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Going Forward



With Eastland By Bob Moore

A pat on the back, though only a few vertebrae removed from a tick in the pants, is miles ahead of the results.

Teacher: "Where is the capital of the United States?" Johnny: "In loans all over the world."

Leon Hale, former Eastlandite and now Farm-Ranch editor of the Houston Post, had a clever satire on the government's farm program in his Corner Post column December 1. Hale, who is a brother of Mrs. Maifred Hale Cullen and Mrs. Ina Ruth Taylor of Eastland, writes about a dream which involves a farmer. Seems this farmer wanted to develop himself some good pasture and go into the beef cattle business. He was starting small with his improvement, on only 30 acres. First he gets advice from his County Agent. But before he can get his improvements underway, representatives of the Soil Conservation Service, the AAA, the Farmers Home Administration and the local high school agricultural instructor, come by his place and each advise a different method of improvement. As the dream ends, Hale sees the farmer throw a 100 pound sack of fertilizer 20 feet that kills a spotted sheep. The farmer is mumbling something about a job in a hat rack factory, where nobody talked about pastures, or seed or fertilizer or terraces.

Purpose of the article seems to bring out the overlap of duties of government agriculture representatives. Perhaps Hale is correct, but the ag boys have and are doing a grand job helping the farmer through conservation advice and subsidies.

Recently, some newspaper guys on the larger dailies, made a tour of state hospitals and special schools under sponsorship of the Austin Professional Chapter of Sigma Delta Chi (journalism fraternity). In the mail comes a complete report on what they learned on the tour. In a nutshell this is what they found—the present system is a disgrace to the state; and an appropriation of \$22,000,000 will be needed to renovate the system, in addition to \$18,000,000 required for operating costs during the second year of the current biennium. This is what they did NOT find out—where is the money to come from?

Sure the Legislature can be called into a special session and appropriate it, but the actual cash will have to come from the citizens in some form of tax, or perhaps the Legislature can cut down on some of the other appropriations they have made to make up the 22 million nestegg. Either method is going to cause a lot of howling and wailing.

Eastland will have a distinguished visitor Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. None other than the one and only Mr. Santa Claus himself. Remember, when you were a kid what a thrill it was to see Santa? Then bring your boy or girl to Eastland Saturday and let him see and visit with Old Saint Nick.

Houston Banker To Speak Here

Dooley Dawson, vice-president of the Second National Bank at Houston, will speak to the Eastland County Vocational School agriculture classes Thursday night Dec. 15, at 7:30 in the Eastland High School Auditorium, M. H. Perry, supervisor, announced. Dawson will talk on various phases of soil conservation. A special invitation is being extended to agriculture workers, farmers, businessmen and wives to attend.

For Good Used Cars (Trade-ins on the new Olds) Osborne Motor Company, Eastland

This Lad Wants A Home



Dr. A. W. DeGuire, right, chairman of Limestone County Red Cross Chapter at Mexia, Texas, is trying to find a home for this little 19-months-old blonde youngster. The lad's father is dead and his mother is financially and physically unable to care for him. The child is in excellent health and has cheery disposition. Full details are available from Dr. DeGuire. (NEA Telephoto)

1950 TEXAS CENSUS TO REQUIRE 8,659 TAKERS

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—The job of counting noses in Texas for the 1950 census will require a staff of 8,659 persons. They will work out of 22 district offices, set up especially for the census. Hiring will be done, on a temporary basis, in January and February. Staffs in the district offices will vary in size from 651 at Houston, to enumerate Harris county's population, to 125 at Odessa, headquarters for a 13-county district.

The Texas breakdown, including location of the district office, number of workers, and counties to be covered: Abilene, 315, twelve counties. Amarillo, 341, twenty-eight. Austin, 389, ten. Beaumont, 470, eleven. Brownsville, 435, thirteen. Corsicana, 356, eight. Corpus Christi, 491, nineteen. Dallas, 491, one county (Dallas). El Paso, 249, six. Fort Worth, 367, five. Galveston, 482, fifteen. Greenville, 354, seven. Houston, 651, one county (Harris).

