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BIBLE VERSE TODAY

**WE ARE GOD'S CREATURES
AND HE TAKES PRIDE IN HIS
WORKMANSHIP; HE LIKES
INSPECTION.** 11 Tim. 3:17
that the man of God may be
sober, thoroughly furnished unto
all good works.

**May be what the President in-
tended to say was not that the
any probe is a "red herring" but
a "Red hearing."**

**If you haven't done your Christ-
mas shopping yet, it is too late to
do it early, but don't put it off
till Christmas eve.**

**The Hillsboro Hotel has been
sold in Tampa for one million
dollars to John Quincy Adams.
That's right, John Quincy Adams,
believe it or not.**

**The United States has issued a
strong warning to Japan to halt
rising prices which are seen as a
threat to democratic government.
A better way would be for the
U. S. to set a good example.**

**President Truman is going to
seek tighter anti-subsidy laws
from the next session of Congress,
says Attorney General Tom Clark.
That must be so's he can keep the
"red herrings" out of government
affairs.**

**In Freehold, N. J., an over-
zealous father beat up the referee
who called a foul on his son in a
basketball game. The judge ordered
the father to stay away from all
sports contests for a year, under a
suspended sentence of a three year
prison term for assault and battery.**

**We are glad to find ourself sup-
ported by ngiles on authority than
David Lilienthal on the destruc-
tiveness of the atomic bomb. It is bad
enough, but it will not mean the
end of civilization, and he advo-
cates more solid information, less
horrendous speculation, in dealing
with the subject. No one denies
that an atomic bomb, if dropped on
New York City, would kill a lot
of people, as dead as if they had
been shot with machine guns, but
it would not kill people in San
Francisco, or even Buffalo. And
there would be ample time to ne-
gotiate for peace before the end
of civilization.**

**Heart disease is now the No. 1
killer in the United States. Over
400,000 persons are reported to
have died from it during 1947, or
about 32 percent of all those who
died from any cause whatever. And
the sad part about it is that heart
disease is increasing, with 31,350
more persons dying from it in 1947
than in 1946. How can we avoid
heart disease? Scientists and doc-
tors wish they knew. Then they
might avoid it themselves. But if
you cut out liquor and cigarettes,
quit over-eating, avoid excesses of
any kind, stop blowing your top
every time anything goes wrong,
get plenty of exercise, but don't
overdo it, and never worry, you
probably will never have heart
disease. And you'll probably die of
extreme boredom.**

**The federal government with its
new like tax structure is finally
coming up to the fact that it is
not in its own municipalities to
raise by drying up or cutting off
the only source of revenues.
Usually all cities are dependent
on real estate taxation for their
main source of revenue, but
usually imposed rent ceilings pre-
vent many pieces of real estate
from producing sufficient revenues
to meet necessary city taxes. Now
the government is offering to dis-
tribute certain federal taxes
among the cities can levy taxes
in place. When one stops to
think all the services which the
municipalities render the public—
police, fire, paving and sidewalks, street
lights, sewers, garbage collection,
and fire protection, recreation
facilities, running water, pro-
tection against public welfare,
and other services—one won-
ders why the federal gov-
ernment doesn't do more.**

Necessary Change

"In the work of the European Powers in matters re-
lating to themselves we have never taken any part, nor does
it comport with our policy so to do. It is only when our
rights are invaded or seriously menaced that we resent injuries or make preparation for our defense."

This portion of what has become known as the Monroe
Doctrine, enunciated in President Monroe's statement made
in December 1823, represented American policy for Europe
in a simple era.

That our rights and responsibilities are bound up with
those of other nations and that alliance with these nations
may be necessary and right in the face of menace was the
sense of a simple resolution which was passed last June.
Its recommendation that the United States participate in
a pact involving Canada and the European powers for their
mutual protection against aggression is support for current
talk to that end in the League. Tentative plans are being
discussed by representatives of the five European nations
already so united, together with Undersecretary of State
Lovett and the Canadian ambassador.

