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## Polar Air Cuts Across State

**By The Associated Press**  
Some of the bitterest weather so far this season drove the mercury down close to zero in the Texas Panhandle today as a mass of polar air knifed all the way to the Upper Texas Coast.  
The mercury skidded to four degrees above zero at Dalhart, five at Perryton and eight at Amarillo before a frigid sunrise.  
At that hour the forward edge of the arctic cold front looped from the upper coast region

### COLDEST DAY

## Mercury Dips To 18 Degrees

Friday morning scored as the coldest day of the current year with the mercury at 18 degrees at 8 a.m.  
Forewarned by the weather bureau that the temperature would drop to the lower 20's Thursday night, most Big Springers were expecting chilly conditions. Many shrubs and trees were beginning to bud due to the extremely mild weather of December and January. Whether these were damaged by the cold remains to be seen.  
The U.S. Experiment Station reported that the temperature touched 18 degrees at 7:45 a.m. It held that low level until a few minutes past 8 a.m. However, for a considerable time prior to the low reading, the weather had been below freezing and it is likely this interval will do whatever killing that the cold may have caused. At mid-morning it was around 25 degrees.  
There have been six nights so far in January when the temperature was freezing or below.  
The coldest night of the month, until Friday, was Jan. 11, when the mercury dropped to 20 degrees briefly.  
The high reading Thursday was a balmy 70 degrees.

### Tiny Tim Mobbed

DALLAS (AP) — A record shop expected no more than 200 at an autograph party for sweet singing Tiny Tim because, as a clerk said, "his records just aren't moving that well."  
Shortly after his arrival, however, police estimated 5,000 young people surged through the big covered mall of the North Park shopping center and tried to jam into the store.  
Employees were pinned to the walls and one was knocked to the floor as police tried to restore order. Tiny Tim couldn't shake a hand, sign an autograph or say a word audible to his fans.  
Finally the guards struggled through the crowd with him and the disheveled singer departed in an unmarked police car. Behind he left his orange, green and brown tie, firmly clutched by a young female admirer.

## Oil Allowable Is Cut Back

AUSTIN (AP) — The Railroad Commission set the February oil allowable Friday at 42.8 per cent of potential, down from January's 43.7 per cent.  
The commission held its statewide hearing Jan. 16 but postponed setting the allowable "in order to have additional time to evaluate the effect of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union strike on the refineries as well as other segments of the oil industry."  
"Since the Jan. 16 hearing, Cities Service Oil Co. has requested that the 35,000 barrels daily reduction in their written nominations made from the floor be restored," the commission said.  
"No other amendments to the crude oil nominations have been received, and the settlement of the strike is apparently progressing satisfactorily. Therefore the commission is setting the market demand factor for February at 42.8 per cent, which is calculated to yield the amended nominations of 2,092,533 barrels daily," the commission said.

### Aid To Biafrans

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon today ordered a comprehensive and urgent review of U.S. relief efforts for starving people trapped in the Nigerian Civil war.  
White House press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler said Nixon "fully shares the deep humanitarian concerns expressed" by a resolution introduced in the Senate.

### In Today's HERALD 'Civilian GI Bill'

Republican Rep. Ogden R. Reid says he will introduce a "civilian GI bill" to enable needy students to go to college. See Page 1-B.

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## CONTINUED COLD

Cold wave warnings continue through tonight; cloudy and cold tonight; clear to partly cloudy and a little warmer Saturday. High today mid-upper 30's; low tonight mid-upper teens; high Saturday upper 40's.

## Irrigation Bills Put In Hopper

toward Laredo and back to the northwest, falling short of El Paso.

**SULTRY**  
Meanwhile it was still sultry farther south, with dense fog along the coast and 50 to 75 miles inland in early morning but disappearing quickly as the chilled air arrived.

Deep in South Texas where some of the worst fogging occurred, a two-car crash at a farm road intersection eight miles north of Kingsville took four lives Thursday night. The collision killed Agnes Podest, Della Marie Stasney and Virginia Garza, all of Agua Dulce, and Lillie Malik of Robstown.  
Flurries of snow drifted down across much of the Panhandle and dust blew over the South Plains late Thursday. There wasn't enough snow to stick and by early morning the dust-stirring winds subsided into knife-edged breezes.

**FREEZE LEVEL**  
Sharp chilling occurred behind the norther, with temperatures dipping to the freeze level or below over most of the state's northern half.

Temperatures started dropping in the coldest areas as the front pushed into Texas in the forenoon Thursday while it stayed almost summery in the south. The top afternoon temperatures ranged from 14 degrees at Dalhart up to 85 at Beeville and Laredo, the warmest spots in the nation.

Arctic air was expected to envelop all but extreme West Texas by late today. Forecasts called for clear skies in all sections, still colder weather over the southern half of the state tonight and Saturday, and a little warming elsewhere.

**FRIGID MARKS**  
In addition to the frigid marks in the Panhandle, early morning temperatures today included Plainview 12, Childress 14, Lubbock 15, Wichita Falls 16, Abilene, Sherman and Denison 19, Mineral Wells 20, Big Spring and Fort Worth 21, Dallas and Midland 22, San Angelo 25, Waco and Wink 27, Tyler 28 and Killean and Texarkana 29.  
Outside the freeze belt the pre-dawn marks ranged up to 63 at Corpus Christi, 64 at Laredo, 65 at Alice, 68 at McAllen and 70 at Brownsville.

### Ray May Prevent Decay Of Teeth

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — A painless ray from a laser beam may soon prevent tooth decay, a researcher says.

Dr. Fred M. Johnson of Electro-Optical Systems, a division of Xerox in Pasadena, Calif., said Thursday night such an instrument may be ready for dentists' offices by 1971.

The technique, called laser glazing, relies on the pinpoint accuracy and near instantaneous heat of the narrow and intense laser light beam. When a special sodium chemical solution is applied to the teeth, the laser beam permanently fuses or seals the tooth's enamel outer covering, Johnson said.

The hardening of the enamel prevents food chemicals from entering and decaying the teeth, Johnson told the American Nuclear Society Branch in Las Vegas.

### ENFORCE ANTIRALLY RULE

## Police Arrest Over 400 After Warnings

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Police, enforcing an antirally rule, arrested more than 400 persons Thursday at San Francisco State College.  
By midnight, officers at city prison still had not booked all those brought in during a three-hour relay of nine police vans. Many were out on bail on their own recognizance a few hours later.

**BIGGEST HALL**  
It was the biggest haul since a student strike, spearheaded by about 200 dissidents and supported by 250 striking teachers, began Nov. 6 at the 18,000 student campus.  
About 300 policemen moved in after the crowd refused to heed warnings to disperse, given over a loudspeaker atop the administration building.  
At a news conference later, Dr. S.I. Hayakawa, a noted semantologist who is acting as the college's seventh president within the past eight years, called the rally "an act of desperation" by militants.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Identical bills to rehabilitate a big West Texas system of irrigation canals were introduced Thursday by Sen. Ralph Yarborough and Rep. Richard C. White, Texas Democrats.

The legislation also calls for expanding the Red Bluff Irrigation Project on the Pecos River, which once afforded a dependable water supply for 22,000 arid acres in Loving, Pecos, Reeves and Ward counties.  
Hope that concrete-lined canals and more efficient irrigation system again would furnish adequate crop water for the four counties was expressed by the authors of the bill.

At one time, 46,000 acres were cultivated in the area and served by the irrigation works. The structures have deteriorated, however, and in some recent drought years no irrigation water has been available.  
White and Yarborough said farmers' use of deep wells beginning during the drought of the 1950s greatly depleted the ground water supply.

Under the bill, the Interior Department should be authorized to repair and replace the existing water works and to acquire additional lands and properties as needed to bring the district in conformity with a 1965 plan of the Reclamation Bureau.

## Liner Drifts Without Power

NEW YORK (AP) — Agents for the Fairs, a Liberian-owned vessel adrift 900 miles off the coast of Panama with 986 passengers, said today the company would have the ship towed to Balboa if it could not continue "on its own steam."

In New York, A. S. Price, general manager of Navcot Corp., the agent, said he had no report on the progress of repairs on the ship's engine, disabled by fire, but that "by the end of the day it may be proceeding on its own steam."

The Coast Guard, however, said the U.S. Air Force Rescue Center at Albrook in the Canal Zone, which has been coordinating rescue efforts, said the ship would be towed to Cristobal by a New Orleans salvage firm.

## Nixon Withdraws 155 Nominations

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon has withdrawn 155 nominations—including two ambassadors, five judges and dozens of postmasters—submitted to the Senate by Lyndon Johnson in the last days of his administration.

**REVIEW THEM**  
Press Secretary Ronald L. Ziegler said Nixon wants a chance to review them all case-

by-case "without prejudice."  
"There is a possibility," Ziegler said, "some will be renominated."

The nominees for ambassador are Robert W. Komer, former head of the Vietnam pacification program, whom Johnson named envoy to Turkey, and Albert W. Shorer Jr., a career foreign service officer who had been slated to go to Equatorial Guinea.

The five judges had been named to U.S. district courts in California, Washington, D.C., and Guam.  
Ziegler was quick to point out that President Kennedy had withdrawn 1,243 Eisenhower postmaster nominations when he took office. But Ziegler said he did not know how many nominations had been submitted or subsequently reinstated.

**LAW AGENCY**  
The action also affected three men Johnson had named to the Law Enforcement Assistance Agency, created last year to help local police in the fight against crime. They are administrator Patrick V. Murphy, former director of public safety in the nation's capital, and associate administrators Ralph G. H. Siu of Hawaii and Wesley A. Pomeroy of California.

**CHASED**  
In a flurry of excitement before the mass arrests, some of the students who oppose the strike were chased across campus by demonstrators as the pro-administration students tried to restore an American flag which had been cut down from a flagpole.

# Viet Peace Talks Resume Saturday



### Lodge Welcomes Ky

Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge, left, head of the U.S. delegation to the Paris Peace talks, greets Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky of South Vietnam and Ky's wife as they arrive from

Saigon in Paris today. Ky will be in charge of over-all supervision of the South Vietnamese delegation at the renewed peace talks open Saturday.

## Abernathy Backs Support For Ray

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — A top aide to slain civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. has paid a jail cell visit to James Earl Ray, King's accused killer, and says he will aid in Ray's defense. The move was backed by the Rev. Ralph David Abernathy, King's successor as head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

"Brother Ray has asked me to defend him and I intend to do it," the Rev. James Beel told a meeting of about 50 ministers Thursday night after his jail visit. Beel said last week he was convinced Ray was innocent in the slaying of King here last April 4.

In Atlanta, Abernathy said he viewed Beel's action as a way of moving "nonviolence into a new dimension in American life." The SCLC leader added, "Rev. Beel is speaking to the real issue—namely that it is not who killed Dr. King, but what killed him."

Beel visited with Ray in the top-security cell on the third floor of the Shelby County Jail, accompanied by Ray's attorney, Percy Foreman of Houston, Tex.

Sheriff William N. Morris Jr. said Beel and Foreman were with Ray for one hour. Later Beel discussed the case in general terms with the ministers who had been attending the general board meeting here of the National Council of Churches.

Beel said he was convinced of Ray's innocence before he met with him "and I am now even more convinced that Ray was about as capable of killing King as I am of flying to the moon."

In answer to a question, the bearded, balding Beel said he had been accepted by Ray to assist in the case and that Foreman would remain as chief counsel. Beel, 32, is not a member of the bar but says he is a lawyer "by circumstances."

At the meeting here, Beel declared, "We are going to defend Ray. But we're not going to find out who's guilty. You'll say 'Who did it?' You go find out—you're a cop. I'm a prophet."

**LASHED OUT**  
During the session Beel lashed out at nearly everyone connected with the Ray trial, the ministers and Negroes and whites in general.  
"America is going to have a good lynching party—the judges and the preachers," he said. "Black folks are so intent on revenge that they are going to sleep through a lynching of a deranged man. White folks are going to stand by."

**SHUFFLE FINANCES**  
Austin said today state finances would be reshuffled next week to provide more money at once for dependent children payments, junior colleges, the governor's office and legislative expenses.

"This could be done by an executive order (from the governor) but I see no need of this while the legislature is in session," Smith told his first formal news conference as governor.

**TAG IT**  
"It will just be an appropriations bill but if necessary I will put an emergency tag on it," Smith said he did not mention the immediate money needs in his talk to the legislature Thursday because "I was not aware of any shortage of funds in the Department of Public Welfare at that time."

The decision was made, he said, at a conference late Thursday with Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and other state officials. He said it merely involved transferring money from one fund to another

without any new appropriations. The governor said the Department of Public Welfare asked for \$350,000 to postpone for about two months a planned cut in aid for dependent children from a maximum of \$125 to \$83 a month. The maximum payments previously were decreased about \$12 in August. Public welfare officials say the list of those receiving such aid is growing by about 3,000 monthly, mainly because of a Supreme Court order that says payments must be made even if a wage-earning male is in the home.

Smith said state junior colleges need about \$300,000 in added state aid to cover unexpected large enrollments.

The governor said the amounts needed by his office and by the legislature has not yet been determined.

"I just don't have that information now," he said, "but I expect to have it by Monday."  
Answering other questions, Smith said it likely would be

PARIS (AP)—South Vietnam's Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky returned today to supervise his government's delegation to the Vietnam peace talks and said the Saigon regime is "sincere and ready in the hope of achieving a just and lasting peace."

### PEACE

"Peace can be restored as soon as the Communists abandon their scheme of expansion by force," the Saigon leader told newsmen.

Ky and his attractive wife were welcome at Orly airport by ranking members of the U.S. and Saigon delegations, including the man Ky once told intimates he regarded as a father, Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge.

Ky was premier of South Vietnam at the time of Lodge's second tour as ambassador in Saigon in 1967. The two were on the best of terms, with Lodge often counseling Ky. Lodge this week replaced W. Averell Harriman as chief of the U.S. delegation to the talks.

### SUPERVISION

The South Vietnamese vice president will exercise over-all supervision of his delegation but will not sit at the conference table as a negotiator.

The first substantive meetings of the Vietnam talks open Saturday morning at the International Conference Center.

"I am happy with the progress," Ky said in his statement. "Once more I wish to affirm that the Republic of Vietnam is sincere and ready in the hope of achieving a just and lasting peace and of ending the war."

"I hope that the people on the other side will show the same good will. Peace can be restored as soon as the Communists abandon their scheme of expansion by force. The Vietnamese people fervently hope for peace—but they are absolutely opposed to Communist domination. We cannot be conquered by force. I wish good success to the talks."

### OPTIMISTIC

Asked whether he was hopeful of the outcome, Ky said, "As an aviator I am always optimistic. Given the maximum chance and good will the talks in Paris will be successful."

He said the South Vietnamese government is planning to "assume full responsibility in the military field" and is studying plans to increase the government's forces in 1969 to replace foreign troops progressively.

The meeting Saturday will be the first attended by full delegations from the United States, North and South Vietnam and the Viet Cong's National Liberation Front.

### NO AGENDA

By a tacit agreement there will be no discussion of an agenda. Instead of wasting time arguing what should be talked about first, each delegation will make a general policy statement, outlining its views on how to end the war.

## Smith To Shuffle Finances To Meet Emergency Needs

two and maybe three weeks before his recommendations on 1970-71 spending are delivered to legislators.

He said he would not make his recommendations on a new tax "until it is determined how much we need to raise."

**LIQUOR**  
Smith said he did not intend to submit the question of liquor by the drink in any future messages to the legislature. It was not mentioned in his Thursday talk although he said he re-endorsed the state Democratic party platform which said Texas voters should be allowed to decide if the constitution is changed to legalize mixed drinks.

"I've never been opposed to letting the people decide," Smith said. "I'll just let my message (Thursday) speak for itself."  
Smith said he believed the present legislature will, "and should," pass some sort of minimum wage bill.

# Medical Evacuation Copter Shot Down

SAIGON (AP) — The U.S. Command announced today a medical evacuation helicopter was shot down in the central highlands killing seven and bringing the war's total of choppers lost in combat to 999.

The command also belatedly announced that a helicopter shot down Jan. 15 south of Da Nang killed Col. Michael M. Spark, 41, Alexandria, Va., commander of the 3rd Marine Division's 3rd Regiment. Six others, including a Marine officer, died with him in the flaming crash. Spark was the first Marine regimental commander killed in Vietnam.

**CRITICAL PERIOD**

The medical evacuation helicopter was downed Thursday in the central highlands 23 miles northwest of Pleiku. Three wounded Americans and four

crewmembers were killed. The command said it was clearly marked with red crosses.

In addition to the number of helicopters lost in combat, the U.S. Command said 1,316 others have been lost since Jan. 1, 1961, due to mechanical failure, enemy barrages that caught them on the ground and other causes.

Meanwhile, U.S. military analysts said from now until mid-February is a critical period in the Vietnam war because of the peace talks in Paris and the new administration in Washington.

These experts do not see any imminent threat to Saigon. Instead they anticipate enemy attacks on the three provinces along the Cambodian border northwest to northeast of the capital—Tay Ninh, Binh Long and Phuoc Long.

The analysts said intelligence reports indicate the Communist command plans to increase operations in an attempt to give the negotiators from Hanoi and the Viet Cong greater leverage in Paris and to put pressure on the Nixon administration while it is still shaking down.

# 250 Student Rebs Surprise Police

PARIS (AP) — Some 250 student rebels withdrew quietly during the night from France's newest university after police battled other rebellion students for five hours in the Latin Quarter of Paris.

Despite the crackdown in the capital, the riot police just watched at suburban Vincennes University, a leafy model campus where students took over the administration building and communications facilities. Window curtains were set on fire in one meeting room but the damage was not serious. The last holdouts withdrew quietly about 4 a.m.

The country's largest undergraduate group, UNEF, or the National Student Organization,

appealed for students "to multiply the mass mobilization and occupy buildings or begin strikes according to the local situation."

Teachers at one Paris high school, the Lycee Michelet, decided to stay away from their desks to protest police invasion of the school two days ago.

Only quick intervention by the dean of liberal arts at the University of Paris, Raymond Las Vergnas, defused an explosive situation at the Sorbonne Thursday.

Students who occupied the rector's office and made it a shambles had been removed from the building when another group appeared to seize Las Vergnas.

# Foot-And-Mouth Disease May Aid Cancer Experts

WASHINGTON (AP) — A discovery by two Agriculture Department scientists of how the foot-and-mouth disease virus keeps living cells from producing protein could aid cancer research, the department says.

