



SAW NEWS RELEASE AIMED AT CLEARING HIM Fired Employee Says Bell Offered Cash For Silence

(AP WIREPHOTO)
CABINET OFFICER — Jesse J. Lewis, 48, publisher of The Birmingham Times, a weekly newspaper, was appointed to Gov. George C. Wallace's cabinet today. Lewis, who is to become the governor's coordinator for highway and traffic safety, is the first black in an Alabama governor's cabinet since Reconstruction. Lewis will take office Jan. 21.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Fired executive James Ashley says he saw a news release aimed at clearing him of alleged wrong-doing as part of a bargain proposed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. before he filed a \$29.2 million suit against them.

In a statement earlier Thursday, Todd acknowledged he promised Ashley that Southwestern Bell would continue trying to keep Ashley's name out of newspapers and to disassociate Ashley from any allegations of wrong-doing for which he was not accused by the company.

SUICIDE
However, Todd said he never made an offer to cover-up irregularities or maneuver news coverage concerning Ashley and an internal company probe.

Ashley and the family of T.O. Gravit, who headed Bell operations in Texas until he committed suicide last October, are suing Bell for alleged libel and defamation arising from the investigation.

The suit contends the probe was unwarranted, resulted in Ashley being fired and drove Gravit to his death.

Todd said Thursday that Ashley demanded \$400,000 under threat "to wreck the Bell system" before filing the suit.

THE TRUTH
Ashley counter-charged that "it was Todd who made the bribe, I who rejected it. If the truth wrecks the Bell system, then it would be justified."

The suit alleges irregularities in Southwestern Bell rate-making policies, broad use of illegal wiretaps, illegal political contributions and a system of contractor kickbacks.

Ashley said Todd agreed at a meeting the day of Gravit's funeral that Ashley was guilty of no wrong-doing. And Ashley said Todd produced a news release aimed at clearing him which was to be distributed if Ashley dropped intentions to sue.

"I cannot believe, although I have been a part of the Bell system for many years, the arrogance displayed in actually reading me a press release aimed at completely clearing me of any charges resulting from the investigation and at removing all stigma of the

investigation from my name," Ashley said.

INNOCENT
"If they knew I was innocent, why didn't they go ahead and clear me. Weren't they morally obligated to do it?" he said.

A Bell spokesman said he knew of no such news release and that the company would stand on its earlier statement. Todd was unavailable for comment.

Ashley said he talked to Todd the day of Gravit's funeral and Todd asked "if I would be willing to sign a statement that I would not reveal what I knew about the Bell system operations if he could obtain for me one year's salary and an early retirement without discount which would amount to some \$17,000 per year."

The ousted executive said he told Todd that Gravit's death made the situation

more personal. "I advised him that I was not sure any financial accommodation would be possible in view of the personal issues raised by Gravit's death."

HURT COMPANY
Todd said he heard Ashley's alleged \$400,000 demand through a lawyer. But Todd said Bell rejected the proposal.

Bell offered to extend Ashley's pay two months if Ashley would accept resignation rather than dismissal, according to Todd. "I did ask him to drop his quest for revenge and retaliation."

"We thought any allegation or charge that Mr. Ashley might want to make ... would be printed and could be blown out of proportion and distorted to where it would hurt our company," Todd said.

Ashley said the only mention of two months pay

came when he announced he would pursue his suit and reject the alleged Bell proposal. He quoted Todd as saying, "If I give you two months pay, would you at least give me your word you'll think it out before you file action?"

Todd gave this version of the meeting at Dallas on the day of Gravit's funeral:

"I AM SICK"
"I told Mr. Ashley that I was aware of his earlier demands, made through an attorney. I tried to reason with him that he was caught in wrong-doing, and that he would have to take the consequences. I did offer to work out a severance-pay arrangement with my superiors."

"Mr. Ashley's reply was—I am sick, sick all the way through. You give me a year's salary for sick leave, and I'll fade out of the picture."

Todd said he dismissed Ashley Nov. 1, the day after the final meeting of the two.

Ashley said Todd told him before he was fired that filing a suit would be "a very serious mistake on my part; that if I dared tell what I knew about the inner Bell workings, that he and the Bell system would hound me to the ends of the Earth."

Ashley said Todd told him: "Jim, Why don't you be reasonable and think of the financial well-being of your family."

Officers Named By NARFE Group

Members of the local chapter 1096 of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees met Thursday night at the First Federal Savings club room and elected a new secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Leona Ebersole was elected treasurer and Mrs. Helen Talley, secretary, replacing Mrs. Marshall Brown, who resigned from both posts.

Marshall Brown presided. Mrs. Birdie Westbrook played the piano for an opening hymn, followed by the invocation given by Chaplain Clark O. Hitt, T. K. Price led the pledge of allegiance. Mrs. Fern Smith reported that \$19 was donated to the Westside Center Christmas.

It was announced that game time at Kentwood Center has been changed from Wednesday to Thursday at 1 p.m. It was also announced that the group would hold a chili supper at the center from 5-7:30 p.m. Jan. 17.

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Wild Winds Stir Snow In Panhandle-Plains

By The Associated Press
Snowdrifts as tall as three feet dotted the Texas Panhandle today, and numerous points in East Texas surveyed wind damage in the wake of raging thunderstorms and at least one tornado.

A cold front which already was racing out of the state toward the southeast by early morning triggered the wild weather as it collided with a humid mass of warm air from the Gulf of Mexico.

The resulting turbulence prompted a tornado watch lasting into the predawn hours for 18 counties in North Central and Northeast Texas.

Police reported a twister spun to the ground outside Daingerfield in East Texas and played hob with power lines and trees in a small area.

Punishing winds hit other points in a nightlong assault by savage thunderstorms. A house trailer was torn apart northwest of Gilmer and plate glass windows were smashed at Carthage, where the National Weather service said wind gusts were estimated to have hit 55 miles per hour.

Still another storm wrecked a barn northwest of Marshall and near the Louisiana line.

Winds gusting to 25 m.p.h. this morning stirred up the fallen snow in the Panhandle-Plains sector. Three-foot drifts piled up around Perryton, although the snowfall there and at Dalhart measured only two inches. Forty miles northeast of Perryton at Beaver, Okla., the measurement was five inches.

