

## Farmers Close Local Businesses

### Strikers Rap U.S. Policies

By PAT PATRICK  
Avalanche-Journal Staff

A farmer's lifeblood trickled, red drop by red drop, into a small plastic container.

Wesley Bennight of Dimmitt watched and worried — but the frown on his face was due to the frail state of his economic lifestream, his farm, not the physical essentials he was giving away.

Bennight was the first of a steady flood of striking farmers who donated blood throughout today at Lubbock's South Plains Blood Services.

They had come to town, reportedly 2,000 strong, to get help, and then decided to give it while they were here, too.

And their help was being put to immediate use — the first of their donations going to a child leukemia victim at Methodist Hospital who needs blood not more than four hours old.

While tractors ringed the Blood Services building at 415 Ave. R and bluejeaned, overcoated men waited in line, they tried to explain to blood unit employees what their strike is aiming at.

"One hundred per cent parity is not a guaranteed profit. It's just asking a fair price for our products."

"Why should we, the farmers, use energy that we (Americans) need elsewhere to produce a surplus that we can't sell?" Bennight asked.

The 30-year-old cotton and corn planter has been on his own in the farm business for only two years. "And I'm \$26,000 worse off now than when I started, and that's not even counting the \$60,000 I spent to buy equipment to get started," he said.

Farmers do not want government handouts — in fact, they wish the government would stay out of their business, Bennight stated. "We'll produce what we can sell. But when you produce and the government then keeps you from selling, you can't win. They told us to plant row-to-row a couple of years ago and then embargoed it after we planted," he said.

"We're going to produce what the world needs and what we can sell. But would you work if you knew you weren't going to get a paycheck? Would you put in a crop if you knew ahead of time you wouldn't be able to sell it?" Bennight asked.

He emphasized that by asking for 100 per cent parity farmers are only demanding a fair marketplace price for their product.

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### Goodfellows Still Need Donations

Do Goodfellows have faith in the Lubbock public to come through with enough money to finance the 1977 Christmas program?



"We sure do," Chief Goodfellow said proudly, "and what's more important, more than 8,000 boys and girls of the city have that much Christmas faith, too."

How much is needed this year to see that more than 8,000 youngsters who need them will get Christmas visits from the Goodfellows?

"You figure it out," the Chief said, "we figure we will spend from \$1.50 to \$2 per youngster for candy, fruit, nuts and toys. And there are more than 8,000 of them depending on you and us!"

"At a minimum, we have just got to get \$14,000 to \$16,000 to do it right, and that See GOODFELLOWS Page 12

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CHECKING TIRE PRESSURE?—Several of the 31 arrests arising from today's early morning blockade of The Avalanche-Journal came as striking farmers attempted to halt efforts to tow away tractors which had encircled the newspaper publishing plant. In photo at left, an A-J photographer spotted one of



the strikers handling the valve stem on the tire of a wrecker waiting to hook up to a tractor. A chilled picketer, at right, watches as efforts were made to clear the streets surrounding the newspaper plant. (Staff Photos by Milton Adams and Norm Tindell)

## Wind, Dust, Fires Ravage California

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Howling winds up to 80 mph tore across California from the Mexican to Oregon borders for a second day today, leaving hundreds of thousands of residents without power, fanning brushfires, and contributing to at least seven deaths.

One of the fires swept into Vandenberg Air Force Base northwest of Santa Barbara and killed at least three persons, including the base commander. More than 300 firefighters are battling the flames in rugged canyons near the south part of the base, used for missile launches by the Air Force.

In the far north, winds clocked at 80 mph blew the roofs off the grandstand at the Humboldt County fairgrounds and a grocery store and sent a tree crashing down onto a truck on Highway 36, killing two persons inside, officials said.

An estimated 90,000 residents were left without electric power when lines were blown over, and Pacific Gas Electric Co. could not estimate when it would be restored.

All major roads in the area were reported blocked by fallen trees and other debris. A fishing boat capsized at Humboldt Bay Bar, but its small crew was pulled from the water when a Coast Guard vessel reached the scene.

U.S. 101, "The Redwood Highway," was closed from San Francisco to the Or-

gon border because of fallen trees blocking the road.

A fire was burning in the Alms Ridge area of the Los Padres National Forest near Big Sur, but it was not clear if the weather caused the blaze.

An estimated 75,000 homes and busi-

nesses from the Santa Clara Valley to the northern San Francisco Peninsula lost power early today when winds downed trees and voltage lines, the utility reported.

On Tuesday, the violent winds blew See HIGH WINDS Page 12



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### LUBBOCK FORECAST

Fair weather with a warming trend is predicted through Thursday. Highs this afternoon should be near 50 dropping to the low 20s tonight. High temperatures Thursday are expected to be near 60. Winds this afternoon should be northwest at 15 to 20 miles per hour and should become westerly tonight at 5 to 10 mph.

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## Protest Takes Volatile Turn

By IRA PERRY  
Avalanche-Journal Staff

Striking farmers, charged with emotion, swept into Lubbock early today, shutting down virtually every major food wholesaler and blockading distribution docks at The Avalanche-Journal in spite of late night efforts by city and state lawmen to clear the rowdy, moblike mass from downtown streets.

What began as a peaceful demonstration to emphasize the farmers' anger at an Avalanche-Journal editorial soon became a violent, volatile protest that even two-thirds of the city's police force and special detachments from the Lubbock County Sheriff's Office and the Texas Department of Public Safety could not stop.

Tractor-transported farmers, many waving American flags and heralding such signs as "If agriculture fails, America fails," moved into the city from outlying communities just after 7 p.m. Tuesday, and for hours after that protesting farmers steadily rumbled their tractors into place for a 24-hour shutdown of major Lubbock businesses.

Until late Tuesday night, Lubbock police said they had not been contacted and had not made plans for what action would be taken with the demonstrators — and by that time, the situation already was at hand.

Early today, indications were the farmers' movement also would confront other major employers in the area.

Spokesmen for the group refused to discuss those plans, but at 10:30 a.m., tractorcades were observed traveling toward the Levi Strauss & Co. plant and other major city employers.

(More Pictures Of Protest On Page 2, Sec. A)

Tractors, sometimes two deep, were parked in front of entrances and exits to more than 44 Lubbock businesses late Tuesday and early today even though most of the firms had earlier indicated intentions to voluntarily close their operations.

Rumbling tractors barricaded the newspaper's circulation docks at 10:15 p.m. Tuesday, prohibiting distribution of the morning edition until nearly 4 a.m. today, but after the tense ordeal, protesters said the strike against the paper would be lifted permanently.

Crowds of more than 2,000 area farmers encircled the paper with about 130 tractors and other vehicles, claiming they were infuriated with a Dec. 16 editorial urging the group not to resort to labor union tactics.

The group's intentions at The Avalanche-Journal were emphasized late in the night as police called for all available manpower and for backup assistance from DPS troopers to handle the crowd. Before that, officers had jokingly dodged questions about what would happen if the farmers began blockades.

When the blockades began, first two officers arrived to handle the 2,000 farmers. Some time later more officers were called in, and after persistent inquiries by The Avalanche-Journal, DPS troopers were called in to help halt the blockade.

At least two hours after farmers began parking their tractors instead of slowly driving around the paper's plant, city officers began towing some vehicles, and that simply urged most demonstrators on.

At one point, two officers were forced to dive for the ground when a tractor driven by an unknown farmer refused to obey their commands to stop and almost ran them down.

In another case, Lubbock Chief of Police J.T. Alley, using hand signals, requested one farmer stop his tractor, but the farmer kept driving the vehicle onward. Before the tractor would stop, Alley was reaching for the pistol by his side.

Protesting farmers jerked wires and cables off wreckers called in by lawmen to move some tractors left abandoned blocking traffic lanes, disrupting not only the tractor but the wrecker and even more traffic as well.

Police and sheriff's deputies eventually See PROTESTERS Page 12

## November's Price Index Up Sharply

WASHINGTON (AP) — Higher prices for beef, fresh fruit and other food products helped push consumer prices up by .5 percent in November, the largest increase in five months, the Labor Department said today.

Overall food prices increased .6 percent in November, also the biggest advance in five months, and prices of other goods consumers buy rose .3 percent, the most in nine months. Prices of new automobiles were up 1.5 percent.

The November increase in the Consumer Price Index appeared to confirm expectations of many economists that the pace of inflation will quicken in months ahead, with higher food prices a major factor.

Consumer prices had increased just .3 percent in each of the preceding three months.

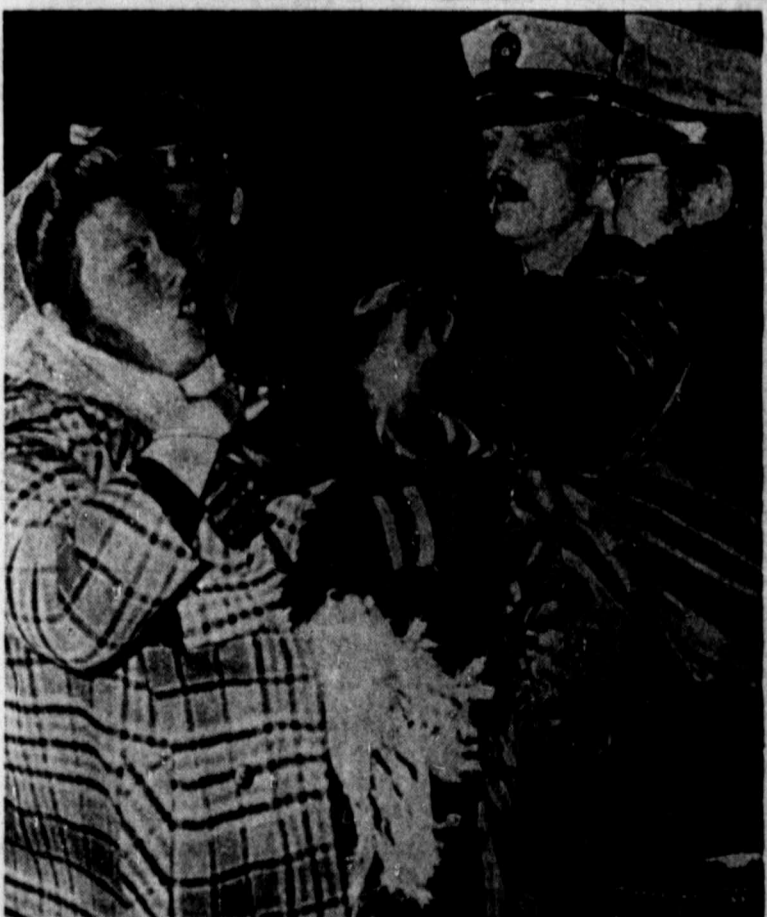
The Labor Department said prices consumers pay increased 6.7 percent between November 1976 and last month. It said its Consumer Price Index stood at 185.4 of the 1967 average of 100, meaning it cost \$185.40 to purchase goods priced at \$100 10 years earlier.

The increase in food prices in November had been expected, but the .5 percent increase in prices of other goods was higher than economists had predicted in advance. It was the biggest increase since a .7 percent rise last February, and the Labor Department blamed it primarily on higher auto prices.

The 1.5 percent increase in new car prices included higher prices for 1978 model U.S. cars as well as prices of imported vehicles, which have increased because of the declining value of the U.S. dollar in countries such as Japan and Germany.



DAYS TO CHRISTMAS



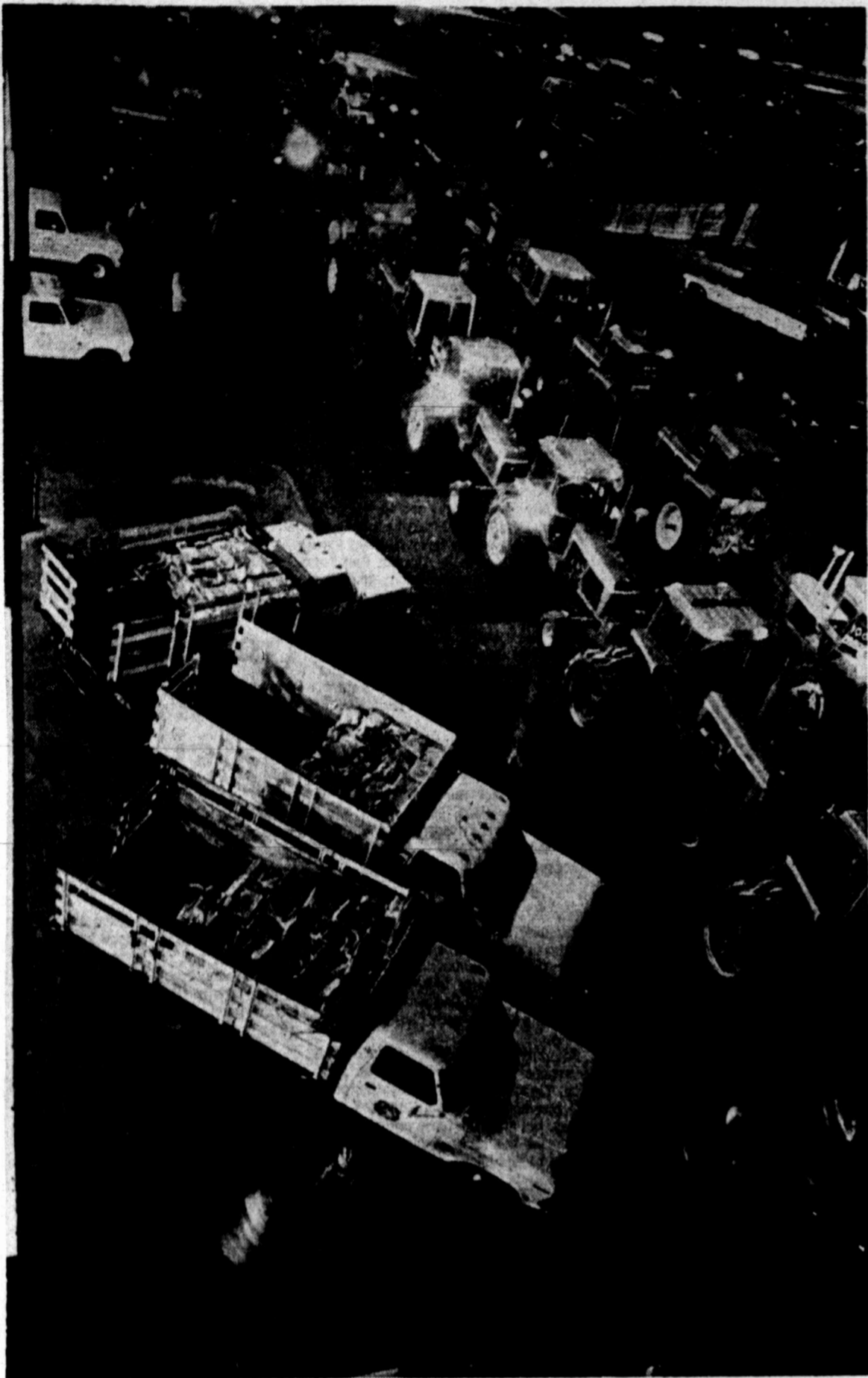
TEMPERS FLARE — Police scuffle briefly with an irate woman during today's early morning blockade of The Avalanche-Journal



by striking farmers. At right, she is led away under restraint but still vocal. Thirty-one demonstrators were detained during the ef-

fort to prevent distribution of the newspaper but all were soon released without charges being filed. (Staff Photo)

# Farmers Launch Assault On Avalanche-Journal



**SHUT DOWN, THEN HAULED AWAY**—A two-lane, wheel-to-wheel barricade of farm machinery attempted early today to halt delivery of this morning's Avalanche-Journal in protest of the newspaper's coverage of the American Agriculture movement.

When police began arresting tractor drivers who remained in the cabs of their vehicles, most shut the machines down and left with their keys. Heavy wreckers, at right, were called in to tow away the farm implements but in some instances were blocked by portions of the crowd of approximately 2,000 protesters who stood firm in front of the tow trucks. However, the impetus which eventually broke the blockade came when pleas for reason were issued by strike leaders and A-J

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**BLOCKED**—One of several trucks loaded with copies of The Avalanche-Journal bound for rural areas met an impenetrable wall of farmers and tractors early this morning. Strike leaders said initially their intent with the demonstration was to circle the newspaper in a

"peaceful demonstration." However, tractors and other farm machinery which encircled the publishing company at 10:15 p.m. were not cleared until 3:40 a.m. this morning and then only following a plea for reason from leaders of the strike movement. City police, backed up by

Department of Public Safety troopers, arrested 31 of the protesters but all charges were later dropped and no records were kept of the arrests. The protesters moved to other city businesses later in the day. (Staff Photo by Gary Davis)



**QUESTIONS COVERAGE** — At the outset of Tuesday night's blockade of The Avalanche-Journal this farmer and several others met with A-J General Manager Robert Norris to air their complaints concerning coverage given the American Agriculture movement by the newspaper. Strike leaders initially said their plans were to circle the publishing plants twice in a peaceful demonstration. (Staff Photo by Milton Adams)

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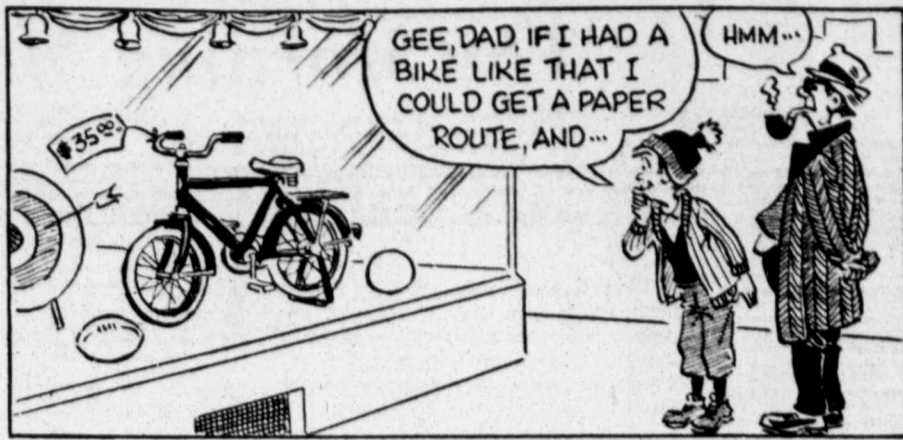


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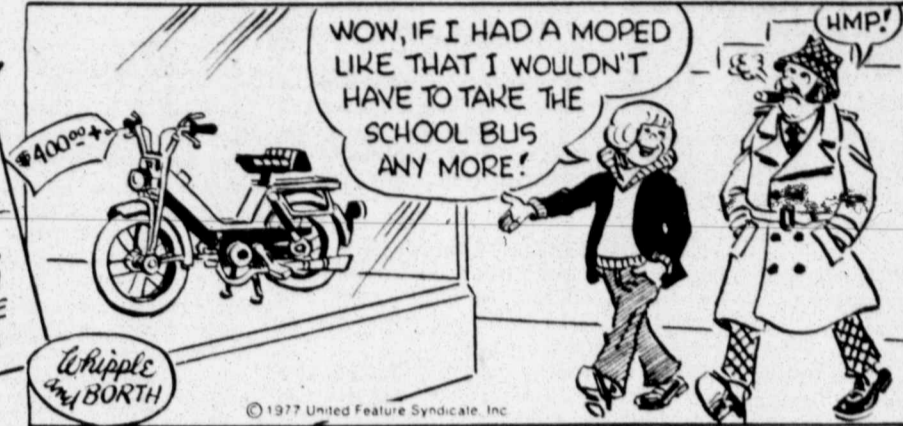
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**Carter's Popularity Increases**

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Harris' latest nationwide telephone poll of 1,200 adults, conducted from Dec. 2 to Dec. 4, found that Carter's popularity increased 4 percentage points last month. The survey showed that 50 percent of those questioned approved of Carter's overall performance and 48 percent disapproved. Two percent were undecided.

His positive rating reached a high of 69 percent in April.

The polling group asked respondents to rate the president's performance on several issues on a scale from "excellent" to "poor." The Harris Survey says its results are accurate within three points in either direction.

The higher overall rating in the most recent poll reflected a 19-point rise in the percentage of those approving of Carter's handling of the Middle East situation, pollster Louis Harris said Monday.

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**Superdome Officials Expecting To Wipe Out Big Debt By 1981**

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The Superdome should be able to wipe out its \$6 million debt by 1981, a Superdome management official predicts.

"Trying to get the place on a break-even point on the operating side is a high mountain to climb," Pa Foley, president of the Hyatt Corp., said this week. "If we can accomplish that, we'll have come a long, long way."

Foley met with company executives for a sales meeting. Hyatt Corp. is the parent of Hyatt Management Corp., which has operated the Superdome since last summer.

The Superdome has lost \$5 million each year since it was opened in 1975. The mammoth sports palace cost \$163 million to build, far more than the original estimate of \$35 million.

When Hyatt Management took over the Superdome, it made personnel cuts and took other economic measures. Deniz Skinner, president of Hyatt Management, has said the dome's deficit would be cut by \$2 million this year.

Foley said the city's inability to attract a major-league baseball team will not seriously damage efforts to cut the deficit.

"The problem now is to handle the

booking problem and start scheduling enough events in the dome to fill up all those seats," Foley said. "We'll have to do it with concerts, rodeos, circuses, ice shows, motorcycle races and you name it."

But he said that even a money-making Superdome probably cannot on the \$9 million the state pays annually on construction bonds.

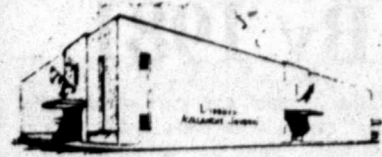
However, he said the dome has stimulated the New Orleans economy, and that the domed stadium has helped the city develop as "a hot center of tourism."

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## TODAY'S EDITORIAL:

# Clayton Hits Key Point

IN HIS recent report to area voters, Texas House Speaker Bill Clayton touched on a subject worthy of further exploration.

Clayton noted that as recently as the mid-1950s an overwhelming majority of Americans singled out the Constitution and the U.S. governmental system as special objects of pride.

But the Springlake legislator said subsequent surveys indicate most Americans no longer point with pride at their political and governmental institutions.

AS BILL noted, no one needed a poll to tell us this disturbing fact.

Clayton further emphasized that for the better part of the first 200 years of America's history, the peoples' attitude toward their governmental system remained consistent. Then something happened.

What happened, he concludes, is that while the American people and their values and expectations of government remained the same, those who administer the government changed.

NEITHER the individual bureaucrat nor the bureaucratic system is working in the best interest of the nation, Clayton points out.

"We are not led by Congress, the Courts, and our President today as much as we are ruled by administrative agencies," Clayton says. Then the veteran legislator, who ought to know, made this observation:

"While I realize that the root of our problem is the federal bureaucracy and the attending state and local bureaucracies which are largely the result of federal action, I do not believe that we can simply sit by and wait for the federal government to collapse under its own weight.

"We must do what we can, no matter how small, on the state and local levels to restore the luster to government."

CLAYTON THEN asks if there are those who share his views and wish to share any ideas they may have to restore confidence and pride in government.

We hope area residents and those across the state accept the Springlake man's invitation. We hope in making their suggestions that they apply whatever sacrifice and changes must be made to themselves as well as others.

And we hope that Clayton, who is in a position to do so, will exert the same influence and seek the same input from his fellow legislators who, sadly, are greatly responsible for much of the concern of which he speaks.

## Cold Day In Cairo



James J. Kilpatrick:

# No Tax Credit For Tuition?

WASHINGTON—The telephone rang in Bill Roth's office early on Tuesday morning. It was a woman in Missouri with four children in college.

All she wanted to say was, "Bless you, and keep fighting!"

She was talking of the Delaware senator's effort to provide tax credits for tuition—an idea whose time has clearly come.

His idea is to authorize a tax credit of \$250 for every dependent attending full-time a qualified university, college or higher vocational school.

The taxpayer would need only to certify such attendance, under oath, in order to apply the credit. The plan would cost an estimated \$1.2 billion annually once it was in full operation.

WHAT'S WRONG WITH this idea? Nothing at all. It would provide some relief for a forgotten class of middle-income American families—the families that now function as faithful milch cows in the federal barn.

Such families are taxed, and taxed, and taxed; their incomes of \$20,000 or \$25,000 melt away in an economy fueled by inflation.

Once upon a time, such incomes seemed enormous, but that time was long ago. A \$250 tax credit, equal to about 10 per cent of the cost of a year in a public college, would be a significant help.

Oregon's Sen. Bob Packwood, speaking to a tu-

tion tax credit bill of his own, remarked recently that the way things are going, eventually we will see only three classes in our institutions of higher learning: the very poor, the very rich, and the very brilliant.

Money is no particular problem for the low-income family desiring to send a son or daughter to college; all kinds of loans, grants, scholarships and supportive jobs are available to them.

But Packwood correctly observes that often the middle-income family is "locked out."

It has "too much income to qualify for federal aid and too little to afford education beyond high school."

PACKWOOD IS A cosponsor with New York's Patrick Moynihan of a much more comprehensive plan than Roth has been pushing.

The Packwood-Moynihan bill would provide tax credits up to \$500 for each dependent; their proposal would apply to tuition costs not only in colleges and universities but also in elementary and secondary schools.

The annual cost to the Treasury is estimated at \$4.7 billion.

The Packwood-Moynihan approach probably is too ambitious. At the very least, the proposition would provoke hysterics among those who panic at the very name of parochial schools.

Nevertheless, their idea—a variation on the

## ONE MAN'S OPINION

Kenneth May



# The Morning Mail

UNLESS I MISS my bet, federal abuse of power will be a major issue in the 1978 elections.

In Texas, certainly, over-regulation and control by the federal bureaucracy will be a popular theme in the Congressional races.

It also will be the rallying cry of candidates for state office.

This is especially true of those running for such offices as governor and attorney general, whose duty it is to fight federal encroachments into areas constitutionally and historically reserved to the states.

In some cities, including Lubbock, it is likely that candidates for county, municipal and school board jobs likewise will try to outdo each other in decrying the mandatory shackles that federal bureaucrats and judges are locking around once-free Americans.

CANDIDATES and businessmen alike already are sounding the theme with a note of alarm that has been absent from previous lip-service warnings against federal abuses.

A single morning's mail this week brought eight messages of concern for the future unless these abuses are brought under control.

"Negative government decisions on key technology and business issues during 1978 could lead to forfeiture of the preeminent position America has held in high technology since World War II," wrote the Aerospace Industries Association of America, Inc.

"It appears that the encroachment by the fed-

eral government upon the free enterprise system is moving forward as emphasized by its attack on the oil and gas industry," state Rep. Jim Rudd of Brownfield said.

"THERE ARE MANY cases in which federal bureaucrats run rampant over the rights of people simply because their rules and regulations go unchallenged," Mark White, former Texas Secretary of State and now a candidate for state attorney general, declared.

"Developing regulations under the Toxic Substances Control Act remain the single greatest regulatory problem," the Manufacturing Chemists Association wrote.

"Environmental problems, including those of air and water pollution abatement and occupational safety and health regulations, also were referred to as major regulatory problems by the companies responding to a year-end survey," it added.

"HILLSDALE COLLEGE (of Michigan) as an institution does not accept federal funding and thus we refuse to have our affairs controlled by Washington," said a defiant news release from its president, George C. Roche III.

"Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said...he is disturbed by a new study which concludes that federal regulation of business cost over \$65 billion in 1976," read a news release from his office.

"Overlapping state and federal programs seem to require ever-larger staffs to administer in-

creasing bureaucratic procedures," Sen. John Tower said in his newsletter.

"The small business operator is in the position of being confronted with far-reaching, very dangerous, punitive laws if he dares even exercise his basic constitutional rights," warned Robert T. Thompson, chairman of the Labor Relations Committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

This was not an untypical morning's mail. Every day, similar letters and news releases cross my desk, often alongside letters from ordinary Lubbock citizens who are alarmed by the erosion of their human rights through the exercise of dictatorial powers by the legislative, executive and judicial branches of Big Government.

THERE IS A growing fear—one might even say, awareness—that these abuses of power have gone beyond the mere denial of our basic constitutional rights, serious as that is.

More and more, it appears, government by regulation has crossed over that thin line from issuing "thou shalt nots" to decreeing "thou shalt" which require of us affirmative actions that deny us the right to exercise our own free wills.

This destruction of freedom, which we have brought on ourselves by asking "the government" to protect us in all that we do, won't be stopped by political rhetoric.

That will happen only if we, the people, elect those we are convinced will man the barricades—and then insist that they keep their promises to do so.

## Holmes Alexander:

# Squares, Front and Center!

WASHINGTON—"I hear they're having trouble driving square pegs into round holes again," said the Returning Traveler who'd been away for awhile.

"I don't say it can't be done, but the result is never a snug fit, and the country's been uncomfortable about the effect for a long while."

The Traveler was told to quit talking in parables and come out with it.

"There isn't any other country like ours," the Traveler interrupted, "and that's the point I'm making. We're a four square nation, by preachment always, by practice usually."

"We think it's fair and square to serve the United States in any capacity. But we don't like the round hole, or the key hole, of institutionalized snooping."

"That's why the CIA and FBI have been talking such a public drubbing in recent years. There's never going to be a restoration of confidence in the Agency and the Bureau until the Director of each is a square-shooter from every angle."

THE TRAVELER is making noises like Sen. Frank Church whose intimates call him Senator Sunday School because of his piety about governmental purity. Spies and secret policy we've got to have.

"Nathan Hale, the Revolutionary spy, has two statues in the Washington area," declared the Traveler.

"It proves to me that the American people admire the square spy as much as the valiant soldier. Now, if the CIA and the FBI, our espionage systems had only Nathan Hales in the top spot, there'd be no public discomfort."

"But the CIA's ex-director Dick Helms pleabargained his way past a jail sentence for perjury.

"He awarded himself a 'badge of honor,' which the President repudiated at the next press conference. And now we've got Admiral Stansfield Turner as CIA Director and..."

Surely, the Traveler wasn't finding Turner to be anything but a square.

"HE'S GOT TO PROVE it," said the Traveler firmly. "That's the price we pay for letting the edges of the CIA get rounded and rusted with misuse."

"You hear it said by Turner's own men that he's holed up in a paneled cabin at the Executive Office Building when he should be on the burning deck at Langley where the CIA headquarters stands."

"He gets into rough weather because he's got to lighten ship by firing a couple hundred spooks, and because some ex-spooks are writing books that don't flatter the CIA."

"Instead of cracking heads together and behaving like a leader, Admiral Turner runs crying to his chaplain by writing letters-to-the-editor in search of sympathy."

Every CIA Director has a tough job, the Traveler was reminded.

"Then he ought to be a tough guy," the Traveler rejoined.

"On the job for near a half-century was the unquarrelsome character of all, J. Edgar Hoover, and how can he be forgotten with the ugliest building in town named after him."

"When Hoover died, the crookedest President in history named Pat Gray to the job, but Pat got strangled in a net of lies and was never confirmed."

"Right now, the Carter administration has got a square peg, Clarence Kelley, the Honest Cop, as

FBI Director, and don't know enough to let him alone.

"Justice Department lawyers won't take orders from the Attorney General and the director-designate, Judge Frank Johnson, falls out of consideration with a heart attack. Both the CIA and the FBI are gasping for life."

"Still, un-American as it seems, we've got to have federal spies and detectives, or the bad guys will get us."

"Only square leaders should be considered," was the Traveler's considered opinion.

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by Brickman



Sylvia Porter:

# Early MH Decisions Better For Patient



(Last Of Four Columns)  
 SINCE THE COST of care by a mental health professional is no trifling matter, the issue of your insurance coverage becomes vitally significant to you—one of possibly 12 million who will be seeking medical mental health services in 1978.

In general, only group policies cover psychiatric help. It is extremely rare for a policy covering you as an individual to provide this type of care.

Should you have to be hospitalized, Blue Cross will cover at least a portion of your expenses in most cases. After release, if you hold a major medical policy, this policy will help you with the cost of your out-patient care.

(1) SINCE POLICIES and state regulations vary greatly, check at once with your insurance company about any particular mental health care you are receiving and the extent of its coverage.

If you are eligible for Social Security benefits, then you probably are eligible for Medicare coverage. But Medicare covers care by a psychiatrist only—that is, an M.D.

The setting is not an issue; it can be office, clinic, or institute. Visits to a psychiatrist's office are coverable up to \$250 a year.

(2) Query your Medicare office about details. Hospitalization for psychiatric reasons is covered in full for the first 60 days, with \$124 deductible, payable by you, the patient.

For the next 30 days, you, the patient, pay \$31. The rest is paid for by Medicare.

(3) Ask your local Medicare office about its policy on more extensive hospitalization requirements.

YOU MUST BE institution-free for 60 days before becoming eligible for coverage, the Medicare office carefully points out.

For instance, if you are in a nursing facility, and must be transferred to a psychiatric hospital, you must wait 60 days before entering the hospital to be eligible for Medicare coverage.

(4) Get this straight from your local Medicare office, too:

If you are receiving any form of social assistance, such as welfare, or if you are under 21 or over 65, live in a city such as New York, and ordinarily earn enough income to maintain yourself you may be able to receive assistance under the Medicaid program.

The same applies if you are between 21 and 65 and handicapped.

All psychiatric care is covered under this program in full, providing the caregiver meets certain state eligibility requirements.

Care by a private psychiatrist in his or her office is coverable if the psychiatrist has an M.D.

Care in an institute or clinic by an M.D., or Ph.D., or M.S.W. (Master's Degree in Social Work) or other professional is coverable if the institute or clinic is state certified and, in addition, there is a certified psychiatrist on the staff.

(5) For full information on all these technical but so vitally important dollars-and-cents details, consult your local Medicaid office at your earliest feasible date.

## SOME FINAL BASIC rules and guides:

\* The extent of mental illness is far greater than most of you even suspect, with an estimated 12 million Americans now receiving traditional "medical" mental health services and millions more desperately needing the care but either unaware of where to go or how and fearing they cannot afford the help.

\* Fees for mental care vary widely, with an impressive range of fees in existence and costs flexible enough to cover almost any valid need.

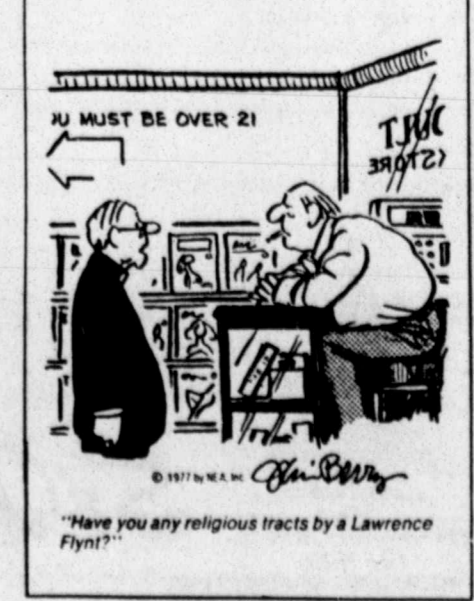
\* JUST AS FEES can be adjusted to fit your income and circumstances, so mental health care facilities are so varied that they too, can be adjusted to meet your needs.

You can be treated at public or private facilities: in private sessions or in group therapy meetings; you can get treatments daily, weekly, monthly, or however you and your chosen therapist agree is best; you can go to a clinic or an institute or, of course, to an individual professional at an office, nursing facility or hospital.

\* Even more varied is the type of treatment available to you. And costs as well as your individual mental illness may play a tremendous part in the decisions you make here.

\* The time to find out all the facts is before your illness progresses to the point where decisions on your treatment are taken out of your hands.

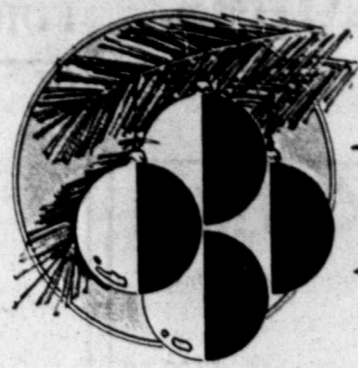
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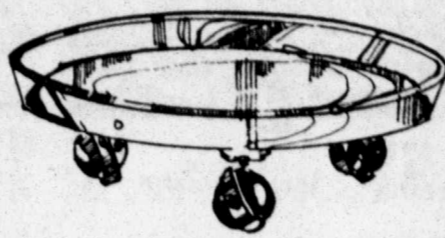
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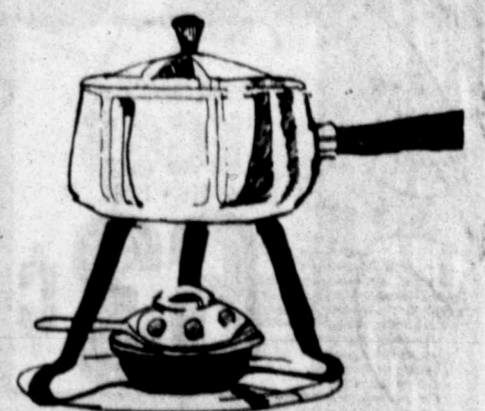
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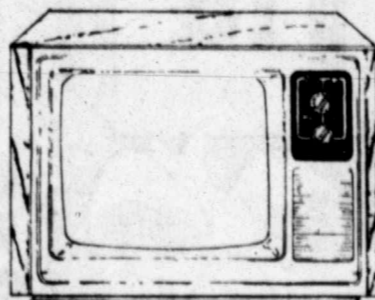
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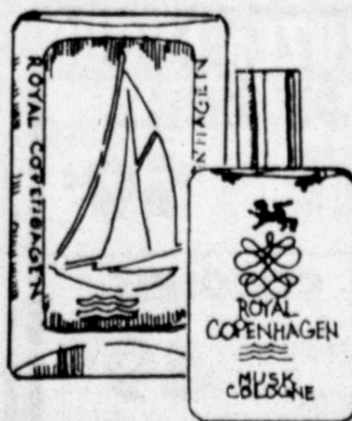
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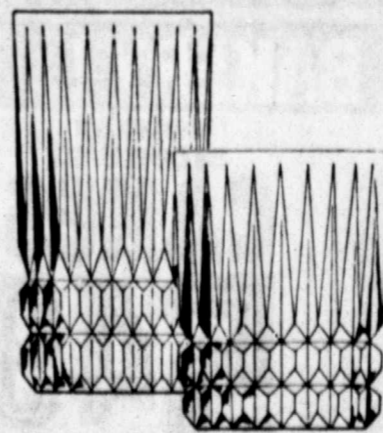
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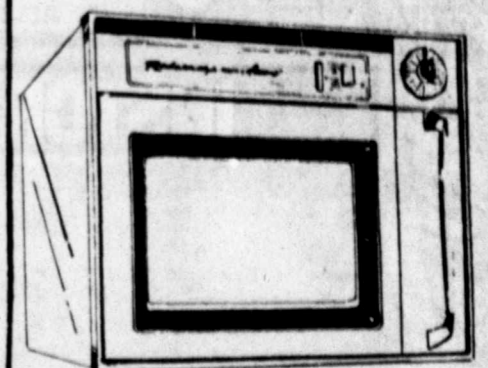
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# Eight Construction Firms Hit With Fines

CHICAGO (AP) — More than \$3 million in fines have been imposed on eight road construction companies and two contractors in a bid-fixing scheme on a \$45.7-million expressway repair project.

Thomas J. Bowler, 54, was sentenced Monday to 30 months in prison and George B. Krug, 63, was sentenced to 24 months in prison. Each man was fined \$112,000. They were found guilty by a U.S. District Court jury on Nov. 2 along with the companies on charges of bid-rigging and mail fraud.

Four of their firms were among those which received fines, including three companies fined \$537,000 each.

In addition to those companies, Arcole Midwest Co. was fined \$601,000, Palum-

bo Excavating Co. was fined \$200,000, Thomas H. Madden Co. was fined \$150,000 and J.M. Corbett Co. was fined \$100,000.

Western Asphalt Paving Co., Brighton Building Maintenance Co., Krug Excavating Co. and Union Contracting Materials Co. were the Bowler and Krug firms fined.

Bowler and Krug were among three executives and 12 firms indicted by a federal grand jury in three bid-rigging cases.

Monday's sentencing involved a \$45.7 million repaving project for the Stevenson Expressway.

Bowler and Krug also were fined and received jail sentences in the other two

cases, which involved projects at O'Hare International Airport. Monday's sentences will run concurrently with those previously imposed.

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CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES  
SWEET AND JUICY  
4 LBS. FOR ONLY **\$1**  
EXTRA FANCY, RED DELICIOUS STOCKING SIZE .LB. 29¢  
ZIPPER SKIN TOP QUALITY 3 LBS. FOR \$1  
U.S. NO. 1 GOLDEN RIPE 6 LBS. FOR \$1  
LARGE BUNCHES FOR GARNISHING EA. 5¢  
YELLOW • MEDIUM SIZE GARDEN FRESH .LB. 19¢

INSTORE BAKERY!  
HOLIDAY DECORATED CAKES  
**549** EACH  
1/4 SHEET CAKE ESPECIALLY DECORATED FOR YOUR HOLIDAY NEEDS  
CHRISTMAS COOKIES HAND CUT ASSTD. SHAPES 12 FOR \$1 19  
PUMPKIN PIES 8-INCH EA. FOR \$1 19  
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DINNER ROLLS BUTTER FLAKE DOZ. 69¢  
RAISIN BREAD POUND LOAF EA. 69¢

FROZEN FOODS  
PIE SHELLS  
PET RITZ DEEP DISH 2 CT. PKG. **59¢**  
COCONUT  
TROPIC ISLE 6 OZ. PKG. **49¢**  
PIZZA  
SALUTO ALL VARIETIES THICK CRUST **\$1 99**  
BROCCOLI  
WITH CHEESE BIRDSEYE 10 OZ. PKG. **57¢**

AVAILABILITY  
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RAIN CHECK  
We strive to have an ample stock of advertised merchandise. If for any reason you are out of stock, a RAIN CHECK will be issued enabling you to buy the item at the advertised price as soon as it becomes available.



OPEN 24 HRS.  
PRICES EFFECTIVE WED., THURS., FRI., SAT., DEC. 21, 22, 23, 24, 1977  
3249 50TH STREET

MARSHMALLOWS  
KRAFT MINIATURES 10.3 OZ. **29¢**

CRESENT ROLLS  
PILLSBURY 8 OZ. PKG. **59¢**

FOLGERS COFFEE  
ALL GRINDS 1 POUND TIN **\$2 89**

FOLGERS COFFEE  
ALL GRINDS 2 POUND TIN **\$5 77**

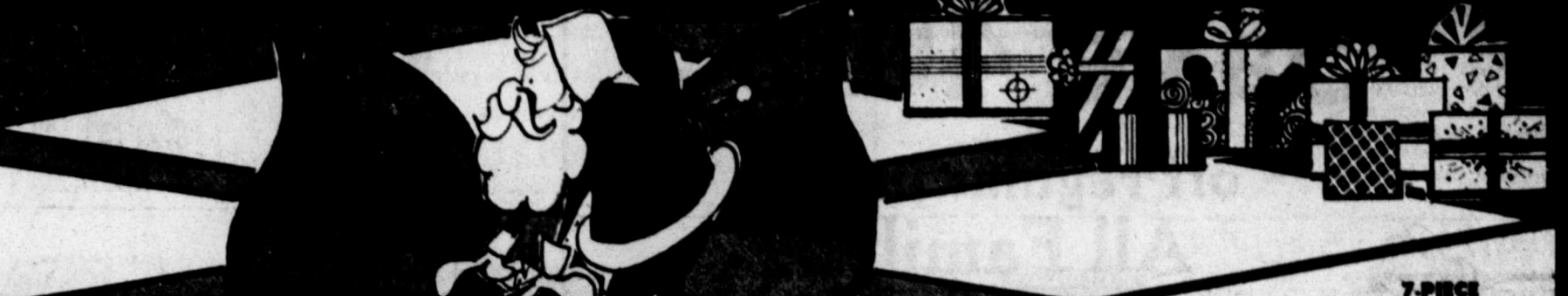
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PILLSBURY ALL VARIETIES 16 OZ. PKG. **99¢**



**ALBERTSONS**  
DRUGS & FOODS

**WE WILL CLOSE CHRISTMAS EVE**  
AT 10 P.M. . . . **CLOSED ALL DAY**  
ON CHRISTMAS. . . **RE-OPEN**  
**MONDAY MORNING AT 8:00 A.M.**

**WE CARE**  
ABOUT YOU  
*... Really Care!*



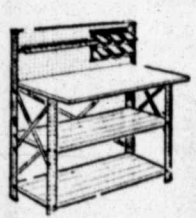
**SCHICK WARM & CREAMY  
HOT LATHER  
DISPENSER**

**NOW \$5.88**  
REG. \$9.99



**NEW!  
FISHING  
LURE BOX**  
WITH STRAPS FOR NECK.

**\$4.99**  
OUR REG. 5.99



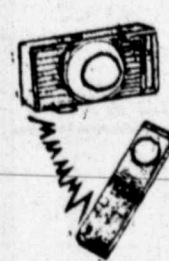
**EASY TO ASSEMBLE  
WORK BENCH**  
STEEL FRAME CONSTRUCTION

**\$15.88**  
OUR REG. 19.88



**SHOWER SHAVER  
SHOWER MIRROR**  
STICKS TO SHOWER WALL

**\$2.99**  
OUR REG. 3.99



**REMOTE CONTROL  
T-V GAME**  
HAND UNIT COMPACT SIZE

**\$14.99**  
OUR REG. 19.95



**COMPLETE  
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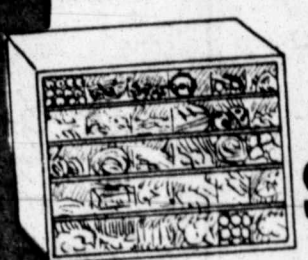
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LET US  
TRANSFER  
YOUR  
PRESCRIPTION  
FOR YOU . . .  
"FOR YOUR  
CONVENIENCE,  
WE WILL CALL  
YOUR DOCTOR FOR  
YOUR PRESCRIPTION."

PRICES  
GOOD  
WED., THUR.,  
FRI., & SAT.,  
DEC. 21, 22, 23 & 24  
**3249 50th  
AT INDIANA**

OPEN 24 HOURS



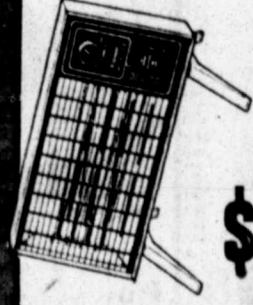
**RAACO  
STORAGE BIN**  
25 SMALL COMPARTMENTS

**\$6.88**  
OUR REG. 8.88



**CORNINGWARE  
SKILLET &  
PIE PLATE**  
SET NO. A-109-S

**\$8.99**  
OUR REG. 10.99



**EDISON  
PORTABLE  
HEATER**  
NO. 324022 1320 WATTS

**\$12.99**  
OUR REG. 15.88



**ELECTRO BRAND  
PORTABLE  
RADIO**  
AM SOLID STATE, MODEL 637

**\$2.99**  
OUR REG. 3.99



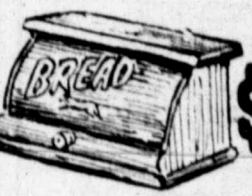
**YOUR CHOICE  
ENTIRE STOCK  
PIPES**  
LARGE SELECTION, NAME BRANDS

**20% OFF**



**CORY  
DRIP FILTER  
COFFEE POT**  
2 TO 8 CUP. GLASS POT.

**\$2.29**  
OUR REG. 2.99



**KNOCK ON WOOD  
BREAD  
BOX**  
LID FOLDS BACK. ALL WOOD.

**\$19.99**  
OUR REG. 29.95



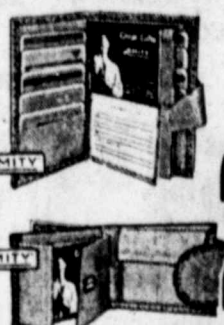
**SUNBEAM  
MIXMASTER  
MIXER**  
DELUXE MODEL NO. 1-72 OR 73

**\$52.88**  
OUR REG. 59.88



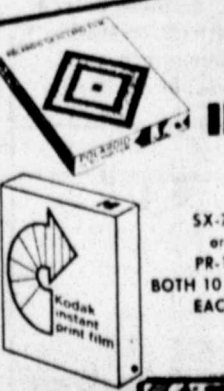
**SUNBEAM  
PINT SIZE  
DEEP FRYER**  
1 1/2 QUART CAPACITY

**\$16.88**  
OUR REG. 18.88



**YOUR CHOICE  
AMITY  
BILLFOLDS**  
MEN AND WOMEN'S STYLES.

**20% OFF**



**YOUR CHOICE  
KODAK or  
POLAROID  
INSTANT FILM**

**\$4.99**  
OUR REG. 5.49  
5X-70  
or  
PR-10  
BOTH 10 PACKS,  
EACH.



**7-PIECE  
WOODEN  
TOOL SET**  
DECORATE YOUR KITCHEN.

**\$2.99**  
OUR REG. 4.69



**CERAMIC  
COOKIE  
JARS**  
ASSORTED ANIMAL DESIGNS

**\$6.99**  
OUR REG. 9.99



**CONAIR 1500 WATT  
STYLER-  
DRYER**  
WITH TWO ATTACHMENTS

**\$21.99**  
OUR REG. 25.88



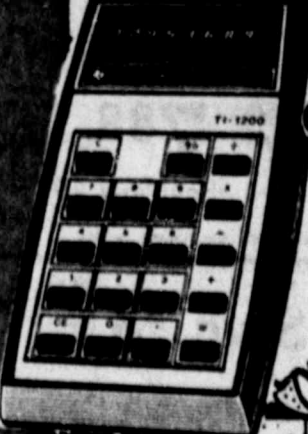
**24" PAINTED  
WALL  
MIRRORS**  
ELVIS PRESLEY OR BEATLES

**\$9.88**  
OUR REG. 12.88



**VIVITAR "600"  
POCKET  
CAMERA K**  
NEW WITH BUILT-IN FLASH

**\$29.95**



**TEXAS INSTRUMENT  
ELECTRONIC  
CALCULATOR**  
MODEL 1200, 5-FUNCTIONS

**\$6.99**  
OUR REG. 8.99



**60-COUNT  
EXCEDRIN  
TABLETS**

**\$1.09**  
OUR REG. 1.19



**12-COUNT  
TRIAMINICIN  
TABLETS**

**79¢**  
OUR REG. 99¢



**130-COUNT  
ONE-A-DAY  
VITAMINS  
PLUS  
MINERALS**

**\$3.49**  
OUR REG. 4.99



**4.73-OUNCE  
OLD SPICE  
AFTER SHAVE  
LOTION**

**\$1.59**  
REG. 1.79



**24-OUNCE  
SCOPE  
MOUTHWASH**

**\$1.59**  
OUR REG. \$1.79



**24-OUNCE  
VASELINE  
LOTION**

**\$1.89**  
OUR REG. 2.39



**4-OUNCE  
ARRID XX  
DEODORANT  
SPRAY**

**99¢**  
OUR REG. 1.49



# Christmas Sell-out Sale

SHOP 10 AM TIL 9 PM MON—SATURDAY ... 50TH & BOSTON ... 795-8221

## Save 40%

off regular price  
**All Family  
Outwear**



Choose from similar styles on sale now for a 40% savings. Men's, boys', Women's, Juniors, girls', and children's.