The researchers found that infected cells could not produce protein because the virus inhibited the cells' ability to modify ribonucleic acid (RNA).

Under normal conditions the modification process—called methylation—allows a cell to assume a shape or structure necessary for the production of protein.

The scientists now are trying to determine exactly how the disease virus interferes with the methylation process. Department officials said if this can be accomplished, a method of reversing the virus' control over

the process might be possible which could eliminate the disease's ability to infect cells.

The discovery was made by Dr. George F. Vande Woude and Dr. Richard Ascione, biochemists employed by the department's Agricultural Research Service at Plum Island Animal Disease Laboratory situated offshore from Greenport, N.Y.

The two were investigating foot-and-mouth disease, a major threat to the world's livestock. There has been no outbreak of the disease in the United States for more than 30 years.

The department said Vande Woude and Ascione believe their findings "may eventually find application in the study of cancer."



They're 70 But Feel 40

Elderly participants in a University of Southern California research study on the effects of exercise follow a young project director from the school during one of their three-weekly routines. After a year of tests, the school reports the group studied shows improvement in cardiac output, blood pressure, and enthusiasm, and a decrease of nervous tension.

# SIXTY YEARS AFTER OBLIVION Steam-Powered Autos Puffing Up Comeback

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sixty years after it chugged off into oblivion, the steam-powered automobile may be tuning up for a comeback.

If the country gets really serious about licking air pollution, says Resources for the Future, Inc., it might take a look at modern-day versions of the Stanley Steamer, the White and the Locomobile.

From all standpoints of technology, "an acceptable steam-powered automobile could be put on the roads in a very few years," said a special study published in RFF's annual report.

Electric autos also would help the smog problem, the report said, but would need "a decade or so" of development to become high performance vehicles matching gasoline-fueled internal combustion engines.

The steam car, by contrast, could quite rapidly be developed into a fully-powered, long range vehicle equivalent to today's ordinary motor cars in response acceleration, power and fuel economy.

Unlike its ancestors of the early 1900s, the new steamer would have no heavy, dangerous boiler, could make a cold start in 30 seconds, and wouldn't have to stop every half-hour to take on water.

The savings would more than offset the extra weight of the steam or vapor generator and its controls, Ayres said.

Any hydrocarbon distillate would result in more complete burning and, even without controls, far fewer air pollutants. There would be no stringent requirements for octane ratings or need for adding tetraethyl lead—and thus no blowing into the atmosphere of vast quantities of fine lead particles hazardous to health.

The study said that interest in the steam powered car has never died out, and in new hand-crafted models the most serious shortcomings of the old steamers are now overcome.

Instead of a massive tea kettle-type boiler it would have a monobloc steam generator containing only a small amount of water. Water consumption might amount to a gallon every thousand miles.

There would be no starter motor, carburetor or fuel injection, no engine-block cooling system, no distributor, no muffler, no elaborate air pollution control system and only one spark plug.

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# Two Texans Axed By White House

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nominations of two Texans for federal offices were withdrawn by the White House Thursday. The nominations had been made by President Lyndon B. Johnson during his last month in office.

The two Texans were Harold Barefoot Sanders Jr. of Dallas, a former White House aide who was to be U.S. Appeals Court judge of the District of Columbia and Hector Garcia of Corpus Christi, who had been named to the Commission on Civil Rights.

## Additional Money

DALLAS (AP)—The British General Post Office, which purchased \$2.5 million in optical reading and sorting equipment in 1967 from Recognition Equipment, Ltd., has exercised an option to buy another \$2.6 million. The British firm is a subsidiary of Recognition Equipment, Inc., of Dallas.

# Bridge Test

—CHARLES H. GOREN

BY CHARLES H. GOREN  
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Both vulnerable. West deals.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ K 9 6  
 ♦ A 7 5  
 ♣ A 10 9 7 5 3

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

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ Q 9 2  
 ♥ A 8 7 5 3  
 ♦ Q J 8 4  
 ♣ 2

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

Opening lead: King of ♠  
 A slight error in timing led to South's downfall in his four heart contract.

South's two heart bid, after North's overcall of two clubs, was perhaps somewhat open to question inasmuch as the holding suggested a possible misfit. North was pleased to have another opportunity to speak, however, and he proceeded directly to game in hearts.

West opened the king of spades; and, observing the singleton in dummy, he chose to shift to the king of clubs. The ace was put up by North and a club was ruffed in the closed hand.

The dummy was reentered by trumping a spade and

another club was ruffed. When the suit divided evenly and the queen fell, North's remaining clubs became established. South ruffed his last spade, cashed the king of hearts and led a club. East and South both discarded diamonds and West ruffed with the ten of hearts.

West led back a diamond, the five was played from dummy and East won the trick with the king. South ruffed the spade return and cashed the ace of hearts. When the two outstanding trumps did not divide evenly, declarer was obliged to concede the setting trick to East's queen of hearts.

South could have averted defeat on the deal by preventing his opponents from scoring their trumps separately. When the second club ruff establishes dummy's suit, declarer should refrain from trumping out his last spade in favor of cashing both high hearts instead of merely the king.

If South first plays the ace of hearts and then leads over to the king, then only the queen remains outstanding. Now when a high club is led from dummy, declarer discards the queen of spades. East can ruff in whenever he likes; however, South is able to obtain two more sluffs subsequently on North's remaining clubs by crossing over to the ace of diamonds. In all, he loses one spade, one heart, and one diamond.

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# Lamesa To Host District Lions

LAMESA (SC) — Some 200 Lions of District 2-T2 Lions International are expected to participate in the district's annual mid-winter conference here Saturday and Sunday.

District governor Don Taylor, Plainview, will preside at a meeting of cabinet officers beginning at 3:30 p.m. Saturday. A dinner for cabinet members and their ladies will be given for 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Forrest Community Center.

Lions from throughout the district will convene for a 9 a.m. Sunday business session at the Lamesa High School cafeteria. Registration and coffee start at 8:30 a.m.

her short, but widely acclaimed "Youth in America" speech. Training sessions for officers will also be held.

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# Nixon Pulling Back LBJ's Nominations

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon hopes to start sending "a significant legislative program" to Congress within several weeks, according to the President's newly named chief White House staff member.

The statement from Arthur F. Burns gave added substance to other indications that Nixon intends to present the Democratic 91st Congress with an ambitious legislative program as soon as possible, perhaps by March.

Burns, an economist and "longtime friend and trusted advisor" was named by Nixon Thursday as counselor to the President with cabinet rank, the only White House staff member with that status.

### SPECIAL MESSAGES

Burns, whose chief responsibility will be development of

domestic policies and programs, said he already has submitted two reports to Nixon on potential legislative proposals or executive actions.

A decision yet to be reached is how and exactly when Nixon will make his legislative proposals. If the President decides on a special State of the Union message it probably will come within 30 or 40 days, Burns said.

The alternative would be a series of special messages.

The other indications that Nixon wants to get his proposals to Congress as soon as possible included his creation of nine special panels within the Council of Urban Affairs to submit recommendations on what he called "near term" issues requiring quick action.

In addition, Budget Director Robert P. Mayo has disclosed

that the President will send to Congress recommended changes in the \$195.3 billion budget submitted by former President Johnson.

Another likely proposal will be a recommendation for at least a partial dismantling of the Office of Economic Opportunity, the agency chiefly responsible for the War on Poverty.

Nixon has also advised the Senate that he is pulling back all the nominations made by President Johnson at the end of his term and still pending. These include two ambassadors, five judges, 141 postmasters and several other federal appointments.

## Oilman Chairs Baylor Board

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston oilman L. F. McCollum has been named chairman of the board of trustees of the new Baylor College of Medicine.

McCollum, chairman of the board of the Continental Oil Co., was elected Thursday at the board's first meeting. At the same time Dr. Michael E. DeBakey, internationally known heart surgeon, was given the new title of president and chief executive officer. He had been serving as vice president for medical affairs.

Herbert J. Frenley, president of Brown & Root Inc., was elected vice chairman of the board. A. Frank Smith, Houston attorney, was named secretary.

Baylor recently severed its formal ties with the Baptist General Convention of Texas and Baylor University and now operates as a private corporation.

## Claims Oil Strike Will Get Tougher

DENVER, Colo. (AP) — Officials of the striking Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers Union said today about two-thirds of the union's 60,000 members were still off the job as the nationwide walkout entered its 20th day.

Settlements with the country's major oil firms remained slow in coming, the Denver-based union said, although a local in San Francisco ratified "overwhelmingly" a contract offer. Some of the nation's largest oil companies, including Texaco, Standard of California and Sinclair have not yet come to terms with the union.

In San Francisco, the 750 workers at a Phillips Petroleum plant ratified a two-year contract offer, calling for 69.5 cents an hour in wage and fringe benefit increases. But in tiny Laur-

el, Mont., contract talks broke down between a union local and the Farmers Union Central Exchange refinery.

A union spokesman in Denver said the "oil industry is very stubborn" in some cases regarding contract talks. The union called a nationwide strike Jan. 4 after negotiations reached an impasse. Since the first settlement announcement on Jan. 12, about one-third of the union membership has gone back to work.

"This strike is going to get tougher all the time," said international president A. F. Grosper Thursday. "We're going to hammer harder than ever at those companies which want to try to chisel us."

### Hot Check Fines

DALLAS (AP)—Fines levied against hot check writers in Dallas were twice as great in 1968 as the previous year.

Fines increased from \$17,098 to \$37,181 but jail time fell sharply. Money recovered in 1967 for the complainants was \$600,000 and in 1968 \$476,059.

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## Muskie Insists Democrats Should Serve As Watchdogs

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Sen. Edmund S. Muskie, D-Maine, says both Democrats and Republicans should give President Nixon's proposals "the kind of responsible thought that they are entitled to."

Muskie, last year's Democratic vice presidential candidate, addressed the Congressional Club of Rep. Jim Wright, a Fort Worth Democrat.

He told the group, "For four years we don't have to defend our policies, we can be critics."

Muskie said that while Democrats are out of the presidential office for four years they should serve as watchdogs on the nation's policies.

### 1972 RACE

His appearance here capped two days in Texas of launching a coast to coast speaking tour aimed at enhancing his prospects for being a presidential candidate in 1972.

The senator from Maine planned to fly today in the F111 warplane, the swing wing supersonic jet that has been a topic of controversy since its inception in the early 1960s as a special project of former Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara. The F111 is built in Fort Worth by General Dynamics Corp.

Muskie told the club that the only way to achieve national fulfillment is in the fulfillment of each American citizen.

"One of the most important ways in which we can contribute to that fulfillment is through political action," he said.

"The 1968 election, from the turmoil of the primaries to the final days of the campaign, underscored the yearning many Americans have to play a more meaningful role in our political processes."

He urged his bipartisan audience of several hundred persons who back Wright to stimulate and encourage others to join into

political activity in "broadening the bases of our parties and in getting more of your fellow citizens into the business of running state and local government."

He added, "For the answer to bigness is not fragmentation, but increased strength in the institutions close to the people."

### CONFIDENCE

"We cannot condone violence he added. "Neither can we afford to be deaf and unresponsive to the voices of those who are crying out for justice, equality, opportunity, a piece of the action."

Speaking of the risk Americans must take if they are to achieve equality for all their citizens, he said, "we must recognize that in so doing, we may not receive a friendly response, but this cannot discourage us from trying again."

He said, "What distinguishes our times is the complexity and interdependence of our society, and the speed with which television, transmits every confrontation into homes across the country. We are seeing ourselves at a closer range than ever before and our blemishes disturb us."

Muskie said American failures and weaknesses existed previously but they weren't so obvious.

"Because they are obvious today, they weigh heavily on our consciences and they are a

source of frustration, misunderstanding and passion.

"The problem we face cannot be resolved quickly. But without confidence in one another's goodwill, we will not be able to solve them at all.

"Confidence is fragile. It can flourish only when reason subdues passion—when communication overcomes the walls of anger and fear."

### UT Planning Bible Course

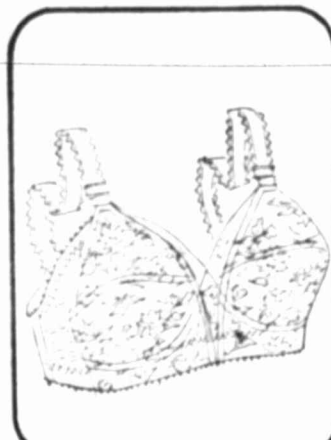
AUSTIN — University of Texas students will be offered a special course for credit during the spring semester on Great Ideas of the Bible: Man, God and Salvation.

The Rev. Charles Palms, chairman of the Association of Religious Teachers, said seven Bible Chair instructors will cooperate in teaching the course. They represent the Protestant, Catholic and Jewish traditions.

"The course is designed to explore some of the fundamental ideas of the Bible in terms of their relevancy in the modern world," the Association of Religious Teachers chairman said. "The ideas of God, man and salvation will be examined in relationship to contemporary thought in the arts and sciences."

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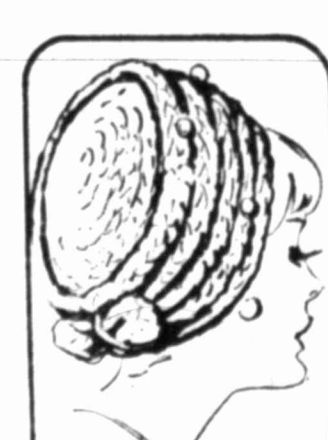


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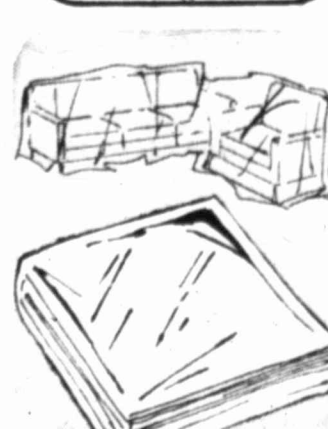


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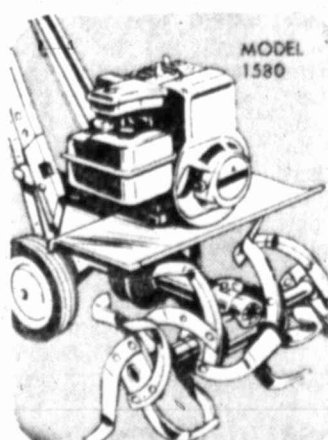
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## A Devotional For The Day

Thou hast put gladness in my heart. (Psalm 4:7)  
PRAYER: Our Father, help us to love and appreciate Thee for what Thou art—a holy, a righteous and loving Father—and for what Thou hast wrought for us on Calvary's cross. Help us to have deeper understanding of the love which embraces the whole world. Grant forgiveness of our sins. In Jesus' name. Amen.

(From the 'Upper Room')

## Conference Reform Still Needed

It is regrettable to read the report from Austin that House Speaker Gus Mutscher is "not quite as enthusiastic" as previously about limiting the House-Senate conference committee on the general appropriation bill to adjusting differences between the bills of the two chambers.

One of the more important reforms achieved last session by then House Speaker Ben Barnes, and with the help of Rep. Mutscher, was to apply sensible controls to this conference committee. Though the Senate at the time opposed the reform, Barnes was able to make it stick. And now, as lieutenant governor presiding in the Senate, Barnes is in a position to gain full Senate cooperation if the new House speaker will remain loyal to the long-needed reform.

The old practice was a travesty on the democratic process where that counted most, in the outlay of tax money for state spending. It worked like this:

The House would pass the general appropriation bill first, usually waiting until late in the session. Then the Senate would pass a version

differing in spending-item details. Both versions would be sent to a conference committee named by the House speaker and lieutenant governor. Its constitutional task was to compromise the Senate-House differences.

However, under the pressure of special-interest lobbyists, friends in both chambers and the desires of their constituencies, the conference committee would go so far as to delete whole measures or add entirely new ones. The committee's report would be sent back for Senate and House approval so late that it usually would have to be accepted intact. The governor could correct some of the worst abuses, but only in a negative manner, by use of his line-item veto.

This practice often defeated the will of the majorities in both houses of the Legislature, and it made unduly powerful legislators of the conferees. We have had quite enough of this glaring weakness in state government and urge Speaker Mutscher and Lt. Gov. Barnes to stand pat this session to end it.

## Patience Is In Order

The counsel of patience is not, generally speaking, one that sets well with Americans. We are a volatile people who tend to want to get things over with, one way or another.

This inclination must be held in check with regard to the war in Vietnam if we are to come out of that searing conflict with a reasonable settlement. We had better heed Ambassador Harriman's advice, given as he left Paris after eight frustrating months, to wait the outcome of the talks with what patience we can muster.

The reason for that was set forth by Harriman in a farewell address to the Anglo-American Press Club in Paris. "Our objectives in Vietnam are limited," he said, "and I hope the American people recognize this and will be satisfied with such limited objectives and not be talking about winning the war."

## Holmes Alexander President Nixon And Those Phone Calls

WASHINGTON — "Whatever happened when President Nixon dialed all those numbers in his Inaugural Address?" asked the Returning Traveler who'd been away for awhile. "Did any of 'em answer?" Some answered and some of the phones are still being buzzed, the Traveler was told.

"THERE WAS the President's call to what he termed the better angels of our nature," the Traveler went on. "Mr. Nixon tried for a person-to-person call to the goodness, decency, love and kindness in the American spirit. Did he make connections there?"

Yes, that was the clearest line of all, the Traveler was assured. President Nixon is a decent man, with a lovely wife and pretty daughters who do him the highest credit. This speaks well for him and the American family. It gets him off to a good start in the hearts of his countrymen.

"HOWEVER, there were some other numbers that he dialed, and it's hard to believe that the connec-

## Billy Graham

I hear our minister talk about Original Sin. Just what is it? Was it Adam's sin, or is it something we all have? Please answer for I would really like to know. T.K. One of the best definitions of original sin is one I found in a collection of old essays. It says: "The phrase 'original sin' is one way of expressing the natural tendency of man to do the wrong thing when he knows the right thing." It is, as a prominent columnist has said, "The devouring tendency to gratify our own appetites regardless of the consequences to ourselves or others."

Many modern psychologists are now coming to believe in original sin, for there is so much in human nature that is enigmatic and unexplainable. Many modern social experiments will not work because they are based upon the assumption that man is inherently good. But all human experience and history witnesses to the contrary. In the ideal state proposed by the Communists every man would be equal. But original sin will not allow man to be equal, and it displays itself by monopolies, embezzlement, and other crimes. Pride will not allow sinful man to be equal because he instinctively drives for superiority. That is why a Communist state is a police state. It is an effort to control the pride and greed of human nature.

