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THIS WEEK Kissinger May Fly To Egypt

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger may fly to Egypt later this week and then on to Israel in an effort to add momentum to the Middle East peace conference in Geneva, it was learned today.

The trip would be Kissinger's third to the region since the October war. The immediate problem is bringing Israel and Egypt together on a disengagement of their armies near the Suez Canal.

Kissinger and Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan reached apparent agreement Saturday on a proposal Israel would make after it has cleared the Israeli Cabinet. Kissinger's new visit to Cairo would provide a means of clearing the proposal with the Egyptians.

Israeli and Egyptian military negotiators met only briefly at Geneva today. The shortness of their session indicated that they were awaiting guidance from higher authorities.

Kissinger has taken a personal hand in trying to work out settlement, leaving only details to the American ambassadors in Cairo and Jerusalem and to other lesser officials.

Meanwhile, the Soviet Union has deferred to the United States in arranging the Geneva conference and spurring negotiations.

Freedom Of Press

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals reversed and ordered dismissed today contempt of court cases against two Dallas men involved in taking the picture of an undercover agent in a courthouse corridor.

J. D. Arnold, news editor of the underground newspaper "Iconoclast," and Brent Stein drew \$500 fines and six-month jail terms after they and a third man, referred to only as John Doe, accused Department of Public Safety officer Robert Harden in the hallway.

Harden, the star state witness in a criminal trial, was returning from a lunch recess. He testified that the third man shouted, "That's the man," and that Arnold and the third man briefly held his arms while Stein took his picture.

District Court Judge Ed Gossett moments later had Arnold brought into the courtroom from the hall and without a hearing found him in contempt of court. The judge later granted a new trial and ordered Arnold and Stein to show cause why they should not be held in contempt.

The appeals court said the incident did not interfere with justice in the trial at which Harden was the star witness.

The court dismissed the state's argument that the taking of Harden's picture exposed him to danger. It said Harden "lifted that veil himself when he walked into the courtroom."

Arnold denied he grabbed Harden. Instead, he said, Harden shoved him and grabbed his arm to prevent the taking of the picture.

Loyalty Oath Decision

WASHINGTON (AP) — Political parties may not be barred from state ballots because they refuse to sign an oath renouncing violent overthrow of the government, the Supreme Court held today.

The court made its long-held distinction between a belief in the efficacy of violent overthrow and an advocacy of violent action. The mere belief is constitutionally protected, the court reiterated, in tossing out an Indiana loyalty oath that was challenged by the state's Communist party.

Powell, in an opinion joined by Chief Justice Warren E. Burger and Justices Harry A. Blackmun and William H. Rehnquist, said the loyalty oath should be invalidated because it was not required of the two major parties and thus denied the challengers in the case, the Communist party of Indiana, the equal protection guaranteed by the 14th Amendment.

Youth Struck Here En Route To School

First casualty of the new Daylight Savings time in Big Spring was Valentine Levario, Jr., 17, who was struck by a car at 8:02 a.m. while walking to the school bus in the 2700 block of W. 16th.

Mrs. Julia Raines Abbott of 1500 Mesquite was driver of the car involved and told investigating officers that she did not see the pedestrian.

Levario was taken to Medical Center Hospital suffering from abrasions.

Meet On Global Energy Problems

SAN CLEMENTE, Calif. (AP) — President Nixon has invited the foreign ministers of six major oil-consuming Western European nations plus Japan and Canada to attend a Feb. 11 Washington meeting on global energy problems, the White House announced today.

Nixon extended the invitations in personal messages to the heads of government of France, Germany, Britain, Italy, the Netherlands and Norway as well as Japan and Canada. The secretary-general of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development was also invited.

The announcement said the purpose of the conference was "to discuss an action program on international energy problems."

Nixon Defends Case Actions

SAN CLEMENTE, Calif. (AP) — The White House says "traditional political considerations," but not campaign contributions, influenced President Nixon's 1971 decision to boost milk price supports. It kept the lid on tapes and documents involved in the incident.

Acknowledgement that politics figured in the controversial decision was made in one of two "white papers" issued Tuesday to counter charges that contributions swayed Nixon in the milk case and in an antitrust suit involving International Telephone Telegraph Corp.

Although the White House at one time considered making public summaries of tapes and papers bearing on the two cases, it said such a step was vetoed because Nixon feels strongly about maintaining the confidentiality of presidential files.

"WHITE PAPERS" The tapes and documents already have been given to Special Watergate Prosecutor Leon Jaworski, and the White House expressed hope he and a federal grand jury "will respect the confidentiality of these materials."

The carefully prepared and detailed "white papers" made these key arguments in defense of Nixon's conduct:

—Milk prices. Under Democratic leadership, Congress was about to pass a bill ordering higher price supports, and Nixon could not veto it without alienating the farmers — an essential part of his political constituency. He knew of promised 1972 campaign contributions from the three largest dairy cooperatives but did not discuss them with dairy leaders or with advisers who helped him reach his decision.

—ITT. Nixon intervened only once in the ITT antitrust case, after former aide John D. Ehrlichman told him the Justice Department was about to act contrary to Nixon's personal philosophy. He withdrew the intervention two days later after John N. Mitchell, then attorney general, reasoned that otherwise Erwin N. Griswold might resign as solicitor general. All this took place before ITT

pledged financial support if the 1972 Republican National Convention were held in San Diego, Calif.

The two White House statements, made public with scant advance notice, apparently ended the so-called "Operation Candor" disclosures that began with the release last month of Nixon's tax returns. Aides said they knew of no further statements concerning Watergate-related matters.

Consumer advocate Ralph Nader and others are suing Nixon, contending he increased milk price supports in return for \$427,000 in campaign donations from the three biggest dairy co-ops.

The milk case statement said "there was no mention of campaign contributions" at a March 23, 1971, meeting of Nixon and dairy leaders.

The White House said later that day Nixon met on the support issue with seven advisers

and "the political power of the dairy industry lobby" was brought to the President's attention.

It said he was told that legislation to increase the support level had the support of House Speaker Carl Albert, D-Okla., and Chairman Wilbur Mills, D-Ark., of the House Ways and Means Committee, "two of the most powerful legislators in the country."

"Neither the secretary nor anyone else discussed possible contributions to the President's campaign," said the White House.

The 17-page statement continued:

"The President himself concluded that the final decision came down to the fact that Congress was going to pass the higher support legislation, and he could not veto it without alienating the farmers — an essential part of his political constituency."

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Mercury Dives, Sleet Falling In West Texas

By The Associated Press
Freezing rain and sleet struck the Texas Panhandle and a large part of the western portion of the state today, creating hazardous driving conditions.

One man was found frozen to death in Amarillo. Shortly after dawn streets in

Amarillo were slick with sleet and freezing drizzle.

The Weather Service said the icy moisture was falling over most of the Panhandle and from there into Oklahoma and New Mexico.

BAD CONDITIONS
Light rain mixed with freezing rain was scattered at that

time over an area from near Lubbock to Abilene from Barnhart to near Van Horn and back to Lubbock, the Weather Service said.

Light freezing rain in the Midland-Odessa area made driving dangerous.

The bad conditions were expected to reach much of North Central Texas during the night. Temperatures in the region were expected to remain below freezing.

Meanwhile, dense fog in the Beaumont-Port Arthur-Orange region of Southeast Texas limited visibility to a few hundred feet in some places and drivers' caution was advised.

The man found frozen at Amarillo was James Focht, 44, of Tucson, Ariz. He died shortly after his arrival at a hospital. He was beside a railroad track. Temperature was 10 degrees.

Light rain or drizzle also dampened areas farther south, where it was still above freezing, and dense fog knocked visibility down to zero around San Antonio and other points. It

also was foggy around Cotulla, Victoria, Palacios, Beaumont-Port Arthur, Tyler and Texarkana.

