

May, Garssons Lose Appeal

Ex-Congressman, Brothers Fail In Prison Fight

Decision Upholds Guilt In War Fraud Trial

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24. (AP)—The U. S. Court of Appeals today upheld the convictions of former Rep. Andrew J. May of Kentucky and Henry and Murray Garsson on charges of bribery and conspiracy to defraud the government during the war.



FACES PRISON—Former Congressman Andrew S. May, once a top leader in Congress, lost his appeal today to escape a prison term following a conviction in connection with war plant frauds.

T & P Engineer Strike Called

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers announced 25,000 engineers would strike against 15 western railroads a week from today.

Lone Bandit Seizes \$21,000 Loot In Grocery Robbery

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 24.—A man held up and robbed an east side suburban H. E. Butt grocery store here early today and escaped with \$21,500 in cash and checks, police reported.

Navy Plane Crashes In Storm; Two Die

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 24.—Groping for a landing in murky weather, a twin-engine Navy plane crashed and burned just east of municipal airport last night. Two crew members were killed. The pilot was critically injured.

MORSE LEADS FIGHT

Senate Tackles Filibuster Rule

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—A Senate group tackled the filibuster question today amid some indications of a considerable lag in President Truman's civil rights program.

Israel, Egypt Break Up Talks For Armistice

Jews Block Removal Of Troops Trapped In Caluja Pocket

RHODES, Jan. 24. (AP)—A usually reliable source said today armistice negotiations between Egypt and Israel had been broken off.

U. N. Acting mediator Ralph Bunche had called on the Egyptian delegation this morning in what was believed to have been a final appeal to them to modify their position.

Bunche had held two meetings with the Israelis, concluding at 5 a. m. this morning.

It also was learned here that the Israeli government had blocked the evacuation of Egyptian troops trapped in the Caluja pocket in southern Palestine.

Senate Confirms Robert Calvert For Comptroller

AUSTIN, Jan. 24.—The senate today quickly confirmed Gov. Beauford H. Jester's appointment of Robert S. Calvert of Austin as state comptroller.

Demos Race Action On T-H Law Repeal

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Democrats on the senate labor committee met secretly today and were reported to have agreed among themselves to cut hearings short and speed action on a Taft-Hartley act repealer.

Ten-Degree Weather Due In Area Tonight

Disaster Looms For Ranchers In Mountain States

Air Force Drops Hay To Cattle Trapped By Heavy Snow

The weather threw another solid punch today at the western livestock industry. An estimated 2,100,000 sheep and cattle were snowbound in the Rocky mountain area.

Sheepmen said the heavy January storms, which have hampered and blocked efforts to get feed to the starving animals, poses a major threat to the industry. Cattlemen expected a heavy toll.

Seventeen flying boxcars were to load hay at Fallon, Nev., to carry it 210 miles east to the Utah border. The hay will be dropped to the animals, but planes, from the 62nd Troop Carrier command, Tacoma, Wash., were not expected to take off at Fallon before afternoon.

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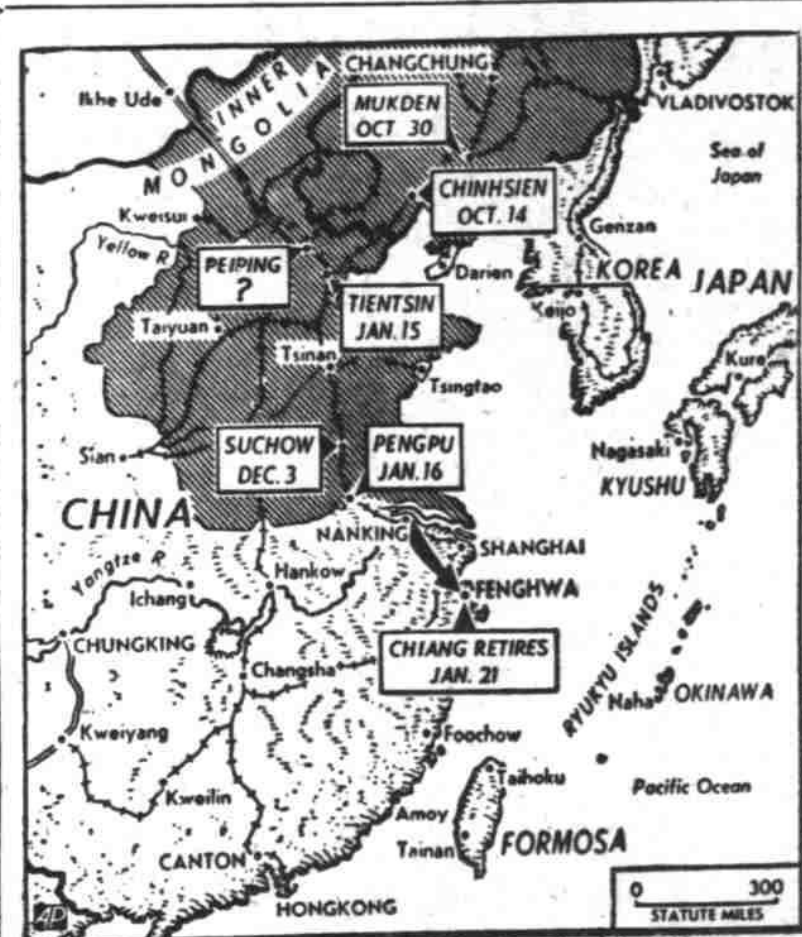
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AS A LEADER RETIRES—Map gives timetable of major Communist gains in the Mukden-Nanking area during the four months preceding Chiang Kai-Shek's flight from Nanking to Fengwa and the announcement, Jan. 21, of his retirement as China's leader.

