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Politicians In Texas Watch Briscoe, Hill

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Who's running for what is the game that most Texas politicians will be playing this holiday season.

Although the filing deadline for political office is not until Feb. 6, 1978, the campaign planning has already started.

But statewide political plans cannot be made until two prominent high state officials are heard from–Gov. Dolph Briscoe and Atty. Gen. John Hill.

Everyone thinks they know what Briscoe will say–that he wants a third term–but the official word is needed.

And what Briscoe says will affect Hill's decision. Hill has been considered a sure candidate for governor in 1978. However, Briscoe, who appears at the peak of his political strength, seems to want a third term. As a result, many of Hill's friends who also are Briscoe supporters, are urging the attorney general to run for re-election or even for U.S. Senate against Sen. John Tower, R-Tex.

Hill has even hinted that if he does not run for governor he may quit public life and go back to his lucrative law business in Houston.Briscoe is politically coy about his future political plans.

"If he announced now he would have to set up a political headquarters and start keeping track of expenses," said a close associate.

"Of course an announcement now might scare off some opponents," he added.

Briscoe's aides swear he has not made up his mind when he will formally announce. Some think he might toss his hat in the ring at the big Democratic "victory party" Jan. 10 just before the new legislature opens. Others think he will wait until after the legislative session.

"I don't really know when he is going to do it but there is no doubt in my mind he is going to run," says State Democratic Chairman Calvin Guest, Bryan. "I've known him for too many years not to know."

If Briscoe's answer should be "No" then Hill, and a host of other Democrats and Republicans will be in the governor's race.

Hill has decided not to make any announcement until after the first of the year, and probably not until the end of the legislative session. Should Briscoe's lawmaking program falter he wants to be able to take advantage of it.

Although some bigtime lobbyists are urging Hill to try the U.S. Senate, most big business types would like for him to stay put in the attorney general's office.

"The establishment wants continuity and stability in state government," says one high source. "With Briscoe as strong as he is, they would be happy if everybody just stayed where they are."

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Comptroller Bob Bullock have already seen the light and said they will not oppose Briscoe for a third term.

Texas Republicans have several promising candidates–including State GOP Chairman Ray Hutchison and U.S. Ambassador to Britain Anne Armstrong–they would like to try in a governor's race. But they know it will take tremendous political clout, and much money, to combat Briscoe's power and dollars.



DOUSES FIRE—Fireman Jack Callaway (shown above) was one of about a dozen Snyder firemen dispatched Friday afternoon at about 4:40 to extinguish a truck fire at the Homco facility at 2200 Avenue R. The fire was quickly snuffed by a fire unit that was returning from another fire that had occurred about half an hour earlier. Moderate to heavy damages were reported to the vehicle. (SDN Staff Photo)

Sunday update

Cotton Growers To Vote

WASHINGTON (AP)—Subject to a vote among cotton growers, the Agriculture Department has decided to adopt a new rule, that will generate millions of dollars in new funds to help finance cotton research and promotion beginning next year.

The department said Friday that cotton producers will vote by mail ballots Dec. 13-17 on the plan. The referendum will be conducted through county offices of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

The plan, authorized by Congress earlier this year, will provide a larger assessment on cotton equal to four-tenths of 1 per cent of its value.

Determination of the value of cotton used as a basis for assessing producers will be made by the Cotton Board, which oversees research and promotion programs and represents growers and the industry, and the secretary of agriculture.

Spring Registration

Registration is slated Jan. 10-14 for spring semester classes at the Western Texas College extension center of Sul Ross State University.

Classes will begin Jan. 17 and continue through May 12. All classes are held on the WTC campus and meet from 6:30-9:30 one night per week. Courses tentatively scheduled for the spring semester are Education 5307, Education 5313, Education 6307, Education 6308, Education 7309, History 5310 and Sociology 5303.

Persons wishing further information may contact Mrs. Mary Pinkston, Sul Ross coordinator, in the WTC Administration Building or call her at 573-0012.

Lord Britten Dies

ALDEBURGH, England (AP)—Benjamin Britten, one of the 20th century's leading composers, died at his country home here early today, friends announced. He was 63.

Lord Britten had been at home with a deteriorating heart condition for several weeks because "there was nothing a hospital could do for him any more," his friend and biographer Donald Mitchell said. "It's so sad, but thankfully the end was peaceful for him."

Boys On Raft Land

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—After 42 days on a raft floating down the Red and Mississippi rivers, 10 boys from a Texas youth camp landed safely here and immediately went to a French Quarter cafe for doughnuts and milk.

Fight Erupts In Beirut

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP)—New fighting flared between leftists and rightests in north and south Lebanon today in violation of a two-week-old cease-fire imposed by an Arab League peacekeeping army.

The SDN Column

The saga of the Scurry County Centennial flags added another chapter the other day.

The original flag was taken from its pole in Heritage Park on the coliseum grounds last August. When efforts to recover the flag failed over a period of several weeks, another one was made and hoisted in Heritage Park. Shortly thereafter, the original Scurry County Centennial flag was found in a U.S. Mail box at the Post Office.

A few days ago, the new flag disappeared. It turned up on the desk of John Gary, vice principal at Snyder Junior High School. At latest count, both flags were accounted for, but it may be just as well that there are two of them available because it appears that one may be on the go from time to time.

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The talk about Frank Broyles and Darrell Royal resigning their jobs as head football coaches at the University of Arkansas and the University of Texas, respectively, brought on the sudden realization that such a move would truly signal the end of an era in the Southwest Conference. It would mean that Grant Teaff of Baylor and Emory Bellard of Texas A&M would be the "deans" of the conference's head coaches. They both began their present jobs in 1972.

Of course Bill Yeoman of Houston U. has been there since 1962, but Houston is merely in its first season in the Southwest Conference.

It seems only yesterday that Snyder's Grant Teaff became the newest head coach in the conference and other coaches and fans were congratulating him and sympathizing with him at the same time as he took over a Baylor football program that had hit bottom. And it seems only a few moments ago that he was being honored here in his home town following his second year at Baylor when he took his team to the conference title and to the Cotton Bowl.

It just goes to show you that time does fly and football fortunes fluctuate.

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To hear some of the prophets of doom tell it, this country has been killing itself off for years. But our predecessors as well as our contemporiaries must have been doing something right. In 1800, the average life expectancy at birth in America was 35 years. By 1865 it had increased to 40, and by 1919 it was 50. Today it is over 70.—WACIL McNAIR.

There's More In Store for Snoppers During Snyder's Santa Spectacular

Askins Rites Set Monday

Mrs. Alice Askins, who lived at 1507 Twenty-first Street and who had been a resident of the Borden-Scurry County area since 1905, died at 4 a.m. Saturday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p.m. Monday at the Bell-Seale Chapel and burial will be in the Gail Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Mrs. Askins was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church. A native of Coryell County, she moved with her family to Borden County in 1905 and was married on Sept. 25, 1907, in Borden County to William H. Askins. He preceded her in death on Sept. 14, 1968.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Nettie Kelly of Snyder and Mrs. Thadene Harless of Kermit; two sons, Elmer Askins of Big Spring and Emmett Askins of Snyder; two sisters, Mrs. Dollie Higgins of Petersburg and Mrs. Jessie DeRusha of Plainview; a brother and sister-in-law, Sid and Nell Askins of Burkburnett; 13 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

Jail Plans Here Mostly Above State Standards

Plans for a Scurry County jail apparently will need only slight alteration to comply with jail standards to be issued soon a state commission.

The State Commission on Jail Standards announced the past week that it had adopted some rules that will be included in standards to go into effect on Dec. 23. Among major requirements listed in that announcement were a minimum of 40 square feet of space for a prisoner in a cell, with 18 square feet more for each additional prisoner in the same cell, and also a minimum of 30 per cent of the cells to be for one prisoner each.

J.D. Hinton, architect, said that plans for the Scurry County Jail already provide for about 40 to 45 per cent single cells, which would exceed the state standards by a considerable margin. Also, the 40 square-foot requirement is exceeded in the plans here.

Hinton said that so far as he has been able to determine, the only modification of plans he already has developed will be a change in the smoke evacuation system. This would require a minor change in the size of exhaust fans to meet standards the state commission has indicated tht it will require.

The plans for the Scurry County jail will be taken to Austin for final clearance, once the state standards become effective.

If site clearing work moves on schedule, Hinton said the county possibly could seek bids by the end of February or the first of March.

The county plans to construct the new jail on the property formerly used by the old Travis Junior High School. It acquired the property last year from the Snyder Independent School District. Demolition of the school building on the property began last winter, but was halted the past summer. A new contract to finish the site clearing work was awarded last week by the county.

Cotton Harvest Moving Rapidly

Cotton harvest operations continued at a rapid pace in Scurry County during the past week, and by Friday ginning figures were mounting and backlogs of cotton were stacking up on the gin yards.

Also, the cottton yield continued to surprise most observers. By Friday, the nine gins in Scurry County had processed 12,532 bales and ginners reported a total of 4,432 bales waiting in their yards. Estimates were that something less than 25 per cent of the crop was in.

Early in the season, most estimates pegged the 1976 Scurry County Cotton crop at about 35,000 bales. This was hiked to 40,000 as the ginning season began, and some forecasts now put it closer to the 50,000-bale level.

Although there was some fluctation reported during the week, prices continued in the 65-70-cent range, with some reported going at slightly above 70 cents per pound.

The ginning totals at the end of the week in Scurry County were as follows:

GIN	GINNED	ON YARD
Dunn	1165	420
Fluvanna	1100	750
China Grove	1627	471
Hermleigh	1132	208
Inadale	3100	700
Ira	500	100
Paymaster	1550	500
Sny. Co-op1	1828	933
Sny. Co-op 2	530	350
Totals	12.532	4,432

Hughes Was Delaing On Houston Home

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Post said today it has learned that Howard Hughes was negotiating the purchase of a multimillion dollar home in Houston about two months before his April 5 death.

Frank Wilson Dies; Service Set Today

Frank A. Wilson, 81, well-known in Scurry County farming, ranching and political circles, died at 3:40 Friday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

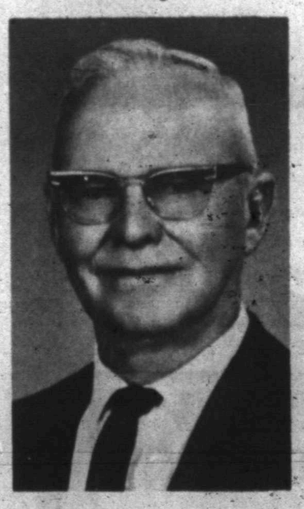
Mr. Wilson lived at 2609 Thirty-fifth Street.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church, where Mr. Wilson was a member. The Rev. Ken Andress, pastor of the church, will officiate. Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Wilson, a retired farmer-stockman, was a native and life-long resident of Scurry County. He was a veteran of World War I, and for 20 years served as the Democratic Party Chairman for Scurry County before retiring because of ill health in 1975.

He was married to Miss Mattie M. Davis on Jan. 4, 1922, in Snyder. She survives.

Also surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Frankie Jo McCulloch of San Angelo, Mrs. Cornelia Stirman of Midland, Mrs. Nadell McGlaun of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Marinell McCowen of Corpus Christi; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.



FRANK A. WILSON

Friends of the family are making memorial contributions to the American Heart Association.

November Building Pace Off Slightly

Snyder building figures for November declined slightly from those of 1975.

Permits issued by the city covered construction projects with a total value of $136,110 last month. Weather conditions may be blamed for the November slowdown, since a snow storm, rain and long spells of cold offered little opportunity for construction work through most of the month.

However, the November ngures this year were only $7,000 below those of last year, and records indicate that November is usually a slow month for building.

The month did add 10 living units inthe city, including one new residence and nine mobile homes. Other permits issued during the month were for two commercial projects and 10 additions and accessory buildings.

WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Friday, 58 degrees; low, 26 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 28 degrees.

West Texas: Threat of snow Monday mainly north. Little or no precipitation Tuesday and Wednesday. Temperatures will drop to well below seasonal normals beginning of the week. Highs 30s north to 50s south Monday. 20s north to 40s south Tuesday and warming to 40s and 50s by Wednesday. Lows teens and 20s will prevail.



CUTTING THE FUEL BILL—B.L. Herrera is one of scores of Snyder area residents who have taken advantage of free firewood on a tract of land being cleared by the city for an irrigation project. Trees on the land just south of Thirty-seventh Street and east of Deep Creek, were dozed down recently, and the public was invited to help itself to the wood.

17 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Free Firewood Draws A Crowd

A number of Snyder area residents have been taking advantage of an opportunity to get free firewood on a piece of land where the City of Snyder plans to plant alfalfa next spring.

Dozers uprooted trees on the land (mostly mesquite) located south of Thirty-seventh Street and east of Deep Creek, and they are available to anyone who wants them.

"We would like for people to take all of them," said City Manager George Patterson. "It will save us some work and expense in getting the land ready for root plowing."

Patterson said he had noted as many as seven "crews" with their chain saws taking advantage of the free firewood at one time. The energy shortage and the resulting higher utility bills are believed to have made the free firewood especially popular among those who have fireplaces.

The City had an experimental field of alfalfa adjacent to its wastewater treatment plant the past season and plans to expand this operation in 1977. It uses water from the plant to irrigate the alfalfa, which is an approved method of disposing of the waste water. Eventually it hopes to make use of all effluent water from the plant, which would put the city in full compliance with environmental protection agencies that have advised the city to cease turning the effluent water into Deep Creek.

Transition Pace Greater Than Meets The Eye

PLAINS, Ga. (AP) — President-elect Jimmy Carter's spokesman says his boss is being slower than most incoming presidents about naming top-level jobholders — but the process is moving with greater speed than meets the eye.

The selection process is not claiming as much attention as it might because most of it is cloaked in secrecy, with Carter and only a handful of close associates privy to the details.

Already, for example, Carter has collected individual dossiers, running 15-20 pages each, on leading candidates for at least half a dozen Cabinet-level positions.

"It is certainly true," press secretary Jody Powell said, "that we are not making announcements as rapidly as was done in the past."

Powell was quick to attribute this to the care Carter is taking in reaching personnel decisions, and the fact that he attaches extra importance to the process because he is pledged to give his Cabinet greater authority than have most recent chief executives.

Carter presumably won't even come close to resigned President Richard M. Nixon's speed record, which saw Nixon introduce all his Cabinet nominees at a televised extravaganza on Dec. 11, 1968.

In fact, the President-elect said this week he does not anticipate announcing any substantial number of top appointees for another week or two.

He has announced only two so far — Cyrus R. Vance to be secretary of state and Thomas Bertram Lance to head the Office of Management and Budget. The announcement came Friday.

Vance is a former secretary of the Army, deputy secretary of defense and special negotiator in assorted world trouble spots. Lance is an Atlanta banker and longtime Carter supporter.

President John F. Kennedy named his first Cabinet nominee on Dec. 1, 1960 — Abraham Ribicoff to be secretary of health, education and welfare.

President Dwight D. Eisenhower's first Cabinet choice, John Foster Dulles as secretary of state, came on Nov. 20, 1952.

Although Powell told reporters that Carter's "chief concern now is appointments," the President-elect has not confined himself this week to the talent search.

On Wednesday, for example, he spent 5½ hours, relieved only by a coffee break, discussing just about every aspect of the economic outlook with 16 bankers, businessmen and economists. Rarely has an incumbent president spent so much time at one sitting on any topic.

Another item on the conference agenda: trying to develop the outlines of an anti-inflation strategy with next year's collective bargaining timetable in mind.

Alcoholism Seminar Set At Big Spring

The Big Spring State Hospital Alcoholism Program will conduct the 20th alcoholism seminar Friday, Dec. 10. It will be held in the auditorium at the Big Spring State Hospital.

These monthly seminars are made possible through a grant with the Texas Commission on Alcoholism and are held in conjunction with the Big Spring Veterans' Administration Hospital and Howard College.

The theme for this workshop will be "Alcohol and the Central Nervous system." The Consultant for this day-long meeting will be Douglas K. Gottfredson, Ph.D., Coordinator, Alcoholic Rehabilitation Unit, Ft. Lyon Veteran's Administration Hospital, Ft. Lyon, Colo.

Dr. Gottfredson is a psychologist, lecturer, and writer. He has served as a statistical consultant for various mental health programs and is presently Chairman of the Coordinator's Council at Ft. Lyon, VA Hospital.

Registration will begin at 8 a.m., with the General Session starting at 9 a.m. and adjournment at 4 p.m. A registration fee of $1 will be charged with an additional charge of $1 for those wishing to receive Continuing Education Units from Howard College. (The persons wishing to receive credit for attendance will be expected to remain the entire day.)

Additional information may be secured from Clyde Alsup, Training Officer, Alcoholism Unit, Big Spring State Hospital.

Vandalism Reported By Local Firm

Approximately $1,500 will be needed to repair the damage done in an act of vandalism Friday afternoon at a local fast-food restaurant.

An employe at the Taco Villa called the police department and told officers that someone had set fire to a hanging pot in the dining room of the facility. The fire in the pot burned through the rope suspending it from the ceiling and the pot came crashing down to the floor. The fire then spread to a section of carpet and a dining table.

The fire was extinguished by employes of the firm.

A minor traffic accident occurred Friday at 4:16 p.m. in the 2200 hundred block of Avenue T. A 1971 Pontiac driven by Ralph Clark was in collision with a 1961 Chevrolet driven by Dora Vera.

A one-car traffic accident occurred Friday at 8:41 p.m. in the 1000 block of Twenty-eighth Street. A 1967 Ford driven by Alex Pruitt collided with a utility pole. No one was injured in the mishap but a wrecker was needed to remove the car.

A bee has to visit 2,000 flowers in order to make one tablespoon of honey.

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Pendleton Racial Fight Not New

CAMP PENDLETON, Calif. (AP) — A check of Marine Corps records shows a Nov. 13 racial battle at Camp Pendleton is nothing new for the base. There were 50 such incidents in 1975.

The Nov. 13 commando-style attack by a band of blacks on a barracks party of whites is drawing attention, however, because it brought to light the presence of the Ku Klux Klan on the nation's largest Marine base.

A military investigation has revealed black Marines thought they were raiding a KKK meeting when they stormed into a beer party being held by seven white Marines. Six of the whites went to the hospital with injuries inflicted by clubs and screwdrivers.

Pretrial hearings start Monday for 14 blacks charged with conspiracy and assault. The blacks have admitted striking the wrong barracks room.

The Marine Corps later announced that a search of other rooms in the barracks had produced a list of 16 purported KKK members, a civilian pistol and other weapons.

The Corps said those named on the list and other white Marines who have since stepped forward to make statements in the name of the KKK are being shipped to other bases in the interest of racial harmony at Pendleton.

The latest to go on Friday was Cpl. Dan Bailey, who announced himself during the week as the new Exalted Cyclops, the replacement leader for a man transferred to Dallas Nov. 28.

Bailey, who initially refused transfer, was arrested by military police Thursday night and was flown under guard to New River, N. C., Marine Air Station on Friday.

"We are being railroaded. The Marine Corps is not helping the situation by transferring us. We have done nothing wrong," Bailey told reporters before his departure.

Since the Nov. 13 incident, the Marine Corps had remained insistant that there were no major racial difficulties on the post. They now have grudgingly admitted there are some problems and a check of records revealed 50 incidents of violence in 1975 that were attributed to racial reasons, with 45 of the cases being serious enough to require hospital treatment.

Figures for 1973 showed it was an even bigger year of racial problems, with 87 incidents recorded which included 74 resulting in medical treatment for participants. Six of those incidents were listed as racial brawls.

This year, the records showed there had been a sharp reduction in such incidents until the Nov. 13 battle. Through October, eight fights listed as racial resulted in six instances in which medical treatment was required. Two cases were described as racial brawls.

Knievel To Jump Again

CHICAGO (AP) — Evel Knievel is at it again. This time he will attempt to jump his motorcycle 90 feet across a tank containing 12 sharks on network television here Jan. 31.

Each of the sharks, promotors of the act said Friday, will be "no less than eight feet long."

Firemen Called

Three fires were extinguished Friday by Snyder firemen.

A grass fire was doused about one and a half miles southeast of town. It has occurred about 3:30 p.m.

A closet fire developed in the 1609 Avenue E residence of Jesse Faulkenberry. The fire was reported about 4:15 p.m. and only minor damages resulted.

Returning from that fire, the same fire unit was called to extinguish a truck fire that occurred in the 2200 block of Avenue R at the Homco plant. There, a truck had overturned and caught fire about 4:40 p.m.

UPS Reach Tentative Agreement

GREENWICH, Conn. (AP) — United Parcel Service says its operations should resume soon after a tentative agreement with the striking Teamsters Union is ratified, but not necessarily in time to help in the Christmas package rush in 15 states hit by the 2½-month strike.

The tentative settlement was announced Friday in Washington, D.C., where negotiations had been conducted. But the 17,000 striking UPS employes from Maine to South Carolina must approve the agreement before returning to work, and they're not expected to start voting until Wednesday at the earliest.

"You cannot plan in a void," said a spokesman at UPS headquarters here.

