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## Russia Takes French Plan To Please U. S.

### FIRST TIME SOVIET SHOWS COMPROMISE WILLINGNESS

NEW YORK—Russia dropped its own disarmament procedure proposals today in favor of a French plan which came closer to satisfying the United States. Russia for the first time indicated its willingness to compromise as six United Nations security council delegates met behind closed doors to draft a plan outlining how the council should tackle its multitude disarmament problems.

Andrei Gromyko of Russia, it was learned, promptly moved that the delegates adopt the French plan as a basis for the discussions. The French resolution called for an immediate start on general disarmament talks and a study "as soon as possible" of how to control atomic energy. The French plan also would have security council members report on disarmament possibilities within three months.

### Churchill Charged With Prolonging War

Winston Churchill in June, 1942 persuaded President Roosevelt to junk a plan for invasion of Normandy in July, 1943, and substitute the North African campaign thereby, in the opinion "of some of our ablest military leaders," prolonging the war, Martin Sommers, foreign editor of the Saturday Evening Post, charged today.

Sommers based his charges, presented in the Saturday Evening Post, on conversations with high American military leaders. He said that Secretary of State George C. Marshall, then U. S. Chief of Staff, was the leading American advocate of the 1943 Normandy invasion plan and the No. 1 opponent of the strategy advocated by Churchill.

### Warns Of Civil War If Labor Not Satisfied

WASHINGTON (UP)—Rep. Clare E. Hoffman, R., Mich., said today that unchecked labor strife ultimately would lead the nation to "civil war" and "financial ruin."

Hoffman, long a critic of New Deal labor legislation, proposed repeal of the Wagner Labor Relations Act and substitution of a measure that would "be fair to both sides."

### CIO Oil Workers Threaten Strike

FORT WORTH—Officials of the CIO International Oil Workers Union threatened today to call an industry-wide strike against major oil companies unless steps are taken by Feb. 15 to grant demands of workers for a 25-cent-an-hour wage increase.

### The Weather

Fair this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow. Not quite so cold tonight.  
Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today  
Maximum 53  
Minimum 32  
Hour's Reading 53  
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today.  
Maximum 41  
Minimum 22

### HOPE TO OPEN CLEAN-UP IN EARLY MARCH

The Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting Monday night voted to sponsor a thorough clean-up, fix-up and paint-up campaign in Ranger, starting as soon as the organization work is complete. M. L. King, newly elected president, stated today that the campaign will likely take place early in March.

King stated that the assistance of every club, church, lodge and other organizations will be asked to assist and letters will be out soon asking these organizations to have representatives at a general meeting to be held soon relative to the campaign.

### Says Quick Settlement Of Case Necessary

DETROIT—Assistant Attorney General John F. Sonnett said today that if the government is permitted to enter the portal pay test case it will carry it to the U. S. Supreme Court "whatever the outcome."

"The public interest requires an early determination of this case," Sonnett said.

The government attorney said his position had been "checked with every interested government agency—including the President of the United States."

Sonnett has petitioned Federal Judge Frank Picard to let the government enter the case as a "proper part," giving it equal rank with the defendant, the Mt. Clemens, Mich., Pottery Company.

Change Department

WASHINGTON (UP)—Chairman August H. Anderson of the House food investigating subcommittee charged today that the state department is blocking the subcommittee request for a hefty increase in domestic sugar rations.

### 3-YEAR OLD GIRL DIES OF SEVERE BURNS

Nadine Woodruff, three year old daughter of the Luther Woodruff's, colored residents of Ranger, died at the West Texas Hospital this morning of burns sustained at her home Tuesday afternoon late.

According to reports of the accident the child was sitting in front of the fire at her home when her dress became ignited and was critically burned before the flames could be extinguished. At the West Texas Hospital where she was taken it was stated that practically the entire front of her body, including her face, was severely burned.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Macedonia Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with interment in the Evergreen cemetery. Morris Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

### Snyder Favors Lower Taxes For Married Man

WASHINGTON—Secretary of Treasury John W. Snyder suggested today that he was favorably disposed toward a long-range income tax plan that would mean lower taxes for the married man eventually.

He emphasized, however, that he is standing pat on his previously expressed opposition to any income tax reductions now.

Snyder aired his views at a news conference as House Democrats turned on the heat in their drive against Republican proposals to slash every one's income tax 20 per cent.

### Asks Resignation Of Secretary

HOUSTON—The resignation of Secretary of Agriculture Clinton F. Anderson was demanded today by George H. Echols, prominent Houston cattle and oil man, who charged the agriculture department was handling the hoof and mouth disease problem "in a selfish way and won't give cattlemen the facts."

