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Konoye's Dramatic Suicide Seen as Powerful Blow at Emperor's Prestige

Discussions Of Abdication Are Revived

TOKYO, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Prince Fumimaro Konoye's dramatic suicide yesterday—a new and powerful blow to the prestige and position of Emperor Hirohito—may have profound repercussions in the imperial household as well as in political circles.

The prince himself, in his final hours, expressed concern for the future of the imperial house as discussions of possible abdication were revived. Some Japanese said the suicide might be the final factor in precipitating the emperor's resignation.

TO ESCAPE TRIAL

Konoye committed suicide by poison to escape American trial as a war criminal.

A written statement in which Konoye rejected the "humiliation" of facing trial was disclosed several hours after Prince Konoye found his body on his bedroom floor. The statement accepted responsibility for the China conflict but defended Konoye's part in the tripartite pact and he precludes to the Pacific war.

THE DANGEROUS PRINCE

doubtless, Hirohito personally felt the blow deeply. Konoye long was his close confidante and it generally was believed the mikado placed great authority in "the dangerous prince."

Konoye's death was a swift parallel blow to General MacArthur's recent drive against Shinto. That drive struck deeply at Hirohito. Before that, the widespread network of MacArthur's war criminal lists had stripped from around the throne all but two of the principal and still active court actors in the tragedy of the past 15 years. The imperial household had been invaded.

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Greyhound Bus Strike Ends, Schedule Resumed

FORT WORTH, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The first Greyhound buses rolled out of terminals at 12:15 a. m. today, ending a strike in the Greyhound Southwestern division that had made 2,000 idle and tied up transportation in eight states since Nov. 4.

Terminal workers returned to their jobs Sunday morning after a new contract between the company and the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway and Motor Coach Employees (AFL) was signed Saturday.

Under the new contract drivers and terminal employees will receive pay increases retroactive to Aug. 18, date of expiration of the wage stabilization. The union had asked that the increase be made retroactive to last Jan. 30.

Terminal employees were allowed a 45 cent month raise on minimum and maximum grade rates and reduction of the automatic increase period from five to four years. Terminal employees will receive a 12 1/2 per cent wage increase, figured on base pay, when a switch from 48 to 40-hour-week is made.

Major Crop Totals Reported by Office

A total of 112,000 acres of wheat and 3,000 acres of cotton were harvested in Gray county during the 1945 season. It was reported today by the county agent's office.

The office reported that 1,500,000 bushels of wheat were harvested and approximately 375,000 pounds of cotton were ginned during the year.

The office placed 245 wheat harvest workers and 114 cotton workers during the harvest season.

Shopping Days Left

A PRESENT FOR YOU SANTA

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CODE BREAKER



Maj. Gen. Joseph O. Mauborgne, retired, credited by Maj. Gen. Sherman Miles, chief of army intelligence in 1941, as the person "directly responsible" for cracking the Japanese code.

Work Stoppages Could Seriously Affect Housing

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Work stoppages which might tie up production or transportation of important basic construction materials, such as steel and lumber, could throw the nation's housing program out of gear a top labor department statistician said today.

The prediction came from Herman B. Byer, assistant chief of the employment and occupational outlook branch of the bureau of labor statistics.

Byer, in an address prepared for an industry-government conference on 1946 housing projects, estimated that 600,000 non-farm dwellings would be started next year, averaging \$5,000 each.

He said he expected no shortage of construction labor but that the entire program was "a close race between supply and requirements."

The government asked the nation's builders today to make ingenious use of substitutes for scarce brick and lumber in order to get volume home production started.

And in the same breath, Civilian Production Administrator John D. Small asked communities to bar construction of such buildings as night clubs until the housing crisis is nearer solution.

It's time, Small said in an address prepared for the opening session of a two-day industry-government housing conference, for a nationwide drive to beat that crisis.

Whereas the slogan since V-J day has been "get the boys home," he suggested changing it to "get the boys housed."

"Shortages of certain materials," the OPA chief asserted, "will quite frequently not hold up the building of houses if available substitutes are used. For example, where lumber is short, concrete blocks may be available."

568 Workers Are Placed on Farms

The state agricultural extension service placed 568 farm workers on Gray county farms this year, out of a total of 752 orders, Mrs. Willena Lovell, farm labor clerk, said today.

Of this number, 253 worked from four to 30 days, 141 from one to five months, 118 from one to three days and 56 have worked longer than five months.

Mrs. Lovell reported that of seasonal labor, workers staying five months or less, 410 were men, man with families, and 100 were boys under 18 years of age. Of the 410 men, 58 stayed longer than five months.

In the local agent's annual labor report to the extension service headquarters, from which these figures were taken, it was reported that eight persons spent a total of 408 days engaged in extension work.

The eight are County Agent J. P. Smith, former County Agent G. T. Hackney, R. E. McCoy, assistant County Agent O. N. Patterson and L. E. Berryman, field assistants, and Virginia Clay, Faye Abell and Mrs. Lovell, clerical workers.

Mill Creek Channel Changes Are Planned

DALLAS, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Channel changes, cut-offs and channel enlargements on the lower 18 miles of Mill creek, a tributary of the Brazos river, which will provide a minimum channel capacity of 10,000 cubic feet per second have been recommended by the Southwestern Divisions Engineers. Cost of the suggested federal project is estimated at \$278,000.

St. Garage, 900 S. Cuyler, Ph. 51. (Adv.)

Police Crack Picket Line at GM Plant; Foreign Ministers Begin Moscow Talks

Secrecy Encircles Meeting

MOSCOW, Dec. 17.—(AP)—In an atmosphere of cordiality enhanced by an informal preliminary meeting last night, the foreign ministers of the Soviet Union, the United States and Britain turned today to the serious business of bringing their countries closer together in the interests of world peace.

MOMENTOUS ISSUES

A British embassy spokesman said the foreign ministers would meet for the second time this afternoon and observers expected they would embark at once on discussion of the momentous issues which had brought them together.

Their first meeting 'st night lasted about two and one-half hours.

SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER Vyacheslav Molotov, as the host, presided over the proceedings—his first joint meeting with Secretary of States James F. Byrnes and British Foreign

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Fact-Finding Plan Gets First Real Test Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Government fact-finding—temporarily shelved by congress, bitterly opposed by labor and coolly regarded by management—gets under way today in the oil industry's wage dispute. The General Motors strike is next in line.

The oil case, although actually engineered by the labor department, will provide the first practical test of President Truman's plan to use the pressure of public opinion to settle industrial strife.

Involved is a demand by the CIO oilworkers union for a 30 percent wage increase—an issue which provoked a strike and navy seizure of 53 refineries and other facilities last October.

Even properties of the Sinclair Oil Corp. are due to be released at midnight tonight as the result of a wage settlement which the company said provides for an 18 percent increase for a basic 40-hour week.

Return of the Sinclair facilities will bring to 15 the number thus far freed of navy operation.

As a Guinea pig for fact-finding, the oil panel will share attention with another beginning Wednesday. At that time, the GM board will hold its first session with officials of the strike-bound corporation and the CIO-United automobile workers.

The oil industry 10 days ago served notice on its board that no company books will be made public, that it will present its case on a plant-by-plant basis, and that it does not regard profits as a yardstick to be used in determining wage questions.

Houston Fire Burns Prefabricated Homes

HOUSTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Twenty-four crates containing prefabricated houses awaiting shipment to France were destroyed in a grass fire yesterday. There was no estimate of the loss, but firemen said that there were four crates to the house.

LEADERSHIP CORPS CHARGED:

NEW EVIDENCE PRODUCED AGAINST NAZI LEADERS

By WES GALLAGHER
NEURNBERG, Dec. 17.—(AP)—American prosecutors today called on the international military tribunal to convict as war criminals 600,000 members of the Nazi leadership corps—described as "the brain, backbone and directing arm of the Nazi party."

Opening a new phase of the war crimes trial of 21 top Hitlerite leaders, the prosecution charged that thousands of members of such once-powerful organizations as the leadership corps, the elite guard (SS), the storm troops (SA), the Reich cabinet, the Gestapo and the

German high command should also be declared guilty as war criminals.

Jails of the Allied powers in occupied Germany are filled with thousands of such minor Nazis. If the six indicted German organizations are convicted of being criminal groups, these members will automatically be guilty of war crimes to varying degrees, American prosecutors declared.

Col. Robert G. Storey, of Dallas, Texas, assistant U. S. prosecutor, opened the new phase of the trial by producing records showing that

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Orator Must Have Been Best in U. S.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—(AP)—This spellbinder must have been in rare form: Elmer Gift told police that while he listened to an orator in downtown Pershing Square, someone stole a \$75 stickpin. To get it, he scissored off part of Gift's tie.

Investigators in Carlan Death Use Scientific Method

CHELSEA, Mass., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Pans of ordinary drinking water were being used today in a scientific experiment designed to aid a medical investigation of the death of six months old "kidnaped" Ronald Carlan, whose mother is charged with his murder.

Medical examiner William J. Brickley directed that the pans be placed at the exact spot, under the lower drawer of a China closet in the Carlan home, where detectives found the corpse on Friday, 16 days after Mrs. Rose Carlan notified police the baby had been kidnaped from his carriage near his home.

Dr. Brickley ordered that hourly temperatures be made of the water. He told newsmen he could not understand how the child's body could have remained in the close confines of the compartment for 20 days without giving off an odor and that he wanted to see if the water would freeze.

Last night the medical examiner said his preliminary examination of the body "showed no outward marks of foul play."

In district court Saturday, Mrs. Carlan was charged formally with the murder of her son. Assistant clerk of court Stephen White read the charge that the mother "did assault and beat one Ronald Carlan with intent to murder, and by assault and beating did murder the said Ronald Carlan."

Weeping softly, Mrs. Carlan's only comment was: "That's not true, what you just said."

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GIRL HELD FOR BIGAMY



Arrested on vagrancy, Antoinette Zeszastrikska, 26, now faces bigamy charge. Spurning her in jail in Kansas City, Mo., is William "Lucky" Mace, 32, who

identified her as his wife, although she denied his claim. Three marriage licenses have been found in the attractive redhead's home.

Pearl Harbor Probers Study Naval Papers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Vice Admiral Theodore C. Wilkinson related today that he set a death trap for Japanese Admiral Yamamoto despite fears that the Yamamoto would thereby learn that the United States was cracking their codes.

WILKINSON TESTIFIES
The former head of naval intelligence and later a seafighter with Admiral William F. Halsey gave the account to a senate-house committee investigating the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor Dec. 7, 1941.

Wilkinson's testimony was delayed by a political squabble among the members at the opening of the session.

PEARL HARBOR OR DEWEY
During the arguments, precipitated by controversy over committee employees and the course of the inquiry, Rep. Keefe (R-Wis.) demanded to know at one point whether the group was investigating Pearl Harbor or Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York.

Along with Wilkinson's testimony, the committee also received naval documents showing that:

—Six days before the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor, the office of naval intelligence believed the Japanese might soon make some advance against Thailand.

APPROACHING CRISIS
—On Nov. 15, 1941, a naval intelligence summary spoke of "the approaching crisis" in U. S.-Japanese relations.

The Yamamoto incident came up while Wilkinson was telling of the

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Four Children Die In California Fire

PINOLE, Calif., Dec. 17.—(AP)—Four small children burned to death here last night in a fire which razed a chicken house that had been converted into apartments.

