

Miss Lois Hinton Becomes Bride Of Harry Hughes At Noon Today

Couple Leaves For New Home In Corpus Christi

On the fifty-second wedding anniversary of her grandparents, Miss Lois Hinton became the bride of Harry I. Hughes of Corpus Christi in a beautiful ceremony solemnized at high noon today in the First Methodist church with the Rev. E. B. Bowen, pastor, officiating at the single ring service. Also the day marked the forty-seventh anniversary of the bridegroom's parents.

Classic wedding vases of Pearly and white gladioli and curved graduated candelabra holding lighted white candles arranged before Kentia palms formed a background for the impressive rites. Northern ferns banked the lower rail of the altar.

Before the service, Mrs. Willie Boyett of McLean played "Romance" (Laurance) and Miss Mary Foster sang "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" (Lerbert) and "I Love You Truly" (Bond) with Mrs. Boyett as accompanist. "The Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" was used for the processional and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" as the recessional.

Attending her sister as maid of honor was Miss Christine Hinton of Floydada, wearing a gold colored taffeta frock with a square neckline, short puffed sleeves, and bouffant skirt. Her bouquet was of talisman roses.

Bridesmaids were Miss Sarah Ellen Foster of Borger and Miss Eula Faye Foster of Pampa. Dressed in brown and copper tulle, respectively, both were gowned in frocks matching that of the maid of honor. They carried colonial bouquets of bronze snapdragons tied with blue ribbon.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white slipper gown styled on princess lines with a sweetheart neckline, long pointed sleeves, and a full skirt extending into a short train. Her fingertip veil of illusion was held in place by a tarras of tiny seed pearls. For "something old" the bride wore a barrette belonging to her mother, and for "something borrowed" she wore a pearl necklace given to Mrs. C. A. Vaughn by her mother. A white Bible, topped with

white gardenias and showered with blue delphinium, carried by Mrs. Hughes was used by Mrs. E. E. Shelhamer at her wedding.

Mrs. Hinton wore a copper brown ensemble with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Melvin Campbell of Pampa served as best man. Ushers were Paul Thurston and Henry Ayers.

The wedding reception was held at the home of Mrs. Rob Seeds. Urns of white and Pearly gladioli were arranged throughout the rooms and white wedding bells were suspended from the archway connecting the dining and living rooms. Tall white candles encircled in flowers and tiny bells formed the background for the three-tiered wedding cake which was topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. Mrs. Ed Hughes of Panhandle presided at the cake and Mrs. Shelhamer at the punch bowl which was arranged on a table laid with a crocheted dinner cloth made by Mrs. Seeds.

Immediately following the reception the couple left for their home in Corpus Christi. The bride traveled in a Royal blue wool tailored suit with a matching hat, pink blouse, and black accessories. Her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. Hughes, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hinton of Floydada, was graduated from McLean High school and Lippert's Business college at Plainview. The bride-elect has made her home in Pampa since 1936 and has been employed by Bob McCoy. She is a member of Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority of which she was one of the first pledges. Also Miss Hinton has taken part in numerous musical activities.

Mr. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hughes of Searcy, Arkansas, is a former Pampa. He is employed by Columbian Carbon company at Corpus Christi.

OES Donations To Be Taken To Office By Wednesday Noon

Donations for the Christmas baskets to be given by the Order of Eastern Star are to be taken to the Southwestern Public Service company office not later than Wednesday noon.

The baskets will be distributed Wednesday afternoon.

Christmas Party Given For Gleaners Class By Officer

Gleaners class of First Baptist church was entertained at an annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. R. W. Tucker, adult department superintendent, with Mrs. E. L. Anderson, department secretary, as co-hostess.

Mrs. P. O. Gaut played Christmas carols on the piano to open the program and Mrs. F. E. Leech gave the devotional, after which Mrs. R. E. Gatlin played and sang several numbers.

Mrs. L. H. Greene delivered gifts from a gayly lighted Christmas tree to all present.

Mrs. Ella Brake is teacher of this class with Mrs. Greene as president. Every member on the list was present with the exception of one, in addition to several visitors.

Attending were Meses. S. L. Anderson, Fredella Potter, W. C. Calhoun, A. A. Canady, Charles Boyd, Mary Binford, F. E. Leech, E. G. Barrett, Cockburn, J. F. Schmidt, Byars, C. Gordon Bayless, Barnard, Ella Brake, Cash, C. F. Young, L. G. Greene, F. C. Abbott, M. P. Downs, J. H. Ayres, R. E. Gatlin, E. L. Anderson, R. W. Tucker, P. O. Gaut and son, Bill.

BPW To Contact Defense Chairman For Assignments

In connection with the local Business and Professional Women's part in the registration of men for civilian defense, every member of the club who did not attend the Christmas party Sunday afternoon in the club rooms is asked to contact Grace Pool, club defense chairman, for assignments.

Registration will be between 3 and 9 o'clock on December 28. Captains are Mable Gee, Gladys Robinson, Lillian Jordan, Laura Belle Cornelius, Audrey Fowler, Polly Jacobson, Frances Craver, Clara Lee Shewmaker, Adalen Brazill, Vera Land, Ruth Walston, Myrtle Simmons, and Dalton Hall.

Mrs. Johnston Hostess To Jolly Thirteen Club
SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Chester Johnston entertained Jolly Thirteen club members Monday with a Christmas party.

Gifts were exchanged and the afternoon was spent in working on a friendship quilt for the hostess. Refreshments were served to Meses. C. D. Tiffany, C. L. Guerry, Dave Kendrick, Less Kries, Charles Webb, Zelma Weaver, Donnie Eckman, B. L. Barnes, Lonnie Ferguson, and Chester Johnston. The next meeting will be held January 6 in the home of Mrs. Clyde Dorman.



Mrs. Harry I. Hughes



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BOXED HANKIES	59c to 1.19

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The Merry Christmas Store

LaRosa Sorority Plans Informal Dance For Tonight

Plans for an informal dance to be given tonight at 9 o'clock in the Schneider hotel were completed at a meeting of LaRosa sorority held Sunday night in the home of Miss Barbara Matthews.

Articles were given to each member for the Christmas basket to be presented to a needy family. The food is to be taken to the home of Fern Simmons Wednesday evening and from there the group will deliver the basket.

The next meeting of the sorority will be held Friday night in the home of Miss Betty Jean Myers. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments of hot chocolate, cake and candy were served with small Santa Claus favors.

Sorority members and sorority buds attending were Fern Simmons, Doris Taylor, Virginia Washington, Sara Florence Parker, Elaine Dawson, Betty Jean Myers, Alyn Osborn, Virginia West, George Rawlings, Wayne Hillard, Charles Holland, Buddy Simmons, Robbie Lee Russell, Molita Kennedy, James Washington, Barbara Matthews, Billa Taylor, Dora Taylor, and Sally Simmons.

Read the Classified Ads.

Marriage Of Miss Shira And Layton Roesler Announced

Word has been received of the marriage of Miss Patsy Etta Shira, formerly of Pampa, and Layton Stratman Roesler which was solemnized December 17 in the First Methodist church at Hosington, Kansas.

The bride, who is the daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shira of Hosington, attended Pampa High school before her parents moved to Kansas three years ago.

The bridegroom is a prominent Kansas farmer.

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Mrs. Stone Gives Review Of Manuel At Jessie Leech GA

A review of the G. A. Manuel, "World Always for the King," was given by Mrs. Tommie Stone at the meeting of Jessie Leech G. A. of First Baptist church in the home of Louise Almond.

Prayer was led by Louise Baxter preceding the exchange of gifts by secret pals.

Attending were Louise Almond, Ramona Matheny, Inez Baird, Ruth Matheny, Louise Baxter, Dorothy and Joyce Stone, Lucille Smith, Ailene Vaughn, Lucille Duval, Betty Schulkey, and two visitors, Bobby Stone and Mrs. Rupert Orr, and the leader, Mrs. Tommie Stone.

The next meeting will be held December 30 in the home of Lucille Duval.

Members Of Venado Blanco Club Hostesses At Party

Special To The News
WHITE DEER, Dec. 23—Venado Blanco club held its Christmas party in the high school home economics department, with Misses Edythe Strickland and Claudia Every as hostesses.

Early in the evening, 12 of the members went to Pampa for supper at the White Way. Upon their return, gifts were exchanged and the evening was spent in impromptu readings and songs and singing carols.

Present were Mesdames E. C. Morris, Bill Watson, B. R. Weeks, Ralph Griffiths, Elton Beene, Ray Vineyard, June Duval, Holt Barber, Bob McNeely, and Claude Everett; and Misses Mildred Hogland, Mary Dee Mershon, Vera Taylor, Edythe Strickland, Dorothy Wittliff, Vivian Hammack, Virginia Martin, Odessie Howell, Gladys Holley, Evelyn Mayfield, and Claudia Every.

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Pythians Observe Christmas Season With Dinner Party

A turkey dinner was served to Pythian Sisters and Knights of Pythias at their Christmas party Sunday evening between 5 and 8 o'clock in the castle hall which was attractively decorated for the occasion.

The singing of Christmas carols and an informal program entertained the group. Gifts were distributed from the Christmas tree by Bob Cecil as Santa Claus.

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Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Tony Smith, Ray Barnard, Jack McKay, Sam Turner and son, Don, W. R. Ewing, Ivan Reeder, Bob Cecil, L. K. Stout, Maurice Robinson, Ernest Gee, Harvey Downs, Roy Dyson, T. J. Green, C. F. Bastion, Dave Bauer, Russell Kennedy, and Roy L. Coston.

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Annual Dinner Given For Employees Of Three Agencies

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MIAMI, Dec. 23—Eighty persons including employees of the Chevrolet agencies of Miami, Shamrock, and Dumas, and other guests, attended the annual Christmas dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Montgomery of Miami and Shamrock at the Capitol hotel in Amarillo. This is the eighth year for this annual affair.

American defense, theme for the dinner, was carried out in the decorations, appointments, and program. The large banquet table was gay with red carnations, U. S. flags, and V-for-Victory wreaths of holly. During the serving of the turkey dinner, only illumination was from red, white, and blue candles.

The program was opened by renewing the pledge to the flag and singing of the national anthem, accompanied by Miss Juanita Haynes of Seagraves at the piano. Buford Low pronounced the invocation.

Two vocal choruses from the Dumas group, a piano solo by Miss Haynes, impromptu talks from officials of the company, the singing of "God Bless America" composed the program.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stangley of Oklahoma City; Miss Francis Munn and Mr. and Mrs. Powell, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rutherford of Dumas; Mrs. Joe Hudson, Miss Juanita Haynes, and M. W. Jones, of Seagraves; and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Haynes from Miami. Others attending from Miami were Messrs. and Mmes. Buford Low, Lee Newman, et Evans, Burton Springer, C. C. Mead, Paul Sullivan, Taylor Cole, and Mrs. Jim Johnston.

Arva Lee Stanford Wins First In Dress Contest

Special To The News
MIAMI, Dec. 23—Judging of dresses made by the third year class of sewing in home economics was held this week in the home economics department in the high school building. Mrs. John Stovall and Mrs. G. B. Mathers of Canadian were judges.

The winners were as follows: Arva Lee Stanford, first; Pauline Russell, second; Carrie Jo Heare, third; Maurine Scrimshire, fourth. The winner of first place will have the privilege of attending the state rally later in the spring. The date has not been set. She also will enter the state contest at the rally.

Miss Cleveland Laman is head of the home economics department here.

Mrs. Lee Hostess At Eleanor Roosevelt Study Club Party

SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 23—Eleanor Roosevelt Study club members met this week in the home of Mrs. J. W. Lee for their annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Earl New was in charge of a clever program which featured a pseudo broadcast from South America with Mrs. Wilbur Waggoner as newscaster.

Each member took a toy for underprivileged children for Christmas.

Mrs. Lee served Christmas refreshments to Mmes. Earl New, Waggoner, W. M. Adams, O. L. Statton, John Beagle, S. C. Dickey, Ivan Reeder, Berry Barnes, J. C. Dickey, P. E. Stephenson, Chester Strickland, Harold Drummond, Stella Tomlin, and J. A. Arwood.

The meeting was concluded with the reading of "The Birth of the Christ Child" by Mrs. O. L. Statton.

All Members Of Child Study Club Attend Annual Party

Special To The News
MIAMI, Dec. 23—Every member of Child Study club was present for the annual Christmas party held in the home of Mrs. W. P. Locke.

The house was festive with poinsettias, holly mistletoe and other decorative berries from Victoria, sent by Mrs. E. F. Ritchey, a former member of the club. At the request of the president, Mrs. J. O. Duniven, presided.

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SATURDAY
Gray County Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the office of Mrs. Julia E. Kelley.

TUESDAY
Sub Deb club will have a formal presentation dinner and dance at the Country club.