These meetings are of great importance. If necessary
that our foreign policy be flexible enough to change with
changing times, change between him and his bold independence
of thought would undoubtedly have advocated such
flexibility had he been here. So, if we can guess
what George Washington and James Monroe,

President's Pay

Anyone who is continuing to be paid unfairly because of
lack of recent increases in his pay might consider the action
of the President of the United States. The pay for that
job has not been raised in the last forty years. Nor is it in
\$3,000, or big as it once was. The President's income tax
on it, at 1948 rates, is from that is \$11,000 must meet
the extra burden of a pay increase.

An increase of \$1,000 a year is being suggested
along with raises of \$100 a month for the pay scale for top
government employees. This does seem reasonable in a slight
bit different view, but that the President's pay re-
main the same but that the supplement take over the ex-
pense of raising the White House staff would make
the President's salary and the supplement also be more
flexible items for the present and the future.

The action of the president in government is a matter calling for deliberate judgment. The salar-
ies should not be increased to appeal to persons primarily
interested in pay, but should be raised enough to attract peo-
ple of the highest caliber and ability to careers in govern-
ment. The effect of changes in salary but pay is to make
government service unattractive to many.

From U. S. Today, L. H. Tangerott.

Not long ago an editor commented in his column and I
said, "People should be paid more as they tell before
them one step forward in their careers." His statement
may sound a bit naive, but one remembers that the
big detective has always braved death with even the most
dangerous of criminal pursuits and nervous tension
undergo a change much enough to be observed on the
graph.

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Dick Bass Named To Little All-State High School Eleven

Halfback Buddy Antonio Of Jacksonville Is Only Repeater On Mythical Club

MIAMI, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Miami Herald Saturday night announced its 1948 mythical Little All-State high school football team.

Only repeater on the team was Halfback Buddy Antonio of St. Pauls, Jacksonville, a 162 pound senior who scored 168 points this season. The speed merchant led the Catholic school to nine victories and one defeat.

The other three members of the first team backfield named by the Herald were Jack Strickland of Fort Pierce; Skippy Geiger of Cocoa and Jim O'Neill of St. Leo. Others named for the first time:

Kinard, Fernandez Musial Is Being To Meet Tonight Hailed As Batting At Local Armory Champion Of N. L.

Billy Kinard of Sanford and Joe Fernandez of Tampa are scheduled to tangle tonight in the feature event of the fight card at the Sanborn Armory.

Candy McDaniel, seventh ranking middleweight fighter, will meet Billy Lancaster of Orlando in the second feature ten round affair.

Two semi-finals and a battle royal have been scheduled by promoter Charlie Morrison.

Committee Names All-Southern High School Grid Men

ORLANDO, Dec. 20 (AP)—Thirty-two backs and 28 linemen made up of the 60 players named yesterday to positions on the 29th annual All-Southern Football Squad, Dixie's highest inter-scholastic gridiron team.

In addition to the 60 winning All-Southern recognition, still another 72 players from the "Dixie Grid" were named to the All-Bethel's honorable mention list.

Linenon got an even break with backs on the honorable mention list, with 30 players in each category placed on the list.

There were 120 seniors, two juniors and one sophomore among the 182 players receiving either All-Southern recognition or honorable mention.

The sophomore was Ned Davis, 190 pound halfback star from West Palm Beach, who won a place among Florida's five All-Southerners.

One junior was Harold Gruner, 165-pound halfback whiz at Louisville, Ky., Manual High, who was

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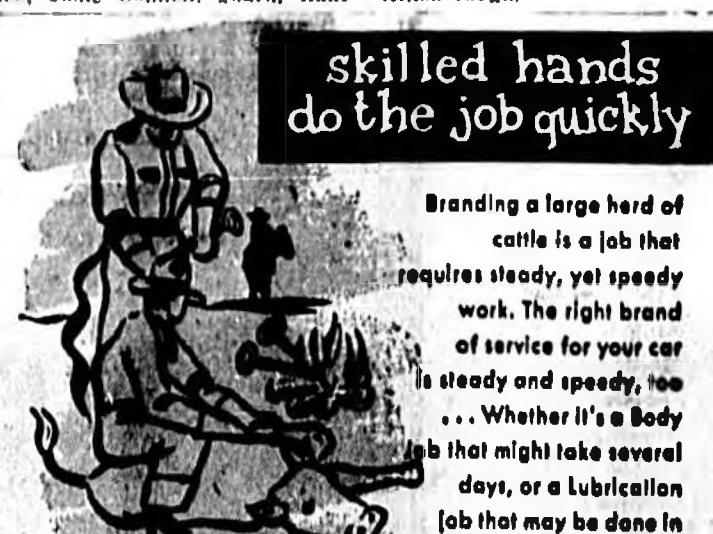
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EVERLAST EQUIPMENT USED**

