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Weekend update

Taiwanese Besiege US Embassy Protesting China Deal

RRC Election Set

AUSTIN (AP)-A special election has been called on Jan. 6 to fill the vacancy created by the appointment of Rep. Jim Nugent, D-Kerrville, to the Texas Railroad Commission.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe said Friday Nugent is resigning as a member of the House from District 56 as of Jan. 3.

Applications for a place on the special election ballot must be filed with the Secretary of State by 5 p.m. Dec. 20.

Cleveland Defaults

CLEVELAND (AP)-"There will be six months of chaos in the city to pay for this night of shame," Mayor Dennis Kucinich told the City Council as Cleveland went into default.

The mayor and council met at a cauccus late-night session Friday that failed to avert default.

Insolvency caused no immediate hardship, and bankers said they were willing to start negotiations to lift Cleveland from default.

Default occurs when a city is unable to pay its debts. Cleveland owed $15.5 million, due Friday, and the cupboard was bare. The last time this happened to a major city was in 1933 in Detroit.

Iran Quake Kills 23

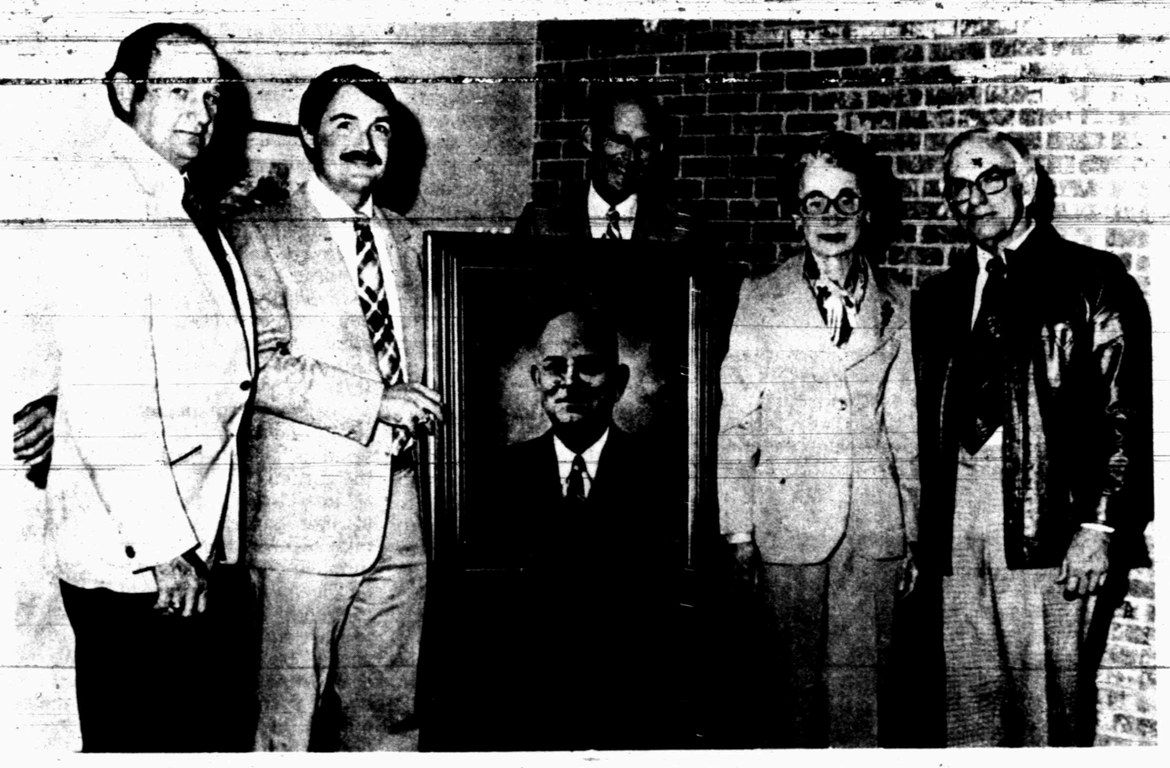
TEHRAN, Iran (AP)-An earthquake rolled through the remote area of Izeh in southwest Iran, killing at least 23 people and injuring scores of others, Iran Radio said today.

The radio said the tremor registered 5.5 on the Richter scale and struck at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

Izeh is in the Zagros mountain range which overshadows the giant Khuzestan oil fields, where thousands of oil workers have walked off the job as part of a bid to topple Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi.

Execution Hearing

SALT LAKE CITY - The state Supreme Court will hear a request Monday to delay the executions of two convicted killers scheduled to die Jan. 3 before a firing squad - just under a year since Gary Gilmore was executed here.



PORTRAIT UNVEILED--Another portrait, that of Charles Noble, has been added to the special display in the Snyder Chamber of Commerce conference room. Noble's portrait was unveiled in ceremonies Friday afternoon. He is being honored as one of the chamber's major benefactors, having contributed property across the street from the Chamber building in the 2300 block of Avenue R. Shown at the unveiling are, from left, Charlie Henderson, president-elect of the chamber; Dalton Walton, the 1979 chamber president; Jack Cypert, member of the board; Mrs. Noble; and Joe Williamson, who was president of the chamber when Noble contributed the property to the organization. Noble was unable to be present for the unveiling due to illness. (SDN Staff Photo)

TAIPEI, Taiwan (AP)-More than 2,000 angry Taiwanese besieged the U.S. Embassy and an American military compound today in protest of the U.S. normalization of relations with communist China. Some demonstrators crashed through a gate at the compound and were driven back by Marines firing tear gas.

There were no immediate reports of injuries.

Earlier in the day, Taiwan's President Chiang Ching-Kuo condemned the U.S. decision to sever diplomatic ties with this island nation and establish them with China. He vowed Taiwan would not negotiate with the mainland communists.

The first major demonstration occurred at the embassy, where hundreds of protesters tried to enter the grounds but were stopped by Taiwanese police.

A group of protesters then charged through a gate, and Marine guards began firing tear gas to disperse them.

In a televised address Saturday night, Chiang said Taiwan will "stick to anti-communist policy to the end."

"We can recover our country the mainland," he said.

The government information office announced Taiwan was putting all military units on alert, suspending the upcoming parliamentary elections and ordering the Cabinet's Economic Construction Commission to take measures to stabilize the economy.

Hundreds of protesters tried to enter the embassy but were stopped by Taiwanese police. The crowd then selected seven or eight representatives to hand a petition to the embassy but again were stopped.

The petition, blasting U.S. ties with mainland China, was posted on a nearby wall, and the mob then began throwing eggs at the embassy. It was not know if the ambassador, Leonard Unger, was in the compound.

Unger had met with Chiang at the president's office at 2 a.m., and later informed Washington of the Taiwan leader's views, a U.S. Embassy spokesman said without elaborating.

But a Tiawanese government source said Unger gave Chiang a letter from President Carter assuring Taiwan the United States will maintain its interest in the welfare and security of the island's 17 million population and continue arms sales on a selective basis.

Sales Tax Rebates Show Big Increase

Snyder's retail sales tax rebates zoomed upward in November, pushing the year's total beyond the half-million-dollar mark, State Comptroller Bob Bullock reported.

The comptroller announced that a $96,895 check to Snyder was among those mailed for the period ending Nov. 30. This is an increase of more than $18,000 over the rebate for the corresponding period last year.

The total for the year reached $524,863, a gain from $474,617 a year ago.

Snyder's figures not only represented one of the biggest gains, but also kept the sales tax figures here well above those of other area cities in Snyder's population bracket.

The reports for other area cities, with the November figures and total for the year, in order: Sweetwater $74,281 and $406,674; Levelland $66,490 and $379,503; Pecos $57,780 and $326,775; Lamesa $54,702 and $319,521; Brownfield $49,387 and $298,892; Monahans $44,663 and $285,604; Colorado City $22,192 and $132,934; Rotan $9,287 and $43,197; Roscoe $3,784 and $20,359; Roby $1,679 and $10,362.

Ask Us

Q--Has the city lifted the ordinance against door-to-door salesmen?

A--There has been no ordinance against door-to-door salesmen since the old "Green River" ordinance was ruled unconstitutional several years ago. Snyder does have an ordinance requiring door-to-door sales people to obtain a permit in which they are registered, fingerprinted, etc. However, the city makes no judgment as to the quality of their wares or their sales ethics.

Santa Bucks Event Into Final Week

Snyder Christmas shoppers are reminded that they may register for Santa Bucks through next Thursday at any of the 32 participating Snyder business firms.

Final drawing will be held Friday morning and shoppers will have one last chance to pocket some of the Santa Bucks, good as money at any sponsoring firm.

Still to be given away is $250. On Friday, there will be eight $25 winners drawn and one $50 winner.

This begins the fifth and final week of the promotion, sponsored by the Snyder Daily News.

Participating firms are: Snyder Athletic Center, Dryden's Shoes, Bud's Office Supply, Ann Lee, Gray's Style Shop, Whitfield's Fabric Center, Perrys, JC Penney, NJ's, Four Seasons, Forrest Lumber Co. The Shoe Mart, Virdie's Appliance Store, Tot-2-Teen, Gibson's, Glover's, The Haberdashery, The Cuttery, D'Anns Place, Men's II-Bea Owens, Snyder Drug, Fenton's Dad & Lad, Top Dollar, Farm & Ranch Western Wear, Western Auto, Anthony's, This 'N That, Merle Norman, Thompson's Shoes, Snyder Book Store and Gift Shop, Roe's Furniture & Appliance, White's Home and Auto and Nautilus.

The SDN Column

The mayor of Menard raised an embarrassing question the other day.

Seeking some emergency help to get gas to his constituents during the winter months following an unfortunate experience during a recent cold spell, it seemed that agency after agency couldn't figure out a way to help.

Mayor Macy Haygood was flabbergasted when he was told by one federal agency that it would take two or three months to get through the preliminary work required to come up with some funds for Menard's problem.

In two or three months, of course, the Menard residents would either be so accustomed to the winter weather that they would no longer need gas, with spring just around the corner, or else they would be frozen to death and need nothing else from this earth.

It was at this point that the Menard mayor wanted to know how a country could, on a moment's notice, arrange to fly 900 bodies from Guyana to the U.S., but couldn't raise a cent in less than two or three months to keep 3,000 people already in the country from freezing.

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Of course the bureaucracy is involved, and it happens that the bureau in charge of such activities moves exceedingly slow.

And there is the element of political clout. We suspect that Mayor Haygood is going to find out, if he hasn't already, that it will take Menard longer to get a few thousand dollars than it took New York City to get billions. And we further suspect that if Menard gets its problem solved it will not be back next year with its hand out again, as has been the case with the wormy "Big Apple."

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If caught in a similar situation, we are certain that Snyder would have realized immediately that it could not expect any action over night. Our Deep Creek flood control project has provided a practical lesson, now that it has been going on more than five years with nothing like a contract in sight yet.

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The cactus patch philosopher says that one of the traits of a successful supervisor is the ability to distinguish between real problems and something that simply rubs him the wrong way.—WACIL McNAIR



WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Friday, 71 degrees; low, 31 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 41 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1978 to date, 23.25.

West Texas: No precipitation with mild nights and warm days Monday through Wednesday. Lows 27 north to 42 south. Highs 60 north to 72 south.



COTTON BEGINNING TO MOVE--Scurry County's 1978 Cotton harvest, delayed considerably due to weather and other factors, was going full blast by the end of the week. Although no break-down of figures was available, reports were that some 10,000 bales had gone to the county's gins by the end of the week. Most of the crop is expected to be out of the fields by the first of the year if weather doesn't interfere. Ruben Hernandez is shown on duty at the Paymaster Gin west of Snyder as a bale is being processed. (SDN Staff Photo)

Nitrite Ban Would Raise Meat Prices

WASHINGTON (AP)—Meat prices could rise by nearly 3 percent a year if the government bans use of nitrite in bacon processing, a new government study says.

The Agriculture Department report comes at a time when the government is withholding from the public preliminary results of tests to determine whether frying at high heat bacon treated with sodium nitrite results in dangerous levels of cancer-causing substances.

The other study, made available Friday, said a ban on nitrites in bacon processing could drive up retail meat prices as much as 2.9 percent a year.

"A ban on the use of nitrites and nitrates to cure bacon would eliminate this product from the market," the report said. "Alternative uses for pork bellies the source of bacon would have to be found."



DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

Hobbs Benefit Tourney Act Of Neighborly Love

By BILL McCLELLAN

History books recall a time when families came to one another's aid more quickly than perhaps they do these days. When quilting bees and barn raisings were fairly common place. When "Help Thy Neighbor" was more than just a quote from a famous book.

Unfortunately, individual competition - a hurry-up, shortsighted way of looking at one another - has pushed those acts into memory, or on record in the library or schoolroom. Almost.

The recent tragedy involving a busload of McCaulley High School students, their principal and superintendent, has torn a page from those books, and made it a happening of the present.

The McCaulley Benefit

See Benefit, Page 13



GLAD TO HELP--Students at Hobbs High School, above, run the concession stand during a portion of the McCaulley Benefit Tournament, held in Hobbs over the weekend. Also helping out were students from Hermleigh, and several sponsors. Above, left to right are Tonya Porter, David Etheredge, Judy Medrano, Patty Martinez, Debra Teel, and Cathy Hull. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

Saddle Thefts Plague Utah

BRIGHAM CITY, Utah (AP)-Sheriff's officers in northern Utah's Cache and Box Elder counties say they have been plagued with an outbreak of saddle thefts, with some 38 saddles disappearing in the last eight months.

None of the saddles, valued from $200 to $1,000 each, has been recovered and investigators say they have no definite leads.

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HEARING TEST SET FOR SNYDER

Free Electronic hearing tests will be given at the Pal-O-Mar Motel East Hwy. 180, Tuesday Dec. 19-9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Factory trained hearing aid specialists will be at the Pal-O-Mar Motel to perform the tests. Anyone who has trouble hearing is welcome to have a test using the latest electronic equipment to determine if his loss is one which may be helped. Some of the causes of hearing loss will be explained, and diagrams of how the ear works will be shown.

Everyone should have a hearing test at least once a year if there is any trouble at all hearing clearly. Even people now wearing a hearing aid or those who have been told nothing could be done for them should have a hearing test and find out whether the latest methods of hearing correction can help them hear better. The free hearing test will be given at Pal-O-Mar Motel East Hwy 180, Snyder, Texas. If you can't get there on Tuesday call 573-2633 and arrange for an appointment at another time. In home testing is also available.

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CHRISTMAS PAGEANT--Rachel Romero was one student who participated in a Christmas pageant Thursday night at Northeast Elementary. The presentation was put on by Mrs. Cindy Lickey's reading class and the sixth grade choir under the direction of Dorothy Kayser. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

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BY BILLY E. ROACH
COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT

APPLYING NITROGEN EARLY

How long before planting can nitrogen be applied? This is a common question during the winter months.

Several factors need to be considered regarding this question: source of nitrogen, weather conditions including temperature and rainfall, clay content of soil and crop.

If nitrogen is applied from one to three months before planting a crop the ammonium source should be used. Anhydrous ammonia is a good economical source when properly applied.

Ammonium becomes attached to the clay and held against leaching during wet periods. Also, the ammonium is not subject to denitrification as is the nitrate form. However, in warm soils, nitrifying bacteria convert ammonium to nitrate. Therefore, apply ammonium when conditions are favorable to keep it in this form between the time applied and planting. Nitrification is generally slow after the soil temperature drops below 50 degrees F.

Several advantages of fall and early fertilization are:

--Take advantage of readily available supply and favorable prices. Even though the current fertilizer supply is adequate reduced gas supplies this winter and transportation problems could cause spot shortages in the spring.

--Avoid possible application problems due to wet soils. Clay soils that dry out slowly remain wet and cause delay in fertilizing and planting next spring.

--Avoid disturbing beds and drying soils. Applying fertilizer after final bedding can reduce moisture loss in the spring.

--Fertilizer should not be applied when soils are too dry.

Numerous research studies show comparable yield results when ammonium nitrogen is applied after the soil temperature is below 50 degrees F. With current favorable prices, producers may want to consider early nitrogen fertilization for spring planted crops.

CONTROL NEMATODES WITH GARDEN CLEAN-UP

Home gardeners can give vegetables and flowers a head start next spring by destroying the winter homes of disease causing organisms such as nematodes.

If your garden didn't grow as well as it should have last summer, you might need to check for nematodes now. Nematodes are a problem in many home gardens, but the damage they cause is often attributed to other factors.

Although several kinds of nematodes attack garden plants, the most common is the root-knot nematode. It causes a swollen, knotty appearance on plant roots.

Examine the plants' root systems as you clean up the garden.

If nematodes are present in your garden, you can take several steps. One is to move your garden to a new location that is free of root-knot nematodes. If you are limited in garden space, treat the garden with Vapam and flower beds with Vapam or methyl bromide. Handle both materials with caution, applying each according to directions specified on the label. Special attention must be given to soil moisture, soil temperature, soil condition and waiting periods between treatment and planting.

The revised edition of the fact sheet, "Control of Plant Parasitic Nematodes Around the Home and Garden," has just been received in our office and is available on request. Many nemacides have been deleted and home owners need to be sure materials being considered for use are still recommended.

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Scurry Museum Is Open Today

The Scurry County Museum will be open from 1-5 this afternoon for the convenience of visitors who would like to see the Old Fashioned Christmas exhibit and other exhibits.

The museum will close at 4 p.m. on Friday for a week-long holiday, resuming its regular schedule on Jan. 2.



RECEIVES AWARD-Waverly Parsons holds the two awards he was presented at the annual Home Builders Association of the Pecan Valley Awards Banquet last November. Parsons received a plaque in appreciation of his efforts in organizing the association in Brownwood and was also made a lifetime SPIKE member of the National Association of Home Builders. (SDN Photo)

SnyderiteHonored By Home Builders

Waverly Parsons, assistant manager at Clark Lumber Co., was recently honored with the presentation of an award for organizing the Home Builders Association of the Pecan Valley in Brownwood at their annual installation and awards banquet. Parsons was also later presented an award by the National Association of Home Builders for his efforts by being named a lifetime SPIKE member of the NAHB. This is a high honor available in the association.

The NAHB is a federation of chartered state and local associations and chapters united to serve the building industry. The NAHB is spokesman for a great and growing industry and its membership is in the 100,000 range.

Parsons had this to say about the association, "I would like to see an association organized in Snyder. Mainly because today, more than at any time in the history of the home building industry, forces are working to make it harder for builders to operate efficiently and profitable. The NAHB is unbeatable for the advancement of the building industry and the improvement of related buisnesses."

The growing ranks of NAHB are large, small and moderate volume builders. They do all kinds of building: custom built homes and large subdivisions, commercial structures and enormous shopping center complexes. They also do remodeling and rehabilitation.

Associated with the builders are businesses related to the housing industry.

Anyone interested in forming a Snyder association or more information can contact Parsons at Clark Lumber co.

School Teacher Gets Back Pay

EUGENE, Ore. (AP)-It took 50 years, but Emily Robinson, 90, will finally receive a month's pay owed her for teaching at the Veneta, Ore., Elementary School.

Her daughter, Helene Robinson, found a 1928 warrant for $100 in her mother's wallet after Mrs. Robinson went into a nursing home in Eugene last August. Warrants - promises to pay - were commonly given in the 1920s and 1930s by school districts short of cash.

In 1930, Mrs. Robinson tried to collect, but got only the interest for two years. Her daughter wrote the Fern Ridge School Board last summer asking for $87.57, the remainder owned Mrs. Robinson. The board agreed.

"It appeared to brighten her day," Miss Robinson said Thursday after she had told her mother about the board's decision. "But I'm not sure she really believed it."

It is a big "plus" for children if they grow up in an environment where the skills of quality decision making are practiced, says Jenny Reinhardt, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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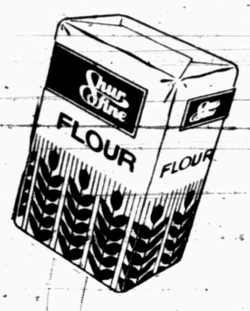
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34 Sophomores At WTC Named To Who's Who

Thirty-four students at Western Texas College, all sophomores, have been named to Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges for 1978-79.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual Who's Who directory include these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential. Outstanding students from more than 700 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico are named to Who's Who.

WTC students included this year are Kevin Ehart from Anson; Julie Dozier from Coahoma; Betsy Beights, Sally Jo Girvin, Connie Lee Jones and Sherri Muncrief from Colorado City; Susan Carol Jones from Fluvanna; Mike Waller from Fort Stockton; Tim Dacus and Dub Kimzey from Hermleigh; Becky Westbrook from Kermit; David Galvan and Brenda Martin from Loraine; Racheal Lowauna Bogle and Becky Jo Rhodes from Lubbock; Craig Brothers from O'Brien; Jo Beth Mitchell from Red Oak; Russell Ash, Jr., from Robert Lee; Rocky Alexander from San Angelo.

Also Dianne Cox, Trussha Farquhar, Vickie Greenfield, Deborah Inman, Jeanette Aldridge Long, Veronica Jean Melgar, Mike O'Day, Patricia Kay Shands, Cynthia Jean Thames, Jerry Lee Webb and Valerie Wilson from Snyder; Phyllis Carlton from Sterling City; Sherlyn Scott and Mary Ann Smith from Sweetwater, and Tommi Brockman Hagle from Woodson.

Ehart serves as student intramural director this year and is president of Eta Mu Theta, the campus organization for students in Electromechanical Technology. He is an EMT major and is considering continuing his education at the University of Texas or Oklahoma State University. A graduate of Anson High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Montgomery.

Among his hobbies Ehart lists scuba diving, playing the guitar and sports cars. He worked with the drama production of "Medea" last year.

Miss Dozier is secretary-treasurer of Phi Theta Kappa, the national honor fraternity for students in junior colleges. She is an English major and received an English scholarship. She is a licensed cosmetologist and is employed as a hair stylist. Her hobbies include piano, guitar, racquetball, water skiing, track and traveling.

