



FORECAST—Mostly cloudy and cold through weekend. Chance of periodic light snow. Low tonight near zero. High Saturday near 8. Thursday's high, 12; overnight low, 5 below zero.

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Lingering cold assures white Christmas

Another record set as Pampa records third straight sub-zero reading

From Staff and Wire Reports
Bitterly cold weather is expected to dominate throughout the weekend, promising a white Christmas for the Pampa area, as the arctic cold front continues to stall its departure after setting another new record for this date for a low temperature this morning.

Pampa recorded five degrees below zero today, following Thursday's record-breaking minus seven. Previous record low for December had been minus four degrees, established in 1951, according to KGRO weatherman Darrell Sehorn.

Today's sub-zero reading was the third day in a row that the low fell below zero and the sixth consecutive day that the low has been below 10 degrees.

Despite earlier predictions, the frigid air mass resulting from a high pressure

area dominating the northern mid-section of the nation continues to linger over the region, setting new records. Forecasts now indicate the dome of cold air will create sub-zero lows and keep the high temperature well below freezing into Monday.

Northerly to northeasterly winds of 10-20 miles an hour by evening will pull more polar air into the Panhandle area tonight, keeping the low near zero tonight.

High today was expected to be only in the mid-teens, with Saturday's high falling to around eight degrees, Sehorn said.

Periods of light snow will add to the accumulation of about three inches already on the ground, but less than an inch of new snow is expected.

Though motorists should continue to

exercise caution in traveling, most area roads are considered to be in good condition except for a few icy places.

While Public Utility Commission Chairman Al Erwin warned of possible statewide "brownout" resulting from frozen controls at power plants, area Southwestern Public Service officials say there is little chance of a power shortage occurring in the Panhandle and South Plains area.

SPS operates by itself, unlike most electric utility companies downstate who pool their resources. Frozen controls and a heavier electrical power use could create some problems for the rest of the state, SPS officials noted, but they see no chance of such a situation in this area.

While the cold temperatures are causing higher use of electricity to keep

heaters and furnaces running, SPS officials said more electricity is used in summer to run air conditioners.

At least two area deaths have been weather related.

Ruben Dean, 91, was found dead at his home in Amarillo Tuesday morning by a neighbor. Autopsy indicated he had frozen to death. A Plainview girl, nine-year-old Heather Brooke Steffe, was killed after a car in which she was riding was struck from the rear by a hit-and-run driver during heavy fog on U.S. 70 inside the Plainview city limits. The car was then hit broadside by another vehicle.

The cold weather is also creating problems for area ranchers and cattle feeders. Most herds are remaining stable since they are able to huddle together to provide heat. The lack of

heavy snow and excessive high winds are helping, according to officials of Texas Cattle Feeders Association. But the extended cold spell, lasting longer than originally anticipated, poses possible problems of stress for the herds.

Early morning temperatures showed below freezing readings as far south in the state as Houston, which recorded 24 degrees.

Icy temperatures across the state brought snow flurries to far Southeast Texas, freezing drizzle to Galveston and unusually cold conditions to the Lower Rio Grande Valley, where farmers kept a worried eye on their citrus crops.

Fruit growers in far South Texas lit smudgepots and wrapped young trees

hoping to fend off freezing temperatures that threatened their crops.

The National Weather Service issued a freeze warning for the valley Thursday night, but a cloud cover remained over most of the area and readings hovered mostly in the lower and middle 30s early today.

Growers faced possible crop damage if temperatures dip to 28 degrees for more than six hours.

Some growers flooded orchards hoping for warmth from the evaporating water.

With the Christmas fruit market depleted two days before the holiday, growers said they had no reason to rush

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Death toll climbs to 97

New storm slams Northeast

By CHRISTOPHER SULLIVAN
Associated Press Writer

The North Pole's weather workshop turned out more raw cold and distributed bundles of brutal winter from the southern Sierras to Maine today, after chilling scores of cities — even Honolulu — with record lows and the latest blast in a week of killer storms.

The chain of storms has killed 97 people, including five who died on rain-soaked New Jersey roads and a 97-year-old blind man found dead in his frigid St. Louis apartment Thursday.

In the northeastern United States, the mercury was falling sharply today, and blasting winds threatened up to a foot of snow in Maine and prompted gale warnings on Lake Erie, southern Lake

Michigan and the Atlantic coast from New Jersey to Connecticut.

Brutal chill — down to 36 degrees below zero today at Butte, Mont. — continued to grip the northern and central plains.

Forecasters called for a slight respite for parts of Texas and Oklahoma, two states where sub-zero cold has killed 17.

But despite the minimal warming in some places, there was little relief in sight from the coldest stretch of December weather in decades.

"At least through Christmas weekend it looks like pretty much the same thing, very cold temperatures," meteorologist Hugh Crowther of the National Severe Storms Forecast Center in Kansas City, Mo., said today.

The unseasonable temperatures stretched as far south as the Rio

Grande Valley, where fruit growers kept smudgepots lit early today and wrapped young trees against freezing.

Gusting winds were driving snow into near-whiteout conditions in parts of Michigan, where the Detroit Metropolitan Airport temperature at 12:55 a.m. plunged to 6 below, a new record.

The Weather Service said gusts were whipping from the Great Lakes to the mid-Atlantic coast today, as snow squalls menaced the lower Great Lakes and the upper Ohio Valley.

High temperatures throughout the region were expected to be freezing, glazing wet roads in areas including New Jersey, where five traffic deaths were blamed on heavy rain Thursday.

Snow was falling in northern New England, and a winter storm warning

was in effect in Maine where up to a foot was expected.

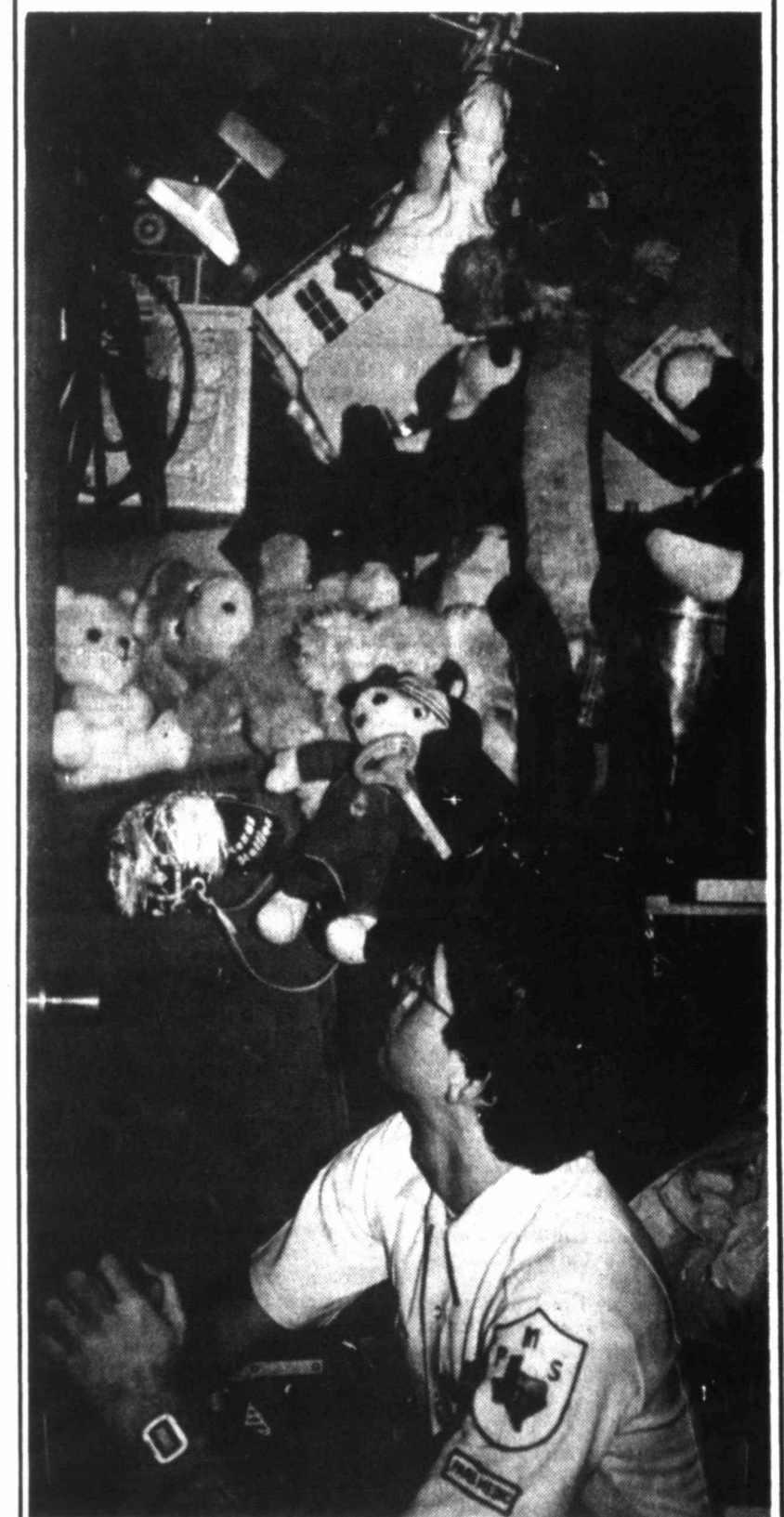
At the other end of the country, a winter storm watch was posted Thursday for the southern Sierra Nevada.

Light snow was falling in the central plateau and the central Rockies today, spreading across to the central high plains.

After reporting more than 70 record lows around the nation Thursday afternoon, the National Weather Service added eight marks late in the day and 14 more this morning, for a total of at least 95 cities. A 57-degree reading tied the record in Honolulu.

A reading of 6 below in Amarillo on Thursday morning broke a 1924 record, and Dallas' 5 above snapped a mark set in 1916.

Toys for tots



Bobby Drogus, field supervisor for Pampa Medical Services, shows a closet packed with toys Pampa residents donated for distribution to needy children in the city. Drogus said around 300 toys were donated to the drive. PMS was scheduled to distribute them this afternoon. (Photo by Ed Copeland)

HUNGER

Kennedy pushes \$2.5 billion plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — Declaring that "we do not need another study to know there are hungry people in America," Sen. Edward M. Kennedy is pressing a \$2.5 billion proposal to reverse what he called the "inhumane... indecent" hunger policies of the Reagan administration.

Kennedy, D-Mass., detailed the 16-point program in a 177-page report released Thursday offering what he called "clear, undeniable and authoritative evidence of widespread and increasing hunger in America."

While the cost might seem high, Kennedy said, it still would amount to only 5 percent of the budget increase being sought by the Defense Department.

"Presumably, that increase is supposed to advance the national defense," Kennedy said. "But surely, the defense of this nation includes the health of our families as much as the size of our bombs. It means freedom from hunger for our own citizens at least as much as military assistance in Central America."

He also said the difference between the two budget items reflects what he called "a rather extraordinary attitude" by the administration "that we can solve all our problems overseas by spending money and solve all our problems here by cutting back."

Kennedy's proposal came on the same day Agriculture Secretary John Block, who oversees the nation's primary hunger-relief programs was suggesting his department has not done a good enough job at making the public aware of the administration's concern for the poor and the hungry.

"I'll have to say I don't think we've done a very good job in achieving that public understanding," Block said at a news conference called to review his department's 1983 performance. "I haven't given up, but we're not there yet."

Block said the public perception comes despite \$19 billion in spending over the past year for food assistance. That includes nearly \$13 billion for food stamps, the largest hunger program, more than \$4 billion for maternal and child nutrition, and almost \$1.6 billion for giveaways of surplus commodities like cheese.

Block claimed that is "a big record, not just a small record." He added, "I'm not saying it's enough. Maybe it is, maybe it isn't."

He declined to say whether he had evidence of widespread hunger in the United States. "I'm looking forward to the report of the hunger task force," he said. "I have confidence in them and the effort they are making."

Kennedy's report was prepared for

Talks may produce Lebanon agreement

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Saudi negotiators met with rival Moslem and Christian leaders and were reported nearing a breakthrough that would disengage Lebanon's warring factions and put Italian and Greek cease-fire observers in Beirut and the Chouf mountains.

In the northern port city of Tripoli, Syrian-backed PLO rebels were preparing to withdraw after forcing Palestine Liberation Organization chairman Yasser Arafat and his 4,000 loyalists to abandon their last Middle East stronghold, reports by state and privately owned radio stations said.

The stations and Beirut's leading newspapers said Saudi mediator Rarik Hariri was close to wrapping up a disengagement accord that would set the stage for reconvening a reconciliation conference in Geneva among Lebanon's principal warring leaders.

Hariri held a series of meetings Thursday here with Shiite Moslem and rightist Christian militia leaders to arrange for an exchange of kidnapped hostages between the two factions. He also held lengthy telephone talks with Druse opposition leader Walid Jumblatt, who is in the Jordanian capital of Amman, the radios reported.