ARMY IN FLIGHT

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Mercury Slides 22 Degrees In Two-Hours Here

Spilled by a single day of spring-like weather Sunday, Big Springers jumped back into woollens Monday to escape the teeth of a new norther.

Trinity Near Flood Stage

The weather bureau today predicted a major flood on the rain-swollen east fork of the Trinity river.

Few Delinquent On City Taxes

City tax payments have increased substantially since the first of the year with approach of the deadline for penalty free payments, the tax office reported this morning.

Three Die In Crash

BEAUMONT, Jan. 24.—A train-truck collision here yesterday killed three men, all occupants of the truck.

Man, 113 Years Old Dies In Laredo

LAREDO, Jan. 24.—Felix Alfargo, whom relatives said was 113 years old, died at his home here last night. He was a native of Hacienda Santo Domingo, Mexico, and came to Laredo a number of years ago.

DEATHLESS DAYS 410

In Big Spring Traffic

Congress Down To Hard Work

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Congress quits fiddling around and buckles down to hard work this week.

After three weeks spent largely in getting organized and marking time while new members got settled, it is ready to shift the legislative machinery into high gear.

While no floor action is scheduled in either branch, senate and house committees, now fully organized, have called meetings for today and later this week to start grinding out bills, and congressional leaders are planning a full docket for the weeks to come.

The senate rules committee called a session today to hear proposals for curbing filibusters which in the past have blocked many bills.

Also the senate agriculture committee summoned Secretary of Agriculture Brannan to a closed door session to outline the administration farm price support and grain storage programs.

Labor committees in both senate and house scheduled Monday

meetings which may go far toward determining the course of minimum wage legislation and Taft-Hartley law changes.

The senate group faces a controversy over whether to conduct long hearings on new labor legislation or to urge forthwith repeal of the Taft-Hartley act.

The house group hopes to approve by the end of the week a bill hiking the existing legal minimum wage in interstate industry from 40 cents to 75 cents an hour. The bill may reach the house floor this week.

President Truman's request for authority to reorganize the executive branch of government and how he sees fit is the subject of a house expenditures committee hearing starting today. It is billed to run at least through tomorrow when former president Herbert Hoover testifies.

Driving for action in the house next week, the ways and means committee starts hearings today on extension of the reciprocal trade program. The present trade program expires on June 30, and President Truman wants it extended without the strings attached to it by the republican 80th congress.

Two other 80th congress emergency measures—rent control and anti-inflation laws—will occupy the time of the senate and house banking committees.

Both committees are considering a temporary extension, for about 7 months, of the GOP anti-inflation law which permits voluntary items. The law expires on February 28 and congressional leaders favor its extension as is until they have time to work out something else.

The two committees are also wrestling with the rent control problem which comes to a head on March 31 when the rent control act passed by the 80th congress expires. Current sentiment is for an extension of rent controls for possibly two years, but without the present provision permitting voluntary rent hikes up to 15 per cent.

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Watch For Details

Recognize Israel

PARIS, Jan. 24 (AP)—The French government extended de facto recognition today to Israel.

New Wells Boost Oil Production

AUSTIN, Jan. 24 (AP)—New oil well completions continue to boost the state's daily crude oil production allowable total.

The railroad commission today placed the average calendar day allowable as of Jan. 22 at 2,513,258 barrels, 5026 above the previous week.

January's allowable originally was set by the commission at 2,466,034 barrels. Last Thursday February's allowable was established at 2,442,044 barrels daily.

During the week ending Jan. 22, the commission received reports on 155 oil well and 15 gas well completions. Since Jan. 1 there have been 459 oil well completions, compared with 399 for the same period last year, and 53 gas completions, compared with 41.

Drilling permits continue below last year. A total of 184 permits were received during the week to bring the year's total to 613, compared with 703 last year.

Oil wells now total 111,266, an increase of 110 since Jan. 15. Oil fields total 1466.

1400 Workers Strike At Texas City Plant

TEXAS CITY, Jan. 24 (AP)—Striking maintenance and operational employees were expected to establish picket lines today at the sprawling Carbide and Carbon Chemical Corp. plant.

An estimated 1,400 workers walked off their jobs yesterday after being denied a 27-cent-an-hour wage increase.

Fort Worth Man Shot Resisting Robbery

FORT WORTH, Jan. 24 (AP)—Firman M. Fiole, 43, was critically shot last night when he resisted an attempted robbery.

He told deputies C. L. Dyer and C. M. Portwood he was shot as he started to lower the door of his garage. He and his wife earlier had closed their cafe, the Log Cabin.

