

## UNCHANGED U. S. Takes Firm Stand On Gold Price

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States moved Saturday to halt a wave of speculative gold buying in Europe by reaffirming in strong but simple language a determination to maintain the price at \$35 an ounce.

Six European nations, all members of the London gold pool, stand with the United States to ward off the newest attack on the dollar, the government said.

"The operation of the London gold market will continue unchanged," Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler and Chairman William McChesney Martin Jr. of the Federal Reserve Board said in a brief statement.

An increase in the price of gold would represent devaluation of the dollar.

But the statement issued Saturday said the United States "stands firm in its determination to maintain the gold value of the dollar."

It was the second formal reaffirmation of gold policy since devaluation of the British pound on Nov. 18 from \$2.80 to \$2.40. President Johnson re-stated U.S. policy only moments after the British action.

The new flurry of gold buying began after a meeting last weekend in Basel, Switzerland, of the London gold pool countries—Belgium, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and the United States.

These same European countries, Saturday's statement said, supported the U.S. position unanimously and "continue to participate fully with the United States in policies and practices in support of the price of gold at \$35 an ounce."

Officials said the world policies means the six central banks endorse fully the U.S. position and the world practices means they will put up all the gold necessary to ward off speculation.

The seven nations have almost \$27 billion in gold in their reserves.

France, which stopped contributing gold to the pool in June, was not among the countries mentioned in the U.S. declaration. It had previously supplied 9 per cent of the gold sold in London; the United States picked up that share, raising its contribution to 59 per cent.

The gold pool of eight nations was set up in 1961 to maintain the price of gold at \$35 an ounce. Each nation contributes a percentage of the gold sold.

U.S. officials maintained a discreet silence during the week for fear that anything they might say would only add to the speculative fever.

## C-City Okays Tax

COLORADO CITY—Voters of Colorado City Friday voted acceptance of the one per cent city sales tax. Approval was 808 to 44.

The city council had called attention to a heavy loss in tax base from major pieces of property, and said the sales tax was the only relief. The C-City Chamber of Commerce endorsed the proposition, and there was little opposition.

Reviewing the . . .

## Big Spring Week

. . . with Joe Pickle

Unusual weather notwithstanding, the big news of the week was the robbery of the State National Bank. A slightly-built young man wearing a dark suit and carrying a black brief case, asked to see the president, R. W. Currie. After posing as an oilman, he opened his brief case and produced a revolver. He wanted \$50,000 in cash, but Currie insisted \$12,000 was about all he could get together without arousing suspicion. Satisfied with this, the gunman marched Currie unobtrusively out of the bank, took him to a shopping center parking lot, whacked him over the head and disappeared.

Twenty years ago Currie unwittingly got in on a robbery of the State National. Like this one, the hold-up was so quiet no one knew it until Temp Currie Jr., the teller, ran to his brother to report money had been taken. Robert thought there had been a mixup in change or some dispute over a check and pursued the bandit, who was getting into a car. He put his hand on the man's shoulder and said: "What's going on?" He found out—the bandit turned around and poked a gun in his face.

Like the second shock wave of an earthquake, Larson Lloyd, Security State president, had his anxious moments. It developed that the Wednesday bandit had first gone to Security State and asked

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## In Today's HERALD Spent A Record . . .

. . . and now Congress takes a holiday. See Page 6-A.

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## COLD

Clear to cloudy today, with possible light rain or drizzle tonight and Monday. Warmer this afternoon, colder tonight.

## Plane Lost In Third Day Of Air Strikes

SAIGON (AP)—American fighter-bombers slashed at North Vietnam's heartland Saturday in the third straight day of a winter monsoon offensive mounted through an unusual streak of fair weather.

U.S. officers said jet squadrons hit again at railway choke points and other objectives in the area of Hanoi and Haiphong, the prime relay point of supplies for North Vietnamese regulars and the Viet Cong battling allied troops in South Vietnam.

**ABOUT SAME**  
Indications were that the raiding forces were about the same as those involved Friday, when Air Force, Navy and Marine pilots hit North Vietnamese targets with 119 multiplane missions.

Radio Hanoi said four planes had been shot down and several Americans were captured. It reported two were felled over the North Vietnamese capital, a third 30 miles to the northeast and the fourth at Haiphong.

That boosted Communist claims for the three days to 11. The U.S. Command has acknowledged the loss of only one plane, an Air Force F105 Thunderchief that failed to return from a raid in the Hanoi area Thursday.

Some of the targets hit in the past three days were previously bombed bridges and other facilities that had been repaired or rebuilt during the stormy weather. Returning pilots also reported tough anti-aircraft fire over the target areas.

**KEY TARGETS**  
Key targets Friday were the Canal des Rapides bridge just north of Hanoi, Haiphong's main highway bridge and the Kien An rail bridge in the southern outskirts of the big port city.

## REMEMBER THE NEEDY

If on this Holy Day you are counting your holiday blessings, perhaps you would want to remember the needs of others.

You are invited again to help in the CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND, which provides some Christmas delights for the needy children who do not otherwise have a visit from Santa Claus. Any remaining money in the fund is available to provide food and medicine when families are in dire circumstances.

The fund remains considerably under last year, and needs more response — in the next few days. If you'll join other good helpers, make your check to CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND and mail to The Herald for acknowledgment.

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  - Previously acknowledged . . . 48.50
  - TOTAL TODAY . . . . . \$74.50

# Sales Tax Slips By, Airport Bombed Out

## Propositions Turned Back About 2 To 1

Howard County voters in Saturday's special referendum wrote a resounding "no" to proposals affecting airport development.

They swamped two propositions on the ballot by about two to one margins.

The unofficial tabulation from all precincts was:

**For the creation of a County Airport Authority— For, 564; against 1,722.**

**For the issuance of \$750,000 bonds to finance airport improvement—for 942; against 1,739.**

The airport proposals could muster a lead in only two boxes, No. 15, Mrs. Byron Neel's residence, and No. 15, Park Hill school.

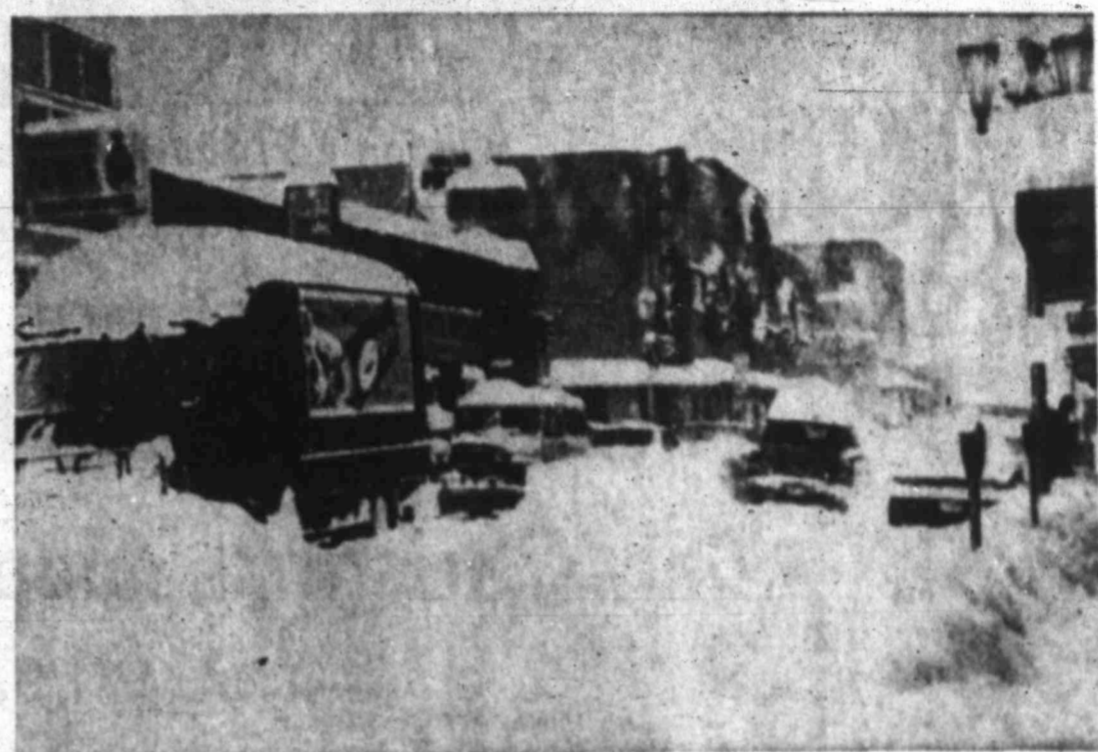
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**2,700 TOTAL**  
A total vote of nearly 2,700 was regarded as strong in view of bad weather and hazardous roads and streets. The issue may have attracted voters because of the concurrent city sales tax election, which drew a record turnout for municipal voting.

Defeat of the airport issues in such overwhelming figures means simply that the airport will continue to be operated by Howard County. Funds for development appear to be nil, and it was presumed by those who had laid groundwork for the proposals that federal grants for assistance in airport development will be canceled out.

## FEDERAL GRANT The Federal Aviation Agency (See AIRPORT, P. 6-A, Col. 4)

Precinct	Airport Authority	Airport Bonds
1. 85	30	41
2. 85	238	200
3. 85	146	275
4. 85	85	219
5. Vincent	6	10
6. Guy Hill	9	6
7. 8-Bar	9	18
8. 85	22	122
9. Cambalua	2	25
10. Foran	4	149
11. Center Point	7	25
12. Prairie View	3	9
13. Knott	2	3
14. Veedmoor	1	4
15. 85	28	114
16. 85	103	14
17. Morris	3	7
18. Neel	1	27
19. Elbow	1	20
20. C-view Ch.	9	30
21. Altogether	27	82
TOTALS	644 1,722	942 1,739



**It's Still Coming Down**  
More snow fell Saturday at Flagstaff, in northern Arizona, making a total of nearly four feet on the ground. This is a view of the downtown section.

## Warmup Is Due Today, Storm Claimed 23 Lives

**By The Associated Press**  
A bitter storm spread an inch-deep sheath of frozen ice and snow across a vast expanse of Texas Saturday. The storm was losing its grip after a four-day reign that claimed the lives of at least 23 persons and brought misery to thousands more.

**WARM UP**  
Some snow continued in West Texas Saturday, but the Weather Bureau said the freezing rain and snow accompanying the storm would end Sunday morning. A slight warmup was in prospect.

Ice covered about half the state. New problems arose Saturday as freezing drizzle and snow accumulations broke power lines and telephone wires in the storm area.

Driving remained hazardous in Southwest Texas and the Panhandle.

Light freezing rain continued at nightfall over much of the Panhandle with light snow along the New Mexico Border, with some falls reported as far east as Midland.

The Weather Bureau said highways remained hazardous west and north of a line from San Angelo to Abilene and

Wichita Falls and north into Oklahoma.

**MELT AWAY**  
Sunday would warm up enough to melt away much of the frozen residue, the forecasters said. Snow, ice and sleet accumulations measured up to four inches deep.

Dalhart, that perennial cold spot in the Panhandle, had not had a temperature of above 25 for four straight days.

The worst breakage in communication lines appeared to be around Wichita Falls and a little west of the towns of Seymour and Olney. During the day, attempts to reach the towns about 50 miles west of Wichita Falls by telephone were unavailing.

Wichita Falls could not reach Ballinger, San Angelo and Nockona in Texas and Altus in Oklahoma by telephone for a period.

Accumulated ice snapped a power line in Wichita Falls, halting electrical service to much of the city's northeast section, including the Weather Bureau.

**OPEN**  
The Texas Highway Department reported all roads in the ice area open but most were termed highly dangerous because of the ice.

Forecasters called for continued warning of travelers west of the freeze-line area, with new snow, sleet or freezing drizzle and rain expected. New snow of three to five inches was expected in the mountains of West Texas.

Eighteen minor accidents had been reported by police up to 6 p.m. Saturday. There were no injuries. Five persons had been treated for carbon monoxide

(See COLD, Page 6-A, Col. 1)

## New Revenue Plan Carries By 46 Votes

Big Spring residents turned out in record number Saturday for a ballot showdown on a one-cent city sales tax, and when they were through, the new levy had been accepted by a margin of just 46 votes.

A complete but unofficial tabulation from the seven city boxes showed:

**For the sales tax 1,164; against, 1,118.**

The total vote was 2,282 one of the largest recorded in a city election—and this in the face of a bad-weather day with hazardous traffic conditions.

## CLOSE CALL

While Big Spring apparently joined some 120 Texas towns in adopting the penny tax, the proposition here had probably the closest call of that in any city where it has been adopted. In most places, the new levy has drawn endorsements of from four to one to 20 to one.

The tax actually lost in four of the seven boxes, but pluralities were heavy enough in the other three to make the difference.

The sales tax issue here prompted strenuous campaigning. Organized labor groups were on record against it, and were joined by some merchants, professional people and others in a Tax Opposition Committee which carried on a vigorous fight via debates, public presentations, radio and TV discussions and print advertising.

**MAYOR'S STATEMENT**  
After unofficial results were tabulated, Mayor Arnold Marshall said:

"It is very gratifying to have a record vote turnout in this inclement weather, with people expressing their opinion on a matter so important to the future of our city—this 'penny for progress'. We want to assure the people of Big Spring

(See CITY, Page 6-A, Col. 4)

**Vote By Precincts**

	For	Against
1. Northside	27	37
2. Wash. Place	319	220
3. 18th—Main	241	180
4. Central Sta.	247	348
5. Cedar Crest	55	130
15. Runnels	66	98
16. Park Hill	209	107
TOTALS	1164	1118

## Three Killed In Bus Wreck

EL PASO, TEX. (AP)—A bus carrying 40 Ft. Bliss soldiers home for Christmas leave skidded on an ice-and-snow covered highway some 95 miles east of El Paso and overturned Saturday, killing three men and critically injuring four others.

Twenty other occupants of the bus were injured, but not critically. Thirteen were unharmed, military and state police sources said.

There was no immediate identification of the dead and injured.

Convoys of ambulances went at the top speed allowable—around 30 miles an hour—over hazardous roadways to pick up the dead and injured.

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# PLUNGED INTO RIVER WITH LOAD OF TRAFFIC Bridge Disaster Toll Climbing

**POINT PLEASANT, W.Va.** (AP)—The known dead from a major bridge disaster near this Ohio River Community rose to eight Saturday and frantic rescue officials said the toll was almost certain to go higher.

West Virginia State Police and Civil Defense officials from Ohio and West Virginia said reports by relatives indicated at least 35 persons were unaccounted for.

**PLUMMETED**  
These were persons who were believed to have been on the

bridge and have not been heard from since it plummeted into the Ohio River late Friday.

The 1,750-foot span linking Point Pleasant and Kanauga, Ohio, gave way under the combined weight of bumper-to-bumper traffic about 5 p.m. Fri-

day. Police said some of the vehicles were heavy tractor-trailer trucks.

More than 100 skin divers from the two states arrived on the scene early Saturday to probe the 40-degree water for

vehicles and bodies.

In addition, two barges bearing large cranes were on hand to begin the task of lifting vehicles out of the murky, swiftly moving stream.

A temporary morgue was set up in this town of 6,000 persons to receive and identify any additional bodies found.

**INSPECTED**  
The bridge, built in 1928, was owned by West Virginia and had been inspected for structural integrity in 1965.

Jack Seitzner, coordinator of the Civil Defense rescue operation, said at the time of the inspection two years ago "no defects were found."

All commercial river traffic on a 35-mile stretch above and below the bridge was halted early Saturday, and plans were being discussed to lower the water level at the disaster scene by closing locks at an upstream dam.

Army Engineers said the bridge keeled over on its downstream side into water about 40 to 50 feet deep, but that it would be some time before it would be known what caused the span to collapse.

**ABOUT 75**  
Eyewitnesses estimated about 75 cars were on the bridge when the accident occurred. Some of the vehicles tumbled onto the river's banks on both side of the stream and were crushed by the bridge's heavy steel super-structure.



**Bridge Wreckage**  
At left, span of bridge crushed cars beneath this ramp. At right, other cars and trucks were dumped into the Ohio River. The



bridge connected Gallipolis, Ohio, and Pt. Pleasant, W. Va. The barge (at right) is removing bridge debris and sunken vehicles.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

### Firestone Cuts Latest Ties

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Russell A. Firestone Jr., 45-year-old heir to a rubber fortune, has won a divorce from his third wife, Mary Alice, a 32-year-old former West Palm Beach school teacher to whom he was married Aug. 1, 1961.

granted the divorce Friday on grounds of adultery and extreme cruelty. Custody of the couple's 3-year-old son, Mark, was awarded Mrs. Firestone. The court ordered Firestone to pay \$3,000 monthly alimony and \$750 monthly for child support.

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Waiting For Santa Claus

Jamie Bennett, Susan Menchaca, Marcus Ohnsorge, Michael Ohnsorge and Cindy Pope anxiously await the arrival of Santa Claus at the Shriners party for physically handicapped children held at the Cosden Country Club Saturday at noon.

### SHRINE PARTY FOR CHILDREN

## Physical Handicap Doesn't Bar Christmas Happiness

Twenty-nine physically handicapped children received a gift from Santa Claus bought especially for them with their handicaps taken into consideration at the Christmas party held by the Big Spring Shriners at the Cosden Country Club at noon Saturday.

Each child had a Shiner wearing his fez as an escort to give whatever assistance was necessary at the party.

Mrs. Champ Rainwater entertained with Christmas music on the organ. A comic skit was presented by Tommy Gage and Gene Nabors.

**CRIPPLED DANCER**  
William (Bill) Sherid of Sitka, Alaska, made a big hit with the children with his dance numbers and he told the handicapped children how he had learned to skate and bowl as well as dance with an artificial knee and hip joints. Sherid suffered leg wounds in World War II, recovered only through the fitting of artificial joints. It took him three years to learn to walk, and another year to accomplish his dexterity.

Though the children enjoyed the program, they waited for Santa Claus with shining eyes. One lad wearing a massive leg brace said he believed in Santa Claus and had written him a letter asking for some guns, but didn't know whether he was going to get them or not. Another little fellow also wearing a leg brace stated he didn't know what Santa Claus was going to bring him 'cause he hadn't written a letter, but he wanted a race track with cars.

**WHAT THEY WANT**  
Wearing a brace on both legs and one arm, a girl about eight years old said she wanted a doll and a doll house for Christmas. Though he couldn't play football because of a leg brace, another boy wanted a football game. Sitting smiling in his wheelchair, a youngster said he wanted Santa Claus to bring him a football game and a car. A girl wearing very thick glasses wanted some new clothes and would like very much to have a bicycle. Though physically handicapped, their minds were sharp, their smiles bright and

they were having a good time at the Shriners' Christmas party.

#### GUESTS

George Bair, Ceremonial Master of the Suez Shrine Temple, was in charge of the party for the children and announced the money spent had been raised through the Shrine Circus. Col.

### Forge Sorghum Performs Well In Dawson County

LAMESA — A forage sorghum variety demonstration conducted on the Kenneth Hamilton farm illustrated the value of utilizing land for forage production, according to Lee Roy Colgan, county agricultural agent. An average value of \$53.10 per acre was obtained from this demonstration by assessing a price of \$3 per ton to the silage.

Those varieties which produced best under the conditions of this farm were Paymaster-Aztec, Hunt and Tips HO-K, and R. C. Young-Matador. They yielded about 19 tons per acre. Another variety, Pioneer 931, also yielding about the same, but it was lacking in sweetness and was more pithy than any other varieties tested. Lindsey 92-F, yielding only 17 tons per acre, was the earliest variety in the test. Under limited moisture conditions it would probably be a high yielder.

Excellent weather conditions prevailed during the growing season. Probably forage sorghum yields in Dawson County would not average this high over a period of years. Only one three inch preplant irrigation was applied and no fertilizer was applied.

Forage sorghum in Dawson County can be used where a farmer needs to diversify his crops to better utilize available irrigation water and develop crop rotation patterns and work with beef cattle or sheep, said Colgan.

### Bridge Test

—CHARLES H. GOREN

BY CHARLES H. GOREN (© 1967 by The Chicago Tribune)

**WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ**  
Q. 1—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:

♠ 4 2 ♠ 6 ♣ 8 7 4 3 ♣ A J 7 5 2  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South  
1 ♠ 2 ♣ ?  
What do you bid?

Q. 2—Both vulnerable. You have 30 part score and as South you hold:  
♠ A 9 7 5 4 3 ♠ 9 4 ♠ A Q ♠ 7 6  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1 ♠ Dbie. Redble. 2 ♣  
2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣ Pass ?  
What do you bid now?

Q. 3—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:  
♠ K 5 3 ♠ A J 6 ♠ A K 10 7 ♠ Q 8 3  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1 NT Pass Pass 2 ♣  
Pass Pass 2 ♣ Pass ?  
What do you bid now?

Q. 4—North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:  
♠ A Q J ♠ A K 6 2 ♠ 10 8 4 ♠ J 7 4  
The bidding has proceeded:

North East South West  
1 ♠ Dbie. Redble. Pass  
Pass 2 ♣ ?  
What do you bid now?

Q. 5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:  
♠ 8 ♠ J 9 8 6 4 3 ♠ 10 9 7 4 2 ♠ Q  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South  
1 ♠ Dbie. ?  
What do you bid?

Q. 6—North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:  
♠ K 10 7 3 ♠ K 8 4 ♠ J 10 8 ♠ A J 8  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
Pass Pass 1 ♣ Pass ?  
What do you bid now?

Q. 7—Both vulnerable, as dealer you hold:  
♠ A 9 5 3 2 ♠ K 7 6 5 4 3 ♠ A ♠ 8  
What is your opening bid?

Q. 8—North-South vulnerable, as South you hold:  
♠ K 8 2 ♠ A Q 4 ♠ A 7 3 ♠ K 10 6 4  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South  
1 ♣ 1 ♣ ?  
What do you bid?

[Look for answers Monday]

### Several Residents Get Minor Gas Poisoning

The cold spell was responsible for several Big Spring residents suffering from minor carbon monoxide poisoning, it was learned Saturday.

Five gas poisoning cases were admitted to the Cowper Hospital and Clinic Friday and

Saturday, but none of the victims is seriously ill. All had been released after treatment.

None of the other hospitals in town reported any gas cases. The five persons treated at the Cowper hospital were Mrs.

and Mrs. Wayne Krause and their young son; Mrs. Grady Kilgore and her daughter, Eunice.

There have been a considerable number of persons admitted to the hospital for treatment for falls on the slick streets and sidewalks, but apparently none was badly injured.

To noon Saturday, the cold spell had caused a remarkably small number of mishaps.

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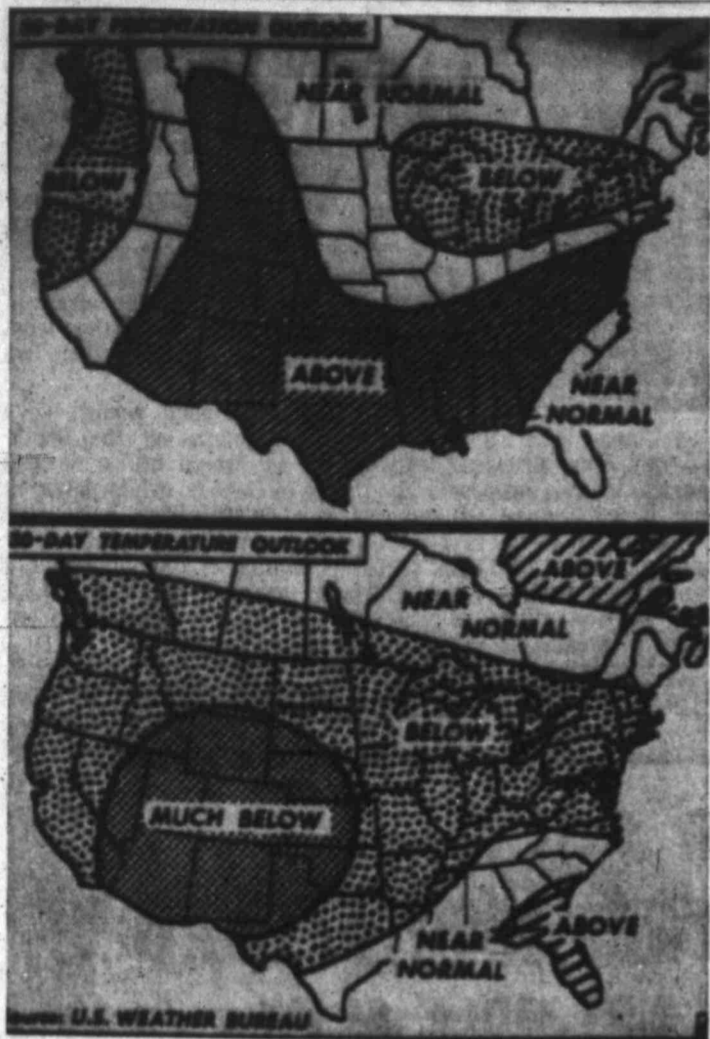
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### Weather Outlook

Maps, based on U.S. Weather Bureau data, show anticipated precipitation and temperatures for the nation during the mid-December to mid-January period.

## Professional Engineers Elevate Wayne Vaughn

Wayne A. Vaughn, chemical superintendent for Cosden, was installed as president of the Permian Basin chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers, Thursday in Midland. The annual installation banquet took place at the Sands Motel with Roy Thruston, superintendent of Garden City schools, as guest speaker.



WAYNE VAUGHN

Also taking office were John A. Weir and Karl Wikelski, Odessa, first and second vice presidents; Bobby L. Dunson, Big Spring, secretary - treasurer; and Ernest Lillard, Big Spring, state director. Chapter directors include B. B. Rogers, Monahans, R. A. Estes and L. D. Sipes Jr., Midland, Joe R. Thompson, Odessa, and William E. Gibson Jr., Cosden's senior project engineer.

A registered professional engineer for more than 20 years, Vaughn has been extremely active in TSPE. Twice he has represented the Permian Basin Chapter as a state director, and for the past year he has served as first vice president and program chairman. At the state level of the organization, he is

a member of the public affairs committee and the fees and salaries committee.

Vaughn, who holds a BS degree in chemical engineering from Texas Tech, has been with Cosden since Nov. 1, 1956. He is on the directorate of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, and holds membership in the American Chemical Society and the American Petroleum Institute. He is also on the board of directors of the Optimist Club. A member of First Methodist Church, he is presently vice chairman of the official board and is missions chairman.

He and Mrs. Vaughn reside at 617 Tulane. Their son, Wayne Vaughn Jr., is stationed with the U.S. Army in Korea. They have two daughters, Judy Jo, who is a freshman at Howard County Junior College, and Mrs. Durwood Rutledge, Hurst.

## Pioneer 8 Taking Orders

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (AP) — Pioneer 8, some 296,000 miles from earth, was given radio orders today to turn 40 degrees so that a special antenna of the spacecraft would be focused on the earth.

The spacecraft obeyed 160 separate commands in executing the maneuver, completed at 2:36 a.m. PST today, said Lou Dickerson of Ames Research Center, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Dickerson explained that Pioneer 8, which was launched last Wednesday to orbit the sun and send back scientific data to earth, achieved by the latest rotating maneuver precise alignment with the plane of the earth's orbit around the sun.

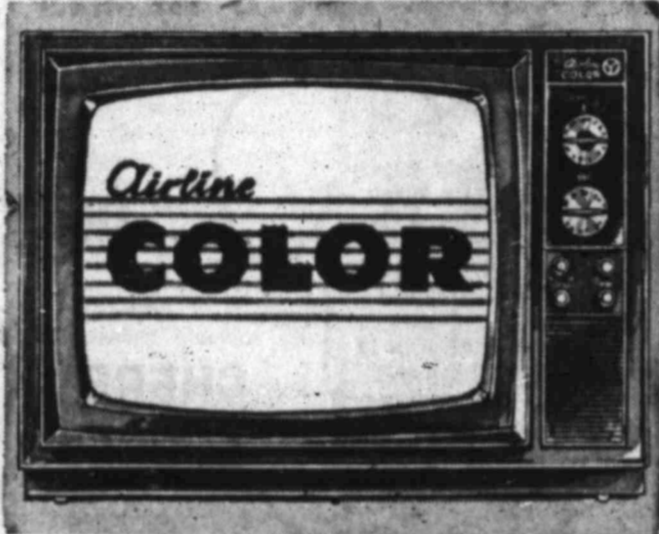
The focusing of the special antenna, he said, permits data to be picked up from the spacecraft for a distance of up to 200 million miles, or through its complete orbit of the sun.

## Heir Wants His Love Gifts Back

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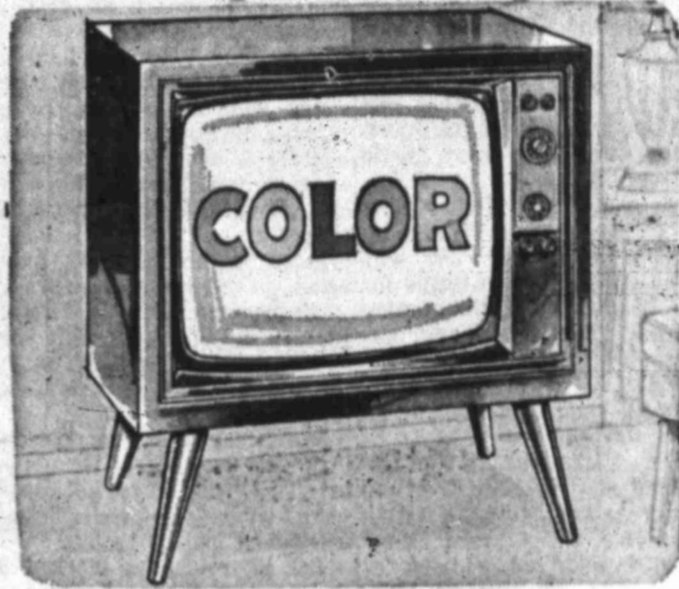
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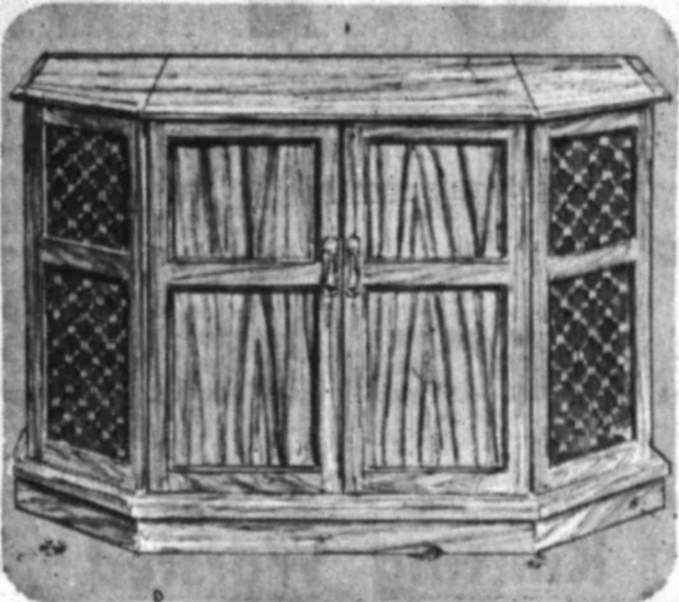
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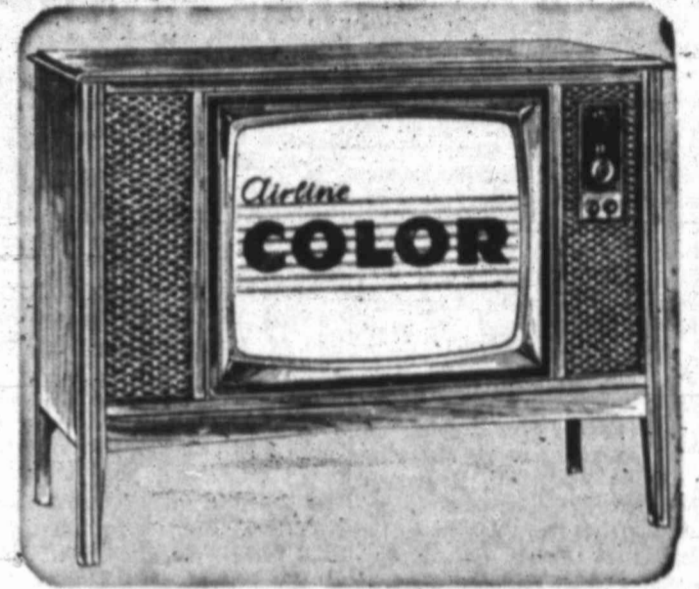
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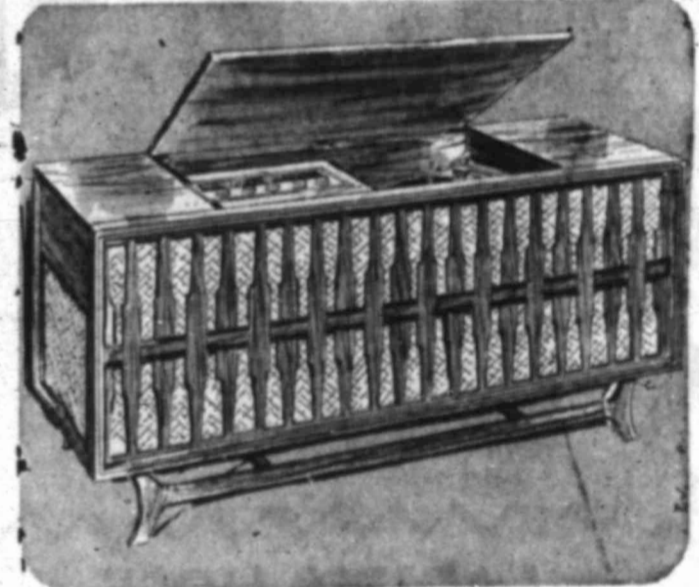
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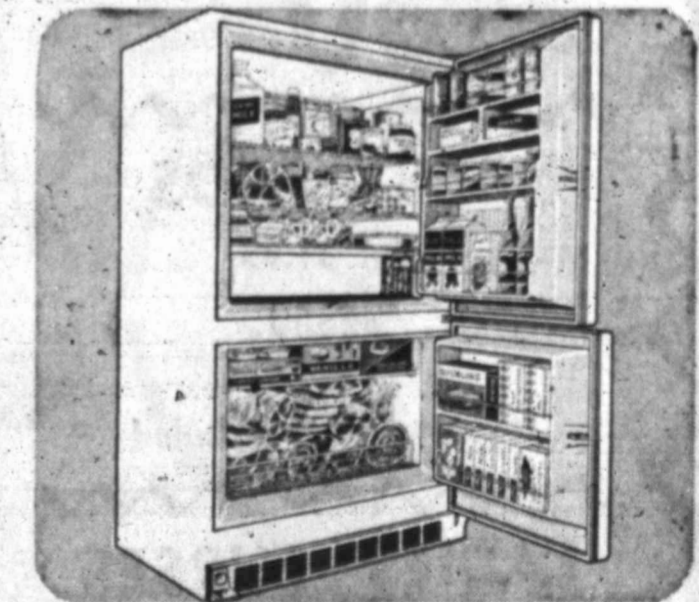
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# Persons Under Indictment Known To Officers Here

Jerry Ray James, who is regarded as the leader of a sizeable gang charged last week with interstate prostitution and bank burglary, and at least three of the women said to be members of the same operation, are known to local police here.