Two other persons are in critical conditions at nearby hospitals. Five other youngsters, all less than 8 years of age, were rescued without being hurt. A young married woman caring for them suffered minor burns.

River Authorities To Meet in Capital
AUSTIN, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Representatives of the upper, middle and lower Colorado river authorities will meet here Wednesday to discuss the relative water rights of the three agencies. The session will be held at the office of the lower Colorado river authority.

TICKLED THE PALATE
ROCHESTER, Minn., Dec. 17.—(AP)—What it was she was looking for the woman didn't want to say. So she timidly offered the movie theater doorman 50 cents for use of his flashlight.

Finally, the doorman persuaded her to let him sleep her. During a hilarious comedy, the woman had lost her six-tooth gold plate.

McVay Will Testify In Defense Tuesday
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Capt. Charles B. McVay, 3rd, will testify in his own defense tomorrow at his courtmartial, defense counsel disclosed today.

McVay, skipper of the cruiser Indianapolis, is on trial on charges of negligence and inefficiency in the loss of the ship last July 30 between Guam and Leyte.

Kaiser-Frazer Will Solicit 'No Strikes'

DETROIT, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Police cracked a picket line of CIO United Auto Worker strikers to escort office workers into one plant of General Motors today while at other factories the picket lines opened voluntarily.

A flying wedge formation of police charged the line of the AC spark plug division in Flint, bringing some 30 office workers into the administration building at the outset with another 120 later following.

General Motors, which has charged the UAW-CIO with "illegal picketing" and has sought injunctions in Ohio, Illinois and New Jersey, had directed office workers in several Michigan cities to report today.

26-DAY-OLD STRIKE
Thirty-eight thousand office workers, supervisory personnel and other non-strikers have been idle in the 26-day-old walkout of 175,000 production workers over the union's 30 percent wage increase demand.

Although office workers entered GM plants in other Michigan cities without untoward incident, the state police sent out an alert order to all its posts in affected communities.

NON-STRIKERS ENTER
In a number of plants the UAW-CIO's pickets have permitted the entry of non-strikers since the day the strike began. Strikers in Flint, however, had protested the entry of any "scabs" greeted the non-strikers appearance today.

The union's wage fight in the auto industry broadened meanwhile as the newly former Kaiser-Frazer Corp. entered the negotiations scene.

President R. J. Thomas of the UAW-CIO planned to carry the union's case personally into the first conference with Kaiser-Frazer while other unionists met again with General Motors.

A meeting with the Ford Motor company was postponed until tomorrow, limiting today's docket to General Motors and Kaiser-Frazer.

The new firm, planning to build two lines of cars in the Willow Run bomber plant, reportedly will demand some kind of guarantee against unauthorized strikes before making known its proposed wage rates.

Speculation that Ford would come up soon with a wage offer has prompted consideration petitions in which Yamashita challenged the authority of the military commission to try him. He asked to be brought to Washington for a hearing before the court of one of its justices.

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16 Are Injured in Wrecks Near Borger

BORGER, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Sixteen persons were injured in two automobile accidents on the partially ice and snow covered roads in this area early yesterday.

Seven persons were injured when an automobile and taxi collided two miles west of Borger. They were: Seaman 3/c J. B. Clark; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Conaway; Borger; T. C. Chamstad; Mr. and Mrs. Dowell and their daughter Martha.

Nine persons were listed as seriously injured when two automobiles were in a head-on collision on highway 177 seven miles south of Borger. They were Leonora Turner, Mildred Seymour, Clarence Seymour and Bobby Fritz, all of Amarillo; Marvella Roberts, Charlene Wheeler, Joan Torbett and Cecil Carter, all of Borger; and S. V. McCarthy of Phillips, Texas.

HAS HIS NUMBER
MEDINA, Tenn.—(AP)—Pfc. Dewey O. Baker says he's going to keep a weather eye on the number 13 when he returns to civilian life.

He boarded a ship for overseas duty on Oct. 13, 1944, in a 13-day convoy. The crossing took 13 days.

He entered combat Dec. 13 and later was captured June 13 he left a hospital at Reims, France, to go to Cherbourg and back to the States for convalescence from malnutrition.

He arrived at Kennedy General hospital in Memphis July 13 and was assigned to ward 13-A.

That week-end he returned home to a big meal. Twelve other people were sealed at the table.

SUPER SALESMAN
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 17.—(AP)—A suburban realtor ran an ad in a Portland paper urging residents to "get out of town" and buy property where they would have "atomic bomb protection."

There's nothing finer than a Stromberg-Carlson. Coming soon, Lewis Hardware Co. (Adv.)

Supreme Court Delays Execution Of Yamashita

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The supreme court today granted a stay of execution to Japanese General Tomoyuki Yamashita, who was sentenced to death by an American military commission in Manila.

The tribunal acted at a conference after leaving the court room at the completion of its regular session for the day. The action was taken a few minutes after arrival of an air-mailed petition from Yamashita asking review of a decision by the Philippines supreme court in his case.

Secretary of War Patterson earlier had ordered Yamashita's execution stayed pending final decision by the supreme court on his petitions. The Philippines court denied Yamashita's contention that the military commission was illegal and that Philippine civil courts should take jurisdiction.

The supreme court also has under consideration petitions in which Yamashita challenged the authority of the military commission to try him. He asked to be brought to Washington for a hearing before the court of one of its justices.

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Car Crashes Into Train at Crossing

Russell D. Mackie, 422 Sunset Drive, and an unidentified man companion, were only slightly injured Saturday night when the car driven by Mackie crashed into a train stopped on the Hobart street crossing.

Few details of the accident have been made available, but Deputy Sheriff Jeff Guthrie, who arrived at the scene shortly after the accident, said the car was apparently going north across the crossing when the accident occurred.

Guthrie said that the Mackie car was almost completely demolished. Santa Fe officials were said to have reported that the train had pulled out of the downtown station and was crossing for a reported minor adjustment.

Jeff Neel, local truck driver, was killed last month when his truck was struck by a train at the Hobart street crossing.

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Shrine Club Plans Christmas Dance

The Pampa Shrine club will have a holiday dinner and buffet supper at the American Legion 121 Wednesday, Dec. 19. This will be guest night with all nobles invited to bring as many friends as they wish.

Music will be furnished by Dick McCune and his orchestra.

THE WEATHER

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU

6 a. m. Today... 33
7 a. m. ... 32
8 a. m. ... 31
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1 p. m. ... 26
West. Max. ... 30
West. Min. ... 21

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and warmer this afternoon and tonight with occasional rain in Del Rio-Engle Pass area and east of Pecos river. Tuesday partly cloudy, colder in Panhandle and South Plains.

EAST TEXAS: Rain and warmer tonight and Tuesday, clearing in northwest tonight, slightly warmer in southeast, cooler in northwest tonight.

OKLAHOMA: Sleet or snow tonight and in south and east portions Tuesday, clearing in northwest Tuesday, slightly warmer in southeast, cooler in northwest tonight.

There's nothing finer than a Stromberg-Carlson. Coming soon, Lewis Hardware Co. (Adv.)

Houston, Fort Worth To Be Sites of Semi-final Grid Games

Byron Shoots 11-Under-Par To Win Ft. Worth Tourney

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
 PORT WORTH, Tex., Dec. 17.—Lord Byron Nelson, golf's superlative, went back to the farm today but the stay will be brief. He's going to invest his first place money in the Fort Worth open tournament in a tractor then rejoin the nation's links tourists at Los Angeles to start the P. G. A.'s new year.

The tall stylist from Denton, Texas, hurried to an eleven-under-par 273 yesterday to win the Fort Worth open in a breeze. He finished eight strokes ahead of another Texan, Jimmie Demaree of Houston, back in golf's big time after a hitch in the navy. Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Sanford, Me., who shot a six-under-par 65 in yesterday's last round, was third with 282 while E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock was fourth with 283.

Nelson, who took a two-months vacation from golf after winning 18 tournaments, returned to the links wars at Glen Garden Country club where he got his start as a caddy. Lord Byron now has been a money-winner in 192 consecutive tournaments over a period of four years and this year ran his total winnings to \$66,000 in war bonds. McSpaden finished in second place with \$34,200 and Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., who tied for seventh in the Fort Worth open yesterday, was the third man in the money race with total winnings of \$27,425.

Golfers on the P. G. A. tour will return to their homes for the Christmas holiday. The next tournament—the Los Angeles open—is Jan. 4-7.

PIPELINE TO VICTORY

NEW YORK.—Enough gasoline and oil to drive from New York to Chicago every automobile, truck, tractor or bus that existed in 1941 was transported to Europe by ship between D-Day and VE-Day, according to Ships magazine.

Emperor Rudolph II, of Augsburg, is said to have ruled from a throne made of ornately-carved iron.

**TOM ECKERD
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Frogs Lead Way In Cage Battle

By The Associated Press
 A dozen games are scheduled this week as Southwest conference basketball teams finish most of the practice campaign and clear the decks for participation in the all-college tournament at Oklahoma City and the start of the conference race.

Texas Christian's Horned Frogs, leading the way in victories with six, figure in two inter-sectional titles, the Frogs meeting Loyola at Chicago Friday night and Bradley Tech at Peoria, Ill., Saturday night. Arkansas also has an inter-sectional contest on the card, the high-scoring Razorbacks, who met their first defeat of the season last week in losing to New York University 63-62, clashing with Kentucky at Lexington, Ky., tomorrow night.

Other games this week: Tonight — Texas Christian vs. Dallas naval station at Fort Worth; tomorrow night — Texas vs. Southwestern at Georgetown, Southern Methodist vs. North Texas state at Denton; Wednesday night—Texas A. and M. vs. Sam Houston state at College Station, Rice vs. Southwestern Louisiana institute at Houston; Friday night—Texas vs. Bergstrom Field at Austin, Southern Methodist vs. North Texas state at Denton, Rice vs. East Texas at Houston; Saturday night—Rice vs. East Texas state at Houston.

Sports Writers Name Blanchard Nation's Best College Player

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 17.—Felix (Doc) Blanchard of unbeaten Army is the choice of the nation's football writers as the top inter-collegiate player of 1945.

Blanchard polled 114 of 120 votes cast by members of the football writers association of America for their all-America team. Bert McGrane, secretary of the organization, announced today.

Ranking next in the balloting were Hallock Glenn Davis of the Army, with 110 votes, and Dewitt Coulter, Army tackle, 106.

Read the News Classified Ads

Highland Park, Wichita Falls Meet in Feature Game Saturday

By The Associated Press
 Three teams that have been playing around among themselves enough to know there's no more difference in strength than a touch-down that an opportunist won't take care of are in the semi-finals of the Texas schoolboy football race.

Then, there is Goose Creek, the mystery team of the year, to complete the foursome with this schedule for next Saturday: Highland Park (Dallas) vs. Wichita Falls at Fort Worth.

Waco vs. Goose Creek at Houston. Survivors of these games will clash for the twenty-sixth championship of the Interscholastic league.

Highland Park and Wichita Falls meet in the feature battle of the week—not that it's more important than the struggle of Waco and Goose Creek because each game aims at the same thing, but the Fort Worth melee matches the only unbeaten elevens in the state and it's a return engagement. Highland Park and Wichita Falls each has been once tied and this came about when the two clubs clashed in mid-season in a nonconference game.

