J. G. Holmes and Tom Pinkard. Tarleton State—President E. J. Howell; Coach Willie Zapalac and Cecil Ballew, faculty representative. Schreiner—President J. J. Dulaney and Athletic Director W. C. Weir. San Angelo—President Jim Guinn and Coach Pete Sikes.

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Tyler J. C. 67, Mesa College (Grand Junction, Colo.) 57.

Texas Wesleyan 54, St. Edwards 44.

East Texas Baptist 60, McMurry 51.

Howard Payne 57, Southern Methodist 56.

Lon Morris 55, Kilgore J. C. 46.

Trinity 54, Hardin-Simmons 51.

West Texas State 55, North Texas State 51.

Illinois 65, Arkansas 53.

College Basketball Coaches Against Rule

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— If the college basketball coaches have their way, this will be the first and last year for the rule that gives a team fouled both a free shot and possession of the ball in the last two minutes of play.

An Associated Press survey of many of the nation's ranking cage mentors showed a decided disapproval of the rule put into effect this year with the hopes it would reduce intentional fouling in the waning minutes of the game.

A much slimmer group said it is too soon to pass final judgment on the rule. A few favored different interpretations of the rule.

But of 36 coaches asked to express an opinion only Dr. F. C. (Phog) Allen came out wholeheartedly for it.

Battle Of Passers Seen In Miami Tilt

MIAMI—(AP)—A battle of passers looms for the annual North-South college all-star football game here December 26, but there will be plenty of beef up front, a survey of the two squads showed Thursday.

Coach Herman Hickman of Yale, who will handle the North squad, completed his 28-man selections Wednesday.

Coach Andy Gustafson of Miami, who will handle the South squad, chose Jim Powers, from Southern California, to join Baylor's Adrian Burk as his passing threats.

The South squad also will include six other Baylor players in addition to Burk. They are Capt. Don Mouser, a 206-pound guard, Fullback Bob Griffin, end J. D. Ison, Tackle Rupe Wright, Guard Chuck Stone and Center Buddy Attaway.

This pits seven Baylor players against seven Notre Dame players and the Southwest Conference Bears, who whipped SMU by 35-26 in regular season play, will try to bring more Southwest Conference nightmares to the Irish.

RESEARCH SITE NAMED

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary of Commerce Sawyer Thursday announced the selection of Boulder, Colo., as the site for a $4,500,000 Bureau of Standards laboratory for radio research.

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From where I sit, it would be a better world if we were half as willing to accept other people's ideas and tastes, as we seem to be willing to accept their bone and blood. There'll always be differences. Some like buttermilk, others would rather have a sparkling glass of temperate beer. But underneath we're pretty much the same—deserving each other's respect and tolerance!
Joe Marsh
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DADDY RINGTAIL ● By Wesley Davis

Daddy Ringtail And Clock Upside Down

Night had covered the Great Forest, but the moon rode high and bright in the sky. It shone in the window of the monkey house, spilling over the bed where Daddy Ringtail, your monkey friend, was sleeping a happy sleep.

"Psst! Psst!" said a voice nearby. The voice was Mugwump Monkey, the monkey boy. He had slipped out from his own warm bed to do the saying of "Psst! Psst!" Yessir, he wanted Daddy Ringtail to wake up.

Daddy Ringtail did wake up. He sat up in bed. "Mugwump!" he said in a quiet voice. "Mugwump, it is much too late at night for you to be up and out of bed."

"Oh now, Daddy Ringtail," said Mugwump, for he was wanting to go after the Christmas tree, because Christmas was indeed not far away. "Daddy Ringtail, it isn't too late at night."

Daddy Ringtail looked at his cuckoo watch. Why, there the watch was saying that the time was almost ten-thirty at night which is awfully late in the Great Forest.

No sir, it was much too late at night to be thinking about getting a Christmas tree. The tree would have to wait until the day had come again. Why, the very next day—tomorrow—was the day that Old MacDonald had told them to come for their Christmas tree of his farm. "But right now," Daddy Ringtail insisted, 'the night is much too late."

Mugwump thought about this. Daddy Ringtail had made a mistake. Mugwump knew. Daddy Ringtail had looked at his cuckoo watch with it upside down. Instead of ten-thirty at night, the time was

really five o'clock in the morning, almost, which is what the watch would have said if it only were turned with its right side up.

"Daddy Ringtail," said Mugwump.

"I hear you," Mugwump," Daddy Ringtail said.

And so Mugwump explained that the time was five o'clock in the morning, almost, even though the dark hadn't gone away yet.

Daddy Ringtail laughed to hear it. Why, the night was so late that the early morning had come, and so of course it was time to be out of bed and away. They were going after the Christmas tree, which is always a happy thing to do. Happy day!

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Translator Sought By Civil Service

The Civil Service Commission announces examinations for filling vacancies in the position of translator for the following languages: French, German, Italian, Portuguese, Spanish, Chinese, Czech, Danish, Dutch, Greek (modern), Hebrew, Hungarian, Japanese, Norwegian, Polish, Rumanian, Russian, Swedish, Turkish, Yiddish, at entrance salaries ranging from $2,875 to $4,600 per annum.

Employment will be with various Federal agencies in the state of Texas.

Application forms and additional information may be obtained from the post office or from the regional director, 14th U. S. Civil Service Region, 210 South Harwood Street, Dallas 1, Texas.

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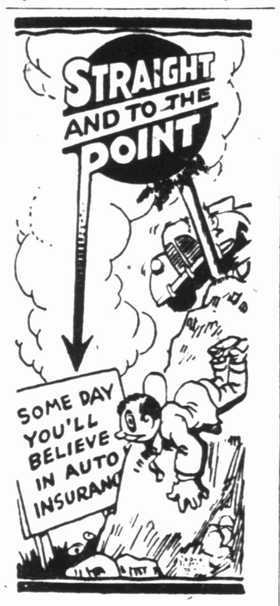

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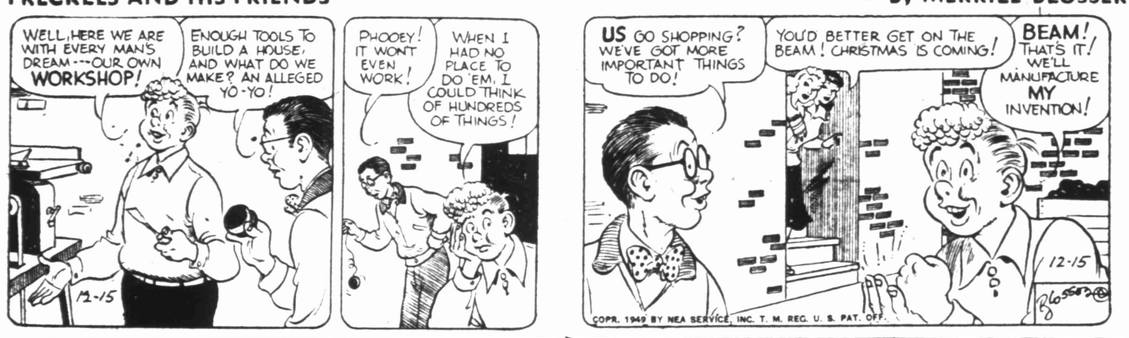

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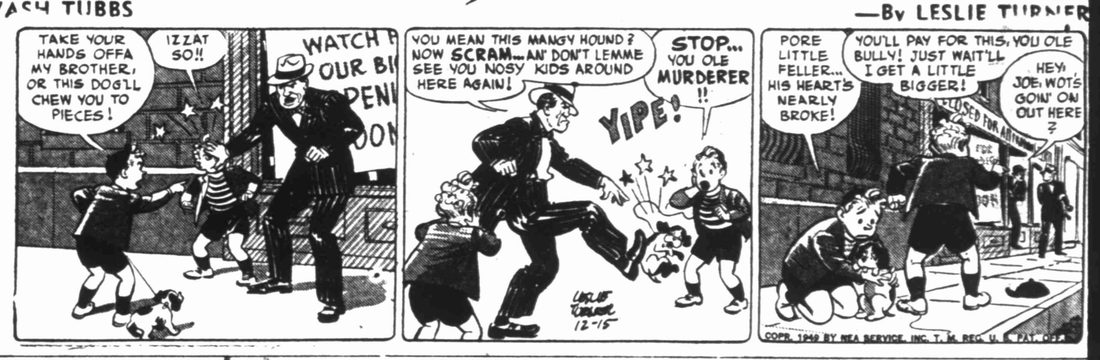

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Story Unreels

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there will be an operation. But if there is—he will do it in the name of Santa Claus.

And that is where the story began —Dear Santa Claus.

'Nothing For Ourselves'

Playmates of Roger Dean at Stanton started the Miracle Christmas Story, as we like to call it, by writing to Santa Claus and asking him to make their little friend well again. The playmates are the Polson children. They asked their mom to write the Santa Claus letter and be sure to say they didn't want anything for themselves.

The Santa Claus letter found its way to The Reporter-Telegram. It was printed on page one, for here was a touching story.

Could Santa Claus deliver this time? Would he be able to answer this unselfish request of the Polson children?

Well, Santa always does, or tries.

Specialist Volunteers

A Midland specialist said he would do the operation. The Western Clinic-Hospital made its facilities available. Stanton friends said they would pay the hospital bill.

The Miracle Story of Christmas began to unreel.

So Roger Dean, the boy we saw in the hospital waiting room looking at the Christmas tree, may someday be like any other little boy. And when he is—a lot of folks are going to say: "It was a pleasure to help."

We believe Roger Dean always is going to believe in Santa Claus. Even when the red overalls he wore Wednesday have changed to the clothes of a grown man. A grown up man who is breathing and living as you and we do. For that, let us pray.

37 Cars Of Freight Train Are Derailed

SWEETWATER —(AP)— Thirty-seven cars of a Santa Fe freight train were derailed Wednesday night near Justiceburg, in Garza County. Thursday traffic on the Santa Fe main line was still tied up. Trains temporarily stalled here included a Houston-to-California streamliner.

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JayCee All-Civic Luncheon Will Be Held Here Friday

An outstanding program has been arranged for the All-Civic Luncheon of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer Friday noon.

Professor A. F. Edwards, assistant to the president of Hardin College, Wichita Falls, and a noted speaker and news analyst, will deliver the principal address.

The choir of the First Baptist Church, under the direction of the Rev. Raymond Hall, will present three Christmas numbers.

The invocation will be given by Dr. Matthew Lynn, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

Bob Baugh, JayCee pianist, will provide luncheon music.

Jeff Montgomery, Midland attorney, will introduce the speaker.

Professor Edwards will arrive here via plane Thursday night and will stop at Hotel Scharbauer. He will be greeted by Dick McKnight and Alfred Petty, of the JayCees, at the Air Terminal.

All members of civic clubs in Midland have been invited to attend the annual program.

Texans Vote-

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Committee, who, with Terry Elkins and D. W. McDonald, is supervising the election, predicted almost 90 per cent of those eligible would vote before balloting stops at 7 p.m. Thursday.

"I think the quotas will pass, from what I've heard here," Pigg said.

Midland county's quota under the allocation setup will be 23,492 acres for 1950, he said. More than 43,000 acres were planted in cotton this year in Midland County.

"The factor in this county is 35.91 per cent of all acres under cultivation," Pigg said, "which means that if the quotas pass, farmers will be able to plant only that percentage to cotton."

Two Cars Derailed Here; Passenger Train Held Up Two Hours

An Eastbound Texas & Pacific passenger train was delayed two hours in Midland Thursday morning after two freight cars were derailed on the main line.

