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Ventures Set In Winkler, Crane Sectors

Exploration has been scheduled in Crane and Winkler counties.

V-F Petroleum, Inc., Midland, filed application to drill as a 3,700-foot wildcat in Crane, in the No. 1-C ARCO, 22 miles south of Crane.

Drill site is 1,787 feet from northwest and 467 feet from southwest lines of section 25, block 15, H&TC survey, 1/2-mile south of the Lyles, East multiphase field.

Winkler Try

Gulf Oil Corp. has filed application to re-enter and attempt completion as a Wolfcamp pay opener in the Everts multiphase gas field of Winkler County at the No. 1-A Wolfcamp-2, 13 miles west of Kermit.

It was completed Sept. 13, 1973 from the Ellenburger, for a calculated absolute open flow of 6,650 million cubic feet of gas daily, through perforations at 20,500-20,755 feet.

Location is 1,807 feet from north and east lines of section 24, block 26, PSL survey.

Re-Scheduled

Hilliard Oil & Gas, Inc., Midland, has amended contract depth of 9,200 feet, to 9,200 feet, at No. 1-A Sealy-Smith, Winkler scheduled wildcat, six miles north of Monahan.

It spots 900 feet from south and east lines of section 67, block A, G&MB&A survey.

North Ward Field Newly Reopened

BTA Oil Producers, Midland, has recompleted No. 2-7407 JV-S Winkler, a former Delaware older, as the re-opener of the Del-Strat (Brushy Canyon) field of Ward County, five miles south of Wink.

It gauged a daily, pumping potential of 52 barrels of 38.6-gravity oil and 208 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio low small to measure. Production was through perforations at 6,974-6,998 feet, which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons.

Drilled to 7,900 feet, it is plugged back to 7,035 feet, and has 5 1/2-inch casing seated on bottom.

It originally was drilled by Mobil Oil Corp. as No. 1-73 George Sealy and completed in 1959.

Location is 1,800 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 73, block F, G&MB&A survey.

Runnels Re-Entry Set As Wildcat

W. W. West of Midland has filed application to re-enter and clean out to old total depth of 4,700 feet, as a wildcat, at No. 1 Mrs. Nellie A. Meadows, Runnels County failure, seven miles west of Winters.

Originally drilled by Roy Guffey of Dallas, it was plugged and abandoned May 28, 1964, and re-entered by W. W. West in late 1972, and again plugged Sept. 17, 1972.

It is 1/2 mile northeast of the (Continued On Page 15B)

Weather

FORECAST: Fair this afternoon becoming partly cloudy tonight and Saturday and Sunday. High 50 to 55. Low 35 to 40. Partly cloudy this afternoon in the low to middle 40s with light to moderate winds. High Saturday in the upper 40s, low and overnight wind 1-3 m.p.h. Partly cloudy becoming wind and rain Saturday.

Midland Weather Service Readings:
 Thursday's high ... 50 degrees
 Thursday's low ... 35 degrees
 Yesterday's high ... 50 degrees
 Yesterday's low ... 35 degrees
 Sunday's high ... 50 degrees
 Sunday's low ... 35 degrees

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:
 11 a.m. ... 50
 2 p.m. ... 52
 5 p.m. ... 50
 8 p.m. ... 45
 11 p.m. ... 40

SOUTHWEST TEMPERATURES:
 Amarillo ... 45
 Lubbock ... 48
 El Paso ... 45
 Fort Worth ... 48

Midland's 5th Annual Cowboy Christmas Dance tomorrow 8 p.m.-1:30 a.m. County Exhibit Bldg., E. Hwy. 88. (Adv.)

Bob Boydston kills scorpions. (Adv.)

Arabs Increase Oil Prices

U.S. Eyes Stable Oil Price Plan

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Major oil producers agreed today to hike their revenues by 28 cents a barrel. Asked whether it will mean price increases for consumers, Iran's chief delegate said, "This all depends on how much of this the companies can absorb."

The oil producers retroactively approved unilateral Persian Gulf oil price hikes as the two-day conference of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries drew to a close.

Iran's chief delegate, Jamshid Amouzegar, told newsmen, "We had two choices — either to force the Persian Gulf producers to go back to the September price level or to accept the present price level. We had no alternative but to accept."

Amouzegar said the conference delegates adopted in principle a decision to further increase their basic government revenues on oil in accordance with rising inflation in the industrial world.

More Oil Money

Oil company experts have estimated that the oil price hikes unilaterally adopted in Abu Dhabi last month by Saudi Arabia, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates would channel another \$1.5 billion annually from oil consumers to oil-producer coffers.

Under the present pricing system, the government revenue on a barrel of standard Arabian light crude oil is \$9.74. Under today's agreement, it will be \$10.12, and will go into effect on Jan. 1.

Increased Costs

The price is also expected to be fattened by production costs of 11 cents a barrel and another 50 cents for profit, bringing the per barrel price to \$10.73. At the present time, the price stands at \$10.35.

The expected plan would be for a single, unitary market price aimed at eliminating what the OPEC members claim are inordinately large profits by multinational companies under the present system.

The oil ministers opened today's final session in a downtown Vienna hotel, where the conference was moved after a second bomb threat in two days was received.

Vote Nears On Trade Bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The way of final adjournment of the Senate is preparing for a vote that could determine whether President Ford will be granted authority to negotiate new trade agreements affecting every American consumer and producer.

Ford has said he needs the authority to help avert international economic disaster in the wake of world food shortages and quadrupled oil prices. The bill is the last major piece of legislation standing in the way of final adjournment of the 93rd Congress.

A vote was scheduled today on an attempt to block attachment of nontrade amendments to the bill. Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., floor manager of the measure, said the bill will fail unless such unrelated amendments are barred.

The move to stop unrelated amendments is aimed chiefly at proposals from Sen. James L. Buckley, Con.-R-N.Y., who wants to eliminate federal controls on natural gas prices, and from Sen. Vance Hartke, D-Ind., who seeks to reduce tax breaks granted U.S.-based multinational corporations, especially the major oil companies.

More Votes Seen

Sponsors of the bill say they are prepared to force three or four votes if necessary to protect the trade bill from non-trade amendments.

The trade bill has the potential of affecting the price of every imported product coming into the United States as well as the prosperity of American farmers and businesses, which depend on export trade for much of their sales.

The measure, which generally follows the lines of one passed by the House last December, is aimed at assuring access for U.S. industry to critical raw materials; removing barriers to free international trade; protecting American firms and workers against loss of jobs due to imports, and assuring that other nations do not discriminate against U.S. products.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

WASHINGTON (AP) — William B. Saxbe resigned today as attorney general in order to accept nomination to be U.S. ambassador to India. No successor was announced. Press Secretary Ron Nessen made dual announcements that Daniel P. Moynihan is resigning as envoy in New Delhi in order to return to his teaching duties at Harvard University in February, and that Saxbe would be nominated to succeed him.

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy today demanded that Israel "must freeze its present population and pledge not to increase the number of its immigrants for the next 50 years," as a condition for peace in the Middle East.

Fog Shrouds Coastal Area

Dense fog formed a shroud across much of South and South Central Texas during the night, upsetting air and ground transportation as it cut visibility to near zero.

The National Weather Service said the fog stretched along the Texas Gulf Coast and 150 miles inland.

However, forecasters expected the fog to dissipate by midmorning and almost all the state to be fair with mild temperatures by evening.

Midland should have fair skies today, turning partly cloudy tonight and cooler Saturday, according to a report by the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Air Terminal.

Hearing Slated On Bid To Put National Guard Back In Boston

BOSTON (AP) — U.S. District Court Judge W. Arthur Garrity Jr. scheduled a hearing today on a bid by the NAACP to place the National Guard in racially troubled South Boston.

On Wednesday, eight schools in the largely Irish section were closed following violence at South Boston High School.

South Boston High's headmaster, William Reid, said he was "disillusioned and discouraged" by the recurrence of racial violence at his school "but in no way will I quit."

In other developments:

—The Rev. Ralph David Abernathy of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference left for Boston.

—"Those people are acting like fools," he said in Pensacola, Fla. "They have so often poked the finger of scorn at us in the South. I must go there to tell them so."

—Around 600 white students at four Boston high schools walked out of class Thursday, apparently in sympathy with anti-busing forces in South Boston, a focal point of resistance to Garrity's order integrating the school system and mandating busing for 18,000 of the city's 92,000 pupils.

Although state police have been on guard outside South Boston High, Atkins told a news conference the officers should be stationed within the school, where a black youth stabbed a white student Wednesday.

He said a "repugnant" alternative would be to shut the school for good and reassign its students to other, integrated schools.

25 SEIZED IN GAZA STRIP—Israelis Round Up Guerrilla Suspects

By The Associated Press

Israeli security forces seized about 25 Arab guerrilla suspects in the Gaza Strip today, including a judge accused of leading Al Fatah terrorists in the occupied zone, the Israeli command said.

Over southern Lebanon, an aircraft gunners fired at Israeli jets, driving them off the coast of Sidon and Tyre four times, Lebanese military sources said. No hits were reported.

The action came hours after Israeli artillery bombarded the Lebanese city of Nabatiyeh in retaliation for guerrilla rocketing of the Israeli town of Safad, and less than 24 hours after an Israeli air raid on Palestinian camps on the edge of Beirut.

In Tel Aviv, Israeli Foreign Minister Yigal Allon told newsmen on his return from Washington that his talks with President Ford were so useful "that even the most skeptical Israeli will not be able to criticize them."

Allon told newsmen the talks dealt with U.S. aid and arms supplies, and the chances for resuming Israeli-Arab contacts following the Arab summit in Morocco, which had appeared to deadlock diplomatic progress.

"I believe that an opening for further negotiations does exist, provided the other side is prepared to work toward a partial agreement to be achieved by mutual concessions," Allon said. "Both sides must be prepared for concessions, geographic and political, and the other side must undertake to refrain from acts of war."

The Israeli air raid Thursday left one Palestinian woman (See ISRAELIS Page 8A)

Ford's Son Says First Family's All-American Image Exaggerated

LOGAN, Utah (AP) — Jack Ford says he may have influenced his father's presidential decision on amnesty, but the younger Ford says he generally tries to "restrict my political attempts to that of an ordinary citizen."

In an interview, President Ford's 22-year-old son made it clear he wants to be an ordinary citizen in other aspects of his life as well.

"I haven't suddenly been endowed with any special powers just because my father is President," Jack Ford said. Jack — a senior in forestry at Utah State University here — said he doesn't want to take advantage of his position as the President's son to push his personal ideas.

Nor does he want the press's portrayal of the first family to "infringe on his personal rights."

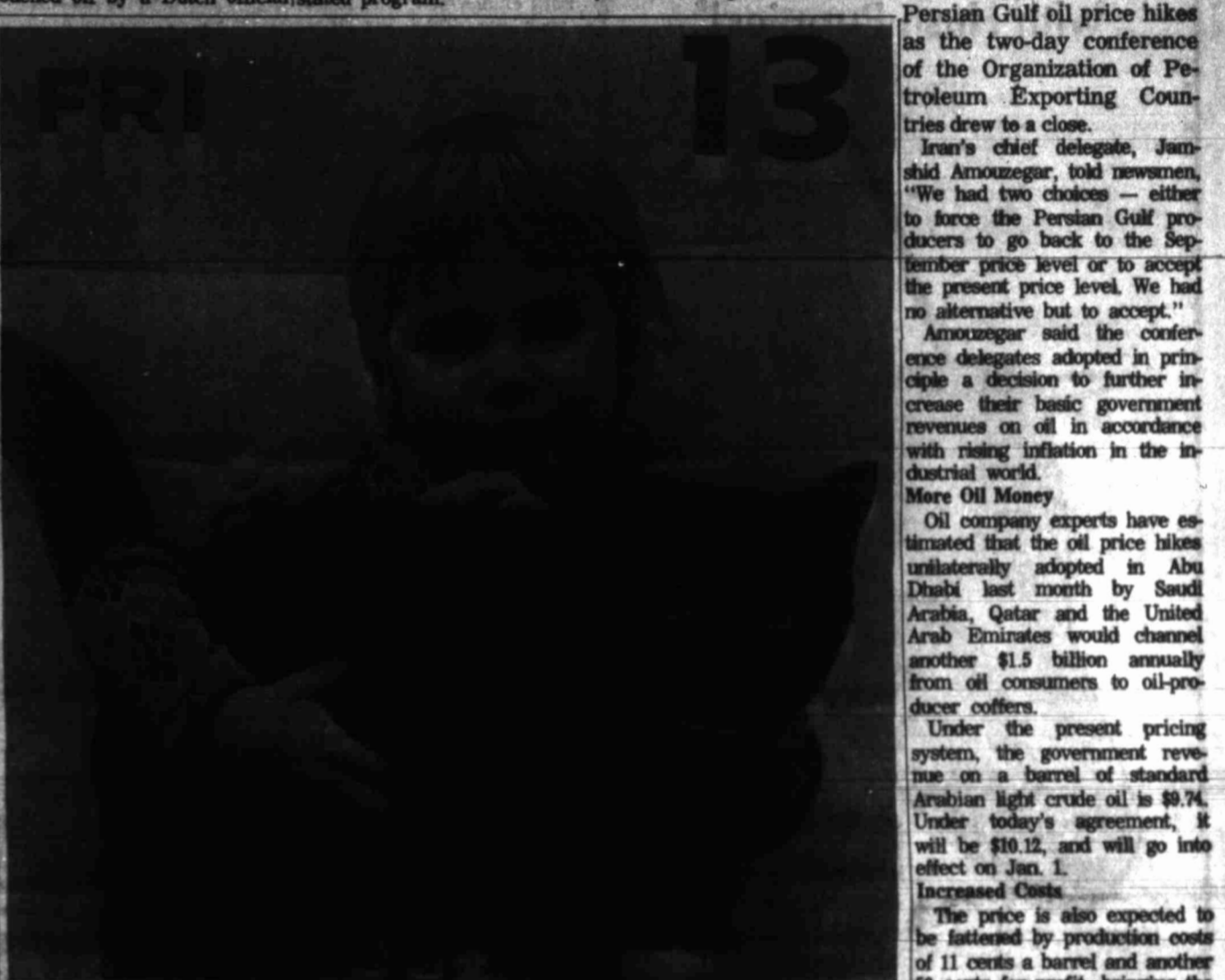
"The press built up a very extravagant image of us as the All-American family," Ford said. "I think it was really exaggerated. I started to feel inhibited about what I did because I was afraid I wouldn't fit in with the image."

Ford said one of the biggest conflicts he has felt is that he sometimes doesn't feel free to speak his mind openly because people assume he supports everything his father does.

"People take what I say as representing my father, but my Dad and I disagree on a lot of things," he said.

Ford said his private life comes first and his public role second.

"The country chooses a President, not a family," he said.



MAKES NO DIFFERENCE — Kelly Myers, 5, couldn't care less about today being Friday the 13th, a time when black cats, walking under ladders and other such omens of bad luck, are avoided by some, as she pets one of the homeless felines at the Midland Animal Shelter. Kelly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Myers.

Mother Nature Plans Some Friday The 13th Fireworks

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — If you suffer from triskaidekaphobia, today is not your day.

Triskaidekaphobia, is the fear of the number 13. And today is Friday the 13th, a day notorious with black cats, witches, broken mirrors and other infamous omens of bad luck.

The superstitious might be better off hiding under a bed today then venturing outside, because Mother Nature has planned a few fireworks of her own that might just send to the Franklin Institute. This yearly display of celestial fireworks is caused by the earth's spinning through a trail of debris that is believed to be the wake of a comet that probably no longer exists.

Here in Philadelphia, a group called the Friday the 13th Club, which was formed March 13, 1936, held its annual luncheon, flaunting the superstitions.



Days To Christmas

University President May Be Next Attorney General

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Ford reportedly has chosen Edward H. Levi, a university president described as a conservative Democrat, to be the next attorney general.

It was not clear whether Levi has agreed to leave his job as president of the University of Chicago to become Ford's first Cabinet appointment.

There were other signs that an influential member of the Senate Judiciary Committee was unhappy with the choice. But the response in the legal community was generally favorable.

Key Senate sources said Thursday that Ford intends to nominate Levi to succeed Atty. Gen. William B. Saxbe, scheduled for nomination as ambassador to India.

The White House announcement of Saxbe's nomination may come by the weekend, barring any last-minute snags.

The shake-up at the Justice Department would be the first of several Cabinet-level changes expected in the next few weeks as Ford responds to

pressure to install his own appointees in the place of holdovers from the Nixon administration.

Ford's nominee as attorney general must win Senate confirmation after Judiciary Committee hearings.

The initial congressional reaction was muted pending the official announcement. But an influential Judiciary Committee member, who declined to be identified, was unhappy with the choice and referred to Levi as a professor who has never practiced law a day in his life.

Both Illinois senators, Democrat Adlai E. Stevenson III and Republican Charles Percy, have a very high regard for Levi, their aides said. Percy is on the committee.

Asked Thursday night by a reporter for the Chicago Sun-Times whether he had been offered the Cabinet post by Ford,

Levi replied, "I think I should know more before I comment."

And when questioned about his view of the President, he said, "I think it is in my nature to be a hero worshipper."

Levi was met at Chicago's O'Hare International Airport on his return from New York.

The Chicago Tribune reported, meanwhile, that Levi has told colleagues he would not accept an offer to replace Saxbe.

The newspaper also said that Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman James O. Eastland, D-Miss., did not favor Levi's nomination because of his lack of trial experience and his involvement in a research project that came under Senate scrutiny in 1965.

Levi and associates at the University of Chicago's law school participated in a study of the American jury system that involved tape recording se-

cret grand jury proceedings. A but could not recall in which Senate Internal Security subcommittee headed by Eastland subsequently investigated the project.

In the airport interview, Levi said "I can't remember" when asked whether he is enrolled in a political party. He added that he was certain he had been registered to vote in the 1940s.

Levi, 63, was described by associates as a conservative Democrat and "a real scholar."

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YEOVILTON, England (AP)—The heir to the British throne, Prince Charles, has completed a three-month helicopter training course and was awarded a trophy as the student making the best progress.

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Reed Hadley, 63, the actor who played "Red Ryder" on radio during the 1940s, then went on to star in a number of television series, died Wednesday of a heart attack. His motion picture credits included "House on 22nd Street."

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Briscoe Denies Mental Illness

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe says his recent "most serious" illness cost him 20 pounds but tests "now look good."

Briscoe called a news conference Thursday to announce his proposal to give the Highway Department the functions of the Mass Transportation Commission.

First, he talked about his health. Doctors told him it was "temporary kidney failure." His weight plummeted from 213 to 193. More tests are scheduled Tuesday.

The governor also said there had been a revival of "rumors that I had something wrong with me mentally. I'd like to put those rumors to rest. I and my family have been most fortunate in that I've never had a mental health problem."

The rumors first surfaced during his 1972 gubernatorial campaign.

"There is absolutely no basis for such rumors," he said.

The assumption by the Highway Department of mass transit problems will help eliminate "costly duplication of effort," he said. He would not make this proposal to the legislature next month if he thought, as some have contended, built-in opposition to mass transit exists at the Highway Department, he said.

Briscoe also said he would propose that this new Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation should administer a federal program providing the state with \$40 million for mass transit in cities under 200,000 population. A program of state aid for larger cities will be proposed in about a week, he said.

On other topics, Briscoe said: —He does not deem it essential for any of the three new regents he will appoint next month for the University of Texas System to have an academic background or be a student. "I do not view that as a very important consideration," he said.

—State Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie will be appointed to a full six-year term when his present term expires early next year.

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DONATING TOYS—Members of Brownie Troop 65 at Fannin Elementary School, are among many persons who have donated toys to the annual Toys For Tots campaign here. Shown giving the toys to Capt. Allen Lowe, left and fireman Fred Gifford of the Midland Fire Department are, from left, Carolyn Taylor, Tracy Long and Kathleen Kelly.

Judge Restrains Sugar Firm From Cutting Profits Melon

DALLAS (AP) — A federal judge has granted a restraining order requested by the Hunt brothers of Dallas to keep Great Western United Corp. from declaring a dividend on its common stock.

Judge William M. Taylor Jr. said Thursday the order will be in effect until a hearing can be held at 9 a.m. Wednesday on a motion by Nelson Bunker Hunt and William Herbert for a preliminary injunction against Great Western United (GWU).

The Hunts sought the order after the GWU announced it was instructing its executive committee to meet Dec. 20 and declare a dividend to shareholders of \$2.92 1/4 per common share payable Jan. 15 to holders of record Dec. 31.

The company, which hasn't paid a regular dividend since 1971, says it is able to pay the dividend because of profits accrued primarily from its Great Western Sugar Co. because of soaring sugar prices.

Attorneys for the Hunts said GWU directors were making the dividend offer in an attempt to thwart a tender offer by the Hunts that would give them 51 per cent of the common stock and control of the company.

The Hunt brothers allege that present management of the corporation has issued improper and misleading news statements and letters to stockholders regarding a would-be stock dividend.

Judge Taylor granted the restraining order saying, "The idea is this company does not want this tender offer to go over. This type of press release is insufficient, incomplete."

The Hunts are sons of the late Texas oil billionaire H. L. Hunt.

Vet Given Bad Conduct Discharge For Wearing Wig To Hide War Wound

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Air Force Sgt. Jerome Verdi, who "came home from Vietnam on a stretcher," has been given a bad conduct discharge for disobeying an order to stop wearing a wig which hid a war wound.

A Lackland Air Force Base court-martial panel sentenced Verdi to a bad conduct discharge, reduced his rank to basic airman and fined him \$300.

The panel acted Thursday on punishment after finding Verdi guilty on Wednesday.

Appeal Automatic

An appeal for Verdi, 23, a lab technician at Wilford Hall Air Force Medical Center here, is automatic.

"In light of his war record and his job performance in the Air Force, I think it's one of the harshest sentences I've seen at Lackland," said Capt. H. Leonard Court, a defense attorney.

An Air Force spokesman, asked to characterize Verdi's reaction, said Verdi "was disappointed in the sentence and that he (Verdi) felt they were looking for an example as a deterrent to others so inclined."

"Stacking" Alleged

Gerald Goldstein, Verdi's civilian attorney, said after the punishment ruling that he has new evidence which shows command influence by Maj. Gen. Joph P. Flynn, the Lackland commander, "to stack" Verdi's court-martial panel against him.

Goldstein also said, "This man was given an honorable discharge when he came home from Vietnam on a stretcher. And now the Air Force gives a bad conduct discharge for wearing a wig that covers a war wound."

Verdi's one-inch-by-half-inch scar as a result of shrapnel did not become an issue until just before the end of the trial. A military dermatologist disclosed the existence of the wound and said he considered it a physical disfigurement.

Earlier testimony said that a person is permitted to wear a wig in the Air Force if he is bald or has a physical disfigurement. The dermatologist said Verdi's hair, "regardless of style, would not cover the wound."

Verdi, who wore the \$60 wig at his court-martial, had worn the wig about two years before he was ordered to remove it and to get his hair cut. His real hair is less than shoulder-length.

Goldstein said the case will be appealed through military channels and, if not reversed, will be thrust into the federal court system.

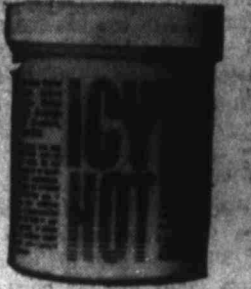
The new evidence about Flynn's alleged involvement in the court-martial panel, said Goldstein, will show that Flynn told a Nov. 8 staff meeting that court-martial panels at Lackland were too lenient and that an original panel assigned to the Verdi case was too liberal.

During Verdi's court-martial, repeated efforts by the prosecution to have Verdi remove his controversial wig were turned down by a military judge.

Verdi said afterwards that, besides the consideration for the war wound, he feels the Air Force hair regulations as "unconstitutional. This is what happens when you try to get regulations changed."

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Coming Events

Saturday
 Missionary Volunteer Society of the
 Brethren-day Adventist Church, 9 p.m.
 church.
 Mrs. Ellison Tamm, 1010 W. Texas
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 XI. P. Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma
 Tau, 7:30 p.m., Christmas party, 734
 St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church, 4 p.m.
 practice for St. Nicholas' pageant; 7:30
 p.m., B.Y.O.B. caroling, church.
 Point Dabbers, Arts and Crafts Festi-
 val, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Railroad Plaza
 Mall.

Classes' Party
 The Carrie Peyton Class and
 Men's Class of Asbury United
 Methodist Church will have a
 Christmas party at 7 p.m. today
 in the home of Mr. and Mrs.
 John Dorgan, 714 Mogford St.
 All members of the classes are
 urged to attend. Women are
 requested to take gifts for
 women and the men, gifts for
 men.

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Vegetable Prices Rising, But Nutritionally Worth It

By GAYNOR MADDOX

Newspaper Enterprise Association
 Prices of all vegetables will
 continue to go noticeably higher.
 That goes for those that are
 fresh, frozen and canned. Some
 of the reasons cited are higher
 costs for sugar, cans, fuel,
 transportation, labor, etc.

