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LARGE SURPLUS LIKELY TO STIR FIERCE BATTLE

By Dave Chavens

Austin, December 27.—Four major issues already from the big black thunderheads over the Fifty-first legislature.

This far in advance of the January 11 meeting the storm warnings are already going on these questions: Finance and taxation; reorganization of the public school system; election law reform and revision; overhauling of the prison system.

The Fifty-first will be a legislature unique in Texas history in that it will have more money—certainly more ready cash—to spend than ever before. It is impossible to say just now what the precise amount will be, but the fiscal experts believe it will be in the neighborhood of \$240,000,000.

The last session spent every cent in sight. Some of the hardest feelings growing out of the Fifty-first legislature were an aftermath of the additional appropriations that died because there was not enough money on hand or in sight to pay for them.

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Fifty-first are linked directly or indirectly with the allied questions of finance and taxation. The cry for election law revision is an exception. This should not cost much in money. All it would take would be conscientious application, work and brains. The latter should include a healthy portion of horse-sense, if the result is to be practical.

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Gracie Allen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Oster of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Norman of Tallahassee, Fla., and Mrs. Leon Morgan and son of Houston are holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Oster.

CROCKETT COURIER: DECEMBER 30, 1948

WITH EIGHTH ARMY IN OSAKA, JAPAN

Corporal Lovelady, C. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lovelady, Monroe, of Crockett, Texas, has just completed a one-week course in chemical warfare at the 20th Division Specialist School, located in Shindoyama, Japan. The army's school program is designed so as to expedite promotion within the enlisted grades. In addition to fitting the soldier for a more responsible position and increased rank, the program also furnishes the soldier with a skill which he can utilize upon his return to civilian life, either at the end of his enlistment or upon retirement.

Mr. and Mrs. George Straughan and Mrs. Catherine Hassell were visitors at Newton, Kansas, last week.

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ORGANIZATION PLANS COMPLETED

District 20-A, consisting of three schools—Alto, Crockett, Crockett Junior High, Franklin, Grapeland, Hearne, Huntsville, Madisonville and Trinity—has completed organization plans for the University Interscholastic League Spring meet, which is set at Huntsville on March 19, according to R. J. Kidd, director of the league.

Supt. Joseph R. Griggs of Huntsville has been named director general of the meet. The following committees have been appointed: Director of athletes, Coach Mully Crawford, Sam Houston State Teachers' College, Huntsville. Director of debate, Bill Bitter of Madisonville. Director of one-act play, Mrs. J. C. Shouls of Grapeland.

Director of extemporaneous speech, W. M. Schmidt, principal, Crockett. Director of side rule and member sense, Ben W. Young of Huntsville. Director of music, Miss Virginia Irwin, Sam Houston State Teachers' College. Director of shorthand and typewriting, Miss Lois Adams, Sam Houston State Teachers' College. Director of story-telling, Mrs. Edna L. Morgan of Huntsville. Director of ready writers, Miss Kathryn Bishop of Hearne. Director of spelling and plain writing, Johnny Johnson of Huntsville.

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GLANCING AROUND.

"The tiger shows his teeth." Atorney General Tom Clark filed suit Tuesday to take the Texas tidebands away from this state and turn them over to the federal government. This was, of course, under the direction of the president of the United States, the California tidebands, according to the supreme court, belongs to the federal government, so it is very obvious as to what decision they will make on the Texas-Louisiana case. This means that millions of dollars that are flowing into the state treasury of Texas will be taken by the federal government. Most of the money went to the upkeep of the Texas schools. A late Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Null, who latter lived in a Houston newspaper, Wednesday morning, stated that Governor Decker was "very angry" because of the suit. He shouldn't be, together with many other Texas leaders, followed Harry Truman right

on down the line, knowing that he was going to do this very thing. They can also get ready to take the balance of the Truman doctrine. The next dose will likely be the F. E. P. C. and other freedom that Texas has enjoyed. We didn't like the Truman medicine before the election, and still have no regrets because we did not help place him in position to make these demands.—Alto Herald.

From Sleet City.