Waco also played Highland Park and lost 7-0 in a game that failed to satisfy the critics as to which eleven was really the best. That was the only loss on Waco's record for the season.

Goose Creek comes into the semi-finals for the second time in three years with a couple of defeats but the Goose Creek team of today is a far cry from the one that dropped decisions to Lufkin and Port Arthur. It's the dark horse of the state race.

Highland Park and Wichita Falls will meet on a neutral field because officials of the two schools didn't want to flip a coin and take a chance on one getting the at-home advantage.

In the case of Waco and Goose Creek, there was a coin flip and Goose Creek won, designating Houston as its home field.

Each game should attract 20,000 or more with stadiums capable of taking care of such throngs.

Wichita Falls and Highland Park won their way to the semi-finals last week with decisive victories, the former knocking Odessa loose from its undefeated record 35-0 and Highland Park downing North Side (Fort Worth) 40-6.

Waco had considerable trouble with Marshall before winning 13-9 and Goose Creek found Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) a fairly tough trial horse in taking the decision 19-0.

Sports Round-up

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—(AP)—That double zero at the pro football playoff yesterday wasn't just the number worn by Washington's Steve Bagarius. You could have seen it on any convenient thermometer.

The unusual weather was responsible for one fine gesture of sportsmanship. . . . Before the game both teams tried out regular cleated footwear and basketball shoes and decided to wear the cleats. . . . Between the halves, Coaches Adam Walsh and Dud Degroot held a confab about changing and Degroot decided that since Walsh was going to continue using cleats, he would do the same. . . . Just so there could be question of the game being decided on merits. . . . The most appropriate thing about the whole performance was the "White Christmas" act put on by the Washington band during the intermission.

CLEANING THE CUFF

If the indoor track meet promoters are smart they'll stuff the ball-boxes in the big ten's mail vote on postponing application of its eligibility rule until after the winter season. Among the boys who can't compete under the rule as recently passed are Michigan's Boss and Bob Hume and Indiana's Campbell Kane, who have both gate and gate appeal. . . . Chicago's writers are raising the question of whether the Cubs still owe the Yankees some money or players on the Hank Borowy deal and how Tim Gallagher's replies indicate that maybe some dough still is due. . . . The absence of fumbling in yesterday's snow-bound grid game, according to coaches, was due to the players' consciousness of the danger of committing a \$500 or \$1000 error. . . . The worst case was just going into the joint on a day like that.

6,000 fans saw the game. The Flyers scored once in the first period, twice in the third and again in the fourth quarter.

The Skynkers threatened only once. Paced by Herman Rohrer's passing, they drove 60 yards in the first period to each the Flyers' three, but failed to score.

The Flyers didn't win the championship in the army air force football league this year—but they did something almost as neat.

They whipped the two teams that tied for the title—the Skymasters of Fort Worth, Texas, and the Third Air Force of Tampa, Fla.

The Flyers won over the Tampa team during the regular season play.

Large snakes in captivity have been known to go two years without eating.

Drawing Cards



"The way I figure, it's better to have two tall men than five short ones."

Texas Today

By JACK RUTLEDGE
 AP Staff Writer

The lone white flower of Amarillo is something, that those who receive it never forget.

It is presented with touching dignity by a 78-year-old Negro. It is given only to those he considers worthy of the honor.

The aged Negro, son of slave parents, has been awarded these flowers for 51 years. It has become something of a ritual in the capital city of the Plains.

Mathew Bones Hooks was born in Robinson county. He grew up to become a cowboy. He followed the railroad from Henrietta to Clarendon and on to Amarillo, where he arrived in 1890.

He has been there ever since. But earlier, when he drove a chuckwagon over the twisting trails of Texas, he worked for the Clayton family in Pecos. He loved the young son, Tom Clayton.

Tom went to college, and came home to run his father's ranch. But they didn't teach him the ranch business at college.

"I'm not a horseman," he told Bones when he returned from school. "I'm depending on you to teach me to ride, and a lot about ranches. We'll pool what I learned at college with what you know about ranching and we'll maybe make one good horse."

A horse fell on Tom Clayton and killed him.

Broken-hearted, Bones brought his first white flower.

Ever since, he has distributed white flowers "in honor of Tom Clayton."

Cleveland Rams Take First Pro Title With Icy 15-14 Win Over Redskins

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—(AP)—It was a matter for argument today whether it was too little or too much Sammy Baugh that enabled Cleveland's rah-rah-rams to hang up their first national professional football league championship as well as the title of "world's best icicles in football suits."

Sunny opened up the ball game yesterday and in the first quarter threw a gamble pass from his end zone that bounced back to a Rams' safety when the goal posts got in the way of it. This bound was the edge that gave the Rams their 15 to 14 photo-finish decision over the Washington Redskins, who are known to the trade as Baugh & Co.

Slingshot Samuel left the game with an injured side shortly after that "one pitch too many" and reappeared only for a few minutes in the second half. Since it is well known that the Washington attack percolates only as Samuel goes on those B-29 raids, the Redskins didn't have much chance with him out of there, especially against a hot club that was three to four points the favorite going to the post.

The safety was probably as freaky a score as ever was made in football, amateur, pro or "catch as catch can" but it was two points and enough to decide it after winging Bob Waterfield, who signed a three-year Rams contract only a few hours before the game, threw two touchdown passes.

TURKEY MAKES EARTHSHOCK PRECAUTIONS

ANKARA.—(AP)—Since earthquakes are not adjustable to architecture, architecture is going to be adjusted to earthquakes by the Turkish government by building houses in earthquake regions which would sway with shocks, thus preventing costly destruction and loss of life.

After long studies by all the meteorological institutes and geology professors of Turkey, a map has been prepared showing the exact earthquake areas in Turkey. A Turkish scientist has unveiled a machine with which he claims to forecast earthquakes, it also was announced.

Florida in Market For New Grid Coach

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 17.—(AP)—University of Florida is in the market today for a head football coach and a new athletic department official designated as a "football scout."

Adopting an entirely new athletic policy, the board of control refused at a meeting yesterday to renew the contract of head coach Tom Lieb and then created the new position.

University President John Thiert told the board he had approached Dana X. Elbie, veteran coach of the University of Texas, Lynn Waldorf of northwestern, Do McMillin of Indiana, and Bill Jones of West Point to see if they would be interested in heading the new Florida system, but all had declined, he said.

Game Wardens' School Planned

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Future Texas game wardens will not only be law enforcement officers, but they will be versed in natural history, game and fish conservation, and how to get along with the public.

This type of warden was envisioned by a committee from the same, fish and oyster commission and Texas A. and M. college in working out a course of study for Texas' first game warden school to open at College Station Feb. 4.

It will include wildlife conservation and management, natural history of the vertebrates, fish conservation and management, public speaking, law enforcement, public relations, and reports.

The ability to meet the public, control temper, to exercise courtesy and tact as well as to enforce the law will be emphasized in the course of public relations. The public speaking course is designed to make the warden at ease in speaking before the exports and civil groups.

A flexible age limit, ranging roughly from 25 to 35 years, was set for candidates for admission to the school, which will include between 20 and 30 men. The school will operate from Feb. 4 until June 1.

Dallas Baseball Man To Try for Pro Grid Team in All-America

DALLAS, Dec. 17.—(AP)—George Schepps, president of the Dallas club of the Texas baseball league, said today he was seeking a franchise in the all-America conference—a major professional football league.

The all-America now with nine clubs is adding a tenth and plans to compete with the National pro league next season.

Schepps and his brother, Julius, hold an option on the Cotton Bowl for professional football.

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Flyers Didn't Win AAF Title, but They Beat Teams That Did
 MEMPHIS, Dec. 17.—(P)—The Fourth air force flyers upset the AAF training command Skynmasters 27 to 0 here yesterday in the first Legion Bowl game, a post season contest that had no bearing on the air force league standings. Some

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Christmas Story Retold at Party Held by Faithful Workers Class

White Deer Frosh Given Christmas Party by Terrys

The Christmas story was retold at the annual holiday party of the Faithful Workers class of the First Baptist church, held at the home of Mrs. V. L. Hobbs, 1021 Christine, Thursday night.

Mrs. Lester Brown led the devotionals. Jo Ann Lunsford played several piano and accordion selections.

Gifts were exchanged among the members, with candles and a Christmas tree decorating the rooms.

Members present were Mesdames L. H. Anderson, V. L. Hobbs, Clyde Martin, Claude Wilson, Ruth Mosley, A. A. McElrath, O. B. Salder, Fuller Barnett, A. C. Griffin, Lester Brown, Rupert Orr, D. B. Jameson, A. I. Prigmore, Carl Thilstrom, E. H. Eaton, C. C. Matheny, George Phillips, O. W. Hampton, G. L. Craddock, H. L. Dulaney and Hugh Ellis.

Guests were Mrs. Cecil Lunsford and Jo Ann and Mrs. E. B. Joseph.

Clara Hill Class To Hold Christmas Party

A Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. Farris Oden, 1300 Hill, Wednesday, for members of the Clara Hill class of the First Methodist church tomorrow evening at 7:30.

Each member is asked to attend and to bring a gift.

May marriages, according to an ancient Roman belief, were unlucky.

Origin of Carols Discussed by Methodist Mothers

Ways of "Making Christmas More Meaningful" were suggested by Mrs. Annie Cuberson at the Christmas party of the Mothers class of the Methodist church, held at the home of Mrs. Theresa Ragsdale.

The stories of several Christmas carols were given, that of "O Little Town of Bethlehem," by Phillips Brooks, being given by Mrs. Kealey; "I Heard the Bells," written by Henry W. Longfellow, by Mrs. Key N. Sligan, and "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," Edmon H. Sears, by Mrs. Dora Sells.

Devotionals taken from the life of Isaiah, chapter 40, 1, 4, 6 and 7, were led by Mrs. John Hooge.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served the ten attending members.

Bethany Class Will Hold Holiday Tea

The Bethany class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. H. Keyser, 612 N. Sumner, at 2 p. m. Thursday, for a Christmas program and tea.

Demonstration Club To Have Xmas Supper

SHAMROCK, Dec. 17 (Special)—Plans were made last Wednesday by the China Flat Home Demonstration club to have a Christmas supper at the home of Mrs. C. D. Evans tomorrow night. Families of the club members will be special guests.

The club last week was entertained in the home of Mrs. Hartman. Following the business session a demonstration was given on canning fried chicken, by Mrs. Evans. Mrs. W. L. Morrison demonstrated the canning of chili and making hot tamales. Those present were Mesdames Minnie Walraven, J. P. Hall, C. D. Evans, A. B. Sims, Lloyd Evans, J. T. Reynolds, Marvin Davis, W. L. Morrison and Will Shegoff.

Father of Mrs. G. F. Branson Succumbs

Funeral rites will be held from the Christian church in Roswell, N. M., tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock for John H. Sorrells, who died at the Santa Fe hospital, Clovis, Saturday night at 7:30. He was 81.

Mr. Sorrells, who had been retired for 13 years from Santa Fe employment, was the father of Mrs. G. F. Branson of this city. He had resided with the Bransons for about 8 years, had lived 2 years here.

Other members of the immediate family remaining are another daughter, Mrs. A. E. Getz, Peoria, Ill., and a son, H. C. Sorrells, of Roswell.

He was born in Illinois.