The earliest legislation in Illinois on the trespassing of animals was passed in 1819.

### Threat To Argentina's Quints



The Diligent quintuplets are being guarded in Mar Del Plata, Argentina, against kidnap threats. The children shown at play in their home, are left to right, rear, Maria Christina, Franco and Maria. In front, Carlos, and Maria Fernanda. (NEA Telephoto).

### SCOUTS' FUND DRIVE TO BE FEBRUARY 19

H. C. Henderson, finance chairman for Boy Scout work in Ranger, announced today that Ranger will have a one day drive for funds for the Comanche Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, on February 19th.

The drive will be started with a kick-off breakfast on that date and a committee is preparing a workers list.

Further announcements will be made at a later date. According to those working in this field, Boy Scout interest in Ranger is considerably aroused and much enthusiasm is being shown toward the work.

On last Friday night, a banquet for scouts and scout workers was held in the Blue Room of the Ghelson hotel and two field representatives from Brownwood were present to discuss and encourage Den work in this area.

### Legion Dance Brings \$25 To March Of Dimes

H. R. Hicks, Ranger chairman of the March of Dimes announced today that a gift of \$25 has been received for the drive from the American Legion benefit dance held last Friday night.

This makes a total of \$141 contributed to the funds through the three March of Dimes dances given here. The other two dances were sponsored by the Elks Lodge and the Dance Club.

Hicks said today that contributions are still acceptable and urged merchants and individuals to send in their contributions as there will not be personal solicitations.

### Historic Texas Oak Tree Owns Its Own Site

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—A mammoth oak tree, sinking its roots deep into Houston's soil and history, has the distinction of being the owner of the historic site it shelters.

The great oak, where Houston's founders once parked their buggies, cannot be cut down as long as it lives.

A legal document filed in Harris County courthouse by the Cullinan estate stipulates that the tree's branches must be permitted to grow in their natural way. A fence must be kept around the aged tree's trunk.

SERVICE DOUBLED  
TYLER, Tex. (UP)—Operating territory of the Dixie Sunshine Trailways Bus Company was doubled Jan. 1, when the firm assumed complete operation of the Airline Motor Coaches lines. The territory covers sections of Texas, Louisiana, and Oklahoma.

LIVESTOCK  
FORT WORTH—Cattle 1900. Active and strong. Several lots and few loads good feed steers and yearlings 20.00-22.00.  
Calves 600. Active and strong. Good and choice fat calves 16.50-19.00.  
Hogs 1100. Butcher hogs steady to 35 higher. Top 24.60. Bulk and good choice 18.00-300 lbs. 24.25-24.50.  
Sheep 2000. All classes steady. Medium and good fat lambs 18.00-20.00.

### LEGISLATION TO END RENT CONTROL IS CONSIDERED

WASHINGTON—Sen. Kenneth S. Wherry, R., Neb., said today that he and two other Republican Senators are "considering" offering legislation that would end federal rent control April 30.

The Nebraskan said he may join with freshmen Senators Arthur V. Watkins, R., Utah, and John J. Williams, R., Del., in introducing a bill to "terminate OPA" April 30—and with it present federal rent ceilings.

Wherry, who is Senate Republican whip, told a reporter such a bill would "serve notice on state legislatures" now in session that they would have to pass special rent control statutes if they want to maintain rent ceilings.

The Senate banking committee which will write rent legislation is presently divided 3 to 2 along party lines in favor of a flat increase in rents. The subcommittee would continue controls for a period yet to be determined.

Wherry said his contemplated bill would permit states to take over rent control before April 30, providing their legislatures enacted enabling legislation.

And, he added, while Congress might vote to end OPA this spring it could enact a special rent statute "if they still want federal rent control."

### Annual Revival Scheduled To Begin March 23

Rev. D. C. Ham stated today that the First Baptist Church will hold its annual revival meeting beginning March 23 and continuing through March 30 in accordance with plans made recently at a meeting at the First Baptist Church in Dallas. At that time, Dr. C. E. Matthews, formerly of the Travis Avenue Baptist Church of Fort Worth and now superintendent of evangelism for the Southern Baptist Convention, assisted by Dr. Charles E. Fuller of radio's "Old Fashioned Revival Hour," Dr. R. G. Lee of Memphis, Tennessee, and others, laid plans for simultaneous revival meetings throughout the South.

A meeting of the Cisco Association, of which Rev. Ham is organizer for the plan it was agreed that all churches of the Association would hold revival meetings from March 23 through 30.

Further details of the revival will be announced through the columns of this newspaper at a later date.