Save \$2-\$6

A Little Night Magic.  
Black Witchery

- 588 Babydoll with bikini, Reg. \$8
- 888 Long Gown bikini, Reg. \$12
- 1788 Peignor Set, Reg. \$24

Save 25%



**Fashion  
Sweaters**

25% Off Reg. Price

Fashion right sweaters in style similar to shown.

Save \$3



**Large Assortment  
Fall Handbags**

888

Regularly \$12

Choose styles to complete your wardrobe. Similar to illustration.

Save \$4-\$6

**Long Nylon  
Robes**



Quilted to polyester fill S,M,L,XL. Reg. \$16-\$18

1188

Save 3.11

4-qt. Corn Popper

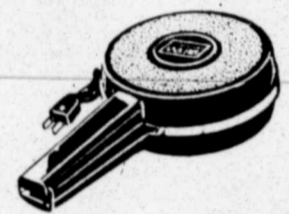


Reg. 11.99

788

Save \$4

**Hamburger Cooker**



888

Regularly 12.97

Save \$2

Men's soft Knit Kicker® casual.



Encren® polyester doubleknit upper, man-made Kraton® bottom. M7-11,12

788

Regularly 9.99

\$30  
off.

Men, turn heads in crisply tailored vested sport suits.



5488

Regularly \$85  
Handsome tailored of natural brushed cotton and no-muss polyester with cotton suede trim. Blue, green, rust, tan. Regs., longs 38-46.

Save \$5-\$8

Cushiony beanbag—extra seating comfort

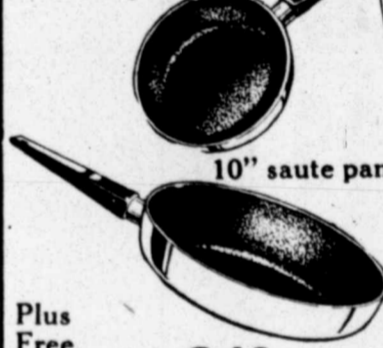


1988

Regularly 24.99  
Queen, Reg. 22.99 for 14.88

1/2 Price

2-Pc Cookware Offer  
8" saute pan



10" saute pan

949

Plus Free Nylon Spatula

Regularly 18.98

Save \$5

Versatile blender has 10 speeds



2288

Regularly 27.99

Save \$3

Men's engineered-stripe shirts.

897

Regularly \$12  
Sporty 3-button placket front, contrast collar and cuffs. Soft, no-iron polyester/cotton knit. Bright hues. S-XL.



Save \$3

Temperature down? Men's pullovers on!

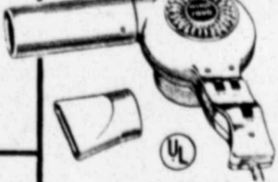
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Regularly \$16  
Handsome full fashioned crewneck style of warm, rugged wool and acrylic. Rib knit trim. Now hues. S-XL.



Save \$4  
Your Choice  
1388  
17.99

800w\* styler/dryer for fantastic hair care. \*mfrs rated wattage



\*mfrs rated wattage 1000-watt\* pro-style hair dryer.

Save \$9  
Norelco® Gotcha Gun™



Regularly 25.99

1688

Save \$7

Wards fine electric digital alarm.



Regularly 19.99

1288

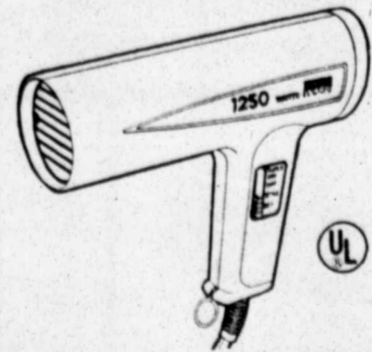
Entire Stock  
Picture  
Clocks

20% Off Regular Price



Save \$5

1250-watt\* hair dryer.



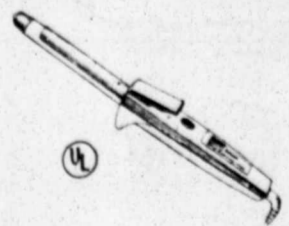
Regularly 19.99

1488

\*manufacturers rated wattage

Save \$3

Deluxe dry curling iron, built-in stand.



Regularly 7.99

488

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Can't find a gift? See Us.







# Christmas Sell-out Sale

SHOP 10AM TIL 9PM DAILY...SATURDAY 10AM TIL 9PM...50TH & BOSTON...795-8221

**Save \$101**  
Microwave cooks, defrosts and browns  
**\$398**  
Regularly 499.95  
Lets you cook by temp or time. 650w cook power.  
2-speed, 18-lb washer  
8088  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$10**  
Enjoy your music on Wards compact stereo.  
6028 Simulated wood.  
Stereo amplifier, mini record changer, speakers, headphones.  
**5988**  
Regularly 69.95  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$70**  
21.4-cu.ft. top-mount refrigerator/freezer  
2136  
Frostless; 6.6 cu.ft. freezer. Meat keeper. Twin crispers.  
**\$548**  
With Ice Maker  
Reg. 639.95  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$100 off.**  
Our 25" diagonal  
16231 Simulated pecan.  
Auto Color console.  
**54988**  
Regularly 649.95  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$120**  
Our portable 10-cycle dishwasher.  
986  
Water-saver lets you select proper water level. Built-in bleach dispenser.  
**25988**  
Reg. 329.95  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$10**  
Portable AM/FM radio/8-track player.  
3978  
Operates AC, or with batteries, car/boat adapter. Convenient built-in FM/AFC.  
**4988**  
Reg. 59.95  
Limited Quantities

**Special Buy**  
AM/FM Walkie-Talkie  
**\$17**  
Looking for a family gift? See Us.

**Save up to 1/2 off**  
On APF® Games  
Sporting Goods Dept.

Model #401 Reg. 34.99 **1988**  
Model #444 Reg. 39.99 **2488**  
Model #402 Reg. 69.99 **2988**  
Limited Quantities

AAU endorsed. Unassembled.  
**Save \$20**  
His or her 27" deluxe 10-speed racer.  
Shimano Positron shift, free front wheel sprocket.  
**9997**  
Reg. 119.95  
Limited Quantities

**1/2 Price**  
7-piece traditional fireplace ensemble.  
38x31" screen. Includes ball-top andirons, poker, brush, shovel and stand.  
**3588**  
Regularly 72.95  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$30**  
Our open-hearth Franklin fireplace.  
**\$99**  
Regularly \$129.95  
38 1/2" wide. Sturdy cast iron. Burns wood or coal in 26 1/2" firebox. Adapts to gas, electric. Screen, reducer, pipe, all accessories extra.  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$5-\$10**  
Your Choice  
**3488**  
Power-Kraft® 15 1/2" hobby mini-lathe.  
Turn doll furniture, chess sets, many craft projects. Takes 1 1/2" diam, 6" length.  
Reg. 44.95  
Power-Kraft® versatile hobby jig saw.  
Fun, easy to use for all the family. Cuts wood, metal, plastic. 12" throat.  
Reg. 39.95  
Limited Quantities

**Save \$20**  
Upright vac complete with attachments.  
Beater-bar pounds out embedded dirt as bristle brush and powerful suction sweep it up. 2 hts.  
**6988**  
Regularly 89.95  
2-sided power edge cleaner vacuums along baseboards.  
886  
AUTOMATIC EDGE CLEANER

**Save \$100**  
Zig-Zag Sewing Head  
Floor Models Limited Quantities  
Regularly \$230 **\$130\***  
\*Head Only, Needs extra controls to operate.  
Built-in buttonholder, 12 cams for decorator and stretch stitches.

**Save \$51**  
3-In-1 Table  
**18888**  
Reg. 239.88  
Great entertainer — a 3-in-1 table. Switches from dining top to card table to carom pool. Simulated walnut finish.  
Limited Quantities  
Reg. 169.95 Table now on sale for 119.88

**Save \$120**  
Sporting Goods Dept.  
Brunswick® fast, fun air hockey game.  
Puck speeds up to 100 mph. 2 hard pucks, 1 soft puck, 2 goalies, 3x6' playfield.  
**7988**  
Regularly 199.95  
Limited Quantities

**Pre-Season Layaway**  
Your storage building for \$10 till May 1  
Model 4475  
9'10" x 9'4" steel storage building.  
Roomy interior with 6'8" peak. Plenty of storage area. Green w/white trim.  
Unassembled.  
**15988**  
Regularly 249.95  
Save \$90

**Save \$100**  
7' 3/4" Slatebed Pool Table  
Auto ball return, Bed cloth 60% wool, 40% nylon. Access. not included. Unassembled  
**39999**  
Reg. 499.99

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You get what you want at Wards



# Readings In Texas

High and low temperatures for Texas cities as reported by the National Weather Service station at Lubbock Regional Airport for the 24-hour period ended at 6 a.m. today:

City	High	Low
Lubbock	45	17
Dalhart	41	15
Wichita Falls	51	27
Dallas	54	34
Austin	56	35
Beaumont	60	32
San Angelo	52	26
Midland	46	20
Houston	60	42
Galveston	63	41
San Antonio	57	29
Corpus Christi	60	45
Amarillo	42	16
Abilene	49	28
Brownsville	66	38
El Paso	46	18
College Station	54	38
Texarkana	45	31
Waco	55	36

# The Weather Across U.S.

High and low temperatures for U.S. cities as reported by the National Weather Service station at Lubbock Regional Airport for the 24-hour period ended at 6 a.m. today:

City	High	Low
Albuquerque	36	12
Anchorage	25	21
Birmingham	62	27
Bismarck, N.D.	8	1
Boise, Idaho	32	23
Boston	—	—
Buffalo, N.Y.	66	38
Casper, Wyo.	40	33
Chicago	39	19
Cincinnati	50	22
Denver	36	12
Detroit	37	21
Helena, Mont.	31	15
Honolulu	79	68
Indianapolis	50	22
Kansas City	25	15
Las Vegas	48	38
Little Rock	44	25
Los Angeles	70	60
Miami Beach	76	70
Milwaukee	37	29
Minneapolis	23	16
New Orleans	67	38
New York	41	40
Oklahoma City	45	25
Phoenix	63	55
Pittsburgh	45	33
St. Louis	34	17
Salt Lake City	32	13
San Francisco	54	52
Seattle	52	44
Spokane	25	44
Washington, D.C.	45	37

# Manager Named For Wool Firm

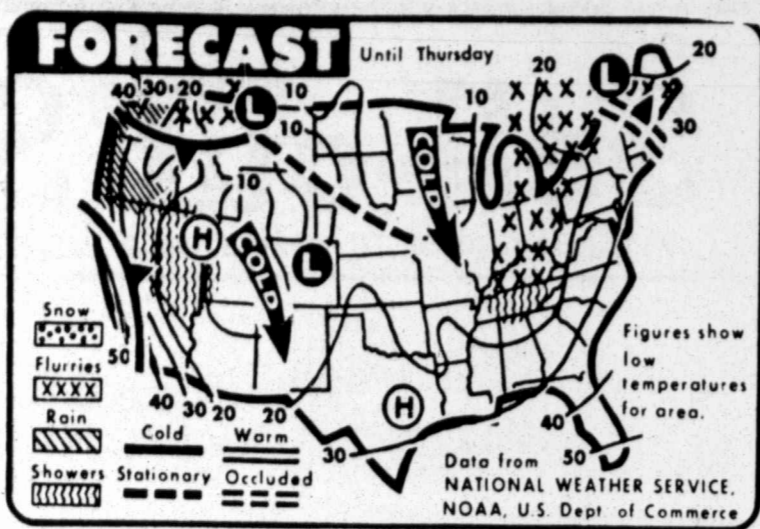
SONORA (Special) — Glen D. Fisher of Sonora has been named manager of the Sonora Warehouse Co., officials of the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. have announced.

Fisher, manager of the R. A. Halbert registered cattle operation, formerly was an area economist and marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He was responsible for a 19-county region of southwest Texas with headquarters in Uvalde.

The 1971 graduate of Texas Tech will assume the new position on Jan. 1, succeeding Fred Campbell, who held the post since 1969. Campbell has become manager of the Mohair Council of America.

Fisher was reared on a farm in Crosby County. He received an agricultural economics degree at Texas Tech and a M.S. degree in marketing, agri-finance and ranch management from Oklahoma State University in Stillwater in 1973.

The 30-year-old High Plains native is married to the former Linda McBride of Sonora. The couple has a 3 1/2-year-old daughter, Tammy.



WEATHER FORECAST — Rain and showers were forecast today for most of the West with continuing high winds forecast for Southern California. Snow flurries were forecast from the Ohio Valley to the Great Lakes. Most of the country was expected to be cold. (AP Laserphoto)

# South Plains Temperatures

South Plains temperature and precipitation summary for the past 24 hours as compiled by the National Weather Service as of 8:45 a.m. today.

Station	Max	Min	Prep.
Abernathy	44	18	tr
Big Spring	47	20	tr
Brownfield	43	18	tr
Crosbyton	44	17	tr
Dimmitt	42	9	tr
Floydada	42	12	tr
Friena	39	11	tr
Hereford	41	10	tr
Jayton	49	20	tr
Lamesa	48	16	tr
Levelland	44	13	.01
Littlefield	42	16	tr
Lockettville	43	11	tr
Lubbock	45	14	tr
Matador	48	22	tr
Morton	41	13	tr
Muleshoe	51	10	.03
Muleshoe Refuge	42	10	tr
Olton	42	12	tr
Paducah	49	22	tr

# Local Readings

Official readings as recorded by the National Weather Service station at Lubbock Regional Airport for a 24-hour period ending at noon today:

1 p.m.	66	1 a.m.	21
2 p.m.	69	2 a.m.	20
3 p.m.	71	3 a.m.	22
4 p.m.	70	4 a.m.	17
5 p.m.	67	5 a.m.	18
6 p.m.	59	6 a.m.	18
7 p.m.	55	7 a.m.	21
8 p.m.	52	8 a.m.	14
9 p.m.	30	9 a.m.	21
10 p.m.	27	10 a.m.	31
11 p.m.	24	11 a.m.	31
Midnight	22	Noon	41

Sun sets at 5:43 p.m. today; sun rises at 7:48 a.m. Thursday.  
Record high for date: 72 in 1933.  
Record low for date: 5 in 1916.

# Veteran Texas Solon Retiring From Office

BRYAN (AP) — After 31 years in the U.S. House of Representatives, veteran Texas congressman Olin "Tiger" Teague is stepping down.

The 76-year-old Bryan Democrat made the expected announcement Tuesday. "I have given the job of representing you all the energy and ability at my command," he said in a letter to his 6th Congressional District constituents. "However, my health is such I do not believe I can continue to serve you beyond my present term with the same energy and effort of previous years."

Teague, a much-decorated World War II veteran, had been hospitalized as a result of war injuries, the worst of which was amputation of his left foot. After the surgery, he said it would take "a miracle" to cause him to run for re-election. "I am making this announcement now so that all who aspire to be your representative will have ample time to prepare their campaigns and you will have ample time to make your decision," Teague said in his letter.

Teague's decision further decimates the Texas contingent in Washington. He is the fourth long-term lawmaker from the Lone Star State to announce his retirement plans at the end of the current term.

Reps. George Mahon, Bob Poague and Omar Burleson, all of whom are in their

70s, also have announced their intentions to leave the House of Representatives.

Teague, whose district includes part of Dallas County, is chairman of the House Science and Technology Committee and also heads the subcommittee on education and training of the Veterans Affairs Committee.

In 1945, Teague was a political unknown fresh out of the hospital as a highly-decorated war hero. His support came mostly from veterans in the small towns of northeastern Texas.

Eventually, he served as chairman of the House Veterans Affairs Committee.

# Government Issues Porpoise Quotas

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Commerce Department is issuing new quotas to reduce the number of porpoises killed by tuna fishermen.

The National Marine Fisheries Service set quotas at 51,945 for 1978, 41,610 for 1979 and 31,150 for 1980. The 1977 quota is 62,429.

Porpoises are killed when they become entangled in tuna nets and drown.

Environmentalists have asked for strict limits on the number of porpoises that can be killed, but fishermen say limits could drive them out of business.

# Theft Of Jewelry Tops List Of City Crimes

A \$9,000 jewelry theft topped the most recent list of city crimes reported to police.

According to My Richard Vann, someone made off with the property, which included \$5,600 and \$3,300 diamond rings, from his home sometime during the past two weeks.

Reports indicated no sign of forced entry was found at the 4401 57th St. residence.

A window reportedly provided entry for whoever stole two guns and a television from Donnie Wayne Nickell's 1300 46th Place home sometime this week. The complainant told officers a yard gate also was pried during the incident.

Another local break-in resulted in a \$1270 loss for Alvin Wright of 527 42nd St. The victim provided police with names of suspects in the Sunday burglary.

# Official Reports Carter Rejects Urban Policies

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter reportedly views urban policy recommendations by a cabinet-level group as a "laundry list of budget fantasies disguised as an urban policy."

Carter's feelings were offered Tuesday by a White House official, who said the president's rejection of the proposals will affect his timetable for some urban aid decisions.

Administration officials, who asked not to be identified, said the rejection resulted in Carter's decision to seek almost no new spending for cities in next month's budget message.

But he may ask for a supplementary appropriation when he announces his urban policy in March, they said.

The proposals turned down by Carter, drafted by the Urban and Regional Policy Group, were discussed by the president and domestic advisers last week.

While the group wanted to boost urban spending by \$5 billion to \$10 billion, a \$2 billion figure is more likely, administration sources say.

The group sought to hike spending for current programs and offered several new plans, including a \$1 billion public works fund.

Other administration aides are revising the program, parts of which might be mentioned in the State of the Union address next month.

In addition, the budget message will mention some urban programs, such as extension of revenue sharing and youth employment, White House officials report.

# FINAL DETOUR REMOVED

ATLANTA (AP) — The final section of Interstate 75 near Cartersville, Ga., will be opened officially Wednesday, removing the final detour for the 1,564-mile superhighway that will stretch uninterrupted from Michigan to Florida. The highway from Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., to Tampa, Fla., crosses seven states and took nearly 20 years and \$3.5 billion to complete.

A 24-year-old Lubbock man, shot at twice after he arrived at a "friend's" residence in South Lubbock to collect \$150.

Police reported evidence of pellets in one had been arrested Tuesday the man was uninjured.

Elsewhere, Delbert Carter of 1507 42nd St. said someone broke through a window at his residence Monday, then picked up five guns before leaving. Carter said the four shotguns and rifle were valued at an aggregate \$845.

Mrs. E. F. McMahan of Route 5 said someone broke into her van Monday while it was parked at a home in far West Lubbock. Stolen were an estimated \$1,000 worth of locksmith tools, Mrs. McMahan said.

Vandals put a damper on Monty Smith's yuletide spirit early Tuesday, after someone sprayed red and white paint on the Abernathy resident's blue and white car. Smith, who said the incident occurred in the 2800-block of Weber Drive, estimated the damage to his vehicle at \$250.

Wayne White of 4609 23rd St. said someone stole a nailgun worth \$388 Friday from a house under construction in the 800-block of N. Avenue Q Drive.

A calculator, radio and a set of knives, totaling \$155 in value, were stolen from Andy Scarborough of 1708 Ave. S over the

weekend, reports indicate.

Barbara Elliot of 3711 46th St. said vandals threw rocks through several glass doors at Dunbar High School Monday, causing about \$250 damage.

Jake Wendel of the Radio Lab, 1501 Ave. Q, said two men entered the store Monday and while one of the suspects occupied a clerk, the other stole two CB radios worth \$175.

Another CB radio was stolen Monday, this one from Nelson Frehulfer of 4501 Brownfield Drive.

Mrs. A. J. Hodges of 8101 Kenosha Drive said her child's bicycle worth \$40 was taken Friday from an elementary school in the 6900-block of Nashville Drive.

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# Ford Says Public Needs Tax Cut

By WALTER R. MEARS  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Former President Gerald R. Ford said today the American public "damn well needs a tax reduction," and added the cut should be bigger and more generous to the middle class than President Carter is planning.

"If we don't get some relief for the middle-income people... I think you'll have a tax revolt," Ford said. He said he meant people earning \$12,000 to \$30,000 a year.

The new Carter plan would sharply reduce taxes at the lower end of the scale, virtually eliminating levies on families with incomes of \$10,000 or less, but would offer little tax relief to people in higher income brackets.

Ford said if he were still president, he would be advocating tax cuts of up to \$70 billion over the next four years to bolster the private enterprise economy. He said they would have to be accompanied by restraints on federal spending.

Winding up a four-day Washington visit, his longest since leaving the White House, Ford told a group of reporters he thinks Carter acted correctly in dispensing with proposals to overhaul the tax

laws as part of his tax cut proposal. Carter is planning to send Congress a \$25-billion tax cut next year.

Ford said if the cut had been tied to measures the administration considers to be tax reform, it would take most of the congressional session to get action on the bill. "If Congress has to work on tax reform, there won't be any tax bill until early fall, and that will be too late," he said.

The former president said the Carter administration faces a serious problem because of uncertainty and a lack of confidence by the business community. Ford said tax reduction will help ease that.

Ford told the American Enterprise Institute on Tuesday night that the Carter tax cuts would barely offset tax increases the public faces because of inflation, the energy program and higher Social Security levies.

Reciting his differences with Carter today, Ford said he rates the administration energy program as inadequate, strongly disagrees with his successor's cancellation of the B-1 bomber program and questions whether the administration is working actively enough to promote Senate approval of the Panama Canal

treaty.

Ford declined to say whether he will support a new strategic arms limitation agreement with the Soviet Union, insisting that he'll have to see the terms first to determine whether it is in the national interest. Ford's own administration was deep in negotiations for such a pact when the talks stalled.

The former Republican president said he considers the SALT agreement, which also would have to be approved by the Senate, more important than the Panama Canal pact.

Ford said he intends to continue his efforts to gain approval of the canal treaty. "I happen to think this administration has to do more, and I've told the president that," he said. Ford said Carter and Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance both should be pushing publicly for Senate support of the treaty.

He also said he thinks it was a mistake for the Republican National Committee to have sponsored a fund-raising letter signed by Ronald Reagan and urging rejection of the treaty.

"If the Republican Party is a one-issue party, such as the Panama Canal, then

the Republican nomination won't be worth anything in 1980," Ford said.

He said he intends to be politically active, and left open his options for candidacy in that presidential election year.

"I'm certainly not going to make any decision until 1979," he said.

On other points, Ford:

— Said his administration laid important groundwork for current progress toward a Middle East peace. He said that without prior contacts on an agreement covering the Sinai area, it's doubtful Egyptian President Anwar Sadat could have undertaken his current peace initiative. "I'm pleased that Sadat has grabbed the ball," Ford said.

— He doesn't see much point in Carter's forthcoming foreign trip. "It's kind of a face-saver," he said, since Carter had announced and then postponed a trip abroad earlier. Ford said it might be more useful if Carter went to the Middle East than to the points on his current itinerary.

— If he had the 1976 campaign to run again, he would once again debate Carter. "I think those debates ought to be institutionalized," he said.

## Drop In Dollar's Value Hurts U.S. GIs

By ROON LEWALD  
BONN, West Germany (AP) — The drop in the exchange value of the dollar is forcing most of the 210,000 U.S. servicemen in West Germany to tighten their belts.

But it's devastating to most of more than 20,000 low-ranking GIs who brought their families here at their own expense and who must rent local apartments for them because their rank is not high enough to qualify them for free military housing.

The dollar, worth 3.20 marks five years ago, was down to 2.36 marks in January and 2.27 in October. Tuesday it closed at

2.1120, the lowest ever. These families must pay their rent and other expenses in marks. When the dollar drops, their expenses go up automatically.

"Close to the end of the month, we have to live on sandwiches," said Pfc. Franklin Dungan, 19, who is stationed in the Frankfurt suburb of Hanau. "But I'll eat sandwiches all month rather than send my wife home."

Dungan, from Waynesboro, Va., earns \$647 a month, or 1,366 marks at Tuesday's rate. He pays \$50 marks for his one-room apartment — \$154 last month, \$166 now.

"More and more people are walking in here with no money and no food when it's nowhere near the end of the month," said Dorothy Ogilvy-Lee, 35, a social worker at the American Community Services Center at Hanau.

"There has been a sharp rise in social and all other kinds of problems such as child and spouse abuse, severe marital problems and an increased return of spouses to the United States."

Miss Lee said the number of emergency relief loans to military personnel in the Hanau area jumped 38 percent this year.

Many servicemen are getting rid of

their cars. But this means they have to take taxis or buses — and pay the fare in German currency — to get to the commissary, which accepts dollars. Many must shop in German stores, where prices are high.

"If there are no Americans where they live and they don't speak German, the wives are in what amounts to solitary confinement if the family has no car," Miss Lee said.

Pvt 2 Joe Hatton, 26, of Fort Worth, who lives in a cramped apartment near Hanau with his wife, Barbara-Ann, blamed the isolation for his wife's miscarriage while he was on maneuvers.

"It was near the end of the month," he said. "She had food, but she had no money so she couldn't get a bus, and she was alone in the building."

Hatton says some landlords with apartments near military bases raise their rents for GI tenants.

"They know Americans have no

choice," he said. "A friend of mine had to pay more than 400 marks rent while Germans in the same building were paying only 300."

More wives are trying to find jobs, and husbands are looking for part-time jobs, which are very scarce, said Chaplain Hans Sandrock at the Air Force's European headquarters at Ramstein.

Airman Arturo Corral, 21, of New York City, said he works part time in a bowling alley to add another \$100 to his \$560 monthly paycheck.

The dollar slide has increased Corral's 450-mark rent by \$20 to more than \$210 in the past five months.

"I can't get by on Air Force money alone," he said.

"I'll say we're cutting down on Christmas spending," said his wife, Margaret, who is expecting their second child.

"We haven't even thought of buying presents yet. We hope to get a tree, but I don't know if we will."

## Texas High Court Bars Sale Of Furr's Stock

A-J Austin Bureau  
AUSTIN — The two sons of the late Lubbock businessman Roy Furr still cannot sell company stock in order to help settle debts, under terms of an order handed down today by the Texas Supreme Court.

Without issuing its own opinion, the state's highest court let stand a trial court judgment from Lubbock, and an appeals court decision from Amarillo which have held that the sale of stock would violate Texas corporate law.

Roy K. Furr and Don C. Furr, the surviving sons, were sued by their sister, Shelly Furr Hall, who has successfully blocked the proposed sale, contending the business deal would unfairly give the brothers controlling interest in the family operations.

Those operations consist of Furr's, Inc., Furr's Realty, Farm Pac Kitchens, Inc., and Furr's Cafeterias, Inc., all headquartered in Lubbock.

When the elder Furr died in June 1975, court records indicate the family empire was valued at \$7 million, but also held liabilities of nearly \$5 million.

Under the direction of Roy K. Furr, court testimony revealed, the Board of Directors of the Furr business operations attempted to settle those debts by making several sales and mergers. It was at this point that Shelly Hall objected to her brothers' dealings and the court proceedings began.

In March, 1976, Roy and Don Furr were ordered by a Lubbock County district court not to sell or transfer any property belonging to the estate of Roy Furr.

That decision was upheld in August, 1977, in a 13-page opinion by the Amarillo Court of Civil Appeals.

In a separate but related case, the Texas Supreme Court recently clarified the extent of the Furr estate, opening the way to the disposition of the disputed stock sale.

Furr's widow received half of the estate, but court records show she wished no part in the administration of the family business.

In another Lubbock case, the Supreme Court routinely upheld its earlier order requiring a new trial in a payment dis-

pute over construction work done at the local airport.

Recently, the court upheld lower court decisions ordering the new trial to determine how much, if any, the L.H. Lacy Company of Dallas is due from the City of Lubbock for the airport project.

## Firm Donates 'Twister' To Textile Center

The American Volkman Corp. of Charlotte, N.C., has donated a "Two-for-One Twister" to the Textile Research Center (TRC) at Texas Tech University.

This type, considered a significant advancement over conventional ring twisters, is designed to produce plied yarn at least twice as fast as older models, according to Jim Parker, TRC director.

The twister incorporates four types of Volkman machines and will work with four different spindle sizes. A unique feature is that it can twist and singe at the same time, a great advantage in processing of thread, Parker said.

Parker said that because of the twister's great versatility it will be used for producing two- and three-ply yarns in a variety of research programs. Cotton wool, mohair and man-made fibers will be used on it.

"Since we first learned about this new concept of twisting, we have wanted this machine in our operation," he said. "We consider it to the latest development in plying yarns."

Valued at \$40,000, it is the only one of its kind in the Southwest. Parker said the TRC's fabric work has increased considerably within the past two years and a greater demand for plied yarns will make the twister an asset to the TRC's research.

Peter Philipp, vice president of the American Volkman Corp., said, "The utilization of this machine will be most helpful to the research program here." "We are pleased that our equipment can be involved in the work done for many organizations around the world by the Texas Tech institution."

The TRC at Texas Tech employs a full-time staff of 55 researchers. Current emphasis is on open-end spinning, garment development for geriatric and handicapped persons and the utilization of wool and mohair in yarns and fabrics produced in the cotton system of manufacturing, Parker said.

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WHOA, PARDNER — A city policeman mounts a striking farmer's tractor to tell the driver he may not proceed further. The action took place during this morning's blockade of The Avalanche-Journal by hundreds of farmers ostensibly angered over a recent editorial deploring farm strike tactics. (Staff Photo)

## Farmers Say Ride In Tractor Not Comfortable, Just Boring

By MONA HARVEY  
Avalanche-Journal Staff  
Anyone who thinks activities by striking farmers are just fun and games had better think again, said the consensus of two dozen farmers rehearsing the week's events over waffles and coffee.

For one thing, it is not fun to ride around in a tractor, trundling down highways, for days at a time.

Strikers who headed towards Lubbock from Plainview Tuesday bounced along at 10 mph, taking four hours for a 40-mile trip.

"The cabs on those tractors are not for luxury, like some people have been saying," a Dimmitt farmer said. Either cabs or a rollbar are needed on tractors these days as driver safety precaution in case one turns over. "And they're not very sta-

ble."

"The heaters in those cabs are not required but I wouldn't have traded mine for \$500 last night," grinned Dick Shackelford of Dimmitt. "It was cold last night."

Shackelford drove one of the vehicles which surrounded The Avalanche-Journal early today, postponing distribution. "It wasn't bumper-to-bumper," he said. "Tractors don't have bumpers. But we were real close."

He further noted the ride was not uncomfortable, "just boring."

Shackelford, who has participated in the strike movement for two or three weeks; said he has not done as much as some others.

He was active in the Austin tractorcade to the Capitol. In Austin he received a

traffic ticket. "I thought you could drive through a red light with a green tractor but you couldn't," he said. Later the vehicles were allowed a parade permit.

Shackelford said he is "not proud" of the picketing and closure of warehouses but it is a desperation move "because we're broke."

Farmers cannot even afford this strike, he noted.

"Tractor tires are built to travel on soft dirt. With those tractors parked on the asphalt," he waved towards the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center lot, "they're going to wear out about four times faster. And those rear tires cost \$400 each."

"I don't want my banker to know about this," he quipped.

Shackelford, who says he is "half a million dollars in debt," had to refinance his land last year to take out a loan for new crops. "But that well can run dry."

Some farmers may be forced to take jobs in town, he said. He figures he could teach school but others may not be as well qualified for city jobs.

"I farm because I like it," he said. "I like the land."

The strike movement draws Shackelford's full support although "it's silly we have to do this."

"I've slept in my tractor and in motels" the last few weeks, he said, "and I've come to like motels better."

He said he has learned that all types of farmers seem to be involved in the action, not just the grain farmers as he had first believed.

Two fellow strikers wander into the Avenue Q Pancake House with news of more activities. "My blood's tired," he remarks at the prospect of fresh encounters.

The farmer, who returned to his family's farm after getting a college education, hopes the strike will break for Christmas.

But he supports every effort and will see the movement through to the end, he said.

As he savors the dregs of his coffee, Shackelford heads out with the other protesters to catch any movement instructions from strike leaders over the citizens' band radios in their parked tractors.

## News Briefs

Ricky Sanford and Tommy Walker, both 19 and Amarillo residents, were listed in serious and satisfactory condition, respectively, today at Methodist Hospital. The men were recuperating following a one-car rollover about 9:30 p.m. Friday, south of Post on FM 669.

Santiago Rodriguez, 22, of 1915 Ave. L, was in satisfactory condition today in Methodist Hospital with wounds suffered about 6 a.m. Saturday in a stabbing incident in the 3500 block of East 19th St.

Randy Ray Marsh, 19, of Ralls was in critical condition today in Methodist Hospital with injuries suffered Dec. 10 in a car-train accident in the 3100 block of Clovis Road.

Albert Aguilar, 16, of 1111 40th St. was listed in satisfactory condition at Methodist Hospital today with injuries suffered Dec. 4 in a traffic mishap in the 3200-block of Southeast Loop 289.

Darwin Manning, 22, of 814 34th St., No. 2, was in serious condition today in Methodist Hospital with gunshot wounds in the stomach and shoulder he suffered Dec. 10 in an altercation at a club in the 200-block of East Broadway.

## City Police Continue To Watch Farm Strike

By PAT CARLSON  
Avalanche-Journal Staff  
Although no violence had yet been reported, Lubbock police at midday continued their close watch of the farmers' contingent scattered throughout the city.

The only arrests made by police so far came after midnight when several participants of the farmers' movement were taken to Lubbock City Jail following a demonstration at The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

However, Police Chief J.T. Alley today said he personally tore up the jail cards made on five men after he talked with a

group of farmers in his office. Alley said he agreed to tear up the booking records after a contingent of about 40 men talked with him in his office about 4 p.m. today.

The action reportedly was part of a mutual agreement, which included the farmers leaving the nearby downtown site. Police took possession of one tractor during the early morning incident, but returned it to its owner after the meeting at the police department.

Initial reports had indicated that 31 arrests had been made, but Alley said only five were officially booked.

Police called in nine extra officers for duty this morning. At noon, however, there had been no reported violent outbreaks in the city.

Officers and supervisors did spend the morning talking with numerous residents who called to complain of strike activities. Many irate citizens were questioning why the tractors were being allowed to drive on city streets and park on roadways and parking lots.

Reportedly, however, there were no major traffic problems caused by the large farm implements. Police at various times during the morning watched several streams of tractors roll past the department, but the movements all were orderly and the participants observed all traffic laws.

Patrol units which were sent to various locations in the city later reported no trouble, and even said the owners of one business invited the farmers inside for coffee and a peaceful discussion.

Police were basing today's activities on the hope that the demonstrators would be gone by midnight today.

However, a 24-ton tank, owned by LPD, was reportedly being readied for possible service in the event the situation warrants its use. Police officials indicated that the tank, which is operational, would be brought to a site near the downtown area later today.

## Briscoe Announces State Appointments

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe announced the appointment Tuesday of Mort L. Mertz of Eldorado and T. Euel Liner of Lubbock to the Texas Animal Health Commission.

Briscoe also reappointed John Barclay Armstrong of Kingsville.

Mertz, a rancher, replaces T. A. Kincaid Jr. of LaVernia, whose term expired.

Liner, manager of the Lubbock Swine Breeders, replaces Don G. Brothers of Paducah, whose term expired.

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# Welfare Cheaters Target Of New Drive

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government will soon begin comparing computer tapes of the 110 million wage earners who pay Social Security taxes with welfare rolls from across the country in a search for welfare cheaters and bureaucratic waste.

Health, Education and Welfare Secretary Joseph A. Califano Jr. disclosed plans for the project Tuesday in a year-end interview with The Associated Press. The secretary predicted the project would help restore public confidence in the welfare system by "getting the welfare rolls down to those people who are entitled to be on them."

He said the computer matching is theoretically foolproof.

"As a condition of getting AFDC (Aid to Families with Dependent Children) benefits, you have to report what your income is. If you report your income accurately and properly, it will never show up. (But) if you report your income inaccurately, then it (welfare fraud) will."

The new program is an expansion of Project Match, which Califano launched earlier this year by comparing HEW's Washington payroll with local welfare rolls.

The effort has so far spread out to compare the names, Social Security numbers and salaries of 2.8 million federal civil servants against the names of welfare recipients in 20 major metropolitan areas,

turning up 13,000 welfare recipients getting federal paychecks.

Some of those presumably were receiving aid legitimately, but a pilot study indicated that perhaps 25 percent of the names appearing on both lists would be people ineligible for welfare or receiving too much in benefits, investigators said.

Responding to earlier criticism that Project Match is an unwarranted invasion of individual privacy, Califano said: "This in no way in my judgment will violate anyone's privacy. We'll do this with delicacy and care."

Califano is acting on authority granted in a little-noticed section of the new Social Security law signed by President Carter on Tuesday. The section, accepted

at the last minute by House and Senate conferees on the bill, had been inserted by the Senate Finance Committee, headed by Sen. Russell Long, D-La.

Califano said he expects "big progress next year on error, fraud and abuse in welfare," adding that he intends to move "right away and to the utmost" in using the normally confidential computer files of the Social Security system.

On other subjects, the Secretary said in the interview:

— He considers the Social Security bill a legislative success for the Carter administration even without the primary innovations Califano and Carter had proposed.

— The central commitment was to put it

back on its feet, and he's done that through the end of this century," the secretary said.

— Despite congressional rejection of the administration's plan to use general tax revenues to shore up Social Security reserves, "some day general revenue financing will come, if not in my tenure at HEW, I can guarantee it in my lifetime or before I get on the Social Security rolls."

— Race discrimination "is still the most difficult problem we face in the human arena in this country."

— "That just seems so intractable. I think we're making progress, but it's still very tough. I was quite frankly surprised at how tough it was after the '60s."

— The administration's National

Health Insurance legislation may not be introduced next year for tactical reasons, but it "will be — if we get it — the centerpiece of the president's first administration at home."

— The failure of Congress to adopt the administration's bill to put a 9 percent lid on increases in hospital charges was a disappointment, but he predicted the measure will pass next year.

The secretary blamed the press of other legislation and "the hospital associations and their co-conspirators" for holding up what he has called the necessary first step toward national health insurance.

# President Studying Gas Price Proposal

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Weary congressional energy negotiators relayed a plan to sharply increase natural gas prices to President Carter today. But the compromise would also continue the federal controls sought by Carter.

The proposal, hammered out just before midnight Tuesday, was sent to the White House through a Carter aide just

before the president flew to Plains, Ga., for Christmas.

Conferees had planned to deliver it in person to Carter. But no meeting took place and White House press secretary Jody Powell told reporters "the feeling was that there was not anything to be accomplished by meeting at this point."

Some of Carter's allies in the energy

struggle — including Sen. Henry Jackson, D-Wash., and Rep. Anthony Toby Moffett, D-Conn. — are reported to oppose the compromise.

Supporters of higher natural gas prices say the industry needs the revenue to finance further exploration for gas sources.

The president took the details home to Georgia where he will study them.

"They are making some progress," Carter said of the report as he left the White House. "I have not seen anything final."

Powell told reporters that "both we and the committee are in the process of determining the precise impact... and of conferring with members of the conference committee who were not there (at the secret negotiations that ended Tuesday night)."

The compromise was worked out by approximately a dozen of the 43 conferees, who announced the agreement just before midnight Tuesday and said they wanted to see Carter at the White House early today.

But that meeting was never scheduled, said Powell.

The House-Senate energy conference committee scheduled a full meeting, open to the public, for 10 a.m. EST Thursday, but "that is subject to change," a spokeswoman said.

The energy conference recessed two weeks ago to go into secret sessions with a reduced membership. That group, numbering around a dozen of the 43 conferees, made little progress until Tuesday's 14-hour effort, which brought the draft compromise.

At one point during the closed-door session, reporters outside the meeting room heard voices rising and the conference table being pummed.

Then, Rep. Thomas Ashley emerged to say, "This... is not going to satisfy everybody, possibly nobody completely... It is a fair and workable compromise and accommodation."

The plan would let the prices paid to natural gas producers increase immediately from the current federal ceiling of \$1.46 per thousand cubic feet to \$1.75. They could then increase on a scale tied to inflation plus 4.5 percent. If inflation were 6.5 percent, for example, the \$1.75 gas would become \$2.17 in 1980, and \$3.65 in 1985.

Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, said Tuesday night the plan was "too much giveaway to producers" and "too high a price to pay."



**STRIKE HALT ORDERED** — Police Chief J.T. Alley demands that a farmer picketing The Avalanche-Journal building move his tractor. After police intervention in the Tuesday night strike, many farmers parked their tractors at the A-J building, pocketed the keys and left. The farmers, who apparently communicated with each other by way of CB radios, moved only after police arrested some strikers and towed off tractors. (Staff Photo by Paul Moseley)

# High Winds Fan California Fires

(From Page One)

down barns and airplane hangars, toppled heavy trucks, tossed chunks of brick and roofing through the windows of homes and businesses and whipped fires out of control.

Hundreds of travelers were marooned in cities throughout the Central Valley and the Mojave Desert, jamming hotels, cafes and emergency evacuation centers set up in churches and schools.

San Diego Bay was put on gale alert.

The wind conditions were caused by an extreme low pressure system 500 miles west of San Francisco sucking air at tremendous speed from a high pressure area situated over Nevada, weather forecasters said.

An estimated 30,000 homes, offices and industries from Bakersfield south lost their power, and thick clouds of dust were reported as far away as Stockton, about 200 miles to the north.

"It's the worst I've ever seen," said California Highway Patrol Officer Jim Hill of Bakersfield. "I've been at this kind of work for 15 years, and I thought I'd seen it all... but nothing like this."

Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. said he would probably declare disaster areas in at least two central California towns — Bakersfield and Arvin.

Almost all activity in Bakersfield, the largest city in the Central Valley, had come to a standstill by midday Tuesday, the second day it had been battered by the winds.

Power had been cut off to much of the city as the winds tore down power lines, shattered windows and tossed trees across cars, houses and streets. Visibility was cut to zero by a thick, mustard-colored grit covering the city.

Some looting was reported. In Arvin, a farm community of 7,000 people 20 miles south of Bakersfield along Highway 99, police said almost every home suffered damage. Store fronts were ripped down, trees were uprooted and roofs were blown off. Water, electricity and telephone lines were cut off.

## Solon Says Exhibit Not True FBI Image

WASHINGTON (AP) — A congressman says a popular FBI tourist attraction, a demonstration of a submarine gun, does not represent the bureau's role today.

"The concept of violence and lethal activity being an important part of the FBI's role in today's society is not one that ought to be promoted," Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., said Tuesday. Edwards heads the House subcommittee which has oversight and budget authority over the FBI.

Transistor radios were the only means of communication.

A wind gauge atop the Arvin police station registered gusts of up to 101 mph before the gauge blew apart.

The California National Guard in Bakersfield was called into active duty and rescued 35 people huddled under a bridge on Route 58 near Arvin to escape the blinding dust storm. Among them was Kern County Sheriff's Capt. Larry Klier, whose windshield was shattered and radio knocked out of operation by the storm.

The winds contributed to many brush fires, the largest one on sprawling Vandenberg Air Force Base about 50 miles northwest of Santa Barbara. At least three people, including the base commander, and possibly a fourth, were killed. Scores were reported injured.

The winds also were blamed for the death of a woman whose car was rear-ended by a tanker truck creeping blindly along the dust-blown highway in Kern County near Bakersfield.

The city of Ramona, northeast of San Diego, was left without power, and a truck driver, Russell Velozier, 29, of Spokane, Wash., was killed when his rig was blown off Interstate 8 near Buckman Springs Grade and rolled down an embankment.

"The wind is blowing down power lines faster than we can replace them," a utility spokesman said.

"It's unbelievable," said one visitor. "People are dodging falling telephone poles and there are wires all over the ground."

# Farm Price System Criticized

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products. When you face weather catastrophes such as hail, wind and drought, plus insects, plus crop diseases, and on top of that you've got low prices, where is there a chance for a profit? People who go to five-day week, 8-to-5 jobs get a paycheck without facing such uncertainties.

"I've actually paid \$13,000 a year for the privilege of having a job," he joked, though he wasn't smiling.

Bennight was echoed by Dick Fellers of Hereford, a farmer who says he cut back from 1,900 acres last year to only 640 acres of corn, milo, wheat and sugar beets this year because he felt it economically useless to plant all the land.

"I have been solvent at the bank for the last nine years. But this year I owe them a fistful. I've got more than enough land

and equipment for collateral for financing. But this year they said, 'Sorry, no way.'"

"They said they're sorry because they know there's no way with things as they are for me to make money next year, there isn't any margin," he said.

Though South Plains and Panhandle area farmers have been involved in regional activities for the nationwide farm strike for about a week, Fellers said today is the first time he has joined in.

"I actually borrowed to come in today. With my business and the bank and the financial situation, some might wonder if I can afford to do it, but it's time I helped get us some attention."

"We have kinda set back and depended on government officials or others to take care of our business too long. We raised the crops and then went to town and took

what they give us for it, rather than telling them what we needed," Fellers declared.

He, too, stressed that "100 per cent parity will not guarantee anybody a profit." It will only guarantee farmers a fair market price for their products which will allow them to "hope for a profit after weather, insects and other variables have taken their toll," he said. "We don't want the government in the thing at all, if we can help it," Fellers stated.

Another farmer, Bob DuLaney of Dimmitt, said, "Basically, we want the government completely out of things, except to say what they want us to raise for domestic and foreign markets."

"It's completely incorrect when people think that 100 per cent parity is asking the government to give us the same thing as a guaranteed annual wage," he said.

DuLaney tried to sum up a layman's explanation of parity:

"At the year parity was set, it took one bushel of corn to buy a pair of shoes. The bushel of corn should do the same thing now. The price we get for corn needs to be equalized so that our buying power would stay good."

DuLaney was the informal organizer of the blood donation project for Blood Services, which furnishes blood to 41 hospitals in the South Plains area, an approximate 120-mile radius around Lubbock.

He couldn't figure out he had ended up in charge.

"I just walked in to the Red Raider Inn headquarters room about 7 a.m. this morning and they turned it over to me," said DuLaney, looking puzzled.

# Protesters Close Down Local Food Distributors

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ly began pulling farmers from tractors and then towing the tractors off while the owners were transported to city jail.

Before the night was over, 31 persons were taken to city jail, officially under arrest, but police department spokesmen said arrest records were "torn up and forgotten," as soon as the demonstrators left the A-J plant.

That, however, didn't come until nearly 4 a.m. when A-J Editor Jay Harris issued a statement over a police car's public address system explaining the editorial's remarks.

In a Dec. 16 morning edition of the A-J, the editorial warned striking farmers against adopting "the anti-social tactics of union goons."

But, farmers who signed a petition presented to the A-J before the blockade

asking for an apology for the editorial, indicated they interpreted the phrase to mean they (the farmers) are goons.

Shortly before 4 a.m., after Robert R. Norris, vice president and general manager of The Avalanche-Journal, had conferred with some of the group's representatives, he and Harris met with Gerald McCathern, Hereford farmer and organizer of the American Agriculture movement.

At McCathern's request, Harris spoke to the group, telling them "We are sorry that the remarks in the editorial were misinterpreted by some..."

Later, he and Norris emphasized that "we hope that the farmer realizes that The Avalanche-Journal, since its inception, has been, is now and will continue to be one of the most ardent friends and supporters the farming industry has had."

Not more than an hour earlier, a farmers' movement spokesman took charge of a police car's radio to address the crowd, trying to convince them their efforts were only backfiring. Farmers involved in the effort were laughed off their radio address systems.

After the incident, farmers disbanded at the plant. Many went home in disgust, they said. Others went back to campaign headquarters for more marching orders, and some went for food and shelter.

With the breakup, reaction was mainly in agreement that little was accomplished by the Tuesday night actions.

Mayor Roy Bass termed the incident "unfortunate" and said he feels disappointed in those who participated.

Bass indicated city leaders will confer in strategy sessions this afternoon to find out what procedure will be followed should more rallies get "out-of-hand" tonight before the midnight deadline.

Alley, the city's top lawman at the scene of the uprising late Tuesday, said the situation never got "out-of-hand," however. Alley said the farmers generally were courteous and polite, and complied with officers' requests.

Rank and file patrolmen, however, did not share those sentiments.

"We're lucky," one said. "Just a couple of the wrong people or a couple of things happening at the wrong time, and it would have been all over for everybody out there. It was a touchy situation, and people don't react well in those kinds of corners."

City Manager Larry Cunningham indicated he supported police actions entirely in their handling of the demonstration.

## Goodfellows

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will depend on how good a price we can get on the ingredients for the packages." Meanwhile, although contributions have picked up a little bit, "we're not home yet," Chief Goodfellow noted.

Several areas that have provided contributions in previous years, are slower to come in this year from both individuals and groups, it has been noted.

So send 'em in as quickly as possible, is the plea to prospective contributors from the Goodfellows today.

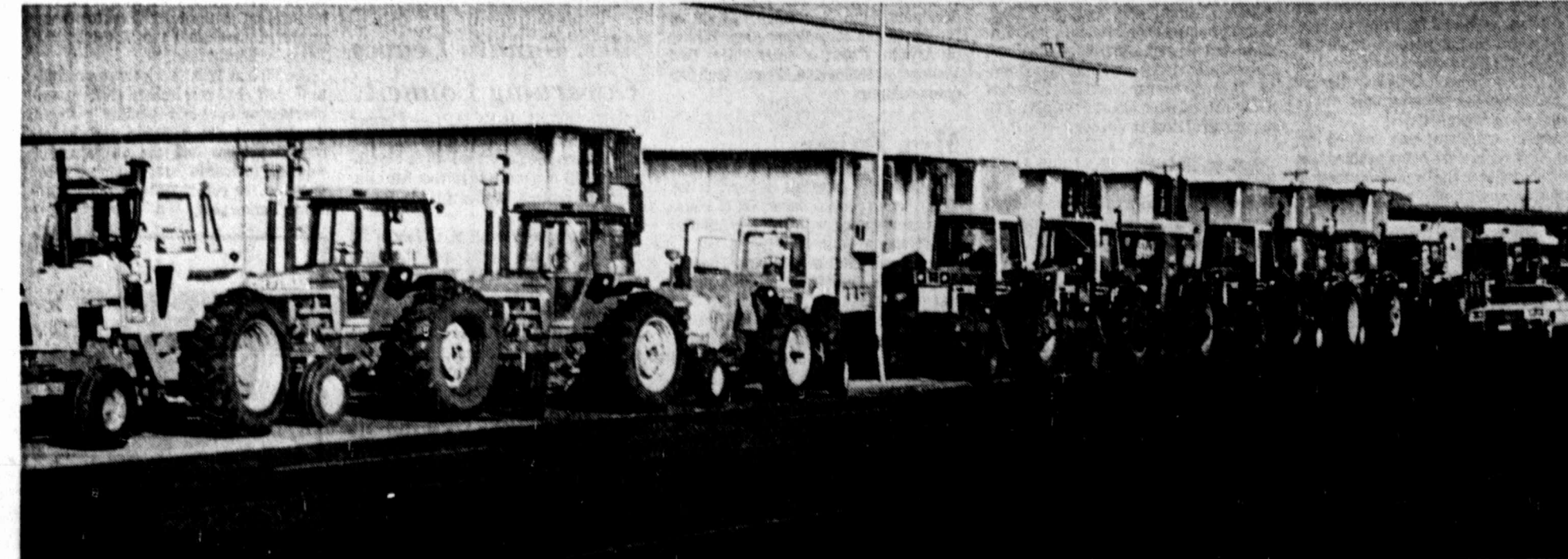
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## IRS Says Dog Sent To Attack Agent

KANSAS CITY, Kan. (AP) — A man who the Internal Revenue Service says turned his dog loose on one of its agents has been nipped by the law.

