

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Cloudy, becoming clear to partly cloudy and colder this afternoon and tonight. Fair, a little warmer, Tuesday. High today 46, low tonight 23, high tomorrow 48.

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BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD



Taller Than Most

Snowmen began sprouting all over Big Spring today with a good layer of snow spread out on the ground, but this one at 1592 Eleventh Place probably takes the prize for size. It stands just over nine feet tall. Shown with the snowman are its creators, from left to right, lower, Gary Chrane and Larry Coker, and at the top, Kenny Chrane and Jack Chrane.

Snowstorm Covers Area

A sneaky snowstorm, which crept into the community after dark Sunday, left the countryside blanketed in the deepest fall of the season and added 99 inch of moisture to the fields and pastures. The snow was estimated at two inches deep. It was extremely wet and clung persistently to shrubs and trees. A gusty wind preceded the snow and brought an end to a day which had been clear and warm.

Cotton farmers, seizing upon the opportunity offered by the return of fair weather, were in their fields in numbers Sunday with their strippers. Gins were operating and the cotton yards were well filled with loaded trailers.

The snow and its moisture will slow the work again and further delay final harvesting of the cotton crop.

The snow did not bring unusually cold weather. The low for Monday morning was 31 degrees. The high Sunday was 59 degrees. The temperature stood at 38 degrees at 8 a. m. today. The snow was rapidly melting as the morning advanced although skies were heavily overcast.

The lack of cold kept the roads and streets from becoming slippery. As a result, there were relatively few automobile mishaps attributable to the weather.

The snowfall seemed to be general over the area. Colorado City reported an inch of snow and a moisture content of .18 inch.

The mild weather which pre-

Fire Losses Up

NEW YORK (AP) — The nation's fire losses this year are expected to reach a record \$1.4 billion, 11 1/2 per cent higher than last year. The estimate was made Sunday by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, an insurance group.

Final Passage Seen On Foreign Aid Bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate was expected to give final congressional approval to the \$3 billion foreign aid bill by nightfall today.

The House, which approved the compromise proposal last week, was standing by to join the Senate in adjourning the long congressional session once the foreign aid bill was passed. Congress is due to reconvene Saturday.

Democratic and Republican Senate leaderships indicated they expected the necessary quorum of 51 members to be on hand for today's session.

FIRST JOUST Senate approval of the hotly-fought aid bill seemed certain, giving President Johnson at least a partial victory in his first joust with Congress since becoming chief executive.

One of the program's most outspoken opponents — Oregon's Democratic Sen. Wayne Morse — conceded passage was likely by late afternoon.

Johnson Scores Success

JOHNSON CITY, Tex. (AP) — President Johnson's first venture into the deep water of personal diplomacy was a success, according to German and American informants who had a part in his two-day meeting with West German Chancellor Ludwig Erhard.

If nothing else, the two new leaders in the West's struggle with the East got to know each other and reached "full agreement and understanding."

The phrase is a stock one in the copy book of diplomats. But this time, said Erhard, "it is not a diplomatic statement. It is just the truth."

A communique issued Sunday after their meetings declared that Johnson and Erhard were agreed "that it is highly important to continue to explore all opportunities for the improvement of East-West relations, the easing of tensions, and the enlargement of the prospects of a peace that can be stable because it is just."

NO DIVISION This was qualified, though, with a declaration that there "should be no arrangement" that would perpetuate a divided Germany.

Erhard, holding a news conference at Austin's Bergstrom Air Force Base just before his jet transport left for Bonn, emphasized a willingness to explore "new alleys" that might lead to agreements with the Soviet Union.

The reticent chancellor described his meeting-of-minds with Johnson on this subject as "a step forward in view of the readiness to take new initiatives and to open discussions on possibilities that might exist."

ENTHUSIASM Some question about Erhard's enthusiasm toward East-West talks was raised Saturday night after his press secretary, Karl-Gunther von Hase, said the German leader found Soviet responses to conciliatory Western moves "not very encouraging."

It was said later, however, that Erhard had the Berlin and German problems uppermost in his mind in making the assessment.

The central issues at the conference were trade and related economic questions, rather than East-West problems, informants said.

DE GAULLE German observers noted that Erhard was aware that French President Charles de Gaulle will not likely be too pleased with the communique's urging greater economic integration of Europe and approving the U.S. position that both agricultural and industrial products must be included in forthcoming tariff-cutting negotiations.

The trade talks are scheduled for next spring between the United States and the European Common Market in which France and Germany are powers.

Other major points in the communique: —Sargent Shriver, U.S. Peace Corps director, is going to Bonn to help Germany set up its own Peace Corps.

—The United States will "maintain the present six-dimension level of combat forces in Germany, as long as they are needed."

both Johnson and Senate conferees tried to gain agreement on that figure.

As the bill now stands, Johnson would be free to offer credit to Communist nations if he felt it was in the national interest and notified Congress within 30 days.

Johnson had claimed that a ban on extending credit to Russia would intrude on his right to conduct foreign affairs, while supporters of the ban claimed that if Russia were allowed to buy on credit it would have just that much more available to spend on countries such as Cuba.

QUORUM CALL Morse said he planned to open today's session with a quorum call. He said he would speak for a couple of hours, but conceded passage was likely by late afternoon.

"I don't think there's any chance at all of defeating the bill," he said. "But the vote won't end this fight. It's just one battle in the war."

By a 189-158 vote in an unprecedented daybreak session Tuesday, the House finally agreed to accept the bill without the ban it had twice written into the aid measure.

AGREEMENT But its price was reduction of aid funds to \$3 billion. At one point, House conferees refused to accept even \$3.1 billion after

Debris Holds Secret Of Fire Fatal To 21

Florida Hotel Burns; 66 Hurt



MISS AMERICA, CHAPERON SAVED FROM HOTEL FIRE Donna Axum (right), Lucille Previti with rescuer Bill Fielden

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Ashes and blackened debris in the Hotel Roosevelt's once-grand ballroom held the secret today to the cause of a fire which left 21 dead and 66 injured.

Nineteen victims were asphyxiated by smoke and fumes. Sudden disaster struck on a brisk, calm Sunday morning, handing Jacksonville its worst tragedy in history.

One woman died in a plunge from an upper story window. An assistant fire chief died of a heart attack.

HELICOPTERS Only the cool efficiency of firemen and dramatic rescues by Navy helicopters of guests who fled to the roof averted a worse tragedy.

The fashionable hotel on Adams Street near Main Street was packed with 499 guests, many here for Gator Bowl week festivities which ended Saturday night.

Most deaths occurred above the eighth floor, agonizingly out of reach of the city's two 100-foot aerial ladder trucks.

MISS AMERICA Among those rescued were Miss America of 1964, Donna Axum of El Dorado, Ark. The 21-year-old beauty and her chaperone, Lucille Previti, were hospitalized overnight, suffering with smoke inhalation.

Miss Axum, smiling prettily from a hospital bed, said she took with her when she fled in pajamas, slippers and a beaver coat were "two pocketbooks and my crown."

Business executives were among the dead. They included James Jackson Swick, 59, owner-president of Copeland Luggage Co. His wife, Lorena Eaker (Rena) Swick, 47, also was killed.

AFTER GAME The Swicks, of Alachua, Fla., had stayed in town after attending the Gator Bowl football game.

Another executive among the dead was Wade Hildinger of Buffalo, N.Y., vice president for sales of National Gypsum Co.

Mayor Haydon Burns, commissioner of the police and fire departments, said city fire marshals inspected the hotel within the past 10 days and found it complied with all fire safety rules.

There is no negligence involved in this fire in any way," the mayor said. "We know that the origin was in the ceiling of the ballroom, but the cause has not yet been determined."

William H. Johnson, who bought the Roosevelt in 1960 from the Meyer Hotel chain and spent \$1 million renovating the 27-year-old structure, said "the hotel was as fireproof as you can get a building. It is a sad thing that those people didn't stay in their rooms."

BUILT UP "The smoke just built up and people panicked," Johnson said. He said he was not at the moment concerned about damage and had no accurate estimate. There is insurance, he said, but that he didn't know the extent of coverage.

A woman who plunged to death when an improvised rope of sheets and blankets broke was identified as Mrs. Marian F. Curry, 43, of Santiago, Chile and formerly of Greensboro, N.C. A medical examiner said she died of multiple fractures.

Chief Fire Marshal E. C. McDermott said asphyxiation caused most of the deaths. He said evidence indicated the blaze began in or near the Emerald Room, a few steps up.

Several persons in the Fairview area reported to law enforcement officers that the aircraft was flying around 150 feet and circling.

MEMPHIS (AP) — At the end of a busy day, one of 20 posed and pretty girls will be crowned Maid of Cotton tonight. Two contestants are from Texas. They are Marion Diane Holbrook of Dallas and Jeanne Webmeyer of Mathis.

Cleric Urges Unity March

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Patriarch Athenagoras I, spiritual leader of world orthodoxy, has urged Pope Paul VI to call a meeting of all Christian faiths to make common march against atheism and tyranny.

The announcement by the Vatican press office today came as the patriarch's see in Istanbul reported that Patriarch Athenagoras and the Pope will hold their meeting in the Holy Land next week on the Mount of Olives. It will be the first meeting in five centuries between the leaders of the two religions.

NO DATE The Eastern patriarch's proposal for a pan-Christian conference made no mention of a date.

The proposal for such a conference of Catholic, Orthodox, Protestant and Anglican leaders was relayed to the Pope Saturday by Metropolitan Athenagoras of Thiatiron, an official emissary of the patriarch.

Roman catholicism and orthodoxy have been in schism for centuries.

Vatican sources said they did not know what Pope Paul's reaction was to the conference proposal.

PILGRIMAGE The Pontiff begins a three-day Palestine pilgrimage Saturday.

Vatican sources said the Pope was pleased at the prospect of taking another step toward Christian unity. Although he and his predecessor, Pope John, had meetings with leading Protestants and Anglicans, no top level Roman Catholic-Orthodox encounter previously had been arranged.

The 66-year-old Roman Catholic ruler received Metropolitan Athenagoras Saturday in a historic audience marking the first official visit to the Vatican by an emissary from the patriarch of Constantinople since the East-West schism of 1472.

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HOTEL GUESTS HANG FROM WINDOWS Fresh air sought as rescue is awaited in Florida

Low-Flying Aircraft Sets Search Near Fairview

A low-flying airplane in the Fairview-Knot area caused numerous reports to police, the sheriff's office, and Howard County Airport about 7 p.m. Sunday. There had been no report of an airplane down in the area at noon Monday.

No radio contact could be made Sunday with the reported aircraft, by the Howard County unit or Webb Air Force Base.

Ted McClung, airport manager, flew over the area after daybreak Monday but found nothing.

Webb Air Force Base sent a helicopter from the Central Air Rescue Center, Detachment 32, commanded by Capt. Thomas Seebo, on a routine surveillance mission later in the morning, but nothing had been reported at noon today.

"We feel that some pilot in a small airplane was lost in the heavy weather, and was trying to get his bearings,"

from the main lobby. The cause was undetermined.

Flames were confined to below the third floor. Most of the dead were on upper floors where deadly smoke accumulated after rising through the building.

Many of the 479 transient and 20 permanent guests were in night clothing or only partly dressed when the fire was first reported at 7:45 a.m.

Hotel doorman Alton Joseph Crowden said he was in the lobby when "suddenly a smoke poured out from everywhere."

He called the fire department. Trapped guests leaned from windows to escape the smoke and pleaded for rescue. Some fell back or across window sills, unconscious.

CLOSED DOORS Police bellowed instructions from the street via megaphone for the trapped to remain calm and stay behind closed doors to await rescue.

Those first led or carried to safety gathered in shock across the street and looked on helplessly at those still facing death.

The opposing teams in the Gator Bowl football game — North Carolina and the Air Force Academy — were staying at other hotels, but many sports figures were at the Roosevelt.

SMELL SMOKE Frank Howard, coach of the Clemson football team, said he and his wife were having breakfast in the hotel coffee shop when they smelled smoke and fled. With them was Harry Mehre, Atlanta sports columnist and former football coach at the University of Georgia and the University of Mississippi, who also escaped injury.

We stayed calm up there and prayed," said Norman Sloan, University of Florida basketball coach. He was staying on the top floor with Mrs. Sloan and their children, Mike, 10, and Leslie, 8.

Art Fielden, Miami public relations man with the Miss America entourage, and his two sons, Bill, 19, and Mark, 14, were on the 10th floor of the hotel just across the hall from the suite occupied by Miss Axum.

Fielden said in an interview that he and his sons went to her room when they learned the hotel was afire. They tried the door but found it locked. Bill then knocked the door down.

Bill entered the room and found Miss Axum leaning from a window and her chaperone, Miss Previti, 39, of Linwood, N.J., lying semi-conscious on the floor.

"I carried Miss Previti to our room and gave her artificial respiration and she came around," Bill said. Donna followed them to the Fielden suite, where ventilation was better, and from there they were later escorted to safety by firemen.

