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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By United Press

GROESBECK, Feb. 23 (UP)—Ralph Ray said today he couldn't appear in Judge Frank Casey's Brooklyn, N. Y., court to pay a \$4 fine for overparking but was glad to hear he had been summoned.
Ray received a letter from the judge yesterday, informing him he had until Feb. 24 to pay the fine for parking his coupe too long last Jan. 18.
Otherwise, said Casey, Ray's license would be canceled.
Sheriff Bill Green of Limestone County replied to Judge Casey's letter, telling him that Ray's car was stolen here last Jan. 3.

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 23 (UP)—Fire damage at the B&W Engineering and Manufacturing

Co., was estimated today in excess of \$30,000.
George Beard, owner of the company, said the fire started last night after employees had finished pouring about 12,500 pounds of molten metal.

LONGVIEW, Feb. 23 (UP)—Gregg County recorded its first polio fatality of 1950 today with the death of six-year-old Douglas Ike Garland, of Longview.
The child's illness was diagnosed as bulbar polio yesterday, and he died in an ambulance, enroute to a Dallas hospital for treatment.

AMARILLO, Feb. 23 (UP)—The Disabled Veterans Association of Munising, Mich., has asked E. T. (Dusty) Miller, well-known Amarillo criminal attorney, to defend Arthur Ewald Johnson in the Tex Thornton murder case.
Both 30-year-old Johnson and his wife, Diana, 20, have been charged in the case. The Potter County Grand Jury has been considering the Thornton case this week but no indictments have been returned.
Miller visited Johnson in jail yesterday, but declined to say whether he would defend him. Johnson has made two statements, both purportedly admitting that he beat to death Thornton, well-known oilfield troubleshooter, in an Amarillo tourist cabin last summer.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23 (UP)—An ice and snow storm took a mounting toll of death in the Northeast today, and National Guardsmen stepped up evacuation of flood-threatened families in Louisiana.
The toll of dead from highway accidents, fires and explosions rose to 37 as the wintery storm piled a mixture of snow, sleet and freezing rain on the Atlantic seaboard from Pennsylvania to Main and westward to the Great Lakes.
South of the storm area the weather was mild in Virginia, the Carolinas and the Gulf States, and it was so balmy in the inter-mountain west that golfers were out at Salt Lake City.
Only on the northern plains along the Canadian border did the mercury dip below zero.
Transportation was snarled in New York and New Jersey as snow turned to freezing rain and laid a growing crust of ice and slush on rail lines, streets and airports.

Ice, Snow Still Plague Northwest

CHICAGO, Feb. 23 (UP)—The only commander-in-chief of the Confederate Navy was Admiral Semmes of Mobile.

Commercial airline schedules were upset, trains ran late and elevated and subway trains in New York City were short-circuited.

Severe weather west of Albany, N. Y., delayed New York Central trains as much as three hours on the Chicago-to-New York run. Long Island Railroad trains ran 1-1/2 hours late.

Several airports in the New York metropolitan area were closed, and LaGuardia Field curtailed operations. About 100 flights were cancelled there.

Ground Search For Missing Fliers Halted

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 23 (UP)—One Royal Canadian Air Force plane, three helicopters and a high-speed launch remained at Princess Royal island off the British Columbia coast today as the ground search for five missing crewmen of a B-36 bomber was called off.
Royal Canadian Air Force search headquarters said "the Chief of Staff for the U. S. Air Force agreed in discontinuing the land search."

More than 200 ground search party members were evacuated from Princess Royal and other nearby spits of jagged land off the British Columbia Pacific seaboard.
"No evidence has been produced to indicate further survivors on the island and it is considered that the area has been thoroughly searched," the RCAF said.

Twelve of the 17 men who bailed out of their crippled B-36 Feb. 13 were found on Princess Royal island. Three engines of Fort Worth-bound plane had caught fire and icing conditions forced the huge bomber to lose altitude.

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Influenza, Old Style Hits Hard In West Texas

BY UNITED PRESS

Influenza, of the "old-fashioned" type that hit during World War I, is occurring at epidemic rate in West Texas.

At Abilene, school officials said more than 7,000 children were absent from class because of 'flu.

Big Spring, too, was hit hard. Coach Carl Coleman called off spring football practice, and absenteeism in school was high.

