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## Cons Holding Three In Prison Uprising

WALPOLE, Mass. (AP) — Eight state prison inmates, five of them convicted murderers, held two guards and a medic hostage today and issued a list of demands, including a request to meet with the governor or

governor-elect.

The Walpole State Prison inmates seized the civilians late Tuesday night in a minimum security area of the maximum security institution, which is home for

500 inmates.

### HOSTAGES FED

They later told a state legislator who met with them for an hour that the hostages were in good condition. State police said the hostages were fed at midmorning.

Rep. Bill Owens of Boston, a black senator-elect who was an inmate at Walpole from 1965 to 1967 after being convicted of assault with a dangerous weapon, told newsmen after his meeting with the insurgents that the men said "they were willing to die before being dehumanized any further."

Both the offices of Gov. Francis W. Sargent and

Gov.-elect Michael S. Dukakis said they were in touch with prison officials, but there were no immediate

Owens said he was told that the three hostages — two guards and a medical assistant — were in good condition. But he said he never actually saw the hostages while meeting with the inmates.

About 80 state policemen were on alert at the nearby Foxboro barracks but were not moved into the prison.

David Brown, a Correction Department spokesman, said there were 60 other prisoners in the cellblock, but that they were not taking

part in the incident. He said the trouble had not spread to other sections of the prison, which is home for 500 inmates.

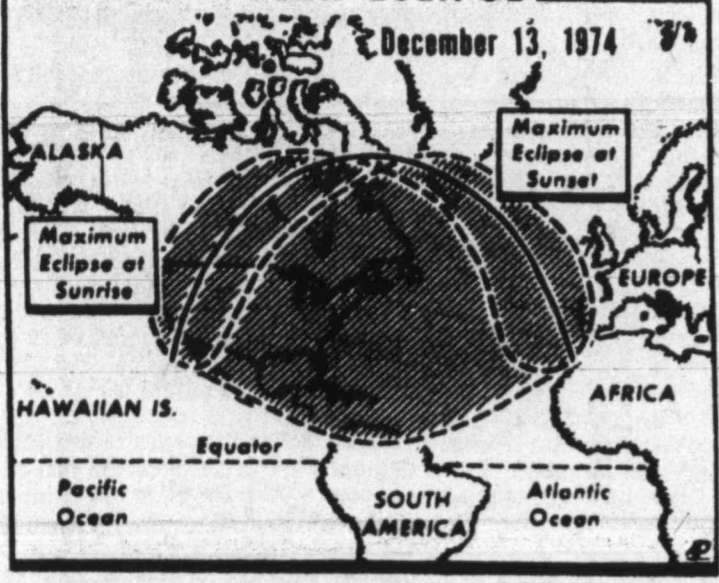
Brown said the prisoners apparently were upset over a routine weapons search Tuesday and the cancellation of a prisoners' banquet that night.

Sen.-elect Owens said among the inmates' demands read to him were full amnesty for "all those involved," meaningful programs and due process for accused inmates in disciplinary proceedings.



RELAYS INMATES' DEMANDS — Massachusetts State Rep. Bill Owens tells newsmen today of his meeting with inmates who are holding three hostages at Walpole State Prison. Owens, who was recently elected the state's first black state senator, said the prisoners had 18 demands and are "willing to die before being dehumanized any further." In background is the Rev. Edmund Rodman who accompanied Owens into the prison.

### PARTIAL SOLAR ECLIPSE



(AP WIREPHOTO MAP)

ECLIPSE DUE FRIDAY — Map shows area, marked by diagonal lines, in which a partial eclipse should be visible Friday. Greatest eclipse should be visible at top of solid line with maximum eclipse visible along the line to the west at sunrise and to the east at sunset. Along the broken line to the west the eclipse will begin at sunrise, to the east at sunset.

## Kill Five Policemen, Escape With \$200,000

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico City's police department vowed today to avenge the death of five of its men gunned down by 15 stocking-masked terrorists who raided two local banks and made off with \$200,000. Two other policemen wounded by the gunmen in the robberies Tuesday were reported in serious condition.

A police spokesman said no arrests had been made, and the department had no clues to the identity of the bandits.

SILENT GUARD — Mayor Octavio Senties and Police Chief Daniel Gutierrez Santos stood silent guard for an hour in the early morning beside the five black coffins of the slain men. More than 30 policemen

have been killed in Mexico City this year in clashes with terrorists, but this was the largest casualty toll in one

clash. "We will not stop our investigation until the assassins are captured," said a police department spokesman. "We will avenge the deaths of the policemen through justice by arresting their killers."

### GANG MOLLS

Three women were reported among the 15 masked persons who pulled up to the Banco de Comercio and the Banco Nacional de Mexico on opposite corners in an industrial district and opened fire with M1 rifles on police stationed outside.

Two officers were killed instantly and three others died soon after in a hospital.

## Ehrlichman 'Icy' On Witness Stand

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prosecution and defense lawyers quickly became engaged in a series of heated exchanges today as the government began its cross-examination of former White House aide John D. Ehrlichman in the Watergate cover-up trial.

U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica intervened several times to referee angry disputes between chief prosecutor James F. Neal and Ehrlichman's lawyer, William S. Frates.

### FAST CHANGE

Attempting to undermine a major tenet of Ehrlichman's defense, Neal vigorously challenged Ehrlichman's contention that he "wanted to get the truth out about Watergate."

In contrast to the mood at the trial Tuesday, when Ehrlichman cried on the witness stand while recounting a meeting in which former President Richard M. Nixon asked for his resignation, Ehrlichman gave icy, controlled answers to Neal's rapid-fire questions today.

In the final minutes of Frates' direct examination of his client, Ehrlichman was asked about repeated testimony that the original seven Watergate defendants were paid \$429,000 in cash in

exchange for not telling what they knew about the break-in.

### VOICE BOOMING

His voice booming, Frates asked: "Did you ever learn of paying anyone hush money to keep them silent?" Ehrlichman: "Absolutely not."

Frates: "Did you obstruct justice in any way?"

Ehrlichman replied, "I certainly didn't intend to and I certainly don't think I did." Instead, insisted the 49-year-old lawyer, he

repeatedly recommended until his resignation April 30, 1973 that Nixon make public disclosure of the facts of Watergate.

It was Ehrlichman's description of his final meeting with Nixon which caused him to break down on the witness stand.

With his wife Jeanne seated among front-row spectators, the defendant recalled meeting Nixon at the presidential retreat at Camp David, Md. the day before Ehrlichman resigned.

## President Has Not Ruled Out Anything

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford has not ruled out anything — including possible taxes and mandatory conservation measures — to restore consumer confidence in the economy, Rep. John B. Anderson, R-Ill., said today.

Anderson made the comment to reporters after attending an hour-long breakfast at the White House with a dozen other

congressional leaders from both parties.

The President arranged to meet later with senior advisers to work out final details of a speech tonight assuring businessmen they can be confident in the nation's economy despite recession and inflation.

Anderson said the President discussed with the congressional leaders a pending emergency unemployment act giving 13 additional weeks of coverage, extending benefits to some not now covered and including \$2 billion in public service jobs to help the growing ranks of the jobless.

Anderson gave no details of Ford's view on that measure. But administration officials are saying the President is ready to negotiate on the amount of money for a public service jobs measure triggered by the percentage of unemployment, now at 6.5 per cent of the job force.

## Rainfall Is 20.18

Light rain which fell much of Tuesday morning and was mixed with snow flurries, made .09 to the county's official total for the year.

The year's aggregate rainfall, as reported by the U.S. Experiment Station, is 20.18 inches. The 74-year average rainfall through 1973 is 18.43.

The fall is nearly two inches above the norm but most of it fell within a six-week period, long after farms could have received maximum effect from it.

The county had a record cotton crop last year because the moisture arrived early enough to make the cotton thrive.

Only a few thousand bales likely will be harvested from this year's crop.

Still, the farm lands and ranges soaked up an enormous amount of water, giving the ground good seasoning and priming it for the crops that will be planted in the spring. Too, area reservoirs are in better shape than they were this time a year ago.

## BOOST IS GIVEN FUND

The Christmas Cheer Fund got a heart-warming boost today, reviving hope for helping the needy at this season.

Receipts for the day amounted to \$100, an urgently needed impetus. Please send or bring your gift to the Herald for acknowledgment.

Among latest donors are:

Desk & Derrick Club	\$40.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Elliott	50.00
In lieu of Christmas cards	50.00
Janie Coker	5.00
Martha Foster Circle	5.00
Wesley United Methodist Church	5.00
Previously acknowledged	15.00
TOTAL	\$115.00

**WINDY**

Fluctuating temperature: High today and Thursday in the 90s. Low tonight, near 30. Northwesterly wind 10-20 miles per hour this afternoon and 5-10 m.p.h. tonight.

## El Paso Air Transport Representative Here

A representative of El Paso Air Transport Inc. met with the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce Aviation Committee this morning to discuss the possibility of the company providing scheduled daily passenger and freight air service to Dallas-Fort Worth.

The El Paso company was the first to reply to queries sent out by the Chamber in an attempt to replace service provided by Texas International Airlines, which will terminate service here on January 2, 1975.

After the representative learned the expectations of the Chamber, he was taken on a tour of the Howard County Airport.

Also at the meeting, the committee discussed another reply received from Meacham Air Service of Fort Worth.

A delegation of three or four members of the com-

mittee decided to fly to Fort Worth to meet with officials of that company.

According to Chamber Manager Ron Mercer, all possibilities will be explored in this area before an agreement will be reached with any airline.

## Knock! Knock!

"I knocked on the door and nobody came to the door," a police officer wrote on his report.

The complaint was from a woman in the west part of the city who had complained because some person was knocking on her door and leaving. She had been to the door several times. This occurred at 11 p.m., Tuesday.

## Motion Okayed For Rehearing

EASTLAND — The 11th Court of Civil Appeals here has announced action in connection with appeals of two judgments entered in Howard County's 118th District Court.

Mrs. Gladys Whipple and others have dropped their appeal of the jury trial over the Earle A. Read estate.

The appellate court has agreed to allow a motion for a rehearing to be filed in the appeal by F. W. White and others of exemplary damages allowed by a jury.

A judgment of \$9,363 was entered for the plaintiff, Roy Roy Dairy Inc., in the suit over a contract concerning dairy operations. Included in this amount was \$4,684 in exemplary damages.

## Changes Upcoming In Traffic Plan

Changes, which some insist have been long overdue, will be made in the traffic lights at FM 700 and Goliad Street, at 9 a.m., Friday.

Darwin Webb, maintenance foreman for the Texas Highway Department, and Johnny Shortes, electrical technician for the City of Big Spring, will supervise operations.

Both the north and south service roads will end at a stop sign at their intersection with Goliad. The signal and stop line for north bound traffic on Goliad will be moved closer to FM 700. Drivers on the south service road wishing to travel east on FM 700 will, after stopping and yielding the right of way, be allowed to cross Goliad and enter FM 700 going east while yielding to traffic already on FM 700.

FM 700 itself will have protected left turn signals which will be activated by means of loop detectors imbedded in the pavement of the left turn lane. If no car activates the left turn phase,

this phase will be skipped for that cycle and make the waiting time shorter for other approaches. Those drivers at the stop signs on the service roads must yield to all other traffic legally using the intersection, and cars turning into the intersection from the service roads must obey the signal for that direction.

The phase order of this intersection is: (1) Left turn signal for FM 700 (2) Circular green for FM 700 (3) North bound traffic on Goliad (4) South bound traffic on Goliad. All approaches except FM 700 are actuated, which means that a direction with no cars will be skipped. For the next few weeks drivers are being asked to exercise extreme caution at this intersection.

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11 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

## The World At-A-Glance

WASHINGTON (AP) — The size of next year's grain crop will be an important factor in determining how long the sharp rise in food costs continues, Agriculture Department economists said today. Given average weather, 1975 corn yields could rebound sharply from losses this year induced by late planting and drought, James J. Naive, a grain expert, told the department's National Agriculture Outlook Conference. Next year's yield could range from 87 to 97 bushels per acre, compared to less than 73 per acre this year, Naive said.