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The guests played bridge and forty-two. High scores went to Mrs. Ralph Ogden and Joe Champion. Prizes were defense stamps.

Refreshments of fruit cake and coffee were served to Messrs. and Mmes. W. G. Breining, Arlie Carpenter, Joe Champion, J. E. Clarke, Merrill Ellis, Bill Moseley, R. C. Ogden, Rex Reeves, C. E. Vincent, Miss Ione Gill, and Mr. Stroud.

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Refreshments of fruit cake, whipped cream and coffee were served to Mrs. Kelley and members of the club.

Northern Natural Club Has Christmas Party

SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 23—Northern Natural Sewing club held its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Virgil Norton.

Names had been drawn for gifts and after they were exchanged, the women entertained their husbands with a turkey dinner.

Members and guests attending numbered 64. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Doc Conyers, Mr. and Mrs. John Kramer, Mrs. Hedquist, and Mr. and Mrs. Dorman.

Pampans Attend Party Given At Borger By Bakery

A party entertaining employees of the Dilley Bakery was given Sunday evening in Borger.

After appropriate games were played, refreshments were served to 35 guests.

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Small rugs must be placed on the floor so as not to appear as mere spots.

Refreshments of fruit cake, whipped cream and coffee were served to Mrs. Kelley and members of the club.

Northern Natural Club Has Christmas Party

SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 23—Northern Natural Sewing club held its Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Virgil Norton.

Names had been drawn for gifts and after they were exchanged, the women entertained their husbands with a turkey dinner.

Members and guests attending numbered 64. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Doc Conyers, Mr. and Mrs. John Kramer, Mrs. Hedquist, and Mr. and Mrs. Dorman.

Pampans Attend Party Given At Borger By Bakery

A party entertaining employees of the Dilley Bakery was given Sunday evening in Borger.

After appropriate games were played, refreshments were served to 35 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Mrs. E. L. Fowler, and Miss Maurine Jones were among the Pampans attending.

The Social Calendar

TONIGHT
LaRosa society will have an informal dance at 9 o'clock in the Schneider hotel.

WEDNESDAY
Donations for Order of Eastern Star Christmas baskets are to be taken to the Southwestern Public Service company office by noon.

FRIDAY
Church of Brethren Women's Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

SATURDAY
Gray County Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the office of Mrs. Julia E. Kelley.

TUESDAY
Sub Deb club will have a formal presentation dinner and dance at the Country club.

Couple Entertains Members, Husbands Of Viernes Club

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Forrester entertained Viernes club members and their husbands at a dinner and party.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the house where gifts were exchanged and secret pals were revealed.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. A. C. Crawford, Robert Hollis, L. J. Flaherty, W. S. Brake, Charles Miller, Homer Doggett, Coyne Ford, Bill Robinson, Francis Kullik, Clinton Reese, A. F. Hanks, Sam Williams, and the host and hostess.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the home of Mrs. Crawford, 538 South Hobart street, on January 2.

Art And Civic Club And Guests Observe Custom

LEFORS, Dec. 23—Observing an annual custom, members of Art and Civic club and guests were entertained at a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Vincent.

The rooms were decorated in the Christmas theme and a large brightly lighted tree was decorated for the gift exchange.

The guests played bridge and forty-two. High scores went to Mrs. Ralph Ogden and Joe Champion. Prizes were defense stamps.

Refreshments of fruit cake and coffee were served to Messrs. and Mmes. W. G. Breining, Arlie Carpenter, Joe Champion, J. E. Clarke, Merrill Ellis, Bill Moseley, R. C. Ogden, Rex Reeves, C. E. Vincent, Miss Ione Gill, and Mr. Stroud.

Faithful Workers Class Has Holiday Social Affair

Members of Faithful Workers class of First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. E. M. Keller for a Christmas party.

The holiday theme was stressed in decorating the rooms for the event.

Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to Mmes. Fritz Waechter, Joe Foster, A. L. Frimmore, D. B. Jameson, D. L. Craddock, Anderson, V. L. Hobbs, E. M. Keller, Fuller Barnett, R. E. Gatlin, H. B. Tillstrom, Garnet Reeves, J. C. Vollmert, Wilson, and Hulle Baird.

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BCD Advisory Board For 1942 Elected

R. G. Allen, V. L. Boyles, J. W. Garman, Dan J. Gribben and Dan E. Williams will serve as Pampa Chamber of Commerce advisory board members for 1942. They were elected in a runoff election which closed with counting of ballots this morning.

The Chamber of Commerce advisory board members will meet and work with members of the Board of City Development, appointed by the city commission.

Retiring advisory board members are Tex Evans, Arthur Teed, W. B. Weathered, Dan Williams, re-elected, and Floyd Hoffman.

First meeting of the two boards will be held in January when new officers will be elected. Frank Culbertson is the retiring president.

CITY ASKED

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municipality recently setting forth the new CAA rules.

At the city commission meeting this morning it was stated that the army's policy would be to shoot down unauthorized planes.

The general aim of the new rules is to prohibit unregulated flying by any pilot.

As explained by City Manager Steve Matthews, unless the CAA regulations were complied with by some organization, not necessarily the city, the local field would be out of operation and also, since it is an emergency landing field, there would be no Civilian Pilot Training course here, since regulations prohibit the CPT from using designated fields.

There are 11 private planes in Pampa and 30 aviation students, Mr. Davis told the commission.

Charles R. Stephenson, weather bureau employee, and Garnet Reeves, BCD manager, were others who met with the city commission this morning.

State Plan Started

While the discussion was going on in Pampa today, organization of the Texas branch of the civilian aviation resources for national defense proceeded at Dallas under the direction of D. Harold Byrd, Texas wing commander.

Byrd yesterday announced the launching of the Texas branch of the national organization created by order of E. H. La Guardia, director of the Office of Civilian Defense.

Duties of the membership will be to guard airports where no military activity is located, furnish courier service, patrol back-country areas, tow aerial gunnery targets and patrol under possible evacuation conditions.

Any citizen pilot of good character, certified by the CAA as a private pilot or higher classification, is eligible for service, as well as persons holding government certificates for any skill related to aviation.

Applications for enlistment for both men and women are available at the organization's headquarters at the White-Plaza hotel. Byrd said the program would begin as soon as applications have been checked and classified.



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tent. The only information the White House vouchsafed was that the last leg was made by air. There was a belief, however, that one of his majesty's warships had carried him part of the way.

Supply Minister Lord Beaverbrook and a staff of technical experts accompanied him. While the personnel of the staff was not immediately disclosed, the presumption was that it would include an array of key British military, naval and economic officials similar to the one that attended the Churchill-Roosevelt conference in August, which produced the Atlantic charter.

There were indications almost at once that Churchill's stay might be of some duration. At Ottawa, Canada's Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King said that he had been invited to Washington during the course of the conference, but added that the date for his trip would not be announced until later.

The White House gave no advance details as to what schedule the conference would follow, and there appeared a possibility that the information would be withheld because of its military character. In the Atlantic charter, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill apparently confined their personal talks to broad problems, leaving it to Anglo-American opposites to discuss details affecting the fields of military, naval, economic and diplomatic action.

Ax's capitals apparently were very much in the dark as to Churchill's whereabouts until he reached here. For several days the Berlin and Tokyo radios have been guessing that the prime minister's disappearance from London meant he had gone to Moscow, to Washington, and to the Middle East. The Middle East was Berlin's guess, and less than four hours later Churchill was stepping into the White House.

To most Britons, the prime minister's arrival in Washington came as a much bigger surprise than his battleship rendezvous with President Roosevelt—and the average man was inclined to look upon this new meeting as one of considerably greater importance.

In informed London quarters, there was no surprise but keen interest in what the meetings here would produce. While close integration of Allied efforts represented the major objective in British opinion, the greatest specific emphasis was on the need for a quick unification of action against the Japanese in the Pacific.

London apparently was expecting the future to bring a tremendous German air assault upon the Mediterranean fleet and more heavy fighting in North Africa, two developments which would tend to isolate Britain even more from her Pacific outposts and make it virtually necessary that there be joint command in that theater which could operate independently of London controls.

Washington already has heard much conjecture on the subject of a joint command and the name of General Douglas MacArthur has been mentioned frequently as a likely choice for the supreme military post in the Pacific. MacArthur's brilliant performance to date in directing the defense of the Philippines has endeared him to the public, and he has devoted years of study to the problems presented by a campaign of Japanese conquest in the South Pacific.

MacArthur added to his laurels yesterday as commander-in-chief of the U. S. forces in the Far East by smashing the first shock of a full-dress Japanese invasion assault, backed by between 80,000 and 100,000 enemy troops.

MacArthur threw tanks and artillery into the fierce battle which he joined when Japanese, swarming ashore from a huge fleet of 80 transports, sought to win beachheads in the Lingayen gulf area, 150 miles north of Manila.

Two landing expeditions were hurled back into the sea, and while the Japanese effected two others, they were being heavily attacked by U. S. planes, artillery and tanks. Manila reported that the defending forces "more than held their own," and MacArthur described the situation as "well in hand." However, much bitter fighting was ahead if the big invasion force was to be routed completely and destroyed.

The progress of the battle for the Philippines undoubtedly will figure importantly in the new Roosevelt-Churchill conversations, and likewise reports indicating Russian military activity in Siberia at Japan's back door.

NBC's Manila reported last night,

Mainly About People

Mrs. M. C. Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brooks are spending the holidays in Graham with relatives.

Beautiful Christmas trees on sale at old Piggly Wiggly Store. All profits go to charity. Sponsored by V. P. W.

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Mrs. Claude Roberts and daughter, Wanda, left Saturday night for San Diego, Calif., where they will visit Glenn Roberts, son and brother, a member of the U. S. Marines.

Leaving for Los Angeles, Calif., Wed. Room for 3, Mrs. T. E. Johnson, Ph. 595-W.

Glenn Earl Davis, Texas Tech pre-medical student, at Lubbock, and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Davis, is spending the holidays in the home of his parents.

B. A. Davis of West Texas State college is visiting in the home of his mother, Mrs. Gladys Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Butler of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting in the home of Mrs. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Dodd, and also in the home of Gene Butler.

F. E. Perry has received word that his son, Wayne, stationed on the U. S. S. Tallas, a sub tender at Pearl Harbor, is O. K. He landed at Pearl Harbor on Dec. 2. Wayne formerly lived in Pampa and Borer.

Pampa officers were called to investigate three minor wrecks last night and this morning, caused by slippery condition of the streets. No one was injured and slight damage resulted to cars involved.

Theft of gasoline from cars is being investigated by city officers following reports that gasoline is being drawn from cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts and family left yesterday for Chicago where they will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Soren Jensen, student at Texas A. & M. college, arrived home today to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Jensen.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Charles Ismail and Miss Ruby Jeter.

At the city commission's regular meeting this morning, official approval of the municipal defense council, Pampa's branch of the office of civilian defense, set up Monday night, was granted in an order passed by the commission.

Employees of the LaNora, Rex, and State theaters held their annual Christmas party last night at Lake McClellan. A banquet, Christmas tree, and exchange of gifts were part of the program. Attendance was 45.

Substitution of the numbers and other identification of a 1942 Plymouth sedan, a 1939 Dodge truck, and a 1935 Ford pickup, for other vehicles to correct present insurance policies was approved by the city commission in an order passed at its meeting today.

Company D, Texas Defense Guard will hold its regular drill at 7 o'clock tonight at the high school.

without disclosing the source of his information, that Marshal K. Voroshilov had been appointed commander of Russia's Far Eastern forces—"a good indication," he said, "that Russia is seriously taking up the Far Eastern situation and intends to do something about it in the near future."

Voroshilov directed the successful defense of besieged Leningrad, but on Nov. 6 it was announced that he had arrived in Kulybsky, then the temporary Soviet capital. A London authority subsequently claimed knowledge of Voroshilov's assignment to the Far Eastern command.

There were indications, meanwhile, that the Churchill-Roosevelt talks here were being accompanied by similar Allied conversations elsewhere. Reuters, for example, reported that an important Allied conference was in progress at Chungking, the Chinese provisional capital.

A White House statement last night officially described conversations here as preliminary to further parleys which would officially include Russia, China, the Netherlands and the British dominions.

"It is expected," the president said in this announcement, "that there will be evolved an over-all unity in the conduct of the war. Other nations will be asked to participate to the best of their ability in the over-all objective."

And that objective, as defined by Mr. Roosevelt, "is the defeat of Hitlerism throughout the world."

The president said that it was "probable that no further announcements will be made until the end of the present conferences, but it may be assumed that the other interested nations will be kept in close touch with this preliminary planning."

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Pro-holiday influences, uncertainty regarding the Far Eastern front and price control legislation and extremely small turnover held grain futures within narrow lower limits today.

