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## WRONG TANK

### Pilot Lands On Highway

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — Unlike many motorists, Brice Peters of Dallas was more than happy Thursday to find two state patrolmen using radar in an effort to slow traffic on the busy IS 20 expressway near here Thursday.

His feelings were prompted by a discovery that the engine of his small private airplane had just stalled and he couldn't stretch its glide to reach Shreveport's municipal airport.

Peters radioed the traffic control tower, which in turn notified state police. The word was passed to troopers N. F. Strange and Edsel Smith, manning the radar unit.

Strange and Smith already had observed the plane was in trouble and its pilot appeared to be hunting a place to land. They simply halted a big truck and directed the driver to put it across one side of the highway, blocking traffic in that lane.

Peters set down without difficulty. After finding he had mistakenly switched to an empty gasoline tank instead of a full one, he restarted the engine and took off again on a flight back to Dallas from Monroe, La.

## 15 YEAR TERM

### For Murder

EL PASO (SP) — Jessie Dusseau wept Thursday as she heard a district court jury pronounce her guilty of killing her soldier husband and fix her sentence at 15 years in prison.

She was convicted of murder with malice in the shooting of Army Sgt. Harold Dusseau at their trailer home here last Dec. 8.

Testimony in the four-day trial brought out that she used a .22 caliber pistol, bought earlier the same day.

She obtained the gun "to make him listen for once in his life to my side of the argument," Mrs. Dusseau told the jury.

## Tax Program

FOOT WORTH (AP) — Lt. Gov. Preston Smith predicted Thursday that Gov. John Connally will submit a program to increase the state sales tax from two to three per cent.

Connally will call a special session of the legislature in the coming months to consider spending matters for the state, Smith spoke to a legislative workshop sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Smith, the only formally announced candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, told the group he doubts that Sen. Ralph Yarborough, D-Tex., will run for governor next year.

"With his seniority in the Senate," Smith said of Yarborough, "he would be reluctant to give up that position, and I don't believe he would relish a hard campaign for governor."

While ruling out Yarborough, Smith, in an interview, named three persons he said he expected to be his principal opponents in the Democratic primary: Houston attorney Don Yarborough, Secretary of State John Hill and former Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr.

Turning to the Republicans, Smith said Sen. John Tower would be the most formidable opponent, but he predicted Tower would not relinquish his Senate seat to make the race.

## Absentee Votes

Deadline for absentee voting is Dec. 12  
Election Day is Dec. 16

### Airport Issues

Voting in County Clerk's office,  
Courthouse

Reported Today	Total To Date
6	11

### City Sales Tax

Voting in City Secretary's office,  
City Hall

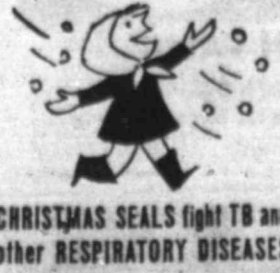
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## In Today's HERALD

### Endless Stream?

A daily airlift bringing a seemingly endless stream of refugees from Communist Cuba begins its third year. See Page 5-A.

## 20 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT



CHRISTMAS SEALS fight TB and other RESPIRATORY DISEASES

## COOL

Considerable cloudiness and warm today; partly cloudy and cooler tonight and Saturday. High to-day 75; low tonight 48; high tomorrow 62.



## All Aboard On Santa's Sleigh

Children of all sizes were waiting this morning at Highland Shopping Center for the arrival of Santa Claus and his 28-foot sleigh. With ride coupons from Highland merchants clutched in their hands, almost 40 youngsters climbed aboard for the first ride. Sleigh rides continued until 6 p.m. today.

(Photo by Frank Brandon)

## Meeting With Cong Denied By Embassy

SAIGON (AP) — Well-informed sources said today a meeting between U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker and a high-ranking representative of the Viet Cong's National Liberation Front was thwarted recently when South Vietnamese police arrested the Viet Cong emissary.

"FALSE" — The U.S. Embassy issued a statement later saying: "Allegations about planned or actual meetings between high officials of the U.S. Embassy and representatives of the VC-NLF as reported by The Associated Press are false. The U.S. Embassy would, of course, not undertake any such contacts without the knowledge of the GVN (Government of South Vietnam)."

The "actual meetings" referred to in the statement apparently regarded reports from other sources that a meeting between U.S. officials and Viet Cong representatives did take place in a "neutral embassy" in Saigon within the last 10 days.

A Saigon newspaper said the proposed Bunker meeting was arranged by the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency without letting the Vietnamese government know about it. A member of the South Vietnamese House of Representatives also implied that the CIA tried to set up a contact with the Viet Cong without advising the Saigon government.

The sources who reported the meeting that didn't come off said it was arranged for early in November but national police arrested the Communist envoy in Saigon before he reached the embassy.

## Marines Drive Out Entrenched Forces

SAIGON (AP) — The Con Thien war front erupted again Thursday, with U.S. Marines driving North Vietnamese troops from their bunkers after a close-quarter battle just below the demilitarized zone. Meanwhile, a Red force continued to menace a U.S. infantry battalion at the Bu Dop Special Forces camp near the Cambodian border.

A company of Marines searching for Red troops 2.4 miles northeast of Con Thien ran into heavy machine-gun and mortar fire from an entrenched North Vietnamese company, estimated at about 135 men.

Three more Leatherneck companies joined the battle, giving the Marines about 700 men. Manoeuvring around the enemy's flank, the Americans drove the Communists out of their heavily fortified positions in a four-hour battle.

Field reports said 26 North Vietnamese and 15 Americans were killed and 54 Americans wounded in the fighting, which was at such close quarters that the Marines could not use their artillery.

The fighting broke a lull on the DMZ front during which the Communists had concentrated on new targets, chiefly allied outposts along South Vietnam's 400-mile-long land border with Cambodia. The enemy's aim on both fronts apparently is the same—to operate close to his supply trails and to draw Americans away from protection of more populous areas where the government's pacification program has been making progress.

At Bu Dop, three miles from the Cambodian border and 50 miles north of Saigon, an under-strength battalion from the U.S. 1st Infantry Division which drove off a hard Red assault early Thursday reported today that a large Communist force was still facing it.

## State Officials Asked To Check Airport Ballots

The secretary of state has been asked to rule on whether the ballots to be used in the Dec. 16 election on establishing a Howard County Airport Authority are in valid form. County Judge Lee Porter said today.

LETTER SENT — Dee Jon Davis, county attorney, said he had telephoned the secretary of state, but had been instructed to send his inquiry in writing. A letter was being rushed to Austin today. The ballot form is being sent with the letter.

Meantime, the county commissioners court, in its third meeting of the current week, was involved Friday morning in discussion of problems the election may pose.

The commissioners voted to pay the clerks at the voting precincts \$12.50 for a 10-hour working day — an increase of \$2.50 over the old pay rate. It also voted to pay the judges of the voting boxes \$12.50 plus .45 for their services. The \$5 is to compensate them for bringing the election boxes to the office of the clerk. They were formerly paid \$10 plus \$2.

EXTRA HELP — Judge Porter suggested each precinct would need at least two additional workers in order to handle filling out and filing the affidavits required for the first time in this election.

## Digging Out Begins After Heavy Snow

### Blanket Of White Covers East Seaboard

By The Associated Press

Bitter cold in interior New England and upstate New York today followed the Eastern Seaboard's first heavy snowfall of the season Thursday.

Residents of the heavily populated area between Washington, D.C., and New York manned shovels, brooms and plows today to dig out of snow as deep as 12 inches. The heaviest snow cover included cities in Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania and New York state.

In Pennsylvania alone, 10 deaths were attributed to the storm—eight in traffic accidents, two from heart attacks while shoveling snow. Among them were three school teachers killed in a car-truck collision in Glen Campbell.

Temperatures dropped to three below zero in Montpelier, Vt., and Rome, N.Y. Portland, Maine, reported 16 above.

Thursday's great storm blanketed the nation's capital with six inches of snow, the Dulles International Airport near Washington with 10 inches, and suburban areas in Virginia and Maryland with as much as 12 inches.

Government agencies remained open but some of them allowed workers to leave early. Many schools closed and sent their charges home for the day. Downtown stores that planned to stay open until 9 p.m. closed at 6.

## Fog Shrouds Parts Of State, Fresh Norther On The Way

By The Associated Press

Fog returned to hamper travel over most of the Southeastern half of Texas this morning.

Residents of the Panhandle braced, meanwhile, for a fresh norther by tonight and a possibility of a few snow flurries Saturday. Showers were in prospect for most other areas of the state by Saturday.

ABOUT NORMAL

Temperatures were about normal for the season in all parts of the state and skies were clear to partly cloudy outside the fog belt.

Visibility dropped to zero in places and it was only a little better at many others in what the Weather Bureau described as shallow fog.

Air travel was interrupted and automobiles ground along highways at reduced speed, but there were no reports of fatal accidents.

Traffic controllers reported Houston's always busy airport was closed to traffic about 1 a.m. when it was possible to see no more than one-eighth mile. Vessels also stopped moving in the Houston ship channel.

Zero visibility also halted flights at Fort Worth and Wichita Falls, and some airlines diverted part of their craft from



## Who Said 'Fun City'?

Cars inched their way last night from New York City to what almost became the biggest underground parking lot around — the Lincoln Tunnel. Jersey-bound commuters moved at a snail's pace as winter's first snowstorm dumped two inches of the fluffy stuff on the city.

Dallas rather than land with a 100-foot ceiling.

Forecasters called for a new surge of cold air into the Panhandle tonight and lower readings throughout the state Saturday. A few scattered showers were expected tonight or Saturday in all sections except West Texas.

ABOVE NORMAL — New long range predictions, covering the period through next Wednesday, promised temperatures from around normal to eight degrees above, a little warmer the first of next week and another cool spell about midweek.

## Passenger Airplanes Carrying War Ammo

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon is using passenger-carrying commercial airliners on occasion to speed ammunition to Vietnam.

Defense officials said airliners have carried ordnance on an irregular basis since January to meet emergency needs in the war zone.

"There are times when all our equipment is occupied, and then we use the bellies of commercial airliners," a spokesman for the Military Airlift Command said Thursday.

"Equipment" refers to the command's more than 400 military planes plus regularly chartered commercial jet transports.

The spokesman emphasized only "priorities of a high nature" were routed to Southeast Asia via commercial lines. The Air Force said this included rockets, hand grenades and ammunition for cannons.

Great care is taken to make sure the shipments pose no hazard to passengers, the Air Force said.

Since the first of the year, the Air Force said, about 600 tons of ordnance has been shipped by commercial airliner, an amount described as "minimal." Most of it is transported by ship.

So far the Pentagon has used Pan American, Trans World, American, United, Braniff and Seaboard World Airlines.

## ON McNAMARA'S CHANGE OF POSTS

### Johnson Defends Actions

WASHINGTON (AP) — Both in public and in private, President Johnson is saying Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara's shift to the presidency of the World Bank reflected McNamara's own desire—and that Johnson felt powerless to stand in his way.

Moreover, no matter what others may think, Johnson seems satisfied McNamara is content with the way the President handled the situation and will depart the Cabinet with only warm feelings and appreciation for Johnson's role in the matter.

The President portrays himself as the target of wholly unjustified charges, speculations and innuendos that somehow eased McNamara out of the federal government for political or other purposes.

In the Chief Executive's view,

the Pentagon boss will be shifting from first base to shortstop when he resigns to become president of the 107-nation bank.

And Johnson insists that, had the decision been the President's alone, McNamara would have remained on first base indefinitely.

If some baseball fans feel the shortstop has more status than the first baseman, perhaps it might be well noted Johnson

was a first baseman in his younger days.

McNamara has been approached about two dozen or more jobs in recent years—one reportedly offering \$1 million a year—and rejected all of them. Johnson finds this convincing evidence the Pentagon boss really had his heart set on the World Bank position, one paying \$40,000 a year but presumably offering greater opportunities for public service.





### NSA Hears Accountant Tell Of Tax

George Thorburn, certified public accountant, spoke on income tax at the Tuesday meeting of the National Secretaries Association at Couden Country Club.

Thorburn discussed the individual partnership and corporation returns, and stressed the importance of private citizens taking advantage of the information concerning income tax received through the mail. He stated that code, regulations and interpretations are presented in the timely material mailed to each citizen annually.

A question and answer period followed the discussion. The Christmas party for members will be held Dec. 11 in the home of Miss Marguerite Cooper, 2000 Merrily.