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — A puzzled look crossed Frank Deuble's face when he was asked why he bought a 10-ton fire engine. "Everybody asks that," said the 35-year-old director of admissions at the University of Albuquerque. "I bought it because it appeals aesthetically. It gives personal satisfaction. I've always wanted one and this one's got a bold, chrome radiator, flared fenders and gold leaf paint." Deuble's pride and joy is a 1953 Mack, 500-gallon-a-minute pumper.

WASHINGTON (AP) — An official of Exxon, the nation's largest oil company, says the government's recent "Project Independence" report is over-optimistic when it claims the United States could eliminate oil imports by 1985. William T. Slick, senior vice president of Exxon, said the report over-estimated by millions of barrels a day the nation's ability to increase oil production.

RANGOON, Burma (AP) — Troops and police hurling tear gas today recovered the body of U Thant, the former United Nations secretary general, from 3,000 students and Buddhist monks guarding it on the campus of Rangoon University. There was no report of casualties, but many students and monks were dragged into police vans and taken off. Thant, a political foe of President Ne Win and a disciple of former Premier U Nu, died of cancer in New York on Nov. 25. His body was brought to Rangoon Dec. 1 for burial, but thousands of students and monks seized the coffin from the funeral procession on Dec. 5 and took it to the university campus.

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — Most of the coal miners who had been honoring the picket lines of striking mine construction workers began returning to work this morning after the pickets withdrew, mine officials reported. An estimated 28,000 soft coal miners had been kept from returning to work on Monday because of picketing by the United Mine Workers' 4,500 members employed as construction workers by firms belonging to the Association of Bituminous Contractors.

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger is meeting today with the Greek and Turkish foreign ministers, but he has no ideas for solving their dispute over Cyprus and is doubtful his meetings with them will accomplish much.

# It's About Time

Many stores now are posting "sale" signs on various items right in the midst of shelves and aisles bulging with merchandise for the Christmas season. Normally, the lower price or bargain listings are reserved for the after-Christmas season.

What is behind this move is what observers discern as a two-price system. One is an effort to preserve at the top levels the general price system, while acknowledging a lower level is desirable for moving the goods. Part of the psychology of this is not to disturb the higher listings in event it becomes necessary to hold to them, or even increase them. Also, some operators have in the back of their heads that it would be desirable to have a high posted level of prices if controls or freezes came along.

Paralleling these are the demands of unions for higher wage and benefit levels, which they certainly don't want to give up. And yet, if the economic pressures become great enough, those contracts geared to cost-of-living indices may show that wage adjustments can be downward also. Too, the big

unions also don't want to be caught with a lower scale if controls are to come along.

But with the slowing rate of economic activity, accompanied by rising unemployment, inflation appears to be softening and already big labor and corporate interests are urging the government to do something to

hedge against sharp downward breaks.

Columnist Joseph C. Harsch says that "those who were hurt the most on the up climb are now to have some relief. Those who enjoyed inflation the most will have to suffer some slight decline in their favored positions." Well, it's about time.

## A Good Example

The House has sent to the Rules Committee a proposed compromise for federal standards on strip mining and restoration of lands. For practical purposes, this kills the effort for this session.

Among other things, the measure would require a fee of 35 cents per ton for strip mining of coal and 25 cents for deep mined coal to create funds for restoration of surface to usable condition.

Opponents have claimed the effects of this would be inflationary, would drive up the costs of electric power to consumer who eventually foots the bill. After the

robust miner contract settlement, it is difficult to see how this mild effort would be felt.

It is refreshing to note that a Texas utilities group is setting a pattern for strip mining of lignite in East Texas. Areas already divested of their fuel matter have been converted into highly productive pasture and fields. In the process, we doubt the cost of electricity has been increased materially to the consumer. Moreover, the areas are not only attractive, instead of ugly, but productive instead of being barren wastes.

## First You Look

### Around The Rim



Joe Pickle

When it is suggested that offshore petroleum exploration should be conducted in their neighborhood, officials, environmentalists and others along the Atlantic seaboard in general, and the northeast portion in particular, react with all the vigor of repelling a foreign invasion from their beaches.

YET, THEY appear to want adequate natural gas, plenty of fuel oil to see them through the winters, and enough gasoline at the pumps to keep lines from forming. They prefer to let the Gulf coast states step up their off-shore drilling, or bring new oil down from Alaska. Well, the Alaska pipeline, delayed by inordinate hearings and demands, is not due to bring any oil in for a couple of years at least, and by then the volume may be only enough to take the place of attrition of the contiguous United States.

NOBODY KNOWS for sure that there are reserves of oil off the Atlantic seaboard, but it is worthy of noting that from the time a start is made, from five to seven years elapse before oil is flowing significantly back to the mainland even if it is discovered. So if companies were to start drilling tomorrow, it is unlikely that any fruits would be yielded until 1980. That seems to refute the argument that "we want to wait until it is needed." It has asked aptly, what are the exploration companies and personnel supposed to do in the meantime. They are like armies — they just don't rise up overnight as an effective, moving force.

GEOLOGISTS THINK there are three or four primary promising areas along the seaboard. One is known as the Southeast Georgia Embankment, a half-moon structure paralleling the upper Florida,

Georgia and southern South Carolina Coasts. To the east of this is an egg-shaped area known as Blake Plateau Basin, which is getting into really deep water. To the north is the Baltimore Canyon Trough, shaped like a lone weiner, from Virginia to Connecticut. Still further north is the Georges Bank Trough, a kidney shaped area off Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

AERIAL AND seismic explorations have led geologists to conclude that there is marine sedimentary rock in these areas, and these rocks are necessary to the accumulation of oil and gas deposits. It is possible, they say, that the Continental Shelf contains 10 to 20 billion barrels of oil and 44 to 110 trillion cubic feet of gas. Beyond the shelf, which is the gradual slope away from the beaches, lies the Continental Slope, the steep break downward to the next floor of unconsolidated sediment, and some students of the situation believe there may be oil there.

One thing is certain — it will be hard and expensive to find. In certain areas, the water is far deeper than any in which wells have so far been drilled. The weather factor may weigh considerably heavier than it does in the Gulf. But if the potential return is attractive enough, a way will be found to go after the deposits and develop them if they indeed to contain oil.

THE SOONER the better. Oil demands are growing at the rate of 4 per cent a year (or 3 per cent if most stringent conservation measures are applied). Right now, we use 18 million barrels of oil a day. In another 10 years, we will need 23 million barrels, and with our present reserves being inexorably drained, we aren't going to get that additional oil unless we look for it anywhere it might.



## Gobble! Gobble!

Robert E. Ford

Sat back in the chair and aimed a half-hearted swipe at Fido the Wonder Cat who was trying to join the family at the Thanksgiving dinner table.

ISSUED a genteil burp behind a napkin and remarked that it was a fine turkey.

But turkey tomorrow? No! No!

It has been an observation of long standing that not everyone likes turkey leftovers. That should not be the case since it is wonderful, patriotic, America-first meat and should be as good on Friday as Thursday and on Dec. 26 as well as Dec. 25.

Well, we knew we were going to have a new one Christmas, so to find out why we had this second-day syndrome, we used Mr. Bell's invention to dial Miss Sally Springer.

Miss Springer is a Texas Agricultural Extension Service foods and nutrition specialist at Texas A&M and our question caused her to pause. We think she was marshaling her thoughts to keep from spilling the unvarnished truth.

Finally she said, "You're probably tired of it."

IT IS POSSIBLE that she was telling us nicely that we'd made a pig of ourselves at the first serving.

No, said Miss Springer, a turkey shouldn't have a gamy flavor the second and subsequent days. Just wrap well and store. It can be frozen for up to six months.

Second-day turkey needn't be a simple repeat of the first dinner, she said.

Try it in casseroles, sandwiches, turkey a la king, soup and salad, she said.

"Turkey certainly is a good buy right now," said Miss Springer, considering what she called "price fluctuations" in other meats.

Seeing that turkeys are selling at one-third to one-half the price of beef, that is something of an understatement.

The reasons turkeys can be raised and sold at a profit for less than beef, a turkey man said, is that the bird turns feed into meat much more efficiently than a cow does. That means considerable, the way that feed prices boomed after our grain deal with Russia.

GRANDMA used to relate that when she wanted a turkey for dinner, all she did was pick up the family rifle, sit in the rocking chair on the front porch a few minutes and one would come along. This was

near Seymour, Tex., before 1900. She could have told grandpa to shoot one, but he always was a lousy shot. Her marksmanship was well nigh perfect.

Don't know where all those wild turkeys went. You can't shoot them from your front porch any more.

In fact, turkeys are the dumbest birds and it's surprising that any survive.

TURKEY RAISERS say the young ones will stand out in the rain, looking up at the sky with their mouths open as if amazed at this weather phenomenon and drown.

They do have one survival instinct proving that you can breed a certain amount of intelligence into creatures over many centuries.

This is at night. If left alone, they will head for the nearest tree and fly up there. This is so coyotes and bobcats and such can't catch them while they take a nap.

The hen lays great big speckled eggs twice as big as a chicken hen's. She just scratches some dry leaves together for a nest to hatch them.

And she is smart enough to hide her nest from the tom, which is the general name of her mate. He tries to smash the eggs. Don't know why. He probably doesn't know, either.

This hiding of the nest was terribly aggravating to farmers who tried to raise turkeys from scratch. The farmer wanted to protect the young ones but it was tough finding where the hen had hidden.

They don't grow turkeys that way now. They are bought as babies from a hatchery and often are raised by the thousands in feed lots similar to cattle feed lots.

THE TURKEY is a native of the Americas. Spanish explorers carried some back in 1519 and they reached England in 1524.

Webster's word book says it wasn't that way. Turkey exported lots of Guinea fowls about that time and they were called turkeys. The first turkeys brought to Europe looked a little like Guinea fowls and picked up the name because of resemblance.

If you had been on the Mayflower in 1620 when the Pilgrims were heading for Cape Cod Bay you would have heard a lot of gobble, gobble, gobbling.

For the Pilgrims brought a number of the birds from England to America where there already must have been several million.



## Valley Of Mistakes



John Cunniff

NEW YORK (AP) — Two storms are now pummeling the executive suite with uncertainties and layoffs, the result in part of the excesses of the 1960s and some nearsighted decisions made then.

In the opinion of Eugene Jennings, considered in some business and academic circles to be the foremost authority on executive mobility and stress, the worst is to come. One of the storms might blow into a gale.

Jennings, management professor at Michigan State University Graduate School of Business, considers his conclusions among the most important in nearly three decades of studying every aspect of corporate personnel changes.

The lesser of the two storms, Jennings believes, is a direct result of the recession. It is causing great confusion and dislocations —

layoffs and demotions — among middle and upper middle managers. The "purge," as he terms it, is even greater than in the 1957-1958 period, which up to now had been the period of most active change in this management category, which includes division presidents.

But a gathering storm, within which the lesser storm is but a whirl, is now beginning to buffet the offices of presidents and chairmen. It is far more important and will last longer than the existing storm, said Jennings.

"In my opinion the business system is at a watershed, from the management point of view," Jennings said in an interview. Looking back, he said, we peer into a valley of mistakes made during the 1960s.

In that decade, he explained, corporations grew

faster than their ability to develop fresh management. Short-range goals were set, and men of narrow focus were developed to concentrate on them. They overreached themselves.

The first reaction to this realization was to peel off unnecessary costs in 1969-1970, including some high-level personnel. But they discovered they were even more overextended. They began divesting corporate assets.

By ridding themselves of assets, corporate executives believe they could bring down their base to manageable dimensions.

The narrow-focused men of the 1960s might have been equipped to correct these excesses, but no sooner had they begun their shrink-back than it became apparent they were in a brand-new world of constraints and complexities.

## 16 New TV Series

NEW YORK (AP) — Before you get engulfed in the yuletide rush of specials, let us give you a handy shopping list of 16 new evening series you may want to check out as they check in from now through March.

CBS has four shows, one of which, "Tony Orlando and Dawn," began its Wednesday night run on Dec. 4 after first appearing as a summer musical variety series. NBC has five new shows and ABC seven.