A graduate of Northeastern High School in Fountain City, Indiana, Miss Dozier is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Dale Dozier. She is making tentative plans to continue her education in the field of special education.

Mrs. Girvin, an elementary education major, plans to transfer to Angelo State University. She was news editor for The Western Texan, the campus newspaper, in 1975-76 and won numerous awards for journalism. She was elected secretary of the Texas Junior College Press Association.

Mrs. Girvin lists as hobbies riding horseback, raising cats, reading, and spending time with her husband, Robert, on the ranch.

Connie Jones is editor of the Trailblazer, WTC's yearbook, and was also editor of the 1977-78 volume. She is reporter for Phi Theta Kappa, a member of the Press Club and the Baptist Student Union. She was named to the Dean's List for the fall of 1977 and spring of 1978. Her hobbies include reading and outdoor activities.

Miss Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keeven Jones. She is a graduate of Colorado High School and plans to transfer to Angelo State University to major in journalism. She has been a business major at WTC.

Miss Muncrief is a pre-pharmacy major and plans to attend Texas Tech and pharmacy school. She enjoys skiing and dancing as hobbies and was among the Outstanding Students in the Dimension of Movement Class last spring. She was named to the President's List last spring and to the Dean's list earlier.

A graduate of Colorado High School, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Muncrief.

Susan Jones, a graduate of Snyder High School, is a history major and would like to teach history. She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa. Her spare time interests include horseback riding, reading, cooking, and people.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.A. (Bill) Jones.

Dacus, an EMT major, plans to study electrical engineering at Texas Tech University. He is sergeant at arms for EMT this year and was president of the organization last year. He was also a freshman representative to the Student Senate and was listed in the 1977-78 Who's Who. He has been named to the President's List and Dean's List. He is a member of the Southwest Basketball Officials Association.

A graduate of Hermleigh High School, Dacus is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dacus.

Kimzey, a biology major, plans to attend dental school. His lesiure activities include skiing and swimming.

Miss Westbrook is treasurer of the Student Senate and co-historian of Phi Theta Kappa. She was elected to the Student Senate in her freshman year and was nominated for 1977 Homecoming Queen and Miss Trailhand. Her hobbies include reading, swimming, dancing, cooking and getting to know people. She is majoring in elementary education and plans to transfer to West Texas State University. Her mother is Mrs. Patsy L. Westbrook.

Galvan is president of the Student Senate and vice president of Phi Theta Kappa. He is a member of the WTC Jazz Ensemble and the WTC Choir, and music tops the list of his hobbies. He is a drama major and received a drama scholarship, and plans to transfer to Southwest Texas State University to concentrate on the technical aspects of theatre. His most recent tech crew experience was with "The Little Foxes," where he served as stage director.

Galvan's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Galvan.

Mrs. Martin is a business administration major and plans to transfer to Angelo State next fall to work toward a bachelor's degree. She and her husband, George Martin, are the parents of three children, Sheila, 15, Shelly, 12, and Georgy, 19 months. Mrs. Martin serves as a 4-H leader, secretary of her church board, and a Sunday school teacher. Her hobbies include sewing.

Miss Bogle, an art major, is a member of the Artisans Club and of the Press Club. She is on the staff of the Western Texan and of the Student Senate. Her hobbies include music, art, photography, and working with handicapped children. She plans to continue her education at Texas Tech to become a commercial artist or to teach art for handicapped children.

Miss Bogle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Bogle.

Miss Rhodes, president of the Office Education Association this year, was named Outstanding OEA member for 1977-78. She won first place in Shorthand II competition at the OEA state contest last March and this win qualified her for the National OEA contest in Detroit in May.

Miss Rhodes is majoring in legal secretarial studies and is employed part-time as a bookkeeping assistant. She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa, social chairman of the Baptist Student Union, and a member of the BSU Choir Ensemble. She was named to the President's List twice last year. She plans to continue her education in the Amarillo or Austin area while working full-time.

In her spare time, Miss Rhodes enjoys swimming, bicycling, sewing, making latch-hook rugs, painting, reading and listening to music. She is the daughter of Mrs. Nelda Davis of Lubbock and Clyde Rhodes of Guatemala, C.A.

Brothers is majoring in auto mechanics and plans to work as a mechanic following his graduation from WTC. He is also considering further education. His hobbies include metal and wood working, cross-country motorcycle riding, and people.

A graduate of Knox City High School, Brothers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Brothers.

Miss Mitchell, a pre-pharmacy major, would like to attend the University of Texas at Austin next fall to major in pre-pharmacy or physical therapy. She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa. Her hobbies include basketball and music.

Miss Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mitchell.

Ash is a member of the WTC Jazz Ensemble and the Jazz band, the WTC Judo Club, and of Phi Theta Kappa. He is a music major and plans to work as a music copyist and jazz band director. His hobbies include aikido as well as judo, and he is also thinking about becoming a aikido instructor. He also enjoys music, hunting and trapping in his spare time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ash are his parents.

Alexander is editor of the Western Texan this year and was sports editor for the publication last year. He is president of the Press Club and a member of Phi Theta Kappa. He was named to the Dean's List last spring, and won first and second place awards from the Rocky Mountain Collegiate Press Association, the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association, and the Texas Junior College Press Association. In his spare time, he enjoys photography, golf, bowling, baseball and writing.

Alexander plans to transfer to Angelo State University and work toward a degree in journalism. A graduate of Lake View High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Alexander.

Miss Cox plans to transfer to Texas Tech to study interior design after completing requirements for the Associate in Arts degree at WTC. She has majored in general business at WTC and is employed full-time. Her hobbies include bicycling, outdoor activities, crafts and cooking.

Miss Cox was graduated from Snyder High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.H. Cox.

Miss Farquhar is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and was named to the Merit List for the 1977 fall semester. She is a pre-medicine major and is employed in the biology department. She enjoys water skiing, running, racquetball and crafts and leisure time activities.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Truss Farquhar and a Snyder High graduate.

Miss Greenfield, an elementary education major, plans to attend West Texas State University after graduation from WTC and would like to do mission work. She is president of the Baptist Student Union and served as BSU missions chairman for 1977-78. She is a member of the Phi Theta Kappa and the WTC Choir.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Greenfield, and was graduated from Snyder High School. Her hobbies include singing, art, and crafts.

Mrs. Long is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and a pre-nursing major. She plans to attend nursing school in Big Spring after graduation from WTC. A Sweetwater High School graduate, she is married to James R. Long. Her hobbies include needle arts, and in her words, "collecting stray animals."

Miss Melgar is president of Phi Theta Kappa this year. She is a member of the Press Club and of the Western Texan Staff. A mass communications major, she plans to transfer to Texas Tech and to continue her studies in mass communications. She is presently employed part-time by KSNY and would like to become a television news commentator.

Her hobbies include music, outdoor activities and swimming. She was graduated from Snyder High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Melgar.

O'Day is a pre-pharmacy major and plans to enroll at Southwestern Oklahoma State University next year to continue his studies in pharmacy. He played on the WTC golf team last year and lists golf and water skiing at the top of his list of hobbies. He is a member of Phi Theta Kappa.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob O'Day. He was graduated from Snyder High School.

Mrs. Shands is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and was recognized as the Outstanding Student in Intermediate Shorthand at last spring's recognition program. She is a secretarial studies major and is employed in secretarial work.

A graduate of Snyder, Mrs. Shands is the daughter of Mrs. Juanita Land. She enjoys activities with her children and reading, bowling, and walking. Her future plans include continued work toward a bachelor's degree through extension courses.

Mrs. Thames is parliamentarian for OEA and a member of Phi Theta Kappa. She participated in last year's OEA state and national contests. She is a medical secretarial studies major and plans to work as a medical secretary following graduation. Her hobbies include cooking, sewing, tennis, ping-pong, bowling, swimming and skiing.

A graduate of Brownwood High School, Mrs. Thames is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Leonhard of Brownwood.

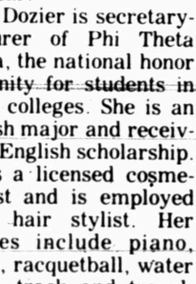
Webb is an engineering technology major and is employed as a production technician by General Crude Oil Co. He enjoys softball, bowling, golf and hunting in his spare time. A graduate of Snyder High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Webb.

Miss Wilson is secretary of the Student Senate and historian for Phi Theta Kappa. She is majoring in general secretarial studies and may continue her education to earn a degree in business education. Her

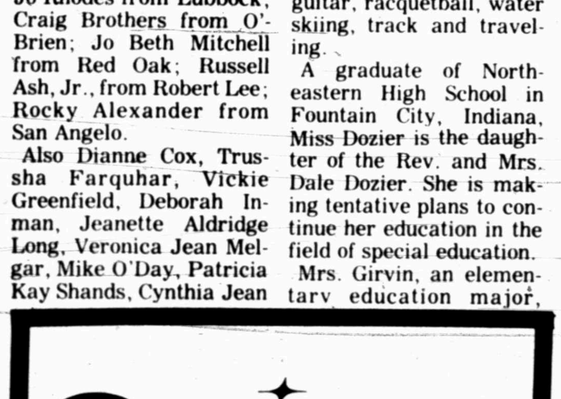
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Mortgage Plan To Aid First Time Homebuyers

NEW YORK (AP)-Mortgages designed to help first-time homebuyers or elderly persons who want to benefit from equity in their house can be offered next year by most savings and loan institutions.

But you could use up a lot of shoe leather looking for such deals.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board this past week issued regulations that will allow federally chartered savings and loan institutions to offer graduate-payment and reverse mortgages across most the nation. Payment schemes are far different than the mortgage most homeowners know - where the monthly check doesn't vary from payment No. 1 to payment No. 360.

Although both types of mortgages have been talked of widely, spokesmen for the U.S. League of Savings & Loan Associations don't expect the new regulations to soon make much of a difference. About 80 percent of the savings banks in the country are federally chartered.

The graduated-payment mortgage is designed primarily for young homebuyers who pay less now and more later. The presumption is that their income will be higher in the future. It is now offered almost exclusively through a government-backed loan program, which is expected to continue.

Despite the new regulations making it legal for federally chartered savings banks to offer the same deal on non-government backed loans, those loans may still run into difficulty in about a dozen states where potential conflicts with state usury laws exist, says Phillip Gasfyer, an attorney for the savings association.

Even where that doesn't create a problem, next year isn't likely to be a time when mortgage lenders branch into such experimental programs. The reason is financial. With an outlook that calls for less funds to lend for mortgages, many institutions may well have trouble meeting demand for conventional loans.

In other business developments this past week:

-President Carter modified his voluntary wage and price guidelines to allow a more liberal treatment of fringe benefits in the 7 percent wage guideline and a somewhat lighter treatment of standards on corporate profits.

-Eastern Airlines jumped into the bidding for National Airlines joining Pan American and Texas International as suitors of the Miami-based airline. All three are petitioning the Civil Aeronautics Board for permission to acquire National in the wake of shifting rules brought about by the industry's deregulation.

-Kennecott Copper Corp. and suitor Curtiss-Wright Corp. ended one of the most acrimonious takeover battles in recent years with a compromise that will put several Curtiss-Wright executives on the 18-member Kennecott board. Curtiss-Wright is a major stockholder in the company and agreed to pay Kennecott $1.8 million for costs of litigation because of takeover fights.

According to a recent estimate by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, nearly 500 million persons throughout the world suffer from severe malnutrition.

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hobbies include water skiing, reading, sewing and outdoor sports.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. William D. Wilson, and she is a Snyder High School graduate.

Mrs. Carlton, a member of Phi Theta Kappa, is an elementary education major. She plans to attend Angelo State University to continue work toward a degree and teaching certification. She and her husband have a three-year old daughter who occupies much of her spare time, and she also enjoys horseback riding.

Mrs. Scott, who has done most of her college credit work at the Sweetwater extension center of WTC, is working toward the Associate in Arts degree with a business major. She hopes to earn a bachelor's degree in accounting at some time in the future.

Mrs. Scott and her husband, Don, have two daughters, Becky, 15, and Tanya, 9. Both Mr. and Mrs. Scott were originally from Lamesa and attended Lamesa High School. Mrs. Scott's leisure time interests include camping, reading, tennis, sewing, and family activities.

Mrs. Smith is a Phi Theta Kappa member and was recognized for achievement in business data processing last spring. Her major at WTC has been business, and she is employed as a bookkeeper. Her hobbies include china painting, genealogy and crocheting.

Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Haygood of Loraine, and she was graduated from Pyron High School. She and her husband, L.D., have a son, Radnal, who lives in Colorado.

Mrs. Hagle is a member of Phi Theta Kappa, OEA, and the WTC Judo Club. She is majoring in legal secretarial studies and plans to work as a legal secretary following graduation. Her hobbies include crewel embroidery, training animals, horseback ruding, judo, aikido, sewing, and cooking.

Mrs. Hagle is married to Gary Hagle. She was graduated from Woodson High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brockman of Woodson.

Hale Heads WTC Building Program

Bill Hale has been named instructor for the Residential Construction program at Western Texas College, Dr. Gene McClurg, Dean of Occupational Education and Technology, has announced.



BILL HALE

Hale has been in the construction industry for about 10 years, and has operated Hale Construction Co. in Snyder and Big Spring. His wife is the former Lisa Butler, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Butler of Snyder. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Boyce Hale, live in Big Spring.

Registration for students in Residential Construction is scheduled on Jan. 18, and students who would like more information about the course are invited to contact Hale in his office in room 102 of Applied Science Building B. He may be contacted by telephone at 573-8511, extension 215.

The Residential Construction course is a one-year program, with students attending on a 12-month schedule. Fees are $90 per quarter, and students will need to furnish their own hand tools.

The students will spend almost all their time in actual construction work, Hale said. They will do concrete work, electrical wiring, plumbing and carpentry, becoming acquainted with all phases of construction. This training should enable the students to enter work in the construction industry at a level and pay scale above that for beginners, Hale said.

Students will work on the construction of apartment housing on the WTC campus for the present.

Some financial aid is available for students who qualify, and students who need assistance may contact the Financial Aid Office in the WTC Administration Building.



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Menard To Get Relief

AUSTIN (AP)—Texas Gov. Dolph Briscoe says the Texas Department of Community Affairs will give Menard, a West Central Texas town, $20,000 to provide an emergency system to boost natural gas pressure and help relieve a natural gas shortage.

Briscoe notified the mayor of Menard Friday that the city will receive the grant.

The money is to pay a portion of an expected $35,000 cost of a propane air-injection system.

Mayor Macy Hagood said the system is a stop-gap measure for the 3,000 residents of the town without enough gas pressure to heat water for a bath, much less their homes.

He said many of the residents cannot afford to convert to a butane heating system.

Menard will have to eventually repair its own system, plugging leaks in the gas lines and finding a more productive well to tap, the mayor said.

Officials of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Farmers Home Administration turned thumbs-down on a request for emergency assistance for the town Thursday, saying federal aid can be authorized only after a delay of two to three months.

Minister Held

CHICAGO (AP)-An Indiana Baptist Church minister is being held in an Indianapolis jail on charges of selling pornographic pictures of children, an Illinois Legislative Investigating Commission spokesman says.

Clarence Barnett of Indianapolis was arrested at his home Tuesday by Indianapolis police and ILIC investigators, said ILIC executive director Ronald Ewert.

Registration Continuing At College

Registration for the annual Midwinter session at Western Texas College will continue Monday through Friday, with the session set to open on Jan. 3.

Students may earn three hours of college credit in the 10-day session, and will attend classes from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1-2:30 p.m. Fees for each class will be $36, with a $10 lab fee also required for News Photography (JOU 131).

Courses to be offered in addition to Photography are English 132, 231 and 232, Government 231 and 232, History 131 and 132, and College Reading 131.

Students are urged to register as quickly as possible so the courses may be confirmed.

Registration will be resumed on Jan. 2 following the combined Christmas-New Year's holiday.

IRS Agents Find Coke In Studio 54

NEW YORK (AP)-Five packages of cocaine were found by agents of the Internal Revenue Service who were checking the books at Studio 54, the fashionable New York disco.

Ian Schrager, the 31-year-old co-owner of the trendy night spot, was arrested.

Cotton Farmers Await '79 Demand Estimate

WASHINGTON (AP)-Cotton farmers will have to wait a while before finding out if they must idle some of their cropland to qualify for federal price supports next year.

Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland said Friday that the 1979 "national program acreage" will be increased to 10,634,181 acres, up about 3.8 percent from 10,248,000 acres for 1978.

The NPA, as the department calls it, is the amount of land estimated to produce enough cotton in 1979 to meet domestic and export requirements, plus some to build up reserve stocks.

Dec. 15 was the deadline set by law for announcing the NPA for next year.

Bergland said the NPA "may be revised later for purposes of determining the national allocation factor" for 1979 cotton but in any case cannot be reduced below the 10 million acres set by law.

The allocation factor is determined by dividing the final NPA by the estimated national harvested acreage of the 1979 crop. The factor, however, cannot be more than 100 percent.

Still to be announced is whether there will be an acreage set-side requirement for 1979 cotton. There was none this year but farmers were given an option of "diverting" cropland from production equal to 10 percent of their 1978 cotton plantings in exchange for federal payments.

Whether there will be a cotton diversion provision next year also will be announced later.

If farmers want to be guaranteed full coverage for payments that may be due them for 1979 cotton, they can voluntary reduce next year's plantings by 15 percent from this year. A similar provision was in effect but at a 20 percent reduction rate for the 1978 crop.

Under the complicated formula - most of which still is up in the air - cotton farmers could, theoretically, get full payment protection on their crop even if they do not reduce plantings or even if they exceed their share of the national program acreage.

This involves the allocation factor. If it turns out that the 1979 harvested cotton acreage, for example, is 10.6 million acres, the NPA divided by that is 100 percent, meaning that all participants would have full protection regardless of their actual acreage.

On the other hand, if the 1979 harvest is from 13 million acres, that would mean an allocation factor of about 82 percent. Thus, producers who did not reduce their acreage from this year would be covered for 82 percent of their crop.

The producers who did reduce by 15 percent, however, would be guaranteed payments on 100 percent of their 1979 cotton.

The target price for 1978 cotton is 52 cents a pound and the loan rate - the amount farmers can borrow from USDA by using their crop as collateral - is 48 cents.

Hermleigh Highlights...

Elementary Plays Set

By WESLEY KRUGER

HERMLEIGH - Students from the second, third, fourth, fifth, and sixth grades will present five plays Thursday, Dec. 21. The plays, beginning at 9 a.m., will ready the students for Christmas vacation which begins at 2 that afternoon.

The first play, presented by the second grade and directed by Joyce Fuqua, is about the first Christmas. The play depicts the birth of Christ in the manger. The play stars Billy Joe Gannaway as Joseph and Larray Farr as Mary. Kim Howard portrays Gabriel and Angel and Joe Mireles plays the part of the innkeeper.

Acting as the three wise men are Tony Lopez, Robert Romero, and Gabriel Martinez. Playing the roles of the angels are Beverly Sandefur, Lucy Mireles, Karen Olsen, Rebecca Hermosillo, and Brenda Limones, Mario Sanchez, Joe Rodriguez, and Danny Baker will act as shepherds.

After this play, first graders will sing Christmas carols.

The next play, entitled "The Christmas Doll," will be presented by the third and fourth grades. This play is about a young girl who mails herself to Santa Claus as a doll and the girl's adventures with him. Brice Fuqua, director of the play, has appointed Jill Roemisch to play the part of Lindy, the little girl, Jeff Roemisch will be Santa Claus.

Santa's Chief elf, Alfie, will be played by John Zalman III. Edward Guzman, Eric Nachlinger, Greg Glass, and Tom Olsen will be additional elves.

Shelia Johnston and Mark Spieker will play the roles of Lindy's mother and father. Lori Tate and Scott Kincaid will portray Lindy's sister and brother.

Teri Henry and Minnie Fuentes will act as a toy clown and toy soldier. Playing the part of Dutch children are Joe Limones and Eva Romero.

Austrian dancers are Elsa Martinez and Lucy Limones. Chinese dancers are Arthur Sanchez, Ben Smith, Rodney Foster, and Roy Alaniz. Junior Castillo, Eric Nachlinger, Gregg Glass, and Tom Olsen are the Mexican dancers. Tim Kotrla will narrate the play.

Students from the fifth and sixth grades, under the direction of Nell Henry, will present three plays. One of the presentations, called "Briskie the Snowman," is about some children finding a talking snowman. Other cast members are Pat Jones, Michele Spieker, Cynthia Buzman, Patricia Romero, Carmen Mireles, Marcos Fuentes, Sonny Martinez, and Virginia Rodriguez.

In the next play, "Santa and the Stovepipe Hat," Santa wants to change and become more dignified, but the children try to persuade him to stay the way he is.

Wayne Choate stars as Santa. Carrie Turner plays Mrs. Claus. Hal Turner, Eddie Arellano, and Corylane Burleson act as elves. Alex Castillo and Richard Alaniz help Santa in his duties. Rosendo Sanchez completes the cast by playing the part of James, a young boy.

The final play, entitled, "Five Boys and Santa," pictures the hilarity of five young boys getting presents meant for girls. Chris Olsen, Donnie Davis, Jeff West, Gary Morganson, and Darren Hughes fill the boys' roles. Todd Dunnman plays Santa.

Parents, friends, and all area residents are invited to attend the plays. There will be no admission charge.