While stiff north winds

chilled most of the state, stout gusts from the south churned tides two to three feet above normal along the Upper Texas Coast and threatened to chew into some coastal roads.

Temperatures near dawn plunged to 16 degrees at Dal-

hart, 18 at Perryton and 26 at Amarillo as the Panhandle snow belt extended as far south as Tulsa. At the same hour the reading was 68 at Brownsville, still ahead of the southbound cold front in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Cave Names Officers On BS Cancer Board

Dr. James Cave, new president of the board of the Big Spring unit of the American Cancer Society, named his executive officers and committee chairmen when the board met for the first meeting of the year at noon Thursday at Holiday Inn.

Mrs. Fran Borofocke was elected vice president. Earlier, Mrs. Raymond Phillips was elected secretary and Mrs. James Coates, treasurer.

Chairmen for the coming year include Mrs. Clyde Thomas, service and rehabilitation; Mrs. Joe Clark, crusade; Mrs. Benn Boodle, public education; Mrs. Joe Pickle, memorials, and Mrs. Marj Carpenter, public information.

The board members will

be selected at the next meeting. A financial report showed that the year's totals for memorial was \$2107.65. They may again be mailed this year to Mrs. Pickle at 2803 Cactus Drive, Big Spring.

The board approved a by-law amendment drawn up by the district by-laws committee. They agreed to hold meetings on the first Thursday of each month at noon at the Holiday Inn.

It was announced that a clinic to aid people who are trying to stop smoking will be held in Odessa Jan. 17. For additional information, call the district cancer office collect at A.C. 915, 563-0204. This number may also be called collect for information in connection with services available to cancer patients.

School Offers Year's Manufacturing Course

A one-year program in jewelry manufacturing is being offered by Howard College, Theron Lee, director of adult and continuing education, announced today.

It will be one of the most comprehensive jewelry-making programs in West Texas, he said. Those who participate will emerge with the skills and tools to carry on their own jewelry manufacturing activities he said.

The program will be divided into three courses. The first will begin Jan. 22, and go through May 16. Course II will be offered from June 2 through July 11, and course II Sept. 2 through Dec. 19.

Instructor for the course will be Fred Tatum, who has many years of experience in

the jewelry and watch repair trades in Lubbock and San Angelo.

Cost of the spring semester course will be \$33 tuition and an initial outlay of approximately \$750 will be needed for equipment and supplies. Room and board is available on the Howard College campus.

Individuals learning the art of jewelry manufacturing trade will have the ability to earn excellent incomes, according to Tatum. The trade adapts itself to working at home and lends itself well to people having physical handicaps.

Those interested in the program should write the office of Continuing Education, Howard College, Big Spring, 79720, or call 915-267-6311 extension 78.



HOME COMING — Teruo Nakamura, a one-time soldier in the Japanese army who spent 30 years in hiding in Indonesia, is welcomed Thursday in the small village on Taiwan from which he came. At left is Kao A-mei, who saw him off when he was drafted in 1942.

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Five Directors Are Selected

COAHOMA — Bill Read was renamed president, Johnny Justiss vice president and Frances Swann assistant cashier of the Coahoma State Bank here Thursday.

Elected directors were Read, Justiss, James C. Barr, Briggs Todd and C. C. Wolf.

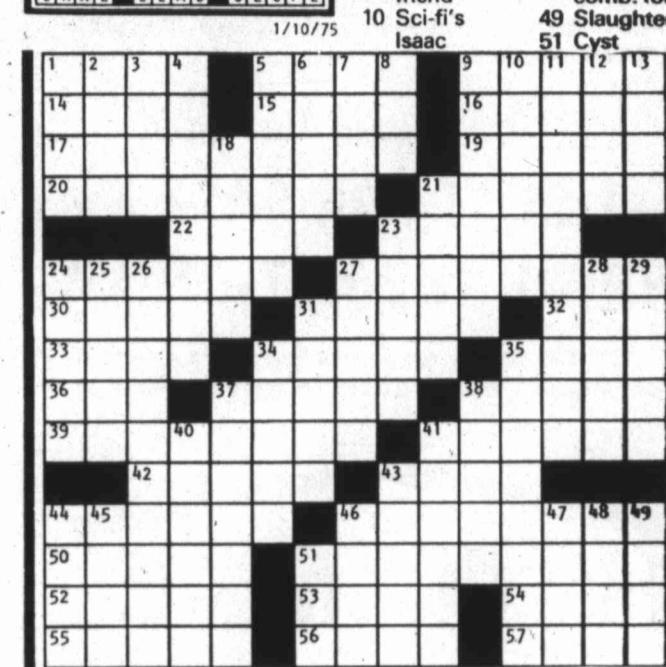
Directors reflected upon a successful banking year and expected optimism that an even better one lies ahead for the institution.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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 - 14 Aggravating mate?
 - 15 Lamb
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 - 17 Erich Segal novel
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 - 27 "It's —" (Porter song)
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 - 32 Big or tip
 - 33 French artist et fils
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 - 37 — on, Harvest Moon
 - 38 Frost works
 - 39 — place
 - 41 Hydromania
 - 42 Haunting movie
 - 43 Cow's pad
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 - 46 Cole Porter song
 - 50 Carry off
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 - 54 — Beach, Fla.
 - 55 Foundation
 - 56 Phooey!
 - 57 Goddess of discord
 - 1 Billet-doux
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 - 13 Jells
 - 18 Bias
 - 21 Worth
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 - 24 Meted out
 - 25 Fallacy
 - 26 Early-in-fatuations
 - 27 Performing
 - 28 Appears
 - 29 Rising agent
 - 31 Porcelain
 - 34 Brief try
 - 35 Cole Porter song
 - 37 Mary and Charles
 - 38 Mind; comb. form
 - 40 Early
 - 41 Gibes
 - 43 Britanny port
 - 44 Clutch
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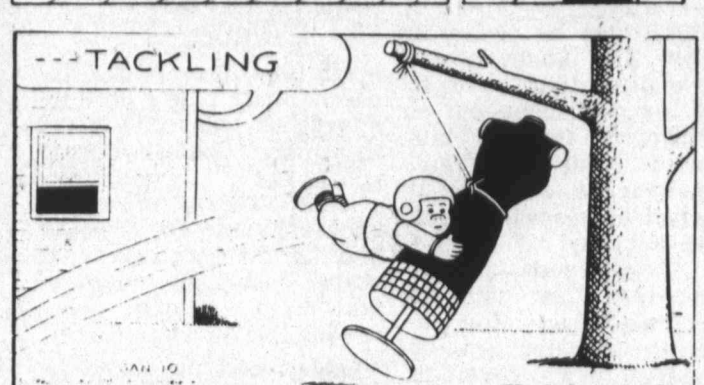


