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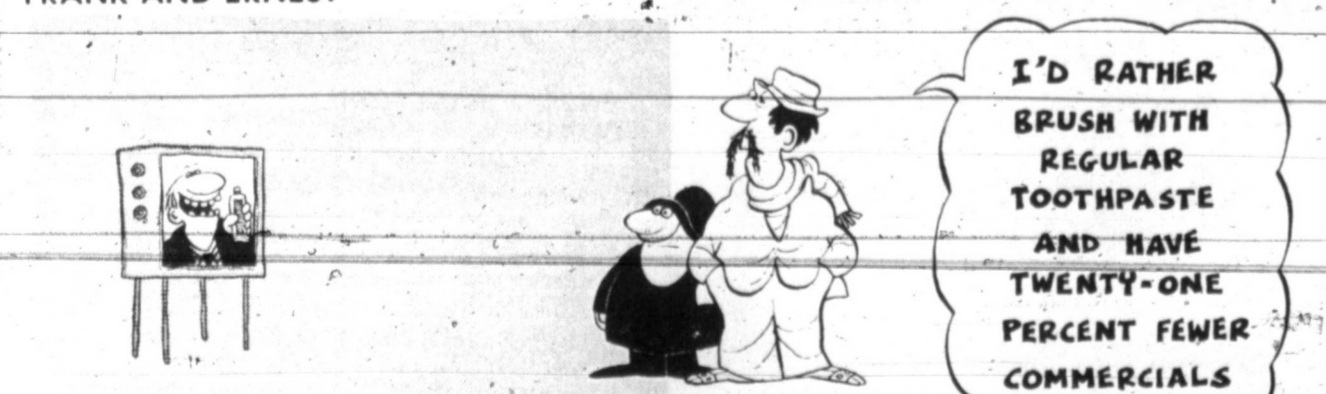
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**TO YOUR GOOD HEALTH**

**Teeth Can Cause Pain In Ears**

By G.C. THOSTESON, M.D.  
Dear Dr. Thosteson: I recently had an examination to try to find out why I was suffering from earache, swelling of throat and legs, high blood pressure and extreme nervousness.

The ear-nose-throat specialist's diagnosis was that my trouble was coming from my false teeth which I have had over a year. I asked for a report to take to my dentist and it read: "Right otalgia secondary to malocclusion." Would you explain just what this means?

J.S.W.  
Otalgia is pain in the ear, in this case related to a dental condition.

The dental problem is identified as malocclusion—that is, the teeth do not come together properly, and this can throw the jaw out of exact alignment and cause pain in the jaw or in the ears in your case.

I doubt that it has anything to do with your blood pressure or swelling, but might contribute to your nervousness—you may be clenching your teeth with resultant muscle strain.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I read your column where you said if bothered with leg cramps to write to you. My doctor said he could give me another pill but I already am taking five kinds of medication for various things and don't want to add any more. When I go to bed I get such cramps I have to hop right out of bed. Sometimes the cramps last for an hour.

Mrs. R.S.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I had a place on my neck, and since nothing I used would heal it, my doctor cut it out. The lab report was basic cell cancer.

I am, out in the sun a lot; did the sun cause this? Should I stay out of the sun? Will this now appear in other places on my face and body?

What should I do if this cancer comes back? Just the word

Medications of the quinine type very often are helpful, but if you don't want to take any more medicine, there are other ways of combating leg cramps. A change in diet (to get more calcium) often helps. There also are some simple exercises that can do wonders. Some readers say they have gotten rid of their cramps within two weeks.

How to do the exercises is described in my booklet, "How to Stop Leg Cramps." If you want to give it a try, send 25 cents and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to me in care of Publishers - Hall Syndicate, 401 North Wabash Avenue, Chicago, Ill. 60611, and read it carefully. Leg cramps that last an hour are a misery you shouldn't tolerate.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I would appreciate it if you could tell me of any exercises to increase the size of the bust.

Mrs. R.P.  
There are none—except that exercises to improve posture can make an apparent, although not real, improvement.

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cancer gives me the shivers, and then to be told I have it. I am frantic. What am I to expect and what should I do?

S.M.A.  
First thing to do is to calm down. Correct term is "basal cell" cancer, a type which can develop from overexposure to the sun. But that isn't the sole cause, and there's no way of being certain whether it caused yours.

Anyway, a skin cancer of the type you had is readily visible and accessible, and is readily curable (by removal). There is no reason to think that yours will spread to other areas.

The one precaution you should take is to have your doctor check that area from time to time, to make sure that the entire cancer was removed so it cannot continue to grow.