Union sources said the Teamsters' full negotiating committee will receive the agreement Monday and the leadership of the 74 involved locals Wednesday before the membership votes.

The union said the terms of the agreement would not be released before the ratification vote. Wages were not a major issue, and the workers are expected to add 33 per cent over three years to their current salaries, which average $7 per hour. The major dispute was over a UPS plan to replace most of its full-time inside workers with part-time personnel. The strike began Sept. 15.

There are about 12 accidental deaths and about 1,200 disabling injuries due to accidents every hour, says the National Safety Council.

Old Notions About Work Changing

By TERRY KIRKPATRICK
AP Business Writer

Some old notions about work are changing.

Like the idea that labor and management must always be at odds. Or that a person will produce more if he is placed before a bigger, faster machine. Or that many jobs will always be dull and routine, their holders consigned to lives of quiet desperation.

In their stead, a new phiposophy of work is developing at hundreds of factories, mines and assembly lines across the country.

To many workers it has ended the 4 o'clock rush to the parking lot; and to many employers, it has lead to the discovery that fewer workers are calling in sick or showing up late or filing grievances or that output is rising and the accident rate is declining.

It wasn't that way three years ago in the hot, gritty tunnels of the Rushton Mining Co.'s mine thousands of feet beneath Oceola Mills, Pa.

"When a machine broke down or a shuttle car got busted, or supplies were late, or the boss wasn't around, the guys would just sit around and wait, until told what to do next," miner Mark Naylor recalled.

"We did what the boss told us to do and only what he told us to do. If we goofed, it was his fault."

Accidents and absenteeism were rising while coal output was falling, and traditional management methods weren't working. Warren Hinks, Rushton's president, heard about the "autonomous team" concept being tried in British mines, and jumped at the idea.

In stages, on an experimental basis, the three seven-man crews that clawed at one of the mine's coal faces around the clock were expanded to nine members, each of them boosted to top scale pay.

On Mondays and Fridays, work in the experimental section stopped and the miners were brought to the surface for classroom instruction in each of the jobs on the crew and in safety rules.

The three foremen, once strapped with the contradictory duties of pushing both production and safety, were told to help with planning but concentrate on safety. The responsibility for how much coal was dug fell to the miners. They now could make more decisions about their jobs and the knowledge to make them intelligently.

More important, perhaps, was that the mine's management was learning a new attitude toward the miners.

"Generally the worker will reflect what management feels about him, and taking that same idea, we can say that ... he can in fact make a significant and competent and intelligent and creative contribution in the work effort," Hinks told a U.S. Senate subcommittee.

The island of Tasmania off Australia was named after Abel Tasman who discovered it in 1853.

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FRANTIC SEARCH—Frank Foster (played by Sam Thompson of Lubbock) is so frantically searching for a misplaced screwdriver (he wants to take his electric toothbrush apart) that he overlooks the fact that his wife (Sarah Coleman of Snyder) has hidden the telephone to conceal a secret conversation she was having with another man from Frank's office. The scene is from "How the Other Half Loves," a comedy which opens Tuesday night at the Fine Arts Theatre at WTC.



TOO MUCH HELP—Bob Phillips (Dennis McMenamy of St. Louis) is self-styled individualist married to a woman (Tesa Mohler of San Angelo) who wants to "help someone." She forgets about her own household and feeds her husband a steady diet of peanut butter sandwiches.



APOLOGIES DECREED—As the play ends, it becomes clear that the information Foster has picked up from rumors in "dribs and drabs" has been incorrect all along. Foster, in an attempt to sidestep his guilt, insists that his employees apologize to their wives.

WTC Comedy To Open Tuesday

"How The Other Half Loves," a situation comedy by Alan Ayckbourn, will open a five-night run in the Fine Arts Theatre at Western Texas College Tuesday night.

Curtain time will be 8 o'clock nightly except for Friday night when it has been re-scheduled for 8:30.

Advance tickets may be purchased at Snyder Drug, Snyder National Bank or West Texas State Bank, or on campus at the Fine Arts Division office or the bookstore. Tickets will also be available at the door. Admission prices are $2.50 for adults and $1.50 for students.

Charles Holland is director for "How The Other Half Loves." Jackie Byrne of Sweetwater is assistant to the director for this production, and Brian Nobles of Lubbock is stage manager and scenery designer. Joy Evans of Lubbock is in charge of lighting and Lee Kirby of Lubbock is in charge of sound effects. Pete Tercero of Lubbock is poster and program designer.

Costumes and scenery for the play have been created by the Stagecraft Class.

"How The Other Half Loves" involves three married couples and the situations which arise when their circumstances and personalities meet, miss or collide. Holland rates the show PG.



VICTIMIZED—Mary and William Detweiler (Teresa Johnson of Rankin and Scot Purkeypile of Lubbock) are an unassuming couple preoccupied with such mundane matters as fixing the drain trap. They are victimized by his well-intentioned boss, Frank Foster, and gossiping neighbors.

Cold Hobo In Serious Condition

CHICAGO (AP) — Looking for free transportation to Portland, Ore., Thomas Harriston hopped aboard a boxcar in Seattle, 150 miles away. Instead, he says, he traveled 2,000 miles and ended up in Chicago, with both arms and both legs frozen by a Midwest cold snap.

Harriston, 27, of Seattle, was listed in serious condition at Holy Cross Hospital after police found him Friday in the railroad boxcar.

Hospital officials said Harriston's legs had been frozen from knees to toes, his arms from elbows to fingers. Doctors said they might have to amputate, but would wait until Monday before deciding.

"When he came in here everything from the waist down was frozen just like steel," Patrolman Nich Zuklic said from the hospital. "He told me the freight car door slid shut and he couldn't get it open."

Harriston said he had boarded the train last Saturday and had no food or water during the trip, the patrolman said.

Group Ordered To Pay Judgment

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The rock 'n' roll group Bill Haley and the Comets was ordered Friday to pay its former manager a default judgment of $240,000.

Sandra Shekel Hart of the Jolly Joyce agency of Philadelphia sued the group last February, alleging that she had negotiated numerous contracts for the Comets under a 1973 personal management contract.

She contended that Haley, now living in Vera Cruz, Mexico, consistently renegotiated concert agreements without paying her a commission.

Panel Requests Public Hearing

HOUSTON (AP) — The Texas Judicial Qualifications Commission plans to ask that its hearings be opened to the public, a member of the commission said.

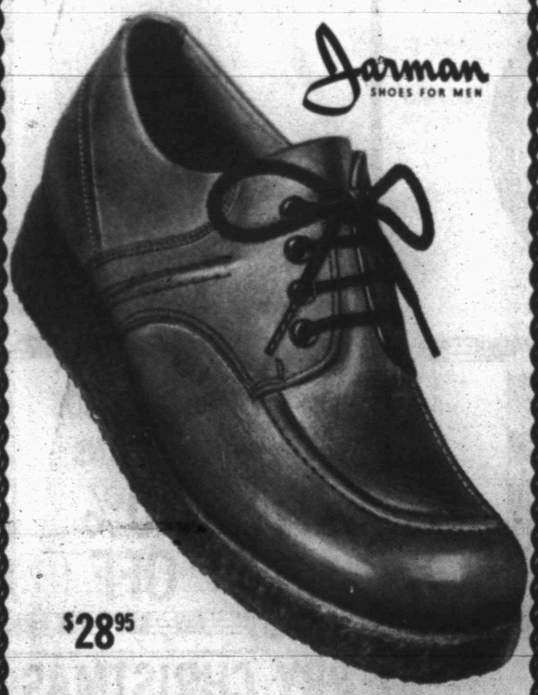
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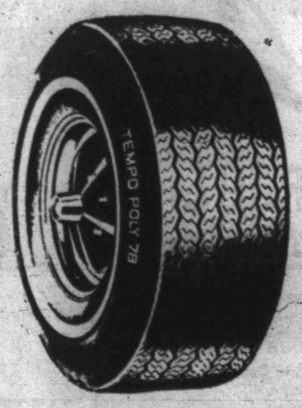
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Childress Bobcats Slash Ozona Lions, 20 To 14

The Childress Bobcats unleashed a slashing ground attack to defeat the Ozona Lions, 20-14, in a Class AA quarterfinals football playoff game in Tiger Stadium Friday night.

Childress rolled up 331 yards rushing behind the offensive thrusts of left halfback Ricky Smith and fullback Jeff Smith as they scored touchdowns in each of the last three periods. The two Smiths ran with reckless abandon, gobbing up sizeable chunks of yardage throughout the night. Ozona got one touchdown in each of the last two periods.

Ricky Smith was the game's leading ground gainer with 161 yards on 31 carries. Jeff Smith contributed 116 paces on 18 efforts.

After a scoreless first quarter, the Bobcats drove 60 yards in nine plays in the second period with quarterback Ricky Collinsworth hitting end Chuck Weaver with a 13 yard touchdown pass. Both Smiths made valuable contributions in this drive. The big play was a 25 yard run on a bootleg play by Collinsworth that set up first and 10 at the 27. Ricky Smith's extra point kick made it 7-0 with 4:45 remaining in the half.

Childress completely dominated the first half as Ozona was unable to cross the 50 yard line.

In the third period, Ozona recovered a fumble at the Childress 47 yard line and spanned the distance to the goal in nine plays to tie up the game at 7-7. The touchdown resulted from a one yard run around left end by right halfback Gary Warren, who gained most of the yardage in the drive. The TD was set up on a pass from quarterback Vaden Aldridge to end Sterling Lay. It covered 20 yards and set up first and goal at the six. John Galvan's extra point kick tied the game with 5:11 remaining in the period.

Childress took the ensuing kickoff and drove 68 yards to pay dirt in nine plays with Ricky Smith slicing over left guard from the two for the touchdown. The Bobcats tried to run for two extra points but failed when a fumble occurred on the play, but they were in command again, 13-7, with 1:43 remaining in the third quarter.

Ricky Smith turned in a beautiful 27 yard burst in this touchdown drive, and he and Jeff Smith contributed all of the yardage in the march except an 11 yard pass from Collinsworth to Weaver.

In the fourth quarter, with the two Smiths and Collinsworth doing the damage, the Bobcats drove from their 25 to the Lion 40 before being stopped. But they recovered a fumble following the ensuing punt and drove in from 35 yards out in four plays. Ricky Smith was thrown for losses back to the 37 in two carries, then Collinsworth hit Weaver again on a 13 yard aerial to the 24. On the next play, Ricky Smith went over left guard through a big hole in the middle of the line and raced the 24 yards to the goal. His extra point kick made it 20-7 with 5:27 remaining.

Following an exchange of punts, Ozona displayed a brilliant aerial attack and drove 70 yards with four straight completions. Aldridge hit Gary Warren with 19 yard and 9 yard completions to set up first and 10 at the Bobcat 43. Then, the rifle-armed Aldridge hit fullback Clyde Bailey with a 14 yard aerial to the 28. On the next play, he hit end Sterling Lay with a 28 yard touchdown pass as Lay slanted into the southwest corner of the end zone. Galvan's kick made it 20-14 with 1:07 to play.

The Bobcats took over after the kickoff and ran out the clock, grounding out a first down in the process.

Back in the first quarter, Childress took the opening kickoff and drove from its 38 to the Lion 8 yard line before losing the ball on a fumble. The two Smiths and Collinsworth accounted for all of the yardage in this drive. However, the Lions fumbled the ball back to Childress at the Ozona 11. But the Lions made a magnificent goal line stand at the one yard line to keep Childress out of the end zone until the next quarter.

Gary Warren was Ozona's leading ball carrier with 63 yards on 19 carries.

Childress will meet DeKalb, 21-14, conqueror of Bowie, in the semifinals this week.

THE YARDSTICK

Childress		Ozona
20	First Downs	10
331	Yards Rushing	72
73	Yards Passing	120
6 of 8	Completions	9 of 16
0	Intercepted By	0
3 for 29.6	Punts, Avg.	7 for 43.8
7 for 55	Penalties	3 for 23
3	Fumbles Lost	2



WHOA THERE!—Childress High School's Jim Eason (44) makes the tackle on Ozona's Gary Warren (22) during the Class AA quarterfinals playoff game in Tiger Stadium Friday night. Coming up to offer assistance are Larry Eggers (62) and Rusty Riddell (22). Childress won 20-14. (SDN Staff Photo).

New Orleans Has Lots Of Boosters

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

Cincinnati, Cleveland and Pittsburgh will be rooting for New Orleans when the Saints take on the New England Patriots in a National Football League contest Sunday.

Although the winner in the American Conference's Central Division will move into the postseason playoffs, the other two will be eliminated Sunday if the surprising Patriots down New Orleans.

A victory by New England will assure the Pats of their first postseason appearance in 13 years regardless of how Cincinnati, Cleveland and Pittsburgh, the defending Super Bowl champion, fare.

If the Patriots finish with the same record as any of the Central Division contenders for the contenders for wild-card spot, New England will be in the playoffs because of their victory over Piftsburgh and better conference records than Cleveland and Cincinnati.

The Pats will be taking a 9-3 record against New Orleans, 4-8.

In other games Sunday, Buffalo is at Miami, Houston at Cleveland, Tampa Bay at Pittsburgh, Chicago at Seattle, Dallas at Philadelphia, Detroit at the New York Giants, Green Bay at Minnesota, San Francisco at San Diego and Washington at the New York Jets. Monday night, Cincinnati is at Oakland.

Various combinations of victories and losses could decide most of the playoff spots this weekend as 13 teams remain in the race. But there are too many ifs and ors to list.

Dallas, 10-2, has clinched its 10th postseason spot in 11 years.

Cleveland, 8-4, has a slim chance of qualifying for the playoffs. However, running back Greg Pruitt will probably miss the Houston contest. The Oilers are 5-7.

Minnesota, 9-2-1, is the NFC Central Division champion. Green Bay is 4-8.

O.J. Simpson will lead Buffalo, 2-10, as he attempts to regain his rushing title. Simpson set a single-game rushing record last week, running for 273 yards. Miami is 5-7.

Chicago, 6-6, is still alive in the wild card race, but barely. Seattle is 2-10.

Tampa Bay is still looking for its first victory after 12 weeks. But Pittsburgh, 8-4, has an outside chance to return to the playoffs.

Washington, 8-4, can clinch a playoff berth, if they defeat New York, 3-9.

San Francisco, 7-5, is still alive in the NFC playoff race. San Diego is 5-7.

Page Follows In Ali's Footsteps

NEW YORK (AP) — Forget that the kid lost.

Gregory Page goes to Louisville's Central High School, just like Muhammad Ali did. And in the boxing ring he reminds watchers of the heavyweight champion.

Friday night at Madison Square Garden he brought cheers of "Ali, Ali, Ali," and the decision against him even brought boos and debate just like the decisions in some of Ali's fights.

He was exciting.

"If I pattern myself after him (Ali), I pattern myself after a great man," Page said after suffering one of the losses in a 7-3 United States defeat by the Soviet Union in an all-heavyweight amateur boxing competition.

The 18-year-old Page was movin' Friday night, and punchin', too—he knocked down Evgeny Gorstkov in the first round with a left-right, left to the head. But the veteran Russian kept on the pressure and influenced enough of the five judges to win a split decision.

Page, who outpointed Viktor Tereschencko in the U.S.-U.S.S.R. match at Las Vegas last Saturday, isn't sure where his boxing future lies.

The United States also lost the feature match of the evening when Igor Vysotsky swarmed over Jimmy Clark, forcing the Coatesville, Pa., fighter to take two standing counts. The Russian avenged a defeat to Clark in the Garden last year.

In the U.S. victories—all decisions—Jerry Williams of Fort Bragg, N.C., beat Anatoly Klimanov; Marvin Stinson of Philadelphia, subbing for Olympic bronze medalist John Tate of Knoxville, Tenn., defeated Leonid Zadorozhny, and Clinton Cochran of Fort Bragg, N.C., outpointed Mikhail Subbotin.

Prep Playoffs Near Finals

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD
AP Sports Writer

Defending state champions Port Neches-Groves and DeLeon moved a step closer to repeating as state schoolboy football titlists Friday night, while Beaumont Hebert and Gainesville reached the finals in Class 3A on the strength of super individual performances.

P-NG extended its winning streak to 26 games, fourth longest in Class 4A history, by beating Spring Branch Memorial 15-12 in a quarterfinal game before 35,500 fans in Houston's Astrodome. The Indians trailed 12-0 at halftime before coming back on a 10-yard scoring pass from Ricky Ethridge to Craig Guillory and a two-yard scoring run by Mark Lawson.

Memorial had defeated top-ranked Houston Kashmere at the regional level and P-NG was ranked third in the season's final Associated Press schoolboy poll.

Joe Stevenson threw six touchdown passes to pace Beaumont Hebert to a 40-20 victory over Gregory-Portland while Ron Pegues scored touchdowns on three long runs to lead Gainesville to a 28-20 triumph over Perryton in Class 3A semifinals. Hebert, ranked No. 1, and the second-ranked Gainesville team will meet in the finals next weekend.

Stevenson passed for 370 yards, including 326 in the first half, for Hebert. Pegues' TD runs were for 58, 49 and 49 yards to help Gainesville overcome a 14-0 deficit.

DeKalb, ranked seventh by The AP, ousted top-rated Bowie 21-14 in a highlight of Class 2A quarterfinal action. Third-rated Childress nipped No. 4 Ozona 20-14, No. 5 Rockdale humbled ninth-ranked Anahuac 48-9 and Hallettsville beat Yoakum 21-7 in other quarterfinals.

DeLeon, which was unranked this season despite its defending champion status, beat Muenster 20-14 to advance to the Class A semifinals against third-ranked Seagraves, which beat Hart 26-6. Mart outscored Frankston 49-20 and will play No. 4 Barber's Hill, which nipped Poth 13-11, in the other semifinal.

In Class B, top-ranked Gorman tripped 1975 finalist Groom 26-20 and will play the winner of Saturday's Corsicana Mildred-Ben Bolt game in the finale.

Slaton Girls Win

SLATON—Host Slaton won three basketball tilts here Thursday night with the 7th grade girls beating the Snyder 8th grade Black 45-20, the 8th grade girls beating the Snyder 8th grade Gold, 62-7, and the 9th graders beating the Snyder 9th grade, 70-30.

Shaver and Howell sparked the Slaton 8th grade girls with 15 and 10 points respectively while Pam Gray was high point girl for Snyder 10 points. Slaton with a 12-3 lead in the first quarter easily breezed to victory.

The 8th grade Slaton girls were paced by Gilliland, Maxwell, Tessell and Sikes with 20, 14, 12 and 10 points, respectively. Sherry Warren was high point girl for Snyder with three points. Slaton took a 28-0 lead in the first quarter and coasted to victory.

Slaton's 9th graders were paced by Cindy Robinson, who tallied 24 points, and Jill Bassinger and Glena Montgomery, each of whom tallied 12. For Snyder, Suzanne Fisher scored 13 points. Slaton took a commanding 28-2 lead in the initial period.

8TH GRADE BLACK (20)—Gray 2-6-10; Roberts 2-1-5; Clayton 2-1-5; totals 6-8-20.

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SLATON 7TH GRADE GIRLS (45)—Shaver 7-1-15; Howell 5-0-10; Moore 4-0-8; Carpenter 3-0-6; Davis 2-0-4; Titus 1-0-2; totals 22-1-45.

Snyder 3 0 0 17—20
Slaton 12 15 16 2—45

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8TH GRADE GOLD—Warren 1-1-3; D. Romo 0-2-2; B. Romo 1-0-2; totals 2-3-7.

SLATON 8TH GRADE GIRLS (62)—Gilliland 10-0-20; Maxwell 7-0-14; Tessell 6-0-12; Sikes 5-0-10; Ramirez 2-0-4; Smallwood 1-0-2; totals 31-0-62.

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9TH GRADE SNYDER GIRLS (30)—Fisher 4-5-13; Davidson 3-1-7; Owens 2-0-4; Harlin 3-0-6; totals 12-6-30.

9TH GRADE SLATON GIRLS (70)—Robinson 11-2-24; Bassinger 6-0-12; Montgomery 4-4-12; Tumlinson 3-3-9; Bradford 1-1-3; Offord 3-0-6; Romero 2-0-4; totals 30-10-70.

Snyder 2 9 8 11—30
Slaton 28 11 16 15—70

Panthers Win Lambert Trophy

NEW YORK (AP) — Pittsburgh, the nation's top-ranked football team, has been named winner of the Lambert Trophy and the East Indies Cup in recognition of its 11-0 regular season record.

ANNOUNCEMENT
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The CETA Manpower program will be taking applications at the Snyder Employment Commission Office, located in the Scurry County Coliseum, for the On The Job Training and Public Service Employment phases of the program. General requirements for participation in the program are available from the Commission office at 573-8291 or from the People for Progress Manpower Program office in Sweetwater at 235-8455.

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Plainview Nips Tigers

PLAINVIEW—The Snyder Tigers faced the Borger Bulldogs at 5:30 p.m. Saturday in a battle for third place in the "big school" division of the Plainview Invitational Basketball Tournament.

The Tigers, victorious in their opening game Thursday, dropped a "barn-burner" to host Plainview, 43-42, in the second round play Friday night. Borger, dropped its second-round game to Clovis, N.M., in overtime.

