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Sleet, Snow And Rain Hit Wide Section

By The Associated Press

Torrential rains lashed the coast area and freezing rains, sleet and snow fell in other sections of the state as a fast-moving cold front raced across Texas Tuesday.

The front extended from the Houston-Galveston area to a point off Corpus Christi early Tuesday and was moving into the Gulf.

Thunderstorms pounded the coastal regions and rain was general throughout the state except in the Panhandle. Light snow fell at Dallas and Salt Flat. Marfa, 200 miles southeast of El Paso, received a half-inch snowfall Monday night.

Thundershowers, fog and freezing rains continued to pelter much of the state during the day Tuesday.

Thundershowers were reported at San Antonio, light rain at Junction, fog at Austin, College Station, Victoria and Palacios, and light rain and fog at Dallas, Corpus Christi and Alice. Freezing rain fell at Mineral Wells during the morning.

Temperatures continued to remain below and near freezing in the Panhandle and parts of North Texas. Amarillo reported 29, Lubbock 30, Abilene 28, Mineral Wells 30, Wichita Falls 28, and Waco and Dallas 37.

The heaviest rain in the past 24 hours was at Palacios on the coast where 8.57 inches fell, including 3.2 inches from midnight Monday to 6 a.m. Tuesday.

Sleet fell in Eastland, and many points reported freezing rain.

Other 24-hour rainfall totals through 6:30 a.m. Tuesday included: Galveston 2.63, Victoria 1.54, Houston 1.41, Alpine .05, Austin .35, Beaumont .04, Fort Worth .02, Laredo .05, Midland .03, Presidio .15, San Angelo .04, San Antonio a trace, Waco .21, Lufkin .26, Cotulla .01, Junction .25, College Station .52, Mineral Wells .03, Salt Flat .08, Texarkana .05 and Shermand and Dallas a trace.

Subfreezing temperatures extended across most of the northern sections of the state.

Overnight minimum temperatures ranged from 17 degrees at Dalhart to 68 at Brownsville. Other overnight lows included: Amarillo 18, Van Horn 20, Wichita Falls 25, Childress 27, Lubbock 28, Abilene and Eastland 29, Salt Flat 32, Dallas 34, Waco 37, San Antonio 47, Texarkana 51, Lufkin 59, Houston 61 and Corpus Christi 64.

The U.S. Weather Bureau said the outlook for Tuesday was continued cold weather and scattered rains in East and South Central Texas.

A warming trend was due to set in Wednesday in North Texas.

TUMBLEWEED SNOWMAN—Undaunted by the lack of snow in West Texas, these two young brothers built their own "snowman" from tumbleweeds. The boys, Freddy, 11 and Walter Hurst, 3, had a little help from their parents in spraying the figure and putting on the decorations at their home in Odessa.

Report On State Wheat Crop Given

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 1956 Texas wheat crop was estimated at 2,111,000 acres harvested, 12.5 bushels per acre and production of 26,388,000 in the Agriculture Department's final report of the year.

The final production estimate issued yesterday was down from 27,144,000 estimated earlier in the year.

Texas' corn estimate was set at 1,831,000 acres harvested, 15 bushels per acre and production of 27,456,000. Corn production was down from 28,365,000 bushels estimated in last month's report.

Rice estimated for Texas stood at 400,000 acres harvested, 2,750 pounds per acre and production of 11 million bags of 100 pounds.

Oats were 1,065,000 acres harvested, 18 bushels per acre and production of 19,170,000.

A total of 4,777,000 acres of harvested sorghum was set for the state, 26 bushels per acre and production of 124,202,000.

Texas orange production stood at 2,000,000 boxes and grapefruit 3,000,000.

The national wheat crop was set at 997,207,000 bushels and corn at 2,451,292,000 bushels.

This Family Really Has Triple Trouble

TEMPLE, Tex. (AP) — Jimmy Brown was telling his father, Buster, how he wrecked one of the family's three autos yesterday when he hit some calves on the road outside of town.

Crash!

The two men ran outside and saw a car had rammed Brown's auto and forced it into his wife's vehicle. Both were heavily damaged.

Brown, by the way, is in the automobile insurance business. All three cars were insured.

Train Fare Hike Asked

WASHINGTON (AP) — An Interstate Commerce Commission examiner today recommended that a group of Eastern railroads be granted a 15 per cent increase in interstate first - class passenger fares, and a 5 per cent hike in coach travel rates.

Only yesterday in a separate case, the ICC authorized railroads serving much of the nation to raise their freight rates by an estimated $402,600,000 a year.

The examiner's recommendation as to passenger fares now goes to the ICC for its consideration.

The examiner, Oren G. Barber, rejected as unreasonable and possibly self - destructive proposals by some of the roads to raise the first-class rates by 45 per cent.

First-class rates are the basic charges in pullman and parlor car.

The examiner said a hike of 45 per cent "could very well have the impact feared by certain protestants, that is, the elimination of first class passenger service thus impairing the ability to meet the needs of the national defense."

However, Barber said that losses on passenger service were apparent, and were largely due to first-class trains, and that the railroads clearly were in need of a substantial increase in passenger revenues.

Barber made no estimate of how much revenue the increases he recommended might bring.

He proposed that the roads be permitted to increase excess baggage charges in proportion to the fare increases, but that a proposal to eliminate present discounts on roundtrip first-class travel be rejected by the commission.

If the ICC accepts the examiner's proposals, the increases would become effective on interstate services and also on intrastate travel in Michigan, where intra state rates are tied automatically to interstate charges.

The examiner suggested that ICC might well consider the feasibility of permitting the increases he proposed on an experimental basis only, possibly for a period of 18 months, to determine what the revenue results would be.

The railroads seeking the 45 per cent hike first-class and 5 per cent coach increase are the Chesapeake & Ohio, New York Central, Norfolk & Western, the Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania - Reading Seashore Lines, and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad and the Reading Co. seek to increase only their coach fares by 5 per cent.

The commission also has pending for action a petition by the Pullman Co. for authority to raise its charges for sleeping and parlor car reservations by 7 per cent, effective Jan. 1.

Also pending is a petition by the Western railroads for a flat 5 per cent hike in both first-class and coach fares.

In yesterday's freight rate case, the ICC approved a larger rise for Eastern lines than for Western railroads.

Opening Of Suez Canal Discussed

PORT SAID, Egypt (AP)— Maj. Gen. E.L.M. Burns, the U.N. commander and U.S. Lt. Gen. Raymond A. Wheeler, in charge of Suez Canal clearance, have agreed to recommend that British-French crews be used in opening the waterway, British naval authorities said today.

Vice Adm. L.F. Durnford-Slater, commander of the British naval force here, said he had agreed to put his sailors in civilian clothes and keep his salvage ships at work in removing obstacles to shipping in the canal if the U.N. will guarantee their safety.

He said Burns and Wheeler had agreed to all the conditions and these terms were being recommended to the British Admiralty in London and to U.N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold who presumably will have to take the recommendation up with Egyptian President Nasser.

Adm. Durnford-Slaters aid the French naval chiefs were agreed to the same terms.

Burns and Wheeler, appointed by Hammarskjold to take charge of canal clearance, came here from U.N. headquarters at El Ballah to straighten out a wrangle that threatened to delay the canal clearance.

Britain and France have rejected proposals to leave their salvage fleet here to be operated by neutral crews. Egypt has said French and British crews could not be used because she could not guarantee their safety after the imminent departure of British and French military forces.

The British and French made known that the salvage fleet would leave with the troops unless the safety of the crews was guaranteed. They have said they could clear the canal in about seven weeks, but it would take at least twice as long if the British-French fleet left.

A force of 350 Egyptian police left Ismailia by train for Port Said today and reached U.N. lines nine miles south of the port. They are coming here to help keep order during the departure of the last British and French soldiers.

The Egyptians are the vanguard of more than 1,000 police coming to place the Suez Canal's northern gateway once more under the rule of President Nasser's Cairo government. The U. N. Emergency Force intends to pull out as soon as possible after the British and French, leaving Port Said's administration strictly to the Egyptians.

Indications pointed to the complete withdrawal of British and French troops by tomorrow or Thursday. The rapidly dwindling garrison was barricaded behind barbed wire at the docks. The Egyptian underground kept up its harassment, killing a French Foreign Legionniare as he boarded ship.

The British and French had hoped the U. N. police troops would remain—at least until the waterway was reopened—in the beachhead British-French troops secured at the northern end of the Suez in their October-November invasion.

Edinburg Lunacy Trial Is Slated

EDINBURG, Tex. (AP)—A lunacy trial was set for tomorrow for Prentice Leland Scafe of Corpus Christi.

A trial on a charge of being a habitual criminal was postponed yesterday.

Dist. Atty. Jim Bates said Scafe was arrested after a wave of cleverly made bogus checks turned up in the Valley and other parts of Texas. He said an earlier charge of forgery and other connected charges were later changed to the habitual criminal charge.

PARENTS THREATENED

San Francisco Bride Kidnaped

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—A teenage San Franciscan broke out of a mental hospital last night and kidnaped his pretty, sobbing bride at gunpoint from her parents' home, police said.

Sought are Mike Weigoner and Clo Ann Mowatt Weigoner, each 17, and a male companion of Weigoner. Police said both men are "armed and dangerous."

Police in suburban Daly City said the youngsters had run away to Montana two months ago and were married.

They were returned as runaways. The youth was taken to Napa State Hospital as "mentally unbalanced." Clo Ann went back to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mowatt.

Proceedings to void the marriage were started.

Police, in starting search, did not identify Weigoner's companion but noted that a Jesse Eastman, 35, of Vallejo, also had left the hospital.

Mowatt, a Daly City custodian told police:

A masked man forced his way into the Mowatt home at gunpoint and bound the parents with clotheslines. Weigoner also masked, then came in and the pair forced the almost hysterical girl to pack three suitcases.

Mowatt said he recognized Weigoner despite the mask.

He said Weigoner showed him cartridges in a rifle and warned: "If you call the cops before three days are up, you'll never see your daughter again."

Clo Ann, who has brown hair, blue eyes and is 5 feet 6, was a student at Jefferson High School. Her parents said she regretted her marriage.

Weigoner was described as dark-haired and wearing a khaki shirt. On his arm, police said, was the tattoo: "Clo Ann."

The escape was made in one of Mowatt's cars, a 1950 Studebaker sedan.

Mowatt freed himself within a few minutes and called police.

U. S. Military Cut In Europe Not Planned

Autopsy Is Ordered In Driller's Death

A Big Spring man was pronounced dead on arrival at Cogdell Memorial Hospital early this morning after being found unconscious in his car near a drilling rig in southwest Scurry County.

He was Millard (Mack) McKinney, 39, of the Big Spring Courts, formerly of Snyder.

McKinney, a driller for Brown & Scarber, of Big Spring, drilling contractors, had his car parked at a rig located just west of Bull Creek and north of the Ira-Lake Thomas road.

He and his wife were both found unconscious in their car at about 5 a.m. today by employes of the drilling firm. One of the roughnecks, Joe Rouse of Big Spring, took the two to Cogdell Hospital in their car. Mrs. McKinney regained consciousness on the way to town.

Employes of the firm said McKinney had been on the derrick floor at about 4 a.m. but had gone back to the car later.

Cause of death had not been announced by noon today. Two Snyder physicians, Dr. E. A. Rogers and Dr. Robert B. Pierce, were performing an autopsy ordered this morning by Peace Justice W. C. Davidson, coroner.

The body is at Bell Funeral Home, where arrangements are pending.

Leonard White, sheriff's deputy, said drilling firm employes said the McKinney car was not running when the couple was found.

There was, however, possibility of carbon monoxide poisoning from the exhaust of an engine on a light plant near the car. The light plant, operated by butane, had its exhaust pointing toward the radiator of the car.

Survivors include the widow, four sons and a daughter by a previous marriage, all of Big Spring; his parents, of Rogers; and a brother, Ken McKinney of Christoval.

Post Office Has Big Day

Records fell in a deluge of mail at the Snyder post office yesterday.

Dawson Moreland, post master, said that the post office's postage cancellation machine recorded 41,490 pieces of first class mail. The biggest previous day in history of the Snyder post office was last year when 34,000 pieces of first class mail were run through the machine.

The previous record for sale of stamps was also broken yesterday with the sale of $470.81 worth of stamps having metered out.

In addition to the record run of first class mail which includes Christmas cards, the post office delivered two truck loads of packages to the rail depot for shipment from Snyder.

About 30,000 pieces of mail came into the Snyder Post Office from out of town yesterday.

Tito Visit Is Studied

WASHINGTON (AP)— Secretary of State Dulles said today there may be some streamlining of the U.S. divisions in Europe, but that there is no plan to reduce American military strength there.

Dulles made this statement at a news conference. It was in respone to questions about speculation that American forces in Europe might be cut substantially or withdrawn in order to get Soviet forces out of the satellite states of Eastern Europe.

The fact is, Dulles said, that there has been no change in the Eastern European situation sufficient to justify a reappraisal of U.S. military dispositions in Europe.

Dulles then said the U.S. government is very open-minded toward any suggestion that might be made as to the future status—neutrality or otherwise—of Eastern European countries like Poland and Hungary.

The United States, he said, would like to take away the fear of Soviet leaders that their system would be endangered if they facilitate the process of increasing independence for the satellite countries.

At his first news conference in six weekes, Dulles made these other points:

1. Sympathetic consideration is being given to the idea of inviting President Tito of Yugoslavia to visit the United States. Talks between Tito and President Eisenhower would serve a useful purpose, Dulles said.

2. The United States stands by its offer of Aug. 26, 1955, to underwrite a permanent peace settlement between Israel and the Arab states but tensions over the Suez situation and the British-French and Israeli clashes with Egypt have dimmed the prospects for any early peace settlement.

3. A reply from President Eisenhower to disarmament proposals put forth by Soviet Premier Bulganin on Nov. 17 is now being considered by a North Atlantic Treaty Organization committee. The indication is that the message will be sent soon.

4. Cooperation among the United States, Britain and France was much improved by last week's NATO meeting at Paris but scars remain as a result of the split over the Middle East. The best way to cover them over now is to work together on future problems, he said.

5. The United States remains firmly opposed to admitting Communist China to the United Nations.

6. The United States is interested in seeing whether any mutually acceptable program to assist the growing independence of Poland can be worked out with the Polish government. But Dulles said he is unaware of any project for what a quetstioner called "a little Marshall Plan" for Western Europe.

Hungarian Spy Ring Broken Up

BERN, SWitzerland (AP) — The Swiss government today announced the break-up of a network of military, political and economic espionage organized by Mate Vegh, former second secretary of the Hungary Legation in Bern.

Vegh, who left Switzerland in September, returned yesterday and was expelled immediately.

A government communique said the network recruited Hungarian refugees as agents by blackmailing them with threats against their families in Hungary.

The government said Vegh could not be brought to trial because the espionage ring operated at a time when he had diplomatic immunity.

The communique said the network was directed both against Switzerland and an unnamed "neighboring country." Two of Vegh's assistants, both women, were arrested.

One of the two women, a foreigner, has been expelled from Switzerland, the communique said. The other woman, though Hungarian-born, acquired Swiss nationality by marriage and is to face trial before a federal court.

The communique said Vegh's ring operated with "very cunning methods" and long investigation by the Swiss counter-espionage service was necessary before it could be broken up. Nevertheless, it said, no damage was done to Switzerland's national security.

Officials at the Hungarian legation refused all comment. The legation has five officials of the status of diplomat headed by Hungarian Minister Bela Nemety.

The spy case was first reported in the Bern newspaper Der Bund, which is considered close to the Swiss government. The paper demanded the immediate expulsion of the diplomat involved.

Divorce Is Granted

GOODING, Idaho (AP) — Mrs. Jeanne Murray Vanderbuilt, 33-year-old NewYork socialite, won a divorce yesterday from Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, 44, on grounds of extreme mental cruelty.

Ike Confers With Nixon On Hungary

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower and Vice President Nixon conferred today on the Hungarian refugee problem in advance of Nixon's flight to Austria for a first-hand survey of the situation.

Nixon told reporters at the White House he expects to bring back some "firm recommendations" which can be the basis of any proposals Eisenhower might make to Congress for handling Hungarians who have fled Soviet tyranny in their homeland.

He described as "one of the major problems we will have to consider while we are there" the question of whether to increase the number of refugees the United States will accept. The limit is now 21,500.

The vice president arranged to take off for Europe after being host at a luncheon for Prime Minister Nehru of India. Nixon will return Dec. 23 or 24.

Nixon told newsmen he is carrying messages from Eisenhower to some of the officials he will consult in Austria.

He said a "well-rounded group" is accompanying him. The nine who will go with him include Deputy Atty. Gen. William Rogers, because of legal questions involving the refugee program.