Only when all men are in the kingdom of God (and this will not happen until Christ comes) will there be complete justice. We talk about law and order, but this is only partially possible in a decadent, depraved world. The answer for each of us is a right relationship with God. The revolution we need will come from within — not from without.

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IF IT TAKES 80 DAYS TO CLIMB OVER A TABLE—

## Hal Boyle

### What Is It That Men Admire About Women?

NEW YORK (AP) — Do men dislike women?  
Many women feel they do. "I know my husband loves me, because he voluntarily told me so himself once—20 years ago," said one wife. "But I have always wondered if he really liked me, too. I don't feel that most men actually are fond of women or enjoy their company."

"There must be something about us they resent. Perhaps it's a biological resentment, the fact that we are able to bear children and they can't."

OH, DEAR NO, lady. How wrong can the feminine intuition be? Men have enough trouble putting up with children after they are born; they have no hidden desire to bear them. This race-perpetuating chore they are happy enough to leave to womankind.

Women men have no desire to be women and often distrust them in general, there are many things they secretly respect and admire about women—or even envy. They just rarely express them aloud.  
What is it that men admire about their wives—or even about most women?

Well, there are several qualities. Such as:  
Men admire women because she is generally less fickle and more steadfast in loyalty than he is.

MEN ADMIRE women because, while she is more vocal about petty annoyances, she usually can bear the great disasters and continuing ordeals of life with a silent unflinching courage that puts to shame his own yowls of self-pity about fate.  
Men admire women because she can find more happiness and excitement in small things than he can—a bit of chatty gossip, trading menus over the telephone, buying a new hat, the presence of fresh flowers in a living room vase, the soft glow of candlelight at dinner, even though the meal be warmed-over hash. What she grunts at, she exclaims over, for she has the great gift of brightening her

world with tidbits of pleasure.  
Man admires woman because of her endless quest for perfection. If there is to be a better or more gracious world, it will be her doing, not his. He is often willing to compromise and accept the second rate. She never is.

A WOMAN, rich or poor, always has the desire to go through this world first class. If a thing isn't right, she tries to put it right.

Finally, man admires woman because, like Mt. Everest, she is there—ever inviting, ever challenging him to prove himself.  
Why then, if men do admire women so much, don't they tell them so more often? The answer lies in simple male psychology.

If a man too often told a woman of his respect for her feminine strengths, it would seem to him like he'd be confessing his own masculine weaknesses. And what guy likes to do that?

## John Cunniff

### Human Resources

NEW YORK (AP) — Corporate financial reports often detail precisely the value of financial and physical assets, but seldom if ever do they even attempt to assess the worth of a company's human resources.

Because of this, a tiny minority of business professors and accountants are beginning to insist that the net income statements of corporations not only are inadequate but may be misleading.  
Dr. R. Lee Brummett, a certified public accountant and a professor at the University of Michigan, and now deeply involved in research on the problem, states it this way:

"HIGH SALES and profits can exist for a period during which there is an exodus of key people or when morale is deteriorating or when the organization may be going downhill in other ways."

The opposite effect can be hidden too. A company's executives may be spending, investing and building for the future and, because this is not measured statistically, be unable to prove it until many years later.  
As an accountant, Brummett says, "I believe we cannot justify continuing to ignore so vital a matter as human resources and

refuse to try to say whether they increase or decrease in value."

THESE RESOURCES include the value of a firm's human organization, the education and abilities and morale of employees, customer, shareholder and supplier loyalty, reputation in the financial and neighborhood communities.  
The goal is to devise accounting tools to measure such assets.

Brummett concedes that a solution isn't coming in the next few years but maintains that a measurement of human resources will be generally accepted by accountants 10 or 20 years from now.

The research now under way, with the on-the-job cooperation of R.G. Barry Corp. of Columbus, Ohio, and a few other companies, seeks to place human resources under measurement techniques similar to those used to survey and record physical and financial resources.

"THE PROBLEM," says Brummett, "is the extent to which we can succeed in getting reliable measures, because human resources have never been assessed in dollar terms."

## To Your Good Health

### Why Athletes' Muscles Get Sore

By G. C. THOSTESON, M.D. Dear Dr. Thosteson: Many times when a new sports season opens, the athletes' muscles get sore. What is it in the muscle that causes the aching? — M.S.

Two main elements are at work. One is the sheer stretching of muscles that are not in condition. The other is the presence of metabolites (chemical substances) which accumulate from the abruptly increased demands on the muscles.

Training, and more gradual increase in strain on the muscles, avoids this. Most athletes know this — or if they don't, they soon learn that it pays to keep in shape rather than suffering through the aches and pains.

There's a still better reason, though. Injury is much more likely when muscles are subjected to severe strain. This is more than a matter of over-straining the muscles involved. Ankles and knees can be damaged if put under too much stress before the muscles that support them have been toned up by use.

A good many of our skiing accidents would most certainly be avoided if ski fans would take pains to give themselves some conditioning and not try to tackle the steep slopes the first few times out.

Same thing applies to just about any active sport — and I'll certainly include the recently popularized sport of jogging. Smart joggers take it easy at first, jogging only short distances until muscles have perked up. Starting gradually can avoid turned ankles, foot injuries (you have a lot of important muscles in your feet) and even an occasional nasty fall. Besides that, the middle-aged (or older) jogger owes it as well to his heart and lungs to get himself in shape gradually.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I evidently missed your article regarding the difference between powdered milk and raw or other milk for babies. Which is better? — J.S.

Special problems (allergies, eczema, etc.) may require a special milk, but for general use, ordinary, homogenized,

pasteurized milk serves very well. Canned milk, of course, is widely used in formulas for small babies.

When you say "raw" milk, that raises my hackles, because raw (unpasteurized) milk is dangerous. Too many diseases can be transmitted. So be sure milk is pasteurized.

Powdered milk, after being reconstituted with water, is just about equivalent to whatever the milk was like before it was dried and powdered — but here's the rub. A great deal of the powdered milk is made from skim milk or low fat milk. That's fine for some purposes, but with children it means that you are short-changing them on calories.

You Can Stop Sinus Trouble! is the title of my booklet explaining what sinus trouble really is and encouraging sinus sufferers to do something about it. For a copy write to Dr. Thosteson in care of The Herald, enclosing a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and 25 cents in coin to cover cost of printing and handling.

## Around The Rim

### The Moving Decimal

A friend of a friend of mine says he has a young friend who came home on furlough after his first few months in Marine boot camp and spent a considerable portion of his time at home complaining about how tough was the training he received.

"What was the toughest part of it?" a listener asked.  
"Carrying the dadgum rifle on marches."

"The rifle?"  
"Yeah," sighed the Marine trainee. "It weighs only 3.69 pounds when you start out, but after two miles the decimal point moves one place to the right. After five miles the decimal drops out entirely."

BEFORE THE end of the presidential campaign, Mrs. Ann Stephens, a former Alabamian turned proofreader, and I were discussing George Wallace's complaint that "they call us rednecks and peckerwoods."

We reached total agreement — a record in itself — that we did not know what either term meant. I was commissioned to check into them, not because of any trace of intellectualism but I labor closer to a big dictionary.

Both are disparaging words, the dictionary noted.  
PECKERWOOD is of southern and midland U.S. origin. Its definition is "woodpecker." Then it advises "See poor white." The latter is defined as "a white person, especially of the southern United States, having low social status and little or no money or education.

A redneck is limited to the southern United States and defined as "an uneducated white farm laborer."  
So you see, both phrases which hung up George came directly from

the south, where seldom is heard a disparaging word.

MY WONDERFUL aunt, Mildred Ladd, comments:  
"The Toyota is so cute, I'd like to see a real one."

The headline of the month, from the good old Tulsa World:  
Two killers Appeal for 2nd Chance.

Among the great errors of history was the one when Gen. Custer commanded: "Hold the fort! and someone down the line relayed it as 'Fold the fort!'"

OVERHEARD THE following bit of conversation at a downtown restaurant.

"I'll do the ordering Betty, you keep track of the money, and Virginia can count the calories."

Also overheard:  
"The frost is on the pumpkin."  
"It couldn't happen to a nicer fruit."

Lovely twin girls from England who started making mini-bikinis for friends are now in business nationwide.

They will gross about a million dollars this year, the AP says, adding:  
"And they can see no end in sight"

Judging from the picture accompanying the story, they aren't standing in the right spot.

CHARLES LANHAM, my Tyler correspondent, reports his home town suffered a tremendous economic setback when the mistletoe factory caught fire.

—WALT FINLEY

## David Lawrence

### The Orderly Transition

WASHINGTON — President Nixon's address to the nation immediately after he took the oath of office was impressive. There were no innuendoes of political partisanship, no criticisms of the preceding administration, no words of boastfulness or extravagant promise. It was just the message of a man who emphasized his own confidence that the American people could unite and go "forward together."

NATURALLY NO specific courses of action relating to pending problems were outlined. The speech was rather an attempt to achieve a unity of thought behind the fundamental principles which must guide the new administration and the country.

"I ask you," Mr. Nixon said, "to share with me today the majesty of this moment. In the orderly transfer of power, we celebrate the unity that keeps us free."

ALL OVER THE world thoughtful people, particularly in countries not so free, must have been challenged by the spirit of freedom and harmony which marked the event. Television and radio now enable inhabitants of distant countries to see how a great democracy changes its chief executive without rancor, without revolutionary outbreaks, and without seizure of power that has led to autocracy and dictatorship.

The American people place authority in the hands of one man but only within the limits specified in a written Constitution.

So the inaugural is in truth a symbol of democratic government, and the ceremony is a historical moment when the defeated join the victors in expressing hope for a successful administration.

## Marquis Childs

### Fixed Policies Confront Mr. Nixon

WASHINGTON — The bouquets have passed back and forth over the smooth transition of power from one administration to another in an atmosphere of sweetest harmony. It has been a long love-in since the battle cries of the campaign were stilled on Nov. 5.

Yet looked at closely the fact is that the power structure in Washington will be so little changed. Sworn in as the 37th President of the United States, Richard M. Nixon will have the enormous prestige of the Presidency with its potential for influence and initiative.

BUT BOTH MEN and events out of the past offer the new President with the narrowest avenue to new policies. Because he is the first incoming President since Zachary Taylor in 1848 to fail to bring in with him majorities of his own party in Senate and House Nixon confronts the Democratic chairmen, most of them Southerners, who are the real powers in Congress.

Virtually all the members of his Cabinet and his sub-Cabinet come out of what in convenient shorthand can be labeled the Establishment. As bankers, lawyers and contractors they have been spokesmen for or participants in the upper levels of private power.

THEY HAVE at least a family resemblance to conspicuous figures in the outgoing Administration. Among the alienated young — not by any means merely the hippies and Yippies — this fraternity of power seeming to override political change is the source of disillusion and embitterment. The familiar faces come up with computerized authority. The system, a word the young use with scorn, provides so little room for broad and meaningful change.

AT LEAST five committee chairmen on Capitol Hill will exercise an authority rivalling that of the new President. He will have to treat with them as chieftains of a tribe that

may or may not prove friendly once the lines of policy are defined. If their authority is largely negative and their intentions honorable their power is nonetheless real.

In areas vital to the success or failure of the Nixon Administration policy has been circumscribed in such a way as to make change difficult if not impossible. The most conspicuous example is in the attempt to reach agreement with the Soviet Union on control and reduction of offensive and defensive missiles with the imminent threat of another round in the nuclear arms race.

BECAUSE IT happened during the campaign, the full significance of the debate in the Senate over an amendment to the military construction bill to postpone deployment of antiballistic missiles was overlooked. In one of the rare acts of statesmanship in the 90th Congress Sen. John Sherman Cooper eloquently argued for delay not in research and development but in starting to put ABMs in place. He noted that scientific advisers to the last five Presidents had recommended against a system that was futile and probably obsolete before it was installed.

THE JOHNSON position expressed by Secretary Clark Clifford was that proceeding on the thin-line ABM, at an initial cost of \$5 billion, was essential as a bargaining counter in eventual talks with the Soviets with no commitment to the full ABM costing from \$50 to \$70 billion. But running through the debate, part of it in extraordinary secret session, was the need for an all-out system.

The vote rejecting the Cooper amendment was 45 to 25, with eight Republicans joining 17 Democrats to say stop while there was still time. The door was slammed on a brief standstill in the arms race. And other doors have been slammed that Nixon will find it difficult to pry open should he want to.

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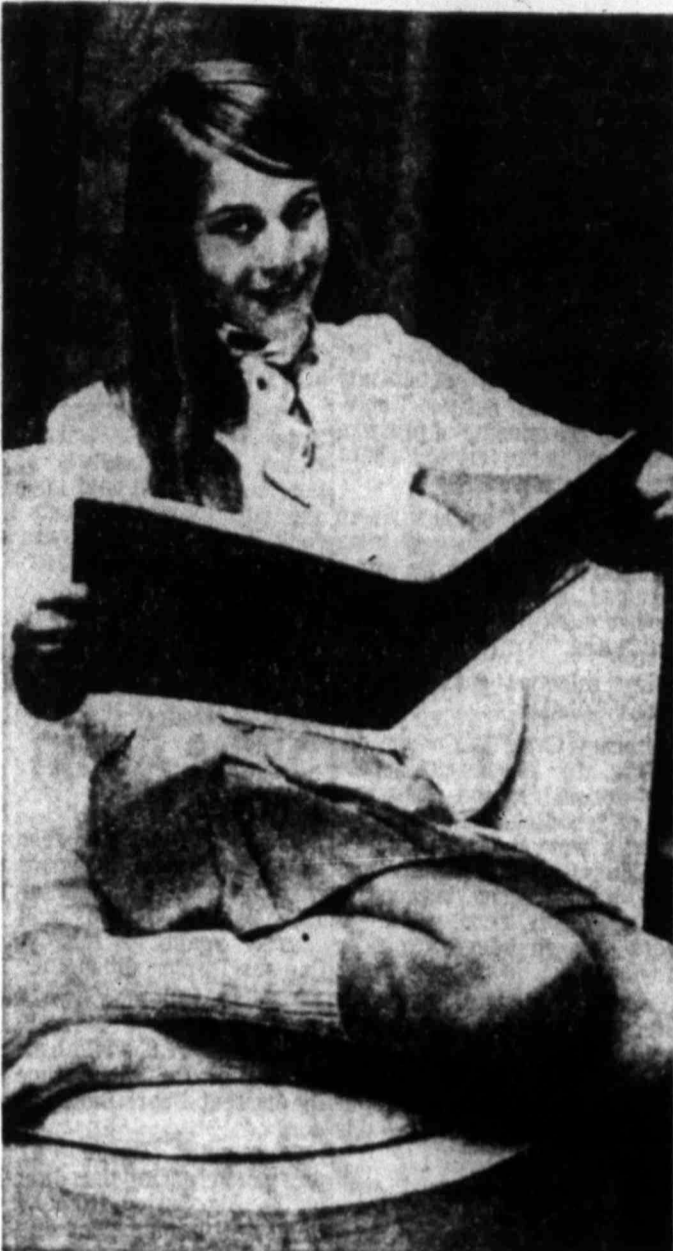
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Rapid Reader

They say Virginia Hofford, who will be 13 next month, reads at the rate of a thousand words a minute and is Britain's fastest reader. The pretty, mini-skirted Virginia is shown in London.

### Pianists To Give Recital On Sunday

Piano students will be presented in recital at 2:30 p.m. Sunday under the sponsorship of the Piano Teacher's Forum in the Howard County Junior College auditorium. Pupils participating will include Debbie Webb, Susan Stallings, Jimmy Dale, Shelley Peterson, Jill Odom, Jan Armstrong, Kathy Decker, Cindy Wheeler, Kamel Bunch, Rita Gee, Brian Jones, Kim Burdell, Rhonda Riley, Karyl Thomas, Carolyn McKee, Robert Huijbregtse, Teresa Vonne West, Cathy Mays, Pamela Wheeler, Brenda Burt, Salie Hollingsworth, Jay Huskey, Alicia Keel and Judy Barber.

### Bride Honored At Gift Shower

STANTON (SC) — Mrs. Bob Wilson, the former Miss Patricia Haislip, was honored with a bridal shower recently in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Stallings. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Nell Fryar, Mrs. George Glynn, Mrs. Bob Deavenport, Mrs. Lois Powell, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. Bob Cox and Mrs. G. P. Harrell.

### A LOVELIER YOU Slather On Lotion For Leg Complexion

By MARY SUE MILLER  
A Lovelier writes: By this time of the winter, my legs are always chapped. The trouble is visible through sheer stockings. I've tried all kinds of lotions without success. The condition seems to flare up after shaving, although I use a good safety razor. The answer: Shaving can rough up the skin. If your razor is A-1, your method is doubtless at fault. Let's find out. First off, do you always use a sharp blade? This is essential to a smooth finish. Because the territory covered is extensive, blades must be changed often. Possibly after each use when fuzz comes bristly or thick. A second must is shaving soap or pre-shave lotion. Several are made for ladies, but gentlemen's products are just great. Excellent results also follow a pre-shave application of creamy, liquid hand or body lotion. You slather it on and, after razoring, massage in the remaining film. The cleanest finish is thought to result from shaving against the direction of growth, but the reverse tactic is surely easier on the skin. In any event, the skin must be soothed with lotion between depilations. Apply it on arising, retiring, and whenever you change stockings. These methods should solve problems after a fair trial. If not, you should investigate leg-care kits, electric shavers and electrolysis.



### Donates Gift To March Of Dimes

The Sew and Chatter Club donated \$15 to the March of Dimes Wednesday from proceeds made from the sale of a quilt. The group met in the home of Mrs. Herbert Johnson Sr., 601 E. 18th. Another quilt was started and will be donated to a needy family. Mrs. C. M. Weaver presided, and Mrs. M. A. Cook was honored on her birthday.



Mrs. L. Shortes Gets KOPS Badge

Mrs. Lowell Shortes graduated to a KOPS (Keep Off Pounds Sensibly) rating at Thursday's meeting of the TOPS Plate Pushers in the First Federal Community Room. Mrs. Shortes was presented a TOPS diploma and a KOPS badge by Mrs. J. J. Herbert, president. The ceremony was held before a table laid with a white cloth and centered with a blue floral arrangement flanked by white tapers. Mrs. U. G. Powell spoke on "What TOPS Has Meant to Me," and Mrs. Lillie Hendrick said, "TOPS is not only a method of losing weight, but also of gaining new friends and a new insight on life." The next meeting will be in the Pioneer Gas Flame Room with Mrs. Hendrick presenting the program.

