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LIFTS LID Nixon Tackles Oil Shortage

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon will lift all restrictions on the importation of home heating oil from overseas to meet the widening fuel shortage, Rep. Silvio O. Conte, R-Mass., said today.

Conte, a congressional leader in pressuring Nixon to lift the import quotas, quoted White House officials as saying the barriers to foreign oil would be dropped for four months.

Gen. George A. Lincoln, director of the Office of Emergency Preparedness, has scheduled a news conference later today to talk about import quotas.

In a telephone interview, Conte said the lifting of the quotas applies only to No. 2 oil, used in the refining of home heating oil and in some electric power generating plants.

Defender's Profanity

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — An assistant public defender is facing a 40-day jail sentence today because of an outburst of profanity in district court Tuesday.

Frank Kirk Jr. drew the penalty in the trial of William Goodlet, 29-year-old Black Muslim charged in the robbery of an Edmond store.

Kirk made a profane rebuttal from the defense table after a remark by Asst. Dist. Atty. Al Hoch to the effect that the attorney had been coaching Goodlet on what to testify.

"That's a — damn lie," Kirk exclaimed. Associate District Court Judge Ben LaFon admonished Kirk and ordered him to serve 30 days. Kirk quickly apologized to the court, but added that Hoch's remark was still "a lie."

Judge LaFon then added 10 more days to the sentence.

Nightwatchman Dumped In Field

ROARING SPRINGS, Tex. (AP) — Clyde Clifton, 55, a nightwatchman for the Motley County sheriff's department, was abducted Tuesday night, taken outside the city and dumped in a field. Before he could return to his post, several rifles and shotguns were stolen from a local store.

Officers said Clifton was jumped by two or three men who told him he wouldn't be hurt if he "behaved himself."

Deputies searched for the abductors, the missing weapons, and Clifton's pickup truck.

Odessa Stabbing Death Raps Filed

ODESSA (AP) — Johnny Dawson Jr., 25, and Wanda N. Camp, 44, a cocktail waitress, both of Odessa, were charged with murder late Tuesday in the stabbing death of Vernon W. Archer, 37, a Ballinger truck driver.

Both accused were brought before City Judge Cecil Hardwick, who set bond at \$25,000 for each.

LaFITTE NOT FIT COUNCILMAN

PASADENA, Tex. (AP) — City Councilman Don LaFitte said Tuesday he had no plans to seek any more political offices at the close of his present term because of "illness and fatigue." "The voters are sick and tired of us," said LaFitte, who has served four two-year terms on the council of this Houston suburb.

Briscoe Asks Legislature To Reinstate Death Penalty

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe asked the legislature today to pass a wiretapping law, toughen parole and confession statutes and reinstate the death penalty for certain crimes.

Briscoe appeared before lawmakers near the start of his first full day as Texas' chief executive and advocated toughness toward drug pushers and other criminals.

CRIME PICTURE
"Our crime picture in Texas is clouded by evidence that organized crime has become an insidious presence within our borders, involving the narcotics traffic, gambling and even auto theft," Briscoe told a joint session of the House and Senate.

But he added: "Texas is in the frontier stage of organized crime. We still have time to react and to do something about it."

Specifically, he recommended:

—A law permitting police to use "electronic surveillance"—or wiretapping as it is commonly called—to fight organized crime.

"At the same time, the uses of electronic surveillance must be carefully limited and the penalties for abuse of this power must be high. No bill will ever have my support which does not protect law-abiding citizens from the invasion of their privacy," he said.

—Legislation requiring that "good time" credits for a prisoner's good behavior come off the top of his sentence and be credited toward his minimum time for parole as they now are.

DEATH PENALTY

"A prisoner should not be eli-

gible for parole until he has served a longer portion of his sentence," Briscoe said.

—New laws or constitutional provisions giving judges power to deny bail when they feel the release of a prisoner "would endanger the public. Experience proves that those released on bond commit a large percentage of crimes."

—Repeal of laws against the use of oral or unsigned confessions as evidence in criminal trials. "This will bring Texas into line with all other states and the federal government," Briscoe said.

—Reinstatement of the death penalty in certain cases, including the murder of policemen and firemen. The U.S. Supreme Court recently ruled that the death penalty, as applied in Texas, was unconstitutional.

Briscoe was not as specific in his drug recommendations, nor his proposals on public officials' ethics, education, economy in government, the environment and the energy crisis.

"To the extent that we can do so, within the confines of the Bill of Rights, we simply must stop the use of dangerous drugs. We must be tough and unyielding to those who supply drugs to the users, and save our compassion for those whose weaknesses have embroiled them in this awful existence," he said.

POT PENALTIES

Revision of penalties for marijuana possession should be considered only along with the complete revision of all Texas drug laws, he said.

"After we have a complete revision of our drug laws—after we have acted to cut off the drug supplies—after we have

agreed on effective methods of dealing with pushers in the harshest way we can — then, and only then, should we consider a reduction of the penalty for first possession of a small amount of marijuana," Briscoe said.

He said that "in the near future" he would submit legislation that would "strengthen efforts to expunge the pusher from society and remove the users of heroin and other dangerous drugs from the streets and to place them in confinement or in hospitals where rehabilitation can be tried."

Penalties, he said, should be "structured to hinder, rather than encourage, the traditional climbing of the ladder from marijuana and other less dangerous substances to the hard drugs."

Kidnap Rich Industrialist

PAMPLONA, Spain (AP) — Basque guerrillas kidnaped a wealthy Spanish industrialist Tuesday night and apparently

whisked him toward France.

Unconfirmed reports said the guerrillas, members of the Basque underground organization

ETA, were demanding \$783,000 for the release of Felipe Huarte, 50, an executive in one of the country's biggest construction firms.

Just across the border at Bayonne, France, the ETA issued a statement saying Huarte would be released if workers in his Torfinasa firm were guaranteed raises, one-month paid vacations and sick pay.

The kidnaping was the third in two years by ETA which is seeking the overthrow of the Franco government and independence for the Basque provinces in northwest Spain.

Four armed men were waiting in Huarte's Pamplona country home when he and his wife returned from a movie. Authorities said the men locked Mrs. Huarte and a servant in the cellar, forced Huarte into his own car and sped off.

Several Burglaries May Be Cleared By Probe

Suspects in two Howard County burglaries have been located in Kansas jails, Sheriff A. N. Standard said this morning.

In a trip to Kansas Sunday and Monday, Standard recovered two calculators stolen from the Acuff Gin now owned by Wendell Shive.

A television he believes was stolen from the Coahoma gin on or about Dec. 24 is locked in a warehouse. He thinks an adding machine will be found, too.

Recovery of the television is pending issuance of a search warrant, the sheriff said. Authorities from Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas began investigating burglaries in 14 different cities after a 48-year-old man and his wife were arrested in connection with a burglary near Garden City around Jan. 1.

Burglaries in Hereford, Amarillo, Oklahoma City and possibly Arlington may be cleared through the investigation. Sheriff Standard said the thefts were reported to Austin and through Austin to Washington, D.C. where they were recorded in computers.

While in Kansas, he inquired in Wichita about a man in custody of a U.S. Marshall and charged with interstate transportation of stolen property, an automobile.

He now expects to receive a signed statement from the 22-year-old suspect concerning the Labor Day Weekend burglary of the Clovis Phinney Jr. residence in Coahoma. Guns and several miscellaneous items were taken, Standard said. The automobile trip to Kansas cost the taxpayers \$39, Standard mentioned.

Book Display Opens Here

Most historians remember Davey Crockett more as a killer of bears than an author, but his book "Col. Crockett" written by himself in 1939 is among the rare books that are on display in Big Spring today.

It joins many other books which were among those collected last year in West Texas to begin a library at the University of Texas in the Permian Basin.

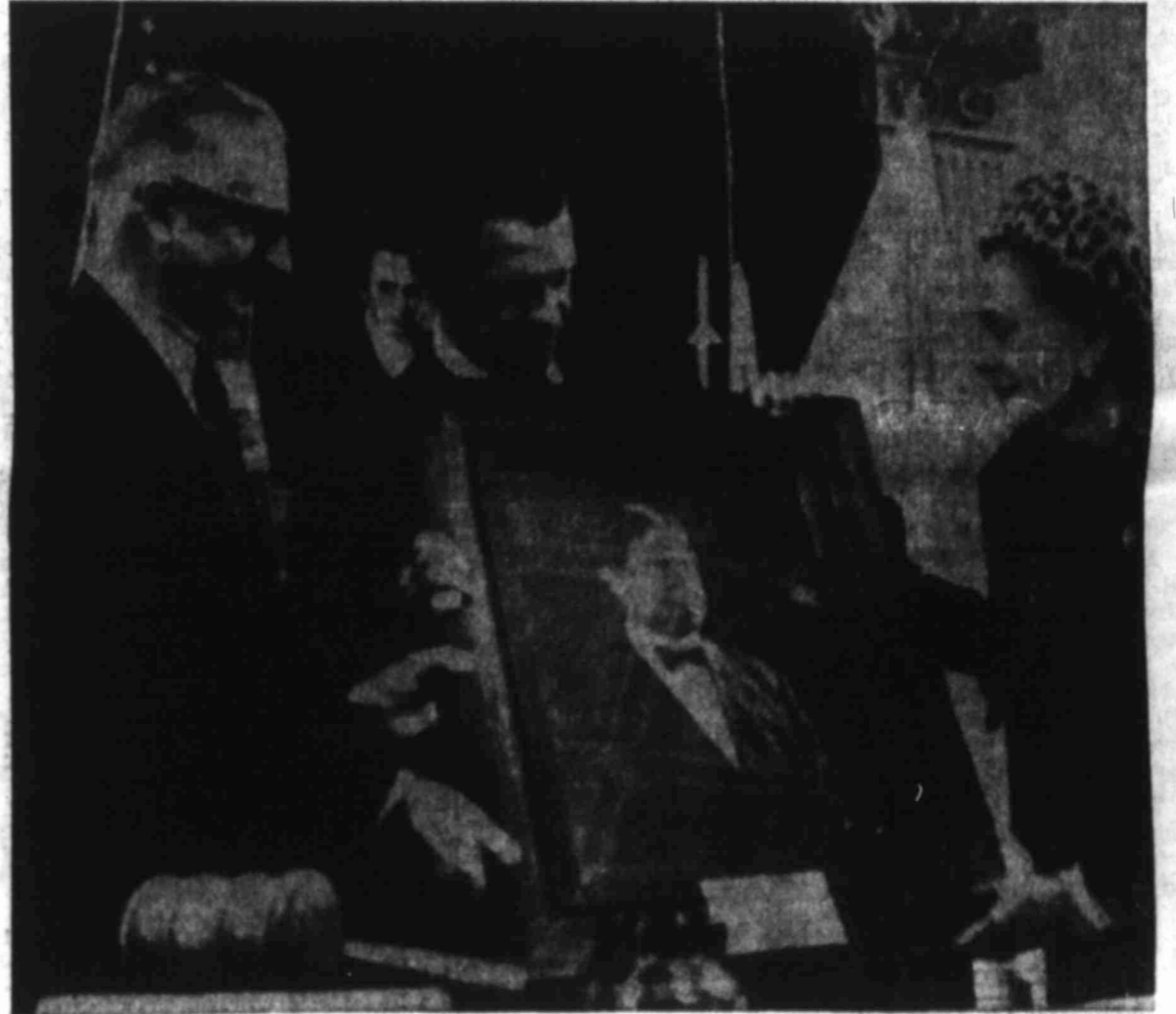
The rare book display is being taken from town to town and is on display here at First Federal Savings until 3 p.m. today when it will be moved to Webb Air Force base for a showing this afternoon.

People were already beginning to drift into the club room at 11:30 a.m. as the group touring with the books were hastily setting up the display.

The value of the books is great and they are accompanied by an armed guard as well as a group from the college, who answer questions. Their tour began in Mentone where they had a surprising number of visitors in the smallest county seat in the state. Then they went to Wink and Kermit. After today, they take one day off and then travel next to Denver City, Seagraves and Seminole.

CLOUDY

Partly cloudy. Considerable cloudiness tonight. Decrease in cloudiness Thursday. High this afternoon, near 70. Low tonight, upper 30s. High Thursday, mid 60s.



PORTRAIT PRESENTED TO HOBBY — Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and his mother, Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, admire a portrait of his father, the late Gov. William P. Hobby, which was presented to Hobby by Sen. A. M. Alkin of Paris in the Senate today. The portrait is being loaned by the Texas Library to remain in Lt. Gov. Hobby's possession as long as he serves in the post.

HC Trustees Act To Modify Insurance Premium Outlay

Trustees of Howard County Junior College took a look at rising insurance costs Tuesday, then decided on two steps to modify the premium outlay.

The board voted to maintain the policy of insuring for replacement costs, which meant raising insured values from the current \$4,142,000 to a new level of \$4,600,000. At the same time the board elected to take a \$5,000 deductible clause which will cut the new \$41,344 premium for three years by \$6,615. Three years ago when the college took out its policy, it received a 20 per cent discount because of the nature of its operations. This was declared later to be preferential rating, but in its stead this time there will be the prospect of a 15 per cent dividend. Both of these could pull the premium down to around \$29,000, or about \$4,000 more than three years ago.

Presenting the recommendations to the board were Bill Estes, Malcolm Patterson and Horace Reagan, representing the Big Spring Association of Insurance Agents. The association prates the commission among members, also some non-members. It also provides \$900 a year scholarships to HCJC and recently supplied the defensive driver education materials and equipment to the college.

The board also adopted a policy tightening up the policy of paying full-time faculty members for extra duties. This does not preclude (or necessarily invite) payment for

The ... INSIDE ... News

Bills offered a legislature would let men wed at 18 without parental consent, reinstate the death penalty, require voters to disclose their party affiliation in advance. See Page 3-A.