While radar indicated snow during much of the night in the west and south portions of the Texas Panhandle, official observers said most of it apparently didn't reach the ground.

There was no report of measurable new snow.

Freezing rain moved toward the east from areas around Midland, Abilene, San Angelo, Fort Worth and Dallas, inducing forecasters to post a winter storm watch for tonight

and Thursday in parts of North Central and Northeast Texas.

Temperatures nosedived as much as 50 degrees from the highs Tuesday afternoon to readings near dawn today.

The mercury plunged to 4 above zero at Perryton and 8 at Dalhart in the upper Panhandle.

Colder spots elsewhere included Amarillo 10, Childress 16, Lubbock 17 (compared a high of 68 Tuesday), Wichita Falls 23, Abilene 24, Mineral Wells 27, Midland-Odessa 28, Dallas-Fort Worth 30 and San Angelo 32.

SWITCH ON WEATHER

There's an honest weatherman in Swinney. Switch in South Texas.

His report on the statewide police wire dispatched today said "Clear and cloudy, warm and cold with little possibility of anything."

Convention Rules Battle Continues

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Legislator-delegates to the Texas Constitutional Convention haggled over procedural rules today, bogging down in a fight over the power of the Committee on Style and Drafting.

Other amendments to those proposed by a pre-convention planning committee include one changing presiding officer Price Daniel Jr.'s title from "president" to "chairman."

Sen. H. J. "Doc" Blanchard, D-Lubbock, also was ready to push a proposal to remove from Daniel's hands the power to name committee members and give it to a "committee on committees."

Rep. Bryan Poff, D-Amarillo, started the flap over the style and drafting committee's power. The original rules proposal would have the committee power to perfect working of meas-

ures that may have been tentatively approved before they came up for another vote. Poff wanted to take away the committee's right to suggest new language to the convention.

Sen. A. R. Schwartz, D-Galveston, a sponsor of the proposed rule book, said that committee power would benefit the delegates by giving them something concrete to work with.

But Rep. Billy Williamson, D-Tyler, said this was too much power for the committee.

"It is the placing of these commas that concern me, that could make substantive changes," Williamson said.

Rep. DeWitt Hale, D-Corpus Christi, said the House had the right to change the committee's recommendations by a majority vote before advancing a constitutional proposal.

Poff's amendment was tabled.

SLEET

Freezing rain or sleet rated a 50 per cent possibility this afternoon and 40 per cent tonight. Northeasterly winds 8 to 18 miles per hour diminishing tonight. Cloudy and cold Thursday. High today, low 30s. Low tonight, low 20s. High Thursday, near 40.

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The World At-A-Glance

LONDON (AP) — Parliament was called back into session today to debate the energy crisis crippling Britain, the labor disputes causing it and what the Conservative government is doing about it. Before facing the House of Commons, Prime Minister Edward Heath created a new department of energy and named the defense secretary, Lord Carrington, to head it. The government said he would be given wide powers over the nation's coal, gas, electricity, and oil resources.

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — Government and Khmer Rouge forces battled to the west and north of Phnom Penh today, and 100 government casualties were reported. Military sources said the insurgent drive pushed to within five miles of the city on the west and northwest and to within seven miles along the northern perimeter.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite conciliatory statements by a Cuban diplomat, U.S. officials believe a renewal of diplomatic relations with Cuba is unlikely. The Cuban ambassador to Mexico said his country is prepared to discuss restoring relations once the hemispheric embargo of Cuba is lifted. However, U.S. officials say they want more direct evidence of a change in Cuban policy toward Washington.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's bakers want the Nixon administration to ration foreign deliveries of grain. The baking industry is alarmed at a drain on the U.S. wheat supply and want rationing at least until a new crop is ready next summer. The Agriculture Department is urging exporters to hold down foreign deliveries until the 1974 harvest begins.



JODY'S DOING FINE — Jody Dietrick, 6, Miami Beach, Fla., is comforted by his mother, Mrs. Henry Dietrick, after a heart operation to repair a faulty valve. The youngster was once refused admittance to a hospital because his parents couldn't pay for the life-saving surgery. Two surgeons donated their skills and the hospital is picking up the tab for Jody's care.

Foreign Student Pilots Tour Courthouse Here

Twelve student pilots from Vietnam and three from Iran toured the Howard County Courthouse this morning.

The members of Webb Air Force Base Class 74-08 are in the Security Assistance Training Program.

They take three academic courses American student pilots do not, including "Contemporary Government and Defense."

As part of this course, the foreign students took this field trip. "Hopefully, we'll do this every six months with each foreign class," Capt. J. D. Mabry said.

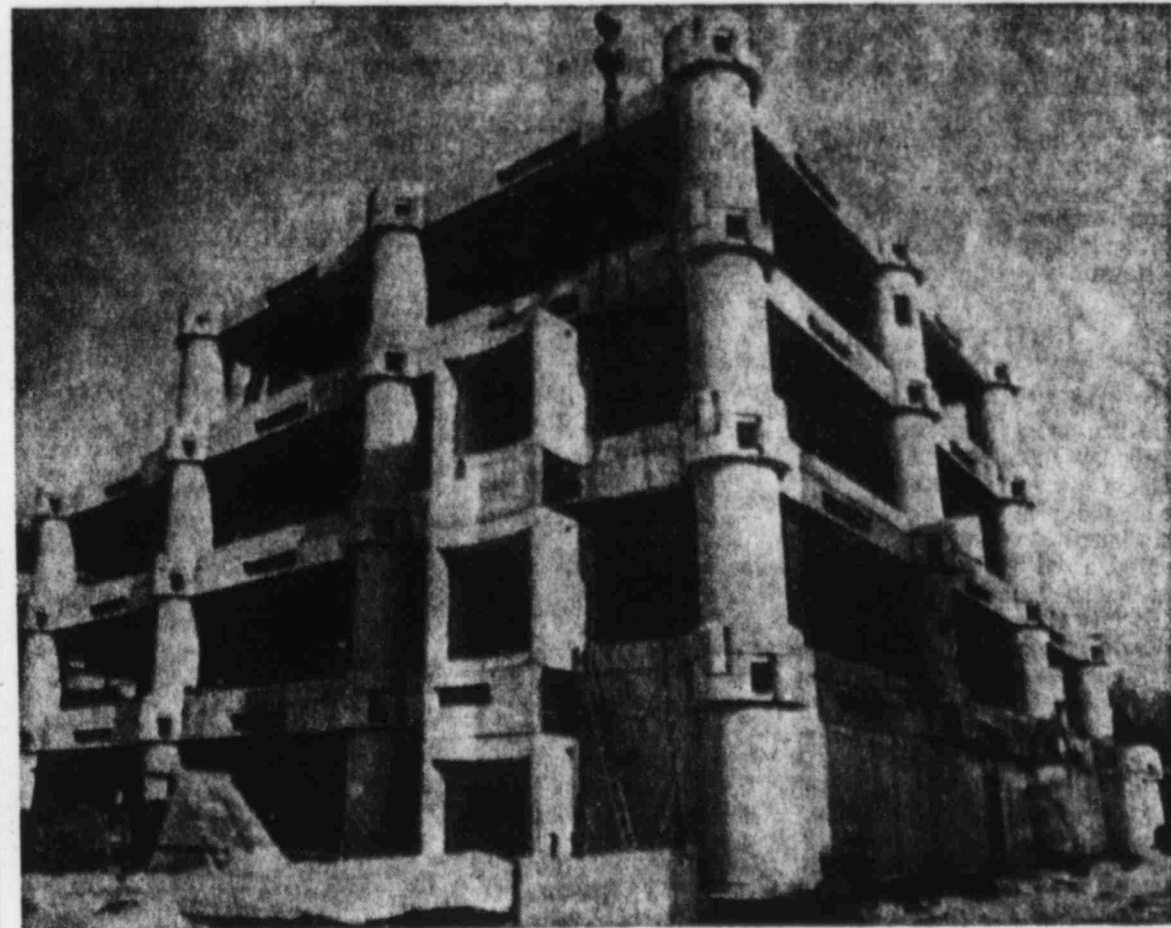
This was the first members of this course to tour the county courthouse, he added.