The cars went off the tracks at 8 a.m. near Fort Worth Street while they were being switched to a siding. No damage was done and no injuries were reported, T&P officials here said.

The track was cleared about 10 a.m. and regular service was resumed.

Highway Committee Will Meet Friday

A meeting of the Highway Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will be held at 4 p.m. Friday in the directors' room of the First National Bank.

John P. Butler termed the meeting "important," and urged a full attendance of committee members.

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Permian Basin Oil & Gas Log

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cat has apparently failed of production from the Pennsylvanian lime reef and is now drilling ahead. It is due to continue to around 9,500 feet to explore into the Ellenburger.

The prospector tried a drillstem test at 8,126-52 feet. The tool was thought to have been open for 15 minutes. Recovery was 210 feet of drilling fluid, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

It then drilled ahead to 8,188 feet and took a one hour drillstem test with the packer at 8,128 feet.

Recovery was 270 feet of drilling mud and 2,700 feet of salt water. No signs of oil or gas were developed.

Top of the Pennsylvanian reef was picked at 8,122 feet. Elevation is 2,524 feet. That gives the venture a datum of minus 5,598 feet on that marker.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 7, block 31, TP survey, T-4-N. It is seven miles southwest of Gail.

Sinclair Is To Dig Crockett Venture

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company has filed an application with the Railroad Commission of Texas requesting a permit to start drilling at once at its No. 1 F. R. Henderson which is to be a 9,000-foot wildcat in North-Central Crockett County.

The venture is located 660 feet from south and east lines of section 93, block OP, GC&SF survey. That makes it five miles northwest of Ozona, and seven miles south of the shallow Vaughn-San Andres field.

The slated destination of 9,000 feet is calculated to take the Sinclair prospector into the Ellenburger.

NW Runnels To Get 4,800-Foot Project

L. M. Glasco of Dallas No. 1 S. P. Woods is to be a 4,800-foot wildcat in Northwest Runnels County, and one and one-half miles northwest of the North Winters field.

Location is 330 feet from west and 990 feet from north lines of a 150-acre lease in the southeast quarter of section 80, H. N. Baggs survey.

The exploration is contracted to the Strawn lime of Pennsylvanian. Operations are to begin immediately.

Flanker In Runnels Flows From Strawn

Flowing oil production has been developed in Northwest Runnels County, at a wildcat one and one-half miles southeast of the discovery well of the Fort Chadbourne field.

N. P. Powell of Tyler and T. W. Murray of San Angelo No. 1 Odom, showed for flowing oil in a drillstem test at 5,308-50 feet in the Strawn lime reef.

The tool was open between 15 and 20 minutes. Gas showed at the surface in two minutes, and oil started flowing at the top in four and one-half minutes.

Flow Estimated

Interested operators estimated that the oil flow was at the rate of between 75 barrels and 100 barrels per hour.

Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 1,350 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure, after 15 minutes, was 2,275 pounds.

A string of five and one-half-inch casing has been cemented on bottom. Operators will perforate that pipe opposite the pay zone already drilled and will swab and test, and try to complete as a producer and an extender to the Fort Chadbourn field.

The prospector is located 330 feet from northwest and southwest lines of section 286, G. Carroll survey. It is five and one-quarter miles west of Wingate.

Twelve New Sites To Dot Scurry County

Scurry County is dotted throughout with new locations. Permits are pending on three wells in the Kelly field, two in the North Snyder field, two in the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field and five in the Diamond M.

Hiawatha No. 1 Lewis is located 660 feet south and west of the west half of the northeast quarter of section 294, block 97, H&TC survey.

The rotary operation is in the Kelley field, three miles northwest of Snyder. The contracted depth of the exploration is 6,800 feet.

Fields Spots Two

Bert Fields No. 2 A. B. Eicke, another exploration in the Kelley, is to be 467 feet from west and south lines of the east 60 acres of the south half of the northeast quarter of section 205, block 97, H&TC survey.

Rotary tools will be used in the 7,000-foot exploration. It is five miles west of Snyder.

Bert Fields No. 3 P. F. Harmon, another project in the Kelley, will be 467 feet from north and 467 feet from west lines of the north half of section 210, block 97, H&TC survey.

A 7,000-foot depth is planned for the rotary tool exploration, which is four miles west of Snyder.

In the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field, Pearson-Sibert and Cities Service No. 1 Bishop is to be located 339 feet north and west on a forty-acre lease of section 162, block 97, H&TC survey.

Rotary tools will be used. The contracted depth is 7,000 feet. Location will be 12 miles southwest of Snyder.

Humble Stakes One

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 3-B Walker Huddleston is planned for the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field. It is 550 feet from the west line and 1,700 feet from the north line of section 161, block 97, H&TC survey.

Rotary tools will be used. The contracted depth is 6,800 feet. Location is 16 miles southwest of Snyder.

In the North Snyder field, Standard No. 1 Dodson-Terry unit is 2,050 feet from the north and 660 feet from west lines of section 384, block 97, H&TC survey.

7,000 foot depth is planned. Rotary tools will be used. The exploration will be 10 miles north of Snyder.

Another development for the North Snyder field is W. V. Conover and J. B. Ferguson, Jr., No. 1 I. B. Lewis. It is located 660 feet from east and south lines of the east half of the northeast quarter of section 294, block 97, H&TC survey.

It is to be four miles northwest of Snyder. Rotary tools will be used and the contracted depth is 6,900 feet.

Five More In Lion

Lion Oil Company has filed applications for five new locations in the Diamond-M field southwest of Snyder.

Lion No. 43 McLaughlin is to be 500.62 feet from the west and 1,998.9 feet from the west lines of section 197, block 97, H&TC survey.

Rotary tools will be used. The contracted depth is 6,900 feet. Location is to be 13 miles southwest of Snyder.

Lion No. 42 McLaughlin is to be 1808.68 feet from west and 662.5 feet from south lines of section 200, block 97, H&TC survey.

Location to be 13 miles southwest of Snyder. The rotary tool exploration is contracted to a depth of 6,900 feet.

Lion No. 39 McLaughlin is to be 1,837.23 feet from north and 665.32 feet from the west lines of section 182, block 97, H&TC survey.

Contracted depth is 6,800. Location is 13 miles west of Snyder.

Lion No. 37 McLaughlin is to be 665 feet from south and 500 feet from west lines of section 197, block 97, H&TC survey.

Contracted depth is 6,800 feet. Location is 13 miles southwest of Snyder.

Another On McLaughlin

Lion No. 41 McLaughlin will be 1,831.1 feet from east and 662.5 feet from north lines of the south half of section 200, block 97, H&TC survey.

It, too, is in the Diamond-M field.

Standard No. 1 Dodson-Terry unit, in the North Snyder field is to be 2,050 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 384, block 97, H&TC survey.

The contracted depth 7,000 feet. Location is to be 10 miles north of Snyder.

Scurry Fields Gain Four New Oil Wells

Three completions have been recorded in the North Snyder field and one in the Diamond field of Scurry County.

Barnsdall Oil Company No. 3 P. J. Collips flowed 1,157 barrels of 44 gravity oil on a 24-hour potential. A 3/4 inch choke was used. Gas-oil ratio was 747-1. No water appeared.

Tubing pressure was 300 pounds. Pay was topped at 6,530 feet and the total depth was 6,897. A 5 1/2 inch oil string was set at 6,740 feet.

The producer is in the North Snyder field 467 feet from north, 467 feet from west lines of section 20 block 1, H&GN survey.

Sunray No. 1 Newton, another North Snyder completion, is located 507 feet from north and 517 from east lines of southwest quarter of section 160, block 3, H&GN survey.

No Water Shown

In a calculated 24 hour potential, 887 barrels of 44 gravity oil flowed through a one-half inch choke. Tubing pressure was 630 pounds. No water was apparent.

Gas-oil ratio was 859-1. Pay was topped at 6,630, and the total depth was 6,850. An oil string was set at 6,730 feet.

Ryan & Burke No. 3 Musgrove is reported completed in the North Snyder. Through a 32/64th inch choke on a 24 hour potential, 1,280.64 barrels of 42.9 gravity oil flowed, with no water apparent.

Tubing pressure was 650 pounds. Gas-oil ratio was 824-1. Pay was topped at 6,648, and the total depth was 6,800 feet. A 5 1/2 inch oil string was set at 6,665 feet. Tubing was perforated between 6,760 and 6,767 feet.

Location of the producer is 467 feet from south and east lines of section 19, block 1, J. P. Smith survey.

Pay Was Treated

The Diamond M field completion was the Lion Oil Company No. 2 Clarence located 640 feet from east and 1,892 feet from south lines of section 183, block 97, H&TC survey. On a 24 hour test, 341.65 barrels of 43.8 gravity oil flowed through a 16/64 inch choke. No water appeared.

Pay was topped at 6,681 and total depth was 6,739.5 feet. This zone was treated with 500 gallons of acid. Tubing pressure was 425 pounds.

Gas-oil ratio was 721-1. A 5 1/2 inch oil string was set at 6,739 feet.

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Christmas Dance Of MGS Set For Thursday Night

A large attendance is expected for the Midland Geological Society's annual Christmas dance to be held Thursday night at the VFW Hall, ten miles west of Midland on U. S. Highway 80.

Tickets will be sold at the door, Allen Ehlers, MGS vice president and chairman of the entertainment committee said.

There will be plenty of tables for all, Ehlers said.

The dance is open to all persons engaged in the oil business in West Texas. Special invitions have been extended to the oil scouts and oil company landmen and to the petroleum geologists of the territory to attend and bring their ladies.

CAL Official Tells Value Of Air Lines

The value of air transportation was emphasized by John A. Smith of Denver, cargo sales manager of Continental Air Lines, in an address to Midland Rotarians at their regular meeting Thursday noon in the Scharbauer Hotel.

"Air transportation doesn't shorten lives—it gives persons time to live," Smith declared. He told of the safety record of commercial air lines and the advantages offered by them.

Passenger travel, air mail, air express, air parcel post and air freight advantages, and developments were detailed by the air lines official.

He said 68 per cent of air mail is of a personal nature, the balance being business correspondence.

"It actually is 20 times safer to travel by commercial air lines than in your own automobile," he asserted, pointing to the safety records of the air line industry.

"Continental Air Lines has flown more than 390,000,000 passenger miles without a fatal accident."

City Manager W. A. Oswalt was welcomed as a new member of the club.

James T. Smith presided at the meeting and Ily Pratt was program chairman.

Cub Pack Awards To Be Made At Meeting

Members of Cub Pack 6, under the leadership of Dr. Doyle Patton, Cubmaster, will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday at West Elementary School for presentation of awards.

Wolf awards will be presented to 20 Cub Scouts. They are: Billy Dan Collins, Carl Hyde, Nathan Webb, Charles Younger, Harold Bahr, Presley Belcher, Garry Creath, Teddy Fitting, Bill Larkin, Carl Peters, Don Pass, Spradley Woods, Jerry Hyde, Bruce McKague, Dan Irwin, Bob Bliss, Mike Northup, Roger Eagan, Tommy Thompson and Layne Givens.

Seven Cubs, who will receive Bear awards are: Layne Givens, Bobby Porter, J. G. Cornish, Mike Dunagan, Noland Dunnan, Bobby Clark and Larry Stanley.

John Redfern, John Wynn and John C. Porter will be presented Lion awards.

Gold Arrow Awards

Wolf Gold Arrows will be awarded at the meeting to: Teddy Fitting, Charles Ratliff, Garry Littlejohn, Tommy Hoover, Bobby Clark, Bobby Porter, Glen White, Don Pass, Bob Bliss, Billy Don Collins, Charles Butler, Larry Stanley, Jimmy Walton, Carl Hyde, Bradley Woods, Harold Baker, Bill Larkin, Presley Belcher, Carl Peters, L. G. Cornish and Garry Creath.