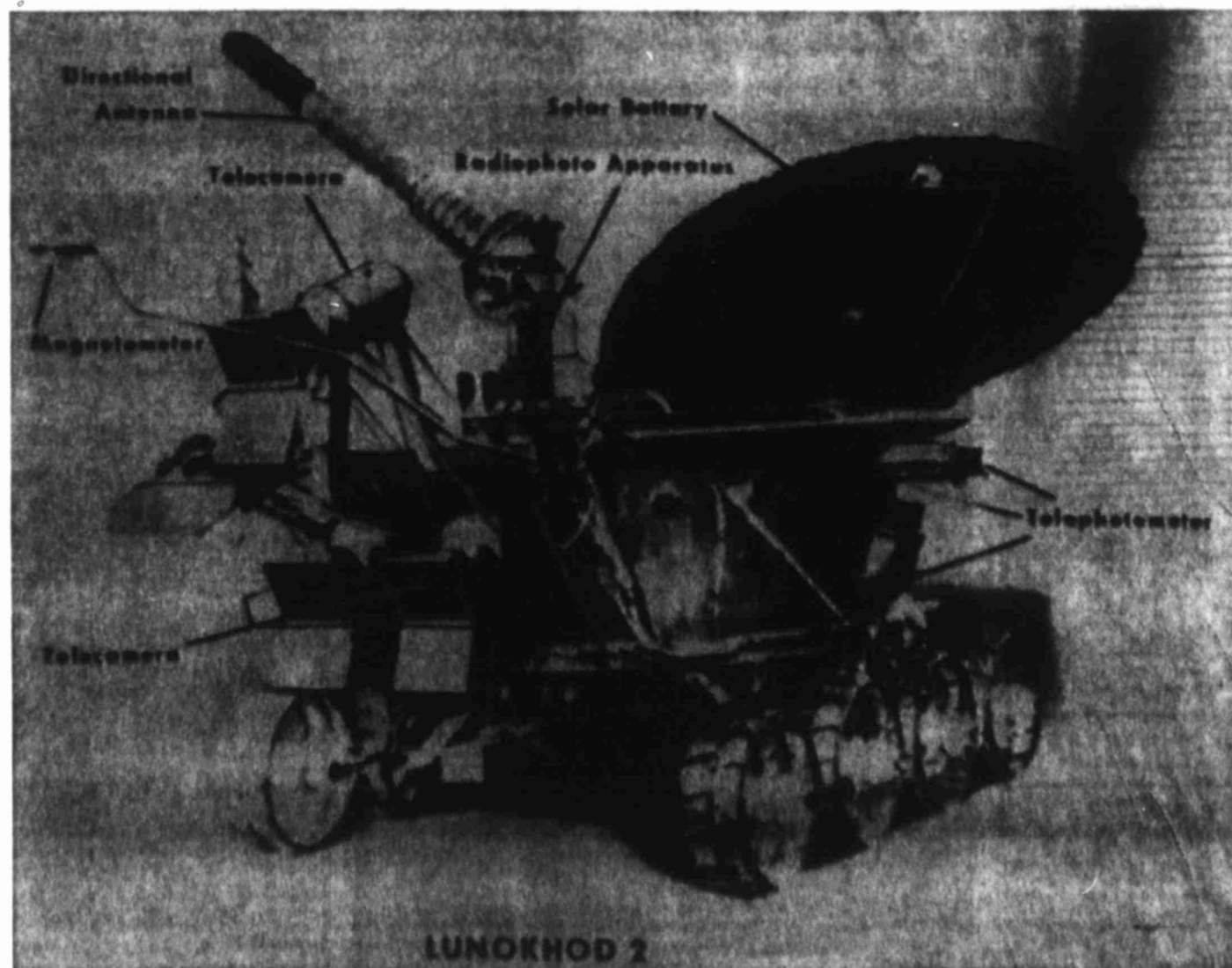
A former executive of National Bankers Life Insurance Co., Sam Stock, faces cross-examination in trial of former State Insurance Commissioner John Osorio. See Page 3-A.

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extra duties, such as continuing education instruction, etc. or helping with other college functions. The board also asked Dr. Thomas Salter, president, to begin drafting a policy on travel so there would be a uniform remuneration. Ronnie Phillips was approved as the men's dormitory supervisor for the spring term at a figure of \$1,000. He succeeds Eddie Trice, whose resignation was approved, as was that of John M. Bayne.

A contract for \$1,628 for the presentation of 5,000 colored brochures to be used in HCJC recruiting and as more economical substitution of the collegier catalogue for initial inquiries was approved. It will go to Craftsman of Lubbock. Trustees signatures for bank accounts were approved. Welcomed to the meeting was Tony Wynn, new vice president of the college.

Trustees also instructed Dr. Salter to apply for the 206 acres of land which the GSA has declared surplus to Webb AFB operations. Dr. P. W. Malone reported on a trend among junior colleges to take education to where the people are instead of sticking to the main campus, a trend noted in the HCJC cooperation with the Lamesa Education Center and the center at Goodfellow AFB in San Angelo.



SOVIET MOON CAR — The Soviet news agency Tass released this drawing today of Lunokhod 2, a robot vehicle that rolled onto the lunar surface Tuesday after the Soviet spaceship Luna 21 landed on the moon. Tass

labeled several pieces of equipment on the rover, translated to English here. It has eight wire wheels and is equipped with television cameras to transmit scenes to earth. The vehicle is powered by solar batteries.

Illegitimate Children In Texas Ruling Made

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fathers of illegitimate children can be compelled by the state to provide support for them, the Supreme Court ruled 7 to 2 today.

Banner Year Is Reported

COAHOMA — The best year yet was reported to stockholders of the Coahoma State Bank in their annual meeting Wednesday morning at the bank.

Suspect In Case Free On Bond

A 37-year-old man was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on suspicion of possession of dangerous drugs and released on \$1,000 bond set by Peace Justice Walter Grice Tuesday night.

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already could be required to support their offspring. "A state may not invidiously discriminate against illegitimate children by denying them substantial benefits accorded children generally," said an unsigned opinion.

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Verl I. Green, education officer, stressed that these courses are open to anyone, civilian or military. They earn credit as though they were taken on the Sul Ross campus.

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THANKS FOR JOB WELL DONE Harold Bentley congratulates Mrs. Clyde Thomas

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'Wetback' Has Same Right To Collect Workmen's Comp

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Illegal aliens from Mexico, commonly known as "wetbacks" have the same right as American citizens to collect workmen's compensation benefits if they are injured at work, the Texas Supreme Court ruled today.

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at the trial of his case to recover workmen's compensation benefits. "Yes," he replied. Commercial Standard claimed illegal aliens were not entitled to workmen's compensation.

Herring Named To New Post

Dal Martin Herring has been approved as director of continuing education for Howard County College effective with the Spring semester, according to Joseph D. Godsey, director of occupational education and technology of the Texas Education Agency.

Chapter To Meet At VA Hospital

An important meeting of the American Heart Association chapter is scheduled for 7 p.m. Thursday at the VA Hospital.

THEFTS

Breaking and entering at 601 N. Douglas, missing a portable television, tape deck, clock radio and clothing. Undetermined value.

KENTWOOD PEOPLE WANT THEIR TRASH - AND ALLEYS, TOO

The residents in the Kentwood Addition are sending back a flow of answers to the opinion survey on a sacked-trash tryout by the city sanitation department.

Building Permits Are Booming

Building permits for the first half of January have exceeded the total for all of 1971 and now stand at two-thirds of the 1972 mark.

Abandonments

HOWARD - Ken Murren and S. C. Montgomery 1.320 from north and south sections 22-18, SPRR, location abandoned.

COMPLETIONS

MARTIN - Spraberry Trend - Adobe No. 1-G Glass, 1.320 from north and south sections 22-18, T&P, 18 miles north of Stanton; total depth 9,637.

DAILY DRILLING

MARTIN - Adobe No. 3-N. Sale ranch drilling 235 redbeds.

In order to uphold that contention, the court said, "it would be necessary to hold that an illegal alien has no legal capacity to enter into any contractual obligations nor any right of redress in the courts."

Order Of Arrow Sets Work Week

The first work week-end of the year for the Order of the Arrow is to be held the weekend of Jan. 19, 20 and 21.

MISHAPS

At Sands Motel parking lot: Gelen Warren Shelly, 1211 Main, and parked vehicle belonging to Robert Gonzales, San Antonio; 7:23 a.m. Tuesday.

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BAA, BAA WHITE SHEEP

Wayne Webb is applying an air hose to fluff up the wool on the lamb entry of his daughter, Tammie, at the annual Martin County Junior Livestock Show to be held in Stanton Friday and Saturday.

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DUAL INTENTIONS — Three boys do the community a good turn by retrieving empty cans which can be redeemed with beverage makers. The youngsters are Mark Johnson, 7; Randy Johnson, 8; and John Coffee, 10.

Would Let Man Wed At 18 Without Parental Consent

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Men could marry at age 18 without parental consent under a bill submitted by Rep. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood.

Nabers' bill would lower the age from the present 19. The Texas Family Code already allows young women to marry at 18 without their parents' approval.

The measure also would allow boys of 16 and girls of 14 to petition a court in their own names for permission to marry if their parents refused to consent. A judge could give this permission if he found marriage would be in the couple's best interests.

HOMO COUPLES
Nabers' measure also would change provisions in the code to provide that "a man and a woman" instead of "persons" must appear before a county clerk to obtain a marriage license. There have been recent instances in which homosexual couples sought marriage licenses, but the late Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin ruled they were not entitled to receive the licenses.

Another provision of the bill would enable parents to obtain annulments of marriages between boys under 16 and girls under 14.

A suit would have to be filed within 90 days after the parents learned of the marriage and within 90 days after the boy's 16th birthday or the girl's 14th birthday.

The bill was filed with House Chief Clerk Dorothy Hallman for formal introduction and reference to committee later.

Sen. Jack Ogg of Houston filed a bill in the Senate providing the death penalty for several categories of murder, including the slaying of police-

men, firemen or prison guards; murder for hire; assassination of public officials; and killings during the course of a rape, robbery or other crime.

PARTY TIES
Rep. Joe Salem of Corpus Christi filed a bill requiring registration of one's party affiliation at least 30 days before

voting in a party primary election. He said his bill, if passed, would reduce the amount of cross-over voting in primaries, "when an individual voted in the primary of one political party, then voted in the general election for the nominees of the other political parties."

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ASTRO ANGRY
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When they rejected the stock, Conrad testified, Sharp became "quite perturbed, quite angry," but none of the five could identify the person who ordered the securities in the name of the astronauts.

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colleagues of the availability of the stock at Sharp's request, but, likewise, was unaware that the securities were being purchased in their name.

All six said they never had business contact with Osorio, who contends Sharp dictated all the transactions, including the one for which he (Osorio) is on trial.

Stock's testimony involved the use of NBL pension funds as collateral to purchase the securities issued to the astronauts and later in the acquisition of Master Control Inc. stock.

He said the retirement fund absorbed nearly \$28,000 in interest fees on the purchase of the NBL stock before it was finally sold for the \$641,250 which the fund had paid for it.

The second transaction involved a \$105,000 loan from Sharp's bank to buy 7,000 shares of Master Control stock, which Stock said first was ordered by a sister firm, South Atlantic Co.

PROFIT PLEDGE
The former NBL official said Osorio told him Sharp personally guaranteed the loan and a profit for the pension fund.

Law Enforcement Course To Begin
The Permian Basin Law Enforcement Academy announces a 40 hour in-service school for law enforcement officers to be conducted at the Odessa police department, Jan. 22-26. Text of the school will be Conversational Spanish, instructed by Paul Brooks from the West Texas Education Center. The use of Spanish in personal contacts by Law Enforcement Officials will be included in the training.

The school is funded through a Criminal Justice training grant from the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission.

OSORIO TRIAL Pension Fund Evaporated, Witness Says

AMARILLO, Tex. (AP) — A former official of the National Bankers Life Insurance Co. faced a new round of questioning today in the conspiracy-embezzlement trial of one-time NBL president John Osorio.

Sam Stock, once a defendant in the case, told Tuesday how the NBL's \$300,000 pension fund evaporated in a series of deals linked to the Texas stock fraud scandals.

Both he and Osorio were trustees of the fund during the period in 1970 that Houston financier Frank Sharp's empire, which included the Dallas insurance company, collapsed under investigation by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

FACES CROSS
Stock was to undergo cross-examination by the defense when the trial resumes in U.S. District Court.

Stock was separated from this trial when he pleaded guilty in a federal court in Dallas to filing a false annual report on the NBL's depleted employee fund.

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The Permian Basin Law Enforcement Academy announces a 40 hour in-service school for law enforcement officers to be conducted at the Odessa police department, Jan. 22-26. Text of the school will be Conversational Spanish, instructed by Paul Brooks from the West Texas Education Center. The use of Spanish in personal contacts by Law Enforcement Officials will be included in the training.

The school is funded through a Criminal Justice training grant from the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission.



He's Avoided

Jean Adams' TEEN FORUM

They can't waste their time on someone who won't ask them.

Second, be yourself. Don't try to copy someone else. No matter how good that someone else is, his manners are false to you. You come off false when you try to be a copy cat. Being yourself, you may not be the greatest but you are honest. Honest girls like honest boys.

AVOIDED: (Q.) I have a friend who is very popular with girls. I'm not. I copy him, but it does no good. The girls flock to him. They avoid me.

I go to dances and try to talk to girls, but I do not have the courage to ask one to dance with me, so they wander away. I am very sensitive. If I asked one to dance and she said no it would kill me.

Help me to be like my friend. — Born Under the Wrong Sign in Pennsylvania.

(A) First, you won't die if a girl says no to you. You won't die if a hundred girls say no to you. Millions of boys and men have heard a girl say no. They aren't dead. Next dance, ask the first girl you talk to to dance with you. And the next, and the next. Keep asking. Someone will dance with you. The girls are there to dance.

leaving declarer with another loser in that suit. South put up the king of hearts and returned a diamond to North's queen. East was in with the ace and he led back a club to the ace. The king of diamonds was cashed on which South discarded his remaining club. The jack of spades was overtaken by the king and declarer began drawing trump by cashing the ace of hearts and then leading the jack.

West was in with the queen of hearts as his partner discarded a club. West put South back in dummy with a spade. A diamond was led. East played the jack and there was no way that declarer could prevent West from scoring the setting trick with the nine of hearts on an overruff. In all, South lost two hearts, one diamond and one club.

Declarer would have avoided being ended in dummy by playing a second round of spades before he starts the trumps. Suppose that he cashes North's ace of spades first and then overtakes the jack with the king. Now, when the ace of hearts is played, he can discard the queen of spades from dummy. Observe that South's ten becomes the master card in that suit.

When West wins the queen of hearts, he must put South back in on the return, whether he leads a spade or a club. Declarer draws the remaining trump and limits his losses to one trick each in hearts, diamonds and clubs.

Military Disability Retirements Reshaped
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Defense Department acknowledged variances in military disability retirements today and pledged to tighten up the standards.

An "intensive and critical" review is under way in the military services, Lt. Gen. Leo Benade, deputy assistant secretary of defense, told a Senate armed services subcommittee.

SOME ABUSES
Chairman Harry Byrd Jr., Ind.-Va., said the subcommittee's call for a status report stemmed in part from the retirement on disability pay last year of Maj. Gen. John Lavelle, commander of the 7th Air Force, not long after he had passed a flight pay physical examination.

Byrd said a review of 1971 data showed that more than half of the Air Force generals retiring were given disability pay and that 70 per cent of the disability retirees had qualified within six months earlier for flight pay.

"There appears to be some abuses," Byrd said, reporting that 47.6 per cent of general officers retiring in 1971 were on disability, compared with 11.5 per cent in the rank of lieutenant colonel and 9.2 per cent for sergeant major.

Military retirements are costly, he said. The total cost is estimated at \$4.7 billion in fiscal year 1974, starting next July 1, including \$783 million for disability retirees.

Disability retirees also receive tax advantages costly to the government, he said, estimating that a general retiring after 30 years service would receive \$27,000 a year retired pay, of which \$18,000 would be non-taxable.

Benade said individuals seeking to remain on duty often minimize health problems "and may be less than frank" with examining physicians, but their concern shifts when facing imminent retirement.