Replacement Company To Meet Tonight

The 903rd Replacement Company will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the American Legion Hall, Capt. Gus Clemens announced. The subject of tonight's lecture will be "First Aid," with the medical enlisted personnel of the 903rd conducting. Master Sergeant Tip Arthur, Sgt. Maynard G. Cartwright and Pfc. Marshall Storey will be the instructors. To facilitate attendance, the Reserve Unit is now meeting on Friday nights. A number of vacancies still exist in the 903rd ranks.

Troop 6 No-Stars Vs. Troop 66 All-Stars In Benefit Game

A benefit scout basketball game will be played between the Troop 6 No Stars and the Troop 66 All-Stars Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Eastland High School gymnasium. An advance ticket sale will begin Saturday morning by members of the troops with adult tickets for 35 cents and student tickets for 15 cents. Proceeds will be used by the troops for Christmas parties. Bill Brown, Scoutmaster of Troop 6 is coaching the No-Stars, while Bob Moore, Scoutmaster of Troop 66, is coach of the All-

Asks Query Into Board Of Control

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—John F. Maddox, discharged last week as chief claims auditor for Texas' Board of Control, wants the state senate to investigate the board. Board chairman Hall Logan said he would "welcome" an investigation. "The board of control files are wide open, always have been and always will be," Logan said. Maddox yesterday disclosed contents of a letter he sent to state Sen. A. M. Aikin, Jr., chairman of the senate general investigating committee. He charged procedural irregularities and referred to "extravagant squandering of state funds." Maddox lost his job Dec. 1 for alleged "gross insubordination" after serving with the board for seven years. As auditor, he was responsible for checking and approving invoices on all state purchases. Since his discharge, he was circulated mimeographed material criticizing the board's conduct. He wrote Aikin, "I am not interested in my discharge, but only in the actions that concern the welfare of the state."

Eisenhower Hits Bureaucracy

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, who says he has no personal political ambition, continued his round of attack on governmental bureaucracy here yesterday.

Addressing a joint meeting of Galveston Civic Clubs, he received thunderous applause from a crowd of 2,000 when he declared, "we will not bow our necks to centralized dictatorial authority." He advised citizens to exercise care in the selection of their political servants, from the school board level on up. "Let us not be tempted by paternalism, by subsidies of a false leader that would have you give up your birthright," said Eisenhower. "If all you want is security, why not go to prison. There's security there." After his speech, he left with Fort Worth oilman Sid Richardson for a hunting trip to St. Joseph Island below Galveston.

Civil Court Proceedings

The following proceedings were had in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District: Affirmed: (Judge Grissom) City of Abilene vs. Tennessee Dairies, et al. Taylor. Reversed and remanded: (Judge Long) G. C. Collier, et al. vs. Hightower Oil & Refining Corporation. Brown. Reversed and Remanded: (Judge Long) C. L. Kelsey, et ux, vs. M. B. Perry, et ux. Howard. Motion Overruled: City of Abilene vs. Tennessee Dairies, et al. appellants' motion to dismiss appeal.

Fagg Named Hearing Aid Representative

T. L. Fagg of Eastland has been appointed field representative for the Mako Hearing Service and is maintaining offices at the residence 605 South Seaman Street, and at 404 Exchange Building. The Mako Hearing Service features medical acoustic instruments including—audiometers, hearing aids and stethoscopes.

New Almanac Shows Growth

Texas' growth and change in the last ten years dwarf all previous periods in the state's history. The Texas Almanac, just published by The Dallas Morning News, reports. The new Almanac—672 pages is the largest ever published. It contains more than 650,000 words and word-equivalents in statistics, scores of maps and illustrations.