Nab Eastern Official For Embezzlement

HARLINGEN, Jan. 24 (AP)—Ray F. G. Leach, 22, young Snyder county, Pennsylvanian, treasurer, was arrested here yesterday on an embezzlement charge.

Leach said at the county jail that nothing will be found amiss when a thorough investigation is made. He is accused of embezzling more than \$1,000 in public funds from Snyder county.

Leach was arrested at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. R. McDaniel.

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Weekly Letters Air Legislation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Several Texas congressmen put out weekly newsletters.

Dean of them all is the one issued by Rep. Wright Patman of Texas, who has been at it for almost 15 years. Last week was his 820th week without a miss.

The Rio Grande Valley's new Congressman, Lloyd Bentsen, Jr., of McAllen, started a news letter right after taking the oath of office. A Texas newspaperwoman, who came up from the valley to head his secretarial staff, is helping him put it out. She is Mrs. Celia Hare Martin, formerly of the McAllen Evening Monitor.

Others who mail out regular newsletters include Rep. Bob Poage of Waco, Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls and John E. Lyle of Corpus Christi. Lyle, like Bensen, gets help from his top secretary. She is Miss Mary Cowles, formerly of the Corpus Christi Caller Times.

While these missives are mimeographed affairs mailed out to daily and weekly publications in the respective congressional district they are primarily for the benefit of the smaller papers.

Most of the letters are mailed from here on Friday, so they get to the weekly editors in ample time for their editions a week later.

Major legislative items that have been under consideration in Congress frequently are summarized in the newsletters. Sometimes the congressman throws in his views on pending measures. Often they intersperse their comments with paragraphs on varied topics, as this from Patman's 820 letter:

"Of the 530 members of the new Congress (one seat is vacant by reason of the death of a member), nine are women, including one United States Senator; 216 are war veterans, 80 having served in World War Two. The average age of members in 53.8 years, one year more than in the 80th Congress."

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson does not put out a weekly news column, but he has an alert ex-newspaperman on his staff to help him in getting out his news.

His press relations man is Horace Busby, formerly of Fort Worth. Busby was editor of the Daily Tex-

an at the University of Texas and then worked as a newspaperman in Austin before joining Johnson's staff.

The new administrative assistant to Senator Lyndon Johnson is John B. Connally, 31, formerly of Floresville.

Before taking over his new \$10,000-a-year job, Connally was manager of an Austin radio station. Several years ago he served for a period as secretary to Johnson when the latter was a member of the house. Then Connally entered the Navy for war service.

Connally was president of the senior class at the University of Texas 10 years ago; his wife to-be was chosen as the "Sweetheart of the University" that year. She is the former Ida Nell Brill. They have two children. The tall and handsome 31-year-old Texan is not related to Texas' senior Senator Tom Connally.

Administrative assistant to Senator Connally, incidentally, is Arthur Perry. He lived in Austin 25 years ago before coming to Washington as an attorney in the Justice Department.

The importance of committee assignments can't be overstressed. The ultimate fate of most legislation is determined in committees, not on the Senate or House floors.

Consequently, most members like to serve on committees that handle subjects of particular interest to their districts. Those from large farming areas, for instance, usually like to serve on the agriculture committees.

Rep. Clark Thompson of Galveston has an assignment that illustrates the point.

He has moved up to the fourth Democratic spot on the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries committee. This group must pass on all legislation affecting the maritime trade and industry.

Its importance to coastal cities and towns is great, for it deals with the problems of everyone from the large dock warehouse operator and steamship line to the small gulf shrimp fisherman.

Thompson's district extends from Galveston south along the coast almost to Corpus Christi.

At nearby Fort George G. Meade,

Howard Steer To 4-H Show

Reppy Guitar, Howard county 4-H club member, and County Agent Durward Lewter left this morning for Fort Worth with one beef steer which will be exhibited in the boys division of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show.

Although entry fees were posted for several other Howard county animals at the Fort Worth show, Lewter said others would be exhibited in Houston next week. The Howard county delegation was unable to attend the Houston show last year because of severe weather.

At Fort Worth, Howard county entries copied the grandchampionship in the boys division and reserve championship in the open class in 1948.

Field Rules Change Hearings Scheduled

AUSTIN, Jan. 24 (AP)—The following hearings have been scheduled by the railroad commission for applications for changes in field rules:

March 16—Application of Robinson Oil Company of California for amending shallow depth rule in South Cowden field, Ector county.

March 22—Application of Robinson-Puckett, Inc., for adoption of a spacing rule for the Anson, West Anson and Anson Flippen Limestone fields, Jones county.

March 23—Application of W. H. Hammon for field rules to govern production in the Hammon field, Wichita county.

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January 31, 1949

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BUZ SAWYER comic strip panels with dialogue about a job in Africa and a boat.

DICKIE DARE comic strip panels with dialogue about a head for home and a fever.

NANCY comic strip panels with dialogue about getting fat and running after bicycles.

OAKIE DOAKS comic strip panels with dialogue about a new look and a terrible situation.

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LIL' ABNER comic strip panels with dialogue about a dogfighter and a gibberin.

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Mister Breger cartoon panels with dialogue about a publicity gag and a bear.

BLONDIE comic strip panels with dialogue about a cookie and a washstand.

