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BRITISH OIL TRAIN MINED BY EGYPTIANS

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS, Suez Canal Zone, Feb. 16 (UP)—The British barred all Egyptian food and oil trains from passing through the Suez Canal Zone today in retaliation for the mining of a British oil train last night.

A spokesman for Lt. Gen. Sir George Erskine, British Commander of the Zone, said the ban would continue in force until Egyptian railway crews clear wreckage of the mined train from the Port Said-Ismaïlia line and all British railway traffic delays have been made up.

Although the halt order applied to all Egyptian canal railway traffic through the Canal Zone, it affects only food and oil trains. The British banner an Egyptian traffic more than five months ago.

The attack on the train last night marked the first major anti-British incident in Egypt since mobs sacked and burned British and American buildings in Cairo last Jan. 25.

British authorities said Egyptian terrorists had placed two powerful mines on the track. The first derailed the locomotive and tender of the oil train and the second wrecked the first six tank cars.

Detonated electrically from the cover of desert scrub, the mines blew craters five feet deep and nearly 70 feet in diameter. Only 45 minutes earlier an Egyptian train had passed over the spot unharmed.

Erskine at once ordered his troops to re-establish road blocks and checkpoints on the main Port Said-Ismaïlia highway and postponed further releases of Egyptian auxiliary police held since British forces stormed their Ismaïlia barracks last Jan. 24.

One Killed, Two Critically Hurt

WEATHERFORD, Feb. 16 (UP)—One man was killed and four others injured, two of them critically when three cars and a trailer piled up near here last night on Highway 80.

The death victim was Floyd Atteberry, 33, Weatherford. Sgt. George B. Cranfill, 23, of Crane suffered a cut throat in the collision and was not expected to live. Sgt. Wendell R. Potter, 24, of War, W. Va., remained unconscious at the Parker County Hospital where all the injured were taken.

Attendants said Wilburn W. Burnley, 35, of Cisco, and Morris Horton, 35, of Farmersville, Tex., appeared to be in "fair" condition.

The accident occurred when Atteberry's car swerved in to the path of Burnley's car. The third car, believed driven by Horton, struck a trailer towed behind Burnley's car.

Jerry R. Fuller Back In States

Among members of Patrol Squadron 772 which recently returned to the United States from duty in the Far East, was Jerry R. Fuller, aviation electronicsman, third class, USSN, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Fuller of 613 West Moss Street, Eastland.

Fuller entered the Navy June 9, 1950, and received his recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

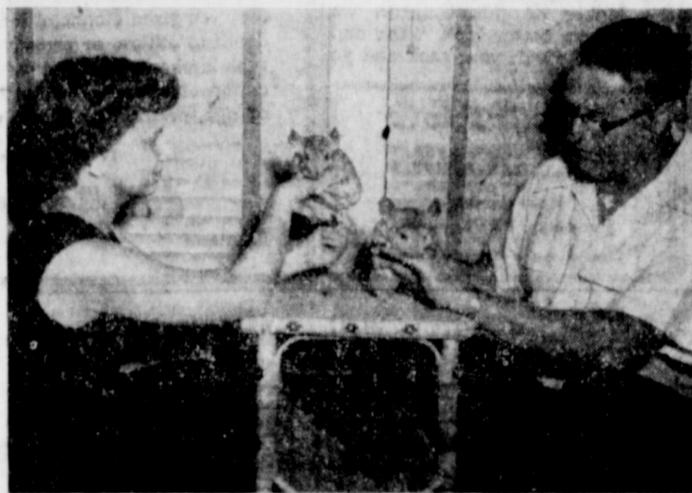
Before entering the Navy, he was graduated from Eastland High School and was employed by the Fuller Laundry Co.

Little Items Of Local Interest

The monthly meeting of the Methodist Youth groups will be at the First Methodist church, in Breckenridge, Monday evening at 7:30. The local senior and junior high school departments of Methodist youth will attend the meeting.

Brownwood Pythians have invited the Eastland Rank team to confer the "Knight" degree in Brownwood, on Monday, Feb. 18. Local Knights have accepted the invitation and some fifteen members of the Eastland Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will attend the Brownwood meeting.

For Good Used Cars
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PRIZE TENANTS—These soft-furred chinchillas are two of the 18 "pride and joys" of Bob and Nelda Roth of Breckenridge. Worth \$1,650 a pair now, the chinchillas are housed in one of the prettiest bedrooms in the Roth's new home. Mrs. Roth is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woods of Eastland.

"Little Kefauvers" Will Hear More Waco Witnesses Saturday

AUSTIN, Feb. 16 (UP)—Texas' "Little Kefauvers" planned to hear 15 more witnesses today in their investigation of lawlessness and prostitution in Waco and McLennan County.

The closed hearings began before Rep. Fred V. Merdith's House Crime Investigating Committee yesterday. Nash Oliver, Judge of the McLennan County Court-at-Law and among the early witnesses, promptly the inquiry "a political football."