Soviet Places 17 Yugoslavs, Families Under House Arrest

BELIEVE MOVE INTENDED TO CRUSH TITOISM SPREAD

BERLIN, Dec. 9 (UP)—Soviet Zone German Police today placed under house arrest 17 members of the Yugoslav military mission and consulate staff and their families. The move was believed intended to crush a growing Titoist movement in East Germany. The Yugoslavs were confined to houses in the Soviet sector of Berlin shortly after the ministry of interior of the Communist dominated East German government banned the mission on grounds it tried to "interfere with lawful order." A German employe of military mission headquarters in the British sector of Germany said those under house arrest included all 10 mission and consulate members and seven of their dependents. Those retained under police guard included acting mission chief Lt. Col. M. Sibimovic; the Berlin consul, Capt. Panduvowch; and press attache Vilko Kolar. Telephone calls to the Soviet sector homes of the mission confirmed the house arrests. Sibimovic said his home was surrounded by 40 East German policemen. Kolar, speaking from the home of the consul, said the entire street had been sealed off and that four armed policemen were stationed in front of the door. The ministry of interior of the Communist-dominated east German government said last night that "the stay of members of the Yugoslav military mission in the area of the German Democratic Republic is prohibited effective Dec. 8, 1949."

Yule Trees Can Be Safe From Fire Hazards

Be careful, home Santa Clauses, how you handle that Christmas tree. It takes just a spark to turn a beautiful spruce into a blazing torch in your living room. Christmas trees are full of flammable pitch and resins, and burn furiously even when fresh cut.

- To help you keep Christmas merry, the National Board of Fire Underwriters offers these safety rules for installing and decorating your Christmas tree.
- 1. Choose a small tree, instead of a big one. It will be just as pretty and much less hazardous.
- 2. Keep your tree outdoors until just before Christmas. Install it in the coolest part of the room away from fireplaces, heaters or radiators.
- 3. Do not, under any circumstances, use cotton or paper for decoration on the tree or around the tree.
- 4. Do not place electric trains around the tree.
- 5. Use electric lights for illumination. Never use candles. See that all wires are in good condition. Use Christmas tree lighting outfits which have been tested by Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. These can be identified by a tag bearing the name of Underwriters Laboratories Inc., attached to the wires.
- 6. Do not plug or unplug the electric cords beneath the tree. Provide a switch some distance from the tree to turn the light off or on.
- 7. Do not leave lights burning when no one is in the house. From time to time inspect the tree to see whether any needles near the lights have started to turn brown. If so change the position of the lights.
- 8. When needles start falling, take the tree down and discard it.

16 Mavericks Letter For '49

Sixteen letters for the 1949 Eastland High School Maverick football team have been announced by Head Coach Wendell Siebert and Assistant Coach James Alexander.

The lettermen were composed of ten Seniors, two Juniors, and four sophomores. They are as follows: Seniors—Co-Captains, Glenn Garrett and Larry Falls, Kenneth Williamson, John Hensley, Richard Bumpass, Glenn Hogan, Bill Sikes, Marion Thompson, Roy Smith and Lenard Quarles. Juniors—Doug King and Jimmy Spalding. Sophomores—Gerald Davis, Eddie Haines, Edwin Aaron and Dickie Ewalt. Then managers were—Herman (Fuzzy) Hassell, Don Martin and Don Chrisman.

Vaughan Rites Held At Carbon

Funeral services for R. T. Vaughn, about 60, of Carbon, were held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the First Baptist Church at Carbon, with interment in the cemetery there. Vaughn died at the residence Wednesday night at 11 o'clock. A farmer, Vaughn had been a resident of Carbon since 1906. Survivors include his wife and one daughter.

Frost Passes Bar Examination

Cyrus B. Frost, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus B. Frost, Sr., of Eastland, is one of 97 University of Texas law students and graduates to pass a recent Texas bar examination. Another to pass the bar exam from this area was Charles Weldon Kirk of Gorman.

Traffic Tragedy



Helen McSpaden, 48, sister of golfer Harold (Jug) McSpaden, is examined by coroner Dr. Ray Busenbark in Kansas City, Kansas, after she was stricken by an auto on her way to work. She was killed instantly. (NEA Telephoto)

AIR CURRENTS FROM GULF MAY END COOL WEATHER

By United Press Currents of moist air started moving in from the Gulf of Mexico today to herald at least a temporary end to the touch of winter that has gripped large portions of Texas, the past 36 hours.

Tulsa Explosion Injures Four

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 9 (UP)—An explosion and fire at an oil pumping station injured four persons, caused \$1,000,000 damage and almost ignited 250,000 gallons of gasoline stored 100 feet away, officials said today.