### Farewell Dinner Held For Bart Deggses

Farewell gifts were presented to Mrs. Bart Deggs when the Ladies Home League of the Salvation Army met Wednesday to prepare the Citadel for a Corps dinner which honored Capt. and Mrs. Deggs that evening. Approximately 35 attended the dinner, and the honored couple was presented a gift from the Corps. A second gift was presented by Mrs. Jimmie Moore on behalf of the League. Capt. and Mrs. Deggs spoke briefly in appreciation of the help they received during their stay as leaders of the Salvation Army here, and Mrs. Moore responded on behalf of Corps members. Tables were laid with white cloths, and the head table was centered with a floral arrangement. The Deggses, who have been transferred to Paris, Tex., will conduct their final worship service here at 7 p.m., Sunday, in the Citadel and invite the public to attend. They will be replaced next week by Lt. and Mrs. Joseph Saint of Dallas.

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### Hints From Heloise

Those "baseball park" hot dogs always taste better because of the steamed rolls.

Well, I finally found a simple way to steam hamburger rolls at home.

Last night while rushing to get things on the table, I grabbed my big muffin tin and put a small amount of water in each cup. Then placed the open rolls face down over the cups (not in the cups) and put them in a 350-degree oven for a few minutes.

They were just like the real things... Mrs. J. R. Hopf

Well I'm an old gray haired mule if it doesn't work

And just try a corn pone pan for hot dog buns... Heloise

Dear Heloise:

My brother-in-law came up with a good time saving idea for do-it-yourself painters. When he stops painting for the day, or just for a coffee break, he wraps his paint brush in wax paper. An old bread wrapper works great, too.

Wrap the brush in this and put it in the freezer.

There's no clean-up job. The paint doesn't freeze and it actually stays fresh and soft. You're ready to start painting again.

One thing to remember: Be sure to wrap the brush well so there's no smell left in the freezer... Mrs. Teddy John

Dear Heloise:

I use sticky tape carpet tape to bind the outside of children's books when the covers become worn.

The tape is extra wide and more adhesive than anything I've tried.

It looks good, too... A Fan

Dear Heloise:

I wanted a bead or bamboo curtain to go over a large sliding glass door but when I priced them they were very expensive.

So, I bought some strong tape, fishing line, beads and good quality plastic straws, and started to work.

I measured the tape to a little longer than the width of my sliding doors, and made each string by knotting a bead on the end of the fishing line. Then I threaded it through the straw.

I continued alternating beads and straws all the way up until it was the length needed for the curtain. I attached these strings to the tape at the top. The strips are made the same length so that the beads line up all the way.

The finished result was a beautiful, washable curtain. And it was so much fun the entire family joined in the threading, even the smaller members... Mary Comas

Dear Heloise:

I have a helpful hint for girls wearing the new plastic shoes.

Cleaning them is no problem for me anymore. I use furniture polish with lemon oil. Just spray and wipe off. The shine lasts and, what's more, it holds up in the rain... Sharon

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

### Church Circle Has Bible Program

Mrs. Howard Berry, 2900 Cherokee, was hostess when the Martha Foster Circle of Wesley Methodist Church met Tuesday with Mrs. E. A. Guinn presiding. Mrs. S. L. Thurman led prayer and conducted the Bible study, with participants being Mrs. W. A. Morris, Mrs. Gertie Wescott, Mrs. Janie Cofer, Mrs. J. C. Ray and Mrs. Guinn. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Morris, 1316 Stadium.

### Speaker Explains PBX Procedure

"Qualities in Your Job" was presented by Mrs. Melvin Darratt, chief PBX operator at Webb Air Force Base, at Tuesday's meeting of the PBX Club of Big Spring in the home of Mrs. John Ray, 1307 Runnels. Mrs. John Rains conducted a quiz on PBX orientation, and Mrs. Donald Spence reported on key chain sales. Mrs. Ray, president, announced the PBX state convention will be held in April at Fort Worth. The "Boss of the Year" meeting will be held Feb. 18, and the banquet honoring the winner will be held in March.

### Ethics Discussed At Forum Meeting

Mrs. Horace Rankin gave a program on club ethics and by-laws at Thursday's meeting of the Progressive Woman's Forum in her home at 3208 Auburn. Committee reports were heard, and it was announced the club project will be a scholarship to Howard County Junior College. Mrs. James Owens, vice president, presided. The next meeting will be Feb. 13 in the home of Mrs. D. G. Whitten, 1602 Osage. Election of officers will be held at that time.

### Wives Club Gains Fifteen Members

The Independent Wives Club honored 15 new members at a luncheon Thursday in the NCO Open Mess at Webb Air Force Base. Mrs. William C. McGlothlin was an honored guest. Mrs. Rufus Rowland was named co-chairman of the club. A pot luck supper was slated at 6 p.m., Feb. 31, in the home of Mrs. James Hyde, 712 Willa. For reservations, call Sgt. Vernon Skarke at Webb AFB, Ext. 2216.

### WMU Has Study On Paul's Letters

Mrs. Leroy Minchew brought the Bible study, "Missionary Messages of the Bible Through Paul's Letters" at Tuesday's meeting of the Women's Missionary Union at Westside Baptist Church. Theme for the program was "the freedom that makes all men free." Mrs. J. W. Trantham read the prayer calendar, and Mrs. Sally Sanders and Mrs. W. M. Hipp worded prayers. Two members remained to work in the "open door" project.

### Sunset HD Club Will Still Accept Members

"Sunset Home Demonstration Club" was the name chosen by charter members when the group met Thursday night in the home of Mrs. Ennis Cochran. Mrs. Claude Van Vleet served as cohostess, and Mrs. Cochran presided as the group voted to meet each first and third Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Although the club was formed primarily for the woman working outside the home, any interested woman is welcome. Eighteen members and guests were served a Chicken Taco Pie demonstrated by Mrs. Bud Hart and Mrs. Kenneth Conner of the College Park HD Club. Recipes featuring various parts of the chicken were distributed, and tips on buying and preparing chickens and turkeys were given by the speakers. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Larry Cheatham, 2717 Larry, Feb. 6, and will feature a program, "Home Accessories."

### Bride Feted At Gift Party

The honoree wore a plaid dress as she greeted guests and was presented a white carnation corsage, as was her mother, Mrs. C. A. Ross Jr., and her husband's mother, Mrs. J. R. Broughton, and grandmother, Mrs. Shelby Hall. The table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of blue and white carnations flanked by white tapers in silver holders. Crystal and silver appointments completed the setting. The hostess' gift was cook-ware.

Mrs. Larry Broughton, the former Miss Beth Ann Ross, was complimented with a bridal shower Thursday in the home of Mrs. C. M. Adams, 1719 Harvard. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Reg Hyer, Mrs. James L. Johnson Jr., Mrs. Lloyd Lille, Mrs. Bob Clark, Mrs. Walter Stroup, Mrs. R. L. Heith, Mrs. Luther Bean, Mrs. Wendel Parks and Mrs. W. W. Brown. Others in the house party were Miss Mary Elaine Forrest, Miss Jeanie Johnson, Miss Ann Heith, Miss Sherry Stroup and Miss Carol Hollingshead.



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# 51 Receive Diplomas In Mid-Term Exercises

Fifty-one Big Spring High School seniors were graduated in commencement exercises Thursday night in the high school auditorium. S. M. Anderson, superintendent of schools, gave the commencement address, and members of the board of trustees presented the diplomas. The a cappella choir, directed by Kenny Sheppard, sang "A Hymn of Praise," and "Battle Hymn of the Republic." Seniors graduating from Big Spring High School were Robert Lester Aaron, Rhonda Jean Barger, Carolyn Sue Boy, Ginger Kay Brown, Sherry Janice Buford, Mary Lucy Cervantes, Erna Chavez, Gwendolyn Sue Clark, Florine Gail Coates, John Douglas Cockerham, James Holt Dement, Linda Jean Dennis, Santa Cruz Diaz and Cindy Marie Diltrich. Also, Debra Miller Erhardt, Connie Joyce Faulks, Suzanne Fisher, Paula Ruth Ford, Barbara Ann Forrest, Laura LaRay Fulbright, Dee Ann Gibson, Cora Della Grantham, Cynthia Irene Gressett, Robert Carl Grubaha, Sestelino Hernandez, Mary Ruth Holloway, George Jordan and Janine Ann Key. Also, Deborah Joan Knight, Jesse Moreno Marquez, Terry Lynn Marshall, Elizabeth Pearl McCarr, Pamela Ann Merrell, Karen Marie Moore, Danny

Murley, Glenda Sue Nix, Doris Virginia Noble, Loretta Marie Owen, Ralph Edwards Passmore, Tony Perez and Janet Lee Perry. Also, Sherry Dann Powell, Treonnie Clara Reagan, James Lynn Ream, Janet Richardson, Deola Maureen Rivers, Karen Joyce Russell, Barbara Shelene Roberts, Jeff Edward Thomas, Carl Dean Van Vleet and Ruby Faye Weatherby.

John F. Smith, high school principal, certified the graduates, and Harold D. Bentley, assistant principal, introduced them. Before the exercises closed, the class sang "Dear Old Big Spring High." The invocation and benediction was given by the Rev. Robert F. Polk, pastor of the First Baptist Church.



C. M. Sgt. Robert Carter, new chairman of the Webb AFB NCO-Airmen Advisory Council, points to a chart having data on the Airmen's Recreational Center. Listening to Sgt. Carter are: (from left) M. Sgt. Morrie Richardson, Sgt. Tony Hodge, Col. William McGlothlin, wing commander; T. Sgt. Ronald Hixson, S. M. Sgt. Robert Thomas, M. Sgt. Clyde Simmons.

## NCO-Airmen Panel Works For Improvements At Base

The Non-Commissioned Officers-Airmen Advisory Council at Webb AFB — an organization dedicated to base improvements — installed new members during a recent monthly meeting. The new council will continue to investigate and make base improvements, as Col. William C. McGlothlin Jr., Webb wing commander, emphasized at its recent meeting. The men, representatives of all the airmen and NCOs on base, work to increase efficiency and morale of the base. They find the "irritants," make recommendations, and guide improvements. Their goal is closely involved with career motivation and retention. Council members will accept personal relationships over informal pamphlet readings about Air Force opportunities. They hear complaints and explain what is being done about them. To date, the council has been the primary force or has given needed assistance to many base-improvement projects. It was instrumental in the installation of the base antenna and cable TV in Webb Village, established the NCO billeting and Guest House on base; and it pushed increased educational opportunities on base. Council strength can be seen in ground safety programs, holiday festivities, and OJT (on-the-job training) improvements. Currently the council is pushing rapid completion of the new Airmen's Recreational Center. Also it is trying to have cable TV installed in the airmen's billeting along with color television. It is looking into the feasibility of passes for the base swimming pools and also a shaded area for the airmen's pool. Another project presently under study is the possibility of shelters and school bus stop signs in Webb Village.

## Sirhan Seetion Hassle Continues

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The prosecution won a gentlemanly hassle with the defense Thursday over questioning of prospective jurors in the Sirhan Bishara Siran murder trial. Things wound up just where they started the day—with nine men and three women tentatively seated, and the jury perhaps another week from being finally constituted. Jury selection goes into the ninth day today.

Attorney Grant B. Cooper, defending the 24-year-old Jordanian accused in the assassination of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, asked a woman prospective juror Thursday whether she would have a preference between a life or death penalty in the event of a first-degree murder conviction. Deputy Dist. Atty. David N. Fitts, on his feet before she could reply, objected: "Mr. Cooper speaks of this defendant," Mr. Cooper asks: "Do you have any preference in this case, the Sirhan case?"

"We're not concerned with what the prospective jurors think in the Sirhan case but with murder cases in general." Cooper retorted: "If a juror favors the death penalty at this time, we have a right to excuse that juror."

Presiding Superior Court Judge Herbert V. Walker sustained the prosecutor's objection, however. He said Cooper's question assumed "facts we don't know because they're not in evidence yet."

## 'Twinkle' May Shine Again

Izell (Twinkle) Johnson, whose rendition of "Blues in the Night" was a highlight of the 1968 Campus Revue, will be starred again in this year's Campus Revue edition. Twinkle will sing two numbers this year — "Mama" and "Hello Dolly." She will base her version of the latter tune on the current Pearl Bailey rendition. Campus Revue '69, a production under the direction of the Big Spring High School Band, will be presented on Feb. 7 and 8 in the Big Spring High School auditorium. Tickets are now on sale. Information and tickets can be obtained by phoning 267-8260.

## Push City Park Ideas

Four recommendations were made by the Parks and Recreation Board at a meeting Thursday afternoon. The board recommended improving the area around the Big Spring site in City Park. They have suggested action by the City Commission which would add a walkway over the dam at the site and enhance the landscaping of the area. Two of their recommendations dealt with the drives in City Park. Resealing of the parking areas and drives was suggested, along with redesigning both entrances to the park and widening the drive from the Wasson Drive entrance to the area of the tennis courts. This portion of the park drive would also have curb and gutters, if the commission follows the board's suggestions. An equipment storage building was recommended for City Cemetery.

## Music Tryouts At HCJC Booked

Young musicians who would like to try for a scholarship, either in the spring or for the fall semester in the stage band or choir at Howard County Junior College are urged to participate in tryouts Saturday at the college. John Stanley, head of the music department, said that no pre-registration is necessary. Prospective band or choir members should report to the music building between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon Saturday when the tryouts will be held informally.

## 'Jumbo' Scoop?

MIAMI (AP) — Cafeterias in the Miami schools have officially recognized what parents have long known—when it comes to eating there's no stopping some teenagers. The high schools are now offering a "jumbo lunch" for 55 cents, 10 cents more than standard lunches.

## MARKETS

Table with market data including livestock prices (cattle, hogs), grain prices (corn, wheat), and various commodity prices.

## DEATHS

M. E. Anderson, Ex-Rail Engineer. Home of his wife, Lynn, and his son, Steve. A military funeral is planned. Services will be held at the St. Mary's Catholic Church, and burial will be in a Plano Cemetery. Date and time of the services remain to be determined.

N. A. Rickman, Rites Saturday. Palbearers for N. A. Rickman, 64, retired oil company executive, who lived at 2808 Navajo, were announced Friday by Nalley-Pickie Funeral Home.

Tony Reyes Jr., Killed In Action. LAMESA (SC) — Tony Reyes Jr., 20, O'Donnell youth, was killed in action Tuesday in Vietnam.

James Crawford, Last Rites Held. Last rites for James A. Crawford, 60 Route 3, Lubbock, were held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church at Idalou.

Lt. David Taylor, Memorial Mass. Body of 1st Lt. David Earl Taylor, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor, 211 Jefferson, will be flown from Vietnam, where he was killed in action on Jan. 20, directly to Plano, Ill., the

## Judge Lining Up Jurors For Shaw Trial Grills

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Judge Edward A. Haggerty is lining up more prospective jurors for the Clay Shaw trial as the original list of names dwindles away. "Sometimes we go through them pretty fast," said the Criminal District Court judge. "We passed 18 in 26 minutes at one point."

In three days of grilling, six jurors were accepted for the trial. Shaw, 55, a retired New Orleans businessman, was charged with conspiring to assassinate President John F. Kennedy.

The case is a test of Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison's version of the assassination in Dallas Nov. 22, 1963.

Of the 169 names drawn for the first jury venire, 76 remained at the start of the fourth day—not much of a margin due to the swift rejection of anyone professing a fixed opinion about Garrison's conspiracy probe.

Judge Haggerty made arrangements to begin siphoning off prospective jurors today from other courts. A jury of 12 plus 2 alternates, will be selected before testimony begins.

## Tough Subject For Debaters

Big Spring Kiwanians had an abbreviated sample of the debating of two of the high school's four debaters at its Thursday luncheon.

Lack of time prevented the two young speakers from delving thoroughly into the subject — "Resolved that the United States Establish a System of Compulsory Service for All Citizens." The debaters on hand were Jeff Talmadge and Tom Angle. Also present was Miss Sharon Ryan, the debate coach.

John Talmadge was program chairman for the day and discussed the literary features of the Texas Interscholastic League and the importance of the program to students.

J. P. Gordon, with the U.S. Internal Revenue Service, was inducted as a new member. Announcement was made that Capt. Bart Deggs, Salvation Army, and Don Dunson, with the Texas Electric Service Co., are leaving the club as a result of being transferred to other cities.

Pete Hull was announced as committee chairman for the annual Kiwanis Club Pancake Supper. The supper is to be on Feb. 14 and tickets will be placed on sale soon. The tickets will be \$1 for adults and 75 cents for students.

## Forsan Annual Census Reminder

FORSAN — Forsan County Line Independent School District is taking its annual census. Any child in this district who will be six years of age on or before Sept. 1, 1969, needs to be enrolled.

Parents may obtain a census blank from the school office at Forsan, or a blank may be secured from the Forsan Elementary School at Elbow. If there are any questions, call W. R. Creagar, principal, at the school at EX 8-5394. Deadline is Feb. 1.

## NY's Antipoverty Swindle Growing

NEW YORK (AP) — The head of New York's antipoverty programs said today that the amount of money stolen from the Neighborhood Youth Corps in the last two years could be \$2.7 million or more.

The antipoverty organization previously had put the figure at \$1.4 million.

Mitchell I. Ginsberg, head of the Human Resources Administration, said he had "no way of knowing for sure" whether the \$2.7 million figure is correct.

The New York Times said today the figure was reached by the federal government's General Accounting Office, which supplied it to a congressional task force investigating the city's antipoverty programs.

The Youth Corps, which provides jobs for slum area teenagers, is one of many programs run by the Human Resources Administration, a superagency created by Mayor John V. Lindsay 29 months ago to administer a \$122-million poverty program and a \$1.6-billion welfare budget.

A task force of the House Education and Labor Committee is conducting one of several investigations into alleged corruption and mismanagement within the Human Resources Administration. Asked by newsmen if it is possible the \$2.7-million figure was accurate, Ginsberg replied, "Of course it is," and added: "The records and checks for the latter part of 1968 are in the hands of the district attorney and if someone had access to them and came up with another, well..."