### Two Games To Be Played Tonight

Two basketball games have been scheduled for tonight at 7:00 o'clock at the Recreation building.

The Ranger A and B teams will play the Morton Valley teams. The Ranger B team is being coached by Coach Onis Warden. The games will begin promptly at 7:00 o'clock and the public is invited to attend.

Douglas Completes Its New Skystreak  
By United Press  
EL SEGUNDO, Cal.—Douglas Aircraft Co. today announced completion of its D-558 Skystreak, a "supersonic test tube" designed for speeds between 550 and 850 miles an hour.

### Oil Problems Discussed



Robert Cordova of Mexico, left, discussed oil production problems with J. D. Zellerbach of the Zellerbach Paper Co., of Los Angeles. Representatives from eleven major oil nations attended the petroleum industry conference of the International Labor Organizations in Los Angeles. (NEA Telephoto).

### C. E. May, Co. To Handle Auto License Sales

Each year as a courtesy to the people of Ranger, the C. E. May Insurance Company, handles the sales of automobile licenses in Ranger, as a branch of the county service, and this year will continue that courteous service.

It was explained today that the office has not received receipt books for the sale of the licenses and sales will be delayed until the books arrive.

The county itself has not yet received the receipt books, and will forward same to the C. E. May office as soon as they are received. It was stated that some of the smaller counties have not received the receipts but the larger counties have been supplied and are now handling the sales.

### Collision Kills Three

KINGSBURG, Cal. (UP)—Fire-blackened cars of the Southern Pacific's proud orange and red streamliner "San Joaquin Daylight" were hauled today from the scene of a collision with an oil-laden truck which caused three deaths and injuries to 65 other persons.

### TRUMAN TRIES TO STOP GOP TARIFF CUTS

WASHINGTON—President Truman today sought to quell an incipient GOP revolt against tariff cutting. He appealed to Congress for "genuinely bipartisan support" of the administration's foreign trade program.

In his first annual report to Congress on U. S. participation in the United Nations, Mr. Truman called for the same bipartisan support of the country's foreign trade policies that has been given its international political program.

The report coincided with increasingly vocal Republican opposition to the administration's reciprocal trade program. Legislation has been introduced calling for postponement of the forthcoming tariff-reduction negotiations with 17 other countries at Geneva.

### COAST GUARD SENDS OWN SOS OUT AS RANKS THIN

NEW YORK (UP)—By grim paradox, the United States Coast Guard, protector of lives and property since the nation's shore lines since 1790, is sending out an SOS of its own today.

Two words—manpower shortage—tell the story.

Confronted with the most demanding peace-time program in its history, the nation's oldest seagoing service finds itself in the predicament of the proverbial one-armed paperhanger. It simply does not have enough hands for the job. Large-scale losses through "hitch" expirations and retirements in the next few months threaten to bring the situation to crisis proportions.

Coast Guard recruiting stations therefore are beating the tom-toms vigorously to mark the start of a determined campaign to fill the ranks.

Lack of personnel has become so acute, according to Comdr. K. O. A. Zittel, recruiting chief in this area, that some vessels and shore units in virtually every one of the service's fourteen districts have been regulated to inactive status.

Coastal air-sea rescue resources, responsible annually for the saving of many lives and millions of dollars worth of property, have

### GIVES WARNING ON TEACHER SHORTAGE

Termining the public schools and public supported institutions of learning, the vital concern and number one interest of the people of this country, particularly Texas, C. H. Spence of the equalization department of Texas State Department of Education, told the Ranger Rotary Club at noon today that school rooms in Texas are faced with being closed unless something is done about the teacher shortage.

Spence, here to assist in working out a teacher pay program for the Ranger schools, stated that the situation is alarming and blamed the teacher shortage on the poor pay, the fact that the profession is belittled generally and the fact that we do not have sufficient and efficient teacher training schools.

"Today," he said, "a large percentage of the teachers in Texas are teaching on emergency certificates which are good for four months and which have been issued only because of the emergencies of the past few years. These teachers cannot be paid when the certificates expire and that means more shortages in teachers," he said.

Spence told the Rotarians and guests that Ranger teachers are in a position to get less pay than rural teachers and expressed astonishment at the low school tax rate in Ranger.

Spence was introduced by O. G. Lanier who was in charge of the program and who concurred in the statements made by Spence about the financial condition of the Ranger schools.

Dr. C. L. Jackson, president of the Rotary club presided at the meeting and introduced W. F. Creager who in turn introduced the guests who were, A. E. Crawley and T. J. Anderson, both members of the Ranger school board; Randall Simpson, superintendent of Strawn schools, William C. Hicks of Orange, W. P. Jones of Eastland, county superintendent of schools and Mrs. John Ducker.

