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Savage Fighting Rages In Downtown Beirut

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Moslem gunmen tightened their ring of fire around besieged Christian Phalangists in the 25-story Holiday Inn Saturday and a Moslem militia chief said, "They have no choice but to surrender or burn inside."

As civilian casualties mounted in house-to-house fighting in several areas, the Christians in the 500-room hotel were the last obstacle to a total Moslem takeover of the bayside hotel district.

Snipers, rocket barrages and mortar shells claimed at least 61 dead and more than 120 wounded in Beirut and its suburbs. Another 17 dead were reported in the northern city of Tripoli and the eastern resort town of Zahle.

A screaming Kurdish woman stumbled out of one downtown combat zone, dragging the headless body of a toddler and cradling another dead infant in her arms. She herself was wounded in the shoulder when the family was caught in a 50-caliber machine-gun burst.

calls brought no letup in hostilities in the eight-month-old civil war over Moslem demands for political and economic reforms and Christian reluctance to grant them until the Palestinians are reined in.

Terrell Inmate Back Behind Bars After Caper

TERRELL, Tex. (AP) — A Terrell State Hospital patient was back in confinement today after wounding an employee and escaping with two hostages, a hospital spokesman said.

Hospital employee Delbert Stephens was taken to Terrell General Hospital after suffering a punctured lung in a scuffle with the patient, identified as Ed Upshaw. Upshaw reportedly had a knife.

An unidentified patient and a hospital social worker, Vernon Washington, accompanied Upshaw in a commandeered hospital vehicle. Washington volunteered to go with Upshaw in an effort to prevent violence.

Washington and the other patient were unharmed, the

spokesman said.

Upshaw was taken into custody by Dallas police about two hours after he left the hospital. He was picked up after he boarded a city bus near the home of a relative, police said.

SIGN OF THE TIMES

NEW YORK (AP) — The decorator who left a Brooklyn boutique's display window only half-completed did not want his unfinished masterpiece to go unexplained. He left a sign for interested passersby: "Decorator got drunk. Will finish tomorrow."

By nightfall, Lebanon's cease-fire committee admitted its inability to cope with the spreading conflict. Sources said it was considering asking for an emergency summit conference of Arab leaders, which could lead to outside intervention.

Nine more buildings, including a school, were reported on fire in downtown Beirut.

Looters pillaged abandoned homes on the battlefronts. Free-lance outlaws spread fear in the city's last "safe zone," robbing apartment dwellers, stealing cars, kidnapping departing passengers on the airport road in old vendettas.

But Palestinian guerrilla leader Yasser Arafat warned his left-wing Moslem allies and Kurdish mercenaries: "Do not harm one hair on the head of the Jews."

Young Nasserite gunmen immediately formed a protective cordon around the city's only synagogue, where 25 Jews have taken refuge. They are all that remains in

Beirut of a once-thriving Jewish community of about 500, in a residential quarter abutting the downtown hotel district.

The Moslems brought food to the synagogue, played with the children, reassured a terrified old woman and took a pregnant woman to the hospital when she started having labor pains.

Elsewhere in the capital, a security official reported "ferocious fighting" in most downtown areas and all city suburbs.



CONFERENCE CHAT — Former Calif. Gov. Ronald Reagan, right, candidate for the Republican nomination for President, in a huddle with South Carolina Gov. Jim Edwards Saturday night during the banquet of the Southern Republican Conference at Houston. Reagan addressed the group on their final night of meetings. Gov. Edwards, a strong supporter of Reagan, introduced him to the Southern Republicans.

'Reagan For President' Popular Chant In South

HOUSTON (AP) — Former California Gov. Ronald Reagan charged here Saturday that the Democrats are suffering from "political schizophrenia and that the American people are tired of ever-increasing federal spending and are ready for responsible Republicanism."

Reagan, the only announced GOP presidential candidate to oppose President Ford for the nomination, appeared at the Southern Republican Conference here and was greeted by a massive wave of applause.

The conference is a meeting of GOP leaders

from 13 Southern states. Many of the delegates said in interviews during the two-day meeting that the Southern Republicans are leaning ever more heavily toward Reagan for the GOP nomination.

Reagan's remarks were contained in excerpts of his speech released in advance.

Reagan laid out a program that called for a stronger American defense position, continued U.S. stewardship of the Panama Canal, recognition of the non-Communist regime in Angola, and continued restrictions in relations with Cuba. He also called for a balanced federal budget and

a return to the states of many of the governmental functions now performed in Washington.

The former California governor hit hardest, however, at the increasing federal spending.

"I am confident that the American people are ready to demand that the federal government gets its weight off their backs and its fingers out of their pockets and purses," he said. "Today more than two-thirds of our people Republicans, independents and Democrats alike — are convinced they are not getting their money's worth from the government."

Reagan attributed the massing government spending to "doctrinaire liberalism" which can find a solution for problems only by increasing the federal bureaucracy while at the same time deploring the increasing size of government.

This, he said, indicates that "they suffer from a kind of political schizophrenia."

Reagan said that the American people are ready to demand a balanced federal budget to end cycles of inflation and recession.

"When it comes to the argument over whether we should have a Republican \$60 billion deficit or a Democratic \$80 billion deficit, I find there is no room for me on either side," he said. "Our goal must be a balanced budget."

As Reagan arrived at Houston's Albert Thomas Convention Center he was greeted by about 20 pickets representing the National Organization of Women

(NOW). They carried signs supporting the Equal Rights Amendment. Reagan paused briefly to look at the pickets across the street from his limousine, and then walked quickly into the center smiling and talking to an aide.

Reagan, during conversations with newsmen at a reception, said he did not come to the conference to talk about personalities, but, "only principles." He made no mention of President Ford or their rivalry for the GOP nomination in the speech to the 450 Southern GOP leaders.

Earlier during the two-day conference here many delegates indicated that "Reagan for President" is becoming a popular movement in the South among Republicans.

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

In order to accommodate merchants who wish to advertise the final Saturday before Christmas, The Herald will print a special edition Saturday morning, Dec. 20, following a custom started last year.

In the edition, merchants will be offered special discounts. Herald advertising salesmen will be calling on them the first part of the coming week.

Last year's Saturday morning edition proved very popular with readers.



BOTH 104 YEARS OLD Aged Couple Robbed Of Their Rent Money

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — John James is blind; his wife, Amanda, has only partial sight; and both are 104 years old. Three robbers broke into their home and took money they could have used for rent.

Police said a neighborhood youth and two other persons brushed past Mrs. James when she opened the door one night last week. The youth took money from her purse and a companion knocked her to the ground. They left with \$50.52.

"First time it's happened in 45 years we've been here," said James. "That's 45 years here in this house. We pay rent, don't own it. It's \$43 a month."

"Course, I've been rolled on the street," he continued in an interview. "That's been a couple years ago, wasn't it dear? Man ran up behind me, put his hand in my pocket and got every dollar I had."

James and his wife sat on a sofa in the living room of their cramped rowhouse in south Philadelphia as they talked about the robbery. The cracked and stained wallpaper was illuminated by a single, bare light bulb in a goose-neck lamp.

James said he had worked as a "general utility houseman — that's a butler, an all-around man ... When did I retire? Merciful God, I can't count the years."

James said he and his wife live now on government checks and three times a week "the city brings a hot meal."

"I just thank God for anything, whatever I can get," he said.

"Afraid, oh yes, especially since this happened," he said. "The city is trying to get us a place, a three-room apartment, but I told them I wouldn't take this wife or any wife among the hoodlums and slums. Now this neighborhood got bad. Lord have mercy."

James said neither he nor his wife has been out of the house for years, with the exception of trips to Wills Eye Hospital.

"They tell us they can't do nothing, nothing," he said. "I listen to the radio, especially the spirituals and churches. I love that. She does too," James said.

CHEER FUND IN TROUBLE

The Christmas Cheer Fund is still having trouble getting untracked, but a few friends kept it alive Saturday.

Little more than a week remains before Christmas, and unless there are many, many more who will help, the Christmas project of helping the needy will fall flat on its holly bough. So, if you can, please mail or bring your gift to the Herald for acknowledgment.

Latest donors are:
Dorcas Class, Forsan Baptist ... \$5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McDonald, memory Lucious Saunders ... 10.00
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd T. Claxton ... 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neece ... 10.00
Previously acknowledged ... 363.00
TOTAL ... \$393.00

Suspected Knight Killer At Large

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A suspect still at large in the killing of John Knight III has a record of at least 50 arrests and is "armed and dangerous," police said Saturday.

Salvatore Soli, 37, a convicted drug user and one of three suspects in the killing, was last seen in southern New Jersey in the company of an unknown girl, police said.

Another suspect, Isais "Felix" Melendez, 20, was found dead Friday morning near the entrance of Pine Valley Golf Club near Clementon, N.J. An autopsy Saturday showed Melendez was shot twice in the head, authorities said.

A third suspect, Steven Maleno, 25, surrendered to police early Friday morning. The three men, all from Philadelphia, were named in bench warrants charging murder, three counts of robbery, attempted murder, aggravated assault and criminal conspiracy.

Knight, 30, special projects editor of the Philadelphia Daily News, was found stabbed to death in his \$1,050-a-month Rittenhouse Square apartment Dec. 7. Police said robbery was the motive.

Knight was the most likely heir to the fortune of his grandfather, John S. Knight, editorial chairman of the Knight-Ridder newspaper group. The Daily News and the Philadelphia Inquirer are among the newspapers owned by Knight-Ridder.

Police said in papers filed with federal Magistrate Tullio Leomurra that they believed Soli had been staying in a motel near where Melendez's body was found. Investigators declined to say whether Soli might be a suspect in Melendez' death.



DOGGERY TO RABBITRY — Blunder the dog likes to keep the family hares happy and Denise McCann, 4, happy. Herding and chasing rabbits around the yard, the mutt cows the bunnies, Denise's mother Donna said.

NARROW ESCAPE — Eugene C. Swafford, 39, Box 391, lost control of his car on Farm Road 700 near 11th Place Saturday afternoon, police said. The car crossed the oncoming traffic lane, hit the rail and flipped upside down, police related. Cut on his forehead, Swafford walked from the wreck.

Still A Bright Spot

Harold Dudley, executive director for the Texas Employment Commission, put his finger on a bright spot for our vicinity when he said during a visit here last week that Howard County had only a 2.8 per cent unemployment rate. This compares with a 6.1 per cent statewide average, and a 13.8 per cent factor in the most troublesome area.

In so many words, we're busy, as is most of the Permian Basin area.

And we are apt to stay busy. The outlook for a booming Christmas business is excellent. Although late, the cotton harvest is rolling in now, and it promises a reasonably good return. Most of it won't be sold until January or after, but having it in hand is tantamount to "money in the bank." While yields and grades may not be as good as anticipated, the total value of the crop may be about as much as was first anticipated because of market improvement. All things considered, seed as well as lint, we may be looking at a \$10 million harvest.

It remains to be seen if the energy bill will be signed, and if the proposed rollback of crude oil prices in some

instances will take place. If so, this could dull oil activity to a substantial degree, but it won't stop drilling by any means.

Although, as Dudley pointed out, some major construction efforts have been completed or are nearing completion here, there is a considerable volume on the

boards and there should be no diminution in this field, what with an almost desperate pressure more housing being exerted.

The list can be extended to other areas of endeavor, and it all adds up to what we have been saying all along — "Big Spring — Bright Spot."

Use Your College

This week will mark the administration of final exams and the end of the autumn semester for Howard College.