At San Angelo, one first grade class was decimated—with 48 per cent of its total enrollment absent because of 'flu.

At San Angelo High School, the absentee rate was 12 per cent. Wichita Falls, likewise, reported a serious siege.

Doctors warned that the outbreak was not to be taken lightly, but thus far there have been no death attributed to it in the worst-stricken sections.

Mobile, Ala. was the first Capital of all French possessions in America.

NOTICE

As in prior years, interest on consumer's deposit at the rate required by law has been accrued and set aside for payment.

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"Love Triangle" Blamed In Death

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Feb. 23 (UP)—A "Love Triangle" at the state tuberculosis sanitarium was blamed today for a murder.

A patient at the hospital confessed last night that he shot to death John Myers, 49, a dining room employe, with a .22-caliber rifle while they were hunting rabbits in a pasture.

The 43-year-old patient said in a written statement to District Attorney O'Neal Dendy that Myers was his wife's "sweetheart." He said that she accompanied him from Sherman a year ago, when he was admitted as a sanitarium patient.

The suspect said he, his wife and Myers had been good friends and they had talked over their difficulties earlier yesterday, shaking hands at the conclusion of the conference.

Then Myers and the patient

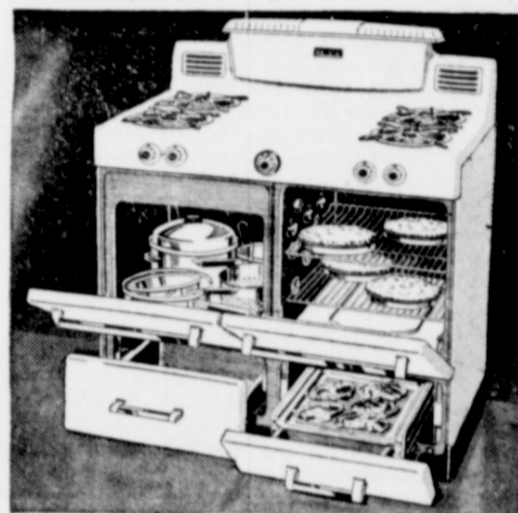
went hunting.
"I just went haywire," the patient said in describing the shooting.

The world's largest ocean terminal at Southampton, England is 1,200 feet long and triple-decked costing \$3,000,000. Built by British Railways, it provides complete steamship, train and automobile connections, greatly facilitating the landing and embarkation of passengers.

The promise of "lands full of beaver" lured traders and trappers along parts of the Mississippi, St. Lawrence, and the Great Lakes ahead of explorers and missionaries. The beaver laid the foundation for the Hudson's Bay Company and for John Jacob Astor's fabulous fortune, says the National Geographic Society.

Unless you gain more than a few cents per year, vote out parking meters because many of your Eastland neighbors are losing hundreds of dollars because of the meters. Cecil Holifield Adv.

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Woman's Page

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Double Seven Club Elect New Officers

Members of the Double Seven Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Charlotte Van Hoy for the election of new officers. With the president, Charolette Van Hoy presiding the following officers were elected, Betty Grimes president; Guyrene Robinson, vice president; Lydia Houston, secretary; Billie Farr, treasurer, Barbara Dick reporter. The group voted to sponsor a dance during the Easter holidays. Mrs. Bruce Pipkin, sponsor was present for the first time. Refreshments of sandwiches, crackers, cookies and cakes was served to Shirley Hightower, Pat Brown, Fern Shafer, Barbara Monelle Pullman, Monette Scott.

B. W. C. Meet In Lovelace Home

The members of the Business Women's Circle met in the home of Mrs. Tom Lovelace this week for a program on the Racial problem. Mrs. Lovelace gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Roy Young was Program Chairman. Miss Christine Garrard, President, presided over a short business meeting. Taking parts on the program were Mesdames Tom Amis, Eugene Green, Irma Little, Ita Parrish, Frances Zernial and Miss Garrard. Mrs. Roy Young gave the closing prayer. A refreshment plate was served. Others present not mentioned were Misses Florence Barber, Verne Allison, Alene Williams, and Mrs. Hannah Lindsey, Mrs. Alvis Wood of Ranger, daughter of the hostess, Mrs. Lovelace.

BUY SEVEN-UP



Smoking in Bed Costly — MINNEAPOLIS, (UP) — Smoking in bed cost Donald Cheney a fine of \$100 for starting a fire and "endangering the lives" of 30 families in an apartment building.

