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REPORT ASSASSINATION TRY FOILED

Bergen County prosecuter Guy Calissi, left, talks to James E. Cobb, alias Frank Green, 33, of Tampa, Fla., after Cobb's arrest on charges of conspiracy to commit murder. Calissi said Paul Hall, 40, right, secretary-treasurer of the Seafarers' Union (AFL), was saved from the planned shotgun death. Cobb was arrested near Hall's home in Montvale, N.J. Hall, top man in the union, receives a salary of $28,000 a year.

Mendes-France Regime, Treaty Face French Ballot Test Today

Ike Anxiously Awaits Action On New Ballot

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP)—President Eisenhower, awaiting France's crucial vote on West German rearmament, had another long telephone talk today with Secretary of State Dulles.

The White House said Dulles told the President there was very little information on the progress of debate in the French National Assembly.

The plan to rearm the Germans as an equal partner in the Free Western Alliance must run the course of five more votes in the Assembly.

If the French reject the plan late today, the President may return at once to Washington. His plane, Columbine III, is standing near Augusta.

If German rearmament is approved, Eisenhower will probably stay at his holiday retreat until Jan. 3, working on his first messages to the new Congress and playing some golf.

James C. Hagerty, White House press secretary, announced today it has been decided to send the President's budget message to Congress Jan. 17 and follow with the economic report Jan. 20.

The President spent about 2½ hours this morning with Gabriel Hauge, his personal financial adviser, and Dr. Arthur F. Burns, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers, working on the two messages.

Hauge and Burns will take the drafts back to Washington today for final revision.

Eisenhower interrupted his financial conference about 9:25 a.m. to talk with Dulles. The conversation lasted about 15 minutes.

Some other special messages to Congress are being drafted, Hagerty said, and details will be announced over the course of the next week if the President remains in Augusta.

Meanwhile an air of tension pervaded the presidential circle.

West German rearmament is an integral part of the administration's defense plan for Europe, and France's rejection of it, the White House has made clear, would be a bitter blow.

Premier Mendes-France, fighting for ratification, has demanded a vote of confidence on the issue. The French Parliament is expected to act sometime today, with the government standing or falling on the result.

Last Friday the President said he considered the adverse vote in the Chamber of Deputies Thursday—a provisional action—as of "the utmost seriousness to the free world." A new White House statement reiterated this view yesterday and noted that Eisenhower had also "expressed the hope of our government that the vote would not represent the final French decision on the matter."

The statement continued:

"If, contrary to our hope, this should unhappily be the case, however, the President would naturally reconsider his present plan to remain here at Augusta, where he had originally intended to concentrate on the preparation of his State of the Union message, the submission of the budget and economic report and other special messages to the Congress."

James C. Hagerty, White House press secretary, said that if rearmament is rejected by the French and Eisenhower decides to finish out his Georgia stay anyway, Secretary of State Dulles and other high administration officials, no doubt will fly here for a series of conferences.

CLAIMS RECORD

A French jet, the Leduc 021 shown above in a recent flight, has been reported in France to have reached a speed of 652 miles an hour, climbing at an angle of 50 degrees, which the French claim is an unofficial world climbing speed record. The plane was designed by French engineer Rene Leduc.

Police Guarding Assembly Building

By HARVEY HUDSON

PARIS (AP)—The French National Assembly convened shortly after 3 p.m. today for a decision fateful for the government of Premier Pierre Mendes-France and the defense of the Western world.

The Premier is asking for the Assembly's vote of confidence on West Germany's entrance into the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and, by implication, the whole network of London-Paris accords for West German rearmament as a partner in a seven-nation Western European Union.

Hundreds of police stood on guard at strategic points around the Assembly building, the Bourbon Palace, to maintain order.

Shortly before the session opened, most of the political groups were holding last minute caucuses, and the odds appeared to favor the Premier by a slim margin.

The executive committee of the Independent Republicans, most of whom were hostile to the government last week, advised party members today to vote for the Premier. This, it said, should be done to support the Atlantic Alliance and not as a gesture for Mendes-France personally.

Various party spokesmen planned to take the floor before Mendes-France himself presented a supreme last-minute appeal for the Assembly's backing on his pro-Western foreign policy. Defeat would mean the resignation of his six-month-old government.

He is asking a vote of confidence today on two points—West Germany's entrance into NATO, and endorsement of the government's position on three amendments to the ratification bill.

If successful on those ballots, he was slated to demand that the Assembly reverse its refusal last Friday to ratify the treaty permitting West Germany to rearm as a member of the seven-nation Western European Union (WEU). That, too, would be a question of confidence which under Assembly rules could not be voted on for 24 hours, probably tomorrow.

Defeat on any of the three votes would force the government to resign, plunging France into another of its numerous postwar Cabinet crises.

Observers declined to predict in advance of the Assembly session how the deputies would vote. But it appeared that at best Mendes-France could hope only for approval of rearmament by a small margin, and with many Assembly members abstaining from the ballot.

The whole future of the Western alliance and of France's position awaited the outcome of the Assembly votes. The British government, backed by the United States, has announced that West Germany will be rearmed regardless of the French action, and that final French rejection of the treaties will result in reconsideration of the British pledge last fall to keep troops on the European continent.

In Augusta, Ga., White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty announced that President Eisenhower would consider cutting short his Christmas holiday if the French deputies refused to ratify the treaties.

In the first vote of confidence scheduled for today, the deputies were asked to ratify the treaty admitting West Germany to membership in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. The second vote was scheduled on three amendments, with the Premier demanding rejection of two which would delay ratification of the pacts but calling for approval of the third. The latter would require that all four treaties must be ratified before any of them can become effective.

Though it rejected the Western European Union pact on Friday, the Assembly at that session approved the treaty restoring West German sovereignty and also the French-German agreement on international control of the disputed Saar.

Party positions on today's votes could not be set until after Mendes-France addressed the deputies to plead for support.

Balloting was expected late in the afternoon.

Texas Violent Death Count Soars To 74

By The Associated Press

Violent deaths in Texas since the holiday season began Dec. 23 rose to 74 Monday—49 of them in traffic.

The state count began shortly after midnight Dec. 23.

In a separate count just for the Christmas weekend, Texas led all other states in the number of violent deaths. From 6 p.m. Friday, Christmas Eve, to Sunday at midnight, Texas had 41 violent deaths—31 of them in traffic. California was second.

The State Department of Public Safety forecast 203 violent deaths in Texas during the 11-day period.

Gunfire claimed 7 lives. Fire killed 6. Three victims were stabbed to death. The other deaths were from other causes—falls from pecan trees and drilling rigs, a man run over by a bulldozer.

The latest fatalities:

Donna Sue, 2, and Miles Burnas, 6 weeks old, children of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Arnett of Odessa, were killed Sunday in a two-car crash in downtown Odessa. The parents were injured.

Richard Crawford, 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arbin Crawford of Carthage, was killed Sunday and eight people, including the parents, were hurt in a two-car crash on Highway 190 west of Woodville.

Lloyd Rater, Seminole employe of Magnolia Petroleum Co., fell about 60 feet from a drilling rig Sunday after his safety belt caught in a moving drilling line.

Pfc. Carl Peek, 20, Midland, pulled off Highway 349 near Levelland to sleep Sunday. The Highway Patrol said another driver fell asleep at the wheel and his car crashed into Peek's parked vehicle.

Lewis Perry, 41, Lufkin, died Sunday of head injuries suffered in a traffic collision at Houston Friday.

Suicide verdicts were returned in the deaths of Mrs. John Pope, elderly resident of Alvarado in North Central Texas, who placed a paper bag over her head and put a gas hose in the bag, and of Spencer Vaughen, 31, of near Alice, who connected a garden hose to his car's exhaust and died inside the machine.

On a rain-slick highway near Jasper in East Texas Sunday, Sidney and Michael McNair, 10 and 7, were killed when their car skidded into a pine tree. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McNair of DeQuincy, La., were hurt.

Jesusita Sifuentez, 31, and her daughter, Lydia, 5, of Houston, were killed Saturday in a headon collision near Hearne.

Governor Brown, 44, Longview, was found dead of head injuries in a ditch at Longview Saturday. He probably was hit by a car.

Emeterio Ortego, 68, of Alice, was killed near Agua Dulce Sunday when his car and another collided.

The body of Larry Nelson, 9, was recovered late Saturday from the Terrell Country Club lake north of Terrell. The boy had gone boating early in the day and drowned.

L. D. Hays, 44, was shot to death early Sunday in Fort Worth. A woman was held.

Ginger Hamilton, 1, burned to death early Sunday when fire destroyed the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hamilton, 14 miles from Winters. The grandmother was critically burned and four others suffered lesser injuries.

Ray Muench, 51, Beaumont, was shot and killed in a shooting 15 miles north of Jasper Saturday. Three other men were wounded.

Emil Ziegelbauer, 40, and Edna Welder were found shot to death at his home Saturday afternoon.

George Dodgen Sr., 80, was killed Saturday night when he was struck while walking on a highway west of Tyler.

Lloyd Coonce, 44, Thackerville, Okla., was killed Saturday near Gainesville in a headon collision.

Lyndell Schneider, 47, Texas City, was killed in a traffic collision early Saturday near Corsicana.

Jerome Smith, 33, Tyler, was killed in a headon auto collision Saturday near Kaufman.

Injuries received in a fight in his home proved fatal Friday to Lee Robertson of Waco.

Chester Elkins, 70, was killed in a fall from a pecan tree near Tioga in Cook County Friday.

Nation's Toll Sets Record

By The Associated Press

The nation's Christmas holiday accident death toll reached 490 today—a record including 379 traffic fatalities.

The traffic count during the 3-day, 54-hour weekend passed the 370 pre-holiday estimate of the National Safety Council.

Fires claimed 62 lives. Fifty-eight persons died in a wide variety of other mishaps.

Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Safety Council, said the nation's motorists gave the agency "a Christmas present it didn't want" by proving the pre-holiday estimate "so tragically accurate."

The weekend's most costly tragedy, however, had nothing to do with motoring. It was a flash-fire Friday evening in the crowded kitchen of a tenant farmhouse near Parkin, Ark., which took 12 lives. The victims were members of two families. They died because a dormant wood stove fire was primed with a splash of kerosene.

Dearborn's comment on the heavy traffic attrition applied to all types of carelessness. "This is a bloody way to celebrate a holiday dedicated to 'peace on earth; good will to men.'

"We can only hope that the shock of this toll will result in greater care, courtesy and common sense in traffic over the New Year's."

The traffic toll was heavier than the earlier record of 277 deaths for a similar period at Christmas 1948. The over-all total, too, surpassed the 1948 mark of 396 for a 3-day Christmas weekend.

The holiday accident death figures compared with a non-holiday weekend count by the Associated Press Dec. 10-12 of 225 traffic deaths, 39 in fires and 67 from miscellaneous mishaps.

Despite a strenuous campaign for safe and sober driving during the Christmas weekend in California, the populous state recorded 27 deaths on streets and highways. Other states with heavy traffic tolls included Texas with 26, Pennsylvania, 25; Ohio and Illinois, 20 each; New York, 18, and Michigan 16.

Six states reported no violent deaths during the period—Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Vermont and Wyoming.

Iowa's eight traffic deaths put that state over the previous year's record by four; the toll to date is 429.

Mrs. G. W. Garner, 82, Dies Here Early Today

Funeral services are pending for Mrs. G. W. Garner, 82, of 2711 Avenue I, who died at 5:20 a.m. today in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Garner, born Ellen Rister, moved to Scurry County from Dallas with her late husband about 1900. Mr. Garner was a cotton buyer and farmer until his retirement. The couple moved to Snyder in 1946. Mrs. Garner was a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Walla Fish and Winnie Garner of Snyder, and Mrs. Bobbie Wren of Dallas; three sons, G. L. Garner of Fresno, Calif., H. F. Garner of Costa Mesa, Calif., and Pruitt Garner of Brady.

Funeral arrangements will be under the direction of Bell Funeral Home.