Soybeans were under pressure at times and prices reacted in orderly progression as much as 2 1/2 cents a bushel lower before recovering modestly at the close.

When closed 1/4 lower to 1/4 higher Monday's prices, May 1.25 1/2, July 1.26 1/4, corn was 1/4 higher in a last minute rally, May 82 1/2, July 84 1/4; oats unchanged to 1/4 up; rye changed to 1/4 down; soybeans 1 to 1 1/4 lower; and hard unchanged at the ceiling limit.

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SUNNY BROOK	Bonded QUART	\$2.69
FOUR ROSES, Fifth		\$2.69

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Market Briefs

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—It was another day of fluctuating, befogged and bewitched stock markets today, with leaders following widely varying trails. There were scattered strong performers throughout and some weak issues of the forenoon revived in the last hour.

While the war news was considered a bit more favorable, bullish contingents still had to contend with large-scale tax selling although it was thought this had about run its course. Only six more sessions can be utilized for this sort of liquidation. Dealings were fast at intervals and despite late slow-downs, the day's turnover approximated 1,500,000 shares.

Am. Can. & T.	38 3/4	38 3/4	38 3/4
Am. T. & T.	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Am. Woolen	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4
Anacosta	56 25/32	56 25/32	56 25/32
Aviation Corp.	30 3/4	30 3/4	30 3/4
Haviland Oil	28 3/4	28 3/4	28 3/4
Chrysler	187 1/2	187 1/2	187 1/2
Consolidated	301 5/8	301 5/8	301 5/8
Corn Prod.	44 3/4	44 3/4	44 3/4
Gen. Motors	284 3/4	284 3/4	284 3/4
Gen. Foods	2 3/8	2 3/8	2 3/8
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Houston Oil	38 25/32	38 25/32	38 25/32
Int. Harb.	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Madison Ward	99 25/32	99 25/32	99 25/32
Nat. Dairy Prod.	38 13/16	38 13/16	38 13/16
Packard	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Pan Am Airways	18 1/4	18 1/4	18 1/4
Pet. Corp.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Phillips 66	30 25/32	30 25/32	30 25/32
Pure Oil	100 11/16	100 11/16	100 11/16
Shell Union Oil	82 15/16	82 15/16	82 15/16
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S. O. Cal	80 21/32	80 21/32	80 21/32
S. O. Ind.	71 3/8	71 3/8	71 3/8
S. O. N. J.	41 11/16	41 11/16	41 11/16
Tex. Gulf Sulph.	16 5/8	16 5/8	16 5/8
Union Carbide	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
United Air	33 3/4	33 3/4	33 3/4
U. S. Rubber	47 15/16	47 15/16	47 15/16
Woolworth	105 24/32	105 24/32	105 24/32

PORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

PORT WORTH, Dec. 23 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle 1,700; calves 800; all slaughter stock, underweight and fully steady; stockers, common and medium beef steers and yearlings 7.50-8.00; hogs 6.00-6.50; killing calves 2.25-2.50; hogs 6.00-6.50; old head choice stocker steers calves to 12.00, most stockers down from 12.00 to 11.50.

Hogs 1,800; steady to 10c higher; top 16 all interest; bulk 9.50-10.00; 160-175 lb. 10.00-10.50; medium grade butchers at 25-30c discount; medium 10.00-10.50; heavy 10.50-11.00; stocker pigs 8.00 down.

Sheep 800; steady; woolled yearlings 9.25 and clipped offerings 8.25; trade in other classes not tested.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Hogs 1,800; active to all interests; uneven 10.50-11.00; top 11.00; good to choice 10.00-11.00; hogs 10-15 higher; 9.50-10.50.

Cattle 3,850; calves 600; fed steers and yearlings 12-14; choice 12-14; stockers 10-12; medium 10-12; good cows up to 9.00; good and choice yearlings 11.50-13.00; few 13.50.

Sheep 6,000; to early sales opening bids on slaughter lambs fully steady; asking higher; best held around 12.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Butter: steady; creamery, 92 score 35-35 1/2; 92 3/4; all other prices unchanged.

Eggs: steady; graded, first, local 33; government graded extra, white, local 45; carton 46; other prices unchanged.

Poultry: live 33; strong; hens, over 5 lbs. 21 1/2, 5 lb. and down 19 1/2; Leghorn 18 1/2, Plymouth Rock 19 1/2, White Rock 18 1/2; broilers, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2; Cornish 21 1/2, White Rock 21 1/2; under 4 lbs. 18, colored 18, Plymouth Rock 21 1/2, White Rock 18 1/2; broiler chickens 18, roosters 14 1/2, Leghorn roosters 13 1/2; ducks 4 1/2, up, colored 16 1/2, white 17 1/2, small, colored 15, white 16; geese, 12 lb. down 16, over 12 lb. 16 1/2; turkeys, toms, old 18, young 18 lb. 25, 15 lb. 22 1/2, 12 lb. 20, 8 lb. 18, 4 lb. 16; capons, 7 lb. up 25, under 7 lb. 24, all ps. 21.

Dressed poultry, unchanged.

HITLER SEES DOCTOR

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Moscow radio said today in a broadcast heard here that Adolf Hitler recently had consulted "the famous German Doctor Schuster" and was told he was suffering severe nervous exhaustion and inflammation of the eyes.

Hitler's eyes have troubled him since 1935, was gassed in the first World War.

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Air Guard Call Gets Good Response

A splendid response to the call for enlisted men for ground duty in the Texas Defense Guard Air corps was reported this morning to the News by Lieut. W. Foster Fletcher.

The quota is almost reached, so anyone wishing to enter this branch of voluntary defense service is urged to call immediately at 117 W. Foster, phone 133, and get information.

Major Art Hawks, 11th squadron commander, reported in a telephone conversation from Amarillo this morning that application blanks were mailed to Lt. Fletcher this morning, and are to be signed up and returned to headquarters as soon as possible.

A number of men having already signed up in the infantry guard here have called to see about transferring to the air corps branch, but Major Hawks advises against it now as the whole transaction will have to go through the state adjutant's office and far too much delay in getting the organization going would result.

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Total to date	\$4,700.56

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Malaya: 65 miles southwest of Moscow, and in the Tikhvin area, 110 miles east of Leningrad.

The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia said Red Army troops were routing the Germans by flank attacks, following the recapture of Tikhvin, and forcing them to retreat in some places even beyond the Volkov river which links Lake Ilmen and Lake Ladoga.

Front-line dispatches said that in one sector on the Leningrad front where the Germans attempted a counter-offensive, 800 Nazis were killed and the remaining forces were sent floundering through the snow.

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The Time Payment prices on the above items are correct. Due to a typographical error the prices shown in Sunday's Pampa News were incorrect.

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Fire Destroys Back Porch And Roof Of East Frederic House

Fire, started where a water heater vent pipe went through the ceiling, destroyed a back porch and a portion of the roof at 703 East Frederic street yesterday afternoon. Fire Chief Ben White announced. The pipe was improperly installed, the chief said.

The firemen had to string 2,000 feet of hose to reach the fire, which meant that hours of work were required washing and re-stringing the hose after the fire.

Chief White again urged Pampans to inspect their houses for fire hazards now that cold weather is here.

THIS WEEK IN PAMPA THEATERS

LANORA

Today and Wednesday: "Rise and Shine," Jack Oakie, Linda Darnell.

Thursday, Friday, and Saturday: "Keep 'Em Flying," Abbott and Costello.

REX

Last times today: "Small Town Deb," Jane Withers.

Wednesday and Thursday: "The Night of January 16th," Robert Preston, Ellen Drew.

Friday and Saturday: "The Medicine of Painted Springs," Charles Starrett.

STATE

Today: "The Great Swindle," Jack Holt.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Our Wife," Ruth Hussey Melvyn Douglas.

Friday and Saturday: "The Singing Hills," Gene Autry.

CROWN

Last times today: "This Woman is Mine," with Franchot Tone, John Carroll, Walter Brennan, Carol Bruce; short subjects and news.

Wednesday and Thursday: "Sky Devils," with Spencer Tracy; short subjects and news.

Friday and Saturday: "Gold Mine in the Sky," with Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette; short subjects and news.

bound forests. Soviet ski troops were reported hunting them down.

The Russians acknowledged difficulties in only one sector of the entire 1,200-mile front from Leningrad to the Black Sea. This was in the Crimea, where German troops besieging the big Sevastopol naval base were reported hurling attack after attack at Red army defense lines. Soviet dispatches said the city's situation was serious.

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CHURCHES

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day, and Monday evenings. A Christmas pageant with a song and candlelighting service was presented at the First Baptist church. Sunday evening, and at the same time a White Christmas program was given at the First Methodist church. A Yuletide service Sunday evening and a Christmas party Monday evening for children of the church were included in the First Presbyterian church's observance. A program Friday night at the Central Baptist church, and timely sermons at the McCullough Methodist and Church of Nazarens were among the Sunday observances.

During the past week every church in the city has joined with all Christianity in retelling the story of the birth of Jesus.

JAP RAID

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quarters declared the Japanese invaders had been checked for the past 24 hours by American forces holding a line north of Damits, four miles south of Santo Tomas, on the Gulf of Lingayen, where 80 Japanese transports were reported to have begun unloading between 80,000 and 100,000 troops for an all-out drive against Manila.

Unconfirmed reports said three of the Japanese transports had been sunk in the gulf, and American pilots were said to have smashed an attempted landing under the guns of Japanese destroyers.

The question of Russian cooperation in the Far East was high-

lighted by London and Manila reports that Soviet Marshal Klement Voroshilov, who organized the successful defense of Leningrad, had been named commander of Russia's Far East forces, at Japan's back door along the Siberia-Manchukuo frontier.

A Chungking report only a few days ago said Russian Siberian armies were holding large-scale maneuvers near the frontier.

Across the China Sea British and Indian forces, out-numbered and out-equipped, fought gamely to hold a front stretching across the Malay Peninsula some 300 miles north of Singapore. Air Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, British commander-in-chief in the Far East, told Singapore community leaders that Britain's aid to Russia and her Libyan desert offensives were to blame for Britain's temporary inferiority in the Far East.

"We've lost a large part of northern Malaya," he conceded, but said it was for a time only and "every effort is being made elsewhere to provide us with the help of which we now stand in need."

Final Judgment Against 20 Oil Companies Filed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—The

government announced today a final judgment against 20 major oil companies, 62 pipe line companies, and seven subsidiaries or affiliates which places a 7 per cent limit on returns the oil companies may receive from pipe line investments.

The judgment was filed before

Justice David A. Pine in federal district court for the District of Columbia and was based on a complaint alleging violation of the antitrust provisions of the interstate commerce and Elkins acts.

The complaint alleged that the pipe lines had paid refunds and re-

bates to shipper-owner companies under the guise of "dividends" and that these often had amounted to exorbitant returns upon the pipe line capital stock.

This gave the shipper-owners a discriminatory advantage over other shippers of crude oil and petroleum

products, the department charged. The defendant company denied the charges in the complaint but agreed to a final judgment which provided:

1. No defendant common carrier may pay, directly or indirectly to any shipper-owner in any calendar

year beginning Jan. 1, any earnings derived from transportation in excess of its 7 per cent share of the ICC's valuation of the pipe line property if the pipe line has carried any commodities for the shipper-owner during this year.

2. No shipper-owner may receive

payments in excess of the 7 per cent.

3. Net earnings of pipelines in excess of the 7 per cent must be put into a special surplus account to be used only for the extension of existing pipe line facilities or the construction or acquisition of such

common carrier facilities, for "normal and reasonable" working capital requirements, or for retirement of outstanding debt.