Berlin Seeks Wall Opening

BERLIN (AP) — West Berlin's deputy mayor restated today the city government's readiness to negotiate with the Communists on keeping the Berlin Wall open past the Jan. 5 deadline. A word of caution came from Bonn.

The Red regime in the East stepped up its campaign for further negotiations after a record number of West Berliners visited loved ones in the East Sunday on special one-day holiday permits.

But West German Chancellor Ludwig Erhard, returning to Bonn from talks with President Johnson, cautioned against letting the West Berlin government assume too much responsibility. Bonn fears the Berlin talks may play into Communist hands and force recognition of East Germany.

Henrich Albertz, West Berlin's deputy mayor, stressed at a news conference the city government's desire to extend the visiting period. But he said there have been no official moves to reopen talks with the East German regime on the matter.

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Babies Are Her Hobby

"I'm crazy about little babies, it's as simple as that," Mrs. Julie Dyer said, as she held her 21st child, a baby girl born Thanksgiving Day. At 59, Mrs. Dyer is a most unusual mother. Most of her children grow up without ever knowing she existed. Mrs. Dyer

is a boarding mother for the Children's Home Society in Los Angeles. She has two children of her own and the rest, 217 of them, stayed in her modest home for only a few months awaiting adoption. (AP WIRE-  
PHOTO)

### Leader Says Negro Must Keep Pushing

HOUSTON (AP)—An Alabama integration leader says he expects continued integration under the Johnson administration, but "we will have to keep pushing."

"We want to know there will be no backing up in integration," said Rev. F. L. Shuttlesworth, president of the Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights, Inc.

He described the President Sunday as "a man who I hope has outgrown sectionalism."

Shuttlesworth spoke at a civil rights rally which included a 20-minute downtown parade by some 400 persons.

The rally was sponsored by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and marked the opening of the local NAACP branch's drive to enlist some 21,000 new members in the next six months.

Shuttlesworth, 42, formerly of Birmingham, is now pastor of a Baptist church in Cincinnati, Ohio.

He urged Houston Negroes to awake from their complacency and fight for their freedom. If it cannot be won by negotiations, Negroes should risk ridicule and economic reprisal through demonstrations, he said.

Shuttlesworth said the day of the subservient Negro is past.

He criticized Negroes afraid to join the NAACP or take part in parades for fear of losing their jobs. He said Negro teachers are particularly bad about this.

"Any teacher who won't stand up and contend for what is right hasn't got any right to teach anyone's children," he told a cheering audience of about 700 in Sam Houston Coliseum.

### JUMBLE — that scrambled word game

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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COUPH

MUTALE

TORBED



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Put the SURPRISE ANSWER here

Saturday's Jumbles: SHEEP FEWER BEATEN OBLONG

Answer: What the mama broom said to the baby broom—GO TO SWEEP

### Decordova Bend Project Given Authority's Okay

WACO (AP)—Directors of the Brazos River Authority voted Sunday to proceed with plans to build the \$21 million Decordova Bend Reservoir Project.

In addition to construction of a dam, power house and reservoir on the Brazos River at Decordova Bend in Hood County, the project calls for installation of a third power generating unit at Possum Kingdom Dam near Mineral Wells.

Sam Boger of Cleburne, Tex., president of the authority, said the directors Sunday reviewed studies of the project ordered earlier in the year before voting.

The Decordova Bend Project has long been a major part of the authority's master plan to

### More Snow, Ice Likely For State

By The Associated Press

A mass of snow and sleet pelted northwestern Texas early today, and in its gradual moving southward, it threatened to dangerously ice the highways for the new year's traffic jam.

Hazardous driving warnings issued Sunday night were still in effect Monday morning. The Weather Bureau said from one to four more inches of snow could be expected.

One of the heaviest snowfalls reported was at Childress, where four inches blanketed the ground.

Some light snow continued to fall early Monday in parts of Central and West Texas in connection with a Canadian cold front, but the Weather Bureau said the snow has ended over the Panhandle.

Another snowed-under community was that of Sweetwater, where an unofficial total of six inches of snow fell in the three hours before midnight Sunday. One resident said it took him 30 minutes to drive four blocks on

the sleet-and ice-covered roads. Lowest early morning temperature was at Dalhart, with 16 degrees. Other points reporting freezing marks were El Paso 26 degrees, Lubbock 29, Amarillo 26 and Childress 29.

The forecasts call for more precipitation, in the form of a cold rain or a rain and snow mixture, to continue in a band from the middle and lower Pecos Valley eastward through the central part of Texas.

It will be cooler except in portions of northwestern Texas Monday and Monday night.

Early Monday, a broken line of snow 7 to 28 miles wide was moving south at 12 miles per hour, from just north of Breckenridge to 10 miles south of Paris.

Another line nine miles wide stretched from 20 miles east of Wichita Falls to 25 miles east of Ardmore, Okla., and a third band of scattered light rain and snow covered a 30-mile area from 35 miles west of Waco to near Eastland.



DEAR ABBY

### Going To The Dogs!

DEAR ABBY: Can you explain the idiocy in people who own toy poodles? My sister was given one and she has become positively insufferable. She calls this dog, "My baby boy!" She kisses it and spends half a day combing and brushing him. She has a sweet granddaughter who is three years old, and naturally when the little girl wants to get on her grandmother's lap and the poodle is there, she resents it. The child gets no comfort at all. My sister takes the dog for a ride and leaves the grandchild standing on the sidewalk in tears. I have stopped going over there because of her disgusting behavior. What could be the matter with a grown woman who acts like this?

DEAR WONDERING: One hasty curbstone analysis is as good as another. Your sister could be using the dog to punish the child because grandma probably wanted a grandson and she got a granddaughter. The dog is a male, and grandma has transferred all her affection to the dog. Or maybe grandma just likes poodles.

DEAR ABBY: I am five going on six and my mother told me I should write to you and ask this question: Is there a Santa Claus? Love, HEIDI

DEAR HEIDI: You bet there is. He's the man who buys your shoes, pays the rent and kisses your mother.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been happily married until recently. I have nev-

er been the jealous type because I have never had any reason to be. But things have changed. I wonder if a couple we've been seeing a lot of lately could have anything to do with it. The woman is flirty and aggressive and she never takes her eyes off my husband. My husband and hers have a business relationship, so it wouldn't be easy to drop them, and I can't tell her off. Is there a subtle way to handle this? My husband seems to enjoy her attention, but it is getting on my nerves.

DEAR JEALOUS: Why look for a clever or subtle way to state a fact? Jealousy under these circumstances is understandable. Tell your husband you are jealous! And don't take your eyes off him, either. Sometimes the bald truth works wonders.

DEAR ABBY: Why don't people who call you on the telephone wait long enough for you to get to the phone to answer it? The telephone company suggests that the caller wait until there have been TEN rings before hanging up. Very few people let the telephone ring more than three times. "I was afraid you were lying down," is no excuse for hanging up after you've awakened the person anyway. If a call is worth making, it is worth giving the person called a chance to answer. I hope you'll use my name as I would like those who call to be a little more patient. No less than ten rings, please! HELEN DELA-  
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### Interpretation



The gist of my pastor friend's letter is that no one actually goes by the Bible; that what he thinks is the teaching of the Bible is only his interpretation. This philosophy denies that the Bible can be understood. It affirms that nobody can know for sure what the Bible actually teaches. If this philosophy were true, the Bible would be given to mock and confuse us. Its author would be the author of confusion, and therefore would not be God (I Cor. 14:33). The author also would have failed in his well known purpose to reveal the will of God to man. The book would be a failure. Surely God does not fail. Men

can write books that are understandable. Surely God is able to do so. I say again this philosophy is calculated to make infidels. When men accept this philosophy they do not bother to study the Bible. And nothing could please Satan more than this. By T. H. Torbet, preacher, church of Christ, 300 West Highway 86, where you are always welcome.

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COMPLEX, CONTRADICTIONARY PRESIDENT

What Makes Lyndon Johnson Tick?

WASHINGTON (AP) — One of Lyndon Baines Johnson's longtime employees was recently asked what the new President is really like.

ing and understanding, harsh and gentle, joyous and moody, conniving and naive, statesmanlike and yahoo, vain and humble all within a dizzying short time.

and you know you've got to be ready for anything." In an age when working conditions are stressed almost as much as salary, how come anyone submits to such slavery?

A photographer often bangs away while guests are present. These pictures may be developed immediately so the President can give his guests an autographed memory of the great occasion.

reads a speech poorly, and to counteract this he has slowed down to 100 words a minute.

But Johnson's interest in what is written about him isn't vanity alone; it is practical politics.

Physicians insist that the cardiac gadgetry shows that Johnson's heart is beating perfectly. And his friends say he has learned to relax, at least by LBJ standards.

Those around him believe that Johnson has handled himself adroitly during this difficult transition period, and that a new image of a thoughtful, capable, hard-working president is emerging.



LYNDON JOHNSON ... baffling to aides

NOT A HICK

"He's not a cornball rural hick," one of these admirers said, thereby admitting in effect that this has been a stereotyped version of a hand-shaking, back-pummeling, hominy-and-grits champion.

PERFECTION

But overriding everything is this: he demands perfection, and to get it he drives himself and his staff relentlessly.

WORK AS TEAM

A freshly elected president must line up men, some of them unknown to him personally, who can work capably as a team.

LIVING QUARTERS

This tour may include the family living quarters, including the bedroom, with reading material and telephone handy, with the covers turned back and the presidential pajamas carefully laid out on one side and the First Lady's dressing gown on the other.

HAD MAKINGS

Not everyone in this town is enamored of Lyndon B. Johnson, although many who knocked him on Nov. 21 now insist they knew all along he had the makings of a great president.

SMASHED ON FLAT

smashed out flat like a pancake so the fat will be cooked out, and a lettuce salad.

OR, AS IN A RECENT LUNCHEON

Or, as in a recent luncheon at the Capitol, he will limit himself to a peach salad and a bowl of cottage cheese.

HE MAY TAKE A GLASS OF SHERRY

He may take a glass of sherry, and he usually has tea with his meal.

ANY REPORTER WHO HAS TRAVELED WITH JOHNSON

any reporter who has traveled with Johnson, who has watched his impressive operation as Senate Democratic leader, who has read much of what he has had to say down through the years, who has talked with friend and foe, comes up with an almost bewildering supply of impressions.

WHEN YOU WORK FOR JOHNSON

"When you work for Johnson, you're on duty 24 hours a day. Any time the phone rings after 11 p.m., I know who it is, so I reach for the light and a cigarette, a pencil and paper. I feel a fast surge of blood to my head because I know the test is coming."

THE PRESIDENT IS AT HIS BEST

The President is at his best in these small groups. His friends insist he is a great and careful listener, but many a dialogue with Johnson consists of trying to get in a nod at the right moment.

BEFORE LARGER AUDIENCES

Before larger audiences Johnson may have his troubles. He

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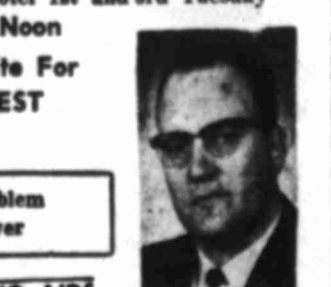
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GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN (1963; By The Chicago Tribune)

ANSWERS TO BRIDGE QUIZ

Q. 1—As South you hold: ♠KQ85 ♦AQJ543 ♣8

The bidding has proceeded: North East South West 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣ Pass

What do you bid now? A.—Three hearts. This definitely shapes up as a slam, but in order to investigate the full limits of the combined holdings we suggest a rebid in hearts to clarify our distribution to partner. He will know that we have six diamonds and five hearts. We may subsequently have an opportunity to raise clubs and thus complete the description of our hand.

Q. 2—As South you hold: ♠82 ♥64 ♦AK842 ♣A952

The bidding has proceeded: West North East South Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♣ Pass

What do you bid now? A.—This is a good hand for a partner who could open the bidding and then jump. We would not abandon hopes for a slam and recommend a raise to five hearts. This will indicate our concern about the spade situation. We can safely presume that the hearts are solid and, if partner can guarantee no more than one spade loser, a six contract will be a reasonable undertaking.

Q. 3—As South you hold: ♠AQ973 ♦AK82 ♦AQJ ♣3

The bidding has proceeded: South West North East 1 ♠ Pass 1 NT Double 2 ♣ Pass Pass

What do you bid now? A.—Double. While it is clear that partner has very little if anything in the way of high cards, he might have a modicum of distributional values—enough even to produce a game. In any event, your hand is too rich in high cards and support for all unbid suits to sell out so cheaply. If, perchance, your partner has length in clubs, he may pass and convert your take-out double into a handsome penalty profit.

Q. 4—As South you hold: ♠752 ♥K82 ♦AJ1086 ♣A7

The bidding has proceeded: West North East South Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass

What do you bid now? A.—Three diamonds. While we are not enthusiastic about jumping in this kind of suit, no alternative call is available. If partner can stop the spades a good play for

nine tricks at no trump should be available.

