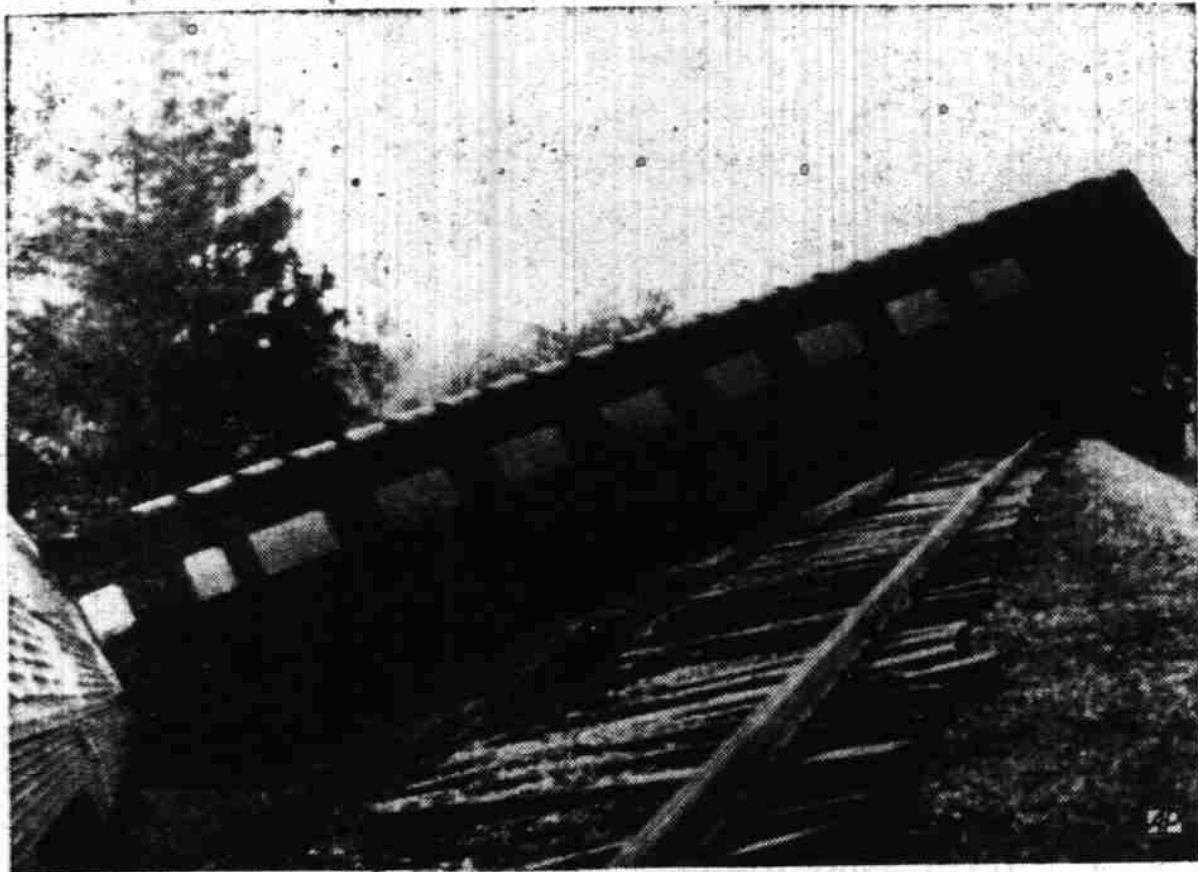


Have you done your part toward the Howard County Victory Chest? If you haven't, it won't be done.



"SILVER METEOR" WRECK: TWO KILLED—Here are some of the cars scattered across the track in the wreckage of the Seaboard Air Line's passenger train, "The Silver Meteor," near Blaney, S. C., Jan. 2. Two passengers were killed and more than 20 were injured.

# Federal Conciliators Receive New Setbacks

## Stark Wanted Fleet In West Pacific, He Says

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—The senate-house inquiry committee today studied a statement by Adm. Harold R. Stark that a group of senators wanted the fleet pulled back to the west coast after Pearl Harbor but that he resisted their demands.

Stark recalled for additional questioning today, told the investigating group yesterday about a Capitol Hill conference he and Gen. George C. Marshall held with legislators after the Dec. 7, 1941, attack.

The then chief of naval operations said the senators were worried about the safety of west coast cities. He did not identify the senators.

"I pointed out to them," Stark said, "that the place for the fleet was as far west in the Pacific as we could afford to place it."

Stark added that he reported to the late President Roosevelt that while the Japanese had put eight battleships out of commission, the fast striking forces of the fleet were intact.

As it resumed sessions today, the committee was operating for the first time with paid counsel.

Chairman Barkley (D-Ky.) announced that Seth W. Richardson, elected unanimously to succeed William D. Mitchell, would be paid \$9,800 yearly.

Stark testified yesterday that he often had thought since about the decision he made on Dec. 7, 1941, not to parallel the last-minute message sent by Marshall, then army chief of staff, to army leaders.

Marshall sent a warning that the Japanese were preparing to deliver a diplomatic reply at 1 p. m., Washington time, on that day, noting that the significance of the hour was not clear.

After Marshall talked with Stark twice, Stark informed that the naval commanders he informed about the message. As previously testified, the messages were delayed.

## Electric Strike Begins; Phone Union May Join

### Truman's Report Considers Whole Labor Situation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—President Truman's report to the nation by radio tonight will deal with the "whole labor situation," the White House said today.

The President had practically finished the half hour talk, to start at 9:00 p. m. CST, when he began receiving his first callers this morning. He saw no visitors yesterday after returning from a four-day river cruise.

The speech has been described by party leaders as an overall report on the President's legislative proposals and an effort by the Chief Executive to stimulate interest by direct appeal to the people in the hope that this will be reflected in Congress, where his program has bogged down.

Asked at his news conference today whether the speech would emphasize current labor-management strife, press secretary Charles C. Ross replied that the "whole labor situation" would be covered.

He was asked if a speech of this type is normally cleared through the Democratic National Committee headquarters for suggestions. He replied:

"This is the only speech of this type that he has delivered, and I should say no. There is no set procedure on any speech."

It was Mr. Truman's first resort to the "fireside chat" technique of his predecessor to attempt to focus public attention on key labor and other legislative proposals stalled on Capitol Hill.

One of his most recent proposals was a recommendation to place the force of law behind fact-finding boards to permit them to weigh disputes affecting important national-wide industries. Both strikes and lockouts would be barred while the fact-finding procedures were in operation.

### Wage Dispute In Eastern States May Be Settled By Federal Fact-Finders

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (AP)—A walkout by employees at the Kearny, N. J., and some New York City plants of Western Electric Company, which union officials said would involve 17,400 workers, began today at 10 a. m. (CST) over a wage dispute that may act as a

### Chinese Factions Meet To Discuss Declaring Truce

CHUNGKING, Jan. 3 (AP)—Senior government and Chinese communist delegates met officially tonight to seek a truce in China's civil war.

(Yenan dispatches a few hours earlier said the communists had replied formally to the government's New Year's peace plan, welcoming Gen. George C. Marshall as mediator and promising to "discuss favorably every suggestion.")

The meeting was the third formal session between the two delegations since Dec. 27. Gen. Chou En-Lai, leader of the communist delegation, attended after conferring a half-hour with General Marshall. He also had conferred with the US envoy on New Year's day, shortly after the national government's counter proposal for a truce had been announced.

Reports of fighting thickened. A Chinese government dispatch today countered Chinese communist reports of virtually unopposed Kuomintang troop movements in northern China with the assertion that communist forces were advancing at several points.

The national statement said the communists were within five miles of Tangshan, coal mining center on the Peiping-Mukden railroad 60 miles northeast of Tientsin and were repulsed in an attempt to seize the Tangshan airfield.

springboard for a nation-wide telephone workers' strike.

Frank J. Hammel, labor relations manager of Western Electric's Kearny Works, which consist of 21 plants in New York City and northern New Jersey, said the company had agreed in effect to a union request that the wage dispute be turned over to a federal fact-finding board.

The union made its proposal last night at an unsuccessful conference to settle a 30 per cent wage increase demand.

Henry Mayer, counsel for the Independent Western Electric Employees Association, the striking union, said he had received word at 10:15 a. m. that "workers are pouring out by the thousands" from the Kearny plant.

Joseph A. Beirne, president of the National Federation of Telephone Workers (Ind), said 48 member unions, representing employees in operating companies of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, had been asked to authorize a national sympathy strike. The Western Electric Employees Association is one of six Western Electric independent unions affiliated with the Telephone Workers' Federation.

### Postal Receipts Set New Record

Postal receipts for the month of December tallied off perceptibly from figures for the same period in 1944 but the total of the year constituted an all-time high, according to Postmaster Nat Shick.

The aggregate for 1945 came to \$158,262.59, in increase of \$13,474.91 over the preceding year and almost 30 per cent higher than totals for 1943.

December income added up to \$14,250.64 as compared to \$18,881.91 for the same 31 days in 1944. Last month's total was the smallest for the period since 1941.

High month last year was January when \$16,354.76 went into the till.

### Clothing Drive Planners To Meet

Final arrangements for the Victory Clothing Drive, which will begin Jan. 7, probably will be announced by the last of the week, Captain Olvy Sheppard of the Salvation Army and head of the local drive said today.

Captain Sheppard plans to call a meeting of committee members at which time final details will be arranged. The meeting will be held Friday, he said, providing there are no conflicts.

The drive will continue through Jan. 31.

### Smith Brothers Visit

Hobson Smith of Hearn and Pfc. Chester Smith of the 5th Air Corps, visited recently with their brother, S. E. Smith, Chester and S. E. had not seen each other since they accidentally met in Luzon June 21, 1944.

### Houston Chosen Rice President

HOUSTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—Dr. William V. Houston, professor of physics and chairman of the department of physics, mathematics and electrical engineering at California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, Calif., has been elected president of the Rice Institute, Houston.

He succeeds Dr. Edgar Odell Lovett, who becomes president emeritus of Rice.

Dr. Lovett has served as president of Rice since its organization in 1908. Rice graduated its first class in 1913.

The new president takes over his duties March 1.

Announcement of the election of Dr. Houston and that Dr. Lovett would continue as president emeritus, serving the institute in an advisory capacity, was made for the board of trustees by Board Chairman John T. Scott.

### Tell Of Jewish Atrocities

HIMMLER HENCHMEN TESTIFY AGAINST EX-CHIEF IN TRIAL

NUERNBERG, Germany, Jan. 3 (AP)—A former aide of Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler told the international military tribunal today that special SS commands were attached to the German army on the eastern front with orders to kill every Jew and Soviet political commissar in occupied Russian regions.

Major General of Police Otto Ohlendorf, testifying in the trial of 22 Nazi leaders, declared the high command of the German army had full knowledge of the commando order.

### Negro's Trail Lost In Arizona

The trail of George Pinkney, wanted for questioning in connection with the Monroee Darnaby murder case, has petered out.

Investigators of the FBI, now directing the search for the phantom negro, had no new leads on the fugitive up until this morning. Pinkney was last seen at Duncan, Ariz., where border inspectors stopped him for a routine checkup.

He reportedly leaped from the vehicle in which he was riding and disappeared into the underbrush.

A gun found in the Pinkney automobile fired one of the bullets found at the scene of the Christmas morning killing west of here, according to a laboratory check.

McCamery police called Sheriff Bob Wolf Wednesday to reveal that a man fitting Pinkney's description and driving the automobile which turned up at Duncan stopped in McCamery approximately four hours after Mrs. Darnaby was slain. Seeking gasoline, he was directed to Sheffield, a small community several miles southeast of McCamery where he refilled his vehicle's tanks.

### March Of Dimes Unit Will Meet Tuesday

Carl S. Blomsheld, chairman of the Howard County Infants, Paralysis Association, has called a session of the March of Dimes committee for 4 p. m. Tuesday in the chamber of commerce office.