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Socialites Meet In King Home

Mrs. Bob King was hostess Tuesday afternoon to members of the Socialites Club for their regular weekly meeting. Mrs. King and Mrs. Bill Hoffman are sponsors of the club. Jeannine Howard, vice president presided over the business session in which plans for sponsoring a bake sale were discussed. Refreshments of cake, Cokes, nuts, and olives were served to Maxine Lambert, Christina Arther, Janell Day, Jeannelle Patterson, Jane Hart, Jeannine Howard, Jessie Whaley, Cova Williams and Mrs. Hoffmann. The group will meet next Monday in the home of Jeannelle Patterson.

Betty Robinson Hostess To Co-Ed Club

Members of the Co-Ed Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Betty Robinson for a weekly social and business meeting, with the president, Gay Poe presiding. Following the business session refreshments were served to Judy Hames, Delores Warden, Edith Cox, Mary Ann Henderson, Raye Hurt, Celeste Richardson, Sally Cooper, Erlene Miller, Eileen Vaughan, Patsy Simpson, Mable Grimes, Jana Weaver, Gay Poe, by the hostess Betty Robinson.

Las Leales Club Have Patriotic Program Here

Members of Las Leales Club met Monday evening at the Woman's Club for a Patriotic program. Miss Jessie Lee Ligon was hostess and Mrs. Lewis Crossley and Mrs. J. M. Cooper took part on the program telling of the pursuits of Happiness of the American people and Mrs. Cooper talked on the well known National Shrines. Mrs. W. Q. Verner, vice-president, presided over the business meeting and roll call was answered with America's Patriots, who have shaped America's Destiny.

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Open Door Group Enjoy Patriotic Party, Wednesday

Twenty young people of the Methodist's Open Door organization met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins for a fire-light supper. Mrs. Perkins conducted a George Washington quiz and played a recording of the Ballad For Americans for the group. Mrs. Harold Durham, co-sponsor was also co-hostess at the party. The Rev. J. M. Bailey, pastor was present and participated in the games. Spring flowers and flags were used in the decorations. A large flag was placed at the front of the Perkins' home.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Kimble Young and children, Ronnie and Judy were guests over last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Young.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood accompanied by Mrs. Wood's sister Mrs. G. W. Wilcox and son, Berry are attending the lecture course at Abilene Christian College this week.

"Dollar For Dollar" You Can't Beat A Pontiac Muirhead Motor Co., Eastland

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pipkin spent Sunday in Fort Worth.

"Buick For Fifty" Is Nifty And Thrifty Muirhead Motor Co., Eastland

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hoffman and C. W. Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoffmann accompanied by Mary Catherine Hoffmann visited Mrs. Hoffmann's sister, Miss Helen Hilton in Tyler over last week end. Miss Hilton and Mrs. Hoffmann celebrate their birthdays together annually.

Nelson Allison, student at Hardin-Simmons in Abilene and John Allison of Las Cruces N. M. were the week end guests here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allison.

Present were Mesdames Cooper, P. J. Cullen, J. O. Earnest, D. E. Frazer, H. L. Hassell, Prentiss Jones, Fred Maxey, Guy Patterson, G. A. Plummer, Homer Smith, Verner, Crossley, Ed Steele, Jr. and Miss Ligon.

News Items Morton Valley

MORTON VALLEY, Feb. 23 (Spl)—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fulfer of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheat Sunday.

Mrs. I. C. Shahan and Mrs. Bill Fulcher spent from Friday night through Sunday in Fort Worth visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cook.

Mrs. R. C. Balderree spent Sunday in Ranger visiting her children.

Miss Dorothy Wheat of Howard Payne College spent Sunday and Monday visiting her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wheat and Verna.

L. B. Reed was confined to the hospital from Friday night through Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. C. Pounds returned

Harold Malone and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Malone of Los Angeles, Calif., are here at the bedside of their father, W. I. Malone, who is critically ill at his home on East Sadosa Street. Mr. Malone is the father of Mrs. Wayne Canton.

Dr. and Mrs. Ben W. Clyatt of Palestine are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Ora B. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Clyatt, while Dr. Clyatt is testing Eastland County cattle for tuberculosis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Holt and children of Abilene, Billie Joe Fox of Coleman and Carolyn Fox were the dinner guests Wednesday in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parrock.