Q. 5—As South you hold: ♠97 ♦A6 ♦92 ♣AKQ10642

The bidding has proceeded: North East South West 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♠ Pass

What do you bid now? A.—If you wish to get your money's worth on this hand, you might do better to bid another temporary call, but our vote is for four no trump with the intention of going all the way if partner can show us two aces and two kings.

Q. 6—As South you hold: ♠AJ8542 ♥A9 ♦K652 ♣8

The bidding has proceeded: North East South West 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥ Pass

What do you bid now? A.—Three diamonds. Due to the ragged nature of your suit, a jump in spades is not recommended. Since the picture is not quite clear at the present moment, a further temporary bid is in order. If partner rebids his suit again, you can raise it with assurance. The alternate call is a raise in hearts at this point.

Q. 7—As South you hold: ♠K10 ♥AKJ93 ♦J4 ♣853

The bidding has proceeded: South West North East 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣ Pass

What do you bid now? A.—Three spades. Partner is obviously fishing around for big things and he is doing so in the face of our minimum announcements. Because we have been careful to show no enthusiasm and because the mid spade fit can be conveniently shown below the game level, one forward move is in order. If partner is enabled to proceed to slam on the basis of our mild action, we are willing to back his effort.

Q. 8—Both vulnerable and as South you hold: ♠AQJ102 ♦AQ65 ♣AQJ3

The bidding has proceeded: West North East South 4 ♥ Pass Pass

What do you bid? A.—Five hearts. This hand is worth 25 points in support of any suit partner can bid. Furthermore, the bulk of the heart strength is adversely held so that whatever values partner has should fit well. Because as little as a king or a long suit in his hand will probably produce a slam, a mere double on your part would be placing too much pressure on him. You must take matters in your own hands and force him to speak even though he may have to do so at the six level.

Sliding Pay Scale Planned

HAVANA (AP) — The Cuban government has announced plans for sliding industrial wage scales that will penalize workers who fail to meet production quotas and reward those who produce more.

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Fidel Castro's regime is 5 years old New Year's Day.

His Communist dictatorship in Cuba seems messier than ever.

Judging from the regime's own accounts, it combines the worst features of a 1948-style Communist satellite with a super abundance of confusion. It has food shortages, rationing, high prices, low wages, economic chaos—and something looking like the beginning of a forced labor movement.

Castro remains a menace in the eyes of most of the Americas. He is a source of satisfaction for the Red Chinese, a necessary nuisance for the Russians and a heavy burden for Cuba.

A military parade, a mass demonstration and a long Castro speech will celebrate events of New Year's Eve of 1958, when dictator Fulgencio Batista fled the island, leaving it to Castro's 26th of July guerrillas.

So chaotic is the economy that a recently promulgated law of compulsory military service seemed an economic rather than a military measure.

Floods in early summer and Hurricane Flora later on left the economy in an even more bewildering tangle than communism had produced by itself. There are shortages of everything.

Prices are high, wages low, and at that, government taxes eat up 20 per cent of even the lowest wages. There are constant campaigns against stealing, embezzlement and similar crimes, but even death sentences fail to stem them.

Castro leans toward the Red Chinese idea of violent revolution regardless of possible consequences, as opposed to the Moscow idea of avoiding risk of international conflict.

But Castro has little choice but to remain quiet in the dispute. His Moscow ties are all that bolster his regime. He is in no position to give overt support to the Red Chinese.

Nikita Points To Broad Field Of Peace Prospects

MOSCOW (AP)—Soviet Premier Khrushchev said today there are reasonable prospects for agreement between the United States and the Soviet Union in 1964 on a broad range of measures aimed at slowing down the arms race and further alleviating international tensions.

Replying to questions submitted by Henry Shapiro of United Press International, Khrushchev said such measures include: Reductions in the armed forces of states, cuts in military spending, the signing of a non-aggression pact between the North Atlantic Alliance and the Communist Warsaw Pact nations, agreement not to disseminate nuclear weapons and establishment of zones free from nuclear weapons.

He also called for reduction of foreign forces on foreign territories.

Khrushchev's replies to Shapiro's questions were published by Tass, the Soviet news agency.

The premier said the Soviet people are entering 1964 with grandiose plans of peaceful construction, and "the American people, we believe, do not want war either."

"The stated intention of the new President of the United States, Lyndon Johnson, to continue in foreign affairs the policy of peaceful settlement of international problems, of improving relations with the Soviet Union and calling a halt to the cold war, has been met with gratification in this country. We, too, are in favor of this."

Rep. Smith Says LBJ's Economy Push Clicking

PALESTINE (AP) — Rep. Howard Smith, D-Va., chairman of the powerful House Rules Committee, said Sunday President Lyndon Johnson "is off to a good start" in his efforts to get economy in government.

He called the scheduled closing of 33 military bases as a result of Johnson's budget-cutting orders "a good thing, if it doesn't weaken our defense."

He said he was not familiar enough with the bases to pass judgment.

Smith said he hopes Johnson will not try to "turn us into a welfare state, and I don't think he will."

The congressman said he thought President Johnson is committed to follow the Kennedy program, at least in part for the present.

Rep. and Mrs. Smith stopped here en route from Washington to Jasper, Tex., to visit their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tomahill. Tomahill is a defense lawyer for Jack Ruby, under indictment for slaying President Kennedy's accused assassin.

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## A Devotional For The Day

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. (Psalms 23:6.)

PRAYER: Our Father, in whose world we walk, sometimes blindly, lead us safely. Because Thou art light in darkness, the way amid all ways, guide us. We ask in Jesus' name. Amen. (From The 'Upper Room')

## This Must Be Faced Boldly

High on the list of "something ought to be done about it" is Big Spring's shameful record of traffic fatalities during 1963. If our calculations are correct, then seven persons have lost their lives within the corporate limits this year, whereas deaths on highways outside the city have only claimed four lives in Howard County.

We realize full well that happenings tend to occur in clusters or cycles, but never before in the history of our town have we had a casualty list approaching that of the past year. Indeed, there have been many occasions where we have gone a year or

more without having to report a lost life, and once we stretched that to nearly three years.

But think of it, seven deaths within a single year! Just being conscious of this hard fact will help us all to be more careful. Taking a hard look at the record, analyzing the types, the locations, the circumstances, etc. will help guide the development of a program to prevent a recurrence during 1964. We simply can't leave this to chance, but rather responsible agencies must face up to this matter squarely and vigorously.

## Beautifying Texas

However cynically it may be viewed by some as a clever political gesture, Gov. John Connally's idea of mailing 20,000 packets of bluebonnet seed to friends all over the state is a commendable one. He says he expects the state to be more beautiful if recipients of the seed and nature cooperate, and so it might.

The bluebonnet was adopted as Texas' state flower in 1901 by the legislature, on request of the Society of Colonial Dames in Texas. And that was one of the Texas Legislature's wisest acts, for no flower is more beautiful in the mass—tumbling down a hillside or blanketing a pasture—than the bluebonnet. Even legions of bad amateur painters, who find the

bluebonnet an irresistible subject, have failed to dim its glory. Actually, there are two bluebonnets. One is *Lupinus subcarneus*, found in sandy areas of Central Texas, and the other is *Lupinus texensis* which grows mostly in limestone country from North Texas to Mexico. Also known as buffalo clover and wolf flower, the bluebonnet can be grown almost anywhere in the state.

During the unfortunately short blooming period of the bluebonnet, Texans roam the highways and back trails, enjoying the scenic wonder and recording it on camera. It is something nice to look forward to when this state's notorious northerners are sweeping across the chilled and barren land.

## Holmes Alexander

### A Worthy Professional Gets Fired

WASHINGTON — Lee Harvey Oswald... John Paton Davies... John Stewart Service... Harlan Cleveland... William Arthur Wieland...

These were among the numerous unrelated security examinations conducted over the years by Otto Otepka, a Federal investigator since working his way through law school in 1942. From time to time he kept his notes and records of the cases in his State Department safe, which was drilled open last summer in the dead of night under orders of his immediate superior John Reilly, who had come over from Robert Kennedy's Justice Department to run State Department security affairs.

SINCE THEN Reilly has admitted to lying about tapping Otepka's office phone, and has resigned from the department in disgrace. Otepka, a family man with a daughter in college and much need to keep his job, refused to knuckle under to the strange vendetta that tried to checkmate his security findings. Otepka was fired last November on charges of "activities unbecoming a State Department officer."

THERE ARE published reports that Secretary of State Rusk, now under the Johnson Administration, will drop the charges and restore Otepka to the post of Chief of Division of Evaluations.

Otepka, a quiet-spoken but obstinate professional, strong-featured and with silver-touched dark hair at 48, already fits a role in America's mid-century struggle against her anti-democratic enemies. When he entered the Civil Service and was assigned to a New York office to investigate wartime job applicants, he was instructed to check on Nazi-Fascist sympathizers and to keep them out of Government posts.

After a Navy hitch as a non-commissioned officer, Otepka returned to Civil Service security work. The most important job of his life was to make an index of persons in Government with Communist connections.

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER came to office and issued Executive Order 10450. It called for security checks on all Government applicants and employees and for resolving all doubts in favor of the country's best interests. Scott McLeod, a former FBI officer, was named Chief of the State Department's Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs and Personnel. In 1953 Otepka got a job under McLeod. Otepka warned his boss that the Executive Order armed them with a terrible weapon. A person might be a "security" risk for many reasons of

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## NOBODY TO BLAME BUT HIMSELF

## James Marlow

### Congress Pay Raise May Be Slipping

WASHINGTON (AP) — The possibility that Congress might vote itself a pay raise next year seems to be growing weaker. The chance that Congress will require its members to disclose all their financial sources looks even slimmer—slim to point of no chance in sight.

There has been considerable agitation for a pay raise, from \$22,500 a year to \$32,500. But congressmen are notoriously nervous about raising their pay during an election year, and that's what 1964 is. Also, Congress' job performance, this year has been widely criticized.

ALREADY there has been a revival, on a small scale, of the "Bundles for Congress" campaign that infuriated and alarmed a good many of the

senators and representatives in the 1940s. In that satirical campaign, taxpayers sent packages of second-hand clothes to members of Congress who were complaining about how hard up they were and how much they needed a raise.

Last month a bundle of old clothes from the "Senior Citizens of Tioga County, Sabinsville, Pa.," arrived at the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, which had approved the pay raise bill.

THE DONORS said they hoped the gift "will help tide you over."

A comparative handful of Congress members have voluntarily made statements of their income in addition to salary.

The idea of requiring disclosure of income sources is to discourage conflicts of interest, to guard against official actions for private gain. If a senator was known to hold stock in a certain company, for example, he might hesitate to vote for legislation that would help that company.

BUT MOST members aren't eager to bare all. They take the stand that, unless the personal income affairs of every citizen are a matter of public record, there is no sound reason Congress members should be singled out.

Sen. Philip A. Hart, D-Mich., is one of those who has provided a statement of his finances.

But, in saying he would back a bill to require similar disclosures by all members of Congress, Hart pointed to a contradictory situation.

"If a man reveals himself to have much investment wealth, one of two conclusions is possible: He has much personal interest to protect and is therefore suspect, or he will act objectively because he can be independent of the moneyed pressure groups."

"IF ON the other hand, he reveals that he has little or no wealth, again two contradictory conclusions can be drawn: He will act objectively because he has no personal wealth to protect, or he will be particularly susceptible to moneyed pressure groups."

In the end, Hart said, the decision would still seem to rest on the public's opinion of a man's integrity.

—By J. W. DAVIS (for James Marlow)

## Hal Boyle

### The Dreaded Sleep Machine

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Now comes the most devilish device of all. And the Russians are at the bottom of it.

They talked about it not too long ago—right out in the open—and there was hardly a ripple in world opinion.

It's a sleep machine. What the Russians do is wire this sleep machine to a person—and almost presto—the person dozes off and gets the equivalent of a full night's sleep in about two hours.

Courtyemen, be warned.

SOME DAY this sleep machine will usher in the final attack on humanity.

The day will come when great production lines will be turning out sleep machines like toasters. Everyone will have one. Two hours sleep will become standard.

Then what will happen if a guy dozes off in church? What possible excuse could he have?

AND WHEN his wife wants him to do some nasty, little job around the house, he'll never be able to use the old alibi: "I'll do it tomorrow. I'm tired."

Consider the GIs. The millions

of bored draftees who pulled the great escape by "sacking out." The same GIs will be hearing sergeants talk like this:

"OKAY MEN, these barrack lights will be out at midnight and reveille is at 2 a.m. We got a full 22-hour schedule tomorrow."

Think of the school kids. They will be buried under mountains of homework.

Future generations will be hearing things like this:

Bartender: "See that guy on the end of the bar? I couldn't stand him when he was in here only five hours a day. Now he's here 11 hours a day."

Night cop: "Don't these people ever go home?"

HOUSEWIFE: "George, I have so many club engagements these days I simply must buy some more new clothes."