Reports and activities for 1945 are to be given. Since there will be no birthday ball here this year, plans to raise money for the March of Dimes drive will be discussed.

Members of the board who are asked to attend are J. H. Greene, vice chairman, Ira Thurman, treasurer, Edith Gay, secretary, J. Y. Robb, Derrell Douglas, Walker Bailey, K. H. McGibbon, Dr. M. H. Bennett, R. J. McDaniel, Cal Boykin, V. A. Merrick, Joe Pickle and Mrs. Jim Brigham.

## Latin-American Nations Ponder Proposed Treaty

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—All Latin American governments except Argentina today pondered a United States-proposed treaty which would provide for concerted military action to thwart or put down aggression anywhere in this hemisphere.

The document, made public by Latin American diplomats, will be considered at the forthcoming Rio de Janeiro conference scheduled for early spring.

Diplomatic authorities consider this country's suggestion as a running mate to the recent Uruguay proposal calling for collective action in this hemisphere against any nation which disregards its international obligations or denies human rights to its own people.

The United States' treaty, these authorities say, would take care of the purely military side of aggression, while the Uruguayan proposal would deal with the political phases of conditions leading to war. The Uruguayan plan, however, has received a frigid Latin reception although this country pledged its "unequivocal" support.

The suggested military treaty is designed to continue in force the act of Chapultepec, adopted at the Mexico City Inter-American conference last March.

While calling for the peaceful settlement of disputes, the proposal provides for immediate assistance by the Americas in cases of armed attack.

The proposal, defining armed attack as "invasion of territory by the armed forces of any state," carefully avoids use of the word "aggression" which remains undefined under the United Nations charter. The treaty would, however, leave the UN Security Council free to step in at any time under terms of the charter.

American diplomats described the decision not to give Argentina a copy as being in line with the Administration's political cold-shoulder treatment of the Farrell regime.

### Funeral Rites Held For W. R. Creighton, Pioneer Rancher

Last rites were said Wednesday afternoon for W. R. Creighton, 80, Howard county stockman-farmer since 1899, who died following a brief, critical illness early Monday morning.

Services were conducted from the First Baptist church with Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. R. Clark, East Fourth Baptist pastor. The church choir furnished music and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Beam sang. Burial was in the family lot in Mt. Olive cemetery.

## Bank Assets On Increase

Combined Big Spring bank statements.			
	Dec. 31, 1945	Dec. 30, 1944	Gain
Loans & Discounts	\$ 2,484,318.60	\$ 1,848,727.49	\$ 635,591.11
Deposits	\$17,364,513.21	\$14,340,355.79	\$3,024,157.42
Cash	\$ 7,013,475.86	\$ 5,527,940.47	\$ 1,485,535.39
Total Resources	\$18,131,380.34	\$15,054,197.38	\$4,562,718.35

The bugaboo of declining bank assets, envisioned on the basis of the closing of the army air field here, was shattered Thursday when deposits soared more than three millions and total resources gained by four and a half million dollars.

Combined statements of the First National and State National banks in Big Spring showed deposits of \$17,364,513.21, a new all-time high and a gain of \$3,024,157.42 over the same period a year ago.

Total resources increased by \$4,562,718.35 to a record of \$18,131,380.34. Loans and discounts totaled \$2,484,318.60, a gain of \$635,591.11 over the same call of a year ago.

Cash on hand aggregated \$7,013,475.86, an increase of \$1,485,535.39. In addition, banks held a total of \$2,731,139.82 in cotton producers notes, plus \$5,848,535.24 in government and other bonds, or a total of \$8,577,675.06 which virtually would qualify as liquid assets.

By banks the figures stacked up: STATE NATIONAL — Loans and discounts \$967,151.69, deposits \$7,292,663.45, cash \$2,301,840.24, total resources \$7,645,376.99. In addition, the bank held \$1,718,450.50 cotton producers notes, \$2,257,700 in US government bonds and \$388,325 in other bonds and warrants.

FIRST NATIONAL — Loans and discounts \$1,517,166.91, deposits \$10,072,136.22, cash \$4,711,635.86, and total resources \$10,486,003.35. In addition, the bank held \$1,012,689.32 in cotton producers notes, \$2,703,200.34 in US government bonds, and \$497,309.90 in other bonds and warrants.

The deposit total of the two banks was well over the previous high of \$13,345,695.29 at the end of June, 1945 and the total resources were up substantially over the record total resources of \$16,114,530.46 of the same date.

### County Health Unit Director Resigns

Dr. J. A. Olean of Midland, director of the Midland-Ector-Howard County Health Unit, resigned his position as of Dec. 31, city officials announced today.

The State Health Department authorized Dr. Olean to appoint Graham Smoot, senior sanitarian, as acting director. Dr. Olean has completed more than three years service with the health department in this district.

### Must Have Seen Death March Orders

MANILA, Jan. 3 (AP)—Japanese Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma must have seen orders for the brutal "death march" of Americans and Filipinos from Bataan in 1942, but had "a very thin interest" in his captives, one of his former staff officers testified as Homma's war-crimes trial opened today.

The witness, Maj. Gen. Toshimitsu Takatsu, said that Homma's headquarters on Bataan were less than 500 yards from the death-march route, and Homma traveled 20 miles down the highway while the prisoners were driven mercilessly along it.

### Stovall-Funeral In Stanton Today

Funeral services for Carolyn Sue Stovall, nine, who was killed in an explosion which wrecked an apartment house in Santa Barbara, Calif., on Dec. 26, were scheduled for 2:30 p. m. in Stanton today.

She is the daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. Claude Stovall, Jr., and paternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Stovall of Stanton, where Rev. Stovall is pastor of the first Baptist church.

Five other people were killed in the explosion and several injured, including the nine year old girl's mother, who sustained a broken back. Both parents, however, have come to Stanton for the funeral. Maternal grandparents had to return to Santa Barbara while en route to the funeral, when they received word that another daughter had been killed in an accident.

Funeral services at Stanton will be conducted by the Rev. Dick O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church of Big Spring, with Eberly-Curry funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Friday the body will be carried to Knox City for another service, which will be conducted by the Rev. C. A. Powell, pastor of the First Baptist church of Rule. Interment will be at Knox City.

## Homma Had "Thin" Interest In Prisoners, Staff Says

there was not much water. He said he reported these conditions to Homma's headquarters but nothing was done.

His statement that Homma's interest in prisoners was "very thin" was quoted by prosecutors from an earlier, written statement, and Takatsu today declined to elaborate. He explained to prosecution questioner Lt. Benjamin F. Schwartz, Los Angeles, that he was "honored bound" not to speak badly of Homma in the latter's presence.

Defense counsel had objected that many of the specifications filed against Homma in his trial "for violations of the laws of humanity" were vague, and the prosecutors introduced additional details.

American and Filipino women," they said, they would offer proofs that such actions, for which they blame Homma, included the "inhuman" treatment of an unnamed, married American woman at the swank-Rosario apartments two days after the fall of Manila. As the result of her treatment, they said, the woman was sent to an asylum as insane.

Homma, the prosecution asserted, was directly in charge of all Japanese forces in the Philippines at the time.

As the trial opened, prosecutors told the US military commission hearing the case that Homma has no rights under the American constitution and is "being tried for violations of the laws of humanity."

### James Gheen To Be Speaker At Banquet

James E. Gheen of New York City has accepted the invitation to be the after-dinner speaker for the annual chamber of commerce banquet, scheduled Feb. 11, officials said Thursday.

Others to join Big Spring in the annual affair are San Angelo, Kismet, Sweetwater and possibly Midland.

## Union Leaders Call Strategy Conference

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—CIO leaders directing current or impending strikes in autos, steel and electrical equipment called a joint strategy conference today as government efforts to quiet the industrial scene suffered new setbacks.

The union chiefs, besides planning long-term tactics, were expected to discuss a reply to an plea President Truman might voice in his fireside chat tonight to call off the General Motors strike and postpone prospective walk-outs in the steel and electrical industries.

CIO President Philip Murray, en route here from a brief vacation in Florida, was not expected until early afternoon. The conference, originally scheduled for this morning, was delayed, pending his arrival.

The labor picture looked dark largely because of these developments:

1. Conciliation Chief Edgar L. Warren gloomily reported after a day of conferences with Westinghouse and General Electric officials that "at this point our efforts have not been successful." Those efforts were directed at averting a strike of 200,000 members of the CIO-United Electrical workers. Warren said another meeting with the union would be arranged before its executive board meets January 5 in New York to take strike action.

2. The CIO-Packaginghouse workers announced in Chicago they would call a strike involving 200,000 workers at 147 plants on January 16, two days after a nationwide strike of 700,000 CIO-United Steelworkers is scheduled to begin.

3. The fact-finding board in the oil wage dispute called for a progress report from 11 oil companies negotiation with the CIO Oil Workers on the union's demand for a 30 per cent wage increase. The panel, which had recessed to give the union and management a chance to settle their differences, telegraphed the companies that hearings would resume here Jan. 7 "in any case where agreement has not been reached."

The strategy meeting was called by CIO President Philip Murray, who also heads the Steelworkers union. He will discuss the situation with President R. J. Thomas and Vice President Walter P. Reuther of the CIO-United Auto Workers, Albert J. Fitzgerald, head of the CIO-United Electrical Workers, and others.

### Picket Line Bars GM Office Workers From Plant Entry

DETROIT, Jan. 3 (AP)—An augmented CIO United Automobile Workers picket line today barred the gates of General Motors' Detroit transmission division, preventing several hundred office and other salaried workers from entering.

Police said there was no violence. A union spokesman said the picket action today was taken because office workers yesterday "violated an agreement properly to identify themselves" at the plant entrances.

A company spokesman said the office workers had been instructed not to attempt to force their way through the line.

Both General Motors Corp. and CIO United Auto Workers officials today reiterated firm denials of rumors that the 44-day-old GM strike had been settled with a 15.5 per cent wage increase.

The two sides set Monday, Jan. 7, for resumption of wage negotiations, when the UAW again will air its demand for a 30 per cent increase. General Motors has offered a raise of approximately 12 per cent.

### Several Billfolds Reported Stolen

Police received several complaints of thefts of billfolds Wednesday, the docket indicated. One man told officers that he awoke and saw a person run from his hotel room after the intruder had gone through his billfold and his wife's purse. Around \$60 was taken from another billfold in a local hotel.



# High Heel Slipper Club Completes Rush Plans

Plans were completed for the semi-annual rush week held by the High Heel Slipper club when members met in the home of Pat Cochran Wednesday night with three ex-members as guests.

Lorena Brooks, Mrs. Gloria Fletcher and Betty Bob Diltz were guests and assisted members in scheduling activities to begin Friday. Rush week will begin with a semi-formal open house from 8

p. m. to 10 p. m. Friday in the home of Miss Diltz; with ex-members present, a slumber party is to be given at 9 p. m. Saturday in the home of Muriel Floyd; Mrs. Fletcher will entertain with a breakfast at 9 a. m. Sunday after which the girls will attend the First Methodist church. Activities will end with a weiner roast at 5:30 p. m. Monday at the city park.

Refreshments were served and members present were Doris Jean Morehead, Wilda Watta, Muriel Floyd, Evelyn Green, Evelyn Arnold, Ann Blankenship, Millie Baich, and the hostess.

## Friendship Club Has Holiday Social In Blum Home

The Friendship Bridge club met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. R. F. Blum for a New Year's Eve party at which club members' husbands were guests.

The members exchanged gifts, and bridge was entertainment. Mrs. Louis Murdock took high score for women, and Herbert Johnson won high for men. Bingo winners were Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, Mrs. W. M. Gage, H. V. Crocker and C. Y. Clinkscales.

The holiday theme was carried out in decorations and refreshment plates.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Garner McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. Hebert Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. Clinkscales, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pritchett, Mrs. Murdock, Mrs. G. E. James, Mr. and Mrs. Crocker and Mr. and Mrs. Blum.