All have been arrested at least once by city officers and appear to have been transients here at one time or another.

Jerry Ray James and Mary Farmer, 24, are two named in charges pending before the federal court in Del Rio where they are to be arraigned on Dec. 28. They are described as being part of a group of 20 Austin residents involved in the far-flung bank burglary - interstate prostitution racket.

## HERE IN 1964

Jay Banks, city police chief here, said that Jerry Ray James is a long-time acquaintance of law enforcement agencies. He said that James and a woman identified as Diane Lee Eddy, 22, were living temporarily in Big Spring in February, 1964. The police heard that James had bought a shotgun at a local pawnshop and had the barrel sawed off. Banks issued an order to arrest the man.

It worked out that Banks was the officer who came across the man and his woman companion in their car on Feb. 18, 1964. He arrested the pair and they were charged with vagrancy. They paid fines and left town.

## PAID FINES

On Aug. 19, 1965, police here picked up Mary Farmer and a woman named Sue Overton, 28, who was going under the alias of Donna Anderson. Both paid fines for vagrancy.

A dispatch from Austin on the Associated Press on Friday named James and the Farmer woman as members of the interstate gang due to face the federal commissioner in Del Rio on Dec. 28.

The dispatch recited: The five-page indictment returned by the Del Rio Federal Grand Jury alleged that the six women indicted engaged in prostitution activities to pay bail bonds, attorney fees and

other expenses of an interstate bank burglary conspiracy, the American said.

**CONSPIRACY**

The indictment alleges the conspiracy existed from March 13, 1964 to April 30, 1966, and involved bank burglaries in Oxford, Kan.; Pond Creek, Okla.; Graford, Tex. and Mobeetie, Tex. It also alleges prostitution activities, efforts to dispose of stolen property or other alleged acts of the conspiracy occurred in Beverly Hills, Calif.; BIG SPRING, Slaton, Plainview, Austin, San Antonio, Guymon, Okla.; Oklahoma City, Walsburg, Colo.; Franklin Park, Ill.; Los Angeles, and Houston.

# UF Trustees Will Receive Fund Report

A meeting of trustees of the United Fund of Big Spring and Howard County has been called for Monday afternoon. The session will be in the Chamber of Commerce offices at 5 o'clock. President Dick Beam will preside.

Report will be heard on the current UF campaign solicitation of funds to participating agencies.

The drive Friday had reached \$105,997.49, against a goal of \$116,121.69. Harold Davis, campaign chairman, said there is still prospect of some more contributions, and he felt that the total will surpass last year's total giving of \$105,911.57. He said some cards are yet to be returned, and is hopeful that several hundred dollars will be in the final returns. The campaign officially closed Friday.

Since collections will be some \$10,000 short of the amount budgeted to agencies, UF trustees will have to take action to cut down the remittance to these organizations.

# Snow Strands 200 Indians In Arizona

GRANTS, N.M. (AP) — The stranded, but sheltered, travelers caught in Grants by a 21-inch snowfall on US 66-Interstate 40 heard threats Saturday of a new storm heading their way.

But with the travelers inside, and fed, official concern turned to hundreds of Indians locked in isolated areas of the Navajo Reservation by the four-day storm that crippled much of New Mexico and the Southwest.

Navajo Police Supt. Al Adams said 200 Indians were caught by the storm while picking pinon nuts about 40 miles north of Pinon, Ariz. Their only shelters were a few pickup truck camper units and stubby pinon trees. Rescue teams in snow tracked vehicles were sent to the area.

Luguna Pueblo officers said seven of the tribe's range riders were unaccounted for on the southern border of the reservation south of US 66 east of Grants.

More than 1,000 travelers—including two brothers and their sister who fell victim to the storms during the storm—were waiting it out in Grants where snow stopped travel on the main east-west Interstate 40-US 66 artery.

Most of the travelers found space in motels, but about 75 were sheltered in a church where the pastor said they "slept through the night on the cushioned pews of the sanctuary."

Some travelers were working their way east out of Grants on the slick highway, but most were content to wait. Those westbound had no choice.

The highway was blocked at the Arizona border because of snow farther west in Arizona, while skies were clearing. Flagstaff reported 46 inches of snow on the ground and Winslow 28 inches.

National Guard wrecker trucks were pulling vehicles into Grants from where they were stranded on the highway earlier in the storm.

# Proposes \$30 Billion To Solve Water Pains

LUBBOCK — A proposed \$30 billion solution to the water problems of Texas and the Southwest through a continent-long canal from the Arctic Circle to the Mexican border was discussed at Texas Tech Wednesday by a Washington State University researcher.

Dr. E. Roy Tinney, director of Washington State's Water Resources Research Institute, told a Texas Tech seminar there are "several hundred million acre-feet of water running off the Canadian prairies in central Canada annually. This supply is in an area where there is no

foreseeable use for it, and you people in the Southwest are doing everything you can to find new water sources."

Tinney said discussions with key Canadians indicate they are very much interested because of advantages it would have for Canada, including revenues from sale of the water.

**SMALL SCHEME**

Long range cost of such a project would come to \$30 billion, "but a scheme like this could be started in a very small way by taking waters just north of the central Canadian border—at Lake Winnipeg, for exam-

ple — and putting them into the Mississippi River system at its headwaters.

"A minimum of construction would be needed," he said. "It primarily would involve the linking up of the two systems. Then, as time goes by and as need grows and experience develops, the two governments could expand the system on each side of the border."

The \$30 billion price tag, he explained, covers cost of the entire continent-long system, including canals, dams, powerhouses, siphons and pumping stations.

Dr. Tinney said his plan differs from other proposed trans-America canal proposals because it would take advantage of terrain that presents a minimum of physical obstacles such as mountain ranges "and still move vast quantities of water overland great distances to the lakes," he said.

points of greatest needs."

## RECLAMATION

As envisioned by Tinney, the canal system eventually would feed into the United States from central Canada, move south to Texas, cut west to the Gila River in New Mexico, run through Arizona and terminate in California.

"Such a central North American water project," he said, "would lead the water directly from its area of greatest supply immediately into the area of greatest need with the least disturbance to the other resources."

"This not only would solve many problems in the Southwest, but would utilize natural lakes in Canada, which have an area of 50,000 square miles. The project probably would allow reclamation of Canadian marsh land for economic use by reducing areas of inundation from the lakes," he said.

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'GIVE US THE EQUIPMENT' — GEN. TAUTE

# Big Springers Tour AF Facilities

"We can defend this country if you'll give us the equipment," Brig. Gen. A. F. Taute, former wing commander of Webb AFB and now deputy commander of systems-plans for the Air Defense Command, told a delegation of some 40 Big Spring business and professional men.

The Air Force was host to the local group 10 days ago in a brief tour of the Air Force double barreled facilities at Colorado Springs, Colo. — the Academy, where young men are introduced to the Air Force way of life; and Ent AFB, the hub of the Air Force defense of this continent through the Air Defense Command, which provides

some 70 per cent of the personnel for the North American Air Defense Command (NORAD). Based on a system of Detect, Identify, Intercept and Destroy (if necessary), Gen. Taute and members of his staff explained how these objectives are met and accomplished.

SAGE, provides control and warning systems; BUIC, provides piloted interceptors; DEW line, provides distant early warning; and BMEWS, provides ballistic early warning system.

Despite these sophisticated methods of protection, Gen. Taute urged the visitors to support the Air Force efforts to add

the F-12 high altitude Mach 3 interceptor to its weaponry; and the AWACS, airborne warning and control system, to its surveillance.

He pointed out the present systems and aircraft for continental protection, although adequate to mount a retaliatory force, are not sufficient to protect our cities from destruction.

The AWACS system, he explained, includes new transport-type aircraft, with improved command, control, and radar equipment to give the Air Force greater detection and warning. It would permit the use of defensive weapons at maximum range, and make it virtually impossible for enemy bomber to fly over, under, or around its surveillance. These aircraft could operate independently or in conjunction with ground-based control centers.

The F-12 interceptor would give the Air Force the hardware to intercept enemy bombers farther away and has the improved speed, range and armament advantages to allow it to make several target runs in the same time it takes present aircraft to make one.

These steps forward are expensive, Gen. Taute said, but they are important to the protection of our country.

He made his presentation to the delegation in the War Room of Ent AFB, with the assistance of Col. L. L. Arasmith, chief of the operations plans division, ADC; Col. J. A. Darby, director of aerospace plans and programs; and Maj. C. C. Murock, automated systems division.

A brief film was shown on the headquarters of the defense system, which is located inside Cheyenne Mountain, near Colorado Springs.

The visitors were taken by bus on a tour of the Academy, which included strolls through the Visitor's Center, the modern and spacious gymnasiums, the giant cafeteria, and the landmark chapel.

Standing through a light snowfall, the Big Springers watched the cadets march to lunch — and enjoyed seeing some 3,000 or more cadets each sporting a handsome handlebar mustache.

Col. Chester J. Butcher, Webb's wing commander, explained the reason for so much sudden facial growth.

Col. Robin Olds, a modern day storybook hero, was recently named commandant of cadets at the Academy. He came with impressive credentials, including destroying 23 aircraft in World War II, flying P51s and P38s; destroyed four MIGs in Vietnam (more than any other pilot), flying F4Ds; was a former All-American tackle for West Point; and he married Ella Raines, the movie star.

The cadets, according to reports, were ecstatic when the announcement was made. Col. Olds, who is in line for his first star, has also been well known for a handsome mustache. But someone in the Pentagon decided that it had to go when he arrived at the Academy, as cadets are not allowed such ornaments.

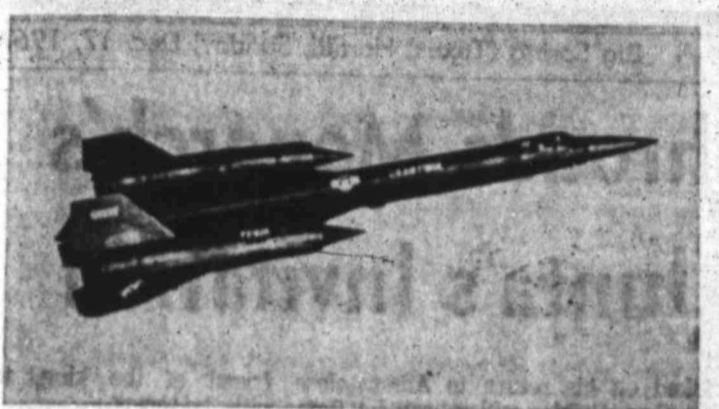
Col. Olds shaved it off. But the cadets — all of them — purchased the props and while marching to lunch the day the Big Spring visitors watched, were grinning as they proudly displayed their mustaches.

Col. Olds was grinning too — someone had tipped him off and he was wearing one of the store-bought kind.



Friends Meet

Cadet Larry Walton, in this third year at the Air Force Academy, had a reunion with an old friend, when the Big Spring visitors toured last week. Bob Crowell (left), formerly of Snyder and now president and general manager of Big Spring Printing, knew the cadet when his son was in Walton's high school class. The cadet is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walton, Snyder, where Mr. Walton is maintenance engineer of Cogdell Memorial Hospital.



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## How Texans Cast Votes

WASHINGTON (AP) — How Texas members of Congress were recorded as voting on recent roll calls:

Senate—

On passage, 56 to 22, of a \$2.7 billion foreign aid appropriation bill. For—Yarborough, Tower.

On motion, adopted 62 to 16, to accept a compromise version of the bill continuing the anti-poverty program. For—Yarborough. Not voting—Tower.

On passage, 71 to 7, of a bill to authorize \$14.2 billion aid to elementary and secondary education bill. For—Yarborough. Not voting—Tower.

On Mundt, R-S.D., amendment, rejected 29 to 44, to make applicable to Congress a previous amendment requiring federal agencies to reduce expenditures. Against—Yarborough. Not voting—Tower.

House—

On motion, adopted 247 to 150, to accept a compromise version of the bill continuing the anti-poverty program. For—Patman, Roberts, Cabell, Eckhardt, Brooks, Pickle, Poage, Wright, Purcell, Young, de la Garza, White, Mahon, Gonzalez, Casey, Kazen. Against—Dowdy, Pool, Burleson, Price, Fisher. Not voting—Eckhardt, Gonzalez.

On motion, adopted 276 to 114, to accept compromise bill reactivating the subversive activities control commission. For—Patman, Dowdy, Pool, Roberts, Cabell, Teague, Bush, Brooks, Pickle, Poage, Wright, Purcell, Young, de la Garza, White, Burleson, Price, Mahon, Fisher, Casey, Kazen. Against—Eckhardt, Gonzalez.

amendment designed to cut federal spending \$4.1 billion during the fiscal year to end next June 30.

For—All voted in favor.

On motion, adopted 327 to 63, to accept a compromise bill increasing postal rates and raising federal employe salaries. For—Patman, Dowdy, Pool, Roberts, Cabell, Eckhardt, Brooks, Pickle, Wright, Purcell, Young, de la Garza, White, Burleson, Price, Gonzalez, Fisher, Casey, Kazen. Against—Teague, Bush, Poage, Mahon.

On passage, 367 to 77, of a \$1.61 billion appropriation bill for the anti-poverty program.

For—Roberts, Cabell, Teague, Bush, Eckhardt, Brooks, Pickle, Wright, Young, de la Garza, White, Mahon, Gonzalez, Casey, Kazen. Against—Dowdy, Pool, Burleson, Price, Fisher. Not voting—Patman, Poage.

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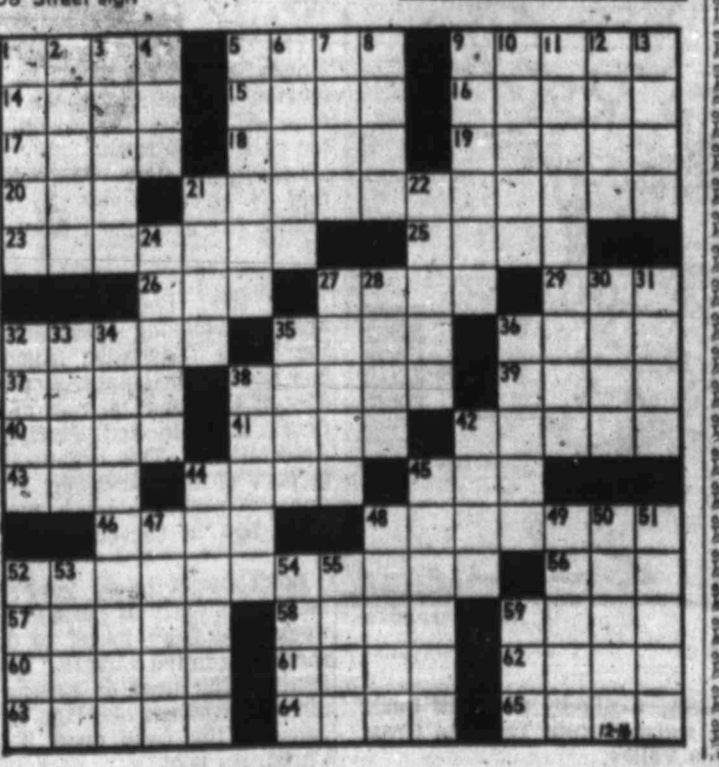
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| 14 Cooking pot             | 63 Releases         | 31 Spreads                 |
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| 18 Charge                  | <b>DOWN</b>         | 35 Store sign              |
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## Tryouts Monday, Tuesday For 'The Fantasticks'

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Sharon Ryan, executive director, will hold tryout sessions Monday and Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the parish hall of St. Mary's Episcopal Church for "The Fantasticks," popular drama still enjoying television and Eastern seaboard exposure.

Miss Ryan urged those interested in taking a part to attend both evenings. The production will not be staged until late January or February, but members of the cast will be given scripts to study during the holidays.

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Nation's Spendingest Congress Taking A Holiday

WASHINGTON (AP) — Praise from the Johnson administration and the prospect of a rough struggle over a proposed income tax increase accompanied the nation's spendingest Congress Saturday as it started a month-long holiday.

At a Saturday morning news conference arranged by the White House, Postmaster General Lawrence O'Brien reported with satisfaction that the 90th not only retained President Johnson's principal programs but in some instances extended them.

But a key figure in the Senate made it clear Saturday that, even if Mills relents, the tax proposal may not have smooth sailing in the smaller chamber.

Speaking to House and Senate members at a White House bill-signing Saturday, Johnson noted that the tax increase proposal will be with them next year and "I don't want you to forget that while you're home."

The 1967 record appropriations total came despite the preoccupation of the legislators with a wide variety of budget-cutting moves throughout the session.

This is estimated to be equivalent to a further \$3-billion cut in appropriations for a total of almost \$9 billion in that category for the year.

At that time, he figured fiscal 1968 spending at \$155 billion. Budget Director Charles L. Schultz told Congress two weeks ago that it now appears spending will total \$136.2 billion when the year ends next June 30.

Home Repair Racketeers In El Paso

AUSTIN (AP) — Consumer Credit Commissioner Francis Miskell said Saturday his office is investigating reports that alleged home repair racketeers from Houston, Fort Worth and Dallas have started operating in El Paso.

President Signs Pay Bill; Postal Rates Up

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson signed into law Saturday legislation boosting the pay of all the government's civilian employees and the military while hiking the cost of mailing a letter from five to six cents.

Johnson signed the bill in a White House cabinet room. He said he was unwrapping a Christmas package that will brighten the holiday of all men in uniform and all government employees.

In addition to the immediate pay increases, the legislation provides further raises next July 1 and July 1, 1969 for both military and civilian personnel.

Slippery Streets Blamed For Rash Of Accidents

Slippery streets and generally hazardous weather conditions could be blamed for a rash of traffic accidents in Big Spring Friday and Saturday. There were no serious injuries.

1908 Runnels, and Anita Lonsford, 3663 Connally, were in collision at Twenty-fifth and Scurry. William E. Robertson, 609 Golland, and Robert Birf Gullin, 1705 Runnels, were involved in an accident at Twelfth and Johnson. Glenn Errol Baldwin, San Diego, struck a highway sign at the service road at IS 20 and US 87.

Hunting Accident Kills Teenager

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Officers were looking Saturday for the hunter who fired a bullet that killed Ronald Bellinger, 12.

At Third and Johnson, Lloyd George Wells, 1408 E. 18th, and Morris Wayne Howland, 1201 College, were in an accident. Theodus C. Bradley Jr. and Robert Frederick Leuth, both of the OK Trailer Court, were in collision in the 1600 block of Air Base Road. Fred L. Conner, Midland, and Anthony D. Ferguson, Webb AFB, were involved in an accident at FM 700 and the entrance to Webb AFB.

Campus Closed

MADRID (AP) — Because of student demonstrations and strikes against police power on campus, two parts of the University of Madrid closed down in the past week.

WEATHER

Table with columns: CITY, TEMPERATURES, MAX., MIN. Cities include Big Spring, Abilene, Amarillo, Chicago, Dallas, Denver, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston, New York, San Antonio, St. Louis, San Francisco.

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had allotted a grant of \$198,426 (plus 10 per cent for contingencies) to supplement what local monies would have been spent for modernization of the field. This grant was good until December 31, and supposedly will be withdrawn.

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that the money will be used wisely and in the best interests of our community.

DEATHS

Wallace Abat Rites Monday Funeral services for Wallace A. Abat, 66, will be held at 11 a.m. Monday in the Rev. John Welch Chapel with the Rev. John Payne, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, officiating.

Secrecy Shrouds Monarch's Reply To Junta's Invitation

ATHENS, Greece (AP) — The military regime sent envoys to King Constantine in Rome Saturday with an invitation for him to take back his throne as a figurehead monarch. The envoys met with him for five hours and returned with his response to Athens Saturday night.

Asked on his return to Athens whether the king will return, he replied: "It depends on the government."

The offer for Constantine to take back the throne he abandoned Wednesday in his effort to overthrow the military government came from Brig. Stylianos Patakos, the Greek deputy premier, at an Athens news conference.

Thefts Checked

Police are investigating two similar thefts which were reported Saturday morning. James Rice, 3312 Auburn, reported about six dollars in coins taken from a drink machine at the College Park 66 Service Station. Approximately six dollars was also taken from a similar machine at Johnnie's Mobil Service Station, 300 E. 4th, according to Johnnie Moore, 2501 Cheyenne.

close friend of the king, to Rome with the terms.

A few minutes after the envoys left, the king himself left the embassy and went to join his family at a nearby villa.

The regime showed signs of anxiously wanting him back for many reasons—to give their government a look of respectability, to placate world opinion critical of their coup of last April 21, and to mollify the major Western powers.

THE WEEK

for Lloyd, who was not in, so he went downtown to State National. Thursday two FBI agents interviewed Lloyd at length near closing time. Much later, as Lloyd was preparing to leave, two men entered the bank with the armored car driver and asked to see him. That shook him, but nothing like when they claimed they were FBI men.

Heart Patient Now Has Pneumonia

CEAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — Louis Washkansky, who headed the 30-member team that made the Dec. 2 heart transplant, went immediately to Washkansky's bedside. A hospital spokesman said the pneumonia is of a mild form and "under the circumstances his condition is satisfactory."

Eleven More Approve Tax

The one per cent municipal sales tax passed in 11 more Texas cities Saturday, bringing to 131 the total number of cities that have approved the levy.

Charges Cong Has Passed Out More Land Than Saigon

WASHINGTON (AP) — The chief authors of a still-secret congressional report sharply criticizing the pace of land reform in South Vietnam asserted Saturday that the Viet Cong have distributed five times as much land as the Saigon government.

Charges Cong Has Passed Out More Land Than Saigon

conclusions of Moss and himself, it was learned on good authority that it also contains the chief conclusions reached by the subcommittee.

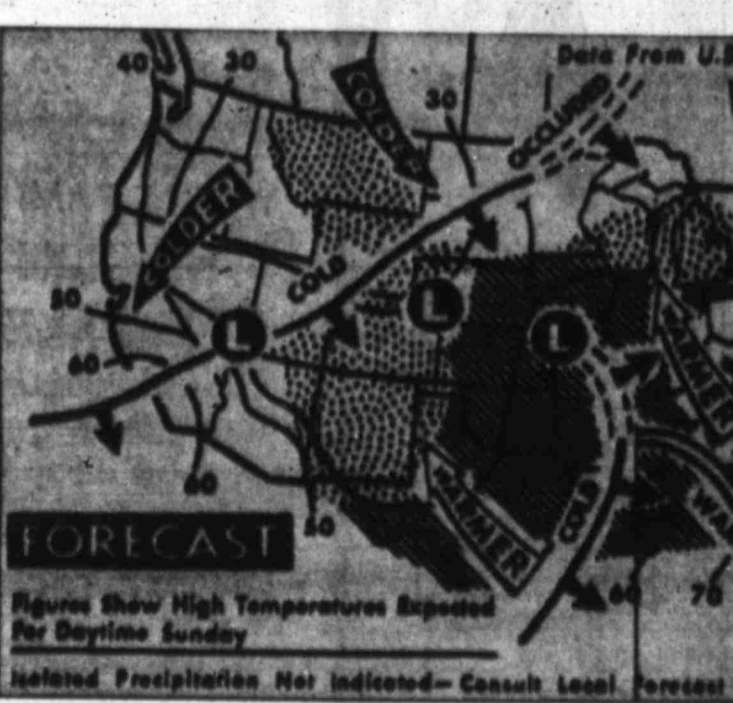
Reps. John E. Moss, D-Calif., chairman of the House Foreign Operations and Government Information subcommittee, and Rep. Ogden R. Reid, R-N.Y., ranking GOP member, made the assertion to Secretary of State Dean Rusk.

Killed On Rain Slippery Highway

HURST, Tex. (AP) — Two automobiles collided on rain-slippery Texas 183 at Hurst Saturday killing Rebecca Love, 19, of Fort Worth. Two persons were injured.

Weather Forecast

Snow is predicted Sunday from Montana to Colorado and into eastern New Mexico. Rain is expected in the Plains, the Mississippi Valley, Tennessee, Kentucky and Gulf Coast states. It'll be warmer from Texas to Great Lakes and Ohio Valley.



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# Concerned Over Power To Decide Life, Death

LONDON (AP) — Some British doctors and clergymen are worried that the successful heart transplant case of Louis Washkansky in South Africa has given doctors new God-like powers to decide who lives and who dies.

Granting the Dec. 3 surgery in South Africa was a medical triumph, the doctors and clergy fear a conflict may arise between a doctor's duty to do all he can to save a patient's life and the doctor's anxiousness to save another patient's life by transplanting a heart, liver or other vital organs from the first patient.

Washkansky, meanwhile, said Friday night in Capetown he felt "100 per cent." In a tape-recorded interview he also commented, "I feel very lucky to be the first man in the world to have a new heart."

In a letter to the London Times a Birmingham surgeon wrote:

"What is the next step—removal of a vital organ from a cancer patient who will probably die in six months; or from a mongoloid child who may not survive beyond the age of 20? I think we must watch our step."

The Rev. David Bartle, an Episcopalian, expanded on the same theme in another letter. "It would seem that an old ethical problem about the preservation of life is being presented in a startling new form, since the heart must be taken from the donor so soon after death."

This, he said, raises the question of when death occurs—when the heart stops, when efforts to revive the heart fail, or when the doctor says death occurs?

The danger, he warned, is that "a hurried approach may lead to abuse of possible donors."

Prof. A.G. Riddel, head of surgery at the infirmary, said: "Anybody who comes into hospital, irrespective of whether he is a potential donor, will be treated with the best medical skill to save his life."

"He will not be treated by those who are going to perform a transplant. One cannot have a vested interest in a patient's death."

## Burns Herself

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — The wife of an official in Nationalist China's Interior Ministry went to the ministry Saturday, doused her clothes with gasoline, set herself on fire and perished.

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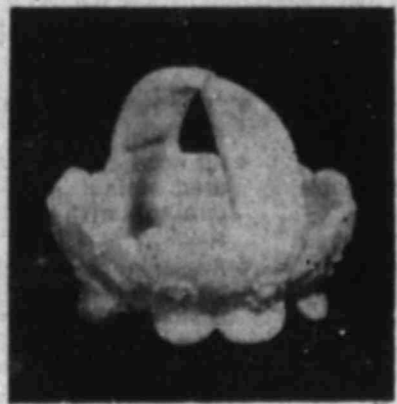
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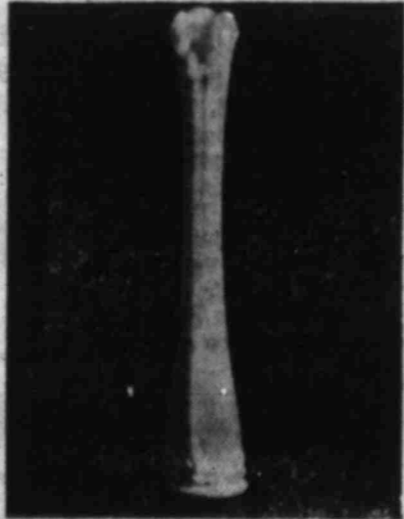
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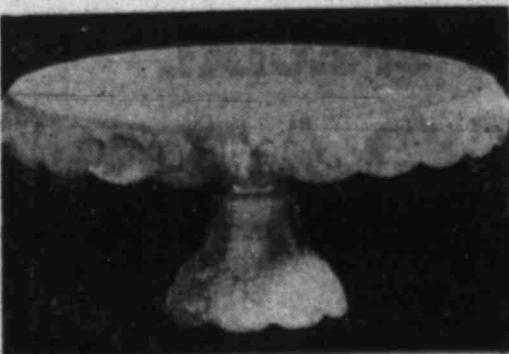
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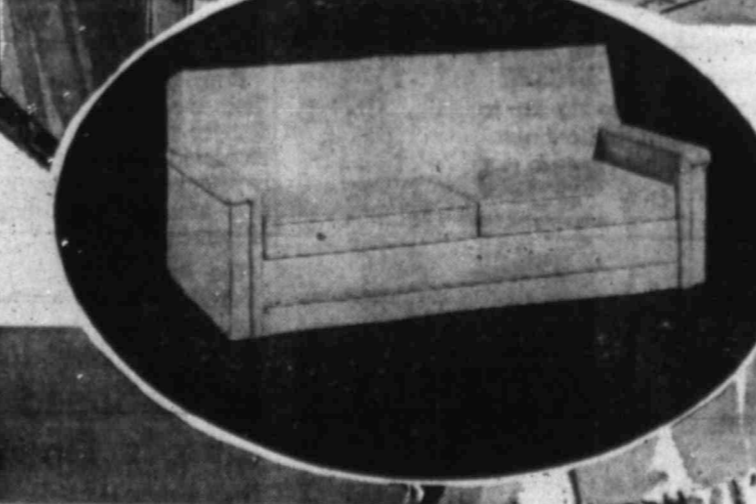
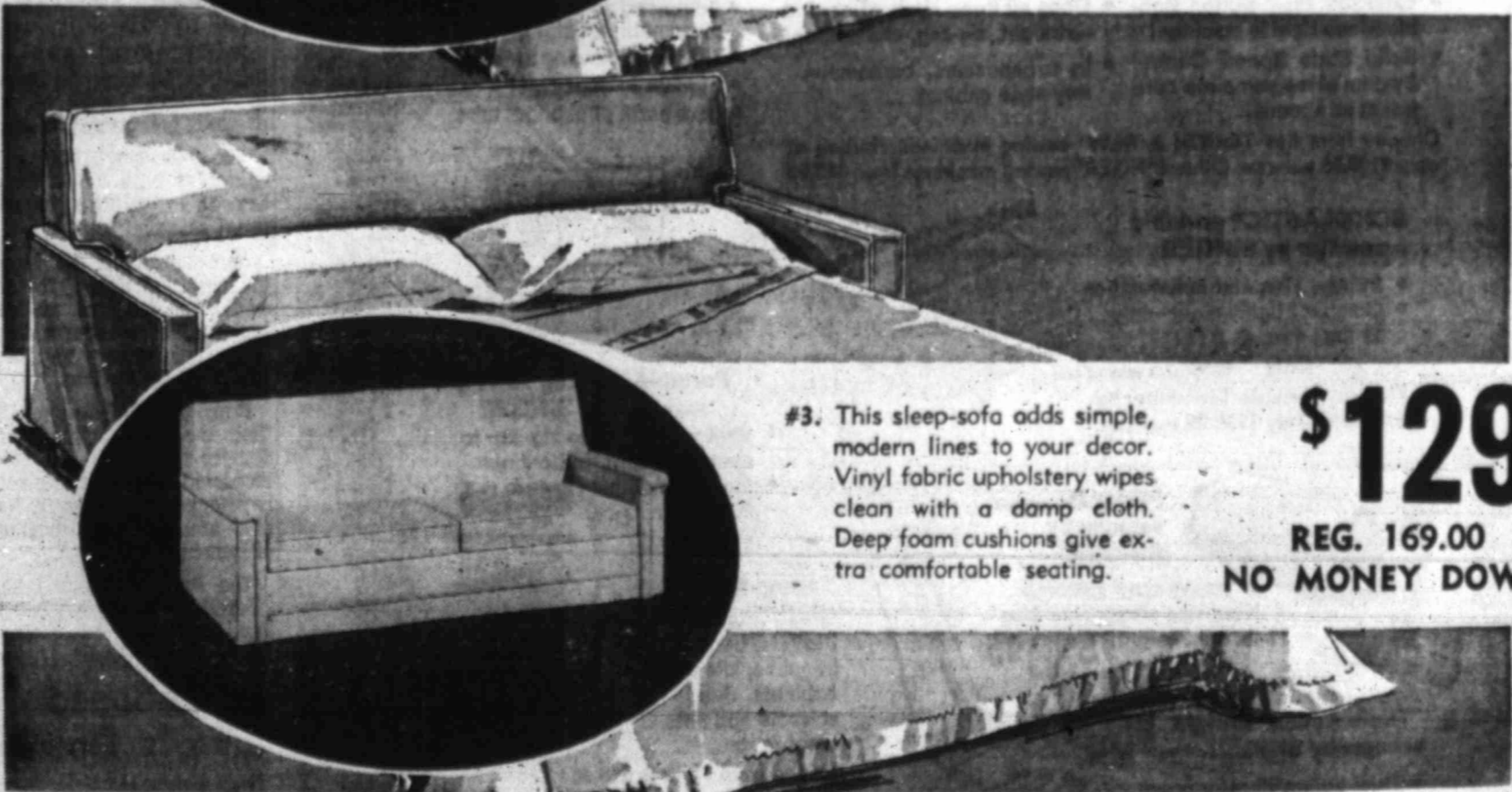
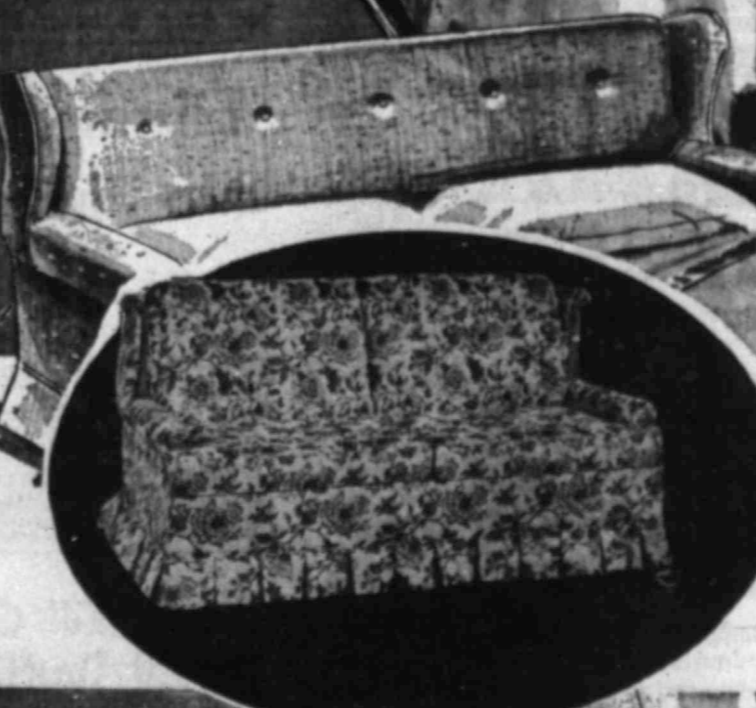
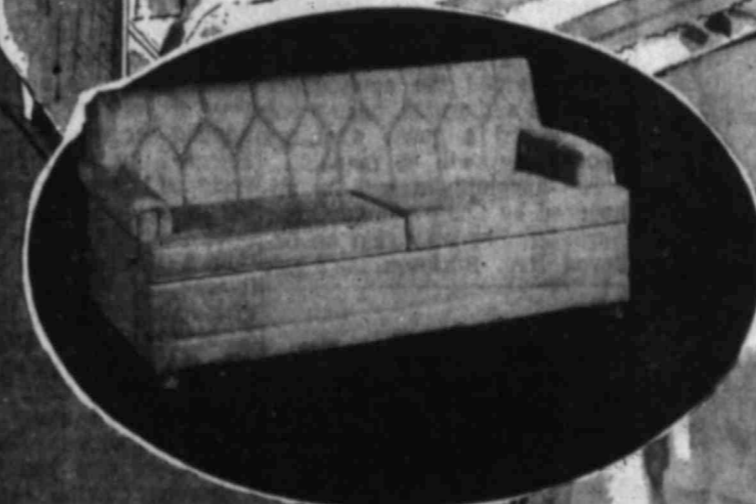
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# Something Missing Along Route No. 2

Things are not going to be the same this Christmas for the 200 families on Route 2 (formerly Knott Route 1).