"We believe it is clear that the law and applicable directives do not intend application of physical standards during a member's career and in another manner at retirement," Benade said.

Bridge Test

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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Both vulnerable. South deals.

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

WEST ♠ 8 4 2
♥ Q 8 6
♦ 8 4
♣ K 5 2

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

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

The bidding:
South West North East
1♥ Pass 2♦ Pass
2♥ Pass 3NT Pass
4♥ Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Deuce of ♣

The defense created two trump tricks in defending against South's four heart contract by locking the latter in dummy at a time when North had only diamond's left to lead. Declarer could have taken effective counter-measures, if he had thought ahead and anticipated the dilemma before it was thrust on him.

West opened the deuce of clubs, the ten was played from dummy and East covered with the jack which won the trick. He shifted to the three of hearts to remove dummy's trump. South was reluctant to finesse for if he played the ten and it lost to the queen, West might be expected to drive out the ace of clubs—thereby

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Study Disability Group To Meet

A combined meeting of the Howard County Association for Mentally Retarded Children and the Big Spring Branch of the Texas Association of Children

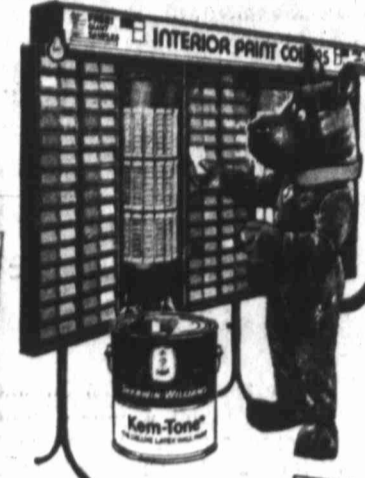
with Learning Disabilities is set Thursday 7:30 p.m. at the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center.

Those attending will see a film issued by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. entitled "Looking at Children."

Representatives from the learning disabilities group will also attend a public meeting in Midland Jan. 20 at 10 a.m. at the First Christian Church. The public is invited to attend this meeting.

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We are planning increases in the rates for some out-of-state calls.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company has filed a new schedule of interstate rates with the Federal Communications Commission which increases charges for some customer-dialed calls during weekday business hours, for some operator-assisted calls, for some person-to-person calls, and for WATS (Wide Area Telecommunications Service).

All rates for interstate Long Distance calls you dial yourself without operator assistance in the evenings, at night, and on weekends will remain unchanged.

The new rates for Long Distance calls become effective on January 22, 1973. The new rates for WATS become effective on March 13, 1973, unless suspended by the FCC.

Interim rates and supporting data have been filed with the Federal Communications Commission. The increases for Long Distance calls have been authorized by the FCC on an interim basis to be effective January 22, 1973. The FCC will conduct additional hearings on the lawfulness of the rates, and FCC rules permit any interested persons to appear and participate.

This will be only the second general increase in interstate Long Distance rate levels in almost 20 years. During this period, in spite of inflation, interstate Long Distance rates have been reduced repeatedly. Even with this increase, the level of the new rates will still be below the 1953 level. Yet in those 20 intervening years, the cost of living has gone up more than 50 percent. The new rates are designed to increase total revenues from interstate service by about two percent.

Here are the provisions of the new interstate rates:

- Some of the rates for station-to-station calls you dial yourself without operator assistance from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, will be increased five cents or 10 cents for the first three minutes.
- Some of the rates in all time periods for operator-assisted station-to-station calls (that includes credit-card, collect, third-number, hotel-guest, and coin telephone calls) will be increased five cents for the first three minutes.
- Some rates for person-to-person calls in all time periods will be increased five cents or 10 cents for the first three minutes.
- The rates for each additional minute on some calls in all time periods will be raised in a range from one cent to five cents.
- Interstate WATS rates will be increased about two percent.
- Rates for station-to-station calls you dial yourself without operator assistance during evenings, nights, or weekends will remain the same.

Examples of Long Distance rates for coast to coast calls

Time Period	Station-to-Station		Person-to-Person
	Dial Yourself	Operator-Assisted	
Weekdays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mon through Fri	70¢ first 3 minutes	\$1.40 first 3 minutes	\$3.55 first 3 minutes
Weekends 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sat and Sun	85¢ first 3 minutes	\$1.40 first 3 minutes	\$3.55 first 3 minutes
Evenings 5 p.m. to 11 p.m. Sun through Fri	35¢* first minute (minimum call)	\$1.40 minimum call (3 minutes)	\$3.55 minimum call (3 minutes)
Nights 11 p.m. to 8 a.m. daily	35¢* first minute (minimum call)	\$1.40 minimum call (3 minutes)	\$3.55 minimum call (3 minutes)
Weekdays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mon through Fri	\$1.45 first 3 minutes	\$1.85 first 3 minutes	\$3.55 first 3 minutes

Rates shown (tax not included) are for the days, hours and durations indicated, and for the types of calls specified at the head of the columns. Rates may be even less, of course, on out-of-state calls for shorter distances.
Dial yourself rates apply on all interstate calls (excluding Hawaii and Alaska) completed from a residence or business phone without operator assistance. They also apply on calls placed with an operator from a residence or business phone where direct dialing facilities are not available. Dial-direct rates do not apply to person-to-person, coin, hotel-guest, credit-card, or collect calls, or to calls charged to another number, because an operator must assist on such calls.
*One minute minimum calls available only at the times shown, and additional minutes are 70¢ each, coast to coast.



The Dilemma Of Gas

An almost airtight case can be made that members of Congress intended to exempt producers from price regulation of gas at the wellhead when they passed the Natural Gas Act of 1938. One of the passages in the act specifically exempted regulation at the wellhead.

They were surprised, therefore, when the Supreme Court of the United States ruled differently in the Phillips case in the early 1950s. The court held that it was the intent of Congress to regulate the price of gas from the well to the burner tip. It reasoned that regulation would be impossible if there was no control over pricing at the wellhead.

The Phillips case aroused quite a storm at the time. Congress made preparations to overturn the Supreme Court's ruling. But in the midst of the legislative process, some rather blatant attempts to influence votes, including rather large "campaign" contributions to certain members, were exposed. Congress passed the act, but President Eisenhower felt compelled to veto it.

There has been no further attempt of any consequence to overturn the Supreme Court's

decision. Yet those who apparently do not know their history are now suggesting the possibility that the Federal Power Commission—or somebody will lift price regulations from natural gas.

The fact is that Congress will be extremely wary of re-entering this legislative thicket. Today there are many vested interests who have important stakes in regulated gas prices. Electric utilities, even with automatic price-escalating contracts tied to prices of natural gas, probably would oppose deregulation. Residential users of natural gas would create such an uproar that members of Congress, mindful of the next election,

There remains a need, apparently, for the Legislature to spell out in detail what is and isn't acceptable public practice. For example, a state auditor, George McNeil, has reported that State Banking Commissioner Robert Stewart has maintained state deposits of \$100,000 in a small state bank (in Stockdale) run by a member of the State Banking Commission.

A code of ethics that will work is one of the

would do their best to shy away from unregulated gas prices.

Realism dictates that there is little likelihood in deregulating gas prices, for there is too much political mileage in those in the great megalopolises which are totally consumer oriented and could care less about producers.

As a result, perhaps within the decade, we may see most of the major population centers — particularly the heavy industries and big users — cut off natural gas. Their energy will have to come from coal or some other source, maybe even nuclear fusion.

Conflict Of Interest

Items to be sought by Speaker Price Daniel Jr. in the current legislative term.

Members of state commissions and boards, under the Texas System of government, exercise important powers and, once confirmed by the Senate, they are beyond the legal reach of the governor. The Legislature should provide laws and penalties for self-dealing and other conflicts with the public interest.

Alas, Poor Lefty

Around The Rim

Joe Pickle



A generation ago a colorful character by the name of John King was kept from a career in the major baseball leagues by his ability to hit lefthanded pitchers. He is given credit for reciting a statistical fact that a certain number of lefthanders went to World War I, adding that "every blankety-blank one of them came back." Induced by a southpaw to strike out four times in one game, the exasperated King grabbed a water keg from the dugout, dashed to the mound and doused the pitcher, bellowing: "Cool off, you left-handed so and so."

LEFTHANDERS are somehow connected with the abnormal, the zany, the spell-weavers, etc., which may account for so many of them in the newspaper business.

Actually, there is little to substantiate that the lefthander is any different from the righthander except that he uses his portside hand as his dominant one. This creates any number of problems, including bucking the tide on handwriting which moves from left to right, instead of the other way around. The ancient Greeks were more accommodating than we on this score, running one line from left to right, then coming back from right to left.

IN THE BEGINNING there must not have been much division between the lefties and righties. Artifacts left by primitive men suggest the nearly equal use of right and left hands. Most of man's early tools and utensils — the cup, knife, hammer, saw, axe, pail, etc. — were suitable from either side.

This gradually changed over the intervening centuries, according to a study by Northwestern National Life Insurance Company. Dr. David Merrell, university of Minnesota geneticist, says that both environment and heredity play an important role in man's tendency to have preferred

hand. You can't get hurt with a conclusion like that.

SOME EXPERT believes as the parents are, so are the children apt to be. Others say nonsense, why even identical twins occasionally have been known to prefer opposite hands as the dominant one.

Handedness is really a matter of preferential use. One is used for the finer more delicate movements, while the other is used as a complement, or a holding hand. Even animals, according to research by Dr. Harrison Tordoff, director of the Bell Museum in Minneapolis, show a definite preference to one side or another. Some of this is acquired, such as horses being taught that the rider always approaches from the left.

PERHAPS some of the suspicion that the hook-armed members of our species are somehow different arises from the account in Genesis that God took a rib out of Adam to make woman (supposedly leaving the left side the weaker, and perhaps accounting for the unaccountability of the females).

It's not all bad for the left-handers, for the ancient Greek word for left is "aristara," or the best, from which we derive our word "aristocrat." Dextros, the root word for our "dextrous," is the word for "situated on the right," "adroit," etc.

THE ROMANS referred to the left hand as "leava," or the hand which held the shield. Someone got the idea that lefthanders, who held the shield with their right hands, were somehow more susceptible to being whacked down in battle. So the portsideers were gradually eliminated.

The crowning blow, however, was the notion that the devil himself was lefthanded, hence the superstition of tossing a pinch of spilled salt over the shoulder.

Big Day For Uvalde

Robert E. Ford



By ROBERT HEARD (Substituting for Robert E. Ford)

AUSTIN (AP) — Heady times for Uvalde. The high school wins the Class 3-A football championship. Home town boy Dolph Briscoe is inaugurated governor. And Briscoe's daughter has a slumber party in Sam Houston's bedroom.

Citizens of that Southwest Texas town of 12,000 came by the hundreds — a chamber of commerce spokesman said 3,000 — to watch Briscoe take the oath of office Tuesday.

UVALDE TURNED out school. They used nine school buses and many chartered buses to bring those who hadn't already driven up the night before for the Democratic victory banquet.

It was a winter day of gray skies and brown grass, but that backdrop served to emphasize the reds and blues and greens of women's dresses.

COLE BRISCOE, 16, invited half a hundred classmates to spend the

They Seek Jobs

MONTREAL (AP) — A group of nine young people here used a \$21,000 federal Local Initiatives Program grant to help canvass industries for jobs that would help reintegrate people with emotional problems into society.



Billy Graham

My Answer

I am a broken hearted mother. My son is about to marry a woman twelve years his senior. This woman was a friend of the family, and I thought a Christian. Now, however, since she is about to steal my son from me, I think she is evil, and will only destroy his life. This woman's parents condemn me for my attitude and say that parents have no right to interfere in a love affair. Please help me. I hate her so.

L.G. I will agree that it is unusual for an 18-year-old boy to marry a woman 12 years older than he; both physically and psychologically, they will risk maladjustment. I am concerned, however, for one little phrase in your question — the last sentence: "I hate her so." Perhaps you are the possessive type of mother, and you might "hate" any woman, regardless of age, who threatened to take your son away.

Of course this is wrong — wrong for you, and wrong for all concerned. I can sympathize with your disappointment that your son is not marrying a girl his age, perhaps someone you've picked out, but you said two things which were on the plus side. You said, "She is a friend of the family, and a person of faith." This is far better, perhaps than his marrying a girl who does not share your convictions and idealism — one who could really isolate your son in more ways than one.

Read John 14:13 where the Bible says God will grant us what we ask according to His will. Then my advice is to ask God to give you love for hatred, understanding for frustration, and the willingness to accept that which you cannot understand, and over which you have no control.

A Devotion For Today

I am the vine, ye are the branches. (John 15:5)
PRAYER: Our Father, Thou who art the source of eternal life, purge us of all our unrighteousness. Deepen our commitment to Thee, and let nothing separate us from Thy love. In the name of Christ, the vine, we pray. Amen.

(From the 'Upper Room')

Can't Divulge

David Lawrence



WASHINGTON — The rumblings in Congress from members of the opposition party are evidently indications that President Nixon's second term will be subject to many challenges.

A THREAT, for example, has been made to block the confirmation of some of the new cabinet appointees unless Mr. Nixon agrees to let them testify freely before congressional committees. Demands are constantly being heard for "more information" on international affairs. Sen. Barry Goldwater, (R-Ariz.), who supports the President, has pointed out that it is not practical to give congressional committees the details of diplomatic negotiations, and that the conduct of foreign policy would be impaired if negotiations had to be reported to Congress.

THE EXECUTIVE branch of the government has always taken the position in every administration that information about matters related to foreign policy will be conveyed to Congress, but only when a decisive point has been reached — not while an important negotiation is in progress and particularly when it is at a delicate stage.

The reason is easy to understand — information that is "leaked" to the press which might cause nations endeavoring to help settle a controversy to refrain from participation at all.

MEMBERS OF the Senate have been told in a broad sense what the

difficulties are in getting peace with North Vietnam and the Viet Cong. The aid of neutral governments has been sought to persuade Hanoi to adopt a conciliatory attitude and make an agreement at Paris.

There also are controversies in Congress with the President about the expenditure of federal funds. The administration says it has been trying to limit spending. Judging by some of the comments on Capitol Hill, it might be thought that the biggest sums today are being spent on the Vietnam War. Actually, the cost of domestic programs has reached the highest point in our history, and the real problem of the federal government is how to stop deficits. The administration has not hesitated to give the committees any data sought on the subject of expenditures.

THE PRESIDENT'S determination to hold the budget to approximately \$250 billion will be successful only if both Houses are willing to reduce appropriations.

THE UNITED STATES during the year 1973 will be operating under less regulation of the economy than it has in the last two years. An opportunity is given management to raise prices but not to a point that cuts down sales. The advice to labor-union leaders is to make their requests for wage increases conform to the profit trends but to omit excessive demands which would push up costs and bring more inflation.

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Reverse Policy

Marquis Childs



MEXICO CITY — Beneath the solid economic progress the neighbor to the south of the United States has made in recent decades is a time bomb ticking inexorably on. The net population increase of 3.3 per cent, one of the highest in the world, means a doubling every 20 years, with a projected total of 130,000,000 by the end of the century. The present population is about 54,000,000.