Other guests this week in their home was Miss La Rue Bond of Dallas, a granddaughter of the Parrock's.

Everett Matlock of Olden underwent major surgery this morning in Ranger General Hospital.

C. A. Howell of Breckenridge, who has been critically ill is reported to be better, friends here said today.

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home from Kermit where she had been with her son and family, Billy Pounds, taking care of the new granddaughter. Mrs. Bob Crouch and Sharon of Odessa returned home with her for a visit.

The Baptist of Morton Valley were defeated by the all-colored team from Brownwood in the Ranger gymnasium Tuesday night. A large crowd turned out for the event and saw good, clean ball played by both teams.

Clyde Manning, Mrs. C. T. Brockman, Mr. and Mrs. Bud White will go to Fort Worth Friday at which time Mrs. White will have a checkup by her physician there.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hearn, Linda Kay and Mary spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hearn.

This past week Aunt Mary Hearn's sister, Mrs. Julia Bean of Carbon has been visiting her.

Mrs. Janie Daniels and Mrs. H. O. Hearn attended a party at the home of Mrs. Elnis Hensley Tuesday night.

Andrew Beck has been under the care of a physician for the past week because of a back injury.

Johnnie Graham returned to school Monday after being ill two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nix and Mrs. Johnnie Craig and Mickey visited Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison in Breckenridge Tuesday night.

Mrs. Bill Guess and Ronnie have returned to Roby after spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham.

Mrs. Wince Graham, Jr., and

Ft. Worth Limestone

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 23 (SP)—USDA — Livestock: CATTLE 600: Slow, about steady. Medium and good yearlings 21.00-25.00, few common 18.00-19.50. Mature steers scarce. Common and medium cows 16.00-17.50, canners and cutters 12.00-16.00. Medium & good sausage bulls 18.00-19.50. Stocker cattle scarce. Wednesday's trade was fully steady.

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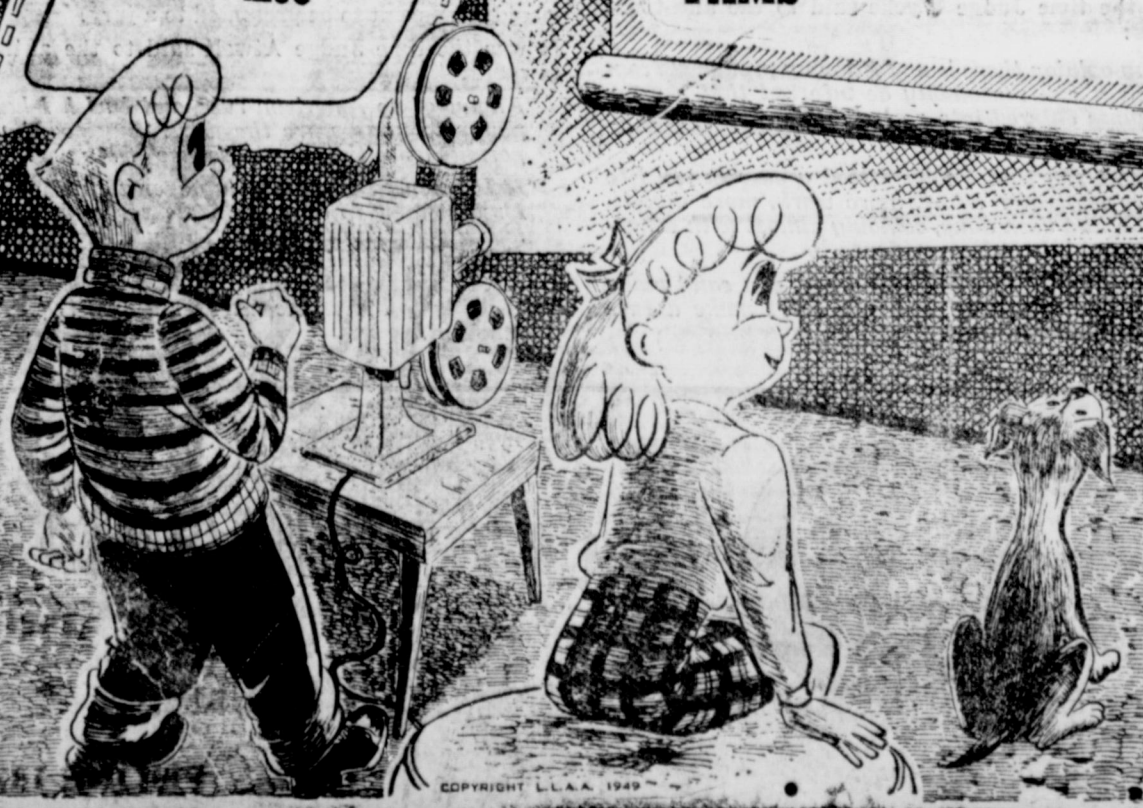
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**NEWS FROM
Desdemona**