On the economic side, Nixon said, John Hollister of the International Cooperation Administration is going along. Asked whether Hollister's presence means it is clear there must be some U.S. aid to Austria, which has borne the brunt of the exodus of Hungarians, Nixon said he intends to discuss the situation with Austrian officials. "We want to hear their estimate of the economic burden they have to bear," he said.

Asked whether he intends to visit the Austrian-Hungarian border, Nixon said he has no plans to go near the border at this time but his schedule will be worked out after he reaches Austria.

Nixon was expected to tour some of the Austrian camps which house the more than 135,000 refugees who have fled there during the past month rather than stay in their Communist-controlled homeland.

The vice president is undertaking the trip on instructions from Eisenhower.

Yule Music Program Set

Choral groups from all the Snyder schools will present their fourth annual Christmas choral festival at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the high school auditorium.

Presenting the Christmas music will be four large choral groups and four special ensembles. More than 350 students will be involved in the program.

Teachers of the students are Bob Clinton, director of choral music for the schools and high school choir director; Mrs. Landis Lee, junior high choral director; and the public school music teachers of the elementary schools, Mrs. Margaret Pilcher, Mary Beames, Valdean Dennis, Gwen McLaughlin, and Jane Womack. Aiding the group with the program on lighting and scenes will be Joe Craft, junior high school speech arts-drama teacher.

The four large groups presenting parts on the program will be the combined sixth grade choirs of all the elementary schools, the junior high school choir, the high school freshman and girls choirs, and the a capella choir.

Ensembles will be the madrigal singers, the Teenagers, the Freshmen, and the junior high girls choir.

The same program was presented to high school students this morning in assembly.

Schools Plan For Holidays

Schools in the Snyder area are making plans for their annual Christmas-New Year holidays, which start soon.

For the Snyder schools, the holidays start after school tomorrow. Regular classes will be held in all schools tomorrow morning, and students will be in school tomorrow afternoon, with special Christmas activities scheduled in some schools, according to Dr. Cecil Yarbrough, superintendent. Classes will be resumed on the morning of Jan. 2.

At Gail, school will be out Friday afternoon for the holidays until Jan. 2, according to S. P. Stewart, superintendent.

O. B. Paty, superintendent at Hermleigh, announced the same schedule for schools there, from Friday until Jan. 2.

Schools will be turned out at Fluvanna at 2:30 p.m. Friday and will resume on the morning of Jan. 2, according to Superintendent L. M. Dawson.

Superintendent Roy Sallee at Ira said the schools there will be out by 2:30 p.m. Friday and will start back on Jan. 2.

The Hobbs schools will turn out on the same day, according to A. O. Dennington, superintendent, but classes will resume on the morning of Dec. 31.

WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: Yesterday's high 54; low 28; with a reading of 29 at 7:30 a.m. this morning. Moisture was .07.

West Texas: Cloudy to partly cloudy thrc igh Wednesday. Occasional rain mainly Pecos Valley eastward Tuesday afternoon and night. Warmer Wednesday.

Lawmakers Make Cold Trek

SEATTLE (AP)—A senator without a seat and a congressman with nothing but constituents arrived here last night from Alaska after the coldest trek prospective lawmakers ever made toward the national capital.

"Sen." William Egan and "Rep." Ralph Rivers and their wives reached here after a seven-day, 2,300-mile trip on which the lubricants in one of their cars froze when it stalled in 65-below-zero cold.

They hope their quest of statehood for the northern territory, bigger than Texas, will be warmer than their trip.

Egan and Rivers, with "Sen." Ernest Gruening, a former Alaska governor who was in the States ahead of them, were elected to Congress under the so-called Alaska-Tennessee plan." All are Democrats.

The plan got its name from the brash tactics used successfully by Tennessee in 1796 in its fight for statehood. Alaska, like Tennessee and five other states that followed elected its prospective members of Congress ahead of time. The theory was that they would be "official lobbyists" for statehood, then take their seats in Congress if and when statehood is granted.

The three Alaskans expressed optimism over the prospects of statehood.

"There was some feeling, even in Alaska, that there was a gamble in taking the seemingly brash step of naming our members of Congress when Congress had failed to grant us statehood." Egan commented. "But the reaction has been favorable. Newspapers throughout the nation have come to our support. It is encouraging."

Code Of Conduct

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Eight Catholic girls' schools have formed a code of conduct for the students and their dates at private parties. The list bans party crashing, jitterbugging in formal clothes, strapless gowns, alcoholic beverages and rides to the seashore after dances.

More Visits From Santa Slated Here

Santa Claus, who has already visited Snyder once this season, will be back here tomorrow and Thursday for informal visits with children.

Cooperating with the merchants committee of the Chamber of Commerce, Santa will be in town during the afternoons tomorrow and Thursday, chatting with children on the sidewalks and giving candy. He will continue this until about 5 o'clock each of the two afternoons.

Primarily, Santa will be in the downtown area, but he has announced that any businesses outside the downtown area which wish to have him visit for awhile may make appointments by calling the chamber office during the mornings only of the two days. He said he will make as many appointments as possible.

Ike And Nehru End Informal Meeting

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower and India's Prime Minister Nehru returned to Washington today after an overnight stay at Gettysburg, Pa., and more than 12 hours of informal conversation on world problems.

The President and his guest left Eisenhower's farm near Gettysburg at 8:52 a.m. EST on the motor trip to Washington. They arrived an hour and 40 minutes later.

No announcement was made as to the subjects taken up by the two leaders during the Gettysburg stay. It was taken for granted, however, that their discussions concerned domestic policies that many countries are following and also international political and military affairs such as those current in Eastern Europe and the Middle East.

As the black limousine in which they returned here stopped in front of the Blair house, the government's official quarters for distinguished visitors, a small crowd gathered. There was some surprise voiced when neither Eisenhower nor his guest left the car right away but instead sat side-by-side in the back seat for perhaps a minute. Apparently, they were only making small talk.

Then Eisenhower alighted first and extended a helping hand when Nehru followed.

Eisenhower gave the visiting Prime Minister a warm handshake and said something only half audible to newsmen to the effect that he'd be seeing Nehru again soon.

Eisenhower and Nehru rode together from Gettysburg as they had on the trip there yesterday.

James C. Hagerty, White House press secretary, clocked their talks yesterday at something over 12 hours. He said no such conferences had been set up in Washington, but that they would be arranged if either man desired it.

He quoted Eisenhower as saying he and Nehru discussed "many things in the international field." Asked what kind of things, Hagerty replied that "they did not describe those 'many things.' Neither did they describe or break them down into topics."

Some of them seemed obvious: Americans jailed by the Reds in China, possible U. S. recognition of Communist China, the Suez crisis, economic aid, the Soviet satellites, disarmament.

Some word on the course of the conferences may come from Nehru tonight. He will make a 15-minute nationwide broadcast over CBS ad NBC radio and television networks and the MBS radio network.

Time 11:15 p.m. EST.

Eisenhower, dressed in tweeds and a Western-style hat, conducted Nehru on a tour around the farm yesterday. He gave his visitor a look at a prize bull and a couple of quarter horses, and he delivered a 10-minute account of the Battle of Gettysburg as they stood near Robert E. Lee's statue near the site of Pickett's charge.

Nehru, wearing his native pajama-like costume, showed obvious enjoyment around the horses. The Prime Minister has a reputation as a horseman.

Aside from the hour they spent outside, Eisenhower and Nehru spent most of their time talking on the farmhouse sunporch, where they had lunch and 4 o'clock tea.

They didn't dress formally for dinner. Afterwards they went at their talks again, this time inside the house rather than on the porch.

Groundwork Is Being Done On Hobbs School

HOBBS — Groundwork is being done here for construction of the new school building recently authorized by a school bond election, and the site is nearly ready for the foundation to be laid.

A. O. Dennington, superintendent of schools, said the plumbing is now being roughed in on the project. The foundation will probably be laid by the end of the holidays.

The new building will have 15 classrooms, an auditorium, teachers lounge, and offices. It is being built at a cost of about $171,000.

This building will replace one which has been in use several years. The old building will be turn down when the new one is put into us.

County Court Jury Panel Is Dismissed

A county court jury panel was dismissed this morning until 9 a.m. Wednesday when it was learned that no cases were ready for trial.

County Attorney Wayland Holt said the state was ready for trial in several cases, but lawyers representing defendants had conflicts on their schedules.

The case of Raul Villanueva was called, and his bond of $500 was ordered forfeited by Judge Edgar Taylor when the defendant failed to appear. Villanueva is charged with aggravated assault.

TODAY'S MARKETS

FORT WORTH (AP) — Cattle 1,700; calves 500; steady to weak. Good and choice steers and yearlings 15.00-18.00; common and medium 9.00-14.00; good and choice fat calves 14.00-17.00; common and medium 10.00-13.50; culls 8.00-10.00; stocker calves and yearlings 13.00-16.50.

Hogs 600; 25 higher; choice hogs 17.00-25; less desirable grades 14.00-16.50; sows 14.00-15.00.

Sheep 1,500; steady; good and choice slaughter lambs 16.00-17.50; cull to medium lambs 10.00-15.00; stocker and feeder lambs 13.00-16.00; ewes 4.50-50.

STOCK AVERAGES
Compiled by The Associated Press

	Ind	Rails	Util	60 Stks
Previous day	263.5	131.8	71.4	180.1
Week ago	262.5	131.6	71.6	179.7
Month ago	252.9	129.1	71.6	175.1
Year ago	254.2	135.5	72.4	178.2

AUSTIN (AP)—Poultry: weak to 1 cent lower: East Texas 2½-3¼ lb 16-17. Waco 16½. South Texas, not enough to test market.

2 Officers Are Accused In Beating

CLEVELAND (AP) — Two policemen, accused of beating two Negro men because they were drinking beer in a cafe with a white man, said today they were attacked by the Negroes.

One of the Negroes — Robert Blarbee, 30, who has a degree in psychology and works for the Social Security Administration—said he and his companion were beaten in the cafe and then taken to the police station, where the beating was continued. His companion was Army Sgt. Herman Humphries, 26.

Patrolmen Edward Shaniuk and Peter J. Holtz, who were off duty at the time of the alleged beating, said they were attacked by Barbee and Humphries after leaving the cafe and going to Shaniuk's car.

Police Lt. Norman Bayless, who is making an investigation for a report to the mayor and safety director, said the patrolmen's story that no blows were struck in the cafe was substantiated by a bartender.

The lieutenant said his inquiry indicated "neither of the policemen was instigator of the affair."

Barbee said 4th graf 110 eliminating 8th graf "one patrolman."

Barbee said he and Humphries were sitting in the cafe with a white friend last Monday when the two policemen approached them and started abusing them and calling them vile names.

The white man left and then Barbee said the policemen started beating him and Humphries. He said the officers took them to central police station to continue the beating.

That he said "was the worst. While five or six uniformed policemen stood around the wall and watched they slugged us until we sank to the floor."

Barbee said he and Humphries then were locked up for two nights without charge and were not permitted to call an attorney. On Wednesday they were charged with disorderly conduct and intoxication pleaded innocent and were released after their case was continued.

A delegation of 25 persons went to the mayor's office yesterday to complain about the alleged beating. The group included representatives of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People, the Urban League, the Central Areas Community Council and the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance.

Mayor Anthony J. Celebrezze and Safety Director John McCormick said they would consult Police Chief Frank W. Story before taking any action.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

COGDELL MEMORIAL

ADMISSIONS: Mrs. Frankilene Darby, 2905 Avenue W; Mrs. Lila Fay Grigsby, General Delivery; Mr. William B. Francis, 3207 Fortieth; Mr. John E. Burns, Box 1697; Sara Wright, Route 1, Hermleigh; Mrs. Rhea Lee Maynard, Route 2; and Michael Dean Cain, Route 3.

DISMISSALS: Mr. Robert Jones, Snyder; Cindy James, 420 Thirtieth; Plum Chum, Box 1334; Mrs. Viva Mayfield, General Delivery; Clarence Sims, Snyder, Nancy Walton, Snyder; Mr. James Buchanan, Hermleigh; and Mr. William Johnston, Snyder.

BATTENFIELD-JONES

ADMISSIONS: Mr. J. B. Johnson, 208 Thirty-fifth; and James Price, Box 263.

DISMISSALS: Mr. Calvin Johnson, General Delivery; James Rogers, Route 1; and Mr. L. D. Fletcher, General Delivery.

Christmas Message Scheduled Dec. 23

VATICAN CITY (AP)—Pope Pius XII will give his 18th annual Christmas message to the world this year on Sunday, Dec. 23.

The Pope will make his address in reply to Christmas greetings from the College of Cardinals, whose members he will receive about 11 a.m. Sunday. His message will be broadcast by the Vatican radio and various European networks and later will be beamed in some 28 languages to all parts of the world.

Civil Case Tried

A civil district court suit was in progress here today after starting yesterday afternoon.

The suit is styled D. C. Worley vs. Walter Hales. Witnesess were bring questioned this morning.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Jorald Maynard, Route 2, are the parents of a seven pound one-ounce daughter born at 10:30 p.m. Monday in the Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Darby, 2905 Avenue W, are the parents of a seven pound, 10 ounce daughter born at 6:30 a.m. today in the Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Crab grass is a fast maturing annual which starts from seed and dies with the first frost.

TIRED CITIZEN—Julius Gregory Toth, 3, rests a tired head on his daddy's shoulder and waves the flag of his new country. Julius, adopted in Tokyo by Air St. and Mrs. Julius J. Toth when he was 44 hours old, was naturalized an American citizen in federal court in Knoxville, Tenn. The picture was made as Toth carried his son from the courtroom.

Milk Order Is Observed

EDINBURG, Tex. (AP)—A temporary restraining order against sale of milk below cost which officially expired yesterday was still being observed today.

Attorneys for the defendants agreed yesterday to abide by its terms until the next hearing Feb. 4.

A hearing on the injunction was recessed in district court and the temporary restraining order was not extended.

Attorneys for the defendants filed pleas of abatement, pleas of privilege and special exceptions. Attorneys for Hygia Milk Co. asked for the delay in order to read and answer the papers.

Hygeia filed the suits against the Coastal Bend Milk Producers Assn., the Texas Milk Producers Federation, the South Texas Milk Producers Assn. and the Big State Creamery.

Hygeia claimed the defendants were attempting to fix prices and were threatening to sell milk below cost in an effort to force Hygeia to comply.

Question Of Nationals To Be Discussed

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — Despite objections by the United States and Dag Hammarskjold, Britain and France today formally requested a U.N. Assembly meeting to take up treatment of their nationals by Egypt.

A French source said the Assembly would discuss this question at the session beginning at 3 p.m. EST today. The U. N. Secretariat had no immediate comment on this report.

This source said the French government has sent strong orders for the delegation to press a full debate on the issue in the Assembly. Britain was said to have similar orders.

Diplomatic sources said that U.S. Delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. and Secretary General Hammarskjold sought to persuade the British and French to hold off until the situation could be eased through diplomatic channels. These sources said a wordy row broke out between French Ambassador Vincent Broustra and Hammarskjold and the French insisted on a session.

Broustra and Sir Pierson Dixon of Britain have repeatedly complained in the last few days to Hammarskjold about the treatment of British and French nationals in Egypt. The French said Egypt has expelled 3,670 Frenchmen and holds 740 in prison. A British spokesman said 2,500 British subjects have left Egypt, largely because of what he called intimidation, and 700 others have been interned.

George Fortune Is Not So Fortunate

KEOKUK, Iowa (AP) — Fortune just doesn't seem to smile on George Fortune, 53.

George found himself in a phone booth, but he couldn't get out.

He did have the presence of mind and a dime to call police.

Officers told him he should have been pulling instead of pushing to get the door open.

They also told George he was being charged with intoxication.

Fortune is now a guest at the city jail for three days.

Pact Signed By Poland And Russia

WARSAW (AP)—Poland and the Soviet Union have signed a formal agreement spelling out many of the technicalities to govern future operations of Russian troops in Poland.

The accord concluded last night followed up the broad agreement reached last month in Moscow during the visit of Wladyslaw Gomulka, Poland's "nationalist" Communist party chief.

Stipulating that Soviet troops are in Poland "temporarily," the agreement declares again that Polish sovereignty will be respected and that Soviet forces will not interfere in Poland's domestic affairs. Many other parts of the agreement read like a pact between the United States and an NATO ally where American troops are stationed.

The agreement elaborates on previous concession to Poland of veto powers over the size and movement of Russian troops in this country, even on training maneuvers. But key items left subject to later "special agreements" included the size and deployment of the Russian detachments, regulations governing the movement of Soviet troops in and out of Poland and the use of Polish military installations or public utilities by the Soviets. Agreements on these items are scheduled to be worked out within three months.

