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Germans Open Arguments On Paris Treaties

By GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, Germany (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer opened debate today in his Parliament's lower house on ratification of the Paris treaties to rearm West Germany.

Launching the toughest fight of his political life, the 78-year-old leader told the Bundestag rearmament would make successful negotiations for German unification possible.

To Socialist accusations that his government is lagging in promoting German reunification, the Chancellor said the agreements with the West offered the whole of Germany the opportunity to win by peaceful means an honorable place in the community of free nations.

The Bundestag's vote after the two-day debate will be only the first of three the lower house must hold on the treaties. But the initial poll was awaited as a telling test of strength for Adenauer and his policy to arm 500,000 West Germans within the North Atlantic Alliance.

The decisive second and third readings of the treaties will be held in late January. Then the Bundesrat, the upper house, must also approve them.

Despite outspoken opposition from the Socialists and from many supporters of his own four-party government coalition, Adenauer has expressed complete confidence that West German ratification will be completed in January and that the 14 NATO nations will give their final assent by the end of February.

Before Adenauer spoke, the Bundestag defeated two Socialist motions to delay ratification. One demanded another attempt be made to reunite divided Germany before rearming. The other called for removal from the debate agenda of the controversial pact with France to put the rich, disputed Saar Valley under international political control.

Adenauer pleaded for quick ratification of the four Paris accords, which he said could lead to a new epoch in European history in which Germany and her neighbors would be allied in lasting union.

"The agreements place us in a community of nations to which we are linked through the ideal of freedom," he declared, "and it is only in this community, taken as a whole, that we posess enough weight and energy to be able successfully to negotiate with the Soviets.

"Only if we adopt an attitude of solidarity with the Western community will the world have confidence in the moderation and justification of our aims."

Completion of the Paris treaties, he continued, would give West Germany a "secure basis from which to conduct the policy of reunification with confidence."

He warned that the Russians are trying to prevent consolidation of the West's unity and "until this unity has been fully established, we must expect new and perhaps dangerous strategems."

Mercury Sags To 22

Snyder had sub-freezing weather again last night with a low of 22 degrees. By 7:30 this morning the temperature had risen just two degrees to stand at 24 degrees. Yesterday's maximum temperature was 58 degrees.



BIPARTISAN WHITE HOUSE MEETING

Arriving at the White House for a bipartisan meeting with President Eisenhower on international and security problems are, left to right, Rep. Carl Vinson (D-Ga); Sen. Richard B. Russell (D-Ga); Rep. Leo Allen (R-Ill); Rep. Joseph Martin (R-Mass), and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles.

Bridges Denies Regime Follows Marshall Plan

By FRANK O'BRIEN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Bridges (R-NH) said today it is not true that the Eisenhower administration plans to propose for Asia a big program of economic aid patterned on the postwar Marshall Plan for Europe.

Similarly, a high administration counselor, who asked not to be named, said the administration had agreed on a further shift in foreign aid policy — aside from arms help to allies—from billion-dollar grants toward lending and investment "with a little giveaway aid here and there to fill in the chinks."

A GOP lawmaker who attended White House legislative briefings during the past two days, but who asked not to be named, said Foreign Operations Administrator Harold E. Stassen had talked originally in terms of an Asian aid program running into the billions, but that it had been trimmed down. This source estimated that perhaps "several hundred millions" might be sought.

A number of congressional Democrats and Republicans had indicated they would oppose any big-scale foreign spending in the coming year.

The policy adviser to the administration said the new aid emphasis would be aimed at "more selective and effective" use of this nation's economic weight in a long-range effort to win the allegiance of the free world's hungry areas.

The economic offensive would focus mainly on Asia, the Middle East and Latin America, this source said, with an accompanying reduction of dollar aid to some areas—probably European countries whose economies have been helped back to health.

Details of the new program are to be worked out by former Budget Director Joseph M. Dodge, newly recalled from his Detroit bank to be special assistant to President Eisenhower for foreign economic policy.

The administration source said that as now envisioned, the 57-nation World Bank, the U.S. government's Export-Import Bank and the proposed International Finance Corp. would be the main lending agencies under the new program. Both banks would be prodded to "step up and intensify" their lending programs, the source said.

He said the future of the Foreign Operations Administration headed by Stassen had not been definitely decided upon.

Dulles On Hand For NATO Conference

By JOSEPH E. DYNAN

PARIS (AP)—U.S. Secretary of State Dulles arrived in Paris by air today for a meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Council and said he was sure it would be a further step toward "an effective deterrent" to war.

Dulles is here for talks on speeding German rearmament and a NATO Council debate on a controversial plan to use atomic weapons in European defense.

Dulles told reporters that he had always found his visits to Paris profitable and serviceable to the cause of peace.

"This time I have come for a regular meeting of the North Atlantic Council," he said. "But it is no less important for being a regular meeting. I have no doubt that it will take a further step for a joint objective of making an effective deterrent to war by increasing our strength."

The American party was met at the airport by the French Minister for Associated States, Guy la Chambre, acting for Premier Pierre Mendes-France.

La Chambre's presence was taken by some persons as an indication of the importance of talks the French expect to hold with the Americans on aid for the maintenance of their forces in Indochina.

Dulles, after his official reception, went into Paris where he had a meeting scheduled with other members of the American delegation later in the afternoon.

Accompanied by other high American officials, Dulles left Washington yesterday. In a prepared statement emphasizing the defensive character of the NATO alliance, he said the free world would "neither be intimidated nor lulled into a false sense of security" by the Communists.

Dulles was due to confer with French Premier Pierre Mendes-France shortly after landing. The two leaders were expected to discuss ways of speeding ratification of the Paris agreements freeing and rearming West Germany and of getting that rearmament into high gear once ratification is achieved.

They will be joined by British Foreign Secretary Sir Anthony Eden for further talks tomorrow, on the eve of Friday's opening of the NATO Council's annual review session.

Accompanying Dulles were Treasury Secretary George Humphrey, Harold Stassen, foreign aid chief, and Livingston T. Merchant, assistant secretary of state for European affairs. Foreign, finance and defense ministers of the 14 NATO countries will participate in the two-day council meeting.

In addition to the crucial atom plan debate, the council must fix definite goals for each member country for 1955, agree on provisional goals for 1956 and on planned goals for 1957. The goals include the number of provisions, planes and other defense items each nation is to provide.

Few Mishaps Mar Safe-Driving Day

A noon-time check of traffic patrol agencies in Snyder showed that there had been on accidents or traffic violation citations issued during the first 12 hours of President Eisenhower's "Safe-Driving Day" here.

Police, the sheriff's department, and the Texas Highway Patrol officers here all reported that there have been no accidents in the county so far.

It was learned that the highway patrol's radar control unit is operating in the Snyder area today, and when the check was made at noon, the unit had just issued orders to other patrol units to stop a speedster who was reported to have been driving 77 miles per hour on a highway just outside Snyder.

By The Associated Press

A scattering of accidents but very few traffic deaths were reported today—Safe Driving Day across the nation.

At 9:25 a.m. EST only six motor vehicle fatalities had been reported. There were two in Ohio and one each in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Indiana and South Carolina.

Eleven accidents were reported in Cook County (Chicago) in the first six hours.

Areas of snow and rain increased the hazards in the north on the day set for a test of Americans ability to drive and walk safely for 24 hours.

The goal: no traffic deaths and a minimum of accidents, and, if possible, none.

But less than three hours after the start of S-D Day, one traffic death and at least six accidents were reported in Cleveland.

President Eisenhower, who proclaimed S-D Day and has taken the leadership in the campaign, pleaded for an unblemished record of safety. He expressed hope "every American will help make it a day without a single traffic accident throughout the country."

The National Safety Council said that last year motor vehicle accidents averaged about 27,000 a day. In the first 10 months of this year, the council said, traffic deaths averaged 97 a day.

The council estimated that 50 million motor vehicles and a total of about 150 million drivers, riders and walkers will be on the streets and highways in the 24-hour period.

Fair weather appeared in prospect for most of the nation. But mid-December, with its short span of daylight and Christmas shopping crowds, is regarded as the most dangerous period of the year for driving.

Cities across the country have been alerted by newspaper stories, radio and television broadcasts, parades, posters and handbills.

First reported traffic victim on S-D Day was Emmett G. Temple, 29, of Cleveland who was killed at 2:30 a.m. when his car crashed headon into a truck.

A traffic fatality was reported in Milwaukee County, Wis., at 12:23 a.m. today but police had not determined the time of the accident.

Today was chosen for the safety test because it is an ordinary weekday. A committee spokesman said it was selected to stress that "motorists and pedestrians could be careful every day of the week—not simply during holiday periods."

An Associated Press survey on Wednesday, Dec. 1, showed 64 traffic deaths.



Posse Catches Two Fugitives

HOUSTON (AP)—A 50-man posse, aided by gunfire and bloodhounds, ended a 24-hour search near Caldwell last night with the capture of two fugitives who Monday night pistol-whipped Tyler County Sheriff Dan Johnson at Woodville.

Both men, one wounded, were locked up in county jail at Brenham at midnight, radio dispatcher T.C. Burns of the Navasota police department said.

Burns identified the men as Herman Davis and Pete Jackson, both 25, who escaped from the Floydada jail Saturday night. They were being held there on forgery charges.

When flushed by the posse, the two were in a car said stolen in Independence last night.

Monday, Johnson stopped the two when he found them and two women in a car near Woodville. The sheriff arrested them and started to town with them.

En route, one of the men grabbed the sheriff's gun and knocked him unconscious with it. The men fled, leaving the women behind.

Jackson was shot through the left shoulder by Deputy Sheriff Billy Hanover of Brazos County, Burns said. Hanover fired at a car in which the pair were spotted by posse members about 10 p.m. on Highway 21, two and a half miles east of Caldwell.

Jackson was driving, and the car turned over when the bullet hit him. Davis came out of the overturned car with his hands up and surrendered. Jackson fled on foot.

Bloodhounds from Huntsville followed Jackson's trail a mile when officers found the wounded fugitive perched in a tree.

May Release 35 Chinese

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States may act before Christmas to clear 35 Chinese students for return to their Communist-ruled homeland.

That would torpedo Red China's claim, made in a broadcast Monday, that the 35 are being held as hostages for 11 U.S. airmen imprisoned by Peiping as "spies."

It would also set the stage for United Nations efforts projected for the week after Christmas, to have the flyers freed. U.N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold has offered to go to Peiping then to discuss the case. Peiping has yet to reply.

The State Department yesterday ruled out any deal in which the students would be swapped for the airmen. However, Department Press Officer Lincoln White would not say the 35 students would be refused exit permits.

The 35 students are all that are left of 430 Chinese who indicated some years ago they wanted to go home. More than 4,000 of their compatriots elected to stay in the United States after China fell to the Communists.

Much Of State Has Freezing Weather

By The Associated Press

Freezing weather covered most of the northern half of Texas Wednesday, but temperatures climbed rapidly as the sun rose.

The Weather Bureau reported "not a cloud in the sky" shortly before dawn and there was no prospect of precipitation in the brief forecasts.

The Weather Bureau indicated about the same kind of weather for Thursday: Chilly mornings and warm, sunshiny afternoons.

Early morning temperatures included 18 at Dalhart, 25 at Lubbock and Salt Flat, 27 Amarillo and Wink, 34 at Dallas and Lufkin, 44 at San Antonio, 42 at Austin and 50 at Corpus Christi.

President To Ask Delay In Scheduled Tax Cuts

New Try Due For Revision Of T-H Law

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Eisenhower administration was reported ready today to renew its efforts to revise the Taft-Hartley labor relations law, but key Democratic and Republican legislators said they saw virtually no chance of congressional action on this score next year.

An administration recommendation last January that the Taft-Hartley Law be changed in 14 respects went unheeded by Congress. The Senate sent a revision bill back to its labor committee last May. The House labor committee never turned out its own bill for House consideration.

But two Republicans—one a high government official and the other a senator—said the Eisenhower administration was prepared to ask the new Congress for Taft-Hartley revision in a form closely paralleling its recommendations nearly a year ago. Both of these Republicans attended a White House conference on domestic legislative plans Monday.