## Firemen Ladies Install Officers

The Firemen Ladies met at the WOW hall for the installation of new officers for the year, with Mrs. Alice Mims presiding during ceremonies.

Mrs. Iona Graddy was presented a gift from the lodge for her services as past president.

Those attending were Mrs. Bessie Power, Mrs. Archie Heard, Mrs. Doris Jarratt, Mrs. Sara Griffith, Mrs. Ida Smith, Mrs. Irene Stagner, Mrs. Greta Shultz, Mrs. Grace McClinton, Mrs. Alice Mims, Mrs. Birdie Adams, Mrs. Dora Sholte, Mrs. Fibrence Rose, Mrs. Helen Gill, Mrs. Gladys Slusser, Mrs. Willie Pyle, Mrs. Ada Arnold, Mrs. Jewel Williams, Mrs. Patty Manion, Mrs. Minnie Barbee, Mrs. Lois Hall and Mrs. Graddy.

## Philathea Class Has Monthly Luncheon Wednesday at Church

The Philathea class of the First Methodist church met Wednesday at the church for the regular monthly luncheon meeting.

The meeting was opened with a group of songs, after which Mrs. Rogers Hefley gave a devotional on prayer. At the business meeting, members made plans for the ensuing year, and discussed methods for increasing class enrollment.

About 15 members were present, and Rev. H. Clyde Smith and Rev. James Swafford were guests.



THEY STRIKE UP THE BAND—Gypsy Smallwood, rear, is the drum major of the Big Spring high school band, serving for the 1945-1946 school year. Twirlers for the marching band include Joy Barnaby, center, and the Barnaby twins, Bessie Jo and Bessie Mae, on each side.

## Social Calendar Of Events For Week

**THURSDAY**  
KOUPLER DANCE CLUB will meet at 8 p. m. at the country club with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson as hosts.

**FRIDAY**  
P-TA COUNCIL will have a called meeting at 3:30 p. m. in Room 115 of the high school.

SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS meets for luncheon at the First Methodist church.

LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION meets at noon at the country club for luncheon.

TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at the WOW hall at 2:30 p. m.

## Miss Smith Weds Sgt. T. E. Grissam In Dec. 28 Rites

Marjorie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Smith of Knott, was married to S-Sgt. Thurlo E. Grissam on Dec. 28 in Clyde.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. Leverett.

The bride wore a dressmaker suit of gold with a greenmist, sheer blouse. The veiled hat and other accessories were black. Her corsage was of gardenias with red roses.

The bride was graduated from Stanton high school and attended Sul Ross, receiving her degree in 1940. At the time of her marriage she was teaching in Elbow schools.

Sgt. Grissam, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Grissam of Elbow, completed his schooling in Brady. After serving for more than eight years in the army, he reenlisted in November and will report to Butte, Mont., in March for recruiting work. They plan to make their home there.

Following the wedding, the bride couple left for a wedding trip to Clovis, N. M., and other points.

## Local Girl To Wed Monday

Miss Essie Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson, was married Monday evening to Herbert H. Hatch of Denver City.

The single ring ceremony was performed in the East Fourth Street Baptist church with the Rev. James Roy Clark officiating.

For the ceremony the bride wore a dressmaker suit of brown wool with accents in aqua. All accessories were brown, and she wore a brown hat designed with a turban effect. Her flowers were a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Hatch was employed at the time of her marriage at the Cosden refinery in Big Spring.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Denver City where Hatch is associated with the Westex Oil company.

## Mrs. Roy Jacks Honored At Party

Mrs. Roy Jacks, who was married Dec. 26, was honored Wednesday evening at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Helen Underwood. The bride is the former Lena Brunson.

Guests were registered in the bride's book. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Those attending were Mrs. Hubert Clawson, Mrs. Ione Thurman, Mrs. J. E. Underwood, Mrs. J. N. Brunson, Mrs. Bascom Bridges, Mrs. Oscar Lawson, Mrs. Lloyd Moore, Mrs. Bill Jackson, Mrs. Underwood, Mrs. W. J. Goodson, Marie Thames, Mary Ann Goodson, Mildred Jackson, Mrs. Mary Jackson, Mrs. Jimmy Brunson, Mrs. Ollie Burchett, Mrs. J. H. Burchett, Mrs. Ed Burchett, Bobbie Nell Burchett, Dickie Jackson, Belton Brunson, Dewey Thames, Ronnie Brunson, the honoree and Mr. Jacks.

## Visits And Visitors

Mary Lou Redwine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Redwine, has returned to Abilene where she is attending Hardin-Simmons University. She spent the Christmas holidays with her parents. Sgt. Horton Redwine of Brooks Field also was visiting here during the holidays and will return to his field Saturday.

Ferman Steadmon has returned to Lubbock where he is attending Texas Tech. He spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sanders.

**RADIO NOTES**

President Truman will make his first radio address in 1946 to the nation tonight at 9 p. m. (CST). All major networks will carry the broadcast.

Blind date will be aired at 7 p. m. Friday as a weekly feature over KBST.

Over NBC tonight comes Burns and Allen at 7 p. m. and Dinah Shore at 7:30 p. m. CBS features Suspense Mystery at 7 p. m., Kotelantetz music at 8 p. m. and the Danny O'Neil Theater at 9:30.

## Frances Perkins Embarks On Career To Write, Lecture

By ADELAIDE KERR  
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Frances Perkins at 63 is embarking on a new double-decker career as a writer and university lecturer.

After 12 such story years as she weathered in the cabinet, most people would be glad to sit awhile.



FRANCES PERKINS  
Many irons in the fire...

But less than three months after she resigned as secretary of labor, Miss Perkins sailed for Paris to represent Uncle Sam at the convening of the International Labor Organization Oct. 15.

At the same time she began a weekly 500-word column to be distributed by the Institute for American Democracy. The Institute was founded two years ago for the purpose of furthering unity among the American people, irrespective of race, creed or color.

For the last two years it has distributed to the religious, rural and house-organ press a weekly release dealing with subjects affecting American unity.

Miss Perkins' column, called "Working It Out," and dealing with the relation of reconversion problems to unity, will be distributed in similar manner to the labor press, free of charge. The Institute said, however, that Miss Perkins would be paid for the column, though neither its representatives nor Miss Perkins would say how much.

"This column will cover anything I think labor will be interested in, including such legislation as comes up," Miss Perkins said just before she sailed. "The labor press is becoming more and more important as a liaison between labor unions and the public. I should feel bad if my way of life should have no contact with labor."

"As I see it, what we are trying to do in this country is improve our democracy. If we are to be creative about this, we must do it in a way that takes account of men's habits and aspirations."

The former secretary said that during her sojourn in Paris the ILO would consider amendments to the organization's constitution and such questions as general working conditions and minimum standards.

Soon after her return to the United States Miss Perkins will begin a lecture series on labor relations problems at Radcliffe University. She said that she had also received invitations to lecture at other universities and, probably would accept at least one. For the present she will continue to make her home in Washington, where she lives with her husband, Paul C. Wilson, financial statistician.

Miss Perkins gives evidence of embarking on a new life in more ways than one. She has shed her famous three-cornered hat and donned a black beret. Her black frock, once as sober and severe as a judge's robe, is now trimmed with an open-work white collar backed with bright red. Her conversation, always swift as a river, is less measured now and liberally seasoned with smiles and jokes.

## MacArthur's Blaze Of Indignation In Tokyo Not At All Destructive

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—General MacArthur built a fire in the past few days. The fire's out now. No casualties. MacArthur's still just as much boss in Tokyo as he ever was.

This doesn't mean he's complete boss. He never was. He could make his own decisions on military affairs in Japan. The State Department told him what to do on political things.

This is the story behind the fire. The Big Three foreign ministers—Byrnes, Bevin and Molotov—met in Moscow. Among other things, they agreed on Allied handling of Japan.

After the meeting a State Department information man was asked if MacArthur had been fully informed of events at Moscow while they were happening. He said "yes." He was wrong.

MacArthur promptly said he was wrong. Byrnes agreed, said MacArthur had not been kept informed on a day-by-day basis. Then Secretary of War Patterson put the clincher on the whole discussion.

He said it was not necessary anyway for MacArthur to have been informed in advance of the Big Three policies worked out in Moscow. Patterson is MacArthur's boss.

The Big Three agreed to set up an Allied council for Japan. It will meet in Tokyo at least every two weeks to discuss important problems. The members will be the United States, Britain, Russia, China.

As supreme commander in Japan, MacArthur will be chairman of the council. He'll also be US representative on it. He'll listen to the other members.

If he disagrees with them, he can go ahead and do what he wants his own way.

When there's any real conflict with the other members, of course,

## Dewey May Deport 'Lucky' From Prison

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 3. (AP)—Charles "Lucky" Luciano, former New York City vice overlord, is slated to receive a commutation of his prison sentence today from Governor Dewey, who prosecuted him, so that he may be deported to his native Italy.

Now 47, Luciano was at the height of power as a kingpin racketeer whose specialty was organizing prostitution syndicates into a big business, when Dewey, as Manhattan's "racket-buster" special prosecutor, obtained his conviction in 1936. He was sentenced to 30 to 50 years.

## Churchills Vacation

LONDON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Former Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Mrs. Churchill will leave Jan. 9 aboard the Queen Elizabeth for their American vacation. It was announced today. Their daughter, Sarah, will join them later.

## Citrus Fruits Back Under Price Ceiling

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Oranges, grapefruit and lemons go back under price ceilings tomorrow, and OPA plans to take plenty of time before authorizing any future control suspensions.

A high official of the agency, asking that his name not be used, said that "because citrus prices rose like they did, we are going to be exceedingly careful about removing any more ceilings."

The order restoring citrus ceilings, announced last night, was issued after a month of argument by OPA that the action should be taken, and contentions up to the last few days by the Agriculture Department that it should not be.

## British Pay Increase

LONDON, Jan. 3. (AP)—The British treasury announced today pay increases for 800,000 government employes with basic salaries of less than 1,500 pounds (\$6,000) per year.

## A Vital Message To Men Who Feel Old

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**Healthy Lot**

LINCOLN, Neb. (UP)—University of Nebraska students are a healthy lot, according to Louis E. Means, director of physical welfare. Only 13 of the 4,200 enrolled were hospitalized during the first two months of the current school year.

**Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat**

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home. Make this recipe yourself. It's easy—no trouble at all and costs little. It contains nothing harmful. Just go to your druggist and ask for four ounces of liquid Barconate (formerly called Barcol Concentrate). Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill the bottle. Then take two tablespoonsful twice a day. That's all there is to it.

If the very first bottle doesn't show the simple, easy way to lose bulky fat and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly bloated disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

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### Mass Rites Planned For Wreck Victims

CUERO, Jan. 3 (AP)—Mass funeral services were planned here today for the five victims of an auto-train crash near Cuero Tuesday.

Three were killed instantly and two died yesterday.

Three of the victims, Mrs. L. D. Goldsum of Victoria and Mrs. B. W. Kirkwood and Mrs. C. M. Reese of Cuero, were sisters. The other two were their aunt, Mrs. Elton Leggett, and Mrs. Kirkwood's 6-year-old daughter, Beverly Jane.

