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THEN FLEES

Rifleman Kills Two, Hurts Three

DETROIT (AP) — Wielding a rifle, a curly-haired man went on a shooting spree Wednesday night. He killed two patrons of a bar and injured three, two of them critically.

The gunman strode into the tavern on Detroit's East Side shortly before midnight, said William Gamache, 27, the bartender.

"I don't like your looks," the gunman snarled at a customer seated at the bar, Gamache said. "Then the man turned to another customer, said, 'I don't like your looks either,' and began shooting," the bartender reported.

The young gunman, described as age 25 to 30, about 5-foot-9 and weighing about 175 pounds, then moved along the bar, saying, "I'm going to kill you," and firing shots at the other three customers, Gamache said.

After all the customers had been shot, Gamache said, the gunman pointed the weapon at the bartender who had been huddling on the floor and ordered him into a back room.

Gamache said he would have been shot, too, but the gunman apparently had run out of ammunition.

Gamache said the man then picked up a money tray containing about \$125 and fled.

Help For SOS

Glasscock County citizens have responded generously to the Red Cross "SOS" (support our servicemen) campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Teele, long-time workers in the Howard-Glasscock chapter of the Red Cross, made personal contacts throughout the county, and have reported \$152.10 from their neighbors.

This boost brought the Red Cross emergency fund to \$1,825.10.

The Howard-Glasscock chapter has been asked to raise \$4,372 in a Red Cross \$12 million emergency program which has been necessitated by the growing demands for services in the Vietnam conflict. The Red Cross, charged by Congress with meeting emergency needs of military men and their families, has seen its work load soar to heights matching those of Korea days.

The chapter is still requesting volunteer donations. Checks should be made to the American Red Cross and mailed to the local chapter, Box 626, Big Spring.

GOV. WALLACE

Still Serious

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — Gov. Lurleen Wallace is still receiving heavy doses of antibiotics and intravenous nourishment after an operation to drain an abdominal abscess, but her doctors say she is doing "as well as could be expected in view of the circumstances."

A hospital bulletin issued Wednesday, one day after the latest surgery, described Mrs. Wallace's condition as "still serious."

Bubble Gum Aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. John Williams, R-Del., said Wednesday the United States financed more than \$2,800 worth of bubble gum under a program of aid to the Dominican Republic.

He also listed television sets, white wall tires, outboard motors, champagne glasses and gourmet foods in the same situation.

William Gaud, chief of the Agency for International Development, asserted that those items had been ordered under an arrangement in which private businessmen obtain goods from private suppliers in this country, with AID paying the bill after the transaction.

He asserted that many items on the list had been ineligible and the money expended for the program was recovered.

Williams insisted, however, that AID tighten its regulations to prevent similar incidents in the future.

Another Launched

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union launched another Cosmos unmanned satellite today but remained silent on Zond 4, sent aloft March 2 on what many thought was an attempt to circle the moon and return to earth.

Tass news agency said the latest satellite, Cosmos 206, went into a nearly circular orbit 390 miles above the earth to continue the Soviet program on space research.

Continued silence on Zond 4 has led Westerners here to conclude that it may have been designed as another deep probe to Mars.

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Nixon Saving 'Big Guns'

Richard M. Nixon says he's saving his campaign 'big guns' for a possible showdown with President Johnson. See Page 3-A.

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CLOUDY

Cloudy to partly cloudy and mild with winds gusting to 35 mph. High today 73; low tonight 42; high tomorrow 70.

SUMMER RIOTS CONTRIBUTED

Crime Rate Spurts Higher

WASHINGTON (AP) — The FBI reports a 23 per cent spurt in the number of big-city crimes last year, outstripping an overall gain of 16 per cent over 1966 in the nation, and cites last summer's riots as a factor.

The 23 per cent hike was in cities of 500,000 to one million population.

JUMPED

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said in a report released today that crime in the suburbs was up 16 per cent and jumped 13 per cent in rural areas. A 17 per cent jump was recorded in cities of 25,000 population and over.

The FBI said arrests of persons under 18 years old rose eight per cent.

"Included in the increased police arrests was a rising volume of arrests for offenses against public order"—or riots—the bureau said in a statement accompanying statistical data.

Arrests of adults rose by three per cent after declining slightly in 1966, the report said.

Crimes of violence were up 15 per cent, led by robbery which increased 27 per cent from 1966.

There were 12 per cent more murders, 9 per cent more rapes and 8 per cent more aggravated assaults.

Property crimes jumped 16 per cent. Auto thefts rose 17 per cent, and burglary and larceny of \$50 and over in value were up 16 per cent, the report said.

Hoover, who favors federal firearms control, said serious assaults where a gun was used as the weapon rose 22 per cent and one of five assaults was committed with a gun.

Armed robbery had a sharp upswing of 30 per cent and a

firearm was used in 58 per cent of all robbery offenses, he reported.

SOLOVED

The FBI chief said police solved 23 per cent of the crimes reported to the bureau, a decline of seven per cent over 1966.

The FBI report did not include changes in the crime picture for New York, Detroit, Kansas City and Baltimore. The bureau said 1966 figures were not comparable with the 1967 figures in these cities because of changes in reporting practices for some offenses.

Gold Rush Skyrockets, Pound Sterling Plunges

Confidence Lost In Paper Money

LONDON (AP) — Europe's gold rush skyrocketed today in a buying spree that economic experts said threatens monetary anarchy.

London, Paris, Zurich and even the normally small Frankfurt market reported levels of sales that dealers had never dreamed possible.

POUND PLUNGES

As the gold buying reached record levels, the British pound sterling plunged to its lowest recorded level.

Paris, where sales normally are two to three tons, had more than 40 tons. This was more than twice Wednesday's record high of 16 tons. The Bank of France was hard pressed to fill the demand. London dealers expected sales to top 200 tons.

There was a stampede for gold in Zurich. Frankfurt bankers said there was an unprecedented demand for billion, gold certificates and coins.

Dealers and both bullion and foreign exchange markets reported a complete collapse of confidence in paper money.

The pattern of sales in all markets showed the buyers were snatching up gold, silver and platinum in any sizes of ingots or coins.

This was an indication that even the grocer on the corner was switching his savings into something he considered safer and more solid than paper money.

FIRM ACTION

"Only firm action by the United States to reduce its foreign payments deficit can now restore public confidence," one market observer commented.

Other sources expected either a complete breakdown of the seven-nation gold pool or official curtailment of sales. London dealers were frantically attempting to calm the panic and were making buyers pay higher and higher prices for the metal.

The British pound sterling hit a new low.

A Paris trader said today's session in the gold market, located downstairs from the stock market trading floor, was "one of the longest and most hectic in history."

European financial circles looked to the United States to check the rush on gold. But despite warnings from European experts that the postwar prosperity was in danger of collapse, there was no prospect of immediate action in Washington.

London dealers added a full 5 cents to the price fixed at the opening and still sales were "absolutely fantastic," one said.

LONG WAY

The Johnson administration appeared to be relying on the proposed 10 per cent income tax surcharge, and the bill to lift the 25 per cent gold cover for U.S. currency, both of which are a long way from congressional passage. U.S. officials said further shock waves can be expected until the international money system is reformed.

Gold buying reached near panic proportions in European markets Wednesday, and there was no sign of the rush abating.

Samuel Brittan, economics editor of the Financial Times, said, "The real question is how far the Americans would really allow their gold stock to fall. Few people believe the U.S. would throw its last ounce of gold on the market to defend the dollar, whatever the law allows."

WASHINGTON (AP) —

A burgeoning Senate debate is dashing administration hopes of quickly proving U.S. determination not to raise current gold prices despite the stampede of speculative gold buying in Europe.

Sponsors of legislation that would remove the 25 per cent gold cover on U.S. currency—and thus show U.S. willingness to put all its gold stock behind its pledge to maintain the \$35-a-ounce price—conceded chances are slim for pushing the House-passed measure through quickly.

Vietnam Combat Deaths Have Soared Past 20,000

SAIGON (AP) — American combat deaths through seven years of war in Vietnam evidently have passed the 20,000 mark. The U.S. Command reported today the toll as of last Saturday was 19,760. Scores have fallen in action since.

The U.S. death toll topped 500 last week for the third time in four weeks.

509 KILLED

The command said 509 Americans were killed in combat and 2,766 were wounded last week, compared with 542 killed and 2,191 wounded the previous week.

In the week of Feb. 11-17, the number of Americans killed was the highest of the war—543. There were 470 killed in the week of Feb. 18-24.

South Vietnamese military headquarters reported 418 government troops killed last week, 1,199 wounded and 98 missing or captured. This was a sharp rise over the week before, when 139 were reported killed, 779 wounded and 92 missing.

The U.S. Command reported that allied forces killed 4,335 of the enemy last week, while the South Vietnamese said 5,327 were killed and 488 captured. Discrepancies in the report of enemy casualties by the two commands is not unusual.

The report raised total American combat casualties in the war since January, 1961, to 19,760 killed, 120,101 wounded and 1,087 missing or captured. Nearly half the wounded—56,457—did not require hospitalization.

SUMMARY

The weekly summary also said allied troops had killed 310,557 of the enemy since the start of 1961. But it also estimated enemy military strength in South Vietnam at 223,000 to 248,000—the same estimate the U.S. Command has been giving for months.

Later in the day a U.S. headquarters spokesman reduced the estimate to 207,000 to 220,000 but the reduction of 16,000 to 28,000 was a lot less than the 55,000 enemy dead which the U.S. Command has claimed since Jan. 1.



SANDRA GETS HER LAMB IN S HAFE FOR TONIGHT'S JUDGING
Sandra Bridge, 4-H Club lamb expert, gives her lamb a shampoo

Lamb Judging Opens Annual Junior Stock Show Today

Lamb judging was to begin at 5:30 p.m. today at the 31st Annual Howard County FFA and 4-H Fat Stock Show. This was the initial major feature of the annual exposition, and Fred Igo had 100 animals awaiting his decision. The lambs had been classified earlier this afternoon by Oliver West of Garden City.

12 STEERS

Following the lamb judging, the 12 steers in the ring and Buddy Logsdon, Brownfield, will select the champions and place the other calves.

Paul Gross, county farm agent, and general superintendent of the show, said that the judging should be completed by 8:30 p.m.

Weighing in and acceptance of entries began at 3 p.m. Wednesday. It was completed around 6 p.m. The boys and girls who are showing stock in the show were busy making their pets look their best last night and continued their beauty shop operations today.

The general public is invited to attend the judging tonight and the committee stated it was most beneficial to have the stands filled at these events.

Howard County 4-H clubs are showing seven of the 12 steers entered in the show. Included is one entered by Dolores Lankford, who won last year's grand championship. Dolores started out this year's show season with nine animals and has only one left at this time. The steer is from the J.C. Sale herd of Martin County.

Three steers are being shown by Coahoma FFA and two by

Big Spring FFA members.

Closing event of the three-day show will be an auction sale, which is to be started at 7:30 p.m. Friday. At this sale all of the 12 steers will be sold and 70 of the lambs. Randall Sherrod is to be the auctioneer.

BARBECUE

At 6 p.m. Friday, a barbecue will be served at the show barns

for the exhibitors, their families, officials, and buyers of the show.

Grand champions will be selected in each of the three principal breeds of sheep. Also to be awarded will be special trophies for the best steer and the best lamb showman. Announcement of these two awards will be Friday night at the auction.

Tanks, Gunships Splinter Supply Convoy Ambushers

SAIGON (AP) — Enemy troops raked a U.S. Army supply convoy from ambush along winding Route 14 in the central highlands but American tanks and helicopter gunships splintered the attackers.

MIDDAY FIGHT

The U.S. Command said 48 North Vietnamese regulars and Viet Cong guerrillas were killed in the short, midday fight nine miles north of Pleiku City Wednesday. Twelve Americans were killed, eight were wounded and soldiers of the South Vietnamese armored unit escorting the convoy suffered light casualties, the command said.

The enemy sprayed the 4th Infantry Division convoy with bazooka-type rockets and heavy automatic weapons fire and inflicted "moderate" damage on the vehicles, a command spokesman said. This indicated as many as a third of the trucks might have been damaged or destroyed.

Tanks and armored personnel carriers of the 3rd Vietnamese Armored Cavalry raced past the convoy to attack the ambush site, after the fight began at 11:15 a.m., and at 11:25 helicopter gunships sailed into the battle.

Fighter-bombers arrived at 11:59 and within minutes the enemy troops fled.

Army engineers with the convoy began clearing the narrow road, which links the 4th Division's headquarters near Pleiku with its units operating around Kontum and Dak To.

Just 17 hours later guerrillas ambushed a 30-vehicle convoy nine miles northeast of Saigon, on the highway to the big military base at Long Binh.

The U.S. Command said one American soldier and one enemy soldier were killed, and damage to the trucks was light, but the ambush underlined the threat from roving guerrilla bands operating in Saigon's suburbs.

Wisconsin Fight Next

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (AP) — More than the scene shifts as the nation's political attention turns from the supposed administration stronghold of New Hampshire to Wisconsin, where President Johnson's policies have few all-out supporters among top Democrats.

At stake April 2 in Wisconsin's historically powerful primary which put John F. Kennedy on the high road to the White

House in a head-on confrontation with Hubert H. Humphrey, are 59 Democratic National Convention votes, bound by law to the winner.

CROSSOVER

In addition to strong sympathies for Sen. Eugene J. McCarthy among Democrats, is the possibility of a crossover by Republicans, now that the GOP primary has been conceded to Richard M. Nixon by the withdrawal of Michigan Gov. George Romney.

There is no registration of voters by party, Republican and Democratic ballots are given to each, and there is no way for leaders to enforce party loyalty even if they were so inclined.

But Sen. Gaylord Nelson and Reps. Henry Reuss and Robert Kastenmeier are all frequent critics of administration activities, particularly the war in Vietnam, and have declared they will remain neutral. Sen. William Proxmire, an administration critic on other subjects, says he will support the President's war stand but is staying neutral in the primary.

GLITTERING

And Bronson C. La Follette, two-term attorney general and heir to Wisconsin's most glittering political name, said in announcing his candidacy for governor this week that while he too would stay neutral in the presidential contest, his position on Vietnam was closer to the Minnesota senator's than to the President's.

Head of Wisconsin's McCarthy organization is a party regular, 10th district chairman Donald Peterson, who today asked Sen. Robert F. Kennedy to announce support of McCarthy in Wisconsin.

The President's most active supporters are Richard D. Cudahy, a businessman who became Democratic state chairman after the 1966 elections, and the state's other Democratic congressman, Milwaukee's veteran Rep. Clement Zablocki.

As in 1960, when John Kennedy and Humphrey met in the kind of a contest that left scant room for excuses, Johnson and McCarthy will be alone on the Democratic ballot.

SPOKESMAN

And a spokesman for those supporting Robert Kennedy says there will be no write-in campaign in Wisconsin.

Secretary of the Treasury Henry H. Fowler declared today it is necessary that Congress pass a big income tax increase within 30 days.

While he was testifying before the Senate Finance Committee, gold sales in Europe skyrocketed, and market observers said only firm action by the United States could restore public confidence.

WELCOMER
Fowler told the committee he would welcome a tax hike more than twice as big as the 10 per cent surcharge proposed by President Johnson.

This development came as Sen. George A. Smathers, D-Fla., suggested that it would be a good idea to go back to the income tax rates prevailing before they were reduced in 1964.

Fowler said this would bring in about \$22 billion a year compared with the \$10 billion in the President's proposal and added: "I would welcome this."

The secretary said that five factors made it urgent to get the income tax increase on the books at once:

1. "The highly volatile situation in the international monetary markets now is threatening the very preservation of the international monetary system as we know it."

2. "Clear indication that the Federal Reserve is on the move in the direction of increased monetary restraint because of the failure to pass a tax bill."

3. "It is now clear we may be faced with increased federal expenditures beyond the figures in the President's budget submitted in January because of events in the intervening period in Vietnam."

4. "The increased pace of the economy generally calls for more restraint."

5. "Our trade surplus is being reduced to an extent that may offset the efforts we are making to reduce our balance of payments deficit contained in the President's New Year's Day message."

Fowler Wants
Big Tax Hike



GARY MOORE'S LAMB READIED FOR LAMB JUDGING. Crossing crash victim's show entry displayed by David Brady, friend of dead youth

Friends Of Gary Enter His Lamb In Stock Show

Coahoma's FFA members, although busy with preparations for their part in the 31st Annual Howard County 4-H Club and FFA Fat Stock Show, are taking time off to do a little extra work for a friend.

The friend won't be on hand to thank them for their efforts and the Coahoma FFA members think what they are doing would be what their pal would have liked. They want no thanks.

The boys are preparing the lamb which Gary Van Moore would have shown in the stock show.

Gary was killed Monday when the car he was driving crashed into a T&P train at a snow-obscured crossing on the east edge of Coahoma.

Gary, a freshman in the Coahoma schools, and a first year FFA member, had put in many hours grooming his lamb and was looking forward with great anticipation to his first stock show competition.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carmel Eugene Moore, said they were preparing to enter the lamb in the stock show.

Wayne Burns, district attorney, learned of Artrick's newest legal maneuver when he received a letter from the board asking for information on the case and inquiring if Burns would favor clemency for the defendant.

Artrick was found guilty July 2, 1966, of driving while intoxicated and his punishment was set at nine months in the county jail. He appealed the conviction and the court affirmed the findings of the lower court. He was then arrested and placed in the county jail. It was said then he would file a motion for a rehearing on his appeal in the criminal appeals court.

No date was designated when the pardon and parole board would consider the application.

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NASA To Change Oxygen Mixture

WASHINGTON (AP) — The space agency, in an attempt to reduce fire hazards that contributed to the deaths of three astronauts 13 months ago, is changing to an oxygen-nitrogen mixture in the Apollo spacecraft during launchings.

But the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said today astronauts would switch to pure oxygen once their spacecraft has left the launch pad.

The decision to use a mixture of 60 per cent oxygen and 40 per cent nitrogen while the spacecraft and its crew are on the ground results from the fatal Jan. 27, 1967, launch pad fire at Cape Kennedy, Fla.

NASA said in a statement that since the gas mixture will be used in the spacecraft only during ground operations, there will be no change in the existing environmental control system.

NASA said more than 140 tests since last October show modifications of the Apollo spacecraft since the 1967 disaster have drastically reduced the hazard of fire.

Sources of ignition have been eliminated and certain materials changed to avoid flame propagation, NASA said. In addition, the spacecraft has been equipped with a fire extinguisher and with a new hatch permitting quicker escape.

NASA said that in evaluating the atmosphere for prelaunch activity, a major consideration was providing an adequate amount of oxygen to assure performance ability and yet reduce the fire hazard to an acceptable level.

The agency added that the 60 per cent oxygen atmosphere would be liveable at all times in flight and could serve as a backup system.

Lamar Joins Bombardment

Allen Lamar, codefendant of Carlee Allen, has joined his partner in renewal of documentary bombardment of the courts in an effort to evade serving the 25 year term against him for armed robbery.

The defendant has filed a petition in the 118th District Court for a writ of habeas corpus alleging that he should be released from prison because his rights were violated in his indictment and trial in the courts here.