"You Can Stop Sinus Trouble!" is the title of Dr. Thosteson's newly revised booklet explaining what sinus trouble really is and encouraging sinus sufferers to do something about it. For a copy write to him in care of Publishers - Hall Syndicate, 401 North Wabash Avenue, Chicago, Ill. 60611, enclosing a long, self-addressed (use zip code), stamped envelope and twenty five cents in coin to cover cost of printing and handling.

Dr. Thosteson is happy to receive readers' questions, and whenever possible use them in his column. However, due to the great volume of mail received daily, he regrets he cannot answer letters individually.

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**Under Twenty**

**By JEANNE HARRISON**

Although Christmas is just around the corner, there is yet to be a new "Christmas tune" this year—at least so far. Meanwhile, the beat goes on:

**TOP TEN SINGLES (+)**

1. "Top Of The World" - Carpenters
2. "Photograph" - Ringo Starr
3. "I Got A Name" - Jim Croce
4. "Goodbye, Yellow Brick Road" - Elton John
5. "Just You and Me" - Chicago
6. "Space Race" - Billy Preston
7. "Midnight Train" - Gladys Knight & The Pips
8. "Hello It's Me" - Todd Rundgren
9. "The Love I Lost" - Harold Melvin
10. "Leave Me Alone (Rubby Red Dress)" - Helen Reddy

**TOP FIVE ALBUMS (+)**

1. "Ringo" - Ringo Starr
2. "Goodbye, Yellow Brick Road" - Elton John
3. "Quadrophonia" - The Who
4. "Goats Head Soup" - Rolling Stones
5. "Jonathan Livingston Seagull" - Neal Diamond

Leading off the new album parade is Gregg Allman, leader of the Allman Brothers, with a blues offering, "Laid Back." Worth the spinning: Sammy Davis Jr. fans will want to listen to "Sammy," the soundtrack of his television special.

Still going strong, Sha Na Na's latest is "From The Streets of New York." In the pop-blues vein listen for O.V. Wright's "Memphis Unlimited" (Distributed by Columbia Features, Inc.) (+) CASH BOX - Weekly National Survey

**BIG GEORGE!**

by Virgil Parth



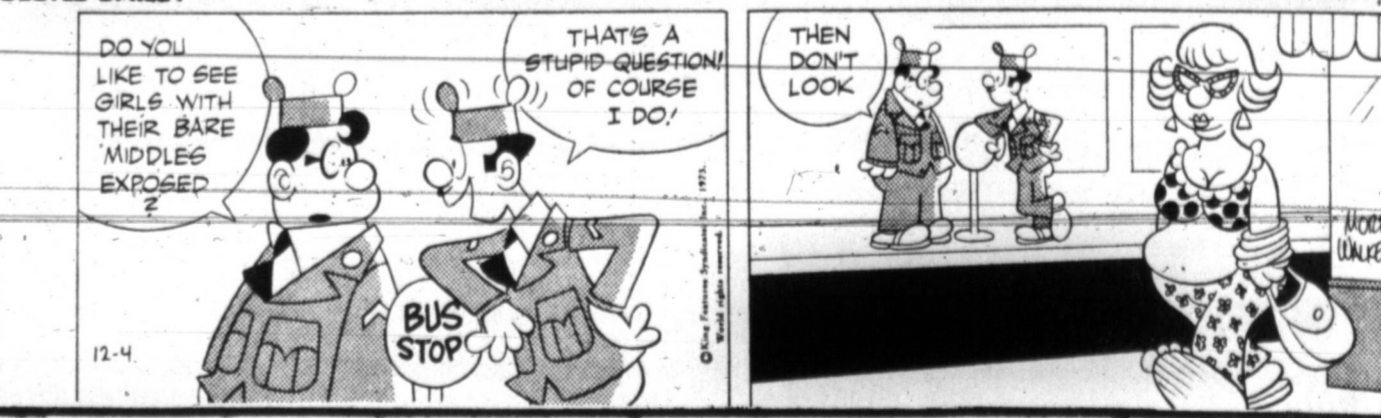
**CAPTAIN EASY**



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# Miami Edges Pittsburgh

MIAMI (UPI) — "We were just having a good time playing football," said Dick Anderson with a grin that outshone his glistening premature bald head.

"What the Miami Dolphins' strong safety called having a good time, his coach called 'fantastic.'"

## RULES COMMITTEE SAYS Spitter Declared Wrong As Ever

HOUSTON (UPI) — "They've been talking about doing something about the spitter for years. And now they finally have. They did not bring it back, which some baseball officials and a lot of pitchers had advocated. Instead, the major leagues' rules committee came up with a statute Monday it feels can be and will be enforced in place of the old one."