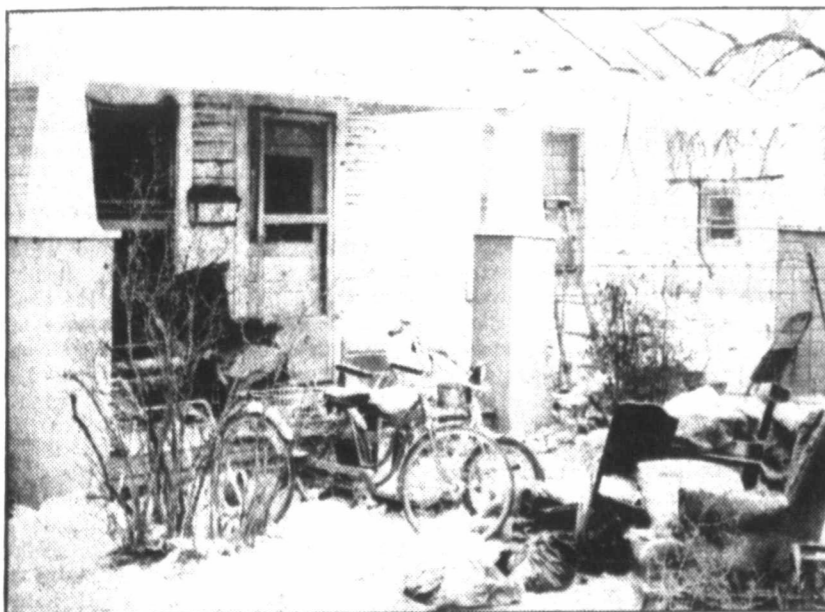
Most newspapers and radio stations gave no details of the disengagement agreement. But the leftist Beirut

newspaper As-Safir said the plan primarily calls for:

- Withdrawal of Christian militia forces from all positions facing the Shiite-populated southern suburbs of Beirut and the closing of all their barracks in the hills overlooking the suburbs. Shiite militiamen, in turn, would pull back 700 yards from current front-line positions.
- Withdrawal of Christian militiamen from the Chouf Mountains and the Kharroub region overlooking the Israeli defense line in southern Lebanon, to the Christian hinterland north of Beirut. Lebanese police would take over security functions in these regions, and Lebanese troops would control the highway linking Beirut with southern Lebanon.
- Reiteration of the pledge by all warring factions to neutralize Beirut International Airport, where U.S. Marines are based, and to abstain from any future attempt to close the airport.

Once agreement on these points is signed by all parties concerned, the Lebanese government would ask Italy and Greece to provide about 400 observers each to police the ceasefire, mainly on the vacated front lines. Both nations had previously agreed in principle to provide the observers.

The foreign ministers of Lebanon, Syria, and Saudi Arabia are expected to meet in Riyadh on Jan. 8.



SCENE OF TRAGEDY—This house at 701 E. Albert doesn't appear damaged from the outside. But it's where 68-year-old Rachel Bogroff Perkins died from smoke and heat after a fire broke out Thursday. The three-wheel bike in front is familiar to many Pampans as Mrs. Perkins used it for shopping and travels about town. (Staff photo by Ed Copeland)

Pampa woman found dead in fire at home

By JULIA CLARK
Staff Writer

Rachel Bogroff Perkins' Christmas plans ended Thursday when she died in a fire at her home at 701 E. Albert.

Mrs. Perkins was pronounced dead at her home by Justice of the Peace Margie Prestidge. Firefighters discovered her lying on the kitchen floor where she was apparently overcome by the heat and smoke from the fire.

The 68-year-old Pampa woman had planned to fly to Portland, Ore., Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her pregnant daughter. She had planned to stay with her daughter until the birth of the baby, a friend told The Pampa News.

Perkins, who was recognized by many Pampans as the lady who went everywhere on her three-wheel cycle, shared her home with at least four dogs and several cats, friends said. Her pets were lying near her.

When firemen arrived at the home

about 11 a.m., smoke was pouring from around the door, windows and eaves of the house, assistant fire chief J.D. Ray said. No windows or doors were broken, indicating the house had not been broken into. He explained firemen had to knock down the door to get in, leading fire officials to believe the cause of the fire was accidental.

"It only took a couple of minutes to put out the fire which involved only the couch and floor under it," Ray said. He said the fire apparently started in the couch and smoldered there for a long time before it was discovered.

According to firemen at the scene and others who were well acquainted with Perkins, her house was full of a lifetime of mementos.

"The house was full of junk," one fireman said. "There were papers and boxes and all sorts of things laying around," he said. There was an open space heater on the floor near the couch in the living room.

Graveside services will be at 10 Saturday morning in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral

Directors. Rev. Burl Hickerson, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church will officiate.

Perkins was born April 3, 1915, at Los Angeles and came to Pampa from Portland, Ore., in 1965. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church. Her husband, Clifton K. Perkins, preceded her in death July, 1982.

Survivors include: one daughter Rae Jeanne Perkins of Portland, Ore.; one sister Mary Sokoloff of Los Angeles; and one brother, John Bogroff of California.

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Pampa News holiday schedule

The Pampa News normal operating schedule will be changed because of the Christmas holidays.

The Sunday edition of The News will be printed Saturday morning and delivered Saturday afternoon so employees can observe Christmas eve and Christmas Day. All departments will be closed Saturday.

The News will not be published on Monday, Dec. 26. The business, advertising, circulation and editorial departments will be closed on that day.

The regular operating schedule will be resumed on Tuesday.

daily record

services tomorrow

PERKINS, Rachel Bogroff - 10 a.m., Fairview Cemetery.

obituaries

ANDY LEE JAMES

CANADIAN - Services are pending with Stickley-Hill Funeral Home for Andy Lee James, 23, of Canadian, who died in a rig accident Thursday.

Survivors include his parents, Red and Barbara James, Canadian; one sister, Peggy Martin, Canadian, and grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Maxwell, Joplin, Mo., and Juanita Boxford, Canadian.

stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler Evans of Pampa	
Wheat	3 47
Milo	5 80
Corn	5 80
Soybeans	7 88
The following quotations show the prices for which these securities could have been traded at the time of completion	
Ky Cent Life	21
Serico	7 1/2
Southland Financial	39 1/2
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa	
Beatrice Foods	25 1/4
Cabot	22 1/4
Celanese	72
DIA	19 1/2
Dorchester	28 1/2
Getty	78 1/2
Halliburton	38
HCA	38 1/2
Ingersoll-Rand	51 1/2
Inter North	38 1/2
Kerr-McGee	28 1/2
Mobil	28 1/2
Penny	54 1/2
Phillips	32 1/2
PNA	22
SJ	47 1/2
Southwestern Pub	47 1/2
Standard Oil	47 1/2
Tenneco	49 1/2
Texas	32 1/2
Zales	30 1/2
London Gold	379 3/4
Silver	8 89

hospital

CORONADO COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Admissions
Hal Brown, Pampa
Ruth Wright, Pampa
Lois Ledbetter, Pampa
Irene Thomas, Pampa
Ola Taylor, Pampa
Stacey Stubbs, Pampa
Pearl Cox, Pampa
James Dennis Skellytown
Tammi Adams, Pampa
William Felter, Pampa

Births
To Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Henin of Pampa, a baby boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. Steven Collins of Pampa, twin boys.

city briefs

PERMS \$20.00 till Christmas. Also need cosmetologists. Call Frankies, 669-3603.

PRICE all 45 piece dinnerware sets. Las Pampas Galleries.

ESA PECANS - \$4.00 a pound. Proceeds to local projects. Pickup or deliver. 665-3510 or 665-8057.

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PRICE on all Christmas Decorations! Las Pampas Galleries

fire report

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following fire calls during the last 24 hours:

THURSDAY, December 22
10:56 a.m. - Firemen extinguished a fire at 701 E. Albert. A couch and the floor under it were damaged by fire, the rest of the house sustained smoke and heat damage. The owner of the house, Rachel B. Perkins, four dogs and several cats were apparently overcome by the heat and died of apparent smoke inhalation, according to the report. (see story on page 1)

5 p.m. - Firemen were called to 933 S. Banks where heating tape wrapped around water pipes on the outside of the house had ignited and burned part of the outside of the house. The house is owned by Isabel Asencio and rented by Pedro Sandoval.

Dismissals

Ruth Bull, Pampa
Stella Bowermon, Pampa
Charles Cook, Pampa
Joseph Slater, Pampa
James Odom, Pampa
Diane Langley and infant, Pampa
Gloria Poore, Pampa
G.F. Baker, Pampa
Shirley Fields, Groom
Ralph Cole, Pampa
Cynthia Stuck and infant, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL

Admissions
Bud Hobbs, Shamrock
Colleen Franks, Shamrock

Dismissals

Grace Knoll, Shamrock

U.S. support for Egyptian-PLO meeting makes Israel unhappy

WASHINGTON (AP) - To the dismay of Israel, the Reagan administration is welcoming a meeting between the chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization and Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak on grounds it could help prepare the way for Arab-Israeli peace talks.

PLO leader Yasser Arafat and Mubarak met Thursday in Cairo. "The United States views the renewed Egyptian-PLO discussions as an encouraging development given Egypt's adherence to the Camp David accords and its outspoken support" for President Reagan's 1982 Mideast peace initiative, State Department spokesman John Hughes said afterward.

"We are hopeful that such talks will

serve to persuade Mr. Arafat that peace negotiations within the framework of the president's initiative are the best means of achieving Palestinian goals," Hughes added.

A White House statement also said the meeting was encouraging.

Israeli Ambassador Meir Rosenne dissented: "The Americans think it is encouraging; we think it is discouraging."

Rosenne met with Lawrence Eagleburger, the undersecretary of state for political affairs, to express Israel's concern.

He told reporters afterward that Arafat was "a criminal who rejoiced" when Egyptian President Anwar Sadat was murdered in 1981 and said the PLO leader had a hand in the bombing of a

bus in Jerusalem two weeks ago in which six persons were killed and 50 injured.

The meeting between Arafat and Mubarak, the cordiality of which was underscored by Mubarak's welcoming embrace for the PLO leader, was the first public contact between Arafat and ranking Egyptian officials since the PLO and 17 other Arab League members broke diplomatic relations with Egypt over the 1979 peace treaty between Egypt and Israel. Egypt remains the only major Arab country that recognizes Israel.

It appeared as if Arafat might again snatch a political victory from the jaws of military defeat, as he has done before.

Truck driver charged

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) - A truck driver who claimed he was tied to a tree for several hours in sub-zero weather while his truckload of hogs was hijacked was charged with theft of the vehicle because "there were some things that just didn't add up," police say.

Raymond L. Curbow, 47, of Nixa, has been charged in a state warrant with stealing a vehicle by deceit, Greene County Assistant Prosecutor Richard Monroe said Thursday.

Curbow was undergoing treatment at a Springfield hospital for ailments not related to exposure to the cold, Missouri Highway Patrol Lt. Ralph Biele said.

Donnie C. Collins, 31, of Nixa, Curbow's son-in-law, was charged in a

warrant with felony theft, authorities said. Collins was being held in the Greene County Jail while awaiting his court appearance.

The case will be presented to a federal grand jury because it involved a charge of transportation of stolen property across state lines, said Max Geiman, spokesman for the FBI in Kansas City.

Curbow claimed he was taken hostage Monday night at a rest stop along Interstate 70 in central Missouri by two men and a woman armed with a knife. He said he was driven around in the truck for several hours before being tied to a tree off U.S. 65 north of Sedalia.

Although Curbow said he was tied to the tree for at least four hours before being freed by a passing motorist,

authorities say they now doubt his story.

"After we really got into this, there were some things that just didn't add up," Biele said. "We don't believe that his truck was hijacked, and we don't think he was tied to the tree for very long."

Curbow left Fort Scott, Kan., with a load of 210 hogs valued at \$25,000 which were bound for a packing plant in Marshall. He was driving a rig owned by a Springfield livestock dealer.

Biele said 145 of the hogs were sold at the Kansas City Stock Yards before the hijacking supposedly occurred. Fifteen of the remaining hogs found in the truck when it was recovered at a Columbia truck stop Wednesday night had frozen to death.

Judge sentences banker to prison

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) - A federal judge rejected a plea for probation and sentenced a former bank vice president to 18 months in prison for embezzlement.

U.S. District Judge Hayden Head Jr. sentenced Robert Scott Schrader, a former vice president and loan officer at the First State Bank, to serve the prison term for embezzling \$50,000 from a federally insured institution.

"Persons of your position in banking institutions are incredibly important to the integrity of the system as a whole. I'm sorry sir... you have to serve your time," Head told Schrader in pronouncing sentence.

Schrader's father, E.W. Schrader, has been chairman of the board and chief executive officer at the bank for the past 10 years.

The elder Schrader took the stand Tuesday and asked Head to give his son probation.

police report

The Pampa Police Department reported 40 dispatched calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Friday.

THURSDAY, December 22
9:00 p.m. - Someone reportedly took merchandise from the Ideal grocery store at 312 E. Brown without paying.

FRIDAY, December 23
3:37 a.m. - A suspicious car was reported in the 600 block of North Faulkner. Someone one called the police department and reported a car had been parked some distance from the curb and the engine was still running; no one could be seen in the car. An officer found James Roy Martin of 1129 E. Francis in the car. He was booked into city jail, charged with public intoxication and parking a vehicle more than 18 inches from the curb.

3:16 a.m. - Mike Williams of the 1000 block of Prairie Drive reported someone had taken items from a car belonging to Wynona Bates of Tulia while it was parked at his residence.

minor accidents

The police department reported the following minor accidents in which more than an estimated \$250 damage was done to either vehicle.

THURSDAY, December 22
3:00 p.m. - A 1977 Chevrolet driven by Elizabeth Ryman Sellers of 2521 Fir and a 1980 Toyota driven by Jessica Marcum of 2329 Aspen collided in the 2500 block of Perryton Parkway. Sellers was cited for making an unsafe turn.

5:33 p.m. - A 1973 Ford driven by Ronald Gene Tubbs and a vehicle driven by David Earl Winegeart also of Lefors collided at 1600 W. McCullough.

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Cold grips Texas

picking, but must try to protect the fruit on the trees.

Light snow flurries fell before dawn at the Jefferson County Airport in Southeast Texas and a travelers' advisory was posted for the Galveston area because of freezing drizzle.

The weather service predicted a warming trend today, giving the state a temporary break from record-setting low temperatures. But colder temperatures were on tap for Saturday, although forecasters discounted the possibility of a white Christmas.