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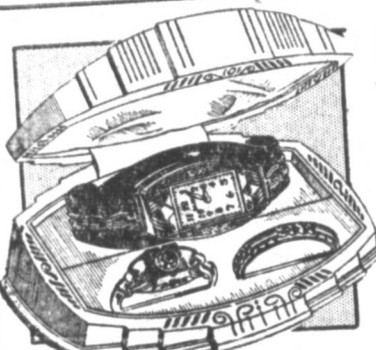
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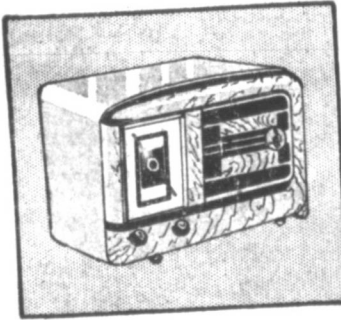
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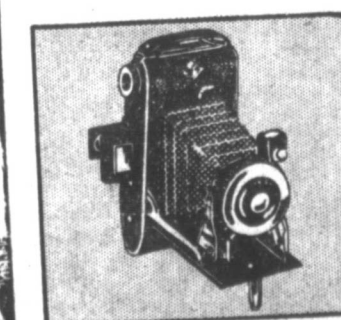
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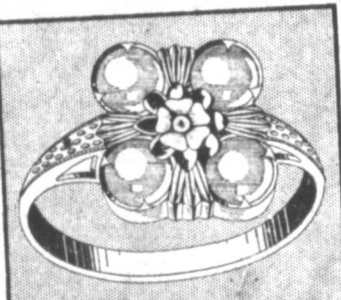
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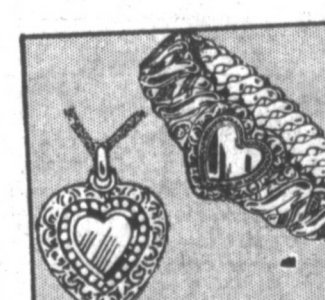
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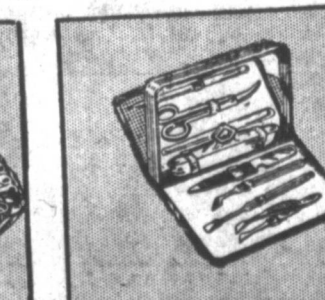
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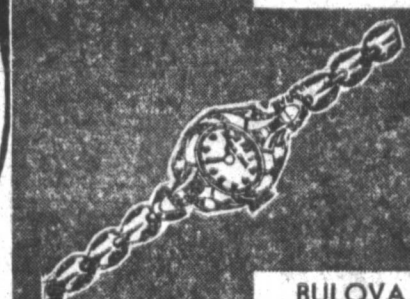
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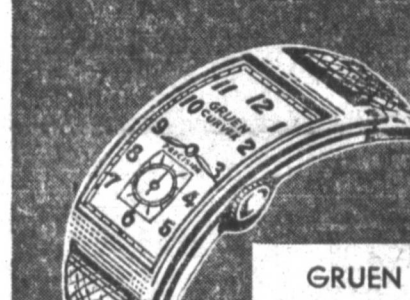
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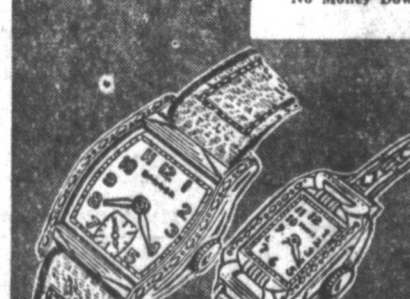
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Elmer Riddle 'Pitcher Of The Year'

By JUDSON BAILEY
NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Elmer (The Great) Riddle, still a comparative unknown to many fans despite his sensational hurling for the Cincinnati Reds last season, received today his accolade as the "pitcher of the year."

The National league released its official pitching records showing the stocky 24-year-old Georgia boy had surpassed all other twirlers in the major leagues in both earned-run average and winning percentage, bringing the pitching championship to Cincinnati for third straight year.

Riddle won 19 games and lost four while achieving the low earned-run average of 2.24 per nine-inning game for the best mark of effectiveness since Carl Hubbell set the league record for left-handed pitching at 1.66 in 1933.

The young righthander had to win 11 straight to pry the public's attention away from the Whitlow Wyatt and Bobby Fellers, and even then his real value scarcely was realized.

Elmer was even a riddle to his own manager till the teams were deep into the schedule. He rode around with the Reds for the entire 1940 season and got to pitch only 34 innings. He hurled one complete game and appeared in a relief role in 14 contests, 12 of which he finished.

For that freshman year, largely a tour of observation, Riddle had the spectacularly low earned-run average of 1.85. This intrigued Manager Bill McKelchie, but not enough for him to give his quiet, almost bashful sophomore a starting chance this year until the Reds were hopelessly out of the race and the Boston Braves were in town on May 20.

Riddle won that game and 10 more before he was defeated by Brooklyn July 23. From the time Elmer started his string till the end of the season the Reds were the most consistent club in the senior circuit. The official records today show the pennant-winning Dodgers had the finest pitching staff in the senior circuit, led by Whitlow Wyatt and Kirby Hize. Each of these sturdy righthanders won 22 games, the only hurlers in the league to get into the 20-game bracket. Wyatt was second to Riddle in effectiveness with an earned-run average of 2.34 and Hize ranked second in winning percentage with his 22 victories and nine defeats.

Ernie White, ace of the St. Louis Cardinals, was third in both departments, winning 17 and losing seven with an earned-run average of 2.40.

Bucky Walters, who topped the National league pitchers last year and his Cincinnati teammate, John Vander Meer, tied for fourth in the earned-run ranking with 2.83 while Curt Davis of Brooklyn completed the cast of pitchers under the 3.00 level with a 2.98 rating.

Walters, for the second straight year, pitched the most complete games, 27; the most innings, 302; and allowed the most hits, 292. But Workhorse honors went to Hize, who pitched in the most games, 48; started the most games, 39; and faced the most batters, 1,286. For the third consecutive year he gave up the most bases on balls, 132. Wyatt led in shutouts with seven.

The only pitcher to be achieved by the veteran Lon Warneke of St. Louis August 30 at Cincinnati.

Henry Picard Wins \$5,000 Tournament

HARLINGEN, Dec. 23 (AP)—Golf-don'ts nomads started the last lap of the 1941 trail of gold today after Henry Picard won the Rio Grande valley open in a stretch fight packed with drama.

Another \$5,000 open starting at Beaumont Friday, closes out the money program for the year.

There's nothing left but cash to battle for. Wee Ben Hogan already has clinched the Vardon trophy and is the top money winner with \$17,708 by virtue of his fifth place in the valley open yesterday.

Picard led all the way in winning the 72-hole tournament with an 18-under-par 268 but he had to fight off the fast finish of E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, the Little Rock pro who fired a blistering 132 on the final round.

In fact, with only seven holes to go, Harrison had drawn even with the Oklahoma City star when the latter's second shot struck the side of a knoll at the edge of the creek and bounded across 20 yards away to lodge beneath a small palm.

Picard finally pulled it out with a great shot but was short of the green. He pitched on and sank his putt for a bogie five but Harrison closed in with a birdie three.

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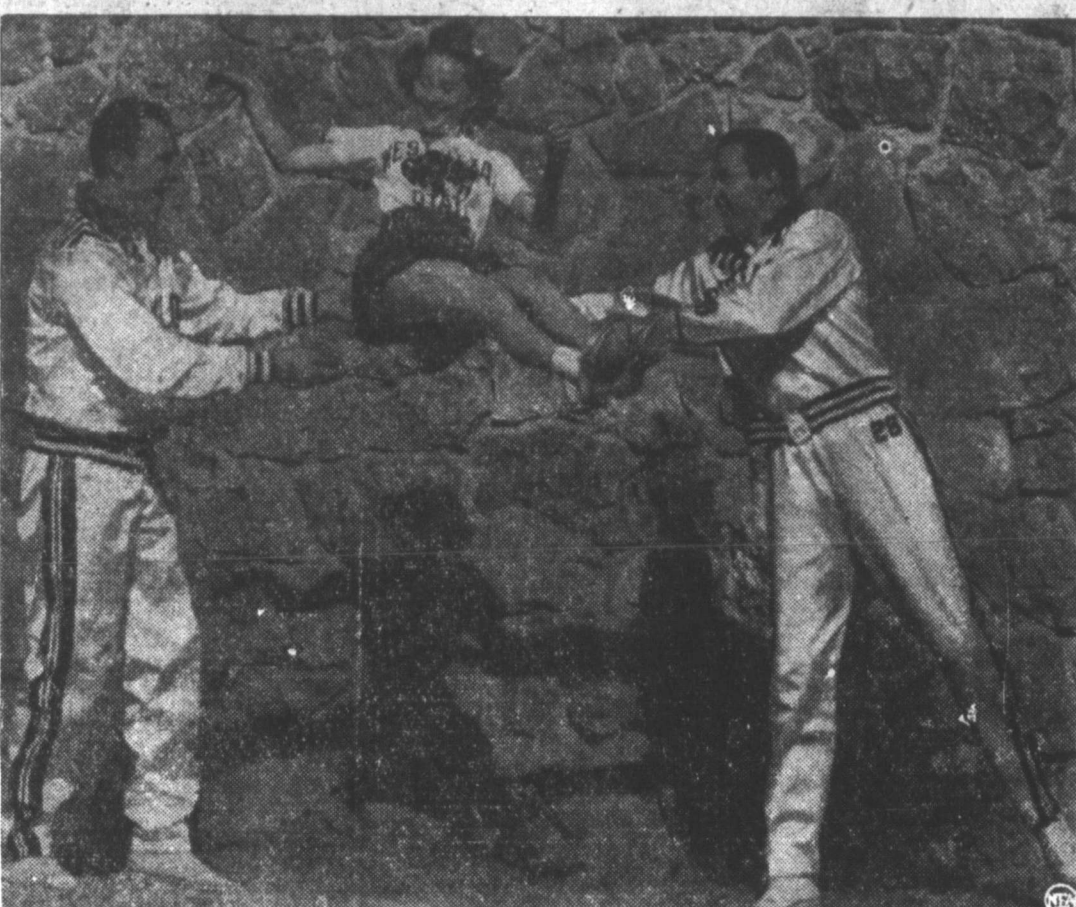
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Price Brookfield, left, and Jack Maddox, towering West Texas State basketball players, use Cheer Leader Ruth Barnes for a basketball.

Basketball Tornado From Canyon Heads For Madison Square Garden

By BURTON BENJAMIN

NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Dec. 23—Oddities along the basketball front:

DENIAL DEPT. Peter Pasko of East Stroudsburg, Pa., State Teachers college does not nibble on a toothpick during a game.

Pasko, star forward, blushing admits he mouths a slice of lumber on the bench and occasionally does a surreptitious bit of molar hacking during a time-out, but not during play. Peter is an active lad between whistles.

Ask Honey Russell, coach of high-stepping Seton Hall, who booked East Stroudsburg as an early season breather. Russell thought the country air would be good for his New Jersey boys.

Result: Stroudsburg 40, Seton Hall 37.

Setonians paint a ghastly picture of Peter Pasko.

"He throws the ball like an orange," they say. "He juggles the toothpick at you like a drum major."

They say Russell has been plagued at night by little ghouls who throw oranges at him and twirl monstrous toothpicks. Doctors believe it is a Freudian reaction to Peter Pasko.

SUPERSTITIOUS PASKO MUST FIRE LAST SHOT

Truth is, Pasko is a six-foot, two-inch sophomore of 200 pounds who is decidedly superstitious and a whale of a basketball player.

His jersey must be number 8 or a multiple thereof. He is a toothpick devotee but discards the timber as soon as the ball is put in play.

He takes a definite number of shots before and after a game, and insists upon being the last man to shoot.

Last season as a yearling—the school has only 250 males and waives the freshman rule—he scored 450 points in 18 games, an average of 25 points per contest. In five of the games he scored more than 30.

Stroudsburg lost only two of 18 games last season, one to big league Long Island university. Pasko tallied 14 points against the Blackbirds.

The Pennsylvanians have aspirations, too. After beating Seton Hall, Coach Steve Roberts said to Russell:

"This ought to get us into Madison Square Garden. What's the best way to get there?"

"Buy a couple of buck-ten tickets," replied Honey.

TALL WEST TEXAS STATE TORNADO HEADS EASTWARD

TINY TEXANS: There's a tornado heading east from Canyon, Texas, where West Texas State college basketball's Bears and Yankees are located. The Buffaloes are going to make an eastern swing to play L.I.U. in the Garden, Jan. 26.

Slightly terrific are the Southwestern sky-scrapers. In their first five games, they averaged 76 points per contest against the opposition's 34.

West Texas ran up an incredible 111 points to East New Mexico's 22. Half-time score was 46-4.

The Buffaloes toyed with Texas Mines, defending Border conference champion, 75-44.

Against Omaha, Al Baggett's boys led 38-9 at the half, 63-16 when time was called so spectators could hear President Roosevelt's speech, and 88-25 at the finish.

The Texas tots are tiny Charley Halbert (6-10); wee Price Brook-

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field (6-4½); little Jackie Maddox (6-4½); midjet Bill Stockman (6-3); and effin Frank Stockman (6-3).

On the bench are diminutive Paul House (6-6) and Shorty Schnupp (6-6).

Pigmy-sized Gene Brandon is the shortest man on the squad. He's six feet even, too small for regular duty. They think he will develop as a pick-up needed tonight.

A six-footer is just a punk at Canyon.