"Waco is clean enough for anybody," he said.

Merdith said that "so far as I know, he (Judge Oliver) may be right. That's why we're trying to hear both sides."

The witnesses, called from Waco and the surrounding area, declined to reveal their testimony to reporters waiting outside the drab Court of Civil Appeals chambers in the capitol building.

Hiram Steton, former member of the legislature and now a Waco Justice of the Peace, said he left the hearing: "for the time being, at least, it is a secret meeting."

Merdith early said a statement would be issued after all the witnesses had been heard.

It was believed the five-man committee was interested chiefly in prostitution in Waco. There have been reports that the city's north edge is belted by bawdy

Navy Unveils Hoppi-Copter

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (UP)—The Navy today unveiled the "Hoppi-copter," a motor-and-wings device which someday may propel armed "birdmen" through the air.

The bird-like machine has not been contracted for by either the Navy or Marines, the Navy said, but is "one of a number which are presently undergoing test and consideration for use by the Marine Corps."

Engine and gas tank are strapped on the man's back like a knapsack. His legs are the landing and takeoff "gear." The double rotors of the collapsible machine extend above the head on a shaft, and a single control shaft is fastened in front of him to maneuver the copter.

UN TANKS-INFANTRY SMASH RED LINES IN KILLER RAIDS

8th ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Korea, Feb. 16 (UP)—United Nations tanks and infantry plunged into Communist lines through seven snow-blanketed valleys today in the biggest series of "killer" raids in nearly three months.

At the same time, allied warships carried the longest non-stop naval siege in history into its second year at the battered, smoldering Communist east coast port of Wonsan.

Altogether, warships of nine nations have hurled 16,000,000 pounds of exploding steel into Wonsan at the rate of 22 shells an hour day and night since the continuous bombardment began last Feb. 16.

All seven 8th Army raiding parties hit the Communist line along the western half of the front. Their object was to kill Communists and scout out enemy strength. It was the biggest such effort since the "sease fire" began one month before last Christmas.

Far to the northwest, UN planes sowed their bombs and rockets across Communist communications

Chinchilla Is Most Coveted Of All Animals

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roth of Breckenridge, chinchilla fanciers to the extent of nine pairs, find these little animals amusing as well as profitable.

The legendary story of these fur-bearing animals begins in South America some time prior to the fifteenth century. High in the Andian mountains a tribe of Indians called "Chinchas" hunted a tiny animal for food and made beautiful robes from its luxurious soft fur.

A few decades later the "Chinchas" were conquered by the "Incas" who admired the great beauty of the fur and forbade its use by the conquered tribe. The precious fur became a luxury due only to Inca royalty who used it for ceremonial robes. In the 16th century the Incas were conquered by the Spanish Conquistadors, led by Cortez. They recognized its great beauty and introduced Chinchilla fur to the royal courts of Europe.

It immediately became a fur that ranked above ermine and sable as the fur of royalty. From that time until the animals were almost exterminated, Chinchilla was one of the most coveted of all furs and was introduced throughout Europe, and eventually into the rapidly expanding society of the United States.

There are approximately 125,000 of these animals in the United States today, and the tribe is rapidly expanding. A pair may be fed for about \$2.50 a year. Only breeding animals are raised at this time.

A full length coat requires from 200 to 250 pelts, and when it is completed it weighs less than three pounds, buttons and lining included. Do you want one?

Man Picketing Union Attacked

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16 (UP)—A man picketing his own union was beaten severely on the head with a hammer late yesterday after a meeting of the teamsters joint council called to consider a "family fight" in local 955 of the Teamsters and Chauffeurs Union.

Victim of the beating was Michael J. Brendel, who aspired to head the local as president. He told officers that he was carrying a sign demanding that the union hold an election. Suddenly, he said, he was attacked by a man whom he could not identify.

He fought back and the assailant dropped the hammer, Brendel said. At that point, he told officers, an official of the union went to the aid of the attacker. Brendel wound up at Research Clinic, where physicians swathed his head in heavy bandages after treating lacerations.

He said he would sign a police complaint and institute civil proceedings as well.

The council had called a hearing on demands of a faction of the local for an election. Brendel was a witness, along with the man he identified as aiding his attacker.

Pittman Enters Treasurers Race

J. H. "Hoover" Pittman of the Flatwoods community has asked this newspaper to announce to the voters in Eastland county, that he is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject, of course, to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Mr. Pittman has lived in Eastland county for 45 years, 43 of which he has spent as a farmer in his home community. He feels that he is amply qualified to care for all the duties of the office, and if elected will strive to serve voters in a manner pleasing to them.

At a later date Mr. Pittman will publish a statement outlining his policies and platform.

PROCLAMATION

The United Council of Church Women has designed Friday, February 29th, as "World Day of Prayer." In these days of international tension, it is a heartening thing that religious groups throughout the world will pause and give thought to interdenominational ties. Let us join them in these earnest endeavors, and give our support and prayers to their effort.