To receive Wolf Silver Arrows are: John Younger, Terry Wright, Bob Bliss, L. G. Cornish, Garry Littlejohn and Larry Stanley.

Mike Dunagan, Kurt Von Osinski, L. G. Cornish, Joe Koegler and Noland Dunnan will be presented Bear Gold Arrows.

Four Cubs, Joe Koegler, Noland Dunnan, Kurt Von Osinski and L. G. Cornish will be awarded Bear Silver Arrows. L. G. Cornish will be awarded three Silver arrows.

Jack Crockett and John Wynn will be awarded Lion Silver arrows and graduation certificates, and Crockett will also be given his Webelos award.

'Show Cause' Order

AUSTIN —(AP)— The Railroad Commission Wednesday ordered operators in the South Cowden field, Ector County, to show cause at a hearing February 21 why the maximum efficiency rating of the field should not be reduced.

The commission proposes that the top per well allowable be reduced from 108 barrels per day to 64 barrels per day, with the present additional 108 barrels for new wells reduced to an additional 64 barrels per day.

COTTON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures Thursday noon were 10 to 60 cents a bale higher than the previous close. December 30.25, March 30.20 and May 30.01

Knife And Fork Club Members Enjoy Talk On Scientific Work

Dr. Gerald Wendt, nationally-known scientist, lecturer and author, started off the 1949-50 program series of the new Midland Knife and Fork Club in grand style Wednesday night with his address on "On the Horizon in Science."

It was the first dinner-meeting of the club, which was organized here last month, and the more than 250 persons in attendance voiced their approval of the initial program by rapt attention during the interesting and educational lecture and by ringing applause as the speaker concluded his message.

Dr. Wendt, speaking in terms easily understandable by the average person, and in a most pleasing manner, covered the field of science from atomic energy to medicine and foods. Most of his discussion was focused on "things to come" from scientific research. He was introduced by John R. Parker, second vice president of the club.

Watson Presides

President James C. Watson presided, and D. E. Gabbert led the group in singing "America." The invocation was by the Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Officers and directors of the Knife and Fork Club were introduced by W. Lionel Craver, first vice president.

Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, made a brief and humorous address, which he termed an "ice breaker." His subject was "Ladies—Your Opportunity."

E. M. Avery of Fort Worth, who organized the club here for Knife and Fork International, brought greetings from the 328 clubs comprising the international association, and congratulated the unit upon its instantaneous success. He said the Midland club is the eighty-sixth he has assisted in organizing.

Congressman and Mrs. Ken Regan of Midland were guests of the club.

Christmas decorations were used on the tables, and a turkey dinner was served.

Vast Fund For Research

As a background for his lecture, Dr. Wendt noted the tremendous increase in money being spent for scientific research since 1930, when the annual expenditures was $160,000,000. By 1940 the figure had increased to $350,000,000; 1947, $1,100,000,000, and 1949, $1,950,000,000. The government provides most of the money, he said. More than 100,000 persons are engaged in the many and varied research projects.

He said developments in science present a startling challenge and that Americans should stop and think what the discoveries and developments are doing to and for the world.

"We live in a world completely different from that of our grandparents and it will change even more by the time our children reach maturity," the speaker commented. "The important thing is to educate our children for change and for life in the year 2000. The sole purpose of research is to bring change and we must prepare for the great things to come."

Dr. Wendt spent much of his speaking time in discussing atomic energy research and development—past, present and future. He said there is no reason why the Russians should not have the atom bomb since scientists throughout the world have been engaged in atomic research for many years. There is no reason to fear the A-bomb in the hands of the Russians since they would have to have more bombs than the United States in order to wage an effective war, and America is way out in front in quantity, he stated. The scientist discussed briefly the effects of atomic bombs in warfare, admitting that the development constitutes a vast threat.

"Atomic energy as a peacetime development is the thing which should interest us," he said.

Atomic power to operate airplane motors, and atomic engines for industrial uses were cited as the important things to come in atomic research. He said the proposed atomic engine offers no direct competition to oil or coal interests in the United States because of the low cost of fuels here. But that is not true in most countries, he added.

'White Christmas' Offering Presented

Canned foods collected by students in Midland schools as a part of the annual "White Christmas" program here were presented to the Goodfellows at a special assembly in the MHS Gymnasium Thursday morning.

Each room presented a basket. Tom Brown accepted the canned foods on behalf of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Brown spoke briefly, thanking the students and school officials for their aid in the annual Goodfellow program. The food will be placed in baskets along with other items and the baskets will be distributed to needy families here Christmas Eve.

Principal Charles Mathews spoke for the student body.

Livestock

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 1,000; calves 600; slaughter steers, yearlings weak to 50c lower; other slaughter cattle and calves dull, weak; medium grade steers and yearlings 18.00-22.00; common steers and yearlings 16.00-17.50; beef cows 14.50-17.50; canners and cutters 10.00-14.50; bulls 14.00-17.50; good and choice fat calves 20.00-24.50; common to medium calves 15.50-20.00; stocker steer calves 18.00-23.00; stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 17.00-21.50; stocker cows 14.00-17.50.

Hogs 700; butcher hogs steady to 25c higher; sows steady to 50c lower no demand for feeder pigs, butcher pigs weak. Good and choice 200-275-pound butchers 15.50-16.00; good and choice 160-190 pounds 14.50-15.25; medium grade light hogs 13.50-14.25; sows 13.00-14.00; butcher pigs 9.00-13.00.

Sheep 300; slaughter yearlings absent, other classes steady; good and choice slaughter lambs 21.50-22.50; cull to medium slaughter ewes 8.50-11.50; medium grade feeder lambs 20.00.

MINOR SURGERY

Mrs. W. O. Reynolds, 1101 West Illinois Avenue, Wednesday was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital for minor surgery.

LODGE NOTICES 1

Midland Lodge No. 623, AF and AM, Monday Dec. 5, school 7:30 p. m. Thursday Dec. 8, stated meeting, 7:30 p. m. J. B. McCoy, W. M.; L. C. Stephenson, Secy.

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HUNTING LEASES 6-A

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LOST AND FOUND 7

MIDLAND Humane Society would like to find homes for a number of nice dogs and cats. The animal shelter is at 1702 E Wall.

BLACK and white cocker, has vaccination tag, answers to name of Partner. Call Reagan Legg. Phone 3889. Reward.

SCHOOLS, INSTRUCTION 7-A

Make 1950 the golden year in your career. Enroll now for
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Girls 16 and over who want to learn work that is "different" and unusually interesting; who want the pleasure of working in a friendly atmosphere; who want to get good pay right from the start and receive 4 raises the very first year, there may be an opportunity for you at the Telephone Company. New training classes for telephone operators are starting right away. Pay $135.00 per month, begins on the first day in class. Drop by and talk it over with Mrs. Ruth Baker, Chief Operator, 123 Big Spring St.

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For Appointment

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SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE 13

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MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE 14-A

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Bacon Squares lb. 29¢ Sausage lb. .....29¢
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Picnic Hams lb. ....39¢ Pork Chops lb. ....49¢
Christmas Wrapped—12 to 14 Lb. Average
Peyton's Del Norte Hams, lb. .....59¢

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FOR expert tree and shrub pruning and all kinds of yard work at reasonable price, call 3416-W.

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★ RENTALS

BEDROOMS 16

FOR RENT: Nice bedroom, private entrance, adjoining bath. Walking distance of town. Men only. Phone 9546 after 5 p. m.

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NICE large bedroom. Close in. Ladies only. 608 S. Colorado.

APARTMENTS, FURNISHED 17

3-room furnished apartment, all bills paid. T-193, Air Terminal. Phone 245. L. A. Brunson.

LARGE one-room furnished apartment, near new hospital. Couple only. Phone 1856-J after 5.

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FURNISHED kitchenette apartment, utilities furnished. 410 S. "I" Street.

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3-room furnished garage apartment. 604 N. Big Spring. Call after 6 p. m.

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UNFURNISHED duplex apartment for rent. Apply, 500 N. Pecos.

HOUSES, FURNISHED 19

NEW 4-room house and furniture, for lease, first and last month in advance. No children or pets. Call 808-J.

FOR RENT: Small furnished house. $75. 1008 North Whitaker.

FOR RENT: 2 trailer houses, partly furnished. 700 S. Lamesa Road.

HOUSES, UNFURNISHED 20

3 rooms and bath unfurnished house, attached garage, for rent. Call J. C. Porter, 3004-J.

5-room unfurnished house, inquire at Midland Steam Laundry. 605 South Marienfield.

OFFICE, BUSINESS PROPERTY 21

FOR LEASE: San Angelo, Texas, 40x80 concrete tile, fireproof building. On 50x200 lot. Trackage and docked. Paved street. Ideal oil field supply house, etc. Box 1009, San Angelo, Texas

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WANTED TO RENT 25

PERMANENT AUTOMOBILE DEALER in Midland
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BEDROOM chairs, crickett rockers, child's rockers, coomb-back rockers, platform rockers. McBride's. Phone 845.

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ANTIQUES 27

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POULTRY 38

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FOR SALE: 2 Oliver cotton strippers. These machines like new. Only used 6 weeks. $850 each. Call Mr. Worley, 3747.

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BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES 46

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Entrance doors—Fan top, saw buck, 6 panel Colonial and Gum Slat with 3 staggered lights from
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Reg. $65.00 Values, Now ... **$49.50**
Reg. $49.50 Values, Now ... **$37.50**
Reg. $90.00 Values, Now ... **$74.50**
Reg. $59.50 Values, Now ... **$44.50**
Reg. $115.00 Values, Now ... **$84.50**

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An ideal Christmas gift for any man for either sports wear or just loafing in comfort around the house. These cotton and rayon gabardine shirts will be welcome under the tree on Christmas morning.

Regular $3.98 Now Only ... **$2.85**

MEN'S SILK TIES

What man has enough ties? Here are hundreds of silk ties in a stunning array of patterns, designs and colors to suit the taste of anyone. This is the place and now is the time to do your Christmas tie shopping.

Regular $2.50 Now Only ... **$2.00**

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Our regular stock of Fall and Winter suits bearing two of the outstanding name brands in the country are priced to clear at these money saving prices. Choose from a wide variety of patterns in both single and double breasted models.

Reg. $49.50 Values, Now ... **$37.50**
Reg. $75.00 Values, Now ... **$59.50**
Reg. $69.50 Values, Now ... **$54.50**
Reg. $90.00 Values, Now ... **$74.50**
Reg. $125.00 Values, Now ... **$84.50**

Big Savings On Men's

SUEDE COATS

Talk about Santa Claus. The old gentleman himself never came to the front with a more timely offering than this. A perfect gift for any man at prices that are designed to fit into the holiday budget.

Reg. $29.50 Values, Now ... **$22.50**
Reg. $42.50 Values, Now ... **$32.50**
Reg. $35.00 Values, Now ... **$27.50**
Reg. $45.00 Values, Now ... **$35.00**
Reg. $39.50 Values, Now ... **$29.50**
Reg. $49.50 Values, Now ... **$37.50**

LADIES' WINTER COATS

Here it is, ladies! A final clean-up clearance of Winter coats. Both fur trimmed and tailored coats are included in this group. Now is the time to buy . . . and save.