MUSICIAN AND CROONER GIVES SOONER RHYTHM

DOTS AND DASHES: Comes now Ug Roberts, Oklahoma's colorful forward, who sheds basketball's cloak of anonymity by singing while he plays. . . Crooning keeps him relaxed, says Ug, and throws rivals off guard. . . Gerry Tucker, the Sooners' sophomore phenom, also relies upon music for rhythm. . . But Tucker is a student of music and not a court-warbler. . . Great Lakes Naval station is knocking off mid-western colleges. The sailors have former Northwestern stars Dick Klein and Jim Currie; Forrest Anderson, Stanford; Bob Callahan, Detroit; John Lobsiger, Missouri; George Rung, Miami of Ohio; and Bob White, Dartmouth. . . Syracuse is sending out rave notices on Danny DiPace, junior forward. . . Bob Davidoff, New York university forward, donned a basketball uniform and scored 14 points against Newark university less than two hours after he had been rescued from a disabled plane on the Hackensack river. . . A student pilot, he ran out of gas.

Dr. Stevens considers the ground games of Fordham and Missouri about on a par. Both run the ball beautifully.

N.Y.U. put bizarre defenses against both and they solved them in about the same time.

Dr. Stevens rates the coaches, Sleepy Jim Crowley and Don Faurst, equally brilliant and imaginative.

He figures the lines equal.

But he gives the edge to Fordham because of what Missouri did best while it possessed Paul Christman—its passing game.

Missouri has no one to match stocky Steve Filipowicz in this department, so does not put much pressure on the other side in the air.

When Faurst lost Christmas, he threw out his predominately passing attack and cooked up his own version of the T.

Missouri runs eight out of 10 plays from its T, which has a balanced line. The quarterback sometimes is under the center handling the ball on laterals or hand-passing to the three deep backs. At other times he steps to one side to permit a direct pass to a deep back.

And in the blue-r-r-r before his eyes that particular Saturday afternoon at Yankee stadium, Dr. Stevens also believes he saw the center passing the ball between the quarterback's legs to a deep back.

Missouri has effective end-around plays, too.

Dr. Stevens is going to the Sugar Bowl.

The Willard Violets tackle Missouri and Fordham again next fall.

Dr. Stevens would also like to have another look at Tulane while in the Crescent City. The Greenies also are on the 1942 N.Y.U. schedule.

There is nothing like being prepared for the worst.

E. S. Tucker of Tocopilla, Chile, holds the world's record for catching the largest broadbill swordfish. It weighed 960 pounds.

Mount Mitchell State park, N. C., boasts the highest peak in the east with Mt. Mitchell rising 6,684 feet above sea level.

Children in Grand Rapids, Mich., primary schools direct their own study periods.

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Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.
(Wide World Sports Columnist)

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (Wide World)—The Louisville colonels have grabbed off the brass ring in this winter's baseball ivory hunt by signing Pete Layden, who is supposed to be better as an outfielder than he was as a Texas U. ball carrier last fall. He was a standout in the national semi-pro tournament last summer after hitting .397 for the college season. . . Ticklish moment turned up at Madison Square Garden last Friday when the fans spotted Joe Dimaggio (who seldom misses a scrap) and demanded an introduction. . . The baseball bosses don't like to have their boys climb through the ropes and only fighters are supposed to be introduced at fights. . . Joe finally stood up and bobbed his head quickly. . . Frank (N. Y. Sun columnist) Graham, who made his debut recently as a first-class fiction writer, has a biography of Lou Gehrig coming out in February. He also is working on a magazine "profile" of Eddie Brannick.

Today's Guest Star

Art Cohn, Oakland (Calif.) Tribune: "In an outburst of patriotism, Frank Kovacs just bought a custom-built car—done in red, white and blue. The guy must be punchy; obviously he still thinks he's on an amateur's expense account."

Postman's Paragraph

Bernard A. Lang of LaPayette, La., writes: "Since the East-West football game is being played in the South and the teams are coached by a flock of 'damn-Yankees' and it is a charity game to care for crippled American children, I'd suggest that we call it the 'Amerikids' Bowl.'"

Jim Rasmussen of the Ironwood (Mich.) Daily Globe figures the transplanted Rose Bowl should be simply called "Bowl Durham." . . Sid Sloane of Tuscaloosa, Ala., nominates Joe Baker of Alabama U. as all-America football manager, since he chaperoned the Tide to the Sugar Bowl (Tulane stadium) and the Orange Bowl (to play Miami U.) in November and will head the march to the Cotton Bowl game New Year's day.

A Catch-All

A deer trap which was placed on Drummond Island, Mich., last fall did a thorough job. . . Besides catching deer, it trapped one dog, one cat, one snowshoe hare and one woodchuck who wondered if it would work.

Service Dept.

The Montgomery (Ala.) Advertiser has composed rival papers by signing up Corp. Geoffrey A. H. Birt, former London Times sports writer who now is Royal Air Force cadet at Maxwell Field, to do a piece on his impressions of the blue-gray football game. . . Commander of the 372nd infantry regiment, recently assigned to guard duty around New York, is Col. Edward P. Gouraud, who is remembered as a record breaking broad jumper for Harvard 20 years ago. . . Although the football game between Ford (Va.) and the Norfolk Shamrocks drew only 2,000 fans and the pros won 27-0, the soldier team made such an impression that the sponsors want to stage a "Defer Bowl" game next year. . . San Francisco Chronicle lists nearly two dozen former University of California athletes now in the service everywhere from Florida to Alaska. . . One of the leaders of Wake Island is Lawrence Hayes, former Georgia Tech half-back.

A Kehn Sportsman

Chet Kehn, the rookie pitcher coming up to the Dodgers next spring, has taken up golf and bowling for exercise since he was forbidden to play winter baseball in California. . . In three years he has brought his golf score down to 72 and in two seasons he has hoisted his bowling score to 193.

McKinney Pledged To Delta Sigma Pi

WACO, Dec. 23—Ralph McKinney of Pampa, Baylor university sophomore, was initiated this week into Delta Sigma Pi, business professional fraternity.

McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McKinney, is a 1939 graduate of Austin High school in Houston.

Oil Proration

Hearings Will Be Resumed Tomorrow

AUSTIN, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Texas Railroad commission will resume state-wide oil proration hearings tomorrow at 9 a. m.

The order was issued last night following receipt of a telegram by Commissioner Jerry Sadler from Federal Petroleum Coordinator Harold L. Ickes stating the recommended rate of production in Texas for January was 1,573,500 barrels daily.

The recommendation was based on plans to insure maintenance of a sufficient supply of petroleum and petroleum products for war needs.

The proration hearing for basing the January order was recessed, week ago pending receipt of federal recommendations.

The January recommendation is 94,000 barrels larger than the bureau of mines recommendation for December production and somewhat larger than current estimated production.

T. C. U. Coach and Backfield Quartet



Coach Meyer of Texas Christian smiles contentedly as he looks over the four backs who will start against the Georgia Bulldogs in the Orange Bowl New Year's Day. The players (left to right) are: Frank Medanic, half, the only sophomore in the group; Frank Kring, full, senior; Kyle Gillespie, quarter, senior; and Nolan Sparks, half, senior.

Both Coyotes And Temple Have A Hill To Climb

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

FORT WORTH, Dec. 23. (AP)—Any way you look at it there's a hill to climb.

For Wichita Falls it's Wayland Hill, 167-pound zig-zag of gridiron lightning.

For Temple it's Gene Hill, blond, skinny pass-pitching sensation who laughs when the going gets the toughest.

These two stars will meet here Saturday in the state schoolboy final and it should be something worth going miles to see.

Wayland Hill is the boy who delivers in the clutches for Temple's unbeaten Wildcats. He's not fast but you think that's only an optical illusion the way he cuts at any angle.

And he's the shouting dancing dervish of a youngster who is the little man not there when you grab for him.

Gene Hill, a 144-pounder with little meat on his bones but with the stamina of a wild cayuse of the plains country, is the mightiest passer schoolboy football has known in a decade.

This season Gene has thrown 195 passes, completing 105 for 1,519 yards, which is pitching, brother, in any league.

For instance, in Saturday's semi-final which saw the Coyotes blast Sunset (Dallas) from the ranks of the unbeaten teams, Hill threw 19 passes and connected 11 times.

Wayland Hill is playing his third and final season for Temple. In fact, it won't be long now because he finishes up at mid-term which a dozen opponents wish had arrived earlier.

Clinch runner? Say, this boy pulls so many games out of the fire they're thinking about making him chief of the fire department.

He'd make a good one but might create an unemployment situation in the department. What would Temple need with a force of men with wild Wayland on the loose?

Coaches Orin (Babe) Hollingberry of Washington State, Biff Jones of Nebraska and Bernie Moore of L. S. U., ordered two drills daily for their charges beginning today.

Meanwhile, Coaches Bernie Bierman of Minnesota and Andy Kerr of Colgate have had the eastern gridironers working hard at their Blix.

Dick Benton Alive And Well, Also Two Hoover Boys

A rumor circulated in Pampa yesterday that Dick Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Benton, had died while enroute to the west coast with his regiment was unfounded. Mrs. Benton said today.

She received many calls yesterday asking about Dick's death.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton visited Dick at Camp Brownwood last Wednesday and the following day he left for the west coast where he arrived a few days later. His present whereabouts, naturally, is unknown.

The Bentions received a letter from another son, Jack yesterday in which he revealed that the transport on which he was aboard when war broke out in the Pacific had returned safely to Los Angeles where he is now in barracks.

On the same boat were George Converse and Hildy Colvin of Hoover.

The three are anxious to get away again, Jack wrote his parents.

Yale In Market For New Gridiron Boss

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 23 (AP)—Yale, which tossed aside its graduate coaching system a year ago by hiring Emerson W. (Spike) Nelson, former University of Iowa star lineman, as head football coach, was in the market for a new gridiron boss today.

The 36-year-old Nelson, whose Ell eleven won only one out of eight games last fall, resigned yesterday "to be free to join the staff of the procurement department of the United States Engineer corps in Philadelphia."

"I leave Yale with regret," said Nelson, "but in these times of national stress I cannot refuse the opportunity to serve which has come to me."

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Miss, training site.

All players are being taught what to do at other than their own positions so that the squad of 23, considered small for college competition will be three strong at each spot.

Fordham Squad Arrives At Bay St. Louis

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 23 (AP)—With the arrival of the Fordham squad at Bay St. Louis, Miss., today, the total of gridiron greats in training in this section will soar to more than a hundred, and the beefsteak supply is in for a big cut during the next 10 days.

Already on the Gulf coast at Edgewater Park, Miss., are the Missouri Tigers who have a big jump on the Rams in practice sessions for the New Year's Day Sugar Bowl clash here.

Arriving last week, Coach Don Faurst's boys have had a hard workout and several lighter drills, but Coach Jim Crowley has ordered an intensive training schedule for Fordham so that the Rams may catch up with their rivals.

Coach Crowley, en route, said he was confident of his variety's ability but was a little concerned about the two-week layoff following the New Year's university game.

The Western All-Stars who play Jan. 3 in the East-West charity game, transplanted here from California, found themselves in almost the same position as the Rams. They arrived in New Orleans yesterday and are several workouts behind their eastern opponents.

The West squad borrowed some Tulane university uniforms yesterday and went through a workout before going to Baton Rouge where they set up permanent training headquarters at Louisiana State university.

Coaches Orin (Babe) Hollingberry of Washington State, Biff Jones of Nebraska and Bernie Moore of L. S. U., ordered two drills daily for their charges beginning today.

Meanwhile, Coaches Bernie Bierman of Minnesota and Andy Kerr of Colgate have had the eastern gridironers working hard at their Blix.

Santa Reads Last Of Mail

Santa Claus read the last of his mail today, preparatory to starting out on his annual visit to the homes of all good little boys and girls.

Among the last communications he received was a postcard signed Charley and Joyce Owens. Charley gives his age as 5, says his sister is 3.

Charley wants a cap, shirt, wheelbarrow, football, gun, and dump truck, while Joyce asks Santa for a big doll and wagon.

"Don't forget my little nieces, Bonnie and Barbara. Bring us lots of candy, nuts, and fruits."

A letter, signed Billy Joe Condit, 215 N. Ballard, asks Santa for a cowboy suit, desk, and chair.

"Please, Santa, remember my grandma down in Crane, Texas, and my mother and daddy, and don't forget all the poor little girls and boys."

NOTICE

Ken Shewbert and F. S. Enright, the new owners of the City Cleaners, want it to be known that effective today they will not be responsible for any debts against the City Cleaners not contracted by them. Outstanding bills against the City Cleaners are asked to be presented at once, and arrangements will be made to pay them.

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE—"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United-States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Make Haste To Stop Waste

The more of everything we have, the quicker we are going to win this war.

Don't waste anything. Begin now to conserve every serviceable and valuable thing that is useful in prosecuting the war.

The United States is not faced with the sort of acute shortages by which the Nazis, Fascists and Japanese managed to build their military machines. They denied themselves things for years to get those fighting machines, things which we in the United States regard as daily necessities. When the aggressors struck, all Europe was forced on the same plane of denial.