ANDERSON MUSIC CO. advertisement for basketballs, volley balls, and shorts.

ANNIE ROONEY comic strip panels with dialogue about a kid and a man in a hat.

The Timid Soul cartoon panels with dialogue about a whiff of ammonia.

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SCORCHY SMITH comic strip panels with dialogue about a muzzle loader and a noise.

Herald Radio Log MONDAY EVENING and TUESDAY MORNING schedule.

SNUFFY SMITH comic strip panels with dialogue about a contact and a snuff.

Crossword Puzzle with clues and a solution for Saturday's puzzle.

PATSY comic strip panels with dialogue about a perPELLER and a ZANZO.

Herald Radio Log TUESDAY AFTERNOON schedule.

City Makes Profit On Army Surplus

The City of Big Spring picked up a bargain when it purchased the underground water distribution system and other miscellaneous items at the former Army Air Field.

Total price paid the War Assets Administration for the materials was less than \$17,000. Pipe, valves and fittings valued at well over \$20,000 already have been re-claimed by a salvage crew, and the project is far from completion.

To date the city has salvaged 1,900 feet of eight-inch pipe, 7,600 feet of six-inch pipe, 24 valves for six and eight inch connections, 25 fire hydrants and other miscellaneous fittings. Some 20 more fire hydrants and thousands of feet of smaller pipe remain under the ground.

The city hopes to remove all of the materials before spring, however, and several projects designed to improve water distribution facilities in the city are planned for development before the summer period of heavy consumption.

Major projects include a new loop to the airport area, which is expected to improve water pressure in the west part of town and provide indirect benefits for the

House Receives Rent Control Bill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Rep. Spence (D-Ky) today introduced in the house an administration bill calling for extension of rent controls to March 31, 1951.

The bill also would tighten and broaden controls in the present rent law due to expire next March 31.

Hotel accommodations not rented for transient occupancy on June 30, 1947, that affects about 800,000 hotel apartments rented to permanent guests as distinguished from transients.

Rental units now covered by 15 per cent increases in voluntary leases. It also recontrols housing accommodations on which such leases were previously ended. The right to enter into such leases is not renewed.

Accommodations which were not rented for 24 months during the period from Feb. 1, 1945 to March 30, 1948. Such units are exempt from rent control under the present act. This bill brings them under control.

Gas Tax Proposals Now Taking Shape

AUSTIN, Jan. 24 (AP)—Two natural gas tax proposals designed to collect from \$32,000,000 to \$42,000,000 annually were taking definite shape in the House of Representatives today.

Rep. Deno Tufares of Wichita Falls said his tax bill now is in its final form and will be released within a few days.

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Pointer Funeral Held At Stanton

Funeral for R. G. Pointer, 86, were held at the First Methodist church in Stanton Sunday at 4 p. m.

Mr. Pointer, a resident of Martin county for 28 years, died at his farm home near Stanton shortly after Saturday midnight following a long illness.

Rites were in charge of the Rev. Stewart, pastor of the First Methodist church in Stanton, assisted by the Rev. T. R. Hawkins, pastor of the First Baptist church. Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery with Nalley Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Pointer had been a long time member of the Methodist church.

Survivors include his daughters, Mrs. Chris Schafer, Garden City; and Mrs. Irma Hardy, Stanton; one son, M. M. Pointer, Stanton; three grandsons and four granddaughters. He also left one sister, Mrs. Mary Meek of California.

16 New Students At High School

Sixteen new students were registered at high school Monday as teachers and students busied themselves with the problem of launching a new semester.

W. L. Reed, principal, said that classes would start at 9 a. m. Tuesday for the last half of the school year. If there had been any withdrawals, Reed was not aware of them. He said that so far weather had exercised no influence on attendance. Monday was being devoted to registration, changing of schedules and class assignments.

Rain Brings Farmer Smiles

Local agricultural experts are of the opinion recent rains and snow have put the soil of this area in its best condition in months but they add that all farmers would welcome even more of the precious moisture.

Approximately one and a half inches of water has fallen within the past week or ten days, Virgil Little of the ACA office, estimates. Of that content, practically all has gone into the ground, making it ideal for plowing and listing. Little said this morning he could not recall when the soil was in any better condition for this time of year than it is now.

A hard freeze, coming before any additional rain or snow fell, would tend to make the top soil flaky, however, and make it an easy prey for the wind.

Very few farmers have been able to do any plowing because of the severe weather which has prevailed but all intend to get busy as soon as there is a change for the better.

C of C Names New Directors

NAMES of 17 new directors for the Big Spring chamber of commerce were announced today following a meeting of new and holdover elective board members.

Ten of the new board members who were elected by ballot last week will serve for two years. They are Ray Griffin, J. B. Collins, J. D. Jones, Pat Murphy, H. P. Wooten, Roy Cornelson, Rev. R. Gage Lloyd, Shine Phillips, Dan Conley and Matt Harrington.

Named to serve terms of one year each were W. T. Alexander, Dale Douglass, E. W. Lomax, Bill Cox, Fritz Wehner, Dr. P. W. Malone and Jack Cook.