The explosion late yesterday at the Texas Co. refinery was caused by a backfiring gasoline pump. It was heard over a 40-mile radius.

W. M. Giles and Victor Henke pumping station employees, were hospitalized with serious burns.

Company officials said that if the wind had shifted during the fire nearby tanks would have been ignited, threatening the entire plant and the lives of 150 workers on duty at the time.

The explosion blew the roof off the pumping station and hurled scrap metal 200 yards. A. L. Bush and Harry Reed, other Texas Co. employes, received painful burns.

Company spokesmen said production will "naturally be crippled" at the Tulsa refinery, one of the Southwest's largest crude oil processors. The plant has a daily capacity of more than 20,000 barrels of gasoline.

Collins Named Deputy Grand Master Of Masonic Lodge At Waco Meeting

Eastland County Treasurer Joe Collins was appointed District 73 Deputy Grand Master, comprising nine Masonic Lodges, at the Grand Lodge of Texas meeting in Waco Wednesday. Collins succeeds Ben Pendarvis of Graham, who held the position last year. Only 25 years old, Collins is believed to be the youngest District Deputy Grand Master in the state of Texas.

Other Masons from Eastland County attending the dedication ceremonies for the new Grand Lodge Memorial Temple were: Wayne Jackson, Jess Richardson, T. H. Landon, H. Swindell, H. P. Pentecost, J. A. Coplin, Cyrus Miller, D. D. Franklin,

Hugh McHaffy, H. H. Hardenham, Frank Troit, Bill Jessop, Sgt. Brannon, Ray Laney, Tom Leavelle, Aubrey Van Hoy, Tom Amis, Howard Upchurch, Henry Collins, T. Robinson, A. C. Underwood and E. E. Bradford, all of Eastland; H. L. Jackson, Carbon; Clifford Nelson, Olden; Charles Hammond, Mr. Weaver, and H. F. King, —Ranger.

Amis, Van-Hoy and Richardson remained over for a three-day session of the Royal Arch chapter.

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DAILY DAWDLE SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

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Thirteen Christmas shopping days. Left to look around on. Will Dally learn why dawdling is so generally frowned on?

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BEAUMONT, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—Louis Bertrand of Port Arthur will go to trial here Monday in the poker game slaying of Homer Edgerly, 35, Nov. 15. Edgerly's widow, Mrs. Klino, Edgerly, has filed in civil court against Bertrand and Alex Dore, owner of the establishment in which her husband was shot to death. She is asking \$242,164 damages.

THE CHRISTMAS SEASON IS HERE AGAIN — and with it the Christmas tree which is described by the National Board of Fire Underwriters as the most dangerous tree on earth. Yet no one has ever suggested that we abandon the Christmas tree which has been for centuries the symbol of Yuletide cheer and good will. But they're dangerous. If interested, call this office for a list of simple rules which, if followed, will entirely eliminate the Christmas hazard from your home and insure you a Merry Christmas.

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TEXAS News Briefs

EL CAMPO, Dec. 9 (UP) — One man was killed and four others injured yesterday in the head-on collision of two automobiles nine miles west of here on State Highway 59.

El Campo used car salesman Rudolph Cerney, about 25, was killed. He was alone in an east-bound automobile. Treated at a hospital here were Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Harbeeb, Tommy Alston, and Otis Peters, all of Houston, occupants of the other car.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 8 (UP) — Completion of the San Antonio Expressway appeared a certainty today with approval of a \$3,850,000 bond issue by voters.

The election yesterday was one of the quietest in recent San Antonio history. All 74 precincts approved the bonds, with the final unofficial count showing 8,355 for and 2,517 against.

The money will be used to purchase right-of-way for extending the expressway all the way across the city.

DALLAS, Dec. 8 (UP) — The nationwide sweep of the 10-cent cup of coffee drew nothing but a sneer today from Hyman Fader, operator of a Dallas drive-in.

Fader said cafe owners could make money on nickel coffee, even if the commodity went to a dollar a pound.