Fresh vegetables however,
 may be cheaper at times than
 frozen or canned, particularly
 for short periods when they are
 in good supply. Compare prices
 and then decide which to buy
 the day you shop. As a rule,
 root vegetables will be cheaper.

Root vegetables include car-
 roots, potatoes, onions, celery,
 beets, rutabagas and turnips.
 Ray Seelig, the highly esteemed
 consultant in information of the
 United Fresh Fruit and
 Vegetable Assn., a non-profit
 outfit in Washington, D.C., com-
 ments on some root vegetables:

"Rutabagas from Canada
 have an amazing food value and
 give a zip to the meal. Our
 grandparents used them con-
 stantly. They have no fat and
 only 35 calories per 3-12-ounce
 serving. Unlike other large
 vegetables, the very large size
 does not taste woody. You prob-
 ably will find them a better
 buy than some of the more
 fancy vegetables.

"Turnips are high in iron,
 particularly their greens. Cook

the greens separately — and
 not too long. The white turnip
 with the purple base is the most
 popular in America.

"Sweet potatoes, those with
 the soft red flesh, are an amaz-
 ing health value and a
 particularly delicious one. They
 are high in vitamin A with some
 C and iron. Do you realize that
 in some poor countries people
 live on sweet potatoes almost
 entirely?

"White potatoes are another
 health treasure. Their protein
 is of the top grade. People can
 almost thrive on a diet of
 potatoes too" Seelig says.

He adds, "Incidentally,
 dehydrated prepared potatoes,
 either for mashed or other
 dishes, are actually cheaper
 than fresh potatoes. But the
 processing destroys many of the
 vitamins. Remember this when
 planning a balanced meal.

Vitamin Storehouse
 "Carrots are a storehouse of
 vitamin A, the vitamin usually
 short in the American diet. One
 carrot provides 11,000 units of
 vitamin A whereas the RDA calls
 for only 5,000. Many people like
 to eat them raw. But don't eat
 too many that way. They are
 hard to digest uncooked."

Seelig points out that beets
 today are usually all canned.
 Celery has little nutritional
 value but everyone enjoys its
 crackling sound and celery helps
 clean teeth and stimulates the
 gums. Leeks and shallots are
 of the onion family and great
 flavor enhancers. Onions almost
 everybody loves. Celery root, or
 celeriac, is a large root of the
 celery plant used as a vegetable
 in many European countries.

As to the prices of fresh
 vegetables in comparison with
 frozen and canned, Donald
 Kuryloski, chief of the vegetable
 branch of Agricultural
 Marketing Service of the
 Department of Agriculture,
 says:

"Most of the vegetables grown
 today are produced in highly
 specialized areas. They require
 much handling. Think of all the
 other factors that enter into get-
 ting them fresh to your table —
 protective packaging and
 bags, the fertilizer, the
 petroleum for trucks, and, of
 course, rising costs of labor.
 Take carrots, for example. The
 wrappers for each bunch of car-
 roots cost almost as much as
 the carrots themselves. People
 want clean colorful carrots but
 they must pay for them."

Adelines Quartet Presents Program To Chapter

A quartet of the Desert Winds
 Chapter of Sweet Adelines
 carols at a meeting Monday
 of the Tall City Chapter,
 American Business Women's
 Association, in the Bonanza
 Sirloin Pit.

The quartet was introduced
 by Mrs. Paulette Inscore.
 Presiding was Mrs. Mae
 Batocum. Mrs. Alta Gray gave
 the invocation and Mrs. Claude
 Mills led the pledge.

Mrs. Alma Norman, mineral

lease specialist with University
 Lands, presented the vocational
 report. She spots new locations
 of oil wells, makes maps on
 all water flood units and sends
 monthly reports to Austin on
 acreage acquired and relin-
 quished by University Lands.

A report was given on the
 success of the chapter's recent
 Christmas bazaar. Winners of
 prizes donated by Hutch's
 Smoke House and M System
 were Dr. B. J. Cook and Mrs.
 Lottie Barbes.

JoAnna Webb, administrative

check for University Lands, was
 installed as a new member.

It was announced the chapter
 is sponsoring scholarships for
 Mrs. Roger Patterson, Odessa
 College student, and Mrs. Dottie
 Robinson, who is attending the
 University of Houston.

Edna Kidd was introduced as
 a guest.

Mrs. Jeanice Bulka was nam-
 ed chairman of the chapter's
 Bazaar Night banquet to be held
 in February. A regional meeting
 of ABWA is planned for April
 4-6 in Amarillo.

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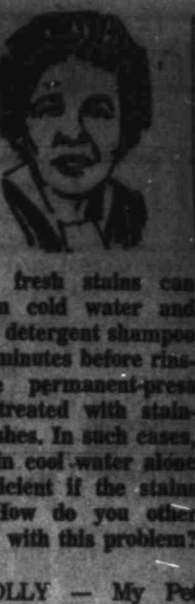
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POLLY'S POINTERS
Punch Stains
Are The Problem

By POLLY CRAMER
Housewife's Magazine Contributor

Polly's Problem
DEAR POLLY — I would like to know how to remove punch and coffee stains from tablecloths treated with that protective covering applied to furniture, etc., to repel stains. — MRS. E.C.M.

DEAR MRS. E.C.M. — The commercial finish you mention is a stain repellent to keep stains from penetrating, so you might try a laundry pre-treat



spray. Also, fresh stains can be soaked in cold water and then in liquid detergent shampoo for about 15 minutes before rinsing. Some permanent-press fabrics are treated with stain-resistant finishes. In such cases, the soaking in cool water alone may be sufficient if the stains are fresh. How do you other readers cope with this problem? — POLLY.

DEAR POLLY — My Pot Pieve concerns ladies' slacks. So many of us wish they would make a length between regular and tall sizes. I find the regular length is too short and the tall too long so they always have to be shortened. Also, tall sizes cost about a dollar more. — MRS. R.S.

DEAR POLLY — Children's shoes are now so expensive and their feet grow so fast but I do not like to buy shoes too large and loose for them. If I buy a slightly larger size, I make them comfortable by inserting a foam inner-sole and as the child's foot grows the sole can be removed and the shoes worn for a longer time. This also helps to keep the inside fresh. Do not worry about finding the proper size of inner-sole but buy an adult size and trim it to fit.

This also works well for my own shoes. If one size seems too tight and the next too loose, I put such soles in the larger size shoe and they usually fit nicely. This extra foam padding is heavenly to walk on. — NANCY.

DEAR POLLY — If it is a custom at your house to string popcorn for the Christmas tree, do not string it just after popping. Wait four or five hours, when it is softer and find it does not crack apart when being strung. — MARY T.

DEAR POLLY — It is so hard to clean those silverware trays we use for our everyday cutlery. One can scrub and scrub and all the black does not seem to come off so I decided to try a pre-laundry stain spray and to my surprise, when I washed the tray it was clean as brand new. — NELMA.

DEAR POLLY — When addressing Christmas or other greeting cards and you ruin an envelope, do not waste the card. Seal open edges together with clear tape, address the back and mail first class. It will look somewhat like a glorified post card. — MRS. M. W.

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CADETTE BOUTIQUE — Edna Hibbits, left, and Susie Kirkpatrick were among members of Girl Scout Cadette Troop 56 participating in a tasting tea and boutique held recently at St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church. Guests sampled more than 30 dishes prepared with troop members' favorite recipes. Crafts ranging from patchwork pillows to macrame items were sold. Adult leaders of the troop are Mrs. Richard Westlake and Mrs. Paul Davis Jr.

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Women

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**Angel Christmas Choir Presents
Program For Fine Arts Club**

The Angel Choir of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity presented the program at the Fine Arts Club's Christmas party Wednesday in the Midland Woman's Club.

Mrs. Harold Heckathorne, choir director of the church, was introduced by Mrs. John Hampton, program chairman. Mrs. Heckathorne, pianist, accompanied the choir as it sang "The Story of Christmas" by Mrs. Jane Clancy Huddleston.

Guests were Mrs. Edward Alstrin, Mrs. Ronald Britton, Helen Giffert, Mrs. Verne Dwyer and Mrs. Huddleston.

A business session was conducted by Mrs. Charles Hicks, president. The club collect was led by Mrs. John E. Cross. Mrs. Yale E. Key gave the Woman's Club report.

Members of the hospitality committee were hostesses to the tea hour, with Mrs. William N. Sands and Mrs. E. H. Barron serving. The table was decorated with red and white candelabra.

**Captain Vincent
Study Club Guest**

The Progressive Study Club met Wednesday in the Midland Woman's Club.

Midland "graffiti" is the club theme for the year and, in connection with that, Mrs. John Terry introduced Capt. Robert Vincent, commanding officer of the Salvation Army in Midland. Captain Vincent discussed his role in the "army" and the responsibility and relation it has to our community. Members presented him with gifts to be distributed at Christmas.

Following the program, Mrs. Thomas P. Ingram, president, conducted a brief business session.

Guests introduced were Mrs. J. C. Lawrence and Mrs. Loyd Zellner, former club members, and Mrs. Bill Collins.

Mrs. H. C. Jones and Mrs. John E. Reid were hostesses.

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**Newtimers Club
Meets For Party**

The Midland Newtimers Club had its annual Christmas party Tuesday in the Elks Club.

Elected to the executive board for January through June terms were: Mrs. W. A. Gillett, president; Mrs. James Lowe, vice president; Mrs. Edward Walger, secretary, and Mr. Robert Jeffries, treasurer. Mrs. Robert Bechtel will continue to serve as hospitality chairman, and Mrs. Alvin Ochs as news reporter.

Officers for the coming six months will be Mrs. Alfred Baker, Mrs. Gene Conley and Mrs. J. W. Fitzgerald. Mrs. J. T. Gist will be co-ordinator.

Bridge winners at the party were Mrs. R. L. Cathriner, first; Mrs. Leonard White, second; and Mrs. Thomas Willson, third. The special prize went to Mrs. Lewis McGuire.

Residents interested in playing bridge are invited to make reservations with Mrs. Lowe, 694-6724.

**Parents' Group
Announces Events**

Midland Chapter No. 32 of Parents Without Partners will have a covered dish supper and Christmas party for members and their children at 7 p.m. Dec. 20 in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Trinity. Admission will be a covered dish.

The chapter also is planning to attend a party at 9 p.m. Dec. 21 to be given by the Odessa chapter in Barn A at the Ector County Coliseum.

WACS
WASHINGTON (AP) — Many more job specialties, formerly for men only, have been opened up to members of the Women's Army Corps. They are field communications and electronics equipment mechanic, telephone installer and lineman, cable splicer, structures expert, tire repairman, terminal operations specialist and diver.

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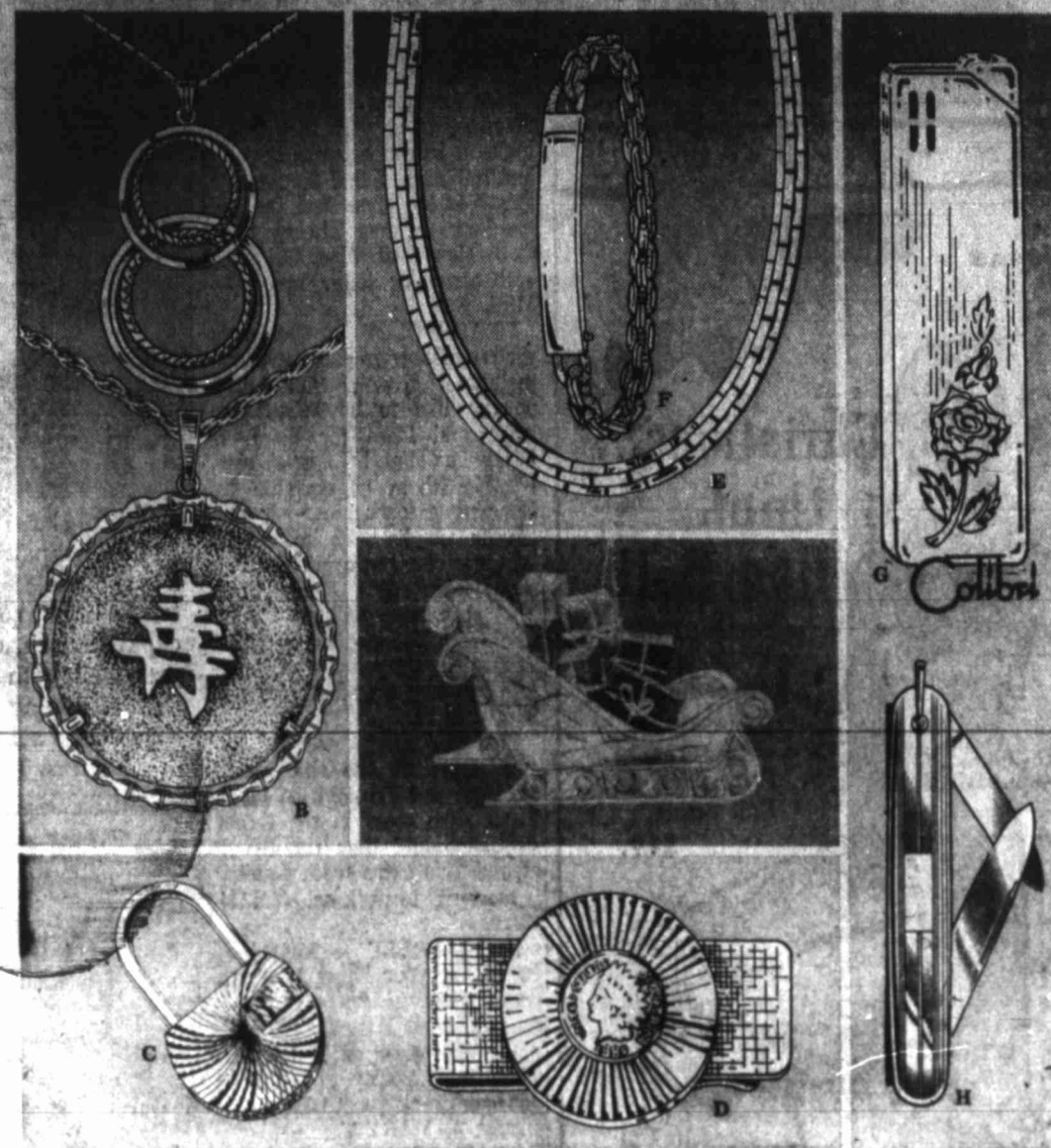
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Holiday Party Held By Group

Mrs. Keith Somerville and Mrs. Max Brown, Mrs. Bill Anders were hostesses to a Christmas party, bridge and luncheon held Tuesday by the SCS Club in the Midland Woman's Club. The bridge winners were Mrs. Berry, high; Mrs. Ed Thomas, second, and Mrs. Somerville, president. Guests were Mrs. Lar-

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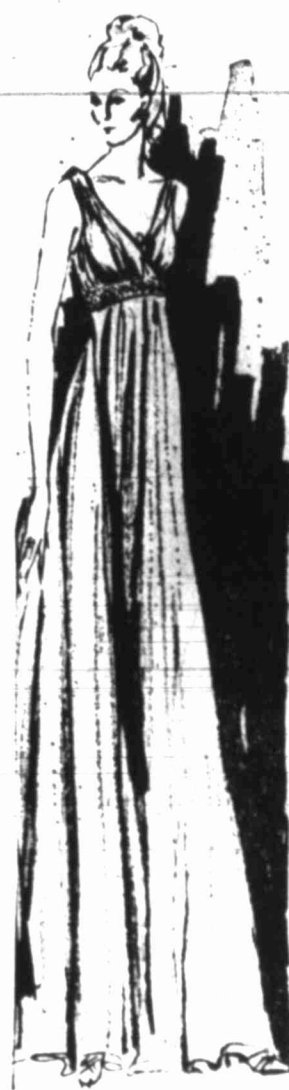
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CHRISTMAS DANCE — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Terry, left, and Mr. and Mrs. William Phares are photographed during the recent annual Christmas dance of the Union Oil Wives Club held at Rodeway Inn.

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Dear Abby

—By Abigail van Buren

'Dirty Gertie' Polluting Office

DEAR ABBY: I suppose every office has its own "Dirty Gertie," but I'll put ours up against the best (or the worst) of them.

Dirty Gertie always has a dirty joke, a filthy limerick, or some kind of sexy gag to pass around the office. I'm a married woman, and I'm certainly no prude, but there are some young unmarried employees here who have been embarrassed half to death by some of the dirty stuff Gertie has come up with.

Dirty Gertie has seniority here. She's competent, and knows where all the bones are buried, so there's no getting rid of her.

Is there some way I can let her know that everybody doesn't love a dirty joke? If you print this in your column, I'll stick it on her spindle.

J AT THE OFFICE

DEAR J: Consider this my contribution toward fighting office pollution.

DEAR ABBY: You always say if you get it off your chest, you'll feel better, so I'm going to try it.

I've been married for seven months and I have heard that the first year is the hardest, and I believe it!

Let me start at the beginning. I started dating when I was 14, so by the time I met my future husband I had had quite a lot of experience—to say the least.

I was afraid to tell my husband about my past, so I said there had been only one guy before him. I know it was wrong to lie, but didn't want him to think I was a "bad" girl.

We live in a small town where everybody knows everybody else's past, so he found out about mine pretty fast. He told me he could have forgiven me for the things I had done with other guys, but he doesn't think a liar deserves to be forgiven. This all came out two months ago, and we've been fighting about it ever since. Last night he flared up again and demanded that I confess everything.

I don't think I can do it, Abby. He swears that if I tell him everything, he will forgive me and forget it, but I'm afraid he won't. Please help me.

A NERVOUS WRECK

DEAR NERVOUS: The word from here is to tell him that

Algebra Teacher Sews At Home

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — Their neighbors refer to them as the odd couple because he sews and she takes bartender lessons. But Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartz take it all in stride. "It's not a real hobby," said Hartz, who, with his wife, makes many of the clothes they and their five children wear. "I just do it mainly for fun and to help Lucille. We go into stores and see something we'd like, but done a little differently or something we think is too expensive, so we go home and make it."

When he is not sewing, Hartz teaches algebra at a community college.

Uniform Size

To make meat balls uniform in size, pat the ground beef into a flat cake and cut with metal ice cube tray divider. They make just the right size balls when rolled.

Luncheon Honors Towers Auxiliary

A Christmas luncheon honoring members of the Trinity Towers Auxiliary was held Wednesday, with Mrs. Clyde Haden in charge of arrangements.

Auxiliary members were welcomed by Clyde Haden, Trinity Towers administrator. He expressed appreciation to the group for the holiday decorations for Trinity Towers.

Mrs. V. C. Maley, auxiliary director, encouraged the volunteers to attend a January meeting to hear a discussion on the recent Seminar on Aging held in Odessa. Representing Trinity Towers were Mrs. Raymond Waugh, Mrs. Jacob Williams and Mrs. Maley.

A special invitation was extended to the group and guests to attend a program of "The Listening Hour" for Trinity Towers to be held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday. Mrs. John Reid will present a review of Truman Capote's book, "A Christmas Memory."

New auxiliary members attending the luncheon were Mrs. T. L. Bond, Mrs. Lewis Davis, Mrs. Esther J. Hodge, Mrs. Arthur W. Jones, Mrs. James Kerr, Mrs. Arby Koons, Mrs. Charles W. McGill, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Redding, Mrs. Ernest Sparks, Mrs. George Seiler, Mrs. W. M. Stanley and Mrs. J. P. Wilkinson.

Officers for 1975 of the auxiliary are Mrs. Maley, director; Mrs. Reid, co-director; Mrs. Harold C. Dewlen, recording secretary; Mrs. Max Combs, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Conrad Reeves, treasurer.

the past is dead and buried, and the way to forget it is to leave it buried.

DEAR ABBY: The other day I went alone to a very nice restaurant and was seated at a table.

I had no more than ordered when a man at the next table lit a cigar.

I leaned over and politely said to him, "I'd appreciate it if you didn't smoke that cigar now as it bothers me."

He leaned toward me and whispered back, "That cheap perfume you're wearing bothers ME and I lit the cigar to counteract it."

Abby, I am a man and I do not use perfume.

Under the circumstances, what would you have done?

TONGUE-TIED

DEAR TIED: I'd have asked the captain to move either me or the cigar smoker.

DEAR ABBY: The company I work for moved to new quarters this week. On the first day, some smart aleck kept interchanging the rest rooms' signs all morning. You can imagine the embarrassment it caused. (There are two men in the office I'll never be able to look in the face again.)

When I complained to the boss, he said he thought it was a very funny joke. What do you think about "jokes" like this?

STARTLED STENO

DEAR STARTLED: Vulgar! Tell your boss if any more such "jokes" are pulled at the office, you might be "interchanging" jobs.

Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY in care of this newspaper. Enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

Perennial Club Has Yule Program

A Christmas program was presented at a meeting Tuesday of the Perennial Garden Club in Ranchland Hill Country Club.

Tommie Smith, president, welcomed members and guests. Participating on the program were Mrs. O. J. Hughey, invocation; Mrs. R. J. Pinkerton, "Sounds of Christmas;" Mrs. W. C. May, "Joy of Christmas;" Mrs. Kay Sprecher, "Christmas Giving;" Helene Miley, "December;" Hazel Lyles, "What Is Christmas?"; Maria Spencer, "Thoughts of Christmas;" and Gustava Easley, "The Christmas Package."

Mrs. Joe Chastain and Mrs. J. Wayne Campbell were program chairmen. Mrs. Campbell presented the legends of the poinsettia and the herb, lavender. She also discussed herbs and spices mentioned in the Bible.

Recipient of the special prize was Mrs. R. J. Pinkerton. Miss Easley won the prize for the most decorated Christmas package.

Mrs. Earl Ray was a guest.

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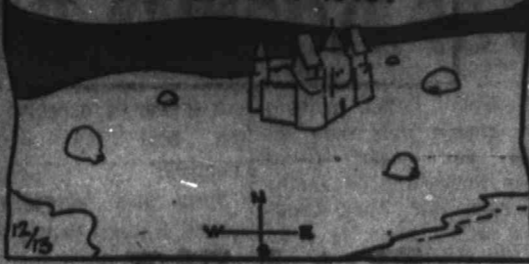
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Texas Oil Firm Limiting Gasoline Sales

ROANOKE, Va. (AP) — A Texas oil company which generally undercuts the so-called big brands of gasoline has limited its company-owned Kayo stations in the Roanoke area to pumping approximately 2,500 gallons of gas a day.

But, a spokesman for Continental Oil Co. of Houston, a joint owner of Southern Facilities Inc., said there is no shortage.

Allan Amston of Continental's public information department said in a telephone interview that "We are limiting the stations so that, with the lower prices, they won't sell out during the first part of the month. We are still on allocations."

But, Amston added, Continental, which has a good supply of low-cost domestic oil rather than using large quantities of foreign oil, is a bit concerned by what the federal government might do in the future.

Donald E. Chaney of Roanoke, who supervises 10 Kayo stations in Roanoke, Christiansburg, Collinsville and Greenville, said the price of regular is 46.9 cents a gallon, except at Martinsville, where it is 46.9.

Amston emphasized that the restriction on daily sales, which he says is not really a cutback in monthly allocation, applies only to Continental's 600 Kayo stations.

Independent wholesalers, who buy their gasoline from the same Southern Facilities terminal at Montvale, Va., are on an allocation, he said, but the wholesaler decides how his stations operate.

Restrictions Needed
Thomas Owens, who handles allocations for all Kayo stations out of his Chattanooga, Tenn., headquarters, said that Southern Facilities has to supply wholesale customers their monthly allocation "and, if we turned Kayo loose, they would clean out the terminal in a hurry."

"We are in a class by ourselves," Owens explained, "and no one wants to wind up being closed the last part of the month."

He said the restriction could result in some Kayo stations working a six-day week and

"they might close on Wednesdays." In Roanoke, Chaney said that his information comes out of the Chattanooga office "and I would hate to have to lay anyone off."

Owens said deliveries to Mon-

trials were 95 per cent of the 1973 base period in November but down to 85 per cent for December. He emphasized, however, that this is still more than the stations have gotten in some months and is not a shortage.

13 Indicted In Securities Swindle

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A massive securities swindle which allegedly bilked millions of dollars and a financial wizard out of \$100 million has resulted in a "grand indictment" against 13 persons.

Robert S. Trippett, the Oklahoma lawyer who founded Home-State Production Co. was indicted Thursday by a federal grand jury along with 12 former officers and associates of the now-bankrupt firm.

The 39-count indictment outlined an elaborate confidence game which lured investors into an oil-drilling program, promising tax shelters and reasonable returns on their investments. The government said the scheme funneled millions into the pockets of Trippett and other principals in Home-State.

Top entertainers and businessmen invested and lost hundreds of thousands of dollars. Even George J. W. Goodman, who writes books on investment advice under the name "Adam Smith," invested \$110,000.

Singer Andy Williams invested \$330,000 and legendary lightward Jack Benny put in \$300,000.

Comedian Buddy Hackett, a \$200,000 victim, said, "I just tell jokes. My lawyers and accountants look into these things and explain them to me in baby talk. If it sounds okay, we go ahead."

