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Suits Settled Against 7 State Agencies

DePrang Verifies Agreement

By JIM STEIERT
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A spokesman for Grain Handling Corporation, which owns facilities in Hereford, Hart, Olton, Hart Camp and Springlake, reported in a telephone interview late Thursday that a tentative agreement being worked out between the area firm and Frito-Lay Inc. of Dallas could put Frito-Lay in charge of the local Grain Handling operation.

Grain Handling and Frito-Lay are currently embroiled in lawsuits which opened in October when Frito-Lay filed suit against a former executive of the firm, five associates and two other firms, including Grain Handling Corp. for alleged schemes to defraud \$18 million from Frito-Lay.

Grain Handling Corporation filed a \$45 million civil suit against Frito-Lay in late October, alleging breach of contract, and claiming that Frito-Lay has no right to repudiate an agreement to purchase four crop years of corn, beginning next year.

Garland DePrang of Olton, an owner in GHC reported that F-L and GHC have reached "a tentative agreement to agree," but pointed out that a number of details must still be worked out in order to clear the way for the letting of food corn production contracts to area farmers for the 1979 crop year.

Speaker of the Texas House Bill Clayton announced during a special hearing of the Texas House Agriculture Committee here earlier this week that GHC and FL had reached a "very tentative" agreement which would allow corn contracts to be offered to farmers on an individual basis sometime after the first of the year.

DePrang elaborated only briefly on any details of the agreement, indicating that negotiations are aimed at "getting this thing back together so contracts can be offered to area farmers."

According to DePrang, "Frito-Lay could end up taking over."

Reports from other sources have indicated that the outlines of a tentative agreement would put Frito-Lay in charge of the Grain Handling operation, and that

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House Panel To Pursue Evidence

WASHINGTON (AP) - The House Assassinations Committee decided today to hold a public hearing next Friday to explore new scientific evidence that a second gunman might have taken part in the assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

"The evidence will be heard in its full context and the possible meaning of it will be explored," said Rep. Louis Stokes, D-Ohio, chairman of the committee.

"I'm always suspicious of these new fangled sciences," said Rep. Richardson

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Christmas Issue To Be Delivered Saturday Evening

The Christmas edition of The Hereford Brand will be on the news-stands and delivered to homes Saturday evening instead of Sunday morning, it was announced today by editor Paul Sims.

The annual "greeting edition" will have special messages from local merchants and institutions, Christmas essays and poems from local students, special Yule messages from local ministers, and holiday photographs and articles.

The Brand office will be closed Monday. Deadlines for placing or taking out classified ads for next Tuesday's paper will be 9 a.m. that morning.

Although one more big shopping day remained for many stores Saturday, some of the non-retail businesses started their holiday closings today. Southwestern Public Service was closed today, while Pioneer Natural Gas closed at noon today. Financial institutions were open Friday, but most firms in the city will be closed Monday.



West Texas Snowman

It's not supposed to snow this Christmas, but that prediction didn't stop the Rick Wood family, of 509 E. 5th, from building a "snowman." The only disadvantage to this type of snowman is its threat

of blowing away. The snowman even has a blinking eye, which is hidden from view. (Brand photo by Paul Sims)

Farmers Boost Wheat Plantings

WASHINGTON (AP) - Encouraged by substantially higher prices, farmers have boosted their winter wheat plantings 8 percent for the 1979 harvest.

The Agriculture Department said Thursday that the crop could produce about 1.44 billion bushels when harvested next summer, up 15 percent from this year's reduced yield.

Farmers planted 51.5 million acres of winter wheat this fall, compared to 47.7 million planted a year ago for the 1978 crop, the department's Crop Reporting Board said.

Yields were estimated to average 28 bushels per acre planted, compared to 26.2 bushels for the 1978 crop.

The forecast, the first by the department on 1979 winter wheat prospects, was based on surveys made Dec. 1.

Winter wheat accounts for about three-fourths of the total U.S. wheat production. The remainder will be planted in the spring and harvested later

in 1979.

It will be at least six months before the crop is ready for harvest and its outcome will depend greatly on the weather in major producing areas this winter and next spring.

However, the board said that as of Dec. 1 the crop generally was in "fair to good" condition throughout the nation and that it benefited from rain and snow last month.

The report said farmers in Kansas, the leading wheat producer, may harvest 314.6 million bushels next year, compared to 306 million bushels in 1978.

As they were required to do in 1978, wheat farmers will have to set aside part of their cropland to qualify for federal price supports for the grain harvested next year.

However, farmers will not begin signing up for the 1979 program until later this winter and then will have until some time in the spring to adjust their acreage to conform to the set-aside

program. Those dates have not been announced.

Acreage set-aside, requirements also will be in effect for 1979 corn and other feed grains planted next spring.

The purpose of the set-aside programs is to help curb production of wheat and other grain.

A year ago, in its initial 1978 winter wheat report, the department forecast the crop at 1.32 billion bushels. The harvest turned out to be about 1.25 billion bushels.

Production of 1978 spring-planted wheat was about 550.4 million bushels, making a total wheat crop this year of about 1.8 billion bushels, the first harvest in three years under 2 billion bushels.

If the 1979 spring wheat crop turns out to be around 500 million bushels - roughly in line with this year's harvest - the total wheat output in 1979 could be around 1.94 billion bushels, based on the Dec. 1 winter wheat indication.

Meanwhile, wheat prices are up

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Texas and the U.S. Justice Department have settled discrimination suits against seven state agencies with agreements a black legislator called "the most significant stride toward true equal employment opportunity ever taken by this state."

One agency, the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation, refused to settle.

Attorney General John Hill's staff advised the agencies that the alternative to settlement was years of expensive litigation in federal court.

Agreeing to the settlement terms were the state Merit System Council, Department of Human Resources, Health Department, Employment Commission, Parks and Wildlife Department, Rehabilitation Commission and Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

One agency, the Texas Department of Agriculture, was dropped as a defendant. Agriculture Commissioner Reagan Brown said 25.5 percent of his employees are blacks or Mexican-Americans and 31 percent are women.

Rep. Paul Ragsdale, D-Dallas, a black lawmaker who has complained to Justice of alleged job discrimination in state agencies, said he was "elated" by the agreements. He called them "the most significant stride toward true equal employment opportunity ever taken by this state."

Justice sued the agencies in late 1977 following investigations by the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC).

Assistant Attorney General Steve Bickerstaff, chief state negotiator, said the agreements were approved not only

by the justice department but also by federal agencies having jurisdiction over the state agencies.

The justice department agreed to defend the state agencies if problems arise between them and federal regulators because of the agreements - a provision Biggerstaff said was "unprecedented nationwide."

All of the state agencies denied job discrimination against women or minority races and ethnic groups.

Essentially, each state agency agreed to hire minorities and women in proportion to their share of the "relevant labor force" for various occupations in the areas where it normally recruits - statewide in some cases, locally in others.

That would mean, for instance, if 5 percent of the computer programmers in an area were black, an agency would strive to have the same percentage of black programmers on its staff.

"It's a can of worms...it will be extremely difficult, extremely costly," said one agency personnel officer. He said there is no central source of information on minority percentages in various occupations.

He said it would be easier to administer hiring goals keyed to the percentages of blacks, Mexican-Americans and women in the population at large than in dozens of separate job categories.

"Maybe administratively it would be easier to pull them out of the air, but they hiring goals have to have meaning," Bickerstaff said.

Bickerstaff said the chief advantage of the settlement was avoiding expensive

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Little Change Expected For Consumer Prices

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Carter administration is anticipating sharp late-year rises in consumer prices as government economists try to determine just how much worse inflation will be in 1979 than they had forecast.

The Labor Department was releasing its November report on consumer prices today, with administration officials expecting little change in an inflation rate that is hovering around 10 percent this year.

November marks the first full month of operation for President Carter's latest anti-inflation program. But Carter's inflation fighters say it will be at least mid-1979 before the program shows any results.

Meanwhile, the government reported Thursday that prices of new homes increased 4.4 percent during the July-through-September period and were up 16 percent from a year earlier. A new one-family home sold for \$63,600 on the

average.

Buyers have not been discouraged by the soaring prices for new homes, which have been a major contributor to the high inflation rate.

The administration does not expect the rise in the cost of living to slow this year because wholesale prices are still climbing rapidly. Rises in wholesale prices normally are passed on to consumers within a few months.

The Labor Department reported on Dec. 7 that big increases for gasoline and heating oil paced another sharp jump in the government's wholesale price index during November, a warning that consumers face a costly winter.

On Wednesday, Treasury Secretary W. Michael Blumenthal said the administration has raised its forecast for inflation in 1979 to above 7 percent. Previously, the administration was projecting a rate of 6 percent to 6.5 percent, a range most private economists said was unrealistically low.

G. William Miller, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, has indicated he expects consumer prices to rise by more than 8 percent next year.

Carter's economists will be well off the mark if their 1979 forecasting resembles their predictions for this year. At the start of 1978, they predicted an inflation rate of 5.9 percent. Now, it appears the rate will hit between 9 percent and 10 percent.

Operation Motorcade To Begin

Operation Motorcade--the Texas Department of Public Safety's effort to prevent traffic deaths on state highways--will begin at 6 p.m. today, Deaf Smith County DPS Sgt. Bill Wells has announced.

Wells said that Operation Motorcade will be in effect for two periods--6 p.m. today through 11:59 p.m. Monday and 6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 28, through 11:59 p.m. Monday, Jan. 1.

It has been predicted by the DPS that 44 persons will die during the Christmas period of Operation Motorcade. Thirty-five persons are expected to lose their lives in the New Year period.

Every available trooper from the DPS will be on duty throughout the Christmas and New Year's holidays. Driver's license, motor vehicle inspection and license and weight division personnel will assist the highway patrol in an intense effort to enforce traffic laws.

In Deaf Smith County, U.S. Highways 60 and 385 will be on the most heavily-worked by troopers.

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Davis Celebrates Christmas in Jail Again

BY MIKE COCHRAN
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) - Millionaire Cullen Davis faced a solemn Christmas behind bars before going before a jury to deny he schemed to kill a Fort Worth judge.

The Fort Worth industrialist's murder-for-hire trial adjourned for a 5-day break Thursday and defense sources confirmed Davis would take the stand after the trial resumes Wednesday.

The current target date for the defendant's appearance is next Thursday.

The lengthy proceedings scuttled Davis' plans to spend the holiday with his blonde girlfriend Karen Master on the Colorado ski slopes.

Although never convicted of a crime, Davis will have spent two of three Christmases, and his last three birthdays, in jail cells.

Last year an Amarillo jury acquitted the oil heir of murdering his stepdaughter during a shooting spree at the Davis mansion.

Mrs. Master testified her live-in boyfriend was at home asleep with her when a bewigged "man in black" killed 12-year-old Andrea Wilborn and Priscilla Davis' lover.

Davis was free in time to spend Thanksgiving and Christmas skiing.

Last August Davis was arrested outside a Fort Worth restaurant and accused of conspiring to have his divorce judge killed.

He made advance reservations this fall anticipating another Christmas ski trip.

But testimony in the trial has now consumed nearly two months. Lead defense attorney Richard "Racehorse" Haynes is expected to call

update friday

Hijacker, 17, Gives Herself Up to FBI

MARION, Ill. (AP) - Passengers said she was a sweetlooking girl, her blond hair in curls. But her finger was placed firmly on what she said was a bomb. And she was angry.

That's the way passengers on TWA Flight 541 described the 17-year-old girl who commandeered their DC-9 jetliner, holding their fate in her hands for about 10 hours Thursday before she surrendered.