Mrs. Dee Ratliff presided and announced that the club is sponsoring a bridge marathon and a half-way coffee will be held in January to present high score prizes. Proceeds from the marathon will be used for a scholarship to Howard County Junior College.

## Brownfield Wedding For Former Resident

The announcement is made here of the recent marriage of Miss Kerney Sue Scudday of El Paso to Wayne A. Merrell of Albuquerque, N.M.

The bride was attired in a three-piece suit of ice blue linen, designed with a straight skirt and overblouse enhanced with beads and sequins. The jacket featured elbow-length sleeves and a rolled collar. She wore a circlet of blue velvet with matching veil and a corsage of white orchids.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Merrell of El Paso. The Rev. Jack Garrett, pastor of the First Christian Church in Brownfield, officiated for the double ring service. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

D. E. Scudday of Foran, uncle of the bride, was best man, and Mrs. Connie Gardner of Lubbock attended her sister as matron of honor.

Vows were exchanged before an arch candelabra entwined with greenery. Altar tapers were lighted by Ricky Gardner of Lubbock and David Merrell of Albuquerque, N.M.

The bride wore a white yoke and full sleeves. She wore black accessories and her wedding corsage.

The couple is at home in Arlington where the bridegroom is employed with Ling-Temco-Vought.

completed the setting.

For traveling the bride chose a green wool tent dress with white yoke and full sleeves. She wore black accessories and her wedding corsage.

The couple is at home in Arlington where the bridegroom is employed with Ling-Temco-Vought.

### Plan Bake Sale At Colorado City

COLORADO CITY (SC) — Colorado City Jayceeettes have set a holiday sale for Saturday and Monday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the building north of Joe Earnest's law office, according to Mrs. George Lee, president.

"We will combine a bake sale, rummage sale and artificial flower sale," Mrs. Lee said, "with the proceeds going to our Christmas projects."

The Colorado City Jayceettes reorganized recently and as a Thanksgiving project distributed baskets of food to needy families.

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### Cooking For Church Bazaar

Mrs. Bob Anderson and Mrs. Jack Engel of the immaculate Heart of Mary Altar Society are busy cooking hams and turkeys that will be served to the public during Saturday's annual bazaar in the parish hall. The bazaar will be from 4 to 8 p.m., and dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at a charge of \$1.25 for adults and 50 cents for children under 12 years of age. General chairmen are Mrs. Dan Maestas and Mrs. William Keenan.

Other chairmen are Mrs. Y. C. Gray and Mrs. Walter Ross, gift table; Mrs. D. W. Roberson, baked goods; Mrs. Philip Mitchell and Mrs. A. N. Rutherford, prizes; Mrs. Engel and Mrs. Herman Bool, dinner; Mrs. Riley Ward, Mrs. Earl Taylor and Mrs. W. Keenan, decorations; Mrs. Harry Woodley and Mrs. Ward, desserts and coffee; and Mrs. L. L. Jenkins and Mrs. Thomas Ross, publicity.

### Rebekah Lodge Serves Hospital

The Big Spring Rebekah Lodge No. 294 served refreshments at the Veterans Administration Hospital Monday. It was announced by the noble grand, Mrs. A. F. Hill, at the Tuesday meeting in the IOOF Hall.

Plans were completed for initiation services to be held next Tuesday evening, and members of the degree staff are asked to be present at 7:30 p.m. A salad supper will be held and members are requested to bring a salad.

The noble grand announced the December refreshment committee composed of Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mrs. Leon Cain, Mrs. A. F. Gilliland and Mrs. S. A. Wilson. A work-day was scheduled for Tuesday morning at the hall.

### Films Seen By Stanton Circles

STANTON (SC) — Circle One of the Methodist church met Tuesday with Mrs. Harry Haislip leading the study on missionaries in Africa. Participating were Mrs. Martin Gibson, Mrs. Dewey Williams, Mrs. Edmund Morrow and Mrs. O. B. Bryan who led prayer. Mrs. Cecil Bridges showed a film on what use is made of mission offerings.

The Circle Two met to hear a report on the district meeting in Midland. Representatives were Mrs. Bill Terry, Mrs. Nolan Simpson, Mrs. Delbert Hopper and Mrs. Richard Payne. Mrs. Simpson showed the film on money for missionaries, and Mrs. Hopper served as chairman. Mrs. Bob Cox is president.

### Party Slated By Eagles Auxiliary

The Eagles Auxiliary Christmas party will be held Dec. 11 according to announcement made by Mrs. Grace Grandstaff, president, at the Monday meeting in the Hotel Settles. The party and dinner will be held at 7 p.m. in the hotel ballroom, and gifts will be exchanged. Christmas baskets for the needy will be distributed under the direction of Mrs. Gladys Ogle and Mrs. Clarence Whittington. Ten attended.

### Home League Will Decorate Hospital

The Ladies Home League of the Salvation Army met Wednesday at the Citadel and made plans to decorate the dining room of the Veterans Administration Hospital Dec. 18. Prayers were offered for a member, Mrs. H. M. Moore, whose son, Pvt. Dean Moore, was recently killed in action in Vietnam. Envelopes were stuffed by the 11 members present concerning the Salvation Army Christmas appeal. Refreshments were served.

### HINTS FROM HELOISE

## Try Variations On Fruit Relish Theme

Dear folks: Grinding fresh cranberries and orange peels and adding a batch of sugar to taste is absolutely wonderful when it comes Christmas time, but . . .

Try using the same recipe and substituting lemons and their peels in place of the oranges. Then after you grind it all up and if you're fortunate enough to have a blender, put it in there, and spin away on high speed. You will come out with the most luscious dip you ever sank a tooth into.

I advocate making this at least a day ahead of time. Though the recipe doesn't say so, I have found it's better if you let it sit three, four or five days. Not only better, but FAR BETTER.

So, gals, don't ever work yourself to death at the last minute . . . do all you can ahead of time. When your holidays and parties come along, have some of this luscious relish on hand. It will keep at least six months in a deep freezer or the ice tray compartment of your refrigerator. I've fixed it three years and tested it! Whenever company drops in, all you have to do is

thaw it out. So let's knock 'em cold. Make up a great big batch of this the next time you fix it . . . Heloise

Dear Heloise: I find that a roll of adding machine paper is a handy addition to my sewing equipment. When stitching certain fabrics such as nylon jersey, chiffon, or lace, stitching through paper is recommended in order to produce a smooth seam. The adding machine roll is a convenient width and continuous length. And being good quality paper, it tears away clean at the line of stitching. Miss B. E. Magness

Now this is a tricky sewing aid. Inexpensive, too, because adding machine paper is usually 250 feet long and costs about 30 cents a roll . . . Heloise

Dear Heloise: Here's an idea for those who wear wool turtle neck sweaters and are bothered by the

scratchy feeling and an itchy neck. Cut the top four inches off a nylon stocking, slip it over your head and around your neck under the sweater. Your problem is solved. No scratching at all . . . Buel Hogan

Dear Heloise: The place I always dreaded most to deep-clean was the kitchen cupboards. Now, however, I've got it made! In the evening after dinner when I get my kitchen cleaned up, I do a cupboard, a drawer, or whatever I feel like at the moment. This way the job doesn't seem so tedious or large. Then when I decide to deep-clean my whole house and reach the kitchen, the worst part of the cleaning, the cupboards, has already been done . . . A Reader

Dear Heloise: When you want to restring your pulley clothesline and hubby just doesn't get around to doing it for you, do it yourself! Sew the end of your new line to an end of the old line, then just slowly draw it through the pulleys and tie it . . . Fay

Dear Heloise: When children are helping with the dishes, sing songs with them. Teach them to harmonize with you. It's fun for them and for you. Makes dish washing time fly. I did this with my daughter for years. Now she is doing the same with her three children. Turns work into fun . . . A Grandma

And may God bless you always for making your home a happy one . . . Heloise

Dear Heloise: I use the plastic caps from hair spray cans for biscuit or cookie cutters. They are just perfect when you have an area not quite wide enough for a round cut, because you can just squeeze the sides in to fit the dough . . . Norma Myers

(Write Heloise in care of the Big Spring Herald.)

### Holiday Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Andrews spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his daughter, Joann, in Grand Prairie. They also visited another daughter, Mrs. W. L. Landers, and family.

## Look Glamorous In New Home Fashions

By MARY SUE MILLER

New at-home clothes are among the bigger and better fashion happenings. Never before has there been such an array of choices that meet individual tastes and requirements.

For enjoyment a selection should make you feel special—out of the workaday world. And it really must fit your evening activities. A trailing hostess gown and short order cookery are an example of disastrous mismatching.

Needing to combine the pretty and the practical, busy young careerists and homemakers will delight in Oriental inspired p-j's and shirt-like tunics. These come in durable materials, gloriously colored and exotically printed.

For women with a leisurely approach a velvet "smoking suit" a la Dietrich might have appeal. As night a medieval robe of pale wool or jersey a la Camelot.

Hostess-at-homes swing the in-



formal to the elegant. Informal translates into calf-length satin skirts and ruffled shirts. For intimate evenings in long, slinky crepes with a splash of ostrich, in lavishly jeweled velvets.

Of course you may have entirely different ideas. No matter as long as they lead to a charmed appearance.

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Attention Homemakers! If housework saps your energies, looks and nerves, send for my booklet, "Beauty of Housework." It explains how to keep home and self sparkling with time to spare. Also included are an effort-saving work plan, shortcuts in housekeeping, and advice on how to give yourself a beauty treatment while engaged in your duties. For your copy, write Mary Sue Miller in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing 20 cents in coin and a large, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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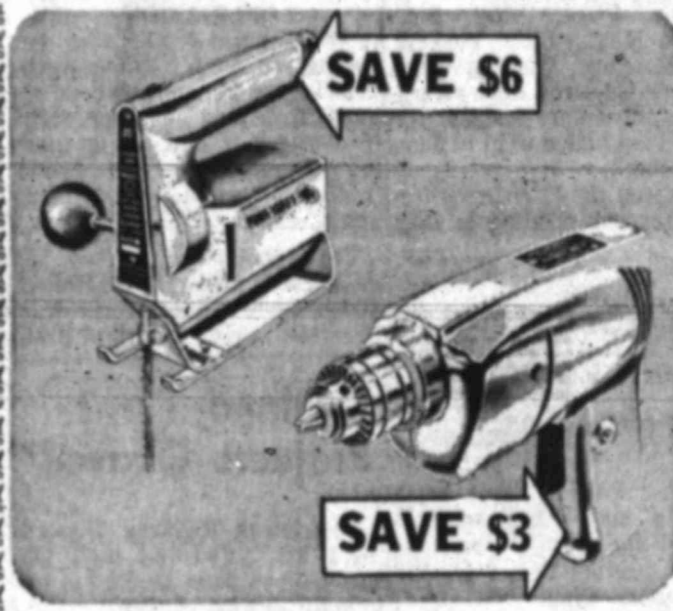
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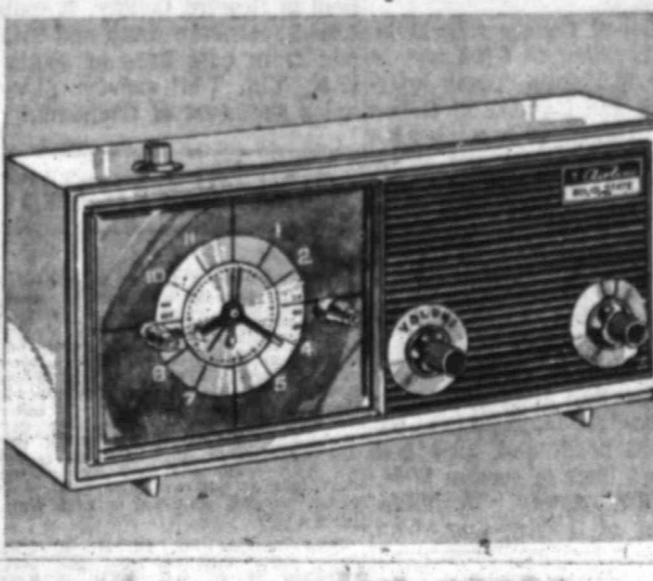
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FACE-SAVING AGREEMENT

Thant Prepares Cyprus Peace Plea

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — U.N. Secretary-General U Thant prepared a peace appeal today to Greece and Turkey, setting the stage for a face-saving agreement to close out the threats of war over Cyprus.

makers who shuttled back and forth between Athens and Ankara this week, informants said. Major points include the withdrawal of Greek and Turkish regular army troops stationed illegally on Cyprus, Greek compensation for Turkish Cypriots killed in fighting on the island Nov. 15, and an end to Turkey's threat to invade the island 40 miles off its southern coast.