The annual percapita consumption of oil in the United States is 30 times as much as the rest of the world.

JUNIOR HIGH VICTORY QUEEN CROWNED



Coronation ceremonies were recently held at the Junior high school when the Victory Queen of the school's \$27,000 Victory Loan drive was elected on the basis of the amount of stamps and bonds purchased by the three grades.

Phyllis Scheig, eighth grade candidate, is shown seated on the regal throne. Seated on the base of the throne are Linda Steele and Robin Hood, the latter with head turned toward the queen, who served as train-bearers.

Harold Ray Schilling, to the left, was bearer of the crown.

Others participating in the ceremonies were, left to right, John Fraul, Patsy McWorter, Eddie Schleg, Patsy Abernathy, Tolly Hutchinson, Jimmy Howard and Norma Manatt. All participants were not included in the range of the camera.

Circles Prepare Gifts for Orphans

The Mary Martha circle of the Central Baptist church met with Mrs. Frank Silcott Wednesday with six members present.

Mrs. J. L. Barnard conducted the business during which the group discussed the new mission study book, "Along Highway of Prayer." Members present were Mrs. J. L. Barnard, Mrs. J. R. Gray, Mrs. L. C. Roenfeldt, Mrs. N. Lunsford, Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Silcott.

Anna Salk circle met with Mrs. A. H. McPeak with Mrs. W. O. Grace giving the opening prayer. The study book, "Baptist Missions Among American Indians," were discussed by the group. Gifts were brought for two girls at the Bucknarr Orphan home. Present were Mrs. E. R. Gower, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. C. W. Wheeler, Mrs. W. O. Grace and Mrs. McPeak.

Lydia Circle met with Mrs. Frances Deering with Mrs. J. P. Webb giving the opening prayer and devotionals. Seven gifts were brought for girls of the orphan home. Members attending were Mrs. F. W. Broyles, Clifford Ryan, Mrs. H. B. Knapp, Mrs. J. F. Webb and Mrs. Deering.

Blanche Groves circle met with Mrs. Ralph Baxter with seven members present. Mrs. R. Q. Harvey gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Virgil White the Bible lesson, taken from the first chapter of Genesis. Several gifts for the orphans home were prepared by members of the circle. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Dayton White. Members present were Mrs. Ben Stephenson, Mrs. Paul Skidmore, Mrs. Glen Adams, Mrs. Virgil White, Mrs. R. Q. Harvey, Mrs. Dayton White and Mrs. Baxter.

Mrs. H. W. Williams entertained the Little Hunley circle. Plans were made for the Royal Service program to be given next week at the church by the circle. Several gifts were prepared for the orphan home. Attending were Mrs. Hugh Peoples, Mrs. W. R. Morrison and Mrs. Williams.

Knox Kinard Speaks To Sam Houston P-TA

Knox Kinard, superintendent of schools, was the principal speaker at the regular weekly meeting of the Sam Houston Parent-Teachers' association Thursday.

Mr. Kinard's subject was "What Can We Substitute for War?"

Mrs. W. C. Henry served as the leader and Mrs. F. L. Stallings gave the devotional. Special music was provided by the Sam Houston second grade and a Christmas tea was served to all members.

Miami Newlywed Is Honored

MIAMI, Dec. 17 (Special)—Mrs. Ed Haynes, who before her recent marriage, was Miss Yvonne Hoffer, was honored with a lovely miscellaneous shower Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Clyde Taylor. Hostesses were Mesdames C. Carmichael, J. K. McKenzie, M. M. Craig, W. D. Allen, Dan Graham, Clyde Taylor, C. F. Burnett, Ed Duncan, W. F. Locke, Misses Rosemary Cowan, Mary Lynn Allen, Carrie Jo Heare and Adelia Jane Craig.

Mrs. Clyde Taylor presided at the guest book and Miss Carrie Jo Heare presided in the dining room where coffee and cookies were served. Mrs. W. F. Locke in a few choice words, directed a toast to the honoree, and concluded her remarks with a poem on Happiness.

The large array of gifts was clustered around a lighted Christmas tree which furnished illumination. They were opened by the honoree, assisted by mothers of the young couple, Mrs. A. B. Haynes and Mrs. Lawton Hoffer.

A number sent gifts, and registering were the following: Mesdames J. K. McKenzie, C. Carmichael, W. F. Locke, Lawton Hoffer, Clyde Gray, R. B. Haynes, D. W. Strilling, C. J. Polley, W. H. Evers, S. L. Moore, W. G. Ehnann, G. C. Ethel, J. C. Williamson, Henry Hoffer, C. T. Locke, Jim Johnston, Cecil Hubbard, Edward Talley, Leo Paris, L. B. Berbee and Misses Adelia Craig, Carrie Jo Heare, Micky Joy Hoffer, Betty Jean Paris and Junior Ratliff.

America has 2,400,000 miles of rural roads serving 6,000,000 farms, but only 45,900 miles have high-type pavement.

Winsome Class To Hold Yuletide Party

The Winsome class of the First Baptist church will meet for a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Anne Duell, 311 Northwest, at 7:30 Friday evening. All members are to bring their husbands. Children are invited.

Cub Scouts Hold Regular Meeting

Stunts and tricks performed by members of each Cub Scout den were the main features of Pack Four, which met in regular monthly meeting Friday night at the First Christian church. The pack is sponsored by that church. The meeting was under the direction of C. W. Stowell, cubmaster.

Mrs. Morris Enloe was introduced as a new Den Mother of Den One. Den Four, whose Den Mother is Mrs. H. H. Watson, was awarded the honor pennant for the month, for having the largest number of points on attendance and achievement.

Birds of prey usually wear "pantaloons." These feathered pants confuse the prey at which the bird is striking with its feet.

20th Century Club Holds Annual Christmas Party

The Twentieth Century club met this week in the home of Mrs. V. L. Hobbs for their annual Christmas party.

Gifts were exchanged from a beautifully decorated tree with Mrs. L. N. Atchison as "Santa Claus."

A Christmas story, "The Little Tree That Didn't Get Trimmed," was told by Mrs. Julian Key. Christmas carols were sung by the group accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Atchison.

Refreshment plates with fruit cakes and whipped cream, toasted nuts and tea were served to Mrs. L. N. Atchison, Mrs. G. L. Craddock, Mrs. M. P. Downs, Mrs. H. H. Hahn, Mrs. Rufe Jordan, Mrs. Kester June, Mrs. Joe Key, Mrs. Hueyln Laycock, Mrs. R. C. Mason, Mrs. Jack Merchant, Mrs. Frank Mitchell, Mrs. Fred Radcliff, Mrs. Aaron Sturgeon, Mrs. W. B. Weathered and Mrs. E. O. Wedgeworth and hostess, Mrs. Hobbs.

Two Pampa Women Are Guests of Miami Club

MIAMI, Dec. 17 (Special)—Mrs. W. C. Stott was hostess to members of the Home Progress club Thursday afternoon with eleven in attendance including two guests from Pampa, Mrs. C. P. Pursley and Mrs. R. B. Dial.

After the collect, minutes and roll calls, Mrs. C. C. Carr gave the program, which was a review of Bible Prophecy concerning the Jews, by Geo. T. B. Davis.

Mrs. C. T. Locke gave a special feature a vocal solo, "The End of a Perfect Day," by Carrie Jacobs Bond, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Roy Mathers.

The hostess served a bountiful refreshment plate consisting of chicken sandwiches, wafers, pickles, cake and coffee. Others attending were Mesdames J. K. McKenzie, C. W. Bowers, W. C. Scott, L. A. Maddox, Howard Mulkey, E. C. Meador.

Husbands Guests At Euzelian Class Christmas Banquet

The annual Christmas banquet of the Euzelian class of the First Baptist church was held in honor of members' husbands Thursday night at the church. Mrs. Earl Islay was mistress of ceremonies.

The Rev. Douglas Carver gave the invocation; Mrs. Carver the devotional. Mrs. P. O. Gaut gave a reading.

The entire group sang "Jingle Bells" under the leadership of R. Virgil Mott, who sang two solos accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Mott.

Husbands were introduced by their first names by members of the class. Benediction was given by Mrs. W. H. Scherer.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames W. H. Scherer; L. J. Zachry, Lee Newsom, Z. R. Osborn, G. H. Kirble, R. E. Thomas, R. M. Chisum, Bill Green, Calvin Whalkey, P. C. Gaut, W. B. Franklin, G. O. Branscum and C. R. Spence; and Mesdames Jewell Taylor, Berly, Jimmy Simpson, Mary Greiner, George Dyer, I. M. Virden and Lillian Islay.

Guests were Reve and Mrs. Douglas Carver, Mr. and Mrs. R. Virgil Mott and Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Young.

Final Plans Made For Holiday Party

The Hopkins Ladies Bible Study club met at the Community hall Dec. 13 to make final plans for the Christmas party to be held at 2 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 20, at the hall.

Gifts, not exceeding 50 cents in cost, will be exchanged. Children will also exchange gifts.

Mrs. A. L. Kube was in charge of the Bible lesson at the Thursday meeting.

Members present were Mrs. George Stevenson, Mrs. C. H. Brickey, Mrs. E. Rigins, Mrs. Polly Simpson, Mrs. Cleo Coffee, Mrs. John Markee, Mrs. S. T. Holding, Mrs. R. W. Orr, Mrs. A. L. Kube and Laverne and Ruth Montgomery.

Baptist Church Class Party Is Postponed

The Christmas party of the King Workers class of the Central Baptist church, scheduled to be held Tuesday evening, has been postponed due to illness.

Today's Schedule Of Redeployment

(By The Associated Press)

At least 72 troop-carriers with nearly 55,000 service men are due today at eight east and west coast ports.

Ships and units arriving:

At New York—Kemp Battle from Le Havre, 713th MP battalion; William Richardson from Marseilles, headquarters and headquarters company, second battalion, and companies E and F of the 314th infantry regiment.

At Newport News—David Farragut, 312th artillery battalion.

Miscellaneous troops on Philip Dodridge, David Yulee, John C. Kendall.

At Boston—Margal Elliott from Le Havre, 955th, 320th quartermaster service companies.

James W. Riley from Le Havre, 322nd, 319th, 315th quartermaster service companies.

Benjamin Goodhue from Le Havre, 348th antiaircraft artillery automatic weapons battalion; 986th ordnance pass depot company.

Stevens Victory from Marseilles, 576th, 258th, 266th field artillery battalions.

Miscellaneous troops on Finley Dunne from Antwerp.

At Seattle, Wash.—Miscellaneous personnel on Windsor from Okinawa, surprise from Nagoya, Maryland from Oahu, Salamana from Okinawa.

At Tacoma, Wash.—Miscellaneous troops on Hanover from Ie Shima, Collingsworth from Korea, Okaloosa from Korea.

At San Diego, Calif.—Miscellaneous personnel on Kenyon, Gunnison, Gillette, Major; Sims, Liddle, Fleet Tug 121; LCI 431, PC 810; LCI 74; Assaulta Cargo Ostara; LSM's 314, 388, 395, 454, all from Pearl Harbor.

At Los Angeles—Miscellaneous personnel on Briscoe from Manila, Neville, Flyaway from Yokohama, Sea Perch, West Virginia from Pearl Harbor, Nehenta Bay from Pearl Harbor, Windham Bay from Pearl Harbor, Minneapolis from Pearl Harbor, San Salvo from Okinawa, Tanamo from Pearl Harbor, Samus G. French from Guadalcanal, and Leland Thomas, Jesse Rutherford, Key, Chester T. O'Brien, Howard, Robert Brazier, Neilfin and Bivlin from Pearl Harbor.