"She was very beautiful," said Army Pvt. Levi King of Seattle after competing the flight early today in Kansas City, Mo. "But I knew she was serious - particularly when she yelled that she would blow the whole plane up."

"She kept talking about how her mother died in the helicopter and her family had disowned her.... I told her that I was in the same boat, and that this was no way to take revenge."

"But she wouldn't listen."
The girl - identified by the FBI as Robin Oswald, a high school dropout from St. Louis - had demanded freedom for convicted hijacker, Garrett Brock Trapnell. Her mother was killed seven months ago in another air piracy aimed at freeing Trapnell.

Miss Oswald was arraigned as a juvenile. Charges were not announced, as is customary under Illinois law. No hearing date was set.

The 87 passengers and crew aboard Flight 541 were unharmed, and many escaped or were allowed to leave the jet hours before Miss Oswald's surrender at about 8 p.m. CST Thursday.

Carter Won't Undergo Hemorrhoid Surgery

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter will not undergo surgery to correct his hemorrhoid problems at least for the time being, the White House announced today.

Dr. William M. Lukash examined the president this morning and determined that Carter is "continuing to improve," said White House spokesman Dale Leibach, adding: "Surgery is not contemplated at this time."

Leibach said Carter "had a good night's sleep" and planned to fly to Georgia later today as scheduled to spend the Christmas holidays with his family.

Press secretary Jody Powell said Thursday night that surgery was "possible but not likely." He said if surgery were necessary it would take place "right away" because Carter's schedule after Jan. 1 is so crowded.

A patient frequently has to stay in the hospital three or four days after surgery for hemorrhoids and often is unable to return to work for a week or more after that.

The operation itself is a relatively common and simple one, usually taking no longer than 30 minutes. However, the pain afterward is sometimes severe.

32,000 Arrested In Gandhi-Arrest Riots

NEW DELHI, India (AP) - More deaths and injuries were reported today as the arrest toll swelled to over 32,000 in the continuing wave of riots aimed at getting former Prime Minister Indira Gandhi freed from jail.

Two persons were killed and five injured when police opened fire on a violent mob of 2,000 protesting Mrs. Gandhi's jailing, the United News of India reported from the western state of Maharashtra.

Deputy Police Inspector General R. Rangaraju told the news agency that police resorted to teargas and then rifle fire to disperse the rioters in Wardha district, about 360 miles northeast of Bombay.

But J.B. Dhote, a member of Mrs. Gandhi's party in the state assembly, claimed that the police gunfire was unjustified and that the death toll was higher.

At least 15 persons have died since Tuesday when Parliament ousted Mrs. Gandhi from its ranks and jailed her for the rest of the session, set to end Saturday.

The United News of India said more than 14,000 were seized Thursday and that many of them deliberately courted arrest and climbed unaided into police trucks.

Progress Reported In SALT Meetings

GENEVA, Switzerland (AP) - The United States and the Soviet Union, after six years of negotiations, are moving closer to reaching a new strategic arms limitation agreement.

"We have traveled some distance today. We have, however, some issues yet to be resolved," Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance told reporters Thursday after five hours of negotiations with a Soviet delegation headed by Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko.

Vance declined to predict success for the talks, which were to continue today. But his spokesman, Hodding Carter, said the two sides might work through the remaining SALT issues in this morning's session and turn to other topics in the afternoon.

Other topics include the arrangements for a summit meeting between President Carter and Soviet President Leonid I. Brezhnev. The White House would like to hold the meeting in mid-January, signing the SALT agreement in Washington and then going to St. Simon's Island, Ga. for several days of wide-ranging discussions.

Before the treaty could be ready for Carter and Brezhnev, technical experts would need some time to draft precise language so that the basic agreements would mean exactly the same things in English and Russian.

But first, Vance cautioned, there are difficult issues still to be resolved. He did not specify what they were.

Going into this round of talks, American officials had said privately that there were only a handful of issues left. Compared to the broad outlines limiting the number of strategic weapons each side can have, the remaining issues were relatively technical.

Police Report

Hereford police said that no criminal activities had been reported Thursday night or early today.

Weather

West Texas-Fair through Saturday. Warmer south today. Windy and turning cooler Panhandle Saturday. Highs low 50s Panhandle to low 70s Big Bend valleys. Lows mid 20s Panhandle and mountains to mid 30s south. Highs Saturday mid 40s Panhandle to low 70s Big Bend valleys.



Ribbon Cutting

The Hereford Hustlers held their 19th ribbon-cutting ceremony of the year Thursday when Kirby Sales & Service opened a new business at 513-A E. Park Ave. Shown with the scissors are managers Mr. and Mrs. David Byler,

along with Kirby regional supervisor O.A. Wallace. A portion of the Hustler organization surrounds the new owners after welcoming them to the Hereford business community.

The Abundant Life

OUR PRIVILEGES

BY BOB WEAR



A PRIVILEGE IS "a right or immunity granted as a peculiar benefit, advantage, or favor." "Why don't they do something?" We want the work to be done, the obligations to be met, and the service to be rendered; but too often we want somebody else to do all of these things. Of course, we want to share the benefits.

THERE ARE NO PRIVILEGES or blessings that do not have one or more attendant obligations. Whether we consider freedom or our daily bread, it can be said, truthfully, that "freedom is not free" and "there are no free lunches." Both are unalterably tied to obligations and responsibilities. Yes, there are "free leaders"; but somebody must take care of the obligations which produce these and all other privileges.

WHAT ABOUT OBLIGATIONS and responsibilities? If we are engrossed in what we can get, or think we should get; and are unconcerned about what we should be giving, we are in trouble. We are in trouble because the source of privileges will eventually disappear.

WHAT CAN I EXPECT to get out of this? This is a legitimate question when it is accompanied with the question, "What is my obligation in this?" There are too many people who expect something for nothing; people who are expecting benefits, but have no justification for expecting anything.

CONCERN FOR OBLIGATIONS must precede expectations and demands for rights and privileges. We can never know the real satisfaction or privileges until we know and accept obligations. In fact, the fullness and richness of life will escape us completely unless we are just interested in meeting obligations as we are in receiving benefits.

THOUGH THE WIDE UNIVERSE is full of good, no kernel of nourishing corn comes to him but through his toil bestowed on that plot of ground which is given him to till."

PRIVILEGES ARE EVENTUALLY LOST, when obligations are rejected.

Today In History

TODAY IN HISTORY - By The Associated Press Today is Friday, Dec. 22, the 356th day of 1978. There are nine days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1894, a French army officer, Alfred Dreyfus, was found guilty of treason in a court-martial which triggered world-wide charges of anti-Semitism.

On this date: In 1696, the founder of the colony of Georgia, James Oglethorpe, was born in London.

In 1775, a Continental Navy fleet of seven ships was organized in the rebellious American colonies.

In 1942, U.S. heavy bombers raided the Japanese-occupied city of Rangoon, Burma.

In 1944, the Germans demanded the surrender of the American general, Anthony McAuliffe, at Bastogne, Belgium, and he replied: "Nuts."

Empties Abound In His Collection

By GREG THOMPSON

Associated Press Writer NEW BRAUNFELS, Texas (AP) - "Ninety-nine bottles of beer on the wall, ninety-nine bottles of beer. Take one down, pass it around, ninety-eight bottles of beer on the wall."

Jerome Nowotny has enough beer bottles in his huge collection - supposedly the world's largest - for you to sing that drunken ditty about 1,500 times or so.

But you can't take them down and pass them around because Nowotny already has. He claims to have emptied the gusto himself from nearly all of his 15,000 different bottles from across the world.

"All but about 25 of those with paper labels, I drank myself," said the cherub-faced, 64-year-old Nowotny. "That's all part of collecting them. With every bottle, I can remember who I was with or where I was."

"I've been collecting nearly 46 years. And if you count it up, find out that I've had very little beer if that's all I've ever had," he said with a twinkle in his eye.

There may be no better place for the world's largest beer bottle collection than New Braunfels, a German-settled Central Texas town that annually pays homage to beer and sausage with its famous Wurstfest.

A native of New Braunfels, Nowotny considers beer - and more specifically, beer bottles - a profession. He sells 72 different brands of beer at his beer garden, restaurant and bottle museum and goes on worldwide "business trips" in search of more bottles.

"I'm planning a business trip to Philadelphia and New York because I've been told there might be some brands there I don't have," he said. "A friend of mine once told me that they had a lot of weirdo beers in Las Vegas. So I made a business trip there and found 17 brands I didn't have."

Most of Nowotny's collection is housed on more than 3,000 running feet of shelves, arranged like a wine cellar, in a long, cobweb-filled building. He has more than 2,000 bottles in boxes because he ran out of room on the shelves. "I don't know where to put them," he says.

There's a reason for the cobwebs. Spiders are welcomed in the bottle museum because they dine on bugs that might eat through the paper labels on Nowotny's treasured bottles.

That way, all of the bottles - even the first one, a Trommers White Label from 1933 - are kept in perfect condition. His dozens of antique bottles, which he admits he didn't empty himself, have the brands embossed on them and are bug-proof.

The collection began when Nowotny purchased the Trommers in New York 10 minutes into April 7, 1933, the day Prohibition ended there. It was, he said, the first legal bottle of beer he'd ever bought and the first he ever quaffed.

"I was so overcome with excitement, I guess, I bought it and kept the bottle. Then I decided to collect them," said Nowotny, whose belly doesn't show the effects of nearly 46 years of beer.

He spent the next several years traveling around the country, hitchhiking to the remote towns serviced by local breweries that are now obsolete and mailing the bottles back to his parents in New Braunfels.

He estimates that about 9,000 of his bottles are obsolete brands that would be virtually impossible to replace, but says it's also almost impossible to place a dollar value on them.

Among his obsolete Texas brands is a bottle from one of the two batches of the short-lived Valley Royal beer from Mercedes. Another Texas brand, "Texas Splits" is embossed with the slogan, "The beer that's liquid food."

Services will be held Saturday in Rose Chapel at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Johnny Tims, pastor of Frio Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in West Park Cemetery under the direction of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Chapman was born Feb. 22, 1927 in Corsicana. He came to Deaf Smith County in 1969 from Borger. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Navy. He was employed by Holly Sugar.

Survivors include his mother, Elsie Chapman, of Hereford; four brothers, Thomas of California, Elmer and Haydren of Houston, and Raymond of Hereford; and two sisters, Louise Turman of Hereford, and Dorothy Rhymes of Fort Worth.

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Agencies

DePrang would be leaving the Grain Handling firm, and would have no further contact with the area corn handling operation.

The sources indicated that under the proposed agreement, all suits would be dropped.

"I feel the farmers and employees built

Grain Handling Corporation, and I want what is best for them. I've been only a small part of the company. I sure didn't do it all myself. We're all in this together. I want what's best for everybody...farmers, employees and creditors," DePrang commented.

With initial hearings on the lawsuits

Davis

several more witnesses before summoning Davis.

Thursday's session ended early after the defense advised the judge that two unidentified witnesses were involved in a car wreck and unable to get to court.

The proceedings concluded when a defense witness revealed he was approached by a Davis investigator about "bugging" a hotel room.

J. Hand, a one-time drug enforcement

agent and a part-time private investigator, said the contact was made by Larry Boswell a week after Davis' arrest Aug. 20.

"What did you understand Boswell was employing you to do?" asked cross-examining prosecutor Jack Strickland.

"To do something to install a device to get a conversation from a Hotel room in Fort Worth," Hand replied. "...I just

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trials of the federal suits.

