

12-26-1947

The Ledger and Times, December 26, 1947

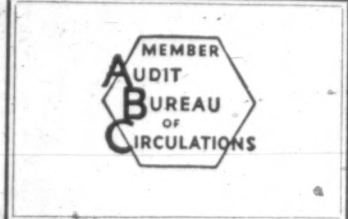
The Ledger and Times

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.murraystate.edu/tlt>

Recommended Citation

The Ledger and Times, "The Ledger and Times, December 26, 1947" (1947). *The Ledger & Times*. 1675.
<https://digitalcommons.murraystate.edu/tlt/1675>

This Newspaper is brought to you for free and open access by the Newspapers at Murray State's Digital Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in The Ledger & Times by an authorized administrator of Murray State's Digital Commons. For more information, please contact msu.digitalcommons@murraystate.edu.



THE LEDGER & TIMES

WEATHER FORECAST

KENTUCKY — Fair and somewhat colder tonight, Saturday fair and a little warmer.

United Press

YOUR PROGRESSIVE HOME NEWS-PAPER FOR OVER HALF A CENTURY

Murray, Kentucky, Friday Afternoon, Dec. 26, 1947

MURRAY POPULATION — 5187

Vol. XIX; No. 163

Two Suspects Released For McGee Murder Charge

Seventeen-Year Old Girl Held for Examining Trial

The County Attorney's office announced this morning that two of the suspects held in connection with the Lon McGee slaying Tuesday have been released.

Still held in custody is Christine Davis, 17-year-old girl, who reported finding the victim dead in his home. McGee had been stabbed and beaten on the back of the head. He had also been robbed of about \$50.00, it is reported.

The two suspects released after questioning by authorities were Bub Knight and Jack Martin.

An examining trial of the Davis girl, conducted by County Judge Pink Gurd, will be held today or tomorrow.

Funeral services for McGee were held in St. John's Baptist Church this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock under the direction of Rev. Kirby of Cadiz.

Burial was in the city cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of Rias Dunn, funeral director.

White Christmas To Be Whiter In Northern States

More snow for the holiday weekend was forecast today for the north central and northwestern states.

U. S. Weather Forecasters said, however, that the snow would not be heavy enough to affect weekend driving.

A two-inch blanket of snow already covered North Central States. The weather bureau said that light to medium snow would fall in Northern Minnesota tonight, and would spread southward through the Great Lakes region in the following 24 hours.

Storms off the East Coast brought snow to the seaboard from Washington to Boston. Temperatures there were the coldest in the nation with a low of eight below recorded at Lebanon, N. H.

The rest of the country was clear and warmer.

Southern California cooled off slightly after its hottest Christmas in 33 years. At Los Angeles, the mercury rose to 81 degrees at the weather station and to 84 degrees in the heart of the city.

Extra life guards were ordered to duty as residents of the area celebrated Christmas with a dip in the ocean.

Wallace To Give Political Program Monday Night

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26 (UP)—

Henry A. Wallace's political program is a double-barreled affair designed to lick President Truman in 1948 and to set up a major left wing party for 1952.

Wallace would expect to head the left wing presidential ticket again in 1952—and to be elected. That would involve a fundamental realignment of parties in which the left wing would absorb or displace most of the Democratic party organization outside the Solid South.

On Monday night Wallace will state his 1948 political plans in a Mutual System broadcast from Chicago. A slightly qualified announcement that he will lead a third party in next year's presidential election is almost inevitable.

Wallace's published statements have by now foreclosed any deal by which he might support President Truman for election next year. Wallace also has blackballed most of the possible Republican candidates, including Sen. Robert A. Taft, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg.

Wallace probably could support Harold E. Stassen or Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for President on the Republican ticket without eating too many words.

But the left wing of American politics has kidnapped Wallace and he would have difficulty getting away. Among his captors are the American Communists whose publications now whip him up for him as the spiritual successor of the late FDR who, in turn, they used to denounce as a "war-mongering imperialist" until Hitler invaded the Soviet Union and Russia desperately needed the assistance Mr. Roosevelt was able to give.

Red-headed Walter P. Reuther was here the other day making a speech about the United Automobile Workers of America (CIO), of which he is the president. Someone asked Reuther about Wallace and the red head replied Wallace has been lost by organized labor to the Communists because he went on to remark:

"The Communists provide the greatest political valet service in the world. They write your speeches, do your thinking, arrange your meetings, provide your applause and as often as needed they inflate your ego."

Combining with the Communist party to spark Wallace's political adventure is the Progressive Citizens of America, a Communist-infiltrated outfit which is beginning to blossom with some of the characteristics of a Communist front. Through efforts of these two organizations Wallace's sponsors believe they easily could get a third party ticket on the ballot in nearly a score of states and with good luck put it across in considerably more than that.

Ready and waiting is the Communist-infiltrated American Labor Party in New York. It has cast nearly 500,000 votes in past presidential elections and without it Mr. Roosevelt could not have carried New York State in 1944 or 1948.