Dr. A. W. Brazda read a telegram appealing to the club to give financial support to a memorial to Paul C. Harris, founder of Rotary International, and started the donation by his own contribution.

Morris Newnam was presented a gift for his infant son and in response stated that he would wait until the boy arrived in Ranger from Houston and let the young man do his own thinking.

### Pfc. Bobby Eakin End Course In 'Chute Training

WITH THE EIGHTH ARMY IN MURORAN, JAPAN (Delayed)—Private First Class Bobby R. Eakin, 18, assigned to the 152nd Airborne Antiaircraft Battalion, has recently graduated from the rigid parachute training at the 11th Airborne Division Training Center in Sendai, Honshu. One phase of training requires that the student makes five jumps from a plane in flight.

He qualified on 6 January 1947 and wears the wings and boots—the parachutists insignia. Private Eakin is assigned to the Information and Education Group. He will teach in a Literacy School.

Private Eakin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eakin of 1121 Spring Road, Ranger, Texas.

### BOBBY COLLIE, 17, GIVEN LICENSE AS METHODIST MINISTER

Robert Morris (Bobby) Collie, 17, son of Representative and Mrs. Turner Collie, was presented his official license as a Methodist minister Sunday night at the Methodist church conducted by Rev. W. H. Cole, District Superintendent.