"The cost of failure would have been unparalleled...it would have involved several years of costly litigation and problems of disruption within the agencies, with Justice interviewing every employee they could find," he said.

Justice's suit sought financial compensation for blacks, Mexican-Americans and females to who complained of discrimination in hiring, promotions and assignments.

The agreements limit total damages to \$1,950 per person in top job classifications and only \$750 in lower

echelon jobs, and require employees to convince three-person panels that discrimination actually occurred.

The panels would consist of representatives of the attorney general, the justice department and the agency involved.

And no claims can be considered that were not filed with a federal agency by Dec. 1.

"The state of Texas and the United States have a common policy and objective of equal employment opportunity. This agreement is intended to facilitate achievement of that objective."

Panel

Preyer, D-N.C., head of a Kennedy assassination subcommittee. "The question of its credibility is certainly crucial."

Stokes said the panel still will conclude its two-year, \$5 million investigation and go out of business as scheduled by the

end of the year. A report on its findings and recommendations in the deaths of Kennedy and civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. will be released on Jan. 3, Stokes said.

"We are out of time and money," one

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scheduled to get underway Jan. 29, negotiations are proceeding.

DePrang emphasized that no concrete agreement has been reached as of yet, and that negotiations could still falter, but expressed confidence that a settlement will occur.

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told him I wouldn't do it."

"Was your presence to be known or unknown in this hotel room you were to bug?" Strickland asked.

"Unknown," responded the witness.

Defense lawyer Phil Burleson said outside the courtroom he did not know who the bugging target was and that Boswell was not doing extensive work for Davis at the time.

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said Attorney General John Hill.

"This historic development will have an impact on every state employer, for they will at long last realize that they are no longer free to merely pay lip service to the concept of equal employment opportunity and then ignore it in practice," Ragsdale said.

He said he was "aghast" that the highway department didn't settle and it was "vital that we make an example out of this agency, one of our state's worst discriminators."

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committee member, Rep. Stewart McKinney, D-Conn., said Thursday. "No one knows what to do."

However, acoustics expert Mark Weiss said there was a fourth shot, one that may have missed the presidential party.

China Trade Excites Companies

NEW YORK (AP) - Almost overnight, the immediate bad news of higher oil prices caused investors and others to all but forget the powerful long-range benefits of trade with a growing China.

That trade could amount to billions of dollars, some of it coming with surprising suddenness, not just gradually in years to come.

A Pan American World Airways subsidiary has already contracted for \$500 million worth of hotels. Fluor Corp. has

signed a \$10 million agreement to develop a copper mine. Coca-Cola sales begin next month.

Unpublicized, negotiators for American companies have been bidding aggressively for more contracts. U.S. Steel says it hopes to win a \$1 billion-plus contract to develop an iron ore facility.

Recognition means a suddenly enlarged trade universe. It means help for the U.S. foreign payments account. It means expansion. It means

jobs. Conceivably, it could mean a new source of oil for Americans.

"It (diplomatic recognition) opens up a whole new era in U.S.-China trade, without any question," said Christopher Phillips, head of the National Council for United States-China Trade.

Two-way trade between the nations will total just above \$1 billion in 1978, a record. But, says Phillips, it may rise 50 percent next year, with the larger share being made up of U.S. exports.

Rising trade with China "could have considerable significance" to the U.S. trade balance, says Phillips, who was deputy ambassador to the United Nations before his current job.

Members of the organization he now directs include scores of U.S. corporate heavyweights, all interested in doing business with China. The council, well connected in both nations, facilitates contacts.

Christmas Recitals Presented Recently

Piano and organ students presented two separate recitals recently in the studio of their teacher, Thelma McMinn.

Amid a setting of candles, the holiday season of greenery and a lighted Christmas tree, traditional and contemporary music was rendered in piano solos, organ solos, duets, trios, and a piano and organ duo.

One recital was presented Sunday afternoon and another was rendered as a twilight recital on Tuesday. Parents, other relatives and friends attended the recitals.

Following each recital and the presentation of gifts, seasoned refreshments of cookies, candies, chips and dips, Christmas punch and coffee were served to all present.

Those students who performed on one or both of these recitals were Tommie Sue Lookingbill, Angela Streun, Kandi Sparkman, Vonda Richards, Sharla Richards, Kathy Neill, Lacy Driver, Laura Osborn, Cindy Streun, Carol Estes, Tonya Redwine, Chad Redwine, Andrea Wall, Hope

Saul, Darin Saul and Micah Noland. Each of these students appeared in two or more solos, and at least two ensembles.

The following students carried double performances on both organ and piano: Tommie Sue Lookingbill, Angela Streun, and Andrea Wall.

Being assertive means being able to stand up for what you want--then sitting back and enjoying the results, says Jenny Reinhardt, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Imaginative lighting and tree-size plants will fill in bare spots when furniture budgets are short, points out Sue Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

The English Derby was first run in 1780.



Employee Of Year

J.W. Dickerson, mechanical engineer at Deaf Smith General Hospital has been chosen as "Employee of the Year." Dickerson has been with the hospital since May of 1968. He is married to Doris Dickerson and has two children. Dickerson attended McMurry College in Abilene where he received his bachelor's degree in education. He also attended Texas A&M University where he received his bachelor's degree in mechanics. Shown here are Dickerson, left, and Jim Bullard, hospital administrator.

Discipline Involves Basic Skills

COLLEGE STATION — Using inner controls for acceptable behavior is discipline at its finest, says a family life education specialist.

It is especially fine when parents and teachers show children how, according to Dorothy Taylor.

Miss Taylor is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

PARENTS TEACH FIRST
Parents can start teaching discipline to very young children, she advises.

Three skills are basic to learning discipline--concentration, memory and decision-making, Miss Taylor says.

When a child is about eight-months-old, start teaching concentration skills.

Read a few lines from children's books as often as possible and increase the length as he gets older.

Once a child learns to talk, teach him simple verses--to memorize.

He needs this, because he will do memory work in English, definitions.

Bippus HD Clubwomen Visit in Homfeld Home

Bippus Home Demonstration Club members met recently in the home of Mrs. C.F. Homfeld for their annual Christmas party.

Mrs. Jimmy Bradley read the scriptural account of the first Christmas from the Bible. Mrs. Cecil Blasingame recited a Christmas story.

Members sang Christmas carols under the direction of

Mrs. Jerry Homfeld. Also, gifts were exchanged by members. Refreshments were served to those already mentioned and Mrs. Charles Meyers, Mrs. J.V. Hall and Mrs. Dan Hall.

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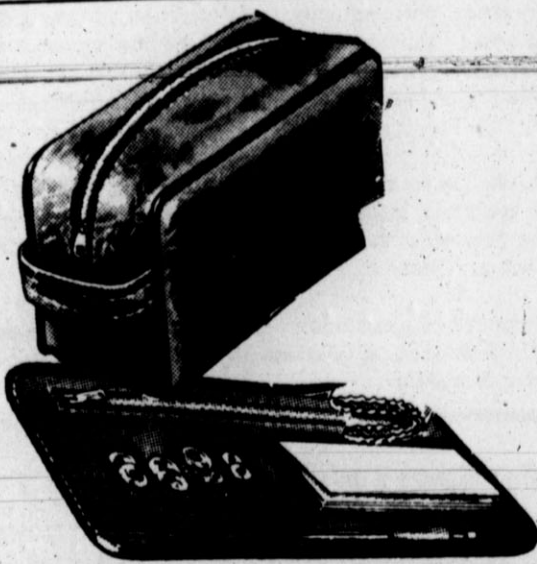
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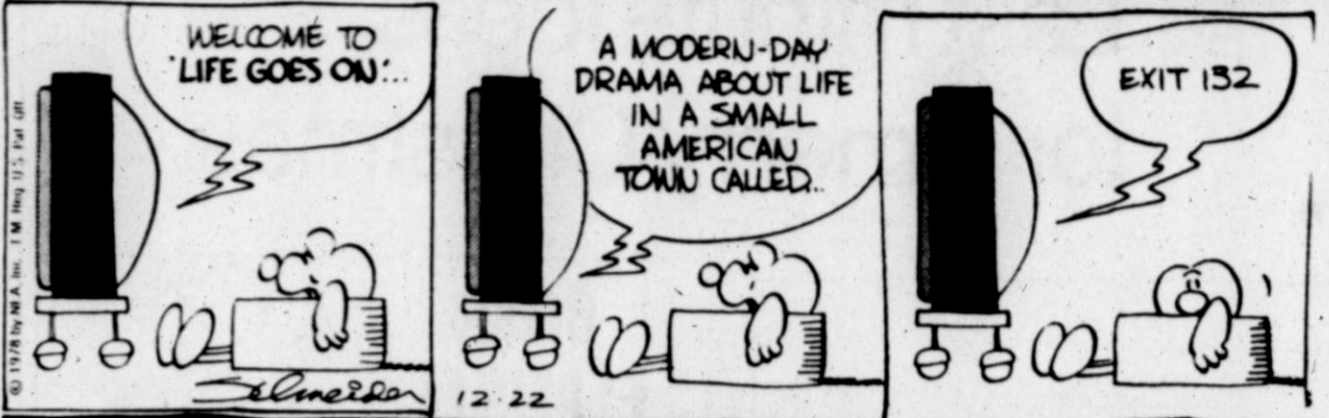
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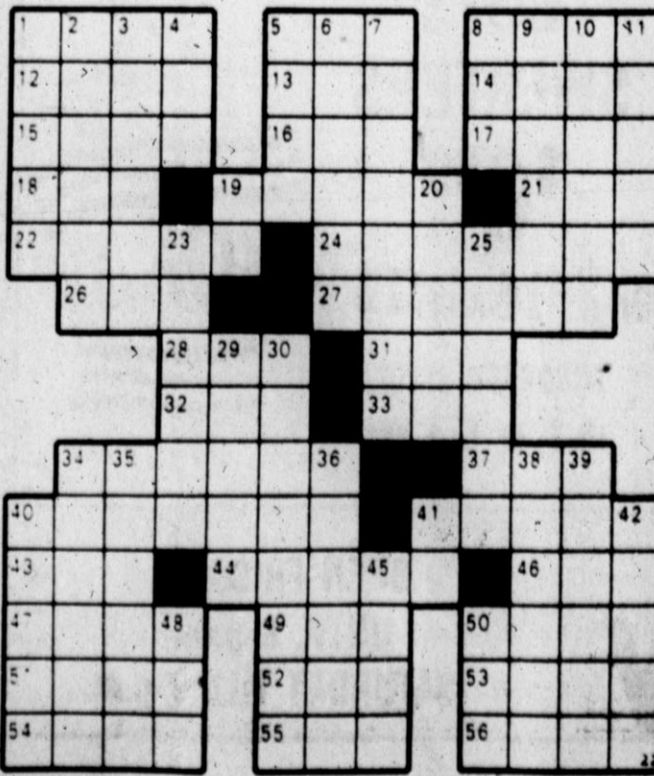
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Letter about Erastus Smith To Hang in County Courthouse

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter recounts the burning of Vince's Bridge in 1836 and involves this county's namesake, Erastus "Deaf" Smith. Few written references have been made concerning Smith's contributions to Texas' struggle for independence, so the following is especially meaningful to local residents. Copies of the letter, which first appeared in The Texas Almanac for 1861, have been framed and will hang in the County Courthouse and Museum.

BURNING OF VINCE'S BRIDGE
San Antonio, January 14, 1858.