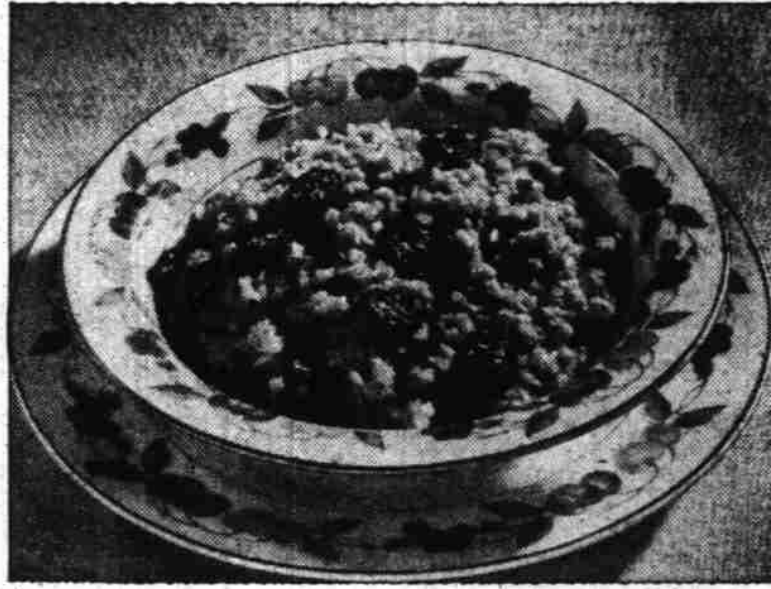
Mrs. Reese and Mrs. Kirkwood died in a local hospital yesterday. Burial for Mrs. Leggett was planned at Beeville and Mrs. Goldsum at Victoria.

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### Raisins Give Hot Cereal Sales Appeal



Latest Cinderella story is the renewed popularity of hot cereal now that some raisins have come back. Of course the whole of this year's raisin crop is not available as yet. There is still a government set-aside for military feeding. But at least enough raisins are appearing on the market shelves to live up our breakfasts.

No other ingredient gives hot cereal a lift like raisins. The fruity little nuggets steam and puff till they are succulent to tooth and tongue. The amber juices seem to flow, giving forth a fine-old fashioned fragrance like a flowery perfume. And their natural sweetness, those pre-digested fruit sugars for which raisins have won nutritional acclaim, impart a sweetness to cereal that saves heavy-dipping in the sugar bowl.

**Breakfast Cereal De Luxe**  
1 cup evaporated milk  
1 1/2 cups water  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 cup uncooked cereal  
1/2 cup seedless raisins  
1/4 cup brown sugar, firmly packed.  
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon

Heat evaporated milk and water to boiling over low heat. Add salt, and gradually stir in cereal and raisins. Cook, stirring, the length of time directed on cereal package. Stir in sugar and cinnamon, and serve at once, with cream or top milk. Serves 8.

## Farm And Ranch News

**By WACIL McNAIR**  
February 23 is the correct date of the second annual Howard County Hereford Breeders Association sale, Rexie Cauble, president of the association tells us. A change to March 4 was previously announced in some of the state papers, but the Feb. 23 time is definite, Cauble said. It is expected that general condition of cattle will be good. The first sale was held in the spring of 1943.

From El Paso comes word that

17th annual Southwestern Livestock show and championship rodeo will be held there March 28-31. Breeding cattle will be added to the stock show this year, including Herefords, Aberdeen-Angus and Shorthorns. Other features will be swine, sheep, fat calves, rabbits, poultry and registered quarter horses. An international theme will be featured in the big livestock and rodeo parade, and Mexican cattlemen are being urged particularly to take part this year.

### Old Missouri Sign

#### BUNDLE UP WHEN HOGS TOTE STICKS

**By ROBERT BERNICK**  
AP Newsfeatures  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., — "I look for the signs—when hogs carry sticks in their mouths, we're in for a bitter cold spell."

That's part of the weather philosophy of Benjamin Franklin Mitchell, 66, sharp-eyed son of generations of Missouri farmers and personal weather man for the state supreme court.

Frank, as justices of Missouri's highest judicial body call him, is a spare, bespectacled man who operates the supreme court elevator. He says the signs tell far more than most people imagine about the weather.

"You just have to watch close," he says.

"When a chicken runs into a coop of a morning to get out of the rain you can bet it'll only be a shower. But if the old chicken walks out in the rain, it'll probably be raining all day."

Frank says he picked up his knowledge about what the weather is going to do next from an old farmer in Morgan County, Mo., on the edge of the Ozarks.

"My pappy used to run a corn grinding mill on his place and this old fellow would come and sit around and tell me all about the weather," he recalls.

"Take the sun dogs, for instance. That's a little rainbow. When the sun dogs are laying horizontal over the sun, it'll generally get warmer. But if two of 'em are strung out beside the sun, you can expect pretty cold weather."

The elderly forecaster discounts the accuracy of his predictions even though august judges have worn rubbers and carried umbrellas to work on the strength of his guesses.

"Probably started some years ago when I told everyone if we had a thunderstorm on the fourth day of January, we'd have a frost on the fourth day of May. I'll be damned if we didn't."

Frank says he amazed even himself with that one.

"I learned about that when I was a little shaver and I just thought I'd try it out."

The only scientific instrument Frank uses is an ordinary thermometer. A close observer of wind directions, he comes out of his house high on a bluff overlooking the Missouri river, checks his thermometer and the wind, then makes his predictions.

Another feature of the El Paso affair will be the junior show, in which the Future Farmers of America and 4-H club members will participate. Present indications are that County Agent Durward Lewter will place entries for several Howard County 4-H boys.

US Department of Agriculture reports show that livestock receipts in the Southwest during the holidays were light, but prices were strong. Gains of 25 to 50 cents were reported generally. Most all hogs were in heavy demand at ceiling prices.

The State Fair Board, City Park Board and City Council of Dallas met recently to hasten plans for a livestock coliseum to be erected in connection with the state fair. The Fair Board architects have been working for some time on preliminary plans.

US Department of Agriculture's production and marketing administration has issued a forecast predicting that the gap between supply and demand in food products for 1946 will be narrower than during the past two or three years. Shortages will continue in some items, but the over-all outlook appears much brighter. Heavy government and military cutbacks are chief factors which are expected to ease the situation.

November shipments of farm products from Southwestern ports amounted to about 313,569 long tons. Houston, Galveston, Beaumont, Port Arthur and Texas City are Texas ports from which shipments were made. Total evaluation of November shipments was approximately \$52,260,000, which brings the total value of the year for the first 11 months up to \$361,965,000.

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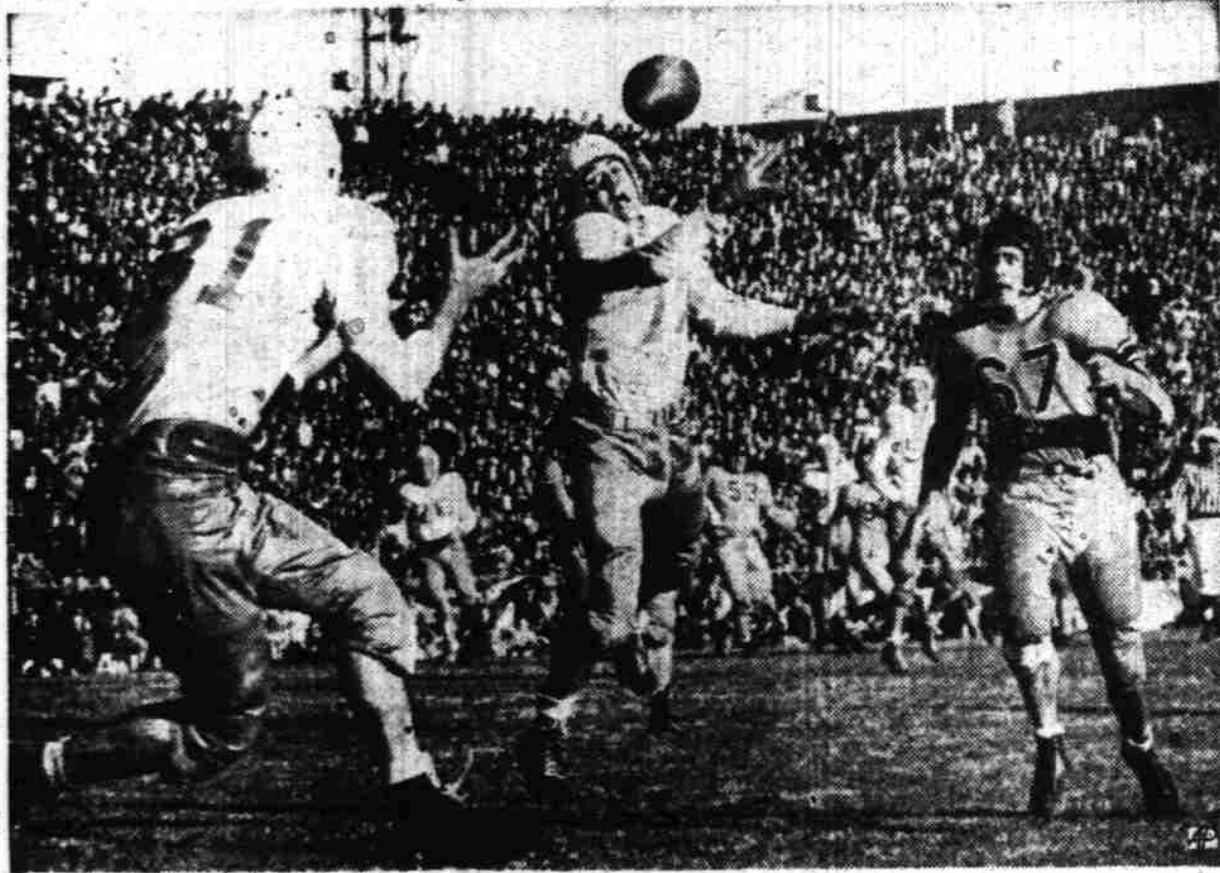
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Jacks Meets Reif

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Beau Jack, former lightweight champion, and Morris Reif Brooklyn welterweight, finished training today for their 10-round bout tomorrow night at Madison square garden. The Beau is a heavy favorite.

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Feeder's Sports Roundup

Dempsey May Compete With Mike Jacobs In New York Fight Game

By SID FEDER

(For Hugh Fullerton) NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Jack Dempsey is on the coast talking with movie-man William Fox about building an arena on Fox's property in back of the RKO theater here. . . . If it goes through, Jack'll be bucking Mike Jacobs in fight promoting. . . . and the boys and girls may see a red-hot rhabarb over television broadcasts. . . . 'Cause Jack probably would hook up with the guys who control the radio picture stuff in places like Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Cleveland and St. Louis. . . .

Rose Bowl final: 'Bama 34, Southern Cal. 14. Without fear of correction top votes should go in any poll to Southern Cal's selection. In picking 'Bama for the bowl. They lost, it's true, by 20 points. But that's no cause to get alarm-y. They did escape with all their joints. Y'know—they might have picked the Army. . . .

Diamond Chips After Walker Cooper's sold, the Cards'll probably deal Jimmy Brown to the Pirates for \$35,000 or thereabouts. . . . Have you noticed that four of the great left-handers of modern baseball—Hubbell, Grove, Penneck and Waddell—are in the voting finals for a Hall of Fame spot? . . . George Case isn't too put out about his trade from Washington to the Indians. . . . Figures with Ken Keltner and Lou Boudreau playing third and short in front of him, he won't be working overtime on those ground balls coming through. . . . Word is Yanks will bring Red Rolfe back from Yale as a coach and may send Bill Dickey to Newark as manager. . . .

Molder, He Says Chapter 94 1-2 in the who's got the Oklahoma's football coaching job "who dunit". In addition to Dutch Meyer and Henry Frnk, don't overlook Lieutenant Jim Ta-

Ballot For Hall Of Fame Players On January 19

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (AP)—Twenty-one former major league baseball stars have been nominated by the Baseball Writers' Association of America for places in baseball's hall of fame.

Final voting will be completed Jan. 19. Under the new rules the 202 members are authorized to select five men who must poll 75 per cent of the final vote.

The writers have not selected a player since 1942 when Rogers Hornsby received the necessary 75 per cent. Since that time, 11 names were added, all by a special committee, to swell the total to 38. The newcomers include Commissioner of Baseball Kenesaw Mountain Landis, who was appointed after his death in 1944. The others were selected last summer.