County Judge A. G. Mitchell escorted the students on a tour which took them through the county jail, county courtroom, district courtroom, jurors quarters and district clerk's office. Mitchell said they were most interested in seeing the grand jury room.

District Judge R. W. Caton explained the process of indictment and trial.

"The good cases are the cases where the defendant represents himself," Mitchell said.

"That's sort of like taking out your own appendix," Caton added.



LOOKS LIKE GIANT TINKER TOY BUILDING — A six million dollar school building under construction in Detroit's cultural area resembles a jolly giant's Tinker Toy set. The building is the first phase of a fifteen-million-dollar expansion program for Detroit's Society of Arts and Crafts. It's put together with a combination of hollow round columns topped with notched collars into which horizontal beams are slipped.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

Party Slated For Children

Birth day party refreshments will be served to 125 children at Westside Community Center Jan. 18 by the Immaculate Heart of Mary Altar Society. The plans were made when the society met Tuesday in the church hall with Mrs. Keith Thompson presiding.

Mrs. Mildred Ward of the spiritual development committee said the group sent Christmas cards to every resident of Mountain View Lodge, a local rest home. Also, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins and Mrs. Ward reported a

profit of \$95 on the sale of cards this year.

Appointed to the altar committee for January were Mrs. Fred Hyer, Mrs. Mary Bridges and Mrs. Ezell Brewer.

The program was given by the Rev. Louis Moeller who showed slides of a trip he took recently to South America.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Ward, and the attendance prize was won by Mrs. Ward. The next meeting will be Feb. 4.

Installation Held By BPO Does

The installation of new officers was conducted by the BPO Does Tuesday evening in the Elks Club, with Mrs. Marvin Hayworth assuming the presidency.

Sharing the slate are Mrs. W. R. Rogers, first counselor; Mrs. Roscoe Cone, senior counselor; Mrs. Betty O'Brien, junior counselor; Mrs. Harvey Clay, conductress; Mrs. William Gonzales, inner guard; Mrs. William Bodine, outer guard; Mrs. A. D. Jenkins, secretary; Mrs. Truman Mason, treasurer; Mrs. Kathleen Williams, chaplain; and Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, trustee.

Directing the ritual were Mrs. Williams, serving as deputy supreme president, and Mrs. Rogers as deputy supreme conductress.

The next meeting will be at 8 p.m., Jan. 15 at the club when three new members will be installed and a party will be held for those having birthdays in January.

Event Scheduled At Center Point School

An old-fashioned community gathering will be held Friday evening at Center Point School. Organizers of the social event are urging all area residents to attend.

Those attending should bring a covered dish for the community dinner which will begin at 7 p.m.

"This will give old friends

a chance to meet for a pleasurable evening and maybe a game of dominoes" said a spokesman.

The school, no longer in use for classes, was offered to the community for a social center, and backers hope the gatherings and special events will be held on a regular basis.

Mrs. Ivie, Ira Schantz To Appear With Choir

Mrs. Dell Ivie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hollingsworth of Big Spring is a member of the Texas Christian University A Capella Choir and Symphony Orchestra which will appear in concert in Midland at 8 p.m., Thursday in the Lee High School Auditorium.

The 110-member group is making a tour Jan. 9-11 with programs in Abilene, Midland-Odessa, Amarillo

and Wichita Falls. Dr. Terrence Anderson directs the choir, and John Girodano conducts the orchestra.

Mrs. Ivie is a senior music major at TCU, where her husband is working toward a doctorate in chemistry. Also traveling with the choir is Ira Schantz, formerly of the Howard County Junior College music department, who is a professor of voice at TCU.

Don't Tell Her

Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren



DEAR ABBY: For 26 years I have been married to a man everybody thought was the perfect husband. No one knew the heartaches I suffered silently to keep my family together when my children were small.

sorry for your mailman, but if those mall order hoes want to spend money on catalogs that are never looked at, and postage to deliver them, it's their loss.

Our daughter has been married for three years. She has one sweet baby and another on the way. Recently she confided that she has proof that her husband has been repeatedly unfaithful to her.

DEAR ABBY: You said that most male doctors do not get turned on by an attractive female patient. You're all well! My ex-wife had a thing going with her doctor for a long time before I caught on. I didn't prosecute because I figured the poor guy had enough trouble being emotionally involved with my wife.

I have come very close to telling her that her father did me the same way. Would that be wrong? They say that misery loves company.

During the last five years I paid another doctor bills to put another Cadillac in his garage.

Sweetie, you may know a lot about teen-agers, but you had better do a little more research on doctors.

KANSAS CITY: Yes, it would be wrong. If misery loves company, whose "misery" would you be attempting to provide with company? Your daughter's or your own?

BURNED ONCE

DEAR BURNED: There are exceptions in every profession, but most doctor-patient relationships are strictly professional and there is no fooling around. Too bad yours was a bummer.

DEAR ABBY: I once made the terrible mistake of sending away for some of those gummed back "name and address stickers," and I have been deluged ever since with catalogs and junk mail from a dozen different gift houses.

RN Group Votes Against Changes

This junk mail clutters up my mailbox, and I don't want any of it. I never look at it, I just throw it out.

Proposed changes in the American Nurses Association fundamental premises were the main topic of discussion when the TNA, Affiliate No. 24 met Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Audrey Elmore, 2711 Carol, with Mrs. Betty Condray and Miss Elmore as hostesses.

I wrote to one of these gift houses and asked them to please take my name off their mailing list, and after that I started getting TWO of everything!

After a general discussion, the group agreed to keep the present premises as stated, which include reaffirmation that the basic unit of the association is the individual registered nurse, with membership limited to RN's only.

I can't look my mailman in the face anymore. One day he had 22 pieces of junk mail for me. I apologized to him and explained that I didn't send for that stuff, but I know he didn't believe me. I even asked HIM how to get off their mailing lists, and he said he didn't know.

Mrs. John Payne, president, conducted the meeting and welcomed three new members, Mrs. Letha Duke, Mrs. Ester Trantham and Mrs. Carmen Phillips.

I have quit giving to charities that solicit by mail because for every one I give to, I get requests from 10 more.

The next meeting will be Feb. 12 in the home of Mrs. Dorothy Booher, 1313 Eleventh Place.

Can't something be done about mail-order merchants who sell lists of names to other businesses?

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Now is the time to clean out purple martin bird houses. Scouts arrive in the Southwest in early January and February looking for nesting sites. They return to South America and direct their families to homes selected during the scouting trip, sometimes arriving back in the United States as late as May. Several colonies have located in Big Spring in the last two or three years, and with returning young birds, should increase in number this year.

Curator Talks To Committee

Mrs. Gerri Atwell, curator of Heritage Museum, was guest speaker Tuesday night for the Howard County Historical Survey Committee, showing slides of county landmarks and early Big Spring.

The announcement was made that the committee will prepare a county map of the area as it was in the late 1800's. The group is still selling note paper,

which pictures the first fire truck in Texas, and it can be purchased at the museum or library.

Those attending the meeting listened to tape recordings of Winnie Dell Rhoton and Lillian Rhoton as they discussed their father, the first settler in the county, and told of their respect and affection for early settlers such as Louis Hutto, a rancher; a Mr. Potton, with the Texas and Pacific Railroad; and Dr. G. T. Hall.

It was reported that 10,000 copies of a brochure, on which the committee worked, were ordered by the tourist committee of the Chamber of Commerce and should arrive soon. Mike Paul, a Gamco employe, was artist for the brochure.