Major recommendations Eisenhower sent Congress in a special labor message last Jan. 11 included relaxation of the secondary boycott ban, a provision designed to protect "neutral" employers in labor disputes involving other employers and a special union security clause for unions in the construction, maritime and some other industries where employment is "casual . . . or intermittent."

Building Site Is Discussed

The school board last night discussed purchase of a site for a new building, approved purchase of a flagpole for junior high school, gave a vote of appreciation to C. T. McLaughlin for his second gift of an oil painting to the high school library, and approved the appointment of 15 faculty members to serve as a textbook adoption committee for next term.

No action was taken concerning the building site. The board has recently examined several prospective sites for a new elementary school in the northeast quarter of the city. Very few property owners have contacted the school in view of a land sale for this purpose.

The board is still seeking information on the various tracts and discussing the advantages and disadvantages of each.

The trustees voted to purchase a flagpole for $150 to complete a project of the junior high student council, which already has raised $25 of the purchase cost. The pole is to be erected on a sidewalk near the gymnasium.

Members of the textbook committee are Mrs. Irma Busse, Robert Clinton, Miss Mary Lou Devenport, Mrs. Prentice Glass, Kenneth Goforth, Mrs. Imogene Henry, Miss Bobbie Kerley, Ralph Laswell, W. A. Mayfield, Melvin B. Montgomery, Ollie Peek, Mrs. Madge Popnoe, Mrs. Velia Shiflett, Mrs. Lois Stephens, and, as required by regulation, the superintendent, Dr. Cecil Yarbrough.

Yule Contest Entries Due

Entries are now being turned in at the Chamber of Commerce office for two types of Christmas decoration contests.

Rules for one of those contests were announced today by the Lions Club, which will sponsor a business decoration event. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is accepting entries for a residential contest.

The business house decorations may be interior or exterior or in windows. Employes or employers may do the decoration work, since there is no limit on that by the club. Prizes will be $15 and $10.

Entry deadline for contest sponsored by both clubs has been set as Dec. 18, which is Saturday. Judging will be done next week by an out-of-town committee.

The Jaycee home decoration contest has four divisions. They are those on doorways, not including garage doors, with a $10 prize; multiple family units, including oil camps and apartment houses within a reasonable distance from the courthouse, with a prize of $30 to be split by families winning; exterior decoration for single family dwellings, including garage doors, with prizes of $25 and $10; and window scenes, with prizes of $25 and $10.

Chuck Wolfe heads the Lions Club decoration committee, while Johnny Greenfield is chairman of the Jaycee committee.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair through Thursday. Warmer in Panhandle and South Plains Wednesday night. Lowest 20-30.

EAST and SOUTH CENTRAL TEXAS: Fair through Thursday. Warmer Thursday. Cold Wednesday night with low 30-38 in interior and 34-44 along the coast. Moderate variable winds on coast, becoming southerly Thursday.



Margaret Kauzor, 27, a tall, blue-eyed brunette, is interviewed in Los Angeles after she was named in the murder case testimony in Cleveland, as one of Dr. Samuel Sheppard's dates when he was in Los Angeles in 1950. She had been previously questioned about her knowledge of Dr. Sheppard by Los Angeles police at the request of Cleveland authorities.

Cooperation Of Demos Predicted

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower said today he will ask the new Congress to postpone the scheduled April 1 cuts—estimated at three billion dollars—on corporation and excise taxes.

The President told his news conference the budget deficit makes it necessary for him to make such a request.

He said that when you have the government going into the red, federal income must be kept up.

Under present law corporation tax rates are scheduled to go down from 52 per cent to 47 per cent on April 1.

That would mean an estimated loss of about two billion dollars in revenue.

Excise taxes on liquor, tobacco, automobiles and some other items are slated to return to pre-Korean war levels on April 1. That would cause an estimated loss of one billion dollars in revenue.

The President also dealt with these other matters:

Cooperation—The President expressed confidence he will have very real cooperation from the Democrats as well as the Republicans on foreign policy, national defense and mutual security matters.

The President said that by and large he would expect maximum cooperation from Republicans on other matters.

National Defense—He indicated, but did not say so specifically, that the administration might be thinking about a further cut in the strength of the armed forces.

He was asked to comment on a report that Army strength will be reduced by an additional 100,000 men, and that the 1st Marine Division will be withdrawn from Korea.

The President replied any full exposition would take a good deal of time. He went on to say, however, that development of the long-range bomber and atomic weapons has made it necessary for the United States to concentrate first on continental defense, and secondly on preventing strategic areas such as Western Europe from falling to an enemy attack.

He said that in doing those two things, the nation can cut back on its active forces so long as it has an adequate trained military reserve.

Plans to build that reserve, to be sent to the new Democratic controlled Congress, are a far cry from Universal Military Training, he said. But he left it to Secretary of Defense Wilson to answer questions about details at a news conference Friday.

Second Term—The President drew a round of laughter in saying that he defends the right of White House press secretary James C. Hagerty—or any other staff member—to say it would be foolhardy for Republicans to fail to nominate Eisenhower for a second term. Hagerty made that remark in a radio interview Monday night.

Labor Relations—He said the question whether to ask Congress for an increase in the 75-cent-an-hour minimum wage is under intensive study. He recalled he told Congress in his last economic report that the administration does favor an adjustment in the wage floor at the proper time—a time of expanding economy.

As to whether the "right to work" laws of various states should be repealed, the President said he has reached no irrevocable decision. He noted that labor unions are against such laws—which outlaw such things as union shops—and that many of the states favor the statutes as a reflection of their inalienable rights in such fields.

Secretary of Labor Mitchell has called for repeal of the "right to work" laws. Eisenhower told his news conference last week Mitchell was not necessarily expressing administration policy.

Atomic Weapons—The President would not express any opinion as to where rests the power to decide possible use of atomic weapons in defense of Western Europe. Noting that the North Atlantic Treaty Council is meeting this weekend in Paris, Eisenhower said that very question is up for discussion there. He said it would be unwise for him to talk about it under the circumstances.

Flying Saucers—The President said a trusted friend in the Air Force has told him it is completely inaccurate that any such objects as so-called flying saucers come from another planet.

The President made the statement when a reporter told him that some European governments are investigating the possibility that flying saucers have arrived from other planets.

SHEPPARD TRIAL TESTIMONY ENDS

By RELMAN MORIN

CLEVELAND (AP) — Both sides ended their testimony and rested their cases today in the first degree murder trial of Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard.

In the middle of the ninth week of Sheppard's trial for the murder of his wife, defense lawyer Fred W. Garmone announced at 9:53 a.m.:

"At this time Sam Sheppard rests his case."

Sgt. Jay Hubach was called by the state as a rebuttal witness. He is a member of the police force of suburban Bay Village where 31-year-old Marilyn Sheppard was beaten to death in her bed July 4.

His testimony was brief and at 10:16 a.m., assistant prosecutor John J. Mahon told Common Pleas Judge Edward Blythin:

"The state rests, your honor."

The trial started Oct. 18, but more than two weeks were consumed in selecting a jury and testimony by the first witness was on Nov. 4.

The case is expected to go to a jury of seven men and five women by the end of this week.

Prosecution and defense lawyers agreed to begin their final arguments immediately after a recess. Judge Blythin said he would like to deliver his charge to the jury by 9:15 Friday morning.

This schedule will put the case in the jury's hands sometime before noon Friday.

Sheppard is charged with first degree murder.

If the jury returns a verdict of "guilty" without recommendation, the death sentence is mandatory.

The judge may instruct the jury that it can return any one of six verdicts—ranging from first degree murder, through conviction on less serious charges, to outright acquittal.

Under Ohio law, the judge may not disturb the verdict unless he feels the evidence has not been sufficient to sustain it.

Testimony of the final defense witness caused Dr. Sheppard to weep openly. The witness was Mrs. Mary Brown, an aunt of the murdered Marilyn, and she read a letter Marilyn wrote to her on June 30, four days before the slaying.

Corrigan asked Mrs. Brown to step in front of the jury as she read the letter. Her voice was very low.

The letter was a homey recital of events regarding Sam Sheppard and his family. It described meals, plans for social events and referred to Marilyn's club activities.

"Chip is playing in the back yard with the kids from next door," the letter said at one point. With the mention of his 7-year-old son, tears began rolling down the accused man's cheeks. He was crying openly, frequently holding a handkerchief to his eyes.

In the last passage of the letter, Marilyn told her relatives that she was expecting another child. She was four months pregnant at that time, but she said she had delayed

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Cotton Control Plan Okayed; Scurry Vote Is 83 Per Cent

Scurry County cotton producers voted 83 per cent for marketing quotas on the 1955 crop, according to a report by Henry Burchett, manager of the county Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation office.

Burchett said the vote here was 204 for and 38 against. The turnout for the election was better than in last year's vote, he said, adding that about 50 more persons voted this time. A total of 244 voted here.

By OVID A. MARTIN

WASHINGTON (AP)—The nation's cotton farmers today had joined wheat producers in accepting the tightest production controls permitted under federal farm law.

Proposed by the Agriculture Department, these controls are designed to hold down production next year so that surplus supplies may be reduced. The government itself has about $2,698,000,000 invested in surplus wheat stocks and $1,230,000,000 in surplus cotton it has acquired under price support operations.

Voting in a 20-state referendum yesterday, cotton producers were recorded as 313,661 to 27,135 in favor of marketing quotas on their 1955 crop.

This was a favorable margin of 92 per cent, far in excess of the 66.7 per cent necessary to make controls effective. Quotas on this year's cotton crop had been approved by 94 per cent of the farmers voting in 1953.

In other referenda yesterday, growers approved marketing quotas for next year's crop of long staple cotton—a small specialty type—and for dark aircured and fire-cured tobacco—lesser types—over the next three years.

Earlier this year, wheat farmers voted to accept quota restrictions for next year by a favorable majority of 73.3 per cent.

Quotas to be set up will be at the minimum allowed by law. In the case of cotton, sales will be limited to what is produced on 18,113,000 acres. Under this year's program, 21,379,000 acres were apportioned among cotton growers.

In the case of wheat, marketings will be limited to production of 55 million acres, compared with 63 million this year.

Marketing quotas previously had been voted for peanuts and major types of tobacco.

Growers were under strong economic pressure to approve controls. Rejection of quotas in the case of both cotton and wheat would have meant a drop in government price supports to 50 per cent of parity.

But approval of quotas assures cotton farmers of supports at about 90 per cent of parity and wheat farmers price guarantees at 82 per cent of parity. Both were supported at 90 per cent of parity this year.

Parity is a standard for measuring farm prices declared by law to be fair to farmers in relation to prices they must pay.

In the case of cotton, this was a difference of about 15 cents a pound. Cotton has been selling for about 32 cents.

Farmers also are under strong pressure to limit production to their quotas, because excess output is subject to a penalty tax of 50 per cent of parity, or about 17 cents pound for cotton.

The vote on long staple quotas was 1,100 for and 86 against—a favorable majority of 92.7 per cent.

The vote on quotas for dark aircured tobacco was 8,889 for and 539 against—a favorable majority of 94.3 per cent.

The tally in the fire-cured tobacco referendum was 10,991 for and 558 against—a favorable majority of 95.1 per cent.

The 1955 quota for fire-cured tobacco has been set at 58,100,000 pounds. The quota for the dark aircured type is 24,000,000 pounds.

The vote by states in yesterday's farmer referendum approving marketing quotas on the 1955 cotton crop includes:

	For	Against
Arizona	875	127
Arkansas	23,344	1,403
California	3,472	454
Kansas	3	none
Louisiana	16,968	728
Mississippi	54,269	3,085
Missouri	3,369	269
Nevada	(no figures available)	
New Mexico	1,076	115
Oklahoma	7,453	1,486
Texas	46,068	5,902

The vote approving quotas on long staple cotton include:

	For	Agai
Arizona	368	49
California	10	1
New Mexico	155	5
Texas	320	23
Puerto Rico	235	9

AREA OIL ROUNDUP

Scurry May Have Cisco Sand Find

The Texas Co. No. 226-F P. L. Fuller, indicated Cisco discovery in the Cogdell-Canyon field area in North Scurry County, swabbed 239 barrels of oil in 24 hours from the open hole section at 5,309-314 feet.