Other celebrity investors were singer Liza Minnelli, \$331,000; actor Walter Matthau, \$200,000; actress Barbra Streisand, \$28,500; TV hostess Barbara Walters, \$28,500; rock star Bob Dylan, \$78,000; singer Bob

Gentry, \$68,000; and TV producer John Goodell, \$107,000.

Political investors included New York Sen. Jacob K. Javits, \$28,500, and South Carolina Sen. Ernest F. Hollings, \$18,000.

The government said Trippett and his associates told investors their money was going into oil production in California. The indictment said that when inquisitive investors asked to see the oil fields, they were taken to fields where Home-State fabricated "the appearance of active oil drilling operations . . . in order to deceive visiting investors into believing that the operations were progressing smoothly."

The 87-page indictment cited 55 separate overt acts which it said were committed in a conspiracy to defraud the U.S. government. He blamed the Service and the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The 13 defendants were charged with conspiracy, fraud in the sale of securities, false statements in registration of securities, mail fraud, aiding and assisting the preparation of false income tax returns and making false declarations before the grand jury.

The government said that only a small part of the money obtained from some 2,000 investors was used for actual production of oil.

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Light Quake Jolts Central Arkansas

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — A small earthquake, registering 3.3 on the Richter Scale at St. Louis University, shook portions of Central Arkansas Thursday night, prompting several telephone calls to law enforcement agencies. But, no damage or injury was reported.

St. Louis University seismologists said the earthquake was centered in the Pine Bluff-Stuttgart area at 11:00 p.m.

One observer at St. Louis said it occurred in the Ouachita Fault area, "which is kind of unusual for an earthquake."

The National Weather Service said early today it had received no damage reports "and none are expected as this is a very light earthquake."

Scouts Conduct Court Of Honor

Scout Troop 158, sponsored by St. Paul United Methodist Church, held a Court of Honor recently in the church.

Scouts receiving advancement awards were Jeff Woods and Darryl Gray, second class; Glenn Young, Darin Green, Alan Morgan, Jeff Turner and Randy Young, tenderfoot.

Merit badges were presented to Green, Randy Young, Glenn Young, Gray, James Hayes, Jeff Woods and Alan Morgan.

G. J. Robertson, scoutmaster, and Paul Crenshaw, assistant scoutmaster, presented the awards.

Butz Confident He'll Retain Post

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP) — Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz says he does not expect to be replaced next month in a cabinet reshuffle. At a news conference Thursday, Butz said although he is 65, "It's a young 65. I don't want to stay on until senility becomes as obvious as it is in some other places in Washington."

Butz was in Grand Rapids for the annual meeting of the Michigan Farm Bureau Federation.

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Most Israelis Now Expect Another War Against Arabs Within Months

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Public opinion polls show that Israelis no longer discuss whether there will be another Arab-Israeli war. They discuss when it will happen: in a few weeks, in months or in a year or two.

"The majority of Israelis believe that war is imminent," says Prof. Louis Guttman of the Israel Institute of Applied Social Research, which runs surveys on public opinion in Israel, interviewing 500 persons each week.

ask if war is expected "within the next few weeks or months?" Syria has agreed to the United Nations peace force remaining on the Golan Heights front until next May, but many Israelis think the next round of fighting could erupt in that area.

Premier Yitzhak Rabin said in a newspaper interview that renewed fighting with Syria is "a realistic possibility" in 1975.

Israeli forces have recently completed building a massive line of fortifications along the Golan Heights at a reported cost of \$50 million.

Many Israelis believe that before peace can come to the Middle East, a solution to the problem of the Palestinian refugees must be found. But Israel has said repeatedly it will not negotiate with the Palestine Liberation Organization of Yasser Arafat, who called at the United Nations in New York last month for a secular state of Palestine to replace Israel.

Guttman says that according to his institute's findings, most Israelis do not think peaceful coexistence is feasible with a new Palestine state alongside Israel, and a majority of the country believes the PLO is out to destroy the Jewish state.

WHERE'S THE FIRE? — Donald Hoppe, police chief at Darien, Wis., demonstrates his carside manner. Hoppe is Walworth County's most prolific ticket writer and issues more speeding tickets than all of the county's 78 fulltime police officers and sheriff's deputies combined. (AP Wirephoto.)

Israelis Round Up Guerrilla Suspects

(Continued From Page 1A) Officials said four Israeli jets killed — and 17 other persons wounded. It was Israel's reply to a terrorist grenade attack in a Tel Aviv movie theater Wednesday night in which the terrorist, a British engineer and an Israeli woman were killed and 58 other persons were wounded.

The Israeli state radio said about five rockets were fired at Safad and the nearby village of Meron. There were no casualties and no damage, and an hour later Israeli artillery returned the fire, the broadcast said.

Wafa, the Palestine guerrilla news agency in Beirut, claimed that military installations were hit. Reports from South Lebanon said the return Israeli fire hit the town of Nabatiyeh, which has a population of both Lebanese and Palestinians.

The air attack Thursday was the first in the immediate vicinity of the Lebanese capital, although Israel has staged commando raids in the city itself and on the Beirut airport.

An Israeli official said the target was a building between two refugee camps about three miles north of the Beirut airport. He said the building was a guerrilla training center and base for special operations.

Lebanese and Palestinian officials said four Israeli jets roared out of low clouds shortly after 3 p.m. and opened fire on the Sabra and Shatilla camps. Strafing, rocket and bomb runs continued for seven minutes. The guerrillas claimed two of the planes were shot down, but Israel said all the aircraft returned safely.

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DIETRICH CAMP, Alaska (AP) — Fire swept through a kitchen-mess hall at a trans-Alaska pipeline camp north of the Yukon River and caused \$500,000 damage, a spokesman for Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. said.

There were no reports of injuries. Water service to one-fourth of the camp's living area was knocked out Thursday and about 80 of the camp's 200 men were transferred temporarily to another construction camp.

An Alyeska spokesman said a recreation hall and theater room, as well as a supply warehouse trailer unit attached to the kitchen, also were consumed by the flames.

Mickey Mouse Loses Appeal

NEW BRAUNFELS, Tex. (AP) — Backers of Mickey Mouse have lost their bid to have their votes count in an election for county judge in Comal County in South Texas.

District Judge Robert Pfeuffer rejected a motion for a recount of the write-in votes to include those cast for Mickey Mouse.

Precinct officials had argued before the judge that Mickey Mouse was not a bona fide candidate because he had not been a resident of Comal County for six months before the election.

The judge ruled in their favor.

Little-Known Mardian Starts Cover-Up Defense

WASHINGTON (AP) — For 2 1/2 months, Robert C. Mardian has been listening and taking notes while testimony at the Watergate cover-up trial swirled around his better known codefendants.

Senate Confirms Seamans, Anders

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has confirmed the appointment of Robert C. Seamans Jr. as chief of the new Energy Research and Development Administration. Seamans, 56, is a former Air Force secretary and deputy administrator of the space agency.

The Energy Research and Development Administration was created to coordinate U.S. energy policy. The Atomic Energy Commission was abolished, and its responsibilities were divided between the new administration and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

The Senate on Thursday also approved by voice vote and without debate the nomination of former astronaut William A. Anders as a member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Youth Arrested In Station Theft

A 16-year-old Midland youth was arrested Thursday by police in the theft Wednesday of more than \$200 in cash from an Andrews Highway service station.

Juvenile officers said the youth has been turned over to the custody of his parents, and complete restitution has been made to the service station.

Man, 25, Charged In Ty Set Theft

A 25-year-old Midland man has been arrested and charged with the theft of a television set after police learned the set was pawned at an Odessa pawn shop.

Charged with theft over \$200 is James Roger Hayes of the Midland Highway House. Hayes remained in custody at city jail today in lieu of \$4,000 bond after his arrest Thursday.

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Ervin, a North Carolina Democrat, is retiring from the Senate next month. He was chairman of the former Senate Watergate committee.

The Ervin bill would require the president and vice president to file yearly reports listing their full federal, state and local taxes and identifying all assets, liabilities and sources of income.

It would set up a permanent special prosecutor, give Congress a full-time legal office and stiffen penalties for a wide variety of campaign crimes.

In 23 proposed additions or changes to existing law, the Ervin bill seeks to stop political dirty tricks and campaign spying, the use of the Internal Revenue Service for political purposes and the use of government agencies to help an incumbent president win re-election.

It attempts to depoliticize the Justice Department by bringing all of its employees, including the attorney general, under the Hatch Act. That law prohibits political activity by federal employees.

All of the provisions of the Ervin bill were recommended in the Senate Watergate committee's final report.

Westside Lions Host Santa Claus

Santa Claus was a special guest Thursday night at the annual Christmas party of the Midland Westside Lions Club at the Elks Club.

It was a ladies night function, with members of the Lioness 700 Club attending.

The Rev. Elbert L. Smithen, pastor of Bellview Baptist Church, was the speaker. He was introduced by Russell Withrow.

Dinner music was furnished by Mr. Polly Bynum, club sweetheart, and her daughter, Paula Bynum. President Bob Drummond introduced the guests, including Deputy District Gov. and Mrs. Paul Boseman.

Mrs. Nell Drummond was cited specifically for her outstanding work with the Lioness 700 Club.

Gifts were distributed by Past District Gov. and Mrs. Tom Nipp.

Hernandez Draws 30-Year Sentence On Heroin Charge

Margarito Gomez Hernandez has been found guilty of the unlawful delivery of heroin to a state narcotics agent by a 142nd District Court Jury and assessed a 30-year sentence.

The jury reached its verdict Thursday afternoon, and Judge Perry Pickett assessed punishment early today.

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CAUGHT BY CURIOSITY — A young onlooker at a house fire in Topeka, Kan., got his head caught in an overpass railing and started screaming for help. Here firemen take time out from fighting the blaze to extricate him from his predicament. (AP Wirephoto.)

needed by the four NATO nations. Some officials privately hint that Air Force Secretary John L. McLucas may have made some informal suggestions on possible cooperation with the French when he visited Paris last fall. There was no French reaction to whatever McLucas proposed, officials said.

The Pentagon will make its choice between Northrop and General Dynamics in mid-January. Only then can the four allies make their decision.

At stake are not only sales contracts from the four nations, but spare parts for years to come and the possibility of selling the same plane to other allies and to such other nations as Iran, Israel and Japan. Some experts estimate that a total of 3,000 planes might be sold in addition to the 350

pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor charge of not testifying fully in the Senate's IIT hearings, was Mardian's first witness Thursday. He testified after Ehrlichman rested his case.

The former attorney general, now a lawyer in private practice, said Liddy asked him to intercede in the case but he declined to do so.

Mardian, in previous testimony, denied making the telephone call, which the government says was the first over Kleindienst, who since has act in the conspiracy.

Gloomy Retail Figures Good News For Consumers

By DONALD C. BAUDER
Copley News Service
Merry Christmas, Mr. Consumer.

Sooner than most economists had expected, there are clear signs that the back of inflation is going to be broken. That is, retail sales figures reported the other day were very, very gloomy. The recession is deepening faster than expected. Consumers are curtailing their buying. But this probably means that retailers, who have been used to sell merchandise even at cutting prices the last month or so, are going to have to reduce prices even more sharply.

Their only other alternative is to "carry" the inventory—store it somewhere

and try to sell it later on. But with interest rates very high, that's very expensive. While different retailers will attack the problem differently, the odds are today that there will be more drastic price-cutting beginning very soon.

The odds favor a forced inventory liquidation by retailers because the nation's leading retailer, Sears, Roebuck & Co., is showing unmistakable signs that it intends to continue cutting prices. And other retailers cannot ignore what Sears, a very feisty and potent competitor, is doing.

A Sears executive said in Chicago, "Figures indicate that consumers are planning what they spend very carefully."

"Now, all retailers who are vying for the consumer dollar

will be on the spot, because competition is the hallmark of the retail industry, and this competition is most evident during the Christmas sales period.

"This year in particular, this competition will work to the benefit of consumers, but probably not to our benefit. Already, the rest of the retail trade looks upon us as the villains." (By villains, those competitors mean "price cutters.")

The stark awareness that consumers have sharply curtailed spending has rattled across the lickerpates from myriad locations.

In Washington, the Commerce Department reported that retail sales were down 1.8 per cent above the previous week, and were up only 2 per cent above

the same week a year earlier. That means that retail sales, when compared with the same week last year, were actually down 19 per cent when corrected for 12 per cent inflation.

Thus far this year, retail sales have been up an average of 7 per cent (or down 5 per cent after inflation) and for the four most recent weeks they have been up 4 per cent (or down 8 per cent after inflation.) Clearly, consumer spending is plunging sharply.

Also, the Federal Reserve Board in Washington reported that the growth in consumer credit in October was the smallest in four years. The Fed attributed this slowdown largely to very sluggish auto sales.

But the most amazing figures were the November sales

figures released by retailers. For almost all large retailers, after adjustment for inflation, November sales were down from November of 1973.

To be sure, the retailers' unadjusted figures were not up sharply, partly because Thanksgiving was late in 1974, compared with November of 1973.

However, a compensating factor in the other direction is that most retailers had more stores open in November of this year than in November of 1973. For instance, Sears' November 1974 sales were up only 2.4 per cent from 1973. However, economists generally feel that Sears' "expansion factor"—or the rate at which the company is opening stores—is 3 to 4

per cent. Thus, Sears' sales were down after expansion—and down even more (by an additional 10 to 12 per cent) after inflation.

Similarly, November sales for Walgreen, the Midwest drug chain, were up 9.4 per cent from 1973. But Walgreen had 673 stores this year versus 632 last year.

The expansion factor plus 10 to 12 per cent inflation wipes out the gain.

Woolworth November sales were up only 6 per cent; J. C. Penney 3.9; Zayre, a discounter, 0.8; Vornado, a discounter, 4.8 and Montgomery Ward 11.6. Ward's chairman, Edward S. Donnell, said November sales exceeded indications.

Folk Wisdom Makes Them Quiver

By DOUGLAS TUNNELL
Copley News Service

NEW YORK — Theodore Fagan, chief interpreter at the United Nations, takes a deep breath every time a touch of wisdom is injected into the precise language of a policy address.

When a speaker says that there is a proverb in our country," the veteran simultaneous interpreter winces. Despite a folk tale's illustrative truth for the speaker, it can produce a meaningless or awkward sentence when rendered into another language.

Interpreters are the first to be confused, Fagan said in an interview.

He admitted befuddlement over the English rendition of one diplomat's recent statement that "the word is the only thing which, as a child, gives birth to its mother."

The U.N. interpreters are not "wedded to the words" of a diplomat's address, Fagan said. They frequently attempt to change a folk saying in one language to a similar expression in another. Sometimes, Fagan said, the effort is unsuccessful.

Fagan recalled a classic example of misinterpretation that occurred during the Cuban missile crisis. Adlai Stevenson, former U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, said that America would wait "until hell freezes over" to lift the naval blockade of Cuba.

The Russian interpreter:

United Nations has resulted in some global hard feelings in the past. He cited an incident arising from a Russian criticism of one General Assembly resolution.

He said a saying in the Ukraine," said one Soviet spokesman several years ago, "that my grandmother comes

from Kiev and there are apples in the orchard."

Through the headphones on the floor of the General Assembly came the rendition in English that "something is rotten in Denmark."

The Danish ambassador immediately requested time for a reply to the Russian remark.

As the Soviets issued denials of the statement, the Danes invited Premier Nikita Khrushchev to discover for himself the olfactory delights

of Denmark on his next visit. Misunderstandings from translations have sometimes had more serious and lasting effects, Fagan said. Although he refused to "even entertain the notion that what is said is not what comes out" of the U.N. interpreters' booths, Fagan noted that "you can throw away a

word that might be hurtful and thus reduce the sting."

Khrushchev's statement to the U.S. delegation that "we will bury you" was one example of a mistake on the part of interpreters that had far-reaching consequences.

Khrushchev's remark—made at the peak of the cold war period—was not a threat, Fagan said. The Soviet leader's boastful nature was misinterpreted by U.N. translators. He did not mean "we will attack last May."

inter you," Fagan said, "but that 'you will die first.'"

Despite his experience in the field, Fagan offers no other advice to his colleagues than to "buckle your seat belt and pray" when the high-flown language of diplomacy shifts to "peasant wisdom."

Fagan joined the U.N. staff of interpreters in 1946 when the organization was still headquartered at Lake Success, N.Y. A former civil engineer from Argentina, he has worked primarily in English, Spanish and French. He also speaks Italian and Portuguese.

Khrushchev remark not really threat
—It just came out that way.

Mansfield, Chou Talk in Hospital

TOKYO (AP) — Chinese Premier Chou En-lai met with U.S. Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield in a Peking hospital, according to the official Hsinhua news agency.

The broadcast monitored in Tokyo did not say what was discussed at Thursday's meeting, which also included Mansfield's wife, Chou, 78, was reported to have suffered a heart attack last May.



GOT THAT STRAIGHT, NOW? — The going may be a little rough when driving this road in Bradford, Pa. If the signs are followed, they will direct even the most careful driver into a creek. Natives traveling the road ignore the signs altogether and go straight. (NEA Photomat.)

Toward a National Energy Policy

5. Decontrol "new" natural gas

Earlier in this ongoing discussion of national energy policy, we pointed out some mistakes our country has made with respect to energy supplies.

As the result of one of the biggest of those mistakes, natural gas—which furnishes about 30% of the energy used in the United States—is being rationed in much of the country.

Utility companies are having to turn away new customers who want this clean-burning fuel.

Some factories that use natural gas may be having to close for days at a time again this winter.

Some schools will probably have to close off and on, just as last year.

Reason: Domestic production of natural gas is declining and is nowhere near being able to meet demand. Proved reserves of natural gas (excluding gas on the North Slope of Alaska, which is years away from market) have dropped every year since 1967. Our consumption has been outstripping additions to reserves—a situation which obviously cannot continue indefinitely.

Yet geologists are convinced, on the basis of pretty solid evidence, that there are very substantial quantities of domestic natural gas still to be discovered.

Why this anomaly? Why such famine amid potential plenty?

Partly because most of the U.S. offshore areas are off limits to exploration for oil and natural gas, but mainly because the consumer has been "protected" into a shortage, through misguided government regulation. A shortage that is already severe and will worsen before it improves. A man-made shortage—made largely in Washington, D.C.

Twenty years ago the Federal Power Commission began regulating the wellhead prices of natural gas destined for interstate commerce—that is, the price paid to the producer for this gas. The FPC set the price so low that demand was artificially stimulated and wasteful use encouraged—while the same low prices reduced the economic incentive and the funds available to explore for additional supplies.

This is a foolproof way to produce a shortage. If it has worked, with a vengeance. It will take years to find and develop and produce enough natural gas to begin to remedy the shortage, even if the outer continental shelf along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts is

opened for exploration.

Our government's regulation has helped to create a market for expensive gas from such countries as Algeria and possibly the Soviet Union. The U.S. has approved the importation of liquefied natural gas from overseas that will cost several times as much delivered to New York harbor as domestic gas delivered here.

The arbitrarily low price our government has put on natural gas has had other fully predictable results.

Coal simply could not compete with such underpriced gas, so coal production languished. It will take years and very large capital investments and a lot of skilled labor to increase the production of low-sulfur coal substantially.

Another result: Utilities, unable to get adequate supplies of natural gas or of coal low enough in sulfur content to meet clean-air standards, made a massive switch to heating oil. This tightened supplies of heating oil and increased imports.

Look at what has happened in New England. Since it could not get enough natural gas, this region has come to rely on heavy residual fuel—nearly all imported, mostly from Venezuela. Since this fuel is made from foreign oil, utility companies and other users in New England are having to pay very high prices for it today.

The *Washington Post*, which calls the government's policy on natural gas "a monument to the influence of senators and congressmen from the urban states," said in an editorial more than a year ago:

"... the federal government's misguided effort to hold down the price of natural gas is going to cost the residential consumer a lot of money... Because the FPC holds the price of natural gas too low, there is a shortage, and because there is a shortage, we must buy a synthetic substitute that costs three times as much: Who is saving money for whom?... The solution is to deregulate the price of natural gas at the well."

Congress can and must begin reversing this situation. Costs of natural gas to the consumer would rise as new, higher-priced gas supplies are added, but the rise would be restrained by the fact that "old" gas will stay at essentially the same price. Decontrol of "new" gas is a major step toward improving the U.S. energy base.

Toward a National Energy Policy

6. Some essential facilities

So far in this series we have talked about the need to produce more domestic oil and natural gas (onshore and offshore) and more domestic coal, among other things. But the discovery and development of new reserves (especially offshore) and the opening of large new mines take years.

There are, however, things we can be doing now. Today we want to talk about these:

(1) **Deepwater terminals and U.S.-flag ships.** Worldwide, most crude oil carried across the oceans is transported in Very Large Crude Carriers, vessels of 160,000 deadweight tons or more—VLCCs for short. More than 60 ports around the world can accommodate these vessels. But no U.S. port can come anywhere near taking them, although they carry oil at a much lower cost per barrel than smaller vessels do, which obviously benefits the consumer.

Fortunately, modern technology makes it possible to build unloading terminals for these vessels offshore. This can obviate the need to build new ports in the traditional sense when this involves dredging harbors and disturbing marine life. Instead, oil from a large tanker can be pumped into a sea terminal (we call it a single-point mooring) and thence through a submarine pipeline to a storage tank on shore.

This solution would be environmentally preferable to the present alternatives—bringing oil to the U.S. in smaller tankers (so that we need more of them, with the result that harbors are clogged with vessels and the chance of a collision increases), or transferring the crude oil from a large tanker to smaller tankers at sea (an expensive operation). The sea terminals would normally be almost invisible from land in most cases, and so would the VLCCs using them.

Construction of deepwater terminals obviously will do nothing to reduce our dependence on foreign oil. They will make it possible to handle oil imports more efficiently and more safely than we can with the present antiquated facilities. There is no reason federal legislation to permit construction of these terminals should not be enacted now.

Because of balance-of-payments considera-

tions and the need for security of supply, we should develop a U.S.-flag tanker fleet to transport significant volumes of our oil imports.

(2) **Security storage.** Japan and the countries of Western Europe have long followed a policy of keeping substantial security stockpiles of oil in storage, available for an emergency. Today the United States is increasingly dependent on imported oil. We must have our own stored oil supplies to tide us over in the event of another supply disruption.

This raises a lot of questions: How much oil does the country need to store? Enough to bridge the gap between production and consumption for one month? Two months? Longer? Where should the oil be stored? In salt domes? Abandoned mines? How much will it cost? Who will pay?

Industry, government, and others should be seeking answers to these questions. A proper storage program will help us limit our dependence on foreign oil until we achieve our goal of a national energy surplus. (If you wonder why oil companies don't go ahead with such a program on their own, the answer is that it would be far too expensive. It could cost billions of dollars.)

(3) **Public transportation.** We've said it before, and we'll say it again: the nation needs to get moving with a National Master Transportation Program. We must stop dealing with highway construction, railroad needs, urban transit, airport improvement, and maritime requirements in separate pieces of legislation with separate funding (when they are dealt with at all).

Congress should appropriate directly enough money to do what needs doing. This approach could provide the flexibility to meet the changing pattern of our transportation needs. And it could allow us to move more people and goods with less energy.

The time to begin is now.

Next week: "The need for balance." For free copies of this entire series, write to: Mobil, Room 645X, 150 East 42nd Street, New York, N.Y. 10017. We will mail them right after the last in the series.

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Enrollment Declines Soon To Change College Picture

By TERRY RYAN
NEW YORK (AP) — College enrollment declines in the next wide enrollment from a record decade could result in the 10.1 million this year to a high wholesale closing of private in-of 10.6 million in 1980, according to the consolidation to the National Center for state-supported campuses, Educational Statistics, a federal agency.
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duced by the post-World War II baby boom will push enrollment declines in the next wide enrollment from a record decade could result in the 10.1 million this year to a high wholesale closing of private in-of 10.6 million in 1980, according to the consolidation to the National Center for state-supported campuses, Educational Statistics, a federal agency.
The population swell pro- But the passing through of

Education Coordinating Commission.
—Projections by the New York State Education Department indicate a decline in full-time undergraduate enrollment from 484,000 this year to 373,000 in 1990, a drop of 23 per cent. Officials said it could result in the closing of 80 of the 120 private colleges in the state.
—New Jersey's Department of Higher Education estimated fall enrollment this year at 301,405. The department said it

expected a peak of 380,000 in 1980 and then decline to 286,000 in 1990.
—The 408,000 students on college campuses in Ohio will increase to 448,000 in 1979, according to a report prepared for the State Board of Regents. Statewide enrollment will then fall to 394,000 in 1984 and there will be only 366,000 college students in Ohio by 1989, the report said.
"I look for the public institutions to continue but some of them will be consolidated," said Ronald Thomas, a former Ohio State University registrar who prepared the report. "It's an economic reality" that some private colleges will close, he added.
The nationwide enrollment projections made by the National Center for Educational Statistics extend to 1990. After campuses doubled in the last decade, as it had doubled in the center predicts enrollment will drop to 10.6 million in 1985. The chief of the center's projection branch, W. Vance Grant, said further declines in the years after that could bring national college enrollment in two decades down to less than this year's enrollment.
By comparison, enrollment on the nation's 3,000 university, college and junior college campuses doubled in the last decade, as it had doubled in the center predicts enrollment

Snow, Rain, Cold Beset Greater Part Of Nation

By The Associated Press
Snow and rain sent a wintry chill through much of the northern half of the country from the Rockies to the Great Lakes today and put travel on icy footing over a wide area.
Freezing drizzle glazed highways and sidewalks in portions of Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois and Michigan during the night. Rain fell in areas south of the snow band and turned to an icy glaze in stretches of the Midwest.
Isolated snows piled into northern Maine.
Outside the North, showers sprinkled scattered locations from the Carolinas to Florida.
Clear skies kept to the Southwest and areas from the central Rockies through the Plains to the central Gulf Coast.
Temperatures before dawn ranged from 8 at International Falls, Minn., to 75 at Key West, Fla.