Young Collie, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Collie, is an outstanding church worker and studies in school. He is a senior in Eastland high school and will finish in May. He plans to enter S. M. U. or T. W. C.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:
D. C. Arterburn to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
N. B. Busin to Ray Lewis, release of lien.
T. J. Bettes Company to RFC Mtg. Company, transfer of deed of trust.
Mabel Pailey to Byron Paul, release of lien.
Jack Blackwell to Thelbert D. Jones, warranty deed.
T. A. Bullock to Bob Fields, warranty deed.
T. J. Bettes Company to National Life and Accident Insurance Co., transfer of deed of trust.
George W. Brock to C. J. Collins, warranty deed.
H. G. Bailay to George W. Brock, warranty deed.
George A. Brogdon to Lucy Brogdon, quit claim deed.
Lucy Brogdon to Marshall Storey, warranty deed.
Lucy Brogdon to Marshall Storey, quit claim deed.
A. E. Boshers to B. H. Yeager, warranty deed.
A. A. Bowen to Linden A. Williams, warranty deed.
Earl Bender to R. L. Perkins, warranty deed.
S. W. Bobo to E. H. Bobo, warranty deed.
Charles Bobo to E. H. Bobo, release of vendor's lien.
J. C. Carothers to Clara C. Wingate, warranty deed.
City of Cisco to Roy Lee Garrett, warranty deed.
J. R. Curtis Estate to Byron Paul, release.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Elmer Donham, release of vendor's lien.
Cities Service Oil Company to Lone Star Gas Company, agreement.
City of Cisco to Thomas H. Lee, special warranty deed.
City of Cisco to G. C. Allen, deed.
Mrs. J. C. Caraway to Thomas J. Leeper, warranty deed.
N. M. Clark to John Stevens, warranty deed.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to W. H. Limbocker, release of vendor's lien.
Commercial State Bank, Ranger to C. R. Helms, release of vendor's lien.
City of Ranger to Hubert H. Capps, quit claim deed.
C. A. Crowover to Hubert H. Capps, warranty deed.
J. B. Colt Company to L. B. Edwards, release.
Elmer Donham to W. H. Lee, warranty deed.
J. W. Donowho to C. A. Robinson, warranty deed.
Mrs. M. B. Dunn to John H. Dunn, ce divorce judgement.
Mrs. M. B. Dunn v. John H. Dunn, ce partition property.
Mrs. Ralph Bean to First Federal S&L Assn., assignment of deed of trust.
J. D. Fox to William L. Garner, warranty deed.
Sig Faircloth to Jim Young, release of judgement.
T. L. Fagg to Effie Barber, warranty deed.
J. C. Fryman to Capitol Company, assignment of oil and gas lease.
(Two other similar instruments)
Federal Land Bank, Houston to R. O. Speagle, release of deed of trust.
T. O. Frasier to W. L. Andrus, deed of trust.
First National Bank, Cisco, to John G. Funn, release of deed of trust.
First Federal S&L Assn., to A. G. Koenig, release of deed of trust.
First Federal S&L Assn., to A. A. Bowen, release of deed of trust.
Roy M. Gallagher to Evan Mitchell, warranty deed.
Ada Gordon to E. F. Arterburn, warranty deed.
A. L. Gatis to G. B. Gattis, warranty deed.
Samuel Greer to Adren W. Bryant, warranty deed.
R. E. Granham to E. K. Winge, deed of trust.
C. M. Gunnels to E. B. Creech, warranty deed.
Verbil Goswick to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
Cordie Guthrie to Mrs. W. C. Guthrie, warranty deed.
J. T. Graves to C. J. Biles, warranty deed.
M. A. Hazard to T. E. Pope, transfer of vendor's lien.
H. J. Hondnett to Hondnett Grove Baptist Church, warranty deed.
Albert Hill to Elbert Hill, release of vendor's lien.
Roy V. Hamilton to J. C. Hamer, warranty deed.
C. L. Harris to H. H. Lee, warranty deed.
J. B. Hart to A. E. (Gus) Hart, release of vendor's lien.
Grace Hamilton to J. K. Dorris, warranty deed.
Bill Hartly to E. L. Cox, warranty deed.
Thomas L. Hamilton to J. E. Snider, warranty deed.
H. F. Henington to Franklin Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.
S. A. Higgins to W. E. Hallenbeck, warranty deed.
C. R. Helms to Vergil Goswick, warranty deed.
Higginbotham Bartlet Company to R. L. Perkins, quit claim deed.
Ora B. Jones to Thelbert D. Jones, warranty deed.
W. H. Jackson to W. H. Mitchell, warranty deed.
Bessie Lee Jones to John M. Leveridge, warranty deed.
Floyd J. Kirby to A. Nemir, warranty deed.
T. B. Knox to Mercantile National Bank, Dallas, extension agreement.
W. H. Lee to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
Joe Lohman to Leo Lewis, warranty deed.
W. R. Laird, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship.
J. H. Latson to H. M. Latson, release of deed of trust.
W. H. Limbocker to C. R. Helms, warranty deed.
May Leveridge to J. M. Leveridge, warranty deed.
Lillian Mullings, to O. L. Seal, mineral deed.
R. C. Mehaffey to Neal H. Foss, warranty deed.
Mrs. R. L. Murphy to Opal Ruth Harrison, warranty deed.
N. A. Moore to Woodley Petroleum Company, mineral deed.
A. L. Maynew to C. L. Harris, release of vendor's lien.
Alma Hart Maynew to A. E. (Gus) Hart, release of vendor's lien.
J. W. Mings to Capitol Company, agreement.
J. W. Mings to Capitol Company, oil and gas lease.
H. F. Massmann to Clarence G. Stroebel, warranty deed.
E. C. Moorman to Elvey L. Taylor, warranty deed.
Virgil M. Murphy to J. E. Lewis, warranty deed.
N. A. Moore to J. H. Dunn, release of oil and gas lease.
A. S. McCarty to G. H. Horne, lease contract.
W. L. McDonald to Frank Crowell, MML contract.
W. L. McDonald to Southland Life Insurance Company, deed of trust.
J. R. McKinney to W. B. Rainbolt, warranty deed.
Sarah N. McKinney to C. S. Surles, warranty deed.
W. J. Phillips to M. D. Dean, MML.
Byron Paul to Hershel T. Kent, warranty deed.
J. H. Praytor to A. L. Mayhew, release of vendor's lien.
John C. Penn to J. M. Parker, warranty deed.
R. D. Paterson to W. H. Limbocker, warranty deed.
Mason Peo to First Federal S&L Assn., deed of trust.
Robert W. Russell to T. L. Brown, release of oil and gas lease.
H. L. Ratliff to O. P. Sampson, warranty deed.
Alvis E. Rodgers to J. H. Wheeler, warranty deed.
Ranger Bakery to The Public, assumed name.
Sheriff Eastland County to Ray Faircloth, sheriff's deed.
Sheriff Eastland County to Mrs. M. P. Herring, sheriff's deed.
Sheriff Eastland County to Erosks P. Herring, sheriff's deed.
Alice H. Snider to P. C. Frasier, warranty deed.
Lena Stubblefield to Robert E. Speer, warranty deed.
C. P. Sampson to H. L. Ratliff, deed of trust.
Alice H. Snider to The Public, affidavit.
C. S. Surles to F. W. Stroebel, warranty deed.
Marshall Storey to W. S. Wagley, deed of trust.
C. S. Surles to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of lien.
Katie Mart Thompson to A. E. (Gus) Hart, release of vendor's lien.
Wayne B. Tyson to T. J. Hardin, warranty deed.
Helen E. Thompson to Lee Mitchell, release of vendor's lien.
Gerald Turner to Edna Turner, quit claim deed.
Edna Thornburgh to D. C. Arterburn, warranty deed.
Amanda J. Tidwell to J. H. Tidwell, release of vendor's lien.
U. S. v. Martin Van Ticker, discharge of tax lien.
U. S. v. W. L. McDonald, release of judgement.
U. S. v. Frank E. Sage, discharge of tax lien.
Alton Wesley Walker to The Public, ce order.
C. M. Wellborn to Ada Gordon, bill of sale.
E. K. Winge to R. E. Granham, warranty deed.
Hall Walker to The Public, proof of heirship.
W. H. White to Southland Life Insurance Co., transfer of lien.
Ruby C. Williams to Rutherford & Steel Co., MML.
D. J. Wolfenbaugh to M. A. Porter, warranty deed.
W. S. Wagley to National Life and Accident Insurance Company, assignment of deed of trust.
Linden A. Williams to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, deed of trust.
Hall Walker, Jr., to Roy L. Gray, release of vendor's lien.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
The following couples were licensed to wed last week:
John E. Sutton to Ethel Irene Capers, Gorman.
Arle C. Hennessee to Doris Jean George, Eastland.
Ray Ott to Jacqueline Naritta, Mings.
Billie Mack Meroney to Mary Gene McMillin, Eastland.
PROBATE
J. C. Brock, deceased, application for temporary administration.