Present directors who still have one year to serve are Lewis H. Price, Joe Pond, E. P. Driver, R. W. Currie, Douglass Orme, John Dibrell, R. W. Whipple, Marvin Saunders and George G. White.

A new president and vice-president are due to be named at another called meeting next week. The maximum authorized strength for the board is 30 members, which leaves three unfilled. Officials today, however, said that two or three additional board members probably will be named in the near future.

Kovacs Triumphs

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Jan. 24 (AP)—Frank Kovacs of Oakland, Cal., has one leg on the national professional clay courts tennis title trophy.

The tall 29-year-old Californian defeated Welby Van Horn of Philadelphia in yesterday's final match 2-6, 4-6, 7-5, 6-3.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Cold wave tonight, low temperatures 6 to 10 below in Panhandle, 8 to 10 below in rest of area. Occasional snow Panhandle and south plains and occasional rain elsewhere this afternoon turning to freezing rain or snow tonight and continuing Tuesday.

EAST TEXAS—Cold wave with freezing rain or snow in northwest, west central and north central portions this afternoon and tonight and continuing Tuesday. Occasional rain elsewhere this afternoon. Much colder tonight with rain changing to freezing rain tonight and Tuesday. Lowest temperatures tonight 5 to 20 below and 15 to 20 below and west central portions. Fresh to strong southerly winds on the coast shifting to northerly late tonight or Tuesday.

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Cloudy, cooler, occasional freezing rain, snow. Continued cold Tuesday. High today 25, low tonight 10, high tomorrow 20.

Highest temperature this date, 79 in 1943; lowest this date, 8 in 1918; maximum rainfall this date, 8.11 in 1926.

TEMPERATURES

City	Max	Min
Arlene	60	45
Amario	60	45
BIG SPRING	60	45
Chicago	37	28
Denver	37	28
El Paso	61	37
Fort Worth	72	53
Galveston	62	38
New York	52	42
St. Louis	52	42
Sun sets today at 5:13 p. m., rises Tuesday at 7:44 a. m.		

MARKETS

COTTON
NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP)—Cotton futures at noon were 15 cents a bale higher to 10 cents lower than the previous close. March 27.75, May 28.25 and July 29.34.

WALL STREET
NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP)—Steel shares moved higher today in a quiet and narrow stock market. Activity, which gained momentum slowly, was a continuation of their better than average performance of last week.

For the most part the market was held within a range of 1/2 to 1 point in either direction with a pretty fair balance between the plus and minus signs.

LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH, Jan. 24 (AP)—CATTLE: 1,000; calves 1,000; about steady with last Friday; some intervals bidding lower on steers, yearlings, bulls and heavy calves; good fed steers, yearlings and heifers 21.00-23.00; common to medium 17.00-21.00; common and cutters 15.00-18.00; bulls 15.00-20.00; good and choice fat calves 21.00-24.00; common to medium calves 15.00-20.00.

HOGS: 1,000; butchers mostly 25 cents above last Friday; some steady to 25 cents higher; feeder pigs unchanged; top 20.75 paid sparingly; good and choice 20.00-25.00; butchers 20.00-25.00; good and choice 18.00-20.00; top 15.00-18.00.

SHEEP: 1,000; slaughter lambs strong to 20 cents higher; other sheep fully steady; medium to good wooled slaughter lambs with wet fleeces 22.00-23.00; maximum to good short lambs 22.50-23.00; maximum to good short lambs 22.50-23.00; 20.00; good short ewes with No. 2 pelts 15.00; good feeder lambs 20.00.



YOUTH SHOT TO DEATH WHILE FLEEING POLICE—Pfc. Thomas P. Lewison, 19, sprawls in the entrance of a Minneapolis hotel, dying of a police bullet wound inflicted as he ran from a truck following a chase of several blocks. Detective Inspector Eugene Bernath said the truck had been stolen. The boy was home on furlough from Lackland Air Base at San Antonio, Tex. (AP Wirephoto).

Board Studies Welfare Cases

County commissioners passed on welfare matters Monday morning in consultation with Mary Cantrell, county welfare worker.

They also talked with W. V. Boyles concerning right-of-way on the proposed county-state Gail road project. This would require road-way for widening the proposed all-weather road and somewhere between two and three acres at a corner for a curve. No agreement was reached.

During the afternoon the court was due to be closed with Joe Blissard, a land owner on the proposed Lomax all-weather road. Judge J. E. Brown said the court had been given deeds on all other roadway needed for this project.

Episcopal Meet In Annual Council

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 24 (AP)—Hundreds of Episcopalians from south and southwest Texas are scheduled to gather here this week for the annual council of the diocese of West Texas. The gatherings will observe the 75th anniversary through 1949. The council sessions will include a meeting of the young churchmen of West Texas and will begin Friday. The annual assembly of the Daughters of the King will be held Saturday.

Flames Sweep Small Town In Oklahoma

MOUNTAIN PARK, Okla., Jan. 24 (AP)—Fire swept through the business district of this little southwestern Oklahoma town today with loss unofficially estimated at \$100,000.

Illness Fatal To R. V. Crawford

Last rites were to be said at 3:30 p. m. today at the Nalley chapel for Rufus V. Crawford, 76, who died Sunday at 2:30 p. m. following an illness of several years duration.