Here's where and when the new shows will appear:

MONDAY — ABC, which now starts off with "The Rookies," will have three hours of cop shows by the end of February. "Caribe," about a Miami gendarme fighting Caribbean crime, arrives Feb. 17. A week later, "S.W.A.T.," based on the Los Angeles Police Department's elite special weapons and tactical team, joins the ranks of TV crime-stoppers.

At NBC, the Smothers Brothers, whose shows gave CBS censors a pain in the neck a few seasons ago, try again with a regular music-comedy series which starts Jan. 13.

TUESDAY — Nothing new afoot.

WEDNESDAY — Only CBS' "Tony Orlando and Dawn" is new fare.

THURSDAY — At NBC, "The Mac

Davis Show," a music-variety summer entry, has a brief run, starting Dec. 19, but gives up its hour-long slot in mid-March to make way for two half-hour shows, "Sunshine," about a young musician raising an orphan girl, and "The Bob Crane Show," about a successful businessman returning to medical school. (NBC says the Davis show may be back next fall as a regular series.)

"Archer," a private eye series based on the Ross Mac-Donald thrillers, also will check in at NBC on Thursday nights, starting Jan. 30.

The only other Thursday newcomer is "Barney Miller," an ABC sitcom about a Manhattan police captain. It starts on Jan. 16.

FRIDAY — At CBS, "Khan," an hour-long gumshoe series set in San Francisco's Chinatown, arrives on Feb. 7. ABC has two sitcoms — "Hot L Baltimore," about a seedy hotel's inhabitants, and "Karen," about a Washington, D.C., career girl — arriving on Jan. 24.

On Jan. 17, ABC will start "Baretta," a reteoled version of last season's "Toma" detective series. Reteoled may mean only a new star, Robert Blake, who has Tony Musante's old role.



## Lost Tanning Ability

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: About 15 years ago I was briefly hospitalized for severe burns from overexposure to a sunlamp.

It seems to me that since that time my skin simply has not tanned as deeply as it did before. It remains red rather than tan as it used to.

Is it possible that the tanning structure of my skin may have been permanently damaged? And was it wise for me to have discontinued regular sun bathing?

A related question: What is your opinion of the "quick-tanning" lotions which seem to provide a nice tan (stain) without exposure to the sun? — R.L.

To begin with, a severe burn can damage layers of the skin other than the surface. Among these layers is that containing melanocytes. These are the cells that produce melanin, the coloring that creates a tan. This damage can be permanent. Skins vary

considerably in thickness and texture, so the outcome varies from person to person.

I think you were wise to give up sun-worshipping. Come next summer, I suggest when you are in the sun you use protective lotions containing "sun screens," or chemicals that screen out some of the burning rays of the sun. There are many such lotions, but those containing para-aminobenzoic acid are most effective.

Since these lotions are washed off by perspiration or swimming, apply them frequently (every hour or so).

As to the "quick-tan" preparations that stain the skin, I am not aware of any harmful effects.

Your misfortune with the sun lamp may be an ill wind that blows somebody good. Maybe it will remind sun-lampers that the rays are essentially the same as the sun's rays in burning



## My Answer

Billy Graham

The very idea of the existence of God is difficult for me to grasp. Really, how can anyone believe it?

It's interesting that wherever there are individuals who profess to be without any knowledge of a spiritual power above them, they somehow indirectly manifest the existence of such an idea in their minds and its influence over them.

Hume, the Scottish philosopher, was a sceptic, but he said to a Mr. Ferguson once as they walked on a starry night: "Adam, there is a God." Voltaire prayed in an Alpine thunderstorm. Charles Darwin wrote: "In my most extreme fluctuations, I have never been an atheist, in the sense of denying the

existence of a God." No wonder Sabatier declared, "Man is incurably religious."

So the question really is, "How can a person NOT believe in God?" For in recognizing our own finite existence, there is inevitably suggested the idea of an Infinite Being.

Two things you should know. The first is that God knew we'd have trouble understanding His eternal spiritual existence, so He arranged for Christ to represent Him. See Colossians 2:9. Secondly, in John 7:17, He promises that if we really want to know Him, we can. He gives an inward and personal witness of His reality. I hope you discover that soon.

**A Devotion For Today . . .**

"Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, and the truth, and the life.'" (John 14:6 RSV)

PRAYER: Our father, surrounded by stress and temptation, we confess we do not know how to cope with them. We cannot always see the way ahead. Help us to wait for Your help and follow Your guidance, Amen.

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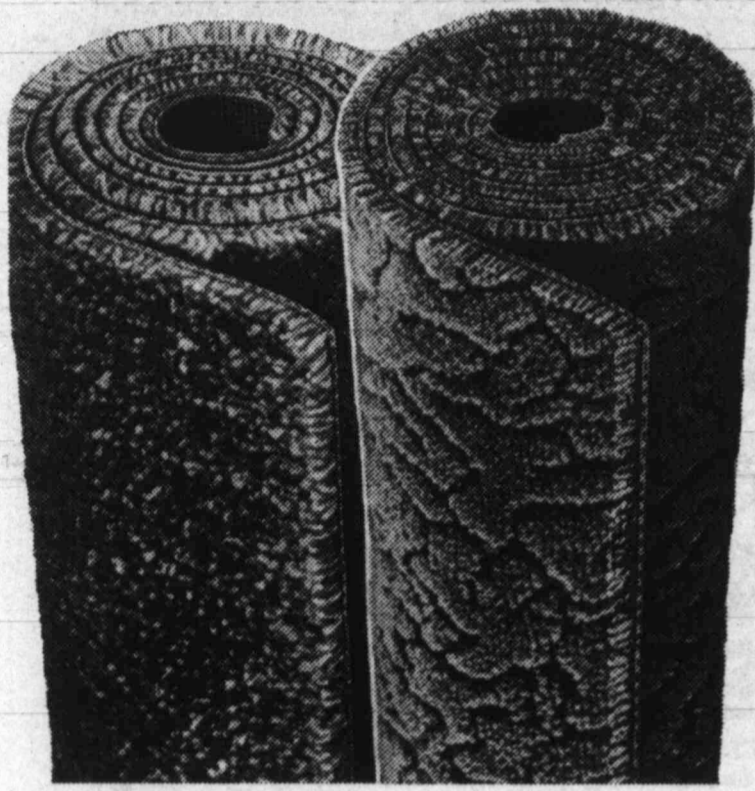
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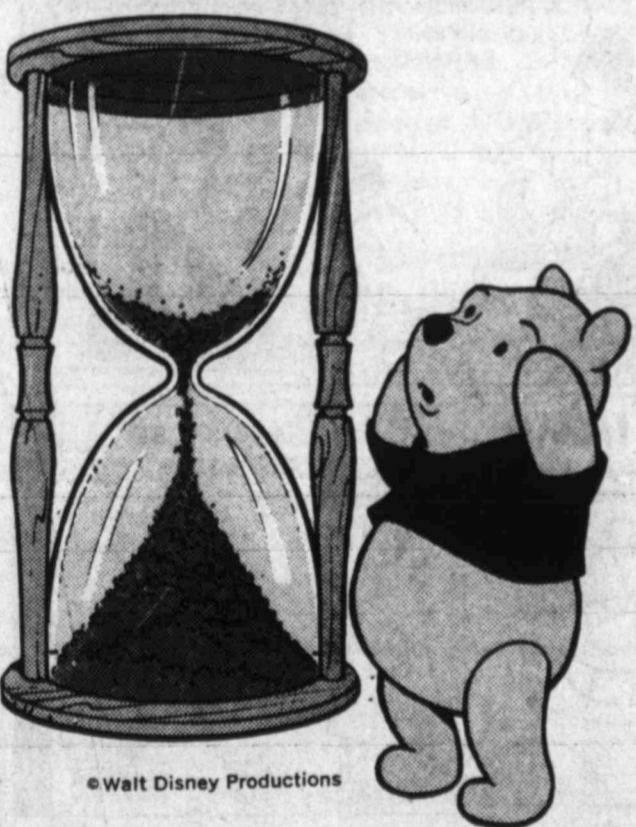
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### INSURANCE BOARD

## Wants Gossip, Street Talk

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — "We want gossip, street talk, innuendo, leads of any kind," says State Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie.

Christie issued that plea for information about insurance frauds during a news conference Tuesday at which he recounted board efforts against bogus insurance schemes.

Any kind of fraud "has got to be called to our attention before we can act," Christie said.

The news conference was called following publication of stories about the efforts of Dist. Atty. Wiley Cheatham of Cuero to put an end to the victimization of old people by unscrupulous insurance salesmen. Two salesmen, both unlicensed, recently were convicted by a Cuero court of felonies in connection with insurance fraud.

Christie said, in effect, that there was nothing new in the reports. He released a packet of news releases and other documents to show the board had been working on the problem since late August, including creation of a special task force headed by Hector DeLeon.

EXAMINING "We have begun or accomplished sanctions against nearly 30 agents," Christie said. "We will continue with our day-to-day efforts to rid the industry of those rascals who cajole people into buying insurance policies."

He said seven case files have been referred to the state attorney general "because we lack the jurisdiction to prosecute them. And we are in the process of examining six insurance companies under our power to review records and accounts."

'GOOSE LISTS' DeLeon said about 300 to 350 elderly Texans—usually 75 to 85 years old—are on a "goose" or victims list used by unscrupulous health insurance salesmen.

The gimmick, he said, is to sell these people annual policies and switch companies each year since a salesman's commission in the first year of a policy is 80 per cent.

But changing policies every year loses the client the time he has built up toward certain waiting periods contained in most hospitalization coverage, and "we think this is unfair," said insurance commissioner Don Odum.

Odum said he had heard of "goose lists" since 1959. He said he believed that agents exchange such lists.

The Insurance Counselors Association of Texas issued a statement deploring fraudulent activities and offered its help to the board "in putting an end to the illegal activities of a few that has had the effect of tarnishing the reputation of the entire industry."



LATEST WINNER — Henry Dirks (left) of 1735 Purdue St. is the latest winner of the 100 Eisenhower silver dollars given away weekly by Big Spring downtown merchants. He is shown here with Jack Lewis, owner of Jack Lewis Buick and Cadillac Co., 403 Scurry St. Dirks registered for the contest, which runs for two more weeks, at the Lewis firm.

## C-City City Attorney Submits Resignation

COLORADO CITY — In a five-hour meeting here Monday evening, the Colorado City council accepted the resignation of Eil Barber, city attorney, and conducted interviews with three persons who had applied for the position of city manager.

Most of the session, which ended at 12:30 a.m., Tuesday, were off the record. The council went into executive session at 7:30 p.m. and returned to an open meeting four hours later.

At that time Mayor Protem J. Lee Jones announced three men were under consideration for the managerial post and that the

resignation of Barber had been submitted and accepted.

Interviewed were Dennis Moore, 24, of Ada, Okla., a former Ada city manager; Jack Key, 53, of Fort Worth, connected with chamber of commerce and public relations work; and Mike Burr, 28, assistant city manager at Bellaire.

The council also continued a study of salary increases for city employees to make them retroactive to Dec. 1. The amount of the increase and a determination on where money will be obtained is still under study.

The council approved payment of \$1,927.67 for 75 speed signs which have been placed near schools, churches, hospitals and rest homes.

Council members set Dec. 24-25 as Christmas holidays for city employees.

### MISHAPS

3300 W. 80: John E. Franklin, Star Route, Cecil D. Hudgin, 4116 Parkway, 8:31 p.m. Tuesday.

1200 Frazier: Apolona Canut, 4010 Highway 80 and parked vehicle belonging to Frank Gidden, 808 Lorilla.

Hit and run cleared, occurred at 300 Johnson: parked vehicle belonging to Sue Broughton, 1806 Mittel and Howard McSpadden, Lamesa; McSpadden cited for failure to comply, striking a vehicle and driving while intoxicated.

## Voters Approve Building Plans

ballots showed 454 voters favored the issue, compared to 294 who were against it.

Long-range plans call for construction of handball courts, sauna baths, basketball courts and ping-pong tables, in addition to the swimming pool.

The pool will be located near the old junior high gymnasium. The Monahans schools had earlier decided to split the cost with the country on a 50-50 basis.