Reg. $69.95 Values, Now ... **$37.50**
Reg. $85.00 Values, Now ... **$49.50**
Reg. $79.95 Values, Now ... **$39.50**
Reg. $110.00 Values, Now ... **$49.50**

LADIES' WINTER SUITS

What an opportunity this is! Right at the beginning of the cold weather we are offering this attractive group of suits at startling reductions. See them tonight.

Reg. $59.50 Values, Now ... **$35.00**
Reg. $89.95 Values, Now ... **$55.00**
Reg. $69.95 Values, Now ... **$45.00**
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Ladies' and girl's formals in marquisettes, nets and taffeta, taffetas, chantilly lace and many other pretty fabrics. Just the thing for holiday dances. The savings are large.

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Reg. $59.95 Values, Now ... **$35.95**
Reg. $85.00 Values, Now ... **$55.00**

LADIES' SILK DRESSES

Yes, ma'am, this is a real chance to pick up a dress for holiday wear at a modest price. Included are bead trimmed crepes and two-piece failles. Pretty basic dresses.

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Reg. $49.95 Values, Now ... **$34.50**
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LADIES' CREPE DRESSES

Another outstanding value is this group of crepe dresses in dark colors. Sizes range from 10 to 42 and we believe it will be well worth your while to shop early.

Reg. Values to $35.00 — Reg. Values to $32.50
Reg. Values to $29.95 — Reg. Values to $27.50

Now Only $12.95

LADIES' CREPE ROBES

Men . . . here is one answer to the gift problem that has been troubling you. She is bound to like one of these pretty crepe robes in their soft colors and beautiful lace trim.

Reg. $25.00 Values, Now ... **$19.95**
Reg. $35.00 Values, Now ... **$25.00**
Reg. $27.50 Values, Now ... **$22.50**
Reg. $39.95 Values, Now ... **$27.50**

LADIES' SHORTIE COATS

She will really go for one of these Shortie Coats in plaids, solid color wools or the currently popular corduroy. Come in and take a look at them while shopping around.

$16.95 Values **$14.95** — $19.95 Values **$16.95**

LADIES' HOUSE COATS

Another very popular gift item at an equally popular price. These cotton house coats are double breasted with full skirt. The seersucker house coats have zipper fronts.

Regular $6.95 and $7.95 Values ... **$4.45**

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Group 1: Ladies' Shoes
Talk about savings! These black and brown suede dress shoes will save you plenty . . . if we can fit you.
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Group 2: Ladies' Shoes
Of course, the size range is broken, but if you can find your size, these black or brown suedes are terrific values.
Values to $12.95 Now ... **$3.85**

Group 3: Ladies' Shoes
Another lot of super-values in black or brown suede in broken sizes and styles. It will be worth while to look 'em over.
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Andrew Geller Ladies' Shoes
High heel black shell pumps at a price that is well under that of ordinary unknown brands. **$7.85**

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We have a few pair of house shoes for little girls in broken styles and sizes at a give-away price. **$1.00**

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Here is a real gift buying opportunity. A group of loafer type house shoes for him. They'll sell fast. **$4.85**

Men's Suede Dress Shoes
The reason for this offer is a broken range of styles and sizes. They are priced to save over $5. a pair. **$8.88**

★ Ladies' Lingerie, Hose, Accessories . . . Slips and Petticoats . . .

One group, by Artemis. Lace trimmed and tailored. White, blue, petal, yellow or black. Values to $6.50 ... **$2.95**

Nylon Hose . . .
First quality, 51 gauge, 15 denier nylon hose, in the new holiday colors. Sizes 8½ to 10½. (Limit 2 pair to a customer, please) ... **$1.00**

Munsingwear Pajamas . . .
2-piece pajamas of tricot in colors of larkspur blue, buttercup or pink bud. Sizes 32 to 42. Were priced to $6.50 ... **$4.95**

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One special group of gowns, in colors of pink, green, black or white. Values to $16.50 ... **$10.00**

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A marvelous Christmas gift item are these nylon brush and comb sets in attractive plastic cases. They are priced at just ... **$1.95**

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A wide variety of styles, sizes and prices for you to choose from—
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A splendid group in leathers, suedes and patent leathers at a price that is astounding. Values to $11.95 ... (plus tax) **$4.00**

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These are boxed in an attractive plastic case, nylon bristle. Priced at ... **$4.95**

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A special group of costume jewelry of all kinds . . . Your unrestricted choice ... (plus tax) **$2.00**

Brief Panties . . .
A group of brief panties by Munsingwear in colors of tearose and white. Sizes small, medium and large — Pair ... **50¢**

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White goose feather pillows, priced at, pr. **$5.00**

Chenille Bedspreads . . .
These are full size spreads, in white only. Have been selling regularly at $7.95 — Now ... **$5.00**

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The famous Washington's Choice, in either single or double bed size, packed in attractive gift boxes ... **$24.50**

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These attractively boxed cologne and beauty sets will be packaged and wrapped for mailing. They are priced (plus federal tax)—
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Dorothy Gray Lotion . . .
A real special! Dorothy Gray Blustery Weather Lotion, a regular $2.00 value, is now only ... (plus tax) **$1.00**

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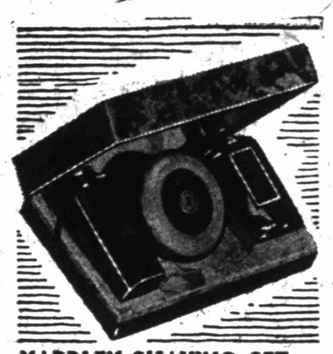

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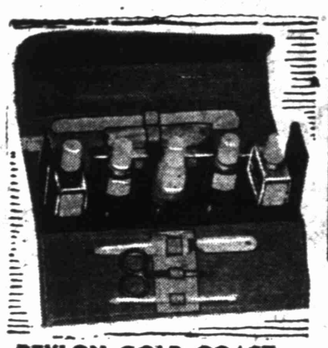

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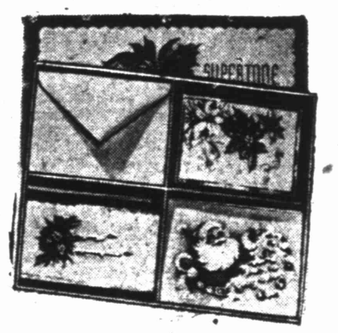

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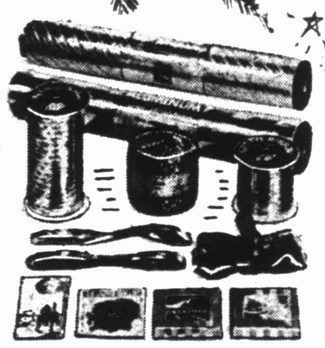

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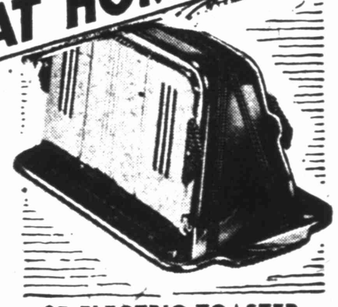

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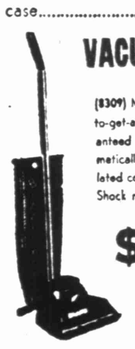

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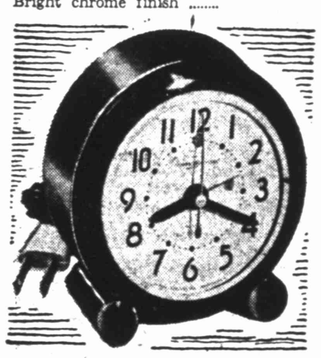

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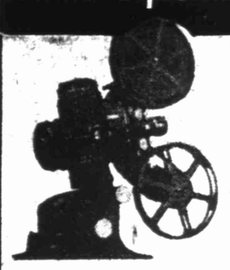

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FOR HIS CHRISTMAS

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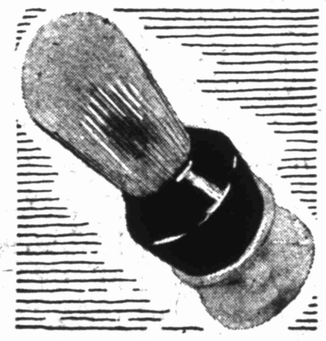

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Baptist Brotherhood Will Meet Weekly

A change from monthly to weekly meetings of the Baptist Brotherhood was announced at a recent meeting.

After the first of next year, the Brotherhood will meet weekly on Tuesday in the recreation building of the First Baptist Church.

Previously, the Brotherhood met once per month at night.

The new weekly meetings will be noon luncheons from 12 noon to 12:55 p.m.

"Come as you are" is the prescribed dress for the luncheons.

The first weekly meeting is scheduled January 3 when Dr. Harry Rimmer will be the guest speaker.

Italy's Agricultural Exports Increased

ROME —(AP)— Intensification of trade between Western European Marshall Plan countries is credited with increasing Italian agricultural exports during the first eight months of 1949.

Officials said exports of farm products during the period showed a substantial gain over the same months in 1948. Major increases were registered in shipments of cheese, fresh and dried fruits, vegetables and hemp. Decreases were noted in exports of wine, potatoes and olive oil.

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Locations Listed For 61 New WT Petroleum Developments

There was a slight decline in oil activity in the Midland areas during the past week, with 61 new locations being reported to the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission of Texas, as compared with 77 the previous week. These new projects were divided among 15 counties.

Scurry County led with field projects, listing 25 new explorations. Hockley and Pecos Counties reported seven locations each. Five new drillsites were listed in Ector County.

Andrews, Cochran and Winkler each got two new projects.

The remaining new explorations were divided one each among Borden, Crane, Gaines, Garza, Mitchell and Sterling Counties.

Five wildcats were listed among the explorations. Scurry County claimed two of these. Ector, Kent and King Counties each listed a new prospector.

Three amended applications were filed. Hockley County reported two of the amended locations and Winkler County had one.

Andrews County

Magnolia No. 7-E Cowden, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 18, block A-52, psl survey, rotary, 11,000 feet depth, Dollarhide-Ellenburger field, starting at once.

Pure No. 47-D-A E. P. Cowden, 661 feet from north and 1,954.2 feet from west lines of section 25 block A-52, psl survey, rotary, 8,000 feet depth, Dollarhide-Devonian field, starting at once.

Borden County

Seaboard, et al No. 11 T. J. Good, 1,980.3 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 38 block 33, T-4-N, T&P survey, rotary, 8,200 feet depth, Good field, starting immediately.

Cochran County

Ashland Oil & Refining Company No. 7 May, 440 feet from north and east lines of labor 21, league 64, Midland CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Skelly No. 3 Wyatt L. Shed, 2,310 feet from north and 440 feet from east lines of labor 3, league 131, Carson CSL survey, rotary, 5,100 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Crane County

Skelly No. 2-B Dewill, 790 feet from south and 990 feet from west lines of section 45, block 30, University survey, cable, 3,150 feet depth, McElroy field, starting at once.

Ector County

Stanolind 1 TXL, 660 feet from south and west lines of northeast quarter of section 31, block 44, T-1-S, T&P survey, rotary, 6,300 feet depth, wildcat, starting at once.

Corrected: Great Western Producers No. 1 TXL, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 5, block 43, T-3-S, T&P survey, combination, 4,500 feet depth, South Cowden field, starting immediately Corrected lease dimensions and acreage.

Corrected: Great Western Producers No. 2 TXL, 660 feet from south and west lines of east half of section 5, block 43, T-3-S, T&P survey, combination, 4,500 feet depth, South Cowden field, starting at once. Corrected lease dimensions and acreage.

Great Western Producers No. 3 TXL, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of east half of section 5, block 43, T-3-S, T&P survey, combination, 4,500 feet depth, South Cowden field, starting at once.