He and Mrs. Crawford, who survives him, had been residents of Big Spring for approximately 20 years, and they resided at 704 E. 4th street.

By trade he had been a blacksmith, mechanic and carpenter until illness forced his retirement. Among survivors are six nieces including Mrs. Marie Jennings, Mrs. Arthur Rueckert, Mrs. Jean Loving of Big Spring, Mrs. Thula Center and Mrs. Searcy Drake of Fort Worth and Mrs. W. R. Nicholson of Longview.

Services were to be held at the Nalley chapel with the Rev. Marvin Clark, pastor of the Trinity Baptist church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Alvie H. Carleton, First Methodist pastor. Mr. Crawford was a member of the Baptist church.

Pallbearers were to be K. H. McGibbon, Jeff Jenkins, Bill Early, J. B. Collins, Cecil Nabors, and W. S. Morrison.

Held For 'Hot' Checks

Andras Hernandez has been lodged in the county jail on a charge of passing several hot checks. He was arrested by members of the sheriff's office Sunday evening.

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Japanese Voters Shift To Right Seeking Stability

TOKYO, Jan. 24 (AP)—Complete unofficial returns tonight showed the Japanese voters turned to political extremes—right and left—in an impatient demand for economic stability.

Prime Minister Shigeru Yoshida's arch conservative Democratic Liberal party in yesterday's election gained 263 of the Diet's 466 seats, a jump of more than 100. This gave the prime minister's party a parliamentary working majority—the first since Japan's surrender.

The Communists grabbed 35 seats, 31 more than they had; the Democrats 70, Social Democrats 49, People Cooperative 14, other parties 23 and the independents 12.

Lynn Chandnois, rangy Flint, Mich., right halfback, was Michigan State College's leading football scorer last season with 12 touchdowns for 72 points.

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To Make Plans

Plans for the year will be made at the first 1949 official board meeting of the United Council of Church Women scheduled for Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. John Warfield.

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Moppet Radio Operator Is Grownup In "Ham" Field, Father Is Teacher

By HERB ALTSCHULL
AP Newsfeatures
PHILADELPHIA—Jane Bieberman is as tiny as an average 10-year-old.
But when it comes to radio, Jane is a real grownup—and the youngest radio operator in the country. Jane doesn't like to take too much credit for her accomplishments. After all, her daddy is a math teacher and one of the best known amateur radio operators in the Philadelphia area. He taught her all she knows.
But with daddy, Jesse Bieberman of suburban Cynwyd, it's a different story.
"Jane wanted to learn to be a ham," he said. "She's a bright kid. She likes everything. She's full of pep. She likes to read, she likes her girl scouts and her piano, and she likes school."
Tiny Jane, eldest of three sisters, first took an active interest in radio when she was six years old. She wanted to know how to copy the code as it came dot-dashing through her daddy's receiver.
So the lessons began. When her father left for the Army, she had learned to copy five words a minute.
The radio training fell off. When Daddy came back there were more important things than radio to talk about at first.
Last spring, Jane decided she wanted to take up her radio studies again. She and her father went to work. To pass the examination for an amateur operator's license given by the Federal Communications Commission, she had to copy 13 words a minute and answer many technical questions.
On August 20, Jane and her father went to the Customs House and Jane took her examination.
"She was very confident," said Herbert Lipsom, the FCC man who gave her the test. "If you didn't look at her and see how small she was, you'd swear she was a grown-up."
"I asked her if she was nervous and I told her our testing machine that sends out code on ticker tape would probably make her nervous. 'Oh, no,' she said. 'My father has one just like it. I used to practice on it.'"
"Her father went out and she took the test. She filled out her application all by herself, turned in the test and said she hoped it turned out satisfactorily. The entire exam took about two hours and she went through it like she really knew what she was doing."
"The only thing that seemed to disturb her was her math. She said her father had given her special training and she was concerned about whether she'd know the answers to the stock questions."
Six weeks later, Jane received her "B" amateur radio license. That made her eligible to transmit and receive on certain frequencies. An "A" license is issued after a year and the operator must pass a more difficult examination. With an "A" license, any frequency available to amateurs can be used.
Lipsom said that while Jane is the youngest radio operator now in the country, there was an eight-year-old girl who passed her "B" test in 1933. That test was given in Baltimore and the young lady now is a commercial radio operator with an air line.
Jane isn't sure she wants to take up radio work commercially. The only thing she's sure she doesn't want to be is a school teacher. Her mother and father both teach school.
Little Miss Bieberman has her own station, W30VV, with power of 25-watts. This permits contacts with points in Canada and as far west as Wisconsin.
Jane admitted that she's still a little nervous about her radio talks.
"We talk about the weather and our frequencies and other technical things," she said. "I'm getting over being scared now though. What I'd like to do is get a card from every state in the country."
Radio hams exchange cards through clearing agencies in the zones of the country set up by the

amateurs' own organization. Jane "works" somebody on her radio set about three evenings a week and makes about a half-dozen contacts per week.
"It's getting so," her father said, "that everybody is trying to work Jane. They've heard about her and they want to contact her. I don't think she'll have much trouble collecting a lot of cards."
Bieberman has been a ham for 23 years and has a station of his own. He has made contacts in 198 foreign countries, including the Soviet Union.
Jane's younger sister, Alice, 7, also is much interested in radio and chances are it won't be long

before Bieberman teaches her how to operate a set.
Little Jane is by no means a "radio bug." She finds time for many other things. She attends girl scout meetings regularly, she likes sports events and she's a proficient pianist. She practices an hour a day.
Jane was busy talking with a reporter and posing for a photographer when the piano playing aptitude was mentioned.
"That reminds me," said Bieberman. "Did you practice today?"
"Oh, yes," said Jane.
"You bet," agreed Mrs. Bieberman. "It's piano first—then radio." Bieberman smiled. So did Jane.