While disposing of the immediate issues, such an agreement would not settle the basic differences which brought the Greek Cypriot majority to the Turkish Cypriot minority to civil war in 1963 and has kept the island in a state of armed truce since a U.N. peace force intervened the next year.

CIVIL WAR

The 1963 civil war was set off by the abrogation of the special political rights given the Turkish Cypriots in the 1960 agreements which freed Cyprus from British rule. Once the British were gone, President Makarios insisted on majority rule for his Greek Cypriots. Now the Turkish Cypriots have revived their demand for partition of the island between the two ethnic communities.

Scout Pack Stars Listed

Cub Scout Pack 138 met Tuesday in College Heights cafeteria with Gordon Wheeler, cub master, presiding. Awards were presented by Dr. Floyd R. Mays, awards chairman.

Receiving bobcat badges were Bart Johnson, Douglas Mays, Scott Shaver, Bobby Jordan, Jessie Don McGuire, Travis Melton, Timmy Melton, Jerry Kohler, Chris Mangum, Jeffrey Walker, Robert Wade Cobb, Bobby Hamlin, Mark Edwards, Robert Barnett, Joe Barree, Jackie Barnett, Jack Jones, Daniel Gilen, Randall Jones, John Lewis and Billy Yockers. Robert Johnson received a bear badge. Service stars were awarded Robert Johnson, Chris Mangum, Charlie Price, Dave Green, Randy Truxel, Steve Hodges, Robert Barnett, David Wheeler, Craig Ingram and Scott Burt. Charlie Price earned gold and silver arrows and David Wheeler, the silver arrow. Denier badges were earned by Bart Johnson, John Lewis, Steve Hodges, Jerry Kohler, Bobby Hamlin and David Wheeler. Charlie Price, Scott Burt, Douglas Mays, Billy Yockers, Jessie McGuire, Chris Mangum and Mark Edwards were awarded assistant denier badges. The Webelo Lion badge went to Sammy Sloan. Den 6 won the attendance trophy. The next meeting is Dec. 19.

Adult Scouters Urged To Make Reservations

Adult Scouters are being urged to make their reservations for the annual Lone Star District meeting Dec. 7 at Cosden Country Club. This year, the annual affair will include recognition of four young men who have earned the Scouting award, highest in Scouting during the past year. For several years this has been done at a council gathering, but the policy has been changed to pay tribute to these boys in their own districts. Speaker for the year's annual dinner, which primarily honors the volunteer leaders in Scouting, will be the Rev. James Puckett, Baptist Temple pastor, and the toastmaster will be Doug Orme, Dallas, formerly a member of the Lone Star District committee. Those wishing tickets (\$1.75) are asked to call Jack Guiley at Cosden.

Two Accidents

Two minor accidents and no injuries were reported to police Thursday. Annie Raiford Lloyd, Route One, and Dean Stevens Fisher, 2410 E. 24th, were in collision at Fourth and Owens at 2:59 p.m. Margaret E. Pascale, 218-A N. Langley Drive, and Wilma Wolf Walker, 1508 Bluebird, were in an accident at Ninth and Gregg at 5:15 p.m.

IKE'S GRANDSON PRESENTS RING

Nixon's Daughter To Wed

NORTHAMPTON, Mass. (AP) — Julie Nixon and David Eisenhower, whose friendship grew from childhood acquaintance to college dates, plan to marry after they graduate in 1970.

David, 19-year-old grandson of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower, has given Julie, also 19 and daughter of former Vice President Richard M. Nixon, his great-grandmother's diamond ring.

JUST PERFECT

Julie said the families have known each other for a long time and their reactions to the engagement last Saturday in New York were "just perfect." They are "all excited about the engagement," she said.

The young couple appeared radiantly happy Thursday night when interviewed on the Smith College campus where Julie is a sophomore. They had dined together at the Baldwin House dormitory and then spent the evening in Amherst, a few miles away, where David is a sophomore at Amherst College.

NO DATE SET

No date has been set for the wedding, but both said they are certain the wedding will not take place until after they are graduated.

David, who is majoring in history, said he is thinking of going to law school after graduation.

Julie, who has not picked a major said she will look for a job after graduation.

David said he had thought of becoming engaged for some time and, because he did not have enough money for a ring, offered to work at an Amherst College dining hall.

He said he mentioned the plan to his grandmother, Mamie Eisenhower, and that she offered him her late mother's ring asking, "Do you think Julie would like this?" David accepted.

The ring belonged to Mrs. John S. Doud of Denver. David is the son of retired Army Lt. Col. John S. Eisenhower, of Phoenixville, Pa.

Goldwater Warns Against 'Virus Of Isolationism'

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Barry Goldwater warned America today it will "sicken and die" if ever it "becomes infected with the virus of isolationism."

"We are linked by over 40 treaties to the defense of that many nations" and by commerce to "most of the nations of the earth," he said.

OBLIGATION

"What most people who are calling for an immediate withdrawal from Vietnam without regard to victory or honor seem to overlook is that we do have an obligation to these 40 odd treaties," he told the Commonwealth Club.

The Republican nominee for president in 1964 said the United States came out of World War II as the world's leader in business and military power. Despite this and our close linkage to the rest of the world, he said, "We continue to hear the most persistent and highly placed calls for American isolationism."

It is the Republicans, he asserted, "who are leading the fight for a fully involved, fully committed and fully international American viewpoint—while it is the Democrats who lead the chorus of isolationism."

There have been times when isolationism was possible and proper but now "we must... lead the world toward the goals of peace and freedom."

The former Arizona senator accused both Russia and Communist China of substituting violence for peaceful processes of politics. Both, he said, encourage and support "violent acquisitions of territories abroad."

"The war in Vietnam swings upon precisely that conflict—whether violence is to be substituted for peaceful political process," he said.

United Fund Gifts Total \$102,683

The United Fund has reached \$8 per cent of its goal with \$102,683.99 reported.

The report by divisions is: Out of town \$10,893.50; big gifts \$35,493; special gifts \$6,455.50; employee \$33,713.32; Webb AFB, \$13,894.57; metropolitan \$2,127 and area \$106.50.

Individuals who have not been contacted for their gift to the United Fund are asked to send or take their donation to the United Fund office in the Permian Building.

Trio Linked To Burglary

Juan F. Pereira, 21, was charged in Justice of Peace Jess Slaughter's court this morning with burglary, after police arrested him and two juveniles, age 15 and 16, at the Friendly Food Store, 501 W. 3rd, at 6:53 a.m.

Pereira is in county jail and the youths are being held for juvenile authorities, according to Capt. Stanley Bogard of the detective division.

The merchandise taken in the burglary of Strippling Supply Co., 100 Gregg, reported Tuesday morning, has been recovered. As stated Capt. Bogard, a defendant but in the current trial, Judge Ralph Caton entered an instructed verdict releasing the Cabot organization from responsibility.

Attorneys in the case said that it was an agreed issue from the start that the Sid Richardson plant had caused White's property damage and that it owed him for this damage. The plant contended the damage occurred in a period when the establishment was getting in operation and no longer was being caused.

The amount due to White was the key issue before the jury for its consideration, attorneys said.

STANTON (SC) — Christmas lights in downtown Stanton will be turned on this evening, highlighted by the traditional lighted dome of the County Courthouse. Santa Claus is expected to arrive in the middle of December, but an exact date has not been announced by the Martin County Chamber of Commerce.

James Jones is chairman of the retail merchants committee with Paige Elland and Cecil Bridges assisting.

Two Fire Calls

Firemen answered one call Thursday evening and another shortly after midnight Friday. A frying pan caught fire at the residence of Gilbert Gibbs, 909 West 17th, at 6:55 p.m. burning the hood and part of the kitchen cabinet, with smoke damaging the house. Firemen put out a trash can fire behind Howard County Junior College at 12:40 a.m.

New Chamber Exec

STANTON (SC) — H. M. McReynolds, 109 W. Carpenter, assumed the duties today of office manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Leta Eidson had been serving in a temporary capacity. McReynolds has worked with the Chamber of Commerce four years as office manager, but was forced to leave the post twice due to ill health.

DEATHS

Ether Barber, 85, Retired Farmer. COLORADO CITY (SC) — Ether Barber, 85, died at his home Thursday night. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday and the place will be at the Colorado City Cemetery with Kiker and Son Funeral Home in charge. He was born March 3, 1882, and had lived in Mitchell County since 1911. He was a retired farmer of the Spade community and was a member of the Plainview Baptist Church. Survivors are his wife, Rosy Pearl; two sons, Ivan J. Barber, Colorado City, and Douglas Barber, Westbrook; and four daughters, Mrs. Herman Salley and Mrs. Robert Bolin, both of Colorado City; Mrs. Velma Armstrong, Jal, N.M.; and Mrs. Jack Jarigan, Dallas.

Awards, Display

night Meet. The presentation of awards and a display of handicraft highlighted Thursday night's monthly meeting of Pack 14 in Boydston cafeteria. The attendance banner was won by Den 4.

Bobcat badges were presented to Steven Williams and Alan Pickett. Gold arrows went to Dan Ball, Jim Pedigo and Joe Milloway; silver arrows to Jack Condon, Milloway and Pedigo. Ricky McNew received a recruiter's badge and Daryl Witt, a denner's badge. Pins designating two years of scouting service were presented to Mr. and Mrs. John Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morrow and Mrs. B. G. Tatum.

Soot Suit Verdict Returned

A 118th District Court jury which began deliberations at 3:30 p.m. Thursday finally reached a verdict in a damage suit at 11:35 p.m.

The case was styled Billy Ray White and others against Sid Richardson Carbon.

The verdict granted White about \$8,000 in damages. The suit stemmed from alleged soot damage White claimed his property, located near the firm, suffered in the early 1960's.

The company conceded that it had encountered difficulty in coping with escaping soot in the "shakedown" period of the plant's operation. The jury held that prior to 1962, the plant was properly classified as a "nuisance." However, after September, 1962, the nuisance abated.

The litigation originally included the Cabot Carbon Co. as a defendant but in the current trial, Judge Ralph Caton entered an instructed verdict releasing the Cabot organization from responsibility.

Attorneys in the case said that it was an agreed issue from the start that the Sid Richardson plant had caused White's property damage and that it owed him for this damage. The plant contended the damage occurred in a period when the establishment was getting in operation and no longer was being caused.

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Charter Ceremonies For Farmers Union

STANTON (SC) — Charter ceremonies for the newly organized Martin County Farmers Union will be held Monday at 7 p.m. at the Grady School. Jim Franklin, temporary chairman, invites anyone interested in learning of the Farmers Union and its program to the meeting.

Landlord Files Look Libel Suit

ATLANTA (AP) — An Atlanta landlord has filed a \$2 million libel suit against Look Magazine charging "an article entitled 'White Power and Black America' subjected him to 'public contempt, hatred and ridicule.'"

The suit, brought Thursday in federal court by Joe Shaffer, names Cowles Communications, Inc., of Des Moines for the article which appeared in the magazine Dec. 13, 1966.

CITES STATEMATE. Part of the article dealt with buildings owned by Shaffer in Atlanta, the suit said. Shaffer

files the suit. The defendant claims that such statement is untrue and defendant has not published a retraction of said false, untrue and defamatory statement, even though it has had ample time in which to do so," the suit said.

The landlord requested \$1 million in general damages and \$1 million in punitive damages plus court costs "to deter the defendant from repeating the trespass."

In New York, a Look spokesman said the matter would be referred to the company's legal department. He refused to comment further.



"Soot" is a full-grown cat belonging to the E. P. Schiffel family in Charlotte. He climbs into the dry fishbowl without help and finds it ideal for napping. The photographer's flash bulb startled "Soot" but he dozed off again.

Three Israeli Jets Shot Down?

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Cairo radio reported today Egyptian anti-aircraft batteries shot down three Israeli Mirage jet fighters in the Suez area.

The three planes fell on the Israeli-held eastern bank of the Suez Canal and the Gulf of Suez, the broadcast said, adding that the three pilots bailed out, one of them landing in the waters of the gulf.

It was the first reported clash in the Suez Canal area since President Gamal Abdel-Nasser's speech eight days ago in which he said Egyptian military forces were stronger than before the June war.

A military communique read over the radio said two Mirages violated air space over Suez city at 4:10 p.m. and were hit by anti-aircraft guns.

The communique said that at 3:30 p.m., two other Mirages had entered Egyptian airspace, and one was shot down.