## Money Needed To Block Pain

An elderly lady in a local nursing home is suffering from terminal cancer, but does not have the funds to buy the necessary pain-killing drugs. While the woman is not aware of her condition, friends are attempting to raise funds to assure her a supply of medicine.

All of her monthly welfare check is being applied to her medical bill, but does not cover the total cost, according to Mrs. Jewel Burcham, nurse at the home.

Her condition will demand an increasing amount of the drugs. It appears, Mrs. Burcham said, requests to various organizations in the area for money to help pay the drug bill have been unsuccessful because of a lack of funds set up for this purpose, she said.

## Tip By 'Friend' Locates Guitar

An anonymous phone call led to the recovery of a stolen guitar and amplifier by police here Thursday night.

The equipment was taken during a burglary of the home of Thurman R. White at 2211 Johnson Saturday. The voice on the phone identified himself as "a friend" and said the guitar could be found near KBYG in City Park, according to police radio dispatcher M. A. Webb.

A knife and gun taken in the burglary were not recovered.

## Weekend Wrecks

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Motorists in Philadelphia knocked down 1,120 traffic lights and nearly 600 street lights last year, and the rate seems to be going up. City Streets Commissioner David O. Smallwood says the 1968 figures were 10 per cent above 1967. Most damage, he added, occurred during the dark hours on weekends. "I wish," said Smallwood, "that people who go out on the town to celebrate the weekend would just stay home."

## Skeleton Tips Checked By Sheriff, DPS Pros

Preliminary reports on the human remains found near Big Spring on Jan. 15 show that the skeleton was of an elderly Negro man, according to A. N. Standard, Howard County sheriff.

Standard today contacted the Department of Public Safety laboratory in Austin where the skeleton had been sent to determine identity.

"The chemist said that more time is needed to determine the number of years the man had been dead and to find other information our department has asked for," Standard said. "But he did say the skeleton was of an elderly Negro man."

In the meantime, Standard and his deputies are in touch with law officials in California for information concerning a confession of a murder which supposedly occurred here about 10 years ago.

A prisoner in a California jail "confessed" that he had killed a man near Big Spring and pushed him off a railway car. A search at that time by deputies failed to turn up a body, which was supposed to have been in the same area as the skeleton recovered last week.

The remains were discovered by a telephone company lineman about 1 1/4 miles north of

## WEATHER

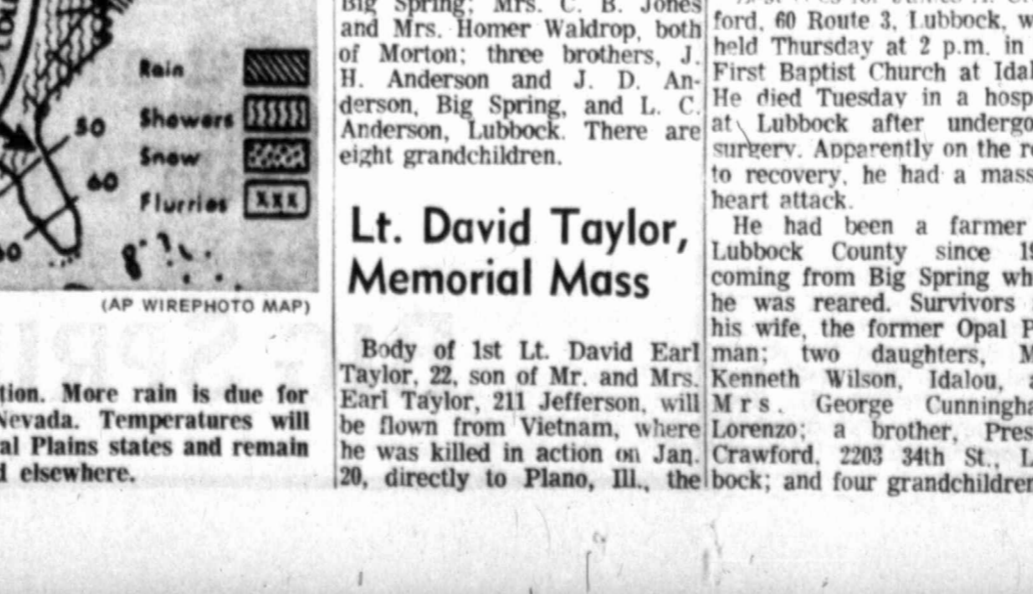
NORTH-CENTRAL TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness and not quite so cold tonight, low 24 to 32. Decreasing cloudiness and warmer Saturday, high 40 to 52.

NORTHWEST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness tonight. Much colder in south and central portions this afternoon but warmer tonight. Clear to partly cloudy and warmer Saturday. Low tonight 15 in north to 32 in south. High Saturday 45 in north to 62 in south.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS: Cold weather warnings are in effect through tonight. Fair through Saturday, much colder tonight, low 18 in northwest to 32 in southeast. Saturday cold, high in 40s.

WEST OF THE PECOS: Fair and cold through Saturday. Low tonight 19 in northwest to 33 in south. High Saturday in 40s.

Table with weather forecast for various cities: Big Spring, Chicago, Denver, New York, St. Louis, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, Fort Worth, El Paso, Lubbock, Amarillo, Midland, Odessa, El Paso, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, Fort Worth, El Paso, Lubbock, Amarillo, Midland, Odessa.



Snow is expected Friday night over most of the southern portion. More rain is due for California and Nevada. Temperatures will drop in the Central Plains states and remain largely unchanged elsewhere.



(Photo by Frank Brandon)

### On Prayer For Christian Unity Program

Here are some of the principals on the program this evening at 7:30 o'clock at Baptist Temple when at least 15 congregations come together in a prayer for Christian unity. This is the second annual observance here during the week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Pictured, from left, seated, are Gary Sims, for

United Methodists; the Rev. Francis Beasley, Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church; the Rev. Harlan Birdwell, St. Mary's Episcopal; standing, Chaplain Robert Deming for Presbyterians; the Rev. James Puckett, Baptist Temple; and the Rev. D. M. Duke, Church of the Nazarene.

## Students To Lend A Hand

"Operation Helping Hand," sponsored by the religious activities department at Hardin-Simmons University is designed to assist several churches and missions in the Rio Grande Valley. This effort requires time, energy, and a little money from those students enrolled.

This help will come in the form of repairing and painting buildings, conducting a religious census, and sewing and mending clothes. "The purpose is to communicate to others without words," explains sponsor Marshall Walker, director of religious activities at H-SU, who sponsored a similar project last year after Hurricane Beulah struck. Between 90 and 100 students are expected to participate in the program. Hardin-Simmons students from this area who will be participating in the project will be James Haston, senior, Big Spring; Betty Cohorn, sophomore, Lamesa; Glenn Thomas, junior, Snyder; Judy Tarrt, sophomore, Lorraine; and Don Howardton, freshman, Snyder.

### Tops 5,000

PARIS, Tex. (AP) — The membership of the Netsee Trails Council of the Boy Scouts, serving 13 1/2 counties of Northeast Texas and Southeast Oklahoma, went past the 5,000 mark for the first time during 1968.



### Gloryland Quartet

The Gloryland Quartet of Roswell, N.M., will be singing Sunday in Grace Baptist Church. The quartet will sing for both the Sunday School service at 10 a.m. and the worship service at 11 a.m. At 2:30 p.m. a concert is planned. Members of the quartet are, standing from left, Ellen Kinnison, Carol Karnes; seated from left, O. A. Kinnison, Randy Brooks and Nita Kinnison.

## Church Calendar

- BAPTIST TEMPLE — The Rev. James A. Puckett, 11 a.m. "Men Wanted"; 7:15 a.m. "The Message of Isaiah"; 7:30 p.m. "The Lord's Supper"; 7:30 p.m. "Blessed Are They Who Hunger and Thirst."
- CATHOLIC — IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY — The Rev. Francis Beasley, OMI; Sunday masses of 8 and 10 a.m. and of 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Saturday, confessions from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.
- FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH — The Rev. John Beard, 10:30 a.m. "Christ and His Gift"; 7 p.m. "The Light of Every Man." Youth groups, 5:30 and 6 p.m.
- CHRISTIAN SCIENCE — The lesson-sermon, "Truth," will be read in the Christian Science Society, 1209 Grand, at 11 a.m., and the public is invited to attend.
- LUTHERAN — ST. PAUL LUTHERAN — The Rev. William Roth, Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.; divine worship, "Eucharist and Faith."
- METHODIST — FIRST METHODIST — The Rev. L. O. Cree, 10:30 a.m. "The Victorious Christ"; 8 a.m. "Dedicated Christians."
- PRESBYTERIAN — FIRST PRESBYTERIAN — Dr. R. G. Goss, 11 a.m. "A Fishing Invitation"; 7:30 p.m. "Chastity: Robert T. Deming, guest speaker, will discuss."
- ST. PAUL PRESBYTERIAN — The Rev. Don Sebesta, 11 a.m. "Fear and Faith"; 7 p.m. "The Father Who Finds Us."
- WEBB AFB CHAPEL — General Protestant worship services, 10:30 a.m.; Catholic masses, 10 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.
- JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES — "How to Overcome Difficulties in Marriage," 3 p.m.; Watchtower study, "Do Not Fear! All His Orders," 4 p.m. No offering taken, meetings held at 500 Donkey St.

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# Christian Unity Service Tonight At Baptist Temple

At least 15 congregations will be represented in the second annual Prayer for Christian Unity service scheduled for 7:30 p.m. today at Baptist Temple.

The gathering, conceived as a means of various bodies coming together on the common ground of a common Lord and common concern.

Following the joint worship service, there will be a coffee in Fellowship Hall. Ministers from the various congregations will be available to answer questions about their churches.

Those on the program, said the Rev. Tom Strother, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the sponsoring Big Spring Pastors Association, will include: Bobby Jack Priddy (First Baptist), song leader; the Rev. Harlan Birdwell (St. Mary's Episcopal) the liturgist or leader; the Rev. D. M. Duke (Church of Nazarene), prayer; the Rev. John Beard (First Christian), Old Testament scripture; Gary Sims (United

Methodists), New Testament scripture; Chaplain Robert Deming (Presbyterian), sermon; the Rev. Francis Beasley (St. Thomas Catholic), the litany and intercessory prayer; the Rev. James Puckett (Baptist Temple), benediction. Chaplain Deming's message will be "One in Christ."

Among churches participating are First Baptist, Baptist Temple, Trinity Lutheran, St. Mary's Episcopal, First Nazarene, First Presbyterian, St. Paul Presbyterian, Coahoma Presbyterian, First Christian, First United Methodist, Wesley United Methodist, Kentwood United Methodist, North Birdwell United Methodist, Coahoma United Methodist, Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic, and possibly others.

## Prayer Breakfast Planned At Webb

The first local observation of the Presidential Prayer breakfast, held annually in Washington, D.C., will be held at the Webb AFB Non-Commissioned Officers Open Mess at 7 a.m., Jan. 30.

The 45-minute program at Webb is being planned by Chaplain (Lt. Col.) Robert T. Deming, Webb wing chaplain. It will include breakfast, a flag ceremony, prayers and Bible reading, and a brief address by Joe Pickle, a local church layman. Pickle will discuss the nation's dependence on God and her spiritual heritage.

Webb's other chaplains, Capt. Thomas W. Black and Capt. John B. Darcy, will also participate. The program is non-denominational.

## Let's Get Together Theme Being Heard In Churches

NEW YORK (AP) — Mingling now with relaxed familiarity, Christians of many kinds and characteristics this week celebrated their burgeoning unity, praying for more of it.

"Beyond our ignorances, our prejudices... beyond intellectual and spiritual barriers, unite us, Lord Jesus," went a joint intercession prepared by Protestant, Orthodox and Roman Catholic representatives.

They also marked just how far they've come on that convergent course, and noted recent steps taken along it. These, while individually not spectacular of late, add up to considerable cumulative headway.

## Hardin-Simmons Holds Seminar

ABILENE — Hardin-Simmons University and the Abilene Baptist Association will co-sponsor a Church Public Relations Seminar for area pastors and laymen on Monday evening, Feb. 3. Principal speaker for a 6:30 p.m. dinner meeting which will begin the three-hour session will be Bill Keith, Dallas, new director of public relations for the Texas Baptist executive board. Another featured seminar participant will be R. T. (Dick) McCartney, Oklahoma City, executive vice president of the church promotional firm, Arthur Davenport Associates.

Other personalities on the program will include personnel from newspaper and broadcast journalism organizations. Reservations should be made with Byron Bryant, assistant to the president for alumni affairs, H-SU, Abilene, 79601.

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# Solons To Eye New Proposals

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas legislators had a stack of recommendations to think about today as they began their customary three-day weekend.

Before quitting Thursday, they heard a 40-minute speech from Gov. Preston Smith.

The traditional message from the governor relied heavily on the 1968 state Democratic platform, but contained several innovations, including a prison work-release program and the possibility of giving 18-year-olds the vote.

Next week should get the legislature off dead center, a position it has held since it convened Jan. 14.

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and Speaker Gus Mutscher have indicated they will name Senate and House committees next week—Mutscher told the House "no later than Thursday" before representatives adjourned for the week.

Barnes said his committee announcement probably would be made Tuesday.

Then lawmakers can start introducing bills.

Also likely to come up next week are debates on proposed legislative rules.

A temporary Rules Committee hearing is scheduled Monday

morning on an amendment to the House rules. The amendment, sponsored by Rep. Grant Jones, Abilene, would restore the old rule that all bills must be given their first official printing upon introduction. New House rules would delay the first printing until after a committee has acted on a bill.

A number of House members are complaining that without the first printing of a bill after it is introduced, they have no way to check on an author's original intentions or see what a committee did to a bill. Mutscher has defended the rule because it saves printing costs.

Senators plan to discuss Senate rules plus joint rules Monday.

Sen. Jack Strong, Longview, originally planned the rules debate Friday but postponed it at the request of Senator Jim Bates, Edinburg, who was hospitalized after an automobile accident.

The joint rules contain a conference committee limitation, endorsed by Barnes but about which Mutscher has indicated reservations. The limit would keep the committees set up to write compromise legislation from adding material that neither house previously had passed.

# Graham Says Hips Seek 'An Experience With God'

CHICAGO (AP) — Evangelist Billy Graham said Thursday he was sympathetic to some of the issues raised by dissatisfied students.

"They are asking, 'What is the purpose of my existence... and a lot of it makes sense to me,'" he said.

Graham addressed the 25th anniversary celebration of Youth for Christ International.

Graham was the group's first fulltime preacher when the evangelistic organization for teenagers was founded in Chicago in 1944.

He told the gathering that today's "young people are an untapped resource spiritually," and said that what the hippies seek is "an experience with God."

The evangelist charged that society has "created a great void and vacuum in American education," but expressed hope that "the pendulum is beginning to swing back."

In an earlier session of the group's mid-winter convention, three officers of the organization were re-elected. They are Samuel of Wolgemuth, of Wheaton,

Ill., president; Jarrell McCracken, of Waco, Tex.; vice president; and Jack Daniel, of Carol Stream, Ill., secretary. Charles Jones, of Harrisburg, Pa., was elected treasurer.

# Quail Is Still In Season Here

The 1968-69 migratory game bird season officially ends Jan. 26 with the close of the woodcock season.

In fact, about the only thing left to hunt for which seasons are set are quail. The quail season in most counties in which the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has regulatory authority runs as late as Jan. 31.

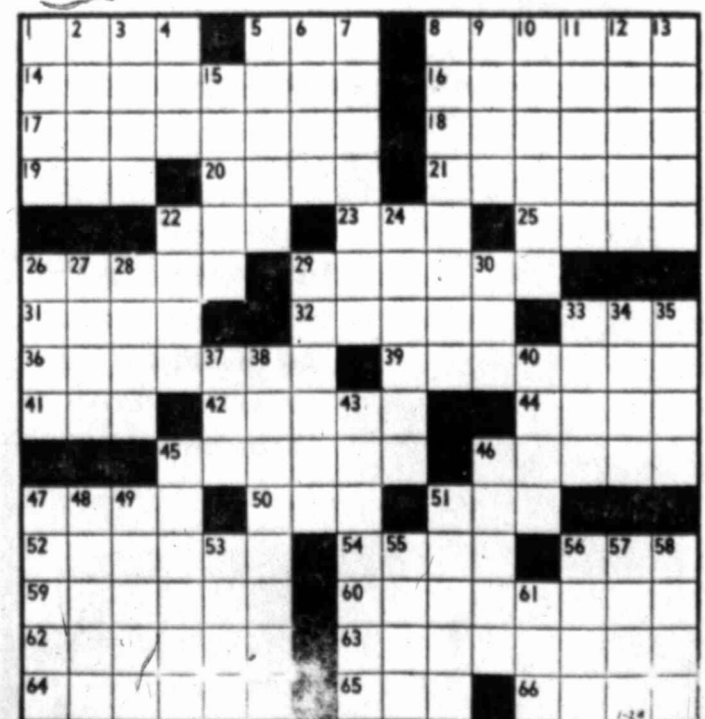
However, there are still quite a few opportunities for the hunter to sharpen his eye for next year.

For example, there is no closed season on squirrels and javelina in many Texas counties.

Hunters should check the department's 1968-69 Texas Hunting Guide for more details.