I ask the citizens of Eastland to join wholeheartedly and reverently in the observance of "World Day of Prayer," as we bow our heads in reverent acknowledgment of our debt to and reliance in Almighty God.

(Signed) Jack Muirhead,
Mayor of Eastland.

Texan Called To Quelch Fire In Gas Well Blaze

RENOVO, Pa., Feb. 16 (UP)—A fire-fighting expert flew here today from Texas to quell a 150-foot high flame roaring out of a mammoth new natural gas well which "blew in" yesterday.

Drillers said the height of the flame indicated the well in the rich Leidy Field was one of the largest, if not the largest, in the world.

The roar of the flame could be heard for seven miles in this mountainous north-central Pennsylvania area. Authorities estimated the flames were burning out \$250,000 worth of fuel a day.

Well fire-fighter Paul (Red) Atair of the Myron McKinley Fire Extinguishing Co., was called from Houston, to try to put out the raging flame with nitro-glycerine charges.

The new well popped a cap designed to handle 6,000 pounds pressure per square inch "like a cork" shortly after the cap was put in place by workmen.

The cap and 10-tons of tools were catapulted into the air, striking the 90-foot high steel drilling derrick, and causing a spark which ignited the gas.

None of the six workmen was hurt, but the terrific pressure hurled some of the tools into a nearby woods.

Drillers said that the new well, judging by the size of the torch, appeared bigger than the huge Finnefrock Well, a half-mile away, which produces 150,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day.

It was the second fire-fighting call here for Adair. Two years ago, he quelled a fire in the Dorcie-Calhoun Well, 10 miles away, with nitro-glycerine.

French Govt. Facing Crisis On German Army

PARIS, Feb. 16 (UP)—The government of Premier Edgar Faure faced today a vote of confidence which could topple it from power and threaten the formation of a European Army—one of the keystones of U. S. foreign policy in Europe.

The 43-year-old radical Socialist staked his government on the National Assembly's approval of the European Army plan. It was the first time since the war that a French government had demanded a vote of confidence on a foreign policy issue.

The government crisis already has caused a 24-hour postponement of the Big Three Foreign Ministers London meeting on German rearmament. Following French Assembly approval the plan was to have been submitted to the Big Three meeting for study and eventual submission to the meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Council in Lisbon next Wednesday.

The London Big Three meeting has been postponed from today until tomorrow. If Faure is defeated today, France's representative—probably Foreign Minister Robert Schuman—will go to the NATO conference without a government behind him.

Political party heads and deputies met in caucuses before the assembly convened to seek ways to avoid the fall of the cabinet.

The assembly vote had been scheduled for this morning but the debate preceding it may delay voting until after midnight (6 p.m. EST).

The government has asked the Assembly to approve the European Army plan to use German soldiers directly in the forces of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower. Faure, as a compromise, would give Germany a voice in NATO but not membership.

King's Funeral Not Newsworthy In Russia

MOSCOW, Feb. 16 (UP)—Moscow newspapers devoted one sentence—nine words—today to the funeral of King George VI, of Britain.

Investia, the government newspaper, and Pravda, the organ of the Central Committee of the Communist Party carried the brief report on inside pages.

UN Rejects Russia As Truce Inspector

Further Firing Expected Dallas Commodity Men

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (UP)—The Agriculture Department is expected to take action next week against more of the 16 employees in its Dallas Commodity Office charged with accepting "gratuities."

Department officials charged in hearings before a House Appropriations Subcommittee last month that the 16 workers accepted gifts from businessmen.

Among those named were Latham White, chief of the office; his assistant, Harry J. Solomon, and Stephen G. Benit, Jr.

White and Solomon already have been fired for "neglect of duty" and "conduct prejudicial to the service." Their discharges became effective last April. Benit resigned under investigation of his alleged acceptance of \$1,000 in cash besides gratuities.

Informed sources said today that dismissal proceedings against White and a Solomon delayed action against the remaining 13 in the Dallas office, which has more than 200 employees.

They said some Agriculture officials here thought it might be "demoralizing" to the Dallas office if action were taken against too many of the staff at the same time.

Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan has said that action was held up because of the time he and his top aides spent before the House investigators.

The gratuities listed as allegedly accepted by the Dallas employees include small kegs of shrimp, Stetson hats, week-end outings, tickets to Oklahoma-Texas football games, Bibles and hand-tooled Mexican leather belts.

Eastland Girl Is Honored At NTSC in Denton

DENTON, Feb. 15—Patricia R. Rushing of Eastland has been recently elected corresponding secretary of Delta Chi Delta, women's social sorority, at North Texas State College.

Miss Rushing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rushing of Eastland, is a junior student majoring in business education at NTSC.

Hospital Workers Reporting Friday

Hospital volunteer workers reporting for work Friday evening were B. E. Robertson, M. H. Perry, Gayland Pee, Gordon Taylor, Foy True, and Carl True.