Hon. Jesse Grimes:
Dear Sir: In compliance with the promise I made you when at Austin the other day, I shall endeavor to perform a task, to me extremely delicate, if not difficult. Delicate, because of the great diversity of opinion respecting the incident of burning the bridge over Vince's bayou, on the morning of the twenty-first of April, 1836, the day of the memorable victory of San Jacinto.

Although many years have rolled by since that event, the leading circumstances attending the incident are still fresh in my memory; and, if I err in giving its details, I feel assured that the error springs from the deficiency of recollection, but not from design.

On the morning of the twenty-first of April, 1836, Captain Carnes' cavalry company, commonly called Deaf Smith's Spy Company, were drawn up, in line, on the edge of General Houston's position. As well as I recollect, we were between thirty and forty strong. The Mexican cavalry, whom we fought the evening before, at that moment were drawn up, in line, on the south of our position, about six hundred yards distant. I think they were from sixty to eighty strong. They seemed to invite us again to combat; but prudence, in my humble opinion, dictated to our leaders a different course than to engage them at that moment. While sitting in our saddles, John Coker, my left leader, made the following remark, and the suggestions following:

"Boys, before many hours, we will have one of the damnest, bloodiest fights that ever was fought, and I believe it would be a good plan to go and burn that bridge, so as not only to impede the advance of reinforcements of the enemy, but it will cut off all chance of retreat of either party."

The proposition was seconded by the whole company, when Deaf Smith proposed to go and see the General, and get his approval to the enterprise. Word for word of what passed between our leaders, I am not able to repeat, except that Smith told us, Houston asked him:

"Can you do it without being cut to pieces by the Mexican cavalry?"

Smith said that he replied to Houston:

"Give me six men, and I will try."

On Smith's return to our little party, he stopped about the centre, facing us, and in the saddle, some questions were asked him, as:

"What did the General say?" He made no answer then; but, after surveying us from right to left with an iron-like countenance, he said:

"I want six men. I am going to burn the bridge. I want six men who are willing to follow me through, or perish in the attempt."

There was silence for several moments, as six of us dropped out of the little line, and volunteered to follow our favorite chief. But let me here do justice to the remainder of our companions-in-arms, by saying, and believing what I say, that there was scarcely a man of our spy company who would not have volunteered to follow Deaf Smith, had each and all been well-mounted. I will here mention the names of all who joined Deaf Smith in the enterprise; yet, before doing so, beg leave to state, that I differ from the opinion of my old friend, "Uncle Jack Coker," as we called him, as to the name of one of the party, but, having the most implicit confidence in "Uncle Jack's" honesty, I am willing to risk his statement, and give the names as he has set them down: Deaf Smith, Denmore Rives, John Coker, Y.P. Alsbury, — Rainwater, John Garner, — Lapham; seven in all. We were compelled to pass within gun-shot of the extreme left of the Mexican cavalry, who were drawn out, as stated, with their left reaching within gun-shot of Buffalo bayou, up which we had to go to reach the bridge, situated some eight or nine miles on the road leading to the Brazos.

It being understood that we would maneuver so as to pass the Mexican horse, if possible, without a fight, the remainder of our company followed slowly, under a soldier's pledge, that, were we attacked by the cavalry, they would come to our assistance. Our main body maneuvered, with the feint of an engagement, so that we passed to the rear unmolested, some distance; when our comrades regained the camp, leaving the enemy to enjoy the belief that we were too cowardly to fight.

We moved rapidly, till reaching the mouth of the lane, on the north side of which was situated the double log-house before occupied by Mr. Vince, we filed off to the left, so as to avoid an ambuscade, should the enemy be concealed within the dwelling. We threw down the fence where it joined Vince's bayou, over which the bridge was built. One hundred and fifty yards more, and we were at the bridge, over which Deaf Smith and myself passed, with the view of

reconnoitering leaving the remainder of our party to "strike fire," and make the necessary preparations for burning the bridge on our return.

We had gone about half a mile, when we noticed, in the sandy soil, the track of a carriage-wheel. Smith, with a countenance of mixed rage and disappointment, exclaimed:

"Santa Anna has made his escape! Here is his carriage-track, going back, pulled by mules in a great hurry!"

I proposed to him that we should gallop on, about one mile, to a difficult crossing of another bayou, where we might get the honor of helping him to cross. He replied:

"My orders are to burn the bridge, and return as quick as possible."

In a few minutes we were at the bridge, where we found our comrades, prepared with fire, and plenty of dry rails and wood. In a few minutes the bridge was in flames. If I recollect aright, it was built of cedar.

Nothing of interest occurred till we reached the first deep, dry hollow, half or three-quarters of a mile, above our camp, when an incident happened, which goes to illustrate strongly the extraordinary sagacity of that masterly man, Deaf Smith. After ordering a halt, he observed:

"I will ride up the high ground, next to camp, far enough to see whether any of the Mexican horsemen are near, so that we may avoid them."

Our eyes were bent on our leader, as we suddenly saw him drop down on the mane of his horse, and turn towards us. When up to us, the question was asked:

"What news?"

When with an eye and a countenance I shall never forget, he said:

"The prairie is filled with Mexican horse. I can not see how, or where, they got their reinforcements."

Eying every man with the eye of a tiger, he asked: "What shall we do?" We told him:

"You are our leader, and we shall follow you, let your course be forward or back."

"My orders are, to return to camp: I will do it, or die; but, eyeing every one of us with a scrutiny even painful, he said:

"If there is one or more of you prefers making your escape, I now give you leave." We loved our leader almost as we did our country, and replied to him again:

"Lead on, we follow! A change, I thought, then came over his countenance, as I discovered his terrible eye moisten with a tear. He asked:

"Are your arms all right?" He then added: "We will go down the dry hollow to where it joins the bayou, and then, in Indian file, run to the level above, which will bring us in about one hundred yards of the enemy's extreme left. When discovered by them we will raise the Texian yell, and charge, at full speed, through their line. They will, no doubt, kill me, my boys! but, by God! I will make an opening for the rest of you to pass!"

Such was the plan understood; and, sir, I have heard men say, that they could meet such scenes with cool indifference; but sir, they are braver than I profess to be. (Although I must say, and when I say it, do so with candor and truth, that not one of Smith's men but would have preferred the risk of death, rather than an ignominious, disgraceful desertion of the leader we all loved.) But to conclude:

When fairly on the level which commanded a partial view of both armies, we saw no Mexican cavalry; but knew, from the hearty laugh of our leader, than he had, as he boastingly said, put our fidelity to the test. For my part, I felt well satisfied that I had saved my credit for courage without having the work to do; and doubt not that my companions felt as I did.

I have thus, in obedience to your wish, and in accordance with my promise, given you a plain, candid, and continuous narrative of the facts, and leading incidents, attending the enterprise of burning the bridge; also, the testimony of Mr. John Coker, of Bexar county, authenticating the correctness of my account of the chief incident herein narrated. Mr. Coker is a man who, in the estimation of his acquaintances, is second to none in honesty of purpose, valor, and patriotism.

As what I have repeated to you, concerning this affair, is dictated, at least, by a clear conscience, if not a clear mind, I feel no reluctance in letting the world see it, if it suits your pleasure.

If I have committed an error, or made a blunder in my detail of the chief incident that is believed to have insured the capture of Santa Anna, it will afford me great pleasure to correct either one or the other. Let the belief just expressed may appear presumptuous, I may state that the undersigned was one of thirteen who followed the distinguished Santa Anna and the remainder of his staff and cavalry back to the site of the bridge I had left in flames some three hours before.

Respectfully and truly yours,
Y.P. Alsbury.

I John Coker, of the county of Bexar, State of Texas, have no hesitation in stating, that the material facts in the preceding narrative are correct. Signed this seventeenth day of January, 1858.

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HEALTH
Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Severe hiatal hernia

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have a hiatal hernia. Some years ago two dogs chased me from the bus line and caused me to fall on an iron. It was sideways between my breasts when I fell on it.

I went to a doctor for I could hardly breathe, but nothing showed then. My husband had to lower me in bed by holding my hands and helping me raise up. Through all the years it is better sometimes and worse others. I take a hernia tablet but I don't know what it is.

I have spells of pain that go to my throat and feels as if someone had his hands around my throat choking me, besides all the pain through my chest at the same time. If I eat or drink water, that will usually stop the choking and pains.

I'm 5 feet 6 and I try to keep my weight down. The doctor told me to eat something when the pain starts and this does help. Last summer I was in the hospital four days to see if these pains are from my heart or the hernia. I was in oxygen because the pains were so bad. The problem was not my heart.

I carry antacids in my purse all the time because if I start having pain and take the antacid soon enough, it will stop them. As I get older will this condition get worse? I noticed in one of your columns you mentioned a Health Letter on hiatal hernia. I need all the information I can get. Would you please send it to me?

DEAR READER — As you know, a hiatal hernia

means a rupture of the stomach through an enlarged hole in the diaphragm. We all have a normal hole in the diaphragm. The usual cause of this problem is just an excessive enlargement of this hole. Women tend to develop this during pregnancy and possibly because of pregnancies, women are more prone to this disorder than men.

This issue will give you needed information on small meals to prevent regurgitation of acid content of the stomach into the lower esophagus. It will also give you more information about daily living patterns such as keeping your bed elevated, how long you should wait after eating before you lie down and the importance of not wearing any tight or constricting device around your abdomen. Your antacid medicines are fine but all the other measures that you need to correct in your living pattern will help make life a little easier.

I hope your hernia will not get worse as you get older, although there is certainly no guarantee about it. One of the things you can do that will help prevent difficulties is to eliminate any obesity that you might have.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 4-8, Hiatal Hernia, that you requested. Other readers who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

Hereford Native Sells Computers

Paul "Chip" Dishman III, a native of Hereford, has opened a computer store, "Computer Imagineering," in Dallas.

He is the son of a local woman, Mrs. Roy Jewell, 234 Northwest Drive. He has several other local relatives including an uncle, Delbert Kinsey and three aunts, Helen Patterson, Mrs. Wirt Phillips and Mrs. Frank Ball.

Dishman is the son of Paul Dishman, who resides in Dallas. He also has an aunt living in Dimmitt, Mrs. V.C. Hodgeson.

Dishman became interested in computer marketing while doing a survey of this subject for his Master's thesis. With the help of his wife, Beth Lynn, Computer Imagineering opened Dec. 1 with a full stock of home, educational and business computers. Dishman has been in the

process of investigating avenues of financing, furnishing and stocking the business since May of this year.

According to Dishman, "You just can't believe what computers are going to be doing for you. The educational opportunities for children and adults, the games, the home business records, are things you won't believe 'til you see for yourself."

He added, "There are a lot of computer stores in the Metroplex, some geared to the hobbyist, and one or two aimed at one particular application—insurance agents, for example. We offer the widest range of systems and prices to the professional...doctors, engineers and others."

Dishman is a 1977 graduate of Trinity University at San Antonio.



Charter Presented

Local CowBelles presented the official Hereford CowBelles Charter to Deaf Smith County Historical Society Wednesday afternoon. Approximately 80 CowBelle members signed the charter. Shown from

left are Mrs. Jack Gilliland, director of Deaf Smith County Museum; Nancy Jossarand, first president of the local CowBelles in 1972-73; and Peaches Reinauer, first vice president in 1972-73.

Mini-Recital Given In Joe Hacker Home

Mrs. Joe Hacker recently presented her piano and organ students in "mini" recitals in her home at 119 E. 15th.

The students performed numbers from classical, romantic and modern eras as well as

familiar Christmas songs. Piano and organ solos, duets, and organ-piano duets were performed also.

