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'Yeh, The Last Tenant Sorta Left Things In A Mess'



#### Frigid Weather **Dampens Nation**

chilled and dampened a wide section of the country Wednesday. ali the way South into Brownsville, Texas. Temperatures were below zero in many areas in parts of the

Midwest—as low as 31 below in Wisconsin-New England and Upper New York State. Freezing rain and sleet fell in broad zone extending into Central Texas and through Southern Arkansas, Northern Louisiana, Tennessee and parts of Virginia.

Snow covered many cities in the South, with more than four inches at Monticello, Ark., and two inche at Memphis.

#### Republicans Iron Out Leadership Troubles

election leadership troubles all but lames. dissolved in an air of apparent har-

With Rep. Clarence J. Brown of Chio formally out of the race, the way was cleared for the election of Rep. Charles A. Halleck of Indi-

Brown did not, however, formal-

ly endorse Halleck. Senate Republicans ironed out their leadership difficulties before Brown pulled out of the House race. They got together on a slate designating Senator Taft of Ohio as Steering Committee chairman, Senator Vandenburg of Michigan as president pro tem, and Senator

#### Death Of Radio Officer Brings TWA Toll To 13

LIMERICK, EIRE —(P)— Dudley Hill, 34, radio officer of the crashed Trans World Airlines Constellation Star of Cairo," died Wednesday bringing to 13 the death toll in last Saturday's crash near Shannon Air-

The Constellation's pilot, Capt. Herbert Tansey, of Falls Church, Va., was reported in a critical con-

#### Goose That Lays Golden Transfers

ST. LOUIS (P)—A portly wom-an was indignant when a standing passenger on a crowded street-car suggested that she remove to her lap a large goose riding in the seat beside her "so I can sit down." "That goose stays right there, she retorted. "I paid a dime fo it to ride -see, I got two transfers.

#### Sixth Child Born After Mother Saves Five Others From Fire

s a New Year's Day hangovermilled and dampened a wide secon of the country Wednesday.
The frigid belt extended from the
lains States to the Atlantic Sealains States to the Atlantic Sealains States to the Atlantic Sea
Clinic Hospital.

Brice Campbell, Abilene, president of the state still foretold a hazardous and his mother, Mrs. Joyce Cumbighway near here early Tuesday and his mother, Mrs. Joyce Cumbighway near here early Tuesda

Idalou, have taken their family to stay with relatives in a two-room at Corpus Christi where a mini-

started a fund-raising campaign Plains underwent sub-20 for relief of the family. Stove Overturns

The story began when Mrs. Roye sent her husband to Idalou for the doctor. After he left, she lit an oil stove in the kitchen. The stove somehow overturned and the fire

Mrs. Rove sent her oldest child Elaine, 11, to find her father and help, put her 14-months-old baby WASHINGTON —(P)— Congressional Republicans greeted the New Year Wednesday with their post-

> Rove, who had gone to a brother's house a quarter mile away, reurned with his brother, left him there and started again for the

Mrs. Roye and her children were ana as GOP floor leader of the taken to the brother's house where she gave birth to an eight-pound planes in raiding stills:

#### Weather

Cloudy, slowly rising temperatures the raiders. Wednesday night and Thursday Light snow or sleet except in Pan-Wednesday night. Lowest temper- because, he explained to the offi-White of Maine as majority floor atures expected, 22-26 in Panhan- cers, "I just can't figure out how dle and South Plains, 28-32 else- you fellows got out of that airwhere in West Texas Wednesday plane. If you can work a trick degrees Wednesday morning.

### Warmer Weather Promised Texans

By The Associated Press By The Associated Press
ather as rough and unwelcome
New Year's Day hangover

began falling again Tuesday night Midland Wednesday. The 33-year-old mother and her husband, 34, a tenant farmer near bus schedules were disrupted.

Palm trees were covered with ice house where the two families make mum of 30 degrees was recorded. Sleet and freezing rain coated the Residents of nearby towns have Houston area. The entire South weather Tuesday night.

#### Five Are Killed In Crash Of Airliner

CHARLESTON, S. C .- (AP)-Three men and two women were killed when a DC-3 plane, bound from Newark, N. J., to Miami, Fla., crashed near here Tuesday night. Charleston police said all five persons on the plane, a freighter, were burned almost beyond recog-

#### Flying Revenooers Baffle Moonshiners

LEXINGTON, S. C. -(AP)-The state constabulary is using air-

The planes are used to buzz the suspected still location as officers raid from the ground, so the motor noise will cover up the crackle of dried leaves under the feet of

It works, too. Surprised this way, one nandle and South Plains ending proprietor gave up without a fight Minimum temperature 19 like that, there ain't no use in my

LITTLE ROCK, ARK. — (AP) The chief of Little Rock detectives and his lieutenant were found tion since 6 p. m. Tuesday. Both shot to death Wednesday in a suburban park area. were in New York, one resulting shot to death Wednesday in a suburban park area.

runnin' away.

SHANGHAI - (AP) - Several Americans, including an Army lieutenant and an Associated Press photographer, were molested in a particularly vehement anti-American demonstration by 1,-000 Chinese university students Wednesday.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Policy-makina Senate Republicans, committed to try to oust Democratic ed to close properly. Senator Theodore G. Bilbo of Mississippi, turned getting the engines back on the Wednesday to the problem of how to do it.

## Wildcat Test In

To Drill Ahead By JAMES C. WATSON

Practically all Midland oil offices were closed Wednesday for the New Year holiday. The snow and cold dition of highways and roads held field activity to the minimum. The most interesting wildcat in the Permian Basin, as 1947 opened was Olsen Drilling Company and Skelly Cil Company No. 1-A Lock-hart & Brown, about 12 miles west

C-W Andrews Is

of Andrews, in Central-West Andrews County. That prospector was preparing to drill ahead Wednesday, after a drillstem test had been taken at 9,578-9,620 feet in the top of the

the start, which gradually dimin-

Recovery was the 1,470-foot water blanket, plus 300 feet of drilling mud, with slight shows of oil and

A test on the section at 9,511-80 of oil and gas cut drilling mud during one hour.

et, on an elevation of 3,260 feet. The encouraging fact about the hows developed in this exploration ilities of production in the top of he Devonian. It is not an oil well according to informed observers who are familiar with the Devonian in West Texas. It is located 1,980 feet from south and west lines.
of section 21, block A-41, psl sur-

#### Snowstorm Baby And Mother Are Reported "Well"

Plains States to the Atlantic Sea- home in 18-degree weather early board and into New England and Monday, was "doing fine" Wednes- South as Del Rio Tuesday morning at the Western Clinic Hospital in

The baby and mother had been brought here by ambulance from the stalled car where the infant was born without benefit of a doctor or nurses.

Midland relief and welfare associations came to the rescue of the Cummings family, stranded here by the birth of the child. The American Red Cross, Midland Chapter, Salvation Army and Midland County provided food and lodging for the family of ten.

#### Senator Winfield Hurt In Icy Fall

EL PASO-Senator H. L. Winfield of Fort Stockton suffered painfully bruised arm and shoulder here Tuesday when he slipped and fell on an icy sidewalk. He is in El Paso to attend the Sun Carnival. An attending physician said he did not think Senator Winfield's arm was broken, but stated he had suffered painful concussions of the arm and shoulder.

#### Traffic Accidents Take Lives Of 12 Over Nation

By The Associated Press Motorists apparently drove with caution over icy highways and streets on New Year's Eve. a survey across the country Wednesday showing only 12 persons killed in traffic accidents during the night and early morning hours

The National Safety Council estinated that 130 persons would be killed in traffic accidents on Nev Year's Eve and on New Year's Day The council said that the final toll, ncluding persons injured during the period but who die later, would be far in excess of that number.

There were two violent deaths from a fire and the second in a

#### TWO SWITCH ENGINES ARE DERAILED HERE

Two switch engines were derailed in the Texas and Pacific Railroad yard in Midland early Wednesday by ice-clogged switches which fail-

rails, using special equipment.

#### "Kilroy Was Here" Fell In The Snow

A Midland snow story-"Kilroy was here".

The snow was gleaming white in downtown Midlald. Along

came a man and fell "wham".

Where he fell in front of the
Ritz Theater, he left the prints of anatomy in the snow. He went on to work.

Later a wag came along and wrote in the snow by the im-"Kilroy was here, and fell!"

### Texas Holiday Death Toll Is 95

Despite New Year's Eve gaiety and icy pavements, There was a fair blow of air at few traffic accidents in

> warnings to move with caution new lower rates will go into effect over the slippery roads. The toll of July violent deaths in the state during 2. the holiday season which began December 20 stood at 95 when the New Year came-in.

Only one death directly attribu-Tuesday. sixty-second claimed by traffic accidents during the holidays.

man, was burned to death at her Tyler home in a kerosene explosion,

Charles E. Sims, 16, Dallas, was acted before then, hot fatally in Dallas Tuesday

#### Van Horn Man Sustains Broken Leg In Fall

#### Republicans Wait Truman Move On Cast-Off Powers

Snow Blankets Midland Territory On New Year's Day

WASHINGTON — (A) — Republicans kept their law books handy Wednesday while awaiting word from President Truman on which cast-off war powers he wants back and which additional ones he is

Ghief Executive's surprise action in declaring World War II hostilities at an end, GOP lawmakers made clear they want a quick and full-scale review of the almost 500 em-ergency controls still in effect. Most Congress members said they hoped the President would go into detail in his State of the Union message scheduled for Monday.