Hammarskjold Returns To U.N. Headquarters

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — U.N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold returned to U.N. headquarters today from a Christmas weekend holiday to complete plans for his free-the-airmen flight to Peiping next week.

An executive assistant, a legal expert, a political officer and probably an interpreter will accompany him for face-to-face talks with Red China's Premier Chou En-lai on releasing 11 American fliers jailed as spies, and other U.N. personnel.

Cold Front Brings Livestock Warning

By The Associated Press

West Texas stockmen were warned Monday to protect their herds as a norther blustered into the state carrying snow and freezing rain.

The front also brought the possibility of drought-easing showers for Texas.

Lows of 15 to 25 degrees were forecast for the Panhandle and South Plains early Tuesday. The Weather Bureau predicted one to three inches of snow in the Panhandle and upper South Plains.

As the front moved southward, it tangled with a warm humid air mass that moved in from the Gulf. In the upper Panhandle, the collision of warm and cold air led to snow. To the south, rain was reported in many sections.

Light snow and sleet fell at Amarillo. Thunderstorms crackled at Wichita Falls, Childress, Mineral Wells and Hobart, Okla.

At mid-morning, the front stretched from Sherman in north-central Texas to Abilene and westward into New Mexico.

Forecasts called for 25 to 35-degree lows for north-central and far west Texas, warming up to near 40 in east and south Texas. Rain was expected in most sections with sleet where temperatures were low enough.

The norther promised rain to the parched state.

"The gun is loaded," said a forecaster at Dallas. "There is a good chance for helpful rains."

A cold front inched in from northwest Texas while moist Gulf breezes blew in from the southeast. Showers, thunderstorms and colder weather were predicted for all sections.

Before dawn the front stretched from Ardmore to south of Abilene and into New Mexico.

Behind, light snow and sleet fell at Amarillo two hours. Then it stopped. More was expected. The forecast called for "occasional snow beginning in the Panhandle early Monday and spreading southward into the South Plains by Monday night." Heavy snow was predicted in Oklahoma.

Thunderstorms crackled around Wichita Falls, Childress and Mineral Wells.

Dallas, Fort Worth and Longview had light rain. You could see only ¼ mile at Beaumont because of fog. Lufkin had 2½ miles visibility with fog.

Except for over the state's southern rim, the sky hung low and gray.

Temperatures at dawn ranged from 26 at Dalhart to 68 at Corpus Christi and Brownsville. Wink and Salt Flat had 32.

Rainfall reported Sunday included .34 inch at Galveston and Lufkin, .22 at Victoria, .15 at Palacios, .10 at Lufkin, .09 at Houston, .02 at San Antonio and .01 at Brownsville, Beaumont and Corpus Christi.

A slow-moving storm dumped up to four inches of snow on the thirsty plains of eastern Colorado and Wyoming Sunday, causing scores of accidents.

The storm moved eastward from the mountains along a 175-mile front from Colorado Springs to Cheyenne. It reached into eastern Nebraska and Kansas early Monday, leaving clear skies.

Sub-freezing temperatures marked the storm's path, with the mountain points near zero.

Denver received four inches of snow, first in more than a month and heaviest since early this year. Two inches fell at Colorado Springs.

Snowfall continued at Lamar and La Junta, in the drought-plagued southeast section of Colorado.

The state patrol said Colorado's mountain passes were snowpacked and slick, but still open.

Mild 40 Recorded

The 43-degrees recorded in Snyder at 7:30 this morning seemed cool after yesterday's maximum of 75 degrees. Skies were still overcast at midmorning. The overnight minimum was 40 degrees.

Committees Appointed By United Fund

Two committees have been appointed by the board of directors of the United Fund organization here to begin the 1955 program immediately, Lyle Deffebach, UF president, said.

First of the committees will begin selection of nominees for the board of directors to replace one third of the board's membership whose terms of office expire in February.

The other committee, composed of three members, will set the annual meeting date for the membership of the United Fund. The committee is composed of Art Nicholas, chairman, Bob Crowell, and Mrs. Nolan von Roeder. The committee will arrange time and place for the UF's membership meeting, and the committee's recommendations will be announced in the February meeting, Deffebach said.

Members of the nominating committee are: Herman Doak, chairman, Stanley Noah, Nicholas, Walker Dabbs, L. M. Ford, Mrs. E. N. Baker, and Mrs. Von Roeder.

When the present board of directors of the UF were selected, the UF's constitution stipulated that one-third of the members serve one year, one-third serve two years, and one-third serve three years. After that all directorship terms will be for three-year periods, with one-third of the board being replaced each year.

Distribution of funds to member organizations has not been made, but a meeting will be called for some time in January to authorize the distribution, Deffebach said.

Date of that meeting will be announced later.

Other official actions taken by the board in its meeting included election of Dr. C. L. Yarbrough to fill a vacancy on the board of directors, and appointment of Dr. Yarbrough as permanent chairman of the education committee. Duty of the education committee, not yet appointed but to be selected by the chairman, will be to inform the public of the services rendered by the United Fund's member organizations.

The board also authorized purchase of some filing equipment in which to keep permanent records of the activities of the United Fund, and purchase of postage with which to mail inquiries for constructive criticism of the fund to workers for the fund in an attempt to improve the services it renders, Deffebach said.

Snyder Enjoys Quiet Holiday

The only traffic accident of considerable consequence in Scurry County over the holiday weekend occured Christmas morning, according to E. W. Green, highway patrolman who investigated it.

The 1954 Chevrolet sedan driven by Joseph Robert Holland, 21, 2509 Avenue Y, left the highway on the right side, crossed to the left, then recrossed and overturned in a field 15 miles south of here.

The accident occured on Texas Highway 350 at 10:30 Saturday morning. Green estimated damage to the car between $300 and $600. Holland complained of an arm injury but was not hospitalized that day.

Otherwise the holiday weekend was quiet as far as traffic mishaps were concerned, Green said. There were the usual fender-bendings, however.

During the weekend, however, Scurry County had its usual Christmas surge of criminal activity. One man was charged in county court with carrying a pistol, another with carrying a knife, and three were charged with burglary and accused also of armed robbery and assault. A burglary of a house trailer was also committed, the sheriff's department reported.

WEATHER

NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Cloudy with occasional rain and few thunderstorms this afternoon. Occasional rain and colder tonight and Tuesday, with freezing rain in northwest late tonight and early Tuesday. Lowest 25-35 tonight.

WEST TEXAS: Occasional snow Panhandle this afternoon, spreading southward and to South Plains tonight and occasional rain in Pecos Valley eastward tonight, with some freezing rain upper Pecos Valley eastward, otherwise partly cloudy, colder with lowest 15-25 Panhandle and South Plains and 20-28 elsewhere tonight. Tuesday cloudy and cold. Due to three inches of snow Panhandle and upper South Plains by Tuesday. Advisories. Blizzard.

EAST TEXAS: Showers and local thunderstorms, mostly in north this afternoon and tonight, turning colder tonight. Lowest 35-40 in north tonight. Tuesday mostly cloudy and colder, with occasional rain. Fresh to strong southerly winds on the coast, shifting to northerly tonight.

SOUTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Mostly cloudy this afternoon, scattered showers and a few thunderstorms and turning colder tonight. Lowest middle 30s in northwest tonight. Tuesday mostly cloudy and colder with occasional rains. Fresh to strong southerly winds, shifting to northerly tonight.

Odessa Rocked By Dynamite Explosion

ODESSA (AP)—Dynamite stored in a small metal shack on a prairie three miles south of here blew up last night, smashing windows here, pushing one house from its foundation and jolting a big patch of West Texas.

Officers said they were sure no one was killed.

They said 150 pounds of dynamite stores blew up.

Two hours before the explosion the Piper Lumber Co., occupying a city block in Odessa, burned to the ground. There was no known connection between the incidents.

The only casualty reported early today was a woman knocked down when her door was blown open. She was treated for bruises and released.

Officers said they searched the area around the blast thoroughly and found no bodies. They were sure no one was killed.

What caused the blast remained a mystery.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Williams said the main explosion occurred about 11:45 p.m. ¼ mile off State Highway 51. A metal structure 8 feet square and 8½ feet tall housing the dynamite and dynamite caps vanished. The blast started a small grass fire quickly put out by the Odessa fire department.

The dynamite actually went up in two blasts, but the first was described as a small thump. It preceded the main explosion by about two minutes.

The explosion left a hole eight feet in diameter and four feet deep.

An unofficial count showed 14 plate glass windows in downtown Odessa smashed. One house was shoved off its foundations. Burglar alarms all over the city were set to clanging. Police said damage was centered in a 30-block radius from the center of Odessa.

The magazine was owned by the T. D. Tripp and Sons oil and construction firm. It stood all by itself. The nearest thing to it were ranch houses a mile away.

Strangely, Williams said, nobody was hurt in the ranch homes—and no windows were broken.

Officers planned to return to the scene after dawn to try to find out what caused the blast.

The explosion touched off hundreds of phone calls by anxious citizens to authorities. Bill Harrell, radio operator in the sheriff's office, said he answered 150-200 calls himself.

It took officers an hour to find the explosion site. Sheriff Earnest Broughton and Williams came on it at 12:45 a.m.

Mrs. B. B. Fitzgerald, about 35, received a bruised right ankle and left eye when her door was blown open and she was knocked down.

Midland 20 miles to the northeast was reportedly jolted. There were unconfirmed reports that the blast was felt as far as San Angelo, 125 miles distant, and Abilene, 150. Phone switchboards at the fire, police and sheriff's departments here were jammed by curious callers.

House Probe Panel Due Big Shakeup

By LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House Un-American Activities Committee seems headed for one of the biggest shakeups on Capitol Hill when the Democrats get control of Congress next week.

Changes are shaping up in the committee's 41-man staff, its appropriations and, perhaps, in its controversial procedures in hunting for subversives and in putting its findings before the public.

Only one switch is due on the committee membership roster itself. The 5-4 ratio in favor of Republicans during the 83rd Congress changes to a similar edge for the Democrats in January.

But Rep. Walter (D-Pa), who takes over the chairmanship from Rep. Velde (R-Ill), says the committee's activities will be handled differently.

Walter at one point suggested doing away with the committee altogether when the Democrats regain control. Party leaders reportedly decided that course might be risky politically.

As things now stand the Un-American Activities group, with fewer members than any other regular House committee, has just about the biggest bank account of the 19 committees. Its 1953-54 appropriations totaled $375,000, topped only by the $385,000 for the House Government Operations Committee which handles a wide variety of probes dealing with the government.

But Walter says the Un-American Activities group can do just as well on less money next year. Besides, the Democrats are reportedly unhappy about part of the present staff lineup.

Latest hot potato in the staff situation is the hiring of Rea Van Fosson Nov. 24 as an $8,200-a-year investigator. Committee sources say Van Fosson was an Air Force intelligence agent who gave the committee secret FBI data and then was forced to resign from the Air Force.

Van Fosson and the Air Force have refused to comment, but Walter has made clear he referred to this incident and perhaps others in denouncing what he termed "the outright pilfering of files from security agencies."

Besides Van Fosson, others on the staff whose jobs are reportedly in jeopardy include: Robert L. Kunzig, chief committee counsel under the Republicans; Raphael I. Nixon, director of research; and Chief Clerk Thomas W. Beale Sr. Each of these jobs pays about $11,600 a year.

Three Held Here On Burglary Counts

Three Negro men arrested at Colorado City Friday morning and imprisoned here on allegation of armed robbery remained in the county jail here at noon today on charges of burglary.

The burglary charges were filed about noon Friday by Wayland Holt, county attorney, who said he filed the charges alleging only burglary as a means of holding the men until the matter could be investigated by the district attorney.

Holt filed the charges in the absence of the district attorney, Renal B. Rosson. Formal allegations may be altered by the grand jury when it investigates the charges or by the district attorney before the grand jury convenes.

Bond was set at $2,000 for each of the trio when they waived preliminary hearing Friday before W. C. Davidson, justice of peace. Two Colorado City Negro men prepared to sign as sureties on a bond for one of the trio this morning but changed their minds after the bond was drawn.