Mancil H. Bailey Dies At Lamesa; Rites Held Today

LAMESA — Mancil H. Bailey, 3, former Lamesa resident and retired inspector for the Texas State Highway Department, died about noon Wednesday in a Lamesa hospital following a brief illness.
Services were at 10 a.m. today in Branon Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Dorman Kinard, pastor of Crestview Baptist Church of Lamesa officiating. The Rev. Thomas, a Baptist minister from Big Spring assisted in the service, and interment followed in Lamesa Memorial Park.
Bailey, who had resided a year and a half in San Angelo, was born in Ralls. He and his family had resided several years in Lamesa prior to his retirement.
He was a veteran of World War II, serving with the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Disabled American Veterans.
Bailey, a Baptist, is survived by his widow, Leona; his daughter, Mrs. Brenda Mills of Lamesa; two sons, Curtis of Lamesa and Tommie of San Angelo; his sister, Mrs. Marie Bridges of Seminole; nine grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

T. C. Barnsley Dies At Crane

CRANE — Thomas Crawin Barnsley Jr., 62, Crane rancher and oilman, died Thursday in a hospital here following a brief illness.
Services will be at 4 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church with interment at TXL Ranch directed by Sheppard Funeral Home.
Born May 28, 1912, in Fort Worth, Barnsley had resided 60 years in this community. He was the owner of TXL Ranch and had been named to have the 1975 Sand Hills Hereford and Quarter Horse Show held in his honor.
He was a member of the Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association, Colorado Cattlemen's Association, American Association of Retired Persons and American National Cattlemen's Association.
Barnsley is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Peggy Kelton of McCamey and Mrs. Tommy Bengé of Alpine; a brother, Harry Barnsley of Abilene, and eight grandchildren.

'Reb' Culp, 62, Dies In Louisiana

MAURICE, La. — R. W. "Reb" Culp, 62, a former long time resident of Midland, Texas, died here Thursday.
Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in Lafayette, La., with interment in a Lafayette cemetery.
Culp, who owned a service station and garage in Midland, moved to Maurice in 1972.
Survivors include the widow, two sons, Jerry Culp of Fort Worth and Ronnie Culp of Maurice; two daughters, Mrs. Louis Dryer of Maurice and Mrs. Byron Dauter of Morgan City, La.; two brothers, R. S. Culp of Midland and R. V. Culp Sr. of Lancaster, Calif.; a sister of Houston and nine grandchildren.

Chinese Refugees Ask U.S. Asylum

TOKYO (AP) — Two refugees from China who sought sanctuary on an American freighter in Hong Kong harbor eight days ago have asked for political asylum in the United States, authorities reported today.
Immigration officials in the western Japanese port of Kobe learned of the incident when the freighter, the 26,456-ton Thomas E. Cuffe, docked there today.
The officials said the pair were Liang Kwoc-jiang and Wang Chew, both 22. They were believed to be from Canton.

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Stark H. Hudkins Dies; Rites Slated

HUBBARD — Stark H. Hudkins, 85, formerly of Midland, died here today.
Services will be held here at 2:30 p.m. Sunday under direction of Eubanks Funeral Home. Interment will be in a Hubbard cemetery.
Hudkins was born in Barber County, W. Va., Nov. 22, 1889. He worked for Hope Natural Gas Co. from 1906 to 1910 and joined Humble Oil and Refining Co. (now Exxon) at Cisco in 1920. He transferred to Midland in 1937 as division construction foreman and retired in 1964. He moved to Hubbard in 1965.
Survivors include the widow; four daughters, Mrs. Cathryn Buckingham of Midland, Mrs. Evelyn Finlayson of San Antonio, Mrs. Lavon Cornwall of El Paso and Mrs. Mildred Bagg of Hubbard; a son, Thomas Lee Hudkins of LaBelle, Fla.; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Midlander's Kin Dies In Illinois

MILLSTADT, Ill. — Mrs. Ernest L. (Natalie Jeanne) Schmalzried, 46, mother of Ernest Schmalzried Jr. of Midland, Texas, died here Monday.
Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in Robert Massie Funeral Home Riverside Chapel in San Angelo with interment in Fairmount Cemetery.
Survivors include the husband, two other sons and a sister.

Midlander's Father Dies At Jacksboro

SWEETWATER — Patrick C. Reid, 64, died Wednesday night at Jacksboro. He was the father of Eugene Reid of Midland.
Services are pending at McCoy Funeral Home here.
Survivors include the widow, five other sons, three daughters, a sister, two stepdaughters, 15 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

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Two Milk Co-Op Leaders Replaced

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The two top leaders of Associated Milk Producers, Inc., who weathered more than two years of shaking disclosures about the dairy cooperative, have resigned and been replaced.

The nation's largest dairy co-op disclosed the management shift today at its headquarters here. The action was taken Thursday at a board of directors meeting in Chicago.

John E. Butterbrodt of Burnett, Wis., resigned as president and George L. Mehren of San Antonio resigned as general manager, according to AMPI headquarters. They are replaced by the new president Irvin Elkin, an Amory, Wis., dairy farmer, and by the new general manager, S. F. "Pamp" Howe of Sulphur, Okla., who had been an associate general manager.

Meanwhile, in Chicago an AMPI publicist said the board decided to split the co-op into a three-region federation. The change in regional structure was not confirmed immediately by officials in San Antonio.

An AMPI announcement here said Butterbrodt and Mehren "said they have carried a difficult and taxing burden. They believe the strength of AMPI is

such that their tasks should be transferred to other hands."

Butterbrodt, who had been president of AMPI since its inception in 1969, will continue as a board member. Mehren, who replaced deposed general manager Harold S. Nelson in 1972, will continue on the staff of the corporate office.

Howe now takes the administrative reins of the nation's largest dairy co-op, which operates throughout the middle third of the United States from Texas to Minnesota. It has 36,000 members and controls

Midland Youth's Movie Wins Award

David Fetterly's two-minute movie, "The Game of Life," has won the 17-year-old Midlander an honorable mention in the senior category of the 1974 Kodak Teenage Movie Awards.

Fetterly, who resides at 4410 Gulf St. and attends Lee High School, created his movie on super 8 color film, with sound on tape. It involves an animated chess game in which the pieces move themselves.

"I wanted to show that someone who acted tough all the time would finally get what he or she deserved," he said. "I decided it would be easier to show this with a chess set than with live actors because the message could be more easily understood with the chess pieces.

about 13 per cent of the marketing of the nation's raw milk supply.

Elkin takes over as the leader of AMPI's former-member corporate board.

AMPI did not give more specific reasons for the resignations and did not say immediately if Butterbrodt and Mehren were asked to quit. The board commended Butterbrodt and Mehren for their past efforts.

Mehren faced immediately an antitrust suit filed by the U.S. Justice Department when he replaced Nelson. That suit, which alleged AMPI engaged in monopolistic practices in the milk industry, has now focused on a proposed consent decree to settle the suit.

During Mehren's tenure, the co-op also faced numerous allegations about political involvement in the Nixon administration. AMPI and Nelson pleaded guilty to participating in illegal corporate campaign contributions and what has been

Officer's Slayer Sentenced To Die

DALLAS (AP) — A jury deliberated only 35 minutes Thursday before sentencing Anderson Hughes, 18, to death in the electric chair for the Sept. 23 slaying of Mesquite, Tex., police officer Travis Williams.

Hughes was found guilty of capital murder Wednesday. He is the eighth man to be assessed the death penalty in Dallas County this year.

Turkey Shoots Slated By Lions

The Greenwood Lions Club will stage "turkey shoots," open to the public, the next two weekends.

The shoots will be held this Saturday and Sunday and on Dec. 21 and 22.

Shooting hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays, and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Sundays.

The range is located adjacent to the new Greenwood school in the Greenwood community, east of Midland.

Proceeds from the turkey shoots will go to the club's eight conservation, charity and welfare funds.

"Everyone is welcome to come out and get their Christmas turkeys and have a lot of fun at the same time," a club spokesman said. "And the proceeds will be used to support worthy causes."

Rockefeller Wins Panel Nod; House To Vote Next Week

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President-designate Nelson A. Rockefeller's confirmation has been cleared for near certain final approval by the House late next week.

Confirmation was recommended by the House Judiciary Committee Thursday 26 to 12, and Chairman Peter W. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., said he hopes to get a final House vote next Thursday.

President Ford has said Rockefeller will be sworn in shortly after House confirmation, which would be almost four months after his nomination last Aug. 20.

The swearing-in ceremony would give the country for the first time a President and vice president not elected by the voters.

The 12 votes against Rockefeller in the Judiciary Committee were all from Democrats and nearly all cited both potential conflict of interest and his gifts and loans as reasons they opposed him.

U.S. Grand Jury Declines To Indict 12 TDC Employees

HOUSTON (AP) — A federal grand jury has rejected a bill of indictments against 12 Texas Department of Corrections (TDC) employees.

The investigation grew out of allegations by TDC inmates at the Retrieve Unit in Brazoria County.

The prisoners accused TDC employees of making them run a belt line and beating them on Father's Day last year. The beatings allegedly occurred after prisoners participated in a work stoppage.

TDC Director W. J. Estelle said shortly after the incident occurred that guards had done what was necessary to prevent a mutinous situation from developing.

Thirteen prisoners and about 20 TDC employees, including Estelle, testified before the grand jury.

Skitch Convicted On Second Count

NEW YORK (AP) — The nine-day federal trial of conductor Skitch Henderson has ended with his conviction on a second count of filing a false income tax statement that claimed a \$350,000 donation of music to the University of Wisconsin.

The former music director of NBC-TV's "Tonight Show" could get up to three years in prison and a \$5,000 fine on each conviction when he is sentenced in U.S. District Court Jan. 15.

The jury deliberated 20 hours over three days but could not decide on a tax evasion charge. Judge Edward Weinfeld finally dismissed on Thursday the charge that Henderson evaded more than \$40,000 in taxes.

Henderson was found guilty of backdating a university memorandum about the donation of more than 750 scores and arrangements as part of his 1969 tax return to skirt what was then a new law. Because he claimed a carryover deduction in 1970, his second conviction involved that return.

\$50,000 Painting Stolen At Museum

NEW YORK (AP) — The search for a \$50,000 Renoir painting kept 300 visitors to the Brooklyn Museum past closing time, but "Still Life with Blue Cup" had vanished.

Police said the 1900 French Impressionist oil, barely larger than an automobile registration plate, disappeared about 4:10 p.m. Thursday.

Dr. Amstead Releases UTPB Duck Pond Spending Figures

ODESSA — Dr. B. H. Angleton that state funds may have been misappropriated. Former UTPB director of development Gen. H. W. Hise in September told university regents Dr. Amstead may have given false testimony to Caldwell's House Appropriations Committee on the matter of the ponds and golf course.

The totals were derived from vouchers related to the expenditures on the facilities from Sept. 1, 1971, through Aug. 31, 1973.

Auditors from The University of Texas System this week have been conducting an extensive study to determine how much in state monies has been spent on the two projects.

The probe follows a charge of Rep. Neil Caldwell of

Dr. Amstead's preliminary figures show a total of \$23,506.91 spent on the facilities, either directly or through a formula of proration.

Prorated from the university's water system expenditure at a rate of 40 per cent was \$18,206.66. Prorated at 35 per cent of total for salaries and wages were \$6,617.74 for 1972 and \$9,898.31.

The administrative prorated cost, at 15 per cent, was listed as \$1,860. Funds spent under the heading of "grounds" for equipment and "other" tally \$6,895.75, figuring 30 per cent first year writeoff on the equipment and 35 per cent proration on equipment and "other" combined.

Another special article is "Man's Death Sentence for Man: Our Belief in Our Own Creations" by Bruce Cattan.

"Valerie Harper: I've Always Been a Food Hound!" is the title of "A Celebrity Cooks" article.

Then there is a People Quiz on "A Look Behind All Those 'Mother-in-Law' Jokes."

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Area Youngsters Write Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

I love you. I want a baby Christy, a big bird, a hug-a-book, doll, a smoky bear sleeping bag, A McDonald's village, a Knit magic, a Susie's a bride, a Barbie pool set, a Cathy quick curl, a hand chair, and a circus train. That is all. Good-bye Santa Clause.
Jennifer Pekowski

Dear Santa Claus-

I Love You-And I would like you to bring me a Sunshine Family, a baby doll, Leggos, and a play sewing machine. I do try to be good and I will try harder-I will be 4 very soon.
Your Good little girl, Kathi Alired

Dear Santa Claus
I want a Ready Ranger telephoto camera and a General Custer and a Captain Maddox and a Poncho Pony and a thunder bolt horse and a ranch.
Greg Barton

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Lonnie Ray Everhart. I am 4 years old. I have tried to be a good boy this year. Please bring me Super People and a GI Joe

and Evil Knievel and a bat and a telephone, a car, a gun and a football and anything else you think I would like to play with.

My baby sisters name is Emily. She is two months old. Please bring her a doll and some toys to play with.
Thank You, Lonnie
P.S. My mother wrote this letter for me.

Dear Santa,

I'm doing fine. These are some of things I want, drums, a sky crane, a junior league football, a see action football game, a guitar, a sample of Mercury Morris hair, a small ten speed, a tree house in front, an air hockey game, table tennis, a foot ball tee, a TPP motorcycle jump set, a poster of the Miami football team about 10 Miami football team shirts about 20 pair of jeans long ones, western shirts, western boots, western hat, a radio, a tent, a TV! That's about all. See ya.
Wade Perry, 1910 Hughes, Midland, Texas
P.S. A string for my bow. and something for the pets.

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a doll, some candy and fruit.
Love, Shari Gargile.

Dear Santa

How are you? I am fine. I will want evel kenvel
Raul Delao, 2619 Roosevelt

Dear Santa

I want a snoopy toothbrush, a doll, and something very nice for my mama.
Love, Bridgette Vanderverter

Dear Santa,

I am 3 years old, I want a big blue car that I can ride. I want a pick-up truck & trailer that can carry my cows and horses. I want a road grader, dump truck, and bulldozer.
I love you, Scott Jordan

Dear Santa Claus

Hi! My name is Todd and I am 5 years old. I have been a good boy this year. I want for Christmas a "Show & Tell" and some records, a play shot gun and a little camper Wilderness Set.
Todd Henderson, 2001 N. C

Dear Santa,

I have been good please send me Puddin, Walkie Talkie, jewelry.
Love, Kathy, 2403 Brunson, Midland, Texas

Dear Santa,

I have been good please bring me the Lone Ranger Tonto Sliver and Scout for Christmas. I am a little boy.
Love, Gary, 2403 Brunson, Midland, Texas

Dear Santa

I need a claco Kid outfit for my wioe body, a GI Joe, a dump truck with a worker thing, and a dark out with a dark tail, then I'll take something else. Then I want a Baby Love for my little sister, Sherri.
We live in a red brickhouse in Midland. I've been good yesterday and today. That's all I want cause I don't want you to get mad.
Love, Jerry Dan Turpley

Dear Santa,

I've been very good all year. I would like to have a big wheel and Putt Putt train.
Love, Brent

Dear Santa,

My name is Johnny Ray Stuard, and I am 6 years old. I am trying to be a nice boy. Please bring me a Daniel Boone cap, a pair of cowboy guns, rifle and a set of Lego's. I also want a cowboy vest from Sandy Lland and a Snoopy Flying Dog House. Also, please bring me a radio with an earphone, also some comic records. Also, I would like to have a football suit.
Merry Christmas, Johnny
P.S. Please, bring my brother, Damon, and I a pair of moccasins.

Dear Santa

I have been a good boy. I want a electric train and 2 walke talkie.
Love, Ronnie

Dear Santa,

I want a Batan, candy, a drum, a real Winnie Pooh that walks, a new brush & comb, ahand mirror, a snoopy, my own bag, a potatoe doll, a play dixer, perfume, a clock, tennis soc, clothes, Snoopy shirt, a play camera.
I Love you, Kathleen

Dear Santa,

I've been so good this year. Can you bring me a Rub-A-Dub Dolly, a refrigerator, a stove, and a sink. I am 5 1/2 years old.

My little brother, Jeremy, age 3, has been good too. He wants a Putt-Putt train and a mighty tonka Winniebag.

We are going to leave you pie and coffee and some hot soup for your reindeer.

We Love you, Julie & Jeremy Tittle, 10 Marinor Ct., Midland, Tx.

Dear Santa,

I would please like a bike, skates, baby doll, and a book. For my Brothers, Kurt and Kyle, please a big wheel and a train each.

Thank you Love you, Shannon Balkum, 2506 Goddard, Midland, Texas

Dear Stant Claus,

I am so excited about Christmas, all of the decorations and the outdoor lights are so beautiful. I really missed them last year.

Santa I am three years old and would like for you to bring

me a Rub-A-Dub dolly, teddy bear, music top and anything else you can. Please put some candy in my stocking.

I have two brothers, John and Bryan and a sister Yvonne, they have been pretty good this year so please read their letters to I love you.

Love, Katherine Wurster

Dear Santa Claus

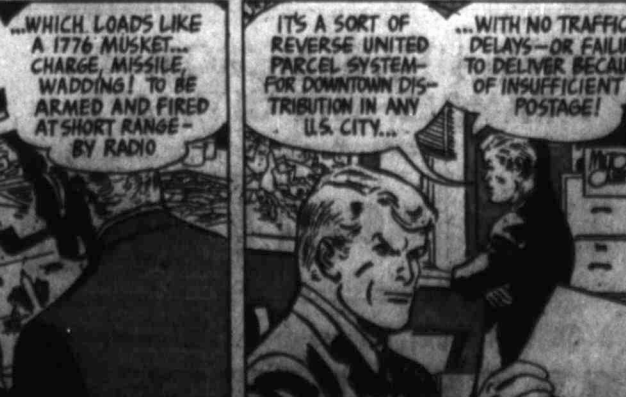
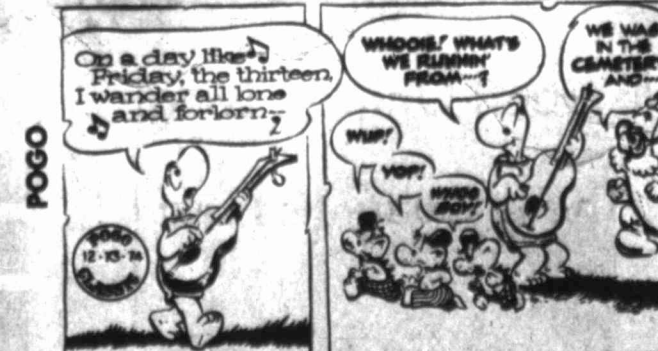
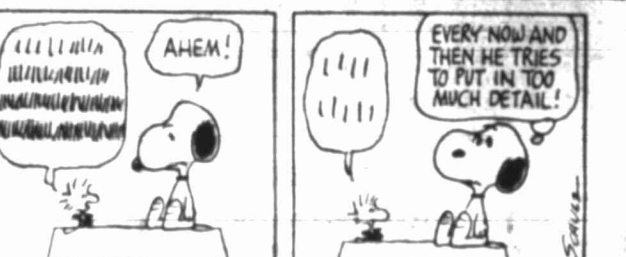
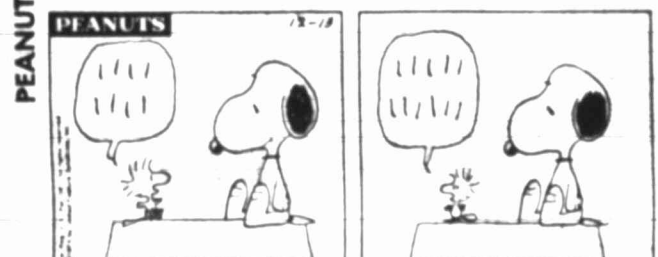
I have been a pretty good boy this year and I really like football. For Christmas I would like an Electric Football game and a football uniform. Also a walke talkie and all of Evil Enivel's adventures.

I wish you a Merry Christmas. Please remember all of the other children in the world.

Bryan Wurster
P.S. I want a go car too.

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a go-car, a fishing rod and reel, a chemistry set, a walke talkie, BB gun, Planet of the apes set and a microscope. Don't forget any of the other children of the world. Merry Christmas
John Wurster



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Special Musical Programs Planned By Midland Churches

The quickening pace of the Christmas season will be evident Sunday as numerous Midland churches present special musical programs to mark the upcoming anniversary of the Saviour's birth.

Christ Presbyterian
The Christmas story in narration and song will be presented during the 11 a.m. worship hour at Christ Presbyterian Church, 2291 N. Garfield St.

"The Canticles of Christmas," a musical work, by T. W. Dean, will be performed by the adult choir, joined by members of the 5th and 6th grade church school classes. Soloists for the work will be Mrs. Lynn F. Loti and Mrs. James Walker, with narration by David Rhoads, seminary intern and interim minister at Christ Presbyterian.

"The Story of Christmas," a cantata for primary age children written by Mrs. James Huddleston, choir director at Christ Presbyterian, will be presented by members of the 1st through 4th grade church school classes. Accompaniment will be provided by Mrs. Robert Scott, organist.

The Sunday morning presentations will be open to the public.

Crestview Baptist
The congregation of Crestview Baptist Church will celebrate Jesus' birth in scripture and song during a special worship service at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Crestview's pastor, the Rev. Kenneth James, will narrate the scriptural account of the Advent, after which the church choir and the congregation will offer songs of love and praise, including "O Holy Night," "Go Tell It On the Mountains," and "O Come, All Ye Faithful."

The public is invited to attend the special observance.

Asbury Methodist
Asbury United Methodist Church will hold a "Birthday Party for Jesus" Sunday evening.

In past Christmases the church has used an "Enchanted Tree" for Christmas offerings — a bare tree decorated the night of the program by members hanging their gifts in brightly-colored envelopes on its branches.

This year, to emphasize the real meaning of Christmas, it was decided to have the birthday party, with offerings to be rolled and tied with ribbon or other Christmas package decorations and dropped into a large Christmas box. This is an inducement to those participating in the event to consider their offerings not as just a contribution to the church but as actual "birthday gifts for Jesus."

Activities will begin at 7 p.m. Sunday with a musical program in the sanctuary. The program will include special numbers presented by the choir, and the singing of carols by the congregation, to be followed by the presentation of the "birthday" gifts. The congregation will then move to the fellowship hall where a Christmas party will be held, complete with birthday cake and candles and a Christmas tree program. Santa Claus will make a visit during the evening to distribute gifts and favors.

Members and friends of the church are urged to attend the special birthday event and are welcome to bring their children and grandchildren.

First Methodist
An annual Christmas vesper service will be held at 5:30 p.m. Sunday in First United Methodist Church in lieu of the regular evening worship hour.

Participating in the event will be the four singing choirs and the Youth Handbell Choir of First UMC. The program has been arranged by George DeHart, organist-choirmaster of the church, but Paul Lavery Jr., will be directing the service and will be organist for it in the absence of DeHart, who is ill.

Instrumentalists for the musical program will be Mrs. Jack Beshears, flutist; Cody Myers, Mike Beard and Ted Kerr, trumpeters, and Stacy Trotter, Kurt Austin and Bryce Highjower, trombonists.

The Carol Choir will sing "One Starry Night" by Linda and Dale Wood, after which the Junior Choir will join it in a presentation of "Every Child Stand Up and Sing," a Swiss song arranged by June Shyll and Betty Zumwalt.

The junior ensemble will offer "Jesus Christ Is Born Today," a Bohemian carol arranged by Eugene Butler, and that choir will then be joined by the Youth Handbell Choir in a performance of a Latin plainsong arranged by Gustav Holst. The Junior and Youth choirs will then sing "Boy-Child of Mary," by Austin-G. Lovelace.

The handbell group will play "Carol of the Bells" by Van Denman Thompson and also will accompany the Youth and Chapel choirs in a presentation of a Polish folk tune, "Midst the Deep Silence," arranged by Judy Hamblent.

Youth Choir members will offer a contemporary Christmas song, "Baby, What You Goin' to Be?" by Natalie Sleeth, and the Chapel Choir will present a Ukrainian song, "Carol of the Bells," arranged by Peter J. Wilkosky. The brass instruments will then join these choirs in presenting "Do You Hear What I Hear?" by Noel Regney and Gloria Shayne, and "Gloria in Excelsis," by Florence Jolley, in an arrangement by Lara Hoggart.