DESDEMONA, Feb. 23, (Sp) —Paul Arnold of Kermit visited part of last week with his father, John Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Guthery, formerly from here and now of Gorman, are the proud parents of a baby girl born last week at the Gorman hospital. The little lady was named Eula Elizabeth. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Peg Abernathy, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported much improved.

Mrs. Ina Jones of Eastland and sister, Mrs. M. J. Keith visited Sunday with their mother, Mrs. N. S. Partain of Dublin.

Arch Brown of Dublin and Dr. and Mrs. Audie Brown of Gorman visited Thursday with their sister, Miss Alva Brown and brother, W. A. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Newton and son, Harold Dean of DeLeon spent Saturday in the home of her father, M. J. Keith.

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May made a business trip to Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel, Mrs. Ethel Keith and daughter Vonnie Bue spent Saturday in Eastland visiting with Mrs. Ina Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sharp and her mother of DeLeon were visitors in Desdemona Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Griffith is on the sick list now.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kropf visited Mrs. Edna Clayton this weekend.

Sun Chasing Cold From Texas

By United Press

Freezing weather was reported at San Antonio and Austin early today, but a bright sun chased the cold from the state by mid-morning.

The Dallas Weather Bureau said the cold front brought a low of 28 degrees at Junction, 32 at San Antonio and Austin and 33 at Waco.

Temperatures in the upper 60s or low 70s were expected during the day for much of the state. The forecast called for fair and warmer over the entire state today and tonight with partly cloudy skies expected tomorrow.

The temperature range in the last 24 hours included maximum readings yesterday of 82 at Brownsville and 51 at Dallas and minimum readings last night of 51 at Brownsville and 22 at Daltart.

Learn While They Play
CHARLOTTE, N. C., (UP)—North Carolina's first public school class of retarded children "learned while they play." During their arithmetic lesson they play postoffice. Each student, ranging in age from 11 to 16 years, takes his turn being postmaster.

The Time The Anti-Trust Lawyers Killed Their Own Case!

For ten years the anti-trust lawyers have been attacking the business methods that make it possible to give the public the best quality food at the lowest prices.

In our last ad we told you how Federal Judge W. H. Atwell, at Dallas, threw the anti-trust lawyers and all their inflammatory charges against A&P right out of his court.

But the anti-trust lawyers were not satisfied with decisions against them by three federal judges.

They still wanted to destroy A&P.

They Appealed to New Orleans

So they appealed Judge Atwell's decision to the three-judge Circuit Court at New Orleans.

One of the three, Judge Curtis L. Waller, agreed with Judge Atwell that the case should be dismissed.

The other two members of the Circuit Court, Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., and Judge Allen Cox, although saying the case should be tried, agreed that the indictment was vague and contained many allegations which were inflammatory.

They decided that Judge Atwell at Dallas should protect A&P from these inflammatory allegations and could order the anti-trust lawyers to supply the defendants with a bill of particulars.

So the case was back in Dallas again.

Judge Atwell, carrying out the decision of the Circuit Court, struck out the inflammatory matter.

He said that without this inflammatory and prejudicial matter the Grand Jury might never have returned the indictment.

Judge Atwell said to the anti-trust lawyers: *"There are many statements in the indictment which are not at all in violation, and are highly prejudicial and inflammatory."*

The anti-trust lawyers objected. They advanced an amazing argument. They said that the removal of their inflammatory allegations (which all four judges had agreed did not belong in the indictment) destroyed their case.

Judge Atwell instructed the anti-trust lawyers to furnish the court with a bill of particulars. In short, he wanted specific charges instead of vague generalities. He set the deadline for furnishing this material at January 15th, 1944.