Already, announcements are being made about new or expanded course offerings. To mention a few, the Registered Nurse program is accepting applicants; the college has added a course for Nursing Home Administrators (at least an associate degree in this field may be required for those who direct these institutions); an expanded, credit course in jewelry

manufacture, etc.

Registration won't come until January, but now is the time to be making plans, whether you plan to be on campus here or at the centers in Lamesa and San Angelo. Makes no difference who you are or what you do — the college has something for you. A course or two may afford you a deeper sense of personal satisfaction, or they may increase your skills to help you find a job or gain promotion.

Howard College — it's yours — use it.

My Answer

Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I am 18 and have been in love with a man for some time. I recently told him we should stop seeing each other since he is not a Christian. It seems as though the closer I get to him, the further away I get from the Lord. However, he replied that on the basis of 1 Corinthians 7:9, God wants us to get married. Is he right? — I.L.

DEAR I.L.: One Corinthians 7:9 speaks to unmarried persons and states: "If they cannot exercise self-control, they should marry. For it is better to marry than to be aflame with passion."

This verse acknowledges that we have the God-given desires for love and affection and that this finds its fullest expression within the marriage union. Please note, however, that it does not say we are to marry just anyone. We are, instead, to seek God's will in the matter and trust Him to lead us to the person of His choice. If we do not, our natural instincts and desires can easily lead us astray.

From what you have said, I think it is clear from Scriptures that God will not honor this relationship. Time and time again in the Old Testament the Israelites were commanded not to marry unbelievers, and their failure to obey this commandment caused them great grief. In the New Testament, we read: "Do not be misled with unbelievers. For what partnership have righteousness and iniquity? Or what fellowship has light with

REMEMBERING...

By BILL BROOKS

BAPTIZING

Most of the baptizing in our community was done at my Grandmother's place. She had a concrete tank out by her windmill that served the purpose well. Churches of all faiths that had baptizing to do were welcome to come over and use the facilities and I'm proud to say it was used quite often. The tank was better to baptize in than the creek east of town because you couldn't depend on the creek to have water in it. If it did have water it was sure to be muddy.

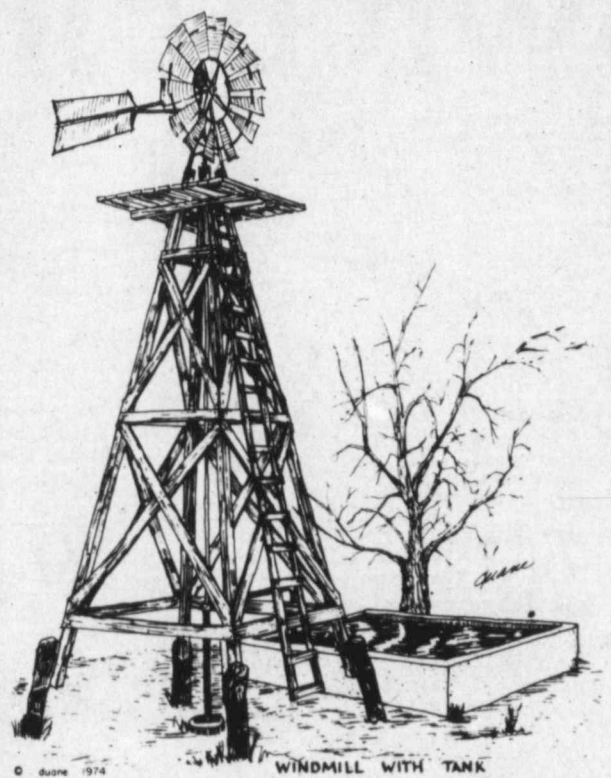
The preacher would make the announcement, "Next Sunday we're going to have baptizin' over to Miz Gidden's at three o'clock. Try to make it if you can. Them that's waitin' baptism needs to see me after preachin' today."

People would start arriving earlier than three. Seems like some came right after Sunday dinner (dinner being the noon meal.) They wanted to get their visiting done before the baptizing. The preacher would get there at three o'clock though, wearing his old suit.

It was always the same one. It had been wet so many times it didn't matter. The folks to be baptized would arrive wearing their old clothes too. They would assemble at the tank with the other members of the congregation gathering all around.

Some wooden steps were set in place for the people to use to climb over into the water. The preacher went in first and beckoned the candidates to follow. One by one they climbed over the side into the water, lining up around the sides of the tank to await their turn. There was usually a large group to be baptized because it was only done in the warm months; those that became candidates in the winter just had to wait a while.

The baptizing was done in the middle of the tank. Some of us kids would usually climb part way up on the windmill tower to get a better look at what was going on. A hymn was sung before and after the service followed by a prayer. The songs most sung were "On



Jordan's Stormy Banks" and "Shall We Gather at the River." With the congregation all gathered around singing, chills would go up and down your back. There was a lot of warmth and love there. It was im-

possible to go away from that place feeling bad. I was baptized there myself at an early age and shall always be proud of the fact that people came that afternoon to share in such a wonderful experience.

Recovery Rate Erratic

WEEKS BUSINESS

- Retail sales up 14 per cent, twice rate of inflation
- Autosales improve but dip during the past week
- Consumers appear skittish and unduly conservative
- Matter of tax cut extension rated as a big factor
- Improved outlook neutralizes bad-news setbacks

NEW YORK (AP) — Concern over the pace of the business recovery focused on a key element this past week: how much money the American people have and how willing they are to spend it.

The Commerce Department reported that retail sales in November and early December were up significantly from last year's low levels.

But an extension of this year's tax cut, which kept \$13 billion in the hands of the public, reminded in doubt as President Ford and Congressional leaders were unable to reach a compromise.

And University of Michigan economists said economic recovery is being delayed by the "unusually conservative and skittish mood" of the American consumer.

Government figures showed that retail sales advanced in November for the third straight month and were 14 per cent higher than in November of last year.

Higher sales were found at automobile dealers, department stores, apparel

retailers, hardware stores, restaurants, drugstores and furniture outlets, with declines in grocery stores and gasoline stations.

The 14 per cent advance was higher than the 7.6 per cent rise in consumer prices over the year, indicating that physical volume of sales was well ahead of November 1974.

Retail sales in the first week of December dipped slightly from the week earlier but were still 17 per cent higher than a year ago. The small drop reflected a 15.4 per cent weekly decline in auto sales.

After a meeting last Thursday with Congressional leaders, President Ford was still resolved to veto a six-month extension of this year's tax cuts, unless Congress agreed to a \$395 billion spending ceiling.

The congressmen said

such an agreement would violate the new congressional budget law. Sen. Russell Long, the Louisiana Democrat who chairs the Senate Finance Committee, said the tax cut extension should pass early in the week and "we'll try to override (a veto) and we may or may not."

Later, however, Long expressed willingness in a Senate speech to make a non-binding commitment in principle to cut next year's projected federal spending by an amount equal to the tax cut.

Continued tax cuts and reassurance about New York City's financial problems are two things consumers will be looking for in the coming months, the University of Michigan Survey Research Center said in its study of consumer attitudes.

Broad Statement

Around The Rim

Walt Finley

I intercepted a message to my publisher, Dub What's-His-Name?, from an unknown source: "Flying saucers again? Fooey, somebody's kiddin'. I never saw one. Even the government is skeptical."

"Besides, we Martians know there isn't any life on other planets."

JOHN CONNALLY, still a Republican at the moment, is dodging the question of whether he will seek the nomination for President.

He has only one thing to worry about:

After while, won't people get tired of asking him?

Middle age is when your memory span is exceeded by that of your hips.

Giles Padel, gifted personnel pro for Harte-Hanks, tells about the guy who stopped a well-dressed man in San Antonio and asked if he'd "give me \$2 for a cup of coffee."

"Two dollars!" the bumee replied. "Inflation still isn't that bad!"

"I know," the bum confessed, "But I believe in putting all my eggs in one askit."

Fast fingers Sandra Green, Herald word maker, asks "What two vegetables do whirling dervishes eat?" Spinach and turnips.

Sandra also wonders if you've heard about the man who had a respiratory ailment — His creditors won't let him breathe easy.

Dale Carnegie says the marriage of Abraham Lincoln and Mary Todd proved to be one of the most unfortunate and unhappy unions in the history of this nation.

And that, friends, is a broad statement.

Women Priests Subject Of Detroit Conference — Headline What's the predicate?

THERE IS A recent trend, I have heard to buy a television of radio-phonograph which looks like some other piece of furniture.

Not me. At those prices I want them to look exactly what they are.

Robbi Rogers, resourceful daughter of backshop boss Bob, says double pneumonia is a circumstance in which one is so sick he's beside himself.

A Big Spring woman determined to go to Dallas for a shopping trip, called several Dallas motels seeking reservations for the weekend and was told repeatedly that all rooms were full.

Finally one clerk said, "Possibly we can find something for you 20 miles out?"

"What's going on down there?" the exasperated woman asked.

The clerk told her, "I think about it!"

My bashful aunt, Marie Chastain, has come up with a problem heretofore overlooked: "Do you have troubles?" she asks, "Sure you do. Everyone does."

"Right now let us commiserate with the poor inchworm who has been informed that he must convert to the metric system."

That travelin' man, Kenneth Hart, has an amendment for the motion on the floor:

"Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow you may be retroactive."

Yule Dog Days

Art Buchwald



WASHINGTON — It used to be that college students brought their friends home for the holidays. Now they bring home their dogs. The dogs are a little harder to deal with than the friends.

I THOUGHT I was the only parent who had the problem, but Fernwood, my neighbor, told me the dog problem is quite serious at his house, too.

"Felicia is coming home on Thursday," he told me. "That's nice," I said. "I'm not sure. She's bringing her Labrador Shakespeare with her. Shakespeare weighs 200 pounds and he makes my wife very nervous. He also isn't housebroken."

"THAT'S TERRIBLE." "It isn't Shakespeare's fault," Fernwood told me. "Felicia lives in a dormitory which does not require dogs to be housebroken."

"Why do you think that is?" I asked.

"I BELIEVE most colleges don't play too much attention to what dogs do on campus."

"But you would think discovering how to housebreak a dog would be a much more valuable learning experience than the rise and fall of the Roman Empire."

"It is at my house, but it doesn't seem to be at the university. My daughter is far more concerned with what the aerosol companies are doing to the ozone than what Shakespeare does in our living room."

"I'M WITH YOU," I told Fernwood. "My daughter won't come home

unless she can bring her dog Hobo with her. This presents many problems, the least of which is that we can't go anywhere during the holiday season where dogs are unwelcome. My niece was getting married and when she said she didn't want any dogs at the wedding, my daughter got very angry and refused to go with us."

FERNWOOD SAID, "My problem is my son Carlton is also coming home from school for Christmas and he's bringing his dog Neptune. Neptune is a white German shepherd and can't stand my daughter's dog Shakespeare. My daughter thinks Carlton purposely turned Neptune against Shakespeare and now there is bad feeling between the children."

"Is Neptune housebroken?" I asked.

"Carlton says he is, but when he sees what Shakespeare does, Neptune says, 'The hell with it.'"

"WHY DO you think all the college kids are into dogs?" I asked Fernwood.

"Beats me. I guess it's easier for them to relate to dogs than it is to people. When I went to college we used to like girls."

"That's the way it was with me," I said. "The minute I lost my interest in dogs, I knew I was ready to go out with girls."

"MAYBE IT'S just a passing fad," I suggested. "Maybe in a year or two they'll bring home goldfish for Christmas instead."

"I hope you're right," Fernwood said, "because I'm not sure I can keep paying the rug cleaning bill for school vacations."



Light Breaks Through

William F. Buckley, Jr.