The nominees include pitchers Chief Bender, Rube Waddell, Lefty Grove, Carl Hubbell, Morty Brown, Dizzy Dean, Clark Griffith, Herb Pennock, Joe McGinnity and Ed Walsh; catchers Bill Dickey and Mickey Cochrane; infielders Frank Baker, Frank Chance, Johnny Evers, Frank Frisch, Charley Gehringer, Miller Huggins, Rabbit Maranville, Joe Tinker and Pie Traynor. No outfielders were named.

Widdoes, Aide Swap Positions

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 3 (AP)—Ohio State University today had its fourth new head football coach in 12 years after an unprecedented swap in which the head coach and his assistant traded jobs.

Moved up to head coach was Paul O. Bidler, 39, an assistant since 1941.

Dropped back to assistant was Carroll C. Widdoes, 42, who in 1944 gave the Bucks their first perfect regular season since 1920 and a Big Ten championship and whose 1945 team lost only to Purdue and Michigan. Widdoes also was named "coach of the year" in 1944.

The Ohio State athletic board, which said it unanimously approved the change, made public a copy of a letter from Widdoes in which he offered his resignation because "I have come to the conclusion that I was better satisfied as an assistant than I have been as head coach."

Marshall Cager Pushes Mikan

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (AP)—Bill Hall, of Marshall (W. Va.) college, is threatening the lead of DePaul's George Mikan for individual high scoring honors in the national collegiate basketball race.

Table with 5 columns: Name, School, G, FG, FT, TP. Lists top 15 scorers as reported to the Associated Press.

Conn To Open Drills

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 3. (AP)—Billy Conn was en route to Hot Springs, Ark., today for a training grind he hoped would pare 10 pounds off his weight and get his legs in trim for his heavyweight title bout with Joe Louis next June.

Slaying Suspect Taken

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (AP)—Police reported that John Romano, 21, under indictment in connection with the holdup slaying of boxer Al (Bummy) Davis in a Brooklyn tavern last Nov. 21, was taken into custody last night. Romano is one of four men indicted.

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Steers Play Return Game With O'Donnell Friday

LOOKING 'EM OVER

With ANGUS LECESTER

There's a move afoot to revive the Sand Belt golf league, which functioned with unqualified success before the war. So says A. G. "Barney" Barnard, Lamesa's golfing son of a golfing father, who is planning to campaign for a spot on the University of Texas' nblck-swinging team next spring.

When it operated some years ago, Big Spring fielded a team along with Lamesa, Odessa, Midland, Crane and Texon. Circuit play was conducted on Sundays and all contingents met double round-robin schedules.

Big Spring, with such standouts as Doug Jones, Shirley Robbins, Obie Bristow, Lib Coffee and Jake Morgan in the lineup, copped the bunting one campaign with yards to spare, was always in the running for the blue ribbon.

The courses in most of the above mentioned cities are installing grass greens, according to Barnard. Big Spring has long since had its front nine sodded, will go to work on the back-side turf when conditions permit. Midland is all grass, too.

Incidentally, Barnard's capital pal, Gus "The Goose" White, who played football last fall with the San Diego Sailors and did a bang-up job in doing it, isn't planning on returning to college when he exits from the service.

He's married now, wants to settle down on a ranch somewhere in this section or in the midwest.

That'll be bad news to many a Texas A&M follower. White was shaping up as one of the great athletes at Aggie land when the war came along. Not so much bad news, at that, either. If Gus did elect to go back to school, he would probably anchor in at Texas University and not College Station.

Big Spring's Barkley Wood made the plebe football team at Annapolis (the naval academy) the past fall but he figures he'll have a hard time getting anywhere on the varsity club.

A center—he completed his eligibility here in 1943—Wood has only Dick Scott, as competition for the next two seasons. Scott finished up with a spot on the AP's All-America second team and many thought he was a better operator than Alabama's Vaughn Mancha, adjudged the best of the best.

Missouri is said to have gotten the Cotton Bowl bid this year because Coach Dana Bible wanted an eleven representing an institution with as high a scholastic standing as UT.

There was much agitation to bring Tulsa down for the classic but the sagacious mentor wouldn't hear of it.

Had Missouri's Bill Dellastatious been in top shape, the Tigers might well have won over the Longhorns Tuesday. As it was, he gave them a fit until he got plowed under in the third period.

Perhaps Bill's greatest afternoon in a football game came in the Minnesota game of 1944 when he got away for three touchdowns. When the Bengals clinched the Big Six title against Kansas University last fall with a 33-14 triumph, Dellastatious galloped for one TD and passed for another.

Midland Here Monday Night

Inactive since Christmas week, John Malaise's Big Spring high school basketball Steers begin the new year in a 7:30 o'clock clash with O'Donnell's Eagles Friday night in the Steer field-house.

The Longhorn B squad and Knott's aggregation come to grips at 6:30 to proffer the attending gentry a double-header treat. Two of the lads Malaise is counting on to help the varsity club in district competition — C. Tonn and Gil Barnett — will see action in the preliminary game.

O'Donnell threw the Bovines for a loss in the previous meeting between the two clubs, winning 25-23 with a courageous fourth period stand.

The homelings will build their hopes for victory around speedy Rankin, a not-so-tall forward who has developed a fair eye for the basket. Hughie Cochran, out of the bandages for the first time in weeks, may see action, too. Cochran, a numeral winner last season, hasn't played in any of the Longhorn games to date but is ready, he insists.

Monday night in the local gym, the Steers kick the lid off their District 3AA schedule in a 7:30 tilt with Midland's Bulldogs.

LIGHT RAINS, SORE EYELIDS

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3. (AP)—The forecast at the weather bureau here is for generally fair weather with light rains and a sore eyelid.

The eyelid, cut by his shattered spectacles, belongs to Edward L. McGuire, forecaster who collided with a fellow observer as he was poring over a weather map.

"That's the first casualty we've had," observed Chief Observer J. R. Lloyd. "Not counting, of course, our forecasts."

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Paul Derringer Looking For Job

CHICAGO, Jan. 3 (AP)—Big Paul Derringer, who pitched for three National league baseball clubs in his 15 years in the majors, was looking for a new job today, preferably in the big leagues.

The 39-year-old right hander, released by the Chicago Cubs yesterday, said he had applied for a pitching job with all major league clubs.

Derringer's major league record was 223 wins and 212 defeats, including 16 and 11 with the Cubs in 1945, his best season in three with Chicago. His big league career started with St. Louis in 1931. He was traded to Cincinnati in 1933 and stayed with the Reds until 1943 when he was sold to the Cubs.

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tillers' dried grains have a much greater feeding value than the original grain has." OLD JUDGE: "Have any trouble getting all you need?" HARRY: "Yes, at times, even though the distillers produced 1,200,000,000 pounds of it for the year endin' last June, I hope they'll be in a position to produce a lot more next year." OLD JUDGE: "Then I guess nobody can tell you grain is wasted in distilling." HARRY: "Not me, Judge... I know."

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Salmon 'Nursemaid' Uses Sulfa Cure

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash. (AP) — Ernest Brannon, who is "nursemaid" to thousands of baby salmon in the state fish hatchery on the Dungeness River, says sulfathiazole was used successfully in combating disease but that experiments with penicillin gave no noticeable results.

CUSTOMER TAKES HOME THE BACON

HASTINGS, Nebr. Jan. 3. (AP) — All during the war a customer at one Hastings meat market joshed his butcher by walking into the shop and calling out loudly, "10 pounds of bacon, please."

Bombers To Houses

LONDON (AP)—Five great United Kingdom bomber factories are now turning out prefabricated houses. Fifty thousand bungalows will be produced in the next year or two from a thousand tons of aluminum scrap recovered from obsolete aircraft.

A real vest-pocket radio has been produced. It's about the size of a cigarette case, weighs 12 ounces, has four one-inch-long tubes, and uses an earpiece much like that of a hearing aid.

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Paris VD Problems Puzzle For Officials

By CYNTHIA LOWRY AP Newsfeatures PARIS — It's more than 50,000 amateur ladies of the evening, not the legendary Mademoiselle from Armentieres, who have Army auth-

orities in Paris keeping a sharp eye on the broad boulevards and tiny side streets.

French police records show that the city had between 1,200 and 1,500 prostitutes living in registered houses, before these were ordered closed recently, and another 5,000 "inscribed" prostitutes who ply their trade from cheap rooming houses and shabby hotels.

"But they are not our greatest source of difficulty," said Capt. Franklin R. Fitch of 2389 Birch Street, Denver, Col., head of Seine section's Preventive Disease division. "That source is the clandestine prostitute — the unregistered or unregistered girl who makes all or most of her living that way and on whom there is no way of checking unless she happens to be picked up in a raid."

Registered houses of prostitution were off-limits to all military personnel, even before they were ordered closed with the regulations enforced "most strictly by the madames themselves who knew they would be penalized if they permitted American soldiers to enter their places."

Weekly examinations of registered prostitutes helped control disease, but if, he said, practically impossible to control the situation involving casual prostitution in hotels and rooming houses. MPs and French police make raids frequently on suspected premises, and between 150 and 200 girls are picked up weekly.

Fitch said soldiers picked up in such raids were given preventive disease treatment and interviewed to obtain possible sources of disease. The women are taken to hospitals, examined and then, if found free of disease and inscribed as prostitutes, are released. Unregistered girls who are not diseased are turned loose with a warning and a strong suggestion they register as prostitutes. If they are picked up three times they are forced to register. Diseased women are held for treatment.

Although the VD rate for American soldiers in Paris is "slightly lower" than the rate, for instance, of soldiers in Germany, a great many of the cases don't show up until the men who were in Paris

Rye Starting War On Scotch Markets

JOHANNESBURG, (AP) — Big Canadian rye whiskey distillers are out to capture as much as possible of the South African whiskey market from Scotland. More and more Canadian whiskey is being drunk all over the world, according to dealers here, and the Canadians are confident that the lighter content of their product, as against the heavier bodied Scotch, will grow more popular in tropical and sub-tropical climates.

Already 3,000 cases of Canadian rye are on the way and have all been sold. The Scotch distillers' quota for South Africa, at least until there has been one normal year's distilling, will be about 3,500 to 4,000 cases a month, or only 20 per cent of the 1939 imports.

James Bruce Fraziers Parents Of Baby Son

Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce Frazier of College Station are the parents of a son born Jan. 2. The child has been named James Bruce, Jr., and weighed seven pounds, 13 ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frazier, maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rogers, all of Big Spring. The mother was the former Jimmie Fay Rogers.

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on leave get back to their units and Paris is believed to be the greatest single source of VD infection on the continent, Fitch says.

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For an appetizing breakfast try this menu:

- Cooked Prunes with Cream or Top Milk
Fried Mush' and Sausage Slices
Breakfast Rolls Butter Coffee
Fried Cereal Slices
1 cup yellow or white corn meal
1 cup cold water
5 cups water
1 teaspoon salt
1 lb. large bologna or other sausage
1/4 cup flour
4 tablespoons fat
Mix corn meal and cold water; add to boiling salted water; cook over low heat until thickened, stirring constantly; cook another 15 minutes. Pour cooked cereal into loaf pan; chill until firm. Slice cereal and sausage into 1/2 inch slices, cut sausage slices in half, dip cereal in flour, brown slices slowly on both sides in melted fat in skillet. Arrange alternate slices on platter and serve hot. Makes 6 servings.

CANCELLATIONS MOUNT
AUSTIN, Jan. 3. (P) — A total of 355,849 first day covers bearing the new 3-cent Texas Statehood Centennial postage stamp were cancelled at the Austin postoffice from Dec. 29 to the close of business Dec. 31. Postmaster Ray E. Lee said.