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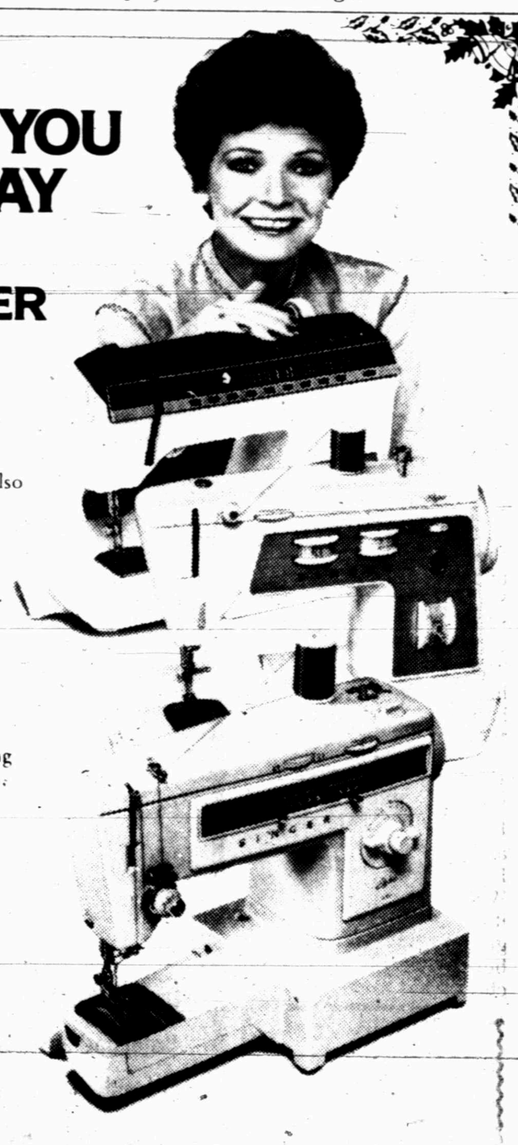
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MONETARY GIFT-Billy Prince, right co-chairman for the Goodfellows, receives a $157 check from John Boren in behalf of the Lions Club. Tables are set up at Snyder National Bank and West Texas State Bank to receive donations. (SDN Staff Photo)

Church Is Target Of Burglar Here

The First Christian Church was the target of a burglar who stole six stylus pens and sprayed several rooms with a fire extinguisher, police reports show.

Indications are that entry to the 2700 37th St. church had been gained by knocking out a window. Once inside the intruder took a fire extinguisher and sprayed the contents of an upstairs game room, a storage room, and a room leading to the air conditioning and heating units. Before leaving the church the intruder helped himself to six stylus pens collectively valued at $15.

The damage caused by the fire extinguisher was not thought to have been serious. The only real damage listed in the break-in was $50 to the window that provided the point of entry.

The break-in is believed to have occurred Thursday or Friday. It was reported to police at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

Police also reported they contacted a subject in regard to the shooting of several house and store fronts in an incident earlier this week in the vicinity of 34th St. and Ave. M. No charges will be filed, they indicated, pending further investigation.

Three traffic accidents have also been investigated by police.

The first was reported to officers Friday morning, but it is alleged to have occurred Thursday.

Reports show that a parked 1971 Volkswagen owned by Steve Snyder was struck by a vehicle which left the scene. The mishap is reported to have occurred in the parking lot outside Tape Town.

The second mishap involved three cars in the 1800 block of 26th St. It took place about 1:30 p.m. Friday.

It involved a 1966 Chevrolet driven by Ms. Bobby White and a parked 1977 Ford pickup owned by TRW Reda Pump Co. The third vehicle left the scene.

The final accident reported to police occurred about 8:30 p.m. Friday at Western Texas College. There, reports show, a fence was struck by a vehicle which left the scene. Damage to the fence was listed at $250.

OBITUARIES

Thompson

Mrs. Maude Thompson, 88, died at 6:15 p.m. Friday at Leisure Lodge.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p.m. today at the Bell-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

A native of Hamilton, she was married to Luther Thompson who preceded her in death in 1953. She had lived in Snyder since 1958.

Surviving are a daughter, Martha Brumbalow of Wichita Falls; two sons, Pete Thompson of Snyder and Clifford Thompson of Lamont, Calif.; a step-son, Willie Thompson of Wichita Falls; two brothers, 16 grandchildren and a number of great-grandchildren.

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JOSIE BAIRD

Miss Baird, a retired teacher, has lived in Rotan for many years. She and her sister, Delila Baird, have published three family books and were responsible for the publication of "Early Families of Fisher County" as a Bicentennial project for Fisher County.

Miss Baird has been involved in genealogy since about 1962, and belongs to the Texas State Genealogical Society and numerous other genealogical organizations. She is active in the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, the Daughters of the American Colonies, and the National Society of Magna Carter Dames.

She presents programs on history and genealogy for many clubs and organizations each year, and gives much of her own time to assisting persons in researching family backgrounds.

The Community Services course will meet from 6:30-8:30 p.m. for six sessions. Persons who would like to reserve space in the class are to call the Community Service office at 573-8511, extension 240.

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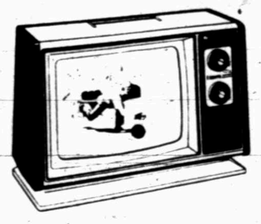
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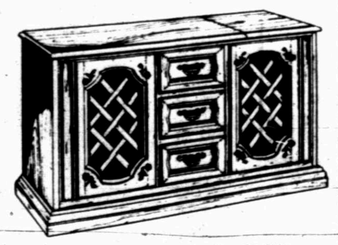


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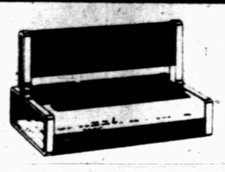
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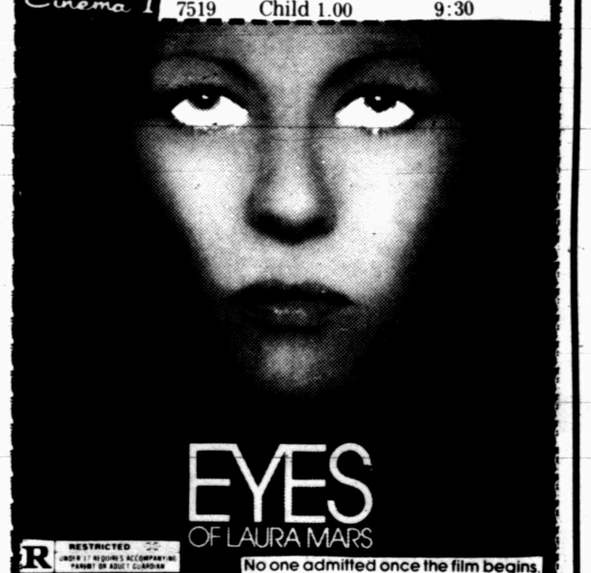
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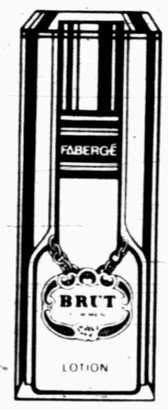
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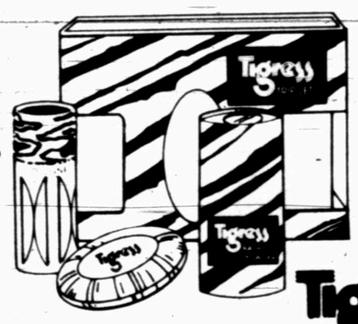


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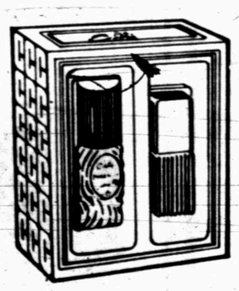
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AMSTERDAM, N.Y. (AP)-Santa Claus may be able to fly around in a sleigh with eight tiny reindeer, but he apparently can't overcome the limitations of modern technology.

For the past few nights, Gateway Cable Vision Corp. has been broadcasting a local Santa call-in show. But New York Telephone Co. said the hour-long program is too popular - it's snarling the circuits.

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CAMERA WINNER-Mrs. Andrew Sosa of Rt. 3, Box 256, center, was the winner of a Polaroid Alpha 2 camera at Gibson's Discount Center. Shown presenting her the camera is Gibson's manager John Garcia, left, as Mrs. Soso's daughter Delores, right, looks on. The drawing was held Friday afternoon after a 10-day registration period. (SDN Photo)

If Laid Off...

Cleveland Police Will Take Mayor To Court

By JOE MARKNIGHT
Associated Press Writer

CLEVELAND (AP)—An officer of Cleveland's police union vowed early Saturday to take Mayor Dennis Kucinich to court if he lays off policemen and firefighters because of the city's default.

"The minute he lays somebody off, we are going to court," said William Gallagher, vice president of the local chapter of the Fraternal Order of Police.

Gallagher and Jack Gannon, vice president of the city firefighters union, tried to see Kucinich after the mayor gave a broad outline of cuts planned in city services. But the mayor had left his office.

Moments before the city defaulted on $14 million worth of loans to city banks, Kucinich said the default would mean massive layoffs of city workers and reduction in city services.

He told some 200 to 300 persons in City Council chambers that he would have no choice Monday but to lay off about half of the city's police and firefighters.

Gallagher said police and firefighters won a Cuyahoga County Common Pleas Court judgment in 1976 when Mayor Ralph J. Perk sought to lay off public safety employes.

"The mayor knows of that court decision and he knows he will jeopardize the lives and property of the city," Gallagher said. "We are already under strength and I don't see how we can cut any more."

Jim Andrews and Elmer Khal, firemen who accompanied Gannon, both said they have 18 years seniority and fear they may lose their jobs.

"I'm probably right at the turnover point," said Khal. "We have a very low rate of turnover. I don't know how the city can survive. It looks like we are headed for catastrophe."

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Banquet Planned For Sr. Citizens

A Christmas banquet for Senior Citizens is scheduled Friday night in the Student Center at Western Texas College.

The banquet and program are being arranged by the Senior Center, and all Senior Citizens are welcome to attend. Reservations are to be made by calling the Center at 573-8511, extension 305 by Wednesday.

Senior Citizens who wish to bring guests must also make reservations for them. Guests under 60 will pay $2 per person for the dinner. The donation box for Senior Citizens' meals will be decked with a Christmas bow so it will be easy to locate.

Partygoers are invited to gather in the Student Center lounge at 6 p.m. for punch and a visit from Santa Claus. Dinner will be served starting at 6:30 p.m., with the menu featuring roast beef or ham carved to order and cheesecake for dessert.

Special entertainment for the evening will be provided by Eddie Skains, Debra Dolliver and Marjann Morrow, with dinner music by Virginia Whitson.

Because of the Christmas banquet, there will be no noon meal in the Senior Center on Friday. The Center will be closed throughout the following week and on Jan. 1, and will resume regular activities on Jan. 2.

Senior Citizens who need transportation to the Christmas dinner may make arrangements to be picked up and returned to their homes by calling the Senior Center, Mrs. Gloria Shaw, director of the Center, said.

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Walk-ons Run Into Pro Playoffs

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

When the National Football League's longest regular season began last September, David Posey was looking for a job as a stockbroker and Tim Mazzetti was serving 'em up from behind the bar at Smokey Joe's in Philadelphia.

Now Posey's deeply involved in the stock of the New England Patriots and Mazzetti's serving 'em up between the goal posts for the Atlanta Falcons.

The 16-week season closes this weekend with Mazzetti and the Falcons bidding for their first playoff berth against St. Louis, while Posey and New England tune up for the playoffs in a Monday night game at Miami.

In Saturday's games, Pittsburgh played at Denver and Chicago visited Washington.

In Sunday's other action, Buffalo is at Baltimore, Cleveland plays at Cincinnati, Kansas City visits Seattle, Houston entertains San Diego, Green Bay plays at Los Angeles, New Orleans travels to Tampa Bay, the New York Giants are at Philadelphia, San Francisco visits Detroit, Dallas plays the Jets at New York, and Minnesota is at Oakland.

Posey was drafted on the ninth round in 1977 by the San Francisco 49ers but was cut and then was dropped again this year by Atlanta. "I had just about given up on pro football," he said.

Then New England kicker John Smith got hurt and Posey's phone rang. Since then, the erstwhile stockbroker has connected on 10 of 21 field goal attempts including a 21-yarder with eight seconds remaining last Sunday against Buffalo that delivered a 26-24 victory for the Pats and their first American Football Conference East title in 15 years.

"I realized the significance of the kick," said Posey, "but I wasn't as nervous as I should've been. I try not to worry about whether I make it or blow it until after the fact."

The fact in Atlanta is that after going through a series of kickers, including Posey, the Falcons found Mazzetti, the bartender, to do their place-kicking work. Since then, he's hit on 13 of 16 field goal tries and provided the winning margin in five of the Falcons' last seven victories including the 20-17, last-play victory over Washington last Sunday.

"We're not a high-scoring team, so consequently, Tim has a lot of pressure on him every time he lines up to kick," said Leeman Bennett, whose Falcons are on the threshold of the first playoff in their history. The only way they can miss is by losing to St. Louis while Minnesota, Green Bay, Philadelphia and Washington all win.

Going into the season's final weekend, the AFC playoff picture was set, with Denver, Pittsburgh and New England all having clinched division titles and Houston and Miami set as the wild card teams who will meet Dec. 24 to advance to the Conference semifinals.

In the National Football Conference, Los Angeles and Dallas are in as division winners. Minnesota and Green Bay are battling for the other division title or a wild card berth. Washington, Philadelphia and, of course, Atlanta, are the other wild card possibilities.



BREAKS FOR TWO--Snyder's Sandy Sewell is all alone as she breaks open after a steal and lays in two quick points in recent Tiger basketball action. The varsity girls team lost Friday, in a 42-40 squeaker to Fort Stockton. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

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BIG SPRING—Snyder varsity girls basketball team was nipped 42-40 in consolation play by Fort Stockton as the Howard County Tournament continued here Friday.

The girls were to play either Odessa High or San Angelo Central Saturday at 9:30 a.m.

Jamie Hataway and Taina Barrett each posted 14 points for the Tigers. G. Prince and S. Smith had 12 each for Fort Stockton. Snyder managed 76 percent of its shots from the charity stripe, but was able to basket only 26 percent from the field.

Snyder took leads of 10-6 after the first period and 20-18 at halftime - leading, in fact, until about 1:15 left in the game.

Monday, the Tigers play host to San Angelo Central. Action, held in SHS gym, begins with a 6 p.m. junior varsity game.

Fort Stockton 6-12-10-14 -42
Snyder 10-10-12-8 -40

Ft. Stockton--G. Prince, S. Smith 12. Totals 21-0-14-42.

Snyder--Hataway 4-6-0-14; Sewell 1-0-1-2; Boydston 0-0-1-0; Thane 1-0-4-2; Littlepage 0-0-3-0; Sterling 2-2-0-6; Anderson 0-2-0-2; Barrett 6-2-2-14; Fisher 0-0-1-0. Totals 14-12-12-40.

Hodgson Sells To O'Keefe

TORONTO (AP)—Bill Hodgson sold his majority interest in the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League to Carling O'Keefe Breweries of Canada, Ltd.

The brewery previously held 40 percent interest in the football club and also owns 91.5 percent interest in the Quebec Nordiques of the World Hockey Association.

Sale of the club requires approval by seven of the eight other CFL members and unanimous approval of all Eastern Conference members.

Tigers Toughen Against Burk

GRAHAM—Greg Hinton - who should be a good bet for all-tournament honors here - ripped off 26 points as Snyder High School defeated Burkburnett in consolation play of the Graham Tournament.

The Tigers, victors by a score of 98-79, were to advance to the consolation finals against Stephenville, 2:30 Saturday.

Hinton's 26 Friday, coupled with 34 points against Bowie on Thursday had given the 6-2 senior 60 points through Friday's action.

Thomas Selmon and Richard Crayton also hit in doubles figures with 10 points each. Mike Hicks - who led in rebounds for the Tigers - made his most significant contribution of the year to date, garnering 14 points as well. Brannan led Burkburnett with 25 points.

Snyder led all the way in the contest, and according to Coach Jack Stephenson, "played a lot of people and had lots of fun."

Monday, the Tigers are scheduled to host Big Spring at Scurry County Coliseum. A sophomore game will open the series at 4:15, followed by junior varsity, and varsity games. Thursday, the Cat trio will travel to Midland Lee.

Snyder 22-24-24-26 -98
Burk 14-17-22-24 -79

Snyder--Short 2-0-4; Everton 2-2-6; Woods 2-0-4; Selmon 5-0-10; Crayton 5-0-10; Jackson 2-2-6; Richardson 3-3-9; Hinton 11-4-26; Forbes 0-1-1; Arnold 3-0-6; Hicks 7-0-14; Anderson 1-0-2. Totals 38-12-27-98.

Burkburnett--Brannan 7-11-25; Crawford 7-6-20; Robertson 4-6-14; Wise 0-2-2; Hayes 1-2-4; King 1-0-2; Mills 0-1-1; Sullivan 4-1-9. Totals 24-29-22-79.

pro football at a glance

By The Associated Press
American Conference

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
x-New England	11	4	0	.733	355	263
y-Miami	10	5	0	.667	349	281
N.Y. Jets	8	7	0	.533	352	334
Baltimore	5	10	0	.333	225	400
Buffalo	4	11	0	.267	281	340
Central						
x-Pittsburgh	13	2	0	.867	335	178
y-Houston	10	5	0	.667	259	253
Cleveland	8	7	0	.533	318	308
Cincinnati	3	12	0	.200	204	268
West						
x-Denver	10	5	0	.667	265	177
Seattle	8	7	0	.533	322	339
San Diego	8	7	0	.533	310	285
Oakland	8	7	0	.533	284	263
Kansas City	4	11	0	.267	224	304
National Conference						
East						
x-Dallas	11	4	0	.733	354	201
Washington	8	7	0	.533	263	269
Philadelphia	8	7	0	.533	250	247
N.Y. Giants	6	9	0	.400	261	278
St. Louis	5	10	0	.333	206	275
Central						
Minnesota	8	6	1	.567	274	279
Green Bay	8	6	1	.567	235	238
Detroit	6	9	0	.400	257	286
Chicago	6	9	0	.400	239	264
Tampa Bay	5	10	0	.333	231	242
West						
x-Los Angeles	11	4	0	.733	285	231
Atlanta	9	6	0	.600	219	248
New Orleans	6	9	0	.400	264	288
San Francisco	2	13	0	.133	205	317

x-Clinched division title
y-Clinched wildcard playoff berth

Saturday's Games
Chicago at Washington
Pittsburgh at Denver

Sunday's Games
Cleveland at Cincinnati
Dallas at New York Jets
New Orleans at Tampa Bay
New York Giants at Philadelphia
San Francisco at Detroit
Atlanta at St. Louis
Buffalo at Baltimore
Green Bay at Los Angeles
Kansas City at Seattle
Minnesota at Oakland
San Diego at Houston

Childress Challenge Intercepted In Semis

By The Associated Press

A pass interception by linebacker Jimmy Hughes with 1:23 remaining in the game enabled the Wylie Pirates to defeat the Childress Bobcats 12-7 and move to within a single victory of repeating as State Class 2A champions.

In the other Class 2A game played Friday night, Sealy joined Wylie in the championship game by racing to a 42-18 victory over San Antonio Randolph. In Class A, China Spring edged Haskell, 12-7, and Lexington edged Franklin, 22-21.

Childress held a slim 7-6 lead until Wylie quarterback Rock King connected with Garth Touchstone on a 43-yard scoring pass with only 4:35 remaining in the semifinal game. Wylie moved out to a 12-7 lead.

But Childress quarterback Perry Morren moved the Bobcats to the Wylie 10 yard line in the closing minutes before Hughes made his interception.

By The Associated Press
Class 2A Semifinals
Wylie 12, Childress 7
Sealy 42, San Antonio Randolph 18
Class A Semifinals
China Springs 13, Haskell 7
Lexington 22, Franklin 21

Doherty Coach At Baltimore

BALTIMORE (AP)-Nappy Doherty, a former coach at Loyola College, has taken over the coaching duties of the fledgling Baltimore Metros of the Continental Basketball Association.

He will be on hand tonight when the Metros host the Wilkes-Barre Barrons, the defending league champions.

Finals Charted In Benefit Meet

HOBBS—It was to be Hobbs versus Hermleigh in the boys finals and Hobbs versus Guthrie in the girls finals as the McCaulley Benefit Tournament drew to a close here Saturday.

Hobbs boys got to the finals by whipping Divide as Walter Cave and David Etheredge fired in 13 and 10 points. Hermleigh made the grade by stomping Blackwell, 55-31. Chip Roemisch grabbed 16 points while James Williamson and Wesley Kruger noted 11 each for the Cardinals.

In girls action, Hobbs floored Paint Creek with a 33-16 mopping. Debra Teel had 17 points and Cathy Hull added 7 for the Panthers. Guthrie plowed Rochester 78-28 in the other girls semi-finals game, winning with the aid of Keith's 51 points. Hurt added 10.

Girls finals were to be held at 7 p.m. Saturday, with the boys finals commencing at 8:30.

Girls
Blackwell 7-8-6-6 -27
Hermleigh 0-6-8-4 -18
Blackwell--Messick 9, Gavrin 8.
Hermleigh--Roemisch, Leatherwood, Sanchez 4.

Boys
Guthrie 10-19-15-12 -57
Rochester 12-6-12-14 -44
Guthrie--Gibson 28, Austin 14.
Rochester--Easterling 12, Stegemoeller 14.

Girls
Divide 2-7-5-10 -24
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Divide--Wilson 8.
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Boys
Paint Creek 6-13-13-8 -40
Weinert 6-15-16-18 -55
Paint Creek--Kierepka 18, Williams 10.
Weinert--Adams 24, Bredthauer 12.

Girls
Guthrie 16-18-11-33 -78
Rochester 9-2-10-7 -28
Guthrie--Keith 51, Hurt 10.
Rochester--Stegemoeller 13.