The winter storms have claimed at least eight lives since Sunday.

Forecasters said highs in the 30s were expected across North Texas, 40s in South Texas, and 60s in far West Texas.

But Al Moller of the weather service office in Fort Worth said Texans would probably wake up Christmas day to another arctic blast.

However, extended forecasts called for much warmer weather beginning Monday and daytime temperatures could reach the 50s by Tuesday, the weather service said.

Sections of the Panhandle, South

Plains and North Texas reported readings in the single digits before dawn today, while central sections were hovering in the middle to upper teens. Temperatures in the 20s and 30s were the rule in South Texas, while normal seasonal readings were noted west of the mountains in far West Texas.

Temperatures at 4 a.m. ranged from 3 at Amarillo to 49 at El Paso. Amarillo's reading broke the record low temperature for Dec. 23 of 4 degrees, set in 1913.

Other record lows for the date today included 18 at Waco; 15 at Austin; and 12 at San Angelo.

The record-setting cold forced several power plants to shut down Thursday and others were operating a reduced capacity. Several sporadic brownouts were reported.

"We've had an extraordinary demand," said Texas Power and Light spokesman Paul Freeman. "The usage of electricity is the highest since sometime in the 1970s."

Officials said Thursday that a 91-year-old man froze to death Tuesday in Amarillo, where the temperatures

dipped below zero. A 72-year-old man who was found in his apartment in Duncanville died of hypothermia Thursday at Parkland Hospital in Dallas. Officials said his body temperature had dropped to 75 degrees. The low in Dallas Thursday morning was 5 degrees.

Record low temperatures were commonplace throughout the state Thursday morning.

Amarillo broke two records in one day, setting new lows for the day and the month with a minus-7 seven reading Thursday morning. The previous low was minus 6, set in 1924. On Wednesday, the Amarillo low reading was minus 1, breaking a zero reading set in 1916.

Shortly before dawn, Dallas broke a record set in 1916 when the temperature dipped to 5 degrees. The previous low for Dec. 22 was 13. Dallas also broke a Wednesday record with a 10-degree reading. The old record was 12, set in 1909.

San Antonio broke a record low for the date Thursday when the mercury fell to 19 at 6:22 a.m. Houston broke the record low of 22 degrees, set in 1977, with a 20-degree reading at 8 a.m.

Other record lows were recorded before dawn included 6 at San Angelo; 22 at Victoria; 14 at Austin; 8 at Midland; 19 at Del Rio; and 13 at College Station.

The Texas Citrus Mutual, a growers organization in McAllen, said the Rio Grande Valley was spared temperatures that could damage crops as readings hovered dangerously around the high 20s and low 30s Thursday.

The weather service said it was monitoring a cloud bank that had begun to move southward, breaking up somewhat.

"If it stays cloudy over the entire valley, temperatures will barely get below freezing," the weather service said. "However, if the clouds clear out completely temperatures could get down into the upper teens in the west (Rio Grande Valley)."

The icy roads that vexed travelers Wednesday had cleared for the most part on Thursday, though a couple of bridges remained hazardous and some slick spots were reported.

The weather service withdrew travelers' advisories Thursday that had dotted the state.

Snow flurries were reported in Brownsville on Thursday, forcing the causeway on South Padre Island and the Brownsville expressway to close Thursday morning. The motorways were sanded and reopened in the afternoon.

Residents in the Beaumont-Port Arthur area and as far south as Corpus Christi woke up to freezing drizzle.

Junvenile board must tell applicants' names

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) - Webb County officials have to release the names of applicants for chief juvenile probation officer, a state appeals court has ruled.

The Fourth Court of Appeals in San Antonio decided that the Webb County Juvenile Probation Board is not exempt from the state's Open Records Law.

In a Wednesday opinion, the appeals court rejected the board's claim that it is a part of the state's judicial branch, which is not covered by the records law.

Peter Lee of the Laredo News filed suit against the board and won a district court ruling saying the names had to be released. The appeals court affirmed the lower court decision.

"The judiciary exception is

important to safeguard judicial proceedings and maintain the independence of the judicial branch of government," Associate Justice Preston Dial Jr. said in his opinion for the court. "But it must not be extended to every governmental entity having any connection with the judiciary."

Dial said "public scrutiny" of applicants for the juvenile probation post "works toward proper selection considerations by the board and ... toward employment of qualified officers."

Lee was represented on appeal by an Austin lawyer hired by a coalition of news organizations put together by the Society of Professional Journalists and the Texas Press Association.

Weather forecast

REGIONAL FORECASTS
By The Associated Press

North Texas - Cloudy, windy and very cold tonight with a slight chance of light snow north and west and light snow or freezing drizzle southeast. Cloudy and cold Saturday with a slight chance of flurries. Highs 18 northwest to 32 southeast. Lows near 3 northwest to 18 southeast. Highs Saturday 12 northwest to 28 southeast.

East Texas - Cloudy, windy and very cold tonight with a slight chance of light snow or freezing drizzle. Cloudy and cold Saturday. Highs 28 to 32. Lows 15 to 18. Highs Saturday 25 to 28.

South Texas - A chance of drizzle or freezing drizzle tonight and Saturday. Continued cold through Saturday. Highs 30s north to 40s extreme south. Lows near 20 north to near 40 along the lower coast. Highs Saturday near 30 north to the 40s extreme south.

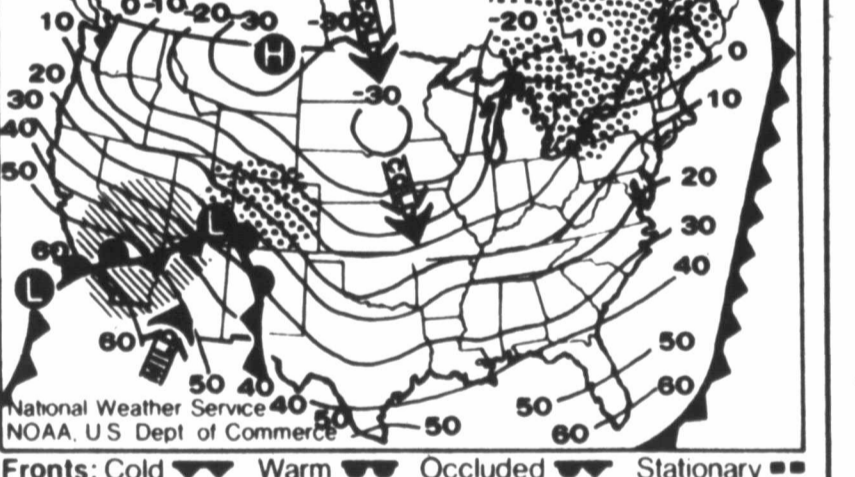
West Texas - Considerable cloudiness north and partly cloudy south through Saturday. Isolated snow flurries north into tonight and widely scattered light snow north tonight and Saturday. Turning colder Saturday. Continued warm west of the mountains. Highs 13 Panhandle to 35 southeast and 68 far west to 75 Big Bend. Lows near zero Panhandle to 18 southeast and near 40 southwest. Highs Saturday 8 Panhandle to 31 southeast and 64 far west to 72 Big Bend.

Port Arthur to Port O'Connor - Northeasterly winds 10 to 15 knots becoming easterly 10 to 15 knots tonight. Northerly winds 20 to 30 knots Saturday. Seas 3 to 5 feet tonight building Saturday. A chance of occasional drizzle tonight and freezing or frozen precipitation Saturday. Visibilities below one mile through tonight.

Port O'Connor to Baffin Bay - Northeasterly winds 10 to 15 knots through tonight increasing to 20 to 30 knots Saturday. Seas 3 to 5 feet tonight building Saturday. Occasional drizzle tonight and a chance of freezing precipitation Saturday.

Baffin Bay to Brownsville - Northerly winds 10 to 15 knots through

The Forecast For 7 a.m. EST Saturday, December 24
● Low Temperatures



Fronts: Cold Warm Occluded Stationary

tonight increasing to 20 to 30 knots Saturday. Seas 3 to 5 feet tonight building Saturday. Cloudy with a chance of drizzle through Saturday.

inland, near 50 extreme south, 30s and 40s elsewhere.

West Texas: A chance of snow north Sunday, otherwise mostly cloudy Sunday through Tuesday. Warmer Monday and Tuesday. Highs Sunday mid 20s Panhandle to mid 50s Big Bend warming to mid 40s Panhandle to upper 60s Big Bend by Tuesday. Lows Sunday morning near 10 Panhandle to low 20s southeast to mid 30s Big Bend warming to lower 20s Panhandle to near 40 southeast and Big Bend by Tuesday morning.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma - Continued cold through Saturday. Mostly cloudy becoming partly cloudy in the east tonight and Saturday. A chance of snow developing in the northwest on Saturday. Highs teens to near 20. Lows minus 3 to 2 above. Highs Saturday near 8 northwest to near 15 southeast.

New Mexico - Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Saturday. Scattered snows across the north. Highs 20s and 30s northeast plains to the 50s and 60s southwest. Lows tonight from minus 5 to 15 above northeast to the 30s and 40s lower elevations west. Highs Saturday 7 to 20 northwest plains to the 50s and 60s southeast.

Home Country

'Racehorse' Haynes flies to aid of jailed doctor

SAN SABA, Texas (AP) — Dr. Roy E. Lee says he is no different from hundreds of other divorced fathers who have been jailed because they cannot make their court-ordered family support payments.

But Lee's case drew attention in this town of 5,500. He is the only doctor.

And unlike others in the same position, Lee is friends with Houston defense lawyer Richard "Racehorse" Haynes, who promised to fly up to San Saba Thursday and try to spring the doctor from jail.

About a dozen townspeople braved sub-freezing temperatures to picket the courthouse Thursday, carrying placards that said, "Free Dr. Lee."

"There's not much I can do about it," said San Saba County Sheriff Brantley Barker, who has been ferrying Lee to San Saba Memorial Hospital to tend to medical emergencies.

"There's lots of support for me out there," Lee told the San Angelo Standards Times in a telephone interview from the jail Thursday.

"(Country-western singer) Mickey Gilley called me this morning and offered to pay the money. So did lots of my doctor friends. But if I let anyone do that, then what would I do next month? Pretty soon those wells would dry up."

Lee says he wants to meet his obligation, but can't make any money in the jail. And his

jailed say he will stay put until he makes a \$4,000 payment for support of his estranged wife and 4½-year-old son, who live in Harris County.

"Other than having our troops in Beirut ... this is the second most tragic thing happening this Christmas," Haynes said from his office Thursday. "This isn't my favorite Christmas story."

Barker set up a special telephone line for Lee to talk to nurses at the hospital. The line was kept busy Thursday, said assistant hospital administrator Wadene Ivy.

"Nurses can make no decisions without a doctor," Ms. Ivy said. "We're keeping the phone busy, like every minute. I didn't realize we talked to him so much."

Lee was jailed Wednesday after a court appearance. He said he had been ordered by State District Judge D.V. Hammond in a Dec. 7 order to make the support payment.

But Lee said he "couldn't make it and I didn't have the money."

"There are people marching around the courthouse carrying signs and placards," Lee said. "Most of them are women who work for me who have been having trouble collecting child support from their ex-husbands. The deputies tell me the signs they are carrying say 'Free Dr. Lee and lock up my ex-husband.'"

White likes idea of taking Mobil to court

AUSTIN (AP) — Now that a tentative agreement of a \$1.7 billion lawsuit involving Texas, Mobil Oil Corp. and a rancher has been delayed, Gov. Mark White says he likes the idea of taking the case to trial.

"I thought it was a good lawsuit," White told reporters Thursday. "Still do. And it's something that I think the facts are there to support the trial of the case."

The suit, challenging Mobil's oil and gas leases on Clinton Manges' Duval County ranch, was filed last year, and White, who was attorney general at the time, joined Manges' side because Texas owns some of the mineral rights involved in the case.

The governor said he was not surprised that Exxon intervened Tuesday and blocked the tentative settlement.

"If you own a third of the property and someone's making some shifts in the value to the property. I

guess it's important that they have something to say about it," White said.

Attorney General Jim Mattox has criticized Exxon for stepping in "in the 11th hour" and delaying or possibly destroying the proposed agreement worked out between Manges and the state on one side, and Mobil on the other.

Mattox said Exxon, which owns a third of the mineral rights on Manges' ranch, had been repeatedly invited to enter the suit against Mobil, filed last year by Manges, but he said Exxon had always refused.

White said it wasn't like "inviting people to a party. You have to follow procedures." But he insisted he would not "be critical" of Mattox's role in the case.

"I think it's important that we try to strike the best deal, if he's not going to try the lawsuit," White said.

The lawsuit accused Mobil of violating a drilling schedule in a lease agreement dating back to 1932. After months of negotiations, the state, Manges and Mobil had reached an accord.

But when lawyers met Tuesday in Laredo to formalize the agreement in court, Exxon filed a cross-suit and a counter-claim, and the entire agreement was delayed.

White said Exxon had not "been served" with any legal papers and that was "one of the problems."

"That's one of the first things you have to do to bring somebody before the court officially, is to have them served, and until they are served, they're not officially before the court," the governor said. "You have to have all the parties at the table in order to have a settlement, and if that wasn't the case, then there was not really a settlement there."

Airline says stock transactions questions 'silly'

HOUSTON (AP) — The Air Line Pilots Association is questioning stock transactions by top officials of Continental Airlines, but spokesmen for the reorganized carrier are branding the questions "silly."

Continental Executive Vice President Philip Bakes, meanwhile, is blaming the striking union for the breakdown in negotiations this week. According to Bakes, the union refused to withdraw a mandate that new pilots hired at Continental since the strike Oct. 1 be fired and pilots who have remained in the cockpit be demoted.

