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## Congress Opens 26th Special Session

### BIG CHECK



Harvey D. Gibson (left), president of the Manufacturers Trust Co., of New York, presents a check for \$145,027,000 to Robert M. Littlejohn, Director of the War Assets Administration. The check represents final payment for the Big and Little Inch Pipeline properties by the Texas Eastern Transmission Co. Looking on are (left to right), George R. Brown of Houston, Texas, chairman of the board of the Texas corporation, and R. H. Hargrove of Shreveport, La., president of the Corporation. (NEA Telephoto)

### WITNESS SAYS MEYERS OWNED AVIATION CO.

WASHINGTON—Retired Maj. Gen. Bennett E. Meyers owned an aviation company for which, as an air force procurement officer, he obtained a million dollars worth of defense program subcontracts, the firm's president testified today.

Records of the firm were altered to hide the fact that Meyers was one of its officers, the witness told the Senate war investigating subcommittee.

### WASHINGTON PROBE CONTINUES

WASHINGTON—The Joint State Government Commission, the legislature's interim research agency, has asked a subcommittee to survey bar association residence rules in each county as the first step toward possible legislative removal of the county "monopolies."

### 'CLOSED SHOP' BY LAWYERS STIRS FIGHT

HARRISBURG, Pa. (UP)—The Pennsylvania legislature may be asked to smash what amounts to a lawyers' closed shop in most of the state's 67 counties.

Under regulations established and strongly enforced by county bar associations, an attorney must reside in a county at least five years before he is permitted to practice there.

### 10,000 Towing Trip Starts From Seattle

SEATTLE (UP)—The longest towing operation ever conducted from the Pacific Northwest began here when a tug left Seattle towing a barge which carried six steel army tugs destined for Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The temperature of the planet Neptune is colder than 300 degrees Fahrenheit below zero, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica. Neptune is 30 times farther from the sun than is the earth.

### HELP IMplored AS MINE FIRE MENACES TOWN

United Press Staff Correspondent MOUNT CARMEL, Pa. (UP)—Just how big it is, or how big it can become, the people of Mount Carmel aren't sure.

### Visitors Get Glass Of Water Instead Of Key

WICHITA FALLS, Tex. (UP)—Distinguished visitors to Wichita Falls these days are handed a glass of "Kickapoo Joy Juice" instead of the key to the city.

Remembering the Missouri slogan of "Show me," Mayor Hamilton invited Maj. Gen. Ralph E. Truman, retired first cousin of President Truman, and Vivian Truman, brother of the President to taste the "joy juice."

### Legless Boy On Football Team

MADISON, Wis. (UP)—When 10-year-old Billy Casey is late for touch football practice at St. Patrick's grade school, his teammates say:

### Children's Mittens Made Waterproof

NEW YORK (UP)—Waterproof snow mittens to keep children's hands warm and dry will be introduced before the snow starts flying this winter.

### ITALIAN SAYS COMMUNISTS PLAN REVOLT

ROME—Pietro Castiglia, a UOMO Quilungue deputy, charged in Parliament today that the Communists would "attempt a coup d'Etat in Italy."

### Recommends Wage Hike To 75 Cents

WASHINGTON—Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach urged Congress today to raise the national minimum wage to 75 cents an hour but to permit reductions to 65 cents in some industries in case of a business depression.

### Angel Reyes Concert TONITE

Angel Reyes, violinist, will be presented Monday night in a concert at the Eastland High School auditorium at 8:15.

### Local Masons To Have Work In E. A. Degree TONITE

The Eastland Masonic Lodge No. 467 will have work tonight in the E. A. Degree at 7 o'clock.

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NEBRASKA'S 1947 apple crop is estimated at 86,000 bushels, about one-third the 1936-45 average of 233,000 bushels.

### 4,000 Buildings At Camp Bowie To Go On Sale Tuesday

A good attendance and 100 per cent disposal of 4,000 buildings at Camp Bowie, near Brownwood, which go on sale Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, are expected by officials of the Office of Real Property Disposal of the War Assets Administration.