The three in jail are Abuary C. Tatum, 19, George Miles, 21, and Jim E. Tryon, 22, all of Colorado City. The charges allege the men broke and entered the home of Henry W. Severin on Thursday with intent to commit theft.

Severin, 84, and his wife, 83, who reside a few miles southwest of Hermleigh, told Bill Love, chief deputy sheriff, that the three Negroes entered their house by burglary, then held a pistol on the couple and demanded at least $50, threatening to kill them if they did not give them the money. The couple said that the men tied them in an upstairs room and discussed shooting them or cutting their heads off with a razor because they did not get the $50.

After the trio fled, Severin reported to Love that he thought he recognized one of the men despite the fact all three were handkerchief masks. Love went to the Colorado City home of the suspect and learned he was away with the other two Negroes in a certain car, which Love and a Colorado City policeman later halted near that city.

Love said the car contained a .38-caliber revolver identified by the Severins as the one used by the robbers and also contained clothing, about $5 in old coins, and two gold watches taken in the robbery.

AREA OIL ROUNDUP

Flowing Producer Finals Near City

Thompson - Powell Drilling Co. has completed a flowing producer at the No. 1 Joe York, a re-entered well just north of Snyder in the Kelley-Snyder field.

The well flowed 24 hours for a potential of 212.94 barrels of oil. The flow was through a choke of unreported size and from the open hole section at 6,726-747 feet. Gas-oil ratio was not reported.

The No. 1 York is 1,717 feet from north and 1,787 feet from west lines of section 180-3-H&GN.

Claude Thompson of Abilene is president of Thompson-Powell and J. Roy Derrick is vice president in charge of production. Palmer G. Powell of Abilene is vice president in charge of drilling operations.

WILDCAT FAILURES

Wildcat failures have been reported in Nolan, Runnels and Stonewall Counties.

Roark, Hooker & Hill No. 1-G C. E. Boyd, five miles southeast of Sweetwater in Northeast Nolan County, was quit on total depth of 5,970 feet. It was drilled 330 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 61-21-T&P.

In Southeast Stonewall County, M. J. Mitchell No. 1 Bryan failed at total depth of 5,383 feet. The site, 10 miles southeast of Aspermont, was 2,320 feet from north and east lines of section 11, Austin & Williams survey No. 348.

G. W. Strake of Houston No. 1 M. G. Roper, Central Runnels wildcat, was plugged on total depth of 4,913 feet. It was six miles southwest of Winters and in section 442, John Lynch survey.

HOWARD WILDCAT

Cosden Petroleum Co. and Duncan Drilling Co. have spotted the site for a 3,500-foot wildcat in Southwest Howard County 10 miles southwest of Big Spring. It is the No. 1-44 L. S. McDowell, Jr., 330 feet from west and 990 feet from south lines of section 44-33-tls-T&P. Operations are to begin at once.

NEW DEEP WILDCAT

Hunt Oil Co. No. 1 Harry B. Friedman has been staked for drilling in North Andrews County.

Contracted to 14,000 feet, it is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 15-A34-pal, 11 miles north and slightly west of Andrews.

SCURRY COMPLETIONS

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 12-B-A-c-1 J. E. Sorrells has been completed as a new producer in the Diamond M-Wolfcamp field of Southwest Scurry County.

The well pumped 191.52 barrels of 25.2-gravity oil plus five per cent water on a 24-hour gauge. The production is through perforations at 4,558-615 feet, and is natural. Top of the pay was at 4,558 feet, with five and one-half-inch casing cemented at 5,067 feet.

The new well is 1,980 feet from north and 2,173 feet from east lines of section 97-25-H&TC.

French M. Robertson No. 7 Wellborn, Sharon Ridge 1700 test, was pumped 24 hours for 108 barrels of 29-gravity oil with no water. Production is from perforations at 1,753-758 feet which had been acidized with 500 gallons. Drillsite is 330 feet from south and west lines of section 102-97-H&TC.

KENT FIELD TEST

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. has filed application to drill the No. 1-D S. Neustadt in the SMS-Canyon sand field of Northwest Kent County.

Drillsite is 330 feet from south and east lines of the northeast quarter of section 4-3-H&GN, 18 miles northwest of Clairemont. Rotary contract is to 6,600 feet, with operations to begin at once.

HAS GAS SHOW

Shows of gas were developed on a drillstem test of the Ellenburger from 6,539-551 feet at Ashland Oil & Refining, Peeler Brothers, Warner and Luttrell No. 1 W. J. Bugg, Northeast Nolan wildcat.

Recovery on the two-hour test was 180 feet of gas in the drillpipe plus 10 feet of gas-cut mud. The hole was deepened to 6,566 feet, where another drillstem test was slated. The initial test of the Ellenburger from 6,505-528 feet had gas at the surface and recovered oil and mud-cut oil. The well is 10 miles southeast of Sweetwater and five miles northeast of the Maryneal 5,500-foot Canyon sand field.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Winn of Snyder are the parents of a son weighing 11 pounds, two and a half ounces, born at 5:49 a.m. today in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley Smith, 2312½ Twenty-ninth Street, are the parents of a baby girl born at 10:28 a.m. Friday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed seven pounds, four and a half ounces.

Man Charged With Carrying Knife Here

Derward George McDaniel, 35, of 1906 Avenue R, indicted by the grand jury early this month with driving while intoxicated as a felony offense, was charged in county court this morning with carrying a knife.

McDaniel was arrested by city policeman last night. Affiant on the charge was listed as Prentice Smith, and witnesses were listed as Clyde Thomas and Roy Wilhelm, all city policemen.

Denmark is about half the size of Indiana.

HOSPITAL NOTES

The following admissions and dismissals at the two Snyder hospitals are only those whose names have been released by the hospitals.

BATTENFIELD-JONES

Admissions: Harrison L. Champion, San Francisco, Calif.; Sarah Ann Kirkland, 207 Hickory; Toni Krachla, Snyder; Carl Barbee, 315 Twenty-ninth Street; William Robert Loper, Snyder; William B. Craft, Hermleigh; Mrs. W. M. Farrell, 3106 Avenue K; Lawrence Bilberry, 106 Browning.

Dismissals: Otis Mitchell, Snyder; Valda Ruth Moore, 105 Browning; Wayne Cohee, Snyder; Mrs. Emma Beall, 2607 Avenue W; James Winn McAlister, 3204 Hill Avenue; Mrs. Mattie Minor, 710 Twenty-sixth Street; Laqueta Ann Kite, Snyder; Mrs. Wayne Lingle and baby boy, route 3; Mrs. G. F. Blount and baby boy, Knapp; Mrs. H. E. Burke and baby boy, Clairemont route; Mrs. J. T. Trice, Hermleigh; Sarah Ann Kirkland, 207 Hickory; Mrs. F. R. Smith, 2308 Thirty-second Street.

COGDELL MEMORIAL

Admissions: Mrs. Burley Smith, 2312½ Twenty-ninth Street; Lupe Garcia, Snyder; Bonnie Faye Shields, Snyder; Ulysses Priolo, Snyder; W. S. Gillum, Hermleigh; Connie Hill, Snyder; Vickie Lindsey, Dunn; Mrs. Linda Fancher, Snyder; Mrs. Venay Boyd, Snyder; Joe Arthur Phillips, Snyder; Charles Michael Reddin, 302 Thirty-fifth Street; Frankie Jim Steel, Dermott; Billy Watson, 513 Thirty-fifth Street; Mrs. R. L. Winn, Snyder.

Dismissals: W. S. Gillum, Hermleigh; Vickie Lindsey, Dunn; Mrs. Burley Smith and baby, 2312½ Twenty-ninth Street; Ulysses Priolo, Snyder; Bonnie Faye Shields, Snyder.

Minnick Rites Held Today

Funeral services for Nicholas Witty Minnick, 68, of 2805 Avenue Q, were held at 2:30 this afternoon in the Fluvanna Church of Christ. Mr. Minnick died at 6:30 a.m. Saturday in a Lubbock hospital.

John B. Freeman, minister of a Lubbock Church of Christ, officiated at the services. He was assisted by Novel Baire, also a Church of Christ minister. Burial was in Fluvanna Cemetery under the direction of Bell Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were J. B. Sparks, Paul Bolin, Park Hamilton, Bear Williams, Joe Ellington and F. C. Chandler.

Mr. Minnick was born July 26, 1886. He had lived in Scurry and Borden Counties for the last 50 years. He as a member of the Avenue R Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Willie Minnick; two daughters, Mrs. Earl Wooten of Lubbock and Mrs. Don Bradley of Snyder; six sons, V. H. Minnick of Lamesa, A. G. Minnick of Abilene, A. W. Minnick and A. H. Minnick of Lubbock, and John Minnick and Alvah Minnick of Big Spring; a sister, Mrs. Alice Jordan of Fort Worth; three brothers, J. W. Minnick of Gordon, Tex., Horace Minnick of Pasadena, Calif., and Clarence Minnick of Mineral Wells; 13 grandchildren, and a great-grandson.

Fine Pair Off Here For Lamesa Negro

An assessment of $114.50, including court cost but less $9 credit for three days of jail time, was paid this morning for Dock Bolton, 45, Lamesa Negro, charged about noon Friday with carrying a pistol.

Bolton, arrested by E. W. Green and Bill Zimmerman, highway patrolmen, pleaded guilty to the county court charge. His fine was $100 and court cost was $23.50.

A meteorite is simply a meteor that hits the earth.

Trailer House Near City Is Burglarized

E. P. (Buddy) Norris, deputy sheriff, investigated this morning the burglary of a trailer house near here sometime during the holiday weekend.

Norris said Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pritchard, who live about a mile south of the square on the Big Spring highway, reported their trailer house had been burglarized sometime between 6 o'clock Thursday evening and noon yesterday.

Missing from the house were a portable electric Singer sewing machine, box of tools, 410-gauge shotgun, the title papers to the trailer, and about $50 worth of clothing.

The Pritchards said they had gone to Hamlin over the holidays.

A neighbor reported having seen the rear door of the trailer house standing open during that time.

Pritchard works for a contractor now employed on a project in the county park.

Fire Starts From Oil-Burning Stove

Oil leaked from the tank of an oil burning heating stove in an apartment at the Santa Fe railway bunkhouse on Avenue S in north Snyder this morning and caught fire, damaging the room slightly, Ivan Gatlin, fire marshal, said.

Gatlin said that T. J. Jones, who lived with his son in the apartment, had the fire put out before fire fighting equipment arrived.

A chair, bed, and the floor of the room were damaged, and heat broke an east window in the room.

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CLUB HONORS FORMER MEMBERS

Members of the Lucky 13 Club are standing at the refreshment table at a coffee given in honor of ex-members Friday morning at the Country Club. They also celebrated the club's twenty-fifth anniversary. Officers for this year are Margie Smith, president; Sittie Harrell, vice-president; Mary Ann Doak, secretary; Joyce Blakley, treasurer; Gerry Lyn Hughes and Judy Miller, historians. There are 13 regular members and 13 "little sisters" in the club. Members, from left to right, are Janice Springer, Betty Connell, Deborah Smith, Clinta Blackard, Pat Wade, Susie Clark, Jane Joyce, Shelby Smith, Judy Miller, Judy Rohr, Mary Ann Doak, Ann Fish, Bata McPherson, Gerry Lyn Hughes, Suzanne Houston, Sittie Harrell, Margie Smith, Pat Taylor, Chiva Boss, Joyce Blakley, Juanez Teaff, Mary Lou Cary, Rita Grimmett, and Wanda Sue Crook. (Lee Watson photograph)

NEWS FROM CANYON

By MRS. MARGARET RILEY

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor recently were friends from New Virginia, Iowa.

Mrs. J. S. Golden and Mrs. Jim Stirling attended the funeral of Cliff Birdwell in Snyder last week.

J. N. Wall of Snyder spent Tuesday night with Max and Gene Sumrold.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Stirling have a new great-granddaughter, Ava Diane Cummings. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stirling Cummings of Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Taylor, Mrs. Myrtle Burrow, Manley Burrow, Mrs. Ed Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moore attended a Christmas party Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Modress Burrow in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. John Layne visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ford in Abilene.