In the Friday night tussle with host Plainview, Snyder held a one-point lead with less than a minute to go, but the Bulldogs scored to take the one-point decision. Lucius Jeffrey roped 20 points on nine field goals and two free shots to pace the Tigers in scoring Friday night. He was the only Snyder player in double figures, although Tony Cobb had nine points.

Hearn had 18 points to pace Plainview.

Down 15-23 at half-time, the Tigers out-scored Plainview, 11-8 in the third period and then seized the lead in the fourth period in which they scored 16 points while Plainview was getting 12. But the last-minute score pulled it out for the host team in the tournament.

SNYDER (42)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Jeffrey	9	2	1	20
Moore	0	0	2	0
Crayton	0	4	1	4
Courtney	3	0	2	6
Lewis	0	0	1	0
Browning	0	0	2	0
Cobb	3	3	3	9
Johnson	1	1	2	3
TOTALS	16	10	14	42
PLAINVIEW (43)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Williams	1	2	2	4
Davis	0	0	3	0
Poarch	5	0	3	10
Bassett	1	0	2	2
Lam	1	1	0	3
Brown	1	0	0	2
Hearn	8	2	1	18
Dye	2	0	2	4
TOTALS	19	5	13	43

Snyder 8 7 11 16—42
P'View 12 11 8 12—43

Eagles Are 11-Point Underdog

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Eagles, who two weeks ago helped the Oakland Raiders clinch a division title, are heavily favored to do the same for the Dallas Cowboys Sunday in their second National Football League meeting of the season.

The Eagles, 3-9, are an 11-point underdog against the Cowboys, who need a victory or a tie for their eighth divisional championship in the last 11 years. Dallas has a 10-2 record, two games ahead of St. Louis and Washington, each at 8-4, with two games remaining.

Dallas walloped Philadelphia 27-7 in a season opener in Dallas, and Eagles', coach Dick Vermeil still describes the Cowboys as the best defensive team, "and perhaps the best overall club he's seen this season. Vermeil is hopeful that pride will rouse the hapless Eagles to a good effort.

The Eagles have lost seven of their last eight, and four in a row in which they've scored a total 24 points. The Eagles' game plan in recent weeks has consisted of fumbles, intercepted passes, broken plays and holding penalties.

While Dallas coach Tom Landry sends the talented Roger Staubach out to lead the Cowboys' offense, the Eagles' Vermeil decided to stick with Roman Gabriel, the 36-year-old veteran who still is rusty and unsure after almost a year of inaction because of an injury.

Vermeil went to Gabriel two losses ago in an effort to get more offense, and the Eagles responded with a total seven points. Gabriel lacks the mobility to avoid a rush on a knee still not 100 per cent recovered from an off season operation.

The Eagles are expected to start running backs Mike Hogan (88-389) and Dave Hampton (60-220) with Gabriel. Tight end Charley Young, (29-263), wide receiver Harold Carmichael (35-401) and flanker Charley Smith (23-283) are the prime pass receivers. Horst Muhlmann, nine for 14 on field goals, does the place kicking.

Staubach, who has passed for a 58.6 per cent completion average—180-307-2,365 yards and 12 TDs—will have Doug Dennison and Scott Laidlaw as running backs. The Dallas quarterback throws mostly to Drew Pearson (49 receptions for 688 yards), Laidlaw (38-325), and Billy Joe DuPres (36-584).

Landry is leary of the Eagles, especially after his team's upset by Atlanta two games ago.

"The Eagles always play well at home, and they always play us well," said the Dallas coach. "Philadelphia has a strong defense ...and has stopped most clubs on the ground. Bill Bergey is a superb middle linebacker, and if you're going to move the ball on the Eagles, you better plan to block Bergey."

Vermeil earlier this week was asked how he could get his team up for Dallas.

"Show them movies other than those of Dallas," the coach replied. And he wasn't smiling.

SCORES

By The Associated Press
Class 4A Quarterfinals
Port Neches-Groves 15, Spring Branch Memorial 12
Class 3A Semifinals
Gainesville 28, Perryton 20
Beaumont Hebert 40, Gregory-Portland 20
Class 2A Quarterfinals
Childress 20, Ozona 14
DeKalb 21, Bowie 14
Rockdale 48, Anahuac 9
Hallettsville 21, Yoakum 7
Class A Quarterfinals
Seagraves 26, Hart 6
DeLeon 20, Muenster 14
Mart 49, Frankston 20
Barbers Hill 13, Poth 11
Class B Semifinals
Gorman 26, Groom 20

Angelo JV Rips Tiger JV 82-64

San Angelo Central's JV defeated the Snyder Tigers, 82-64, in the first round of the Junior Varsity basketball tournament here Friday night.

Snyder led 14-13 after one quarter, but fell behind 37-29 at halftime. The score was tied 53-53 after three frames, and Central held a 29-11 advantage in the fourth quarter.

San Angelo had four men in double figures. Craig Waldrop roped 22 points, Pere DeLeon pitched in 18, Bell roped 16, and Pearson posted 15. For Snyder, Kyle Short rang the hoops for 13 points while Sid Everton and Steve Gass each put in 12 points.

In other first round games, Lubbock Monterey JV beat Plainview JV 39-37, Lubbock Corondao JV bested the Midland Lee JV 51-49, and Midland High JV tripped the Abilene Cooper JV 69-68.

SAN ANGELO JV (82)—DeLeon 8-2-18; Waldrop 7-8-22; Pearson 3-9-15; Bell 4-8-16; Dove 2-1-5; Bocker 1-0-2; A. Smith 0-1-1; J. Smith 1-1-3; totals 26-30-82.

SNYDER JV (64)—Sullenger 1-1-3; Everton 4-4-12; Forbes 2-0-4; Short 4-5-13; Johnson 2-3-7; Gass 4-4-12; Duncan 2-1-5; Hicks 3-0-6; Medrano 1-0-2; totals 23-18-64.

San Angelo 13 24 16 29—82
Snyder 14 15 24 11—64

Nifty, according to the Dictionary of American Slang, has been used to mean that something or someone is stylish, smart or excellent since 1865.

McNeese State Players Are Under Investigation

LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP) — The Calcasieu Parish sheriff says he's investigating charges that six McNeese State football players sexually molested a girl in the school's athletic dormitory.

School officials—including Coach Jack Doland—had no comment, but all six players were suspended from the team Friday and will not play in this month's Independence Bowl.

McNeese has a rule against coed visits in any dormitory areas other than the reception lounges. A school spokesman said the suspension of the players did not substantiate accusations of sexual misconduct.

Sheriff Henry A. Reid Jr. said he received a report Wednesday that a girl had been sexually molested by several men in a campus dormitory and that his office investigated the incident. He said the results of the investigation have been turned over to Dist. Atty. Frank Salter.

He would comment further.

Salter confirmed that his office is investigating but he said any comment might hinder that investigation.

McNeese, Southland Conference champion, is scheduled to meet Tulsa in the inaugural Independence Bowl in Shreveport, La., Dec. 13. Coach Doland said the six would not make the trip with the team.

Two of the six suspended players were starters—defensive tackle Mitch Tyson and fullback Bobby Wilson. The four reserves are offensive guard Aaron Adams, linebacker Kenny Green and tailbacks Harry Price and Artie Shankle.

"These student athletes have been suspended from the McNeese football team for disciplinary reasons," said Coach Doland in a statement read by a school spokesman. "They will not participate in the Independence Bowl.

"Upon advice of legal counsel, the athletic department has no further comment until this incident is resolved."

He would not go beyond that statement.

It was the second time this week that the squad was riddled. Tuesday, the NCAA declared 10 players ineligible for the bowl game because of its rule against players participating in post-season games if they played more than three seasons after their freshman years.

Seven of those players were starters—center Mike Bolt, guard Barry Kimbel, slotback Jim Gonsoulin, linebackers Bill Mosely and Greg Sottig, wide receiver Gary Broussard and placekicker Conley Hathorn. The reserves were slotback Joe Crawford, tackle Richard Cassell and strong safety Allen Carter.

Gold Splits With Black

The 8th grade Black played the 8th grade Gold two games of basketball here Thursday night, and the Black won the first contest 27-15, but the Gold won the second one 49-35.

(First Game)
8TH GRADE BLACK (27)—Jenkins 6-0-12; Hernandez 1-0-2; Witcher 1-1-3; Perez 2-0-4; Lyon 2-0-4; Boone 1-0-2; totals 13-1-27.
8TH GRADE GOLD (15)—Schooler 1-0-2; Quiros 1-0-2; Munoz 2-0-4; Lewis 1-0-2; Eubanks 1-0-2; Elkins 1-1-3; totals 7-1-15.
Black 9 8 10 0—27
Gold 9 0 6 0—15

(Second Game)
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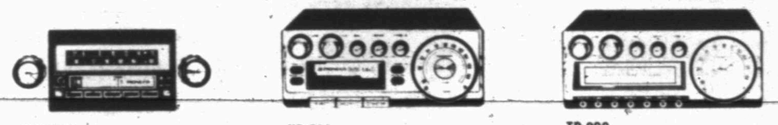
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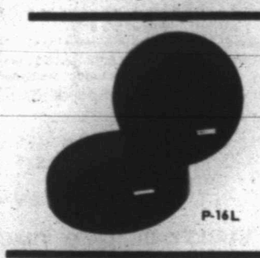
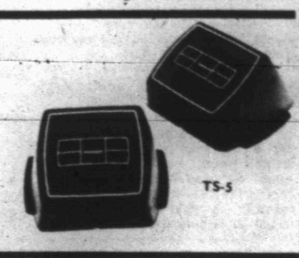
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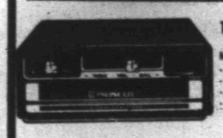
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LODGES A-1

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CARD OF THANKS A-3

WE Would like to thank the many, many friends and neighbors who consoled us with kind thoughts and food and flowers at the passing of our loved one.
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WE WOULD like to express our appreciation to our many relatives, neighbors and friends for the prayers, flowers & food and the many acts of kindness during the illness and passing of our dear Mother and Grandmother, Sallie J. Chambers. We also wish to express our appreciation to Dr. Redwine and the nursing staff at Cogdell Memorial Hospital and the Leisure Lodge & nurses & staff for their kindness and care of our loved one. A special thanks to Rev. Ben Howze for comforting words and those who rendered the beautiful songs at the services. We want to thank Bell & Seale & staff for being so kind and helping us.
The A.L. Chambers Family
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PERSONAL A-5

Tri County Council on Drug Abuse & Alcoholism, Education & Information & treatment Preferral Agency, Rm. 102 Wallace Bldg. 2425 College Ave. Call day or nite 915-573-3233: A United Way Agency

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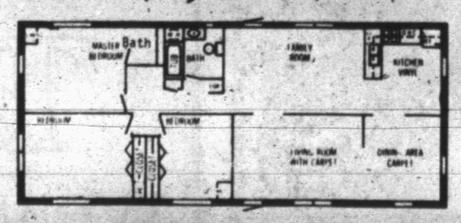
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US Prisoners Begin Protest

MEXICO CITY (AP) — American prisoners in Mexico angered by delays in a U.S.-Mexican prisoner exchange program have begun a protest hunger strike.

American women prisoners at Los Reyes prison said Friday they had not eaten for 24 hours and would be joined in the strike today by Americans in men's prisons. The women said they were taking only water and fruit juices.

"The time has come for us to realize we have been lied to by the Mexican government," a group calling itself the International Freedom Strike Committee said in announcing the strike Friday.

In a communique distributed to reporters by inmate Larry Day, 31, Yakima, Wash., the committee said: "They have delivered nothing that was promised. It is time to make our final stand for freedom or quietly acquiesce to this government's policy of torture, lies, oppression and human rights violations."

Day is serving a 6½-year sentence in Santa Marta men's prison on the eastern edge of the city for importing cocaine into Mexico from Colombia.

About 65 American men are imprisoned in Santa Marta, 40 are in two new prisons in other sections of the city and 40 women are in Los Reyes prison, near Santa Marta. An estimated 600 Americans are held in all Mexican jails, most of them held on drug-related charges.

The government of former President Luis Echeverria signed a prisoner exchange treaty with the United States Nov. 25 that would allow Americans jailed in Mexico and Mexicans imprisoned in the United States to serve the remainder of their sentences in their homelands.

But the treaty will not take effect until it has been ratified by each country's senate. In addition, enabling legislation must be passed in each country.

Diplomatic sources predict that if the treaty and enabling legislation are not blocked in the U.S. Congress, the earliest possible date Americans could start going home would be April 1.

But the prisoners expressed doubt the treaty will be approved.

"Echeverria left, but we're still here," said Peggy Pratt, 27, Houston, Tex., who has served three years of a six-year sentence. She was among women prisoners interviewed at Los Reyes prison.

"There have been promises since September that by the first of December we would be out of here," Miss Pratt said.

This is the third hunger strike by American prisoners in Mexico.



FIRST CHOICES—President-elect Jimmy Carter introduces his first two Cabinet level appointments at a Press Conference in Plains, Ga. Bert Lance, left, will be the new Director of the Office of Management and Budget and Cyrus Vance, right, the new Secretary of State. (AP Wirephoto)

DIVERSIFIED

BY BILLY E. ROACH
COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT

COTTON HARVEST

Good harvesting weather has prevailed most of the week and producers have taken full advantage of it. Scurry County gins are running at full capacity and waiting time for an empty trailer.

Reports indicate that harvest operations are progressing as fast as possible and cotton is stripping good. Prices are continuing strong and indications are that demand should continue.

Most of the gins are reporting a backlog of cotton. This is a perennial problem when the cotton matures and we have to wait a short spell for a killing frost. Estimates are that the crop is about 18 - 20 per cent harvested. With good open weather and no breakdowns at the gins we should be well along with harvest by Christmas.

With these large backlogs at the gins we need to keep in mind the danger of fire and exercise extreme caution around the gin area at all times and especially during days when the wind is very high.

ECONOMIC LOSS TO THE BOLL WEEVIL

David Kattes, County Entomologist, gave me some interesting information on boll weevil losses that we can really relate to. These were contained in a speech given by Robert Coker who is a cotton producer and chairman of the National Cotton Council Boll Weevil Action Committee.

Crop losses and control cost of the boll weevil range from $200 million to $300 million each year. From 1909 to 1971 losses attributed to the boll weevil was 85.4 million bales of cotton. This number of bales placed end to end would extend in a straight line 72,799 miles long and would reach around the earth at the equator almost three times or approximately 1-3 the distance from the earth to the moon.

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These 12,000 bales of cotton would make 7,680,000 shirts. If we have a county population of 14,000 people and half are males, we could have 1,097 shirts for each man in Scurry County.

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Torso Tentatively Identified

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Police report a torso minus head, arms and legs which was found on a Brazos River sand bar has been identified tentatively as that of a missing car salesman.

Officers here said Friday scars indicate the remains are those of Jack Cooney III, who was last seen Tuesday.

Farm workers discovered the mutilated corpse Thursday near Hearne, 100 miles northeast of Austin in Central Texas.

Authorities said the head and limbs apparently were removed in an effort to disguise the dead man's identity.

He apparently was shot once in the chest and disemboweled in the process of removing the spent bullet, said police, theorizing the slug's removal was a further attempt to remove any clues.

"We're pretty sure it's him," Austin police Capt. Harlan Moore said, "but we can't be positive."

Cooney, 28, was last seen leaving a North Austin car dealership with at least one other man in a new, yellow-and-white mini-bus, which has not been found.

Witnesses told police Cooney had been talking to two men who supposedly were prospective customers.

Christmas Bells Date Back To 1901

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — As a 17-year-old Salvation Army cadet, Amelia Devine was disappointed that not many coins were being tossed in her Christmas kettle on a wind-swept New York City street corner in 1901.

"Not many people noticed me, so a supervisor suggested I bang on the kettle with a stick, but that didn't work very well," Mrs. Devine, now 92 and still active in Salvation Army work, said Friday in an interview.

"I said, 'How about getting a little bell to ring?' So somebody went into the dime store and bought some 10-cent bells. They had just started using kettles for street collections to feed the poor people on Christmas, and nobody had thought of a bell until then," she recalled.

She came to town this week to continue the bell-ringing tradition for a few hours at the Salvation Army Christmas kettle beside the Ferry Building — where city authorities first allowed the Army to set up a collection kettle in 1891.

Mrs. Devine, whose husband died in 1929, lives alone in a four-room apartment in suburban Burlingame. She has two sons and a daughter, all retired, 12 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

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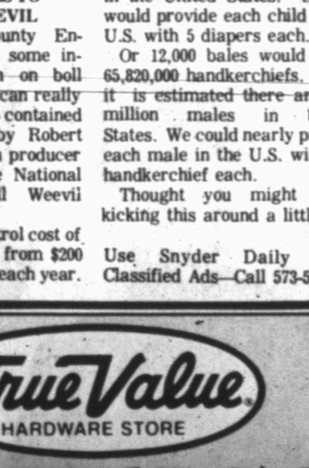
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Public Records

NEW VEHICLES

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Bowden Ranch, 1977 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.

Dan Holt, 1977 GMC, from Snyder Mtrs.

Florentz W. Joyce, 1977 Cadillac, from Snyder Mtrs.

Snyder Mtr. Co., 1977 GMc, from Snyder Mtr. Co.

Trinity Methodist Church, 1977 Ford, from Raynal Bros. Co.

Derald P. Pitts, 1977 Mercury, from Bradley Linc. Merc. of Amarillo.

Kabob Inc., 1977 Cadillac, from Snyder Mtrs.

Kabob Inc., 1977 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs. Co.

Tommy L. Pearson, 1977 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.

Carl Williams, 1977 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.

William L. Lyons, 1976 Oldsmobile, from Snyder Mtrs.

Luis R. Aguilar, 1977 Oldsmobile, from Snyder Mtrs.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Stanley Wayne Rhodes of Snyder and Barbara Ann Guynes of Snyder.

Billy Jack Hill of Snyder and Cynthia Sue Longbotham of Snyder.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

Daniel Garza vs. Texas Employer's Insurance Assoc., suit for workman's compensation.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

Olivetti Corporation of America vs. Bill Stephens Ind., and doing business as Stephens Printing and Office Supply, order denying summary judgment.

Snyder Savings and Loan Assoc. vs. Mrs. J.A. Branscum, Nadine Johnson, Frances Laboskie and Loudan Reed, agreed judgment granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Leslie Dean Graham and Vickie Carrol Graham, suit dismissed.

In the matter of the marriage of Lyndia Shree Mebane and Tommy Chris Mebane, divorce granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Steven Ellis Mikle and Patsy Ruth Mikle, suit dismissed.

In the matter of the marriage of Doris Loree Klutts and Robert J. Klutts, divorce granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Yvonné Ray Everton and Freddie Leon Everton, divorce granted.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Dewey O. Lester, et ux, to A.W. McClinton, et ux, the south 90 feet of lot 8 in blk. 47 of the Wilmeth Addition to the city of Snyder.

Robert R. Taylor, et ux, to Don R. McLeod, et ux, a 2.34 acre tract of land in the northwest ¼ of section 95 in blk. 3 in Scurry KCounty.

Jackie E. Evans, et ux, to Darby Scott, et ux, all of the east 65 feet of the north 75 feet of lot 3 in blk. 48 of the Blankenship Addition to Snyder.

Roger B. Mize to Raul Rodriguez, et ux, all of lots 2 and 3 in blk. 2 in Lundy's Park Addition to Snyder.

R.B. Baker, et al, to Abel O. Alvarez, et ux, the north 240 acres of the west½ of section 2 in blk. 3 in Scurry County.

Vida Anderson to Jack Dupree, all of lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in blk. 18 of the Lundy Park Addition to the city of Snyder.

Frank I. Rowbotham, et ux, to Michael L. Graves, et ux, all of lot 8 in blk. 1 of the Park Place Addition to Snyder.

Opal Koonsman to John Billy Koonsman, the northwest ¼ of section 226 in blk. 2 in Scurry County.

Alvin Koonsman to Cynthia Alice Koonsman, the southwest ¼ of section 239 in blk. 2 in Scurry County.

Alvin Koonsman to John Billy Koonsman, the southwest ¼ of section 226 in blk. 2 of Scurry County.

Harold J. Buchanan, et ux, to Rudolph (Bud) England, et ux, the north 2½ feet of the south 10 feet of lot 18 in the Snyder Shopping Center.

J.L. Browning, et ux, to Jackie Ray Evans, et ux, all of lot 7 in blk. 1 of the North Towle Addition to Snyder.

George R. Mott, et ux, to Robert E. Miller, et ux, all of lot 3 in blk. "1" of the Towle Place Addition to Snyder.

Dale F. Lavender, et ux, to Opal Dorothy Lavender, a .92 acre tract of land in section 120 in blk. 97 in Scurry County.

William Ziske, et ux, to Freddie Everton, all of lot 6 in blk. 30 of the Colonial Hill Addition to Snyder.

Clemey Andress to George C. Vincent, all of lot 5 in blk. 16 in the Andress Heights Addition to the city of Snyder.

Week At WTC

SUNDAY

1 p.m. to 5 p.m., Christmas Social in museum.