Mr. Kingman Brewster, the president of Yale University, found himself safely in England the other day, out of range of the KIDS' DEWLINE which, round the clock, catches orthodox blips from educational officials and launches deadly missiles against the offenders. Accordingly Mr. Brewster talked to the English Speaking Union in London about problems which, up until now, have been associated in the public mind as problems only the troglodytes worry about. Such problems as over-spending, the shortage of capital, the heavy cost of bureaucracy, and, above all, the irresponsibility of Congress.

IT IS sobering to contemplate that not one of the politicians — or professors — President Brewster is normally linked with could have guessed, reading this speech, who delivered it.

Mr. Brewster said that "The inflationary bias of representative government seems to me the greatest threat to the survival of a democratic political economy." That statement is worthy of having been written by, well, myself.

"We need," said the president of the university, "that teaches its students for the most part to scoff at the dangers of inflation and to support such massive increases in state welfarism as were most recently championed by George McGovern, 'some higher law to

restrain the natural temptation to use the spending power for political self-perpetuation. If we do not solve this problem, representative government will drive us up to altitudes of inflation which, like anoxia above 14,000 feet, will not be able to sustain productive economic life."

THEN CAME the clincher. "Until we can devise ways by which the inflationary consequence of a Congressman's vote is traced to him with the same particularity which attaches to a yea or nay on a revenue bill, we will not cure the disease of public spending motivated by the desire to achieve re-election."

Mr. Brewster's warning is timely. The President last fall asked for a reduction in taxes but only if tied to a reduction in spending. The Executive and the Congress are now engaged in an elaborate and complicated exchange, the purpose of which is to blame the other party. Because of such advantages as Mr. Brewster speaks of, Congress is likely to escape the blame, and turn an angry public against not itself, but the President.

PROFESSOR ERNEST van den Haag of New York has advanced the novel notion which, if explored, might provide such countervailing pressures as Mr. Brewster calls for. The President should "refuse" to borrow the money needed to pay for deficit federal programs.



There Are Corns And Corns

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I have corns on the two small toes. I keep them down so they don't hurt when I wear shoes. I use a razor blade.

Also, I have problems with the nails of my big toes. They dig into the adjacent toes, and this is painful. I hope you have a suggestion for me. I am 74, and all of this is bothersome for me. — C.H.

Let's take the corns first. A corn is a localized thickening of flesh that occurs in a bony area, the toe joints being prime sites. It does rather resemble a corn kernel, hence the name. The narrowed portion of the "kernel" usually points inward into the flesh, causing pain.

Surgical procedures are usually effective in dealing with the "hard" corns. These are the growths which usually occur on the outer portion of the little toe or on the upper portions of other toes. I would not use a razor blade; it is best to leave any paring to your doctor. Often applications of local preparations, as a salicylic acid solution, can be helpful.

The so-called "soft" corns usually occur between the toes and, as the name implies, these corns appear as more "soggy" masses. For

these, a soft felt ring can be inserted over the area with the toes separated gently by wedges of cotton.

Almost always, the cause of corns of either type is tight shoes. At 74, you should be, if you aren't already, wearing sensible, sufficiently wide shoes.

Proper trimming of your toenails should end your other problem. Don't cut them in a curve. Trim them straight across and even with the end of the toe. Then gently file the corners just a bit. Again, improper shoes could worsen this problem.

My newest booklet, "Relief and Care of Your Feet" would probably be helpful for you. No reason to be bothered at your age with such basic foot problems which after all, in the vast majority of cases, can be effectively remedied. If you, or any other reader, would like a copy send 25 cents to me in care of the Big Spring Herald. Enclose a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Is it possible to have anemia while being pregnant? If so, what are the signs?

While pregnant with my first baby I was sick a lot with morning sickness. I

took vitamins prescribed by my doctor and felt very tired the last two months.

Could this have been anemia I had? — Mrs. R.E.S.

Anemia in pregnancy is not only possible, it is quite common, very nearly a normal situation. But it must be watched carefully. I say normal in the sense that the very basic demands pregnancy makes on the normal body can easily lead to it. The blood is in a real sense "working for two." It is carrying the necessary food, oxygen and waste products for both the mother and the dependent fetus. This places a greater work load on the circulatory system. The need for greater volume of blood can lead to a dilution of the blood and fewer iron-containing red blood cells — anemia.

Your morning sickness, if accompanied by severe vomiting, could have been an additional factor in your case. Tiredness and pallor are classic symptoms of iron-deficiency anemia which is what we are speaking of here and the condition is readily verified by blood tests. Iron supplements can help — but see your doctor.

We Hold These Truths... A Chronicle of America

Curse His Virtues:

Lord North, the British Prime Minister: "I cannot join in lamenting the death [at Quebec] of American General Richard Montgomery as a public loss. He was brave, he was able, he was humane, he was generous; but still he was only a brave, able, humane, and generous rebel. Curse on his virtues, they've undone his country."



—By Ross Mackenzie & Jeff MacNelly/© 1976, United Feature Syndicate.

A Devotion For Today

"The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and for evermore." (Psalm 121:8 RSV)

PRAYER: Dear heavenly Father, our lives are in Thy hands, and we are grateful. We thank Thee for the challenges of new experiences of mind and heart. Help us to meet them all in the assurance that Thy guiding love never fails. Amen.

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'OUTSTANDING' PROMOTION — Gene Kimble, Big Spring Herald circulation manager, and Lola Knowles of the Herald advertising department view a certificate for "outstanding" promotion. Mrs. Knowles laid out the multi-color ad which promoted International Newspaper Carrier Day, Oct. 11.

Newspaper Carrier Day Promotion Wins Praise

The Big Spring Herald has been cited for "outstanding" promotion of International Newspaper Carrier Day recently.

"It seemed to me that 1975 promotions were the best we have seen in ages," wrote Ray A. Johnson, director of newspaper insurance sales of the Hickey-Mitchell Co., St. Louis, Mo. "They were the largest in number — and were creatively superior."

"Yours helped make them

that way," Johnson noted.

The promotion was prepared jointly by the circulation department headed by Gene Kimble and Lola Knowles of the advertising department.

Judges for the promotion competition were the circulation manager of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a St. Louis bank vice president for public relations and an advertising copywriter.

Seventeen Management Graduates

Seventeen people were graduated recently from the Management I Training Course for Air Force Supervisors at Webb AFB. It brought the year's total to 91 who have successfully completed the course.

Graduates are: Sgt. William F. Jemison and AIC Ronald W. Hensley from Civil Engineering; 2nd Lt. Neil W. Schaal, TSgt. Richard L. Carmichael, SSgt. Deborah R. Cross, Sgts. Eugene Hodges and Michael Matthews, Karen S. Burrett, Marianne Roemer and Francis M. Walker.

Also: Capt. Royden G. High of Field Maintenance, SSgt. Robert C. Mugde and Edward W. Heide of Organizational Maintenance, Sgt. Errol K. Jackson and Annie G. Buchell of Hospital, Patricia L. Joseph of Air Base Group and Victor J. Sharp of Services chief of Personnel. Certificates were presented by Lt. Col. Robert G. Mathews, chief of personnel.

The next class will begin Jan. 12 and continue through Feb. 13 according to Jimmy R. Smith, instructor. It will meet from 9 to 11 a.m. for a total of 50 hours.

Farmer Gets \$15,000 Check

SNYDER — H. C. Fowler, who operates a small farm in the Snyder area, was the recipient recently of a \$15,000 check from Progressive Farmer Magazine.

The money was an annual sweepstakes award given by the periodical.

Fowler said the check was "timely" because the boll weevil had done much damage to cotton in his area this year. In addition, the Fowlers have been renovating an old house near the Fowler farm. A portion of the money will go toward finishing the remodeling project.

The check was presented to Fowler by Bill Capps, circulation manager of the magazine, at a recent luncheon in Snyder.

To Discuss Bridge Grant

Howard County commissioners will discuss a resolution accepting a grant on Beal Creek Bridge when they meet at 9 a.m. Monday.

Water was over the top of the bridge during heavy rains last year. Commissioners will also receive papers from Robert D. Miller, attorney for El Paso Air Transport, in the continuing discussion of a possible second fixed base operation at Howard County airport.

The commissioners will also open bids on hospitalization insurance, inspect county properties, approve bills and confer with Neel Barnaby, county engineer.

West Texas Cotton Crop To Be In By Christmas?

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — Most of the cotton crop in West Texas should be in by Christmas if good weather allows continued harvesting, Dr. John Hutchison, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says.

Cattlemen in many areas of the state are looking for rain to replenish stock tanks and boost small grains and winter pastures, Hutchison said. Small grain fields also are suffering from the dry weather and winter grasses are short.

District agricultural agents gave these reports:

Panhandle: Cotton yields are above average but less than earlier expected. Sugar beet and carrot harvesting is about complete. Guar harvesting is under way in several southeast counties. Supplemental feeding of livestock is active.

South Plains: The cotton harvest is nearing completion in some counties. Yields are considerably lower than first expected. Irrigated wheat is making good progress. Dryland wheat needs moisture.

Rolling Plains: Cotton gins are swamped and cotton trailers are in short supply. Labor also is limited. Small grains are being grazed heavily. Greenbugs are harming some fields. Range fires are increasing. North Central: Pecan harvesting is about 75 per cent complete. Yields are good. Planting of wheat and oats is complete but rain is needed. Most cattle herds are requiring supplemental feed.

Northeast: The pecan harvest is from 50 to 90 per cent complete. Yields are mostly good. Winter

pastures need rain. Supplemental feeding is under way.

Far West: Producers are about to end the sorghum harvest. Pecan harvesting also is nearing completion. Yields have been generally good. Cows with calves are receiving supplemental feed. Deer hunting remains excellent west of the Pecos River.

West Central: Cotton yields are erratic because of disease and insect problems. Pecan yields are fair to poor because of diseases, insects and a late spring freeze. Small grains need rain. Greenbugs are invading some fields.

Central: Small grains need rain. Some stands are dying in the Cross Timbers area. Livestock feeding is increasing because of poor grazing conditions. Stock water also is getting short in several counties.

MEXICAN GUNBOATS Shrimpers Reaction: 'It Ain't No Picnic'

PORT ISABEL, Tex. (AP) — "It ain't no picnic down there," shrimp boat captain John Jaroma said upon returning to this South Texas port after being held about a week by Mexican authorities for alleged illegal fishing.

Jaroma returned on his shrimp boat, the Matsumoto Maru, and another shrimp-er, the Betty Margaret, returned from Tampico, Mexico, Friday.

The two shrimp boats were held for allegedly fishing in Mexican waters but were not fined. The shrimp and all fishing equipment aboard the vessels were confiscated.

Jaroma and Capt. Albert Reynolds of the Betty Margaret said they were not mistreated. They said they were placed on a Mexican gunboat after their capture in the Gulf of Mexico Dec. 3 and ordered to sign a statement written in Spanish but they refused.

Jaroma estimated he lost about \$5,000 worth of shrimp and about \$3,500 in fishing equipment.

Reynolds said Mexican

authorities took 125 pounds of shrimp and several nets from the Betty Margaret. He estimated his loss at \$1,000.

A third shrimp boat, the Fantomar, owned by Tony Hunter, of Port Isabel, was scheduled to arrive here sometime during the weekend. The Fantomar was fined an undetermined amount of money, believed to be about \$6,000, for evading capture shortly after the Matsumoto Maru and the Betty Margaret were seized.

Another shrimp boat seized, the Miss Thriftway, was allowed to leave Tuxpan, Mexico earlier last week. It was reportedly fishing its way back to Texas. Owner Fred Vidos of Brownsville said he did not expect the boat to arrive in South Texas for a week or more.