A. E. Null of Sleet City, Iowa, was visiting relatives and friends in Crockett last week. Mr. Null is a former citizen of Crockett, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Null, who moved from Crockett to Houston several years ago. His friends here were glad to know that he is succeeding in business in the Iowa city in which he has located. Mr. Null is a friend of Sleet City.



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WHY I LIKE MY JOB AS SECRETARY

"The organization I work for is a 'business institution,' based on service to people. Through this organization come people with various problems from the farm, from oil fields, to find a house or apartment to live in, from businesses of all types and kinds and in this organization are members such as druggist, banker, barber, baker, shoe shop operator, manufacturer, judges, county administrators, county agents, doctors, lawyers, electricians, filling station operators and businessmen. I like meeting these people, listening to them, and assisting them through the organization wherever the need arises.

I'm proud of the organization I work for and I enjoy studying and reading of its past accomplishments and enjoy working with present plans.

I believe in the organization I work for in its permanent place in the life of the town and county, and in its representation in the welfare and the building of the town and county—and in future usefulness in its service to people in the town and county.

I like to talk to people who come

to this organization about the real and rich opportunities which are open in the county. The grass just doesn't grow any greener in opportunities in any other town or county. The real rich opportunities are here and can be made by those who would apply themselves or who are able to help themselves. It has been proven time and again that money crops can and do grow on trees; take, for instance, the fruit trees and pecans from which annual cash crops are harvested in this section each year; and money crops can and do grow on bushes (the vegetables in variety and berries), and on trees (such as tomatoes, strawberries, cucumbers, etc.); besides the feed crops, cotton, corn, peanuts and other crops which are grown successfully in this section. Then, there is beef cattle raising; dairying, which is fast growing profitable in this area, and forestry, which brings an annual income into this section which is well into the thousands of dollars. And in the ground there's oil, lignite, bentonite, brick clay, fuller's earth. This is a section of opportunity, and, personally, I'm sold on the wonderful possibilities and opportunities which are here.

As secretary—letter writing and the answering of inquiries is a particular job, but an interesting one. Typing, filing and a job as reception-

ist are chiefly my duties—but it just so happens in my case that I have no trouble in having the responsibility of a manager, also (for instance, when the organization has been without a manager) and at these times I try even harder to be of greater service to the organization.

I truly believe in all the possibilities for my town and county, so I like my job as secretary.

Hattie Heller Millburn, Secretary, Crockett and Houston County Chamber of Commerce.

PNEUMONIA IS POWERFUL KILLER

Austin, Texas, December 23.—A statement from Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, discloses the fact that 251 Texans died from pneumonia during the year 1947, and emphasizes his often repeated warning that this disease is a killer.

Pneumonia is caused by the pneumococcus germ which is present in the bodies of almost everyone, and ready to start trouble if the resistance becomes lowered for any reason. We can build up our resistance by avoiding extreme weather conditions. When we go outside in cold weather, sufficient clothing should be worn to keep the body warm. Keeping the temperature of our homes and offices as low as is consistent with comfort will greatly lessen the difficulties encountered in adjusting ourselves to the cold when we leave the house.

Another method of prevention in pneumonia is to never neglect a cold, for the common cold is the best door for pneumonia if it is neglected. A person with a severe cold should stay at home and call his physician for advice, if temperature persists and the cold lingers on. He should follow his physician's advice, and the cold has entirely disappeared.

Another advantage of consulting a physician when suffering from a cold is the fact that what the patient mistakes for a severe cold may be beginning pneumonia. If this is the case, the doctor will have an opportunity to begin treatment early, which aids materially in the patient's chances for recovery.

JESSE D. WILLIAMS
WITH EIGHTH ARMY

Crockett Courier, Crockett, Texas, November 29, 1948.

With the Eighth Army in Yokohama, Japan—Lieutenant Jesse D. Williams, son of Mrs. Minnie Ole Williams of Crockett, Texas, recently participated in a week's field maneuver conducted by his unit, the 7th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion (self-propelled).

Soldiers stationed in all parts of the Far East Command are in constant training to keep their military proficiency at a high standard. While their primary missions in the Far East Command is completion of their occupation duties, it is essential that emphasis in military training be maintained in order to procure and maintain a well-trained army.