Communists and the PCA are petitioning now to get Wallace on the ticket in California next year. In Illinois a new-born Progressive Party is ready and waiting for him, provided legal action fails to deprive it of ballot status gained last November in a judicial election.

Other states where Bernard Connel, Progressive Citizens of America spokesman, believes it will be relatively easy to put Wallace on the ballot are: New Jersey, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Oregon, Washington, Tennessee, Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Colorado, Ohio, Montana and Kentucky.

NEW YORK (UP)—The American Bible Society adopted the largest budget in its 131 years when it set its expected costs for 1948 at \$2,801,645. Of that sum, \$1,200,000 will be used to fulfill increasing calls for the Scriptures in war-devastated areas of Europe and the Far East.

SAVANNAH, Ga. (UP)—Charlie Walker, 102, ex-slave and Yankee soldier during the Civil War, hopes his 103rd birthday Christmas will be luckier than Thanksgiving. The house given him by the city when his shack was condemned as a fire hazard was destroyed by fire Thanksgiving.



ONE OF THE FIRST official acts of Governor Earle Clements after he had been sworn in as Chief Executive was signing a proclamation urging Kentuckians to donate liberally to the 1948 March of Dimes. January 15-30. With him is Nancy Drury, 2533 Rowan, Louisville, national poster girl for the 1947 March of Dimes.

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE Commonwealth of Kentucky

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, infantile paralysis again struck this nation heavily last year, taking a toll of thousands, mostly young children, and,

WHEREAS, in the past five years some 80,000 Americans have been stricken with infantile paralysis, among them, 1,212 Kentuckians, and,

WHEREAS, the 1948 March of Dimes—January 15-30 is the sole financial support of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and the Kentucky Chapter's work in Kentucky, and,

WHEREAS, during the past decade the National Foundation, and the Kentucky Chapter, serving every county in the Commonwealth have prosecuted vigorously our fight against infantile paralysis, and provided prompt and adequate medical care and treatment of infantile paralysis patients regardless of age, race, creed, or color, and,

WHEREAS, the Kentucky Chapter is working in close coordination with existing official agencies, the Kentucky Crippled Children Commission, Kentucky State Board of Health, and the Medical and Nursing Profession, and,

WHEREAS, through the National Foundation's great humanitarian endeavors fear has been replaced by hope, panic by knowledge, and thousands of children have had restored the priceless gift of motion,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Earle C. Clements, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby call upon all residents of Kentucky to join wholeheartedly and give liberally during the two weeks January 15-30, in making the 1948 March of Dimes the most successful in history so that the fight against this dread disease can be pressed more vigorously than ever.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 9th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty seven, and in the year of the Commonwealth the one hundred fifty sixth.

(s) Earle C. Clements
EARLE C. CLEMENTS, Governor

Mrs. Eugene Tarry Wins Decorations Contest With Xmas Reindeer Scene

Mrs. Eugene Tarry, 1108 Olive Street, won first prize of \$30 in the Christmas Home Decorations contest sponsored by the Retail Merchants Association and directed by the Murray Woman's Club.

The Tarry front porch was decorated with a reindeer scene. Two full size deer stood in front of a lighted Christmas tree. The entire scene was illuminated with a flood light.

Second prize of \$20.00 went to the R. E. Kelley home at 406 North Fourth Street, which had three wise men on the roof of the front porch with the scene illuminated by blue lights.

A door display with Christmas holly won third prize of \$10.00 for the Henry Hargis home at 304 South 12th Street.

Fourth, fifth and sixth prizes, of \$5.00 each, went to T. Sledt, 712

One Person Injured As Christmas Day Fire Burns Lobby Of Varsity Theater

Holiday Deaths Claim Many As Toll Mounts

Death refused to take a holiday along with celebrating Americans today and 282 persons died violently in highway and other tragedies.

Highway crashes, fires and other mishaps were taking a toll of almost eight dead each hour for the 36 hours ended at 6 A. M. today.

Traffic accidents accounted for 162 dead and other types of accidents for the other 120.

The fire reportedly followed a drunken brawl between Greely Jim, the Indian who ran the resort, and a patron. During the fight, Jim kicked over a gasoline stove and threw a can of gasoline against it.

The explosion blew Jim through the roof. Five members of his family died in the resulting flash fire. Three patrons of the gambling establishment also were killed outright. An unidentified baby also was found dead in the wreckage.

The 10th victim died later at a hospital where he had been taken with nine other injured.

Six men and a woman died in the fire in Texas. They were found suffocated in the ruins of some of the bodies were found in a second floor hotel which was partially demolished late last night. Hallways, indicating that the victims had been awakened by the smoke and flames and attempted to flee.

A bus overturned at Beaufort, S. C. Christmas Eve, killing six persons, all negroes. The accident occurred when a strap-hanging passenger lost his balance and fell against the driver.

The driver lost control and the vehicle plunged into a ditch and overturned. Four persons were killed outright and two died later.

Thirty-one other passengers were injured, 13 of them seriously.

Two children died in a fire before dawn yesterday at Ocean Park, Cal., and their father was booked on suspicion of murder after police learned he had been drinking Christmas Eve.