MONDAY

5:15 p.m., Hope for Tomorrow meetings in 203 Learning Resouree Center.

TUESDAY

8 p.m., First performance of "How the Other Half Loves" in Fine Arts Theatre.

WEDNESDAY

8 p.m., Second performance of "How the Other Half Loves." in Fine Arts Theatre.

THURSDAY

8 p.m., Third performance of "How the Other Half Loves," in Fine Arts Theatre. Basketball, Westerners vs. Angelo State Jv.

FRIDAY

7 p.m., West Texas State Bank Christmas Banquet in cafeteria.

8 p.m., Fourth performance of "How the Other Half Loves," in Fine Arts Theatre.

SATURDAY

8 p.m., Fifth and final performance of "How the Other Half Loves," in Fine Arts Theatre.

Duke Invites US Visitors To Country

NEW YORK (AP) — His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester, cousin of Queen Elizabeth II, on a recent visit here expressed appreciation for the hospitality shown by Americans to visitors to this country in its bicentennial year. He invited Americans in return to go to Britain next year to join in that country's celebration of the Queen's Silver Jubilee, the 25th anniversary of her accession to the throne in 1952.

The main celebrations, involving much pageantry, will take place in London in June. But there will be special commemorative events throughout the year all over Britain.

The 32-year-old duke is a professional architect, a graduate of Cambridge University who practices with a firm of London architects. But he also carries out a substantial number of public duties and is president of the East Midlands Tourist Board.

The ostrich makes a sound that resembles a roar. From a distance it sounds like a lion.



NOT FOR MEN ONLY—Deputy Sheriff Nell Scott proves that law enforcement is not for men only. Although she doesn't wear a gun, Mrs. Scott not only serves as radio dispatcher, but handles many other chores that confront all peace officers. (SDN PHOTO By John Long)

NELL SCOTT: 6½-YEAR VETERAN

Woman Deputy Makes It Without Wearing A Gun

Having a fear of guns is something most people can confess to without suffering from the pangs of conscience. But when a deputy sheriff makes such a confession, it is a bit revealing. It is perhaps even more revealing to learn the same peace officer has a husband and two children.

Nell Scott, who is a dispatcher for the Scurry County Sheriff's Office, is also a certified peace officer.

She began her dispatching duties about six and a half years ago and has been an office deputy for the past five years.

Mrs. Scott's duties are primarily those of a dispatcher. She fields and transmits messages via radio for the other deputies and Highway Patrolmen and keeps the office records.

Her chores, however, do not end there. She occasionally searches female prisoners and sometimes transfers them to county jail. Mrs. Scott has also helped transfer suspected mental cases to the State Hospital in Big Spring. She also serves as a bailiff from time to time.

Mrs. Scott has the authority to arrest people, "but seldom have I had the opportunity," she said. "Once, I almost arrested a drunk man who came into the office for public intoxication, but a deputy came in and saved me from it."

Her chores are largely routine, but Mrs. Scott recalled a couple of instances that broke the monotony of her 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. shift.

Following a case heard in county court about three years ago, one man who had been sentenced to spend some time in the county jail refused to go.

"He picked up a metal filing cabinet and threw it at Sheriff Keith Collier. The cabinet barely missed the sheriff's head and struck the ceiling," she said pointing toward the still visible chip in a ceiling tile that bore mute witness to her story.

After a brief scrimmage between the sheriff and the other man .. well, he ended up going to jail, she said. "Sheriff Collier passed over the incident by saying, 'It does an officer good to get into a tussle once in a while,' " she remembers.

She remembers a less humorous incident that occurred the afternoon of Dec. 8, 1975, in the parking lot just outside the Sheriff's Office.

In that incident, Highway Patrolman Keith Pherigo was jumped by three escapees from the Potter County Jail in Amarillo. One of the men held a knife to Pherigo's throat while another man grabbed the patrolman's gun. The men were subdued minutes later when another Highway Patrolman and a couple of deputies came to Pherigo's rescue.

While Mrs. Scott did not see all of the parking lot incident, she remembers that the men were taken to the Sheriff's Office awaiting their transfer to the county jail. She remembers the men as being "unruly, loud and they cussed a lot."

The men faced a host of criminal charges in Scurry and Potter Counties and they are now serving time in the Texas Department of Corrections.

At 33, Mrs. Scott said she has no plans to leave her post at the Sheriff's Office. Law enforcement is not for men only. She has found her own niche as a dispatcher. She does not, however, wear a pistol and hopes she never has to.

Requests Asylum

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Romanian Dumitru Udrescu, who coauthored and edited a recent television special on Olympic gymnast Nadia Comaneci, has asked for political asylum in the United States.

Udrescu, chief of the film and documentary section of Television Romania, filed papers for political asylum with the U.S. Immigration Department on Friday. The department said he would be able to stay in the United States until his request is decided, which could take three months.

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IT'S OPEN—Mayor John Fagin is shown a couple of seconds after he snipped a ribbon opening Cardinal Chemical's new installation at the west edge of Snyder. The ceremony took place shortly before noon Friday, and was followed by a tour and a barbecue luncheon on the premises. Pictured from left are LaVerta Lovell of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce; Mayor Fagin; Earl Davis, Cardinal's general manager of Odessa; Mike Spencer, Cardinal's district manager here; and Sterling Price, division sales manager of Midland. (SDN Staff Photo)

Cardinal Chemical , Inc., Opens New Facility Here

Cardinal Chemical, Inc., formally opened its new facilities in Snyder with a ribbon-cutting ceremony Friday.

Here for the event were company officials from Odessa and Midland and a number of invited guests.

Mayor John Fagin cut the ribbon that had been stretched at the entrance to the Cardinal property by the Snyder Chamber of Commerce. Joining the mayor for the ribbon-cutting were Earl Davis, Cardinal General Manager from Odessa; Sterling Price, Cardinal division sales manager of Midland, and Mike Spencer, the local district manager.

The Cardinal facility is located on the Lamesa Highway at the west edge of the city.

Chamber of Commerce Gold Costers were on hand for the opening and to great guests.

Following the ribbon-cutting, visitors were given a tour of the facilities and a barbecue luncheon was served.

The opening of the Snyder district facility represents a significant expansion for the Odessa-based firm which has served the oil industry for a number of years. Davis said that Cardinal is optimistic about the area's future and that the company will continue to keep pace with oil industry's needs.

Cardinal began operations here last August and the new facility covers over three acres.

The Snyder district of Cardinal employes 10 persons.



CARDINAL'S NEW BUILDING—This is Cardinal's new building on the Lamesa Highway where formal opening festivities were held Friday. Shown coming down the steps is Earl Davis of Odessa, general manager. (SDN Staff Photo)

Spray Said Painless Dentistry

BOSTON (AP) — For people who fear going to the dentist, there's good news for the future: a chemical spray that removes decay from teeth with little drilling and almost no pain.

Researchers at Tufts University who developed the chemical, called GK-101, say they have tested it successfully on human patients.

Although the method is years away from being available to dentists, it appears to be the closest thing yet to painless dentistry.

The new method requires no anesthesia even for large cavities, the doctors say, and virtually eliminates the grinding pain of traditional dental work.

The technique was developed and tested by Melvin Goldman and Joseph H. Kronman, both professors at Tufts Dental School. A report on their findings was published in the current issue of the Journal of the American Dental Association.

The doctors use a needle to squirt the chemical onto the cavity. Within minutes, they say, the decayed material breaks up and flakes away.

They say that sometimes they need to drill to expose the cavity enough for the chemical to work. After they clean out the decay with the GK-101, they drill a little more to give the hole its proper shape. Then they fill it just as they would a cavity cleaned with a drill.

The method has several advantages over current dental practices, the doctors say.

"The heat and pressure that a drill produces would be minimized," Kronman said in an interview. "It also removes only the decay. Since a drill removes everything it touches, this is a more conservative approach."

Before the chemical can be used commercially, it will require more testing and approval by the Food and Drug Administration.

Means Calls For Demonstration

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) — American Indian Movement leader Russell Means has called for a national demonstration here Dec. 13 to demand that a 3½-month-old girl be returned to her parents.

Means claimed that the ruling against Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hyde in a child abuse case was biased because Hyde is an Indian.

Hyde filed an appeal Friday from the ruling of juvenile Judge Mike Elwell on Oct. 4 that the baby, Rolena Hyde, had been neglected and should be placed in a foster home. A doctor reported to the court that Rolena had a fracture of the right leg and some bruises.

Judge Elwell has said he will not be swayed by public protests and will not restore Rolena to her parents until he is convinced she will be safe.



OEA OFFICERS AT WTC—Installed as new officers of the Office Education Association at Western Texas College were Tressie Griffin of Crosbyton, left, president; Jackie Haney of Roscoe, right, vice president, and Tina Bullard of Snyder, right, social director. The installation took place Thursday night. (SDN Photo by John Long)

New Officers Installed By Western Texas OEA

Formal installation ceremonies for officers of the Office Education Association were held Thursday night at Western Texas College.

Officers installed were Tressie Griffin of Crosbyton, president; Jackie Haney of Roscoe, vice president; Dotsy Rosson of Snyder, secretary-treasurer, and Tina Bullard of Snyder, social director.

Assisting in the installation were Mrs. Jimmie Bruyere, Pete Greene, Mrs. Judy Davidson, Mrs. Carolyn Harrington and Roy McQueen, all members of the Advisory Committee for Office Occupations.

Paul Comier is faculty sponsor for the OEA, with Mrs. Carol Martin and Mrs. Charlene Light co-sponsors.

A dinner meeting for members of the Advisory Committee was held in the WTC Faculty Dining Room preceding the installation ceremonies. Guests for the evening included Dr. Gene McClurg, Dean of Occupational Education and Technology, and Dr. Ben Brock, WTC vice president. Members of the Advisory Committee unable to attend were Larry Anderson and Bill Henry.

The WTC chapter of the OEA was organized in October, and membership is open to all students majoring in office occupations. Members of the WTC chapter are also recognized as members of the state and national OEA organizations.

Ronald Reagan Not Interested In Post

FRESNO, Calif. (AP) — Former California Gov. Ronald Reagan says he isn't interested in being named national Republican Party chairman.

"It requires a fulltime technician, not a party spokesman," Reagan said at a press conference Friday before addressing a cattlemen's group here. The top GOP post is being vacated by Mary Louise Smith, who is resigning.

Reagan, defeated by President Ford for the GOP presidential nomination last summer, said Republicans should use the 1976 platform to seek increased strength.

'Social' At Museum To Decorate Old-Time Tree

The delicious smell of hot popcorn has greeted visitors to the Scurry County Museum in recent days, but none of it was for eating.

Strings of popcorn and cranberries, paper chains and other homemade decorations have been prepared for use in decorating an old-fashioned cedar Christmas tree in the museum lobby. A community Christmas Social is planned from 1-5 this afternoon, and everyone is welcome to come help finish the decorations and enjoy a program of Christmas music.

An exhibit of toys has been prepared for the Chrstimas season, and visitors may also see the "Vaquero" exhibit on loan from the Institute of Texan Cultures as well as the permanent exhibit gallery.

The cedar tree, brought from a local ranch, has already attracted numerous comments from those who have viewed it. It is nine feet tall, and has a definite shape due to the years of exposure to south winds. Whatever else it is, it will be a one-of-a-kind tree with its inherent characteristics.

Music for the program this afternoon will include songs by Karen Sue Jones and Jane Ann Womack, students at WTC, accompanied by Mrs. Bob Womack, WTC instructor. She will also lead some group singing of Christmas carols.

For candylovers, a taffy pull is planned at 1:30 p.m. Other refreshments will also be served.

"We hope many people will come out to join in the party, just as families got together for parties at schools or churches in years past," Sharon Sutton, Museum Director said. "We think this will be an opportunity for parents to show the younger generation some of the things that helped shape their own family traditions, and some of the toys to be seen will remind older people of the toys they themselves once delighted to receive."

Death Toll Drops

CHICAGO (AP) — The nation's accident death toll dropped to 102,500 in 1975 according to the National Safety Council. The death rate was down three per cent from last year and is the lowest rate on record.

The largest decrease was in occupational accidents, according to the Council. Automobile deaths were reduced by one per cent.

Accidents in all categories remained the leading cause of death among persons aged 1 to 38.

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MR. AND MRS. RANDY JAY WEAVER

Spence, Weaver Repeat Vows

Barbara Ann Spence and Randy Jay Weaver were united in marriage Oct. 16 at 7 p.m. in a double ring ceremony at the Union Methodist Church. Rev. Wayland Dowden, minister of the church, performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Lou Spence of Snyder and the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Brooks, Snyder, and Mrs. Mildred Norris of Strawn. She is the great niece of M. K. Gillespie of Snyder. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd J. Weaver of Gonzales, La.

The bride, who was presented in marriage by her brother, Gene Carnes, of Midland, wore a formal length gown of white quiana. It was fashioned with a deep scoop neckline trimmed in embossed lace, with long narrow sleeves ending in a flared ruffle at the wrist, which was also trimmed in embossed lace. The empire bodice was fastened to an A-line skirt, featuring a chapel length train. The veil, made by the bride's sister and Tomibeth Hunt, was a white quiana Juliet cap edged in lace matching the dress.

She carried on a prayer book, a cascade designed bouquet of white gardenias with accents of ivy leaves and baby's breath.

For something old, the bride wore diamond earrings belonging to her mother, something new was her dress, made by her mother; something borrowed was a drop pearl necklace from her aunt Mrs. Jeanie McGowan; a blue garter, a gift from Patty Richardson, was something blue.

Mrs. Kay Wood of Cypress, Calif., sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Tomibeth Hunt of Snyder and Miss Patty Richardson of Lubbock.

The matron of honor wore a floor length gown of rust quiana and designed with a deep scoop neckline yoke attached to an A-line skirt, with short butterfly sleeves. The bridesmaid's dresses were fashioned the same only with skirts of nylon crepe in autumn colors of rust and persimmon. All three wore strings of pearls to accent the scooped neckline.

They carried nosegays of rust, yellow and gold miniature mums, with accents of dried flowers and baby's breath.

The flower girl, Carolyn Brooks, cousin of the bride, of San Angelo, wore floor length, empire, short puffed sleeve dress of nylon crepe, matching that of the bridesmaids dresses. She carried a basket bouquet also matching that of the bride's attendants.

The birde's mother wore a floor length gown of persimmon quiana with matching floral jacket. Mrs. Weaver's floor length dress was of a pale green knit with matching floral jacket.

Their corsages were white orchids.

Floyd Weaver, father of the groom, served as best man. Carter Wiggins, of Muskogee, Okla., and Scott Robbins, Salem, Ill. were groomsmen. Brian Hargrove of Snyder and Jeff Richardson, Abilene, were ushers and candlelighters. Gary Wood, Jr., nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. He carried the rings on a heart shaped, quiana pillow, trimed in lace, made for the bride by Miss Hunt.

They were all attired in brown tuxedoes with apricot ruffled shirts. Wes Hunt of Lubbock, accompanied himself at the guitar as he sang "The Wedding Song" "We've Only Just Begun," and "You're Beautiful.". The pianist, Mrs. M.W. Pilcher, played selections as guests were seated.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Union Community Center. The bride's table was covered in a beige lace, hand made, cloth from Tehi, China given to the couple by Mrs. Mary Belle Walker. It featured a three tiered cake decorated with yellow roses.

Members of the houseparty included Mmes. Gene Carnes, Buddy Talley, Henry Cendor, Howard Mitter, and Franklin Brooks.

For a short wedding trip to Dallas, the bride wore a dusty blue gabardine costume pant suit with matching accessories. The outfit was a gift to the bride, made by her bridesmaid, Tomibeth Hunt.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of Snyder High School and a graduate of Western Texas College.

The bridegroom is a 1971 graduate of Baxter Springs High School in Kansas. He attended South Eastern State University in Louisiana where he was a two time All-American golfer. He is also a graduate of Western Texas College.

The parents of the bridegroom hosted the rehearsal dinner at the American Restaurant.

Out-of-state guests were from California, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas and Louisiana.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SUNDAY

Christmas Social 1-5 p.m., Scurry County Museum. Public is invited to attend.

MONDAY

Weight Watchers of West Texas will meet at Martha Ann Woman's Club at 7:30 p.m. New members welcome.

HOPE For Tomorrow will meet at 6 p.m. at the Learning Resource Center at WTC. New members welcome.

TUESDAY

Alpha Study Club will have a Christmas Luncheon at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Annie Mae Sears and the Executive Board as hostesses.

RSVP Christmas party, 9:30 a.m., Trinity United Methodist Church

"How the Other Half Loves," WTC Fine Arts Theatre, 8 p.m. Opening night.

Twentieth Century Club will meet at 3 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Charles Noble as hostess.

B&PW Christmas Party at 7 p.m. at the Woman's Club.

WEDNESDAY

"How the Other Half Loves," WTC Fine Arts Theatre, 8 p.m.

Altrurian Daughters Christmas Luncheon will be held at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mmes. N.R. Clements, Nina Cooper, Arden Gibson and Douglas Hill as hostesses.

THURSDAY

"How the Other Half Loves," WTC Fine Arts Theatre, 8 p.m.

Retired Teachers Association will meet at 2 p.m. at Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

Musical Coterie will meet at 8 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club for a "Traditional Christmas" program. Members and guests are to bring one handmade gift to exchange under the Christmas tree.

Twilight Garden Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Fred Davis as hostess.

FRIDAY

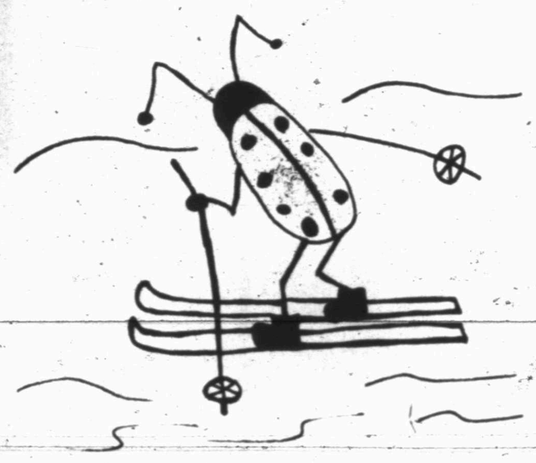
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SATURDAY

Cosmorama Study Club will have a luncheon at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

The Atheneum Study Club will have their Christmas Social. Hostesses are Mmes. Gene McClurg, Mel Gilbert, Loyd Hatcher, R.L. Drum and Ted Zeck.

"How the Other Half Loves," WTC Fine Arts Theatre, 8 p.m.



DID YOU GET YOUR THUMBKIN?—When the Amitie Junior Study Club made "Thumbkins" at the West Texas Rehab Bazaar recently, not everyone got one. They had a great turnout and ran out of materials. Amitie members will be making the delightful little characters again Saturday, Dec. 18 from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the West Texas Community Room. Proceeds will go to the West Texas Rehab Center. Thumb prints drawn into cartoon characters make unique gifts for parents and grandparents and they are great for teachers too. The cost is $1.



MRS. BRADY COBB

Paula White Bride Of Brady Cobb

Paula Faye White and Brady Cobb exchanged wedding vows Nov. 26 at 7:30 p.m. at the Mount Olive Baptist Church. Rev. E.P. Joins, minister of the church, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of C.L. White and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Nelson, 1109 Thirty-second St. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Eddie Lee Cobb, 3407 Ave. M.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length white gown. It featured long sleeves trimmed with wide lace and a high v-neck of lace. Lace edged the hemline of the gown and train.

She carried a bouquet of white carnations and light pink daisies.

Carolyn Sneed, maid of honor, wore a white lace dress fashioned with long sleeves. Bridesmaids, Teresa Thompson, Debra Collins, and Billie Taylor, wore gowns designed with fur hoods in colors of lime green, pink and yellow.

Donna Clay was flower girl. She wore a light blue dress trimmed with lace and carried a basket of pink, purple, yellow and white carnations.

Sylvester Spells was ring bearer. He wore a blue leisure suit.

Hayward Clay served as best man. Groomsmen were Charles Cobb, Welton Cobb, Elijah Thomas and Chester Cobb. Ronnie Collins ushered wedding guests.

White carnations and blue bows in gold containers adorned the church altar.

Traditional wedding music was rendered by Mrs. Virgil Mott at the organ. Special selections included "Love Story" and "Romeo and Juliet."

The reception was held at the West Texas State Bank Community Room. The bride's table was covered with a satin cloth trimmed with lace and held a blue floral arrangement.

The two tier wedding cake was trimmed with blue flowers and topped with white doves.

The bride chose a three piece pant suit for her going away outfit.

The couple will reside in Snyder.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Snyder High School and attends the Stenograph Institute of Texas at Abilene. Her husband, also a graduate of SHS, is employed by McCullough Oil Service.

Out-of-town guets for the wedding were from Midland, Abilene, and Albuquerque, New Mex.

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FEBRUARY WEDDING PLANNED—Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Smith of Ira announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Sheila Beth, to John Mark Harless, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Harless of Snyder. A February 4 wedding is planned at Ira Baptist Church. (Photo by Tiffany)

Local Chairmen Named

Dian Collier, and Jan Johnson have been appointed co-chairmen of the March of Dimes campaign for 1977. The drive will take place in January.