Lee R. Sowers, Bonner Springs, was arrested by an internal security agent of the IRS and charged with felonious assault, U.S. Attorney James Buchele announced Tuesday.

Sowers, a self-employed trucker, is accused of unleashing his dog and commanding it to bite an IRS agent. The agent, Richard Zeugin, was bitten on the legs and his clothes were torn.



**TRACTORS ALL IN A ROW** — Parked farm vehicles, like a line of circus elephants, prove an effective barrier for blocking all truck traffic at the Piggly-Wiggly warehouse at 24th Street and Avenue A today. South Plains farmers continue blockades of food processing plants and related businesses here as part of their protest against low crop prices. (Staff Photo by Gary Davis)

# Shareholders Face Dividend Cut

By PHILIP GREER  
And MYRON KANDEL

It took about 20 years of trying, but the American steel industry finally seems to have found a Washington administration to respond to its complaints about the threat of imported steel. The question, though, is what to do about it. While the "rescue" plan devised by Treasury Undersecretary Anthony Solomon has won qualified support in this country and abroad, some observers of the industry question whether it holds any long-term hope and whether it's worth the price the public is likely to end up paying.

Anything like a final judgment will have to wait awhile. The cornerstone of the package, which can be put into effect by presidential order, is establishment of a set of "reference prices" for imported steel. Whenever the price of imported steel falls below the reference level, a series of actions — mainly higher tariffs — would go into effect, designed to keep American producers competitive. Since the reference prices will become, in effect, the floor under steel prices, they will determine the cost to consumers and are the subject of heated negotiations in Washington.

Still, some observers say, other features of the proposed program are fairly clear — and some of them may not do the job they're intended to accomplish.

American steel makers are suffering now largely because foreign producers have more modern plants, their labor costs are lower and, in some cases, they receive government subsidies that enable them to sell steel in the country for less than the cost of producing it. Elimination of this "dumping" is a primary aim of the administration package and gets support from practically every quarter.

The proposal could boost steel industry profits by about \$900 million a year and provide funds for the producers to upgrade their operations and cut costs by increasing productivity. But, as one economist with clients in the industry pointed out to us, steel makers traditionally have used their profits to, in his words, "overpay dividends" to stockholders. "They've been paying too much in dividends for years," he said, "and if you tried to talk to them about reinvesting in plants and equipment, you couldn't get through. Why is it so certain they'll use these additional profits to upgrade?"

As we noted in September, the steel industry long has inflated its earnings in reports to the public. That's not unusual for public corporations, but in steel's case it put pressure on the companies to pay out more to their shareholders and their employees. In the Quality of Earnings Report, which analyzes corporate accounting practices, Thornton O'Glove and Rob-

ert Olstein point out that, by using various accounting treatments, companies like U.S. Steel, Bethlehem and Armco claim much higher profits in their public reports than they do in filing with the Internal Revenue Service — and then pay dividends that look reasonable only against the backdrop of the questionable public report.

Hendrik S. Houthakker, a former member of the Council of Economic Advisors now at Harvard University, has been a critic of the steel industry. "The industry has built, I think, only one plant in the last 20 years," he said, adding, "I think this plan is throwing good money after bad."

Houthakker said he leans to a program that would encourage mergers among the smaller producers so they would be in better position to compete in world markets. "I believe this industry is in more basic trouble than you can take care of with measures of this kind," he said of the Solomon proposal. "I don't think the steel industry is on the way out, but you have to promote an industry adjusted to

present-day conditions, not those of the 1950s."

Another feature of the rescue plan calls for federal guarantees for loans, especially for smaller companies.

One of the most heated reactions came, not surprisingly, from consumer advocate Ralph Nader, who said the plan sets up "an OPEC of steel," a reference to the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, which arbitrarily sets the world price for crude oil. "The steel industry seized on low demand and struck by layoffs to being the government to its knees," Nader claimed.

Other critics are not so heated, but they warn that the administration may be setting a precedent that would be difficult to follow. "If you give these things to the steel industry, who will be on line next?" one source said. "The shipbuilders, the textile manufacturers, they're hurting from foreign competition, too. If this plan goes through, how long will it be before they're on line at the White House, with the public paying the bill?"

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NOT A CALCULATOR IN SIGHT — Joseph Rascoff, a prosperous 32-year-old accountant, looks over some of the material he uses to keep up with his clients' affairs. Rascoff, whose clients range from Union Carbide to the Rolling Stones, points out that not a calculator is in sight in his New York skyscraper office. "I haven't worked with numbers in years... It's all conceptualizing," Rascoff says. (AP Laserphoto)

## U.S. Taxpayer Loses To Social Security

By JOHN CUNIFF  
NEW YORK (AP) — The funding difficulty of the Social Security system has been settled for a few years at least, and the question now turns to the condition

still has only \$14,000 in terms of what he can purchase, but the deduction from his paycheck will be on the basis of \$14,840. It is a tough lesson, but unlike so many others in the consumer area, the consequences, the impact, the cause and effect, are clear to all.

### Analysis

of the funder's finances — yours, specifically.

Security comes at a price, and the price of the newest version passed by Congress is huge. It is one of the biggest tax increases ever voted.

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This year the government's take for Social Security amounted to "only" \$965.25, based on 5.85 percent for the first \$16,500. But everyone knows prices rise every year.

In 1979, the top take will rise to \$1,400, and continue in that direction to \$3,045 in 1987, as both the percentage and the total amount on which it applies continue to rise.

Is there a lesson? Several, clear as the serial numbers on the dollar bill. One is that debts must eventually be paid if financial disaster is to be averted. Another is that the people pay the debts — not government.

The reasons for the bigger bite out of paychecks is that the Social Security system is running out of money. The old age and survivors fund was destined to turn bottoms up in about five years.

The government could not supply the money; it has no money except that which you magnanimously turn over to it. And the system does not manage the money efficiently either, but that is another story.

The money obviously comes from you, the taxpayer. You are the financier and the recipient. The government merely handles the money for you, transferring it from donor to recipient.

This is the way of all consumer demands; they are paid for by the consumer — not by government or business or any other intermediary. Clean air and water, product recalls, safety, improved health care... Social Security.

Making the lesson abundantly clear is the immediate impact. Within the next few weeks we will be paying for what we bought. And that will be the New Year's message for years to come — more.

And yet there is still more, and this is perhaps the most painful bite. It is true, though — you will be paying a tax on inflation. Inflation is tough to stomach, but a tax atop it can make one reth.

The explanation lies in the application of the deduction. It is based not on buying power but on the value of the paycheck in terms of current dollars. Current dollars are almost always inflated dollars.

Assume for the sake of illustration that a worker receives a 6 percent raise over his 1977 income of \$14,000, making his 1978 income \$14,840.

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# Pope Paul VI Says Violence, Terrorism 'Becoming Habitual'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Pope Paul VI, in his annual message of peace, Tuesday condemned violence and terrorism which he said are "becoming habitual" in the world.

"Violence is not courage," said the pope, who last October offered himself in exchange for 86 hostages held by terrorists aboard a hijacked German airliner. The hostages were freed shortly afterward by a German commando squad.

Rather, Pope Paul said, violence is "the explosion of a blind energy that degrades the person who gives in to it, low-

ering him from the rational level to the level of passion."

The pope's message was issued for the World Day of Peace, which is observed annually by the Roman Catholic church on Jan. 1. The theme of the 1978 observance is "No to Violence, Yes to Peace."

The pope's message was released Tuesday in Rome and here in Washington by the U.S. National Conference of Catholic Bishops.

In his message, the pope stressed "the absurdity of modern war and the absolute necessity of peace."

Again voicing the church's opposition to abortion, he said a commitment to peace requires a commitment to human life at all stages of development.

"In our 'yes' to peace there rings out a 'yes' to life," he said. "Human life is sacred from the moment it comes into existence. The law 'Thou shalt not kill' protects this inexpressible miracle of human life with transcendent sovereignty."

"...Accordingly, we cannot fail to disapprove of each and every offense against nascent life, and we must appeal to every authority, and to everyone who

has competence, to work for the prohibition of procured abortion and for its remedy," the pope said.

"The mother's womb and the child's cradle are the first barriers that not only protect peace as well as life but also build peace."

The pope said peace "is not a purely ideal dream, nor is it an attractive but fruitless and unattainable utopia. It is, and must be, a reality — a dynamic reality and one to be generated at every stage of civilization, like the bread on which we live, the fruit of the earth and of divine

Providence but also the product of human work."

He called on "all men and women of

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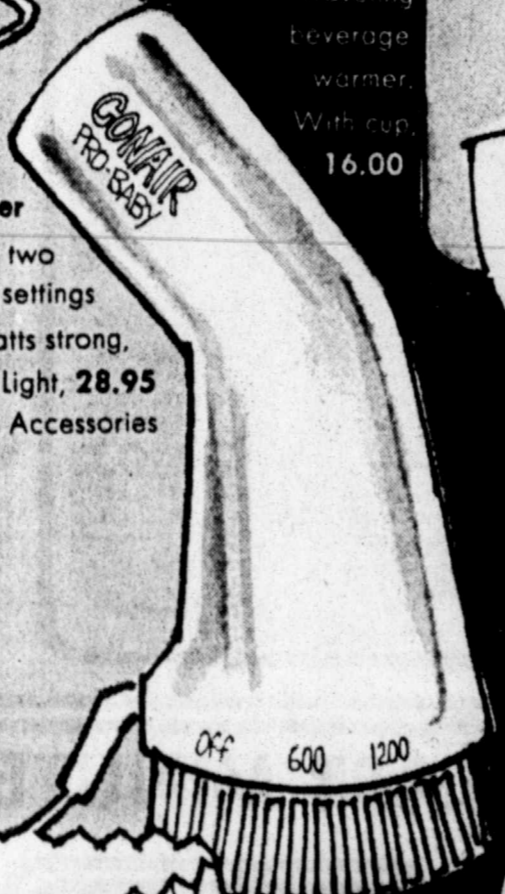
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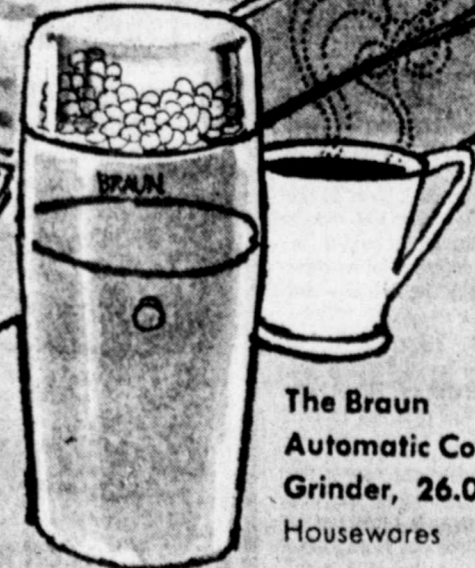
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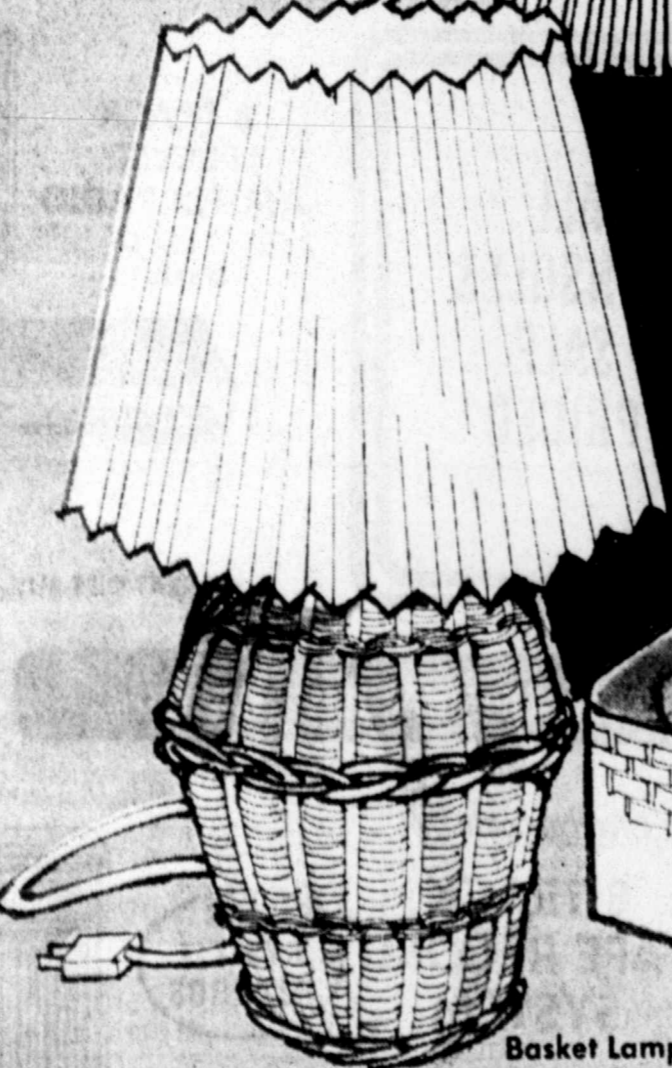
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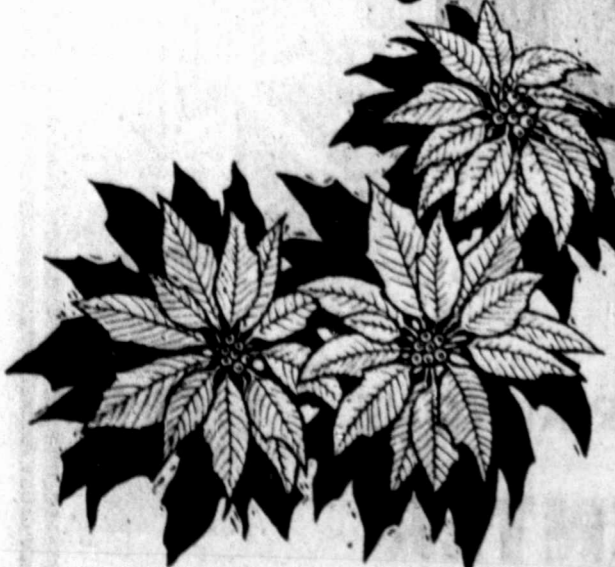
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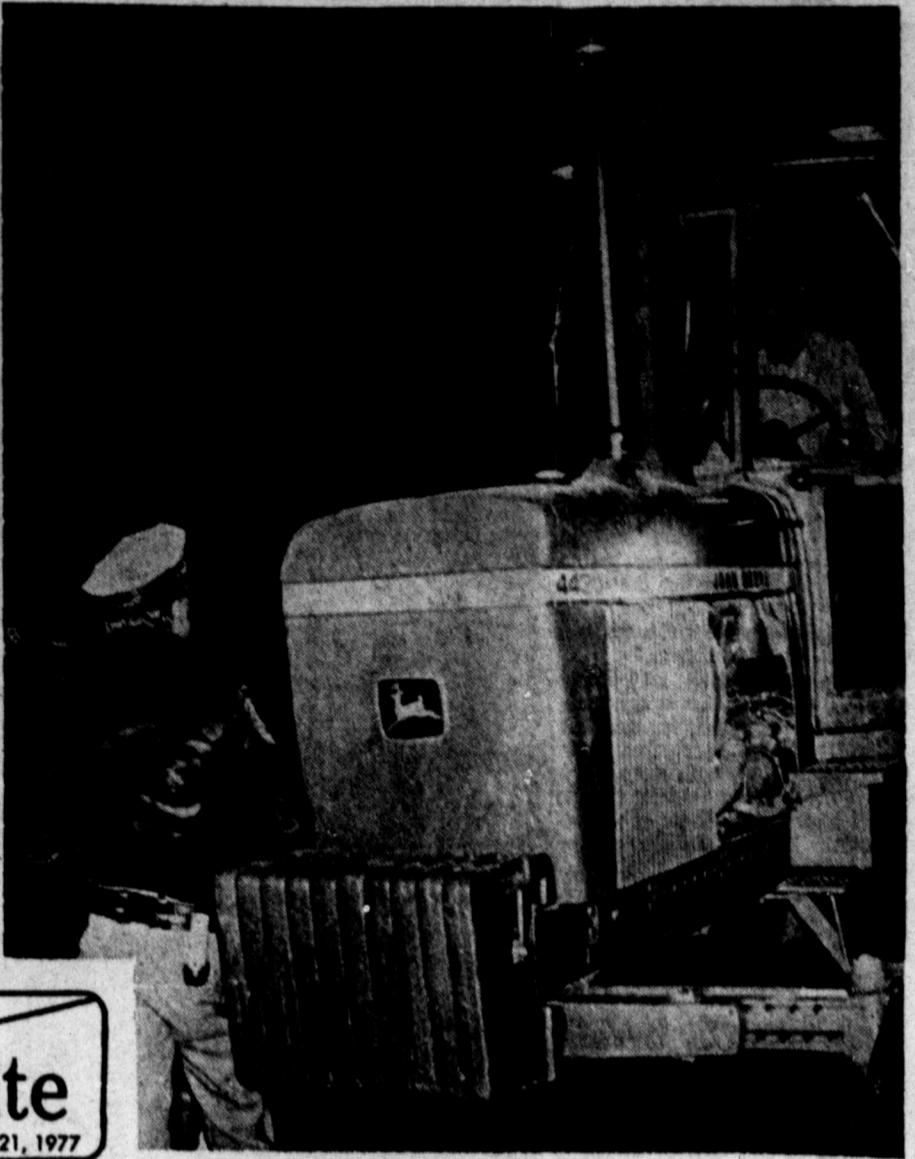
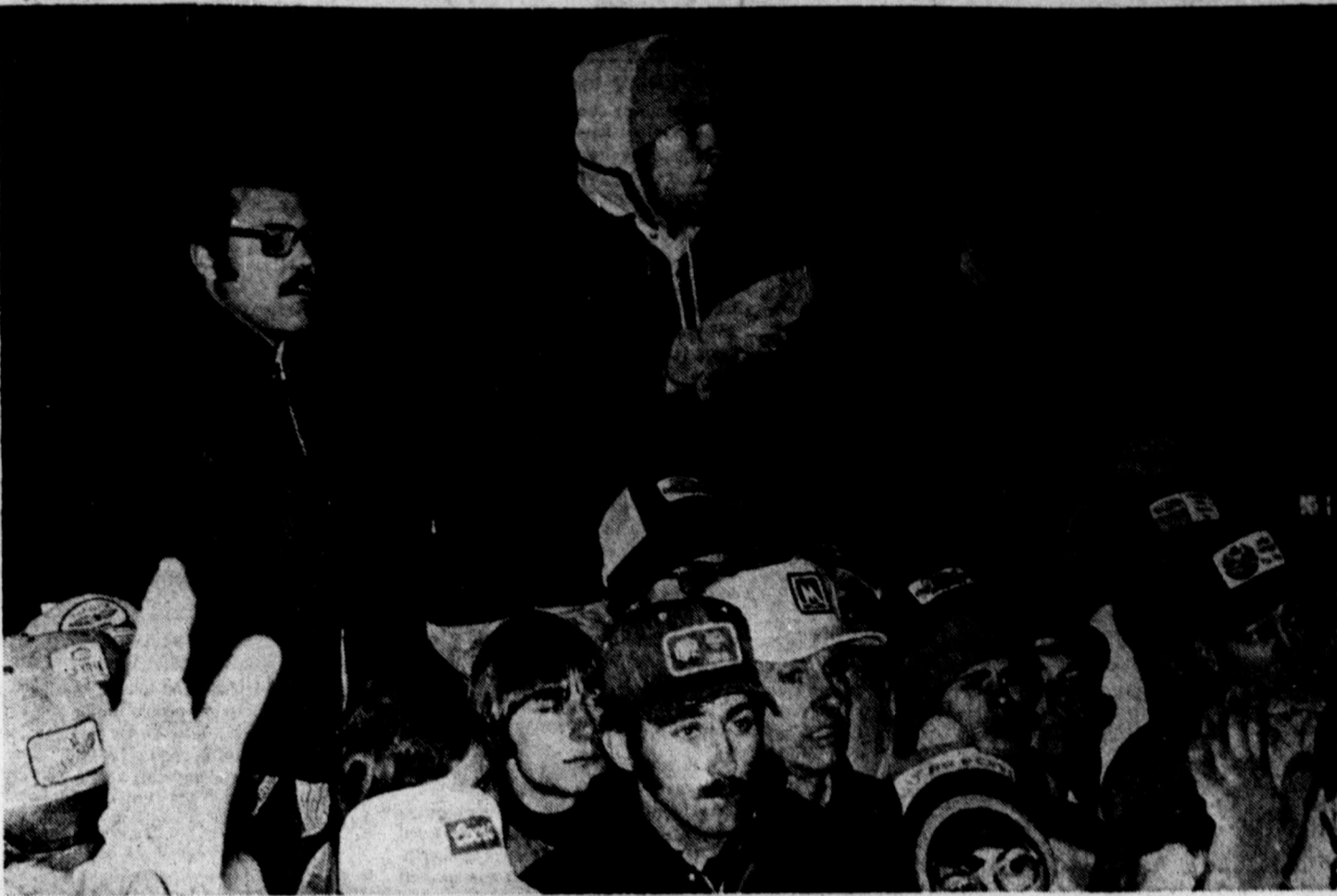


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# West Texas Farmers Bring Protest To Lubbock



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## Mayor Bass Denies Farmers' Request

Lubbock Mayor Roy Bass Tuesday steadfastly refused striking farmers' demands to proclaim today as "American Agriculture Day" in the city.

Seventeen farmers from across the South Plains met with the mayor Tuesday afternoon in an hour-long, closed-door session, attempting to convince him to issue the proclamation.

However, at the conclusion of the meeting, Mayor Bass told reporters that he didn't think the previous picketing activities of the dissident farmers were proper.

"I don't think these farmers should be out there preventing these wholesalers from shipping their goods; just like I don't think I have any right to blockade a farmer's driveway because I don't like the price of his tomatoes," the mayor added.

"I won't issue such a proclamation because I think it would be construed as

condoning the closing of businesses," the mayor said. "And, I don't think that city government ought to be in that kind of position."

After the meeting, a somber Gerald McCathern of Hereford, spokesman for the farmers, said, "All we did is ask the mayor to declare Wednesday as 'American Agriculture Day' but he refused us."

However, McCathern said that he hoped the City of Lubbock understands what they are trying to accomplish by today's demonstration.

"Our purpose is not to inconvenience the city but to gain additional publicity so that the Carter administration will do something about our problems," he said.

The militant farmers, protesting low prices for their products, asked wholesale food outlets here to voluntarily honor their request for 24-hour sympathy shutdowns.

Farmers from Anton, Hale Center, Smyer, Levelland, Sundown, Hereford, Ropesville, Shallowater, Dimmitt and Lubbock County met with the mayor Tuesday afternoon.

However, 30 miles west of Lubbock, today is "American Agriculture Day."

Levelland Mayor Daryl Pults Tuesday morning officially declared the day with a proclamation saying that "we are an agricultural community, and as long as their demands are within reason, we're willing to support our farmers in their efforts to receive a fair price."

No special activities are planned in the city, Pults said.



**MASSIVE DEMONSTRATION** — Hundreds of tractors and an estimated 2,000 farmers swarmed the area around The Avalanche-Journal early this morning in a four-hour blockade to hold up distribution of the newspaper. Part of the crowd intently watched the activities in photo at top left. Immediately below, a placard-bearer and others huddled in the biting cold as tractors rolled by. At bottom left, two city policemen seemed vastly outnumbered by the tractor parade. At top right a policeman was standing in front of one of the tractors. (Staff Photos)

**"If your mom is real good, maybe Santa will bring her something from Diana's!"**



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# At Wit's End...

**By ERMA BOMBECK**  
If any of you are still shopping for my Christmas present, let me just warn you...get one that is finished.

Looking at me, you may think I'm one of those creative, clever people who take pride in do-it-yourself kits. You are wrong.

I have been known to quit in the middle of a birth and whine, "Can't we pick this up after lunch?"

Just for the record, let me bring you up to date on my progress with last year's kits:  
Velvet paint-by-number kit of Michelangelo's Pieta. I've got all No. 42 finished (alzarine crimson) and would have gotten back to it but the white dried up.

Yogurt Maker: Started first batch Dec. 28, 1976, and ran into problems.

Opened Wine-Making kit and followed directions to a point. Let it age three hours and drank it to get my mind off the Yogurt Maker.

Glass cutter that was to make me a legend in my time with sherbert glasses, candle holders and bowls out of old bottles fixed me so I can't mix meat loaf for months.

The punch 'n grow vegetable garden that came with a dozen canning jars and lids got thrown away one day with the newspaper. Someone thought it was leftover.

The cross-stitch sampler of an English garden has two branches and my initials in the corner completed. I'm saving it for sometime when I have surgery and am flat on my back for five years.

The book on how to trace my family roots is lost. I've looked everywhere and can't find it.

The glasses case that I was to needle-point is going to be completed just as soon as I can find my glasses.

The loom for the potholders is stored in the attic in a box marked, "THINGS TO DO WHEN SENILE."

The kit someone got me full of shells to make my own necklace is in the bracelet stage.

Okay, you're been given warning. You all know now what you're dealing with — an incompetent no-talent who considers the most beautiful words in the English language to be pre-assembled.

# SPOTLIGHT ON...

## Family News

2-8 Lubbock, Texas

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**PRETTY PRINT** — This floral print two-piece cotton costume on contrasting grounds is great for winter days. The soft shirt has dolman sleeves on white background and complements the pleated skirt on a soft grey ground.

# DEAR ABBY



**DEAR ABBY:** I'm 25, happily married, and have never cheated on my wife. My problem: Occasionally I'll go to a topless bar with a few of my buddies. We have a few beers, watch the girls dance, and then we go home. (Honestly).

The girls do not come around and sit with the customers — they just dance on the stage. There is no flirting with the men. I've never met any of the girls who dance there, and I have no desire to.

My wife knows I would never run around on her, but she gets very hurt and angry when I tell her I've been to a topless joint.

I take her out often, and have invited her to come along to prove it's not the kind of place where the girls mingle with the men, but she won't come with me. I've even offered to take her to a place where the men take off their clothes, but she says she's not interested.

She's always been unhappy about the smallness of her bust, even though I've tried to convince her that I'm satisfied with her the way she is. She insists that I go to topless bars because I prefer big-busted girls. It's not true. Besides, some of the girls aren't any bigger than she is. Abby, is it wrong for a man to enjoy looking?

Ordinary Guy

**Dear Ordinary:** No. In fact it's normal. Men (and women, too) have enjoyed viewing the human torso since the beginning of time. (Witness all the ancient nude sculpture and paintings in art museums.)

Because your wife is self-conscious about her small bust, her resentment is understandable.

Looking is not your problem. Talking is.

**DEAR ABBY:** I refer to two letters that appeared in your column on the same day. One was from Underloved, complaining because her husband of 20 years had lost all interest in sex. The other was from Paid My Dues — also married 20 years — complaining because her husband demanded too much sex. I didn't think much of your advice. You told them both to see a physician or sex therapist, then you dismissed them with, "That's just another of life's inequities." In other words you're saying, "tough situation."

Why didn't you put the two couples in touch with each other?

Lester In Oakland  
Dear Lester: I never put a stranger in touch with another stranger. Some strangers are mighty strange, Lester.

**DEAR ABBY:** Four years ago I attended a shower for a bride. I gave her a set of four very nice plastic placemats. The problem is she is still going with the same guy, but they aren't married yet.

I was thinking about asking her to return the placemats because my daughter is getting married soon and she could use them.

What is your advice?  
Wondering

Dear Wondering: Forget it. The girl may marry the guy.

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## Huening-Cook Repeat Vows

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (Special) — Mary Ann Huening and Lt. J.G. Joel L. Cook, O.D., were married in a ceremony Tuesday in San Diego.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Huening of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cook of Lubbock.

The couple will live in San Diego, where Lt. Cook is stationed at the United States Naval Hospital.

### FIREPLACE TIPS

Close the fireplace damper after the fire is out, or risk letting the furnace use 10-30 per cent more fuel than normal, cautions Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

## BRIDGE WINNERS

Wylie Kenneth Wilson has been awarded the rank of Life Master by the American Contract Bridge League.

The Life Master rank, the highest player rank awarded, is based upon accumulation of 300 Master Points, with at least 50 won in demanding regionally or continentally ranked tournaments.

The rank has been obtained by 26,000 players in the more than 200,000 member organization which includes the U.S., Canada, Mexico and Bermuda.

**SOUTH PLAINS**  
The South Plains Duplicate Bridge Unit met at 1 p.m. Friday in the First Federal Savings and Loan building.

Winning first were Mrs. Max Lowmiller and Mrs. Roy Thompson; second, Mrs. W.R. Anthony and Mrs. Weldon Wells and third, Jeffrey Haines and Gary Powell.

The club will meet again Dec. 30 in the First Federal Savings and Loan building.

### QUEENS AND KINGS

The Monterrey Queens and Kings met Friday in the Bridge Center for two sections of bridge.

Section A north-south winners were first, Mrs. J.T. Green and Mrs. Billy Warren; second, Mrs. W.E. McKenzie and Floy Morrison and third, Mr. and Mrs. I.T. Graves.

Section A east-west winners were first, Mrs. Lewis Evers and Mrs. Robert Dil-

lion; second, G.E. Bratford and Mrs. Neily Eichelberger and third, Charlie Brown and Mike Panayotopolous.

Section B north-south winners were first, Leola Hall and Mrs. Cleon McCallon; second, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Haliburton; and third, Ruth Vautilburgh and Mrs. A.C. Webb.

Section B east-west winners were first, Mrs. Ray Williams and Mrs. Delmar Hayter; second, Betty Hancock and Mrs. Knox Kinard; and third, Mrs. A.S. Malout and Mrs. Irma Baker.

The club will meet again Dec. 30 in the Bridge Center.

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**MARGUERITES**  
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1/8 tsp. cinnamon  
2 tsp. finely grated orange rind  
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Stir together the sugar, cream of tartar, cinnamon and orange rind. Beat egg white until stiff, gradually beat in the sugar mixture until very stiff and glossy. Drop a heaping teaspoonful of the meringue onto each cracker. Bake on a cookie sheet in a preheated 300-degree oven about 30 minutes — crackers will be golden brown. Cool in oven with door open. Meringue topping will be crisp. Makes about 1 1/2 dozen.

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# The Slim Gourmet

By Barbara Gibbons

Answers to the most frequently asked questions about liquid protein and protein-sparing fasts:

**Q. WHAT IS LIQUID PROTEIN?**

A. Simply explained, this cough-syrup substance is a food supplement formulated from the boiled-down protein-rich juices of cattle hides and other animal by-products. They're not new. They were originally developed for the medical market as a nutritional supplement for sick people who can't eat enough ordinary food to fulfill their daily protein needs. Without enough protein, the body feeds off its own lean tissue as well as fat, thereby starving vital organs. The liquid supplements were developed as an easily used source of broken-down, concentrated protein.

**Q. WHAT IS A "PROTEIN-SPARING MODIFIED FAST"?**

A. A semi-starvation regime in which the participant eats no food, but consumes several tablespoons a day of protein supplement.

**Q. HOW DOES THIS DIFFER FROM A TOTAL FAST?**

A. The theory is that by consuming small amounts of protein the participant selectively starves only fat tissue, thereby sparing lean tissue and vital organs of the wasting effect of long range total fasting. Long-term fasting has been demonstrated to be dangerous... whether it is undertaken for weight loss, religious or political reasons.

**Q. WHY DO SOME PREFER A FAST TO A DIET?**

A. Proponents claim that the main advantage — in addition to quick weight loss — is that the reducer doesn't have to deal with food at all.

**Q. WHAT ARE THE RISKS OF A PROTEIN-MODIFIED DIET?**

A. Certainly, the most terrifying is the risk of sudden death, during the fast or shortly after. In recent weeks, more than two dozen deaths have been associated with fasting. Numerous other side effects

have been reported: nausea, vomiting, emotional disturbances, dizziness, fainting, muscle weakness, low blood pressure, menstrual irregularity, constipation, bad breath, loss of hair, dry skin, vitamin and mineral deficiencies.

**Q. WHY HAVEN'T THEY BEEN OUTLAWED?**

A. Since these products are food supplements with legitimate uses, they don't come under the same regulations as medicines. Moreover, it hasn't been possible to show a direct cause-and-effect link between taking supplements and sudden death. Experts suggest that it's not the taking of supplements that bring on fatal heart irregularities, it's that no other foods are eaten. The lack of other foods can cause a deadly shortage of potassium in the body. Potassium depletion can cause coma and death. The fixing of blame is further complicated by the fact that many of the victims were morbidly obese, and extreme overweight carries risks of its own.

**Q. IS FASTING MORE RISKY FOR WOMEN?**

A. The first fatalities reported were women, however, since then there have been reports of deaths among males. But more women than men go on weight-loss programs.

**Q. IS FASTING SAFE UNDER A DOCTOR'S CARE?**

A. Several of the fatalities occurred among patients under the care of a physician.

**Q. DOES FASTING WORK?**

A. If the question is "Do people lose weight?" the answer is "Yes." The liquid supplements provide about 300 calories a day. Participants are forced to draw on bodily fat reserves to make up the rest of the energy needs. But a balanced low-calorie diet works the same way, only slower, and with less hazard. In the long run, a "fast" usually doesn't "work" at all, because it merely postpones the necessary process of learning how to eat properly. The so-called "benefit" of not having to deal with food at all turns into a major disadvantage. When the faster resumes his or her "normal" eating pattern, all the weight will return, often to a higher level than before.

**Q. WHAT ABOUT PARTIAL FASTING?**

A. With all the adverse publicity, protein supplement manufacturers have now turned to promoting their products as partial meal replacements. In other words: eat one "normal" meal (solid foods) and use the supplements in place of the other two. Of course, this is no longer a "fast." While it minimizes the risks of food-free fasting, it also negates the supposed advantage of not having to deal with real food. In this context, protein supplements become pointless... simply an exorbitantly expensive source of protein calories. The dieter's need for protein can be more easily, cheaply and satisfyingly filled by eating lean meat, poultry or seafood, skim milk, cottage cheese or other low-calorie protein foods available in any supermarket.

**Q. DO PROTEIN SUPPLEMENTS HAVE ANY SPECIAL ABILITY TO PROMOTE WEIGHT LOSS WHEN CONSUMED ALONG WITH OTHER FOODS?**

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## GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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Both vulnerable. South deals.

**NORTH**

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♥ K8754  
♦ 962  
♣ A983

**WEST EAST**

♥ 984 ♠ 632  
♦ Q102 ♥ J963  
♠ J1073 ♦ A Q 5  
♥ Q102 ♣ K 7 4

**SOUTH**

♠ A K Q J 10 5  
♥ A  
♦ K 8 4  
♣ J 6 5

The bidding:

South West North East  
1 ♠ Pass 1NT Pass  
4 ♠ Pass Pass Pass  
Opening lead: Jack of ♠.

East put his arsenal to good advantage to defeat South's four spade contract.

South's leap to four spades was somewhat aggressive. However, at rubber bridge, or in team games, it pays to bid games that are slightly against the odds if you are vulnerable, so we don't fault him greatly.

East-West were using a lead convention that is increasing in popularity. The lead of a jack denies a higher honor in that suit. (From holdings of A-J-10 or K-Q-J-10, the ten is led.) That was all East needed to find the winning defense.

Sitting East was Dr. George Rosenkranz of Mexico City, inventor of the Romex bidding system and an international trialist for the past few years. Partner's lead of the jack of diamonds marked the king with South, so there was no point in ducking. He rose with the ace and, when declarer followed with the four, Rosenkranz paused to take stock.

He gave declarer six tricks in spades for his jump to game. The king of diamonds and ace of clubs brought the total to eight, and the king of hearts was sure to be a ninth trick. (If declarer did not hold the ace, he could establish the king by leading toward it, since West would have the ace.)

If declarer held the queen of clubs, the contract was secure. If he held the ace of hearts, it seemed that declarer had ten tricks — unless the ace was singleton. To cater to this possibility, East found the brilliant shift to the king of clubs! This was the best play, although — as the cards lay, any club would have been effective.

Declarer was helpless. If he won the ace, he would have no entry to dummy to cash the king of hearts. So declarer did his best by refusing to win the ace. East continued with a low club, declarer inserted the jack but West covered with the queen.

Declarer tried for a doubleton club with West or a defensive error by allowing West to win the queen. Had West shifted to another suit, declarer would have sailed home in comfort. But West continued clubs and, though the thirteenth club set up, it was marooned in dummy together with the heart king, and declarer had to lose another diamond trick to go down one.

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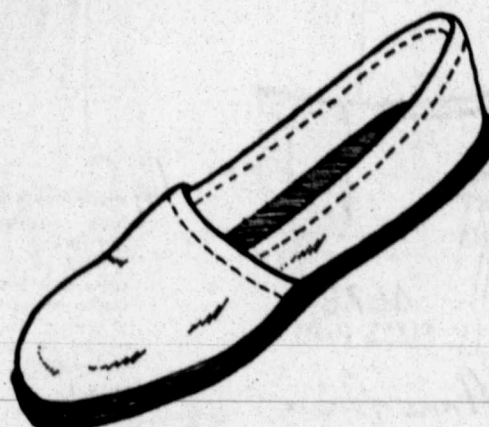
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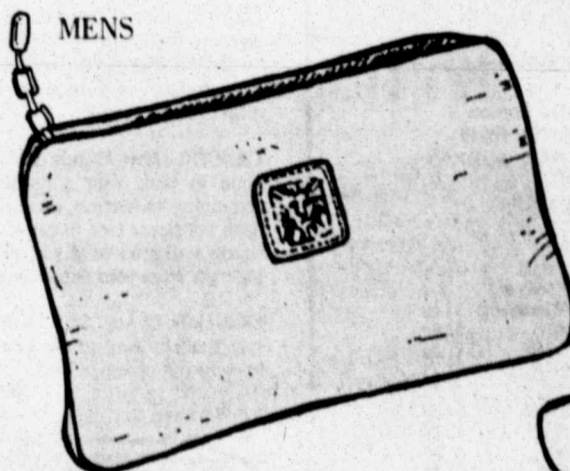
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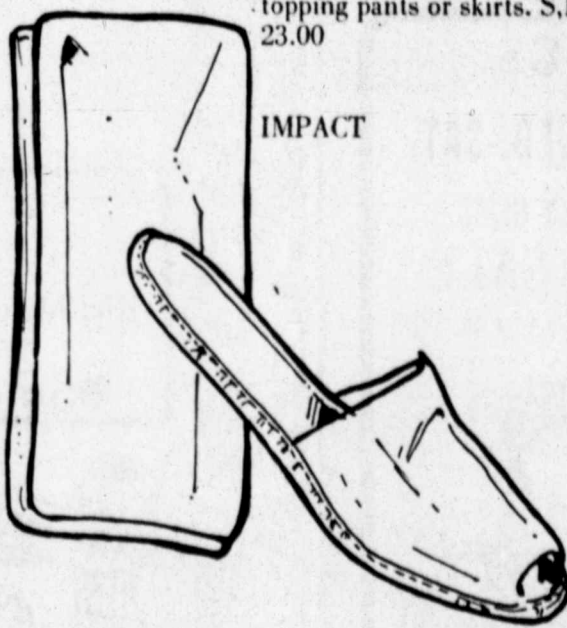
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- 1/3 cup regular fluid milk
- 3 tbsp. light corn syrup
- 1 cup pureed ripe banana (3 medium)
- 2 tbsp. butter
- 1 tsp. butter
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 cup coarsely broken walnuts

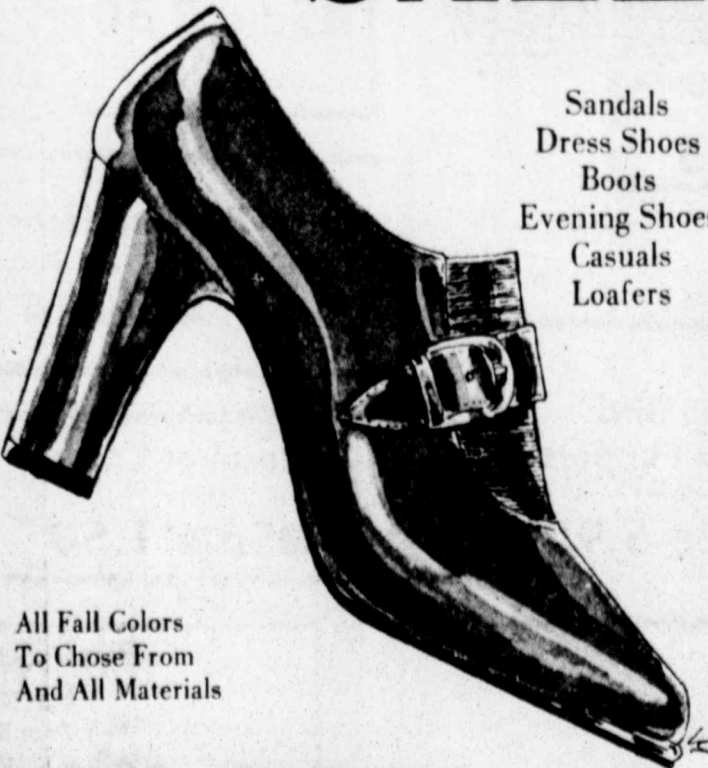
In a 3-quart heavy saucepan stir together the sugar, evaporated milk, regular milk, syrup and banana. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Continue boiling, stirring often, until a candy thermometer registers 236 degrees (soft ball stage). Off heat, add the butter; do not stir. Cool without stirring to 110 degrees (bottom of pan will feel warm). Add the vanilla and nuts and beat until mixture holds its shape. Turn into a buttered 8-inch square pan. Cool completely. Cut into squares.

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# Food Chemist Urges Caution

By AL ROSSITER JR.  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — If safety standards for artificial additives were applied to natural foods, a food industry chemist says we would have little left to eat.

Dr. Richard Hall is not suggesting we should stop eating. His point is that a sense of perspective is required in assessing food hazards.

"The message is that a lot of people — and to a considerable extent, our own government — do too much worrying about the wrong things," he said. "We must not neglect any aspect of food safety. But we should pay the most attention to the greatest risks."

Hall, vice president for science and

technology of McCormick & Co., discussed the food safety issue in a report in the current issue of the magazine, Nutrition Today.

"Through popular, misplaced and overzealous concern, we have devoted disproportionate effort and placed stringent requirements on certain minor food ingredients and exaggerated their risks," Hall said.

He said he is not arguing that caution should be abandoned. He said there is a middle and sensible course to be taken in assessing the wholesomeness of food.

Hall said people several generations ago largely grew their own food or bought locally-grown food. The safety of food ingredients was seldom questioned

and virtually never tested. People enjoyed a confidence that came from innocence.

Today, our food is often grown



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hundreds of thousands of miles away. It is often stored for long periods and is processed by people and machines we rarely see.

"The fact that today's food is cleaner, safer, more varied and proportionately cheaper than ever before still doesn't inspire the confidence in our food supply that at one time came from personal involvement," he said.

Hall said foremost of food hazards today are food-borne germs that make perhaps 10 million people sick a year.

He said nutritional problems in the form of overconsumption, poor food choices and inadequate intake of essential nutrients must rank as the second most important food hazard.

"Perhaps one-thousandth as significant as these in terms of known human effects are the hazards in food due to environmental contaminants — the mercury in lakes and rivers, the PCBs and similar careless or inadvertent pollutants," Hall said.

"In part, the pesticide residue and food additive risks are extremely low because a great deal of scientific and regulatory effort has gone into their evaluation, prevention and control. In part also, they are low because the substances involved are in virtually all cases used by people with some knowledge, or even expertise, in their use.

"The microbiological hazards are large because they are affected by the way the 238 million people in the United States and Canada handle and choose food, and few are experts."

"It is thus paradoxical and frustrating that many people persist in viewing these hazards virtually in inverse and perverse order of importance," Hall said. "It is quite obvious that many people fear what they see as chemical and are uncritically admiring of what they consider to be natural."

# Tomorrow's Horoscope

By Bernice Bede Osol

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Persons performing work or service for you tomorrow may not act in compliance with your wishes unless you're on the spot to check.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Self-discipline won't be your long suit tomorrow. You will have a tendency to overdo work or pleasure and perhaps even both.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Domestic problems should be kept within the family circle tomorrow. Keep others out of them. This includes well-meaning friends.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** In career matters tomorrow take care not to operate at extremes. Progress could be impeded through behavior either too negative or unrealistically optimistic.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Involvements that necessitate speculation should be avoided tomorrow. Your will to lose might take precedence over your will to win.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Buyer's remorse is something we've all experienced after we've made a foolish purchase. This malady could afflict you tomorrow.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** If you hope to bluff your way through something tomorrow, be sure you have the poker face to carry it off. Others will read what you're holding back from your expression.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** It will take exceptionally shrewd maneuvering to come out on top in horse trading

tomorrow. Recall this, when you sit down to bargain.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Unless your goals are clearly in focus tomorrow you're apt to get off on tangents. Something could go unachieved.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Failure to view things from every angle will lead to a distorted picture and produce unsatisfactory results tomorrow. Look at the whole scene.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Unfortunately, others are not likely to do for you what you are prepared to do for them tomorrow. If you know this, you'll not be disappointed.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** The resources of you and your mate could be in for a pull-and-tug session tomorrow. Try to reach agreement on how funds should be allocated.



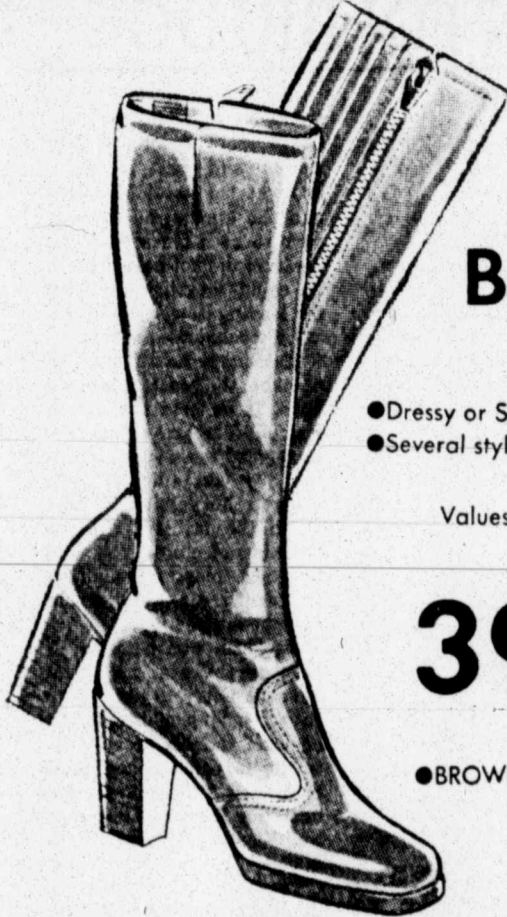
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# North Sea Oil Rig Divers Ask For Tax Break

By JEFF BRADLEY  
LONDON (AP) — British divers employed on North Sea oil rigs are asking the taxman to give them a break, or else

hundreds say they may quit. The dispute has blown up just as Britain is approaching self-sufficiency in oil after 10 years' hazardous prospecting in

the North Sea at a cost of 36 divers' lives. Up to his year, British divers working in the North Sea were classified "self-employed" and paid income tax only on

earnings declared at the end of the year. Working for themselves, they were able to deduct the cost of their equipment, travel, and even the use of their wives as secretaries.

tax ruling was forcing experienced British divers to seek work abroad. Between 250 and 300 top divers have already quit, he said.

"We are not going to blackmail anyone. We have no need. As free agents supplying their services for a fee, the divers have the choice of many fields throughout the world. All are much easier to work in, and none involves the unjust financial penalties imposed here," said Henderson.

"We believe that up to 700 divers out of a total work force of 1,500 will not be returning when next season's diving starts in April," Took said.

"I now work with kids aged 18, 19, 20 and I'm having to put them down at 800 feet. Every time they go down, I cross my fingers I could get 2,000 divers tomorrow. I could kill as many, too," he added.

With divers doing hazardous maintenance and installation work at depths up to 1,000 feet, experience is vital, he said.

Would divers strike to get the ruling reversed?

Divers are the latest group to consider mass exodus from Britain's high taxes — others include pop stars, actors, doctors, and sports personalities.

British divers have largely taken over from American divers who did much of the pioneering work in the North Sea, although many Americans remain as supervisors and for specialist work. Exact numbers were unavailable.



DR. LAMB

## Providing Potassium

By LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.  
DEAR DR. LAMB — Several years ago, I believe I read in one of your columns that a person should take potassium if he took a diuretic because diuretics deplete the potassium supply in one's system.  
My mother recently moved and has a new doctor. She is 76 years old. She was taking several medications since she has gallstones, a heart condition, and arthritis. The doctor gave her Lasix (furosemide) for the swelling of her feet and ankles, but took away her potassium. I am concerned about this, and would appreciate your comments.

The doctor may have removed the potassium because certain potassium pills (enteric coated pills) in combination with diuretics have been shown to cause ulceration and bleeding from the small intestine in some patients. That doesn't mean your mother doesn't need potassium. If she has any increased loss of potassium with the Lasix action, she will indeed need more potassium.

The Physicians' Desk Reference that details all the current drugs specifically recommends a liquid potassium supplement if one is needed because of potassium depletion when taking Lasix.

DEAR READER — Lasix is a potent diuretic and must be used with caution in older people in particular. It is easy to remove too much salt and water causing a person to be dehydrated and to upset the chemical balance. This is equally true of most of the potent antidiuretics. It is an excellent medicine to remove excess fluid.  
It works by increasing the elimination of sodium. The sodium retention is responsible for the excess fluid retention. It does increase the loss of potassium as well.

A good way to solve this problem is to include foods that contain lots of potassium in the diet. I would recommend at least a couple of 8-ounce glasses of orange juice a day to provide potassium that will not affect the small intestine in any way and may protect your mother. Fresh fruits are a good source of potassium.

The only precaution one need follow here is that if a person has badly diseased kidneys that are not forming urine, then potassium needs to be restricted. That is quite rare compared to the number of people who need

additional potassium when taking a diuretic.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Will X rays show a clot in the leg if you have thrombophlebitis?

DEAR READER — Ordinary X rays show only shadows for soft-tissue masses and you cannot see arteries and veins. That is why doctors inject an opaque dye into the circulation. If there is a clot in the leg vein and it obstructs the vein, it will not fill completely with the dye. The filling defect may identify the location of the obstruction, which in the case of a vein may be a clot. An obstruction in an artery may be from the build up of fatty-cholesterol deposit.

