



March of Dimes Girl in Class—Wanda Wiley, March of Dimes poster girl, points to the blackboard in class under teacher Mrs. Doris Dodge at Govalle school, Austin, Tex.

Thirsty Texans To Get Relief

Shreveport, La., Dec. 29 (AP)—Three thousand gallons of Texas water are rolling eastward through Mississippi today en route to thirsty Texans in New York who couldn't get home for Christmas.

The tank truck started its trip from Austin, Texas, yesterday after railroad commissioner Ernest Thompson hoisted a water-filled cup to wish "Peace on earth—and a chaser" to Texans far from home.

The truck, loaded with water from central Texas' highland lakes, stopped here last night after the first leg of its 1,998 mile trip.

The water is a gift from the Highland Lakes News, a weekly devoted to fishing, hunting and loafing. When it reaches New York about New Year's eve, the tanker spigots will be opened to provide a drink for all Texans who can be found.

The water shipment is to travel to New York via Jackson and Meridian, Miss., Montgomery, Ala., Macon and Augusta, Ga., Columbia, S. C., Raleigh, N. C., Richmond, Va., Washington, D. C., and Philadelphia, Pa.



Dwarf Steer—A boy, 4, and a Great Dane tower over one of three dwarf steers from western United States at the Royal Agriculture Winter fair at Toronto, Canada.

A & P Head Says Anti-trust Suit Threatens Competition

New York, Dec. 29 (AP)—An executive of the great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co., said Wednesday that the whole field of American competition was at stake in the government's anti-trust action against A&P.

John C. Brennan, vice president of the food chain, said the anti-trust suit, if successful, would mean the end of A&P. "We say they (the anti-trust lawyers) are trying, by court decree, to impose a new economic policy on this country that will discourage any businessman from doing a better job than his competitor in giving his customers a better deal," Brennan told the American Marketing Association conference.

The anti-trust lawyers are "not trying to preserve competition but to protect competitors," he said. Brennan said the anti-trust action would break up the company's processing and buying affiliates and dissolve all seven of the firm's retail divisions.

"If the anti-trust lawyers have their way," he said, "the present owners of the business will not be allowed to have anything to do with any of the parts." He charged that the government action was in effect a threat to other big distributors and businessmen.

Churches at Amity Observe Christmas

Amity — Church services at the Baptist church featured special music by the choir, "The Three Kings," with Bruce Wakeman, Ted Lehman and Alvin Rutschman taking the solo parts. The girls' quartet, Doris Newman, Lydia and Joyce Wakeman, and Elaine Neeley, rendered special numbers at the morning service.

The Christmas program, with members of the Sunday school, starting with the beginners, presented a varied program, with special musical numbers, reading by Doris Konzelman, and the choir singing "My Soul Doth Magnify the Lord."

The Bible school and Church of Christ held the Christmas program Sunday evening. Congregational singing the hymns, "Joy to the World" and "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"; welcome, Karen Schuchardt; songs, "Away in a Manger," "Keep Them Ringing," beginners and primary classes; song, Dale Hatchell; exercise, nine children; reading, Patricia Ingram; duet, "Bethlehem Lullaby," Meridee and Marcia Pryor; solo, Norden Sutherland, intermediate class; trumpet solo, Janet Hight; recitation, Jimmy Woods; song, young women's class, recitation, Evelyn Westphal; recitation, Lucille Brown; solo, Bill Morse, Jr.; choir, "Chimes of the Holy Night."

Upset Emotions May Cause Prolonged, Chronic Weariness

Upset emotions are now believed to be the cause of prolonged and continuous fatigue.

Medical authorities have been gathering information that proves the importance of emotions in cases of chronic fatigue, declares the revealing January Coronet article, "What Makes You Tired?"

"Dr. Harley C. Shands of Massachusetts General hospital found that one patient, who had been having trouble with his wife, always felt terribly tired as soon as he walked into his home.

"Another man felt fatigued whenever he entered his office, where he had been squabbling with his partners. Neither patient had ever suspected there might be a connection between his symptoms and his upset emotions."

Normally, fatigue is nature's way of warning you that muscles and tissues have reached their limit of endurance. A new oxygen supply is needed to combat chemical poisons that flood the blood after hard muscular exertion.