Mrs. Collier and Mrs. Johnson will be in charge of a number of activities for the voluntary health organization, whose mission is the prevention of birth defects. A highlight of the drive will be the Mothers' March, scheduled for January 24, 1977.

"The March of Dimes works to protect the unborn and the newborn," Mrs. Collier says. "Great progress is being made in some areas of birth defects treatment and research. But much more needs to be done."

Birth defects affect every community, and Scurry County is no exception. It is up to all of us to protect the lives of future generations."

"Money is important," Mrs. Johnson adds. "But without the time and dedication of selfless volunteers in our community, we can't carry on our work. We encourage those who are interested to give us a call at campaign headquarters, 573-5978, 573-3821 or 573-6590.



PLAN MARCH OF DIMES CAMPAIGN—Dian Collier, and Jan Johnson look over materials for the 1977 March of Dimes Campaign slated for January. A number of activities are planned in conjunction to the drive.

Woolworth Heiress Sued By Hotel

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Woolworth heiress Barbara Hutton has been sued for more than $7,000 by the Beverly Hills Hotel, which claims she owes money on her bill and that items allegedly are missing from her suite.

The suit, filed in Santa Monica Superior Court, alleges that Miss Hutton, 63, also identified as Princess Doan Hue D'Annam, is indebted to the hotel for $6,950 in goods, wares, merchandise and services.

Growth Rate Slows

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American child's growth spurt may have peaked, according to HEW's National Center for Health Statistics.

The average 18-year-old boy signing up for the Revolutionary army was 5 feet 6.1 inches with his boots on, but the average had shrunk to 5 feet 5 by 1876. During the last century, better nutrition and health care have increased the height of the average 18-year-old boy to 5 feet 9.2 inches.

The rate of growth increase has been about a half inch per decade, but over the last 10 years the trend has virtually ceased. According to Dr. Peter V.V. Hamill, chairman of the center's study group, this could be the result of having reached the limits of genetic potentiality regarding growth.

The study was reported in Intercom, the International Population Reference Bureau's newsletter.

The Tibetan name for the world's highest mountain is Chomolungma ("goddess-mother"). It was named Everest after the Englishman, Sir George Everest who in 1841 was the first to record its height.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Results different in 1976

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Opening lead — J ♥

By Oswald & James Jacoby

For our finale about that 1930 match, we have selected a hand that shows one of the improvements we have added to bidding in 45 years of play.

At both tables in that 1930 match South opened one spade. Everyone passed and both Wests opened the jack of hearts.

The play went queen, king, ace and a heart was led right back. West won and shifted to the five of trumps. It went jack-king-ace. Then South led and ruffed a heart.

A club lead from dummy produced South's queen and West's ace.

East and West played carefully from then on, but there was no way to keep South from winning four of his five trumps and his two side aces plus that one ruff in dummy for a total of seven tricks.

Why does this hand show the advantage of modern bidding? Because any modern East would reopen with one notrump after the bidding went one spade-pass-pass. This reopening notrump does not show anything like 16-18 points. With that sort of hand East reopens with a double. Instead it shows a hand just or two higher — maybe a point or two lower, but something between 10 or 11 and 15 points.

One notrump buys the contract and makes rather easily.

Ask the Jacobys

Continuing our answer on revokes, a revoke may be corrected before the offender or his partner plays to the next trick. If a declarer's revoke is corrected an opponent who has played after the revoke may change his play without penalty. If a defender revokes declarer may change his play.

Incidentally, dummy is not allowed to revoke since all players can see the dummy's cards.

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The Jacobys will answer individual questions if stamped, self-addressed envelopes are enclosed. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

Dangers Of Too Much Vitamin C

COLLEGE STATION— Massive doses of Vitamin C may not be all good, Mrs. Sally Coble, a foods and nutrition specialist, contends.

"A vitamin s a substance vital to the body in small amounts—but those who advise 'megavitamin therapy' are speaking of amounts sometimes 1,000 times greater than individual requirements for the vitamin," she explained.

Mrs. Coble is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Although there is some evidence that Vitamin C may have an antihistaminic effect, there is nothing conclusive that this kills the cold virus.

"Large doses of Vitamin C can produce 'rebound scurvy.' When one takes megadoses, the body machinery for destroying C is speeded up and will continue to function at high speed when one goes back to normal intakes.

"Symptoms of scurvy which might develop include bleeding and swollen gums, loose teeth, muscular pain and rough skin. These symptoms are not so likely to occur in adults as in newborn babies whose mothers were taking megadoses," she noted.

Evidence also exists that megadoses of Vitamin C have some adverse effects on growing bones and tests for diabetes. Additionally, megadoses of Vitamin C may lead to the production of certain kidney stones, the specialist said.

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COUPLE TO WED—Miss Pattie Malone and Hollis Campbell will exchange wedding vows Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Christian Student Center on the Western Texas College campus. Rev. David Robertson, minister of the First United Methodist Church, will perform the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Ragland of Dallas and E.J. Malone of Moab, Utah. Parents of he bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell of Snyder.

Mr. And Mrs. George Vincent To Be Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Vincent; 2701 Thirty-sixth St., will be honored today with a reception in their home in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. Children and grandchildren of the couple will host the event.

George Vincent and Connie Fay Carruthers were married on December 7, 1926 at Sweetwater.

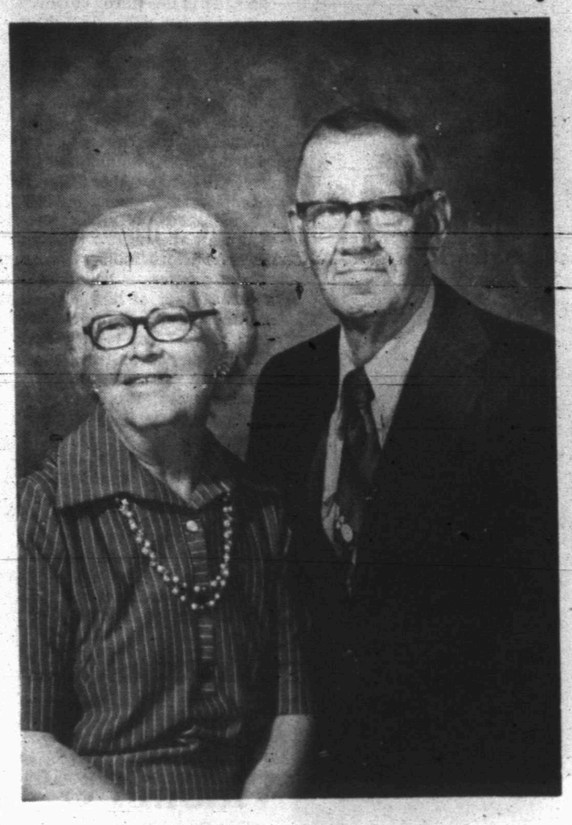
Vincent, born March 28, 1904 in Hamilton County, and the former Connie Fay Carruthers were married December 7, 1926 at Sweetwater. Mrs. Vincent, born April 24, 1909, is a native of Ira.

The couple have two sons, Joe Vincent and Max Vincent of Memphis, Tenn.

Vincent, a retired rancher and farmer, and his wife enjoy fishing and camping. They are members of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Vincent is an active member of the Odd Fellows and a Mason.

The couple have six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

They enjoy fishing and camping in their spare time.



MR. AND MRS. GEORGE VINCENT
...Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary

RSVP Party Set Dec. 7

RSVP members will meet at the Trinity United Methodist Church Tuesday morning for their annual Christmas party.

The party will begin at 9:30, and a special program of entertainment has been planned. Members who need transportation must call the RSVP office at Western Texas College by noon Monday.

RSVP members are currently helping with the Goodfellow project by accepting donations in both Snyder bank and have helped make decorations for the Christmas tree in the Scurry County Museum.

Employe Gets Red Hot Honor

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Recall the Myrtle VanQuekelberg fire?

It happened only a week ago, burning 110 acres along railroad right-of-way southeast of Grand Rapids in northeastern Minnesota.

Employes of the state Department of Natural Resources named the fire for Mrs. VanQuekelberg in honor of her 27 years as an office assistant at the department's Deer River office.

At her retirement party Nov. 9, fellow workers promised they would name the area's next big fire for her. One week later, the Myrtle VanQuekelberg fire was entered in official records.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MONDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Blend softened butter and prepared mustard for hamburger spread.
Franks A Go Go
Buttered Steamed Rice
Garden Salad w-French Dressing
Jellied Applesauce
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

TUESDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Place grated cheese in plastic bag and freeze. Will separate easily for use on pear salad or for other garnishes.
Taco Burger w-Condiments
Lettuce-Tomato & Cheese
Mexipinto Beans
Orange Wedge
Apricot Cobbler
Milk

WEDNESDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Sprinkle left over pastry dough with cinnamon and sugar. Roll as for jelly roll, cut off slices and bake.
Tiger Growl Sandwich
w-Beef Vegetable Soup
Chilled Fruit
Milk

THURSDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Stuff split wieners with left over mashed potatoes. Toast and serve hot.
Chicken Fried Beef Fritter w-Country Gravy
Buttered Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans
Peanut Butter Brownie
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

SECONDARY SCHOOL

MONDAY

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Fresh Oranges
Pineapple Upside Down Cake
Milk

TUESDAY

Chili Burger on Bun w-Condiments
Catsup, Mustard, Salad Dressing
Seasoned Pinto Beans
Tossed Salad w-Dressing
Strawberry Shortcake
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Poorboy Steak w-Country Gravy
Buttered Whipped Potatoes
Assorted Fruit
Garden Peas
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

THURSDAY

Sausage & Cheese Pizza w-Grated Cheese
Green Beans
Jellied Applesauce Squares
Waldorf Salad
Milk

Brunch A Fine Way To Spend Lazy Sunday

By TOM HOGE
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Time was when I regarded brunch as little more than an excuse to start drinking champagne early in the day.

Then came a Sunday when I accepted an invitation to one of these delightfully informal meals and I revised my opinion of brunch. It is an ideal way of entertaining friends without going to a lot of fuss; a splendid way to embark on a day of leisure.

Because of the hour — it usually runs from 10:30 a.m. to about 3 p.m. — brunch is a Sunday favorite. And brunch is a good time for a bracer like a Bloody Mary, followed up by a tasty dish.

It's hard to say when the idea of brunch originated, but it apparently goes back many years. For example, around the turn of the century a group of prominent businessmen in Atlanta, who called themselves the Ice Picks, used to play cards every Saturday night. The game ended around midnight, the table was cleared and a repast was served in the early hours of Sunday.

Starting off with champagne cocktails, the group went on to pretty hearty fare, featuring such gourmet dishes as roast quail, ruffled grouse or wild turkey, topped off with kidney and mushroom stew. It was a rib-sticking meal that was certainly more brunch than breakfast.

Professional chefs are finding brunch more and more of a challenge as they seek new dishes to tempt their patrons. One expert in the art is William Spry, executive chef at New York's Hotel Dorset.

"Brunch should be a celebration, a festival of the really good dishes served during the week," says Spry.

Spry leans heavily on egg dishes for brunch but stresses that they must be something that will sustain you over the long hours until dinner.

One of Spry's creations is omelet benedict, an omelet stuffed with chopped ham and topped with hollandaise sauce and sliced truffles.

One of the tastiest brunch specialties I have encountered is Cajun Shrimp Creole, which I found in a book of recipes put out by the Atlanta Music Club. Its creator was Mrs. Paul Hanes.

¼ cup vegetable oil
2 medium onions, sliced
1 large bell pepper, cut in strips
¼ pound fresh mushrooms, sliced
¼ cup flour
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon oregano
2½ cups stewed tomatoes
2 pounds shelled and deveined shrimp

Heat oil in saucepan and add onions, bell pepper and mushrooms. Cook till ingredients are tender, stirring occasionally. Add flour and seasonings and mix well. Add tomatoes. Cook, stirring constantly till thickened. Cover and cook over low heat 10 minutes. Add shrimp and cook 5 minutes more. Serves 6-8. Good with chilled rose wine.

Faneuil Hall, Boston's "Cradle of American Liberty," was built by merchant Peter Faneuil in 1742 as a public market and meeting house.

Ermine is the name given various species of weasel during the winter season when their fur is white.

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Margaret Truman Promotes Book

EDITOR'S NOTE — Margaret Truman has just finished her fourth book and she's packing in two or three interviews a day to promote it. They are self-deprecating interviews in which the president's daughter wonders why people think she's interesting.

By KAY BARTLETT
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Margaret Truman was 21 years old when she moved into the White House.

Today, at 52, she says, "Everything has been uphill since."

She never became the singer she set out to be when her father was president. But she has raised four sons as the wife of a newspaper executive and has just finished her fourth book, "Women of Courage."

In that book, Miss Truman tells the stories of 12 women who in one way or another struggled courageously for a cause or belief. Most are unknowns, like Kate Bernard, who fought for the rights of Indian children in Oklahoma, or Prudence Crandell, who pioneered education for black children in Connecticut, or Elizabeth Blackwell, who became America's first doctor, in 1847.

Elizabeth Blackwell disturbed the status quo, Miss Truman writes, much as Miss Truman herself did when she tried to become a singer. "Could I ... have endured the loneliness and discouragement that Elizabeth Blackwell had to put up with in her struggle? ... I doubt it very much."

Still a rather private person, Mrs. Clifton Daniel is packing in two or three interviews a day as she travels the country to promote the book. Not that she is willing to say a lot about Margaret Truman.

"I don't know why people think I'm interesting," she says.

May one ask for whom Mrs. Daniel voted this November?

"You certainly may not," she answers rather primly but with a laughing glint in her eyes. "But you may remember that I'm a Democrat."

Would she care to compare Independence and Plains?

"I've never been in Plains."

She and her husband, an associate editor of The New York Times, live in a midtown co-op with their four sons, aged 19 to 10. Clifton Daniel recently returned to New York after a stint as the bureau chief of The Times' Washington operation. The welcome home parties, plus the many interviews connected with her book, have made Mrs. Daniel's schedule a bit of a nightmare.

"I'm so frustrated, I've only gotten to Bloomingdale's once," said the woman whose father called her Margie, pronounced with a hard "g."

She is not fond of recounting those years in the White House.

"I practically never think of the White House," says Mrs. Daniel. "I recently drove by it and didn't even look at it."

Besides her music, Mrs. Daniel has acted in summer stock and has written about her White House life (one book, "Harry S. Truman," was a best seller) in the years since her famous dad told off the critic who said she couldn't sing.

She dreads being asked to speculate on what her father would have done on this or that situation, a game she refuses to play.

"I never spoke for him while he was alive. I have no intention of speaking for him now," she says in the simple and direct manner her father would have used.

A slender blonde of medium height, Mrs. Daniel says she is pleased by the growing acclaim her father has received in recent years.

But the thing that pleases her most was the timing.

"I'm very happy he was alive to see it," said Mrs. Daniel, whose father died in 1972. Now she says that she tries to get back to Independence as often as she can to visit her mother, Bess Truman.

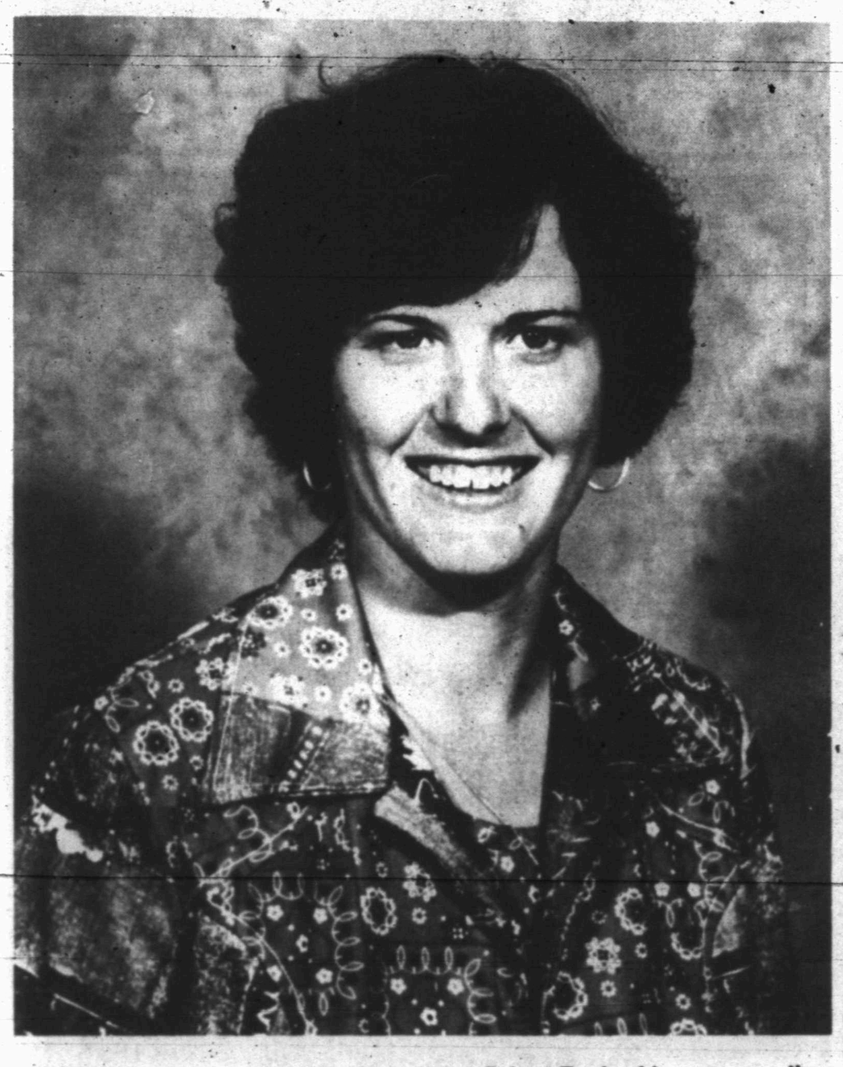
Her eldest son, Clifton Daniel Jr., is currently working at CBS, taking a year off from college. The next two sons are in prep schools and the youngest is enrolled in a private school in Manhattan.

The boys, she says, have handled the fact that they are a president's grandchildren with relative ease.

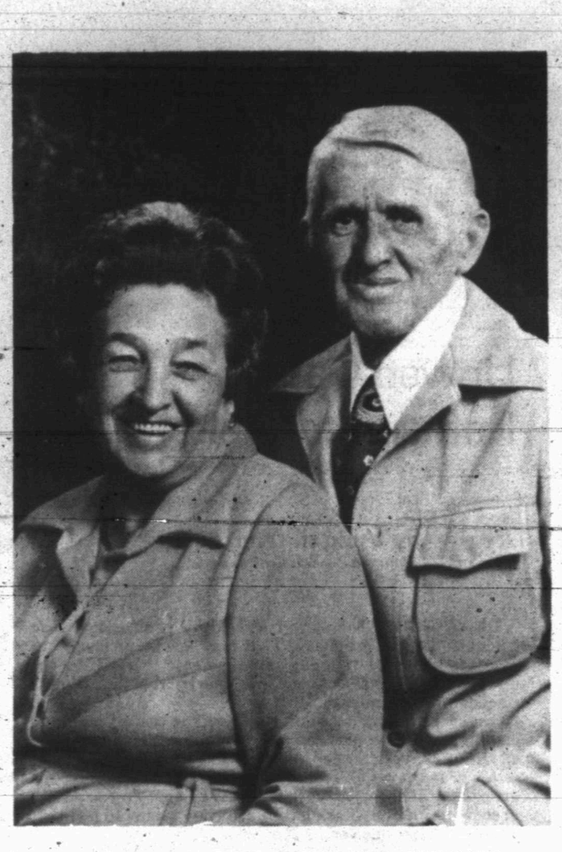
"They were conditioned to that early on. I told them anyone's grandfather could have been president. As boys, they were around other children who also had famous grandfathers."

In her new book, Mrs. Daniel writes: "The women I've chosen to write about ... share one transcendent quality. All of them in some way, at some time, acted courageously."

And the book itself is dedicated to her mother, "who is definitely a woman of courage."



ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Erwin of Ira announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Carol Diane, to Joe John Ejem of Sweetwater. A December wedding is planned.



MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND PYLANT
...Celebrate 50th anniversary
(PHOTO BY RAUN)

Youth Grants Given

WASHINGTON (AP) — A wide variety of subjects is represented by the scope of Youthgrants in the Humanities recently awarded to 15 young persons across the country by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Cars No. 1 Killer Of Kids

NEW YORK (AP) — Nearly half of all childhood deaths in industrialized countries are caused by traffic accidents and the percentage is still rising, an insurance-sponsored study shows.

A report in the Insurance Information Institute publication, The Journal of Insurance, points out that there are far more childhood deaths from automobiles than from any other cause.

In the United States in 1974, motor vehicle accidents led all causes of death from age 1 through 24, with a total of 20,550 fatalities reported for this age group by the National Safety Council.

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Couple To Be Honored On Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pylant of Snyder will be honored with a buffet reception Sunday, Dec. 12 in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Children of the couple will host the celebration in the fellowship hall of Trinity United Methodist Church from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock p.m.