Today's clash came less than two weeks before Arab leaders are due to hold a summit meeting to decide what to do about a U.N. Security Council resolution for peace in the Middle East.

Scouts Schedule Singing Meet. A district "Sing Along" will be held this evening from 6 to 9 p.m. for Girl Scouts near the Big Spring Square Corral, just off Country Club Road.

The girls will gather around a camp fire to learn and practice songs of Scouting, and each is requested to bring a sack supper. Parents are invited.

Lamesa Girl Scouts are in charge of the program, and a local troop will present a "Scout's Own" to conclude the event.

Miss Celia Fowler, district advisor, urges the Scouts to dress warmly. In case of inclement weather, the program will be held inside the Corral.

Rifle, Rackets Reported Stolen. Police are investigating three thefts reported Thursday. Maj. Leilan Don McCoy, 4101 Dixon, reported the theft of a rifle valued at \$219 from his residence.

A Chevrolet wheel and a box of small hand tools were taken from the yard of R. E. Martin, 1403 W. 1st. Two tennis rackets were taken from the car belonging to Dr. M. W. Talbot, 1508 Dayton, while parked at Malone and Hogan Clinic.

Most of the bulls which have sale at the Plains Fair here Saturday are as early as arrived Tuesday.

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Weather Forecast. Snow is forecast Friday night for the northern intermountain states. Rain is due in the Pacific Northwest and the Middle Mississippi Valley. Showers are expected from Southern Missouri to Southern Texas. Colder weather is slated for the Plains states and portions of the intermountain region.







# Big Spring Furniture Offers New, Used Items

Big Spring Furniture, 110 Main, has a large stock of new furniture for the entire house as well as a large selection of used items for the furniture buyer's consideration.

Frank Gibson, manager, stated they were interested in trading for used furniture and occasionally buying some in order that they would have adequate stock for the Bargain Basement. Terms can be arranged when purchasing furniture at Big Spring Furniture whether new, used or a combination of both.

For people buying their first furniture, Big Spring Furniture has a special priced group which contains all the necessary pieces of furniture for a three room apartment or small house. Terms are also available for the purchaser of this group.

Many living room suites or pieces are available at Big Spring Furniture, but one of the most popular selections is a Spanish style by Fox. Furniture by Fox may be purchased in suites or a piece at a time and comes in a large variety of colors to mix or match.

The cushions are reversible and doubles the life of the piece. They are all made from "Scotchgard" treated material which is washable, pre-shrunk and fast color. When the cushion is soiled, they zip off for easy cleaning. Should you desire to change the color of the cushions later, they can be covered easily by even an amateur seamstress.

Spanish style living room furniture by Fox is made from solid pecan. The solid wood construction makes the furniture almost indestructible. The pecan woods blend with others should you wish to mix the woods in your living room.

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bedroom furniture that offers you quality and durability, try a Spanish design by Bassett. This particular bedroom grouping may be purchased as a suite or by the piece and is constructed of oak with a walnut finish. The Spanish design comes in double or triple dresser and with three, four or five drawer chests.

Regardless of your choice of a bed-bunk, trundle, double, king-size or single, Bassett makes it in this popular Spanish design. Since the design is carried in open stock there are always pieces on hand, should you decide you need more if drawer space becomes a problem.

Bassett Spanish design bedroom furniture is ideal for teenagers since the tops are finished with high pressure plastic that is ring-proof and carries the "Good Housekeeping" seal of approval. All drawers are center-grooved for easy use and durability.

Mattresses and springs come in all sizes, kinds and colors. There is a variety of price range in bedding just as with the furniture that is offered at Big Spring Furniture.

Furniture makes a wonderful Christmas gift, particularly a chair. Look over the stock at Big Spring Furniture before you make your Christmas purchases for a chair to fit every need and every decor from rockers and recliners to the most modern of design.

There are also dining suites from informal breakfast in gay bright colors to formal dining suites in dark gleaming woods. Some have matching china cabinets.

When you have finished your furniture shopping, complement your rooms with accessories—lamps, plaques, pictures, etc. The address at 110 Main for Big Spring Furniture houses new furniture, Bargain Base-

ment and a warehouse for your convenience. The Bargain Basement is a good place to "browse around" even though you don't really need any furniture at this time.

## Midlander Named To College Board

BEAUMONT (AP) — Dr. Dallas Bivins, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Beaumont, has been named to the board of Mary Hardin-Baylor College.

Other officers elected were C. J. Kelly, president of the First National Bank of Midland; Alton S. Newell of San Antonio, president of Newell Salvage Co.; and John J. Wilson of Fort Worth, secretary-treasurer of Davidson Brothers Co., Inc.

## Divorced Persons Are Dying Faster

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Divorced men and women are dying at a faster rate than married persons, according to a California census report.

The figures issued by the California Department of Public Health show that the suicide rate of divorced persons tops the figure for married persons by three to five times.

## Oregon Land Sale Has Spirited Bidding Effort

BOARDMAN, Ore. (AP) — A former county judge bought a 640-acre tract of arid northeastern Oregon land for \$40,200, outbidding a cattle rancher.

The scene of the bidding was the Federal Bureau of Land Management's auction of 11,865 acres of public land which excited interest throughout the Northwest because of the vast irrigation possibilities of the arid land. It lies two to 10 miles from the Columbia River and now is used primarily for grazing.

Despite the spirited bidding, bidders passed over eight tracts as 7,155 acres in Morrow County were auctioned for \$367,400. Bidders said the eight by-passed tracts were appraised too high. Oscar Peterson of Heppner, a former Morrow County judge, paid the highest price for a tract with his bid of \$40,200 for 640 acres. That beat out Fred Andrews, a cattle rancher from Echo.

But Andrews was the biggest spender and one of only two men to buy more than one tract. He left the 3 1/2-hour auction with 1,796 acres at a cost of \$83,000. Rex Ellis, former state legislator from Pendleton, also bought more than one tract. He paid \$48,000 for 1,159 acres.

Some 500 persons jammed the tiny Grange hall in Boardman, a community with a population of 417. There were only 15 bidders.

Among the most interested of the spectators were several Morrow County officials. The land sold will return to the county tax rolls and the bulk of the state's 5 per cent share will return to the county. Most of the buyers indicated they purchased the land "for family use only." Auctioneer Irving Andersons,

## Money Is Necessary, Handy Device

NEW YORK (AP) — Money is the root of all evil, somebody once said, and after the British pound devaluation there are many who are quite willing to believe it.

Not by a fraction, however, do they compare with the millions now confused by the subject. Clear up the confusion and it becomes clear also that money, rather than being evil, is essential to economic health.

But what is it? Money is a convenience to facilitate trade. It is a symbol of a nation's economic health or illness. It is a symbol of productivity, a claim on goods, a device that helps you convert your labor into something you desire.

Some primitive societies have gotten along without money for awhile. They barter, just as the white settlers of America bartered beads for Indian lands. But an all-barter society remains a primitive society.

In a developed society, and especially in trade among developed societies, bartering is nearly impossible, although it does exist. Instead, symbols are used. That is, a goods or service is sold in return for a paper guaranteed to buy a certain amount of other goods and services.

Money permits specialization of functions. It creates middlemen who really don't want to consume your goods but who wish to store them or resell them elsewhere. It also eliminates the urgency of time, for money can be saved.

Money, therefore, enables everyone in society to exchange his labor or products for something he needs or wants. It relieves the seller of trying to find a specific someone willing to buy what he offers and willing to repay in what he needs.

Three of the most important functions of money are: money as a medium of exchange, as a measure of value, and as a store of value — savings — for possible use later.

Now, as long as the society's supply of money continues to grow in relation to its productivity, most people remain confident that they can exchange their money for an equivalent in products and services.

However — and now we apply theory to "current conditions" — if the supply of money is permitted by a government to grow faster than its production of goods and services, as in the United States, then the value of money is diluted. It has an inflated value. It won't purchase as much as it did before. Confidence wanes.

On an international scale, a nation that over a long period of time imports and uses more goods than its own productivity is capable of paying for runs up bills. It incurs a balance of payments deficit. It owes money abroad.

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# Four Are Unanimous Picks On All-SWC

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Jerry Leivas, Southern Methodist's pass-receiver and kick returner par excellence; Chris Gilbert, Texas' mighty runner; Phil Tucker, Texas Tech's great blocker; and Greg Pipes, Baylor's defensive terror, were unanimous choices on the All-Southwest Conference football team.

Tucker got four votes for guard and four for tackle, so he could be considered unanimous. Hargett won the quarterback post by getting all except one vote.

# LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Big Spring's football team wound up playing to 12,140 more paying customers the past season than it drew in 1966. The local school's share of the gates over the year totaled \$28,942.17, or \$6,707.81 more than a year ago.

Had Big Spring won the Midland Lee game and San Angelo remained in contention to the end, there's little telling what the Steers (and their ten opponents) would have played to over the year.

# Colts Picked To Decision Cowboy Club

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Nothing like a shot of tequila and a visit to the bull ring to sharpen the eye for picking those football winners.

All games are Sunday.

National League

Los Angeles 31, Atlanta 14—Rams are rolling down the stretch with a five-game win streak, including a 31-7 victory over the Falcons Nov. 19 when they scored 24 in the last quarter. Rams had better fatten up here with Green Bay and Baltimore next in line.

# Steve Ramsey, Ron Shanklin Lead In Vote

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Steve Ramsey of North Texas, strong-arm sophomore who led the nation with 21 touchdown passes, and defensive end Jimmie Jones of Wichita were one vote short of unanimous choices for the 1967 Associated Press All-Missouri Valley football team announced Thursday.

Others were linebacker Ed Harmon, 235, and offensive guard David Bernahl, 228, both of Louisville; 6-foot-4, 274-pound defensive tackle Joe Greene and split end James Russell, both of North Texas; and line-backer Bob Junke of Tulsa.

Eber has a good shot at the national receiving crown since the men above him have finished the year, while he has one game left. Shanklin, a sophomore, has averaged 21.1 yards a catch, best among the nation's top receivers, and is No. 8 nationally in scoring with 78.

Chicago 20, San Francisco 17—Bears didn't quite make it in try for upset of Packers but it was close enough. San Francisco on five-game losing slump with John Brodie giving way to Steve Spurrier last week in 26-9 loss to Colts.

# Bovines Decision Permian JV, 66-42

ODESSA — Coach Kirby Pugh played his regulars for a half as Big Spring cuffed the Odessa Permian JV team, 66-42, in the first round of the Odessa Basketball tournament here Thursday evening.

The Steers, by virtue of their win, earned the right to meet Odessa High in the semifinals at 7:10 o'clock this evening.

Wayne (Goose) Johnson and Danny Clendenin led Big Spring's attack with 15 and 13 points, respectively.

never a doubt about the outcome. Jefferson is the defending champion, having beaten Big Spring in last year's finals.

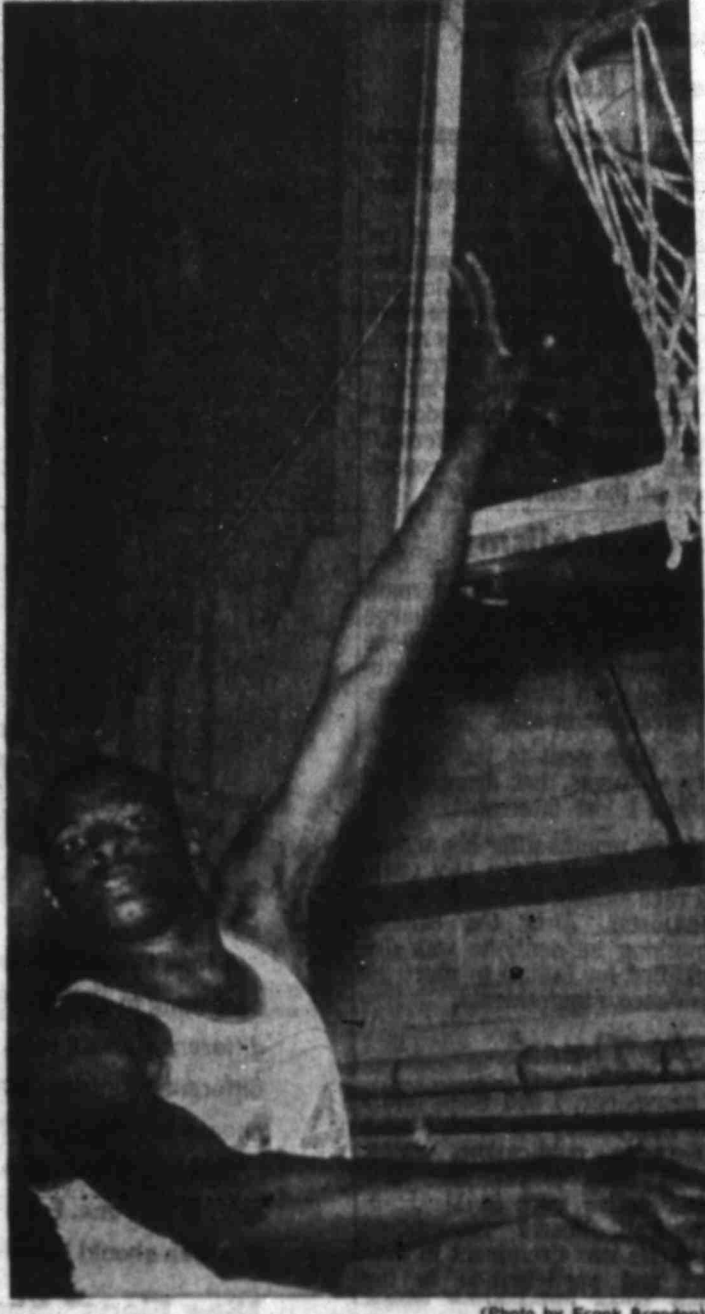
STEERS (66)

Johnson	15
Clendenin	13
W. Johnson	10
McGuire	10
Gibbs	10
Tucker	10
Nichols	10
Gossett	10
Totals	66

# Coahoma Wins Two Starts

TAHOKA — Both Coahoma teams emerged victorious in the opening round of the Tahoka Basketball tournament here Thursday, beating Southland representatives in each instance.