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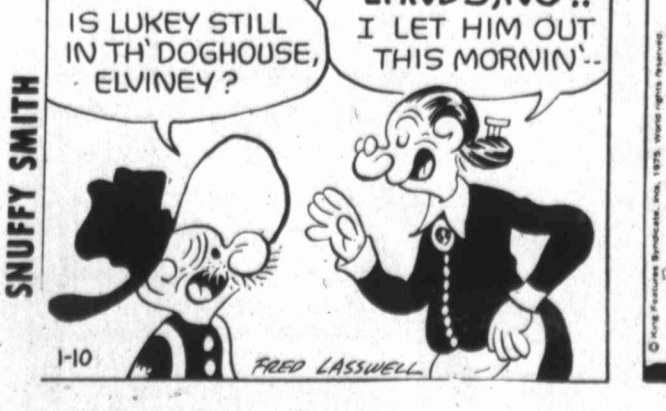
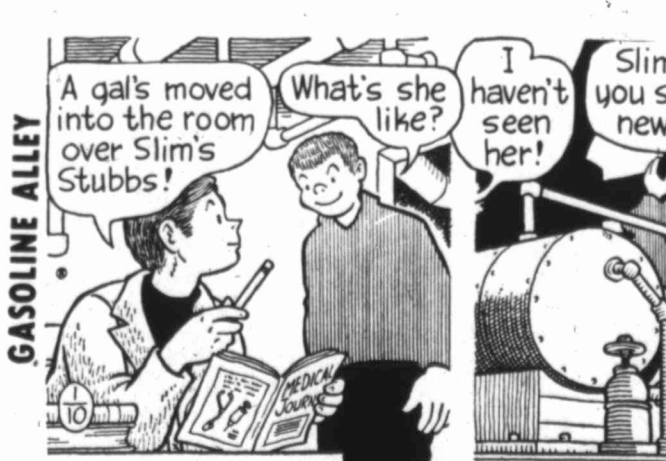
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Yesterday's Jumbles: MAIZE SWAMP ENSIGN PIGEON

Answers: A charming way to get money — "WIN-SOME"



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NEW ORLEANS — Pittsburgh's young Steelers' vicious defense led Joe Greene rank point favorites of experienced but frustrated Minnesota Vikings Sunday in Super Bowl football.

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David Thompson Carolina State American, scored and grabbed 10 rebounds lead the Wolfpack's

Using a fast-break manto-man defense, Wolfpack hit 64 percent from the floor and 60 percent from the three-point line. Western Carolina was in phase of the game.

Four of Thompson's mates scored in figures. Phil Spencer

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- EAST
- Delaware 90, Manhattan 75
 - Northeastern 93, Vermont 75
 - Delaware 90, Montclair 75
- SOUTH
- N. Caro. 74, Clemson 72
 - N. Caro. 51, W. Caro. 49
 - Hawaii 79, Central 78
 - S. Florida 89, Lehigh 62
 - Tennessee 92, Alabama 62
 - Michigan 51, 106, Drake 92
 - Bradley 106, Illinois 51, 8
- MIDWEST
- Washington 92, Utah 82
 - Harold Simmons 70, UT 70
- WEST
- Louisville 53, West Texas 49
 - Oral Roberts 91, Long Beach 82
 - Southern Methodist 90, Baylor 82
 - Baptist 67
- FAR WEST
- UCLA 92, Wash. 82
 - San Jose St. 76, Portland 75

South Top E

NEW YORK (AP) — Carolina State Brookens brothers handed pitchers abundance when league baseball off big hand into the free agent talent dual winter draft.

The San Diego off the name draft selecting Gene R fleet outfielder from Carolina State earned its inter baseball program.

Richards, now at the Orangeburg school, crashed barrier in his seasons there. He impressed the sec

Schoolb Outlaw

ORLANDO, Fla. — The National Federation of State High Associations has with a strong stance teaching football use their heads as a and tackling tool.

The new rule, near the close federation's annual Thursday, make sparring a foul play by a 15-yard penalty banishment of the from the game.

Sparring is deliberate and malicious of the head — helmet into a play down, who is held going down, is held forward progress in or who is obviously play.

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Steelers, Mean Joe Greene Three Point Nod Over Vikes

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The Vikings who lost their first two Super Bowl visits to Kansas City in 1970 and to Miami last January, hope quarterback Fran Tarkenton can finally lead them to pro football's world championship.

A sell-out crowd of more than 80,000 was expected to jam Tulane Stadium for the game which has become an American sports classic comparable to baseball's World Series. An estimated 70 million people in this country and 50 million a more around the world will watch and listen to television and radio coverage of the game.

The National Weather Service forecast fair to partly cloudy skies with temperatures between 45 and 50 degrees and only a slight chance of rain.

Both teams have spent the last week here, practicing for the game and fighting off an annoying series of minor aches and pains. The most serious was a viral infection which kept Steeler defensive end Dwight White hospitalized for four days.

Wolfpack Back On Right Track

North Carolina State played a "smart" basketball game Thursday night — and made Western Carolina look awfully stupid in the process.

Playing what Coach Norm Sloan called an intelligent game, the fourth-ranked Wolfpack sent Western Carolina to the back of the class with a textbook, 119-61 rout.

"I saw us doing things tonight more intelligently and like we want to do," said Sloan. "Our objective this game was to play like we wanted and not worry about the score. I liked a lot of what I saw tonight."

In other college basketball games Thursday night, second-ranked UCLA beat Washington 92-82; No. 3 Louisville nipped West Texas State 53-51 and No. 15 North Carolina turned back Clemson 74-72.