The man held was Claude Axley, 32, his wife, Mabel, 30, was burned seriously attempting to save the children, Claude Jr., 8, and Jimmy, 3. Mrs. Axley told police that her husband had become drunk, quarreled with her, and locked her out of the house Wednesday night. She slept in the garage, she said, and was awakened by the sound of the flames yesterday morning.

She said she pounded on the door of the house. Her husband opened it and said: "It's too late; they're gone." She ran through the flames to her sons room but they were dead.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE By United Press

Stocks lower in quiet trading. Bonds lower; U. S. Governments lower.

Curb stocks irregularly lower. Chicago stocks lower. Silver unchanged in New York at 74 5/8 cents a fine ounce. Cotton futures irregular. Grains in Chicago: Wheat, corn, oats and barley futures lower.

FIVE OF ONE FAMILY ON CAMPUS AT ONCE

MADISON, Wis. (UP)—The Thoma family of Madison is well represented in the University of Wisconsin this year.

Elizabeth Thoma, 18, has joined forces with her four, veteran brothers in invading the campus. She is enrolled in the college of letters and science while three of her brothers are in the electrical engineering school.

The fourth brother, Richard, a graduate student in biological chemistry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hopkins of St. Louis, Mo., are the holiday guests of his mother, Mrs. Laura Hopkins.

LIVESTOCK

ST. LOUIS NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Dec. 26 (UP)—(USDA)—Livestock:

Hogs 7,500; salable, \$5.00; market active, uneven; 50¢ to \$1 higher than Wednesday's average. Bulk of 180 to 240 lbs. 29.50-29.75; top 30 for a few loads; highest price since Sept. 11 when similar price was paid. 250 to 300 lbs. 28.75-29.50; 160 to 170 lbs. 28-28.75; 130 to 150 lbs. 25.50-28; 100 to 120 lbs. 22.50-25; good sows 450 lbs down 25.50-26.75; over 450 lbs. 24.75-25.75; stags 18-20.50.

Cattle 2,200; salable 1,200; calves 400, all salable. Approximately the equivalent of 1-2 dozen loads of steers offered; these mainly medium-fleshed kind, part of which sold early at steady prices, 23-26; heifers and mixed yearlings in light supply; mostly steady with medium to low good kinds 18.50-25. About 75 per cent of receipts cows; several loads of these being light weight southern canners. Market somewhat slow with a few early deals steady; although packers exerting pressure and relatively little done on canner and cutter grades. Bulls scarce, quotable steady. Choice vealers \$2 lower; top 33; other grades steady to \$1 lower; good and choice vealers 26-33, with common and medium 14.50-25.

Sheep 400, all salable. Market active on light receipts. Lambs unevenly strong to 50¢ higher; all other classes too scarce to mention. Good and choice woolled lambs, mostly all small lots 25.50-26; medium to good 22-24.50; cull and throwouts 17-19; park deck good and choice clipped lambs with N. 1 pelts 25; medium to good 24-24.25.

Christmas Buying Up 10-14 Per Cent From Last Year

NEW YORK, Dec. 26 (UP)—Last-minute Christmas shopping in the week ended December 24 boosted retail buying 10 to 14 per cent above a year ago. Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., reported today.

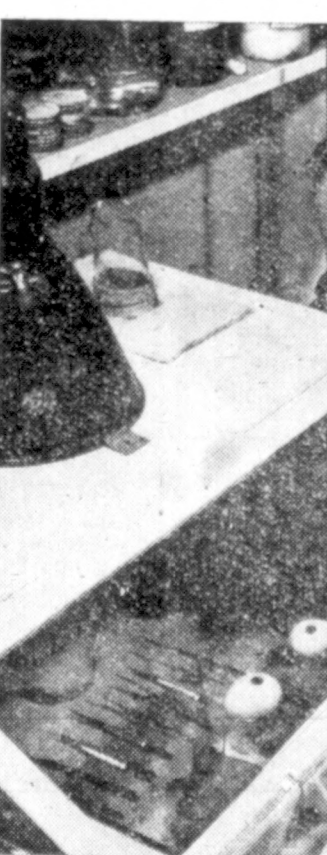
Buying was at a brisk pace as consumers wound up their shopping on Christmas eve. Demand for luxury items were generally below a year ago, but preference centered on moderately priced articles of good quality.

Lingerie, hosiery and other apparel items were very popular. Fancy dresses and suits were in good demand, the company's survey revealed.

In the food section, many groceries reported the volume moderately above a year ago, but attributed a part of the gain to higher prices.

The supply of all foods was plentiful and demand for confectionery and baked goods increased substantially.

Some resistance to leather goods was attributed by Dun & Bradstreet to higher prices. Florists reported a large increase in orders for holiday delivery.



TESTS CANCER THEORY... Dr. David M. Greenberg, University of California biochemist, is shown testing the theory that cancer is related to the body's formation of protein. He is examining eggs in which chicks are being hatched while an artificially induced tumor is grown on the membrane of the egg. This project is one of the many financed by the American Cancer Society with public contributions.