Jaroma and Reynolds said they do not want to chance being seized again by Mexican gunboats.

"You can believe that when you're caught down there, you're in for the hassle of your life," Jaroma said.

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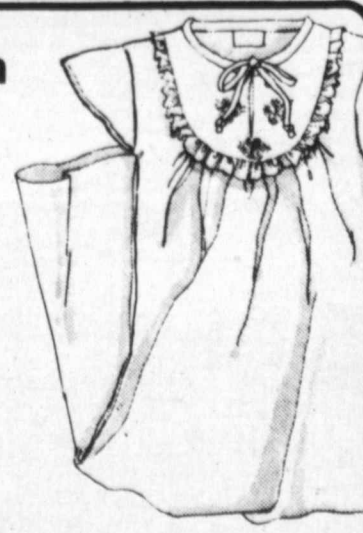
Soft terrycloth, padded lining with cushion crepe soles. Assorted colors. Sizes 7 to 12.



Women's nylon long gowns.

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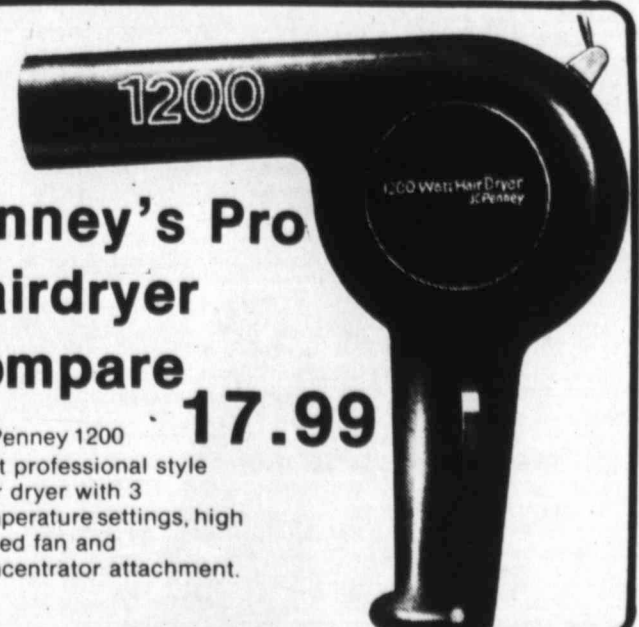
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MEMORIES AROUND — This home at 5th and Benton holds echoes of children's voices and memories of hundreds of children who gathered at a restaurant owned by one of Big Spring's earliest residents.

Suit To Halt Shipments Of Cattle From State?

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association has filed suit in federal court here seeking to stop the U. S. Department of Agriculture

from cutting funds appropriated for the fight against brucellosis and from imposing a quarantine on Texas cattle.

The suit, filed here Friday,

names as defendants Agriculture Secretary Earl Buttz, Dr. Frank J. Mulhearn, administrator of the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Dr. John M. Heil, deputy administrator, and Dr. Paul Brucellosis, a disease of the Becton, in charge of the brucellosis program.

Texas has about 13 million cattle. The suit claims that the proposed USDA action, believed to be ready to go into effect next month, would prevent Texas cattle from crossing state lines and withhold funds from the program to eradicate udder. It adds that these actions would affect seriously the quality of human environment in the state.

Texas cattlemen ship from to five million to six million head annually to other states. Hillman G. Moore of Richmond, president of the 15,000-member cattlemen organization headquartered in Fort Worth, said the most damaging element in the proposed quarantine would be the financial damage to cattlemen already experiencing difficulties caused by low market prices.

The suit charges that the USDA has failed to meet requirements in not filing an environmental impact statement on the proposed embargo with the Environmental Protection Agency.

Such a statement, Moore said, required by EPA, entails a lengthy review and a hearing with an eventual ruling by the courts.

The TSCRA is suing for the declaratory release and for preliminary and permanent injunctive relief from the provision and requirements of the Brucellosis of the Eradication Program of the USDA.

Moore said the resulting increase in cattle numbers from such a quarantine and the increase of the disease caused by the withdrawal of funds and personnel would have an impact upon the quality of the state's air, grasslands, soil, and water resources.



RECOGNIZED — Robert E. Fee Jr. of Colorado City (right) accepts certificate from Ed Young, immediate past president of the Texas Section, Society for Range Management. Fee was recognized for his Excellence in Grazing Management, during section's annual meeting recently in Abilene.

Three From San Angelo Honored By Range Unit

The superintendent of San Angelo public schools and two Angelo State University students have earned high honors from the Texas Section of the Society for Range Management.

The president of the Texas Section, in its annual meeting that ended Saturday in Abilene, presented the Excellence in Grazing Management Award to Supt. James B. Nevins and the Outstanding Student Award to ASU Agriculture Department members Rick Childress and Megan Smith.

For their prestigious and 23rd annual Outstanding Rangeland Award, members of the Section chose Dr. Joseph L. Schuster, professor and head since 1972 of the Range Science Department at Texas A&M University.

New president of the Texas Section, succeeding Ed Young, is John Hunter, and secretary-treasurer, Darryl Euckert, both of Texas Tech Department of Wildlife Management and Range Science.

The president-elect is Gary Mathis, assistant manager of the Swenson Land & Cattle Company, and the directors are Dr. Roy V. Miller, head of the Agriculture Department at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, Gary Westermoreland, state range conservationist of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service in Temple, and Al Brothers of Laredo.

The Grazing award also went to 32 other individuals and the Outstanding Student award to 9 others at five universities, including Gary B. McFadden of Sul Ross

State. Other recipients of the Grazing award: Aubrey DeLong of Mertzon, Robert F. Fee Jr. of Colorado City, Richard Gesin of Sweetwater, Joe H. Johnson of Utopia, John Klimitchek of Hallettsville, W. B. McMillan of Sonora, the Middle Verde Ranch of Bandera, Fay Miller of Llano, Cecil Woodard of Junction. The Outstanding Student award also went to John Q. Corbett III and Hareddy T. Stewardson Jr. of Texas A&M; to Brenton Xaba and Kent B. Morrison of Texas Tech; to John Michael Baker and Mary Lynne Easter of Abilene Christian College, and to Edwin Lee Frank and Leonard Darrell Nored of Texas A&I.

Also Donald Holt of Harwood, V. W. Lehmann Jr. of Carizzo Springs, Los Jabonillos Ranch of Premont, John Merrill of Crowley, Earl W. Page of Morgan, Senator William N. Patman of Granado, Thomas M. Ryan of Arlington, J. W. Stone of Fort Stockton, Bluford A. Thornton of Pyote, Jim Willingham of Uvalde, and W. A. Wroe of Austin.



MANY FACES — Alvin Sipes, 84, looks over the many pictures of Boydston Elementary school children who ate lunch at his school lunchroom over a period of years.

For the past few years, he has simply run a small home restaurant since cafeteria service was installed at the school.

Memories Of Big Springer Range From Dugouts To Cheating Teens

By MARJ CARPENTER

Kneeling down beside the flower bed, Alvin L. Sipes was planting Spring bulbs along the sidewalk at his home at Fifth and Benton.

The 84-year-old longtime resident of Big Spring looked up as the reporter walked up on the sidewalk. "Are you wanting a hamburger?" he asked.

He had a school store for Boydston Elementary for 30 years and in recent years has simply sold hamburgers, chicken fries and chicken to those who come to the small cafe in the front of his house on Benton.

When he found out there was to be a story about him, he asked, "Was it because I just won the hundred silver dollars downtown?"

SNAKES ALIVE

The explanation followed that, "No, it was because back at the Old Settlers Reunion, you mentioned that as a boy you lived in a dugout

near the big spring area."

Sipes grinned. "Sure I did. Me and my parents. It was just after the turn of the century. During the hot summer, we couldn't go outside the dugout without Dad checking first to see if snakes were curled up by the front door."

"If they were, he'd knock the snakes out of the way. The coyotes would sit up on top of the dugout at night and howl, but you couldn't hear them much inside."

"That's been a long time ago... a long time," Sipes meditated.

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He opened the door to the restaurant portion of his home.

"Let's sit down and talk," and added as we entered. "This is my sister. She helps me. My wife is blind now, you know." He put his finger near his hearing aid. "I'm nearly deaf myself. But we make it all right."

He pointed to his menu

Liberal Democrats Sold On Ex-Oklahoma Senator

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP)

Former U.S. Sen. Fred Harris of Oklahoma announced his candidacy in the Texas Democratic presidential primary Saturday.

Harris, 46, met at length with a group of liberal Democrats in San Antonio and came out with more support than any of the other announced candidates.

Harris was the only presidential hopeful attending a meeting of some 215 liberal Democrats, and in a straw vote came out on top with 38.5 per cent of the

delegates.

Rep. Morris Udall of Arizona was next with 19.2 per cent, followed by Sargent Shriver with 18.7 per cent.

The group formed a statewide executive committee to plan and monitor liberal activities in Texas and discussed strategy to block the presidential hopes of Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas.

Billie Carr, a co-leader of the session, said Bentsen is "very high" in popularity among Texas, but "it is still possible to beat him in his home state."

Congregation Turns Out For Celebration

First Mexican Baptist Church observed its 50th anniversary Saturday with an all-afternoon meeting and a climactic dinner.

A large percentage of the congregation turned out for the celebration arranged by a committee headed by Jim Ladislado Abreo.

The church was organized in 1925, growing out of the ashes of an earlier congregation that had been organized in 1909, only to falter. Mrs. B. Reagan and Mrs. S. H. Morrison had inspired that one — as they did the latter — by organizing a school in the Mexican-American section of town, then setting up a small Sunday School.

Donato Ruiz, started a mission which grew into the present church, and a Rev. Garcia became the first pastor, followed by Carlos Castillo, and then Scott Cotton. In all, there have been 12 pastors, with Basilio Esquivel the present minister.

The congregation acquired its first house of worship on the present site at 700 NW 5th on May 29, 1927 on lots given by Mrs. Morrison. By the mid-1930's it had reached 75, and today it has 121 members. However, in the 50 intervening years, it is estimated it has been the instrument for winning and baptizing 1,200 persons. It is self-supporting except for \$25 a month bequeathed by Mrs. Molly Phillips. The congregation also owns its personage.

Three ministers have come out of the church — Pablo Flores, Ricardo Vera, and Mrs. Vazquez.

Heriberto Rubio is chairman of the deacon body including Pablo Ramirez, Mike Ramirez, Abelardo Hilario Jr., David Hilario, Jim Abreo and Meliton Arriola. Mrs. Sixto Ramirez is WMU president, and Abelario Hilario is choir leader. Arriola is superintendent of the Sunday School.



CELEBRATING 50TH ANNIVERSARY — The congregation of the First Mexican Baptist Church gathers to celebrate the church's 50th anniversary. The Rev. Basilio Esquivel is pastor of the church at 701 NW 5th St. Deacons include Pablo Ramirez, Sixto Ramirez, Heriberto Rubio and Mike Ramirez. Others are Abelardo Hilario Jr., David Hilario, Ladislado Abreo and Meliton Arriola.

DEATHS

N. McDaniel

Graveside rites for Norman McDaniel, 43, Big Spring, will be at 2 p.m. today in the Garden City Cemetery, with the Rev. Herbert McPherson, pastor of the Westside Baptist Church here, officiating. Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. McDaniel, victim of a shooting accident in front of his home Friday, was born in Garden City and had been a resident of Glasscock County most of his life. He attended Garden City schools and served in the U.S. Air Force from 1952 until 1965.

Survivors include his widow, a son, Nolan McDaniel, Big Spring; his father, A. F. McDaniel, Garden City; two brothers Charles McDaniel, Seattle, Wash., and Richard McDaniel, Alpine; and a sister, Mrs. Shirley Wood, Colorado.