The next meeting will be Feb. 12 in the Chamber of Commerce conference room.

Deborah Moore To Be Married

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Moore, Gail Rt., Box 44 announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Deborah Elaine, to Dennis Ray Stevens, son of Mrs. Ruby Ramsey, Chaparral Trailer Park. The couple will be married Jan. 25 in the Salvation Army Citadel.

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Travelers Show Slides Of Hawaii

Slides taken on recent trips to Hawaii were shown by Mrs. Thetus Dunagan and Mrs. Ann Fairchild during Monday's meeting for the Forsan Study Club in the home economics room of Forsan High School. The program was held in conjunction with the club's study topic, "Let Us Take Time to Travel".

For the program, each member wore or brought an item from Hawaii and described its purpose or use.

Mrs. Jack Woodley presided, and hostesses were Mrs. Herb Smith and Mrs. Woodley.

The next meeting will be Jan. 21 in the music room at Elbow School.

Take High Tallies In Bridge Play

Two tables were in play when the Coahoma Bridge Club met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Jan East. Winners were Mrs. Charles Parrish, high; Mrs. Marion Hays, low; and Mrs. John Scott, bingo. The next meeting will be at 7 p.m., Jan. 14 in the Hays home.

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Good Start, Great Challenge

Texas legislators have organized into a constitutional convention to begin deliberations on a carefully-prepared draft constitution. The draft is a much-improved version of the tattered, over-loaded and restrictive document written in 1876 in response to Carpetbag rule of the Reconstruction era.

The draft was prepared by a 37-member committee. The committee collected testimony from 911 persons in 19 cities.

Aim of the committee was apparent. It sought to write a draft that COULD be accepted by the Legislature and by Texas voters. Hotly controversial items were either avoided or offered with options.

Even so, the draft is a sound document for state government. The committee was successful in winnowing out much obsolete material and detail better handled by statute.

The Legislature, itself, retained the Bill of Rights

section intact. Those protections were deemed too important to risk any tampering.

The draft centers budget authority in the Governor, giving an obviously-clearer line of responsibility for budget execution. It also requires the Legislature to enact the budget bill before it enacts any other appropriations bills.

That provision, alone, is worth the cost of revision work so far. It would tend to avoid the abuses of session-end pressures to accept bad bills in order to get the good.

In other words, it requires the legislators to find out how much money they have to spend before they spend it. Pay-as-you-go spending requirements remain.

Public education funding will be improved by making the system responsive to the state's resources. That means a redefinition of the state's minimum standard for schooling. The draft would also prohibit evasion of free-textbook requirements

through subterfuges of requiring "workbooks" at extra cost to students.

The draft frees the State Highway Fund into highway work instead of allowing the creation, under that organization, of a Department of Transportation. Status quo in this area runs counter to the national trend, but the record of the former is well proven, the latter conjectural.

The draft is an excellent "work paper" for the legislators. Formula for drafting it was that committee members would discuss and debate goals before they started working on content.

The work until now indicates a serious desire to give Texans a good constitutional revision. The task won't be easy, especially as the myriad of groups moves in to protect its individual ox, but the task can be done if our representatives look not to the pressures of the moment, but the well-being of the people and the state for the next century.

OFA—Magic Book



Around The Rim

Joe Pickle

Jan. 14 was supposed to be clear and pretty cold, and for the most part you could fit it into that framework, except for a brief period of freezing mist and powdery snow. So I suppose you could credit my friend, the 182nd annual edition of Old Farmers Almanac with a hit.

OFA (at Dublin, New Hampshire, 0344) isn't one to be timid about forecasting the weather, even for a year ahead. One fan kept records for a three year period and credited the almanac with hitting 127 out of 185 forecasts, or 68 per cent. Not bad, not bad (even though in this particular area I probably could do as well by predicting partly cloudy, not much change in temperature).

So what's OFA say our weather will be like in 1974? It's a little difficult to generalize, because our particular part of the region (No. 12) isn't mentioned specifically, and we're in the edge of the Southwest desert region, but I would gather that the weather will be hot and dry. January may have colder weather from the 21st to 24th, and then increasing cloudiness at the end of the month. February will be warm at the outset, followed by rain in the Gulf and Central regions, and colder at the end of the month. March is predicted for clear, possibly rain or snow around the 10th, rain and cooler around the 25th.

APRIL WILL be clearing and warm, but with a late stab of cold air the 15th-18th. May will bring some rains, but hot weather is due to begin around May 7th-9th. June will be hot, with a chance of moisture June 11th-14th. July will be hot, with intermittent heavy showers July 15th-21st. August has possibility of rain on the 9th-11th, 19th and 26th. September will be mostly sunny, except for possible rain the 9th and 10th, and 23rd-30th. October will open with a heat wave for that time of the year, possibly showers around the 10th, and finally cloudy and cooler Oct. 25th-31st.

BUT DON'T think the weather is the only thing of interest in OFA. Indeed, you can get the moons and the tides, the signs of the Zodiac, a table of weights and measurements (liquid, solid, and leniar, life span and periods of fertility and gestation for animals and fowls. It has tables for planting, tables for wind chill, tables for time corrections, plus all the signs and holidays of every month, the phase of the moon, the brightness of various planets, means of determining the length of days, twilight, even predictions when conditions will be most favorable for earthquakes.

THERE ARE little tidbits such as the earth being 91,325,000 miles from the sun on Jan. 2, and 94,482,000 miles July 4 (bet you thought it would be the other way around). You can even get little sideights of history, a workout on mathematical puzzles (given a cone, sphere and cylinder, with diameter and altitudes of 2 cubits, how much heavier are the cone and sphere together than the cylinder?). Or, familiar sayings in verse, to wit: "Poor as a church mouse, thin as a rail. Fat as mud, rough as a gale," or "Brave as a lion, Spry as a cat. Bright as a star, weak as a rat," or "Proud as a peacock, sly as a fox, Mad as a wet hen, strong as an ox."

THERE'S A bit about the passenger pigeon, which 100 years ago comprised about 40 per cent of the total U.S. bird population, but became extinct 29 years ago, thanks to fiendish industry of man. Near the city of Petoskey, Mich. in 1881, it was estimated one billion of these birds were slaughtered.

Or, if you happen to be a rare, rare soul who has a cow, you have tips about making butter; cottage cheese. You may be interested in a dozen ways that salt can help you, like setting the whites in poaching eggs. You name it, Old Farmer's Almanac's got it.



Rail Revival

Marquis Childs

ABOARD THE METROLINER — Why is this car cold? Why am I typing with gloves on? Why haven't the ice cubes in the whiskey melted?

THE PORTER TUGS at his parka and explains that the thermostat is too near the galley and can not be regulated on exceptionally cold nights. But this is the parlor car on the Metroliner, deluxe, efficient, as modern as the technology of the past decade could provide.

A good lesson in the virtue of doubt — doubting whether the railroads have not been fossilized into irredeemable stupidity, doubt that the fuel shortage will revive any hope of sensible modes of travel, doubt that a Republic that managed to so ensnarl its ways of moving about has any prospect of surviving an "energy crisis."

THE TRANSPORTATION modes of Americans have appealed to this nation's weakness for the mountebank, a hope that it will hornsogged, a starry-eyed stare of delight as the coachman picks your pocket.

Not for nothing is the phrase "riverboat" forever linked with a "gambler." Conestoga days also featured tales of larcenous frontier toll-collectors at bridges, gaps and passes.

The railroad produced benefits for the common folk and more splendor for the "robber barons" who ran them.

THE FLEDGLING airline industry attracted people like Howard Hughes. And the notion of glamor in air travel still lingers despite cold statistics like the total hours of passenger delay at LaGuardia and National Airports last year: more than two million.