The hostess list included Mmes. Frank Lovett, C. M. VanGeem, T. D. Wheat, and B. W. Patterson.

ALLIES ACCUSE MOSCOW OF BLOCKING ARMISTICE PACT

By Arnold Dibble
United Press Staff Correspondent
PANMUNJOM, Korea, Feb. 16—The allies rejected Russia as a member of a neutral armistice inspection team for "obvious" reasons yesterday and followed with an accusation that Moscow is blocking an armistice agreement.

The Communists proposed, in the truce talks here, that Russia, Poland and Czechoslovakia be their "neutrals" on a six-man armistice inspection commission. The allies had previously nominated Switzerland, Sweden and Norway.

The allied negotiators accepted Poland and Czechoslovakia but firmly rejected Russia. Asked why, UN negotiator Col. Donald O. Darrow told the Reds:

"I should think it would be obvious—why the Soviet Union is not acceptable as a neutral nation."

An allied spokesman made it plain, as of now, the rejection is final.

"It is not a point that can be debated and compromised," spokesman Brig. Gen. William P. Nuckols said. "The only possible way I can see is the nomination of another neutral."

Russia has been pouring planes and munitions into Korea since the start of the war. Some allied pilots insist that Soviet pilots are helping to man the Russian-built MIG-15 jet fighters.

Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway's headquarters said in a "Voice of the Command" broadcast from Tokyo that the final outcome of the Panmunjom armistice talks now hinged on decision in Moscow.

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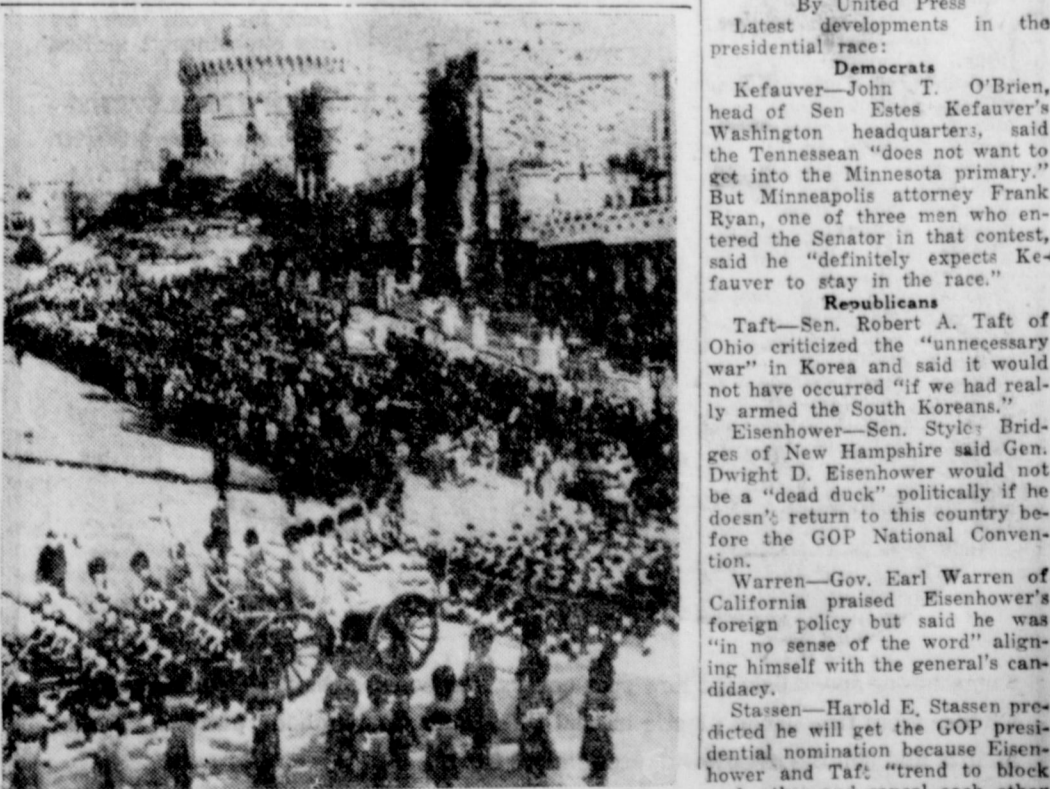
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AT REST—Midst scene of royal splendor, King George VI's coffin is slowly drawn through the famous grounds of Windsor Castle, traditional resting place of Britain's Monarchs, to its final resting place in St. George's Chapel. (NEA Radiophoto).

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

The cultivation of spiritual sense gives man dominion over all evil, according to the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Soul" to be read in all Christian Science churches next Sunday. Understanding God as Soul, the source of real happiness, the Golden Text is made clear:

"My soul shall be joyful in the Lord; it shall rejoice in his salvation" (Psalms 35:9).