Doubtless the mail will be delivered just as efficiently and courteously, but the "mailman" won't be the same.

This will be the first Christmas in 30 years that the boxholders on the route have not been served by Mrs. Leatrice Thornton, the woman who was actually the reason the route was established.

She has had to step aside from her post because of visual difficulties when the post office department no longer was willing to furnish her with a driver as had been done for about a year.

She is now living in Abilene. Mrs. Lucille Shugart, her daughter, was her official sub. Since she learned the job under her mother, the service is likely unchanged. It's just that Mrs. Thornton seemed to the patrons of the route to be a part and parcel of the thing. And they miss her.

### WORRIES

Not any more, though, than Mrs. Thornton misses them. "She worries about the route," said Mrs. Shugart, "and she worries about me."

Mrs. Thornton's retirement stemmed from an auto accident which occurred when she was not on the run itself. She never had an accident in the 30 years that she carried the mail.

She was injured when the car in which she was riding and Mrs. Shugart was driving collided with another vehicle on South Gregg street. A head injury damaged her vision, and driving in a sandstorm seemed to aggravate the condition.

Meantime, Frank Hardesty, postmaster here, said many applicants have filed for the job. He forwarded the applications to postal authorities, but no one will hazard a guess when an appointment will be made.

The appointment will be announced by Congressman Omar Burleson. Hardesty said he believed Rep. Burleson may ask



Old Car Served Mrs. Thornton Well Route Carrier in earlier days of her work

for some sort of qualifying examination. Mrs. Thornton was postmistress at Knott from 1933 to June 7, 1937.

### SHE PLANNED IT

"The people in my area," she said, "were having trouble with their mail. They had to go to Big Spring, for example, to get their newspapers. I began to map out a route which I felt would serve the folk in the Knott community."

When she had the route planned, she contacted a postal inspector, Joe Listman. He helped her in many ways and they took the matter up with Rep. George Mahon, who then served this district.

Mahon got the route established, and because she felt she knew what was needed in the way of service, Mrs. Thornton applied for the job of carrier. Selected by Rep. Mahon, she resigned her postmastership and began carrying the mail.

At first the route was more than 100 miles long. Ultimately it was cut in twain, and part of it called Route 2, Big Spring. "LEATRICE DO IT"

In the early days of her work on the route, Mrs. Thornton's work included many extracurricular activities. She hauled passengers who had to get to addresses on the route. She brought chickens to town for patrons who couldn't get in themselves. She ran thousands of errands, and when anything needed doing in town, it was the



MRS. LEATRICE THORNTON

common solution for the patrons to say:

"Well, we'll get Leatrice to take care of it for us."

Christmas was always a happy time for Mrs. Thornton. The gaily wrapped packages and the piles of Christmas cards meant that her friends on the route would have joy and her part in delivering them to the families gave her equal joy.

Mrs. Shugart is to continue as substitute until an appointment is made. Whoever is appointed will have his work cut out because folk along the route will be comparing the performance to Mrs. Thornton's.

## Library Wants Its Books, No Fines If Returned

If you happen to be one of a sizable army of Big Spring residents who have borrowed books from the Howard County library months ago and forgot to bring them back, the library has a Christmas present for you.

"Bring the books back by Wednesday," says Mrs. Opal McDaniel, the librarian, "and the library will cancel the fine you owe."

She said there are at least 1,000 books missing from the library stacks which borrowers have checked out and neglected to return.

Some of the books have been out for as long as two years. One borrower has a total of \$12.90 in accumulated fines charged against him. Mrs. McDaniel points out that the maximum fine on each book kept overtime is \$1, but in the case of this particular patron, there are 12 books charged out against him.

She said she called one of the delinquent borrowers and told her that the fine of about \$12 would be waived if the books she had returned. The patron had the books back in a matter of minutes after the phone call, the librarian said.

After the deadline Tuesday, Mrs. McDaniel indicated more drastic efforts to get the missing books back on their shelves would be started in the cases of persons who ignored the current request.

Rep. Wright Patman, D-Tex., filed the bill, saying Selective Service regulations are being interpreted in a way that adversely affects such students. He said this amounts to "second-class citizenship" for them.

The Patman bill will be considered in the session convening Jan. 15.

## Super-Speed Line Is Opened

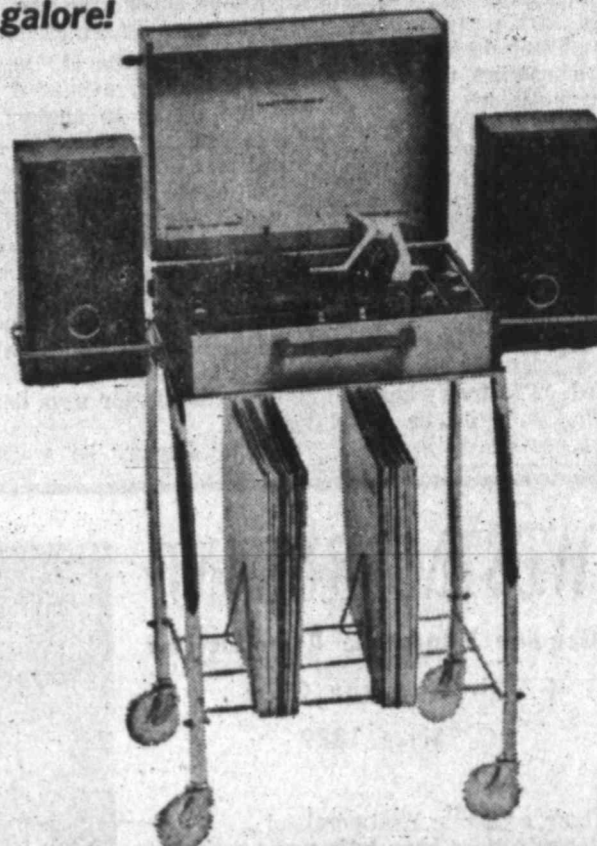
MEXICALI, Mexico (AP)—A new super-speed railway line linking Mexicali, Guadalajara and Mexico City was opened Friday, sharply cutting the traveling time between the three cities.

The 1,300-mile link, known as the Autovias Service of the Sonora-Baja California Railroad, will send a two-car train each way daily at speeds exceeding 100 miles an hour.

The one-way trip will take 29 hours, compared with the 40 hours of the former rail service.

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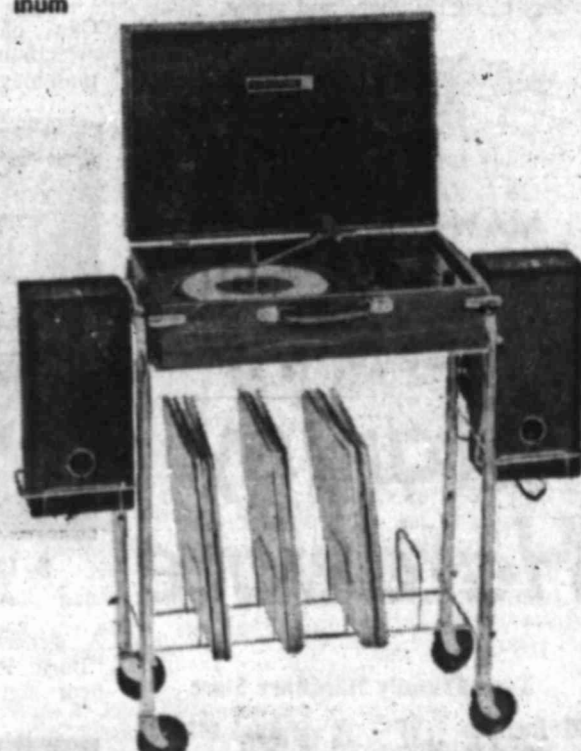
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OVER ABILENE COOPER IN CLASS AAAA FINALS

Reagan Scores Shocking Upset, 20-19

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP)—Ignited by a 97-yard kickoff return, Austin Reagan upset Abilene Cooper's powerful Cougars 20-19 Saturday and won the class AAAA schoolboy football championship.

Time ran out on Cooper inside the Reagan one-yard line.

Trailing 19-7 at halftime, the inspired Raiders pushed across touchdowns in the third and fourth periods, then gallantly withstood a mighty assault directed by Cooper quarterback Jack Mildren.

The battle between two unbeaten powers unfolded on a cold, gray, misty day and only 12,655 shivering fans watched as Reagan, extending his winning streak to 14, staged one of the all-time upsets in Texas high school football annals.

Plet Reagan halfback John Kleinert took the opening kickoff back 97 yards to open the thriller, then wrapped it up for Reagan when he slipped in for the third touchdown from one yard out.

The clincher came after a 56-yard drive masterminded by quarterback Dale Rebold, who connected on a 43-yard pass to Donald Ealey to set up the score at the Cougar three.

In between Kleinert's two touchdowns, the Raiders drove 31 yards after Bervin Mirtchings blocked a Cooper punt. Ealey took the ball in from the three.

The great comeback overshadowed another great effort by Mildren, who West Texans call the "ultimate weapon." He ran for two touchdowns, from six and two yards out, and passed 12 yards to Jon Harrison for the third.

The Cougars broke up a tight contest with two



AUSTIN REAGAN PASS BROKEN UP  
Aerial was meant for Donald Ealey (in white); R. Richburg defends

touchdowns in a span of 41 seconds of the second quarter and held a 19-7 lead at halftime.

Mildren guided his mates 80 yards in 10 plays and swept in from two yards out to break the 7-7 deadlock. Shoeless kicker John Villareal missed his first conversion attempt after 26 straight.

This perhaps was the difference, since Cooper, trying for two points after the third touchdown failed to convert.

Jesse Thompson converted after the first two Reagan touchdowns and, leading 20-19 after the third, went for two and missed.

A 41-yard punt return by Randy Allen set the stage for the third Cooper touchdown at the 14. Mildren cracked the line for two, then hit Harrison, his favorite target, on a 12-yard scoring play.

Harrison pulled down the ball at the seven, shook off Mike Bayer and skipped into the end zone.

Richard Mildren, Jack's younger brother, recovered a Reagan fumble at the Raider 12 to set up the first Cooper score, a six-yard scamper by Mildren.

Kleinert struck fear in the hearts of the Abilene fans every time he touched a kickoff following up his 97-yard touchdown run with returns of 41 and 21 yards.

With less than five minutes left, Cooper took the kickoff and moved from its own 28 to the Raider two-yard line. And on the final play of the game, Mildren tried to sneak in but was stopped just short of the goal.

Twice Mildren hit clutch passes to end Larry Hoeler to keep the drive going, and pandemonium set in when the glittering scoring bid and time ran out.

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Extra Arbiter Is Big Help

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Two is company, and three is a crowd, so the saying goes. But not if there are three basketball officials, all working the same game.

Officials Harry Pressman, Harold Barr and Morrie Kaplan worked the St. Joseph's, Pa., College-Hofstra game Friday night, the first such experiment in a major intercollegiate varsity game. They thought it was great.

St. Joseph's defeated Hofstra, 77-69, in what both coaches described as a perfect game for the three officials to work. It matched a rugged rebounding team, Hofstra, against a pressing, ball-hawking St. Joseph's club. There was enough for three officials to watch.

"I liked it very much," said Pressman, the senior official. "Obviously, the coverage was better, especially on goal tending and basket interference. There were no blind spots."

The officials operated out of a triangular setup, with one in the back court the way two men work a game. The third man was along the sidelines as an extension of the foul line.

When the ball changed hands, the trailing official raced under the opposite basket, the other two rotating.

The number of personal fouls called, 42, was about average. Three players fouled out all within the last three minutes, one with 16 seconds remaining.

Two goal tending calls were made and another refused because the third official was in perfect position to see the arc of the ball, Bonder said.

Plano Wins, 27-8, In AA Grid Finals

WACO, Tex. (AP)—Three schoolboy football championships. Plano quarterback Alex Williams broke the game wide open with scoring jaunts of 45 and 94 yards in the second half as the Wildcats captured their second state championship in three years.

Williams' two tremendous runs through a near-freezing rain overcame an 8-7 Randolph lead and broke the backs of the scrappy Ro-Hawks.

The Wildcats had taken a 7-0 lead on the first play from scrimmage when speedy tailback John Griggs raced 66 yards to give Plano a lead with only 19 seconds gone.

Garvey James kicked the extra point with 11:41 left in the first period.

The underdogs Ro-Hawks bounced back expertly before a rain-drenched audience of 4,000 fans and dominated the action throughout the remainder of the first half to maintain an 8-7 lead.

Randolph drove 58 yards in nine plays with quarterback Tex Allshouse scoring from the two with 1:06 to play in the first period. Allshouse then passed to To Bice for a two-point conversion.

Duke is second on the five-year list followed by Texas at El Paso, Providence, Vanderbilt, Princeton, Davidson, St. Joseph's of Philadelphia, Chicago Loyola and San Francisco.

Tigers Upset By Tarheels

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP)—Sophomore Charlie Scott sparked a second half outburst that broke open a tight defensive struggle and sent North Carolina to a 71-63 basketball victory over previously unbeaten Princeton Saturday night.

The struggle between the seventh-ranked Tar Heels and No. 10 Princeton had been a ragged one for 32 minutes, and the margin for either team had been no more than three or four points at any time.

But with the Tigers leading 47-45 with 11:48 to go, Scott picked up the lethargic Tar Heels with his fast break and in 4 1/2 minutes North Carolina outscored the Tigers 18-2 to break the game open.

Scott and Larry Miller paced the scoring off the fast break, and Dick Grubar, a clever guard, set the tempo with excellent passing.

Miller was top scorer with 23 points. Scott had 17 and Rusty Clark 16. John Hummer got 17 points for Princeton.



GEORGE MIRA FIGHTS OWN BATTLES  
49er Quarterback wards off Cornell Green

Fired-Up 49ers Win Over Dallas, 24-16

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Statistics of the Dallas-San Francisco National Football League game.

The fired up San Francisco 49ers, with sensational catches, defeated the Capitol Division champion Dallas Cowboys 24-16 Saturday in a meaningless National Football League game.

The Cowboys, now 9-5, hoped to use this game to sharpen their attack for their Eastern Division championship game with Cleveland, the Central winner, in Dallas, Dec. 24.

Instead, in the nationally televised game, the 49ers won and

wound up the season with a 7-7 record.

San Francisco scored the first time it got the ball, on rookie Jim Jackson's interception and 22-yard run to Dallas' 37. Ken Willard and veteran John David Crow carried 20 and 13 yards, respectively, and Sonny Randle made a leaping, fingertip catch

of the four-yard pass for the touchdown.

"Danny Villanueva's 25-yard field goal cut it to 7-3. In the final quarter, the Cowboys went 91 yards to score on a 14-yard pass, Craig Morton to Lance Rentzel, and Craig Baynam scored on a one-yard run.

Mira threw three touchdown passes, including the four-yarder in the first period that gave the 49ers a lead they never relinquished.

Dallas quarterback Don Meredith left the game late in the first half with a slightly sprained knee. Doctors said he should be in shape for the game against the Cleveland Browns. He played with a mask protecting a broken nose.

The 49ers scored two other touchdowns on spectacular pass plays. Crow took an 8-yarder between two Cowboys and raced 10 more into the end zone.

Gary Lewis made a stunning catch of a 32-yard bullet from Mira.

Tommy Davis added a 37-yard field goal.

Dallas 3 0 0 18-16  
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The game with Cleveland was to have been HC's Western Conference opener. Now the Hawks will see their first conference action Jan. 2, meeting Lubbock Christian College

on the road.

entry in the meet, which extends through Wednesday.

The Hawks, now 4-7 on the year, will next see action at home the night of Dec. 30, at which time they oppose Paris Junior College team as part of a doubleheader. Eastern Oklahoma and Odessa College will clash in the other part of the twin bill, scheduled to get under way at 7 p.m.

The same four teams play the previous night in Odessa but HC will oppose Eastern that night and Odessa will square off with Paris.

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on the road.

Cleveland Loses Signal Caller

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Quarterback Dick Shiner of the Cleveland Browns broke his leg in practice Saturday and will miss Sunday's season final game against the Philadelphia Eagles.

A Browns spokesman said Gary Lane, a two-year National Football League veteran, would start instead. The Browns had announced earlier Shiner would start to give quarterback Frank Ryan a breather before the playoffs.

The Browns said Shiner slipped on an icy field while working out in Cleveland Saturday morning before the team flew here. He broke the fibula in his left leg.

Shiner, 25, is 6-foot-7 and weighs 197 pounds. He is a four-year NFL veteran and came to Cleveland from Washington in a trade just before the exhibition season.

Cincy Boasts Best Record

NEW YORK (AP)—UCLA national champions three of the last four years, is the leading college basketball team for the last five years on a won-lost basis. For the last 10 years, however, Cincinnati is No. 1.

The UCLA Bruins, with a current winning streak of 37 in a row, have won 129 games and lost only 19 for a percentage of .872 for the last five years, including three games this season through Dec. 13.

The Cincinnati Bearcats, who won the national title in 1961 and 1962 and had a 37-game winning streak snapped in 1963, compiled a 230-53 .813 record for the 10-year span. The National Collegiate Sports Services compiled the figures.

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Weather Could Prevent Hawk Trip To Oklahoma

HCJC's Western Conference basketball game Friday with Clarendon in Clarendon was postponed indefinitely due to bad weather and the Jayhawks' participation in an eight-team tournament starting Monday in Tishomingo, Okla., remained very much in doubt Saturday night.

Coach Buddy Travis said the Hawks would take part in the Oklahoma meet if at all possible but the locals may not be able to get to Tishomingo, due to the condition of the roads.

First round pairings in the Oklahoma meet were to pit the Hawks against Connors, Okla., at 2 p.m. Monday. Clarendon and Murray, Okla., which meet in a first round game at 9 p.m. Monday, are in the same bracket with HCJC and Connors. Amarillo, Texas, is another

MAGAZINE TABS WEST

Charley West, senior from Big Spring, was named to Time Magazine's 1967 All-America defensive platoon in its most recent edition. West played safety for the University of Texas at El Paso team. The Miners will wind up their season against Ole Miss in the Sun Bowl game Dec. 30.

Gene Stallings Pleased With Progress Of A&M

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP)—Coach Gene Stallings of Texas A&M Saturday expressed pleasure with his squad's preparation for the Cotton Bowl date with Alabama.

He sent his starting offensive and defensive units in after only an hour's work.

"We have had as good a week's practice as we've had all year," he said. "The weather has been colder than normal and that might have given the players a little extra bounce."

Stallings said his Aggies still have not completed their game plans for the Jan. 1 meeting with Alabama and that they worked mostly on basis stuff this past week.

"Next week we'll concentrate on situation offense and defense

that we'll use against Alabama," Stallings said. The Aggie coach also added that his squad was in the best physical condition that it had been all year and that included the season opener against Southern Methodist.

Wendell Housley, who missed the Rice game and saw only limited service against Texas because of a broken foot, ran at full speed this week and should be in fine shape for the Cotton Bowl. He alternated with Bill Salee at the fullback slot all week.

The Aggies will continue training here through next Friday, then the players will be dismissed to go home for Christmas and will reassemble in Dallas Dec. 26.



Somebody Remembers The 'Forgotten Five'

They call the offensive line of the Baltimore Colts the "Forgotten Five," but Hollywood High School students clustered around them for autographs Friday when the team worked out briefly for today's meeting with the Los Angeles Rams.

They'll face the Rams' defensive Fearsome Foursome in the showdown clash for the NFL Coastal Division championship. Left to right: Glenn Ressler, Dick Szymanski, Dan Sullivan, Bob Vogel and Sam Ball.

# Coastal Title Go Scheduled In NFL

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Los Angeles Rams, enjoying their finest hours in a long, long decade, favored a skimpy one-point favorite today on the eve of their struggle with the Baltimore Colts.

At stake is the Coastal Division title of the National Football League. The two teams battled down to the wire in the final contest of the regular season.

### SELLOUT SURE

Memorial Coliseum's 76,000 available seats have been sold out for more than two weeks for this nationally televised game—CBS — with the kickoff set for 3:05 p.m., Big Spring time.

The weatherman said there was a chance for showers Saturday and, elements being what they are, it might come up damp today. Los Angeles fans are notoriously kitchens about venturing out in bad weather—oldtimers can't forget that only 27,980 braved a downpour for the Ram-Philadelphia NFL championship game in 1960—but it will take something extra bad to keep 'em away from Sunday's game.

Johnny Unitas and the Colts could wrap it all up with just a tie and go on to meet Green Bay, the Central Division winners, in Milwaukee next Saturday.

The Rams must win, period. Baltimore is unbeaten but twice tied. Los Angeles has a 10-1-2 record.

Coach Don Shula's Colts and George Allen's Rams wound up in a 24-24 tie in Baltimore Oct. 15. The week previously, Los Angeles lost its only game of the season, to San Francisco.

Since each played tie games again on Oct. 22, Baltimore with Minnesota and Los Angeles with Washington, the two have banged out seven straight victories apiece.

### TOUGH ASSIGNMENT

The question before last week's Green Bay-Los Angeles game was: could the Rams possibly beat two such powerful rivals as the Packers and the Colts in back-to-back games? The Rams answered the first part with a come-from-behind, 27-24 triumph, one that was earned by a blocked punt and a pass in the final 34 seconds, Roman Gabriel to Bernie Casey.

Now comes the second, and doubtless the tougher part of the problem.

The game figures to be a duel between the quarterbacks, Gabriel and Johnny U.; a struggle between a fine Baltimore offensive line, the so-called Forgotten Five, and the Rams' Fear-

some Foursome, which boasts two All-NFL stars, end David Jones and tackle Merlin Olsen. Baltimore is credited with the better defensive secondary, the Rams with a better rushing defense.

The Rams have no injury problems. The Colts' defensive

back veteran Lenny Lyles, has a bad ankle and Al Hayman is slated to start in his place at right corner.

And no one will be too astonished if it comes down to the place kicking specialists, Baltimore's Lou Michaels who kicked 19-out of 35 field goal attempts,

and Bruce Gossett, 18 of 41. In Sunday's other regular season finale, Cleveland's Century division champs visit Philadelphia, Green Bay's Central kings entertain Pittsburgh, St. Louis is at New York, New Orleans at Washington, Chicago at Atlanta and Minnesota at Detroit.

### BY MARGIN OF 36-12

## Brownwood Lions Defeat El Campo For AAA Title

AUSTIN (AP)—The Brownwood Lions crushed the previously undefeated El Campo Ricebirds 36-12 Saturday to win the Class AAA football championship of Texas schoolboy football and give Brownwood coach Gordon Wood a record fifth state title.

The Lions scored 16 points in the second period—running 28 plays to El Campo's nine—and led 23-0 at the half.

The Ricebirds, who were 13-0 going into the title game, fought back with two touchdowns in the third quarter but a Brownwood touchdown set up by a fake punt and 22-yard run on fourth down by quarterback Si Southall to the El Campo 17 made it 30-12

and iced the game. Wood's five championships included two at Stamford. The late Paul Tyson of Waco and Joe Golding of Wichita Falls each coached four championship teams.

Brownwood finished the season with a 12-1-1 record, the one loss to Abilene Cooper, 42-13, and a 21-21 tie with Wichita Falls Hirsch. Brownwood scored the second time it got its hands on the ball, moving 36 yards in three plays. Damon Smith took a perfect 34-yard pass from Southall for the touchdown.

The quick drive was set up by a 19-yard punt return by David Wallace.

## New York Jets Facing Uphill Fight Today

East is East and West is West. Trouble for the slumping New York Jets, who tackle Oakland's Western Division champions Sunday in a key American Football League scrap.

The Jets started the weekend in a 7-1 deadlock for the Eastern Division lead with the Houston Oilers, who entertained San Diego Saturday in another pivotal game.

In Sunday's other AFL games, Kansas City is at Denver in the

season finale for each club and Boston visits Miami.

Oakland nailed the Western crown last week, but the Raiders won't lack incentive in Sunday's rematch. The Raiders suffered an early season 27-14 loss to the Jets, the only setback for Daryle Lamonia & Co. in 12 starts.

Lamonia completed 23 of 25 passes in last Sunday's 19-7 triumph over Houston but failed to connect for a touchdown for the first time this year. Jets' quarterback Joe Namath was less fortunate—Kansas City defenders flattened him repeatedly as the Chiefs whipped New York 21-7.

Namath, however, figures to get more help this week. Don Maynard, who has caught only one pass while hobbled by a pulled-thigh muscle the past two weeks, is reported in top shape again. The swift flanker ranks No. 5 among AFL receivers with 51 catches.

Split end George Sauer, Namath's other prime target, leads the league with 62 receptions—four more than Oakland running back Hewitt Dixon.

The Jets, who last won at Oakland in 1962, hold a 7-6-1 series edge over the Raiders.

Miami, which stunned San Diego 41-24 last week behind rookie quarterback Bob Griese, can escape a cellar finish in the East by defeating the Patriots, who have dropped four in a row for a 3-9-1 mark.

The young Dolphins, 3-9, face Houston a week from Sunday in a game that might decide the Eastern winner.

The Chiefs, 8-5, expect to find Denver, 3-10, considerably improved since they mauled the Broncos 52-9 in their first meeting. The Broncos, who come off a bye following their 33-24 upset over New York two weeks ago, have beaten Kansas City just once in 15 meetings.

## Dallas Expecting 1,000 For Jan. 19-20 Clinic

DALLAS — A fine array of top football coaches has been lined up for the 1968 Dallas Coach of the Year Football Clinic on Jan. 19-20 at the Baker Hotel.

The clinic is sponsored jointly by the American Football Coaches Association and Kodak Company.

There will be Duffy Daugherty, veteran mentor of Michigan State University and Bud Wilkinson, Sports Analyst and former coach of Oklahoma University power-house teams.

Other speakers are Frank Broyles and his staff, University of Arkansas, Tony Mason, line coach — University of Michigan, Chuck Fairbanks, Oklahoma University Big Eight Conference Champions, whose team will play in the Orange Bowl, Fairbanks is a nominee for Coach of the Year from District 7, Burley Bearden is also a nominee for the small college Coach of the Year. The College Coach of the Year will be selected by vote of members of the American Football Coaches Association at the annual convention in New York, Jan. 11. He will be

selected from the nominees from eight districts throughout the nation and will round out the clinic staff.

Clinic manager, Herman Cowley, says that a record crowd of 1000 coaches is expected. The registration fee is \$7.50 pre-registration or \$10 at the clinic.

### Wright Resigns As Grid Mentor

CROSBYTON—Deane Wright, head grid director here for the past eight years, resigned Tuesday night to accept a position as a sporting film representative. Named to replace Wright was Robert Lancaster, an assistant here the past season.

Lancaster is a graduate of Texas Tech and a member of the Raiders' '64 Sun Bowl squad. Wright compiled an outstanding record in his last three years, winning the district title for the first time last year and holding a 24-7 ledger. Wright also held the position of athletic director, but no one has been named to fill this position.

## Pursley, Pack Are Included On All-Stars

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — The Texas Football League all-star team was selected Saturday by the players and coaches of the eight-club professional circuit.

Forty-three players were chosen by their opponents, 25 on the offensive and 18 on the defensive squad.

The Western Division champions, the Tulsa Thunderbirds, won seven spots, joining the league champions, the San Antonio Toros, and the Pasadena Pistols, who also placed seven stars on the two teams.

The Dallas Rockets, who tied the pistols for second place in the Eastern Division, placed six players, including Jerry Wilhite, who led the voting on the defensive squad. Wilhite was picked as a defensive back.

The offensive voting was led by Wilbert "Rocket" Ross of the Tulsa Thunderbirds, selected as the outstanding kick returner. All eight clubs are represented on the two teams.

Following are the squads as picked by their opponents:

**OFFENSE**  
Ends—Roger Gill, San Antonio; Barry Smith, Dallas; Ken Higginbotham, Pasadena; Harvey Cernosek, Pasadena.

Tackles—George Gaiser, San Antonio; David Pursley; Odessa; Ronnie Pack, Odessa; Harold Latham, Tulsa.

Guards—Ronnie Patterson, Fort Worth; Willie Christian, Pasadena; Larry Bohanon, Tulsa; Charlie Cheeks, Pasadena.

Centers—Ray Campbell, Dallas; Johnny Kenard, Fort Worth.

Quarterback—Charles Green, Pasadena; Luz Pedraza, San Antonio.

Running Back—James "Bear" Brown, San Antonio; William Hodges, Sherman-Denison.

Fullback—Earl Latimer, Fort Worth; Charles Barnhardt, Tulsa.

Flankers—Doug Brodus, Sherman-Denison; Sonny Gossett, Wichita Falls.

**DEFENSE**  
Ends—Clarence Miles, San Antonio; Mark Maddox, Tulsa; Fred Polser, Fort Worth; Lewis Cager, Dallas.

Tackles—Ken Hudson, San Antonio; Elliot Franklin, Pasadena; Ted Polser, Fort Worth; Bob Windham, Odessa.

Linebackers—Larry Fairchild, Dallas; Pat Alexander, Wichita Falls; Dwight Claxton, Tulsa; Bill Lisenbee, Odessa.

Defensive backs—Jerry Wilhite, Dallas; John Poterfield, Tulsa.

Safeties—Jerry Jolly, Sherman-Denison; Alfredo Avila, San Antonio; Francis Tutts, Odessa; Jim Roark, Pasadena.