After the recital students, families and grandparents were served refreshments.

The price of houses is so high nowadays that mobile homes make up about 16 percent of new one-family dwellings, according to the National Geographic Society.

Hereford VICA Club Holds Xmas Banquet

The Hereford Cosmetology Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) held their Christmas banquet recently at Dickies Restaurant.

The welcome was given by Silvia Munoz and Faviana Valdez gave the invocation. The club officers performed the opening ceremonies.

Audrey Rodriguez and Donna Riley entertained with Christmas songs. Eugenia Combs presented a poem. Music enjoyed during the dinner was performed by Debbie Byers.

Special speaker for the evening was Mrs. Justin McBride, speaking on the "True Meaning of Christmas."

Attending the banquet was the Hereford Advisory Committee, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Askew and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Tucker. Not in attendance were Messrs. and Mmes. Bob Spangler and David Hutchins.

Also attending were eleven members of Tascosa ICT, one of whom is the State VICA President, Skeeter West. She spoke on contests and commended the Hereford VICA club on the banquet and past socials.

Cherri Newman, District VI Secretary, also of Tascosa ICT, encouraged the girls to run for a district or state office.

Others attending were Jerry

Don George, principal of Hereford High School; Buck Johnson, District VI Area Consultant representing the Texas Education Agency; Ted Henley, Tascosa ICT Advisor, and his wife; Mr. and Mrs. John Quinby, vocational director at the High School; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cabbiness, instructor for the Cosmetology class at the High School.

Wyoming led the United States in granting women the right to vote and hold office in 1869, then elected the nation's first woman justice of the peace in 1870, the first woman superintendent of schools in 1894 and the first woman state representative in 1910.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Wanda Irene Burney, Guadalupe V. Casarez, Cecil L. Coker, Veronica Cuellar, Bertha V. Drake, Maria Gonzalez, Karen S. Harris.

Georgia Lee Hulliman, James King, Delbert Kinsey, Josephine Lee, Ethel Elizabeth Logan, Inf. boy Longoria, Ramonia Longoria, Tom Jarrett Maples.

Laura Lee Milburn, Paula Olivarez, Lena Mae Olson, Patty M. Pena, Maggie L. Thompson, Eva L. Vines, Wynema E. Wheeler, Florence Mae Wilkins, Antonio Trijilla, J.C. Morrison.

Mrs. Lloyd Attends XEA Chapter Party

Mrs. Ellen Lloyd, adopted grandmother of Xi Epsilon Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, was the special guest Wednesday evening for the group's Christmas party. Lillie Shipman, Barbara Kendall and Barbara Burkhalter were hostesses in the latter's home at 225 Douglas St.

Amidst a Christmas decor, guests enjoyed a salad supper. Marking each place setting was a toy soldier made of felt and containing Christmas candy. After the meal, secret sisters were revealed through the exchange of gifts.

Programs were presented by Lynn Scumbato on education and Phyllis Neill, discussing leisure time. A gift was presented by the

chapter to Mrs. Lloyd, who expressed gratitude for Christmas cards which she received from each XEA member.

A thank you note was received from King's Manor Methodist Home, expressing appreciation for nail polish given by the sorority chapter. Next month, members will donate toothbrushes.

Mrs. Kendall, president of XEA, conducted the otherwise routine business meeting.

Other members in attendance included Alene Tindal, Opal Glenn, Jo Ann Richburg, Ilajean Brinkman, Cheryl Bullard, Debra Cook, Bonnie Decker, Nan Gauthreaux, Toni Jones, Sandy Owsley, Karren Ruland, Pam Stephens, Linda Thorell, Jan Walscr, Jancy Whitaker and Dixie Williamson.



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JOAN DWYER
DIRECTOR

Yes Virginia... Yesterday a short, stocky, red-faced man rushed into our office loaded down with sacks full of yummy Christmas goodies and a few things more.

With a merry twinkle in his eyes, he explained that he is a farmer and has had a good year. Because of his good fortune he wanted to share.

His hat was not red and pointed nor his suit red trimmed in fur; in fact, he was dressed all in overalls, cowboy boots and a Stetson. 'Twas the joy that twinkled in his eyes that gave him away, and as he backed out

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the door, we heard him exclaim "Merry Christmas to all!" Oh yes! before he left he gave us some money to provide a LB and LS with a shopping trip deluxe.

Thanks to him, a family in Hereford will certainly have a brighter holiday.

Yes, Virginia...there really is a Santa Claus.

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Ann Landers

TV Commercials Rank



DEAR ANN LANDERS: I fervently agree with the lady who wrote objecting to TV commercials about products for feminine hygiene. I have been embarrassed by them for a long time. Thanks for printing her letter.

However, I find another commercial even more objectionable. It's for a new toy -- a set of racing cars, complete with drivers. The toy is so "sophisticated" the children need only push a button. The cars are wrecked and they go up in flames. But it's OK because the set includes a "meat wagon" to carry the victims to the hospital.

Do you know why I'm printing this letter instead of writing? Because my arm is in a cast. Last week I had an accident like the one this toy manufacturer wants children to make a game of. The ambulance drivers and attendants were wonderful to me. They are the most important people you will see if you are ever injured. They deserve more respect than they will get from anyone who thinks this toy is a suitable plaything.

Children are already wallowing in violence. Every night they see several killings on TV. And if they don't watch THOSE shows, they can always watch a funeral "comedy" program. For us older folks who have lost a loved one it's hard to see the humor in a casket.

You may not agree with me, Ann, but I've said what is in my heart and I feel better already. Thanks for the chance to unload on you. -- A Fan

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I've had more complaints about children's toys this season than ever before. I hope the manufacturers get the message.

Every toy teaches a child something. It can be constructive or it can shape his thinking along destructive lines. My major gripe is toy guns. Guns are for killing. Games involving guns plant the notion in the heads of youngsters that the way to get rid of people you don't like is to go bang -- and get them out of the way forever.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Please print my letter so I can say something I've been waiting to say for a long time. If she reads it in the paper it will make a stronger impression.

DEAR MOM: You've been asking me, "What do you want for your birthday?" I really can't think of anything in particular, but there is something you can do that would make me, very happy: QUIT SMOKING.

You tried to quit a few years ago, but it didn't work. Will you please try awfully hard this time? I know it must be difficult

because a lot of people who smoke would love to quit.

Why don't you direct just a little of the effort you spend taking care of your family toward this goal? We will all pitch in and help you in every way we can because we love you so much and want you around for a long, long time. I Am Your Daughter.

DEAR DAUGHTER: Your plea is made daily by thousands of children across the continent. I know because I've received copies of the letters they have written.

Obviously your mother is hooked. Some nicotine addicts can kick the habit by sheer will power. Others need outside help.

I recommend SmokEnders. For information about their program, write to the national headquarters, at SmokEnders, 3435 Camino Del Rio S., Suite

216, San Diego, Cal. 92108. Or, look in the phone book. I can also vouch for hypnosis. It can be very effective if the subject is determined and the hypnotist knows what he's doing.

ICONS

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The icons of Rosette Mociornitza are created with all the religious attention to detail, craftsmanship and tradition that 11th-century monks lavished on the spiritual works of art.

About 20 of them were on display during the Missouri Liturgical Congress here recently.

Mrs. Mociornitza speculates that she is one of a handful of people able to create icons because few have an opportunity to learn the 1,000-year-old art.

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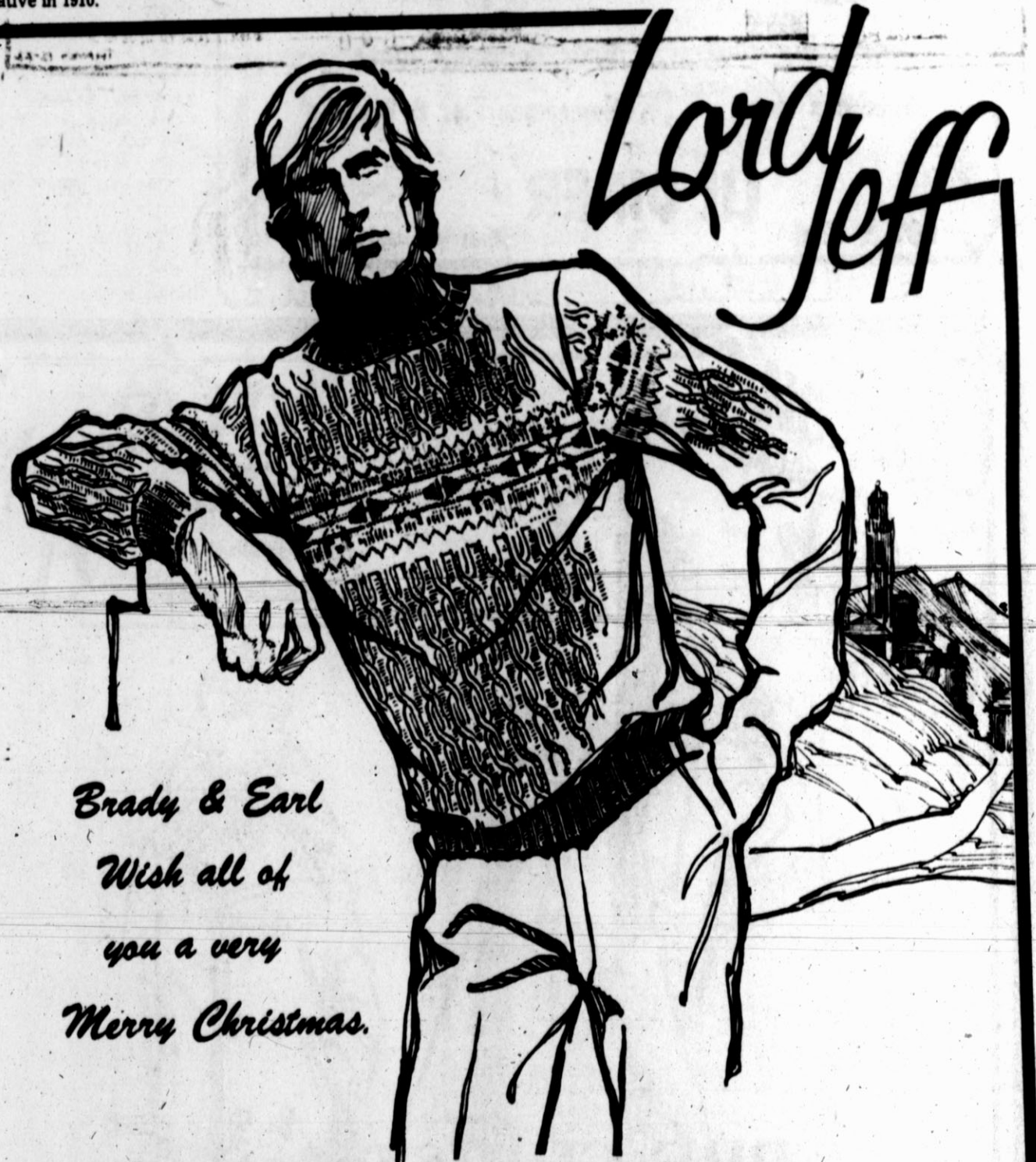
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Bellard To Be Coach?

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) - Emory Bellard, who resigned in midseason as head football coach at Texas A&M, visited earlier this week with athletic officials at Army to discuss taking the head coach's job there.

His wife, Mary Kay, confirmed he did visit the West Point, N.Y., campus and met with athletic officials regarding the job.