The boys won by the score of 47-32, running their record to 3-0, after the girls had finished on the long end of a 66-47 score. The girls are now 4-1 on the year.



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# FIGHT RESULTS

THURSDAY NIGHT POSTLAND, N.Y. — Billy Backus, 145, defeated Bobbie Jones, 135, by a unanimous decision. Backus was the favorite.

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# HCJC Launches Hillsboro Set

Licking their wounds from losses suffered in four of their five starts, the Howard County Junior College Jays Hawks see if the friendly confines of their own gymnasium will change their luck tonight.

The charges of Buddy Travis take the court for the first time at home this season against Hill County Junior College, which humbled the Big Spring ers recently in Hillsboro, 83-77.

# Sterling, Dawson Tangle Tonight

STERLING CITY — Sterling City and Dawson clash at 6 o'clock here this evening in an eight-man football game that will determine the Region I champion.

HC's losses have been to McLennan County JC of Waco, 96-22; Northeastern Colorado, 75-28; and Cameron, Okla., 86-77. The locals have beaten only Garden City, Kan. Their margin in that one was 80-54.

# Brahmas Upend Rebels, 45-38

The Big Spring Brahmas rallied to topple San Angelo Lee's ninth graders, 45-38, here Thursday night after Lee's eighth graders had measured Big Spring Runnels, 29-16.

85 BRAHMAS (45) — Crosby 11-9; Fitcher 4-13; Wynn 3-4; Lee 1-8; Smith 2-2; Jones 1-1; Brown 1-1; Carter 1-1; Holton 1-1; Tots 19-39.

# Toros, Mavericks Register Wins

SAN ANGELO — The Big Spring Toros shaded San Angelo Edison's ninth graders, 43-41, in an overtime period and the Big Spring Goliad eighth graders downed Edison, 26-20, in basketball games played here Thursday night.

Giles Renamed

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Warren Giles Thursday was re-elected president of the national League for a one-year term.

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Jordan-Seg	Seg	Seg	Seg	Seg	Seg	Seg	Seg	
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Bris-Rogers	Bris	Bris	Bris	Bris	Rogers	Rogers	Bris	
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## Editor Wants To 'Liberate' San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Tom Cahill, who sometimes goes hungry to publish what he calls a "radical" newspaper, carried a hammer into a factory last March to strike a blow for his beliefs.

He struck several blows. Before he could be stopped, he used his hammer to smash \$3,000 worth of closed circuit television cameras.

Cahill pleaded guilty to a malicious mischief charge Thursday and Dist. Judge Ar-

### Cameras In Men's Room?

chie Brown sentenced him to three years in prison. The sentence was stayed pending a probation report.

The bearded, bespectacled editor told the Associated Press he didn't regret his action last March, but he wouldn't do it again.

"Just within the past few weeks," he said, "I've decided to take a nonviolent approach."

Tom Cahill is a Jersey City, N.J. native who came here to "liberate" San Antonio.

"When I found out the cameras were focused on the men's room, that was the straw that broke the camel's back."

Marshall Steves, owner of the firm, said the cameras were being used to improve efficiency at the plant. He said there were none focused on the men's room.

Cahill is publisher, editor, reporter and, recently, principal newsmaker for his "occasional" publication, "The Inferno," which calls itself "the conscience of the community."

### No-Holds-Barred Journalism

He lives and works in a room back of a barbershop in west San Antonio, in a poorer section of the city.

He publishes "The Inferno," he said, "whenever we can scrounge up the money."

Cahill calls himself a "professional radical" and has attracted a following with his no-holds-barred style of journalism. In a recent issue of "The Inferno" he described a local politician as "a soulless cur who should be penned up." Such phrases are not uncommon for the paper.

The editor first came to Texas

### 'I Go Hungry At Times'

as an Air Force enlisted man. He returned after his discharge and attended Del Mar College in Corpus Christi where the students elected him student council president in 1959.

He later went to the University of Texas, but dropped out "when I lost interest."

A few months after his arrival here, he entered the city council race against Mayor W. W. McAllister. After the camera smashing incident, he was disqualified for failure to meet the residence requirements.

Between publications, dates, Cahill joins picket lines and takes active part in Mexican-American liberal movements here. He was prominent in support and participation in the farm labor unionization movement in the valley.

"I'm a capitalist," he said in a recent issue of his paper. "I have expensive tastes. But I believe in spreading the wealth around a bit. There are too many millionaires in America and too many poor people."

He hopes that will change and believes it will.

The felony conviction Thursday, he said, ended his political career.

"I wasn't cut out to be a politician anyway," said Cahill. "I can't play the game of a politician. I'm too outspoken."

Cahill, 30, said he hopes to avoid prison. He wants to stay here and continue his "battle" living on the meager income from his paper and donations from supporters, which include several Mexican-American organizations.

"I go hungry at times, but I prefer to print what I want to print," he said. "When I put out

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## Letters Ease Lonely Yule

GOLDSBORO, N.C. (AP) — Julia Stillwell's husband and three sons will miss Christmas at their North Carolina home this year because all four are in the armed services—two in Vietnam and another on his way to the combat zone.

COMBAT ORDERS  
T. Sgt. William R. Stillwell, retired from the Air Force in 1963 after 23 years service. He re-enlisted and volunteered for combat duty as the Vietnam war escalated and after his two-oldest sons were drafted into the Army last year.

### Here's Unique Way To Capture Quail

SALINA, Kan. (AP) — Hunter William Swisher of Salina fired into a covey of flying quail but missed.

As he drew aim for a second shot, he felt something wriggle under his foot.

He looked down and saw he was standing on a quail—the only one he got all day.

## Crippled Children's Clinic Set Saturday

The Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center in cooperation with the Howard County Easter Seal Society will conduct its third Crippled Children's Clinic Saturday, beginning at 9 a.m.

Parents of children who have not pre-registered, may register the day of the clinic until noon. All children and youth up to 21 years of age are eligible. This will include children from the surrounding area as well as from Big Spring and Howard County.

The clinic is under the supervision of the Center's medical advisory committee. Dr. Thurston Dean, orthopedic surgeon from Midland, will be medical director. Local pediatricians

Billy Stillwell, 21, has been serving in Vietnam since March and Bobby Stillwell, 20, received orders this week to depart for the combat zone.

Jack Stillwell, 18, enlisted in the Army Monday.

"WE'RE LUCKY"  
Mrs. Stillwell, who makes her home at Rt. 2, Goldsboro, said her husband told her in a recent letter: "Maybe Billy and I can be together for Christmas, since you will have the other two boys." He had not learned of Bobby's orders or Jack's enlistment.

Mrs. Stillwell says she has occasional pangs of loneliness but refuses to complain. Her sacrifice, she says, is small when compared to the sacrifices made by her husband and sons and other Americans fighting in Southeast Asia.

She said Billy, in his most recent letter, bolstered her courage when he wrote: "If you could just see what we are fighting for here, you would be able to understand this war. We're so lucky to be living in a free country."

will alternate to supply pediatric services.

A team consists of an orthopedic surgeon, pediatrician, physical therapist, speech therapist, public health nurse and a braces man will offer diagnostic and evaluation service to the crippled children attending the clinic. The clinic will help determine what kind of treatment is best for the child.

Children who are eligible for the state's crippled children program must be seen by a physician who is a member of the Board of Physicians approved by the Texas Crippled Children's division. Dr. Dean is a member of this Board of Physicians.

## Bridge Test

—CHARLES H. GOREN

BY CHARLES H. GOREN  
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Both vulnerable, South deals.

NORTH  
♠ 5 4 3  
♥ A 6  
♦ 10 7 2  
♣ K 10 7 5 4

EAST  
♠ Q 9 6  
♥ K 10 8 4  
♦ J 6 5 4 ♠ 9 3  
♣ A 8 6 3

SOUTH  
♠ A K J 10 8 7 2  
♥ 8 7  
♦ A K 5  
♣ Q

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1♠ Pass 1NT Pass  
4♠ Pass Pass Pass  
Opening lead: Queen of ♠  
Overconfidence on the part of declarer led to the defeat of South's four spade contract, when he encountered an unfavorable bit of distribution in the trump suit.

After a mental toss of the coin, West decided to open the queen of hearts. This turned out to be a fortunate choice for the defense, inasmuch as it dislodged dummy's ace before declarer had an opportunity to establish a club discard for himself.

After winning the first trick with the ace of hearts, declarer led a spade from dummy. East followed with the six and South put up the

ace. Assuming that the spades divided two-one, which is the normal expectation, he intended to draw trump with two pulls and then lead the queen of clubs. The defense would presumably win the ace and cash a heart trick, however, South is in on the return and can overtake his deuce of spades with North's five and discard his losing diamond on the king of clubs to score up an overtrick on the deal.

When West showed out on the first spade lead, declarer's bubble burst. There was no way to get over to dummy and the final result was a one-trick set as the opposition won a trick in each suit.

When South led the spade from dummy, he should have put in the jack from his hand as a safety play. If West has the queen, he is welcome to it, for now the trump suit is assured of dividing two-one and North's five of spades becomes a delayed entry. After the defense cashes a heart, they will presumably switch to a diamond, however, South has time to establish North's king of clubs for the needed diamond discard and he loses only three tricks.

By taking the spade finesse, South protects himself against a three-nothing trump break. A safety play was required to provide complete assurance for the declarer.

Regional Rally Set In Odessa

10 at Odessa commemorating the 450th anniversary of the Reformation. Among the speakers will be the president of the Missouri Synod of the Lutheran church. The meeting will be held in the Ector County Coliseum.

Other Protestants are being invited to join with Lutheran bodies in a regional rally Dec.

## Horoscope Forecast

FOR TOMORROW  
—CARROL RIGHTER

GENERAL TENDENCIES: This can be a very tense and unpleasant day and evening with many persons harassed and inclined to break promises or make changes they do not like owing to the different set of conditions now manifesting themselves. The one good aspect now is to erase trouble by being cheerful, cordial, openhearted.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Don't give into temptation to make radical changes, but keep loyal to associates and all works out just fine for all concerned. Don't lettle allies in group in any way. Avoid trouble in any sphere.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Be sure that you get all of your bills paid to the best of your ability, together with meeting all other responsibilities wisely. Get surroundings improved, also. Listen to what a good soul has to suggest for self-improvement.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Once you have done the work that is expected of you by higher-ups, quiet in-termittent meditation of some ideal sort soothes a raw soul. Listen to what an expert has to say. Fine ideas are expected.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) You have a calm and sweet friend who can help you in relieving tensions that are bothering you now. Get away from him for awhile. Business matters could also be very disappointing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Getting into civic or business matters in the outside world are your best bet for money. Show one who assists you to advance that you are most appreciative. Make this a most productive evening.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) You get a wonderful idea that can put you right out of that dull routine that has you frustrated. Get the idea you want from a charming person who is in a good mood. Literally make hay while it rains.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20) Avoid trouble by doing something very thought-ful for loved one. Follow your intuition. Then this becomes a happy day instead of a day fraught with danger.