Radio Program

- Thursday Evening
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Raymond Swing.
6:30 Sports Cast.
6:35 Texas News.
6:45 Inside of Sports.
7:00 Vocal Varieties.
7:15 Earl Godwin News.
7:30 Rogue's Gallery.
8:00 Gabriel Heater.
8:15 Twilight Tunes.
8:30 Detect and Collect.
8:55 News.
9:00 Music for Dancing.
10:00 Tomorrow's Headlines.
10:15 Songs of Dinah Shore.
10:30 Sign Off.
Friday Morning
6:30 Musical Clock.
7:00 Bandwagon.
7:15 Your Exchange.
7:30 News.
7:45 Between the Lines.
8:00 News Summary.
8:05 Breakfast Club.
9:00 My True Story.
9:25 News.
9:30 Betty Crocker.
9:45 Listening Post.
10:00 Breakfast in Hollywood.
10:30 Home Edition.
10:45 Ted Malone.
11:00 Glamour Manor.
11:30 Vision Conservation.
11:35 Downtown Shopper.
Friday Afternoon
12:00 Man on the Street.
12:15 Bing Sings.
12:30 News.
12:45 Waltz Time.
1:00 Cedric Foster.
1:15 Ethel and Albert.
1:30 Matinee Melodies.
2:15 Friday Frolics.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Erskine Johnson.
3:15 The Johnson Family.
3:30 Musical Merry-Go-Round.
3:45 Melody Shop.
4:00 Bandwagon.
4:15 Dick Tracy.
4:30 Tunes of Today.
4:45 Hop Harrigan.
5:00 Terry & the Pirates.
5:15 TSN News.
5:30 Captain Midnight.
5:45 Tom Mix.
Friday Evening
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
6:15 Raymond Swing.
6:30 Sports Cast.
6:35 Texas News.
6:45 Vocal Varieties.
7:00 Blind Date.
7:30 To Be Announced.
8:00 Gabriel Heater.
8:15 Twilight Tunes.
8:30 The Sheriff.
8:55 Musical Interlude.
9:00 Fights.
10:00 Tomorrow's Headlines.
10:15 Benny Goodman Orch.
10:30 Sign Off.

SEEKS SENATE POST

DENTON, Jan. 3. (P) — State Rep. R. L. (Bob) Proffer of Denton has announced his candidacy for the state Senate in this year's Democratic primary. State Sen. R. C. Lanning, holding the seat Proffer is seeking, has not indicated whether he planned to run for re-election.

Tomatoes And Peas Favored Vegetables

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP) — Tomatoes rank first in favor among canned vegetables with Americans, who ate 6.3 pounds per capita, canned weight, in the last normal crop year before the war, 1940-41, according to a study of canned vegetable consumption recently completed by the American Can company. Green peas, with a per capita consumption of 5.8 pounds, canned weight, ranked second and corn, with a per capita average of 4.0 was third. The study revealed that the per capita consumption of all canned vegetables during 1940-41 was 25.43 pounds as against 20.94 for 1930-31.

Repatriation Of Poles Up To 10,000 Per Day

WARSAW, Poland, (AP) — The repatriation of an estimated four million Poles from western and eastern Europe is being stepped up to more than 10,000 per day. Wladyslaw Wolski, vice minister of public administration, reported 4,500 Poles are entering Poland at Szczecin (Stettin) from Germany daily. Six thousand Poles are passing into their home-

land from American zones of occupation. Repatriations also are being speeded from Soviet Russia. Return of Poles to their homeland originally started on the basis of 3,000 daily. More than 200,000 have entered southern Poland in the last three months. Call JACK at 109 for PRINTING (Ad)



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Pet Mink Starts Yard Fur Ranch

BINGHAM, Me. (P) — Under protest Mrs. Floyd Boyington agreed eight years ago to care for two mink which her trapper-husband brought home as pets. She soon became interested in the little animals, and has turned that interest into a business that in 1945 produced 300 pelts. Her backyard mink ranch keeps Mrs. Boyington busy the year 'round. And from April, when the "kittens" are born, until late November, when the pelts are ready for market, her husband also has to be on the job daily.

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Skinner's Raisin Bran-per pkg. . . 11c
Kelllogg's Corn Flakes-2 large . . . 25c
Post's Grape-nuts-per pkg. . . . 13c
Heart's Delight Peaches-No. 2 1/2 . . . . 29c
Hunt's Fruit Cocktail-per can . . 39c
Aunt Jimma Pancake Flour-2 lbs. 8 oz. 28c
Bleach-Clorox-qt. . . . . 23c
Shredded Wheat-pkg. . . 13c
Washing Powder-Ford's . 25c

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Pure PORK SAUSAGE . . . . lb. 33c
PORK ROAST . . . . . lb. 39c
BOLOGNA - Armour's . . . lb. 25c
SUMMER SAUSAGE . . . . lb. 30c
FAT BACKS - smoked . . lb. 18c
FRUITS & VEGETABLES
ONIONS-New Crop Yellow . . . lb. 6c
CARROTS-Crispy Fresh . . . bunch 9c
APPLES-Fancy Delicious . . . . lb. 13c
ORANGES-Fancy California . . lb. 12c
CABBAGE-Fresh Green . . . . lb. 6c
CAULIFLOWER-Fresh . . . . . lb. 19c
RADISHES-Crispy Red . . 2 bunches 15c
GRAPEFRUIT-Ruby Red . . . . lb. 8c

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Chuckwagon Mexican Beans . . . . . 2 for 19c
Van Camp's Beans-12 oz. . . . . 12c
Rice-Peacock-2 lbs. . . . . 22c
Tea-1 lb. Lipton . . . . . 98c
Bright & Early Coffee . . . . . lb. 25c
Lady Betty Salad Dressing . . . 1/2 pt. 15c
Morton's Salt . . . 3 pkgs. 25c
Kraft Dinner . . . 2 pkgs. 19c
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It's Time Again

**POLITICAL POT SIMMERS AS NEW YEAR DRAWS CANDIDATES**

The old political pot was beginning to simmer around the courthouse Thursday as several incumbents began to consider a propitious time for announcing.

At least one name won't be before the voters. It is that of County Judge James T. Brooks who unequivocally announced that he would not be a candidate for reelection. This announcement, however, came as no surprise since it was a reaffirmation of a position which Judge Brooks had taken before the end of the past year.

Thus, this year will mark the end of Judge Brooks' second tenure as county judge. He held that position after his return from World War I and subsequently served as a district attorney and judge of the 32nd special district court. He was appointed to fill the vacancy of Walton S. Morrison, who resigned in 1942 to enter the service and was re-elected in 1944.

Morrison, incidentally, will be a candidate in the democratic primaries. Currently he is a captain

in the army intelligence but is expected home soon.

It was an even bet that other incumbents would toss their hats in the ring shortly. Among those contacted by a Herald reporter were Walter Grice, justice of peace, Walker Bailey, county superintendent, Lee Porter, county clerk, George Choate, district clerk, H. C. Hooser, county attorney, Bob Wolf, sheriff, and J. T. Thornton, constable. Some other county and precinct officials were not contacted, including John F. Wolcott, tax collector-assessor, who is convalescing in Dallas from an operation.

If patterns of former years are followed, this wave of announcements will touch off some on the part of others who will hear the bee buzzing and bid for a place in the courthouse.

**Livestock**

FORT WORTH, Jan. 3 (AP) — (USDA)—Cattle 3,000; calves 1,700; most classes slow and weak, cows weak to 25 lower; beef steers and yearlings in small supply, few medium and good grades 12.50-15.50; common lots 10.00-11.50; good cows 12.00-50; common and medium grades 8.50-11.00; cutters 7.25-8.25; canners 5.00-7.00; sausage bulls 8.00-10.00; good and choice fat calves 12.50-14.25; common and medium lots 9.50-12.00.

Hogs 1,000; active; butcher hogs and sows steady; pigs strong; good and choice 150 lbs. up 14.65; sows 13.90; stocker pigs 10.50-13.00.

Sheep 5,700; slaughter lambs and ewes steady to 25 lower; yearlings steady; good and choice 85-95 lb. woolled lambs 13.25 and 13.50; medium and good lambs 12.50 and 12.75; common and medium lambs 10.00-12.00; medium and good yearlings 11.00; medium and good slaughter ewes 5.75-6.50.

**Dr. Bowden To Become Head Of Hospital**



Dr. Garnett Miller

Dr. A. M. Bowden, head of the Austin State School, is to assume charge of the Big Spring State hospital Jan. 15, Dr. Garnett Miller announced Thursday.

Dr. Miller, who has been serving as superintendent here since September, will assume the duties of assistant superintendent.

The change was effected by the appointment of Dr. Charles W. Castner, for 30 years chief of the eleemosynary division, as superintendent at the Austin school.

The board of control announced re-election of Weaver Baker as chairman. Other members are Tom De Berry and Hall Logan, recently named to replace Harry L. Knox, Jr.

Dr. Miller, who will have been on the staff here for four years on Feb. 1, was made acting superintendent in September and then superintendent of the Big Spring State hospital despite a request to the contrary.

On the staff with him now are Dr. J. P. Houser and Dr. W. C. Curtis. With addition of Dr. Bowden, the hospital will come nearer having a complete staff since its founding. At one time, Dr. Miller was the only doctor at the hospital following the death of Dr. G. S. Weaver, acting superintendent.

**Public Records**

**Warranty Deeds**  
Frank M. Ross et al to J. I. Balch and J. R. Balch, \$14 and NE¼ of Sec. 32, Tsp. 1-N, T&P, \$29,340.

Cecil Rhodes to E. H. Sager et ux, lots 9 and 10, Blk. 17, Jones Valley addition, \$10.

Manuel Jaquez et ux to Genaro Hernandez, lot 9, Blk. 20, Government Heights addition, \$230.

V. A. Merrick et ux to J. J. Jones, lots 2, 3 and 4, Blk. 10, Boydston addition, \$5,500.

**Marriage Licenses**  
William E. Boyd and Virginia McGee, both of San Antonio.

P. Garcia and Marina Gomez, both of Big Spring.

Benjamin Franklin Allen and Clara Long, both of Big Spring. Filed in District Court.

Elnora Frances Graham vs. James Claude Graham, suit for divorce.

Charles B. Dees vs. Maxine Dees, suit for divorce.

Tye D. Reeves vs. Edith L. Reeves, suit for divorce.

Nathaniel Lewis vs. Anita Lewis, suit for divorce.

**BUILDING PERMITS**  
K. L. Click, to build a frame and stucco house at 1006 Bluebonnet Street, cost \$4000.

**No Meeting Friday**

Cub Scout pack 13 will not meet Friday because of the lack of advancement, D. M. McKinney, cub master, said Thursday. The next meeting will be held the first Friday in February.

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**Weather Forecast**  
Dept. of Commerce Weather Bureau

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight, and Friday, slightly warmer tonight except Del Rio-Eagle Pass area.

**BIG SPRING AND VICINITY:** Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Slightly warmer. High today 67 and low 35. High tomorrow 69.

**TEMPERATURES**

City	Max.	Min.
Abilene	67	35
Amarillo	55	25
BIG SPRING	66	31
Chicago	29	27
Denver	57	29
El Paso	67	38
Fort Worth	71	42
Galveston	65	58
New York	29	23
St. Louis	39	33

Sunset tonight 5:54 a. m.  
Sunrise Friday 7:47 a. m.

**Stripling Installed As Kiwanis President**

Bob Stripling formally assumed office as president of the Kiwanis club at the regular weekly luncheon of that organization Thursday at the Settles hotel.

Stripling succeeds the Rev. H. Clyde Smith.

Murie Stewart, departing secretary, also surrendered his post to Benny Freeman.

The unit's committmen will be announced at a future meeting. Guests included E. B. Ribble and J. B. Apple.

**To Visit In Dallas**

Joyce Croft and Champe Phillips will leave tonight for Dallas where they will spend several days. Miss Phillips is to leave Sunday for Brigham City, Utah where she will continue her work as a physical therapist. Miss Croft will return home Sunday via American Airlines.

**Large Rural Real Estate Deal Filed**

One of the largest real estate deals transacted here in some time involving rural property was filed in the county clerk's office Thursday morning.

J. I. and J. T. Balch paid \$29,340 to Frank M. Rose and associates, which include his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones, for approximately 489 acres.