Marie Myers of Portales, N.M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moore over the weekend. Visiting the Moores Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Moore and family of Littlefield.

Visiting the Rev. J. W. McGaha recently were Joe McGaha and his son, Renau McGaha, of Levelland and Glen Marr of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Moore attended the Moore reunion Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pierce in Snyder. About 40 persons were present.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Daniel and children of Odessa visited Mary Green Thursday. They were enroute to Carbon to visit Mrs. Bess Green, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McNeese and Miss Green accompanied them.

Manley Burrow and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Leech of Hermleigh went to Houston to visit relatives recently.

Visiting Mrs. Myrth Burrow Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Modress Burrow of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Burrow of Fluvanna.

Mike Balcom, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Balcom, is home from Sam Houston State Teacher's College in Huntsville for the holidays.

Mrs. Wayne Rogers of Hermleigh visited Mrs. R. E. Adams Monday.

Peggy Taylor, Lawton Taylor, Loritta Stirling, Marylin Moore, Nita Thomas, Barbara Martin, Joan Ford and Jerry Ford attended the FFA party Monday night in the Ira school.

Mrs. Jim Stirling and Mrs. Rexmit Ford gave a Christmas party Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Jim Stirling in honor of their Sunday school and Training Union pupils. Thirteen children and 11 adults were present.

Don Sumrold attended a Christmas party Wednesday night in the home of Barbara Parks.

Visiting Mrs. J. S. Golden recently were Mrs. Hugh Fargason of Hermleigh and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Birdwell of Lubbock.

Billie Kerley, who is attending Texas Tech, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kerley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Phertgo visited Minnie Lee Williams in Snyder recently.

The first verified fall of a meteorite in the United States was witnessed by two Yale professors at Weston, Conn. in 1807.

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Sign Language Taught To Girl's New Friends

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—When her family moved into a new neighborhood two years ago, Delores Schneider had a problem.

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With a child's directness, Delores found the answer by teaching all the youngsters sign language.

Now there's hardly a child of her age in the neighborhood who can't hold his own in two-handed conversation.

Delores' two brothers, Joe, 13, and Eddie, 15, also have been deaf-mutes from birth but the eldest child, Mary Lou, 17, has normal hearing. So do Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schneider.

Give that chocolate cake, made from a mix, new flavor. Add a tablespoon of grated orange rind to the batter before baking. Or fold a half cup of shredded coconut into the batter before you turn it into the baking pan. Chop the coconut into short lengths before you measure the half cupful.

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You can prepare this Nesselrode Pie a day ahead and chill it. Its crust calls for presweetened corn flakes or presweetened rice cereal. Because the trade names of these presweetened cereals usually do not denote the grain from which they are made, you will have to read the fine-print ingredients listing on the box to make sure you get the kind called for in this recipe.

NESSELRODE PIE

1 envelope unflavored gelatin
¼ cup cold water
1¼ cups milk
2 eggs, separated
⅓ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons sherry flavoring or 1 teaspoon vanilla
½ cup cream (for whipping)
¼ cup chopped maraschino cherries
¼ cup chopped candied fruit

Soften gelatin in cold water. Scald milk. Beat egg yolks slightly and add ¼ cup of the sugar and the salt; gradually stir in milk. Cook over hot (not boiling) water until mixture coats a metal spoon, about eight minutes, stirring constantly. Add gelatin and stir until dissolved. Chill until mixture begins to set. Add flavoring and mix well. Beat egg whites until stiff and gradually beat in remaining ¼ cup sugar. Whip cream until stiff. Gradually fold egg whites, whipped cream, cherries and candied fruit into gelatin mixture. Pour filling into cereal crumb shell and chill until firm. Garnish with some extra candied fruit.

CEREAL CRUMB SHELL

4 cups presweetened corn flakes or rice cereal
1-3 cup butter or margarine (melted)

Crush cereal by placing a long length of waxed paper on pastry board or counter top. Pour half the cereal down the center of the paper. Make double fold lengthwise in the paper; tuck ends under. Gently roll with a rolling pin until fine. Repeat to make 1½ cups crumbs. Mix melted or softened butter with cereal crumbs, mixing thoroughly. Press mixture evenly into buttered pie plate (9½ by 1¼ inches) making the bottom slightly thicker than the sides. Chill thoroughly before adding filling.

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Ordinary Private Not Scheduled For Pay Hike

WASHINGTON (AP) — Asst. Secretary of Defense Fred Seaton says administration proposals for military pay raises would not affect the ordinary private but would aim at keeping skilled technicians in uniform.

Seaton said Congress will be asked to approve pay hikes on "a selective basis" for men who—particularly in the Air Force—require considerable training or have special skills.

In an NBC TV-radio interview, Seaton listed proposals to improve overseas housing and medical aid for dependents, and a rotation system for returning men from overseas, as more important than pay raises.

Queen Of Revue Due Back After Illness

CHICAGO (AP) — Barbara Ann Scott, queen of the Hollywood Ice Revue, is expected to return to the show today after a two-day struggle with a virus infection.

Miss Scott, former Olympic figure skating star, missed the opening night performance Christmas and failed to appear in last night's show which was televised on the Comedy Hour (NBC).

WHAT'S GOING ON

Mrs. Eula Harrington of Bartlesville, Okla., is spending the holidays with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Babcock, 2900 Avenue V.

Christmas Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDow, 2101 Twenty - first Street, were Mrs. McDow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Trussell and sons, Travis and Tommy, of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones and daughter, Brenda, of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavender of Fluvanna, and Mr. McDow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. McDow.

Bob Curnutte, who attends Texas Tech, is visiting with John Jarrell, 2305 Thirtieth Street, and other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Phillips and children, Sarah and Larry, Magnolia camp, spent Christmas in Iredell with Mr. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Phillips, and in Clairette with Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe. Mrs. Phillips and Sarah and Larry will visit there until New Year's Day.

Dr. and Mrs. Odell Ryan of Perryton visited Wednesday and Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burditt, 3408 Avenue K.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gibson, Clairemont road, over the holidays are Bob Gibson, who is a student at Texas A&M, Lt. Kenneth Gibson, Fort Devens, Mass., Sue Wilkinson of Mesquite, and Lt. and Mrs. Dan Gibson IV, Falls Church, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Consley of Salt Lake City, Utah, are visiting with Mrs. Dora Cunningham, 2403 Avenue N.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kellema, John Story and Joyce Grisson of Steele, Mo., are spending the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alma Story, Big Spring highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fleming, Clairemont road, are visiting Mrs. Fleming's parents in Hobbs, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Peden and daughters, Sandra Kay and Linda Ray, of Whiteface are visiting Mrs. Peden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ray, Clairemont road.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Melton and family, Clairemont road, are visiting relatives in Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Trigg and family, 909 Twenty-seventh Street, left Friday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Trigg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stricklin, in Brownfield.

Mrs. W. P. Smith and Eunice Smith, 3105 Avenue U, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Isaacs of Roscoe spent the Christmas weekend in San Antonio.

Ray Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gordon, 3200 Avenue J, arrived Thursday night to spend the holidays with his parents. He is a student at Texas Tech.

Christmas visitors with Mrs. A. C. Preuitt and M. W. Clark, 3104 Avenue U, were 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Robert Clark of Fort Benning, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. J. Freeman Clark of Dallas. Lt. Preuitt will return to his station January 1 for a 12 weeks training course before being transferred to Fort Lewis, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Day, 2308 Avenue N, celebrated Christmas with a family reunion on that day. Here for the celebration were Mrs. Howard Gibbons and family, J. C. Day, Jr., and family of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day and children of Corsicana and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Day and children of Bandera.

Couple Celebrate 67th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Porter, 300 Twenty - fifth Street, celebrated their sixty-seventh wedding anniversary at a Christmas dinner held in their honor Friday in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Roy Stewart, 1909 Thirtieth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter were married in Eastland County in 1887 and moved to Scurry County in 1901. They have three daughters living, Mrs. Roy Stewart, Mrs. Frank Welch of Snyder and Mrs. Bob Preston of Midland.

Guests at the dinner were the Stewart family, the Welch family, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, the Rev. and Mrs. John Akers and children, Denver, Colo., and Miss Lou Stewart of Beaumont.

Fernando Lamas Turns Deaf Ear To Offers In Las Vegas

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Holiday grab bag—

Donald Crisp has a beef with Jackie Gleason. The veteran screen actor has sent a letter of protest to the TV comic over the latter's use of "the ever-popular Mae Busch" as a comedy line. Says Crisp: "I don't think that veteran entertainers like Miss Busch, who was a favorite of millions, should be held up to ridicule. . ."

Oscar Levant was pacing back and forth on "The Cobweb" set. A bystander asked why he couldn't stand still. "Don't disturb me," he snapped. "The only exercise I get is being restless."

Fernando Lamas is nixing Las Vegas offers, which get more fantastic as he continues turning them down. He's now making a musical film, but he confesses that he doesn't like to sing. He became a singer by accident. He lost his voice while doing a play in Buenos Aires in 1949. The doctor said he'd have to remain quiet for a month. But Lamas had to start a picture in a week. So he began taking singing lessons and they restored his voice. . .

I saw it in the MGM commissary. John Kerr, the Broadway sensation of "Tea and Sympathy," was having lunch—a cup of tea. Richard Widmark, who was with him, said he was supplying the sympathy. . .

Recommended holiday reading: "King of Comedy" by Mack Sennett as told to Cameron Shipp. Mack gives a sprightly account of the gay days of early movies.

I finally got around to "The Drunkard" in its musical version. (There was no hurry, since the show has run 21 years and seems due for a similar span). It is terrific entertainment, as good as many Broadway shows. When "The Drunkard" first started here, 60 companies sprang up all over the country. The tuned version, called "The Wayward Way," may have the same effect. . .

Lillian Gish is campaigning hard for a Cabinet post to be called secretary of fine arts. She argues that most European countries have government agencies to encourage art, but this country has none. . .

Sonata With Crewcut Is Popular Hit

By DOROTHY ROE
AP Woman's Editor

When a long-hair composer gives her music a crewcut, the result sometimes lands on the Hit Parade.

That, at least, is the experience of blonde, diffident Marjorie Goetschius, bred in the great musical tradition, daughter of a long line of musicians and wife of a short-haired band leader named Emery Deutsch.

She was composing strictly for the Carnegie Hall trade until she met Emery. He advised her to give her sonatas a haircut. She took his advice, and produced "I Dream of You," which stayed on the Hit Parade for 16 weeks. Her most recent crewcut effort is a brand new hit called "My Bambino," inspired by the birth of a baby boy, to Marjorie and Emery after 12 years of marriage. Says Marjorie:

"It's a 'counting sheep' song which I adapted from an old Italian lullaby that my grandmother used to sing to me."

Marjorie's grandmother was opera star Maria Stephany and her grandfather was Dr. Percy Goetschius, one of the founders of the Juilliard School of Music, a personal friend of Johannes Brahms and Franz Liszt and author of some 35 standard works on musical theory.

Marjorie's grandfather and grandmother met at Juilliard. So did her father and mother and so did she and Emery.

Born in Manchester, N. H., Marjorie was starting her songwriting career by the time she was 5. Her mother, the former Pauline Gauer, concert pianist, started training her in music almost as soon as she could talk, and encouraged her to make up rhymes and set them to music. Says Marjorie:

"I guess I was destined to be a songwriter, from the first. But I didn't realize it until I got my crewcut."

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Roaches Move When Homes Are Crowded

By RENNIE TAYLOR

(Summed From Sewer Water)

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—Radioactive cockroaches have demonstrated how the creepers can invade homes even crawling through water traps in the plumbing, two L. S. Public Health experts reported today.

Sewer cockroaches in Phoenix, Ariz., were used in the experiment. The results showed that the insects which are potential disease carriers migrate as much as 200 feet when they become overcrowded or when forced out of their colonies by backed-up sewage.

The experiment was reported to the American Association for the Advancement of Science by William B. Jackson and Paul P. Maier of the Public Health Service Communicable Disease Center in Atlanta, Ga.