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## Taste Of American Champagne Improves

NEW YORK (UPI) — The French have made tradition part of their stock in trade, especially in winemaking. But "tradition" is expensive and for everyday wine drinking, your palate often won't tell you the difference.

French wine experts who used to turn up their noses at American winemaking and marketing techniques were silenced in recent years when, in blind tastings, they have judged some American wines superior to their own.

It is indisputable that France still produces the best wines in the world. But "scandals" over adulterated, mixed and sugarfied wines in Bordeaux and Beaujolais have pointed up the frustrations some French winemakers feel when confronted by the demands of traditional methods.

In the Bordeaux scandal, French shippers were found to be mixing a generous proportion of North African wines with the controlled Bordeaux wines to make up the volume needed. In the Beaujolais region, inordinate amounts of sugar were used to make a bad year's wine drinkable.

American winemakers feel the French stymie themselves by being too hide-

bound about tradition. Guy Deveaux, chief winemaker for the Gold Seal vineyards at Hammondsport, N.Y., is French and believes in tradition. But only so far as it ensures quality.

"The methods and standards by which the French make their wine were frozen before World War I," he said in an interview. "Tradition was halted right there. But who's to say that was the best time to draw the line."

There are legal constraints on U.S. winemakers, and they stick to the basic methods simply because they produce the best kinds of wine.

Take Gold Seal's champagne. It is produced from the same grapes as French champagne. The grapes grow in the same kind of chalky soil found in the Champagne district around Rheims, France. The American champagne is fermented in the bottle like French champagne.

"There are differences, but none that affect the taste," Deveaux said.

The updated techniques are in the removal of the sediment formed during fermentation and in the bottling procedure.

French champagne makers employ men who tour the cellars daily, picking up each bottle and twisting it to make sediment fall to the neck. When the champagne is ready, the neck of the bottle is frozen and the sediment removed in a piece of ice.

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Deveaux, who has one of the best "noses" in the business, then carefully blends the champagnes of different years to make sure the taste and quality remain consistent year to year. The champagne remains chilled and under pressure the whole time, so that it loses none of its sparkle.

"The result is a champagne that is comparable, I claim no more than that, with most of the French champagnes," said Deveaux.

So what makes an American pay up to \$30 for a bottle of French champagne when a wine of comparable quality is available for \$8 to \$10?

"Too many Americans buy according to the label instead of the contents," Deveaux said. "It's pure snobbery."

## Black Seeks Solutions For Poor

ATLANTA (AP) — Jesse Hill Jr., the first black to serve as president of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, says that honor will mean little if solutions are not found to unemployment and other problems of the urban poor.

"There are those who tell me that it says something about Atlanta and how times have changed that a black man has been chosen to head the chamber of this great city," Hill said in his inaugural address last week.

Hill, 51, is an insurance executive. He was a behind-the-scenes figure in the civil rights movement in Atlanta in the 1950s and 1960s.

Local chamber officials say he is the first black man to head a chamber of commerce in a major American-city.

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HAGGLING OVER KNIVES — Four residents of southeastern Kentucky negotiated a knife trade recently in front of the Knox County courthouse in Barbourville, Ky. Knife trading is a popular hobby in Appalachia and some people get so good at it they can turn little profit. (AP Laserphoto)

## Trading Of Knives Still Active In Southeastern Kentucky

By MANUEL SCHIFFRES  
BARBOURVILLE, Ky. (AP) — At 67, Jasper walks with a cane, but that doesn't keep him from the courthouse and the pastime that has occupied much of his time for the past half dozen years — knife trading.

Jasper, who won't tell his last name for fear the Internal Revenue Service might try to tax his trading profits, visits the Knox County Courthouse almost daily.

He'll greet old friends, exchange pleasantries and then pull out one of the Canoes or Copperheads he's carrying.

Knife trading is a part of the folklore of the Appalachians. In this county seat in southeastern Kentucky, it's not unusual — at any given moment — to find five or 10 men trading in the courthouse lobby.

It's a somewhat esoteric art in which a man can test his skills as craftsman, businessman and poker player. To be successful, a trader's mind must be as sharp as his blade.

"This is a learning racket," says Virgil Sizemore, who visits the courthouse about once a month to trade. "I've learned how to grade (knives), but I've paid for it."

"Sometimes I just wouldn't believe the things I paid for," Sizemore said. "But the next day I'd get rid of it to the next guy for a little more."

Jasper deals in knives worth \$8-\$15 and he says sales are good enough to "make my dinner."

But that's not the only reason for trad-

ing. It's "just fast time," he says. "It'll kill the day up."

The origins of knife trading seem as mysterious as the negotiating ritual.

Marguerite Carson, a specialist on Appalachian folklore from London, Ky., speculates that knife trading is a vestige of the barter system that prevailed in the mountains until the start of this century.

Another student of Appalachian customs, Sherman Oxendine, says he thinks the tradition may have begun "in the old days on court day when there were no automobiles. The opening day of court was always a big time. People took off from work and they swapped horses and mules and I suppose some of them swapped knives."

"The gathering around the courthouse is still very prominent, and, as they no longer trade in horses and mules, they trade in knives," says Oxendine, a history professor at Union College here.

Sometimes, one knife will be traded even-up for another; at other times, cash will be involved. Occasionally, a transaction will involve cash only.

Oxendine, who admits he "didn't do so well" the few times he has swapped, says some traders are so adept and know so

much about knives that they can make a living at it.

"They can look at one and tell the value within a few cents and they know the value of their own, so they know what the money difference might be," Oxendine says.

"It's a whole lot like a poker game. You're challenging somebody else and trying to get the best of him. It's always a star in your crown if you can outsmart the other guy," he says. "You can get skinned alive if you don't know what you're doing."

## Federally Funded Overpasses Face Possible Modification

By CRAIG A. PALMER  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Hundreds of pedestrian overpasses built with federal money may have to undergo modification to make them safe and accessible to handicapped persons if a decision by an obscure government regulatory agency stands.

The little-known Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board has issued a citation against the Federal Highway Administration and the U.S. Department of Transportation, alleging a pedestrian overpass in Omaha, Neb., fails to provide safe and convenient access to physically handicapped persons.

## Philosopher Shows Wit On Board

WILBRAHAM, Mass. (UPI) — "Ten Percent of Wilbraham's Population is Dogs."

That's some of the wit and wisdom of Jim Alberici, a 44-year-old roadside philosopher whose medium is a 4-by-8-foot blackboard planted outside his Route 20 liquor store and gas station.

Alberici has been at the job for 15 years, scrawling a daily commentary on the two sides of the blackboard, hoping to entice motorists in to chat and drop a few dollars. Some of the sayings fall a bit flat, but even professional philosophers have an off day now and again.

For Thanksgiving, for instance, it was: "Aren't You Glad You Aren't A Turkey?"

Snow or sunshine, Alberici likes to have a little saying out there to give the passing motorists something to think about.

Does he think his epigrams are corny? "No, not at all. I think they are humorous," he replies a bit indignantly. "I try to make it pleasant. That's what it's all about. I'm not trying to look down on anybody or any policy or anything."

About the only rule he follows is to try to avoid politics and controversy these days. He found his sense of humor was not shared by everyone.

During the downfall of former President Nixon, Alberici chalked up, "Every Milhouse Needs a Watergate." He said some motorists stopped to complain.

He said that about three years ago "we indirectly tackled a large corporation about some (price) increase they had made that affected the general populace. It was very humorous, I thought. But a few executives from that company that came into the store didn't think it was."

Alberici declined to list the signs that have caused him headaches. "We put up many controversial signs. And we've lost some sales because of them. I just wouldn't want to open old wounds again," he said.

He can't remember the first saying he put up, but has kept a file of every message he's written for the past 10 years. He says a New York publisher is interested in publishing the collection.

The messages haven't hurt business much either. He admits drawing curious motorists was the motive behind the practice.

The overpass was built with federal highway funds.

"Little consideration has been given to the needs of disabled people, but this legal action by the (board) may change that," said Robert Johnson, executive director of the board.

Hundreds of pedestrian overpasses have been or will be built with federal funds, Johnson said.

The Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board was created by Congress in 1973 to monitor compliance with a 1968 Architectural Barriers Act.

Board members represent nine federal agencies including the Department of Transportation.

The board said it was told by a federal highway official the agency would like to construct accessible overpasses but in some cases, the modifications are too expensive.

If compliance was required with standards used by the federal government to measure accessibility and usefulness for handicapped persons, the highway administration would not be able to build overpasses, the board said the highway official warned.

The citation issued by the board names William Cox, FHWA administrator, and Brock Adams, secretary of Transportation, as parties to the action.

It said the Omaha overpass does not comply with American National Standards Institute specifications used by the federal government.

Johnson said the citation was issued after FHWA officials said no corrective action would be taken because construction was complete.

He said, however, the highway administration acknowledged some grades on the approach to the Omaha overpass were steeper than the ANSI standards permit.

Allegations in the citation will be heard by a government administrative law judge, who will make recommendations to the board. The board then can dismiss the citation or issue an order against the federal agencies involved.

Such an order would be final and binding and could include the withholding or

suspension of federal funds, a board spokesman said.

A highway administration spokesman had no comment.

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# Texas Universities Likely To Be Probed

By ROBERT B. CULLEN  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Texas state university system is likely to come under the scrutiny of the federal government because of alleged racial discrimination.

Dorothy Stuck, the director of the Dallas regional Office of Civil Rights, said Tuesday an investigation of the racial makeup of the Texas system has been under discussion since shortly after President Carter took office.

But she said the investigative staff currently is tied up in monitoring desegregation plans in a half-dozen other southern states. When those suits are completed, the staff will be free to turn its attention to Texas, she said.

Lou Mathis of the OCR said a court order currently prevents the federal government from beginning any new desegregation cases until its backlog has been taken care of.

"There is nothing we can do (about Texas) now," he said.

Texas and South Carolina are the only states, among those that historically operated segregated university systems, to avoid coming under federal scrutiny and court orders.

Starting in 1969, the department investigated and found lingering discrimination in 10 states, including Arkansas, Louisiana, and Oklahoma. In the ensuing years, black plaintiffs have won court orders forcing HEW to enforce applicable laws in those states.

As a result, the states involved have been required to submit desegregation plans that detail how they will increase the number of white students and teachers at the predominantly black campuses and increase black students and teachers at mainly white schools.

Six states — North Carolina, Virginia, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia and Oklahoma — still have not settled upon acceptable desegregation plans. HEW has asked them, among other things, to plan to spend large sums of money to upgrade

## Proposed Law Urges Filing Civil Suits

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Carter administration is proposing legislation designed to make it easier for winners of federal civil law suits to recover attorneys' fees.

The proposal would remove financial barriers that discourage many individuals and groups from filing suit over environmental, civil rights and consumer concerns, the Justice Department said Tuesday.

## Water Ration Plan Dropped By City

PETALUMA, Calif. (AP) — A water rationing plan put into effect 10 months ago at the height of the state's water crisis has been dropped in this city just north of San Francisco.

Mayor Helen Putnam said she believes the city is the first in California to back off from limitations instituted in most of northern California. The city council removed the restrictions, calling for a 30 percent reduction in water use Tuesday.

programs on the black campuses to make them more attractive to whites.

Texas operates two campuses, Texas Southern and Prairie View A&M, that are historically and predominantly black. Texas Southern has 135 white students and 7,760 blacks, according to the office of the state coordinating board in Austin. Prairie View has 600 whites and 4,331 blacks.

The rest of the state campuses are largely white. Texas A&M has 87 blacks and 25,778 whites. The university campus at Austin has 855 blacks and 35,534 whites.

Texas and South Carolina never were included in the original OCR investigations, Mrs. Stuck said, because the staff was not big enough to investigate those two states, although 10 others were investigated.

Rep. Leon Panetta, D-Calif., who was director of the OCR when the investigations began, said the 10 original states were singled out "because we felt we could make our strongest cases there." He said desegregation at the university level "was new ground we were moving into. We wanted to concentrate on the grossest examples."

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## Couple To Spend Holiday In Jail On Tax Charges

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A San Antonio couple — jailed since Oct. 3 on contempt of court charges — will spend Christmas behind bars, too, unless they turn over federal income tax records to the Internal Revenue Service.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans this week upheld a district court judge who found John and Billie Zimmerman in contempt for refusing an order to produce the 1974 tax information.

The Zimmermans have charged they are "political prisoners" because they paid their fair share of taxes to the government and don't have to produce the records on 5th Amendment grounds.

The 5th Amendment guarantees the right against self-incrimination.

The couple also has maintained they no longer have the records in question and are unable to produce them.

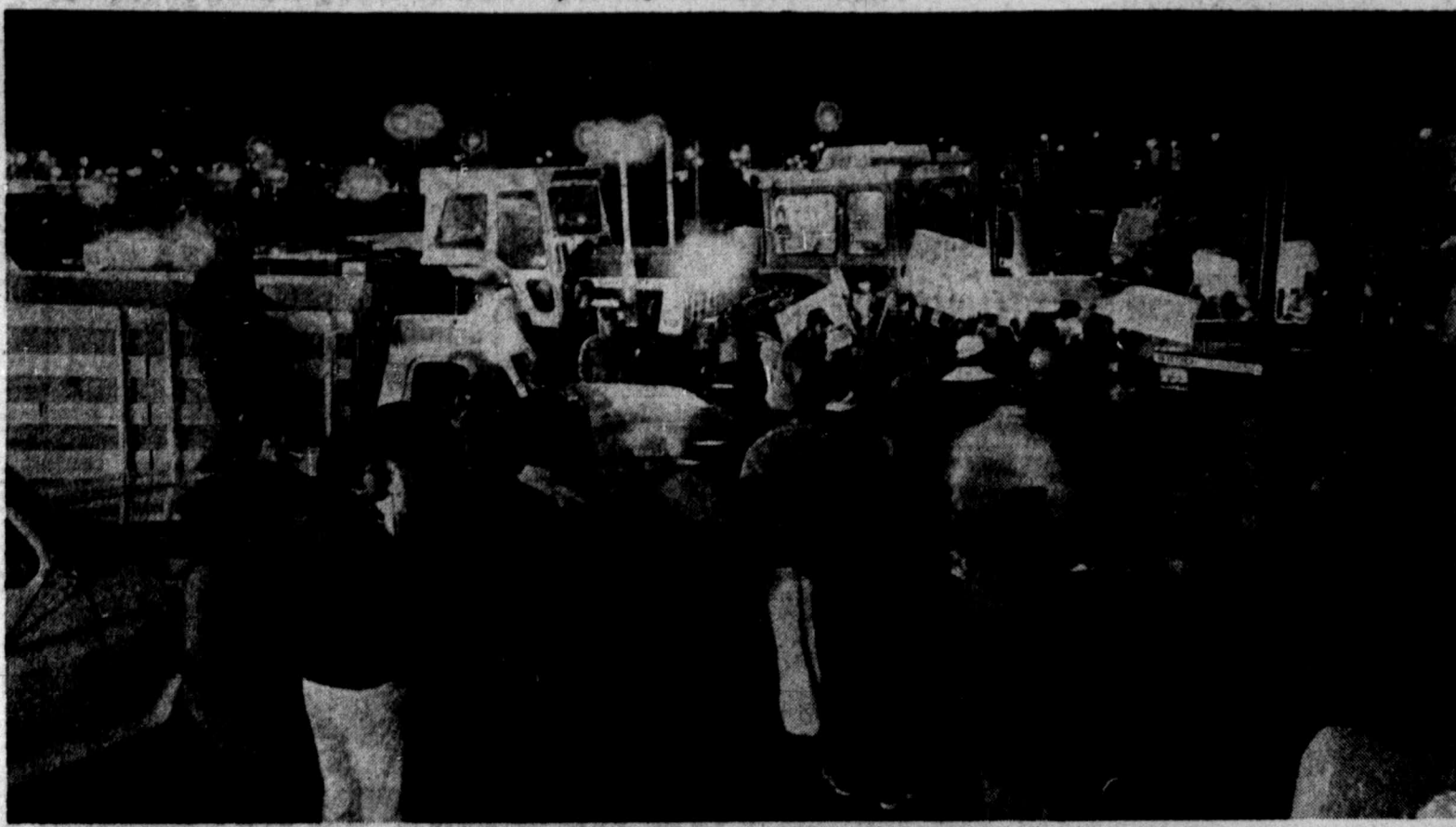
The Zimmermans have refused legal counsel, choosing to represent themselves in the case.

The appeals court said: "Their contentions have been found by all courts to which they have been presented to be completely groundless, yet they persist in asserting them when all they have to do is to comply with the law and purge themselves of contempt in order to gain their release," the appeals court said.

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The wheat crop in Kansas, the largest producer was rated good to excellent, with only some areas in the western part of the state needing moisture, the depart-


ment said in a weekly weather review. Further, the report said, Kansas farmers were able to graze cattle on about 15 percent of their wheat acreage, compared with only 5 percent a year ago when dry weather was a factor.

The report said that the nation's corn harvest, as of Dec. 18, was still not completed because of bad weather, particularly in Missouri, Indiana and Ohio.


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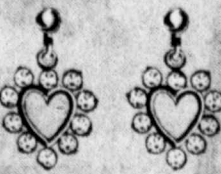
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14 The second woe is past, but the third quickly follows:  
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17 "We give thanks, Lord God Almighty, who is and was, for now You have assumed Your great power and have begun to reign.  
18 The nations were angry with You, but now it is Your turn to be angry with them. It is time to judge the dead, and reward Your servants—prophets and people alike, all who fear Your Name, both great and small—and to destroy those who have caused destruction upon the earth."  
19 Then, in heaven, the temple of God was opened and the ark of His covenant could be seen inside. Lightning flashed and thunder crashed and roared, and there was a great hailstorm and the world was shaken by a mighty earthquake.

1 Then a great pageant appeared in heaven, portraying things to come. I saw a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon beneath her feet, and a crown of twelve stars on her head.  
2 She was pregnant and screamed in the pain of her labor, awaiting her delivery.  
3 Suddenly a red Dragon appeared, with seven heads and ten horns, and seven crowns on his heads.  
4 His tail drew along behind him a third of the stars, which he plucked to the earth. He stood before the woman as she was about to give birth to her child, ready to eat the baby as soon as it was born.  
5 She gave birth to a boy who was to rule all nations with a heavy hand, and He was caught up to God and to His throne.  
6 The woman fled into the wilderness, where God has prepared a place for her, to take care of her for 1,260 days.  
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ATTACK PIGEON? — Pidge the pigeon sits safely at home with Scott and Tracy Almhjell of Scottsdale, Ariz. A neighbor woman claims the pigeon kept her prisoner in her home for an hour and a half. (AP Laserphoto)

## Arizona Woman Claims Pigeon Kept Her Captive In House

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — Nita Knight claims Pidge, the pigeon, kept her prisoner in her home for an hour and half.

"He's so tame we're afraid some cat might get him," counters the bird's owner, Whitey Almhjell.

But Mrs. Knight, 34, says when she went out the backdoor of her house Saturday night she "saw this pigeon coming right at me."

"The bird got on my back and I ran into the house. The bird came right inside and I threw it out."

But then, she says, the bird wouldn't let her out without attacking. If the bird

even heard her voice, she says, it would fly to the window and flap its wings against the screen.

So Mrs. Knight called police, and, "You know the police dispatcher laughed so hard I thought I had the wrong number."

Officer Debbie Schwartz, detailed to the rescue, says she immediately recognized the pigeon as the same one which came at her a month ago at the Almhjell home. Whitey and Barb Almhjell were called and came three blocks to retrieve their pet.

"Pidge just likes people," said Barb. "He loves to sit on people's heads. When we're in the pool, he'll come and sit on our head. He's just like a dog, follows us wherever we go."

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### Birds Net Fines For Airline

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Even when they coo in French — the language of romance — lovebirds can't land on American territory without a permit.

The Agriculture Department said last week that Air France, the French national airline, paid a \$500 fine in federal court in Anchorage earlier this month because one of its planes landed in Alaska last spring with 27 uncleared lovebirds aboard.

The bird shipment was en route from Paris to Tokyo when it made a regular

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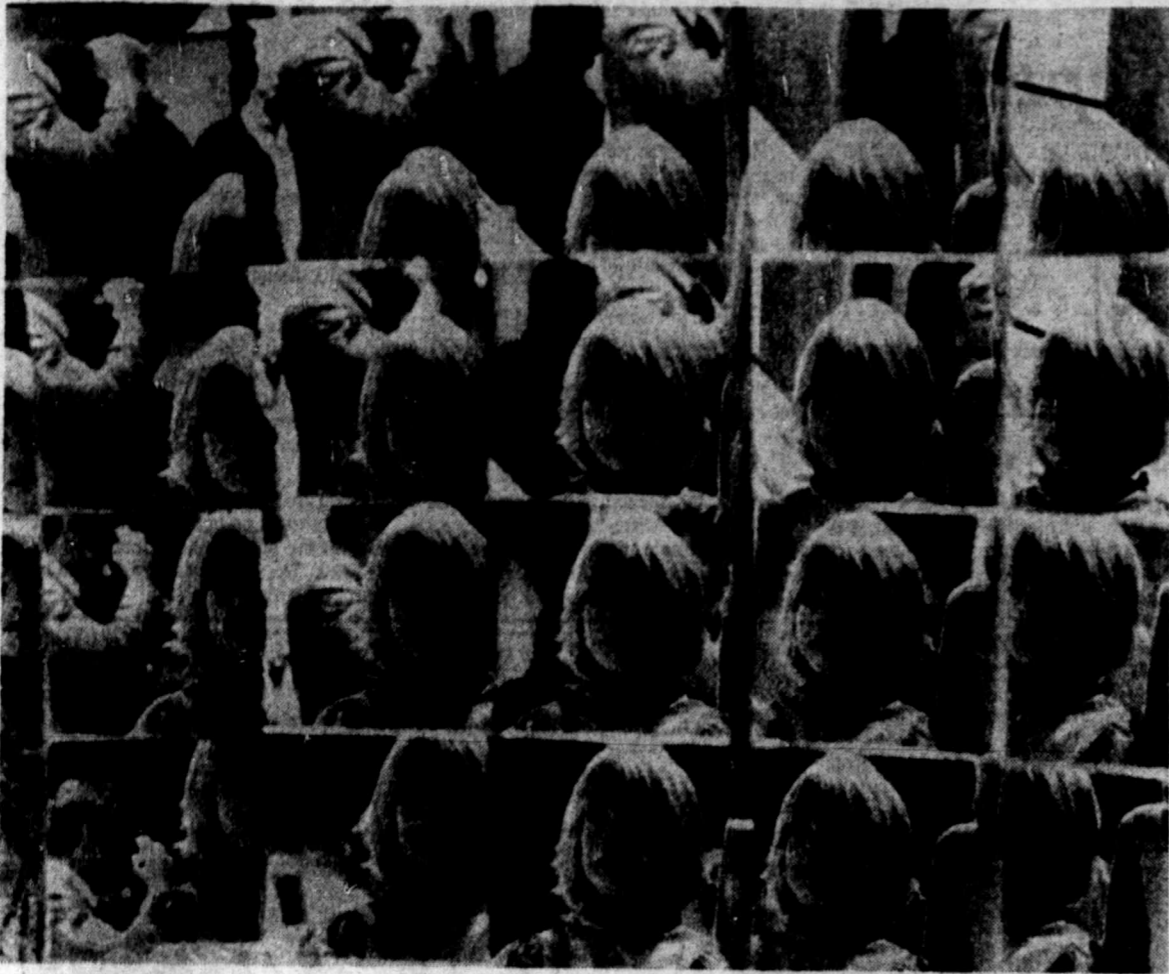
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HELLO, SUNSHINE — Five-year-old Bryn McCrossan contemplates a basic solar furnace constructed of dozens of mirrored squares during a visit to Ontario Science Centre in Toronto. The furnace, part of an exhibit dealing with energy, along with Starlab, a small planetarium, were two new exhibits opened by Ontario Premier William Davis this week at the center. (AP Laser-photo)

## First Lady Hints Expectation Of Second Term For Husband

By GAY PAULEY  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rosalynn Carter indicates the president of the United States looks toward a second term in the White House.

The first lady, in a discussion of her husband's push on the controversial energy bill, said the president "could delay his push for comprehensive congressional action until the second term, but Jimmy just doesn't work that way."

Mrs. Carter hedged a bit, however, saying, "We really haven't talked about it."

"The second term depends on what he has gotten done, what will be done," Mrs. Carter said in an interview. "There are some decisions ahead."

Mrs. Carter was talking in an exclusive UPI interview in her modest-sized, Christmas-decorated office in the East Wing of the White House.

As she closes her first year as first lady, our conversation ranged through a variety of topics — the forthcoming foreign trip, what she plans to highlight in the coming year and beyond, the rewards and frustrations of 1977, and her reaction to some of the battering criticism she has received from some sources calling her, in effect, the do-nothing distaff side in the top job of the United States.

Last year, just before inauguration, she told me "I'm not scared" of the assignment.

A year later, Mrs. Carter still is unafraid and anxious to get on with her two special projects — mental health care and awareness of and action on problems of the aged.

She has changed, by her own admission. "It all is so overwhelming, so awesome, you have to worry about priorities. But I've been pleased."

"It's hard to say what has been the most satisfying ... I've done so much. There was the trip to Latin America to study first, to meet leaders, to see the move toward democracy ... very exciting. In Latin America, I saw countries working toward democracy, yet so weak financially ..."

"I believe the trip coming up will be easier than South America for me ... then when I wasn't representing the nation and meeting with heads of state, I was busy touring."

Mrs. Carter will accompany the president on an eight-day sweep of six countries from Dec. 29 to Jan. 6. The countries are Poland, Iran, India, Saudi Arabia, France and Belgium.

"And all this time I've been studying Spanish," said the first lady, who is not conversant in any other foreign language. "But I have plans to visit children's hospitals, an old people's town, in India to meet with women on health concerns, in France to check what I hear are very good programs for the aged ..."

Mrs. Carter refers constantly to her husband's viewpoint — it is as if one mind constantly were tuned in to the other.

On the Middle East and the breakthrough with Israeli and Egyptian leaders talking peace, she said:

"Jimmy thinks you have to get problems out in the open, you have to have

some discussions before you start accomplishing ..."

She brushes off without rancor the criticisms of her first year performance.

"I just don't agree," she said of the current Ms magazine issue which headlined a section, "Betty Ford, Where Are You Now That We Need You?" and talked of the "dashed-hopes syndrome" and "creeping disappointment with this quiet, self-contained southerner ..."

Said Mrs. Carter, "Jimmy says, 'Whatever you do will be criticized. If you do nothing, there is no criticism.'"

Mrs. Carter made other points in an interview that ran to 75 minutes despite a tight pre-holiday schedule:

—She plans to go to Plains, Ga., for Christmas with the whole family, and then prep for the post-Christmas trip abroad.

—If passage of the Equal Rights Amendment becomes critical, she will "hit the road" to campaign for its enactment. Her own state, Georgia, has not ratified the amendment. "Thinking back," she said, "We should have been campaigning earlier and more forcefully ..."

—The coming year will be "the year of the economy."

—Her mail runs generally in her favor with "few hate letters." But she realizes that the difference between being first lady of Georgia and the wife of the president puts her in a different role. "The difference is more in the public eye. I did just about the same things in Georgia."

—"We're a closer family now than in the governor's job ... We find we have more time for each other. I'm with Amy more than I've ever been. We swim, play tennis, have breakfast together. Of course Jimmy's up at 5 a.m. as always. But I find he now paces himself ... He's quit going back to an office at night. If he needs to read up, he does it right with us."

Mrs. Carter maintains the fashion image that really is a non-fashion image. She breaks no traditions, sets no one agog with what she wears.

The day we talked she was in a pale mauve, classic dress — with that semiturtle neck look she always wears.

I asked her what would be her wish for America and the world in 1978.

"That's a tough one," she said. "One of the things that bothers me most is the destruction of family ... Everyone needs someone to care for them."

"I've been happy in 1977. My wish for 1978 is that people can feel they belong, can contribute. You see so many people hurting and in distress, and nobody caring ..."

## Maranatha Church To Receive Gift

By HELEN THOMAS  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Backstairs at the White House:

When it was learned that Jeff Carter, 25, had sold exclusive Carter family and White House photographs to Life Magazine for \$10,000 for its annual issue, the first lady's office said that Jeff would donate some of the money to his favorite charities.

Since then Jeff, youngest of the president's sons, has said that he plans to contribute some of the magazine payment to the Maranatha church near Plains, Ga. The church was established by former members of the Plains Baptist Church who split over its segregation policies.

The president has adopted an even-handed policy, saying he will go to both churches. Jeff is not a frequent churchgoer, despite the strong religious influence in the family.

Hugh Carter Sr., the president's cousin, is a member of the Maranatha church, as are several other Carter relatives.

The Democratic National Committee bankrolls the president for a number of White House symbols. It will pay for the 60,000 Christmas cards the Carters sent out and the \$2,000 bill for stamps.

The committee also buys mementos for the president to hand out to guests, and on that score Carter has not cost the Democrats much. Lyndon B. Johnson gave out hundreds of memento pens inscribed with his name. For women there were gold charm bracelets.

In the past, the Democrats also picked up the tab for the presidential color photographs in post offices around the country in the past, but Carter did not feel it was a proper expense.

The White House Christmas tree boasts the colorful and unique creative decorations made by mentally retarded children and adults.

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The decorations reflect Joan Mondale's personal interest in the American arts.

In a commercial world with its mass production, she said, "the crafts put us in touch with our individuality."

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Amy Carter, 10, was perfectly at ease — but her shyness came through — with some 400 children from foreign embassies who attended a Christmas celebration at the White House.

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## Congress Full Of Cheer At Close Of Session

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG  
WASHINGTON (AP) — You'd have thought it was love that makes Congress go round.

After a year of wrangling, Congress finally adjourned last week with an outpouring of good wishes and Christmas cheer that might have boggled the minds of those who watched the attempts to reach agreement on energy and abortion.

There was John Rhodes of Arizona, the Republican leader of the House, calling Democratic Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill "my dear friend" and wishing him and his wife holidays "full of joy and gladness."

"My love to your beautiful wife, Betty," responded the speaker.

Across the Capitol, in the Senate chamber, there were similar outpourings. And in line with traditional difference between House members and senators, the proceedings in the Senate dragged on interminably.

First, the Senate adopted a resolution thanking Vice President Walter F. Mondale for "the courteous, dignified and impartial manner" in which he had presided over the Senate on a handful of occasions.

And then there was a resolution to thank Sen. James O. Eastland, D-Miss., the president pro tem of the Senate, for the "courteous, dignified and impartial manner" in which he had presided over the Senate on even fewer occasions than Mondale.

Next, the Senate voted to thank Hubert

H. Humphrey, D-Minn., the deputy president pro tem, for the "courteous, dignified and impartial manner" in which he had presided over the Senate on no occasions at all that anyone could remember.

Of course, it wouldn't do not to thank, less formally, "the parliamentarians, the clerks, the official reporters, the doorkeepers and the pages." And don't forget "wives, family members, constituents."

Finally, it was time to call the president and tell him that Congress was leaving town.

Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., and Minority Leader Howard H. Baker, R-Tenn., placed the call and Baker gave President Carter credit for the best political line:

"He told me the minority in the Senate had done such a good job that he hoped it would stay the minority."

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The last day of the congressional session was the first day Kanaster Hodges Jr. appeared on the Senate floor as a senator from Arkansas. Hodges was appointed to fill the seat of the late Sen. John L. McClellan.

The new senator's day began with a classic mixup. Minutes before the session was to start, he was chatting with one of the reporters waiting to ask Byrd and Baker about the schedule for the day when a Senate aide asked Hodges if he was a member of the press.

Hodges said no and might have been evicted, had a reporter not told the embarrassed aide that he was talking to the newest senator.

But within hours of that incident, Hodges took a turn as presiding officer, a task often performed by junior members who find it has a lot more form than substance.

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# Decision Stalled On Farm Plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — A decision on whether to pay \$600 million to farmers who produced barley and sorghum grain this year in the form of "deficiency payments" to help make up for low prices is being held up in the White House, according to informed sources.

The payments tentatively were scheduled by the Agriculture Department under the new Food and Agriculture Act passed by Congress this year.

But budget-minded people in the White House, including Charles L. Schultz, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors, want to eliminate the payments, the sources said Tuesday.

The sources, who asked not to be identified because of the sensitivity of the issue within administration ranks, indicated that a decision on the payments may be put off until next month.

Meanwhile, wheat farmers are collecting \$1.2 billion in deficiency payments to help make up for low market prices received for their 1977 crop.

The program involves a concept of target prices for each commodity covered by the act. In the case of wheat, the 1977 target is \$2.90 a bushel. The payments are designed to make up the difference between cash market prices or the government's loan rate, whichever is higher.

Thus, the deficiency payments for wheat — since cash prices were lower — were based on the national average loan rate of \$2.25 a bushel and the \$2.90 target price, meaning a payment of 65 cents a bushel.

The corn target was set at \$2 a bushel for 1977, the same as the loan rate, so there is no deficiency payment due on corn this year.

The loan rates for various commodities are what farmers can borrow from the government by using their crops as collateral. The target prices are goals or bookkeeping figures used to compute the payments.

Congress did not specify the target prices for the other feed grains — sorghum, barley and oats — but did assume those would be set at "fair and reasonable" levels relative to corn. The law also indicated that no target price would be set for 1977 oats, only sorghum and barley.

The hang-up involves the levels, therefore, of 1977 targets for sorghum and barley and an understanding by key farm leaders in Congress that the target prices for those two crops would be set roughly in line with farmers' production costs.

Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland reportedly has recommended a barley target price of \$2.15 a bushel for 1977 production, compared with a cash price received by farmers of \$1.65 a bushel and the loan rate of \$1.63 a bushel.

Thus, the deficiency payment would be based on the \$1.65 average market price and the target, or about 50 cents a bushel.

The proposed target for sorghum is \$2.28 a bushel, compared with the loan of \$1.90 a bushel for the 1977 crop. The crop average cash price has not been computed, but department experts say it could range between \$1.85 and \$2.05 a bushel.

In any case, according to the sources, total payments to sorghum and barley producers would be around \$600 million for 1977 if the White House goes along with the formula advocated by the department.

## AGRICULTURAL MARKETS

### Mercantile Exchange

CHICAGO (AP) — Futures trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Tuesday

Open	High	Low	Close	Chg
<b>LIVE BEEF CATTLE (40,000 lbs)</b>				
Dec	43.42	43.95	42.12	-0.57
Jan	42.85	43.00	42.62	-0.20
Feb	41.45	41.90	41.37	-0.12
Mar	40.90	41.25	40.70	-0.12
Apr	42.15	42.47	42.00	+0.10
May	42.37	42.55	42.20	-0.05
Jun	42.05	42.17	41.80	-0.08
Jul	42.80	42.90	42.50	-0.35
Aug	43.10	43.10	42.70	-0.28
Sales: Dec 1783; Jan 1668; Feb 1278; Mar 1047; Apr 1000; May 1038; Jun 1052; Jul 1040; Aug 1040; Sep 1040; Oct 1040; Nov 1040; Dec 1040				
<b>FEEDEX CATTLE (142,000 lbs)</b>				
Jan	44.30	44.47	44.15	-0.20
Mar	44.90	45.00	44.50	-0.05
Apr	44.90	45.00	44.75	-0.10
May	44.70	44.70	44.50	-0.05
Jun	45.00	45.10	45.00	-0.05
Jul	44.90	45.00	44.85	-0.05
Aug	44.92	44.97	44.85	-0.05
Sales: Jan 18; Feb 4433; Mar 4433; Apr 4433; May 4433; Jun 4433; Jul 4433; Aug 4433; Sep 4433; Oct 4433; Nov 4433; Dec 4433				
<b>LIVE HOGS (30,000 lbs)</b>				
Dec	40.37	40.40	40.65	+0.38
Jan	40.85	41.40	40.45	-0.27
Feb	37.05	37.45	36.90	-0.05
Mar	37.00	37.45	36.90	-0.05
Apr	37.35	37.70	37.17	-0.15
May	37.45	37.80	37.30	-0.10
Jun	33.40	33.55	33.25	-0.10
Jul	33.75	34.15	33.60	-0.02
Sales: Dec 686; Jan 4433; Feb 4433; Mar 4433; Apr 4433; May 4433; Jun 4433; Jul 4433; Aug 4433; Sep 4433; Oct 4433; Nov 4433; Dec 4433				
<b>SHELL EGGS (22,500 doz)</b>				
Dec	52.35	52.75	50.35	-2.00
Jan	47.00	47.75	46.75	-0.20
Mar	50.45	50.60	50.50	-0.10
Apr	43.35	43.35	40.75	-0.15
May	41.90	41.90	41.10	-0.20
Jun	43.20	43.20	43.20	+0.10
Sales: Dec 60; Jan 315; Mar 48; Apr 18; May 8; Jun 2; Jul 2; Aug 2; Sep 2; Oct 2; Nov 2; Dec 2				
<b>PORK BELLIES (80,000 lbs)</b>				
Dec	53.30	54.20	52.85	+0.23
Jan	52.00	52.95	51.45	-0.15
Feb	51.50	52.17	51.20	-0.08
Mar	50.70	51.80	50.45	-0.63
Apr	48.52	49.35	48.72	-0.25
Sales: Dec 450; Jan 128; Feb 400; Mar 350; Apr 300; May 300; Jun 300; Jul 300; Aug 300; Sep 300; Oct 300; Nov 300; Dec 300				
<b>LUMBER (100,000 bd ft)</b>				
Dec	209.70	210.20	207.10	-1.80
Jan	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.70
Mar	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.80
Apr	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.80
May	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.80
Jun	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.80
Jul	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.80
Aug	214.00	215.00	212.20	-1.80
Sales: Dec 55; Jan 55; Mar 106; May 490; Jun 490; Jul 490; Aug 490; Sep 490; Oct 490; Nov 490; Dec 490				

Aug	20.50	20.95	20.50	21.00	+0.55
Sep	20.10	20.15	20.10	20.15	+0.45
Oct	20.10	20.15	20.10	20.15	+0.45
<b>SOYBEAN MEAL (100 tons)</b>					
Dec	163.00	163.00	160.30	160.30	-2.60
Jan	162.00	162.70	160.50	161.20	-1.00
Mar	163.50	164.50	162.30	163.00	-1.10
Apr	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
May	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
Jun	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
Jul	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
Aug	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
Sep	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
Oct	164.50	167.00	163.00	165.00	-3.00
<b>ICED BROILERS (30,000 lbs)</b>					
Dec	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Jan	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Feb	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Mar	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Apr	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
May	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Jun	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Jul	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Aug	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Sep	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45
Oct	36.75	36.80	36.70	36.80	+0.45

**Cotton Futures**  
NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 closed 75 cents to \$2.25 a bale lower Tuesday.

Futures prices closed lower because traders took profits following recent advances, brokers said.

The average price for strict low middling 11-16 inch spot cotton advanced 84 points to 49.44 cents a pound Monday for the 10 leading markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton No. 2 futures Tuesday on the New York Cotton Exchange.

Open	High	Low	Close	Prev.	
<b>COTTON, No. 2 (50,000 lbs)</b>					
Dec	53.14	53.40	52.86	53.10	-0.40
Jan	54.05	54.10	53.72	54.00	-0.40
Feb	54.90	55.05	54.40	54.74	-0.26
Mar	56.00	56.20	55.45	55.80	-0.15
Apr	56.45	56.50	56.15	56.45	-0.17
May	57.00	57.00	56.80	56.95	-0.15
Sales: 4,650					
Unbld:					

**Livestock**  
NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, III. (AP) — Hogs 5-500, trade active; barrows and gilts 50-100 higher, most advance on weights over 250 lb. 1-1,200-240 lb. 42-00; 1-3,200-250 lb. 41-50-42-00; 2-3,240-270 lb. 40-50-41-00; 2-4,270-290 lb. 39-50-40-50; sows steady; 1-3,300-500 lb. 33-50-33-75; scattered lots 400-450 lb. 32-50-33-00; over 500 lb. 33-50-34-00; boars over 300 lb. 31-50-32-50; under 300 lb. 30-50-31-00.

Cattle 500; insufficient volume steers and heifers to establish a market; cows steady; utility and commercial 2-4, 21-50-24-00; boning utility 1-2 mostly 24-00; cutter 1-2, 20-00-23-00; canner and low cutter 1-2, 17-50-20-00.

Sheep 25; not enough on offer to test market.

**HIGH PLAINS COTTON**  
U.S. Department of Agriculture  
Trading on the Lubbock spot cotton market was active on Tuesday. Supplies of cotton for sale were heavy and demand was moderate.

Growers sold mixed lots of new-crop cotton at 100 to 400 points over 1977 loan rates. Gins paid 58¢ to \$70 per ton for cottonseed, mostly \$63 to \$64.

The Lubbock Cotton Exchange's spot quotations held steady.

Classing offices graded 41,000 samples. The season's total stood at 2,541,000 bales, compared with 1,258,000 last year. Approximately 10,000 samples were received and about 131,000 were carried over as unclassified.

**LUBBOCK SPOT COTTON**  
Quotations are the approximate prices reported to the Agricultural Marketing Service for qualities equal to the U.S. Official Grade and Staple Standards. Prices are for micronaire (mike) readings of 3.5 through 4.9, in mixed lots, uncompressed, free of all charges in the warehouse in the market.

Price trend: steady on Tuesday

U	S	M	L	M	S	L	M	S
Staple (31)	(41)	(32)	(42)	(33)	(43)	(34)	(44)	(35)
29-32	42.05	41.75	41.90	41.40	41.00	39.45		
15-16	42.80	42.40	42.40	41.80	41.40	40.05		
31-32	42.90	42.50	42.60	41.90	41.40	40.05		
1	43.60	43.05	43.20	42.30	41.85	40.05		
1-1-2	45.80	45.10	45.10	43.50	42.60	40.40		
1-1-16	46.80	46.10	46.00	44.05	43.45	40.40		

Purchases: 7,000 bales at Lubbock; previous day 8,706; week ago 6,292; year ago 18,067

**MIKE DIFFERENCES**  
(Pts. 1/16 to 1/8)

Readings	U	S	M	L	M	S	L	M
2.8 & below	-400	-400	-400	-400	-400	-400	-400	-400
2.7 thru 2.9	-200	-200	-200	-200	-200	-200	-200	-200
3.0 thru 3.2	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
3.3 thru 3.4	-65	-65	-65	-65	-65	-65	-65	-65
3.5 thru 4.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5.0 thru 5.2	-25	-25	-25	-25	-25	-25	-25	-25
5.3 & above	-80	-125	-110	-175	-142			

**Cash Grain**

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Wheat 23 cars: 2 1/2 up; No. 2 hard 2.70 1/2-2.80 1/4; No. 3 2.67 1/2-2.87 1/4; No. 2 red wheat 2.61 1/2-2.63 1/4; No. 3 2.59 1/2-2.62 1/4.

Corn 60 cars: 1/4 up; No. 2 white 2.75-3.55; No. 3 2.55-3.50; No. 2 yellow 2.23 1/2-2.26 1/4; No. 3 2.19 1/4.

U	S	M	L	M	S	L	M	S
<b>U.S. SPOT COTTON</b>								
BASE								
SLM 1 1/4	50.65	51.81						
MEMPHIS:	49.50	51.27						
DALLAS:	46.25	47.19						
HOUSTON:	48.00	49.00						
LUBBOCK:	46.10	47.00						
GREENVILLE:	50.15	51.309						
AUGUSTA:	50.65	51.75						
GREENWOOD:	49.40	50.60						
PHOENIX:	48.65	49.84						
FRESNO:	51.90	53.11						
10-Mkt. Avg.	49.12	50.222						
Previous Day	49.44	50.430						
Week Ago	47.34	48.740						
Year Ago	71.13	86.293						

**Produce**  
CHICAGO (AP) — (USDA) — Butter steady; wholesale buying prices Tuesday unchanged. A score A, 1.0275-1.0350; 92 A, 1.0150-1.0225; 90 B unquoted.

Eggs 1-1200-2500; carton sales delivered store-door unchanged. A extra large 67-70; A large 65-67; A mediums 60-62.

CHICAGO (AP) — (USDA) — Major potato markets FOB shipping points 1.5-1A Monday in 100 lb sacks Wisconsin Round 8.75-9.00; Wisconsin Russet 4.00-4.50; Colorado Russets 5.25-5.75; Colorado red McClure 4.50-4.75; Minnesota-North Dakota Round Red 2.00-2.25; Minnesota Burbanks few 3.75; Minnesota Norgolds 3.40.

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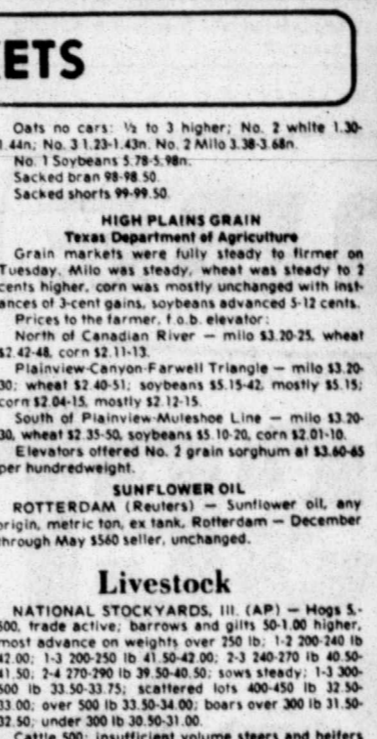
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It is a good thing to observe Christmas Day. The mere marking of time and seasons, when men agree to stop work and make merry together, is a wise and wholesome custom. It helps one to feel the supremacy of common life over the individual life. It reminds a man to set his own little watch, now and then, by the great clock of humanity which runs on sun time. But there is a better thing than the observance of Christmas Day, and that is, keeping Christmas.

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Then you can keep Christmas.



TRACTOR BLOCKADE — Striking farmers stand between halted Avalanche-Journal delivery trucks during this morning's blockade. Tractors encircled the plant in protest of an A-J editorial deploring some of the tactics used by strikers. Route deliveries of today's morning edition, which usually begin about midnight, were stalled until about 4 a.m. (Staff Photo)

## USDA Predicts Plentiful Supplies Of Products

WASHINGTON (AP) — In another of its monthly "food marketing alerts" for consumers, the Agriculture Department says that 1978 will begin with plentiful supplies of beef, pork, chicken and most other products.

The department's Agricultural Marketing Service said Tuesday that other foods expected to be plentiful next month include eggs, milk, apples, grapefruit, raisins, some processed vegetables, peanuts and grain.

By the agency's definition, plentiful means "more than enough to meet requirements" while adequate needs "enough to meet needs." When described as light, a product is "less than adequate, not enough for normal needs."

Orange products, especially frozen concentrates are in the light category for January, along with dry split peas.

A report gave special attention to potatoes and onions, also described in plentiful supply.

The beef supply next month is expected to be down 1 to 3 percent from a year ago, but 2 percent larger than average. Grain fed beef supplies will be larger but not enough to offset a smaller output of grassed beef.

However, the pork supply will be up 5 to 7 percent from last January and broiler chickens will be up 5 percent, the report said.

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# More Highway Patrolmen Monitoring CB Talk

**By BRIAN MOTAZ**  
**United Press International Writer**  
 More and more law enforcement officers, particularly state troopers, are putting their ears on.  
 A survey released at the annual conference of the Associated Public Safety Communications Officers in Chicago revealed that more than 9,000 police vehicles across the country are now equipped with citizen band radios.  
 By early next year, 11 states are expected to have CBs in their state police patrol vehicles as standard equipment.  
 In some states, where the units are not part of the budget, many smokies are buying their own sets.  
 An informal survey in the Pacific Northwest shows most officials find citizens band radios useful for keeping in touch with the public and as a means of

receiving an early alert to an accident or situation in which an officer is needed.  
 One in four Washington state troopers has a CB unit in his prowl car even though the state does not foot the bill.  
 There's a reason for it, according to Washington State Police Lt. Allan Little. "Anytime we have an aid to our law enforcement job, we use it.  
 "This is just another tool and we use it when we can. I can remember one instance when there was a serious injury accident that was picked up by the trooper from someone with a CB."  
 A patrol official in another part of Washington, Lt. Roger Cook, agreed. "They represent that many more eyes and ears for us."  
 He added most drivers have little sympathy for the drunk driver. So CBers are good for tips on the tipsy driver and will

readily provide safety information.  
 "Sure, we've gotten some bum information on accidents at times, but I really think the units are more beneficial than harmful."  
 In Oregon, an estimated one third of the 300 state vehicles are listening in on the CB party line. Those units were purchased with a federal Traffic Safety Grant, indicating the government is willing to pay for the units as a needed tool in law enforcement.  
 But Oregon State Police Inspector John Williams, whose agency is still evaluating the use of CB units by officers, says there have been problems with false reports and the problem is getting worse.  
 "One incident that stands out is a plane crash near McMinnville, Ore. False information was given to our troopers."  
 "Fortunately, they had sense enough,

knowing the area, to disregard that particular tip."  
 It's a good thing they did. There were four badly injured persons in the plane and the officers could have left them there a long time while chasing the bad advice.  
 Idaho State Police Supervisor Ken DeYoung said about 30 of his 180 troopers have purchased CB units.  
 DeYoung, like the other officials, has mixed feelings about the information provided.  
 "There have been instances where we've provided assistance because of them, but we've also had some dry runs."  
 He added he would still like to try more CB units, hopefully purchased with federal grant money like Oregon received.  
 While northwest officials are working

on ways to add ears, the Chicago Police Department has ordered the units out of all patrol cars. The feeling is they cause more problems than they're worth.  
 Other large metropolitan police forces also are reportedly having similar problems.  
**Buses Called Cheap, Safe Transportation**  
 WASHINGTON (AP) — Modern highways, such as the interstate system, have helped the bus become the cheapest, safest and most fuel-efficient mode of intercity passenger transportation in America, according to The Road Information Program (TRIP).  
 Buses cost passengers about a third less than cars, trains and airplanes. The bus fatality rate last year was 20 percent less than for airplanes, 95 percent less than for automobiles, and about the same as

trains. In addition, buses averaged 120 passenger miles per gallon, while automobiles and trains averaged 50 and airplanes less than 20, TRIP says.  
**FALLS DISCOVERED**  
 The Iguacu Falls on the Brazilian-Argentine border were discovered in 1541 by the Spanish explorer Alvar Nunez Cabeza de Vaca during his 1,000-mile expedition up the Rio de la Plata.  
 But the general trend is the other way. The CB seems to provide another avenue of contact that did not exist before and, in spite of the attendant problems, most officers welcome them.