EVIDENCE OF the threat of this explosion was a recent statement signed by 80 Roman Catholic bishops which, in effect, supported the government program of birth control. That program is an emergency drive to try to get the rate of increase down as rapidly as possible.

Beginning with the first of the year the government opened 18 family planning clinics, 10 in Mexico City. Personnel to staff them have been training for many months. International Planned Parenthood has 52 clinics in operation.

A program much wider in scope is being initiated by the Mexican Social Security agency. Hospitals all over the country are introducing family planning and providing varied means of birth control free of charge. The hope is that a nationwide system will quickly take hold.

THE STATEMENT by the Catholic bishops was cautiously phrased to avoid any seeming conflict with Pope Paul's encyclical of 1968, Humanae Vitae (of human life), reiterating the Church's opposition to any form of artificial contraception. The bishops called their message a "New pastoral orientation" to Humanae Vitae. While repeating the Church's position that only the rhythm method of birth control is sanctioned, they expressed

their support for "the role of authorities . . . to invite responsibility, information and facilitate access to medical services" for family planning. The Mexican bishops noted that many families have children without being able to provide them with food, housing, clothing, health, love, understanding or education.

AS RECENTLY as last March the official position was that Mexico needed all the increase to carry out the goals of social and economic revolution. Then abruptly President Luis Echeverria Alvarez said this has been a mistake.

One reason was the concern of the labor unions over the rapid rise in unemployment. With surplus labor flooding into the market, much of it unskilled and with little education, the wage level is increasingly depressed except for the small, highly skilled trades in their own tightly held unions.

THE PEOPLE explosion in Mexico is universal throughout Latin America. The over-all rate of increase for Central America is 3.2 per cent, higher than in most Asian nations. The rate is 3.4 per cent a year for the Dominican Republic, Colombia, Ecuador, Venezuela and Paraguay. Adding to the problem is the appalling incidence of illegal abortion. One estimate by demographers is that in all of Latin America there are 11,000,000 illegal abortions annually. In Uruguay 80 per cent of all pregnancies end in abortion.

The goal of Planned Parenthood is a net reproduction rate of one. But even after that is achieved it takes about 60 years before the population actually ceases to grow.

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THE 13th JUROR!



Hysterectomy Myth

Dr. G. C. Thosteson



Dear Dr. Thosteson: Due to cancer of the cervix, I was told that I must have a hysterectomy. I'd heard so much about the terrible operation (by women I work with) and the pain, and that it would leave me "less a woman" and unable to have sexual satisfaction with my husband, that I was petrified and mentally upset. Well, it's two years now since I had my operation. I had a great doctor, and I didn't have much pain, that couldn't be eased with a pill or a shot, and I was amazed at the easy time I had during my hospital stay and convalescence. And as for leaving me "less a woman" regarding sexual satisfaction with my husband, I say, "Nonsense!" I don't have to worry about pregnancy at my age (I'm 42 now) and we both can relax more because of that, and my husband can sure turn me on! I'm sure I please him, too.

So I just wanted other

petrified women faced with having a hysterectomy to know that they shouldn't listen to all those terrible fallacies that someone may tell you that can make you a nervous wreck needlessly. — Mrs. S.R.R.

Such stories about the "terrible operation" have been passed by word of mouth for many, many years, and the stories are not true, but that isn't going to convince a good many women who have heard and believed the stories. In fact, the only way I can think of to put these false stories to rest is to print letters like yours, Mrs. S.R.R.

Yet, unfortunately, even that won't do the whole job. Because, tragic as it is, some women hear the stories and believe them so thoroughly that afterward they actually believe they have become "less a woman" and cannot give or receive sexual satisfaction. And if they believe it — for them it becomes so. But needlessly.

Perhaps even more tragic is the fact that some men have heard, and believed, these stories. I have read, and all but wept upon reading, letters from women who have been told brutally by their husbands, "You're no good to me any more now."

Horrible and cruel, but it does sometimes happen. Physiologically, the operation (removal of the uterus) has nothing whatsoever to do with sexual relations. The vagina is in no way changed. But the tellers of these scare stories obviously do not know that.

I can only hope that the people who repeat such stories will begin to realize how false they are, and will stop repeating them. The mere telling of such stories causes so much fear and misery. Such harm to innocent people! And what good can the stories do? None!

Winter Ailments

Hal Boyle



NEW YORK (AP) — The trouble with winter ailments is that they are too commonplace and conventional. The common cold, of course, is for the mob, the 24-hour virus for the riffraff. And the flu is hardly better. At the best it is only for the hoi polloi.

One year it may be the Tokyo flu, the next year the London flu, but basically it is a disease with lower-class symptoms, leaves one with second-rate feelings, and hardly appeals to anyone of distinction and genteel breeding.

Well, is there a winter disease that does? Is there any malady that can make a person of real sensitivity and social standing feel it is worth his time to be ill?

Actually, there are many — if you can but learn to spell and pronounce their names.

For example, what is the most common thing in winter? Is it not snow? And does not snow annoy you, bore you, or fill you with feelings of nervous dread? Ergo, you have your disease.

Yes, you are suffering from chionophobia, the fear of snow. As a motorist do you worry that ice will make hill roads unsafe for driving? Take it easy, then, honey. You're a victim of cremonophobia, the fear of steep places.

And if some lazy teen-age kid sassed you when you asked him to shovel out your driveway and you're all worn out from doing the job yourself, you've automatically picked up two more attention-winning cold weather afflictions. They are pedophobia, the fear of children, and kopnophobia, the fear of fatigue. The chances are, if you are middle-age, that you

are out of breath and your chest feels tight. In that case you also have cardiophobia, the fear of heart disease.

When you go to the theater or opera or a dress-up ball, do you sometimes feel you will be smothered in a sea of women's mink coats? Put yourself down for doraphobia, the fear of touching animal skins.

Probably also you have to cut down your usual activities because of inclement weather, and get so restless you start talking to yourself. Right? Aha! Do you know what you've got? You've got a triple-threat. You've got autophobia, the fear of solitude; monophobia, the fear of being alone; and phonophobia, the fear of hearing your own voice.

The nice thing about all these winter ailments is that none of them will make you cough, sneeze or sniffle.

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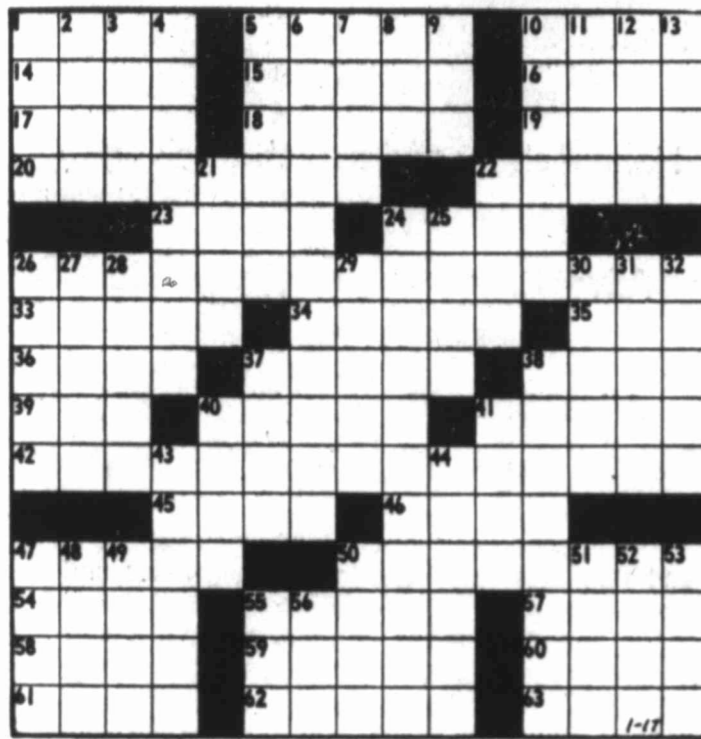
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 1 Overfeed
 5 Advantage
 10 Undergarment
 14 Tibetan monk
 15 Korean city
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 17 Put forth
 18 Battle marks
 19 Stratford's stream
 20 Cordial expression: 2 w.
 22 Making do
 23 Receive as due
 24 Bigger share
 26 Phone operation: 3 w.
 33 Tunnels
 34 Tin —
 35 Presidential nickname
 36 Small drinks
 37 Name
 38 Proceed: 2 w.
 39 Trifling coin
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 41 —; in union
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 45 Vegetable
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 54 Norse god
 55 Paul's disciple
 57 Volcanic rock
 58 Wild plum

DOWN
 1 Corner of sail
 2 Nicaraguan tribe
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 31 Submarine
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 43 Steaks
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Mothers And Teenagers Slate MOD March Jan. 29

Mothers and teenage volunteers will be knocking on doors throughout the county Jan. 29 to collect money for the March of Dimes.

Cotton Samples Diminishing

At the USDA cotton classing office in Abilene, sample receipts fell to 18,400 for the week ending Jan. 12. A season total of 327,000 samples have been classed.

B. B. Manly Jr., in charge, reports that cotton prices were increased by 50 to 150 points during the past week. Prices for premium micronaire, grade 42 cotton with staple 32 ranged from 24.20 to 26.00 cents per pound. Grade 5232 ranged in price from 21.00 to 22.50 cents per pound.

The grade distribution of samples classed is as follows: Grade 42 was 36 per cent of the total, grade 52 was 23 per cent, grade 51 was 21 per cent, and 41's comprised 11 per cent. Forty-four per cent of the samples were reduced in grade because of bark.

Staple lengths were 51 per cent staple 32, 23 per cent staple 31 and 21 per cent staple 33. Micronaire readings showed 71 per cent in the premium range. Pressley fiber strength tests conducted at the USDA spinning laboratory at College Station showed 75,000 pounds per square inch to be the average reading.

Revenue Sharing Leader Selected

WASHINGTON (AP) — Graham W. Watt, deputy mayor of Washington, was named today to head the Treasury Department's Office of Revenue Sharing.

Watt, 46, who has been deputy mayor two years, will head the government's effort to provide state and local governments more than \$30 billion over the next five years.

Treasury Secretary George P. Shultz described Watt as "ideally suited for the job." Watt has been city manager of Dayton, Ohio, Portland, Maine, and Alton, Ill.

Watt is a native of Elizabeth, N.J. He succeeds acting director Edward A. Fox, who returns to his post at the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

The annual Mothers' March will involve some 300 local citizens in an effort to raise \$5,000 in voluntary donations to help prevent birth defects. Last year the Mothers' March netted \$3,300.

Heading this year's drive are Mrs. Telle Hewett, executive secretary for the March of Dimes Caprock Chapter, and Mrs. Kathy Hopper, chairman of the Mothers' March.

Participating in the fund raising campaign along with volunteer mothers will be the Five Waters, Key Club, the Goldiggers, the Big Spring High School Future Homemakers of America, the Coahoma FHA, Teens Aid the Retarded, the YMCA HI-Y and Tri HI-Y clubs and the Sand Springs Boy Scout Troop 136.

Main goal of the March of Dimes is prevention of birth defects by education. According to Mrs. Hewett, there are 250,000 children born in the United States annually with major birth defects which could be prevented with prenatal care and genetic counseling.

Over 87 per cent of the money raised locally will be spent locally. Mrs. Hewett said the local funds will go for patient aid, help to polio victims and educational materials.

The remainder of the money will be spent nationally for research and grants.

HCJC To Host School Group

Regional English teachers should take notice of a new meeting date for District 18 of JECSC, according to Mrs. Susan King, English instructor at Howard County Junior College and Advisory Council member for the 14-county professional organization.

The new date for the workshop will be Feb. 3, instead of the previously scheduled Jan. 20. HCJC will host the Joint English Committee for School and College in Big Spring.

"The date change was made so that more area teachers can attend," Mrs. King says. "JECSC is the only organization on the district level that is intended for all teachers of English from kindergarten through college. Many teachers attend each year from all over West Texas."

The district includes Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Andrews, Martin, Howard, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Glasscock, Ward, Crane, and Upton counties.

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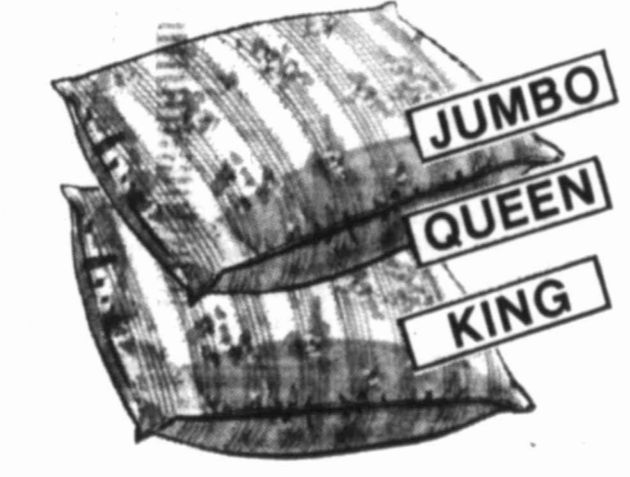


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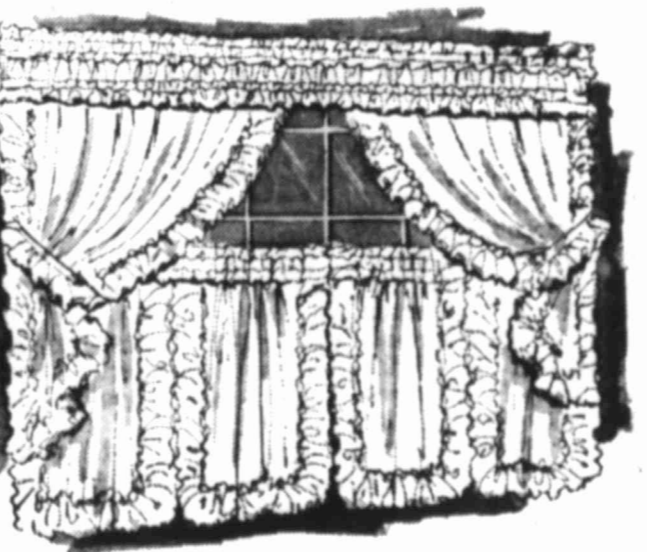
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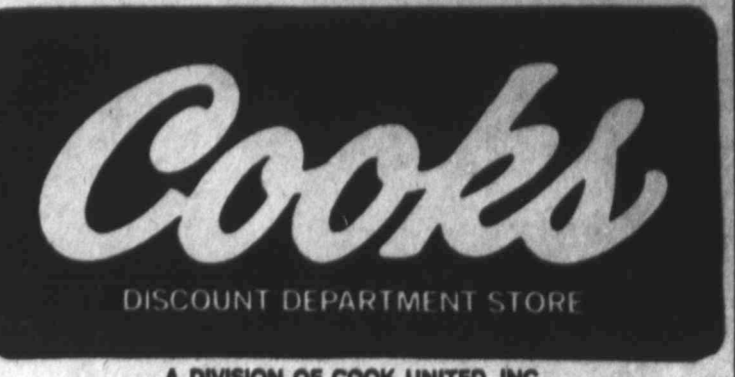
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YOUNG ARTISTS — Marla Herring, left, and Kimberly Michelle Towe, both three years old, try their hands at art. Kimberly is the daughter of 1st Lt. and Mrs. Kerry Towe, 704 Goliad, and Marla is the daughter of Martin Herring, Rt. 1, Big Spring. Mrs. Katie Rathert is an instructor of art at Howard County College, who will teach four special interest courses for children this spring as part of the college's continuing education program.