On Wednesday, Carlee Allen, who drew 20 years for his part in the same crime for which Lamar is under sentence, filed a similar petition here.

Both men, in the long time they were held in the county jail here, from the time of their apprehension of the holdup of the Ashley Grocery, kept up an endless stream of petitions, pleas, motions and other handwritten documents going to the local courts, the appeals court and the federal courts.

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He will speak at the Sacred Heart Youth Center tonight at 8 o'clock, his representatives said.

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Paper Claims RFK To Enter Race Monday

LOS ANGELES (AP) — U.S. Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, D-N.Y., will announce on Monday his candidacy for the Democratic presidential nomination, the Herald-Examiner said today.

The report from the paper's political editor in Sacramento, Phil Hanna, added that Democratic Jesse M. Unruh, speaker of the California Assembly, will head a Kennedy delegation in the state's June 4 primary election.

Unruh told a news conference Wednesday that he had urged Kennedy to become a candidate but he said nothing about heading a delegation.

The Herald-Examiner gave no source for its information, saying only it had learned that Kennedy would announce.

Unruh is generally regarded as the state's most powerful Democrat, and political observers have speculated that he might try to wrest the governorship from Republican Ronald Reagan in 1970.

VICA Meeting To Open Friday

The annual Vocational Industrial Clubs of America District I Spring meeting opens Friday at Big Spring High School, with over 500 area students and teachers expected to take part.

Skill speed contests will be featured, with the winners of these contests taking part in statewide competition in Austin April 26-27.

A public demonstration is slated for 10 a.m. Saturday, according to James Cogdell, meeting coordinator, and all parents and interested persons are invited.

Hijack Planes Threat Voiced

HAVANA (AP) — Fidel Castro threatened today not to let hijacked planes return to the United States in the future. He pointed out the United States doesn't return boats in which refugees leave Cuba.

Havana Radio quoted the Cuban prime minister as saying in a speech: "It could happen that we will not bother to return to them any further craft which passengers may seize and fly to Cuba."

Castro, repeating his war cry against all private enterprise in Cuba, also said the Communist Party would soon take over all private bars and clubs.

Boats mentioned Tuesday's hijacking of a National Airlines plane, which was forced to fly to Havana and later permitted to return to Miami, Fla. It was one of a series of recent plane hijackings to Cuba.

An official Cuban newscast, monitored in Miami, reported, "Fidel reminded the government of the United States that Cuban planes and boats have been seized" in the United States.

The broadcast said Castro added in his speech, which ended after midnight: "The imperialists (Americans) taught horror-making, and now they are beginning to suffer the consequences. Now there almost exists an air route of those who take over planes, even for sport."

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Educational Survey Slated

The Education Committee of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce made plans at the Wednesday meeting in the chamber conference room to start a community educational survey in October.

A survey will be made of existing personnel, physical facilities, program and finance and a projection will be made to meet the needs in each of these areas.

From these findings, ways and means of accomplishing the needed projects will be suggested. The last community educational survey was made in 1959.

The committee pledged its support to Howard County Junior College in its effort to establish two vocational training courses: plastic engineering and police science. Representatives from the College Coordinating Board and the Texas Educational Agency will be in Big Spring on March 19-20 to meet with HCCJ officials regarding these courses.

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Church Sponsors Film Friday

The West Texas Youth Fellowship is sponsoring a documentary film on the life of the late evangelist Billy Sunday Friday at 7:30 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church, 2000 FM 700 west.

The film contains original footage from several of Sunday's sermons and traces his career from a major league ballplayer to one of the greatest "sawdust trail" evangelists. The meeting open to the public. Congregational singing will begin at 7 p.m.

AFB Credit Union Officers Elected

Board of directors and officers for 1968 of the Webb AFB Federal Credit Union were elected at a meeting March 7 at Withycombe Hall.

Maj. Jerry S. Grimes was elected president. Other officers and directors are Gilbert E. Webb, vice president; M. Sgt. Richard A. Reidy, treasurer; Weiland W. Brown, secretary; Maj. Maurice J. Took, Lambert V. Misk, and C. M. Sgt. Curtis L. Singleton.

The credit committee will be M. Sgt. Bob Custer, chairman; William H. McKinney, secretary; T. Sgt. Norman Newell, C. M. Sgt. Joseph Wiczorek and M. Sgt. Ernest Wierczek.

Re-Check Returns, Taxpayers Urged

Joe Gordon, administrative officer of the Big Spring Internal Revenue Office, has urged taxpayers in this area to re-check their returns before mailing.

More than 50 per cent of careless errors made by taxpayers are due to using the wrong tax table, wrong column or wrong line, he said. Many taxpayers fail to attach their W-2 forms and required statements or schedules or make an error in their Social Security numbers.

Plot Tipper Says Angelo Police Mistreated Him

DALLAS (AP) — Zakar Garoogian, who gained national notice when he claimed he knew of a plot to assassinate Arkansas Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller, was balked today when he sought to plead guilty to theft from a bank.

U.S. Judge Joe Estes refused to accept a guilty plea when he found that Garoogian had complained of mistreatment by San Angelo police.

Instead, Garoogian, a stocky, black-haired drifter, must face trial on eight counts of bank and postal theft.

When Garoogian sought to plead guilty to one of the bank charges, U.S. Asst. Atty Robert S. Travis objected.

Travis told the judge that if a guilty plea were accepted, the claims of mistreatment could not be made.

The counts of bank theft cite instances in Bancroft, Miles and Paint Rock. The postal theft counts name Abilene, Wall and Glen Cove.

It was in December last year that Garoogian said there was a plot to assassinate Gov. Rockefeller.

The governor was asked whether the alleged plot was connected with his recent crack-down on Arkansas gambling, but an aide interrupted and Rockefeller did not answer the question.

Sen. Don Gladden Campaigns Here

State Sen. Don Gladden was expected to be in Big Spring this afternoon campaigning in his bid for the lieutenant governorship of Texas.

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He will speak at the Sacred Heart Youth Center tonight at 8 o'clock, his representatives said.

Cars Smashed; Drivers Flee

Two minor accidents in which the cars left the scene of the accident after colliding with a parked car were reported to the police Wednesday.

One accident occurred at the parking lot of First National Bank and the parked car belonged to Frank Robinson, 807 W. 4th. The other one was at 804 W. 15th where a car belonging to James Ethan Skeen was hit while parked in front of his home.

Warrant has been issued for the arrest of a man for disturbance by displaying firearms and discharging firearms within the city limits. A little after midnight Tuesday night, a man entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wayne Elliott, 206 E. 13th. He used profane language, waved a pistol around and fired two shots. No one was injured. The man has not been arrested at this time.

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Careless Errors Cost

Joe Gordon, left, administrative officer for the Internal Revenue Service, and assistant postmaster Weldon Bryant look over the boomeranging tax return poster which was put on all mail trucks in the area Wednesday afternoon. This is part of a nationwide effort of both the Post Office and the IRS to speed up tax returns.

Poseidon Missiles Combat Test Slated By U.S. Navy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Navy plans to launch multiple Poseidon missiles against Army antiballistic missile components on Kwajalein Island in the Pacific in a combat-type test.

Pentagon officials said they expect the result to be a good gauge of the reliability of both advanced weapons systems.

The Poseidon is the new Navy missile ticketed eventually to go aboard 31 of the 41 nuclear-drive Polaris submarines. It's intended to increase U.S. assurance of being able to overwhelm Soviet antimissile defenses.

DEFENSE SHIELD

Kwajalein is the site of test radars and antiballistic missile

Two Oilfield Thefts Reported

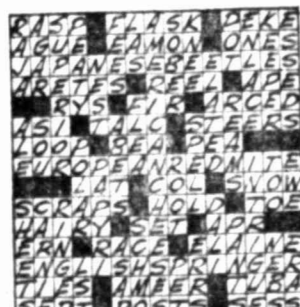
Two burglaries in the oil fields near Forsan have been reported and are under investigation by Sheriff Aubrey Standard's deputies.

Six brass salt water meters have been taken from a warehouse on the Amergrada Lease, east of Forsan. The raid on the warehouse occurred Monday night.

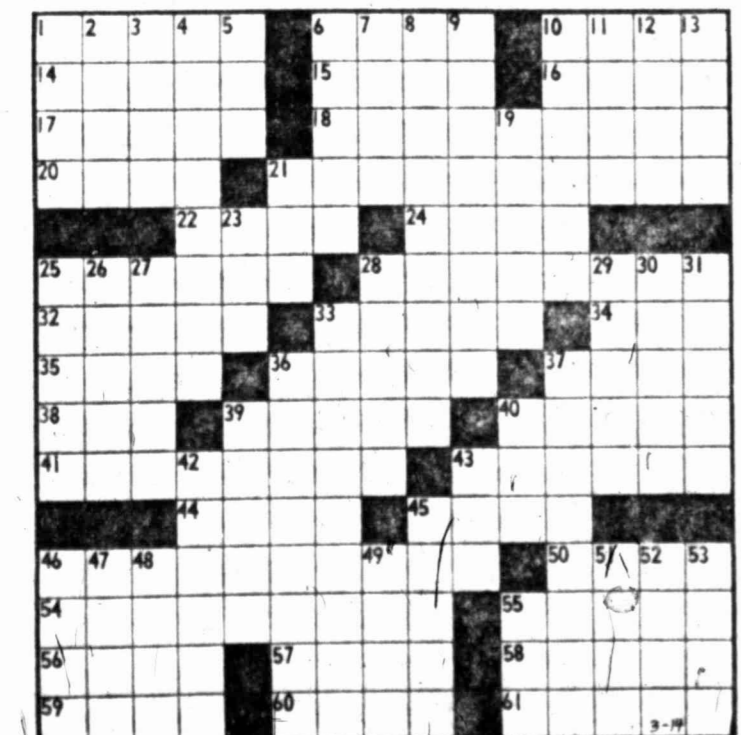
Sunday night, burglars broke into the Forsan Roustabout shop in Forsan and stole a slim hole fishing rod and slip type open sleeve.

Crossword Puzzle

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|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| ACROSS | 56 Thrall | 26 Not rigid |
| 1 Sphere | 57 Represent | 27 Indifferent |
| 6 Fish | graphically | 28 Tale of Troy |
| 10 Rhodesian tribe | 58 Keen | 29 Tooth |
| 14 French composer | 59 Require | 30 Hep |
| 15 Jacket | 60 Legislators: abbr. | 31 Full of chitchat |
| 16 Lasso | 61 Scum | 33 Accepted rule |
| 17 Polishing substance | | 36 Highest branches |
| | DOWN | 37 Renounce |
| 18 Kind of apartment | 1 Increased earnestly | 39 Masonic |
| 20 Subside | 2 Tibetan priest | doorkeeper |
| 21 Wordy: compound | 3 Kitchen fixture | 40 "Ay, there's the —" |
| 22 Encourage | 4 Deprived | 42 Vociferated |
| 24 De Valera's land | 5 English cathedral | 43 Appal |
| 25 Worked hard | 6 Bus station | 45 Denominations |
| 28 Stomach: | 7 Sun symbol | 46 Appearance |
| 2 words | 8 Agreeable | 47 South African fox |
| 32 Something to darn | 9 Wreathed | 48 Vanished |
| 33 Wields | 10 Mangle | 49 Hill in Jerusalem |
| 34 Be in debt | 11 Raucous | 51 Jason's ship |
| 35 Cross | 12 Basilica part | 52 "My Bonnie — over —" |
| 36 Group of three | 13 Plant | 53 Gibbons |
| 37 Imperfection | 19 Engages | 55 Foundation |
| 38 Organization for servicemen: abbr. | 21 Guided | |
| 39 Tentative action | 23 Egyptian deity | |
| 40 Guffaws | 25 Bush | |
| 41 Show kindness to | | |
| 43 Carriage | | |
| 44 Man's name | | |
| 45 Weeps | | |
| 46 Attracts | | |
| 50 Berlin — | | |
| 54 Lacking predetermined axes | | |
| 55 Former soviet official | | |



Puzzle of Wednesday, March 13, Solved



RUMORS, VIET, TAXES, QUICK PROFITS

Key Factors In U. S. Gold Raid

WASHINGTON (AP) — Uncertainty, rumors, Vietnam taxes, balance of payments, budget deficits and the hope of quick profits—all these factors add up to the sharpest raid on the U.S. gold supply in history.

The drain from the heavy speculative buying which has hit Europe in waves since British devaluation of the pound far outshadows in intensity even the heavy French purchases of several years ago.

SHOCK WAVES

U.S. officials, who have repeatedly voiced their insistence that the administration will continue to honor its commitment to buy and sell gold at \$35 an ounce, foresee further shock waves until the international money system is reformed.

That reform is under way in attempts by the United States and Britain to end the deficits in their balance of payments and a new agreement among the non-Communist nations to create new international money not tied to gold when and if the need arises.

But the very attempts to end the balance-of-payments deficits has caused some of the uncertainty and fears the new programs will fail perhaps force a change in gold policy by the United States.

U.S. officials call absurd the belief that the "price of gold might be changed."

GOLD COVER

A key element in the administration's program to plug the gold drain is the proposed 10 per cent surcharge on individual and corporate income taxes. The extra revenues would allow parting of the U.S. budget deficit. Congress has thus far refused to enact it.

Also pending before Congress is an administration bid to lift the 25 per cent gold cover of U.S. currency, a move that would free gold now committed to reserves—and show U.S. determination to withstand the speculative attack aimed at forcing up the metal's price.

Some officials have said an escalation of troop strength in Vietnam could prompt Congress to hike taxes—but the prospect of a bigger war only feeds the fears of foreign gold buyers.

Fears that some change in the U.S. position of guaranteeing the price of gold also spark the buying despite repeated U.S. denials.

One source suggested that gold speculators themselves may be telegraphing such rumors throughout Europe because of the large volume of gold they have purchased—gold which will do them little good unless the price goes up.

The current gold drain differs dramatically from the heavy gold losses of the past. This time the gold is going into private hands through the London gold market.

\$35 AN OUNCE

Although the United States sells no gold directly to private individuals, it does reimburse the Bank of England for 59 per cent of the gold sold on the London market as part of a seven-nation pool whose stated aim is to keep the price at \$35 an ounce.

Major gold drains in the past were in direct sales to foreign governments which had accumulated dollars through the U.S. dollar draft.

This country has had an international spending deficit in 17 of the last 18 years and this net outflow represented a potential drain on U.S. gold.

Asked if he intends this as a pledge, Nixon replied emphatically, "It's a pledge."

"I have to adapt my strategy so as to win the (presidential) primaries with the least expenditure of ammunition," Nixon said. "I am reserving my big guns for use against Johnson."

The former vice president discussed this and other questions in an interview in his Fifth Avenue apartment in New York.

In campaigning for the New Hampshire and Wisconsin primaries, Nixon repeatedly said, "We will end the war in Vietnam and win the peace in the Pacific."

He added, "I have no magic formula, no gimmick. If I had a gimmick I would tell Lyndon Johnson. That would be a moral obligation."

"But I do have some specific ideas on how to end the war. They are primarily in the diplomatic area."

He said he considers the possibility that the North Vietnamese will agree to come to the conference table before the national elections next November.

With regard to his own actions in the campaigning, Nixon said, "I'm not going to carry on my conscience anything that will destroy that 40 per cent chance."

VISITS VIET

Nixon has gone to South Vietnam several times in recent years. He published an article in the quarterly, Foreign Affairs, entitled "Asia After Vietnam." He said he believes that one reason he is now considered the front-runner for the GOP nomination is he has concentrated on studying foreign affairs.

"A man becomes a serious contender or candidate only when events fit what he has to offer," Nixon said. "In my case, I think the fact that the foreign policy issue became predominant again—and I could travel abroad and speak with some authority on it—that raised me above the others."

If domestic problems, not the war in Vietnam, were predominant today, Nixon said, "I don't think there would have been a tendency to look to me. I think the tendency would have been to go to what has been called 'those who manage the cities and states.'"

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Star Goliad Volleyballers

Pictured here with coach Nancy Deason are two members of the Goliad Junior High volleyball team who rated honors in the Kermit tournament last weekend. They are Vicki Annen (center), outstanding set of the tournament; and Mary Alice Terrazas, who was chosen on the all-tournament club as a spiker.

Steers Are Defeated By Monterey, 2 To 1

Glen Palmer overcame one crisis after another to pitch the Lubbock Monterey Plaimen to a 2-1 baseball victory over the Big Spring Steers here Wednesday afternoon.

MONTEREY (2)		BIG SPRING (1)	
Steve Nims ss	10 12	Felix Martinez 2b	3 0 0
Larry Huckaby lf	4 0 1	Gary Newman c	4 0 0
Mike Cuthbert c	4 0 0	B. J. Englett cf	4 0 0
Bobby Alberts lb	2 0 0	Tony Martinez 3b	3 1 0
Chris Bernard of	4 0 0	Bill Burchett lf	2 0 0
Jan Hood rf	3 1 0	Dean Gilstrap 2b	2 0 0
Dickie Jones 2b	1 0 0	Ronnie Wright lf	2 0 0
John Vintro 3b	0 0 0	James Newman lb	2 0 0
Mark Flenniken 1b	3 1 0	ph-Rocky Woolley	1 0 0
Glen Palmer p	2 0 0	Junior Mendoza p	2 0 0
ph-Jim O'Jibwey	2 0 0	ph-Jimmy Wilson	1 0 1
Totals	28 3 2	Totals	20 2 1

The Longhorns, now 4-2 on the year, rest a day before plunging into a busy weekend. The locals go to Lubbock for a 4 p.m. contest Friday with the Lubbock High Westerners, then square off with Snyder in two games at Snyder Saturday.

The Longhorns, who fell behind by two runs in the fourth inning, were especially troublesome in the last innings. From the fourth inning on, they put runners aboard in every round but only Tony Martinez was able to score.

Future Looks Very Bright For Oakland

BRADENTON, Fla. (AP)—Charlie O. Finley has moved his Kansas City Athletics to Oakland with his eighth new manager in eight years and a cast of promising kids who will be scrapping to escape from the American League cellar.

HEAVY SALE
The financial future of the transplanted A's looks bright with a new 50,000-seat stadium and a heavy advance sale that indicates a sellout for opening day, April 17. The threat to the old established San Francisco Giants across the bay in windy Candlestick Park is real.

Nobody expects too much from the A's who have been in the cellar in three of the last four years, and Bay area fans are expected to be tolerant of youthful shortcomings.

"We can go only one way," said Manager Bob Kennedy, "at least this year. It is going to be a challenge. Some of our players have been forced and it will take time and patience. But we have a good bunch of kids."

Actually, the A's were 10th on merit last season. They were last in pitching, double plays and hit fewer homers, 69, than any club in either league.

Perhaps the move to the Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum with its symmetrical layout and more convenient 330-foot foul lines will help the power production. Perhaps, too, it will put an added burden on the young pitching staff.

Joe DiMaggio, the new executive vice-president, adds a little class to an operation that left Kansas City after 13 years.

Kennedy, who managed the Chicago Cubs as head coach of a 12-man staff in 1963, 1964 and part of 1965, is feeling his way.