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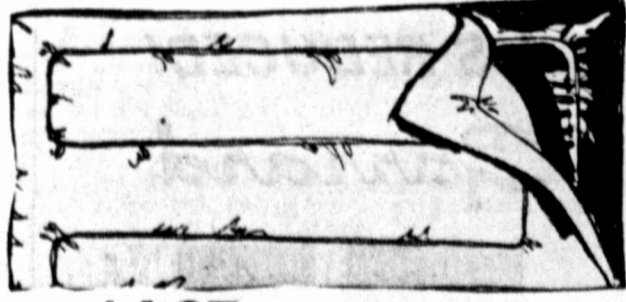
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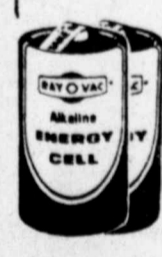
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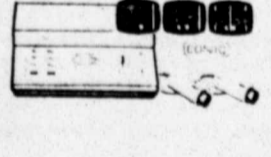
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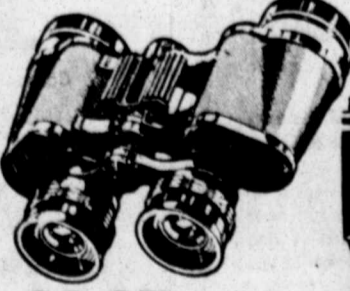
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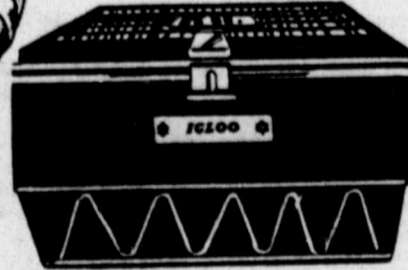
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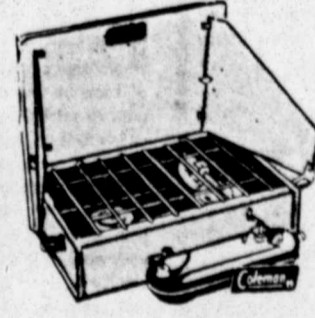
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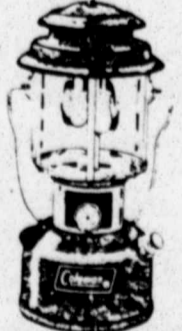
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# Pointing Forbidden At Soviet-Turkish Border

By STEPHAN KETELE

ANI, Turkey (UPI) — "Keep your hands at your sides," the Turkish officer warned. "Don't even point over there." "Over there" — beyond a tall wire fence overlooked by prison-style watch-towers — is the Soviet Union.

A 56-year-old agreement regulating this remote border region, rarely visited by strangers, forbids all "equivocal gestures" within sight of the 380-mile Turkish-Soviet frontier.

That includes pointing a stick — or even a finger.

"The Soviets could claim we were pointing a gun at them and open fire without warning," said Col. Tayer Bilen, commander of the 14th Turkish Mechanized Brigade.

Photography near the border on both sides is banned.

Once a month or so, Turkish and Soviet

representatives meet to discuss border disputes. Usually it's a case of Turkish cattle straying into the area between the border itself and the Soviet fence, which lies some distance back.

But recently, two Soviet army officers defected by swimming across the fast-flowing, icy Arpacay river which forms the border near here. They were given asylum over Soviet protests.

"There is no friendly contact between the two sides," Bilen commented.

Bilen commands a well-trained and well equipped force guarding one of the traditional invasion routes into Turkey.

Russians attacked along that route three times in recent history and, after World War II, laid claim to the area around here.

"The Russians are our traditional enemies," a senior officer said. "We don't trust them."

Nonetheless, the Kremlin is turning on the charm in an attempt to win friends and influence people in Turkey.

The Soviets have sharply boosted aid to Turkey, and total assistance could soar to \$2 billion and beyond — welcome news to a country with the lowest per capita income in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

The aid so far does not include arms, but the Soviets did host Turkish observers at military exercises across the border in the Caucasus.

The Soviet assistance comes at a time when Turkey's relations with its principal Western allies are sour.

The United States officially limits arms sales to Turkey to \$125 million a year, a compromise from the total embargo which it imposed after this country invaded Cyprus in 1974. Turkey in turn closed down U.S. bases held vital for

monitoring across the frontier. Officials say the bases still are closed and that America has withdrawn surveillance activities to Crete and elsewhere in the Mediterranean.

Turkey also has complained of trade and economic discrimination by the European Common Market, with which it has an association agreement in the hope it can develop enough eventually to apply for membership.

The Turks consider themselves European in outlook, despite the fact that most of Turkey is in Asia, and reject closer links with the surrounding Arab world.

Many officials say the only alternative in economic terms at present is a closer trade relationship with the Soviet Union, which is prepared to sell on barter rather than cash terms.

Even in this tense border region, evidence of this cooperation could be seen.

Three surveyors were busy taking measurements along the rim of a cliff in full view of Turkish troops.

Bilen said the Soviets are building a hydroelectric dam project, backed by a 20-mile-long lake, on the Arpacay river. Plans call for a sharing of electricity and irrigation water.

The Soviets also are helping the Turks build an oil refinery, steel mill and other capital projects.

All this does not mean the country is letting down its military guard against the Soviets, who have been building up their forces heavily on the other side of the border a few miles from here.

"The Soviets keep a far larger force than they need for defense purposes," Lt. Gen. Robert C. McAlister, the U.S. chief of staff of allied forces in southern Europe told this reporter in Naples. "They are there in great strength, capable of at-

tack without significant military build-up."

Largely because of the arms embargo, the Turks are having problems modernizing their forces. McAlister said, even though they spend 6.8 percent of their gross national product on defense — the highest proportion in NATO.

But McAlister added, "At least they are facing in the right direction."

With 465,000 men under arms, Turkey has the second-largest fighting force in NATO after the United States.

Senior officers expressed confidence they could repel anything the Soviets could throw in here — and that could include a spearhead of 800 tanks supported by attack helicopters and bombers. The tanks include the T-72, one of the most powerful in the world.



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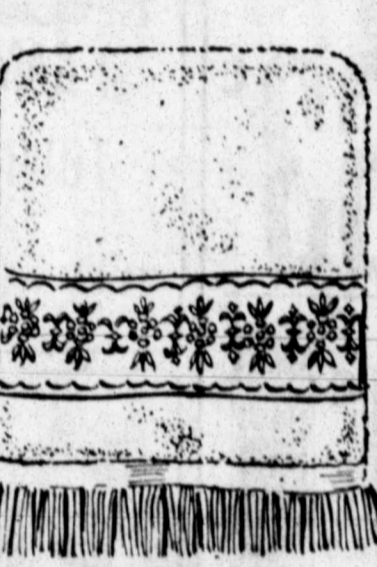


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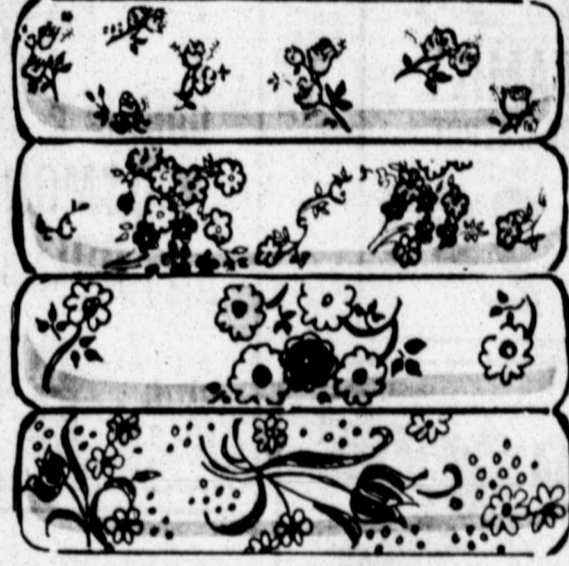
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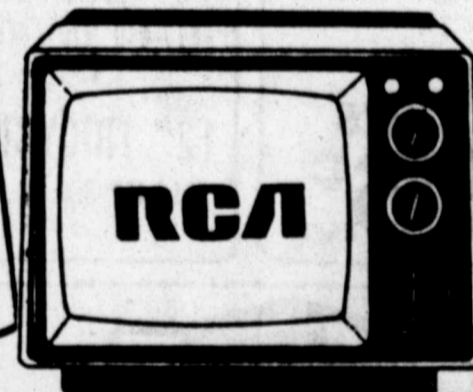
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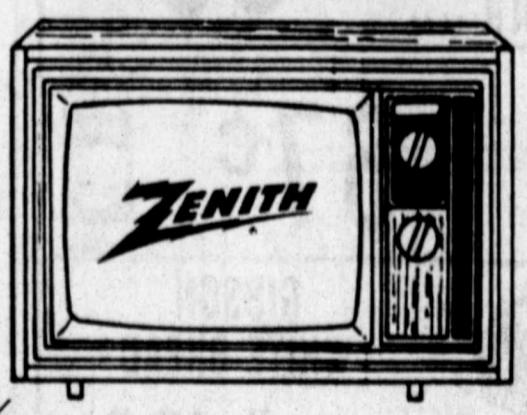
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WASHINGTON (UPI) — Henry Kissinger probably is pleased but not surprised to learn it takes two men working long hours to do what he used to do. Cyrus Vance, secretary of state, and Zbigniew Brzezinski, presidential assistant for national security, have split up Kissinger's dual role. Insiders say they work well together.

Brzezinski is the "conceptualizer" — the idea man who thinks up new policies. Vance is the methodical handyman who does the traveling, and carries out the ideas President Carter chooses.

Vance is thorough and decent, with a tendency to begin sentences with phrases like, "With regard to that". He tends to be open with his staff and reporters, but since he has none of Kissinger's intellectual depth or brilliance, the press

seats on his airplane frequently go unfilled.

Brzezinski is less open, more scholarly. One official describes him as entirely disorganized, always surrounded by flurries of paper and assistants with worried faces.

Vance has a habit of arising early and working until the early evening. Once, when he wanted to get away for a weekend, he held the regular State Department staff meeting at 5:30 a.m. Both Vance and Brzezinski start their working days at the White House, usually, discussing with Carter in the Oval Office the day's crisis situations.

Vance likes to lay out the problems on a large worksheet. He uses his staff people far more than Kissinger did.



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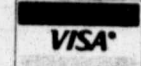
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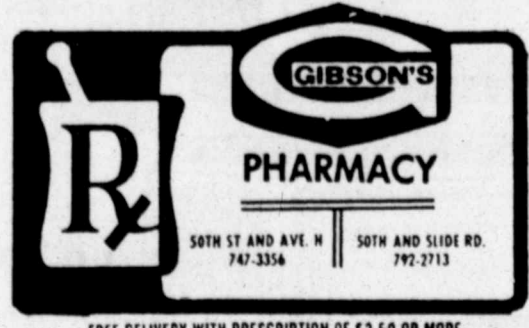
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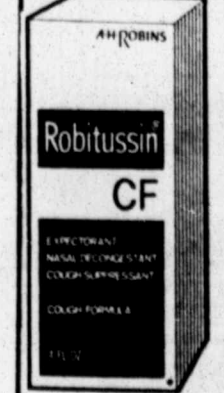
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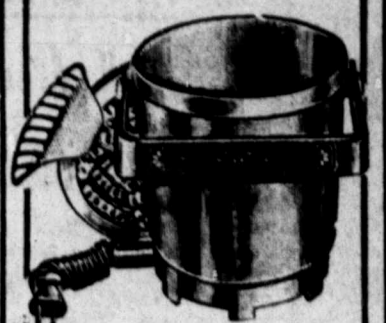


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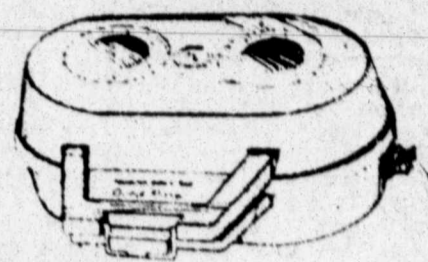
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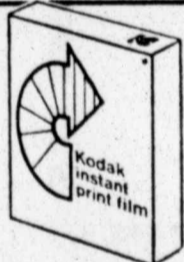
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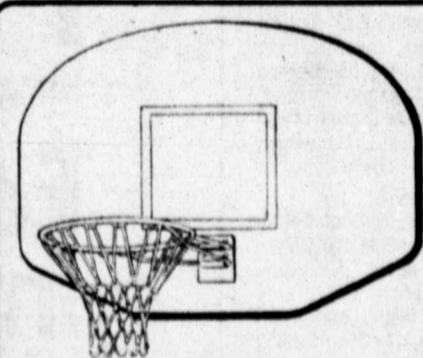
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**Q: Is it true that White House press secretary Jody Powell's wife once gave flying lessons to the editor of the Gainesville Times? — D.R.T., Athens, Ga.**

**A:** No, it was her dad who taught Sylvan Meyer to fly. Sylvan is the former editor of the Miami News, now editor and publisher of the slick magazine "Miami." Jody's wife, Nan, then a student, used to babysit the Meyer children while her dad was flying high. When we asked Mr. Meyer if he was disappointed about not being appointed to a seat (or the possible chairmanship) on the Civil Aeronautics Board by old friend Jimmy Carter, he responded: "That was an idea being pushed by a lot of local people here, but it never happened. Anyway, I have my hands full with Miami magazine. I have a tiger by the tail."

**Q: You recently mentioned Telly Savalas's daughters. What are their names and ages? — R. O'Connor, Asbury Park, N.J.**

**A:** Christina, 26, Penelope, 15, and Candace, 14.

**Q: That best-selling book, "The Last Best Hope," could you ask the author where he got the title? — L.C., Minneapolis.**

**A:** "Abraham Lincoln," answer Peter Tauber. "Abe coined the phrase in his second annual message to Congress in 1862." Tauber, who took six years to write this fat but meaty novel, reveals he staved off starvation during this payless period by working as a standup comic in such New York nightclubs as "The Bitter End." His routine had a little of the political punch of Mort Sahl and Shelley Berman, veterans of the same Village circuit. On Jimmy Carter, Peter commented: "He proves that the secret of getting elected is to speak so you are not understood." ... On Gerald Ford: "I knew what he was saying and didn't want it!" ... On Richard Nixon: "I thought he was a wholly literal man; I saw him as America's straight man. Today I look back at him as a cross between King Lear and Macbeth."

Washington: TV's Leslie Stahl (CBS's answer to Barbara Walters of ABC) and her husband, writer Aaron Latham, may have to sublease their luxurious condominium here or commute to

Manhattan, if the rumors are right that he'll join Clay Felker-owned-and-operated Esquire magazine ...

**Paris:** After the Concorde jet's first flight to Kennedy Airport, a crew member said the only thing dangerous about landing in New York was that, when they got back to France, all the hubcaps on jet's wheels were missing ...

**Concord, N.H.:** Students here are proud to learn that, back in 1787, a native named Levi Hutchens, rigged up the first alarm clock. It was a 29x14-inch timepiece which wasn't very practical. The alarm only rang at a specified time and there was no way to set, change or stop it.

**San Francisco:** Joe Thomas, general manager of the San Francisco 49ers, told a sportswriter that "the whole truth about what happened in Baltimore hasn't come out yet," but will when he writes a book. After he retires. "Then," Thomas says, "you'll find out the truth!" ...

**Hollywood:** A veteran actor tells us that when he first met John Wayne at the Republic Studios, the Duke's main job was classified as "utility man." Handling ash trays, moving chairs and tables, getting guns for the cowboys, etc.

**Rome:** The dead for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier was inspired by Victor Emmanuel II's tomb in Rome.

**New York:** Dong Kingman, the brilliant pint-size Chinese watercolor artist, has a giant-size assignment — to paint 54x6-foot mural for the new branch of the Lincoln Bank in Chinatown and Little Italy ...

**Sunrise, Fla.:** Sonny and Cher will be reunited here, reprising their act at Ben Segal's Sunrise Theater, Jan. 16-22 ...

**Princeton, N.J.:** This was Albert Einstein's description of success — "If A equals success, then the formula is A equals X plus Y plus Z. X is work, Y is play, Z is keeping your mouth shut!"

Send your questions to Hy Gardner, "Glad You Asked That," care of The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, P.O. Box 11748, Chicago, Ill., 60611. Marilyn and Hy Gardner will answer as many questions as they can in their column, but the volume of mail makes personal replies impossible.

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# Kennedy's China Trip Includes Relatives

By NICHOLAS DANILOFF

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Politics in the Kennedy clan traditionally is a family affair and Sen. Edward Kennedy's upcoming trip to China is no exception.

The Massachusetts Democrat leaves for Peking Saturday with nine members of the family in tow, including Caroline Kennedy, daughter of the late President John F. Kennedy.

Kennedy's office said while the senator is officially the guest of the People's Institute of Foreign Affairs, the Kennedy party will pay its own expenses. Jerome Cohen, associate dean of the Harvard Law School and a Kennedy adviser on China, also is traveling with the group.

The three-week trip to Asia, including one week in Japan, is more than just a Christmas season jaunt for Kennedy, a well-traveled lawmaker who has served in the Senate since 1962 when he was elected months after turning 30.

An influential member of the Senate, Kennedy has urged the Carter administration to shift China policy to improve diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Kennedy in August called for the United States to break official diplomatic ties with Taiwan and to move to full diplomatic relations with the People's Republic of China.

Kennedy's speech before the World Affairs Council in Boston was delicately timed, coming just a week before Secretary of State Cyrus Vance visited Peking in an effort to improve U.S.-China relations.

diplomatic ties with Taiwan before full diplomatic relations are established with the United States.

Diplomatic relations below the embassy level now exist between the two countries.

"Of major interest in China will be our respective views of the world and our domestic societies — and specifically how the United States can successfully normalize relations with the most populous and one of the most influential countries in the world," said Kennedy, who has received some 100 hours of briefings in preparation for the trip.

The United States "should move as quickly as possible toward normalized relations with the People's Republic of China," Kennedy said in an interview published Sunday in Parade magazine.

"We cannot conduct a realistic foreign

policy while failing to conduct normal relations with the most populous and one of the most important nations in the world."

Relatives going on the trip include: Caroline, Kennedy's wife Joan; his three children, Kara, 17, Edward, Jr., 16, and Patrick, 10; Mrs. Eunice Shriver; Patricia Lawford; Jean Smith; and Michael Kennedy, son of the late Robert Kennedy.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Court of Appeals is refusing to delay a Federal Communications Commission order cutting off sale of 23-channel citizen band radios on Jan. 1. The seven-month delay was requested by dealers, who have thousands of unsold 23-channel sets. The court ruled during the weekend.

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## Contraband Attracts Christmas Shoppers

By CAROL COOK

MEXICO CITY (UPI) — Frantic Mexican shoppers, desperate to find that perfect Christmas gift, have one place to go in Mexico City that Americans don't have — the smugglers' market.

The market, a long double row of open stalls a few blocks from the capital's main square, is a favorite shopping locale for Mexicans ranging from the humblest laborers to high society figures.

Every day of the week, city police are on the job sorting out the jam of cars pouring into the area — seemingly oblivious to the strictly illegal transactions going on half a block away where shoppers bargain for everything from American candy bars to Japanese television sets.

The government's regular anti-contraband campaigns and the sporadic police raids have not dampened sales, which get brisker with the approach of Christmas and King's Day on Jan. 6.

In November, hundreds of police swooped down on the market and confiscated more than \$1 million worth of transistor radios, electric shavers, liquor, toys and cigarettes. Within two hours, strolling musicians were playing in the streets to celebrate the reopening of the stalls.

The foreign merchandise is set out in orderly displays, along with domestic

goods, on tables that line both sides of Tenochtitlan Street, which is several blocks long and closed to traffic.

There are Dutch cheeses, French champagne, British-made butter in cans, Japanese smoked oysters, India madras shirts, American toys, Norwegian dried cod, foreign-made computers, digital watches, typewriters, shaving lotion and perfumes. At Christmas time, American-made Christmas tree lights are a favorite item.

Prices compare favorably with domestic products. Most of the stalls offer their wares at the same price, but bargaining is expected.

Despite the public nature of the smuggler's market, vendors are camera-shy and don't like to be questioned about their business. Photographers are warned not to take pictures and many stall owners turn away when they see a camera.

Most vendors aren't worried about authorities closing the market. One put it this way:

"The truth is we sell contraband because consumers want it. If local products were better quality, we'd have no business. And if the government wants to stop smuggling, they'll have to start with the customs inspectors. They're the ones that let it in."

## Scientists To Classify Chiron As 'Planetoid'

By DENNIS ESKOW

NEW YORK (AP) — What was thought to be the 10th planet in the solar system will soon be classified a planetoid and may be reclassified a comet when scientists are able to look at it more closely in the 1990s, astronomers say.

"Planetoid is the term they'll have to use, unless they want to make up an entirely new term," says Charles Kowal, the California Institute of Technology astronomer who discovered Chiron last month.

Too small to be called a planet, and far from the orbital track between Mars and Jupiter that is followed by most known planetoids, Kowal called it a "mini-planetoid."

Chiron is believed to be no more than 300 miles in diameter, about one-tenth the size of the smallest planet, Mercury. The "mini-planetoid" orbits the sun between Saturn and Uranus, the sixth and seventh planets from the sun.

Now Chiron appears to be presenting a new mystery.

"Chiron's orbit is much more elliptical than we at first believed," says Dr. Brian Marsden, director of the Central Bureau for Astronomical Telegrams in Cambridge, Mass. The bureau is part of the International Astronomical Union, which will have final say on the classification of Chiron.

Marsden, who has done computer studies of Chiron's travels going back 4,000 years and looking ahead for 5,000 years, says Chiron's orbit seems to be more elliptical than orbits of planets and planetoids, and closer in shape to the orbit of a comet.

"It would be a terribly unusual comet, very large and very close to the sun," Marsden acknowledges. "We've never looked at an object quite like this before."

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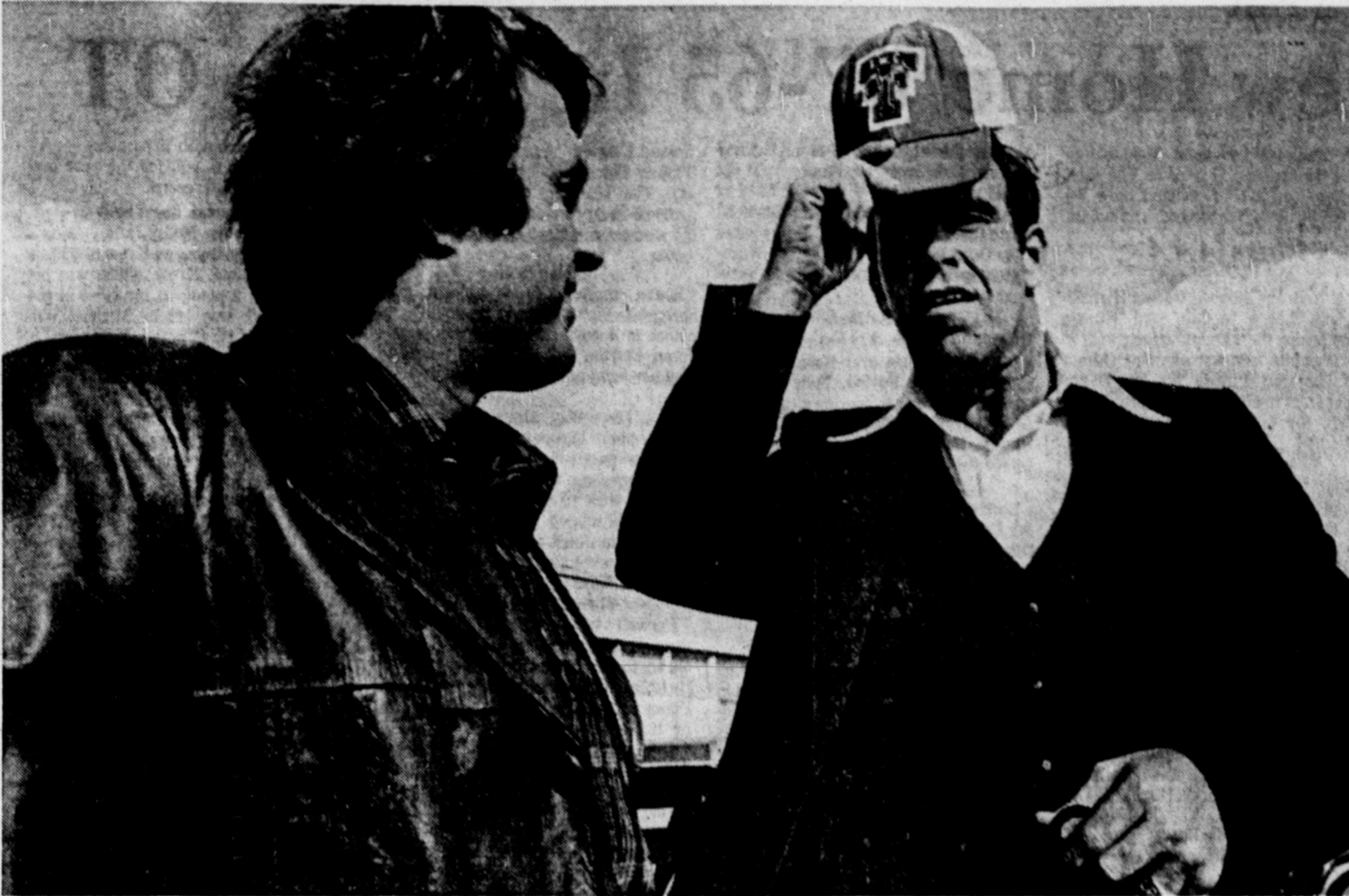
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# Defense Key To T-Bowl



ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Supercharged offenses are fine, but you've got to keep the other team from scoring more points than you do if you want to win, says Texas Tech Football Coach Steve Sloan.

That's why the team with the best defense will win the Tangerine Bowl matchup Friday night between two explosive offenses, Sloan's Red Raiders and the Florida State Seminoles, says the boyish, soft-spoken coach.

And FSU Coach Bobby Bowden agrees. "I'll go along with that," Bowden said as players from the two squads tested the T-Bowl turf and posed for pictures Tuesday.

"I've got it pegged as a low-scoring game," Bowden said. "I think we are going to have a tough time moving the ball and I hope we can stop them when we have to."

Sloan, who will take over at Mississippi after this game, returned Bowden's compliments of his team by saying that Florida State "has got a real good defense. They're especially quick. And the team that plays the best defense will win."

The 19th ranked Seminoles, 9-2 for the season, and the 7-4 Red Raiders will play before a crowd of more than 40,000 and a nationwide television audience on the Mizlou Network.

Most of the players agreed that the defenses would be the key factors in the outcome.

"They're wild," said FSU quarterback Wally Woodham, who passed for 1,270 yards during the season.

"They go to the ball well," he added. "They throw their bodies at you and cause a lot of fumbles... We'll just have to see what we can do best, but I expect we'll have a pretty well-balanced attack."

His counterpart from Tech, Rodney Allison, said FSU's defense was similar to that of Arkansas, which squeaked by Tech 17-14.

"They are real fast, and their secondary plays deep. They're tough," said Allison, who was out with a broken leg for much of the season but passed for 598 yards, completing 50 of 83 attempts.

Florida State's overall team speed is their best asset," said Red Raider fullback Billy Taylor, a hard-charging 216-pounder who rushed for 931 yards in the tough Southwest Conference.

"They pursue the ball well on the line and have small but tough linebackers," said Taylor.

NEWEST HEADGEAR — Bud Casey, who coached at Georgia Tech last fall, tries on a new Double-T cap, one he will be wearing in the future. Looking on is


Sam Robertson, left. The two are the first new coaches added to the football staff of Rex Dockery, and

both were here Tuesday after a week of recruiting for the Red Raiders. (Staff Photo by Norm Tindell)

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**Carter Cromwell**

**Mike Shumann Changes Ways**



ORLANDO, Fla. — Mike Shumann isn't the nose-constantly-to-the-grindstone type, but there's more than just a trace of seriousness about him that didn't exist before the spring of 1976.

In May of that year Shumann, on a lark, visited a friend's apartment where the latter was to sell an amount of cocaine to another person (not Shumann). But matters were complicated by a police raid during the transaction.

Shumann, a star Florida State wide receiver who had just been along for the ride, suddenly faced charges of conspiring to sell cocaine. Eventually, he was convicted of the lesser charge of cocaine possession, but he was placed on three year's probation and was booted off the football team—with loss of scholarship—by new FSU head coach Bobby Bowden.

Shumann, a highly undisciplined individual up to that point, was forced to stop and reflect seriously on matters in general. The result was a slow, probably sometimes painful, change in lifestyle and attitude.

That summer and fall, he worked as a landscaper and yardman and didn't re-enroll in school until the spring semester of 1977. Bowden, convinced the athlete had been punished enough, allowed Shumann to return to the team. Shumann had to futher prove himself, though, and wasn't put back on scholarship until this fall.

This season, after an inconsistent beginning, he began to regain his old form. He finished the regular season with 33 receptions, the second-highest total on the team for a club-leading total of 701 yards, 21.2 yards per catch and six touchdowns.

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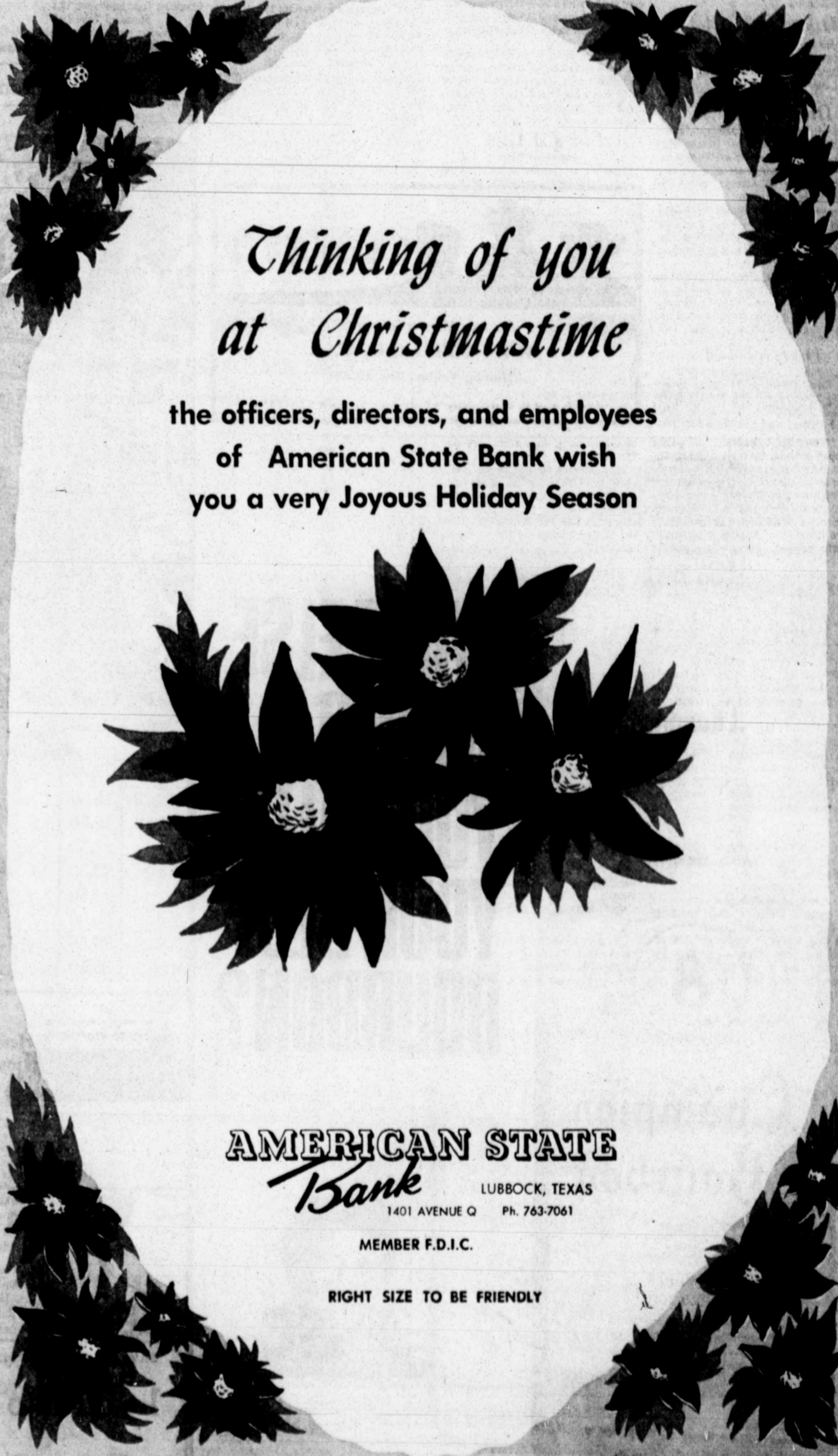
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# Ropes Topples New Home 67-65 In Double OT

Ropes boys nipped New Home 67-65 in double overtime Tuesday night in a key District 8-B contest.

Gary Means hit 28 points for the winners who ran their loop record to 2-0. New Home fell to 1-1. Marty McClintock scored 34 for New Home, now 9-6 for the year.

Ropes girls won 59-55 in another close district game. Glenda Stephenson had 26 points for the winners, and D.J. Hiracheta netted 26 for New Home.

Meadow boys grabbed a 66-45 decision over Whiteface. Morton Blair and Frankie Diaz led the winners with 16 each. Whiteface's Schon hit for 10 points. In district action, Meadow is now 1-1 and Whiteface is 0-2.

In the girls' game, Whiteface boosted its district mark to 2-0 with a 58-44 win. Ginger Penden led scoring with 29 points for Whiteface. Meadow's Mitzi Smith tallied 20 as her team dropped to 1-1 in district combat.

Southland boys waltzed to an 83-71 victory over Sundown as the team posted its 15th win of the season without a loss.

Perry Hill scored 21 points to lead the Southland effort. Sundown's Robert Smith tallied 30 points as his team dropped to 9-5 for the season.

In the girls' tilt, Sundown trounced Southland 83-55. Tammy Childs rolled for 47 points for Sundown and Southland's Stacy Rush posted 26.

Wilson and Smyer split district games, with Wilson taking the boys game 76-39 behind Mike Nettles' 22 points. Wilson is now 10-6, 1-1 and Smyer 0-2.

Smyer's girls won 52-43 despite Tracy Lee's 30 points. Smyer's girls are now 2-0 and Wilson 0-2.

### District 3-AAA

Snyder opened league play by nipping Sweetwater 46-43 behind Richard Willis' 16 points. Paul Layfield had 15 for the losers, now 9-8. Snyder is 11-9.

### District 5-AA

Ricky Rodriguez hit 19 points and Bobby Burkhalter added 18 as Denver City stunned Roosevelt 66-60 in the league opener. The Mustangs are now 8-5 and Roosevelt, led by Daren Mann's 21 points, fell to a 13-2 mark.

Jerome Whaley and Milton Smith split 28 points as Slaton opened loop play with a 65-60 win over Frenship. The Tigers are now 7-4. Doug Owens had 19 for Frenship.

Brad Shepard found the range for 18 points to guide Post to a 42-32 win over Cooper in a district opener. DeWayne Pounds scored 8 points for Cooper, which fell to 3-10 for the year. Post is 5-8.

### District 4-A

Crosbyton boys dropped Ralls 69-57, as Chad Davis tossed in 24 points in an opening district game. Rex Neitsch hit 17 for the Jackrabbits. The Ralls girls evened matters with a 68-50 verdict. Jes-

sica Wiley paced the team with 28 points. L'Rae Cornelius had 18 for Crosbyton.

The Spur girls notched their second loop win in as many tries in a 46-40 win over Lorenzo. Tanya Long tallied 17 in the winning effort while Kay Mankins canned 20 for Lorenzo as its record fell to 0-2 in district action.

The Lorenzo boys got a 27 point performance from Turner in 75-56 verdict over Spur. Alton Fisher finished the evening with 26 for Spur. Spur is 0-2 in district play while Lorenzo is 2-0.

New Deal girls romped to a 70-45 victory over Petersburg as sisters Shari and Vickie Teal topped scoring for New Deal. Shari hit for 33 and Vickie had 26. Petersburg's Lisa Brandon totaled 16 points.

In the boys' tilt, Petersburg won 49-37 over New Deal. Quinn Berry led scoring for Petersburg with 19, and New Deal's Tim Garland scored 16.

### District 7-A

Marvin Coleman tossed in 30 points in leading visiting Crowell to an 83-63 district win over Paducah. Stewart Burns and Larry Hickman had 15 each for the Dragons, now 13-3 for the year. Crowell girls prevailed 49-36, with Jody Graves scoring 19. Colleen Smith had 12 for Paducah, now 8-8 for the year.

### District 9-B

Sands ran its record to 19-1 by pounding Borden County 70-42 in the loop opener as all five starters—led by Martin Nichols' 22 points—scored in double figures.

Borden County, now 8-8, was led by Barry Smith with 16. Sands' girls ran their record to 19-2 with a 54-49 victory over Midland Lee's fens as Jill Floyd scored 26. Debbie McCalister had 18 for the losers, now 7-9.

In the first district contest of the season, Loop scored a 48-45 victory over Union in 9-B action. Loop's Darran Ancinec hit 14 points but Union's Les Wilkes garnered high point honors with 21. Loop boosted its season mark to 6-7.

### Class AAAA

Plainview Wins  
Plainview won for the second time this

year, whipping Levelland 69-60 behind Jamie McAlister's 17 points. The Bulldogs are now 2-11. Levelland, now 7-4, was led by Steve Yarborough's 16 points.

### Class AAA

Andrews Triumphs  
Host Andrews stopped Odessa High 79-62, with Lance McCain and Ronnie Hobbs pacing the winners' efforts with 26 and 22 points, respectively. For Odessa High, Lorenzo Pineda hit 22. Danny Wright 18 as the Bronchos' record dipped to 4-12 for the season. Andrews now stands 10-4.

Roosevelt Fems Triumph  
Roosevelt girls took the lead in the second quarter and held it the rest of the way in nipping Levelland 61-57. Debbie Parker had 33 points for Roosevelt, now 9-6. Betty Veretto led Levelland with 22.

### Class AA

Seagraves Fems Win  
Seagraves got 16 points from Marilyn Childers in whipping Morton 56-47 to run its record to 7-4. Eve Polvedo had 20 for the losers.

Tahoka, Idalou Split  
Tahoka's boys evened their record at 5-5 by tripping Idalou 48-40 as Alton Graves scored 12. Ricky Hobbs had 11 for Idalou, now 5-7. The Idalou fens won 65-33 as Arinda Speer scored 31. Sylvia Garcia led Tahoka with 15.

Olton Triumphs  
Olton Grabbed two victories from Floydada as the boys won 68-40 and the girls took a 50-48 decision.

Kelly Cox led the Olton boys with 17 points to lead his team to an 8-7 season mark. Floydada's Jackson hit 13.

In the girls' contest, Floydada's Curry led scoring with 22 points while Olton's Dusty Kinnison tallied 18.

Nazareth, 'Lopes Split  
Nazareth's girls blistered Abernathy 67-37 behind Cheryl Hartman's 33 points, but the Abernathy boys bounced back to claim a 39-35 victory.

Nazareth's girls are now 16-3. Abernathy's girls were led by Rhonda Irieck. H.C. Wins Pair  
Hale Center took a pair from Muleshoe.

winning the boys' tilt 56-46 as Rodney Keeton and Junior Ashmore split 32 points, and taking the girls outing 69-64 as Terri Henry had 32 and LouAnn Davis 26. The Owls are now 6-9 and the Owlettes 11-4. Dean Northcutt and Marcus Washington split 20 for Muleshoe and Suzie Durham had 26.

### Tulia, Bovina Split

Russell Webb scored 16 points in the Tulia boys' 63-40 win over Bovina. Ronnie Cary hit 20 for Bovina. Tulia boys are now 7-4 for the year. Bovina girls won 39-38 as Belinda Shelby scored 16 points. Rhonda Hale had 20 for Tulia girls, now 6-8 for the season.

### Lockney Wins Pair

Lockney topped Littlefield twice, with the Longhorn boys winning 65-58 behind Donny Clark's 19 points and the girls taking a 44-37 decision as Sheila Hrbacek tallied 32.

### Class A

#### Lazbuddie Heartbroken

Hart swept a pair of games over visiting Lazbuddie as the girls took a 62-44 win over and the boys a 53-50 decision. Leading the Hart fens (5-3) was Stacy Averitt with 25 points. Judy Lust hit 19 for Lazbuddie (4-7).

Leading the Hart boys was Glenn Black with 18 points, Charleson Steinback hit 10 for Lazbuddie. Hart stands 5-7 for the year, Lazbuddie 5-9.

### Stanton Splits

Bonnie Bloodworth tossed in 30 points as the Stanton girls bottled Crane 67-38 for their 14th win in 15 outings. Crane's boys won 62-56 to drop the hosts to an 8-4 mark. Both James Fort for Crane and Stanton's Todd Smith had 18.

Mustangs Take Two  
Shallowater's boys downed Anton 55-45

behind Kenneth Young's 19 points while Timmy Belcher collected 22 for the losers. The Mustangs also won the girls game 34-26 as Terri Stanton scored 25 for the winners and Martha Nichols hit 18 for Anton.

### Sudan Splits

Sudan captured a 62-43 win over Springlake-Earth behind Tamplin's 15 points in a boys tilt. Springlake-Earth's Susan Clayton rolled with 20 points to lead her team to a 43-28 decision over Sudan.

### Three Way, Ahmerst Split

A 27-point outpouring from Pryncc Parkman paced the Three Way girls to a 55-34 thrashing of Ahmerst. Terry responded with 16 for Ahmerst. The Ahmerst boys topped Three Way 60-48 behind Calvin Jones's 14 points. Ken Eubanks copped high point honors with 22 for Three Way.

### Farwell Edges Plains

Farwell boys, trailing host Plains through three quarters of play, pulled ahead to win 64-59. Farwell was led by Russ Jones's 24 points while the leading Plains scorer was Wayne Davis, who hit for 16.

The outcome left District 3-A Farwell with a 6-8 record on the year and Plains now has an 8-6 record.

The Farwell girls' team also dumped Plains Tuesday night, 49-35. The visiting team's leading scorer was Paula Christian, with 37 points. Sonny

Nance led Plains with 19 points. Farwell now is 3-10 for the year and Plains owns a 2-10 record.

### Whitharral, Kress Split

Whitharral boys, led by Jimmy Avery's 31 points, slipped passed Kress 61-55 in a nondistrict game. Kress, which was behind by only 2 points at the close of the third period, was led by Michael Williams who hit for 17 points. Whitharral is now 13-3, Kress 5-7.

The Kress girls' team came out better by nudging Whitharral 52-47. Kress' leading scorer was Dorita Hartman with 25 points. Kirsten Corkery put 17 points on the board for Whitharral, now 12-5. Kress has a 4-8 record.

### Class B

#### Grady Loses

Host Grandfalls-Royalty defeated Grady 51-47, with Alex Perez and Mitchell hitting 12 each for Grady. Grady girls won 74-31 as Welch scored 42 points.


#### Jayton Rolls

Gene Cleveland had 21 points and Harold Parker 16 as Jayton's boys whipped Old Glory 61-49, and then Danella Sartain tossed in 35 and teammates Brigitte Hamilton and Shelly Williams got 20 and 18, respectively, as the Lady Jays took a 78-47 decision.

Jayton's boys are 7-3 and the girls are 18-1. Old Glory was led by Johnny Barrer with 21 and Jami Pierce with 24.

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**Scorecard/Tuesday**

**COLLEGE BASKETBALL**

**EAST**

Baltimore 70, Elmira 59  
 CCNY 99, Pace 87  
 Duquesne 63, Penn St 55  
 Grambling 69, Robert Morris 61  
 Holy Cross 101, Harvard 72  
 Manhattan 103, Marist 66  
 New York Tech 85, Baruch 36  
 Seton Hall 101, Cal St-Bakersfield 94  
 Stony Brook 117, Lehman 71  
 Trenton 51 82, Ramapo 51 79  
 Wm. Paterson 82, Brooklyn Col 77

**SOUTH**

Athens 88, Illinois-West 58  
 Citadel 78, Canisius 72  
 Clemson 82, Catholic 58  
 Furman 92, Georgia 83  
 Greensboro 79, Francis Marion 73  
 Marshall 85, Morehead St 79, OT  
 Memphis 51 70, Mississippi 67  
 Old Dominion 116, Tulane 99  
 Southern 82, Florida A&M 80  
 SW Louisiana 84, Crighton 87  
 Va. Commonwealth 67, Samford 59  
 W Georgia 67, Ala-Huntsville 65

**MIDWEST**

Ashland 88, Oakland, Mich. 59  
 Ballentine 70, Youngstown St 63  
 Indiana St-Evansville 46, Roanoke 34  
 Northern at Valley City, ppd.  
 St. Thomas 60, Miami 57

**SOUTHWEST**

SMU 83, Ohio U 77  
 Texas 88, Oklahoma City 71

**FAR WEST**

Ambassador 67, Occidental 58  
 Arizona 92, E Michigan 78  
 Cal-Davis 85W Washington 65  
 Denver 81, Whittier 84  
 Fresno Pacific 67, US International 53  
 Montana Tech 70, Azusa Pacific 69  
 NW Nazarene 104, Warner Pacific 73  
 San Jose St 59, Iowa St 54  
 Stanford 86, Colorado St 73  
 Washington St 75, Pepperdine 62  
 Weber St 71, Utah 61

**TOURNAMENTS**

**Cool Sunshine Classic**  
 Adams St 81, E New Mexico 80, OT (champion-ship)  
 W New Mexico 98, Lubbock Christian 78 (consola-tion)

**Squire Classic**  
 Staten Island 81, Hunter 72

**Indiana Classic**  
 Indiana 89, Bowling Green 52  
 Alabama 61, Princeton 60

**Rebel Classic**  
 Iowa 92, Tennessee 86  
 Nevada Las Vegas 101, Northwestern 95

**HIGHLIGHTS**

**BOXING**

**MANILA, Philippines**—Iran has agreed to put up \$12 million for a Muhammad Ali-Ken Norton heavyweight championship fight in Tehran next September, said boxing sources here. However, the New York-based promoter who has Ali's agreement for such a fight said he knew nothing about it. Ali said last Thursday that he had signed for \$12 million to meet Norton for Top Rank, Inc. Bob Arum, president of Top Rank, Inc., said he had paid \$125,000 to sign Ali and that the fight would be held in a foreign country.

**HOCKEY**

**MONTREAL**—The National Hockey League confirmed that an eight-game exhibition series involving NHL teams and two club teams from Czechoslovakia—Kladno and Pardubice—will go on as scheduled. NHL President John Ziegler made the announcement long after the Czechoslovak Ice Hockey Federation (CIHF) announced in Prague that it would send its two teams to compete.

**SKIING**

**ALPE D'HUEZ, France**—Fabienne Serrat of France edged Lise-Marie Morerod of Switzerland by three-hundredths of second as she won an international giant slalom race counting for the European Cup. Serrat had a combine time for the two heats of 2:15.75. Americans Vicki Fleckenstein and Christin Cooper finished third and fourth respectively.

**SWIMMING**

**LOS ANGELES**—Marathon swimmer Lynn Cox of Los Alamitos, Calif., became the first person to swim the treacherous waters around Cape Point. The 26-year-old University of California-Santa Barbara student completed the 10-mile swim around the end of the 40-mile peninsula at the tip of South Africa where the Atlantic and Indian Oceans meet in 3 hours, 2 minutes.

**TENNIS**

**NEW YORK**—The West Side Tennis Club, which hosted the U.S. Open for the last time in 1977, has reached an agreement in principle with World Championship Tennis to stage a major tournament in 1978. Although the date and format of the tournament have yet to be determined, prize money would be "in excess of \$200,000." Lindley Hoffman, president of the WSTC said.

**HORSE RACING**

**SAN MATEO, Calif.**—Winston Peter, \$10.20, romped to a three-length victory over Three Bits in the feature at Bay Meadows.

**TRANSACTION FOOTBALL**

**KANSAS CITY CHIEFS**—Named Marv Levy as head football coach.

**SAN DIEGO CHARGERS**—Hired Tommy Prothro as head coach.

**HOCKEY**

**MONTREAL CANADIENS**—Sent Rod Schult, Mike Polich and Pat Hughes, forwards, to Nova Scotia of the American Hockey League.

**BASEBALL**

**MINNESOTA TWINS**—Named Cal Ermer, manager, of the Toledo Mud Hens of the International League.

**TORONTO BLUE JAYS**—Hired Wayne B. Morgan as a scout.

**COLLEGE**

**FLORIDA**—Named Steve Spurrier as offensive backfield coach.

**PRO GRID ODDS**

**RENO, Nev. (AP)**—Here are the odds for the National Football League playoff games from Harrah's Sportsbook:

**AFC**—Oakland 3 over Baltimore; Denver 2 over Pittsburgh  
**NFC**—Dallas 10 over Chicago; Los Angeles 8 over Minnesota

**WHA STANDINGS**

**WORLD HOCKEY ASSOCIATION**

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New England	20	8	3	43	127	98
Winnipeg	18	12	1	37	141	97
Quebec	16	10	1	33	126	109
Houston	13	13	2	28	103	110
Edmonton	13	15	86	27	106	113
Birmingham	11	15	2	24	93	102
Birmingham	11	15	2	24	93	102
Cincinnati	9	17	4	22	94	123
Indianapolis	9	17	4	22	94	123

**WNM Rips Chaparrals**

ALAMOSA, Colo. (Special) — Western New Mexico University rolled to an early lead and went on to drub Lubbock Christian College 98-78 in the third-place game of the Adams State Basketball Tournament Tuesday.

The Western team, which fell to Eastern New Mexico Monday night in the first round, built a 48-38 halftime lead and continued to increase its lead throughout the second 20 minutes.

Johnny Joe Marrejo paced Western with 16 points, with Jay Johnson and Tim Reese each tossing in 12 more. Dale Parker had 10 points.

However, Lubbock Christian's Lamar Sampedo drilled 10 of 15 field shots and made five of six from the line for 25 points, the most by a Chaparral this season. Lowell Walker of LCC grabbed a dozen rebounds as the Chaparrals out-rebounded their foes 37-26.

LCC will take a Christmas break following the tournament and its next game will be at Oklahoma Baptist University on Jan. 6.

**Matadors Zap MHS**

By JIM FERGUSON

Avalanche-Journal Sports Staff

J. J. Wood was the first to admit that he almost cost his Estacado Matadors a ball game Tuesday night.

With the Matadors leading Monterey by 11 points, the EHS head coach elected to go to the bench early in the second quarter and inserted his entire second team.

And it almost backfired.

The Plainsmen ended the second period by outscoring the Matadors 19-8 and tying the game 32-32.

"I thought maybe we could send in some fresh kids and wear them down some," Wood said, knowing that Monday night the Plainsmen had defeated Class AA power Morton in an overtime affair. "But it didn't work. It just wasn't very good strategy when you think about it."

After bringing the first team out of retirement, Wood's club jumped out to the lead with 4:30 remaining in the third quarter and then coasted on home for the 53-46 win over their cross-town rivals.

The win over the Plainsmen was the second straight of the season for the Matadors. It was also the second time—both this year—in the history of Estacado High that it has downed the Class AAAA foe.

Despite the faulty coaching tactics in the first half, Wood did make a major change in the second half that might have saved the day for the Matadors, who now sport the best win-loss record (14-1) in the city.

Plainsmen Tony Hamby, who hit 20 points in the first half—mostly for the 14-foot range—was limited to only two buckets during the second half. And Wood said it was the play of his "sagging defense" that put the stopper on the Monterey machine gunner.