The earlier Moscow declaration said both countries agreed that Russian troops must remain in Poland because of (1) German refusal to accept Poland's annexation of East Germany territory at the end of World War II, (2) a lack of "sufficient guarantees against the rebirth of German militarism," (3) the presence of Soviet troops in East Germany, and (4) "the existing international situation."

Russell To Celtics

BOSTON (AP)—Bill Russell, All-America and Olympic wonder, will sign a Boston Celtics contract Wednesday.

Crude Oil Output For Week Boosted

TULSA, Okla. (AP)—Crude oil and lease condensate output for the week ended Dec. 15 rose 5,375 barrels from the previous week to average 7,277,825 barrels daily, the Oil and Gas Journal reported today.

This brought the year's total output to 2,498,521,725 barrels compared with 2,370,284,600 for the same period last year.

Biggest gain was in Illinois which was up 7,800 barrels to 242,400. Kansas suffered the major loss of the week with production down 2,600 barrels to 333,100.

Unchanged was Texas at 3,057,900.

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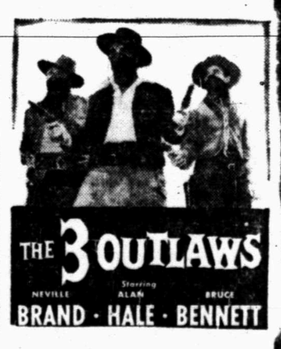

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WOMEN

DR. AND MRS. C. R. COCKRELL announce the engagement of their daughter Barbara Lynn, to James Walter Boren, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Boren, Sr., of Post. The wedding will be an event of Dec. 31 in the home of the bride-elects parents, 2311 Thirtieth Street. Photograph, courtsey Craft Studio).

Christmas Party Is Held By Eastern Star

The Order of the Eastern Star annual Christmas party will be held Thursday night at 8:15 p.m. in the Masonic Hall, following the regular stated meeting.

Families of all members are invited, with each person to bring a gift to be exchanged. Parents are to bring gifts for their own children.

A goodwill basket will be filled for a deserving family by each person bringing an article of food.

MEETING CHANGED

The Beta Sigma Phi will hold their meeting tonight at the Village Restaurant instead of at the home of Mrs. Howard Gray 218 Thirty-fourth Street. The meeting will start at 8 p. m.

Ladies Auxiliary Of VFW Holds Meeting Here Monday Night

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars met Monday night at 7:30 for their regular bi-monthly meeting at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Delbert Jones, president was in charge of the meeting. A film was shown by Mr. Bill Eiland and Mr. F. G. Hoefer on the seven danger points of cancer.

Mrs. Ernext Lloyd, president of the American Legion Auxiliary joined the group at the close of the meeting to help fill the Christmas sacks for the Children's party that will be held Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m.

All veterans children and underprivileged children will be treated by a visit from Santa with his sacks of goodies.

Wednesday night the members of the two posts and their wives are cordially invited to attended an evening at the clubhouse. Anyone desiring to join in the gift exchange are ask to bring a gift.

WHAT'S GOING ON

DOUGLAS McMINN, who has been taking basic training at The Naval Training Station in San Diego, Cal. arrived Saturday night to spend the holidays with his parents MR. AND MRS. CURTIS HAM, 1208 Twenty-sixth Street. Douglas will leave Dec. 27 to report to Treasure Island, outside San Francisco, Cal. where he will attend radar shcool.

Suggestions Given On Herb Cookery

We hear a lot about herbs these days and many new cooks would like to try herb cookery but don't know quite where to plunge in.

Here's a suggestion: Use your first herbs in soup. This way you can taste them, see the delicate differences in taste which they contribute and so learn about them.

For instance, try sesame or caraway seeds in celery soup; add a pinch of basil to frozen-snapper soup; blend sage in almost any pottage; clear hot consomme is enlivened by a bit of curry of nutmeg or thyme or mace. Remember—use a light hand and taste it as you go.

When you want to make mammoth cookies for a small-fry batter, use the top of an empty coffee can for a cutter.

AT CHRISTMAS TIME

Parties For Small Fry

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

EVERYONE IN THE FAMILY entertains at Christmas. Why not the small fry? Encourage them to have their friends in during the holiday period. It shouldn't take too much out of Mom. Paper products — cups, plates and buckets — will keep dish-washing chores to the minimum. Toss everything including the table cloth into the incenerator when the party is over.

An amusing centerpiece may be made with one of the large paper paint pails. Cover it with gold gift-wrap paper to make a Jack Horner pie container. Tie ribbon around the upper rim of the pail, tying large bow in front. Attach Christmas ornaments to the bow with ribbon or tiny wires. Tie ribbon around the lower edge of the paper paint pail. Decorate the ribbon with sequins, gluing them here and there with rubber cement.

Every child should have a favor and these may be tied to a long strip of ribbon that will run to each youngster's place setting.

A very pretty table decoration may be made in a jiffy with paper cups used around the edge of the table. Put two holes in the base of the cups to be used for jingle bells. Put ribbon through perforations and tie one bell in each cup. A knot may be made inside the cup to keep the bells in place. Use the same ribbon and tie two bells together. Put a large bow over the bells.

To attach the bell clusters stretch three strands of ribbon loosely from one end of the table to the other. Tie clusters to loose ribbon at equal intervals, tacking or taping as you go along. Be sure each ribbon loop is of equal size.

Another idea is to put a small candle at each place setting. Line a squat paper cup (the kind that is normally used for ice cream or custard) with aluminum foil carrying the foil over the cup so that a collar is formed. Put a good thick slice of fruit cake in the cup and stick the candle in the middle of it. Light them up when the children sit down.

Little carolers may be made by cups. Use the small jigger cups for the upper part of the body, and larger cups for the lower part. Invert the cups, wire together and use your imagination in decorating. A jigger cup may also make a hat and face. Decorate with sequins for eyes and buttons and glitter dust for the mouth, applying with household cement. Absorbent cotton, transparent tape and Christmas seals may also be used in decorating the carolers.

Cooked celery, cut in thin crescents, may be served with a butter or cream sauce. Or it may be cooked in consomme and served with no additional embellishment for weightwatchers.

Scraps of pastry leftover? Roll grated sharp cheddar cheese into them and cut into strips. Bake in a very hot oven until lightly browned.

CALENDAR WOMEN'S

TUESDAY

Presbyterian Women's Organization Christmas Party at the church at 7:30 p.m.

Iota Psi Chapter meets at 7:30 p.m. with Shirley Bowers, 1201 Twenty-ninth.

Beta Sigma Phi meets at 8 p.m. with Earlene Gray, at the Village.

Atheneum Study Club Christmas Party at the Martha Ann Clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.

Art Guild meets at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. W. P. King, hostess.

WEDNESDAY

Altrurian Daughters will meet at the Martha Ann Clubhouse for their Christmas party luncheon at 12:30 p.m.

Tea Room Duplicate Bridge at Mary Lynn's Tea Room. 7:30 p. m. Public invited.

Ladies Golf Association meets at the Country Club. Tee-off time 9 a.m.

Veterans Children's party at the Clubhouse, 4 p.m. Adults gathering 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire Department meets at 7:30 at the fire station.

OES stated meeting 7:30 p.m. in Masonic Hall, with annual Christmas party following. Families invited.

FRIDAY

Ester Circle of the Northside Baptist Church meets at 2:30 p. m. at the church.

El Feliz will meet at Mary Lynn's Tea Room for their Chirstmas luncheon at 1 p.m. Mrs. R. L. Gray hostess.

WESTERN CO. CHRISTMAS PARTY—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gladson, left, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon D. Browning are shown above during an intermission at the Western Co.'s annual Christmas party held last night at the Snyder Country Club. About 100 persons including the more than 40 employes of Western Co. and their families were present. (Lee Watson photograph).

FOR GOOD EATING

To do justice to their Kraut, Pork 'n' Apple Dinner Season, the home economists of the National Kraut Packers Association went afield for some new flavor combinations. From New Orleans, they brought this mouth-watering way of combining kraut, apple sauce, and individual ham and pork loaves. Zesty horse-radish and Louisiana yams put it into the wonderfully different recipe category. Try it and see if you don't agree.

New Orleans Sauerkraut Bake
(Makes 4 servings)

1 pound cooked ham
¾ pound lean pork shoulder
1 small onion
¾ cup soft bread crumbs
⅓ cup milk
1 egg, beaten
2 tablespoons prepared mustard
1½ tablespoons horse-radish
1 1-pound 11-ounce can sauerkraut, drained
3 tablespoons brown sugar
1 cup canned apple sauce
4 medium-sized Louisiana yams, cooked, peeled and sliced

Grind ham, pork shoulder and onion together. Add bread crumbs, milk, egg, mustard and horse-radish. Mix until all ingredients are well blended. Shape into 4 small loaves and place in shallow baking pan. Combine kruat, brown sugar and apple sauce; mix well. Arrange around loaves and bake in moderate oven (350) 1 hour. Place yam slices around loaves and continue baking 30 minutes, or until ham loaves are done.

Cub Scout Pack To Meet Here Tonight

Cub Scout Pack No. 35 will hold its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. today in the North Elementary School cafeteria.

Each child is being asked to bring an inexpensive gift and a can of food for the needy basket being prepared by the pack. Also, each Cub, or the mother, is to bring sandwiches to the meeting.

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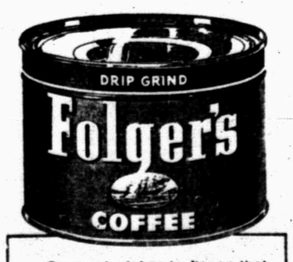

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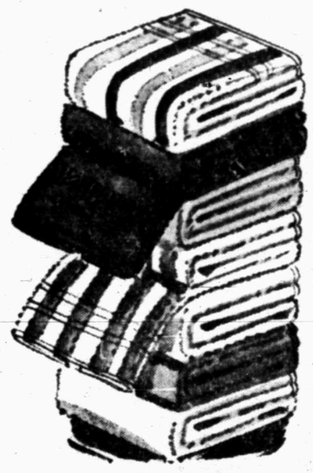

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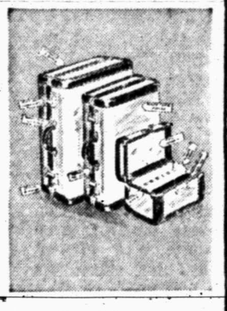

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Bible Thought

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice: and let men say among the nations, The Lord reigneth. 1 Chronicles 16:31.

EDITORIALS

West Still Struggles

Our hopeful State Department is reported to be urging Syria to permit repairs to the big pipeline which carries the oil of Iraq across Syria to Mediterranean tidewater.

This pipeline was blown up at four points by Syria weeks ago to backstop power. While it helped to pinch of Western Europe's oil supplies, along with paralysis of the Suez Canal, the Syrian sabotage turned out not to have been a very wise act. Iraq was a prime suffer, since almost the whole of its revenues come from oil, and Syria's action served to arouse not only Iraq but its neighbors as well, with the result that Nasser's dream of a Pan-Arabic bloc with himself as bossman underwent a momentary backset.

It also served to attract world attention, and particularly the attention of he Moslem world, to the threat posed by Syria's ties with Soviet Russia.

But suppose the State Department's hope of persuading Syria to repair the pipeline is justified by Syrian action, how much would that contribute to the over-all settlement of the Middle East question? Syria can break the pipeline again at will, anytime she wishes to put the squeeze on Western Europe.

Similarly, any solution of the Suez Canal question that leaves Nasser in complete unilateral control of that artery of world commerce would leave Western Europe totally dependent on Nasser's whims. He could shut off traffic any time he chose. More to the point, he could force the United States to step up or continue indefinitely the financial and other aid it must give Western Europe to keep it from dying on the stem.

That would be the perfect set-up, under the domination of Nasser, backed covertly or overtly by Russia, the Nasser bloc could turn the screws whenever he chose.

Realizing this, Britain and France went into Egypt hoping to overthrow the Nasser regime. To them it was a matter of life or death.

They were roundly condemned for this under U.S. leadership and are now engaged in retreating from Egypt.

The U.N. action and our part in it will be justified if a Near East settlement is contrived that would keep the channels of commerce open by taking away from Nasser the power of absolute dictatorship over the canal and the adjacent oilfields. If not U.N. intervention will turn out to have been one of the great tragedies for the West in its struggles for survival in the face of world communism's deadly encroachments.

Church Contributions

How well do Americans support their churches—the privilege of doing which is one of their most cherished constitutional guarantees?

According to the record, Not very.

Authority for this is Changing Times, the Kiplinger magazine, in a copyrighted article in its November issue. The overwhelming majority of Americans, the magazine finds, give on a dollar-a-week basis, but many as little as $2 a year for the support of the church they love to see still in existence at least twice a year—Easter and Christmas.

The article urges members to help their church financially by pledging on a yearly basis. This helps to cover the hiatuses which occur when they stay at home on Sunday. One should pay on time, too, it points out—church expenses take no vacation.

According to Changing Times, of the ten Protestant churches receiving the greatest total contributions, the following is the average per individual member:

Presbyterians (U.S.) $75.54, Lutherans (Missouri Synod) $67.82, Presbyterians (U.S.A.) $61.47, Congregational Christian $54.76, Protestant Episcopal $51.84, Lutheran (United) $50.25, Baptist (American Convention) $43.17, Baptist (Southern Convention) $42.17, Methodist $37.53, and Disciples of Christ $34.77.

The magazine quotes church leaders as saying members could double their contributions without straining their pocketbooks and with considerable beneficial effect on the church. Sounds reasonable.

Good Neighbor Policy

MEDORA, Ill. (AP)—The good-neighbor policy was put into action here when 26 farmers moved on Leo Scott's farm with three corn pickers, trucks and tractor-wagons and picked his 40-acre crop of corn.

Scott received this assist when he was confined in the Macoupin Area Hospital with a broken leg he got in a fall. Mrs. Scott and a newly-born infant daughter had just returned from the hospital when the accident happened.

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The RED Door

American Policy Has Been Deficient In A Vital Factor—Negotiable Proposals

By WALTER LIPPMANN

As reported from Paris — no text has been published — Secretary Dulles said last week that NATO, while maintaining its military strength, should in its international dealings rely on moral force. This has been the line taken by the Administration both in the Hungarian and in the Egyptian affair. It has meant the setting up of a working theory in my view a false theory — that the alternative to the use of military force as an instrument of policy is propaganda — that is to say arousing public opinion by putting forth declarations and speeches and resolutions condemning, deploring and denouncing.

A policy which rests wholly, or even principally, on the alternatives of military force and moral force is like a stool which has only two legs. It will not stand up. The third and missing leg is to have negotiable proposals. The three modes of international action are diplomacy, force, and propaganda, and to act on the theory that the alternatives are force or propaganda will lead either to futility or disaster. The real alternative to war is negotiation, and no statesman should ever be allowed to forget it.

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The hard core of diplomacy is the third leg, the working out of proposals which are negotiable because they come to grips with the issues of a conflict. It is here that the United States policy has been lacking, most especially in the Hungarian tragedy.

Quite rightly, so at least it seems to me, the President took the decision that he would not intervene in Hungary with military force. But that decision carried with it, I believe, the moral responsibility of a full dress attempt to bring about a negotiated settlement in which the Hungarian nation would achieve a position comparable with that of Poland or Yugoslavia.

It not good enough, indeed it is embarrassing, to do no more than to hurl adjectives at Kadar and the Soviets — while we assure them that we won't fight and while we show them that we do not know how to negotiate. The Western world, with the United States in the European system within which the nations of Eastern Europe can live in security and in national freedom.

This is urgent business, and Secretary Dulles is inviting great trouble for the future if he stands where he has been reported as standing in Paris on Tuesday. On the one hand, he was saying that we would not intervene. On the other hand, he was saying that we hope for rebellion against and within the Soviet empire. This is to play with fire in a situation which is highly explosive.

The whole situation needs to be brought under control, brought into a manageable perspective, and this can be done only if somehow — perhaps in a mission by the Secretary General of the United Nations to Moscow — there are set going diplomatic negotiations dealing with a system of European security.

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LITERARY GUIDEPOST

A THORNTON WILDER TRIO: THE CABALA; THE BRIDGE OF SAN LUIS REY; THE WOMAN OF ANDROS. Introduction by Malcolm Cowley. Criterion.

Published in 1926, '27 and '30, these three novels introduced Wilder to the literary scene. Only the second, "The Bridge," has remained in print, but all three titles are familiar; yet in all the glib talk about the great 1920s and Hemingway, Faulkner, Fitzgerald, Sinclair Lewis and Dos Passos, there is not mention of Wilder often enough.

Crowley points this out, and notes that Wilder is a different kind of writer; the others are "novelists of manners," he is a "novelist of morals. "Of this novelist who is also dramatist, essayist, and teacher, Cowley says, in an introduction as distinguished in its way as the three novels:

"For more than 20 years his work has received less critical work of any other major American writer."