Boys
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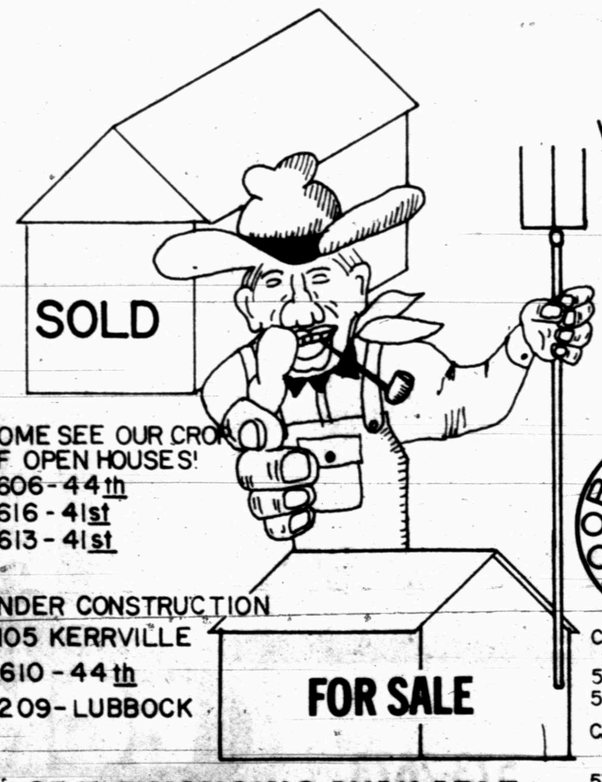
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Paint Creek-Debra Wells 6, Linda Fischer 5.

Boys
Hobbs 12-16-7-10 -45
Divide 8-11-5-4 -28
Hobbs--Walter Cave 13, David Etheredge 10.
Divide--Frizzell 8, Munoz and Ramirez 6.

Saturday's Finals: Boys-Hobbs and Hermleigh 8:30 p.m.; Girls--Hobbs and Guthrie 7 p.m.

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Mayo Howard AD, Coach

BROWNWOOD (AP)-Harold Mayo was appointed Friday as the head football coach and athletic director of Howard Payne University.

Mayo, presently offensive coordinator at Angelo State University, replaces Dean Slayton, who resigned two weeks ago.

Before moving to Angelo State this year, Mayo had worked as Slayton's offensive coordinator at Howard Payne for six years.

Mayo is a former junior college All-American at Kilgore College and was team captain at Lamar University. He served three years as an assistant coach at Rice University.

NTS Wants Director First

DENTON (AP)-North Texas State University officials say they will wait to appoint a new head football coach until after an athletic director has been selected.

"The board of regents has determined...that the position of athletic director should be filled before the position of head football coach in order that the two people chosen will have the opportunity to work compatibly," said A.M. Willis, chairman of the board of regents, Friday.

Hayden Fry resigned from both positions last week to be the head coach at Iowa. Bill Brashier, a NTSU assistant coach for the past 11 years, withdrew his name from consideration Friday morning after the board's meeting.

Landry Playing His Best Hand...

Odds Say To Bench Staubach

NEW YORK (AP)-It is, one would think, a "must" game for the Dallas Cowboys. But not in Coach Tom Landry's eyes.

The Cowboys, 11-4, defending Super Bowl champs and already the National Conference East champs, invade Shea Stadium Sunday for their regular-season finale against the New York Jets. A victory gives them a shot at the home-field advantage throughout the playoffs.

But Landry figures the Cowboys' chances of gaining that edge are slim since Los Angeles, also 11-4 and a winner over Dallas in the third game of the season, would have to lose on Sunday.

"It's only a small chance," Landry said. "In my estimation, I don't think Green Bay is going to beat Los Angeles in Los Angeles this weekend."

This is all by way of explanation over why Dallas quarterback Roger Staubach, the league's leading passer but limping slightly with a sprained right foot and big toe, can be expected to ride the bench Sunday.

He played hurt earlier this year - but that, Landry said, was a different matter. "Those were 'must' games for us," he explained. "We had to win until we guaranteed our division... Those are risks or calculated risks. When you have a risk sometimes you take it."

But risking Staubach Sunday doesn't rank that high. So Danny White, who has thrown only 10 passes this season, will be barking out Landry's signals.

"He is a bright young quarterback with a good chance to play in our league," Landry said of the three-year NFL veteran from Arizona State who's first pro experience came with the World Football League's Memphis Southmen. "If he gets the change to play we'll know more about him."

The Jets, 8-7, will be trying to open the holes for Kevin Long, 86 yards away from becoming the team's second 1,000-yard rusher. And Bruce Harner will be trying to overtake Rick Upchurch of Denver and Keith Moody of Buffalo and finish as the top punt-returner in the American Conference. He trails Upchurch 13.7 to 12.7 yards per return.

Arkansas Grid Probe Will Continue Monday

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP)-The investigation of a coed's complaint that she was raped in the University of Arkansas athletic dormitory will continue until at least until Monday, according to Deputy Prosecutor Kim Smith.

Two Razorback football players were suspended from school pending completion of the investigation. No charge has been filed in the case. Sources have told The Associated Press that Donny Bobo and Michael Forrest were suspended Wednesday.

"On Monday, we will make a decision, one way or another," Smith said when asked whether charges would be filed in the case.

Smith said he had interviewed six or seven persons about the case.

"When you interview people, somebody else's name will pop up," Smith said. "Like any other investigation, we want to do it thoroughly."

He refused to comment when asked if he had interviewed Bobo or Forrest.

The school has not identified the suspended students. University officials said Thursday that the school is prohibited from doing so.

Bill Hughes, UA director of information, said the university would not have any other statement until after Smith announces his decision.

Racers Fold; Struggle Fails

INDIANAPOLIS - The Indianapolis Racers of the World Hockey Association, still needing $800,000 to operate for the balance of the 1978-79 season, went out of business, ending a 4½-year struggle for survival.

Gordon Robson, who was representing majority owner Nelson Skalbania in negotiations with the club's limited partners, made the announcement at a news conference.

Chinese Best Olympic Dives

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP)-Four Chinese divers, winning high marks for difficult dives, bettered Olympic springboard diving records in Asian games competition Saturday.

In the men's diving, Wu Kuo-Tsun won with 687.78 points and teammate Li Kung-Chung was second with 661.35. Both marks are better than the Olympic mark of 619.05 set by American Philip Boggs in 1976. Boggs also holds the world mark of 913.95.

In women's diving, Shih Mei-Chin won the Games' gold medal with 569.49 points and teammate Peng Yuan-Chun the silver with 554.19, both better than the Olympic record of 506.19 set by American Jennifer Chandler in 1976. Trina Kalinina of the Soviet Union holds the world record of 691.43.

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A&M, Iowa State Gear For Hall Of Fame Bowl

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP)-Iowa State, adjusting to a loss of players, and Texas A&M, still adapting to a coaching change, meet Wednesday night in the second Hall of Fame Bowl football game.

Ten Cyclone players will miss the game because of loss of eligibility but only one was a starter, defensive tackle Chris Boskey. Coach Earl Bruce said "I'm not worried at all" about the 8-3 Iowa State squad he will bring to the game.

Aggie Coach Tom Wilson said his team "probably will be limited" by a mid-season change in which he replaced Emery Bellard. Wilson said the transition will not be completed until spring training but he predicted a good showing by his 7-4 team.

One reason for Wilson's optimism is tailback Curtis Dickey, now fully recovered from a series of injuries. Dickey ran for 1,146 yards despite his problems.

Iowa State lost no players from its first or second offensive teams. The Cyclones' top runner, Dexter Green, picked up 991 yards.

Iowa State enters the game after ending its season with victories over Kansas, Kansas State, Oklahoma State and Colorado.

The Aggies won their first four before bowing to Houston and Baylor. They came back to take three of their final five after Bellard's resignation.

Barefooted placekicker Tony Franklin poses a major weapon for Texas A&M. He holds 18 National Collegiate Athletic Association records, including 291 points in four years on 56 field goals--one for 62 yards--and 123 conversions. He is the leading scorer in A&M history by 67 points.

Rangers Trade Cleveland

ARLINGTON (AP)-Relief pitcher Reggie Cleveland has been traded to the Milwaukee Brewers for relief pitcher Ed Farmer, a minor league first baseman and an unannounced amount of cash.

In addition to Farmer, the Rangers will get first baseman Gary Holle.

Cleveland had a 5-8 record last season with 12 saves and a 3.08 ERA for the Rangers, who finished in second place in the American League West.

Farmer had a 9-7 record for Spokane of the Pacific Coast League and was 1-0 and had three saves during a brief stint with the Brewers. Holle hit 258 and had 10 homers playing for Holyoke, Mass., in the Eastern League.

Mag Picks Top Golfers

NEW YORK (AP)-Tom Watson and Nancy Lopez were selected as the 1978 Players of the Year by Golf Magazine.

JV Girls Battle For Championship

COAHOMA—Snyder junior varsity girls basketball squad was to compete for the Coahoma Tournament championship Saturday at 6 p.m. against Forsan.

The Tigers whipped Colorado City 55-19 in the opening round Thursday, then dumped host team Coahoma 50-26 Friday.

Billie Owens and Cindy Claton paced Snyder in its win over the Wolves with 10 and 9 points respectively, while Pam Gray and Lana Hill had 11 and 8 points in the victory over Coahoma.

For the opposition, Taplin led C-City with 12 and Dykes had 9 for Coahoma.

Monday, the Snyder JV girls will host San Angelo Central at 6:15 in the SHS gym. That game will be followed by a varsity tilt.

Thursday
C-City 2-0-3-11 -19
Snyder 14-14-11-16 -55
C-City--Taplin 12.
Snyder--Owens 10, Clayton 9.
Friday
Coahoma 10-2-4-10 -26
Snyder 11-11-21-7 -50
Coahoma--Dykes 9.
Snyder--Gray 5-1-4-11, Clayton 2-0-5-4, Halford 2-0-0-4, Smith 2-1-4-5, Seay 2-2-1-6; Fritz 1-0-2-2, Hill 3-2-2-8; Wood 0-4-4-4, McCain 2-0-1-4; Owens 0-4-5-4. Totals 19-14-28-50.

LeDoux Carpets Texan Donatto

OMAHA, Neb. (AP)-Heavyweight Scott LeDoux landed a right to the body with just 1:33 gone in the third round and knocked out opponent Joe Donatto Friday night in a fight sponsored by the new Major League Boxing Club of Omaha.

A small turnout saw the red-headed Minnesotan cool down his Texan opponent in the first round. Donatto hit the canvass but it was recorded as a slip. He finished Donatto off with a series of left jabs to the head and a right-handed pounding on the body.

Donatto went down for the final count in the third following two trips to the lower ring. First, LeDoux landed a right to the head and spun Donatto under the ring rope. He got up only to go down again. Then, Donatto went down for the final time with a right from his opponent.

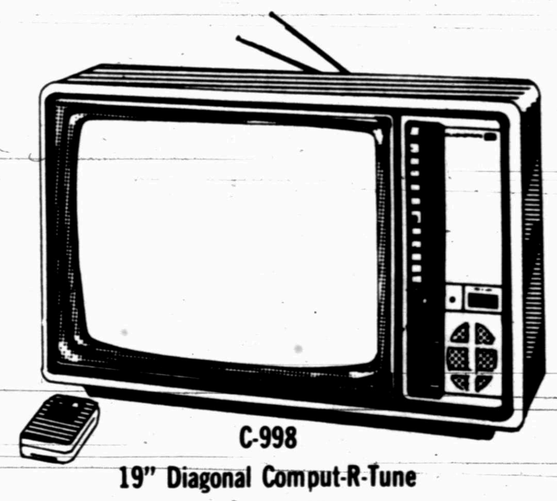
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VEHICLES B

1972 CHEVY Impala, new radial tires, new seat covers. Good car, $1,000. 573-5128.

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FOR SALE: 1973 450 Honda. Like new. Call 573-7383.

1977 CORVETTE, 16,000 miles, silver color, T top. A real nice car. Phone 573-9050 or 573-2861.

1969 FORD Econoline van. $1100. Call 573-0479.

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1978 CAMARO Type LT Rally Sport, red & black Loaded. See at Mal Donelson Chev. or call Matt, 573-9990 after 6.

72 MG MIDGET. $1975. Call Julie Dozier before 6 p.m. at 573-0189, after 6 & weekends 965-3341.

Attention Hunters & Trappers

Fur buyer will be in Snyder at Rip Griffin's Truck Stop each Sunday from 8:45 a.m. till 9:15 a.m. beginning Dec. 17. We buy green and dry furs of all kinds. Skin case all furs, (like oppossums), not open up the middle. We also buy deer hides. Well handled furs bring TOP PRICES. Hermleigh at Boyce Gro. 8:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. Ira 9:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

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Save money on high Utility bills with Mono therm INSULATION (3.77 R Factor per inch) Meets all Federal Regulations We install or Save Approx. 40 percent & do it yourself with our machine. HEAD HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING 2401 Ave. T 573-3907

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4 WHEEL drive, 1963 International Scout, low mileage, $1,475. 4-wheel, E-Z-Go Golf cart, $650. After 5 or on weekends, call 573-9871.

1974 BUICK Electra--all power, 60-40 seats, excellent condition, $2200. 573-8468.

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OFFICE 573-8786
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Free Estimates
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Delbert Jones
2207 28th
573-9005

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Do you need a job? See Snyder Employment Service Room, 103 Brownfield Bldg., 2425 College Ave. Phone 573-9472.

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HORSESHOEING - Corrective, show, performance. Work guaranteed. Breaking & training. Ranch horse for sale at all times. Also available for day ranch work. Ray Marley, Bill Alexander. 806-629-4236.

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FOR SALE: 6 year old registered quarter horse, gilted. $2,000. Call 573-2712.

FOR SALE: 500 gal. propane tank, 730 John Deere, good 4-row cultivator. 573-9705.

FOR SALE: Cotton packers with a 3 point hook up. 573-2770.

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Alfalfa hay for sale. Call 573-7013.

SPORTING GOODS and SUPPLIES J-2

¼ INTEREST 1968 Beechcraft 150 HP Musketeer. 1 Navcoms, ADF AND XPNDR. 1250 hours on engine. 573-2536 after 5 p.m.

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68 FROLIC, 24' completely self-contained. $2100. Inquire at Royal Trailer Park, Space 7, Hwy. 84.

MERCHANDISE K

THAT WORN out mattress and box springs giving you backaches? Bring it to us and take it home like new. Free pick-up and delivery at Dunnam Mattress and Upholstering. 2109 College Ave. 573-2142.

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TAPPAN micro-wave oven, $225 — Hammond chord organ, Model S6, excellent condition, ½ price. Just in time for Christmas. Call 573-6723.

FOR SALE: 3 14" steel belted radial tires. Call 573-6241.

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Oak firewood. 573-8239 or 573-9923.

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FOR SALE: Antique china cabinet & upright piano. Both excellent condition. Call 573-9996 after 4.

FOR SALE: nice couch, 2-recliners, call 573-2942, 1904 15th St.

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Rifles - Scopes - Ammunition
Dealer for Weatherby Rifles.
5 p.m.-9 p.m. Mon.-Fri.
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"We sell, We trade"
Timely Pawn Loans
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THE RUMMAGE ROOM
1919 25th St. 10:00-5:00
Tuesday thru Saturday.

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Washers	62.50
Dryers	85.00
Cook Stoves	40.00 to 80.00
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Couches	15.00
Chairs	10.00 to 15.00
Used Commode	35.00
New Bath Tubs	10.00
New Double Sink	10.00
Used Mattress	15.00-25.00
Heaters	6.00 to 50.00
5 Gal. Butane Bottle	17.00
Deep Freeze	100.00-150.00
Refrigerators	40.00-125.00
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Tape Deck	10.00
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Reupholstered	80.00 & up
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Reupholstered	160. to 460.
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Reupholstered	30.00-40.00
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We also have a good selection of stoves, refrigerators & bedroom suites.
Stevens Furniture & Upholstery
2506 Ave. F.
573-6510

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Buy, Sell or Trade K-2

AMERICAN MADE wall clocks, record players, tested heaters, Singer sewing machine, color TV's. 2407 Ave. H.

DOGS-PETS, ETC. K-3

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GENUINE SPLIT OAK



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WOODCO
573-5774
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Classified Ads

DOBBERMAN PUPPIES for sale. $50 each. Call 573-5082.

PUPPIES TO give away for Christmas. 863-2377 in Hermleigh.

FOR SALE: Full Blood Smoyed Puppies. Call 573-2700.

GARAGE SALES K-5

GARAGE SALE
facing alley behind
318 31st
Sat. 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
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organ (double keyboard), freezer, 2 home stereos, garden equipment, mechanics tools, and many, many more items to be sold cheap.

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20 Per cent off on everything in the store. Oneida Stainless flatware 50 per cent off except Michael Angelo, $100. All diamonds ½ price or less. One man's 3 Kt. cluster, Reg. $7300.00 Now $2750.00. Lots of gold chains.
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Downtown Roscoe

RENTALS L-1

MOBILE HOME lot on corner, and paved. Inside city limits. Phone 573-9001.

FURNISHED 2, 3, & 4 room apartments with or without T.V. Bills paid, no children or pets. Phone 573-3566 or 306 28th.

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ATTRACTIVE
Two bed, furnished apartment. Pho. 573-0633.

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Special Weekly Rates
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FOR RENT: 2 bedroom unfurnished houses. Phone 573-2329.

FOR RENT: 1 side of warehouse located at 30th & Ave. Q. $200 a month. Call 1st Baptist Church, 573-2631.

FOR RENT: Lot for mobile home, $45. Call 863-2214.

SMALL TRAILER for rent. Call 573-5534.

Low Daily and Weekly Rates
COLOR CABLE T.V.
Also Apt. for Rent
TRAVEL INN MOTEL
1001 25th
573-2641

MOBILE HOMES L-9

PAY $560 down, payment of $102 monthly, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 650 square feet, Quality Mobile Home Sale, 5111 College, 573-3230.

EXTRA LARGE mobile home sites. Ready to move on. Privacy, children & pets welcome. $50. 573-5491

1975 HILLCREST, 14 x 75 3 bed, 2 bath, 4 ton refrigerated air. 573-0015.

FOR SALE: Large lots zoned for mobile homes, priced reasonable. Call 573-6917 or 573-3348.

REAL ESTATE M

FOR SALE: Major service station property. Call Bill, 573-9159.

Close 5 A., Brick home, Lg. living rm., dining rm., den, 3 bdrm., lg. kitchen, plenty of cabinets, 1½ b., utility rm., dbl. garage, w. well, sub. pump. 17 pecan trees, cellar, scenic.
Roswell Rigsby
Real Estate
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FOR SALE: 5 acre home sites 8 to 10 min. from Snyder North in area with plenty of good water. Buy these 5 acre tracts for the price of a single lot in Snyder. 7 to 5 phone 573-6387, nights phone 573-0691.

FOR SALE: Lots 3 & 4, Block No. 28, Andress Heights, between Lear and Hardgrove, facing west on Ave. O. Call (806) 872-2549, Bill Merrill, nights only. No collect calls.

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North..two houses that are liveable and rentable..plus already rented commercial building..all on two acres that could be developed..$49,500.. water well..
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East Snyder...at 412 35th Street..nice three bedroom, 2 bath..separate utility room... fenced..$22,500.00..either equity or new loan.
North Central Snyder...3 bedroom, 2 bath..large master bedroom..extra lot..large covered carport ideal for travel home..$35,000.00.
Central Snyder...house on Ave J..appraised for $11,500 has been redone..can make someone a good deal on this.
Close To Town...have two homes in walking distance of downtown..one on Ave R.. the other one close to 1st Baptist Church..$10,500 and $15,500.
Old West...this house has been sold for appraised price of $29.000..but loan didn't go thru..3 bedroom, 2 bath..two story on Ave. X.

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Phillips 66 Center
East Hwy.

PRICE REDUCED
Nice 2 bdrm home with large master bdrm, garage & work shop. Central heat & ref. air. Great condition. 2103 40th St.
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Owner will drop the sales price $1500 if this house sells before Xmas. 2 bdrm, Den, Liv. rm, new carpet & storm windows. 3215 40th.
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4 bdrm, 2 bath near all schools. Priced low for quick sale.
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This 3 bdrm 3 bath has every thing to make it your dream home. Lots of storage and all the built-ins one could want.
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Desirable business bldg suitable for professional offices or retail shop. Very reasonable rent.

Do you need a secure investment with steady income? Call us for info on this "Tried & True" PROFIT MAKER.
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SOUTHWEST
BRICK--Sharp, 3-2-2, fenced, builtins, 40's.
COLONIAL HILLS--New list, 3-2-2, quality home.
TOWLE PARK--Nearly new, 3-2-2, great location.
NEED A FOUR BEDROOM??--See this, all the extras.
HAVE ANTIQUES??--PRICED REDUCED--They will look great in this older 2 story, large rooms, basement.
WE'RE PAINTING--2003 29th, $51,900 for 2100 Ft.
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LOW 20's--4008 Ave. U and 2105 26th. 3 bed.
COUNTRY LIVING
BRICK--10A-$73,500--Rock HOme-8 lots-$49,500.
Frame **SOLD**00--Brick-4A-$49,500.
EAST
LARGE 2 BED--207 33rd, fenced, dining, $17T.
OWNER CARRY--Nice 3 bed, 2 bath, vacant, $27,500.00.
GOOD BUY--3 bed, fenced, low 20's.
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LOT commercial College Ave.
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Home 573-3990
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611 East Highway
JACK & JACK Realtors
573-8571
573-3452

KERRVILLE-3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, fireplace, refrig. air, central heat, two car garage, fenced yard, great floor plan, excellent location. Under $50,000.00
PARK PLACE-New 3 bedroom brick homes, 2 baths, double car garage. All energy efficient features. 1-3 bedroom, now completed, three more under construction.
BASSRIDGE—4 bdrm., 3½ bth, brick fireplace, ref. air, 2 car garage, wet bar and all built ins. Low 80's.
HIGHLAND PARK-3 bdrm., 2 bth., large living-dining area, cent. heat, ref. air, fenced yard. Upper 30's.
CLOSE TO PARK-3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, study, garage, central heat, fenced yard, carpeted, close to schools too!
NEAR WEST ELEMENTARY—4 bedroom, 2 bath, refrig. air, central heat, fenced yard, garage, apartment in back w-income of 140.00 month. Total price $28,500.
EDGE OF TOWN—on two acres, beautiful 2 bedroom, 2 bath brick, fireplace, refrig. air, central heat, barn, 2 car carport, city water.
SOUTHWEST—two bedroom, utility room, new carpet thru-out, fenced backyard, refrig. air units. $28,500.
40th STREET-a dream home with 3 bedrm. 1 bath. Completely redecorated, new carpet throughout. New listing.
TOWLE PARK ROAD-3 bedrm. 2 bath quality home. Shown by appointment only. New listing.
PRICE REDUCED-3 bedrm. 2 baths, double garage. West of Park.