Factors Dictating Move

Two factors appeared to the Union message scheduled for Monday.

Truman's timing:
1. By acting when he did, Tru-Texas were reported Tues- man made the sharp excise tax cuts day.

Motorists apparently heeded the called for correspond with the government's fiscal year. Thus the

> longer, the government's vast agricultural price support program would have been carried through T. Specer described Tuesday as the ing. three more full years. It now will expire December 31, 1948. recall. Night clubs and hotel ball-

an immediate end to the government's power to seize strike-threatened industrial facilities and mark-ed the whole Smith-Connally War June 30, the general view on Capitol Hill appeared to be that new

#### Gravel Bowl Game Postponed

packed and ice and snow cover the work off some by late summer. Ranchers Are Happy

## Moisture Is Welcomed By Ranchers Despite Sub-Freezing Weather

Welcome To 1947

rooms reported grood crowds de-

spite the cold weather.

Worth-held the spotlight.

Predictions Heartening

Midland was almost "snowed in" Wednesday as a new year was greeted in sub-freezing weather. A sixinch snow blanket covered the city and its ranch territory. More snow fell Tuesday afternoon and some sifted down during the night. Four inches of snow fell Monday

night. Some snow banks were three feet deep More shoveling of snow from walks occurred Wednesday morning and the roads, streets and highways were

#### · more dangerous because they had frozen. At times, traffic in Midland Tuesday and Wednes-Relatively Quiet day was snarled as cars skidded

on icy paving. Police reported six collisions Tuesday, all caused by the snow and ice.

Reports on highways said: "traf-fic moving, but slowly and at its

Texans settled down to their Highways are slippery and dan-New Year's resolutions and good gerous in all directions. Buses, running a half to an hour luck black-eyed peas Wednesday late, were still arriving from East after extending a relatively quict and West. Drivers said the roads were just as bad as Tuesday, sum-

In Dallas veteran Police Lt. Louis ming it: "Roads slick and slow go-

quietest New Year's Eve he could Trains Are Late The Westbound train into Midland was five hours late due to a freight derailment at Santo, Texas. Most business places and offices The Eastbound into Midland was were closed Wednesday and five 22 minutes late. Snow fell along bowl games-the Cotton at Dallas, the Texas and Pacific from Sierra Oil Bowl at Houston, Alamo Blanca to Dallas.

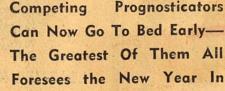
The heaviest snow along the T&P Bowl at San Antonio, Sun Bowl at El Paso and Cattle Bowl at Fort was at Pecos, Abilene and Kent. Texas Highway Department re-ports on highways indicated the The New Year came in with predictions from Texas leaders that going slow and the condition was 1947 would be happy and prospersulting. It was the same to San Midland to Lubbock traffic was

Gov. Coke Stevenson predict- Angelo and to Abilene. ed that business should continue For the second consecutive day good, with some leveling-off prices, Midland awoke in sub-freezing a fractured leg when he slipped on the ice and fell as he was leaving the Scharbauer Hotel early Wednesday.

He was taken to the West Stands of the stadius of the stadius

Price Campbell, Abilene, president Cattle can still find grass and

## I Predict For 1947













Will the men who delve for coal strike in 1947? Hm! Can a duck swim? Further, I predict when the miners do go out, coal piles will And everybody will lose but John L. Lewis.

My operatives reveal Joe Stann is m. rou'd pe, too, myou had to imbibe that vodka. Stalin's name, however, means "steel" (not steal) and he may survive. Anyway, watch Russia-hak-kaff!

Harry Truman, isn't\_it, Rachmaninoff or Frankie Carle! Watch Truman, and mark my word, the Missourian still will be Chief Executive come 1948-if not 1949-Ha!

Sciense is preparing to fire learn in 1947 whether it is the moon or the scientists who are slightly cheesy. In any case, we trust the heavenly body is not composed of limburger



Keep a wary eye on your finances in 1947! Those ominous rumblings in Wall Street may be only a truck passing, but I advise you to eschew get-rich-quick schemes in '47. Don't buy the Brooklyn Bridge!

Speaking scientifically, how far can we go with the atom? Or how far will the atom go with us-meat grinders, pencil sharpeners? I strongly advise my readers refrain from splitting hairs of atoms!

This will be a splendid sports year. After a horse wins the Derby, Detroit and Brooklyn will win the baseball gonfalons, though I'm not predicting this, because bookies look for this kind of tip!



In the realm of art, I predict Mona Lisa and Venus Milo still will rate high, though 1947 will see the advent of more new art based on such themes as "Twilight in the

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At the stroke of midfight Crystal Ballroom.

Tuesday a gong sounded 12 Receiving guests were Mrs. Schar-Aubrey Legg of Guayaquil, Equation boutonniers times and the orchestra bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Crump and dor, South America, Mr. and Mrs. The south room was decorated in

Mrs. Ruth Scharbauer, Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., and
Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Conger, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde
Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Crump.
The open house was held in the
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, Mr. vey Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Harves, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Proctor, William M. Blevins, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Regan, Mr. and Mrs. The ballroom was decorated in Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Conger M. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Conger Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, Mr. vey Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N.

Silladiolas, iris and jonquils.

The ballroom was decorated in Mr. and Mrs. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and bis orchestra of Dellas.

a New Year's Eve open house and dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Were house and dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Were house and dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Were house and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy red silver house and dance given by Mrs. Ben Black, Mrs. Ben Blac Parks, Sr., Dr. and Mrs. V. P. a silver Christmas tree with blue

The two refreshment tables, one in the north and one in the south Sterling City Ranch At the stroke of midnight Hotel followed by dancing in the and Mrs. A. N. Henderson, Mr. and white candles in silver candelabra

mer, Mrs. Essle Stafford, and Miss Mrs. E. G. Welch Has Family Dinner At

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Assisting Mrs. Welch were Mrs. D. D. Garrett and Mrs. Calvin Pate. The three dining tables were cov- chand, and Mary Earl of Water

Members of the family present Paducah; Calvin Pate and Butch

#### Coming Events

tion Club will meet at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. C. A. Barton, Magnolia

ered with a white linen Mexican Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Welch Following the dinner the family Buckie and DeaDanna of Austin; explored the Garrett ranch and the Rev. and Mrs. C. D. McIntire Darlene, Kaye, Bobbie and Steve of

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"Pavilion of Women" by Pearl Buck and "Thieves in the Night" by Arthur Koestler, and a nonfiction, "The Chrysanthemum and the Sword", by Ruth Benedict, which is an intensive study of the Japanese way of life.

#### MIDLAND CHORAL CLUB WILL MEET MONDAY

Mrs. Ben Dansby, director, has announced that the Midland Choral Club will meet January 6 at 8 p. m. in the First Christian Church to resume work after the Christmas

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Was centered with a bridal arrange ment of white chrysanthemums baby's breath, narcissus around a miniature bride and bridegroom and flanked with white candles in silver candelabra.

Mrs. Bob York is a sister of the bride-elect. The Schlosser was district geologist for West Texas with the Phillips Petroleum Company.

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Miss Schlosser, a student in North Texas State College, Denton, and Baltensperger, a student in the University of Nebraska, will be married in June following their graduation.

married in June following their graduation.

Malcolm Brenneman, Midland geologist and automobile dealer, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brenneman, 611 North Pecos Avenue, will leave Thursday for New York City, where they will meet Brenneman's fiancee, Paola Dolfi of Via Otto Vannucci 19, Florence, Yealv.

York, and Robert LaPierrie of Concord, N. H. The three were members of the Mediterranean Allied

Tactical Air Force stationed in Italy.
Accompanying the Brennemans
to Nashville will be Mrs. Ray
Standley. They will stop in Baltimore, Md., to visit Mrs. De Moss.
Also in New York, the Brennemans will visit Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass and returning they will stop at Blacksberg, S. C., to visit Mrs. Sara Daniels, formerly of Mid-

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To Meet Bride-Elect

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and Mrs. Schlosser, a white gar-

Guests Included Guests were Ekinone Schlosser Bob York, Sharon Louise York Barbara York, Bill Dillon, Russell C. Conkling, Loyce Mascho, Belle Mead, James W. Mims, Foster Hedrick, Bob Preston, Jr., Naomi Lancaster, Belva Knight, John Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Bell, Nina Frances Harrell, Buster Cole, Jess Williamson, Wanda Jean Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks, Jr. Margaret Price, Patsy Warren, Johnny G. McMillian, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Goodman, Mrs. Ben W. erson, Alberta Smith, Margaret Mims, Pat McCaskill, Aldredge Es-tes, Jr., Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, Mr.