The fluid had a shakeout of one per cent water. The section had been washed with 500 gallons of mud acid before this latest gauge. Operator had swabbed 100 barrels of oil with no water in 11 hours before acidizing.

The well is in section 551-97-H&TC.

WILDCAT COMPLETED

Union Oil of California No. 1 M. L. Simmons, Northeast Scurry wildcat, has been completed as a pumping discovery from the Pennsylvanian.

The 24-hour potential was 79.5 barrels of oil and 65 barrels of water. Gravity of the oil was 43.4 degrees, with production from the perforated zone at 6,370-374 feet. That zone had been acidized.

The new well is about 16 miles northeast of Snyder and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 138-2-H&TC.

PRESSURE CHECK

The Railroad Commission has ordered a bottomhole pressure survey in the Canyon Reef lime reservoir of the Kelley-Snyder field in connection with the water injection program underway in the field. Survey reports are due by February 15.

Other business before the commission included setting January 12 as the date for a hearing on Forest Oil Corp.'s application for special field rules for the War-San Ellenburger field of Midland County.

NOLAN WILDCAT

British-American Oil Producing Co. of Midland has filed application to drill a Canyon wildcat in the EA multipay field of Nolan County eight miles northeast of Blackwell.

It will be the No. 7-K TXL, 143 feet northwest of British-American No. 2-K TXL, and is to drill to 4,700 feet. The location is 1,102 feet from south and 467 feet from east lines of section 15-Z-T&P.

The No. 2-K TXL was completed as a Goen discovery, the second Ellenburger producer in the field and the first dual producer.

FISHER FAILURE

Lloyd H. Smith, Inc., of Houston No. 1 Ray T. Farley, Central Fisher County wildcat, was plugged at 5,500 feet in sand.

It was drilled 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 2-316-El Paso County school land survey and about two miles southeast of Roby.

FIELD PROJECTS

Two new shallow field tests, one in Scurry County and one in Garza County, are to be drilled immediately.

Pete Lomax and B. J. Zonne will drill the Scurry test in the Corozon field three miles east of Fluvanna as the No. 3 T. R. Martin. Location is 1,620 feet from south and 1,020 feet from east lines of section 575-97-H&TC. Rotary tools will be used to drill to 2,600 feet.

In the Tobe-Strawn field of Southeast Garza County, Tobe Foster of Lubbock has spotted his No. 2 Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Co.

It is 330 feet from south and east lines of the northeast quarter of section 19-6-H&GN. That is about two and three-quarter miles southeast of Justiceburg and 10 miles northwest of Fluvanna. The drillsite is on a lease of 120 acres. Rotary tools are to be used to drill to 4,700 feet.

John M. Giles of San Angelo has set locations for two new projects in the Sharon Ridge 1700 field of North Mitchell County.

The No. 3-A Mildred Coleman and others is to be 330 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 97-97-H&TC, about 15 miles northwest of Colorado City. Contract depth is 2,000 feet.

The No. 4-B Mildred Coleman and others is 330 feet from north and east lines of the same acreage. It is projected to 2,270 feet.

FIELD PRODUCERS

W. L. Meadows and others have reported completion of their No. 1 Bynum in the Diamond M-Clear Fork field of Southwest Scurry County.

The well pumped 84 barrels of 30-gravity oil plus two per cent water in 24 hours on the potential test. Production is from open hole from 3,100 feet, where casing is cemented, to 3,210 feet, total depth. That zone was treated with 3,000 gallons of sandfrac. Top of the pay was at 3,115 feet.

The No. 1 Bynum is 330 feet from south and east lines of section 178-97-H&TC.

Lone Star Production Co. No. 2 J. C. Haney has been completed in the Luther Southeast-Siluro-Devonian field of North Howard County for a 24-hour potential of 278.16 barrels of 45-gravity oil. Production is from perforations at 9,917-930 feet which were acidized with 1,000 gallons.

The well is in section 22-32-T&P.

J. E. Jones Drilling Co. No. 1-B Miller, Jo Mill-Spraberry field test, flowed 330 barrels of 38.5-gravity oil on the 24-hour completion test. The flow was natural from perforations at 7,106-176 feet. Top of the pay was at 7,098 feet, with casing cemented at 7,208 feet.

The new produer is in the southeast corner of section 12-33-t4n-T&P.

SCURRY COUNTY

Forest Oil No. 1 H. H. Eiland in Southwest Scurry County is drilling in lime below 4,650 feet. Hanley No. 1 Yeager is drilling below 3,093 feet in lime. Sun Oil has not yet begun operations on the No. 1 Hudnall in East Scurry County.

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MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

WEDNESDAY EVENING

6:00 Twilight Serenade
6:15 Local News
6:20 Musical Movie Card
6:30 Gabriel Heatter News (MBS)
7:00 Three Sons
7:15 Bandstand
7:30 Sentenced
8:00 News (MBS)
8:05 Evening Serenade
8:15 Mutual Newsreel (MBS)
8:30 Melody Round-Up
9:00 Squad Room (MBS)
9:30 Sports Cast
9:40 Chrysler Concert
10:00 Virgil Pinkley and the News
10:15 Night Watch
10:55 News
11:00 Sign off

THURSDAY MORNING

6:00 Sign on
6:00 Musical Clock
7:00 News
7:05 Musical Clock
7:30 News
7:45 Stinson's Favorites
7:50 Les Paul And Mary Ford
8:00 According To The Record
8:05 Home Edition Of The News
8:15 Coffee Time
8:30 Kitchen Kapers
8:45 Designs For Listening
9:00 Cecil Brown News (MBS)
9:15 Morning Devotional
9:30 News (MBS)
9:35 Story Time
10:00 Florida Calling
10:30 News (MBS)
10:35 Queen For A Day (MBS)
11:00 Break The Bank
11:15 News (MBS)
11:20 Quest Time (MBS)
11:35 Green Stamp Jack Pot
11:50 Musical Bouquet

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

12:00 Cedric Foster And News (MBS)
12:15 Parade of Values
12:30 News
12:45 Quartet Reverie
12:55 Interlude
1:00 Luncheon With Lopez
1:25 News
1:30 Ted Steel Show
2:00 Ruby Mercer Show
3:00 News
3:05 Frontier Bonanza
3:20 Red Ball Express
4:15 Reed's Top Tunes
4:20 Red Ball Express
4:30 News
4:35 Red Ball Express
5:00 Sargent Preston
5:30 Bobby Benson

TELEVISION LOG

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

KDUB-TV Channel 13 — Lubbock

5:00 Agee the Clown
5:30 Serial Cinema
6:00 Community Crossroads
6:30 World News
6:45 News, Sports, Weather
7:00 Arthur Godfrey
8:00 Strike It Rich
8:30 I've Got A Secret
9:00 Circle 13
9:30 Bishop Sheen
10:00 News, Sports, Weather
10:15 Crimson Key
12:00 Sign Off

THURSDAY

7:55 Sign On
8:00 Weathercast
8:15 News
8:30 TV Sermonette
8:45 Hints
8:30 Garry Moore
9:30 Mid-Morning Movie
11:00 Valiant Lady
11:15 Love of Life
11:30 Search for Tomorrow
11:45 Songs from the Country Chapel
12:00 Noon News
12:15 Road of Life
12:30 Welcome Travelers
1:00 Mid-Day News
1:15 Shopping Bag
1:45 Bandstand
2:00 Recipe Round-up
2:45 Doty on Duty
3:00 Brighter Day
3:15 Secret Storm
3:30 On Your Account
4:00 Beauty School
4:30 Children's Theater
4:45 Cartoon Time

KCBD-TV Channel 11 — Lubbock

8:00 Western Adventure
8:00 Hospitality Time
8:15 News
8:20 Weather
8:25 Sports
8:30 Eddie Fisher
8:45 Bernie Howell (L)
9:00 I Married Joan (NBC)
9:30 My Little Margie (NBC)
9:00 Disneyland
9:00 Danny Thomas
9:30 Big Town
10:00 News, Weather, Sports
10:30 Waterfront

THURSDAY

8:55 Program Previews
9:00 Ding Dong Bell
9:30 A Time To Live
9:45 Music—Coffee Break
10:00 Home
11:00 Betty White
11:30 Feather Your Nest
12:00 Norma Raine
12:15 News & Weather
12:30 Serenaders
1:00 Channel 11 Matinee
2:15 Cook Book
3:00 Hawkins Falls
3:15 Melody Go Round
3:30 World of Mr. Sweeney
3:45 Modern Romances
4:00 Pinky Lee
4:30 Howdy Dowdy

KMID-TV Channel 2 — Midland-Odessa

5:00 Crusader Rabbit
5:05 Two Gun Playhouse
6:10 Toy Preview
6:15 News with Bill Richie
6:25 TV Weatherman
6:30 Cowboy G-Men
7:00 Kruger Theatre
8:00 Mr. District Attorney
8:30 Inner Sanctum (NBC)
9:00 Grid Classics
9:15 Surprise Package
9:30 Break the Bank
10:00 News Final
10:10 Weathervane
10:15 Wrestling
11:30 Sign Off

THURSDAY

1:00 Test Pattern
2:00 Movie Matinee
3:30 Sharps & Flats
3:00 Odessa Hoedown
3:30 Telecomics
3:40 Midland High School
4:00 Lookin' At Cookin'

KRBC-TV Channel 9 — Abilene

5:00 Kaleth Keeves (L)
5:25 Crusader Rabbit (F)
5:30 Foreman Bob's Corral
6:00 Music Mart
6:30 Evening Report
6:45 Industry on Parade
7:00 Arthur Godfrey
7:30 I Love Lucy
8:00 I Married Joan (NBC-F)
8:30 Glen Will-E
9:00 Life Is Worth Living
9:30 TBA
10:00 News, Sports, Weather (L)
11:15 Vesper and Sign Off

THURSDAY

2:00 Test Pattern
2:15 Matinee Movietime
3:15 Dixie Lucas
3:45 Brighter Day
4:00 Homemakers Fiesta
4:30 ON Your Account

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

BATTENFIELD-JONES

Admissions: Mrs. James H. Owens, 1809 Avenue S; Francisco Altamirano, Justiceburg.

Dismissals: Mrs. F. K. Smith, Jr., and baby boy, 2602 Avenue H; Mrs. Lynn Akin, 1009 Thirty-second Street; Mrs. Ada Henderson, 2801 Avenue M; Amparman Ortego, Snyder; Mike Carter, Snyder.

COGDELL MEMORIAL

Admissions: Mrs. J. F. Coan, De-Leon, Tex.; Homer Millhollon, Snyder.

Dismissals: None.

SHEPPARD

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telling them "to make the time seem shorter. It still seems long, tho."

She described the reaction of one of her other relatives to the news. She said he simply grunted. She said she had not told Chip yet—"I can just imagine the questions."

Mrs. Brown, the last defense witness, said she had known Sam and Marilyn since they were in high school together. She related the numerous occasions when she visited at their home for as much as a week at a time, and said she took care of Chip for longer periods while the osteopath and his wife were away on trips.

Corrigan asked her for her opinion of their married life, and she said:

"They were very, very much in love. They were very happy together."

Triple Murder Probe Revived

PARIS (AP) — French police launched a new investigation today into the triple murder of British food expert Sir Jack Drummond, his wife and daughter.

The new inquiry was ordered yesterday by the French Justice Ministry after Gaston Dominici, a 77-year-old farmer convicted of the Aug. 4, 1952, slayings, gave fresh testimony in his jail cell at Marseille to court officials.

There was no official word on what the old man said but the investigation could lead to a new trial for Dominici, who was sentenced Nov. 28 to die on the guillotine.

Drummond, his wife, and their 10-year-old daughter were killed while camping on the Dominici farm in the Alpine foothills of southern France.

After 15 months of police investigation, Dominici was accused of the murders by two of his sons. He confessed and re-enacted the crimes for police. Then he went back on his confession. Throughout his trial in Digne, the gruff old peasant protested he was innocent.