The roaches in one sewer manhole were collected and smeared with radioactive phosphorus which made them traceable with a geiger counter. Then they were put back into their hole and then another colony of 1,500 roaches was trapped from a nearby manhole and dumped into the radioactive colony. The second group of roaches was not made radioactive.

The idea was to produce overcrowding and see how many of the radioactive insects would leave their own home under such conditions.

In cold weather the migrating roaches didn't go far, but when it warmed up they went off in all directions. They were caught in spots both upstream and downstream in the sewer.

This is about what could be expected when crowded using, scientists said. The insects are capable of carrying a variety of disease organisms, the experimenters said.

Shah In Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The Shah of Iran, Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, and his wife, Soraya, are in Los Angeles for a week's visit which will include the Rose Bowl festivities at Pasadena. They arrived Saturday, driving from San Francisco as part of their tour of the nation.

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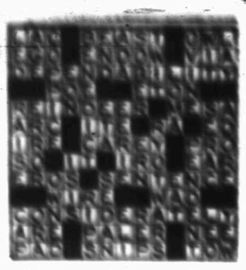

Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Tropical herb
8. Small explosion
9. Bad debts
12. Attack
13. Affirmative
14. Stack
16. Silly smile
17. Thermometer
19. Spinning top
20. Parts of a harness
22. Chess
23. Chaldean city
25. In the center
26. Pronoun
27. Flat
30. Shot
33. Bell
34. Pressing implement
36. Italian river
37. Change
39. Cheese dish
41. Along
42. Male turkey
52. Achieve
44. Insect
46. Resume
48. Pound for a portrait
51. Food allowance
53. Cooking vessel
55. Biblical region
56. Tale
59. Stockings
60. Antarctic explorer
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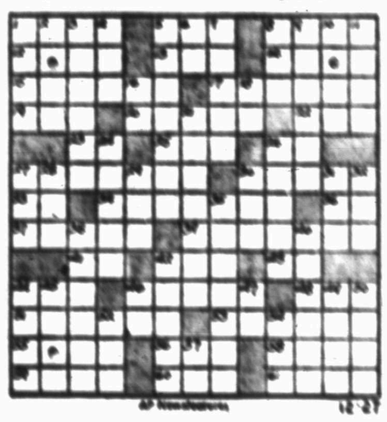

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Cagers Launch Busy Tournament Schedule

By ED CORRIGAN
Associated Press Sports Writer

There will be no rest for the weary this Christmas Week, for, starting today, no fewer than 14 major college basketball tournaments will be played, pitting an armload of the nation's top teams against each other.

Eight of the 15 undefeated big-time teams will play in tournaments. Four others will continue their regular-season schedule, and only one, Auburn with five victories, will not see any action.

North Carolina State, which has run up the best record to date, 9-0, swings into the Dixie classic at Raleigh. Two of the other unbeatens, Dayton with seven triumphs, and Villanova with four, play in the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Association's holiday festival in New York.

Columbia, 4-0, plays in the Queen City Tournament in Buffalo, N.Y., Dartmouth, 4-0, and Connecticut, 6-0, are in the New England Tournament at Storrs, Conn.; Florida, 5-0, heads for the Gator Bowl Tournament at Jacksonville, Fla., and Kansas, 4-0, is the favorite in the Big Seven event at Kansas City.

Among the other undefeateds, Kentucky, the winner of its own invitation tournament last week and the No. 1 team in the country in the latest Associated Press poll, will try to run its skein to seven against St. Louis and Temple; Penn, 6-0, plays Pitt; Vanderbilt, with 4-0, goes against Stanford, and Seton Hall, 7-0, tackles Stanford and Gonzaga.

Here are pairings for tournaments starting today:

Holiday Festival (New York)—St.John's.

Southwest Conference (Dallas)—Baylor-Alabama; Texas-Texas A & M; Rice-Arkansas; Southern Methodist-Texas Christian.

Queen City (Buffalo)—Fordham-Georgetown; Columbia-St. Bonaventura; Yale-Canisius. Idaho State and Georgetown play their first round game Tuesday.

Big Seven (Kansas City)—Colorado-Oklahoma; Missouri-Nebraska. Tuesday's first round pairings are: Kansas State-California and Kansas-Iowa State.

Gator Bowl (Jacksonville) — Georgia-Spring Hill; Florida-Florida State.

Kentucky Invitational (Louisville) —Eastern Kentucky-Western Kentucky; Louisville-Murray.

All - American (Owensboro, Ky.) — Cincinnati-Mississippi; Evansville-Denver; Kentucky Wesleyan-Rhode Island; Maryland - Texas Tech.

Motor City (Detroit) — Wayne-Penn State; Detroit-Toledo.

Dixie Classic (Raleigh, N.C.) — North Carolina-Southern California; North Carolina State-Cornell; West Virginia.

Hofstra Invitation (Hempstead, N.Y.) — Lehigh-Hofstra, Cortland-Delaware. St.Peter's (N.J.) meets Lafayette and Marietta plays Wagner Tuesday.

Three get under way tomorrow night — the Richmond Festival, the Pacific Coast Northern Division and the New England, while the Sugar Bowl event starts Wednesday.

Schools Turn To Basketball

By The Associated Press

Texas' schoolboy football campaign has closed, and 1,200 schools turn their attention to basketball.

The last two championships determined saw Phillips and Deer Park wind up undefeated last week.

Phillips beat Killeen 21-13 for the Class AA championship. Deer Park slammed Albany 26-6 for the Class A title.

The week before Abilene won the Class AAAA championship by downing Austin of El Paso 14-7 and Breckenridge captured the Class AAA crown with a 20-7 decision over Port Neches.

Last year South Texas won three championships out of four, but West Texas won three out of four this season. Phillips, Abilene and Breckenridge all are West Texas schools.

Phillips and Deer Park, who had been trying for years, came through in real championship fashion — each swept through 15 straight games. Abilene lost a game and so did Breckenridge.

Gator Bowl Teams Due At Game Site

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—The Baylor Bears were expected today and Auburn's football team will move in tomorrow to take final workouts for the Gator Bowl game Friday.

George Sauer plans to hold drills for his Baylor players tomorrow and Wednesday, then a short workout Thursday.

Ralph Jordan's Auburn Tigers reassembled in Alabama today and will work out here three times before the game.

Sauer and Jordan both will be looking for their first bowl victory as a coach. Sauer's teams twice lost to Georgia Tech in the Orange Bowl—once when he coached at Kansas and once at Baylor. Jordan's first bowl team lost to Texas Tech in the Gator Bowl last Jan.1.

Rites Set Today For Golf Tourney Founder

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—They bury Jack O'Brien today as golf pays tribute to the sports writer who originated the "big money" tournament.

O'Brien, who in the 20s made the Texas Open a $5,000 event and thus started the present system of tournaments posting hundreds of thousands of dollars, died in a hospital Christmas Day.

The former sports editor of the San Antonio Evening News had been in retirement for several years because of heart trouble and failing eyesight. Services were scheduled this afternoon. His widow, Mrs. Alma O'Brien, survives.

Jackets Have Edge On Hogs In Experience

DALLAS (AP)—If experience is the payoff, Georgia Tech should win the Cotton Bowl football game in a breeze Saturday.

The Yellow Jackets, who clash with Arkansas in the Dallas feature, have been in so many bowl games they're as common as regular season contests. This is the fourth straight year for Tech to play in a major bowl and there are three members of the team who have made all of them.

These three are Larry Morris, the great center; Buddy Jones, end, and Ben Daugherty, tackle. Bill Brigman, quarterback, was on the squad in 1952 when Morris, Jones and Daugherty, then freshmen, played against Baylor in the Orange Bowl, winning 17-14. Brigman, however, didn't get in that game.

Morris, Jones and Daugherty have never known anything except victory in bowl warfare because Tech beat Mississippi 24-7 in the 1953 Sugar Bowl and West Virginia 42-19 in the 1954 Sugar Bowl.

Arkansas doesn't even have the same coach when it last appeared in a bowl game—the Dixie Bowl in 1948.

But Arkansas beat a lot of teams with much more experience during the 1954 campaign and won't be frightened by Georgia Tech's great bowl record. In individual stars, the Razorbacks are as good or better than Tech. Henry Moore, Razorback fullback, gained 667 yards rushing compared to 442 for Tech's top runner, Jimmy Thompson.

Both Arkansas and Georgia Tech return to practice today after skipping the holiday period. The teams come to Dallas Thursday.

Graham Says Career Over

CLEVELAND (AP) — Quarterback Otto Graham says Cleveland's 56-10 National Football League playoff victory Monday over the Detroit Lions is the last football game in his 9-year career with the Browns.

Graham passed to Ray Renfro for 37-yard and 31-yard touchdowns and to Pete Brewster for a 10-yard score. That ran the totals for his 9-year pro career to 1,373 completed passes out of 2,417 attempts for 21,874 yards and 162 touchdowns. Only Sammy Baugh, who played 16 years for Washington, has a better record.

The three touchdowns Graham ran over from inside Detroit's 5-yard line were the most ever for one man in a pro championship game. Otto also retires with these playoff records from his five title championship games:

Most passes attempted, 134.
Most passes completed, 72.
Most yards gained passing, 952.
Most touchdown passes, 8.
Most points scored, one game, 18.

Dave Kerr, former goalie of the New York Rangers, now operates a restaurant in Windsor, Ontario.

Tide Strong Favorite In Cage Tourney

By MAX B. SKELTON

HOUSTON (AP) — Alabama, a strong pre-tournament favorite, meets Baylor today (2 p.m.) in the opening game of the 4th annual Southwest Conference Basketball tournament.

It was the first time the guest team was favored over the seven conference schools in the holiday meet.

The Crimson Tide's 5-1 season record and an injury that has sidelined Art Barnes, captain of high-scoring Southern Methodist, have made Alabama practically a unanimous choice to breeze through its three-game schedule and grab the championship trophy.

SMU had been tabbed the team most likely to meet the Tide in Wednesday night's finals. But the Mustangs were to meet dangerous Texas Christian tonight (9 p.m.) without the services of Barnes, a 6-foot guard.

Barnes was injured last week in a game against Indiana and did not make the Houston trip.

Other first round games paired Texas against Texas A&M (4 p.m.) and Rice, the defending champion, against Arkansas (7 p.m.)

Alabama defeated Baylor for the consolation championship last year with a sophomore-dominated team that included only two seniors.

The Tide again is led by Jerry Harper, a 6-6 forward who made the all-tournament team as a sophomore a year ago. Harper scored 427 points last season. In six games as a junior he has averaged 21.2 points.

TCU, led by Dick O'Neal, 6-7 sophomore, carried into the tournament the best early season record among the Southwest teams, five victories against three defeats.

S'West Teams Preparing For League Play

By The Associated Press

Southwest Conference members finish up the practice schedule this week and prepare for the championship fight that starts Jan. 4.

They'll get together to test each other in the annual pre-season tournament at Houston Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and will have a guest—Alabama.

Twelve games will be played in the tournament, then all members except Arkansas take out for the remainder of the week. Arkansas plays Tulsa at Fayetteville Saturday.

The championship race starting Tuesday of next week will see Texas A&M playing Rice, Arkansas meeting Texas Christian and Texas clashing with Southern Methodist. Baylor won't start the conference race until Jan. 8 when the Bears play Texas.

Last week conference members lost six games out of eight. Only A&M was able to post an intersectional victory. The Aggies, winning their first game of the season, beat Pepperdine of Los Angeles 86-84. Baylor, Texas, SMU and Rice dropped intersectional games, SMU losing two—to Minnesota 89-72 and to Bradley 82-73. It tumbled SMU out of first place in season standings. Texas Christian went to the top by beating Austin College 97-65 in its only game of the week.

TCU has a 5-3 record. SMU and Baylor each has 4-4.

The conference has won only 11 games out of 38 in intersectional play this campaign. Losses last week were Baylor 80-61 to Utah State, Texas 94-67 to Vanderbilt, Rice 86-54 to Illinois and SMU's defeats. A&M dropped a game to West Texas State, 82-57.