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## A Devotional For The Day

Without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day. (II Timothy 1:3)

PRAYER: Dear God, we are grateful that others pray in our behalf. The mere thought that loved ones and friends appeal to Thee to care for and strengthen us is a stimulus which helps us to grow in grace and power. As others remember us, so we remember them. Bless, guide, and sustain us all. We ask in the Savior's name. Amen.

(From the 'Upper Room')

## Not Unreachable

A price tag of \$7 billion has been put by the Texas Water Development Board on one plan to transfer surplus waters from the Mississippi River to Texas — and more particularly to the High Plains of West Texas.

This may seem to put such a plan beyond economic reach if current criteria are employed. But such a plan must be viewed from the perspective of half a century and from the projected demands for water which may occur within that time. A generation ago there would have been universal agreement that the economics of pumping water uphill from the Colorado River to cities in this area would have been impractical and un-

## Getting At An Old Evil

Nepotism, officials' appointment of relatives to public jobs without regard to competitive merit, is a governmental evil traceable to ancient times. And it is one that should not be condoned, however cleverly rationalized, in democratic society.

In American government, nepotism, though not unconstitutional, has in this century been sharply curtailed by the development of civil service systems at the federal, state and local levels. Yet there is still need for strict laws designed to eradicate a practice both immoral and detrimental to governmental efficiency.

The federal government should be a model to the states and local governments in this regard. But Congress, particularly in staffing members' offices, has long been the worst offender. Pending action to correct this is welcome and should help to

## Holmes Alexander Uncut Diamond Of Truth

WASHINGTON (AP) — Before leaving the city for his Saigon headquarters, Gen. Westmoreland expressed a familiar complaint against the press.

He read a dispatch from his deputy commander by way of objecting to incoming reports that American troops at Hill 875 were "surrounded," "cut off" or "trapped."

THE GENERAL'S pique was on a point with the Administration's constant objection to the use of "stale-mats" in reporting and comment on Vietnam. And on the morning after Westmoreland's departure, there appeared an angry letter to the editor by R. W. Komer, who heads the "pacification" program in Vietnam.

Komer was indignant over a newspaper piece by Ward Just which implied that the American crusade to win the loyalty of the Viet villagers was a flop.

Caught in the cross-fire of charge and counter-charge, it's no wonder that some of the public, including the Simple Simon figure, George Romney, is bewildered. In this most-covered war of history, virtually free of censorship if not of propaganda, who's telling the truth? The answer is that, aside from a few white-lie peddlers like Arthur Sylvester—who once was Secretary McNamara's front man, nearly everybody does. That is, nearly everybody bears true witness to his bias and his senses. The abstract of total objectivity doesn't exist except in the cold statuary of a blindfold goddess with the mathematically perfect scales of justice in hand.

THERE WOULD be something

## Billy Graham

Jesus said, "If any man would come after me, let him deny himself." Since psychologists say that self-assertion is important to the development of personality, how can this be explained? E. E. Rest assured that our Lord does not violate the principles of good psychology. However, in this instance, He transcends them, and lays down a principle that is transforming, and life-changing.

The ego, the selfish "self," has a way of hampering our way to fullness of life. For one thing, it likes, to believe that one can be saved by one's self, and that God's grace is unnecessary. It has a "do-it-yourself" complex, but the Bible says, "By grace are ye saved; and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God." This "self," this erroneous self-sufficiency must be surrendered and denied.

Then, again, the fleshly desires which hinder spiritual fullness must be denied and forsaken. That crippling habit, that unforgiving spirit, that uncontrollable temper; these cannot live in the same heart with Christ. When one has a dinner party a wise hostess tries to invite guests which are congenial and compatible. Some things are just not compatible with Christ, and the lower elements of "self" are among them. "He that would come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross and follow me."

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DON'T KNOW IN WHICH DIRECTION TO SPIT

## James Marlow LBJ Brims With Confidence

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson is just beginning to get a taste of the fever of the 1968 presidential election year. To nobody's surprise, he is being very impressive about it. It would be bad politics to think

The confusion over Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara's departure from the Pentagon to be president of the World Bank had just begun to quiet down when Johnson's fellow Democrat, Sen. Eugene J. McCarthy of Minnesota, became his rival for the White House.

ALSO TO nobody's surprise, since he had been murmuring about it for weeks, McCarthy announced he will enter at least four presidential primaries in 1968 with the war in Vietnam his main theme.

He said there is so much dissatisfaction over the war "there is a good possibility" Johnson will be denied renomination.

AT THIS point it is not likely many people, including McCarthy, think he has a chance to get the nomination away from Johnson although, if he can generate enough heat, somebody else might.

As he said: "If not me, then someone else."

But Johnson's reaction when he expresses it to those not close to him is a political cliché: that discussion is good for the country. To put it another way, he's not saying anything for publication at this time.

JUST STARTING out there is a big difference between McCarthy and Johnson on the war. McCarthy says he is not for peace at any price but for an honorable, rational and political solution to the war, which is about as vague as anybody can be, while suggesting a phased, scheduled withdrawal of U.S. forces.

Johnson, on the other hand, brims with confidence that the war has never been going better than now, that the North Vietnamese losses are putting terrible pressure on them, and that the pressure will continue.

McCarthy says he hopes his candidacy will lead Johnson to alter his Vietnam policy. He may think so, but Johnson himself shows not the slightest indication of it. And at this moment it is almost impossible to think he will.

If anything, he may make the war tougher but still not go as far as the all-out view expressed this week by former President Dwight D. Eisenhower in a television interview.

There is a good reason for keeping some kind of leash on the fighting. For one thing, this country does not know whether North Vietnam has secret agreements with the Soviet Union and Red China requiring them to enter the war if the United States went as far as Eisenhower advocated.

There is, of course, some truth in what they say. Undoubtedly there is a high percentage of molasses in the sticky good will that inundates the western world at Christmastide. Undoubtedly a lot of business institutions—perhaps even the U.S. Post Office—make a profit out of Christmas, and a lot of employees earn big sums in overtime pay. And undoubtedly a lot of people get presents they don't need and, in return, give presents that others don't want.

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## Around The Rim The Passing Scene

It's frustrating trying to write stuff like this while sketching F-formations that will flip Tennessee in the Orange Bowl.

What worries me about 'em boosting the Social Security taxes again is I'm scared to death that before I get old enough to get my pension I will have starved to death paying the taxes to pay it.

FROM THE WAY things are shaping up I wouldn't be surprised if some of LBJ's most enthusiastic supporters for the presidential nomination don't turn out to be his Republican opponents.

State-operated lotteries in New Hampshire and New York aren't doing as well as expected. I could have told 'em from the first that lotteries are a gamble.

If we must have one, let's hold out for a mini-winter.

HIPPIES, a writer says, have a certain air. And on meeting one, you wish it blew the other way.

U. S. women may become generals or admirals, but already many of them have the operational rank of commander-in-chief.

Britain and Egypt are restoring

diplomatic relations. Let's make up, old boy, and forget that nasty word—Suez.

SINCE IT is being used so often these days, thank goodness LBJ is just a three-letter word.

"Old Faithful," used to be a geysir, now it's the tax collector.

Another failure to communicate occurs when the phone is disconnected.

Nowadays if people are reminded to tend to their knitting, it'll leave them in stitches.

A 1914 STANLEY Steamer bus has been sold for \$31,000. And somewhere, perhaps, some people still are waiting for it.

Doing your Christmas mailing early?

The U.S. census of 1960 missed 5,700,000 Americans. Ooops!

MAN HAS traveled at seven times the speed of sound. Some day he may beat the speed of gossip.

Experts predict the automobile will vanish from city streets. Don't worry; they said the same thing about the horse.

—WALT FINLEY

## David Lawrence Congress Needs To Change Relationship

WASHINGTON — The resignation of Robert S. McNamara as Secretary of Defense and the appointment of a successor could mean more than a change in personnel. For a question of fundamental importance is at stake: Shall this enormous department of government which spends more than 70 billion dollars a year be operated by one man—a civilian without the training or knowledge of military affairs so essential to an understanding of the defense of the United States in a nuclear age?

MR. McNAMARA is an efficient executive. He was president of the Ford Motor Company when appointed to take charge of the Department of Defense. In the almost seven years that he has been in that post, he has acted, however, not only as the administrative head of a big department of government but as the adviser of the President of the United States on military policy.

No matter how efficient as a businessman the secretary may have been or how conscientiously he has devoted himself to his job, the fact remains that military science has not been his work.

ORIGINALLY THERE were three military departments — the Army, the Navy and the Air Force. When they were placed under a single department after World War II, Congress failed to give to the U.S. joint chiefs of staff their rightful position in the whole mechanism of national defense.

The members of the joint chiefs of staff are expected to report to the President — their commander-in-chief — through the Secretary of Defense. They can go over the secretary's head to the President if they wish, but it isn't considered discreet to do so.

WHEN THE Department of Defense was established in 1947, it was assumed that the custom which had prevailed during World War I and World War II would be maintained.

For example: He is the only grownup over 30 years of age that all children still believe and have faith in. He is faithful to his wife. He has never had a divorce or been caught in a love nest.

He has a perfect safety record. He has never been in a traffic accident or dented a pedestrian. You don't find many drivers like that, old or young.

Through it all he has kept his sense of humor and love of people. Like the One whose birthday is celebrated at Christmas, he extends hope and forgiveness to all, remembering the naughty child as well as the good.

IN BOTH the recent Associated Press poll and the Gallup poll Nixon topped all other potentials in a survey of Republicans by three to one. The reasons are not hard to find. Week in and week out over the past five years he has done the party spade work that has won friends among the faithful who will select the nominee at the Miami Beach convention.

In at least 40 Congressional districts Nixon has gone in to speak for Republican candidates. Money raising has been one of his major functions. Thanks to his alliance with Helen Clay Frick, daughter of the Pittsburgh steel master, Henry Clay Frick, who fought unionization with bold and fearless defiance, he has been able to hand out sizable sums when most needed in critical Congressional races.

BUT PRECISELY the reasons why he will get the nomination are the same reasons, in the view of the Democratic book makers, that he will be easier to beat than any one of three or four other potential candidates. It is Nixon the operator, the political manipulator, the wheeler-dealer, who will emerge triumphant at Miami Beach. The Republicans will be hard pressed to make the contrast with Lyndon Johnson as wheeler-dealer.

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In both those periods, the service chiefs of staff almost constantly sat at the elbow of the President of the United States. Whenever meetings with the President were necessary, they were held at the White House. The civilian secretaries also attended, and had full opportunity to express themselves.

What is being overlooked today is that the situation during the "cold war" has become virtually as important as it was during both world wars. Yet the President has been isolated at times and has learned only from the press some of the significant trends in the handling of defense problems.

CONGRESS has the authority to amend existing laws and to set up a direct relationship with the President for the members of the joint chiefs of staff as well as for the civilian heads of the three armed services. The Secretary of Defense, instead of being given the job of acting, in effect, as a deputy commander-in-chief, could much better serve the public interest by supervising the business and administrative transactions of the defense department.

The Vietnam War probably would have reached a decisive stage long before this if the civilian point of view had not been preponderant and if the military men had been given the right to wage the war along established lines — namely, to use maximum power at the outset in fighting an enemy. This becomes ever more important in today's world because "limited war" has emerged as the principal means of maintaining peace.

THE APPOINTMENT of a new Secretary of Defense, therefore, solves only a part of the problem. For Congress has failed thus far to define the authority of the military chiefs and to give them direct contact at all times with their commander-in-chief. (Copyright, 1967, Publishers-Hall Syndicate)

## Marquis Childs The Perils Of A Peace Party

WASHINGTON — Making winter book on next year's presidential election Democratic strategists are now all but taking it for granted that the Republican candidate will be Richard M. Nixon. In their order of preference for an opponent Nixon is No. 2.

No. 1 is Gov. Romney of Michigan. They rate him easiest to defeat because, as they see it, he has skittered from side to side on so many issues. His compulsive prolixity induces in the end simply boredom.

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at his critics astonished reporters assembled to hear him make a statement conceding the election.

"YOU WON'T have Dick Nixon to kick around any more," he shouted with a rising crescendo of thinly disguised hate at what he proclaimed his "last press conference."

The Democratic National Committee is said to have a tape of this remarkable performance. Whether it is public property and can be used in the campaign is still a question. The plan, if it can be employed, is to play it over and over with the solemn question, "Would you trust this man with his finger on the button?"