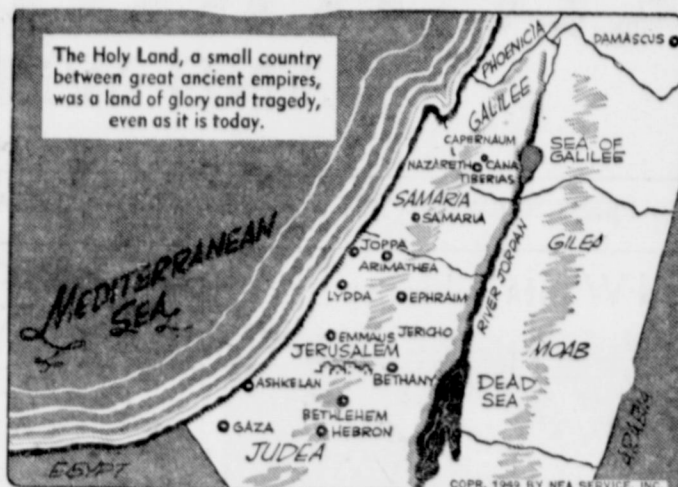
To prove his point, Fader priced his steaming java at 4 cents a cup.

Fader's coffee business has tripled, and his other business was

THE STORY OF THE SAVIOR The World Into Which Christ Was Born BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.



Peace was over all the world, but it was the "Pax Romana," the peace of the mailed fist of Rome, which had then conquered everywhere.



The Holy Land, a small country between great ancient empires, was a land of glory and tragedy, even as it is today.



Herod was King of Judea by the will of Rome. He had given the people a magnificent temple, but he was a ruthless tyrant, and unspeakably cruel.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



ALLEY OOP

BY V. T. HAMLIN



picking up, too. HIDALGO, Dec. 9 (UP)—The Mexican government received 66 more complaints today about treatment of Braceros by Arkansas farmers.

The 66 Mexican workers, arriving here yesterday from Wilson and Longview, Ark., reiterated charges filed last week by 99 other Braceros. They said they weren't paid for time lost due to rain and weren't given subsistence for the trip from Arkansas to their homes in Ramosariste, Mexico. They also claimed they were compelled to buy cotton-picking sacks at \$2.25 a piece.

MARSHAL, Dec. 8 (UP)—Unofficial returns today showed that Harrison County voters turned thumbs down on an \$800,000 road bond issue. With 22 of 25 boxes reported, the count in yesterday's election was 1,147 for and 863 against. A two-thirds majority was required for passage.

The bonds would have covered, among other things, construction of a \$635,000 road farm-to-market road from Marshall to the site of a multi-million dollar Tennessee Eastman plant in southwest Harrison County.

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—Mrs. Iva Aday Poyner, 52, one-time deputy bank commissioner for Texas, died at her home here yesterday.

She was the wife of Dr. Herbert Poyner, and held the state office from 1921 to 1924, when she married.

She was a graduate of Southwestern University in Georgetown. Services conducted by Bishop Clinton S. Quin of the Texas Episcopal Diocese will be held tomorrow afternoon.

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FOR RENT: Downtown, upstairs 3 room apartment, nicely furnished. Phone 692.

FOR RENT: 3 Room house with garage. J. N. Jordan, near Hickok Plant.

FOR RENT: Small furnished house, with garage. 211 East Valley.

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Willie Pearl O'Steen.

Dear Santa Claus—
I want spurs, boots, gun, gun belt and everything cowboys wear. I have been a good boy and work hard. Please give me a piece of candy and take a lot to the poor boys and girls. I am four years old. Thank you.
Lots of love,
J. D. Duncan, Olden.

Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me some boots and all cowboys wear and a gun. I want a bar of candy. Thank you. I am a good boy and five years old.
Lots of love,
Morris Ray Duncan, Olden

We are a couple of twin boys, seven years old and in the second grade. We would like for you to bring us a bicycle for Christmas. Hayden Lee, our little brother, three years old, wants two guns, holster and a wagon. We have all been good boys. Hope you come to see us.
John and Don Wilson.
Box 91, Carbon.

Dear Santa Claus—
I have been a good boy. I want a BB gun and a pair of spurs and two Gene Autry guns. I hope you bring it, dear Santa Claus. Bye. I am nine years old.
Bill Phillips.
Care John's Cafe.
Carbon.