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Reception For Museum Board

New members of the Scurry County Museum board of directors were welcomed at a reception Thursday night in the museum.

Members who will be added to the board on Jan. 1 are Mrs. Neil Jackson, Mrs. H.P. Redwine, Guy L. Sullivan and John A. Fagin. Retiring board members are Gene Dulaney, Henry F. Clark, Jr., Mrs. Edith W. McKanna and Mrs. W.D. Sims. Mrs. McKanna, Mrs. Sims and Roy Lashaway have been named to the museum's honorary board, which also includes Mrs. Keith Kahle of Fort Worth.

Members returning to the board are Ernest Sears, Tommie Mills, G.A. Parks, Jr., Mrs. Herbert Reed, Mrs. Billy Don Huddleston, Art Feinsod, Franklin Pruitt, R.C. Patton and Mrs. Pat Bills.

BUYING? OR SELLING?
3 Br. carpet, corner lot--$16,000.
Mobile home lot, Stanfield area, good buy
3 acre tract with a double wide, water line
5 acre tracts on water line, good buy.
35 acres, pens, sheds and good water well
160 acres, SW, good building site.
239 acres, east-79 acres cult. $225 per acre
Well located commercial lots.
Good bargains in lake cabins.
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Benefit Tourney

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Basketball Tournament, while certainly not the only program designed to aid those families whose chilren were involved in the wreck, is an example.

Contributions poured into the tournament site in Hobbs. Cakes, candies, meat, cheese, beverages and other items came from all over the area to stock the concession stand for the three-day meet. Businesses and individuals from towns such as Roby, Sweetwater, Guthrie, Snyder, Paint Rock, Hobbs and Hermleigh donated time, goods and money.

Officials reported over $1,000 taken in on opening day from concessions, gate donations and personal contributions.

The concession stand itself, filled with numerous homemade goods and offering everything from a Mexican dinner to hamburgers or a stick of gum, was manned by students from Hermleigh High School basketball players and Beta Club, and from Hobbs' junior and senior classes. Three women - Betsy Griffin and Myla Black of Hobbs, and Darlene Peel of Hermleigh - took charge of the concession area, accepting donations of food, while slapping hamburgers together at the same time.

Orville Anderle and M.B. Maxwell, principal and superintendent of Hobbs school, and Tommy Riley, principal at Hermleigh, coordinated much of the tournament proceedings.

Referees for the 16-team meet - Don Witherspoon, Ray Warren, Larry Flint, Jerry Collins, Charles Haggard and Pat Miller - were from the Sweetwater Optimist Club. The list goes on.

The end result - when the final ball stopped bouncing and the last cupcake sold - was to go to the Hamlin Bank Fund, a depository set up expressly for the purpose of aiding families involved in the McCaulley tragedy. A committee has been formed to distribute the money to the families on a basis of need.

The names of those who donated time, effort or monetary funds - and many did all three - are far too numerous to list. One effort to record the names and businesses listed some 59 entries, and many were simply noted as a "7th grade class," an "Athletic Club" or a church.

Perhaps these are the ones who benefit most from their acts. They have turned back the pages of time - if only for a few days - and given man, during this near holiday season, the greatest gifts he can give...understanding, love and a few minutes of his time.

Cantata Tonight At Colonial Hill

Youth and adult choirs of Colonial Hill Baptist church, combined with pantomime and a slide presentation, will be featured in "King of Love," a Christmas Cantata by Roger Strader, at 7 p.m. tonight in the Colonial Hill sanctuary.

The music, a 1978 release, will be highlighted by a group of youth who will pantomime the story as it is sung.

The performance is under the direction of Jim Patrick, minister of music, who also will serve as the narrator.

Soloists will be Rod Bailey, Kay Kenner, Janie McMillan and Vicki Greenfield. Jan McCathern has served as stage director.

Other directors are Kenny Patrick, set construction; Elaine and Dale Byrd, lighting crew, and Lavanda Foreman, decoration chairman. Slides for the overture and finale are being provided by Jim Patrick, Treva Weaver and Kay Kenner.

Youth in the pantomime are Laquita Reaves, Mike Greenfield, John Lloyd Robinson, Kyle Cox, Todd Fritz, Rene Guerro and Randy Burrus.

Micah Mitchell, organist, and Triesta Lilly, pianist, will compliment taped music being used in the presentation.

Loyola On Honor Roll

Linda Loyola was left off the senior class superior honor roll that was published in the Thursday edition of the SDN.

A student had to maintain a 90 or above grade point average to qualify for the superior honor roll.

WTC Vacation Schedule Set

Students at Western Texas College will begin their mid-winter vacation Thursday as final examinations are concluded.

Offices at the college will close Friday afternoon and remain closed until Jan. 2. Registration for the 10-day Midwinter session will be held on Jan. 2 and from 8:30-9 a.m. on Jan. 3, with classes starting at 9 a.m. on Jan. 3.

Dormitories will close at 6 p.m. Thursday and will remain closed until Jan. 15 when registration for the spring semester begins.

City Firemen Called Twice

Snyder firefighters report they extinguished two fires Friday afternoon.

The first was a grass fire behind the Beacon Lodge at the traffic Y. It was reported at 12:50 p.m.

At 2:50 p.m. firefighters were dispatched to 2709½ Ave. O to a rent house owned by Gene Richardson.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Don Harless, Rt. 2 Box 244; Albert Cole, Rt. 2 Box 323A; Grady Ayers, Jonesboro Rd, Gail Rt., Big Spring; Cherie Rosas, Box 679, Aaron Peace, 1805 38th St; Chasity Clay, Rt. 1, Box 66, Lot 6; Randy Guynes, 3207 23rd St.

DISMISSALS: Karen Parsons, Trini Martinez, Holly Taylor, Joe Collier, ReNee Moore.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Seaton, Box 770, are the parents of a baby boy born Friday at Cogdell Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Neill of Lubbock are the parents of a girl, Kasey D'Ann, born Friday. She weighed 7 lb. 4 ozs. She has an older sister named Kristi.

Says Prime Minister...

Shah Will Name Civilian Leader

By PHILIP DOPOULOS
Associated Press Writer

TEHRAN, Iran (AP)-A key figure in the negotiations between embattled Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi and his political opponents said today the shah will name a civilian government within a few days.

Former Prime Minister Ali Amini would not give any details or say who will head the new administration, which he said would replace the mostly military government of Gen. Gholam Reza Azhari "within a few days' time."

But he said it would not include members of the National Front, the main opposition group.

Political observers believe the formation of a government excluding the National Front will do little to pacify the shah's foes or bring 11 months of bloody political turmoil any closer to ending.

Amini said the shah has to make some move "very soon" to show he is ready to "make changes." He said appointment of a civilian government would be one such move.

Iran's oil production, meanwhile, has dwindled to almost one-sixth of normal as spiraling political violence against the shah claimed at least 10 more lives.

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B&PW Presents Award

The Business and Professional Women's Club named Mrs. Fay Spikes McCollum as their Woman of the Year at their meeting Tuesday evening.

Mrs. McCollum came to Snyder in 1970 from Loraine where she graduated from high school. She attended NTSC in Denton and is a graduate of Scoggins Beauty School in Abilene and later owned and operated her own Beauty Shop in Loraine.

Mrs. McCollum was a member of the Bauman Home Demonstration Club and the 1950 canasta club.

She has one daughter, Gypsy Ted Gully, who teaches in the Big Spring school system, and two grandchildren, Barney and Mary Jane Gulby.

She has been president of the B&PW club the last two years. She is currently employed at Babs in the Varsity Shopping Center.



WOMEN OF THE YEAR-Mrs. Fay Spikes McCollum was named Woman of the Year at the B&PW Club's recent meeting. Mrs. McCollum, left, is pictured receiving a gift from Mrs. Elizabeth Beavers. (SDN Staff Photo)

High Cholesterol Level Also Risk Factor For Heart Disease

Like high blood pressure, elevated cholesterol levels --hyperlipidemia--has been identified as a significant risk factor for heart disease. And, like high blood pressure, it is a silent disease.

"Once heart disease is present, it is too late to correct the problem," says Robert Kohn, MD, Clinical Professor of Medicine at the University of New York at Buffalo. However, "there are a number of preventive measures that may be useful," he told doctors attending the East Ohio affiliate of the American Heart Association meeting in Warren, Ohio.

Dr. Kohn discussed "lipids and their management," He said that a diet low in saturated fat and carbohydrants is the first and most important step to follow in lowering blood lipid levels, and stressed the importance of nutrition counseling for patients. He also described the drugs that are available for treatment when diet alone does not lower the blood plasma to the desired level after a priod of time. Among them is Lorelco (probucol), a medication that has been reported to be effective in a very common type of cholesterol disorder and to be well-tolerated by both men and women.

Dr. Kohn observed that "preventing disease is more advantageous and often more possible than trying to reverse or cure it."

Self-Help Booklet No Aid For Author

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP)-A self-help legal manual written by a Missouri Penitentiary inmate isn't worth much, says Warden Donald Wyrick.

The booklet, which is being sold outside the prison by a social service agency, is called "Defending Yourself: How to Assist Your Attorney in a Criminal Prosecution."

Wyrick calls it "worthless junk."

The warden says he can't understand why anyone would pay $1.25 for the booklet. Its author, he notes, "is in here and can't even get himself out."

Reception To Honor Grimmetts

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Grimmett will be hosts for a reception honoring the couple on their 25th wedding anniversary Dec. 17 in the garden room of the First Baptist Church between 1:30 and 3 p.m.

Grimmett and the former Nancy Dorman were married Dec. 24, 1953 at the Northside Baptist Church. Mrs. Grimmett is the owner of Nancy's Art Style Beauty Salon, and Grimmett is associated with Grimmett Brothers, Inc.

Their children are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Grimmett, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Grimmett, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bob Lee. They have two grandchildren, Jennifer Lee and Reese Grimmett.

Cream or light cream must have at least 18 percent and less than 30 percent milkfat, reports Mrs. Gwendolyne Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Servie, The Texas A&M University System.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MONDAY

Stanfield PTA musical Christmas program, cafeteria; 7:30 p.m.

East Elementary PTA meeting; school auditorium; fourth grade and music department program; 7 p.m.

Hermleigh Lions Club; Hermleigh Community Center; 7 p.m.

Amitie Jr. Study Club gift bazaar, 2411 Ave. R. All day.

TUESDAY

Lambda Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi; Martha Ann Woman's Club; 7:30 p.m.

If you are interested in losing weight meet with TOPS 56 Snyder at Stanfield Elementary; 6:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous; community room of West Texas State Bank; 7:30 p.m.

Amitie Jr. Study Club gift bazaar 2411 Ave. R; open late.

WEDNESDAY

Sparkle City Squares, National Guard Armory; lessons 8 p.m. workshop 8:30.

Amitie Jr. Study Club gift bazaar; 2411 Ave. R. All day.

THURSDAY

OES No. 450 salad supper; visit by district deputy; Ozane Pylant and Clemey Andress, hostesses; supper 6 p.m., meeting 7:30.

Cub Scout Pack 177; Stanfield cafeteria; 7:30 p.m.

Snyder Coin Club, community room of West Texas State Bank; 7 p.m.

Weight Watchers of West Texas will meet at East Elementary; 7 p.m. New members welcome and should come at 6:30 p.m. to register.

Amitie Jr. Study Club gift bazaar; 2411 Ave. R; open late.

FRIDAY

Senior Citizens Christmas dinner, 6:30 p.m., Student Center at Western Texas College.

Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Amitie Jr. Study Club gift bazaar; 2411 Ave. R. All day.

Do-Si-Do Square Dance Club of Colorado City 4th Saturday night dance; Civic Center; 8 p.m.

People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center; 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Museum; WTC campus; 1-5 p.m.

Duplicate Bridge Club, Snyder Country Club, 7:30 p.m.

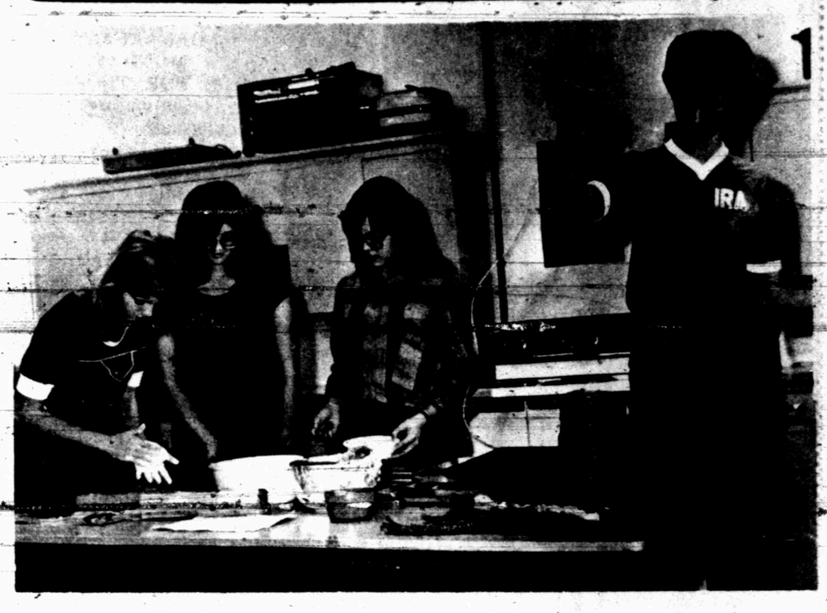
Help For City Kids

Fat children seem to be especially prevalent in large cities, according to Dr. Chhaya Chakrabarti of Downstate Medical Center in Brooklyn, N.Y. Children who live in small apartments have little room for active play, and they may live in areas where their parents are afraid to let them play in the streets. As a result, they may sit at home where out of boredom and frustration they eat and snack their way to obesity, she explains.

Dr. Chakrabarti is a pediatric endocrinologist and head of Downstate's Pediatric Obesity Clinic. She warns that such children are likely to continue to be obese throughout their lives unless they get some help.

Techniques used at the Clinic to help obese children lose weight and keep it off include a personalized diet, exercise, influencing the family's eating and cooking habits, and motivating the patient. All but ten percent have lost an average of five to seven pounds each month.

The Great Sphinx was constructed of masonry and carved limestone near the present Giza, Egypt around 2900 B.C.



INVOLVED IN PROJECT-Students of Ira High school are preparing for activities to begin this week. From left, Marla Phillips, Jane Ann McCarty and DeeDee Dunn are making cookies for coming events. Scott Sharp is making macrame favors to be given to guests attending their Open House Dec. 21. Also working on this project is Kevin Huddleston, not pictured. (SDN Staff Photo)

Ira FHA Busy With Christmas Workshop

Preparations for a Christmas workshop, sponsored by the Ira Future Homemakers of America at Ira High School, began early this week. Fulfilling its goal of being a service organization for the community and the student body, Ira High's FHA has developed several projects concerning the upcoming holidays.

To begin the workshop, the FHA "adopted" an underprivileged family in Snyder. Donations of food and toys, remodeled by the FHA members, will be provided for the family. Christmas decorations made in class by the students will also be supplied.

The second project underway is the collection of Christmas cards. These cards, donated by the people in Ira community and by the students, will be given to the elderly and shut-ins in Ira.

Another project sponsored by the FHA will be an Open House for parents and school personnel, on Thursday, Dec. 21. It's purpose is to help familiarize everyone with the homemaking program and the function of FHA. Macramed spice ropes will be given as gifts to all those attending.

The last project concerns the student's Activity Day, before the holidays begin. Each year the faculty and staff provide films to entertain the students on this day. This year, as an added attraction, the FHA will contribut homemade cookies for refreshments.

Mrs. Nell Marquart, homemaking teacher and FHA advisor, and the members of the organization, wish to thank Ronald Plumlee, superintendent, and L.D. Monroe, principal, for their support and interest in this project.

"Students participation and faculty cooperation has given a promise of success to this workshop. It is the goal of the Ira High Future Homemakers to help spread the joy and blessings of Christmas to as many people as possible," says Mrs. Marquart.

Brownies Have Yule Party

Brownie Troop 315, North Elementary, had their Christmas party, investiture and rededication ceremony Thursday at the school cafeteria.

The group exchanged gifts. During their ceremony, Brownie pins and World Association pins were presented to the troop members.

Leader of this troop is Peggy Vernon.

Girl Scouts is a participating agency of United Way.

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VOWS SAID-Judy Taylor Bowlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, and Terry Wayne Rannefeld, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon O. Rannefeld, exchanged marriage vows Nov. 30 in the Grace Lutheran Church at 7 p.m. The Reverend John Jensen performed the double ring ceremony. Maid of honor was Sharon Mallory and best man was Randy Price. The couple will live at 4400 Ave. U. The bridegroom is employed with Snyder Heating and Air Conditioning. Both are Snyder High School graduates.

Billboard's Top Singles

By the Associated Press

Here are Billboard's hot record hits for the week.

Hot Singles

1. "Le Freak" Chic Atlantic.
2. "Too much Heaven" Bee Gees RSO
3. "You Don't Bring Me Flowers" Barbra Streisand & Neil Diamond Columbia.
4. "My Life" Billy Joel Columbia.
5. "I Love the Night Life" Alicia Bridges Polydor
6. "I Just Wanna Stop" Gina Vannelli A&M
7. "Sharing The Night Together" Dr. Hook Capitol.
8. "Y.M.C.A." Village People Casablanca
9. "Our Love, Don't Throw It All Away" Andy Gibb RSO
10. "Hold The Line" Toto Columbia

School Menu

ELEMENTARY AND SCEONDARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENUS

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: The best victory is to conquer self.
Hot Rolls & Honey
Cold Cereal
Orange Juice
Milk

LUNCH

Italian Spaghetti w-Ground Beef
Garden Salad w-Dressisng
Seasoned Green Peas
Fruit Cocktail
Garlic Bread w-Butter
Milk

TUESDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Choose the best of life, for habit will make it pleasant.

BREAKFAST

Toast & Jelly
Hot Buttered Rice or Oatmeal
Orange Wedges
Milk

LUNCH

ELEMENTARY

Cafeteria Style
Roast Tom Turkey w-Giblet Gravy
Savory Cornbread Dressing
Cranberry Sauce
Green Beans Alamadine
Fresh Fruit Salad
Pumpkin Pie w-Topping
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

JUNIOR HIGH

Cafeteria Style
Roast Tom Turkey w-giblet Gravy
Savory Cornbread Dressing
Cranberry Sauce
Green Beans Almondine
Buttered Whipped Potatoes
Fresh Fruit Salad
Pumpkin Pie w-Topping
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

SENIOR HIGH

Buffet Style
Roast Tom Turkey w-Giblet Gravy
Savory Cornbread Dressing
Cranberry Sauce
Or
Baked Virginia Ham w-Cherry Jubilee Sauce
Fluffy Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans Almondine
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Fresh Fruit Salad
Pumpkin Pie w-Topping
Hot Rolls & Butter
Tea, Coffee or Milk

BLANCHE'S BLABS

By BLANCHE CHISUM
Scurry County Extension Agent

It is good to be back in the office during this holiday season. During my leave of absence from my duties as your county Extension Agent, I came across this letter that all husbands may wish to read before they go purchase that special gift for their wife.

Christmas Gift Guide For Husbands

Dear Husband,

Christmas morning generally finds the family waiting for mother to exclaim over a new major appliance--a dishwasher or a dryer, perhaps--gleaming white or some chic new fashion color, all topped with a huge red bow.

But what mother is really seeing is that little black book, all neatly marked off into monthly payments spread over the next two years. It may be difficult for her to remember the goodwill of Christmas morning when she is trying to stretch payments for both the appliance and the fuel bill next March.

Wives love you for wanting to give them everything to make their jobs easier. They just wish you'd listen to a few suggestions!

For example--unless it's an appliance brand new to a household, wait until it's really time for a change. Just because she's dazzled by the neighbor's new luxury model doesn't mean mother is ready to give up her present appliance. If you do buy a new appliance, be sure it's the model she wants.

Almost any woman would rather have a candy cane with a note wrapped around it reading "First thing Monday pick out the dryer you've been dreaming about," than to have the one she doesn't want delivered Christmas Eve. Even with a red bow on it.

Should you decide on a labor-saving device as a gift, don't forget to add some small extra gift, perhaps personal, such as perfume, or a dinner and theatre "date." Wives like to be considered important as a person--as well as being the one who does the laundry and washes the dishes.



REVIEW PROJECTS-Bob Travis, school principal and Florence Lewis, kindergarten teacher, met recently with project chairmen John and Janie Thomas, and the executive committee of the East Elementary PTA to discuss proposals for projects to be presented at the next PTA meeting. This meeting will be held Monday, Dec. 18 at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium. A play will be presented by the fourth grade classes with the assistance of the music department.

PreventFoodPoisoning

An article in the British Medical Journal (November) predicts reports of Christmas food poisoning from eating turkey, chicken, duck or goose. Cold chicken is cited as a frequent vehicle of infection. Taken out of deep freeze and thawed for only an hour or two before roasting for too short a time at too low a temperature, the inadequate heating is often followed by too slow cooling. But, "worst of all, the chicken may simply be left overnight at room temperature which is favorable for bacterial growth."

The article cites a study in which cooked chicken was found to be more vulnerable to bacterial spoilage than was raw chicken. "A normal kitchen provides numerous sources of spoilage bacteria, it states--including, for example, air of the kitchen and refrigerator, work surfaces, cutting equipment, socially clean plates and watertaps."



PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER-Margaret Womack, bride-elect of Ray Sherrod, was honored with a shower in the fellowship hall of First United Methodist Church recently. Hostesses for the event were Barbara Hamlett, Vera Bagwell, Wanda Clinton, Mary Jane Hamlett, Margaret Weaver, Dorothy Ratliff, Joan Stewart, Eleanor Dryden, Lee Falls, Barbara Bigham, Sue Lyon, Jean Everett, Frances Machen, Wanda Ward, Iva Lee Crop, Doris Greenfield, Reba Erwin, Barbara McGee, Mary Williams and Polly Phillips. Pictured are, from left, Martha Womack, sister of the future bride, Mrs. Bob Womack, her mother, the honoree, and Mrs. L.G. Sherrod, mother of the prospective groom. (SDN Staff Photo)



GIFT BAZAAR SET-Amitie Jr. Study Club will have a Gift Bazaar all this week at the Johnson Insurance Agency, 2411 Ave. R. It will be open daily Monday through Friday, also Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Unique Christmas ornaments, candles, toys, greeting cards, stationery, jewelry, and many other gift items will be available. Above, Jan Johnson, left, and Betsy Abrahams, ways and means chairman, are preparing for the sale.

West Elementary Presenting Play

The kindergarten students of Debbie Brock are presenting the play "A Christmas Tale" Monday at 7 p.m. in the West Elementary Auditorium.

The Sixth grade choir will be singing christmas music ranging from Bach's "Jesus Joy of Man's Desiring" to the ever popular "White Christmas."

The choir is directed by Mary Lou Scott, music teacher at West Elementary.

"Please join us along with an unexpected visitor who 'hops' in to share some Christmas joy," Mays Ms. Brock.

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Your fireplace can glow with colored flames and brightness. Soaked first in chemicals, wood chips, sawdust, evergreen cones or blocks of wood, even tightly rolled newspapers, will give vari-colored flames when burned.

The chemicals: Copper sulfate will produce a green color; calcium chloride or calcium phosphate, for orange; copper chloride for blue; lithium chloride for purple.

You can purchase them at drug stores, fertilizer plants or chemical houses. Keep them away from children or pets, and to avoid storage problems buy only enough for current chemical treatment.

Treat the materials outdoors, using rubber gloves in handling and be careful not to spill solutions. Dissolve chemicals in a wooden pail, plastic bucket or earthen crock since they will spoil metal containers. An old paint can will make a good treating vat. Use one pound of chemical to one gallon of water, one chemical per batch. However, you don't have to clean the bucket before changing chemicals.

Place the material to be treated in a mesh or porous bag and submerge it. Soak it for a day or two, lift it out and drain it over the container. Spread it out to dry. If spread on newspapers, the newspapers may then be rolled tightly and burned in the fireplace when dried.

You can treat some cones or wooden blocks and give them as holiday gifts in colored mosquito netting.

Preserve Mistletoe, Holly

To make your mistletoe last longer and stay fresher, spray it with clear plastic or dip the stems in melted wax. This will keep the leaves from shriveling and the berries from falling off early.

To preserve your Chirstmas holly, crush the heavy, woody branch ends and place them for several days in a quart of water into which is stirred a table spoon brown sugar. This will permit the branches to absorb sufficient moisture to stay fresh through the holidays.

In decorating outdoors, don't forget the mailbox. Adorn it with holly or greens as a friendly greeting to the post man, guests and passing motorists and neighbors.

Preserve Holly Plants

Overwatering and overheating are the two most common causes for hurting indoor plants, including the popular poinsettias, azaleas, cyclamen, philodendrons and other flowering and foliage items given as Christmas gifts. Poinsettias like it drier than other plants.

Most foliage plants should be watered so that the soil is moist but not soaked or muddy. A good rule is to water all plants at the same time each day until water runs out of the drainage hole. Between waterings let the plants dry out so that the soil on top is barely moist to the touch. If you water by natural capillary action (absorption from the bottom) don't let the plant stay overlong in a tray with water.

We like clay pots best but it you use watertight containers pour off excess run-off water to discourage accumulation in the bottom. Roots may become waterlogged.

Give glossy-leaved foliage plants a weekly shower or sponging with lukewarm water. Use a soft brush to clean hairy-leaved plants. Keep plants out of drafts. Most plants want light from the sun or otherwise for a few hours daily. Feed plants monthly, applying while the soil is moist.

Keep plants away from heat outlets.

Looking for a Christmas gift for a friend? For Earl Aronson's "Associated Press Guide to House Plants," send $1 to House Plants, AP Newsfeatures, 50 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10020.



FRESH DATES-As rendered in the early years of this century in a print from the culinary picture collection of AP Food Editor Cecily Brownstone.

Muffins Tasty Treat

By Cecily Brownstone
Associated Press
Food Editor

DEAR CECILY: Some years ago you gave a recipe for Sour Cream Date Muffins that I loved but lost. Would you give it again?-GRATEFUL.

DEAR GRATEFUL: Sorry to say that recipe isn't in my files, and I can't find one that fits your description in the cookbooks on breads on my shelves. So here's my effort to help you - a recipe I just devised. - C.B.

SOUR CREAM DATE MUFFINS

1 cup fork-stirred all-purpose flour
½ teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon baking soda
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
1 large egg
½ cup firmly packed light brown sugar
¾ cup commercial sour cream
½ cup slivered fresh dates
½ cup chopped (medium-fine) walnuts

On wax paper stir together the flour, leavenings, salt and spices. In a medium bowl beat the egg slightly; add the sugar and sout cream and beat to blend. Add the flour mixture, dates and nuts; stir only until the flour mixture is moistened. Fill muffin-pan cups (each 2½ by 1 inch) two-thirds full. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven until a cake tester inserted in the center comes out clean-25 minutes. Good served hot or warm, with or without butter. Makes 12.

When selecting a new roof material, buy the best quality you can afford, advises Sue Young, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. The labor cost of application is usually the same whether the life expectancy is 15 to 20 years.

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♥ 10 9 8
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♣ Q 6 3

EAST
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♥ J 6 3 2
♦ Q 8 6 3
♣ 5 4

SOUTH
♠ A Q 7 3
♥ Q 5 4
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♣ A K J 10 7 2

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

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Pass	4♥	Pass	6♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♥10

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

South wasted no time with his simple slam contract. He won the heart lead in dummy and lost a club finesse to West. Back came a second heart. South won this one in his own hand, drew trumps, got back to dummy with the remaining high heart, discarded two spades on the ace and king of diamonds, lost the spade finesse and the slam.

"Finesses work for everyone else. Never for me," lamented South.

He was right about one thing. Neither finesse worked for him this time, but he had not needed to try them.

Here is the winning line of play: Win the heart in dummy, cash the top diamonds to get rid of two spades, lead a third diamond and ruff with the 10 of trumps. Now lead a low trump to dummy.

If West plays low you make seven. But West is too smart for that. He rises with his queen and leads another heart.

Win in your hand. Lead a second low trump to dummy. Ruff another diamond, draw the last trump, get to dummy with a heart and discard your queen of spades on a good diamond.

Ask the Experts

A Kentucky reader asks what a goulash hand is.

In many games after a hand is passed out, each player arranges his cards in suits. The hands are placed one on top of another. There are several cuts, but no shuffle and the cards are dealt five at a time, five at a time and three at a time to produce weird distributions.

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

Poinsettia Legendary Christmas Flower

NEW YORK (AP)-The tradition of the poinsettia as a plant symbolic of the Christmas season in the United States stems from a Mexican legend which tells of the custom in a certain village of placing gifts before the church's creche on Christmas Eve.

According to the legend, a small boy, with nothing to give, knelt to pray in the snow outside. In the spot where he knelt, a beautiful plant with scarlet leaves grew immediately, and he presented it as his gift to the infant Jesus.

The Mexicans called the plant Flor de la Noche Buena, Flower of the Holly Night. It was introduced to the United States in 1828 by Dr. Joel Roberts Poinsett, first U.S. minister to Mexico.

The story of how the poinsettia got its name, along with the history of the Christmas tree, the Yule log and the holly bush, is one of the seven holiday aspects covered by the "Story of Christmas" exhibit at the Kodak Gallery in mid-Manhattan through Jan. 7.

Pressure canners use 26 to 42 percent less energy than saucepans on top of range, reports Linda McCormack, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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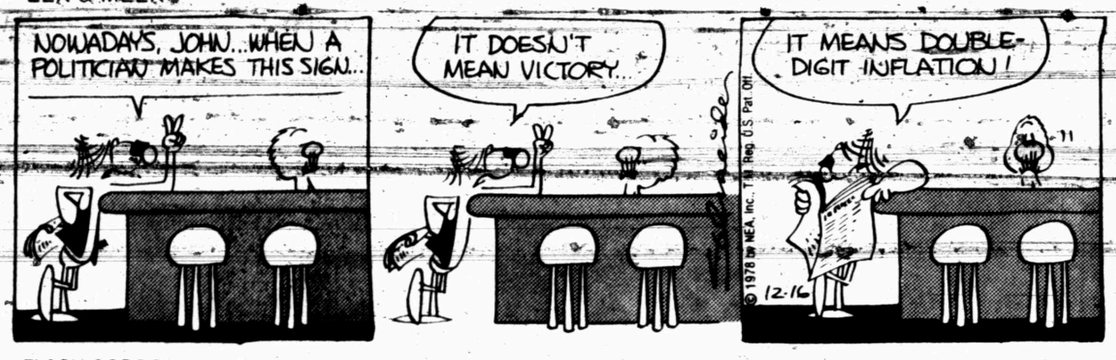
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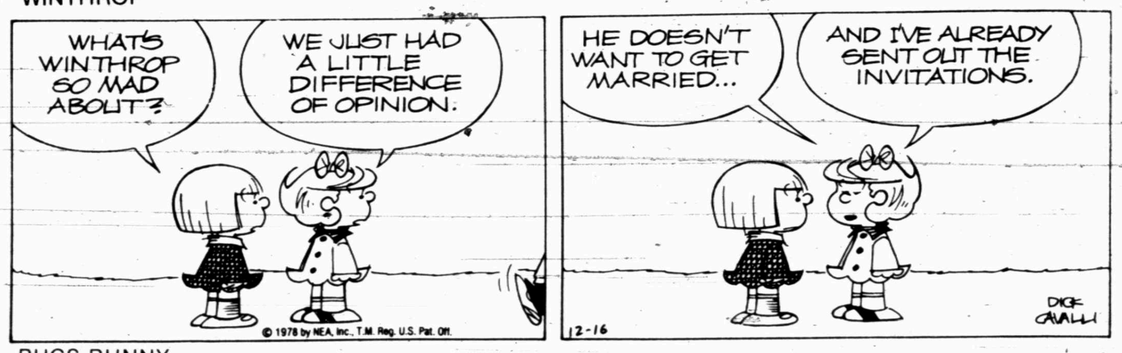
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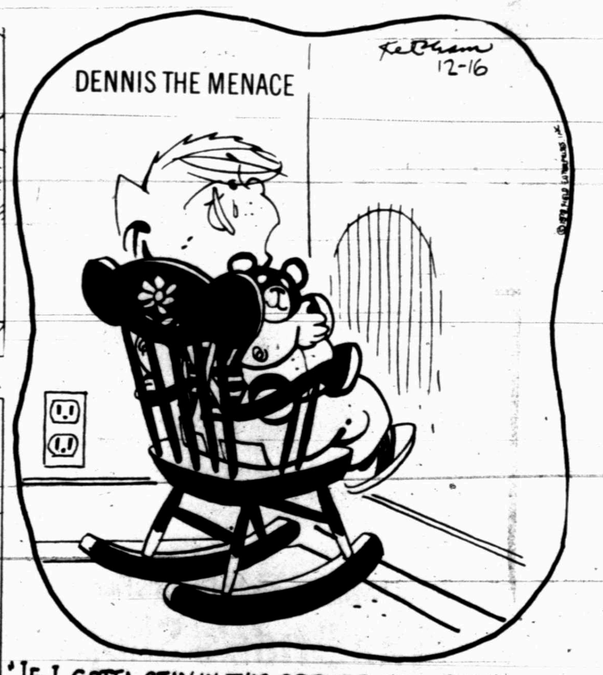
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15 Vicinity
16 Word of division
17 CIA forerunner
18 Muscle
20 Threnody
22 Piece of jewelry
24 More obscure
26 Of the same kind
30 Male or female
31 District attorney (abbr.)
32 ... Lincoln
33 Automotive society (abbr.)
34 Outbuilding (abbr.)
36 Insect egg
37 Vortex
39 Selects
42 Mean
45 Steam
47 Planted grass
51 Fixed
52 Casks
54 First rate (comp. wd.)
55 Female saint (abbr.)
56 Fencing sword
57 Travel on horseback
58 Heavy weight
59 Spread for drying
60 And not

DOWN

1 Stationary
2 Journey
3 Bird
4 Mixed
5 Long period of time
6 Nitrate
7 Fog and smoke
8 Cushy
9 Kind of lettuce
11 Loom bar
13 Lone performance
19 Sturdy tree
21 Environment agency (abbr.)
23 Draftsman
24 Not living
25 Cut off (sl.)
27 German philosopher
28 Nile bird
29 Hair-do holder
30 Compass point
35 Grouped
38 Puppy sound
40 Self
41 Tree
43 Bailot
44 Explode
45 President's no
46 Solar disc
48 Kill (2 wds. sl.)
49 Inner (prefix)
50 Woodland animal
51 Swift aircraft (abbr.)
53 By birth

Answer to Previous Puzzle



Gulf Geopressured Zones Potential Source Of Gas

By MAX B. SKELTON
AP Oil Writer

HOUSTON (AP)—Scientists say geopressured zones along the Gulf Coast are among the largest potential sources of natural gas.

Such deep zones are areas of sedimentary deposits containing trapped water at higher than normal pressures. The trapped water is estimated to contain significant quantities of dissolved methane.

The American Gas Association reports natural gas contained in geopressured-geothermal zones along the Texas-Louisiana coast is receiving great interest as a future large source of gas supply.

In view of the possible significance of this new source to the nation's energy future, the AGA has devoted an entire issue of its Gas Supply Review to the subject.

Estimates of recoverable natural gas from geopressured aquifers range from 45 to 2,500 trillion cubic feet.

Dr. Myron H. Dorfman of the University of Texas, in an evaluation of natural gas from the zones, said the wide variation of the estimates is indicative of the degree of uncertainty in resource assessment.

"Based on the wide range of recoverable resource estimates, it would appear that while an appreciable amount of gas is contained in-situ in the resource, the upper and lower bounds of the actually recoverable resource are educated guesses at this time," Dorfman said.

Bennie G. DiBona of the Department of Energy's division of geothermal energy, said recent investigations indicate the coastal aquifers contain vast quantities of dissolved natural gas and represent a significant source of hydraulic and thermal energy for electricity production and direct heat uses.

In an overview of the federal government's development program, Di Bona said the aquifers extend from 8,000 feet deep, are under high formation pressure ranging from 6,000 to more than 15,000 pounds per square inch, and have temperatures ranging from 250 to more than 400 degrees.

"Early studies by the U.S. Geological Survey estimated that onshore Gulf Coast geopressured aquifers might be capable of producing 100 quads of electricity from the heat content of the brine alone and that the energy content of the associated dissolved natural gas could contribute an additional 500 quads."

One quad is equivalent to more than 1 trillion cubic feet of natural gas.

Dorfman said the economics of recovering natural gas from geopressured zones is highly uncertain. The many factors involved, he said, include the value of natural gas, the cost of drilling wells suitable for production of fluids at depths of 15,000 feet, the ability of such wells to flow at rates in excess of 1,000 gallons a minute, and the ability of such wells to produce without significant damage to the environment.

"Large fluid withdrawals could result in subsidence and activation of growth faults at the surface," he said.

DiBona said the federal government has had an active research and development program on geopressured-geothermal resources since 1975.

"The goal of the program is to stimulate the commercial development, by the private sector, of the geopressured-geothermal resource as an economical, reliable, safe, and environmentally acceptable energy source," he said.

"Major program activities are aimed at improving understanding of the resource, including the confirmation of optimum reservoirs and the identification and resolution of key engineering, environment and institutional problems."

If successful, DiBona said, the program will provide the information required by the industry to develop geopressured energy resources beginning in the mid-1980s.

Eating Oil

SUMMIT, N.J. (AP)—An energy consultant says the oil Americans use for eating is adding to the oil shortage.

"We're now starting to feel it in a most unexpected place - the local food store," said Leslie G. Cook, president of L.G. Cook Associates, Inc.

In a research report titled, "The Energy Crunch," Cook said Americans invest 10-12 calories of oil in tractors, trucks, fertilizers and refrigeration to put one calorie of food on their plates.

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Drilling Projects Set In Scurry, Kent Areas

W. B. Osborn Operator of San Antonio announced plans to spud a 4,200-foot wildcat in Kent County.

It is No. 1 Davis, ½ mile northwest of Jayton and 467 feet from south and east lines of section 9, block L, H&TC survey. It is one mile southeast of a 7,199-foot dry hole.

Ground elevation is 2,004 feet.

Banam Corp. of Midland announced location for a 6,700-foot project in Scurry County. It will attempt to reopen Strawn production in the Hermleigh field.

Slated as No. 1 Howell, is 1,200 feet from west of the depleted discovery and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 62, block 3, H&TC survey, abstract 1523.

The drillsite is five miles southwest of Camp Springs.

Delta Gulf, Inc., of San Antonio No. 2 Sterling Williams will be dug as a 7,500-foot wildcat in Scurry County, 12 miles east of Snyder.

The project will spud 660 feet from south and west lines of section 88, block 3, H&TC survey. The location is ¾ mile southeast of Delta Gulf No. 1 Williams, a 7,300-foot failure, and two miles southeast of the depleted Hermleigh field.

DRY HOLES:

BORDEN COUNTY—Wil-Mc Oil Corp. No. 1 Stephens, wildcat, 2,173 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of section 41, block 32, T-6-N, H&OB survey, six miles northwest of Gail, abandoned location.

KENT COUNTY—Harken Oil & Gas, Inc., No. 1 Warren American-Jones Estate, wildcat, 2,100 feet from north and 1,750 feet from east lines of section 147, block G, W&NW survey, 10 miles west of Clairemont, td 7,059 feet.

Chapel Has Singing Feline

CHICAGO (AP)-The phantom of Rockefeller Chapel has been found. It's a cat who likes to sing - but not for an audience.

"That's right. A white cat with brown spots wandered into the chapel about two weeks ago, probably because he heard the choir singing," said Mignon Hickman, administrative assistant for the chapel at the University of Chicago.

It was some time before the cat was actually seen, but every time the 43-member concert choir began practicing, his voice could be heard.

"I'm convinced that the cat knows Bach's "Christmas Oratorio," said Mrs. Hickman. But when the "Christmas Oratorio" was performed before a crowd, the cat didn't join in.

"He doesn't like audiences," said Mrs. Hickman. "He's back this week singing along at rehearsals for Handel's 'Messiah.'"

Superman Visits Queen Elizabeth

LONDON (AP)—Hollywood's new blockbuster "Superman" was screened for Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Andrew at a European Royal charity premier here. Later the film's star met with the queen.

The $35 million film opened Thursday in Britain, one night after the royal preview. The American-financed movie stars Christopher Reed, 26, in the title role, and has received hearty reviews here.

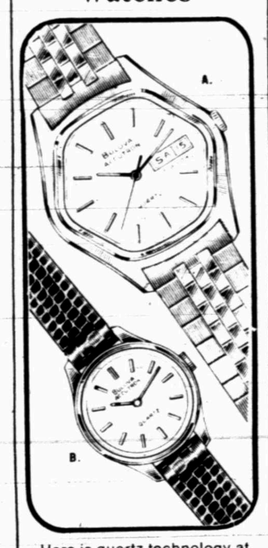
Aids Sentenced For Gang Support

STUTTGART, West Germany (AP)—A West German court convicted former legal aides Thursday of having supported a gang which planned to free imprisoned Baader-Meinhof terrorists.

It sentenced Volker Speitel to three years and two months in prison. Hans-Joachim Dellwo was sentenced to two years. The court ruled the two smuggled weapons and explosives into Stuttgart's Stammheim Prison and did so at the direction of defense attorneys. Authorities said Andreas Baader and Jan-Carl Raspe used the weapons to commit suicide in their cells Oct. 19, 1977.

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Policemen Changing To Suit Needs Of Society

EDITOR'S NOTE— Change is coming, often uneasily, to police departments across the country. Old methods are being challenged. The new directions aren't clear yet, but the cop of the future in some places may be pounding the beat again, instead of driving it. And "he" may be a "she" - with a sociology degree.

By Margaret Gentry
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)— Police professionals in the United States are taking a long, hard look at themselves, their role and their objectives. Old methods are being questioned, new ones tried.

It's not always clear which works better, but experiments there are, and the re-examination is being undertaken more readily, thoughtfully, and scientifically than ever before.

Public criticism, tighter budgets, social change - or all three - have been the spurs. For citizens from New York's Times Square to San Francisco's Ghirardelli Square and all the Elm streets in between, it means the cop on the beat will likely be different 10 years from now.

For one thing, cops of the future are more likely to be women - maybe with sociology degrees. Their number has been growing - to 3 percent of urban police forces in 1977 against 2 percent the year before.

In the 1980s in some cities, the cop on the beat actually will be walking the beat again, a more familiar and perhaps more trusted presence than the uniformed stranger speeding by in a squad car.

In some neighborhoods, the patrol officer of the 1980s will have more authority to investigate crimes and make other decisions without waiting for orders from the sergeant.

Crime, of course, will go on. But police in the 1980s may have something better than guesswork to measure how well they fight it.

The current ferment in the police community had its genesis in what Newark Police Director Hubert Williams calls "the furious, fiery 60s."

Police were unprepared for the riots of that decade and even less prepared for the burst of criticism to follow. Suddenly, politicians and presidential commissions were echoing what blacks in the ghetto had been saying for years: police forces were too white, too harsh, too alienated from the citizenry.



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HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Secret is good diet

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am about 15 pounds overweight and cannot seem to lose this weight. I walk and exercise but I do not get the results I want. I will lose five pounds and gain them right back. Could you give me help in finding a diet I could follow to get these 15 pounds off and keep them off?

DEAR READER — Your problem is shared by many. The first difficulty is getting rid of the unwanted pounds of fat and the second is keeping them from coming back. The secret is in learning a good proper diet and staying on it.