# Crossword Puzzle

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|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| <b>ACROSS</b>                       | 63 Carry away               | 27 Useful plant        |
| 1 Workshop items                    | 64 Prevents                 | 28 Meerschaum          |
| 5 Work unit                         | 65 Coloring                 | 29 Parachute straps    |
| 8 Game results                      | 66 Appear                   | 30 Miserables          |
| 14 Captive                          |                             | 33 Max —, former champ |
| 16 — de Balzac                      | <b>DOWN</b>                 | 34 Molding             |
| 17 Submarine                        | 1 Potato                    | 35 Man's nickname      |
| 18 — Coast:                         | 2 United States cartoonist  | 37 T-man; abbr.        |
| 19 Antifacetic                      | 3 Comprehensive             | 38 Pants               |
| 20 Animal                           | 4 Compass point             | 40 Men in blue; abbr.  |
| 21 Clothing                         | 5 Result                    | 43 Rectified           |
| 22 Hidden                           | 6 Whistle stem              | 45 Service —           |
| 23 Insect                           | 7 Greedy one                | 46 More sensible       |
| 24 Food for luau                    | 8 G. B. S. fans             | 47 Dimmed              |
| 25 Deprivation                      | 9 Set of standards          | 48 Girl's name         |
| 26 Daily                            | 10 United States playwright | 49 French painter      |
| 29 Summon back                      | 11 Boy's name               | 51 — cohere            |
| 31 Got off                          | 12 Redskins tribe           | 53 Constantly          |
| 32 Girl's name                      | 13 Beginnings               | 55 Counting rhyme word |
| 33 Jazz                             | 15 Law and —                | 56 Feast               |
| 36 Relatives of stovepipes: 2 words | 22 Alcott character         | 57 — homol             |
| 39 Ease                             | 24 Watery tracts            | 58 Family branch       |
| 41 Call; in poker                   | 26 Butter squares           | 61 — Vegas             |
| 42 Untrained                        |                             |                        |
| 44 Encourager                       |                             |                        |
| 45 Typhoons                         |                             |                        |
| 46 Carousel                         |                             |                        |
| 47 Actuality                        |                             |                        |
| 50 Advantage                        |                             |                        |
| 51 Step                             |                             |                        |
| 52 Loves                            |                             |                        |
| 54 Modern light                     |                             |                        |
| 56 — Moines                         |                             |                        |
| 59 Emanate                          |                             |                        |
| 60 Abandoned ship                   |                             |                        |
| 62 Romantic run-away                |                             |                        |



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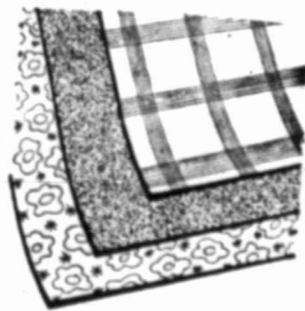
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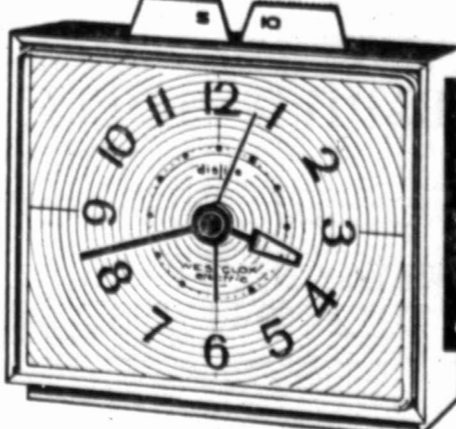
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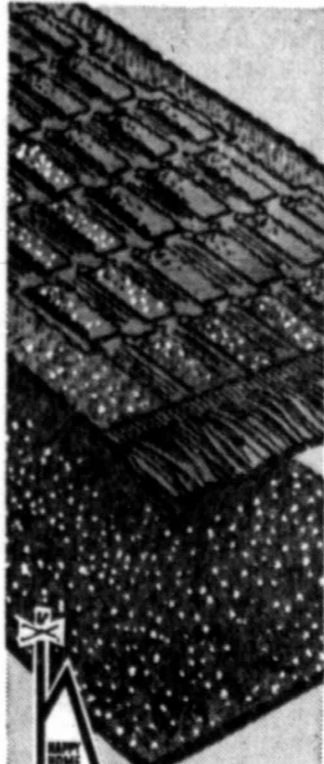
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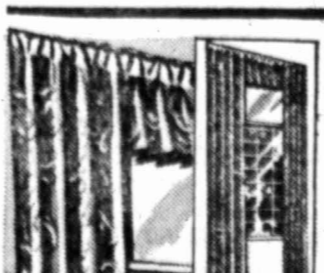
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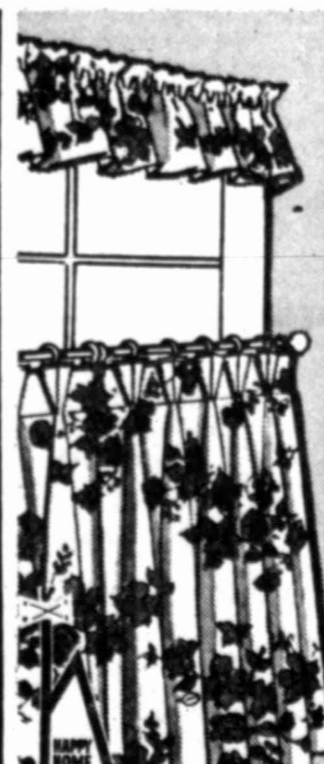


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Twister's Trail

This section of Hazelhurst, Miss., was left in shreds Thursday after a twister dug a path one-half mile wide and one mile long through the small town. At least 29 persons died in central Mississippi from tornadoes that touched down in several areas.

Twisters In Mississippi Kill At Least 29 Persons

HAZLEHURST, Miss. (AP)— Massive clean-up operations began today in central Mississippi where tornadoes killed 29 persons as they carved a path of destruction across three counties.

The twisters, roaring in from the west Thursday morning, injured more than 150 persons and left approximately 300 homeless. Damage was estimated in the millions. The first area struck was a predominantly Negro settlement just outside south Hazelhurst in Copiah County. The tornadoes then moved northeastward into rural areas of Simpson and Smith counties about 30 minutes later.

HOMELESS

Utility crews worked into the night Thursday to restore most of the electrical and telephone service.

The Hazelhurst hospital alone treated 128 persons. Many others were taken to hospitals in Jackson and Brookhaven.

About 200 homeless persons spent the night at an emergency center set up at the National Guard armory in Hazelhurst. Governmental and private agencies quickly moved into the area to care for the hungry and the homeless.

"We are ready to feed, clothe and shelter all of them," said George Sheffield, central Mississippi Red Cross disaster chairman.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture in Atlanta and the state Welfare Department in Jackson volunteered to provide food where needed. Gov. John Bell

Williams, on a tour of the stricken area, pledged state aid. Sen. James O. Eastland, D-Miss., announced in Washington the Small Business Administration would make three percent loans available to business and residential areas.

John Stennis, D-Miss., urged the government to declare the region a federal disaster area.

'LIKE A TRAIN'

Survivors said an overwhelming roar and ominous darkness preceded the tornado.

"It sounded like a train to me," said Lonnie Haynie.

"When the lights went off we got on the floor and I got on top of my youngest child. The house was flattened over us!"

"I knew what it was when I heard it," the wife Vera said. Then the roof came down

around us. When I opened my eyes I saw it was going up the hill. I was afraid it was coming down and I made my children stay down. It looked just like they show them on TV."

Nothing remained of the house of Jack Smith, a laundry employe, but the brick pillars, Mrs. Smith's body was found 100 yards away in a pasture.

Gladys Perkins of South Hazelhurst was standing in the rains of her home when officers told her that her injured son had been reported dead in a Jackson hospital.

"Oh, Lord! Oh Lord! My child is gone!" she screamed. "Oh Lord! Oh Lord! Have mercy!"

She fell to the ground. Neighbors took her to the armory for treatment of her wounds and to be given food and shelter.

He Will Introduce Big 'Civilian GI Bill'

WASHINGTON (AP)— A proposal for a "Civilian GI Bill" to enable needy students to attend college will be introduced in the 91st Congress.

Rep. Ogden R. Reid, R-N.Y., said he would draft the new legislation, which would implement a report by the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education. "Any qualified student ought to have the chance for a higher education, including masters and doctors degrees if he decides to pursue them," Reid said in an interview.

The report, released last Dec. 12, contains 22 recommendations, including a massive program of direct grants to needy students, with federal matching grants, student loans, work study programs and doctoral fellowships. Extensive aid for medical training also is included.

Although the report is viewed favorably by most congressmen, the chances of formal enactment this year are almost nonexistent.

A key member of the House Subcommittee on Education, Rep. Albert Que, R-Minn., said, "I doubt if we're going to do anything about higher education this year."

In an interview before he took office, Robert Finch, secretary of health, education and welfare, said he had talked about it with President Nixon, "but not in any depth."

He said some of the reports may be forged into administration proposals. "I'm generally in favor of the emphasis on medical and dental schools," Finch said, although he added, "Probably the areas of real concern are for elementary and second schools."

Reid himself said, "I realize that the effort at the elementary level has to be improved if we are going to maximize the opportunity at the upper levels of higher education. Still, I hope the education and labor committee will act soon on higher education."

The Carnegie proposal has received generally enthusiastic support in academic circles.

Douglas Knight, president of Duke University at Durham, N.C., said, "I don't think it means that everyone will be going to college 10 years from now, or that the commission intended it that way. But it strikes

me as a guarantee of an opportunity. I think it's something this country needs."

Dr. Charles C. Turner, director of the United Board for college Development in Atlanta, a fund-raising arm of private Negro colleges, called the report encouraging and said, "It seems to us the most salient feature, the most innovative, is in the area of student loans and supplementary grants to institutions for operational purposes."

This is where nothing significant has been done before and where Negro colleges are facing hardships and at the same time are unable to raise tuition."

One dissenting note to the Carnegie proposal came from Russell I. Thackery, executive director of the National Association of Land Grant Colleges and State Universities.

Thackery contends that direct grants to students will tend to drive tuition fees upward, while

Sees Little Chance For Vote Reforms

WASHINGTON (AP)— A leading Senate backer of electoral reform sees little chance of Congress agreeing soon on a change in the Electoral College system of choosing presidents.

And another senator predicts that even if Congress does decide on change, small states will kill any proposed Constitutional amendment out of fear of losing influence to bigger states with their major urban areas.

Indiana Democrat Birch Bayh, chairman of a Senate judiciary subcommittee on electoral reform, said Thursday proposals for changing the system to direct popular elections, such as he has sponsored, stand the best chance in the Senate.

"But," he added, "I think the biggest chance is for not getting anything."

Bayh commented as his subcommittee opened hearings on numerous proposals to abolish the Electoral College. The subcommittee today called Dr. Lloyd Bailey, of Rocky Mount, N.C., a Republican elector who broke his pledge to cast his Electoral College ballot for Richard Nixon and voted instead for George C. Wallace.

Sen. Peter H. Dörmick, R-Colo., told the subcommittee needed election reforms likely would be killed by small states fearing a loss of influence if Congress sends them a proposed constitutional amendment for the direct vote which he supports, in part.

Dörmick said the Electoral College gives small states some

institutional grants would enable colleges and universities to improve facilities and to expand to handle a greater inflow of students.

Crow, Lillard Preside In Austin

City Manager Larry Crow and Director of Public Works Ernest Lillard are in Austin today to preside over one-day meetings of their respective professional organizations. Crow is president of the Texas Association of City Managers, and Lillard is president of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers.

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AFTER BLOOD-CHILLING MENTAL TORTURE

Captain Confessed To Spying

CORONADO, Calif. (AP)— The captain of the Pueblo says he confessed to spying after blood-chilling mental torture, and then tried to drown himself in a bucket of water.

Tears streaming, his voice breaking with anguish, Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher told a Navy court of inquiry Thursday that North Koreans finally broke him by threatening to shoot his crewmen one-by-one in front of him—and summoning the youngest sailor and saying they would start with him.

TERROR

Bucher's account of the terror ended—at least for now—his public appearances. He goes before a closed session of the court today to give secret—classified—testimony, and will be followed, the Navy said, by

Rear Adm. Frank L. Johnson, commander of U.S. naval forces in Japan at the time the Pueblo was seized. Bucher has said he radioed desperately for help as North Korean gunboats surrounded the intelligence ship, but it never arrived.

The Navy said Johnson would testify after closed-door accounts from one or more of three captains under his command in Japan when the Pueblo was seized off North Korea last year. Summaries of all secret sessions will be prepared, deleting all classified information, and made available to newsmen, a Navy spokesman said.

Open court sessions are scheduled to resume Wednesday. After describing why he confessed, Bucher said Thursday,

"sometime during the night attempted to commit suicide by drowning myself in a bucket of water in my room but was unable to accomplish this."

MADE TO KNEEL

"Mentally, I was quite disturbed," he said, partly because of the embarrassment he thought his confession caused the United States.

The typewritten confession said Bucher was a CIA agent, that his ship intruded into North Korean waters and that he was trying to put South Koreans ashore.

"And I realized," he said, "they (North Koreans) needed me alive more than anyone else in the crew for public appearances that I was afraid of and knew were coming."

The court warned Bucher Wednesday he may have violated regulations by surrendering the ship. Bucher goes into his fourth day of testimony and has been unusually calm, sometimes tense, until he came to describing an interrogation before he confessed. As he talked he began trembling.

"They made me kneel on the floor," Bucher said. He said a North Korean he nicknamed Super Colonel, or "Super C," seemed desperate.

WIFE SOBBS

"You have two minutes to decide to sign the confession or be shot," Bucher said he was told. "I spent two minutes on the floor and I repeated over and over . . . (the skipper's voice broke and he paused) I love you, Rose. I love you, Rose."

His blonde wife, Rose, sobbed and rubbed her eyes at that point in his testimony. "At the end of the two minutes he asked me to sign," Bucher said. "I said I wouldn't. He told a guard at my side to move so when I got shot and the bullet passed through my head, he would not be hit."

"Kill the son of a bitch!" Bucher said a North Korean shouted. "The gun clicked but it didn't fire. I had fully expected to be shot. But when the slide was drawn back, presumably to insert another bullet, I did not hear any bullet hit the floor and I damn well knew it was a game they were playing."

Two more minutes went by, Bucher said, and "the officer said, 'He's not worth a bullet, and told me I would be beaten to death. Two guards beat me to the floor and kicked me and worked me over real good. I lost

consciousness after a few minutes. I asked to go to the bathroom . . . all I could urinate was blood."

VOICE FAILS

At one point, as Bucher appeared near collapse, the Navy's counsel, Capt. William Newsome, asked if he wanted a recess.

"No! No! I would rather get this over with now," Bucher replied. He was trembling.

Bucher said he was taken to another building and shown a tortured man strapped to a wall. "They told me he was a South Korean spy. He was alive . . . but had a compound fracture of his upper right arm with the bone sticking out. He was stripped to the waist. He had completely bitten through

Bucher's voice broke, and after a long pause he continued, ". . . completely bitten through his lower lip. It was hanging down. His right eye had been put out. His head was hanging down. There was a lot of . . . (Bucher's voice failed for a minute) . . . black matter running down his right cheek. He was under three spotlights. I do not remember leaving that building."

He said his captors told him, "That's what happens to spies, and you are spies, and you will get exactly the same."

PASSED OUT

"I passed out," Bucher said. Bucher said he revived in his interrogation room.

"We will now begin to shoot your crew and shoot them in your presence until you sign," he said Super C told him. "And even then if you will not sign, I will make you sign."

Bucher said the North Koreans summoned the youngest member of his crew, 21-year-old Fireman 2.C. Howard Bland. "I was not prepared for them to shoot my crew," Bucher said. "I was convinced they would do it. They were animals. I was not prepared to go through things like that."

Bucher was stammering. He paused, wiped his eyes, took a drink of water.

TREMBLING

"I was not prepared for this type of mental torture," he said. "I told them at this time, 'I will sign this confession.' I did sign it. I was taken back to my room and a big plateful of food with egg and other goodies was brought to me . . . I did not touch it."

Newsome walked across the gold carpet and reached to put a

hand on Bucher's arm. His hand fell short as one of Bucher's attorneys put a hand under the skipper's elbow as Bucher's legs appeared to wobble.

Bucher's other attorney took a microphone from around the skipper's neck and led him from the courtroom. A Navy psychiatrist-medical officer and Mrs. Bucher, still weeping and pale, followed Bucher out.

Court was recessed for 90 minutes.

When it resumed, Bucher said his confession finally softened Super C enough to make him answer his (Bucher's) continuous demands to know whether his wounded men were being treated.

He quoted the colonel as saying "I can tell you that the wounded are being taken care of."

BIG LIE

"This as it turned out was a lie. They got no medical attention for at least 10 days."

He said one of his men had

been shot completely through with shrapnel and gangrene in his untreated wound caused a stench "so terrible that another crewman who was not wounded said he could not stand being in the room without vomiting."

Bucher said another one of his men was beaten until his abdominal was ruptured and "his gut was sticking way out. They opened my door and stopped with a stretcher so I could see his condition."

"My primary thought was, as long as I was kept alive, to get a message back to the United States that our ship had not intruded, regardless of what coerced confession would come out of this captivity."

Pueblo crewmen gave a well known gesture of vulgar contempt when they posed for a photograph the North Koreans distributed to the West.

"When they found that out, they really turned on me and gave me the worst beating I received," Bucher said.

Beef Producers Blast Federal Tax Practices

HONOLULU (AP)— The American National Cattlemen's Association ended a four-day convention here Thursday after passing several resolutions critical of federal tax practices.

The nation's beef producers unanimously passed a resolution opposing a federal recommendation to change from cash accounting to an accrual system. The resolution said serious problems would result and charged that the recommendation would force more small farming operations out of business.

The resolution also criticized restrictions on the right of the farmers and ranchers to claim capital gains on the sale of their breeding stock, saying it would discriminate against livestock producers while allowing other businessmen to deduct losses in their operations.

Included among other resolutions were these calling for: —Farm and ranch land to be assessed on productivity or earning capacity instead of sometimes "inflated" sales prices.

—A longer period to offset losses against past or future profits that would be "more

nearly compatible with the price, production and climatic cycles affecting the livestock industry."

—More inspection and fumigation of planes entering the United States from countries that may have undesirable insects and disease organisms.

B's And C's Please Pupils

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP)— The four students grinned with pleasure when they got their marks in Clark University night courses—all B's and C's.

All are inmates of the Worcester County jail.

The jail has 235 inmates, and about half attended high school classes three times weekly at the jail or take correspondence courses. Thomas-R. Bird the jail education officer said 87 have won high school diplomas since last June.

The four Clark students will continue classes when spring semester starts Jan. 27.

Czech Government Warning Students

PRAGUE (AP)—Student delegations began arriving in Prague today for memorial ceremonies honoring Jan Palach and his suicide by fire to protest the Soviet occupation.

Fearing violent demonstrations that might provoke new

Gus Supporting Liquor-By-Drink

HOUSTON (AP)— The new speaker of the Texas House of Representatives has reiterated support for liquor-by-the-drink laws in Texas.

"I think the people of our great state have spoken on this issue in a referendum," Gus Mutscher said Thursday at a civic club meeting.

"It will be given due consideration," he added. "I supported the referendum—I don't recall changing my position during my term in office."

He declined to predict what position Gov. Preston Smith would take on the liquor proposal.

"This is something I'd prefer to hear him pass on to the public," the Brenham legislator said.