In the end, society will become sleepless. Sleepiness will be subsversive. The warning will be:

"When the knock on the door comes in the middle of the night, you better not be asleep."

—By BOB VOELKER (for Hal Boyle)

## Around The Rim

### There's Scmething In A Name

One thing and another:

How are you at recognizing people by their first names—people in the news, that is?

Try this list and see how you fare:

(1) Harry, (2) Adlai, (3) Kim, (4) Dean, (5) Ike, (6) Lyndon, (7) Mickey, (8) Rock, (9) Elvis and (10) J. Edgar.

I daresay you didn't miss a one.

UNUSUAL NAMES have a habit of sticking in one's memory, too. What's the most unusual first names you've ever heard?

Among those I recall long after the faces have faded from memory are Lieutenant, Tonsillitis, Touch, States Rights, Stronger, Autumn, Jubilee, Learned, North and Canada.

If you want your child to escape oblivion, give him or her a name that people automatically take to.

A MOTOR CAR has more than 20,000 pieces of equipment. You can understand then, if a new one isn't delivered to you in perfect condition. If it is only 99.9 per cent perfect, it

would still have 20 things wrong with it.

IF YOU'RE a father and you believe in occasional corporal punishment, you might consider the case of the young son who had just been given a spanking by his paternal parent and eventually wound up at his bedside, kneeling for his good-night prayer. Said he:

"Dear God: Please don't give Daddy any more children. He doesn't know how to treat the ones he's got now."

THE CUBAN situation isn't exactly new to America. Over 100 years ago, Thomas Jefferson wanted to take over the island. It then was a pirate base and the buccaneers respected ships of no countries that passed their way.

MOST EVERYTHING seems to have an angle in this day and age. We, therefore, which is down the road a piece from Big Spring, is honoring its home town girl, Mary Martin, with a statue of Peter Pan, which is located in the park there.

Who donated the statue? A Chicago concern called the Peter Pan Peanut Butter Division of Derby Foods.

—TOMMY HART

## Inez Robb

### Just Look What's Ahead!

At this season of the year, I wait impatiently for a great leap into the future. Annually, I am pushed—I don't fall—from one to three centuries ahead by Hugo Gernsback. He is not only the editor of "Radio-Electronics Magazine," but the admitted father of science fiction, whose own child not only knows but acknowledges him.

FOR MANY YEARS, Mr. Gernsback's annual Christmas greeting has taken the form of a small pamphlet called "Forecast." Therein he shares with his less imaginative and less science-oriented friends what he expects us to witness if we can all get a Methuselah grip on Time.

We Gernsback buffs read his predictions with both awe and respect, since he foresaw radar as early as 1908 and such "common" modern realities as television and blood transfusion when they were scarcely a gleam in science's eye.

NOW PEERING into the 21st Century, Mr. Gernsback says that chemi-genetists will have developed by that time a method to whiten the skin of all who desire such a change, thereby "removing a basic source of friction" not only in the U.S.A. but in the world.

In 1972, chemi-genetist scientists developed a method to whiten the skin of all who wished it," Mr. Gernsback writes. "As long ago as 1925, Sir Joseph Barcroft, C.B.E., M.A., B.Sc., M.D., F.R.S. (1872-1947) wrote that negro skin pigment was caused by 'Melanin,' closely related to two remarkable chemical substances: the hormone adrenalin and tyrosinase. By 1976, two Rockefeller Fund scientists had isolated the Melanin-carrier germs.

"NEXT, THEY discovered the enzyme Menalbin, which cause albinism, really the absence of color pigmentation. By altering the genes

which manufacture this enzyme in the body at birth, chemi-genetists were able to control the amount of melanin produced in the body and thus change skin color."

By 2096, human beings will be completely computerized, Mr. Gernsback says—and as a matter of simple survival. Life will be so complicated in the 21st Century that man must be transistorized or bust.

"WITH SUPER-AUTOMATION and an avalanche of new inventions, most businessmen could no longer trust their own judgment," he writes. "Then came the personal electronic computer, so small it could be carried in a man's pocket. This became possible by the use of ultraminaturization. Such pocket computers replace the old, huge room-sized monsters, yet are far more efficient."

"The key to the miniature computer lies in its super micro-electronic memory. It has over 100 billion separate molecular atomic cells—each with different information."

THINK OF having all that in one's pocket for ready reference! Clearly, I was born a century too soon.

By 2124 A.D. science will have solved the problem of determining sex in the unborn infant. The future daddy just takes the proper hormone at the right time. A Nobel Prize winner of 2114 will solve this problem that has plagued man since the Garden abandoned Adam and Eve.

FOR EONS, man has been talking about the weather and doing nothing to improve it. But Mr. Gernsback insists that Electronic Weather Control—instant weather—is possible now, if the world's governments want it and can agree.

All in favor of perpetual summer are urgently requested to write their Congressman immediately. (Copyright, 1963, United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

## David Lawrence

### Qualifications For Presidency

WASHINGTON — The American system of government is relatively young—not even two centuries old—but it has rarely shown so conspicuously its lack of maturity as it does today. To realize how little progress has been made in the field of responsible government, all one needs to do is to read about the prospective candidates for the presidency being brought forward to serve, if elected, in the highest office in the land.

TAKE, FOR EXAMPLE, the different men being talked about for the Republican presidential nomination. For months, attention centered on two or three possible candidates. Then, as if these men had suddenly become politically ineligible, the search turned to persons relatively unknown—as if it would be easier to elect someone who hasn't become identified with any particular issues or controversial questions in the national field. The fact that such newly discovered persons of prominence have not had any experience in a position of leadership or major responsibility in either the executive or the legislative branch of the federal government is regarded as of no importance by their political sponsors.

HOW MANY of the men elected to the highest office in the land have turned out really to be great men? Adulation and eulogy afterwards are often emotional, but in the perspective of time the praise is, in fact, the sincerity of effort and devotion to duty rather than for actual achievement. There is, of course, little time in a four-year term in which to do a good job, when the first few years have to be spent in learning the ropes. The record in a second term is often better than in a first term because a President has acquired experience on the job.

BUT, IT WILL be asked, what difference does it make since the people elect and re-elect—it's their responsibility. Throughout history, however, some citizens have sought to improve the ways of free and representative government. There is no convincing reason, for instance, why candidates for the presidency should not be se-

lected only from those men who have had substantial experience in leadership posts in either the executive or legislative branch of the government. The Constitution can be amended at any time to require this.

WHAT AMERICA needs is a system that will insure the selection of a competent President of experience and not just a candidate with personal appeal but without prior training in the national government. These are days when wrong decisions can mean war or national bankruptcy or other catastrophe to the American people.

As the population increases, the problem of government becomes more complex. Can one man be expected to rule effectively in the presidency? Wouldn't it be better to pick from the most capable men inside government the presidential nominees of their respective parties and put alongside of them—to be chosen in the same election—a cabinet of ten men also well qualified in national government problems?

SOME CHANGE is long overdue, and the stories about the process of selecting a Republican presidential candidate emphasize the weakness in the present system. Often the people vote for an incumbent administration because the alternative is no better. This is a reflection on the quality of men brought to the fore under the system that prevails today.

## Greatest Export

ASHLAND, Ky. (AP) — America's greatest export is its teachers, says Kentucky author-educator Jesse Stuart.

"Our contribution to other lands should be to save the rest of the world from starving and teach them to help themselves."

Pointing to the value of American export of youth, the mountain-born educator said, "Our high school students would make good teachers in foreign lands."

Stuart recently completed a worldwide speaking tour.

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# Wright-Peterson Vows Exchanged In Lamesa

LAMESA (SC) — The pastor of the First Methodist Church in Lubbock, reading the double ring exchange of nuptial vows between Miss Coleen Kay Peterson and Howard Ellis Wright of Lamesa. The ceremony was held at 8 p.m. with Dr. E. D. Landreth, Wright, Lamesa.

The nuptial scene at the altar was accented by brass urns filled with large white mums. English holly and pine with candelabra completed the altar setting.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of frosted silver satin designed with a fitted bodice, long tapered sleeves and a scalloped portrait neckline. Her skirt featured a controlled front panel with deep pleats at the sides and back, giving the skirt fullness. Her gown was highlighted with sprays of re-embroidered lace which adorned the neckline and panels of the skirt.

The bride carried a white butterfly rose bouquet on a prayer book brought from the Holy Land. Her headpiece featured a Dior bow of frosted silver satin attached to a chapel length veil.

### ATTENDANTS

Mrs. Ronald E. Worley of Orlando, Fla., served as matron of honor. Miss Lynda Casey of Lubbock, Miss Sheryl Ekren, Elk Point, S. D., a cousin of the bride, Miss Sharon Hill of Liberty, Miss Barbara Holder and Miss Myrtice Murphy, both of Lubbock, were bridesmaids.

Ellis Wright, father of the bridegroom, was best man. Groomsmen included Jay Claiborne, Charles Allen, Donald Wilton, Ronnie Gresham and Jim Norris, all of Lamesa.

A wedding reception followed the ceremony in the church parlor.

After a wedding trip to New Orleans the couple will reside in Lubbock. For traveling the bride chose a white textured wool suit with a full collar and double breasted jacket. She wore red and white accessories.

The bride is a graduate of Monterey High School and is a junior student at Texas Tech. Wright, a graduate of Lamesa High, is attending Southwestern University School of Pharmacy.



### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Johnson Jr., 406 Birdwell Lane, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Mae, to William Dexter Pate. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pate, 1783 Johnson. Both Miss Johnson and her fiancé are students at Texas Western College in El Paso.

## Double Ring Rites Held

STANTON (SC) — Marriage vows were exchanged in a double ring ceremony by Miss Ruby Jean Doshier and Jim Laney, Dec. 22, in the First Baptist Church. The Rev. W. H. Uhlman performed the afternoon ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Doshier, 310 South St. Peter, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Laney, 5604 Marge-wood, Dallas.

### Winners Told For Duplicate

Five and a half tables made up the Master Point duplicate session at Cosden Country Club Sunday.

Mrs. Ben McCullough and George Pike placed first; Mrs. J. D. Holloway and Mrs. Ayra McGann, second; Mrs. Hayes Stripling and Mrs. J. Gordon Bristow, third; and Mrs. Hudson Landers and Mrs. Jack Irons, fourth.

### Holiday Visitors

Mrs. J. E. Brown, 1606 Wood, had as guests during the holidays her children, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Brown and family, Niles, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Clark and family, Shreveport, La., and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Battenfield and family, Odessa.

## Matrimonial Vows Said

LAMESA (SC) — Miss Alta Jean Gregston and Lonnie James Ownby exchanged nuptial vows Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Sunset Baptist Church, with the Rev. O. L. Howard of San Angelo reading the single ring rites.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Gregston, Lamesa, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Colvel Ownby, Marshall, Mo.

The couple exchanged vows before arched candelabra set in blue crystal. Large baskets of white flowers flanked the altar scene. Mrs. Freddie Doshier presented traditional wedding music at the organ.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor length gown of cotton satin featuring a scalloped neckline and pleated skirt. Tiny simulated pearl buttons accented the tapered sleeves and center back of the gown. She wore a tiara headpiece and shoulder length veil of silk illusion. Her bouquet, a spray of white and blue carnations, was carried atop a white Bible.

Miss Ellen Gregston, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Charlie Beard, brother-in-law of the bride, was best man. Diane and Leslie Collins.

### Depart For Points East

Visitors during the holidays in the Andy Brown home at Acberly have been Dr. J. R. Tamsitt of the science department, Bridgeport University, Bridgeport, Conn.; Dario Valdivieso, Bogota, Colombia, S. A., of Yale University where he is completing his doctorate; Miss Asenette Duenas, Bogota, of UCLA, Los Angeles, where she is working on a master's degree, and her sister, Miss Marina Duenas, Bogota, a high school teacher in Columbia.

All were visitors in the Bill Condra home in Abilene before flying to New York and other points. Mrs. Condra is the former Lillian Tamsitt. Dr. Tamsitt, a native of Big Spring, will be in Washington several days to complete a grant permitting him to study and further his research in Europe next year.

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both of Lamesa, served as flower girl and ring bearer.

### RECEPTION

A wedding reception was held in the bride's parents' home. Guests attended from San Angelo, Odessa, Snyder, Pampa, Rowena, Seagraves and Lamesa.

Following a short wedding trip to South Texas the couple will reside in San Angelo. For traveling the bride chose a white suit with white and gold accessories.

The bride, a graduate of Lamesa High School, is presently a junior student at Shannon School of Nursing in San Angelo. The bridegroom, a graduate of Marshall High School, is stationed with the U. S. Air Force in San Angelo.



### To Marry

Mrs. O. G. Bell of Lamesa announces the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Ovida Fay, to Ronald A. Spittle, son of Paul H. Spittle, Snyder. The couple will be married Jan. 20 in the parsonage of the First Methodist Church in Lamesa.

## Akin Simpsons Honored At Fort Worth Affair

Dr. and Mrs. Akin Simpson and their wives, also friends of the Todds.