Tar Heels Open Kentucky And Tulane Meet In Top Cage Contest Of Southeastern

By STERLING SLAPPEY

ATLANTA, Dec. 20, (AP)—North Carolina's Tar Heels opened a double-strength training grind here today for their Sugar Bowl football game against Oklahoma in New Orleans Jan. 1.

Forty players arrived yesterday afternoon in a chartered airplane, to meet a rousing welcome from more than 2,000 persons assembled at the airport.

Ten other players, including most of the squad's married men, followed by train.

Couch Carl Shavely set a schedule of two workouts daily for the Heels. The team took a week of rest after ending its regular season Nov. 27, practiced for the next week, and then left off again during examinations.

The players are quartered in dormitories at Southeastern Louisiana State College, just east of the Louisiana strawberry belt 30 miles northwest of New Orleans. They are using the college football field for their workouts.

When the airborne party arrived yesterday, Mayor James Rine presented a key to the city to Coach Shavely, and comely girls pinned ribbons reading "N.C. Tar Heels" on the players' coats. Songs of the University of North Carolina were played over a public address system.

The five-hour flight from the Durham-Baleigh airport was smooth, and there was no discomfort in the party of 68 aboard the plane. The crowd at the airport had waited more than two hours for the arrival, which was delayed because of a late start and constant headwinds en route.

Most posted a lofty 376 mark to win the batting derby in a bizarre. He also paced the circuit in runs batted in, 131; runs scored, 135; hits, 230; total bases, 429; doubles, 16; and triples, 8. According to final official averages, Musial's .376 average is the highest since Art Vaughan posted .365 for Pittsburgh in 1935.

The Card star also hammered 10 homers, but Pittsburgh's Ralph Kiner and New York's Johnny Mize beat Musial to home run honors by slugging 19 apiece.

Musial became the fourth player in the league's history to capture the title three or more times. Jimmie Wagnleitner, Pittsburgh's immortal, had the record eight. Rogers Hornsby is next with seven, topping six for St. Louis and one for Boston. Paul Waner is the other with three for Pittsburg, having previously won the deb in 1933 and 1946.

The Card star, who finished 43 points ahead of rookie Richie Ashburn of Philadelphia in the batting race, also tied a major league and two-loop records.

He batted out five hits in one game four times during the season to equal the major league mark set by Detroit's great Ty Cobb in 1922.

Musial joined Hornsby, Ginger Beaumont and Jess Burkett Jan. 1 leading the league in hits, the most three, four, and tied Waner and Vaughan for pacing the loop in three-baggers the oftener, three.

Not only outstanding enough to make All-Southern as a junior but was named by Johnny Carrico, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, Kentucky's state chairman, as the outstanding prep performer in Kentucky.

The other junior won honorable mention.

Florida's winners included Jay Pappas Hall, 190, back, Tallahassee; Hubert Brooks, 193, tackle, Tampa; Hillsborough; Kent Stevens, 190, back, Orlando; Bill Hinson, 160, back, Miami Senior High; Ned Davis, 190, West Palm Beach (Capt).

Honorable mentions: Buffalo, Long, back; Lake Wales; Bernard Keasterson, tackle, Miami Senior; David Jones, back, Jacksonville; Pierce; Bill Fisher, end, Tampa Lee; Judd Connell, guard, Lake Hillsborough.

VOLS IN TAMPA

TAMPA, Dec. 20, (AP)—The University of Tampa basketball team will face Tennessee in its second South team Conference game in two years this season, here to night.

The visiting volunteers are 10-9 favorites. They whipped Florida 59-52 and Florida topped Tampa 50-45.

PEAK TO FIGHT

BOSTON, Dec. 20 (AP)—Willie Pep will show what he plans as his first stop toward regaining his featherweight championship tonight when he faces Hermie Freeman of Eagle Lake, Mo., in a ten-round bout at Boston Garden.

The 11 teams in the American Hockey League will play 68 games each this season—34 at home and 34 away.