Magnolia No. 5 C. H. C. Anderson, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 13, block B-14, psl survey, rotary, 11,000 feet depth, Yarborough & Allen field, starting at once.

Gulf No. 536-56 C. A. Smith, 2,102 feet from north and 2,109 feet from east lines of section 20, block 44, T-1-S, T&P survey, rotary, 5,850 feet depth, Goldsmith 5600 field, starting immediately

Samedan Oil Corporation (Ardmore, Oklahoma) No. 2 W. F. Cowden, 990 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of section 20, block 44, T-1-S, T&P survey, rotary, 4,150 feet depth, Goldsmith field, starting at once.

Gulf No. 535-56 C. A. Goldsmith, et al, 2,103 feet from south and 555 feet from west lines of section 19, block 44, T-1-S, T&P survey, rotary, 5,850 feet depth, Goldsmith 5600 field, starting at once.

Gaines County

Amerada No. 4 K. H. Childress, 330 feet from north and 2,970 feet from west lines of south half of section 5, block C-31, psl survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Adair field, starting immediately.

Garza County

Kenneth A. Meredith No. 1 J. S. Reed, 330 feet from north and west lines of section 117, block 5, H&GN survey, rotary, 2,600 feet depth, Justiceburg field, starting at once

Comanche Corporation, et al No. 1 L. M. Bartlett, 330 feet from south and 2,023 feet from west lines of section 1237, block A-390, H&GN survey, rotary, 3,200 feet depth, Garza field, starting at once.

Hockley County

Alex McCutchin No. 2-A, No. 4-A, No. 5-A, No. 6-A, No. 7-A, No. 8-A W. T. Coble; No. 2-A is 440 feet from north and west lines of west half of labor 15, No. 4-A is 440 feet from north and east lines of west half of labor 15, No. 5-A is 440 feet from south and west lines of east half of labor 6, No. 6-A is 440 feet from north and west lines of east half of labor 6, No. 8-A is 440 feet from south and east lines of east half of labor 6, league 66, Hardeman CSL survey, rotary, 4,900 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Stanolind No. 1 Davis-Hockley County Unit, 660 feet from north and east lines of labor 17, league 28, Hood CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Amended: Texas Pacific No. 1-A/C-1 J. A. Taylor, 440 feet from north and west lines of labor 12, league 64, Midland CSL survey, rotary, 4,900 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Amended: Magnolia No. 13-DD Mallet, 580 feet from north and 2,097.5 feet from west lines of labor 2, league 49, Edwards CSL survey, rotary, 5,100 feet depth, Slaughter field, starting at once.

Kent County

George S. Anderson & W. R. Childers (Ft. Worth) No. 1 A. C. Cargile, 330 feet from south and east lines of northeast quarter of section 23, block 5, H&GN survey, rotary, 2,600 feet depth, wildcat, starting at once.

King County

The Ard Drilling Company, et al No. 1 R. B. Masterson, et al, 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 51, E. P. Knott survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, wildcat, starting immediately.

Mitchell County

H. L. Lockhart No. 7 C. C. Berry, 990 feet from north and west lines of east half of section 83, block 97, H&TC survey, cable, 1,800 feet depth, Sharon Ridge field, starting at once.

Pecos County

Stanolind No. 10-A M. A. Smith, 380 feet from west and 200 feet from south lines of section 104, block 194, TCRR survey, cable, 750 feet depth, Toborg field, starting at once.

E. J. McCurdy, Jr. (Ft. Worth) No. 1 E. J. McCurdy, Jr.-Smith, 34.3 feet from west and 844.58 feet from south lines of lease in section 24, block 194, GC&SF survey, rotary, 1,240 feet depth, Yates field, starting immediately.

C. W. Brown (McCamey) No. 3-A J. T. Baker, 658 feet from north and 550 feet from east lines of section 88, block 194, GC&SF survey, cable, 2,100 feet depth, Walker field, starting at once.

Paul L. Davis No. 5 Humble-Shearer, 330 feet from north and west lines of southwest quarter of section 37, block 10, H&GN survey, cable, 2,000 feet depth, Lehn Apco 1600 North, starting at once.

Amended: Ohio No. 6-H I. G. Yates, 1,359 feet from south and 2,462 feet from west lines of section 32, block 194, GC&SF survey, cable, 1,712 feet depth, Yates field, starting at once to deepen.

Gulf No. 128-To I. G. Yates, 4,223 feet from east and 1,845 feet from south lines of west 3,992 acres in Runnels CSL survey No. 2, A-2169, cable, 550 feet depth, Toborg field, starting immediately.

Gulf No. 129-To I. G. Yates, 1,155 feet from south and 1,253 feet from east lines of west 3,992 acres in Runnels CSL No. 3, cable, 575 feet depth, Toborg field, starting immediately.

Scurry County

Standard No. 10-5 J. W. Brown, 680 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of north half of section 450, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Standard No. 15-1 J. W. Brown, 660 feet from south and 1,920 feet from east lines of section 496, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Standard No. 4-4 J. W. Brown, 467 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 441, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Jones-Simpson Drilling Company (Dallas) No. 1 Dee Myers, 467 feet from south and east lines of southwest quarter of section 244, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, wildcat, starting immediately.

Tide Water No. 2-B Dodson House unit, 2,000 feet from west and 1,963.65 feet from south lines of section 384, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 8,200 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting immediately

C. L. Norsworthy, Jr., No. 1 Superior-Moore, 467 feet from north and west lines of section 207, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 8,200 feet depth, Kelley field, starting at once.

Barnsdall No. 1 Guy Stoker, 467 feet from south and east lines of tract 23, section 40, Kirkland & Fields survey, rotary, 6,900 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Barnsdall No. 1 E. H. Williamson, 467 feet from south and east lines of southwest quarter of section 246, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,900 feet depth, Kelley field, starting immediately.

Tide Water No. 1 Maud Johnston, 467 feet from south and west lines of northwest quarter of section 250, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,800 feet depth, Kelley field, starting immediately.

Lion No. 38 McLaughlin, 1,662.50 feet from west and 1,797.23 feet from north lines of section 182, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary 6,800 feet depth, Diamond M field, starting at once.

Lion No. 40 McLaughlin, 2,176.11 feet from south and 1,802.5 feet from east lines of section 182, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,800 feet depth, Diamond M field, starting at once.

Humble No. 3 L. N. Periman, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 438, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Westbrook Oil Corporation No. 1 Etta M. Worley, 467 feet from north and 853 feet from east lines of section 15, block 1, J, P. Smith survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, Kelley field, starting at once.

Moncrief, Hope, Crosby & Teas No. 2 J. S. Griffin, 467 feet from south and west lines of northwest quarter of section 208, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,950 feet depth, Kelley field, starting at once.

Moncrief, Hope, Crosby & Teas No. 1 J. A. Joyce, 467 feet from north and west lines of 240 acre lease in section 15, block 1, J. P. Smith survey, rotary, 6,950 feet depth, Kelley field, starting immediately.

Magnolia No. 2 S. E. Cowden, 660 feet from north and west lines of southeast quarter of section 208, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,900 feet depth, Kelley field, starting at once.

Lion No. 2 Strom, 2,062.91 feet from north and 1,962.24 feet from east lines of section 198, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,800 feet depth, Diamond M field, starting at once.

Johnston & Johnston (Houston) No. 2 Una Hart Wade, 467 feet from south and west lines of section 159, block 3, H&GN survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Tide Water No. 1 Claud H. Miller, 3,037 feet from east and 467 feet from north lines of section 251, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,800 feet depth, Kelley field, starting immediately.

Placid Oil Company (Shreveport, Louisiana) No. 1 C. E. Ferguson, 467 feet from north and east lines of northwest quarter of section 295, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary 6,900 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Hiawatha No. 1 J. B. York, 467 feet from north and west lines of 128 acre lease in section 180, block 3, H&GN survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, wildcat, starting at once.

Lone Star Producing Company No. 1 Pearl B. Lary, 467 feet from north and east lines of tract 30, section 16, J. P. Smith survey, rotary, 7,000

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Good Eating In Pork Loin Roast

Brown and juicy, a pork loin roast is always a family favorite. When buying a pork loin roast, have the backbone loosened from the ribs so that carving will be easier. To cook, season with salt and pepper and place fat side up on rack in an open roasting pan. If you have a meat thermometer, insert this through the outside fat into the center of the roast. Place in a 325 degree F. oven and roast 35 to 40 minutes per pound. The meat thermometer should register an internal temperature of 185 degree F. Make gravy from drippings and season with a pinch of sage. Leftover pork roast is wonderful sliced cold for sandwiches or diced and mixed with barbecue sauce to serve on split toasted buns.

McCamey News

McCAMEY—James Melton Driskell, seven, died early Tuesday in a McCamey hospital. Funeral services were scheduled at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. W. I. Lee officiating. Interment was scheduled at McCamey under the direction of Spalding Funeral Home. Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Driskell; two brothers, David and Joe, both of McCamey and the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Freeland of Baytown, Texas.

Recent guests in the Newman Dendy home were Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Moore of Dallas, former residents of McCamey. They were enroute to Phoenix, Ariz., where they will establish residence. Other guests in the Dendy home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Black of California, and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Pitcock of Aspermont.

Mrs. D. S. Anderson of Rankin was a business visitor in McCamey Tuesday.

Jack Simrill of Sherman was a recent guest in the O. O. Jacobsen home here.

Miss Gene Sloan of New Orleans is a guest in the Claude Brazzell home. She is employed at a flower shop during the holidays.

Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lane are parents of a daughter, born December 10 in the Hogan and Malone Hospital of Big Spring. The baby, who weighed four pounds, four ounces, has been named Cynthia Joyce.

Mrs. L. P. Hinde and John Hinde Sunday attended the installation services of the Presbyterian minister, the Rev. Jack Ramsey at Crane.

Mrs. A. D. Duncan, her daughter Carolyn, and Mrs. Ross Smith were Odessa visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Qualls have as their guest Mrs. J. D. Yarbrough of Cisco. Mrs. Yarbrough is Mrs. Qualls' mother.

Mrs. Billy Wayne Weinland of Henrietta visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Bob Leuschner and her niece, Mrs. Mark Haesly, recently.

Mrs. C. B. Lee, Mrs. A. L. Ohlenburg, Mrs. F. W. Culwell, Mrs. L. C. Partin and Mrs. R. A. Bridges were San Angelo visitors Tuesday.

Frederick Matejowsky visited relatives in Lubbock recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Allen of Marathon were guests last weekend in the home of Tommy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, in the Continental Oil Company Camp.