At San Francisco—Miscellaneous personnel on Alfred E. Smith from Pearl Harbor, American Legion from Taoloba, Cape Esperance from Manila, Cavalier from Agusan, Chester from Kwajalein, Compel from Pearl Harbor, Concluse from Pearl Harbor, Cottle from Leyte, Dnde from Manila, Imperial from Philippines, Navarro from Manila, Sanctuary from Guam, Santa Monica from Leyte, San Francisco from Pearl Harbor.

Value of plastic products to be produced in 1946 is estimated to reach a total in excess of \$375,000,000.

Victory Club Has Christmas Party

The Victory Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Ray Robertson for a Christmas party, with the singing of carols opening the program.

Mrs. W. M. Brannon gave the devotional and a summary of "Let Us Have Peace," given by Dr. John W. Holland, pastor of the "Little Brown Church of the Air."

Mrs. Wylie Burns and Mrs. Ray Robertson sang, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and Mrs. T. J. Watt told of the story behind "The Night Before Christmas."

The program closed with group singing of "Silent Night."

Fruit cake, fruit salad and coffee were served to Mrs. T. J. Watt and Gary, Carson and Annie; Mrs. W. A. Thornton and Carolyn Ann and Craig; Mrs. W. M. Brannon and Carol and Dale; Dudley and Martha Robertson; Mrs. Wylie Burns and Glenda and Beverly, and the hostess, Mrs. Ray Robertson.

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Men's Supper Held at McCullough Church

Guest speaker at the monthly supper for men of the McCullough Methodist church was the Rev. C. A. Hanken of the Miami Methodist church. Stewards of the church were in charge of the supper which was held in the basement of the church.

Next annual monthly supper for men will be held in January.

Stewards attending were Ben Ward, Emitt Hunt, Neelle Rogers, Elie Smith, Coyle Ford, Kit Autry, John McFall, Roy Jordan, W. M. Brannon and the pastor, Will Cullwell.

GENERAL AVERAGE

NEW YORK.—(AP)—The average age of the 1,500 generals who commanded the 8,000,000-man American army in May of 1945 was 51.4 years, says the Metropolitan Life Insurance company. Almost 35 per cent of the generals were under 50.

NO WARD LIKE HOME

MERTON, N. Y., Glamorganshire Wales.—(AP)—Some women in Merton are seeking to solve their housing problems by entering public institutions and taking their children with them, according to Alderman T. E. Rees, the mayor.

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WANTED - Experienced barber for steady work. Apply 316 S. Cuyler. Imperial Barber Shop. Mechanic wanted - Well-experienced. Apply 5-1 Garage. Excellent opportunity for good pay.

Boys wanted: Place your application now for a Pampa News route. There may be a route open in your neighborhood soon. 8-Female Help Wanted WANTED - Lawyer's stenographer. Prefer middle aged lady. Steady employment. Attractive salary. Apply to E. A. Carr, Room 1, Duncan Bldg.

14-Situation Wanted WANTED by refined middle aged lady, housekeeping or companion. Write Box 1625, Pampa, Tex. 15-Business Opportunity Home and Auto Supply Stores - Franchise and merchandise available now for new Associate Stores. Write or wire. Kenyon Auto Stores, Dallas 1, Texas.

16-General Service Picture framing done. Many lovely moldings to choose from. Garrett Brothers, 317-1-2 E. Francis. Ph. 433. WATER WHEEL refrig. and auto parts. Tubing, pulley, towers and bolts secured. Conrad Kotars, Phone 1830, 1147 Duke St. PLAINS-DIXIE Washing Machine Co. 288 N. Cuyler, Phone 1434. W. J. Ulrich, manager.

16-General Service CARL STONE, water well repairing, rods and tubing pulled. Mills installed. Telephone 2292. Electric Motor Repair. Motors completely rebuilt. All sizes. Jackson Electrical Repairs, 119 N. Frost. MAKE your home comfortable throughout the year. Let Don Moore keep your floor furnaces and air conditioners in order. Tucker and Griffin Building Contractors. No job too large or too small. Call 732J.

16-A-Electric Repairing Neon Sales and Service Expert Repairing. Ph. 2307 Billie Martin 405 S. Ballard "We'll put your name in lights" 17-Beauty Shop Service \$100 to that lady who has hair in good condition. Let Yates Falls to give you soft ringlet ends permanent. Evening appointments also for tinting. Yates Beauty Shop, 418 and make your appointment for beauty work in your neighborhood shop. \$1.00 OFF on all permanents to January 1st at Edite Beauty Shop, Call 768 CHENILLE flowers, wrapping materials for Christmas cards and gifts left for last minute shoppers at Ruby's La. Bonita Beauty Shop, Phone 1098. JEWELRY BEAUTY SHOP, 502 E. Francis. Also, 418 and make your appointment for beauty work in your neighborhood shop. THE ORCHID BEAUTY SALON has a lovely array of costume jewelry and cosmetic sets for Christmas shoppers. Get your permanent before Christmas. Call 654.

18-Painting, Paper Hanging RELIABLE painters and paper hangers ready to do your work. Call Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. 19-Floor Sanding MOORE'S Floors, have those floors re-sanded by your local floor sanding company. Portable equipment. Phone 62. 21-Turkish Baths, Swedish Massage LUCILLE'S Bath Clinic will remain closed for repairs until further notice. Watch for opening date. 25-Upholstery & Furn. Repair J. E. BLAND, upholstery and repair shop, 328 S. Cuyler, Phone 1633. Lovely line of materials. GET UP and put your furniture in good shape. We do repair, refinishing and upholstery. Gustin Upholstery Shop, Phone 125.

26-Curtain Cleaning PROMPT service. Send Chenille bedspreads and drapes with curtains for proper cleaning and stretching to 311 N. Ballard. Phone 1076. Five years experience. 27-Cleaning and Pressing M. A. JONES, Cleaning and Pressing, across from Pampa News. Let us clean your clothes. Dressing and up. Quick service and presser efficiency. 27-A-Tailoring FOR expert tailoring, alteration and repair work, also suits made for ladies from men's suits, see Earl Hawthorne, Tailor, 206 N. Cuyler, Phone 920.

28-Laundering WET WASH and rough dry done in home, 800 block West Francis, Phone 1426-3 or 211 N. Purviance. WILL DO ironing in my home, 101 N. W. 1st. Wash and starching. Phone 101. 901 CAMPBELL St. Helpy-Selby Laundry, Rough dry and wet wash. Soft wool. Phone 2255W. RABBIT and NUBBINS Laundry. Wet wash service and help your self. Open 7 to 7. 834 W. Foster, Phone 784.

THE H. & L. Laundry at 325 S. Cuyler. We do wet wash and rough dry. Phone 1885 Monday through Saturday noon. 29A-Furrier Mrs. Florence Husband, Ph. 1654. Furrier, 710 N. Sumner 30-Mattresses AYERS Mattress Factory is now open for business. 212 W. Cuyler. Buy Handy-Craft mattress now. Phone 623.

37-Household Goods Economy Furniture Store Formerly Spears, Ph. 535 Two used Coolers for sale also new shipment of mattresses, odd chairs and bed sofas. We do upholstery and repair work. THREE-QUARTER BED, mattress and springs for sale, complete for \$20. Phone 114 N. Hobart. Irwin's Christmas Specials 509 W. Foster Phone 281 Cedar chests, platform rockers, table and floor lamps, mirrors, filing cabinets or tool chests. Children's rockers and table and chair sets. New Empire dinette suites. Also a slightly used bedroom suite and a Philco radio. Many other items suitable for gifts at reasonable prices. Stephenson - McLaughlin Furn. Co. Phone 1688 Cedar chests and dining room suites just in time for Christmas. Shop our store. Home of Morning Glory mattresses. Window shades and more.

Adam's Furniture Exchange 305 S. Cuyler Phone 2090 Many items suitable for Christmas giving for children, adults and the home. We buy good furniture. Pampa Home Appliances 119 N. Frost Phone 364 We have a new shipment of gas heaters priced as low as \$14.50. We have 100 pieces on display. Beautiful walnut fireplace bedroom suite with genuine plate glass mirrors comparable to premier construction, as low as \$119.50. Platform rocker by the hundreds starting from \$12.50.

Just in, a few new large circulating gas heaters. They won't last on the market long. Thompson Hardware. Economy Furniture Store, Formerly Spears, 615 W. Foster, Christmas Specials. Specials: Base rockers, living room sofas, coffee tables, pictures, mirrors, doll furniture, including children's hampers, etc. Hurry in. Notice We have just received a shipment of furniture. Standard merchandise with low price. Dinette suites with or without buffets, cedar chests, living room sofas, occasional chairs. Many other items not listed will make ideal Christmas gifts. Maytag Pampa, 520 S. Cuyler, Ph. 1644. W. L. Ayers.

37-Household Goods

Texas Furniture Co. Specials Good used lounge chair \$19.55. Bassinet pad \$8.25. Occasional chair \$7.00. Dresser and bench \$25.00. Office desk \$15.

38-Musical Instruments FOR SALE - One good upright piano, 537 Hughes St. Phone 2360-R. FOR SALE - Six-voice cabinet radio, 1148 N. Starkweather.

Dixie Radio Shop 112 E. Francis Phone 966 If your radio needs repairs don't forget, we give 24 hour service and guarantee all work and parts for 30 days. LET'S SWAP radios. What's got? Battery and electric sets. Big ones and little ones. 311 N. Dwight.

39-Bicycles FOR SALE: Boy's Victory model bicycle, like new, only \$30.00. Child's roll top desk and chair \$10.00. 1024 Mary Ellen. FOR SALE: Girls prewar bicycle, used one month. Like new. See at Texan Hotel Annex.

40-Office Equipment 1945 MODEL L. C. Smith standard typewriter. Priced \$110.00. Call Tull-Weiss Equipment Co.

41-Form Equipment ONE used Model U Alfa Chalmers tractor and one used model three bottom moldboard plow. Also new feed grinders. Gibson Machine Co., 810 W. Foster, Phone 494.

Scott Imp. Co. John Deere Sales & Service, Mack Truck Hobbs Trailers '00 Field-Cattle-Vans-Flank Sales-Service Tull-Weiss Equip. Co. TULL-WEISS EQUIPMENT CO. International Sales-Service Trucks, Tractor, Power Units

42-Oil Field Equipment For Sale: 1-2 ton gear type chain hoist, excellent condition, \$75. Call Tull-Weiss Equip. 1360.

45-Wearing Apparel FOR SALE: Coat, size 12 and several dresses, size 14 and 18. Also shoes, size 7 1/2. Barges, Radcliff Supply, 112 E. Brown. Phone 1220. Be ready for those bad days coming. We have 4 buckle overshoes, raincoats and slickers in now. These are of extra good quality.

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FUNNY BUSINESS

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Booth 1398 - Weston 1978 5-room house, \$2,500, close in. Just now being repaired. Four-room house, \$3,000. Six-room house, \$4,250. Three-room house, \$2,500. Barges, Radcliff Supply, 112 E. Brown. Phone 1220. Be ready for those bad days coming. We have 4 buckle overshoes, raincoats and slickers in now. These are of extra good quality.