Bonds of Freedom on the Freedom Train Are Inspiration to Secretary of Treasury



Secretary of the Treasury John W. Snyder and Mrs. Snyder view the priceless exhibit during the Freedom Train's stay in Washington, D. C., which dramatically reveals the important role that United States Government bonds have played in the progress of the United States of America from its inception as a nation.

The American people have always responded to the call to buy freedom bonds. Secretary Snyder is directing a stepped-up campaign to sell more U. S. Savings Bonds as an anti-inflationary measure and to help insure continued peace and prosperity.

U. S. Treasury Department

IF YOU WANT TO



USE THE CLASSIFIED and Save Money

Wanted

SALESMAN WANTED—Salesman between 25 and 35 with previous successful sales experience preferably in some specialty line. Many school men have proven to be right type. Must have car. If you have zip and ambition and you really want to make good, our opening will warrant your investigation. Most of our present staff of more than one hundred salesmen have had a college education or at least a part of one. Opening due to illness of former representative. Established business with many term contracts in force. Compensation on basis of drawing account against commissions. West Kentucky territory. Serving schools, churches, and industries. Please write for application blank to P. O. Box 29, Lexington, Kentucky. D21c

For Sale

FOR SALE—Nice Grocery store at 412 South Second St., Mayfield. New meat counter, scales. Price \$3,400 or \$3,400. D26p

FOR SALE—Royal Vacuum Cleaner. Good as new, with attachments. \$39.50—L. C. Robinson, 509 Poplar. D26c

FOR SALE—Good city bottle gas stove. Used about five months. Installation free. Owner George Hayden. Call 1073. D26p

Lost and Found

LOST—Keys in leather case somewhere between P. O. and Ledger and Times. Reward. Return to Ledger and Times. D26c

LOST—On streets of Murray, one Mortyn ladies wrist watch. In rose gold case. If found call 155p, Murray. Reward. D26p

Notices

DON'T FORGET our Auto Auction Sale every Saturday beginning at 10:30, rain or shine, \$2.00 if they do sell. Anybody can sell... anybody can buy—Main Street Car Exchange and Auction Co., Hopkinsville, Ky. D26p

NOTICE—House wiring. Immediate service. Inquire General Appliance Shop, Third and Walnut. Phone 1035. Night 1106-X-M. Edwin Greenfield. D26p

For Rent

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished two room apartment. Electric stove, hot water. Adults preferred. 413 N. 6th or call 895-W. D26c

The human heart pumps the equivalent of six barrels of blood every hour, the World Book Encyclopedia states.

Colds

The best known home remedy you can use to relieve miseries is **VICKS VAPORUB**

PURDOM HARDWARE COMPANY

HARDWARE HOUSEWARES APPLIANCES BOTTLED GAS STOVES SPORTING GOODS PAINTS, Etc.

"WE SERVICE WHAT WE SELL"

A RICH GIRL

BY MARGARETTA BRUCKER



When Michele (Mickey) Ryan, rich Detroit society girl, meets Peter Standish, poor young lawyer, he thinks she's a working girl and, when he says he hates the rich, she hides her identity, saying her name is Mickey Brooks. Later, he proposes and she accepts him. Deciding really to become a working girl, she leaves the home of a wealthy aunt, giving the impression that she has gone to Virginia. She and a friend, Rosamond Wilson, start training for war jobs. Peter has enlisted in the Army. Before he goes away, he asks Mickey to help a girl named Lottie McDonald to get in touch with Michele Ryan, saying that Lottie needs money and that girls like Michele owe something to those less fortunate. Mickey is disturbed by his interest in Lottie, but goes to see her, learns that the girl is expecting a baby, and gives her some money. Later, she visits her aunt and gives her a valuable wrist watch. That night Lottie is murdered. The police see the watch as a clue and start to trace it. Rosamond advises Mickey to go home and pretend she has been out of town. She then suggests that, if it was Peter who got Lottie into trouble, he may have sneaked back to town and killed her. Mickey furiously rejects this suggestion.

CHAPTER XXIV
The cab turned into the driveway of Aunt Henrietta's estate. As it came to a stop before the house, the front door opened and John, the butler, appeared. He came running to take Mickey's suitcase. Mickey flashed in her purse for a bill with which to pay the taxi driver, then climbed out after Rosamond and walked with her up the steps to the house.

"Suppose that driver should read in the paper that I'm supposed to have flown back from Virginia, and should tell the police he didn't pick me up at the airport," Mickey whispered worriedly.

"He won't. Why should he volunteer information about a girl?" Rosamond replied. "You tipped him handsomely, didn't you? That's all he's interested in."

However, Mickey looked back and felt a stab of uneasiness as she saw that the driver, instead of starting his car and driving away, was waiting for her curiously. Then, suddenly, she realized that she had seen him once before. He was the man who had driven her and Peter to the Y.W.C.A. that afternoon when Peter had taken her to Rosamond's shop to look for work. And, apparently, he remembered her!