Gregg Ware

Masonic graveside rites were conducted Saturday for Gregg W. Ware, by Masonic Lodge 598 AF&AM. Mr. Ware, 56, died 1:03 a.m. Friday in a local hospital after a long illness.

Services were held 10:30 a.m. Saturday in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Collins Moore Jr., Hillcrest Baptist pastor, officiating. Burial was in Mount Olive Memorial Park.

Ura W. Wilson

Services will be held Monday 2 p.m. at the Satterwhite Funeral Home in Breckenridge for Ura W. Wilson, 72, brother of E. H. Wilson, Big Spring. Mr. Wilson died Friday morning. There will be military rites at Breckenridge and graveside rites in Sunday. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Lillian Davis, Possum Kingdom Lake, and E. H. Wilson, Big Spring; several nieces and nephews.

Willard King

MIDLAND — Full military graveside rites were held Friday afternoon, in the Arlington National Cemetery for Cmdr. Willard Dwight King, Ret., Midland, who died last Tuesday in a Big Spring hospital. King was 60.

A native Virginian, King served 23 years active duty in the U.S. Navy. He had been a resident of Midland for five years.

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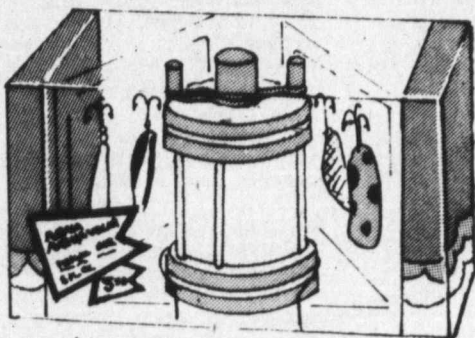
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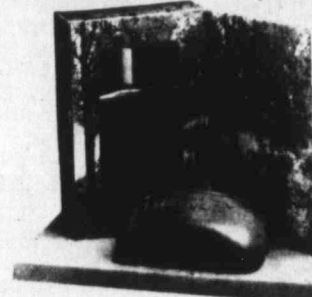
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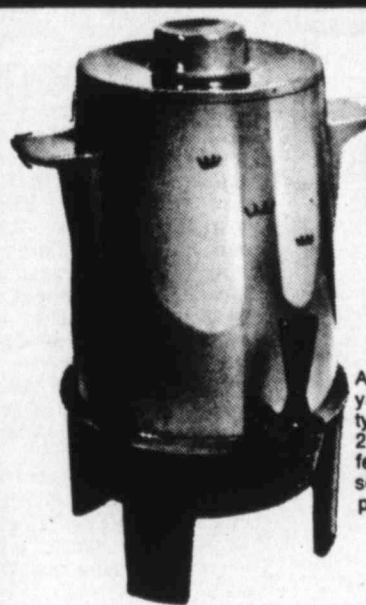
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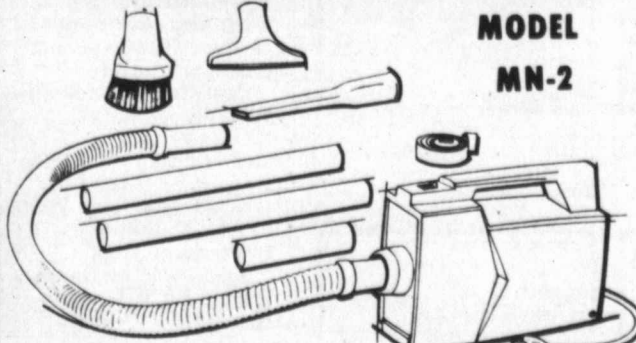


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COUNTY COURT FILINGS

Eliado Aleman Zubiate, 48, 509 N. Goliad, driving while intoxicated.
David Wayne Buckner, 17, 1609 Kentucky Way, driving while intoxicated.
Stanley Mansel Riggs, 56, 304 E. 3rd, driving while intoxicated.
Lara Reyes Pecina, driving while intoxicated.
Raymond Blackmon, 52, 1910 Johnson, driving while intoxicated.
Ed Brigido Villareal, 35, 704 San Jacinto, driving while intoxicated.
Robert Edward Dean, causing bodily injury to Marsha Dean by striking her with his fists.
Alfredo Martinez Gutierrez, 36, Coahoma, driving while intoxicated.
Prospero Padilla Yanez, 26, 806 N. Nolan, driving while intoxicated.
Arturo Rodriguez, 26, Lubbock, no driver's license.

COUNTY COURT ORDERS

Charles Richmond Noble, 19, 2310 Warren, speeding.
Jack Clarence Bennett, failure to display warning device for parked vehicle.
Geary Duwayne William, speeding.
Debra Denise Cockrell, speeding.
Jack Clarence Bennett, obstructing roadway.
Victor Wade McGee, speeding.
Kenneth Shaver, 35, Seymour, driving with suspended license.
Christopher Strong, 22, Snyder, driving with suspended license.
Eddie Velasquez, 22, Webb AFB, driving while intoxicated.
Roy Dawson Drake, 17, Rt. 1, Box 557, driving while intoxicated.
Sewell Owell Nail, 63, Longshore Rd., driving while intoxicated.
David Felan Resendez, driving while intoxicated.

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Frank R. Odum, 69, 507 N. San Antonio, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, fined \$50 and costs, sentenced to 30 days in jail, probated six months.
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'Ma' Bell Saga No. 1
News Story In Texas

DALLAS (AP) — T.O. Gravitt entered the garage of his Dallas home Oct. 17, 1974, attached a hose to the exhaust of his car, and killed himself. His death triggered a series of events newspaper editors across Texas have voted the No. 1 news story this year.

Gravitt was head of Texas operations for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. when he died. He left behind a grieving family and material for what became the basis of a \$26 million lawsuit against the giant utility.

Investigation of Bell activities spun off a number of other significant news stories during the year involving allegations of illegal telephone wiretapping, political slush funds, deceitful rate-making formulas and stiffening municipal resistance to rate hikes sought by all utility companies.

Editors ranked the year's top 10 news stories in Texas this way:

1. The Bell saga.
2. Former Gov. John Connally cleared of bribery charges.
3. A proposed new Texas Constitution is soundly defeated by voters.
4. Ronald O'Bryan is convicted at Houston of the Halloween poisoning death of his 8-year-old son, Timmy.
5. David Owen Brooks is convicted for his part in the Houston mass murders case.
6. A tie between Secretary of State Bob Bullock's sales tax raids and formation of a state utilities commission.
7. A tie between the perjury conviction of former Duval County Judge Archer Parr and appointment of Dr. Lorene Rogers as president of the University of Texas at Austin.
8. Texas House votes impeachment articles against District Court Judge O.P. Carrillo.
9. Large civilian posse at Caddo Mills captures two Texas highway patrolmen who are later charged with robbing the town bank.
10. "Duke of Duval" George Parr dies of self-inflicted gunshot while investigators close in on his South Texas political empire.

The Southwestern Bell story had a domino effect on news events. James Ashley, once a top executive with Bell's San Antonio office, and a close friend of Gravitt, alleged it was Bell policy to conduct deceitful rate-making policies, unethical lobbying efforts, wiretapping and special favors for Bell executives.

Notes left by Gravitt were described by San Antonio lawyer Pat Maloney as "the most supercharged piece of evidence I have seen in a quarter century of active law practice."

Company documents obtained by The Associated Press showed the company can earn twice as much profit as it says it can. City councils and commissions must approve Bell's requests for rate increases in each city where the company does business.

Not long after details of Bell's operations came to light, Texas cities began taking long, second looks at rate increases sought by the company. Councilmen in Beaumont, Dallas, and San Antonio all announced more stringent review of Bell requests for rate hikes.

The whole spectrum of utilities and their rates resulted in formation of the state's first utilities commission. Another spinoff of the Gravitt family's suit against Bell was a wholesale investigation of the Houston Police Department and wiretapping by policemen.

The telephone rate issue

Communications
Topic Of Speech

Roy D. Dayton, deputy commander for Resource Management at Webb AFB, was guest speaker for the Group XVI Civil Air Patrol awards banquet in Midland last week. His topic was good communications and personal ideals.

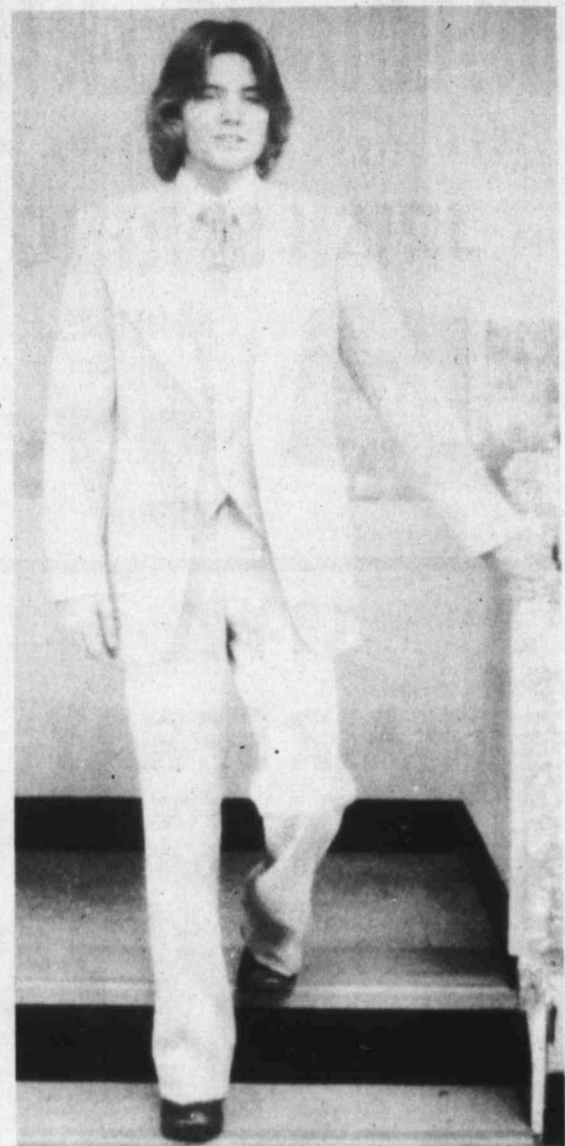
The base CAP liaison officer, 1st Lt. Alan J. Leitch, accompanied Colonel Dayton. The lieutenant reported that the speech was well received and the visit helped strengthen relationships between the CAP and Webb.

Flights Out
Of Clovis Axed

CLOVIS, N.M. — City commissioners here have voted to petition Texas International Airlines for improved service to and from the city.

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Blood Donor Day will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 24, instead of Wednesday, Christmas Eve.

On the following week, Blood Donor Day will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 30, instead of New Year's Eve.

Donations will be received as usual at the emergency room of Malone and Hogan Hospital from noon to 6 p.m. To make an appointment call 263-1211 ext. 124 or 125.

Donor Day this week will be on the regular Wednesday.

Idea Nets Cash
For Two At Webb

Two Webb AFB men of the 2050th Communications Squadron, SSGts. Gerald F. Dupont and J. P. Couch Jr., split \$100 in the November suggestion awards program. Their idea concerned routing of the "OD-58-T" cable" on the radar cabinet.

Certificates for their suggestions went to the following: SSGts. Gale Freese and Donald W. Fyfe of Organizational Maintenance, Sgt. Rory White of Civil Engineers, Betty Heideman of Communications and Barbara A. Hollandsworth of the Hospital.