"We had to keep the ball away from him (Hamby) in the second half, and we managed to do that by sagging our zone defense out everytime he got the ball," Wood explained.

While Hamby was having trouble finding the bucket, Estacado's Alvin Harris and Willie Powell were having field days. Harris, who worked the fast break to perfection, hit 14 points, as did Powell.

Monterey coach Joe Michalka said the win over Morton Monday night took a lot of the kick out of the Plainsmen.

"We just didn't have enough stamina to stay up with them," Michalka said. "At the end, we were just flat out of gas and didn't have any firepower left."

Due mainly to the pinpoint shooting of Hamby, the Plainsmen were able to stay within striking range of the Matadors. At one point in the second quarter, the MHS senior hit six straight buckets.

"Without Tony, we're nothing," Michalka said. "He is carrying his shooting load, his rebounding load and his leadership load."

In the second half, the Matadors took advantage of the Plainsmen's heavy feet and hit 21 points. Monterey countered with only 14. David Davidson had 6 of those points, while Hamby hit 4 points and Kevin Kirkman and David Key 2 points each.

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Montreal	20	7	4	44	138	81
Los Angeles	14	11	5	33	89	80
Detroit	10	6	4	25	95	110
Washington	5	20	5	15	63	116

**Adams Division**

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Buffalo	20	7	4	44	135	81
Boston	19	7	5	43	109	78
Toronto	19	6	4	42	130	76
Cleveland	10	18	3	23	79	116

**Campbell Conference**

**Patrick Division**

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	21	5	4	46	136	65
N.Y. Islanders	17	7	8	42	128	72
N.Y. Rangers	11	15	6	28	109	113
Atlanta	9	13	10	28	86	104

**Smythe Division**

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Vancouver	10	13	8	28	90	111
Chicago	9	13	10	28	79	90
Colorado	12	14	2	26	102	110
Minnesota	7	20	4	18	87	137
St. Louis	7	20	4	18	73	127

**Tuesday's Games**

New York Islanders 9, Colorado 1  
 Atlanta 2, Philadelphia 2 tie

**NBA STANDINGS**

**Eastern Conference**

**Atlantic Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	19	10	.655	—
New York	18	14	.563	1 1/2
Buffalo	13	15	.464	5 1/2
Boston	10	18	.357	8 1/2
New Jersey	9	23	.283	12 1/2

**Central Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Washington	17	12	.586	—
Cleveland	16	12	.571	1 1/2
San Antonio	16	14	.533	1 1/2
Atlanta	15	14	.517	2
New Orleans	12	18	.400	5 1/2
Houston	10	18	.357	8 1/2

**Western Conference**

**Midwest Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	18	11	.621	—
Denver	18	12	.600	1 1/2
Milwaukee	17	14	.548	2
Kansas City	12	17	.414	6
Golden State	11	18	.379	7
Detroit	11	17	.393	7 1/2

**Pacific Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Portland	18	10	.643	—
Phoenix	18	10	.643	—
Seattle	15	18	.455	11
Los Angeles	13	16	.443	11 1/2

**NBA SUMMARIES**

**PHOENIX 110, NEW YORK 99**

PHOENIX — Davis 6 7 9 18, Heard 3 4 4 10, Avery 2 0 0 4, Buse 2 2 4 6, Westphal 12 8 11 32, Perry 0 2 2 2, Scott 1 1 4 7, Forrest 1 0 0 2, Lee 4 5 14, Bratz 5 0 0 10, Adams 2 0 0 4, Totals 81 28 39 110.

**NEW YORK** — McMillan 2 1 1 5, Shelton 3 4 14, McAdoo 12 1 15 35, Clemons 5 0 0 10, Monroe 4 0 0 8, Hayward 2 3 7 7, Knight 3 0 0 6, Beard 2 3 7 7, Williams 0 0 0 0, Gondreck 1 0 0 2, Jackson 0 0 0 0, Totals 39 21 32 99.

Phoenix 28 24 22 36—110  
 New York 31 19 28 21—99

Fouled out—None. Total fouls—Phoenix, 21; New York, 25. A—13,848.

**BUFFALO 110, HOUSTON 104**

HOUSTON — Reid 4 2 10, D. Jones 8 1 1 17, Malone 4 7 11 15, Lucas 3 4 21, Murphy 10 1 21, Behagen 2 0 4, White 3 1 2 7, Kupec 0 2 2 2, Kunnert 3 1 2 7, Totals 43 18 25 104.

**BUFFALO** — Knight 6 15 16 27, W. Jones 4 0 0 8, Nater 2 1 2 5, Williams 5 2 2 12, Smith 10 3 3 22, McDaniel 10 6 7 24, Lloyd 0 0 2 0, McClain 2 1 2 5, Willoughby 1 0 0 2, Glenn 1 0 0 2, Totals 41 28 34 110.

**HOUSTON** — Johnson 5 2 11 11, Givens 4 0 0 8, Houston 2 6 21 21, Buffalo 26 24 21 27—110.

Fouled out—None. Total Fouls—Houston 27, Buffalo 19. A—4,080.

**CHICAGO 94, ATLANTA 86**

ATLANTA — Brown 2 3 7, Drew 6 1 3 13, Hawes 5 2 12, Hill 3 0 6, Robertson 0 0 0 0, Criss 10 4 24, Rollins 2 0 0 4, McMillen 0 1 2 2, Johnson 4 0 0 8, O. Johnson 5 0 0 10, Totals 37 12 17 86.

**CHICAGO** — M. Johnson 5 4 5 14, May 4 3 8 11, Gilmore 15 5 25, Holland 3 8 14, Van Lier 2 4 8 8, Weatherspoon 0 2 2, Mangel 0 0 4, Sheppard 1 2 4, Armstrong 1 0 0 2, Totals 33 28 34 94.

Atlanta 25 23 24 14—86  
 Chicago 25 27 21 29—94

Fouled out—Rollins, Total fouls—Atlanta 31, Chicago 21. Technical—Van Lier, A—4,131.

**NOTE**—Arts Gilmore blocked 11 shots and scored 35 points to lead Chicago.

**DETROIT 116, SAN ANTONIO 117**

DETROIT — Gerard 5 4 4 14, Shumate 10 4 4 24, Lanier 14 6 32, Monev 11 2 24, Ford 5 0 0 10, Skinner 1 2 2 4, Douglas 3 2 5 8, Carr 1 0 0 2, Eberhard 0 0 0 0, Totals 50 18 25 116.

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San Antonio 34 26 32 26—117  
 Detroit 30 27 26 27—116

Fouled out—Detroit: Ford, Skinner, Total fouls—Detroit 27, San Antonio 20. A—8,107.

**LOS ANGELES 120, WASHINGTON 115**

WASHINGTON — Dandridge 6 0 12, Hayes 7 7 9 21, Unsel 2 0 0 4, Chenier 9 0 1 18, Henderson 1 0 0 2, Kueback 8 2 12, Wright 7 3 17, Greyey 4 0 0 8, Ballard 5 0 1 10, Totals 49 17 27 115.

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Total fouls—Washington 25, Los Angeles 30. Technical—Washington Coach Motta, A—11,475.

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Denver 20 30 32 16—88  
 Seattle 21 26 25 21—83

Fouled out—None. Total fouls—Denver 26, Seattle 28. A—11,825.

**Western New Mexico**

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**BUFFALO** — Knight

## Carter Cromwell

(From Page One)

"but I think a lot more about things now before I do them. I was a whole lot more carefree before, but I matured about five years' worth in the first six months after it happened."

"It's really helped me in life, and it's made me a more serious football player. I realized that playing football well is a talent I have and that I should use it."

Why come back in the first place? Why not get far away and make a new start?

"Well, you don't always realize what you've got until it's taken away from you," he said. "College athletes are so sheltered that many don't realize how much they have. I wanted to play football again, and I wanted to come back and clear my slate here in Tallahassee."

"I was a victim of circumstance, but that's life. I can't quit because of it. It's been a learning experience."

Actually, Shumann had previously indicated his strong desire to play football. In the spring of 1975, he jumped into a swimming hole and landed on a small underwater stump, severely damaging his rectal muscles.

That spring, with his bodily controls greatly limited, he often had to leave practice and empty his football pants of blood and excrement. The problem is now solved, to a great extent, but this experience has combined with the drug bust and its aftermath to effect the great change.

THE YEAR'S LAYOFF at first made a difference in his play this season, but he began to come on after the Oklahoma State contest, the fourth of the year.

"It took a while to get my timing back," he said. "Doing it in practice is one thing, but the games are entirely different. After the OSU game, (FSU leading receiver Roger) Overby did well, and they made him the starting split and moved me to flanker."

"Roger's example really helped me. He had been third string and had almost quit in the spring, but he made it all the way back. I figured that, if he could, so could I."

Shumann believes he's now at the level efficiency that he had by the end of his junior year, in which he had recovered well enough from his injury to catch 33 passes.

Florida State's success — a 9-2 record and a Tangerine Bowl berth — has surprised Shumann.

"I swear, there's no way I had any inkling of this. But our defense helped us in the first five games or so, before the offense started coming along. We've been scrappy, too, and won some games in the last quarter."

"That Florida win (37-9) was the greatest of my career. They're our biggest rival. The season has been great for me, especially, because the first three teams I was on went 0-11, 1-10 and 3-8."

So what lies in the future? Two more years of probation, for one thing — "but the judge withheld judgement of guilt in my case, so he'll wipe it off my record when the probation is up."

What else is problematical now. But, whatever it is, the betting is that Mike Shumann will handle it.

## Mosser, Free Shots Spark

### CTK Waltzes

Carrie Mosser popped in 15 of her game-high 23 points in the first quarter as Christ The King's girls routed McAdoo 69-40 Tuesday night.

The Trojans, hitting 27 of 38 free shots, came back to make it a clean sweep by tking the boys tilt 60-38.

Miss Mosser hit 11 of 20 field goals and was aided by Shannon Washburn, who hit 11 of 23 efforts from the floor. Annette Welsh added 10 points for the victors, now 10-6.

CTK's boys only hit 21 of 61 from the floor, with Jimmy Durham getting 17 points, and Randy Kitten 13, including nine of 13 from the line.

The Trojans led only 26-16 at intermission, but blew it open by outscoring the Eagles 22-7 in the third period.

CTK is now 8-4.

**CTK BOYS' 8, McADOO 38**  
McAdoo — Osuna 2-0-4, Moore 2-3-7, Young 0-2-2, Harris 1-0-2, Curry 0-3-3, Hamilton 1-2-4, M. Hamilton 1-1-2, Ewell 3-0-4, Tillman 3-1-7, Totals 13-12-38.  
CTK — Durham 8-1-17, Connors 2-3-7, Stynn 2-5-9, Washburn 1-0-2, Conover 1-7-9, Wood 2-0-4, Kitten 2-9-13, Stewart 1-2-4, Yates 2-0-4, Totals 21-27-69.  
McAdoo — 10 6 7 15 — 38  
Christ The King 12 14 22 21 — 69  
Total fouls—McAdoo 25, CTK 20. Fouled out—Tillman.

**CTK GIRLS' 49, McADOO 46**  
McAdoo — Tullen 6-5-17, Shaw 5-5-15, Peride 3-2-8, Totals 14-12-40.  
CTK — Mosser 11-1-23, Opperman 2-2-4, Washburn 11-0-22, Giovannetti 1-0-2, Walsh 2-4-10, Schmidt 3-0-6, Total 31-47-89.  
McAdoo — 8 12 8 7 — 40  
Christ The King 25 12 24 8 — 69  
Total fouls—McAdoo 10, CTK 18.

**VEECK HAS SURGERY**  
CHICAGO (UPI)—Chicago White Sox owner Bill Veck underwent abdominal surgery at Illinois Masonic Hospital Monday and will be home by Christmas, his doctor said. Veck, 63, would not disclose the exact nature of the surgery but his wife, Mary Frances, described it as "repair work."

## UN-LV Withstands Upset Bid

By The Associated Press

Ninth-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas needed a three-point play by reserve forward Gerald Sims with 44 seconds remaining Tuesday to escape Northwestern's upset bid in the opening round of the Rebel Roundup college basketball tournament.

Trailing by as much as 14 points in the first half Tuesday night, the Rebels overcame a 37-point effort by Northwestern's Tony Allen to run its record to 10-0 and post its 68th consecutive home court victory 101-95. Tony Smith had 26 points for the Rebels while Reggie Theus added 22.

"We fought all the way coming back," said Rebels Coach Jerry Tarkanian. "They forced us into too many early turnovers. But we came back and played our style of basketball."

Ronnie Lester scored 21 points and handed out 11 assists as Iowa defeated Tennessee 92-86 in the first game of the four-team tourney at Las Vegas.

The only member of The Associated Press' Top Twenty to stumble was 17th-ranked Utah, which fell to Weber State 71-61. Four players, led by Ben How-

land's 17 points, scored in double figures for Weber, now 6-1.

No. 18 Alabama came from behind to nip Princeton 61-60 in the Indiana Classic. Host Indiana captured the opener, defeating Bowling Green 89-52.

"We said going in Princeton would be a very difficult team to prepare for," said Alabama Coach C.M. Newton. "Sometimes people think you're not telling it like it is, but we were."

Sophomore guard Kent Lonney scored 18 points to pace Alabama. But it was two free throws by Reginald King with 1:43 remaining that gave the Crimson Tide the lead and a two-pointer by guard Anthony Murray with 50 seconds left to seal the victory.

"We continue to play hard and well but we were not lucky," said Princeton Coach Pete Carril. "We've lost four games by a combined total of nine points. We could easily be 7-0."

A balanced Kansas attack, led by forward John Douglass' 15 points, led the 16th-ranked Jayhawks to a 91-73 rout of Oral Roberts. Unbeaten Holy Cross, ranked 13th, breezed to a 101-72 victory over Harvard behind a 22-point performance by Ronnie Perry.

**TRAVERS SURGERY**  
MILWAUKEE (AP)—Left-handed pitcher Bill Travers will undergo surgery in Los Angeles Dec. 30, the Milwaukee Brewers announced Tuesday.

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## Frenship Girls

### Trip Coronado

WOLFFORTH (Special)—Tonya Ivy's 33 points boosted Frenship girls past Coronado 63-40 here Tuesday.

A close contest until the end of the first quarter, Frenship pulled ahead with 20 points in the second quarter while holding Coronado to only 5. Frenship's Vanessa Parker tallied 12 of those 20 points and Ivy added the other 8.

The two teams battled to a nearly even in the second half. Frenship is now 9-5 for the season while Coronado came out of the contest 8-5.

Parker trailed Ivy in total points with 18, as the two players accounted for most of the scoring for Frenship. Kathy Wyatt topped the losers with 17 and Dona Boyd hit 13 points.

**FRENSHIP GIRLS' 63, CORONADO 40**  
FHS — Parker 8-2-18, Ivy 12-9-33, Patterson 1-2-4, Madison 1-5, Calvin 1-3, Totals 23-17-63.  
CHS — Travis 3-0-6, Wyatt 5-7-17, Daniel 1-0-2, Boyd 6-1-13, Jackson 1-0-2, Totals 16-8-40.  
Coronado — 10 5 14 11 — 40  
Frenship — 14 20 18 11 — 63

## Nicholas Top Fem Canadian

By The Associated Press

Cindy Nicholas, who became the first woman to swim the English Channel both ways non-stop and then complained because she missed a one-way record by a couple of minutes, is Canada's female athlete of the year for 1977.

The 20-year-old Toronto student, already planning another attack on the record that eluded her, was a clear choice in the annual year-end poll conducted by The Canadian Press.

Second was Sylvia Burka of Winnipeg, winner of the world sprint speed skating championship, and third was skier Kathy Kreiner of Timmins, Ont., who placed fifth in World Cup giant slalom racing.

Kreiner was the 1976 winner of the poll after capturing a gold medal in the giant slalom at the Innsbruck Winter Olympics.

More than 100 sports writers and sportscasters participated in the annual poll first held in 1933, and 43 picked Nicholas first, 16 second and four third. Based on a 3-2-1 valuation, that gave her 165 points.

Nicholas was the first distance swimmer to win the athlete of the year nomination since Marilyn Bell of Toronto in 1954 and 1955.

She first made a splash in the international marathon scene in 1974 when she broke Bell's record by swimming Lake Ontario in 15 hours, 15 minutes.

A year later she broke the France-to-England record.

## Monterey Girls Nip Dimmitt

Marilyn Beckner scored 20 of her 32 points in the last half to lead Monterey to a come-from-behind 53-51 victory over Dimmitt's girls at the MHS gym Tuesday night.

Monterey, now 9-3, took the lead for the first time with just over two minutes to play. Miss Beckner had eight rebounds and two assists, but Jana Field, Rhonda Dunn and Barbara Ragus sparked at the defensive end.

Vicki Cleveland had 20 points, Joan Dyer 16 and Erin Sandoval 13 for Dimmitt, now 7-7.

Margaret Grennell chipped in 11 for the victors.

Dimmitt took the JV contest 47-37.

**MONTEREY GIRLS' 53, DIMMITT 51**  
CHS — Cleveland 8-4-20, Dyer 4-16, Sandoval 3-0-13, Merritt 1-0-2, Totals 20-11-51.  
MHS — Beckner 14-4-32, Grennell 5-1-11, Davis 3-0-6, Crow 2-0-4, Totals 24-5-53.  
Dimmitt — 19 11 10 11 — 51  
Monterey — 14 7 14 18 — 53  
Total fouls—MHS 20, DHS 15. Fouled out—Field, MHS, Dyer, Dimmitt.

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# Borger Blisters Ponies

By TOM HALLIBURTON  
Avalanche-Journal Sports Staff

Borger and Coronado's basketball game probably contained as little excitement as a farmers' strike. Come to think of it, maybe less.

Speaking of a strike, that's what Coronado's scorers did for the game's first five minutes. The Mustang shooters went on strike and the damage proved costly. After Coronado missed its first 11 field-goal attempts and trailed 12-0, the taller Borger visitors coasted in for a 71-53 victory Tuesday night in the Mustang gym.

"That's been one of our problems. We can't shoot the ball very well," said a disappointed CHS coach Jimmy Fullerton, whose team now owns a 3-11 record.

This is the same coach who forecasted in the preseason that his team's outside game would help to upgrade his inside game this year. "From 15 feet out, I think this club can shoot as well as that district championship team did two years ago," Fullerton had stated.

On this cold night, the Mustangs nearly matched the thermometer by shooting a frosty 36 percent from the field (22 of 61), including that cold 0-for-11 beginning. Meanwhile, winning coach Duane Hunt wasn't ready for any Christmas parties either. His Bulldogs (9-3) won the game but committed more turnovers than their opponents.

"We made a bunch of mistakes we need to iron out," said the Borger coach. "We didn't play very smart at times. Our

shot selection wasn't very good."

But the Borger team had a few shooters who didn't go on strike. Tom Perry, a red-haired 6-6 postman, hit 10 of 14 baskets, scored 21 points and dominated the boards which Borger also won by a 37-28 margin.

Perry twisted his right ankle late in the fourth quarter but stayed around much too long for Coronado. Perry, who has averaged more than 22 points a game for Borger, is the only returning regular from last year's Class AAA finalist team.

"He's been the key to our team so far. We had three 6-4 boys who moved out of the front since school started. One went to Stillwater (Okla.) and the other two went to Phillips (Okla.). So we've had to take advantage of what we can do, but the kids are stepping in and doing a good job," coach Hunt said.

After Coronado shooters warmed up in the second quarter and kept the score close for a half, Borger settled the matter late in the third quarter with 7 straight points to command a 45-34 cushion with 1:18 left in the third quarter. During this stretch, CHS went on strike again from the field (0 for 7) while Borger sank eight of 13 buckets in the third period.

Borger continued that hot shooting in the final stanza with 10 of 13 field shots. Slick guard Steve Kaiter paved the way in the fourth quarter with two of four from the field and four of four from the line. Meanwhile, the Mustangs never nudged closer than 11 of points from the

lead in the final period as Fullerton employed several reserves in search of the

right combination.

Gary Johnstone of Borger followed Perry in the scoring column with 16 and Kaiter added 13. Mike Higgins, who sparked Coronado's first-half scoring, finished with 15 points followed by Jay Norton with 14 and Brent Royce with 12. Norton sank six of 10 field shots in the last half but went scoreless in the first two periods.

Coronado returns to action in the opening round of the Caprock tournament against Estacado next Tuesday.

**BORGER 71, CORONADO 53**  
Borger — Kaiter 3-7-13, Perry 10-1-21, Jackson 3-0-8, Johnstone 5-6-16, Quiby 3-0-6, Zink 3-1-7, Gibson 1-0-2, Totals 28-15-71.  
Coronado — Shockley 6-0-6, Ahlenius 6-1-7, Norton 6-2-14, Royce 6-0-12, Higgins 6-3-15, Reed 6-2-2, Biddle 1-1-3, Wells 2-0-4, Tate 1-0-2, Totals 27-9-53.  
Borger: 14 16 17 24 — 71  
Coronado: 8 18 12 17 — 53  
Total fouls: B 15, C 22. Fouled out: Royce.

## Florida Selects

### Spurrier As Aide

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Steve Spurrier, a 10-year quarterback with San Francisco and Tampa Bay, has been named offensive backfield coach for the University of Florida football team.

"We are excited Steve has decided to come into college coaching," Coach Doug Dickey said Tuesday.



AND A SECOND ONE — Steve Ahlenius grabs a second rebound against Borger during a 71-53 Coronado loss Tuesday night. (Staff Photo by Milton Adams)



REBOUND FOR AHLENIUS — Coronado's Steve Ahlenius grabs a rebound against Borger Tuesday night during 71-53 Bulldog victory. (Staff Photo by Milton Adams)



HEY, THERE! — Borger's Ronnie Gibson appears to be yelling in the ear of Coronado's John Biddle Tuesday night. (Staff Photo by Milton Adams)

# FSU Finds Key To Ground Game

By CARTER CROMWELL  
Avalanche-Journal Sports Staff

Larry Key rushed for 1117 yards during the '77 regular season, more than half again as many he had gained in any previous campaign. The main reason, he figures, is quite simple.

"I've gotten the ball a lot more this year," the 5-10, 180-pound senior said. The statistics bear him out.

## Allison Headed For Canada?

Texas Tech quarterback Rodney Allison is reported ready to sign a three-year professional contract with the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League following the Raiders' Tangerine Bowl game here Friday night. The Avalanche-Journal has learned.

Allison, a Heisman Trophy candidate before the 1977 season began, has had a subpar year because of a cracked bone he sustained in his left leg during the third game of the year against Texas A&M. He has started the last four Raider games but hasn't been at full speed because of the injury.

The salary considerations of the contract have not been revealed.

Two Tech products are currently in the CFL. Ecomet Burley, an ex-all-SWC performer for the Raiders, has played defensive end for Toronto the past two seasons. Quarterback Joe Barnes, an all-SWC choice in 1973, has been with the Montreal Alouettes the last two years, although his 1977 season was cut short by a shoulder separation. —CARTER CROMWELL

The most carries Key had in any previous season was 144 in 1976. He had 386 rushes in his first three seasons. This year, however, he's carried the ball 239 times, and his yardage figure took a significant jump.

In seasons past, Key rushed for 602, 522 and 712 yards, averaging 4.9, 4.4 and 4.9 yards per carry, respectively. This season, the yardage total exceeded by 505 his earlier high. However, his average was 4.7, quite similar to his averages in past years and further indicating the value of the extra carries.

"I think if I can get the ball, I can gain the yards," Key said, via telephone this week, matter-of-factly. "I had never had the ball a whole lot before. Our offensive line has really helped this year, too. It was really young at the start, but it really jelled and came on strong."

Second-year head coach Bobby Bowden concurred with Key's theory.

"We've gone to him a lot more this year, and he's done a fine job for us. We used the veer offense last season, but we switched to the 'I' this year because our quarterbacks don't really run well enough for the veer. In the 'I' of course, the tailback is your main runner."

Key's emergence as a top-flight performer—he finished second in the nation in all-purpose running in addition to his rushing total—hasn't surprised Bowden.

"He started for three years before this, and he played well for me last year. He had a good spring and a good fall, so I'm not surprised at the season he's had. He's the finest little runner I've coached."

Key, who holds every Florida State individual rushing record, has the quickness one would expect of an outstanding runningback, but his strength is somewhat surprising and, obviously, a fine asset.

At 180 pounds, he can bench-press 365 pounds and is "the strongest player on the team for his size," Bowden said.

Texas Tech aide Romeo Crennel, who

got an eyeful of Key while breaking down films of FSU's 1977 contests, is impressed.

"He's quick, fast and tough. He forces people to have a lot of missed tackles because of his quickness and strength."

"Even though they have good quarterbacks and receivers, he's the main man of their offense. He makes things happen. If you stop him, you have a good chance of controlling their offense."

Florida State has a very good passing game—it ranks 10th in the nation in passing with 224.2 per-game average and a 54.5 percent completion rate—but Key has had a hand in that. His running keeps the opposing defense from concentrating solely on the pass.

Of course, it works the other way, too. The success of FSU's passing attack means that opponents can't stack their defenses to stop key alone. Key, who has gained more than 100 yards in each of his last five games, has caught 22 passes this season for 245 yards and one touchdown.

He is the team's third-leading receiver.

Florida State's success this season—a 9-2 mark, the No. 20 national ranking by Associated Press and the Tangerine Bowl berth—hasn't surprised Key.

"It may seem strange, but I never anticipate losing a game," he said. "I've always had confidence in this team. You have to go all the way back to spring training. You could feel then that we were getting everything together."

"I think Coach Bowden has been a real big factor for us. He's made us a much closer unit than we were before."

In the three seasons immediately before Bowden's arrival in 1976, the Seminoles posted 9-11, 1-10 and 3-8 marks. Bowden's first team won its last three games to finish 5-6, setting up the 1977 show.

Key, of course, hopes to stage a rousing closing act.

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## Texas Sports Briefs

### Tom Landry

DALLAS (AP) — In 1975 when Dallas had a choice between Walter Payton and Randy White, the Cowboys chose "The Manster." Tom Landry isn't sorry.

Landry, the Cowboy coach of 17 years, acknowledges Chicago's Payton as the best runningback in the National Football League. But he also feels White, half-man and half-monster as Charlie Waters once described him, has the chance to be another Bob Lilly.

Dallas figured White, an Outland Trophy winner from Maryland, to be a Dick Butkus type middle linebacker—large with tremendous speed.

But the computer blew a fuse. White was a lineman in college and lacked the experience to get the knack of linebacker in the complex Cowboy "flex" defense.

Dallas moved White to right tackle this year and he has been a terror alongside end Harvey Martin.

Lilly was Dallas' perennial all-pro and when he retired Landry said "There never will be another Lilly."

Now, Landry says there's a chance. "Randy has Lilly-type potential," said Landry Tuesday. "He (White) has such great movement. That's the big thing Bob had. And Randy has great determination."

"There is no such thing as a down game for him. He probably has more speed than Bob had. Now, Bob was really strong but Randy can just about equal him there."

Lilly was famous for lifting a small sports car during his All-American days at Texas Christian.

White is the strongest of the Cowboys and can bench press 350 pounds.

"I hope White will be another Lilly... if there's one chance it will be Randy White," said Landry.

Landry praised Payton and said the Cowboys would have to "slow him down" to win Monday's National Conference first round game against the Bears in Texas Stadium.

Asked if there was any particular stress area for the Cowboys when Payton got the ball, Landry answered "Yeh, there's pressure on all 11 men."

Payton, nursing an ankle injury, gained only 41 yards when Dallas beat Chicago 31-21 last year.

Landry said "Nothing is going to stop Payton but a frozen field like it did in the (New York) Giants game last week."

"They have a good offensive line, too. They have to be good for a runner to gain 1,800 yards."

That's where Landry hopes White comes in—often.

### SWT Suspension

AUSTIN (AP) — The Lone Star Conference has leveled a one-year suspension against the Southwest Texas State University basketball program after determining that the school was guilty of recruiting violations.

SWT officials, noting that they presented the possibility of infractions to the LSC, expressed disappointment with the penalty, imposed Tuesday at a LSC meeting.

"I don't feel like the penalty is in line with past penalties in this conference for similar infractions," said SWT Athletic Director Bill Miller.

As part of the penalty, the school will be ineligible to win the 1977-78 conference basketball championship or represent the school in post-season play.

The penalty was imposed because the school had provided "valuable inducement" to prospective student-athletes, LSC president Elton Chaney of Stephen F. Austin said.

Dr. Allan Watson, vice president for university affairs, said the basketball program was penalized because more than one paid visit to the campus was provided for two student athletes. The LSC agreed that the athletes would retain their eligibility if the cost of the trips is repaid by the time SWT plays again on Jan. 3.

"As soon as the incident came to our attention, we initiated our own investigation and voluntarily reported our findings to the LSC," Watson said. "We are convinced the violations were inadvertent."

Both Miller and Watson expressed confidence in Coach Dan Wall, who has guided the team to a 6-2 season this year.

Under terms of the penalty, the school will be allowed to play in the LSC post-season championship tournament, but cannot win the title or go to the NAAIA playoffs.

The top two teams in the LSC advance to the NAAIA District 4 playoffs. Games played against SWT will count in the LSC standings.

Wall, in his first year at the San Marcos school, said: "We are going to play like we are playing for the LSC title... this is just a temporary roadblock we will overcome."

### Bluebonnet

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Bluebonnet Bowl goal for Southern California, as Coach John Robinson sees it, is to whiz the football through the Astrodome atmosphere and halt Texas A&M's dashes over the artificial grasses.

For the Aggie defense is not what it once was and is susceptible to aerial attack. On the other hand, the A&M offense is a speedy triple combination, Robinson said.

The New Year's Eve meeting at the Houston Astrodome will be the second post-season tangle for the two teams in recent years. USC won their 1975 Liberty Bowl encounter 20-0.

The 17th-rated Aggies, 8-3, "have a better offense than the '75 team but not as good a defense," Robinson told reporters Tuesday.

"They play a kind of a wild defense. They come after you and it's feast or

### Bobcats Drop LHS 47-43

DIMMITT (Special) — Dimmitt Bobcats capitalized on fouls in the last minutes of the game to win 47-43 over Lubbock High.

Tuesday's contest was a warmup for when the two teams meet again next Tuesday in the first round of the Caprock Tournament.

Dimmitt was ahead 39-31 in the fourth quarter when the Westerners rallied, and with 1:41 remaining, went ahead 43-42. Dimmitt's Thompson Mayberry hit two free throws to knot the score at 43.

It was Thompson at the free throw line again when the Bobcats went ahead to stay as Mayberry hit two charity shots in the last 10 seconds.

Dimmitt had three players in double figures — Mark Summers with 13, Jim Bradford with 12 and Mayberry with 10.

DIMMITT 47, LUBBOCK HIGH 43  
DHS—Rawls 2-4, Bradford 4-12, Bell 2-0-4, Veals 1-2-2, Summers 5-13, Thompson Mayberry 2-6-10, Langford 0-2-2, totals 16-15-47.  
LHS—Mitchell 5-9-10, Del Busto 2-4, Williams 3-1-2, Mallica 0-2-2, Garcia 1-4-4, Jenkins 4-2-10, Johnson 1-0-2, totals 16-11-43.

Lubbock High 11 12 8 12 = 43  
Total fouls—DHS 18, LHS 23. Fouled out — Garcia.  
JV score—Dimmitt 30, Lubbock High 21

### Chiefs Land Canadian Coach

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Marv Levy, whose Montreal Alouettes this year enjoyed their finest season ever, became head coach Tuesday of the Kansas City Chiefs, who just suffered through their worst.

"I know there are quite a few areas where they have to improve," said Levy, a silver-haired George Allen protege. "I would hope the talent is better than 2-12."

The Chiefs' 2-12 finish tied Tampa Bay for the worst record in the National Football League while the Alouettes, which Levy guided the past five seasons, finished 11-5 and won the Canadian Football League's Grey Cup.

Chiefs owner Lamar Hunt, who fired interim head coach Tom Bettis and all six of his assistants Monday, said the search for a new man ended much quicker than he had anticipated.

"There were several other NFL clubs interested in Marv," Hunt said. "Marv brings with him a record of proven success in pro football. I'm convinced he will be innovative, hard-working and demanding. He wanted this job and our analysis showed him to be the man we wanted as head coach of the Chiefs."

Levy signed a five-year contract for undisclosed terms.

Levy was graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Coe College in Iowa in 1953 and served as head coach at New Mexico, California-Berkeley and William & Mary before moving to the NFL as a Philadelphia assistant in 1969.

"At that time my only goal was to do the best possible job I could as an assistant," he said at an introductory news conference in Kansas City Tuesday. "But along the way I thought I'd like to be a head coach in the NFL someday. If you're going to be a head coach this is where to be."

Levy, 51, served as an assistant to Allen at Los Angeles and Washington before moving to the Alouettes, who for years had been CFL also-rans. His five-year record at Montreal was 50-34-4, including five straight playoff appearances and two

Grey Cup titles.

"Marv has a history of taking tough jobs and making them a success," Hunt said. "And we have no illusions about the task we've asked him to do. The National Football League is a tough, competitive league."

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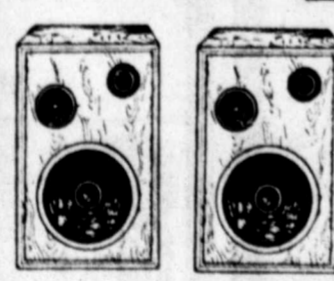
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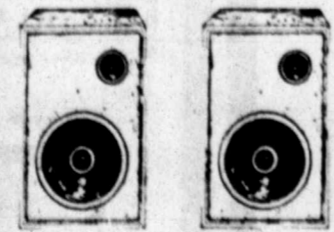
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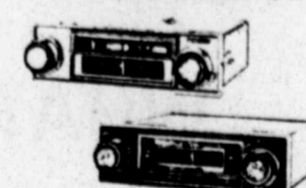


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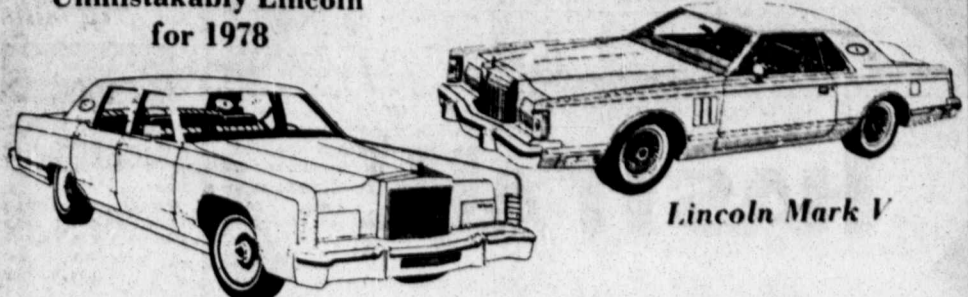
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\*Nico Holland

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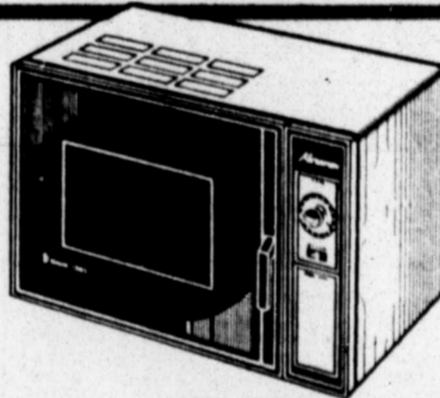
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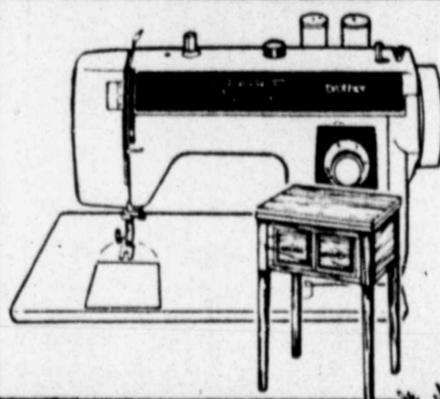
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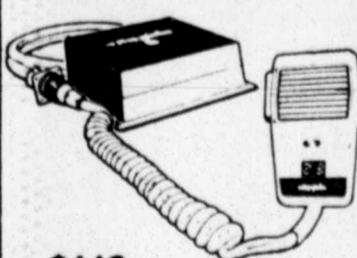
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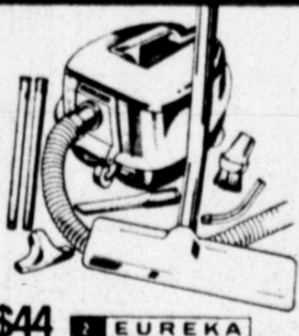
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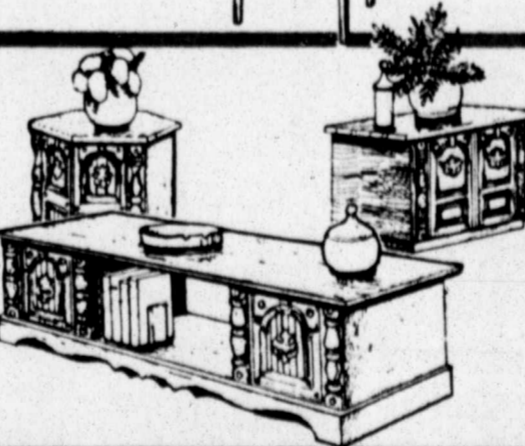
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# STOCK MARKET'S STOCK PRICES

## Stock Mart Reverses Decline

**NEW YORK (AP)**—The stock market advanced broadly today, reversing the decline of the last four sessions.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials, down 16.66 points in the past four trading days, recovered 3.90 to 810.12 by noon today.

Gainers held a 3-2 lead over losers among New York Stock Exchange-listed issues.

Analysts noted encouragement over a steady showing by the dollar against major foreign currencies today after its recent slide.

Another apparent plus came in indications that the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, meeting this week in Venezuela, might hold off on any substantial oil price increase at least until next year.

In addition, chart-following traders seemed to be doing some cautious buying with the Dow near the 800 level—a point from which it rallied twice this fall.

Howard Johnson led the active list, down 1/4 at 10 3/4. A 138,000-share block traded at that price.

The NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks rose .16 to 51.27. On the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was up .15 at 124.59.

## Livestock

**SAN ANTONIO (AP)**—Cattle and calves, 1200, slaughter (cows firm to 200 higher mostly 100-200 higher. Not enough any other slaughter class sold early to test trade. Feeder steers, butts and hammers steady. Supply about 15 percent slaughter cows. Balance largely good and choice 300-lb. feeder calves.

Slaughter yearlings: Few good 1-2 450-700 lbs. 33.50-36.75.

Slaughter cows: Few utility 2 26.25-28.25. Culler 22.00-24.25, mostly 22.25 and above few canner and low culler 17-25-22.00.

Feeder steers and butts: Choice 325-400 lbs. 45.00-47.75, 400-500 lbs. 47.75-51.25, good and choice 180-250 lbs. 45.25-48.00, 250-350 lbs. 48.00-47.50, mostly good 35-50 lbs. 35.25-40.75, 50-65 lbs. 36.25-38.75.

Feeder calves: Choice 375-500 lbs. 35.25-37.50, good and choice 350-500 lbs. 35.25-36.25, mostly good 275-500 lbs. 32.25-35.25.

Hogs: 100, not enough on offer to test trade.

**FORT WORTH (AP)**—Cattle and calves, 200, not enough cattle and calves on hand to establish a market.

Hogs: 150, 200, 250, 300, 350, 400, 450, 500, 550, 600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 950, 1000, 1050, 1100, 1150, 1200, 1250, 1300, 1350, 1400, 1450, 1500, 1550, 1600, 1650, 1700, 1750, 1800, 1850, 1900, 1950, 2000, 2050, 2100, 2150, 2200, 2250, 2300, 2350, 2400, 2450, 2500, 2550, 2600, 2650, 2700, 2750, 2800, 2850, 2900, 2950, 3000, 3050, 3100, 3150, 3200, 3250, 3300, 3350, 3400, 3450, 3500, 3550, 3600, 3650, 3700, 3750, 3800, 3850, 3900, 3950, 4000, 4050, 4100, 4150, 4200, 4250, 4300, 4350, 4400, 4450, 4500, 4550, 4600, 4650, 4700, 4750, 4800, 4850, 4900, 4950, 5000, 5050, 5100, 5150, 5200, 5250, 5300, 5350, 5400, 5450, 5500, 5550, 5600, 5650, 5700, 5750, 5800, 5850, 5900, 5950, 6000, 6050, 6100, 6150, 6200, 6250, 6300, 6350, 6400, 6450, 6500, 6550, 6600, 6650, 6700, 6750, 6800, 6850, 6900, 6950, 7000, 7050, 7100, 7150, 7200, 7250, 7300, 7350, 7400, 7450, 7500, 7550, 7600, 7650, 7700, 7750, 7800, 7850, 7900, 7950, 8000, 8050, 8100, 8150, 8200, 8250, 8300, 8350, 8400, 8450, 8500, 8550, 8600, 8650, 8700, 8750, 8800, 8850, 8900, 8950, 9000, 9050, 9100, 9150, 9200, 9250, 9300, 9350, 9400, 9450, 9500, 9550, 9600, 9650, 9700, 9750, 9800, 9850, 9900, 9950, 10000.

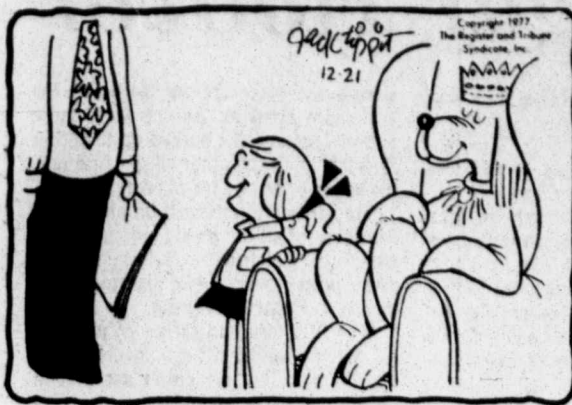
**LUBBOCK (AP)**—Cattle and calves, 400 Wednesday, slaughter steers and hammers active. 50 higher, slaughter cows active, largely 100 higher. Slaughter butts firm to 50 higher. Good and choice 180-250 lb. slaughter steers 43.00-45.00, 250-350 lb. 45.00-47.50, 350-450 lb. 47.50-51.25, mostly good 35-50 lbs. 35.25-40.75, 50-65 lbs. 36.25-38.75.

Feeder calves: Choice 375-500 lbs. 35.25-37.50, good and choice 350-500 lbs. 35.25-36.25, mostly good 275-500 lbs. 32.25-35.25.

Hogs: 100, not enough on offer to test trade.

**JOLIET, Ill. (AP)**—Cattle: 1400, trading active on limited mild supply, slaughter steers and hammers sharply higher on a forced trade, slaughter steers, 50-100, instances 1-2 higher, most increase on high choice and prime, slaughter hammers 100-150 higher, slaughter steers high choice and prime 3-4, 175-125 to 45.00, 45.00, load 45.00, choice 2-4, 180-125 to 45.00-45.25, 45.00-45.25, 2-3, 230-250 to 43.50-44.50, 43.50-44.50, 2-3, 270-290 to 41.50-42.50, 41.50-42.50, 2-3, 290-310 to 40.50-41.50, 40.50-41.50, 2-3, 310-330 to 39.50-40.50, 39.50-40.50, 2-3, 330-350 to 38.50-39.50, 38.50-39.50, 2-3, 350-370 to 37.50-38.50, 37.50-38.50, 2-3, 370-390 to 36.50-37.50, 36.50-37.50, 2-3, 390-410 to 35.50-36.50, 35.50-36.50, 2-3, 410-430 to 34.50-35.50, 34.50-35.50, 2-3, 430-450 to 33.50-34.50, 33.50-34.50, 2-3, 450-470 to 32.50-33.50, 32.50-33.50, 2-3, 470-490 to 31.50-32.50, 31.50-32.50, 2-3, 490-510 to 30.50-31.50, 30.50-31.50, 2-3, 510-530 to 29.50-30.50, 29.50-30.50, 2-3, 530-550 to 28.50-29.50, 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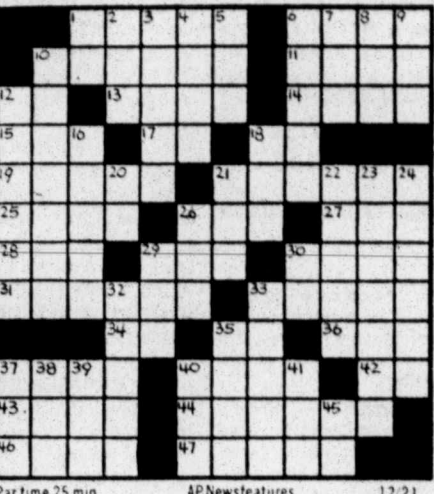
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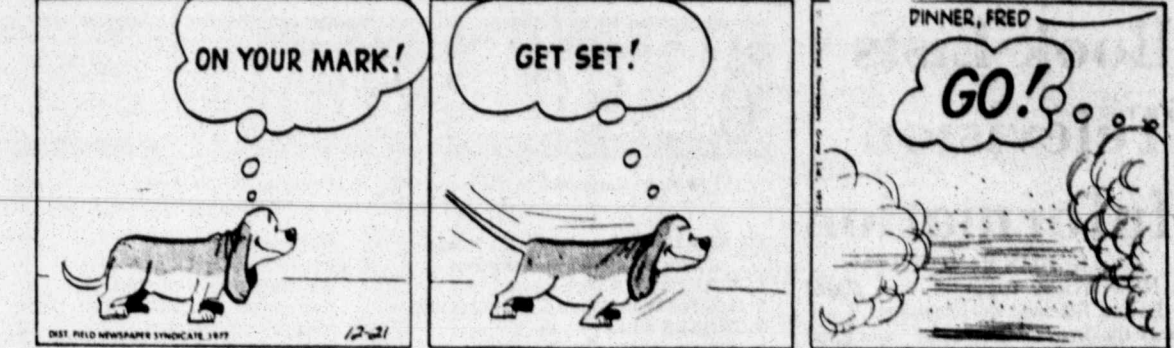
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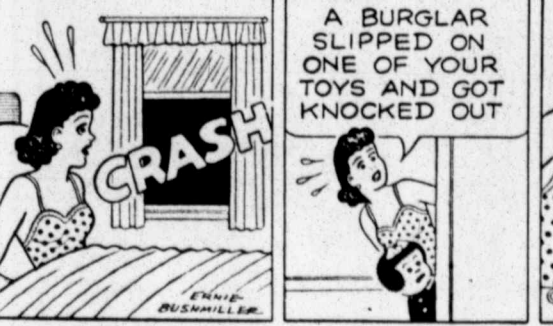
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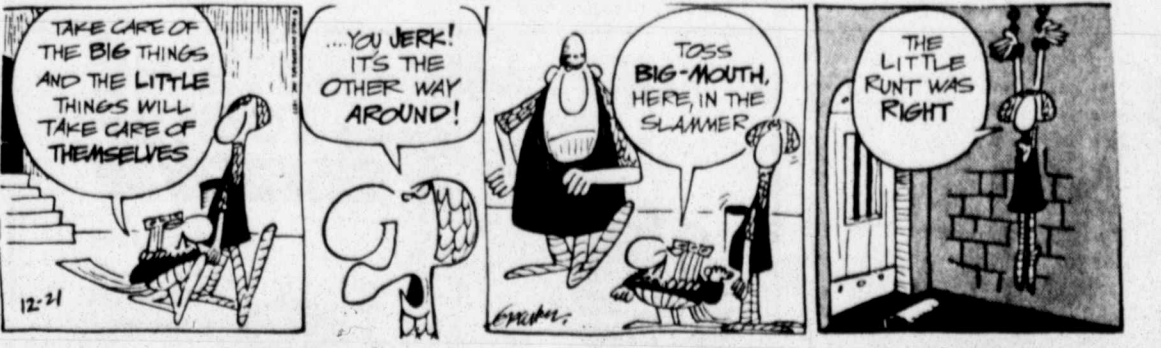
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# Film Biography Traces Life Of J. Edgar Hoover

**By VERNON SCOTT**  
HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — The FBI, long the subject of glamorous derring-do in movies and TV, undergoes an unaccustomed scrutiny in "The Private Files of J. Edgar Hoover," the first film biography of the man who ran the bureau for 48 years.

Larry Cohen, who wrote, directed and produced the picture, admits up front he did not actually see Hoover's private files.

But Cohen did devote five years to the project, beginning with Hoover's death in 1972. He also believes he has given Hoover a fair shake.

The movie traces Hoover's life from 1919 to his death. James Wainwright plays the young Hoover and Broderick Crawford the mature Hoover.

Cohen's script is most sharply focused on the FBI's files on Presidents Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon and Martin Luther King.

While the FBI did not open its files to Cohen or go out of its way to help the filmmaker, the bureau did cooperate in allowing the movie company to shoot in Hoover's office and other bureau facilities.

Cohen amassed tremendous amounts

of research on Hoover with the aid of technical adviser John Crewdson, the New York Times expert on the FBI.

"We got our information from William Sullivan and other former Hoover associates and aides who told us what was in those secret files," Cohen said.

"And there have been 35 or 40 books written on Hoover since his death. I read every one of them. Most of the books were written by former agents or were instigated by the FBI.

"When I went to the FBI for research the public relations men told me they cooperated with everyone. They advised

me to interview retired executives who had worked with Hoover. Let me say that the bureau didn't hamper our efforts."

Cohen took his project to the major studios and was turned down. He said they thought the movie was dangerous and libelous. But Cohen and his coproducer wife, Janelle, pressed on.

"The picture was already being made when the FBI files were released by a Senate select committee a year ago," Cohen said. "We had most of the stuff before it was released."

One of the most controversial elements of the movie touches on Hoover's association with Clyde Tolson. It had been ru-

mored for years that the close friendship of the two men bore overtones of homosexuality.

Cohen says he thoroughly investigated that aspect of Hoover's life, too.

"Tolson was fictionalized in the script," he said. "But when he died we revised the screenplay to use his name and the incidents involving him. Tolson and Hoover spent almost every day together, including two meals a day, for 40 years. Their apartments were only a few blocks apart.

"I'm sure they loved one another as any two old friends do. But it's my personal belief that no homosexuality existed between them. I think Hoover was incapable of having a relationship with anyone."

Cohen sees Hoover as the premiere power figure in American politics in the 20th century. He outlasted eight presidents in almost a half century in office.

"His shadow and innuendos cast influence on American foreign policy for years," Cohen said. "He was a fascinating man because he was secretive and mysterious. That's what makes him a great subject for a movie."

"We tried to treat Hoover as objectively as possible. There are still millions of people who worship him. Some of them will be enraged by the film. Others who despised him will think the picture is a whitewash."

"You can't help but like the guy. It was the same with George C. Scott's portrayal in 'Patton.'

"Hoover came in with corruption following the Teapot Dome scandal, and he

went out with corruption, just before the Watergate break-in. But between those national scandals he hushed up the other scandals in all the other administrations, for better or worse, for 48 years.

"He had secret information on the private lives of all the presidents, including Kennedy's girl friends. Nobody wielded more power over public figures for as long as J. Edgar Hoover did."