Farmers Tax Guide On Hand

The new "Farmer's Tax Guide" is now available at the county extension offices, announces county extension agents, including Bruce Griffith in Howard County, Bobby Lemons in Mitchell, LeRoy Colgan in Dawson, Oliver Wersig in Glasscock and Billy Reagon in Martin counties.

Written in easily understood language, the guide gives a number of examples of completed forms.

The agents point out that the guide contains a new section on investment credit which explains what property qualifies, the amount of credit available, limitations, and how to complete credit on used property and recapture information.

The guide also has a chapter on credit for gasoline and fuels used on a farm for farming purposes. Another chapter deals with self-employment taxes for Social Security. It explains what income is and is not taxable for Social Security.

The tax guide is indexed so producers can easily find information on specific subjects such as selling farm, sale of breeding animals, depreciation, involuntary conversion and other topics.

HCJC Plans Instruction In Art For Youngsters

Children and youth four through 13-years old will be able to enroll in special interest art classes at Howard County Junior College beginning Feb. 12.

Four classes will be offered under the Continuing Education program, and Mrs. Katie Rathert will be the instructor. The four sections will include a class for four-year-olds, to be offered 8:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Tuesdays, to start Feb. 13.

The six and seven-year olds will meet Mondays from 3:45 until 5 p.m., and the eight, nine and 10-year olds meet Wednesday at that time. Thursday is slated for the 11, 12, and 13-year old youth.

Fee for the non-credit course will be \$20, and the classes will last 13 weeks. All supplies will be included.

Students will experience different techniques such as finger paint, tempera paint, clay and paper mache. Other areas will include drawing, paper construction, and sculpture.

Parents should pre-register their children by calling the college, 267-6311 ext. 56 or ext. 32. Classes will be limited to 15 students.

"Experiencing art on an initial level is an adventure that will nurture the child's creative and imaginative capabilities," said Mrs. Rathert. "It should help the student to find the satisfaction that accompanies self-expression. We hope to create a discriminating taste and understanding of the various aspects of art."

Mrs. Rathert is a graduate of the University of Northern Colorado at Greeley, with a She has taught art in the public schools and been associated with the Colorado Springs Fine Art Center.

Feathered Fliers Can Down Big Jets

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — When the seagulls and the egrets flock, officials at Miami International Airport post a "bird alert."

It warns pilots to be on the lookout for feathered fliers that can bring down the mightiest of jumbo jets.

Last December, a flock of birds was sucked into the engine of a Northwest Airlines Boeing 747 jetliner, forcing the plane to make an emergency landing.

COMPLAINTS

The jet skidded off the runway, and four of the 160 persons aboard received minor injuries while evacuating the plane. Officials haven't determined what kind of birds were involved.

In the wake of that incident and complaints from pilots, Dade County Port Authority Director Richard Judy said he plans to hire a Canadian airport expert and University of Miami ornithologists to find out how to control the bird population.

Seagulls wintering in this area are attracted to the airport by the warm pavement, the wide-open spaces and four nearby garbage dumps. Egrets flock in from the Everglades, and pigeons are ever present.

"It's a serious problem," said Capt. Phillip G. Perry, a regional vice president of the Airline Pilots Association (ALPA). "The turbine engine is really susceptible to ingesting foreign objects such as birds."

BIRD CONTROL

He said the ALPA has urged federal officials to require stringent bird control before certification of an airport is granted.

Perry said birds are a problem at airports around the world. He said falcons have been used in Madrid, Spain, and at military air bases in England to chase away flocks of birds. And at Washington, D.C., a cannon was fired in hopes of driving off birds.

"We tried chasing them away with automobiles, but they just flew up and over live runways," Judy said of the problem here. "That's no solution. I can't tell my staff to shoot guns and scare them all over the field."

Jim Frazier, Federal Aviation Administration regional director here, said that, considering the thousands of flights daily around the United States, the bird strikes are relatively infrequent.

But he said it only takes a two-to-five-pound bird smashing into a jet engine while the plane is flying at 250 miles per hour to cause serious damage and perhaps force an engine shutdown.

PAWHUSKA, Okla. (AP) — The auctioneer said, "Mark it to these boys," and with that a Stillwater, Okla., rancher and a Sterling, Colo., cattleman and feedlot operator successfully bid for nearly 18,000 acres of Mullendore land Tuesday.

The bidding had stopped at \$3,460,000, but the auctioneer was keeping it open.

"Who's the mystery woman holding up the show?" asked Otis Eversole, the sales coordinator.

She was leaning over a table at the back of the room with a telephone to her ear.

"Is she gonna bid?" someone asked.

NO, RIGHT NOW

Finally she hung up the telephone and walked to one of the officials handling the sale of three large ranches owned by the E. C. Mullendore family.

"What would I have to bid?" she asked him.

"At least three million, four hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars."

"And the deposit . . ."

"Five per cent . . . that's about \$175,000."

"Give us a minute," she said, and walked to a corner with a young cowboy and the string of lawyers who have been involved in the Mullendore receivership action and lawsuits.

"Tell her she's got to bid right now."

"Give her a minute."

"No, right now."

"No, right now."

Somebody said they thought they knew her, and a rumor spread that she was connected with the Seagrams of whiskey fame family and that she lived in Wayne, Okla.

CHECK HER BANK

"Check her bank."

"There's no bank in Wayne."

"Find out where she banks."

An auction official approached her, asked for a banking reference. With that she put her jacket on and walked out. No bid.

"Mark it to these boys," the auctioneer said.

And Don Don Lebsack of Sterling, Colo., and Bob Ahlberg of Stillwater, Okla., had bought the three ranches—Little Chief, Bird Creek and one at Sedan, Kan.

"I'm going to put cattle on it," Ahlberg said. "I've already got 'em. In fact, I bought 'em yesterday."

The three large ranches were sold as a block after hours of bidding on them separately.

The prices was more than \$200 an acre.

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Glow In Sky Heralds Quake

MOSCOW (AP) — A glow in the sky heralded an impending earthquake, according to Soviet scientists.

Seismologists analyzing phenomena surrounding the 1966 earthquake that wrecked Tashkent said the glowing sky before a quake is caused by a redistribution of electric charges in the earth-atmosphere system.

In a report by Tass, the scientists told of measuring the electron concentration at stations in Tashkent and Alma Ata before the 1966 quake.

Nine Achieve Tech Honor Roll

LUBBOCK — A total of 951 students in the College of Education qualified for the dean's honor list for the 1972 fall semester, according to Interim Dean Donald McDonald.

To qualify for the honor list, a student must be enrolled in 12 hours of courses, excluding pass-fail courses, and have at least a 3.0 grade point average. Texas Tech uses a 4.0 grading system.

Students recognized for their high academic achievement in the College of Education are, from Big Spring: Pamela J. White, sophomore, 2303 Morrison; Kathy L. Chapman, sophomore; Carol A. Kyryluk, sophomore; Mary C. Hammon, sophomore, 2303 Marshall Drive; Elizabeth L. Price, sophomore; Mary K. Wilkerson, junior; Linda R. Affleck, junior, 2904 Parkway; Susan A. Cape, junior, 2518 E. 24th; and Nancy A. Dean, senior, 1518 Vines.

Fed Welfare Programs May Boost Texas' Costs

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Changes in the federal welfare laws could cost the state up to \$135 million during the next two-year budget period, a task force has reported to Gov. Preston Smith.

"Any thought that the state will save substantially under the new federal program should be abandoned," Jim Oliver, chairman of the task force and the governor's top budget staffer, said. "At best, Texas might break even."

The changes in the federal program remove the state's current share of responsibilities for aid to the aged, disabled and blind, but add substantial numbers of persons for whom the state must provide medical assistance.

Almost 250,000 more persons will become eligible for welfare under the new federal requirements, and while the state will not be responsible for their welfare payments it will have to provide medical insurance for them.

That cost might reach \$135 million over the next two fiscal years, the committee said. But it warned that its figure is only a guess, saying no accurate estimate could be made until guidelines for the medical assistance changes are issued by the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare.

The report—released on the final full day of Gov. Preston Smith's term—was labelled an interim report. Smith said the final report would be submitted to the new legislature and Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

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From "Hound Dog" and "Blue Suede Shoes" to "All My Troubles, Lord," the 33-year-old singing star staged an hour-long show. There were squeals of delight from the perennial cluster of the teen-aged girls, most not even born when he launched his career.

Between songs, Elvis kept up a steady exchange of trinkets with the girls who stretched up to encircle the star's head with flower leis.

Elvis, in response, would wipe his sweating brow with a handy supply of chiffon scarves and toss them into the crowd.

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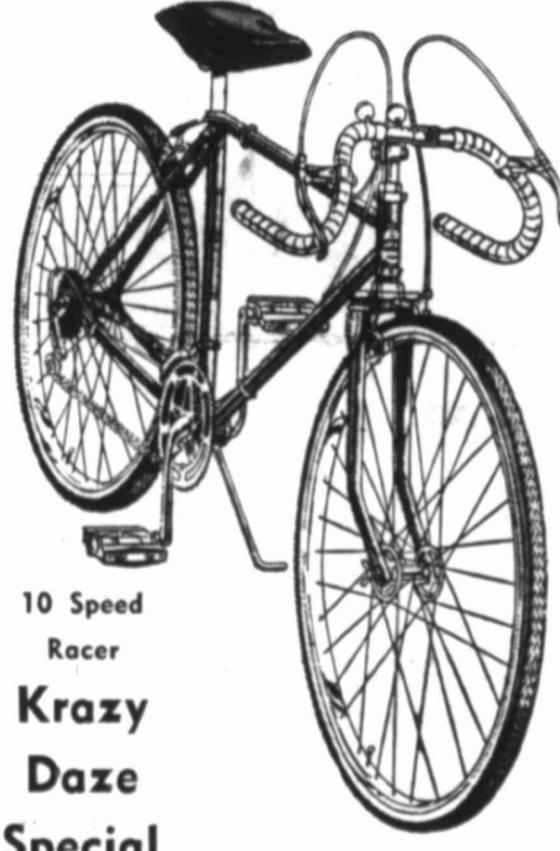
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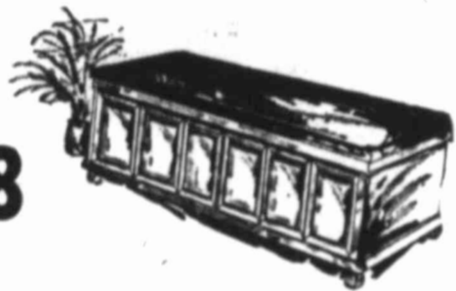


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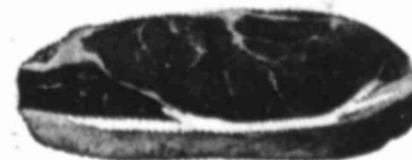