Heavyweights Fight Tonight

By MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP) — Heavyweights Dan Bucceroni and Cesar Brion meet tonight in what could be billed as a battle for survival at New York's St. Nicholas Arena (DuMont-TV, 10 p.m., EST.).

Although neither has been doing well of late, they still possess formidable won-lost records. Bucceroni, of Philadelphia, has a 46-5 slate with 30 knockouts. Brion's record is 43-10 with 20 kayos.

The heavyweight class being what it is today, it doesn't take more than two good showings to get back in the rankings. It only took two wins by Charley Norkus to get back in the money, and Bucceroni and Brion hope to do the same.

Wildcat Billy McNeece, a crowd pleasing 22-year old middleweight from Islip, N. Y., takes on veteran Bobby Dykes of Miami at Brooklyn's Eastern Parkway in the other TV show tonight (ABC-TV, 10 p.m., EST).

Winner of three straight, the rangy, blond wildcat is rated one of the best prospects in the booming middleweight division with a 13-2 record. His aggressive style is right up Dykes' alley. Bobby, a smart boxer, likes his opponents to come to him. Dykes' record is 95-15-6.

Summer Tan, leading juvenile money winner of 1954, was flown to Florida for his health after a serious illness. The cost of shipping the horse by air was $1,095.

Tournaments Keeping Texas Teams Busy

By The Associated Press

Tournament play makes up most of the schedule this week in Texas college basketball conferences.

Midwestern, only member of the Gulf Coast Conference in action, plays in a tournament at Dallas Thursday and Friday nights. Austin College, Texas Wesleyan and East Texas State are in this tournament.

Three members of the Lone Star Conference are in tournaments. Lamar Tech and Sam Houston State play in the McNeese College Tournament at Lake Charles, La., Wednesday and Thursday nights. East Texas State is in the all-college tournament at Dallas. Southwest Texas State has a 2-game series with McMurry of the Texas Conference at San Marcos Friday and Saturday nights.

Two of the three Texas Conference members participate in tournaments. McMurry will be in the Centenary Tournament at Shreveport Tuesday and Wednesday nights while Eastern New Mexico is in the Sunshine Tournament at Portales, N.M., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights. Howard Payne, the other member, is idle.

There was little action in any of the conferences last week. Midwestern beat Oklahoma Central State 94-85 in the only game played by a Gulf Coast Conference team. There were no games in the Lone Star Conference. Eastern New Mexico was thumped 103-53 by Regis College of Denver in the only game played by a Texas Conference team.

Raiders Tangle With Maryland Tomorrow

Ned Underwood, former Snyder Tiger basketball star, will travel with the Texas Tech Red Raiders to the All-American City basketball tournament at Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 29-30.

Polk Robinson's Raiders open with the University of Maryland at 8 o'clock the night of Dec. 28. Maryland is expected to take second place in the tourney. Other participating teams are Cincinnati, Denver, Mississippi, Rhode Island, Evansville, and the hosting Kentucky Wesleyans.

Underwood has recently returned from a trip to the Southeast, where Tech met Furman at Greenville, S. C., North Carolina State at Raleigh, and Memphis State at Memphis.

Tech won over Furman 111-103, but lost to North Carolina State 85-74, and to Memphis State 75-66. Until the North Carolina State loss Tech had gone undefeated through its first seven games of the season, two of which were played here in the Canyon Reef College Tournament.

Navy, Rebels Open Final Drill Sessions

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Navy and Mississippi were set today to open final practice sessions for their New Year's Day football battle in the Sugar Bowl.

Navy will drill at Tulane University while Mississippi will hold its sessons at Biloxi, Miss., about 90 miles from New Orleans on the Gulf Coast.

Navy rules a three-point favorite, mainly because of the Middies' 27-20 victory over powerful Army in the season finale.

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First-Quarter Mix-Up Turns Tide In Favor Of Cleveland

By JERRY LISKA

CLEVELAND (AP)—The Cleveland Browns today owned a rare second National Football League title after an astounding 56-10 dethroning of the Detroit Lions which proved:

1. Cleveland's "retiring" quarterback, Otto Graham, showed enough voltage at 33 — three touchdown passes and three scoring smashes —to warrant doubt he will quit pro ball as he says.

2. That you can't believe what you see on the TV screen (the game-turning play favored the Browns after what appeared a neutralizing double-infraction on TV).

3. That the same two teams playing in the same city on successive Sundays won't kill your crowd, 43,827 appeared—30,000 buying at the gate).

4. That statistics are little white lies (the Browns had only a slight edge over the two-time league champion Lions).

There was much of the fantastic about Paul Brown's tremendous crushing of a Detroit jinx in yesterday's game, played under perfect (for Dec. 26) weather conditions. The runaway didn't develop until after a first quarter tide-changer which puzzled TV viewers.

This came, with Detroit ahead 3-0 on Doak Walker's field goal.

Cleveland's punter was roughed on the same play in which Detroit's receiver apparently signaled for a fair catch then was clobbered deep in Lion territory.

The Brown punter, Horace Gillom, was racked up by Lion guard Harley Sewell, just after lofting a fourth-down punt to Detroit's Jug Girard. After signaling a fair catch, Girard moved three strides to his right and did not have control of the ball when he was smacked down.

What the TV audience never learned was that officials ruled Girard, "muffing the ball," never had enough control to warrant infraction of the fair-catch ruling. That left the roughing-the-punter violation standing alone, instead of being wiped out in a double penalty.

So Cleveland got a first down on Detroit's 38 and two plays later, Graham hurled a 37-yard touchdown pass to speedy Ray Renfro. That was the game's turning point. The Browns took a 7-3 lead and steadily enlarged it.

Detroit's Bobby Layne for the first time in the Lion-Brown rivalry compared poorly with Graham. Layne had six passes intercepted, and every break went against him.

Statistically, the Browns outrushed Detroit by a scant 140 to 136 yards, and in passing the Lions were ahead, 195 to 163. But what the figures didn't tell was how Graham outwitted and outmaneuvered the Lions.

Passing twice to Renfro and once to end Pete Brewster for touchdowns, and in smashing over from the 5-yard line and 2 and 1-foot lines, Graham set three playoff marks.

Graham's three touchdowns set title-game scoring marks with 18 points, most six-pointers and most touchdowns by running.

After the six touchdowns Graham either passed or carried, the Browns produced a 12-yard touchdown run by Curly Morrison and a 10-yard scoring scamper by Chet Hanulak.

Lou (The Toe) Groza of Cleveland made eight conversions.

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Sugar Bowl Steals March On Others

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK (AP) — The Sugar Bowl, by sweet-talking Navy into making an appearance at New Orleans, not only has landed the outstanding attraction on the New Year's Day program but has scored a victory over its bowl rivals which could have a lasting and important effect upon the whole business of post-season football.

By going its own resolute way and declining to tie itself up with any athletic conference, as its principal rivals have done, the Sugar Bowl officials took a big gamble. A year ago it landed them in trouble. They even had difficulty selling tickets to their West Virginia-Georgia Tech attraction. But they can forget that sad experience now and look forward with some confidence to ruling the roost.

Since Navy, one of the most glittering of the independents, has broken the ice in consenting to play Mississippi on Saturday, it is the next thing to a mortal cinch that Army and Notre Dame will become receptive to similar bids in short order. Neither of the latter schools has been quite as dead set against bowl games as one might think. All they needed was a little shoving, really.

Army, as a matter of fact, would have gone to the Rose Bowl in a holy minute in 1946 if it had been asked. That was the last year of the great Davis-Blanchard combination, and West Point officials would have liked to exhibit their wondrous scoring machine on the West Coast. As we recall, though, the Coast Conference already had committed itself to its present bowl pact with the Big 10 and could not invite the Cadets.

As almost everyone must be aware by this time, there is considerable rivalry between our two service academies. Neither school especially likes for the other to receive more than its fair share of publicity, and there is no question that Navy stole a march in that respect this time.

As for Notre Dame, there have been recurring rumors for several years that the Irish were about ready to play in a bowl game if the right invitation came along. One hears that there has been some pressure from the alumni. So far the rumors have been strongly denied as fast as they popped up, but they might not be the next time. The new coach, Terry Brennan, being very young and ambitious, might feel differently about post-season activities than his predecessor, Frank Leahy, did.

The Irish have not played in a bowl since 1925.

One of the reasons Army has advanced for not accepting bowl bids recently was that such a trip would deprive members of their team of their Christmas vacations. Navy, by waiting until today to fly to New Orleans, has demonstrated that the rigors of travel no longer are what they used to be. The enthusiasm with which the Middies voted to play in the Sugar Bowl also proved that they did not regard the expedition as a hardship.

Mendes-France To Get Gift Of American Milk

CHICAGO (AP) — An 18-year-old Minnesota farm girl, good will emissary of America's dairy industry, made ready to fly to New York today and thence to Paris Tuesday with 48 quarts of milk for Premier Mendes-France.

The milk, one quart from each state, and a milk dispensing machine for the Premier's office, is a gift from the American Dairy Assn. In appreciation for Mendes-France's efforts to promote milk drinking. It will be delivered by Eleanor Maley, who won a statewide contest for the honor.

The French Premier, however, faced a political crisis today which might cause his Cabinet to fall on the issue of German rearmament. Just who would get the milk if Mendes-France loses his premiership is an unanswered question.

Tech Hopes To Snap Streak

By EDDIE LEE

PHOENIX Ariz. (AP)—Texas Tech's Border Conference champion Red Raiders hope to snap a two-game losing streak at Owensboro, Ky., this week in the All-American City Basketball Tournament.

The Raiders carry the Border circuit's best early season record and highest per-game scoring average into the week-long tourney. They've averaged 80.8 points per game while winning six and losing two and held their opponents to an average of 69.7.

Also tournament-bound are the University of Arizona Wildcats who play in the University of Wichita competition Wednesday and Thursday.

Beaten 69-56 by Stanford last week for their fourth loss in seven games, the Wildcats start their week's action at Tulsa tonight and wind up after the tournament with a New Year's Day game at New Mexico University. The Tucson crew hopes to lift its 68.4 scoring average above the 70.1 it has permitted opponents.

The only other conference club in action is Arizona State at Tempe, winner of only one of six games so far. The Sun Devils meet Seattle University at Seattle tonight, play at Portland Tuesday, Pacific University at Forest Grove, Ore., Wednesday and St. Mary's College at St. Mary's, Calif., Thursday.

West Texas State last week indicated it will be a factor in the approaching conference race by winning its own invitational holiday tournament at Canyon. The Buffaloes beat Texas A&M 69-57, then Hardin-Simmons 67-54. Hardin-Simmons had defeated Pepperdine 82-67 in the first round.

Tech lost 75-68 to Memphis State and Texas Western lost twice, 89-69 to Tennessee Tech and 76-69 to Murray (Ky.) State.

'Dangers' Lot Of Hot Air

LOS ANGELES (AP)—At the age of 93 Thomas N. Camfield offers the opinion that "all this stuff you read about the dangers of tobacco and alcohol is a lot of hot air."

Camfield, a retired Los Angeles real estate man, took some time yesterday to give his views on life — and women — to a reporter in his room at the Jonathan Club, where he has lived for 30 years.

"I start my day with my corncob," said Camfield. "As soon as I wake up I go back to bed and smoke my head off. And I have a cigar after breakfast and dinner." He said he also has a glass of port before breakfast and a drink of whisky before dinner.

"Best thing I ever did in the whole world was never to get married. I never wanted to have anyone telling me where to head in. And I never wanted a home. I've known a lot of women and they're wonderful. But whenever I got tired of one, there were always plenty more.

"Millions of them."

Educated Waiter Still Following His Studies

CHICAGO (AP)—Leo Reese is probably Chicago's best educated waiter.

While working nights, he has progressed through Wright Junior College, John Marshall Law School, University of Illinois and Roosevelt University.

He is now studying at DePaul University toward a master's degree in elementary school education.

Leo has eight children.

The Milwaukee Braves have high hopes for George Crowe in 1955. He led the American Assn. with 128 runs batted in and finished second in home runs with 34. His batting mark was .334.