The exchanges are the latest salvos in the bitter dispute between the airline, which filed for protection

under federal bankruptcy laws, and the pilots union, which struck rather than accept salary cuts and increases in working hours.

At news conferences Thursday in Houston, Washington, Denver and Los Angeles, ALPA raised questions about large sales of Continental stock by airline executives months before it filed for reorganization Sept. 24. ALPA offered a \$5,000 reward for information on those sales.

"These transactions have been on the books for months," Bakes said in Houston. "There was absolutely nothing improper done," added Clark Onstad, a Continental vice president who responded to questions in Washington.

Questions about stock trading by company executives were raised by Susan Kellock of the Kamber Group, a consulting firm hired by the pilots to help organize their campaign against Continental.

She declined to characterize the stock sales as illegal insider trading, but said they do raise questions which should be explained in public.

Continental officials said the sale of 47,000 shares of stock in late 1982 by company chairman Frank Lorenzo were made to raise cash for a personal debt. Bakes said if Lorenzo was intent on making money in the deal, he would have held the stock for another two months and could have doubled his money.

"They're grasping for straws," he said of the ALPA questions. "This has absolutely no bearing on what's going on at Continental. It's silly, absolutely silly."

ALPA officials also accused the airline of refusing to engage in meaningful bargaining, but Bakes said the talks, which broke off Wednesday in Los Angeles, "appeared close on

wages and work rules.

"We were very, very far apart on one issue — saving jobs for pilots who came to work. We would not find ways to displace workers."

Bakes said the union wanted pilots who crossed picket lines demoted and new pilots hired since the walkout fired.

"It is not right and we won't do it," he said.

Sheriff's captain acquitted

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — El Paso sheriff's Capt. Willie Hill says a jury's decision to acquit him of charges of tampering with evidence was the "best Christmas present I ever had."

"I'm too emotional to speak right now. My mind's totally blank," Hill said Thursday after a six-man, six-woman jury found him innocent.

"Maybe later I can talk. Right now, it's just the best thing ever."

Hill, an 11½-year veteran of the sheriff's department, was indicted in October on charges of official misconduct and tampering with evidence after two deputies said he ordered they destroy a suspicious white powdery substance they found in County Judge Pat O'Rourke's car.

State District Judge Sam Callan dismissed the official misconduct charge Wednesday.

Hill had admitted on the witness stand that he did order the substance be destroyed but contended he did so because he thought it was a "setup."

"I could see it was a setup I could see the whole thing in my mind," he said.

The setup was aimed at one of the two deputies who discovered the substance last February and who was a key witness in a federal grand jury investigation into

alleged inmate beatings at the El Paso County Jail in 1981, Hill said.

Deputy Dwight Jefferson testified against jailers, three of whom were indicted last week on charges of beating inmates, and "was very unpopular," Hill said.

"I had calls telling me they were going to kill a soul brother," Hill said. Both Hill and Jefferson are black.

Jefferson and Deputy Jim Boykin have said they found the unknown substance, which they believed to be heroin, inside a condom while they were installing a two-way radio in O'Rourke's car.

The two men, who were granted immunity from prosecution for testimony against Hill, said that when they told Hill of the discovery he ordered it destroyed.

Prosecutor Tom Roepke argued, however, that Hill destroyed the substance because he is a "political and personal friend" of O'Rourke.

After hearing the verdict Thursday, Hill jumped up, clapped his hands and shouted "God bless you all" to the jury.

Hill's friends and relatives, who had filled the courtroom during his four-day trial,

burst into cheers of "Thank you." Many cried and one woman shouted "justice has been served."

Hill's defense primarily was that the substance was not evidence in any pending investigation so he did not destroy evidence.

Border crossings ahead of last year

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Christmas traffic across the Rio Grande has far surpassed last year and consular officials say this is good news for Texas retailers and a positive sign that Mexico is on the road to economic recovery.

Two to three times more Mexicans have applied for visas to enter the United States this December than during December 1982, according to Chris Kauth, U.S. vice consul in Matamoros.

Most of the applicants are people who want to Christmas shop in the states rather than in their hometowns of Tampico and other cities in the State of Tamaulipas.

Kauth said the number of visas issued as swelled from an average of 43 per day to 135 per day during December. The rejection rate is low, he

said, because most of the visa applicants exhibit the necessary degree of affluence.

Kauth estimated that about 1,800 visas will be issued during this holiday season compared to 806 issued last year. But, he said, the number is still well below the 4,200 visas issued in 1981 prior to the peso devaluations.

"It is certainly clear from the number of applicants that the Mexican economy has picked up from a year ago," Kauth said. "We are seeing people applying who used to make regular Christmas trips to the (Rio Grande) Valley, but did not do so last year because of economic hard time."

"Now, they seem to be resuming their traditional patterns."

Increased traffic this year will mean "more sales for

Valley merchants, but not so much as two years ago. It won't be disastrous, but it won't be the old boom either," he said.

Visa recipients represent less than 1 percent of those actually coming across to shop, he said. Many others who come regularly carry other kinds of border crossing documents. The border traffic this year is flowing both ways, with the number of travelers heading south also way ahead of 1982.

Mexican Consul Enrique Hubbard in Brownsville said his office is twice as busy as last year issuing visas to Mexicans who permanently reside in the United States and need papers to re-enter Mexico.

Most applicants tell Hubbard they are going to visit family thanks to an economic recovery in the

United States that has made it possible for people to go home for Christmas.

And, Hubbard said, his office is witnessing for the first time a large number of Central Americans requesting papers to return to Central America via Mexico. During November, 50 passports were issued to resident alien Central Americans traveling by land through Mexico to their homelands.

Again, Hubbard attributed the increase in Central America applicants to an improved U.S. economy.

Friends of Viola Jordan,

Words will never adequately express the gratitude we feel for the many friends of ours, and Mother's, who have shown their love and concern for us during this time of great loss in our family. She was so much a part of your lives, as you are of ours, and we thank you with all our hearts for your caring and your thoughts for her while she was in the hospital and when she came home. Every phone call, card, food gift, flower and above all, every prayer, has meant so much to us. We are so fortunate to have many old, dear friends and some rather new friends like you.

Your love and God's great grace have sustained us through this difficult time, and we thank each of you for your every act of kindness shown us in these past days.

May God bless you all.

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Comanche Peak violations are cited

DALLAS (AP) — A regional Nuclear Regulatory Agency official says Texas Utilities Generating Co. faces a \$40,000 fine because a quality control supervisor at the Comanche Peak nuclear facility threatened the inspectors working under him.

John T. Collins, NRC regional administrator, said Thursday that a staff investigation conducted from Jan. 7 until Aug. 3 into complaints by inspectors substantiated the allegations.

TUGCO has 30 days to respond in writing to the report, which recommended a \$40,000 fine, Collins said.

The NRC staff said the supervisor intimidated the inspectors, threatening to withdraw their quality control certifications if the inspectors continued to write "nit-picking" reports, Collins said.

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Opinion

Business success help to everyone

Calvin Coolidge, the former president of few words, told a newspaper convention in 1925 "The chief business of the American people is business."

Judging from the actions of Congress since Coolidge's day, you would think our chief business was to destroy business. High taxes, regulation, destructive inflation and soaring interest rates have taken their toll on American commerce. Politicians have been known to perpetrate the destructive legislation by ranting against "obscene profits" and "corporate greed." Vote-hungry demagogues have found an audience by portraying the interests of labor and "the little guy" as being the opposite of the interests of business.

The truth is, Calvin Coolidge was right. The economic well-being of the average American is closely tied to the health of American business. The economic recovery that began one year ago has not only benefited business: Today 3.6 million more Americans are working than one year ago. Wages, for the first time in years, are rising faster than taxes and inflation. Equally as important, the 42.4 million Americans who own stock in American companies have benefited greatly from the great bull market of 1982-83.

According to a press release from the New York Stock Exchange, a record number of Americans—nearly one in five—own a piece of corporate America. The bull market fueled by the business recovery has increased the wealth of those 42 million shareholders by more than \$1 trillion, according to some estimates.

Lest anyone belittle the gains of stockholders by saying they represent only "the rich," the NYSE found that the average shareholder is young, a relatively small trader, and female. According to the press release, more than half the owners of corporate stock are under 45. Investors with portfolios valued at less than \$5,000 outnumbered those with portfolios of more than \$5,000 by a 5-2 margin. Most surprising of all, of the 42 million stockholders, 57 percent are women.

This last point contradicts the charge that President Reagan's economic policies are skewed against women. The positive business climate of low inflation, declining taxes and relaxed regulation has been a boon to the 24 million American women who own stock.

The general economic well-being of the American people—young, old, male, female, rich or non-rich—depends on the success of American business. Calvin Coolidge was no fool.

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Anthony Harrigan

Opinion molding disturbing trend

In a fascinating article in Policy Review, Dr. Russell Kirk refers to the "disparity between popular convictions and the attitudes of quasi-intellectual Manhattan." It is very important to make a distinction between the two.

All too often, popular convictions are described in terms of what is popular on television or what passes for truth in the pages of the major metropolitan media such as The New York Times and the Washington Post. Such material is not necessarily the stuff of popular convictions. It is the opinion of a small number of manipulators of information. The American people don't need television networks to tell them what is reality or what they should think, or even what someone said. For years, the networks have had the annoying habit of recapping what was said in presidential addresses -

whether of Jimmy Carter or of Ronald Reagan. In so doing, they engage in selective interpretation and attempt to fashion public opinion.

This process of opinion - molding, or attempted opinion - molding, is one of the best disturbing phenomena in our country today. Special pleading and one-sided presentations are the tools of many influential television journalists. They form a significant part of a substantial class of opinion - makers whom no one has elected but whose influence is almost all-pervasive.

Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick addressed this situation in a recent interview with The Times of London. Mrs. Kirkpatrick noted that "We know well enough that the publication of textbooks and the control of the media are in the hands of

relatively small number of people who decide without public accountability what should be said in textbooks, shown on the television screens, and advertised through the length and breadth of 50 American states. These people are unelected. They are, in the technical, political scientist's sense of the word, irresponsible, because they are accountable to no one for the use of this enormous power. In this technical sense, the media constitute the largest concentration of irresponsible power in the contemporary U.S."

The local newspaper, of course, is accountable to a community opinion. National journals, such as the New USA Today newspaper, are not similarly accountable. Television stations, even when locally owned, are dependent on the networks for news and the opinion that

passes for news. The power of the major media, principally television, is often used to disrupt the morale and cohesion of the nation, as was the case during the war in Vietnam and now in regards to the communist attempt to dominate Central America.

Congress has never made a serious attempt to relate the anti-trust laws to this form of irresponsible power. In the absence of that, the only available constraint on this power is heightened public understanding of the problem and the threat. The comments of Dr. Kirk and Ambassador Kirkpatrick need to be widely disseminated so that there is a general consensus that the messages from media elites in New York City and Washington are not equated with authentic public opinion.

Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Dec. 23, the 357th day of 1983. There are eight days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Dec. 23, 1783 - 200 years ago today - George Washington resigned as commander in chief of the U.S. Army and retired to his home at Mount Vernon, Va.

On this date:

In 1788, Maryland voted to cede a 10-square-mile area for the seat of the national government, what became Washington, D.C.

In 1823, "A Visit From St. Nicholas," by Clement Clarke Moore, was published in the Troy (N.Y.) Sentinel.

In 1941, American forces on Wake Island surrendered to the Japanese.

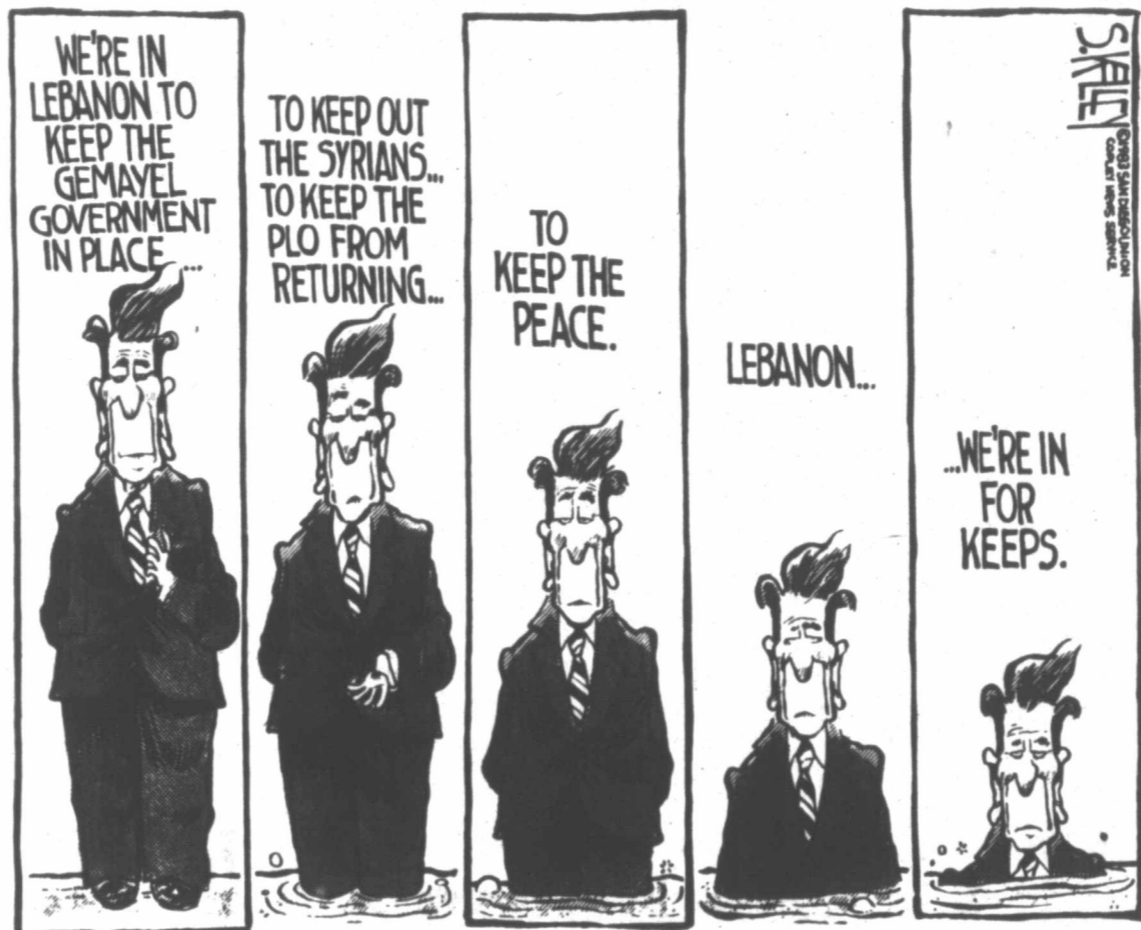
And in 1948, former Premier Hideki Tojo and six other Japanese war leaders were executed in Tokyo.