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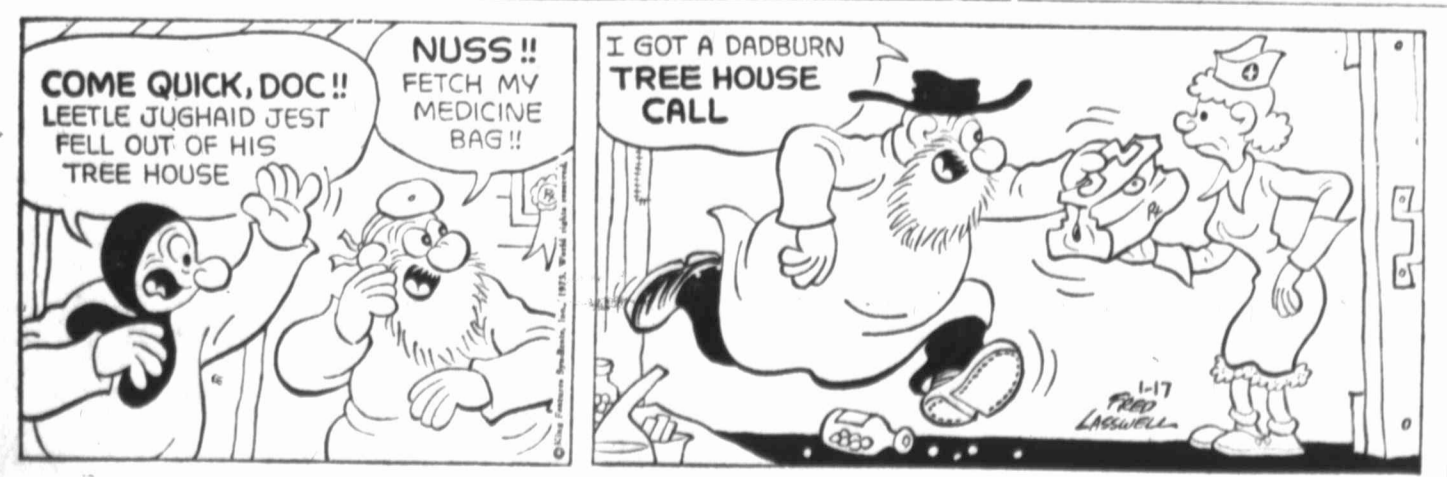
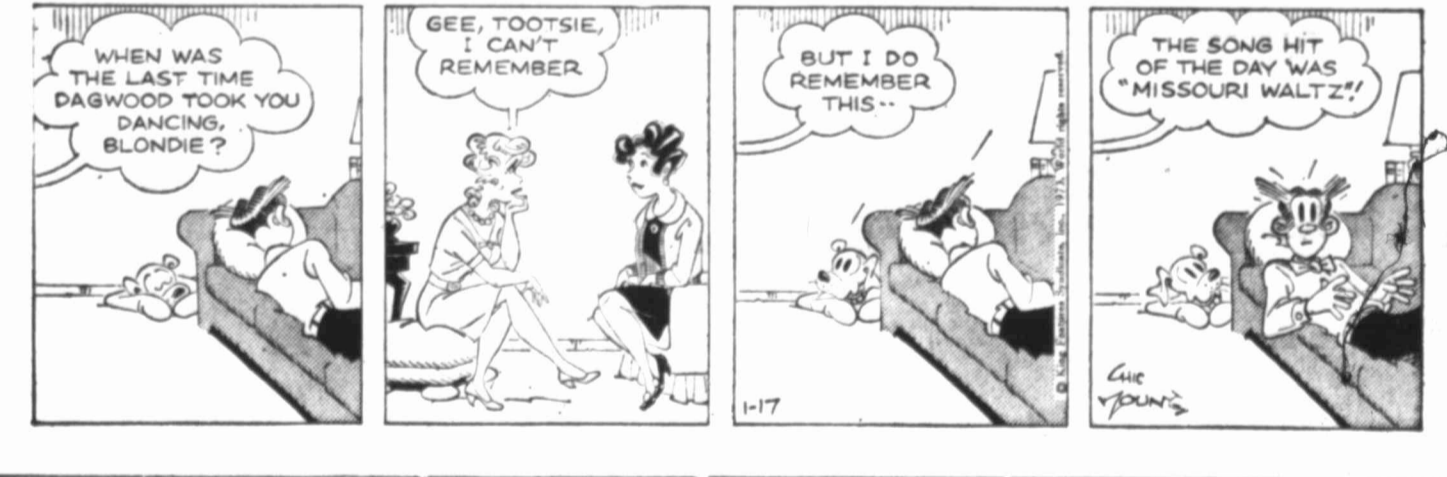
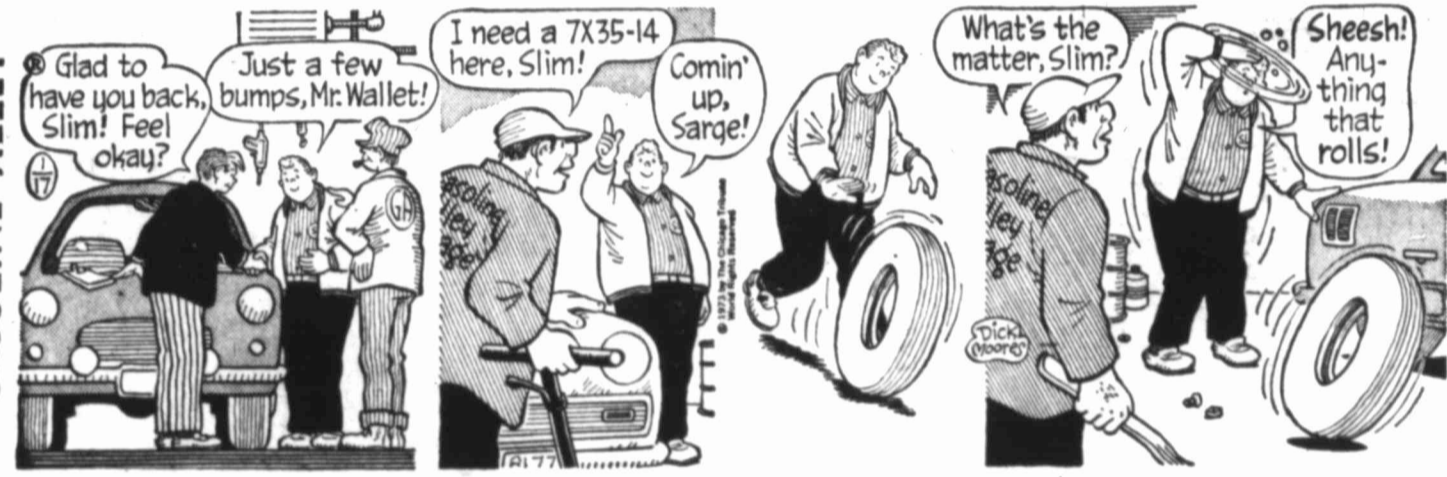
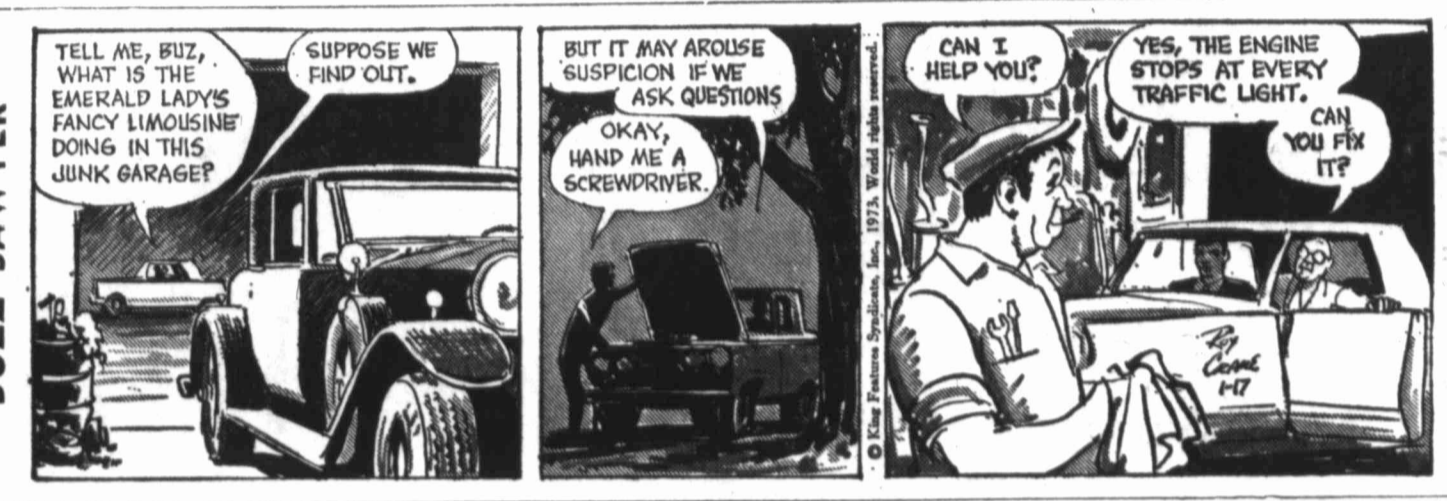
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He Monitored 200 Phone Calls As Spy For Nixon

WASHINGTON (AP) — A former FBI agent who said he monitored 200 wiretapped telephone calls as a spy for President Nixon's re-election campaign was to take the stand today in the Watergate, political-espionage trial.

Alfred C. Baldwin III, who served as Martha Mitchell's bodyguard before taking on his espionage role, is expected to be the government's key witness against the two remaining defendants arrested in connection with the break-in and bugging at Democratic party headquarters last summer.

time of the break-in. Five other defendants have pleaded guilty and await sentencing.

In testimony Tuesday, college student Thomas Gregory said he had no qualms about accepting pay from former White House consultant E. Howard Hunt for spying on Democrats. Hunt pleaded guilty to the conspiracy and wiretapping charges last week.

Defense lawyer Gerald Alch questioned Gregory at length, and said later he was trying to establish that Republicans found it necessary to spy on Democrats because of a fear of campaign violence.

prised five men inside the Democratic National Committee headquarters in Washington's Watergate complex last June 17.

Frank Wells, a security guard at the Watergate, said he called police after he found door locks in a basement level taped open, removed the tape and later found them retaped.

Plainclothes officer John B. Barrett, one of three policemen who answered Wells' call, said they found other doors propped open with chairs, offices in disarray, files open, record books spread open on tables. Finally, Barrett said, he worked his way across an office area he saw a man's arm appear through a glass partition and dart down "right in front of my face."

"Needless to say I was alarmed," Barrett said to the chuckles of the jury. "I jumped back. Then I yelled, 'hold it.' Then, 'I saw numerous hands go upward.'"

'HOLD IT'

While Barrett was easing down a darkened hall at the Watergate, officer Carl M. Shopler was searching about the outside. He said he noticed a man standing on a balcony at a Howard Johnson Motel across the street.

The government says that man was Baldwin.

In an interview with the Los Angeles Times last fall, Baldwin said he had monitored telephone calls from a tap which had been placed in the Democratic offices earlier.



AND NOW THERE ARE TWO — After four other defendants pleaded guilty and bowed out of the Watergate political espionage trial, only George Liddy, left, and James McCord are still on trial.

Top Defense Nominations Win Approval

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Armed Services Committee has approved President Nixon's top defense and intelligence nominations, but it appears the President will be sworn in Saturday without full Senate approval of his new Cabinet.

Ignoring the request of one of its members for a delay, the committee Tuesday approved the appointment of Elliot L. Richardson as secretary of defense, William P. Clements Jr. as deputy defense secretary and James P. Schlesinger as director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Sen. Harold E. Hughes, D-Iowa, who wants the Senate to delay action on the three nominees until after the inauguration as a protest against the Vietnam war, voted "present" in committee on the motions to approve them. All other committee members voted for the nominations.

Earlier Hughes withdrew his demand for open hearings on the financial holdings of Richardson and Clements after Sen. John Stennis, D-Miss., committee chairman, agreed to release their financial affairs while the two are in office.

Stennis said he would be ready to proceed on the Senate floor Friday.

BIG SPRING HERALD

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Passenger Trains To Start Running From Fort Worth

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Railroad Passenger Corp. (Amtrak) has announced that train service from Fort Worth to Laredo, in South Texas, will begin Jan. 27.

The new train, the Inter-American, will operate through Austin and San Antonio.

The train will connect as closely as possible with the National Railways of Mexico train, the Aztec Eagle, which provides service between Nuevo Laredo and Mexico City.

Connections between the Amtrak and Mexican trains will be provided by chartered bus across the Rio Grande. Schedules will allow sufficient time for U.S. Customs inspections.

Last June, the Congress directed Amtrak to start international service to Canada and Mexico. Canadian service started July 17 at Vancouver, B.C., and Sept. 29 at Montreal.

Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays.

It will leave Fort Worth at 6 a.m. and will arrive at Laredo at 5:05 p.m. There will be stops at McGregor at 7:45 a.m., Temple 8:20 a.m., Austin 10:50 a.m., San Marcos 11:45 a.m., and San Antonio at 12:55 p.m.

The Aztec Eagle leaves Nuevo Laredo daily at 6:25 p.m., arriving in Mexico City at 5:21 p.m. the next day. Northbound the Aztec Eagle leaves

Mexico City at 10:05 a.m. and reaches Nuevo Laredo at 6:25 a.m. the following morning.

The Inter-American departs Laredo at 9:30 a.m. It stops in San Antonio at 1:20 p.m., San Marcos at 2:55, Austin 3:37, Temple 6:20, and McGregor at 6:55, with arrival at Fort Worth at 8:30 p.m.

For the present, connections at Fort Worth with the Chicago-Houston Texas Chief will involve an overnight stay.

Amtrak said it hoped to realign the schedules more closely in April as the schedule changes to daylight saving time.

The Fort Worth-to-Laredo day operation will offer deluxe coach accommodations and dining car service. The Aztec Eagle has sleeping cars as well as coaches, diner and observation cars on its overnight service.

South Breezes Set Off Showers

By The Associated Press

Steady south breezes herded moist air ashore from the Gulf of Mexico today, warming much of Texas and setting off light showers here and there.

At the same time, however, forecasters extended through the day an air stagnation advisory for extreme Southwest Texas along with Central and Western New Mexico, taking in the Rio Grande Valley from Albuquerque southward past El Paso. They blamed a lack of wind for failing to disperse carbon monoxide fumes from automobiles.

Already springlike weather became even balmer across the eastern two-thirds of the state. Clouds thickened and showers dotted areas from near Victoria and Palacios northward to around Waco and Dallas.

Forecasts promised mild to warm weather in all sections except West Texas, where a new front moving eastward

through Southern California was expected to cause some cooling by Thursday. More light showers were predicted in the central and east parts of the state.

Early morning temperatures ranged from 35 degrees at Wink in West Texas and 37 at Dalhart in the Panhandle up to 62 at San Antonio and Palacios and 64 at Brownsville in the south.

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Troop Strength

SAIGON (AP) — U.S. troop strength in Vietnam dropped 200 men to a total of 23,800 last week, the same level as in January 1965, the U.S. Command reported today.

The total does not include about 100,000 U.S. servicemen involved in the war effort on ships of the 7th Fleet and at bases in Guam and Thailand.

Council Gets Audit Tuesday

The City of Big Spring audit will go before the council for approval Tuesday night.

General funds for the year 1972 show a surplus of \$77,839 according to the report and water and sewerage revenue shows a surplus of \$290,704.

Total expenditures in the general fund at the end of 1972 were \$1,760,358 in comparison to \$1,950,591 in 1971.

Water and sewer expenditures during 1972 were \$1,016,112 in comparison to \$1,970,945.

Hollingsworth, Wilson, Lee and Reynolds, certified public accountants have prepared findings and recommendations to be discussed by the council members at their next meeting.

Copies of the audit were distributed this week to members of the council after they postponed their last regular meeting, due to inclement weather.

Jane Fonda Gets Quickie Divorce

SANTO DOMINGO (AP) — Actress Jane Fonda has obtained a quickie Dominican divorce from French movie director Roger Vadim, court sources report.

They said Miss Fonda arrived here Monday under an alias and, with advance arrangements handled by a Santo Domingo law firm, obtained the divorce on Tuesday. She and Vadim were married in 1965.

Miss Fonda, who has been active in the antiwar movement, has announced plans to marry Tom Hayden, another U.S. antiwar militant.

Composer Dies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Eleanor Hankins Fort, 59, composer of more than 400 songs, died Saturday. Among her best-known songs are "Put Your Shoes on Lucy," "Save Your Confederate Monday, Boys" and "I Didn't Know the Gun Was Loaded."

Trustee Election Is Set April 7

Forsan Independent School district already has the wheels in motion for their spring election, officially called for Monday, April 7.

Two trustees, Bill Mims and Lucille E. Barton, have three-year terms expire and Elbert Strickland is completing the unexpired term of the late Robert Rissetter. None of the three indicated whether or not they will seek re-election.

The board announced that March 7 will be the filing deadline and that the Forsan High School tax office will serve as the location of absentee voting.

Judges for the election will be Mrs. J. H. Cardwell at Forsan and Homer Thorp at Elbow. Clerks at Forsan named were Mrs. D. L. Knight, Mrs. G. L. Monroney and Mrs. T. R. Camp, alternate. At Elbow, clerks will be Mabel Duanagan and Bill Kroeger with alternates, Mike Alexander and R. V. Fryar.

The board also further discussed their transfer policy and also discussed the four-quarter system, required in all schools in Texas next year.

They named their board of equalization, including Homer Thorp, G. L. Monroney, Frank Knapp and alternate, Hamlin Elrod.

The board also approved the senior trip. The class will visit historical San Antonio and go on to a Bandera Dude Ranch near the first part of May, according to Herb Smith, Forsan superintendent.

The board agreed to take bad weather days off the Easter holidays. They hired Mrs. R. L. Rissetter to work in the cafeteria.

Last Mid-Term Exercises Planned For Graduates

The last mid-term graduation at Big Spring High School will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the high school auditorium for 64 graduates.

After this year, the state regulations will force the high school into three semesters and the administration agrees that three graduation exercises would be superfluous so they will revert back to one spring graduation.

Supt. Sam Anderson will preside at the exercises Thursday night with Dr. Thomas T. Salter, president of Howard County Junior College, as the speaker.

Joel E. Dyer will furnish the processional and recessional. The Rev. Harlan Birdwell, St. Mary's Episcopal, will give the invocation and benediction.