The place-kicker was Carlos Paulino of Dallas and the punter Mike McBride of Wichita Falls.

### Sands Tourney Is Called Off

ACKERLY—Inclement weather continued to take its toll, as the Sands Invitational Basketball tournament was cancelled here Friday after several teams called and cancelled their appearances.

According to Coach James Blake, at least four teams declined making appearances due to the hazardous road conditions.

## Ector-Steer Contest Is Reset For Monday

The non-district cage clash between Ector's high-flying Eagles and the local Steers was postponed here Friday night due to inclement weather. The game is now slated for tomorrow night at 8 p.m.

Cresting an eight-game winning streak — including tournament championships at Lake View and Colorado City—Ector has split a pair of tilts with Longhorn district-mate, Odessa Periman.

Big Spring, sporting an 8-0 won-lost mark for the season, will be out to make up for its shocking 54-52 overtime loss to previously lightly-regarded Seminole.

The other three Steer setbacks came at the hands of Crane, Lubbock and Odessa.

Along with potent Andrews, the formidable Ector quintet is generally regarded as one of the teams to beat in 2-AAA vying this season.

Kirby Pugh, Longhorn cage mentor, regards newcomers Dean Gilstrap, Cleveland Gossett and Jim Newman as his best additions to this year's team. All three cagers are graduates of the JV squad.

Big Spring was placed in the lower bracket and will meet the winner-loser of the Plainview-Wichita Falls contest in a semi-finals game.

have accepted invitations to play in the annual Caprock Holiday Tournament which opens action here on Wednesday, Dec. 27, and is scheduled to run through Dec. 29.

There will again be two divisions in the tournament which draws many of the top area teams. In the AAAA division, play begins at 3:30 p.m. when Lubbock High takes on Texas City. All three major Lubbock high schools will have a go at the championship. Other action in the same category pits the Big Spring Steers against Lubbock Monterey at 7:30. Plainview meets Wichita Falls Rider in a 6 p.m. contest, and Lubbock Coronado battles Garland at 9.

In the AA-A-B division, Lubbock Christian will meet Ralls in the opener. Lorenzo and Denver City butt heads at 10 a.m., while the Stanton Buffaloes seek a victory over Taboka in a 12:30 conflict. Completing the bracket is a 2 p.m. battle between Crosbyton and Dimmitt.

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Stanton, the other area team, will meet the winner-loser of the Lorenzo-Denver City meeting in a top bracketed semi-final.

The tourney climaxes Friday night with the AAAA championship bout Friday, Dec. 29 at 9 p.m. Action in the other grouping winds up with a 7:30 p.m. championship struggle.

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Big Spring — Butler 2-6-19; Hodges 4-2-10; Cook 1-3-3; Newman 1-3-3; Brown 1-2-7; Harris 6-1-1; Henry 1-6-3; Gombon 6-1-1; Terrell 10-12-32.  
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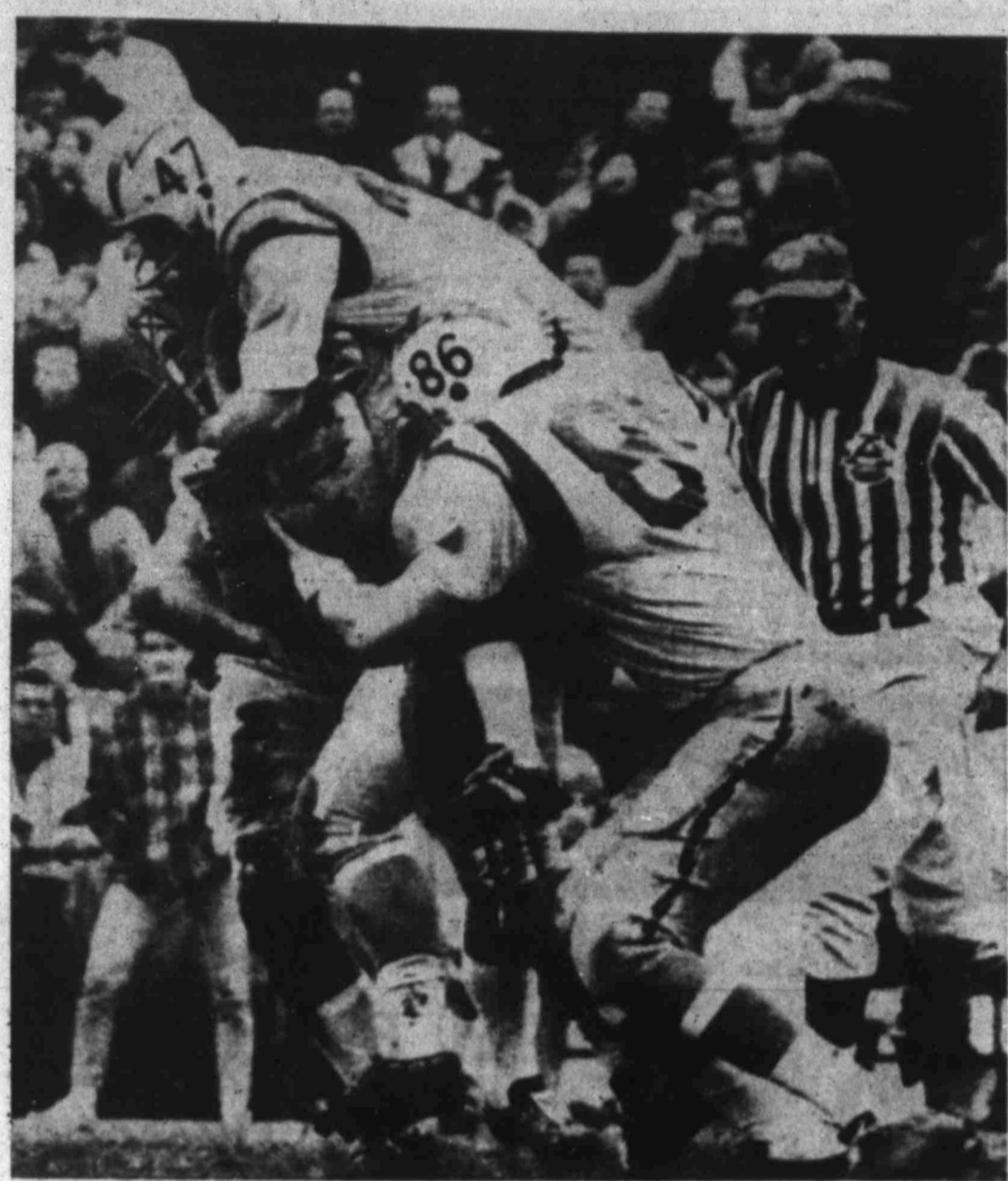


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Piggy Back

Houston Oiler fullback Hoyle Granger (32) carries San Diego defensive back Bud Whitehead (47) for a 12-yard ride in the first quarter of play in Saturday's game. San Diego defensive end Ron Billingsley (86) assists Whitehead in bringing down the hard running Oiler back, but not before Granger had picked up a first down.

# Oilers Tip Chargers To Assume Top Spot

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers used the passing of Pete Beathard and power running of Hoyle Granger to defeat the San Diego Chargers 24-17 Saturday and take a one-half game lead in the Eastern Division title race of the American Football League.

Beathard threw two touchdown passes and Granger collected another while becoming only the second Oiler in history to gain more than 1,000 yards rushing in a single season.

The victory was Houston's first over San Diego since 1962, and it left the Oilers with an 8-1 record with only one game to play, against Miami next Saturday night in Miami.

The New York Jets can pull back into a division tie Sunday by upsetting Oakland, the champions of the Western Division. An Oakland victory, however, would assure Houston of at least a tie in the Eastern Division.

A 31-yard field goal by John Wittenborn gave Houston a 3-0 first period lead but San Diego came back with a 74-yard surge for a temporary 7-3 lead on a one-yard pass from John Hadl to Brad Hubbard.

Houston then moved to a 17-7 advantage as Granger scored on a one-yard run and Woodie Campbell took an eight-yard touchdown pass. An 18-yard field goal by Dick Van Raaphorst cut the lead to 17-10 early in the final period but Beathard led the Oilers to a 24-17 victory with a 59-yard drive with a 15-yard scoring toss to Alvin Reed.

Hadl kept San Diego's chances alive by engineering a late 57-yard surge which Willie Frazier ended by taking a 16-yard scoring pass with just two minutes, 58 seconds left. It was the last time the Chargers had the ball, however, as the Oilers took over and moved from their 28 to the San Diego 24 before the final gun.

Granger netted 107 yards in 27 carries to run his season total to 1,039 yards in 216 plays. The new mark erased a team record of 1,012 yards by Charlie Tolar in 1962.

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# Crowder: It's Good To Get Out Of Snow

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — The University of Colorado football team arrived Saturday and head coach Eddie Crowder said it was good to get away from the snow which had been hampering his preparations for the Bluebonnet Bowl.

However, weather conditions were not exactly ideal when the charter plane carrying the 58 players, coaches and wives touched down at International Airport. The thermometer registered 45 degrees and a light drizzle fell.

Miami, the Buffs' opponent in the Bluebonnet Bowl, arrives next Thursday.

Shortly after arrival Crowder took the team to the Rice practice field for a 30-minute "limbering up session."

Crowder, a former University of Oklahoma quarterback, said snow that began Monday night at Boulder forced cancellation of the Buffs' final scheduled workout and had limited others during the week.

The Colorado team was met by Stone Wells, president of the Bluebonnet Bowl, a high school band and Miss Melody Marx, Bluebonnet queen who is a student at South Texas Junior College.

The players and coaches received cowboy hats. Mrs. Crowder was presented flowers by the Houston Sterling High School Band.

Crowder said his team was in "pretty good physical condition" and both quarterbacks, sophomore Bob Anderson and senior Dan Kelly should be ready. Anderson has a sprained ankle.

# Georgia Upended In Liberty Bowl

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — North Carolina State turned back two Georgia scoring bids in the last four minutes Saturday, preserving a 14-7 upset victory over the Bulldogs in the ninth annual Liberty Bowl.

The Wolfpack, scoring its first bowl victory ever, stopped a Georgia drive on the one yard line with 3:27 left and then stopped another Bulldog bid on the ten.

Quarterback Jim Donnan, hitting on 16 of 24 passes, directed the North Carolina State triumph, which gave the Wolfpack nine victories for the first year since 1927.

The conquest by the Atlantic Coast Conference team was the first by an ACC football squad over a Southeastern Conference club in 24 tries.

The Wolfpack determined to prove it deserved its last minute invitation to the Liberty Bowl, cracked a 7-7 tie in the fourth quarter but almost blew it lead

# Swim Meet Nixed Due To Weather

According to Mike Harris, athletic director of the Big Spring YMCA, the swim meet scheduled to be held here Saturday morning, had to be cancelled.

The local swim buffs' opponents, Abilene's YMCA, called off the meet due to hazardous road conditions.

Although undetermined at this time, the meet will be rescheduled at a later date.

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# Foul Weather Nixes Races

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. — For the first time in history, Sunland Park was forced to cancel a racing program due to bad weather Saturday. The decision was announced at 8 a.m. by general manager, Bob Haynsworth.

"It's just too slick and dangerous," Haynsworth said in cancelling the 10-race program. "And I don't think many people would start on the roads. We will try to go ahead with Sunday's program."

Today's 10-race card, which will get under way at 1 p.m., will highlight the \$38,000 thoroughbred futurity at six furlongs. World record holder Kathryn's Doll will race Washington-bred sensation Pataha Prince in a field of 12 two-year-olds.

Today's program will also have an added treat in store for those braving the bad weather conditions in this park's heated and enclosed grandstand. Over \$50,000 in \$2 bills will be circulated at the many mutual pay-off windows.

# Arlington Wins Over Dakotans

ABILENE, Tex. (AP) — A ball-hawking University of Texas at Arlington defense stopped potent North Dakota State and took a 13-0 victory in the frozen Pecan Bowl football game Saturday.

North Dakota State had entered the game as the nation's No. 1 rushing outfit with 299.6 yard per game average. But a field which became more slippery as the game progressed, coupled with the aggressive defensive play of the Texans shut the Bisons out for the second time in 54 games. San Diego State did it last year.

Efforts of 150 people working from daylight to almost noon cleared a two-inch sheet of ice off the field and allowed the game to be played.

A sprinkle of rain came at the start of the game and the field became a quagmire but the teams struggled through in 33-degree temperature as only 1,200 fans turned out.

The Rebels used a long pass to set up a first half touchdown and then got an insurance score after a fumble recovery late in the game.

Having spent most of the first half with their backs to the wall, the Rebels suddenly came to life with a 53-yard pass from Mike Baylor to Dick Hill. This put them on the Bison 23.

A half-the-distance penalty pushed the Bisons back to the 10 and then four plays later Danny Griffin blasted through a big hole on the left side for the final foot, on fourth down. Skipper Butler's point try was wide to the left.

A pass interception by Monty Tolleson at the Rebel 12 put a halt to the most serious Bison threat. It came after the Rebels had lost the ball by a fumble on their own 34.

The Bisons had two more golden chances go astray in the second half. A pass interference call and a 22-yard pass moved the Bisons to the Rebel 20. However, a fourth down screen pass was shy of the necessary first down yardage at the Rebel 12.

North Dakota State got still another opportunity when Wally McNamee recovered a bobble on the Arlington 39. The Rebel defense rose to meet the challenge by halting the Bison threat at the seven.

Tolleson picked off his second interception at the North Dakota State 48 moments later and it was the Rebels' turn to pose a threat. However, Butler misfired on a 48-yard field goal.

Lady Luck continued to ride with the Rebels as Danny Scott

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# QUINN MAKES SECOND MAJOR TRADE

# Jim Bunning Is Traded To Pirates By Phils

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies, in what appears to be a rebuilding program, traded ace right-hand pitcher Jim Bunning to the Pittsburgh Pirates Saturday for left-hander Woody Fryman and three minor league players.

General Manager John Quinn of the Phillies said shortstop Don Money, a Pirates' farmhand, was the key to his willingness to give up Bunning, one of the top pitchers in baseball. The Phillies also received two pitchers from the Pirates' system: left-hander Bill Laxton and right-hander Harold Clem.

It was the second deal in less than 24 hours by Quinn, who Friday night sent two veterans, pitcher Dick Elsworth and catcher Gene Oliver, to the American League champion Boston Red Sox for young catcher Mike Ryan.

Although it had been rumored for sometime that Bunning, now 36, was expendable in a youth movement, the trade was a stunner in that the Phillies did not obtain one proven major league performer. Fryman had a 12-9 rookie year at Pittsburgh in 1966, but last season slumped to a 3-8 record with a 4.96 earned run average.

Bunning, one of eight pitchers in the history of major league baseball to pitch a perfect game, came to the Phillies in the winter of 1963 from the Detroit Tigers for outfielder Don Demeter and pitcher Jack Hamilton. He won 19 games in each of his first three years with the Phillies and 17 last season for a total of 74 National League victories, including 23 shutouts and a 2.48 ERA. He lost 46.

The tall, slim Kentuckian last season posted a 2.29 ERA, second best in the league and the best of his 13-year career. He told the Associated Press earlier Saturday, "I can't pitch any



JIM BUNNING

centage and was second in fielding percentage.

Laxton, 19, pitched with Clinton, Iowa, of the Midwest league after spending the first part of the season in the Army Reserve program. He was 4-9 with a 3.74 ERA, striking out 104 in 89 innings and allowing 61 hits.

Clem, 21, posted a 15-3 record at Raleigh and led the league with a 1.64 ERA.

General manager Joe Brown of the Pirates said, "We paid a heavy price. Money is one of the finest young prospects in all of baseball.

"Everyone has said that all we need is a big pitcher. Well we got a big pitcher, capital B, capital I, capital G."

The Pirates were the pre-season 1967 National League pennant favorite and wound up a dismal sixth, mostly because of ineffective pitching. Halfway through the season manager Harry Walker was fired and Danny Murtaugh, stepping out of the front office, completed the season. Brown recently hired Larry Shepard as 1968 skipper.

Shepard said of the deal, "We're a complete contender now..." He said he plans a starting rotation of Bunning, Bob Veale, Tom Sisk, Alvin McBean and Steve Blass.

Bunning, who pitched his perfect game June 24, 1964, against the New York Mets and also hurled a no-hit, no-run game for Detroit against Boston July 20, 1958, said he was happy with the trade.

Going to the Pirates, Bunning rejoins Shepard, who was his pitching coach with the Phillies last year.

"I think Shepard is a very sound baseball man, the type of fellow you can work for," Bunning said.

# Bobcats Batter Monahans Quint

FORT STOCKTON — Favored San Angelo Bobcats climbed into the finals of the Fort Stockton Basketball Tourney here Friday night by virtue of a 73-50 waxing of the Monahans Lobos. It was the Bobcats' ninth success in ten outings.

Dick Rittman's roundballers warmed to a 16-8 first quarter lead and never gave the Lobos a chance to get close. By the midway buzzer, the Cats led 40-19.

Four Catmen ended up in double figures for the night. The Cats leading scorer Carl Johnson copped high point honors with 19. Other Cats in double figures were Joel Owens (12), Steve Ford (11), and David Lupton (10).

Ricky Tedford paced Monahans with 16 net rippers.

SA ANGELO (7) — Jones 9-19; Bradley 4-8; Lupton 4-10; Ford 2-7; Owens 4-12; Green 2-15; Alzade 2-4; Bystrum J-3; Lucy 0-22. Totals 28-172.

MONAHANS (58) — Berry 10-2; Dixon 20-4; Cooper 1-3; Smith 2-2; Tedford 4-12; Baker 2-4; Foster 2-4; West 2-4; Forman 1-2. Totals 38-149. San Angelo 16 49 47 73

# Seventh Graders To Resume Play

Play in the seventh grade basketball circuit resumes here Monday night with two games on tap. The Monday night battles pit the Runnels Saints against the Runnels Packers, while the two Goliad squads, the Blacks and the Whites, butt heads in the Goliad gymnasium.

Runnels' Saints tipped the Goliad Black squad by an overtime count of 18-16 in league action Thursday night. Bruce Felts hit a lay-up just as the buzzer sounded for Runnels' margin of success. Regulation play had ended with things called even at 16-16.

The loss dropped the Blacks to a 6-2 seasonal record while the Saints are now 1-1. The Goliad Whites remain top team in the standings with a spotless 2-0 slate. The Runnels duo are tied for second place, each having a 1-1 record to its credit.

Runnels Saints — Felts 13-4; Luvens 8-1; Green 2-4; Grimes 1-2; Gonzalez 1-2; Pasiga 0-1; Roy 1-2.

Goliad — Davis 4-14; Treadway 2-1; Webb 1-2; Farris 0-1; Carroll 1-1. Totals 5-16.

Score by quarters: 21 16 18-38 Blacks 4 8 10 16-38

# FIGHT RESULTS

FRIDAY NIGHT  
NEW YORK — Luis Rodriguez, 152, Miami, Fla., outpointed Bennie Briscoe, 165, Philadelphia, 10.  
ROME — Emilio Griffith, 157½, New York, stopped Remo Goltarini, 165, Italy, 6 Non-title.  
COLOGNE, Germany — Gernot Brenner, 167½, Bochum, outpointed J. P. P. Elze, 161½, West Germany, 10.  
BERNE, Switzerland — Fernando Altieri, 167, stopped Fritz Chervel, Switzerland, 14th for European Flyweight championship.  
BILBAO, Spain — Pedro Corrao, 137½, Spain, stopped Omar Hector Olivares, 137½, Argentina, 4.  
EDMONTON — Bill McGrawie, Edmontan, knocked out Tommy Fitz, Shelby, Ohio, 8, featherweights; Bob Rodd, 162½, Birmingham, stopped Jack E. Burns, St. John, N.B., featherweight; Rudy Rodriguez, Minneapolis, outpointed Mike Green, Missoula, Mont., 10, middleweights.

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# 'Big Play' Elevens To Meet In Dallas

DALLAS (AP) — Alabama and Texas A&M, the teams that appear in the Cotton Bowl Jan. 1, have created more unusual incidents than any other two schools in the 32 years of the football classic.

And because both are noted as "big play" teams, there is reason to believe they'll contribute some more records and or unique happenings.

It's doubtful, perhaps, that any can top one occurring in 1954 when Tommy Lewis came from the Alabama bench area and tackled Dicky Moegle of Rice, who was on an interrupted 95-yard touchdown run. The latter, incidentally, is a major bowl record.

A&M wasn't in that game but it already had made a contribution to the unusual a dozen years before.

The Aggies lost to Alabama 29-21 in 1942 but you'd never think so from the offensive statistics. Alabama made only one first down, which A&M had 13 and a net total offense of 309 yards to 75 for the Crimson Tide.

**RECORD STANDS**  
The Aggies also tried 41 passes that day—a record that still stands for the Cotton Bowl.

Alabama won the game with seven pass interceptions and recovery of five Aggie fumbles plus a 72-yard punt return for a touchdown by Jimmy Nelson.

But just winning with only one first down should be a record if such things were included in bowl history.

So here they are 25 years later preparing to resume the feud that erupted in 1942 when the Aggies went around asking, "What does it take to win?" If history is to be repeated,



BYRON NELSON

## Links Greats Set To Honor Byron Nelson

DALLAS (AP) — Golf greats of the past 30 years will be here next April to honor one of their immortals — a caddy turned king.

The 1967 Greater Dallas Open golf tournament has been renamed the Byron Nelson Golf Classic as a tribute to the Roanoke gentleman farmer.

And, appropriately, the Preston Trail Golf Club over which it will be played was designed in great part by Nelson, along with Ralph Plummer.

Members of the Salesmanship Club and the Preston Trail Golf Club, co-sponsors of the classic, have been advised by the National PGA that change of name and dedication to Nelson has been enthusiastically approved.

The finest names in golf — Nicklaus, Palmer, Player, Hogan, Brewer, will blend with misty oldtimers like Craig Wood, Vic Ghezzi, Denny Shute, et al — for the testimonial tournament.

On the evening prior to the tournament's start, more than 1,000 golf fans from the nation over will gather at a testimonial dinner to pay tribute to the man who will hold, forever, some of golf's top records — like 11 straight tournament victories in 1945 and an over-all bag of 19 first place that season.

Chris Schinkel, his broadcasting partner on the tour tournaments, will serve as master of ceremonies.

Nelson, born in Fort Worth in 1912, started his golf life by working as a caddy with Ben Hogan. They developed together and throughout amateur and pro days played it head-to-head until back troubles put Nelson out of competitive play.

Winner of all the big ones — the U.S. Open, National PGA, Masters — Nelson's spurge in 1945 still stands in the record books: He averaged an amazing 68.33 per round. Today, he is known as having done as much for golf as any one man.

## Clifton Club Is Defeated

SAN MARCOS, Tex. (AP) — Bill Daniels' toe and a rock-hard defense made Tidehaven champion of Class A Texas schoolboy football.

Daniels took a 39-yard pass and then kicked the extra point to bring Tidehaven from behind to a 7-6 victory over Clifton Friday night.

Clifton took a 6-0 lead in the second period when Rocky Rummel threw 22 yards to Robert Ledlow, but the try for point hit the goal post and bounced back.

Clifton fought tough to hold the lead in the second half and surrendered only one first down to Tidehaven—but that was the big play — the 39-yard throw from Bob Zemanek to Daniels that spelled Clifton's doom.

The hard-charging Tidehaven line set up the winning touchdown. It so harried Rummel that he could get only one serious scoring threat started in the final stages of the game.

Clifton was forced to punt from deep in its territory and the ball went only to the Clifton 39. Then came the big pass. Clifton outained Tidehaven 155 yards to 114 and had 11 first downs to five, but the big play won out again.

A crowd of 4,000 watched in 40 degree weather with a light rain falling most of the time.

## Stanton Shines In Cougar Win

ABILENE — Some Del Rio folks no longer talk of Abilene Cooper's basketball team, they simply speak of it as "Tom Stanton."

Stanton, the Cougars' high scoring center, led Cooper to a 61-38 shellacking of Del Rio here Friday night. Stanton scored his team's first 12 points en route to a dazzling 31-point output.

The entire first quarter was Stanton's and he organized a 12-4 lead for his team before he would even hear of his teammates scoring.

It was the fourth conquest in 11 outings for the Abilene quintet.

**COOPER—Stanton 14-3-1; Foster 1-1-1; Arvin 10-2; Huff 1-0-2; Goryczinski 1-0-2; Rucker 2-1-1; McKimmon 2-0-4; Fresh 2-0-4; and Underwood 2-0-4. Totals 28-14-38.**

**DEL RIO—Mossy 5-1-1; Ricks 3-1-1; Fernandez 2-1-1; Bradford 1-1-1; Ramirez 2-1-1; and Guerrero 2-0-4. Totals 14-8-38.**

Abilene Cougar ..... 12 17 11 22-41  
Del Rio ..... 4 9 14 11-38

## Baylor's Greg Pipes Is Named Winner Of Award

FORT WORTH (AP) — Greg Pipes, Baylor's All-American football player, has been named South-west Conference sportsman of the year by the Fort Worth Kiwanis Club.

The big lineman will be honored at a luncheon, the date of which has not been set. It will be in early January.

The final selection was made by a committee of Dutch Meyer of Texas Christian, Bill Van Fleet of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Bob Galt of the Dal-

## Ex-Champion Ring Winner

NEW YORK (AP)—Luis Rodriguez, a unanimous decision winner over Bennie Briscoe Friday night, will be offered a Jan. 22 Madison Square Garden date with Don Fullmer for the right to meet middleweight champion Emile Griffith.

Although Griffith has a third match with Italy's Nino Benvenuti on his tentative schedule, it is expected that he will accommodate the Rodriguez-Fullmer winner in his next defense if he gets past the Italian, Emile, ready to fight if the price is right, scored a sixth-round technical knockout Griffith in Rome in a non-title fight.

Rodriguez, former welter champ who won and lost the crown to Griffith in 1963, came out of the Briscoe bout with a cut on the side of the left eye. Angelo Dundee, who handles his business, said it was not serious and would not prevent a January bout.

If Rodriguez, the No. 1 contender in The Ring ratings, and Fullmer, No. 1 with the World Boxing Association, do fight here it will be the last bout in the old Garden which is to give way to the new arena in February.

# Mets, White Sox In Major Trade

By The Associated Press

The New York Mets have their most radical move while seeking to erase their image as a serio-comic baseball team by sacrificing Tommy Davis, their best hitter, in a six-player trade with the Chicago White Sox.

Center fielder Tommie Agee and infielder Al Wets, both exceptionally fine fielders, were obtained from the White Sox for Davis, veteran starting pitcher Jack Fisher and two minor leaguers, pitcher Billy Wynne and catcher Dick "Birdy" Booker.

The transaction was one of two completed Friday only a few hours before the midnight deadline for inter-league trading. In the other one, the Philadelphia Phillies sent pitcher Dick Eklund and catcher Gene Oliver to the Boston Red Sox for catcher Mike Ryan plus an undisclosed amount of cash.

The deal involving the light-hitting White Sox and the poor-fielding Mets had been rumored for a number of weeks.

The Mets think they made no mistake.

"Agee is a young player who has an outstanding glove and range, exceptional speed and good power," said Gil Hodges, the Mets' new manager, who piloted Washington of the AL the past five years.

"We have been searching to

fill the key position of center field ever since the Mets were organized," explained Johnny Murphy, New York's vice president and acting general manager. "When Hodges was signed as manager of our team he designated Agee as the American League's center fielder most worth shooting for in a deal."

Ed Short, the White Sox' general manager, was happy about the trade, too. "We feel that Davis is one of the better hitters in baseball and we think we have improved our offensive strength considerably."

Davis, 28-year-old outfielder, had a .302 batting average with 16 homers and 73 runs batted in last season. He led the NL in batting while with Los Angeles in 1962 and 1963.

## Poly Triumphs Over Eagles

ABILENE — It was one of those nights when everything was rolling along so smoothly and suddenly — BANG! Or so it seemed to the Warbirds of Abilene as they dropped a 82-77 tilt to Fort Worth Poly here Friday night.

Poly, playing the "bang" dumped in 10 points in a 90-second scoring spree late in the final quarter. In the preceding seconds of the burst, Abilene had been holding a 70-67 edge with just over three minutes left.

ABILENE—Scott 12-4-28; Huff 7-4-14; Nelson 6-1-13; Carter 4-1-12; Yeung 6-1-11; Shepard 1-0-1; and Brown 2-1-7. Totals 82-77.

FORT WORTH — Alie 8-4-20; Newberry 2-0-4; Bounds 3-0-4; Wilson 3-1-13; Fulton 13-2-28; Massey 2-1-5; Hudson 3-0-4. Totals 70-67.

Abilene ..... 18 16 17 39-77  
Fort Worth ..... 18 17 21 32-72

## LOOKING 'EM OVER

# Lewis Has High Hopes

By TOMMY HART

Although he is starting four juniors, Coach Doyle Edmiston of Waco Richfield has his basketball team rolling this season.

The former Stanton mentor guided his club to eight wins in its first 11 starts and Richfield knocked off Temple in its District 13-AAA opener, 78-56, after having lost to the same team in the finals of the Temple Invitational tournament.

California may have as many as five major baseball league teams in 1969, whereas ten years ago it did not have a one . . . Ralph Blount, son of ex-Big Springer Peppy Blount, scored Longview's first touchdown on a 35-yard pass play in that playoff game with Richardson . . . Longview outplayed Richardson by a wide margin but took it on the chin . . . On his way to the end zone, Ralph bowled over two defenders . . . Young Blount was the only junior to make the all-district 11 and was a unanimous selection . . . He finished as the second leading scorer in the conference, making 37 of 39 PAT's, five touchdowns and four of five field goal attempts—one of which was for 42 yards . . . In addition, Ralph was named to the All-East Texas Super High School team, one of two juniors so honored . . . Longview, by the way, had a quarterback named Steve Judy who is being compared favorably with Cooper's Jack Mildren and who is being sought by every school in the Southwest Conference . . . McLennan County Junior College of Waco, early season conqueror of HCJC, lost its first two starts in the Texas Junior College Conference . . . O. J. Simpson, Southern California's sensational halfback, came close to enrolling at San Francisco State College after one year in junior college but didn't have the grades to be accepted . . . He brought his school work up far enough his sophomore year to get the nod from USC . . . If Alabama had turned down the Cotton Bowl offer, the University of Colorado would have been invited as the visiting team.



DOYLE EDMISTON

L. L. (Red) Lewis, the HCJC track and field mentor who will be a strong candidate for Texas Junior College Coach of the Year again in January, has the nucleus for another strong team in the spring . . . Robert Lindsey of Sandusky, Ohio, one of the surprises in HC's sweep to the national championship last May, is back and is likely to be a lot better because he'll be more relaxed . . . Lindsey had a 21.4 quarter last season . . . Two of the better newcomers on the squad likely will be Dominic Mazza of New Jersey, who is already throwing the 20-pound shot put 47 feet, and hurdler-high jumper Melvin Cole of Pontiac, Mich. . . Melvin has run the lows in 19.0, the highs in 14.4 and high jumped 6-7 . . . Unless the taxing agencies relent, some of the horse tracks around the nation may have to go out of business—even though the industry has more money invested than all professional sports combined . . . The horse racing people are also campaigning for Sunday programs (which are already legal in New Mexico) . . . Horse racing is still looked upon as a floating crap game by some but it is a princely sport and the best regulated and best policed of all athletic endeavors . . . Notre Dame's attitude toward bowl games is difficult to understand, in view of the fact that no school in the country has promoted big time football more . . . Regulars at the Mundy golf course here insist that the city-owned course now boasts greens as good as can be found anywhere—and that's a tribute to new manager Charley Brantley . . . Bo Winingter, the pro golfer who departed this mortal coil recently, won only five tournaments during his career and had earned but \$150 on the tour this year . . . His total take in tournaments came to a hefty \$155,000, however . . . Harold Wilder, the Abilene High mentor, isn't too concerned about his team's relatively slow start . . . He expects it to develop slowly and perhaps contend for the second half championship in District 2-AAAA . . . Inexperience has been hurting the Eagles in early games.

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## Webb Grad Wins Honors

Capt. Daniel R. Bruce (right) is presented the Air Training Command Commander's Trophy as an outstanding member of Webb graduating class 68-D. Presentation was by Col. Chester J. Butcher, wing commander at Webb, at the class Dining-In Friday night.

## 49 In Webb Class Win Their Wings

Forty-nine Air Force officers, members of undergraduate pilot training class 68-D were graduated at Webb AFB Saturday morning as jet pilots.

Graduation ceremonies, including presentation of wings and certificates of aeronautical rating, were held in Withycombe Hall. Usually the program is on the flight line, but severe weather necessitated the change.

At the class Dining-In Friday evening, Capt. Daniel R. Bruce took the majority of special awards. He received the Flying Training Award, the Air Training Command Commander's Trophy, and was an Outstanding Officer Graduate.

Capt. Charles W. Friend received an Academic Training Award; Capt. William A. Carleton Jr., Officer Training Award, and 2nd Lt. Robert B. Mickelsen, Roy D. Reagan and James P. Ryan, Outstanding Officer graduates.

Lt. Col. Jack E. Bailey, commander of the 4760th Combat Crew Training Squadron, addressed the graduates at the Dining-In.