Dear Santa—
I am five years old. I have one brother and one sister. We want you to visit us. Please bring me an "Amosn Dra" doll.
Joyce Robertson,
Route 2, Gorman.

Dear Santa—
I want a soft ball and a baseball glove. I want a monopoly set. I am nine years old and I am in the fourth grade. I want a fountain pen set. Love,
Ronald Ray Robertson,
Route 2, Gorman.

Dear Santa—
I am a little girl five years old. I have a little brother three, and a baby sister five months old. We want you to come to see us and bring us some toys. I would like to have a magic skin doll with

real hair, that cries, and a stuffed nurse set, and dishes. I don't have a stroller, a bed for doll will be fine. Derrell wants a wagon, football, gun and satchel, and little car. Deborah Kay would like a Totseat I think, and some stuffed toys. We would all like fruit, candy and nuts. We have been pretty good children and are trying to be better. We love you lots.
Darlene Coye Byrd,
116 East Garvin Street,
Eastland.

NEWS FROM Desdemona

DESDEMONA, Dec. 9 (Spl.)—Mrs. Nina Lohman spent the weekend in Ranger with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Warden.

Michael Pilgrim, infant son of Mrs. Ester Pilgrim is still on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Wilcoxson and daughter, Judy and Mack Keith were week end visitors here from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fair of Victor visited Sunday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Mobourn Wilcoxson.

Mrs. Major Keith was called to Dublin Friday because of the illness of her mother, Mrs. N. Par-tain.

Alec Browning of Denton visited over the week end with his sister and niece, Mrs. Iva Buchan and Lillie.
Mrs. Lora Abel left Sunday to be with her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Walker of Odessa, who is the mother of a girl named Jenny Lou.

Raymond Warren and wife and daughter and Mrs. G. W. Warren of Fort Worth visited Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Tickner Sunday and attended the service at the Methodist church. Mrs. Raymond Warren is the daughter of the Tickners.

December is the month to give

Kas... week... and Mrs... Brown and... E. P. Keit...

We wish to... thanking the... neighbors in the... loyalty in the illness... our loved one. Thank... the food brought to... the beautiful floral of... The Martin Family.

The Desdemona Girls... the basketball tournament... gleville last week end... first place. Lipian won run... and Lingleville won consol...

Gets Death In Houston Rape

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—A District Court Jury has sentenced Allen Conway Williams, 38-year-old Merchant Seaman, to death in the electric chair for sexual assault upon a 10-year-old schoolgirl.

The child, lured into a stranger's automobile as she left a movie house, pointed from the witness chair at Williams and said, "thats the man."
Williams pleaded innocent, and

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SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia, Dec. 9 (UP)—The Sarajevo county court returned guilty verdicts today against all 19 Soviet citizens on trial for espionage and sentenced them to prison at hard labor for terms ranging from three to 20 years.

All of the defendants immediately appealed. All are white (Anti-Communist) Russians who fled their homeland after World War I and became Soviet citizens after World War II.

The state charged they worked for a spy ring operated by the Soviet Embassy in Belgrade. They also were accused of wartime collaboration with the Nazis.

It was the first time since the war that Russian citizens have been tried, convicted and sentenced in any of the Eastern European countries.

Arsen Boremovic, former prosecutor for the wartime Puppet Yugoslav government, and the only defendant to plead innocent, was sentenced to 20 years at hard labor.

Father Alexei Krisko was sentenced to 11 1-2 years. A Russian Orthodox Priest, he admitted espionage for the Russians but denied charges he had been a Gestapo Agent.

Ksenia Komad, only woman defendant, a middle-aged school teacher who said she had lived with father Krisko during the war, received the minimum sentence of three years. She was charged only with collaboration with the Gestapo.

Leniency was recommended for the three youngest defendants because they supported Marshall Tito's wartime partisans. They were Vadim Gesler, found guilty of distributing Russian Propaganda, five years; Peter Sokolov, same charge, 4 1-2 years;

and Georg Oljsevsky, four years.

Two defendants, former Czarist Army Captain Vualimir Ognjev and Ilya Zerepkov, 30-year-old former employe of the Soviet information bureau, were sentenced to six years.