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Dust From Outer Space May Help Nature Produce Rainfall

By MURRAY SINCLAIR

TUSCON, Ariz., Dec. 27 (AP)—Dust from outer space may help nature produce earth's rainfall.

That possibility will be checked in southern Arizona and in the eastern Australian highlands throughout January.

If it can be proved that tiny particles of meteors make clouds drop their precious contents, man may find a way to produce the same effect with artificial dust.

Daily flights will be made in the United States by the Institute of Atmospheric Physics at the University of Arizona and in Australia by the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Organization.

The planes will carry identical pieces of scientific equipment, the only such equipment in the world. Scientists will make clouds form inside the apparatus, then force them to form ice crystals while the temperatures of the clouds are charted. The object is to add to man's meager knowledge of rainfall.

Dr. E. G. Bowen, of the Australian organization, developed the theory that meteor dust bombarding the earth's atmosphere is one of nature's most important aids in the production of the earth's rain.

Dr. A. Richard Kassander, associate director of the institute here, told in an interview how it all started.

"Dr. Bowen made a chart showing the rainfall in Sydney, Australia, from 1902 to 1944.

"The chart showed the surprising fact that during the 42 years considerably more rain had fallen on Jan. 13, 23 and 31 than any other days during the month.

"Dr. Bowen set out to try and determine what could cause this effect. When you have something repeated time after time on the same calendar day you have to look outside the earth's system for the explanation."

The Australian scientist wondered if meteor showers could be responsible. He developed the theory that rainfall peaks throughout the world occur approximately 30 days after showers of meteoric dust reach earth's atmosphere from outer space. This is the approximate time it takes the dust to reach the general area over earth where there are clouds.

Such showers occur on an average of once a month during the year, but are especially common in December. These would reach the cloud area in January. Dr. Bowen came to the conclusion that when the meteor dust reaches the clouds, it might cause them to rain.

Kassander went on:

"The next step was to go into the skies and actually catch some of this dust. Dr. Bowen's group took samples of the air over Australia. There were indications there was a connection between the dust and rain.

"If the theory is correct, the shower of meteor dust should occur simultaneously over the earth. Rainfall records from other parts of the earth do indicate such a pattern. In Tucson the January peak appears to come three days ahead of Australia, or on Jan. 10, 20 and 28."

The scientists inside the planes will take samples of the outside air at ground level, 5,000 feet and 15,000 feet. They will fill a box with a capacity of three cubic feet. As they watch through a window in the box, water vapor will be added and clouds formed. They will then cool the clouds and record the temperatures at which ice crystals form, the first step in one of nature's rainmaking processes.

"If ice crystals form at warmer temperatures than usual," Kassander said, "this will suggest something is present in the air that accomplishes nature's seeding job. This would not prove that meteor dust is causing rain, but it would be strong confirmative evidence if the times of warmer temperature ice crystals coincided with times of known meteor dust showers."

Commercial rainmakers claim they are already achieving the same effect with silver iodide but, the scientists say, they have no proof that rain which may follow might not have fallen in any event.

Goods Going To China Get Joe's Attention

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis) said yesterday the flow of goods from the free world to Communist China is steadily increasing and that he plans to intensify his campaign against it.

McCarthy said in an interview he plans to do "a lot of public speaking after the first of the year" to emphasize his contention that Red China should be blockaded—"not a naval blockade by U. S. warships," he added, "but a blockade brought about by cutting off aid to nations which do trade with the Reds."

Thinks Atom Control May Lead To Peace

WASHINGTON (AP) — Chancellor Konrad Adenauer of West Germany says he has hope that an effective system of controlling atomic weapons will be found and that it will in turn lead to a general easing of world tensions.

"Once the terror of the atomic weapons has been banished, then such a change of the mental atmosphere among nations will, I think, occur that one can arrive at reasonable arrangements," Adenauer said in a copyrighted interview with the magazine U.S. News and World Report.

Asked how he views the prospects for "truly peaceful coexistence" with the Soviet world, Adenauer replied:

"In my opinion, the decisive question is whether it will be possible to reach an agreement in the matter of atomic weapons. If that were achieved, I trust the decisive step will have been taken, and I have the hope, just because of the dreadfulness of those weapons, that it will succeed...

"Once countries and governments become ready . . . to renounce it (the atomic bomb) in earnest, to renounce it under control, then, I think, that will cause such a liberation of thinking and such a liberation from human fears that everything, so to speak, will go ahead successfully.

"However, as long as that question is not solved, I don't think that an easing of tension will occur, and then all the special problems will remain unsolved."

Healthy Ivy Plant Is Problem During Move

EVANSTON, Ill. (AP) — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frankowskis have a unique problem when they move to their new home next week. Mrs. Frankowskis bought a 10-inch ivy plant seven years ago, has become attached to it, and wants to take it with her—undamaged.

No problem, you snort?

This plant has grown to the ceiling and has completely entircled the walls of Mrs. Frankowskis' 19 by 22 foot living room.

Magazine To Promote Sherrod Next Spring

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Robert Lee Sherrod, Far East representative for the Saturday Evening Post, will become the magazine's managing editor sometime next spring, the Post disclosed last night.

The 45-year-old native of Thomas County, Ga., formerly a war correspondent for Time and Life magazines, will succeed Robert Fuoss, who will become executive editor.

UNDER THE MISTLETOE

The fish take the Christmas lure at the James R. Record Aquarium in Fort Worth. Don't take the kiss under the mistletoe seriously. These are a variety of fish called Kissing Gouramies. Maybe they don't even see the mistletoe.

Mike Shopping For Practical Articles

By ROBERT H. JOHNSON JR.

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Mike Katsanevas, 66, took his children shopping today—but he wasn't just looking for after-Christmas bargains.

He wanted practical coats and trousers and dresses and shoes, all right. But at the same time, he was showing six of his children a new way to live, the way he has learned to live in America.

The children arrived yesterday from Greece — Mike's Christmas present from his co-workers at the Clearfield Naval Supply Depot, where he is a janitor.

This was the first time he had seen them in seven years, since he left Crete.

Three children came with Mike then, but he had to leave his wife and seven other sons and daughters behind. He got a job as a janitor at the naval supply depot north of here. He prayed and he saved—but he never could get together enough money to bring the rest of the family over.

Then Mike's fellow workers decided on his Christmas present. They raised $2,500, and that was enough.

The family started, but in Athens Mrs. Katsanevas was detained for about a month because of a minor illness. The six children came on by plane. Another son, George, 21, will join the family when he finishes a hitch in the Greek army.

Mike couldn't say much when the airliner landed and his children ran out—he just laughed and cried. His friends standing behind the runway fence didn't say much either—they just grinned.

The thin little father tried to gather all six children into his arms at once. Then he and the other three—James, a U. S. airman first class now home on leave; a daughter, Kaliope, 18, and Manuel, 16—posed for pictures with them. And between shots they turned and hugged Leonidas, 17, Irene, 14, Nicholas, 13, Areto, 11, Stylianos, 10, and Stavrolla, 8.

As soon as he could, Mike got his children into friends' cars and took them out of the cold to his warm, brick home.

Today Mike starts a week vacation and has his nine children to share it with him.

Prosecutor Is Satisfied

CLEVELAND (AP)—A prosecuting attorney who helped bring about the second-degree murder conviction of Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard says:

"Maybe we didn't do our duty from Dr. Sheppard's point of view, but from the public point of view, we did."

Assistant County Prosecutor John J. Mahon was commenting last night on a written statement by the 30-year-old osteopath convicted last Tuesday of clubbing his pregnant wife, Marilyn, to death July 4.

Sheppard, sentenced to life imprisonment, gave the statement to a brother, Dr. Richard Sheppard, who relayed it to a Cleveland newspaper.

In his statement the prisoner said:

"Total disregard of definite evidence that proved the presence of someone else in our house who must have killed Marilyn stirs and depresses me."

Sheppard, who has maintained a prowler bludgeoned his wife, added:

"My understanding was that a prosecuting attorney was duty bound to produce all evidence and protect the innocent as well as prosecute the guilty. This has been far overlooked."

Mahon said no evidence in the Sheppard case was overlooked and "everything was out in the open."

Sheppard's attorneys will push for a new trial in a hearing Thursday.

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Santa Claus Swaps Reindeer For 'Copter

SEOUL (AP)—Santa Claus swapped his reindeer for a U.S. Army helicopter to bring Christmas cheer to 200 orphaned victims of the Korean War.

But it was hard to tel. who had the most fun—the youngsters or the American GIs who tossed the big yuletide party for the Bukhan San orphanage near Seoul recently. The party was typical of many throughout Korea.

Federal Projects In Southwest Show Gain

DALLAS (AP)—Defense projects, dams and floodway work built by the federal government in the Southwest will total almost two hundred million dollars for the period ending July 31, 1955, Army Engineers said yesterday.

The total will be 20 million dollars more than that of the year ending July 31, 1954, but falls 70 million short of the amount spent in 1953, Col. L.E. Seeman, Southwest division engineer, said.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF SCURRY

WHEREAS, the County of Scurry, Texas, is the owner of the surface estate of the following described land and premises, to wit:

TRACT NO. 1: Being a tract of 8.803 acres of land out of the West Half (W-2) of Section 18, Block 1, J. P. Smith Survey, Scurry County, Texas, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the West line of the said Section 18, which point is south a distance of 1806.5 feet from the NW corner of said Section 18;

THENCE S46 deg., 28' E a distance of 2812.1 feet, along the West Right of Way line of the abandoned RS&P RR Co. to a point;

THENCE S53 deg. 04' W a distance of 68.9 feet to a point in the East Right-of-way line of Texas-U S Highway No. 84;

THENCE N31 deg. 39' W, along the said East Right-of-way of said Highway, a distance of 1945.6 feet to a point in the West line of the West Half (W-2) of said Section 18;

THENCE North, along said West line, a distance of 321.2 feet to the point of beginning.

TRACT NO. 2: Being a tract of 0.754 acres of land out of the West Half (W-2) of Section 18, Block 1, J. P. Smith Survey, Scurry County, Texas, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the East line of Texas-U S Highway No. 84 Right-of-way, which point is South a distance of 2127.7 feet and S51 deg. 39' E a distance of 1945.6 feet from the NW corner of said Section 18;

THENCE S51 deg. 39' E, along said East Right-of-way line of Highway No. 84, a distance of 456.0 feet to a point, which is the beginning of a 2 deg. 00' curve to the right, with a radius of 2864.79 feet;

THENCE in a Southeasterly direction, along said curve, a distance of 238.0 feet to a point, which is the common corner of Lots No. 8 & 9 of the Guy Glenn Subdivision No. 2

THENCE N53 deg. 04' E a distance of 19.4 feet to a point;

THENCE N46 deg. 24' W a distance of 686.6 feet to a point;

THENCE S53 deg. 04' W a distance of 68.9 feet to the point of beginning.

TRACT NO. 3: Being a tract of 3.123 acres of land out of the West Half (W-2) of Section 18, Block 1, J. P. Smith Survey, Scurry County, Texas, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the East Right-of-way line of Texas-U S Highway No. 84, which point is North a distance of 438.0 feet and N30 deg. 39' W a distance of 218.0 feet from the SE corner of the West Half (W-2) of said Section 18; and said point is the point of curvature of a 2 deg. 00' curve in said Right-of-way line of said Highway No. 84, and is the point at which the said Highway Right-of-way line and the Right-of-way of the abandoned RS&P RR Co. become a common line;

THENCE in a Northwesterly direction, along the curve in said Highway Right-of-way, a distance of 700.7 feet to a point in said East Right-of-way line of said Highway No. 84;

THENCE N53 deg. 04' E a distance of 19.4 feet to a point, which is in the West Right-of-way of the abandoned RS&P RR Co.;

THENCE Southeasterly, along a curve in said RS&P RR Co. abandoned Right-of-way line, a distance of 700.1 feet to the point of beginning.

and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court of Scurry County did on the 22nd day of November, 1954, in accordance with the provisions of Article 1577, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, appoint Doyle Parmer as Commissioner with authority to sell and dispose of said lands at public auction, which said order was duly entered on the Minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Scurry County, Texas, in Volume 8 at Page 145 thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the above described property will be offered for sale for cash in three separate tracts at public auction at 10 a.m. on the 11th day of January, 1955. The undersigned Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids if he does not, in his discretion, think their acceptance would be for the best interests of Scurry County.