MISHAPS

3245 Duke: Randal C. Crockett, 101 Lincoln, Stephen Edward Hughes, 2512 E. 24th, 10:52 p.m. Friday.

College Park Shopping Center: Janet Luan Armstrong, 2706 Lynn, David Gray Hanson, 538 Westover, 11:06 p.m. Friday.

800 block N. Lamar: Lynn Billie Doss, Box 265 A, Andres Juarez, 1010 NW 2nd, 12:02 a.m. Saturday.

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Inquiry

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OH TANNENBAUM! — Kent Rice, Kay Willbanks, Shawna Henry, Mike Blalack, Carolyn McKee, Tony Mann, Frosty Reynolds and Irene Little, left to right, members of the Big Spring Area Student Involvement Council (BASIC) help out with the decoration of the

Christmas tree at the Howard County Courthouse. Members of BASIC are also planning to sponsor an outdoor Christmas display contest within the next two weeks.

(Photo By John Edwards)

Asks President To Reconsider Proposed Defense Budget Cuts



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WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld personally asked President Ford on Saturday to reconsider proposed White House cuts in the defense budget.

Joining Rumsfeld in the

Cabinet Room meeting with Ford were Gen. George Brown, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, other defense officials, and James T. Lynn, director of the White House Office of Management and Budget.

Lynn proposed the cuts and the President tentatively accepted them last month.

The proposal reportedly reduces the Defense Department requests for money down to \$110 billion from the previously planned \$116.5 billion in fiscal 1977 and from \$128 billion to \$122.3 billion in fiscal 1978.

There was no report on details of the meeting, the second in two days on the subject.

At least one more budget appeals meeting is scheduled for Rumsfeld, former Ford White House chief of staff recently named to the top Pentagon post.

The President also met Saturday with members of his Domestic Council to discuss legislative proposals to be included in his State of the Union message, early next year.

Pros To Discuss Tracheostomy

SAN ANTONIO — Health professionals must know when and how to provide airway support for their patients if breathing becomes impaired.

A therapeutics seminar entitled "Tracheostomy," scheduled for Thursday, at 12:30 p.m. will allow professionals at Big Spring State Hospital in Big Spring to review indications for airway support and for inserting tubes into the windpipe and performing tracheostomies.

A tracheotomy is often done to prevent damage to the larynx or voice box by foreign tubes. Incision in the trachea is below the level of the larynx. The seminar will originate from The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio and will be received at 80 locations by means of teleconference hookup with the school.

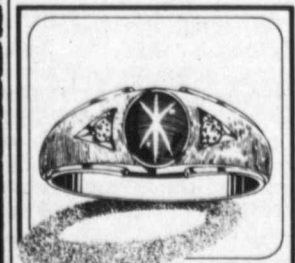
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HEW Officials To Eye Ector County Schools

The Ector County School District is one of 14 in the state which may be forced to comply with "remedies" which Deputy Commissioner of Education opportunities for non-English speaking students.

On-site inspections are scheduled to be made sometime in 1976 in the Ector ISD by officials of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare HEW, along with 13 other districts believed not in compliance with the law.

Ector County ISD Supt. Bill Holm insists he believes his district has complied

with 11 HEW regulations and has even gone beyond some guidelines to guarantee compliance.

Holm said he was not worried about the visit promised by HEW officials, adding: "I feel we're in pretty good shape."

Other West Texas districts which also may be forced to make compliance changes include Pecos-Barstow, Fabens and Eagle Pass.

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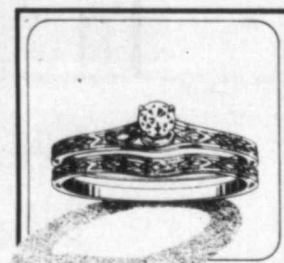
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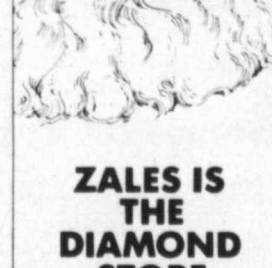
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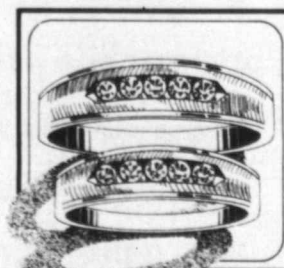
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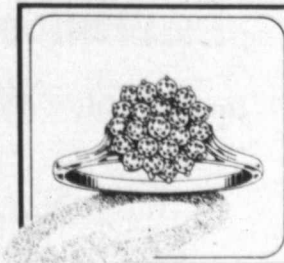
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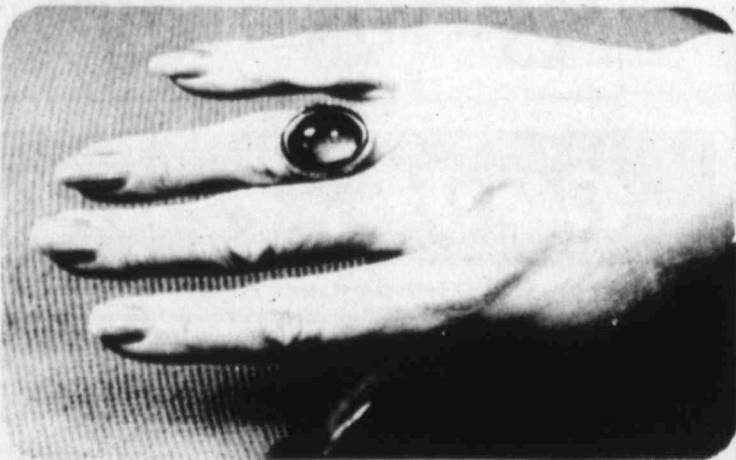
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KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE SKIES

Friendly, Hostile UFO's Observed

By STARBUCK WOOLF

(Editor's note: This is second in a series of three articles concerning unidentified flying objects. This article pertains to some of the more exciting UFO sightings throughout the world, and the third in the series relates some very dramatic sightings in the Big Spring area.)

June 24, 1975 marked the 28th anniversary of the first modern UFO sighting, and unidentified flying objects have been seen quite frequently in those 28 years. Advanced science and technology appears to have been involved in all the sightings to date, but the source, or origin, of the remarkable craft has yet to be determined.

Hundreds of landing impressions and ground markings such as 20 to 30-foot circles, tripod landing gear marks, background radiation increases, chemical soil changes, denuded vegetation and depressed areas have been found at

various sites over the past 28 years.

Consistent features of UFO's are being reported independently by witnesses thousands of miles apart, and metallic and non-metallic elements have been found at UFO landing sites around the world. UFO's have appeared to utilize lasers for guidance and communications, as well as in defensive mechanisms. Ultraviolet and microwave radiations have been detected, and ultrasonics seem to play an important part in their appearances.

FRIENDLY AND HOSTILE
Both friendly and hostile UFO's have been observed. Over 70 cases of UFO's being fired upon have been reported to date, and 160 different cases of eyewitnesses being burned, blinded, paralyzed and injured by UFO's in close encounters have been documented. For UFO buffs, perhaps

the most recognized and authoritative source of information is Maj. Donald E. Kayhoe (USMC Ret.), who has followed the baffling story of UFO's from that first summer night in 1946 when a very descriptive pilot said, "Well, you won't believe this, but it looks like a saucer." Maj. Kayhoe strives to break the cloak of cover-up which he claims pervades the entire subject.

In 1957, Kayhoe was made director of NICAP — the National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena. Utilizing the services of high-ranking retired and reserve officers, scientists and engineers, NICAP became the world's largest UFO research organization, with over thirty subcommittees in the United States and abroad. The Board of Governors of NICAP included military men fully informed on national security and UFO secrecy, among them many high-ranking officers. The Board's official public statement concerning UFO procedures follows:

INFORMATION
"The Air Force has withheld and is still withholding information on UFO's. NICAP intends to secure all possible verified factual evidence and make it available to Congress and the public. It will also attempt to end unwarranted secrecy."

By the mid-sixties NICAP had analyzed nearly 11,000 UFO reports, over 2,500 of them from veteran pilots, scientists, tower operators, radar experts and other well-qualified observers.

Kayhoe is adamant in his belief that UFO's pose a distinct threat to us, and he sees the U.S. Air Force as the villain for hushing up the whole business.

Maj. Kayhoe states that the AF has always denied firing upon UFO's to avoid public alarm, but he claims they have, and he also claims to have a photocopy of the AF Academy report on the following incident:

In October of 1969, about 10 o'clock one morning, a radar site near a fighter base picked up a UFO doing 700 mph. The UFO then slowed to 100 mph and two F-80s were scrambled to intercept. Eventually one F-80 closed on the UFO at about 3,000 feet altitude. The UFO began to accelerate away but the pilot still managed to get within 500 yards of the object for a short period of time. It was definitely saucer-shaped. As the pilot pushed the F-80 at top speed, the UFO began to pull away. When the range reached 1,000 yards the pilot aimed his guns and fired in an attempt to down the saucer. He failed, and the UFO pulled away rapidly, vanishing in the distance.

Many people, both those who believe in flying saucers and those who don't, oftentimes are skeptical of the Air

Force explanations of UFO's. For example:

FLIGHT 21
In 1954, TWA Flight 21 had just passed over Amarillo, Texas, westbound. The time was 10:15 p.m., altitude 18,000 feet, visibility fifteen miles. Captain Schemel had the controls, and his first officer was making an instrument check, when lights on an unknown craft abruptly materialized less than a mile away. The UFO's sudden appearance was almost unbelievable.

At a fantastic speed the strange craft came straight toward the plane. Just in time, Schemel dove, and the UFO flashed overhead in a blur of light. Of course the passengers did not have their seat belts on, and many were thrown out of their seats. Seven passengers and 2 stewardesses were injured. The pilot called for an emergency landing, and the story was broadcast around the country.

The Air Force said the "mystery object" was only an ordinary aircraft. But Civil Aeronautics investigators afterward proved there had been no conventional aircraft within fifty miles. Still the Air Force refused to admit that a UFO was involved.

The UFO sighting that sticks in this writer's memory is the one by U.S. astronaut Maj. Gordon Cooper in 1963, as he was making his fifteenth orbit of the earth, at 8 p.m. Perth time, May 16th. Cooper was moving eastward at about 17,000 mph.

He radioed that a glowing greenish object with a red tail or exhaust was approaching his capsule. The object was seen by all those present at the Mueche tracking station, including newsmen and civilian observers. The report of the incident was broadcast to the world by NBC, first at 10:45 p.m. (UST) from Cape Canaveral and again ten minutes later.

Something, traveling in the opposite direction, had approached Cooper as he crossed western Australia. It was visible for two minutes to ground personnel at Mueche, where its altitude was estimated at 100 miles.

After Cooper had landed, newsmen were notified by the Public Affairs Officer of the Manned Spaceflight Center, John J. Peterson:

"Major Cooper has informed us that he prefers not to answer your questions."

REFUSE TO ANSWER
NASA, ordinarily courteous to the press, was equally blunt in its refusal to answer questions about the incident or to permit Cooper to answer them.

For whatever reason they see fit, the "powers that be" in the Air Force and government deem it necessary to either maintain silence, ignore, refute, or unsatisfactorily explain UFO's. From the hundreds of sightings I have personally examined, I have found three to be most amazing — and I doubt that the AF could explain them as "Will o' the Wisp" for they all happened before the AF came into being.

The three sightings I have chosen are important for a number of reasons: 1) They occurred in 1902, 1908, and 1913 respectively, times when they could not be readily explained as man-made machines; 2) there were hundreds of witnesses to each sighting; and 3) they all occurred in different parts of the world — in other words, no mass hysteria could account for them.