But the American lust to be swindled was fulfilled most gloriously in the heyday of the Interstate Highway System, a device that has lifted \$40 billion from American pockets since

1956. The accomplices in this caper were the automakers of Detroit and those fraudulent cutpurses, the gentlemen of the oil industry.

IT'S ONE THING for swindlers to offer an overpriced, fatally inefficient system of transport by billing it as the golden road to happiness, adventure and commercial bliss. But it's another to step back from the contract less than two decades later, point haplessly to the Arabs, sniffle and shuffle, then say to the customer, "Lotsa luck."

Well, maybe the customer deserved it.

BUT THIS TIME, with the revival of that flamboyantly wasted natural resource, the railroad, there is a second chance. Congress has passed yet another save-the-rails measure which will issue \$1.5 billion in taxpayer bonds to help out railroads in the Northeast and Midwest.

Now that's our money our U.S. Senators — 43 of them, anyway — and members of the House of Representatives — 284 of them — have committed to this new idea.

Included in the legislation was an absolute commitment to immediately begin the high-speed rail line between Boston and Washington, a project that has been studied to death for a decade.

THE THING TO remember in the new rail revival is that the congressmen who voted for it ought to be held accountable. The tribunes of the people enjoy passing the buck to Railpax, Amtrack and the new creation of acronym-mongers, Fannie Rae. These are all "quasi-public" corporations and their outrages are unreachably, say the weeping congressmen.

Enough. Passengers have been swindled too long.



"Be philosophical, comrade! Think of all the new material for your next book . . . if you get out."



Hunger Pains

Robert E. Ford

The girl who distributes the mail plopped a book down on the desk the other day. Thumbed it open and the first thing the old eyeballs lighted on was a recipe for grits soufflé.

THAT SET off the hunger pangs and had to leave for lunch a half hour early. But you can search a city's downtown cafes all afternoon and probably won't find any grits. Certainly not grits soufflé.

The book is "The Saga of Texas Cookery" and is written by Sarah Morgan of Fort Worth. The Encino Press of Austin has just published it at \$6.95.

The author once ran a tearoom. But the recipes in her book are hardly tearoom fare.

HER THEME — and all cookbooks must have something to hold them together — is tracing the periods of cooking starting with the adventures who explored the Southwest.

She notes that Texas may have the greatest variety of foods of any state but a stranger in any town will have trouble finding a good place to eat.

As Mrs. Morgan notes, travelers rarely find the best restaurants. Their fare generally is confined to what she calls "highway foods."

Some connoisseurs grumble that they want to eat at specialty cafes, such as those featuring Italian, Chinese, Mexican and even more, exotic cuisine.

The majority of these are the considerable distance from the convention hotels, and taxi service is non too reliable.

YOU DON'T feel too sorry for these

people when Mrs. Morgan tells about the first legislators just after the Civil War having to sleep in their wagons and cooking over a campfire because they didn't have any money and neither did the state.

The author says that early arrivals in Texas took what food they found and applied some of the techniques of the Old Country to improve it.

She says, somewhat surprisingly, that one great food attributed to Mexicans actually was East Texas Indian.

This is the tamale and probably was seasoned differently in the earlier times.

Mrs. Morgan says natives of each country eagerly accepted the cooking of others.

FOR INSTANCE, you cannot say now whether many recipes are French or Spanish because they are so mingled. Spanish and Mexican are mixed, and today many so-called Mexican foods probably are more Texan than Mexican.

The Civil War caused a major shortage of food in the South and resulted in some ingenuity as housewives sought to make something tasty from whatever was at hand.

Grits soufflé is a case. These are not just grits. You add cheese, eggs, garlic, butter and pepper to the cooked grits. Then this is baked in a pan at 400 degrees for about 30 minutes.

Leftover grits can be sliced and fried for breakfast — an outstanding change from breakfast bacon or sausage.

One recipe is for hominy griddle cakes which Mrs. Morgan says still are served in Southeast Texas.

Trauma, Trauma, Trauma

Hal Boyle

By JAY SHARBUTT (Substituting for Hal Boyle)

NEW YORK (AP) — Another new network radio series will debut next March, bringing to three the number of daily network radio drama series that have hit the airwaves since mid-December.

Its executive producer, Byron Lewis, jokingly describes the coming show as "soap opera in the classic sense: trauma upon trauma upon trauma." But it'll be markedly different than any past or present trauma drama aired on a network.

Called "Sounds of the City," it's aimed at black listeners, performed by black actors and actresses and produced by a black-owned company, UniWorld Group, Inc., which Lewis heads.

"It's about a black family in a variety of situations that any black family would experience in a contemporary urban setting," says Lewis, 42, born in Newark, N.J., and raised in Queens, N.Y.

The 15-minute show, about the family of a black policeman in an unidentified large city in the North, will be broadcast by the Mutual Black Network, a subsidiary of the Mutual Broadcasting System in Washington, D.C.

An MBN spokesman says at least 25 of the network's 83 affiliates will carry the show when it starts in early March. It'll air five days a week and have a regular cast of seven performers.

It initially will run for 26 weeks, possibly longer, and is fully sponsored by the Quaker Oats Co., according to Lewis.

The series will focus on experiences of the Calvin Taylor family, a clan that includes two teen-agers, an older daughter recently graduated from college and their aunt and uncle.

What gave Lewis the idea for the series?

One factor, he said with a laugh, was his childhood memories of how his mother and aunt were "totally involved in radio

soap operas — things like 'Stella Dallas,' 'John's Other Life' and 'Our Gal Sunday.'

"I never could understand it because it was almost as if the characters were members of our family, relating to white characters in white situations."

But it really was created, he said, because there are few programs directed to black listeners, despite the current success of movies and television programs featuring black stars.

"And we, as an agency, are always interested in trying to find better ways to reach our market," said Lewis, whose 4½-year-old firm handles black-oriented advertising and public relations campaigns.

"We just felt the time was ripe for it," he said, adding that he aimed for the ear instead of the eye "because we think that black radio, on a market-to-market basis, has the greatest coverage of the black household."



Treatment After 'Stroke'

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I had a stroke some time ago and am wondering if you have any suggestions on how to treat a stroke. I walk with a limp. Any suggestions will be appreciated. You might know a doctor who treats people who have had a stroke.

Lots of doctors treat stroke patients, but treatment divides into three phases. First there's caring for the patient at the time of the stroke. You're past that now.

Second, treatment may, or may not, be advisable to prevent another stroke. In some cases blood thinners are required; in others, lowering blood pressure is the answer. The considerations

are technical, and I take it for granted that your doctor has worked that out already. (In a good many cases, no treatment is necessary in this phase.)

Third, there's the question of what to do about a limp, or paralysis, and I gather that's what your real question is.

Keep in mind that a "stroke" is damage to some part of the brain. Let's say in your case the damaged area was one that contained the cells having to do with sending nerve impulses to your leg.

As you know, nothing we do is done independently of the brain. When we breathe, the "orders" to breathe come from the brain, even though in that

case the brain operates automatically. We don't consciously have to think about each breath we draw.

So, as a result of your stroke, you lost at least some of the nerve center that tells the various muscles of your leg to contract or relax at the proper time. That is why you limp.

It is quite common for a stroke to be severe at first, perhaps leaving you unable to move the leg at all, but afterward to have some activity return. Evidently that happened with you. Not everything came back, but some did.

When a leg (or other part of the body) is idle, the muscles weaken from lack of use.

Liabilities High

John Cunniff



NEW YORK (AP) — American businesses and households are in a less than satisfactory financial position as the economic downturn begins.

Statistics show that liabilities are high in relation to assets in both sectors, thus weakening their ability to withstand the stresses of lost sales and wages.

WHILE IT IS too early to predict the consequences of this illiquidity, government officials, businessmen and others will be watching closely for any indication of rising bankruptcies.

Some businessmen already are complaining about slow payments of bills, and attribute it to the reluctance of customers to finance inventories with high cost loans. Instead, they borrow from their suppliers.