(s) Doyle Parmer
Doyle Parmer, Commissioner

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MONDAY EVENING

6:00 Twilight Serenade
6:15 Local News
6:30 Musical Movie Card
6:30 Gab, Heatter And News (MBS)
6:45 In The Mood
7:00 Three Sons
7:15 Information Please
7:35 Interlude
7:30 Broadway Cop
8:00 News (MBS)
8:05 Evening Serenade
8:15 Mutual News Reel (MBS)
8:30 Melody Round Up
9:00 Secret File
9:30 Sportscast
9:40 Chrysler Concert
10:00 Virgil Pinkley and News
10:15 Night Watch
10:35 News
11:00 Sign off

TUESDAY MORNING

6:00 Sign on
6:00 Musical Clock
6:05 Musical Clock
7:00 News
7:05 Musical Clock
7:30 News
7:45 Stinson's Favorites
8:00 Music By Les Paul And Mary Ford
8:00 According To The Record
8:05 Home Edition Of The News
8:15 Coffee Time
8:30 Kitchen Kapers
8:45 Designs For Listening
9:00 Cecil Brown And News (MBS)
9:15 Morning Devotional
9:30 News (MBS)
9:35 Story Time
10:00 Florida Calling
10:25 News (MBS)
10:30 Queen For A Day (MBS)
11:00 Break The Bank
11:15 News (MBS)
11:30 Guest Time
11:35 Interlude
11:35 Green Stamp Jack Pot
11:55 Musical Bouquet

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 Cedric Foster News (MBS)
12:15 Catholic Church Answers
12:30 News
12:45 Quartet Reverie
1:00 Luncheon With Lopez
1:25 News
1:30 Ted Steel Show
2:00 Ruby Mercer Show
3:00 News
3:05 Frontier Bonanza
3:30 Red Ball Express
4:00 Melody Quiz
4:05 Red Ball Express
4:15 Reeds Top Tunes
4:30 Red Ball Express
4:30 News
4:35 Red Ball Express
5:00 Sergeant Preston
5:30 Bobby Benson (MBS)
5:55 News (MBS)

TELEVISION LOG

MONDAY PROGRAMS

KDUB-TV Channel 13 – Lubbock

5:00 Agee The Clown
5:30 Serial Cinema
6:00 Community Crossroads
6:30 World News
6:45 Local News, Sports, Weather
7:00 Burns and Allen
7:30 Frankie Laine
8:00 I Love Lucy
8:30 December Bride
9:00 Studio One
10:00 News, Sports, Weather
10:15 They Stand Accused
11:15 Sign Off

TUESDAY

7:55 Sign On
8:00 Weathercast
8:15 News
8:30 TV Sermonette
8:45 A to Z
9:00 Garry Moore
9:30 Mid-Morning Movie
10:30 TV Time Out
11:00 Valiant Lady
11:15 Love of Life
11:30 Search for Tomorrow
11:45 Songs From The Country Chapel
12:00 Noon News
12:15 Road of Life
12:30 Welcome Travelers
1:00 News
1:15 Shopping Bag
1:45 Bandstand
2:00 Recipe Round-up
2:45 Dotty on Duty
3:00 Brighter Day
3:15 Secret Storm
3:30 On your Account
4:00 Children's Theater
4:45 Cartoon Time

KCBD-TV Channel 11 – Lubbock

5:00 Western Adventure
6:00 Hospitality Time
6:15 News
6:20 Weather
6:25 Sports
6:30 Interlude
6:45 Bernie Howell (L)
7:00 Lone Wolf
7:30 Corliss Archer
8:00 Heart Of The City
8:30 Robert Montgomery
9:30 Serenaders
10:00 News of the Hour
10:10 Weather
10:15 Sports
10:30 The Falcon

TUESDAY

8:00 Program Previews
9:00 Ding Dong School
9:30 A Time To Live
9:45 Coffee Break
10:00 Home
11:00 Film
11:15 Betty White
11:30 Feather Your Nest
12:00 Norma Raine
12:15 News & Weather
12:30 Serenaders
1:00 Channel 11 Matinee
2:15 Cook Book
3:00 Hawkins Falls
3:15 Melody Roundup
3:30 World of Mr. Sweeney
3:45 Modern Romance
4:00 Pinky Lee
4:30 Howdy Doudy

KMID-TV Channel 2 – Midland-Odessa

5:00 Crusader Rabbit
5:00 Two Gun Playhouse
6:10 Toy Preview
6:15 Grammer-Murphey News
6:20 Weather
6:30 Spotlite on a Star
6:45 World's Greatest Fighters
7:00 Passport To Danger
7:30 Meet Corliss Archer
8:00 Dangerous Assignment (NBC)
8:30 December Bride
9:00 TBA
9:15 Pioneer Playboys
9:30 Jackson & Jill
10:00 News Final
10:10 Weathervane
10:15 Cecil's Late Show
12:00 Sign Off

TUESDAY

1:00 Test Pattern
2:00 Movie Matinee
3:30 Sharps and Flats
3:30 House Party
4:00 Lookin' At Cookin'

KRBC-TV Channel 9 – Abilene

5:00 Kalvin Kewee (L)
5:20 Crusader Rabbit (F)
5:30 Foreman Bob's Corral
6:00 The Music Mart
6:30 Evening Report
6:45 TBA
7:00 Liberace
7:30 Lone Wolf
8:00 Texas In Review (F)
8:30 Robert Montgomery Presents (NBC-E)
9:30 Ray Milland
10:00 News, Sports, Weather (L)
10:15 Movietime
11:15 Vespers & Sign Off

TUESDAY

2:00 Test Pattern
2:15 Matinee Movietime
3:30 Daily Devotions
3:45 Brighter Day
4:00 Homemakers Fiesta
4:30 On Your Account

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Birthdays Of Three Fall On Thanksgiving

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Birthdays of Bill, 10; Marilyn, 5, and Cathy Joe, 3, all fell on Thanksgiving Day in 1954. It won't happen again until 1965.

Post Office Opens

BISBEE, Ariz. (AP) — Growth of the population in the vicinity of Ft. Huachuca has brought about the opening of a post office at the settlement known as Don Luis. This will be a branch of the Bisbee post office and will serve Don Luis, Huachuca Terrace and Don Luis Estates — none of which were in existance before the reopening of the fort.

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Five-room modern house for sale on Lake Brownwood, fourth house north of telephone lodge. Double garage, concrete cellar, two stall boat dock. Plenty of nice shade trees. A fine place for retired couple who like to fish. J. R. Melton, route 1, Grosvenor, Texas.

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Eight-room duplex with two baths for sale, or will trade for property in Conon City or Florence, Colorado. See
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Five-room and bath house one mile from Y on Colorado City Highway. Would accept trailer house in trade. Contact F. G. Wood at above location.

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All or any part of this property; three-bedroom home and three rent houses in Snyder; also four business lots on Clairemont highway. Will trade for irrigated land or property in Plainview, Texas. See S. V. Clanton, 3011 Avenue Y, phone 3-5883 or S. M. Clanton in Plainview, phone 4-5122.

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TO OPEN COLORADO CITY BRANCH

McAlister Transfer & Storage of Snyder, owner of the large trailer van above, one of six transfer vehicles in its fleet which has become familiar sights around Snyder, announced last week that a branch will be opened in Colorado City today. Bonded warehouse and complete moving facilities will be offered by the new addition to the firm. (Lee Watson photograph)

Prefers Longhair

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — The Most Rev. John J. Wright of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Worcester believes introduction of music such as that composed by Victor Herbert to the younger generation would nullify the danger from suggestive music with themes "of seduction and passion."

Bishop Wright says such music is heard daily on radio and television and constitutes a danger to the younger generation. He recently urged the Guild of Our Lady of Providence to strive for the attendance of family groups at its musical programs.

Flying Old Relic

DES MOINES (AP) — You may wonder if the calendar has been tunred back if you see Howard Gregory and E. D. Weeks, Des Moines businessmen, out flying. Their plane is a replica of a 1912 Curtiss pusher-type biplane, flown by Glenn H. Curtiss, pioneer aviator. No basic improvements in the design of the plane have been made.

Weeks and Gregory, both experienced pilots, say they've had to acquire a few new skills since they bought the aircraft last summer because it doesn't handle the same as modern planes.

Snyder Firm Expanding Its Operations

One Snyder firm is looking with definite optimism to the future after five successful years in business here.

It is McAlister Transfer & Storage, 1600½ Twenty-fourth Street, which announced last week the opening of a new transfer and storage branch in Colorado City.

The Colorado City bonded warehouse and transfer offices will be located at 1435 E. West Point.

The firm, which has operated in Snyder for the past five years, announced last week that it had purchased property for its new business location at the West Point location in Colorado City.

Warehouse facilities were obtained in the purchase, according to O. A. McAlister, head of the firm, and office space is being added.

Ted McAlister, one of three sons of O. A. McAlister who are associated in ownership and operation of the firm, will move to Colorado City to operate the firm which plans to be open for business today. In addition, the firm will employe a regular staff and operate a fleet of trucks at Colorado City.

McAlister said that demand for increased moving facilities resulting largely from expanding oil development in this area over the past few years has prompted the expansion of his firm.

The same complete moving and storage facilities which have been outstanding in Snyder during the firm's operation, will be offered in Colorado City.

Indians In Detroit

DETROIT (AP) — Chief Chester Swallow, president of the North American Indian Club of Detroit, says there are more Indians living in Detroit and its suburbs than were there when Antoine Cadillac founded the city 250 years ago.

Swallow, a Cherokee, estimates the Detroit and suburban Indian population at 1,500. They represent 14 tribes, he said, and are arriving at the rate of at least 100 a year.

Dog Protects Friend

PORTSMOUTH, Va. (AP) — Patrolman William M. Campbell is willing to believe that a dog is a man's best friend, even though the man be undeserving.

Campbell left his squad car to give chase to a man accused of disorderly conduct. He was gaining rapidly when the man turned into a driveway. Campbell followed and the dog jumped him. He was released from the hospital after being treated for three bites. The pursued man escaped.

McLeod Praised By Pennsylvania Solon

By LEWIS GULIIK

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rep. Walter (D-Pa) today praised immigration checks in the refugee law and defended R. W. Scott McLeod, whose administration of the act has been criticized by others.

Walter is second ranking Democrat on the House Judiciary Committee and helped to write the McCarran-Walter Basic Immigration Law.

The Judiciary Committee's chairman-to-be, Rep. Celler (R-NY), returned from a five-week overseas tour this month with sharp criticism for McLeod, the State Department's security chief. "A good law," Celler said, "has been prostituted by the insane, arbitrary and savage administration thereof by Mr. Scott McLeod."

Walter said in an interview that attacks on McLeod for his administration of the slow-moving special refugee program are "entirely unwarranted and unjustified."

The Pennsylvanian, who had a hand in drafting the 1953 act, said McLeod is "just administering the law" and declared that restrictions in it are "safeguarding the best interests of the United States."

The law, signed Aug. 7, 1953, authorizes admission to this country of 214,000 refugees outside the regular immigration quotas during the three years ending Dec. 31, 1956. Latest figures from the State Department show that, as of Dec. 17, only 16,081 immigration visas had been issued under the program, and only a fraction of these visa-holders have actually arrived in the United States.

The State Department has said the chief reason for the slow start was the need to set up machinery, including a security screening system.

Walter said many of those arrived or on their way have sponsors, as required under the law, among relatives already in this country and have jobs and housing waiting for them. Sponsors must certify that employment and shelter is available.

Many still waiting to get in, he said, are unable to do so because they have no sponsors here. And the reason for this, he declared, is that there are not jobs for them at a time when unemployment is a domestic problem.

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