Assignment of the aircraft the graduating officers will fly: Captains Daniel R. Bruce, F-100 Super Sabre; William A. Carleton Jr., F-100 Super Sabre; Charles W. Friend, KC-135 Stratotanker; Lieutenant Edward F. Byniski Jr., F-100 Super Sabre; 2nd Lt. Robert B. Mickelsen, F-100 Super Sabre; George C. Assourian, KC-135 Stratotanker; Campbell Jr., C-119 Provider; James W. Carter, KC-135 Stratotanker; ANG: Robert S. Clay, EC-47 Skytrain; And Second Lieutenants Warren J. Drabham Jr., ANG; James A. Egan, KC-135 Stratotanker; Everett E. Finkelman, KC-135 Stratotanker; Donald C. Foy, KC-135 Stratotanker; C-119 Provider; Robert S. Fulton, C-119 Provider; F. Gull, B-52; and Wendell E. Grant, F-4C Phantom II.

Also, Second Lieutenants James J. Hoover, C-130 Hercules; Howard E. Houston, KC-135 Stratotanker; James W. Houston, KC-135 Stratotanker; H. M. Hurley, KC-135 Stratotanker; D. Icenhour, B-52; Romeo A. Kennerly, KC-135 Stratotanker; David L. Johnson, KC-135 Stratotanker; S. Mayfield, F-111 General Dynamics.

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Just listed... 4 bdrm OR 3 bdrm and den, two lg liv. bthrs, large lg liv. and dining area, carpeted, oil gar. 1450 sq ft. Living in this lovely red brick, \$500 cash, \$115 pm.

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like this 3 bdrm, all carpeted, 2 1/2 bath, living rm overlooking the lgv patio, oil gar. WHO'S TO COMPLAIN.

JUST... JUST

a little sand but repainted inside and out. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, carpet, oil with built-in garage, oil gar. \$84 mo.

SAND SPRINGS

completely new, 2 bdrm, kit with carpeted living rm, 2 bthrs, oil with built-in garage, oil gar. Choice of colors, workshop, fenced, \$7,500. Appl.

IN CHECKING THE FIGURES

building plus one pm guest house, workshop, fenced, \$7,500. Appl.


1500 CASH - AND GOOD CREDIT

3 bdrm, 1 1/2 bath, kit with built-in oil garage, oil gar. Choice of colors. WASHINGTON SCHOOL DIST.

es-large 3 bdrm, carpeted throughout, nice built-in oil gar. Choice of colors. \$11,500. \$1,500 cash, \$100 pm.

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**THE ARTS**

**Religious Drama  
By Little Theatre**

By WINNIE UNGER

Big Spring Little Theater will produce a 30-minute play, "Unto Bethlehem," at 7 p.m. tonight in the sanctuary of Wesley Methodist Church.

The beautiful little story concerns the physical blindness of a young girl, and the spiritual blindness of her shepherd father who can see no miracles and refuses to believe the rumors of a Saviour's birth in Bethlehem.

The faith of the blind daughter and her journey with her mother to "see" the Babe in the manger, brings about a change in the bitterness clouding Yusuf's mind.

The chancel and children's choir will complete the program with Christmas music, directed by Dan Shockey. Sharon Ryan will direct the play, which will repeat its performance Wednesday night, 7 p.m., in the Coahoma Methodist Church.

The cast includes Randy Morgan, Fred Bunch, Mike Pope, Carl Van Vleet, Barbara, Todd

and Sharon Story.

Some 175 voices will participate when four choirs from Big Spring High School will participate Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the school auditorium under direction of Kenny Shepard. The a cappella choir will present J. S. Bach's cantata, "Unto Us a Child is Born." There will be selections also by the boys and girls choirs, and then the freshman-sophomore choir. The latter group will combine with the a cappella choir for the second half of the program when Christmas carols will be sung. There is no admission charge, but an offering will be taken for those who wish to support the choir program.

The five choirs of Goliad Junior High School have planned a musical program Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., in the Goliad gymnasium. Mrs. Joe Dawes will direct, with selections performed by each choir.

More Christmas music is offered by the Runnels Junior High School choir, directed by Sappy Wall, and the Runnels band, directed by Richard Grady. The concert will feature selections by the groups and singing with audience participation. The program is also scheduled for Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. in the Runnels gym.

The public is invited to attend.

Paul Milosevich, head of the Odessa College Art Department, won fourth place in the 12th Annual Sun Carnival national exhibition now hanging in the El Paso Museum of Art. His winning entry was an acrylic painting, "Studio," a combination of abstract design and realism.

Milosevich also teaches classes in oils, water color and acrylics in Midland at the Palette Club, 604 N. Colorado.

**Load Of Mail  
Picking Up  
At Post Office**

Friday's mail load at the Big Spring Post Office, despite the bad weather which prevailed, was the heaviest of the current Christmas season, according to Frank Hardesty, postmaster.

The postal workers handled 166,400 pieces of mail on that date for the biggest single day so far. In 1966, the heaviest day was on Dec. 20 with a total of 178,820. Hardesty said that it is quite possible the last year figure will be passed this year on some date between now and Christmas.

The post office is nearly 70,000 pieces of mail ahead of 1966 for the first 15 days of December. This is bearing out the prediction that the 1967 holiday mail would set an all-time high.

Total for the 15 days of the month stood at 1,673,007 pieces compared with 1,604,714 for the same half month last year.

Hardesty said that his staff expects the heaviest outpouring of mail Monday and Tuesday. He also said that if anyone has failed to ship their packages or gifts that the deadline is actually here if the mail is to reach its destination before Dec. 25. He urged everyone who has not completed his Christmas mailing to get the job done before Tuesday afternoon.

Despite the heavy mail and the recent bad weather, Hardesty said the post office is staying ahead in deliveries.

**Col. Olds Gets  
Aviation Award**

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)—Col. Robin Olds is winner of the 1967 Kitty Hawk award for military aviation.

The Vietnam air ace, now commandant of cadets at the Air Force Academy, received the honor Friday night at the Wright Brothers Memorial banquet attended by 400 persons.

William M. Allen, president of the Boeing Co., received an award for distinguishing civilian achievement.

**Aircraft Talk**

STANTON (SC) — Harry Palmer, of Vroman Aircraft, Midland, will be the speaker Friday when the Stanton Optimist Club meets at 6:30 a.m. He will tell the history of aircraft, according to Bob Cain, program chairman. Gerald Hanson is club president. All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting at Currie Restaurant.

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# Holiday Happenings

One of the joys of the holiday season is the period of festive fun and fellowship that precedes the quiet reverence of Christmas Day. Even the merry-making is softened — and in the sound of it — there is something of sleigh bells.

Social occasions recorded today were held as holiday events at Big Spring Country Club and Cosden Country Club. The persons pictured were guests at various activities which included a fashion show, parties hosted by the Wednesday Night Dance Club, Couples' Dance Club and Beta Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, and a birthday tea dance honoring Raymond L. Tollett.

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## Christmas Observed By League

Three activities were held by the Salvation Army Tuesday and Wednesday. The Ladies Home League held its Christmas party Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Bart Deggs, 602 W. 4th. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served. Games were directed by the hostess, and 12 attended.

On Tuesday, the Home League members were shown how to make Christmas decorations at the Citadel by Mrs. J. F. Skalicky. She demonstrated miniature Christmas angels. Approximately 10 attended.

The Girl Guards of the Salvation Army met Wednesday evening at the Citadel for a Christmas party. Games were played, and refreshments were served. Fifteen attended.

## Club Hosts Luncheon

Mrs. W. D. McDonald hosted the Christmas luncheon Friday for the Rook Club in her home, 1603 Eleventh Place.

New officers were elected. Mrs. S. P. Jones was named president; Mrs. J. P. Allen, treasurer and Mrs. Isla Davis, reporter. Gifts were exchanged from a lighted tree.

Luncheon was served from a buffet which held a large Christmas arrangement. Rook winners were Mrs. W. A. Miller and Mrs. Harwood Keith, tying for member's high, and Mrs. Jim Terry, guest high winner.

Twelve members and eight guests attended. Guests were Mrs. T. G. Adams, Mrs. Jim Terry, Mrs. Arthur Pickle, Mrs. Buck Richardson, Mrs. Earl Ezzell, Miss Nell Hatch, Mrs. H. T. Sefton and Mrs. George Hall.



MRS. D. M. MOORE

### Beauties Presented

Alpha-Chi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sponsored a holiday dance Saturday evening at Casden Country Club where its chapter beauty, Mrs. D. M. Moore, was presented along with Mu Kappa's beauty, Mrs. Charles Watkins, below. The women will compete for the beauty title for the district in Crane on Jan. 21. Over 200 guests attended the dance where music was by the "Cavalliers" of San Angelo.



MRS. CHARLES WATKINS

## Miss Susan Lawhon Honored At Shower

Miss Susan Rhea Lawhon, bride-elect of Carl A. Henkell, was the honoree at a miscellaneous shower held Monday in the Silver Heels home of Mrs. J. W. Dickens. Cohostesses were Mrs. B. R. Newton, Mrs. Robert Pritz, Mrs. Loy Carroll and Mrs. C. W. Muse.

The guest list included 40.

Corsages were presented to Miss Lawhon; her mother, Mrs. Hanson Lawhon; her grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Lamb; and the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. David Henkell. The honoree was attired in a royal blue suit with white shell and black accessories.

Decorations were a combination of bridal and Christmas themes, and refreshments were served from a table covered with a red cloth. The white cake was decorated with hearts and bells.

The hostesses presented Miss Lawhon with an electric percolator, and other gifts were displayed.

The engaged couple plans to be married Dec. 23 in the Webb Air Force Base chapel and will reside in Ayer, Mass.

### Christmas Party Held By Baptists

The Young Ladies Sunday school class of Forsan Baptist Church recently held a Christmas party in fellowship hall of the church. A salad luncheon was served, and gifts were exchanged from a lighted tree. Mrs. Doyle Whetsel, class teacher, sponsored the event.

## NCO Wives Select 'Member Of Month'

Mrs. James C. Wiggins was chosen "Member of the Month" at the NCO Wives Club business meeting Tuesday evening. A member of the club for one year, Mrs. Wiggins has served two terms as welfare chairman and works each week at the Thrift Shop. She is presently serving on the nominating committee. Mrs. Wiggins is from Middlesex, England, and met her husband while he was stationed at Ruislip AFB, England. Wiggins served 21 years in the Air Force, retiring at Webb last year.

New members introduced were Mrs. Thaddeus C. Bradley Jr., Mrs. John Del Vecchio, Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mrs. Donald J. Martin, Mrs. Gerald Matthews, Mrs. J. R. Nelson,

Mrs. N. E. Shelton and Mrs. Frank M. Smith.

The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Howard Enoch with the special prize going to Mrs. George Ryder. Mrs. Calvin Hall won the centerpiece. The refreshment table was decorated in the Christmas theme with Mrs. Matthew Mooney and Mrs. Al Ramirez serving as hostesses. The new NCO Club secretary, M. Sgt. Robert Richardson, spoke briefly to the group.

Outgoing chairmen's gifts were presented to Mrs. Larry Allen and Mrs. Jack Gaskell. Bracelets were given to four departing members, Mrs. Larry Allen, Mrs. Charles Bambarger, Mrs. La Vern Bowers, and Mrs. J. L. Gaskill.

Committee reports were given with members electing to

give donations to Brownie Troop No. 147, the annual Christmas Cheer Fund and the chaplain's Needy Family Fund. Plans for the installation, Jan. 20, were discussed with Mrs. Matthew Mooney accepting reservations for the dinner. Deadline on the reservations is Jan. 16.

The board meeting will be Jan. 4 at the home of Mrs. D. E. Thornbrough, 167-B Fairchild. Next business meeting will be election night, Jan. 9, at the NCO Open Mess at 7 p.m.

### Ruth Class Hears Holiday Program

WESTBROOK (SC) — Mrs. Charles Pope gave the devotion, "The Fourth Wise Man," at the Christmas party of the Ruth Sunday school class of the Westbrook Baptist Church Thursday in the home of Mrs. Herman Parsons. Special music was presented by Mrs. L. B. Edwards and Mrs. Johnny Shackelford who sang "Silent Night" and Linda Ranne who sang "Little Lord Jesus" accompanied by Mrs. Charles Ranne, pianist. Melanie Parsons played a piano solo. Members will donate to the Lottie Moon offering instead of exchanging gifts. Mrs. Homer Rice will host the January meeting.

Mrs. Otho Conaway has been a patient in the Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ranne recently were Walter Rabb of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Feaster, Big Spring; and Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Jones of Midland.

## WEBB WINDSOCK

MRS. W. A. HENLEY The holiday season is in full swing at Webb. Judging from the news I've been getting, everyone has done nothing but go to or give parties.

Maj. and Mrs. Sam G. Flowers hosted a lovely punch party Saturday night for members of "D" Flight. The Christmas decorations were carried throughout with a beautiful centerpiece consisting of a large candle standing in a wreath of pine cones. Special guests were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Edward Luby, Maj. and Mrs. Glenn Shaffer, Maj. and Mrs. Tom Mullen, Maj. and Mrs. Michael Rega, Maj. and Mrs. Joe Banks, Capt. and Mrs. Marty Carl and Mrs. Richard Speros.

Maj. and Mrs. Richard P. Moore held a pre-party Saturday night for Element members and friends.

1st Lt. and Mrs. John Hussey entertained in their home Saturday night with a couples bridge party.

The Legal Office held a farewell dinner party for Col. and Mrs. William C. Knopke. Hosts were Capt. George T. Abernathy and Capt. Frank M. Wagner.

Col. and Mrs. Charles Haltom gave a small going-away dinner in honor of Col. and Mrs. Knopke.

**FAREWELL PARTY** Friday night Capt. and Mrs. Ron Castleton were guests of honor at a farewell dinner party given in the home of Capt. and Mrs. Thomas Ballasch. The color scheme was in greens and golds with a floral centerpiece in gold. After dinner the guests played party games.

"F" Flight wives held their monthly coffee in the home of Mrs. Ronald Boyle with Mrs. Robert J. Hall as cohostess. A prize of a poinsettia was won by Mrs. Dennis Lucido. The guests presented Mrs. Boyle with a gift.

An eggnog party was given prior to the formal dance by Maj. and Mrs. Eugene Beliveau. Special guests were Maj. and Mrs. John O'Donnell.

A punch party was given Saturday night by 2nd Lt. and Mrs. John Hoffman for friends in Class 49-C.

Wives in Class 49-C held a coffee in the home of Mrs. John Coil. Plans were made to help a needy family with a Christmas dinner and toys.

Maj. and Mrs. Ronald Boyle and 1st Lt. and Mrs. Dennis Lucido hosted a punch party Saturday night prior to the formal. Special guests were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Theodore Buecher, Maj. and Mrs. John O'Donnell and Maj. and Mrs. William Nelson.

Capt. and Mrs. Sandy Simon are visiting in New Orleans, La. **AIR BASE COFFEE** Mrs. Chandler Estes was the

hostess for the Air Base Group monthly coffee.

Air Base Group held a Hall and Farewell party at the Officers' Open Mess last week. Welcomed were Capt. and Mrs. Walter Bonner and Capt. and Mrs. E. B. Boyanton. Farewells were said to Capt. and Mrs. John Wilcox, Capt. and Mrs. Joe R. Lampert, Col. and Mrs. Knopke, Maj. and Mrs. Dewitt R. Bunn and Col. and Mrs. James Van Peit.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Gene Piland hosted a punch party prior to the formal Saturday night for their students. Guests included 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Michael Renner, 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Robert Tilton, 2nd Lt. Ed Brown, 2nd Lt. Jin Ryan and Miss Carol Brown. Special guests were 2nd Lt. Robert Bigley and his fiancée, Miss Cheryl Casey of Fort Worth.

For this week only the OWC bridge will be held Tuesday and will begin at 1 p.m. No reservations needed.

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# New Slate For WWI Group

Mrs. John Waddill was installed as president of the Ladies Auxiliary to Big Spring Barracks No. 1474, Veterans of WWI, USA, Inc., at the Thursday Christmas supper meeting in the IOOF Hall. Mrs. Fred Eaker was the installing officer.

Others installed with Mrs. Waddill were Mrs. Lee Castle, senior vice; Mrs. E. L. Patton, junior vice; Mrs. J. L. Swindell, treasurer; Mrs. W. C. Moren, secretary; Mrs. Allen H. H. chaplain; Mrs. Viola Younger, conductress; Mrs. W. E. Moren, secretary; Mrs. Bart Wilkerson, guard; and Mrs. George Pike Sr., Mrs. Mary Brown and Mrs. J. T. Walker, trustees.

Appointive officers who will assume their duties are Mrs. Brown, assistant conductress; Mrs. L. R. Mundt, musician; Mrs. Eaker, parliamentarian; Mrs. Bob Wren, historian; Mrs. D. F. Bigony, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Pearl Hornbeck, flag bearer; Mrs. Frank Mulligan, banner bearer; and Mrs. W. B. Averitt, Mrs. Gladys Lepard, Mrs. T. G. Adams and Mrs. W. N. Wood, color bearers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Crabtree of Plainview, commander and



MRS. JOHN WADDILL

district president, were honored guests. A musical program was presented, and members joined in singing carols. Mrs. Joe Jacobs, retiring president, gave a Christmas reading and presented each member with a gift. Christmas decorations were used throughout the hall and on the serving tables. Fifty attended.

# GIA Elects New Slate Of Officers

Mrs. Frank B. Wilson was elected president at the Thursday meeting and Christmas party of the Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers at the IOOF Hall.

Other officers named were Mrs. C. B. Sullivan, vice-president; Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, secretary; Mrs. D. C. Pyle, treasurer; Mrs. C. L. Kirkland, chaplain; Mrs. J. C. Cravens, guide; Mrs. E. C. Casey, sentinel; and Mrs. E. A. Williams, relief secretary.

Mrs. L. A. Griffith presided and presented gifts to the members. Refreshments were served from a table covered with a white cloth and centered with a holiday arrangement. Gifts were exchanged from a lighted tree.

Fourteen attended.

# Holiday Activities Set In Westbrook

WESTBROOK (SC) — Westbrook classes will dismiss for the Christmas holidays, Dec. 21, and classes will resume Jan. 3.

Shoe Edmondson will be the new science teacher in Westbrook School. A graduate of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, he is now teaching in Stamford, and will come here at mid-term.

Attending the Future Farmers of America Lone Wolf District banquet in Sweetwater Monday night, Dec. 11, were Johnny Ritchey, Larry Miller and George Sweat, president of the Westbrook FFA chapter and escort of FFA sweetheart, Sue Bell. They were accompanied by Pete Hines, VA teacher and advisor.

Members of Carr Home Demonstration Club who delivered Christmas boxes to McKnight Hospital recently were Mrs. Tom Jackson, Mrs. John Latty, Mrs. T. L. McKenney and Mrs. T. A. Rees.

Visiting relatives and friends here recently were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rees of Dallas. Johnny Hines and his roommate, George Gorski of Richardson, students at Texas Technological College in Lubbock, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hines.

# 'ROUND TOWN

By LUCILLE PICKLE

It's got around to that week before Christmas and there are many families that are having their folks with them and most of them are hoping their friends drop by sometime during the Christmas weekend to see their family.

There's going to be a family get-together at the home of MRS. GEORGE DAWSON come Dec. 22 when members of her family will come from the east and the west to join Mrs. Dawson, her daughter, Catherine Ann, and her mother, MRS. C. F. HULING, for the holidays. From Lyndon, Ky., Mrs. Dawson's brother, A. K. HULING, and his children, Nancy, Karen and Bob will come. Los Angeles, Calif., is the home of another brother and his family, MR. and MRS. ROBERT HULING, Kelly, Kimberly, Karen and Zan. Also expected are the ZAN DAWSONS and their children, Dant and Zandra, who live in Austin.

Mrs. Dawson's daughter and her family, MRS. RENDALL HAMBY, Mr. Hamby and their children, Dedra and Jodi, have recently moved back here from El Paso where they have lived for several years.

The company plans to be at the Dawsons until the 28th.

Friday is the day of arrival in Midland by the family of MR. and MRS. JOHN WAYNE BROWN who will fly in from Ridgecrest, Calif., to spend the holidays here with his mother, MRS. G. A. BROWN, and his sister, MISS NELL BROWN. With them will be Mary Lynn, who is still at home, Sharon who works in Millbrae, and Roberta who is a senior at the University of New Mexico at Albuquerque.

The big pre-Christmas dinner will be held on Saturday, and joining the Browns will be the family of Mrs. Brown's sister, MRS. L. S. PATTERSON. The expected number is about 20.

On Sunday friends of the visitors are invited to call after 2 p.m. for a visit with the group for a day - before Christmas chat. The Browns will be in Big Spring for the remainder of the week - long enough to have some good Texas blackeye peas and turnip greens.

Today's the day for the NAT SHICKS' anniversary party at

their home, 510 Gregg, and the hours are from 2 until 6 p.m.

No one but those who have talked with their servicemen in Vietnam know that Christmas came early for MRS. ROBERT ANGEL last week when she got a surprise telephone call from her husband, CAPT. ANGEL, who is serving at Cam Ranh Bay. The call didn't come from his station but from Clark AFB in the Philippines where he had accompanied a patient. The family, which includes his little son, Bobby, and his parents, the CLYDE ANGELS, got to talk also - the second time he called on Sunday morning. The first call was Saturday night but the call was so unexpected that it took a little time to assemble the family in one place so Capt. Angel told his wife to get them all together and he would call at a specified time . . . so they all got to visit by telephone.

If the fondest wish of S. M. SGT. and MRS. FRANK HINECKER could have come true the past week their daughter's first communion would have taken place in Mrs. Hinecker's native Spain in the town of Zamora. But little Pequiña who attends classes at the Immaculate Heart of Mary's parochial school took her first communion at her church here and later was honored by her parents with a reception at their home at 2708 Lynn.

Thirty friends of the family and the sisters from the school gathered for the occasion and were served a lavish tea which was prepared by Mrs. Hinecker.

When members of the Big Spring Concert Board and Fred Waring's troupe were entertained at the K. H. MCGIBBON home following the concert Tuesday evening the youngsters in the group were somewhat amazed at the beautiful table of food set out for them. One young lady in the midst of her fellow performers, all of whom were making their food selections, looked over the assortment and said to her cohorts, "This is the wildest!" They all agreed as they served themselves. One of the fellows remarked that Texas audiences were the greatest . . . of course the audience thought they were rather great themselves.

# P-TA Hears Music Of Christmas

The sixth grade music students, under the direction of Mrs. Curtis W. Compton, brought the Christmas program at the Wednesday meeting of the College Heights Parent-Teacher Association.

Mrs. Glenn Faison gave the devotion, and reports were heard from J. A. Beam, Mrs. Charlie Shanks and Mrs. B. R. Fletcher on the state P-TA convention held in Fort Worth. Miss Lillian Jordan's sixth grade won the room count.

Mrs. Elvis McCrary, hospitality chairman, served refreshments to approximately 100 persons. The next meeting will be Jan. 11.

# Miss Linda Shaw Is Honored At Luncheon

Miss Linda Shaw was honored with a luncheon Saturday at Ramada Inn, with Mrs. Neil Fryar of Lomax as hostess.

Miss Shaw is the bride-elect of Lawrence Robert Lepard of Sand Springs.

The table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of red carnations and white chrysanthemums flanked by white candles in silver candelabra. Red place cards and napkins were used, and crystal and silver appointments complete the setting.

The honoree, her mother, Mrs. Larry Shaw, and her fiancé's mother, Mrs. Waymon Lepard,

were presented with white carnation corsages. Miss Shaw was attired in a pink lace A-line dress with long sleeves and cerise velvet insertion around the neckline and at the wrists.

The hostess presented her with a silver tray, and rice bags were filled. The honoree presented gifts to her attendants. The couple will marry Dec. 22 in the College-Baptist Church.

Out-of-town guests attending were Miss Margie Newman of Dallas, Mrs. Earl Mith Jr., Kansas City, Mo., and Miss Linda Gaspie of Stanton. Twelve attended.

# Woman's Forum Holiday Party Held On Friday

The Woman's Forum held a party Friday at Cosden Country Club with Mrs. Neil Norred, vice president, presiding during a brief business session.

It was announced that the club will provide candy for the Big Spring State Hospital Christmas party and on Dec. 18, two members, Mrs. Merrill Creighton and Mrs. Jack Y. Smith, will judge a decorating contest at the hospital. Also, donations were made to the Buck-A-Month Club.

The program was presented in three parts. "The Star of Christmas" was given by Mrs. Arnold Marshall. "The Symbols of Christmas" was by Mrs. Charles Sweeney and "The Music of Christmas" was given by

Mrs. D. D. Dyer.

Hostesses were Mrs. Creighton, Mrs. Charles Harwell and Mrs. Clyde Thomas Jr. Gifts were exchanged by the 20 members and one guest, Mrs. Grover Wiley, who attended.

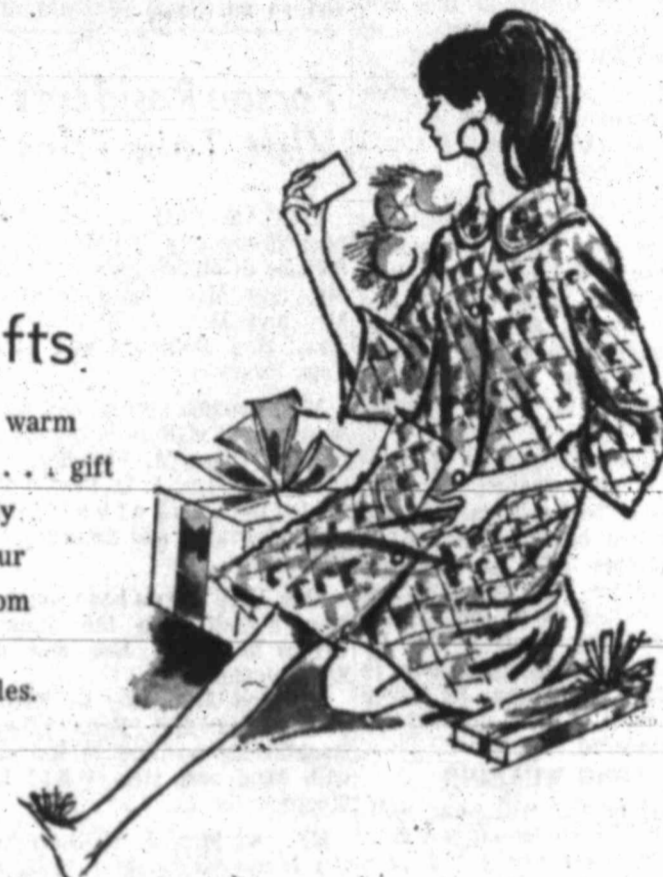
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By GENEVIEVE S. WOOD  
Almost every little girl has her heart set on a party dress for the holidays.  
When you consider the selection of a party dress for a youngster from a pre-school toddler on up, you have to re-adjust your concept of value. That element of personal preference—what your little daughter likes and wants—and the occasions on which the dress will be worn, often out-weigh the practical quality features.  
But careful shopping will pay off even in buying party dresses.

Fashions are adorable and colors are delightful this season, especially in dress-up dresses for the very young.

Tops in popularity are velvet dresses, and red to boot. With the skirt gathered into a high belt line, these have Peter Pan or large bertha-type collars that are lace trimmed and gleaming white contrast to the fabric. Jumpers with lace trim in e d underblouses and A-line dresses are other popular interpretations of velvet. Also corduroy. Often they are embroidery or braid trimmed in gay colors.

In small sizes many of these must be dry cleaned. Some of them can be hand washed, and a few can be machine washed and tumble dried at moderate temperature. The dress should be identified as to the method of laundering used. If this information is missing, be sure to ask the salesperson. In larger sizes, most of these dresses can be laundered.

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These fabrics will wear well, but what about let-out possibilities? Be sure you get a hem of good depth and that the style of the sleeve permits an adjustment of length. The hem should be let out before the

dress is dry cleaned or laundered in order to prevent a mark where the old hem was.  
Another popular fashion for pre-school moppets are jumpers and shift dresses of orlon acrylic knit bonded onto acetate tricot. Most of these are machine washable, but you'll want to check the hems here, too. Some of them are so narrow it's not worth while to lengthen them.

The wee girl has a style all her own—the very short topper worn over knitted stretch pants or knitted tights with feet. These toppers are of many different fabrics, cotton or cotton blend prints, organdy, lawn and so on. Some of them are

## Forsan Residents Visit, Take Trips

**FORSAN (SC)**—Attending funeral services for Mrs. J. J. Haynes in Masoff recently were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Overton, Mrs. Mac Robinson and Mrs. Tom Evans.

Mrs. Freddie Sturtart and sons were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Clara M. Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Barton attended the basketball tournament Friday and Saturday in Eldorado.

Mrs. Vera Harris has returned from a visit with the James Craigs in Robert Lee and in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy G. Klahr and Richie and Mrs. Sylvia Beghtal are visiting in Kermit with Mrs. and Mrs. Phil L. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kubecka are home following a visit in Midland and Odessa.

A recent guest of the A. L. Hawkins was Mrs. E. E. Buchanan of Graham.

ornately trimmed with tucks and lace. There are not many special finishes in these garments, although practically all of them are washable. You'll want to check the topper to see whether the hem can be let out.  
A dressy style for the small girl is a topper, usually curved up to the waistline in the back, worn over a matching or contrasting underdress. Here again length may be a problem before too long, for some of the toppers and underdresses are lace trimmed without hems. You also will want to check to make sure of the amount of shrinkage left in the fabric, and whether the colors are fast.

For the older girl's party dresses the styles are in e d varied. In both age divisions there is the widest array of colors and print patterns. Don't be surprised at the size of the prints or the gay color combinations.

When it comes to school dresses for older girls, there are many finishes that give service as well as better looks. Durable press is one that saves a tremendous lot of work.

Something else that you'll come across in all wool or wool blends is washability—a real boon in school dresses. Textile specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture have developed a method of processing wool to make it easily washable, and this fabric is being used in garments this season.

**STITCH IN TIME**  
Children's garments in general are not as carefully made as those for adults. So when you make a purchase give heed to the old axiom about a stitch in time. With a needle and thread catch up raw edges, particularly at the cuff and the end of the slide fastener. If buttonholes are sleazy, go over them with a buttonhole stitch now to prevent fraying. Be sure that the ornamentation—buttons, bows, braid and so on—is securely stitched.



## To Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Foster L. Kemp, 1311 Lamar, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathleen, and James D. Peltzer. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Peltzer of Albuquerque, N.M. The couple will marry Dec. 22 in the home of the bride-elect's parents, with the Rev. Robert T. Deming serving as officiant.

A little cooked ham leftover? Dice or julienne it and add to a salad—chicken, chef's potato, cooked mixed vegetable or cabbage.

## CAFETERIA MENUS

**COAHOMA SCHOOLS**  
**MONDAY**—Enchilada pie, pinto beans, Spanish rice, peach cobbler, corn bread, butter, milk and orange juice.  
**TUESDAY**—Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, buttered yams, tossed salad, cranberry sauce, minapple shortcake, hot rolls, butter and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY**—Fried shrimp with catsup, fluffy potatoes, honey glazed carrots, lettuce wedges with French dressing, chocolate cream pie, hot rolls, butter and milk.

**BIG SPRING JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL**  
**MONDAY**—Chili, macaroni and cheese or barbecued franks, beans, chopped broccoli, sweet relish, gingerbread, hot rolls and milk.  
**TUESDAY**—Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, giblet gravy, candied sweet potatoes, green peas, chocolate pudding, hot rolls and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY**—Hamburgers or beef ravioli, pinto beans, potatoes, sliced bread, fruit cup and milk.

**BIG SPRING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**  
**MONDAY**—Chili, macaroni and cheese, beans, chopped broccoli, sweet relish, gingerbread, hot rolls and milk.  
**TUESDAY**—Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, giblet gravy, candied sweet potatoes, green peas, chocolate pudding, hot rolls and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY**—Hamburgers or beef ravioli, pinto beans, potatoes, sliced bread, fruit cup and milk.

**TUESDAY**—Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, giblet gravy, candied sweet potatoes, green peas, chocolate pudding, hot rolls and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY**—Hamburgers, buttered corn, sliced bread, fruit cup and milk.  
**FORSAN SCHOOLS**  
**MONDAY**—Chili and beans, buttered corn, shredded lettuce and French dressing, chocolate cake, apple sauce and corn bread.  
**TUESDAY**—Turkey, dressing and gravy, creamed potatoes, sweet peas, cranberry sauce and fruit salad.  
**WEDNESDAY**—Sloppy Joes, French fries, lettuce and tomatoes, apple pie and orange juice.

**THURSDAY**—Turkey salad sandwiches, hot potato salad, congealed fruit salad, celery stick and cookies.

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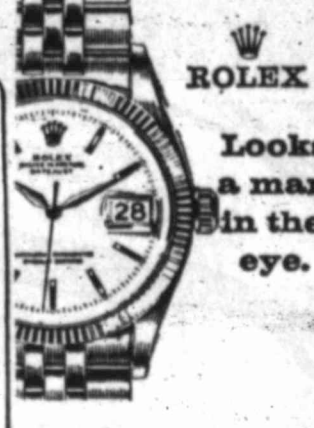
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# Area HD Clubs Hold Seasonal Programs

Area home demonstration clubs met during the week to celebrate with Christmas parties and programs. Others held installation services for new officers, and gifts were exchanged from lighted trees. The new officer's slate will assume its official duties in January.