We in the United States are fortunate to have plenty of many things denied to most of the rest of the world. There is no shortage of sugar, flour, lard, eggs in sight. Of prime foods, the United States still has plenty. Yet there are materials of which we are already short, which we cannot afford to waste, and which we should immediately begin to conserve. A real shortage of these things needed for the war effort would prolong the war.

Begin today to conserve these things:

RUBBER: New tires are restricted. All right, make the old ones go as far as possible, retreading if necessary. Don't drive just for the sake of driving; drive when necessary. Learn to walk again; it won't hurt you, and it might do you a lot of good.

PAPER: Don't burn it, save it. Don't demand boxes and elaborate wrappings if you're going to open and rewrap anyway. Save cardboard and corrugated board. Get this stuff into the hands of the junkman.

IRON: Scrap iron, which we shipped so freely to Japan a few years ago, is now badly needed. Look around the place; if you have junk metal see that it gets to the junkman. He'll know how to get it into the hands of war industries which can use it.

Carrying small packages saves gasoline and rubber on delivery trucks, and every extra mile that is gotten out of a pound of rubber or a gallon of gasoline is a mile gained for prosecuting the war.

The old wasteful days are gone, when it was almost a virtue to waste things if you could afford it, since so little was being produced and men were idle.

No everything is needed, some things are needed badly. Save them, and make it your responsibility to get them into the hands of those who can use them.

The more of everything we have, from scrap paper to bombing planes, the quicker the war is won.

The Grim Toll

By their own admission, the Germans have sustained 573,000 casualties in the Russian campaign. That means soldiers killed, wounded and missing.

No one can say whether this figure is accurate. The Russians claim it is as high as six million. American authorities in Washington have estimated more than four million, with more than a million dead. Somewhere between these estimates lies the truth, and wherever it lies it is grim enough.

The British offensive at Passchendaele in 1917 cost 400,000 casualties, and the total American casualties of World War I were under 250,000. So it is clear that, taking Hitler at his own estimate, which must be the lowest possible, the German people must be under tremendous strain. And their leaders can promise nothing better than ten more years of the same.

Heed Military Orders

A dozen or more civilians have been shot by military sentries near various military and naval posts throughout the country when they failed to heed orders to halt, or otherwise disregarded warnings.

The war is serious. The possibilities of sabotage are real. Military sentries have their orders, and they will obey them. Persons halted by uniformed sentries must learn to obey without hesitation, or else there will be more tragedies like those already recorded. Military or naval sentries under orders to shoot if disregarded are nothing to triffl with. The old adage about the inadvisability of monkeying with the buzz-saw still goes.

The Nation's Press

AIR RAIDS ON DEFENSE PLANTS

(Chicago Tribune)

The opening of the war has brought air raid alarms on both the Pacific and Atlantic coasts. The ensuing excitement may or may not be warranted. Only time can tell.

In the long run, the best opinion holds, the United States cannot be seriously hurt by air raids on its coastal areas. That does not mean that hit and run raids, such as the present alarms seem to indicate, cannot cause fatalities and, worse if possible, serious damage to war production. A single big bomb in the Boeing, Douglas, or Consolidated aircraft plants on the Pacific coast could stop production for months and cost the nation scores of the bombers that it needs so sorely.

This hazard was pointed out at least 18 months ago by The Tribune. It was interest in national defense, not in sectionalism, that caused us then to assert that the Mississippi valley is the real industrial citadel of America. Since that time a start has been made toward concentrating industry in the safer part of the country, but a dangerously large proportion of our defense production is still too close to the oceans.

Moving a giant factory is an easier task and

Common Ground

By R. C. HOLLES

"I speak the plain-world primer, I give the sign of democracy. By God! I will accept nothing which all cannot have their counterpart on the same terms."—WALT WHITMAN.

EXAMINING OUR COMPLIANCE WITH

THE BILL OF RIGHTS

Since the middle of this month is the one hundredth fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the first ten amendments to our Constitution, known as the Bill of Rights, it might be well to examine our acts and see to what degree we are complying with these ten amendments.

It is true that when they were adopted they were not literally complied with. At that time, men were not owners of themselves. Men owned each other. They owned slaves. We corrected this on December 18, 1865 by the Thirteenth Amendment, which abolished slavery.

The Bill of Rights attempted to retain inherent rights for the people that belonged to all men. The Framers of the Constitution were fearful that the majority might take away from the individual the rights granted to him by his Creator. For this reason, they formed the Constitution and the amendments.

Those people who are now contending that democracy means merely majority rule cannot explain why the Constitution and the amendments were adopted, if our government was to be merely a majority rule government that had the power to do anything it wanted to with the minority.

The first amendment guaranteed freedom of speech, press and religion. The fourth amendment was very important, since it protected the people in their right to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects against unreasonable searches and seizures. The fifth amendment specifically said, "nor shall private property be taken for public use without just compensation."

It is hard to understand how our government has the right to graduate taxes under this rule; that is, take a higher rate from one person than it takes from another and to have no universal, uniform rule of taxation which applies equally to all people.

We are probably as far away from the Bill of Rights on our taxing methods as any other violation of the Bill of Rights.

The ninth amendment guaranteed as follows: "The rights of the people. The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people."

This definitely shows that our forefathers believed that all men had certain inherent rights. The most important of these is the law of equal freedom; that all men are equally free to pursue happiness; that no man has a special privilege over another.

We violated this amendment when the President of the United States appointed a commission that compels all miners of coal to join a union in order to pursue happiness.

In short, our unemployment, our lack of a continued improvement in our living standards, is due to the violation of our Constitution and the first ten amendments to our Constitution.

In fact, the Sixteenth Amendment, as interpreted, which permits the graduated taxing methods is a contradiction to the Constitution and the Bill of Rights.

We made more progress than any other people in all the world when we more nearly followed the Constitution and the Bill of Rights. It is timely that we examine our customs and laws so that we may realize how far we have strayed from the Constitution and Bill of Rights.

No matter how perfect the Bill of Rights is, it will not benefit us unless we live in accordance with its principles.

can be accomplished with less interruption of production than is generally real. We have the Russian experience to go by, but even more valuable is the action of the Nazis in moving many of their defense industries out of the areas most vulnerable to British bombing.

Their method is to construct a duplicate factory and living facilities for the employees, if accommodations for the workers are not already available in the vicinity. Then the actual transfer of the machinery costs only a small amount of production, less than is hazarded by leaving the plant exposed to bombing. This method of erecting duplicate facilities should be followed in this country, for the more vital factories at least.

ONLY ONE BASIS FOR PEACE

(Honolulu Advertiser—Dec. 3rd Issue)

The United States is done with the Hitlerian game, as mimicked by Japan, of delay while military might is mustered. There is nothing further to be gained by stalling in Washington. With no honor can this nation compromise its repeated enunciated Far Eastern policy—no aggression, no political, commercial hegemony by any one power in Asia.

This can be the only basis for peace, for without these fundamentals there can be no peace. The immediate future of U. S.-Japan relations is gloomy. Mr. Saburo Kurosu and Ambassador Nomura are but diplomats, and capable ones, but their power does not transcend that of the army and navy. Unless there is an immediate complete reversal of Tokyo policy, the die is cast. Japan and America will travel down the bloody road to war.

Such a course should be sad for Japan to contemplate. She is the most vulnerable nation in the world to attack and blockade. She is without natural resources. Four years of war already have left deep scars. She has a navy, but no air arm to support it. She does not have one mechanized division in her entire army.

DECATUR SAID

(Telegraph-Forum-Bucyrus, Ohio)

It was Stephen Decatur who said: "Our country, right or wrong." Our country has been put into war. For reasons right or wrong, the republic of the United States is once again engaged in a terrible struggle against a foreign enemy.

Nothing can be gained now by reviewing why; nothing can be gained by shifting the blame, and nothing can be gained by asserting that if this or that had not been done and if this or that were done.

The past is water over the dam. Today we face the job of defeating an enemy.

Many of us will continue to have the satisfaction of knowing that we fought to the last hour to avert the tragedy that has come to pass. The fight to avert is over. The worst has come. It was an ill-advised move on the part of Japan to attack as she attacked Sunday. It is attention to the Far East and away from Europe, it is Japan's move to help Hitler. It is an insane move, but it has been made.

Right or wrong, our country today,

BRIEF PATRIOTIC SPEECH



Around Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 22.—The minute I turn my back on Movietown, especially for a two-weeks' vacation, things begin happening.

This time there was an earthquake. In Beverly Hills, a terrified actress fled from her bedroom into the comforting arms of a man who was standing in the living room, and it wasn't until a couple of minutes later that she discovered she was a burglar.

At Clark Gable and George Raft were doing a rumba, and the quake imparted to their wriggling sort of fourth-dimensional flipp which brought a burst of applause from other customers. After a late conference at his home, the omniscient Cecil B. De Mille had just completed a business deal with another man and had said solemnly, "Okay, shake on it." The whole house shook.

At another mansion, various movements were engaged in the last, net-pyrating phases of a dice game. A prominent producer with a streak of luck rolled 'em for a stake of several thousand dollars, and the cubes came up 3. As the other players were reaching for the spoils the earthquake dislodged one of the dice from its balance on a folded bill and it rolled over to make a total of 7. The argument is still going on.

WET LAKE

Veronica Lake, who in four bit roles and two starring parts had gone through a series of ups and downs, was soundly bussed by Robert Preston in "This Gun for Hire." Eleanor Powell, who heretofore has been as safe as May Robson from the displeasure of censors, got into trouble with the Hays Office over the brevity of shorts worn in "I'll Take Manhattan." A romance, perhaps invented for laughs, sprang up between John Barrymore and Priscilla Lane.

Other odd and history-making developments occurred. Out at Republic studios, finally got herself soundly bussed by Robert Preston in "This Gun for Hire." Eleanor Powell, who heretofore has been as safe as May Robson from the displeasure of censors, got into trouble with the Hays Office over the brevity of shorts worn in "I'll Take Manhattan." A romance, perhaps invented for laughs, sprang up between John Barrymore and Priscilla Lane.

Sam Spiegel, co-producer of the multi-starred super-flicker, "Tales of Manhattan," changed his name to S. P. Eagle. Hal Roach fired a Beaumont, Tex., cutie named April Shauer. In a reversal of sentiment, the Brothers Warner switched the title of their "Night Before Christmas" to "Larceny, Inc."

EX-CHEQUER CHECKED

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer shelved plans to star Robert Taylor in a movie based on the life of Alexander Hamilton. Reason: There isn't enough sex in the U. S. Treasury. After 15 years of yearning for a career as an actor, during which he has given undistinguished performances in several romantic roles, Rudy Vallee has been discovered to have been miscast. In "The Palm Beach Story," he will be a character comedian.

Tyrone Power donned a saron for "Son of Fury," and too late received a warning from Dorothy Lamour. John Barrymore, night-clubbing, ousted astonishment by ordering a glass of milk. It was all right, though. After putting a haphazard notation in the milk, he ordered brandy for himself.

In 1940 approximately 310,000,000 gallons of ice cream were produced, compared to 200,000,000 gallons in 1929.

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

Thirty-six days ago in the far-away Philippine Islands, a former Pampa boy, Mervin Suttle, sat himself down and penned this column a letter. Yesterday that letter was received. The letter was written 21 days before the Japs attacked Pearl Harbor and the Philippines, and Mervin wrote an unburied, unworried letter: "Thought Kenneth (Nelson) and I would drop you a line just to let you know that we still exist. We are just now getting to where we like it over here. . . . I will go down and take a good swim in the ocean. . . . The women over here are not so bad but they are a little on the dark side. If I saw a white woman over here I would think she was a mirage." Mervin and Kenneth have the same address: C. Battery, 60th C. A. (AA) Fort Mills, Philippine Islands.

It's hard to believe that Mervin and Kenneth are now fighting a war, especially when I remember the first time they came to Scout meeting, wide-eyed and eager, only five years ago. . . . It's hard to believe that the Philippines are the front end of this war, because the Argonne was in the first World War. It's also hard to believe that those little boys I taught this and that five years ago are fighting that war. I am not worried one bit about the courage and bravery of those two boys, and I know they'll give those yellow, cowardly huns what's coming to them, but at the same time I'm praying for those boys I know in the armed forces, hoping they will come back home safely.

Employees of the federal government have increased by about half a million persons under the defense program.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt says two-thirds of the jobs in defense industries can be done by women.

—WILBUR LA ROE, JR., D. C. Board of Parole.

Industry will build two battleships for every one that sinks; it will match every enemy bomb with a dozen.

—WALTER D. FULLER, retiring president, National Association of Manufacturers.