Ten years ago: A ferry boat, capsized in the Pacific off Ecuador, and more than 100 people drowned.

Five years ago: The United States and the Soviet Union said they'd reached agreement on most issues holding up a strategic arms limitation treaty, but had failed to conclude the accord in three days of talks between Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko.

One year ago: Actor Jack Webb, who played Sergeant Joe Friday on the TV series "Dragnet," died of a heart attack at the age of 62.

Today's birthdays: Dancer Jose Greco is 65. Newsman Floyd Kalber is 59. And U.S. Sen. Roger Jepsen of Iowa is 55.



Rusty Brown

Portrait of a Chinese woman

SHANGHAI—One woman's life can sometimes be a story of the times. We cannot separate Joan of Arc from the Medieval church, just as we cannot think of Ann Frank apart from the Nazis.

Though she's not a world-class heroine, the same can be said for Zhang Wen Ying, 28, of Shanghai. Her life reveals as much about the Peoples' Republic of China today as it does about her.

Friendly and easy to talk to, she is a guide with the Shanghai Youth Federation Travel Service, and she has acquired—from Americans—the nickname "Kate." She interprets for our group when we talk with Chinese in their homes or at work.

Her clothes are an outward sign that China's Communist Party has eased the dress code requiring both men and women to wear proletarian blue jackets and trousers. Jewelry and makeup were long ago banned as "bourgeois evils."

While the asexual, uniformed look is still the norm in dusty, bleak Peking, Shanghai women are breaking away and wearing bright suit jackets. On this day, Kate is wearing a tweedy white blazer and a red

blouse that ties just below her neck to reveal a strand of beads.

She also wears one of the young's most coveted accessories—a pair of fashionable sunglasses.

She married a professional singer in October. He's 34 and their ages are compatible with China's policy of late marriage as a means of postponing childbearing. "Ours is not an arranged marriage, as was the custom," she says, "but a mutual friend did introduce us."

Kate tells me she will wait two years before having her first, and only, child "because we must do something about our over-population."

When she graduated from high school 10 years ago, she was assigned to work in a nylon manufacturing plant, 28 kilometers (about 17 miles) from Shanghai.

Young people in China are not free to seek jobs on their own and to decline an assignment requires a wait of five years for another.

Our guide worked at the looms five years. "One day," she recalls, "the plant announced openings for interpreters and

translators. Those who applied had to take an examination in Chinese, math, politics, written and oral English. I passed and was given 18 months of foreign language training." Then she became an interpreter for the foreign engineers who came to explain or install machinery. She also translated technical papers from English to Chinese.

More than a year ago, however, she suffered a detached retina. After a 40-day hospital stay, she was assigned to the Youth Travel Service.

Kate feels she has as much chance for advancement in her job as her male colleagues. She earns 45 yuan a month (about \$23) with a regular bonus of 12 yuan (\$6) because she's good at her job.

When Kate was making plans to marry, she, like most brides, wanted "24 legs." "That's the number of legs on essential furniture newlyweds used to think they need to set up housekeeping," she says, laughing. In her case: a bed, a bedside table, two chairs, a table and chest.

But today's couples are also caught up in

the wave of unabashed consumerism sweeping the country with the blessing of the government. After years of spartan living under Chairman Mao, people are now encouraged to buy.

So most couples want more than "24 legs." "I bought a sewing machine," says Kate, "and my husband bought us a sofa, bookcase, TV and tape player." Now she's eyeing a "White Cloud" brand refrigerator, but her husband wants a piano first.

She expects to combine motherhood with working. "In China, all women work," she says. She is surprised that this is not always true in America. "I have heard that some women there don't work and are supported by their husband," she says. "I don't think I would like that. Then I would have to listen to my husband all the time."

Even with her modern outlook on marriage and work, she chose to respect an ancient tradition. She lives with her husband's parents.

Zhang Wen Ying is confident about today and ambitious for tomorrow. Yet she keeps her respect for the past. To me, she epitomizes the young women of China.

Berry's World



Don Graff

Can America win in the U.N.?

"While Washington seems unable to make the United Nations serve its own interests, the USSR has no such problem."

That statement doesn't come from me. It's the Heritage Foundation's, in a study of "Moscow's U.N. Outpost" that has just come to hand.

I don't disagree with it, or much else in the analysis of how the Soviets so consistently outmaneuver us in the high-stakes game on the East River, where their almost automatic majority among some 100 "non-aligned" nations is only part of our problem.

There are several answers to why this should be. In part, it is the result of skillful "conference diplomacy," in the study's words, and the effective use - and abuse - of the U.N. machinery by the Soviets going back many years.

There's also the matter of a U.N. Secretariat stuffed with spies. Over a third of all communist-bloc nationals, in the study's estimate, "are officers of their

respective secret police under the direct guidance of the KGB."

The Soviets also have done a thorough job of infiltrating and subverting U.N. specialized agencies and associated non-governmental organizations. As a consequence, they are able to write much of the international agenda and disseminate through U.N. organs a propaganda barrage that "has caused Western nations to become exhausted, exasperated or possibly intimidated into silence."

There's more, some of it a bit shrill; but the Heritage people still make a strong case.

Where I part with it is in the recommendations for dealing with an admittedly bad situation. They would clean house at the Secretariat, require personnel to be politically impartial as stipulated by the Charter, condemn Soviet violations of U.N. procedures and restrict the size of communist missions.

All this at the insistence of the United States and its allies.

Forget it. It could never happen. Or if it did, it would mean the dissolution of the United Nations. This might be a solution of sorts, but quite a different one from that intended: to shape up the organization.

The United Nations, oversold to start with, has never and will never function as its own Charter, in the more idealistic passages, would have it. Let alone as we would ideally prefer it.

If a strong case can be made for curtailing or even severing this country's U.N. connection - as the Heritage study does without really saying so - one can also be made for keeping it going.

Imperfect as it is, it has its uses. It is a universal forum. It brings nations together to confront, if not necessarily to resolve, world issues. It compels public debate of those issues and the debates do have an effect.

Forget the specific wording of resolutions, the breakdown of votes and the vetoes. The Soviet Union has been hurt by the U.N.

airing of Afghanistan and the airliner atrocity.

Our U.N. problem is to a very considerable extent of our own making. If the Soviets have used and abused the U.N. machinery, we have misused it.

There has been no consistency in U.S. policy toward the organization or continuity of representation. Attention has been paid to the United Nations when it could be used to obvious advantage. But it has been ignored at other times.

Some American ambassadors have been of real stature; for others, the post has served as a political graveyard. None have remained for long. Possibly worse, the high rate of turnover extends to the lower echelons of the mission.

Further, American positions on U.N. issues often are dictated more by domestic political considerations than by international realities. Consider only the decades-long stonewalling of mainland China's membership.



HOPE ARRIVES — Comedian Bob Hope arrives aboard the USS Guam Friday for the first of three Christmas shows he is giving for U.S. Marines and Sailors serving in Lebanon. Hope is giving his first Christmas shows for servicemen since the Vietnam war. (AP Laserphoto)

Comedian delights Marine audience

ABOARD THE USS GUAM (AP) — "If you think you guys are fighting over here," Bob Hope told an audience of U.S. Marines just arrived from Beirut airport, "you should see them battling for Cabbage Patch dolls back home."

Hope, giving his first Christmas show to U.S. troops since Vietnam, delighted the audience aboard this Navy ship with a patter of jibes aimed at President Reagan, Democratic presidential candidate Jesse Jackson, former Yankees baseball manager Billy Martin and the cease-fire in Lebanon.

The lights of Beirut could be seen just a few miles off the flight deck of this amphibious assault ship as the 80-year-old entertainer sprayed the hooting, cheering Marines and sailors with a rapid fire opening monologue.

Hope arrived aboard the Guam only hours before the Thursday night show and made a surprise visit to the sick bay. He was to hopscotch to the battleship USS New Jersey and the carriers USS Independence and USS John F. Kennedy for a series of shows.

During the day, a large segment of the audience was shuttled by helicopter aboard the Guam from duty at Beirut airport, where they frequently have been the target of artillery shelling.

Hope evoked a torrent of howls and whistles with the line: "Beirut — that's an Arabic word meaning 'Let's get the hell out of here.'"

Then he gave his definition of "semper fidelis," the Marine Corps motto: "That means Mr. T is a sissy."

Singers Ann Jillian and Cathy Lee Crosby wept at the standing ovation the Hope troupe received from the crew of a ship that has been at sea for 65 days and, after leaving its home port of Norfolk, Va., took part in the Grenada invasion.

Some in the crew-cut audience were brushing their eyes, too, when Ms. Jillian led everyone in the singing of "Silent Night," which has closed every Christmas show of Hope's since he first went overseas to entertain troops in 1943.

A chorus of whistles greeted actress and model Brooke Shields and Miss USA Julie Hayek when they came out on the makeshift stage in slinky dresses to join Hope and crooner Vic Damone in a comedy skit built around the song "Standing On The Corner, Watching All The Girls Go By."

"A military audience provides the best laughs in the world," Hope said. He seemed overwhelmed by the enthusiasm of the audience, even when some of his jokes bombed. But he had a remedy for that too: "Stuff the bad jokes into the five-inch guns and aim them at the Syrians."

"President Ronald Reagan," Hope said of one of his closest friends, "is the greatest thing to happen to Hollywood since George Burns made God."

"Jesse Jackson," he quipped, "has made some concessions: if elected, he will still call it the White House."

On the firing yet again of Martin as Yankees manager, Hope said, "His head has rolled so many times he's got a zipper on his neck."

Cerebral palsy victim is outraged at force-feeding

RIVERSIDE, Calif. (AP) — A cerebral palsy victim who wants to starve herself is "upset and angry" at the force-feeding hospital workers have begun to keep her alive and will "never change her mind" about her wish to die, her attorneys say.

But lawyers for 26-year-old Elizabeth Bouvia say she'll tolerate the "intrusive procedure" until a court orders the feeding to stop.

"If the hospital wants to tie her down and feed her for 15 weeks, Elizabeth Bouvia is up to that task," attorney Richard Scott said Thursday night.

Earlier Thursday, Superior Court Judge John H. Hews ruled that the hospital could force-feed Ms. Bouvia if doctors felt her refusal to eat was endangering her life.

However, Ms. Bouvia's attorneys planned quick court appeals to overturn the ruling, starting with a writ of habeas corpus, an action that could come as early as today, Scott said.

In addition, the American Civil Liberties Union will probably file a major damage suit claiming that force-feeding constitutes a battery on Ms. Bouvia, said Andrew Roth, another member of her legal team.

Ms. Bouvia had refused to eat since last Friday, when Hews ruled against her bid to be allowed to starve herself to death under the watch of Riverside General Hospital.

A quadriplegic with partial use of her right arm, Ms. Bouvia had vowed to pull out the feeding tubes. However, a nurse and guard were posted in her room 24 hours a day, said Scott, one of a team of

lawyers assembled on Ms. Bouvia's behalf by the ACLU. "She is really upset and angry," said Jacquie Schreck, a member of Ms. Bouvia's defense team.

Ms. Bouvia, who also suffers from severe arthritis, says she prefers death to a life filled with agony.

"She is very unhappy about this (force-feeding) and reported to me she will never change her mind," Scott said. "She will not accept this intrusive procedure."

Ms. Bouvia had maintained her weight at 95 pounds by consuming liquid protein until Hews ruled against her last Friday. She then began fasting and her weight dropped to 86.3 pounds, county officials said. However, Scott questioned the county's figure, saying it was impossible for Ms. Bouvia to lose that much weight in four days.

Hews approved the force-feeding Thursday at a hearing called at the request of Deputy County Counsel Barbara Milliken.

When the judge ruled Thursday, he said he believed the county had sought the court order because "they're afraid of being sued."

Ms. Milliken confirmed that, saying: "We face criminal prosecution, civil prosecution and administrative penalties whichever way we turn."

Ms. Bouvia's attorneys also

pondered the legal and moral questions of the case. "This is a terrible dilemma we seem to have all gotten into," Scott said Thursday evening.

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By GENA WALLS

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first. Isn't it the colored envelope or the odd sized one that gets immediate attention? This is true with secretaries and clerks, too.

Another thing that helps obtain information is to send a "thank you" note. If the material you receive is something you have been wanting for a long time or the correspondence informative, send a post card with a big smile. I have found that this little extra brings fast results if I need to write the same person again and its worth the 13 cent stamp. Everyone likes to know that their work is appreciated.

Postage can become expensive when pursuing a family tree and you should watch the weight carefully to avoid something

being returned. Usually, when using the business envelopes, you can send four pages for 20 cents. In some cases, if the paper is a light weight and the envelope is very light, you can send five pages but most of the time you will need another 17 cents for a total of 37 cents postage.