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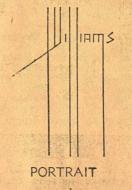
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45.00	crepe	dresses	24.90
49.98	crepe	dresses	26.90
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#### Brother Of Midland Man Will Be Buried In Eola Wednesday

ABILENE-Funeral services were to be held Wednesday afternoon in Eola for Legal S. McCormick, 52, Callahan County rancher, who died

here Tuesday. He was a brother of D. W. Mc-Cormick of Midland.

McCormick was born in Comanche in 1895 and spent his early life in Mills County. He was married to Vesta Wallace, Dec. 10, 1919, and the couple moved to Eola where they lived 18 years. They had lived in Callahan County the last nine

Survivors are the widow; three children, L. S. McCormick, Jr., lof Fort Worth, Bobby and Joyce Mc-Cormick of Oplin; two brothers, D. W. McCormick of Midland, and I. McCormick of Bakersville Calif., and one sister, Mrs. H. H Seal of Seminole.

#### Three New County Officials Take Office

Three new Midland County officials took office Wednesday with no special inaugural ceremonies marking the occasion. Each had made bond and taken the oath ahead of time for positions won in last Supmer's Democratic primaries

and the November election. A d and city judge before he en-4,720-4 the Army in 1942, took over covery as county judge, replacing

shove since Jan. 1, 1933.

Mrs. Minnie Dozier became county treasurer, taking the office held 10 for the Cub Bowl. years by Miss Lois Patterson. John M. King, Jr., assumed duthe Cub Scouts of Groesbeck and ties as commissioner of Precint 2. Kerens will stage their own grid-

won in the 1946 elections, took of-been coaching the teams for the big Tas county clerk after struggle. Mrs. Susie Noble resigned to enter private business. She had been county clerk almost 16 years.

He replaced J. C. Brooks who did iron party Wednesday.

#### Snow-

(Continued from Page 1) and acclaimed its advantage despite the freezing weather. There was no shrinkage of cattle and no

The little acts and quirks of a snow-covered and ice-packed Mid-land still continued to occur. Many cars stalled. Others pushed them. Often cars skidded in downtown areas. City bus service was on schedule. Many citizens fell on

Flights of Continental Air Lines into Midland were expected to be resumed Wednesday afternoon after a Tuesday grounding.

TYLER WILL GET NEW RADIO STATION

WASHINGTON -(A)- Application for a new radio station at Tyler, Texas, has been received, the Communications Commission announced Tuesday.

REPUBLIC IS AT STANDSTILL GALVESTON -(P)- Production at the Republic Oil Co. refinery at Texas City was reported at a standstill Tuesday after 350 workers refused to cross picket lines established by some 35 office workers.

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## SPORTS

### College Football Hails New Year As 19 Bowl Games Close 1946 Season

NEW YORK-(P)-College football hails the New Year Wednesday by ringing down the curtain on the 1946 grid season wiht a record number of 19 bowl games, ranging from the original bowl to five brand-

The main national interest still centers on the Pasadena spectable, where UCLA is a slight favorite over Illinois; the Sugar Bowl, where Georgia is rated over North Carolina; the Orange Bowl, with Rice conceded the edge over Tennessee; the

Cotton Bowl, where Louisiana State Boys at Play ranks Arkansas, and the Shrine East-West game, a tossup any way

The overall bowl picture includes 10 major conference champions or co-champions and seven all-Amer-

Five Bowls in Texas Five games are featured in the Lone Star State. Georgia Tech and St. Mary's meet in the Oil Bowl at Houston, Virginia Tech and Cincinnati are in the Sun Bowl at El Paso. The Alamo at San Antonio has Hardin-Simmons and Denver and a newcomer, the Cattle Bowl at Fort Worth, shows Lane and Arkansas A. M. & N. The Cotton

Bowl holds top honors. Florida likewise presents five bowls. Besides the Orange, there are the 'Gator at Jacksonville, with North Carolina State and Oklahoma; the Tangerine at Orlando with Maryville and Catawba; the Cigar Bowl at Tampa with Delaware and Rollins, and the Flower Bowl, also at Jacksonville, with Delaware State and Florida Nor-

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office Monday.

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Crozier Tech Wins

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Backet Ball Tournament Wednes-

The Dallas team defeated East Mountain 50-31 in the finals here

took consolation honors, downing

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pital in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater

of Operations, filed his Army dis-charge papers in the county clerk's

He was in the armed forces 21 months and was awarded the Asiat-

ic-Pacific Theater Ribbon, the Army of Occupation (Japan) Rib-bon, the Victory Medal, the Good

Lexington, Ky. Both are there. Count the hoofs

Other Starters are the Will Rog- Istrouma High School of Baton Rouge, La., defeated St. James of Other Starters ers at Oklahoma City, where Pepperdine meets Nebraska Wesleyan, grid contest. and the Harbor at San Diego, with

Montana State and New Mexico. Fresno, Calif., has its Raisin Bowl, with San Jose State meeting Utah State. In the Vulcan Bowl at Birmingham, Ma., Tennessee State takes on Louisville Municipal College, while the Richmond Rams collide with the Norfolk Brow Bombers in the Cotton-Tobacco

Bowl at Greensboro, N. C. The bowl program even goes beyond the borders of continental United States and extends to the Pacific, where the University of Hawaii entertains Utah in Honolulu's Pineapple Bowl. Tech 4 William E. Patterson who served with the 364th Station Hos-

### H-SU, Denver Meet

In Alamo Bowl

SAN ANTONIO -(A)-Undefeated Hardin-Simmons and Denver University square away in the Alamo Bowl Wednesday, but sleet and freezing temperatures put a chill Conduct Medal and two overseas on the whole affair.

Shooting for victory No. 11, Cowocy Coach Warren Woodson was Cub Scouts Of Groesbeck and tt H. Barron who had held the showle since Jan 1 1933. To Hold Cub Bowl Game snow and steet for the first time since 1941. His backfield ace and GROESBECK -(AP)- Make way leading ground-gainer this year in rushing, Rudy Mobley, has never Everybody else is having one so performed in such weather.

#### Brother Of Midlander ot seek re-election. Mrs. Lucille Johnson, who also two Scoutmasters, who also have

L. W. McCormick, 52, of Eola, brother of D. W. McCormick of Midland, died in a hospital at Abi-

lene early Tuesday morning. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the first Baptist Church in Eola,

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

### By William Ferguson Cold Rain Falls

On Oil Bowl Scene

By MAX B. SKELTON

ing Gaels tangle here Wednesday in the Third Annual Oil Bowl Clas-

A cold rain that began Monday

night and continued early Wednes-day along with occasional sleet. Temperatures were expected to rise

to the middle 30's by midafternoon.

The coaches. Bobby Dodd of Georgia Tech and Jim Phelan of

St. Mary's, took opposite stands on the game's outcome in view of the

Dodd was unworried over the weather but asserted he is not placing confidence in a two-touch-

down margin handed him by rail-

Phelan was gloomy over the pros-pects of his speedy, tricky backs

moving effectively on a muddy, slippery field against the powerful Georgia line, which before weather

conditions entered the picture was

the prime factor in obtaining the

The field has been covered since last week, prior to the start of the

cold, wet Texas norther which

struck Saturday night.
St. Mary's braved the weather

Tuesday for a final workout.

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MAID OF COTTON FINALISTS INCLUDE TWO TEXAS GIRLS

MEMPHIS-(AP)-Finalists in the of the sparkplugs of the 1945 foot- contest for the 1947 Maid of Cotton. ball team of Southern Methodist sponsored by the National Cotton HOUSTON — (P) — With rain, sleet and freezing temperatures holding an upperhand, Georgia Tech's power-laden Engineers and St. Mary's lateral-minded Galloping Geels tangle bore Western Health of Southern Methodist sponsored by the National Cotton has informed his father here that council, include Rosemary Drennan of Alamo, Texas, and Estelle from the Army January 27 and plans to enroll at SMU in February St. Mary's lateral-minded Galloping Geels tangle bore Western Methodist sponsored by the National Cotton Council, include Rosemary Drennan of Alamo, Texas, and Estelle from the Army January 27 and plans to enroll at SMU in February St. Mary's lateral-minded Galloping Geels tangle bore Western Methodist sponsored by the National Cotton Council, include Rosemary Drennan of Alamo, Texas, and Estelle from the Army January 27 and plans to enroll at SMU in February St. Mary's lateral-minded Galloping Geels tangle bore with the Army January 28 and St. Mary's lateral-minded Galloping Geels tangle bore with the Army January 28 and Culver of Austin, Texas. Selection will be made here January 13.





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## Midland Marched Forward And Prospered During 1946

#### Construction, Street Paving, Bank Deposits, Oil Progress Set New Pace

Just before we came back home to Midland a year ago from overseas we were standing in a line of GIs sounding off our hometowns to some clerk, who was to designate our place of separation from the Army. "Midland," we said, rather proudly. "Midland,

As we struggled along toward the boat (remember that ordeal of getting on and off boats, fellows) a guy beside us says, "You should have told that clerk you were from the biggest little city in the world. I trained for bombardiering at Midland. and it is the neatest little \$191,075. More than 75 residences city with the biggest am-

bition in the world". now, have a cigarette, buddy, for you are talking sense." We sided onto the boat and our trek back to the "biggest little city in the world" began. Was that "Sentimental Journey" that band story Midland Building at the cor-

Now today we can say: Midland in 1946 went forward. of 1947 with a bright and optimistic outlook. Midland is growing. Midland IS "the biggest little city in Greatest Year

Midland experienced its greatest year in 1946 and the outlook for 1947 is even better.