Lionel Edie Co., the economic research and consulting arm of Merrill Lynch, the brokerage house, comments that the situation "shows an alarming resemblance to the 1969-1970 period."

It was during that time that many companies found it increasingly difficult to finance their operations, none more so than the Penn Central, which was forced into reorganization.

EDIE NOTES that corporations have sharply increased their short-term borrowings and that now their

cash assets are only 18.6 per cent of current liabilities, compared with a ratio near 40 per cent in the early 1960s.

One sign of household strain is the high percentage of installment credit extended in relation to disposable personal income. This figure has risen sharply.

Historically, the percentage of debt to disposable income is below 1.5 per cent. In the 1960s, Edie notes, the percentage exceeded 1.5 only in 1965, when it reached 1.82 per cent.

Lately the ratio has jumped sharply higher again. In 1972, Edie told its corporate clients this week, it was over 2 per cent and indicated that this year's ratio might turn out to be about 2.25 per cent.

WHILE TERMING the increase alarming, Edie noted in its report that the situation for households is even worse when noninstallment credit and mortgage payments are added in.

New mortgage debt for the household sector has been rising at an annual rate of \$40 billion during the past two years, compared to only \$24 billion in 1971.

But Edie remains confident that "while current liquidity appears to be dangerously low, the likelihood of a more severe recession because of illiquidity is small."



Billy Graham

MY ANSWER

Things I'm reading and hearing would seem to indicate that the institution of the family is being phased out. I'm not sure what is taking its place, but I wonder how you feel about all this. Particularly, I'm concerned about the place of children in the new structures.

S.T.

It's interesting to me that in the Genesis account of creation, the husband and wife were supernaturally created at a mature age. The child in the first family unit, however, was conceived and grew up in the environment of a home. God's order from the beginning has been the family structure, and we tamper with it at great peril to all society.

Recently, in a popular magazine article, appeared this statement: "There is no institution like the family to turn children into civilized human

beings." We can experiment with communal living, group parenthood, solo parents, and governmental rearing of infants, but all such plans can never be equated with the norm of a father and a mother in a loving and intimate home relationship.

Chapter 63 of Psalms has this statement, "God setteth the solitary in families." It's another indication of the divine origin of the family.

Some of the arguments for phasing out the family unit will only trigger plausible and even advisable. Tragically, however, are the consequences to a child, when this is done. If we think there is already a high rate of emotional disease in our country, phasing out the family unit will only trigger even more monumental disorders.

The Bible has no alternative to the family. It provides ample comment for repairing it — none for eliminating it.

A Devotion For Today . .

Open to me the gates of righteousness: I will go into them, and I will praise the Lord. (Psalm 118:19)

PRAYER: Lord, we thank You for the new year and Your promise to be with us. Guide us in our going out and our coming in. This we ask in the name of Your Son, who taught us to pray. Amen. (From the 'Upper Room')

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COUNTRY — The Roman poet, Virgil, wrote: 'May the countryside and the gliding valley streams content me. Lost to fame, let me love river and woodland.' Those words might be applied to the William Juran farm, foreground; which overlooks the Mississippi River near Balfour, in northeast Iowa. The winter landscape is highlighted by thickly wooded groves and the river bluffs.

Stocks Of Gold Mining Firms Shine Brightly

NEW YORK (AP) — Wall Street has become the scene of a modern-day version of the California gold rush. While countless other stocks have dropped dramatically in value over the past year, shares of gold mining companies have shone as brightly as the precious metal itself. The gold fever, which has pushed up the price of some gold stocks by as much as 400 per cent or more since early 1973, has intensified in the past few days as the price of gold has soared in European trading centers.

On Tuesday, the stocks of nearly all major gold companies were delayed in opening on the New York Stock Exchange as buy orders flooded the market.

FOR EXAMPLE
For example, trading in Homestake Mining, the largest U.S. gold producer, did not open until 10:29 a.m., nearly half hour after the exchange began its daily session. It closed at \$93.35 a share, up \$11 from Tuesday's close, an increase of some 406 per cent from its low early last year of \$23.

Similarly, Dome Mines, a large Canadian producer, rose from \$3.75 to \$184.75. It sold early in 1973 for as little as \$68. Campbell Red Lake, another Canadian mining concern which traded as low as \$35 last year, reached \$95 by Tuesday's close.

These rapid advances have come over the same period that the Dow Jones industrial average, a barometer of activity in the stock market as a whole, has fallen some 190 points from its January 1973 record closing high — an 18 per cent drop.

GOLD FEVER
Gold stocks have traditionally been regarded on Wall Street as risky speculations. They have often had their greatest appeal in unsettled economic times, and analysts say the current run on them is founded in recent world monetary turmoil and the financial uncertainties posed by energy problems.

Alan C. Poole, analyst at Laidlaw-Coggeshall & Co., said "There's a great deal of fear because of the energy crisis. Many investors foresee a recession and this is the only thing a commodity that's always survived bad times."

Besides its prestigious reputation, analysts, say much of the appeal of the stock stems from the price of the commodity, which has moved sharply higher in the past few years to about \$126 as of Tuesday.

MUCH HIGHER
Analysts are divided on whether gold stocks will continue to climb, particularly as they have to grab on to. Here's their recent rapid pace.

However, James Dines of James Dines & Co., which has long predicted a gloomy outlook for stocks in general and a bright one for gold issues, said: "I think the price of gold will go much higher. I expect it to approach \$400 an ounce within the next two years. And the earnings of these gold companies, which have already shown unbelievable increases, will continue to soar."

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Vows To Fire Police Chief If Rumors True

MERCEDES, Tex. (AP) — Pledging to fire the police chief if it can be proved he has mistreated citizens, Mayor Liborio Hinojosa will meet next Monday with citizens who have complaints against the police department.

The mayor agreed to meet with citizens following a meeting of 200 persons at the Mercedes Civic Center Tuesday night.

Jose Perez, a student at the controversial Colegio Jacinto Trevino, a Chicano college located here, had rented the civic center to give citizens an opportunity to voice complaints against the Mercedes police department.

MISTAKE?
Police Chief L. R. Park, recently hired here after serving as police chief at Elmendorf near San Antonio, was the subject of complaints. "If we made a mistake by hiring Park, show us what he has done bad and we'll get rid of him," the mayor said. "I want to assure the people of Mercedes that anyone who works for the city who does something bad will be fired," he continued.

Admitting he has heard rumors of possible wrongdoing by Park, the mayor said he did not have any documented complaints.

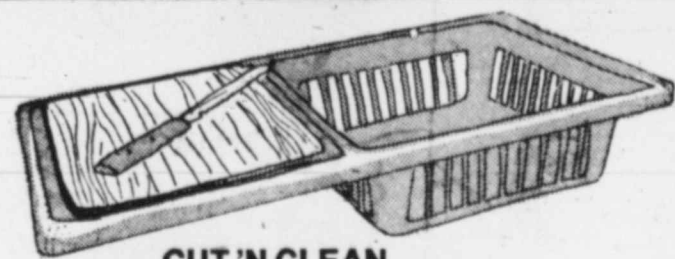
"We don't want what happened at Pharr to happen here," Hinojosa said. A demonstration against alleged police brutality at Pharr in 1970 erupted into a bloody riot in which one person was shot to death.

NEED TO TALK
"We all learned a lesson at Pharr—we need to talk," said David Hall, an American Civil Liberties Union lawyer who was at Pharr the night of the riot.

Persons with complaints against the police department should take them to the city manager or the mayor and "not to the street," Hall said.

"Also, don't go around painting swastikas on churches," Hall added, referring to an act by vandals who painted a swastika in red paint on the sign in front of the First Baptist Church of Mercedes Monday night.