THE ISSUE promising to dominate the campaign next fall is the most unpopular war in which this country has ever been involved. Nixon has taken the hardest of hard lines, attacking the Administration for not prosecuting the war in Vietnam more vigorously.

The President has a decided advantage here. As even the most articulate doves privately acknowledge, if he were to declare well in advance of the campaign that most of America's objectives had been achieved and begin at least a token return of American troops it would be hard to challenge his findings.

BUT IT must be added that the war as a campaign issue is tricky beyond belief. There is only one precedent in American history — that is the Civil War.

The proclaimed Union Party — the Republican party — was the war party. Both in 1862 and 1864 Republican fortunes rose and fell with the fortunes of war. The Democrats in the North, for all their protestations of bipartisanship at the start of the war, became the peace party. Peace — at almost any price — was their fundamental plank in the drive to deny re-election to Lincoln. (Copyright, 1967, United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

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# 'Messiah' Slated Dec. 10 At First Methodist Church

Handel's "The Messiah," a favorite of church and concertgoers since its composition in 1742, will be presented at 6 p.m. Dec. 10 in the First Methodist Church.

A chorus of more than 80 voices—the chancel and chapel choirs of the First Methodist Church, singers from the Howard County Junior College choir and others from the community at large—will present the oratorio. Rehearsals have been held the past six weeks in preparation for the program.

Conducting the choir is Van C. Hale, music director of the First Methodist Church and chairman of the music department at HCJC. John Stanley, First Methodist organist and music instructor at HCJC, and a string orchestra from Texas Tech provide accompaniment.

Soloists are Mrs. Susan Brinegar, soprano; Mrs. Joyce Bradley, soprano; Mrs. Marilyn Newsom, soprano; Mrs. Gwen McLaughlin, also; Kenny Sheppard, baritone, and Kenneth Roach, tenor.

Roach, a graduate of Abilene Christian College with a B. A. in English and of the University of Texas with a master in library science, has served as librarian at HCJC for five years. Last year he sang the lead part of Charlie in the college's production of Brigadoon.

An estimated 1,000 residents attended last year's performance, and Hale expects an even larger turnout this year.



KENNETH ROACH

## Baptist Gifts Ahead Of 1966

DALLAS — Gifts to the cooperative program are \$347,069 ahead of last year's contributions through October. R. A. Springer, treasurer of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, has reported.

However, the \$846,558 contributed during October is \$172,191 shy of meeting budget requirements of \$1,018,750 for the month, the treasurer said.

Springer praised the generosity of Baptist people over the state and said that likely some of the funds which would normally be given to the cooperative program causes were designated to victims of Hurricane Beulah and the Mary Hill Davis Home Missions offering.

The Mary Hill Davis Home Mission gifts total \$458,040 and gifts to the hurricane's victims \$95,728.

A total of \$10,120,329 has been given to the cooperative program this year compared to \$9,773,260 last year. For the year, the budget is shy of \$67,170.

Total mission giving for 1967 to date totals \$15,000,109.73, compared to \$14,259,275.76 last year, Springer's report reveals.

## Advent Services Begin Wednesday

St. Paul's Lutheran Church will begin a series of Advent services starting at 7 p.m. Wednesday and continuing at the same hour each Wednesday until Christmas.

Other Christmas season plans include the lighting of the Christmas Dec. 13; the Christmas Eve program at 6 p.m. Dec. 24 and Christmas Day services at 8 a.m.



(Photo by Frank Brandon)

## Kettles And A New Coat Of Paint

Bells will be ringing across town Monday and continue until Dec. 23 as part of the Salvation Army Christmas kettle program, according to Lt. Bart Deggs. Local civic organizations will man kettles at five locations —

Woolworth's, Gibson's, Hemphill-Wells, Furr's Cafeteria and the post office. Adding a new coat of paint to the kettles are Salvation Army workers Crawford Neil, left, and Steve Porter.

# Catholic Predicts Changes In Church

NEW YORK (AP) — Weighing the evidence on the horizon, a noted Roman Catholic sociologist has projected the coming shape of that church in America. And he says the results add up to change "with a vengeance" but "no signs of revolt."

The prospects, he adds, are "half gloomy, half hopeful."

The Rev. Andrew M. Greeley, senior study director of the University of Chicago's National Opinion Research Center, in analyzing recent data on trends in the church, foresees these developments:

—Popular participation in election of bishops.

—General Catholic acceptance of the use of birth control devices, resulting from a "credibility gap" that has developed about the church's teachings on sexual morality.

—A "sharp increase in the anticlerical feelings" of Catholics, particularly among right-wing conservatives.

—A church organizational style similar to that of Protestantism.

—Greater flexibility in worship forms, under pressure from spreading experimental movements.

—An increase of the so-called "underground" new communities, outside traditional parish bounds, with recognition increasingly accorded them.

—An uncertain future for clerical celibacy, with clear indications that the rule against marriage for priests will be abandoned soon.

—Continued tensions over doctrinal and devotional matters.

## Salvation Army Sets Dinner

Tickets are still available for the Salvation Army advisory dinner which will be held here the evening of Dec. 8, Lt. Bart Deggs, in charge of corps work here said Thursday.

They may be obtained by calling the Salvation Army Citadel or contacting advisory board members. The charge is \$2.

Dr. P. D. (Dick) O'Brien, Houston, pastor of the First Baptist Church here for almost 20 years, will be the speaker for the occasion. Lt. Col. Paul Thornburg, Texas divisional commander, will also be here for the affair.

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Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Midweek Service . 7:45 p.m.

**COAHOMA CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Coahoma, Texas Ralph Beistle, Minister

SUNDAY  
Sunday School 10 A.M.  
Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.  
Evening Worship 7 P.M.

**"Come Let Us Reason Together" LORD'S DAY SERVICES**

Early Morning Worship ..... 8:00 A.M.  
Bible Classes ..... 9:00 A.M.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 P.M.  
Wednesday Evening Worship... 7:30 P.M.

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"Harold of Truth" Program—KBST, Dial 1409  
8:30 P.M. Sunday

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**Welcome to our services**

SERVICES—  
SUN. BIBLE STUDY— 9:30 A.M.  
SUNDAY WORSHIP — 10:30 A.M.  
SUNDAY EVENING — 6:00 P.M.  
WED. BIBLE STUDY — 7:30 P.M.

THURSDAY—LADIES  
BIBLE CLASS— 9:30 A.M.

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Evangelistic Service ..... 7:30 P.M.  
Mid-week Services Wednesday ... 7:00 P.M.

THIS WEEK'S THOUGHT PROVOKER:  
The upper crust is a bunch of crumps held together by their own dough.  
"A Going Church For A Coming Lord"

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Birdwell Lane Church Of Christ  
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DECEMBER 4 THRU 10, 1967

Speaker: Reuel Lemmon  
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Tenth and Goliad

Sunday School ..... 9:45 A.M.  
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"Thy Paths—Our Chosen Way"

Minister  
Rev. John R. Beard

Youth Service ..... 5:30 and 6 P.M.  
Adult Bible Study ..... 6 P.M.

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11th Place and Goliad Southern Baptist

James A. Puckett, Pastor  
Bill Myers, Minister of Education

Sunday School 9:45 A.M.  
Morn. Worship 11:00 A.M.  
Training Union 6:00 P.M.  
Eve. Worship 7:15 P.M.  
PRAYER MEETING  
Wednesday 7:45 P.M.

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Bible Classes ..... 9:00  
Worship Service ..... 10:00  
Evening Service ..... 6:00

TUESDAY  
Ladies Bible Class ..... 7:00 p.m.

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**BUZ SAWYER**  
BUZ SURROUNDED BY HOSTILE FROGMEN, HIS FOOT CAUGHT IN A NOOSE, THROWN OFF BALANCE, DRAGGED DOWNWARD.



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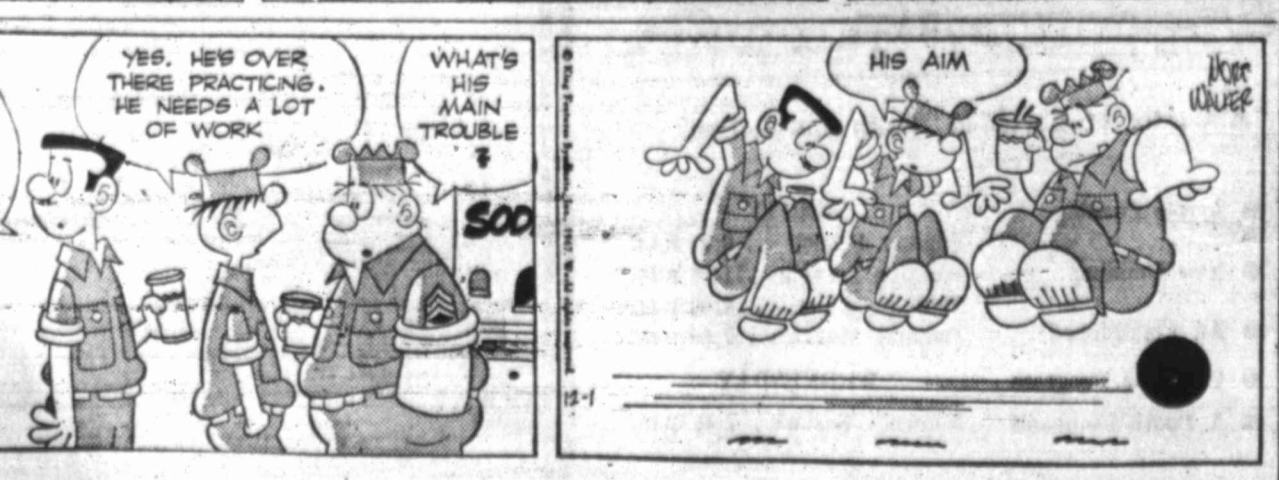
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Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.  
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.  
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(Answers tomorrow)  
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Answers: What mama said to the little chick - YOU'LL MAKE OUT

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IS THAT A NEW PAD?  
NO, I'M JUST WEARING WHAT'S LEFT...  
...AFTER LOSING A BLACK SOCK AND A WHITE SOCK!  
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# Seclusion From Society Ends With Couple In Cell

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Their eight-month seclusion ended, Robert Holt and his wife Joyce were in jail today on charges of keeping their daughters from school.

of his family began the retreat last April. As a religious vigil, they holed up away from "society's sins" in their two-story rented home in suburban Dominguez. But soon neighbors began to worry.

Sally, 9, and Robbie, 8, out of school. Judge Shafer refused to accept the plea.

When Sheriff's officers appeared Thursday with a warrant for their arrest, the Holts surrendered.



'The King And I' Continues

Second performance of the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical is set tonight at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium, according to director Dan Shockey. The three-day run ends with Saturday night's 8 p.m. performance. Tickets are available at the door

at \$2 for reserved seats, \$1.50 for adults, and \$1 for students. Pictured are cast members in a scene during dress rehearsal. About 400 attended the opening night performance. Tickets are available at the door

## More Cuts Wanted Before Tax Increase

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American taxpayer won't pay higher income taxes this year but might in 1968 if President Johnson cuts spending ended, says Chairman Wilbur D. Mills of the House Ways and Means Committee.

OUT OF QUESTION

Mills told reporters Thursday it's out of the question for Congress to pass the administration's complex tax bill in the remaining weeks of the current session of Congress.

The Arkansas Democrat's remarks followed completion of his committee's hearings on Johnson's plan for a 10 per cent surcharge on income taxes, combined with an administration spending cut plan.

## Fina Sales Session Held

More than 50 Fina sales representatives and jobbers gathered here Thursday for a semi-annual sales session headed by J. C. Daniel, Dallas, sales manager for the tube-TBA division.

Assisting Daniel were Jim Solomon, district manager in the division, along with Frank Case, Dallas, Goodyear sales representative. Approximately a dozen other sales representatives from Lubbock, San Antonio, Dallas and Big Spring were on hand along with nearly two score jobbers.

Sessions were held at the Fina TBA distribution center on East Third, and at Ramada Inn.

Among those present for the meeting were those pictured in the accompanying photograph. From left are Paris Yarborough, Colorado City, G. T. Trusler, San Angelo, Sam Thurman, Lubbock, Pat Boatler, Big Spring, Tommy Gage, Big Spring, and Hugo Zetzman, Roscoe.