To greet guests Mrs. Simpson wore an ankle-length at-home skirt and a gold beaded sweater. Mrs. Todd wore a Balmain original. Members of the house party wore gowns in holiday colors.

Mrs. Grant Boardman, a friend of the Todd family, also attended from Big Spring. Mrs. Todd is a college friend of Mrs. Simpson's.

Among the guests were the executive secretary of the Texas Veterinary Medical Association, Glenn Savage, and the past president of the American Veterinary Medical Association, Dr. Dan Anderson. Other guests included Fort Worth veterinarians

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One can buy bath towels anywhere from 50 cents to five dollars. . . . just because the towel is more expensive . . . does not mean that it suits your families needs. For people with large families, I find that the medium-sized or just a little bit below medium is our best buy. (The same applies to hand towels).

Why? Because we do our own laundry.

It is a proven fact (and I have tested it myself) that you can only get just so many heavy, large bath towels in your washing machine. We can put many more lighter weight and smaller bath towels in that same washing machine, use the same amount of water, the same amount of soap, bleach etc. and get that many more bath towels done at the same time.

Also when you put them in your dryer . . . they even dry faster.

And it's another proven fact (and don't ask me how I know

. . . ) that a husband and kids are going to dirty so many bath towels a week anyway. So don't waste your energy and make more work by thinking that the heavy expensive towels are exactly what you wish you had and know you need. It may not be so.

Next Christmas is 12 months away, but since they have these linens on sale this time of the year, consider buying some extra ones for next Christmas, birthdays, shower and wedding gifts. Those days will come around again, you know.

Love,  
Heloise

Dear Heloise:

I "remove" the grease spots from my blouses by embroidering flowers over the spots. Iron on transfers can be bought in any design from the dime store for this purpose. Did you know that?

A Crown Pointer

(Mail letters to Heloise in care of the Big Spring Herald.)

Duneden, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strickland had as guests on Christmas Day a daughter, Mrs. Quin Morgan, and family of Andrews and the three sons and their families who live here, the Elbert Strickland, Eddie Strickland and Eugene Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blankinship of Burkett are visiting their daughters and families, the Elbert and Eugene Stricklands.

Engagement Told

STANTON (SC) — Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jones, Tarzan, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Miss Susanne Jones to William F. Orson, son of William N. Orson of Tarzan and Mrs. Bernell Davis of Mingus. An early summer wedding is planned.

### Couple Exchanges Vows In Sunday Ceremony

STANTON (SC) — Miss Dorothy Jean Lankford and Joe Kerby exchanged wedding vows in the Coahoma Assembly of God Church Sunday. The Rev. Claude E. Holt united the couple in marriage.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lankford, Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kerby, Sand Springs.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white street-length cotton satin dress styled with a scalloped neckline and long sleeves ending in points over the hands. She wore a pearl necklace and earrings and a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. Tommie Kelly, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor.

After a short wedding trip to an undisclosed destination, the couple will reside in Big Spring.

The bride attended Stanton High School and was a member of the Future Homemakers of America. The bridegroom attended Coahoma High School and is presently employed in Big Spring at the Fourth and Birdwell Standard Service Station.

Out-of-town guests registered from Stanton, Big Spring, Sand Springs, and Coahoma.



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### Bride-Elect

The engagement and nuptial plans of Miss Elaine Sanders and Larry Tubb are announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sanders, 3906 Parkway Road. Tubb is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tubb, 601 State St. The wedding is planned for Feb. 18.

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Press secretary Salinger with President, new cowboy hat

## Erhard Feted At Texas Whingding

JOHNSON CITY, Tex. (AP)—President Johnson treated German Chancellor Ludwig Erhard to a farewell Texas barbecue, gave him a souvenir 10-gallon hat and said their meeting had been "a most treasured two days."

Erhard concurred. He told Mrs. Johnson she had created an atmosphere that made him feel "at home," rather than a guest.

The two men, eating beef and ribs and drinking coffee from tin cups, entered into goodwill banter. They also made speeches—

spiced with humor—which won standing ovations from the 400 or so guests at the barbecue. Johnson said he wouldn't want to run an election against Erhard in this community or near-by Fredericksburg, both settled in the 1840s by Germans. Many guests had come from the country around the two towns.

**GYMNASIUM**  
Because of Texas' uncertain winter weather the barbecue was held in high school gymnasium in rural Stonewall, a few miles from the LBJ Ranch. The school, of weathered white clap-

board, had been spruced up for the festivities.

To give a touch of ranch atmosphere there were red-checked tablecloths, lighted lanterns, boots, saddles and bales of hay. The entertainment was a blend of Texas and German. A girls choir, for instance, sang "Deep in the Heart of Texas" in German.

Pianist Van Cliburn played a program featuring Brahms and Bach.

**PIERRE AT PIANO**  
Johnson then called on his press secretary, Pierre Salinger, for a command performance.

Salinger, who was a child prodigy at the piano, said he felt it wasn't fair to have to follow Cliburn and said so.

But, he performed anyway, playing a piece he wrote himself.

Following a tradition of the range, Johnson handed out sombreros. The first went to Erhard—a size 7½—and Johnson pulled it firmly down on the guest.

He called Secretary of State Dean Rusk "one of the greatest men of our time—my strong right arm"—and gave him an honorary Texas hat.

**VON BRAUN**  
Handing another of the cowboy hats to German-born U.S. rocket scientist Wehrner Von Braun, Johnson said:

"We want him to wear it for the rest of the decade and then put it on the moon in 1970."

All told it was quite a barbecue even by Texans' giant standards. The crowd consumed 400 pounds of barbecued beef, 300 pounds of ribs, 120 pounds of German potato salad, 100 pounds of cole slaw, 25 gallons of ranch beans, 70 gallons of beer, and plenty of soft drinks and coffee.

There was a little extra excitement too. A plane carrying Robert Kerr Jr., son of the late Oklahoma senator, and four other guests, groundlooped on the 6,300-foot LBJ runway when a landing gear of the two-engine plane collapsed. But no one was hurt.

### WASHINGTON TODAY

## TV, Films Leave Good Impression

WASHINGTON (AP)—In the highest average pay scale of any state's public elementary and secondary school teachers, according to the National Education Association.

The NEA said today the average teacher's salary in the 50 states and the District of Columbia is \$5,963 for the current school year, up \$231 over last year.

Ranking behind Alaska's top average of \$8,150 in giving teachers their highest salaries are California, \$7,373; New York \$7,200; Connecticut, \$6,775; and Illinois, \$6,645. Mississippi was listed as lowest with \$3,830.

**Government workers:** The number of federal government workers dropped more than 25,000 during the past year—with some 1,007 being lopped off during November alone.

**Civilian employment in November** was 2,493,168, compared with 2,518,858 July 1, start of the current fiscal year. The figures were in a congressional report released today.

**Fillbuster:** Sen. Jacob K. Javits predicts the Senate will vote to "break a civil rights filibuster" for the first time in history in 1964.

Javits said the move to cut off extended debate would be part of the drive to enact "a civil rights bill, the first meaningful one in 80 years."

The New York Republican also said in a program taped for television use in New York that a tax cut will be approved early in the new session.

**Chamber-politics:** Edwin P. Neilan, president of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, has indicated many businessmen are happier with President Johnson in the White House than they were under the late President John F. Kennedy.

In a television-radio interview Sunday on ABC's "Issues and Answers," Neilan said Johnson had generated confidence among businessmen "by the excellent fashion in which he took over the presidency."

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## Murder Mostly Family Affair

CLEVELAND (AP)—Murder is largely a family affair, a New York sociologist said today.

At least, declared Dr. Gerhard Falk of the State University College at Buffalo, murder is a "very intimate matter, which takes place between relatives and friends and rarely between strangers."

Describing a study of various aspects of homicide, he told the American Association for the Advancement of Science that among 121 murders committed in Buffalo from 1948-1955, only 12 per cent of the victims were strangers to the killers.

## Crewmen Missing After Freighter Collides, Sinks

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP)—Eight crewmen of the French freighter Capitaine Louis Maibert were reported drowned or missing early today after the ship collided in a thick fog with a Danish tanker and sank.

The Danish Naval Command reported Danish, Swedish and Soviet vessels had picked up 19 survivors from the 4,261-ton freighter. The ship's owners said the ship carried a crew of 27.

The tanker, the 12,410-ton Rosborg, escaped with minor damage, and sent out two boats to help in the rescue effort.

Both boats disappeared in the fog, but the Danish sailors later were reported safe.

The collision occurred in the Kattegat Sound between Sweden and Denmark. The French captain tried to beach his ship in shallow water, but the freighter sank five miles short of the Lille Middle Ground banks north of Anholt Island.

REYKJAVIK, Iceland (AP)

A new volcanic island is believed forming off Iceland's south coast.

Three new underwater volcanoes began erupting Sunday about 13 miles off the Vestmannaeyjar Islands, a mile north of the active volcanic island of Surtsey, which formed Nov. 14.

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Union has promised to help Algeria attain an independent economy.

The Soviet news agency Tass, announcing this Sunday night, did not specify any new Soviet loans to the North African nation. The Russians granted the Algerian government a \$100 million loan in September.

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP)—The Nationalist Chinese commander on Quemoy Island has proclaimed a 3-day cease-fire Dec. 31-Jan. 2.

The purpose, he said, is to enable the Chinese Communist forces "to celebrate the new year as servicemen in the Re-

public of (Nationalist) China do."

Cease-fires on special occasions are usually between the Nationalists on Quemoy and the Communists who shell them sporadically from the mainland. Sometimes the Nationalists take the initiative; sometimes the Communists act first.

There was no major Communist shelling of the offshore islands in 1963.

**Few Sign For Free Funerals**  
BURLINGTON, Vt. (AP)—Want a free funeral? If you'll register with the Burlington Free Press, stating that you plan to (1) drink, and (2) drive New Year's Eve—and if you're killed doing so—the newspaper will pay all your funeral expenses.

Five persons registered in 1961, the first time the Free Press registered its "potential traffic victims." Two signed

**Hospital Given Music Royalties**  
PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP)—Composer Frederick (Fritz) Loewe has given music royalties worth an estimated \$1 million to Desert Hospital.

Loewe, composer of "My Fair Lady" and many other Broadway scores, arranged to give the hospital 50 per cent of his music royalties during the life of the copyright.

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# Nazareth Busily Preps For Pope

NAZARETH, Israel (AP) — The community in the hills of Galilee where Jesus grew up and worked as a carpenter is busily preparing for the arrival of the man Roman Catholics regard as the vicar of Christ.

He descended to the Sea of Galilee and met Simon the Fisherman, whom He named Peter. Roman Catholics consider Peter their first Pope.

Next Sunday, Pope Paul VI will become the first head of the Roman Catholic Church since Peter to set foot on this soil. He will find a city in many ways is a microcosm of the segmented Christian Church that he hopes one day to unite and in a larger sense, he will

# Cypriots Agree To Set Up Nicosia Neutral Line

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Greek and Turkish Cypriot leaders agreed today to a proposal by British Commonwealth Secretary Duncan Sandys to set up a neutral zone between their fighting forces in Nicosia.

possibility" that the two communities can live together after the past week of violence. "Each country must be master of its own house," he said.

The Turkish Cypriots demanded partition of Cyprus during the Greek Cypriot underground campaign that culminated in independence from Britain in 1960. The Greek Cypriots rejected the idea of partition.

# Mars May Be Smog-Swept

WASHINGTON (AP)—There is new evidence that the planet Mars is crossed by great yellow clouds of toxic smog.

If so, it could mean that earth's last chance of finding a life-supporting planet in this solar system is gone.

Some astronomers have conjectured that the yellowish clouds seen on Mars are mostly dust, and the planet's whites and blues have been associated with snow and water.

# Child Injured In Car Mishap

Andree Marie Koban, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koban, Seattle, Wash., received minor injuries about 1 a.m. today following a two-vehicle collision at Third and Benton.

She was a passenger in a car driven by her father. Driver of the other vehicle—a Ray Bell Oil Co. truck from Roswell—was James Mathews, Hagerman, N. M. Police said the accident occurred as both vehicles were traveling west on East Third. Damage to the car was estimated at \$500, and damage to the other vehicle was set at \$100.

Considerable damage resulted from a collision about 5 p.m. Sunday at Twenty-Fifth and a Birdwell Lane involving Joseph E. Moseley, 509 Owens, and Jesse H. Talton, 1401 Tucson. Police said the accident occurred as Moseley was traveling south on Birdwell Lane and Talton was going west on Twenty-Fifth Street. Damage to Moseley's car was estimated by police at \$300, and damage to the other vehicle was set at \$500.

# Barry Plans Word Friday

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz., will announce Friday whether he will seek the Republican presidential nomination in 1964.

Goldwater, unannounced but considered the party's front runner, made his plan known today in telegrams to numerous supporters throughout the country.

Goldwater was not available for comment. The telegram read: "From time to time during the past year, I have discussed with countless Republicans like yourself our two-party system and our individual responsibility to this concept."