TURKEYS

**BROAD BREAST BRONZE
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Seminole To Meet Jackets Tonight

The Seminole High School College Fed basketball aggregation is slated to meet the Leesburg High Yellow Jackets in a twin bill at the Leesburg school tonight.

"This will be our only game before the Christmas holidays, but we will learn a lot by playing it," Coach Gaines asserted today.

"We plan to hold two-a-day practices during the holidays, the mistakes we make tonight will be corrected before we go on the court on Jan. 4 against Eustis in Eustis," he declared.

California Continues To Be Incubator For U. S. Tennis

By WILL GRIMLEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 20, (AP)—California continues to be the tennis incubator of the United States.

The national amateur rankings for 1948, just out, are dominated by strivers from the golden state. Dick Gonzales of Los Angeles and a transplanted Californian, Mrs. Margaret Osborne Du Pont, head their respective divisions.

Mrs. Du Pont learned her lobs and drop shots in San Francisco but registered from Wilmington, Del., since her marriage.

The veteran Frank Parker of Los Angeles, who shared the singles assignments with Schroeder on the Davis Cup team, was ranked third, followed by Billy Talbert of New York and Bob Falkenburg of Beverly Hills, Calif.

The rankings don't become official until they are approved by the U. S. L. T. A., which meets Jan. 22. Normally, approval is a routine matter but there have been squabbles.

There seems no room for dispute in the No. 1 choices of the selection committee this year. Gonzales and Mrs. DuPont earned the right to their lofty status by winning the national singles championships.

It may be different in the case of Ted Schroeder of La Crescenta, Calif., who was ranked second behind Gonzalez in the men's division.

Schroeder's tournament play was potty, particularly his tuneups for the Davis Cup team, and he missed the national tournament.

However, after making the Davis Cup squad under criticism from some quarters, he played brilliantly to help the U. S. retain the trophy. Then he whipped Gonzales twice in tournaments on the west coast.

Ted was regarded as the best

COMMENTS From The SIDELINES

By ARTHUR BRICKWITH, JR.
Herald Sports Editor

Harr School

Sanford's spring baseball business is almost upon us, and with the influx of baseball players comes the George Barr Umpire School, which will be conducted again this year at the Municipal Airport.

Last week Kentucky and Georgia moved into the east and of three games played, all were won by southern fliers. Kentucky continues to sit comfortably on the Intercollegiate throne after a 51-47 victory over Holy Cross and a 47-30 walk over St. Johns.

Georgia defeated Buffalo Saturday night 50-51 and tonight meets N.Y.U. in Madison Garden at New York. Georgia Tech will play Long Island in the other end of the Garden doubleheader. Tech's second Eastern appearance will be in Philadelphia against LaSalle Wednesday.

Only one other Southeastern game will be played before the Christmas holidays. Auburn and Alabama meet in Birmingham in what probably will be a better than average game. Alabama is ranked sixth by coaches and Auburn seventh. Both are emphasizing basketball more than ever and their teams show extra polish.

Other games before the holidays are: Georgia vs. Florida Saturday night, 8 p.m.; Florida vs. New Orleans Saturday night, 8 p.m.; and the University of Louisville vs. Florida Saturday night, 8 p.m.

With the exception of inter-sectional games, last week's slate was skimpy. Alabama got out of the Howard game by the smallest winning margin possible—38-37, and Auburn lost the same way to Mississippi State 64-63.

Florida lost its first league game, this time to Tennessee 68-62 but defeated Tampa 50-45. Georgia continued unbeaten with the victory over Buffalo and a 70-70 decision from Mississippi State, in which several flats were seen flying in the wrong direction.

A good victory for Tech was the 64-40 game with Furman. L.S.U. took two during the week, 40-48 over Spring Hill in Mobile, Ala., and 68-55 over the Texas Aggies. The University of Mississippi continued hard on state rivals by defeating Mississippi College 81-55 and Mississippi State 60-61.

Victories Nos. seven and eight for Tulane were the 84-40 game with Southwest Louisiana and the 51-28 game with the well defeated Texas Aggies.

The Eagles downed the 1947 AAC title by whipping the Eastern Division Champion Buffalo Bills, 49-7, in blustering weather at Cleveland to wind up an undefeated season.