Why was he staring at her so curiously? Was he wondering why Michele Ryan should have gone to the Y.W.C.A.? Then, she thrust aside her feeling of apprehension. After all, curiosity might make any one stare at Michele Ryan.

AS SHE entered the house, John said, "Your aunt is waiting for you in the library, Miss Michele." Rosamond sat down on a chair in the hall. "Maybe it would be better for you to see her alone."

Mickey shook her head. "You will have to see me through this," Rosamond rose, with a shrug, and followed her into the library.

Aunt Henrietta sat before the fire. She looked up, and then her glance returned to the flames. She did not speak.

Mickey crossed the room and stood beside her, stooped down and kissed her.

IN MEMORY OF SWIFT MCNAB
son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McNab

On December 24, 1944, the death angel visited our home and took from us the joy of our home, our only son.

Yes, three long and lonely years have passed dear Swift since God took you to be with Him. I am sure God knew best, but it was so hard to give you up.

But there is never a day that Swift that we do not think of you. Your sweet smiles and your charming words that you use to speak are still with us every day. We treasure the times that were yours, knowing the dear little hands that once touched them will never touch them again.

We loved you dear, Swift, but God loved you more and He called you home to that bright happy shore. I know you are smiling with Jesus on high, where there's never a tear, a heart-sick or sigh.

So rest on dear Swift for a long time. I'll tell you when you are ready to be brought home. When Jesus calls I'll be ready to go and I'll say goodbye to friends here below.

Written by parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McNab

The heavier constantly wear away his sharp front cutting teeth as he gnaws down small trout, but he never needs new ones. The teeth keep growing as long as the animal lives.

WHEN POWER FAILS
KONLER ELECTRIC PLANTS
Provide Dependable Automatic Emergency Service For:
Hospitals Fire Departments
Bathhouses Greenhouses
Large Farms Municipalities
Police and Commercial Radio Stations and Commercial Users
HOLTRAMP ELECTRIC SERVICE
CENTRALIA, ILL. PHONE 2300

Today's Sports Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 26 (UP)—The major leagues are counting today on a great many rookies to make the grade next season but the pressure of 1948 will be on those freshman phenoms of 1947 who come to grips with the much-feared sophomore jinx.

The second year hoodoo isn't to be taken lightly for down through the years it has tapped some of the best on the shoulder. Some came back and some never again made it.

Those who attained first year success and must be on the lookout include 13 National leaguers, which may be a bit prophetic. They are Brooklyn's Jackie Robinson, Pittsburgh's Coby Ryland, Cincinnati's Frank Baumholtz, Boston's Earl Torgerson, Detroit's Spider Jorgensen, Pirate Wally Westlake, Giant Lucky Lohrke, Cardinal Chuck Dering and, among the pitchers, Giant Larry Jansen, Brooklyn's Harry Taylor, Cardinal Jim Hearn, Giant Ray Poole and Cincinnati's Ed Lively.

The risk is less in the American league because the junior circuit had fewer first year stars. Among them were Boston's Sam Rice, the A's Ferrie Fahn, Detroit's Vic Wertz, the Yankees' Yogi Berra and Ralph Houk, the Browns' Ray

Coleman, Washington's Eddie Yost and, among the pitchers, Viv Raschi and Karl Drews of the Yankees, and Bill McCann of the A's.

Waite Hoyt said once that no ball player, particularly among the pitchers, can be properly evaluated until he has been up on the big apple at least three years. But apparently if a player gets over the second year hum he'll do.

Yet what a climb that can be! Consider some of the cases. There was Cliff Melton, the Carolina hill billy with the liquid lightning fast ball and the just handle curve. He won 20 games his first year for the Giants, first such rookie performance in the National League since Grover Alexander's 1911 debut. But it was five years before "Mountain Music" had another winning season.

Then there was Paul Derringer, who went up to the Cardinals in 1931 and helped them to the pennant with 18 wins. Flattened twice in the World Series, Boom Paul

needed three years to rehabilitate himself.

And back in 1938 a young south-paw named Johnnie Vander Meer went up to Cincinnati and achieved the unprecedented and almost unbelievable feat of pitching two successive no-hitters. The next year a sore arm stopped him cold.

The New York Giants had another example of the sophomore jinx' effectiveness in the case of Bill Voiselle. The big guy won 21 games as a 1944 rookie and as a sophomore stumblor couldn't buy a victory.

Many of these brilliant baseball careers are handicapped by injuries. But that just seems to be part of the hoodoo. Yet while injuries bring about the downfall of many, it is only one symptom of a jinx in which much is psychological.

In all too many cases something either physical or mental happens to the rookie wonders and

losses them into a nondescript class the following year.

And there's a lot of them who must face the jinx in 1948!

GEESSE AREN'T SAFE
CHICAGO (UP)—R. Saunders, postman, discovered a new occupational hazard in St. Joseph, Mo., when a patron's pet goose ripped him, the National Safety Council.

WELCOME, MINN. (UP)—A young Welcome War veteran has begun a campaign against a pest that cost Minnesota farmers an estimated \$13,000,000 damage this year from corn borer.