To conclude the service, the combined choirs will sing "Away in a Manger," arranged by Seth Bingham.

The public will be welcomed at the service. The church nursery will be available.

Memorial Christian
Memorial Christian Church's adult choir will present a cantata, "The Shepherds," by John Ness Beck, during the Sunday morning worship hour scheduled to begin at 10:30.

The cantata is in four parts: 1) "And There Were Shepherds"; 2) "Carol of the Angels"; 3) "Carol of the Shepherds"; and 4) "Carol of the Shepherds and the Angels."

Mrs. Herschel Wilson will provide flute accompaniment for the choral presentation, which is directed by Debbie Pope. Mrs. Loyd Sanders will be the organist.

The new minister of pastoral care and family life at FPC, special musical program to be presented Wednesday night by graded choirs at FPC. The event will be highlighted by the presentation of a new cantata by the Young Musicians Choir. The program will feature special lighting and narration. The public is invited.

First Christian
The Sanctuary Choir and soloists at First Christian Church will join in presenting a Christmas cantata, "Sing We Now of Christmas," during the 10:50 a.m. Sunday worship service. The public will be welcomed.

The choir is under direction of Mrs. Ellen West. Soloists for the presentation will be Martha Fairchild, Charles Dixon, George Thompson and Hallie Chastain. Narrators are to be Bill Spires, Tom Potter, Carle Jones and Everett Shipp.

"Sing We Now of Christmas," by Harry Simeone, presents many of the world's best-known and best-loved carols, spirituals and Christmas anthems as well as works by G. F. Handel and Felix Mendelssohn. Carols include those from England, France, Germany and Puerto Rico.

Another highlight of the day at First Christian Church will be the annual covered dish Christmas dinner, scheduled to begin at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

The congregational fellowship event will be highlighted with a special Christmas program presented by the Christian Youth Fellowship (CYF) and Chi Rho youth groups. CYF members will present a play, "No Room in the Inn Group," while the Chi Rho youth will close the program with an Advent candle service. The singing of Christmas carols also is planned.

Participating in the event will be the six choirs of the church, directed by Robert Post, organist-choirmaster of FPC.

Other participating choral ensembles will be the children's choirs and the handbell choir.

First Baptist
"The Promise of God's Love," a Christmas cantata by Eugene Butler, will be presented by the Chapel Choir and instrumentalists during the Sunday evening worship service of First Baptist Church. The 7:30 p.m. event will be open to the public.

Soloists for the musical presentation will be Lisa Lowery, Cindy Flynn and Tim Johnson. Narrators will be Robbie Hembree and Diane Dorchester.

More than 200 children and young people of First Baptist Church will participate in a special musical program to be presented Wednesday night by graded choirs at FBC. The event will be highlighted by the presentation of a new cantata by the Young Musicians Choir. The program will feature special lighting and narration. The public is invited.

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Dane To Tell Story Of Jesus In Cartoon

By ERIK MOELLMANN
COPENHAGEN (AP) — A pioneering animation technique has launched a Danish film editor and film cutter into a mammoth project — telling the story of Jesus Christ from birth to resurrection in a series of color cartoons.

The cartoon is primarily meant for the youngest grades in schools all over the Christian world, but will be offered to television stations as well.

It is a three-year, \$100,000 project, and it is largely a one-woman operation with Mrs. Ida Schneekloth, 50, filling the multiple role of script writer, director, stage manager, producer, cameraman, film cutter and editor in a modest, rented studio here.

In her version of the life of Jesus Christ all characters including Christ are cardboard figures — tens of thousands of them — animated in a technique that is neither traditional cartoon nor traditional puppet film, but rather a kind of filmed children's toy theater.

The project is Mrs. Schneekloth's own brainchild, born out of a sense that there was an unanswered need for a film telling young children the whole, true-to-the-bible life-story of Jesus — and out of a conviction that it would be next to impossible for anyone but a uniquely gifted director to do it in a real movie.

"No actor who believes in Christ could play him and be objective about it, and a non-believer certainly could not," explains Mrs. Schneekloth, herself a believer.

The project, to be completed by 1976, involves ten films of 10-15 minutes each. The first three installments include: a child is born, the crossroads (passion and crucifixion) and the resurrection.

In Mrs. Schneekloth's technique a film camera is placed in front of a three-dimensional toy theater with one-dimension-

al characters cut in heavy cardboard.

The filming is in one-frame shots, and the animation effect comes from replacing, between shots, a character with an identical character which is only slightly changed into the next phase of the movement desired.

This means that to film one character going through just one relatively simple movement calls for the use of a succession of more than a dozen cardboard figures. Even if many figures may be used more than once for different scenes Mrs. Schneekloth expects to use tens of thousands of figures.

Mrs. Schneekloth, who worked as a film cutter for Danish and Swedish television stations for 20 years, had to overcome some skepticism about her idea.

But she took it to Czechoslovakia and to Antonin Horak, the father of the Czech puppet film tradition. He considered it workable and offered a few pieces of advice. Now she plans to patent her technique worldwide.

Clement Elected King Ranch Head
KINGSVILLE, Tex. (AP) — James H. Clement has been elected president and chief officer of the world famous King Ranch.

Clement, 56, will preside over one of the largest family-held ranches in the country.

He succeeds the late Robert J. Kleberg Jr. who died Oct. 13.

Old-Fashioned Gospel Meet Set
New Jerusalem Church, 1301 E. Cowden St., will have an old-fashioned gospel meeting at 3 p.m. Sunday.

The public will be welcomed at the event.

Tieuel Selected For 'Who's Who'

HOBBS, N.M. — The Rev. Bob Tieuel Jr., whose "Ring of the Bell" column appears each Sunday in The Reporter-Telegram, will be included in the first edition of "Who's Who Among Black Americans," scheduled for publication soon.

Mr. Tieuel, a native of Boley, Okla., attended Tennessee State College at Nashville and served as editor of The Statesman, a student-oriented newspaper there. Later, he received a bachelor's degree from

Langston University in Oklahoma and had special study at the Harvard Divinity School.

In addition to writing his weekly column, Mr. Tieuel serves as a pastor-evangelist in the Wichita Falls-Amarillo district of the Christian Methodist Episcopal (C.M.E.) Church and is executive director of the Christian Call Mission Fund in West Texas and New Mexico. In the early 1970s he served as pastor of the Midland C.M.E. Church.

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Our Lady Of Guadalupe Observance Set At Abilene

SAN ANGELO—The Roman Catholic Diocese of San Angelo will hold its annual Our Lady of Guadalupe observance Sunday.

The observance will be at the Pan American Center of Abilene.

The Most Rev. Stephen A. Leven, bishop of the diocese, at 9 a.m., with another mass in

will celebrate a mass there at 3 p.m. Sunday with Father Herman Valladares, pastor of St. Vincent Pallotti parish, and with other priests in attendance. Many activities centering around the theme of Our Lady of Guadalupe are scheduled for the day.

A mass in Spanish is to begin at 9 a.m., with another mass in

English planned for 11 a.m. At noon, a Fiesta en el Aire, or "open air fiesta," will be held which will include songs, dances, skits, plays and other entertainment events.

Selection of a "Queen of the Fiesta Guadalupeana" will take place at 1:30 p.m. Candidates for queen include Vickie Manoz of St. Vincent parish at Abilene, Teresa Yanez of St. Joseph

parish at Rotan, Helen Godines of St. Michael parish at Anson and Linda Gutierrez of St. Mary's parish at San Angelo.

Following the afternoon mass, a procession of the people will be held outside the Pan American Center. The procession will terminate in an outdoor area where an enactment of the appearance of Our Lady of Guadalupe before Juan Diego

will be presented. This will be followed by other presentations of various groups.

The history of Our Lady of Guadalupe goes back to Dec. 9, 1531, when, on Tepeyac Hill near Mexico City, Our Blessed Lady appeared to an Indian named Juan Diego. In a setting in which Diego heard heavenly music, she appeared in a soft light and revealed herself to

him as "the ever-Virgin Mother of the True God" and requested that a shrine be built there to bear witness to her love, her compassion, her sorrow and protection.

The bishop in Mexico City was disinclined to believe the Indian's story. So Juan returned to Tepeyac and told of his failure. The Virgin bade him go back a second time. The

bishop then requested that the Lady give him some sign.

Juan reported this to her, and she promised to grant a sign the following morning. However, Juan was prevented from coming by the sudden illness of an uncle. The following day, Dec. 12, when he was on his way by Tepeyac Hill to Mexico City to bring a priest to the dying man, the Lady came down to meet Juan. She reassured him of his uncle's recovery and told him to gather fresh roses which he would find growing on the frosty summit of the barren and rocky hill. Amazed at finding the roses in this unlikely spot, Juan gathered the flowers and took them to her. She arranged the roses in his mantle and bade him show them to the bishop, giving him an account of their origin. To the

bishop's amazement, when Juan opened his mantle, there was printed on it a beautiful image of the Lady exactly as she had appeared at Tepeyac. Earlier in the day, in another apparition granted to Juan's uncle—who she had cured—the Virgin intimated that she wished to be called "Holy Mary of Guadalupe." The miraculous picture, finely preserved, can

still be seen over the high altar in the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Each year thousands of pilgrims from all parts of the Americas make their way to the site.

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16A—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1974

First Native American Made Saint By Church

By GEORGE CORNELL
NEW YORK (AP) — Through open, early-American country, the young widow traveled by wagon, carrying her children and all their possessions. It was a rough, hilly road, and a hot sun beat down on them.

"We are obliged to walk the horses all the way and have walked ourselves nearly half the time," she wrote from one stopover.

Such was the hardship of Elizabeth Bayley Seton, on a 50-mile wagon trip in 1809 to a wooded valley near Emmitsburg, Md., where she started a community that was to grow into a vast network of Christian service.

This week, that pioneering woman, the mother of five and spiritual mother to thousands, was designated in Roman Catholic canonization procedures at the Vatican as the first native American citizen to become a saint.

She had once been a New York socialite, surrounded by luxury, called "Betty" by her friends, popular in the city's theatrical and fashionable club circles. At 19, she married the heir of a shipping-banking fortune.

But her husband's health and

fortune later collapsed. He went into bankruptcy and died shortly afterward, leaving her an impoverished widow of 29, with five small children, three daughters and two sons.

She went to work as a teacher, and then in a boarding school "to cook, wash and mend" for the pupils, one of her letters relates. She had scant provisions for her own children, but says she rejoiced to watch them eat "their bread and milk with good appetite."

It was a period of religious as well as economic struggle. She was an Episcopalian, but on a past visit to Italy she had become keenly interested in Roman Catholicism. About a year after her husband's death, she entered that church, despite sharp opposition from relatives.

In 1806, with encouragement of Bishop John Carroll of Baltimore, she moved her family there and opened an academy for girls. Shortly afterward, she and four other women in the school took religious vows, marking the start of the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, the first native American religious community.

Its handful of members and her children later made the wagon trek to the Emmitsburg area, launching another girls' academy and a tuition-free school for the poor — a forerunner of the Catholic parochial school system.

Latham To Speak At Unitarian Church

The Rev. Robert Latham of Fort Worth will be guest speaker Sunday morning at the Unitarian Church of Midland, 3400 North A St.

Mr. Latham, pastor of Fort Worth's Jefferson Unitarian Church, will have as his topic, "The Creative Fusion of Idealism and Reality" for the 10:45 a.m. service. The service will be open to the public.

Prayer Breakfast Held By Jaycees

Midland Jaycees held a prayer breakfast Thursday morning in Rodeway Inn at which pastors of members were special guests.

Dr. L. L. Morriss, pastor of Midland's First Baptist Church, was the featured speaker at the gathering, attended by approximately two dozen members and guests. Jim Sale, Jaycees chaplain, served as master of ceremonies.

'White Christmas' Program Scheduled

West Kentucky Avenue Baptist Chapel has scheduled special Christmas observances in its Sunday services.

A "White Christmas" program is planned during the morning worship hour beginning at 11 o'clock, preceded by special programs in the various Sunday school departments, said the Rev. B. A. Rogers, pastor.

Following the Sunday evening service, beginning at 7, an all-church Christmas party will be held, after which groups will form to make carol-singing tours of the neighborhood.

Sand Dune Denizen
The small fringe-footed sand lizard can run headon into sand dunes at 15 miles per hour speeds and disappear.

Burrall To Be Installed Sunday

The Rev. Elmer E. Burrall will be officially installed as pastor of Hope Lutheran Church during a special service Sunday evening.

Mr. Burrall came to the pastorate of the Midland church on Dec. 1; formerly, he was

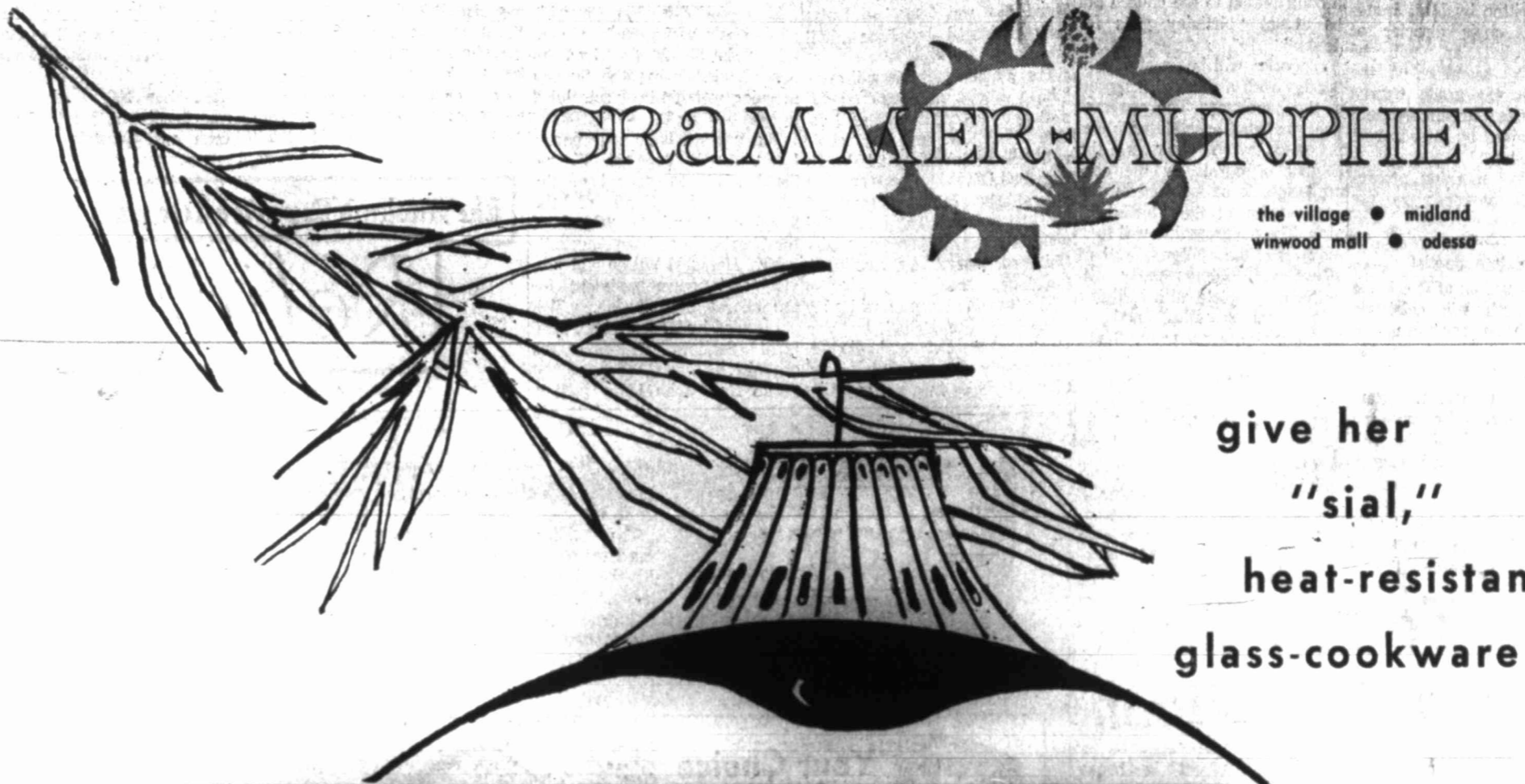
pastor of a church at Fountain Valley, Ariz., and before that had served congregations in Ohio and was a missionary to India.

The 7:30 p.m. service, which will be open to the public, will have Dr. Phillip Wahlberg of

Austin, president of the Texas-Louisiana Synod of the Lutheran Church in America, as a special guest. He will be the officiant at the installation ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Lester Utz, pastor of Trinity

Lutheran Church at Big Spring. Other Lutheran pastors in this area also are to participate in the ceremony.

A reception will be held in the church fellowship hall following the installation service.



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Cowboys End Season Saturday

Dallas Is Missing From NFL Playoffs

By The Associated Press
There's only one prize left as the National Football League winds up its regular season this weekend—pride. The playoff berths are all filled, and it will be a long winter for those whose season end by Sunday.

But games Saturday and Sunday will be played for pride, hope for next season and, in some cases, jobs.

Three games Saturday will pit playoff-bound Minnesota at Kansas City, Cincinnati at playoff-bound Pittsburgh and Dallas at playoff-bound Oakland.

On Sunday, the New York Giants will be at St. Louis, Chicago travels to Washington, Buffalo is at Los Angeles, Cleveland goes to Houston, New England plays at Miami, Detroit is at Philadelphia, San Diego plays host to Denver, the New York Jets are at Baltimore, New Orleans is at San Francisco and Green Bay is at Atlanta.

Only one game — Buffalo at Los Angeles — matches two teams who still have a shot at a Super Bowl berth.

The Minnesota-Kansas City contest pits the Super Bowl IV teams, but times have changed since their 1970 meeting. Minnesota captured the National Conference Central Division crown this season and wants to open postseason play with the winning habit.

Kansas City is saddled with its worst record since 1963, the first year the Chiefs played in the Missouri city.

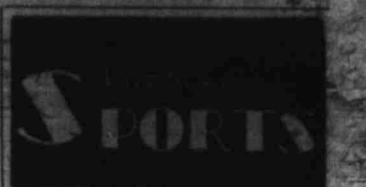
American Conference Central champion Pittsburgh would like to atone for an earlier loss this season to Cincinnati, and Terry Bradshaw is likely to get the starting nod as the Steelers quarterback. The Bengals will be going with Wayne Clark, who finished up last week after starting quarterback Ken Anderson was injured.

Dallas is missing the playoffs for the first time in nine years while Oakland, the AFC West winner, has posted the NFL's top record with an 11-2 mark.

St. Louis, 9-4, can capture the NFC East crown with a victory over the Giants. If Washington wins, the Cardinals and Redskins will both finish with 10-4 records. But the Cards would get the title since they defeated Washington twice.

Chicago, 4-9, has turned to Bobby Douglass, the league's best running quarterback, after passer Gary Huff was injured. Washington has a three-quarterback attack — Billy Kilmer throws, Sonny Jurgensen holds for kicks and Joe Theismann is the punt rumbler specialist.

Buffalo and Los Angeles are both 9-4 with the Bills the AFC wild card entry and Los Angeles the NFC West winner. The



Brett Blackwell paces Lee attack

Rebels In El Paso For 2-Game Series

EL PASO — Coach Paul Stueckler's Midland Lee Rebels open a two-day tour of El Paso tonight by facing the El Paso Austin Panthers in the Austin Gymnasium at 8 p.m. (CST).

Lee, with an 8-1 season record and an earlier 57-49 victory over the Panthers, take on Coach Alvin Gildwell's crew which sports a 12-1 mark including a 57-55 victory over Midland High in the third place game in the Tall City Tournament two weeks ago.

Austin will be seeking revenge in tonight's game after the Rebels handed the Border City five its only loss to date.

Lee then takes on El Paso Irvin's Rockets, who are 8-3 on the year in a 9 p.m. (CST) battle Saturday night to conclude the two-day stay. Irvin has a tall team which is led by 6-5 senior Tim Viertel and Scott Parker, a 6-4 senior. The only losses by Coach Ed Haller's Rockets were to the tall and talented El Paso Bowie Bears and a two-point loss to Odessa Ector in the Odessa Invitational last weekend.

Stueckler will go with his usual starting five in tonight's game with Austin which include Brett Blackwell, 6-0 senior and 6-2 senior Ron Farish at the guard slots. The forwards will be Junior Miller, a 6-5 junior and 6-0 senior Gary Parson with 6-4 senior Jeff Jackson at the post slot.

Blackwell leads the Lee scoring parade with a 17.0 average while Miller and Farish are scoring at an 11.1 clip and Jackson 10.0 per outing.

KLAPPROTH WINNER — Tom Dunlap, right, receives annual Theresa Klapproth Academic Award at Midland Bulldog Football Banquet Thursday night from Bill Wells in the MHS Cafeteria. Dunlap, an all-district performer at offensive tackle, has a 3.9 grade average going into the second half of the current school year. (Staff Photo by Johnny Virden.)

Football Banquet — Dunlap Receives Klapproth Award

By BOB DILLON
Tom Dunlap, all-district tackle for Midland, was named the recipient of the annual Theresa Klapproth Academic Award Thursday night at the Bulldog football banquet in the Midland High School Cafeteria.

Dunlap, who had recorded a grade average of 3.9 through this past semester also shared another top honor, that of being named Outstanding Bulldog Lineman along with Bruce Smith.

Dave Widner, MHS Booster Club President, was the master of ceremonies during the buffet-style banquet honoring the 1974 Midland Bulldogs, who under Coach John Reddell, racked up a 6-2-2 season record which included ties with the two co-champions, Midland Lee and San Angelo.

Top Performer
Dunlap, a 195-pounder, made the shift from a linebacker slot to offensive tackle and made the District 5-4A eleven along with Smith, fullback Mike Gaddy, defensive end Steve Campbell, linebacker Mitch Irvin, cornerback Sam Jordan and end lineman Randall McCleskey.

Campbell gave the opening prayer with Smith winding up the gala evening with the closing prayer.

Principal Audrey Gill introduced the honored guests before Widner introduced the head table.

Presentations were made to the Homecoming Queen — Michele Hickey and the Football Sweetheart, Brenda Matejek along with the cheerleaders and Possette Officers.

Besides the Theresa Klapproth Award, Gill gave the

annual Audrey Gill Fighting Bulldog Award to Campbell while Gaddy, District 5-4A's most valuable back, was named Most Valuable Player by his teammates and Reddell presented Sam (The Slam) Jordan with the Coaches Award.

The banquet was broken down into quarters with interruptions by members of the football team with the coaches being given special attention in just along with individual players.

Reddell praised the 1974 Bulldog eleven which played above his expectations after being picked for a sixth place finish at the first of the season by the sports writers and coaches in District 5-4A. Reddell said that his team was as good as any in the loop and told the team and gathering how proud he was and in return, fans and players alike, let him know how much they appreciate his coaching and hard-working staff.

Highlight Film
The banquet wound up with a highlight film of all 10 games in color which got a great response from the crowd.

Reddell introduced 26 seniors, 26 juniors and one sophomore that made up the 1974 Bulldog football team. They included Tim Blonkvist, Steve Campbell, Terry Copeland, Hoyt Cowden, Brent Dotson, Tom Dunlap, Mike Gaddy, Dusty Hicks, Neil Hill, Ron Hill, Sam Hubert, Mike Hudspeth, Mitch Irvin, Rufus Johnson, Sam Jordan, Terrill Littlejohn, Randall McCleskey, Derrick Michael, Bill Newberry, Scott Pollard, Bill Rhotsberry, Bruce Smith, Larry Underwood, (Continued On Page 2B)

FACE LAWTON TONIGHT IN TOURNEY Bulldogs Blast Coyotes

WICHITA FALLS — Coach James Cagle's Midland Bulldogs, behind the hot shooting of Michael Cobb, Donnie Roberts and Bobby Chinn, gunned down Wichita Falls Coyotes, 71-61, in the opening round of the Midwestern Invitational Basketball Tournament Thursday night.

The victory moves the Purple Pack into the semifinals today at 9:45 p.m. against Lawton, Okla., a 69-65 overtime winner over Wichita Falls Rider in another opening round battle. In other first round action, Pampa won its eighth game in nine outings, beating Dallas Spruce, 64-58, while W. T. White of Dallas, nipped Wichita Falls Hirschi, 55-54.

Cobb, a 6-5 senior, flipped in 19 points while Roberts, also a 6-5 senior, added 15 and Chinn, a 6-2 senior, pumped in 13 for the Pack which stands 6-3 on

the year going into tonight's game with Lawton.

Midland took a 17-14 first period lead on the Coyotes, but Wichita Falls came back to outscore the Tall City entry, 18-13 for a halftime advantage of 32-30.

The Bulldogs enjoyed a big third period, outscoring the Red River team, 23-14 for a 53-46 lead going into the fourth period.

Cagle's crew again outscored the Coyotes, 18-15 in the final period to win going away despite a 25-point performance of Zac Ellis. The only other Coyote in the double figures was Bob Gillespie with 10 points.

| Midland (71) | Wichita Falls (61) |
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| Chinn 15 | Hogers 10 |
| Cobb 13 | Ellis 11 |
| Smith 11 | Gilgus 10 |
| Nolan 10 | Ellis 10 |
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| Johnson 8 | Kimball 10 |
| Kerr 7 | Pugh 10 |
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The difference in the game came at the free throw line with Midland cashing in on 15 charity tosses compared to only seven by Wichita Falls.