Building permits, announced by W. F. Prothro, for 1946 were \$2,-816,400, the greatest Midland ever had. In fact building permits last year were almost twice as large as in 1945, the previous peak, when they were \$1,544,805. The gain was

in Midland for 1946 were: January, \$224,200; February, \$313,250; March, \$443,650; April \$145,550; May, \$340,-225; June, \$135,800; July \$127,325; Midland on East Highway 80. August \$127.750: September \$174.250:

buildings, valued at \$1,382,800, were issued in 1946. Permits for 302 new valued at \$1,242,525, repairs and renovations was set at



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Dotted over the city is construction in the process that does, or will affect the skyline in 1947. Most

of it began in 1946.

story Midland Building at the corner of Wall and Colorado Streets is being laid. It will house oil company offices and affiliated con-It prospered. It comes to the brink cerns. Estimated cost of this modernistic structure is upwards of a million.

An attractive \$100,000 business structure, the Rhodes and Chapple Building, called The Permian Your 14 million-dollar (tax eval- Building, is nearing completion. It is located at the intersection of Texas and Big Spring Streets. It is an office building.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company is completing a two-story new brick office building on West Wall Street. The cost of this structure is approximately \$100,000.

The Honolulu Oil Company has under construction a \$150,000 office building at the intersection of Illinois and Loraine Streets. This will land West. Construction was steady throughout the year, month by month.
Building permit totals by months

Building permit totals by months be a California-style structure and promises to be an attractive new face in the business district.

A permit for a five-story office building to cost \$175,000 to be located on Loraine Street was taken.

The City of Midden.

A new 42-unit, \$46,700, tourist court has just been completed in Other New Buildings Under construction at a cost of

Cctober, \$583,700; November, \$131,- \$50,000 is the Elder Chevrolet Com- 1946. It is an office and warehouse. pany Garage at the intersection of For comparison, consider that the building permits in Midland in 1940 A and Texas Streets. It is brick a \$25,000 building on Loraine Street and tile and size is 108 by 206 feet. in 1946. Located in it is the Carl-

building at 120 South Baird Street. residences, valued at \$1,242,525, The business building cost \$20,000. ing a \$30,000 clinic in the West were taken out. And the total for It is near another new business sector of Midland. building at 115 South Baird, which is occupied by the Williamson and School several new business buildings have been constructed, including at 115 South Baird, which is occupied by the Williamson and School several new business buildings have been constructed, including and Texas and Big Spring. This vate flying is expected to be served Southwest New Mexico averaged including the server of the largest airports erected in 1946.

Much New Construction New business construction, even the block. Ace Motors faces Big Struction.

Spring Street as a new building on The City of Midland constructed

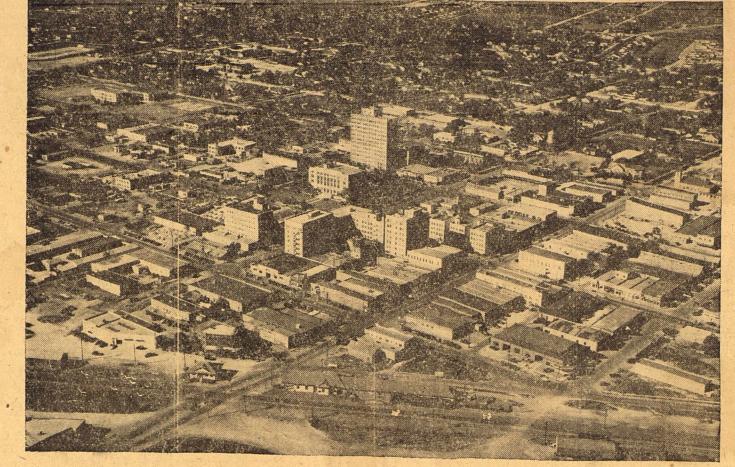
Studio in a new building is on this block. Another new building is under construction and three new Plans Big Plant was completed in 1946. The cost was approximately \$59,000. Colorado Streets.

The new business buildings of be 210 feet wide. the entire block.

and others.

C. M. Dunagan developed and built times a block of new business buildings. Frank Miller Studio, Kargl Aerial way construction in 1946 calling for in 1947. Surveys, Inc., Continental Oil Company, Neill Sheet Metal Company. Taylor Cole and John Darden, in-

Phone 2163



dependent operators, James Court- near the West city limits. The land admission to Midland High School's tion, or were finaled as gas wells.

New shops and other business

out in 1946.

Dunn Van Lines completed a new The Johnson News Agency built

ton and Brumbelow Sporting Goods The Willis-White Motor Company pany recently moved into a new as well as the news agency.

building was \$9,000. It is typical ing two near the Furr Food Store. of many new business structures One is occupied by a washateria. The Boles-Mickey Building on that street is a new \$24,000 structure On South Main in the business

in 1946. The old North Ward School Paint Store was opened. This 1946 with \$8,223,390 in 1945. building was razed and several new building cost several thousands of Other Facts And Figures business buildings are located on dollars in improvement and con-

a new ornamental type water tower Over on Colorado Street, Midland near the West city limits and this

ones are being completed. The new bus terminal will occupy the one \$750,000 plant in Midland as an in- in 1940.

A&M Packing Company plans a is compared with receipts of \$77,123 its pledged dues by \$4,568. Service club attendance at the intersection of Ohio and dustrial booster shot in 1947. The

The First Christian Church will 1940. this square block developed during 1940.

The First Christian Church will 1940.

The First Christian Church will 1940.

See Splans call for the filling of Michigan and F Streets.

The First Christian Church will 1940.

Midland began a paving project and JayCees 190. The Business and JayCees 190. The Business and JayCees 190. The Business and Professional Women's Club has an 1946 are of the filling of the filling of the things about for the things about for the things about for the things about for the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the filling of the things about for the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the filling of the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the filling of the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the filling of the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the filling of the professional women's club has an and some of the things about for the filling of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an and some of the professional women's club has an an analysis and the professional women's club has an an analysis and the professional women's club has an an analysis and the professional women's club has

buildings are those for Gaines announced Midland as one of three and work begins early in 1947. Shell increased its office space in the Petroleum Building by four every year.

Shell increased its office space in great event, which grows larger In district court, 131 divorces were President Of TGRA Up on Missouri Street, the late the Petroleum Building by four

expenditure of \$71,303.

Two new elementary school buildings are under construction in Mid- watts in 1946. The broadcasting were understocked in 1946 will be the association, announced. land. The cost of each is approximately \$167,000. They are located 1947. in the South and West sectors of the city. Midland probably will consider strongly a new high school sold, 9304,097.50. The schools had an enaround Midland will be increasing building in 1947 and an athletic rollment of 2,237 in 1940. It now is building in 1947 and an athletic plant, for both will be outgrown. Recreation Parks Planned

Two ex-GIs plan to build a \$25, 000 recreation and softball park

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ney, representing Snowden Oil and has been purchased. Equipment is five home football games in the Southeast New Mexico failed to Gas Company, and a paleontologi- on hand to build. Also the city will Fall of 1946. cal laboratory operated by R. V. Hollingsworth. The cost was an in time for league play in the summeters in 1946. renovate Midland's baseball park Midland installed 550 parking eries, officially, during 1946. Several time for league play in the sum- meters in 1946.

buildings flank Highway 80 in Mid-contributions for a proposed \$500,-land West. contributions for a proposed \$500,-land a dozen new residential sub-land with the munici-land west. small amounts of oil, has indicated a divisions came into the munici-land west. in 1946, but \$234,155 was obtained pality or were sanctioned by the area which may produce commer-

The City of Midland expended The Civil Aeronautics Board in pay. \$260,000 for water system improve- 1946 granted applications of two Production Remains Steady ments in 1946 including installa- major airlines to serve Midland and Daily average oil production of tions of larger mains, laterals, res- recommended permanency of the the combined region has remained \$20,000 installation in Midland in ervoir and extensions. Some large service granted to another. Conti- at near steady levels for most of water arteries of 16-inch size were nental Airlines served Midland in 1946. During the week ending Deinstalled. The city expended \$143,- 1946 and American Airlines and cember 21, 1946, the main West 000 for sewer system improvement Fioneer Airlines may now serve the Texas district (No. 8 of the Texas including a project of installing city and will begin early in '47. Railroad Commission), produced deep, larger lines across the muni- Midland and Ector Counties and an average of 499,725 barrels of oil deep, larger lines across the muni-

> Marienfield and Wall, A and Wall, will be one of the largest airports indicates a heavy traffic increase in at the Midland Municipal Airport Midland.

for 1947 was set for \$227,747.29, the Midland Municipal Airport had production of the Permian Basin Anticipated receipts will be \$259,- been declared surplus. to block proportions, is mushroom-ing up in Midland and this started enlarged and the Simmons-Hall County is \$8,500,000 as compared The 1946 Midland Livestock Show