Palatka—the eighth club—asked for an extension until Jan. 15 to post their \$1,300 franchise guarantee, and the National Association and league directors voted to recommend that the request made by former Palatka president Jeff Emerson be granted.

The league probably will consider moving the franchise to Ocala if Palatka can not complete arrangements by Jan. 15.

A 140-game schedule similar to last year was adopted with opening games matching Lexington and Louisville, Dayton, Lincoln and Indiana, Sanford and Orlando, Palatka and St. Augustine.

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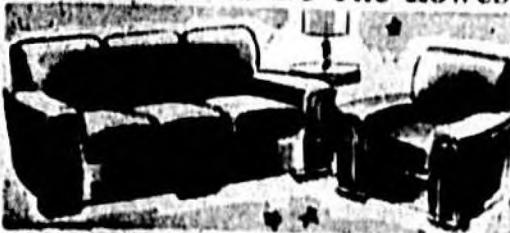


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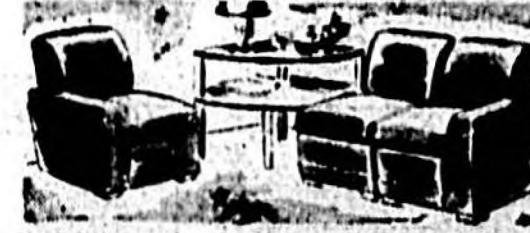


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Senators Assert Congress Will Not Repeal T-H Law

Johnson, Brewster Predict Revision Of Labor Legislation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(P)—A Democrat and a Republican predicted today that Congress will revise—but not repeal—the Taft-Hartley labor law.

Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.) said he thinks the probable outcome will be "a sort of a mixture of the Wagner and Taft-Hartley acts."

Senator Brewster (R-Me.) said in a separate interview that he thinks about all of the 1948 labor law that will be repealed "will be the name."

President Truman has indicated he will ask Congress to repeal the Taft-Hartley Act outright and substitute a measure along the lines of the Wagner law. Just what form the proposed substitute will take has not been disclosed.

Brewster said he doesn't think that returning Congress members generally will be willing to reverse the position they took in overriding Mr. Truman's Taft-Hartley veto.

But he conceded the administration may be able to force some changes through Congress.

"They may be able to knock out the ban on the closed shop and (Continued on Page Four, Sec. 2)

Indicted For Perjury



"Billie" Ybarbo Says Husband Had Often Beaten Her

Sergeant Threatened To Kill Her On Nite Of Fatal Shooting

MARLBOROUGH, Germany, Dec. 20.—(P)—Mrs. Winona "Billie" Ybarbo told a U.S. military government court today she shot her husband because he was beating her up and had threatened to kill her.

The pretty 29-year-old mother from Melrose, Mass., added that a family quarrel involving "sexual conduct" between her husband's attorney and a German girl led up to the fatal night.

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Identities Of 2 Killed In Bus Are Still Uncertain

11 Other Persons Killed In Wreck; Forty-three Injured

BUSHNELL, Fla., Dec. 20.—(P)—

The three men who robbed the Florida Bank at Bushnell of \$90,000 Saturday remained at large today.

Sumter County officers, the State Highway Patrol and the FBI all said there were no developments. Mrs. W. M. Baldwin, sheriff, said "we have no leads whatsoever."

The bandits held up five bank employees at pistol point, raked silver and bills from teller's cages and escaped in an automobile they had parked nearby.

Authorities still sought the identities today of two of 13 persons killed in a western Utah bus collision.

The crash of two Burlington trailways buses occurred Saturday on fog-shrouded U.S. Highway 40 about 63 miles west of Salt Lake City. Forty-three persons were injured.

Thirty-four military personnel, enroute home for Christmas, were aboard one eastbound bus; which (Continued on Page Four, Sec. 2)

Five Scientists Nearly Blinded As Result Of Atom Cyclotron Work

NEWTON, Mass., Dec. 20, (P)—Deadly radiation from atom smashing cyclotrons has nearly blinded several American scientists according to Dr. Shield Warren, head of the Atomic Energy Commission's medical department.