Most of us haven't read these since the first exciting time. They are now no less exciting; and what young novelist within five years has written three novels to match these? Cowley calls "Cabala" a young man's work, but it seems to me they all are that. They have none of the excruciating warmth of "Our Town," but little else of Wilder's has, either. These are the disciplined product of a sympathetic but detached, cool and probing mind. Wilder is himself the man Zeus allowed to return to earth — Chrysis tells the story: he could live again but must also be the onlooker "who foresees the end."

Re-reading these is not just your pedantic obligation to literature; it is a delight fresh and rewarding.

W. G. Rogers

Background Of Ike, Nehru Present A Sharp Contrast

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press News Analyst

WASHINGTON (AP) — The two men who talk today at Gettysburg — President Eisenhower and India's Prime Minister Nehru — came out of worlds so different they might have been in different centuries.

Both men are natural leaders. Both have tempers. Both go in for platitudes. Both earnestly want peace. That much they have in common.

Eisenhower, a West Pointer trained to use force to preserve freedom, relies heavily on staff work to run the government.

Nehru, an intellectual who helped lead India to freedom through passive resistance, is less than an ideal administrator. He seems to trust himself most.

A good example is the number of jobs he holds: prime minister, foreign minister, defense minister, head of the planning commission and supervisor of the atomic energy program.

Eisenhower came from a family where all the sons had to earn their own way. All his adult life he lived under military discipline.

Nehru, only son of a wealthy father, never had to work. But he created his own personal discipline of passive resistance which he adhered to rigidly, even when jailed and when British troops beat him with sticks.

Eisenhower, an extrovert, loves the outdoors, likes to have close friends around. He is a fairly uncomplicated man who can talk over his problems and his thoughts with his aides.

The introverted Nehru likes people in the mass — according to his biographer Frank Moraes — but is so complicated that he never reveals himself completely even to his most trusted friends.

Eisenhower is head of the strongest nation on earth, and the most modern in its industrial development.

Nehru is head of one of the largest nations on earth — its 400 million people more than double the number of Americans — and one of the oldest. But among the big powers, it is militarily the weakest.

Eisenhower is trying to keep the United States in the lead in every way in the 20th century. Nehru is trying desperately to get India into the 20th century.

BUCKLEY

Britain, America On Wrong Track In Some Of Their Schools For Others

By HOLMES ALEXANDER

WASHINGTON, D. C. — In a British-run school on the African Gold Coast a group of students, barely out of the jungle, were performing a play by Aristophanes. In a British-run biology examination in the Caribbean, the students were asked to identify pictures of four birds of old England. In Bridgetown, Barbados, last month, the Negro Prime Minister, Grantley H. Adams, complained to me that the British school system in the West Indies is still something for the British gentlemen. As a result, said Mr. Adams:

"Everybody here wants a white-collar job. There aren't enough to go around, and there never will be. People think its disgraceful to work with their hands. My government must restore in students some sense of the dignity of labor."

The self-ruled nations of the British Commonwealth can do something about it, but it will take time. Meanwhile the United States quite aside from its Foreign Aid programs, is a world educator. There are approximately 330 American-sponsored colleges in foreign lands. The majority of them, according to the Office of Education, make it a point to take no Federal aid. American churches and American industries are the chief sponsors.

By large, the American schools have put first things first in education. After all, sixty-five per cent of the world's population is "functionally illiterate," to use the educators' term. Natives who come under American tutelage will be short on Latin and Greek, but long on sanitation, farm methods and civics.

This much is to the good, but it isn't all. If the British have tried to make classicists out of these loincloth peoples, we have taught them to be would-be millionaires. Our mistake in judgment seems to have been the more grievous of the two. The British Empire did not dissolve into a group of English speaking Soviets. But many countries with American-sponsored colleges have gone anti-American and even pro-Communist.

We have nine large American run colleges in India, a country which has been unaccountably cold toward the United States. We have Silliman University and other American-founded education centers in the Philippines. But only last week the Philippine Republic declined to trust us on their air bases. There were 14 American-run colleges in Peking alone, but China went hell-bent for Communism. We had a large college in Pyongyang, the capital of North Korea, but the people there were corrputed. A postwar American-financed college in Tokyo looks down on a Communist-drifting Japan. And today one chief worry of the State Department is the pro-Communist leadership turned out by the American university at Beirut in Lebanon.

There is, of course, another side of the picture which should be quickly acknowledged and displayed. The American colleges in South Korea have been bulwarks of that fighting Republic. Many American-educated Chinese were executed or driven to Formosa. Dr. Costi Zurayk, president of the American university in Beirut, is a scholar and a pro-American gentleman. Another product of Beirut, Habid Kurani, is an American citizen of Arabian extraction and a credit to this country. Besides, it is very difficult to translate foreign politics into American terms. Many whom we call anti-American or pro-Communist are merely doing their best to be anti-Imperialist and pro-nationalist.

Yet when the very best case has been made for British and American education abroad, there is much to be desired. Neither of us has taught the world truthfully about life. The "dignity of labor," the idea which Premier Adams must now indoctrinate into his people, is certainly a prime rule for living. It is, perhaps, the most important thing that a people striving toward nationalism, and self-sufficiency should learn. And if the British have overdone the Oxford accent, we ourselves have given the phony impression that the rights of man include such things as luxury, loose living and as little work as possible.

When an underprivileged person finds that he can't be a millionaire without working at it, he's apt ot become a Communist, or something like it, out of spite.

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Worthwhile Projects Are Making Very Slow Progress

By INEZ ROBB

It is a sad thing, as the year draws to a close, to realize that the cherished goals for which I work my fingers to the typewritten bone are little nearer realization now than a year ago. My valiant battles to get women out of slacks, for clean public restrooms and for the abolition of billboards just inch along.

Furthermore, I am facing stubborn resitance on yet another front, if that is the right word. For some time I have been privately conducting a campaign for the employment of human-type dress models by the clothing industry. And I am getting no place.

I would like, just once, to see a girl modeling clothes who didn't look strictly from hunger. The Misses Marilyn Monroe, Jayne Mansfield and Diana Kors may be man's dream of ideal on New York's Seventh Avenue or in the chic shops.

In these purlieus, the ideal beauty is a string bean crossed with a pipe-cleaner who looks like a refugee from a blood transfustion. At more than one fashion show I have had a charitable impulse to hold a mirror up to more than one rosebud mouth to see if any life remained or if this was just a return engagement of "Blithe Spirit."

My beef is that the American clothes model looks like nothing human and, alas, that we American women look all to human. Or else why are we always off on the latest magic-diet kick?

So when I found myself at dinner seated next to Harvey Berin, who heads one of Seventh Avenue's foremost fashion houses, I asked him why in the world he and the industry didn't hire a few models with a human look and a little meat on their bones.

"A real human-type model with a torso that is more so," I suggested. "Maybe a bump here or a lump there . . ."

Berin recoiled in horror.

"Never!" he cried. "You women don't go to the movies to see your husbands playing the hero's role, do you? No, you go to see some impossible hero play an impossible ideal.

"It's the same with a clothes model," he hastened on, proudly adding:

"Every model in my place is an abnormal size. So are the models in every other dress house. What we want is a size eight model with a pretty face and absolutely no distractions below to attract attention from what she's wearing.

"A dress model is a clothes hanger. We want a girl with a figure like a lead pipe. If we want any curves here or there, we'd rather add the padding than have nature do it. Then when we cut a 'pilot model' for a dress, we know what we're doing, which is more than you can say of nature.

"Part of every woman's dream is that she looks like the impossible model in the dress, the kind of model who would attract the man who plays the hero in the movie and certainly isn't her husband."

"That way," Berin said kindly, "you women can lead a nice, clean double life. You can even have your cake and eat it, too, because it won't show up on the model."

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WASHINGTON LETTER

Many Advances Made In Rearing Children

By ANNETTE DAVIS
(For Jane Eads)

WASHINGTON—Medical science marches onward.

These advances are reflected in the new edition of "Your Child from One to Six" — the first revision since 1945.

In her foreword to the new edition, Dr. Martha Eliot, retiring chief of the U. S. Children's Bureau which publishes the book, points out that many advances have been made in four knowledge about how to rear healthy children. Just as important, she says, although perhaps less spectacular, have been the gains made in an understanding of the child's emotional and psychological growth and needs.

In the new edition, chapters on "Guiding Children's Imagination," "Curiosity and Questioning," and "Constructive Discipline" have prominent place.

The 1956 bulletin also has a new section on learning to get along without mother. "It is important," Dr. Eliot said, "that parents take steps early to prepare children for the larger world they will meet outside the home." The bulletin gives the advantages of nursery school and tells ways in which parents can ease their child's start in school.

Other new sections are on how to prepare a child for a stay in the hospital and what to tell a child who asks about death. For the first time, the question of television is discussed.

"Even though it is too soon," the bulletin states, "to estimate the effect of television on chilren, it is important to keep in mind that play is children's main way of growing and learning." The bulletin adds that TV programs for young children should be carefully limited. "A child ought not understand, yet many thousands of otherwise tenderly cared for children are put to this strain every day."

In the book's medical section, parents are told how to recognize the signs of illness and what to do in an emergency until the doctor arrives. There is also a suggested plan of immunization.

("Your child from One to Six" is one of four Children's Bureau books for parents. It can be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, Washington 25, D.C., for 20 cents. "Infant Care" costs 15 cents; "Your Child from Six to Twelve," 20 cents, and "The Adolescent in Your Family," 25 cents.)

Human Heart Exerts Much Power During A Lifetime

By HAL BOYLE

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Odd facts a columnist might never learn if he didn't open his mail:

That your heart, if it exerted all at once the force it used in a lifetime, could lift the mightiest battleship 14-feet out of water.

That a woman's heart weighs slightly more than half a pound, and a man's heart slightly less than three-quarters of a pound.

That your heart usually has the same shape as your body—slim if you're slim, chunky if you're short and broad.

That the average human heart beats nearly three billion times in 70 years—and every day pushes from 5 to 10 tons of blood through your system, depending on your size.

That the ambition of singer Teresa Brewer, who has three children at 25, is to have an even dozen at 40.

That a centipede doesn't have a hundred legs. A common house centipede has 30, garden centipedes have 42, and some others have nearly 200.

That every 20 minutes someone in America goes blind, according to sportscaster Mel Allen, chairman of the 1956 "Fight for Sight" campaign.

That a drop of water may look empty but it is more crowded than the businest highway, since it contains about six sextillion atoms. Spaced an inch apart, these atoms would stretch 40 times the difference from here to the North Star.

That the average family spends better than $307 a year for personal health services.

That people tried to halt the spread of epidemics by fumigating mail with sulphur fumes or soaking it in vinegar.

That it's no wonder comic Jackie Gleason has the reputation of being willing to give you the shirt off his back. He'd been known to order 300 shirts at a time.

That Amelia Scott, an authority on hair care, says short men usually want their wives to look as glamorous as possible, men who were "mama's boys" insist their wives wear long hair, and salesmen like their daughters in short skirts and pigtails.

RADIO-TV REPORT

By CHARLES MERCER

NEW YORK (AP) — Television programing appears rather tired as the year end nears. It's curious, for the medium does not seem to have tried very hard in 1956 to be even moderately experimental.

The result has been an undistinguished programing year. The best things visible now on the home screen generally were being done a year ago.

Just as there are more quiz programs and "situation comedies" than ever, so there are more "variety" shows. There are more regular dramatic programs, each inconsistently successful in its omniverous search for new material.

The paler imitation programs of established successful and superior shows are singing the audience-rating blues however.

One program form which has grown in stature and popularity as well is the "adult Western."

On the other hand, children's programs aimed at a limited audience of youngsters are having acute sponsor problems and may eventually become extinct.

To a constant viewer the records of the three major television networks in 1956 shape up this way:

ABC, the smallest, has strived hard to grow and has met with noticeable success. There is marked improvement in many of its programs. It still depends chiefly on filmed shows, but is steadily increasing its live programs. "Omnibus, acquired from CBS, is its most distinguished single addition of the year.

CBS continues to hold the lead with "popular" programs, as rated by the audience pollsters. It has kept its eye on the cash register and generally stayed with tried formulas. Its most distinguished programing has been of Edward R. Murrow's See It Now and many of the special events of its news and public affairs department, which remains superior to those of the other networks. Playhouse 90, the weekly 90-minute drama program, is its most significant contribution on the frontier of TV programing.

IN CALIFORNIA

New City Rises Out Of Rubble

By BRIAN DUFF

YUBA CITY, Calif. (AP)—A new Yuba City, with a strong new spirit, has risen out of flood rubble of its grim Christmas of 1955.

The broken levee has been packed solid. Homes have been rebuilt, business buildings remodeled. The streets are dry and clean, and most of the flood scars removed.

Yule threes are going up in homes where a year ago water and mud covered everything. Gay and colorful decorations brighten downtown streets where rescue workers had traveled about by boat.

Stores are jammed with shoppers, and business is good. Dale Tressler, president of the Yuba City Merchants Assn., reports sales up as much as 40 per cent over last year.

A toy dealer says:

"The children of this town missed Christmas last year. This time their parents all seem to want to make up for it."

Many townspeople say they are in better shape now than they were before the flood.

Miss Helen Ferguson came home to find her little house had floated into the next block.

"But I found out I had a lot of friends," she said. They put up new siding and installed a patio with an ultramodern sun roof.

"It's nicer than it ever was," said the delighted owner.

City Administrator Edward McCombs said:

"Every one of those houses that was reconstructed had to be rebuilt in accordance with the building code. Many of them are stronger and safer than they ever were."

Something is being done to make sure Yuba City is never caught without warning again, said Col. Wilbur R. Pierce, the new full-time director of the county-city disaster office.

"We can never guarantee the levee won't ever break again," he said. "But we can assure people that they will be given timely warning."

The colonel, an ex-artilleryman, said an early-warning system coordinated with the State Department of Water Resources and the U. S. Weather Bureau will give plenty of advance notice of flood danger.

Mrs. Ruth McCampbell, Red Cross chapter director, said the Red Cross spent four million dollars in Sutter County on flood relief and rehabilitation.

About 7,500 families suffered some sort of [illegible]. Nearly 4,000 received Red Cross grants. The organization rebuilt 14 homes and repaired 1,192 others.

"And yet of all the families who suffered, I only know of about a half dozen who gave up and left," Mrs. McCampbell said.

Hans Miller, executive director of the Sutter County Housing Authority, estimates that only about 50 families throughout the county still haven't been able to move back into their homes.

Yuba City replaced its mayor, police chief, city administrator and four city councilmen since the flood.

Now it has grown together again—closer than ever. People are civil minded. And there's a feeling that "we all came through something together."

SHOW TO AID KIWANIS PROGRAM—Matinee features at the Palace Theater on Wednesday and Thursday will aid the Snyder Kiwanis Club's Christmas activities for underprivileged families. Children under 12 will be admitted to the matinee programs at the Palace on both days, provided they present a usable toy at the box office. The Kiwanis Club will distributed the toys to underprivileged children. The picture shows Kay Kendall and Gregory Ratoff in a scene from "Abdullah's Harem," which will be shown at the Palace on Wednesday. In the lower picture, Randolph Scott (center) and two soldiers watch Indian action in a scene from "7th Cavalry."

Nixon Is Boosted In Texas

AUSTIN (AP)—It will be three weeks before President Eisenhower is officially re-elected, but Texas Republicans already are talking of casting the state's electoral votes for Richard Nixon for president in 1960.

Twenty-four veteran Republicans assembled in the Senate yesterday and after a jumbled session the state's vote was sent to the U.S. Senate for approval.

It was the third time in modern times the GOP had the job—1928 and 1952 were other years Texas voted Republican.

The meeting of the Texas Electoral College started late. H. J. Porter, GOP national committeeman from Houston, thought Secretary of State Tom Reavley was to take charge. Reavley said it wasn't so—nothing in the laws gave him this duty. So Porter went to the rostrum.

Then J. A. Gooch of Fort Worth nominated W. R. Nicholson, 81, of Longview, for chairman. But Nicholson's voice would not permit him to be heard as chairman and J. L. Hamon of Dallas, who was elected secretary, then took over.

About that time it was discovered the invocation to open the meeting had not been said. SMU President Willis Tate handled that duty.

As the electors were preparing to take the oath from Supreme Court Justice Ruel Walker, it was discovered three of the 24 were missing. Nominations were made of three substitutes and the oath was given.

The vote for Eisenhower was asked. They agreed he was the man. Then Hamon adjourned the session. A few minutes later he called it back into session because the 24 electors had not signed the oath.

During the meeting, Nicholson whispered to Hamon and Hamon relayed his hope that the electors would be back in four years to vote for Nixon as president. The electors and a handful of other Republicans applauded.