He admits that most of his information on his athletes is strictly hearsay. By the time he cuts his club to 25 for the trip home, he will know much more.

"They tell me I have a good, young pitching staff," he said, "I know they can throw hard and have good strong arms. The rest will have to come from the exhibition games. We think we will be better."

PROVEN STARTERS
Jim "Catfish" Hunter, 13-17, Jim Nash, 12-17, and Chuck Dobson, 10-10, are his proven starters. The oldest of the trio is Dobson, 24. Eventually, Kennedy hopes to have five starters.

He will pick the others from among Big Moon Odum, 3-8, Lew Krause, 7-17, and left-handers Tony Pierce, 3-4, and Paul Lindblad, 5-8. George Laizerique, a 21-year-old Cuban who was 13-4 on the Birmingham farm, also will get a long look.

Jack Aker, a workhorse relief man who was sensational in 1966 but a 3-8 flop in 1967, is the key to the bullpen.

Blue Devils Face OC Chief Quintet

NEW YORK (AP)—The Duke Blue Devils hope to erase the disastrous memory of last year in the opening college basketball doubleheader tonight of the 31st National Invitation Tournament.

The Blue Devils, 10th ranked nationally in the final Associated Press poll of the season, take the court against high-scoring Oklahoma City in the second game of the twinned Marshall and St. Peter's of New Jersey meet in the first game.

The Blue Devils, who were not sure until last Sunday night they would get a second chance in the NIT as the Atlantic Coast Conference representative, failed in their first try last year. They lost in their first game to Southern Illinois, the eventual champion, 72-63.

Duke, 21-5, brings back third team All-American Mike Lewis, who averaged 24 points and 15 rebounds this season. Oklahoma City, 20-6, relies on honorable mention All-American Rich Travis, a 30-point average scorer.

Marshall, 17-7, and St. Peter's, 22-2, each will try to improve on last year's NIT performances.

Marshall, led by George Stone's long jump shots and 23.4-point game average, has visions of bettering his surprising fourth-place finish of 1967. St. Peter's, led by Eluardo Webster's 24.7 average, was routed by Southern Illinois last year 103-58.

Another doubleheader Friday and four games on Saturday complete the first round of the 16-team field.

On Friday, Temple meets Kansas and Villanova opposes Wyoming. Saturday afternoon Army plays Notre Dame and Long Island goes against Bradley. Saturday night it will be Duquesne vs. Fordham and Dayton vs. West Virginia.

The NIT opening headlines the college basketball tournament for the national championship is not scheduled until Friday night at four regional sites.

The small college boys were busy Wednesday night with the quarter-finals in the NCAA college division tourney at Evansville, Ind., and the second round in the NAIA tourney at Kansas City.

At Evansville, Ashland, Ohio, beat Cheyney State 45-30, Indiana State downed Nevada Southern 94-75, Kentucky Wesleyan defeated American International 90-78 and Trinity, Tex., whipped Evansville 93-77.

Westminster, Pa., edged Monmouth, N.J., 70-69, Fairmont, W. Va., thumped New Haven 97-72, Eastern Michigan took Hanover 94-81 and Central Washington defeated Alcorn A&M 85-70 in the NAIA at Kansas City.

Bando Works To Earn Spot With Oakland

By The Associated Press

Sal Bando is making it hard for the Oakland Athletics to send him to Vancouver. And Bob Schellenberg is making it hard for the Philadelphia Phillies to keep him in oblivion.

Bando smacked two homers in Oakland's 4-1 victory over the New York Yankees in their exhibition baseball game Wednesday. That makes four homers for the young third baseman in two games.

Bando hit only nine homers all last year in 116 games with the Athletics' Vancouver farm club. In 41 contests with the big league club he went homerless.

GRAND SLAMMER
Schellenberg's story is something else again. His grand-slam homer Wednesday was the big blow in the Phillies' 6-0 triumph over Houston. It was his second time at bat during the spring, his second homer and raised his RBI total to seven.

In his first home run on Sunday, Schellenberg, who isn't even on the Phillies' roster, hit a three-run homer.

In other games Wednesday, Cleveland edged San Francisco 6-5, the Chicago Cubs took California 5-4, St. Louis beat Detroit 6-2, Washington mugged Minnesota 5-4 and Los Angeles outlasted the New York Mets 3-2.

Also, the Chicago White Sox blanked Pittsburgh 4-0, Baltimore beat Atlanta 2-1 and Cincinnati beat Boston 5-3 in 10 innings.

Bando drove in all the Athletics' runs with a three-run homer in the first inning and a solo shot in the eighth. Jim Bouton pitched four hitless innings for the Yankees, extending his hitless streak to eight innings.

Woody Fryman, who allowed two hits in four innings, Larry Colton, who gave up no hits in three innings, and Jeff James combined for the shutout for the Phillies.

Cleveland caught the Giants in a hurry on Duke Sims' grand-slam homer in the eighth and finally won in the ninth on a double and a pair of sacrifices.

Adolfo Phillips, who had three hits for the Cubs, came up with a big one in the 10th, a single that drove in the winning run. Ted Savage had four hits for Chicago.

GAGLIANO STARS
Phil Gagliano's two doubles paced an 11-hit attack that beat Detroit for the Cardinals. Bob Gibson and Steve Carlton handcuffed the Tigers on one hit for the first six innings.

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LOOKING 'EM OVER

With Tommy Hart

Coach Spike Dykes of Big Spring had Jim Stroud hired as a varsity grid aide here earlier this week, but Stroud called back from San Antonio to say that when he walked in to resign he was offered a head coaching job at one of the high schools in the Alamo City. His assignment will be announced later.

Stroud, a Crosbytown native, has been serving as line coach at San Antonio Highlands, a Class AAAA school. He attended Rice University.

The National Junior College Basketball tournament going on in Hutchinson, Kans., this week — where Region V sent its champion, CCSW — turned back \$25,000 in advance ticket orders it could not fill.

From a hundred miles and more away, the fans were writing in for ducts. An estimated 8,000 letter writers were destined to get return missives discouraging them from descending upon Hutchinson during tournament week.

Five policemen were assigned to handle the line of fans who showed up in person to purchase the tickets and radios, and television sets blared at various places along the way to the ticket office. The first customer showed up as early as 2:30 a.m. on a Saturday—35 hours before the tickets went on sale. At that hour, the weather was frigid — it dropped to 38 degrees at 8:30 a.m. The day of the sale an icy wind whipped angrily at the would-be purchasers.

A Hutchinson high school student said he was being paid \$25 by another party to purchase an allotment of tickets.

One policeman took a dim view of the fans' obvious relish for waiting out the lines. Said he: "Boy, would they hate it if they had to do this."

The first person in line, a cabinet maker named Fred Parrish, grew a sizable beard between the time he first took his place until he passed by the ticket window. Parrish brought with him a sleeping bag, sheets of heavy plastic, a canvas tarpaulin and a fuel heater. The fellow immediately behind him carried a long lawn chair surrounded by blankets.

A local restaurant's truck made periodic stops around the tournament arena selling food to the people in the line.

It rained quite hard after the line started forming but Parrish said he enjoyed every minute of the experience. "Only my feet got cold," he told an inquiring reporter, explaining: "Something like this separates the men from the boys. If you want tickets enough to stay out here for them, you deserve them."

Area fans may be in for the same sort of thing in the not-too-distant future.

Shelby Metcalf, the Texas A&M coach who was here for the Region V Jucio tournament, says the roundball game is coming to the front by leaps and bounds as a spectator sport in this area and should reach boom proportions in a year or two.

Many fans, for the first time, are learning just what the game is all about. The game is improving, too — make no mistake about that.

The team which won the 1967 Region V tournament in Amarillo (Ranger) was an all-freshman club. It returned all its personnel for the 1968 meet held here, yet couldn't repeat as the champion.

Ron Butler, Ranger coach, had every right to feel bitter about the experience but he had only praise for the tournament's field and the manner in which the meet was conducted. He'll be out on the road this summer recruiting talent as never before.

The Region VI-B (high school) tournament, which was staged here in direct conflict to the junior college show, experienced a record business at the gate. So says Dr. Dawson DeViney of HCJC, saddled with the duties of tournament director.

When the meet was brought here three years ago, tournament teams which had been used to paying their own expenses were each returned \$154 as their share of the gate. Last year, that fee mounted to \$190 per team. This time, each of the five competing schools cut \$239 as its slice of the melon and, in addition, was paid 10 cents a mile for travel.

Is Big Spring a hotbed for basketball? You better believe it.

Queens Grab Tenth Win

Howard County JC's Jayhawk Queens are rivaling the success their basketball brothers enjoyed.

The Queens bowled over Texas Tech, 55-39, here Wednesday evening to post their tenth success in 16 starts, many against senior college competition.

HCJC goes back to Denton Friday to take part in the North Texas State University tournament. They oppose the winner of the North Texas-University of Texas at Arlington game at 8:30 p.m. Friday.

In last night's action, Kathy Howle banked in 19 points, Gloria Garcia 14 and Gina Williams 10 for the Queens.

HCJC (15) — Jan Coart 3-4-4; Gloria Garcia 7-14; Mary Jo Simpson 3-7; Gina Williams 3-4-10; Margitta Oden 6-11; Barbara Makster 6-8-8; Kathy Howle 8-19; Glaner Medrano 0-0-0. Totals 23-55.

TEXAS TECH (39) — Trimmer 5-13; Chades 4-2-10; Jennings 2-4-2; Damon 3-8-4; Freeman 0-2-2; Glan 0-2-2. Totals 13-39.

HCJC 23-55; Texas Tech 13-39.

BENNETT AND KING Six Coahomans All-District

Two Coahoma boys and four members of the Coahoma girl basketball teams have been named to the All-District 5-A teams chosen Wednesday night by coaches in a meeting held at Seagraves.

The Coahoma boys honored are 4-1 Larry Bennett, a senior, and Billy King, 6-3 junior. Junior Jimmy Sterling of the Bulldogs gained the Honorable Mention list.

Coahoma girls who rated the first team include forwards Linda Pherigo and Sandra Gross and guards Randa Richters and Alice Denning.

Ann Stout, a sophomore, and freshman Connie Howell were the Coahoma girls included on the Honorable Mention list.

The teams:
BOYS FIRST TEAM
Calvin Smith 6-1, sr., Plains; Mike Dennis 6-3, sr., Plains; Larry Bennett 6-1, sr., Coahoma; Billy King 6-3, jr., Coahoma; David Schneider 5-11, sr., Tahoka.

SECOND TEAM
Dan Johnson, Seagraves; Dan Brewer, Thornton; Bob Miller, Seagraves; John Trvier, Tahoka; Bill Taylor, Plains.

HONORABLE MENTION
Dan Fields, Plains; Jimmy Sterling, Coahoma; Harley Bradley, Seagraves; Cliff Thomas, Tahoka; Randy Bessie, O'Donnell.

GIRLS FIRST TEAM
FORWARDS — Linda Sumrall 5-8, jr., O'Donnell; Linda Pherigo 5-4, sr., Coahoma; Sandra Gross 5-5, Coahoma, jr. GUARDS — Linda Richters 5-4, sr., Coahoma; Alice Denning 5-5, Coahoma; Brenda Foster 5-8, sr., Tahoka.

HONORABLE MENTION
Nicely Burleson, O'Donnell; Sherry Schreider, Tahoka; Judy Carwell, O'Donnell; Ann Stout, Coahoma; Connie Howell, Coahoma.

Cougars Play At 3:50 P.M.

AUSTIN (AP)—The defending Class B champion, High Island, will play Sidell, a 1963 winner, in the opening game Thursday night of the state schoolgirl's basketball tournament.

The second game in the 18th annual state meet matches Klondike of Lamesa and Sundown, which has never reached the finals in four previous trips to the tournament.

The first-round pairings, with season records:
THURSDAY
Class B 7:30 a.m. Sidell 8 vs. High Island, 19-3
3:30 p.m. Sundown, 26-4 vs. Klondike of Lamesa, 10-0

FRIDAY
Class B 8:55 a.m. Round Top-Carmine, 35-2 vs. winner Sidell-High Island, 10-20
11:30 a.m. Brock (Westwood), 31-4 vs. winner Sundown-Klondike

Class A
11:35 a.m. George West, 38-1 vs. Glen Rose, 35-3; 1:45 p.m., Sarinola-Bearth of Earth, 35-2 vs. Seagraves, 33-3

Class AA
3:10 p.m., Greenway-Portland of Portland, 22-5 vs. Northshore-Forest of Hamshire, 26-22

Class AAA
7 a.m., West Orange of Orange, 21-18; Raymondville, 26-2; 8:25 a.m., Carthage, 26-4 vs. Stephenville, 22-8

Rams Open Play Against Austin

SAN ANGELO (AP)—Angelo State College will open its 1968 football schedule against Stephen F. Austin on the road and play 11 games, all told.

The Rams will play their first home game Sept. 28 against McMurtry. Homecoming will be observed Oct. 26, at which time Eastern New Mexico University of Portales comes here.

Palmer Foresees Seating For Spectators In Golf

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—Arnold Palmer, whose blasting power and magnetic personality helped build the pro golf tour into a multimillion dollar operation, says he thinks tournament crowds in the future will be assigned seats.

"I think we eventually will see a golf tournament set up like a baseball or football game, where the spectators buy assigned seats," Palmer said before starting his bid today in the Citrus Open Golf Tournament.

Palmer has won \$953,777 in official prize money playing golf and harvested many times that much in businesses built from his game. He said he thinks the increased crowds will result in construction of courses designed to provide spectators with a view of most of the holes.

"I believe that courses will be built so at least every other green is around the clubhouse, and players will go out and back instead of going way around like we do now," Palmer said.

Palmer has won but one of eight tournaments this year, but his play in tuning up for this tournament has put him among the list of the favorites for the Citrus Open crown. He was the leading pro in the pro-am preliminary Wednesday with a 66, and he shot a 65 in a round at Puerto Rico Tuesday.

Palmer is just one of several contenders for the \$25,000 Citrus title being defended by Julius Boros. Jack Nicklaus, still looking for his first victory of the year, and South African Gary Player—making his 1968 U.S. debut—also are in the flashy field.



Added To Volleyball Field

Pictured here are members of the Arlington High School girls' volleyball team, one of the two late entries in the fifth annual Cap Rock tournament starting a two-day run here Friday. The Colts will play Abilene Cooper at 1 p.m. Friday. Arlington Sam Houston is also in the field and will oppose Phillips in the tournament opener at 11 a.m.

Friday. Front row, from the left, the Arlington team members are Jane Mayfield, Jane Morrow, Tooney Brown, Becky Graves and Kay Smith. Top row, Judy Gromatzky, Paula Kelly, Gave Snelson, Carol Paysinger and Lisa Poss. The Colts' coach is Margie Austin. The tournament will be unrec'd in the HCJC gym.

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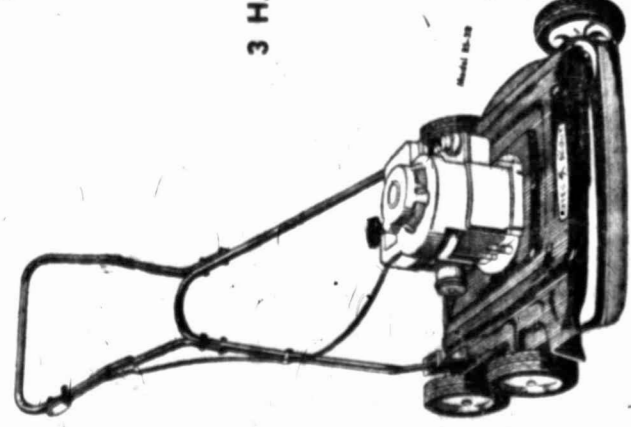
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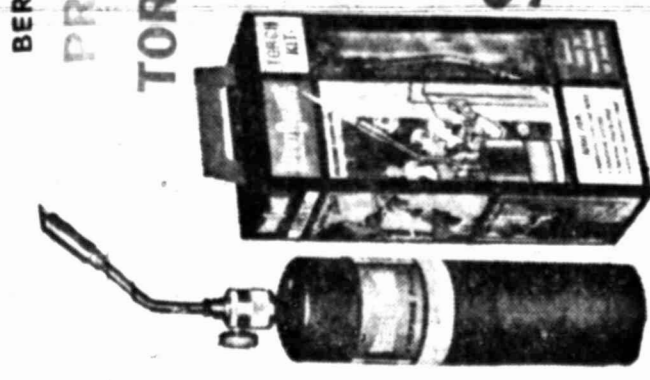


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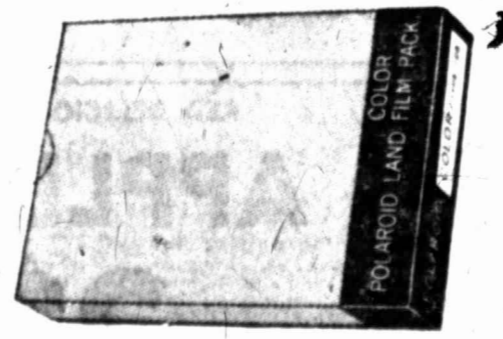
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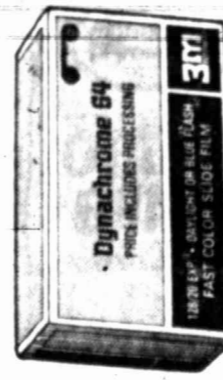
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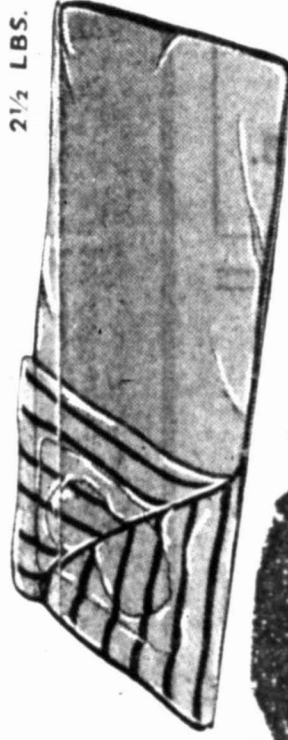
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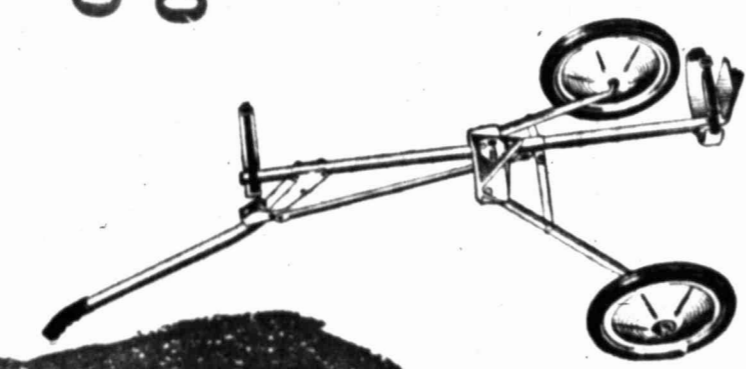
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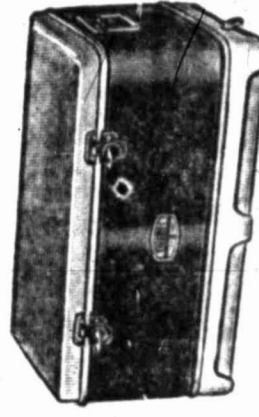
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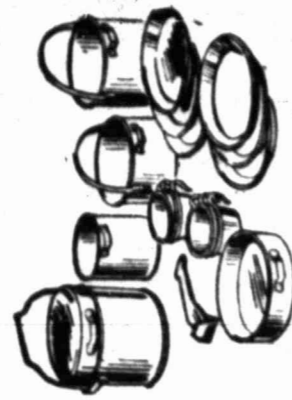
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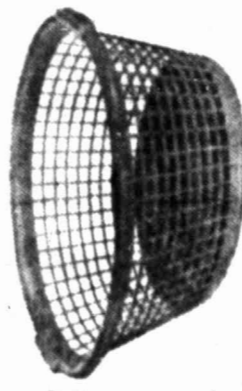