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No Military Plans Are Blueprinted For Jap Islands

TOKYO, Dec. 20, (P)—Accelerated American plans to build bases in Japan for building up Japan's military potential are "wholly without foundation," Dr. Hamilton said.

Instead, the evidence is that military planners here have not changed their long standing view that Japan would be a military liability in wartime.

A competent allied spokesman reiterated today that reports of a secret plan for building up Japan's military potential are "wholly without foundation." He also denied that any allied blueprint for increasing the size of the Japanese police had been forwarded to Washington.

Headquarters officials said they expected a fresh series of reports and comments about "secret military preparations" to follow the recent strengthened program for economic stabilization. Russia and some Chinese quarters repeatedly have made the charge. Australia, the southeast Asian countries have voiced apprehension that Japan might be rebuilt into a military power.

Military officials say the only installations that have been constructed in Japan are essential for occupation purposes. There is today a network of air bases and military roads. The former Japanese naval base at Yokosuka has been cleaned up as a functioning repair base.

Aside from occupation activities, however, the American Army and Air Force are charged with protecting more than 100,000 Americans in Japan and Korea. It is evident that plans to safeguard them have been completed. Air and naval bases would be vital if only for evacuation.

The Japanese so far have not (Continued on Page Four, Sec. 2)

Greece Orders Ships Sunk At Peloponnesus

ATHENS, Dec. 20, (P)—The Greek Navy had orders today to intercept and, if need be, sink any unauthorized ships within five miles of the Peloponnesus coast. The order was put out because of impending major operations in that sector of Southern Greece.

The new shipping ban broadcast in Greek and English over radio Athens, said exceptions would be made only for Greek passenger vessels, plying between coastal ports.

Some 25,000 Greek troops recently were reported moved to the Peloponnesus for offensive operations. One unconfirmed report said a full-scale attack was scheduled to be launched at midnight.

There have been frequent reports that submarines have been bringing supplies to rebels in the Peloponnesus. Several weeks ago a 500-ton ship carrying munitions, was sunk off the coast.

United States Secretary of the Army Kenneth Royall will accompany Lieutenant General James A. Van Fleet, head of the American military mission to combat areas in Northern Greece today.

JOLSON MAKES PRESENT
HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 20, (P)—Al Jolson sang some beautiful Christmas melodies for the Cedars of Lebanon Hospital.

The "man with the singer announced yesterday that he is giving his \$75,000 Mulholland Drive mountain estate to the hospital as a Valentine gift. The institution can do whatever it wants with the house, land, and property, Jolson said.

Dr. Bunche Says Palestine War "Is Now Over"

Problems From Its Creation Now Have To Be Settled

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Calls On Truman



New York City Is Struck By 3rd Worst Snowfall

Nearly .30 Inch Fall Interrupts Bus And Commuter Service

CHICAGO, Dec. 20, (P)—The merged city of two storms had left New York City today to dig out of its third heaviest snowfall in history.

The storm which moved up the Atlantic seaboard from the Carolinas coast with mounting intensity had about reached its peak in New York when it was joined by another storm that had swept eastward from the Pacific coast.

The second blizzard added to its fury by adding to the snowfall. The second snowfall was 1.6 inches.

The result was a 19.6 inch covering of snow by the coastwise storm which left some commuter train and bus service tied up today as the continued storms moved out into the Atlantic. The record snowfall of 29.8 inches in New York fell last December 26 and 27. The previous record fall of 21 inches had stood since 1888.

Washington was covered by 5.6 inches of snow by the coastwise storm which also hit parts of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and New England. Philadelphia reported seven inches, and Hartford, Conn., 10 inches.

The other storm which first hit the West Coast with heavy snow in northern California a week ago joined in this winter blast over the midwest from southeastern Minnesota northward into Wisconsin and eastward into Ohio, Chicago, Indiana and Lafayette, Ind. received six inches of wet snow.

Temperatures generally were moderate over the weekend and wintry clear weather was forecast for most of the nation today.