The six-year veteran from Colorado sparked a Miami team that had nothing to lose in a 30-26 victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers, fighting to stay on top of the American Conference Central Division. It was the Steelers' third straight loss and now they share the Central lead with Cleveland and Cincinnati.

## SPORT PAGE Putnam Leads PHS Runners In CC Regional

ABILENE — David Putnam finished 31st, Pampa's best of three finishes, as 120 runners from El Paso to Ft. Worth competed in the Region I cross country meet Saturday in Abilene.



1973-74 PAMPA HIGH SWIM TEAM — Front row (left to right) — Vickie Carter, Teresa Glasscock, Jamie Hood, Marita Carter; back row — Larry Harris, Scott Smith, Ted Brown, Tim Anderson and Larry Stucker. The swimmers competed in an Amarillo triangular meet Saturday. (Photo by Terry Hanna)

## Harvesters Visit Hirschi's Redskins, Shockers Coming Off Tournament Win

Pampa's Hustling Harvesters will try to make it No. 201 for head coach Robert McPherson as Pampa travels to Wichita Falls for an 8 p.m. game with AAA Hirschi today.

Hirschi is 4-4 on the year. The two teams are scheduled to play Dec. 11 in Pampa — the Harvesters' next home game. The Harvesters have been involved in road games since Nov. 23-24 when they finished third in the Tall City Invitational in Midland.

The rules committee—made up of three representatives each from the American League, National League and minor leagues—changed the penalty for throwing the spitter. In so doing, that part of the rule which said an umpire had to detect a "foreign substance" on the ball was eliminated.

All of Miami's scoring came in the first two periods of what Shula called "a perfect half of defense." Then the Dolphins had to hang on for dear life in the second half and give the Steelers a two-point safety in the final 64 seconds to salvage victory. It was Miami's 11th win against a lone early sea on loss to the Oakland Raiders and it tied the Dolphins for the most number of victories, 25, over two regular seasons, Oakland last turning the feat in 1968-69. Miami clinched the AFC East two weeks ago.

## COLLEGE BASKETBALL ROUNDUP 3 Teams Nearly Upset

By United Press International  
While most of the top-ranked teams in the country fattened themselves on clearly inferior opponents, three squads—Louisville, Notre Dame and Jacksonville—were pressed to the wire and another—Kentucky—took a drubbing Monday night.

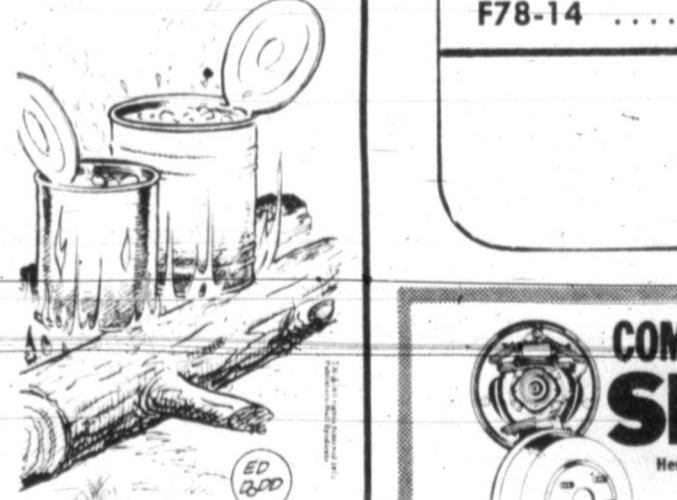
Terry Bradshaw, Pittsburgh's No. 1 quarterback, replaced No. 3 Joe Gilliam at the start of the second period and had his first pass picked off by Anderson for a touchdown.

## Bowling Results

PETROLEUM INDUSTRIAL  
First place team—Bison Sales and Service  
Second place team—Johnson's Inc.  
High team game—Bentley's Livestock (877)  
High individual game—JoAnn Adkins (190)  
High individual series—Faye Rowe (528)