David Thompson, North Carolina State's All-American, scored 32 points and grabbed 10 rebounds to lead the Wolfpack's victory.

Using a fast-break and manto-man defense, the Wolfpack hit 64 per cent from the floor and outplayed Western Carolina in every phase of the game.

Forward Dave Meyers scored 21 points as UCLA, aiming for its ninth straight Pacific-8 basketball title, opened conference play by beating Washington, The Bruins, 11-0, had six players in double figures as they won their 25th straight game over the Huskies and 74th consecutive at Pauley Pavilion.

Forward Rich Washington and guard Pete Trgovich each had 18 points for the Bruins, followed by Marques Johnson with 12, Andre McCarter with 11 and 10 from center Ralph Drollinger.

Phillip Bond scored on a breakaway layup as time ran out to lead Louisville, 10-0, past West Texas State, 4-5, in a Missouri Valley Conference thriller. Bond's basket capped a Louisville comeback in the final three minutes of the game.

A jump shot by Walter Davis with barely a minute left gave North Carolina the lead as the Tar Heels edged Clemson in a tense Atlantic Coast Conference game.

College Results

EAST
Dartmouth 90, Manhattan 75
Northeastern 93, Vermont 91, OT
Delaware 90, Monclair 81, 70

Astros Wilson Services Set

HOUSTON (AP) — Funeral services were planned in Los Angeles today for Houston Astros pitcher Don Wilson and his son Alexander following memorial services here Thursday.

South Carolina Players Top Baseball Draft

NEW YORK (AP) — South Carolina State players, Brookens brothers and right-handed pitchers were in abundance when major league baseball dropped a big hand into the grab bag of free agent talent at its annual winter draft session.

Pro Cage Results

NBA Eastern Conference
Atlantic Division
Boston 23, Philadelphia 16
New York 22, Philadelphia 16
Philadelphia 16, 23, 410 9½

Teaff Is Top Coach In Nation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Grant Teaff of Baylor, a self-proclaimed football freak who specializes in curing sick programs, has been named national college Coach of the Year for 1974.

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Testing those defenses will be two solid attacks. The Vikings, with Tarkenton at the controls, scored 40 touchdowns, the most in the NFL. Tarkenton passed for more than 2,000 yards—the 13th consecutive year he's reached that figure.

Schoolboy Federation Outlaws Spearing

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — The National Federation of State High School Associations has come out with a strong stand against teaching football players to use their heads as a blocking and tackling tool.

Brandt's Move Is New To Him

DALLAS (AP) — "If I am, it's news to me," quipped Gil Brandt of the Cowboys when asked Thursday if he would be named the new general manager of the Atlanta Falcons.

Rockets Comeback Fails, Bullets Win

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Rockets, off to one of their worst starts in any game this season, finally put on a show in the second half, but in the end of the hot Washington Bullets still prevailed 102-94 in a National Basketball League game.

Garden City Takes Opening District Win

GRADEN CITY — The Garden City Bearkats got their district campaign off to a good start as they came from a 10 point deficit in the fourth quarter to a 45-44 win over Grady in both teams' 11-B opener, giving Garden City a 1-0 record so far.

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NICK'S January Clearance Starts Saturday 10 A.M.

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Union Slips By Borden Co.

GAIL — Top-ranked Union ran its season record to 22-1 and its District 9-B mark to 3-0 with a tough 57-53 victory over Borden County Thursday night.

Steers Host Bulldogs In 5-AAAA Encounter

The Big Spring Steers, who surprised 5-AAAA followers with a district opening 68-60 win over highly regarded Abilene High, will attempt a

repeat of that upset when they host the Midland High Bulldogs tonight in the Steer gym. Action will begin at 6:15 p.m. with Junior Varsity contest and the Varsity teams will clash at 8 p.m.

Both teams will sport 1-0 district records going into the game, but Big Spring has a 5-14 season record thus far and Midland has a 13-5 record. They defeated Odessa Permian in their district opener 62-52.

Semi Pro Team Sets Meeting

Persons interested in playing baseball as a member of the semi-pro Big Spring Cardinals should attend the club's first meeting of the year tonight at 7:30 p.m. at 621 NW 4th.

The purpose of the meeting is to formulate plans for the upcoming season. Organizing the team are Frank Rubio, Raul Rubio, and Orlando Olague.

Midland Lee leads 5-AAAA teams in the season's schedule so far this year with a sparkling 17-1 record while Odessa Permian sports an 18-3 record, Abilene Cooper is 12-6, Abilene is 12-5, San Angelo is 10-6, and Odessa is 4-14.

Miller Takes Phoenix Open Lead Share

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Johnny Miller had just been asked to assess his play in the first round of the first tournament on the pro golf tour and he paused a moment to consider.

"Well," said the 1974 Player of the Year, "My game is just where it was when I left off last season."

"I'm driving good. I'm hitting my irons good. I'm putting good. Everything is good."

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Garden City took an 8-4 first quarter lead, but saw it melt away to a 21-20 halftime deficit. Grady led 38-28 after three quarters of play.

The combination produced a four-under-par 67 — despite a lapse that resulted in a double bogey — and gave Miller a share of the lead in the first round of the \$150,000 Phoenix Open.

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PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Top first round scores Thursday in the \$150,000 Phoenix Open Golf Tournament on the 6,728-yard, par 36-37-71 Phoenix Country Club course:

Johnny Miller 34-33-67
Len Thompson 34-33-67
John Mahaffey 35-32-67
Mike Mitchell 34-34-68
J.C. Snead 34-34-68
Tommy Aaron 34-34-68
Mike Reesor 35-33-68
Bob Rosburg 35-33-68
Roy Pace 34-34-68

Sands Sweeps Dawson Fives

ACKERLY — Sands swept the board in three District 8-B games with Dawson here Thursday night.