# Airman Released

Airman J.C. Dennis Michael Skinner 18, Webb AFB, was released from the base hospital Monday morning. He was involved in a two-vehicle collision Friday at Third and Benton, according to police. Webb spokesmen said Skinner was held for observation only. He received minor lacerations and bruises.

# Man Treated For Knife Wounds After Affray

Jesse Hernandez, 713 N. Gollad, was treated for stab wounds and released at Howard County Hospital Foundation and Clinic about 11:30 p.m. Saturday following an altercation at Marquez Place, 401 N. 4th, police said.

Another man, apparently involved in the fight, was held at the police station on a charge of drunkenness, officers said. No charges were filed in the affray.

Donald Hines, 1412 Tucson, said a motorist tossed a cigar or a firecracker into his car, setting fire to the seat. Officers investigated a complaint in the 3200 block of Eleventh Place, where a young boy had been shot with a B-B gun by an older youth.

# WEATHER

NORTH CENTRAL AND NORTHEAST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy today, decreasing cloudiness and a little colder tonight, Tuesday fair and warmer. Low tonight 22-25, High Tuesday 45-48.

# Weather Forecast

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# Weather Forecast

Snow flurries are expected in the Lakes area, in the western Dakotas and in Idaho. (AP WIREPHOTO MAP)



KING SIZED SNOWBALL  
Kim Guthrie, his mother, Mrs. A. K. Guthrie and Will Guthrie find snowfall fun

# Irish Playwright Found Injured In Dublin Street

DUBLIN (AP) — Playwright Brendan Behan was found lying in a Dublin street today, unconscious with head injuries.

He underwent an emergency operation at Meath Hospital, where he was reported in fair condition.

Police were uncertain whether Behan, 40, was the victim of a hit-and-run driver or suffered a fall. He was found in the area where his parents live.

# Kasch Awarded Two Contracts

A. P. Kasch & Sons have been awarded two more sizable construction contracts.

Formal award of the contract to build two women's dormitories for Midwestern University at Wichita Falls was announced for the firm in the amount of \$1,065,000.

These structures will contain 150 rooms each, and the first building is to be ready for occupancy in September, 1964, whereas the second will not be scheduled for completion before February, 1965.

# Midland Officer Conferring Here

Roger Robbins, Midland detective, conferred with local authorities Monday morning concerning the recent armed robbery of the Safeway Store, 1300 Gregg.

# Pleads Guilty

Joe H. Garcia, charged with shoplifting, pleaded guilty in Howard County court to the charge against him. Wayne Burns, county attorney, recommended 30 days in jail and Judge Lee Porter assessed this as punishment. Joe Nunez has been charged with shoplifting and has pleaded not guilty. He is at liberty on \$500 bond.

# Forgery Charged

E. E. Barber, who has been charged here with forgery, has been arrested in Abilene, Sheriff Miller Harris has been notified. Barber is accused of writing a \$100 check to which he signed the name of M. R. Koger. He cashed the check at a local bank.

# Sterner Measures For Hot Checkers

Hot check writers will find the going much tougher from now on, Sheriff Miller Harris warned today.

The tolerance which has marked the efforts of the sheriff's check department to clear up worthless checks in the past has been replaced with a much sterner system which will probably lead to the arrest of

# T. A. Tucker Funeral Held

Funeral for Tommy Aron Tucker, 21, former resident of Big Spring, was held at 2 p.m. today at the East Fourth Street Baptist Church with the Rev. Jack Strickland, pastor, officiating.

a much larger number of hot check writers. Harris said that in the past the system has been for the clerks to send the check writer a certified letter warning him the check is in the hands of the office. The check writer was given 10 days in which to come into the office and make amends. At the end of 10 days, if the check had not been cleared up, the merchant would sign a complaint.

# Dois Ray Leases Airport Land

Dois Ray, 1205 Pickens, Monday, was awarded contract to use 234 acres of Howard County Airport land, during the year 1963. He bid \$1.11 an acre rental on the land and his bid was accepted by the county commissioners.

Then, Harris said, a second letter would be sent to the writer and again, if he came in promptly and settled the problem, he was not prosecuted. Actually, he had 20 days to act. Effective now, the sheriff warned, the merchant will sign a complaint when he first brings the check to the office. Only one letter will be sent out—this one warning the offender that he has been charged with writing a bad check.

# Joint Meeting

Downtown Lions will meet with the Rotary Club at the Seton Hotel at 12 noon Tuesday. This is Rotary's regular meeting date, but since New Year's Day falls on the regular meeting date for the Lions, the club accepted an invitation to meet jointly with the Rotarians.

He does not make amends quickly, he will be arrested and his case placed in either the county or the district court for prosecution.

# Final Readings

The final readings for parts in "The Emperor's New Clothes" will be held at 7:30 p.m. today at the Prairie Playhouse. It will be staged by the Big Spring Little Theatre group Feb. 16-17. Mrs. Paula Carothers will direct the production.

Now, he points out, there will be only one letter, a short 10 days in which to fix things up, if this is not done, the hot check writer will be arrested and hauled into court.

# Oil Report

Amendments have been filed with the Railroad Commission on two wildcat operations staked in Mitchell County by Ray A. Albaugh, Big Spring operator.

This, the sheriff grimly said, is the end of the honeymoon for hot check writers. From now on things will be a lot rougher.

# Albaugh Amends Two Prospectors

The Ellenburger in February, 1944, Albaugh intends to clean out to 6,150 feet and test an unidentified horizon above the level. Location is C NW NE, section 19-17, SPRR survey, three-fourths mile southwest of the No. 1-18 Ellwood. Nearest production to any of the two projects is 2 1/2 miles southeast in the shallow Ellwood pool.

# Recovery Oil

American Petrofina No. 1 Nellie P. Sellers, on the edge of the Triple M (Wolfcamp) field in Sterling County, picked up 50 feet of new oil and 400 feet of oil-cut mud on drillstem test of a zone from 6,882-70 feet. Tool was open one hour and gas surfaced in four minutes. No pressures were recorded.

# Recovery Oil

An earlier drillstem test, taken from 6,553-90 feet, returned only 15 feet of mud. There was a weak blow for the first nine minutes and then it died. Tool was open one hour. After 15 minutes, operator bypassed the tool with no blow.

# Recovery Oil

This venture is C NW SW, section 62-17, SPRR survey.

# COMPLETIONS

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Jack B. Chase No. 1 D. C. Durham, explorer about 1 1/2 miles southwest of Sterling City, has been plugged and abandoned at 1,976 feet. It was 467 feet from the north and east lines of section 19-7, T&P survey.

# COMPLETIONS

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**BUZ SAWYER**

HE'S COMING! I RAN INTO HIM AT THE POST OFFICE! DR. SEED IS ON HIS WAY UP!

HERE?

HE WALKS DR. SEED AND A SCOWLING DWARF, WEARING A KRIS.

THIS IS MR. SAWYER WHO'S LOOKING FOR A TROPICAL SETTING FOR A MOVIE.

AH, YES, WELL, IF YOU HAVE MY "JUNGLE GARDENS" IN MIND, SIR, I'M AFRAID IT'S OUT OF THE QUESTION.

**GASOLINE ALLEY**

Can I hand you a tool, Skeeze? I'll hold the light. Is that better?

It was fine where it was, Grandfather!

Here's a nut, Chippie! I'll tighten it for you!

I wanted it loose, Grandfather!

When will you finish with the tractor, Skeeze?

If Grandfather stops helping us, Nina—made by tomorrow.

I have to be back at school Friday—and we still have to get our car out of the ditch!

**NANCY**

HEY—STOP THAT TRUCK

WHAT FOR?

FOR A MOTHER AND CHILD—THAT'S WHAT

WHERE IS THIS MOTHER AND CHILD?

**LI'L ABNER**

NO ONE ALLOWED IN, UNTIL SENILINI FINISHES BLOWING HIS LAST GLASS MASTERPIECE!!

THUD!!

THE MASTERPIECE IS FINISHED—AND SO IS SENILINI, NO DOUBT

BUT??—WHAT ARE YOU DOING INSIDE?

DON'T WORRY!! AH!! SMASH OUR WAY OUT!!

**BLONDIE**

DAGWOOD, DO YOU REMEMBER OUR WEDDING DAY?

OF COURSE—IT WAS RAINING AND YOU WORE A BEAUTIFUL BLUE GOWN

IT WAS A SUNNY DAY AND I WORE A WHITE GOWN—BOO-HOO—YOU'VE FORGOTTEN

I WONDER WHOSE WEDDING THAT WAS I KEEP REMEMBERING

**ORPHAN ANNIE**

AMAZING! INCREDIBLE! IF I HADN'T BEEN RIGHT THERE LISTENING! WHY, ANNIE REMEMBERED EVERY DETAIL OF HER PAST!

YES! HYPNOSIS SOMETIMES UNLOCKS MANY DARK RECESSES OF THE MIND!

BUT THE MOMENT THE SPELL WAS BROKEN SHE AGAIN HAD NO MEMORY OF ANYTHING BEFORE THAT AWFUL DISASTER! WHAT CAN BE DONE?

FIRST THING I'M GOING TO DO IS WISE THAT MAN, HARRY WOLF!

B-B-BUT HOW CAN HE HELP? ISN'T HE AN INDIAN?

FROM ALL I'VE READ AND HEARD, HE'S AN AWFULL LOT OF INDIAN! WHO KNOWS?

**SNUFFY SMITH**

WHAT ARE YE WHIMPERIN' ABOUT, HONEY POT?

SNIF SNIF

YE SAID TH' NEXT TIM' I TRIPPED SAMANTH' IN SCHOOL, YE WUZ GOIN' TO GIVE ME A WHUPPIN'—

STOP YORE WHININ'!! I AIN'T LAID A HAND ON YE YET

CAN'T A FELLER GIT WARMED UP?

**KERRY BRAKE**

I'M SAYIN' IT JUST ONE MORE TIME, WISE GUY!... SCRUB FOR TWO HOURS, AND WE'LL CALL IT SQUARE ON YOUR TWO BUCK CHECK!

NO? OKAY, BONZO! TAKE HIM!

HOLD MY COAT, AND GIMME ROOM, SARANADE!

**BEETLE BAILEY**

BEETLE WONT MIND IF WE HAVE A LITTLE PIECE OF HIS MOTHER'S CAKE

OH, BOY! HOMEMADE CAKE

HEY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH MY CAKE?

AND WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN WRITING HOME ABOUT THIS CAMP?!

**PEANUTS**

I'M NOT GETTING DOWN UNTIL THE NEW YEAR'S PROGRAM IS OVER!

I REFUSE TO GALLOP ACROSS A STAGE WEARING A BANNER THAT SAYS "1947"! YOU'VE GOT TO STOP VOLUNTEERING ME FOR EVERYTHING!

12-30

SAV "HELLO" TO MOM AND DAD

**DICK TRACY**

YES, WE BROUGHT BACK TO EARTH THE FIRST NATIVE FROM OUTER SPACE!

FROM OUTER SPACE?

YES, AND IS SHE BEAUTIFUL! THE ONLY THING IS—SHE HAS HORNS.

A GIRL?

A MOON MAID WITH HORNS? ROARS TRACY. "HAVE YOU GONE NUTS?"

**MARY WORTH**

"J.B. JONES, MERCHANDISING CONSULTANT" HAS TURNED OUT TO BE A YOUNG—AND VERY ATTRACTIVE—WOMAN!

I HAVE STUDIED YOUR OPERATION FOR SEVERAL WEEKS, MR. PUTNAM!—SHALL I READ THE—UH—DOCTOR'S DIAGNOSIS?

I CAN GUESS WHAT IT IS, MISS JONES!... THE PATIENT'S ILLNESS IS—TERMINAL!

NOT NECESSARILY!

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**REX MORGAN**

LOSING HIS TEMPER, AL CROVDEN GIVES JEANIE A TONGUE-LASHING AND THEN IS OVERWHELMED WITH REMORSE!

I'M SORRY, JEANIE... I DIDN'T MEAN IT! I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO ME!

I DESERVED EVERYTHING YOU SAID, AL!

WE BETTER FORGET REHEARSAL THIS MORNING! MAYBE WE CAN WORK AN HOUR THIS AFTERNOON!

COME ON, I'LL DRIVE YOU HOME!

IF YOU DON'T MIND, I'D LIKE TO BE ALONE FOR A WHILE! I'LL SEE YOU THIS AFTERNOON ABOUT THREE!

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**POGO**

I AM READ THESE ROLL CALL... PRESENTS TODAY AN BREATHING... BOODOO RABBIT—ST RACKETY GOONT

NOW I COME TO THE ANDREW FRANKLIN KELLY... HE ASK ME, YES, NO?

WELL, TEACH, HE AIN'T MAKIN' NO COMMENT ON THAT, BUT HE GIVE ME A BREF STATEMENT—HE SAY THE POG AS HIS HOMEWORK AN HE WOULD'N MISS A DAY FROM SCHOOL, LESSN WAS HE SICK OR DEAD—

SEEM LIKE HE'S FINISHIN'... HE'S DEAD TIED AN SICK OF FINISHIN' BESSON, IT'S HIS BIRTHDAY AN' SIMON RAB SAY... I GOT RAB, TOO...