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76-Farms and Tracts

Lee R. Banks, Realtor, 1st National Bank Bldg. Phone 52-388 15-room house, with 3 baths, has four Apts. Also sleeping quarters. 2 Apts. furnished, and 1 Apt. unfurnished. Income property, \$17.50. Priced \$28,000. 6-room duplex on Gray St. Both sides modern hardwood floors, double garage. \$2,500.00 loan.

5-room house on Charles St. \$11,000. 5-room house on E. Francis, \$5,500. 1 lot with a 5-room furnished house on front, and one four-room furnished house on back lot. Gray St. 2 lots 50x125 ft on east Francis, \$750. 4-room modern house on N. Hobart, \$3,400. 1 would like to have a lot on your 3, and a 5 room house.

77-Property To Be Moved FOR SALE: To be moved, 2 1/2 room houses and 2 three-room houses, 417 S. Gillespie.

79-Real Estate Wanted WE CAN sell your house if it is reasonably priced. Stone and Thomason. Gertie Arnold, Room 3, Duncan Building. Phone 758 List your property with me for quick sale.

80-Automobiles WILL TRADE for cheaper car 1941 Ford Club Coupe. See Callum and Gayton, Colfax Plaza, 2 1/2 miles east of Leflore.

81-Trucks FOR SALE - 1941 Ford V-8 dump truck with 2-speed axle and 1942 Dodge dump truck. Also one Model K Alfa-Chalmers tractor. 621 S. Russell, Ph. 2036-W.

84-Accessories Batteries! JUST received new shipment Brown - Silvey 105 N. Hobart Phone 588 Pampa Garage and Salvage New rebuilt Ford, Mercury, Lincoln and Chevrolet motors. New and used parts. New tarpsulph, wall tents, canvas cots. Other items. All postage prepaid. Blank's Exchange, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Notice, For Sale Ford Radiator, 37 to '41 Wanted To Buy Used water pumps, used Ford distributors, used carburetors, used generators and starters. Best guaranteed repair work. Highest prices paid for junk iron, brass and copper. C. C. Matheny, Tires, Salvage 818 W. Foster Phone 1051

Leading Nip Ace Of The Air Was Given No Medals TOKYO, Dec. 17-(AP)—They don't give medals in Japan to men like sub-Lt. Saburo Sakai of the Japanese navy. There were no demonstrations when he returned quietly from seven years of war; he was not received at the imperial palace. Today he's merely an office clerk—and the nation's top living air ace. He shot down, he swears 63 American, Australian and Dutch airplanes.

No one recognizes him nowadays as he walks along the streets, indistinguishable from all the other shabbily dressed people. But today he terminated an interview by arising, bowing stiffly, and saying: "I apologize to the relatives of the men I have killed."

Actually, he said, there was an even greater ace in the Japanese navy—sub-Lt. Tetsu Iwanoto, who bagged more than 100 allied planes—but no one knows what happened to him.

Asked how the handful of real Nipponese ace could claim such high scores, Sakai replied: "There were only a few Japanese experts. The American aces were sent home as instructors, but the top Japanese pilots, because of our shortage of manpower, were left in combat to die."

Sakai didn't die, but he's still partly paralyzed. After his biggest victories in the southwest Pacific in the early days of the war, he had a fall at Guadalcanal Aug. 7, 1942. He shot down two American SBD's (divebombers) he said, but two heavy shells from their guns crashed into his cockpit.

Unconscious at first, he recovered and pulled out of his dive. TO TIME TO RETIRE TRENTON, Tenn.—(AP)—W. E. Seat, 94, is out of a Trenton political office for the first time old-timers can remember. He recently was swept out of his mayor's office, which he held for 29 years. Recognized for several years as the nation's oldest mayor, he had been in politics almost from the time he

Read Classified Ads in the News was old enough to vote.

KPDN

1340 on Your Dial MONDAY 4:30-The Publisher Speaks. 4:45-Johnny Bette-MBS. 4:50-Pampa High School A. Capella Choir. 5:25-Thank Page. 5:30-Captain Midnight-MBS. 5:45-Dance Music. 6:00-Rhythm Time-MBS. 6:15-Arthur Hale-MBS. 6:30-Arthur Hale-MBS. 6:45-Inside of Sports-MBS. 7:00-Adven. of Bowlow Drummond-MBS. 7:30-Adven. of Shelock Holmes-MBS. 8:00-Dance Music. 8:30-Real Stories from Real Life-MBS. 8:45-Spotlight Bands-MBS. 9:00-Honolulu Radio Auction Show-MBS. 9:30-Dance-A-Tune-MBS. 10:00-All The News-MBS. 10:15-Les Egner's Orch.-MBS. 10:30-Duke Ellington's Orch.-MBS. 10:55-Mutual Features the News-MBS. 11:00-Goodnight.

TUESDAY ON KPDN 7:00-Yawn Patrol. 7:30-Johnny Bette-MBS. 7:45-Songs by Ken Bennett. 8:00-Frazier Hall-MBS. 8:15-Shady Valley Folks-MBS. 8:30-Shady Valley-MBS. 8:45-Moment of Melody. 9:00-News for Women-MBS. 9:15-Faith in Our Town-MBS. 9:30-Pan With Music-MBS. 9:45-Pan With Music-MBS. 10:00-William Lang, News-MBS. 10:15-Ellis Maxwell-MBS. 10:30-News-J. L. Swindle. 11:15-LaNora Inquiring Reporter. 12:00-Pursey Program. 12:15-Lum and Abner. 12:30-Paula Stone and Phil Brito-MBS. 12:45-John J. Anthony-MBS. 1:00-Geddie Fyfe-MBS. 1:15-Jane Cowell-MBS. 1:30-News for Today-MBS. 1:45-Griffin Boynton-MBS. 2:15-Palmer House Concert Orchestra-MBS. 2:30-Remember-MBS. 2:45-Off the Record. 3:00-Erkin Johnson-MBS. 3:15-The Johnson Family-MBS. 3:30-Mutual's Melody Hour-MBS. 4:00-Here's How-MBS. 4:15-Suzyman-MBS. 4:30-The Publisher Speaks.

Tonight on Network NBC-7 Cavalcade of Stars, "Magnificent Mollie"; 7:30 Barlow Concert; 8 Don Voorhees Concert; 8:30 Information Please; Doug Fairbanks, Jr.; 9:30 I. Q. Quiz - CBS-6:30 (Repeat 9:30) Bob Hawk Quiz; Fox Pop; 8 James Stewart in "Made For Each Other"; 9 Screen Guild Play - ABC-7:30 Pacific Sereenade; 8 World Christmas Festival; Lily Pons and others; 9 Swinging on Guitar; 9:15 Jane Cowell; 9:30 Fantasy in Melody; 9 Concert Time; MBS-12:15 Mr. Holyoke; 12:30 Screen on Movies; 6:15 Corn Cobsles; 8:15 Real Life Drama.

Tonight on Network NBC-8 a.m. Ed East and Polly; noon Sketches in melody; 5:30 Sport Spotlight; 6:30 Cavalcade of Stars; 7:30 Fibber and Molly - CBS-11 a.m. Kate Smith Singing; 3 p.m. Home Party; 5:30 to 6:00 The Song; 8:30 Humphrey Bogart in "One Way Passage"; 10:30 Screen Mystery Drama - ABC-11 a.m. Benaymin Brant; 1:30 p.m. Hat Hour of Carol; 3:15 Bride and Groom; 6:30 Fantasy in Melody; 9 Concert Time; MBS-12:15 Mr. Holyoke; 12:30 Screen on Movies; 6:15 Corn Cobsles; 8:15 Real Life Drama.

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Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

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Quick cleaning service. Curtains, drapes, bedspreads, lace table cloths. 311 N. Ballard. Phone 1076.

Miss Clara Florence Parker, student at Stevens college, Columbia, Mo., arrived at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Parker, Friday to spend the holidays. She will return to Columbia Jan. 9.

Clayton Floral Co. has just received a shipment of beautiful English Holly. Get it for your home, or to make corsages for friends.

Mrs. T. H. Chaffin is convalescing from pneumonia at the home of her son, Harold, Fayetteville, Ark.

When you buy an E Bond you help the country meet its obligation to the returned servicemen.

Glenn Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morgan of Delaware, Okla., but formerly of Pampa, has received his discharge from naval service, and has returned to his old job with an oil company at Salem, Ill. Young Morgan was a member of the cruiser Indianapolis, which was sunk last July 30. He was rescued after five days on a raft. Mr. Morgan was formerly with the Hindler Tool company here.

Pupils of Mrs. Roy W. Reeder will be presented in recital at Church of Brethren Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, Dec. 19. Public invited.

Miss Jamie Branson arrived Sunday from Nashville, Tenn., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cullford F. Branson. Miss Branson, student at Ward-Belmont school at Nashville, will be here until Jan. 5.

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Solve your Christmas shopping problem and help your country at the same time. Give E bonds for Christmas.

There's nothing more deeply appreciated as a home gift than a beautiful Poinsettia. Our blooms are beautiful. Clayton Floral Co.

Can accept limited number of pupils in vocal, piano and accordion classes. Ken Bennett. Phone 1100.

Gray county went over the top on all previous War Bond Drives. Buy that extra bond today and help make the Victory Bond quota.

Send in your cleaning early and be prepared for holiday parties and calls. Let Just Rite have the work. Call 480.

Antique lamps, electrified for sale at 1501 N. Russell.

Gray county has not done its part until the \$300,000 E Bond quota has been bought.

24 hour service. City Cab. Ph. 441.

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War Crimes

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Col. Storey declared the estimated figure of 600,000 was a "limited view," asserting that numerous minor staff officers would bring the total to approximately 2,000,000.

The prosecutor charged that the reich cabinet by its decree of July 3, 1934, legalizing the party's blood purge "moved to make itself accessories after the fact of these murders."

Earlier, the prosecution disclosed the systematic plans for the stripping of food from Russia that would have wiped out the populations of Moscow and Stalingrad if those cities had been conquered.

Reading from captured German plans for the conquest of Russia, the prosecution named Hermann Goering as the instigator of a calculated starvation plan that would have caused the deaths of "many tens of millions" of Russians.

The plan, drafted by Goering's economic ministry in 1941, called for export to Germany of every ounce of food in the Ukraine and other areas. In the food-deficient north, the army was to seize all food for its own use.

Another defendant, Alfred Rosenberg, administrator of the conquered Ukraine, was quoted as saying in a speech in 1941 that "the job of feeding the German people falls on the east. . . . We see no reason for feeding the Russian people of that area."

Also introduced as evidence was a Rosenberg decree ordering his subordinates to disregard Hague convention rules for treatment of captured peoples because, he said, the rules "are not applicable to the Soviet Union."

Virtually all the 21 Hitler leaders were losing their nonchalant courtroom air and apparently becoming resigned to death as punishment for Nazi crimes.

Jail attendants said only Hjalmar Schacht, former Reichminister of economy, holds grimly to the hope of acquittal.

The Goering ministry order directed the seizure of all Russian livestock and grain harvests for export to Germany and capture of the Russian fishing fleet for German use in Norwegian waters.

"Many tens of millions of people in these areas will . . . either die of starvation or emigrate to Siberia," the order declared.