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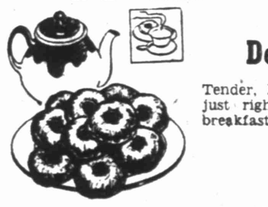

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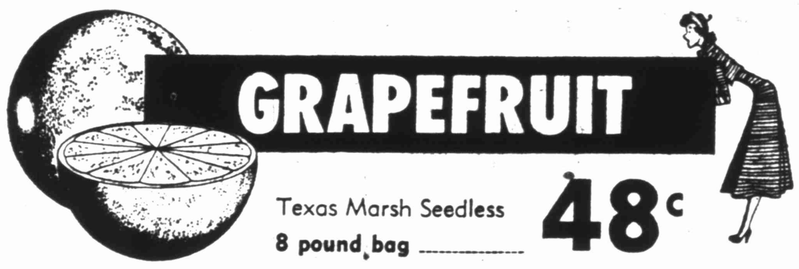

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PINTO BEANS — Mountain Pass—No. 2 tin	15¢
DATENUT BREAD — Dromedary—8 ounce tin	21¢

Vegetables

ASPARAGUS — Sunny Skies all green—No. 2 tin	44¢
MEXICORN — Del Maiz—12 ounce tin	19¢
GREEN BEANS — Briargate Vertical Pack—No. 2 tin	29¢
GARDEN PEAS — Libby's fancy—No. 2 tin	21¢
NEW POTATOES — Del Monte—No. 2 tin	16¢

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PEACHES — Cal Top sliced—No. 2½ tin	19¢
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APRICOTS — Sugaripe—11 ounce box	33¢
PEACHES — Del Monte—11 ounce box	25¢
PRUNES — Rosetta large—1 pound box	25¢
APPLES — Plio sliced—1 pound package	37¢
RAISINS — Cinderella seedless—15 ounce box	17¢

COCONUT — Bakers Premium Shredded—8 ounce box	16¢
CREAM OF TARTAR — Schillings—2 ounce tin	17¢
YEAST — Fleischmann's dry—Package	6/25¢
NESTLE'S MORSELS — 6 ounce package	20¢
BAKING CHOCOLATE — Bakers Premium—8 ounce package	39¢
FUDGE MIX — Dromedary—12 ounce package	29¢
BAKING POWDER — Clabber Girl—10 ounce tin	10¢
BAKING SODA — A & H—1 pound package	9¢
SALT — Morton's or Snowhite—26 ounce package	9¢
PARSLEY FLAKES — Wylers—3/8 ounce tin	10¢
VANILLA EXTRACT — Schillings—1 ounce glass	20¢
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FRESH EGGS — Breakfast Gem Large Grade A — Dozen ..... 67¢

BUTTER — Dairy Glen, in quarters — Pound ..... 59¢

EGG NOG MIX — Golden's — Quart ..... 73¢

Gift Suggestions

CKY STRIKE RETTES — Carton	$1.69
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Desserts and Puddings

HUTE TAPIOCA ce package	18¢
ON PIE FILLING Vell—3 ounce package	6¢
OCOLATE NUT ROLL edary—8 ounce tin	25¢
L-WELL DESSERTS ed flavors gelatin dessert—Package	6¢
L-WELL PUDDINGS ed flavors—Package	6¢
LO ed flavors gelatin desserts—Package	7¢

Flour

LD MEDAL urpose flour—10 pound bag	89¢
CHEN CRAFT urpose flour—10 pound bag	89¢
RVEST BLOSSOM urpose flour—25 pound bag	$1.69
DASILK Flour—44 ounce box	39¢
ANNA ke Flour—3½ pound bag	36¢

Preserves and Jellies

AWBERRY PRESERVES ss—10 ounce glass	32¢
CH PRESERVES ss—21 ounce glass	26¢
ICOT PRESERVES ss—21 ounce glass	26¢
NGE MARMALADE 's—16 ounce glass	22¢
PELADE 's—16 ounce glass	25¢
LE JELLY lman's—2 pound glass	35¢
LE BUTTER lman's—28 ounce glass	23¢
IT JELLY mitation—86 ounce tin	69¢
RRY PRESERVES 's—16 ounce glass	33¢

Miscellaneous Items

SWEET PICKLES American Whole—22 ounce glass	39¢
MIXED SWEET PICKLES Rainbo—12 ounce glass	29¢
SWEET GHERKINS Rainbo—12 ounce glass	33¢
SWEET RELISH Rainbo—12 ounce glass	25¢
GREEN OLIVES Libby's Queen—5½ ounce glass	39¢
CORN MEAL Mammy Lou Yellow—5 pound bag	32¢
POWDERED SUGAR 1 pound box	12¢
BROWN SUGAR 1 pound box	12¢
SALAD OIL Wesson Oil—Pint	33¢
CHEESE FOOD Breeze—2 pound loaf	75¢
MILK Cherub—Tall tin	9¢
PINEAPPLE JUICE Dole's or Libby's—46 ounce tin	42¢
APPLE CIDER Gold Medal—½ gallon	55¢
TOMATO JUICE Sunny Dawn—46 ounce tin	28¢
QUAKER OATS Quick or Regular—3 pound box	35¢
PEP Kellogg's—10 ounce box	15¢
MARGARINE Dalewood uncolored—1 pound package	19¢
MARGARINE Sunnybank, colored—1 pound package	39¢
HONEY Sioux Bee—1 pound glass	29¢
SYRUP Sleepy Hollow—12 ounce glass	24¢
BABY FOOD Libby's assorted fruits and vegetables, 5 oz. glass	3/29¢
DOG FOOD Ideal—Tall tin	13½¢
IVORY SOAP "It Floats"—10 ounce bar	14¢
OXYDOL "New white Oxydol"—Large box	27¢
WHITE MAGIC Granulated Soap—Large box	25¢
DREFT Makes Dishes Shine—Large box	25¢
RINSO Granulated Soap—Large box	27¢
SHOE POLISH Shinola, assorted colors—Can	9¢

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Satin Mix — Delicious Hard Candies — 1 pound cello bag ..... 25¢

Terry Mints — Dark Chocolate Coated — 1 pound box ..... 45¢

Nuts and Nut Meats

BABY WALNUTS Emerald in shell—1 pound bag	33¢
LARGE WALNUTS Diamond in shell—1 pound bag	45¢
ALMONDS I.X.L. soft shell—1 pound bag	37¢
MIXED NUTS In shell, no peanuts—1 pound bag	38¢
PECANS Stuart paper shells—1 pound bag	45¢
BRAZIL NUTS In shell—1 pound bag	38¢
PECAN HALVES Azar shelled—8 ounce bag	55¢
PECAN HALVES Azar shelled—4 ounce bag	29¢
COCKTAIL PEANUTS Planters—8 ounce tin	33¢
WALNUTS Emerald Shelled—4 ounce tin	29¢
CASHEW NUTS Planters shelled—4 ounce tin	36¢
MIXED NUTS Planters shelled—4 ounce tin	36¢

Cakes and Cookies

FRUIT CAKE Lady Blair—5 pounds, each	$3.75
FRUIT CAKE Texas Pride—2 pounds, each	$1.70
OREO SANDWICH N.B.C.—4½ ounce box	16¢
SUGAR WAFERS N.B.C.—9 ounce box	15¢
SUPREME ASSORTMENT Christmas wrapped box of delicious assorted cookies. 1 lb. box	52¢
FIG NEWTONS N.B.C.—2¾ ounce box	19¢
HYDROX COOKIES Sunshine—7½ ounce bag	25¢
VANILLA WAFERS Sunshine—10 ounce box	29¢
TOWN HOUSE COOKIES N.B.C.—7½ ounce bag	30¢
KRINKLETS Merchant Chocolate Covered Grahams—12 oz. pkg.	39¢
PEANUT BUTTER PATTIES N.B.C. Cookies—6¾ ounce bag	25¢
DONUTS Grennan—Package	25¢
CINNAMON ROLLS Baldridge—12 ounce package	20¢
CRACKERS Busy Baker Salted—2 pound box	49¢
GRAHAM CRACKERS Pirates Gold—1 pound box	29¢
TEA TIMERS Round crackers for any occasion—1 pound box	31¢
RITZ N.B.C.—1 pound box	33¢

ORANGE SLICES Ultra fine—1 pound bag	25¢
GUM DROPS Ultra fine—1 pound bag	25¢
JELLY BEANS Ultra fine—1 pound bag	29¢
SWEDISH MINTS Ultra fine—1 pound bag	29¢
PEANUT CLUSTERS Ultra fine—1 pound bag	49¢
HONEYCOMB CHIPS Ultra fine—1 pound bag	49¢
CHOCOLATE DROPS Ultra fine—1 pound bag	32¢
ALMOND CLUSTERS Ultra fine—7 ounce bag	29¢
KISS KETS Ultra fine—8 ounce bag	19¢
CINNAMON IMPERIALS Ultra fine—7 ounce bag	10¢
CARAMELS Kraft's—1 pound bag	39¢
HERSHEY KISSES 7 ounce bag	24¢
PEPPERMINT STICKS Sea Breeze pure sugar—8 ounce package	28¢
ASSORTED MINTS Richardson's—Package	10¢
BURGANDY MIX Brach's Deluxe—1 pound bag	37¢
CANDY CORN Brach's—8 ounce bag	15¢
CANDY COATED CHOCOLATES M and M—7 ounce bag	23¢
CANDY BARS All your favorite brands—Bar	6/25¢
HERSHEY BARS Large size Almond or Plain—Large bar	19¢
MARSHMALLOWS Fluffiest—1 pound box	27¢
MARSHMALLOWS Snow Cloud—8 ounce bag	2/25¢

CRANBERRY SAUCE — Ocean Spray — Tall tin ..... 14¢

MINCEMEAT — None Such — 28 ounce glass ..... 45¢

PEACHES — Libby's sliced or halves — No. 2½ tin ..... 25¢

Beverages

EDWARDS COFFEE Drip or regular grind—1 pound tin	81¢
SCHILLINGS COFFEE Drip or regular grind—1 pound tin	81¢
NOB HILL COFFEE Fine blended whole bean—1 pound package	76¢
AIRWAY COFFEE Ground fresh as you like—1 pound package	74¢
INSTANT POSTUM 8 ounce glass	55¢
TEA BAGS Canterbury O. P.—16 count box	17¢
COCOA Hershey's—16 ounce box	41¢
OVALTINE Regular or Chocolate flavored—Large glass	72¢

Meats and Fish

CORNED BEEF HASH Libby's finest—No. 2 tin	35¢
VIENNA SAUSAGE Libby's finest—No. ½ tin	19¢
SPAM Luncheon Meat—12 ounce tin	45¢
LINK SAUSAGE Swift's—10 ounce tin	49¢
FISH FLAKES B & M—10 ounce tin	27¢
FANCY SARDINES Norbest in Olive Oil—Flat tin	21¢
GRATED TUNA Torpedo—6 ounce tin	29¢
PINK SALMON Prince Leo—No. ½ tin	29¢

Salad Needs

GELATIN Knox Plain—Package	23¢
MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing—Pint	33¢
DUCHESS Salad Dressing—Pint	31¢
FRENCH DRESSING Miracle—8 ounce glass	21¢
MAYONNAISE Nu Made—16 ounce glass	38¢
SWEET PICKLES Rainbo Krispy—12 ounce glass	33¢
STUFFED OLIVES Libby's finest—4¾ ounce glass	59¢
RIPE OLIVES Sylmar giant pitted—No. 1 tin	39¢

SAFEWAY

Locations Listed—

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feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Lone Star Producing Company No. 2 Pearl B. Lary, 467 feet from north and west lines of tract 30, section 16, J. P. Smith survey, rotary, 7,000 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Pan American Production Company No. 1 Maud Carrell, 467 feet from west and 2,467 feet from north lines of section 248, block 97, H&TC survey rotary, 7,000 feet depth, Kelley field, starting at once.

Cities Service No. 1 Auston, 467 feet from north and west lines of tract 31, section 39, Kirkland & Fields survey, rotary, 6,900 feet depth, Kelley field, starting at once.

Magnolia No. 1 Leonard Spence, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 294, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,800 feet depth, North Snyder field, starting at once.

Lion No. 1 Ohlenbusch, 666.67 feet from north and 1,840.97 feet from west lines of section 181, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 6,800 feet depth, Diamond M field, starting at once.

Sterling County

York & Harper, Inc. & J. P. Gibbin No. 7 L. C. Clark 1,673 feet from north and 1,756 feet from east lines of section 6, block A, R. R. Wade survey, cable, 200 feet depth, Clark San Andres field, starting at once.