Stella Lois Morris became the bride of Raymond Pylant on December 12, 1926 in Mitchell County.

Mrs. Pylant was born Nov. 3, 1911 in Canton. Mr. Pylant was born in Hamilton County Oct. 31, 1911.

Mr. Pylant is retired from Caprock Material Company where he was employed twenty-five years. The couple reside at 2109 Forty-first St.

Children of the couple are Marshall Pylant of Vernon; Boyd Pylant of Waxahachie; Mrs. Marlin Ring of Odessa; Mrs. Harlan Amox of Snyder; and the late Mrs. Ray Smith.

They have seventeen grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Hearing Set On Gas Rate

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - A hearing will be held Feb. 15 on Lone Star Gas Co.'s appeal from Wichita Falls' rejection of a gas rate increase, the railroad commission announced today.

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NIOSH Expands Pesticide Probe

HOUSTON (AP) — A Washington spokesman reports the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has expanded its probe of a controversial pesticide to several other plants in addition to the Velsicol Chemical Corp. plant on Galveston Bay.

Federal investigators have said some workers may have suffered nerve damage from the pesticide leptophos, which Velsicol officials said was marketed overseas as Phosvel before production was halted last January.

The Chem-Trix Corp. in Houston was among the processors of the pesticide.

Ted E. Nesky, president of Chem-Trix Corp., said Friday one of his employes became ill while that company processed about 125,000 gallons of the pesticide under a contract for Velsicol in June 1975.

The Houston Post quoted a NIOSH spokesman as saying a list of several plants, two of which were foreign, was supplied by Velsicol at NIOSH's request after the investigation of the reported nerve damage to the Bayport plant workers began.

NIOSH Said it was not immediately clear from Velsicol's information whether the companies ground the caked pesticide into dust, formulated it into field use form or packaged it.

"But even in packaging, you could still have a problem," the Post quoted the NIOSH spokesman as saying.

The newspaper quoted NIOSH as saying Velsicol as listing these United States processors of the pesticide:

Thompson-Hayward in New Orleans; Pulvair in Millington, Tenn.; Wilbur Ellis in Fresno, Calif.; Thompson-Hayward in Greenville, Miss.; Miller Chemical Co. in Hanover, Pa.; Riverdale Chemical, Chicago Heights, Ill., and FMC in Jacksonville, Fla.

The foreign processors, NIOSH said, were identified as the Chirman Chemical Co. in Hamilton, Ont., Canada, and Verdugts Ind., and Hand in Tiel, The Netherlands.

The NIOSH spokesman said the foreign firms would be advised of the possible hazard through the State Department or the World Health Organization.

Malcolm F. Kallus, local Environmental Protection Agency, said Velsicol has disclosed that it has 751,200 pounds of Phosvel stored in a suburban Pasadena warehouse.

He said the pesticide was in steel drums lined with polyethylene sheets and was not leaking.

Goodfellows Application

If you know of a person or family (elderly, disabled, a child), regardless of race, color or creed, living within the Scurry County area, who might be forgotten on Christmas Day, fill out this coupon and mail it at once to: The Goodfellows, P.O. Box 661, Snyder, Tx 79549. Last day to receive applications will be December 14. Please print name and address clearly, and fill in all the information requested. If all spaces are not completed correctly, request cannot be considered.

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Unwed Father Refuses to Help

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: The son of a wealthy professional man has gotten a girl pregnant. That may not be unusual, but the boy's father bought him a new car with the understanding that the boy not marry the girl. This I consider most unusual.

The girl is forced to go on welfare. The cost of pre-natal care and delivery, plus the cost of raising the child will be at the taxpayers' expense.

As a taxpayer I resent the idea of supporting the grandchild of a wealthy man. However, what do you advise in such a situation? The district attorney seems to feel that welfare is the answer.

DEE DEE ESS

DEAR DEE: Pity a male who is old enough to become a father but isn't man enough to handle his own problems. The wealthy professional man who would bribe his son to forestall marriage, but then offer no financial help to the girl and/or the child is as morally guilty as the son for evading any responsibility for the consequences of his actions.

To fill the gap created by such moral cop-outs, the U.S. government has created Aid to Dependent Children. And for the sake of the innocent children, it's a good thing it did.

DEAR ABBY: We are older people who have just bought a light-colored carpet. We cannot afford to replace it, so we have bought 10 pair of slippers for guests to put on before coming into our house.

The problem: We have a dear friend (he's also a relative) who refuses to remove his shoes and use the slippers we have provided for our guests.

His wife still comes, using the slippers, but he refuses to come if he has to wear the slippers.

Please advise us.

MINUS ONE GUEST

DEAR MINUS: Carpets, including light-colored ones, were made to walk on. If you want this uncooperative guest to visit you, make an exception to the rule and don't make a big deal out of it.

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INDUSTRY STANDS PAT

Steel Hike In Spotlight

By WILLIAM GLASGALL
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The price of steel went up this past week, drawing fire both from the Ford administration and from President-elect Jimmy Carter.

But neither the government's Council on Wage and Price Stability nor Carter directly called on the steel industry to roll back their 6 to 7 per cent boost.

The higher prices went into effect Dec. 1 on flat-rolled products used in such consumer items as autos, refrigerators and washing machines. But it remains to be seen whether the increase will stick in light of recent slow demand.

A price hike of 4.5 per cent by industry leaders in August was rolled back after steelmakers met heavy customer resistance. Since then, the industry has insisted it needs higher prices to cover increased costs.

"Conditions in the market will tell us whether or not the steel price will stick," U.S. Steel Corp. Chairman Edgar B. Speer said of the latest increase.

But William Lilley III, acting director of the wage and price council, said he believes companies still are shipping steel at pre-increase prices while they establish "higher list prices to protect themselves against possible future wage and price controls."

The wage and price council does not have the power to order price rollbacks, and Carter said his administration had no intention of imposing wage-price controls.

In other developments:

—Carter named Thomas B. Lance, 45, a Georgia banker, as his budget director. Lance had helped push Carter's government reorganization plan through the Georgia legislature.

—Leading copper producers cut the price for domestically-produced copper from 70 to 65 cents a pound in reaction to slow demand. The price had stood as high as 74 cents a pound during the summer.

—Australia and New Zealand devalued their currencies. The moves are expected to bolster the countries' foreign exchange reserves and make their exports more competitive on world markets.

—Government figures suggested the economy is remaining in the doldrums. Unemployment rose to 8.1 per cent last month, while wholesale prices also were up by .6 per cent. The index of leading economic indicators, used as a barometer of economic trends, remains unchanged in October.

—The Air Force awarded a $526 million contract for production work on the B1 strategic bomber to Rockwell International Corp.

—A survey of McGraw-Hill Inc. said new building contracts rose 31 per cent in November over the year before, with housing and electric power plant construction leading the way.

—Fifteen paperboard box makers' executives were given jail terms of five to 60 days on price-fixing charges. Seventeen more executives were placed on probation by a Chicago Federal Court judge. The executives had pleaded no-contest to the charges.

Old Timers Lose Bench

OILTON, Okla. (AP) — You might call it the problem of the missing bench.

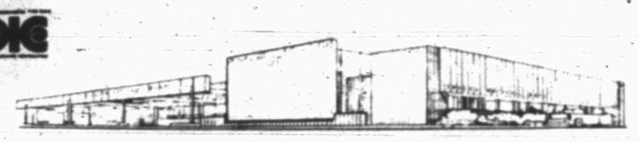
A group of elderly men who have traditionally sat and watched the time and traffic pass by in this northeastern Oklahoma town are annoyed.

Part of the traffic that had passed included elderly women, and the men think they're the ones responsible for the loss of the bench. Before the bench disappeared overnight, some of the women had complained the men "just sit there, spitting their tobacco and looking at our legs."

Police Chief Fred Stewart has been tipped by one of the men that the bench has already been used for firewood.

French-German painter Max Ernst began his career as a student of psychiatry. When he became fascinated by paintings produced by insane people, he gave up his studies and began to paint.



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ECO 231-10	Principles of Economics		TBA	J.Palmer
ENG 132-10	Composition II		AcS B-110	D.Lancaster
ENG 232-10	British Literature		AcS B-106	J.Halbert
ENG 233-10	Masterpieces of Literature		AcS C-104	W.Jones
GOV 232-10	Texas State & Local Government		AcS C-101	F.Pruitt
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Dr. Lamb

Can't digest double sugars

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I would appreciate it if you would give me some information concerning disaccharide deficiencies. I have been diagnosed as lacking lactase, sucrase and maltase. I can't eat any products containing milk, sugar or malt.

I am confused as to what products contain malt and would appreciate it if you could tell me where I could find out this information.

I know I am lacking certain nutrients and am not sure what substitutes I need. As of now I am completely bewildered about how to handle my problem. I know two of my sons have inherited the lactose deficiency and perhaps the entire problem and I am not sure how to feed them.

DEAR READER—While lactase deficiency is fairly common, resulting in inability to tolerate milk and milk products, lack of the other two enzymes is quite rare.

There are three double sugars that are common in our foods. They are lactose from milk, sucrose (ordinary sugar) and maltose, a combination of two glucose molecules. Maltose is formed from the breakdown of starch from vegetables and cereals.

A deficiency of these three enzymes you mention causes difficulty in breaking down the double sugars into single sugars so they can be absorbed for use. When they are not absorbed the double sugars cause gas, diarrhea and discomfort. Sometimes the deficiency is only partial and the individual may still tolerate a limited amount of the carbohydrates that contain these double sugars.

To help you understand the differences between single sugars, double sugars, starch and how all of these are related I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-8, Sugar and Starch: Carbohydrates. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Just send your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P. O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

What can you eat? You can use honey as a sweetener. It is glucose and fructose, but unlike in table sugar, they exist as single sugars. You do not need sucrase to break down a double sugar into glucose and fructose. Your pharmacist may be able to get you some pure dextrose (glucose) which you can use for sugar.

You may be able to use some well-ripened fruit. Otherwise you will need to avoid all the starches and foods that contain starch. This includes potatoes and cereals. You may want to get some bran for the fiber it contains but you will want pure bran and won't be able to use breakfast foods for this purpose because of their starch content.

Since we don't digest cellulose you can probably eat a limited amount of leafy vegetables. You will have to learn by experience how much tolerance you have to these foods.

You should take daily vitamins because you are not likely to be able to eat a balanced diet. You can eat any protein and fats, which means all the meat group, including fish and poultry. You will probably need to take additional calcium as milk and milk products are the main source for these. You should be able to use eggs but if you have an elevated cholesterol you could use a low cholesterol egg substitute.

If your lactose intolerance is not too severe you might be able to use Lact-Aid that I have mentioned before, and enzyme that furnished lactase to break down lactose in milk before you drink it (obtained from SugarLo, 3540 Atlantic Ave., Atlantic City, NY 08401).

DEAR DR. LAMB—Can a person be a diabetic with a normal fasting blood sugar level? I have several well-meaning friends who tell me the glucose tolerance test doesn't mean anything.

After a two-hour glucose tolerance test by blood sugar always goes high and spills sugar in the ruine. My fasting blood sugar is always near normal.

My last two glucose tolerance tests were 109 fasting and 230 after a two hour glucose tolerance test and three months later, 110 and 218. How high does it have to go before medication is needed? My weight is a normal 115 pounds.

DEAR READER—I hope your well-meaning friends are better friends than they are doctors. Many diabetics have normal fasting blood sugar levels. In these patients the challenge with glucose results in an abnormally high and sustained level of blood sugar. If you mean your high levels were present at the two hour interval after taking glucose you are definitely in the diabetic group.

Terminology changes and one can never be sure even what another doctor means, it has changed so often. But in a person with an abnormal diabetic type response to a glucose tolerance test, the term chemical diabetes is sometimes used. Such individuals may be entirely asymptomatic.

Glucose tolerance tests can be misleading unless the patient is properly prepared. If he avoids sweets and carbohydrates before the examination he may have a diabetic type (starvation diabetes) response that could lead to an incorrect diagnosis.

How high does one's blood sugar have to be before beginning treatment? Opinions differ but in an adult with no symptoms or evidence of damage most doctors prefer not to use insulin or medicines if the levels can be reasonably controlled by diet. Weight reduction helps in obese patients.

When obesity is not a factor, as may be true in your case, it is still wise to change the diet so that you do not get any concentrated carbohydrates, specifically sugar, sweets, honey, jellies, jams, candies and sweets that cause the blood sugar to rise sharply. You should use vegetables, fruits and cereals though. The meals should be equally divided to avoid an overload on your insulin production system.

Then if you are spilling less than 20 grams of sugar in your urine for a 24-hour period you are probably still doing all right.

Most doctors do not like your blood sugar to be too high as that leads to complications, including vascular changes in the eye that could lead to blindness.

In normal kidneys glucose starts spilling into the urine when the blood level is around 170. If the rise above these levels is of short duration you don't lose much glucose. Even normal people may have sugar in the urine after taking in an extra large amount of sweets.

Since your fasting blood sugar is normal it is probable that your blood sugar level is within near normal levels before each meal. That is usually satisfactory.

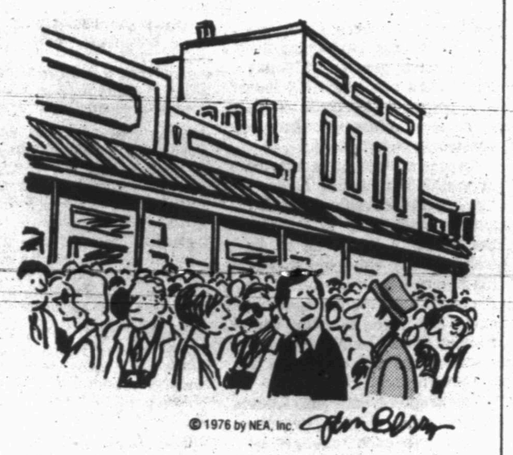
Since you are not taking medicines you might get some real benefit out of exercise which also lowers the blood sugar. Individuals taking medicine, though, should be ware that exercises may decrease their requirements for the daily amount of medicine.

To give you more information on diabetes I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-11, Diabetes, Diagnosis, Prevention, and Management. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Just send your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P. O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

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The largest flood disaster on record in the United States was the Galveston tidal wave of Sept. 8, 1900, in which 6,000 people were killed, reports the National Safety Council.

Berry's World



"Sometimes I think I oughta get outta the rat race an' move from Plains."

Training Set For Paramedics

CHICAGO (AP) — An Emergency Medical Technician II (Paramedic) Training Program, administered by the Chicago Citywide College's Health Services Institute, has been established.

Students will train at Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Illinois Masonic Medical Center and the University of Chicago Hospitals and Clinics.

Insects Are A Threat To Small Grain Crops

Approximately 15,000 acres of small grains have been planted in Scurry County this fall, and producers should be alert to possible insect problems on these crops, warns David H. Kattes, county entomologist.

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Greenbugs are among the most important insect pests of small grains. These aphids or plant lice, are approximately 1-16 inch long when full grown. They are usually light green in color with a dark green stripe down the back which is most prominent at maturity. The legs are green except for the tips which are black. All aphids have two tubes at the rear of the body known as cornicles. Cornicles of greenbugs on small grain are generally black.

In Texas male greenbugs are extremely rare and reproduction occurs through a process known as parthenogenesis (reproduction by the development of an unfertilized egg). Unlike most insects, green bugs are born alive with no external egg stage.

Greenbugs can reproduce at temperatures between 40 to 95 degrees F, however, optimum reproduction temperature is 70 to 75 degrees F. Under optimum conditions, the newly-born greenbugs begin reproduction in approximately 7 days and continue producing young for 20 to 30 days. During this reproductive period, each female may produce 50 to 100 offspring.

Natural enemies of the greenbug are important in maintaining this pest's population below economic levels. Lysiphlebus testaceipes and other parasitic wasps are among the most important natural enemies of greenbugs. Others include lady beetles, lacewing larva, damsel bugs, syrphid fly larva and spiders.

Natural enemy reproduction slows at temperatures below 55 degrees F. Thus in cool weather the greenbug may increase while its natural enemies multiply slowly.

To determine the need for chemical control measures, a minimum of 5, 1-1 linear foot, random counts should be made in each field of 30 acres. In larger fields, additional inspection points should be added. Information in the following table may serve as a guide in determining the need for treatment.

Plant height (inches)	Greenbugs per foot
3-6	100-300
4-8	200-400
6-16	300-800

If you have any questions concerning the above information or if you would like to have the county Extension entomologist assit you in this management decision, please call 728-5973. This is a new phone number and is not in the current telephone directory. Therefore you may want to record it in your new directory, Kattes said.

Clothes Are Important To Kids

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) — A child's preferences are important to consider when parents shop for children's clothing, says Mary Lou Sadler, Extension clothing specialist at Oklahoma State University.

Clothing helps the child get the attention and approval that he needs from his friends and enhances a sense of ownership, she explains. Youngsters can also learn how to dress themselves and become more independent by exercising choices about clothing, according to Mrs. Sadler.

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These prizes must be redeemed at the stores awarding the certificate by Dec. 24, 1976 to be honored.

Registration stands have been set up at each store, where a theatre-type ticket having corresponding numbers on each end will be issued. One end will be placed in a box, the second will remain in the possession of the store patron.

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Revision Of Property Tax Bill Would Aid Taxpayers

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The average taxpayer probably would get a break on his tax bill if a proposed property tax revision bill passes, Rep. Wayne Peveto, D-Orange, says.

"This is the Texas property taxpayers bill of rights," Peveto, chairman of the Property Tax Study Committee, told a news conference Friday.

He held a press briefing to discuss the 201-page tentative recodification of tax laws was approved by the committee a week ago and will be presented in public hearing in 13 cities beginning Dec. 13.

The final committee vote will come Dec. 19-20.

"This definitely will affect the average taxpayers because it will make sure his property is not appraised any higher than other property in the area," he said. "It's possible the average tax payer will get a break on his tax bill if this passes."

Peveto said the bill to be presented the 1977 legislature contained three major parts:

"First, property would be valued for taxes only by a single local appraisal office that would be created for each county. Duplicate and often conflicting appriasals by as many as four or five different local tax offices would be eliminated.

"Second, taxpayers would be notified of the value placed on their property and could protest to a separate local review board if the value appeared erroneous or illegal. . . if dissatisfied at the local level, tax payers could appeal to a new state commission to be established just for that purpose.

"Third, under the new system of market value appraisal, local property taxes would be frozen and would not be increased except by deliberate action of local, elected officials after notice and public hearing."

He said these provisions "would assure Texas taxpayers that their property taxes are equitably, efficiently and legally administered, and what's more that property taxes do not go up unless local officials can make their case before the public."

He said the bill would not change local government tax sources or legal limits.

The local central appraisal office proposed in the bill would be governed by three or five persons, depending on the county population. They would be elected by the county commissioners court and the governing bodies of incorporated cities and school districts in the county. This office would appraise property for all taxing units in the county.

The appraisals would be done by professionally qualified persons regulated by a new state Council of Appraiser Examiners. The governor would appoint six members of a new State Property Tax Board that would have general rule-making powers but would not have any power to overrule or replace local office appraisals or personnel, Peveto said.

Anyone protesting an appraisal would first appear before a local appraisal review board. If not satisfied, they would have the choice of filing suit in district court or obtaining a hearing before a new full-time state Property Tax Appeals Commission. The three-member commission would be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Senate.

The proposed code also would require that local governing bodies give each taxpayer notice if the assessment ration on his property is changed. The tax rate could be increased only after a public hearing by the community's governing body.

Tax Revision Bill Presented

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — A House-Senate study committee presented a proposed 201-page tax revision bill Friday that it said will make tax-paying easier for all Texans.

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Peveto also said the measure might have to be changed because the bill's "one-appraisal" concept has been presented to the attorney general to determine if it is constitutional.

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A WORD FROM THE PUBLISHER

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Life is like an onion...you peel it off a layer at a time and sometimes you weep."

We continue to be impressed with the economic outlook of the Scurry County community. One such evidence of a bright future was Friday's ribbon cutting ceremony and open house at the new Cardinal Chemical facility on the Lamesa Highway.

Open here for several months, the veteran oil field servicing firm has chosen Snyder and presently employs about 10 persons.

According to the division manager, Earl Davis of Odessa, the firm has long-range hopes and projections of perhaps ten-fold that number.

Gold Coaters and chamber members were on hand Friday to officially welcome the new business to Snyder. One out of town reporter asked for the title of chamber girl-Friday LaVerta Lovell.

After some pause, someone suggested that her variety of talents could best be described as "designated hitter."

Although the inauguration is almost two months away, Jimmy Carter already is making Presidential noises. He already is beginning to make some high-level appointments.

Some non-politicans have already begun to take advantage of the President-elect and his peanut connections. We heard about a restaurant owner in Denver who is now serving a variety of peanut butter sandwiches to his noon-time customers.

Our favorite story, however, is still restaurant owner Lester Maddox who served the Jimmy Carter sandwich during the campaign. According to Maddox, it included peanut butter and a slice of baloney, and nobody could stomach it.