### Eastland Rites For Mrs. Floyd White Were Held Sunday

Final rites for Mrs. Floyd White, 55, who passed away last Thursday at her home in Seguin, were held Sunday afternoon at the Hamner Funeral Home in Eastland.

### City Cab To Raise Prices As Of Today

According to an announcement by the Dunlap brothers, operators of the City Cab, instead of the usual twenty-five cent fare in the city limits, the fare will be raised to thirty-five cents, effective immediately.

### JAYCEE DIRECTORS TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Jaycee President George A. Fox Jr., announced today that a directors meeting of the Eastland Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce office.

### LONGHORNS ROMP OVER FROGS

Tom Landry, (24) Texas University back dives thru the center of the Texas Christian line for a 7-yard gain in the third quarter of the game held in Austin, Texas went on to win the game by a score of 20-0.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—Debate on whether the United States can afford to furnish Marshall Plan aid to Europe is apparently headed for long and bitter quibbling. This is indicated by preliminary and entirely unofficial comparisons of the first two reports on this subject.

The tone of the Krug report is that the U. S. can furnish all aid needed, without strain on its resources. A check-up against stated requirements in the European report shows it may not be so easy.

If all the U. S. had to furnish was coal, the problem of European aid would be easy. Practically all of it is going to have to come from the Caribbean, the Middle East or Indonesia.

The money to pay for this coal will have to be advanced by the U. S. taxpayers. With the credit of so many European nations in such shaky condition, it is impossible to expect the American coal industry to carry the importing nations on the cuff for four years.

The petroleum situation is just the opposite. Europe produces little of its own oil. It will need to import 172 million short tons during the next four years. Practically all of it is going to have to come from the Caribbean, the Middle East or Indonesia.

To supply Europe with the additional one or two million tons of wheat indicated will take not only four years of perfect crop weather but also considerable management. The whole thing points up the necessity for the present conservation drive.

But, in trying to meet the temporary shortage, the U. S. may fall town flat. There is a world shortage of nitrogen. U. S. production is now three times greater, but it still isn't enough.

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Now What?



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SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—The Pennsylvania State College is one of the more underpublicized football powers this fall. That is because the Nittany Lions' only weakness is their schedule.

Naturally there is talk of an unbeaten season and a Bowl game. Penn State probably would accept one, but the old racial problem may be involved.

EXCEPT for 185-pound sophomore fullback Francis Rogel, the Penn State personnel is composed largely of prewar and wartime athletes who suddenly riddled themselves of service legs to fulfill prior promise.

Johnny Chuekan, one of the country's outstanding freshman backs of 1944, is still bothered by injuries. Joe Sarabok, expected to be a starting guard, suffered a shoulder separation early in the season.

Francis Rogel carries the ball with such utter abandon that in the first five games his average was better than five yards per try on 45 carries. He may be one of the sport's best in another year.

Defensively, Penn State has no peer, is far ahead of the pack in

SPORTS

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AKE FOREST, N. C.—(NEA)—Virginia is coached by identical twins, head men Art and Al Guepe, and is so good opponent. The Guepes were backfield teammates through high school and with Frank Murray's fine Marquette clubs of 1934-35-36.

Peashead Walker advises young coaches to try to get in a few years of professional baseball, as he did. "That," says the drawing Wake Forest coach, "enables a football man to take one game at a time and not get overly excited about it."

NEA SERVICE will pick an All-America junior college team at the season's end, naming the players recommended by the eight regional vice presidents of the national association which includes all junior colleges, public and private.

Illinois back and kicker Dike Jolleyman is one of the nation's all-around athletes. The Centella, Ill. youngster played with kids in basketball, high

This Is Happy

By PEGGY DERN © by Peggy Dern; Distributed by NEA SERVICE, INC.

THE STORY: Although Happy finds her first evening at "Sundown" enchanting, she feels a sudden wave of homesickness for her own little apartment—and for Steve. Joyce promises to teach her to ride next day. Everyone turns in early and George bids Happy goodnight at the foot of the stairs. For a moment, she thinks he is going to kiss her but he seems to change his mind.