## The State National Bank

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LUBBOCK — A study group of the National Cotton Marketing Study Committee has developed recommendations for improving cotton sampling, classification and standards. There are seven similar groups.

The group's proposals, will be submitted to the full committee prior to its next meeting in New Orleans, La., on January 6, 1975.

Don Marble of South Plains, member of the Sampling, Classification and Standards Study Group and President of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., reported after the Memphis meeting that this group would recommend:

- 1) That the integrity of the bale package be maintained by taking only one sample from each bale, and that this sample accompany the bale through the marketing system to its final destination;
- 2) That quality evaluation by whatever means be developed to the point that a single classification will be accepted by the industry without the necessity for multiple testing; and
- 3) that certain cotton quality standards be eliminated when the volume of such qualities falls below a predetermined insignificant level at all classing offices.

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# CROSSWORD PUZZLE

- ACROSS
- 1 Swing
- 5 It's south
- 10 Folds over
- 14 Miss Adams
- 15 Croc up
- 16 Leaf angle
- 17 Testing
- 20 Nourished
- 21 West et al.
- 22 Mountain girl
- 23 Well-disposed
- 24 Temptation
- 26 Supporting
- 29 Calmed
- 30 Guided man?
- 32 Lined up
- 33 Union general
- 34 Disorderly crowd
- 36 Testing
- 40 Hurst
- 41 Havens for the thirsty
- 42 Helm position
- 43 Beseech; search again
- 45 Eats greedily
- 47 Scandalous
- 48 Kelly or friend
- 49 Terney
- 49 Puzzled
- 52 Dripping source
- 53 Subjoin
- 56 To test; eject a melon
- 57 Squeezer?
- 60 -- for all
- 61 Tart swiper
- 62 -- California
- 63 Pod members
- 64 Navigation
- 65 Mule talk
- 66 DOWN
- 1 Mutt's friend
- 2 -- fix
- 3 Contested
- 4 Wriggly one
- 5 -- Super-man?
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- 9 Big bill
- 10 Symbol of achievement
- 11 Car part
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- 19 Cole
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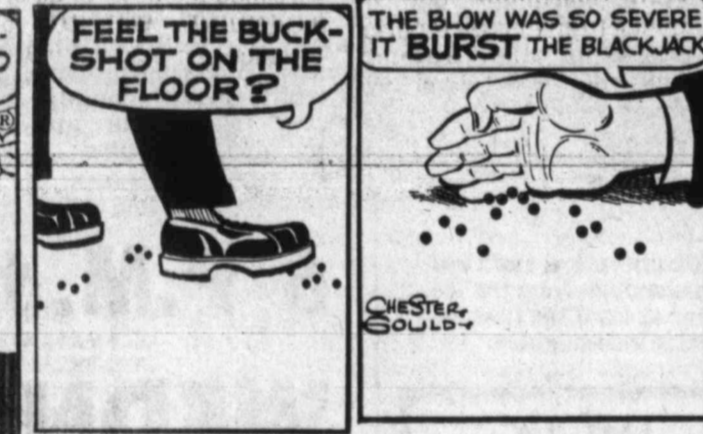
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Print the SURPRISE ANSWER here: \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

Yesterday's Jumbles: TRULY POISE BANISH FOMENT  
Answer: Holds your arm at your side - A HOLSTER



# Ag Co

SANTA FE, N.M. The age of the flybe is at hand, and little might soon be getting in big jets out of Industrial Air Center. The New Mexico Department of Development suggests the air feeder and breeder foreign markets is new industry for the Strategic Air Command at Roswell. "What is needed shipping capability plenty of room for holding pens. And has both," deputy ment director Alb said. The markets are and waiting in Japan America and Mexico added. Dietz said he encourage federal develop Roswell as cattle port by co with the state of Montana has been power in foreign marketing. We could same people and offices to develop for cattle," he said.

## LEGAL NOTICE

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ROSWELL CATTLE PORT

Age Of The Flyboy Cowboy Is At Hand

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — The age of the flyboy cowboy is at hand, and little dogies might soon be getting along in big jets out of Roswell Industrial Air Center.

The New Mexico Department of Development suggests the air export of feeder and breeder cattle to foreign markets is a timely new industry for the former Strategic Air Command base at Roswell.

"What is needed are air shipping capabilities and plenty of room for cattle holding pens. And Roswell has both," deputy department director Albert Dietz said.

The markets are ready and waiting in Japan, South America and Mexico, he added.

Dietz said he hopes to encourage federal aid to develop Roswell as an inland cattle port by cooperating with the state of Montana.

"Montana has been such a power in foreign wheat marketing. We could use the same people and the same offices to develop the market for cattle," he said.

On Thursday Dietz plans to meet in Denver with officials of the Montana Cattlemen's Association, the New Mexico Angus Association, the Four Corners Regional Commission and the Federation of Rocky Mountain States.

The federation, headed by former New Mexico Gov. Jack Campbell, "apparently is interested in acting as catalyst for the idea, and in coordinating funding," Dietz said.

The Montana Cattlemen's Association has gone on record in favor of a regional cattle export program, Dietz said.

The chief promoter of the idea recently has been Jay Stribling of Albuquerque, secretary of the New Mexico Angus Association and international trade representative for the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association.

Stribling said the idea of using the Roswell base as a point of export for cattle dates from its abandonment in the 1960s. It never came to fruition.

But the depressed cattle

prices now in the United States, lower than in some other nations, are helping to revive the idea.

"At prices in the U.S. today you could afford to fatten out cattle in another country," he said.

There's a market for good, live beef in Japan, and a market for breeding stock in some South American countries, he said.

Man Finds Law Never Forgets

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — The long arm of the law has reached back 43 years for Frank Lee Smith.

A policeman investigating a minor traffic accident in which the 68-year-old Smith was involved Friday discovered a warrant outstanding for him. Police said it accused him of highway robbery in a \$7.25 theft on April 21, 1931.

It was not learned why the case had not been disposed of when Smith was a 25-year-old man.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

RIBBON-CUTTING RITUAL — Officials of the Chamber of Commerce and the Ambassadors Club were on hand in College Park Shopping Center Tuesday afternoon to participate in the ribbon-cutting ceremony which officially marked the opening of J. Walker's Imports. From the left here are Terry Hanson of the Chamber staff, Elmo Phillips, a member of the Ambassadors; James Walker, owner of the firm; Ron Mercer, executive vice-president of the Chamber; and John Arrick, also a member of the Ambassadors.

Business Schools Must Charge Chief Of Security

AUSTIN (AP) — Atty. Gen. John Hill said today that a San Antonio judge has issued court orders stopping state consumer law violations by business schools in five Texas cities. Hill said the temporary injunction was issued Monday afternoon by District Court Judge Franklin Spears against the schools' owner, Carl D. Wehling of San

Antonio. Wehling also was ordered to make refunds and adjustments to students at seven other schools, formerly owned by Wehling.

Hill estimated the refunds involved at all 12 schools would run as high as \$200,000.

The five schools under the temporary injunction are Parish Draughon's Business College and Technical Institute, San Antonio; South Texas Commercial College, Corpus Christi; Southwestern Business College, Houston; Beaumont-Chenier Business College, Beaumont; and Draughon's Business College of Abilene.

The schools formerly owned by Wehling where refunds and adjustments will be made for the period Nov. 1, 1971 to March 1, 1974 include San Angelo Business College, Draughon's Business College of Lubbock, Victoria Commercial College, McAllen Business College, Valley Central College, Harlingen; Valley Central College, Brownsville, and Draughon's Business College of Amarillo.

Hill said the temporary injunction against the five schools prohibits violation of state consumer law by failing to give credit for prior education and training, failing to make refunds due within 30 days after a student withdraws, failing to notify lending institutions when students receiving federal loans have withdrawn, processing federal student loans for students who have withdrawn and representing that a school is state approved when it is not.

Half A Dozen Courses Loom At Webb Center

Half a dozen courses appeared assured for the Sul Ross State University Spring semester courses at Webb AFB Center, but several times that number are potential offerings.

Those interested are asked to be in touch with Virginia Smith, Mondays 9 a.m. to 12 noon and Thursdays 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Center (267-2511, Ext. 2464). Classes will be held one night each week for three hours (6:30-9:30) beginning Jan. 15. Courses with insufficient registration will be dropped Jan. 17.

Courses which appear to be firm at this time are Ed 5312 (Educational guidance); Ed 5316 (educational sociology); Ed 5310 (educational statistics); Ed 5322 (seminar in learning sequence); Ed 5325 (advanced education remediation); and Ed 7301 (administration of guidance and counseling).

Other courses, and their fields, which may be offered if there is sufficient registration, are:

Education — Human growth and development, mental hygiene, arithmetic in the grades, school finance, remedial instruction, methods of teaching the Spanish-speaking child, History and philosophy of education, personal problems, individual diagnostic processes, school public relations, advanced studies in child growth and development, techniques of counseling, and educational psychology. Police administration — criminal law II, and narcotic investigation. Physical education testing in health and PE. English — Modern world literature, English literature, and Milton. History — History of Russia; history of the 20th century USA. Psychology — Abnormal behavior. Economics — Modern economics and social systems. Political science — Municipal government; American constitutional law.

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 28.140 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING CONCERNING UNATTENDED VEHICLES. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS: THAT Section 28.140 of the Code of Ordinances be amended as follows: SECTION 28.140. It shall be unlawful for any person to leave unattended on any street, alley, or other public property in the city a vehicle for over a period of forty eight (48) hours.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS BY AUTHORITY OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SEALED BIDS ADDRESS TO THE PURCHASING AGENT, P. O. BOX 391, BIG SPRING, TEXAS. BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 10:00 A.M. FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1974 FOR THE CITY'S CONSIDERATION OF PURCHASING ONE TURF AERATOR. BIDS WILL BE OPENED PUBLICLY AND READ ALoud AT THE AFORESAID TIME. THEN TABULATED AND SUBMITTED LATER TO THE CITY COUNCIL FOR ITS CONSIDERATION. THE CITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS OR TO ACCEPT THE MOST ADVANTAGEOUS COMBINATION OF QUOTATIONS UNLESS DENIED IN WRITING BY THE BIDDING OFFICER. SPECIFICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT, EAST FOURTH AND NOLAN.

SIGNED: WADE CHOATE, MAYOR SIGNED: J. ROBERT MASSENGALE, CITY SECRETARY DECEMBER 4 & 11, 1974

LEGAL NOTICE AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 56.1(A) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING CONCERNING NOTICE TO REPAIR, VACATE, OR DEMOLISH DANGEROUS BUILDINGS. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS: THAT Section 56.1(a) of the Code of Ordinances be amended as follows: SECTION 56.1(a). Notice and order to repair, vacate or demolish generally. (a) Generally. If the fire inspector finds that any building or structure or any portion thereof, is a fire hazard, he shall report the same to the building inspector. If the building inspector finds that any building or structure, or portion thereof, is unsafe, dangerous or a hazard, or if the fire inspector has reported to him that any building or structure, or portion thereof, is a fire hazard, he shall prepare a notice in writing stating, in detail, the conditions which render the building or structure, or portion thereof, a nuisance as defined in this article, and ordering the repair, vacation and repair, or demolition thereof within twenty (20) days from the date of personal service or mailing of the notice. The building inspector may, when it is determined that additional time will be necessary to complete the work ordered, extend such time for an additional thirty (30) day period upon the application of the owner or person charged with the duty of complying with such order.

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GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF © 1974, The Chicago Tribune Neither vulnerable. South deals.

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EAST ♦ 75 ♦ 862 ♠ 9643 ♠ QJ852 ♣ J98743 ♦ K ♦ Q973

SOUTH ♦ KQ109 ♦ AK7 ♦ 6 ♦ AK652

The bidding: South West North East 1♦ Pass 1♦ Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦ Pass 3♦ Pass 4♦ Pass 4NT Pass 5♦ Pass 7♦ Pass Pass Pass Opening lead: Queen of ♠

If you want to while away a pleasant hour or two reading about your favorite game, try "Bridge Brilliance & Blunders" by our old friend, Richard A. Miller (Dow Jones, paperback \$2.95). Dick has been bridge editor of the "National Observer" for more than ten years, and in this book he has selected some 110 of the best columns to appear in that time. This hand is from the book.