This Bible admonition is included in the Lesson-Sermon: "Set your affection on things above, not on the earth" (Colossians 3:2). The theme is developed in these words by Mary Baker Eddy from her textbook: "We cannot deny that life is self-sustained, and we should never deny the everlasting harmony of soul, simply because, to the mortal senses, there is seeming discord. It is our ignorance of God, the divine Principle, which produces apparent discord, and the right understanding of Him restores harmony. Truth will at length compel us all to exchange the pleasures and pains of sense for 'the joys of soul'" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, p. 390).

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By Major Hoople McCorkle
Telegram Philosopher

"And all countries came unto Egypt to Joseph for to buy corn; because that the famine was so sore in all lands"—Gen. 41:57.

Drouths are not new in this world, and the one we are undergoing at this time is no worse than others which have been chronicled in history. At the time Joseph was selling corn to the world, about the year 1715 B. C., or more than 4000 years ago, all the land was undergoing a great drouth, and it lasted for seven years. Suffering was intense, and murmuring was heard on every hand.

Our drouth today represents just a little more than a year, and we have had showers and sprinkles during this period. Some of us have been forced to take up a notch or two in our belts, and red beans have been substituted for T-Bones. But in the days of Joseph they didn't have anything but sunshine and heat. They howled and we are howling. Man, made in the image of God, just can't take it when the sledding gets rough. He's a natural born "belly-acher."

We know it is dry out in this part of the state, and there is nothing we can do about it—artificial rainmakers notwithstanding. We complain worse than old Job at the time his anatomy was covered with carbuncles and boils. He saw his family wealth leave him, and while it is said he mourned, he did find time to praise God. He lost his family and watched his daughters go out into sin. He suffered mental anguish, and longed for death to remove him from suffering. But with all this Job had patience and he had love for God. In the end the Lord blessed him, and he lived to see his great great grandchildren.

Our sufferings are not to be compared with those of Job, and the drouth we are enjoying is not to be compared with that in Joseph's day.

Sometimes it gets pretty dry out here, but it has never failed to rain just before it was too late. And so far as we are concerned it will rain this time, and if we patterned after Joseph and Job, it might arrive before the scheduled time. The Lord works wonders at times, and most of us get as much, or more, than we deserve all time. Now we shall not suggest a revival of prayer in an effort to get rain, but we feel that the Lord will come nearer answering a prayer, than he will blasphemies. Take it or leave it, but don't say you were not warned.

Take the old lady over in the Cherith community, where the Lord had sent Elijah. She had felt the pang of hunger as the

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result of a drouth, and was ready to eat her last corn pone and then die. (1 Kings: 5-14.) You know the story, and she didn't die. Her meal oil just kept increasing, instead of starving she started a boarding house, took in a boarder (Elijah) and all had plenty.

If things should get that bad here, no telling what we would do. Probably steal the baby's milk and then swear we didn't do it. We are a queer bunch of ducks. We just think we are having a hard time because we don't have enough money to buy a new car, and put on a 30-day spree. If we are not careful we are going to let our gall go to our head and curdle our brain (if any).

Right now the Lord is treating you a lot better than you are treating Him.

We repeat, drouths are not new. They may be unpleasant, but as a rule cattle and other livestock suffer more than we do. We still forage around and get something to eat, even though it may be no more than a jack-rabbit of questionable age. We manage to see that we don't suffer, while the poor cows may. We put them in a grassless pasture, build a barbed wire fence around them and then complain when they are poor at market time.

Out in Southwest Texas we have seen some real drouths. Sheep would eat what grass the cattle failed to get, and goats would clean out all the brush. Pastures resembled a battle ground, for there wasn't a sprig of grass nor a leaf. During their "death march" the animals would cut grass roots two inches below land surface, and the whole thing gave you a feeling that might be expected if you visited a desecrated cemetery. Everything looked hopeless—only it wasn't.

In due time rain came, and the once arid district blossomed fourth with grasses and flowers, and the land more resembled an oasis or maybe a kind of promised land, than it did a desert.

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Moses was a good leader, and he did a swell job even if he didn't get to enter the promised land himself.

When we think of the sufferings, wandering, drouths, earthquakes and other catastrophes in the past, we forget this little drouth we are having here.

It's going to rain and we are not going to starve. And if we might get just a little closer to the Maker of this country, we might have better luck. "Ask and it shall be given you; seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you:" (Matt. 7:7).

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Moses was a good leader, and he did a swell job even if he didn't get to enter the promised land himself.

When we think of the sufferings, wandering, drouths, earthquakes and other catastrophes in the past, we forget this little drouth we are having here.

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THIS MEANS THE GOAT ACTUALLY SAVED THE DAY!

AND I'M SURE THE SCHOOL BOARD WILL PAY THOSE DAMAGE CLAIMS WHEN THEY LEARN WHAT THEY OWE VANDYKE!

THEN VANDYKE CAN STAY? NATCH! NOW HIS TEACHERS PET!