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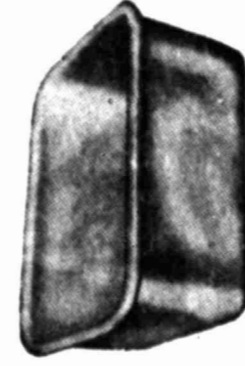


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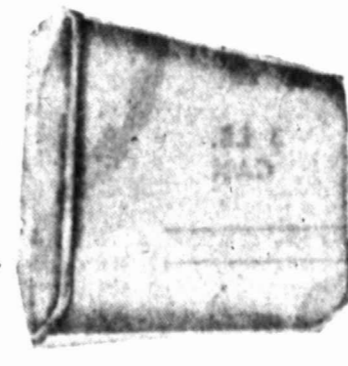
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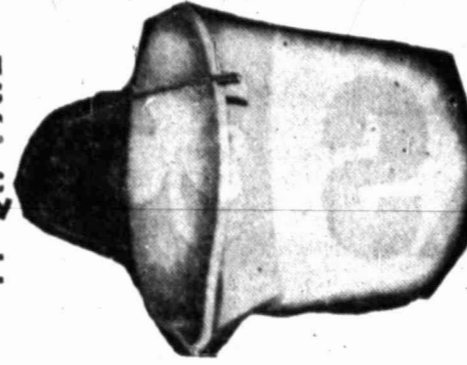
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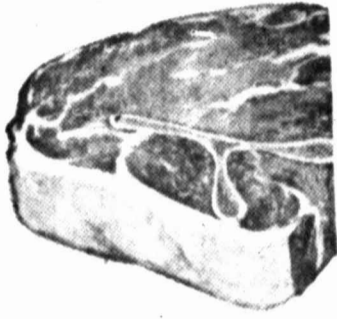
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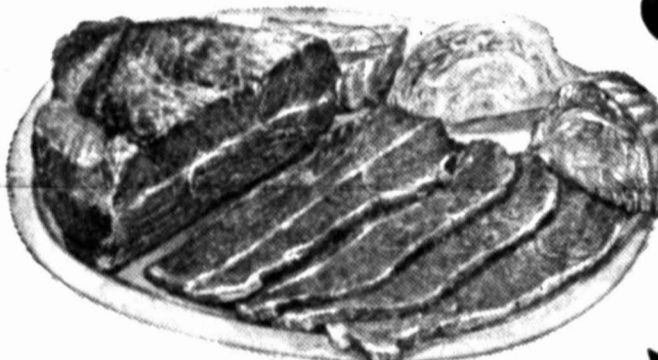
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'Loner' Charged In Tech Murder

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — Benjamin Lach, a college floater described by fellow students as a loner, was charged Wednesday with the Dec. 4 knife and hacksaw murder of a cleaning woman at Texas Tech.

BREAKING DOWN
The 57-year-old, muscular Lach appeared on the verge of breaking down when he was arraigned on charges of murder with malice in the death of Mrs. Sarah Alice Morgan, 54. He was held without bond.

Mrs. Morgan was found stabbed and almost decapitated in a biology laboratory on the third floor of the Tech science building Dec. 4. No arrests had been made in the death until Wednesday when detectives waiting inside a professor's office began a chase that ended with Lach being pulled from the wreckage of a car after fleeing the Tech campus headlong.

Two Lubbock detectives said a young man using a master key opened the door of Dr. Kent Rylander's office Wednesday morning. The office was only three doors away from the place where Mrs. Morgan was killed by an attacker who tried to decapitate her with a hacksaw blade.

LEFT KEY
The interloper at Rylander's office left a master key hanging in the door as he fled.

Lach set mute during a hearing Wednesday in which the murder charge was lodged.

Officers described him as the son of a Polish Jew immigrant. Born in Poland, the 23-year-old Lach had attended five other colleges and universities before he registered late in the fall semester at Texas Tech. He told students he needed an "A" grade in embryology to be accepted at the University of Kansas Medical School.

Two Lubbock police detectives set a trap after Dr. Rylander reported Tuesday that someone had gone through papers in his office.

Dist. Atty. Alton Griffin said Lach made oral and written statements regarding the slaying.

SKETCH HELPS
Mrs. Morgan was killed, apparently, when she surprised a student trying to take examination papers from a professor's desk, one source said.

Officers said Lach's hometown was listed as Mattapan, Mass., a suburb of Boston. His father is a baker in Mattapan.

Officers said young Lach graduated last June from Suffolk College at Boston.

A composite drawing made by a professor who saw a young man in the science building the night of the slaying was a factor in the arrest.

Police finally captured Lach after a 100-mile-an-hour chase through this West Texas city.

Officers said the man who fled heading from the Science Building stole two cars, the last of which went out of control and crashed against a tree in a cemetery.

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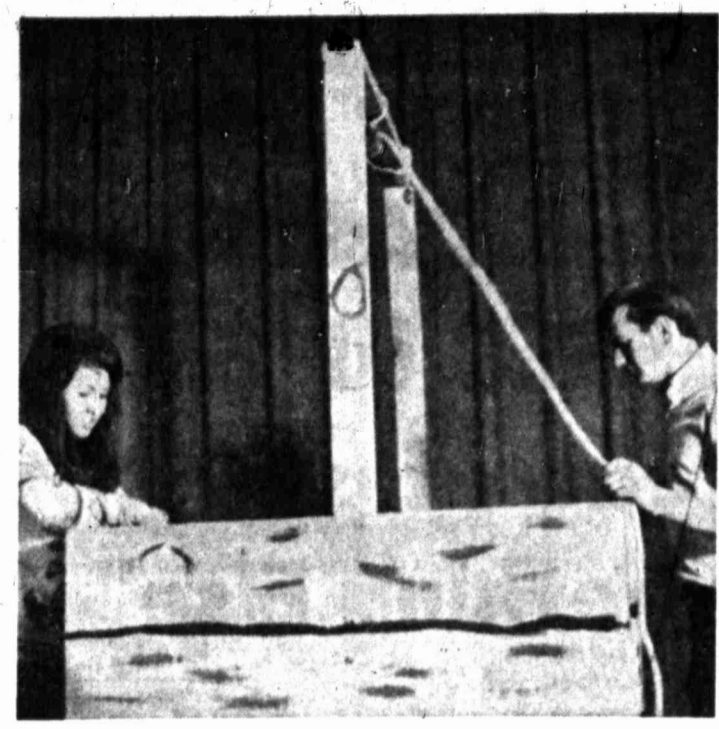
Front To Spur Texas Rains

By The Associated Press
A Pacific cool front was due to set off showers as it pushed across Texas today.

Clouds were to thicken over the state as circulation around a high pressure area pulled in warm moist air from the Gulf of Mexico over most of Texas.

Temperatures today were expected to be considerably warmer than Wednesday when maximum readings ranged from 52 degrees at Galveston to 75 at El Paso.

The Weather Bureau said that the cool front should trigger showers when it moved into the western part of the state this afternoon. Rains are being forecast for the central and eastern sections of the state as the front pushes eastward tonight and Friday.



'Memorial Day'
Characters in Murray Schisgal's "Memorial Day" are portrayed by Linda Long and David Beard. Curtain time for the three one-act plays is tonight at 7:45 p.m. in the Howard County Junior College auditorium.

Law Course Helps Protect NY Women

NEW YORK (AP) — A housewife arrives at her newly purchased home and finds it has no appliances. A quick check of the fine print in her deed shows appliances were not included in the purchase.

A BIT MORE
Another woman gives her neighborhood grocer a blank check with the trusting instruction, "Fill in the amount." The grocer fills in the amount—and a little more.

"These housewives are not stupid," says Prof. Henry Sellin, 61, who has been teaching a two-semester Women's Law Course at New York University for 19 years. "It's a combination of being in a hurry and being too trustworthy."

The Women's Law Course was established in 1890 for the better protection of women's rights.

At that time they had few rights to be protected. Women were not allowed to vote. They could own property, but it was subject to the dictates of their husband.

And of more importance to the small band of suffragettes who endowed the course, they were not being admitted to law school.

SLANDER TIP
In these swinging sixties, the woman's lot has improved—but the problems she faces have grown more complex. Even a small purchase can present problems if a shopper learns the hard way that a warranty dif-

fers from the salesman's promise. Over the years, women attending the course have ranged in age from 18 to 75. Sellin says they've enrolled for varying reasons. One woman is simply curious; another "wants to check up on her lawyer," and there is always one who is going through a divorce procedure.

"We don't want to make lawyers out of these ladies, although some have gone on to law school and even have become judges," he says. "We just want to make them aware when they need a lawyer."

For instance, he wryly tells his classes, beware of what you say about the neighbor over the backyard fence.

"You might be leaving yourself open for a slander suit."

Camp Film To Be Shown Today
A film of the Texas Lion Club Camp for Crippled Children, Kerrville, will be shown today at 7:30 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, 306 W. 3rd, according to Jim Thompson, director.

Parents who are interested in their children attending this camp are especially invited to attend. To be eligible for the camp, a child must be between the ages of seven to 16 and must be crippled, deaf, blind or mute.

Students participating in the productions include Linda Long, David Beard, Robert Sullivan, Cecilia Arcand, Mike Butler, Mary Evans, Glenn Reeves, Joe Kelly and Roy Fryer.

Lone Gunner Robs Loan Company
DALLAS (AP) — A lone gunman held up the Pleasant Grove Branch of the Oak Cliff Savings and Loan Association and escaped with an estimated \$5,000 Wednesday.

He fled in a car driven by a second man.

Entering the office through a rear door, the bandit forced Vice President A. D. Clark and three employees into a corner.

Clark told patrolman C. E. Mitchell the gunman then forced him to remove cash from three office drawers. The gunman stuffed the money into a white cloth bag he had brought with him.

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It Was A Night Of Farewell And Hail On Three Networks

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Wednesday was a night of farewell and hail on the three networks.

It was the night of the final adventure of the team of Mrs. Emma Peel and John Steed of "The Avengers." The mod-dressed and daring character of Mrs. Peel is about to be shelved so that Diana Rigg can return to her career as a serious actress.

True, Miss Rigg will be back in next week's episode, but merely to help Mr. Steed—Patrick Macnee—meet a new girl in town who henceforth will chase villains with him in the British-made action series. Linda Thorsen will have the role of Tara King. She will be less athletic than her predecessor and more conservative in dress.

AMUSING SERIES
The farewell adventure of the Steed-Peel combination was a pretty mixed up, busy affair involving some secret papers, a treasure hunt and a lot of automobiles racing through country roads. It is a preposterous, jaunty and usually amusing series. ABC obviously believes the public will accept Miss Thorsen since it has put the series in next season's schedule.

On the hall side there were a couple of previews of coming attractions.

Ed McMahon, most often seen laughing at Johnny Carson's jokes or reading commercials on the "Tonight Show," made his debut as a variety show host—on NBC's "Music Hall."

The show was a series of vaudeville turns—comedians Shelley Berman and Joan Rivers and singing by Ed Ames, Sonny and Cher and the Young Rascals. McMahon, who will be host on most of this summer's "Music Hall" shows, did not do much more than introduce the acts and set the scene for the commercial breaks. But he was gracious, exuded good will and looks very nice in a tuxedo.

FUNNY TRICKS
Robert Morse was a guest star on CBS's "Jonathan Winters Show" where he sang a song, faked a little dancing and took part in a sketch with Winters and Abby Dalton.

Morse, who has a mischievous, little-boy way about him, did not have much chance to demonstrate his talents on the Winters show particularly because the material was not very impressive.

Winters, of course, was up to all his familiar and funny tricks, playing everything from a fashion designer for the geriatrics crowd to a South American dictator.

Morse, who starred in the musical "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" on Broadway, has been chosen to play the lead in ABC's "That's Life" series next season. The programs will consist of musical comedies using recurring characters and carrying them through major crises in family life. It was created by one of the writers of Jackie Gleason's "The Honeymooners."

Fire Takes Tot
BEAUMONT (AP) — Fire swept a house in which 12 persons lived before dawn today, taking the life of John Thomas Foutz, one year old.

Burned over 70 per cent of her body was Mary Jeanneard, 16. All occupants of the house were Negroes.

Vacuum Cleaner Keeps Bear White
SHANNONDALE, Pa. (AP) — What's white, 10 feet 7 inches long, has four feet and you clean it with a vacuum cleaner?

Mrs. Melvin G. Hawk can answer that question easily.

It's a stuffed polar bear. The bear, shot by Mrs. Hawk's husband, is a natural dustcatcher.

But Mrs. Hawk has solved the latter problem neatly. She regularly cleans the bear's white fur with a vacuum cleaner, keeping the hair fluffy and bright.

FANGS BARED
"Really, he's no problem at all," said Mrs. Hawk.

But sometimes he is. Passers-by stop short when they catch a glimpse of the huge, white bear, its fangs bared, glaring from the Hawks' sunporch window.

"Oh, I cannot begin to tell you how many people have stopped to see him," she says. "I got so bad, though, that we finally pulled our drapes and went out on weekends."

Hawk, 49, a coal operator in this western Pennsylvania community, shot the bear nearly two years ago in the Chuckchi Sea area of Alaska. It weighed 1,450 pounds.

Three Plays At College To Open Tonight

Curtain time for three one-act plays to be presented tonight and Friday by the Howard County Junior College Hawk drama department is 7:45 o'clock in the HJJC auditorium.

Martin Landers, drama department head and director of the plays, said plenty of tickets were available today for both productions. Ducats are on sale for \$1 for reserved seats and 50 cents for general admission.

Plays to be presented include "A Wife for a Life" by Eugene O'Neill; "Case of the Crushed Petunias," Tennessee Williams; and "Memorial Day," Murray Schisgal.

Landers said that one of the productions will be selected to be entered in statewide drama competition later this spring.

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Look At Lanvin's 'Baby Look'

This is a tendency sketch of the "Baby Look"—high waisted, ribbed skirt with pleated yokes—presented by Lanvin's designer, Jules

A LOVELIER YOU

Change Cosmetics When Tinting Hair

By MARY SUE MILLER
A definite change in hair coloring calls for a definite change in make-up and clothing colors. It's a point that many lovelies still seem to miss.

By a big switch in hair color, your skin tones are more than a little affected. You may have the fairest kind of complexion but it will appear darker, even sallow, when you radically lighten your hair.

To compensate you must use a lighter foundation and powder. The flattering shade is a frosty reflection of your natural coloring. Complementary lipsticks are in the vivacious pink and nearly-lilac range. As for wardrobe colors, wear those that become a true blonde—powdery pastels and rich, deep shades. Nothing brassy!

What if your hair has been darkened? It's a step that may muddy your skin. You then require "warm" tones in everything you wear. That means a beige base and powder with a pink glow; luscious peach lipstick; strong but not brash wardrobe colors. Like citrus yellow and bud greens!

Hair that has taken on a red hue brings out the ruddy pinks in the skin or drains away all color. The antidote is creamy-beige foundation and powder; lipsticks undertoned with russet; off-beat wardrobe colors, such as the newly softened grays and beiges.

In every instance, eyeshadow should be played down with pale tones of gray, beige or green. All cosmetics should be sheer and clear. And, please



note, no fashion sacrifice is involved in any of this. All the shades mentioned are Spring '68.

LOVELIER HAIR

Overcome your hair problems! Send for my booklet, "How to Have Lovelier Hair." Advice includes: corrective care of dry, abused, oily and hard-to-manage hair; expert coloring methods; treatment of tinted hair; hairstyle formulas; tips on perfection cutting, permanents, straightening and grooming. Write to Mary Sue Miller in care of the Big Spring Herald for your copy, enclosing a long self-addressed, stamped envelope and 35 cents in coin.

Wives Club Member Gets Honor

Mrs. William E. Nelson, 2404 Cecilia, was named "Member of the Month" at the Tuesday meeting of the NCO Wives Club at the NCO Open Mess, Webb Air Force Base.

Mrs. Nelson has been a member of the club since September, 1961, and has served as treasurer and thrift shop chairman. She is originally from Munich, Germany, and her husband, Sgt. Nelson, is stationed in Thailand. They have one son who attends Big Spring Senior High School.

Hostesses were Mrs. Cecil Raney and Mrs. David Thornbrough. The refreshment table was decorated with the St. Patrick Day theme.

Mrs. Robert Johnson was elected second vice president, and Mrs. James Tinnin was named first vice president. New members welcomed were Mrs. Edward Falzini, Mrs. Albert Conners and Mrs. Gladys Gray. Mrs. Fred Ponte was introduced as a guest.

Mrs. Joseph Serwatka received the attendance prize, and Mrs. Ponte was presented a gift. A white elephant sale will be held March 26 at 7:30 p.m. at the NCO Open Mess, and a dinner for husbands is slated for March 30. The hospitality hour will begin at 6 p.m.

Book Review Slated May 16

Mrs. Herman Smith will review the book, "Christy" by Catherine Marshall, May 16 at Howard County Junior College. It was announced at the Tuesday dinner meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club in the Pioneer Gas Flame Room. The B and PW will sponsor the review which is open to the public at a charge of \$1 per person.

Mrs. Bert Affleck, civic preparation chairman, served as hostess at the dinner. Others in charge of arrangements were Mrs. Fred McGowan, Mrs. Moore Sawtelle, Mrs. J. O. Hagood, Mrs. A. D. Franklin and Miss Movelda Rhine. Mrs. Bill Ward presided and introduced Mrs. Fred I. Carr.

Master Points Given At Games

Mrs. B. B. Badger and Mrs. Glen Cox placed first during duplicate games held Wednesday at Big Spring Country Club. Mrs. J. H. Fish and Mrs. J. Gordon Bristow tied for second and third place with Mrs. A. Swartz and George Pike. Master Points were awarded.

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106 West Third Dial 263-2501

Mrs. Richard D. Shaver Named Contest Winner

Mrs. Richard C. Shaver was winner in a speech contest at Tuesday's meeting of the Tall Talkers Toastmistress Club held

in the Officer's Open Mess at Webb Air Force Base.