Column ender: If men had no faith in one another, all of us would have to live within our incomes.

Culture Outplaying Sports In Detroit

DETROIT (AP) — Culture in downtown Detroit is outplaying sports in suburbia — at least pro football.

The Fisher Theater in Detroit's inner city sold 54,600 season tickets for its cultural season and is still counting. The Detroit Lions, who fled to suburban Pontiac, had a final season ticket count of 48,862, down from last season.

ASTRO-GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

For Sunday, Dec. 5, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Do something where you can utilize both your mental and physical capabilities today. Your best: An outdoor sport that takes two to play.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Personal advantage comes today more from manging what another has than from trying to promote what you have. You're a good impressario.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) In partnership situations today get the ball rolling, then let your counterpart assume the more prominent role in a joint undertaking.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It won't be hard to acquire willing helpers today. Just make your needs known. Someone will be there to do the legwork.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You're still in a very beneficial cycle where your prestige or self-image is concerned. You're handling yourself so as to draw favorable attention.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) In negotiations centering on your work or career today, don't be afraid to ask what you think you're worth. You're desired and can get it.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Perhaps times or conditions won't permit you to do just what you'd like to, but a trip to some place different will at least give you some respite.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your financial possibilities look good today from two entirely different sources. Stay on top of anything that looks like a moneymaker.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Although you have a warm and easy manner that endears you to any crowd today, you'll enjoy yourself more with special someone than you will with a group.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you have a project that's important to you, lay the groundwork as quietly as possible. Later you can bring it all out in the open.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You stand out in a crowd today. Your charismatic appeal will draw people to you who'll seek your advice and counsel.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) People are voicing nice sentiments about you behind your back today. More important: Another is doing something to pleasantly surprise you.

Your Birthday

Dec. 5, 1976

You can form several powerful alliances this year with persons who can further your self-interests. These will be doers who'll deliver what they promise.

(Are you a Sagittarius? Bernice Osol has written a special Astro-Graph Letter for you. For your copy send 50 cents and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to ask for Sagittarius Volume 1.)

For Monday, Dec. 6, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're less competent at mental gymnastics than you think you are today. You may have the enthusiasm, but you lack breadth and vision.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Be careful the next couple of days in commercial dealings. The ground you're standing on is not too firm. Hidden problems could clobber you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Don't do anything today to alienate partners or associates. They're more important to your immediate success than you might realize.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) The way you handle others could be your undoing today. You have a knack of rubbing people the wrong way. You're tactless.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you run into someone socially today who's as strong-willed as you are, don't be afraid to back down. Give an inch and keep a friend.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Underestimating your opposition could be disastrous today. Evaluate realistically and deal accordingly.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You tend to be hypercritical of others' ideas today without really giving them a fair hearing. Listen before drawing conclusions.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Getting involved with the wrong people today could cost you money. Be wary of those who'd profit through your assets.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Try not to push yourself to the detriment of others today. You may easily obtain what you seek, but the wine will turn to vinegar in your mouth.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Pride may lead you to attempt a task beyond your ability, even when you know you're in over your head. Use common sense.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Today, it's best you don't gamble on long shots. Put your money on things that you know are within your abilities.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Placing more credence on the efficiency of others than you do on your own credibility is a mistake today. Don't downgrade your high standards.

Your Birthday

Dec. 6, 1976

Try to get more involved this year in clubs and organizational activities. Interesting things can happen through contacts you're likely to make.

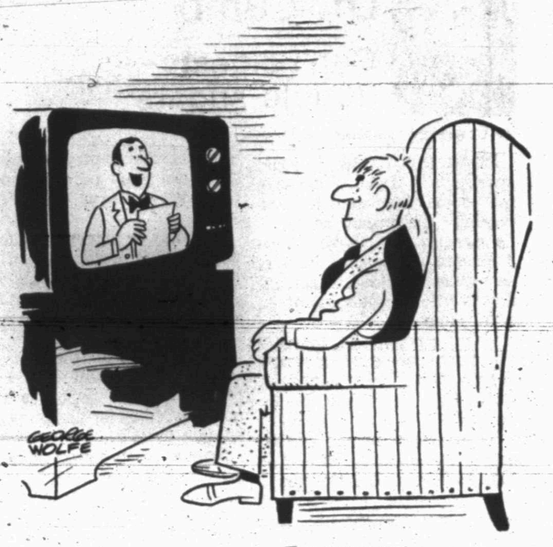
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Judge Finds FAA Liable

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal judge has found the Federal Aviation Administration liable for damages in the 1972 plane-crash death of former baseball star Roberto Clemente near San Juan, P.R.

U.S. District Court Judge Juan R. Torruella ruled that FAA employes did not inspect the plane — on a mercy flight to earthquake-ravaged Nicaragua — before takeoff to determine if it had a proper crew and was properly loading.

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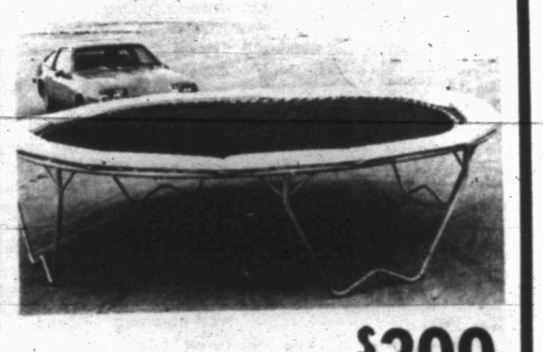


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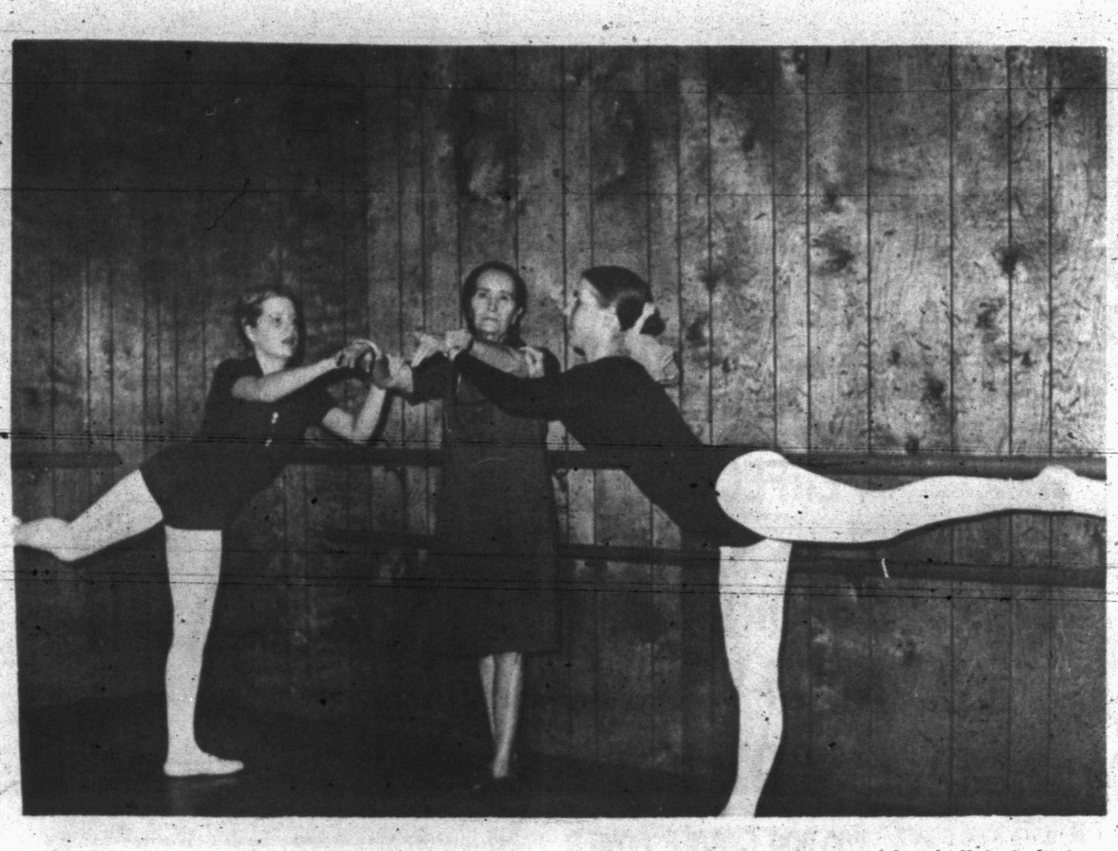
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GIVING A HELPING HAND—Elaine Lambert, owner and operater of the Elaine Lambert School of Dance, is giving a helping hand and providing a pair of steady arms to two of her ballet students, Brenda Cooper and Debbie Richter.

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Elaine Lambert's Life Is Dedicated To Dance

By JOHN LONG

"Ballet and the Army are the only two self-disciplines left in the world today, and even the Army is lagging behind," declared Elaine Lambert.

While Mrs. Lambert has never undergone the rigors of Army discipline, she has studied the discipline of ballet. Since 1946, she has been the owner and operator of the Elaine Lambert School of Dance here in Snyder.

"Dance is a discipline involving coordination of the mind and body. It imparts both grace and style to a person's life," said Mrs. Lambert.

Born in Walhalla, S.C., Mrs. Lambert began the study of ballet after receiving a serious knee injury at the age of 11. Her father, who was a doctor, took her to a knee specialist who advised the family to enroll the youngster in leg-building dance classes.

Since that time, Mrs. Lambert has dedicated her life to the study of dance and ballet. In her formative years, she studied dance in Chicago and New York.

Even now, she travels to Europe occasionally, to view ballets there. This weekend, she and some other members of her school were scheduled to go to Kansas City to attend a meeting of the Dance Masters of America.

"I can teach many kinds of dances," Mrs. Lambert said, "but my first love is ballet."

Assisting Mrs. Lambert at her dance studio is her sister, Marilu Musgrove, who teaches gymnastics and acrobatics.

Some 150 to 160 students are currently enrolled at Mrs. Lambert's 1805 Twenty-seventh Street studio. Most of the students are four to 18 years of age, but she admits to having a couple of three-year-olds enrolled.

"Age four is a perfect age to begin the study of dance," Mrs. Lambert said. "At four, a child is conscious of the learning process and is ready to start achieving things on his own," she said.

"And, the body is more receptive to learning the dance routines at that age," Mrs. Musgrove interjected.

The dance classes at the Elaine Lambert School of Dance usually meet twice a week and last an average of an hour and 15 minutes. On class session is devoted to dance routines and the next session is given to gymnastics and acrobatics in a gymnasium behind the studio.

The classes are peopled with children from Fluvanna, Roscoe, Hermleigh, Colorado City, and of course, Snyder. Assisting the two women in teaching the classes are several senior student assistants.

Snyder residents since 1912 when they moved here with their parents, both women call Snyder home. Both were reared here and were graduated from high school here.

Prior to World War II, Mrs. Lambert operated a dance studio in Corpus Christi, but gave it up to open a studio here.

After teaching several thousand students Mrs. Lambert has reached the conclusion that children are becoming easier to teach.

"In 1946, dancing was something that a lot of children knew nothing about. It was like trying to describe something to them that they had never before seen," she said.

"But now, students are more knowledgeable and have usually already been exposed to dancing by the time they are enrolled in my classes," she summed up.

With a spryness and vitality that belies her years, Mrs. Lambert vowed to continue teaching her dance classes for as long as she can.

"If I quit, what would I do?" she said. "Dancing is my life."

If a septic tank requires cleaning nearly every year, it may be too small, says Ernest Walpole, extension agricultural engineer at the University of Delaware.

Dealers Hail Money Error

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Uncle Sam isn't laughing, but a batch of funny money — real $1 bills with some upside-down printing — is bringing smiles to the faces of dealers and collectors.

The Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington issued the dollar bills with the serial numbers, Federal Reserve Bank seals and Treasury Department seals upside-down. More than 100 of the bills have been found in the Philadelphia area, and they're being bought and sold for as much as $125 each.

"It's the largest-scale U.S. paper money error in many years, and also one of the most dramatic," said Norman Pullen, a coin dealer in Robbinsville, N.J.

Officials at the printing bureau said they did not know how many of the bills were circulated, but estimates range from 400 to several thousand.

"We are aware of the fact that it happened, and we're taking steps to prevent it (in the future)," said H.T. Krisak, superintendent of the bureau's management service division.

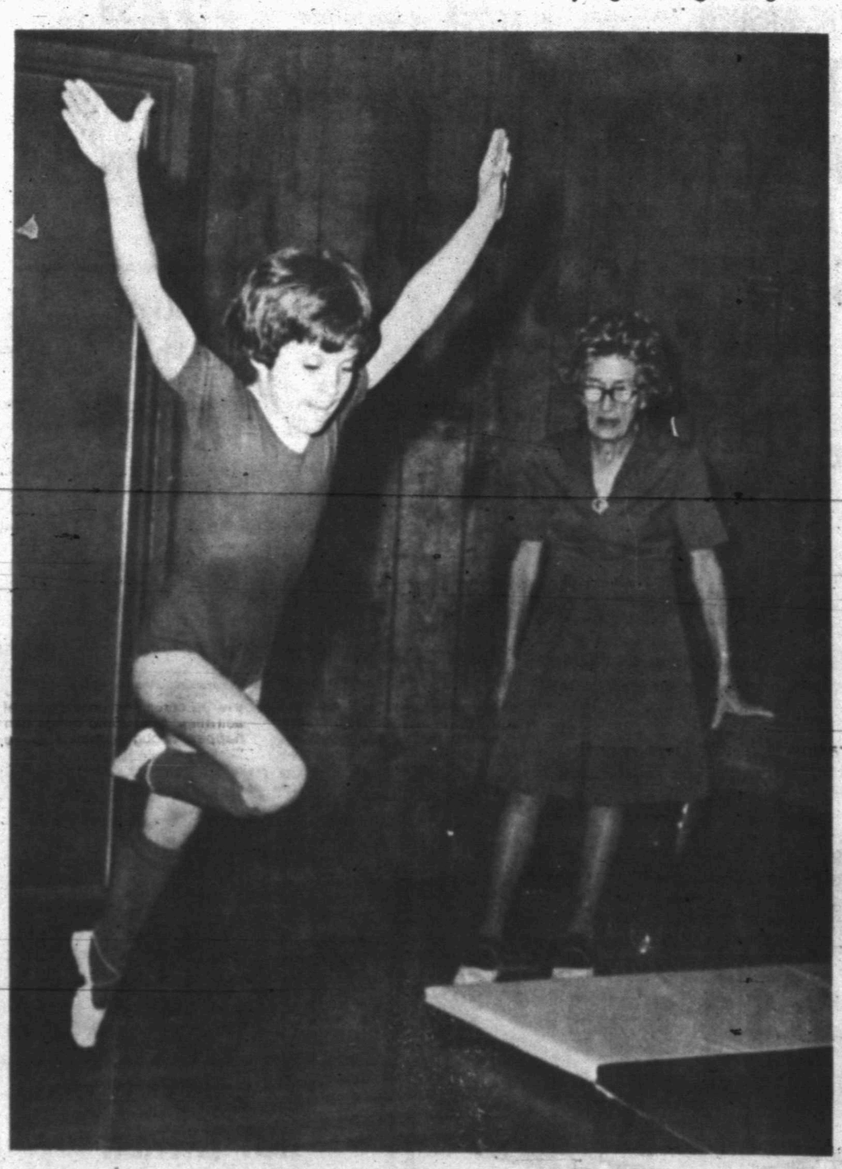
The Washington mint prints all bills, then distributes them through a network of Federal Reserve banks, each of whose seal appears on the currency.

The misprints have been found on bills of the 1974 series bearing the seals of Atlanta, Chicago and Kansas City, Mo., as well as Philadelphia.

Krisak said the errors were caused by bureau employes unfamiliar with a new machine that takes sheets of bills, prints the seals and serial numbers, and then cuts and stacks the bills into piles of 100.

"The problem here is that the sheets were put in backward," he said. "This happens from time to time. Even on our old equipment it happened every once in a while."

Coin dealers are heralding the greenbacks as a major find and have been tracking them down, offering $50 to $60 for them and reselling them for up to $125.



SUPERVISING A SOMERSAULT—Marilu Musgrove, an acrobatics and gymnastics teacher at the Elaine Lambert School of Dance, is shown observing a somersault being executed by Tonya Holladay. The 7-year-old Tonya has been studying gymnastics for three years at the school.

Ministers To Meet Monday

The Rev. Ken Andress will speak at a meeting of the Scurry County Ministerial Alliance at 8 a.m. Monday at First Baptist Church.

He will discuss the history and uniqueness of the Baptist Church.

All Scurry County Ministers are invited to attend the breakfast session.

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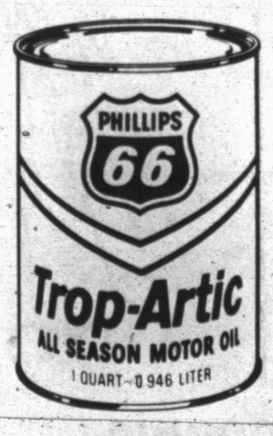
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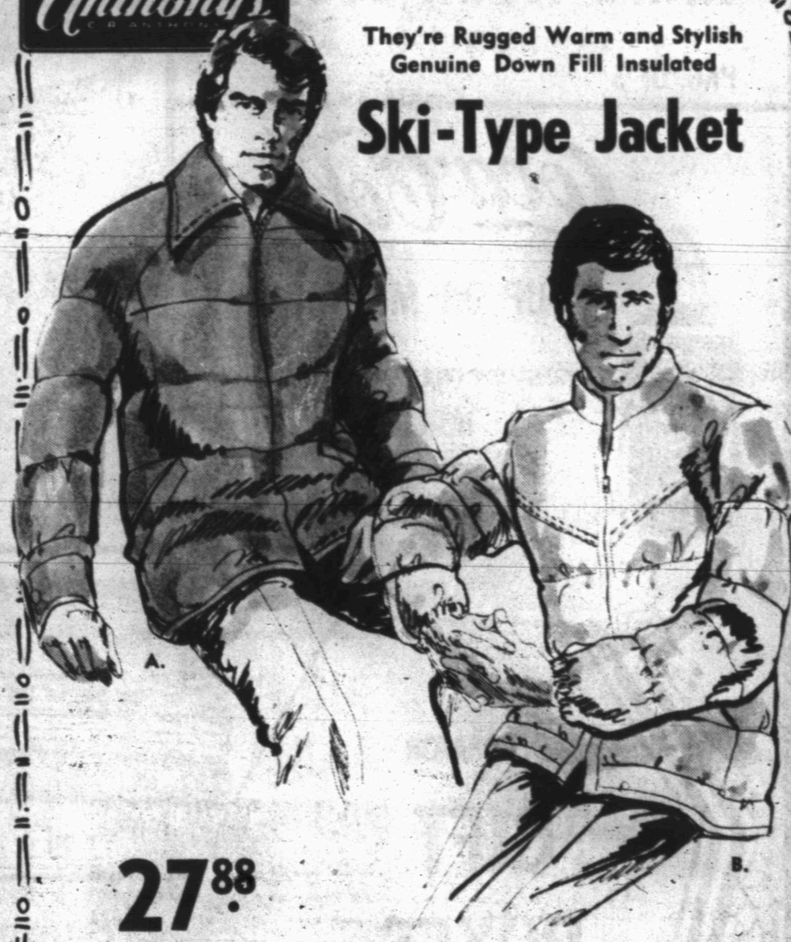


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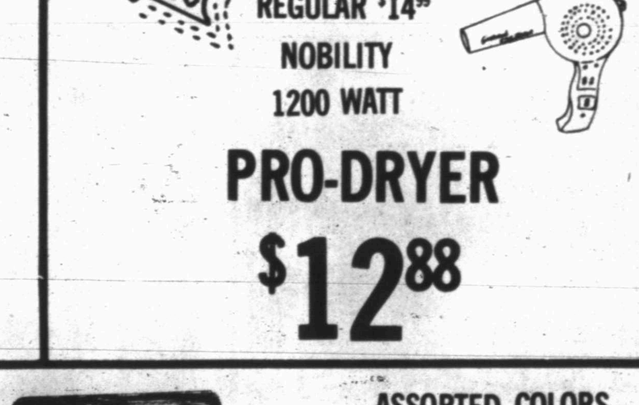
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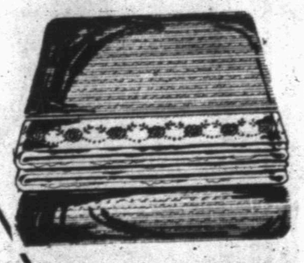


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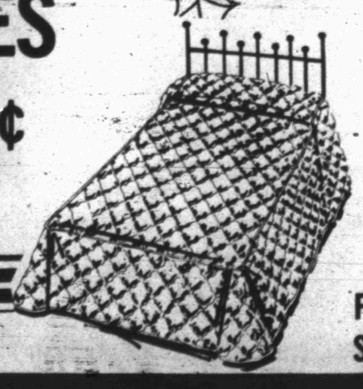
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89 YEARS YOUNG—Mrs. Pearl Smith who was 89 Saturday was honored with a birthday party Friday in the home of Mrs. Avon Rushing. Mrs. Smith remains quite active keeping her house and working in her yard and garden. She drives her own car and attends church regularly.