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Penn State Has Record Enrollment

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. (UP) — The unprecedented growth of Pennsylvania state College in 1946 has boosted it to the tenth largest institution of higher learning in the country.
The present registration of 10,528 students represents a growth of 83 per cent in 15 years, college officials reported.
There are 7,064 students on the main campus, 1,000 more than the previous on-campus record enrollment.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Claudia Pullman v. James Pullman, judgement.

CIVIL

J. W. Akers v. Ray Grimes, damages.

SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:
John W. Smith v. Lillie Pearl Smith, divorce.
Estel Carl Franklin v. Doris Ann Franklin, divorce.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS

The following orders and judgements were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:
Thelma Keesee, individually and as next friend of Dale Eugene Keesee v. Loy Brown & G. D. Studdard, final judgement.

Mr. Smart

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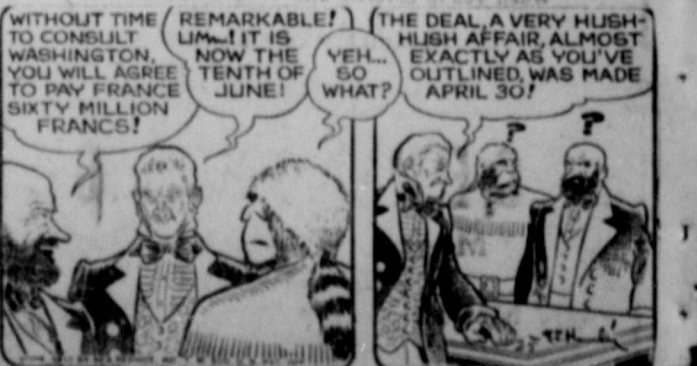
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## NEWS FROM FLATWOOD

FLATWOOD, Feb. 4—Mr. and  
 Mrs. L. I. Hartman of Dallas  
 were week-end visitors of her  
 mother, Mrs. Laura Murrell.

Mrs. Zephyr Clark visited Mrs.  
 Mary Sanford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ray Lyrela,  
 who have been visiting his par-  
 ents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lyrela,  
 the past week, returned to their  
 home in Merencia, Arizona, Sun-  
 day.

Mrs. Minnie Foster was shop-  
 ping in Breckenridge Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark were  
 shopping in Abilene Wednesday.

Little Miss Kay Groseclose of  
 Eastland spent the week-end with  
 Miss Madeline Justice.

Steele Turner, who has been ill,  
 is still improving.

Mrs. H. E. Wilson is on the sick  
 list.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson vis-  
 ited their daughter-in-law, Mrs.  
 Woody Wilson of Eastland  
 who is recovering from pneumon-  
 ia.

Cy Dug Justice spent the week-  
 end with Edward Aaron of East-  
 land.

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Miss Vida Mae Maples of Fort  
 Worth spent the week end with  
 her mother, Mrs. Noel Simmons.

Mrs. Bessie Bennett of Staff  
 spent Thursday afternoon with  
 Mrs. Zephyr Clark.

Madeline Justice visited Linda  
 Barnett of Carbon, Tuesday  
 night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark, Gene  
 and Jane and Mrs. Zephyr Clark  
 attended the Stamps Quartet sing-  
 ing at Carbon, Friday.