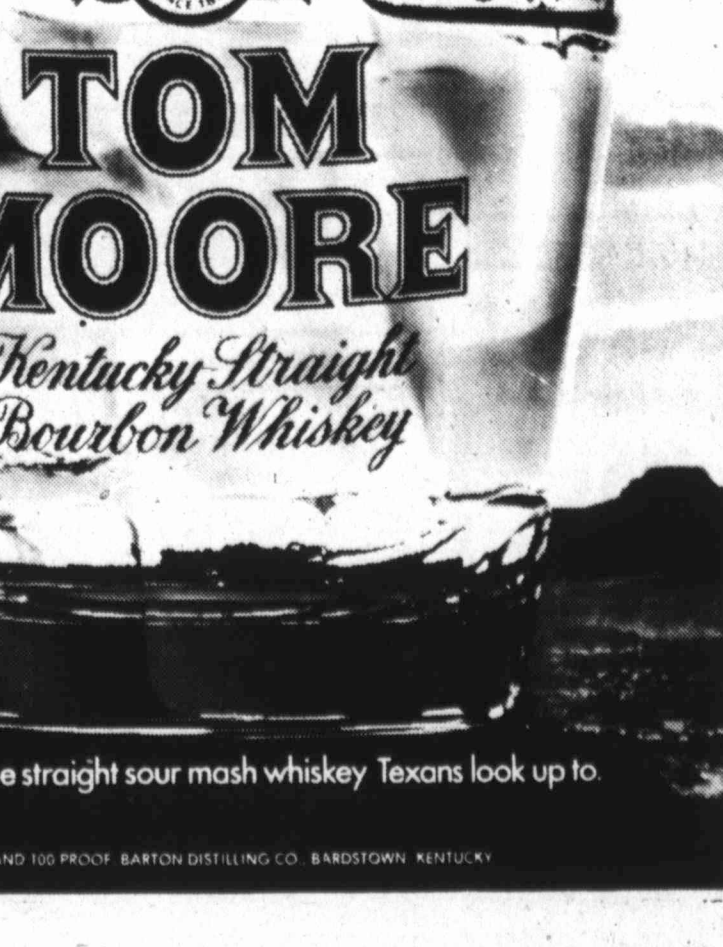
The varsity boys triumphed, 86-65. The varsity girls finished on the long end of a 39-31 score. The JV girls outlasted the opposition, 49-33.

The Sands teams go to Klondike Tuesday for a series that will determine the leaders in conference standings. The Sands boys are currently 3-0 against league opponents and 15-4 overall. The Sand girls stand at 4-0 in 8-B play and are 19-6 on the year.

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Tom Moore Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey



Union Slips By Borden Co.

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Borden County fell to 0-3 in loop play. Dickie Faught led the way for Union with 20 points and Clifton Smith had 14 for Borden County.

Borden County took the girls game 68-42 with Deidre Tucket pumping in 29 points. Kathy Miller had 28 for Union.

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Some Landlords Believe Kids Bad For Cities

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Raising children in a city can be pretty difficult—not because cities are bad for children, but because some landlords believe children are bad for cities, a study says.

This was the conclusion of a study released today by the Human Rights Commission entitled "San Francisco, Where Do Your Children Live?" "I tried looking for a place for my own family and learned firsthand that the City of San Francisco does not welcome children," said Anne Rubenstein, author of the 24-page report. The study was undertaken after the Human Rights Commission failed to get the Board of Supervisors to pass an ordinance prohibiting discrimination against families with children. David Gallagher, legislation committee chairman of the San Francisco Board of Realtors, said his group would support an ordinance that banned discrimination against kids in dwellings with three units or less. "Apartment houses are just not set up for children," he said. Mrs. Rubenstein said she eventually gave up her own quest for an apartment where her children would be welcome and bought a house.

MISHAPS
Wasson Road and FM 700: Elizabeth Sieler, 171-A Fairchild and vehicle that left the scene; 2 p.m. Tuesday.

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WRONG TIME Prison Reform

EDITORS: An important change in the child care law is likely in the upcoming legislative session, but prison reform and new laws affecting wayward youths are longer shots. Here is a look at the prospects in one of a series of pre-legislative stories.

AUSTIN (AP) — The shootout with Fred Gomez Carrasco at Huntsville last Aug. 3 will prevent any meaningful prison reform this legislative session, predicts Rep. Mickey Leland, D-Houston.

"The time is not right," said Leland, vice chairman of the Joint Committee on Prison Reform and a leader in the effort to change the way Texas treats prisoners.

GOING TO REVOLT
The Carrasco affair destroyed "any hope of trying to promote prison reform in Texas for this session," Leland said.

Carrasco, inmate Rodolfo Dominguez and two hostages died in the attempted escape from the Walls Unit of the Texas penitentiary.

That incident will not prevent further disturbances, however, Leland said.

Legislative opponents of reform will talk about Carrasco every time reform is mentioned, Leland said, but "they don't realize that inmates are going to revolt, even at the sacrifice of their lives, for prison reform."

Some gains will be made in the area of appropriations. Rehabilitation programs, he forecast, because Jim Estelle, prison director, will push for these.

Some of the proposals made by Leland's committee were for more work-release programs, study of conjugal visits, community-based correctional operations, and a study of the possibility of giving "allowances and incentives" to inmates, especially those who are indigent.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, who presides over the Senate, and Speaker-apparent Bill Clayton, D-Springlake, say they have not had time to study the committee's recommendations in detail, but Hobby agreed with Leland that the adverse effect of the Carrasco matter is "inevitable."

SIX DOCTORS
However, Hobby said, more money can be expected from the legislature for

prison medical services. The Legislative Budget Board recommended on Dec. 18 that 33 medical personnel, including six doctors, be added to the 106 jobs budgeted for this year in the medical section.

Also, the board recommended that doctors' salaries be raised from \$24,500, plus housing and utilities, to \$32,000 in an attempt to be more competitive in attracting and holding physicians.

On conjugal visits, Hobby said, "I'm inclined to be in favor of it," but he said he was not well versed on the proposal.

Any kind of payment for work that approaches minimum wage—something the committee deliberately refrained from proposing—amounts to "a whole bunch of money," Hobby said.

Clayton said allowances and incentives "might hold some merit if something like this was proposed for those prisoners with good conduct, as an enticement."

CHILD CARE
Several proposals are expected to be offered the legislature in the area of child care, and most will ask that the age limit be raised from 16 to 18 for children covered by facilities that must be licensed by the Welfare Department.

In a case involving radio evangelist Lester Roloff, the Texas Supreme Court last year upheld the age figure, 16, that the Welfare Department had used as a matter of administrative policy for three decades.