The Meistersingers will present two selections, directed by Jack Bowers. John Smith, principal, will present the certification of the graduates and John H. Talmadge, assistant principal will introduce the graduates. Roy E. Watkins, president of the school board, will present the diplomas.

Graduates include Ruben Alvarez, Mary Genice Arney, Jimmy Linn Bertran, Lisa Estelle Burnett, Debra Rae Campbell, Donald Franklin Davis, Emma Lou Dillard, Beverly Gayle Doering.

Rocky Blacke Dyer, Cindy Lou Engle, Evette Fisher, Mary Ailyn Fitzgibbons, Brenda Gaylor Gerhart, Jose Gomez, Jr., Manuel Gonzales, Jr., Rebecca Sue Goodman, Cynthia Halffmann.

Debra Haller, Betty Ruth

Inflation Is Bringing Bullfighting Deflation

MADRID (AP) — Inflation, along with other things, is bringing a deflation to bullfighting in Spain. Last year was the managers' worst in a decade, with an indicated drop of 15-20 per cent in box office receipts.

A 10 per cent rise in cost of living is believed to have kept many Spaniards from the bullring. Other influences are a lack of big stars and of artful fighters, this latter perhaps the biggest sin of all in the fan's eyes.

The prospects for 1973 are brighter but not shining.

Manuel Benitez, "El Corodobes," the country's No. 1 draw before he retired in 1972, is flirting with a comeback. So is solmen-faced Santiago Mar-

Training Pact Is Signed By Tech

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech University School of Medicine has signed an education and training affiliation agreement with Permian General Hospital in Andrews. This agreement brings to 16 the number of West Texas health care institutions affiliated with the School of Medicine.

The agreement was completed Dec. 22, 1972. Affiliation agreements with health care institutions throughout West Texas provide the foundation upon which TTUSM's regional programs of medical education, health care delivery, research and continuing physician education are being built.

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*H78-14	8.55-14	\$44.00	\$33.00	\$2.75
*J78-14	8.85-14	\$47.10	\$35.32	\$2.89
F78-15	7.75-15	\$37.85	\$28.39	\$2.54
G78-15	8.25-15	\$39.90	\$28.62	\$2.73
*H78-15	8.55-15	\$45.05	\$33.79	\$2.80
*J78-15	8.85-15	\$48.10	\$36.07	\$3.01
*L78-15	9.15-15	\$54.25	\$40.88	\$3.13

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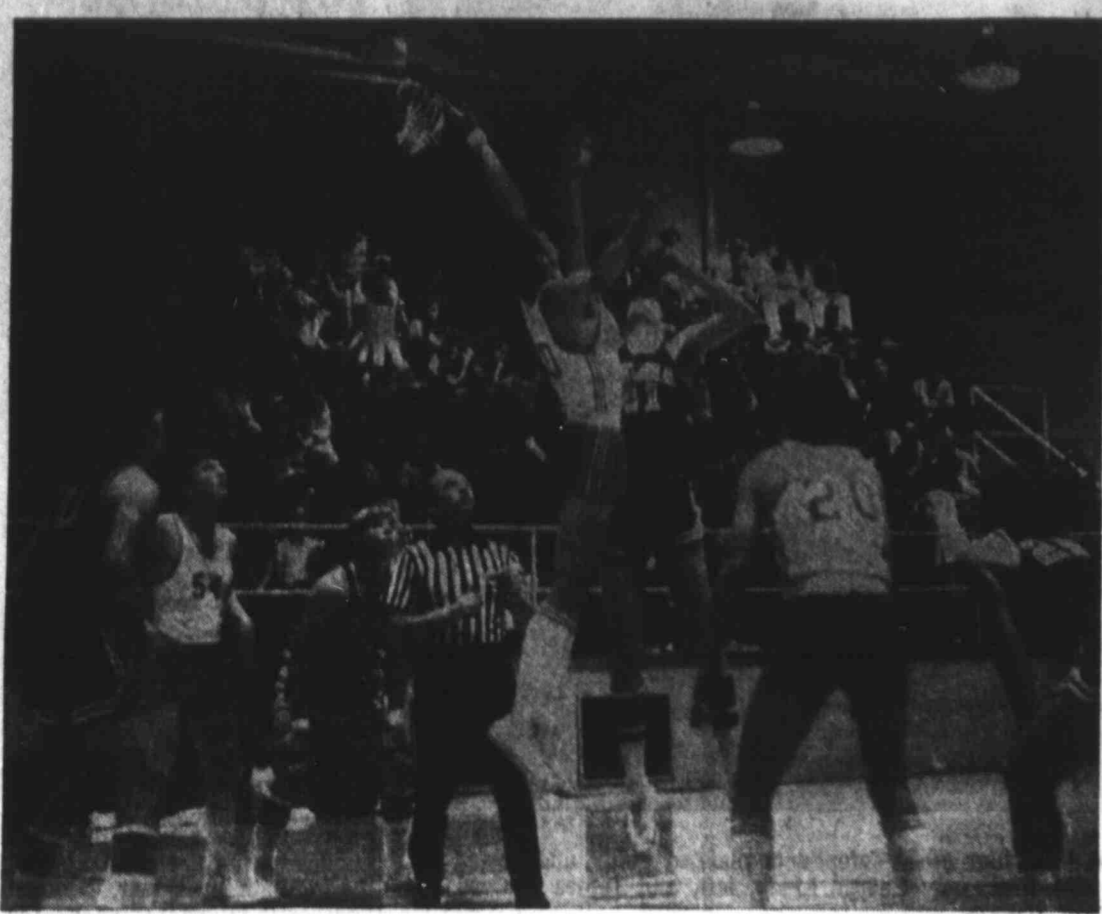
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OUTREACHING OZONA — Troy Kerby springs up to tip the ball to Coahoma. Coahoma won the contest with Ozona, 63-49. No. 54 is Joe Elmore, No. 20 Steve Stone, both of Coahoma.

Coahoma Wins Pair Of 7-AA Contests

By JOHN EDWARDS
COAHOMA — The Coahoma Varsity basketball team finished a clean sweep for the home town Tuesday night dumping Ozona, 63-49, in District 7-AA action. In earlier games, the boys' B team tripped up the visitors, 57-52, the girls' varsity overwhelmed its opponent 73-13, and the girls B crushed Ozonans, 53-27.

Sands Closes In On Crown

ACKERLY — Sands swept the boards in three District 8-B games from Borden County here Tuesday night, setting the stage for its shootout with Loop in Loop Thursday night. The Sands boys won, 56-39, in a game that saw freshman Frosty Floyd score 17 points and pull down 20 rebounds for the winners. No one for Gail hit in double figures. The Sands boys are 16-0 on the year and stand 6-0 in district. The Sands girls hung on to edge Gail, 51-49. Leah Roman tallied 33 points for Sands while Taylor paced the Coyotes with 18. In girls' B team play, Sands won, 28-25. Elaine Martin had

Jayhawks Jelling As Title Threat

BIG SPRING — The Howard County Jayhawks, off to one of their best conference starts in many years, return to their home court Thursday night. After downing Amarillo College

Rockets Like Alamo City

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — There must be something about San Antonio that the Houston Rockets of the National Basketball Association like. The team has announced that it will be back next season for more "home" games here. Fans have turned out for the games, although in many instances they seem to prefer to root for the Rockets' opponents. A spokesman for the team said Tuesday that the Rockets will play in San Antonio as long as the city does not acquire a franchise in the American Basketball Association. This season the Rockets are playing 13 "home" games in the San Antonio Convention Center. The spokesman said the team has asked Convention Center officials for dates next season.

Union Out Front

DAWSON — Calvin Booth led Union-Terry to a 65-55 District 8-B victory over Dawson here Tuesday night, scoring 36 points, John Nelson paced the losers with 18.

Larry Little Hangs Name On Defense

DALLAS (AP) — Now that most of America knows the identity of Miami's "No-name" defense, Larry Little would like for you to take a minute to learn the cast of the Dolphin offensive line — he likes "Miami Maulers" if you want to give them a tag. Miami's offensive line, headed by All-Pro guard Little, destroyed Washington's front four in last Sunday's 14-7 Super Bowl VII victory. "They say Washington didn't seem to have much spark but I like to think we knocked the fire they had out of them," said Little. "We have a tremendous offensive line and for the most part nobody has ever heard of them."

HERE FEB. 9-10 Schoolboy Links Tournney Slated

The annual Big Spring High School Golf Tournament will be staged here Feb. 9-10, Steer Coach Royce Cox has announced. The 36-hole event will be held over two local courses. The young linksters will gather at the Country Club for the first 18 holes of competition that Friday, then move on over to the Municipal layoff the following day. This year's meet will differ from the one staged in 1972, in that champions will be determined in two divisions. One will be for entries from Class AAAA schools, the other for players from Class AAA on down. Midland Lee's Rebels won team honors a year ago and will be back to try and defend their laurels. AAAA schools entered to date, in addition to the host team, are Abilene Cooper, Odessa Permian, Snyder, Fort Worth Paschal, Lubbock High, San

Steers Shock Cougars For First 5-4A Win

ABILENE — Stunned by next home game against San Angelo Tuesday. The Cougars fielded the taller team but Big Spring won the battle on the boards, especially in the last half. Big Spring left the gym at half time trailing, 37-29, but gave the Cougars only six points in Round Three and won going away.

Stanton Rips Big Lake, 74-62, For 3rd Victory

STANTON — The Stanton Buffaloes took a firm lead of District 7-AA when their third win Tuesday night when they defeated Big Lake 74-62. The Buffaloes started slow with the Big Lake team jumping out front, 12-8, at the end of the first quarter. However, the Buffs poured it on in the second period with 24 points to 14 for their opponents and held the lead at the half, 32-26. Stanton, coached by Jim Jensen, are now 16-4 for the season and has defeated Coahoma, Crane and Big Lake in its district. Coahoma is currently sitting in second place.

European Style Motocross Set

An European style motocross is scheduled for Sunday at Midland. Practice starts at 11 a.m. off IS 20 at the Midkiff exit. The first race begins at 12:30 p.m., and there will be cash prizes for experts and trophies for juniors. In the junior division there will be classes for mini, 100, 125, 250 and open; and for expert in the 125, the 250 and open. The races are sponsored by the Midland Westside Optimist Club.

Blackwell Wins Over Sterling

BLACKWELL — Blackwell's boys took the Sterling City Eagles over the hurdles in District 11-B here Tuesday night, 58-51, knocking the losers out of a tie for first place. Ken Peal led Sterling with 21 points. Don Boyd paced the winners with 22. Sterling City won the girls' game, 56-35.

Brewster Is Hot

Gary Brewster, the rangy pivot man from Midland, is averaging 11.1 points and 7.6 rebounds a game for University of Texas-El Paso this season. He is only a freshman. The Miners won ten of its first 15 starts but was only 1-3 in Conference play.

Kurt Cox Is Golf Winner In Playoff

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Kurt Cox, a former city champion here, showed the out-of-luckers how to play Tuesday as he pranced to a sudden-death victory in the final weekly \$30,000 Professional Golf Management tournament of the current \$300,000 series. Cox and Don Maddox of Oklahoma City, Okla., finished the 96 holes of regulation play tied at 139, three under par over the par 71 Pecan Valley Golf Club. Cox fired rounds of 69-70 and Maddox shot 68-71. The players arrived at the par-three 213-yard third hole of the playoff still tied and Cox put his approach 18 feet from the pin. He watched Maddox miss a birdie put of longer distance before he rapped in his attempt for the \$5,000 first prize. Cox, who a PGM spokesman said missed his Tournament Players Division card in the last TPD tryout by one stroke, won \$13,674.90 overall in the 10 PGM tours.

Lamesa Still Loop Leader

SWEETWATER — Sweetwater built up a 36-18 lead at half time and went on to humble Colorado City, 63-56, in District 3-AAA play here Tuesday night. Tom Doss paced the Ponies with 14 points while Melvin Jackson, Tim Stensel and Peck Sanders of the Wolves each had 10. The loss was the fifth in six league starts for Colorado City. Sweetwater is 2-3. LUBBOCK — Lamesa routed Lubbock Dunbar, 81-47, in 3-AAA play here Tuesday night. The Golden Tornadoes are unbeaten in five conference starts. Dunbar slumped to 2-2. Kent McCurley led the Tornadoes with 28 points. His brother, Harry, chipped in with 20. SAN ANGELO — Brownfield's Cubs measured San Angelo Lake View, 68-55, here Tuesday to remain in contention for the District 3-AAA championship. SWEETWATER (63) — Alfre Hunt 5-10; Reser 3-12; Jerry Shiffert 2-4; Mike Thomas 1-0; Joe Langley 1-3; Tom Doss 7-14; Fern McCain 5-12; Totals 27-43. COLORADO CITY (56) — Melvin Jackson 5-10; Tim Stensel 5-10; Peck Sanders 4-10; Danny Borner 8-18; P. Jackson 3-7; Calvin Babin 0-0; Ed Warren 0-1; Totals 25-56. LAMESA (81) — McCurley 13-28; H. McCurley 8-22; Cannon 3-12; Roberts 5-10; Reser 1-0-2; Sims 2-5; Kiger 2-2; Meador 1-0-2; Totals 54-31. LUBBOCK DUNBAR (47) — Collins 2-4; Walker 4-10; Henderson 3-4; Crittendon 2-1-5; Davis 0-0-1; Davis 0-0-1; Totals 21-56. COLORADO CITY 14 36 54 63 Sweetwater 10 25 40 56

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First Federal Is Winner, 47-46

First Federal Savings edged Trinity Baptist, 47-46, and Cabot Carbon mauled Baptist Temple, 58-24, in YMCA Men's Basketball League play here Tuesday night. Danny Clendenin had 20 points for First Federal while Bob Maybree scored 14 to lead Trinity Baptist. First Federal led at half time, 21-16. The other game was never close. Cabot led, 30-9, at the intermission. Johnny Scott scored 30 points and Relon Lara 14 for Cabot while Steve Brown tallied eight and Larry Shanks seven for Baptist Temple.

Forsan Twice Decisions Bronte In 11-B Games

FORSAN — Forsan kayoed Bronte twice in 11-B play here Tuesday night, sullyng the visitors' conference record for the first time in each instance. Bronte's girls forged into an early seven-point lead but Coach Don Stevens had his Forsan girls go into a different type press in the second period, with good result. By the third period, Bronte was pulled away to win, 52-40, after leading by 16 points at one stage. Kathy Reed scored 23 points and Janet Ellis 19 for Forsan while Michelle Goslon tallied 19 for Bronte. The two teams are now tied for first place with 6-1 records. Over-all, Forsan is 17-6, compared to Bronte's 18-10 mark. The Forsan boys won, 54-48, Mike Murphy leading the way with 13 points. Gary Skelton counted 16 for Bronte. The two teams are tied in the all-important loss column, each with one reversal. Bronte has played one more district game than have the buffs.