Pete Foster spent the week end  
 with his mother and left for Dal-  
 las, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jordan at-  
 tended singing at the Church of  
 Christ in Eastland, Sunday af-  
 ternoon.

## 200-YEAR-OLD HOUSE REVERTS TO HARVARD

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (UP)—  
 A 200-year-old house which served  
 as the home of the surgeon for  
 George Washington's Continen-  
 tal army has been returned to  
 Harvard University after nearly  
 140 years.

The two and one-half story  
 frame dwelling was conveyed to  
 the university by deed of gift  
 from its present owners, Mrs.  
 Mary T. Sampson and Mrs. Mar-  
 garet T. Lancaster.

Harvard originally bought the  
 property as a residence for Dr.  
 Benjamin Waterhouse, the uni-  
 versity's first professor of medi-  
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## Repays Debt To Dog



Twenty one year old Sonny  
 Wells, gets an affectionate  
 kiss from the old hound dog  
 he rescued from the face of  
 Stone Mountain, Georgia,  
 Monday. Sonny, who was  
 once saved from drowning  
 by "an old hound dog", al-  
 most lost his life repaying  
 the debt when he slipped on  
 the smooth surface of the  
 mountain. (NEA Telephoto)

## Bevin Signs Treaties \$100,000,000 Ad Program Planned



Ernest Bevin, Britain's For-  
 eign Minister, signed peace  
 treaties with Italy, Hungary,  
 Bulgaria, Rumania and Po-  
 land at the Foreign Office in  
 London on Tuesday, Febru-  
 ary 4. (NEA Radio - Tele-  
 photo).

NEW YORK (UP)—Ameri-  
 can business will spend \$100,000,  
 000 on public service advertising  
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## Society-Clubs

### Mrs. Cunningham Celebrates 79th Birthday Sunday

Mrs. Mary L. Cunningham of Route 2, Ranger, wife of the late L. P. Cunningham, was celebrated Sunday, February 2, with a surprise birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beard. Mrs. Cunningham was 79 years old February 3.

During the day a total of 72 friends called to congratulate Mrs. Cunningham, with 56 present for dinner and 16 calling in the afternoon.

Dinner was served to the following: C. E. Dupree and Virginia; Mrs. Mary J. Wheat, Lee, Johnnie, Royce, Patay Ann, Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shepherd, Derald Gene, Barbara Ann and Vickie; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wheat, Sandra and Dale Jr.; Benn Cunningham; Tom Cunningham; Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cunningham and Weldon; Ora Curry, of Olden; Mrs. Amy Brown; R. C. Stuard and Truman; Mrs. D. C. Stuard, of Breckenridge; Johnnie Stuard, Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. George Miller; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hames and Gary; Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller and Winifred; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Baker; Mrs. Mary Frasier; Gene McCree; Mrs. W. O. Shortie, Marlene and Shirley; Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson; Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Partin and George of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bearden, W. H., Frankler, Tall and Jack; and Mrs. Cunningham.

Those who called in the afternoon were: Mrs. Charles Isbell, Mrs. O. C. Bowen, Jackie Bowen, Mrs. W. K. Seymour, Elizabeth Seymour, Robert Seymour, Mrs. N. P. Hames, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mayhall, Jewel, and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Mayhall, Herman Bearden, Mrs. Ola Frasier and Jimmy.

sion from Ranger were Mrs. Lee Mitchell, Mrs. T. C. Jordan, Mrs. J. W. McKinney and Linda Kay McKinney.

### Cossack Chorus Coming Feb. 14

The General Platoff Don Cossack Chorus, of 27 members will appear in Eastland at the Eastland High School auditorium at 8:15 o'clock on the night of Friday, February 14. The concert is one of the series being sponsored by the Eastland County Community Concert Association. Admission will be by membership only.

The reputation of this band of Russian singers, who are sometimes picturesquely known as "the singing horsemen of the steppes", has preceded them wherever they have traveled—and they have traveled far in their peregrinations. In the years since their organization in 1926 they have given 4,500 concerts throughout the world.

Under the leadership of their brilliant director Nicholas Kostukoff, the Chorus has built up a repertoire that covers the field of Russian song—the beautiful Orthodox Church, the exquisite haunting folk-melodies, to which they add the wild Cossack songs with their exciting mixtures of interspersed shouts and whistling.

Finally, there is the thrill of the dances—of the Caucasian Lesinka the popular Kozatchok, in which the members of the Chorus take part, and which brings the performance to a thrilling close.