"The files also had plenty of material on Martin Luther King's involvements with women, but we didn't use that in the picture. No sense in stirring up a very large segment of the public."

"Watergate would never have become public if Hoover had been alive. It might not even have happened to begin with. Hoover died May 1, 1972 and the Watergate break-in took place 29 days later."

"Our picture shows Hoover was aware that Nixon taped all conversations in the oval office. He was amused by it. He certainly would have had Nixon burn all those tapes even if Watergate had become public knowledge."

## Book Lists Television Information

**By JOAN HANAUER**  
NEW YORK (UPI) — Who played "Boston Blackie" on television? Which was the first of the "adult" westerns? What was the first animated cartoon to be carried in prime time?

Anyone who digs media trivia — and what could be more trivial than television at its worst — can find answers to those questions and many more flipping through the pages of Les Brown's "New York Times Encyclopedia of Television" (Times Books).

(The answers, incidentally, are: Kent Taylor played "Blackie." ABC's "Cheyenne" with Clint Walker was the first of the adult westerns, and "The Flintstones" originally was a prime time program.)

For serious students of television, the encyclopedia is a must, but flipping through its pages is fun for anyone who likes to pick up odd facts and confound friends.

You'll find yourself recalling programs long forgotten — some also best forgotten. Who remembers the 26 weeks of "Channing," described as a series of campus dramas featuring Henry Jones and Jason Evers. Some of us don't even remember Jason Evers.

How about "The Felony Squad," which ran from 1966-69 starring Howard Duff, Ben Alexander and Dennis Cole?

Remember competing with the college kids on "G.E. College Bowl," a show that ran Sunday afternoons from 1958-72, first moderated by Allen Ludden, and then by Robert Earle.

The encyclopedia covers serious subjects as well trivia, ranging from the fairness doctrine to license renewal to an essay on public television.

Particularly interesting is an article on the "Golden Age of Television Drama," in which Brown offers first a history and then continues:

"No one can say for certain what caused the wave of drama to pass, but there are several theories. According to one, drama was practical in the years when the wealthier and better-educated families owned most of the television sets, but impractical when sets proliferated to virtually every home in the country, defining a new mass audience. Another holds that advertisers, dealing as they do in their commercials with instant solutions to problems, found it inconsistent with their purposes to sponsor serious plays on human conflicts, which revealed that in real life there are no easy solutions."

"Studio drama is costly to produce and inevitably varies in quality from program to program. Networks and advertisers can never be sure how large an audience an original play will attract."

Brown also points out that drama permits fewer commercial breaks and demands advertising that doesn't collide with the presentation.

The problem with writing a reference work on television is that changes of programs and network personnel can make the industry look like a giant revolving door. Brown set May 1, 1977 as the deadline for information, and as a result his listings for president of NBC-TV and CBS-TV are out of date. Maybe an encyclopedia of television should be published in a loose leaf binder.

## Record Crowds See Exhibit On King Tut

**By DAVID N. ROSENTHAL**  
NEW ORLEANS (AP) — King Tut has almost blown his last note in the Land of Jazz but Woody Hayes and a few hundred thousand others figure to bid him adieu before he toots off to Los Angeles.

Already almost 700,000 people have seen the exhibit at the New Orleans Museum of Art — and the busiest four weeks of the four-month stay are coming up.

"We should draw between 900,000 and a million," says museum director John Bullard. "From here until Tut leaves on Super Bowl Sunday, the crowds should be enormous."

"We drew some of our biggest turnouts the week of Thanksgiving and I expect it will be the same for Christmas, the Sugar Bowl and Super Bowl. I originally thought we would get 600,000 to 700,000 people, but we have almost exceeded that already."

Before coming to New Orleans, Tut brought 830,300 people to the National Gallery in Washington and 1,348,169 to the Field Museum in Chicago — the first two stops on the seven-city itinerary.

The morning after Thanksgiving was the only time a line has built up overnight at the New Orleans museum. But the line to get a ticket has been as long as five hours on some days.

### Wednesday

KTXT, PBS  
KCBT, NBC  
KLBK, CBS  
KMCC, ABC  
December 21, 1977

- Program information in TV Weekly Log is supplied by the Networks and local television stations and is subject to change. (B/W) Black and White Program. (R) Repeat Program.
- 6:00 PTL Club — Chaplain to show business Austin Miles is guest
  - 6:30 Farm & Ranch News
  - 6:45 Today in Texas & New Mexico
  - 7:00 CBS News
  - 7:00 Good Morning, America
  - 7:25 KMCC News
  - 7:30 Today Show
  - 7:55 Weather
  - 8:00 Captain Kangaroo — Guest is Hal Linden
  - 8:25 News, Weather
  - 8:30 KMCC News
  - 8:30 Mr. Rogers (R)
  - 9:00 The Electric Company
    - 1 People Place
    - 1 Sunshine Sally
    - 1 PTL Club
  - 9:30 Sesame Street
    - 1 Hollywood Squares
    - 1 The Three Stooges
  - 10:00 Wheel Of Fortune
    - 1 Tahiti Tales
    - 1 Happy Days
  - 10:30 Lili'as, Yoga and You
    - 1 Love Of Life
    - 1 Family Feud
  - 11:00 Once Upon a Classic — "Robin Hood" (R) Captioned.
    - 1 To Say the Least
    - 1 Young & Restless
    - 1 The Better Sex
  - 11:30 The Gong Show
    - 1 Search For Tomorrow
    - 1 KMCC News
  - 12:00 For Richer or Poorer
    - 1 News, Weather, Sports
    - 1 All My Children
  - 12:30 Days Of Our Lives
    - 1 As The World Turns
  - 1:00 \$20,000 Pyramid
  - 1:30 Doctors
    - 1 Guiding Light
    - 1 One Life To Live
  - 2:00 Another World
  - 2:15 General Hospital
  - 2:30 Villa Alegre
    - 1 All In the Family
  - 3:00 Sesame Street (R of AM)
    - 1 Sanford and Son
    - 1 Match Game
    - 1 Edge of Night
  - 3:30 I Dream of Jeannie — Dilyn turns the base into a madhouse
    - 1 Price Is Right
    - 1 I Love Lucy
  - 4:00 Mr. Rogers — Explains the meaning of "full" and "empty"
  - 4:30 Gilligan's Island — Gilligan has a Christmas wish
- 6:00 Bewitched
  - 6:30 Electric Co. (R of AM)
  - 7:00 Beverly Hillsbillies — The Clampetts' English butler finds his job a struggle
    - 1 Gunsmoke
    - 1 Andy Griffith
  - 8:00 Zoom
    - 1 Hazel
    - 1 ABC News
    - 1 Over Easy
    - 1 News
    - 1 Odd Couple
  - 9:00 Guten Tag Wie Geht's — Advanced German
    - 1 News
    - 1 MacNeil/Lehrer Report
    - 1 The 12 Gifts
    - 1 My Three Sons
    - 1 Brady Bunch
  - 9:30 Special: "Christmas at Pops" Arthur Fiedler, Boston Pops and the Tanglewood Festival Chorus, and John Oliver in a sing-along of carols and a surprise visit from an important guest! (R) (Repeats Saturday)
  - 10:00 Grizzly Adams — "The Choice" Adams teaches a young man the painful lesson of letting a pet deer go free (Rescheduled)
  - 10:30 Good Times — Willona learns her most precious gift may be taken from her
  - 11:00 Eight is Enough — "Dear Miss Dinah" Tom does out sage advice in the hometown lovecolumn, but loses his cool when Elizabeth has a question
  - 11:30 Szyzzyk
  - 8:00 Great Performances: "Dance in America: Balanchine" — Part II. Second of two programs which highlight the master choreographer's work and his company, the world acclaimed New York City Ballet.
    - 1 The Black Sheep Squadron — "The 200 Pound Gorilla" Burly chief mechanic Sgt. Andy Micklin's dislike of all officers is so well known that when he is promoted, he is so frustrated he goes on a rampage with his fists
    - 1 CBS Movie: "The Mad Bull" Alex Karras, Susan Anspach. Appealing love story about a hulking wrestler whose bizarre life in the ring has little meaning until he meets a woman
  - 12:00 Tomorrow
  - 1:00 News
- 9:00 Charlie's Angels — "Dude Ranch Story" The wealthy owner of a posh dude ranch hires the Angels to find out which of his guests is a killer
  - 9:00 Police Woman — "Death Game" Drug czar Como pursues Pepper to a mountain cabin where she has taken refuge
  - 9:30 Baretta — "It Goes With the Job" Baretta is marked for execution after he slays a man during a robbery
  - 9:30 Book Beat — Toni Morrison joins Bob Cromie in a discussion of her latest book, "Song of Solomon"
  - 10:00 The Dick Cavett Show — Guest is Antonio Brico, conductor of the Denver Symphony
  - 10:30 Horizon '77: Boy Scouts — "Handicapped Boy Scouts"
  - 11:00 Tonight Show — Guest host is John Davidson
  - 11:00 CBS Movie. Double Feature. "Hawaii Five-O" (1973) Jack Lord, James MacArthur. An obscure shopkeeper calls himself Peter Winkler and becomes the catalyst in the assassination plot of an Iron Curtain defector
  - 11:30 Kojak: Before the Devil Knew" (1974) Telly Savalas, Dan Frazer. Henry Darrow quest stars as the surviving half of a catburglar team who is a target for his own fence, his latest victim and the police
  - 12:00 Paul Harvey
  - 12:45 Fernwood Tonight
  - 11:15 Starsky & Hutch / Mystery of the Week: — S&H "Captain Dobby ... You're Dead" A corrupt millionaire industrialist orders the execution of Captain Dobby and his family when the captain and his men conduct a private investigation of the assassination of a civil rights leader (R) / Mystery "Mr. & Mrs. and the Bandstand Mystery" John Rubinstein, Lee Kroeger. An arrogant rock singer who alienates everyone around him is found dead in his dressing room (R)

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# Antarctic Sea Yields Fossils

By AL ROSSITER JR.  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — A crustacean has been captured and fossils collected by scientists exploring the sea believed hidden at least 120,000 years beneath quarter-mile-thick ice in the Antarctic.

A 10-inch wide hole was drilled through the ancient Ross Ice Shelf last week by an international team of researchers. A television camera and light was lowered followed by apparatus to sample the water, marine life and the sea bottom.

A dispatch received this week at the National Science Foundation, which manages the project, said what appeared earlier to be two fish swimming near the bottom of the frigid, sunless waters may actually have been crustaceans.

Crustaceans are arthropods and in-

clude shellfish-like creatures such as shrimp, crabs and lobsters.

Dr. Duwayne Anderson, chief of polar programs at the NSF, said sediment samples taken from several inches into the sea floor included tiny shelled creatures called foraminifera and possibly some worm tubes.

Anderson said the samples also included fossilized diatoms — one-celled plants — which the Antarctic scientists said were of late Miocene age, meaning they are at least 14 million years old.

Water samples above the sediment contained microbes which were typical of samples gathered from lower levels of deep seas in other parts of the world, the scientists reported. About half of the microbes appeared to be bacteria.

The water is 660 feet deep from the bottom of the ice shelf to the sea floor. Anderson said the temperature midway down was measured at 36 degrees Fahrenheit.

One crustacean was captured in a baited trap lowered through the ice. The creature was preserved for later study but there were no further details.

A side viewing lens attached to the television camera showed "a number of arthropods" approaching the traps. An attempt to lower fish traps failed when the equipment jammed in the ice hole, but scientists reported they were working on the problem.

The project, thwarted last year by ice-drilling problems, is expected to continue into February.



THE KING AND LIZA — Liza Minnelli, who is starring in her own Broadway show "The Act" greets Yul Brynner with a hug as she visits him at the Uris Theatre in New York where Brynner is starring in "The King and I." (AP Laserphoto)

## Researchers Seek Gay Couples

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — University of Washington researchers are in the Bay Area looking for couples — especially gay couples — who'll volunteer to say what makes their relationship tick or tremble on the brink of ruin.

Although the nationwide project will involve 3,000 couples of all kinds — heterosexual, homosexual, young, old, married and not — the researchers say they're particularly interested in gay or unmarried couples, since science has long had an eye on marrieds.

"Although there has been a lot of research on married couples over the years,

we know virtually nothing about unmarried or gay couples," said Dr. Pepper Schwartz, who heads the research group. "Gay couples are a good place to look for answers since they have never had a blueprint to handle the temptation of monogamy."

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# Byrd Cools On Televising Senate

By STEVE GERSTEL  
WASHINGTON (UPI)—Once hot for it, Democratic Leader Robert Byrd has now cooled on the idea of televising the Senate. That's too bad.

No one can argue that watching the Senate in session is a sure-fire cure for insomnia most of the time. Even senators have, at times, succumbed.

Yet, the Senate does produce moments of high and historic drama that could hold a television audience—whether it is presented as a small segment on the evening news or whether it is a full-blown opus.

No words can describe as well as could have film, for instance, the day Vice President Walter Mondale, presiding, and Byrd teamed to ruthlessly crush the filibuster against proposed deregulation of natural gas.

And how can any writer hope to find a way to describe Sen. Russell Long of Louisiana in action? Only a camera could capture the arm-waving gyrations. Only a microphone could capture the voice which rises to a squeaky pitch.

Byrd, who has pushed for televising the Senate for some time and wanted to have

a system ready for the Panama Canal treaties debate, has given several reasons for his change of heart.

One reason given by Byrd is "technical problems," such as lighting and the placement of cameras. They do not seem insurmountable and apparently have been solved in the House.

Byrd also mentioned that the Canadian parliament experiment with television had not been encouraging and added that he heard reports of "grandstanding and posturing" by some members. A network correspondent who watched the Canadians in action said there was almost none of that after the first day.

Sen. Herman Talmadge, D-Ga., a Senate veteran, is deadset against the idea and recently went into greater detail to describe why.

"Well, congressmen and senators are prima donnas at best," Talmadge said. "When they can get nationwide publicity over free television, they are inclined to ham it up."

Talmadge recalled assembling his Agriculture Committee some years ago to overrule an action by then Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz on food stamps and said it normally would have taken 60 seconds.

"... But two television cameras showed up and it took two hours to correct a measure that we could have corrected in 60 seconds had not the two television cameras been present," Talmadge added. "I feel that would take place in the House and Senate if the legislative sessions were televised."

Speaker Thomas O'Neill and the House appear to have no such qualms. The House has voted to begin televising proceedings beginning next year.

Technically, there is still a dispute over whether the House should control the cameras or let a pool of networks and Public Broadcast Service handle the controls. A Rules subcommittee has to make a recommendation to O'Neill by Feb. 15.

But privately, O'Neill has already decided to have House employees man the cameras and let the networks pickup whatever they want to use.

If the experiment works in the House, it won't be too long before the cameras start grinding in the Senate.

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# Passengers Critical Of Concorde

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN  
 LONDON (AP) — No doubt it's the nostalgia craze gone awry at double Mach speed, but the supersonic Concorde is beating its drum in proud sonic boomlets to evoke the grand era of the grand transatlantic luxury liners.

Her advertising copy writers, putting a patina of prestige on the \$797.35 one-way ticket, hail the fleet, ungainly bird as the new holder of the "Blue Riband," the gilt and silver trophy once awarded for the quickest Atlantic crossing by a passenger ship.

Also called the Hales Trophy, after Henry Keates Hales, the British Member of Parliament for Sheffield who thought up the idea, the Blue Riband passed from the old four-stack Mauretania to the Bremen in 1929 when a crossing of 4 days, 17 hours and 42 minutes ushered in the miracle of the "four-day boat."

The ill-fated Normandie, in the spirit of Napoleon's great cheer leader, Capt. Chauvin, unfurled a 30-meter-long blue pennant (a meter for each knot of her speed) from her top aft mast as she swept past Ambrose Light to claim the trophy in the summer of 1935.

But the Blue Riband, which unlike British Airways today the haughty Cunard Line never deigned to recognize, was permanently retired on July 7, 1952, when the liner United States on her maiden voyage, with Margaret Truman tooting the whistle as the ship passed Bishop's Rock, crossed to England in 3 days, 10 hours and 40 minutes. The new champion had pierced gale winds to beat the Queen Mary's 14-year-old record by more than

10 hours.  
 Now the Concorde takes as many hours — 3 1/2 — as the United States took days to cross the ocean, and only the gorgeous mohair steamer blankets handed out by the stewardesses to jet lag slumberers look anything like anything out of the mothballed grand lady's grand past.

Still, some of London's luxury hotels have caught the magic of Concorde's record-shredding Atlantic hops.  
 Over the concierge's desk in the Savoy Hotel is a call board marked "Atlantic Crossings," which used to list the Aquatania, the America, the Queen Elizabeth, the Nieuw Amsterdam, the France and other queens of the deep going all the way back to the Titanic and the Lusitania.

Now it lists the Concorde, departing at 11:15 a.m. every Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday.  
 The only other ship on the call board's horizon that day was the Christmas Caribbean cruise of the QE2.

Roy C.J. Dobbs, the head porter at Claridge's, goes out to Heathrow Airport to assist Concorde passengers with their Gucci cases and Mark Cross duffle bags, the way he used to go down to Southampton on the boat train to lend a hand with the steamer trunks and poodles in wicker baskets.

Flying the Concorde for the first time, this bereaved lover of the old luxury liners found almost the same shipboard camaraderie among the 90-odd passengers. Passing the speed of sound apparently is a shared experience that compels conversation.

"About three hours in these itty-bitty seats is all a body could take," drawled the Texas oilman across the aisle, shattering the awkward silence that obtains on most subsonic flights.

"Like flying tourist class on Trans-Texas," agreed his seatmate, peering out the tiny window at the rapidly vanishing Bristol channel as the machometer on the wall in front of us edged toward .96. A slight vibration stirred our martinis.

The stew popped a bottle of Dom Perignon '70 as we passed the speed of sound, as if to muffle the sonic boom over Land's End, and explained there would be no in-flight movie because "the aircraft isn't configured that way."

"You mean it ain't big enough for a screen?" suggested another member of the oil fraternity, and she went off mumbling about there only being time to serve the meal and fill out the immigration form.

Seasoned Concorde travelers bragged about having "flown the Frenchman" on the Washington run, the way the dowagers in deckchairs used to count their crossing on the old Franconia or the Michaelangelo.

After the barquettes of caviar and dressed crab, served at 10 miles up as we accelerated to our top speed of Mach

2.03, lunch was a choice of Roast Saddle of English Lamb, Breast of Chicken Epicure and Medallions of Veal Smitane, topped off with Chateau Brane Cantenac '71 and Puligny Montrachet '75.

"What, no steak?" exploded the man across the aisle, who had been in Libya for two years and "had enough mutton for a lifetime." He assured us his "hangover broke up at Mach 2," and the "best thing about getting there twice as fast is you only drink half as much."

Crossing the ocean by Concorde in 3 hours and 27 minutes to Kennedy Airport was almost as exciting as landing at a Hudson River pier on one of the grand liners. The cabbie only wanted an arm and a leg to take us Continental types to a midtown hotel.

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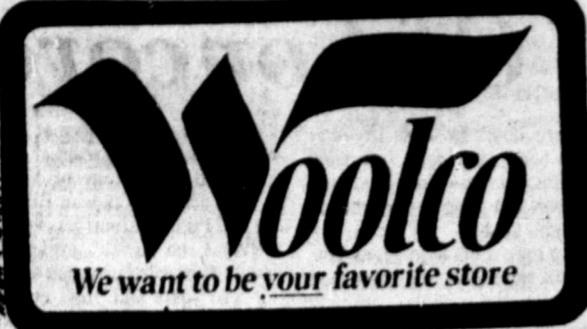
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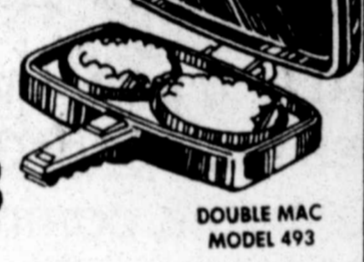
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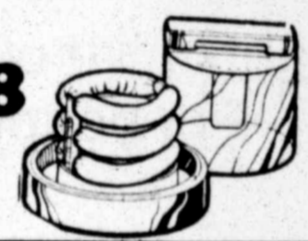


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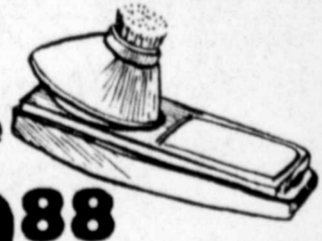


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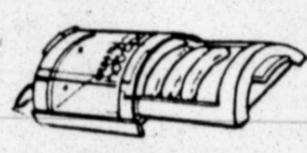


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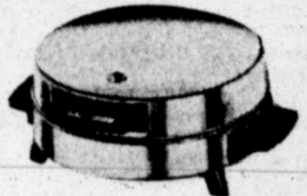
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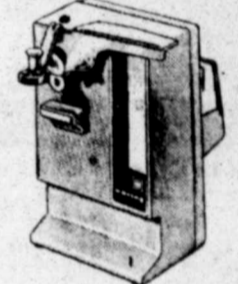
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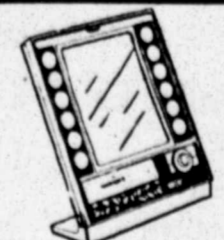
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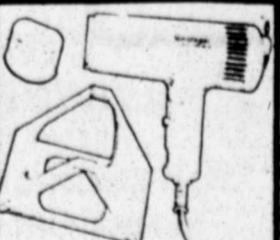
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TOE TIME — Six-year-old Paul Silva put forth his entries (Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck in a cape slugged "Pluto") in his Zuni Elementary School's toe decorating contest. Students at the Albuquerque, N.M., school decorated big toes for the contest. (AP Laserphoto)

Seasonal Industry Brings Cold Cash

By DENNIS O. BROWN  
MILBRIDGE, Maine (UPI) — Christmas wreaths may evoke warm holiday feelings for some, but in Maine they mean cold cash in a million dollar industry that provides needed seasonal jobs for as many as 5,000 people.

Men, women and children began collecting tips from balsam fir branches as the first snows of winter fell on the hills and marshes of northeastern Maine. The branch tips were woven into wreaths that will decorate thousands of homes, some as far away as Hawaii and Israel.

State industry officials estimate more than one million Christmas wreaths are made in Maine each year. Most are trucked to cities along the Eastern seaboard, but a few are carried by air to the far corners of the globe.

Maine's wreath business is centered in Washington and Hancock Counties along the state's northernmost coastline.

Some wreaths are made at established businesses, but most are put together in homes. It's a sizable piecework cottage industry in an area where many people depend on seasonal jobs, such as fishing and blueberry picking.

The wreaths are made by wiring the balsam fir tips to metal rings. Kelco In-

dustries makes about 2 million of the rings annually, shipping about half of them to points in Maine and the remainder to other northern states, such as Minnesota, and to Canada.

There was no mistaking Kelco's business as the Christmas season approached this year. A giant wreath of balsam fir branches, 30 feet in diameter, adorned the front of its two-story office building in Milbridge.

Kelco owner Dugald Kell said his year centers around Christmas.

"This is an extremely active place this time of year, making the wreaths and decorating many of them," he said. "As soon as Christmas is over, we'll catch our breaths and start making the frames for next year."

He said he has about 200 employees gathering fir greens and making wreaths.

"The largest quantities of our wreaths go to the Boston and New York areas, but we ship an awful lot out of the country," Kell said. "We just got shipments ready for Israel, Saudi Arabia and Hawaii."

He estimated the wreathmaking industry brings about \$1 million into Washington County's rural economy each year and provides seasonal employment for nearly 5,000 people in the peak weeks before the holidays.

"Washington County is the center of things up here. From sales of our wire frames, I would guess more than a million wreaths are made in Maine each year," Kell said, "mostly by families gathering greens together and making wreaths in their homes."

An official in the state Bureau of Forestry said his office estimates about a million wreaths are shipped out of state each year. He said Mainers work in their homes and "wreath-making sheds" to produce and decorate wreaths from 12 inches to eight feet in diameter.

Old Man Claims Longest Beard

DACCA, Bangladesh (UPI) — Eighty-five-year-old Arshad Ali Biswas claims to have the longest beard in Bangladesh.

So far no competitors have stepped forward to challenge Biswas' silky, white 49-inch, which took more than six years to grow.

If it had not been for some overzealous Pakistani soldiers, the old man's beard would be much longer.

Seven years ago, when he sported a 51-inch beard, Biswas had the misfortune of encountering some Pakistani soldiers who apparently were offended by it.

Deciding his facial appearance should conform to Islamic law, the soldiers cut off all but 4 inches of his beard. At the time he was living in what was called East Pakistan.

When East Pakistan became the independent nation of Bangladesh in 1971, Biswas once again let his beard grow.

With assistance from his two daughters-in-law, he washes his beard daily and follows that with an oil treatment and combing.

Vietnamese Street Kids 'Rehabilitated'

By RUTH YOUNGBLOOD  
HONG KONG (UPI) — They were urchins under the old wartime regime, the kind of kids who used to pick the pockets of American GIs on the streets of Saigon or hang around the fringes of U.S. military bases in the Vietnamese countryside.

They lived a life of "unrestricted disorder," according to a Vietnam News Agency report from Hanoi, "abandoned and neglected by their families and rejected by the old society."

But no more, according to the official news agency of the communist government.

Less than six months after the end of the war in 1975, welfare authorities began rounding up the "not yet good children" and placing them in special rehabilitation schools. More than 2,000 have been placed in the special programs in the Binh Chanh district west of Saigon, the agency said.

One such youngster is Tien Ba Hiep,

from the Mekong Delta town of An Giang.

"When I was 11, after gambling away all the cash I had made selling some of my father's things, I was afraid of being beaten so I ran away to Saigon," he said. "I happened to meet a gang leader who took me in, fed me and taught me the way I have kept alive during these last 5 years."

Hiep was a thief, VNA said, "with hundreds of thefts on his record and an ambitious night burglary in which he was caught red-handed."

Now Hiep is in a special school run by Mother Vo Thi Hieu and its administrator, Tran Van Loc.

"I have learned now and I understand the future of young people in the new society," VNA quoted the boy.

There are about 400 boys and girls at Mother Hieu's school.

"A realistic education must take into consideration the circumstances of the child's family, the reason why the child left home, the number and nature of their offenses, their age and period of delinquency, even their personal tastes and feelings," she said.

She said some are orphans while others

have families or relatives somewhere in the country.

According to VNA, Hiep and the others wake up at a whistle, wash and dress and then exercise. They line up to eat and study and "enthusiastically pursue political or artistic activities, take turns to criticize themselves and their friends in their daily triumphs and lapses," the agency reported.

VNA said the Hiep knows he could escape from the school at will but quoted him as saying "I don't want to escape."

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# Forensic Accounting Used To Analyze Imports

NEW YORK (UPI) — American companies hard hit by the invasion of around \$18 billion worth of Japanese products this year cannot depend on the government to solve the problem entirely. They must help themselves — and the Chicago-based accounting firm Alexander Grant Co. says forensic accounting can be an important aid.

Forensic accounting analyzes an end product to determine cost and production methods by a process of deduction. Grant's New York office used a team led by Peter Skomorowsky to employ forensic accounting to win a consent judgment for GTE-Sylvania against five Japanese makers of television receivers. Skomorowsky said the method should serve as a model to help many other industries protect themselves against the dumping of foreign products on the U.S. market.

"Forensic accounting can gather concrete evidence on which government agencies such as the International Trade Commission can act effectively," Skomorowsky explained.

The ability of the government to limit imports of Japanese products, many of them probably sold for less than the true

production cost in Japan, is restricted by overwhelming global political and economic considerations.

Japan is quite dependent on exports to the United States, which took 23 percent of all her exports and half her foreign sales of TV receivers last year. America's unfavorable trade balance with Japan may hit \$8 billion this year and many American firms, especially those in electronics, have been hard hit by the competition.

A special mission sent to Tokyo by President Carter delivered a stern warning to the Japanese government that its lopsided trade policies are threatening the stability of the industrialized west and demanded that Japan make bigger voluntary cuts in her exports.

But Japanese industry, seeking to expand its high export level in recent months while maintaining a virtually closed economy at home and an employment rate much higher than other industrial countries, now has an invento-

ry problem that is threatening her with economic stagnation.

The Japanese, reacting in shock to the situation, seem determined to continue to resist pressure from foreign governments.

That underlines the need for American firms to help themselves in meeting Japanese competition.

In the GTE-Sylvania case, the Grant firm was engaged by Curtis Mallet-Prevost Colt & Mosie, Sylvania's lawyers, to try to ferret out the production costs for TV receivers which Japanese manufacturers and the Tokyo government have adamantly refused to make available.

Skomorowsky and his team did sufficiently well to force the Japanese firms to accept the consent decree with the U.S. International Trade Commission, promising to cease dumping on the U.S. market and to agree to supply the commission with cost figures on demand in future. The Japanese firms also agreed to cease engaging in activities in Japan in-

tended to restrict U.S. exports to Japan. The decree was signed July 14.

The leverage used to compel the Japanese to accept the decree was the forensic accounting procedure.

Skomorowsky and his fellow accountants bought a variety of Japanese and American made TV receivers and hired mechanics to take them apart. Then an intensive cost accounting investigation, with the aid of computer analysis, was made of every component and assembly procedure based on all that could be learned of labor, material and transportation and marketing costs both in Japan and the United States.

Ultimately, this forensic procedure enabled the Grant team and Sylvania's lawyers to convince the Trade Commission that the Japanese indeed were dumping and persuaded the Japanese firms to sign the decree.

"It was the next best thing to an actual look at the Japanese manufacturers' books," the Grant firm said.

Actually, a formal finding by the U.S. government that Japan has been dumping color TV receivers on the U.S. market was made as early as 1971 and the Japanese were required to put up bonds of 9 percent of the value of the merchandise they brought into the country to cover possible penalty duties. This bond later was raised to 15 percent.

But according to Zenith Radio Corp. of Chicago, which in 1974 filed a \$600 million suit against many Japanese color TV producers, charging them with dumping.

TV receivers are only a small part of the flood of Japanese imports which range from automobiles to watches, cameras and other items including the ubiquitous transistor radio.

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## Loan Firm Must Make Disclosure

By BRENDAN RILEY  
CARSON CITY, Nev. (AP) — The state Securities Division has mandated full disclosure in any future stock offerings by a loan firm in which hundreds of Nevada educators have invested more than \$500,000.

Securities Division chief Abner "Buster" Sewell also said this week that William A. Scott, an Arizona man who played a direct role in the firm, Educators Investment Corp., may face "direct action" if he again becomes involved in Nevada securities transactions.

And Sewell also ordered two well-known Nevada educators and EIC officers to pay off notes they signed for EIC stock before any new stock issue is approved. They are Education Department consultant Lamar Le Fevre and Western Nevada Community College executive vice-president Jack Davis.

Sewell also said that any future stock offering should disclose in a prospectus details like the \$500 monthly salaries to Davis and Le Fevre that have been paid by the firm for stock promotion. The salaries had not disclosed in an earlier prospectus.

EIC has already made one stock offering which brought in more than \$500,000. About 500 educators invested money.

Sewell has said an investigation showed that such firms have turned up in a total of 20 states over the years, usually formed by promoters who "found a tight-knit, interrelated teacher group and exploited this relationship."

Secretary of State Bill Swackhamer, Sewell's boss, has said the problem with the firms is that investments become "locked in" with no market available for stock. Sewell added many teachers in other groups found that money they counted on for retirement was "no longer available to them" as a result.

Sewell also said he found "the only ones making any money are the promoters through commissions and sales expenses." Under state law, the Scott group was limited to 20 percent of the amount of stock sale money.

Sewell said his investigation showed that Scott, 28, of Tempe, Ariz., organized a firm called William Scott Associates in Las Vegas, which acted as a broker-dealer for EIC stock without proper registration.

Scott had said he was not told he had to register as a broker-dealer, and did "everything" he could to comply with Nevada law.

EIC was first set up as a loan company for teachers. Le Fevre, EIC president, has said much of the EIC money is not being invested yet until some good investment counsel is sought out.

The firm now has just over \$150,000 in cash, plus some other assets, and Sewell said it's "in good financial shape."

**Japan To Buy Wood Chips**

VICTORIA, British Columbia (AP) — Japan is prepared to buy all the wood chips that British Columbia wants to export, Forests Minister Tom Waterland says.

Sales to Japan could total as much as \$20 million during the coming year, he said.

"We have commitments for as many wood chips as we can handle," he told a news conference, "and orders will be forthcoming."

The minister also said that a Japanese company is interested in building a pulp mill in British Columbia, and has committed itself to making a feasibility study soon.

Waterland refused to name the Japanese firm interested in building the pulp mill because "it is trying to negotiate out of existing contracts to take advantage of B.C. chips."

The minister noted that this was a new market for the surplus chips from the interior, and will not affect normal shipments to the northwestern United States.

**ICEBERG TRACKED**

A satellite off the coast of Antarctica is tracking a huge iceberg which is nearly the size of Rhode Island. The mass contains enough fresh water to supply the needs of Washington, D.C., for 4,000 to 7,000 years, reports the National Geographic Society.

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# Israeli Economists Seek Conversion In Spending

BY ARTHUR MAX

JERUSALEM (AP) — The prospect of peace with Egypt has set economists planning how to convert Israel's war-burdened economy away from its emphasis on military production and spending.

They dream of prosperity. But they warn it may take years to revive the economy, and jobs may be scarce when the military machine first shifts to low gear.

Thirty years of war and the threat of war are responsible for a trade deficit now running close to \$3 billion a year, a defense budget that accounts for 30 percent of all government spending and a chronic labor shortage.

These can be cured by peace, says Ephraim Dovrat, economic adviser to the finance minister, but only after a rough transition period.

There might be some immediate profits. New markets could open in Arab countries and other Asian and African countries that have broken relations with Israel. The Arab boycott of Israel would end, bringing investments from companies that now fear Arab retaliation. Stability in the region would attract other investors, Dovrat said.

After Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's visit to Jerusalem last month, tourism officials increased their estimate of tourists in 1978 by 20 percent. With peace and open borders, this could be dwarfed by a flood of curious Arabs.

The finance ministry is working on a list of possible joint development projects with the Arabs. They include an Egyptian-Israeli nuclear power station,

joint Jordanian-Israeli mining of potash from the Dead Sea, development of water resources in the Jordan Valley and cooperation in oil exploration.

But the major benefits of peace would come slowly as Israel transformed its economy to peacetime production, reduced its standing army and the reserve forces and cut down arms procurement.

"Israel will have to remain strong for a long time until we are sure the peace is real, and not just a piece of paper," said Dovrat. "Any reduction will be gradual."

He said 21 percent of the labor force is employed in the armed forces or defense industries. Before the 1967 war the figure was 12 percent.

"If we can cut this to 15 or 16 percent, this will release 70,000 people for more productive work," he said.

But the labor shortage now is estimated at only 20,000, mostly in export industries and the building trades. The new manpower probably will create unemployment at first, especially if the military draft period is reduced from the current three years. Huge retraining programs may be needed, and the import of cheaper Arab labor may have to be restricted.

"We have to prepare for such problems now," said Dovrat. "We don't want to have to treat them like a catastrophe but like routine problems that can be overcome."

"Certainly, there may be disadvantages as well as advantages. What counts is the balance sheet, and that will surely be on the plus side."



WRECKED IN FRENCH FOG — The wreckage of a car and an ambulance jammed part of the Normandy highway west of Paris Tuesday night. Hundreds of cars were involved in collisions after freezing fog covered much of France. (AP Laserphoto)

# Colombian President Seeks End To Unrest

BOGOTA, Colombia (UPI) — President Alfonso Lopez Michelsen has gone into seclusion to map out plans for combating a severe wave of violence sweeping Colombia.

The president's announcement that he had canceled all but his official engagements during the holiday season came Tuesday after he met with 33 of Colombia's top military officers.

Soldiers toting machine guns began patrolling the capital's streets shortly after the meeting with the officers, including the chiefs of the army, navy and air force.

That meeting and others expected to be held in the next few days were called to draft a government plan against a wave of killings and kidnappings that is gripping the nation.

Seven persons were abducted last weekend, bringing the 1977 total to 59, and last week kidnappers killed the vice president of one of Colombia's largest insurance firms and seized its president.

Among the latest kidnap victims was Dr. Jose Ignacio Barraquer, a world renowned eye surgeon who founded one of Latin America's largest eye clinics. His abductors want to exchange Barraquer, a Spanish citizen, for \$186,000.

The country's various left wing guerrilla groups also have increased their terrorist activities in the past month.

The 33 military officers who met with Lopez Michelsen later issued a statement

urging the government get tough with criminals and defending the military's record in dealing with civil unrest.

"We again ask the government to take additional, efficient, emergency procedures to guarantee to the military institution and its members the respect to which they have a right, and to all the citizens the safety to which they are entitled from a friendly fatherland," the statement said.

The officers also responded to criticism that the military overreacted in putting down a nationwide general strike Sept. 14 during which 17 persons died in clashes with authorities.

"The steps taken by the government and the armed forces with the intention of eliminating the causes of violence and the increase of immorality are being distorted by a general and systematic campaign of political opposition which is causing a loss of faith in the institutions and in the capacity they should have to control crime and impose order," they said.

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Donald Leroy Schafstall, 35, of Slaton and Brenda Sue Hill, 15, of Lubbock.  
Winfred Gary Dempsey, 22, of Lubbock and Cary Lea McCandess, 17, of Shallowater.  
William Earl Mitchell, 24, and Sally Jane Meza, 20, both of Lubbock.  
Evin Dale Allen, 32, and Jerri Dyanne Rowell, 30, both of Lubbock.  
Michael James Dudley, 25, and Nancy Luan Reeves, 24, both of Lubbock.  
Clarence Neil Crabb, 32, and Amada Longoria, 33, both of Lubbock.  
Lee Royce Crump, 53, and Camila R. Salazar, 25, both of Lubbock.  
James Walker Ferguson, 21, and Vickie Kay Woods, 24, both of Lubbock.  
Mark Edward Kelley, 27, and Wonda Joyce Schilling, 23, both of Lubbock.  
Coleman Lafayette Lemmons Jr., 26, and Terry Lynn Casey, 25, both of Lubbock.  
Melvin Eugene Nixon, 31, and Karen Sue Wheeler, 27, both of Lubbock.  
Henry Clay Lyons, 19, and Marie Elaine Booker, 19, both of Lubbock.

### COUNTY COURT

**Rod Shaw, Judge Presiding**  
In the estate of the late Gus R. Bufe, application by Beatrice Bufe, independent executrix, to probate will.

### COUNTY COURT-AT-LAW NO. 1

**Edwin H. Boedeker, Judge Presiding**  
University Hospital Inc. against Paula K. Kelly, suit on account.

### COUNTY COURT-AT-LAW NO. 2

**J.Q. Warnick Jr., Judge Presiding**  
Bobbie Wiley against Kenneth McWilliams and Susan McWilliams, suit for damages.  
Don Jewell and Kim Jewell against Robert Leo McCrary, suit for damages.  
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. against Gary Williams and Tom Hillough, suit on account.  
Byron Alfred Eldredge and Georgina Gail Eldredge, suit for divorce.

### 90TH DISTRICT COURT

**Thomas L. Clinton, Judge Presiding**

### Eunice Hines against Robert James Nelson, suit for damages.

Jonathan Carroll Hataway against John Thomas Gunn, suit for damages.  
Lloyd R. Hawkins against Andrea Gayle Hawkins, suit for damages.  
Rose Mary Bowerman and Gerald Henry Bowerman, suit for divorce.

### 140TH DISTRICT COURT

**William R. Shaver, Judge Presiding**  
B. Pledger and L. Pledger, suit for divorce.  
United Services Automobile Association against Debra C. Stevens, William A. Stevens, Cotton Crump doing business as T & G Trucks and Michele Denise Neagle, petition for declaratory judgment.

### 237TH DISTRICT COURT

**John McFall, Judge Presiding**  
Walter David Bright and Dixie Bright against Terry Fortner, suit for damages.

### Divorces Granted

Lois J. Baird and Herbert Franklin Baird Jr.  
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J.D. Speck and wife to Doyle E. Turner, Tract of Section 24, Block E2.  
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## Actress' Home Hit By Bandits

ROME (UPI) — Bandits broke into the suburban home of movie actress Anita Ekberg early today, tied her up, and got away with an estimated \$9,150 in jewels, furs and cash, police said.

It was the second time the 46-year-old star of the film "La Dolce Vita" has been robbed this year.

Officers said Miss Ekberg told them five masked men armed with hunting rifles smashed a window and entered her home during the early morning hours while she was alone.

They said the bandits, apparently unopposed by Miss Ekberg's guard dog, broke open chests and rifled drawers and closets. They then made their getaway after tying up the actress, who retired from movie work years ago and has since been running a rental car business and raising farm animals.

Miss Ekberg was last robbed in August when bandits broke into her villa at Mentana, 12 miles from Rome.

Police said Miss Ekberg took about two hours to work free from her binding, then called police to report the robbery.

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# Poverty Forces Somalians Into Socialist Camp

By RICHARD TOMKINS  
**MOGADISHU, Somalia (AP)** — Somalia is a Texas-sized contradiction, a land of hardy self-reliance and international dependence, of Karl Marx's "Das Kapital" and Islam's "Koran," of easygoing people and an all-pervasive secret police.

The country's military government promotes what it calls "scientific socialism," but its urban dwellers practice a fervent brand of capitalism which defied eight years of Soviet pre-eminence here.

About 70 percent of Somalia's estimated 4 million people are nomads who have eluded collectivization.

At Mogadishu's old Hamar Weine quarter, a collection of stone buildings and narrow streets dominated by its 12th century mosque, dawn is greeted with the sounds of commerce little changed since Somali merchants peddled their goods to Persian traders in the days of the Prophet Mohammed.

Craftsmen carefully weigh silver and gold on crude scales for visiting Arab businessmen. Other merchants hawk spices and bolts of cloth from sidewalks, while donkey carts fan out across Mogadishu's tree-lined streets delivering everything from refrigerators to handmade furniture.

Mogadishu became a focal point of world attention last Oct. 18 when West German commandos rescued 86 hostages aboard a Lufthansa jetliner seized by hijackers linked to West Germany's Red Army Faction, also known as the Baader-Meinhof gang. The commando raid was carried out with the approval of the Somali government.

Proud of their race and strong individuality, Somalis seem unlikely converts to communism, especially the Soviet kind.

But at 2 p.m., the end of the business day, the din of buying and selling is replaced by the melodic chanting of socialist songs as thousands of the city's residents join government-ordered "self-help" brigades and collectively build schools, repair streets and erect hospitals.

Somalia is linked to a bloody war for control of neighboring Ethiopia's eastern Ogaden region.

Ethnic Somali guerrillas, who are said to be receiving help from regular Somali troops, have captured more than 90 percent of the Ogaden, which they eventually hope to annex to Somalia.

The nomadic population of the region is predominantly ethnic Somali in origin. Somalia claims the territory as its own, but denies direct involvement in the war.

The Somalis last month expelled all Soviet advisers, closed Moscow's bases in the country and tore up a friendship treaty with the Kremlin.

Behind their move lay anger at Moscow's decision to back Ethiopia with arms against the Somalis in the Ogaden.

At the same time the Soviets also cut arms supplies to Somalia, which until the switch to Ethiopia was the Kremlin's main client state in Africa.

Somalia also broke diplomatic relations with Cuba because of the Cubans' decision to send military advisers to Ethiopia to help in the Ogaden war.

"The Somali people do not like socialism, it is like another religion, but without God," a Somali laborer confided. "But we must all help build our country."

About 99 percent of Somalia's people are devout Moslems who privately shun socialism as incompatible to their Islamic faith.

In ignoring the less profound differences between Islam and socialism, however, Somalia has achieved a degree of populist self-development that many other African countries desire.

At the time of Somalia's independence from British and Italian colonial rule in 1960, this country on the Horn of East Africa was one of the poorest on a continent known for poverty.

According to Somali officials, there were just three schools with about 55 students in the country, only 20 university-trained persons and only one paved road, in Mogadishu, the capital of about 350,000 people.

Post-independence, however, brought little to Somalia or its people. Only four factories had been built and corruption and nepotism were rife in government.

Following the overthrow of Somalia's civilian government in 1969 by military officers, the problem of development was tackled with a mass self-help mobilization program many said was reminiscent of mainland China. In 1974, about 125,000 students, teachers and doctors were sent to Somalia's barren plains.

Each was equipped with only a \$2.25 blanket, a canteen of water and a suitcase doubling as a blackboard. They spent six months wandering among the nomads intent on eradicating illiteracy and disease.

Nearly a million Somalis were taught the rudiments of reading and writing the new Somali script (the language was previously only oral), hundreds of thousands were vaccinated against disease and those educated were encouraged to pass on their knowledge to others while wandering the semi-desert plain.

When drought struck Somalia and left thousands of nomads starving, the military government relocated almost 200,000 people to agricultural areas along the Shebelle and Juba rivers and induced them to stationary agriculture.

Nearly 78,000 others were resettled along the Indian Ocean coast and were trained as fishermen, although many had never seen the ocean before.

And when foreign experts warned that shifting sand dunes endangered Somalia's meager irrigable lands near the Shebelle River in southern Somalia, tens of thousands of Somalis pitched in and in two years stopped the creeping sand dunes by planting wind-breaking acacia hedges and cactus plants.

Today, Somalia has about 25 new industries, a university with about 2,000 students and more than 1,000 miles of paved roads and a burgeoning fishing industry.

New buildings are going up across the country, lands are being irrigated and in Mogadishu alone last year 14 new prima-

ry schools were built through self-help. The government donated the materials, the people the labor.

Yet Somalia promises to be on the world's welfare rolls for some years to come. It is one of the world's 25 poorest nations. With only about 13 percent of its total land presently under irrigation, it can hardly feed itself.

To make matters worse, the drought which killed millions of Somalia's livestock — 67 percent of its foreign exchange earning annually — has been replaced by massive flooding which has inundated pasture lands and important farm areas.

"The standard of living has increased here," an official with an international agency said. "My guess is that the annual per capita income is about \$90 to \$95. But it would have been higher if it wasn't for the drought and now the floods." The U.S. annual per capita income in 1976 was about \$6,400.

International experts here say Somalia is developing at a steady but slow pace, hindered primarily by a lack of skilled manpower.

The mass mobilization of Somalia's people hasn't come easily. Somalia's Soviet-trained secret police have permeated every sector of society, the country "Guulwade" (Victory Pioneers) patrol streets looking for criminals, drunks or anyone remotely "counter-revolutionary."

"No one can talk about anything safe-

ly," a Somali said uneasily. "If I was to tell a friend about a sugar shortage and was overheard, I'd be arrested." To avoid arrest, Somalis try to avoid unnecessary contact with foreigners, and speak only of safe subjects.

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# Island Of Martinique Exhibits French Culture

By LILLIAN O'CONNELL  
FORT DE FRANCE, Martinique

(UPI) — Martinique, as an outpost of French culture in the Western Hemisphere, is a genuine jewel of an island. Unfortunately, in recent years its name has become almost synonymous with the name of a club whose plastic beads complement the tourists who frequent it.

To be corralled by social directors armed with planned entertainment is like having soda pop with a superbly prepared French meal.

If you're out to escape a Windy City winter or the zombie-like ambience of the E train from Queens, the Caribbean is a great place to visit. But if your destination is Martinique, strike out on your own and explore a little.

Martinique was discovered by Columbus in 1502, and except for three short periods when it was occupied by the British, the island has been under French rule.

The island lies 4,340 miles from France, but be prepared for many tourists from the mother country — mostly family groups and admittedly a bit clanish.

Take your French phrase book with you, put your timidity aside when you arrive and make some small talk "en Francaise." The French are perfectionists and dislike being forced to speak poor English, but most of the time they will be willing to meet you half way.

This goes for the Martiniquais also, whose French you'll find remarkably easy to comprehend if you know any French at all. And if you persist in trying to speak French, you may find a surprising number of persons who speak English after all!

The French European influence is best seen on the beaches of Pointe du Bout, a ferryboat ride from the capital of Fort de France. This is the site of five resort-type hotels, including the island's largest, the Meridien, which has 303 rooms overlooking the bay and the island's only casino.

Topless bathing at Pointe du Bout, while not de rigueur, is certainly in the majority. We found the only holdouts to be some French Canadians.

If you want to break out in a new French bikini — with or without top — the capital is a good place to buy one. They even have some to fit the "ample" figure.

On busy, balconied little streets in Fort de France, Parisian boutiques bloom like bougainvillea. French creations abound, everything from perfume to crystal to leather goods. For authentic island handicrafts, visit the Caribbean Arts Center on the bayfront boulevard facing the Tourist Office.

But before you start your shopping expedition, learn your francs and how to convert into dollars. Remember rip-off artists come in all currencies.

Martinique is only 50 miles long and about 21 miles at its widest point, and an ideal visit would include several days exploring north and south of the capital.

In the northwest is Mt. Pelee, whose eruption in 1902 wiped out the city of St. Pierre, once known as the Paris of the West Indies. Ruins of the theater, church and other buildings can be seen along the coast and there is a museum with fascinating pictures of the disaster and relics dug from the ruins of the city. If you've brought along proper shoes, you can hike to the crater.

A short drive further north is Basse-Pointe and an elegantly restored 300-year-old chateau in the heart of a working plantation. Now a hotel with accommodations for 60, Plantation de Lecryt was built early in the 18th century and restored in 1970 by Charles and Yveline de Lucy de Fossarieu.

All the buildings are of stone, and while Leyritz offers modern amenities, such as airconditioning and private bathrooms, the aura of a romantic past remains embodied in the original marble and tile floors and family antiques. Antique marble dolphins grace the swimming pool. Traditional French and creole cuisine is featured on the menu.

Small hotels can be found throughout Martinique and if any challenges the charm of Leyritz it is Manoir de Beauregard, at Ste. Anne, southernmost village on the island.

This IS Martinique — a very special Creole-accented French hostelry of only 27 rooms.

Owned and managed by Madame Marcelle Saint-Cyr and her son Christian, this fine old Martinique house dates from 1700 and probably derives its name from one of the first owners, a settler named d'Orient whose daughter married the Knight de la Touche de Beauregard. Legend says it was built by monks. Again, a combination of modern conveniences and antiques in a magnificent tranquil setting. And the Saint-Cyr's warm hospitality is matched by the excellence of the cuisine.

The French painter Paul Gauguin once chose to live and paint on Martinique. And it is said Columbus, struck by the beauty of the island, remarked: "I could tire my eyes contemplating such greenery."

Today, Martinique is still a feast for the eyes, with the added fillip of sports, including horseback riding, tennis, sailing and water skiing; discotheques and nightclubs; the Ballets Martiniquais, a renowned folk dance group; museums, monuments and other reminders of a fascinating history.

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### Resort Town May Lose Police Force

OCEAN GROVE, N.J. (UPI) — Ocean Grove's finest might be losing their jobs after Dec. 31. The town no longer can afford a police department.

A spokesman for the Ocean Grove Police Department said this week all 10 of its officers would lose their jobs the week after Christmas. "We won't be here after the end of the month," he said.

Neptune Township Acting Mayor Gilbert Melendez has assured Ocean Grove's 5,000 residents that township police will provide security for their community. The township in which the cozy resort town is located has been handling Ocean Grove's health and sanitation services since 1918.