Mrs. Shaver spoke on "Modes and Episodes" and told the group that a person is the sum of all personal experiences which mold character and help to develop the personality. Judges were David King, Mrs. Harold Davis, Capt. Ed Loomis, and Dr. M. A. Porter. Tellers

Sgt. John Scott Speaks For Club

Sgt. John Scott of the Traffic Division, Big Spring Police Department, showed a film, "Strangers," at Tuesday's meeting of the National Association of Letter Carriers Auxiliary. Sgt. Scott discussed ways of warming children about associating with strangers and distributed literature.

Mrs. Willard Hendricks was hostess, and Mrs. Wayne Beene presided. Mrs. Edward Slate reported on the valentine party, and new yearbooks were distributed by Mrs. Melvin Newton.

It was announced that a motel has donated several dozen towels which will be made into feeding bibs for patients at the Veterans Administration Hospital. Also, the auxiliary's fundraising project of selling commercial products for home use is being continued. Mrs. Melvin Brown and Mrs. Van Brown will provide cake for the Thursday party at the VA.

The next meeting will be April 9 with Mrs. Billy Gage as hostess.

Mission Book Reviewed Tuesday

The mission book, "Trumpets in Dixie," was given in a three-part study at the Tuesday meeting of Anita Lowe Circle, East Fourth Baptist Church. Mrs. Jack Boyett, 710 Tulane, was hostess. Those presenting the program were Mrs. Pete Sanderson, Mrs. Raford Dunagan and Mrs. Carroll Cannon. Mrs. Aaron Combs presided, and the prayer calendar was read by Mrs. Boyett. Luncheon was served.

Mrs. Joe Evans Discusses Moses

Mrs. Joe Evans reviewed the life of Moses from the book, "Young People of Destiny in the Bible," at the Tuesday meeting of the Dorcas Class of First Baptist Church in Forsan. Mrs. Henry Park was hostess.

Mrs. L. T. Shoultz presided, and Mrs. Carl Tippie brought the devotional on overcoming fears. Members will donate clothing for Easter to a teenage patient at the Big Spring State Hospital. The hostess worded the closing prayer.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Shoultz, April 9, at 2:30 p.m.

Circle Continues Mission Studies

Mrs. Lou Legg gave the introduction to the program, "Preparation for Mission Action," at the Tuesday meeting of Blanche Grove Circle of Baptist Temple. Mrs. Bill Sandridge, 1601 E. 17th, was hostess.

Others giving parts were Mrs. Bob Wren, "Concern for the Deaf"; Mrs. A. W. Page, "Ministering to Language Groups"; and Mrs. Legg, "Showing Concern for Migrants."

Mrs. Page read the prayer calendar, and prayers were led by Mrs. T. W. Tedford and Mrs. Sandridge.

The next meeting will be Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. at the church, and a mission study will be held at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Garden Clubbers Will Hold Placement Show

Final plans were made for a placement show, May 10, in the home of Mrs. Ronnie Richardson, 714 Birdwell Lane, during the meeting there Tuesday of the Four O'Clock Garden Club. "Alice in Wonderland" will be the show theme with visiting hours from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Each member may invite five guests, and Mrs. Joe Horton will be hospitality chairman.

Mrs. Jesse Crane Jr. announced that the club has won a state award and achieved a Blue Ribbon Club rating. The awards banquet will be held

March 28 in Corpus Christi. The program, "Chrysanthemum Culture for Big Spring," was given by Mrs. R. O. Linn. She said that cuttings of exhibition mums should be made by April 1, the soil prepared by April 7 and the rooted cuttings set out by April 15. Also, she gave hints on fertilizing, pinching, staking and grooming the plants for show. Mrs. Don Campbell led a short discussion on making compost.

The refreshment table carried out the St. Patrick theme.

Davies Return To Fort Worth

FORSAN (SC) — Mr. and Mrs. Grady Davis and children of Fort Worth were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curran Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Robinson and daughters of Lamesa visited Friday in the Altis Clemmer home.

Mrs. L. M. Scroggins and children spent Saturday in Abilene.

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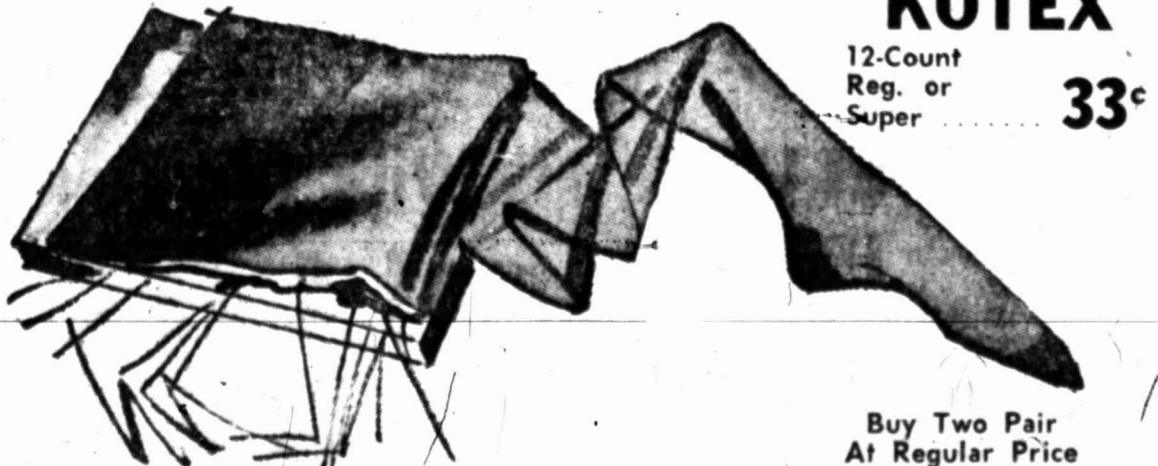
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MRS. JACK TAYRIEN

Secretary Knows All Must Be Scheduled

By RHODA LEMONS
Mrs. Jack Tayrien of 2717 Ann, is an efficient organizer. She has one theory that works well for her, and that is to do the necessary things and not worry with what is left over.

Mrs. Tayrien does all her house work including the ironing. She cleans her house each evening and catches up with the rest of it on Saturday mornings.

She is employed as secretary for Clyde Angel, vice president, at First National Bank, and her husband is head track coach, assistant football coach and trainer at Big Spring Senior High School. The couple has two daughters, Shawn, 8, a second-grader at Kentwood Elementary School, and Leslea, 5, who attends Jack and Jill Kindergarten.

Mrs. Tayrien shops for groceries once a month and picks up milk every two weeks. (This is frozen until needed.)

"I usually feed the children dinner, then my husband and I eat later," said Mrs. Tayrien. Her husband's day begins early in the morning and often ends late in the evening. The girls assist their mother by making their beds and keeping the playroom tidy.

"When life becomes too difficult, I just yell for help and

Jack is there," said Mrs. Tayrien. She is interested in his work, and she and the girls attend all athletic events with which he is connected.

Mrs. Tayrien utilizes her food freezer, cooking directly from it rather than for it. She seldom has leftovers as she cooks just the amount needed at each meal. She does buy for the freezer and she is an avid fan of all the "quickie" recipes and mixes the manufacturers can devise. She believes that easy methods of food preparation make it easier for a mother to be a career woman as well as a housewife.

Mrs. Tayrien sews for the girls, but until they are older she thinks that it is just as economical to purchase a large percent of their clothing. She sews for herself and her home, on occasion, and regrets that she has so little time for it.

The Tayriens entertain infrequently, and it is usually a "spur of the moment" affair. They usually serve coffee and dessert or chips and dips. Most of their time together is spent at home with the children. They both enjoy television, reading, and they go to the movies on their nights out.

Mrs. Tayrien plans the next evening's meal the night before.

She lays the meat out for thawing and prepares a congealed salad or whatever else can be done at that time. She usually cooks a larger quantity on weekends and bakes for the week ahead.

Mrs. Tayrien is recording secretary of the Xi Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, and the family has membership in St. Paul Presbyterian Church.

The Tayriens are moving March 21 to Lockney, where he will assume the duties of head coach and athletic director of the Lockney High School. This is the first part of a dream come true, because this is the goal of every coach — to manage his own team and develop it from there. Mrs. Tayrien plans to continue working when they move.

"I will miss Big Spring," said Mrs. Tayrien. "I will miss my home, friends, job and associations I have here, but this is what my husband and I have worked toward."

Fill Steaks With Corn Stuffing

Fillings or stuffing for certain meats add a note of elegance to the entree. Frequently, they enhance the taste-tempting qualities of the dish, especially if the flavors sing top harmony.

Thrifty pork arm steaks can easily demand company attention if the small round bones are removed, filling spread on the meat which is then rolled and tied.

Cream-style corn mixed with bread crumbs and a few simple seasonings provides an easily spread filling for this meat. Remove skewers or strings before serving.

PORK ROLLS

- 8 pork arm steaks, cut 1/2 inch thick
- Salt
- Pepper
- 1 can (16 ozs.) cream-style corn
- 1/2 tps. salt
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 3 tbsps. melted butter or margarine
- 1/4 cup chopped green pepper
- 2 tbsps. chopped onion
- 4 cups soft bread crumbs
- 1/2 tsp. basil
- 1/2 tsp. sage

Remove bones from pork steaks. Season with salt and pepper. Combine remaining ingredients, mix lightly and spread on steaks. Roll each steak like a jelly roll and tie or fasten with a skewer. Place rolls in a baking dish and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for one hour. Serves eight.

Use Roast Rack For Even Cooking

Remember the rack that is placed under the roast! That keeps the meat cut from sitting in drippings and juices. It also allows the dry heat to circulate around the meat cut to cook it evenly.

The only time a rack is not truly necessary under a roast is when a bone-in rib roast is being cooked. The rib bones, in this case, form a natural rack for the roast.

Use Sausages At Breakfast, Lunch

These can go around a plate of scrambled eggs or pancakes for breakfast or as a garnish for mixed grill at luncheon.

Plump pork sausage links by cooking first about five minutes in a covered frying-pan to which two to three tablespoons of water have been added. Then place links in the hollows of drained, canned pear or peach halves which have been brushed with currant or apply jelly. Broil until sausages are browned.

Drippings Make Good Seasonings

Scientists have found that drippings from meat contain not only good flavor but valuable vitamins and other nutrients. They should be saved for seasoning vegetables or making into gravy.

There are two types of gravy. One is the natural, unthickened juice from the pan in which the steak, roast, chop or ham is cooked. Measure, add half as much water (1 cup drippings requires 1/2 cup hot water), then season with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce, if desired. Heat to boiling and serve at once, as hot as possible.

Thickened gravy is like white or cream sauce except the meat drippings are used for the fat.

Measure drippings from the pan, then mix flour (one to two tablespoons for each cup of drippings) with cold water until smooth, to add to drippings; cook until thickened.

Always serve gravy as hot as possible, pouring into a heated gravy boat so it will retain its heat at the table; or, place gravy dish on a candle warmer.

Try Spicy Beef Cooked New Way

Spicy flavor when you cook meat this way.

BARBECUED BEEF RIBS

3/4 pounds beef short ribs
Paprika
1 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
1 tsp. dry mustard
1 tbsps. Worcestershire sauce
1/2 cup catsup
1/2 cup water
1/4 cup cider vinegar
1 medium onion, diced
1 1/2 tbsps. dark brown sugar

Remove as much fat as possible from ribs. Sprinkle with paprika. In a heavy skillet, brown ribs on all sides; turn into a casserole. Mix remaining ingredients and pour over ribs. Cover tightly. Bake in a 350-degree oven, turning ribs twice, until tender — about two hours.

Skim off any excess fat. Or, chill, remove any hardened fat, and reheat. (Flavor is at its mellowest after reheating.) If necessary, add a little water during the baking. Makes four servings.



Get Set For Entertaining

These easy-to-make pies are mouth-watering good, and they take very little time to prepare. Use your staples available and on hand and the electric blender and your pies will disappear almost as fast as you make them.

Use These Recipes To Make 'Easy As Pie' Chiffon Desserts

Yearning for a chiffon-light pie but hesitate because it looks like too much work? Not with this light and lovely duo, one cherry, the other apple.

A cook gets lots of shelf help for these quick-to-make (even quicker to disappear) desserts. Just combine-gelatin and seasonings with the ever-ready canned pie-fillings, either apple or cherry, reconstituted lemon juice, and instant nonfat dry milk, then refrigerate. Give guests a hint of the good taste to come with a crown of more cherries and apples right from the can.

Instant nonfat dry milk in dry form is a staple. It can be conveniently stored on the pantry shelf for an indefinite period since each quart in the six- and 10-quart sizes is sealed in individual pre-measured foil packages, and the eight- and 12-quart sizes have inner foil-sealed protected packages. It is also available in a 20-quart re-usable canister. Once liquefied, pour into a container with lid and store in the refrigerator as any liquid milk.

Here are the recipes for Apple and Cherry Chiffon Pies made with instant nonfat dry milk:

APPLE CHIFFON PIE

- 1 (9-inch) baked pastry shell, cooled or graham cracker crumb crust
- 1/4 cup water
- 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/4 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 cup boiling water
- 3 cups (one 1 lb. 9 1/2 oz. can) apple pie-filling
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 1 tbsps. reconstituted lemon juice
- 1/2 cup instant nonfat dry milk, dry form

Pour 1/4 cup cold water into electric blender container. Sprinkle gelatin over water; cover and blend briefly at low speed. Add sugar, cinnamon and boiling water to gelatin mixture. Cover; blend briefly at low speed until mixture is foamy. Reserve one cup apple pie-filling; pour remaining two cups filling into electric blender container over gelatin mixture. Cover; blend at low speed until mixture is smooth. Set aside.

In a small electric mixer bowl, combine 1/2 cup cold water, lemon juice and nonfat dry milk. Beat at high speed on electric mixer about six minutes or until stiff. Pour apple-gelatin mixture into deep mixing bowl. Place bowl over ice water.

Stir until mixture is cooled and mounds slightly when dropped from a spoon. Fold whipped nonfat dry milk into cooled apple-gelatin mixture. Turn into crust. Chill in refrigerator two to three hours, or until set. Garnish outer edge of pie with reserve apple-pie filling. Makes one nine-inch pie.

CHERRY CHIFFON PIE

- 1 (9-inch) baked pastry shell, cooled or graham cracker crumb crust
- 1/4 cup cold water
- 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup boiling water
- 2 1/2 cups (one 1 lb. 5-oz. can) cherry pie-filling
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 1 tbsps. reconstituted lemon juice
- 1/2 cup instant nonfat dry milk, dry form

Pour 1/4 cup cold water into electric blender container. Sprinkle gelatin over water; cover and blend briefly at low speed. Add sugar, cinnamon and boiling water to gelatin mixture. Cover; blend briefly at low speed until mixture is foamy. Reserve one cup cherry pie-filling; pour remaining 1 1/2 cups filling into electric blender container over gelatin mixture. Cover; blend at low speed until mixture is smooth. Set aside.

In a small electric mixer bowl, combine 1/2 cup cold water, lemon juice and nonfat dry milk. Beat at high speed on electric mixer about six minutes or until stiff. Pour cherry-gelatin mixture into deep mixing bowl. Place bowl over ice water.

Stir until mixture is cooled and mounds slightly when dropped from a spoon. Fold whipped nonfat dry milk into cooled cherry-gelatin mixture. Turn into crust. Chill in refrigerator two to three hours, or until set. Garnish outer edge of pie with reserve cherry pie-filling. Makes one nine-inch pie.

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RECOMMENDED RECIPES

Mrs. Jack Tayrien

- #### CHICKEN CACCIATORE
- 2 - 3 lb. frying chicken
 - 2 tbsps. cooking oil
 - 1 large can tomato sauce
 - 1 medium onion, sliced
 - 1 envelope spaghetti sauce mix

Brown cut up chicken in oil in a heavy skillet. Add onion to chicken. Combine spaghetti sauce mix with tomato sauce; pour over chicken. Cover and cook slowly about 45 minutes or until chicken is tender. One small can of mushrooms may be added. May be served with spaghetti if desired.

TACOS

- 1 lb. ground beef
- 1 small can tomato sauce
- Salt, pepper and garlic powder to taste
- 1 large can bean dip
- 1 small onion, diced
- Lightly brown ground beef in skillet, season to taste with salt, pepper and garlic powder. Pour off grease. Add tomato sauce to ground beef in skillet. Simmer for about 10 minutes. Add bean dip, and keep mixture over very low heat until ready to serve. Serve with lettuce and diced tomato in tortillas.

ROAST BEEF

- One 3-4 lb. roast
- Salt, pepper, and garlic powder to taste
- 1 pkg. dry onion soup mix
- Place roast in pan lined with foil. Use enough foil to cover roast completely. Season roast with salt, pepper and garlic powder. Sprinkle about 1/2 of the onion soup mix over roast, add preferred steak sauce. Wrap roast securely with foil, and cook in 350 degree oven for 1 1/2 hours, or until tender.

APRICOT CAKE

- 1 pkg. yellow cake mix
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil
- 1 tsp. lemon extract
- 1 can (5 1/4 ozs.) apricot nectar
- 4 eggs, separated
- Juice of one lemon
- 1/4 cup powdered sugar
- Combine cake mix, vegetable oil, extract, apricot nectar and egg yolks. Beat egg whites and fold into batter. Pour batter into floured tube cake pan. Cook in 350 degree oven for 40 minutes. Glaze with mixture of lemon juice and powdered sugar.

- #### ICE CREAM
- 1/2 pt. whipping cream
 - 4 cups sugar
 - 6 eggs
 - 1 tbsps. vanilla extract
 - Milk

Whip all ingredients together and pour into a one gallon freezer. Add milk to fill container about 3/4 full. Fruit, such as strawberries or peaches, may be added if desired.

QUICK AND EASY COBBLER

- 1 cup flour
- 1 cup milk
- Dash of salt
- 1 cup sugar
- 1/2 tps. baking powder
- 1 stick butter or margarine
- 1 large can fruit
- Sugar and cinnamon
- Melt butter or margarine in two-quart baking dish or pan. Combine all ingredients, except fruit, and pour into dish. Add one large can drained fruit or two packages frozen fruit to batter. Sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon. Bake in 400 degree oven for about 45 minutes. The batter will rise and cover the fruit.

OLD-FASHIONED SOFT SUGAR COOKIES

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine
- 2 eggs
- 3 cups flour
- 1/2 cup baking powder
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1/2 cups sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. baking soda
- Cinnamon and sugar
- Cream butter; add sugar gradually, while continuing to cream mixture. Add eggs one at a time, mixing well after each addition. Add vanilla. Beat until light and fluffy. Mix and sift flour, salt, baking powder, and baking soda. Add to creamed mixture alternately with sour cream, beginning and ending with dry ingredients. Drop by heaping teaspoonful on well-greased cookie sheets, well apart. With spatula flatten into circles about two inches in diameter. Sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar. Bake in 400 degree oven for 10 to 12 minutes. Makes about 30 three-inch cookies. Raisins may be added to creamed mixture if desired.

Change Prize Cake Recipe

There are a number of variations of the prize-winning pound cake recipe which netted Mrs. Phyllis Lader a \$25,000 cash award.