Here, He Says, Lie the Ruins Of the Republic

Perhaps it is the mystical dreaminess of the Christmas season, but I am politically nostalgic this week. In the dining room, which are always usual in a picture like this, I see the United States senate of other years, a great and noble body led by a band of wondrous prosecutors—instead of a group of sniveling defense attorneys.

Through the curling smoke wisps of my imaginary fireplace comes the stern and gaunt face of Jim Reed of Missouri. I can hear the following periods of this great American echoing through the senate chamber as he condemns with snarling contempt a British loan of four billion, four hundred million dollars, I think he would speak like this:

"These miserable minions of Karl Marx, the Maynard Keynes, the Harold Laskis, and the rest of them come crawling to us here, begging us to hand out to them four billion dollars with which to spread a so-called imperialism throughout half the world. They want it without interest, without promissory notes, without proper formality. Gentlemen, they want it without a thought of repayment just as they wanted and got lend lease. And they got the four billion four hundred million from a weak and milk-sop administration during the very same fortnight that their government in London prohibited our own pan-American peace plan and sending more than twice week in England. I heard no objection to the landing of American transport planes in England during four years of war—planes bearing American troops to save the British Isles from German invasion. There was objection from London then! But, now that they have been saved from disaster by the blood and machinery of the United States, they are our competitors in the trade and commerce of the world—and our competitors by virtue of our financing them. What a puny, spineless lot we have become."

As the embers in my imaginary grate become dimmer, up from the gloom rises the countenance of Herman Johnson. As if from the tomb I can hear the great rolling voice pouring out the opinions of a real American on the nebulous question of world government.

"By what right to these emissaries come from foreign shores, infiltrate our state department, our press, our universities, our schools and our churches with the thought that the people of the great United States must now surrender a part or all of their sovereignty to some dreamy world organization? We have been drawn into their wars and have lost and suffered through all of them. When the fighting is over and our blood has soaked hundreds of foreign battle fields, they have told us to get out and not to meddle in the international political affairs. And then they have come to us asking for arms to build up their sinking civilizations, and now the climactic request and demand is made of us that we give up the sacred sovereignty of our own nation in order to meld with the carcasses of theirs!"

To mind's eye come the stern features of the great Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, the prosecutors' prosecutor who if he were alive today, would tear the state department in two. Clean it from basement to garret as he did the Hoover administration with Teapot Dome. I can hear the short, clipped, well modulated tones of this great American discussing on the floor of the senate (not in some remote committee room), the status of Gen. Pat Hurley:

"Since when has this nation become so low a truckler to foreigners that a secretary of state, himself a tyro in diplomacy, can stigmatize an ambassador like General Hurley who has served as confidential minister plenipotentiary under four presidents? How can we maintain diplomatic discipline or the respect of other nations when an ambassador, seeking to expose the inroads of communism against our interests throughout the world, receives what amounts to a public castigation at the hands of the secretary of state and his Marxist-minded, anti-American subordinate conspirators?"

Yes, what we need in our senate and house today are more Walshes and Johnsons and Reeds who will drive with whiplashes of scorn and ridicule the dangerous and subversive emissaries from our governmental institutions—and less defending attorneys of the Barkley type who seek to shield their clients from responsibility for their acts before the great court of public opinion.

With the passing of the great, thundering triumvirate mentioned above and with no apparent hope in the future of a Webster or a Calhoun or a Sumner, we are left in the hands of retrograding alleged legislators and administrators who bow and nod and agree with propagandists whispering in corners and cloakrooms. It seems our leaders have developed some sort of inferiority complex which prevents them from raising their Americanism to the buoyant oratory of the old masters and leaves them quailed by foreign ideologists into quiet acquiescence to anti-American thought. Here lies the way to ruin of the republic.

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Foreign Ministers

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Sign Secretary Ernest Bevin since the unsuccessful conferences of the foreign ministers' council in London last September.

U. S. Ambassador W. Averell Harriman and British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, as well as other members of the American and British delegations, were present. The terse official announcement of the initial meeting gave no details, but an atmosphere of good feelings and friendly cooperation was apparent.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17—(AP)—The United States appears today to have embraced the belief that under certain conditions any nation's internal affairs become the business of all nations.

President Truman applied that principle to strife-torn China in his policy declaration Saturday, and government officials said this country soon might join others in applying it to Spain and Argentina.

With ratification of the United Nations Charter the United States accepted the principle of collective action to prevent—or stop—international wars. Traditionally, however, this country has held that a nation's internal troubles were strictly its own business.

Mr. Truman moved some distance away from that position in his 1200-word directive to Gen. George C. Marshall, his special envoy to China.

The President observed that events of this century indicated "a breach of peace anywhere in the world would threaten the peace of the world." Thus, he said, it is in "the most vital interest of the United States and all the United Nations" that Chinese nationalists and communists settle their differences promptly and peacefully.

He pointed out that American economic assistance for China would depend on the speed with which that country moves toward peace and unity.

Meanwhile, there were week-end indications that the United States soon might decide officially that tactics of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek in Spain and Argentina's military regime constitute threats to peace and thus are international business.

Secretary of State Byrnes has announced this government's "unqualified adherence" to a recent Truman statement that the entire republics adopt the principle of collective intervention when any one of their number denies its people essential rights or violates its international obligations.

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Santa's Handy Shoppers' Hints

7 SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS



For Everybody

"SONG OF THE PRAIRIE" showing 16-17-18—Sun. Mon. Tues. Ken Curtiss, June Storey, Hooster Hotshots at the Rex.

GIVE RECORDS for Christmas. We have albums, Carmichael's "Hong Kong Blues" and "That's What I Like About the South," and other popular numbers. Pampa Music Store.

THERE ARE Teddy Bears and Woolly Dogs and Dolls as well as wooden toys to be found at Cretney Drug. Shop for the entire family.

QUALLS PAMPA STUDIO, 110 W. Foster. Only a few days left to get those portraits made to be mailed for Christmas. Hurry in. Call 307.

REAL VALUES in handmade cowboy boots, ladies' large beautiful hand tooled purses and hand tooled billfolds. Genuine Ranger belts, silver and gold handmade belt buckle sets, stock saddles, bridles, bits and spurs. We also have barbells in unredeemed diamonds, watches, etc. Shop our store for bargains. Pampa Pawn Shop.

SIMMONS' have beautiful handmade pillow cases, fancy tea towels, lunch cloths, and other home needed articles you'll want to give for Christmas.

PAUL CROSSMAN Ref. Co. have a clean new store where you'll find trucks, tractors, jeeps and wheel toys galore. Also lovely blackboard desk combinations for boys and girls. The largest stock of toys in town.

CAN YOU think of a better Christmas gift for your family than a 20-year paid-up policy or a hospitalization policy paid up for a year, placed in an attractive Christmas folder? Call J. R. Martin, B. M. A. Phone 772, 107 N. Frost.

CLUBS AND Sunday school class gifts that are inexpensive and attractive are powder puff mits at \$1.50 each at Berry's.

DON'T YOU love to see the lady of your heart in a comfortable lounging robe or an attractive brunch coat. Let one of our attractive brunch regals help you select it at Behrman's.

J. E. RICE suggests the Christmas gift for years ahead. That home of your own. Call 1831. He'll help you locate and finance it.

MASTER CLEANERS know how to clean those drapes and pillows like new. Have it done before holidays.

CRETNEY'S offer a very timely special on Bibles. 50 per cent off. These are the ideal gift. We have many styles to choose from.

STUDENT LIGHTING for Christmas this year. Let's save the children's eyes. We welcome the opportunity to help you solve your lighting problems. Southwestern Public Service Co.

PAMPA OFFICE SUPPLY. Everything for the office. Lovely stationery, Hallmark cards, etc. Our new typewriters will soon be in.

PEG'S CAB for prompt, careful service. Our drivers are safe. Call 94.

ANTIQUES! THEY are here—Hand painted plates, cups and saucers, foot demi-tasse clocks, lamps, tables, etc. at Mrs. Bob Bradshaw's, 406 Hedgecock, Berger, Texas.

COCKTAIL tables, end tables, and lamp tables are the gift for the home. Men and women both love a gift like these. Texas Furniture Co.

THOMPSON'S HARDWARE has those combination blackboard and desk sets. Priced \$6.95. Make your child's home work a real pleasure and of course by them dolls while you can. They outgrow them all too soon. Keep them happy. Shop early.

MRS. KOEN'S Studio, 405 N. Wells for portrait work and photographs. The gift that you alone can give. Phone 2045.

IRWIN'S just received those new three way floor lamps, table lamps and bridge lamps. Let's brighten up the home for Victory Christmas.

PURSES! What a smart gift they make for mother, wife, sister or friend. We have them in cloth, fabric, calf, patent and corde at Bentley's.

PENNEY'S have those woodette canteens, helicopters, desks, blackboards and dolls for the gift to thrill that boy or girl.

For Home

WILSON DRUG has such lovely gifts as lamps, table decorations, center pieces, dresser sets, and toilet cases. Gifts of beauty and charm.

HAVE YOU looked around in our gift department? There you'll find lovely bric-a-brac, china, glassware, pottery and metal gifts from 50c up. Pampa Furniture Co.

PAMPA HOME Appliance reminds you that Christmas begins in the home. Give a lovely platform rocker, \$17.50 up. Coffee tables as low as \$9.95. Lamps and mirrors add grace and charm to a home.

CHILD'S CEDAR Chests, desks and chairs, doll beds, baby hamper and rockers, make lovely gifts for the child in the family. Economy Furniture, formerly Spears.

C. H. MUNDY, Realtor. Call 2372. He'll help you to get a home of your own.

LOVELY PICTURES for home, church or school. Beautiful mirrors, hosiery and throw rugs for your home or that of your friend. We have children's furniture also at Irwin's.

BUY OPEN stock china and crystal for her this Christmas. She'll have something to add to and appreciate always. Pampa Hardware.

SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC Service Co. says for your electric appliance dealer for Christmas decorations for your tree or your home. We do not handle the decorations but your dealer can supply you.

OUR LOVELY new furniture is in. Everything to make a home a home. Give furniture this Christmas from W. L. Ayers, Homeof Maytag Washers and Gibson Refrigerators.

ADAMS FURNITURE Exchange says make a home out of your house at Christmas time with a new piece of furniture. We have a nice stock of toys too.

NEEL'S are ready for your Christmas marketing. Get the staples now and avoid last minute rush. Why not fix a basket of food for some less fortunate family.

IT'S TIME to have those broken coffee table tops and desk tops replaced. Let Home Builders Supply do the work.

HAVE YOU shopped Murfee's for linens, Chenille rugs, bath sets and bedding? Can you think of a more appropriate gift than a lovely down comforter.

GIVE HER a check market "New Dexter Washer" for Christmas. It's really something to look forward to from Plains Dexter Washing Machine Co.

CANDLES! Be sure to select your own. Lovely boxed candles, hard candles and pound cans of shelled nuts on the counters at Berry's.

MOTTOS, BOOKMARKS, Awards and Plaques for Sunday school and club groups. You'll find them at 513 S. Cuyler, Ruby's Gift Shop.

ORDER YOUR holiday turkey from Sully Market. We have complete holiday stock of foods. Suttle's Market and Grocery.

M. P. Downs, member Texas Real Estate association and National Realtors Board, 201 Combs-Worley Bldg. Phone 1284 and 338.