Postal receipts in Midland amounted to \$153,932.75 as comparwith new events, a registered sheep low. ed with \$190,818.90 last year. But show and a horse show. This liveit is remembered \$48,000 of the last stock event serves four counties. year's receipts were from a base By a novel organization, the working and living quarters for office at Midland Army Air Field. Wranglers Club, the Midland more employes and more companies. The actual receipts in Midland are Chamber of Commerce added 209 higher for 1946 than in 1945. This new members in 1946 and increased

foundation was dug in 1946. It will more than \$22,000,000 for 1946. This ganized in 1946. It is the Kiwanis ned at this time are actually built, is compared with \$4,982,968.65 in Club with 48 members. Other mem- the outlet for oil from this region

struction is expected to begin in Junior Chamber of Commerce. Ten estimated membership of more and some of the things ahead for There was a lot of new business construction down around Weatherford and Baird Streets during 1946. Some of the new business

The Shell Oil Company in 1946 ing machinery is being moved in 1946 deadline for payment of poll tax provinces will get the base soon. Paying machinery is being moved in 1946 deadline for payment of poll tax

Radiator Shop, Suprex Laundry, new administrative headquarters. The 1946 Midland Rodeo drew on 6,084 vehicles in 1946 as complicitly Piggly, Home Furniture, The others are Houston and Tulsa. 20,000 spectators and was another pared with 5,297 in 1945. every year.

They include buildings occupied by 10.15 miles of farm to market high- lation will be voted on by citizens filed and in 1946 the number was Houston has been named executive

granted a power increase to 5,000 in 1947 than in 1946. Ranches that uary 1, Tom K. Eplen, president of under this new power will begin in increased in stock in 1947 because of the optimistic outlook for the Simons of Austin who resigned to

ent School's budget was set at dition and the ranch industry estimated at 2,900. There are 3,222 Great Oil Activity registered scholastics.

for 1946 they were 4,299. Water New Mexico, from the standpoint meters in 1940 totaled 1,764. There of oil developments, activities and were 2,690 in 1946. Gas meters to-taled 1,742 in 1940 and for 1946 were 2,636. Light meters increased in a like manner, for in 1940 there were 1,750 and in 1940 there were for the future—both for for the months immediately ahead, and for the next several years—are 2,250 and in 1946 an estimated bright.

The population of Midland in 1940 was 9,352. Based on utility of oil production were discovered connections and newspaper circula- in West Texas during the 12 tion figures, plus estimates by a

births in Midland in 1946, and 365 marriage licenses were issued, at the rate of one per day. Deaths were estimated at 114. More than 18,000 persons paid

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produce any definite new discov-

City limits of Midland were ex- given important extensions. Midland did not complete its tended by 920 acres in 1946. More wildcat, which is now

cial oil from a new and deeper

bined West Texas sector a daily

102,500 barrels of oil per day dur-

for that week average 636,725 bar-

The oil industry has expanded

Several new pipe lines to serve

the Permian Basin are planned for

construction as soon as material

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the cities of Midland and Odessa per day; while district 7-C (San Five new traffic light signals are in agreement for a giant twin-were installed in 1946. They are located at: Big Spring and Wall, was Midland Army Air Field. This ing the seven days prior to De-cember 21. That makes the total MAAF was declared surplus to the The budget of Midland County Air Forces needs in 1946. Earlier,

> rels daily. was the greatest in history and the its operations in Midland during 1947 show will be lengthened to 1946 as fast, and as far, as office working and living quarters for

Bank deposits in Midland will be land was high. A new club was orberships are; Rotary 88, Lions 150, will be increased by at least 66 2/3 of Maine \$53,218 in the year end- kets and purchase stocks for the

is January 31. Licenses were paid

times.

A charter for a Midland College granted in 1946 as compared with was granted in 1946 and this instal 90 in 1945. In 1945, 129 cases were vice president of the Texas Good

A Midland radio station was Ranchers look for a better year Roads Association, effective Jan-The 1946-1947 Midland Independ- new year. Ranges are in good con-

The year 1946 was an extremely Telephone connections in Mid-good one for the Permian Basin land in 1940 were 2,683. Estimated area of West Texas and Southeast

On the basis of incomplete and

unofficial figures, 27 new sources West Texas during the 12 months of 1946. Of that list, 15 city directory compilation, in 1946 represented new fields, and the is was 18,500. There were approximately 115 producing zones in fields that already were producing from other horizons. None of the new petroleum dis-

coveries in West Texas of the past year have been fully defined or dereloped. Each will cause considerble more drilling. Up to, and including December

nent Oil and Gas Association at 21, 1946, a total of 1,729 oil and gas Dallas. wells had been drilled in the West Texas area. The 1945 figure on the same item was 1,698 wells. Of the Eplen said, "since he was the first 1946 explorations, 216 were wild-officer to serve in this capacity cats. In that classification 168 were when the good roads association finished as dry holes, 47 were completed for some sort of oil produc-

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when the good roads association was formed 14 years ago."

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manager of the Texas Mid-Conti-

ourn has been director of industrial and public relations with the Todd Houston Shipbuilding Corporation. A former general manager of the Houston Chamber of Commerce, he returns to the association with a long background of public service.

he United States in 1938 consumed 130,000,000 gallons of alcohol spirits, of which five per cent



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27 marriage licenses issued. July

was second with 39 and February third with 38. January had 42.

August had 34, March 32, April

and October 28, September 24,

May and November 22, and Dec-

VA Representative To

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ber always should be listed.

plies from the VA, he said.

pid of 1947.

ember 19.

#### Mid-O-Tex Glass And Equipment Company To Open Here Thursday

A new Midland business enterprise, Mid-O-Tex Auto Glass and Equipment Company, will open for business Thursday in its new build-ing west of the City Baseball Park and one block south of West U. S. 

kin, Jr., are the owners of the firm which will specialize in installing auto glass and associated replacement parts. Only safety plate and safety sheet glass will be handled. W. W. Larkin was with Consoli-dated Aircraft in Fort Worth dur-

ing the war.

Served Overseas Joe M. Larkin served six years with the 11th Air Force in the Aleutians. He was stationed several months at Midland Airport No 2 after returning from overseas. He entered the service in June, 1940, from Odessa where he lived 12 years. He was released from ser-

vice about four months ago.

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marriage permit records at the A@idland County courthouse showed Wednesday as Dan Cu-Home Demonstration Clubs of the county will study consumer buying and leadership training during January while the Girls' 4-H Clubs will stress sewing and pid of 1946 gave way to Dan Cu-Marriages during 1946 average nearly one a day as 355 couples leadership training in personal grooming, Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, took out marriage licenses in the 365 days of the year.

June, the traditional month of marriage, ran a poor eighth with nome demonstration agent, said

The first home demonstration club meeting of the year will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday when the Valley View Club meets at the

The Warfield 4-H Club will meet at 4 p. m. Monday; the new home demonstration club at 2 p. m. Tuesday; the Garden Addition H. D. Club at 2 p. m. Wednesday, January 8, in the home of Mrs. Roy Long; the Westside H. D. Club at 2 p. m. Thursday, January 9, in the home of Mrs. Leslie T. Brown, 2106 West Tennessee Street; and the A contact representative of the Veterans Administration will be at the office of the county service of- Home Demonstration Council will ficer in the Midland County court- install officers at a meeting at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, January 11. house the first and third Thurs-

days and the second and fourth
Wednesdays each month, J. Waldo
In the third week in January
In the third week in January In the third week in January the Carson, VA contact representative Prairie Lee 4-H Club will meet at at Cdessa, announced Wednesday.

Carson also urged veterans to use extreme care in furnishing Club in the assembly room of the courthouse at 4 p. m.. Wednesday, January 15; the East side Home proper identification when writing the Veterans Administration. Full Demonstration club at 2 p. m. name, address, service serial number and claim or insurance num-Thursday, January 16; the field Home Demonstration Club a The lack of proper identification 2 p. m. Friday, January 17; and often causes veterans and their dethe 4-H boys and girls at 10:30 a. pendents not to receive prompt rem. Saturday, January 18.

In the fourth week of January, the Prairie Lee Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. Tues-

day, January 21.

The home demonstration chips will stress the buying of clothing and children's shoes, and the leadership training program will give emphasis to rooked rugs, foot stools, and herb cooking.

The 4-H clubs will stress making bound and worked button holes and grooming.

#### Chancellor Purchases Prather's Interest In W. T. Office Supply

The purchase by C. W. Chancellor of the interest of R. L. (Dick) Prather in the West Texas Office supply, 204 West Texas, effective January 1, was announced Wednes-

Chancellor will assume active management of the firm, and R. S. (Dick) McKnight who has been with the company about a year,

will become assistant manager. Chancellor and Prather purchased the office supply firm September 15, 1942, and Prather has been manager since that time. Prather moved here from San Angelo to become associated with the busi-

Rotary Club President

Prather, who is president of the Midland Rotary Club, did not announce his future plans.

Chancellor was district landman

for Sinclair Prairie Oil Company here 16 years, resigning that posi-tion May 1, 1945. He now is engag-ed in the oil business as an independent operator.