"We were really tired from our two games on Monday and Tuesday, but the kids came back real well in the second half to pull it out," said Cagle. Midland played Fort Stockton at home Monday and then played in Hobbs, N.M. Tuesday and that had some effect on their performance.

"We played about like we did in Hobbs in the first half against the Coyotes, but began to move much better in the second half," added Cagle.

Cagle feels his team has a good chance of gaining the finals on Saturday. "Lawton has good quickness and great ability on the press, but I think if we put together a full game, we will win."

State Titles On Line In Class AAA, B Grid Contests

By The Associated Press
Classes AAA and B decide their schoolboy championships this weekend with bully boys Cuero and Big Sandy, respectively, overwhelming favorites to carry away football title trophies.

Cuero in AAA and Big Sandy in B have been top-ranked most of the season in The Associated Press schoolboy football poll, escaping the wave of upsets which have hit the other three divisions.

Cuero meets a team which is dangerous as its nickname—the Gainesville Leopards, who don't seem to understand why they've been unranked all year. Gainesville meets Cuero at College Station's Kyle Field tonight and it's a wonder the Leopards made it this far. They scored a tying touchdown on a 21-yard pass with one second left last week in the semifinals against Brownwood. The score ended 20-20 and there was a tie in penetrations. Gainesville advanced on first downs 18-15.

Big Sandy and Celia collide Saturday afternoon at Forrester Stadium in Dallas. Big Sandy had a 12-7 score from Moody last week while Celia romped by LeFors. In semifinal action tonight,

Mesquite and Dallas Carter of the Houston's Astrodome; Newton and LaGrange tangle in Conroe in a AA semifinal, and Jim Ned Plays Aledo in Abilene and Grapeland and Falls City meet in Austin's Memorial Stadium in the Class A semifinals.

College Bowl Tilts Scheduled Saturday

By The Associated Press
Two college football championships will be decided Saturday in the Camella Bowl and NAIA finals while other teams will be shooting for prestige alone in the Liberty Bowl and Blue-Gray game which follow.

Delaware and Central Michigan, teams with formidable air and ground power, meet in the Camella Bowl in Sacramento, Calif., to decide the NCAA college division national title.

In Kingsville, Tex., Henderson State, with one of the best small college defenses in the country, will attempt to bottle up Texas A&I's explosive offense in the NAIA championship game.

The two contests kick off a busy period of post-season competition that will include Monday's Liberty Bowl game in College Park, Md., between Tennessee and Maryland and the annual Blue-Gray classic in Montgomery, Ala., pitting college football stars from the north and south.

Both Delaware and Central Michigan have 1,000-yard running backs, with the Blue Hens boasting two — Nate Beasley and Vern Roberts. The Chippewas from Central Michigan are powered on the ground by Walt Hodges.

Both teams have quarterbacks with good arms and good heads. Central Michigan's do-everything player is Mike Franckowiak, one of the nation's best passers. Franckowiak has completed 70 passes — 47 to Matt Means — for 1,076 yards and nine touchdowns. He also rushed for 457 yards and handled Central Michigan's punting and place-kicking chores.

Bill Zwaan, who has thrown for 1,524 yards and 13 touchdowns, leads the Delaware offense. Of his 100 pass completions, 45 have been to Bill Cubit.

The Blue Hens and Chippewas, each once-beaten, arrived at this championship game after a series of playoff games involving eight teams. This is the second year that the NCAA has used playoffs to pick a small college champion. Delaware won the national mythical championship in 1971 and 1972.

Undefeated Texas A&I has won 12 games this season with a powerful offensive machine that has scored six touchdowns or more in five different games. Led by a pair of 1,000-yard running backs, Don Hardeman and Leroy Collins, the Javelinas have averaged 448.3 yards a game, 332 on the ground.

By contrast, once-beaten Henderson State is defense-oriented.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

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General Interest
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Girls
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Ozona, Terrell
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TENNIS
NEW YORK — Chris Evert of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., who won 15 tournaments in the last year, was ranked No. 1 among women tennis players by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association, ending a four-year reign by Billie Jean King.

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FOR NAIA CHAMPIONSHIP— Texas A&I Facing Rugged Henderson

KINGSVILLE, Tex. (AP)—Texas A&I University Saturday has a chance to give South Texas complete dominance of NAIA football this season.

The Texas A&I Javelinas, 12-0, host the Henderson State Reddies, 11-0, in the NAIA championship football game. Kickoff will be at 1:30 p.m. with a near capacity crowd expected at 17,500-seat Javelina Stadium.

If the Javelinas win the title

game, it will mean that teams from South Texas won both the NAIA Division I and Division II titles. Texas Lutheran, located at Seguin, captured the Division II championship by defeating Missouri Valley, 42-0, at Seguin last Saturday.

The championship game matches the Javelinas' explosive offense, best in the NAIA, against the fourth stingiest defense in the NAIA.

Texas A&I has two backs who broke the 1,000-yard barrier rushing this season and has rolled up an average of 448.3 yards per game, including 332 yards per game rushing. The Reddies have allowed an average of only 104.8 yards per game and only 87 yards per game by rushing.

Henderson State's defense has allowed only six touchdowns in 12 games. That figure is even more impressive when one considers that four of the touchdowns came late in the fourth quarter when the outcome of the game was no longer in doubt. Two of the scores came on fumble recoveries, two were by passing and two on short runs.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL— Maryland Bombs DePauw, 113-49

By The Associated Press

The idea to schedule a Maryland-DePauw basketball game was thrown out in Las Vegas, Nev., and it came up craps for the Tigers from Greencastle, Ind.

Maryland's fifth-ranked Terps blacked out DePauw 113-49 Thursday night and, significantly perhaps, the Tigers barely went above the well-known gaming table limit as they trailed 62-22 at halftime.

It was the fifth consecutive victory for unbeaten Maryland, which set a school record with the 64-point winning margin while playing without injured star guard John Lucas.

The mismatch was scheduled several years ago in Las Vegas, at a meeting of athletic directors, by Maryland's Jim Kehoe and DePauw's Tommy Mont, a top athlete for the Terps in the 1950s.

"We agreed to play a game of basketball for old time's sake," Kehoe recalled. "To renew friendships and acquaintances."

It wasn't a laughing matter for Coach Elmer McCall of DePauw, but at least he was realistic. "It's a shame for the fans to see such a one-sided game," he said. "We can play better."

But the Tigers, with a 23-77 record during the past four seasons and 13 this year, were clearly out of their league.

Maryland hit 60 per cent of its shots in the first half, while the Tigers hit 22 per cent and didn't score two consecutive baskets until they ran off an 11-4 string after intermission.

Freshman Chris Patton topped Maryland with 23 points in 25 minutes of action, and senior Tom Roy had a career high 19 while grabbing 15 rebounds.

Elsewhere in college basketball, Bill Cook scored 29 points to lead 14th-ranked Memphis State to a 100-89 victory over East Texas State. Cook scored 19 of his season-high total in the second half as the Tigers opened a 24-point lead before their reserves took over.

Glenn Mosley led Seton Hall on an 18-0 tear at the start of the second half, giving the Pirates a 75-69 victory over St. Bonaventure in the first game of a doubleheader at New York's Madison Square Garden. Phil Sellers scored 22 points and Mike Dabney had 21 to lead Rutgers to an 85-77 victory over Manhattan in the second game.

Kevin Eastman hit six straight free throws in the final six minutes to help Richmond beat Southern Conference foe Davidson 67-61; Kent Allison

pumped in 22 points and grabbed eight rebounds to lead Arkansas to a 63-58 victory over Hofstra; Ken Smith hit 22 points as Tulsa came back from an inconsistent first half to crush Arkansas State 106-89; Ronnie Daniel and Otis Holder led a second-half comeback that gave Oklahoma State a 73-63 victory over Texas; Billy Williams scored on a layup in the closing seconds, giving Stetson University a 68-66 victory over previously unbeaten Western Kentucky and Tony Lester hit five free throws in the last 68 seconds, boosting Colorado to a 70-65 victory over Air Force.

Carlen To Decide Before Bowl Tilt

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP)—Texas Tech football Coach Jim Carlen will decide whether to accept the head coaching position at the University of Southern Carolina before the Dec. 28 Peach Bowl, the Lubbock Avalanche Journal reported today.

Texas Tech faces Vanderbilt in the classic.

"Nobody has imposed any deadline on me. It will be my decision and my decision alone. It is not going to be an easy one," Carlen said when asked about the South Carolina post.

However, he refused further comment on reports from Columbia, S.C., that the South Carolina university's board of trustees offered the post during an interview Wednesday.

South Carolina officials have refused comment similarly.

Board members interviewed Carlen and former Columbia, S.C., high school coach Mooney Player on Wednesday.

Carlen has said he would prefer to be head coach and athletic director at South Carolina should he accept the position.

At Texas Tech he holds just the coaching position.

Paul Dietzel vacated the South Carolina post after two seasons this season. He now serves as athletic director but has no contract.

Grid Banquet—

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John Webb and Sam Zachery, all seniors. Juniors Mike Beane, William Busbee, Tommy Curry, John Evans, Paul Garrett, Mac Gessell, David Hamilton, Troy Hyatt, Harold King, Jeff King, Kyle Lawson, Kim Madden, Ross McCasland, Mike McMillan, Gary Merritt, Bill O'Neill, Clellan Pearce, James Ponder, Sterling Price, Mike Sanders, Roger Shelburne, James Terry, Adam Wagner, Terry Whitaker, James Wortham and James Zachery. Along with sophomore Kevin Widner.

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WYOMING BOSS — Fred Akers, assistant coach at The University of Texas-Austin since 1966, was named head football coach Thursday afternoon at the University of Wyoming in Laramie. The announcement was made with Akers replacing the fired Fritz Shurmur. (AP Wirephoto.)

Greenwood Cage Meet Lee Sophs, Rangers In Semifinals

First round action in the Greenwood Girls and Boys Invitational Basketball Tournament was completed Thursday at the Greenwood gym and there were a few surprises along the way.

Stanton, Grady, Midland Lee sophomores and Greenwood advanced to the championship bracket in the boys competition while Greenwood, Borden County, Alpine and Ira took opening round victories in the girls division.

The Stanton Bulldogs pulled off the most impressive victory of the tournament with a narrow 55-53 victory over the Midland High sophomores. Bobby Richardson led the Buff

attack with 14 points while Vernon Brown added 11. Craig Dunn had 28 and Phillip Ward had 20, but those two efforts were not enough to gain victory for the Bulldogs.

Midland Lee ran wild over Ira with an easy 72-44 win. Roy Smith led the Rebels with 14 points and Billy Ennis hit for 12. Ira's Tom Daves hit 17 points while Carl Smith contributed 15.

Darryl Pruitt's 26 points led Greenwood to a 67-65 victory over Klondike. That was the same score that the two teams managed the last time they met. Glen Cox aided the Ranger cause with 15 points while Jimmy Bradford paced Klondike with 23 points. Randy Airhart had 16.

Greenwood, the girls favorite, got off to a fast start with a sound 81-42 victory over Reagan County. Terresa Smith connected for 30 points while Capri Kimberow hit for 14. Reagan County's Dorothy Phillips led all girl scorers with 33 points.

Ira downed Stanton 67-41 with Nancy Sterling carrying 27 points and Rhonda Corbell hitting for 20. Sherrie Smith had 16 and Vickie Christian sank 14 for Stanton.

Julie Gessell's 30 points paced Alpine over Post, 55-36. Melanie King led Post with 24 points.

Patricia Farmer also hit 30 points to lead Borden County to a 67-56 victory over Grady. Joanna Sawyer hit 26 for the losers.

Action in today's boys division began at 12:30 p.m. with the Midland Sophomore Borden County in the consolation bracket. Klondike and Ira will meet at 3 p.m. while Stanton will tangle with Grady at 5:40 p.m. Midland Lee's sophomores and Greenwood will battle in the 8:20 p.m. feature tilt.

In the girls division, Stanton was to meet Post at 11 a.m. while Reagan County was to tangle with Grady at 1:40 p.m. In the championship bracket, Alpine will meet Ira at 4:20 p.m. while Greenwood will test Borden County at 7 p.m.

Action will end Saturday with the girls finale at 7 p.m. and the boys finale at 8:20 p.m.

Bengal's Myers Dodges Cattle In Off Season

CINCINNATI, Ohio (AP)—Dodging cattle in Texas in the off-season was good practice for Cincinnati Bengals wide receiver Chip Myers who believes it is even more important for Saturday's game with the rugged Pittsburgh Steelers.

Myers, who leads the team with 32 catches, said he really doesn't feel crowded on a National Football League field anymore.

Not after nursing 40,000 beef cattle at Hereford, Tex., all last year, said Myers. The seven-year veteran will return there after this week's season final game.

The Bengals are behind 5-4 in their series with the Steelers and have not won in Pittsburgh since the Steelers moved to Three Rivers Stadium, "which is a bugaboo for us," said Myers.

The Bengals knocked off the Steelers 17-10 earlier in the season, then went on to a non-disrupt season which saw injuries to 11 starters. Pittsburgh has already won the American Football Conference Central Division of the NFL.

Myers led Cincinnati receivers in 1970 and 1972, but was

injured most of last year when Isaac Curtis made his spectacular rookie season. Curtis has 30 receptions and 10 touchdowns to Myers' one touchdown this season.

"None of us has been doing that much this season because we are messenger guards, or rather messenger receivers," said Myers, adding that the receivers have also suffered fewer injuries.

Myers, who grew up in Oklahoma, went west again for the first time in seven years after last season to resume cattle punching.

Sports Scoreboard

| NHL | | | | NBA | | | |
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| W | L | T | Pts | W | L | T | Pts |
| Philadelphia | 18 | 6 | 4 | 40 | 105 | 68 | |
| Atlanta | 12 | 9 | 2 | 31 | 62 | 89 | |
| NY Rangers | 12 | 9 | 7 | 31 | 67 | 88 | |
| NY Islanders | 11 | 9 | 8 | 30 | 94 | 77 | |

| Eastern Conference | | | | Western Conference | | | |
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| W | L | T | Pts | W | L | T | Pts |
| Washington | 19 | 7 | 5 | 721 | | | |
| Cleveland | 14 | 10 | 3 | 383 | | | |
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| Boston | 15 | 10 | 3 | 388 | | | |
| Philadelphia | 15 | 10 | 3 | 388 | | | |

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| W | L | T | Pts | W | L | T | Pts |
| Golden State | 14 | 14 | 3 | 319 | | | |
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Flyers Crush North Stars

Rangers Tie Washington In NHL Tilt

By The Associated Press

Reggie Leach is scoring more these days — and enjoying it less. "I don't like playing in games like this" the Philadelphia Flyer said after scoring three goals against the Minnesota North Stars. In the Flyers' last nine National Hockey League games, Leach has tallied 11 goals.

"You know they are trying to set you up and you get away from the system," Leach said. "It took me long enough to learn things here. I spent most of the night in the slot waiting for passes. I would rather play a good, hard hockey game."

Bobby Clarke, the Flyers' captain who assisted on all three Leach goals, also complained about the system of feeding Leach. "When you start setting up one guy, people tend to get hurt," Clarke said. "You're not playing your usual style."

The Philadelphia style crushed, however, as the Flyers crushed the North Stars 6-0.

In other NHL games Thursday, the New York Rangers and the Washington Capitals tied 6-6, Montreal and Pittsburgh wound up in a 3-3 deadlock, St. Louis edged Detroit 4-3, Boston stomped Los Angeles 8-1, Vancouver defeated Buffalo 5-3 and Kansas City downed California 5-3.

Bruins 8, Kings 1
The Boston Bruins smashed Los Angeles' unbeaten road record with two goals in each of the first two periods and a four-goal barrage in the final period.

Blues 4, Wings 3
Gary Unger scored the tying goal at 6:46 of the third period, then assisted on the go-ahead goal 51 seconds later to pace the St. Louis Blues over the Detroit Red Wings.

Canucks 5, Sabres 3
Jerry O'Flaherty and Don Lever wasted no time breaking a 3-3 tie when the third period began. O'Flaherty's second goal of the game for Vancouver came with only 18 seconds elapsed in the final period. Just 39 seconds later, Lever grabbed O'Flaherty's missed shot and stuffed it past the Buffalo goalie.

Scouts 5, Seals 3
Kansas City jumped out to a 4-0 lead early in the third period, then held off a furious California rally that fell one goal short at 4:3. Richard Lemieux paced the Scouts with two goals, including the final one that gave the expansion Kansas City team the cushion it needed for its fifth victory.

Sports Shorts

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia 76ers have reactivated Coniel Norman, 21, a 6-foot-5 guard from Arizona. He was a third-round choice in the National Basketball Association's hardship draft.

Norman was placed on waivers two days before the start of the NBA season but remained in Philadelphia. A club spokesman said he would be in uniform against the Milwaukee Bucks here tonight.

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Crusaders of the World Hockey Association have announced the recall of center Robbie Neale from their Cape Cod farm club in the North American Hockey League.

Neale scored 15 goals and had 10 assists in 23 games with Cape Cod this season. He played in 43 games as a rookie with the Crusaders last season.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Paul Welp, one of the oldest active drivers in harness racing, died Thursday, a week after his last race. He was 83.

In recent years Welp raced his own mare, Dottie S., at Bell Park.

Funeral arrangements were not announced.

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Notre Dame fullback Wayne Bullock and linebacker Greg Collins were named 1974 Most Valuable Players on offense and defense at the Fighting Irish's annual football banquet Thursday.

Bullock, a senior, gained 1,809 yards and scored 23 touchdowns in three seasons. Collins, a co-captain this year, was the team's leading tackler the past two seasons.

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP) — Richard Jochums of Long Beach State has been named swimming coach of the year by the American Swimming Coaches Association, the University has announced.

Jochums, who last month was named to the coaching staff of the U.S. swim team for the upcoming Pan American games, was voted coach of the year during the association world clinic Dec. 5-7 at Las Vegas, Nev.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Promoter Aileen Eaton says Bobby Chacon's first defense of his World Boxing Council featherweight crown may be against Papalero Estrada of Guadalajara, Mexico's 126-pound division champion.

Mrs. Eaton, who represents the Olympic Boxing Club, said Estrada, ranked No. 10 in the latest WBC rankings, was scheduled to arrive here today to negotiate a date with Chacon in early February.



LOOSE BALL—Atlanta guard Dean Meminger, left, loses the ball in first quarter action in NBA game Thursday night in Atlanta. Keith Wilkes, right, of the Golden State Warriors loose ball with Meminger and John Brown. The Warriors won, 129-109. (AP Wirephoto.)

PRO BASKETBALL ROUNDUP— Barry's 41 Points Burn Hawk Five

By The Associated Press

"The only thing that could have saved us tonight was for Rick Barry to run into a door coming out of the dressing room," said Atlanta Coach Cotton Fitzsimmons. Barry missed the door, but hit the basket. Golden State's golden forward, despite feeling sick and not ready to play, burned the Hawks with 41 points Thursday night to lead a 129-109 victory.

"It didn't matter who the Hawks put on Barry, it didn't make much difference," said Fitzsimmons. Barry's playing the greatest ball of anybody in the NBA. He's not just shooting well, he's passing well and doing everything well.

In the other NBA games, the Kansas City-Omaha Kings stopped the Milwaukee Bucks

113-106 and the Buffalo Braves belted the Houston Rockets 124-113. In the only American Basketball Association game, the Spirits of St. Louis trimmed the Utah Stars 96-91 and the San Antonio Spurs hammered the San Diego Conquistadors 117-98.

Golden State's triumph snapped a two-game losing streak for the Pacific Division leaders. Barry connected on his first eight shots and had 17 points in the opening quarter as Golden State took a 33-32 edge before exploding to a 69-49 half-time margin.

Kings 113, Bucks 106
Kansas City-Omaha, sparked by 25 points from Nate Archibald, built a 12-point lead with 3:34 to play and held off a furious Milwaukee comeback to beat the Bucks.

Kings 113, Bucks 106
Center Sam Lacey added 18 points for the Kings, who

snapped a skid of six defeats in their previous seven games. Bob Dandridge scored 34 for the Bucks, who had won seven of their previous nine.

Braves 124, Rockets 113
Buffalo, led by Bob McAdoo and Randy Smith, scored 43 points in the first quarter and coasted past Houston.

McAdoo, who did not play in the fourth quarter, led all scorers with 32 points. Smith chipped in with 29 as the Braves rolled to a 70-50 lead at the half.

Spurs 117, Conquistadors 98
Donnie Freeman pumped in 28 points and three other San Antonio players contributed 33 each as the Spurs rolled over San Diego.

Freeman's outside shooting put the Spurs ahead in the first quarter 30-21. Rich Jones, George Gervin and Swen Nater, each with 23 points, then started to work on the Q's. Nater dominated the boards with 24 rebounds. Caldwell Jones had 22 points and 18 rebounds for the Q's while George Adams added 17.

Spirits 96, Stars 91
Goo Kennedy came off the bench with 11 points in the final period to lead St. Louis over Utah. The 6-foot-6 Kennedy teamed with rookie Marvin Barnes in spurring St. Louis to a 29-point final period performance that wiped out a 77-64 Utah lead.

Barnes collected six of his 24 points during the rally and finished as the Spirits' high scorer.

Owls Stage Upset In Cage Tourney

OZONA — Reagan County, Sweetwater, Eldorado and Ozona all came away with first round victories here Thursday in the Ozona Invitational Basketball Tournament.

The Reagan County Owls pulled off the most impressive victory of the day with a heart thumping 43-42 decision over AAA Lake View. George Thompson led the way with 14 points while Jennings Teel added 11.

Sweetwater belted Class A Rankin by a 62-38 count with Alfred Hunt high for the Mustangs with 14 points. Rankin's Gary Vnadore led all scorers in the game, however, with 16 points.

In other first round action, Ozona ran over Iraan, 84-57, with Frank Garza pumping in 15 points. Elguea of Iraan had 24 points.

Eldorado managed a 53-44 verdict over Sonora. In today's action, Reagan County meets Sweetwater while Ozona takes on Eldorado in the winners bracket. Rankin will test Lake View and Sonora will meet Iraan in the losers bracket.

World Grid Loop Needs Infusion

NEW YORK (AP) — Some

folks who are interested in owning a professional football team will be asked today if they are willing to shell out several million dollars each in the hope they may get it back in a few years. If the answer is no, the World Football League may die in a few months.

It will not be that simple, of course, but that does illustrate what must happen if the WFL is to play a 1975 season without the crisis-a-minute features of its just-completed first year.

Birmingham, the WFL champion, is one of many franchises which must have new investors. Its and the league's plight were illustrated on Thursday by Birmingham publicity man Tommy McCollister, who said, "Nobody around here's giving up. We're just like the Alamo. We'll be here 'til the last one is shot."

Owners of WFL teams and potential investors begin two days of meetings here today with league officials, including new President Chris Hemmeter.

Hemmeter has a reorganization plan which he says will prevent tax liens, failure to pay

Chris, Jimmy Named No. 1 In Rankings

NEW YORK (AP) — Chris

Everett joined her former fiancé, Jimmy Connors, today in the throne room of American tennis and reiterated that separate roads lie ahead for the king and queen of the game.

There were no congratulatory phone calls exchanged when the two were designated as No. 1 in the national rankings this week by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association.

"There are no plans for a wedding," the 19-year-old Chris said from her home in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., after being informed that she had replaced Billie Jean King at the top of the women's list.

Connors had been designated as best of the men, breaking last year's tie with Stan Smith, earlier in the week.

It marks the first time that either has been No. 1 and sheds some light on the mutual decisions of the two young court stars to call off a scheduled fall wedding.

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Michigan Takes WHA Ice Win

By The Associated Press

The Michigan Stags just acquired Pierre Guite and he came through Thursday night with a three-goal performance to lead Michigan to a 5-3 World Hockey Association victory over the Winnipeg Jets. Guite's performance apparently was catching as teammate Guy Trotter scored the other two Stag goals.

In other WHA games, Phoenix stopped Vancouver 4-2 and Quebec downed Cleveland 5-2. After Winnipeg jumped out to a 1-0 lead on Ulf Nilsson's goal, Trotter tallied once and Guite found the range twice to

shoot Michigan into a 3-1 advantage. Guite's 17th score of the season and third of the night came at 6:53 of the third period and Trotter finished the Stags' victory with a shot into an empty net.

Nordiques 5, Crusaders 2
The Nordiques exploded in the third period to break a 2-2 tie and clobber Cleveland, moving Quebec to within one point of the division-leading Toronto Toros. Christian Bordeleau, Serge Bernier and Marc Tardif scored in the final period for the Nordiques after Cleveland had taken an early lead.

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Benny-Burns Friendship Legendary In Tinsel Town

By BOB THOMAS
LOS ANGELES (AP) — In a town where friendship is as fleeting as a starlet's fame, the 50-year association of Jack Benny and George Burns is legendary.