**CENTER POINT CLUB**  
Mrs. Delaine Crawford, HD agent, served as installing officer at the Christmas luncheon Tuesday of the Center Point HD

club at Furr's Cafeteria. Officers installed were Mrs. Travis Melton, president; Mrs. L. J. Davidson, vice president; Mrs. Johnnie Welborn, secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. J. R. Petty, council delegate.

Secret pals were revealed and gifts were exchanged. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. K. L. Click, 2112 Grace on Jan. 9.

Eleven attended.

**LOMAX CLUB**  
Mrs. L. G. Adkins read the Biblical Christmas story at the Thursday Christmas party and salad luncheon of the Lomax HD club in the home of Mrs. Waymon Etchison. Mrs. Etchison gave a reading, "Children Nowadays."

The refreshment table was laid with a green net cloth and centered with red and white poinsettias. Gifts were exchanged from a silver tree trimmed with blue balls, and an arrangement of brown pine cones and silver bells was placed in a crystal container.

Games were directed by the hostess. Ten members and four guests, Mrs. Dale Jordan of Wyoming, Mrs. Carl Fambro, Mrs. A. J. Stallings and Mrs. Everett Lomax, attended.

## A LOVELIER YOU Exercise Foot Arches

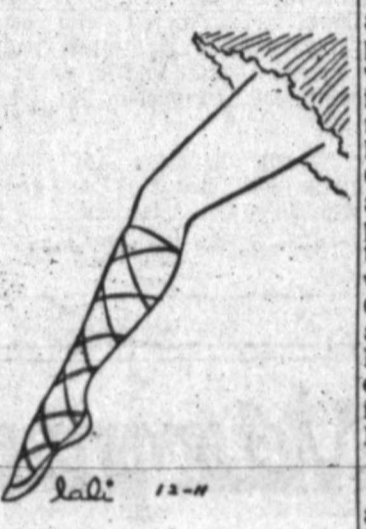
By MARY SUE MILLER  
The arch of the feminine foot has been likened to an arch of a bridge. Both are designed to support ponderous amounts of weight for their size and to do it gracefully, without seeming stress.

Of the two structures the foot's arch is the more complicated and the more likely to come a cropper. Nature may slip up and saddle you with weak arches at birth. Or you may bring the trouble on yourself through poor carriage and improper footwear.

However caused, weakness should be corrected. The foot, like the bridge, is only as strong as its arch. When your arches founder you come to walk in a painful, flat-footed fashion. The way to strengthen arches is with exercise. The following routines are easy and effective:

1. Barefoot, sit on floor with legs straight out and together. Without bending knees, turn feet and try to make soles touch. Simultaneously, arch. Insteps and contract toes. Work slowly; repeat 10 times morning and evening.
2. Kneel on floor with back erect. Keeping together, press fronts of ankles and feet to floor, hold position for five counts. Relax and repeat 10 times morning and evening.

In addition to exercising, be sure that your walking shoes have firm arch supports. And,



when you walk or stand, make certain your weight is evenly balanced on your feet.

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If your loveliness problem is thin, shapeless legs, send for my leaflet, "More Curve for the Legline." It shows how to build up contours with spot-increasing exercise. The leaflet also includes your ideal leg measurements, and tips on a graceful stance as well as flattering footwear. For your copy, write to Mary Sue Miller in care of the Big Spring Herald, enclosing 10 cents in coin and a long self-addressed, stamped envelope.

## Bird Sanctuaries Urged In Design Of Landscapes

Mrs. C. O. Hitt spoke on "Bird Sanctuaries in Your Landscape Design" at the Wednesday meeting of the Oasis Garden Club at the Veterans Administration Hospital.

Mrs. Hitt stressed that birds are quick to take advantage of places offering their four basic needs; food, water, nesting sites and shelter. She emphasized

that gardens should not be planted just for beauty of design but also for "our feathered friends," and said birds provide excellent insect control.

Mrs. Jim Zike presided and introduced Mrs. Robert Ragan as a new member. Mrs. J. D. Leonard reported on the Southern Zone meeting held in Midland last month. She encouraged the club to apply for more awards, and announced the Oasis club has been asked to assist with a therapy program at

the 1968 Southern Zone meeting in Monahans.

Following the business session, members retired to the Big Spring Country Club for a Christmas luncheon. Hostesses were Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith, Mrs. H. A. Schaedel and Mrs. C. D. Wash.

Twenty-two members and two guests, Mrs. E. C. Parker of Gulfport, Miss., and Mrs. R. G. Kight attended. The next meeting will be Jan. 10 in the home of Mrs. H. T. Hanson.

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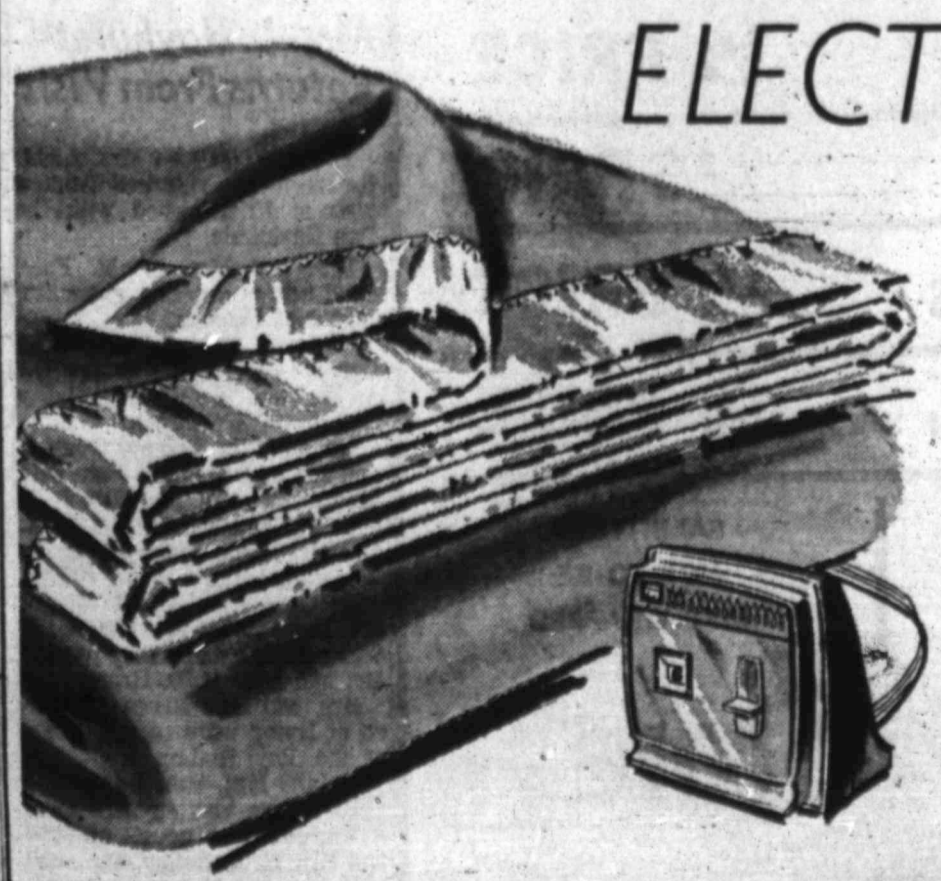
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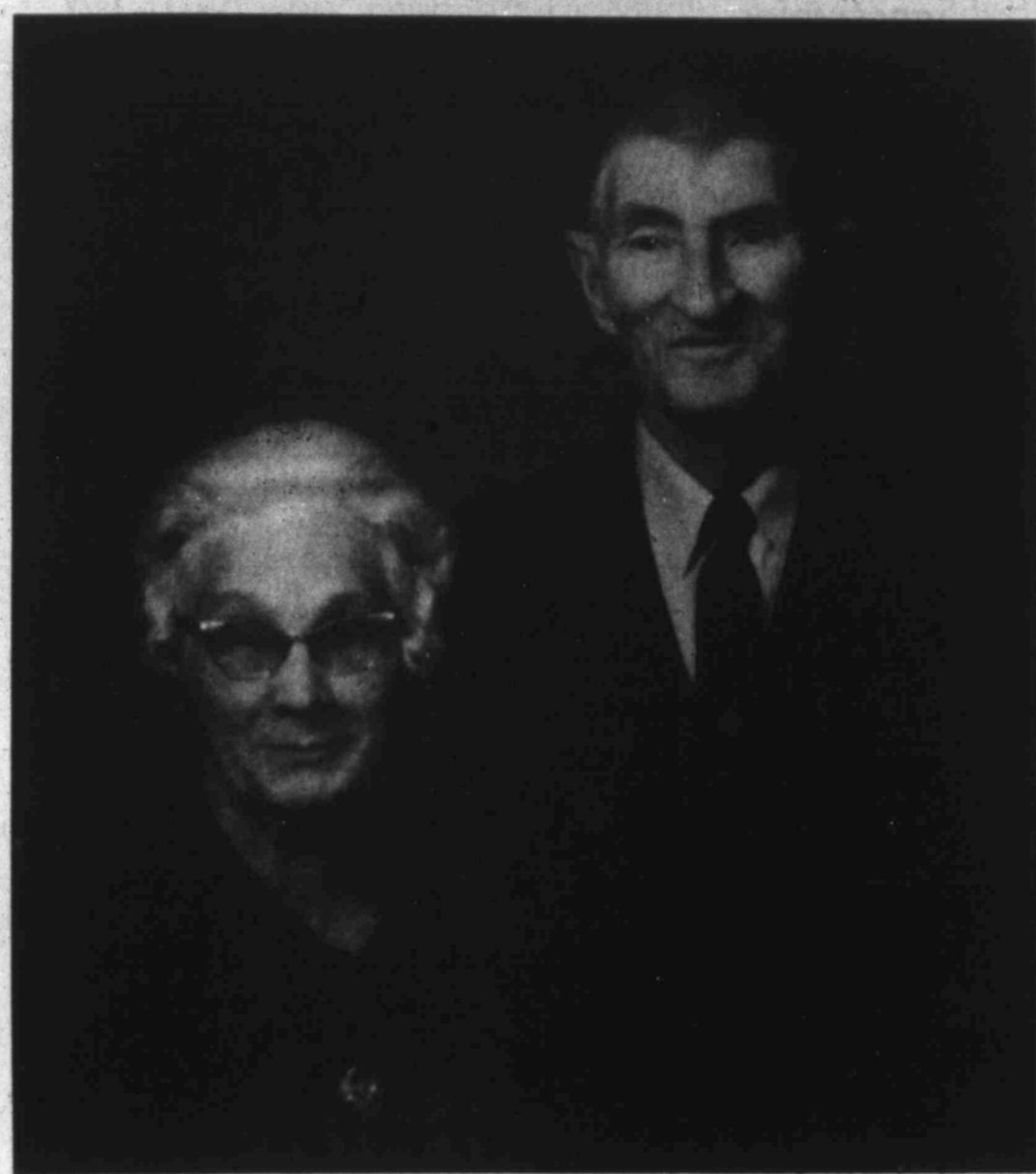
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## COMING EVENTS

**MONDAY**  
 WMS Stadium Baptist Church—church, 7:30 a.m.  
 ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR, Big Spring Chapter No. 67—Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.  
 LAKEVIEW P-TA—school, 7 p.m.  
 BIG SPRING ART ASSOCIATION—Mrs. Paul Bruns, 7 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
 LADIES SOCIETY OF THE Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engine-men—IOOF Hall, 3 p.m.  
 THE AMERICAN LEGION JUNIOR Auxiliary—Lennon Hall, 7 p.m.  
 LADIES HOME LEAGUE, Salvation Army Citadel—Citadel, 2 p.m.  
 COAHOMA HD CLUB—Mrs. A. C. Hale, 8 p.m.  
 DOWNTOWN LIONS AUXILIARY — Coffee, Mrs. D. S. Riley, 10 to 11:30 a.m.  
**THURSDAY**  
 MARY JANE CLUB OF COAHOMA—Mrs. Charles Parrish, 9:30 a.m.  
 1948 HYPERION CLUB—Mrs. Lloyd Washburn, 3 p.m.  
 PHILATHEA SUNDAY SCHOOL Class, First Methodist Church—church, 7 p.m.  
 AIRMEN'S WIVES CLUB—John H. Lee, Service Club, Webb AFB, 7:30 p.m.  
 CREDIT WOMEN'S CLUB—Hotel Settles, noon.  
 195 HYPERION CLUB—Mrs. K. H. McGibbin, 3 p.m.  
**FRIDAY**  
 LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION — Big Spring Country Club, bridge, 1:30 p.m.  
 ROKK CLUB—luncheon, Mrs. W. D. McDonald, noon.



MR. AND MRS. G. C. SHANKS SR.

## Open House To Note Golden Anniversary

The Golden Wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Shanks Sr. will be observed Dec. 23 with an open house in their home at 1407 Johnson.

Hosting the celebration will be the couple's eleven children along with their wives and husbands. They are Mr. and Mrs. Doyle N. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. Antov Shanks and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Shanks, all of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff C. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie R. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Shanks, Miss Eva Mae Shanks and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burks, all of Big Spring; and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gull of Brownfield.

Calling hours for the affair will be from 2 to 5 p.m., and all relatives and friends of the honorees are invited to attend.

Mr. Shanks, 76, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Shanks who lived in Comanche County, and his wife, who is 70 years of age, is the former Clara Hightower, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Hightower of the Greens Creek Community. They were married Dec. 23, 1917, in Harbin which is in Erath County.

For the next 23 years, Mr. and Mrs. Shanks farmed in the Dublin area, then in 1940, they moved to Howard County and farmed until his retirement in 1957. They continued to make

their home on the farm until last November when they moved to their present home on Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Shanks have 25 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The granddaughters will preside at the refreshment table during the open house. The table will be laid with ecru lace over a gold overlay and will feature gold appointments. Centering the table will be an arrangement of gold roses and the three-tiered white cake will

be topped with the numerals, "50."

Mrs. Shanks will be presented a gold carnation corsage, and her husband will wear a gold boutonniere. Similar corsages and boutonnieres will be worn by their sons and daughters.

Decorations will carry out the holiday motif with Christmas arrangements on the registry and mantel. The white flocked tree will be trimmed in gold. Mr. and Mrs. Shanks are of the Baptist faith.

Two parties were held Saturday honoring Miss Jeanie McDonald of Sterling City and her fiancée, Johnny Hughes.

An informal rice bag party and luncheon was held for the bride-elect in the home of Mrs. Danny Stewart at Sterling City with holiday decorations carried out in the bride-elect's chosen colors of red and white.

Cohostesses were Mrs. Alfred Chapelle and Mrs. Lee Reed, and 40 were included on the guest list.

On Saturday evening, Miss Marie McDonald of Big Spring was hostess at Cosden Country Club for a dinner in the Blue

## Friends Are Invited To Nat Shick Home

Open house today will mark the 60th anniversary of the wedding of Nat and Hollie Shick.

All of their friends are invited to call at the family home at 510 Gregg between the hours of 2 and 6 p.m., and, please, say the Shicks, no gifts.

Members of the house party today will be Mrs. Dawson and Mrs. W. S. Dill from Midland, Mrs. Fred Keating, Miss Clara Pool, Mrs. R. Richardson, Mrs. Jove Harmon, and Miss Nell Brown.

Most of their married life has been in this house, half a block from the little old frame First Baptist Church where they were wed Dec. 19, 1907. It was here that their daughter, Mrs. Granville (Lillian) Dawson of Midland was born. It was here that the late Dr. G. T. Hall performed his first appendectomy — an emergency by lamplight on Mrs. Shick. It was here that Nat started his hobby of collecting weird wooden stumps with limbs in the shape of animals and took to carving totem poles with a pocket knife. It was here that he habitually decorated a mesquite in front of their home with thousands of shiny tin can lids at Christmas.

Hundreds and hundreds of people have crossed this threshold during the past three score years, and they are invited to come back for a little while this afternoon.

## Altar Society Has Christmas Party

Mrs. Dan Maestas hosted the Christmas party of the Altar Society, Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church Tuesday evening in her home, 4102 Bilger. Cohostesses were Mrs. Travis Johns, Mrs. A. N. Rutherford and Mrs. Herman Boole.

Rev. Francis Beazley led the opening prayer, and Mrs. Jack Engle was presented the attendance prize. Gifts were exchanged from a lighted tree.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth over red linen and centered with arrangements of poinsettias and candles. Crystal and silver appointments completed the setting.

Sixteen members and two guests, Mrs. Margaret Kane and Mrs. John Coil, attended.

The next meeting will be Jan. 14.

## Current Best Sellers

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## Parties, Dinner Held For Miss McDonald

Room honoring the couple, members of the wedding party and several close friends. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Latimer of Colorado City. Christmas corsages were presented to the women guests.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Chesley McDonald of Sterling City and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hughes of Big Spring. The couple plans to be married Dec. 22 in the Fourteenth and Main Church of Christ.

Meaning Of Christmas Stressed

The Rev. John Beard, pastor of the First Christian Church, gave a devotion, "The Real Meaning of Christmas," at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Boydston Parent-Teacher Association at the school.

The sixth grade classes presented a program of Christmas songs. Mrs. Geraldine Martin's sixth grade won the room count, and plans were completed to purchase head-set phones, tapes and records as the club project this year.

Herman Smith reported on the state convention held in Fort Worth last month. Mrs. Floyd Hull's class won the room count.

Refreshments were served to 25 by Mrs. Bill Whitton.

**Mrs. L. Hayhurst Returns From Visit**

FORSAN (SC) — Mrs. L. M. Hayhurst has returned from a visit in Friendswood with the Dan Hayhursts.

Mrs. and Mrs. M. M. Fairchild had as a recent guest Jim Hester of Lamesa.

Guests of Mrs. and Mrs. A. P. Oglesby were Mrs. and Mrs. D. A. Oglesby and Mrs. Betty Oglesby of Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gilmore and son of Dallas are here with his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. J. D. Gilmore, and her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. True Dunagan, in the Lomax area.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Knight are home following a visit in Stephenville where they visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Greer.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bruce Aubuchon of Irving were recent guests of the Roy Klairs.

Dr. and Mrs. Muri Bailey and children are visiting here from Ames, Iowa, as guests of Mrs. and Mrs. E. M. Bailey. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Jay Creighton near Rankin.

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# Miss Virginia Ward Weds J. C. Gervais

Miss Virginia Ward became the bride of Airman I.C. John C. Gervais Jr. during a double ring ceremony held Friday evening in the First Methodist Church with the Rev. Leo K. Gee, pastor, officiating.

Vows were exchanged as the couple stood before an altar graced with candelabra and arrangements of white gladioli and chrysanthemums interspersed with greenery. Miss Annette Fitzhugh, organist, played "Ye Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" and "Dream."

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Ward, 2302 Lynn, and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gervais Sr. of Augusta, Mont.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a gown of white Alencon lace over peau de sole styled in a semi-fitted silhouette with three-quarter length sleeves and scalloped edging. The elbow-length veil was made of bridal illusion tulle, and was attached to a tiara of satin beaded with pearls. She carried a bouquet of gladioli on a lace-covered Bible.

Mrs. Larry Nance of Lamesa served as matron of honor. She wore a formal gown of cerise red crepe designed in an Empire style with pink chiffon panels. Her bouquet was of light pink carnations with cerise streamers.

Airman I.C. Ted Crosby of Webb Air Force Base was best man. Ushers were Airman I.C. Bob Lamar of Webb AFB; Ray Ward, brother of the bride; and Airman I.C. Mike Kofiansvich of Webb AFB.



MRS. JOHN C. GERVAIS JR.

### WEDDING TRIP

The couple left on a wedding trip to Augusta, Mont., and for traveling the bride chose a coat of beige, rust and black over a black sleeveless dress. They will reside at 1407 Scurry.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring Senior High School and is presently a sophomore student at Howard County Junior College. The bridegroom graduated from Augusta High School in Augusta, Mont., and is currently stationed at Webb Air Force Base.

### RECEPTION

A reception was held in fellowship hall. Receiving guests

### Gardeners View Slides On Roses

A Christmas party and salad luncheon were held by members of the Four O'Clock Garden Club Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Ralph Grantham, 433 Edwards Blvd. Mrs. Jesse Crane Jr. served as cohostess.

Slides were shown on "Arranging with Roses," and "Prize Winning Arrangements With Roses." Plans were discussed to sponsor a flower show in May. Attendance prizes were awarded to Mrs. Jesse Crane Jr. and Mrs. Guy Cook. Nine members and one guest, Mrs. Woodley, attended.

were the bride's parents and the matron of honor.

The refreshment table was laid with a white embroidered silk organza cloth over satin, and centered with candles entwined with ivy and deep cerise ribbons. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with white wedding bells and confection roses.

Miss Judy Ringener presided at the guest register. Those in the house party were Mrs. Robert C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Junior

### Wives' Club Hears Of Appliances

Mrs. Walter Wheat, home economist for Texas Electric Service Company, demonstrated different baking techniques and appliances at the Thursday meeting of the Independent Wives' Club. The meeting was held in the John H. Lees Service Club at Webb Air Force Base.

Mrs. Preston Crickard presided and announced the Christmas party was held Saturday at the service club with Louis Gore serving as Santa Claus. A farewell was said to Mrs. Bob Barrett, and the next meeting was set for Jan. 11. Nine members and one guest, Mrs. Robble Carter, attended.

## STORK CLUB

**WEBB AFB HOSPITAL**  
Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Thomas J. Weindl, 1517 Vines, a boy, John Walter, at 6:08 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Airman I.C. and Mrs. Michael D. Brown, 801-A Willa, a girl, Sherri Larice, at 7:22 a.m., Dec. 9, weighing 5 pounds, 13 ounces.

Born to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Charles S. Johnson Jr., 1515-A Wood, a boy, Peter Franz, at 8:11 a.m., Dec. 11, weighing 7 pounds, 15 1/2 ounces.

Born to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Paul R. Ford, 123-B Barksdale, a boy, Phillip William, at 12:56 p.m., Dec. 11, weighing 8 pounds, 9 ounces.

Born to 1st Lt. and Mrs. William E. Boston III, 3614 Calvin, a boy, John Douglas, at 1:16 a.m., Dec. 13, weighing 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

**COWPER CLINIC**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clifford Coates, 1507 W. 2nd, a girl, Lavelle Ann, at 11:30 a.m., Dec. 12, weighing 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Roy Reid, Route One, a boy, Jody Don, at 7:52 p.m., Dec. 11, weighing 9 pounds, 9 ounces.

**MALONE AND HOGAN FOUNDATION HOSPITAL**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ariste, 206 W. 10th, a girl, Lisa Jeanine, at 11 a.m., Dec. 10, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crossen Jr., 2101 Thorp, a girl, Kerri Jo, at 12:10 a.m., Dec. 13, weighing 6 pounds, 2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hooser, Midland, a girl, Tammy Sue, at 2:12 p.m., Dec. 13, weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

**MEDICAL ARTS CLINIC AND HOSPITAL**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Armando Flores, 17 Channing Street, a boy, Jose Lupe, at 7:18 a.m., Dec. 12, weighing 8 pounds, one ounce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smiley, 1411 Eleventh Place, a boy, Robert Morgan, at 8:45 a.m., Dec. 14, weighing 7 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.

**Club Decorates At State Hospital**  
The Big Spring Garden Club delivered a Christmas tree to the State Hospital Wednesday and several members assisted with decorations in the patio of one of the buildings. The project was under the direction of Mrs. B. Anthony of Mineral Wells.

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# Office Orchid



MRS. PATSY MCKELLER

Mrs. Patsy McKeller is the former Patsy Moore, daughter of Mike Moore who resides on the Snyder Highway. Born and reared in Scurry County, she was graduated from Snyder High School in 1945. She attended San Angelo Business College and came to Big Spring where her first job began on May 1, 1947, when she accepted a position with Sullivan and Sullivan, Attorneys at Law. The association lasted until 1950, and after that, Mrs. McKeller worked for several years with Elliott and Waldron Abstract Company. Her present job as receptionist and typist for Bob Brock Ford, Inc., began July 13, 1964. Mrs. McKeller enjoys her work to the extent that she says she has time for little else except whatever involves her 14-year-old daughter, Karen, who is a freshman at Big Spring Senior High School. What leisure time she can manage is spent reading or watching television. In the past, she was active in the Parent-Teacher Association. Mrs. Keller and Karen are of the Baptist faith and reside at 2498 Scurry.

### Hang Mittens On Board With Pins

If you nail spring-type

clothespins onto a strip of wood and hang it over the children's boot bin, they can clip their mittens to the board when they come in from play.

### Club Views Holy Land Via Slides

The Rev. James Puckett, pastor of Baptist Temple, showed slides and gave a commentary on his trip to the Holy Land, with special emphasis on Bethlehem and Jerusalem, at the Thursday meeting of the Progressive Woman's Forum. The group met in the First Federal Community Room. Mrs. Ed Corson presided and served as hostess. Refreshments were served from a table laid with red and gold Christmas cloth and centered with a massive red and gold candle. Eleven attended with Mrs. Bob Boyd as a guest.

### Employees Given Pins At Banquet

STANTON (SC) — A 20-year pin was presented to Ray Simpson at the annual employees Christmas banquet of the Cap Rock Electric Co-op Inc. Friday evening at the Cap Rock building. Other service pins were awarded to Glen Gates, Stanley Barnes, John Wood and Ezell McKasled for 15 years service; and to Mrs. Nancy Baugh, Roger Freckenstien, Bill Hicks and Tom Johnson, five year service pins; and James Mashburn was given a three year service pin. Mrs. Joe Cruse and children presented a musical program.

### Hyperions Hear Devotion On Love

Mrs. Rogers Hefley presented the Christmas devotion, "When Two Worlds Met," at the Thursday meeting of the 1905 Hyperion Club in the home of Mrs. K. H. McGibbon, 108 Cedar. Mrs. Hefley stressed the thought that love is an expression of Christmas that could be kept alive throughout the year. Mrs. H. B. Beagan presided in the absence of Mrs. Hayes Stripling Sr. Homemade food delicacies were brought, and the recipes were exchanged. Roll call was answered with favorite Bible verses from members.

### Planters Group Holds Luncheon

The Planters Garden Club held a Christmas luncheon and program Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. E. O. Carothers, 1405 Stadium, with Mrs. Frank Wilson Jr. presiding and appointing Mrs. Carothers head of the nominating committee.

Mrs. J. W. Tranham reviewed the book, "Flowers for Southern Arizona," noting that the recommendations were applicable to this area of West Texas. She described the mak-

ing of window boxes and special beds for flowers as well as displayed decorative items for the Christmas season. Gifts were exchanged and the next meeting scheduled for 2 p.m., Jan. 10, in the home of Mrs. J. O. Murphy, 700 E. 12th.

### Cleanliness Spray

There are other handy uses for the special blue spray cleaner for glass surfaces. It's excellent for cleaning off grease, fingerprints and spatters from toasters, waffle irons and ovens, and leaves them shining clean.

### Berta Becketts Guest At Party

Mrs. W. M. Gage, 1200 Nolan, was hostess Thursday afternoon at a party for the Berta Beckett Sunday school class of First Baptist Church. She was assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Clayton Bettle and Mrs. R. L. Heith.

Twelve attended and were led in prayer by Mrs. W. R. Douglas, who also read a poem. The devotion was by Mrs. H. L. Slater, who discussed the prophecies, and Mrs. J. E. Hardesty,

who told of their fulfillment. Refreshments were served from a table covered with a red satin cloth overlaid with net appliques with Christmas motifs. Centering the table was a large candle based in holly, and holiday decorations were used throughout the home. Gifts were exchanged from a tree.

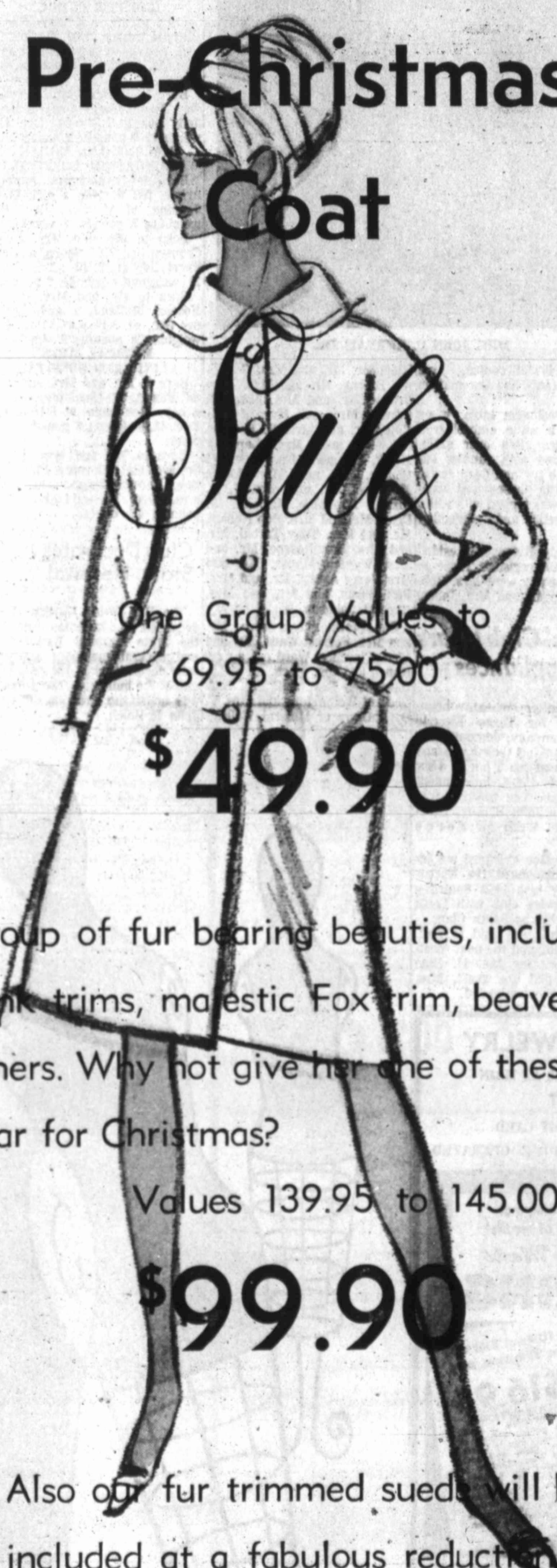
### Community House Has Open House

The Community House residence, 901 W. Third, held open house Thursday evening for

members of the medical house and department heads at the Big Spring State Hospital. The guest list included 50. Residents of the house served as the host group and prepared and served refreshments.

The table held a centerpiece of juniper, red candles and Christmas ornaments, and a crystal punch bowl and silver coffee service were used. Christmas decorations were placed throughout the entertaining area, and sequined balls covered the tree.

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## FEW RECORDED IN WEATHER OBSERVER'S RECORDS

# White Christmas Here Is Not Likely

By SAM BLACKBURN

There have been only two other Christmases when snow was on the ground at Yuletide. One was just five years ago. On Dec. 24, 1962, it snowed lightly and the weather remained cold enough to keep the mantle somewhat in evidence over Christmas.

Way back in 1909, there is a possibility some snow may have been around on Christmas, but not enough to merit the designation "white". On Dec. 20 it snowed enough that "the ground was covered," the weather observer wrote on his records. The temperature was minus

3 that night. However, the weather observer reported on Christmas day, the high was 49 degrees which dims the probability of there being any of the snowfall left.

Actually Christmas is usually a balmy sort of day. There seems to have been only one rainy Christmas day — in 1957. No other Christmas Day reports rain. Since it wasn't freezing on Dec. 25, 1957 it is not likely there was any ice.

The warmest Christmas in record was 12 years ago. It was 85 degrees on Dec. 25, 1955. The average high temperature for the holiday over the years that

records have been kept is 57. The average minimum temperature is 25. That minus 3 reading of 1909 was undoubtedly the coldest Christmas on record.

The snow and sleet of Friday was enough, had it been a week later to have added this Christmas to the highly select few holidays that have had snow. Of

course it could snow again before Christmas.

Who can say what will happen in West Texas weatherwise?

### NOT GOOD

Statistics indicate our chances of a snow are not good.

Each year at this season hundreds of folk wistfully ask: "Will we have a white Christmas this year?"

The answer has to be the same — if we do it will be an event of newsworthiness importance.

White Christmases in this community are rare.

They are so rare, for example, that oldtimers still revel in telling of that big, big snow which fell on that most renowned

of all local Christmases 28 years ago.

"It snowed six inches on Christmas day," they tell you. "Began falling about daylight and in no time at all had the whole countryside white. Kids had a big time. They made snowmen until the town was populated with 'em. They had snowball fights and they built snowball forts."

For younger native kids it could well have been their first opportunity to indulge in these traditional winter sports. It just doesn't snow here very often, and when it does, it doesn't snow very much.

There was only one other Christmas, insofar as most older residents remember, when the Christmas day was logically entitled to the adjective "white". That was Dec. 25, 1943. It had snowed on Dec. 23 and enough of the snow remained to cover the ground.

Weather records have been kept here since 1899.

Take the period 1953 through 1967. The total snowfall of all of these years is 41.22 inches. Of this total, eight inches fell in January, 1955 and another 5.8 in January, 1966. In 1963 December recorded two inches of snow, but none of this snow fell on Christmas day.

### AVERAGE

So, for the 14 years listed above, we have averaged only 2.74 inches of snow per year.

Don't count on a White Christmas. It just isn't in the cards, when statistics are taken into consideration for the 67 years records have been maintained.