The Rev. O. W. Summerlin, pastor of the church, blamed the vandalism on "radicals." He has been a frequent verbal critic of Colegio Jacinto Trevino, claiming the students are "radicals."



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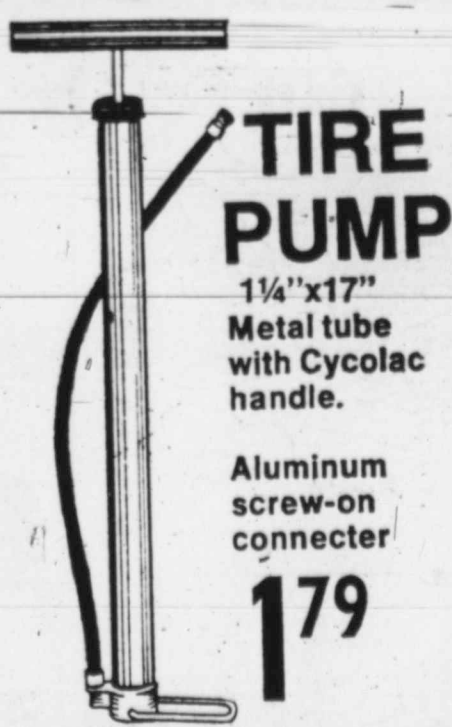
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Print the SURPRISE ANSWER here

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 Answers: Could be a foreigner in a bar — AN ARAB

Crossword Puzzle

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- 1 Festive
 - 5 Bundles of cotton
 - 10 — and file
 - 14 Vigor
 - 15 Cognizant
 - 16 Ireland; poetic
 - 17 Monocle
 - 18 Four-door car
 - 19 Openwork fabric
 - 20 Kelp
 - 22 Navy construction man
 - 24 New Haven tree
 - 25 Exhausted
 - 27 Veer
 - 30 Little boy
 - 31 Give out
 - 35 Old sailor
 - 36 Penetrate
 - 38 Finished
 - 39 Fuss
 - 40 More barren
 - 43 Individual
 - 44 Communists
 - 46 Contract
 - 47 Japanese coin
 - 48 Forest plant
 - 49 — Durocher
 - 50 Diminishes gradually
 - 52 Pile up
 - 54 Greek letter
 - 55 Mariner
 - 58 Sailor's balance: 2 w.
 - 62 Earthenware jar
- DOWN**
- 1 Congeals
 - 2 Toward shelter
 - 3 — Cantrell
 - 4 Reply
 - 5 Cellar
 - 6 Overwhelmed
 - 7 Boy
 - 8 Historical period
 - 9 Perceived
 - 10 Akin
 - 11 Bedouin
 - 12 Pleasant
 - 13 Leg joint
 - 21 Mischievous faeries
 - 23 Type measure
 - 25 Hi-fi systems
 - 26 Eskimo jacket
 - 27 Begin
 - 28 Waterproof boot
 - 29 Eat away
 - 32 — Skowron
 - 33 Centraj
 - 34 Tots and —
 - 37 Stories
 - 41 Respected
 - 42 Lariat
 - 45 Navigation guide
 - 49 Ait
 - 51 Buckingham —
 - 53 Mrs. Kettle
 - 55 Vended
 - 56 Lamb's pen name
 - 57 — King
 - 58 Flank
 - 59 Broad collar
 - 60 "The — Bug"
 - 61 Mineral springs
 - 64 — Mintz
 - 65 Catholic sister

Puzzle of Tuesday, January 8, Solved

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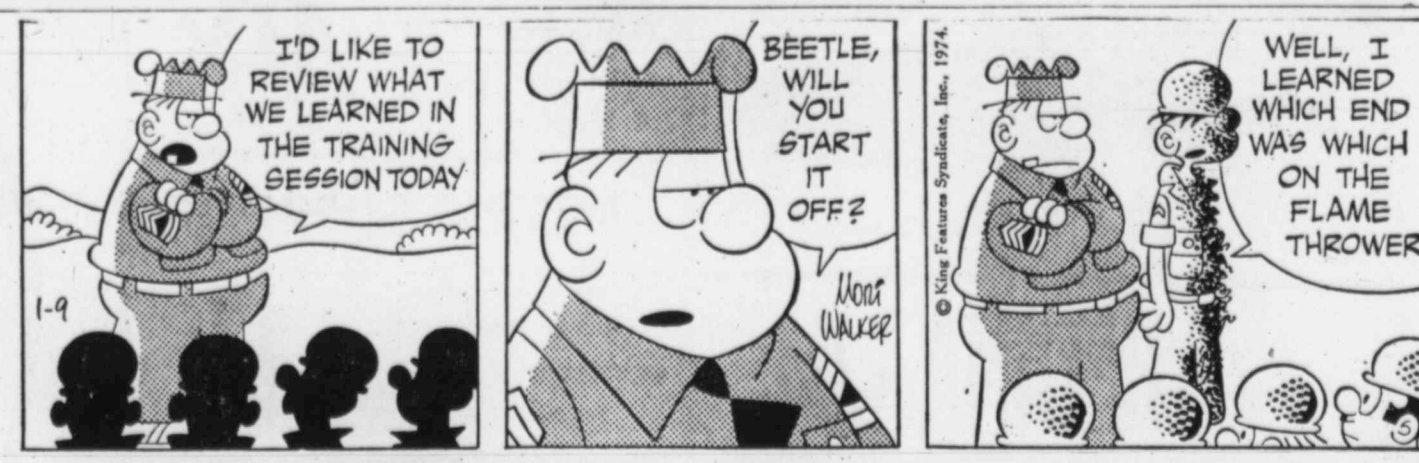
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Main at 6th

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3rd at Main

CLASSIFIED INDEX table listing various categories like Real Estate, Employment, and Automobiles.

WANT AD RATES (MINIMUM 15 WORDS) table listing rates for different ad lengths and frequencies.

ERRORS, CANCELLATIONS, WORD AD DEADLINE, Closed Saturdays, POLICY UNDER EMPLOYMENT ACT.

REAL ESTATE A, HOUSES FOR SALE A-2, IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY on three bedroom 1 1/2 bath home.

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Who's Who For Service advertisement listing various services like Acoustical, Black Topping, Books, Bldg. Supplies, Carpet Cleaning, Carpets & Upholstery Cleaned, City Delivery, Concrete Work.

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Marie Rowland Real Estate Equal Housing Opportunity listing various properties.

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HOROSCOPE CAROL RICHTER listing horoscopes for various zodiac signs like Aries, Taurus, Gemini, etc.

NOVA DEAN RHOADS, RITY. Office 263-2450 listing real estate services.

COOK & TALBOT Equal Housing Opportunity listing properties like 1963 SCURRY and 75 FT. BUSINESS LOT.

SHAFER Equal Housing Opportunity listing properties like 2000 Birdwell and 2 BDRM - rg den completely paneled.

E. R. MOREN REAL ESTATE listing properties like ELLEN BETH D. Charlotte and CROSLAND MOREN Tipple.

COX Real Estate listing properties like 1700 MAIN and Large & Lovely - Brk 3 bdrm, 2 1/2 baths.

FOR SALE BY OWNER listing properties like 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home and 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home.

HOUSES FOR SALE A-2 listing properties like FOR SALE by owner - 3 bedroom, brick house and THREE BEDROOM, one bath home.

W. J. SHEPPARD & CO. listing properties like 1417 Wood and Rentals - Appraisals.

Reeder Realtors listing properties like Pat Medley, Lila Estes, and Marjorie Hollingsworth.

JAIME MORALES listing properties like Days 267-6088 Nights and NEAR CATHOLIC CHURCH - 3 br, 1 1/2 bath.

WARREN REAL ESTATE listing properties like 1207 Douglas and 9 ACRES Western Hills, \$10,000.

AUBREY WEAVER REAL ESTATE listing properties like 204 Main and 3 room house with 8 bats-water well.