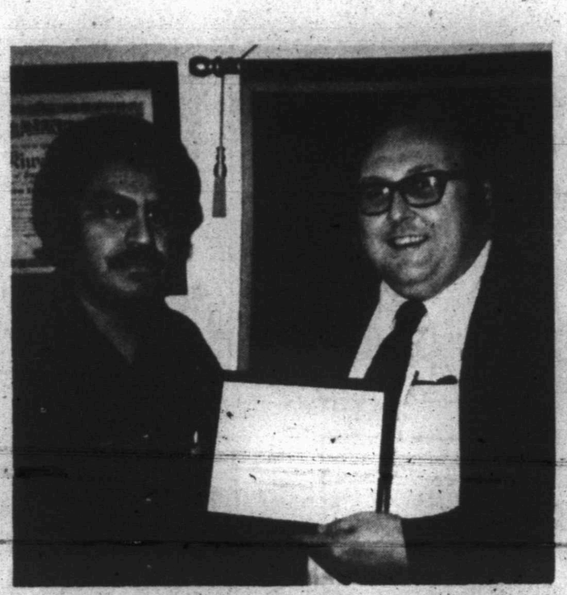
Jaycees Honor Castillo

Fred Castillo was named "Jaycee-of-the-Month" for November at the regular luncheon meeting of the local Jaycee Club Friday at the Smorgasbord House.

He was presented a plaque by Bob Clifton, president of the club.

The Jaycees approved a suggestion to donate a Christmas tree to the Leisure Lodge, to the Humble Smith School and to the Snyder Child Day Care Center. These will be taken from the stock the club is selling for the holiday season.

Upcoming projects for the remainder of the month were discussed, including the Christmas tree sales project, the Community Christmas service set for Dec. 20 on the Courthouse square, and sponsorship of a movie on Dec. 11. The admission charge for the movie will be a new, or good used toy to be donated to the Snyder Goodfellows. Also discussed were plans for the annual Christmas shopping spree for underprivileged children.



PLAQUE PRESENTED—Fred Castillo, left, is presented a plaque for being named "Jaycee of the Month." Making the presentation is Bob Clifton, president of Snyder Jaycees.

New Health Plan

NEW HYDE PARK, N.Y. (AP) — There are currently 13,500 participants enrolled in the new Community Health Program of Queens-Nassau. This prepaid health care plan is sponsored by Long Island Jewish-Hillside Medical Center and Blue-Cross-Blue Shield of Greater New York.

Course In Color Photography Set

A course in color photography, listed as Journalism 230, will be offered during the mid-winter session at Western Texas College, and enrollment is limited to 15 students.

Students will learn to process color slides, develop color negative film, and print pictures by basic additive and subtractive color methods.

Also, instruction, demonstration and campus walking trips will be provided in areas of advanced camera handling and techniques, use of camera lenses and other special accessories, color picture taking, and photo composition and content.

At least limited general knowledge of black and white photography is recommended, although the class is open to any interested student.

Photographs, laboratory work and daily attendance will be the basis of course evaluation. No written exams are scheduled, and instructor-led small-group discussion and class darkroom experiences will be emphasized.

Cost of the course is $36. Also a fee of $5 is charged for use of college camera and darkroom facilities, and students will be responsible for film and paper. Cameras and additional equipment are available for class use.

Journalism 230 will meet all day for 10 days, beginning Monday, Jan. 3. Last day is Thursday, Jan. 13. The class will be held in Student Center 105 and in the journalism department darkroom.

Students should pre-register from Friday, Dec. 10, to Friday, Dec. 24. Late student registration is 8-9:30 a.m. Jan. 3 only.

For further information, contact Mike McBride, associate professor, in the WTC Student Center, or call (915) 573-8511, extension 273.

Says Vitamin C Effective As Vaccine

BOSTON (AP) — Nobel laureate Linus C. Pauling, an advocate of large doses of vitamin C to ward off the common cold, says he thinks it's probably just as good against swine flu.

"Vitamin C is as effective as a vaccination against swine flu," Pauling said Thursday in an interview on the syndicated "Good Day" television program, originated at WCVB-TV.

Pauling also said he did not consider swine flu to be much of a threat.

"It's a nonexistent disease," he said, adding that only one new case has been documented in the nine months since the first cases were identified at Fort Dix, N.J.

Pauling is professor of chemistry at Stanford University and was twice a winner of the Nobel prize — in 1954 for his work in chemistry and in 1962 for his work for peace.

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Dole Outlines Steps For Republicans

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans cannot rebuild their party until they "go into the neighborhoods and ferret out the reasons why blacks, ethnic groups, blue-collars and the others don't identify with us," says Sen. Bob Dole.

"We have to do it .... It may mean going door to door," said Dole, the Kansas senator who was President Ford's running mate.

In the 30 days since Ford and Dole lost the election to President-elect Carter, GOP leaders have been saying the Republican base must be broadened if the party hopes to recapture the White House or either branch of Congress.

In an interview Friday, Dole, a former GOP national chairman, said he did not know specifically how that base could be broadened, but he outlined several steps he said could be taken.

"The old way of flooding them with pamphlets 'didn't work. We know that," he said. "The first thing we have to do is find and encourage good candidates .... We need to attract black leaders who are willing to identify with our party."

Asked if Republicans of "the country club set" would go to inner cities to work for a black candidate, he said: "It would be a challenge for them. Those who are concerned with the survival of a two-party system would do it.

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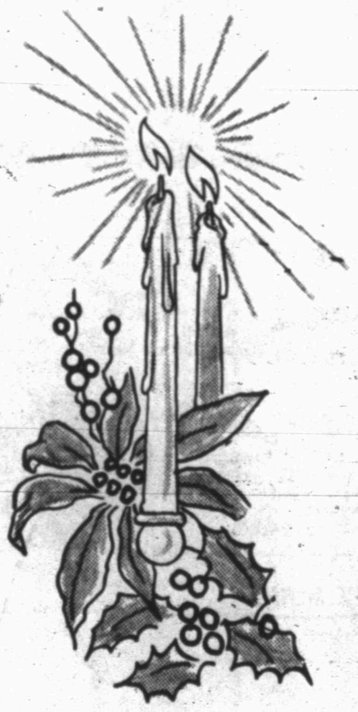
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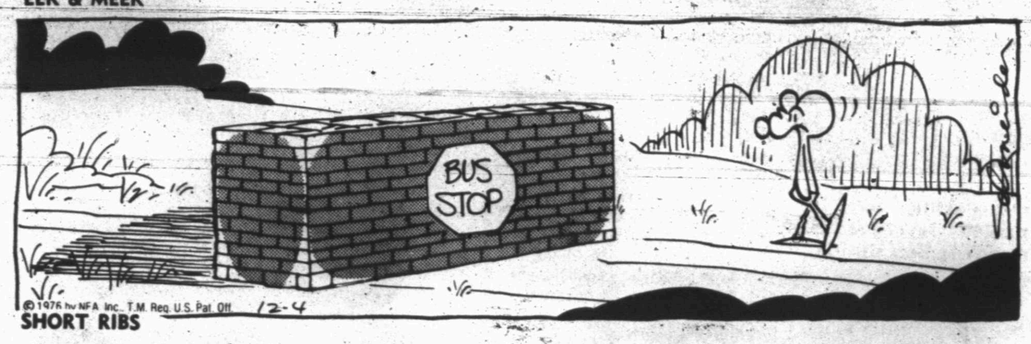
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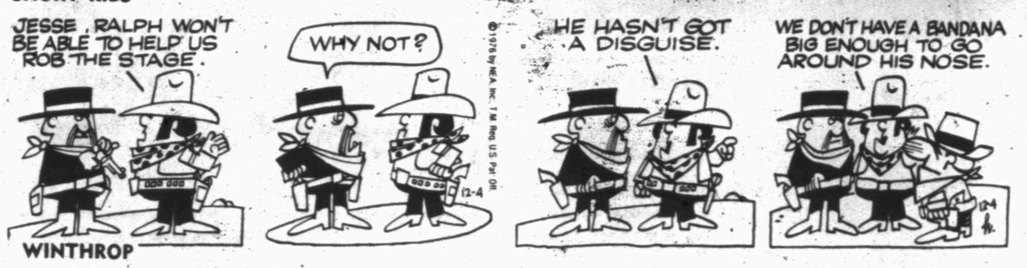
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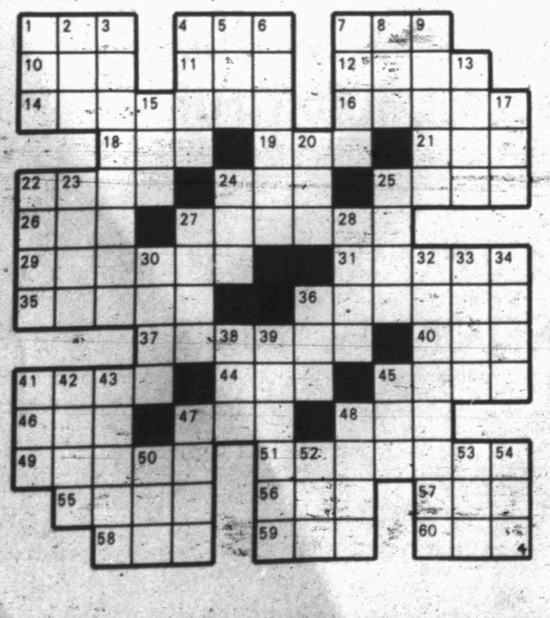
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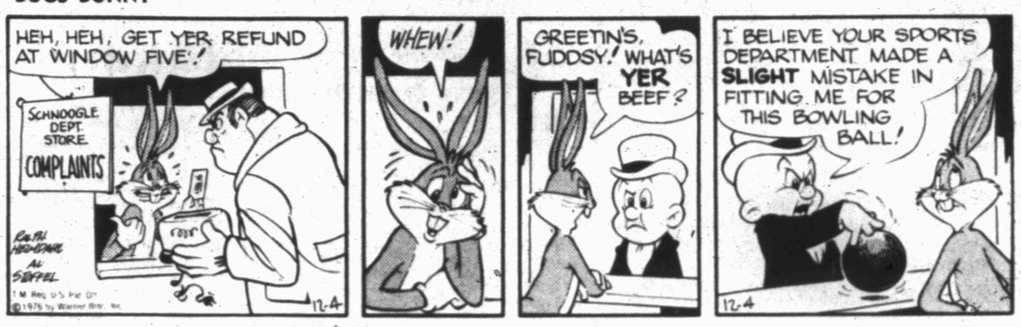
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AN IMPORTANT LETTER

My Dear Spouse—

I am having a lot of negative feelings toward you. I know from past experience with you that if I start to tell you just how mad you often make me, it will hurt you so badly that we will be unable to talk to each other for days. And so, the mad piles up inside me.

I want you to know that I don't like being mad at you, but worse than that, I don't like to have to keep my mad inside and hide it from you for fear of making you feel bad. Most of all, I dread the thought of having to spend the rest of my life lying to you, pretending that everything is all right when it is not, acting like I am perfectly happy when I am miserable.

It is really too bad that the hurt keeps me from enjoying you the way I would like to, the way I had hoped for when we married. It was not long ago that I did you a favor. You thanked me so sweetly that just for an instant I felt like opening my arms and giving you a big hug. I couldn't, because I was remembering so many hurts, and those old, unsettled and unhealed hurts just washed away the good feeling before I had a chance to express it.

I don't want a divorce. You and I have invested too much time and too much of ourselves in each other. Besides, everything that attracted us to each other is still there, with more added to it. I don't want a divorce, but I can't stand it much longer, this hating you half the time we are together. I'm just afraid that if we wait too long, the hate is going to grow stronger than the love, and then I will want a divorce. I know that our friends, the Carters and the Fords, went to a marriage counselor, and got a divorce anyway. That made me afraid for a while. But I talked to them about it. They told me that they waited until it was too late. I want you to know that right now it is not too late.

I have been afraid to suggest a marriage counselor. I know you say you don't want to talk about our problems to a stranger, and I know you say that you ought to be able to solve your problems yourself without any outside help. But when you were sick the other day, you went to the doctor. The car wasn't acting right, so you took it to a mechanic, and when the TV went out, you took it to a repair shop. I also remember that when the coffee pot quit, you threw it away and got a new one, and when the toaster quit toasting, you threw it away and got another. What I mean is, when something is big and important and needs fixing, you get help and get it fast. When something is cheap, or doesn't mean much, and goes bad, you throw it away and get a new one.

Our marriage is in trouble. It needs fixing. I will ask you straight out: Is our marriage as important to you as our car? or our TV? Or is our marriage like a used ball point to you? I hope it is important to you, because it is to me. You are important to me. I love you and want to live with you for the rest of my life. But there are some things that we need to work on. If we can fix them now, maybe we can learn to enjoy each other a lot more than we are now. If we don't try to fix them, they are growing, and soon they may grow to be too big to fix.

Let's go to a marriage counselor. We need it.

Your ever loving (I hope) spouse—

(Instructions: Copy this letter, making the appropriate changes. Give it to your spouse. Maybe it will start something good for you.)

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Study Shows Working Wives Are Happier

STORRS, Conn. (AP) — Working wives are happier than housewives, according to a recent study by a University of Connecticut social psychologist.

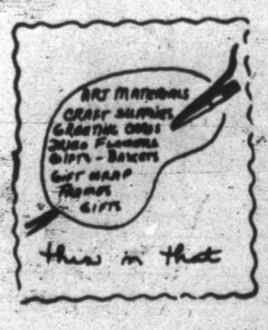
Dr. Myra Marx Ferree, assistant professor of sociology, based her study on the responses of 135 mothers of school-age children living in a working-class community near Boston.

Dr. Ferree, who described the findings in "Psychology Today," found that almost twice as many housewives as employed wives reported that they were dissatisfied with their lives and believed their husbands' work was more interesting than theirs. Only about 25 per cent felt happy with their lives and felt their accomplishments were recognized, she reports.

"More housewives claimed they had not had a fair opportunity in life and wanted their daughters to be 'mostly different' from themselves," she notes.

One working wife told the researcher, "I have to work. If I'm at home, I go crazy. I hit the children. When I work, I'm okay."

Although some women actually enjoy the role of housewife because of the social support it provides, Dr. Ferree adds that "in the present condition of our society, fulltime housework is becoming a job that is difficult to enjoy."



Registration At Extension Centers Set

Registration for spring semester classes at Western Texas College extension centers has been set for Jan. 11 and 13, Dr. Duane Hood, Dean of Student Services and Registrar, has announced.

The schedule for registration is as follows:

Colorado City - Jan. 11, 6:30-8 p.m., Colorado Middle School.

Post - Jan. 13, 6:30-8 p.m. High School Learning Center.

Haskell - Jan. 11, 6:30-8 p.m., High School library.

Rotan - Jan. 11, 6:30-8 p.m., High School library.

Sweetwater - Jan. 13, 6:30-8 p.m., High School cafeteria.

Persons wishing additional information about extension center classes may contact the coordinator in each of the above named towns or the office of the registrar at WTC.

Mid-Winter Registration Opens Friday

Registration will open Friday for the third Mid-winter session at Western Texas College.

Students will register during regular office hours in the registrar's office in the Administration Building. Classes are scheduled from Jan. 3-13, and students will attend classes four and one-half hours per day to earn three hours of credit. Fees will be $36 per course plus a $5 lab fee where required.

Twelve courses are tentatively scheduled for the session, and students planning to enroll are requested to do so as quickly as possible so the schedule can be finalized. Students enrolled in other colleges will not be required to present a transcript to register for the mini-session.

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TREE DECORATIONS—RSVP members and museum volunteers were busy stringing popcorn and cranberries Friday to decorate the Christmas tree in the Scurry County Museum. Pictured above are (left to right) Ethel Hanson, a visitor from Wolfe City, Ethel Mae Sturdivant, Stella White and Gladys Spikes, Ferrol Barrett, Paula Lunsford and Carol Bullard were also working on the project.

Prisoners Helping To Save Seamen

OXFORD, Wis. (AP) — Federal prisoners are helping save lives at sea these days.

At the medium-security Federal Correctional Institution here, inmates are molding fiberglass-reinforced plastic containers for the Navy and packing them with inflatable, 15-man lifeboats.

The new containers, each holding one lifeboat and survival equipment, are expected to save the Navy $1,700,000 in maintenance and replacement costs over the next five years, according to government spokesmen.

The cocoon-like containers are less vulnerable to severe weather and corrosion than the soft bags used since 1947.

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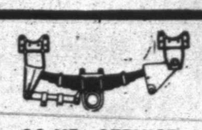
8:30-5:30 Mon.-Fri.
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Thefts Undetected

WASHINGTON (AP) — There are better ways to steal a million dollars than with a gun, says the National Geographic Society. Authorities estimate that people steal $300 million a year through computers and much of it goes undetected.

One man programmed his bank's computer to ignore his overdrafts, then quit adding anything to the account while the bank made good on his checks. Another programmed his credit card company's computer not to enter charges against his card number.

But computers break down occasionally and both men were caught when a human bookkeeper had to take over.



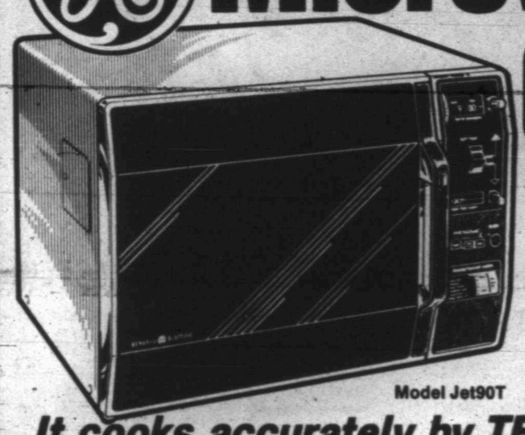
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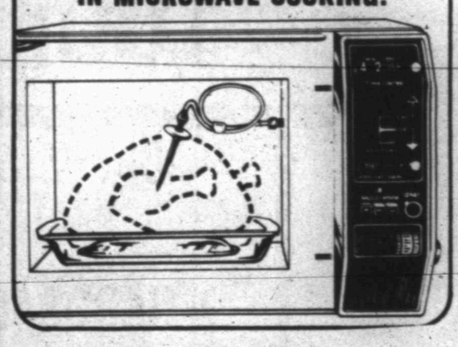
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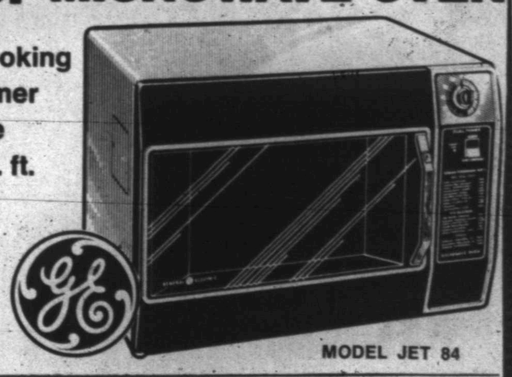
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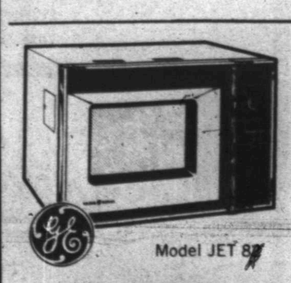
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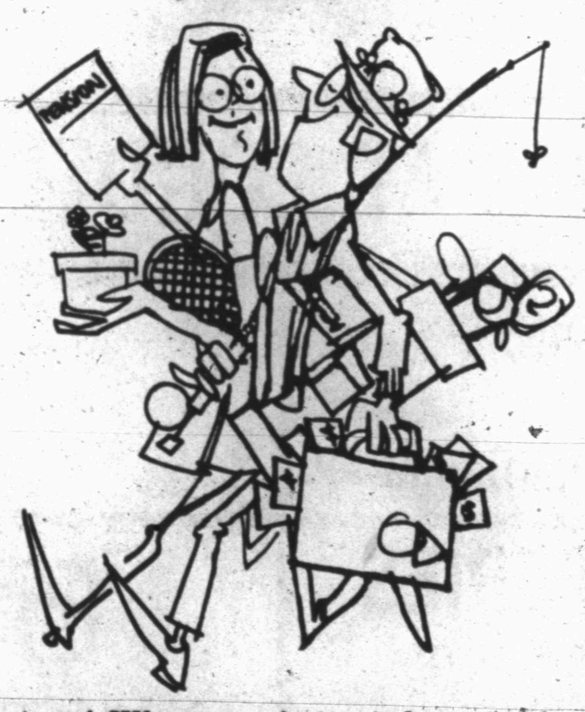
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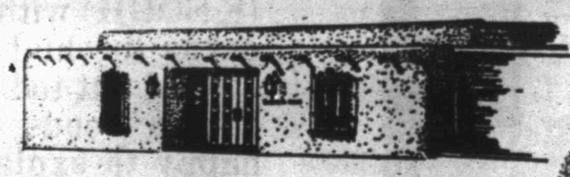
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