The perfectly matched solo voices in the Chorus cover the range from high soprano to the lowest bass, while the chorus itself is capable of producing the most stunning massed tone that roars forth in booming sonority at times—at other, subsides to a whisper of inconceivable loveliness. In fact, the chorus is like a mighty organ, their leader the organist, who controls the voices as the organist does the organ stops before him.

### Ranger Group At Eastland Meet

Mrs. T. C. Jordan, Mrs. L. L. Bruce and Mrs. Lee Mitchell attended the W.M.E. School of Instruction at the First Baptist Church, Eastland Monday, February 3rd.

The meeting opened with the Association president Mrs. Carroll Loudder of Moran presiding. Mrs. R. L. Brown, wife of Rev. R. L. Brown, pastor of the College Station Baptist Church was the teacher for both the morning and afternoon sessions. At noon a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by over 100 ladies from over the Cisco Association.

At 7:30 the Young People's meeting was opened with Mrs. George W. Thomas, Associational Young Peoples Leader presiding over the program. The devotional was brought by a G. A. girl from Breckenridge, special music by the girls trio of the First Baptist Church, Ranger, composed of Jacqueline Edwards, Peggy Robinson, Frances Bankston and Caroline Robinson as accompanist and a very fine demonstration of the Sunbeam work by the Sunbeam Band of the First Baptist Church, Eastland. Mrs. Brown spoke of the Baptist Missionary work in Cuba after which she showed moving pictures taken by her husband and herself in Texas, New Mexico, Florida and Cuba.

Those attending the night ses-

### An Eye For Sale



George T. Cooper, Jr., who wants to sell one of his eyes for money to make a down payment on a home in which to raise his son, muses over house plans. Mr. Cooper, who makes approximately \$29 a week, lives with his wife, son and father in three rooms in Ft. Worth, Texas. Says Mr. Cooper, "I will sell one of my eyes now or both when I die for a down payment on a place here in town so I can have a half way chance to bring up my son like he should be brought up." (NEA Telephoto).

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Badford, Mrs. Roy Wilkes, Mrs. Beulah Evans, and Edd Chrisman, all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkes of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith, Mrs. LeRoy Smith and children, Stanley and Rena,

One ancient form of pipe smoking was to insert two horns of a Y-shaped pipe into the nostrils and inhale the smoke directly through the nose.

### Vets Find Pre-Fab Houses Are Poor Shelter In Winter

NORMAN, Okla. (UP) — Those pre-fabricated houses aren't what they're cracked up to be—at least not when they're set up in country where sub-freezing weather comes in the winter.

That's what ex-GIs who occupy them while attending the University of Oklahoma here found out during the recent cold wave.

"Of course," says one young law student, "they're a lot better than the foxholes I occupied in Belgium a couple of years ago."

The pre-fabricated homes have proved to be so cold that ice formed on the inside walls and the gas heaters were inadequate.

For the first time since 1942, the United States, during the first quarter of 1947, will import more furs and oils than it exports.

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### COACH RESIGNS

CLEBURNE, Tex. (UP) — Truett Rattan will resign his post as assistant football and athletics coach at Cleburne High School Feb. 21 to become head coach at Levelland High School.

### Ranger Girl Made Sorority Reporter

(Special to Ranger Daily Times) DENTON, Tex. — Betty Wilson daughter of Alvin L. Wilson, 616 Young, has been elected reporter for the Phi Sigma Alpha sorority at North Texas State College for the spring semester. Miss Wilson is a senior student in business administration.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kribbs and daughter, Barbara Jean, of Dallas were the week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mitchell and Mr. F. P. Kribbs. Mr. Kribbs is assistant probation officer of the juvenile department of Dallas.

Miss Mildred Hill had as her guests Monday, Mr. J. L. Green, Mrs. Raymond Mungler and daughter, Mrs. James Culpepper and her daughter, all of Amarillo.

In July, 1776, the same month and year of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, Father Escalante, a noted Spanish missionary, was the second white man to visit the territory of Utah.

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### Mrs. Wilkes Is Honored Sunday

Mrs. A. R. Huffman entertained Sunday, February 2, with a birthday dinner complimenting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Wilkes, on her 76th birthday.

For the first time in ten years all of Mrs. Wilkes children were home including four grandsons who were in the service during the war, LeRoy Smith and Lloyd Huffman of Ranger, and George G. and Kenneth Wilkes of Fort Worth.

Others present for the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones.

### WHEEL-CHAIR BUS



Walter Ellsworth, patient at McGuire Veterans Administration Hospital, Richmond, Va., adjusts a safety bar holding his wheel chair in place preparatory to a ride in the new, specially equipped bus recently obtained for transporting wheel-chair patients.

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