They are legends themselves. Benny, 80, entertainer of three generations, was one of vaudeville's smoothest funny-men. He starred in radio ever stingy, ever 39. His films ranged from "To Be or Not to Be," to "The Horn Blows at Midnight." One of the few radio comedians to succeed in television, he continues to appear in his own specials.

Burns, 78, is best known for his cigar and rakish humor. For 36 years he played the patient straight man for scater-brained Gracie Allen. They, too, starred in vaudeville, radio, films and television. But Gracie retired in 1958 and died in 1964. And Burns created a new role as a successful stand-up comedian.

The Benny-Burns friendship has flourished in the often competitive world of show business. Nearly every day when they're in town, they meet for lunch at the Hillcrest Country Club, joining a comedian's round table for the latest jokes and gossip. Recently they lunched with a reporter for a session of reminiscence.

Both seemed fit considering

their recent hospitalizations. Burns underwent open-heart surgery several months ago. Benny canceled a performance in Dallas because of stomach pains but was declared well after hospital tests here.

Was it fun playing vaudeville — or just work?
Benny: "Oh, it was fun. I'll tell you why: you didn't have to worry about writing all the time. If you got a good act together, you could play it for seven years. Because you were in a different town every week, you know?"

Burns: "And another thing: nobody could steal your jokes, the way they do today. If you caught somebody using your material, you could send your original act to Pat Casey (Labor executive for the theater owners) and he'd make the guy stop. Nowadays if other comedians don't steal your jokes, you fire your writers."

Benny: "But they never stole from George and me. We don't use one-liners. We're story tellers; we start talking and one

line leads into another." Was vaudeville really as good as people's memories of it?
Benny: "Sure it was. Every city in America had a big-time vaudeville house, and they had top performers. Of course there were small-time houses, too, and that's where the talent had a chance to train. You know, George Jessel is always saying

that there's no place for talent to be lousy any more. It's true. All of us had a chance to be lousy in small-time vaudeville and gradually we learned how to be good."

Burns: "That's right. We all built our acts gradually, learning what would get laughs and what wouldn't."
Benny: "You learned what were things you did best, and bit by bit you developed your own style. You ended up with 17 minutes of surefire material."

Burns: "That was how you determined how successful an act was. The smaller acts did 10-12 minutes. You'd ask a vaudevillian how he was doing, and he'd answer 'Seventeen minutes.' That meant he was playing next to closing (the star's position on the bill)."

Were there times when that "surefire material" didn't get laughs?
Benny: "Sometimes. There were some routines that you were sure of, like when Gracie

kissed me and asked, 'Who was that?' And sometimes you'd do your act at Monday matinees and nothing happened. Then Monday night you'd get big laughs. Why? I don't know."

Benny: "The only time I found when my act wouldn't work was when I was following another comedy act, particularly knockabout comedy. One time I had to follow the Marx Brothers for 13 weeks in a row. It was just murder. The bad thing is that the minute you lay an egg it hurts your timing."

Did you change your material when you played "the sticks"?
Benny: "Never. We never knew what 'the sticks' were. Audiences were the same everywhere."

Benny: "Every town had its sophisticated audience, whether it was New York City or South Bend."

They could tell, Benny added, when vaudeville started dying. "Gradually the audiences got smaller. The people just weren't coming in," Benny said.

Burns: "Vaudeville couldn't compete with talking movies. For a dollar you could go to the Roxy Theater in New York and see 70 musicians, 60 Rockettes kicking in unison, a feature movie — and on the way out they pressed your pants and did your income tax for you. Vaudeville never changed."

Benny: "And radio killed vaudeville. People stayed home to hear it. Here's a funny thing. In theaters all over the country they would stop the movie and play the Amos 'n' Andy radio show!"

When vaudeville died, Benny and Burns changed gracefully to radio, worrying initially if

they could produce enough material for a weekly show. They were successful.

Burns: "We were blessed with some great writers. They'd come to you with four-five pages of jokes. If you didn't like them, they'd go into the next room and write four-five more pages. In vaudeville, we'd go to Altoona to try out

Comedy, the pair agrees, has changed over the years.
Benny: "Well, we're all more sophisticated than we used to be. In the last five or six years I have been telling risque stories that I would never have done before. People expect it nowadays. But George and I would never use four-letter

words." Will they ever retire?
"Never," said Burns.
"Well," said Benny, "It's tough not to retire. Sometimes I think..."

Burns: "What would you do — stay home with Mary? How long have you been with her?"
Benny: "Almost 50 years."
Burns: "Well isn't it nice to get out of town?"

—And on the way out they pressed your pants and did your income tax for you—Burns on talking movies.

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Just Wait Until Next Election

By NANCY ANDERSON
Copley News Service
HOLLYWOOD — Like losers after our Nov. 5 balloting, Sean Connery is looking forward to the next election; not because he hopes to recapture a lost office, but because he thinks it will give his party, the Scottish Nationalists, a strong position in Britain.

While most persons (or at least most persons who've even heard of these small, freedom-

minded factions) are inclined to pooch-pooch the Scottish Nationalists, the self-determination-for-Wales group and the segment demanding liberty for the Isle of Jersey, Connery says the Scottish Nationalists should be taken quite seriously.

During a day off from work in "The Wind and the Lion," his new Columbia-MGM movie, the former James Bond discussed the matter.

Because Connery was such an effective James Bond, the tongue-in-cheek, sex-and-sock-'em hero of a series of spy movies, one might be inclined to dismiss his political opinions as those of an intellectual lightweight.

But to do so would be as big a mistake as to write off Robert Vaughn and Ronald Reagan as political dilettantes. Former Agent 007 is informed and earnest about Scotland's plight.

"I'm a member of the Scottish Nationalist party, and I adhere to what it's attempting to do," Connery said firmly, "because the Scots have been greatly neglected."

"As for the possibility of Scot-

ish independence, it's definite. "In our elections just two weeks ago many Labor strongholds which had never been threatened before just got home, which means that in two years Scottish Nationalists will be firmly entrenched. I think we will upset Labor."

In the election to which he referred, Scottish Nationalist seats in the House of Commons were increased by more than a third, leaping from seven to 11 in number.

"They've asked me to run for office, but I wouldn't do that," Connery went on, "because I don't think I'm skillful enough, nor am I too as those of an intellectual for office, but I wouldn't do that." Connery went on, "because I don't think I'm skillful enough, nor am I too as those of an intellectual

"If I know something, I can't pretend not to know it just to create an effect. To be successful in politics, you have to deal with a mask better than I can."

Connery's intellectual depth is evident in his interests other than acting.

In addition to being active in politics, he's a director of a bank and of an industrial

communications company, and is involved in a labor-management firm, an automobile business and various additional enterprises.

Born in Edinburgh, he's a proud descendent of two stubborn and notable Scottish clans, his mother having been born a McLean and his grandmother a Ross, so, if pride in Scotland were genetically hereditary, Connery's would be part of his blood and his bones.

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The show, which began Thursday, offers paintings in a variety of media, craft items and baked goods, club spokesmen said. The public is invited to come browse with an eye toward Christmas giving.

Don't Laugh About Craving
NEW YORK (AP) — Take it from comedian Bill Cosby and singer Helen Reddy: do more than just laugh when your wife comes up with sudden cravings for exotic foods.

Sure, says Cosby on a new weekly television health series, your wife must be pregnant to want an okra and jelly sandwich on raisin bread with a pickle.

But, as the comedian and Miss Reddy say, a mother should also get good prenatal care, which could spell the difference between life and death for the mother or child.

Cosby and Miss Reddy are among the stars who appear on "Feeling Good," an experimental prime time show on the Public Broadcasting Service.

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Brass ensembles made up of (High School and Cody Myers, outstanding student musicians Brad Godfrey, Mike Beard, Ted from Midland and Odessa high schools, will have featured spots in the dual Christmas concerts to be offered next week by the Midland-Odessa Symphony and Chorus.

"Christmas With Meaning" is the title of the concert pair, second offering of the new season by the symphony and chorus. The first event is scheduled for 8 p.m. Monday in Odessa's Bonham Junior High School auditorium, while the second concert will be at 8 p.m. in Lee High auditorium here. Season subscription tickets will be valid for either event and, in addition, single admissions will be for sale to the public before the start of each program.

The student brass players will be heard with the orchestra in performances of Ottorino Respighi's exciting and crystal-clear "The Pines of Rome," said Dr. Thomas Hohstadt, musical director-conductor of the symphony.

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Stewart, from left, are pictured in a tense moment in the play. Right photo of the wedding scene shows Eddie Wornell, center, and Kelly Hewitt, right, standing before Mark Folger. Tickets for the 8 p.m. performances, priced at \$2 for adults and \$1 for students, will be on sale at the auditorium doors before curtain time.

'Sherlock Holmes' Stunning Broadway Audiences

By WILLIAM GLOVER
NEW YORK (AP) — John Wood's solution for the mystery of Sherlock Holmes is, in the master's own pet word, elementary.

"Something in our corporate psyche vibrates very strongly with him," deduces the actor now stunning Broadway audiences as fiction's all-time champion sleuth.

Wood has felt obliged to do a lot of musing about the perennial fascination of Arthur Conan Doyle's creation ever since the unheralded production in which he appeared upon London's stage amid "yelps of joy" two seasons ago.

No Occult Foresight

"A year earlier and we'd have been too early," he says, disclaiming any occult foresight on the part of the Royal Shakespeare Company as to timing of the revival. "I don't know whether we started the wave of nostalgia for Holmes or arrived just at the right moment."

"It was really a standby project and was put on because Tom Stoppard was late delivering his new play 'Travesties' and I had nothing else to do."

"The tragic by-blow of this is that 'Travesties' has had only 31 performances and has been put on ice while I concentrate on this."

Economic pressures have

— he's fascinating." The funky, high-energy actor now feels that "if ever there was a mythic figure who existed before an author created him, it was this man."

Out of Wood's own midnight cogitations emerges a theory "which I put forward with great diffidence, that we've come to a time when the analytical, physical sciences just won't hold water any more — when the particle physicists tell us that the physical world does not actually exist in their language. Perhaps we are clinging to a figure who absolutely bodied forth an analytical, scientific approach to life."

"So all the interest in Holmes may mean a nostalgia for the day when pure mind could create a cosmology — and may also point up the fact we are tipping over and moving into something entirely different. In my own life and work I no longer trust the mechanisms I've been taught to trust all my life. I'm wide open to all sorts of other things."

As a self-taught actor of 20 years' effort stretching from undergraduate Oxford through stints in Shakespeare, the Old

Vic and solid involvement as a Royal Shakespeare leading man, 41-year-old Wood came to one unhappy conclusion while preparing his Holmes portrayal.

By his own count he is the 109th actor to impersonate the great detective on the commercial stage or in feature film — "but only four are really remembered, and the most important of all, of course, was Gillette."

Wood saw a few snippets of Gillette on film and collected diverse reports from old-timers who saw him perform.

"The saddest thing about a stage actor," he concluded, "is that 40 years after you die, all that is left is a series of conflicting reports."

"Sherlock Holmes" is a combination of two Doyle stories that reaches obligatory climax in confrontation with Dr. Moriarty, infamous Napoleon of crime. That diabolic character appears opposite Wood in the sepulchral person of Philip Locke.

'Concentric Wombs'

"The stories obviously make a set of marvelously concentric wombs, don't they?" Wood says, analyzing the canon's imperishable appeal. "They start in Holmes' Baker Street retreat, all velvet and twilight. Outside is a very cozy London where you can never see more than 50 yards. It's always dusk — a secure womb in a dangerous world. There's enormous reassurance in the whole ambience."

Wood has been surprised by spectator reaction to the scene in which Holmes gives himself an injection of cocaine.

"In 1891 that was a bit of sheer romance, a marvelously exotic thing," he says. "Now it chills the audience to the marrow. They rush home to check the book that it really took place."

"Which raises a question: do we really live in a permissive society?"

Nigeria May Finance Morris

By NANCY ANDERSON
Copley News Service
HOLLYWOOD — Just back from Nigeria where he starred in "Countdown at Kusini," Greg Morris may soon be heading that way again to firm production plans for a film with Nigerian financing.

"I've been told the money's there," Greg said over lunch the other day at La Famiglia, a Beverly Hills restaurant, "and will be available to back the right script."

"I have several scripts in

hand right now that I'm considering."

"Countdown at Kusini," an adventure-romance, starred Greg, Ruby Dee and Ossie Davis and was directed by Davis.

Greg's own company, GLLIP Productions (the letters are the initials of members of his family), was a co-producing agency, and financing came from Delta Sigma Theta, a black sorority to which both Miss Dee and Greg's wife belong.

The location trip to Nigeria was Greg's first visit to Africa and was disappointing only in that he didn't have time to visit Liberia, a country in which his family has a particular interest.

"I've heard a lot about Liberia," Greg said, "because my aunt and uncle were missionaries there."

"My aunt is in this country now and will stay until after our 200th anniversary celebration in 1976, but then she's going back to Liberia, because she wants to spend her last days there."

Greg is proud of the fact that

"Countdown at Kusini" provided on-the-job training for young Nigerians who worked in every segment of the crew.

Crew chiefs (the prop master, the sound engineer, etc.) were American, but most backup personnel were Nigerian.

And dramatic roles were also filled by Nigerians.

"I played a jazz pianist in the picture," Greg said, enlarging on this theme, "and my backup man was played by one of Nigeria's biggest stars, Jab Adu. He stars in his own television series there, 'Village Headmaster.'"

"It cost us more to make the picture in Nigeria than it would have made it here, but one thing's certain. We've got a film nobody can say was shot on the back lot."

"Nigeria has more green than any place I've ever seen, but I think its biggest asset is its people."

"They are very proud. I never saw a Nigerian walking with sloped shoulders or head bowed."

Recital Scheduled Sunday Afternoon

A recital by piano and organ students of Mrs. J. S. Knauer will be presented at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Mrs. Knauer's studio, 811 Boyd St.

Demonstrating their progress in performance and music theory during the fall months will be: Roseline Lockyer, Kelly Frost, Manda Wyatt, Barbara Lovess, Gary Landa, Tyler Adkins, Teresa Lande, Tommy Beville, Pamela Power, Vicki Madson, Kelly Callaway, Anabelle Beville, David Shanks and Brad Brotherhood, along with three adult students, Mrs. Bolla, Susie, Mrs. Richard Armstrong and Mrs. Gary Rice.

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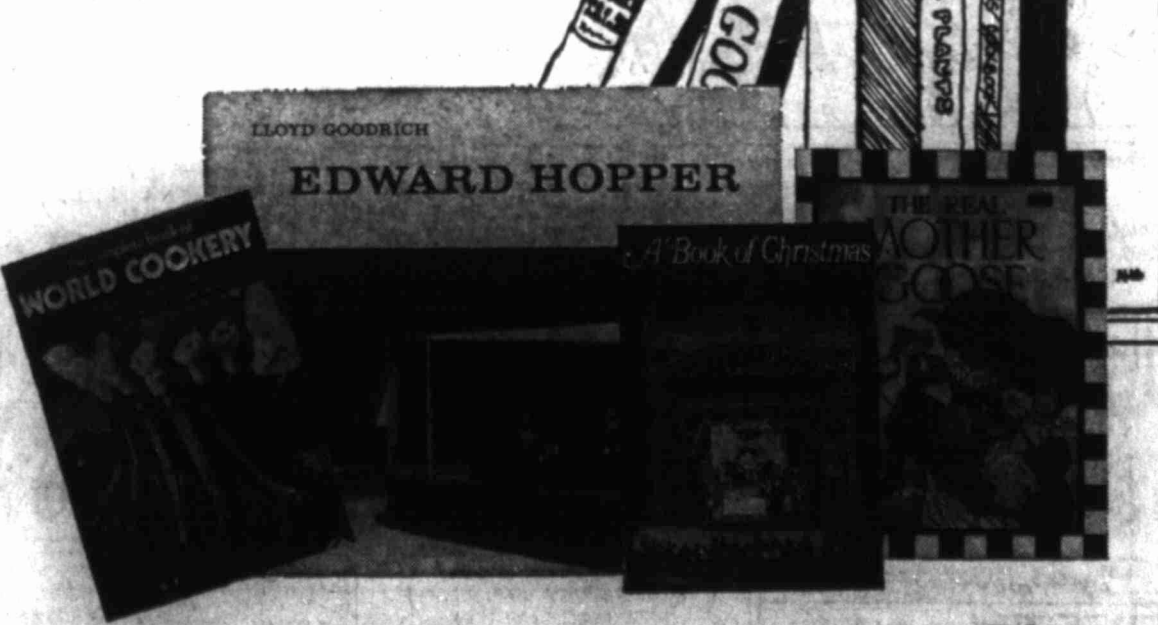
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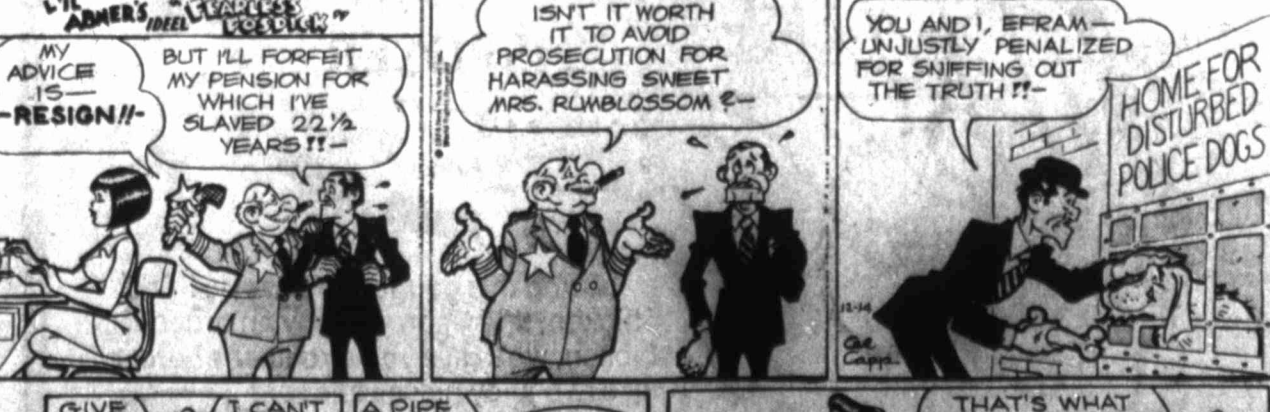
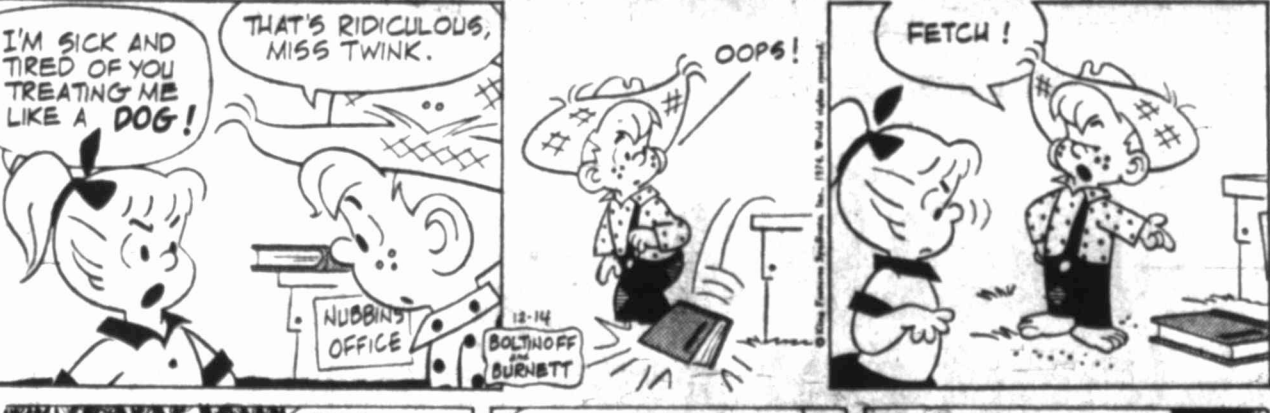
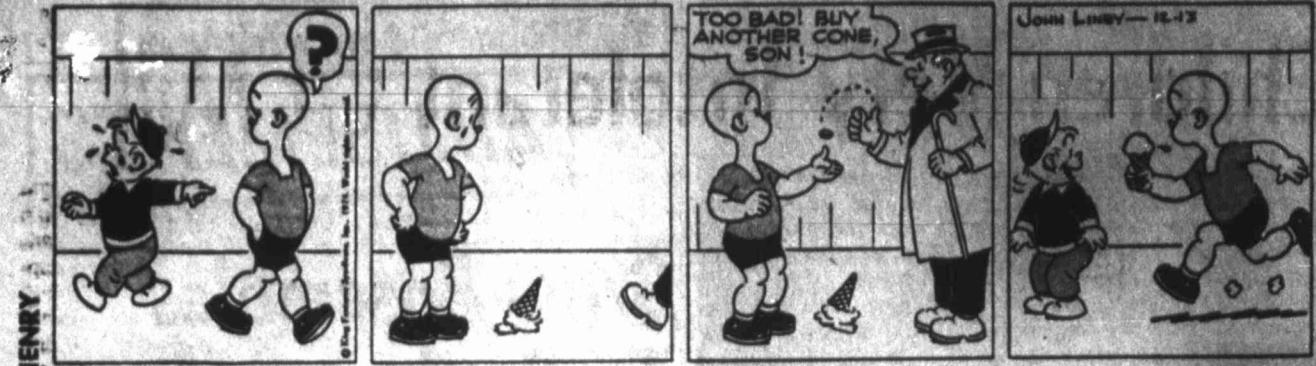


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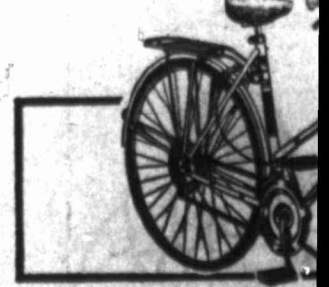
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Tests Find Many Mexican-American Children Very Intolerant Of Milk

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Three researchers at the University of Texas Health Science Center have concluded that Mexican-American children

have a higher tolerance to the natural sugar in milk than Anglo children.

The researchers suggested that children who are not tolerant of the milk sugar, known as lactose, should drink milk in small quantities at a time or take its nutrients through some processed milk products.

The study showed that more

Mexican-American children than Anglo children suffered (cramps, diarrhea and gas) in two different test procedures — one using a solution with more lactose than is in milk and the other using milk.

Nutritionist Eleanor Anne Young, an assistant professor of medicine at the center, said earlier studies have also in-

dicated that milk is not well tolerated by ethnic groups which have an American Indian or Mexican Indian heritage.

A center announcement about the milk studies said amounts of the enzyme lactose which breaks down the milk sugar are believed to be genetically controlled.

The three researchers under-

took the study to determine lactose intolerance in Mexican-American children and to examine the effects of lactose tolerance on nutritional adequacy of the children's diets. Parents were advised from the beginning on the study and results of the research and diet recommendations were given to the parents afterwards, the center's announcement said.

High levels of lactose, which breaks down the naturally occurring lactose when it enters a person's body, are found in almost all mammals at birth, said Dr. Young. The amounts decrease as the animals age.

Large amounts of milk sugar

are found in the mother's milk of most animals but few mammals except man continue to drink milk after weaning, Dr. Young said.

"While milk has long been promoted as a 'nearly perfect food,' it is not perfect for man," Dr. Young said. "Although high in calcium, vitamin A, riboflavin and protein, it is low in iron and vitamins C and D unless fortified with D."

In the research project, the Mexican-American children ranged from 2 to 14 years and a control group of Anglo children drank a solution containing more lactose than found in one glass of milk. The sugar levels

in their blood were then tested at intervals and any gastrointestinal symptoms were recorded for 24 hours.

Both groups were also questioned for symptoms after they drank milk.

Lactose intolerance increased with age in both groups of children but was significantly higher among Mexican-Americans, ranging from 18 to 56 per cent in that group and from zero to 12 per cent in the Anglo group, said the center announcement.

Gastrointestinal symptoms following the lactose test were reported by twice as many Mexican-Americans as Anglo children. In response to drink-

ing milk, none of the Anglo children reported symptoms but 23 per cent of the Mexican-American children were symptomatic.

Since milk does provide important nutrients, Dr. Young suggested that lactose-intolerant children drink milk in small quantities at a time or drink it with other foods.

The center also said aged cheeses and cultured milk such as yogurt and buttermilk are better tolerated because the lactose is partly broken down.

Dr. Young said some food companies are working to develop a method in which the lactose in milk is hydrolyzed and therefore more digestible.

Rural Post Office Boasts Mongrel Dog Stamp Licker

HORNBEAK, Tenn. (AP) — The post office at Hornbeak is a white concrete block building with a flag outside and a mongrel dog inside that licks stamps.

"Yep, that's right," said Postmaster Jerry Short, who owns the dog, Rex. "Licks them right there in the back of the post office when (rural mail carrier Jerry) Tucker holds them out to him. Before we had Rex, Tucker had to lick his own stamps."

To Hornbeak's 300 residents, the dog is a celebrity. He has been licking stamps behind the counter for two years.