The basic recipe for the Buttercream Pound Cake which won in the 19th Pillsbury Bake-Off may be made with either lemon or vanilla frosting mix. If a lemon flavor is desired when using the vanilla frosting, lemon juice may be added during the creaming process.

BUTTERCREAM POUND CAKE

- 2 cups butter, softened
 - 1 pkg. regular size buttercream frosting or vanilla frosting mix
 - 6 eggs
 - 4 cups all purpose flour
 - 2 tps. baking powder
 - 1 container (12 oz.) poppy seed cake and pastry filling
 - Confectioners' sugar or glaze
- In large mixer bowl, cream butter and dry frosting mix at medium speed, until light and fluffy, at least five minutes. Add eggs, one at a time, beating one minute after each. Gradually beat in flour and baking powder. In small mixer bowl, combine three cups of the batter with poppy seed filling; blend well. Spread half of plain batter over bottom of greased 10-inch tube pan. Then alternately add spoonfuls of poppy seed batter and remaining plain batter.

Bake at 325 degrees for one hour and 30 to 45 minutes, or until cake tests done. Cool cake in pan 15 minutes before removing. Cool completely. Sprinkle with confectioners' sugar or drizzle with glaze.

GLAZE

- Combine one cup confectioners' sugar and two tablespoons lemon juice or milk. High Altitude Adjustment: Add 1/4 cup milk after sixth egg has been beaten in. Bake at 325 degrees for one hour and 20 to 35 min-

utes. Self-rising flour is not recommended for use in this recipe.

BASIC CAKE VARIATIONS

If desired, three tablespoons lemon juice may be added along with vanilla frosting mix. Substitute one package buttercream brown sugar frosting mix for lemon frosting mix. After removing the three cups batter, add to the remaining plain batter either 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon or 1/4 teaspoon ground cloves, OR 1/4 teaspoon maple flavoring. To Substitute For Poppy Seed Cake and Pastry Filling: Combine one cup poppy seed, one cup milk, two tablespoons butter, two tablespoons honey and 1/2 cup ground nuts in sauce pan. Cook and stir until thick. Cool completely.



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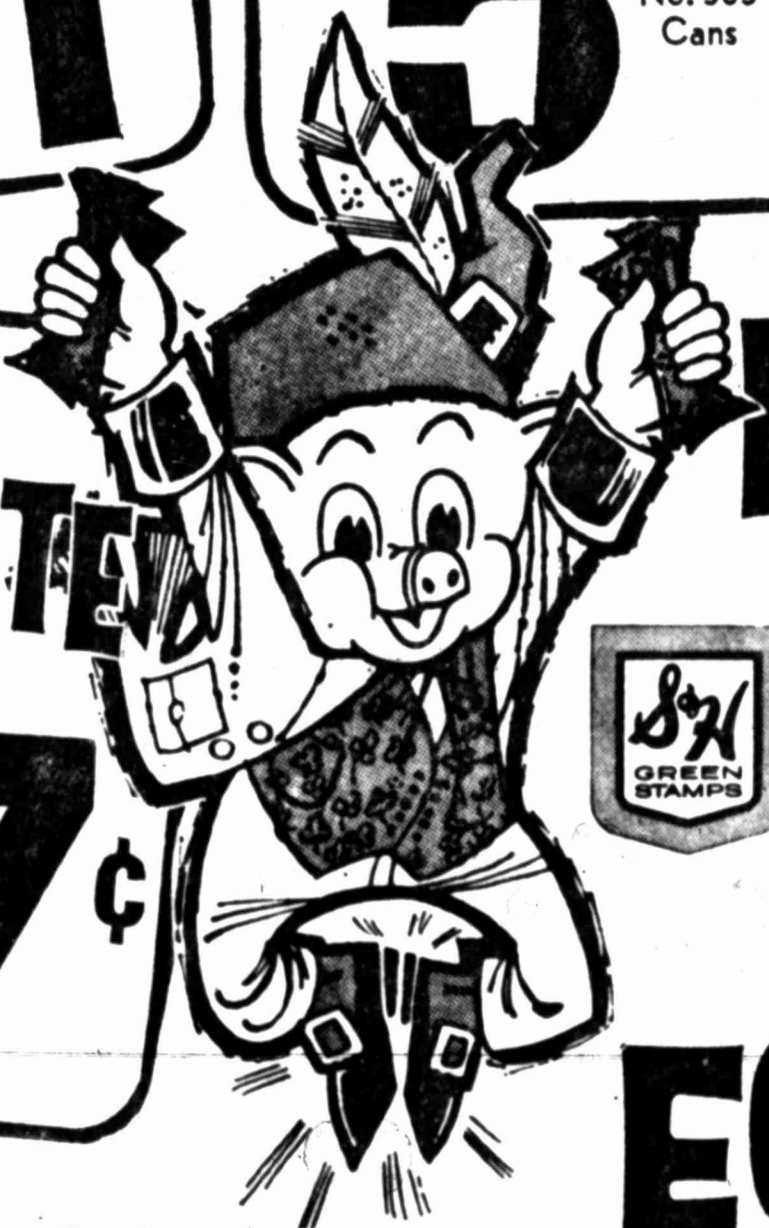
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Have 3 pounds stewing meat (beef, veal or lamb) cut in 1" cubes. Roll in seasoned flour. Brown in 3 tbsp. hot fat in heavy kettle. Cover with boiling water, simmer 1 1/2 hours, then add . . .
1 cup each cut-up carrots, turnips, celery
1 cup whole tiny onions or cut-up onions
4 cups cubed potatoes
1 bay leaf
2 tbsp. minced parsley
1/2 tsp. thyme
Simmer 30 minutes. Thicken liquid for gravy. If desired, cook dumplings on meat. Serve garnished with celery leaves. Amount: 8 servings. (Mutton or lamb with a bit of marjoram may be substituted for beef.)

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Better To Be Safe—

DEAR ABBY: I am 21 and my husband is 23 and also we have a small baby. We recently bought our own home, and adjoining it is a two-room efficiency apartment that we rent out to a 41-year-old bachelor. He is nice and polite and all, but here is my problem:

Last month I found out that this man has a suitcase full of girlie-type movies, a projector and screen. I am sorry to admit it, but I snooped around in his apartment when I went in to close his windows on a rainy day. Anyway, my husband's company is sending him away for four months to take a course, and I'm afraid this man might try something, knowing my husband will be gone. I know that a man who looks at these movies isn't necessarily a sex fiend, but I'm worried, anyway. My husband says if he hasn't tried anything so far, he probably won't.

This man has never given us any trouble. He's quiet, keeps his place clean, and pays his rent promptly. He has no lease, so I'm wondering if we should get rid of him or not? If you tell me to get rid of him, what excuse shall I use? WORRIED

DEAR WORRIED: Regardless of what I think, if YOU are "worried" about this man, get rid of him. Don't give him an "excuse"—give him a reason. The real one. He may be glad to leave.

DEAR ABBY: I am a widow with two daughters. One is married and lives 700 miles away, and the other (I'll call her "Mary") is 16, and lives with me. Mary and I have always had an ideal relationship. She's sweet, pretty, a good student, and she's never given me a moment's worry.

About six months ago, an elderly cousin of mine told Mary that I had had an illegitimate child when I was 17, and now Mary can't forgive my sin. She says our relationship has been a "lie" inasmuch as she thought I was as "good" as I always wanted her to be. When I try to tell her that I made a mistake for which I have dearly paid, she walks into her room and closes the door.

Mary attends church regularly, is a candy-striper at the local hospital, and she goes with nice people. She's everything a mother would want her daughter to be. But now she wants to go live with her married sister and finish school there. She wants nothing from me except to be left alone. How can I get through to her, Abby? I am dying of a broken heart.

A MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: In time, of course, your immature daughter will grow up and realize

Horoscope

Forecast

—CARROLL RIGHTER

GENERAL TENDENCIES: You have many ideas that you can do to better yourself, but it is necessary that you first really understand what they mean for you. Otherwise you are apt to do things that you think are best and then feel you are imposing your views. So be watchful to really delight others.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19): All in all, in every sphere of your endeavor, you are being too cooperative of their expense, so make sure you get this in your mind. Get into that civic duty with true cheerfulness. Be more respected.

Taurus (April 20 to May 20): Make sure you get your house in good order for which you have had little time in the past. A fellow worker will have some rather strange ideas. Don't bother to correct them right now. Await a better time.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21): Out with contentions to the outside activities that proceed to you all. Be especially generous with romantic life. Take care you do not take any unnecessary risks in anything of any nature, play it safe.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21): Getting busy straightening out situations at home can bring the harmonious that you want there. Don't procrastinate any longer. Kin will have your cooperation. You need to gain your finest objectives consequently.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 23): A good day to streamline your daily routine work since others will cooperate with you very willingly. A. C. is having troubles. Listen carefully to them and do whatever you can to assist.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23): You may be feeling the pinch financially, so start economizing immediately and creating your income via some added outlet. Regular business sales does not give the right advice. Be more independent.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23): Concentrating upon what you truly desire in the future is wise, since other things be doing the thinking for you. If out to social affairs, be charming with others and avoid trouble. Save some time for reading or other activities.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 to Nov. 21): Spend some time looking into conditions that have had you puzzled for some time. Then prepare yourself for finer arrangements in the days ahead. Try to make yourself as attractive as you can. Make a good impression on others.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21): Consult with good friends regarding some project that has been pretty difficult for quite awhile. They give right suggestions, support. Forget entertainment until a more propitious time. Be better prepared.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): Show higher-up that you will observe every rule that applies to you. Find some better system for handling career matters. Get out of that dull routine that has you literally shamed.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): You have to study further into those ideas you have before you put them into execution and don't dash off to any tangents. See what that new contact has to suggest. This could lead to something very lucrative.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20): Get your duties handled wisely instead of piling up here and there without much planning. Closest tie to too demanding. It would be well to please at this time. You will be glad that you did later on.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN tomorrow he or she will be one of those delightful young people who will please everyone around. But this God-given charm may lead to instability because life is made too easy for him, or her. Teach to study early so that when interested, all-encompassing, it will be carried out very meticulously and this leads to success.

glad to write her directly, if you'll send me her name and address.

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Lions Plan Breakfast For District Meeting

Big Spring has been invited to stage the model breakfast for the April 6 session of Lions District 2A-1, Schley Riley, past district governor, informed the Downtown Lions Club Wednesday.

In addition to building a lively program to reinforce a bid for the 1969 convention, the Downtown and Evening Clubs will be

urged to send a large delegation to Brownwood, he said. The 1969 convention is doubly important because it combines the state Lions convention with the A-1 gathering.

Ginger Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Brown, will represent the Downtown club as

queen in the Brownwood contests, Winston Wrinkle, chairman announced.

Captains for the annual light bulb sale, by which the club finances its sight conservation and blind work, will be chosen by James Hatler and Jimmy Parks. Sale dates are May 1-3.

Danny Johnson, who has been chosen to tour Europe this summer with the Shenandoah Conservatory of Music group, favored the club with two selections — "September Morning" and "Maria." Annette Fitzhugh

accompanied. He is one of 75 chosen from over 100 applicants, but his making the tour is dependent upon financial support by individuals, clubs, groups, etc.

Nominees for new officers include Clyde McMahon Jr., president; Waymon Clark, first vice president; Winston Wrinkle, second vice president; and Roy Hughes, third vice president; others are Dr. W. A. Hunt, Liontamer; R. H. Snyder, John Annen, Joe Horton, tailtwisters; Don Shoemaker and Ernie Boyd, directors; Morris Rhodes, secretary-treasurer.

Train-Truck Crash Kills Aged Texan

WAXAHACHIE, Tex. (AP) — Ross Aday, 72, of Reagor Springs near here died Wednesday when a Rock Island freight train struck his pickup truck as the truck sought to cross the tracks.

Engineer J. B. Fulton of Teague told highway patrolmen his train was traveling 35 to 40 miles an hour and he could not stop in time.

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A Devotional For The Day

Now, produce fruits that answer to your repentance. (Luke 3:8, Moffatt)

PRAYER: Though our sins be as scarlet, O Father, Thou canst make them as white as snow. Pardon our past mistakes and give us greater strength and determination to live up to Jesus' perfect example today and in the days to come. In His name we ask it, as we pray, "Our Father who are in heaven . . . Amen."

(From the 'Upper Room')

A Phase, A Trend, A Change?

The wave of suggestiveness, if not plain pornography, which seems to be a rising tide, gives cause to wonder if this is a phase, a trend or a change in our mores.

Once upon a time it was the racy pamphlet or picture from under the counter; then it was the best seller which got that way not through literary merit but by earthy talk. Now it is the crumbing of the film code in order to picture torrid love scenes which are almost intimate boudoir documentaries, and the sudden evaporation of taboos on television. In the latter instance profanity rises upon profanity, and some of the more sophisticated variety or comedy programs are ripping off stories which are pointedly more than suggestive. The double-meaning is a license to sneak in something smutty.

Much of this is coming out of the worm holes in the guise of enlightenment because it is natural for the free mind to recoil at censorship or inhibitions which stifle the creative spirit.

Some of it is attributed to a new morality, or to the rebelling and unfettered inquiry of young minds. Perhaps, but it is noteworthy that the bulk of purveyors are not young people, but from older ones with an eye for a quick buck in the market or a desire to titillate frustrated libidos.

In view of the momentum, this may get worse before it gets better. But surely the pendulum will swing, even though there may be basic changes in morality after the crest of the tide. Somewhere down the line we are going to have to develop some better legal or unwritten definitions of propriety and decency.

Perhaps a straw in the wind comes from Sweden where there is beginning to be some reassessment of its ultra-liberality which has led to unabashed sex (or homosexual) advertising, an unprecedented mass of pornographic materials, raw film demonstrations, and a record of an estimated pregnancies of one of every three brides going to the altar.

Open Season Analysis

It is open season now for conjecture on what presidential primaries mean, especially since Sen. Eugene McCarthy got some 10 per cent more of the Democratic vote than most forecasters had anticipated.

Even Sen. Robert Kennedy, a cynical realist, has let it be known that he may take another look at whether

to contest for the Democratic nomination. Pollsters will be moving in for their post mortems, too. It wouldn't be surprising that they discover, among the younger voters and in families that there is an expression against the frustrations of war. This doesn't supply any answers or alternatives, but it is a vote nevertheless.

David Lawrence Committee Wants To Run The War

WASHINGTON — Officials of the Soviet government who transmit propaganda all over the world must have rejoiced on Monday of this week as they read some of the cable dispatches from this country. For the world was informed that certain members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee had accused the United States government of aggression and of having provoked the naval skirmish in the Gulf of Tonkin in August, 1964.

THIS BY NO means reflects a majority sentiment in the committee. Secretary of State Rusk made it clear in his testimony that all the military chiefs were convinced that the attacks on U.S. naval ships were deliberate and were not provoked by any American action. He declared that the President had been given full authority by an overwhelming vote of Congress in the Southeast Asia Treaty to help resist aggression.

SECRETARY RUSK told the committee that the President always tries to keep Congress informed. The Secretary did not discuss the powers of Congress but merely stated that the President has not yet made up his mind about increasing the forces in Vietnam and that if any important decisions are made, congressional leaders will be briefed as usual. Sen. Fulbright, however, takes the position that the Senate Foreign Relations Committee has the right to pass upon

Billy Graham

Our pastor says that only people who have accepted Christ have the right to pray. If this is true, how can sinners call upon God for forgiveness? W. O. I feel sure that your pastor referred to the prayers of Christians, or children of God, as described in Romans 8:15: "For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba Father." After all, we are children of God in a sense by creation. However, spiritually we may not be children of God. But the point your pastor was trying to make was that the full privileges of prayer are open only to children of God, and I concur.

People outside of Christ may pray for forgiveness, for pardon, and for Christ to enter their hearts. The Bible clearly incites the lost to pray for forgiveness. Isaiah said: "Seek ye the Lord while he is near, call ye upon him while he is found, call ye both here and answer this: God will both hear and answer this of prayer. It is music to the ear of God."

My children ask me for things that no one else would dare ask for. Just so, when we are in the family of God. "We come boldly to the throne of grace that we may find grace to help in time of need." But God's ear is also open to the person outside His fold. Isaiah said again: "His ear is not heavy that he cannot hear but your iniquities have separated between you and your God."

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AND WHO DO YOU THINK GETS SOAKED?

Hal Boyle Awesome Delights Envisioned

NEW YORK (AP) — Would you like never to have to work for a living and also have a trained ape to help your wife around the house?

These awesome delights are envisioned—and not altogether tongue-in-cheek—as possible benefits to man in the next century by Arthur C. Clarke, one of the world's top science fiction writers.

"IT ISN'T possible to predict the political future, but it is possible to map technological trends," said Clarke, a trained physicist and mathematician who is also recognized as an authority on space and oceanography.

"The life of the average man will be profoundly changed. In the next century 95 per cent of the work done by men now will no longer exist, or will be handled by machines. Man's purpose in the universe will be to enjoy himself—and it is about time he did."

"PERICLES never had to go to a daily job. Neither did Socrates. No freeman of ancient Athens had to labor to live. They had thousands of slaves. Future man will have millions of superior machines to do the world's work."

What about those trained apes to help the little lady do the dishes and clean the rugs? Smiling slightly, Clarke replied:

"A chimpanzee already has the ability to do many household chores, but he lacks the motivation—the desire to do them. In the future we can genetically engineer apes to do even more complicated tasks—and enjoy doing them."

The English writer—50, stoutheaded, slender, slightly stooped—has written some 40 books that have sold five million copies. He spent four years working on MGM's science fiction film, "2001, A Space Odyssey."

CLARKE believes we are in the beginning stages of a revolutionary intelligence and infor-

mation explosion of which most of us are still unaware.

"Knowledge now is doubling every 10 years," he remarked. "By the time a man is middle-aged, half the things he learned are no longer true."

"In the coming century the ordinary day-to-day running of the world will be turned over to a race of supercomputers. The great problem will be educating

people.

"EDUCATION will be lifelong. If a man lives to be 125, he may attend some form of school until he is 120. People will spend their life living and learning, not working at routine jobs."

"The great industries of the future will be education, research and entertainment."

"Before the development of

agriculture man didn't really work. He lived as a hunter. In the time ahead agriculture, as we know it today, will be ended. It is too inefficient. Synthetic foods will be produced more cheaply and in larger quantities. Even now only three per cent of the world's petroleum output could be used chemically to produce all mankind's protein needs."

OTHER CHANGES Clarke foresees:

"Man may be able to enjoy life 24 hours a day instead of 16 by abolishing sleep. Some forms of life do without sleep."

"Sex, obviously, will have to be separated from reproduction, a process already well under way. No family will be allowed to have more than 2.1 children."

James Marlow Tax Hike Bill Odds Change

WASHINGTON (AP) — After a torrent of words, pro and con, President Johnson's proposal for an income tax increase remains on dead center in the House Ways and Means Committee.

But forces are building up that could jar it into motion through a reluctant Congress.

CHAIRMAN Wilbur D. Mills, who can count on solid support from his Ways and Means Committee, repeatedly in recent weeks has listed two conditions under which he might take the 10 per cent surtax proposal out of the drawer.