PENNEY'S have those lovely Chenille rugs for bedroom, bath and fireside. They just carry that Christmas spirit.

LAMPS for the brightest Christmas in years. We have lovely desk lamps, boudoir lamps, floor lamps and table lamps well displayed at Texas Furniture Co.

GERTIE ARNOLD, Real Estate, Oil Properties, Business and Residential properties. Farms, Duncan Bldg.

PAMPA FURNITURE Co. has shag rugs, throw rugs and bedspreads also pictures and mirrors that reflect the spirit of Christmas and too, there are desks and chairs and pool tables for the den of dad's.

For Her

WOMEN'S BLOUSES and scarfs make beautiful gifts—These will be found at Penny's in silk and cotton, in wanted colors.

TO THRILL young hearts at Christmas time buy jewelry—a birth stone ring, locket or bracelet from Leders will satisfy any girl.

SIMMONS'S SHOP has those hat and bag sets that all girls love. They are so much like mother's set. Also hand made sweaters.

GIRLS JUST love Indian jewelry. We have bracelets and rings with turquoise settings, from \$2 to \$20 at Cretney Drug Store.

VICTORY BONDS! There is no better gift this year than a Victory Bond. Buy all you. Southwestern Public Service.

BUY HER furniture like mother's—Little house keepers like dinette suites, upholstered rockers and lamps of their own. See them at Stephenson-McLaughlin's.

MERIE EARLE cosmetic kits are the gift for the office girl or school girl. They are attractive and very welcome. See them at Cretney's.

LOVELY SCARFS, gloves and purses, costume jewelry and lamps are just a few of the lovely things we suggest for Christmas gifts from Murfee's.

SEE HOW they love those long woolly caps in bright colors to wear to school for sports. Mrs. Jones has them at only \$1.00. Friendly Men's Upstairs Store.

BEHRMAN'S FORMALS are created for the women of charm and beauty. You'll love the new materials and styles. Dress up for the Victory Holidays.

PONDANELLE BLOUSE SHOP, room 3, Duncan Bldg., for beautiful handmade lingerie and blouses for her Christmas. Call 1897.

ELITE BEAUTY SHOP kigt to you is \$1.00 off on all permanents until Christmas. Evening appointments for employed women. Call 768.

BEHRMAN'S EXCLUSIVE but not expensive women's wear. Brody Bags in lizard, corde, suede and the latest colors to go with those new frocks. Brody bags are distinctive.

BRIDGE TABLES, Coffee Tables, Smoking Stands, End Tables, Hosiery, Pictures and Mirrors are always acceptable gifts for a home. Our large windows display them well. Shop them, then come in and let us help you. Pampa Home Appliance.

SANTA CLAUS, in person for your community affairs or home parties. Call 1598.

LINGERIE IN TEA ROSE, black and white. Matching robes and pajama sets. Also robes in satin, crepe and wool. Brunch sets that are adorable from Behrman's.

TINY TOT SHOP has those "Baby Deer" all leather white soft sole, semi-soft and hard sole shoes. Just a darling gift for baby.

GOODRICH STORES has a lovely line of character dolls for the girl, trucks and wheeps for the boy and blackboards kets for both. Shop for all the family here.

BASE ROCKERS, living room suites, coffee tables, pictures and mirrors are just a few of the lovely gifts to be found at Economy Furniture, formerly Spears.

WE HAVE A LOVELY line of handkerchiefs and scarfs for the inexpensive gift. Beautiful underthings at Friendly Men's upstairs Store.

STAR BARBER Shop has nice gifts for ladies—young and old—Shop now, save 10 to 30 percent on jewelry and cosmetics.

For Him

CITY DRUG has those all metal desk lamps for the office man. Only \$7.50—one of these together with a set of sportmen cosmetics will really make that man glad he knew you.

SIMMONS' JUST received one for children one to four years. Also have coats, leggings and hats in all wanted colors. Give them clothes this year.

A SCENT to remember, a gift not soon forgotten is a box of lovely shaving lotion, soap and powder for men. Berry's have these sets.

MIRRORS AND pictures sure make lovely gifts for the whole family. Another suggestion is a religious picture for your church or Sunday School Class room. Texas Furniture Company.

THE SPORTING thing to give him would be a pool table, office desk and chairs, smoker, or lamp. He'll know it was really bought for him. Select them at Pampa Furniture Company.

APPLIANCES, They're coming back, those new electrical appliances. Let them save you many hours of time in your kitchen, in your wash house, and in many other household jobs you do each day. Southwestern Public Service Co.

MEN LIKE the gift of individuality, suppose you give him a comfortable chair, a lamp and a smoker, and let him use it. You'll find his Christmas at Pampa Home Appliance.

FRANK LEDER wants you to see those Helbros wrist watches and diamond initial rings for men. We have lovely gold chains, from \$3.50 up. A gift for that man you want to please.

MEN—WHY not come in and select her gift and let us wrap it beautifully for her. We know the kind of cosmetics or costume jewelry she'll like. Modern Beauty Shop, 110 N. Russell.

DAD WORKS hard—Why not buy him a Morning Glory mattress for his bed. He will know the difference. We have lovely new bedroom suits too at Stephenson-McLaughlin Furniture Co.

MEN-LIKE toilet articles for Christmas. We have sportmen, old South and many other lines to please him. Also remember his taste in fine tobacco's. You'll find it all at Modern Pharmacy.

WE HAVE beautiful billfolders, belts, suspenders, hose and gloves to give the brother, husband or boy friend from Friendly Men's Wear.

BENTLEY'S WILL help you select a lovely dress, suit or coat or perhaps you'd like to select a box of lovely underthings in crepe or satin. We'll be glad to assist you and will wrap your gift.

PENNEY'S KNOW how men love leather jackets, heavy caps and woolen gloves these cold days—and they are the practical gift for him. We have them.

MEN'S FOUNTAIN pen sets, choice tobacco's and lovely pipes, are just a few of the gifts for him at City Drug. Don't wait a long to shop.

DOES HE need a saddle, saddle blanket or bridle? Surprise him with a new one. We have lovely belts with beautiful silver buckles to delight any man. City Shoe Shop.

HIS NEW CIVILIAN CLOTHES will be up to the minute if you buy them at Friendly Men's Store. New materials in suits and shirts. Top coats, of style.

MEN'S BRUSH AND TOILET sets, shaving kits and bill folds in the highest quality merchandise at Murfee's, Men's Dept.

DO YOU WORRY MR. MAN about that gift for your girl friend. The sales ladies in our store just love to help you select those feminine gifts of beauty. We'll wrap them too at Behrman's.

FRIENDLY MEN'S WEAR have soft, lovely robes. Just the gift for that man in the hospital or who is recuperating at home.

CLASSICAL OPERA, light opera, modern, popular and children's records and albums. Tarpley's Music Store.

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Sanders Funeral Is Held This Morning

Funeral services for Mrs. Eleanor Gertrude Sanders, who died at 7:45 p. m. Saturday at the home of her son, Tommie Sanders, 416 S. Stark-weather, were held this morning at 11 o'clock at Duenkel-Carmichael chapel, with the Rev. Luther Roberts, officiating.

Interment, to be at the Electric cemetery, is pending arrival of relatives.

Survivors of Mrs. Sanders, who moved from Electra to Pampa 13 years ago, include three sons, seven daughters, three sisters and one brother. She was a member of the Francis Avenue Church of Christ.

Sons are Tommie, Clint, Princeton, Ind., and Cyrus, Bridgeport, Texas.

Daughters are Mrs. Owen Holt and Mrs. Tollie Young, both of Electra; Mrs. Jess Godwin, Pampa; Mrs. J. T. McPhail and Mrs. Oval Pate, both of Wichita Falls; Mrs. S. V. Pittman, Dallas, and Mrs. Chester Simms, Tulare, Calif.

Sisters are Mrs. Bart Robertson and Mrs. Agatha Hale, both of Denton, Texas, and Mrs. M. J. Robertson, Frisco, Texas. A brother, L. L. Derryberry, resides at McKinney, Texas.

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At an exceedingly dull dinner a friend asked Alexander Dumas if he wasn't bored. "I could be," replied the great writer, "were it not for the fact that I am here myself."—Adrian Anderson in Your Life.

Pearl Harbor

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Konoye

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KIDO SURRENDERS

Yesterday, a few hours after Konoye's pre-dawn suicide, Marquis Koichi Kido, until recently lord keeper of the privy seal and another close adviser of the emperor, surrendered as a war criminal suspect.

It may have been with design, then, that a few days ago newspapers suddenly blossomed anew with stories about Crown Prince Akihito, whose twelfth birthday is Dec. 23.

It is known now that the emperor's abdication before the occupation was discussed and Akihito was being groomed as ruler under a regency. The plan was abandoned when the Allied attitude indicated relative leniency toward Hirohito.

Discussion of the emperor and whether he is responsible for the war, something unthinkable until recently, has consumed several hours in the diet.

Strikes

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plants to discharge and participants to fines of \$3 to \$5 a day.

Leaving the unions' pay hopes, however, was a Ford statement last night that the company will have produced only 30,000 of the 80,000 cars it had promised by Christmas.

Asserting "the American people should know why" the goal was not reached, Henry Ford, president, said the company's production was "limping instead of galloping along because of insufficient supplies—parts and materials."

"This situation, definitely is not the fault of our employees," he declared. "Since 7-1/2 day we have not had a single unauthorized work stoppage."

The company, he said, has been completely cut off by 14 major suppliers and is getting "a mere trickle" of parts from many others. He listed strikes, price sellings and a loss of workers because of wage stabilization as the suppliers' major difficulties.

Read the News Classified Ads

GOOD DEAL

PORETLAND, Ore., Dec. 17—(AP)—A man told police he considered it a bargain when he was robbed of \$200 by a man and a woman.

While the woman searched him, he reported, her accomplice held knife at his throat and warned "hand it over or your head comes off."

A "motorist cocktail" is a bottle or bomb containing gasoline, with a fuse attached, used effectively against tanks.



"Jake was my top sergeant in France and Germany—brought him along because he wants to play Santa Claus for some kids this year!"



"I wouldn't know, mother."

For Him

BUY THEM bicycles and other wheel items. Scooters, wagons, etc. at Roy and Bob Bike Shop, 414 W. Browning.

BILLFOLDS! Everyone likes a new billfold. We have fine assortment, priced \$1.50 up. Thompson Hardware.

SIRE MEN'S Toilette's, in black and gold containers. Each article \$1.00 plus tax. Harvester Drug.

For Her

TENNIS RACKETS! They need them for school, they love them for recreation time. This item has been scarce but you can get them now at Thompson's Hardware.

DON'T NEGLECT personal appearances. Your hair is your crowning beauty take care of it with a regular appointment at Mi-Lady—Foudre Box.

PENNY

HOW DO YOU SPELL, SEIZE, DEAR? "I WOULDN'T KNOW, MOTHER."

IS IT EI OR IE? "YOU'VE GOT ME."

I SHOULD THINK YOU'D KNOW A SIMPLE THING LIKE THAT! GET THE DICTIONARY! "OKAY, MOTHER."

DON'T KNOW WHAT MODERN EDUCATION IS COMING TO! YOU KIDS DON'T KNOW THE MOST ELEMENTAL THINGS! "HIM-LET'S SEE..."

By Harry Hainigson