JOYCE was curled up in a chair in Happy's room waiting for her. She studied Happy curiously, as Happy came in, flushed and starry-eyed. "Badly spoiled," said Joyce flatly.

After a moment Joyce said quietly, "I thought you might be wondering about Dru, Happy—and of course George can't tell you the truth about her, so I thought, as one gal to another, I was elected."

"But what's so terrible about her?" Steve's lovely. "Badly spoiled," said Joyce flatly. "Convinced the sun rises and sets just for her special convenience, that she is the most beautiful thing in the world, and that she can have any man she craves her finger at. It is only what she deserves if George won't play."

Happy flushed and Joyce grinned impossibly. "Oh, I'm a cat, of course," she admitted coolly. "But since Dru is even more of a cat, the only way to combat her is with tooth and claw. I admit there was a time when I was practically scared out of my skin that she was going to be my sister-in-law—and then you came along!"

"Really, Joyce," Happy protested hotly, "aren't you rather jumping at conclusions. I mean—well, after all—"

JOYCE said gently. "Sorry, pal; I always talk too much! Skip it, I only wanted to explain that Dru was throwing her weight around tonight without the slightest possible excuse. George has never even pretended to be in love with

her. She just decided she'd like to live at Sundown and that she was fond of George, and tried to warn the whole wide world that she had the Indian sign on him. I suppose you can't blame George too much that he let her get away with it—until he met you."

HAPPY was sliding out of her dress, grateful that in the process she could hide her flaming cheeks from Joyce's sharp eyes. "George can be—terribly nice," observed Joyce thoughtfully.

Happy stared at her, surprised. Joyce grinned wryly. "Oh, I'm not laughing my big brother, I'm answering," Happy's look. "George is all right. He's well, is 'benevolent despot' the phrase I mean? I think it's about as close as I can come. You see, he's sweet to Madeline and me—as long as we do exactly what he wishes. But he's pretty hippped on Sundown and its responsibilities and traditions. And he insists that Madeline and I live here, at least until he's married."

Wide-eyed with surprise, Happy demanded, "Joyce, are you trying to say you don't like living here? Why it's the loveliest place—"

Joyce nodded, and her look was still wry. "Oh, sure, but I don't seem to care such a heck of a lot for—oh, tradition, the past and all that. I'm sort of interested in a future."

She broke off and after a moment she turned anxiously to Happy. "Look, I'm not saying anything to make you dislike George, am I?"

"Of course not!" Joyce looked relieved. "Well, pay me no mind, Happy, because I'm envious of what you've had—being free to step out and make your own way and find your own friends and be you—not a direct lineal descendant of the original grantee of Sundown plantation." Joyce set her teeth

hard in her lower lip and rose to her feet. "Once more, I'm talking too much. Skip it, Happy, I've had a bad case of the blues the last day or so. I'll be all right after a sound night's sleep. See you in the morning."

The door closed behind her before Happy could answer. But long after Happy had turned out the lights and slipped into bed, she lay awake, staring into the darkness, troubled and puzzled; not quite sure what it was about Joyce that had troubled her.

SHE awoke to find the room flooded with sunshine, the song of birds in her ears, and Leslie, the tall yellow-skinned maid, in a crisp white-and-lavender printed cotton dress, moving quietly about the room.

"Maw'nin', miss: is yo' ready fo' yo' breakfast?" she asked smilingly, when she saw that Happy was awake. "Does it bring it hieh, o' would yo' lak to hev' it downstahs?"

"Whichever is the least trouble, Leslie," answered Happy, sliding out of bed and thrusting her feet into her slippers. Leslie looked surprised.

"Hit ain' no trouble, miss—one way or de-oder," she protested. Happy grinned at her like a conspirator. "Leslie," she said lightly, "I've never had the chance to acquire the breakfast-in-bed habit, so I guess I'll have it downstahs, thanks."

Leslie chuckled and there was a new warmth in her eyes. But all she said was "Yesuw."

Joyce had sent up fawn-colored riding breeches, a pongee shirt with a jade green tie, a green sweater, and brown boots. These Leslie helped Happy don. Everything was a good fit except the brown boots, which were a bit loose. Happy grinned at herself in the mirror, but admitted that she didn't look too bad.