**BUZZ SAWYER**

I'M NOT DUMB, KIDDO. SEE THIS DRAWER? I KEEP A CORWEB ACROSS IT SO I CAN TELL IF ANYBODY'S BEEN SNOOPING AROUND, SEE? AND THE WEBS BUSTED.

OH, FOR PITY SAKES, COME EAT YOUR DINNER.

WAIT! MY LITTLE BLACK BOOK!

AH, HA! SEE THIS SCRAP OF PAPER? I KEEP IT BETWEEN PAGES 4 AND 5. NOW IT'S BETWEEN 6 AND 7. THAT PROVES SOMEBODY'S BEEN GOING THRU THE HOUSE.

SHUT UP AND EAT. IT ONLY PROVES YOU WERE DRUNK LAST NIGHT.

**GASOLINE ALLEY**

I have finished the debridement, sir!

Condition is good so far, Doc! This is a very brave girl!

**NANCY**

GESUNDHEIT! GESUNDHEIT! GESUNDHEIT! GESUNDHEIT!

PEPPER FACTORY

ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO ACHOO

**LI'L ABNER**

IT'S 4 A.M.— IF YOU DON'T COME HOME, AN' GIT A COUPLA HOURS' SLEEP—

YOU'LL BE TOO TIRED FO' YORE MAWIN' NAP!!

AH PROMISED TO NEVAH LEAVE BRUTE BRAWLINGBUM!!

NEVAH?— WALEF YOU CARES MORE FO' THAT BRAWLIN' BUM BRAWLINGBUM— OUR MARRIAGE IS—SOB!—OVER!!

SO—SOB!— BE IT!!

**BLONDIE**

BLONDIE— ANOTHER NEW DRESS! YOU KNOW WE CAN'T AFFORD IT!

BUT DAGWOOD, I BOUGHT THIS DRESS ON SALE AND ACTUALLY SAVED YOU FIFTEEN DOLLARS.

INSTEAD OF SCOLDING ME YOU SHOULD BE THANKING ME!

I FORGOT SHE MAJORED IN LOGIC IN COLLEGE.

**RICK O'SHAY**

'WAY I SEE IT, THE LAW EITHER CAN'T OR WON'T ACT 'T STOP JESSIE BELL... SO YOU AIM TO...

SO I'VE GOT TO! TROUBLE IS MY COWPUNCHERS AIN'T GUNHANDS— AN' NEITHER ARE THE NESTERS!

AN' YOU WANT ME 'T HIRE SOME FELLERS WHO ARE...

THAT'S ABOUT THE SIZE OF IT. IF THERE AIN'T ENOUGH MONEY HERE, I'LL GET MORE...

THAT'S MISHKY GEN'ROUS... BUT AN RECKON THAT'LL DO IT...

...OVER IN THE WICKLY TOWN O' RAANAGE, IT'S A BUYERS' MARKET.

**SNUFFY SMITH**

BALLS O' FIRE!! JEST WHEN WE'RE FIXIN' TO EAT SUPPER— HERE COMES OL' WAG-TONGUE MELISSY!

I'LL GIT RID OF HER IN SHORT ORDER!!

LOWEEZY! VE LOST WEIGHT SINCE I SEEN YE LAST— AN' TATER!! HE'S GITTIN' PURTIER EVER' DAY--

JUGHAID!! PUSH ANOTHER CHAIR UP TO TH' TABLE FER SWEET MELISSY

**KERRY DRAKE**

YOUR CHOICE OF WORDS IS AN AFFRONT TO ONE WHO LOVES THESE TINY BITS OF IMPRISONED SUNSHINE, LEFTY!

THE DIAMOND!... QUEEN OF GEMS!... MAN HAS MADE SYNTHETIC RUBIES, EMERALDS AND SAPPHIRES... BUT ONLY NATURE KNOWS THE ALCHEMY TO PRODUCE A DIAMOND!

OF COURSE, THERE ARE IMITATIONS!... 'PASTE,' AS WE REFER TO THEM... HERE! I'LL SHOW YOU SOME EXCELLENT SAMPLES!

**BEEBLE BAILEY**

SARGE, YOU LOOK FATTER THAN EVER.

WHAT DID YOU DO WITH THAT DIET I GAVE YOU?

HE PROBABLY ATE IT.

**PEANUTS**

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT.

LUCY THREW MY PLANO UP INTO THIS TREE...

NOT THIS TREE! WHY? WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT THIS TREE?

THIS IS A DREADED KITE-EATING TREE!

OH, NO!!

CHOMP CHOMP CHOMP

**DICK TRACY**

SORRY, MAYOR, MAY I BORROW MY WIG?

YOU SAID YOU WERE THROUGH WITH THAT RUG, CHIDES LIZZ.

I HAVE A LITTLE UNDERCOVER JOB TO DO.

SERIOUSLY, I HAVE A DATE!

OH, FINE! I CAN HARDLY WAIT TO TELL TESS.

**MARY WORTH**

IT'S GOING ON 9 O'CLOCK. MRS. BRIDGEWATER! I'M AFRAID WE'LL HAVE TO—UH—HEAR YOUR DAUGHTER'S STATEMENT—EVEN IF GERTRUDE BRYAN ISN'T HERE!

NO! DEFINITELY NOT, MR. MERMILL! THAT WOULD PUT ALL THE...THE BURDEN... ON PAM'S SHOULDERS!

BEZZZT!

I—I'M TRUDY BRYAN, MRS. WORTH! ...C-C-COULD I SPEAK TO MRS. CRAWFORD?

**REX MORGAN**

DID JULIE AGREE TO STAY IN THE HOSPITAL, MR. ROCKWELL?

I THINK SO— BUT SHE INVITES THAT WE REPLACE YOU!

WHAT CAN BE ARRANGED? FOR ONE THING, I DO WANT A NEUROLOGIST TO EXAMINE HER IN THE MORNING.

MEANWHILE, TELL HER I'M NOT HERE!

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**TERRY**

NO— BUT I'D BET MY STARS IT'S HERE— IT'S JUST GOT TO BE, LEE!

THEN YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT 'BELSARIUS' PLEDGE' LOOKS LIKE, SIR?

WHY SIR? BECAUSE I'M CONVINCED THAT BELSARIUS LEFT THIS PORT CITY TO RETURN HOME— ON HIS EMPEROR'S ORDERS!

NOT THE FIRST— OR THE LAST— COMMANDER TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN THE FIELD— ONLY TO BE DRAGGED DOWN BY THE POLITICIANS BACK HOME!

**SMITTY**

FOR YOU, SPRIG SWEET— AND GOOD-BY!

GEE, SWELL! SANDWICHES!

GOSH, WHAT A NICE GUY!— AND AFTER ALL 'EM GAGS I PULLED ON HIM—

YEAH, A GREAT LITTLE GUY— I'LL NEVER FORGET HIM—

NEVER!

**MOON MULLINS**

YOU GO UP THERE AND ASK THE GOOD LORD TO MAKE YOU A BETTER BOY!!

...AND PLEASE MAKE ME A GOOD LITTLE BOY.

... EITHER THAT, OR DO SOMETHING ABOUT OLD LADY PLUSHBOTTOM'S BOILING POINT.

**JUMBLE** — that scrambled word game

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

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ENORD

BONBBI

UNISCO

Print the SURPRISE ANSWER here

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

Print the SURPRISE ANSWER here

Yesterday's Jumble: DINER FORGO UNSEAT JOVIAL

Answer: Why a modern parent might spare the rod— SO JUNIOR CAN RIDE IT

**GRANDMA**

HUMPH!

AT FIRST I FELT FLATTERED...

WHEN THE KIDS SAID THEY WANTED ME TO BE THEIR BASKETBALL MASCOT...

...TILL I FOUND OUT I WAS ASKED ONLY BECAUSE THEY COULDN'T GET A GOAT!

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# Clarendon Hosts HC In Critical Game

HCJC's Jayhawks, one of the hottest junior college basketball teams in the Southwest, come off a 15-day holiday Saturday night in a Western Conference game — and they couldn't have picked a tougher opponent.

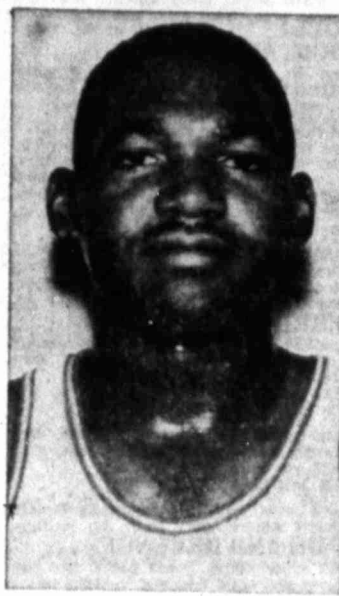
Buddy Travis' troops visit Clarendon to oppose Larry Overcast's CC Bulldogs and Clarendon is sharing first place in the standings with the Big Springers. Tipoff time is 7:30 p.m.

Both teams stand 5-0 in conference. Clarendon's latest victory was a stunner — a 72-58 success at the expense of Lubbock Christian College. Three days before, the Bulldogs had chilled New Mexico JC, 83-69. That same team had carried HCJC down to the last four seconds before losing by two points.

In addition to New Mexico JC, the Hawks have defeated South Plains, Odessa, Lubbock Christian and Amarillo within the conference.

Clarendon has been averaging only 63.9 points a game over the season but has held the foe to an amazing 64 points.

Against conference opponents, the Bulldogs have averaged 72.8 points a game, the opposition



JOHN BILLIZON

mere 58.8.

Clarendon and HCJC met four times last year and the Hawks, although ruling as WC titlists, won only one of those games.

Among Clarendon standouts are Jackie Baker, among the league's scoring leaders; Richard Robinson, Mike Inman, Rene Ornes, Pancho Garcia and

Oran Watson.

The Bulldogs were picked no higher than fourth in the pre-season poll but, to date, has surprised everyone — although they are only 11-9 over-all. Most of their losses have been at the hands of powerful Kansas and Colorado teams.

Five of Clarendon's players are sophomores. They are in men, who stands 6-6; the 5-10 Paker, 6-3 John Howell, 6-6 Oran Watson and 6-2 Monte Stevenson.

Vince Brogdon, 6-7, El Paso; Gary Williams, 6-6, Quanah; Pancho Garcia, 6-6; and Rene Ornes, 6-3, both of Laredo, are newcomers to the team.

HCJC carries a 16-2 record into the contest, having lost only to Sterling, Colo., and Christian College of the Southwest.

HCJC is averaging 95.5 points a start, compared to 82.8 for the opposition.

Likely starters for Howard County include Robert Jackson, Mickey Wilson, Glen Fletcher, George Tilley and either Sammy James, John Billizon or Jerry Phillips.

The Hawks play their next home game against Frank Phillips of Borger Tuesday night.

# Young Pro Is Realistic About Break

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. (AP) — Suppose for a moment that you are a 26-year-old professional golfer who has never finished a tournament higher than a tie for 20th place. Last year, you earned a grand total of \$3,537.53.

You are now in the first round of one of the richest tournaments on the tour and you finish with a 70, two strokes under par and in a three-way tie for the lead with Billy Casper, who last year made more than \$200,000 and rookie pro Mac McLendon.

But just after you finish your 18 holes at the Pebble Beach course, the first round is cancelled because of heavy rains. Everybody's score is wiped out and you have to start all over.

Are you angry? Do you curse the weather that played such a dirty trick on you? Not if you're Harry Toscano because you figure you had it coming.

**96 HAD FINISHED**

It all happened to Toscano in what was to be the opening round of the \$150,000 Bing Crosby Golf Tournament Tuesday. No fewer than 96 pros had finished their rounds and 72 were on the course, most of them almost through, when the Professional Golfers Association canceled the round. The tournament will now run through Monday at least.

Two years ago, it rained at another Crosby and Toscano was standing at the 18th tee. It had taken him 102 strokes to get that far and he promptly hit his tee shot out of bounds.

"It would have taken at least 110 strokes," Toscano remembers. "I won't forget it if I live to be 150. It was raining so hard I was almost blind."

But that round, too, was wiped out and Toscano figures that maybe this was evening up the score. But he said he was playing pretty well Thursday, especially on the key holes, and should be able to do it again.



Jacky Cupit prepares to knock a short putt into the cup on the 15th green at Pebble Beach Thursday after a marshal sopped water out of it with a towel. Shortly afterwards, the first round of the Big Crosby National Pro Am Golf tournament was called off because of heavy rains. The tournament start was delayed until today.

# BIG TURNOUT DUE TONIGHT

STANTON — All roads lead to Stanton tonight, where Stanton hosts Crane in the biggest basketball game here in years.

Crane is leading District 5-AA with an undefeated record and is one of the ranking teams in the state.

However, the Buffaloes have been lusting for revenge in this one for a long time.

Crane, coached by ex-Sands mentor Arlen White, featured high-scoring Tommy Jones, a Negro ace no foe has yet been able to corral.

Coach Phillip Stovall of Stanton goes in more for the diversified attack but does have a scoring ace in David Jones.

The Buffalo Gym, no doubt, will be packed for this one.

# Bobcats To Play Spring Branch

SAN ANGELO — San Angelo Central has booked six home games for the 1969 football season, including non-conference jousts with Dallas Bryan-Adams and Houston Spring Branch.

The Nov. 15 contest with Spring Branch, a perennial coastal powerhouse, will replace Breckenridge on the Bobcat schedule.

The card:

Sept. 12 — Bryan-Adams  
Sept. 19 — Al Midland (c)  
Sept. 26 — Abilene (c)  
Oct. 3 — Al Permian (c)  
Oct. 10 — Al Ector (c)  
Oct. 17 — Big Spring (c)  
Oct. 24 — Big Spring (c)  
Nov. 7 — Odessa (c)  
Nov. 14 — Spring Branch (c)  
Nov. 21 — District 3-4A games.

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# Moser Is Earning Title As Davidson Standout

By The Associated Press

David Moser was named Davidson's most valuable player last season and he hasn't been doing too badly the past few days, either.

Last Saturday, the 6-foot-1 senior from Fort Wayne, Ind., fired a last-second basket that shot Davidson past stubborn VMI 66-64.

And Thursday night, he scored eight of the points as the fourth-ranked Wildcats ran off 11 straight early in the second half and clawed the Princeton Tigers 71-54.

The red-haired Moser averaged only 8.6 points a game last season but won his MVP award with strong defense and ballhandling. Coach Lefty Driesell calls his captain "one of the smartest

backcourt men in college basketball."

Driesell was pretty smart himself, plucking 6-5 senior Mike O'Neill off the bench to start in place of the injured Jerry Kroll, Davidson's No. 2 scorer. O'Neill limited Princeton's top scorer, Jeff Petrie, to eight points, all in the first half, while netting 22 himself.

It was Davidson's 13th win in 14 starts. Princeton, led by Chris Thomforde's 20 points, is 11 straight early in the second half and clawed the Princeton Tigers 71-54.

In fact, Gordon L. Wise, an assistant professor of marketing at Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio, puts out an analysis of schedules and rates Princeton's as the second toughest

est nationally.

Davidson was the only ranked team in action Thursday but things pick up tonight when top-ranked UCLA faces Northwestern in part of a Chicago Stadium doubleheader. The other half pairs 16th-ranked Marquette against Chicago Loyola. Ohio State, No. 12, faces Cornell at Cleveland.

Elsewhere Thursday night, Drake moved within a game of first-place Tulsa in the Missouri Valley Conference with a 93-76 rout of Bradley.

Arizona took over the lead in the Western Athletic Conference by downing Brigham Young 76-70 while Arizona State stopped Utah 93-88. The losers had been tied for the lead.

Georgia Tech walloped Rice 75-56 as Rich Yunkus scored 25 points and grabbed 17 rebounds. Oklahoma City, coming on strong since 6-8 Willie Watson became eligible, crushed Abilene Christian 104-83 as Rich Travis, the nation's No. 6 scorer, popped in 27 points and Watson added 19.

# Steers Try Ector In 8 P.M. Game

Starved for a victory of any kind, the Big Spring Steers will return to the confines of their own gymnasium tonight for a District 3-AAA encounter with Odessa Ector. Tipoff time is 8 o'clock.

The Steers are winless since Dec. 3 and have dropped nine

consecutive conference contests.

Ector, coached by Al Oglesby, has been the surprise team in 3-AAA play. The Eagles were picked to finish in the cellar but have been contenders for the championship all year. They bring an overall record of 15-4 here.

In the first half of competition, they posted a 6-2 record and outscored the opposition, 572 points to 495.

Big Spring, on the other hand, was outscored in that same stretch, 456 to 625.

When the two teams met previously in Odessa, Ector won by a score of 78-56. Big Spring's fortunes have steadily gone down hill since that time.

Last Tuesday, the locals were bombed by Midland Lee, 97-61.

Coach Kirby Pugh, who has tried everything to get his team to moving again, likely will go with a lineup that includes Snake Tucker, Tommy Butler, Gary Hinds, James Brown and either Bruce Hutto or Robert Evans.

Ector is apt to start Perry Cooksey, George Wallace, Gene Collins, Lester Morrison and Robert Smith. Oglesby not only has some outstanding starters but is deep in reserves.

B teams of the two schools will get the show on the road at 6:15 p.m.

The Bovines play four more home games. After tonight, they will be idle until Jan. 31, at which time they visit Abilene to oppose Cooper.

# LOOKING 'EM OVER



With Tommy Hart

Joe Namath, the New York Jet phenom, has become one of the most cordially disliked men in sports ("the man you love to hate") and it's hard to figure out why. We all take our sports too seriously and Broadway Joe, for one, can't figure out why. Football remains a fun game for him.

When most everyone was regarding the recent Super Bowl game as a vendetta between the AFL and NFL, Namath refused to get serious about it all. Most of the remarks attributed to him were said in jest, if they were said at all.

He can't believe football was meant to be taken all that gravely. There should be more in the game like him.

Some reports have Billy King, Coahoma's all-state end, talking on the physical dimensions of his smaller cousin, Lynn King.

In reality, Billy stands 6-4 and weighs 184. In other words, he's four inches taller and 14 pounds heavier than the All-State checklist showed him to be — big enough to attract a lot of recruiters.

An unusual thing happened to Sal Martinez in his 27th professional fight, which took place in Tampa, Fla., last week.

Martinez is the Mexican native who is in the fight stable of Martin County's Melton McMorries and not one of his first 26 bouts went the distance.