Homer Smith was fired at West Point two weeks ago.

three days after he resigned. Asked if Bellard is seriously considering it, she told the Fort Worth (Texas) Star-Telegram: "I don't think he would have gone up there and visited with the West Point people if he wasn't seriously interested in the job."

Bellard, credited with inventing the Wishbone Offense at the University of Texas, left the staff of Darrell Royal in 1972 to come to Texas A&M, where he compiled a 44-25 record in six

seasons, including a share of the Southwest Conference title and three bowl appearances.

His Aggies won their first four games in the 1978 season before being upset by Houston and Baylor. He quit abruptly after hearing a rumor that the regents were planning not to renew his contract for another year.

Before moving to the College ranks, Bellard was one of the most successful coaches in Texas high school history. During a 15-year span at three schools, Bellard posted a record of 139 wins, 34 losses and three ties. He won 11 district titles, two regional crowns, two outright state championships and a share of another. He served one year as president of the Texas High School Coaches Association.

Hill Leads OCU Past WTSU

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - Ernie Hill poured in a career-high 37 points Thursday night to lead the Oklahoma City University Chiefs to an 87-77 win over West Texas State.

The 6-foot-4 guard started his scoring early hitting 20 first-half points and giving the Chiefs, now 5-3, a 14-point lead in the middle of the second quarter.

However, the Texans lost their only real chance in the game when they followed a burst that got them to within four of the Chiefs at halftime with a slow second half performance.

With 7:58 remaining West Texas, now 5-4, began a full court press and forced three turnovers, but 76-67 was the closest they managed to get the game.

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Pastorini Wants To Play In Game

Houston Oilers quarterback Dan Pastorini, whose injured right knee has kept him off the practice field this week, isn't hurt badly enough to keep him out of Sunday's wildcard playoff game against Miami.

But Coach Bum Phillips said Pastorini will remain on a questionable status on the official injury report until he works out with the team.

At Phillips' request, Dr. Tom Cain examined Pastorini's knee extensively Thursday while the quarterback was under a general anesthesia.

"The doctor said Dan can play without risking more serious injury, but he will be outfitted with a special brace," Phillips said.

"The doctors didn't think the examination under general anesthesia was necessary," he continued, "but I wanted to be absolutely sure before I put that

Braves Stage Strike

ATLANTA (AP) - The Atlanta Braves have staged a pre-emptive strike in the team's contract skirmish with rookie slugging sensation Bob Horner.

The Braves beat Horner to the grievance table while simultaneously offering a \$146,400 contract, good only if the club loses its grievance, a club spokesman said Thursday.

Bill Lucas, Atlanta director of player personnel, said he expects the matter to go to arbitration.

Team management and Bucky Wov, Horner's agent, disagree widely not only about what the National League Rookie of the Year should be paid in 1979, but about what his salary was in 1978.

"The question of what is his 'salary' is the key to this particular problem," Braves attorney Tench Cox said. "That question has never been arbitrated before."

Plano, Wylie Defend Titles In Schoolboy Playoffs

By The Associated Press
Plano defends its Class 4A football championship Saturday against Houston Stratford but must defeat a team that reminds Plano Coach Tom Kimbrough of the Tyler John Tyler team that Earl Campbell led to the championship a few years ago.

"I think they're very comparable to that team, and that's the all-time 4A team as far as I can remember. We've got a good team but they're a super team and we'll have to play perfect football to beat a team like this," Kimbrough said.

Stratford's undefeated Spartans exploded for 506 points this season with their wishbone offense and held 14 opponents to a scant 132 points.

Coach Oscar Cripps says his team will have a size advantage over Plano's Wildcats but that that is no great factor.

"They (Plano) may not be real big but they are quick as cats, have a swarming defense and play very sound football," Cripps said.

The championship battle is at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Astrodome.

In other Texas schoolboy title matches, defending state 2A champion Wylie plays Sealy tonight in Waco and Lexington battles China Spring tonight in Temple for the Class A trophy.

Sealy is led by Eric Dickerson, the fourth-best ground gainer in state 2A history. He rambled for 2,432 yards and 33 touchdowns this season, although an ankle injury has slowed him in the playoffs. He still picked up 132 yards on 15 carries last week, including a thrilling 57 yard romp as Sealy thumped San Antonio Randolph 42-18.

"Wylie throws and catches the ball as well as any 2A team we've seen. And Wylie quarterback Rock King will be

the best passer we face. He is also a good runner," Sealy Coach Ralph Harris said.

Wylie Coach Jerry Shaffer said his team's biggest problem is that it suffered several injuries in last week's semifinal victory over Childress.

"But maybe some of those people will be ready by Friday. I know some people are calling Sealy the best 2A team since Friendswood won the state championship in 1973 by beating Hooks and Billy Sims

and they very well may be. We'll know Friday."

School officials in Lexington said more than 400 adult tickets were sold by early in the week for the school's game with China Spring. That represents more than half of Lexington's population of 719.

Lexington roared back from a 15-point deficit in the final five minutes last week to edge Franklin 22-21 in a semifinal game. China Spring downed Haskell 13-7.

Long Season Hurts Dolphins

MIAMI (AP) - The effects of the National Football League's expansion to a 16-game schedule are written in black and blue on the Miami Dolphins.

The Dolphins, as have several other teams, had key players sidelined for various lengths of time this year. And as they prepare for their 17th game - Sunday's wild card playoff with Houston - some key Dolphins are nursing painful limps.

"It's a long season. It makes it tougher on the players," Coach Don Shula said of the change from the traditional 14-game schedule.

"We've gone through a lot of injuries this year. Fortunately, most of them were early in the season," he said.

Among those were quarterback Bob Griese, tackle Wayne Moore and defensive linemen A.J. Duhe and Bob Baumhower knee injuries, and linebacker Bob Matheson back injury.

The current injury list doesn't reflect anything as serious, but is worrisome. It includes Griese bruised-ribs, guard Larry Little sore knee and ankle and

halfback Delvin Williams score knee.

"We could have some problems. These will go down to gametime," Shula said Thursday.

"It's been a long struggle. The injuries just keep coming up," said 12-year pro Little. He said he's had rib, shoulder and neck injuries during the season.

Because a knee injury sidelined backup guard Ed Newman earlier, Little's replacement would probably be inexperienced second-year pro Wally Pesuit.

Griese said, "I don't feel like talking about it. Here's all I have to say: My ribs are very sore. I probably won't practice but I probably will play."

Griese, the NFL's most accurate passer with a 63 percent completion rate, would be replaced by Don Strock. Strock completed 53 percent of his passes and threw for 12 touchdowns, one more than Griese, this season.

The Dolphins were 4-2 behind Strock before Griese came back from injury.

"We've got a lot of confidence in Strock," Shula said.

Williams, acquired from San Francisco in the off-season, has been nagged by various injuries all season. He burst into the NFL rushing leadership after 11 games, but his totals have declined steadily as the injuries have taken this toll.

"What can you say about him? He's just tried to line up every week and do his job, despite the injuries," Shula said.

Williams finished fourth in NFL rushing with 1,258 yards, only eight in the last two games.

Gary Davis has averaged 5 yards a carry playing in his place, and Shula also has veteran Norm Bulaich at halfback.

The Oilers have their own problems, with quarterback Dan Pastorini and fullback Earl Campbell at less than full strength. But Shula said the Dolphins are assuming both will start Sunday.

Eagles, Miami To Win

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

In the spirit of the season, with families throughout the nation trimming their Christmas trees, the Miami Dolphins and the Philadelphia Eagles will try and trim their opponents in Sunday's National Football League wild-card playoff games.

Miami entertains a banged-up Houston team in the American Football Conference game, while Philadelphia visits Atlanta in the National Football Conference matchup.

The two games are vital to the matchups in the respective conference semifinals scheduled for Dec. 30-31.

If Philadelphia beats Atlanta, the Eagles would play at Los Angeles and Minnesota would be at Dallas in the second-round

NFC playoffs. An Atlanta victory would send the Falcons to Dallas and Minnesota against Los Angeles.

In the AFC, if Miami wins, it will play Pittsburgh in the second round while Denver will visit New England. Should Houston win, the Oilers would play New England with Pittsburgh against Denver.

Last week's 9-5 record completed the season at 135-87 for .609 and that's better than some of the clubs still trudging the road to the Super Bowl.

The picks:

NFC WILD CARD

Eagles 20, Falcons 13

Philadelphia brings the NFC's third-best ground game into this contest, which marks the club's first playoff appearance since winning the NFL championship in 1960.

For Atlanta, this will be the first playoff game in the franchise's 12-year history. The Falcons, whose success is constructed around the fourth-best defense in the NFC, had a cardiac season, winning four games in the final 10 seconds, all by the same score - 20-17.

Dolphins 31, Oilers 17

Houston is hurting, with many key performances including quarterback Dan Pastorini and rookie sensation Earl Campbell, the NFL's leading rusher with 1,450 yards, nursing injuries.

Miami, meanwhile, seems to be hitting its stride just in time for the playoffs.

In an earlier meeting, Houston outlasted the Dolphins 36-30 with Campbell rushing for 199 yards and four touchdowns.

Bowl Games

By JOHN NELSON
AP Sports Writer

The Holiday Bowl at San Diego - pitting the Midshipmen of Navy against Brigham Young University - kicks off the first major weekend of college bowl games tonight.

Navy, 8-3 and a six-point favorite, will have to get its offensive punch from quarterback Bob Leszczynski in the inaugural Holiday Bowl since the Middies' top ground gainer, fullback Larry Klawinski, is sidelined following knee surgery.

The Cougars, Western Athletic Conference champions with a 9-3 record, rely on the passing arms of junior Marc Wilson and sophomore Jim McMahon, who combined for 2,807 yards passing this year. Wilson, a

drop-back passer who threw for 1,499 yards, probably will start.

"There's really no suspense," said Navy defensive back Greg Milo. "We know they're going to come out throwing."

Navy won its first six games, three by shutout, and is ranked 13th in the nation in total defense. The game begins at 9 p.m. EST and will be televised by the Mizlou network to some parts of the nation.

Bowl activity continues Saturday with No. 13 Maryland, 9-2, vs. No. 14 Texas, 8-3, in the Sun Bowl at El Paso, Texas; No. 18 Missouri, 7-4, vs. Louisiana State, 8-3, in the Liberty Bowl at Memphis, Tenn.; and No. 16 Pittsburgh, 8-3, vs. North Carolina State, 8-3, in the Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla.

On Monday, 17th-ranked Purdue, 8-2-1, meets Georgia Tech, 7-4, in the Peach Bowl at Atlanta, and No. 15 UCLA, 8-3, plays eighth-ranked Arkansas, 9-2, in the Fiesta Bowl at Tempe, Ariz.

The Sun Bowl pits left-handed quarterbacks Tim O'Hare of Maryland against Mark McBath of Texas. O'Hare, who threw for 1,388 yards to lead the Terrapins to the Atlanta Coast Conference title, is more of a passer than McBath. But if the Longhorns need passing, they have senior Randy McEachern, a right-hander.

With flanker Johnny "Lam" Jones, an Olympic gold medalist in the 400-meter relay, Texas is a one-touchdown favorite. The game, which has a 1:30 p.m. EST kickoff, will be televised by CBS.

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Basketball Recruiting And Cheating, Part 4

When Garfinkel Talks, Coaches Listen

By FRED ROTHENBERG
AP Sports Writer

If for no other reason, Howie Garfinkel is special because he can quietly tell Bobby Knight where to go and the fiery Indiana coach will listen.