She went down the stairs to find Joyce and Madeline at the breakfast table on a sun-drenched terrace, which was sheltered from the wind by a tall trellis thickly covered with clusters of fragrant, deeply pink roses.

(To Be Continued)

DALLAS, FORT WORTH FEUDING ONCE MORE

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Since John Neely Bryan built his log cabin on the east bank of the Trinity River where Dallas is now located and a hitching rack graced the area now known as Fort Worth, residents of the two cities have been at grips.

the cities' newspapers, has been carried on in tradition with several residents of the western city bringing lunches when visiting Dallas.

On the pre-war highway deal, Fort Worth moved one administration building one-half mile nearer its courthouse and Dallas queried the situation by dropping the plan.

"Spare the Rod" Defended NEW YORK (UP)—Miss Anna Magee, a primary teacher in the New York Public Schools for 53 years, advised a meeting of her associates not to abandon "sentiment" in teaching young children.



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## 19 Years Ago Today

From Files of Telegram Of November 18, 1928

O. C. Scarborough, 70, died at 6:00 o'clock Saturday night at his home on Tiffin Road, Ranger, funeral services will be conducted from the First Christian church here this afternoon. Interment will be in the Eastland cemetery beside his wife who died about a year ago. Mr. Scarborough came to Eastland county in 1878, settling near Ranger. He engaged in the mercantile business in Ranger. Later went to Silver City, New Mexico, and was there when the Apache Indians left their reservation and went on the warpath. He also mined in California and for the past several years has been in the oil lease and brokerage business in Eastland and Ranger. Mr. Scarborough was a brother-in-law of M. H. Hagaman of Ranger, they having married sisters. Mrs. Oscar Chastain of Eastland is his niece; Mrs. Alma Bowles of Eastland is his daughter. His granddaughter, Miss Gena Bowles and Joe and Howard Bowles of Eastland, are grandsons.

D. H. Singleton, 73, died Saturday morning at his private room at the Jordan rooming house where he had lived for three months. Funeral services will be conducted from the Barrow Undertaking Company's funeral parlors this afternoon at 3:00. Rev. F. E. Singleton will officiate. Mr. Singleton had been engaged in the grocery business in Eastland for several years. About a year ago he sold his business on East Main street and went back to his old home in Georgia, that having been the first time he had visited it in 34 years. Returning to Eastland he opened a grocery business in the Arnold building on West Commerce street. He soon became ill and never recovered. He had never married. Relatives lived in Georgia.

Many badges were awarded to members of Eastland Boy Scout troops, at the Court of Honor,



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## Philippine Company To Make Movies

MANILA (UP) — Establishment of United Philippine Artists (UPA), Inc., which plans to produce motion pictures in the Philippines with the aid of experts from Hollywood, was announced by Frank J. Courtney, former United States naval officer. Courtney, vice president in charge of public relations of the new firm, announced that the chairman of the board is Judge Mamerto Roxas, brother of the president, while the vice president is Marcial Lichauco, government corporate counsel. The president is Herman Yaras, head of two film companies.

Production is scheduled to begin early next year, according to Courtney, who said the company's plans called for the production of at least 28 pictures annually. The films will be distributed both locally and abroad. The company's vice president in charge of production is Sidney Falkow, writer-director from Hollywood.

## Bees Make Whoopee But Little Honey

McALLEN, Tex. (UP) — Bee keepers of the Lower Rio Grande Valley in Texas are faced with a problem. Their bees, instead of keeping their minds on honey-making, are sipping too frequently of fermented dates and raising merry hallelujah. The trouble starts when a bird pecks a date, puncturing the skin. The date ferments and the bees knock off work for a few quick ones. Then they fall to the ground in a drunken daze. Often they don't get back to the hive at night, but spend the night underneath the tree in an intoxicated orgy.

Snow Removal Cost. NEW YORK (UP) — Taxpayers wined when Sanitation Commissioner William J. Powell, announcing his department was ready to face another season of removing snow from the city streets, recalled what it cost last year. Last winter 33.2 inches of snow fell in the city and it cost \$2,887,977.35 to remove it. Powell estimated it figured out to \$86,987.27 an inch of snowfall.