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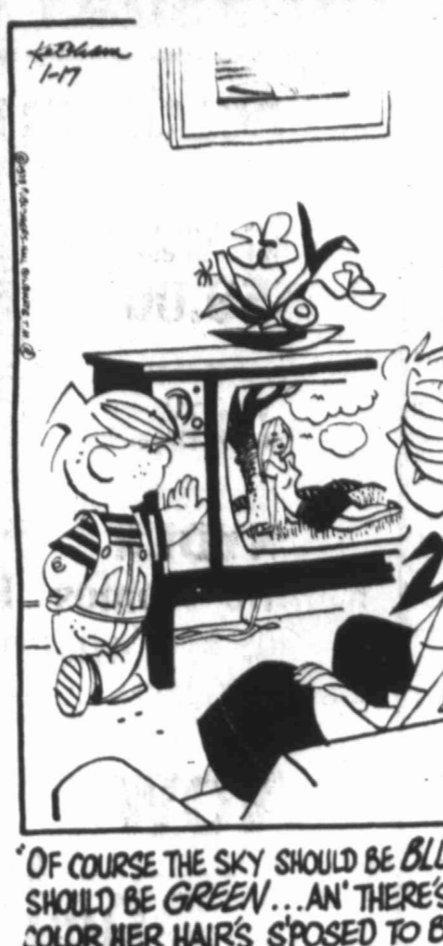
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SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21): A good day to get in touch with those with whom you have mutual understandings, whether of a business or personal nature and reach right accord. Don't lose your head. The afternoon well show you have wisdom.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 23): You can make the behind-the-scenes preparations now that will insure the success of some plan you have in mind. Your intuitions are good, so don't put them aside. Good evening. Try to build up your dealings with others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 23): You have to take the lead with friends and associates if your relationships with them are to be successful now. Show true devotion to kin. Make this a very interesting and happy day.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 23): The Full Moon can help you make big advancement in the world of business, so get busy and show you have real know-how. Get the okay from kin before you start that civic work that interests you.

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IT DIDN'T HURT BAD — Chimp Tanya comforts her gal, puppy Taika, during a visit to a vet's office in Memphis, Tenn., where the young dog was given distemper shots. Tanya is being taught sign-language by Mrs. J. E. Cook of Memphis as part of a project sponsored by the University of Oklahoma. Mrs. Cook recently obtained the puppy as a companion for the 16-month-old chimp she is training.

True-Life Thriller Family Can Watch

NEW YORK (AP) — "The Sonny & Cher Comedy Hour," usually seen Wednesday nights on CBS, makes way tonight for a show starring owls, bats, hyenas and something called a Texas blind salamander.

Don't switch the dial yet. It's a good program. No kidding. It enlightens on the subject of darkness. In fact, that's the whole point of the show.

The program, "Strange Creatures of the Night," is the season's first special from the National Geographic Society. It's a quiet, true-life thriller the whole family can watch.

VAMPIRE BATS
This excellently photographed documentary covers two areas — how animals with sight act at night and how creatures trapped in total darkness underground have evolved and survived without sight.

Most of the filming was done without the battery of high-intensity lights normally needed for night photography. The producers instead used a new electronic image-intensifying device attached to their cameras.

The available light — from the stars and moon — was augmented by infrared floodlights that cast beams apparently undetected by the animals that were being photographed.

The result was a fine, un-hurried look at the nocturnal habits of such diverse creatures as the hyenas of East Africa and the feared vampire bats that feed on cattle herds from Mexico to Argentina.

The East African footage — filmed in a grassy, gently rolling depression that once was a volcano — was incredible.

It showed the hyena, not as the cowardly scavenger of popular lore, but as an aggressive, deadly animal that kills in order to survive within the confines of the extinct volcano.

BUMP IN THE NIGHT
The most chilling scenes were of a hyena pack as it slowly circled a full-grown female rhinoceros at night, tormenting her mercilessly and trying to snatch away her 1-month-old offspring.

The hyenas almost succeeded. They badly mauled the smaller rhino.

But, ironically, they were scattered by a lion that found the mother rhino too formidable an opponent; it didn't press the attack.

The segment also showed what is being done to control — but not exterminate — the blood-sucking, frequently rabid vampire bat that kills 100,000 cattle a year in Mexico alone.

The vampire bat, the show emphasizes, "is neither good nor evil. He is just another creature trying to survive."

This hour-long program may not lessen our ancient fears about things that go bump in the night. But it makes a lucid, low-key attempt to explain them and does it extremely well.

Boarding Tax Considered

MIDLAND — The Midland city council will act Jan. 23 on a proposal to collect a \$1 "head tax" on passengers boarding planes at the Midland-Odessa Air Terminal.

Mayor Ernest Angelo Jr., said that the council had decided in favor of the tax, after eight months of study.

It's estimated that the tax will be worth about \$100,000 a year to the City of Midland. The money would be used to finance airport improvements.

The tax likely would go into effect sometime between March 1 and April 1.

Upwards to 40 percent of the people boarding aircraft at Midland come from places other than Midland itself.

Shaggy Dog Tale

HADERA, Israel (AP) — A 143-pound shaggy dog named Alice gave birth to 16 pups, doubling the known St. Bernard population of Israel to 32.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court held Tuesday that an earlier decision barring prosecution in both municipal and state courts for the same offense applies to past as well as future cases.

In 1970, the court held that the Fifth Amendment guarantee against being twice tried for the same crime prevented "the recognition of the 'dual sovereignty' doctrine with respect to separate state and municipal prosecution." Justice William Rehnquist wrote for a unanimous court.

Rehnquist also recalled that the court in 1965 had carved out areas, which broke new ground, that would not have retroactive effects.

Today, the justices said the guarantee against double jeopardy is significantly different from the procedural guarantees in the 1965 case.

The double jeopardy guarantee has the effect of preventing "a trial from taking place at all rather than to prescribe procedural rules which govern the conduct of a trial," said the court.

The ruling was prompted by the appeal of a Tennessee prison inmate Ed Robinson.

Robinson was fined \$50 and costs on three counts of assault and battery in violation of Chattanooga, Tenn. city ordinances.

Later a county grand jury charged him with three counts of assault with intent to murder stemming from the same circumstances. He subsequently pleaded guilty.

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GOVERNOR'S WIFE — Mrs. Dolph Briscoe Jr. wore a Pauline Tregiere gown for the inaugural ball Tuesday in Austin. Shimmering with iridescent pailletes, it is styled with mandarin neckline and three-quarter-length sleeves, shirred at the elbow.

Credit Rating Emphasized

"An individual may review his credit file in our office if he has the proper identification," said Mrs. J. B. Apple, guest speaker at Monday's dinner meeting of Cactus Chapter, American Business Women's Association.

Mrs. Apple, owner and manager of the Credit Bureau of Greater Big Spring, noted that the first credit bureau was established locally in 1925, and it was later purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Apple. The files are used by bureau members to check credit ratings of prospective customers.

Stressing the importance of establishing and maintaining a good credit rating, the speaker emphasized that the bureau serves the individual as well as bureau members.

Mrs. Owen McCombs presided and introduced the guests, Mrs. Gary Huckaby, Mrs. Doyle White and Mrs. Apple. Prayers were said by Mrs. Bill Read and Mrs. Marjorie Baker.

The vocational speaker was Mrs. Ernest Bauch, director of Westside Community Center, who described the various activities underway at the center.

Members were reminded of the district meeting, Southwest Region, slated March 23-25 at El Paso. Transportation will be available by chartered bus, and reservations should be

made with Mrs. McCombs. The chapter's local spring tea will be held from 2 to 4 p.m., March 18 in First Federal Community Room, with Mrs. A. A. Wadle as chairman.

Among those in attendance Monday was Mrs. R. T. Winn, who has completed nurses training through an ABWA scholarship. She is now employed by the Veterans Administration Hospital.

The next meeting will be the annual bosses night banquet at 7 p.m., Feb. 20 at Big Spring Country Club. Reservations should be made no later than Feb. 16 by calling Mrs. L. S. Bonner, chairman, 267 5160 after 5 p.m.

Officer Installation Held By Auxiliary

Mrs. J. R. Petty was elected president of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Patriarch Militant, IOOF, Saturday as Mrs. Eugene Thomas presided.

Others elected were Mrs. Ora Martin, vice president; Mrs. Earl Wilson, recording secretary; Mrs. L. A. Griffith, treasurer; Miss

Shirley Lee, officer of the day; Mrs. A. F. Gilliland, chaplain; Earl Wilson, officer of the guard; L. A. Griffith, sentry; Mrs. Thomas, color bearer; Mrs. Delbert Lee, right aide to president; Mrs. Everene Christopher, left aide to president; and Mrs. Gene Crenshaw, musician and right aide to vice president.

The installation was conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, and a dinner was held after the ritual. The next meeting will be Feb. 10 at the IOOF Hall.

Ecumenical Aims Outlined

"Key '73," a national ecumenical program designed to bring churches closer together and unite them in "a mutual spirit of worship and understanding," was outlined Monday by the Rev. Harland Birdwell for St. Mary's Guild at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

Miss Elsie Willis presided, and announced the annual meeting and buffet dinner at the church will be at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday and will be preceded by Holy Eucharist.

A salad luncheon for women of the church will be at twelve o'clock noon, Jan. 25 at the church.

Mrs. Tom Helton gave the devotion, and Mrs. Everett Lomax was hostess. The group will meet again at 2 p.m., Feb. 19 at the church parish hall.

Music Clubs Will Convene

STANTON — Mrs. Glenn Brown, president of Texas Federation of Music Clubs, is in Fort Worth to make arrangements for the annual convention of the federation. Dates are March 21-24 at the Green Oaks Inn. Mrs. Brown will be completing the first year of a two-year term of the state's largest music club organization when the convention is held.

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Shower Honors Mrs. Lavergne

A bridal shower honored Mrs. Richard Lavergne Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boodle, 2505 Fisher. Hostesses were Miss Mona Boodle and Miss Marie Boodle.

The honoree wore a floor-length gown fashioned in blue crepe. She was presented a corsage of pink and purple roses, as was her mother, Mrs. Lyda Miles.

A white lace cloth covered the refreshment table which was centered with an arrangement of white gladioli, pink roses and purple poppies. Milk Glass and gold appointments were used. Gold candle holders with white tapers flanked the centerpiece.

Mrs. Lavergne is the former Miss Alma Willetts. She and Sgt. Lavergne were married Dec. 29, 1972 at the Webb Air Force Base chapel.

Women Continue Sewing Projects

Individual handwork projects were continued by members of Pioneer Sewing Club Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. W. Snelling, Chalk Community. Refreshments were served to 11 women. The next meeting will be at 2 p.m., Feb. 6 in the home of Mrs. Ruby McElrath, Forsan.

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SUGGESTED FOR EVENING

Provocative Plunge

By JULIE FLINT
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — Hardy Amies, dressmaker by appointment to Queen Elizabeth II, opened London's spring-summer couture season today with a suggestion that women be more provocative in their evening dress.

Provocative to Amies means silk crepe de chine culottes and bra tops — with cover-up shirts for the chilly and chaste — and sleeveless, waisted chiffons plunging generously to the waist at the bust and the back.

Amies' boutique collection also featured dark organzas — printed, embroidered, smocked at the waist and frilled at the sleeve.

These less expensive dresses, starting at around \$240, outsparked the couture creations at roughly double the price.

The designer's evening couture was disappointingly old hat. There were black off-the-shoulder satins, spotted organzas and taffetas, formal frills worn with last year's spots, and the traditional ballgowns that demand stately bosoms and iron-gray hair.

Amies' day wear, however, was a shot in the arm for couture.

He showed simple, splendidly tailored shirtwaists and blazers, hip-pleated dresses and jackets, suits and print blouses in navy, navy and brown, brown and cream.

His chalky pinks and blues looked better last year. The combinations of stripes and checks did, too.

Favorite materials were flannels and silks, fine gabardines and wool hopsacks, printed wools and silk-wool blends.

Coats were cut slim and easy for city wear, often with elaborate back pleats.

Couple Slates February Rites

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Linda Hopper to Jimmy Kelso is being announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hopper, Stanton. Kelso is the son of Mrs. Wanda Rose, Arlington, and the late Jack Pinkston. The wedding is scheduled Feb. 2 in the home of the bride's parents.

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PLUNGING CHIFFON — This long dress with plunging neckline in multi-colored chiffon was displayed in Hardy Amies' spring and summer collection in London Tuesday.

But there were cries of "Oh lovely" when the designer paraded his mohairs. These were large and soft in pink and blue, orange and green checks, wrapped around and belted, and worn with printed dresses in similar but sharper shades. About \$670 for the coat and \$515 for the dress.

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Real Close

Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My problem is with my husband, age 32, and his two nieces, ages 16 and 17. (They are sisters.)

We went to an all-night roadhouse inn to have breakfast at 2 a.m., and my husband disappeared with the 17-year-old for two hours. They said they were upstairs looking at the view.

When they came back I didn't say anything, but I was plenty mad. Whenever my husband and I take these two nieces out, he takes turns dancing with them and leaves me sitting. It's gotten so he never takes me out alone, he's always got these girls with us. He has fixed them up with dates with some of his friends who are his age, and for all I know my husband could be seeing them himself. He has disappeared for whole nights and comes home with lipstick on his shirts.

I have told the girls' mother about this and she says I am silly to worry, but I don't think I am because there was a lot of talk about incest in their family between my husband's younger brother and his older sister.

When my husband says goodby to these nieces, he kisses them on the mouth. My question? Is this healthy?

JEALOUS IN COLORADO
DEAR JEALOUS: It's not healthy, and neither is the relationship between your husband and his young nieces. Set this swinger down and talk to him like a Dutch Uncle, or that uncle will be in Dutch for fooling around with minors.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have a little problem we need help with. We have been going to a doctor for the past four years since we've moved to this town. Once, when our regular doctor was on vacation his partner filled in for him, and Abby, the partner was fantastic! I liked him so much better than my regular doctor.

My husband also had the partner and liked him better than our own.

We would like to switch over to the partner but we don't know how to go about it. We are so afraid of hurting our first doctor's feelings.

Do you happen to know how doctors feel about this sort of thing.

MRS. B. DEAR MRS. B.: I doubt that a doctor would be overjoyed to learn that a patient preferred his partner, and would like to switch. But a patient has a right to choose his own doctor — unless he goes to a clinic where it is understood that he will take whichever doctor is available. Read on. Another reader has your problem in reverse.

DEAR ABBY: About two months ago my doctor took in a partner. The problem is that when I go to my doctor's office, the nurse tells me I have to have the partner.

I like my original doctor, and since I am paying the bill I feel I am entitled to get the doctor of my choice. I am told the new doctor is "just as good," but I still prefer my old doctor.

Please tell me what I can do about this. I don't want to make a trip to the doctor's office, and then go home without seeing a doctor because my own doctor won't see me, which is what I intend to do if this happens again. Please advise me.

DISGUSTED DEAR DISGUSTED: The next time you want an appointment, tell your doctor's secretary which doctor you want to see, and make it clear that you will see no other! It is common practice for a doctor to have his partner (or some colleague) substitute for him while he is on vacation or in an emergency, but no ethical doctor will arbitrarily transfer a patient to his partner without the consent and approval of the patient.

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