By authority of the majority popular vote in the Nov. 6 general election, the GOP electors automatically were named. Eisenhower had 1,080,619 votes and democratic nominee Adlai Stevenson 859,958. Each state's votes go to Nixon, as president of the U.S. Senate, and are opened Jan. 7 at a joint session of Congress for final count.

Cards Are Mailed Without Any Stamps

EASTON, Pa. (AP) — Mrs. Roy Henry dropped the last of her 50 Christmas cards into the mailbox—and then remembered she had forgotten to put stamps on them.

She hurriedly called the post office. An employe suggested she bring in a complete list of names and addresses and the stamps to go with the cards already mailed. She did.

In the midst of the Christmas rush a postal employe took time to sort out the cards, find Mrs. Henry's and stamp them.

Big Productions

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—William Dozier, production chief at RKO Studio, says 10 million dollars is invested in four major pictures to be filmed early next year, but the studio nonetheless has ordered extensive layoffs because these features will be made elsewhere, on location.

Children Break In Patrolman's Home

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Patrolman Fred Gray was on duty in a cruiser when a neighbor phoned headquarters yesterday to report a break-in at Gray's house.

Gray was dispatched there and found three 4-year-old children unwrapping presents under the Christmas tree.

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Gaylon Lewis

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Dear Santa:

I am a little girl four months old and I have tried very hard to be a good girl. I would like to have a musical teddy bear and a saving bond. Don't forget Mommy and Daddy, Grandmama and Grandpapa Key and Mam-ma and Pap-pa Blalock. Please remember all the other little boys and girls.

Melissa Lyn Blalock

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Dear Santa:

Please being me some guns and a two-gun holster and an ironing board and a Tiny Tears doll. My baby brother is eight months old and he wants a soft puppy dog. Be sure and bring all the other little boys and girls some toys, too. I have tried to be a good girl all year. I will leave you some chocolate milk and crackers. I will be five years old on Christmas Day.

Kathy Brown

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Dear Santa:

Please bring me a two gun and a holster and a Lone Ranger suit. I also would like a tool chest and some little toy horses. I am three and a half years old. Will you please bring my little brother, John Robert, a little fuzzy cat with green eyes and a long tail.

Bebo Boren

P.S. I take a nap every day, Santa Claus.

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Dear Santa:

I am eight years old. I have been a pretty good boy. I would like for you to bring me a bicycle, a holster set, a BB gun and a football. I also have a little brother that is four years old. He would like a bicycle too and some guns and cars

Ronnie and Richard Mason

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Dear Santa:

I am a little boy seven years old. I have been a pretty good boy. I would like to have a gun. I would like to have a walkie-talkie. I want an electric train. Jan and I would like to have two safes. Jan would also like to have a doll with hair.

Larry Hughes

Counterfeit Coins

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP)—Counterfeit coin passers last weekend dumped hundreds of quarters and half dollars made of silver-coated lead in this gambling center. Police are still rounding up the coins, which they say are the most genuine-looking counterfeits they've ever seen.

SLAIN—Robert Batura, 19, of Danvers, Mass., a Southern Illinois Univ., student and football player was shot and killed in a room he shared with three other students off the campus in Carbondale. Henry Hale, Carbondale police chief, said Batura was struck in the head by a .12 gauge shotgun charge and died instantly.

Three Are Killed

JACKSONVILLE, Tex. (AP) — A mother and her two daughters who died of injuries received in a car accident Sunday will be buried today. They were Mrs. Welton Bailey, 26, and her daughters, Helen Joyce, 9, and Martha Dianne, 11 months.

Dallas Chosen For '57 Cotton Congress

DALLAS (AP)—Dallas was chosen yesterday as the site of a general session of the 1957 American Cotton Congress.

The industry-wide meeting will discuss problems and developments.

A planning committee headed by Burris Jackson of Hillsboro met yesterday and decided to hold two or three other area meetings. One will be on the Texas Prison System farm near Sugarland, another at Pecos, and a third possibly at Lubbock.

No dates were set.

Christmas Leaves

FORT HOOD (AP)—About 2,000 soldiers at Fort Hood will board 36 special planes at Temple Airport Friday to begin their Christmas leaves.

Japanese Movies

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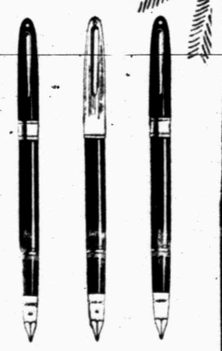

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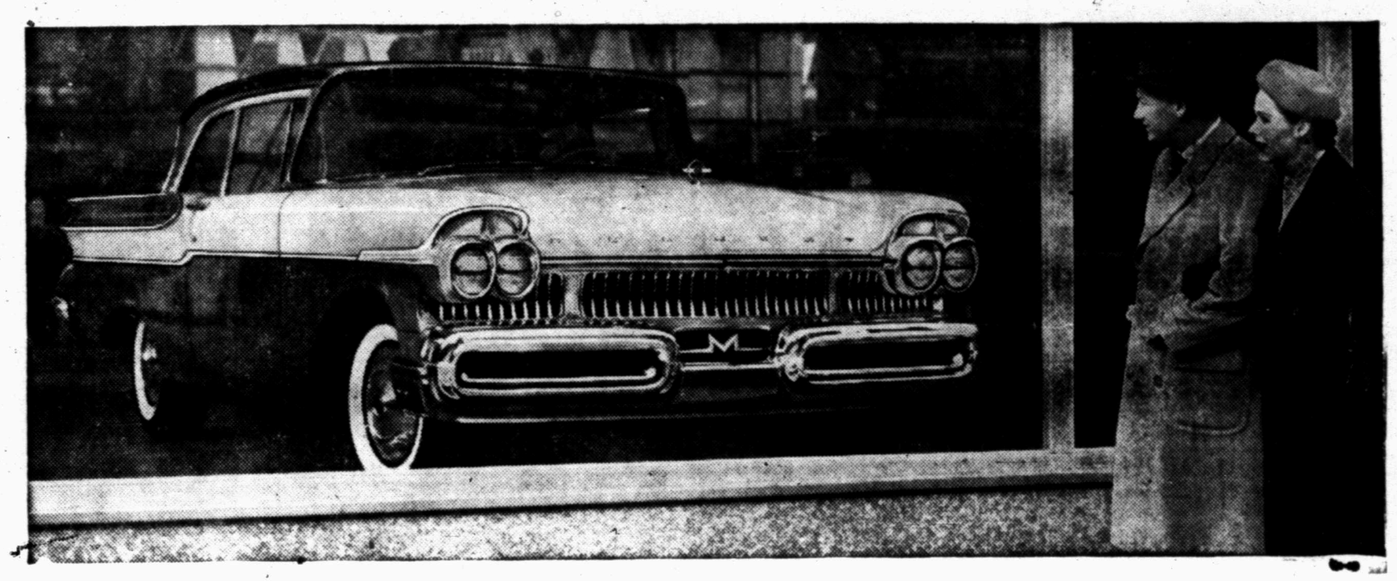

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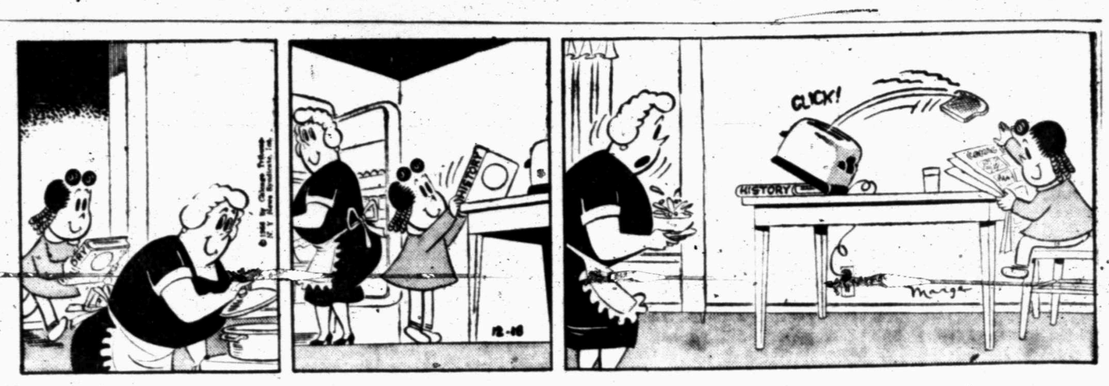

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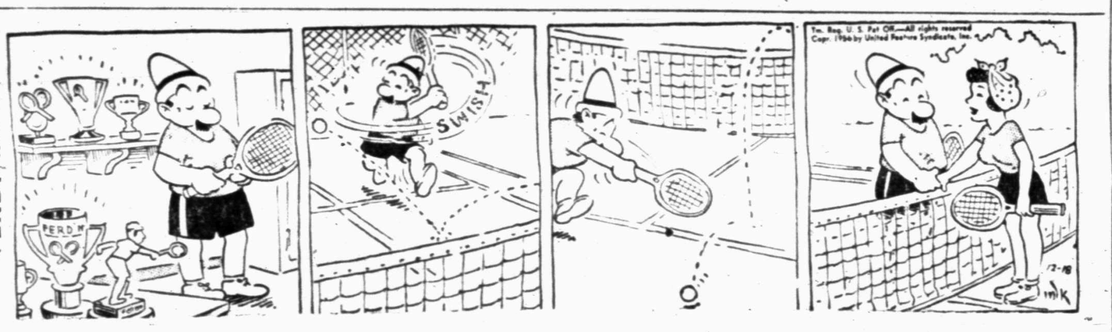

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6. Seed container
7. Music drama
8. Scarlet birds
9. Measure
10. God of war
11. Gone by
17. Russian city
19. Direction
21. Snare
22. Nevada resort
23. Egg-shaped
25. Restrain
27. Kind of onion
29. Narrow road
30. Peruvian Indian
31. Stalk of a flower
34. On the ocean
37. So be it
39. Landed property
41. Singing voice
43. Soft drink
44. Heroic
45. Outlet
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"He means business, we'd better give him a present or we'll be walking upstairs!"

Tiger Cagers Go To Angelo

Coach J. P. Ward's Tiger basketballers will seek their fourth victory in a row in San Angelo tonight when they tangle with the Bobcats in an exhibition game.

The Tigers, fresh from three triumphs which saw them pluck the Canyon Reef Invitational Tournament trophy on their home court, will be meeting a Class 4A quintet for the second time in a row. They nudged Tom S. Lubbock 67-66 in the Canyon Reef finals here Saturday night.

The Tigers went into tournament play last weekend after dropping their opening game of the season to the Big Spring Steers, 71-56. In the Canyon Reef meet, they ousted Hamlin and Brownfield before meeting the Lubbock quintet in the finals.

The Bobcats trimmed the Lamesa Tornadoes, 64-52, last night in their latest outing.

San Angelo also holds victories over Andrews, Winters and Colorado City. They've had their share of close ones in early season play, nipping Andrews, 59-57, Winters, 41-40 and losing to Sweetwater, 42-38. In another encounter, the Bobcats defeated Winters, 53-40, and took the measure of Colorado City 35-22. Winters defeated the Bobcats in still another test, 56-55.

The Bobcats were eliminated from the Andrews tournament last weekend when they bowed to Pecos, 55-42.

Ward's Tigers hope they are ready to hit their stride after a late start on the hardwoods. They had canceled an early season game with Stamford and withdrew from the Plainview tournament when the Tiger footballers went into bi-district play. Seven of the top 10 Tigers played on the football team.

Such proven performers as Milton Ham, Dwayne Prince, Robert Dabbs, Powell Berry, Ronnie Smith and Kenneth Free are due to lead the Tiger cage attack. They'll have help for Israel Hinojos, John Ward, Tommy Prichard and Gary Vice.

NO MEDALS NO BRIDE— Zenon Synlyk, 23, of Rochester, N. Y., captain of the winless U. S. Olympic soccer team, blames the Russian secret police for 'booting" his romance with Galina Vinogradova, 22, the Soviet's star sprinter. The wedding was all set, Snylyk said, but Galina was reported ill and failed to show.

Illinois Beats Dons, 62-33 To End Long Winning Streak

By ED WILKS
The Associated Press

The greatest winning streak college basketball ever has known is at an end, snuffed out with almost ridiculous ease at 60 games.

It was Illinois, playing at home, that snapped the string last night, handing San Francisco a 62-33 trouncing — the first collegiate defeat the Dons have known since Dec. 11, 1954.

Coach Phil Woolpert, who had led the Dons to two NCAA championships and back to the big time with a talented crew headed by the now graduated Bill Russell and K. C. Jones, accepted the beating without regret — almost.

"The end was bound to come," he said, "and I'm glad it was against a good team like Illinois."

But he added:

"I thought Illinois did a real good job. We have a better team than it looked—at least the way it played — tonight.

"But I don't know if we could have beaten Illinois even if we played our best. Illinois was really fired up. I've never seen a team so fired up."

While the Illini, ranked No. 5 as compared to the Dons' No. 2 rating behind Kansas in today's Associated Press poll, were winning their fourth of the season to remain unbeaten, three other top teams performed as expected too.

North Carolina (No. 3) beat Maryland's slow-down tactics 70-61. Southern Methodist (No. 4) added its sixth victory, 101-72 over Texas Tech. And North Carolina State (No. 19) rolled past Eastern Kentucky State 90-73.

Illinois out-hit Dons 2-to-1 with 25 field goals to Frisco's 12. The Dons, who lost an "exhibition" to the U. S. Olympic champions at Chicago Saturday 83-52, trailed 31-15 at the half and never got closer than five points, at 12-7, after the Illini had bounced out to an 8-0 edge Frisco got off only 20 shots in the first half.

George BonSalle, 6-8 Illini center was high with 19 points.

Said Illini Coach Harry Combs when asked what he thought of his club's showing:

"I'm satisfied."

Lennie Rosenbluth, North Carolina's ace, was held without a field goal for 16 minutes by Maryland, but wound up with 26 points as the Tar Heels won their fifth in a row and took the Atlantic Coast Conference lead.

N. C. State, now 5-2, had two guns pumping against Eastern Kentucky with both Bob Seitz and John Richter scoring 26 points. The Wolfpack out-rebounded the Kentuckians 65-23.

In tournament play, little St. Joseph's looked every bit the favorite with an 86-64 first-round decision over Davidson in the Carrousel Classic at Charlotte, N.C. St. Joseph's advance to a second-found meeting with Auburn, which defeated Clemson 89-64.

Defending champ Wake Forest, taken into overtime before defeating Colgate 66-59, next plays Florida, which beat Mulenberg 97-90 in overtime with Joe Hobbs showing the way on 32 points.

Kansas Is Still Rated Top Team

By JACK HAND
The Associated Press

The touring Kansas Jayhawks with Wily Chamberlain, the seven-foot sophomore showing the way, remain atop the basketball poll as the No. 1 college team.

Sports writers and sportcasters voting in the weekly Associated Press poll gave Kansas an overwhelming margin with 68 first-place votes among the 93 cast. Only games through Saturday, Dec. 15, were considered.

San Francisco, which saw its record 60-game winning streak snapped last night by Illinois 62-33, clung to second place.

North Carolina picked up 12 firsts, more than anybody except Kansas, to move into third place.

Southern Methodist edged up a step to fourth with two firsts, followed by Illinois, Louisville, Kentucky, West Virginia, St. Louis and Kansas State. Kentucky's defeat by St. Louis cost them a few points in the standings.

West Virginia gained stature by defeating Duke for the Birmingham Classic championship. Duke had knocked off previously unbeaten Alabama in the first round.

The point totals, figured on the basis of 10 for the first, 9 for the second, etc., gave Kansas a bulging total of 864 to San Francisco's 582.

The top 10 teams, with first-place votes in parentheses:

1.	Kansas (68)	864
2.	San Francisco (2)	582
3.	North Carolina (12)	516
4.	Southern Methodist (2)	468
5.	Illinois	444
6.	Louisville (1)	356
7.	Kentucky (1)	289
8.	West Virginia (4)	240
9.	St. Louis (1)	182
10.	Kansas State	152

Prospects For Walker Not Bright

DALLAS (AP) — Doak Walker, SMU football immortal, is interested in returning to his alma mater as head coach but prospects aren't bright, athletic director Matty Bell said today.

Bell admitted he had talked with Doak, three-time All-America and professional Detroit Lions star. But Bell said the university might not be able to get with Walker on the financial aspects of the job left open by resignation of Woody Woodard.

Walker is in business and making considerable money, Bell said, and the university might not be able to offer a comparable amount.

Anyway, Bell said, the plan now is to try to get a man with head coaching experience at a major college. Walker has never been a head coach but was a part-time assistant at SMU one year.

"I have contacted a number of big name coaches but haven't had much response," Bell said. "I'm going on contacting them. We're moving slowly and it will probably be some time before we obtain a new coach."