The day after he was sentenced, the old man reportedly made a new statement to his lawyers. This resulted in his questioning by the court officials and the Justice Ministry's decision to reopen the case.

Jerry Sadler Back In Austin

By DAVE CHEAVENS

AUSTIN (AP)—Jerry Sadler has his face back into the Texas political picture. He is coming to the 54th Legislature drumming for a beer tax increase and a penny boost in the gasoline sales tax to solve state money problems.

The country - talking, snuff-dipping East Texan who went after what he called the "honey money" boys in past political campaigns, said today he didn't mind announcing in advance what his answer is to the question of how Texas should meet rising costs of state government.

Sadler, listing Percilla in East Texas as his home, was elected to the Legislature after a long recess from the political scene.

The former member of the Railroad Commission and candidate for governor was one of the original hillbilly band campaigners. His troupe included Stringbean and Rusty and other Grand Opry stars, but Sadler didn't make it into the governor's office.

He dropped by to see Gov. Shivers yesterday, he said, to talk over state finances.

"I noticed in the paper the other day he wasn't ready to give his answer," Sadler said, adding that he found the governor out of town.

"I have what I think is an answer," Sadler continued.

"Texas now has a beer tax that's $2.75 a barrel below the national average. There's no reason at all why we shouldn't have a tax at least equal to the average. That would bring in about 10 million dollars a year."

Sadler said he also would support an additional tax of one cent a gallon on gasoline for roads and schools. He figures that would raise around 21 million dollars more per year.

He thinks there ought to be more highway patrolmen and will urge an increase in auto license fees to add 200 to the state police rolls.

Birdwell Rites Are Held Here

Funeral services for William Clifford (Cliff) Birdwell, 60, former Scurry County rancher, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the First Methodist Church. The Rev. E. L. Yeats of Roby, brother-in-law of Mr. Birdwell, officiated at the rites, and was assisted by the Rev. J. Lennol Hester.

Mr. Birdwell, who was killed in an automobile accident Sunday afternoon, had been engaged in ranching near Brinkman, Okla., in recent years. His wife was injured in the accident.

Pallbearers were nephews of Mr. Birdwell, Steve Birdwell, Charles Birdwell, Weldon Birdwell, Buck Birdwell, Eldon Birdwell, J. E. Birdwell, Herbert Cope and Buddy Buck. Burial in Snyder Cemetery was directed by Bell Funeral Home.

Hopes Dim For Quick Solution To Murder

BRINKLEY, Ark. (AP) — A police official who asked that he remain unidentified said today officers are becoming discouraged about chances for a quick solution to the slaying of pretty Sue Fuller.

"All we can do now is just keep running down every little tip and pray that one of them breaks open the case," he said. Nineteen men and two women are behind bars.

Mrs. Fuller, 25-year-old mother of two small daughters, died of a blow on the head by a stick of stove wood apparently picked up by the killer from a barbecue pit in the rear of her home.

Police believe the killer was a prowler who stole into the Fuller home in his bare feet.

Travels Far, Then Gets Turned Down

DALLAS (AP)—Capt. Herbert A. Durham of the Air National Guard, answering a call for jury service, streaked home in a jet from Panama City, Fla., where he had gone on a training flight. He made it here in time — only to be thrown off the jury panel on a challenge and sent off to await another call.

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Seeing Eye Dog Dies Of Heart Ailment

Tesa, nine-year-old Seeing Eye dog owned by Jack Green, 2108 Twenty-seventh Street, died yesterday of a heart ailment.

Green, who is blind, has had the dog about seven years. He got Tesa from the Seeing-Eye Corp. at Morristown, N. J.

Green's wife is also blind and has a Seeing-Eye dog, Roxie, but one person's dog will not lead another person unless the owner is present.

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Flexible Fuel Tanks Tested For Airplanes

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The Civil Aeronautics Administration announced today the achievement of a major step toward preventing plane-crash fires—the development of flexible bladder-type fuel tanks for aircraft.

CAA said in a news release that Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. and U.S. Rubber Co. have developed rubberized nylon materials so strong, light and elastic that:

1. It has now become possible to make integral tanks—fuel cells built into an airplane's wings—out of them.

2. In accidents where passengers can be expected to survive the crash impact, these tanks will not rupture and cause fire.

"The CAA turns this information over to industry for its use in the manufacture and sale of this type of tank," the announcement said.

The flexible materials were developed and tested as part of a six-year research program at the CAA Technical Evaluation Center here.

One CAA official said that fire after the crash, resulting from the rupture of fuel tanks and the spraying of gasoline over the wreckage, accounts for almost one-fourth of airplane fatalities.

"The problem of fire deaths after airplane crashes appears on its way out," he said.

Dr. H. J. Osterhof, Goodyear's director of research, said, "The CAA program has proved that these tanks are practical. We could begin manufacturing them for aircraft tomorrow."

Crickets Are On The Loose

HONG KONG (AP)—The cricket season has begun in Hong Kong and followers of this pastime are all agog about who's going to be the champion of the season.

This does not refer to the British game, played with bat, ball and stumps.

It means insects.

From time immemorial the Chinese have been ardent cricket fanciers. Crickets are fighters and cricket fights draw big crowds. A Marciano-type cricket might fetch the equivalent of $165. The arena is an earthenware pot into which two bull crickets are placed. The crickets are put into a fighting mood by tickling with a brush made of the whiskers of a rat or mouse.

When they are sufficiently worked up, the insects are set upon each other. A good fighter has been known to kick his adversary out of the pot. This is quite a feat, because the pots are usually six inches high.

The betting is brisk. Fights end when the loser breaks away from his conqueror and is promptly removed from the pot by its owner, or is killed in the struggle.

Benjamin Services Are Set For Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Eddie Benjamin, 63, who died Monday morning, will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon in Allen Chapel, AME Church.

Mrs. Benjamin was the wife of the Rev. Henry Y. Benjamin, pastor of Allen Chapel. The Rev. T. B. Reese, superintendent of the Brownwood district, will officiate at the rites. Bell Funeral Home will direct burial in Snyder Cemetery.

Gas Line Explodes

OSAWATOMIE, Kan. (AP)—A new 30-inch natural gas pipeline exploded about seven miles west of here last night with a blast of flame that was seen in Kansas City nearly 50 miles away.

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Silas Garrett, III, Alabama's attorney general, was placed in technical arrest at Galveston, in the fatal shooting of Albert L. Patterson, a crusading attorney in Phenix City, Ala. Garrett has been under treatment at Galveston. In this picture he wears a brace as a result of receiving a broken neck last August in a car accident.

Texans Give Approval On Crop Quotas

COLLEGE STATION (AP)—Texas cotton farmers were overwhelming in their approval yesterday of marketing quotas on the 1955 cotton crop.

Less cotton acreage per farm for 1955 was indicated.

A two-thirds majority was necessary for adoption of the quotas and of the total upland cotton vote, 88.6 per cent favored continuation of the program.

Virtually complete returns from 247 counties in which upland cotton is grown showed 46,068 favoring continued controls with only 5,902 opposed to the plan.

The vote was even more overwhelming for long staple cotton with 93.3 per cent of the growers favoring quota continuation. The vote, from 11 counties, was 320 for and only 20 against.

R. T. Price, State Administrative Officer for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, said there were not enough votes out to change the margins more than one per cent.

Of the farmers voting on the program a year ago, 90.5 of the upland growers favored the quotas and 86.1 of the long staple growers favored the plan.

Texas was one of the 20 Southern and Western States in which the cotton referendum was held.

The Cotton Belt totals showed about 92 per cent of the growers favoring controls. The margin a year ago was 94 per cent for controls.

The 1955 cotton quotas will be designed to limit production and sale of cotton grown on 18,113,000 acres compared to 21,379,000 acres for this year's crop.

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Dixon Says His Backers Stand Firm

By RUSSELL BRINES

WASHINGTON (AP) — Edgar H. Dixon said today repeated attacks on the Dixon-Yates power proposal have not alienated financial backing for the proposed 107 million dollar power plant near the Tennessee Valley.

Dixon, head of Middle South Utilities, Inc., said he had cleared with New York and other financial backers before assuring the Securities and Exchange Commission last week that he has been promised some 102 million dollars of outside financing.

The utility head said in an interview today there has been no change in that support. He added he did not know what might happen if the proposal is thrown into court through lawsuits which have been threatened.

"That is a bridge we'll have to cross when we get to it," Dixon said.

The proposal calls for a new private plant at West Memphis, Ark., to furnish the Tennessee Valley Authority with additional power. Some TVA energy now is used by the Atomic Energy Commission, the government party to the contract.

Some Democratic opponents, who say the purpose is to cripple TVA, have hinted they may seek to drive of financial backing through the threat of law suits. Moves are also expected seeking some sort of veto by Congress.

Administration officials say the new plant is the cheapest and most practical way of acquiring additional power in that area.

The SEC meanwhile continued hearings to determine whether it should approve stock and other financial arrangements for the project.

Joseph Volpe Jr., attorney for the State of Tennessee and some public power organizations opposing the contract, continued cross examining utility witnesses.

He has said he is attempting to show interlocking relationships between Middle South and the Southern Co., both of which are holding companies and which are the firms in the Dixon-Yates group. The SEC is charged with preventing an undue combination of holding companies.

Thomas Says Danger For War Is Small

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP)—There is little present danger of global war, Secretary of the Navy Charles S. Thomas says, because "the free world is too strong, actually and potentially, and our potentional enemy is still too weak."

In a speech last night at the Institute of World Affairs, Thomas said, however, that the Korean War demonstrates that smaller wars can be "just as defeating and just as conclusive" as full-scale wars. That is why, he said, the free world still needs conventional weapons and ground troops.

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WOMEN



TO BE MARRIED

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tate, route 2, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth Tate, to Kenneth Ray Lynch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Rogers, 2109 Avenue S. The couple will be married December 31 in the Hermleigh Church of Christ.

WOMEN'S CALENDAR

THURSDAY

Good Neighbor Club Christmas party, 6:30 p.m., with Mrs. Jack Keller, 2911 Avenue M.

Hi-Travelers Bridge Club, Christmas party 7:30 p.m., with Mrs. Bill Sealy, 403 Thirtieth Street.

Snyder Garden Club, Christmas social, 9:30 a.m., at the Village with Mrs. F. G. Sears and Mrs. John Sentell, hostesses.

Young Matron's Circle, First Christian Church, 9:30 a.m., with Mrs. Art Nicholas, 3102 Forty-first Street.

Victory Bible class luncheon, 12 noon, First Methodist Church.

OES stated meeting, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Hall.

FRIDAY

Ladies' Day, 9:45 a.m., Country Club.

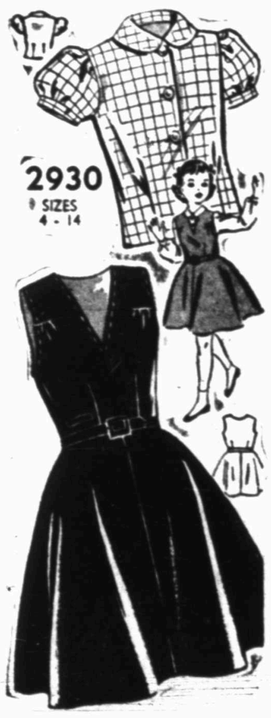
Altrurian Club Christmas program, 3 p.m., with Mrs. W. R. Bell, 2811 Avenue U.

SATURDAY

AAUW luncheon, 12 noon, the Hilander; Gay Collier guest speaker.

Nancy Caton Sunday school Christmas tea and review, 3 p.m., with Mrs. E. A. Brooks, East Thirty-seventh Street.

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Girl Scouts Honor Mothers At Party

Members of Girl Scout Troop 11 honored their mothers at a Christmas party Tuesday afternoon in their new meeting place on the old Clairemont road. The site was recently donated for the troop's use by T. W. Pollard.

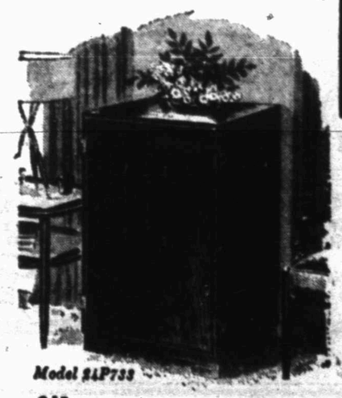
Stuffed animals made by the girls were donated to the Fire Department for distribution to needy children. Each mother was presented a gift that had been made by her daughter.