Knight listens because he considers Garfinkel the most important man in college basketball recruiting, and there are many other people in the game who agree.

play for me I wouldn't go after him."

Knight is known as a highstrung motivator, an approach which does not work on every psyche. "Howard is a great evaluator of talent, but I'm not sure Christ could judge attitude. But if he said the kid was sensitive, I would accept his advice. He's not infallible, but the guy's the best at what he

does."

There are other basketball reports - Bill Croneauer puts one out in St. Petersburg, Fla., and Dave Bnes does one from Toledo, Ohio - but Knight says what gets Garfinkel apart from the rest is his concern for the player he rates and the coach who buys his service.

"He doesn't just have an interest in the outstanding

athlete, the superstar," Knight said. "He does all he can to help the kid who can't play at the major schools."

Garfinkel said the focus of his efforts has shifted from the reports to his camp, which have been sold out the past eight years. He used to put out a more detailed report, listing the player's position, size, school, coach, grade point, SAT scores

and race - plus long descriptions of the player's ability, ending with Garfinkel's assessment of his prospective level of college ball.

His ratings go from 1 small college to 5 big-time, with pluses and minuses providing 15 possible levels. He once said Adrian Dantley was an 8.

Four years ago, he gave a high school player in New

Jersey a 5 and was mocked by his peers. "The kid had no speed, no quickness and was turned down by many of the big-time schools that saw him. All he had was the best basketball mind since Bill Bradley, and I said so."

The player is Jim Spanarkel of Duke.

Today, for \$200, subscribers get shorter published reports and phone information on players the schools are specifically interested in or tips from Garfinkel on players the schools should be interested in.

"I'm like a guidance counselor," Garfinkel said. "I want to be able to pinpoint players to teams. Everyone knows the 5s and the 1s, it's the 2s, 3s and 4s that take the ability."

It is these middle-ranked players who receive the most-needed attention from being rated by Garfinkel. And since scholarships have been reduced to 15 for any four-year period, coaches cannot afford any mistakes and rely heavily on Garfinkel's evaluation of the middle-range players.

Sacred Heart University is a small school in Connecticut, which has no chance at the 5s. "So I'll tell them about a Mike

Macky from Midwood High School in Brooklyn...His grades call for a Division II school, so I'll call my subscribers who can accept him.

"In my mind, that's a service. I'm saving everybody involved a lot of time. I wanna help the kid. I wanna help the school. You won't find Mike Macky's name on any other list in the country."

Along with his helper, Tom Konchalski, Garfinkel is a high school gym fixture, evaluating talent, talking to the coaches and players.

"If a kid has a shaky attitude, I have an obligation to tell my subscribers the truth. I have to protect the schools that buy my reports from successfully recruiting players who have no chance of lasting there."

"My track record speaks for itself. I like to bat .800, and I do. Otherwise, the coaches would not call me. I'm not God: I'm good."

But that influence does not sit well with some coaches - Dave Gavitt, for example. "I'm opposed to any foreign body being involved in the recruiting process," said the 1980 Olympic coach, who will be retiring as Providence's coach after this season. "We don't take

anybody's reports."

But Gavitt's longtime assistant, Nick Macarchuk, did take the report for Providence from 1973-77, when he left to become head coach at Canisius.

Garfinkel, also on the selection committee of the McDonald's All-American team, said the biggest blunder he ever made was with Heyward Dotson, who was a great guard for Columbia's super teams a decade ago. "He was a mechanical center with his back to the basket who had nothing," Garfinkel remembered. "I didn't see a back-courtman. I blew it."

More typical of his accuracy is Bobby Willis, a guard for James Monroe in the Bronx with no following. Garfinkel saw him play in a scrimmage and loved him. He also loved his attitude and intellect.

"The report wasn't coming out for a couple of weeks, so whenever I talked to my good scholastic schools, I talked up Willis. I said he was a 5, 'the greatest sleeper since Rip van Winkle.' Within two weeks he had 25 inquiries, and his career was launched. He became heavily recruited, eventually signed with Penn and now is one of the best guards in the East."

OSU Probe To Continue

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - The Big Eight plans to pursue the Oklahoma State slush fund case, despite a federal court ruling prohibiting it from considering any involvement of former Coach Jim Stanely.

"The judge apparently has outlined two ways for us to proceed," Commissioner Charles M. Neinas said Thursday after U.S. District Court Judge Russell G. Clark granted Stanely a preliminary injunction.

"I happen to believe there are other alternatives we can explore. Our responsibility is to our member institution." He declined comment on the possible alternatives, but indi-

cated the decision might be appealed. Oklahoma State is now, ending the first year of a two-year NCAA probation levied for recruiting violations.

Clark took the case under advisement after a day-long hearing on Stanely's request Dec. 17. In his ruling Thursday, he said the Big Eight's report into the slush fund charges was "replete with hearsay and double hearsay," and said

Stanley's constitutional right to due process would be violated under current Big Eight investigatory procedures. He directed the conference to submit to him within 30 days an outline of procedures that would assure Stanley's due process rights.

Clark indicated he was felt Neinas had dealt with Stanley without malice or deliberate bias. Rather, he criticized the "one-shot" opportunity the

coach would have to defend himself against any charges and said, "...the risk of findings being made on possibly erroneous or mistaken facts must be minimized and the individual afforded a greater and more meaningful opportunity to refute the summarized statements."

"The court notes that to require the defendants Big Eight to completely reconstruct this investigation to conform to suggestions of the court would be unreasonable hardship," he said in a 21-page ruling.

"Nevertheless, the rights of this plaintiff Stanley cannot be allowed to be drastically altered by a process so lacking in procedural safeguards."

Stanley, who was fired at the end of the 1978 season, obtained a temporary restraining order against the Big Eight on Nov. 30, the day faculty representatives and athletic directors were scheduled to review the conference investigation and decide on penalties. The conference hearing was then postponed.

If the Big Eight does not win a reversal on appeal, its investigatory and disciplinary measures would presumably have to be changed. Clark held that attorneys must be permitted to attend any hearing to represent Stanley and that Stanley should be afforded the right to have allegations against him presented by witnesses who are subject to cross-examination or by some alternative procedure to safeguard his interests.

Indians Hire Wooding To Post

CLEVELAND (AP) - The Cleveland Indians have beefed up their full-time scouting staff with the hiring of former major league outfielder Gene Wooding.

Wooding, 56, of Medina, Ohio, Thursday became the Indians' 10th fulltime scout and the fourth hired since the end of the 1978 season.

"When Gabe team president Gabe Paul came here, one of the

first things he said was 'Beef up the scouting staff.' He moved with immediacy," explained Bob Quinn, the Indians' farm director.

"We're heading in the right direction," he added. "We're surrounding ourselves with quality people who can crosscheck the Central Scouting Bureau reports."

"Once in a while they'll come up with one of the bureau misses. After the June free agent draft, they will be able to cover the AAA and AA leagues," Quinn said.

Wooding played in the major leagues from 1943 to 1962 with the Indians, Pittsburgh, the New York Yankees, Baltimore, Washington and the New York Mets. He had a lifetime average of .284 and an average of .318 in 26 World Series games with the Yankees.

Wooding also was a coach with the Orioles from 1964-67 and scouted from 1968-74 on a part-time basis for the Yankees.

Evert To Marry John Lloyd

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) - Chris Evert was promoting an upcoming tennis tournament when a reporter noticed a ring that hadn't been there before.

"Isn't there something on your hand you want to tell us about?" he asked.

Evert then revealed her engagement to English tennis player John Lloyd, 24, who she began dating at last summer's Wimbledon tournament.

"We started talking about marriage in Europe this fall. We knew it was going to happen," Evert said.

"We've not been apart since," said Lloyd, from South-end-On-The-Sea, England.

"I have to say we are both a little shy. Even before we actually met, I felt we would like each other. At Wimbledon, we were sort of giving each other the eye, watching for each other on the courts," Evert said.

She said they will have homes in both England and the United

Hall Relaxed About Tourney

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) - Kentucky lost a bitterly contested game last week at Indiana, but Coach Joe Hall was relaxed this week as he prepared the Wildcats for what promises to be an unusually tough University of Kentucky Invitational Tournament.

Seventh-ranked Syracuse, 6-0, opens play in tonight's first round against 15th-ranked Illinois, 7-0. The Wildcats, 3-1 and ranked 11th, battle No. 17 Texas A&M, 8-1, in the second game.

Hall was in good spirits before practice Wednesday, joking with reporters about Saturday's 68-67 overtime loss

at Bloomington, Ind. The scene would have been unthinkable last season, when the Wildcats trudged toward the national championship.

As for the UKIT, Hall was effusive in his praise for Texas A&M and Syracuse, while Illinois remained something of an unknown quantity.

The Aggies, led by 6-foot-11 freshman center Rudy Woods, dropped their opening game to North Carolina State, now ranked fourth. Eight straight opponents have fallen since then, including Indiana, Nevada-Las Vegas and San Francisco.

"They're a fast break team. They change their defenses and they like to take it inside," Hall said. "They like to fast break. Their wins this week over Nevada-Las Vegas and San Francisco proved that. Woods is not their whole team. You'd think he was, but their forwards 6-6 Rynn Wright and 6-7 Vernon Smith are sensational."

Syracuse, Hall said, "is coming in here as the top-ranked team in the tournament. I thought they had an exciting team last year. Roosevelt Bouie is a superb physical specimen."

Bouie, the Orangemen's 6-11 center, is averaging 16.1, but 6-6 forward Dale Shackelford leads the team at 21.8.

Illinois is getting 36 total points a game from forwards Neil Bresnahan and Eddie Johnson and guard Mark Smith.

Maryland, Texas Play In Sun Bowl

EL PASO, Texas (AP) - When you're No. 7, sometimes it doesn't even do any good to try harder.

But Maryland's starting quarterback in the Sun Bowl Saturday against the Texas Longhorns was too cocky to figure the odds.

"I knew they had a lot of quarterbacks but I liked the school," said Tim O'Hare, who is a left-hander just like Texas' starting quarterback Mark McBath.

"There were seven quarterbacks when I came in back in 1973, and I was No. 7 and that's the low man on the totem pole," O'Hare said. "Even when I moved up to the backup spot I didn't get to do much more than just go in and run out the clock."

Far from discouraged, O'Hare admitted "I was still pretty cocky."

He said life at Maryland wasn't all that hardscrabble while he made a place on the team.

O'Hare, who passed for 1,388

yards to lead the Atlantic Coast Conference, said "I had a good time. Football wasn't my whole life. Sure, it was frustrating but it wasn't four years of obscurity like everybody says."

With O'Hare at the controls, Maryland lost only to unbeaten Penn State and ACC rival Clemson in a 9-2 regular season.

Texas lost to Oklahoma, Houston and Baylor in an 8-3 regular season.

McBath started the final game of the season after a 38-14 loss to Baylor and the Longhorns downed the Texas Aggies, earning another start against Maryland.

Randy McEacher, another former third-string Texas quarterback who is a better passer than McBath, will be standing in the wings of Maryland's tough defense clogs the Longhorn ground game.

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Carter Involved in Tough Period

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OPEC May Consider Further Increases

WASHINGTON (AP) - The scene is likely to be repeated more and more as President Carter moves closer and closer to final decisions on the new federal budget.

The leaders of one liberal group or another, after conferring with the president or one of his senior aides, are standing in the White House driveway.

Stamping their feet and rubbing their hands against the icy winter weather, they

complain to a circle of reporters about the treatment they are getting at the hands of a Democratic administration bent on turning in a tight budget to fight inflation.