He said no change in personnel of the West Texas Office Supply is anticipated.



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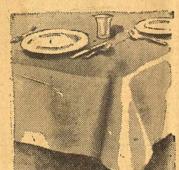
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#### Tearless Farewell

Goodby, 1946, and get going! We bid you farewell with only a perfunctory regret, for when we match the promises and hopes of last January 1 with the fulfillments and achievements of December 31, we can't say that you were much of a year.

Yet you could have been a lot worse—and there were times during the past 12 months when it seemed that you were going to be. So the best we can do for you by way of valedictory is to count our negative blessings and speed

you into history with our negative thanks.

The "inevitable" war with Russia didn't start.

Gromyko walked out on the Security Council, but Russia didn't walk out on the UN.

The Bikini atomic bombs didn't turn the ocean into steam or start the chain reaction felt 'round the world.

The country failed to split wide open on foreign pol-Editor Henry Wallace is now running the New Republic (circulation approximately 38,000). Secretary James Byrnes is still running the State Department.

The country's business and social structure still stands, after two earnest efforts by John L. Lewis and a brief one by A. F. Whitney to push over the national applecart.

In spite of bungled and belated food shipments, we didn't let as many Europeans go hungry as it once seemed we might.

Our government didn't make a separate peace with Italy. In fact, the whole business of peace-treaty writing actually progressed a little.

The predicted ruinous inflation didn't engulf us with the lifting of OPA price controls. We boomed not, neither did we bust. Meat prices went up, but meat returned to the table.

In the meantime, nobody dropped dead of steak starvation in a nylon line. To the consternation of the House Un-American Ac-

tivities Committee, the communists didn't take over the Despite Pravda's editorials and the public addresses of Winston Churchill, Claude Pepper and Harold Laski,

despite even the off-the-record pleasantries of Good-Will Ambassador Elliott Roosevelt, the Big Three continued to maintain cordial diplomatic relations.

Yes, 1946 could have been worse.

As for 1947, let's resolve to start out with low-pressure predictions and high-pressure purpose, and see if we can't have something more positive to crow about next December 31.

The famous bank roll that used to choke a horse is now trying its darndest to buy an auto.

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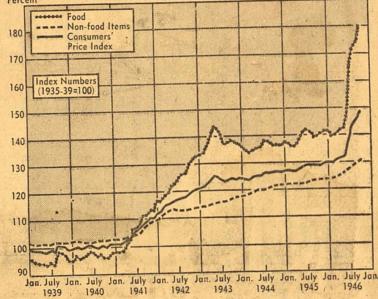
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#### Retail Prices Show Rising Peak



According to the Department of Agriculture, lapse of price controls this year resulted in the most rapid rise in food prices in the 33 years records have been kept. Using 1935-39 period as the norm, chart above shows how index of food prices in large cities reached 180 in October, 1946 Non-food prices and consumer's price index rose more gradually Data from Eurcau of Labor Statistics,

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#### Demands For Higher Teacher Pay Face 50th Legislature

By DAVE CHEAVENS Associated Press Staff
AUSTIN—(P)—More than a third of the state's revenue dollar now goes to public education and this will be increased if the 50th Legis-lature meets only a part of the de-

mands that will be made of it." It is a foregone conclusion that strenuous efforts will be made to bring about immediate increases in educational appropriations provide higher salaries for teachers in every bracket from the country school to university professor Backers of these proposals will argue that salaries of all teachers are too low and always have been. But that they are now pitifully inadequate in face of the increased cost

of living.

The Board of Control, the state's budget-making agency, has nothing to do with recommendations for educational appropriations, except for the publicity-supported colleges and universities.

It has recommended an operating budget of \$35,270,779 for these institutions during the next two years. This is an increase of \$9, 707,330 over current appropriations and a number of colleges are working on additional upward revisions of their demands in anticipation of increased enrollments.

The colleges had asked the board for a total of \$65,080,789 for the next biennium, admittedly aiming high in view of the control board's well-known conservatism.

The governor's bi-racial mission has come out with the idea of establishing a first class university for negroes, with the present school at Prairie View to be operated as an agricultural and mechanical college for negroes.

Public education is NOT the only state function that will be demanding increased support. The entire budget calls for expenditure of \$29,-000,000 more during the biennium starting next September 1 and it does NOT include any support for schools below the college level, nor many other miscellaneous approp-

How the legislature can meet all these demands, keep the state on a cash basis, and NOT levy any ITHACA, N. Y .- (AP)-There are new taxes, is a question only the only half as many horses and mules on New York state farms as lawmakers can answer.

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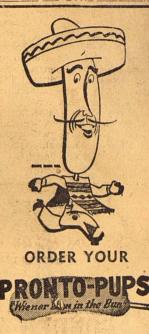


#### Screen's Best



Anna Magnini, who became known to American movie audi-ences for her splendid work in the Italian film "Open City," was chosen best actress of 1946 by the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures. She's pictured in her home in Rome.

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The action, taken by the board The Washington Star. of directors of the American So-

foreign distribution of information.

The new committee will report to the society's membership, begin
recognized "the dangers inherent

ment news dissemination abroad New York Herald Tribune, and Benjamin M. McKelway, editor of

The special committee had eight ciety of Newspaper Editors, was members and was headed by N. R. recommended by a special committee of the society in a report on a study of the State Department's justification for efforts by the ning in April. Its chairman is in Government dissemination Hamilton Sun. Members are Ed- news."

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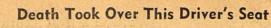


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#### Marine Corps Checks Texas Mother's Claim Son Was Iwo Jima Flag Raiser

WASHINGTON — (P) — Identification of the men who raised the sars and stripes atop Mount Suribachi, on Iwo Jima, in February, is being recheated by the 1945, is being rechecked by the A. Vandergrift, is now in Arizona

#### Government's Power To 'Fire' Men Upheld

ernment to fire Morton Friedman many of the marines who witnessof Queens, N. Y. from his War
Manpower Commission job on
grounds there was reason to believe he was associated with an record was made of the men who allegedly Communist - dominated participated in the flag-hoisting group and there was a "reason- and they were identified later in

able doubt" of his loyalty.

Freidman was classification director of the VMC. He was separated from his position in Separated from his position his position in Separated from his position h tember 1944, mainly because of panions as Sgt. Henry O. Hansen of Sommerville, Mass.; Sgt. Micheace Mobilization Organization, which the government told the court was Communist-dominated.

The Court of Appeals upheld a lower court action approving the displayer of the court action approving the however Mrs. F. R. Rock of Was bowever Mrs. F. R. Rock of Was appeared by the court action approving the court action act discharge. It said:

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Read the Classifieds for Results

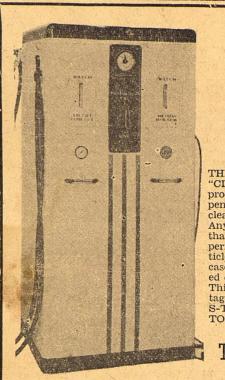
Marine Corps. Officials at Marine headquarters said the corps believes the original identifications lieves the original identifications Ira H. Hayes, of Rapchule, Ariz.

Similiar affidavits are being taken from the other two living members of the group that planted the American flag on Iwo's battle crest Feb. 23, 1945. They are: Rene A. Gagnon of Manchester, N. H. WASHINGTON —(P)— The United States Court of Appeals has upheld the right of the Gov-

however, Mrs. E. F. Block of Wes-"The United States has the right laco, Texas, said that she believed to prescribe the qualifications of that one of the marines in the its employees and to attach condi-H. Block (also killed on Iwo) and asked he be given credit for a part in the famous tableau. The recheck

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There was \$155,722,778,000 worth | The Ruhr coalfields normally acof life insurance in force in the count for three-fourths of Germany's coal supply.



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Here's To A Happy, Prosperous New Year!



TT was eleven-thirty when Jeff got home. The lamp in the parlor send them any pictures." was lighted and Sidney was sleep-ing in a chair. Puzzled, Jeff stood over her, looking down and thinking that she was somehow very appealing so, her head back, the long line of her neck flowing into the rounded line of her breast, body inert, long legs graceful with strong, slim ankles. If he had not forsworn such things he would have liked to sketch her in this pose and call the sketch "A Sleeping Beauty," for Sidney was really beautiful-not, of course, as Rose was, all peaches and cream and perfection, but with a kind of lean, vigorous symmetry. She had good bones. Awake, she was often too vigorous, too emphatic for beauty; but softened by repose,

She opened her eyes. "Hello?" Jeff pointed his thumb toward the ceiling. "Everybody else hit

She nodded. "I've got something

her eyes closed-

to tell you." And without further comment she handed him a letter. He read in silence: Dear Miss Cameron:

We are interested in your brother's pictures. We plan to launch in the near future a coastto-coast campaign to publicize our products, not the least of which is Spunky Mule Plug, the tobacco salaries.' your brother has so amusingly exploited. If, as you say, Mr. Jefferson Davis Cameron is seeking a position as a commercial artist, we suggest that he come to our New York offices September 19 and confer with our advertising

manager. It is quite possible that we may have a place on our staff for a young man of such marked origi-

TEFF looked up. "It's from the tobacco company."