COMING EVENTS

- MONDAY**
FIRST CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S COUNCIL CIRCLES will meet as follows: Mary Circle, The First Methodist Church at 7 p. m.; Martha Circle, Mrs. Brown Rogers, 309 North Main, 3 p. m.; and Ruth Circle, Mrs. C. Lewis, 201 Mill Road, 7:30 p. m.
JOHN A. KEE, REBEKAH LODGE will meet at the WOW Hall at 4 p. m.
ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL WOMAN'S AUXILIARY will meet in the parish house at 3 p. m.
CHURCH OF CHRIST LADIES BIBLE CLASS will meet at the church at 3 p. m.
- TUESDAY**
WESLEY METHODIST WMS will meet at the church for a yearbook program at 3 p. m.
AIRPORT BAPTIST WMS will meet at church in regular business session, with Mrs. Franklin Early in charge at 2 p. m.
NORTHEAST BAPTIST WMS will meet at the church at 3 p. m.
AAUW will meet in the home of Mrs. Curtis Driver, 1207 Johnson, at 4 p. m.
BIG SPRING REBEKAH LODGE will meet at the IOOF hall at 7:30 p. m.
SPOUGAZIO FORA will meet in the home of Rhoda Miller, 1711 Johnson, at 7:30 p. m.
OMICRON CHAPTER of the Beta Sigma Phi will meet in the Settler hotel at 8 p. m.
EXEMPLAR CHAPTER, BETA SIGMA PHI, will meet in the home of Pattie O'Neil, 1005 Young at 8 p. m.
ORDER OF RAINBOW FOR GIRLS meets in the Masonic hall at 7 p. m.
TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Horace Garrett, 1000 East 12th at 2:15 p. m.
- WEDNESDAY**
NITE OUT BRIDGE CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. S. J. Ages, 207 Galveston, at 7:30 p. m.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHORUS will meet at the church at 8:30 p. m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHORUS will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.
LADIES HOME LEAGUE of the Salvation Army will meet in the Dora Roberts Chancel at 2 p. m.
SACRED HEART CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Ben Jernigan, 707 E. 12th, at 2 p. m.
BIG SPRING GARDEN CLUB will meet in St. Mary's Episcopal Parish house at 2:30 p. m.
STITCH 'N' BIT CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. Tip Anderson, 912 E. 12th, at 3 p. m.
- THURSDAY**
ALPHA CHI CHAPTER of Epsilon Sigma Alpha will meet at the Settler hotel at 7:30 p. m.
NEW IDEA SEWING CLUB will meet with Mrs. Mary Wilk in Station.
ROYAL NEIGHBORS meet in the WOW hall at 2:30 p. m.
MODERN BRIDGE CLUB meets with Mrs. Hertha Peaty, 1110 Wood, at 2 p. m.
DESERT BRIDGE CLUB will meet in the home of Mrs. L. D. Crane, 1502 11th Place, at 2 p. m.
COUNTRY HEIGHTS CARBON-TEACHER ASSOCIATION will meet at the school at 2:30 p. m.
OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING OF THE FEDERATED COUNCIL OF CHURCH WOMEN will be held in the home of Mrs. John Warfield at 7:30 p. m. The affair will be a covered dish supper.
STERLING TEMPLE 43 of the PYTHIAN SISTERS will meet in the KP hall at 2:30 p. m.
WOODMAN CIRCLE meets in the WOW hall at 7:30 p. m.
MODERN WOMAN'S FORUM meets in the home of Mrs. G. W. Chown, 217 Brighton, at 8 p. m.
CITY FIREMAN AUXILIARY meets in the home of Mrs. R. R. Fields, 308 E. 4th, at 3 p. m.

Banquet Tonight

Mary Miller of Abilene, area scouting director, will be a special guest at the annual banquet of the Big Spring Girl Scout Association to be held tonight at 7 o'clock in the First Methodist Church. Miss Miller has resigned her present position and this is her last week of service in this territory. She will continue scouting work when she takes up a similar position in another state.
The Rev. Alsie H. Carleton, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will be the banquet speaker. Senior Scouts will furnish musical numbers.
Mary Miller will remain in Big Spring to conduct a regular monthly leaders meeting to be held at the First Christian Church Tuesday at 1:30 p. m.