But Ocean Grove always has had its own police department. It depended on private donations and revenues from summer tourism, as well as a merchants' tax for its \$200,000 budget.

Donations are down, however, and a tradition of bequeathing money to the police department is dying out, Melendez said.

Melendez said he had discussed the department's fate with Ocean Grove officials and an effort would be made to retain at least some of the local police officers.

"We are now trying to work out some sort of budget," Melendez said. "Those officers are well known and well liked in their community. We are trying to keep as many of them as we can."

### Congregation Looks To Sun

SOUTH KINGSTOWN, R.I. (UPI) — The 50 members of the First Assembly of God Church are looking to the heavens for more than divine guidance.

Trying to avoid monthly fuel bills, the tiny congregation has designed what it believes will be the first totally solar-heated church in the Northeast.

"The idea originated with God. Solar heating is the only reasonable way for people to go, and this is our contribution to that quest," said the Rev. Steven Antin, pastor.

He called the solar idea "natural" because the largest part of the building needs heating only once or twice weekly. Solar panels will be erected facing south on the longest side of the L-shaped structure.

The congregation is prepared to pay all construction costs, said Ann Moran, the system's designer. She said the project may qualify for federal funding because it has never been tried in the eastern part of the country, where sunshine is irregular.

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JOLLY THREESOME — Sweden's King Carl Gustaf brightened the eyes of his five-month-old daughter, Princess Victoria, with a small Santa Claus at the Royal Palace in Stockholm recently. (AP Laserphoto)

## Powdered Protein Sales Drop; Makers Say Treatment Unfair

By MICHAEL J. CONLON  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sales of powdered protein have dropped amid public concern over liquid protein, and makers of the powdered alternative feel unfair treatment by the federal government may be a reason.

Confusion about the two substances apparently has contributed to declining sales, industry officials say. A decision by the Food and Drug Administration to require warning labels on the dry as well as liquid diet products hasn't helped either.

A federal investigation is underway into the deaths of 39 people who were using liquid protein.

"We are counting on adverse publicity about liquid proteins" to help sell powdered varieties, said a spokesman for the J. B. Williams Co., a subsidiary of Nabisco

co that makes Geritol and has started a new powdered protein product called PVM.

Nationwide advertising for PVM is to begin at the end of December.

"We wish the FDA had been a little more crisp in focusing on the liquid products,"

The two diet products are vastly different.

Liquid protein is made from animal hides, horns and hooves to produce a broken-down protein. A dieter using the product can cut calorie intake to 300 calories a day.

Powdered protein is different. It is a weight-control product extracted from dried milk, soy and eggs. Two types are available.

One supplement regular meals. It can

be sprinkled on cereal or mixed with juice.

The second type is marketed as a diet product, with users urged to eat one regular meal a day and two others consisting of the powder mixed in juice or milk.

"Until 1971, we had so few women in agriculture we didn't even keep records on just how many there were," said Harry Kunkel, dean of the agricultural school

# Agricultural Students Increasing At Colleges

By DAVE CARPENTER  
AMES, Iowa (AP) — Keeping 'em down on the farm, as the old saying goes, is less of a problem these days for agricultural schools.

State universities around the country are finding that an increasing number of students are enrolling in agriculture programs.

Newly released national statistics show there are 98,519 students of agriculture or related topics. That's up about 80 percent from the 1970 figure of 54,000, according to Dr. Louis M. Thompson, associate dean at Iowa State University's College of Agriculture at Ames.

Thompson compiles enrollment statistics for the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges, which represents the major public universities in the country.

The deans say it's evidence of a growing interest in farming and "agribusiness."

"The growth has been just phenomenal," said Roy Kottman, dean of Ohio State University's agricultural school, the nation's third largest.

Ten years ago only 10 percent of agricultural school graduates went into farming, but that figure has now doubled, Thompson said.

Today, 30 percent of the graduates enter agribusiness — food production and related fields — where job opportunities remain good and starting pay averages \$11,500. Twenty percent go to graduate school and the rest enter government service or some form of private employment.

Thompson attributes the boom over the last decade to several factors: the increase of women in formerly male-dominated programs, an increase in farm income, publicity given to the world food shortage and the increase in popularity of courses that deal with the environment.

The ISU dean was "overwhelmed" to discover that enrollment at his own school this fall was up 10.6 percent from 1976.

"Enrollment has actually been going up since 1964 across the country," he said. "Today it's the high number of women that are keeping the figures on the rise."

Women now account for more than 30 percent (31,000) of the total, he said, especially in classes in horticulture, floriculture and animal science, where they frequently outnumber the men.

"Until 1971, we had so few women in agriculture we didn't even keep records on just how many there were," said Harry Kunkel, dean of the agricultural school

at Texas A&M, the nation's largest with 5,548 'ag' students.

And in the last six years the total of women has mushroomed from 128 to more than 1,500, according to Kunkel.

Ohio State's Kottman says the current rosy outlook for agricultural schools has its roots in the 1950s.

"Some of us got angry about people saying vocational agriculture was for the birds," he said, and launched a recruiting drive while promoting the image of agriculture.

But it wasn't until the mid-1960s, says Kottman, that agriculture established itself as a respected area of study and was able to attract top students.

"They used to poke fun at us, but today we're drawing many of the best students," he says.

Agricultural students are also taking advantage of excellent job opportunities in the field.

Iowa State placement officer Roger Bruene said, "It appears there's a continuing recognition of the value of education for many phases of agribusiness, including those returning to farming."

Bruene said nine farmers showed up at the ISU campus one day recently to interview students for farm management positions.

An abundance of off-farm jobs, too, is drawing young men and women of urban

backgrounds, said Kottman.

Ted Hartung, dean of the University of Nebraska's College of Agriculture, said 46 percent of this year's freshmen at his school come from towns with populations of 5,000 or more, a sizable increase over past years.

"It's a lifestyle that attracts young people," said Hartung.

Kottman sees the farmer as the beneficiary of the sudden surge of interest in agriculture because "with specialized people doing specialized jobs the farmer doesn't have to worry about all that."

The "flowering of agricultural science," he feels, was inevitable.

"People realize they can't take agriculture for granted any more."

### DIFFERENT CLIMATES

Nicaragua is divided diagonally into three distinct geographical regions. The torrid Pacific region is the most populous and developed. The central region, the coolest of the three, consists of mountain ranges, with some peaks reaching 7,000 feet, where coffee and tobacco are cultivated and cattle raised. The eastern region, humid and hot, is an extensive lowland which slopes gently toward the Atlantic Ocean.

## The Almanac TODAY IN HISTORY

By United Press International  
Today is Wednesday, Dec. 21, the 355th day of 1977 with 10 to follow.

The moon is between its first quarter and full phase.

The morning stars are Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn.

There are no evening stars.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Sagittarius.

Soviet Premier Josef Stalin was born Dec. 21, 1879.

On this day in history:

In 1620, the Pilgrims set foot for the first time on American soil at Plymouth, Mass.

In 1942, the U.S. Supreme Court upheld the validity of six-week divorces granted in Nevada.

In 1968, Apollo 8 blasted off for moon orbit carrying Frank Borman, James Lovell and William Anders.

In 1975, six terrorists burst into a Vien-

na meeting of oil-producing nations' ministers, killed three persons and held 70 hostages, including 11 OPEC ministers.

A thought for the day: British poet Richard Trench said, "We kneel, how weak. We rise, how full of power."

## Trash Dumpsters Popular Target Of Ohio Thieves

By JAMES W. HATTON  
COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — What's green, smelly, as big as a van and probably missing? In Columbus, the answer is a dumpster.

The bulky trash containers have been disappearing around Ohio's capital city so often that police have named dumpster thefts their "Crime of the Week."

That qualifies it for a local program called Crime Solvers Anonymous, in which anyone who calls in a tip that leads to an arrest and indictment in the case gets a \$1,000 reward.

Columbus police Detective Cal Holt said the dumpsters, some loaded with garbage, have been stolen mostly from the city's east side and from around the Ohio State University area.

The thefts began late last summer and Holt now has at least 15 to 20 dumpster theft reports on his desk. He estimates the total value of the missing dumpsters at \$12,000.

What do you do with a hot dumpster? Sand blast it, paint it and ship it to another part of the country, Holt said.

"There are markets all over," he said. "The trash business is very competitive," and people are always looking for ways to cut costs.

Most of the dumpsters stolen are of the four-and six-cubic-yard size, Holt said, although some nine-cubic-yard models have been taken. One monstrous 30-cubic-yard dumpster — about the size of a small boxcar — also is missing.

The thefts probably require at least two people and a garbage truck to handle the hefty containers, Holt said, noting that the four-yard size weighs about 450 pounds and the six-yard size more than 1,000 pounds empty.

Most of the thefts have occurred at apartment complexes and from businesses, and most have been in the early morning hours.

"The one's that have been witnessed, the people were half asleep and couldn't identify anyone," Holt said. "And (the thieves) had a garbage truck and the people thought they were with the sanitation department."

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### Dylan's Ex-Wife Pleads Innocent

**MALIBU, Calif. (AP)** — Sara Dylan, ex-wife of singer-songwriter Bob Dylan, has pleaded innocent to charges of attacking a teacher at a private school where she went to take custody of four of her five children.

The plea to one misdemeanor count each of battery and willfully disrupting a classroom was entered Tuesday in Municipal Court.

Mrs. Dylan, 38, of Beverly Hills went with the three detectives to the Point Dume elementary school Nov. 8 to get the children after she obtained a court order granting her temporary custody.

Deputy District Attorney Ron Carpol said she allegedly began punching and choking teacher Rex Burke, 35, when he asked to see the court order.

Mrs. Dylan and the detectives also allegedly stormed through the school, frightening other children as she looked for her sons, Jesse, 11; Samuel, 9; and Jakob, 6, and daughter Anna, 10.

The Dylans, who had lived together in Malibu, were divorced earlier this year but their fight for permanent custody is still pending.

### Prayer Vigil Planned

**COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP)** — Larry Flynt, owner of Hustler magazine, says he, his wife and comedian Dick Gregory will hold a three-day fast and prayer vigil for Sen. Hubert Humphrey, world peace and an end to world hunger.

Flynt telephoned The Associated Press here Tuesday night, saying the three were at an "undisclosed retreat."

Cynthia Johnson, an aide to Flynt, said he admires the Minnesota senator's dedication to world peace, and admires "the strength of the man, even when he knows the end is coming."

Humphrey has inoperable cancer. Flynt recently resigned as publisher of the sex-oriented magazine but says he will retain ownership of the corporation which also publishes Chic men's magazine and a news magazine called Ohio, which is to begin publication next spring.

Flynt, who has been sentenced to seven to 25 years in prison on a pornography conviction in Cincinnati, says he was religiously converted by President Carter's sister, Ruth Carter Stapleton, a Christian evangelist.

### Governor Distributing Calendars

**OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)** — Twenty-thousand calendars featuring a picture of a beaming Dixie Lee Ray superimposed on an orange sunset over Puget Sound are being distributed as holiday gifts from the governor.

Campaign workers and friends of the governor commissioned the calendars, and private donors are picking up the \$2,000 tab.

### Baker May Go To Panama

**NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)** — Senate Minority Leader Howard Baker is considering a trip to Panama sometime between Christmas and Jan. 19.

Pat Welch, who works in Baker's Washington office, said

Tuesday that Panama's ambassador last week personally delivered an invitation from Panama's leader, Gen. Omar Torrijos. Baker said the trip would permit a valuable first-hand appraisal of the evidence for and against the Panama Canal treaties.

"If I do go, that does not signal a decision," Baker said in a statement. "I do not intend to go down there and negotiate a treaty of my own."

### Karen Quinlan's Guard Changed

**MORRIS PLAINS, N.J. (AP)** — Sheriff's officers guarding comatose Karen Ann Quinlan will be replaced by regular nursing home security personnel next year, a Morris County legislator says.



The county sheriff's department has spent more than \$45,000 to guard the 23-year-old woman this year, said Freeholder Alfonso Scerbo.

"She is, after all, one of 366 patients up there," Scerbo said of the county-run Morris View Nursing Home's most famous resident, the subject of a widely publicized "right-to-die" court case.

"And, with all due respect, her family has done nothing to keep this thing at a low level."  
Security was increased at the nursing home because of publicity. Her parents, Joseph and Julia Quinlan of Landing, have asked for privacy repeatedly while at the same time selling magazine and television rights to their story.

Miss Quinlan went into a coma and was placed on a respirator in April 1975 after taking a combination of drugs and alcohol. Her adoptive parents went to court for permission to have life-support systems removed from Miss Quinlan.

### So That's What it Means!

**NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)** — Complicated legal language is on the way out of insurance policies issued in Tennessee.

### The Lighter Side Of Today's News

Tuesday, Insurance Commissioner Millard Oakley approved a new insurance form for 300 companies providing the state's residents with homeowners' policies.

The new form reduces a standard policy's length from 12,000 to 7,000 words.

For example, the old policy, began with a 240-word sentence, reading, in part:

"In consideration of the provisions and stipulations herein or added hereto and of the premiums ..."  
The new form begins:

"We will provide the insurance described in this policy in return for the premium and compliance with all provisions of this policy."

### What's Going On Here

#### TONIGHT

The Happy Hearts dance at the Merry Mixers Building

#### THURSDAY

Storytime meets at 10:30 a.m. in the Godeke Branch Library.

The Stardusters dance at the Merry Mixers Building

Southside Overeaters Anonymous meets at 10 a.m. at Oakwood Methodist Church, 2215 58th St.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. at St. Christopher's Episcopal Church, 2807 42nd St.

TOPS 215 meets at 7 p.m. in Tinker-Bell Play School, 4007 32nd St.

## Lubbock Facility Selected For Surgical Hospital Site

By JEFF SOUTH  
Avalanche-Journal Staff

An Alabama company said Tuesday it has nailed down the purchase of the now-vacant Lubbock Medical Center building and will begin "massive renovation" to reopen the facility in 1979 as a new hospital for out-patient surgery.

A spokesman also said the company has asked the Texas Health Facilities Commission for approval of plans for the 147-bed project.

The purchase, complicated by U.S. District Court bankruptcy proceedings that have enveloped the Medical Center for more than a year, was made by Brookwood Health Services Inc., based in Birmingham, Ala.

Brookwood had been negotiating the past several months with the building's owners — the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and LaSalle National Bank of Chicago.

"Our proposal to HUD and the bondholders has just been accepted," Alan Markowitz, marketing director for Brookwood, said Tuesday in a telephone interview.

"We are preparing to file for a certificate of need," he added. "That application is being mailed to the Texas Health Facilities Commission right now."

Brookwood is seeking to convert the Medical Center facility from the 200 "chronic care" beds presently authorized by the state to 147 "acute care" beds.

The reduction in the number of beds, to free up more space in the building, and the change in designation are necessary in turning the facility into the proposed Surgical Hospital of Lubbock, Markowitz said.

### Gallery Acquires Jackson Portrait

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — The National Portrait Gallery, a branch of the Smithsonian Institution, has acquired one of two existing daguerreotype portraits of Confederate General Thomas J. "Stonewall" Jackson.

Marvin Sadik, gallery director, said the other photograph of "Old Jack" is in the Museum of the Confederacy in Richmond, Va. Sadik said five additional pictures were taken of the general, but all have been lost.

Sadik added there is no known life portrait of Jackson, who earned his nickname in the first Battle of Bull Run.

The daguerreotype, attributed to H.B. Hull of Richmond, will be included in the gallery's department of photographs, which contains 42 likenesses of prominent Americans from John Quincy Adams to Ernest Hemingway.

Brookwood officials are "very confident" that the state commission will grant the requested certificate of need, he said.

While the application for a certificate of need is being processed — a procedure Markowitz said may take several months — Brookwood will begin "massive renovation" of the facility and provide it with new equipment.

When the proposal was first disclosed in June, Brookwood had hoped to put Surgical Hospital of Lubbock in business in the first quarter of 1979 and had estimated the project cost — purchase, renovation and equipment — at \$6.3 million.

Negotiations for the sale, however, appear to have altered the project's timetable and price tag.

Markowitz said Tuesday the new hospital probably won't begin admitting patients until the third quarter of 1979.

And although he declined to disclose the purchase price, Markowitz said the project cost will be well in excess of \$6.3 million.

The Medical Center building, which has been closed for the past year and a half, is located at 4000 22nd Place. The facility is about four years old.

Initially, local hospital administrators

and some other members of the medical community expressed concern over the Brookwood proposal. They said the Lubbock area already has more than enough hospital beds, and that the opening of a new facility would hurt their business.

However, Markowitz feels he has dispelled those fears in a presentation he made in August to the South Plains chapter of the Texas Hospital Association.

He said the proposed Surgical Hospital of Lubbock will draw on a large area, encompassing West Texas and eastern New Mexico. That area, Markowitz noted, is growing rapidly.

Also, he said the Brookwood facility will tap a "separate, distinct market" of patients, by offering primarily out-patient surgery, often done on a "same-day basis."

Brookwood is planning "a different thrust of service — a great deal of out-patient surgery at a significantly lower cost to the patient," Markowitz said.

He said out-patient surgery currently is performed by some Lubbock hospitals as an "after-thought, but to the best of our knowledge, no one is geared specifically to that kind of service."

Markowitz said about 30 local surgeons are involved in the Brookwood project.

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## City Unable To Fulfill Job Quotas

There are disadvantages to having a low unemployment rate in Lubbock.

Mayor Roy Bass will be requested to write a letter to a Department of Labor representative complaining about the quotas for a federally funded hiring program — quotas the program is unable to fulfill, and in trying to do so is "going to the pool halls."

Ann Brownlow, the director of the Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA) said Tuesday she has fallen 20 short of December's goal — which reflects a cumulative figure — of 210 people employed under the Title VI program.

She said Tom Strebeck, the field representative for the Department of Labor, called her recently to remind her of the shortage. If Brownlow does not get the 20 workers, Strebeck will write a complaining letter to Bass, and the funds for the program will possibly be cut, she said.

Because of the low unemployment rate in Lubbock, Brownlow has been unable to find the people, and her staffers have started "going to the pool halls" to find people who might want a job, she said.

The Title VI program, also called Public Service Employment, is designed to give jobs to the long term unemployed. People who have exhausted their unemployment benefits and still do not have a job, those who are eligible for unemployment benefits but do not choose to take them and especially veterans are eligible.

Title VI is part of President Carter's unemployment packages, and the hiring quotas are set in Washington, D.C.

The quotas are set on population and not necessarily need.

Councilwoman Carolyn Jordan, ex-officio member of the executive committee, raised the question of why Lubbock should strain to find people to work when the money could probably be more profitably used elsewhere where there is a higher unemployment rate.

"I don't see why we have to do it (fulfill the quota)," she said. "The money you have to spend is tax money raised all around the country."

Instead of Strebeck sending a letter to Bass asking the Mayor to "slapme on the wrist," as she put it, the committee voted to ask Bass to draft a letter to Strebeck complaining about Lubbock's program having to scrounge for workers.

"What's the point of having local input if you can't say 'enough is enough—we're drowning in money!'" Jordan said.

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**SANTA'S GOT A BIG PROBLEM** — Paul Eisermann, former wrestler, has been offered a job as Santa at Dallas for Christmas day, a role he's played many years. This year he's got a big problem — he's gained 40 pounds and now weighs 340. Obviously, his suit doesn't fit. Weight loss expert, Dr. Harvey G. Davison, left, has made no promise other than to help Santa get rid of his tum-tum. (AP Laserphoto)

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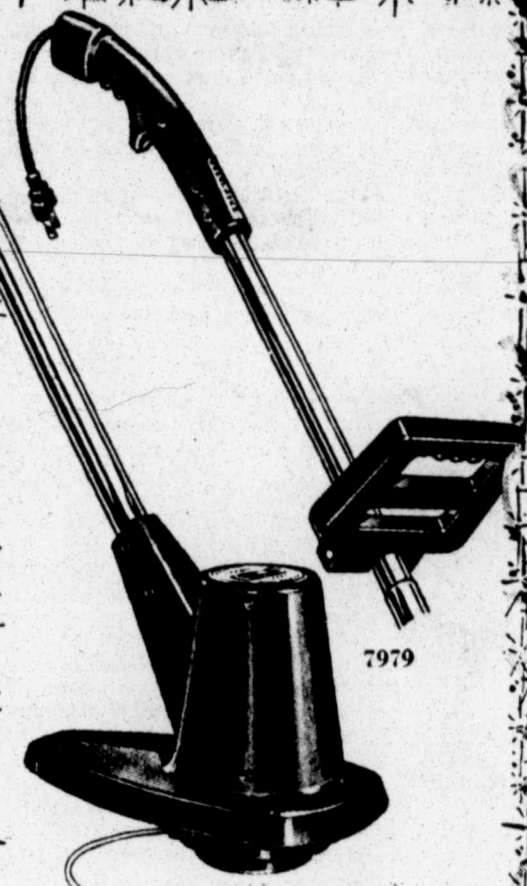


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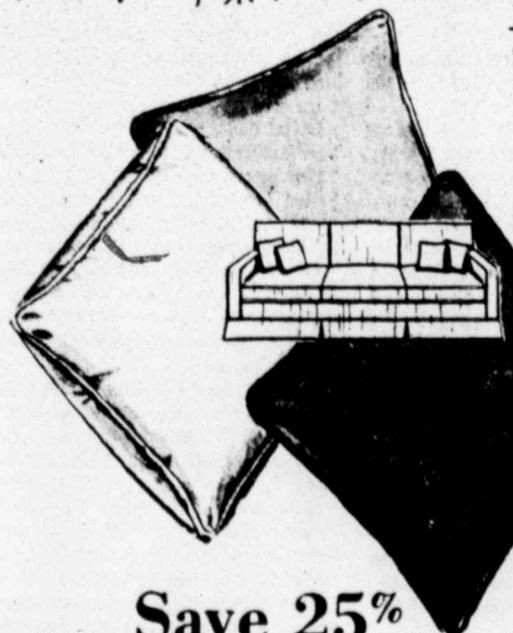


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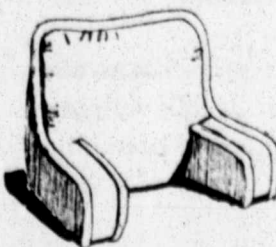


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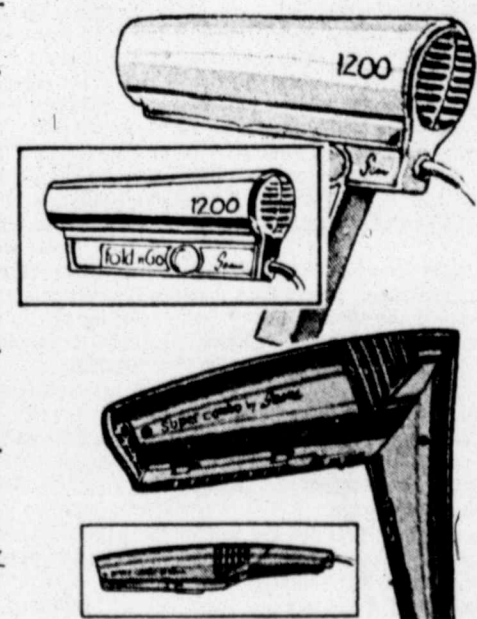


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# Christmas Becomes Time For Sharing, Caring

The spirit of Christmas — it means many things to many different people, yet it is alive and real in spite of attempts to disclaim it, bringing to people all over the world a time of joy, a feeling of brotherhood and a sense of renewal — of friendships, love and hope.

Christmas for some is a deeply religious experience. For others, Christians and non-Christians alike, it is a joyous time to gather with family and friends, to send cards and letters to all those we may have neglected in the past year, and to shop for all the lovely presents that will sit temptingly under the tree until Christmas Day.

### Most Special List

Indeed, the Christmas gift list is a very special part of the loving Christmas spirit — it's something different from any other list of names in the world. It may be large or small, filled in with everything from the practical to the extraordinary, but every list of Christmas plans is a very personal expression of friendship and love.

No mere shopping guide, the Christmas gift list is an important extension of the joyous spirit of Christmas itself — a time for caring, sharing, a time to stop and reflect on a year's worth of memories and those who made them special.

As we write down the names of the friends and relatives we wish to present with our holiday packages, we recall all of the qualities of each person listed. Christmas is the time when every present must be special, every package filled with delight.

To find such gifts involves more than a casual thought. In a sense, the Christmas shopper places himself ahead to Christmas Day, to the moment when the wrappings are undone and the ribbons scattered, in hopes of finding just the right item to light up a face and widen a smile.

### Spontaneous Memories

The answers may come to us as we drive to work, while cleaning the attic or reading the Sunday paper. Suddenly we remember the look on mother's face the day she spotted that special blue dress ... or the little hints that dad's been dropping all along for a new rod and tackle ... or the extra attention the young tomboy-turned-teenager has been paying to her wardrobe and the way junior's been spotted practicing with a tie in front of the mirror.

We remember a friend's favorite color, or fragrance, or how much she admired a certain style. We even intercept Santa's letters on their way to the North Pole in the hopes of keeping up with St. Nick in spreading Christmas joy to the children!

A list this personal, this loving and thoughtful, requires a great deal of planning, needless to say.

Plan early for your Christmas gift buying, so that you can be certain the presents you select will carry with them that special message of thoughtfulness and love. Even the best plans can use some help.

This year's offerings for Christmas are better than ever, combining the best of rich, nostalgic, romantic items with an array of modern wizardry to set the head spinning!

It's the perfect year for all the special women in your life — mothers, wives and sweethearts will all appreciate the beautiful return of romance as seen in the latest fashions and accessories. Ruffles, lace, silks and satin are all making fashion headlines, and what prettier way is there to show her how pretty you think she is!

But pretty women are also modern, liberated women and can use some of the sleek new appliances and gift items to make life easier and more fun.

### Open Mind, Open Choices

A calculator for a conscientious home accountant, a dishwasher for the woman who has better things to do than dabble in water, a hair styler or dryer for the gal on the go who wants the most from her looks with a minimum of primping time spent.

She might even appreciate a new tool kit, or even a power tool or craft kit — it's amazing how many women would rather be their own handymen!

### The Boy In The Man

For the men on the list, it's the perfect time to remember the boy in each and every one of them. There's a whole new line of electronic games and devices on the market which are sure to keep him whiling away many a happy hour in the year to come — new video games, calculators, or a CB or police scanner for that little bit of Kojak in them all.

Men always appreciate a gift in the apparel line, and there's no time like Christmas to give him a fragrance set, one that speaks especially for him and lets him know that he deserves a little pampering, too.

Teen-agers seem to present the greatest stumbling block in the planning of a Christmas list — or so it would seem.

Actually, teen-agers are very receptive to just about anything new and unique. They are very interested in making a good appearance, so a gift of clothing — or better yet a personal care appliance — is sure to please. You could give the young lady in the house her own telephone, or imagine gifting a young man his first electric shaver.

Teen-agers also have definite tastes in music, and while you may not know the difference between Rod Stewart and Jimmy Stewart, a look through their current record collection and a chat with the salespeople at your local record store should give you a fairly good idea of what's popular and pleasing on the teen scene.

### Babies In Toyland

Children are always a delight to shop for at Christmas, and this year there are more wonderful selections than ever before to choose from.

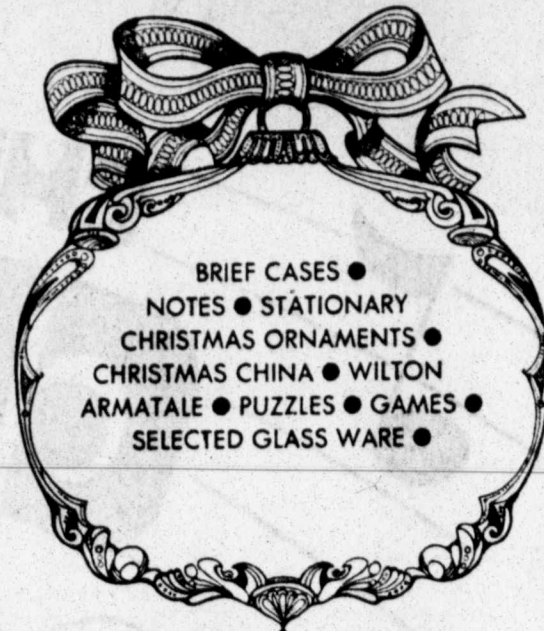
There are dolls of every kind for boys and girls alike — dolls to play grown-up with, dolls to lead them through all of their wonderful fancies and fantasies.

There are games for future athletes and budding Einsteins, and toys that talk, walk, fly, dive, laugh, cry, teach, tickle and love.

As always, if you should have any doubts as to what would be most appreciated, just listen in when they crawl up on Santa's knee.

But whether you're shopping for youngsters or grandparents, newlyweds or singles, students or career builders, relatives, friends or the gang at the office, remember that the most important part of any Christmas gift is the time and thought put into it by you, the giver, and the joy you'll receive when they open the packages.

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## Things To Remember

New Year's is the traditional day for resolutions, but Christmas should be the day for "remembers"

Remember — the good times you've had and be thankful for them.

Remember — your family loves you; return that love.

Remember — your pet depends on you for his food, his lodging, his health; give him a good life.

Remember — your friends: it is your responsibility to keep them as friends.

Remember — people in hospitals need you more now; pay a brief visit with a cheery smile.

Remember — nursing home patients love to see a friendly face; drop in for a chat.

Remember — the people who are

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Remember — the true meaning of Christmas: Peace on Earth, Good Will toward Man.

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One of the best parts of the Christmas gift is the pretty packaging that it comes in.

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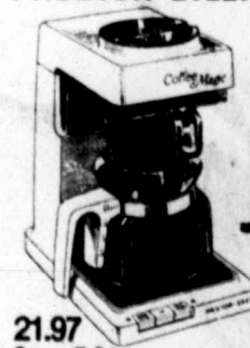
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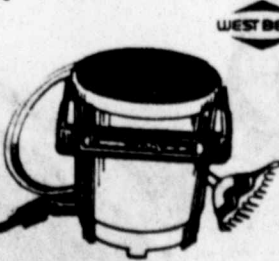
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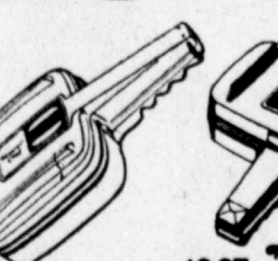
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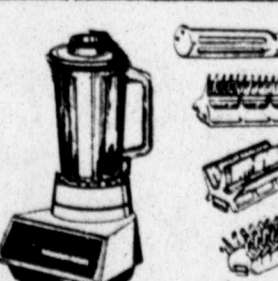
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# Toys' Educational Value Eyed

**WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (UPI)** — Many highly touted "educational" toys really don't educate, says a Purdue University professor.

"Parents shouldn't let themselves be swayed by the television gimmicks," said Loretta M. Hatfield, head teacher and assistant director of the Child Development Laboratories in the School of Consumer and Family Sciences.

"It's time to go back to the basic blocks, cardboard boxes and homemade puppets."

Mrs. Hatfield said toys educate when they challenge children to think creatively, to reason, or to advance their ability to solve problems.

Puzzles, peg boards and dominoes are good examples, she said.

A toy is frustrating, not educational she said, if it is beyond the child's ability or developmental stage.

For example, a 16-piece puzzle would be beyond comprehension for a two- or three-year-old.

A puzzle map of the United States for a three-year-old child could only frustrate the child, whereas a four-piece puzzle would not challenge a five-year-old.

Super-expensive toys may not give children anything to do, Mrs. Hatfield said.

As example of toys that are very educational, she named building blocks, Erector Sets and Tinker Toys because they give children a chance to use their imagination and creativity.

"Parents should also select at least one toy or game the whole family will use or play together," she said. "It is an educational setting for the child, learning social skills at home."

Homemade toys bought at bazaars are more creative and stimulating to children, she said.

"And button collections help train the child to clearly and sort."

She said simple things such as tires, spoons, pots and pans also stimulate children's imagination.

In selecting toys, she urges consumers to ask themselves:

•Does the toy encourage cooperative play so the children may learn to share with others?

•Does it have flexibility so children

may do different things with it?

She said good choices include toys that develop small-muscle coordination such as climbing apparatus, balls or bicycles, and toys that develop motor-coordination such as peg boards or lacing sewing cards.

Also, boxes that educate children to recognize various shapes, beads to string,

magnetic alphabetic cards, dominoes to teach concepts of mathematics, unit blocks that also develop the math concept, motor coordination and social sharing.

Parents should examine toys for durability, sound construction, appropriateness to the child's age level and appeal to the child, Mrs. Hatfield said.



## Homemade Christmas Brings Back Old Days

Whatever happened to homemade spice cookies and tree decorations, hand-crafted toys and bees wax candles? If you're longing for the good old days when grandmother did everything herself instead of buying Christmas at a store, here are some ideas to bring back those holiday memories without a lot of work.

Decide on a total holiday color scheme. Whether you choose gold and silver, red and white or some other combination, you'll achieve a richer effect if you concentrate on just two colors. Then select the products to help you create an unforgettable Yuletide setting.

•**TREE TRIMMINGS** — Dramatize your Christmas tree with garlands of cranberries alternated with fluffy popped corn. Highlight the crisp red and white motif with tiny bows of velvet or satin.

To bring the winter wonderland indoors, spray tree boughs with aerosol "snow" and scent the room with a pine spray. For a safe holiday season, keep a fire extinguisher within easy reach of the tree.

Tree trimmings make an ideal family project. Take colored construction paper and cut out angels, reindeer, candy canes or chains of paper dolls. Spray them with glue and sprinkle with glitter. Tie them to the tree with color-coordinated yarn.

Use uncooked pasta in the shape of wagon wheels to make a garland. Spray paint the pieces before stringing them together and weaving them around the tree.

•**FESTIVE FOODS** — The cookie-cutter crowd will enjoy making gingerbread Santas and stars while you bake spice cookies and fruitcake muffins. For an irresistible treat, make brownies and garnish them with whipped cream and a cherry.

•**WREATHS AND WINDOWS** — Wreaths — of evergreen, pine cones or plastic fruit — can be glamorized with silver or gold paints. For a highlight, add sprigs of holly or Christmas balls.

You can bring Old World charm into your home by making stained glass windows. Buy sheets of colored plastic at an art store. Then cut them into geometric shapes to depict a scene or random design. Spray your window with adhesive, and press the plastic pieces on the glass until they stick. Leave a little space between the segments for strips of black masking tape to simulate the leaded look.

Spray aerosol "snow" on the corners of the window panes, and the interior of your home will look cozier than ever.

•**HOLIDAY WRAPPINGS** — A little creativity can elevate your Christmas gift wrapping to an art. To personalize gifts — and Christmas stockings — cut out stars, snowmen and St. Nicks, or make block letters of felt or patterned fabrics. Then glue them on packages or stockings. Buttons, ribbons or other trimmings from your sewing box can add luster to your artistry.

There are lots more projects you can dream up. All it takes is love, imagination and holiday spirit.

## Records Make Handy Yule Gift Items

**NEW YORK (UPI)** — Relatives and friends who don't know what to give this Christmas can find an answer in long-playing phonograph records.

Most Americans grow up on music and few have tin ears. So the only problem would seem to be determining what kind of records to give.

Teen-agers generally will settle for rock, especially the punk variety that is the current craze. Those men and women who have moved out of their teens and may be pushing 30 should enjoy listening to "Love Songs" by the Beatles in a Capitol album. The songs released previously, include "Yesterday," "Michelle" and "Norwegian Wood."

An album with "White Christmas" should be a must.

The Irving Berlin popular classic is included in "Bing Crosby's Greatest Hits" in an MCA album. The selection showcases typical Crosby hits, among them "I Surrender Dear," "Swinging on a Star," "You Are My Sunshine" and "Where the Blue of the Night Meets the Cold of the Day."

Elvis Presley music will be popular for some time to come. Most rock tunes he popularized are packaged in multi-record albums.

One is "The Elvis Presley Story," a five-LP set from Candlelight Music. The other is RCA's "Elvis in Concert." It contains the sound-track of the postmortem special and selections from Presley's June tour.

Angel has re-issued Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Pirates of Penzance" on its low-budget Seraphim label, a two-disc album that is full of good light music.

Those who wish to splurge can't go wrong with "Beethoven-Nine Symphonies," by Herbert Karajan conducting the Berlin Philharmonic. Deutsche Grammophon is making this tremendous, eight-LP project available at a special low price. It is a good investment.

Deutsche Grammophon also has issued a splendid new recording of Verdi's "Simon Boccanegra" with Mirella Preni, Piero Cappuccelli, Nicolai Ghiaurov, Jose van Dam, Giovanni Foisani and Jose Garreras. Although "Simon Boccanegra" is not as familiar as "Aida" or "La Traviata," it is a masterpiece. This recording features a great cast.

## Christmas Very Special For Elderly Dallas Pair

**DALLAS (AP)** — Christmas Day is a date of more than average significance to Robert Womack, 95, and his wife Ursie, 87 — it's also their 70th wedding anniversary.

And they'll celebrate at their home in a North Dallas area where you might least suspect it, a Greenville Avenue neighborhood full of restaurants and "singles only" apartment complexes.

Their marriage on that long ago Christmas in 1907 capped a courtship of three years after Womack, a young farmer just getting started, met and paid suit to 14-year-old Ursie Earles.

Mrs. Womack, their main spokesman now because her husband is growing deaf, finds nothing strange about a marriage lasting so long.

"He has his ideas and I have mine," she said. "I wasn't an angel when I married him, and I didn't expect to marry an angel. I guess, as much as anything, that's part of staying together."

Both were natives of McMinnville, Tenn. Womack migrated as a young man of 22 with an aunt and uncle to Mount Calm in Hill County. Ursie moved there with her parents at the age of seven months. She quit college at 17 to marry.

They attached no special importance to their getting married at Christmas.

"It was handy for us to get married on Christmas Day," recalled Mrs. Womack. "We knew we had to get out to the farm to put down early crops, so it just seemed like the thing to do. You know how us farmers are."

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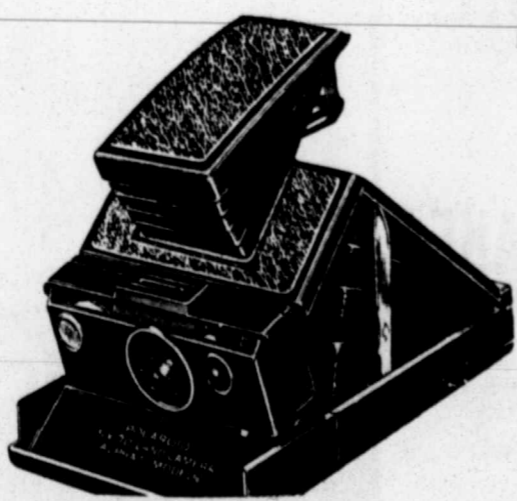
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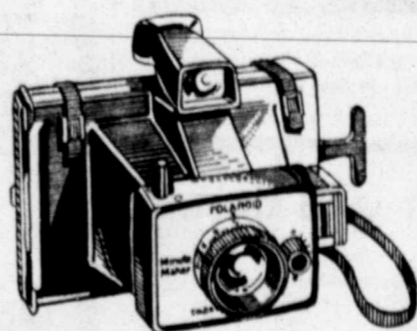
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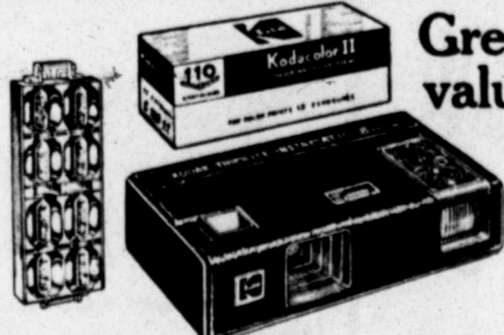
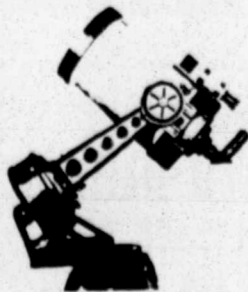
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Or select a series of pictures of the whole family and frame them together in a montage.

You'll not only perk up your home, you'll perk up your family as they recall memorable and pleasant moments each time they pass the pictures during their daily routines.

A really snappy idea is to have a frame made with a turn-screw back. Make several montages of pictures and rotate them according to the season.

Another way to give your home a Christmas present and give your child a long-lasting glow is to take pictures he

has drawn in school or at home on rainy days and frame them to hang on a wall in his room or the family room.

If there is a real talent in your house, think big and get a piece of canvas. Let the talented member of the family paint a picture on the canvas and then glue it to the wall with the proper adhesive. The canvas can be removed at any time without harming the wall itself, and it can then be stored and kept for a Christmas present when the artist is older and has his own house to decorate.

Perhaps you have musical talent in your house. Tape record the musician and send the tape to a family member who lives in another part of the country. The whole family can join in Christmas greetings on the tape and give a truly personal touch to a far-away relative or good friend.

Perhaps mother or dad doodles while on the telephone. Collect those doodles, select the ones that are funny or pertinent, glue them to a piece of colored



**FAMILY TRADITION STARTED** — Christmas may be the whole family's holiday, but for children, it's the most exciting time of year. All tree decorating ideas are merely a way of "personalizing" the tree, and children can help start a new family tradition as they carefully hang the ornaments.

## Time, Love Gifts Will Make Yule Perfect

If you're looking for a gift for mother that's easy on the budget yet filled with loving thoughts, why not give her a promise of your time and help for Christmas?

It might take the form of so many days work of after-dinner cleanup and dish duty. Or an offer to take over the ironing for a week ... or a month!

Even a vow from teen-agers to keep a close-to-spotless room in the upcoming year will make any mother beam with contentment.

Make a list of all the jobs your mother has to do — just in one day — and see where you can be of help to her.

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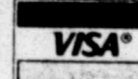


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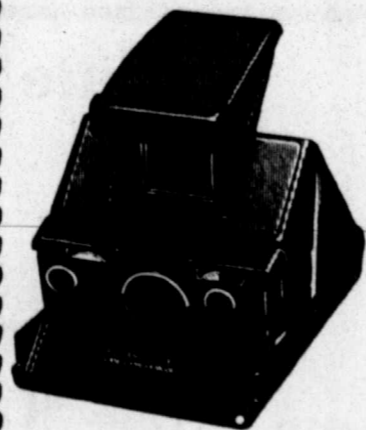
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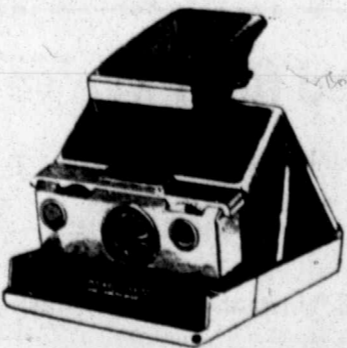
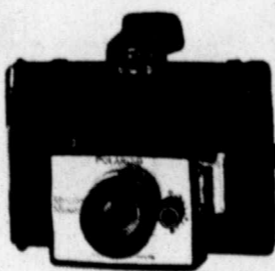


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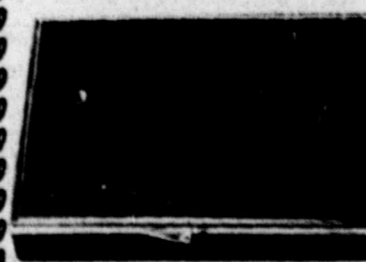


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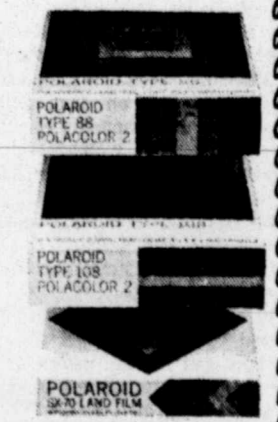
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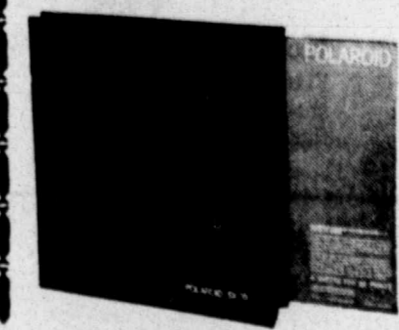


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# Many Gifts Extravagant, Elegant

By GAY PAULEY

NEW YORK (UPI) — Down to the wire on your Christmas shopping? Relax. Really all you need is money including a solid credit card, patience with long lines of shoppers, promise of deliveries in 1978, and catalogs to let your fingers do the walking.

For Santa's pack is a mixed bag. Even more so than in any other holiday season. It bulges with gifts that are extravagant, elegant, that emphasize concern about our ecology, our energy supply, physical fitness, his and hers items, and if you can abide one person's appraisal, a lot of things you don't want and wouldn't give except as something for the someone who already has everything.

Women's Wear Daily, the trade publication, reported that "quality sparks holiday catalog sales." Check the catalogs, as I did, of some 50 retail stores around the nation, and the conclusion is right — there is an abundance of luxury items, and upgrading that should be some indication of the state of the economy.

There is, however, a plethora of "Now what do I do with this?" items in the marketplace, as in every other year.

Let's look first at some of the extravagant, elegant categories — or, "If you've got it (money), flaunt it."

A New York retailer is offering a total silver room, sold in pieces if the buyer demands, but for the works \$250,000, including a bed that once was a throne. Bought by pieces, bed and sleigh are \$55,000 each, and you can have dining room chairs for \$8,000.

Only problem here is cost to keep the sterling polished. But preferences are a part of the holiday shopping list. For \$1.125 million the jet set can buy "Discojet saucers," like something out of the recent movies, made of fiberglass, mostly, that carry up to six persons.

Smaller versions, for two, come at \$685,500 from the Houston store that reminds the "flying saucers" still are in the experimental stage, until the Federal Aviation Administration certifies them, and that the saucer flyer must be a licensed pilot.

The larger "saucer" is available in 1979, the smaller in the coming year.

But if I had my druthers, I'd elect for \$130,000 the full-length coat made of Russian lynx bellies (almost totally white fur). The lynx is so rare and so in demand that

one prestige New York furrier told me he was able to buy only two bundles at the last Leningrad auction. Or, go for a Russian sable, reversing to karakul, at \$60,000.

Even the necktie, a perennial on shopping lists, has gone to the ultimate. One famous designer-manufacturer is offering a necktie "for that 'one man in a million' at only" \$3,000, \$2,000, and \$1,000, depending on the number of diamond clusters set into 14-karat gold rosettes on a base of cut velvet.

From the sublime to the ridiculous — there is also an edible necktie, for \$10, manufactured of solid milk chocolate in floral or solid design.



STICKY BUSINESS — Snow sticks in his beard, his clothes and his branches. He's Joel Peters and he sells Christmas trees near Boston's Faneuil Hall, even during snowy days. (AP Laserphoto)

### OUTDOOR DISPLAYS

Many homes are brightly displayed for the Yuletide holiday. If you're setting up lights outdoors, make sure the wiring is weatherproof and not cracked. Also secure wires so they don't hang or blow too much in the winter wind.

## Gift Items For Kitchen Lead List

NEW YORK (UPI) — Christmas giving each year has its most-wanted gifts, no matter what the cost. This season items for the home, and the kitchen in particular, lead the list.

An informal survey of the "10 most desired" leads off with the food processor, which you can buy from any trusted manufacturer for less than \$300. Food processors do just about everything except pay the supermarket bills and empty the garbage.

Just behind the processor, we found the favorite gift item was a minifryer that seems to fit better into small kitchens and small families.

Add to the "most wanted" the wok, the cooker that is as much a part of China as the Great Wall. The wok is the rounded, all-purpose utensil that probably owes its current U.S. popularity to the surging interest in Chinese cooking at home and the schools springing up like bean sprouts, specializing in Chinese cuisine.

A sleeper gift is the Italian coffee machine, with an electric platform that creates, the ads say, just the correct temperature that will surge steam, not water, through the coffee grounds.

The home smoke alarm is a best seller. Add in the home computer, to reinforce last year's favorite, the home calculator.

Then there are the home copying machines, the electronic games to attach to the home television screen, and the his and hers jogging suits.

The most sought of all seems to be connected with the movie "Star Wars."

All toys with the theme are sold out — one New York store said its supply of battery-powered sabers was gone before it reached the sales floor.

And a company which is producing a line of "Star War" toys announced it was issuing IOU's for purchasers.



TOO PRETTY TO EAT — Delightful do-it-yourself holiday decorations can come from the kitchen shell when you glue pasta to cardboard or styrofoam, or even string it up in garlands for the tree. You can give it a sparkling finish with spray paints, or leave it natural.

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# Video Games Attached To TVs Should Not Damage Screens

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prolonged, continuous use of electronic video games, popular Christmas gifts this year, may leave permanent patterns on television screens, the Federal Trade Commission warned Monday.

However, if the devices are not subjected to "abnormal or extraordinary" use, they should not damage the screens, the commission said.

The FTC urged that manufacturers and sellers warn consumers prior to sale that prolonged display of a video game with a fixed pattern is likely to result in a permanent image of the pattern on the TV screen, particularly that of a black and white set.

The best way to prevent marring a screen with an imprint is to shut off the game when it is not in use, the FTC emphasized.

The games attach to home TV sets and use the screens to project playing fields on which players can take part in electronic versions of hockey, tennis, war games, handball and dozens of other games.

The FTC said its findings are based on tests conducted by the National Bureau of Standards and other evidence.

To date, it said, it has received no consumer complaints. Most reported problems appear caused by continuous display of games by dealers on showroom sets, it said.

The FTC said imprinting on TV screens is most likely to occur if the games are used continuously, if the game has a high brightness level and if the set is black and white.

Tests showed that games with high brightness levels left imprints after 100 to 200 hours of continuous usage on black and white sets, and after 350 hours on color sets.

Where imprinting does occur, stationary details of a game's image remain on the screen, although the image will be less visible when the set is turned on, the agency said.

The commission recommended that consumers look for games and program cartridges that have low brightness video signals and use constantly changing brightness levels and colors when the game is left on but not being played.

The set's controls should be adjusted for a normal picture and then switched to the game, it said.

The commission said it would continue to monitor marketing of the games and their promotion and advertising.

## Plan To Make Holidays Less Hectic

Warm reveries and family togetherness fill the holiday season. However, preparing for hectic holidays with their steady flow of guests can leave you exhausted long before the doorbell rings.

To have enough time and energy to enjoy the festivities, be sure you plan ahead and organize your holiday chores. These suggestions may help:

• Making this year's holidays memorable should not be your responsibility alone. Arrange for help from all members of the family; assign tasks — large or small — and make each person responsible for his specific chore.

• Make sure the house gets a major cleaning ahead of time, so all that's left is some light and easy housekeeping.

• Prepare cook-ahead meals. Cakes, pies, cookies and many main courses such as casseroles can be prepared weeks ahead of time and put into the freezer. The days when guests are expected, just defrost and reheat for a delicious holiday meal.

### TREE SAFETY

Keep in mind that a dry Christmas tree can be destroyed by flames within minutes, thereby threatening the entire home. Remember to keep the tree well watered at all times and dispose of it when the needles begin drying and falling easily from the branches.

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