Stolen Art Treasures BUDAPEST, HUNGARY -(P)-

zone in Germany.

States military mission in Hun- Sinai Hospital, Baltimore the treasures arrived.

"But what the heck? I didn't "I did. The ones of Papa in his

uniform with the button.' "Oh, you sent them? You certainly had your nerve!'

"They were good, I thought somebody ought to see them." "And now somebody has. So

that's that." "It sounds like an offer of a job, Jeff. Maybe a better job than

the contest." "Certainly it's a better job. Any idiot would know that. In New York, right in the center of everything? A job of jobs." He scowled and threw down the letter. "Well,

"No," Sidney said. "You can't." He stared, annoyed that she should assent so quickly when he was steeled for argument. He paced the length of the room, turned and said challengingly: 'I'm needed here. Mamma would

have a fit." "No, not Mamma," Sidney said. 'She knows she can't keep us together always. She's not having a fit about Rose's getting married. Papa would be against it—until he found that you could contribute as much as before to the fam-

ily budget." "I could contribute more. In New York they don't pay peanut

He looked at Sidney and drew a

deep breath. "I'm going!"

Rather tremblingly Sidney got up from her chair. "You mean it, "Yes. I mean it."

There was a silence, then Sidney "You'll need money." "Money?" Jeff's jaw sagged.

"How much have you?"

"None. Not a darned bit." "Neither have I. But we can get the money," Sidney said, "if we have to. Somebody in this fam
"Neither have I. But we can road fare from my bank salary. Months!"

(To Be Continued)

ily must have a little laid by.

"No, don't count him in. That's vhy I'm strapped. I did have fifty dollars, but I lent it to Papa."

"What?" Sidney said. "What!" He told her, and couldn't see why Papa's borrowing should excite her so, making her look white and scared, sending her flouncing down the room to the window where she stood with her back to him. "Listen, Sid—" He stopped. Rose was coming in. "Well, what do you want?" Jeff said rudely.

ROSE had on bathrobe and slippers, and was yawning. Theard you muttering down here. It woke me. Hours of muttering. Is anything wrong?"

Jeff gave her the tobacco company's letter; she carried it to the lamp, stooping to read.
"Oh, Jeff, darling! You're going?

I'm so glad!" He grinned cautiously. "Don't be too glad yet. It may not pan out."
"It will pan out," said Sidney

somberly, from the window.
"Of course, it will!" Rose's face
was radiant. "But I won't say anything. Oh, Jeff, let me hug

She hugged him, and he ruffled her hair. "There's a hitch," he said.

'Money. Have you got any money, Rose? She shook her head. "How much would it be?" "Railroad fare. One way. If I

didn't get the job, I could earn enough in New York for a return ticket. Sweeping streets, washing dishes in a greasy spoon, some darned job or other.'

"Couldn't you save up?" Rose asked. "Out of your bank salary here?"

"No. You see, the letter says September nineteenth." "But maybe the tobacco people would postpone it."
Sidney said, without turning around: "The nineteenth is ten

nineteenth — or never. So he couldn't save up." "Anyway," Jeff said, "it would take months to scrooge out rail-

days off. He has to go before the

This tolerance appears to be like

Rutin, the new medicine that

comes from barley, and is reported to prevent cerebral hemorrhage

and similiar fatal internal bleed-

o destroy them.

kind of brain bleeding.

#### Penicillin Retards Mind Temporarily

More than \$60,000,000 worth of art BOSTON -(A) - Evidence that way through circular mazes was treasures taken by the Germans penicillin and streptomycin de. There was no evidence of perhave been returned to Hungary on crease mental abilities temporarily manent mental or nerve damage. penicillin and streptomycin de- impaired for two or three days. a special train from the American has been reported to the American On the contrary, after a while the Brig. Gen. George Hatton Association for the Advancement rats developed a tolerance, so far Weems, commander of the United of Science by Dr. David I. Macht, as their nerves were concerned.

He described the reactions of the resistance to either drug which gary and Hungarian officials in He described the reactions of the resistance to either drug which cluding Undersecretary of State white rats that were given large doctors have found in giving penicillin and streptomycin to human Istvan Baogh were present when doses of each of these new drugs. The animals' ability to find their beings. The germs after a time get

SIDE GLANCES



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CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"I said it's not the ups and downs ! mind-it's the jerks!"

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By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY America's Card Authority

On the plane flight from New Orleans to Dallas there were seven New Orleans tournament them Col. H. A. Cole of Dallas. At dinner in Dallas that evening the Colonel brought up today's hand.

Looking at all four hands, you tractor some \$20,000. might say that declarer has no problem to make five-odd, but if South ambitiously arrives at a five pade contract, what is the correct lay after winning the opening heart lead with the ace in dummy? Should he lead the seven of spades and let it ride if East plays the four? Or should he play the jack of spades from his won hand? As the cards lay, you can see that he should let the seven-spot



ride, and he will lose only two spade tricks; but is it the correct percentage play?

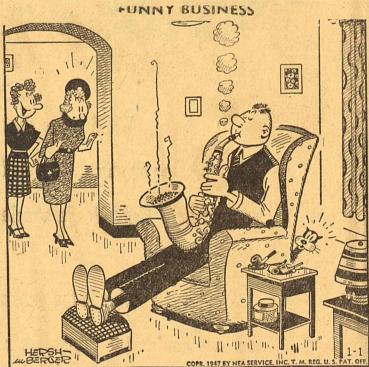
Colonel Cole said that it was, "If the spades break two-two," he said, "it does not make any difference how you play them—you will lose only two tricks. If the singleton ten is in the West hand, allowing the seven to ride will lose to the ten, and the ace and king will be lost. But against one chance of losing to the ten, you have two chances to win if the singleton is the ace or king. Therefore, mathematically speaking, the finesse is matically speak."

Regarding South's opening bid of two spades, I do not believe that many experts would open this hand with a two-bid unless they were olaying the ace-showing response which requires partner to bid four no trump if he holds two aces as so that it takes more of the drug North did on this hand.

#### Russian Medical Research Open To Eyes Of World

ing in many cases had its safety questioned by M. B. Plungian and James C. Munch of the Temple University School of Pharmacy. Roosevelt's death was due to this kind of brain bleeding. told recently. Dr. Stuart Mudd, So-The Temple men found that Ru- ciety President, reporting to memtin cuts down to about one-third of bers on a trip he made last sumnormal the time that blood takes mer to Soviet Russia said:

to clot and coagulate. This they "We heard so much about the said raises questions about using iron curtains we got to believe a Rutin in all cases of fragile blood little of it, but we met the most amazingly warm response."



"He doesn't play it, he smokes it-he got tired of always filling his pipe!"

#### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS -By Merrill Blosser



#### Surveyor's Error Costs \$20,000

NEW YORK—(AP)—A surveyor nade a mistake and foundation for one of 27 buildings in the 1, 338-family Brownsville Houses pro ject of the New York City Hous-

ing Authority was laid 20 feet away from the building line. The foundation contractor reported the error and the housing authority voted to require him to replace the foundation at his expense. The contract for the 27 foundations totals \$528,482 and the surveyor's error will cost the con-

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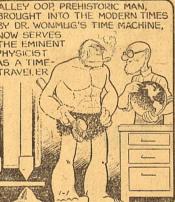






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### ALLEY OOP









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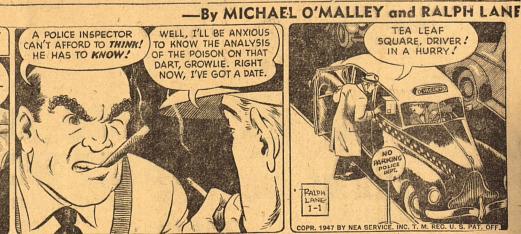






VIC FLINT







13 Per Cent Fewer PLENTYWOOD, MONT. -(A)-Pigs Raised In 1946 Ted Jorgensen reported his automobile stolen and Sheriff Albert Erdahl's deputies promptly began

They found it next day in garage, just in time to prevent the start of an overhaul job by Department of Agriculture reporta mechanic who had moved it into the garage thinking it belonged to a customer who had ordered

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number of a year earlier.

AUSTIN -(AP)- Texas farmers raised 13 per cent fewer pigs in 1946 than in 1945, the United States

The crop of 2,172,000 head was

The fall pig crop turned out at

976,000 head. This was slightly above intentions indicated last

June, but 21 per cent below the

fall crop a year earlier, 20 per cent

below average, and the smallest

The number of sows farrowing

in the fall season was estimated at

160,000 or 22 per cent below the 1945 number. Farrowings were

down in all areas of the state ex-

cept in some extreme southern

counties where they were some-what above the sharply reduced

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Among thousands of OPA workers forced to seek new jobs following end of most price controls is Mrs. Anne Brisky. She's pictured in her Washington office, using makeshift typewriter table to wind up work after clean-up squad took over her desk before she could finish her last day.

#### Repeal Of Federal Taxes Proposed On Transportation And Messages

WASHINGTON — (P) — Representative Bertrand G. Gearhart (R) of California declared "For every carload of fruit that he will fight in the new Congress leaves California, subject to di-

told a reporter.