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By Merrill Blosser

VIC FLINT

JASON, DEAR! WHAT'S WRONG? MY HEART! IT...

STOP! YOU MUSTN'T! HE...

DEAR MAM!

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane

ALLEY OOP

CAPN SMITH SAID I'D FIND POWHATAN'S VILLAGE UP THIS MAIN TRAIL...

BUT MERBE I'D BE WISE TO GET OFF THIS PATH ANY COME IN ON 'EM FROM ANOTHER QUARTER...

SORTA UNEXPECTEDLY TAKE 'EM BY SURPRISE, I.....UGH!

HEH! GUESS I BETTER TRY ANOTHER QUARTER!

UMW! OH, WELL! TH' ELEMENT OF SURPRISE DON'T REALLY FIGGER MUCH IN THIS DEAL ANYWAY!

By V. T. Hamlin

HUCKLEBERRY FINN

MY GOLLY, FLOSSY! DO YOU STUDY THIS BIG BOOK?

SURE, HUCK! IT'S NATURAL HISTORY! ALL ABOUT ANIMALS!

HUCK YOU'D OUGHT TO GO TO SCHOOL AND STUDY IT. IT TEACHES YOU THE HOBITS OF SQUIRRELS, RABBITS, FISH, BIRDS—

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G-G-GOSH, BUSTER THIS IS SO SUDDEN—WHY THE BIG HURRY? WE'VE JUST MET

I KNOW—I KNOW BUT I GOTTA CATCH A TRAIN IN THREE MINUTES!

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FIDO, THIS THING SURE HAS ME PUZZLED—I'LL GET AN APPLE AND FIND OUT FOR MYSELF!

MR. CHUBB WILL YOU EAT THIS NICE BIG RED APPLE FOR ME?

SURE—BUT WHY DON'T YOU EAT IT YOURSELF, PEE WEE!

I WANNA SEE HOW YOU EAT IT, MR. CHUBB! CAUSE AUNT SUE SAYS YOU EAT LIKE A HORSE!

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T. E. (Ed) CASTLEBERRY Re-election.

John H. Nix

FOR CONGRESS, 17th District JACK COX, Breckenridge.

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J. W. COOPER

FOR JUDGE 91st JUDICIAL DISTRICT: Frank Sparks

FOR DISTRICT CLERK: Roy L. Lane (Re-Election)

John C. Nicholas

FOR COUNTY TREASURER: H. H. Hardeman

J. H. "Hoover" Pittman

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February Social Calendar

- FEB. 15th—High School Carnival 6:30 p.m. Eastland High School.
- Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- FEB. 16—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- Eastland Dance Club 9 p.m. Connellee Hotel Roof
- FEB. 18—Baptist YWA Eldon Anderson home, 6:30 p.m.
- CWF Circle Day 3 p.m.
- WMU Circle Day 3:15 p.m.
- Pythian Sisters 7:30 p.m. Castle Hall.
- FEB. 19—West Ward PTA, West Ward School, 3:15 p.m.
- Eastland Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall.
- Dragoo Jr. Music Club, J. L. Owen Home, 501 East Sadosa, 4:15 p.m.
- FEB. 20—Music Study Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club.
- Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- Women's Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Church of Christ.
- FEB. 21—Thursday Afternoon Club 3:30 p.m. Woman's Club.
- Baptist Winsome Class Party 7:30 p.m.
- FEB. 22—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- Civic League and Garden Club's Mid-Winter Festival 8:30 p.m. American Legion Hall.
- Gleaners Class Party, First Baptist Church, 6:45 p.m.
- FEB. 23—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- FEB. 25—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- Baptist YWA 6:30 p.m. Edith Cox home.
- Baptist WMU Business Meeting 3:15 p.m. Baptist Church.
- Methodist WSCS Circle Day 3 p.m.
- Christian CWF Circle Day 3 p.m.
- Pythian Sisters 7:30 p.m. Castle Hall.
- FEB. 26—Exemplar Chapter, Marene Johnson Home, 414 Hill Crest, 7:30 p.m.
- South Ward PTA 3:15 p.m. South Ward School.
- Eastland County 50 year Pioneer Club, Mrs. Winnie Sue Home, 906 South Seaman.
- Eastland Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall.
- FEB. 27—Eastland Public Library 2 til 5:30 p.m.
- Women's Bible Class, Church of Christ, 9:30 a.m.
- FEB. 28—Alpha Delphian Club 3 p.m. Woman's Club.
- Baptist Monthly SS Banquet 6:45 First Baptist Church.
- FEB. 29—High School Coronation 8 p.m. Eastland High School.
- World Day of Prayer, 2:30 p.m. Presbyterian Church.

NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited his sister, Mrs. Pearl Bourland in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cox of May, visited recently in the home of their son, R. C. Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan were Eastland and Ranger visitors Thursday morning.

Mrs. Jess Joplin and son, of Slaton, were guests Thursday, of Mrs. Joplin's daughter, Mrs. Cecil Nelson.