Deep snow pockets, loosened by rain, caused slides which blocked highways in the Cascade Mountains of Washington state. Ski patrols rescued two youths who had been carried about 200 feet down a steep slope by a snowdrift. (Continued on Page Four, Sec. 2)

Negro Convicted For Marriage To White Woman

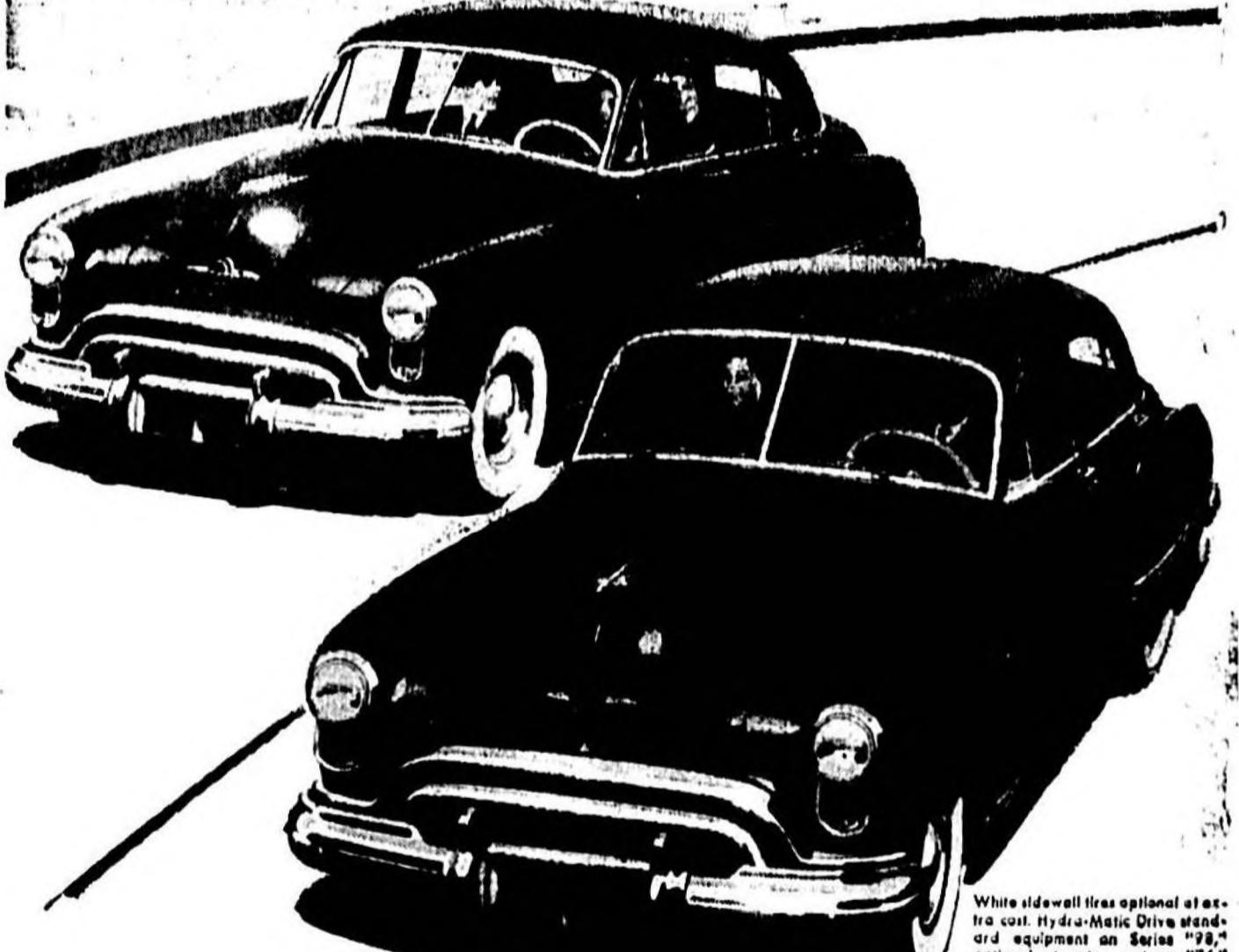
Five Year Sentence Given Under Old Miscegenation Law

ELIZAVILLE, Mo., Dec. 20, (P)—A young Negro who served in the Navy as a white man and later married a white woman has been convicted of miscegenation and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

District Attorney Fred Schwartz fingered the self-styled incident to nothing, saying nothing had been taken from him. His wife had some cash and a coat guard picked her up after a coat guard picked her up after a quarter mile off the highway. (Continued on Page Four, Sec. 2)

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