Anatoli Polyakov, a civil engineer, was sentenced to 10 years. Vasil Kostjukov, whose defense was that he was feeble-minded, received a five-year term.

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News From GORMAN

By Buena Van Winkle

GORMAN, Dec. 9, (Spl.) — Well, good people, here we are back again at our typewriter after having had a fire which gutted our home and destroyed all our clothing and furniture, including our office equipment. That is the reason we have neglected to send this column in for the last 5 weeks. It is rather an imposition to have to ask a business friend to lend

us his typewriter to write our correspondence on when maybe his secretary is standing by to be working on that same typewriter for him. People have been most patient and helpfully kind, and for that we are most humble grateful. We have made mention of the fact that we are living on the County — We are wearing clothing they have given us, we are eating the delicious canned foods they have brought us, and we are sleeping under coverings they have provided for us—there, you see we are living on the County. It is nice, though to live in a community where the people are so sympathetic and generous hearted

to any of it members in a time of trouble. The Sheriff and his wife were in Gorman, Tuesday on some sort of official business. It's always nice to see J. B. and Velma back among the old home town folks.

Mr. and Mrs. —R. E. Boucher spent the weekend in Post and Lubbock visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Ira Wilson and her mother, Mrs. Jake Stamey were shopping in Ranger Tuesday morning.

Friends mourn the passing of E. Y. Dabney resident of the Gorman Community since 1919. Probably some time Saturday evening he suffered a heart attack and friends who went to call on Sunday afternoon found him crumpled on his daybed. Since the passing of Mrs. Dabney last March 4th, Mr. Dabney had lived pretty much alone in his home out near the High School. He had suffered much from high blood pressure and kidney ailments in the past months, so that death must have meant a possible relief. All of the children were here for the funeral. They include: Dr. and

Mrs. Lance Dabney, Austin, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Briggs, Corpus Christi, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Oden, and daughter, Mary, Ft. Worth, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon W. Dabney, San Antonio, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dabney, Fort Lavaca, Texas; and Mrs. Pat Armstrong, Van Horn, Texas. A brother-in-law of Mr. Dabney, Mr. Sid Smith of Llan Texas, was also present for the funeral which was held at 10:30 o'clock in the First Baptist Church, Gorman, with interment in the Gorman Cemetery in the family burial plot. The Associational Missionary, Brother Blair assisted the Pastor of the Church The Reverend Vernon Hines, who is new on the field and had only known Brother Dabney for a matter of some two or three weeks, in the service.

M. F. Davis of the Salem Community was introducing his brother, W. W. Davis of San Bernardino, California, around in Gorman, Tuesday. W. W. Davis said he had at one time lived in Fort Worth, Texas, and he was coming back to Texas in the not too distant future. They always have a little bit of Texas in 'em when they have lived here for any length of time.

Mrs. J. O. Jackson was in Bryan Monday to attend the shower given for her daughter, Margaret Jackson and Clive Sloan, of Notrees, Texas. The young couple

will be married January 14th in a home wedding service at the Jackson home in Gorman.

Mrs. Edward Stacy of Carbon was shopping in Gorman, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Sims is spending several weeks preceding the Holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Winnie Boyd, of Pecos. Mrs. Sims will remain with Mrs. Boyd for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Huff celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 4th with all their children present. There were 4 generations represented and a host of friends in wishing the couple many more anniversaries. Mrs. Huff said she still was not interested in trading Mr. Huff off, so he must have made a good mate for the last 45 years. It's a long time to double team and still like it.

The Reverend B. F. Clements, pastor of almost every church from DeLeon to Eastland over a period of the last 40 years was back in town today. He's very much alive, wide awake, and still sure that the Lord has given him a very good life in the lives of the hundreds and hundreds of people he has touched over these 40 years.

Mrs. Nell Dolberry has returned from a two weeks visit with her sister Mrs. Elmer Norris of Ralls and Andrews.