Mrs. Mary Brashers is visiting with her daughter, and the two were visiting in Eastland Saturday.

J. L. Little and son Bobby, were visitors in Slaton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ables from Woodson, moved last week to what is known as the Nevt Crawley farm. Mr. Ables recently bought the farm from Mr. Stuart who has moved to East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Canet were visiting in Ranger Friday.

Prayer service was well attended at the Baptist church here Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. L. Little went to Cisco, Wednesday to visit with the Winston Boles family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope were

business visitors in Ranger Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited his sister, Mrs. Pearl Bourland in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mounce were in Ranger Saturday, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downing were in Eastland Saturday on business.

R. A. Parker is quite ill at his home, and is now under the care of a doctor, who was called to his bedside Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Adams of Desdemona, were the guests Sunday evening of Mrs. Adam's mother, Mrs. Zona Griffin.

Mrs. Floyd Crawley and Mrs. Walter Duncan were visiting in Gorman Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. O. T. Hazard was the guest of her parents, the W. H. Whites in Eastland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan visited in the home of their nephew,

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NEWS FROM CHEANEY

Mrs. Bill Tucker

During January, we have heard much about the March of Dimes and have given our support in time and money, and now February sees the beginning of plans toward the annual Red Cross drive forthcoming the month of March.

Mrs. John Love, county drive chairman, met with Mrs. Jack Frost and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, in the latter's office, Friday morning to discuss important issues concerning the drive. Mrs. Love appointed Mrs. Bill Tucker to head the rural Club Women.

Workers kits were packed on Friday to supply the local HD Clubs and will be distributed at the regular meeting of the County Home Demonstration Council on Wednesday, February 13, in Eastland.

Mrs. Love accompanied by the rural chairman, was at Scranton late Friday afternoon, as a first step in getting the community drives in readiness for action. Other outlying communities will be contacted as March 1st draws near.

Along with the discussion on plans for reaching the county Red Cross quota, was one on the Blood Mobile Unit, which comes to Ranger, March 4th and 5th, and to Cisco on March 6th.

An appeal is being made to every person to answer the call for blood donors.

The need has never been so great as right now and giving our share may be the means of helping save thousands of the lives of American boys.

The idea that we are giving to the Red Cross is erroneous, but it is through the Red Cross we give, to the boys that life saving element.

So as time draws near, lets use the opportunity to be of service

Carl Butler and family, in Olden, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. A. Parker received word Sunday that her father, Ed Westbrook of Merkel, is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little had as their guests Sunday, their daughter, Mrs. Winston Boles and family of Cisco. Also their son, Earl and wife of New Mexico.

Bob Weldon of DeLeon was a visitor in this community Sunday.

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Bill Gresham, ACC student, filled his bi-monthly preaching appointment at the Cheaney Church of Christ Sunday and was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler.

Attendance at the Cheaney Baptist Church was good. Some of those we saw pass were the Jack Rogers, the Loy Williams, Billy Joe Rogers and his mother and the Oliver Galloways.

Little Miss Joy—not Joey—Love spent Sunday with Lavania Rodgers, and missed accompanying her mother, Mrs. Melva Love and Ronnie to the John Tucker home.

What no egg stories this week! We witness vouch for recent stories. Maybe local feed dealers are leaving something out.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Zeldie Melton, was hospitalized the past week and worked up a beautiful case of chicken pox.

Mrs. J. P. Strickler, who is well up in years is reported more ill than usual, the past week-end.

Bob Revel, recently in the Veteran's Hospital, is able now to be back on his job at Odessa. His home is at Cheaney near his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Revel visited another son, Clinton and family at Gorman, Sunday.

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visited their daughter and family. Mrs. Curtis Blackwell and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rainey and Ann of Desdemona made a call Tuesday in the Bill Tucker home.

Mrs. Rainey sustained a serious head injury 2 weeks ago when she fell from the back doorstep. She was treated at a Gorman hospital.

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Las Leales Club Will Meet Mon. At 7:30 P. M.

Mrs. Bernard Hanna will be the hostess at 7:30 p. m. for the program entitled, "Window of Art" at the meeting of the Las Leales Club members Monday night, at the Woman's Club.

On the program are Meses. L. E. Huckabay and Wayne Caton.

Miss June McKee's Wedding Told

Eastland friends of Miss June McKee have received announcements of her wedding on February 2, to Mr. Muri Leonard, in Tyler.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McKee of Tyler, formerly of Eastland. While here she was employed at the Caton-Treadwell Clinic.

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Guest Speaker At West Ward PTA Meeting

Mrs. F. C. Hipp of Strawn, vice president of the State PTA will be the guest speaker of the West Ward PTA Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 3:15 p. m. in the school's cafeteria.

Her subject will be "Looking Back and Looking Forward."

Mothers of Mrs. T. L. Amis' room will be hostesses, with Mrs. M. H. Perry as chairman. Included in reports of officers will be the report of the finance committee, on the best ways to spend the funds on hand for the benefit of the school.