Earnest Pollard, former Seabee has invented a curstalk cutter that chops the standing stalks into one-inch pieces, either killing the borers outright or making it impossible for them to survive the winter because of inadequate shelter.

Use our classified ads—they get the business.

HAYS & FIELDER

Quality Foods
16th and Main
Ample Parking Space

WE SELL

RUBBER STAMPS

Ledger & Times

By Ernie Bushmiller

NANCY

Santa Forgot the Rifle

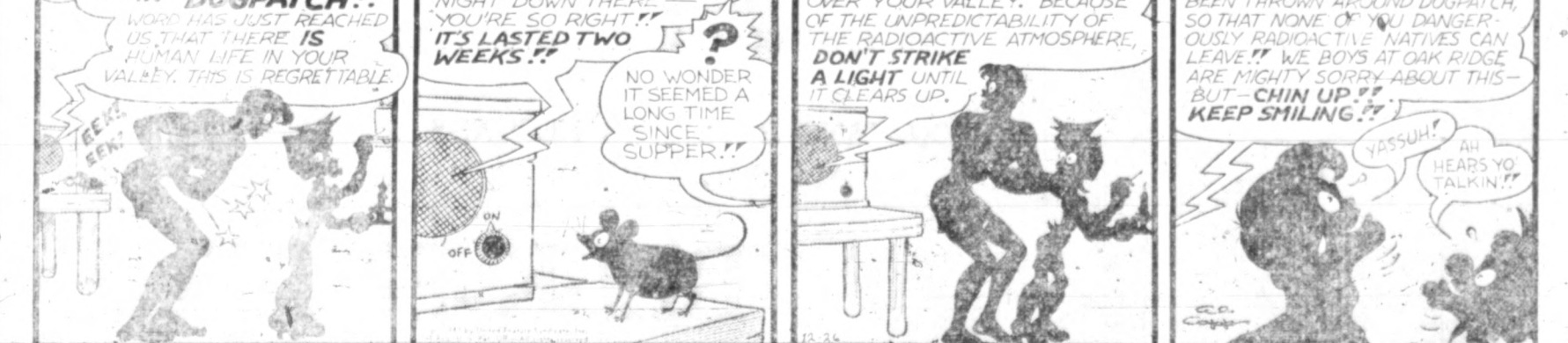
By Raeburn Van Buren



ABBIE and SLATS



L'L ABNER



WHEN POWER FAILS
KONLER ELECTRIC PLANTS
Provide Dependable Automatic Emergency Service For:
Hospitals Fire Departments
Bathhouses Greenhouses
Large Farms Municipalities
Police and Commercial Radio Stations and Commercial Users
HOLTRAMP ELECTRIC SERVICE
CENTRALIA, ILL. PHONE 2300

Women's Page

JO WILLIAMS, Editor — PHONE 374-M

Club News Activities Locals
Weddings

Johnston-Park Nuptial Vows Read Tuesday Evening

Miss Doris Johnston and Mr. Joel Park were united in marriage in a quiet double ring ceremony Tuesday evening, December 23 at seven o'clock in the home of the officiating minister, Rev. C. A. Rigg.

Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Bud, Miss Margaret Padgett, and Mr. Arwood Park.

Mrs. Park is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Iva Johnston of Hardin, Ky.

Mr. Park is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Park of Benton.

Mr. Park was in the service for four years and seven months and since his return he has made his home in Detroit.

Mrs. Park will accompany him back to Detroit.

Gerald Canter Weds Miss Edna Finsley At Home Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Tinsley of Lynn Grove announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna, to Gerald Canter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Canter of Lynnville, on December 16 at 6:00 o'clock.

The bride wore a street length dress of light blue with black accessories. Her corsage was white rose buds.

The double ring ceremony was solemnized in the presence of their friends and relatives at the home of W. O. Rodgers at Sedalia.

Immediately after the ceremony and wedding dinner the couple left for a honeymoon in the Smoky Mountains.

The couple will make their home near Louisville where the bridegroom is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Burken of Nashville arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Workman and Mr. and Mrs. Barnes Burken.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Workman and children of Louisville spent the holidays with his father, J. T. Workman, and other relatives.

The Citizens Food Committee Suggest:

A "PEACE PLATE" FOR TODAY

Save Wheat! Save Meat! Save the Peace!

FRIDAY PEACE PLATE

The day after Christmas usually marks a low ebb for appetites and energy. Home Economists who plan the Peace Plates suggest that the remainder of the bird be held wrapped, cold and hidden so that it will be more interesting for week-end service.

For the simple "day after" main dish, serve Delmonico Vegetables with crisp, golden topping—piping hot from a casserole, or in individual baking dishes if you wish. Buttered green beans, with the added zip of a little chili sauce, are a good accompaniment with shredded crisp raw carrots or carrot sticks. Serve an easy dessert like strawberry jam and toasted cracker.