**GRANDMA**

GOSH, I FEEL TERRIBLE!

ME TOO!

SURE WAS A SWELL BIRTHDAY PARTY, THOUGH!

YEAH, ALL THE ICE CREAM AND CAKE YOU COULD EAT!

**TERRY**

ATTEMPTING TO RETURN TO THEIR BASE AHEAD OF AN ONCOMING SNOWSTORM SPRAY AND HOT-SHOT CHARLIE MEET EVER-DEEPENING DRIFTS ON A MOUNTAIN ROAD.

LOVERBOY, I WISH WE'D MEET UP WITH THE TRADITIONAL ST. BERNARD DOG. IT WOULD BE NICE TO KNOW SOMEONE CARED...

...HEY! STUB YOUR NUKLUKS OR WHATEVER ONE DOES TO STOP IN THIS STUFF AND BEAM AT THAT SIGN IN GLAD SURPRISE!

MAYBE WE OUGHT TO THINK ABOUT GETTING OFF THIS ROAD AT THAT... SFRAY... NOT TO BE QUICK-FROZEN!

THINK! LATER ON, IN FRONT OF A FIRE, YOU CAN THINK HOW NICE IT IS NOT TO BE QUICK-FROZEN! RIGHT RUDDER, ROLLO!

**SMITTY**

MAN! THOSE HOLIDAY PARTIES HAVE THE BOGS IN A DATE!

POOR GUY—HE DOESN'T KNOW IF HE'S COMING OR GOING! AND TOMORROW NIGHT IS NEW YEAR'S EVE—

YEAH, HE'S IN A REAL FOG.

IT'S TWELVE!! HAPPY NOO YEAR!!!

**MOON MULLINS**

WE GOT AN INVITATION TO LADY P'S NEW YEAR'S PARTY—SHE'LL NEVER MISS IT.

OH-OH—IT'S A BLACK TIE AFFAIR.

YOU MEAN YER SUPPOSED TO WEAR A BLACK TIE?

SURE—IT'S FORMAL...

AS USUAL, LADY PUSHBOTTOM'S IDEAS ARE GOOFY, BUT INTERESTING.

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# Grim, Hungry Yule Reported For Cubans

MEXICO CITY (AP)—The Cuban people spent a grim Christmas with practically nothing to eat and prohibitive prices for the few holiday delicacies still available, a spokesman from the exiled Cuban Students Directorate says.

Angel Gonzalez, delegate in Mexico of the directorate, said the average Cuban citizen was entitled to buy just a pound of the traditional Cuban roast pig for the entire family, at the equivalent of \$5.00.

Turkeys were sold at \$3.00 and chicken at \$2.00 per pound, with only one pound allowed for each family, regardless of how many members.

Meanwhile, Gonzalez said, the Cuban government feted with lavish parties the more than 20,000 Soviet, Chinese, Czech and Latin-American "technicians" at the best hotels and restaurants of Havana and other cities.

# Falls From Horse

Mrs. J. H. Pollard, Route 1, Box 250, sustained a fractured pelvis and a broken arm in a fall from her horse about 4 p.m. Sunday. She was taken to Howard County Hospital Foundation and Clinic for treatment. Hospital attendants Monday described her condition as good.

# Rev. Stricklan Resigns East Fourth Pastorate

The Rev. Jack Stricklan resigned Sunday morning as pastor of East Fourth Baptist Church to accept a call to become minister of the 1,300-member Birchman Avenue Baptist Church in Fort Worth.



REV. JACK STRICKLAN

During his four-year ministry here, East Fourth Baptist Church has increased almost a third in attendance, membership, etc.

Rev. Stricklan will be in the East Fourth pulpit for the last time Sunday, leaving shortly thereafter to assume his new duties effective Jan. 12.

The pastor came here in January of 1960 from San Angelo. A sanctuary seating 1,000 had been started but construction was halted. The following year this modern structure was completed.

Rev. Stricklan was born in Midland 32 years ago and was reared in West Texas. In 1953 he was married to Arminia Manning of New Mexico, whom he had met at Hardin-Simmons University. They have one child, Jonathan Finney Stricklan, 4.

After graduation from H-SU with BA in 1954 (Mrs. Stricklan took her BS degree there), he earned his bachelor of divinity degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in 1958.

He assumed the full-time pastorate at Belmore Baptist Church in San Angelo where he had served part-time. Attendance there had more than doubled during his three-year ministry.

# New Record For Economy Seen In '64

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. economy probably will extend 5 per cent to another record in 1964 and prices will remain fairly stable, says Secretary of Commerce Luther H. Hodges.

In his annual review and outlook on the state of the nation's economy, Hodges said personal income has bounded upward \$300 per person in three years, and may rise \$100 more in 1964.

Personal income now averages \$2,500 a year for every man, woman and child. The category includes wages, salaries, rents, dividends, farm and small business profits, and other forms of individual income.

The total of such payments was estimated at \$463 billion for 1963, an increase of \$21 billion over the previous year.

The gross national product (GNP)—the total of all goods and services, both private and public—was \$584 billion for 1963 and by the end of the year was running at a rate of about \$600 billion.

"If the tax cut is enacted soon, the GNP for 1964 could easily exceed \$620 billion," Hodges said in his statement.

This would represent an increase of 5 per cent after allowing for a slight increase in prices.

If Congress does not enact a tax cut, Hodges said, "Prospects for continuous expansion through all of 1964 and into 1965 would be seriously impaired."

Hodges tempered his forecast by noting the continuing high rate of unemployment, unused plant capacity and the persistent flow of dollars to foreign countries.

The dollar dollar foreign—the deficit in the U.S. balance of international payments—was \$2.6 billion for the first nine months of the year even though it declined sharply at midyear.

Swedes To Visit  
MEXICO CITY (AP)—The Swedish Navy's ship-school "Alvsnabben" will pay a courtesy visit to Acapulco Jan. 7, an official report says.

Various Requests Await Action By Zoning Board  
The Planning and Zoning Commission will hear a request by Al Milch, agent for the Kentwood Development Corporation, for a zone change when it meets at 5-15 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7.

Construction To Show Rise  
AUSTIN (AP)—The dollar value of construction in Texas will be slightly higher this year than in 1962, the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas predicted.

Family Party Set New Year's  
A family New Year's Eve party will be held Tuesday at St. Paul Lutheran Church from 9 p.m. to 12-15 a.m.

Youth Dancing Classes Slated  
A youth special interest class in ballet and tap will be offered by the YMCA beginning Jan. 2.

Ore Discovered  
MEXICO CITY (AP)—Important radioactive ore deposits have been located near Odoepe, Sonora, 120 miles south of the U.S. border.

# LEGAL NOTICE

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Political Announcements  
The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for Public Office, subject to the Democratic Primary of 1964.

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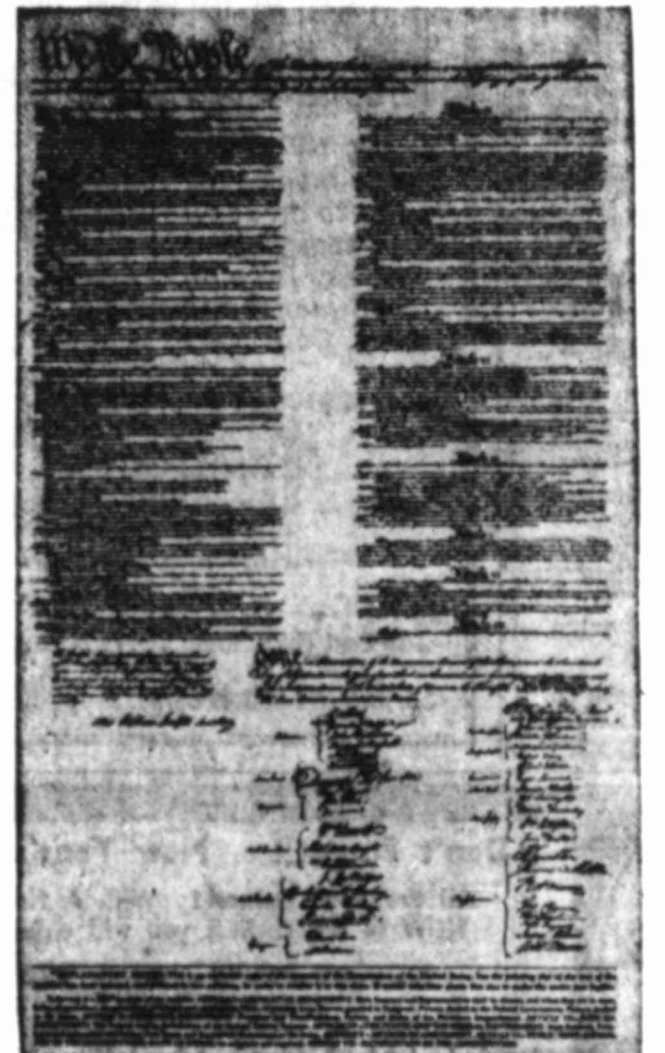
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# Boost In Oregon Sought By Rocky

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller's announcement that he will enter the Oregon presidential preference primary next May 15 is a

further unfolding of his strategy. The New York governor is seeking support from rank-and-file Republicans to bolster his campaign, which has had rough going, and bypass GOP leaders, who have offered him little support.

Polls indicate Rockefeller has a long way to go to overcome the adverse effects of his divorce and remarriage.

### RANKS FOURTH

An Associated Press survey of Republican county chairmen throughout the country on who they thought would be the strongest nominee, and the party's likely candidate showed Rockefeller fourth behind Sen. Barry Goldwater, Richard M. Nixon and Henry Cabot Lodge. Rockefeller hopes victories in primaries will convince key Republicans that developments in his private life have not hampered his ability to win elections.

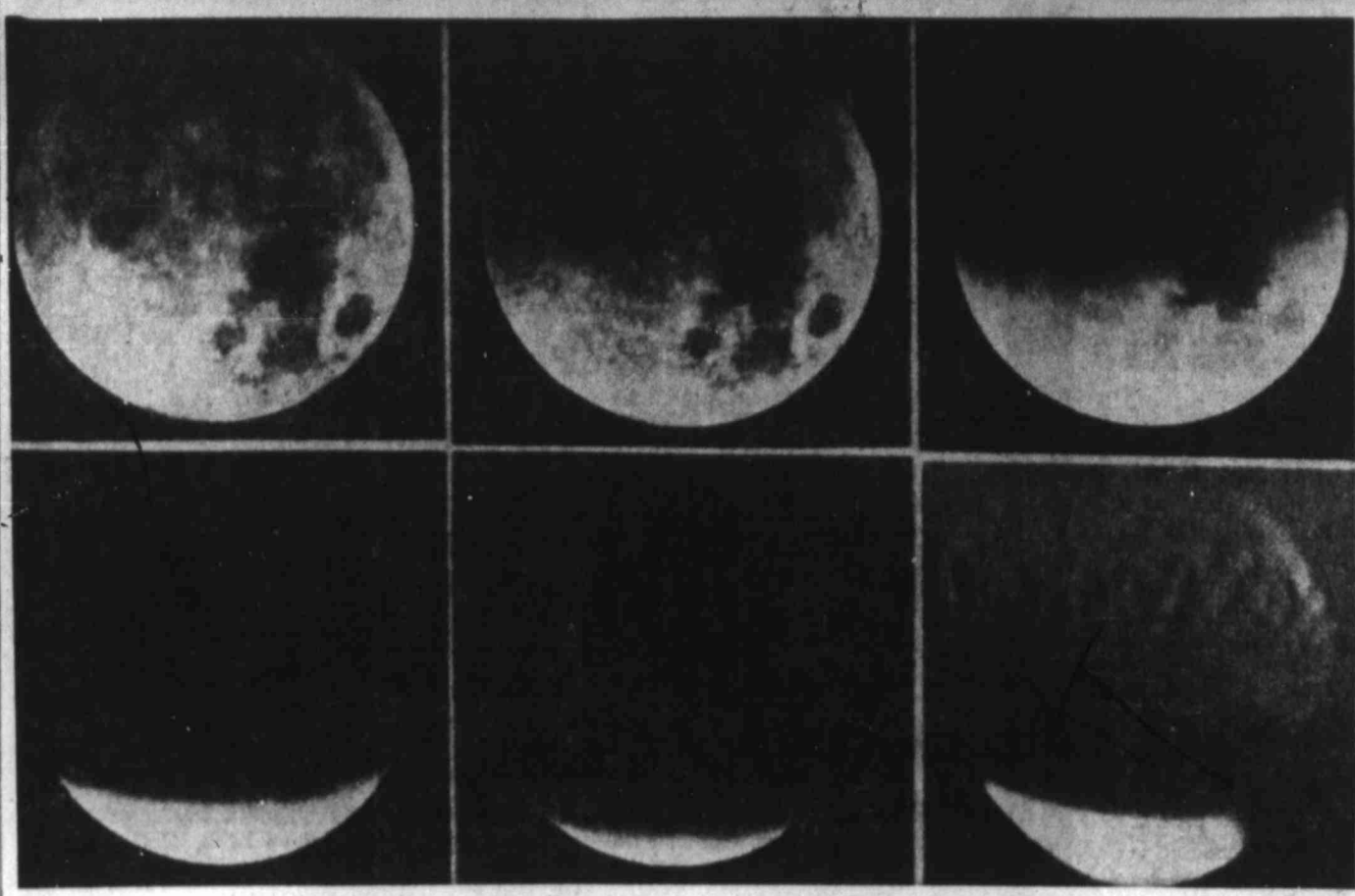
Rockefeller will run in the New Hampshire primary March 10 and the California primary June 2. He added the Oregon primary to the official list Sunday and is expected to compete in several others.