Losing and gaining back five pounds can be associated with a simple change in body water content. Did you know that a young healthy individual completely hydrated can go to bed and lose as much as five pounds because of bed rest in 24-to-48 hours? The weight loss, of course, is completely from water washed out of the body from bed rest. We saw the same thing in space flights from weightlessness. The astronauts lost weight because they lost body water. They also regained it as soon as they returned to earth.

A lot of the fad diets simply restrict carbohydrates which causes the body to eliminate sodium salt and with it about five pounds of water. As soon as the person starts a normal, sensible diet again the important salt is retained by the body and with it the normal amount of water. So what lots of people are doing is simply washing water in and out and looking at the bathroom scales. Frequently they are not losing an ounce of fat.

I am sending you a diet which you can use as a basis for a weight control program. It is in The Health Letter number 4-7, Weight Losing Diet. Other readers who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. That diet is a balanced diet including important foods from all four of the basic food groups.

You can use this basic diet for your plan for a balanced diet after you've lost weight. All you need to do is keep these basic food elements in your diet and add other foods that you like as long as you don't start gaining weight again. The other point the diet plan makes is that while you are on the diet you ought to have a regular daily exercise program.

One of the problems with most fad diets is that people don't really learn proper nutrition while they are on them. They stay on the diet for short periods of time and then revert back to the same dietary patterns that caused them to be overweight in the first place. So you need a diet plan like this to learn what the basic food elements are that constitute a sensible diet plan, then you can use it to keep the weight off once you've finally gotten rid of it.

I'd also like to emphasize the value of exercise on a long-term weight control project. Individuals who only have to lose five or 10 pounds are usually better off to lose these five to 10 pounds over six months to a year's time by gradually increasing their exercise activity every day. The pitfall is you have to be careful not to increase your food intake at the same time you are increasing your exercise.

If a 150-pound person will just walk a mile and a half every day, he will use the amount of calories in 10 pounds of fat in the course of a year. You don't need to diet to lose those 10 pounds, just avoid increasing your calories as you add the daily walk to your routine. It isn't dramatic and you have to take that walk every day but it is safe, healthy and the walk is good for your peace of mind.

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Dear Abby

Her Problem: A Buss Stop

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I'm a 20-year-old girl who works at a place that's way out in the sticks and not easy to get to.

My problem is a neighbor who's given me a ride to work and back for nearly a year. He's about my father's age. (I call him Pops to keep him in his place.)

I started giving Pops a little peck on the cheek every time I said goodbye. It was just a friendly little kiss, but now he's started to grab me and kiss me long and hard on the lips.

I know I shouldn't have started up with him in the first place, but I never thought he'd act like that.

I don't drive. This man picks me up at home every morning and drops me off at work. If I need a ride home, he's right there to take me. He's never asked for a dime.

The free transportation was a good deal before he got so chummy. How can I keep his hands off me without losing my rides?

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DEAR TOUGH: You probably can't. Thanks to inflation, the price of everything keeps going up, and what you used to get for a peck on the cheek might soon cost you a stop at a motel. So kiss the free rides goodbye, and find other transportation.

DEAR ABBY: Three cheers for your answer to CALIFORNIA PARENTS who were angry with a doctor for treating their 15-year-old son for VD without telling them. They ought to thank that doctor, not reproach him.

Last summer I thought I had VD. I was only 17 and it was hard enough for me to confess my fears to a doctor, but had it been necessary to tell my parents I wouldn't have gone to a doctor at all. It would have nearly killed my folks, and I just couldn't face them with that kind of problem.

As it turned out, I didn't have VD, but I got a much appreciated lecture and some very good advice from a very understanding doctor.

GRATEFUL GIRL

DEAR GRATEFUL: Many readers disagreed with me, but I heard from many doctors and nurses who said, "Right on!"

Read on for a letter from a registered nurse.

DEAR ABBY: I was pleased to see that letter in your column concerning minors and VD because I work in a clinic where VD is treated and I know how serious the problem has become.

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And what about the number of people they might infect? Many girls never even know they have it until they are hospitalized with a serious pelvic infection.

Those parents ought to thank their lucky stars they raised a kid who had enough courage and a sense of responsibility for his or her actions and went to a doctor who, backed by the law, was able to treat him.

AN R.N., PORTLAND, ORE.

Who said the teen years are the happiest? For Abby's new booklet "What Teenagers Want to Know," write Abby: 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Enclose $1 and a long, stamped (28 cents), self-addressed envelope, please.

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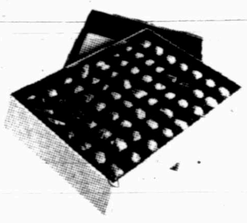
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Build Your Own Coffin

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP)—Dale Zamzow has just the thing for the person who likes to plan ahead: a $2.45 instruction booklet explaining how to design and build your own coffin.

"Caskets normally cost anywhere from $100 to $500," he said. "But if you take my booklet and add the cost of materials, you can build one for around $50.

"And besides, how many people get a chance to choose their own coffins."

Zamzow, a 45-year-old systems analyst here, estimates he has sold 200 sets of instructions through advertisements in magazines and newspapers in the past few months.

One selling point, he says, is that a newly constructed coffin need not gather dust while the owner is living.

"One guy I know is temporarily using his as a liquor cabinet. It also could be used as a stereo or a gun cabinet," he said.

Zamzow, naturally, has built his own.

"Since I'm going to be cremated, I have a 1 foot-long, 4-inch-high casket for my ashes," he said. "My wife, who designs dolls, is using it as a closet for doll clothes right now."

Thieves Invade Danish Capital

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP)—Thefts ranging from pocket-picking to removal of public telephones, street signs and antique door handles from a court building has plagued the Danish capital lately.

Thieves also stole a bronze lion's head from the front gate of the district court building. Recently a man disguised as a workman entered the same court building to unscrew scores of brass furnishings and handles from all the doors.



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Policeman Injured In 'Wild Scene'

DALLAS (AP)f—A policeman questioning a carload of youths for drinking was seriously injured Wednesday when the driver of the car sped away, carrying the officer on the hood until he fell off and hit a traffic sign.

"It was a wild scene," said Assistant Principal Larry McNorrell, a witness near the high school where the incident occurred. "I saw it all, and I still can't believe it happened."

Officer Fred McDonald, 29, suffered a broken arm, a collapsed lung and back and internal injuries in the incident.

Two of five youngsters in the car were later arrested, but three, including the driver, escaped.

McNorrell said he saw the youths throw an empty malt liquor can out of their car in front of the school and after exchanging words with them summoned McDonald, the officer on duty in the neighborhood.

McDonald approached the car and asked to see the driver's license, and "about that time the car took off and he ended up on the hood," McDonald said. "I don't know if he jumped on the car or fell across it as they started up."

Viet Minister Visiting Japan

TOKYO (AP)—Vietnamese Foreign Minister Nguyen Duy Trihn arrived here Thursday for a six-day visit that is likely to focus on Japanese police toward aid for his country.

Published reports said Japan will extend more than $200 million in financial assistance, besides $183 million already pledged, to finance a thermal power plant project in Janoi. The Foreign Ministry would not deny or confirm the reports.

Reassurance For Coffee Drinkers

Good news for coffee drinkers was reported in a recent issue of the Archives of Internal Medicine (October). The authors of a large-scale study in Evans County, Georgia, "an area that has been designated as the Stroke Belt," concluded that "neither coronary heart disease nor stroke death rates seem related to coffee-drinking habits."

An editorial that precedes the study is entitled, "Coffee--Grounds for Reassurance."

Pollution Water News Maddening

LOMBARD, Ill. (AP) When news is released about polluted drinking water, anger is not directed against those who are making the water unsafe, but against those who release information about its possible health risks, according to a study reported by the Water Quality Association.

In Duluth, the site of the study, after potentially dangerous levels of asbestos were reported in the water, 47 percent continued to use it.

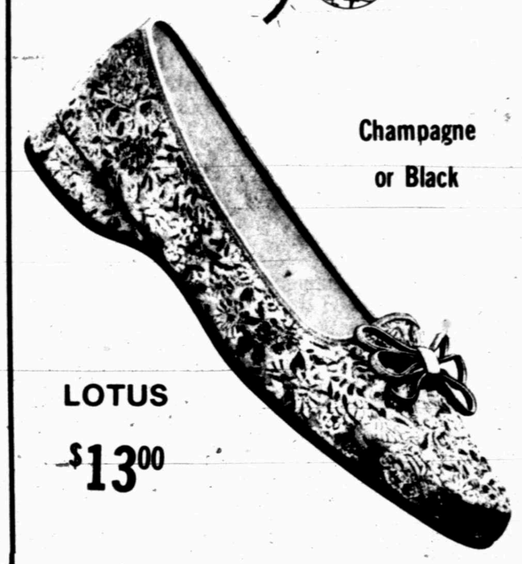
About 51 percent chose alternate sources, drawing water from private wells, buying bottled water, or installing a home water filter.

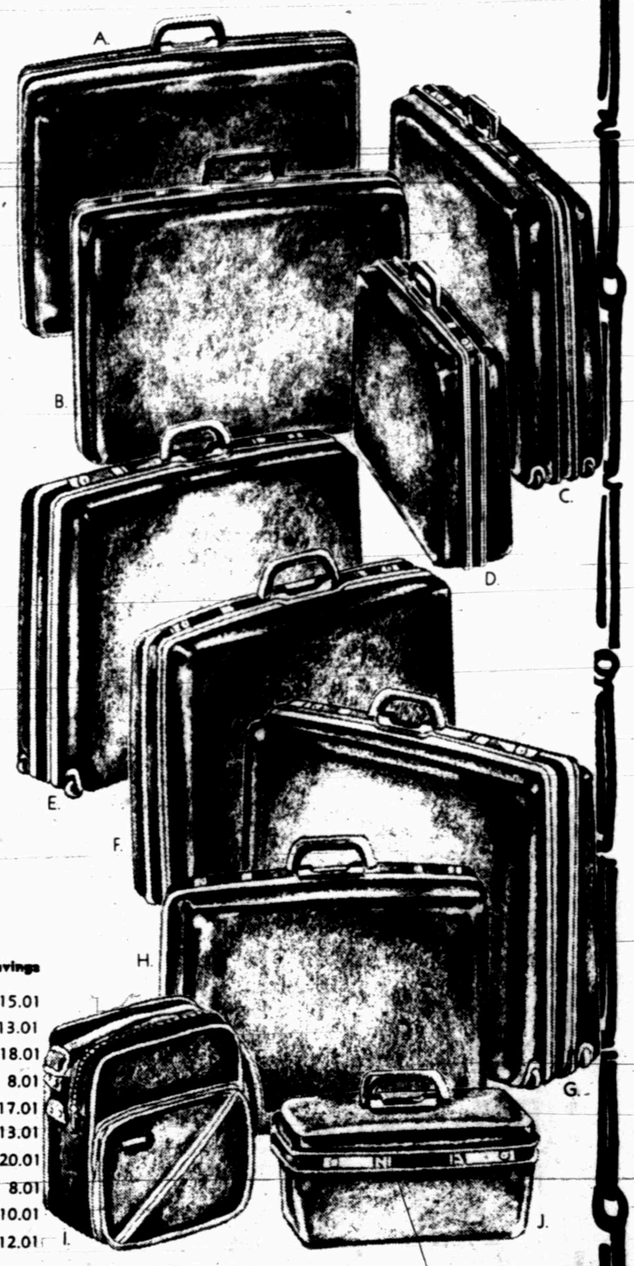
The people who continued to use tap water, the study indicated, were mostly those who saw a division of opinion among professionals about the water's safety, and they were angry at those experts who had declared it unsafe.

A mother hamster can have as many as 12 babies about every month. And in just a few weeks those babies can start having babies of their own - often every month.

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what the u.n. is not

Andrew Young (remember him?) has been rather softspoken since his headline-making remarks on political prisoners and assorted other touchy topics of some months back. But the other day the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations spoke out in the General Assembly in eomplaint against the lack of support forthcoming from the body's majority for Mideast peace efforts.

Young noted with distress a series of anti-Israeli resolutions that did not place the United Nations where he thought it should be—in the forefront of peace efforts.

"It should not allow itself," he said, "to be swayed by political doctrines which claim to advance peace but only hinder it."

Certainly true enough, but it is to be hoped that the ambassador was speaking for the record that the record and not in revelation of any sudden realization on the part of his government of the true state of U.N. affairs. The organization is not only swayed but controlled by the political doctrines of its dominant factions.

By and large, member states have always sought to use it as a vehicle for forwarding their own policies, an attitude to which the United States contributed massively back in the first postwar years when, with a preponderance of the world's military and economic power and a pack of allies ready to follow its lead anywhere, it made most U.N. policy in Washington.

A number of balances since have shifted, and whatever cutting edge U.N. actions have in these latter days is largely determined by the axes the multitudinous Third World states and the single-minded Arab bloc have to grind.

The United Nations still has it uses as a world forum, and as an occasional gendarme of last resort in keeping small-power combatants at arms length. But is not and has never been the force for peace and international cooperation it was initially presented as.

Which may be a pity, but no surprise.

impossible objective

It has been a legal truism for many years now that persons may not be denied enjoyment of any legal right because of race. When the Supreme Court first began handing down decisions in line with that precedent, it was assumed that whites had no need to claim protection of the law in this regard. Only blacks suffer from this type of discrimination, according to popular concept.

As a practical matter that was pretty much the case. Whites outnumber blacks by about nine to one in the nation's total population. In certain localities that is not the case. There are large areas where the racial composition is all-white or all-black. But in practice, it was taken for granted that a white person would never be denied his civil rights because of race.

That was pretty much the situation until the famed Bakke case was decided by the Supreme Court. In that situation a white man had been denied admission to a medical college although blacks with less impressive educational credentials were admitted. Discrimination was not the intent. Admission of a certain number of minority applicants was a policy of the educational institution.

This objective is unassailable as public policy. It seemed a practical way to provide medical training of members of minority ethnic groups. That a white person might be denied admission to a medical college solely on account of race was something nobody had anticipated.

The Supreme Court held that authorities had violated the civil rights of the litigant and ordered his admission. But the decision didn't quite settle the basic issue. It held that members of minority ethnic groups can be favored in certain sitiations where it is necessary in order to achieve social objectives.

The Court has now agreed to hear another case involving alleged violation of a white man's civil rights. In this case the suit involves personnel policies of an industrial corporation. The issue is pretty much the same as in the Bakke case. But there are differences of detail.

Will the Court clear the issue this time or resolve a specific problem and leave broader questions unanswered? Probably so.

Trying to relate the Constitution to details of human relationships continues to come up because it is an impossible undertaking.

Berry's World



"I'd like to be able to bring you Earl Campbell, coach, but I can't!"



"Could you look up my balance, please — I want to know if my Christmas shopping has finished me yet."

paul harvey

the unseen replay



Every TV performer has his own check list before the final countdown.

Mine goes like this: "Socks up, cuffs out, tie straight, collar tight, chin up – and 'look natural.'".

Look natural? No way.

And television is particularly tough on Virgos; every performance has to be perfect and none ever is.

After the TV talk show is over the lights dim and the credits roll, and the audience gets the last glimpse of the participants shaking hands and pretending to continue to converse.

After that, each talk show host goes home vowing to seek more interesting guests, and each guest returns to his hotel or home reviewing in anguish all the profound and clever things he might have said and did not.

When Merv Griffin asked for an evaluation of Carter I hummed and hawed. I should have said, "He's the same kind of President as he was governor." That would have been enough.

When asked about Nixon, Weary of that question, I reverted to a redundant cliche. I might have said, "History will be kinder than his contemporaries."

When my host asked about California's Gov. Jerry Brown I said something about having observed him only from a distance and preferring it that way. That sounded pompous though it was not meant to be.

I should have said that I see much of Adlai Stevenson in Jerry Brown, and Stevenson's life I knew to be more tragic than triumphant.

One member of the panel insisted that when any man becomes President he is immediately surrounded by a magic aura which begets respect.

Why didn't I say that such response is all in the eye of the beholder; that any President's wife still sees him in his underwear?

That observation came to me four hours too late – upon looking in the mirror as I got up to go to the bathroom at midnight.

The most painful afterthoughts for the TV talk show guest are the inevitable recollections of the innumerable times he could have worked in a plug for his movie, his program, his project or his book -- and allowed that golden moment to slip away.

A member of the panel mentioned that Gen. Douglas MacArthur had an Eurasian sweetheart between marriages; that there was nothing sordid about the romance, but MacArthur did not want his mother to find out.

My son Paul has included in his "The Rest of the Story" radio program a chapter called "Momma's Boy," which reveals how Douglas Mac Arthur's doting mother went with him to West Point to live nearby and see that her "baby" was properly fed and led.

There was the perfect opportunity for me to inject my profound knowledgeability on this subject and to mention "The Rest of the Story," which was why I was on the program in the first place.

That thought occurred to me in the shower the next morning.

My, what an enlightening talk show you could share if, after the show is over, you could somehow tune in on the several participants' regretful, fretful night.

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my turn

by roy mcqueen, publisher

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Success is often just an idea away."

Some folks have a knack for getting into a conversation after a few opening remarks, but most of us have difficulty when it comes to offering a snappy opening ourselves.

Since this is a time of year for social gatherings, here are a few helpful tips for getting the conversation off and rolling. You might even become the center of attention. There they are:

I just got my electricity bill and it was only $10.50.

My 17-year-old son has been given a safe-driving award.

I just got a notice from my insurance company that my rates for next year have been reduced.

I voted for Richard Nixon.

Farrah Fawcett Majors needs to put on weight.

You can make money on 30-cent cotton.

I like Jimmy Carter's smile.

I went to the library Sunday instead of watching the Dallas Cowboys.

I don't care whether my bathroom tissue is soft or not.

I think Barbara Walters is worth $1 million.

I can't wait until I'm 40.

My son came home from college for Christmas with money still in his bank account.

My aunt in Chicago mailed me a package two days ago and it arrived today.

I like the smell of cigar smoke.

I really love spring of the year in West Texas.

My cousin had a sex-change operation and she's still a lousy tennis player.

I get paid for 40 hours, but I put in more time because I like my job.

Sure we need a tax increase. They can add it right onto our house payments and that won't hurt anybody.

Driving 55 miles per hour is so relaxing.

Aren't the TV shows great this fall.

The Dallas Cowboy cheerleaders are a little plump.

The United Way didn't call on me, but I sent in a big contribution anyway.

Since most dwelling fires occur between midnight and dawn, practice fire escape routes from the bedroom, advises Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

in washington

martha angle and robert walters

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (NEA)-Whenever and wherever Democrats gather, one tradition remains inviolate. If there is a band in the hall, you can bet it will strike up that old rouser, "Happy Days Are Here Again."

They played it as always last weekend at the National Party Conference here, but the exhilarating tune seemed oddly out of sync with the subdued and uncertain mood of the delegates and others attending the mini-convention.

The bleak truth is that these are not particularly happy days for the majority party, for the Democrats, like the poor little lambs of the "Whiffenpoof Song," have lost their way.

The trails blazed by their heroes of yesteryear - Woodrow Wilson, Franklin D. Roosevelt, John F. Kennedy, Hubert H. Humphrey - have largely petered out in the thickets of such unfamiliar problems as persistent inflation, a sinking dollar, intractible trade deficits, sky-high interest rates. They have not yet found a safe path out of the wilderness.

In their heads, most of the Democrats who came to Memphis appeared resigned to following the course charted by President Carter - a course marked by deep cuts in federal spending, a crackdown on waste and fraud, a postponement of new initiatives, a demand for sacrifice.

"It is an illusion," Carter told them, "to believe we can preserve a commitment to compassionate, progressive government if we fail to bring inflation under control."

The public believes that bloated budgets and fat federal deficits are to blame for inflation, and that inflation far outweighs all other problems facing the nation. Carter is responding to that perception, and the delegates to Memphis knew it.

Yet in their hearts, they were not reconciled to proposals that smacked so horribly of Republican orthodoxy. In their hearts, Democrats just can't warm up to the wonders of less government rather than more, of balanced budgets rather than better health programs, of efficient management rather than revitalized cities.

Time and again, Carter and others from the administration assured them that cherished old goals like full employment and a national health insurance program were not being dropped but merely deferred. Time and again, the delegates were promised that everyone will be asked to "share the burdens equally" when sacrifices are called for.

They are not assuaged. Tom Smith, the mayor of Jersey City, N.J., one of the last bastions of machine politics in America, was shouting his defiance at a workshop on the cities. "We've waited all these years to hear words like 'fairness' and 'equity' and 'sharing,' and now what are we told? That we get to 'share in the losses.'" We didn't elect a Democratic administration so the cities can 'share in the losses!'"

In the end, of course, it took Sen. Edward M. Kennedy to touch their hearts and revive the emotional fervor which Carter's hard-headed pragmatism had so thoroughly dampened.

Kennedy was supposed to play it cool in Memphis, supposed to avoid open splits with Carter lest the speculation start again that he might challenge the president in 1980. But Kennedy, for whatever reason, rewrote the script.

"We are not the party of McKinley or Harding," he jibed. "We are not the party of Coolidge or Hoover...

"I suport the fight against inflation. But no fight against inflation can be effective or successful unless it is fair...There could be few more divisive issues for America and for our party than a Democratic party of drastic slashes in the federal budget at the expense of the elderly, the poor, the black, the sick, the cities and the unemployed."

Fighting words, under the circumstances, and they drew a frenzied response. Delegates who had accorded Carter no more than polite applause the night before leaped to their feet cheering and stomping for the Democrat who spoke to their hearts, not their heads.

They will follow Carter for the moment, for they have no other choice. He is the only president they've got. But if he stumbles, or if his chosen path proves too rocky, the Democrats may yet decide to heed their hearts instead of their heads.

BARBS

Phil Pastoret

Cloverleafs are tokens of good fortune unless you're stuck on one during morning rush hour.

There's a difference between being filled with holiday cheer and being a prime candidate for a drunk driving bust.