Winkler County

Amended: Great Western Producers, Inc. No. 1-S Continental-Jenkins, 580 feet from south and 555 feet from east lines of section 13, block 77, psl survey, combination, 8,600 feet depth, Keystone-Silurian field starting at once. Changed location.

Gulf No. 152-T Keystone Cattle Company, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 2, block B-6, psl survey, rotary, 6,750 feet depth, Keystone South field, starting immediately.

Harper-Turner Oil Company (Oklahoma City) No. A-1-B J. J. Perkins, 440 feet from south and west lines of south half of northwest quarter of section 4, block B-2, psl survey, rotary, 3,600 feet depth, Keystone Lime field, starting at once.

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JayCees Wish Happy Season With Safety

Midland JayCees want Christmas to be a happy holiday—free from the home accidents which can make a nightmare of the Yule season.

Reagan Legg, general chairman of JayCee's Christmas activities, has appointed a Safety Committee headed by Dr. George Ulvestad, Jr., who has drafted suggestions for safety in home decorations.

Dr. Ulvestad urges Midlanders to be careful not to place Christmas trees too near a gas burner or floor furnace. Trees should be placed in the coolest corner of the room. Fireproofing of trees at home, said Dr. Ulvestad, is not dependable. No chemical added to the water in which the tree base rests will satisfactorily fireproof—and may actually make the tree more flammable, he said.

Examine Lights

Strings of lights should be carefully examined before stringing, and any broken or frayed wires repaired or replaced. Another dangerous practice is that of plugging four or five strings of lights together, overloading the circuit and creating a fire hazard.

Metail foil icicles used as decoration can be dangerous, he pointed out, since they may act as conductors if touching a socket or light fixture.

Cotton or paper used as decorations for tree or base are extremely hazardous, and should not be used under any circumstances, Dr. Ulvestad said.

Christmas tree lights should not be left burning while no one is at home, nor should lighted candles be used in decorations, unless extreme caution is used to be sure that the flame is at least eight inches from curtains, hangings or other decorations.

GOOD SYSTEM

Keep a pad and pencil in your apron pocket when packing away equipment and clothes. Then you can jot down as you work what you put away and where.

For a holiday fruit cup add pomegranate seeds to a fruit cup for a festive and delicious-tasting combination.

Using non-inflammable ornaments, this housewife (left) decorates the tree. She checks wiring (upper right) before stringing tree with electric lights. Householder (lower right) chooses live Christmas tree as safest, takes further precautions to dampen soil in tub in which it's firmly "planted."

By GAILE DOUGLAS
NEA Staff Writer

Did you know that it takes an average Christmas tree only two minutes to go up in smoke once a fire catches hold of its festive trappings? That doesn't allow much time for rescue by the fire department.

Keep your tree safe, your Christmas merry by observing the following rules laid down by experts.

Settle if possible for the safest tree; a live one with packed roots and all in a bucket of earth. Keep dirt moistened. The tree that cannot be "planted" in earth can be kept as safe from upsets if it's securely anchored in a sturdy pail-ful of rocks. What the small tree (safer than a large one, experts say) lacks in size, it can make up for in festive trimmings.

Until you're ready to set up your tree, keep it out of doors. When you bring it in, set it up in the coolest part of the house with the radiator nearest it turned off.

Use non-inflammable aluminum foil—not cotton or paper—to conceal container in which the tree is "planted." Use non-inflammable trimmings on the tree.

Don't use lighted candles. (This may seem an unnecessary precaution in this day of electric lights, but lighted candles contribute to tragic fires every year.)

Check the wiring for the tree to see that it's not frayed, is in perfect condition. The switch for turning off and on electric lights should be at some distance from the tree. Don't plug or unplug lights beneath the tree.

Don't leave tree lights on when it isn't necessary and especially when the family is away from home. From time to time, check over the tree and see if needles near the lights are turning brown. If they have, move the lights.

Watch the calendar. New Year's is the day for the tree to go down. If you should extend the time, don't leave the lights on the tree for more than a half hour at a time.

Youth Center Chatter

By JUNE HAZLIP-JOYCE HOWELL

Hi there, Folks! Well, we almost didn't make it this week! The last week of school before the Christmas holidays always is a very, very busy week, and we were right in the middle of everything!

What better way to start off this column than to tell about the top subjects of conversation around the Youth Center and Midland High School! As might be expected, the Band and A Cappella "field trips" are right at the head of the list!

The band students still are talking about their trip to Lubbock last weekend. Eighteen of them attended a Band Clinic there. Bands from all over this region were represented and all agreed they had a wonderful time!

The A Cappella choir took 16, pardon us, 14 members along, in the opposite direction, to Abilene. (The missing two were Eddy Juan Darnell and Wilma Like, who forgot to set their alarm clocks!) A huge choir, made up of choirs from all over this district, and at least 1,000 voices strong, was directed by Archie Jones, well-known director and composer, from the University of Texas.

Band Trip

Of course, as on all school bus trips, many amusing incidents happened and every student in MHS has heard of at least one! Here are a few:

"Daffy" Tabor was kidded a good deal about her "smoking." It seems as though her asthma was very bad so, "Daffy" had to smoke some special medicinal cigarettes for it.

Martha Frick, Nancy Webb and "Daffy" Tabor shared a room, in Abilene, and EVERYONE has heard about THAT room!" "Daffy" insists that she slept on the radiator! It seems there was a big neon sign, saying "Eyes Examined," which flashed on and off all night. And besides that . . . the fire escape outside made them feel as though they were in prison! Dear me, from what they tell us, they MUST have had quite a time!

On A Cappella Bus

Mary Neill managed to get the "A Cap" off to a "gay" start by showing up half an hour late for the bus! (But after all, do you blame her??? Not everyone can get up at 4 a.m.) Max Schaffer and Sammy Kohn managed to keep things, in general, very lively with their witty remarks!

Later on in the afternoon, the "early hours" were felt by all! Several Midland and Odessa students were embarrassed when Dr. Jones found it necessary to wake them in the middle of one particularly "sleepy" number!

And, of course, there were the usual "reunions," which always turn up at large school gatherings. Quite a few Midland teeners will remember Midland Exes Lynn Schreffler, Odessa; Ann Brown and Jan Masters, Big Spring, and Jane Flint of Cisco.

All in all the "A Cap" members agree they had a wonderful time . . . and, they add, "A school trip is bound to be fun on a choir bus . . . 'cause when you want to sing, as usual, you have the voices to make "beautiful music" right at hand!"

Only eight more shopping days 'til Christmas! Have you done your Christmas shopping yet???? Hummmmmmm??

AND . . . while we're on the subject, only one more day of school, and then . . . THEN . . . FREEDOM, for two whole weeks. We plan to sleep at least two days, but, we're going to have fun in the two weeks following that!

Christmas Pageant

Many Midland High students have been practicing long and hard on the annual Christmas pageant, which promises to be very good! Two performances will be presented in the Junior High auditorium Thursday night.

Several of our Junior High friends were wondering if high school really had demoted "all those kids." The Choir had several pageant rehearsals in the Junior High Auditorium, at eight o'clock in the morning. When curious Junior High students asked "Wha' Hoppens" the choir jokesters replied . . . "Oh, we were demoted!"

The girls are preparing for Christmas holidays and we've seen several of them trying on new formals. Pat Emmons was broken hearted when she found that Suzie Young had bought a new evening dress exactly like the one she wanted!

Arnold Drake, a very regular Youth Center member, is home from the hospital, where he has been following an operation. We hope you will be up and around soon, Arnold.

Dick Monroe is another hospital "casualty" we are glad to see up and around. It seems that Dick will have to take it easy until after Christmas.

What were Zoe Underwood and Larry Mayfield doing in front of the school last week? They were surrounded by a group of boys and girls and we just wonder what was happening!

Band Practice

The Midland High Band won't be getting "rusty" over the Christmas holidays. Practices are scheduled each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday!

The Youth Center has been decked with the new football jackets, which were awarded last week. The Senior lettermen are sporting the jackets with leather sleeves, while the regulars are wearing the same thing with cloth sleeves. The "A" reserves have purple coat sweaters with gold "M's" and the "B" squad is blossomed out in purple pullovers. Gold footballs were the "C" squad awards. Seems to us that several gals are coming out in football jackets lately, too. But of course, we COULD be imagining it!

Congratulations this week go to Joann Reagan and JoAnn Nelson, who are Football and Band Sweethearts, respectively. Our best wishes got to the deserving girls! (The JoAnn's have it this week!)

This past week has seemed like a week of play! Tuesday we got out of school at 2:30 p.m. and Wednesday the home-room parties were held!

Holiday Decorations

Christmas decorations are up and all the windows and Christmas trees look very nice. On top of Midland High School there is a complete Christmas scene including shepherds, wisemen, Bethlehem, and the manger scene. The windows in the band hall are decorated and Miss Magee's geometry classes spent a lot of time on the windows in her room. The classes figured out, in detail, the design which is in the window.

The Youth Center Christmas tree was decorated last Sunday. There were several "bosses" and everyone was trying to put ornaments on the tree at once! It remains a wonder to us how it looks so nice!

Well, that's all there is, there ain't no mo' so we had better be ambling along. "Bye Now."

Modern pins made of wire were first produced in France and Germany.

Bittern Terrorizes Office Personnel

AP Newsfeatures

What's quicker than a flash? It could be a little bird called a bittern, smallest member of the heron family. Mrs. Peter H. Snyder, amateur ornithologist and member of the Audobon Society, rescued one from a San Diego, Calif., lawyer's office. It was terrorizing the lawyer and his staff. They were afraid of its knitting-needle beak lunging quicker than a flash.

A stenographer called Mrs. Snyder, who now feeds it small frogs and minnows. It snatches its food so fast that a camera set at 1/400 of a second can't quite catch the action without a blur. It lunges nine inches. Bitterns usually are so tricky about concealing themselves that they are seldom seen, says Mrs. Snyder.

WINTER PEARS FOR SALAD

Winter pears make a fine supper salad. Peel them just before serving, cut in half, and arrange them on a bed of watercress or other salad greens. Pour over a French dressing into which blue cheese has been crumbled.

BUFFET SUPPER

For a buffet supper broccoli flowerets may be cooked and arranged in a cream sauce in a casserole; top with buttered crumbs of grated cheese.

Some green vegetables are higher in nutrients than others, but the green color of the vegetables usually denotes a plentiful supply of vitamin A.

Dear Santa—

Dear Santa Claus:

"Will you please bring me a doll that wets its pants, a cash register and a service station.

"I have a year-old brother that would like some presents, too.

"I am four years old and I think I've been pretty good."

Love,
R. B. Allen.

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Dear Santa Claus:

"Please bring me a pair of red rubber boots, a pair of skates, a doll house with furniture in it. Also bring some candy, nuts and fruit.

"I have been a good girl."

Thank you,
Judy Gail Gray.

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Dear Santa Claus:

"I am a little girl eight years old. I want a straw hat doll, filling station, some Tinker Toys and bring father and mother something, too."

Thank you and love,
Saundra Ascue.

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Dear Santa Claus:

"Would you remember to bring me a talking doll if you have any left. Don't you remember my name is Patsy Rae Cain and my daddy saw you in Houston. Don't bring any boots, just a cowgirl suit with skirt and two-gun holster. Next year I want you to bring me a cash register and sewing machine. I'm four years old."

Sure do love you,
Patsy.

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Dear Santa Claus:

"I want some pink dishes, a bride doll, table and chairs, malt mixer, cooking dishes, doll clothes, doll suitcase, doll buggy, red-nosed reindeer book satchel, toaster and broom."