1700 MAIN listing properties like Large & Lovely - Brk 3 bdrm, 2 1/2 baths and Super Suburban - like new brk 3 bdrm.

Hillside Trailer Sales listing properties like NEW & USED MOBILE HOMES.

Chaparral Mobile Homes listing properties like 1, 2 & 3 BEDROOM MOBILE HOMES.

MOBILE HOME ANCHOR SYSTEMS listing properties like 64x12 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 4 1/2 inch outside wall construction.

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RENTERS listing properties like BEDROOMS B-1 and FURNISHED APTS. B-3.

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comfort lounge seats, list price \$6200. NOW ... **\$3995**

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Brougham 6-Passenger wagon, power
and air, AM/FM stereo radio with
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years experience in oil field work. Write
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FRIGIDAIRE Auto washer, & mos. war-
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Where grooming is done by profes-
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New Hercules covered couch & chair,
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New 3 pc liv rm suit including sofa, set
swivel rocker & chair \$149.95
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1 EUREKA vacuum cleaner,
upright \$29.95
1 ZENITH portable 19 inch
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1 14 CUBIC FT. Montgomery
Ward 2 dr. refrig. \$89.95
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HARDWARE**
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MOTORCYCLES M-1
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\$635. Phone 263-0809.
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brand new, extremely low mileage, 1800
Hamilton or phone 267-2883.
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motorcycle, low mileage of 550. Call
263-5178.
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- 250 Buellco trail bike, \$200 or best
offer, 1104 Birdwell.
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condition, many extras, \$130. Phone 263-
7476.

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1 day \$1.65-16c word
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Worry about the Price
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ANNOUNCEMENTS
DEMOCRATS**
The Herald is authorized to announce the
following candidates for public office,
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May 4th, 1974.
State Senator - 30th Distr.
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RAY FARABEE
Howard County Clerk
MARGARET RAY
Howard County Treasurer
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Howard County Judge
A. G. MITCHELL
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Experienced in automatic tank
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climbing necessary. Top wages. Pre-
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UP furnished. To apply, Call General
Electric, 263-2030 or write 704 S. John-
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Texas. Contact Bill Gregory, (915) 694-
9782.**

**NIGHT BAKER
APPLY IN PERSON
WINCHELL'S DONUTS**

HELP WANTED, Female F-2
HELP NEEDED: 1:00 to 6:00 p.m.
Apply Big Dipper Donut Shop, 1600 Gregg,
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Salary and hours open. Call 965-3421
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taking over already built clientele. Must
be real professional and experienced.
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HERALD CLASSIFIED ADS**

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MOTORCYCLES M-1

MOTORCYCLES FOR SALE
1973 and 1974 KAWASAKI'S — from 75 cc to 900cc. New and used. 1969 HARLEY Sportster — chopped. Call 263-7386, after 1:00 p.m.

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1968 FORD PICKUP, standard, good tires, good condition. Call 263-1091 or come by space 19 at Chaparral Trailer Park.

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\$1 Million Brain Suit Names Docs

DETROIT (AP) — Three doctors and two hospitals have been charged in a \$1 million lawsuit with conspiring to perform allegedly unneeded experimental brain surgery on a Detroit man in 1972.

The suit alleges the doctors did not properly inform John Chickensky, 60, of the nature of the experimental surgery.

Lawrence Charfoos, Chickensky's attorney, said the former tool-and-die maker had suffered from epilepsy and mental illness problems before the surgery at Providence Hospital. Charfoos said the operation left Chickensky in a worsened condition requiring permanent confinement in an institution.

Ernst A. Rodin, a leading advocate of "psychotherapy" — brain surgery to alter behavior — was one of the physicians named in the suit.

Rodin, medical director of the Epilepsy Center of Michigan, was one of several doctors forbidden by a three-judge panel last summer to perform psychotherapy on violence-prone inmates at a state hospital.

Chickensky's suit alleges Rodin was involved in the planning of Chickensky's operation. Charfoos said the operation performed on Chickensky involved the boring of two holes into the frontal lobe of the brain. Electrodes were then inserted to destroy brain cells believed to be causing abnormal aggressive behavior, the attorney said.

Charfoos said even if Chickensky and his family had been told of the experimental nature and possible consequences of the operation there was no need for the surgery.

"My client was never charged with any crime in his life," he said. "They said he was violent toward his wife on occasion, but there was no indication of any violent incidents with others."

Reputed Drug Kingpin Draws Life Sentence

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. (AP) — Fred Gomez Carrasco called by officers a major figure in Mexico — U.S. drug traffic, has accepted a life prison term in an apparent deal which saw his wife go free.

Carrasco, 33, pleaded guilty to assault — murder charges here Tuesday and was assessed a life prison term.

In an apparent deal struck with prosecutors, Carrasco's wife, Rosa, will go free.

Carrasco, of San Antonio, was the object of a police dragnet in Texas and was also sought in Mexico following his escape from a prison in Guadalajara in November 1972.

SHOOTOUT

His freedom ended July 22, 1973, at a San Antonio motel when he and Rosa Carrasco and two others were arrested by a squadron of officers. As a result of a shootout at the motel, he and his wife were charged with assault to murder of a police officer.

Carrasco himself was wounded and still walks with a limp.

Following his incarceration, police officials in San Antonio said his underworld organization continued to flourish. Officials named Carrasco as a chief figure involved in drug trafficking between Mexico and South Texas.

'THE COW'

He was to be tried here this week on a charge of venue on charges of assault to murder, illegally carrying a pistol and murder. The murder charges followed the gun slaying March 10 of reputed associate, Gilberto "The Cow" Escobedo.

Assistant Bexar County District Atty. Charles Conaway said the murder and pistol

charges against Carrasco and the assault to murder charges against Rosa Carrasco would be dropped after Carrasco's plea of guilty.

Carrasco's attorney, James Gillespie, said his client would be eligible for parole in 15 years.

Gillespie said of the guilty plea: "This is a hell of a birthday present. The decision was Carrasco's and was against the advice of his attorneys."

PROTECTS WIFE

He said Carrasco suddenly decided to plead guilty when he learned a jury was being selected to hear his wife's case. Gillespie said Carrasco told him he would "not put her through that (a trial)."

Carrasco gained nationwide notoriety when Escobedo and four other men identified as Carrasco associates were slain early last year after Carrasco's Mexican escape.

Another associate of Carrasco, Daniel Jaramillo, attempted to implicate San Antonio police in the slayings of two of the men — a county grand jury said it could find no evidence connecting the officers to the slayings.

Jaramillo was arrested by federal narcotics agents shortly after he made the police accusations late last year. He was charged with possession of heroin.

Still being sought on heroin smuggling charges is a Carrasco cousin, Jesse Santoy, who a federal drug enforcement official said at one time was wanted more than Carrasco.

Santoy, 41, faces federal charges in Houston and Laredo. Some police officials have speculated he split with Carrasco and developed his own smuggling sources.

Vandergriff Will Speak Jan. 24

The Downtown Lions Club "Big Name Band" will be featured at the annual banquet of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24, in the County Exhibit Building. More than 250 tickets

already have been purchased, Steele said. Tickets are priced at \$7.50 each and are available at the Chamber office, 211 North Colorado.

Guest speaker for the banquet will be the Honorable Tom J. Vandergriff, mayor of Arlington, Texas, and a dynamic speaker. The banquet will be catered by Walter Jetton Foods of Fort Worth.

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X-ray technician, survevor, dental assistant, teletypewriter equipment repairman and occupational therapist are only a few of the job categories included in the Stripes for Skills program. A complete listing of all the jobs and additional information about the program are available from the local Army here.

Pinned Inside

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Bobbie Garner Foster, 30, of Arlington was killed shortly after midnight when her car ran into a ditch on the east side of tarrant county. she was pinned inside the vehicle.

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