Lieutenant Williams, is presently assigned as a cannoneer in his unit. Joining the army in June of 1948, at Crockett, Texas, he received his basic training at Fort Knox, Ky. Prior to his entrance into the army, he was graduated from Crockett High school.

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25 YEARS AGO IN HOUSTON COUNTY

The following items are taken from the Courier files of 25 years ago this week.

A father and son banquet was held at the Methodist church. Among those on the program were Rev. C. W. Lush, R. L. Nibbet, Judge Moore, Harry Albright, Eben Hall, John McConnell, Winifred Stirling, G. Q. King, L. A. Daniel, Rolfe Traylor and Miss C. C. Stokes.

Robert Guinn and Durward Albright were here from the University of Cincinnati, after an absence of more than a year.

Viola Stirling, who received his numeral on the SMU freshman football team, was at home for the holidays.

W. T. Lewis, 36, Confederate Veteran and former resident of Lovelady, died at Coolidge.

Mrs. Ben Satterwhite entertained on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Collin Aldrich Lockfield, recent bride of Mrs. Satterwhite's son.

Roll Hubbard of Galveston was to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother in Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Yerger of Clarksville, Miss., were spending Christmas with the father, A. B. Burton.

Paul Stokes and Frank Wooters were home from the State Medical College at Galveston.

Miss Alice Mason of the high school

faculty was spending Christmas at Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Armstrong Aldrich and little daughter of Collett, Oks., were spending Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Chamberlain.

Mrs. Harvey Byrne of Houston was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ellis.

Misses Grace and Sue Denny, teaching at Dallas, and Miss Sue Denny, teaching at Galveston, were spending the Christmas season here.

Children's Pageant.

A Christmas tree and pageant were presented Wednesday night by the Crockett visitor last week.

children's division of the Methodist Sunday school under the direction of Mrs. Robert King, superintendent. She was assisted by the following teachers: Mrs. Max Patton Jr., Mrs. D. E. Hughes, Mrs. Jim Bear, Mrs. Manley Jones, Mrs. Claude Brown, Mrs. Jim Harrison, Mrs. John Spinks, Miss Katie King, Mrs. C. M. Noel and Mrs. Beulah Leary. The choir, composed of young people of the Intermediate department, sang Christmas carols. The accompaniment was played by Mrs. A. M. Deur at the organ.

Mrs. W. A. Curtis of Trinity was a Crockett visitor last week.

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[Avastin,) [uncertain] Texas, December [21.—A] [uncertain] statement from De. George W. Cax, state health officer, discloses the fact that 2531 Texana died from pneumonia during the year 1947, and em [haslzes] [uncertain] his often repeated warning that this disease e aw killer.

Pneumonia la caused by the pneumococcus germ which is present in the bees of almost everyone and ready to start trouble if the resistance becomes lowered for any reason. We can build up our resistance by [svoidling] [uncertain] undue fatigue and unnecessary [eX~] [uncertain] [ure] [uncertain] lo extreme

weather conditions, hen we go outside in cold weather, sufficient clothing should be worn to keep the body warm. Keeping the temperature of our homes and offices as low as le consistent with comfort will greatly [lesecn] [uncertain] the difficulties en- [counterrd] [uncertain] in adjusting ourselves to the cold when we leave the house.

Another method of prevention in pneumonia le to never neglect a cold, for the common cold often opens the door for pneumonia If it te neglected.

A person with a severe cold should [siay] [uncertain] at home and call his physician for advice, if temperature persists and the cold lingers on. He should fol- low his physicians advice until the cold has entirely disappeared.

Another advantage of consulting physician when suffering from e cold is the fact that what the patient mis- takes for an severe cold may be be- ginning pneumonia. If this la the case, the doctor will have an opportun- [ity] [uncertain] ta begin treatment carly, which adds materially to the patients chances foe recovery.

JESSE D. WILLIAMS WITH EIGHTH ARMY

Crockett Courter, Crockett, Teuss. November wh. 194%.

With the [Kighth] [uncertain] Army in Yokoha- ma, Japan [Mecruit Jewee 1] [uncertain] Wil.