The bidding needs some explanation. North-South were using the Precision System, which is based on a strong, artificial one club opening bid. North's first two bids showed a hand of 8

points or more, with 4-4-4-1 shape and a singleton heart. When South discovered his partner held both missing aces as well as a club honor, as suggested by North's club raise, he elected to try for a grand slam in his 4-4 major suit.

West led the queen of diamonds, and declarer saw no problems in the play. He took the ace of diamonds, drew trumps in three rounds, and started on clubs. When West showed out, declarer was in trouble. He could discard a club from dummy on a high heart, but he had to ruff both a club and a heart loser on the table, and dummy had only one trump. As a result, he was down one.

Declarer overlooked a simple precaution that would have permitted him to make his contract. He should draw only two rounds of trumps, take the ace of hearts and a heart ruff and then cash a high club. When West shows out but cannot ruff, declarer cashes both remaining high clubs ending in his hand, discards a club from dummy on the king of hearts and ruffs a club. He gets back to his hand with a diamond ruff to draw the last trump and scores the established club for his thirteenth trick.

What if a defender had ruffed the first club? In that case, declarer was going down anyway, so he would lose nothing. And if both defenders follow to the first club, declarer simply draws the outstanding trump and claims his grand slam.

Must Pen Fictional Obituary

FRANKFORT, Ind. (AP) — Richard W. Schooley of Frankfort has been ordered to write the fictional obituary of an accident victim as part of his sentence on a drunken driving conviction. Frankfort City Judge Roger L. Miller also lifted Schooley's driver's license and directed that he not enter a tavern or liquor store for six months.

"It's very sobering to have to do something like this," Miller said Monday in sentencing Schooley. "It's an attempt to get the man to understand driving is a privilege, not a right." Miller said the obituary must be about a young boy at a Frankfort funeral home and should read as though the youngster died in the accident that destroyed Schooley's car and injured a passenger.

Public Records

118th DISTRICT COURT ORDERS Leslie Van Brown and Cleo Ola Brown, divorce granted; Sammy A. Gonzales and Patsy A. Gonzales, divorce granted; Billie Ruth Jenkins and Paul Gene Jenkins, divorce granted.

118th DISTRICT COURT FILINGS John W. Watkins and Opal Watkins, divorce petition.

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# Carolina Job List Narrows

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — The South Carolina Board of Trustees may name a new head football coach today, with the field apparently narrowed to Texas Tech Coach Jim Carlen and former Columbia area high school coach Mooney Player.

The two men were expected to be interviewed by the trustees today with a final decision late in the afternoon.

Paul Dietzel, after nine years as head football coach,

resigned this season, although he remains in that position is still in question.

Carlen has been quoted as saying he wants both jobs. Player said he would take the head coaching post only and "I'd even work for a bushel of sweet potatoes."

Trustee Chairman T. Eston Marchant said it may be necessary to make the athletic director job available "in order to obtain a head coach."

Marchant said if the athletic directorship should become vacant, basketball Coach Frank McGuire, "should be considered."

McGuire has expressed interest in the position.

Player was a highly successful high school coach at Saluda and Lower Richland of Columbia. At Saluda he had a record of 63-14-3, winning five conference titles, two state championships and posting two undefeated, untied seasons.

At Lower Richland High, Player won three state titles and was named state coach of the year seven times.

After leaving Lower Richland, Player served one year as an assistant coach at North Carolina State. He is now associated with a Columbia realty firm.

Player is a native of Williston, S.C., where his father was a high school coach for 23 years. He attended both Clemson and South Carolina.

He has said on several occasions that if he can't produce a winner at South Carolina within two years he will quit.



NAMATH MOST VALUABLE FOR THE JETS — Charlie Winner, left, head coach of the New York Jets, hands a football to Joe Namath at the Hofstra University headquarters in the Jets' Tuesday to symbolize Namath's election by his teammates as most valuable player.

# Aggies Win By 14

Nobody's perfect, but Maryland's basketball team came awfully close Tuesday night.

Playing textbook basketball, the fifth-ranked Terrapins made only two turnovers in the first half and raced to a 104-71 victory over the Georgetown Hoyas.

"The first half was as good as any team of mine played," said Maryland Coach Lefty Driesell. "It was like a work of art. I kept looking at the scoreboard. I was afraid, when you get that far ahead, sometimes the bottom drops out. It was like a dream."

Elsewhere, Oral Roberts topped Hofstra 89-71; Arizona State beat St. Louis 84-70; Texas A&M defeated Virginia Commonwealth 98-84; Bradley trimmed Wheaton 123-75; Nebraska whipped North Texas State 69-56.

Missouri's Tigers won their fifth straight game beating Indiana State 93-76. Drake defeated Texas 103-98 in overtime; Northeastern edged Army 77-74; and Colgate capitalized on foul shots to take a 60-56 decision over Cornell.

# Rockets Halt Seven Game Losing Skid

The Boston Celtics are the last of the great running teams in the National Basketball Association and when they are right, they are almost impossible to stop," said Chicago's Chet Walker.

The Celtics were almost impossible to stop Tuesday night, employing their racehorse style to near perfection in outrunning the Bulls 107-89. The victory kept third-place Boston 2½ games behind the pacesetter Buffalo Braves in the NBA's Atlantic Division.

Buffalo retained its half-game lead over New York with a 101-91 victory over the Philadelphia 76ers.

Elsewhere in the NBA, the Milwaukee Bucks downed the Detroit Pistons 90-82, the Houston Rockets broke a seven-game losing streak with a 111-97 victory over the Golden State Warriors and the Atlanta Hawks topped the Portland Trail Blazers 107-103.

In the only American Basketball Association game, the Spirits of St. Louis outscored the San Diego Conquistadors 131-123.

Braves 101, 76ers 91

Buffalo pulled away from Philadelphia in the third period, outscoring the 76ers 32-15 in that quarter for a commanding 81-63 lead. Bob McAdoo paced the Braves with 25 points and 21 rebounds. Fred Carter paced Philadelphia with 20 points.

Knicks 106, Kings 120

Wait Frazier broke loose for 27 of his season-high 34 points in the second half when the Knicks rallied from an 11-point deficit and overtook the Kings. Kansas City's Nate Archibald scored 33 points, his high for the season.

Bucks 90, Pistons 82

Milwaukee's victory was its sixth in seven games and ninth in 11 starts, and moved the surging but last-place Bucks to within 2½ games of frontrunner Detroit in the tight Midwest Division. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar topped Milwaukee with 23

points and Bob Dandridge added 20. Dave Bing led the Pistons with 21 points.

Rockets 111, Warriors 97

Fifteen straight points within a four-minute span late in the fourth period helped propel Houston past Golden State. Zaid Abdul-Aziz led Houston with 23 points, one more than Mike

# Texas Signs 3 Prospects

AUSTIN, (Tex. AP) — University of Texas coaches signed three junior college football players Tuesday but the Texas Aggies got the big defensive tackle the Texas coaches had hoped would replace All-American Doug English.

The Longhorns got letters of intent from:

—Alfred Lee, 5 feet 10, 170 pounds, defensive back at Tyler Junior College.

—Ernest Lee, 6-4, 245, defensive tackle and tight end, Tyler Junior College.

—Victor Moore, 6-4, 245, linebacker, Kilgore Junior College.

—Defensive tackle Charley Johnson, 6-3 and 274, also from Tyler Junior College, had been expected to sign with Texas but switched to Texas A&M.

In addition to English, Texas loses Fred Currin, injured earlier this year, freshman Brad Shearer and senior David McLean are the only experienced defensive tackles returning.

Assistant coach Bill Ellington said Texas also expected to sign Jerry Anderson, 6-1, 190, a defensive back at Northeast Oklahoma A&M. Ellington called Anderson "very, very outstanding."

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# Davis Pleased Over AL Trade

ARLINGTON (Tex. AP) — Star centerfielder Willie Davis has told the Texas Rangers he is pleased with his trade to the American League team from the National League Montreal Expos.

Davis told Ranger General Manager Dan O'Brien by the telephone that he was anxious to get to Texas.

"He sounded very happy about coming down here to play," O'Brien said. "He said he was looking forward to getting back to a warm weather climate."

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# DALLAS VS OAKLAND

## Landry May Use Rookie Longley

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Coach Tom Landry has his own idea on who is going to win the Super Bowl and he believes it just may be the team the Cowboys will play Saturday—the Oakland Raiders.

"Oakland opens at home against Miami and is the only consistent team going right now," Landry said.

The Cowboy-Raider game is meaningless in regard to the National Football League playoffs. Dallas was eliminated from the picture for the first time in nine years Monday night when Washington defeated Los Angeles.

"I'm disappointed for the people we have pulled so hard for us but the outcome was really not surprising," said Landry, who indicated his team lost the knack of winning the crucial games.

"We couldn't rise up for the important games," said Landry. "We couldn't win the pivotal games like our playoff teams have done in the past. Our three pivotal games came early this year against Minnesota, Washington and St. Louis. You've got to win two out of three of those."

Landry said he wished the season was just starting because "We are playing good football now."

Dallas, traditionally a slow starter, has won seven of its last eight games and owns an

8-5 record going into the nationally televised game with Oakland.

"Oakland is a tough, ball control team," Landry said. "It's hard to take the ball away from them. They are in a good position in the playoffs."

Asked to pick a winner out of the National Conference playoffs, Landry said "Nobody is playing particularly well. It's up for grabs and anybody has a chance. I just wish we were in there."

Landry said he may use rookie quarterback sensation Clint Longley some in the finale with the Raiders.

"We want to give Roger (Staubach) some work but we'll use Clint if the situation is right," Landry said.

Landry said he was proud of the way some of his younger players like defensive ends E D (Too Tall) Jones and Harvey Banks Martin, defensive tackle Bill Gregory and wide receiver Golden Richards matured.

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# Vess Hon

NEW YORK — President Gerald R. Ford presented a football award to Bill Vessels, a comedian, last night and the comedian roared as American comedian.

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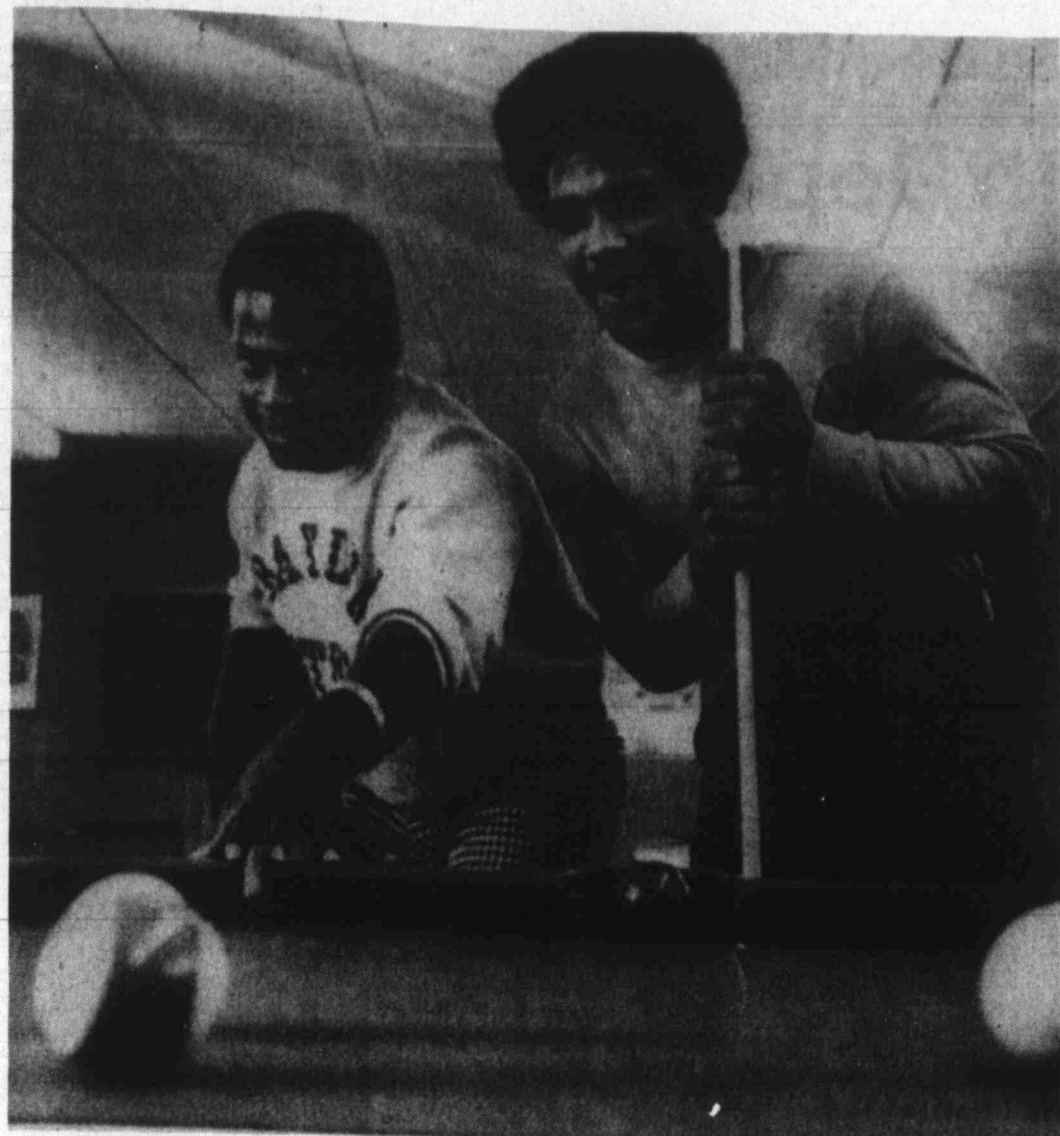
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**TAKING A BREAK IN WORKOUTS**—Baylor University fullback Pat McNeil takes a shot during break in workouts for Baylor's meeting with Penn State in the Cotton Bowl Jan. 1. His backup man Mike Ebow keeps a close watch on the Bears pool shark. (AP WIREPHOTO)