An unmistakable surge of inflation threatening a runaway. A sharp step-up in money needs for the Vietnam fighting.

The second is the one that seems more likely to develop soon.

Capitol Hill is betting it will be asked to appropriate for some degree of U.S. manpower buildup in Vietnam—whether it is the 200,000 additional troops

that have been the subject of furious speculation or a much smaller number.

AND APART from any U.S. build-up, a big bill is expected for replacement and upgrading of equipment for allied forces as well as those of this country.

In combination with even a modest increase in U.S. manpower commitment, such an expenditure would jump the prospective deficit to far beyond the \$20 billion mark that the basically conservative objectors to a surtax on Ways and Means probably would bow to the demand for additional revenues.

The administration so far has tried to make its case for the surtax almost entirely on economic grounds, arguing the danger of inflation and the shaking of confidence abroad in the dollar. Such arguments lack the impact that a straight appeal for a war tax would have.

(By Edmund L. Bretton, for James Marlow, who is ill.)

To Your Good Health The Great Aspirin Argument Goes On

By JOSEPH G. MOLNER, M.D. Dear Dr. Molner: One of our local doctors some time ago published an article in the paper saying that a five-grain aspirin was the strongest that could be obtained without a prescription, and that regardless of name brand, one was as effective as another, if not buffered.

One member of my family swears by — another says none is as good as — Another gets his from the drug store when they are having a sale, and one even says the cheaper brands are put together with cotton. I admit that some dissolve more easily than others but no doubt that is immaterial.

Maybe you can straighten us out — or me. I think the difference is all in their heads. Anyway, I take — P. E.

Your local doctor was perfectly right. Aspirin is aspirin — chemically, acetyl-salicylic acid. A five-grain tablet means that five grains of acetyl-salicylic acid have been included in the "binder" or inert material which forms the bulk of the tablet.

Federal food and drug regulations insist that if a tablet is called a five-grain aspirin, it must contain exactly that — five grains of that drug!

True, some dissolve faster than others. True also that some are "buffered" with the purpose of making them less irritating to people whose stomachs are sensitive to aspirin.

Still other "headache pills" contain other drug along with the aspirin — phenacetin, sodium salicylate, a caffeine, sometimes other chemicals to change the total effect a bit.

I cannot conscientiously say that some of the variations in the binder used in plain aspirin may not make some difference to some people. Maybe so. Or maybe it is mostly in their heads.

I've long since given up arguing with people about it. If they are attached to a particular brand, whether because of real or imaginary superiority, that's the kind they might as well use.

They will anyway.

Dear Dr. Molner: I have ear trouble — it sounds like a dry fly all the time. It sure does get on my nerves. Will be sending the paper for your answer. — G. R.

Ear noises — dry fly noises, whistles, hisses, buzzes, any number of kinds — can come from a variety of causes. Some can be corrected; some can't.

so you may have to adopt some little tricks to keep them from annoying you too much. My suggestion is that you send for, and carefully read my booklet, "Ear Noises, Their Causes and Cures." Send 10 cents in coin for printing and handling costs, and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Dr. Molner, in care of The Herald, for the booklet.

Dear Dr. Molner: What connection does the word achalasia have with hiatal hernia? — E. R.

Achalasia is loss of nerve function in the lower esophagus. Hiatal hernia is a rupture or enlargement of the diaphragm opening where the esophagus goes through to the stomach. The two conditions may exist in the same patient, but are not necessarily related. Either can occur without the other.

To learn of the many factors that can be involved in the treatment of hiatal hernia, which concerns the esophagus, write to Dr. Molner, in care of The Herald for a copy of his booklet, "Hiatal Hernia and Eight Ways to Combat It," enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope, and 25 cents in coin to cover cost of printing and handling.

Around The Rim

Depends On The View

I'm not sure anymore just what the polls or elections or primary results mean. And I wonder if anyone else does, particularly the politicians who usually have the most to gain from them.

THE NEW Hampshire primary is a handy example. Apparently, no one of the principals was unhappy with the results, at least if we take their statements at face value. I suspect only the President made a realistic appraisal, when he passed the results off with a joke, calling it of little importance. But being a good politician, his opinion may have been flavored by his so-called "poor finish."

DESPITE THE fact that he was on the ballot and the president was not, Sen. McCarthy sees the vote count as a great victory. Even Bob Kennedy apparently sees some reason to believe the President was the loser. Turning to the other party, the only candidate directly involved was jubilant, while two others who may be candidates didn't seem to think the results mean a thing.

IN BRIEF, apparently no hopes were dashed by the turnout and re-

sults, while most seemed to take hope for a victory. Obviously, all of them can't be right. Even though politicians will usually put up the best front possible, they cling to every hope; no doubt they can find some good in every statistic, no matter how bleak it may appear to the rest of us.

THE SO-CALLED political thinkers and other pundits, whose business it is to turn out reams of copy on such matters, can read all sorts of important indicators into such a light representation of the electorate as the New Hampshire primary. How they read the results, probably hinges largely on their political bent, hopes and fears.

FACTS ARE, I suspect that particular primary is of no more importance or significance than how the people of that tiny state feel. I doubt it is an infallible bellwether of national opinion, any more than a similar vote in Big Spring would be on the same date. It just happens to be the first one, and probably gives the chambers of commerce in the Granite State smiles of gratification at such widespread notice.

—V. GLENN COOTES

Holmes Alexander Writers Should Have Kept Quiet

WASHINGTON — Dr. Clarence W. Couchmaster was worried about all those people writing books.

"Ordinarily," he said, "Mrs. Evelyn Lincoln, who's been called President Kennedy's combination of nanny and confidential secretary, wouldn't have gone to print. She'd have come to me. Not only is her given name 'Lyn,' which is awfully close to Lyndon, but she never got over her pique that Mr. Johnson considered himself head of the ticket that won the 1960 election. I could have helped her face reality."

DR. COUCHMASTER must be talking about Mrs. Lincoln's collective biography, "Kennedy & Johnson," where the authoress tells how I.B.J. spent his time trying to social-climb into the Kennedy Circle.

"She should have called it 'Profiles in Gaucheries,'" said Couchmaster. "That would have relieved her tensions somewhat. But why should non-authors write books anyhow? What do they think psychiatrists are for? Now, take a fellow like Sen. Ted Kennedy. He writes a book for an entirely different reason than Mrs. Lincoln did, but really shouldn't have written it at all."

Was Dr. Couchmaster saying that "Decision for a Decade" might as well have stayed in Ted Kennedy's drawer?

"I SAY THAT Ted didn't get three full pages into this thin volume before he showed he was more of a name-dropper than a historian. The senator mentions Edmund Burke's 1774 letter to his Bristol constituents, and remarks that Burke only served 5,000 constituents while he (Kennedy) serves 5.5 million. Kennedy's point is that it's no longer possible for a democratic representative to consult with all his voters. But the point of Burke's famous letter was something else entirely. The great British parliamentarian believed that he'd been elected to render his own opinions and not those of his district. 'Your repre-

sentative owes you, not his industry only, but his judgment,' said Burke. 'And he betrays instead of serving you if he sacrifices it to your opinion.' I doubt if Ted meant to give his Massachusetts voter the brush-off, but that's what his citation of Burke suggests."

DR. COUCHMASTER was hinting that Ted should have come to the couch instead of the typewriter. How did he feel about Gen. James Gavin's "Crisis Now" with its theme that Vietnam is a roadblock in both our thoughts and national energies?

"Gavin is a fighter, not a writer," Couchmaster declared. "The frustrations of being on the sidelines has made him think he can second-guess a war in which he's not engaged. My couch would have done more for him than his book can do."

THERE ALSO was John Kenneth Galbraith. Dr. Couchmaster was reminded Galbraith, an economist and historian in his known writings till now, has turned to fiction in a novel called "Triumph." It is a very lively, satiric story about how American diplomats treated with a mythical Latin American dictator that tried to find its way to democracy by paths that seemed to be communistic. Galbraith writes just as well in make-believe as he does in earnest.

"On page 7," noted Dr. Couchmaster, "Galbraith allows himself to write blasphemous. On page 8, he goes in for four-letter obscenities. He opens Chapter 16 with an oh-so-sophisticated soliloquy about sex-in-diplomacy."

DID DR. Couchmaster mean that Dr. Galbraith was releasing his repressions by turning to the novel where naughty words and racy behavior are in-the-giving these days?

"He should have come to the couch," said Couchmaster. "All of them should have brought their troubles to me, instead of tossing them into the public's face."

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Art Buchwald The Jackie-Watchers

WASHINGTON — There has been a lot written about the China watchers, the Kremlin-watchers and even the Johnson-watchers, but very little has been said about the Jackie-watchers, those dedicated anonymous souls charged with following every movement and interpreting every event in the life of Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy.

Nobody knows how many Jackie-watchers there are, though the figure of "over 5,000" has been used time and time again.

BY CHANCE and good fortune I managed to get in the "Jackie room" of one of the largest newspaper wire services in the world. It was modeled after the Pentagon war room with a wall-to-wall relief map of the world at one end and a large balcony at the other end where the joint chief of Jackie-watchers and his staff could sit and follow Mrs. Kennedy's travels.

At the moment I arrived they were pushing a cut-out wooden model of Mrs. Kennedy along the map of Mexico toward Yucatan. A map with an earphone headset was dictating to the man working the map: "She's heading toward the ruins of Uxmal in Merida. Then she's going to the jungle of Palenque to visit the newly discovered Mayan ruins."

THE JOINT chief was nervously smoking his cigar. "How many photographers do we have in the Yucatan?"

"One hundred and fifty," an aide said.

"We better send in another 75, to be on the safe side."

"But, chief," a lieutenant said, "that will leave us understaffed in case she decides to go to Mexico City."

"We can always send down the reserve photography unit from Los Angeles," the chief said.

JUST THEN a man rushed in with a cable. The lieutenant read it out loud. "Holy smoke! Lord Harlech has just left his home in Wales and is believed to be heading for London. A wooden model of Lord Harlech

was pushed slowly from Wales toward the British capital.

"What do you think it means?" the aide asked excitedly.

"The chief hit hard on his cigar. 'Let's see if she's going to visit the ruins at Merida in Mexico and he's on his way to London, it could mean he might be joining her here.'"

"In the Virgin Islands?"

"WHY NOT? It could be their way of throwing us off. You better send 400 photographers and 200 reporters to the Caribbean just in case."

"Yes, sir."

The chief studied the map again. "Where are John John and Caroline?"

"They're still in New York at the apartment. They haven't moved in three days."

"Very suspicious," the chief said. "You better double the photographers at the apartment. Any word on Princess Radziwill?"

"A Life reporter had her buying clothes at Givency yesterday."

"Any wedding dresses?"

"No, sir."

"I DON'T LIKE it," the chief said. "I don't like it one bit. Why would Harlech go to London at this time? And why didn't Jackie go sking at Sun Valley instead?"

An aide rushed in. "Bobby has just gone out to visit the sharecroppers in California."

The chief lit a new cigar. "It could be a diversionary tactic. We better go on red alert. If it's just a scare, it will be a good exercise for the troops, but if it's the real thing, we could make the front page of Women's Wear Daily."

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IF HE'S OVERTURNED THE HABITAT, THOSE AQUANAUTS ARE GONERS.

GASOLINE ALLEY

Slow, Becky!
CRACK!
I declare!

NANCY

WHEE
OH, OH--- MY BALL BOUNCED INTO THAT WINDOW
IF YOU DON'T TOSS IT BACK I'LL CALL A COP

LI'L ABNER

ALL YORE PRESY-DUNT WANTS FUM YO' IS YORE BACKIN'!
IF HE WANTED MINE HE COULD HAVE IT-- BUT HE DON'T--
IF YO' WONT STAND BEHIND HIM-- HOW IS YO' GONNA FEEL IN TH' END?
OINK! OINK! OINK!
??-TH' LI'L RASCAL'S GONNA FEEL FINE!!

BLONDIE

NO DAY GOES BY I DON'T GIVE THANKS FOR HAVING SUCH A WONDERFUL HUSBAND
YOU'RE THE KINDEST, SWEETEST AND MOST GENEROUS HUSBAND IN ALL THE WORLD
HOW MUCH?
TWENTY
AND JUST YESTERDAY A FELLOW ASKED ME IF I WAS MARRIED!

RICK O'SHAY

FROM WHAT YOU'VE TOLD ME, AND SAY THE PUDE WHO SHOT CARVER WAS SUPPEN POISE.
BUT YOU SAID HE DIED-- FIVE YEARS AGO!
AH HEARRED HE DID, BUT THAT REPORT APPEARS T' HAVE BEEN A MITE EXAGGERATER.
IT MUST HAVE-- YOU DESCRIBED HIM PERFECTLY!
OH, AH CAN DESCRIBE HIM EVEN BETTER 'N THAT--
--HE'S A COLD-BLOOPED KILLER WHO ENJOYS HIS WORK-- AN' HE AIN'T VERY NICE, EITHER.

SNUFFY SMITH

LOOKY WHO'S COMIN' FER A VISIT, PAW--
HOWDY, PARSON

KERRY DRAKE

OKAY, RED-- OVER THERE BY THE DOOR-- WHERE THE GLASS IS BROKE OUT!
YOU STAND HERE, MISSUS DRAKE!
UH-WAAA!
UH-WAAA!
UH-WAAA!
MY BABIES! IT'S THEIR FEEDING TIME! PLEASE! LET ME GIVE THEM THEIR BOTTLES-- BEFORE YOU--
MAYBE SHE OUGHTA, MONK! THAT YOWLIN' COULD BRING TH' NEIGHBORS IN!
WELL-- IT WON'T TAKE LONG IF LEFTY HELPS ME! I'LL TELL YOU JUST WHAT TO DO, LEFTY!

BETLE BAILEY

25 YEARS AGO TODAY I BECAME AN ARMY COOK-- NOBODY CARES-- NOBODY REMEMBERS--
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AND WHAT HAVE I GOT TO SHOW FOR IT?

PEANUTS

MANAGER?
THAT STUPID BEAGLE IS GOING TO BE OUR NEW MANAGER? NOTHING DOING! I'LL BOOT!
WE BASEBALL MANAGERS DON'T STAND FOR ANY BACK-TALK!

DICK TRACY

SO THERE GOES PURDY FALLAR, THE BEST SUPERINTENDENT I EVER HAD.
I STILL SAY HE'S YOUR MOON MURDERER!
OH, FOR CRY'S TRACY, DON'T YOU KNOW WHEN YOU'RE LICKED?
THE EVIDENCE HERE IS IRREFUTABLE, BUT NOT UNDER THE RULING OF A SUBVERTED COURT THAT PENALIZES THE TRUTH!
THEY HAVE MADE CRIME EASY, CONVICTIONS HARD, SAYS TRACY.

MARY WORTH

QUICK! GET A BLANKET AND HIDE THE KNITTING MACHINE... DAN MUSTN'T KNOW ABOUT IT!-- AT LEAST, NOT TILL I'VE SOLD THE FIRST BATCH OF SWEATERS!
I WAS JUST LEAVING, HONEY!
WHAT DO YOU LADIES FIND TO TALK ABOUT, JINK? EVERY TIME I TRY TO PHONE THESE DAYS, NOBODY ANS--
WHAT'S THIS, MRS. WORTH?-- A FOLDING CO?-- WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO MOVE IT OUT OF YOUR LIVING ROOM FOR YOU?

REX MORGAN

HOW'S JUNE, PR. MORGAN?
MUCH BETTER, MRS. LARSON!
BY THE WAY, JUNE'S TALKING ABOUT TAKING AN EXTENDED VACATION AFTER SHE LEAVES THE HOSPITAL. I WILL YOU BE ABLE TO STAY ON HERE WITH ME?
I'D LIKE TO, DOCTOR-- BUT I CAN'T!
MY CHILDREN ARE AT AN AGE WHERE I DON'T FEEL I CAN TAKE A FULL-TIME JOB. I'LL STAY ON UNTIL YOU CAN FIND ANOTHER NURSE!
I'D APPRECIATE THAT, INCIDENTALLY IS THERE ANYONE WHOM YOU CAN RECOMMEND?
NOT OFFHAND-- BUT I'LL SEE IF I CAN FIND SOMEONE!

TERRY

HEARD A PLANE LARKIN, FIGURED THAT THE ESTABLISHMENT'S COSSACKS HAD ARRIVED.
INSPECTOR BILBY MR. LARRKIN... GOOP OF YOU TO STAY UNTIL I COULD GET HERE.
HA! AS IF I HAD A CHOICE! A POSTAGE-STAMP ISLAND AND A PAIR OF LEE'S MERCENARIES ARMED TO THE TEETH ABOARD MY VESSEL!
PERHAPS WE CAN END THIS TEDIUS AFFAIR QUICKLY IF YOU'LL ANSWER A QUESTION OR TWO...
FOR INSTANCE... DO YOU OWN A PAIR OF GLOVES, MR. LARRKIN?
HA! HA! HOO! HA!

SMITTY

I GOT MY LICENSE TO DRIVE A CAR, IT'S WONDERFUL!!!
HI, MISSUS SMITH-- DID YOU GET YOUR DRIVERS LICENSE?
OH, YES, SIR!
NOW JUST OBEY TH' RULES, AND LET ME WISH YOU GOOD LUCK!
BY GOLLY! SHE IS LUCKY!

MOON MULLINS

WELL! WHERE ARE YOU GENTLEMEN GOING IN SUCH A HURRY?
UH-- WE'RE HAVING A SIT-IN DEMONSTRATION DOWN AT TEDDY'S TAVERN...
WHAT ARE YOU PROTESTING?
WHO'S PROTESTING?

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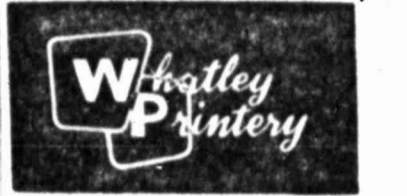
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Texas Political Candidates Fire Pot Shots

Council Takes Aim At Horse Bet, Bill

AUSTIN (AP) — Some 100 Texans, including businessmen, judges, college presidents, churchmen and athletes, have organized an anti-crime council and set its sights first on defeat of horse race betting in the May 4 primaries.

Democratic and Republican ballots will include an option poll on pari-mutuel betting.



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By The Associated Press
While Texas political candidates were taking pot shots at each other Wednesday, forces of horse race betting rolled out their heavy artillery in their campaign to win—not just place or show—in the May 4 referendum battle.

Both Democrats and Republicans will ballot on the referendum—a non-binding opinion poll on pari-mutuel betting which has been a longtime legislative issue in the state.

BETTING PROPOSED
A group of 100 leading churchmen, educators, business leaders and athletes announced the formation of the Anti-crime Council of Texas (ACT) whose immediate goal will be the defeat of the pari-mutuel betting proposal.

In its initial statement, the organization said "Where gambling is legal, especially pari-mutuel wagering, organized crime follows. Legalized gambling is the key to the development of any state as a vice market. We cannot allow the future of our state to be undermined in such a way. We must make this abundantly clear to those who make our laws."