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## Barracks on a Truck on a Barge on a River



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## Being Own Boss Found Profitable

EAST LANSING, Mich. (UP) — F. K. Hardy, professor of business administration at Michigan State College, said a survey he conducted proved that small business men earn more money than large corporation employes. Hardy said the study, based on students who graduated from MSC since 1933, showed that 54 graduates now in small business make an average of \$425 a month, while 184 working for large corporations average only \$358. However, he reported that the best money-making field was the armed services. There, the survey showed, 13 graduates reported averaging about \$500 a month.



Although she is only 5 months old, Sharon Kay Boyd's hair is over three inches long. Above, she sits patiently in her Gahanna, Ohio, home as her mother, Mrs. James F. Boyd, combs her thick locks.

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### Heartsease

by Elsie Glenn

#### IMPATIENCE

It's bad for stomach ulcers, to say the least.

Not that I have them, but I sometimes wonder when I'll develop them.

Because I'm a very impatient person.

Are you? If it weren't for the possibility of breaking my foot, I'd kick a hole in the wall sometimes.

If it were not for my ability to see myself as others see me, once in a while, there's no telling how many awful things I'd do.

Because I'm just like you are . . . short tempered, ugly, rude, . . . once in a while. And sometimes I'm not ever ashamed of it.

Until . . . later. When I realize what a complete fool I am.

Until I look around and see others in so much worse shape than I am.

The trouble with both of us . . . you and me . . . we're too human. We have the same impulses everyone else has. We wish to bite and scream and knock things over because we're flesh and blood . . . human.

But I have learned that to be

an adult requires giving up some of the things I don't want to give up.

And acquire others. A broader vision, an understanding heart, the maintenance of at least a portion of dignity . . . the recognition of duty . . . and the hard, terrible truth that impatience will not bring to me those things I want.

No matter how mad I get it doesn't get me anywhere much.

But I'm an impatient person and checkreins come hard with me.

Nevertheless, my own good sense checks me . . . Just as it does you.

It has to be that way, my dear . . . or we'd wreck ourselves and others, too.

### SOCIETY

#### CHRISTMAS CANTATA DECEMBER 21

The First Baptist Church Choir under the direction of W. G. Womack, will present a cantata, "A Child Is Born," by Noel Benson, December 21 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. The Choir is made up of mixed voices.

#### LUNCHEON AT 12 NOON

Members of the Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist church will assemble in the banquet room of the church Wednesday

### S. M. U. STILL TOPS SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE



The Southern Methodist Mustangs remained undefeated after a 14-6 win over the Arkansas Razorbacks. Dick McKissack (38) SMU, goes through the center of the Arkansas line for a two yard gain in the second quarter of their game in Dallas. He was stopped by Duval Thorton (71) and Tracey Scott, (14) of Arkansas. (NEA Telephoto).

day at 12 noon for a covered dish luncheon. Officers of the class will be hostesses, and furnish the meat.

#### BAZAAR OPENS THURSDAY

Women of the First Methodist church will have a bazaar, which opens Thursday morning in the basement of the church and last through Friday.

This will be an opportunity to buy hand made Christmas presents at reasonable prices. A bake sale, candies and canned groceries will be on hand. Methodist ladies who have can food they want to donate for the bazaar, bring them early.

#### Personals

Captain and Mrs. J. E. Bucknell and two children have been transferred to Montgomery, Alabama. Mrs. Bucknell is the daughter of Mrs. Pearl Killough, 608 South Daugherty Street.

Isaac Head, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Head, West Main Street returned Saturday from the Harris Memorial Hospital Fort Worth, where he underwent an eye operation. Mr. Head has a wife and little son.

Bobby Collie, son of Representative and Mrs. Turner Collie and who is attending TWC, Fort Worth, is one of the highest 10 in his freshmen class. Young Collie, a student minister, will officiate at the wedding of Miss Beth

Rhodes, his cousin, Nov. 26.