Property involved is part of the original Coffee estate which is located east of the Big Spring cemetery.

**Bettle Due Home**

T-Sgt. Clayton W. Bettle of the 1307th Engineering Construction Battalion at Nichols Field in Manila, P. I., has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bettle that he expected to sail for home Jan. 2. When his letter was written, he said that his unit was being processed.

**Stamp 39 Good**

Sugar stamp 39 is good for five pounds of sugar beginning Jan. 1 until April 30, OPA officials at the local ration board announced Thursday.

**John L. Matthews**

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**Cattle Sales Off To Good Year's Start**

Cattle sales were off to a good start for 1946 at the Big Spring Livestock commission's weekly sale Wednesday, as buyers were plentiful and active and offerings were good.

More than 700 animals went through the ring, and most of them brought better prices than usual.

Most bulls went at about \$10.50, but some good lots brought up to \$11.75. Fat cows ranged up to \$12.00. Butcher yearlings went from \$12.00 upward, with one choice lot bringing \$15.40. Good butcher cows averaged about \$8.50.

Several cows with calves brought from \$80 to \$100 each, while stocker steers brought up to \$12.95.

Offerings in hogs were limited, with only about 20 head going through the ring. Price was steady at a ceiling of \$14.40.

**TRUMAN GETS NO. 1**  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 3 (AP)—For years the governor of Missouri has been granted license tag No. 1 for his motor car but this year he ran into some stiff competition—and lost it.

President Truman mailed in his application for the number in his home state, and was granted it by the secretary of state.

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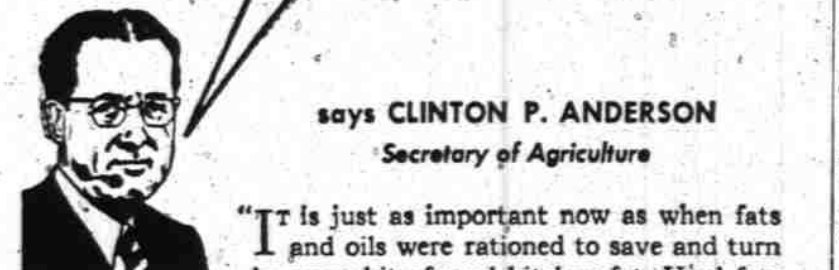
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# Butane Tanks, Appliances Come In To Fraley & Co.

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Not only have demands and waiting lists for Butane storage tanks been filled, Pruitt says, but the company even has some unsold tanks of various sizes in stock. Initial outlay of Butane installation, never high, is now more inexpensive and within the range of any pocketbook, Pruitt emphasizes. The saving resulting from the use of the bottle gas more than repays the first cost with continued cheap, clean service.

A number of appliances, not so hard to get as in the past few years. Even more shipments are in sight, Pruitt says, and production figures promise plenty by the end of the new year. For the first three months or so it will be necessary to fit out an application for stoves, ranges and heaters but no priorities of any kind are needed. The store is a dealer in Humphrey space heaters, Roper ranges, General water heaters and Fada radios and record players.

Besides these household commodities, best of equipment is supplied for use in oil fields for carburetors and other drilling equipment. Delivery of Butane gas to customers who have already installed storage tanks is prompt and efficient. Pruitt stated, adding that one transport truck to bring in the gas from fields in Caddo, Ranger and Breckenridge and three delivery trucks are on hand.

The company also maintains a serviceman to repair appliances and make adjustments. This service is available by calling 2032.

## Aviators Trade Lessons For Work

CHICKASHA, Okla., (AP)—Aviation enthusiasts here figured out a way to keep the municipal airport in good condition and at the same time stimulate interest in flying.

Three commercial operators each award an hour of dual flying instruction to high school youths on the basis of the time they devote to clearing weeds and grass from the airport each week.

## Bodies Of Seamen Believed On Wreck

GALVESTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—The Swedish tanker Sveaborg, damaged in an explosion at Texas City last week, was to be berthed at Todd-Galveston Dry Docks, Inc. today. The bodies of seven crewmen were believed to be among the ship's wreckage.

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## Post Office Cafe Favorite Place Downtown For Mid-Morning Coffee

A favorite stopping point for many workers in downtown Big Spring is the Post Office cafe whether it be for morning coffee, breakfast, lunch, dinner or mid-afternoon snack.

Approximately 480 cups of coffee are served in one day as an average, Greer Hamill, owner, said.

Hamill has been in charge of the Post Office Cafe for the past 18 months. One of the cleanest eating places in town and located at 310 Scurry, it may boast of a fine menu of home cooked food. Delicious Sirloins, Club and T-Bone steaks with more than a sufficient helping of french fried potatoes and salads often call for the family dining out occasionally at the Post Office Cafe.

Sixteen seats are available in the cafe and when the place is overflowing, it is worth your money and time to wait and eat at the Post Office cafe than go elsewhere. Hamill has a woman cook who bakes the cafe's pies, featuring fruits hard to obtain. Lunch is served beginning at 11 a. m. and plate lunches are available until 8 p. m., closing time.

Workers in need of sack lunches may get them as early as 8 a. m. when the cafe opens daily except Sunday.

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## Nabors Beauty Shop Securing New Equipment

"We appreciate the courtesy, cooperation and promptness which our customers have given us during the past year, and now the first of another year, we hope to serve to the best of our ability," Mrs. Zella Nabors of the Nabors Beauty Shop at 1701 Gregg has said.

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Mrs. Nabors wishes all of her customers and prospective customers a happy and more beautiful new year.

Looking for a doctor? Look no further than L. Col. Dwight Harkins of Boston, although, after the operation, Rohrbach became a medical curiosity to visiting European physicians and surgeons.

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## GI'S RECOVERY FROM WOUNDS FOOLS MEDICS

SAN ANTONIO (UPI)—A young wounded infantryman at Brooke General hospital here calls himself "a walking show."

And for good reason. That's one way S/Sgt. Leroy M. Rohrbach of St. Mary's, O., can boast of the fact that he is still alive—much to the amazement of English, French and Russian surgeons.

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# Editorial-- Start With Our Circle

## With The News

By Dewitt Mackenzie  
AP World Traveler

PARIS, Jan. 3 (AP)—This is being written in one of the very few Paris hotel rooms with any heat at all, although winter has fastened on the French capital.

Across the street the French tri-color and the Stars and Stripes are tugging at their standards side by side—a grand sight but an uncomfortable reminder that the wind which is whipping them about is penetrating every nook and cranny of this great city with a sub-freezing temperature. That means wholesale suffering.

Offices, hotels and homes in Paris and other cities are only partially heated at best, and many have no heat at all. If you have an apartment, for instance, you are lucky to be able to have a fire in one room going for a short time each day of extreme cold. Fortunately there's gas enough for moderate cooking.

A person living alone is allowed only 330 pounds of coal for the whole winter.

One of the most serious aspects of this fuel shortage rests in the fact that the people have been underfed throughout the years of war. As a result their resistance to disease has been lowered.

If you have a pocket full of money you can get almost anything you want in the food black market. But the fact the black market does have food means the regular markets are stripped.

A regular market dinner in a black-market restaurant will cost you about \$40. In a "medium" price restaurant, black market category, which gets only part of its supplies from the profiteers, you can eat moderately for about five dollars.

These prices aren't for the little fellow. He has to do with the pitiful amount of food he can buy in the market, and pad this out by going occasionally to cheap restaurants. He can get a skimpy meal for 1000 francs (currently about 85 cents) but probably he will have to go to the lowest category of restaurant where he can eat for 30 francs.

And listen to what he gets: Thin vegetable soup, a baked vegetable or noodles (without butter), fruit and bread. If you eat in the 100 franc category of restaurant your food will cost you about 9,000 francs a month—and low salaried folk like stenographers and many teachers get 3500 to 4000 francs a month salary.

Nearly 40,000 ships were piloted in Scotland's River Clyde in 1944. They had a gross tonnage of about 120,000,000.

Forty-five Texans died as a result of traffic and other unnatural causes during the New Year's holiday season.

It was good for a headline. Now it is practically forgotten. Forty-five persons snatched from the bosom of their families and summarily sentenced to execution would have stirred the state, and indeed the nation, to indignation and action. But 45 persons picked off here and there on the highways, so far apart that no one at one point pays any attention to what is happening to another—these 45 died with little more than localized sorrow.

Yet, our own little world is the only place in which we can get hold of the problem. Most of us are concerned with what goes on about us. We are interested in traffic safety mostly as it applies to us—to our friends and to our own families.

Thus, it is entirely proper that at the beginning of a New Year every person in Howard county resolve to take more of a personal interest in safety—particularly upon the highways and streets. We suggest that each of us do everything possible to have 365 days in 1946 when there are no fatalities from traffic mishaps. Let's whittle down our part of the state total.

### A Tough Spot

The president will speak to the nation tonight, presumably presenting some of the problems and his requests for certain courses of action.

Never was an individual faced with such vexing and such demanding economic, social and political puzzles as is President Truman. In many respects, the challenge of his administration this year is greater than that which faced the late President Roosevelt in marshaling the nation for war. The presence of a common foe makes for unity, but its absence leaves the doors open for factions and distracting contention.

It is in this atmosphere of anxiety for reconversion but with "me first" that the president speaks tonight.

What he has to say may not appeal to all of us, but we, for one, appreciate that the gentleman is in a pretty tight and responsible spot.

### No R.I.P. Here

Joachim von Ribbentrop, Nazi foreign minister, is credited with having written a letter in which he said Adolf Hitler expected his spirit to rise from the grave. We knew the old so-and-so could never rest in peace.

## How To Torture Your Husband



## With The AEF: Corregidor Fortress Now A Military Shrine

By HAL BOYLE

CORREGIDOR, Jan. 3 (AP)—This tadpole-shaped fortress, America's "Island Alamo," has become a military shrine to soldier and sailor tourists.

When you step ashore on "The Rock," the first thing that meets your eyes is a large sign marked with skull and crossbones: "Attention souvenir hunters. For a quick death, pick up ammunition on this island."

Thousands of service men in recent months have visited this two-square mile tomb of heroes, fortified into one of the strongest military points in the world at a cost of \$49,000,000. It stood up under three months and nine days of Japanese assault before Gen. Jonathan "Wainwright" was forced to capitulate May 6, 1942.

Now tropical vegetation is hiding the scars from artillery barrages during which Japanese gunners poured in 16,000 shells in a single day. Two Red Cross workers serve lemonade and cakes to the touring troops on the same beach which 5,000 Japanese died to take. "The Rock" consists of three parts—the long tadpole tail on which is a small air landing strip, the central humped back pierced by Malinta tunnel, scene of the American last stand, and the high-crowned hill at the other end of

the island known as "Topside." Hundreds of blackened shells are stacked about Malinta tunnel, which is closed to the public because of the danger from falling rocks. In the grassy ravines and foxholes bordering the road leading out to "The Tail" lie the bones of scores of Japanese soldiers killed during the American reconquest of the island last spring. Ants have picked them clean.

Grass has grown over and covered the trolley tracks leading up to "Topside." "Officers' Row," where the ranking brass lived in concrete homes and enjoyed one of the most beautiful views in the Pacific, is deserted and bare. The great barracks and hospital lie in irreparable ruins.

Twelve-inch field guns still point silently toward the mountains of Bataan peninsula. They are fine guns, built in Watervliet arsenal, but they are now 50 years old and are replaced in open gunpits offering absolutely no protection from bombers.

## Washington— Ring-Around-A-Rosy In Washington

By J. FRANK FRAGLE (For Jack Shinnett)

WASHINGTON.—The Dupont Circle merry-go-round, which has been starting residents and visitors for years, seems destined to come to a halt.

The circle will remain. But its ring-around-a-rosy feature—which is far from rosy because part of the ring revolves in reverse—will be abolished. At least that's the officially expressed hope at the moment.