Martin's Girl Caught With Hidden Cocaine
BARRANQUILLA, Colombia (AP) — Kelly Anne Martin, 22, daughter of New York Yankees Manager Billy Martin, was being held here today on charges of carrying 450 grams of cocaine, the Administrative Department of Security said.

Authorities said Miss Martin was arrested Nov. 16 at the Barranquilla Airport as she prepared to fly to Miami, Fla. Officers said she was carrying the cocaine, worth an estimated \$60,000, hidden on her person.

Officials said Miss Martin, an office worker from Albany, Calif., came to Colombia as a tourist.

She was being held in the municipal jail for women by order of a penal judge who will decide if she will be called to trial or released, authorities said.

Miss Martin said she was innocent of the charges. She said she did not know that the substance she was carrying was cocaine.

On October 28, 1902 the steamship Fort Salisbury was plowing along at a modest seven knots through the Gulf of Guinea off the west coast of Africa. The night was clear, and there was nothing of note until five minutes past three, when a look-out spotted something dead ahead in the water.

The skipper took emergency action to miss the thing. The searchlight was ordered on and showed a tremendous object of some sort, low in the water, with two small orange-red lights near one end and two blue-green lights near the other. The object was a huge rounded metallic thing, about a hundred feet in diameter and six hundred feet long.

CLANKING SOUNDS
From within the object came clanking sounds that indicated the presence of machinery... and other noises that sounded like excited voices, but unintelligible to the crew and passengers who had gathered on the ship's deck to observe the strange craft.

The officers shouted inquiries as to whether the craft needed help, but there was no sign from the object. As scores of people watched, it slowly slid into the sea... a mystery. Was it a downed UFO? Who knows?

On June 30, 1908 a UFO exploded over the Irtys River in Siberia with a force more powerful than the atomic bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki. At the time, trails of light left by the trajectory of unidentified objects were observed in the sky, and an attempt was made to identify these trails with the path of an object that might have caused the explosion.

This identification remains doubtful, but if these trails did have a connection with the object that exploded, recent calculations done with the aid of a computer prove that this object was executing maneuvers in altitude as well as in direction. After the explosion, seismic shock waves and electrostatic and electromagnetic disturbances were noted all over the world, just as they would later be detected after thermonuclear explosions.

What happened? More than eighty hypotheses have been put forward. Did a flying saucer explode over Russia? Who knows?

On February 9, 1913, at about two minutes past nine, a line of glowing objects

appeared in the northwest sky of Saskatchewan, Canada. Initially there was a row of four glowing lights, followed at a short distance by another row of three abreast and by still another group of two.

HEAVENLY
Slowly, majestically and noisily this heavenly procession rumbled through the skies. After about a minute another formation of four, three and two lights appeared in the same part of the sky, following the same path. And a short time later, a third and final group of lights trailed behind the first two.

These noisy groups of UFO's were visible to thousands of people as they moved from Canada to where they were last seen beyond Cape Sao Roque, Brazil, heading southeastward toward Africa. Amazing. These UFO's were seen by people along a 5,000 mile path; they were not airplanes; they were at a great altitude; they were not satellites; and they were not

swamp gas. What were they? Who knows?

It is hard to imagine logical explanations to every UFO incident, although it would be much more comforting to most people to do so. Next week an exclusive, The first report ever of a

spectacular sighting just south of Big Spring by a local resident. Until then, keep your eyes on the skies.

(Author's note: Due to the author's mind being light-years away at the time, the distance to Alpha Centauri was mistakenly noted as 3,000 light-years and not 4.3 light-years, which is correct. Also the speed of light is 186,000 miles per second, not 186,000 feet per second.)

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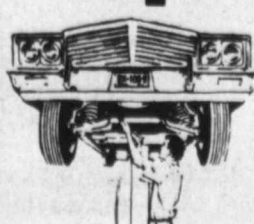
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This is why I now express my own terms in the matter of life and death. It is meant to be neither a model nor an example. Yet it gives direction and courage, it will have served its purpose.

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HONOR STUDENTS WITH HOSTS — Members of Undergraduate Pilot Training Class 76-05 at Webb AFB who won distinction during training are pictured with Maj. Gen. John P. Flynn, fourth from left, and Col. Robert Owens, second from right, during graduation ceremonies held at Webb. Pictured from the left are 2nd Lt. Dean A. Colello and 2nd Lt. Mark Dornette, who won Distinguished Graduate Letters; 2nd Lt. Jeffrey R. Reimer, winner of the ATC Commander's Trophy, top award in the class; Gen. Flynn; 2nd Lt. Dana Longino, awarded the Flying Training Award; Col. Owens; and 2nd Lt. Keith A. Stover, recipient of the Academic Award.

Graduation Ceremonies For Pilot Class Staged

Undergraduate Pilot Training Class 76-05 completed formal training with graduation ceremonies Dec. 8 at Webb AFB. The evening was highlighted by a sendoff by Maj. Gen. John P. Flynn, commander of Air Force Military Training Center at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Class members exited to the sound of music from the Air Force "Band of the West" from Lackland.

The class leader, 2nd Lt. Jeffrey R. Reimer took top honors. He received the ATC Commander's Trophy, the Military Training Award and a Distinguished Graduate Letter.

Other awardees were 2nd Lt. Dana A. Longino who earned the Flying Training Award and 2nd Lt. Keith A. Stover got the Academic Award. Lieutenants Reimer and Longino are graduates of the University of Florida, while Stover completed Grove City College in Pennsylvania.

Two others received Distinguished Graduate Letters. They were 2nd Lt. Dean A. Colello and Mark E. Dornette.

Three men from Kuwait joined the class for the T-38 portion of training. They received certificates of completion, having been previously graduated from the Security Assistance Training Program. They are: 2nd Lt. Yousef Al-Mulla, Abdulaziz Al-Jassim and Shawshi Al-Abiani.

Who's New At Webb?

The following individuals recently arrived for duty at Webb AFB. Their last base and assigned unit at Webb are:

Maj. James J. Conklin, Korat AB, Thailand, Hospital; Capt. Harold J. Vallot Jr., Keeler AFB, Miss., Hospital; MSgt. Charles F. Turner Jr., Hickam AFB, Hawaii, Supply; TSgt. James N. Gill, Ching Chuan Kang AB, Taiwan, Comm.; TSgt. Charles D. Snyder, Clark AB Philippines, Supply; TSgt. Darryle D. Westra, Carswell AFB, Tex., FMS; TSgt. Dennis D. Winkelmann, Alconbury AB, Eng., Supply; Sgt. Keith A. Arnold, Elmendorf, Alaska, Supply; Sgt. Richard L. Burlingame, Moody AFB, Ga., OMS, and Sgt. James M. Kirk AFB, Ga., FMS.

Also Sgt. James L. Ross, Moody AFB, Ga., OMS; Sgt. Abner K. Sirmans, Moody AFB, Ga., OMS; Sgt. Lloyd Thomas Jr., Moody AFB, Ga., FMS; A1C Richard J. Catlin, Lowry AFB, Colo., OMS; A1C Robert D. Haubrick, Moody AFB, Ga., OMS; Amn. Michael P. Caskey, Keeler AFB, Miss., Comm.; Amn. Jerome L. Churak, Chanute AFB, Ill., FMS; Amn. Gerald M. Coley, Chanute AFB, Ill., FMS; Amn. Vester Gross, Sheppard AFB, Tex., CE.

Map Deep Explorer

A. K. Guthrie, Big Spring will drill No. 1 Wolf as an outpost to the Reinecke and Hobo fields in southeastern Borden County.

The deep explorer, 660 from the south and 1,980 from the west lines of section 41-25, H&TC, is 1 1/4 miles southeast of the Hobo (Pennsylvanian) field and 3/4th of a mile northwest of the Reinecke South (lower Clearfork) field.

In Borden County also, Baxter Miller, a wildcat, was at 4.9:9 in sand, shale and lime.

Gulf Oil Company No. 1 M. E. Holland will be a deep exploration three miles north of Lamesa and 1 1/2 miles east of the one-well Schmidt (Wolfcamp) field. Location is 660 from the north and west lines section 77-35, 6n, Georgetown RR. The Schmidt well rated 216 barrels of oil from 9,381-89.

Howard County's northeast Palmoco No. 1 Schafer was taking a drillstem test above 7,551.

In Martin County, UV Industries No. 3-A Flynt was plugged at 13,209 after an unsuccessful drillstem test from 12,955-13,035 returned 9,997 feet of sulphur water. The location, 10 miles northwest of Tarzan, was 990 from the south and 840 feet from the east lines of section 5-Hartley CFL.

Try To Mail Christmas Cards, Gifts By Monday

Postmaster Frank Hardesty today urged immediate mailing of all domestic Christmas cards and parcels and encouraged customers to help expedite delivery by using ZIP Codes.

Roll Call

WASHINGTON (AP) — Here is how Texas, Arkansas and New Mexico senators voted as the U.S. Senate approved, by a vote of 72-23, a \$10.3 billion supplemental money bill that includes \$2.3 billion for New York City:

Bentsen, D-Tex., yes;

Tower, R-Tex., yes;

Bumers, D-Ark., yes;

McLellan, D-Ark., no;

Montoya, D-N.M., yes;

Domenici, R-N.M., yes.

The vote took place Wednesday.

ZIP Codes will be delivered by Christmas Eve.

The last of the suggested dates for mailing domestic greeting cards within the 48 "mainland" States and Alaska and Hawaii is Monday.

"In extending our commitment to make every possible effort to deliver all holiday mail on time — we hope the general public will respond by depositing their mail at once," Hardesty said.

Kills Escapée

VALENCE, France (AP) — A police marksman shot and killed a young escaped criminal today as he poked his head out of the window of an apartment where he had held a 61-year-old woman hostage for nearly 24 hours, authorities said.

The woman was escorted out of the building, apparently unharmed.

The dead man was identified as Michel Ghezail, 21. His mother spent most of the night in the apartment with him and at one stage told police he was ready to surrender, but he later changed his mind.