FINA JOBBERS HERE FOR SEMI-ANNUAL SALES CONFAB

## Guadalupe River Rainbows Tagged

NEW BRAUNFELS, Tex. (AP) — State biologists have completed a three-year project to stock 25,800 rainbow trout in the Guadalupe River below Canyon Dam.

Now comes the watching and waiting to determine if the fish can spawn there. The stocking project has extended over three years.

About 10 per cent of the trout were tagged.

Marion Toole, inland fisheries coordinator for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, said river temperature below the dam ranges from 54 to 84 degrees, while research indicates trout prefer a temperature range of 65-68 degrees.

## Kiwanis Taking Santa To Westside Park Event

Children who live in the vicinity of the Westside Park will be guests of the Big Spring Kiwanis Club—and Santa Claus—Thursday noon of next week.

Each Kiwanian has been charged with the purchase of gifts for three youngsters. The gifts are required to be toys rather than presents in the category commonly called "practical."

Santa Claus will be on hand at the park at noon and a Christmas tree is being rigged this week in the community building at the west end of the park.

Plans for the Christmas party session were reviewed by the club Thursday.

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Volunteers need not have a college degree, as a broad range of skills are needed to fill the overseas programs in agriculture, public health, community development, education and cooperative development.

The Placement Test, which takes about an hour and a half, determines how an applicant can best be utilized overseas.

It requires no preparation and is non-competitive. An applicant can neither pass nor fail.

Persons interested in serving in the Peace Corps must fill out an application, if they have not already done so, and present it to the tester before taking the test. Applications may be obtained from local post offices.

## Visits Hospital

Dan Reyna, Raymondville, Department Surgeon for the Veterans of Foreign Wars, will make an official visit to the Veterans Administration Hospital Monday.

Other department officers and representatives from District 9 and 13 will accompany him.

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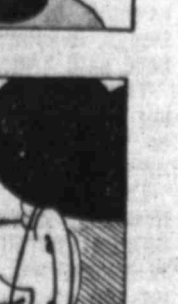
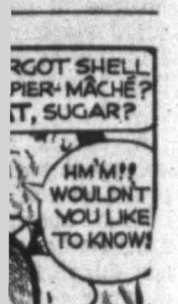
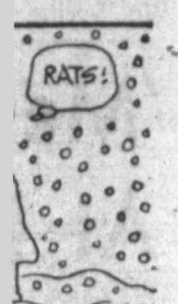
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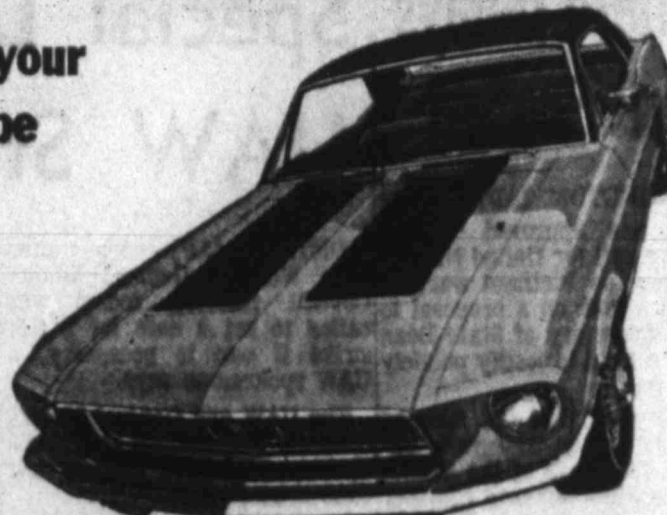


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COMPUTER REPORT REVEALS

# Secure Areas In Viet Increase

SAIGON (AP) — Two thirds of South Vietnam's 17 million people now live in secure areas controlled by the Saigon government, U.S. mission's computers say.

The U.S. Embassy today unveiled its new computerized Hamlet Evaluation System—or HES—and said the "secure" population has increased more than a million since last January.

**MONTHLY CHECK**  
Ambassador Robert W. Komer, who heads the American side of the pacification pro-

gram, told a news conference that HES provides a detailed monthly check on the campaign for the allegiance of the South Vietnamese living in the country's 12,000 cities and hamlets.

A checklist on 18 major criteria is filled out on computer cards for each hamlet by the U.S. district adviser and put through computers in Saigon and Bangkok, he said, enabling the allies to get a good idea of where the "other war" stands.

In addition to hamlet security, the cards include information on

such matters as schools available, development projects, health facilities and even whether the hamlet chief sleeps in the hamlet at night.

**NOT PERFECT**  
Pointing out that human evaluators weren't even sure how many hamlets were in South Vietnam before HES went into operation last January, Komer said the new system is "not even near perfect, but it's more objective, more systematic and it focuses on the key aspects of pacification."

"I think it's getting a pretty accurate picture," he added.

HES evaluates hamlets on an A-to-E scale. A hamlets being most secure, E the least.

**CONG CONTROL**  
Only 8,650—or 63 per cent—of South Vietnam's 12,600 hamlets can be evaluated. The rest are controlled by the Viet Cong. But Komer said population figures are more important than the number of hamlets considered secure because the hamlets vary in population from 50 to 20,000 persons. Saigon and other large cities are classed as a

group of hamlets.

He said government-controlled hamlets tend to be larger and more prosperous since the government gives higher priority to more heavily populated areas.

Secure hamlets are those in the A, B and C categories. They now embrace 66.6 per cent of the population. Contested, or D and E hamlets account for 16.2 per cent of the population, while another 17.2 per cent lives under Viet Cong control, according to HES.

## Fed Judge Nixes Plea Of Guilty

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — A man accused of robbing a Navarro County bank couldn't plead guilty in federal district court here.

Judge W. M. Taylor Jr. refused the plea Thursday after George Allie Gillis of Fort Worth said he was guilty "in some respects."

**'EXCUSES'**  
The 28-year-old defendant was offering "excuses" for his behavior rather than pleading guilty, the judge said after questioning the man.

Gillis had told the court for the second time that he was guilty in some respects of government allegations that he aided and abetted Bobby Gene Green in the Jan. 25 robbery of the First State Bank of Blooming Grove.

Gillis had pleaded guilty in October to the same crime, but insisted he was an unwilling partner in the holdup. The judge deferred action.

But again, when the judge questioned the defendant, Gillis insisted that he was only "guilty of driving my car" with Green in it.

**STRANGERS**  
He and Green were strangers until the morning of the robbery, he said. He offered to take Green to Corsicana to see his mother.

Gillis told the judge that Green asked him to stop near the Blooming Grove bank. It was after the robbery that Green told Gillis of the robbery.

## Senate Delays Rusk Protest

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has approved without dissent a call for United Nations action on the Vietnam war but delayed a vote on a proposal to protest Secretary of State Dean Rusk's refusal to testify publicly on the war.

The resolution, adopted Thursday by an 82-0 vote, expresses the sense of the Senate that President Johnson consider directing this country's U.N. representatives to seek action by the world body on the Vietnam issue.

Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, who sponsored the resolution, said there is urgent need for Johnson to seek U.N. involvement in an attempt to find peace.

## Special Demands UAW Strike Key

DETROIT (AP) — The United Auto Workers General Motors Council meeting today was called to set a date for a GM strike if one is necessary, a UAW spokesman says.

The UAW and General Motors resumed negotiations on a new contract this week for the first time since Oct. 31.

General Motors has indicated it is willing to write a contract with the union that is within the limits of the record economic agreements won for the union's 160,000 members at Ford Motor Co. and 103,000 at Chrysler Corp.

**'FROSTING'**  
Whether or not the union makes any special demands of GM could be a key factor in causing a strike.

One company source said that if Reuther goes for any "frosting" on the cake at GM, "He'll be in for a big fight."

The union told the company Monday that what it called "erosion of the bargaining unit" by moving automated jobs out of union jurisdiction will be an important issue.

Representation, specifically the company requirement that union committeemen work at least an hour a day on their regular jobs, is also expected to cause trouble.

**330,000 WORKERS**  
The union represents 330,000 workers at GM.

A strike at the Detroit universal division of Chrysler was averted Thursday night with a tentative agreement on local issues. A strike deadline set for this morning was withdrawn pending expected ratification of the contract.

The 25-member UAW executive board emerged from a 3½-hour meeting Thursday with "not a word" of comment on what had happened at the gathering at the union's Detroit headquarters.

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## House Demos Pick Texans To Lead Interest Rate Battle

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fellow Democrats in the House chose Rep. Wright Patman of Texas, Tex., to head a special committee for a battle against high interest rates.

Their choice for vice chairman was Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio.

The campaign, still being organized, drew prompt fire from a couple of Republican leaders in the House, Reps. Gerald R. Ford of Michigan and William B. Widnall of New Jersey.

**ROBBERY RATE**  
Patman told about 29 other Democrats they were invited to form the committee because of "deep concern over the fact that interest rates have now risen to the highest levels of this century."

He added, "It's all right to pay interest, but not at a robbery rate."

Ford and Widnall countered with a statement that while they also felt concern over interest rates, "we wish to declare in no uncertain terms that reckless and wild talk—such as that offered by our Democratic colleagues and the Johnson administration can do nothing except

to add further pressures to the economy."

**FRANCE'S DEBTS**  
The Republicans said also most of the Democrats now urging action to lower interest rates "are the very same individuals who ignored or turned aside practically every attempt during the 89th and 90th Congresses to recognize the dangers of inflationary fiscal policies while a major war was being fought."

Rep. Lester L. Wolff, D-N.Y., suggested to the Democratic group that it would be a good idea to collect France's debts to this country which amount to \$6.8 billion from World War I.

**HOLD THAT LINE**  
"I think we ought to call France's debts pretty fast," Patman agreed.

The Democrats started circulation of a resolution which suggests:

—The Federal Reserve System re-examine its policies and reorient its programs to bring about a lower level of interest rates.

—An inquiry by the House Banking Committee, which Patman heads, of monetary policies with an emphasis upon the Fed's role and that the Ways and Means Committee hold the line on statutory ceilings on interest rates.

—The President use his influence to require the Fed to "bring its policies in line with those of the administration and the Congress."

**Dear Abby**  
Those Unlovely Flowers

**DEAR ABBY:** Every Thanksgiving my husband's boss who lives out of state sends us a huge bouquet of roses. The box they come in bears the name of a local florist, and their truck delivers them, so it's not as though these flowers have been shipped any great distance. Well, I have never seen sorrier flowers in all my life! It is getting to be an annual joke around here. They aren't even worth putting into a vase. I just open the box, and carry it right out to the trash.

Then I sit down and write a "thank you" note for the "beautiful" flowers. I told my husband this year I think we should tell his boss what kind of flowers he has been paying for. My husband says we should be quiet. What do you say?

**MRS. M. J. L.**  
**DEAR MRS. L.:** I say a resub by any other name would smell. And so would the deal you've been getting from your florist. By all means let the sender

know the kind of flowers you have been receiving. He would appreciate it.

**DEAR ABBY:** Mine is a problem I can't discuss with anyone. Teddy, our 12-year-old son wants to take ballet! He is slim, graceful, a very beautiful boy and not very masculine. He's been taking ballroom and tap since he was nine, but I never dreamed he'd become interested in ballet. His father will die. He's a rugged sportsman and has a five handicap in golf. Teddy has always been a rather delicate child and never cared much for sports so I thought dancing would be good exercise for him.

I am worried because you don't see many real he-men in ballet, and I do so want our Teddy to be a real he-man, marry some nice girl and have children. I would so love to have a little granddaughter. Teddy is our only child and I was so disappointed when he was not a girl, I wept for a week.

Should I discourage his taking ballet, or do you think it's too late? **TEDDY'S MOTHER**

**DEAR MOTHER:** First you ought to find a psychiatrist with two couches. One for you and one for Teddy. The doctor can tell you if it's "too late," and if so why. Environment plays a very important role in shaping a child's destiny. Many a mother's "dream" of having a "little girl" has created a nightmare for the unlucky boy she bore instead.

**DEAR ABBY:** Why is it that when young married couples want to go some place, they just shove their kids off on their parents? They never seem to care if we have plans of our own. We wouldn't mind in case of emergency, but usually it's just to get rid of their kids for a while.

Abby, we love our grandchildren, but we are getting up in years now and can't run after them all the time. And the noise of their fighting gets on our nerves.

Our parents told us, "We raised ours, now you raise yours." Why do the children of today take advantage of their parents?

**'NEVER SAY NO GRANNY'**  
**DEAR GRANNY:** If you never say no, maybe they don't know they're imposing. Some parents still say, "We raised ours, now you raise yours." So why don't you? It's just that simple. No one can take advantage of you without your cooperation.



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