The future of our business depends on the decisions of battles. —Gen. LEONARD P. AYRES, Cleveland statistician.

We will apprehend the alien trouble-makers, but we will protect the others against persecution and injustice. —Attorney-General FRANCIS S. BIDDLE.

The people are entitled to know what is going on. —Senator WALTER S. GEORGE, Georgia.

My brother was on the Oklahoma. I want to get behind a gun as soon as possible. —Cleveland applicant for enlistment.

CRISIS? -- ROOSEVELT EATS 'EM UP!

(Second In A Series)

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt's ninth year in office eclipses all that went before. The dark days of national recovery; the battle for labor legislation; the bitter court fight and the unsuccessful political purge that followed; even the third term nomination and election seem insignificant in the light of events of 1941.

So far as the President is concerned, the year began on that bitter cold day in late January when he took office for the third successive time; and watched Washington's biggest military parade which was no more than a hint of the great mechanized war machine that would be rolling and roaring into world conflict a little more than 10 months later.

There followed the great lend-lease appropriations; the mammoth tax bills; the Congressional battle for extension of the draft; the death of the President's mother; that dramatic and unexpected secret meeting of the President and Winston Churchill on the high seas; and at last a great nation doubled-crossed at its own peace table and plunged into the holocaust that now rages in every part of the world.

Friends and foes alike have watched the President at every

TEX'S TOPICS

By Tex DeWeese

IF THE Russian and Libyan retreats are tricks being pulled by Hitler, he is crazy. . . . Nobody with an ounce of brains would deliberately sacrifice that many lives and that much war material and give up that much conquered territory in order to take a long shot at something else. . . . And, if Mr. Shicklegruber has gone completely nuts, that's good. . . . We still think the big "I am" of Germany is on his way out, if he is not already out.

Well-informed military experts will tell you that Field Marshal von Brauchitsch, fired by Hitler the other day, is smarter in a minute than Hitler is in a month when it comes to military strategy. . . . And, even von Brauchitsch couldn't make a go of the job laid out for him by the Mad Paperhanger.

It is significant to us that Hitler was not at the microphone when there was such a vital message to be given to the German people on the week-end. . . . Instead the people at home listened to Herr Goebbels. . . . If he still is the "big shot" in Germany, you can't tell us that Hitler wouldn't have been back at the mike on Saturday, lying to his people as of old. . . . He is too much of a one-man punk to turn the job over to an understudy at the big moment.

That is, unless he has been junked and the news hasn't got out yet. . . . The crystal ball still tells us, but by the end of this year the collapse is just around the corner of the very near future. . . . And when that comes, the jig is up for pee-wee Mussolini and his double-crossing ally in the land of the Rising Sun.

AND, now—just to keep from getting too serious. . . . The crying need of a lot of our women folks is fur coats. . . . Here's a tip for the American salubrious housewife: Japan's navy. They sailed from the Pacific right into desperate straits. Britain may expel Hirohito, Japanese emperor, from the Order of the Garter. Then we'll beat the socks off of him. . . . Ray Monday says the original flat failure is the heating system in a lot of apartment houses. . . . National Confectioners' association directors say there is only enough sugar for the first six months of 1942. Sweet and low!

It isn't old fashioned for a fellow to propose to a girl on his knees—if that's where she's sitting. . . . Only a thousand more or less, shopping days till three years from this coming Christmas. . . . Another meaning for the word liquidate—the party a lot of us will attend on New Year's Eve. . . . Newswoman's family spends \$10 a year on soap—and that's where the kids get it in the neck. . . . The flying snake is found only in Java and Malaysia—news item. Now we can add Japan.

WE'LL take off our hat to the early riser. At least he has got up! It takes two to make a bargain—another falls for it and he pays the bill. . . . In choosing father's Christmas present, make it as light on him as possible. . . . Health expert says the only safe place to kiss a girl is on her photograph. . . . Can you picture that? . . . Parents make kids get up on week-day mornings and the kids get even on Sunday.

Obviously there is no shortage in the potential labor supply. The problem is one of training the unskilled for jobs requiring the skilled, upgrading of all workers by training the semi-skilled to do jobs requiring a little more skill than their present or past jobs require, retraining workers who have grown rusty in the practice of their old trades. Skilled workers in the non-war trades must expect to be shifted to war industries and learn new skills.

Where will these seven million additional workers come from? The present unemployed will provide four million of them. Every year, about 600,000 more people grow up and become eligible for jobs than the number of older workers who retire or die. And in addition to those principal sources of labor supply, there will be more women taking jobs now held by men, more older workers staying on the job instead of retiring, more non-employed becoming employed.

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FAIR START MADE

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Looking at the picture up to the first of March, 1942, the U. S. Employment service has made a survey estimating the hiring of some 475,000 workers in 9,900 factories of the principal 26 war industries. Aircraft and shipbuilding will take nearly half of this number, and another quarter will go into the iron, steel, and machinery industries.

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These little outbreaks of humor throughout the day seem to whet his appetite for the grueling work which he now is putting in from almost dawn to midnight.

To meet his intimates, however, the President's traits most often referred to is his unvarying optimism. When he took his brief message to congress calling for the declaration of war on Japan, he was surrounded by army and navy and government officials who were, for the most part, pessimistic. But not the President, he already was looking ahead.

A little more than 24 hours later, when he spoke over the radio to an estimated 90,000,000 people, he spoke words and phrases, on which he had no opportunity to spend hours of deliberation—yet official Washington almost unanimously called it his greatest speech and pointed out that although he pulled none of the punches about the seriousness of what had happened or what was to come, he left no doubt about his confidence in ultimate success.

Tomorrow: The Year's Bonquets.

Behind The News In Washington

By PETER EDSON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Big question mark in the problem of getting the country's war industries on a three-shift, 24-hour, seven-day week is whether there will be enough skilled laborers to man all the machines for continuous operation.

Best estimates of labor statisticians now put the country's effective labor force at 53 million. Approximately two million are in the armed services, nearly four million are unemployed, and a little more than four million are employed in war industries. Of the remaining 43 million, 30 million work on farms and the balance in civilian occupations.

When Germany was converting her economy from peace to war, the best she could do in any one year was to shift 1.8 million workers from civilian to armament and munitions production. Germany's population being about half that of the United States, the normal expectancy would be for this country's war industries to absorb about 3.6 million workers in the first year. As a matter of fact, our war industries may not achieve this goal for the calendar year of 1941. Employment in defense industries at the end of 1940 was estimated at three million workers, but by the end of this year the total may not quite reach 4.5 million, a gain of only one million and a half.

BETTER WHIP UP

The showing for 1942 will obviously have to be a lot better if the country is to get any place at all in its war effort. Pointing out that the building up of production takes time, the National Resources Planning board made a study of what can be done if everybody gets in and pitches, using all the technological planning, drive, foresight, and co-operation the country can muster. In such an effort, employment in defense industries by the end of 1942 might be raised to 11 million, with the number of unemployed at two million.

For 1943, defense industries might absorb 15 million workers at which unemployment would be practically disappear. And by 1944 the war industries could have 23 million workers. The armed services would have say four million men at a minimum, workers in agricultural and non-war occupations would number 33 million instead of the present 45 million, and for every million additional men in the armed services, a million would have to be subtracted from the number of workers in defense occupations. This calculation is on the basis of the present possible workers, as compared with the present labor force of 53 million.

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WASHINGTON RECORDINGS

Price administration's ceiling on flashlight batteries is intended to avoid experience of Britain, where prices on these items tripled after requests for 670 stenographers in nine days. . . . Army public relations men say the old story about the three Japs who were fastened to bombs to themselves and charged a Chinese position at Shanghai is a pure myth. . . . Shinto priests did a good bit of the Japanese spying in Hawaii and the Philippines. . . . 1940 census gives Los Angeles 25,000, San Francisco 7,000, San Francisco 5,000, Sacramento 4,000, New York 2,000. . . . By states, California had 93,000 Japanese, Washington 14,000, Oregon 4,000. . . . Department of Agriculture has issued a series of pamphlets on "Insects in Relation to National Defense."

The American forces in Iceland, a land of Santa Claus weather but no Christmas trees, were sent Christmas trees from the U. S.

SERIAL STORY

HIS CHRISTMAS CAROL

BY ADELAIDE HAZELTINE

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THE STORY: The terms of Andrew Dearborn's will specifying that his secretary Carol, and five other employees, who is a judge whether or not his playboy son Andy is running the business according to his father's policy of "service to the people," put Carol, who has loved Andy since girlhood, in a difficult spot. Although the will has not been found, Carol knows its terms, and her heart aches when Andy, currently involved with sleek Linda Julian, turns management over to unscrupulous Mr. Herrick, whose only idea is to make money. She knows that unless Andy shows more of the heart that has made him so kind to her, she will lose the store to charity by vote of the strange "jury" his late father's will provided for. Penny-pinching Herrick turns down Bill Reese, an employee in love with Carol, on grounds for the toyland elevator. When Nicky saves Andy's pup from traffic after the dog has been tossed into the street by Linda Julian, Andy promises him the biggest electric train in the toy department.

CAROL MAKES ADJUSTMENTS

CHAPTER VII

BY DECEMBER 23, Mr. Herrick's policies began to take their toll. Complaints were numerous. Customers who had always received courteous and fair treatment were being turned away without satisfaction.

Carol had no idea how many were offended before Mrs. Milligan dared to bring her trouble to Andy's office. She had been refused the return of a defective sweater.

"It has holes in it, young man," Mrs. Milligan said heatedly. "Holes! Your girl downstairs tells me you can't do anything about it. I know better. It's a gift. I can't give it like this! Your father—"

Andy stopped her. "Mr. Herrick tends to such matters, Mrs. Milligan. I'm sure he'll do the right thing."

"Mr. Herrick?" She sniffed derisively. "It's a funny thing the owner of the store can't make his own adjustments. Mr. Dearborn would never have let this happen."

Andy said, "The store's policy is a little different now, madam."

"Different?" Her eyes blazed. "So different I'll never set foot in the place again!" She threw the sweater down on his desk and stalked out.

Perhaps it was just as well the will had not been found. Andy might seem to reform only long enough to get possession of the store and then revert to policies like these.

THE next customer to come to Andy was Mrs. Grover. She made three trips to his office before she caught him in. She wanted to return a bicycle she had

bought for her little boy's Christmas.

"He wanted it more than anything in the world," she told Andy. "We couldn't afford it but he begged so hard."

"I'm sorry," Andy started to explain but she hurried on. "He was so sick," she told him. "The doctor said it might help—just to look at it."

Carol pitied her. "He was never able to ride it. He only touched it with his hands. My little boy—her voice caught—"he died last week."

"I'm sorry," Andy sympathized. "But you see we have a rule. We can't let toys be returned. You understand, of course."

"We'd only had it three weeks. He never rode it. We need the money for clothes for the other children."

Carol clenched her fist. Andy, her humanity cried. Give her the money. It's only justice! But she heard him say, "Mr. Herrick is in charge of that, Mrs. Grover. You'll have to see him."

The woman turned wearily away. Carol longed to stop her, to press the money into her hands. Give it back in the name of Mr. Dearborn.

Give it back for Mr. Dearborn? The thought ran riot in her mind and left her breathless.

The will said that the name of Dearborn's must never stand "for anything but service." Here was another contradiction of the will. First Mrs. Milligan. Now Mrs. Grover. They were two of dozens who were being turned away empty handed.

It must not happen! Until the will was found, she, Carol Fairfield, must uphold the store's reputation.

The way was clear at last. For his sake, for Andy's sake, for the store's sake she would save its name. Then when the will was read and Andy knew its terms he would have a fighting chance.

She had always been allowed to write small checks signed with her initials. She had never abused that privilege.

She would not abuse it now. She would use it gratefully. Her hand trembled a little as she wrote the first check. To Mrs. Milligan for \$3.95, the price of the sweater. It steadied as she wrote the second check. To Mrs. Grover, \$24.50, the price of a bicycle.

SHE corrected many similar cases in the next days. But she hadn't anticipated the most serious of them all. It concerned Miss Fanny in Hosiery.

The old employee came to the office shaking with despair. "It's Mr. Herrick," she managed to tell

Carol. "He's laid me off. For good. He says I'm too old to work."

"No, no, Miss Fanny!" Carol protested. "He can't do that."

"He has done it. I'm going to take it up with Mr. Andy. He won't let him, will he, Carol?"

"I hope not," she said fervently. "The doctor said, Miss Fanny followed him into the office. Only a gasp. Miss Fanny was too hurt to talk."

After she was gone, Carol flamed at Andy. "It's not right! Miss Fanny's given her life to this store! You can't turn her out!"

His lips denied the doubt in his eyes. "Mr. Herrick did it Carol. I won't interfere."

"But it's YOUR store," her voice rose in condemnation. "It's Dearborn's! Why don't you run it your own way? You know this isn't right!"