"We ought to put him on the

payroll," said Short, whose post office is about 100 miles north of Memphis. "He's the afternoon attraction. They (customers) can see him right through the side of the counter."

Short said Rex doesn't merely drool on the stamps.

"He licks them off a hundred roll," he said. "Sometimes he bites down on one and tries to swallow it, which makes Tucker awfully mad because he has to make up the dime from his own pocket."

Customers on the route leave stamp money in their mailboxes, but Tucker has to put the stamps on the envelopes.

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'None So Fine As Yours'

Dr. L. Glen Neswick, principal of Lee High School, was thoughtful enough to share with The Reporter-Telegram editor "a bit of good news that makes an administrator's day."

And the pews which he shared should be well received by all Midland residents. "During the bi-district football game in Wichita Falls," Neswick wrote, "we had about 260 of our young people — football team, cheerleaders and band — spend the night in the Trade Winds Motel there."

"These are both outstanding and competitive groups and as such, are composed of kids who are spirited, aggressive and competitive. As you can see from the attached letter, these young people from Midland Lee High School are able to conduct themselves as young ladies and gentlemen."

It was the letter from Burl Kirkland, general manager of the motel, about which Dr. Neswick was writing. And here it is:

"It was our pleasure to have your football team and band as guests the weekend of Nov. 22-23. We have had many groups of fine young men and women in the almost 12 years we have been in the motel business, but none quite so fine as yours. It is almost the normal thing with this many young people in a motel to have some damage, or at least complaints from other guests about the noise. We had none of this when your group was here."

"Our highest commendations to a fine faculty and a great group of students."

It is no wonder that Neswick is so very proud of his school's youngsters. Midlanders in general also are proud of the Lee High students, who are typical of all Tall City young people who stand tall in practically every respect.

In times like these when some youths do not always conduct themselves in a prescribed manner, it is reassuring to know that boys and girls from Midland continue to bring praise to their home city when representing it away from home.

Congratulations go to the Lee High students on their excellent behavior, in keeping with past traditions.

Promotions Fine, But...

Nine Hobbs, N.M., policemen received recent promotions in rank, but they will have to depend on Santa Claus or someone other than the city government for pay increases.

The Hobbs Police Department reportedly found it necessary, in order to abide by procedures set forth in the Fair Labor Standards Act, to rewrite job descriptions of supervisory personnel.

As a result, all sergeants on the force were promoted to lieutenants and all corporals to sergeants. The upgrading, however, was done without changing pay classifications.

Those promoted likely will find it difficult to spend those inflated ranks for inflation-priced groceries. But it's not too late to appeal to Santa's North Pole headquarters.

The Pipeline



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By JACK ANDERSON

WASHINGTON — The Federal Energy Administration has prepared an ingenious credit-card system for rationing gas. It would be simpler than issuing gas coupons and fairer than raising prices on the board.

The plan, rejected by ex-President Nixon earlier this year, has been dusted off and probably will be presented to President Ford this month.

Draft documents, intended for the eyes of FEA officials, only describe how the plan would work.

"Gasoline allocation cards similar to credit cards would be issued to all vehicle owners and other drivers," declares one document. "Each card would contain the person's name, his signature, his driver's license number and the license number of the car or cars he drives."

"The card would be given to the service station attendant when a gasoline purchase is made. The attendant would check the card against the license number (and) run the card through an imprinting machine (along with) the amount of gasoline purchased."

The motorist would pay for the gas just as he does now. Explains the document: "The imprinter would make three copies. One would be given to the motorist, a second retained by the service station and the third mailed to the state motor vehicle department."

"The state copy would be read by an optical character machine. The amount purchased would be subtracted from the motorist's monthly allotment."

If the motorist consumed more gas than his allotment, he would be assessed a fee, say 20 cents a gallon, for the excess gas. The surplus would be calculated automatically and a bill would be sent to the motorist.

The money from this excess usage would finance the estimated \$131 million it would cost to operate the plan. Even if the credit-card system cost twice the estimate, states one FEA survey, "the \$262 million would be far less than the coupon program cost (of) \$1.4 billion."

The credit cards would also be harder to counterfeit than gas coupons, thus preventing a giant black market operation. Motorists who welched on their bills would have the vital cards lifted or cancelled.

Another advantage: The credit-card system would give the government a far better account of gas buying trends, which should improve the distribution system.

An FEA spokesman confirmed that the plan, known as "Program for Allocation at Retail," is about to be restudied. It may come up at the energy summit meeting scheduled by the White House at Camp David on Saturday and Sunday.

Footnote: Another proposal still under study, we have learned, would seek to hold down gas consumption by raising gasoline taxes. To ease the burden on the poor, part of the money would be returned

to those on low and fixed incomes.

Many liquid cough medicines contain chloroform, which has caused cancer in test animals and has been linked with severe liver damage. In any event, chloroform may not serve any useful purpose in cough medicine.

Medical doubts have caused the Food and Drug Administration and Sen. Gaylord Nelson's subcommittee to check into cough syrups. FDA's over-the-counter panel already has expressed tentative doubts whether it is safe to dose coughs with chloroform. But more data has been requested from the industry.

Sen. Nelson's interest in cough nostrums was stimulated in part by a letter from Dr. Solomon Garb, scientific director of Denver's American Medical Center.

"Chloroform does not relieve cough in those doses," wrote Garb. "Although it won't produce acute toxicity," he added, "chloroform is a liver poison... non-effective and potentially hazardous." He questioned why the FDA allows drug manufacturers to keep putting it in cough syrups.

Nelson is now seeking the answers. Footnote: Industry spokesmen believe that the small amounts of chloroform are not harmful if the syrups are taken as directed. They say the chloroform acts as an expectorant to break up pockets of phlegm and clear up the respiratory passages. But other medical experts suggest that, pending final findings, the best cough policy is to "take honey-and-lemon."

ENERGY CZAR President Ford is having trouble finding an energy czar. His first nominee, Andy Gibson, had to be withdrawn because he had received an \$800,000 severance deal from an energy-related firm. Now the new nominee, Frank Zarb, is in trouble.

Zarb was the No. 2 man in the "back room" of Goodbody & Co., a brokerage firm which collapsed in 1970. The "back room" handles all the paper work and was blamed largely for the misplacement of \$50 million worth of securities.

Zarb left the firm in 1969 just ahead of the collapse. But ex-colleagues charge that he left the "back room" in a mess. Zarb was distressed over the charge. He told us emotionally that he had done a good job and had left Goodbody solely because of policy differences.

Footnote: Zarb was also an executive at Hayden, Stone, another firm that suffered a catastrophic failure in 1970. But this failure was already inevitable, according to our information, before the unlucky Zarb joined the firm.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD and JAMES JACOBY

Newspaper Enterprise Association South was bitter. He spluttered, "Grand slam bids are for idiots."

"I guess you're right," replied North philosophically. "I was

However, the slam was a cinch the way the cards lay. If South had bothered to count to 13, he would have seen that he needed five spade tricks to make his grand slam. The best way to score those five spade tricks would have been to lead the 10 and take a first-round finesse. This would win for him if West held four spades or less including the queen, or 42 per cent of the time.

The play adopted by South was to cash the ace-king of spades right away. This would have worked if the queen had dropped but that was just under a 20 per cent play and any banker will tell you that 42 per cent is better than 20 per cent.

WEST: Q 6 4, 9 6, K J 8 2, Q J 10 8. EAST: 7 5 3, 10, Q 10 6 4 1, K 7 5 3 2.

SOUTH (D): 10 2, A K J 7 5 4, A 7 5, 9 4. NORTH-SOUTH vulnerable.

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Pass 4- Pass 5- Pass 6- Pass 7- Pass 8- Pass 9- Pass 10- Pass 11- Pass 12- Pass 13- Pass 14- Pass 15- Pass 16- Pass 17- Pass 18- Pass 19- Pass 20- Pass 21- Pass 22- Pass 23- Pass 24- Pass 25- Pass 26- Pass 27- Pass 28- Pass 29- Pass 30- Pass 31- Pass 32- Pass 33- Pass 34- Pass 35- Pass 36- Pass 37- Pass 38- Pass 39- Pass 40- Pass 41- Pass 42- Pass 43- Pass 44- Pass 45- Pass 46- Pass 47- Pass 48- Pass 49- Pass 50- Pass 51- Pass 52- Pass 53- Pass 54- Pass 55- Pass 56- Pass 57- Pass 58- Pass 59- Pass 60- Pass 61- Pass 62- Pass 63- Pass 64- Pass 65- Pass 66- Pass 67- Pass 68- Pass 69- Pass 70- Pass 71- Pass 72- Pass 73- Pass 74- Pass 75- Pass 76- Pass 77- Pass 78- Pass 79- Pass 80- Pass 81- Pass 82- Pass 83- Pass 84- Pass 85- Pass 86- Pass 87- Pass 88- Pass 89- Pass 90- Pass 91- Pass 92- Pass 93- Pass 94- Pass 95- Pass 96- Pass 97- Pass 98- Pass 99- Pass 100- Pass 101- Pass 102- Pass 103- Pass 104- Pass 105- Pass 106- Pass 107- Pass 108- Pass 109- Pass 110- Pass 111- Pass 112- Pass 113- 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Choral Groups To Perform Next Week At MNB
Choral groups from five Midland schools next week will perform for customers and visitors during the noon hour

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Selected seventh and eighth grade students from Alamo Junior High School directed by Debbie Pope will sing Monday

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Wednesday will feature Mrs. Carol Tipton's students from Emerson Elementary School

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Mrs. Ellen West's Crockett Elementary Choir. Mrs. Pat Morgan directs the Jones Elementary fifth and sixth grade choir

Historian To Speak Tonight At Odessa
ODESSA — A well-known southwestern historian will present a public lecture tonight at The University of Texas at the Permian Basin in the first of the university's American Heritage Lecture series.

Historian To Speak Tonight At Odessa
Dr. Eugene Hollon, Ohio Regent Professor of American History at the University of Toledo, will present his lecture at 8 p.m. in the West Lounge area of the main building.

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The author of numerous publications, Hollon's topic tonight will be his most recent book, "Violence on the American Frontier." The lecture is open to the public.

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His lecture will follow the installation of 14 students and professors into a new chapter of the Phi Alpha Theta, international honor society in history, recently approved for establishment at the upper level university.

Woolley Named Forsan Principal
FORSAN — Jack W. Woolley, former head football coach at Garden City, has been promoted from head football coach of Forsan High School to the position of school principal.

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Woolley is a Howard Payne University graduate who earned his M.Ed. in administration at Sul Ross University.

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Blind Man Paddles Channel
Totally blind Dennis Moore, 43, paddled a kayak 20 miles across the English Channel, guided by music from the radio of an accompanying boat.

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Where's The Fire?
7:30 p.m. Thursday, 100 block of 2nd St. fire. Vehicle owned by J. G. Bennett. Heavy damage to front end. Caused by cigarette.

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This Afternoon's Market Report

New York Exchange

| NEW YORK (AP) | New York Stock Exchange | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|---------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Abel 1.38 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| ACE 1.20 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Admiral 1.20 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
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| Admiral 1.20 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

Prices Mixed In Listless Session In Stock Market

NEW YORK (AP) — Prices were mixed in a listless, drifting session in the stock market today.

The noon Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks was up 1.41 at 3,677.78, but gained traction only by a moderate margin on the New York Stock Exchange.

Analysts said there simply was not much in the broad economic picture to inspire investors confronting the prospect of a continuing recession.

The Southern Co., the Big Board volume leader, rebounded $\frac{3}{4}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ after a 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -point drop Thursday, when the utility holding company's Georgia Power subsidiary said its financial condition had reached a "major crisis."

On the American Stock Exchange, the market-value index rose 29 to 60.43.

Motorola fell $\frac{3}{4}$ to 35 $\frac{1}{2}$. On Thursday the company said its fourth-quarter and full-year earnings would fall short of last year's levels because of the recession's impact on its semiconductor and automotive businesses.

APL Corp., which declared its first dividend since 1961 last Thursday, advanced $\frac{1}{8}$ to 8 $\frac{1}{2}$.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks was up .06 at 35.88.

Pan Ocean Oil, the most-active issue on the Amex, advanced $\frac{1}{4}$ to 6 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Pemian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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Allyn, was completed July 20, 1973, for 22 barrels of oil daily, through perforations at 5,230-5,242 feet.

Discovery Seen In Chaves Area

Read & Stevens, Inc., operating from Roswell, was drilling ahead below 9,433 feet on a 9,900-foot wildcat contract, at No. 1 Rodman-Federal, Chaves County project, 15 miles southeast of Hagerman.

A two-hour drillstem test in the Strawn sand from 6,962-9,016 feet, had gas to the surface in 25 minutes, flowing at the stabilized, daily rate of 1,470 million cubic feet. Recovery was 83 feet of gas-cut mud.

A following drillstem test from 9,380-9,433 feet recovered 70 feet of slightly gas-cut mud.

Location is 1,970 feet from north and 800 feet from east lines of section 31-14-24c, three miles southwest of the King Camp field.

South Gains Gets Site For Outpost

American Quasar Petroleum Co., Midland, has staked site for No. 2-2 University, as a one-mile northeast outpost in Gaines County, to the University Block 6 (Devonian) field of Andrews, 25 miles northeast of Andrews.

Drillsite for the project, slated to 12,500 feet, is 1,900 feet from south and 600 feet from east lines of section 2, block 6, ULS.

Nolan, Stonewall Searchers Slated

Markay Oil & Gas Co., Midland, plans to drill a 6,900-foot Ellenburger wildcat in Nolan County, five miles southwest of Sweetwater. It is No. 1 J. C. Straman.

The test spots 1,900 feet from south and 600 feet from east lines of section 69, block 22, T&P survey, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile southwest of the two-well Sweetwater, South (Mississippian) field, which produces at approximately 6,506 feet.

Stonewall Test

James E. Russell, Inc., of Abilene will drill No. 1 Erwin H. Diers as a 6,200-foot wildcat in Stonewall County, one mile northeast of Old Glory.

Location is 660 feet from south and 900 feet from east lines of section 20, BBB&C survey, one location northwest of the depleted Baitz (Bend conglomerate) field, but separated by failures. The planned depth is sufficient to test the Mississippian.

Confirmer Finds In Nolan Sector

The Chinguspin (Strawn sand) field of Nolan County gained its second well and a location northeast extension with completion of James P. Dunigan, Abilene, No. 1 Dunigan, 10 miles east of Sweetwater.

It is slated to pump 26 barrels of 41-gravity oil daily, through perforations at 5,192-5,206 feet, which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons.

Wellsite is 2,161 feet from north and 2,177 feet from west lines of section 48, block 20, T&P survey.

The discovery, Dunigan No. 1, was reported erroneously to be James P. Dunigan, Inc. of Abilene.

Permian Basin Dry Holes

CHAVES — B. H. McWilliams, No. 1 Remetta Graves, wildcat, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 8-8-25c, four miles southwest of Elkins, rd 2,600 feet.

DAWSON — Mitchell Energy Corp. No. 1 Donald Reeves, wildcat, 1,330 feet from south and 1,173 feet from east lines of section 55, block 25, T-4-N, T&P survey, abstract 236, eight miles north of Lamesa, rd 8,900 feet.

TERMO Co. of Texas No. 1 Methodist Home, wildcat re-entry, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 6, block 24, T-7-N, Georgetown R.R. survey, four miles southwest of O'Donnell, rd 8,030 feet, abandoned re-entry attempt.

KENT — V-F Petroleum, Inc. No. 2 Cogdell, wildcat, 600 feet from north and 1,900 feet from west lines of section 77, block 97, H&T survey, 12 miles southwest of Clarendon, abandoned location.

Petroleum Corp. of Texas No. 1-116 CRM, in the Browning (Turnehill) field, 653 feet from north and 2,175 feet from east lines of section 116, block 1, H&N survey, six miles northwest of Girard, rd 4,563 feet.

RUNNELS — W. W. West No. 2 H. L. Spear, wildcat, 330 feet from northwest and from most easterly east lines of J. E. Jarvin survey 402, five miles west of Winters, rd 4,565 feet.

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures were lower today. Buying continued slow in cotton futures, making the market subject to moderate selling, traders said. The economic situation continues to be a concern for raw cotton, trade analysts said.

The average price for strict, low middling 1-1/16-inch spot cotton declined $\frac{1}{8}$ to 21.38 cents a pound Thursday on the New York Cotton Exchange. Midmorning prices were unchanged at 21.38 cents a pound from the previous close, March 26.50, May 20.75, and July 20.75.

Stock Averages

| | Chg. | Ind. Rate | Unit. Rate | Vol. (Shares) |
|----------------|-------|-----------|------------|---------------|
| NYSE Composite | +0.06 | 35.88 | 35.88 | 1,112,000 |
| Dow Jones Ind. | +1.41 | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | 1,112,000 |
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Dividends Declared

| Symbol | Dividend | Payable | Record | Ex-Divid |
|-------------|----------|---------|--------|----------|
| Amalgamated | 1.00 | 12/13 | 12/13 | 12/13 |
| Amalgamated | 1.00 | 12/13 | 12/13 | 12/13 |
| Amalgamated | 1.00 | 12/13 | 12/13 | 12/13 |

Dow Jones Averages

| Index | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|-------|
| Dow Jones Ind. | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | +1.41 |
| NYSE Composite | 35.88 | 35.88 | 35.88 | +0.06 |

Market Index

| Index | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|-------|
| NYSE Composite | 35.88 | 35.88 | 35.88 | +0.06 |
| Dow Jones Ind. | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | +1.41 |

Mutual Funds

| Fund | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|---------------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Fidelity Divd | 23.10 | 23.10 | 23.10 | 0 |
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Bond Averages

| Bond | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Govt 10-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |
| Govt 5-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |

Bond Sales

| Bond | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Govt 10-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |
| Govt 5-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |

Bond Prices

| Bond | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Govt 10-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |
| Govt 5-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |

Treasury Bonds

| Bond | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Govt 10-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |
| Govt 5-yr | 101.50 | 101.50 | 101.50 | 0 |

Ups & Downs

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

Midland-Based Stocks

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

Over The Counter

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

Stocks In The Spotlight

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

Markets At A Glance

| Market | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|-------|
| NYSE Composite | 35.88 | 35.88 | 35.88 | +0.06 |
| Dow Jones Ind. | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | 3,677.78 | +1.41 |

American Exchange

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

Stock Sale

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |

What Stocks Did

| Symbol | High | Low | Last | Chg. |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| Amalgamated | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 10 1/8 | 0 |
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Permanian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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Allyn, was completed July 20, 1973, for 22 barrels of oil daily, through perforations at 5,230-5,242 feet.

Read & Stevens, Inc., operating from Roswell, was drilling ahead below 9,433 feet on a 9,900-foot wildcat contract, at No. 1 Rodman-Federal, Chaves County project, 15 miles southeast of Hagerman.

A two-hour drillstem test in the Strawn sand from 6,962-9,016 feet, had gas to the surface in 25 minutes, flowing at the stabilized, daily rate of 1,470 million cubic feet. Recovery was 83 feet of gas-cut mud.

A following drillstem test from 9,380-9,433 feet recovered 70 feet of slightly gas-cut mud.

Location is 1,970 feet from north and 800 feet from east lines of section 31-14-24c, three miles southwest of the King Camp field.

American Quasar Petroleum Co., Midland, has staked site for No. 2-2 University, as a one-mile northeast outpost in Gaines County, to the University Block 6 (Devonian) field of Andrews, 25 miles northeast of Andrews.

Drillsite for the project, slated to 12,500 feet, is 1,900 feet from south and 600 feet from east lines of section 2, block 6, ULS.

James E. Russell, Inc., of Abilene will drill No. 1 Erwin H. Diers as a 6,200-foot wildcat in Stonewall County, one mile northeast of Old Glory.

Location is 660 feet from south and 900 feet from east lines of section 20, BBB&C survey, one location northwest of the depleted Baitz (Bend conglomerate) field, but separated by failures. The planned depth is sufficient to test the Mississippian.

The Chinguspin (Strawn sand) field of Nolan County gained its second well and a location northeast extension with completion of James P. Dunigan, Abilene, No. 1 Dunigan, 10 miles east of Sweetwater.

It is slated to pump 26 barrels of 41-gravity oil daily, through perforations at 5,192-5,206 feet, which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons.

Wellsite is 2,161 feet from north and 2,177 feet from west lines of section 48, block 20, T&P survey.

The discovery, Dunigan No. 1, was reported erroneously to be James P. Dunigan, Inc. of Abilene.

Stock Averages

Compiled by The Associated Press

| | Chg. | Ind. Rate | Unit. Rate | Vol. (Shares) |
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Today In History

By The Associated Press
 Today is Friday, Dec. 13, the 347th day of 1974. There are 18 days left in the year.
 Today's highlight in history:
 On this date in 1577, the English navigator, Sir Francis Drake, began the voyage that took him around the world.
 On this date—
 In 1781, a day of prayer and thanksgiving was observed in the United States to mark the end of the Revolutionary War.
 In 1808, the Spanish city of Madrid fell to the French under Napoleon.
 In 1918, in World War I, troops of the U.S. Third Army crossed the Rhine River at Coblenz, Germany.
 In 1966, former President Dwight Eisenhower was reported in good condition after surgery for removal of his gall bladder.
 Ten years ago: President

Tito was unanimously re-elected head of the ruling Communist party in Yugoslavia, a post he had held for 27 years.
 Five years ago: Britain announced an agreement to withdraw all its forces from Libya within the next few months.
 One year ago: The Nixon Administration proposed new energy-saving measures as the President expressed guarded hope that voluntary conservation would make gasoline rationing unnecessary.
 Today's birthdays: South African Prime Minister John Vorster is 59 years old. Former Treasury Secretary George Shultz is 54.
 Thought for today: Our greatest glory consists not in never falling, but in rising very time we fall—Ralph Waldo Emerson, American essayist and poet, 1803-1882.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
 I want a Barbie camper, a whole bunch of clothes, and a whole bunch of Barbies. I also want a Baby Alive. I would like to have a sewing machine. I'm going to give you some cookies and milk on the T.V.
 Love, Kara

cessories, barbie three-doll trunk, 18 inch Miriam, 10-11-13, Page 433-Sears, doctor and nurse kit, My Town of car, barbie Inflatable Furniture, bedroom set and New Bath-room, barbie ten-speed bike, The Beautiful People.
 Lisa

Dear Santa Claus
 I would like a reel puppy please and ten speed, fake horse and a pair of riding boots please. I will take very good care of my puppy. I will ride my ten speed and not brake it. I will put my fake horse in my room. I will ride in my riding boots and not use them for any thing else.
 Love, Sharon Karcher, I love you Santa

Dear Santa
 I want a B.B. Gun, a sculptor set, an erector set, a snoopy getar, a G.I. Joe set, prehistoric animal set, soldier set, a frontier town set, a Noah's Ark, a bat man toy, a bean bag, new train track, a race car set, and other parts to my train set and more tonka trucks, and a giant crane.
 Sincerely, Jimmy Mac Wainscott Jr.

Dear Santa,
 I went to have some boots and a doll.
 Love, LaDonna

Dear Santa Claus,
 My name is Misty Henderson and I am 2 years old. I want a dolly that I can give a bath and some presents. I've been a good girl.

Dear Santa Claus,
 How have you been? I am just fine. Well this year I have been good as last year and what I want this year is a betty crocker baking oven, baby alive, and Kathy quick curl that's all. Thanks for the bike and bell that you gave me last year. My sister Candy has been a good girl too, so I'm am writing to you for her. She wants a doll, Cathy Quick Curl and Dus-to well its because I have a ty sinus cold and it hurts my eyes they hurt even more when I write or read it hurts my head when I cough, sneeze or yawn. Will be seeing ya
 Sincerely yours, Kim Balog
 With all my love
 P.S. Please write back if you have the time.

Dear Santa,
 I have been a good girl this year. I would like you to bring me some play food, Baby Chrissy, play dollars, Barbie Beauty Shop, Barbie Swimming pool.
 Love, Tammy
 P.S. Can I have a sweet sixteen Barbie.

Dear Santa Claus
 My name is Christine McConnell I have been a very good girl this year for Christmas. I want a sleeping bag, a baby alive, and a bicycle, a necklace.
 Thank you

Dear Santa,
 My name is Damon Dale Stuard and I am 4 1/2 years old. Please, bring me the Lone Ranger, Tonto, Silver, Scout and Klitchen, barbie sport goodies, Butch Cavendish, Asto, bring me a football suit. Also, A Snoopy Flying Dog House and a radio Red Gown, barbie palazzo pants with earphones. Also, I would like a hoister and a gun. Please, bring my kitty a ball to play with. Thank you.
 Merry Christmas, Damon

Dear Santa,
 I want a lot of stuff this year. I want a new bike, barbie Health Center, a barbie Karoel Kitchen, barbie sport goodies, barbie sport car, barbie Town-House, barbie party pool, barbie Red Gown, barbie palazzo pants with earphones. Also, I would like a hoister and a gun. Please, bring my kitty a ball to play with. Thank you.
 Merry Christmas, Damon

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