Asst. Atty. Gen. Lynn Taylor said this leaves those children between 16 and 18 "out in the cold. They're not adults. They're not going to be protected by any law" unless the legislature acts.

The Texas Youth Council has been ordered by U.S. District Judge William Justice of Tyler to phase out the big rural reform schools such as Gatesville and Mountain View. The TYC has presented Justice with alternative proposals, including the retention of Gatesville for the toughest juveniles, but the judge has not yet said whether they are acceptable, Deputy Director Clinton Kersey says.

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♠ 7 6 4 3 2

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

SOUTH
♦ A Q J 8 6 3
♥ K 5
♦ Q 8
♠ K 8 5

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

Opening lead: Queen of ♠.

When this hand was played in a recent team match, both declarers reached a four spade contract on identical auctions. South's second bid, however, does not fill us with admiration. Despite the fact that he has a six-card spade suit, his hand is essentially balanced and, with an honor card in every suit, a rebid of three no trump stands out. Notice that making nine tricks at no trump is a piece of cake.

At the table where we watched, West led the queen of clubs. East overtook with the ace and returned the jack, covered by South's king and ruffed by West, who shifted to a diamond. Declarer was forced to try the finesse. East won the king and cashed a high club for down one.

When the teams compared scores, South noticed that his counterpart on the other team had made four spades.

"Didn't you lead your singleton club?" he thundered at West.

"I did," retorted West.

"Didn't you take the ace and return the suit?" South demanded of East.

"I did, but there was no way of stopping the contract," replied East. "Declarer allowed my jack to win the second trick! I did the best I could by playing another club, allowing my partner to ruff away South's king, but that was our last trick. Declarer won the diamond shift with the ace and drew trumps in two rounds, ending in dummy. He ruffed a club, setting up dummy's fifth club, crossed back to dummy and discarded his diamond on the long club.

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Two Attend Area Meet

By MARJ CARPENTER
Two Big Spring residents will join Episcopalians of the Diocese of Northwest Texas in meetings Friday and Saturday, Jan. 24 and 25, at the Episcopal Conference Center in Amarillo to make decisions about diocesan programs for 1975.

The Rev. Harland Birdwell, rector of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, and Dr. Jack H. Burnett, Sterling City Route, will participate in the annual conference of members of the three diocesan program commissions.

The Rev. Mr. Birdwell is chairman of the Commission of Christian Ministry and Missions. Dr. Burnett is a member of the commission.

Other program groups are the Commission of Christian Living and Education and the Commission of Communications.

Conducting the combined sessions will be the Rt. Rev. Willis R. Henton, Episcopal Bishop of Northwest Texas. He will be assisted by the Ven. Richard W. Wilson, archdeacon for program.

TAPE WORKSHOP
A six-hour workshop on the use of cassette tapes in

teaching and learning, as applied to Christian education is scheduled for the Dallas area on January 23, 1975.

The workshop, to be sponsored by Creative Resources, a division of Word, Inc., of Waco, will be held at the Marriott, 2101 Stemmons in Dallas. The session will begin at 9 a.m. and conclude at 4 p.m.

Bill Scott, director of Creative Communication Conferences at Word, will lead the in-depth workshop for ministers, workshop directors, laymen and other leaders interested in better communications between persons.

Those attending the workshop will not only hear the newest concepts of learning and teaching explained, but will actually listen to cassettes and experience the application of the techniques.

Among the materials produced by Creative Resources to be featured is the new "Edge of Adventure" program, a 13-week curriculum series by Keith Miller and Bruce Larson. Other tapes by well-known Christian leaders will also be used.

Women's Rights Talked At Meet

Women's Rights legislation was the subject of a talk conducted by Helen Mabee at the Coahoma library Thursday night.

Letters sent out by the Coahoma Church of Christ invited people to attend the talk by Mrs. Mabee, president of the Midland branch of "Women Who Want to be Women."

The group is working with a number of Texas legislators to have the Texas ratification of the women's rights amendment recinded.

They quoted facts from the April 1971 Yale Law Journal which included "1. Our children (boys and girls) will be sharing the same restrooms and shower facilities at school. Also there will be no segregation of sexes in prisons, reform schools, public restrooms, etc."

"2. In the armed services, men and women (women will be subject to draft) will be sharing the same sleeping quarters, restrooms, showers and foxholes."

"3. Homosexuals will be permitted to marry and adopt children."

"4. Men will no longer be responsible for the financial support of the family. A woman can be forced to supply half or all the family support."

First Christian Church Sets Installation Rites

William H. (Bill) Smythe will be installed as the 27th minister of the First Christian Church of Big Spring during the 10:50 a.m. worship service Sunday. The public is invited.

Mr. Smythe was called as the minister of the oldest congregation in Big Spring on Dec. 9, coming from the staff of Central Christian Church in Enid, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Smythe are both native Texans and graduates of Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. The First Christian Church

was organized in Big Spring in 1882, first meeting in a home and then the school house until the construction of the first building on Gregg Street in 1884 to be followed by a second building in 1926 on Scurry in the downtown area. The present location was occupied and dedicated on May 13, 1951 during the ministry of the Rev. Lloyd Thompson.

First Christian Church is affiliated with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the United States and Canada, and is one of the

largest denominations founded on American soil. Its heritage is primarily in the Presbyterian Church in Scotland. The regional organization is with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the Southwest, comprising Christian Churches in Texas and New Mexico.

Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ) are locally autonomous, managing their own affairs, financing property, calling their own ministers. They have voting representatives in regional and national assemblies. The regional office for the local congregation is in Fort Worth; the general office is in Indianapolis, Ind.

Participating in the installation service will be W. F. (Dub) Martin, chairman of the board and an elder in the congregation Tom Locke Jr., chairman of the search committee and a deacon; Mrs. Joe B. Johnson, chairman of the Christian Women's Fellowship and deaconess; and Dr. James S. Oglesby, Fort Worth, Associate Minister of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the Southwest. Dr. Oglesby will bring the installation sermon.

Christ's Fellowship Center Sets Boone Film Showings

Two top religious films will be shown at the Christ's Fellowship Center, located at FM 700 and East 11th Place with the public invited to attend, according to Tommy D. Williams, minister.