Martinez was in against respected Songbird Williams in a ten-rounder. Williams ran for the first six or seven rounds and, when Martinez tired, turned and fought so well the judges called the bout a draw.

That had been the strategy in Williams' corner from the start and it paid off, although Earl Gilliam, who was handling Martinez for McMorries, thought Martinez had won comfortably.

Incidentally, a bout between Martinez and Manny Gonzales is being talked up for Odessa.

Such an encounter should draw, since Gonzales is an ex-Odessan who has fought some of the biggest names in the business and Martinez has earned the reputation of the puncher.

According to Sport magazine, which conducted a poll among NBA coaches before drawing any conclusions, Elgin Baylor is the top forward, Bill Russell the outstanding center and Oscar Robertson the best guard in the pro league.

Baylor and Big O were runaway picks at their positions. Russell barely edged Wilt Chamberlain and Nate Thurmond for his honor.

Thurmond, oddly enough, is regarded as being better than Russell on offense and Chamberlain on defense but doesn't have the all-around talents of either.

Before Doug Sanders agreed recently to serve as playing representative for Houston's Sharpstown Country Club, reports were circulating that the club was in financial trouble. Members have authorized construction of a \$2½ million clubhouse, however, which would indicate the club is in good shape.

Sanders has trouble winning on the circuit these days but he's in the big money class. He's a partner in the Greenway Bank and Trust Co., and also has an insurance company in his own name. Just recently, he purchased a dry cleaning business in Coral Gables, Fla., which will be one of a chain throughout the country.

He's also financially involved with a development company in San Jose, Calif., and has a golf equipment business and clothing interests.

Fact is, Sanders is so big he's trying to find a tax shelter.

# Brahmas Edge Toros, 38-34

The Brahmas outlasted the Toros, 38-34, in a ninth grade battle of Big Spring basketball teams here Thursday evening.

The contest was unreeled in the high school gymnasium.

The Brahmas, now 5-9 on the year, trailed by one point with 90 seconds to go but Rodney Imel captured a rebound and put it in for a score, after which Stanley Shanks hit two free throws for the winners.

Mike Randle wound up with 19 points for the Brahmas and a fine job on the boards, along with Rondle Brock.

The Brahmas return to play Monday night, at which time they oppose Snyder Lamar.

**AD BRAHMAS EDGE 38-34**

Brahmas (38) — Rodney Imel 2-6; Brock 2-5; Shanks 2-4; Brock 2-7; Stanley 0-0; Totals 14-38.

Toros (34) — Newman 2-4; Koloff 1-0-2; McCormick 0-0-0; Priebe 3-7; Carter 7-7-21; Winters 0-0-0. Totals 13-34.

# Tabbies Hit 100 Mark 4th Time

ROBY — Westbrook won its ninth straight game in District 10-B basketball play here Thursday night by routing Roby, 110-52. The Lions lost their ninth straight.

Roby could count only 20 points during the first half and was never a factor.

Coach Sam Scroggins had two boys hit 30 or more points. Robert Chambers led with 36 while Don Jarratt came in for 31.

Westbrook has scored over 100 points in four games this season — twice against Roby. They also passed that figure against the Big Spring JV's and Hobbs.

The Westbrook girls also won their ninth straight conference tilt, defeating Roby, 64-39. Christene Reed had 49 points for the winners.

Over-all, the Westbrook boys are 23-6 while the girls are 14-11. Miss Reed banged in 14 consecutive free shots for Westbrook in the opening period of the girls' game.

The Wildcats return to play Tuesday night at home against Hobbs.

**WESTBROOK (110)** — Chambers 16-26; Jarratt 11-31; Jackson 8-22; Richey 3-6; Benson 4-8; Matlock 3-7; Totals 45-20-110.

**ROBY (52)** — Daniel 6-11; Grantbaum 4-8; Brown 3-0-4; Holcomb 2-3-7; West 2-4-10; Kaser 1-2; Beschump 3-7; Dorris 2-4; Totals 36-58-119.

**WESTBROOK (64)** — Christene Reed 12-25-49; Chambers 2-6; Moore 4-19; Totals 18-28-64.

**ROBY (52)** — Lorette 8-3-19; Kiker 3-7-7; Moore 1-0-2; McWhite 4-1-9; Johnson 0-2-2; Totals 16-27-59.

# Umps Will Meet Next Thursday

The Permian Basin Umpire's Association will hold its first meeting of the year Thursday, Jan. 30, 7 p.m., in room E-1 at Permian High School in Odessa.

Discussion will be on the upcoming high school baseball season, schedules, rules and regulations. All umpires in the Odessa area and those in towns surrounding Odessa are invited and urged to attend, also any one interested in umpiring or interested in baseball in general.

The baseball coaches of the various Permian Basin high schools are especially invited to attend for any discussion pertaining to baseball and the duties of the umpire. The coaches are asked to urge their area umpires to attend this meeting.

# CAGE RESULTS

**EAST**  
Vernon 99, Comstock 87  
Northwestern 88, Mass. 44

**SOUTH**  
Clemson 95, Furman 82  
Georgia Tech 75, Rice 56  
Florida 57, Hawaii 49  
Davidson 71, Princeton 54  
Fairmont 51, 104, Salem 44

**MIDWEST**  
Drake 93, Bradley 86  
Baylor 103, Tarleton State 57

**SOUTHWEST**  
Arizona 51, Utah 88  
Arizona 76, Brigham Young 70  
Seattle 100, Weber State 52  
Idaho 66, Washington 53

# Vikings Defeat Foe, 42 To 31

Tom Sorley led the Goliad Vikings to a 42-31 victory over Goliad's Gladiators in Seventh grade basketball league play here Thursday night, scoring 15 points.

Each team now has a 3-6 record in the four-team circuit.

Ducky Robertson zeroed in for six points while Jimmy Stewart had five for the losers.

**GOLIAD GLADIATORS (31)** — Carlton 0-3-3; Dunn 1-0-2; Stewart 2-1-5; Butler 1-1-2; Reynolds 1-1-3; Burchell 1-0-2; Smith 0-1-1; G. Smith 0-0-0; Simmons 2-1-5; Battle 0-1-1; Robertson 3-0-4. Totals 11-3-31.

**GOLIAD VIKINGS (42)** — Dickens 12-4; McKee 2-5-5; Sorley 8-3-15; Lucy 3-0-4; Churchwell 2-5-5; Corliss 1-0-2; Shoffer 0-2-2; Weaver 1-0-2; Houser 1-0-2. Totals 31-22-31.

# Cardinals Shade Hobbs, 61-52

**HOBBS** — Hermleigh remained a factor in the District 10-B basketball race by defeating Hobbs, 61-52, here Thursday night.

Hermleigh's only conference loss has been to Westbrook.

In the girls' game, Hobbs won by a score of 52-35.

# Sands Wins 5th In Row In District 13-B Play

**LOOP** — Sands remained atop District 13-B in boys' basketball standings by defeating Loop, 79-25, here Thursday night.

The Mustangs are now 5-0 within the league and 17-2 overall. Sands returns to play Tuesday night, at which time it hosts Flower Grove.

The Sands girls lost a heart-breaker, 54-52, after playing "catch-up" most of the way.

In the girls' B game, Sands won, 34-24. Cynthia Richter hitting 24 points for the winners and Terry Freeman 14 for LOOP.

The Sands A girls are 12-12 over-all and 1-4 in league standings.

The Sands boys led Loop, 44-11, at half time and coach James Blake made liberal use of his reserves much of the way.

Twelve players got into the scoring act for Sands. Steve Herm was the only Mustang in double figures and he barely made it, with 10 points.

R. Mills paced the Longhorns with 10 points.

In the girls' A game, Shara Dee Hambrick counted 27 points for Sands while Vicky Todd led Loop with 28.

**BOYS' GAME**  
SANDS (79) — Houser 3-8; Maxwell 2-7; Taylor 2-3-7; Peugh 4-1-9; Kenner 1-0-2; Fryar 4-1-9; Herm 4-2-10; Lewis 2-2-4; Newcomer 2-3-4; Gaskins 1-0-2; Herres 1-2-4; Robles 3-1-7. Totals 28-19-79.

**LOOP (25)** — Mills 4-10; Cavahorn 1-0-4; McKinnie 1-0-2; Freeman 1-0-2; Arncine 2-1-5; Aldridge 0-2-2. Totals 9-2-25.

**LONGHORNS (10)** — R. Mills 4-1-9; Loop 0-0-0; G. Mills 0-0-0; Totals 10-0-0.

**GIRLS' GAME**  
SANDS (52) — Hambrick 9-9-27; Woods 7-0-14; Jan Nichols 4-1-9; Sandra Nichols 0-0-0; Totals 20-12-52.

**LOOP (54)** — Vicky Todd 12-4-28; Cavahorn 5-6-6; Smith 7-5-19; Noble 0-1-1; Totals 22-10-54.

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# Five Get Silver Beaver Awards At Council Meet

Douglas Russell, winner of two Olympic medals at Mexico City, didn't get to address the annual Buffalo Trail Council Boys Scout meeting here Thursday evening, but he got the sort of ovation he might have received.

When Malcolm Abel, Midland, council president, paid a tribute to the Eagle Scout from his...



Big Roundup

A double line of police surrounded demonstrators at San Francisco State yesterday after an illegal rally was held in the cen-

tral area of the campus. Over 400 students and demonstrators were herded into police vans and removed to the Hall of Justice.

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## Hickel Takes Office Oath, Nixon Paraphrasing Bible

WASHINGTON (AP) — With President Nixon looking on, Walter J. Hickel took his belated oath of office today as secretary of the interior.

Nixon prefaced the ceremony by paraphrasing a passage from the Bible: "The last shall be first as far as this administration is concerned."

Chief Justice Earl Warren administered the oath to Hickel, who has been governor of Alaska and who became the only Nixon Cabinet choice to stir Senate opposition. The other 11 Cabinet members, all confirmed unanimously by the Senate, were sworn in Wednesday.

Hickel's nomination was approved by the Senate Thursday over the opposing votes of 16 Democrats.

Senate critics of Hickel questioned his dedication to the cause of conservation.

"Mr. Hickel is on notice from both ends of Pennsylvania Avenue," said Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield after Hickel was confirmed Thursday by a vote of 73 to 16.

"It will probably mean he will be a very good secretary of the interior," Mansfield added. Mansfield, paired against confirmation, said the vote has no significance for the future and "we're very hopeful relations will be good."

Hickel, whose views on conservation and water pollution had stirred a storm of controversy, was the last of Nixon's 12 Cabinet appointees to be sworn in Wednesday.

Also confirmed Thursday was multimillionaire California industrialist David R. Packard as deputy secretary of defense.

The vote was 82 to 1. Tennessee Democrat Albert Gore, declaring the nomination constitutes "a conflict of interest as plain as the nose on your face," cast the single "nay."

Packard's \$300-million stock holdings in an electronics company he helped begin raised the conflict - of - interest questions. His company has done substantial business with the Defense Department, so Packard plans to put the stock in a trust from which he will derive no income or profit.

Dividends and any increase in the stock's value will go to charity and education, but he can reclaim it when he leaves government service.

All 16 dissenting votes on the Hickel nomination were cast by Democrats. All Republicans either voted for the Alaska governor or stated support of him.

The dissenters included such luminaries as Edward M. Kennedy, the party whip; Fred R. Harris, the chairman of the National Democratic Committee and Sen. Edmund S. Muskie and Eugene J. McCarthy, possible 1972 presidential candidates.

Several lesser appointees won quick approval, but the Senate Armed Services Committee put off action until next week on nominations of John H. Chafee as secretary of the Navy and Dr. Robert C. Seamans Jr. as secretary of the Air Force.

Its ranking Republican, Sen. Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, accused the Nixon administration of "a serious error" in not asking the Senate to reconfirm Stanley R. Resor, who is remaining as secretary of the Army.

The annual March of Dimes airlift at Howard County Airport is still on the agenda for Sunday, Bill McLaughlin, chairman of the event, said this morning. Flights will begin at 1:30 p.m. and continue until dusk.

The Teen Day program, originally set for Saturday, has been delayed a week due to the inclement weather, according to Mrs. H. H. Stephens, executive secretary of the National Foundation.

## Jurors Face Big Docket

A panel of 20 prospects for the Howard County grand jury, which will convene at 9 a.m. Tuesday on the third floor of the Howard County courthouse, was selected Thursday by a three-man jury commission.

The January term of the grand jury will face one of the heaviest dockets in several years. Some 34 cases are slated for hearings, and more may be placed on the docket before the jurors meet. Five of the cases involve murder, and two more are for assault with intent to murder.

Named to the grand jury panel are Shirley Fryar, Ike Robb, Earnest Welch, Lowell Jones, Bert Shive, R. D. Cramer, Mrs. Malcolm Paterson, Bob Brock, E. S. Murphy, V. E. Jones, Bill Bradford, J. D. Elliott, Mrs. Marie Price, Clyde McMahon Sr., C. C. Wolf, Harold Davis, Mrs. C. D. Read, Garner McAdams, Clovis Phinney Sr. and Merrill Creighton.

Jury commissioners were H. D. Stewart, Hezlie N. Read Jr., and H. W. Smith.

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## Local Drivers Escape Injuries

Police investigated four minor traffic accidents here Thursday. Cars driven by Hollis Barton Shankles, Midland, and Rual Gonzales, 1510 Robin, collided in the intersection of Fourth and Rannels.

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## Downtown Area Without Water

A six-block area of downtown Big Spring was without water late Thursday afternoon when an eight-inch main was cracked at the site of the Crawford Hotel demolition. Work of razing the building was halted while city workers made the repair to the water line.

## FHA Will Move To New Quarters

Last of the county's federal agencies assigned quarters in the new Federal Building will move into their new offices on Jan. 30.

The other 12 agencies moved in a week ago.

The FHA had asked that it delay moving day until the end of the month to permit it to wind up year-end business before making the shift.

The FHA offices are currently at 610 Johnson.

## REPOS

General classification arranged alphabetically with sub-classifications listed under each:

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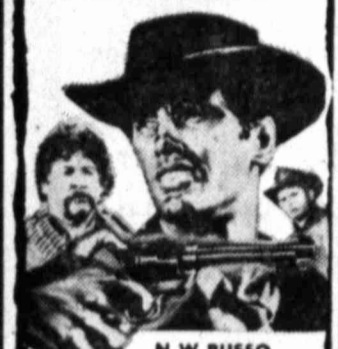
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### Bills To Aid Heart Transplant Doctors

AUSTIN (AP) — Heart transplant doctors should be exempt from liability and should be able to use a murder victim's heart, says the Interim Committee on Organ Transplants.



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The committee held its final meeting Thursday. Its three-bill package also would leave the definition of death up to the medical profession, prevent the doctor who certifies the death from being a member of the transplant team and call for an immediate inquest by the medical examiner when doctors want to use an organ from a homicide victim.

Aw, How Nice! CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (AP) — Hamilton County officers said a prisoner struck a workhouse guard on the head and stole his truck to make good an escape.

Who would have suspected the sergeant? ROD STEIGER STUNS AS THE SERGEANT



Terror—And Then Confession

Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher told a Navy court of inquiry in dramatic detail yesterday how he confessed to spying after cruel torture tactics by his captors shortly after the USS Pueblo was captured a year ago.

show him writing his confession. At left he appears in a North Korean film shown in the U.S. that same date. At right, his face reflects his ordeal as he talked to newsmen in South Korea only hours after the release of himself and his crew Dec. 23, 1968.

## Pueblo Skipper Describes Aura Of Terror In Prison

CORONADO, Calif. (AP) — From his lonely prison room in North Korea, U.S. Navy Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher could hear little children laughing. Children went by outside singing a marching song. Things were improving. A few days before, on March 5, 1968, Bucher and his 81 men from the USS Pueblo had been moved to the prison in the countryside. It was six or seven miles from Pyongyang, the capital of North Korea, Bucher told a court of inquiry Thursday.

thought their medical treatment, considering all things, was barely adequate. In some cases, though, it was just short of miraculous. "They did have penicillin. But their sterilization and cleanliness standards were far below those at home. "I'm sure that because of this several of us contracted hepatitis. I was one of those. "At one time I had lost approximately 100 pounds." Bucher said he was given a half a pack of cigarettes every day and he and his men were getting tooth brushes and tooth paste.

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No Legal Reason For Stilted Prose NEW YORK (AP) — Will Sparks is the man who took the "whereases" out of presidential proclamations.

Well, Why Not? CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo. (AP) — When Linda Kathryn Ham came to the Southeast Missouriian to announce her engagement she asked that full names be used.



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## Firemen From 10 Towns Fight Blaze

PRYOR, Okla. (AP) — Firemen from 10 communities battled icy winds and sub-freezing temperatures Tuesday night to combat a blaze which whipped through a half-block business area of downtown Pryor.

Six businesses—Avenue TV, the Mayes County Farm Bureau office, an Otasco store, a Skelgas office, an accountant's office and the Mule-Skin Brown Furniture Store — were destroyed by the flames.

There was no official estimate of damage. Firemen, who brought the blaze under control within four hours, theorized the fire may have started from an exploding tube or faulty wiring in the television shop and spread to other stores.

The fire was reported shortly after 5 p.m. and within two hours had swept over a half block along Graham Avenue, Oklahoma Highway 20.

At one time, flames were shooting more than 100 feet into the sky and the shingled roof of a house more than 600 feet from the inferno was ignited by wind-blown cinders. The fire was quickly put out.

Fire fighting units from Catoosa, Jay, Locust Grove, Wagoner, Tulsa, Claremore, Chouteau, Owasso and Chelsea assisted the Pryor department in battling the fire.

Spray from the nozzles of fire hoses formed icicles on power lines and the water froze as it dripped down the clothing of firemen.

By 9 p.m. firemen from the neighboring communities began rolling in their hoses, but the Pryor department remained to prevent the smoldering debris from rekindling.

A Pryor Chamber of Commerce banquet was canceled as many of those who planned to attend pitched in to help fight the blaze and remove merchandise from the stores.

It was the second major fire in the northeastern Oklahoma community in two weeks. A fire of undetermined origin destroyed Pryor High School on Jan. 12, causing \$300,000 damage.

Unexpectedly Became Mother HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Mrs. Irving Crawford, 47, unexpectedly became a mother when doctors removing a tumor also delivered a nine-pound daughter.

Her doctor said the tumor had forced the child into such a position that its heartbeat could not be detected before the operation Wednesday.

The Crawfords, married 25 years, have two adopted children and are guardians of three others.

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