# NFL Playoff Site Unknown

NEW YORK (AP) — Set aside your pocket computers, slide rules and ouija boards, football fans. Nobody — not even Commissioner Pete Rozelle — knows where the Washington Redskins and St. Louis Cardinals will open their drives for the National Football League title.

The other six teams in the playoffs don't have that problem. The Oakland Raiders know they can expect a visit from the Miami Dolphins for an American Conference playoff game on Dec. 21, and AFC Central winner Pittsburgh will host the wild-card Buffalo Bills the next day in the other AFC first-round game.

The National Conference Central champion Minnesota Vikings and NFC West-winning Los Angeles Rams are preparing unfriendly welcomes for somebody — but they won't know for whom until sometime late Sunday afternoon.

By then, the Redskins will have played the Chicago Bears and the Cardinals will have concluded the New York Giants' season and each of the playoff-bound NFC teams will know what to tell their travel agents.

Should the Cardinals win, they'll take the East Division title and pack their long underwear for a trip to Minnesota's frozen northlands on Dec. 21. Even if Washington beats the Giants and finishes with a 10-4 record — same as St. Louis — the Cardinals would take the title for having beaten the Redskins twice this

season. Washington, as a result, can send their short-sleeved uniforms to the balmy West Coast for the Dec. 22 NFC playoff game.

## Steers Fall To Andrews

ANDREWS — Big Spring held a commanding 10 point lead at half-time, but momentum sagged as Andrews shot three 38 points in third and fourth periods to subdue the Steers, 66-60 here Tuesday night.

Shumaker of Andrews was the high pointer of the game, hitting the net for 23 points.

Jim Ray of Big Spring connected for 12 points followed closely by teammate Bobby Winters, who dumped in 11.

The Steers (2-8), have a home attraction with Peco scheduled for Thursday. Two games are on tap, junior varsity at 6:15 p.m. and the varsity tip-off at 8 p.m.

Big Spring's junior varsity ran past Andrews, 80-69, Mike Harris of the Steers sacked 21 points and Andrews' Beck had 18. The Steers are 3-4 for the campaign.

A 66-45 decision was secured by Big Spring over Andrews in a sophomore contest. Dave Daniels of Big Spring recorded 16 points and Andrews' Long totaled 11. This was the sophomores first win in four games.

The Big Spring sophomores are entered in the Sands Tournament scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. First round opponent for the sophomores is against Forsan, 2 p.m., Thursday.

Big Spring — Beasley, 1-0-2; Ray, 3-6-12; Brooks, 0-0-0; Aldridge, 3-1-7; Green, 1-0-2; Coffey, 1-0-2; Winters, 5-1-11; Stripling, 3-0-6; Owens, 3-0-4; Zapp, 2-5-9; Moore, 1-1-3. Totals 23-14-40.

Andrews — Benson, 6-2-14; Beard, 2-2-4; Bounds, 0-0-0; Burroughs, 0-2-2; Medford, 5-3-12; Mosley, 1-4-4; Shumaker, 9-5-23; Woods, 1-0-2. Totals 24-18-66.

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## Vessels Honored

NEW YORK (AP) — President Gerald R. Ford presented a football award to comedian Bob Hope Tuesday night and then heard himself roasted as "the first American ever sent to Siberia."

Hope referred to the President's recent trip "to Japan, Korea and Russia — three places the Republicans carried in the last election." The President and Hope spoke at the 17th annual awards dinner of the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame, where Ford presented the foundation's Distinguished American Award to the comedian.

Before introducing Hope, the President compared the nation's economic crisis to football and said the American people must be careful not to lose their desire to win.

"We are in a great struggle to maintain our economic well-being," he said.

Ten new members were inducted into the college football Hall of Fame while 11 scholarathletes also were honored.

The 10 new inductees are the late Harry Agganis, Boston University; John Ferraro, Southern California; Elroy "Crazy Legs" Hirsch, Wisconsin and Michigan; the late Barton Koch, Baylor; Mal Kutner, Texas; Jim Parker, Ohio State; Barney Poole, Mississippi; North Carolina and West Point; Marcy Schwartz, Notre Dame; Billy Vessels, Oklahoma, and Bill Murray, former coach at Delaware and Duke.

## Forsan Nets 2 Victories

FORSAN — Boys' and girls' varsity cagers from Forsan took a pair of wins from Paint Rock here Tuesday night.

Forsan boys' won 72-29 and the girls' halted the visitors undefeated season total stretched to 16 games, 63-47.

Gary Tidwell and London Soles paced Forsan boys' scorers with 11 and 10 points respectively. Paint Rock's Rodney Frey hit for 14 points. Forsan for the season is 4-4.

Beverly Strickland led Forsan girls' scorers with 25 points followed closely by teammate's Janet Ellis 22-point output. Cindy Haechton of Paint Rock recorded 30 points. Forsan's record is 9-3.

**"A" Boys**  
Forsan 15 29 19 9-72  
Paint Rock 2 6 18 3-29

**"A" Girls**  
Forsan 12 22 14 15-63  
Paint Rock 12 5 13 17-47

## First NAIA Appearance

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. (AP)—Texas A&I Coach Gil Steinke and Henderson State of Arkansas' Coach Ralph Anderson praised their foes Tuesday in preparation for Saturday's National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics title game.

Anderson said A&I backs Don Hardeman and Larry Collins "look very impressive on film. Their quarterback (Richard Ritchie) can do a lot of things with the ball."

Henderson is making its first NAIA appearance in post-season play.

## Blanda Named Man Of Year

CANTON, Ohio (AP) — George Blanda, the only man ever to play a quarter of a century in professional football, has been named the 1974 Man of the Year by the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

The 47-year-old placekicker and former star quarterback of the Oakland Raiders, who was inducted into the Hall of Fame this year, will be honored in Oakland Dec. 21 prior to the Raiders' first-round National Football League playoff game against the Miami Dolphins.

Blanda, the oldest player ever to compete in major league pro football, began his career in 1949 with the NFL's Chicago Bears, then retired after the 1958 season.

But with the birth of the American Football League, Blanda returned to action, quarterbacking Houston to championships in 1960 and 1961 and staying with the Oilers until 1967, when he was traded to the Raiders.

The Youngwood, Pa., native hasn't thrown a pass since the 1972 season. But before then, he threw 4,000 of them, completing 1,908 for a mammoth 26,881 yards and 235 touchdowns.

It was in 1970, at the age of 43, that he gained his greatest fame, replacing injured Daryle Lamonica and quarterbacking the Raiders through five straight games without a loss — a performance that brightened the hearts of middle-aged Americans caught in the squeeze of the youth cult.

His three touchdown passes and field goal highlighted a 31-14 rout of Pittsburgh, his 48-yard field goal with three seconds to play tied Kansas City 17-17, his touchdown pass and 52-yard field goal in the last two minutes beat Cleveland 23-20, his 20-yard touchdown pass downed Denver 24-19.

## Ferguson, Top Rider

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—Tom Ferguson, Miami, Okla., became the all-time money winner on the Rodeo Cowboys Association circuit Tuesday night with a \$374.61 third-place victory in calf roping in the fourth round of the association's National Finals Rodeo.

The money pushed Ferguson's total this year to \$64,513.

Ferguson roped his calf in 13.21 seconds, but trailed Richard Stowers, Madill, Okla., who placed first with 11.32, and Warren Wuthier, Buffalo, Wyo., 11.65. John Rothwell, Hyannis, Neb., placed fourth with 13.31.

Jack Ward continues to dominate the bareback bronc riding event in the NFR. After two straight No. 1 finishes in the second and third rounds, Ward took a second in the fourth round Tuesday night and pushed his over-all point total to 294.

Tom Puryear leads steer wrestling with a 33.11-second total after four rounds. He placed third Tuesday night with 5.72.

The team roping event was led by Jim Wheatley of Hughson, Calif., and John Rodriguez, Castroville, Calif., after four rounds. They have placed first, third and first in the last three rounds after finishing out of the money opening night.

They have a total time of 30.52 seconds.

and his 16-yard field goal with seven seconds on the clock downed San Diego 20-17.

Blanda holds or shares a number NFL records — and every time he steps on the field, he sets another one. He and Oakland center Jim Otto have played in 209 straight games, a 15-season string dating back to the old AFL's first game in 1960.

## Connors Is No. 1

NEW YORK (AP) — Jimmy Connors, the skyrocketing, young phenom of tennis, is America's No. 1 player for 1974, according to the United States Lawn Tennis Association.

Connors, winner of 15 tournaments, including the Wimbledon and the United States Open, was named Tuesday by the USLTA over Stan Smith, a hard-hitting right-hander who shared the No. 1 ranking with Connors last year.

Behind the two stars in this year's Top Ten are Marty Riessen, Roscoe Tanner, Arthur Ashe, Tom Gorman, Dick Stockton, Harold Solomon, Charlie Pasarell and Jeff Borowiak.

Connors captured the South African and Australian opens early in 1974, then won seven events in the U.S. Men's Winter Circuit, including his second straight National Indoor title. After Wimbledon, he won at Forest Hills, took the U.S. Clay Court championship and the Pacific Southwest Open.

## Tulsa Claims Grade Title

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — Tulsa University, which won the Missouri Valley football championship, also claimed the grid-iron scholastic title today.

The Hurricanes placed seven athletes on the Valley academic football team. Drake and Wichita State each had five players named, New Mexico State landed three, Louisville had two and West Texas State one.

Tulsa was led by defensive tackle Mack Lancaster with a perfect 4 point average. Other Tulsans named were quarterback Jeb Blount, wide receivers Steve Largent and Leonard Isabell, tackles West Hamilton and Mike Kipp and linebacker Al Humphrey.

Making the team from Drake were Hal Proppe, tight end; Mike Ketelaar, tackle; Todd Gaffney, kicker; Joe Campbell, defensive lineman, and Bruce Samples linebacker.

Wichita State players were Quinton Kay, offensive guard; Steve Anderson, center; Greg Adkins, defensive lineman; Dave Warren, linebacker, and Bill Trammell, defensive back.

Others on the offensive unit were Ralph Jackson, running back, both from New Mexico State, and Walter Peacock running back from Louisville.