Oregon will have 18 votes at the Republican National Convention in July, a fraction of the 655 votes needed for nomination. But victories in pre-convention primaries have a psychological impact nationally.

### OTHER NAMES

Oregon's secretary of state, Howell Appling Jr., said he also would enter the names of Goldwater and possibly Gov. William W. Scranton of Pennsylvania and former Vice President Nixon if newspaper and magazine reports indicated they appeared to be candidates.

In other developments: —In Los Angeles, Robert Rowan resigned as treasurer of the California Republican State Committee to support Rockefeller as a man who "truly reflects the mainstream of the thinking within the Republican party" and as the strongest candidate the GOP could field.



Moon Eclipsed In Spectacular Show

The moon went through a total eclipse visible to early-morning risers throughout the nation today and was labeled an "unusually dark one" by astronomers, in which the face of the moon virtually disappeared. This sequence of photos was

made by Associated Press Staff Photographer Bill Ingraham and spanned a time from 4:24 a.m. to 5:27 a.m. at Philadelphia. First exposure starts at upper left and continues through bottom row from left to right. (AP WIREPHOTO)

## 1963'S BEST STORIES

# JFK Tops In Texas News

By The Associated Press

The No. 2 story in Texas this year — the assassination of President John F. Kennedy — dwarfs all others in any compilation of major news events. But until that tragic Nov. 22, the state already had recorded a large number of major happenings.

Editors of Texas newspapers were asked to rank stories 2 through 10. But some included the slaying of the President to pin down that they considered it the No. 1 story.

The remainder of the top 10 stories ranged from those largely of concern to Texas to others which were of national significance.

### SOUTH OF BORDER

The No. 2 story in the number of points voted (120) was largely of state significance although it did create interest in the nation and south of the border in Mexico.

This was the election of a city council at Crystal City made up of persons of Mexican descent. The election did not receive many high-placed votes but received enough secondary votes to rank No. 2.

The election was viewed by some observers as indicating what minority groups could do in those local areas where their numbers are in the majority. Others saw the prime significance in the evidence of the strength certain liberal groups can bring to bear in some instances.

### BILLIE SOL

That consistent newsmaker, former promoter Billie Sol Estes, was ranked by editors in the No. 3 place with 104 points.

Estes was sentenced in January to eight years in prison by a Tyler state court for swindling. Later an El Paso federal court assessed Estes 15 years for mail fraud.

He is free while the cases are on appeal. The convictions stemmed from dealings in worthless fertilizer tank mortgages.

The No. 4 place depends on how the votes are compiled. On the regular count, editors gave 91 points to the defeat of the poll tax and veterans land amendments and approval of the welfare fund amendment, in addition to the election of J. J. Pickle as representative from Austin.

### OIL INDUSTRY

But if two oil industry stories are combined they step ahead with 93 points. These are the slant oil well drilling situation (52 points) and the resignation of W. J. Murray Jr. from the Railroad Commission after it was found that he had extensive oil dealings while on that regulatory body (41 points). There was no relation between the two stories except that they involved the oil industry.

The slant well operations involved oil operators drilling their wells at a slant so they took oil from beneath neighbors' leases. Court cases are expected to continue for years.

### EFFECTIVENESS

Murray resigned, he said, because the stories of his oil deals would reduce his effectiveness as a commissioner. A Travis County grand jury cleared him of any criminal actions.

Ranked No. 6 was the ruling of a special three-judge federal court that Texas statutes establishing the state's 23 congressional districts are unconstitutional. The majority opinion in effect said that Texas must redistrict or elect its congressmen at-large. The issue is being appealed.

The legislature received 81 points to rank seventh, followed by the drought, (71) and Gov. John Connally's inauguration (57).

Receiving 59 points to rank

10th was the incident in Dallas when U.N. Ambassador Adlai Stevenson was spat upon and hit by a picket's sign.

### OTHER VOTES

Other stories receiving votes and their points:

Gordon Cooper's space flight, in which most of the principals were Texans although control had not yet passed to the space center at Houston (54).

Hurricane Cindy (52).

Texas-based Marine Sulphur Queen disappears while on voyage from Texas to eastern port (49).

Dr. John Dunn's difficulties

with a Pecos hospital (19). Second Armored Division is airlifted to Germany and back (16).

Dispute between Paul Baker and Baylor University authorities over play produced by Baker (15).

Mrs. Fred Turner, wife of wealthy Midland oilman, slain at Midland, with burglar charged (14).

Historian Walter Prescott Webb killed in automobile accident (9).

Virgil Nelson Halford accused of series of sex crimes in North Texas (4).

Explosion at the Medina nuclear base at San Antonio (2).

## Burned-Out Cruise Liner Founders Under Tow

LISBON, Portugal (AP) — The burned-out shell of the Greek cruise liner Lakonia sank in 13,200 feet of Atlantic water Sunday as she was being towed toward Gibraltar.

Capt. Trygve Gaasoe of the Norwegian tug Herkules, who was directing the attempt to salvage the hulk, said the ship's starboard list increased Saturday night.

Six men from one of the two Portuguese tugs with the Herkules were put aboard the wreck Sunday morning to close

all starboard portholes. The growing list forced them off after four hours.

"Suddenly at 2 p.m. the wreck heeled over to starboard until the decks on that side were awash," Gaasoe reported by ship-to-shore telephone.

"Just as she went down, she rolled back completely so that her decks were pointing straight toward us on her port side," he said.

Gaasoe said the Lakonia sank about 260 miles southwest of Gibraltar.

"It was simply too burnt out to stay afloat," he said. "The charred metal was cooling down after the fire, and this set up a lot of irregular stresses, and the weakened structure probably simply broke up."

## Traditional Parade Hit

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The Congress of Racial Equality said today it will take to the streets and physically halt the traditional New Year's Day Mummers parade if marchers are allowed to wear blackface.

CORE was joined in the move by the Chester (Pa.) Committee for Freedom Now.

Louis Smith, chairman of the Philadelphia chapter of CORE, and Stanley Branche, president of the Chester committee, issued a joint statement.

"Since the city of Philadelphia has given the blackface mimics the green light, we have no choice but to use our bodies to stop this parade," the statement said.

John Schaefer, field representative of CORE, has promised to gather chapters from the Eastern seaboard and march them on Philadelphia New Year's Day in a supporting action, it added.

The statement warned that "other factions have vowed to cause trouble if the blackface Mummers are not taken out of the parade."

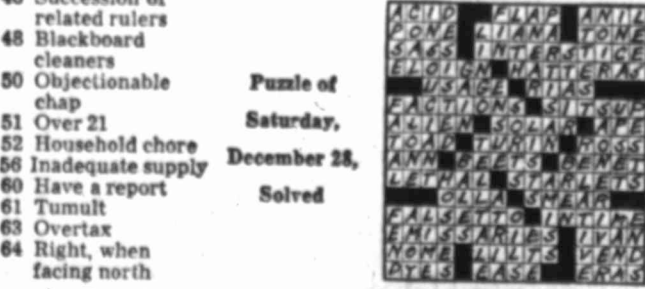
Smith later said that this passage referred to unidentified groups in the Negro community which, he said, were planning a violent attack on the blackface Mummers.

The CORE-Freedom Now demonstration will be non-violent, he said.

Civil rights leaders had met a few hours earlier with John H. Schneider, general manager of the CBS-affiliated WCAU-TV television station in an unsuccessful bid to persuade the station not to broadcast the parade. Schneider said that blackface Mummers would not be televised.

### CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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| <b>ACROSS</b>                   | 65 Breezes                  | 25 Gluey                        |
| 1 Whack                         | 66 Preposition              | 27 Audibly                      |
| 5 Circuit                       | 67 Autonomous               | 28 American naval hero          |
| 10 Stand still                  | 69 Hardens                  | 29 Infidel                      |
| 14 European dormouse            | 68 Shroud                   | 30 In a jar                     |
| 15 Grim reaper                  | 69 Solidifies               | 31 Feeble and old               |
| 16 Butterine                    |                             | 32 Small cafe                   |
| 17 Gudrun's husband: myth       | <b>DOWN</b>                 | 33 Limits                       |
| 18 Correspond                   | 1 Talk out of turn          | 36 — the mark                   |
| 19 Maiden                       | 2 Bit                       | 39 By the bill of fare: 3 words |
| 20 Fragrant pine                | 3 Pervade                   | 41 Thing of impressive size     |
| 22 Wave menacingly              | 4 Western city: abbr.       | 43 No — attached                |
| 24 Social rank                  | 5 — — Eve                   | 44 Least subtle                 |
| 26 As well                      | 6 One of "The Little Women" | 47 Body of light                |
| 27 Designate                    | 7 "alinal impacts"          | 49 Relative rank                |
| 30 Spread throughout            | 8 Roman road                | 51 Spry                         |
| 34 Field                        | 9 Playhouse                 | 52 Member of culinary staff     |
| 35 Newspaper executive          | 10 Postpone: 2 words        | 53 Tragic king                  |
| 37 Wife of Geraint              | 11 Jal —                    | 54 Relax                        |
| 38 Instrumentality              | 12 Minus                    | 55 One Mr. Webster              |
| 40 Charpy                       | 13 Sheer nonsense: slang    | 57 Ready                        |
| 41 Squeeze                      | 21 Foreign                  | 58 Jog                          |
| 42 Russian range                | 23 Negative connective      | 59 Farm fowl                    |
| 43 Tentative draft              |                             | 62 Make out                     |
| 45 Shelter                      |                             |                                 |
| 46 Succession of related rulers |                             |                                 |
| 48 Blackboard cleaners          |                             |                                 |
| 50 Objectionable chap           |                             |                                 |
| 51 Over 21                      |                             |                                 |
| 52 Household chore              |                             |                                 |
| 56 Inadequate supply            |                             |                                 |
| 60 Have a report                |                             |                                 |
| 61 Tumult                       |                             |                                 |
| 63 Overtax                      |                             |                                 |
| 64 Right, when facing north     |                             |                                 |



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## Weekend Mishaps Claim 31 In State

By The Associated Press

At least 31 persons died violently this holiday weekend in Texas. Traffic took 21 lives.

The latest deaths included: Mrs. Inez Edwards, 45, of Pampa and Gaynell Geneva, 8, of Amarillo died in a two-car crash during a heavy snowfall between Pampa and Panhandle late Sunday. Five members of the Frank Irwin family of Pampa were injured in the accident of snowswept U.S. 60.

Willis Catoe, 29, of Seguin died Sunday of injuries suffered in a one-car accident late Saturday night about 2 miles east of Seguin on U.S. 90A. Three persons were injured.

Benito Garcia Jr., 30, of Cotulla was killed and another man was injured when their car struck two parked vehicles on Interstate 35 in Cotulla.

Roy Joyce, 55, and his wife, Hazel, 51, both of Grand Prairie, and James Kinard, 23, of Dallas died in a two-car collision Sunday on Interstate 45 about a mile north of Ennis.

Charles Foster, 71, of Gladewater was killed in a two-car collision on U.S. 80 in Gladewater Sunday.

Davis Donovan died in Houston Sunday after being shot in

the head as he pounded at the closed door of an apartment. Police said a girl, 16, was released to a sister after she signed a statement about the shooting.

T. A. Florence, 56, of Hobbs, N.M., died Saturday night when a ramp fell on him in an oil rig accident northwest of Seminole, in Northwest Texas.

Jess Cordell, 32, died Saturday night when a truck at the edge of Corpus Christi.

Fire swept an Abilene home Saturday night, killing John McDonald Jr.

David Bond, 68, of Galveston, died Saturday as he was hit by a car at a Galveston intersection.

A registered nurse and mother of two died in San Antonio Saturday when a lighted cigarette set her clothes afire. She was Mrs. Mary Jane Moran, 31.

Suicide was ruled in the death of Wayne Dowding, 48, in San Antonio.

Sam Blunt, 63, of Zavala, died Saturday when a tree fell on him as he cut wood near his home.

Mrs. Lena Smalting Rush, 57, of Texas City died Saturday in a two-car accident 13 miles south of Athens. Several persons were injured, apparently none seriously.



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