The first film will be shown at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. It is called "Come Together" and won an academy award as the best religious picture in 1973.

It stars Pat Boone and his army and Jimmy Owens and includes a 2,000 voice choir. It was also used for Key 73, a national evangelical movement during that year.

On Sunday at 3 p.m., a film called "Jesus Country" will be presented. It was filmed

entirely in Israel. Pat Boone again is the star along with Kenneth Copeland and Dr. Roy Blizzard from Austin. The film was made while several Big Spring citizens were among a tour in the Holy Lands.

Dr. Blizzard will speak following the showing of the film.

He also will speak at the center at 10 a.m. He is a Hebrew scholar and specialist on Israel.

Birdwell Lane Baptist Began In August 1942

On a Tuesday night, August 11, 1942, a group of believers in Christ, several being members of Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church of Knott, met for the purpose of organizing an Independent Baptist Church in Big Spring, Texas.

Elder W. W. Pettus was moderator for the organization. Elder C. Q. Herndon, then of Overton, assisted by Elders E. G. Newcomer and W. H. Robertson, preached the organization sermon. After the sermon and prayer, the church was organized to be known as the Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church. The following individuals made up the charter membership: Bro. W. W. Pettus (ordained minister); Sis. W. W. (Betty) Pettus; Sis. Henry (Willie) Thames; Sis. J. N. (Sarah) Lane; Bro. Hermon H. Wright; Sis. A. E. (Fannie) Ford; Bro. Drewey Lane; Bro. W. H. Robertson (ordained minister); Sis. W. H. (Irene) Robertson; Bro. P. E. Riddle; Sis. P. E. (Olevier) Riddle; Sis. Alpha Ford; and Bro. Roy L. Tubb.

Bro. Robertson was called as pastor but declined to accept as he felt he was not scripturally qualified. Alpha Ford was church clerk. The infant church was without a pastor until November, when Bro. Pettus was elected and accepted the pastorate.

At first services were held in the David Rhonon building in the west part of Big Spring

until November when the membership decided to hold services in homes of the members. This was continued until a building could be purchased. It was an old store building, 20'x40', which was placed on the lot at 1000 Lancaster Street in August 1943.

FIRST MINISTER
The first minister to receive missionary support by the young church was Bro. D. F. Brown of Holt, a home missionary. Other home missionaries in early years were E. G. Newcomer, Bro. Juan Ramerio, and Bro. H. L. Wilborn. Financial support was also sent directly to Jack Looney in Brazil, Eddie Atkinson in Mexico, and a missionary in the Philippine Islands. At present the Birdwell Lane Baptist Church is contributing support to both home missions and foreign missions, and sponsors one missionary, Frank Wood, in Colorado. Others are: Roy Dearmore, Africa; G. Don Warren, Mexico; Ronald Dulaney, Lima, Peru; J. T. Midyet, Australia; Garland Kincaid, Mexico; Central Baptist Missions in Mexico; Independent Baptist College, Dallas; Roy Brentlinger, Alaska; David L. Brown, Brady, Texas; Independent Children's Home, Houston; David Magee, New York; and William Travers, Maryland.

Not only does the church support missions, but she contributes benevolent support to the needy of the community through contributions of clothing, linens and love offerings.

In 1946, two lots were purchased at 608 N. E. Tenth St., and the church building was moved from Lancaster Street. In the meantime, Bro. Robertson became pastor and served until March 1948, when Br. E. G. Newcomer

Pentecostal Scheduled Revival

Revival services are in progress nightly through Sunday in the First United Pentecostal Church at 7:30 p.m.

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There is a great deal of mystery in the Church too. Often this bothers those who would seek a logical explanation for everything. That is where we need faith — for faith is, in part, an acceptance of what we inherently feel but can't prove in ordinary, everyday terms.

Where to find faith? Admittedly, it can be quite a quest. But a good place to start that quest is in church.

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Discusses Suggested Bicentennial Events

Ways in which Big Spring residents can effectively contribute to the nation's bicentennial celebration were explored by Mrs. Floyd Mays when she spoke to Big Spring Garden Club Wednesday.

In a program entitled "76 Plus 200," Mrs. Mays discussed how the bicentennial can be marked on the national, state, local and individual level.

According to Mrs. Mays, local projects could include placing historical markers at the old townsite of Soash

(north of Big Spring); at Rattlesnake Gap (between Big Spring and Colorado City near Iatan Flat); and at the site of the old Cosmopolitan Hotel (Third and Runnels). She also suggested improving the lighting and acoustics at the amphitheatre, restoring Cottonwood Park to usefulness and, perhaps, having a replica made of the 1907 Big Spring fire truck which was the first in Texas.

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J. Johnson Gives Tips On Planting

It is better to spend more money on a good tree "hole" than to spend it on the tree, the Planters Garden Club was told Wednesday.

Johnny Johansen was guest speaker for the meeting held in the home of Mrs. J. L. Trantham, 1319 Stadium, with Mrs. Frank Wilson presiding.

Listing the pecan tree as the most rewarding of the slow-growing but long-lived tree, Johansen also said the live and red oaks, maple leaf mulberry, honey locust, Arizona ash and weeping willow do well in this area. He said while the flowering peach, apricot, plum and crabapple trees are short lived they are beautiful trees in bloom.

Films were shown on landscaping in local parks. Johansen emphasized the importance of preparing a proper hole for a tree, saying an inexpensive plant will do well if the hole in which it is to be planted is well prepared.

The club will plant a tree at Cottonwood Park on Arbor Day.

Mrs. C. A. Smauley, 1000 Howell, will host the Feb. 5, meeting.

School To Get Teaching Aids

The Immaculate Heart of Mary parents Club recently undertook the collection of 7,600 soup can labels to obtain a slide projector.

The project paid off, and Sister Jean Amore told the club Tuesday evening that the projector has been ordered. Also, she showed one of four record players which were purchased by last year's club membership, along with some extra athletic equipment that came with them.

Lt. Col. Joe Crenwelge, president, presided at the meeting as future activities were outlined. He presented two amendments to the constitution to be voted on at the Feb. 4 meeting.

The announcement was made that a contract has been let to make banisters for the school and church steps. Lee George, a member, asked for a list of needed repairs to the school and convent, and the club will do these as it can get to them. A "spring cleaning" will be held in mid-March, and members were asked to collect more items for a garage sale which is scheduled later in the semester.