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## NFL Standings

By United Press International  
American Conference

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
<b>East</b>				
x-Miami	11	1	0	.917
Buffalo	7	5	0	.583
New England	5	7	0	.417
NY Jets	4	8	0	.333
Baltimore	2	10	0	.167
<b>Central</b>				
Pittsburgh	8	4	0	.667
Cincinnati	8	4	0	.667
Cleveland	7	3	2	.667
Houston	1	11	0	.083
<b>West</b>				
Oakland	7	4	1	.625
Denver	6	4	2	.583
Kansas City	6	4	2	.583
San Diego	2	9	1	.208
<b>National Conference</b>				
<b>East</b>				
Washington	9	3	0	.750
Dallas	8	4	0	.667
Philadelphia	4	7	1	.375
St. Louis	3	8	1	.292
NY Giants	2	9	1	.208
<b>Central</b>				
x-Minnesota	10	2	0	.833
Detroit	5	6	1	.458
Green Bay	4	6	2	.417
Chicago	3	9	0	.250
<b>West</b>				
x-Los Angeles	10	2	0	.833
Atlanta	8	4	0	.667
San Francisco	5	7	0	.417
New Orleans	4	8	0	.333
<b>x-Clinched division title</b>				
<b>Monday's Results</b>				
Miami 30 Pittsburgh 26 (Only game scheduled)				
<b>Saturday's Games</b>				
Kansas City at Oakland				
Minnesota at Green Bay (Only game scheduled)				
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Cleveland at Cincinnati				
Denver at San Diego				
Houston at Pittsburgh				
Miami at Baltimore				
New England at Buffalo				
Chicago at Detroit				
St. Louis at Atlanta				
San Francisco at New Orleans				
Washington at Dallas				
NY Jets at Philadelphia (Only game scheduled)				
<b>Monday's Games</b>				
NY Giants at Los Angeles (Only game scheduled)				

## UPI Poll

NEW YORK (UPI) — The United Press International Board of Coaches final top 20 major college football ratings with won-lost records and first-place votes in parentheses: (Final Week)

Team	Points
1. Alabama (21) (11-0)	325
2. Oklahoma (9) (9-0-1)	292
3. Ohio St. (2) (9-0-1)	244
4. Notre Dame (1) (10-0)	241
5. Penn State (11-0)	193
6. Michigan (11) (10-0-1)	190
7. Southern Cal (9-1-1)	134
8. Texas (8-2)	74
9. UCLA (9-2)	50
10. Arizona State (10-1)	39
11. (tie) Nebraska (8-2-1)	35
11. (tie) Texas Tech (10-1)	35
13. Houston (10-1)	13
14. LSU (9-2)	10
15. (tie) Kansas (7-3-1)	4
15. (tie) Tulane (9-2)	4
17. Miami, O. (10-0)	3
18. (tie) Maryland (8-3)	2
18. (tie) San Diego St. (9-1-1)	2
18. (tie) Florida (7-4)	2

HOGAN HEROICS  
HOUSTON, Tex. (UPI) — Ben Hogan has been named pro golfer of the year four times—1948, 1950, 1951, 1953. No other player has been selected more than twice.

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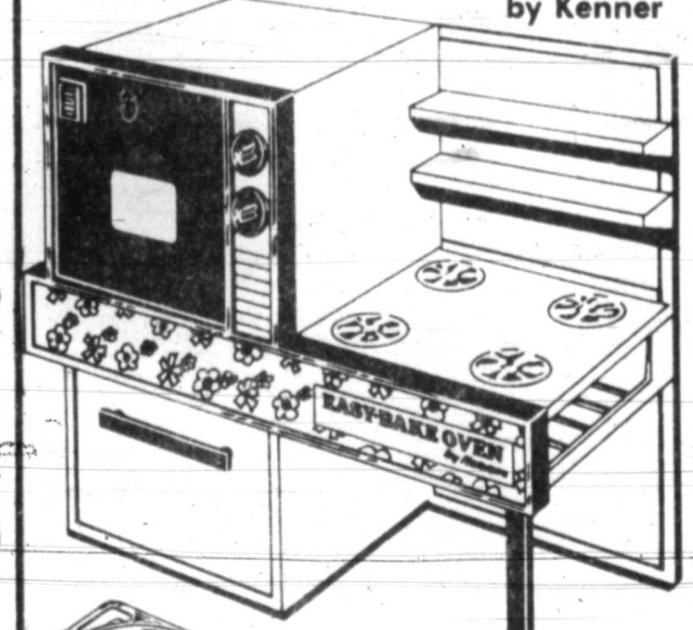
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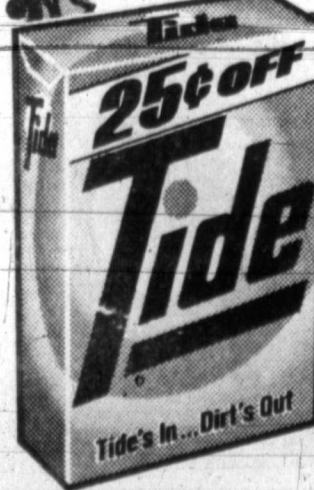
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