Olympic Refugee Flies To Fiancee

STOCKHOLM (AP) — Antal Moldrich, 25-year-old refugee member of the Hungarian Olympic team, flew here today to join his 17-year-old fiancee. She fled from Hungary while he was at the Olympic Games.

Returning from Australia, Moldrich learned in Milan that Maria Klujber had reached Sweden safely. He said goodby to his teammates and followed her here. They plan to marry next year.

"I hope to be able to compete here in Sweden," the pentathlon star said, "even though the Swedish customs took my pistol on arrival. They said I might get it back later."

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FIRST ROUND

St. Joseph's, Pa. 86, Davidson 64
Wake Forest 66, Colgate 59, overtime
Auburn 89, Clemson 64
Florida 97, Muhlenberg 90, overtime

KIWANIS INVITATIONAL
FIRST ROUND

Southeastern Okla. 52, Sul Ross 49
Southeastern L. 82, Troy, Ala. State 65

OTHER GAMES

Niagara 77, Assumption, Ont. 44
Illinois 62, San Francisco 33
Nebraska 65, Purdue 62
Iowa 80, Loyola of South 68
Notre Dame 86, Valparaiso 76
Marquette 120, Drake 84
Butler 83, Michigan State 79, overtime
North Carolina 70, Maryland 61
N. Carolina State 90, Eastern Ky. 73
George Washington 72, VMI 68
VPI 72, The Citadel 68, overtime
Vanderbilt 94, Texas 67
Arkansas 80, Wichita 67
Memphis State 96, New Mexico 73
Tulan 81, Baylor 60
McNeese 75, Arkansas A&M 67
La. College 66, William Carey 65
N'western, La. St. 79, Southwestern La. Inst. 53
Miss. St. 102, Ark. State Tchrs 89
SMU 101, Texas Tech 72
Hardin-Simmons 64, Midwestern 46
Arizona 81, Murray State, Ky. 70
Sam Houston State 85 Texas Lutheran 82
Centenary, La. 91, New Mexico A&M 81
Denver 59, So. California 57
Colorado 71, Idaho 52
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Sports Fans In Hungary Greet Squad

BUDAPEST (AP) — Hundreds of Hungarian sports fans shivered in cold fog around Budapest's battered railway station today to greet the returning remnants of Hungary's Olympic squad today.

The team came from Milan via Belgrade in a special train. It avoided the route through Austria, where thousands of Hungarian refugees have found temporary haven.

Minister of State Gyoergy Marosan was at the station and expressed the government's gratitude for the nine gold medals Hungarian athletes brought.

The crowd gave a hero's welcome to boxer Laszlo Papp, who at Melbourne won his third gold medal. He had won medals at London and Helsinki in 1948 and 1952.

It had been rumored here that Papp was not returning.

"Where is my mother?" were Papp's first words as he elbowed his way through the crowd. He was lifted up by young boxing fans and carried to a taxi.

In the confusion of the arrival, it was impossible to ascertain how many athletes had returned and how many stayed abroad. The government newspaper Nepszabadsag said today that "almost 50 preferred not to return" and added that Hungarian sports fans were "disappointed to hear this news."

Hungary sent 175 athletes, coaches and managers to the games in Australia.

The paper did not mention any names.

Ira Basketball Team To Battle At Roscoe

The Ira basketball teams will be playing at Roscoe starting at 7 o'clock tonight.

Both boys and girls games will be played.

The remainder of the teams' schedules until the end of the years includes games at Hobbs Thursday night, the Trent tournament Friday and Saturday, and Hobbs at Ira Dec. 31.

On Jan.3, Ira will host Trent, and Ira teams will go to the Hermleigh tournament the same week.

Midwestern Plans To Quit Football

WICHITA FALLS, Tex. (AP)—Midwestern University announced today it will discontinue football.

Dr. Travis A. White, president, said that lack of financial support caused the school to drop the sport.

The school hasn't won a Gulf Coast Conference game in four years. In five home games this year, the school rew only 19,000 fans.

The Gulf Coast Conference itself folded about a week ago, effective at the end of the basketball season.

Dr. White said the school planned to accelerate its basketball program and to emphasize less-expensive spring sports.

"At such time in the future that community interest is evident in tangible assets, football will be revived," Dr. White told the student body.

Head Football Coach and Athletic Director Dick Todd broke the news to the football team last night.

He told those on athletic scholarships that they would retain their scholarships through their eligibility period. He said he would assist any who wished to transfer in any way possible. Question of eligibility of players transferring would be decided by the conferences and schools to which they transfer.

The team had 5 seniors and a total of 42.

Todd had one year remaining on his 3-year contract. Dr. White said a satisfactory settlement had been made with Todd, former Texas A&M football great and pro star.

Newell Figures Way To Stop Kansas

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — Pete Newell says he knows a sure way to stop Wilt Chamberlain and Kansas, but unfortunately, the California basketball coach can't use it in tonight's game.

The stopper:

Put the baskets over the gym rafters.

That's where Kansas Coach Dick Harp found them yesterday when he brought the seven-foot chamberlain and pals for a workout.

"It was an idea," Newell said. "But I had to assure Harp they'd be in their regular position for the game."

Texas Leads Kill Of Mourning Doves

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas led the nation with a kill of 4,172,000 Mourning Doves in 1955, the Fish and Wildlife Service said today. Hunters killed nearly 19 million doves in the 29 states with an open season.

Local Teams Beaten By Big Spring

Three Snyder basketball teams lost games at Big Spring last night, all by margins of one or two points.

One of the teams, Coach Ace Amos' eighth grade, had its game about won when a foul occurred as time ran out. Big Spring sacked up a free throw and had the final lead, 21-20.

The seventh lost 23-21, and the freshmen lost 33-31.

For one of the teams, Coach Hal Battle's freshmen, last night's game was the first of the season. The team's Big Spring opponent had played four previously, winning two of them.

Two of the frosh starters, Barry Walker and Charles Gladson; fouled out of the game before it ended, Walker in the third quarter and Gladson in the fourth.

Until that time, the frosh had been leading most of the ball game. At one time in the third period, they led by seven points. They were leading Big Spring 21-17 at the half.

Dick Hayes paced the frosh team with 16 points.

In the eighth grade game, Big Spring had a lead of 11-8 at the half, but during the last half the lead exchanged many times. Big Spring held a 16-15 edge at the end of the third quarter, with Snyder moving into the lead several times during the fourth. Snyder was ahead most of the time in the fourth until the final eight seconds.

Big Spring made only 10 points from the field, with the other 11 coming on free throws. Snyder got four points from free throws. Mike Moffett led the Snyder team with eight points, followed by Larry Patterson with six.

Jimmy Stewart's seventh grade team exchanged leads numerous times with its Big Spring opponent but fell behind two points at the end of the game.

David Gan paced that team with six points, while Bill Weaver had five.

Gail Slated To Play At Ackerly

Gail's basketball teams will play in conference games at Ackerly tonight in their second games on the district schedule.

Both the boys and girls teams have already lost district games to Loop.

On Thursday afternoon, the teams will go to Fluvanna for non-district games.

Hermleigh Cagers Will Meet Divide

Hermleigh basketball teams will host squads from Divide tonight.

The girls game will start at 7 p.m., with the boys game to follow. These are non-conference games. District games do not start until Jan. 8.

The Hermleigh boys team has a 3-2 record, and the girls team has won two and lost three.

Hermleigh is making plans for its annual tournament, which will be held Jan. 3-5.

Scortichini Wins

NEW YORK (AP)—Italo Scortichini won a unanimous decision over Wilfie Greaves last night in a middleweight bout.

Lions Want To Bar Meadows

By BEN PHLEGAR

DETROIT (AP)—The Detroit Lions want Ed Meadows of the Chicago Bears barred for life from professional football. Meadows says he's innocent. Commissioner Bert Bell of the National Football League says the player is being crucified.

The charges and denials stem from Sunday's NFL Western title game when the Bears whipped the Lions 38-21 in Chicago.

Quarterback Bobby Layne, key to the Lions' offense, was smeared and injured on a play in the second quarter. He was out for the rest of the game. The Lions reported he suffered a brain concussion.

Edwin J. Anderson, president of the Lions, dispatched a three-page letter to Bell last night accusing Meadows. He asked that he be banned for life from the NFL and that the Bears and their coaches be fined.

Anderson claimed the injury was a "premeditated assault."

Bell said:

"The Lions ought to look at motion pictures of the game and get any other evidence they think they have before accusing that boy of deliberately injuring another player.

"This is still America and a man still is innocent until he is proved guilty . . . The Lions have no right to crucify this kid, no right to talk of banning him from the game, unless they have real proof that he was guilty of an illegal act. If the Lions have such proof, I'll be more than happy to look at it and consider it."

Meadows, a 225 pounder who played his college ball at Duke, said in Chicago he might sue the Lions for defamation of character. He said the tackle that led to the injury was accidental and that he didn't know Layne had handed the ball away.

"He'll have to think of something better than that," Layne commented. "If he was fooled, he was the only one in the whole stadium that was."

Layne, who returned to Detroit with the team Sunday night, was pronounced in good shape by Detroit doctors.

Flora Says Iowa Tough

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The University of Iowa's line coach, Bob Flora, said his piece about the Hawkeyes, who play Oregon State in the Rose Bowl New Year's Day, and he let it be known the team is tough.

Flora told the Football Writers Assn. yesterday while Coach Forest Evashevski was drilling the squad in East Los Angeles Junior College stadium:

"Our team improved from week to week. We have 11 solid players and great morale. This is probably the soundest defensive team we've had at Iowa. It isn't a flashy team but it is rugged and durable.

"We'll be at full strength, for the game. I don't know what condition the boys are in, but I know we're going to have to work hard for a week because of the change in climate and because we were set back by snow and cold weather. We haven't been able to run outdoors in several weeks."

Coach Tommy Prothro of Oregon State wasn't here because the team hadn't arrived, but through John Eggers of OSC, who had talked long distance with him, he relayed this bit of information:

X-Ray Shows Break In Tittle's Hand

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Y. A. Tittle quarterbacked the San Francisco 49ers to a 30-17 victory over Baltimore Sunday despite a broken finger in his throwing hand.

X-rays disclosed the break in the ring finger yesterday.

Tittle was hurt on the third play of the game when the hand was stepped on.

He completed 12 of 21 passes for 153 yards.

"It didn't hurt me much during the game," he said, "but it did swell up pretty bad later."

4 Players And 3 Coaches Entered

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Four players and three coaches today were announced as the first entries in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics new hall of fame.

Players named included:

Mike Reed, guard, 1946 graduate of Louisiana Tech at Ruston, La. He now lives at Winsboro, La.

The coaches included Harry Turpin, Northwest Louisiana State College at Natchitoches.

SMU Whips Texas Tech, 101 To 72

By The Associated Press

The Southwest Conference lost two of three intersectional basketball games Monday but SMU kept its winning streak going with a 101-72 victory over Texas Tech.

Vanderbilt smothered Texas 94-67 and Tulane crushed Baylor 81-60. Arkansas beat Wichita 80-67 for the only intersectional triumph.

SMU won its sixth straight with an easy victory over Texas Tech, a member-elect of the Southwest Conference.

Jim Krebs scored 21 points and Larry Showalter got 20 for the Mustangs. Leon Hill led Tech with 14.

Arkansas jumped to an early lead against Wichita, had trouble through the middle of the game and took over at the end. Terry Day paced the Razorbacks with 18 points while Everett Wessell got 16 for Wichita.

Vanderbilt racked up its highest score of the season in whipping Texas. Al Rochelle and Bobby Thym got 25 and 20 points respectively for the Commodores. Ray Downs led Texas with 22 points. Ken Cleveland got 14 for the Longhorns.

Calvin Grosscup scored 20 points and Stanley Stumpf and Tom Murphy got 15 each for Tulane. Baylor was led by Gene McCarley with 14. Tulane used mostly reserves in the second half after building up a 49-26 lead.

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King Herod Had Fear Of Infant

By GEORGE CORNELL
AP Newsfeatures

The black pain struck in his stomach and spread achingly through his limbs Herod moaned. He clawed at the girdle around his waist to loosen it. His face ashen, he bawled at the waiting tribune:

"Destroy them, I say—all of them! Assemble your men—take a whole cohort if it needs that! Put the blade to every one of them in that wormy city and 10 furlongs around! Don't stand there like an ox! Begone!"

The officer withdrew three paces, pivoted and went out through the brocaded curtains, boots clicking on the marble floor. Herod, the ulcers cramping his belly, threw himself on a couch.

"Mariamne, oh Mariamne. . ." His lips moved, whimpering. Faces, phantom faces—hers and many others—swam in his mind, the loved, the hated and feared whom he had slain.

He buried his face in the cushions, his fingers clenched and bloodless. It had to be done! But there seemed no end to the plottings and treachery. The very fiends of Hades conspired to ruin him.

Now this new defiance, this hushed-up intrigue about a "Child-King" in Bethlehem. Why? Why? Herod rolled over and stared blankly at the gold inlaid ceiling, his body shaking with misery and fever.

"Oh Mariamne.."

In the early years, he had tried to provide beneficent rule, lavish even, at least after having that fanatic Jewish patriot, Malichus, assassinated and executing 45 sympathizers in the Sanhedrin.

But always, he sensed lurking treason. He had sought to beautify and fashion this land of Judea with games, gymnasiums, theaters and the gaiety of Greece and his Roman liege. But death stalked his chambers.

Abruptly, Herod raised his head. Voices, women's muffled voices, came from the outer corridor. Women. Never trust them.

Not even Mariamne? A sob clutched his throat, remembering. But it was true. They all preyed on him. Ten wives, he had had. All leeches. All but her!

Even at the start, after Pompey seized Jerusalem, slaughtering 12,000 Jews, and the assassination of Julius Caesar made Mark Antony ruler of the East, a woman tried to wreck Herod's newly-bestowed kingdom.

But he had outwitted her. Herod—Herod the Great—had been too shrewd for the wiles of greedy, voluptuous Cleopatra. Lying there, he grinned through tight, blue lips.

She had tried to lure him to her bed to arouse Antony's vengeance.

But not Herod! He had kept his wits, kept Antony's favor, and even got his domain enlarged and his crown sanctioned by te Roman senate, despite Cleopatra's designs to steal land for her adjacent Egyptian realm.

It didn't stop there, though. Not at all. He had had no qualms about beheading Antigonus, Rome's foe and local claimant to the throne, and as a politic gesture, married Mariamne, a princess of the Jew's royal Hasmonean line.

The memory singed like fire. "Oh Mariamne, my beloved.."

Her mother, Alexandra, and Cleopatra had poisoned the air against him and drenched his house with blood. He had to execute all Mariamne's traitorous relatives, and finally, when her love turned to hate, he killed Mariamne herself.

He had gone on stubbornly, trying to buttress his kingdom. But nothing ever seemed the same.

Outside forces threatened, too, when war broke out in Rome. Octavian smashed Antony at Actium, and drove him and Cleopatra to suicide.

Desperately, Herod switched allegiance to Octavian, who as Augustus became experor of the whole empire. It worked. Augustus even returned to Herod rich lands of palms and balsam Antony had give to Cleopatra.

But violence, like a deep-rooted vine, grew through Herod's castle of Antonia.

Evidence of a conspiracy by Alexander and Aristobulus, his two sons by Mariamne, was brought to him by his sister the cunning Salome, and Antipater, his son by another wife. Steeling himself again, Herod had his son strangled.

"Oh Mariamne, my only love.."

Herod turned on his side, his features taut with sickness and the anxiety and erosion of 69 years. He bellowed to a porter for ewe's milk and gulped it down, gasping.

Once, he had been a man of strength and intellect, a sturdy general, a flawless marksman, a hunter who caught 40 beasts in one day, but now dropsy, ulcers, fever, convulsions—and grief—wasted him.

Even after killing his and Mariamne's sons, he had fought to secure his power, courting public favor by starting a new Jewish temple, the most imposing ever, its white marble gleaming with precious stones on Mount Zion.

But the golden Roman eagles he had put on the east temple gate were torn down by 40 pious nobles, who deemed the heraldry unholy. He imprisoned them in the hippodrome.

Then he learned from eastern scholars about this supposed "Child-King," but none would name the parents, and all Herod's spies and agents had been unable to discover the special Child.

Very well! A plague on the close-lipped rabble! His order to slay them all, every male child under 2 would answer that. Life is cheap! Herod's wrinkled hand wiped at his milk-wet lips.

Just a few months later, on his deathbed, he learned his son, Antipater, had invented the evidence against his half-brothers, Mariamne's sons, whom Herod had killed. In frothing rage, he condemned Antipater to drowning.

Dying in agony, he issued his last order to burn alive the 40 men who had torn down the eagles.