## OFF THE BEATEN TRAIL

# Help Find Our Historic Trees

By ED SYERS

Texas timberman John A. Haislet, information head for our state's Forest Service at College Station, may be looking for a tree you know.

"Some years ago," he advises, "we ran a newspaper series on the famous trees of Texas. Since then, we've had many inquiries about them." The service will publish a booklet next year picturing and telling of the trees that loomed large in our history.

"We want to include all notably historic trees and probably have located most of them. However, OBT's readers may know others. Send me name and location; I'll check them out." Please remember that Forster Haislet is not after size or symmetry so much as story. Trees he hunts are like Columbus' Court Oak, where the Texas Republic began a judicial system; like the great pecan that Jim Hogg asked be planted by his Austin State Cemetery grave; like Old North Church Oak near Nacogdoches, where 1936 parishioners held services; like Austin's Treaty Oak of Indian legend.

But don't sell your tree short. Just as geography and human nature are twin keys to history, any tree that dominated its land has been court or church, council ground or gallows; it has known, over its centuries, the great or grim things of its land's story.

Write him, Texas Forest Service, College Station. And drop the rest of us a copy via OBT, will you?

### CHRISTMAS TREE

To reflect what our trees could tell, ponder the Christmas beauty we light across our land tonight. Little else we Americans do together casts such outward glow.

When a small boy, I sensed the wonder of that tree. What ever else in my year, it meant the magic beauty and good of my home: like my parents and America, everlasting!

I'm older now and know that our family's tree, this year, was almost unknown in our country before 1940. It came a long, hard, and often rejected way from Germany. Centuries ago, trees bore burden for man's bloody sacrifices before them.

There's an old German tale that Martin Luther was first to fix candles to Christmas branches. Let the light repre-

sent the stars looking down on the Holy Birth! By early 1600, some German homes had trees; two centuries later, nearly all did. While my Scotch-Irish-English forebears dragged in the Yule log and stuffed the boar for fireplace spitting, and while the Latin countries garlanded flowers to observe Christ's birth, the German-Texan brought his tree to our land.

He struggled in the East: Puritans opposed festive observances and this seemed pagan. Stephen Austin's Texas knew no lighted trees. Somewhere between Fredericksburg and New Braunfels, where the Texas German dug in, there must be the shred of a cedar stump where our first Christmas tree was felled. Prior to 1850, goes the story, there were candle-lighted trees in most German-Texan homes. Within 30 years, a nation had taken their light.

I could not have explained to that youngster that his tree was a relatively recent symbol — and borrowed, at that — of that men sometimes distort symbols. He knew his tree-lighted American home. And everlasting, the promise of its light.

### MAILBOX

Littlefield's Otto Pugliese near-fills it: "Have you heard of a Texas town called Bethlehem (See Milam County, near Rockdale). Is it true that gunfighter John Wesley Hardin's father was a Baptist (Methodist) preacher? Where can I get more information on him? Do you know of any Indians with the cavalry in the 1880's who were graduated from West Point? I wrote to the Academy. They said they didn't keep the ethnic-background of cadets."

Raymondville's Mrs. Mabel S. Moss: "Where can I find the (1917 paperback) 'Texas Last Frontier' by Francis Cushman Pierce of Brownsville (George Banta Co., Wisconsin). My father pioneered this Lower Rio Grande Valley in 1906; the book is a true presentation of life and border conditions at that time."

(Note and Thanks: For you writing about OBT's Texas trilogy. Volumes One and Two are exhausted; Volume Three, virtually so. Yes, there'll be a single, indexed, mapped, bibliographed hardcover, but not right away. And thanks for a reception that far surpassed expectations here.)



Straight From Holland

Graduation ceremonies at Webb AFB Saturday brought Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoogewerf from Holland to see their son 2nd Lt. James John Hoogewerf receive his wings with other members of Class 68-D. The couple left Holland Nov. 1, stopping in Detroit, Fla., Mexico

City and San Antonio before arriving in Midland last week. The family leaves Monday to spend the holidays in Holland before Lt. Hoogewerf leaves for his assignment in the Philippines. Mr. Hoogewerf is plant manager of the Ford Motor Company in Amsterdam.

# Christmas GIFTS FOR EVERYONE....

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2. When an apparently minor symptom or symptoms persist for more than a few days or weeks and does not appear to be due to some easily identified cause — get a doctor.
3. When symptoms returned repeatedly for no recognizable cause, such as in headaches, digestive distress, etc. — get a doctor.
4. When in doubt about any ailment — call a doctor.

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## A Devotional For The Day

The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light. (Isaiah 9:2)

**PRAYER:** O God, accept our gratitude as we celebrate the birth of Thy Son, who is the assurance of Thy love. May the good tidings of great joy find an echo in our lives as we join with others in proclaiming peace on earth and goodwill toward men. In our Redeemer's name. Amen.  
(From the 'Upper Room')

## Now To The Main Job

We have just gone through a warmly contested election on two issues affecting the city and the county — the sales tax and the airport authority bond proposals. As this is written we have no way of knowing what the people decided about them.  
But we do know that whatever the result, it is now time to close ranks and pull together in the common purpose of building a better community. To the degree that we succeed in this we will have better opportunities for gainful employment and profitable business.

Our individual progress and satisfaction is bound closely to our community. It is our jobs, our schools, our college, our churches, our clubs, our opportunities for cultural and creative fulfillment, our programs and facilities for relaxation, recreation, and entertainment.  
From time to time there will be differences of views on approaches to problems and challenges, but on the common goal of a better town there should be no divisions nor holding back.

## One Week To Help

This is the final week before Christmas—and there is much to be done. Somehow that last minute shopping will occur; somehow the social gatherings will be worked in; somehow the cards will be put in the mail and the Christmas decorations put up.  
But what about the really important business of spreading Christmas cheer by sharing what we have with others?  
You may have your private charities, and that's wonderful. But if you don't and you won't have time to get around to seeing individually about some needy family, why not do the practical thing — help the Salvation Army help them.  
The corps here faces a tremendous task in trying to fill applications for baskets, and for the toys that firemen have repaired, and the dolls that

women and Future Homemakers have helped dress.  
Yet the Salvation Army does not have a single penny of resource for its Christmas activities except what we and you give it at this season of the year.  
This may be given in the form of a class or a club or a church adopting a family or families (and then making sure that the project is completed), or it may be given in the form of donations mailed to the Salvation Army or dropped in the kettles.  
The kettles constitute the handiest approach for most of us.  
So this is an appeal from the heart to you to drop in some bills or heavy change as often as possible this week. Next week will be too late.

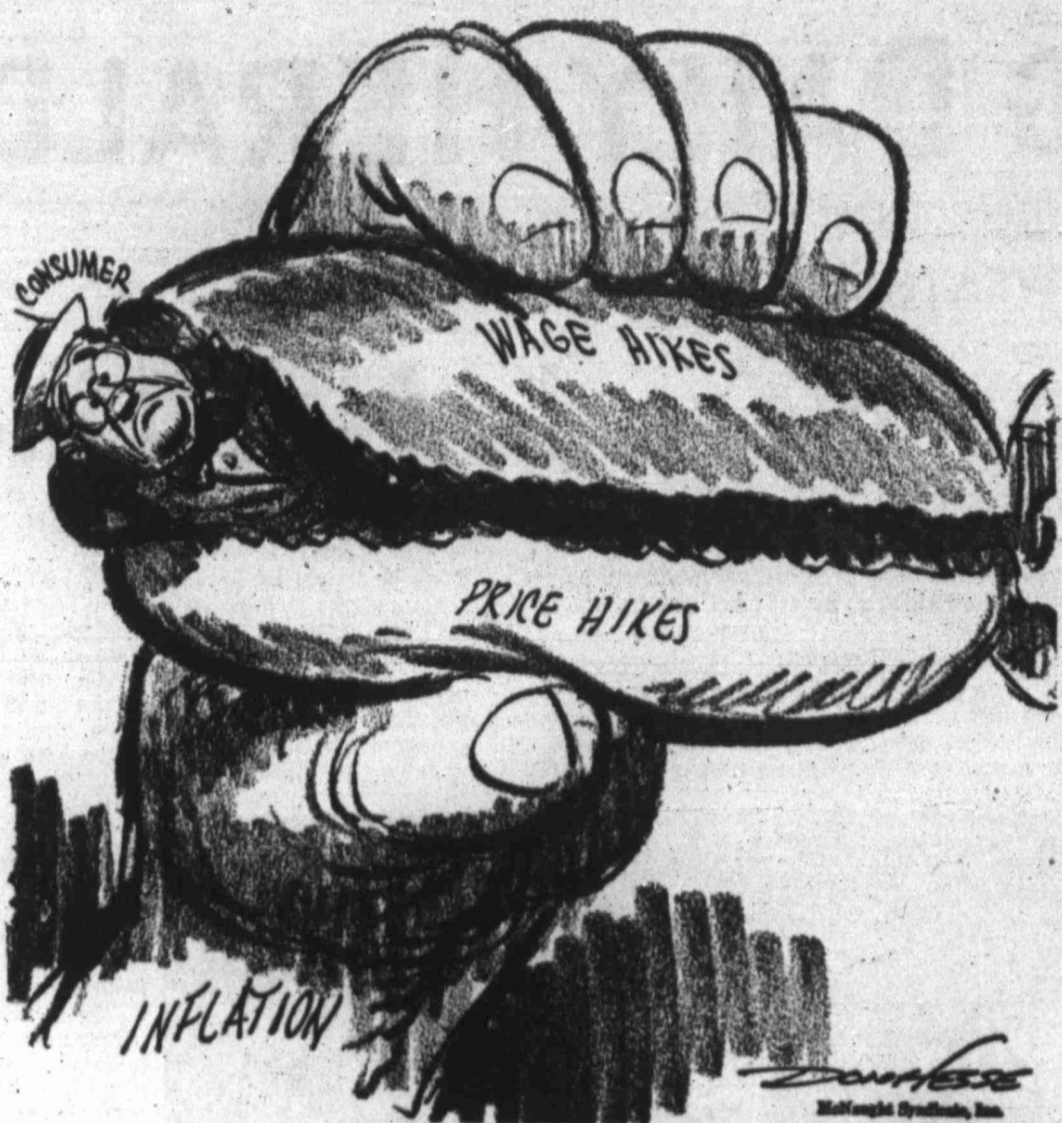
## William S. White Nixon Gathering Strength

**By WILLIAM S. WHITE**  
(For Marquis Childs, who is on vacation.)  
WASHINGTON—For the anti-Richard Nixon forces in the Republican party, the hands of the clock are moving—though most unseasonably to be sure—very close to midnight.  
Granted that it is still the better part of a year before the GOP national convention, the plain fact is that the former vice president has moved into a lead for the presidential nomination so commanding that the realistic odds on his victory may fairly be said to stand at no worse than 50-50, notwithstanding the unusually large field of aspirants.

**THE TOTAL** inability of the Republican governors in their recent conference in Palm Beach, Fla., to center upon any alternate to Nixon is one of those rare developments in politics that have more significance than they appear.  
The central meaning is that the old year is drawing to a close without the smallest sign of any genuine stop-Nixon movement.  
The governors have gone to bat at a critical time, indeed; and they have struck out. The general supposition has always been that, taken as a collective entity, they speak for a so-called "moderate" wing of the GOP that doesn't much care for Nixon and would far prefer to promote one of their own for the nomination. The dif-

## Billy Graham

My trouble is: I know I am a child of God, but I dread the Second Coming. I don't know why I have this fear, but it may be that some of my children are not ready to meet God, and I hate to leave them if Christ should come. I don't know, but I thought you might help me in giving me a reason for this fear of His Coming.  
M.F.B.  
Possibly your fear for Christ's coming is in a lack of knowledge of what is going to happen at His appearing. Would it strike terror to your heart if peace should come upon this war-torn world? Christ's coming will bring peace. Would it make you afraid if Satan and his angels were made powerless? That's what is going to happen when Christ comes. Should it make you afraid if hatred, prejudice and misunderstanding were removed from the world? That's what will happen when Christ comes. Would it make you afraid to stand in the personal presence of Christ forevermore? That's what will happen when Christ comes.  
Fear of the unknown is only natural. And those who are not aware of what is going to happen when He comes, may harbor some fear about His coming. But, you need never fear, for He that "doeth all things well," will be "King of kings and Lord of lords, and He shall reign forever and for ever."  
A loving obedient child does not fear his father's return. Just make sure you are ready to meet Him. "Be ye also ready, for in a day and hour that you think not, He cometh."



## Jack Lefler

### Forecasts For 1968 Are Optimistic

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Optimistic predictions about the course of the U.S. economy in 1968 came out this past week. But words of caution were heard, too.

The forecasts covered the general economy, automobile production, housing starts and manufacturers' sales.  
The outlook was enhanced when General Motors Corp., the No. 1 automaker, and the United Auto Workers Union agreed on a new three-year contract that will raise wages and benefits of 380,000 workers six per cent.  
The contract is almost identical with agreements the union reached earlier with Ford Motor Co. and Chrysler Corp. Ford was struck for two months and Chrysler lost some production because of local work stoppages.

**GET DOLLAR MORE**  
General Motors workers at 127 plants in 70 cities will get about \$1 an hour in wage and benefit increases over the current average of \$4.70.  
In some cases, analysts said business improvement would be contingent on enactment of an income tax increase and a cut in government spending.

The Federal Reserve Bank of New York said, "underlying cost and price pressures in the economy show no signs of diminishing."  
"The need for fiscal restraint," the bank added, "is compelling, not only to contain price pressures domestically but also to protect the dollar in the international exchanges."  
Albert T. Sommers, economist for the National Industrial Conference Board, commented: "UNBOOMLIKE"  
"Now that the long-heralded and endlessly forecast expansion in the economy has begun, it does not look very much like the forecasts. In fact, it is very unboomlike."

Dr. Saul B. Klamann, economist for the National Association of Mutual Savings Banks, predicted the nation's economy will grow at an eight per cent rate next year, compared with an expected rate of 5 1/2 per cent this year.  
But without federal fiscal ac-

- General Motors contract gives workers 6 pct. boost
- Some say outlook hinges on fiscal restraint, more tax
- Signs diminish on cost and price pressures
- Higher automobile and housing start rates foreseen
- Unemployment drops sharply from October peak

tion, he added, "we are fearful of first half of the year imbalances which could lead to a second half decline."  
Standard & Poor's Corp., a leading investment advisory firm and financial publisher, said it expected in the first half of next year strong advances in industrial production, gross national product, manufactured goods prices, business volume and profit margins.

**HIGHER CAR OUTPUT**  
Henry Ford II, chairman of Ford Motor Co., forecast sales of passenger cars in 1968 would rise to 9.3 million, second only to the record 9.5 million sold in 1965.  
"Car sales next year should be bolstered by rising employment and personal income, by the present high level of personal liquid assets and low level of personal debt," he said.  
Ford estimated 1967 industry sales at 8.4 million cars, including 785,000 imports.

Michael Sumichrist, economist for the National Association of Home Builders, said he looks for 1968 housing starts to total 1.4 million units, up 10 per cent from the expected total for 1967.  
**SEE MORE SALES**  
A Commerce Department survey indicated that manufacturers expect an increase of 3.5 per cent in sales in the first three months of next year, which would be the best performance in two years.  
The Labor Department reported that the unemployment rate fell sharply to 3.9 per cent of the labor force in mid-November from a two-year high of 4.3 per cent in October.  
Arthur M. Ross, commissioner of labor statistics, said the

decline was due to an acceleration of economic activity from a "slow situation" in September and October. He added that this resulted in more jobs for women and teenagers.  
**What Others Say**  
A three-year-old Abingdon, Maryland, boy was accidentally shot to death by his four-year-old sister recently in their home. As their father was showing a friend his gun collection, the girl picked up a revolver on the couch and it accidentally discharged, police said. The boy was pronounced dead at Hartford Memorial Hospital in Havre de Grace. Do gun collectors need to keep their lethal weapons loaded? Are guns kept around the house really worth the terrible toll they take each year in "accidents"?  
—WASHINGTON POST  
The Farm Journal, a respected publication serving the nation's farmers, reports that extensive studies have shown that a high percentage of hog sufferers from stomach ulcers, and that one of the principal contributory causes is the disposition of their owners. "See how a breeder's hog react to him before you buy his boars," the magazine warned its readers.  
If a sour disposition in the owner can induce ulcers in a creature ordinarily considered as insensitive to the noxiousities of life as a hog, it becomes all the more frightening to consider what a dedicated sourpuss can do to his fellow human beings.  
—JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) TIMES UNION

## To Your Good Health Why Toxoid Is Better Tetanus Protection

**By JOSEPH G. MOLNER, M.D.**  
Dear Dr. Molner: Would you explain the difference between tetanus toxoid and tetanus antitoxin, also any side effects possible, length of effectiveness, etc? Many of your readers have never known the real usefulness of these: — G.W.  
The only way to appreciate the full usefulness is to see what lack of such protection means: what happens when a person gets a tetanus infection, or lockjaw. The convulsions are horrible enough to see even if the patient recovers.  
Lockjaw used to be much more common. Now most schools and health departments insist on tetanus immunization, and everyone in military service receives similar protection.  
The danger, however, recurs as immunity wanes, as it will over the years. The way to be safe is to have a booster every two to five years. But because so many people have not done this, it is a common (and wise) practice to give a booster when a person suffers a suspicious wound — one which is clogged with dirt, and more particularly a deep puncture wound, as from a nail or long splinter. This is because the tetanus germ thrives in the absence of air.

This vaccine against tetanus is "toxoid." Like any other vaccine, it causes the blood to form antibodies which will destroy tetanus germs if they appear.  
Tetanus anti-toxin, or T.A.T. for short, is a quite different type of injection.  
When a tetanus infection develops, and the germs multiply, they throw off highly poisonous by-products — the toxin. It is this by-product, rather than the germ itself, which does the damage.  
T.A.T. is designed to combat this toxin rather than the germ itself. Thus it can be used after it is too late for toxoid.  
Toxoid prevents the infection, but it must be given in time in which to build up the preventive powers. T.A.T. is used to fight the infection once it has been introduced into the body. The patient, in such a case, has plenty of misery in store, but the urgency is to save his life.  
Another problem is that T.A.T. has in the past been made from horse serum, and some people are highly sensitive to it, so disagreeable allergic reactions can occur.  
More recently an "immune globulin" has been developed, prepared from human blood instead of horse serum, but serv-

ing the same purpose as T.A.T. With it, reactions, if any, are of far less serious proportions.  
The thing to keep in mind is that toxoid, the "tetanus shot," is the important thing. It prevents. Reactions or side effects from it are as uncommon as they are with any of the standard, frequently used immunizations.  
But remember to have an occasional booster.  
Dear Dr. Molner: Would you believe my large toenails are greenish, or the skin under them is? — J.G.  
Could be. Might be an incipient fungus infection. See a dermatologist. Could be dye from your socks or shoes.  
Are you bothered with ringing in the ears? If so, write to Dr. Molner in care of The Herald for the booklet, "Ear Noises — Their Causes and Cures," enclosing with your request 10 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.  
Dr. Molner welcomes all reader mail, but regrets that due to the tremendous volume received daily, he is unable to answer individual letters. Readers' questions are incorporated in his column whenever possible.

## Around The Rim Young Folks Singin' For Fun

**DEAR RUFFE:**  
Our latest go for culture ran right up on Christmas, and a fine thing, because the music they put out the other night was as twinkly as the prettiest Christmas tree you ever saw.  
What we had was that eldering fellow come to town with some of his old friends and a whole flock of young folks. Don't get the idea that the feller is tottering, just because he has been puttin' on shows for over 50 years. He is still in control, and can do more with the wave of one finger than a lot of frock-tail orchestra leaders can do with a stick.

**AND HE MUST** know, that time moves along, because what he had his outfit doing — they was mostly young boys and girls — was music as up to date as noon tomorrow. Oh, they went back aways for some of the tunes, a good many of 'em in fact, but they was tunes that you would know right off, and would either want to hum to or pat your foot to, or even want to get up a dance to.

**THIS FELLER** knows how to make the show look sparkly, too. The girls were in pretty dresses, all silvery, then green, then red — I think, because the lights were flashin' on them — but they were a bunch of lovely-dovey dolls.  
The boys started out in blue jackets, then switched to black, and while boys simply ain't as pretty as girls, they was fresh, fine-standing young fellers, and none of 'em needed a haircut.

**THE WAY THEY** did it, Rufe, they put the singers — boys and girls — on the stairs in the middle. On each side they had part of the orchestra. One side was the pianna player, the drummer and a little doll who played the squeeze-box. On the other side

was the guys blowing the horns.  
The kids in the middle kept jumping around, happy-like, just to keep your attention, but mostly they was rarin' back and singin' like it was the most fun they ever had.

**AND THEY WENT** for a little of everything. They did some from the opry, they did some from the spirituals, they did some slow and dreamy, they did some fast and catchy, they did some oldies and some razz-ma-tazz. You name it, those kids could sing it, and the fellers on each side of them could play it.

One pretty little thing took a note so high it didn't come back down through the ceiling for 15 minutes. A husky feller took some so low they had to be dug out of the basement.

**THEY SANG** in singles, they sang in doubles, they sang like they was at a picnic. Some of 'em also played the big fiddle, the gittar, and the banjo and the mandolin — which is somethin' because the gittar people have about chased the banjo and mandolin people out of business.

What they was actually doin', Rufe for about two and a half hours, was givin' you enough musical fun — just plumb fun — to last you all the way through the holidays, and to hold you until another culture night comes around.

**I WOULD SAY** offhand that an eldering feller who is smart enough to keep young kids bunched together just for the fun of makin' music is never goin' to have much trouble. He said he was lookin' at another 50 years, and may make it. Hope me and you can stay with him.

Yore friend,  
**ZEKE**  
(Bob Whipkey)

## Art Buchwald A New Ambassador To France

**WASHINGTON** — U.S. Ambassador Charles Bohlen is coming home from France, and a desperate search is now under way to find a suitable replacement.

Most Americans would like to send over Bonnie and Clyde, but President Johnson still hasn't made up his mind. "He should be a man," a high State Department official told me the other day, "who understands De Gaulle, who will be welcomed by the French Foreign Ministry and who has access to the Elysee Palace at all times."  
"That sounds like Premier Kosygin," "No," said the official. "He has to be an American."  
"I knew it wouldn't be easy," I said.

**"OUR CANDIDATE** must also understand the problems of gold."  
"What about Arthur Goldberg?"  
"Are you going to be serious, or are you going to mess around?"  
"I'm sorry."  
"He also has to be able to present Great Britain's case for admittance into the Common Market."  
"Too bad Twiggly isn't a man," I said.

**"NOT ONLY THAT,** but the new American ambassador must be able to explain our commitment in Vietnam in terms that De Gaulle will understand."  
"Then you've got to go with Dr. Spock."  
"I don't think he's under consideration," said the State Department official.  
"Why don't you send over a general?" I suggested.  
"De Gaulle doesn't seem to have

much use for American generals. It reminds him too much of what the American Army did for him in World War II."  
"Well, how about a businessman?"

**"NO, THAT REMINDS** him too much of what the United States did to build up France after World War II."  
"Then send a doctor," I pleaded.

"That wouldn't work either. De Gaulle would think we were concerned about his health, which, of course, we're not."  
"I don't envy your job. What about Secretary McNamara?"

**"IT'S TOO LATE,** you see, President Johnson didn't tell him about the World Bank job first, so it would be hard not to tell him about the ambassadorship now."  
"There's always Bobby Kennedy."  
"I've heard the President say many times he'd like to send Bobby somewhere, but it was never Paris."  
"We probably don't have diplomatic relations with the place the President wants to send him," I said.

**"WELL, THERE'S** got to be somebody in this country who would be acceptable to us and President De Gaulle. What about a clergyman?"  
"We've considered it, but De Gaulle doesn't like to be reminded there's another deity."  
"This is ridiculous," I said. "Do you realize if you don't appoint an American ambassador to France we'll have no communication with De Gaulle at all?"  
"The idea gets more appealing as each day goes by."  
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## David Lawrence President Johnson And Labor

**WASHINGTON**—President Johnson doesn't often make mistakes in the realm of politics, and if he had had the advice of a good "public-relations" man, he probably would not have made the kind of partisan speech he delivered at the AFL-CIO convention in Miami this past week.

The President had a right to discuss any question he pleased, but he had avoided political partisanship and confined himself to a commendation of the AFL-CIO for its patriotic resolution of support for the American cause in the Vietnam war.

**IT WAS WORTHWHILE,** indeed, for the President to call attention to the endorsement of the government's policy in Southeast Asia as proclaimed by the largest labor organization in the world. It remains a good deal in other countries where labor plays an important role, too. The fact that the nation's unions are behind the government's course in Vietnam is significant, and Mr. Johnson was wise in stressing it.

The President had every reason to assuage critics of the Vietnam war, because in these passages of his speech he did not single out Democrats or Republicans. But when he coupled this with a political attack on the Republican party on domestic issues, he was weakening his position. He said:

**"THE ONLY TIME** they (the Republicans) really said, 'yes,' an enthusiastic 'yes,' was when they got to vote to recommit a good bill—to bury it in a blanket of rhetoric beneath the wave of Republican reaction. But they are not fooling anybody, are they?"

Mr. Johnson said that "labor's leadership" had helped make Congress "productive," and he urged that labor vote to replace what he called "Republican nay-sayers" with Democrats such as those who "helped write the historic legislative record of the 89th Congress." He declared:

**"AND WE ARE** going to have to work. We are going to have to roll up our sleeves and put our shoulder to the wheel—every man get to work and work through next November."

The President had the benefit of nationwide television audiences when he made his address at Miami. Naturally the Republican leaders in Congress have demanded of the three national networks equal time to answer what they term a "partisan and political speech" to the AFL-CIO convention.

**MR. JOHNSON'S** conspicuous alliance with union labor on domestic issues raises the question of how the executive branch of the government can deal equitably with the many problems that arise involving labor-management relations — as, for instance, wage and price controls. Mr. Johnson boasted that the United States is fighting a war "for the first time in American history without any wage or without any price controls." He spoke of voluntary restraints having made involuntary curbs unnecessary.

**THE TRUTH** of the matter is that the wage-price "spiral," to which the President referred in passing, is getting more acute every day. Mr. Johnson realizes the seriousness of the situation, but he has not yet recommended any remedy except to leave it to both labor and management to hold down wages and prices in their own way.  
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# Sabine River Basin Plan Of Development Told

ORANGE, Tex. (AP) — Federal and state officials unveiled Friday a comprehensive plan for developing the Sabine River Basin of Texas and Louisiana from now past the year 2000.

One recommendation was navigation of the river from Longview to Orange.

The committee which has been studying the long-range use of the basin put no order of priorities on the 37 federal and local projects it endorsed although it did categorize some segments as short range, before the year 2000 and after the year 2000.

Only one of the 37 is funded and under construction — the watershed project near Quitman at the river's headwaters. It is half complete.

Two other proposals have been authorized by Congress but no money has been appropriated. They are for improving the navigation channel from Orange to Echo, Tex., and enlarging the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway which links the Atchafalaya River, the Sabine River and the Houston Ship Channel.

The other recommended projects have not been endorsed by Congress.

These include 17 new reservoirs, 11 watershed projects, two local flood protection programs, a flood-release channel for upstream, and the Longview-Orange navigation and flood control channel.

The comprehensive program was made public by a committee which for some time has been studying the basin potential.

Represented on the committee were the U. S. Engineers, the Agriculture Department's Soil Conservation Service, the Inter-

Department, Public Health Service, Weather Bureau, Federal Power Commission, Texas Water Development Board and the Louisiana Department of Public Works.

Congress financed the study leading to the basin development plan.

The committee found feasible the development of watershed projects on the Upper Sabine River, Caddo Creek, South Fork of the Sabine, McBoe Creek, Mill Creek, Grand Saline Creek, Irons Bayou, Upper Bayou La Nana, Little Bayou San Miguel, Prairie Bayou and Lower Sabine.

The committee recommended construction by the U. S. Engineers within the "foreseeable future" of three major upstream reservoirs—on the Sabine River near Mineola, on the Lake Fork of the Sabine near Quitman and on Big Sandy Creek in Wood County.

The Soil Conservation Service, under the committee's proposal, would build tributary reservoirs near Canton and Grand Saline, Tex., and near May, La., and would construct a flood-release channel from the three U. S. Engineers reservoirs to the headwaters of Toledo Bend Reservoir near Logansport.

An immediate flood protection program for Greenville, Tex., also was proposed.

Short range plans included only one project for the downstream part of the Sabine. It is for a shallow-draft barge canal extending about 4 1/2 miles from the present head of navigation at Echo, just north of Orange, to Pruitt Bluff. The second link

Worth; Donald L. Martin, regional director of the Federal Power Commission, Fort Worth; John J. Vandertulip, chief engineer, Texas Water Development Board, Austin, and Calvin T. Watts, assistant director, Louisiana Department of Public Works.

## Stanton Jo Vote On Sales Tax

STANTON (SC) — A city sales tax election Jan. 9 has been called by Stanton commissioners, who said if the tax is not approved, ad valorem property rates would be increased from 40 to 55 percent on the current base tax rate of \$1.50 per \$100.

If the proposal is approved, Mayor Stanley Wheeler said the city can begin collecting the tax next July 1. According to law, collection can not begin until the quarter in which the election is held has passed, as well as the following one.

State Comptroller Robert Cavert reported that \$42,000 in state sales taxes were collected in Martin County in 1966, estimating that 80 percent came from Stanton residents.

## Another Entry Listed In Decoration Contest

Another entry, F. J. Morehouse, 1511 Eleventh Place, has been received by the Chamber of Commerce in the annual Christmas Home-Decoration contest sponsored by the Texas Electric Service Company and Chamber of Commerce.

Residents may enter by calling the Chamber of Commerce, 263-7641, giving name and address. Deadline for entering is 5 p.m. Thursday. Decorations may be put up any time, but must be up for judging on Dec. 22.

Points will be awarded in various categories in the judging. Artistry and ingenuity may receive as high as 30 points, lighting technique 30 points, originality 20 points, and symbolic portrayal 20 points.

The prizes given by Texas Electric Service Co. are on display at the Chamber of Commerce. First prize is a yard light, installed; second prize, a dual control electric blanket; and third prize, an electric carving knife.

Pamphlets are available giving suggestions for decorating the home with lights for the Christmas season.

## Church Holds Holiday Program

The Youth Choir of the College Baptist Church presented a Christmas program last week. Music was taken from traditional seasonal hymns, coordinated with the Christmas story. Film transparencies were shown during the presentation. Featured were Gayla Williams, soloist, and Maurine Wigginton, pianist. James M. Stephens, the choir's director, wrote the script.

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## Horoscope Forecast

—CARROLL RIGHTER

**GENERAL TENDENCIES:** Matters from the past can be quite a problem to you so by living simply and accepting you are able to get out from the rut you are in and can find some new interests and arrangements by which to show that you are the one who is able to do things as well as find peace of mind, serenity, yourself.

**ARIES (March 21 to April 19)** Do not let it show you because one of home is not in the right mood and will not accept your ideas, which you think are wonderful. Await a better day. Get busy with personal interests that are vital to you.

**TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)** Traffic may be congested today, so be sure you drive with utmost care, especially on your way to services at your church. Hit on the right philosophical system by which to guide your life in the future. Show your home wisdom.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)** A good day to think over how to reorganize your business affairs so they become progressive and profitable. Also, see how to improve surroundings, prosperity of all kind. Make sure that all monetary affairs are clear.

**MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21)** You have to be very patient if you want to gain your personal aims that mean so much to you. Be sure you are not in a hurry. It is important that you do much quiet thinking over your results.

**LEO (July 22 to Aug. 23)** Anything of a confidential nature can be divulged provided you are sure the matter thoroughly first and you elevate your thoughts to higher things. Be sure to assist one who is in deep trouble. Be a true humanitarian.

**VIRGO (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23)** This is not the right day to get in touch with close pals, otherwise you will have to be most diplomatic with them. State your personal aims clearly. Then you can get right results. Live the same.

**LIBRA (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23)** Be certain to carry through with expectations of higher uses and handle civic duties wisely and well. Take care you do nothing that will ruin your reputation. Think before you speak, be circumspect.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24 to Nov. 23)** Although you get what seem like good ideas, you find they are impractical, study well and try to institute such qualities that are lacking. Check those every glamorous persons who want so much to know you better.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 24 to Dec. 23)** All responsibilities should be handled scrupulously now and do not follow that intuitive prompting that seems wiser than it is. Out with male in p.m. to some charming spot. Forget that feeling of depression.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 24 to Jan. 20)** Working tonight will soon give you better relations with associates is very wise this a.m. Rid yourself of that poor appearance that comes up. Avoid arguing with anyone and getting all worked up over your own ideas.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)** Do not waste a second day when you have a very great deal. Avoid others who are busy being more independent.

**PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20)** A light attitude can do much to help others to perk up their spirits also, and showing affection for others can be of tremendous mutual help. Get into some hobby that interests you out of the some hobby that interests you.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY:** He or she will be one of those fascinating young persons who is apt to be too emotional and parents should teach early to avoid harping on what ever is of an unpleasant, unhappy nature. The field of business would be fine here, the buying and selling of products in bulk quantities, etc. Send to business outlet.

**GENERAL TENDENCIES:** Until mid-afternoon you are out to encounter a considerable amount of delay in getting across anything that means very much to you, but then everything suddenly seems to take a plunge forward and you are able to get much done, especially if you are concentrated and make a point to charm all with whom you come in contact.