When the anti-trust lawyers twice asked for more time, pleading sickness among their staff, Judge Atwell extended the time to February 25th because he believed that they were honestly trying, in good faith, to prepare the material he had requested.

Actually, it developed, they were using the time to get ready to drop the case in Dallas and start it in another court.

They Quit in Dallas

On February 26th, while the judge was still waiting for his answer, and without any previous notice to him, the anti-trust lawyers gave a story to the newspapers in Washington, announcing that they were dropping the case in Dallas.

They said that it was their intention "to file a substantially similar suit in an appropriate jurisdiction at an early date."

The "early date" turned out to be the same day.

As soon as one anti-trust lawyer killed the case in Dallas, another anti-trust lawyer filed a new case in Danville, Illinois. This new case made most of the same allegations that had been made and dropped in Dallas; and that are being made against us today.

So now, according to the anti-trust lawyers, all four judges who had ruled on the Dallas case were wrong.

Despite defeats in three federal courts in widely separated parts of the country, they continued their campaign to destroy A&P.

When Judge Atwell heard of their action he ordered the anti-trust lawyers to prepare an order for his signature dismissing the Dallas case.

In signing this order he said to the anti-trust lawyers: *"This nolle prosequi does not have the sanction or approval of this court. That is not necessary, nor that the government ask for the court's approval."*

"It is, however, a matter that may be presented to the other court and may be of interest to the people at large."

So after their efforts to destroy A&P had failed in Washington, D. C., Wilson, North Carolina, and Dallas, Texas, the anti-trust lawyers moved on to Danville, Illinois.

They were still determined to destroy this company which had brought more and better food at lower cost to millions of American families.

They Were Wrong Three Times Before!

Three times the anti-trust lawyers went into federal courts and made serious and damaging charges against A&P.

Three times federal judges said the anti-trust lawyers were wrong and rendered decisions against them.

In previous ads in this series we told you about these other anti-trust "cases" involving us, which the judges said were not cases at all.

We think you should know about these previous cases, because once again the anti-trust lawyers are making damaging "allegations" that could seriously affect our business if they were believed by the public.

There was the time in Washington, D. C., when they said we and other good American citizens conspired, to fix the price of bread in that city.

This was the time Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough ruled that A&P and the other defendants did not even need to put in a defense. He instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty".

It was the time Judge Goldsborough said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If you were to show this record to any experienced trial lawyer in the world, he would tell you that there was not any evidence at all."

"Honestly, I have never in my over forty years' experience seen tried a case that was as absolutely devoid of evidence as this. That is the honest truth. I have never seen one like it."

There was the time in Wilson, North Carolina, they said we and other good American citizens conspired to fix prices paid farmers for their potatoes.

This was the time Federal Judge C. C. Wyche directed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty".

It was the time Judge Wyche said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"In my opinion there is no testimony produced from which it can reasonably be inferred that the defendants entered into a combination to depress or lower the price of potatoes."

"I might say that I never tried a case in my life where a greater effort, more work, more investigation had been done, combing almost with a fine-tooth comb to gather evidence."

"But, as was said a long time ago, you can't make brick without straw, and you can't make a case without facts."

There was the time in Dallas, Texas, when they made practically the same "allegations" they are making today.

This was the time Federal Judge W. H. Atwell ruled that the case should not even be tried. He said that the indictment contained inflammatory statements that he would not permit to be presented to a jury.

It was the time Judge Atwell said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"I know of no American rule, and I wish I had the power to underscore the word 'American,' which permits us to try a man because of his size."

"If I thought I was presiding over a court and that I might have to sentence some person because he was a great big fellow, or because he was a Lilliputian, I would feel like resigning. God knows we don't want it ever to occur in America that the size is going to determine whether a man is guilty or innocent."

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Olden School News

BASKETBALL

Basketball season has ended for both the boys and girls at Olden. The season was fairly successful for both teams. The girls won second place in the county tournament and went to the district tournament at DeLeon last weekend. There, the girls played Huckaby in their first game and lost by the score of 25-24. In their second game with Piddy, they lost again by the score of 41-40.

Nine girls received gold basketballs for playing in the district tournament. This was the first

Olden girls' team ever to go to district.