He regarded her silently. Then, "She wanted \$500," he said evenly. "Santa Claus stays in Toyland, Carol. Not in the manager's office." He took his hat. "Keep any messages for me. I'll be out the rest of the day."

He was angry with her, too. Carol knew why she expected the sum. It was what Mr. Dearborn usually set aside for retirement.

Five hundred dollars! Her mind toyed with it until she began to accept its reality. She had righted other wrongs. Why not this one?

True, she had never written so large a check. It would be certain to come to Mr. Herrick's attention at the end of the month. But by then surely the will would have been found and both he and Andy would understand she did it in deference to Mr. Dearborn's wishes.

The letter to Miss Fanny was different from the others. It praised her long service in the store and thanked her for her loyalty.

She paused a tense moment before she put Miss Fanny's name and the three figure sum on the check—\$500. She signed it Dearborn's with her own initials underneath.

(To Be Continued)

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Today's War Analysis

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Wide World War Analyst

Typically Churchillian is the British prime minister's risky crossing of a war-time Atlantic in the interests of allied unity, for he always has been a direct actionist and has courted adventure ever since the days when he was graduated from Sandhurst, England's West Point, and started hunting trouble under gun-fire.

His devotion to duty has served the cause well, for this demonstration of solidarity and determination in Washington already is having its beneficial effect on the morale of the allied peoples at a highly critical moment. And let none believe that the Axis is overlooking a historic meeting which so patently means business.

From the military standpoint this conference is vital for the coordination of allied efforts. Momentous questions must be settled in such manner as will give the greatest efficiency. And since this is a war of resources and production, there must be co-ordination in the field as well.

The matter of immediate urgency is, of course, the battle of the Pacific in which the allies are fighting at a disadvantage because of the nature of the Japanese blow in the dark. Perhaps it is a good omen that as Roosevelt and Churchill get down to cases in Washington the news from the Far East is not unfavorable.

The Yanks and Filipinos are reported to have fought the invading Japs to a standstill. The British are holding their own on the Malayan peninsula above Singapore. Even gallant Hongkong is hanging on by its teeth in the face

of tremendous odds.

Still, we cannot blink the fact that the allied bases are in great danger. At any moment the defense may be called upon to decide whether American reserves shall be thrown to the support of the vital base of Singapore with the risk of losing the Philippines temporarily. Then, too, the question of whether Russia shall join the allies against Japan is likely to become a burning issue. All these problems must be pooled and settled in the interest of the common good, namely the winning of the war as a whole.

The Washington conference looking to the establishment of unified control is a notable step towards victory. Obviously it couldn't be held before, because America wasn't in the war, but it means much that the allies are acting promptly in concert at the earliest possible moment.

It would be worth a bit to know what emotion stirs the minds of the Japs as they view this Washington conference. It would be especially worth while to learn what they are thinking as they see the Germans doing a Napoleonic retreat from Moscow just after Nippon had come into the war with the idea (or so one supposes) that Herr Hitler was about to put his foot on the Muscovite neck.

It looks very much to me as though the Fuehrer sold the men of the island empire a bill of goods. There he was, poised in the stance of victory before dooming Moscow. Certainly the Red capital would fall just as Japan launched her attack against America and Britain, and then the Axis would romp home to a grand triumph.

Only Hitler could have held that stance long enough to entice Nippon into the war, for his weary and shattered troops even then were fighting on sheer nerve as they flung themselves against the enemy. But the Nazi chief hung on with that amazing aplomb which has marked all his leadership. He hung on until he had the Japs signed up and already steaming out across the Pacific to do what they did do—heaven forgive them. Then, with the Japanese holding the sack for him, he allowed the retirement which the Russians hope to turn into a debacle.

This position on the Russian

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4:45—News with Bill Browne—Studio
4:50—Hillbilly Harmonies
4:55—Stopping the Christmas Shopper
5:00—Sports Picture—Studio
5:05—Santa's Personal Gift Guide
5:10—Mailman's All Request Hour
5:15—Songs of the Pioneers
5:20—To Be Announced
5:25—Sunshine Serenaders—Studio
5:30—Just Quote Me
5:35—Best Bands in the Land
5:40—Lam and Abner
5:45—Goodnight

WEDNESDAY
7:00—Cousin Hal and His Kinfolks
7:15—Monitor Views the News
7:30—Mascot Clock
7:45—Stringing Along
8:00—Timely Events
8:15—Vocal Roundup
8:30—Adam and Eva—Studio
8:45—Santa's Personal Gift Guide
8:50—Mailman's All Request Hour
8:55—What's Happening Around Pampa
9:00—Dance Orchestra
9:15—News Bulletin—Studio
9:30—Woman's Page of the Air
9:45—Trading Post
10:00—Interlude
10:15—News—Studio
10:30—Let's Wait
10:45—Novelty in Swing
11:00—Hymns of All Churches—WKY
11:15—White's School of the Air
11:30—Jerry Scott
11:45—Hills and Encores
12:00—News with Tex DeWesse
12:15—Radio Roundup
12:30—Markets—WKY
1:00—Let's Dance
1:30—Sign On!
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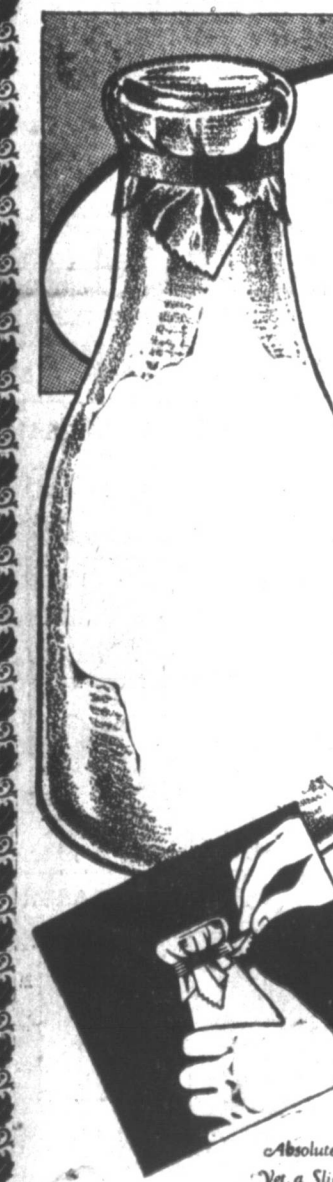
THE WAR-ACE AUTOGYRO, latest toy craze, is demonstrated to a group of fascinated boys. It is the latest thing and Inventor F. K. Formis, shown above, predicts the fad will reach national proportions, like the yo-yo of some years ago. The device can be made to perform many airplane maneuvers and Formis states that fathers are the ones who take it away from little

Johnny and show him "how it's done." Autogyros are available in Pampa, according to Inventor Formis.

Among the Pampa boys presented an autogyro by Mr. Formis was Johnny Lindsay who shot it off near the Pampa News and the propeller landed on top of The News building and Johnny spent the next hour recovering it.

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Moving pictures of the old-time dancers and other moving pictures will be taken. A balloon dance will be another feature.

The dance will be the highlight of the club's winter activities. Proceeds will be placed in the fund to sponsor water sports at the lake next summer.

The roads to the lake are in good condition Commodore W. A. Nolan said today.

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Philadelphia public schools are establishing model airplane clubs in junior and senior units.

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A new national craze for youngsters—the flying of War-Ace Autogyros—is beginning to sweep the land, according to F. K. Formis, at Chattanooga, Tenn., inventor and manufacturer who blends science with excitement in the making of modern toys.

In Pampa on a visit after a trip to the Pacific Northwest in connection with his expanding business, he said Saturday that his autogyros are surpassing any of his previous inventions in popularity, and that the demand for them is growing among adults and children alike.

The proper name of the simple and inexpensive toy is the helicopter, but he calls it the War-Ace autogyro after the big machine, invented by Juan de la Ciera, which it resembles in action.

Costing only a few cents, the little auto-gyro has spectacular performance and can be operated by anyone.

In flight, it looks like a silver plated skitter without a handle and in flight the top has gone higher than a 17-story building.

So amazing is the new device that the United States department of commerce has asked for samples with which to demonstrate the fundamental laws of aerodynamics.

The auto-gyro is powered by pulling a cord wound around a spool. Originally designed for boys and girls the auto-gyros have such a strong appeal to adults that over 80 per cent of retail sales go to grownups.

Mr. Formis, the inventor, who is also an aviator, started manufacturing the things first in his basement. They caught the fancy of adults as well as youngsters and now he has an independent plant in Chattanooga, Tenn.

New Air Force Chief in Hawaii



Brig-Gen. C. L. Tinker, above, is the new commander of U. S. air forces in Hawaii.

Panhandle Juniors Give Yule Program

Special To The NEWS
PANHANDLE, Dec. 23—The junior class of Panhandle High school entertained the student body of both the high school and the grade school with a Christmas program in the high school auditorium on Friday morning.

Mary Lou Smith was the announcer for the following program: quartet, Opal Callahan, Lenora Ketchum, Myra Biggs, and Peggy Lou McNeil, "Silent Night"; reading, "Just Before Christmas," Helen Homen; vocal solo, "Santa Clause Is Coming to Town," Mary Evelyn Holiday; Christmas tree with LaRue Eagle and Wilbur Hart presenting gifts to the faculty members; reading, "There'll Always Be a Christmas," Mary Sue Anderson.

Following the Christmas program, the juniors presented several patriotic numbers preceding the sale of defense stamps and bonds. Myra Biggs and Mary Lou Smith gave a patriotic tap dance, Peggy Lou McNeil sang a patriotic selection, and the entire class sang "Any Bonds Today."

Students of the high school were given an opportunity to buy defense stamps and bonds. A total of \$588.95 was sold in a few moments. The seniors bought a total of \$129.00; the juniors, \$101.25; the sophomores, \$175.30; the freshmen, \$152.80.

The grade school will be given an opportunity to buy stamps and bonds on Monday.

White Sands National Monument in southeastern New Mexico, embraces 176,000 acres of nearly pure gypsum.

Canadian Holds Santa Day Parade

Special To The NEWS
CANADIAN, Dec. 23—Canadian children were out in great numbers Saturday afternoon for the Santa Day parade which started at the

court house block, led by the high school band directed by L. E. Cooper. The candy for the holiday treat for the children was supplied as usual by the Canadian business men. A free movie for the children was the courtesy of the Palace Theater company.

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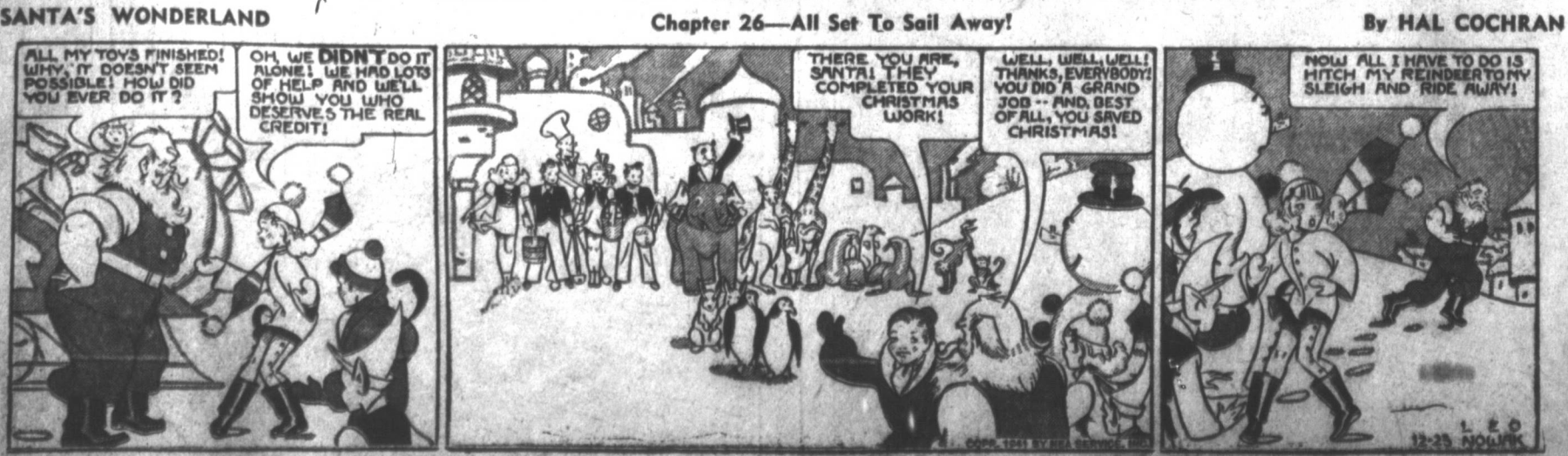
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