**ARIES (March 21 to April 19)** Affairs of home could be quite hectic at this time, so be patient and show your love, invite friends in for a little party in p.m. Get into new ideas on well. Get certain geometrical affairs out of the way quickly.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)** Some problem of home could keep you from getting out into the world of activity, but you can easily make up for lost time. Show ingenuity and increase your confidence around you. Be with congenialists.

**LEO (July 22 to Aug. 23)** Plan well what you want to buy for others before you actually do so, be it for Christmas or some other occasion. Now is the time to assist those in trouble. Don't wait until the need is too great.

**VIRGO (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23)** Show that you have consideration for good friends who are and do not have a really difficult time of it. Retrace the social until p.m. Avoid any possible trouble that could ensue during the day.

**LIBRA (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23)** Higher-ups are so busy with own affairs, they have little time for you, so keep busy of own affairs diligently. Get into your business world and see that you

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## Choir-Band To Present Music Program

By ZONELL MIEARS  
A joint Christmas program given by the choir and band will be presented Wednesday in the boys' gym at Runnels Junior High School at 7:30 p.m. following the program.  
Tuesday night at 7:30 this musical program will be given for the parents and the general public in the boys' gym.  
An assembly was held Tuesday afternoon for the induction of the Runnels chapter of the National Junior Honor Society. Nineteen charter members were inducted by five of the Goliad charter members. These Goliad members were Julie Allen, Joan Crawford, Stanley Shanks, Billy Priebe and Donald Davis. Mr. Roscoe Newell, principal of Runnels, presented the members with National Junior Honor Society membership cards and pins.

Other students participating in this program were Cindy Adams playing the recessional, Alan Hill giving the invocation and Zonell Mears leading the Pledge of Allegiance. Brenda Conway gave the benediction and Carler Hale sang a solo accompanied by Teresa Spears. The editors of the Round-Up have been working on the first edition of the newspaper and the copies will be given to the students Monday.

Mrs. Betty Conley's homemaking classes held a tea for the mothers of the girls Thursday. Mrs. LaRue DeViney's art classes made the decorations for the homemaking tea.



Runnels Cheerleaders

Football season may be over but the eighth grade cheerleaders are busy with volleyball season as they are on the eighth grade volleyball team. They worked hard and supported the Runnels Yearlings through victories and losses. Top to bottom are Denise Bryant, Brenda Conway, and Raylene Oliver.

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NEWS FROM THE SCHOOLS  
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### FHA In Holiday Mood With Carols

By ALICE DENNING  
COAHOMA — Christmas caroling highlighted the FHA Christmas party which was held Monday night. The members traveled all around the community singing and returned to hold a short business meeting and enjoy the refreshments.

Members discussed the plans for the Mother - Daughter Tea which will be held in January. A committee with Kaye Wolf as the chairman was appointed to plan the tea. Gifts were brought to this meeting to be given to needy children in the community.

The Spanish Club has set Dec. 22 as the date for the Christmas party. The party will be held in the high school activity room at 7:30 p.m. and the entertainment will be provided by the Border Brass. Each member is to bring a gag gift to be exchanged.

**FOOTBALL AWARDS**  
R. L. Coates and Ken Gregory were named linemen of the year and back of the year, respectively, during the football banquet last Saturday night. Both boys were presented with certificates recognizing them for their outstanding performance this past season. Coach Hagin also awarded certificates to other members of the Bulldog team for their outstanding work at particular games.

District band tryouts were held Dec. 18 in Abilene. Coahoma members trying for the title of All-District band member were Andy Wilson playing the cornet, David Crawford with the trombone and Cary Banks with the snare drums.

A Christmas assembly will be given Wednesday by the high school band. The program will

begin at 1 p.m. and will consist of Christmas selections played by the band. School will be dismissed at 2:45 p.m. following the program and classes will not resume until Jan. 2.

**CLASS RINGS**  
The junior class will be measured for senior rings Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. Each student must pay \$10 as a down payment with the balance due on receiving the rings.

The government classes will visit the Howard County Courthouse Tuesday. The students will see the courtroom, during a hearing which will give them a better understanding of court procedures which they have recently been studying.

The student council committee, appointed to set up an exemption system for exams, met Thursday and set rules to be submitted to the school board at its next meeting.

### Sarah Bennett In Honor Program

Sarah Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bennett, 2705 Clanton, is one of 67 freshmen enrolled in Baylor University's Honors program. This is a four-year program designed to challenge superior students and provide them a course of study commensurate with their abilities. Dr. Elmer H. Duncan, chairman of the Baylor Honors Program Committee, said.

A total of 126 students from the freshman to senior level are currently participating in the program.

## Favorites Elected By Student Body

By SUSI WHITTEN  
Lila Phillips and Mike Adams have been selected as Best All-Around students for the 1967-68 school year. Marcia Staggs and Rondel Brock were chosen as eighth grade favorites and Patti Womack and Ricky Steen as seventh grade favorites. These favorites were selected by the students in elections held recently. Pictures of these students will be featured in the school yearbook which will be distributed in the spring.

Mrs. Dolores Gage, sponsor of the Goliad chapter of the National Junior Honor Society, helped with the induction ceremonies held at Runnels for the newly organized chapter of the National Junior Honor Society. Julie Allen, Billy Priebe, Stanley Shanks, Joan Crawford and Donald Davis also participated in the ceremonies.

**CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY**  
Wednesday afternoon the band will join with the choir at Goliad to present a Christmas program. The band will play "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," "Santa Claus is Coming to Town," "Frosty the Snowman," and "Christmas Greetings March," which is a medley of such famous songs as "Deck the Halls," "O Tenenbaum," "Jingle Bells," and others.

The Girls' Choir will then sing "Carol of the Bells," and "The Little Stranger," and the Boys' Choir will present "What Child is This?" and "Jingle Bells." These two choirs will then join to sing "Pat-a-Pan," a traditional French carol.

**Gifts Bring Much Joy**  
Generosity of Big Spring and area residents has made this a joyous season for hundreds of youngsters in and around Da Nang, Vietnam.

Maj. Smith Swords III, in a letter to Mrs. Swords, expressed his deep thanks to all the people who responded to appeals for toys and clothing several weeks ago. His gratitude knew no bounds, he said.

As a result of the appeal, people responded to the point that Mrs. Swords was able to forward 350 pounds of toys and clothing to him. These were turned over to the four orphanages in the Da Nang area and are bringing Christmas happiness to these youngsters.

The need for help is not confined to just the Christmas season, and others who have good serviceable toys and children's clothing or toys are asked to call 263-3668. Clothing up to about 14 years of age can be used, and there is an urgent need for diapers, infant's wear, soap, etc.

Maj. Swords, who was stationed at Webb AFB, is now assigned to the 366 Tactical Fighter Wing.

### FAA Official Hurt In Crash

WACO, Tex. (AP) — Dr. Clyde A. Linn, identified as Federal Aviation Administration flight surgeon from Fort Worth, was seriously injured Friday night when he tried to make an emergency landing on Interstate 35 with his light airplane.

He was taken to a Waco hospital where his condition was listed as serious.

The crash happened on the median strip of the interstate highway about 15 miles south of Waco. A Bruceville man, Wilfred Harless, said he heard the plane fly over his home, with the engine sputtering. The Cessna 150 hit a 64,000 volt power line before crashing.

### Bohlen Confirmed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate confirmed Charles E. Bohlen Friday as deputy secretary of state. The veteran diplomat was most recently ambassador to Paris.

### SCHOOL DISMISSAL

School will be dismissed at 2:45 p.m. following the program for the holidays and classes will resume Jan. 2.  
Student council officers were elected last week. Mike Adams was elected president, Lila Phillips as vice president, and Sheila Armistead as secretary. The council is sponsoring a Christmas door decoration contest between homerooms. These decorations will be judged Tuesday.

Last Monday the Mavericks were defeated by Snyder Travis 47-34. The game scheduled for Thursday afternoon was cancelled due to bad weather. The seventh grade teams also played Monday. Goliad's White team defeated the Runnels Saints by a score of 20-10, but the Black team was defeated by the Runnels Packers 20-11.

Results of the seventh grade achievement tests have been received by Mr. Lee Freeze, counselor and any parent having questions is encouraged to contact Mr. Freeze.

### Seniors Will Collect Garbage To Raise Money

By SARA BLEDSON  
ACKERLY — The city council of Ackerly presented the senior class with the idea of collecting the community garbage as a money raising project. The class accepted the offer and they will haul trash for people of Ackerly once a month for 75 cents a barrel.

The senior class will have the city truck at its disposal but must pay for gas and oil used in the truck. This trash pickup will be transported to the city dump. If this project is a success, each future senior class will have the opportunity to raise money in this way.

The fruit which the FFA boys sold earlier in the year has arrived and each boy is responsible for the delivery of each box of oranges and grapefruit that he sold. If the chapter can get fifty more orders, they will sell the fruit again for the month of January.

The Christmas program given by the choir will be presented Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. and tickets are 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for students.

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## Council Decorates Tree For Christmas Party

By DIANA RODMAN  
FORSAN — The Christmas tree was decorated Wednesday by the student council. The tree was placed in the lobby of the new auditorium and the gifts brought by the students will be placed under it prior to the party to be held by all classes of

Forsan High School, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 21. This party will follow the Christmas program given by the choir.

Monday morning the sophomore, junior and senior English classes saw the movie, "Julius Caesar." Each year the sophomore classes study English literature and they are currently studying this Shakespearean play.

Last weekend, Dec. 9 and 10, Mr. David Redwine, faculty member at Forsan, added color and spirit to the gym. He painted the head of the buffalo, the school mascot, on the west wall of the gym, and a flying "F" on the opposite side of the same wall.

**EYE EXAMINATIONS**  
Dr. Harold G. Smith, optometrist, visited Forsan checking the eyes of the students Tuesday and Wednesday. The tests were not complete examinations and he encouraged the students to see their eye doctor for a thorough examination.

The FHA officers planned a Christmas tea to honor the mothers of chapter members Wednesday. The tea will be given Wednesday and each member is helping with the refreshments. At this same time a style show will be presented by the Homecoming III class.

**FHA MEETING**  
Other points of business discussed were the collection of canned goods to be given to the Salvation Army for distribution, and the collection of Christmas cards to be taken to the state hospital. Each member will receive two points for each stamped unaddressed Christmas card brought for the patients.

The Christmas concert will be given at 12:30 Thursday afternoon preceding the school Christmas party. Classes will be dismissed at 2 p.m. for the holidays.

## Two Girls Make All-District Band

By CINDY DAVIS  
STANTON — Linda Holder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holder, and Cindy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, were named to the all-district band at the tryouts Dec. 8 which were held at Robert E. Lee High School in Midland. The girls played with the AAA all-district band in a concert Saturday night, which was directed by Mr. Ben Gollehon of Hereford and was made up of students from Class AAA, AA, A and B schools. Linda and Cindy, both juniors, play the flute.

Wednesday to plan a Christmas party for the school which will be held Friday, Dec. 22, at 8 p.m. The party will be held in the cafeteria and admission will be fifty cents. "Glen and the Misfits" from Seminole will play.

The girls basketball team participated in the Lakeview Tournament Dec. 4 and 5 and won first consolation. Kay Harrell and Sherry Avery were named to the all-tournament team.

The boys basketball team also participated in a tournament Dec. 4 and 5. Carl Holloway was named to the all-tournament team at the Colorado City tournament.

The Stanton tournament was held Dec. 14-16. The girls teams participating were Flower Grove, Barstow, Lakeview, Robert Lee, Christ the King Post and Stanton A and B girls.



Charlotte Cross

Charlotte Cross, of 2506 Rebecca Drive, is a member of the Colorado State College Concert Choir this fall. Miss Cross is a music education major at CSC.

## Ice-Snow Gives Students Unexpected Holiday Friday

By BECKY BRIGHT  
Students at Big Spring High School received an unexpected holiday last Friday when snow and ice on the roads prevented the buses from running. Superintendent Sam Anderson proclaimed that school would be closed.

"The capella choir was to sing in a festival at Midland, but this engagement was called off Thursday because of the bad weather.

Tickets for "Campus Revue '68" will go on sale Monday. The show will be professionally-styled and will feature a number of colorful acts presented by members of the Steer band. Ticket prices are \$7.50 which includes a Mexican dinner, reserved parking and seating for the show, \$5 which includes reserved parking and seating for the show, \$3 for reserved seats and \$1.50 for unreserved seats.

**BAND BANQUET**  
The High Noon Optimist Club sponsored the annual Steer Marching Band banquet last Thursday night at the Country Club. Gaylord Crenshaw, drum major, received an award for exemplifying the best marching spirit. Helen Miller received the John Phillip Sousa Memorial

award. Those receiving awards for marching were Gordon Marchant, drum major, and Gwen Peer, Dwight Fortson, Kent Fish, Margaret Cooper, Dee Elrod, David Bentley, Raye Nell Dyer and Tricia Bogard.

The tryouts for district band were held last weekend and 18 Steer bandmen placed. They are Tommy Polk, Nancy Fuller, Janet Allison, Dee Elrod, Mike Adams, Melvin Chappell, Helen Miller, Francis Wilson, Steve Hughes, Mike Stevens, Nancy Ivie, Douglas Ball, David Bentley, John Strain, Glen Matlock, Kent Fish, Robert Campbell and Tommy Butler.

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT**  
The Big Spring High School A Capella Choir will present their annual Christmas concert this Monday night at 7:30 in the high school auditorium. They will sing traditional Christmas music and there will be no admission charge.

The Steer Stage Band will give a concert at the Youth Center on Webb Air Base this afternoon at 2 p.m. This is a semi-professional group, with the money they earn going into a band fund to help pay for the Spring concert tour.

to play against the San Angelo team in San Angelo Saturday in a practice match. Members of the golf team are Ronnie Broadrick, Ken Chadd, Mike Weaver, Don Kasch, Mike Hall, Pat Weaver, John Bookout, Milton Jones, Bruce Bright, Terry Roundtree, Greg Hansen, Wesley Hudgins, Brent Womack, Riley Faulkner, Howard Stewart and Bill Schwarzenbach.

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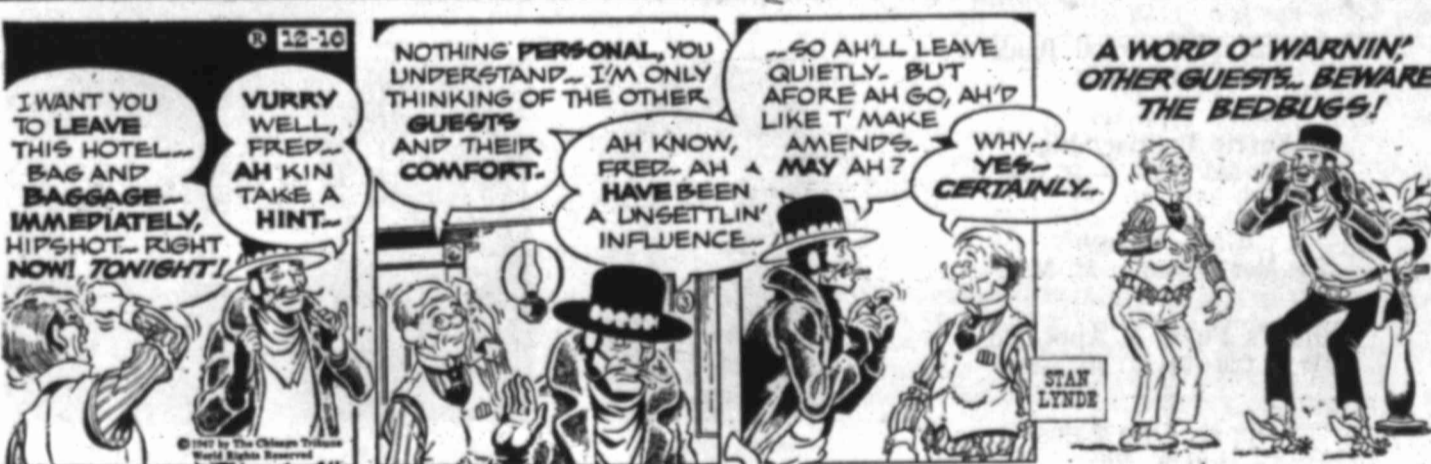
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# Poitier, Shelly Winters In Top Roles For Ritz Film

Sidney Poitier, who won the Academy Award as Best Actor for his performance in "Lilies of the Field," offers another heartwarming portrayal in "A Patch of Blue," in which he co-stars with Shelley Winters, also an "Oscar" winner, and which introduces a compelling young acting personality, Elizabeth Hartman, in her screen debut.

"A Patch of Blue" is a moving, tender and, at moments, heartbreaking drama.

One day, Selina meets Gordon (Poitier) and it is an encounter which changes her entire life. He becomes the only friend Selina has ever known. With humor and tact he teaches her the first steps to becoming self-reliant—how to make her way in busy thoroughfares, how to do her shopping in a supermarket, how to hide the scars underneath her eyes with dark glasses. The process in which she is educated and frightened Selina emerges from her chrysalis to become a radiant, laughing, happy girl in scenes of tremendous poignancy.

Eventually, her mother discovers the friendship between Selina and Gordon and in the picture's surging climax comes close to destroying her newfound happiness and freedom.



AT RITZ  
'A Patch of Blue'

It would curtail the story's suspense to reveal the outcome, but it can be stated that the plot is brought to a logical conclusion and that there will be few dry eyes in the audience, who are rooting for Selina to be given her chance in life.

The performances of the three stars of "A Patch of Blue" are

outstanding. Sidney Poitier again reveals himself to be one of the screen's superb actors in a role combining warmth, sincerity and dramatic force. Shelley Winters makes herself completely hateful as the loud-mouthed, vulgar and domineering mother. And Elizabeth Hartman, in a difficult and demanding role as the blind heroine, gives promise of becoming one of Hollywood's most successful young actresses. Together with Wallace Ford, the fine supporting cast features Ivan Dixon, Elizabeth Fraser and John Qualen.

## Harry James To Marry Showgirl

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Bandleader Harry James plans to marry Joan Boyd, 27-year-old former Las Vegas showgirl, on Dec. 27.

James announced plans for his third marriage Friday. It will be the first for Miss Boyd.

The bandleader is the former husband of Betty Grable.

## Not Same Old Boring Stuff

MOSCOW (AP) — "Comrades," the smiling man on television said, pointing to some costume jewelry, "wouldn't this make a nice gift for your wife?"

The commercial was crude by Western standards but had the same purpose: boosting jewelry store sales.

Occasional use of ads is one of several recent changes as government-run television seeks broader and improved programming.

### SEXY GALS

"Shows are getting better," one Muscovite says. "There is somewhat less propaganda, less of the same old boring stuff."

"Recent brighter moments have been the showing of an old but powerfully symbolic revolutionary film by famed director Sergei Eisenstein, a concert by pianist Lev N. Oborin, and a lively student variety and quiz show."

Glimpses of the West have included sexy teen-age girls doing the Shake and a Warsaw show with Caterina Valente singing Beatles songs.

Moscow now has four channels including an educational channel which teaches science and languages. All are on about five hours a night, and one broadcasts an additional two to seven hours in the day.

Reception has been improved and coverage extended to some 75 miles from the Moscow transmitter by a soaring, 1,748-foot Moscow tower that went into operation last month.



'THE GLORY STOMPERS'  
Renegades: 'The Black Souls'

## Hopper Won Fame With James Dean

Dennis Hopper, who attained overnight film fame in "Rebel Without a Cause," appears in perhaps his most important starring role as Chino, leader of an outlaw motorcycle gang, "The Glory Stompers," motion picture drama in color which opens at the Ritz Theatre Thursday.

Hopper was born in Dodge City, Kan., and as a toddler, recalls Errol Flynn and a contingent of stars coming to Dodge City in 1939 for the pre-

miere of the motion picture of the same name.

During summer vacations he held jobs as a fry cook, food-sacker in a grocery, telephone directory distributor, and construction worker. He also acted with the San Diego Community Players at the Old Globe Theater, appearing in such productions as "Cheaper by the Dozen," "Merchant of Venice" and "Othello."

The summer of 1953 found Hopper working backstage at Southern California's La Jolla Playhouse. Here his principal job was moving scenery, but after his performance in a small role in "The Postman Always Rings Twice" he was encouraged by Dorothy McGuire and John Swope — who operate the summer playhouse with Gregory Peck — to make acting his career.

Hopper then acquired an agent, Bob Raison, who promptly arranged an interview for a "Medic" TV show. Out of 32 contenders for the leading role of a young epileptic, Hopper was chosen.

The TV film, "Boy in the Storm" was released on the NBC network Jan. 3, 1955. Hopper proved to be an amazingly fine actor, and the next day three studios offered him contracts.



'SPARTACUS'  
Kirk Douglas

## Multiple Award Winner Makes Return Showing

The vibrant era of pagan Rome in the last century before Christ is recreated in all its turbulence, excitement and splendor in "Spartacus," winner of four Academy Awards, which opens at the Jet Theatre Sunday.

Starring Kirk Douglas, Laurence Olivier, Jean Simmons, the late Charles Laughton, Peter Ustinov, (who won the "Best Supporting Actor" Oscar for his portrayal), John Gavin and Tony Curtis, "Spartacus" brings to the screen the famed story of the gladiator-rebels, led by the heroic Spartacus, who shook Imperial Rome to its foundations and nearly brought about the extinction of that historic

power. Photographed in Technicolor, the film classic interweaves the intimate, tender story of the love between Spartacus and a slave-girl named Varinia with scenes of eye-filling spectacle as the foes, oppressor and oppressed, battle for supremacy.

Europe was scoured for thousands of authentic art objects, costumes, household wares and furnishings with which to duplicate for the modern screen audience the lavishness and the sensuality of life in ancient Rome. Altogether, 27 tons of materials including seven tons of custom-made armor were transported across an ocean and a continent to Hollywood.

What could not be obtained in Europe, had to be reconstructed. A group of 2,500 employees put in more than 250,000 man-hours on "Spartacus" alone, working on sets, costumes, greenery, carts, banners and the palaces which were needed to accurately show Imperial Rome in its savage glory.

Stanley Kubrick, filmland's most exciting directorial talent was assigned to guide the picture to conclusion. Alex North, six-time Academy Award nominee for motion picture music, was engaged to write a score suitable to a story such as "Spartacus." Thousands of extras were trained for the epic scenes with which the picture abounds.

## Double Dose Of 'Flint'

A double dose of exciting adventure and thrills will be offered Thursday when the Jet Theatre presents its double bill of "Our Man Flint" and "In Like Flint." The releases, in CinemaScope and DeLuxe Color, star James Coburn as the invincible, supercool hero surrounded by dazzling live-in maids.

Both pictures co-star Lee J. Cobb as the head of ZOWIE (Zonal Organization of World Intelligence Espionage) who calls in Flint whenever there is an emergency.

In "Our Man Flint" ZOWIE has to head off a global organization that seeks to take over the world by controlling the world's weather. Edward Mulhare, who scored as the chaplain in "Von Ryan's Express," stars as the leader of the group of spies whose mission is to stop Flint. Though there are several beauties in the picture, Flint's main romantic interest is Gila Golan, "Miss Israel" of 1961.

"In Like Flint" finds ZOWIE and Flint are confronted with a bevy of beauties who intend to make this truly a woman's world. Their ingenious scheme is built around a U.S. missile program to set up an outer space manned satellite.



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'In Like Flint'

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Sunday through Tuesday  
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  - 3:30—Terror of the Black Mask—Petré Lence—4-C
  - 7:00—Jim Thorpe, All American—Burt Lancaster—4
  - 8:00—Moll Flanders—9
  - 10:30—Moll Flanders—13
  - 10:30—Cinema Seven—TBA—7
  - 10:35—Counter Attack—Paul Muni—2
  - 10:45—Sunday Nite Movie—TBA—5
  - 11:00—Bedtime For Bozo—Ronald Reagan, Diana Lynn—11
- MONDAY
- 1:00—Boy From Oklahoma—Will Rogers Jr., Nancy Olson—4
  - 3:30—Movietime—TBA—7
  - 7:30—Ride Lonesome—Randolph Scott—4-C
  - 9:00—The Decks Ran Red—James Mason—6
  - 10:30—Cinema Seven—TBA—7
  - 11:00—Hit and Run—Antonella Laudí—4
- TUESDAY
- 1:00—My Blue Heaven—Betty Grable, Dan Dalley—4
  - 3:30—Movietime—TBA—7
  - 8:00—Kiss of Evil—Clifford Evans—2-11
  - 9:00—The Man With a Cloak—Joseph Cotton—4
  - 10:30—Cinema Seven—TBA—7
  - 11:00—Kentucky—Loretta Young, Richard Green—4-C
- WEDNESDAY
- 1:00—Senior Prom—Jill Corey—4
  - 3:30—Movietime—TBA—7
  - 7:00—The Big Gamble—Stephen Boyd—9
  - 9:00—Young at Heart—Frank Sinatra, Doris Day—4
  - 10:30—The Big Gamble—Stephen Boyd—13
  - 10:30—Cinema Seven—TBA—7
  - 11:00—River of Evil—Barbara Rutting—4-C
- THURSDAY
- 1:00—Cargo to Capetown—John Ireland—4
  - 3:30—Movietime—TBA—7
  - 7:30—Jump Into Hell—Jacques Sernas—4
  - 8:00—Gidget Goes To Rome—Cindy Carol, James Darren—7-C
  - 9:00—I Could Go On Shging—Judy Garland—13
  - 9:00—A Woman of Distinction—Rosalind Russell—4
  - 10:30—Cinema Seven—TBA—7
  - 11:00—Christmas In Connecticut—Dennis Morgan—4
- FRIDAY
- 1:00—Chicago Syndicate—Dennis O'Keefe—4
  - 3:30—Movietime—TBA—7
  - 7:30—The War Lover—Steve McQueen—9
  - 8:00—Ride A Crooked Trail—Audie Murphy—11
  - 8:00—Holiday Inn—Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire—7
  - 8:00—Escape From East Berlin—Don Murray—5
  - 8:00—Kathy O—Dan Duray—4-C
  - 8:00—Tulsa—Susan Hayward—13
  - 10:30—Wetland Theatre—TBA—7
  - 11:00—The Black Castle—Boris Karloff—4
- SATURDAY
- 8:30—Ramar's Mission to India—Jon Hall—4
  - 1:00—Tall Story—Jane Fonda, Anthony Perkins—11
  - 1:00—Movietime—TBA—7
  - 1:30—(Part I)—Medusa Against the Son of Hercules—4-C
  - 8:00—Wild Seed—Michael Parks—2-11
  - 8:00—Gilda—Rita Hayworth—13
  - 10:30—Ice Palace—Richard Burton, Robert Ryan—11
  - 10:30—Channel Nine Monster Movie—TBA—9
  - 10:30—Cinema Seven—TBA—7
  - 11:00—Saturday Nite Late Movie—TBA—5



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Beefs with Orange Sauce	1.64
Buttered Asparagus Spears	25
Macaroni and Cheese	17
Creamy Mashed Potatoes with Brown or Cream Gravy	15
Blue Lake Green Beans	18
Apple Crunch Nut Gelatin	22
Egg and Olive Salad	20
Furr's Fruit Salad, full of fresh fruits, pecans and whipped cream	25
Dinner Size Shrimp Cocktail	45
Spanish Slaw	15
English Pea and Diced Cheese Salad	17
Orange Delight Cake	20
Chocolate Chiffon Pie	22
Boston Cream Pie	22
Cherry Angel Pie	22
Lemon Meringue Pie	22
Pecan Pie	22

MONDAY FEATURES

Chicken Valencia with Orange Sauce	95
Fried Oysters, French Fried Potatoes and Seafood Sauce	80
Southern Fried Chicken with Fluffy Mashed Potatoes and Tossed Green Salad	75
Savory Broiled Tomatoes	20
Dutch Brussels Sprouts	22
Cantaloupe and Avocado Salad	30
Lettuce Wedge with Tomato Slices	25
Red Raspberry Cream Pie	22
Old Fashion Apple Pie	20

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## Pinchpenny Policy Hurts Space Race

WASHINGTON (AP) — A respected figure in the field of space studies says a pinchpenny attitude is causing the United States to fall behind the Soviet Union in exploration of the planets.

In an editorial in Science magazine Dr. James A. Van Allen of the University of Iowa attacked Congress for denying funds for future planetary exploration.

Allen, discoverer of the radiation belts that surround the

earth, said the Soviets meanwhile appear to be gearing up for a major program of planetary exploration.

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Am I wrong to object to Gordon's ex-wife bothering him so much? Now they are divorced I feel he should be finished with her. He sees his children every Sunday, and I think if his ex-wife has any problems to talk over with him, she should do it then.

DEAR HAD IT: Gordon may very well be "finished" with his ex-wife, but no proper father is "finished" with his children until they are grown and on their own. If Gordon feels that his ex-wife is "bothering" him, it is up to him to tell her so.

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DEAR ABBY: My husband and I were divorced four years ago, but the flame is still burning, and we see each other quite often. Lately he has been coming over here for dinner and then we watch TV together and he sometimes stays all night. My problem is the neighbors. They know his car, and they see it parked in my driveway all night, and I understand they have been running their mouths a mile a minute. We are both more than 40 years of age, and

I think what we do is our own business. Right?

TALKED ABOUT  
DEAR TALKED: What you do is your business, but you should be aware that you are doing business without a license.

DEAR ABBY: Our son is going to be married to a very high class girl. I mean she comes from very high society people. The girl's mother asked me to give her a list of friends and relatives we want invited to the wedding, and she didn't set any limit. She said we could invite as many as we wanted as the church will hold 1,500, and they are inviting their whole family.

I hope I don't sound like a snob, but we have some relatives we see only at funerals, and to tell you the truth, I don't think they'll fit in very well with the girl's people. Can I invite just part of our family without inviting them all?

GROOM'S MOM  
DEAR MOM: Everyone has relatives who won't "fit in" everywhere. If you invite the family, invite the whole family. The other side will probably have a lot of relatives who will fit in just dandy with some of your misfits.

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## Water District Directors To Consider Pipeline Bids

Colorado River Municipal Water District directors may let a three-million-dollar pipeline job when they meet Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Settles hotel.

Twenty-four contractors have checked out plans and specifications on the 33-mile job from Big Spring to the Martin County well field pump station. So far, half a dozen have travelled over the route and some have made borings. In addition to the prime contractors, numerous suppliers have secured plans and specifications.

The job will involve 36-inch concrete steel cylinder or coated steel cylinder pipe. This is the first time that the district has specified the steel pipe, and it has generated considerable interest.

General progress reports will be given by O. H. Ivie, general manager, according to Charles Perry, Odessa, president of CRMWD. These will touch upon a busy month and a half which may see several other contracts awarded in connection with the new lake project at Robert Lee.

Bids have been asked for Jan. 9 for construction of 17 oil well mounds in the IAB field. Five of these mounds will be connected to the mainland by causeways, while the remainder will be when the lake is impounded, be served by a barge. The mounds range in height to 53 feet, and all of them will be seven feet above spillway level of the lake. Humble will raise the well heads to the new level, and the district will supply a 96-inch casing around the pipe, then fill in the earth and protective rock rip rap.

There will be eight other wells in the upper end of the lake area which will have to be protected by mound or some other type of structure, but they are not included in this contract. Plans for a diversion works

across the Colorado River above Colorado City in northwest Mitchell County have been submitted to the Texas Water Rights Commission for its approval in accordance with terms of the permit for the Robert Lee lake. CRMWD directors likely will review these at the Jan. 9 meeting and set a date in early February for receiving bids on the project. This also will include bids on pumps capable of lifting 90 million gallons a day of normal or mineralized water in the river channel into side storage.

Normal and flush flow of the river will be halted by a low concrete dam across the channel. When fresh runoff reduces mineralization to a fixed point, the water will be allowed to run downstream into the new lake. The side storage will call for an earthen dam 7,000 feet long and containing 600,000 cubic yards of earth.

Soon after this contract is let, the district will move immediately for construction of pipelines from the side storage to the oil companies doing business with the district.

All the right of way for the new section of pipeline — which will parallel an existing 27-inch line — has been secured, said Ivie. Thus, work can start almost immediately.

### First Baptist's Christmas Music Set For Today

The First Baptist Church choir will present H. Alexander Matthews' cantata, "The Story of Christmas," at the 7 p.m. worship hour today.

The cantata was composed in 1913 and uses unusual harmony and striking melody in the Scriptural account of the birth of the Savior. There are 18 selections with the choir, soloists and instrumentalists.

Soloists for the annual Christmas program by the choir will be Miss Pat Adams and Mrs. B. J. Priddy, sopranos; Kenny Sheppard and Walter Wheat, baritone, and Lester Morton, tenor. The accompanists are Mrs. Louis Heinze, organist, and Mrs. William T. McRee, pianist. Glenn Faison is director of the choir.

### Early Mailing Of Cards Urged

Frank Hardesty, postmaster, had a timely message for residents today regarding Christmas mail.

"If you haven't mailed your gifts and greetings yet, do it now."

The postmaster noted that the ancient historian Herodotus wrote of the early post runners, "Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds." That was before ice storms could freeze railroad switches, ground airplanes, and

make highway travel treacherous, Hardesty said. During winter, severe weather conditions can be the deciding factor in mail delivery. That coupled with heavy Christmas mail volumes highlights the fact that early mailing of holiday cards and parcels is important.

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