The boys had a good season also — winning second place in their district. They were beaten by Desdemona in a best two out of three game series to decide the district champion. The boys have won about 75 percent of their games this year. Another nice thing that has happened to the boys, besides having a good season, was their getting new warm-up suits.

The last game of the season for both teams was played Saturday night in an exhibition affair, when the boys played the girls. They played girl's rules and the boys wore boxing gloves. The score at the end of the game was 18-8, in favor of the boys.

The ones who lettered on both teams have ordered jackets. They are going to be nice and the boys and girls will certainly be proud of them when they come in.

The boys and girls are starting on softball and tennis.

CHAPEL PROGRAM

The seventh and eighth grades, taught by Miss Green, gave a chapel program last Wednesday, Feb. 15, at 10 A. M. The program follows: A song, "Tramp Away"; a skit, "Calling All Cars"; Rex Martin, Alvis Rogers and Dale Norton; piano solo, "Tiny Fingers"; Lucy Norton; a reading, "When Daddy Kissed the Cook"; Bettv Smith; song, "Down In A Coal Mine"; a skit, "How Does Your Garden Grow"; Roy Neil Nelson and

Eastland should be the Hub of this trade territory. Is it? Will parking meters make it? Vote Tuesday. Cecil Hollifield. Adv.

EMERGENCY POWERS USED TO MEET COAL SHORTAGE

BY UNITED PRESS

The coal strike forced state and city government to use emergency powers today to obtain fuel supplies for vital public services and telephone workers postponed a strike scheduled to start tomorrow. John L. Lewis, leader of the striking United Mine Workers, met with mine operators again as both sides sought to end the walkout.

Authorities in 10 states issued emergency orders in an attempt to keep hospitals and other public institutions operating.

Layoffs idled more than 60,000 workers in industries dependent on coal and that figure was

expected to grow within 24 hours. Another 372,000 UMW members are off the job along with 1,000 members of the rival Progressive Mine Workers.

The Ford Motor Co. said it would lay off 40,000 workers tomorrow and Packard will close March 6, sending 6,900 additional workers home.

Other auto makers were expected to make similar announcements today.

A threatened strike of CIO Telephone Workers was postponed 60 days when both union and management officials agreed to President Truman's request for further contract talks.

Negotiators in the month-old Chrysler strike met today for the 11th straight day with little apparent optimism. The auto industry's second largest strike since the war was stymied over pension demands by the CIO United Auto Workers.

Now however, the pension issue has been shunted into the background while company and union officials present new contract demands.

At Seattle, the Independent Association of Machinists has approved a strike vote against Northwest Airlines. Union officials said 85 per cent of North-

west's mechanics voted to strike if necessary and that they could paralyze the company's domestic and overseas operations.

Meanwhile, UMW leaders met with Anthracite Coal Operators again as contract talks dragged along with little change. The hard coal miners have not walked out, although they are working only three days a week.

Childress Boy Has 14 Grandparents

CHILDRESS, Tex., Feb. 23 (UP) — Jimmy Don Rothwell, born to 16-year-old Mrs. Billy Joe Rothwell this week, is well supplied with grandparents.

He has 14 in all—including four great-great grandparents.

On his mother's side, there are three fifth generation grandparents—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pitman of Childress, and Mrs. W. A. Bennett of Dallas.

On the paternal side, there is Mrs. J. W. Mullins of Childress, great-great grandmother of Jimmy.

GRADE TOURNAMENT

The grammar school boys' tournament here was very successful. The Olden team won consolation, when they beat Moran in the finals Saturday night. Billy Butler won a medal for being on the all-tournament team.

The grade school boys and girls played Carbon at Carbon Tuesday night, Feb. 21, winning all of the games.

Sandra Herrell; a reading, "Wish I Wuz A Boy"; Thelma Edwards; quintet, Thelma Edwards, Carolyn Burks, Shirley Matlock and Elouise Horn; and Margaret Alford sang "Oloho Oe"; skit, "Forget Me Not"; Billy Butler, Margaret Alford, Marvin Elliott and Thomas Lindsey. The program ended with a piano duet, "Whispering Hope"; Thelma Edwards and Miss Green. Miss Green played Wilma Elliott's part because Wilma was sick that day. The program was very good. Another chapel program will be given by the Freshmen and Sophomore classes soon.

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