To begin with, Dupont Circle is where Massachusetts Ave., Connecticut Ave., New Hampshire Ave., P St., and 19th St. meet, form a ring and then separate again. But what makes it unique among Washington circles is that northbound Connecticut Ave. street cars run opposite to the flow of traffic by negotiating the circle clockwise.

Buses, trucks, passenger vehicles and southbound Connecticut Ave. street cars follow the orthodox method of rotating counter-clockwise. Put the two situations together and you can see why there have been complaints. It's about as confusing as though one of your watch hands ran backwards.

What's proposed is to tunnel Connecticut Ave., including the car tracks, under the other streets. Connecticut Ave. would be a straight-away proposition. The street cars would do their suburban circling about the perimeter. But this time they would run as you would expect street cars to run in drive—to the right America: around the east side northbound and around the west side southbound.

Tunnels have been constructed at other busy Washington circles. This would be the first time, however, that street cars would be placed underground. It has been estimated that 24,000 persons change cars or buses at Dupont Circle daily.

Capital Transit Co. said the wrong-way procedure stems from an old P St. line, now abandoned. Plans for correcting the situation have been discussed for ten years. The present proposal, which seems destined for adoption, is the fifth to be advanced. A generally believed Washington story is that the car tracks weren't made to run

counter-clockwise when the old line was abandoned because certain residents at the time did not relish the thought of street cars clanging past their doors.

The Dupont Circle underpass won't make Washington a visiting motorist's dream, however. For the city's street layout, although pretty handy when memorized, is a puzzle to the uninitiated.

For example, a number of main thoroughfares run off at angles. Some, such as Massachusetts, and Pennsylvania Avenues, unexpectedly bump into buildings, emerging miraculously on the other side. For short distances there are two E Sts., two 15th Sts. and two 17th Sts. There is a 13-1-2 St.

### Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- 1. Lump of earth.
- 2. Congealed water.
- 3. Constructed.
- 11. Italian seaside resort.
- 12. Statute.
- 13. English river.
- 14. Southwest wind.
- 15. Duffel.
- 16. You and I.
- 17. No longer active.
- 21. Conjunction.
- 22. Coal, vest, and trousers.
- 23. Brood of pheasants.
- 24. Thirsty.
- 25. Havage.
- 26. Father of modern engraving.
- 30. Topaz hummingbird.
- 31. Golf shot.
- 32. From a distance.
- 33. Meanings.
- 38. Medieval cloth.
- 40. Set of three.
- 41. Gray with age.
- 42. Negative particle.
- 44. Total.
- 45. Hero.
- 48. Open vessel.
- 50. American bus.
- 51. Restless.
- 52. Birthplace.
- 54. Flour.
- 55. Chinese coin.
- 56. Black.
- 57. Corroded.
- 58. Feminine name.
- 65. Resounded.
- 66. Lone Star state; abbr.
- 67. Sound of surf on the shore.

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## Washington Merry-Go-Round— Snyder and Byrnes-Problem Officials

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON.—The New Year greets Harry Truman with two big housekeeping problems right inside his own family.

One is slow-moving, procrastinating John Snyder of St. Louis, the War Reconvert, an old and intimate friend of Truman's, but no help when it comes to getting US economy back on a smooth-running, peacetime basis.

The other is fast-moving, hard-working James F. Byrnes of South Carolina, who is sincerely and conscientiously trying to renovate the moth-eaten State Department and build a better world, but who has a certain amount of friction with Truman.

Of the two, Snyder is the more immediate problem; Byrnes is more important, but long-range. With Byrnes it's largely a question of personalities. With Snyder, it's a question of mistakes.

Byrnes is a man who, under Roosevelt was accustomed to running his own show. He would see recommendations up to Congress without consulting with the White House. He was assistant president, and with FDR frequently out of town he definitely operated as such.

Now he sometimes forgets that there is a man in the White House who is accountable to the public regarding Foreign Affairs and who likes to know, sometimes in detail, what's going on. That was probably why Byrnes released an important policy statement on Germany just before he left for Moscow, without consulting Truman. Probably he didn't mean it that way, but it caused irritation inside the White House.

Again, before he came back from the London conference last fall, Jimmy announced—without consulting his chief—that he would deliver a radio address to the nation. The White House didn't like this, either.

Despite this, when Jimmy alighted from his Moscow plane last week, he once again announced that he would give a radio report to the nation.

These small things, plus some other bigger ones, have riled relations between the President and his No. 1 cabinet officer. Both men are a little quick on the trigger. Both are sensitive beneath the surface. In addition, the President happens to be surrounded by several advisers who not only don't care much for Byrnes, but think he has fumbled several balls on the foreign affairs front.

Prediction: There is bound to be a clash between Byrnes and Truman before the year 1946 is over.

Snyder of St. Louis

The case of John Snyder is different. Harry Truman and Snyder used to train together in the Missouri National Guard, know each other intimately. But Truman, in this case, has inherited the old tenderness of his late chief—FDR. He hates to fire a real friend.

On the other hand, at least three close White House advisers—Charlie Ross, Sam O'Neal and Bob Hannegan—have so continually pounded home the fact that Snyder must go that Truman has asked them not to speak to him about it any more. (Incidentally, the three St. Louisians point out that Snyder is not a real Missourian, but from Arkansas.)

Regardless of personalities, however, Snyder has made error after error which vitally affects the economic life of the nation, and for which Truman gets the blame. Here is the scorecard:

- 1. Helped abolish the War Labor Board; just at a time when it was most needed. Later Truman was put in the embarrassing position of begging the War Labor Board to continue, which they refused to do.
- 2. Abolished the office of Economic Stabilizer and fired its direc-

tor, Will Davis, one of the ablest men in Washington. Later, Snyder had to reconstitute the office of Economic Stabilization, and brought in as director Judge John C. Collett of Kansas City, whose chief accomplishment has been to win the nickname "Snuffy Smith," after the Barney Google character. Again Truman got the blame for this, though secretly he has been dead opposed to Collett ever since the Judge's family bolted the Roosevelt-Truman ticket last year.

3. Abolished controls on building materials. Then, after prices soared and a loud and justified protest came from veterans, Snyder reversed himself and put back the controls.

Snyder's bungling came to a climax the other day when Truman learned that he had eased Bob Nathan out of the Reconstruction Office. When Truman heard about it, he threw up his hands. "What! Bob Nathan leaving the government!" he exclaimed. "Can't we get him to stay?"

It happened that Truman had known Nathan's work intimately when the latter was in the War Production Board. So he promptly called Nathan to the White House and spent 45 minutes trying to undo the error of his bungling reconversion chief, John Snyder.

But he didn't succeed. Nathan was fed up with Snyder errors. Meanwhile Snyder has replaced Nathan with a former America Firster, Richard Bissell.

Prediction: John Snyder will be out of the reconversion office before the winter is over. United Nations Home Representative Adolph Sabath of Illinois was making an impassioned speech in favor of Chicago as the site for the United Nations organization, when Vito Marcantonio, New York American-Laborite broke in:

"I am afraid Chicago is disqualified because of its continuous warfare against England." He was referring to the late "Big Bill" Thompson, former mayor of Chicago, who once threatened to punch the King of England on the nose and to the subsequent anti-British crusade of the Chicago Tribune. Marcantonio, on the other hand, insisted that peace-loving New York was the ideal spot for the United Nations.

"I wonder if we could not compromise on Plymouth," suggested GOP minority leader Joe Martin, who comes from Massachusetts.

"Yes, I concede that this is a historic spot," replied Sabath, "but surely the gentleman does not contemplate that the United Nations Organization should founder on a rock."

Naval Diaries Forbidden—But Naval officers who in peacetime make a living with the pen are plenty riled over the series of articles, "My Three Years With Eisenhower," written by Captain Harry C. Butcher, naval aide to General Ike, and now being published in a national weekly.

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## Hollywood— Gene Trimmed By Stars' Barbers

By GENE HANDSAKER

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selfsame clippers that were shearing my temples also groom the famous domes of Pat O'Brien, Dick Powell, John Wayne, Cary Grant.

"Cary Grant is my most particular customer," said Bates, a pleasant medium-sized man born Baliz 38 years ago in Kiev, Russia. He himself has a distinguish-ed-looking wavy head of hair; hazel eyes, a trim mustache and a soft, accented voice that he doesn't use much unless the customer also wishes to talk.

"Mr. Grant sits in the chair holding a mirror and directing the haircut, but he does it so diplomatically and tactfully that the barber thinks he is deciding everything.

"Pat O'Brien comes to me for a shave every day he works, no matter which studio he's working at. He always arrives promptly at 8 a. m."

Whacking off my top locks, Bates continued with quiet pride: "Mr. O'Brien has a very tough beard. If he shaves himself or some other barber shaves him, he has to have another shave at noon. I give him a shave that lasts all day."

With any other customer, Bates devotes only 15 minutes to a shave. He puts in a half hour on O'Brien's bristles, whitening them with hot towels and using an extra-hard razor that is kept in a special drawer and reserved exclusively for Pat.

Keeping Dick Powell's shortcut hair at the same length throughout the shooting of "Cornered" was a problem entrusted to Bates. His easiest customer is plump Walter Slezak.

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**Puerto Rican Labor Plan**

WASHINGTON — A plan like President Truman's proposal to appoint fact-finding boards in industrial strife is already operating under the American flag — in Puerto Rico. According to Rexford G. Tugwell, former governor of the island, it works "very well."

The plan was put into practice in 1942 under the sponsorship of Tugwell and the Popular Democratic party as a means of checking wide-scale labor-management disputes over wages and working conditions. It is based on:

1. A Minimum Wage Board composed of five members—two representing labor, two management and one the public—to investigate labor troubles and establish minimum wages in accordance with industrial and regional requirements. Not all industries and all areas have the same type of wages.
2. A Labor Relations Board to arbitrate on a voluntary basis between labor and management.

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This is how the set-up operates: Labor demands higher wages and sits down to negotiate with management. In the event bargaining fails, a strike is the next step.

The government, through its minimum wage board, offers its cooperation. The parties submit their case to investigation by the board.

A committee of experts including representatives of labor and management is appointed. It surveys the conditions of the industry involved and the workers' living standard, living cost, etc.

**Berlin Street Organ Cheers Lady POW's**

AP Newsfeatures  
BERLIN — The organ grinder, that vagabond of melody, has reappeared for first time since war in rubble-lined streets of downtown Berlin.

He's just a tramp trying to make a catch-penny living in the ruined city but today he created a street scene indelibly imprinted upon the memory of a reporter for American-licensed Tagesspiegel (Daily Mirror):

"All of a sudden from amidst the ruins a little song floated up. The organ grinder has reappeared and is dispensing his penny melancholy."

"At a corner of Wilhelmstrasse he has created an unforgettable scene. Women who've been pushing heavy sand trucks or passing bricks from hand to hand in a chain as gangs of rubble clearers, have abandoned their tasks and are embracing each other and dancing — dancing a waltz in the ruined street."

"A group of returned prisoners of war comes shuffling up the street seeking their old homes. The women rush to them and surround them. The shabby looking women put their arms around the shabbier

**Seth Richardson New Pearl Harbor Counsel**

PLAN DINNER  
HARLINGEN, Jan. 3. (AP) — The Texas Citrus and Vegetable Growers and Shippers, Inc. plan to hold a Texas products dinner in Washington Jan. 30, Austin Anson, manager of the group announced here.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP) — The Pearl Harbor investigating committee yesterday named Seth W. Richardson, Washington attorney, as its new counsel.

Richardson will succeed William D. Mitchell, counsel, who resigned with his staff because the investigation's scope had so broadened that the time for its conclusion was extended by congress to Feb. 15. Originally the inquiry was to wind up tomorrow.

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looking men and bid them dance. The shy, broken men light up with slow smiles and try a few clumsy steps. Then they stop. Breathing heavily, the organ grinder collects his pennings and passes on. The prisoners shuffle along their road back. The women go back to their rubble piles."

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