"Uncle" John Norton is critically ill at his home, 312 North Walnut, Eastland, and all members of the family have been summoned to his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Digby, 508 South Bassett, were in Austin Saturday to witness the Texas Christian University and Texas State University football game. Their son, Jamie, is a student at Texas University and plays in the Longhorn band.

Recent visitors in the Jack Lusk home were Mrs. Lusk's three sisters, Mrs. W. A. Wilkins of Brentwood, California; Mrs. Cecil Meadors and Mrs. Jack Gipson of Dickens, and a friend, Mrs. Earl Bailey of Abilene. Mrs. Wilkins remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. James LeFan and son, Michael, are visiting Mrs. LeFan's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lusk and son Dwayne. Mrs. LeFan's roommate, Mrs. R. Purifoy of Camden, Arkansas, met her

#### Precious Nylons



Wedding gift of Lord Inverchapel, British ambassador to the U. S., to Princess Elizabeth is six pairs of pearl-encrusted nylons which cost over \$1000 for the gems alone. Seed pearls are hand-sewn in arrow design on oyster-white hose, shown above.

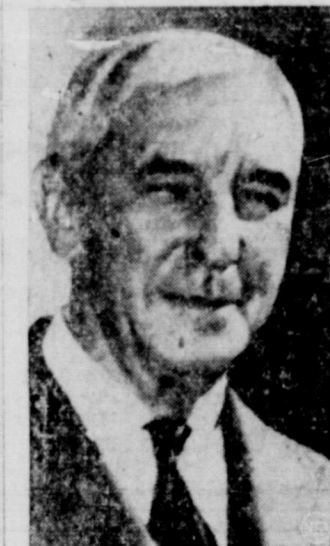
in Eastland and the two attended the Abilene Christian College homecoming in Abilene.

Steve Potts, Jr., Boy Scout executive, has moved to Eastland from Mineola and will be associated with the Comanche Trail organization. He, with his wife, daughter, 12, and son, 4, are residing at 108 North Walnut street. They arrived in Eastland on last Armistice Day.

Mrs. John J. Ridge arrived last Tuesday from Boston for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watkins of Eastland. Mrs. Ridge is the former Miss Lola Watkins.

J. K. Rhodes, formerly employed by Victor Cornelius in Eastland and formerly had charge of the soda fountain at a local drug store and who is now with Electroflux, recently won the Gold Elephant prize offered by that organization in a sales promotion campaign. He also won a prize of \$250. He is now in California for a period of training at the company factory. Mrs. Rhodes and the couple's daughter from Odessa are here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Caze while Mr. Rhodes is in California.

#### Urges Price Hike



Montana wheat grower Tom Campbell, above, told reporters he had urged President Truman to have the government fix the price of wheat at a higher figure than present quotations. Campbell, who estimates wheat should be \$3.50 per bushel, said he is holding back 610,000 bushels of his year's harvest "because I expect to get higher prices."

## Texas Press Association Sees Dawn of A New Era

December 1 will mark the dawn of a new era for the Texas Press Association in the opinion of Paul Fulks, president of the Texas association and publisher of the Wolfe City Sun.

On that date the daily and weekly newspapers of Texas join hands to open their own central office with a full-time staff of experienced press association workers in charge.

Texas Press Association directors have contracted with Vernon T. Sanford, for 13 years secretary-manager of the Oklahoma Press Association, to manage the Texas association. Officials of the Texas organization are now endeavoring to locate office headquarters in Dallas.

Said Fulks, "Our central office will issue information bulletins to the newspapers, serve as an employment bureau for newspaper workers, look after the legislative interests of the publications, represent our newspapers in the sale of political and state advertising, and arrange our convention programs."

The TPA president also stated that "our plans call for activities not alone in the interest of the press of Texas, but for the state in general. Details of a promotion program for Texas will be announced as soon as the central office can complete arrangements with other interested groups and individuals who want to see the great state of Texas grow greater and greater."

Sanford has been with the Okla-



VERNON T. SANFORD

homa organization since August 1, 1934. Prior to then he was manager of the Nebraska Press Association.