But, if you feel tired all the time, whether you exercise or sit still, your outlook on life may be the source of your constant weariness.

"People who cannot make up their minds are often victims of chronic fatigue," reports Coronet. "Loneliness, too, may make you tired."

The only way to cure fatigue is to find the factors that cause it. Perhaps your only trouble is that you hurry too much, or worry too much, or are troubled by false fears.

"Once you discover what is making you tired, you may find that you are just not tired any more."

Hollywood Night Clubs in Price War

Hollywood, Dec. 29 (AP)—Two of the Sunset Strip's most famous supper clubs have started a New Year's eve price war.

Charlie Morrison, owner of the Mocambo, announced that he and Herman Hover, owner of the El Comodoro, will cut their price for the evening from \$20 a person to \$12.50.

"Hover and I decided that the best way to meet competition was to start a price war," Morrison said.

As an additional inducement, Hover offered free barber's service to customers with 5 o'clock (a.m.) shadow, plus complimentary bus rides to Pasadena for the Rose Bowl game.

Peterson Honor Guest

Oak Point — Mrs. Grove Peterson was hostess at a buffet supper honoring her husband, Grove Peterson and Miss Clara Brown on their birthday anniversaries. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Graber, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Withrow, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Peterson and Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peterson, Besie duPont, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bartel and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lauderback and Sara K, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Peterson, Judy and Pat and Mr. and Mrs. Orley Brown.

Atomic Energy Potato Tubers

Washington, Dec. 29 (AP)—Potato tubers with built-in atomic energy are the latest thing down on the farm.

The atomic energy commission, describing the experimental spuds today, indicated that its scientists might be shooting for a method of using atomic energy "rays" to speed the growth of potatoes.

The AEC reported that researchers at its Brookhaven (N. Y.) national laboratory had exposed potato tubers to various dosages of X-rays—which are virtually identical with a type of ray released in the explosion of an atomic bomb.

The scientists found that seeds developed from the x-rayed tubers were (a) much more likely to start new growth than were other seeds, and (b) did it faster.

The cause, said the AEC, "is not known and further research is being undertaken."

'Mrs. Santa Claus' Accident Victim

Silverton—Thankful, but badly frightened and still limping, are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter, nursing slightly more than minor injuries in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Porter, gaining local commendation for her many appearances as Santa Claus, had just returned home from the hospital Friday evening where she represented the VFW's in a good will gift trip. The family pick-up was used to bring home the last minute articles of tree and table for the holiday of the home year.

About two blocks on the through Second street thoroughfare from the Porter home, a teen-age driver pulled in from a side street, crashing the Porter car, slowing down the two cars and a side swipe by traveling in the same direction.

Injuries to knees, one hip, back and shock didn't hinder the jovial Santa from presiding at the family Christmas dinner, Sunday, at the Porter home.

First Citizen Voting Starts

Lebanon — Judges named to determine the leading junior citizen of Lebanon for 1949 to receive the distinguished service award presented by the Junior Chamber of Commerce are Mayor Peter Tweed, H. R. Groves, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and J. H. Irvine, president of the First National bank.

Balloting by service clubs started Tuesday with votes registered by the Kiwanis club and the Jaycees.

This selective procedure is to provide further nominations of qualified candidates whose merits may have been overlooked, and to assist the judges in the final choice by a popular indication of the most outstanding of Lebanon's young men for civic activities in the full year of 1949.

At present ten names have been submitted by the board for the Jaycees as a representative group for consideration.

The distinguished service award will be announced late in January.

Schachtsick Heads Stayton Dime Drive

Stayton—G. W. Schachtsick, Stayton banker, has accepted the chairmanship of the March of Dimes for the Stayton area this year.

Gene Malecki, who has recently been made executive secretary for the Marion County March of Dimes, was a recent Stayton visitor. While he was here he made arrangements for Stayton's participation in the drive. He was accompanied by Howard Ragan of the W. P. Fuller company in Salem. Mr. Ragan is chairman for Marion county for the drive.

Marion county funds to fight polio have been completely depleted, Mr. Malecki said. There were 30 cases of the disease in the county in 1949.



'Queen' of Egypt — Marie Soury smiles after her election in Cairo as "Club Queen of Egypt" over scores of entrants from social and sporting clubs of the nation.

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