DELMONICO VEGETABLES
1½ tablespoons butter or fortified margarine
1½ tablespoons flour
1½ teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
1½ cup cold boiled or baked potatoes, diced
1 cup each cooked diced white turnips and peas (or any other vegetable combination)
1 tablespoon minced parsley
½ cup grated American cheese
Browned Cereal Topping

Bourland-Wright Marriage Vows Read Saturday

Miss R. E. Wright became the bride of Mr. Garvin Bourland, Saturday afternoon, December 20.

The Rev. Lloyd Wilson read the nuptial ring ceremony in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Hildred Paschall. The bride was attired in white flannel with black accessories.

Mrs. Bourland is the daughter of Mrs. Alta Stubbins of Mr. Bourland is the son of Mrs. Daisy Bourland, both of Murray.

After the ceremony they left for a short wedding trip.

College Calendar

January 5, and 6, Monday, and Tuesday—Registration.

January 7, Wednesday—Chapel, Speaker, Rev. George Bell. Basketball game with Memphis State, here, 8:00 p.m.

January 8, Thursday—Last day to register for full credit.

January 12, Monday—Last day to enter organized class.

January 14, Wednesday—Chapel, Student Org.

January 15, Thursday—Basketball game with Tennessee Poly, here, 8:00 p.m.

Mrs. Nadine Lockhart and Sue Nashville, are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hallet Hopkins.

Missionary Society, Of Locust Grove Has Xmas Program

The Locust Grove Missionary Society met December 20 for its regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Wavil Walker, with Mrs. Carl Usrey, the new president in charge of the program.

Those appearing on the program were: Mrs. Opie Watson, Mrs. Mary Radford, Mrs. Undine Hook, Mrs. Wayne Pierce, Mrs. Autumn Ezell, Mrs. Letha Chambers, Mrs. Sula Cunningham, Mrs. Robbie Staples, Little Miss Marilyn Usrey and Gwendolyn Pierce, sang, "Up on the House Top."

The rooms were decorated with red and green streamers, Christmas bells, boughs of holly, and a lighted Christmas tree. Gifts were exchanged.

Dainty refreshments were served to 14 members. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Robbie Staples, January 17.

FLINT NEWS

Vernon L. Trevathan returned to his home in Meridian, Miss., after a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmus Trevathan. Mr. Clarence Luter of Meridian, accompanied Mr. Trevathan and visited his sister, Mrs. Trevathan and other sisters in Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Purdon Lassiter and daughter Norma Frances, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trevathan.

Mr. Elmus Trevathan is improving slowly after being confined to his room for five weeks. He walks out about the lawn when the sun shines.

Mr. Gotic Gilbert and son James and family had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Swift and son Tommie of Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Jackson and three children also of Paducah, and Mr. and Mrs. Thimast Smith and son Jimmy of Murray.

The new bridge has been built over Rock House creek just west of Elmus Trevathan's home on the Kirksey road. This is a bridge that has been needed for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Scruggs of Murray drove down to Elmus

Bowl Roundup

By UNITED PRESS

Final drills for more than a dozen Jan. 1 football games begin today and at Los Angeles, where Michigan and Southern California will clash in the Rose Bowl, it appeared that Coach Fritz Crisler will be able to make good use of his alternating teams of defensive and offensive specialists.

Crisler's undefeated-united mid-western juggernaut has suffered from the California heat since arriving for the granddaddy of bowl contests but ripped through a sparkling scrimmage the day before Christmas. Yesterday Los Angeles had its hottest Christmas in 33 years. The temperature reached 84 degrees and Crisler, apparently well pleased with the condition of the Wolverines, said the team would hold only five more practices.

Michigan, unlike many cold-temperate teams that have bewailed California heat as the cause of their downfall, experienced a minimum of difficulty if the western heat wave continues through New Year's Day. Crisler used practically different teams on offense and defense to coast through nine games during the past season and probably will continue the system against Southern California.

Trojan Coach Jeff Cravath said yesterday he will start his regular lineup against Michigan. Cravath indicated that he will hold a single practice today but will go back to a two drills-a-day schedule Monday.

At Dallas, Tex., Penn State's Nittany Lions faced morning and afternoon drills today and tomorrow after going through a surprise practice yesterday. Coach Bob Higgins led the Lions through a turkey dinner and then took them out for a scrimmage which he said was a "little ragged."

The undefeated-united Lions met and feasted but once tied Southern Methodist in the Cotton

Trevathan's Sunday morning to see her nephew, Vernon Trevathan. Mrs. Scruggs thought the drive and fresh air might help her as she is confined in its last 30 games, takes on West Chester Teachers in the

Bowl. Penn State's co-captain and right tackle Jofin Nolan, who has a sprained ankle, reserve quarterback Walter Palmer, who has a cold, and end Dennis Hoggard, who was suffering from an upset stomach, missed yesterday's scrimmage.

C. M. U., who has not had a workout since last Saturday morning, resumes practice this afternoon. The squad is reported in top physical condition.

Both the East and West squads, who will meet in the annual Shrine game at San Francisco New Year's Day, worked out Christmas Day. The Western All-Stars went through a two-and-a-half hour session stressing contact blocking and pass defense, at Stanford University while the Eastern team drilled at Santa Clara, Cal.