In other business, Mrs. Louis Puga was asked to serve as chairperson for a Mexican dinner which will be held in conjunction with the spring festival in April. More immediately, the club was asked to serve dinner Feb. 9 for the Search Program, a group of young people who meet for spiritual programs under the direction of Bill Thompson.

The observance of Catholic School Week, (Feb. 2-8) will be held at the club's regular monthly meeting.

Sister Eleanor Goeckler, program speaker, traced the history of the Catholic Holy Year, which occurs every 25 years. She said it is a year of reconciliation "with inner self and fellow men." The Rev. Louis Moeller led prayer.

Two new teachers, Mrs. Dorothy C. Pohl and Miss Kathy Godlewski, were introduced.

Reunion Held Here Recently

The family of Mrs. Virdie Thomason, Midland, held a reunion recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thomason, 3200 Cornell.

The 24 who attended included all the immediate family with exception of two grandsons.

Children of Mrs. Thomason present were Mrs. Robert Betterton, Midland; Willard Thomason and Dillard Thomason, Ulysses, Kans.; Milford Thomason, Houston; and Tommy Thomason.

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Guests Leave

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Forsyth and their two daughters have returned to College Station after visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Routh.

Infant's Attire Is Heirloom

A 60-year-old baptismal dress was worn by Kathleen Marie Buchanan for her baptism Sunday at Webb Air Force Base Chapel.

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Garden Club To Observe Arbor Day

Preparing for spring flowers, terrariums hanging baskets, and the potting of plants were discussed at the Oasis Garden Club meeting Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Conger, Sterling City Rd., was hostess with Mrs. Albert Hohertz presiding.

Mrs. J. D. Leonard gave a program on hanging baskets and terrariums, also reminding members that now is the time to feed and water irises for spring bloom. Mrs. C. O. Hitt gave tips on the care and planting of pot plants.

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Child Born To Local Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dagestad, 2205 Johnson, announce the birth of a girl, Margaret Evelyn, at 7:40 p.m., Jan. 8, weighing 6 pounds, 11 1/4 ounces, at Medical Center Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Mildred See of Big Spring is a great-aunt. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Aken, Bennett Colo. Paternal grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Nel Dagestad, Bimiji, Minn.



Dear Abby

Young Woman Should Cut The Cord, Split

DEAR ABBY: I am a 25-year-old unmarried woman. I hold a responsible position and have been self-supporting since I was 18. I was raised to have decent moral standards and I know right from wrong.

I have always lived at home with my parents. I love them very much, but they are my problem. (Especially my mother.)

I've been wanting to have my own apartment for the last three years, but my mother will not hear of it. She says, "Why would a girl want to have her own apartment, if not to have wild parties and let men sleep over? Nice girls live at home. Tramps have apartments!"

This hurts me, Abby, because I am not, a t ramp and I do not plan to have any wild parties or let men sleep over.

I have dated some, but I never had a steady. I'm not blaming my mother, but when I'm on a date I keep looking at my watch because I know she's waiting up for me.

Am I wrong to want my own apartment? And how can I convince my mother that she's wrong?

OVER-PROTECTED DEAR ABBY: You may not be able to convince your mother that she's wrong, but if you're wise, you'll cut the cord. You sound like a mature young woman. So the word from here is, go, and don't feel guilty.

DEAR ABBY: I am planning to marry a woman who was widowed four years ago. (This will be my first marriage.) When we went to pick out the rings, she said all she wanted was an "engagement ring" because she wanted to be married with the wedding ring she now owns. This struck me as being rather odd, but I didn't say anything. (I wasn't even sure I heard right.)

We finally had a discussion about it, and she insists that she doesn't want me to buy her a wedding band — she wants to continue wearing the one her first husband gave her.

Have you ever heard of this before? I am now wondering if it would be a mistake to marry her.

We have known each other only four months, but have spent several weekends together and I thought we knew each other well enough.

I would like your opinion.

SECOND THOUGHTS DEAR SECOND: I'd have second (third, and fourth) thoughts about marrying her. Get to know her better yet. And don't marry her (or anyone else) while there are still doubts in your mind.

CONFIDENTIAL TO SISSIE IN ST. PAUL: If he were going to give you a Christmas present, you should have it by now. I think he gave you a snow job.

Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 68700, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (20 cents) envelope.

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Style No.	Description	This Week Per Pair	Next Week Per Pair
STOCKINGS			
210	Reinforced Cantrecc® II	1.50	1.75
PANTYHOSE			
709	Tummy Control, Reinforced Toe	2.50	3.00
710	Tummy Control with Sandalfoot	2.50	3.00
950	Reinforced Toe, Nude Heel	2.50	3.00
005	Sheer Toe to Waist Pantyhose	2.50	3.00
550	Sandalfoot Pantyhose	1.60	1.95
SHEER SUPPORT			
805	Alive® Sheer Support Stockings	3.25	3.95
809	Alive® Reinforced Heel and Toe	4.95	5.95
811	Alive® All Sheer Pantyhose	4.95	5.95

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2. An independent judging organization, Audited Advertising Distributors, will determine winners by random drawings. Only one winner per family. Judging decisions are final. Entries must be deposited before January 24, 1975 to be eligible for the drawing to be held on Feb. 13, 1975.

3. Hanes will award 1,000 department store gift certificates. 1st prize - \$5,000 certificate. Two 2nd prizes - \$1,500 certificates. Three 3rd prizes \$1,000 certificates. Four 4th prizes - \$500 certificates. Plus 30 - \$50, 60 - \$25 and 900 - \$10 certificates. If you enter and win, Hanes will send you a gift certificate good at the participating department store you've indicated on the entry blank. Bring it to the store's Gift Certificate department and the store will give you credit up to the full value of the certificate.

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550	Sheer Stretch, Sandalfoot	1.95	1.80
709	Ultra Sheer Tummy Control, Nude Heel	3.00	2.50
710	Ultra Sheer Tummy Control, Sandalfoot	3.00	2.50
885	Ultra Sheer Toe to Waist	3.00	2.50
950	Ultra Sheer, Nude Heel	3.00	2.50

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