Use commemorative stamps on all your correspondence. These stamps cost the same and add that extra "eye appeal" to the recipient. You need to ask for commemorative stamps at the post office when you purchase stamps.

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Dear Abby

Gift-giving is thankless task for exasperated aunt

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I need your help in handling this "slow burn" that's been building up over the years. How does one get young relatives to understand the importance of acknowledging gifts?

Having no children of my own, I have lavished generous gifts on nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, etc. However, my regular outpouring of gifts for birthdays, graduations, weddings, Christmas, etc., was seldom acknowledged.

For too many years I have overlooked their rudeness by reasoning that their parents were too busy coping with big problems to train their children to write thank-you notes.

Though distance has often separated us, I know I am their favorite aunt and dearly loved in return. For this important gift I am truly thankful.

My concern is less for the hurt I have felt than for the awareness that such social insensitivity may be damaging to them. It seems to be perpetuating itself from generation to generation. How can I stop this from snowballing?

FAVORITE AUNT IN HAWAII

DEAR AUNT: Have you ever told them how you feel? If not, it's time you did, stressing that people who do not acknowledge gifts are considered ungrateful and ill-mannered. If they don't care what others think of them, that's their business, and they will have to live with the consequences.

In the future, give only for the joy you derive from giving, without regard for thanks. And if there is no joy in thankless giving, stop giving.

DEAR ABBY: How can I get my husband to lose weight? I have begged, pleaded and done everything within my power to get him to diet, but to no avail. He's not just "a little" overweight, Abby—he's gained over 70 pounds in the six years we've been married.

One of the reasons I fell in love with him was because he was so physically appealing. He no longer is.

He used to dress well. Not anymore. Nothing fits him. He refuses to buy new clothes—he keeps wearing clothes that should have been discarded years ago.

I love my husband, but I have absolutely no desire to have sex with him. (It's like being crushed by a ton of bricks.) Please help me. Perhaps you or a reader can offer a workable solution.

DESPERATE

DEAR DESPERATE: Neither you, nor I, nor any reader can help your husband unless he wants to be helped. The longest march in the world begins with one step, and in this case, that step is to a physician's office for a complete checkup. The next step is a diet and exercise program. No amount of nagging or pleading will help. His is a do-it-yourself project. He may need a "shrink" to help him shrink the rest of him.

DEAR ABBY: Gil and I are living together to see if we are compatible enough for marriage. The one big problem is that he absolutely refuses to use any kind of birth control. I am afraid of the side effects of the pill and I do not like any of the other contraceptives. We can't afford a family right now, but someday we probably will, so Gil doesn't want a vasectomy, and I don't want to have myself sterilized.

Otherwise we get along great. We really love each other. He says birth control is the woman's responsibility. I say it is just as much the man's responsibility as the woman's. Can you settle this?

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DEAR FIGHTING: The responsibility should be equally shared. Don't assume the role of the "victim." You have a choice. You can always say no. In the meantime, visit your nearest family planning clinic and take Gil with you. You both have much to learn.

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The magazine notes what happened to Northwestern University researchers after

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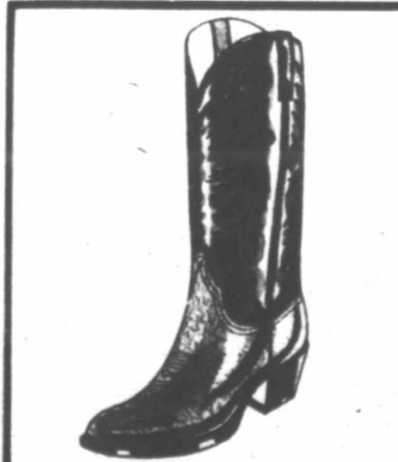
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 Love
 Angela Rodriguez
 age 8

Dear Santa,
 My name is Amy and I am 6 years old. Please bring me a "Herself the Elf" sleeping bag, jewelry box, baton, "Baby Thataway," clothes and a housecoat. I have been a good girl.

Love
AMY MILLER
 Age 6

Dear Santa,
 I want a girl cabbage patch doll with an extra suit of clothes. I want a new wagon, but if I don't get one, I will dump the stuff out of my old wagon and use it. And I would settle for some paper dolls of Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

I will leave you some peanut patties and a glass of Tang.

Love
ANDREA RODRIGUEZ
 Age 3

Dear Santa,
 My name is Monty Utzman and I am 4 1/2 years old. I have been a pretty good boy this

year - I've had very few spankings.

Would you please bring me a Castle Grey Skull? Also, would you please put lots of goodies in my stocking?

Thank you for all you brought me last year.

Love,
MONTY UTZMAN

Dear Santa,
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Dear Santa Claus,
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 Most of all I want a Dust Runner.

Love,
JAMES RAY
 7 years

Dear Santa,
 My brother and I want a four wheeler and a soccer ball. We have been very good. And please eat our milk and cookies. Tell your elves and reindeer that we hope your feeling well.

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Dear Santa Clause,
 I would like a race track and a trampoline and a kit car from Night rider and 3D glasses game.

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Love,
NICHOLE

P.S. My Daddy helped me right this.

Dear Santa,
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 Let Mrs. Claus see the note, because I like the note.

Love,
TENNILLE SMITH
 age 7

P.S. Most of all I would really like to have a Cabbage Patch kid or a Strawberry Shortcake doll that blows strawberry kisses.

Dear Santa,
 How are you? Is it fun up

there? This Christmas I would like a train set, a new slot car racing set, a star wars snow speeder, a Ewok fort, fabba and a glowing light saber. I will leave you some hot chocholet and cookies.

Thank you,
GREG

Dear Santa
 I would like you to bring me, please 1. a GI Joe jet, 2. a GI Joe headquarters, 3. GI Joe Wolverine, 4. GI Joe Helicopter, 5. GI Joe Snowspeeder, 6. Erector 700 and 7. Erector 350.

Love
KYLE SPARKMAN

Dear Santa
 I will be in Pampa for Christmas. Will you bring me a Knight 2000 car and will you put some Return of the Jedi men in my stocking? If you bring me that will you take it to Pampa? I'll be waiting for you. And will you make the Knight 2000 the one who talks. Will you bring my baby sister some clothes and a few toys.
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Annual Candlelight service at First Presbyterian Church

The annual Candlelight Service of the First Presbyterian Church, 525 N. Gray, will be at 11:30 p.m. Saturday in the church sanctuary. The Christmas Meditation and scripture readings will be given by Rev. Joe L. Turner, pastor, who said the service is one of carols and candles on the eve of Christ's birth. Special music will be provided by the Chancel Choir, under direction of Carolyn Price. The congregation will share in a candle service symbolizing the outreach of the gospel.

One service at Central Baptist

Central Baptist Church will have only one service on Christmas Sunday. The service will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. No Sunday School or evening service will be conducted. The public is invited to attend the morning service.

The heartbeat of Christmas

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

Friendship is the heartbeat of Christmas, socially and theologically. But it's hard to be an authentic friend, particularly in the modern atmosphere, says psychologist-theologian Eugene Kennedy, even though it's the core of living.

"Friendship, in any and all of its branching forms, is what life is all about," he says. Yet it's also a mystery, he adds, strange and elusive, usually most poignant and real in small, ordinary ways instead of in big events or activity, loaded with paradoxes.

"We can only draw close together, for example, because we are separate individuals," he says. He also notes that other separations, periods of being apart, are inherent in friendship, as well as the comings together.

The holiday season is a special time of friendship, of old ties renewed, of family reunions, of gifts and affection exchanged, all mirroring the theme of Christmas itself.

Religiously, the occasion marks God's giving of self to humanity, his joining with human life across a separating gulf, an accepting, loving identification with earthly existence, an intimate friendship sealed.

Yet it, too, happened in simple terms. "When the time had fully come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman," Scripture says. She "wrapped him swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger."

Kennedy, a psychology professor at Loyola University in Chicago, a former Roman Catholic priest and keen, widely read author, says friendships are mainly built, not on elaborate occasions, but on commonplace, shared experiences.

In a book entitled, "On Being A Friend," newly issued by Ballantine Books, he analyzes that relationship in strictly human terms, not its links to religion or holidays. Yet there are underlying parallels.

He says friendship requires that "we surrender something of ourselves for the sake of others," one of the mysterious paradoxes of it. "We die to ourselves as we make true friends. This experience fills us with the life that is stronger than death."

However, he says much of the modern generation, under influence of pop therapies focused on self, has severely crippled its capacities for friendship by narcissistic "emphasis on No. 1."

"Many young people are literally stuck in a phase of self-absorption and do not know how to free themselves," he says. "They have lost something." Ironically, he says, from concentrating on self, they've become "confused and desperately lonely."

"The move toward insularity... is well advanced," he says. Calling friendship a "national need," he says "we need each other more than ever just as we are sorely tempted to give up on each other."

Printer's Mass still popular

By MARCIA DUNN
Associated Press Writer

PITTSBURGH (AP) — At 2:30 a.m. every Sunday, people whose lives border on the other side of midnight — bus drivers, cabbies, newspaper truck drivers, college students, police officers — gather at Epiphany Roman Catholic Church.

It is time for the Printer's Mass. They come for the convenience of the hour, but they also come out of tradition. The 2:30 a.m. Mass was begun 80 years ago to accommodate Pittsburgh's newspaper printers, who would go to the big brick church after putting out their Sunday editions.

"It's convenient. That's no lie. If I didn't come to church, I'd sleep in," said Keith Duerring, 33, a bus driver who has served as an altar boy for eight years.

"It's quick and it's quiet. There's no one to bother you," said Jeff Studeny, 20, a department store printer.

"It's a tradition and we just keep coming," said Henry Johns, 69, a retired traffic supervisor for a cab company who began attending the Mass 20 years ago.

Pope Leo XIII granted special permission to schedule the Mass at the request of printers at the old Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph who wanted to attend church after finishing work at 2 a.m.

"The thing that our Mass answered was for the convenience of the people," said Auxiliary Bishop John B. McDowell, who first attended the Mass as a seminary student in the early 1950s.

For 50 years, more than 1,000 people regularly jammed into the church for the Printers' Mass. The crowds began to dwindle in the early 1960s, however, when vigil Masses on Saturday evenings were introduced.

Now, only about 100 people sit in the long wooden pews for the 25-minute service, a no-honsense affair with neither music nor homily. About half of the worshippers are college students, dressed in ski jackets and jeans.

Four priests take turns celebrating the weekly Mass. One is the Rev. Joel Baylon, 29, who arrived from the Philippines last summer.

Religious Roundup

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — A United Methodist seminary professor says that mainline denominations, which shun use of electronic media for evangelism, have declined in growth, while conservative ministries using that media are flourishing.

"We are, at present, in a posture of resistance to the media and the result is that we're becoming an ingrown church," the Rev. Tom Boomershire of Dayton, Ohio, told staff members of denominational agencies.

"I am convinced that there is a direct relationship between our resistance to the media age and our declining power as a denomination. We have responded with fear and are clinging to the past."

NEWBURY, England (AP) — An international Anglican-Lutheran team urged at a meeting here that the two world communions move toward "full communion" and suggested stages for pursuing it.

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We invite you to celebrate the birth of our Saviour by attending church this week, and by spreading good will everywhere you go.

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READY FOR THE COLD— Lou Holtz, center, tries on a stocking cap and scarf, presented to him at a news conference Thursday where he was named the new head football coach at the University of Minnesota. At left is Holtz's wife, Beth, and at right is Paul Giel, Director of Athletics. Holtz resigned Monday as Arkansas head coach. Air Force coach Ken Hatfield was named the new head coach at Arkansas. (AP Laserphoto)

College bowl glance

By The Associated Press
The pairings for NCAA Division I-A post-season bowl games:

- Saturday, Dec. 10: Independence Bowl at Shreveport, La.
- Air Force 9, Mississippi 3
- Saturday, Dec. 17: California Bowl at Fresno, Calif.
- Northern Illinois 20, Fullerton State 13
- Florida Citrus Bowl at Orlando, Fla.
- Tennessee 20, Maryland 23
- Thursday, Dec. 22: Hall of Fame Bowl at Birmingham, Ala.
- West Virginia 30, Kentucky 16
- Friday, Dec. 23: Holiday Bowl at San Diego, Calif.
- Brigham Young 10-1, vs. Missouri, 7-4
- Saturday, Dec. 24: Sun Bowl at El Paso, Texas
- Alabama 7-4, vs. Southern Methodist, 10-1
- Monday, Dec. 26: Aloha Bowl at Honolulu
- Penn State 7-4, vs. Washington, 8-3
- Thursday, Dec. 28: Liberty Bowl at Memphis, Tenn.
- Notre Dame 6-5, vs. Boston College, 9-2
- Friday, Dec. 28: Peach Bowl at Atlanta
- North Carolina 8-3, vs. Florida State, 6-5
- Saturday, Dec. 29: Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.
- Iowa 9-2, vs. Florida, 8-2-1

Cowboys favored

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer
The Dallas Cowboys of the regular season and the Dallas Cowboys of the playoffs are two very different teams—at least until they get to the National Football Conference playoffs.
For the past couple of years, they've lost their season finale to underdogs, then they've started the playoffs on the right foot. And the feeling here is that the Cowboys, having suffered through a pair of humiliating losses against Washington and San Francisco, will pull themselves together Monday against Los Angeles and take the first step toward retribution with the 49ers and then the Redskins.
Dallas, with a rushing defense second only to Washington's, will bottle up Eric Dickerson sufficiently to force Vince Ferragamo to go to the air, and to make a costly error or two.
The only question is: Has Cowboys' quarterback Danny White shaken the mistakes out of his system? The guess here is that he has. Take DALLAS minus 7 over the Rams.