While they conduct their impromptu, but predictable news conference - there have been two such sessions in the past two weeks with black leaders - White House aides are busy trying to convince others that, in Carter's words, the administration will produce "a

well-balanced budget and a fair budget."

This is a period that Carter calls the most difficult in the seasons of the presidency. It is a period when leaders of business, union officials, representatives of minorities, women and veterans traipse into the White House to seek a share of the federal pie.

It is a period when, in the words of one administration official whose job involves trying to placate everyone, "you

have the traditional problem" of agency chiefs laying budgetary problems at the doorsteps of their neighbors.

Carter, meanwhile, has been making an apparent effort to calm the fears of liberals, who were never the backbone of his support.

Throughout recent weeks, Carter's speeches have been spiced with language that can't hurt his standing among liberals - those most likely to complain when he submits his tight

budget proposals that he is overlooking pressing social needs of the country.

His appearance at the Democratic Party's midterm conference in Memphis gave him several opportunities to make his point.

Consider, for example, his words to a group gathered to talk about the economy and inflation: "If I do make a mistake on the budget it will be on the side of those who are most dependent

on the government, the poor and the deprived and the disadvantaged who are looking for a better life and who can only find a better life, in my opinion, with a Democratic administration."

How about curbing the arms race with a strategic arms limitation treaty?

"I contemplate a much more drastic cut in overall missile levels of all kinds in SALT III than we will be able to accomplish in SALT II."

KUWAIT (AP) - The head of OPEC said Thursday the oil cartel may consider further increases in the price of oil in the first half of 1979 if the dollar falls too much and world inflation continues strong.

At a meeting last weekend in the Persian Gulf emirate of Abu Dhabi, the 13-nation Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries decided to raise world crude oil prices by 14.5 percent in four steps in 1979, beginning with a 5 percent boost Jan. 1.

OPEC's secretary-general,

Rene Ortiz of Ecuador, noted in an interview with Kuwait's news agency KUNA that the next semi-annual OPEC meeting is scheduled for June in Geneva, Switzerland. "To consider any further decline in the value of the U.S. dollar, and to take proper measures to meet this..."

"But if the international economy deteriorates rapidly, there is a possibility that an emergency OPEC ministerial meeting may be held before then," he said.

Television Schedules

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<p>6:00 (1) NEWS (2) CAROL BURNETT AND FRIENDS (3) "The Alibi," "Toilet Tissue," "Just A Gigolo." (4) TAMMY FAYE (5) BEWITCHED (6) "A Prince Of A Guy" Tabatha conjures up Prince Charming. (7) ZOOM (R) (8) GOOD NEWS (9) NEWLYWED GAME (10) NBA BASKETBALL Atlanta Hawks vs. Boston Celtics (11) HAPPY HOUR (12) TO TELL THE TRUTH (13) CAROL BURNETT AND FRIENDS (14) ADAM-12 "The Pilgrimage" Christmas Eve brings mixed blessings to Malloy and Reed when they have to arrest Santa Claus. (15) MACNEIL / LEHRER REPORT (16) LESSON (17) BOB HOPE Bob Hope presents his 22nd annual Christmas special with guests Andy Gibb, Red Skelton, Dionne Warwick and the Associated Press All-America Football Team. (18) SPECIALS JOHN DAVIDSON John Davidson and his family, en route to grandma's house for the holidays, meet up with Santa Claus and other merry characters, played by Harry Korman and Linda Lavin. (19) ORAL ROBERTS CHRISTMAS (20) NEWSDAY (21) IN TOUCH (22) WALL STREET WEEK</p>	<p>Francis and other guests celebrate the holiday season in California and western Pennsylvania. (1) BEST OF 700 CLUB (2) POP GOES THE COUNTRY (3) HOLY SPIRIT IN THE NOW (4) TO BE ANNOUNCED (5) NCAA FOOTBALL Live coverage of the Sun Bowl with the University of Maryland and the University of Texas from El Paso, Texas. (6) VOTER'S DIGEST 1:00 (1) MOVIE "Bunny Lake is Missing" (1965) Laurence Olivier, Carol Lynley. (2) MOVIE "Maverick" (1966) Clint Walker, Jay North. (3) CHRISTMAS EVE ON SESAME STREET An hour of songs and Christmas fun for the whole family. (4) CHARISMA (5) GERALD PERSTINE (6) SPECIAL "Manukkah" - Ed Asner explains the significance of the religious holiday. (7) RAYS OF HOPE (8) NCAA FOOTBALL Live coverage of the Liberty Bowl with Missouri vs. LSU from Memphis, Tennessee. (9) A CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION Richard Kiley is host for this history of the celebration of Christmas Day, established by Pope Julius I. (10) LAY WITNESS (11) LONDSIDE (12) MOVIE "Western Union" (1941) Robert Young, Dean Jagger. (13) PISTA MEXICANA (14) SPECIAL "Silent Night" The Vienna Boys' Choir and a musical ensemble perform a selection of Christmas music. (15) MARAMATHA CONCERTS (16) SPO SPORTS SPECTACULAR Coverage of "Men's World Cup Skiing" from Kranjska Gora, Yugoslavia; "Women's World Cup Skiing" from Val D'Isere, France; "Touch Football - 1958" featuring the 1958 New York Giants team vs. the 1958 Baltimore Colts team; Part 10 of the "World's Strongest" competition featuring lug-of-war. (17) VARIETES MUSICALES (18) SPECIAL "An Elizabethan Christmas Celebration" Processions, feasting, singing and dancing typical of the Elizabethan holiday, highlighted by the festive period. (19) POWER IN PRAISE (20) WESTERN HOUR (21) SPECIAL "Sing We Noel" The Mormon Youth Symphony And Chorus present traditional and contemporary Christmas music, as well as children's versions of the Christmas story. (22) HI, DOUG (23) DONNA FARGO (24) SPECIAL "Christmas Snows, Christmas Winds" A man reminisces about Christmas in the 1940s and a special school band concert. (25) ROSS BAGLEY (26) NEXT STEP BEYOND (27) WESTERN HOUR (28) LAWRENCE WELK</p>	<p>6:00 (1) AMARILLO AND THE NIGHT VISITORS Robert Sapolsky portrays Amahl, a poor crippled boy who offers his most prized possession to the Three Kings as a gift for the Christ Child, in this production of Gian-Carlo Menotti's Christmas opera. (2) STAR TREK (3) JAMES ROBINSON (4) CHRISTMAS SERVICE Pope John Paul II's first Christmas Midnight Mass will be televised live from Vatican City in Rome. (5) 60 MINUTES "The Great Race" (1965) Jack Lemmon, Tony Curtis. A classic hero and villain battle spans three continents. 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(3) RALPH WILKERSON IN MELODYLAND (4) THE NUTCRACKER Mikhail Baryshnikov and Gelsey Kirkland perform the title roles in this American Ballet Theatre production of the classic story of a small girl's dreams on Christmas Eve. (5) MASTERPIECE THEATRE "The Duchess Of Duke Street: The Outsiders" (1978) Tyrrell entreats a new guest, who is terminally ill. (Part 9 of 15) (R) (6) REX HUMBARD (7) MOVIE "Stella" (1950) Ann Sheridan, Victor Mature. (8) MOVIE "Some Kind Of A Nut" (1969) Dick Van Dyke, Angie Dickinson. A bank teller loses his job and girlfriend because he refuses to shave off a beard he grew while on vacation. 11:00 (1) CHRISTMAS ROME 1978 Pope John Paul II celebrates his first Christmas Midnight Mass. (From St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City.) (2) HAPPY HUNTERS (3) REX HUMBARD 12:00 (1) DAN GRIFFIN (2) MOVIE "The Love God" (1969) Don Knotts, Edmond O'Brien. The editor of a nature magazine returns from a trip to find himself the object of massive affection and also two lawsuits. 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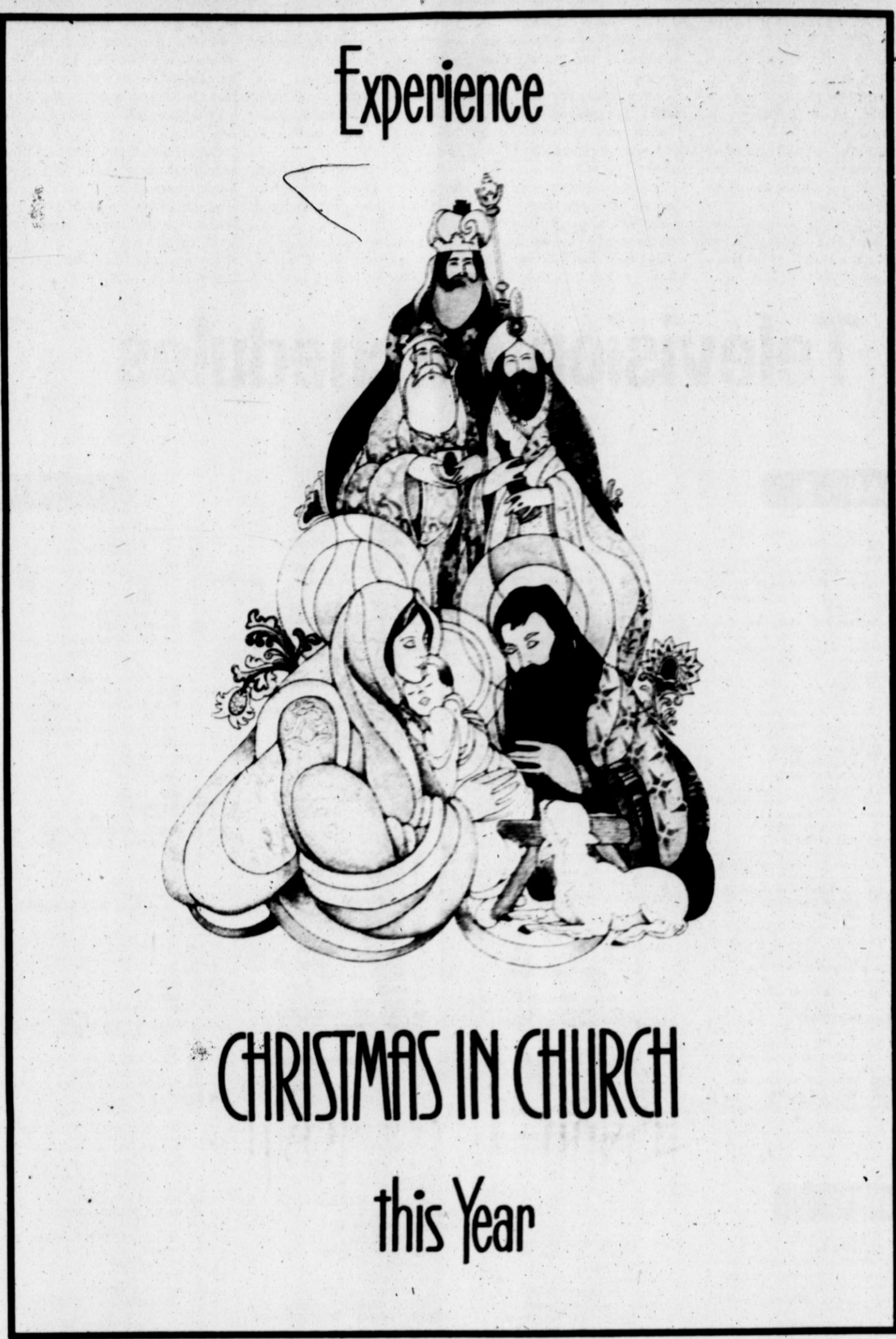
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