Lutheran Ladies Have Social Meet Sunday Afternoon

Members of the Lutheran Ladies Aid met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Radanof for their monthly social meeting. Games were the entertainment.
Refreshments carried out a snow theme.
Those present were: Mrs. Albert Hohertz, Mrs. F. G. L. Snow, Mrs. Henry Fehler, Mrs. Kurt Kowerski, Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. W. F. Pachall, Rev. and Mrs. Ad. H. Hoyer, Mrs. R. A. Pachall, Mrs. M. W. Rupp, three guests, Mrs. Fred James of Decatur, Ill., Mrs. John Fallon and Mrs. Herbert Smith and the hostess.

Wedding Vows Are Exchanged Saturday Night

Willie Mae Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Heath, and L. P. Kuykendall were united in marriage Saturday evening.
The Rev. James S. Parks, pastor of the East Fourth Baptist church, read the informal ceremony.
The bride was attired in a street-length navy blue dress and carried out the traditional something old, something borrowed and something blue.
The Kuykendalls will make their home at 307 East 10th in Big Spring, where the groom is employed by Mead's Bakery.

Are Married

Mrs. Vance Gibson of Big Spring, formerly of Cross Plains, and Jimmie Miller of Kermit, were united in marriage last Wednesday in Weatherford. The Rev. C. H. Scieszerson, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiated.
The Millers will make their home in Big Spring.

Bridal Gift Party Given In Vincent Honoring Gay Barr

A bridal gift party honoring Gay Barr of Midland, was given in the home of Mrs. Ed J. Carpenter at Vincent. Miss Barr is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barr of Vincent.
Mrs. O. J. Ingram, Mrs. James C. Barr, Mrs. Willis R. Winters and Mrs. Vernie Barr were co-hostesses. Mrs. Ingram was at the bride's book. Games of 42 were played. Georgette Glynn and his brother, Scouter Glynn furnished musical numbers.
Covered with a cream damask cloth, the refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of blue snapdragons. Mrs. James C. Barr presided at the punch bowl. Mrs. Vernie Barr presented favors of little rice bags tied with blue and white ribbon. Blue and white are the bride's chosen colors.
Approximately 60 persons were on the guest list which included persons from Coahoma and Midland.



GOOD FIT—Dorris Day, right, vocalist with Les Brown's orchestra and the Bob Hope show, tried on Dell Walker's hat recently when the troupe presented a program in Rose Field house at H-SU and found it exactly the right size. Miss Walker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arvie E. Walker, 404 Washington, and is a H-SU junior. Her activities include membership in the Cow Girls, in the riding club, the Future Teachers of America, Spanish club. She is an education major. (Photo courtesy H-SU).

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New County Agent Assistant On Job

Fred Wilkerson, Menard, arrived here Sunday to begin his duties as assistant agriculture agent for Howard county.
He was graduated from Texas A&M college at the end of the fall semester last week. Wilkerson's assignment here as assistant to County Agent Durward Lewter is temporary, pending an opening as county agent elsewhere. The extension service is maintaining a policy of assigning A&M agriculture graduates to posts as assistant agents as soon as they receive degrees.
W. M. Day, Jr., was here temporarily last summer on a similar assignment. He was subsequently appointed county agent of Upton county.

Accidents Claim Six State Lives

By The Associated Press
At least six persons died violently in Texas over the weekend.
Five died in traffic accidents and one was accidentally shot to death.
Three men were killed in a railroad crossing accident at Beaumont Monday. They were Murphy LaFoe, John Ruggles and Charles Swearingen, all from Silsbee, Tex. They were riding in a pickup truck which was in collision with a Southern Pacific passenger train.
A woman identified by police as Mrs. Maxine Milliken, 36, was killed early Saturday in Fort Worth when struck by an automobile.
J. M. Cox, 16, was killed in Fort Worth Sunday night when struck by an automobile as he walked with four other members of his family along the roadway.
Ludvik Thompson, 58, of Asa, McClennan county, was killed Saturday when the shotgun he was carrying accidentally discharged while he was hunting. Sheriff C. C. Maxey said he believed the gun's trigger became entangled in brush.

State Solon's Father Killed By Motor Car

ARCHER CITY, Jan. 24. (U.S.—Sam Horany, father of state representative Jimmy P. Horany of District No. 110, was killed almost instantly about 7 a. m. this morning when struck by an automobile here.
Horany had left the courthouse and was walking across the street when struck. Sheriff A. H. Gosler said there was a driving rain storm.
The car was driven by an oil field worker.
The accident occurred in front of a dry goods store which Horany operated 21 years.



British Cabinet Recognizes Israel

LONDON, Jan. 24. (U.S.—A government source said the British cabinet formally approved British recognition of Israel today.
The informant, who declined to be named, said Britain would announce her decision in a matter of days.
The announcement probably will be made by Foreign Secretary Bevin to the House of Commons.
One of the things now holding it up, he said, is a desire to coordinate announcement of British recognition with similar announcements by the Australian and New Zealand governments.
Responsible sources said announcements of the move probably would follow quickly Israel's elections tomorrow. It was possible, however, the cabinet would arrange an earlier announcement.

To Be Speaker

"Soil Conservation" will be the subject discussed by Durward Lewter at a meeting of the Big Spring Garden Club scheduled for Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the Episcopal Parish house.
All members are being urged to attend the meeting. Club membership is open to interested persons.

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