He is a native Oklahoman. His newspaper training was received in the Sooner State over a period of 13 years, on the Chickasha Daily Express, Norman Transcript, Anadarko Daily News, and the semi-weekly Cleveland County Democrat - News. He has been a carrier boy, printer's devil, assistant pressman, reporter, classified advertising manager, display advertising manager, and part-owner.

Sanford is a past-president of the Advertising Club of Oklahoma City; the Oklahoma City Chapter of the Southwestern Association of Industrial Editors; and of Newspaper Association Managers. He served for two years as chairman of National Newspaper Week and editor of the NAM Bulletin. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Better Business Bureau of Oklahoma City and an honorary member of the board of directors of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce. He is also a member of the Oklahoma City Camera Club, the Midwest Circulation Managers' Assn., the International Council of Industrial Editors, and the Newspaper Advertising Executives Assn.

He belongs to the Legion of Honor of the Order of DeMolay, the Masonic Lodge, and the Methodist Church. The new Texas manager is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, with an AB in Journalism; and holds a Master of Arts degree from the University of Missouri. He was awarded a Fellowship by the University of Missouri and was presented with the first Merit Award given to graduates of the University of Oklahoma's school of journalism for accomplishments in their chosen profession.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford will establish a home in Dallas. They have two children, a daughter, Gaye, 17 years; and a son, Sandy, 14.



"Your honor, the defendant is ready for cross-examination!"



"And if anyone starts the juke box while I'm eating—so help me!"

#### Down to the Sea on Tires

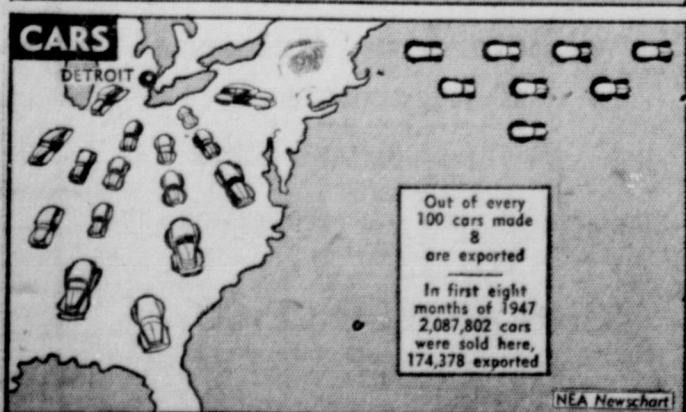
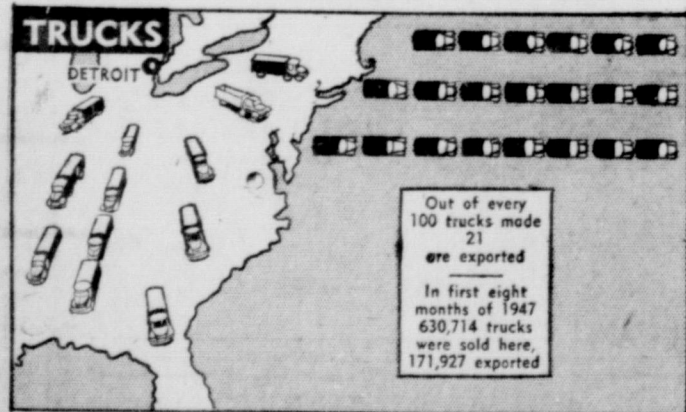


Chart above shows percentages of American-made commercial and passenger vehicles exported overseas, according to tabulations by Automotive News. Recent embargoes on import of motor vehicles by European countries have resulted in a market shift from Europe to Latin America.

#### Honors Park



A new three-cent postage stamp commemorating Florida's Everglades National Park will go on "first day" sale in Florida City on Dec. 5. Of special delivery size, the stamp features a heron superimposed on map of state.

#### Mme. Senator?



Mrs. Geromina Pesson of Manila is a candidate for the Philippine Senate on the Liberal Party ticket. If she wins the Nov. 11 election, she will be the first woman senator that part of the world has ever known. Photo by Bert Brandt, on 'round-the-world flight via Pan American Airways.

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