Herman Wedemeyer of St. Mary's, Virgil Eikenberg of Rice and Cal Rossi of U.C.L.A. stood out for the Western squad. George Connor, Notre Dame's All-America tackle, Glen Treichler of Colgate, George Savitski of Pennsylvania and Larry Olsonoski of Minnesota, all of whom have been hospitalized with intestinal flu, re-joined the Eastern group and Head Coach Bernie Bierman of Minnesota scheduled double sessions today and tomorrow.

Teams in the other major bowl games, Alabama vs Texas in the Sugar at New Orleans and Kansas vs Georgia Tech in the Orange at Miami marked time over the holiday but will settle down to serious training today.

In other Jan. 1 bowl contests, some new, some old, Texas Tech will meet Miami (O.) in the Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex.; Georgia and Maryland clash in the Gator bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.; Mississippi plays Texas Christian in the Delta Bowl at Memphis, Tenn.; College of the Pacific and Wichita meet in the Raulin Bowl at Fresno, Calif.; William and Mary goes against Arkansas in the Dixie Bowl at Birmingham, Ala.; North Texas State Teachers plays Nevada in the Salad Bowl at Phoenix, Ariz.; Catawba and Marshall meet in the Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla.; University of Hawaii plays Redlands in the Pineapple Bowl at Honolulu, Missouri Valley, undefeated in its last 30 games, takes on West Chester Teachers in the

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Excel
- Long claw
- Pull with wonder
- Lifetime
- Bully
- Rumors
- Kind of fruit
- Came forth
- Warp
- Ion
- Roasting stick
- Exclude
- Blight depression
- Barbarian
- Liquid
- Palmer

DOWN

- Tall
- Mohammedan officer
- Writing
- Small
- Literary collection
- Musical note
- Only retreat
- Talisman
- Do
- Conclude
- More recent
- River in England
- What cows eat
- Throat
- Tip ship over
- King's home
- Enchantment
- Chum
- Excited
- Thaw
- Pigpen
- Southern general
- Dance step
- Plaything
- Sheep
- Rebeloid

KIAC Review

By DON BRUMBAUGH

Louisville pulled the upset of the week as they downed a power laden Eastern Kentucky squad by a 36-55 score in Louisville. Louisville still leads the KIAC teams with a 7-0 record.

The power of the Louisville team has not been determined as yet for the Colonels have defeated such teams as Kentucky Wesleyan, Georgetown twice, and Evansville. All these teams have poor records for this year and the edge over Eastern was gotten from a team with a 2-3 record.

Western Kentucky's Hilltoppers have a 5-0 record but lack a good list of teams defeated.

The schedule for this week: KIAC games in bold face: Friday—Eastern Kentucky-South Dakota; Morehead State-Evansville.

Cigar Bowl at Tampa, Fla.; and San Diego State plays Hardin-Simmons in the Harbor Bowl.

The Northern and Southern All-Stars will get the holiday week football binge under way tomorrow when they meet in the annual Blue-Gray game at Montgomery, Ala.

Complete Season Standings:

Team	W	L	Pts	Opp.
U. of Louisville	7	0	414	324
Western Ky.	5	0	370	216
Centre College	1	0	45	35
Berea College	3	1	229	169
Union College	5	2	340	384
Ky. Wesleyan	4	2	358	305
Murray	4	3	439	378
Eastern	3	3	324	321
Georgetown	2	5	394	397
Transy College	1	4	217	206
Morehead State	1	6	382	430
Total	35	26	3419	3188

Conference Standings:

Team	W	L	Pts	Opp.
U. of Louisville	4	0	231	169
Western Ky.	2	0	129	71
Ky. Wesleyan	3	2	283	241
Union College	1	2	91	127
Berea	1	1	131	116
Eastern	1	1	101	99
Morehead State	0	2	94	134
Transy College	0	2	83	134
Georgetown	0	2	96	126
Murray	0	1	43	46
Centre College	0	0	0	0
Total	11	11	1193	1193

AFTER CHRISTMAS SALE OF VALUES

We Are Making Drastic Reductions to Clear Out This Merchandise. Come In Today and Take Advantage of This Price Reducing Sale.



One Rack
LADIES WINTER DRESSES
ONE-HALF PRICE

One Rack
LADIES COATS
ONE-HALF PRICE

One Table
LADIES SWEATERS
ONE-HALF PRICE

Broken sizes and styles in LADIES DRESS SHOES.
Values to \$7.95. SALE SPECIAL \$2.00



ALL LADIES HATS
Regardless of former price
\$1.00

ONE LOT MENS SUITS

Values to \$39.50
50 to select from
Sizes 34 to 40

SALE PRICE
\$15.00

MENS DRESS TROUSERS

\$7.95 - \$8.95 - \$9.95 - \$10.95

SALE PRICE
\$5.00



NO EXCHANGES : NO REFUNDS
ALL SALES FINAL
BELK-SETTLE CO.