Those honored were Mrs. Chester Thomas, Mrs. John Black, Mrs. A. M. Green, Mrs. H. E. Aylor, Mrs. R. L. Shields, Mrs. W. N. Peebles, Mrs. A. C. Stanley, Mrs. C. S. Capps, Mrs. M. C. Fowler, co-leader, and Mrs. Felix Glisson, leader. Sandwiches, cakes and coffee were served to 13 members and 10 guests.

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WHAT'S GOING ON

Leslie F. Brown, 1705 Eighteenth Street, was returned home from an Abilene hospital yesterday by Bolger ambulance. Mr. Brown was injured in a truck accident in Colorado City several weeks ago.

Frank Freeman of Hobbs, N. M., has been visiting in the home of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Addison, route 1, since last Friday. He returned to his home last night. The Addisons and their children, Mr. Freeman, Mrs. A. N. Addison, Plains, and L. N. Wilson, route 1, spent Monday in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Lofton, 503 Thirty-first Street, spent the weekend in Bronte with Mrs. Lora Richards, Mrs. Lofton's mother, and in Robert Lee with Mr. Lofton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lofton.

Mrs. E. N. Baker and daughter, Donna, 3732 Austin, spent Sunday in Lubbock where they visited Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. R. E. Thompson.

Sue Cox, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cox, 2611 Avenue X spent the weekend at home. She is a student at Hardin-Simmons.

Helps For Homemakers

Send your questions to "Helps for Homemakers," Snyder Daily News, or call 3-5488.

A prize dessert is Cranberry Jewel Pie. The ruby-toned fruit is baked in a flaky oatmeal crust, chilled and served with ice cream for a rewarding end to any party.

CRANBERRY JEWEL PIE

1 cup sifted enriched flour
1 teaspoon salt
2-3 cup shortening
1 cup rolled oats, uncooked
4 to 5 tablespoons cold water
¼ cup sugar
2 tablespoons cornstarch
2 one-pound cans whole cranberry sauce
Grated rind of 2 oranges
1 quart vanilla ice cream

For the pastry, sift together flour and salt. Cut in shortening until mixture resembles coarse crumbs; add rolled oats and mix lightly. Add water a little at a time and stir lightly until pastry can be formed into a ball. Let rest 5 minutes. Divide pastry in half; roll each half slightly larger than an 8-inch pie pan. Fit pastry into pans; turn under edges and flute.

For the filling, mix sugar and cornstarch in sauce pan. Add cranberry sauce and half the orange rind. Cook over medium heat until thickened, stirring frequently. Pour filling into the two pastry-lined pans; (pans will not be full). Bake in hot oven (425 degrees) 10 minutes. Chill pies. To serve, spoon ice cream into each and sprinkle with remaining orange rind. Makes two 8-inch pies.

Woman's Club Meets

The Woman's Culture Club held its annual Chritmas luncheon Tuesday at noon in the home of Mrs. N. W. Autry, 3205 Avenue U. Sixteen club members and one former member, Mrs. J. A. Woodson, were present.

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ACC Drama Director To Review Play

Gay Collier, director of drama at Abilene Christian College, will review the new Broadway play "The Remarkable Mr. Pennybacker" for AAUW members at a Saturday luncheon.

Miss Collier is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben V. Collier of Fluvanna. She received her bachelor of arts degree from Abilene Christian College and her master of arts degree from the University of Iowa. She majored in theater work there. She has also done advanced work at the University of Iowa and Cornell University. She taught at the University of North Carolina before returning to Abilene.

In addition to her teaching and drama direction in colleges, Miss Collier has directed and acted in summer theaters in North Carolina.

Following the AAUW luncheon, Miss Collier is to give another review for the Christmas party of the Nancy Caton Sunday school class. This program is to start at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. A. Brooks on East Thirty-seventh Street.

Members of the AAUW chapter may bring guests to the luncheon. Reservations are to be made by notifying Mrs. Ben Thorpe or Mrs. J. O. Broaddus by 9 a.m. tomorrow. Tickets may be paid for at the luncheon.

Scouts Will Sing Carols At Park

Plans for a Girl Scout Holiday were made by members of the GS planning board at a meeting last Thursday at the Little House.

The planning board, consisting of representatives from each Snyder troop, meets once each month to coordinate information and make plans on a city-wide basis for local scouts. Officers are Polly Ann Thomas, chairman; Nonnie Rogers, vice-chairman; Clare Smith, secretary; Linda Milam, reporter. Mrs. Bill Vestal is advisor to the planning board.

The GS Holiday will be observed with the singing of Christmas carols by members of all troops at 4:15 p.m. Thursday in Towle Memorial Park. A large campfire will be built by neighborhood GS leaders. The singing will be led by senior scouts. Mrs. Ronald Vaughn stated that each troop is to be responsible for its own refreshments. Anyone desiring further information may contact Mrs. Vaughn at 3-3070.

A&M Building Is Wrecked

COLLEGE STATION (AP)—An explosion wrecked the graduate laboratory in the Petroleum Engineer Building and injured an employe and two Texas A&M College students here yesterday afternoon.

Robert J. Goodwin of Bryan, an employe of the Texas Petroleum Research Committee, was reported in a "fair" condition. He suffered shock and burns about the face and shoulders.

Denton R. Weiland of Falfurrias, a graduate student, was burned about the face and hands and Howard R. Andrew of Houston, fourth-year engineering student, suffered a concussion when hit in the face by a door blown loose by the blast.

College authorities could give no explanation as to the direct cause of the blast. They said Godwin was doing research with gas under pressure when the explosion occurred.

Fifteen other students in an adjoining classroom escaped injury although windows in the room were smashed.

S-D Day Accident

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Robert M. Stahl, 16, suffered a possible skull fracture last night when two cars returning from a Safe Driving Day rally collided.

Seasonal Risk Of Fire Cited

"It is a terrible thing to witness the burning of a home at any time, and it is even worse during the Christmas season," Ivan Gatlin, fire marshal, said in issuing a warning to be especially careful with fires and electrical apparatus during the Christmas season.

"One of the most frequent causes of home fires during the Christmas season is the actual center of Christmas in the home — the Christmas tree," Gatlin said.

"Christmas trees are highly inflammable when they dry out, and they should never be placed near a stove, and all electrical light circuits used to light the trees should be checked for breaks in the insulation and short circuits, he said.

Another way to make Christmas trees safer from fire is to place them in a bucket or pan of moist sand. The moist sand keeps the tree from drying out, makes it safer from fire, and keeps it green longer.

"Snyder has had a good fire loss record so far this year, but its not too late to have some serious fires here," Gatlin said.

He warned also to be sure that electric cords are not placed on or under rugs, and restated the long standing warning that smoking in bed is a very dangerous habit.

$10 Million In Dallas School Bonds To Sell

DALLAS (AP)—The first 10 million dollars in the record new 35-million-dollar school construction bond issue will be sold next spring, the Dallas school board has revealed.

"We plan to proceed immediately during January in the selection of architects," Board President Edwin L. Rippey said.

"I wouldn't be surprised," Dr. Rippey continued, "if we weren't designating projects and borrowing 10 million by March or April."

"Yes, that much easily," Bus. Mgr. Bryan Adams of the Dallas Independent School District said.

The record bond issue was approved 10 to 1 by Dallas voters last Saturday is slated to build 27 new schools and modernize some of the existing 115 schools here.

Mayor Resigns

ERIE, Pa. (AP) —Mayor Thomas W. Flatley, who faces a possible prison term after pleading guilty to conspiracy charges stemming from a gambling probe here, has formally submitted his resignation.

Couple Is Honored At Sunday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Behringer, Jr., who are moving to New Orleans, La., in the near future, were honored at a dinner Sunday given by Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Behringer, 1401 Avenue M.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Graham and daughter, Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Bynum and son, Harley, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chitwood of Lamesa and Miss La Don Chitwood of Midland.

OES To Hold Banquet

The Order of Eastern Star will honor the deputy grand matron, Lela Grogen of Anson, at a banquet at 6 p.m., Thursday in the Manhattan Coffee Shop. Mrs. Grogen will be on an official visit to the Snyder chapter of OES.

Radioactive Snow

SEOUL (AP)—Prof. Kwon Yung-dai of Seoul National University said today he found radioactive dust in the season's first heavy snow here Monday. He warned against eating it, saying it could be a result of the United States or Russian nuclear bomb tests during the past year.

Wichita Falls Votes $3 Million In Bonds

WICHITA FALLS (AP)—Wichita Falls citizens yesterday approved a three-million-dollar bond issue to improve the water system but went on record in opposition to fluoridization of their municipal water supply.

The vote on the bond issue was 2,572 to 662. The vote on the fluoridization issue, put on the ballot after opposition developed when the city started adding fluorine to the water several years ago, was 1,891 opposed and 1,418 for.

Petition For S-D

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP)—More than 20,000 Pontiac motorists and pedestrians have signed a 500-foot long petition pledging cooperation to President Eisenhower in today's safe driving campaign. The petition will be delivered at the White House today.

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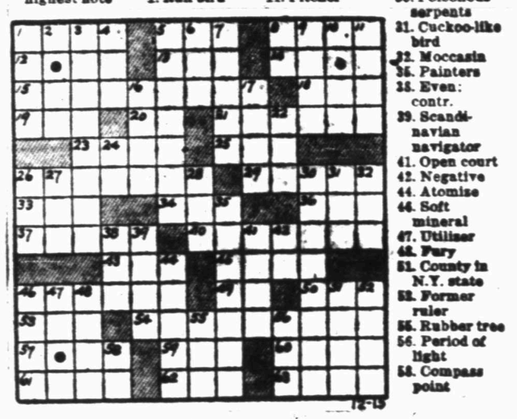
1. Indefinite amount
5. Weep
8. Small island
12. Egg-shaped
13. Narrow inlet
14. Pack
15. Home
16. Mother of mankind
19. Knock
20. Mystic Hindu word
21. Impede
23. Olive genus
25. "—, la la"
26. Dressmaker
29. Leather fastener
33. Japanese admiral
34. Guido's highest note
36. Collection of facts
37. Recipient of a gift
40. Distracted
42. Bitter vetch
45. Jogging gait
46. Vegetable
49. Diminutive ending
50. Rent
53. King of Judah
54. Fighters for a cause
57. Limbs
59. High in music
60. Vocal solo
61. Algonquin Indian
62. Affirmative
63. Belgian river

DOWN

1. Rail bird
2. Above
3. Extinct elephant
4. Biblical high priest
5. Burn
6. Japanese measure
7. Pleasure boat
8. Exists
9. Pace
10. Be fond of
11. Pitcher
12. Performs
17. Organs of hearing
22. Entangle
24. Island off New York: abbr.
26. Denoting the central part
27. American Indian
28. Fairy
30. Poisonous serpents
31. Cuckoo-like bird
32. Moccasin
35. Painters
38. Even: contr.
39. Scandinavian navigator
41. Open court
42. Negative
44. Atomize
46. Soft mineral
47. Utilizer
48. Fury
51. County in N.Y. state
52. Former ruler
55. Rubber tree
56. Period of light
58. Compass point



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Christmas church services, give thanks
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as you please, and where Christmas
is a joyous occasion for everyone.

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20 Gridders Get Letters On Snyder Tiger Varsity Team

A long list of high school football lettermen for the 1954 season was announced today by head high school coach John Conley.

The varsity lettermen number 20, while there were nine reserve lettermen on that team. The B team had 18 regular lettermen and 16 reserves, while the freshman team lettered 19 regulars and 13 reserves.

Conley, Hal Battle, and Horrace Bostick coached the varsity squad, while Jack Dillon was B team coach and J. P. Ward freshman mentor.