His final mumbled phrases were about Mariamne. He was buried on Frank mountain south of Bethlehem. And Jesus then was nearly 2.

It was the end of a potentially great man, a clever, energetic man, but in whom evil bore its implacable fruits.

He killed his one good mate and his own sons, and left many Rachels weeping for their sons in Bethlehem, but he could not stay the Son of Man.

He died in terror — of a Baby.

Water Users Get Letters

MCALLEN, Tex. (AP)—Each Rio Grande Valley water user was mailed a letter yesterday telling him he has .06 of an acre foot of water stored for every acre of land he owns.

The letters were sent from the special water master's office.

The .06 of an acre foot, if used once, would provide about three-fourths of an inch of water for each acre. Many farmers are expected to save their water until it is needed for the cotton crop.

Farmers may call for the water immediately or keep it on storage until it is needed. Col. Kenneth Smith of McAllen, special water master, said there was no limit to the amount of water a farmer could keep on storage at the dam.

The water allotments were made as part of the new water control program for the Lower Rio Grande.

Smith said division of water was made on the basis of 744,331 acres of irrigated land. He said new allotments would be made at least once a month to divide the inflow into the reservoir.

Noel Given Yule Present

SAN DIEGO (AP)—Mainly because his name is Noel—Noel Francis O'Kelly—his wife and two young sons showed up in San Diego yesterday long before he expected them.

O'Kelly came from Ireland four months ago and got a job with the McNeil Construction Co.

He had been sending $40 a week of his 90 wages home to pay passage for his wife Monica, 29, and Paul Francis, 3, and John Francis, 1.

Fellow workers decided a man named Noel deserved a Christmas present. So they collected $700 quietly and had the family flown here.

They surprised O'Kelly at work.

Brownsville Grocery Destroyed By Blaze

BROWNSVILLE (AP)—Fire early today destroyed a downtown grocery.

Manager Carl Allen estimated the loss at between $250,000 and $300,000.

The fire was discovered shortly after midnight and brought under control at about 2:30 a.m.

Firemen said the cause was unknown.

No injuries were reported.

Radios For Doctors

BOSTON (AP)—Pocket radios are now standard equipment for doctors at Beth Israel Hospital. The hospital yesterday inaugurated its new $10,000 doctor-radio paging system, reported to be the first of its kind on the Eastern Seaboard. The doctor's code number is beeped to the radio clipped to his pocket.

A BROKEN LEG, AND A RIBBON, TOO!—Scamp, the puppy held by 10-year-old Diane Maze of Pittsburgh, Pa., seems to think that a broken leg was just about enough, but lo, his owner tied a ribbon on his cast. The puppy broke his leg when he stepped into a hole. A veterinarian told Diane the dog can't use the leg until Christmas so she put a big red bow on the cast with the words: "DO NOT OPEN 'TILL XMAS."

Best Movie Of '56

NEW YORK (AP) — "Around the World in 80 Days" has been voted the best movie of 1956 by the Committee of Exceptional Films of the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures.

IN ANTARCTICA

Trail Blazed By 11 Men

MCMURDO SOUND, Antarctica (AP)—Eleven U.S. Army and Nevy men, aided by an electronic crevasse finder, have blazed a trail 632 miles across a previously unexplored reach of the antarctic.

Traveling by tractor and weasel, they made the trip from Little America V east to Marie Byrd Land in six weeks. Seabee members of Operation Deep Freeze will build an American station at the end of the trail to be used in the International Geophysical Year program.

The advance party was led by Maj. Merle (Skip) Dawson of Williamsburg, Va. In over - all charge of the push into Marie Byrd Land is Navy Cmdr. Paul Frazier of Higginsville, Mo., former skipper of a destroyer.

The crevasse detector, pioneered on the Greenland ice cap, was mounted on the lead weasel in the advance group. Long arms at the front of the contraption emit a high-voltage beam. When it fails to bounce back its impulse to the control panel in a steady signal, it means crevasse trouble ahead.

One tractor driver was killed during a preliminary exploration last season when his vehicle plunged into a hidden cavity.

More than two tons of explosives were used on the trek to Marie Byrd Land to blast away false bridges concealing crevasses. One typical pit 20 feet wide and 100 feet deep had to be filled with a million cubic yards of snow bulldozed in to make a bridge.

The toughest going for the advance party was a seven-mile-area 180 miles from Little America V where the vast continental ice sheet moves slowly down from mile-high Rockefeller Plateau to the sea-level Ross Ice Shelf.

A second party of 19 men in six 30 - ton tractors left Little America V Dec. 5, following the long path marked by trail flags planted by the advance group. The second expedition is hauling six sleds carrying 200 tons of building material, sleeping and food supply equipment.

Swindling Indictment Is Revealed By FBI

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Bond of $5,000 was set yesterday for a man the FBI arrested Thursday on what it called a swindling indictment issued in Chicago in the name of Edwin Watherston.

The man, identified from a Canadian passport as Frederick Drew, signed a waiver of removal. He did not immediately make bond and was held in county jail.

U.S. Marshal E. E. Sadler said Federal Judge James Allred had not issued extradition papers.

Sadler said a copy of Drew's fingerprints had been sent to Washington and an answer was expected today.

Now He's Looking For Steering Wheel

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP)—Four-year-old Frank Costa's attempt to chin himself has sent his father Frank Sr. to a wrecking yard to find a new steering wheel for the family pickup truck.

While his father was away from the parked truck shopping, little Frank pushed his head through the steering wheel and couldn't pull it free.

His howls attracted a crowd. By the time Frank Sr. got back, a construction worker had sawed the wheel and freed the boy.

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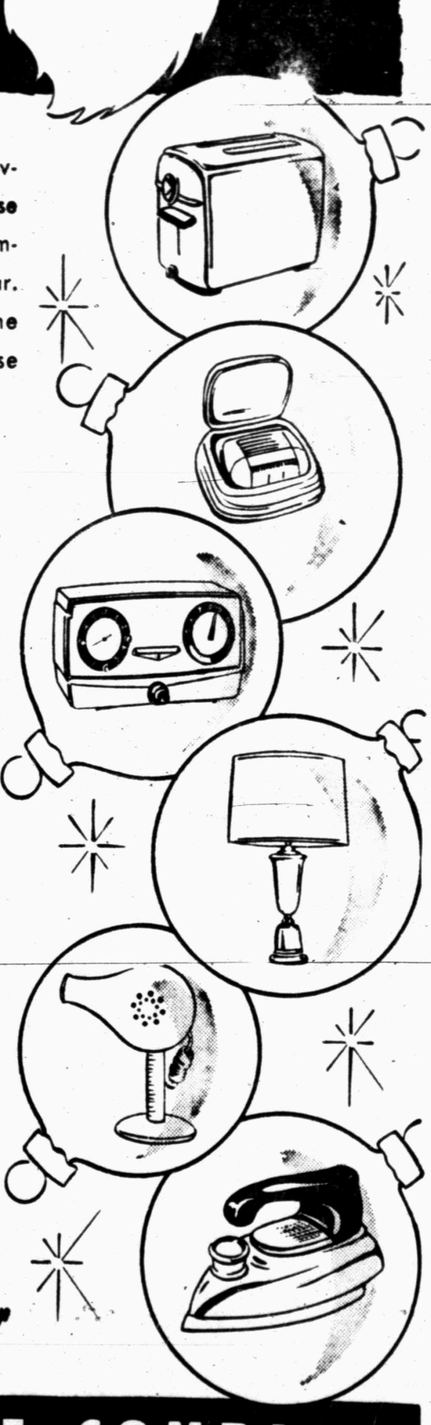

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Meeting On Integration

TYLER (AP)—A meeting in Marshall Thursday to discuss and arrive at strategy to maintain segregation", was announced yesterday by Rep. Ben Ferrell of Tyler.

Ferrell said some 20 or 30 East Texas House and Senate leaders would attend.

The state representative said Rep. Reagan Huffman of Marshall asked him to attend because of Ferrell's membership on the Texas Advisory Committee on Segregation.

Huffman, at Marshall, declined to comment.

The Advisory Committee was set up by Gov. Shivers. It recommended in September that integrated school districts be returned to segregation. It also suggested legal disputes on segregation be turned over to the state rather than be handled by local school districts.

Wartime Enemies Go Into Business

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Two wartime enemies have formed a business here. They are W. W. Keen Butcher, formerly a major in the U.S. 34th Division, and Herbert Nussbaumer, once a major in Germany's Afrika Corps. During World War II they were foes in North Africa and Italy.

Now they are business partners in Seiler's meatpacking firm, which puts out hot dogs, liverwurst and bologna.

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TUESDAY EVENING

6:00 Twilight Serenade
6:15 Local News
6:20 Waltz Time
6:30 Gabriel Heatter And News (MBS)
6:45 Eddie Fisher Sings (MBS)
7:00 Band Stand
7:15 37th Street Church of Christ
7:30 Songs To Remember
7:45 Date Till Eight
8:00 Geb Heatter
8:05 News
8:10 Interlude
8:30 Record Room
9:00 Mystery
9:30 Sportscast
9:40 Rhythm at Random
10:00 News
10:15 Night Watch
10:55 Ford Final
11:00 Sign off

WEDNESDAY MORNING

6:00 Sign on
6:00 Musical Clock
6:55 News
7:00 Musical Clock
7:30 News
7:45 Times, Tunes, Temp
8:00 According To The Record
8:05 Home Edition Of The News
8:15 Musical Bouquet
8:25 Coffee Time
8:45 Designs For Listening
9:00 Cecil Brown News (MBS)
9:15 Morning Devotional
9:30 News (MBS)
9:35 Morning Melodies
10:00 News (MBS)
10:05 Parade to the News
10:15 Music
10:30 Queen For A Day (MBS)
11:00 News
11:05 Gab Heatter
11:10 Gaylord Houser
11:15 Social Spotlight
11:22 Guest Time
11:50 Greenstamp Jackpot

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 Cedric Foster News (MBS)
12:15 Luncheon Melodies
12:30 News
12:45 Variety Time
1:00 News
1:05 Piggly Wiggly Time
1:15 KSNY Matinee
2:00 News
2:05 Frontier Banaza
2:15 Here and There in Music
3:00 Texas News
3:05 Red Ball Express
4:25 News
4:30 1450 Rock & Roll
5:00 Bob & Ray Show
5:45 Here's Hollywood
5:50 Sports Time
5:55 News

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TELEVISION LOG

TUESDAY PROGRAMS

KMID-TV Channel 2 – Midland

Tuesday
4:30—Two Gun Playhouse
5:30—Lil' Rascals
5:45—Holiday Moods
6:00—Spts. News. Wthr
6:30—Racket Squad
7:00—Big Surprise
7:30—Lager Sports
8:00—Jane Wyman
8:30—Favorite Story
9:00—Touchdown
9:30—Dr. Christian
10:00—News. Spts. Wthr.
10:30—Late Show
12:00—Sign Off

Wednesday
7:00—Today
9:00—Ding Dong School
9:30—Romper Room
10:00—Home
11:00—Tic Tac Dough
11:30—It could be You
12:00—Movie Matinee
1:30—Something for Girls
2:00—NBC Matinee
3:00—Queen for a Day
3:45—Modern Romances
4:00—Comedy Time
4:30—Two Gun Playhouse
5:30—Lil' Rascals
5:45—Holiday Moods
6:00—Spts. News. Wthr.
6:30—Coke Time
6:45—INS Sports
7:00—Kruger Theatre
8:00—Kraft Theatre
9:00—Texas Wrestling
10:00—News. Wthr. Spts.
10:30—Late Show
11:45—Sign ff

KBST-TV Channel 4 Big Spring

Tuesday
4:30 Devotionals
4:35 News & Previews
5:00—Longhorn Theatre
6:00 Bruce Fraizer
6:15 News, Spts
6:30 Name That Tune
7:00—Phil Silvers
7:30—4-Star Theatre
8:00—Herb Shriner
8:30 Gildersleeve
9:00—Waterfront
9:30—Trust your Wife
10:00 News, Wthr., Spts.
10:20 Star Theatre

Wednesday
3:15—Channel 4 Previews
3:20—Movie Matinee
4:30—Afternoon Devotional
5:00—Longhorn Theatre
6:00 Bruce Fraizer
6:15 News, Spts
6:30—Beat the Clock
7:00—Arthur Godfrey
8:00—The Millionaire
8:30—I've Got A Secret
9:00—20th Century Fox
10:00 News, Wthr., Spats.
10:20 Star Theatre

KRBC-TV Channel 9 – Abilene

Tuesday
5:00—Kalvin Keewee
5:30—Laurel & Hardy
6:00—News, Sports, Weath
6:30—Jonathan Winters
6:45—Town & Country
7:00—Big Surprise
7:30—T B A
8:00—Jane Wyman
8:30—Circle Theatre
9:30—Texas in Review
10:00—News
10:10—Feature 9
10:40—Weather
10:45—Feature 9
11:30—Sign Off

Wednesday
9:00—Ding Dong School
9:30—The Price Is Right
10:00—Home
11:00—Tic Tac Dough
11:30—It Could Be You
12:00—Daily Devotions
12:05—Mid Day Theatre
1:30—Tenn. Ernie Ford
2:00—Matinee Theatre
3:00—Queen For A Day
3:45—Modern Romances
4:00—Comedy Time
4:30—Yesterday's News
4:45—Sterling
5:00—Kalvin Keewee
5:30—Laurel & Hardy
5:45—News, Spts, Wthr.
6:30—Coke Time
6:45—News
7:00—On The Farm
7:30—Federal Men
8:00—Kraft TV Theatre
9:00—This Is Your Life
9:45—Red Barber
10:00—News
10:10—Feature 9
10:40—Weather
10:45—Feature 9
11:30—Sign Off

KCBD-TV Channel 11 – Lubbock

Tuesday
5:00—Bunny Theatre
5:15—Looney Tunes
5:45—Hospitality Time
6:00 News, Spts, Wthr.
6:15—Here's Howell
6:30—Captain Gallant
7:00—Big Surprise
7:30—Noah's Ark
8:00—Jane Wyman
8:30—Warner Bros.
9:30—Break the Bank
10:00—Bridge 714
10:30—News, Wthr. Spts.
10:50—Channel 11 Theatre

Wednesday
7:00—Today
9:00—Ding Dong School
9:30—The Price Is Right
10:00—Home
11:00—Tic Tac Dough
11:30—It could be You
12:00—Serenaders
12:30—RFD11
12:45—Cook Book
1:30—Tenn Ernie Ford
2:00—NBC Matinee
3:00—Queen For a Day
3:45—Modern Romances
4:00—Comedy Time
4:30—My Little Margie
4:45—Film
5:00—Cisco Kid
5:30—Eddie Fisher
5:45—Hospitality Time
6:00—News, Sports
6:15—Here's Howell
6:30—Disneyland
7:30—Rosemary Clooney
8:00—Father Knows Best
8:30—Adventures Of Hiram Holliday
9:00—This is Your Life
9:30—American Legend
10:00—Crossroads
10:30—News, Wthr. Spts.
10:50—Channel 11 Theater

KPAR-TV Channel 12 – Sweetwater

Tuesday
4:30—Western Theatre
5:30—Community Crossroad
6:00—News, Wthr., Spts.
6:15—Doug Edwards
6:30—Name that Tune
7:00—Phil Silvers
7:30—Mickey Rooney
8:00—Nothing but the Truth
8:30—Dr. Hudson
9:00—$64,000 Question
9:30—Great Gildersleeve
10:00—Red Skelton
10:30—News, Wthr, Spts.
11:00—Channel 11 Theatre
12:00—Sign On

Wednesday
6:55—Sign On
7:00—Good Morning
8:00—Captain Kangaroo
8:25—Playtime
8:30—Captain Kangaroo
8:55—Sing Song
9:00—Garry Moore
9:30—Morning Movie
11:00—Valiant Lady
11:15—Love of Life
11:30—Search for Tomorrow
11:45—News
12:00—Network News
12:10—Stand Up & Be Counted
12:30—As The World Turns
1:00—Our Miss Brooks
1:30—T. V. Sermonette
1:45—Houseparty
2:00—Big Payoff
2:30—Bob Crosby
3:00—Brighter Day
3:15—Secret Storm
3:30—Edge of Night
4:00—Home Fair
4:30—T B A
5:00—Don Mahoney's Bar Hi-C Ranch
6:00—News, Wthr., Spts.
6:15—Doug Edwards
6:30—Giant Step
7:00—Arthur Godfrey
8:00—The Millionaire
8:30—I've Got a Secret
9:00—U.S. Steel Hour
10:00—Nat. Pro Highlights
10:30—News, Spts. Wthr.
10:45—Channel 12 Theatre
12:00—Sign Off

KDUB-TV Channel 13 – Lubbock

Tuesday
4:30—Western Theatre
5:30—Community Crossroad
6:00—News, Wthr., Spts.
6:15—Doug Edwards
6:30—Name that Tune
7:00—Phil Silvers
7:30—Texas in Review
8:00—Nothing but the Truth
8:30—It Happened This Yea
9:00—$64,000
9:30—Trust Your Wife?
10:00—Crunch & Des
10:30—News, Wthr, Spts.
11:00—Movie
12:00—Sign Off

Wednesday
6:55—Sign Off
7:00—Good Morning
8:00—Captain Kangaroo
8:25—Playtime
8:30—Captain Kangaroo
8:55—Sing Song
9:00—Garry Moore
9:30—Godfrey Time
10:30—Strike It Rich
10:00—Valiant Lady
11:15—Love of Life
11:30—Search for Tomorrow
11:45—Noon News
11:55—Weather
12:00—Network News
12:10—Stand Up And Be Counted
12:30—As the World Turns
1:00—Our Miss Brooks
1:30—TV Sermonette
1:45—House Party
2:30—Bob Crosby
3:00—Brighter Day
3:15—Secret Storm
3:30—Edge of Night
4:00—Home Fair
4:30—Happi-Time Toy Town Museum
4:45—Western Theatre
5:30—Bar-Hi-C-Ranch
6:00—News, Wthr., Spts.
6:15—Doug Edwards
6:30—Giant Step
7:00—Arthur Godfrey
8:00—The Millionaire
8:30—I've Got a Secret
9:00—U.S. Steel Hour
10:00—Nat. Pro Highlights
10:30—News, Spts. Wthr.
11:00—Movie
12:00—Sign off

Slavs Hit By Pravda

MOSCOW (AP)—Pravda fired another salvo today in the word war between the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia. This time the Soviet Communist party organ attaked Yugoslav Vice President Edvard Kardelj's criticism of Russian military action in Hungary.