In Hall of Fame Bowl

West Virginia slips past Kentucky

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP)—Coach Don Nehlen believed Paul Woodside and believed in Jeff Hostetler, and the result was a 20-16 victory for West Virginia over Kentucky in the Hall of Fame Bowl.
The 18th-ranked Mountaineers trailed Kentucky 10-3 at the half Thursday night after Hostetler had thrown 10 passes with no completions and one interception.
Kentucky was to get the ball to start the second half, but Woodside, an All-American place-kicker, recovered his inside kick at the Wildcat 48.
"Coach, we can get it," Woodside told Nehlen before the kick. "So, I said, 'Let's try,'" Nehlen said. "We needed a lift, and we were kicking with the wind. It's a bowl game, so I said, 'Let's go after it.'"
After Woodside's kick, Tom Gray ran twice, and then Hostetler completed his first pass. Four more runs by Gray led to Hostetler's 16-yard toss to Rich Hollins to tie the score.
"Nothing seemed to go right in the first half," Hostetler said. "But I'm proud that the team had confidence in me and the coaches stuck with me."
After 1 completed the first couple of passes, I felt pretty good and knew I could move the team."
Nehlen said he "never had a game where we did not complete a pass in the first half, but I wasn't worried. Jeff is too good a quarterback, and I knew he would bring us through."
Hostetler later ran the ball 37 yards to the 2 and hit Rob Bennett on a scoring pass, and Woodside kicked his second field goal to give the 9-3 Mountaineers enough cushion to absorb Kentucky's final score, a 13-yard pass from Bill Ransdell to Joe Phillips.
Kentucky, 6-5-1 after going 0-10-1 in 1982 in Jerry Claiborne's first year as the coach, took its halftime lead on a 26-yard halfback pass from Tony Mayes to quarterback Randy Jenkins, who caught the pass and a 23-yard field goal by John Hutcherson.
Hutcherson had replaced the suspended Chris Caudel late in the season and had not previously attempted a collegiate field goal.
After his slow start Hostetler completed 10 of his last 13 passes for 88 yards and was voted West Virginia's most valuable player, although Gray got 149 yards on 32 carries.
"I thought our effort was great," said Claiborne, whose Wildcats were picked to lose by 9½ points. "I can't fault the way our kids played. The only thing I fault is the score."

Theismann wins more honors

NEW YORK (AP)—Quarterback Joe Theismann of the Washington Redskins, already the National Football League's Most Valuable Player, added another jewel to his crown today when he was named Offensive Player of the Year by The Associated Press.
Theismann threw 29 touchdowns and was intercepted only 11 times as the Redskins, the defending Super Bowl champions, posted a league-best 14-2 record.
He received 41 of 84 votes cast by a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters. Running back Eric Dickerson of the Los Angeles Rams, who set a rookie record with 1,808 yards rushing and scored 20 touchdowns, was second with 29 votes.
Dan Marino, Miami's rookie quarterback, was a distant third with five. The remaining votes went to Redskin running back John Riggins (4), San Francisco quarterback Joe Montana (2), and rookie running back Curt Warner of Seattle, wide receiver Mike Quick of Philadelphia and quarterback Lynn Dickey of Green Bay (each).
In the MVP voting announced earlier this week, Theismann outpolled Dickerson 57-18 with the rest of the votes scattered among Marino and four others.
Except for his belief that he is vastly underpaid — his salary ranks 18th among NFL quarterbacks — this has been an exceptional season for Theismann, "the quickest one I've ever had."
It's far different from 1974, his first season in the NFL following three with Toronto of the Canadian Football League. He opted to head north from Notre Dame rather than south to Miami to join the Dolphins, who had made him their No. 4 pick and who had Bob Griese.
And when Theismann joined the Redskins, he ran into two Washington monuments named Sonny Jurgensen and Billy Kilmer, quarterbacks in the twilight of their careers.

Groom cagers win pair from Alamo

Groom defeated Alamo, 64-61, in boys' basketball action Thursday night.
Tracy Britten led Groom's scoring attack with 17 points. Darron Eschle, Wesley English and Ted Britten added 13 each.
Weatherly had 22 points to lead Alamo.
Groom also won the girls' game, 51-35.
Melissa Fields and Connie Thornton had 15 and 14 points respectively for Groom.
Medina had 12 points for the losers.

Benefit basketball game set Jan. 9 between Pampa New, K-Mart

The K-Mart Blue Light Flashers will meet the Pampa News Deadliners Jan. 9 in the second annual benefit basketball game between the two teams.
Proceeds from the benefit game will go to the Satellite Center building fund. Tipoff is 7 p.m. in McNeely Fieldhouse.
Admission is \$1 per person.
Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new center were held last Saturday at Somerville and Wells. The project will take approximately five months to complete.

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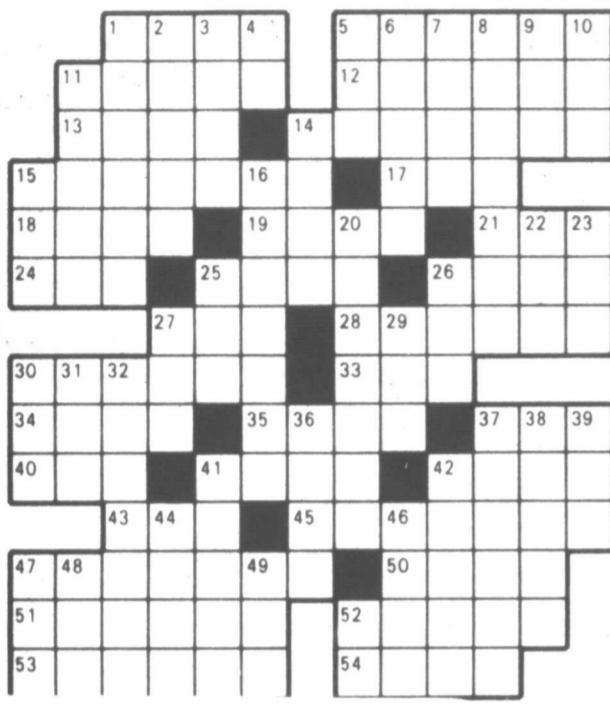
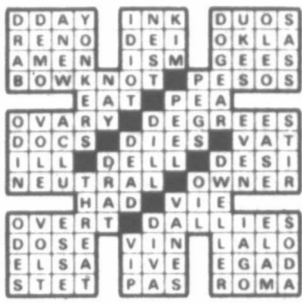
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Today's Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- 1 Cut down a tree
 - 1 Greek region
 - 2 Gets up
 - 3 Tom-tom
 - 4 Ship's crew
 - 15 Most beloved
 - 17 Everyone
 - 18 Western shrub
 - 19 Convert into money
 - 21 Former nuclear agency
 - 24 Mao
 - 25 Grim
 - 26 Actor Kruger
 - 27 Foulard
 - 28 Harden
 - 30 Fall
 - 33 French street
 - 34 Attire
 - 35 Kind of bread
 - 37 Greek letter
 - 40 Be in debt
 - 41 Festival
 - 42 Apprehension
 - 43 Saratoga
- DOWN**
- 1 Food for animals
 - 2 Become
 - 3 accustomed
 - 3 Fruit
 - 4 Singing
 - 5 Motoring association
 - 6 Husband of Bathsheba
 - 7 Small brook
 - 8 Segregate
 - 9 Das Vaterland (abbr.)
 - 10 Horse relative
 - 11 Musings
 - 14 Asterisk
 - 15 Summer time (abbr.)
 - 16 Art
 - 20 Played lead
 - 22 Greek letter
 - 23 Mountain pass
 - 25 Foggy
 - 26 Unit
 - 27 Old boat
 - 29 Convent inmate
 - 30 Bygone days (abbr.)
 - 31 Auto workers union (abbr.)
 - 32 Hair negative
 - 36 American patriot
 - 37 Capture again
 - 38 Hirsute
 - 39 Grampus
 - 41 Foolish show
 - 42 Young horses
 - 44 South American country
 - 45 Osiris' wife
 - 47 Sherbet
 - 48 French
 - 49 Spread to dry
 - 52 First person

Answer to Previous Puzzle



Astro-Graph by bernice bede osol

This coming year you will place more emphasis than usual upon building strong friendships. Three valuable relationships will result with persons with whom you'll have much in common.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Things have a way of working out for your ultimate good today, so treat whatever occurs philosophically. Unfolding events will strengthen your faith. Major changes are in store for Capricorns in the coming year. Send for your Capricorn Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$1 and your zodiac sign to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. Send an additional \$2 for the NEW Astro-Graph Matchmaker wheel and booklet. Reveals romantic compatibilities for all signs.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Do not permit uncertainties or shifting conditions to shadow your outlook today. The tides are stirring in order to produce benefits for you.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your presence lends to have a stabilizing and harmonious effect today, whether it be with a group of strangers or with your intimate inner circle.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Today represents a harvesting time for the fruits of your labor, careerwise. You will benefit both visually and in unseen ways.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A light and lively social gathering could turn out to be beneficial for you today from a business standpoint. Contacts will be found among the canapes.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) This is a good day to entertain at your place. Be sure the assembly is sprinkled with close friends, as well as relatives and family members.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Today you'll have an opportunity to correct a disturbing situation between you and someone of whom you are fond. Make amends.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Conditions indicate you should be quite fortunate materially today. Much to your credit, you'll want to share what you get with others.

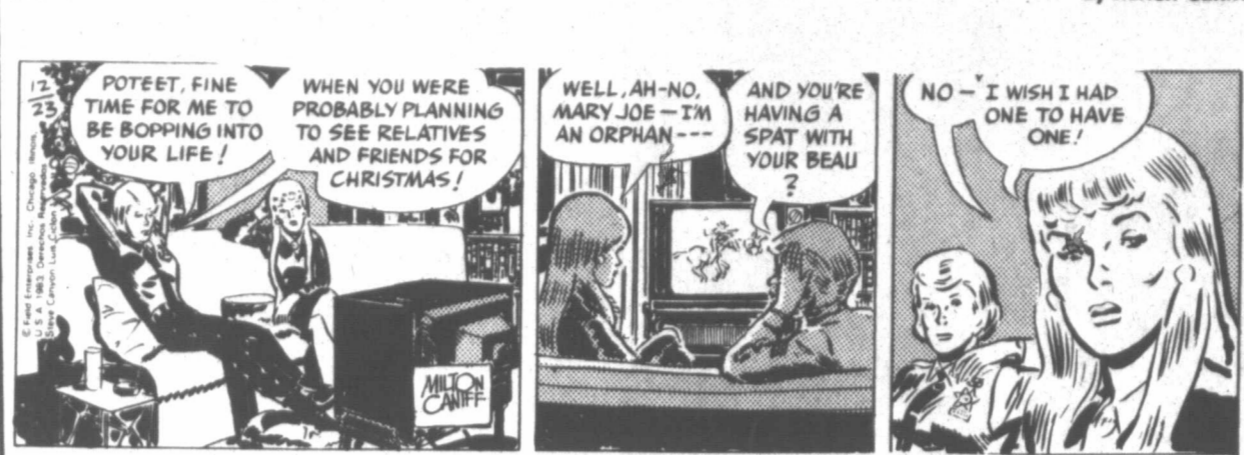
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A good time will be had by all today if you take it upon yourself to be the chairperson for fun activities. Others will welcome your direction.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Circumstances will be reversed today. You'll have a chance to help one who has helped you. If it involves sacrifice, remember his past unselfishness.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Planning an impromptu social gathering today? It may be wise to restrict your guest list to old friends who are comfortable with one another.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Good things tend to flow in your direction at this time. You could even be reimbursed in some manner for things for which you were never compensated.

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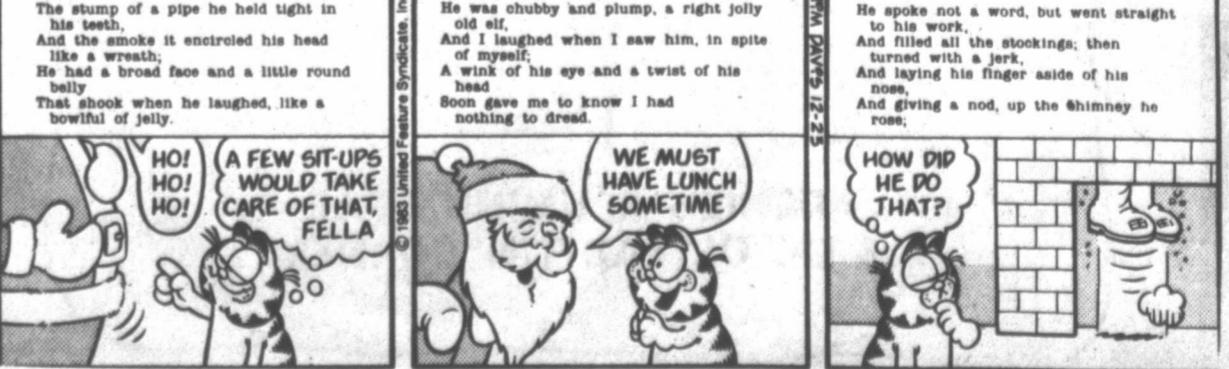
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BLIND SONGWRITER — John Jarrard used songwriting as a way to rebuild his life after going blind four years ago. He co-wrote the Don Williams' hit "Nobody But You." (AP Laserphoto)

New life from writing songs

By **JOE EDWARDS**
Associated Press Writer
NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — For John Jarrard, writing songs offered him a new life after a retina disease claimed his vision.

"Songwriting was a way out for me," Jarrard said in an interview. "I probably worked harder at it because it was the only way out."