## Bulldogs Slip By Big Lake

COAHOMA — Three of four boys' and girls' contests were chalked up in the win column by Coahoma here Tuesday night.

The A boys nudged Big Lake, 59-57. Big Lake had command of the game until one minute left to be played in the fourth frame when Coahoma assumed the lead for good.

Jody Bennett netted 21 points for Coahoma and Big Lake's Turner scored 26 points. The Bulldogs now have stretched their season total to seven victories without a single loss.

In the B boys' competition, Coahoma lost a two point decision to Big Lake, 54-52. Freddy Moran of Coahoma flipped in 16 points and Big Lake's Kruse had 23.

Coahoma's A girls scored one-sided victory over Colorado City in opening round of district play, 60-7. Coahoma's Deborah Meyer fired in 19 points. Becky Snell and Patty Hulme trailed close to teammate Meyer, sacking 15 points each. Fuller of Colorado City tallied five of her team's seven point total score.

In B girls' play, Coahoma ran by Colorado City, 48-17. Coahoma's Mickey Schaefer tallied 14 points and Lewis of Colorado City had nine.

**A Boys**  
Score By Quarters  
Coahoma 12 20 15 12-59  
Big Lake 10 15 20 12-57

**A Girls**  
Score By Quarters  
Coahoma 20 18 0 14-57  
CC 2 0 0 2-2

## Sports In Brief

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Indianapolis has applied for the finals of the 1980 National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball tournament finals for the new Market Square Arena.

Denzil Skinner, manager of the 17,000-seat downtown arena, said he expects an NCAA inspection committee to visit the city in February.

A final presentation of Indianapolis' bid, he said, would be made in June.

CHICAGO (AP) — Veteran Denny Moyer of Portland, Ore., former world junior middleweight champion, tests Chicago's undefeated Rocky DiFazio of Chicago in a scheduled 10-round middleweight bout Wednesday night at the International Amphitheatre.

DiFazio, 24, has scored 12 knockouts. Moyer, 35, has fought 152 times as a pro.

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### Jim Gillespie In Bad Shape

Jim Gillespie, vice-president of GAMCO, remains in critical condition at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

He was rushed there after he was injured in an automobile accident about 5:25 p.m., Monday on the Snyder highway near the IS 20 intersection. Oddly enough, three other GAMCO employees have been involved in accidents near the spot in recent years.

Gillespie had head damage and is suffering from partial paralysis on his left side. He has been conscious only briefly since the mishap occurred. He remains in the intensive care unit of the hospital.

Gillespie has been associated with the GAMCO firm since 1955, at which time he moved here from New York. He is in charge of the Creative Visual Aides division of the firm.

The family makes its home at 2905 Hunters Glen here.



**GUILTY** — Former Gov. Tim M. Babcock of Montana pleaded guilty in Washington Tuesday to helping oil millionaire Armand Hammer make illegal political contributions to the 1972 Nixon re-election campaign. Sentencing for Babcock, new a Helena, Mont., businessman, was postponed pending completion of a presentence investigation.

### Reservations For Gun Show Ahead Of 1973

The second annual gun, knife and coin show of the Howard College Rodeo Club looms bigger and better, Byron Hedges, club sponsor, said Wednesday.

Already, between 65 and 70 exhibitors have booked table space for Friday and Saturday event in the Dora Roberts Fair Barn. Hedges said he looked for 100 because reservations at this stage are well ahead of last year when the club ended up with 80 exhibitors.

Additional bookings can still be handled by Hedges at the college, or by calling Coy McCann (267-6476).

There will be a food concession operated by Jack McCormick, and there will be approximately a dozen door prizes during the two

### MISHAPS

FM 700 and S. 87: Thomas Alvin Thigpen, 1209 Pennsylvania, Donald Eugene Spence, 3708 Dixon, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday.

### Water Tests Proposed By Health Department

Rural residents and businesses should have their drinking water checked periodically and a state approved septic system, a spokesman for the Big Spring-Howard County Health Department said.

The Farmers Home Administration, Veterans Administration and most local lending institutions require water well testing and an approved septic system for loans on real property.

"We have had some contamination from cess pools from time to time," the spokesman said. Subsurface septic systems, which the health department will help

design, are recommended. A septic system must be 150 feet from a well to receive state approval. The

### Cub And Scout Gear Needed

Families that have outgrown Cub Scout and Scout uniforms are being asked to share them with boys who can't afford to acquire uniforms, Art Hyman, Scout executive, said today. He asked that anyone with serviceable uniforms call home at 3-4176 so he can arrange to have them picked up. At the moment there are several boys in need of uniforms.

health department will inspect septic systems as they are being constructed.

Well water used for drinking should be tested at least once yearly and preferably twice yearly, the spokesman said. You can pick up a sterilized bottle with directions for water sampling at the health department, 201 Lancaster St. in the Dora Roberts Health Center.

Return the sample to the health department, and results from a lab in Midland will be mailed to you. "If they have any problem, they can call us and we'll go out and help them solve their problem," the spokesman said.

### Perry Named

The board of regents of the University of Texas system has authorized the formation of an advisory council to the College of Management at The University of Texas at the Permian Basin in Odessa.

The council of business and government leaders from throughout the Permian Basin and West Texas will meet four times a year — two meetings in the Fall and two in the Spring. Named to the Council from Big Spring is Ken Perry, vice president Cosden Oil & Chemical Co.

### New Officers

A meeting of the Royal Neighbors Lodge 7277 has been called for Thursday at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Zelma McClannan, 3908 Parkway. All members are urged to attend and take part in the election of new officers.

### DEATHS

#### Gunnar Rath

Gunnar Rath, 63, died at 7:25 p.m., Tuesday in a local hospital.

Memorial services are pending at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Austin. Local arrangements were handled by Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home. Burial will be in the Aberdeen Cemetery in Washington.

Mr. Rath was born Jan. 18, 1911 in Aberdeen, Wash. He was a member of the St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Austin. He was a statistician with Civil Services for 35 years, before his retirement in 1969 from Randolph AFB in San Antonio.

He was a member of the National Fraternity of the Deaf and a lay reader for Deaf in Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mary, of Knoxville, Tenn.; a son, John Gunnar Rath, Austin, three daughters, Mrs. Frank Cruz, Big Spring, Mrs. Stan Smith, Washington, D. C., and Elizabeth Jean Rath, Knoxville, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Robert Long, and Mrs. Henry Anvle, both of Aberdeen, Wash.

He was preceded in death by a son, who was killed in the Vietnam war. He was living with his daughter, Mrs. Cruz, at the time of his death.

#### Edna McArthur

Edna A. McArthur, 86, sister of E. C. Airhart of Big Spring, died at her home in Spur Tuesday morning, apparently of a heart attack.

Services will be at 2 p.m., today at the Spur Church of Christ. Burial will be in the Spur Cemetery.

A native of Collins County, Mrs. McArthur moved to Dickens in 1890, before it was organized.

Survivors include three daughters, two sons and a sister, Mrs. Jewel Smith, Westbrook.

#### E. J. Goldman

**SNYDER** — Edward Jackson Goldman, 68, of Coahoma, was found dead at 4 p.m. Monday at Clairemont Road, about 19 miles north of Snyder. His body was discovered by his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. C. King.

Justice of the Peace J. P. Billingsley ruled his death an apparent heart attack.

A self-employed truck driver, Mr. Goldman was doing contract work in Scurry County when he died.

The body will be at Bell-Seale Funeral Home until 2 p.m. Wednesday.

Services will be at 4 p.m. Thursday at Brady Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Rest Haven Cemetery in Brady.

Born Dec. 26, 1905, in Williamson, Mr. Goldman married Mabel Black in October 1970 in Mexico. He was an independent truck driver and a member of Bethel Baptist Church in San Antonio.

Survivors include his wife; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Nora Van Zandt, Mrs. Betty Gautreaux and Mrs. Bonnie Hale, all of San Antonio; one stepson, Hershel Black of Forsan; three sisters, Mrs. Ann Ross and Mrs. Dollie Elliott, both of Amarillo and Mrs. Elizabeth Renfro of Brady; and two brothers, Lee Goldman of Brady and H. F. Goldman of Von Ormy.

#### Mrs. Alvis

**COLORADO CITY** — Mrs. C. M. Alvis, 79, of Westbrook, died at 3:45 p.m. Tuesday in Root Memorial Hospital here after a lengthy illness. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Kiker-Seale Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Glenn Roenfeldt, pastor of First Baptist

#### Church, and the Rev. Homer Salley, pastor of First Methodist Church in Westbrook, will officiate. Burial will be in Westbrook Cemetery.

Born May 25, 1895, in Whitesboro, she married C. M. Alvis on Jan. 5, 1944, in Big Spring. Mrs. Alvis had lived in Westbrook since 1944 where she was a member of First Methodist Church.

Survivors are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Jean Cunningham of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Christine Wilson of Abilene; two sons, Gilbert Ballard of Abilene and Bill Ballard of Sweetwater; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Paul Harper of Odessa; a sister, Mrs. Ona Ford of Fort Worth; two brothers, Luther McWilliams of Abilene and Frank McWilliams of Sweetwater; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

#### Cecil Garcia

**COLORADO CITY** — Cecil Garcia, 61, of Hermleigh, was dead on arrival at Root Memorial Hospital at 5:20 p.m. Monday. Justice of the Peace Mary Lee Moore ruled death by natural causes.

Mass will be said at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Anne's Catholic Church here. Father Tony Moran of Snyder, will officiate. Burial will be in Mitchell County Cemetery, directed by Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Feb. 1, 1913, in Beeville, Mr. Garcia married Andrea De La Paz in 1950 in Beeville. They moved to Hermleigh in 1951. A retired farmer, he was a Catholic.

Survivors are his wife; eight daughters, Mrs. Teresa Pena and Mrs. Lena Pena, both of Hermleigh, Mrs. Pauline Pena of Beeville, Mrs. Phillipa Salas of Waxahachie, Mrs. Catarina Martinez of Oregon, Mrs. Minnie Moya of Corpus Christi and Miss Anita Garcia and Miss Carmen Garcia, both of the home; five sons, Joe Garcia, Pete Garcia, and Cecil Garcia Jr., all of Hermleigh, Manuel Garcia of Colorado City and Alex Garcia of Norman; one sister, Mrs. Camilia Abridgo of Loraine; three brothers, Gabriel Garcia of Sweetwater, Frank Garcia of Hermleigh and Eusebio Garcia of Loraine; and five grandchildren.

#### Earl Cornett

Earl Cornett, 68, brother of Mrs. Virgie Plummer of Big Spring, died at 7:45 a.m., Tuesday in Brownfield Hospital. He was a resident of the Union community.

Services will be at 2 p.m., Thursday in the Union Baptist Church and burial will take place in the Terry County Cemetery.

Mr. Cornett farmed in Dawson County before moving to Union in 1942. He served on the Union school board for 15 years.

Other survivors include his wife, three daughters, a son, two other sisters and two brothers, including E. V. Cornett, Lamesa.

#### Floyd Northup

Floyd Elwood Northup, 47, of Abilene, died Monday in the Veterans Administration Hospital here after a long illness. Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in the Elliott-Hamil Chapel of Memories in Abilene.

Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Born April 28, 1920 in Mechanicsburg, Ohio, he was a machinist in Abilene before becoming ill. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors are a son, Rory Northup of Abilene; a brother, Alfred Northup of Ohio and a sister, Jan Bond of Barstow, Calif.

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**COFFEE TIME** — Mrs. Ethelene McNeil, 505 Highland, was hostess at the annual Christmas breakfast held for women department managers at Montgomery-Ward Store. Pictured at the buffet table are, from left, Mrs. Lois Anderson, Mrs. Ramona Carter, Mrs. McNeil and Mrs. Linda McDowell.

**Prayer Week At Westbrook**

**WESTBROOK (SC)** — The Baptist Women of First Baptist Church observed the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions with the program theme, "Grace is Amazing; Love is Divine."

The first program was given by Mrs. Floyd Rice, Mrs. Gene Farley, Mrs. J. K. Williamson, Mrs. Altis Clemmer, Mrs. Gerald Rollins, Mrs. L. M. Dawson, and two guests, Mrs. W. A. Bell and Mrs. Charles Ranne.