Santa is truly a considerate, style-conscious old gent. He wears that red suit so it won't clash with your much-depleted bank account.

A cynic at this time of year is a person who maintains that booty is in the eye of the beholder.

looking back

from the sdn files

5 YEARS AGO

Piano Students of Marvella Thompson were presented in a Christmas recital held in the Fellowship Hall of Colonial Hill Baptist Church. They were: Donna Joplin, Rhonda McAnear, Carol Eiland, Brentz Beauchamp, Trussha Farquhar, Sheryl Prewitt, Teresa Strickland, Sharon Strickland, Janie Prince, Brenda Beauchamp, Pam Burrus and Debbie Enman.

Sam Kitching, on behalf of the Snyder Noon Kiwanis Club, presented the Kiwanian of the Year award to Billy Wayne Thompson. The occasion was the ladies night Christmas dinner held by the Club.

10 YEARS AGO

Dan R. Lusby was named new manager for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Sharon Jean Rutledge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Rutledge, was one of 65 Baylor University students honored for academic performances during the 1968 summer session.

Robert F. Bevers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Bevers, was promoted to Army staff sergeant while assigned to the U.S. Army Air Defense School at Ft. Bliss.

15 YEARS AGO

Larry Walton, Terry Meador and Bill Gordon Snyder High School juniors, participated in the all-region choir concert at Howard Payne College in Brownwood.

20 YEARS AGO

Chosen for the all-region choir from Snyder High School were: Jimmy Guy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Guy; Vandell Sumruld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Sumruld; and Gayne Nicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Nicks. They were directed by Robert Clinton, head of the vocal music department.

25 YEARS AGO

Grocery ads were featuring the following:

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Difficulty In Spelling

EAST LANSING, Mich. (AP)-Some students at Michigan State University seem to know what denomination they belong to, but not how to spell it.

Lutheran campus minister Marge Zibbel reports numerous spelling variations of "Lutheran" on religious preference cards filled out by incoming students, including:

"Lutheran," "Luthren," "Luthran," "Luterean," "Luthurn," "Lurthern," "Leutheran," "Luthuran," "Lutharan," "Lurthurn," "Lutherean," "Lutheron," and "Luthrun."

Thomas Chippendale, the cabinet maker, was buried in 1779.

thoughts

The idea of a penalty for the landlord who charged more than the maximum legal rent dates back to the Mosaic Law.

"Or all that about which he hath sworn falsely; he shall even restore it in the principal, and shall add the fifth part more thereto, and give it unto him to whom it appertaineth..." — Lev. 6:5

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December 17, 1978

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your fresh, novel approach to things clears the way for you to help someone who has aided you in the past. You'll enjoy the chance to reciprocate. Find out more of what lies ahead for you in 1979 by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter. Mail 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth sign.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Holding back your unfavorable opinion of someone will turn out to be a very fortunate occurence. You're going to hear something today to change your mind about this person.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your judgment and evaluation of things are exceptionally sound today. If you're with one who can help advance your interests, make your thoughts known.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If a decision is called for today in a competitive situation, what might first appear as harsh will later turn out to be in your favor.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Something you do today for someone will make a more lasting impression than you realize. This person will let others know of your kindness.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You might be asked to offer your appraisal of a situation involving several people. Your diplomacy and tact eases what could have been a very sticky situation.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Words and ideas will be your best allies today. You'll use them to fulfill a promise that might have otherwise been difficult to keep.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) A social gathering you weren't too keen on going to today will turn out to be a real winner. You're in for a real pleasant surprise.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be itching to socialize today, but you might first have to solve a family problem. Things will turn out to satisfy everybody.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A face-to-face encounter with one you've had a disagreement with will work out extremely well. Once the ice is broken, you'll be happy you patched things up.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You could be introduced to someone today who has some knowledgeable facts that'll be instrumental in restoring a dream you thought to be dead.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) By soft-pedaling your personal desires and putting the interests of others before yours, you actually wind up getting exactly what you wanted initially.

December 18, 1978

Those things which you have spent considerable effort in developing will reap large rewards this coming year. Don't waste valuable time on untested enterprises.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) In all dealings with others today, keep everything out in the open. If they think you are holding something back they'll use this against you. Find out what motivates you by sending for your 1979 copy of Astro-Graph Letter. Mail 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth sign.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You may have to use firm measures to keep someone who doesn't belong out of your business today. He or she could throw everything out of kilter for you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A better offer could come along today. You may be tempted to back out of a promise. Don't. The repercussions won't be pleasant.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Paying too much attention to the amount of work you wish to get done without any thought to the quality will reap you zilch. Do less better.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Today could turn into more of a social day than you'd planned. That's all well and good, but be realistic about the cost.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Allow for interruptions with your work today. Instead of getting frustrated, you'll be able to calmly continue without mistakes.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You're much more in the mood to play today than you are to work, so be extra careful that you don't do necessary chores haphazardly.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Shop only for necessary items and select each purchase carefully. You have a tendency today to buy frivolous articles impulsively.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) By remaining composed and using your head you'll be able to handle the unpredictable things that people do today. Losing your cool never solves anything!

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't attempt to improvise on carefully laid plans today and you'll fare quite well. The opposite will be true if you let things lead you away from your objective.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're better off today sticking to activities financially in line with your budget. Big expenses will be too upsetting for you to enjoy what you're doing.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Hold back on your forceful impulses today. Things you handle quietly work out better than those where you have to act more assertively.

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Public Records

NEW VEHICLES

Snyder Well Servicing Inc., 1978 Ford, from Wilson Mtr. Co.

Albert Highfield, 1978 Pacer, from Fread Beans Inc., of Cinnamison, N. J.

Joe L. League, 1979 Buick, from Rickels Mtr. Co. of Spur.

E. D. Walton Construction Co., 1979 Oldsmobile, from Snyder Mtr. Co.

D. L. Peterson, 1979 Ford, from Jack Roach Ford of Houston.

Scurry County Precinct 4, 1979 Chevrolet, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

Scurry County Precinct 2, 1979 Chevrolet, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

Scurry County Precinct 1, 1979 Chevrolet, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

Jess Everett, 1978 GMC, from Snyder Mtr. Co.

Loyd West, 1978 Oldsmobile, from Snyder Mtr. Co.

Sam Heintz, 1979 Ford, from Wilson Mtr. Co.

Joe Lopez, 1979 Ford, from Wilson Mtr. Co.

Gene Dulaney, 1978 Cadillac, from Snyder Mtr. Co.

Woodrow W. Adcock, 1978 Concord, from Dupree Mtr. Co.

Napoleon Braziel, 1979 Chevrolet, from Mal Donson Chev. Co.

W. D. Buchanan, 1979 Chevrolet, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

Leasing Associates Inc., 1979 Chevrolet, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

Mrs. Dee Myers, 1979 Ford, from Wilson Mtr. Co.

Reed Ranch, 1979 Ford, from Wilson Mtr. Co.

Melvin Davenport, 1979 GMC, from Snyder Mtr. Co.

Scurry County Sheriff's Department, 1979 Pontiac (4), from Snyder Mtr. Co.

FILED IN DISTRICT COUR

Massey Safety Anchor Co., Inc. and Bobbie Browne, individually and as majority stockholder vs. Cora Smith, suit for accounting and request for restraining order.

Texas Employers' Insurance Association vs. Billy R. Terry, suit on workman's compensation.

Elfie Nobles, vs. Wilton N. Jones, M. D., medical malpractice suit.

Ima Lee Curtis vs. United States Fire Insurance Co., suit on workman's compensation.

Robert Saenz and wife, Mary Saenz, vs. Joe Hernandez Jr., and wife, Virginia Hernandez, trespass to try title.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

In the matter of the marriage of Margaret Clinkinbeard and Charles William Clinkinbeard, order to set aside judgment and dismiss cause.

Wes-Tex Drilling Co. vs. Alpha Petroleum Corporation, motion to dismiss.

Samuel David McLeon, et al vs. Coronado Minerals Co., order of dismissal.

WARRANTY DEEDS

J. A. Roemisch to John Roemisch Jr., et al, the south 200 acres of section 237 in blk. 3.

F. M. Addison Jr. to Robert A. Sims, et ux, the west 75 feet of lot 1 and the east 60 feet of lot 2 and all of lots 3 and 4, all in blk. 6 of the Adams Addition and all of lots 1 and 4 in blk. 19 of the Adams Addition.

Nell Gray to Joseph J. Tison, et ux, all of lot 3 in blk. "G" of the Highland Park Addition.

James H. Clayton, et ux, to Stella Fenton Webb, all of the north 75 feet of lot 2 in blk. 53 of the Blankenship Addition.

Sacarias Garza, et ux, to Joseph A. Martin, et ux, the south 70 feet of lot 6 and the south 70 feet of the east ½ of lot 5, all in blk. 44 of the Wilmeth Addition.

Ray Pairish, et ux, to Keith Stooker, et ux, spaces 1 and 2 in lot 16 in blk. 95 in the Snyder Cementery.

Harvey Stevens, et ux, to Rodney Smith and W. F. Williams, the west 180 fet of the south 160 feet of blk. 27 and the south 160 feet of blk. 28, all in the Adams Addition.

Paul Sizemore, et ux, to Rodney Smith and W. F. Williams, all of lots 1-17, all in blk. 1 of the Sunrise Addition. W. F. Williams to Rodney Smith, 1.) all of the east 120 feet of lot 4 and the south 10 feet of the east 120 feet of lot 1, all in blk. 27 of the Adams Addition; 2.) the west 180 feet of the south 160 feet of blk. 27, and the south 160 feet of blk. 28, all in the Adams Addition, and 3.) all of lots 1-17, all in blk. 1 of the Sunrise Addition.

Rodney Smith to William Bert Frost, 1. all of the east 120 feet of lot 4, and the south 10 feet of the east 120 feet of lot 1, all in blk. 27 of the Adams Addition, 2.) the west 180 feet of the south 160 feet of blk. 27, and the south 160 feet of blk. 28, all in the Adams Addition, and 3.) all of lots 1-17, all in blk. 1 of the Sunrise Addition.

J. W. Hughes and Ruth Leola Hutchens to Johnny S. McDonald, et ux, all of lot 1 in blk. 2 of the Park View Addition, section 1.

Donald R. Bible, et ux, to E. W. Bible, et ux, 55.757 acres of land in the west ½ section of 252 in blk. 97.

Harry H. Reed and John E. Reed to Vonnie L. Black, et ux, a part of blk. "C" of the West Ridge Addition.

Ted D. Hanson to Darrell C. Mize, et ux, all of lot 4 in blk. 14 of the replat of blks. 13, 14, 15, and 16 of the Highlands Addition.

Lupe Zamora to E. A. Wallace and Judy Alexander, all of lot 2 in blk. 34 of the Cody Heights Addition.

Lillie Willis, et vir, to Lauro Barbosa, et ux, the west 100 feet of lot 2 in blk. 33 of the Cody Heights Addition.

Robert K. Lovelady to Jimmy T. Salmon, et ux, all of lots 24 in blk. "C" of the Highland Park Addition.

Police Search For Two Art Thieves

PARIS (AP)—Police hunted Thursday for two men who stole a 475-year-old oil painting by Flemish master Hieronymus Bosch from a suburban Paris museum, then sprayed tear gas to ward off pursuers and escape.

The painting, "l'Escamoteur," or The Conjuror, depicts a street magician performing for a crowd.

Soviet Dress Designer Frustrated By Fatties

EDITOR'S NOTE-An overweight population and dress factory managers who ignore the latest fashion can make a dress designer moody. Such is the plight of one of Russia's best.

By NIKKI FINKE
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW (AP)-The problem seems to be this: too few vegetables and fruits in the typical Russian diet, particularly in winter, and too many potatoes, breads, cakes and candies.

Not to mention the notorious Russian sweet tooth.

The consequence, says a top fashion designer hailed by women here as the Dior of Moscow, is that Russian women have the "basics to be beautiful," but many become so fat that they're beyond fashion help.

"Unfortunately no one is taking care of serious aesthetic education for our women," Slava Zaitsev of the House of Fashion says. "When I see this beautiful creation of nature turned into a cripple I must close my eyes.

"I am hopeless to help them, because fat cannot be hidden." The answer, says Zaitsev, 40, is more exercise, fewer potatoes and strict dieting.

While the Soviet Union can produce such lithe thinnies as Olympic gymnast Olga Korbut and prima ballerina Maya Plisetskaya, everything goes downhill after age 20 for most.

The agricultural situation improves every year, but it's obviously difficult to educate the people's palates into wanting more of high-protein foods and less of empty carbohydrates.

"In 1975, for example, Russians consumed 120 kilograms of potatoes per capita, 142 kilograms of bread, and 315 kilograms of milk and dairy products. That compares with 87 kilograms of vegetables per capita, 87 kilograms of melons, 37 kilograms of fruits and berries, and 16.8 kilograms of fish.

Once in a while, the country's health magazines devote an article to obesity, but the problem is sensitive, since it traces back to lagging agricultural production. To openly fight fat would be to point an accusing finger at the state, which, after all, is responsible for feeding everyone.

Unlike the West, there are no organizations like "Weight Watchers" here, although teenage women appear to be more calorie conscious than their mothers.

Dietetic bread and candy can be bought, and a spcial store for diabetics on Gorky Street sells foods without sugar and salt.

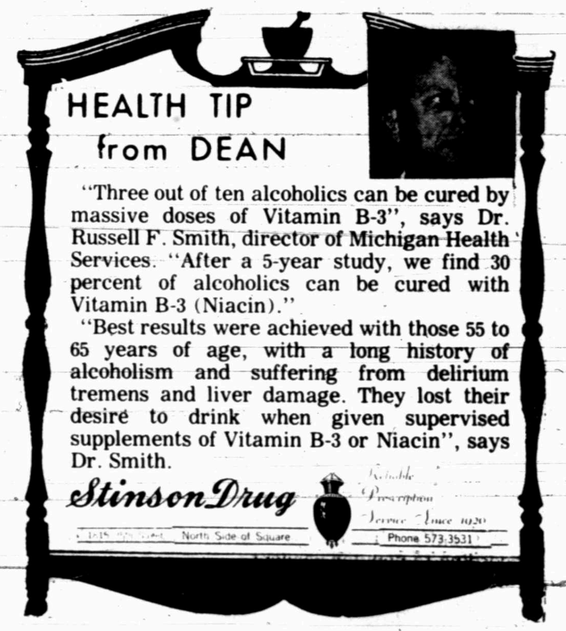
"It is necessary to think that from the very beginning a woman should admire the fruits of nature which have been given her," Zaitsev said. "And after she reaches age 20, she should fight against her nature with calisthenics, gymnastics and strict diets."

One young university student dismisses her spreading bottom with a shug. "So I'll have my clothes made at the seamstress. There's nothing decent in the stores anyway."

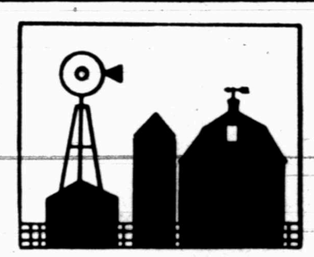
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Doctor Claims Alcohol In Moderation Beneficial

EDITOR'S NOTE—Here's a jolly message for the holiday season from the science front: Liquor can be good for you. In fact, a nip now and then helps keep your heart in working order and your temper sociable. There's a big proviso, however: Moderation.

By DANIEL HANEY
Associated Press Writer

BOSTON (AP)—Do you enjoy a belt of bourbon, a nip of gin, a mug of beer. And do you get little tweaks of guilt about it. Then cheer up. And drink up.

Demon Rum can be good for you.

Whether your pleasure is a 99-cent vin ordinaire or a $20 Scotch, whether you tip it at the kitchen table, a country-wailing saloon or a cutesy Olde English Taverne at the shopping center, changes are that a sensible quantity won't hurt you. In fact, it may make you happier and healthier.

Quietly over the past few years, medical researchers have been looking into the benefits of drink. Their tentative diagnosis: booze has been slandered; the bottle has its benefits.

The key to all this is moderation.

Don't swig too much, but if you drink reasonably, you may have a sounder heart, a better night's sleep and more fun with your friends.

"Liquor has done more good than harm," says Dr. Morris Chafetz, an authority on the beverage.

Chafetz was the founding director of the National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. He is no advocate of falling-down drunkenness, for he has spent his life trying to prevent addiction to alcohol, by far the nation's biggest drug problem.

"But we have to recognize that since the beginning of recorded history, alcohol has been available," Chafetz says. "And I'm sure people have abused it, but in spite of all that, they have chosen to use it. The vast majority must be getting some benefits from it."

The evidence has slowly been building that a little taste now and then is no vice. In 1974, the federal government's "Second Report on Alcohol and Health" disclosed that moderate drinkers live longer than abstainers.

But probably the brightest discovery of the new alcohol research is the effects of liquor on the heart. As far as doctors can tell, it helps keep the ticker working smoothly.

Dr. Arthur L. Klatsky of the Kaiser-Permanente Medical Center in Oakland Calif., studied 464 heart attack victims. Among them he found an inordinate number of teetotalers.

"People who drink moderately have 30 percent fewer heart attacks than nondrinkers," he says.

Another study reviewed the drinking habits of 7,705 Japanese men living in Hawaii. The results are more encouragement for those who indulge in an occasional libation.

The Honolulu Heart Study found that men who drink three bottles of beer a day have half as much coronary heart disease and one-fifth as many heart attacks as abstainers.

This was cheerful news to an editorial writer for the New England Journal of Medicine, which published the Honolulu study.

"It is encouraging to note that not everything one enjoys in life predisposes to cardio vascular disease," the editorial enthused. "There is nothing to suggest, for the present, that we must give up either coffee or alcohol in moderation to avoid a heart attack. I am sure that many who read this editorial will be quite willing to drink to that statement."

Doctors are not sure how alcohol protects the heart, but they think it might raise blood levels of high density lipoprotein cholesterol, a substance that is associated with reduced risk of heart attack.

All researchers, though, stress the advantages of moderation, which is hard to define, because alcohol does not affect everyone the same way.

Chafetz, who is now president of the Health Education Foundation in Washington, prefers the guidelines set forth in 1862 by Sir Francis Anstie, a British psychiatrist. His rule, called Anstie's Law of Safe Drinking, puts the upper limit at 1½ ounces of pure alcohol a day.

This figures out to three, one-ounce drinks of 100-proof liquor; four, eight ounce glasses of beer, or a half-bottle of table wine. The rule, however, does not mean you can skip your ration one day and drink twice as much the next.

Besides protecting against disease, drink affects the way people mingle with each other.

Alcohol is an anesthetic that inhibits the part of the brain that regulates judgment and social controls. This explains why people who are paragons of decorum can dance with lampshades on their heads after too many drinks.

It also explains one of alcohol's greatest benefits - its way of making people get along nicely together.

When people drink, they become less self-conscious, less constricted. Shy men approach pretty women. The tongue-tied turn eloquent.

A tumbler of rye or a tankard of ale will also wash away the strains accumulated during a day of sweating out a living at the brokerage house, loading dock or assembly line.

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"Remember, Santa Claus is videotaping everything you do and checking it twice with his computer."

Teddy Bear Celebrates Birthday Seventy-Five

By JOHN BARBOUR
AP Newsfeatures Writer

NEW YORK (AP)—Discarding more dire happenings, it has certainly been an eventful year.

It was the 75th anniversary of the Wright brothers' first flight and the World Series. The Space Age was 31 years old. The Academy Awards and Mickey Mouse were 50. Popeye neared 60, Monopoly was past 40, and Playboy turned 25.

Considering the things that have occupied Americans in their passage through life, it seems remiss not to mention one more.

Teddy Bear is 75.

For generations of children left in the dark, he was the guardian who kept watch while they slept.

He didn't weep or wet. He never said a word. But he soaked up tears and hid small faces from so many small embarrassments.

Probably no creature in history did so much by doing so little. He was true blue. He served by only standing and waiting.

His face changed some over the years, but not his honey-color, not really his shoe-button nose and eyes. Funny that he was named for President Teddy Roosevelt.

Back in 1902, the president had gone to Mississippi to settle a boundary dispute. Business settled, he went on a hunting trip. He was very big on hunting. He wanted to bag a bear, a trophy.

But when a lean and lame bear was run down by the hunting party's dogs, the President balked. He would not allow it to be shot or tortured. When the story got back to Washington, a newspaper cartoonist named Charles Berryman portrayed the president sparing the bear in the Washington Post with the caption, "Drawing the line," which referred both to the act of mercy and to the president's refusal to go along with white supremacists in Mississippi.

That led to all sorts of postcards, toys, books, buttons portraying the Roosevelt Bear.

But singularly, Morris Michtom, a Russian Jewish immigrant who owned a candy store in Brooklyn, N.Y., designed a toy bear for his store window. Two of them, in fact. His wife did the sewing, stuffing them with excelsior and stitching the mouths with thread.

The day Michtom set the 2½-foot bears in his window, someone offered to buy them. That gave Michtom another idea. He sent a bear to the President and asked permission to call it a Teddy Bear.

Presidents had fewer constituents then, and no SALT talks or Mideast crises. Roosvelt didn't have to worry about oil or inflation, and Cuba was well in hand.

So he answered Michtom in his personal hand. "I doubt if my name will mean much in the bear business, but you may use it if you wish," he wrote, and he signed it T.R.

The original correspondence and the original bears have disappeared. But Michtom, selling the bears for $1.50 each, built an empire called the Ideal Toy Corp. When he died in 1938, it was a multimillion dollar business. He was producing over 100,000 Teddy Bears a year.

Today, Ideal produces all kinds of things. And it also produces the Teddy Bear, 2 pounds of fluff and dreams.

You see, the Teddy Bear is not so much what it is as what children for 75 years have given it. Bedroom companion, loyal friend, it has given a child its undivided attention, listened to stern lectures, bounced off walls during small rages, heard the apologies, forgiven.

It has over the years become frayed and soiled, lost an eye or a nose. But it never lost its faith. Because neither President nor seamstress, neither toy maker nor toy store gave it that.

A child did.

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