The 3 per cent tax on the transportation of merchandise puts the West Coast at an "unfair disadvantage" in two ways, he said,

"First, the residents of the West must pay more than persons in the manufacturing areas of the East for manufactured articles of all sorts. They pay more in taxes because of the larger transportation bill. Another Disadvantage

"Second, the tax puts the specialized agricultural crops of California, the citrus fruits, raisins, dates and nuts, at a competitive disadvantage when shipped into the East. It's hundreds of miles farther from California to New York than from Florida to New York, for example."

Gearhart used the same reasoning in opposing the 15 per cent

eliminate Federal taxes on version, there are many telegrams transportation and communica-tions. and telephone calls to keep track of it so that it reaches the market "These taxes are unfair because they discriminate against the border areas of the nation, particularly the West Coast," he western producers.' Proposes Sales Tax

Gearhart said the repeal of the tax on property transportation has the support of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and "especially of former Commissioner Joseph B. Eastman.

Gearhart said the transporta tion tax produced \$220,000,000 in revenue last year, and the tax on - distance communications \$234,000,000.

He suggested that the revenue night be replaced through a sales tax imposed at the manufacturing level.

"A tax applied at the manufac turing level can be collected with a tenth of the employees required to collect the same taxs at the re tail level," he said.

Gearhart is a member of the House Ways and Means Committee, which writes the nation's tax laws.

#### Soviet Firms Wish To Exchange Goods With US Businessmen

NEW YORK-(A)-Russian officials are interested in discussions with United States firms looking to trade in Soviet products, and in obtaining American technical assistance on a contract basis, E. C. Ropes, chief of the Russian section of the U.S. Department of Commerce, said here.

Ropes outlined in an address fore the Commerce and Indus-Association of New York the results of a Department of Com-merce mission last summer to the

In view of the task of reconstructing Russia's war-devastated economy, he said, the Soviet foreign trade minister estimated it would be "several years before the U. S. S. R. would be in position to implement the arrangements which we proposed to purchase Soviet goods, in quantities far exceeding any previously imported by the United States."

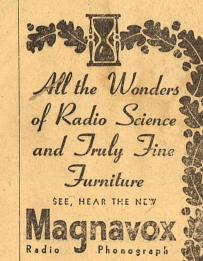
Wish To Enter Discussions Ropes said the heads of Soviet export agencies with whom he talked "obviously wished, as soon as possible, to enter discussions with American firms that would be, when the time comes, the active factors in carrying out the proposals we made.

He predicted progress toward trade arrangements would be made in a Soviet-American trade conference he said "will probably be held in Washington, perhaps in

the next few months."

Channels for exports to the Soviet already are being cleared,
Ropes said, and "American businessmen may look forward to selling and servicing their goods in the Soviet Union from their own

The world had about 70 million gross tons of shipping in 1939.



Wemple's Next to P.O. Est. 1923

#### English Lords Found In Stable Or Village Instead Of House

LONDON-(A)-The lord of the English manor is much more likely these days to be found in the stables or the village than in the

Taxation, death duties, lack of domestic service and shortage of coal for heating the huge rooms are among the most often quoted reasons for this. But sometimes. with the younger generation par ticularly, it is just that they don't want to live that way any more, not even if they could wave a magic wand and get all the servants and

Standards Kept Up "My father is pigging it in our huge, cold house in the country, trying to keep up the place and his standards—early morning tea and muffins in a silver dish—you know," said one heir to a title and a big rundown estate. "It's pathetic seeing him setting the table and then solemnly going upstairs to put on his dinner jacket. Nothing could induce me to live there."
Or, as Ernst Freud, well-known

London architect, put it: "Many families who have lived in their big houses up to the war now find that they have so changed their habits of life that they hardly can imagine themselves with butlers and servants, even if they could get them. They want to live in a more modest and sensible manner, the problem is, what to do with the House Is Shared

One of the lucky ones, by modern standards, is Lord Inchiquin, whose country seat at Dromoland castle County Clare, has been in the family since the sixteenth century. He has half the house to himself while Pan-American Airways pays him for the use of the rest. Lord Halifax has given his an-

cestral home at Hickleton hall, proposed to construct two allnear Doncaster, to the sisterhood of the Order of the Holy Paraclete for use as a girls' school. He hopes to convert the stables into a residence for himself and his family. In the meantime he will live in cottage in the village and view his stately home from a distance.

The U. S. Veterans' Administra-tion estimates it will have 159,000 inum construction of the ships medical cases to care for in 1950.

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### They Need Mom



whis 13-year-old wife, Lillian, missing since Christmas Eve, To Edward Murtas, of Chicago, found taking care of their three-norths-old daughter, Sandra, too much for him. He's pictured coding the baby in station house before turning her over to police and returning to his Army post, Ft. Sill, Okla.

#### All-Aluminum Ships Made To Carry Bauxite

num Co. of America announced it ore from Surinam, Netherlands Guiana, to Trinidad, British West Indies, where it would be transferred to deep-draft carriers and brought to American ports.

The announcement said a sav ing of almost 50 per cent in weight of the hulls will result from alumwhich is said climaxed years intensive research. The ships will Spain established a port at Car- be operated by the Alcoa Steam-

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lahoman's conscience almost out-lasted the memory of man. The

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## Expected By Green

WASHINGTON—(A)—The A. F of L. has called on its 7,000,000 members to try to discourage the new Congress from enacting what it fears may be "highly objectionable" labor legislation.

President William Green forecast efforts to "limit and curtail the exercise of the legitimate funcions of labor organizations."

In a letter to all union officers

on state, city, and local union levels, Green urged the members to let their local congressmen know that they are on the alert for antilabor votes.

Green expressed fear attempts will be made to impose "illegal union shop agreements, restrict the exercise of the right to strike, subject workers to civil suits for damages for participation in strikes in alleged violations of contracts and, in addition, enact further objecionable labor legislation similar to the notorious Case bill which was passed at the las session of Con-

President Truman vetoed the Case strike control bill.

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Merry Christmas-From The Landlord

When Frederick Daab, New York tailor, and his family were evicted at the height of the year-end holiday week, neighbors gathered, watching resentfully, their tempers mounting. Last straw came when city marshal and his helpers carried out Christmas tree and toys of 8-year-old Linda Daal, dumped them on the sidewalk. Some 2,500 persons overwhelmed the marshal, his helpers and two policemen. A niot call brought two squad cars and 35 more policemen, who took 20 minutes to quell the crowd. Above, the Daabs stand disconsolately amid their belongings.

#### Bruce Says Vast Markets Needed To Prevent Recession In Business

of the United Nations.

of Land Grant Colleges and Universities, Bruce, formerly primeminister of Australia and presentreasonable optimism. Industrial ernment pursuing policies of high-unrest is rife, but this is more in er and more stable employment for the future.

"This false atmosphere, I suggest, is created by the fact that industry is busy repairing the ravages of the war, and re-equiping and restocking the world. Farm prices are high, and purchasing power in the cities is adequate to maintain for the time being an assured market.

Vast Markets Needed "But what is going to happen when this restocking and re-equipping has been effected? Where are the markets which are going to absorb this unparalleled produc-tive capacity of the United States

CHICAGO - (P) - Unless mar- "If those markets are not forthkets are found to absorb the "un-coming 1929-32 is going to be reparalleled productive capacity" of produced but on a much greater America, there may be a depres- scale. Unemployment will grow, a sion on "a much greater scale" business recession will set in, and than in the 1930's, says Stanley M. avenues for profitable private Bruce, chairman of the preparatory lending will be nonexistent."

commission of world food proposals Bruce asserted that the rebuildof the United Nations.

In an address to the 60th annual convention of the Association sumption. He added, "an increase of London, England, asserted and increased production can only the general atmosphere is one of be brought about by national govorder to obtain a share in the good and by utilizing the resources and things than it is a sign of anxiety potentialities of the undeveloped country

Stable Employment Vital "Surely it is in the interest of the United States in her position as the leader of the world and commanding unparalleled credit and financial resources, to insist that we should do so.'

He contended that the world and the United States must face the question: "Does the United States have to finance the world and if so is it in the interest of the United States to do so?" Bruce continued that the United

#### States will not have to finance all the international leading that is required but "she will have to inance a very considerable part of

#### Tax Evasion Drive Boosts Collections

WASHINGTON - (AP) - The at a record rate, Secretary Snyder

Snyder reported that extra as sessments and penalties amounted to \$546,000,000 from July 1 through October, a 41 per cent increase over the corresponding months of

This brought to more than \$1,-500,000,000 the extra assessments and penalties taken in during the pproximately 16 months in which he drive has been underway. Collections Are Heavy 'While the \$546.000,000 of ad

ditional assessments are gratifying," Snyder said in a statement they must not be allowed to overshadow the \$11,695,000,000 over-all tax collections by the Bureau of Internal Revenue during the same four months of July-October, in "In evaluating the drive against

evaders, it is well to remember that the bureau necessarily and properly devotes the major portion of its energies to doing business with the honest taxpayers, who I am proud to say, constitute the vast majority of American citizens."

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