Varsity lettermen: fourth year, guard Steve Blair, quarterback Bernie Hagins, and halfback Gerald Crawford; third year, end Alan Snead, tackle Norman Grimmett, halfback Joe Baxter, and fullback Jack [illegible]; second year, tackle Frankie Minton and center Doug James; first year, ends Don McNew and Milton Ham, tackle George Jennings, guards James Parker and Wiley Denson, centers Joe Reaves and Wayne Shuffield, quarterback Powell Berry, halfbacks Claude Stroud and Jimmy Bennett, and fullback Carl McDaniels. Lettering as managers were Jerry Hale and Carl Burns.

Reserve lettermen on the varsity team were ends George Herring and Don Savage, tackles Robert James, Eddie Joyce, and John Partain, guards Hal Holliday and Blue Williamson, halfback Tommy Pritchard, and fullback Bill Fowler.

Regular lettermen on the B team were ends Harold Hooks, Larry Dixon, Robert Dabbs, and Dub Norris; tackles Lanny Wadleigh and David Forbes; guards Phil Tate, Jerry James, Kenneth Blakely, David Floyd, and Bob Harlin; centers A. J. Henderson and Pat Fowler; halfbacks Bob Pollard and Jerry Taylor; quarterback Ronnie Smith, and fullbacks J. W. Cain and Orville Ham. Reserve lettermen on that team were ends Wallace Langley, Weldon Smith, and Ronnie Winkles; tackles Kenneth Kayser, Lloyd Swain, and Robert Little; guards Garland Bishop, John Carroll, and Richard Gladson; halfbacks J. A. Martin, Fritz Smith, and Steven Johns; fullback Douglas Boone; and quarterbacks Bobby Joines, Durward Thompson, and Eldon Fowler.

Regulars lettering for the frosh squad were ends Jackie Tucker, Arnold Dorman, and John Ward; tackles Duane Merritt, James Patterson, and Larry Page; guards Bill Jennings, Bill Crowell, Maxey Carey, and Chuck Cockrell; centers Maurice Ashley, Bill Phillips, and Jerry Springer; quarterbacks Bud Morgan and Dickie Martin; halfbacks Dean Staton, Gary Vice, and Bobby Staton; and fullback Israel Hinojos. Jimmy Cloud lettered as manager.

Reserve lettermen on the frosh team were ends Billy Keen, Larry Mullins, and Vernon Lindsey, tackle Jerry Davis, guards Billy Gohlke and Jimmy Hard, halfbacks James Cook, James Barber, Earl Burleson, Earl Bessire, and Jerald Bessire; and fullbacks Eddie Dyer and Richard Newman.

The varsity team finished the season with a 6-4 record, winning games over Ysleta, Bowie of El Paso, Thomas Jefferson of El Paso, Vernon, Plainview, and Lamesa and losing to Sweetwater, Breckenridge, Levelland, and Big Spring.

The team scored 202 points to opponents' 144. Other statistics included 107 first downs to 114, 2,184 yards rushing to 2,098, completion of 29 of 74 passes for 631 yards and four touchdowns to the opposition's 43 of 108 for 626 yards and two touchdowns, punted 42 times for an average of 31.9 yards to opponents' 43 times for an average of 31.6, fumbled 37 times and recovered 22 of those to the opposition's 43 fumbles and recovery of 22.

Individual statistics of the varsity team:

Scoring — touchdowns, Spikes 10, Crawford nine, Baxter four, Bennett three, Berry two, Blair one, Snead one, Ham one; extra points, Minton six out of 15, Reaves six out of eight, Blair one out of seven; safeties, Spikes one.

Rushing — Spikes 692 yards in 111 carries, Crawford 658 yards in 103 carries, Baxter 502 yards in 102 carries, Bennett 310 in 53 carries, Hagins 62 in 40 carries, McDaniel 17 in eight carries, Berry minus five in 14 carries, Stroud none in two carries.

Passing — Hagins 13 of 36 for 413 yards and two touchdowns, six intercepted; Berry 16 of 34 for 318 yards and two touchdowns, seven intercepted; Bennett none of four, one intercepted; Baxter none of one.

Pass reeeiving — Snead nine for 206 yards and one touchdown, Bennett five for 163 yards and two touchdowns, Ham five for 86 yards and one touchdown, Baxter two for 81 yards, Crawford four for 57 yards, McNew three for 36 yards.

Pass interceptions — by Berry four, by James two, by Baxter two.

Punts — Snead 39 for 32 yards average, Baxter three for 26.6 average.

Punt returns — Spikes eight for average of 18.8, Baxter six for 7.2 average, Berry three for 10.3 average, Hagins one for 55, Blair one for 45, Crawford one for 22, Snead one for five.

Kickoffs — Spikes 24 for 44.7 yards average, Minton 13 for average of 37.9 yards, Snead two for 55 yards average, Partain two for average of 47.5.

Kickoff returns — Crawford six for 13.5 average, McNew four for 15.7 average, Spikes four for 19.2 average, Baxter four for 15.7 average, Bennett three for 21 average, Hagins three for 22.6 average, Snead three for 7.6 average, Ham two for 10 average, Berry one for one.

Fumbles — Hagins 10, Crawford eight, Baxter seven, Spikes five, Bennett four, Berry two, McNew one, Snead one.

Fumbles recovered — Hagins eight, Blair six, Crawford five, Bennett four, Ham four, Minton three, Grimmett three, Spikes three, McNew, one, James one, Baxter one, Reaves one.

SPORTS

Snyder Teams Win One And Lose One

The Snyder Tigers were preparing today for entry Friday in the Andrews tournament after dropping their third game of the season last night.

The Snyder B team, which won its first of three games last night, is getting ready for entry in the Ira tournament.

The Tigers last night fell to Midland 50-43, while the B team downed the Midland B 41-38. The varsity team is scheduled to meet Alpine at 2:15 o'clock Friday afternoon in the Andrews tourney, while the B team is to meet the Gail varsity at 5 o'clock that afternoon in the Ira event.

Jimmy Bennett and Don McNew, two regulars from last year's Tiger squad who had been out with injuries, saw their first action of this season in last night's game here. Bennett played more than half the game, while McNew was in for a short time. Both put in good performances.

The Tiger squad held the Midland team to a close game all the way. The teams exchanged leads during the first quarter, with Midland coming out of that one on top 9-8. Snyder edged ahead in the second period, only to see Midland move out nine points ahead. It was closed up slightly by halftime, however, with Midland leading 24-17.

During the third period, Midland got 11 points ahead, but the Tigers closed it up to seven points, or 35-28 by the end of the quarter. Midland increased its lead during the final period and held it.

Top scorer for Snyder was Jack Spikes, who tallied 12 points, followed by Alan Snead with nine and Bennett with eight. Midland's Gary Roberson paced that team with 16, while Larry Cooper and Hershall Allen had 10 each.

The Tiger team hit only 31.3 per cent of its shots during the game and 55 per cent of its free throws. Snead's 60 per cent was tops for the team on field goals, while Spikes' 85.7 per cent was best on free throws. Midland wasn't hitting on field goals either. That team got 26.7 per cent of its field goal attempts. Free throws made the difference, since Midland had one less field goal than did Snyder. The team made 74 per cent of its free tosses.

Top rebounders for Snyder were Spikes, Joel Tankersley, and Milton Ham, while Jerry Taylor and Bennett drove the ball to the goal. Ham and Taylor topped the defense.

The B team, after a brief exchange of leads in the first period, took over its game and led 8-6 at the end of that quarter. By halftime, it held a 18-8 lead, and after leading by 14 points during the third period, the squad ended that stanza ahead 26-16.

Midland got within two points of the Snyder B in the final quarter, but the locals managed to hold onto the top place.

Bernie Hagins led scoring for Snyder in that game with 11 points, followed by Powell Berry with nine. Don Freeman led the Midland B with 10. The Snyder team hit 31.9 per cent of its field goal tries and 40.7 per cent of its free throws.

SNYDER (43)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Blair	1	0	1	2
Ham	1	0	3	2
Snead	3	3	3	9
Tankersley	2	0	0	4
Spikes	3	6	4	12
Taylor	2	2	2	6
Bennett	4	0	2	8
O'Neal	0	1	1	1
McNew	0	0	1	0
Totals	16	11	16	43
MIDLAND (50)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Nicholson	2	2	2	6
Allen	3	4	0	10
Cooper	1	8	3	10
Owens	3	2	5	8
Robertson	6	4	0	16
Mayes	0	0	2	0
Totals	15	20	12	50
SNYDER B (41)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hagins	4	3	3	11
Berry	3	3	1	9
Prince	0	1	2	1
Dabbs	1	1	1	3
Smith	2	0	1	4
Pritchard	0	0	1	0
Baker	3	0	0	6
F. Fowler	2	3	2	7
Totals	15	11	11	41
MIDLAND B (38)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Wright	2	0	3	4
Rose	0	0	1	0
Howard	2	3	4	7
Thornton	1	0	0	2
York	4	0	3	8
Freeman	3	4	1	10
Smith	2	0	2	4
Pace	1	1	3	3
Robson	0	0	1	0
Totals	15	8	16	38

BASKETBALL SCORES

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

EAST
Niagara 71, Cornell 65
Pitt 89, Colgate 67
Temple 79, Albright 74
Clarion 87, Slippery Rock 85 (overtime)
Adelphi 87, St. Michaels (Vt) 83 (overtime)
Hofstra 71, American University 51
Marietta (Ohio) 102, West Virginia Wesleyan 89

SOUTH
North Carolina State 112, Clemson 73
George Washington 94, Wake Forest 82
Western Kentucky 85, Cincinnati 75
Penn 77, Navy 65
Maryland 72, Virginia 69
Florida State 90, Tampa 62
Duke 107, Davidson 75
Morehead (Ky) 93, Colorado State 73
Louisiana Tech 101, Texas Wesleyan 86
Centenary 94, McNeese 72
W. Virginia State 79, Morgan State 62

MIDWEST
Kansas 73, Tulsa 66
Detroit 68, Buffalo 61
Washington (St. Louis) 64, St. Mary's (Calif) 58
Concordia (Ill) 85, Illinois Tech 79
Lake Forest 79, Carroll (Wis) 65
Southwestern (Oklahoma) 66, Oklahoma Baptist 50
Gustavus Adolphus 86, St. Mary's (Minn) 70
Arkansas Tech 76, Springfield (Mo) 69
Oberlin 62, Penn 54
Marshall 105, Ohio University 85
Rio Grande 115, Campbellsville (Ky) 83
Bowling Green 80, Western Reserve 69
Wichita 80, Regis 53
Hanover 85, Earlham 64
Wooster 82, Allegheny 72
Southwestern Oklahoma 74, Central Oklahoma 55
Eastern Illinois 88, Indiana State 79
Phillips University 69, Northwestern (Oklahoma 55
Tarkio 94, Doane 80 (overtime)
William Jewell 87, St. Benedict's (Kan) 67
St. John's (Minn) 62, Hamline 59
DePaul 77, Quincy (Ill) 22

SOUTHWEST
Baylor 86, Oklahoma 79
Arkansas State Tchrs 80, Henderson 69
St. Marys (Tex) 85, Texas Lutheran 82
Sul Ross 66, Corpus Christi 43
New Mexico Western 67, Eastern Arizona JC 64

FAR WEST
Southern California 96, Hawaii 63
Idaho 86, California Poly 72
Pepperdine 70, New Mexico Aggies 53
Pacific Univ 63, Seattle Pacific 58
Portland 65, St. Martins (Wash) 53

Maxwell Makes Pitch In Professional Golf

ODESSA (AP)—Billy Maxwell, who won national fame as an amateur, will make his big pitch in pro golf this winter. The 25-year-old Texan, National Amateur king in 1951, turned professional only this year.

He will join the PGA tour in the Pan American Open at Los Angeles in January, registering out of the Odessa Country Club.

Maxwell competed in two tournaments last summer, winning $575.

ABOVE THE BLEACHERS

By DALE WALTON

The total crowd for the season watching football games involving the Snyder Tigers amounted to 26,700, according to a report made to the school board last night by Art Nicholas, school business administrator.

This crowd was slightly less than the 27,495 last year, but attendance to district games this year went far over that last season. Total attendance at district tilts was 20,960 this season, compared to 17,856 last year. These are only paid attendance figures and do not include school bands and other workers, who usually number close to 300.