Other guests were Mrs. Don Henderson, Debbie King, Julie King, Lynn Dawson and Sharla Rawlins. The Lottie Moon Christmas offering goal is \$23 million, with the local goal being \$700.

**Scores For Bridge Club**

Mrs. Rex Shive was hostess for the Hi Lo Bridge Club at her home in Coahoma Monday evening. Highest scorer was Mrs. G. E. Thomas, and Mrs. Wallace Reid was low.

The meeting Monday will be with Mrs. J. A. Westmoreland, 606 High School Drive, at 6 p.m.

**Anniversary Event Held In Seminole**

**FORSAN (SC)** — The Don Murphys and the Paul Kennedys were in Seminole recently to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adkins who formerly resided in the Forsan community.

The J. B. Snellings, Oklahoma City, Okla. were recent guests of the J. W. Snellings. The J. W. Snellings then visited the N. G. Bells in Snyder, and Mrs. Bell accompanied them to Ardmore.

Mrs. L. B. McElrath was in Odessa to attend a birthday party honoring her sister, Mrs. Clyde Bennett, 76. The party was held in the home of Mrs. R. G. Edwards.

Mrs. H. H. Story spent Thanksgiving in San Angelo with her son-in-law and daughter, the R. G. Stroms; the Glenn Stroms and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kountz, all of San Angelo.

Mrs. Kathryn Hagar, Pecos, was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. S. C. Cowley.

Bobby Gooch, Odessa, was a recent guest of his grandparents, the L. S. Camps.

The D. L. Knights have returned from Temple where Mrs. Knight underwent surgery at Scott and White Hospital.

**Hospital Tree Is Decorated**

The Christmas tree in the lobby of the Veterans Administration Hospital was decorated Monday by members of the American Gold Star Mothers Inc. Later, the group held a business meeting in the conference room with Mrs. Huey Rogers presiding.

The women bought 100 canteen books to distribute to patients on the third floor Dec. 16. Also, Mrs. Jerome Lusk presented 14 western books to the hospital library.

The next meeting will be Jan. 16 in the home of Mrs. Lusk, 609 George.

**Can You Give Helping Hand?**

Progress is continuing on the Helping Hand campaign being sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association of Moss School.

It is a project wherein first and second-graders will make 8x10 posters of "helping hands" which parents in the school district will be asked to display in a window of their home or car. The posters are to let children who might need help know that they can receive assistance at the homes displaying the posters.

Persons who would like to have a poster at their home are asked to call Mrs. Wanda Johnson, 263-0865, chairman of the project; or Mrs. Norman Foster, 267-5448.

The project will be discussed further at the next PTA meeting at 7 p.m., Jan. 14, 1975 in the school cafeteria.

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**Mu Zeta Announces Charitable Activities**

Plans were completed for charitable activities when Mu Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, met Monday in the home of Mrs. Darlene Boehmer, 74-B Ent.

The three sixth grades at Marcy School will assist the service committee in preparing and delivering baskets of food and gifts for a needy family.

Members were reminded to send Christmas cards to the Veterans Administration Hospital patients.

The Christmas party will

be Dec. 13 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Teetz, 4019 Vicky. Members will bring gifts for their Phi Pals and a gag gift for their Phi Pal's husband.

Poetry and music was the topic of a program by Mrs. Suzanne Haney who played recordings to illustrate her talk. She pointed out that music and poetry of the 17th century doesn't vary too far from that of the 20th century and illustrated it with a combination of words of a 17th century poem set to

music by the Beatles. Election for a vice president will be held at the Monday evening meeting in the Teetz home.

**Soil Builders Meet Monday**

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Payne Jr. were hosts for the Organic Soil Builders Monday evening meeting and pot luck supper. The Jan. 13 meeting will be held in the home of Preach Martin.

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Hostesses were Mrs. Janet Robb O'Brien, Mrs. Joe Pickle, Mrs. Matt Harrington, Mrs. E. O. Breckenridge, Mrs. Lil Adams and Mrs. Clyde Hollingsworth. Mrs. Pam Rhodes of Sweetwater registered the guests.

Miss Eubanks was presented a white carnation corsage, and red carnation corsages were presented to her mother, Mrs. Walter Eubanks, Amarillo; Mrs. Balch and Mrs. Wyatt Blackburn, Amarillo. The hostesses wore small corsages of holly.

The round punch table was covered with a floor-length red cloth and held a silver punch service based in a circle of fresh holly. The floral arrangement was in a Christmas motif. The coffee table was laid with a matching cloth and accented with an arrangement of red and white chrysanthemums.

Other out-of-town guests were Mrs. Sam Reeves, Sweetwater; Mrs. Lonnie Ivie, Fort Worth; Mrs. Toy Henson, Arlington; and Mrs. Mae Turner, Amarillo.

**Gift Shower Held Monday**

Mrs. Helen Heckler of Vincent was honored at a baby shower Monday evening in the Pioneer Gas Flame room, where Mrs. Buddie Heckler presided at the guest registry.

Hosting the event were Mrs. Albert Heckler, Mrs. William Warner, Mrs. Ricky Heckler, Mrs. George Griffith and Clem McElreath.

The refreshment table, decorated in pink, blue and yellow, was covered with a cloth carrying out the baby motif. Centering the table was a honeycomb arrangement of a child with Teddy bear seated on blocks spelling "baby." The cake was decorated in a similar theme.

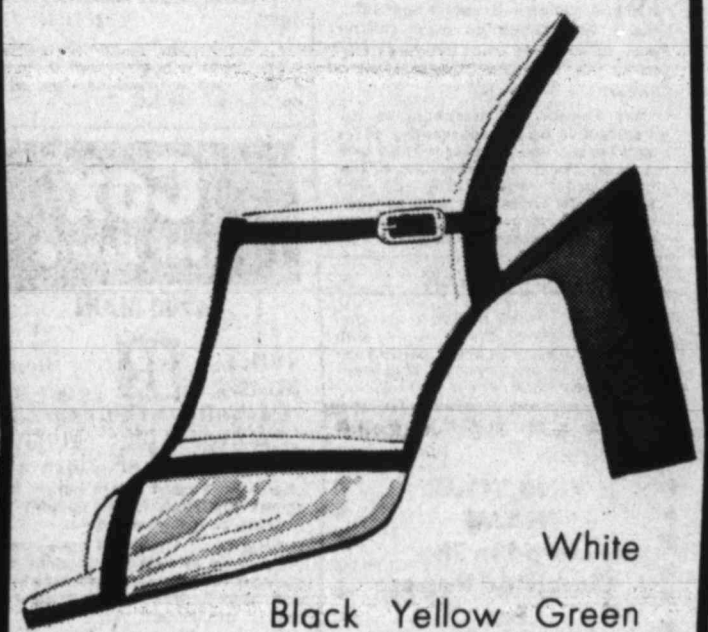
Attending with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. Willie Belle Heckler, Vincent, and her grandmother, Mrs. Anne Heckler.

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## Strikers, TIA Talks Resume

DALLAS (AP) — Negotiations between striking ground personnel and Texas International Airlines were expected to resume today in Washington, D.C.

Members of the Air Lines Employees Association said Tuesday they will modify their contract demands to help speed a settlement with the airline.

The strike began Dec. 1 when some 1,000 ground personnel walked off their jobs in a contract dispute over wages, use of part time employees, and split work shifts. Operations of the airline were halted last Wednesday when the Air Lines Pilot Association and its affiliate, Flight Attendants association agreed to honor picket lines set up by the striking ground employees.

Mike Stuckwith, a member of the negotiating committee, said the group's proposals have been amended to approach the company proposals.

"We are not weakening our position, but are trying to lessen the immediate impact on the company," he said. Stuckwith said wage and benefit proposals were decreased, and a parttime work proposal was adopted that would give Texas International economic relief without hurting the employees.

The two sides met in St. Paul, Minn. last weekend, but the lack of progress in negotiations prompted federal mediators to schedule the negotiations Wednesday.

Meanwhile in Austin, Texas International filed suit Tuesday in state court seeking to continue to operate flights out of Dallas Love Field.

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**WRONG WHISKEY**

BEAUMONT, Tex. (AP) — A gunman who didn't know his whiskeys learned the hard way Monday night when he tried to rob a liquor store. Jake and Annie Salim were alone in their store when a man entered and asked for a bottle of Scotch.

"When he asked for it, he gave the name of a bourbon and Jake became suspicious," Mrs. Salim said.

As Salim reached for a bottle, the man showed a gun and demanded all the money in the cash register.

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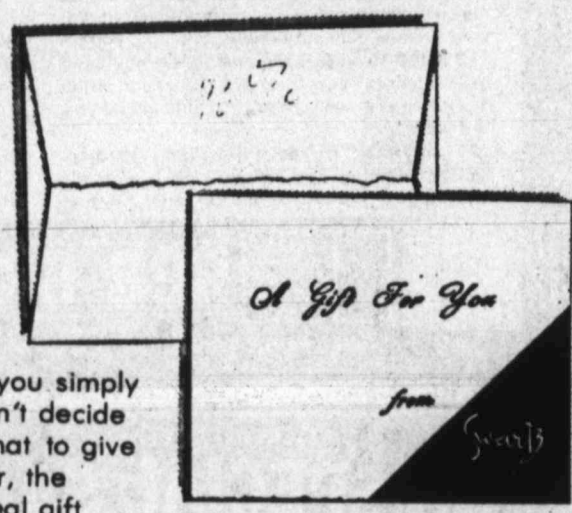
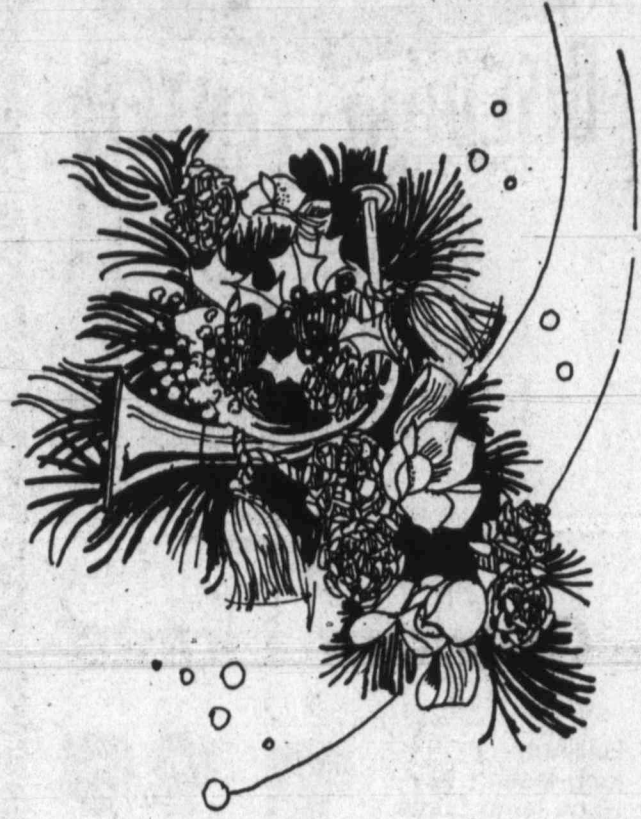
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**STATE COURTS**  
 AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Supreme Court's proceedings: Orders on Causes: State ex. rel. John F. Pettit v. George M. Thurmond, Judge, Val Verde County, writ of mandamus conditionally granted. Applications: Writ of Error refused, no reversible error. Peter J. Schuette vs. Joe A. Swoboda, Colorado. Jimmie R. Phagan vs. Stat of Texas, Wichita. Ada June Stevens vs. Annie Lou Douglass, Wood.  
 John J. Terrell vs. Nelson Puett Mortgage Co., Travis. American Casualty Co. of Reading, Pa., vs. John H. Pettit Co., Inc., Dallas. Roy D. Valden vs. Jefferson County, Jefferson. David Swanson vs. American Manufacturing Co. vs. Julius Hollis, Harris. St. Joseph Professional Building Corp. vs. American National Insurance Co., Harris. John Peltino vs. Furr's Supermarkets, El Paso. Joseph J. Hey Sr. vs. State of Texas, El Paso.

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