Thank you,
Roberta Marshall.

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Dear Santa Claus:

"Will you please bring me these things for Christmas: 1. accordion, 2. cash register, 3. gun, 4. two-way telephone, 5. toy printing press, 6. Roy Rogers binoculars, 7. Flinch game, 8. pirates' treasure chest bank, 9. a teller toy."

Thank you,
Maurice Marshall.

+Wink News+

WINK—Joseph Best, Wink businessman, was injured painfully when his left hand was caught in a power saw. The thumb and forefinger were mangled.

Sgt. Albert McGraty has been visiting in the Jess Hildreth home and with other friends here. He has been stationed in Alaska, but is to be stationed at Waco.

Frank Kelton and son, Jimmie, made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Jess Hildreth spent last week in Snyder on business.

The Rev. and Mrs. George Ditterline are in El Paso on business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Loyd of Seminole were recent guests of Mrs. Revice Kegler and daughter, Angela.

Plea For Research Made By Scientists

STATE COLLEGE, PA. — (AP) — The United States is materially rich, but is scientifically bankrupt. This is one conclusion reached by 150 research men in a conference at Pennsylvania State College. The bankruptcy is in basic research, which seeks truth for its own sake. From such knowledge often comes great scientific discoveries that can be useful. The atomic bomb could never have been developed without years of research which learned basic facts about atoms.

The conference agreed that such basic research thrives best in a quiet academic atmosphere, but that universities don't have enough money for such research.

CSC Seeks Junior Engineer, Scientist

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces examinations for filling vacancies in the position of junior scientist and junior engineer at entrance salaries ranging from $2,650 to $3,825 per annum.

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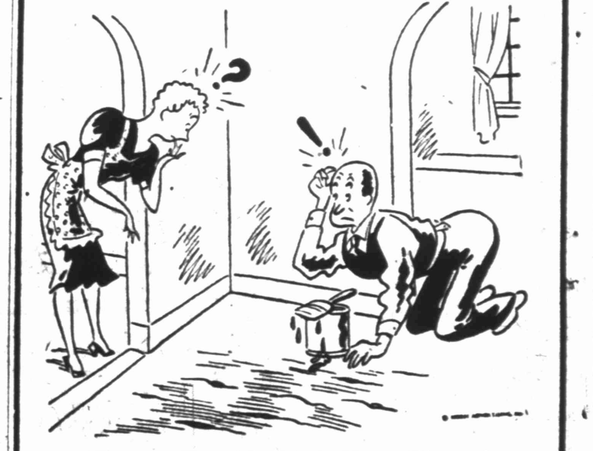

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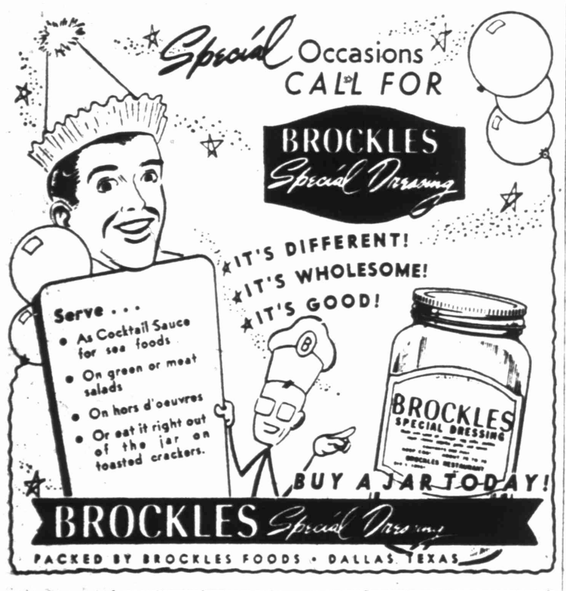

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ORANGE JUICE Adams 46 Oz. Can ..... 33¢

APRICOT NECTAR Welch's 46 Oz. Can 39¢

SWEET CIDER Martinelli Quart Jar ..... 33¢

Hershey—½ Lb. Box **Cocoa** . . . . . 23¢

Hershey's Baking—8 Oz. Box **Chocolate** . . . . 39¢

Argo—Pound Box **Corn Starch** . . . 13¢

Swansdown—Large Box **Cake Flour** . . . 39¢

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Bacon Breakfast For Morning Pep

To feel at your tip-top best in the mornings, you need to eat a real breakfast. A real breakfast is one which includes foods that "stay with you"—sustaining foods such as bacon, ham, sausage and eggs. A favorite American breakfast—and a satisfying one—is French toast with bacon. A good way to prepare bacon when you have the double duty of turning out French toast is to bake it. Baked bacon is delicious and requires no watching or turning. The fat drips off while it cooks, leaving the strips crisp or medium crisp according to your preference. Lay bacon strips on a rack in a shallow pan and bake at 400 degrees F. 12 to 15 minutes.

Large Cast Announced For MHS Christmas Pageant Thursday

Students in Midland High School's Speech Department will make up the cast of "The Promised One," the annual Christmas pageant to be given Thursday night.

This will be the fifth performance of the pageant under this title, but each year it is rewritten.

Verna Harris is directing the program, assisted by R. C. Michener of the Music Department, whose A Cappella Choir and Girls' Glee Club will sing.

Two performances will be given Thursday, the first at 7 p.m., and the second at 8:45 p.m., both in the junior high school auditorium.

Five Scenes

The pageant will have five scenes. The first is the Temple, the second, Mary's home; the third, Elizabeth's home; the fourth, the Road to Bethlehem, and the fifth, the stable.

Rosalynn Leggett will play the organ.

Characters are as follows: reader, Clint Dungan; Gabriel, Robert Stubbeman; Zacharias, Clifford Wilcox; Mary, Joyce Jones; Elizabeth, Inez Hedges; Tax Collector, James Wallace; Travelers, Barbara King, Ann Wells, Aubrey Easley, Harold Atkinson, Georgia Stump, Barbara Ware, Ted Bivens, Bill Cartwright, Zoe Underwood, Emily Hamilton, Joan Turner, Joann Ragan, Mary DeBerry, Mary Jo Heji, David Breith, Marette Williams and Fred Meissner.

Joel, (a shepherd boy), Harry Harrison; Fruit Vendor (an old man), Bill Emmons; samaritan, Joe Turner; Sarah (a woman from Nazareth), Rita Dunlap; a small girl, Glenda Anderson; a small boy, Martin Leonard (Sarah's children).

Set Builders

Rebecca (a woman from Nazareth), Nancy McKinley; innkeeper, Doyle Patton; Joseph, Roy Mann; Abner, Joe Barnett; Shepherds, Stan Coker, Raymond Leggett and Wesley Hawkins; and Wise Men, George Friday, Jimmy O'Neal and James Weatherford.

Tina Williams is the stage manager and R. B. Slight, Tommy Variaman, Pete English, Lewis Brooks, Carol Glahn, Wanda Hankla, Gwen Roberts and Pat Emmons are in charge of the lighting.

Billie Love, Jo Ann Nelson and Ann Arick are in charge of the programs. Inez Parker and her art classes and Jack Mashburn and his manual training classes made the sets.

Kylene Kindley, Betty Leftwich, Katherine Carter and Barbara Vanlandingham will be ushers.

Pork Tenderloin Patties Are Tops

With lots of pork on the market, now's the time to enjoy the many delicious pork cuts available. You're getting real value for your money when you buy pork tenderloin patties. There's no bone, no waste, and little shrinkage during cooking—furthermore, there's super eating in every bite. Pork tenderloin, like all small cuts of pork should be braised rather than broiled or fried. Cooking the patties in a covered skillet with a little added moisture results in tender, juicy servings of this deluxe meat. To braise pork patties, first flour and brown in a little fat in a skillet, then add seasonings and a small amount of liquid. Cover skillet tightly, and cook slowly until tender, 35 to 45 minutes. Herbs, spices, or seasonings, such as Worcestershire and Tabasco sauce, added to the liquid during braising, give pork tenderloin patties an interesting flavor.

ROASTING ALMONDS

To roast almonds place in a shallow pan in a slow oven and stir them occasionally until the inside of the almonds, when broken, is a light brown. This will take about 25 minutes.

THE FAMOUS TOE HOLED

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Library Has New Books For Youths

The Midland County Library has announced a list of new books for children from pre-school to college age.

Books for pre-school and elementary school age children are as follows: Great - Grandfather in the Honey Tree (Swayne), World Round (Hogan), Cocolo Comes to America (Ehrlich), Jerry and the Pony Express (Tousey), Little Toot (Gramatky), Billy and Blaze (Anderson).

Andy and the Lion (Daugherty), Runaway Rocking Horse (Robertson), The Box with Red Wheels (Petersham), Little Deputy, Uncle Kris and His Pets, and Through the Window (Toepperwein), Miss Flora McFlimsey's Christmas Eve (Mariana), The Emperor's New Clothes (Anderson).

Arithmetic Can Be Fun (Leaf), Poppet (Austin), A Child's Book of Bible Stories (Werner), The Golden Almanac (Bennett), Animal Stories (Duplaix), Henry - Fisherman (Brown), The Belgian Twins, The Norwegian Twins, The Scotch Twins, and Cotton in My Sack (Lenski).

Junior And Senior Books

Junior and senior high school students will enjoy reading the following books: The White Sail (Bassett), Play with Plants (Selsam), Dig for Treasure (Marshall), Here Come the Pekinese (LeGrand), Trigger John's Son (Robinson), Bonny the Pony (Clarke), Friday's Child, Glory Be!, and Little Miss Atlas (Lambert).

Dogs of Destiny (Downey), The Talking Tree (Desmond), Mystery at the Old Place (Orton), A Pet Book for Boys and Girls (Morgan), Johnny King, Quarterback (Scholz), How Your Body Works (Schneider), Footprints of the Dragon (Oakes).

Mountain Pony and the Rodeo Mystery (Larom), The Black Stallion and Satan (Farley), The Amazing Journey of David Ingram (Kelly), Come Be My Love (Davis), The Fabulous Flight (Lawson), Blondes Prefer Gentlemen (Daly), Ten Days Till Harvest (Ball).

The Junior Artist's ABC from Pencil to Paint (Carlson), Raising A Riot (Toombs), and Everywhere I Roam (Burman).

Stanton News

STANTON—Mrs. Glenn L. Brown presented her speech pupils in a Christmas recital recently in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Story. After the program refreshments of spiced tea and cookies were served from a table decorated with evergreens and toys. Pupils taking part were Glee Ingram, David Poe, Fred Houston, Betty Berry, Barbara Smith, Bill Stephenson, Ila Mae Gray, Janelle Jones, Linda Bess Bryan, Paige Elland, Larry Clements, Nelda Baum, George Whitaker, Jo Jon Hall, Jan Nichols, Jimmie Sale, Carolyn Kelly, Robert Whitaker, Johnny Stewart and Marsha Bristow.

C. C. Kuykendall of Big Spring is a new Stanton resident.

Mrs. Nannie Johnson of Yantis was a recent visitor of her sister, Mrs. G. A. Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson left Tuesday for Dallas.

Herbert Jones and Jo Nell Tindon were married in Lovington, N. M., recently. Mrs. Jones is from Coahoma.

Carl Atchison of Odessa was a weekend visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Atchison, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright and children of Midland were Sunday visitors of relative here.

Mary Beth White was a recent visitor of Sue Zimmerman in Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Watson and daughter and Mrs. Hattie Cathy of Abilene were Sunday visitors here.

Mrs. Cora Turner was a recent guest of her sons, Willard and Jack Turner of Terminal.

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