District games this season offered plenty of live competition, while it happened that the Tigers had little opposition this time in non-district games.

Average attendance at home games this year was 2,540, while it was 2,413 last time. Largest attendance of the season this year was the 4,753 at the Snyder-Big Spring game, which was played in Big Spring. Largest attendance at a home game was 3,919 at the Snyder-Breckenridge tilt. Smallest attendance of the season was the 886 at the Thomas Jefferson game in El Paso. Smallest at home was 1,818 when the Tigers played Plainview. The number at other games: at home, 2,153 for the Bowie game, 2,271 for the Vernon game; away, 2,701 for the Ysleta game, 2,726 for the Levelland event, 3,321 for Sweetwater, and 2,152 for Lamesa.

Last year the largest game attendance of the season was 4,922 for the Bowie tilt in El Paso. Largest at home was 3,485 for Big Spring. Smallest of the season was 1,698 for Lamesa, a home game.

This year's adult crowd totaled 18,470 for the season, while the student total was 8,230.

While this season's game attendance was smaller than that of last year, the gate for this season exceeded that of 1953, $10,701.39 to $10,042.79.

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Tomorrow is the day District 3A-1 officials will meet to consider the application of Palo Duro High School of Amarillo for admission to the district.

We do not know specifically how any school in the district will vote on the application, including Snyder's school, but we're sure votes of most hinge on certain conditions involved. Many of the schools have already filled their schedules and will have to cancel contracts if the new school is accepted.

There's one thing we cannot figure. One school which was known to vote against acceptance of Breckenridge into this district because of size of the loop and distance to travel (at least that was the reason given in the turn-down) is raring to take in the Amarillo school. The Amarillo school would, as Breckenridge would have, make the district have nine teams. Distances to travel to district games would also be lengthened. Why doesn't that school just come right out and say it is afraid to keep the powerful Breck team in the district?

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Guard Steve Blair of Snyder was placed on the third team of the Class AAA all-state team picked by the Williamson Features Syndicate.

Picked to the first team were Big Spring's Frosty Robison and Lonnie Holland of Plainview in the backfield and Jerry Cramer of Breckenridge as a tackle. End Garey Lawhon of Levelland and back Jake Sandefer of Breckenridge made the second team. On the third team with Blair was end Gene Miller of Vernon.

Honorable mentions went to several boys in District 3A-1.

Thorne's Personal Effects To Girl Friend

CHICAGO (AP)—The personal effects of Montgomery Ward Thorne, 20-year-old mail order heir who died last June under mysterious circumstances, have been turned over to his former sweetheart Maureen Ragen, 18.

They included: water skis, a comic book, a jar of peanut butter, a first baseman's mitt, a pair of lady's high-heeled shoes, a bottle of mustard — and Miss Ragen's love letters.

A contest for Thorne's $1,700,000 estate is on in Probate Court. In his first will, he left the bulk of the estate to his mother but a later will bequeathed most of it to Miss Ragen.

Hobbs, Ira Cagers Get One Win Each

Hobbs and Ira took one basketball win each in games played in Hobbs last night.

The Hobbs girls team downed the powerful Ira girls squad 70-57 in a game which remained close until the last quarter. The game became a scoring duel between Ira's Baleria Eubank, who tallied 44 points, and Hobbs' Barbara Sellers, who scored 42. Delphine South, usual scoring leader for Hobbs, scored 20 in the game.

Hobbs led Ira 21-18 at the end of the first quarter, 39-29 at the half, and 51-40 at the end of the third period. This gives the Hobbs team a 7-3 record.

The Ira boys downed the Hobbs team 49-45, taking the lead in the last few minutes. The team never got more than four points apart.

Ira held the lead 12-10 at the end of the first quarter and 28-24 at the half. As the fourth period opened, Hobbs was leading 36-35.

Doyle Hayes tallied 18 points for Hobbs, while Bynum Miers had 13.

The Hobbs teams Friday night will go to Highland for their first district games. The boys team now has a 4-5 record.

Officials were Don Bruner and Bob Taylor of the Snyder Officials Association.

17th Annual Crampton Tilt Set Dec. 25

By AL LANIER

MONTGOMERY (AP)—There'll be precious little good will towards man on the playing field at Crampton Bowl here Cristmas Day in the 17th renewal of the Blue-Gray football rivalry.

What with the game being televised nationally for the first time and a dozen or more professional football scouts on the lookout for money players, the Yuletide peace-on-earth theme is expected to hit a snag.

The Rebels have mauled the Yanks in the past six Blue-Gray battles, but this time the Northerners are loaded with some of the toughest football recruits ever to step below the Mason-Dixon.

The Blues are three deep in the quarterback department with a trio of the nation's finest—Missouri's Vic Eaton and Tony Scardino, No. 1 and No.2 in the Big Seven, and Olahoma's Gene Calame, who's never played for the losers in a college game.

The Yankee line is a pip, too, with Capt. Don Dauth of Michigan State and Co-Capt. Paul Matz of Notre Dame at the terminals. They also boast Billy Hillen of West Virginia as another offensive power at the flank.

But the Confederates aren't fielding any sissies, either.

In Al Doggett of LSU and Jerry Johnson of Texas Tech the Rebels have two of the smoothest split-T quarterbacks in the nation.

Major Teams Have Heavy Cage Program

By JOHN CHANDLER
Associated Press Staff

High-ranking college basketball teams headed by LaSalle, Illinois, Dayton and Missouri spotlight a fairly heavy court program Tonight with old man upset lurking in the background.

Two undefeated teams, Dayton (4-0) and Louisville (5-0) meet in what may be the top tilt of the evening at Dayton. Dayton is ranked No. 5 and Louisville No. 12 in this week's AP poll.

LaSalle, No. 1, should have no trouble at Lafayette, while Miami of Ohio might cause some trouble against third rated Illinois.

North Carolina State, No. 4 and one of the South's terrors, plays at South Carolina, Arkansas invades Missouri (No. 6); Duquesne (No. 9) entertains College of Pacific at Pittsburgh; and Notre Dame (No. 20), travels to Purdue.

Last night N.C. State's Wolfpack made it six straight without defeat by trouncing Clemson 112-72 in an Atlantic Coast Conference fray. After running up a 58-28 halftime lead, North Carolina state reserves took charge.

Niagara's 10th ranked Purple Eagles outlasted Cornell 71-65 after a see-saw second half duel. Ed Fleming got 20 points as Niagara made it 4-1 for the season.

George Washington, No. 11, gained revenge over Wake Forest 94-82 as GW's Corky Devlin potted 37 points. George Washington has a 3-1 record—the only loss being to Wake Forest in the season opener, 107-86.

Wake Forest was tied for 17th place in the poll with Wichita this week, and Wichita kept its record unblemished (3-0) by downing Regis 80-53.

Kansas ran its home court victory string to 31 straight by downing Tulsa 73-66. Tulsa had been unbeaten in four games.

Colgate, also unbeaten in four games up to last night, was taken by Pitt 80-67, while Western Kentucky defeated Cincinnati 85-75.

Washington University's Bears drew away in the second half to defeat St. Mary's of California 64-55.

Baylor dominated the backboards in a stirring 86-79 victory over Oklahoma.

Detroit won its fifth straight by defeating Buffalo 68-61, while Southern California made it 4-0 by downing the University of Hawaii for the second night in a row, 74-54.

Maryland rallied in the second half to defeat Virginia 72-69 in an Atlantic Coast Conference fracas, and Duke smothered Davidson 107-75.

Pennsylvania handed Navy its third consecutive home floor defeat 77-65.

Texas Cagers Leave On Tour Of South

AUSTIN (AP)—The youthful University of Texas basketball team leaves tomorrow for the Deep South and a week-long tour that will see it playing at Birmingham and Nashville.

The Longhorns will be in the Birmingham Classic Friday and Saturday, competing against Alabama, Wake Forest and West Virginia. They depart for Nashville Sunday and Monday night play Vanderbilt.

The squad returns here next Wednesday.

Ira Cage Tourney To Begin Tomorrow

Play will get underway tomorrow afternoon in the Ira Basketball Tournament, which will last through Saturday night.

The tourney has entered eight boys teams and six girls squads. Boys teams include the varsity fives from Hermleigh, Gail, Loraine, Fluvanna, and Ira and B teams from Snyder, Big Spring, and Roscoe. Girls teams are from Hermleigh, Roscoe, Loraine, Ira, Gail, and Fluvanna.

Kenneth Dismuke, Ira coach, is tourney director.

First round play in the boys division has Loraine to play Fluvanna at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, Hermleigh vs. Big Spring B team at 7:30 that night, and Ira vs. Roscoe B at 8:45 tomorrow night. The Snyder B team will meet Gail in the first round at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The first semi-final match in the tourney will be held at 8:45 o'clock Friday night, when winners of the Loraine-Fluvanna game and Ira-Roscoe game will meet. Winners of the Hermleigh-Big Spring B game and Gail-Snyder B game will be matched at noon Saturday. Losers of that half of the bracket will play in consolation semi-finals at 8:15 o'clock Saturday morning, while losers from the Loraine-Fluvanna-Ira-Roscoe bracket will meet at 9:30 that morning.

Consolation finals are at 6:45 Saturday night, with championship finals at 9:15 that night.

In the girls division, Ira and Gail will meet at 6:15 o'clock tomorrow night, and Hermleigh and Roscoe will play at 7:30 Friday night. Loraine and Fluvanna drew byes in the first round. Loraine will take on the winner of the Hermleigh-Roscoe game at 10:45 Saturday morning in championship semi-finals, and Fluvanna will meet the winner of the Ira-Gail game at 6:15 Friday night.

Consolation finals will be between the losers of the Ira-Gail and Hermleigh-Roscoe games and will be played at 5:30 Saturday afternoon. Finals in the championship will be at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

Top AA Powers To Meet In Semi-Finals

By The Associated Press

One former state champion and another team that has been knocking at the door are among the semi-finalists of Class AA schoolboy football this week.

Terrell challenges mighty Phillips at Vernon Saturday in the headline game. Terrell it was that won the Class AA title in 1952.

Phillips has been copping district and regional championships for a decade and a half but the nearest the Black Hawks ever got to a state championship was last year when they advanced to the quarter-finals.

In the other semi-final game Killeen and Freer get together at San Marcos Friday night.

Terrell was in Class A when it first won a district championship. That was in 1946. The Tigers won a district title in Class AA in 1951, then won the state championship in 1952 by tying the biggest margin ever compiled by a team in the finals—Terrell beat Yoakum 81-13.

Phillips also started in Class A and began winning district and regional championships back in 1940. Seven times they were regional kings in Class A. That was as far as Class A football went then. In 1952 the Black Hawks were in Class AA and won their district title.

Phillips carries an undefeated, untied record into this week's penultimate round against Terrell. The Hawks have rolled up 541 points in 13 games. Terrell has won 10 out of 13.

Killeen and Freer have been infrequent visitors to championship play. The former won its district championship in Class A in 1944 and went to the state quarter-finals of Class AA in 1952. Freer was bi-district champion of Class B in 1937, regional champion of Class B in 1938, district champion of Class A in 1944 and of Class AA in 1949.

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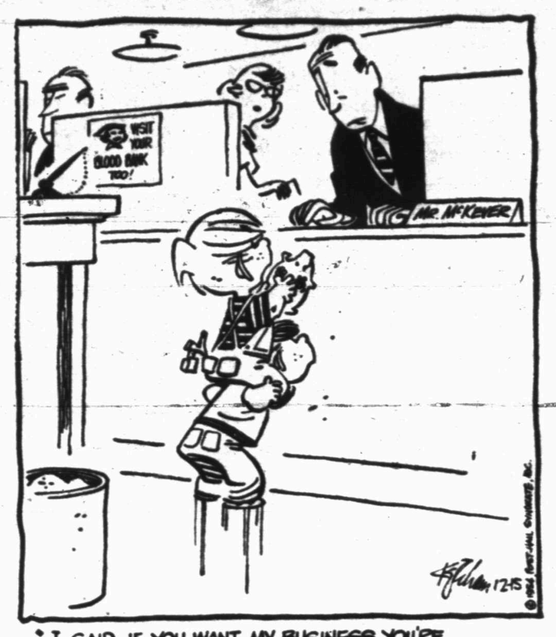
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16 Brooding Days Left Before Jan. 1

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Are you a last-minute brooder?