All mothers were urged to attend.

Dragoo Junior Music Club To Meet Tue. 4:15

Members of the Dragoo Junior Music Club will meet Tuesday, Feb. 19 at 4:15 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. L. Owen, 661 East Sadosa Street, with their daughter, Nancy, as hostess.

Genievie Tolliver, president, will preside. John Kimble will be program chairman.

Mrs. Vermillion Hosts Luncheon Of TEL Class

Mrs. H. F. Vermillion was hostess to the regular monthly luncheon of the T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church at her home, 607 South Mulberry Street.

The table was laid with a white damask cloth and the floral centerpiece was in Valentine theme. A gift of sterling in the honoree's favorite pattern marked her place.

Those attending were Meses. John Osborn, Hubert Westfall, Siebert Worling, Herman Hassell, the honoree and the hostesses.

Mrs. Van Hoy and Mr. Van Hoy are moving to Brownsville, where Mr. Van Hoy will be manager of the Interstate Theatre there.

Mrs. Van Hoy Honored At Farwell Luncheon

Mrs. Cecil Hollifield and Mrs. Harry Robinson honored Mrs. Aubrey Van Hoy when they entertained with a noon luncheon Thursday at the Connellee Hotel Coffee Shop.

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Double Seven Club Meets In Stovall Home

At a meeting of the Double Seven Club Tuesday in the home of Clotzell Stovall a bake sale for Saturday at 12:30 p. m. was planned to be held in the A&P Grocery. Betty Hager, president, presided.

Ruth Justice, a new member was present.

Refreshments of hamburgers and Cokes was served.

Others present were Joy Jumpers, Hazel Spindle, and Margie Lane.

A&M College Lose Cotton Research Head

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 15 — John Leahy, director of the Cotton Research Committee of Texas for the past ten years, has resigned it was announced here today following a meeting of the statewide committee. Mr. Leahy said he planned to enter private business.

Dr. A. W. Melloh, vice-director of the Texas Engineering Experiment station on the A&M College campus, was named as acting director for the Cotton Research Committee until a successor for Mr. Leahy can be appointed.

Members of the statewide committee include Chancellor James P. Hart of the University of Texas, Chancellor Gibb Gilchrist of the Texas A&M College System, and President D. M. Wiggins of Texas Technological College.

Mrs. C. M. Rathel is reported to be improving at her home here. She has been quite ill since Saturday.

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Among the real war's outstanding veterans in the cast of "Retreat, Hell!" was Peter Ortiz whose own life story is in the progress of being filmed at Warners.

In World War II, Ortiz fought under the flags of the United States and France. His decorations include the Navy Cross, the Purple Heart, French Legion of Honor, French Croix De Guerre with Palmes and Stars, French Colonial Corde de Guerre, Order of the British Empire and other honors. From 1932 to 1937 he was in the French Foreign Legion, serving in Morocco and Algeria, after which he returned to the United States.

When war broke out in 1939, he returned to France and enlisted in the 11th Volunteer Regiment of the Foreign Legion. Wounded in June, 1940, he kept on fighting with remnants of his outfit which refused to recognize the armistice with the Germans.

Escaped Enemy Prison
Captured and sent to Germany as a prisoner he served 14 months in various prisons and concentration camps and finally escaped back to France.

Sent to North Africa, he organized a group in the OSS, the "Cloak and Dagger Service" which roamed behind the battle lines gathering information. While stalking a German Tank one night to try out a new grenade, he was shot in the right hand and shoulder. After recovering in Washington where he lectured and organized for the



DEMS' MONEY MAN—Former Gov. Roy Turner of Oklahoma, above, has been named treasurer of the Democratic National Committee by Chairman Frank E. McKinney. Turner, an Oklahoma oil and cattle producer, will fill the vacancy created by resignation of Sidney Salomon Jr., of St. Louis.

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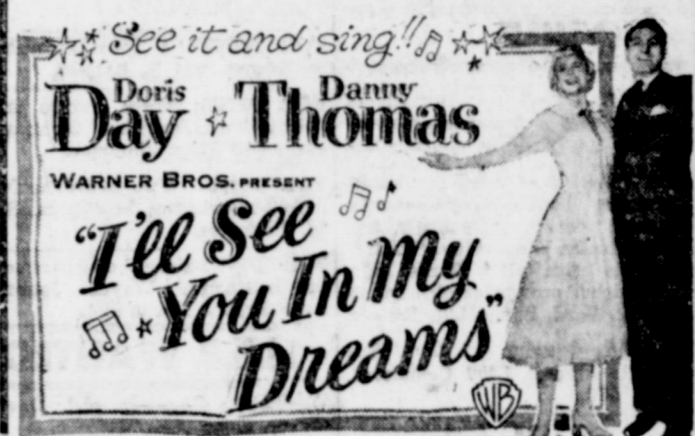
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