CRISS-CROSSING
Meanwhile the candidates, criss-crossing the state, were predicting victory, criticizing their opponents and taking part in tamale luncheons, coffees and fish fries.

Preston Smith, the incumbent lieutenant governor who is seeking the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, predicted at a fish fry and rally near Henderson that he will win the post.

Saying that he was right in predicting that Gov. John Connally would not seek re-election and that Sen. Ralph Yarborough, D-Tex., would not get into the race, Smith said "I will now make the flat prediction that I, Preston Smith, will be the next governor of Texas."

At Houston, Edward L. Whittenburg said he had written six other gubernatorial candidates suggesting that they should disclose their sources of income but that "none has stepped forward." He did not name the six.

Early-rising Dolph Briscoe, who Wednesday morning met with fruit and vegetable brokers in Houston's produce market, planned to be up at 4 a.m. today to visit three daybreak police musters in the Southeast Texas city.

BRISCOE BID
Prior to making the police musters, Briscoe said "We must make it absolutely clear lawlessness won't be tolerated in this state."

At a tamale luncheon in his Austin headquarters, former Attorney Gen. Waggoner Carr conferred with his Mexican-American leaders and said that "various polls," which he did not name, show that he and Don Yarborough had more than 50 per cent of the Democratic primary vote between them for nomination as governor.

Yarborough, speaking at McKinney, promised, that if elected, he would establish regional offices over the state so as to bring the governor's office "closer to the people." He said members of his staff would man the office and that he would visit each office at least once a month.

Eugene Locke, who resigned as deputy ambassador to Vietnam to seek the Democratic nomination for governor, said in San Antonio he has urged the state Democratic executive committee to stand strongly behind President Johnson for renomination as leader of the Democratic Party.

Locke said that he "had received information" that U.S. Sen. Robert Kennedy, D-N.Y., "thinks the time is opportune to oppose President Johnson for the nomination."

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BETTING PROPOSED
A group of 100 leading churchmen, educators, business leaders and athletes announced the formation of the Anti-crime Council of Texas (ACT) whose immediate goal will be the defeat of the pari-mutuel betting proposal.

In its initial statement, the organization said "Where gambling is legal, especially pari-mutuel wagering, organized crime follows. Legalized gambling is the key to the development of any state as a vice market. We cannot allow the future of our state to be undermined in such a way. We must make this abundantly clear to those who make our laws."

CRISS-CROSSING
Meanwhile the candidates, criss-crossing the state, were predicting victory, criticizing their opponents and taking part in tamale luncheons, coffees and fish fries.

Preston Smith, the incumbent lieutenant governor who is seeking the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, predicted at a fish fry and rally near Henderson that he will win the post.

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The re-enactment of a ceremony that began in ancient Egypt over 40 centuries ago will be the highlight of a Rosicrucian conclave to be held in Midland Sunday at 3 p.m. in the panel room of the First National Bank.

The order is a nonreligious but philosophical fraternity. This will be the first such ceremony held in the Permian Basin Chapter since it was formed in April, 1967.

New officers to be installed March 21 include Rea Thomas, Midland, master; Mrs. H. D. Richmond, Big Spring, secretary; Raul Mosqueda, Odessa, guardian.

Please Don't Gun Down Foreign Aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Johnson administration has appealed to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee not to underline its majority position against Vietnam war policy by slashing the \$3 billion foreign-aid bill.

"Don't shoot the innocent bystander," said William S. Gaud, chief of the Agency for International Development, at a committee hearing Wednesday.

But Sen. George D. Aiken, R-Vt., who opposes the war, told Gaud Congress must weigh all money requests in light of the war's financial impact.

And another war policy critic, Sen. Wayne Morse, D-Ore., said: "We've got to resolve our difficulties in Vietnam before I think we can go ahead with what I hope will be to enlarge the foreign-aid program eventually."

\$3 BILLION PLEA
The \$3 billion being sought is \$600 million more than the current appropriation, which is the lowest in the 20-year history of the foreign-aid program.

Gaud's difficulties with the committee came as the Gallup Poll was reporting that 69 per cent of 1,504 persons interviewed favor a gradual withdrawal of U.S. troops from South Vietnam and replacing them with South Vietnamese troops as soon as they can be drafted and trained.

When a similar proposal was being discussed in December, 1966, it won approval from 35 per cent of those polled.

Secretary of State Dean Rusk, who defended the present course of the war before the Foreign Relations Committee in nationally televised and broadcast hearings earlier this week, was appearing ostensibly in support of the foreign-aid program.

He told the committee that "some say we should postpone or eliminate foreign aid because of the cost of our efforts to help defend freedom in Southeast Asia" but didn't mention names.

PART OF WAR
Chairman J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., responded that "the aid program, of course, is intimately a part of the effort in Vietnam."

Fulbright ran into criticism from two House members in the wake of the hearings.

Rep. Wayne L. Hays, D-Ohio, asserted that despite Fulbright's demand the Senate be consulted in advance of new military decisions, "the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and the Senate are not running this country to the mutual exclusion of the House of Representatives and the executive branch."

Hays also quoted Fulbright as complaining the war is halting attacks on domestic problems and then added the Arkansas Democrat recessed the hearings to vote against the civil-rights bill.

Rep. Joe D. Waggoner, D-La., said if Fulbright is correct in contending the war isn't being conducted properly, "he's had a lot to do with it going awry."

Carl Albert said he expected favorable action by Colmer's Rules Committee next week, with the bill advancing to the floor for a vote the following week.

"I hope that at least 75 Republicans will vote for this bill that is so important to the nation," said McCormack, conceding it would take about that many to guarantee passage.

Discussing the open-housing provision of the measure, Illinois Gov. Otto Kerner, a Democrat who headed the President's Commission on Civil Disorders, told a Senate housing subcommittee that "freedom of residence is essential" for all Americans.

The leaders rejected an alternative plan to send the bill to a House-Senate conference for agreement on a compromise version. If their original plan fails, however, the conference approach would still be possible.

The procedure agreed on requires a resolution from the Rules Committee, headed by an arch foe of the bill, Rep. William M. Colmer, D-Miss.

OPEN-HOUSING
"I'm not going to do anything to advance this bill," Colmer said. He also expressed doubt the bill's supporters have enough votes to win passage without some changes.

Militants Escalating Arms Race In Newark

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — Negro and white militants in this city are urging their followers to buy guns for self-defense as a result of last summer's riots.

Each group blames the other for escalating an arms race. Police records reflect some increase in pistol permits in this area, but there is no way to prove this results from the racial situation.

GUNS PROTECTION
"I have continuously stated to people in our community, and I continue to do so now, that they need, and it is their constitutional right, to have a weapon to protect themselves," says Willie Wright, president of the Negro

United Afro-American Association.

"Buy yourself a weapon and bring it home," advises Anthony Imperiale, an ex-Marine sergeant who heads a white neighborhood citizens council.

The two expressed their opinions in interviews.

Wright, a 36-year-old unemployed engineer, said last July's riots proved to Newark's Negroes "that we need to be armed just to protect ourselves."

BURN, SHOOT
"I would not stand aside and watch some of the shootings and killings and some of the violent acts of brutality taking place in my community that took place in this town in July, under any circumstance," he said in his tiny office in the heavily Negro Central Ward.

Wright claimed that most Negroes aren't armed, but that the white community is engaged in an arms race.

Imperiale, 37, who runs a karate school in an Italian section a few miles north of Wright's locale, said he doesn't advocate or condone unnecessary violence.

"I am not telling you to go out and do what the radicals are doing and burn and shoot, but I'm telling you this, that if the law is not permitted to openly arrest these people, if the law cannot control it because the mayor will not make them, then it is time for us, under the Constitution, to defend ourselves to the limit," he said.

Imperiale claims 1,500 supporters of his North Ward Citizens Council. Wright declines to give membership figures, but city leaders feel he speaks for a sizable bloc in this city of 400,000 which is 50 per cent Negro.

NO COMMENT
Authorities have made no public comment on the activities of the rival groups. Nor do they offer any explanations for records which show that the number of handgun permits issued in Newark and its suburbs rose from 250 in 1966 to 522 in 1967.

Statewide, the number of pistol permits under New Jersey's two-year-old gun control law

rose from 5,115 in 1966 to 8,254 in 1967. The number of identification cards for rifles and shotguns, however, showed a slight decrease, both statewide and in the Newark area.

Police Director Dominic Spina, in response to an AP inquiry, said through a spokesman he "deplores the fact that any group is arming."

"A great deal of the fault lies in the fact that racists and extremists on both sides are permitted by the U.S. attorney general and that state and other local prosecuting agencies have not established firm lines against racist threats and against incitements."

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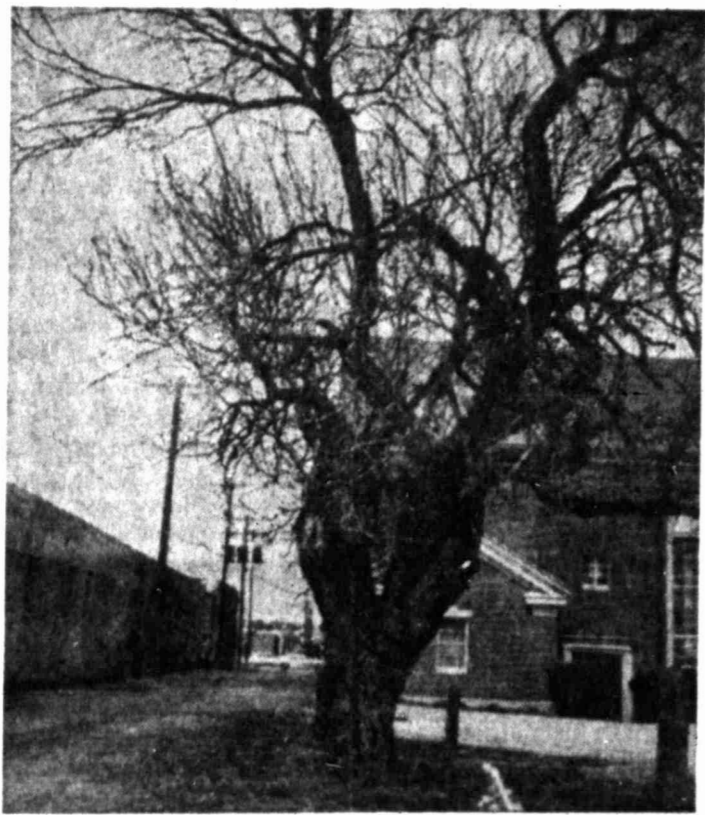
Best Stick With Reliable Mesquite, It Ain't Here

DEAR BOSS: You have four choices in the matter of deciding whether or not Spring has sprung, Boss. There's the trouble that the groundhog set in action last Feb. 2. According to the legends, six weeks of bad weather was to follow if the groundhog saw his shadow when he emerged from his den at dawn Feb. 2. He sure as heck saw his shadow, Boss. The sun was as bright as all-get-out. And, to give the beastie his due, he called the shot, Boss, it's been anything but springy since Feb. 2. Look at the rain, the cold, the snow—gosh, Boss, just look at the snow!

Anyway, the 42 day interval peters out Friday, Boss. So if you like, you can now go about your horticultural efforts with a clear conscience. All groundhog believers are certain to assure you it is now Spring.

If you are of the scientific bent, though, maybe you want something else to back you up. Like meteorological observation which allege that this year, Spring officially will move onto the local scene next Wednesday (March 20) at 1:08 p.m. This has to do, as you well know, Boss, with the arrival of the vernal equinox. And things like that.

But you may not want to ac-



(Photo by Sam Blackburn)

'SPRING HERE? DON'T BE SILLY'
Mesquite ignores other vernal symbols

cept this as the final word, who will insist that we can't count winter out until we have had something called the "East-

er spell." This is supposed to be a bit of baddish weather which will hit just about the time the womenfolk have donned their new dresses, hats and other finery for the Easter parade. If this is your dish of tea, Boss, you will have to consider winter still with us for nearly a month longer—Easter is April 14, you know.

On the other hand, Boss, if you're with me in this matter, to heck with the groundhog, the meteorologists and the Easter spell advocates.

Come with me out into the pasture and let's look at a gnarled, weatherbeaten old mesquite tree. Let's check its thorny branches for swelling buds and possible blooms.

If we find no buds nor blooms, Boss, regardless of what the groundhog may say, or what the calendars proclaim, or even when Easter may occur, it ain't Spring here in West Texas.

For your information, Boss, I have already made a check of several of my older mesquite friends and there's nary a bud nor bloom.

So stick with your red flannels a little longer, Boss. Spring just ain't here, regardless.

Your frostbitten reporter,
SAM BLACKBURN

Post Office Exams Slated

Examinations for the postmaster's job at Forsan and for a route carrier on Rural Route 1 out of Big Spring will be held Saturday, March 23, the applicants have been notified.

There are five applicants for the Forsan post office job. This examination will be at 8:30 a.m. March 23, probably at the Big Spring Post Office.

Fifty-five persons will show up for the examination for the rural route job and this examination is set for 1 p.m. at Big Spring High School.

The job at Forsan became available when the postmistress retired after more than 30 years service. The office pays \$6,482 per year.

The rural route post was originally for Route 2 which was left vacant when the woman who had established the route retired due to ill health. Buford Hull, who had been Rural Route 1 carrier, preferred Route 2 to the one he had, and, by virtue of his seniority, claimed the job. This then shifted the vacancy to Rural Route 2.

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Bridge Test

—CHARLES H. GOREN

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East-West vulnerable. West deals.

NORTH
♠ K 9 5
♥ 4 3
♦ K Q J 5 4
♣ A J 8

WEST **EAST**
♠ J 10 ♠ A Q 8 6 4
♥ 8 2 ♥ K 7
♦ 10 8 7 2 ♦ 9 6 3
♣ Q 9 5 4 3 ♣ K 10 2

SOUTH
♠ 7 3 2
♥ A Q J 10 8 6 5
♦ A
♣ 7 6

The bidding:
West North East South
Pass 1♦ 1♠ 2♥
Pass 2NT Pass 4♥
Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Jack of ♠
When the defense failed to capitalize on a roadblock that had been placed in declarer's path by Mother Nature, the latter recorded a game on the score sheet.

West opened the jack of spades against South's four heart contract and when it held the first trick, he continued with the ten. East overtook with the queen and cashed the ace on which West discarded the deuce of diamonds.

After lengthy deliberation, East continued with a fourth round of spades. He reasoned that if his partner held as many as three hearts headed by the ten, the spade play would promote a trump trick for the defense.

South ruffed in with the ten of hearts; however, cashed the ace of diamonds and crossed over to the ace of

Twenty-One Girls To Vie For Crown

STANTON (SC) — Twenty-one girls will vie Friday night in the annual Lions Club beauty pageant for the chance to represent the local club at the Brownwood Lions Club pageant, April 5. The pageant will be held at the high school auditorium at 8 p.m.

Entrants will be judged on beauty, poise and personality. Girls competing and their sponsors are Nancy Hursh, Lions Club; Melrae Angel, Rotary Club; Linda Henley, Precipitor Mu; Neatu Ferguson, Xi Epsilon; Doris Howard, Rho Xi; Jane Hodges, Mu Lambda; Connie Henley, Xi Theta Nu; Shelia Manning, Study Club; Cathy Hazlewood, Stanton Music Club; Rhonda Reid, Stanton Home Demonstration Club; Rita Jones, Courtney Morning Home Demonstration Club.

Also, Paula Standefer, Valleyview Home Demonstration Club; Brenda Hopper, Lakeview Home

Chief Flunks Test

COHOES, N.Y. (AP)—Police Lt. Michael F. Robich and Alphonse Gorski were informed by the city's Civil Service Commission that they had passed the New York State police chief exams. However Police Chief John F. Kielb failed the test.

clubs to discard his remaining club on the king of diamonds. A heart finesse was taken and when the king dropped under the ace on the next round, declarer claimed the rest of the tricks.

In the post-mortem discussion, it was observed that a club shift by East at trick four would have defeated the contract. West will put up the queen of clubs to dislodge dummy's ace before South is able to unlock the ace of diamonds, and the latter is unable to obtain a discard for his losing club.

East contended that West should have discarded the nine of clubs on the third round of spades to suggest that he had an honor in that suit, in which case the club shift would have become more clearly indicated.

West countered by pointing out that his actual discard of the deuce of diamonds revealed that he did not have the ace of that suit and, therefore, East should lead a club regardless, for unless West holds the queen the defense will be unable to win a trick in the suit.

It was observed that West could have assisted his partner by trumping the third round of spades in order to lead a club himself. This might not have worked out well, however, if South has the missing honors in clubs and East the ace of diamonds. In any case, East's course of action appears to be clearly marked out at trick four—for he can hardly lose by shifting to a club.

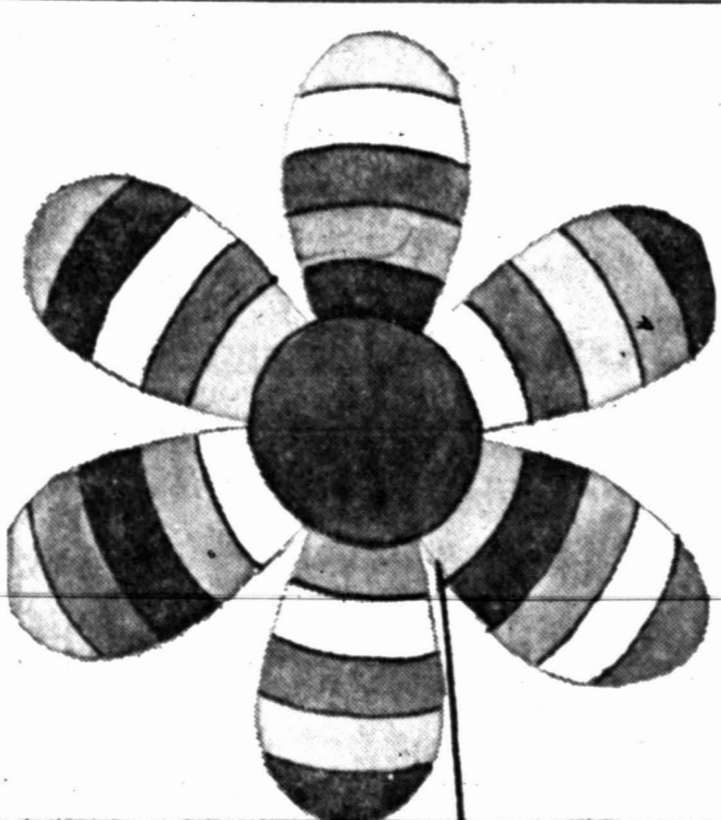
Webb Security Policeman Cited

A Webb Security Policeman, Airman James E. Kibat, has been honored as the Air Base Group Airman of the Month for February.

Capt. Walter Bonner cited Airman Kibat for his "outstanding job knowledge and performance." This advanced knowledge allows him to be dispatched to investigate incidents usually handled by more experienced personnel, the captain added.

Air Base Group's Airman of the Month is currently on on-the-job training and is considered to be in the top 10 per cent of his group. He intends to enroll in available college courses in the near future. Active in squadron activities, Airman Kibat participates in the group's sports program whenever possible.

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