Pravda called Kardelj a "revisionist," one who interprets basic Marxist-Leninist theory in his own way rather than according to the official Kremlin interpretation. It is one of the graver sins in Moscow's catalogue.

The two-page article in the Soviet Communist party's chief newspaper followed up blasts against President Tito for his criticism of Soviet policy in Hungary.

Water Conservation Sought For Valley

WESLACO, Tex. (AP) — W. H. Friend, associate county agent for horticulture for the Lower Rio Grande Valley area, said yesterday water conservation methods will have to be used by Valley farmers next year.

He said that the two main things needed would be to control weeds and prevent the loss of any rain water. He said borders around each tree would reduce rain losses.

Friend recommended shredders, rolling choppers and mowers for the best results against weeds.

Convicted Slayers Stage Short Protest

CHICAGO (AP) — Ten convicted murders in the Cook County Jail staged a short-lived demonstration yesterday, protesting the lettering "Max. Security" stamped on their khaki denims.

The words had been stamped on because the slayers are quartered in the jail's maximum security section. They ripped the lettering off.

"You're holding us like caged animals—this is ball and chain methods," triple slayer Lawrence Neumann, identified as the ring leader, told Warden Jack Johnson.

Johnson sent the uniforms to the tailor shop for patching and restamping.

LEGAL NOTICE

NO. 1726
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS PROBATE DOCKET IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF JOHN BILLY KOONSMAN, A MINOR
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN BILLY KOONSMAN, A MINOR

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of December A. D. 1956, I, acting as guardian of the estate of John Bill Koonsman, a minor, filed with the County Clerk of Scurry County, Texas, a sworn application for authority to make an oil, gas and mineral lease on the ward's undivided interest, believed to be a full interest in and to the oil, gas and minerals in and under the Southeast 1/4th of Section 157, Block 2, H&TC Ry Co Surveys, Scurry County, Texas, subject to life estate in said Alvin Koonsman with vested remainder in said John Billy Koonsman.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge of Scurry County, Texas, in the County Courtroom of the Courthouse of said County in the Town of Snyder, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1956, at 10:00 o'clock A M, same being the time and place which has been duly designated by such Judge as the time and place when and where such application will be heard.

WITNESS my hand this the 17th day of December, A. D. 1956.

Alvin Koonsman
Guardian of the Estate of
John Billy Koonsman,
a minor

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF BLANCHE C. DAUGHERTY, DECEASED:
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the petition of O. L. Daugherty at or on or before ten o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of ten days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being the 31st day of December, A. D. 1956, before the Honorable County Court of Scurry County, at the Court House in Snyder, Texas, at which time you shall show cause why the Estate of Blanche C. Daugherty, deceased, should not be partitioned and distributed.

The File number of said suit is No. 1328. The Style of such case is Estate of Blanche C. Daugherty, deceased.

The nature of such proceeding is hearing of and upon the application of O. L. Daugherty for the partition and distribution of the Estate of Blanche C. Daugherty, deceased.

Issued this the 14th day of December, A. D., 1956.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 14th day of December, A. D., 1956.

(s) Dan Cotton clerk
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Nasser May Fear Mid East Danger

Paris (AP) — A close adviser of Gamal Abdel Nasser says the Egyptian President urgently wants to settle the Suez Canal quickly, because he feels the Middle East is in danger.

This informant, who cannot be identified by name, told me in Cairo a few days ago the President hopes and expects that the canal dispute will be settled soon — but that Nasser does not expect to have to retreat from his stand against internationalization of the waterway.

After withdrawal of foreign forces from Egyptian soil, the canal question is the first big hurdle in the way of re-establishing order in the Middle East. Then the West comes squarely up against the biggest problem of all — the Arab-Israel question.

Arab leaders are afraid to face the Israeli question squarely. They seem to hope that it can be neutralized for a long time to come, possibly by a more or less permanent United Nations intervention.

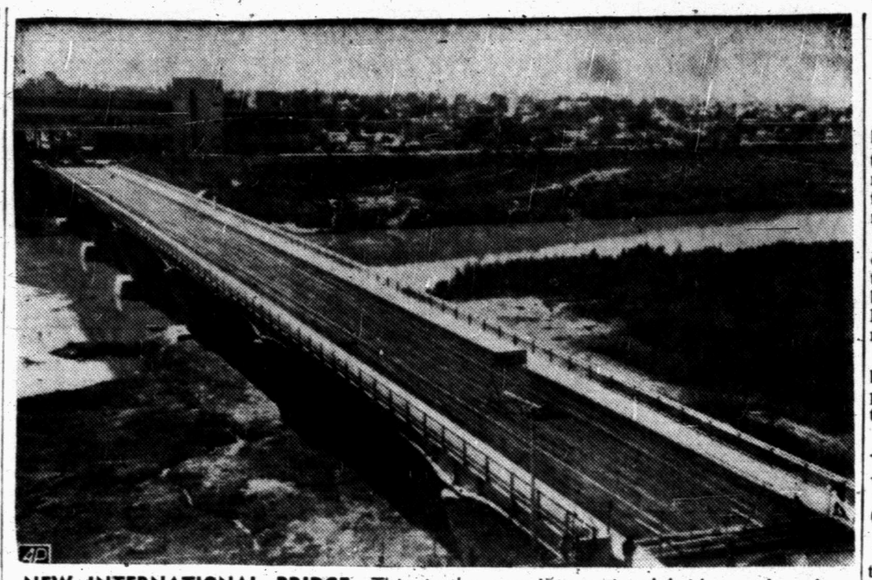
They agree there is long-term danger from the Russians. Thinking Arabs want the danger checked. But the fear of Israel, the immediate enemy, is greater.

The Egyptian dictator faces new dangers. The economy of Egypt is in perilous condition, though it is still far from wrecked. There is some disaffection among the officers in his army. They know the real truth of the fighting in the Sinai Desert, where the Israelis knifed through at will.

These dangers, combined with the ever-present menace of Soviet economic and political infiltration, seem to have procued in Egyptian and other Arab leaders an eagerness to come to some sort of terms with the West and to seek the protection of the United States.

"I have heard it said," Nasser's confidant commented, "that this may be the last chance of the United States in the Arab world. It is not your last chance. It is ours."

There is a strong feeling in the Middle East that if Nasser could see a way out of the Arab dilemmas which would take in account the passionate concern of the area for Arab dignity, there is a good chance the Arabs would respond.



NEW INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE—This is the new international bridge at Laredo-Nuevo Laredo looking toward the Mexican border station. The city of Laredo accepted its end of the milion-dollar, four lane structure, but Mexico suddenly delayed accepting its end, claiming the bridge wasn't finished because permanent lighting fixtures hadn't been installed.

Refugee's Hopes Fulfilled

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Golden hopes for the future in America, the land of freedom and opportunity, already are being fulfilled for Jeno Egri, Hungarian watchmaker.

Jeno, with his wife and two children, were the first of more than 150 Hungarian Families brought to California since the air lift to America began. They arrived here Dec. 5.

But the 48-year-old refugee was broke, dead broke. Worse still, his precious tools were back in strife-torn Hungary.

Word of Egri's predicament was spread by George Allen, business agent for the local watchmakers' union, and things happened.

Employes of one supply house chipped in for a set of basic tools. One of the city's Lions clubs donated money for a lathe and other equipment.

Members of Watchmakers' Local 101 contributed tools Egri still lacked — and a paid-up membership in the union, so he could go to work.

Then Joseph Granat, head of one of the city's major jewelry firms, came through with the real key to the problem — a job. Jeno had his lathe and tools set up yesterday and was ready to go to work on his new job. Then his new boss provided a crowning touch—a check for a week's work to start him off.

Overwhelmed, Egri could only blink the tears from his eyes, and murmur, "Thank you, thank you all," over and over again.

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Yule Time Causes Coughing By Youth

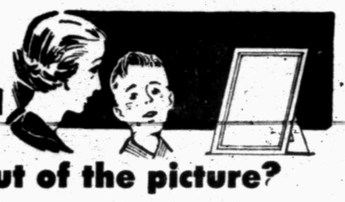
CASPER, Wyo. (AP)—This is the time of the year that 8-year-old Gregg Carr begins wheezing and coughing.

He's allergic to Christmas trees.

The Carr family puts up an artificial tree, but the smell of pine and spruce from neighbor's Christmas trees have been getting to Gregg's nose.

Oklahoma Budget

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—The Legislature probably will have $195,500,000 to work with next two years, the Board of Equalization said yesterday. Gov. Raymond Gary's budget recommendation had been figured at about 194 million on a previous estimate.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Tax Study To Be Made

DALLAS (AP) — Dist. Judge Charles Long Jr. has been asked to decide whether the state can tax the Braniff Airways Inc. stock which T. E. Braniff willed to the foundation which bears his name.

Texas officials claim the foundation should pay an inheritance tax of 20 per cent. Directors of the foundation and executors of the Braniff estate dispute the claim.

The suit was filed by director William Blakely.

The foundation was chartered in 1943 for the general purpose of promoting religion, literary pursuits, science, relieve poverty and other activities.

The petition said the stock was worth about $6.25 a share at the time of Braniff's death. The stock closed at $11.58 yesterday.

Hutcheson Ready In Control Move

By FRANK N. MANITZAS

AUSTIN (AP)—The U.S. Senate will reorganize late in January if he is elected to throw control to the Republicans, the GOP candidate predicted yesterday.

Thad Hutcheson, lanky Houston attorney, is the Republican candidate for the Senate seat held by Gov.-Elect Daniel.

"From the information I can get from Washington, there will be a reorganization approved," Hutcheson said at a press conference. "It can be done. I understand there is a great deal of interest in doing that and I think they will."

The state GOP Executive Committee yesterday gave its "enthusiastic endorsement" to Hutcheson, who claimed "a Republican block vote of 401,000."

The Senate will organize Jan. 3 and Daniel said he would be there for the Democrats. The Democrats have a 49-47 majority. If Hutcheson is elected, the resulting 48-48 tie would be broken by Vice President Nixon if a reorganization was made later in January.

The controlling party heads the committees in the Senate.

Hutcheon said Daniel did not have "enough percentage to be senator to cast the critical organizational vote. As a 12-day maximum senator, I think he would be too embarrassed to vote."

He also said he did not believe Shivers could appoint a successor to Daniel, and the governor-elect would not appoint "his successor because he told the people he wouldn't."

Asked what Daniel would do about the law which requires the governor to appoint a senator when a vacancy occurs while Congress is in session, Hutcheson replied:

"The law required the election be held Nov. 6. Nobody did anything about that."

Shivers has accepted Daniel's resignation effective Jan. 15, inauguration day.

Hutcheson said he based his 401,000-vote prediction from his survey of "statistics on Republican starting vote in Texas." He said recent polls giving him 2 per cent of the vote were "ridiculous."

He said he was assured 200,000 votes alone from Harris, Bexar, Tarrant and Dallas counties.

Red River Bridge

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—A pledge of $606,000 was made yesterday by the Highway Commission toward its share of constructing the Red River Bridge between Texas and Oklahoma. The bridge, near Willis, will replace one inundated by Lake Texoma. Texas will pay a similar share of the construction and the federal government the rest.

Television Angle Developed In Case

SAN DIEGO (AP)—An angle in the Latham kidnaping case involving freedom of the press for television today appeared to have led to an unspoken court conclusion that:

Witnesses who have testified and have been excused may be interviewed on television while the trial is still in progress.

The questions and answers must be limited in general scope to the testimony given in court.

Members of the jury should not see or hear such interviews; just as they are instructed to avoid reading newspaper accounts of the trial.

The issue was raised a week ago when Superior Judge John A Hewicker threatened to hold a television newsman in contempt of court. He is presiding at the trial of two women charged with kidnaping and attempting to murder Mrs. Ruth E. Latham.

The judge told Harold Keen of KFMB-TV that a repetition of a Dec. 10 interview of two witnesses who had testified that day would bring a contempt order.

George Whitney, KFMB vice president and general manager, said the constitutional issue of freedom of the press was involved. He said Keen's interview technique was his "method of reporting the most dramatic news occurences of the day through the presentation of various persons who figure in such occurrences."

Whitney said there was little or no legal precedent covering the matter and that the National Assn. of Radio and Television Broadcasters, Washington, D.C., was doing legal research.

Attorenys representing KFMB and Keen then conferred with Judge Hewicker.

Keen presented an interview with another witness Friday night, adhering to the general court testimony in his questions.

Judge Hewicker took no action when Keen appeared in court Monday. Keen said trial developments would determine whehter he would interview more witnesses.

State Trust Firm Case Is Being Heard

AUSTIN (AP)—Clyde Foster, vice president of the Provident American Trust Co. of Fort Worth, now under a temporary injunction, has testified to the operation of the firm in a hearing in 98th District Court.

Foster was on the stand when the "bill of discovery" hearing in Judge Charles Betts' court adjourned yesterday until 9 a.m. today. The state obtained the hearing to gather sworn testimony covering the operation of four Fort Worth firms.

They are Provident American Life Insurance Co. and Legal Guaranty Life Insurance Co., both under permanent receivership and permanent injunction, and Legal Guaranty Trust and Provident American Trust, both under temporary receivership and injunction.

Attorney V. F. Taylor, acting for the state's receiver, questioned Roman McPherson, president of the companies, and Foster. McPherson is free under $15,000 bond after indictment of unlawful stock sales by the Tarrant County Grand Jury.

Testimony was made yesterday outlining the development of the companies and the audit of certain stocks of the Provident American Life Insurance Co., formerly of Houston, which was bought and merged with Legal Guaranty Life in 1955.

Court Upholds Sales Tax On Dairy Feed

ENID, Okla. (AP)—A three-judge district court decision upheld the legality of Oklahoma collecting sales tax on dairy feed.

The defense pointed out that certain raw materials in other industries are not subject to the sales tax. The unanimous court opinion declared:

"We are unable to find that a cow giving milk is manufacturing for resale within the intent of the legislative act. Our contention is that if there is any processing, it is by the dairy where the milk is purchased and offered for resale."

Fort Knox Loses Some Of Its Gold

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—A squad of soldiers from Fort Knox has failed to come up with some lost gold.

It wasn't from the Army post's huge gold vault, however.

J. T. Maxwell lost a gold ring and an officer at Fort Knox thought it would be a goodwill gesture to provide a mine detector and crew.

They never found the ring, but did turn up such trivia as small stones, bits of metal and grassroot wads.

Paralyzed Hunter Shoots Down Buck

TITUSVILLE, Pa. (AP)—Garland Archer of nearby Pleasantville is paralyzed from the waist down but he didn't let that keep him from bagging a deer.

Archer, paralyzed in a 45-foot fall, was taken to a hunting camp near his home by friends.

In a wheelchair Archer spotted a buck on a hillside and brought it down with two shots.

He's been hunting 33 years and has bagged 30 deer.

New Tax Official

DALLAS (AP)—An Oklahoma City man, Roy Hann, 49, was appointed assistant Dallas Regional Commissioner of the Internal Revenue Service yesterday.

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