The 30-year-old Jarrard, who was declared legally blind by Christmas 1979, co-wrote with J.D. Martin the recent Don Williams' country hit, "Nobody But You."

"For the first time, I feel my career's off the ground,"

said Jarrard, whose wife is expecting their first child in the spring. "I'm ecstatic. When I heard the Don Williams song for the first time, I danced all over this place."

Jarrard had been working as reservations manager at a Nashville hotel when he began losing his sight. In August 1979, he knew he had a sight problem.

By February, Jarrard was totally blind.

"I spent the next three or four months just deciding if it was worth picking up the pieces," he said in his office at a Music Row song

publishing company. "I made the decision to go for it. I'm thankful for that decision and for wherever I got that strength."

Jarrard had no formal music training growing up in Gainesville, Ga., and played enough guitar "to be dangerous." Nevertheless, after becoming blind, he began visiting song publishers' offices and writing songs for no salary while his wife, a certified public accountant, supported them.

In October 1982, he signed a contract to write and now he's one of Nashville's rising young composers with

"Nobody But You" his most successful song to date. He also co-wrote "Just Married," which was recorded by Louise Mandrell and R.C. Bannon.

Felder enjoys creating the music

By **MARY CAMPBELL**
AP Newsfeatures Writer
"The exciting part of the music business," says former Eagles' guitarist Don Felder, "is being able to enjoy the creative aspects of writing and making records."

"You walk into a studio, put a blank tape on the machine and walk out eight or 10 hours later having created something really exciting."

"That's opposed to going on the road. I enjoy audience response. But I enjoy the creative aspects of music the most. I plan to go out on the road this spring. But thanks to videos, I can get national TV exposure and I won't have to spend all of 1984 on the road. I can spend some time with my wife and four kids in Malibu."

Felder has his first solo album, "Airborne," on Asylum, and he has made a video of the first single, "Bad Girls," and plans two more.

"We tried to make a fun video," he recalls. "I jumped over cars and off the top of buildings onto milk trucks."

"Originally, I intended to do it myself. One of the first things was running across the top of a building on apple crates. It had been raining all morning; it was wet and slippery. One of the boxes went upside down. If you look closely in walking shots, I've got a bit of a limp."

"We found a stuntman who looks more like me than me. I want to send him out on the road to lip synch. I'll stay with my wife and four kids in Malibu."

The Eagles made videos of "Take It to the Limit" and "Hotel California."

Asked about the demise of the Eagles, one of America's most popular bands from 1972 to 1976, Felder says, "You can say unequivocally the Eagles ended in 1981. Glenn Frey decided to push the hold button on that project. He really wanted to step out of the pressure and intensity. He wanted to go do a solo album."

"It was a surprise. After other people in the band recovered from the emotional shock, Don Henley said, 'Me,

too.' Joe Walsh said, 'Me, too.' I said, 'Me, too.'"

"Over the course of 10 years in the Eagles, I had felt a great deal of pressure and a great deal of my life had been spent traveling. I decided I was going to do it at my leisure. When I didn't want to be in the studio, I didn't want to force myself to stay in that room and grind it out."

"I started building a studio on my two and a half acres. When I'd get a little flash, I'd go over and start working on it. When it was getting tedious, I'd spend time with the children, go wind surfing, improve my skiing or golf game, actually bring a little bit of pleasure to living on the planet."

"When I'd feel guilt or inspiration, whichever inspiration, I'd go back to work. That's the best explanation of why mine is the fourth solo album from the Eagles. Timmy Schmit has recorded one and will mix it in January."

"Right now there have been quite a few offers for the Eagles to do appearances — the Yes Festival in San Bernardino, Calif., Home Box Office. Four of us think it would be fun to work two weeks and make a lot of money. Then it goes to Glenn Frey and the hold button continues to flash on the project."

"I refuse to go out and perform under the name of the Eagles without the full membership. I think it would be a discredit to the art and the songs."

There always was considerable artistic disagreement among the Eagles.

"When I joined," Felder says, "there was so much quarreling and fighting going on among the band members that after two weeks I said to myself, 'Great. You made a brilliant career decision. You just joined a band that broke up.'"

"Where you've got a democratic organization instead of a leader and four followers, things can get done

Good and bad at Walt Disney

By **BOB THOMAS**
Associated Press Writer
BURBANK, Calif. (AP) — It is the best of times and it is the worst of times for Walt Disney Productions, the factory that has produced dreams and fantasy for the world's billions. The house that Walt built is marking its 60th year with a series of celebrations. After a 30-year absence, the studio's greatest star is returning to the screen in a holiday featurette, "Mickey's Christmas Carol." The Tokyo Disneyland is a whopping success, and offers to build a pleasure park elsewhere in the world arrive at the rate of two per week. The company predicts a rosy 1984 in terms of profits. Yet, in November, Disney stock dropped to a 12-month low, and the studio's young production chief abruptly quit his job. Most of the studio's new, more mature film projects have attracted small audiences and attendance at Disney's U.S. amusement parks has been down. Disney no longer has a network television series, and its new pay-TV channel lost \$28.3 million this year.

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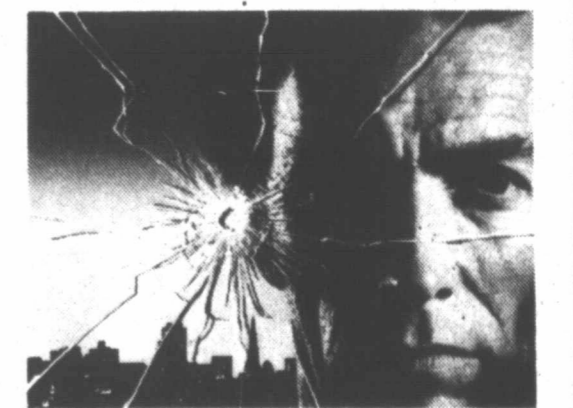
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JOBLESS PARTY — Unemployed steelworker Walter Hanlin of Johnstown, Pa., holds his granddaughter Bridget Hanlin as he takes one of the 1,000 turkey dinners served to unemployed mill workers in Johnstown

Thursday. The dinner consisted of 50 turkeys, 250 pounds of stuffing. Marines donated 600 toys for gifts to the children. (AP Laserphoto)

Steel workers get some Christmas cheer

JOHNSTOWN, Pa. (AP) — The past year offered little to celebrate in this depressed steel town, but for six hours a community Christmas party gave 1,000 parents and children a holiday meal, gifts and reassurance that "we're not the only ones left out."

"A lot of people didn't want Christmas to come this year because they couldn't afford the things they wanted," said Mary Duranko, who organized Thursday's gathering at the cavernous Pennsylvania National Guard

Armory. "At least it's one day they can enjoy this year."

Plagued by setbacks in the steel industry, this community of 35,000 earned the dubious distinction earlier this year of having the nation's highest urban unemployment rate — 25.9 percent in February.

That figure eased by October to 15.1 percent, but the overall mood hardly improved. The biggest employer, Bethlehem Steel Corp., has 2,600 people

working at its 12-mile-long wire plant, but 1,600 remain on layoff. An additional 3,000 jobs were eliminated when Bethlehem combined some operations with a plant in upstate New York.

Volunteers from the 4,000-member Wives' Action Committee — founded two years ago to give emotional help to the wives of jobless men — loaded turkey, stuffing and vegetables onto 1,000 plates as furloughed steel workers greeted old friends from the mills

As Santa Claus looked on benignly, children sneaked up to a huge, brightly lit Christmas tree to look wonderingly at wrapped presents collected by the U.S. Marines. The kids raced back to their parents when Mrs. Duranko warned that "elves are watching from the windows and if you don't behave, you won't get presents."

Leonard Dudash, who has worked only one week in two years at Bethlehem, brought his wife, Suzanne, and their three daughters, aged 5, 9 and 12.

"For the kids, it makes them feel that they're not the only family that's affected — that everybody here is exactly the same, that we're not the only ones left out."

Marine stay difficult for Reagan to explain

By BARRY SCHWEID
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan is having a hard time explaining why Marines will spend this Christmas and maybe the next one in Lebanon, looking out for shells while they eat their holiday dinners.

At a news conference Tuesday night, he said their mission is to help the Lebanese army "try to achieve some stability and maintain order."

This implied he might have the Marines move in behind the army when it moves out of Beirut, but officials said there is no such plan.

In fact, the president cannot expand the scope of the Marines' mission without congressional approval, although he does have permission to keep the Marines in Lebanon until March 1985.

Reagan apparently has ruled out a withdrawal at least until Lebanese President Amin Gemayel is more than, as one administration official put it, "the Duke of Beirut."

White House officials deny reports the president has decided to bring the Marines home before next summer's political conventions, or that he is considering a plan for withdrawal in the spring.

The Marines first went to Lebanon in August 1982 to assist in the evacuation of beaten Palestine Liberation Organization guerrillas. A month later, the Marines returned as a symbol of U.S. hopes for an end to fighting among Lebanese factions.

After two Marines were killed, a heavily armed task force steamed to waters off Lebanon — as "a marker for the Syrians," the president told congressional leaders Sept. 4.

Three months later, on Dec. 5, while declaring the United States did not want a confrontation with Syria, which had opened fire on U.S. reconnaissance flights, Reagan described the American role this way:

"Our mission remains what it was, to help stabilize the situation in Beirut until all the foreign forces can be withdrawn and until the government of Lebanon can take over the authority of its own territory."

That would mean waiting for Lebanon to enjoy a sovereignty that colonial powers, its neighbors and local warlords have not permitted for hundreds of years.

While Israel has agreed to withdraw and a faction of the PLO has pulled out, the Syrians have rejected appeals from the Gemayel government and the United States. They give no sign of budging.

If the Marines are to remain until Syria disinvites itself from Lebanon, they could be there for many Christmases.

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A merry Christmas, technologically speaking

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — A trip through the stores or a glance beneath the Christmas tree should convince diehards that an irresistible force, centered on the magical computer, is irrevocably changing human affairs.

It is creating a new class of those who understand, a class separated by a chasm of age and instinct from those who don't know and cannot seem to learn or understand how machines store data, rearrange it and release it on command.

Not everyone wanted a computer for Christmas, but a sufficient number did to create a shortage so critical that, believe it or not, it is as bad a scene in some homes today as that created by the shortfall of Cabbage Patch dolls.

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It has forced major nations into bizarre and embarrassing behavior. Russia desires American computers — certainly as intensely as many American children do — but several times has been thwarted trying to import American machines on the sly. Japan also wants them, and one Japanese company, Hitachi, was caught trying to buy IBM's secrets.

In just the past few days the following events occurred: —Sweden, with apparent assistance from the United States, impounded as war materiel an American computer that had arrived there by a circuitous route from South Africa, destined for the Soviet Union and

possible military use. —Apple Computer said it conducted an investigation with U.S. Customs assistance, that resulted in the seizure of 400 copies of its products. Apple has about 50 cases in 16 countries alleging copyright infringement. —IBM received a \$683.4 million order from the U.S. Navy. If gathered in one year, revenues of that amount would put a company well within any list of the 500 largest U.S. industrial companies. —Fortune magazine announced its list of "America's most admired corporations." The top three: IBM, Dow Jones, Hewlett-Packard. Two make computers. The other, Dow Jones, is a leader in the application of computer technology to publishing and providing information electronically. Finally, the electronic computer is making this Christmas like no other.

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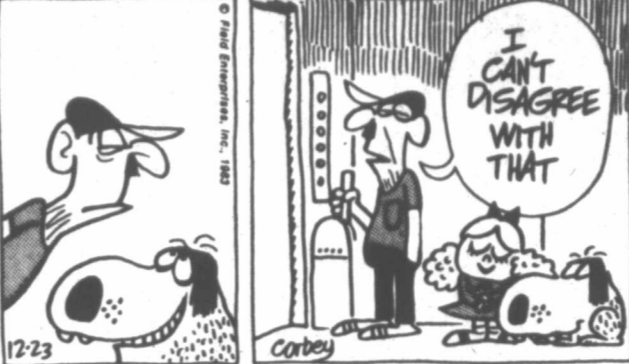
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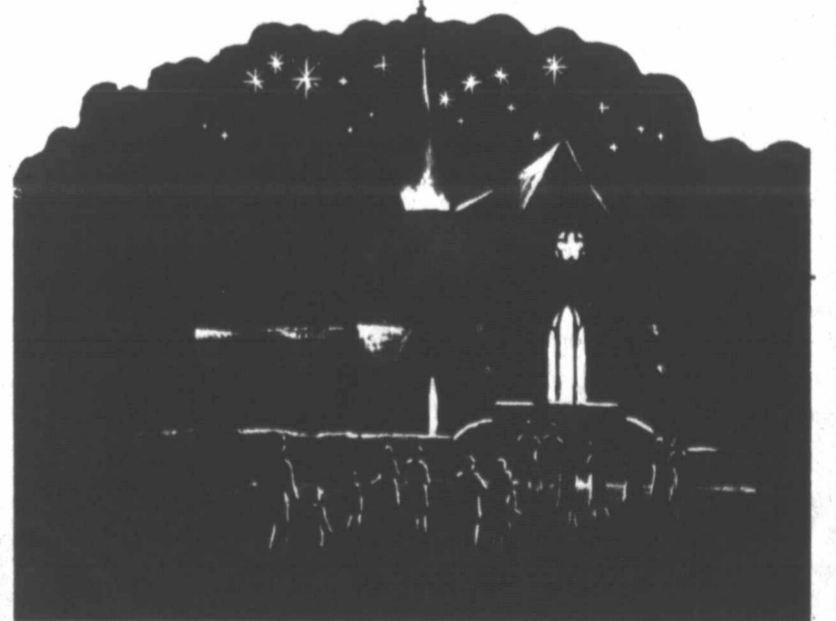
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