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[fwieny] [uncertain] at Ligh standard. While their primary mission in the Far East

Command e [cuple] [uncertain] of their ve [cupation] [uncertain] duties, it 1 essential [thal] [uncertain] participation in military training bn emphasized in under to procure an ae maintain a well trained army Recruit Williams, te presently as signed as [cannanerr] [uncertain] in his unit.

Jouning the army in June of [104"] [uncertain] at Crockett, [Tetae,] [uncertain] he [reeelaed] [uncertain] hi basic training at Fert [Knox,] [uncertain] Ky

[Prior] [uncertain] ta his entrance [inte] [uncertain] the army he was graduated from Crockett thig' [achut] [uncertain] [latronise] [uncertain] Courler advertisers

May this bright New Year bring you all che things [for_\] [uncertain] which you have hoped)

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25 YEARS AGO IN HOUSTON COUNTY

The following [iteme] [uncertain] are taken from the Courier files of years ago this week.

A father and son banquet [waa] [uncertain] held at the [Meshodiat] [uncertain] church. Among those on the program were Rev. C. [Ww. tluhes,] [uncertain] R. Nisbet, Judge Moore, Harry Allbright, Ewen Hail, John McConnell, Winfree Atarling, G. Q King, 1. A. Daniel, Rollle Traylor and Mies C. C. Stokes.

Robert Guinn and Durward Allbright were here from the [University] [uncertain] of [Cincinnati,] [uncertain] after an absence of more than year.

Viaton re who received his numeral on the MU freshman football team, [wae athame forthe] [uncertain] holi- aye.

T. [Lewla,] [uncertain] 76, Confederate Veteran and former resident of Lovelady, died at Coolidge.

Mrs. Ben Satterwhite entertained on Wednesday afternoon In honor of Mrs. Collin [Aldrich] [uncertain] Lockfield, recent bride of Mrs. [Satterwhites] [uncertain] son.

Bol [Rrumberg] [uncertain] of Galveston was to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother In Crockett.

Mr and Mrs. M. Yerger of Clarksdale, Mies, were spending Christmas with their father, A. B. Burton.

Pau) Stokee and Frank Wootters were home from the State Medical College at [Galveston.] [uncertain]

Mies Alice Mason of the [bigh] [uncertain] school

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faculty was spending Christmas at Mt child [HMleasant. Hun] [uncertain]

Mre. Armistead Aldrich and tittle ry daughter of Colbert, Okla, [were]? wae apending] [uncertain] Christmas with their pareve: [ents,] [uncertain] Mr and Mee. [B.] [uncertain] Chamberlain. [Hug] [uncertain]

Mre. [flarvey] [uncertain] Bayne of Huuston [was] [uncertain] ted visiting [ber] [uncertain] parents, Mr and [Mro.] [uncertain] lar John [J.] [uncertain] Fills. Kats

Misses Grace and Sue Denny, teach- at Ing at Dallas, and Miss [Bee] [uncertain] Denny, ae teaching at Galveston, were spending ad the Christmas season here ay Childrens Pageant. [Mrs.] [uncertain]

A Christmas tree and pageant were) [M] [uncertain] presented Wednesdsy night by the Cr

Greetings at the start of a fresh New Year.

BOB GR

[Theold] [uncertain] year is breathing o1 last hours in a hush of expect But in that quiet we know there are horns waiting sounded, bells waiting to be hearts wailing to be lifted bright new hopes. May be a happy New Year for

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Company 811 North Fourth er Alma

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sirens division of the [Methodist] [uncertain] day [achool] [uncertain] under the direction of

Robert King, superintendent. She [anslated] [uncertain] by tho [fuilowing] [uncertain] teach-

Mrs. Nat Patton Jr, Mrs. D. E hes, Mrs. Jim Dear, Mra Manley rs. Mrs. Claude Brown, Un Jim [rison,] [uncertain] Mrs, John Spinks, Miss te King, [Mrs.] [uncertain] C. M. Neel and [Mrs.] [uncertain] ue LaGury. The choir, composed young people of the Intermediate [actment,] [uncertain] sang Christmas carols.

accompaniment [waa] [uncertain] played by A.M. Deeuir at the organ.

[irs.] [uncertain] W. A. Currie of Trinkty was [rockett] [uncertain] visited last week.

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