Do you wait until 1955 actually begins before you start brooding about all the wrong things you did in 1954?

Well, why keep putting it off? Why not be an early brooder? There are still 16 good brooding days left before the first of January. Why not do your brooding now, and avoid the late season rush?

It is this habit of postponing his brooding that ruins the post-holiday period for many an average man.

He wakes up on New Year's morning, feeling the effects of too much partying the night before, takes a look at himself in a mirror, then crawls back into bed, muttering to himself:

"Boy, what a louse I've been all year!"

His 12-month collection of conscience pangs strikes him all at once, and he writhes in mental self-torment. His mind is crowded with the memories of all the ways he has let down himself, his boss, his wife, his kids—and Norman Vincent Peale—during the preceding 365 days.

You can begin gradually. Just brood 5 to 10 minutes a day until you feel you are getting the hang of it. Too much sudden brooding, like too much sudden exercise, is bad for anybody, and particularly bad for people over 40.

One easy way to get into the swing of it is to start off by brooding over all the wrong things you did yourself.

But, of course, to do a thorough, all-around job of brooding you can't treat it like a one-way street. If you don't brood back over your own mistakes, you're only doing half the job, and you're missing the real scientific value of brooding.

The main thing is to buckle down to the task right now. Then, when the new year arrives, you'll be all brooded out, and eager to face the challenges ahead.

Moscow Is Buttering Up Japan

TOKYO (AP)—Moscow radio hinted in a special Japanese-language broadcast yesterday that Japan can make peace and do business with the Soviet Union and Red China without breaking her alliance with the United States.

The broadcast, distributed here today, came only two days after Foreign Minister Mamoru Shigemitsu said Japan would like a settlement with the Communists if it would not "prejudice our basic collaboration with the free nations."

The Red broadcast said:

"The principle of Soviet and Chinese foreign policy is the peaceful coexistence of all nations with different social systems and promotion of actual business relationships with all nations, including Japan."

The statement by Moscow radio commentator Ivan Portavsky was translated into Japanese and beamed specially to Tokyo. It was primarily an interpretation of the joint Soviet-Red China statement on Japan Oct. 11 and Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov's statement to the Japanese newspaper Chubu Nippon last September.

It was mainly negative — explaining what he said the statements did not mean. However, the interpretations did hint at a shift in Soviet policy toward Japan with the following principal points:

1. Soviet Russia and Red China are prepared to talk peace with Japan without Japan breaking with the West.
2. The Communist powers are also willing to negotiate economic relations with Japan.
3. The Soviet-Red China alliance is not aimed at Japan, but is only a defense against aggression.

Britain's 1st Ration-Free Christmas

LONDON (AP)—This will be Britain's first ration-free Christmas in 14 years, and the British housewife will have everything she needs — except possibly money.

Never since the war has there been so much food in the shops. Even raisins, once as precious as jewels, are piled up in heaps.

Costs are another matter. The massive annual influx of turkeys into Britain's chief cities got started this week, and shoppers were unhappy over a price of shillings 3 pence (about $1.02) a pound for the best Norfolk birds.

Overseas turkeys, chiefly from Northern Ireland, Hungary and the Argentine, will balance the situation. Dealers predicted there will be enough to go around at prices around 70-84 cents a pound.

There are geese to spare, and one dealer foresees more beef and pork than the market can absorb conveniently.

Employes Of Penney Store Get Bonuses

Employes of J. C. Penney Co. here last night received Christmas bonuses at a store employes' party.

Bob Taylor, manager of the store, announced that 17 store employes were awarded bonus payments, with amounts equalling two weeks' pay for full-time employes who have been with the firm a full year and proportionate amounts for extra and part-time employes and those employed less than a year.

More than 50,000 Penney employes throughout the country received bonus payments through the 1,639 stores, offices, and warehouses.

Those here receiving bonus payments were Mrs. A. R. Morton, Mrs. Bruce Woodson, Mrs. Sam Stokes, Mrs. Glenn Tate, Mrs. Ernest Babb, Jerry Stewart, Mrs. Darrell Black, Clifton Robbins, Mrs. Harold Wilson, Mrs. V. L. Eades, Mrs. James Wright, Dorothy Taylor, Joe Marshall, J. C. Scott, Mrs. Laurence Gladson, Mrs. Homer Stokes, and Mrs. A. B. Bass.

Canada Makes Plenty On Christmas Trees

MONTREAL (AP)—Canadians are exporting Christmas trees to the United States at a rate expected to net more than five million dollars before the season ends. A check by Canadians indicates a quarter to a third of the trees on sale south of the border are cut in this country.

Franks Is Promoted

Kenneth L. Franks, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lamiel D. Franks, 1311 Avenue R, has been advanced to aviation machinist's mate third class while serving with the U. S. Naval Air Transport Squadron 6. Advancements were based on a Navy-wide competitive examination testing military and professional skills, and personnel must demonstrate qualities of leadership and proficiency in their Navy job specialties.

Cabinet Undecided On Future Aid Plan

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON (AP)—The President and his Cabinet, trying to peer into the future, wrestle with the idea of giving help to the millions of non-Communist people in the underdeveloped areas of Asia.

Some of Eisenhower's chief lieutenants, notably Secretary of State Dulles, have recently indicated they think the chance of a shooting war with Russia has diminished and the only likely war, for some time, is an economic one.

The Cabinet reportedly is divided on the answers to the questions with which the administration has been struggling: Should this country pump help into Asia and, if so, how much and in what way?

This country has no guarantee that if it aids Asia the people there won't eventually go under communism by preference, by internal subversion, or by aggression in one form or another.

But unless this country and its allies can give the Asians a new sense of hope and direction and therefore a reason to stay out of communism — an obvious way is economic help — the door is left wide open to the Reds.

So long as millions of southern Asians remain in poverty and ignorance their despair and discontent will give Communists happy hunting.

Congressional leaders, who conferred at the White House yesterday with the President and members of his Cabinet, reportedly were told:

Russia has undertaken a program of expanding trade agreements with Asiatic countries, furnishing capital to some and technical assistance to others. The Russian program was described as calling for an outlay of 100 million dollars.

This country would almost certainly spend far more than that if it undertook an aid program but almost certainly far less than the 15 billion dollars put into the Marshall Plan to help West Europe.

Nevertheless, any such program will run into trouble in Congress, where there has been a developing feeling for years that the time has come to cut down or cut out altogether the granting of American dollar aid.

There seems to be disagreement within the Eisenhower Cabinet over what should be done.

On Dec. 6 Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey said: "No program has been adopted." On Dec. 7 Dulles said the principle of aid for Asia had been approved within the administration. He said the administration would ask Congress to approve.

On Dec. 10 Harold Stassen, director of the Foreign Operations Administration, also said the principle had been adopted and that the administration would present an Asia aid program to Congress in March.

On Dec. 11 Eisenhower appointed Joseph M. Dodge, Detroit banker and first director of the budget under this administration, to organize and coordinate this country's worldwide economic struggle against communism.

Dulles explained to a news conference Dodge is making a study of the machinery needed to carry on an aid program and that concrete plans would be made after Dodge turns in his report.

Humphrey has been described as firmly opposed to any more big Marshall Plan outlays. Stassen has said any Asian aid program would cost far less than the Marshall Plan.

Navy Board Probing Crash Of Helicopter

FORT WORTH (AP) — A naval board of inquiry is investigating the crash of a helicopter that injured four men near here yesterday, a spokesman for the Bell Aircraft Corp. has announced.

The Navy twin-rotor anit-submarine Bell helicopter crashed while hovering about 15 feet above the ground and burned yesterday morning in a pasture north of here.

Slightly injured were two Navy Bureau of Aeronautics test pilots from Washington, Cmdr. H. S. Brown and Lt. W. A. Suker; Elton J. Smith of Fort Worth, a Bell test pilot, and W.P. Rollins of Dallas, Bell production engineer.

The four occupants crawled out of a nose hatch before flames engulfed the craft.

Sonar equipment, termed "classified," was in the helicopter which was on a flight described as a routine evaluation test.

Fares To Be In Line With Cost Of Living

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP)—The New Haven Railroad plans eventually to adjust commuters fares to rises and falls in the cost of living index, its president Patrick B. McGinnis has announced.

School Choir Sings

The Junior High School Choir of 65 persons sang for the Lions Club at its noon luncheon yesterday. The choir was directed by Mrs. Landis Lee.

Youths Are Convicted In Thrill Killing

NEW YORK (AP)—Two Brooklyn youths were convicted of first-degree murder yesterday in the thrill slaying of a 34-year-old factory hand.

An all-male Kings County jury recommended that Jack Koslow, 18, and Melvin Mittman, 17, spend the rest of their lives in jail.

They were found guilty of torturing Willard Menter in a Brooklyn park last Aug. 17. The torture resulted [illegible] drowning in the East River.

Originally four youths had been indicted. One of them, Robert Trachtenberg, 15, previously was granted a separate trial and testified for the prosecution. A first-degree murder charge against Jerome Lieberman, 17, was dismissed last week. He still faces a manslaughter charge.

Koslow was depicted by the prosecution as leader of the gang which roamed Brooklyn parks at night, beating and torturing innocent victims "for thrills."

Attorneys for Koslow and Mittman argued that Menter's death was not murder but resulted from a mischevious prank. They said they would appeal the verdict.

The sentencing date has not been set.

About six billion tons of carbon dioxide are being poured into the earth's atmosphere every year because of the burning of coal and oil, estimates of scientists indicate.

Dystrophy Victim Has Christmas Early

PORT ARTHUR (AP)—Eighteen-year-old Raymond Waller, the poster boy for the National Dystrophy Research Foundation, yesterday afternoon celebrated Christmas.

Raymond, who weighs only 35 pounds, couldn't open his presents alone. The mysterious disease has wasted away most of the strength in his muscles.

But the youth was pleased with the presents he had received and by the fact that about $3,000 has been contributed in his name to further research against this dread disease.

Guests at his Chrismas party included fellow victims Sally and Nadine Woods who came in from Liberty with State Rep. and Mrs. Bill Daniel and Foundation President and Mrs. F. R. C. Brown of Houston.

Trainman Stops For Visit With Children

ALBANY, Wyo. (AP)—For months Mark and Sharon Patterson, 2-year-old twins, waved to the crew of a Union Pacific train which passed their isolated ranch home daily.

Yesterday the train halted at the ranch. Conductor Earl L. Stark, wearing red suit and whiskers, climbed down and said: "My reindeer are tired so I came by train."

He gave the twins a gaily wrapped package and then climbed aboard as the train pulled off. The package contained an electric train.

Dallas Police Looking For New Recruits

DALLAS (AP)—In an effort to enlist 30 additional officers to bring it to full strength, the Dallas Police Department will start a recruiting drive in East Texas next month.

Starting with interviews at Tyler Jan. 8, a recruiting team will seek applicants at Henderson, Kilgore, Gladewater, Longview and Marshall, City Manager Elgin E. Crull said yesterday.

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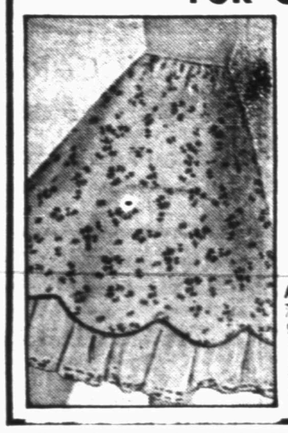
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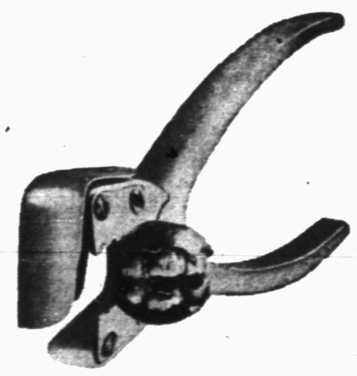
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