I notice Eastland bragging about Christmas Decorations going up. Well, we already have several pretty and suggestive windows in Gorman proclaiming the Yuletide is almost on us. That's alright, Eastland. We all live in Texas, the Land of Tall Tales, and Texas Brags, so we can do a little bragging, too, it is justified.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Westmoreland are in the midst of preparations to move to California. Mr. Westmoreland will be with an oil company, and may be transferred for 18 months to 2 years to Arabia. These people, with their 3 fine children have been a very real active part of our com-

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munity and they will be missed in civil and church work. We wish them well, however, and hope they will see fit to come back to us some fine day in the future.

Oil activities is picking up out south and west of Gorman, with several blocks of acreage going at \$15 to \$20 per acre, and a geologist crew is really punching the ground out there full of holes. Somebody is going to give Old Mother Nature one of these days and she will spit a lot of oil right back in their face. But who would resent such spitting?

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The farmers all around Gorman have just about completed the harvesting of one of the best peanut crops in many years. The Gorman Peanut Company is keeping track with a specially built body hauling the peanut bolls—to fields and plots of ground where they are scattered back on the land as a form of fertilizer or soil builder. By the way, this reporter stood for some minutes the other day watching several cars of shelled peanuts being packed for European Recovery—it said so on the tags and the sacks were of such superior and tight construction that one man told me that each sack to pack these nuts in cost 26 cents apiece. So often we do not think that our community has much of a place in the big world, but here was our lowly little boober going all the way to hungry people in Europe.

The Zufelt brothers started the Fourth of July off with a bang on West Coast tracks this year. Ferrill won the first race at Holly wood Park, Gary won the first race at Portland and Ralph won the first race at Longsacres.

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CLASS A PLAYOFFS SCHEDULE

By United Press
A successor to Monahans as the State Class A champion was expected to emerge from tonight's feature game between New Braunfels and Mexia as the Class A playoffs turned into the quarter-final round.

The potent Unicorns, finalists along with Monahans last year, were slight favorites over the Mexia Black Cats, especially if the weather remains cold and wet to hamper Mexia's passing attack. Elsewhere, Uvalde, Ballinger and Mineola rated similar choices to move into next week's semifinals with close games being the rule in contrast to last week's second round when seven of the eight games were determined by three touchdowns or more.

whose pass defense has proved is scheduled tomorrow, the other three tonight. The Mexia-New Braunfels game pits the only two undefeated, untied teams.

Uvalde in the southern bracket and Ballinger in the northern bracket are unbeaten but they have been tied. Both Mineola and Littlefield lost a game during the season to non-district opponents. Garland and El Campo have been beaten once and tied once.

Ballinger and Littlefield collide at Odessa. If Ballinger's passing attack clicks, it should be too much for the South Plains squad whose pass defense has proved weak.

Rose Bowl Game Due Tomorrow

TYLER, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—Tyler and Fort Lewis Junior College elevens, contestants in tomorrow's Texas Rose Bowl game, scheduled their final workouts today.

Officials of the two-year college classic predicted a crowd of 13,000 for the afternoon game. Fort Lewis, which employs the single wing offense, is an underdog against the Apaches, champions of the Southwest Junior College Conference.

Highlighting pre-game activities will be a morning parade featuring 15 bands. One of the regiments, Gladeview High School, will represent Fort Lewis at the game in Tyler Stadium.

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Playboy Arrested In Narcotics Haul

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (UP)—A suave, mustached Broadway playboy was jailed today charged with being the ringleader of a multi-million dollar narcotics ring.

Angelo Ortiz, 27, was arrested by detectives last night who said they had trailed him for seven weeks as he nightclubbed in bright spots along the great white way. They said he offered them a \$25,000 bribe to let him go when they finally closed in.

Detectives said Ortiz led them to more than half a million dollars worth of marijuana and cocaine which he had hidden in his apartment and in a Bronx store-room.

Also arrested with Ortiz were his wife Rose, 21, Joseph Rodrigues, 40, and Ida Zayas, 26. Ortiz was charged with possession of drugs.

Police said Ortiz began his operations last March after a series of raids broke up a \$3,500,000 drug combine which also had operated along Broadway. Three men were arrested at that time.

The arresting detectives, John Cottone and George Zegers, said they found more than 1,000 marijuana cigarettes on Ortiz' person.

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