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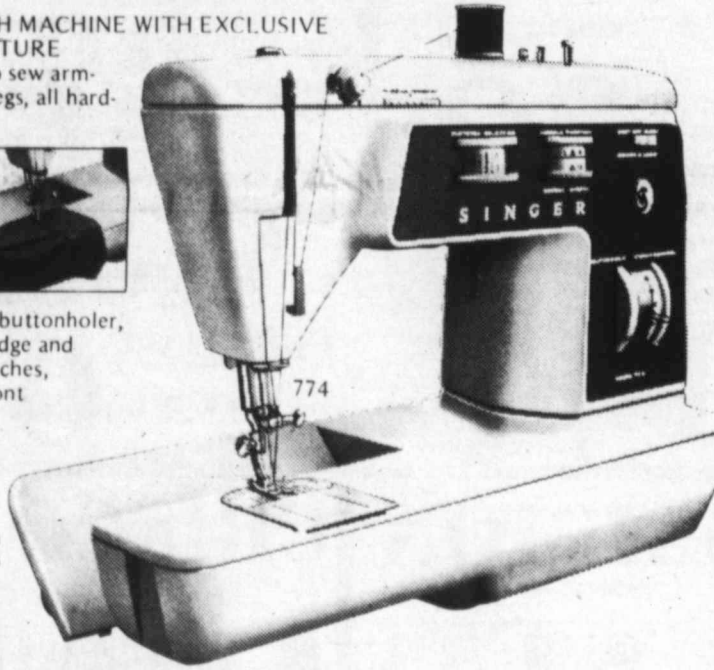
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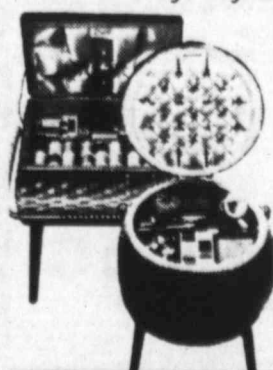
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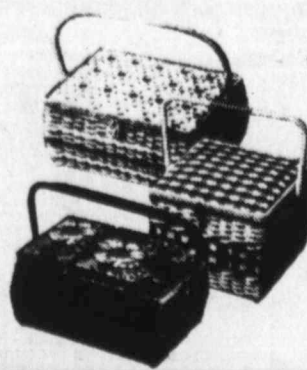
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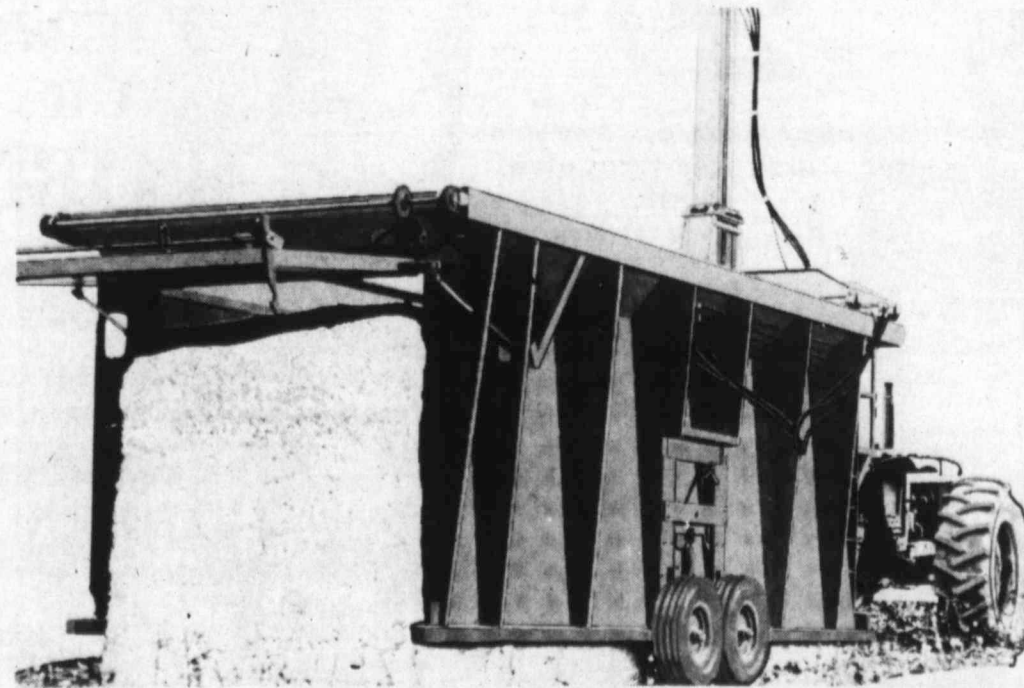
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Pressure CIA Into Spying, Plotting Coups

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By DAVID C. MARTIN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly a year of investigations into the CIA, FBI and other government agencies has revealed an intelligence community which, for all its contributions to national security, frequently has been mismanaged from above and mismanaged from below.

Various presidents have misused the FBI for political purposes, pressured the CIA into spying on American citizens, involved U.S. officials in the plotting of military coups abroad, even encouraged a government agency to commit murder.

At the same time, intelligence officials have taken it upon themselves to open mail, harass citizens and administer drugs.

In many instances, investigators said misdeeds can be explained, but not justified, by the temper of the times in which they occurred.

In addition to revelations of wrong-doing, the investigations have raised serious questions about the quality and usefulness of intelligence data. Intelligence officials have acknowledged that they failed to give policy makers adequate warning of such events as the outbreak of the 1973 Mideast War.

Evidence also showed that at the same time intelligence analysts were concluding the U.S. had no vital interest in Chile, top policy makers, including President Richard Nixon, were directing intelligence agents to organize a military coup there.

The investigations also failed to turn up any evidence to substantiate some frequent allegations about the CIA, including:

- Involvement in the assassination of President Kennedy;
- Collaboration in the Watergate break-in or cover-up;
- Direct involvement in the 1973 coup in Chile;
- Infiltration of the White House.

While the intelligence agencies have been rocked by the seemingly unending disclosures, political careers and ambitions have blossomed. Senate intelligence committee chairman Frank Church is on the verge of launching a formal presidential campaign; Rep. Otis Pike, D-N.Y., head of the House intelligence committee, has indicated an interest in running for the Senate; Rep. Bella Abzug, D-N.Y., who has chaired hearings paralleling those of the intelligence committees, says she is looking very seriously at running for the same Senate seat.

What follows is a catalogue of activities, some clearly illegal and others of doubtful propriety, documented by the congressional probes plus that of a special commission headed by Vice President Nelson Rockefeller. It is virtually impossible to weigh these activities against the valuable work of intelligence agencies since most of their successes must remain secret.

It is not a balanced picture, but it is the only picture available.

ASSASSINATION

The Senate committee found that senior American officials "initiated and participated in" plots to assassinate Congolese leader Patrice Lumumba and Cuban Premier Fidel Castro. Senior officials also were aware of plots which resulted in the deaths of South Vietnamese President Ngo Dinh Diem, Dominican dictator Rafael Trujillo and Chilean army chief Gen. Rene Schneider.

However, the committee concluded that "no foreign leaders were killed as a result of assassination plots initiated by officials of the United States."

The committee said there was "a reasonable inference" that President Eisenhower authorized the plot against Lumumba but "insufficient evidence" from which to conclude that Eisenhower, Kennedy or Johnson authorized the assassination of Castro.

CHILE

The United States spent more than \$13 million during a decade of covert operations in Chile. The U.S. began by funneling money to a democratic presidential candidate in the early 1960s and ended in the 1970s by advocating the overthrow of a democratically elected government — that of Marxist Salvador Allende.

A Senate committee staff report noted that when the operations became known, "the United was seen ... to have contradicted not only its official declarations but

its treaty commitments and principles of long standing."

CIA DOMESTIC SPYING

From 1967 to 1974, the CIA's Operation CHAOS developed files on 7,200 American dissidents in an effort to determine if they were being influenced from abroad.

CHAOS began by monitoring the foreign contacts of U.S. dissidents abroad, but because of "continuing and insistent" pressure by Presidents Johnson and Nixon and their staffs, the operation was gradually expanded to include "large quantities of information on the domestic activities of American citizens," according to the Rockefeller Commission.

In several instances,

agents were infiltrated into domestic protest organizations and in one case a CIA agent reported on behind-the-scenes activities in a congressional campaign.

FBI SURVEILLANCE

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover directed his agents to gather information on any demonstration against U.S. intervention in Vietnam, all black student groups, and finally, all "disruptive, anti-government demonstrations and protest rallies."

The type of information gathered on one target of FBI surveillance — the "New Left" — consisted of "a wholly comprehensive listing of everything these people thought or did on any subject you can imagine,"

according to F. A. O. Schwartz III, chief counsel for the Senate committee.

FBI officials insisted that surveillance either was justified by evidence that "subversive groups were involved" or was quickly dropped.

COINTELPRO

The FBI's counter-intelligence program, COINTELPRO, sought "to expose, disrupt, and otherwise neutralize the activities" of the Communist party, Socialist Workers party, the "New Left," as well as "white hate" groups such as the Ku Klux Klan, and "black hate" groups.

Of 2,300 COINTELPRO operations from 1956 to 1971, when the program officially

ended, more than half were against the Communist party.

The tactics ranged from falsely announcing that a scheduled meeting had been canceled to sending anonymous letters accusing spouses of infidelity.

According to Curtis Smothers, minority counsel for the Senate committee, "the general prohibition on all the COINTELPRO activities was there should be no disclosure outside the bureau." James B. Adams, FBI associate deputy director, acknowledged that there was scant legal justification for most of the tactics but called the COINTELPRO operations against the Klan the

bureau's "finest hour."

MARTIN LUTHER KING

Although FBI officials insisted they were justified in investigating Martin Luther King Jr. for possible Communist influence, they made no attempt to defend the FBI's campaign to discredit and replace him as a civil rights leader.

Sixteen electronic bugs and eight wiretaps were used against King — two of the wiretaps were approved by Atty. Gen. Robert Kennedy.

Shortly before King was to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, the FBI sent him and his wife an anonymous letter, along with a tape from one of the bugs, which King took to be a suggestion that

he commit suicide or face public disgrace.

According to chief counsel Schwartz, the FBI efforts "to go after Dr. King did not even cease when he died." As Congress began to consider making his birthday a national holiday, the FBI developed plans to provide friendly congressmen with off-the-record briefings about King in hopes that the bill could be bottled up in committee.

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2 Salad-Pastry Fork Reg. 34.00 SALE 17.00
4 Iced Beverage Spoon Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
1 Bonbon-Nut Spoon Reg. 29.00 SALE 14.50
2 Butter Serving Knife Reg. 22.50 SALE 11.25
2 Flat Server Reg. 73.50 SALE 36.75
2 Gravy Ladle Reg. 65.00 SALE 32.50
2 Sugar Spoon Reg. 34.00 SALE 17.00
2 Tablespoon Reg. 65.00 SALE 32.50
2 Tablespoon, Pierced Reg. 65.00 SALE 32.50

REED AND BARTON FRENCH RENAISSANCE

1 Iced Beverage Spoon Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
1 Bonbon Nut Spoon Reg. 29.00 SALE 14.50

WALLACE SIR CHRISTOPHER

4 Teaspoons Reg. 30.00 SALE 19.99
3 Place Knife (Large) Reg. 36.75 SALE 24.49
4 Place Fork (Large) Reg. 59.75 SALE 39.83
2 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 34.50 SALE 22.99
1 Lemon Fork Reg. 17.25 SALE 11.49
1 Sugar Spoon Reg. 31.50 SALE 20.99
1 Tablespoon Reg. 78.50 SALE 52.33

STERLING SILVER FLATWARE

REED AND BARTON FRENCH RENAISSANCE

1 Cold Meat-Butter Fork Reg. 65.00 SALE 32.50
1 Flat Server Reg. 73.50 SALE 36.75
1 Gravy Ladle Reg. 65.00 SALE 32.50

WALLACE GOLDEN AEGEAN

4 Teaspoons Reg. 35.50 SALE 17.75
2 Place Knife Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
4 Place Fork Reg. 52.50 SALE 26.25
6 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
2 Iced Beverage Spoon Reg. 45.00 SALE 22.50
1 Bonbon Nut Spoon Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
1 Gravy Ladle Reg. 66.75 SALE 33.37
1 Oliv. Pkl. Fork Reg. 25.00 SALE 12.50

WALLACE AEGEAN WEAVE

7 Teaspoon Reg. 30.00 SALE 19.99
8 Place Knife Reg. 32.50 SALE 21.66
8 Place Fork Reg. 45.50 SALE 30.33
8 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 34.50 SALE 29.99
1 Bonbon Nut Spoon Reg. 31.50 SALE 20.99
1 Butter Serving Knife Reg. 19.50 SALE 12.99
1 Cold Meat-Butter Fork Reg. 62.50 SALE 41.66
1 Gravy Ladle Reg. 56.25 SALE 37.49
1 Oliv. Pkl. Fork Reg. 17.25 SALE 11.49
1 Sugar Spoon Reg. 31.50 SALE 20.99
1 Tablespoon Reg. 78.50 SALE 52.33
1 Tablespoon, Pierced Reg. 78.50 SALE 52.33

LUNT ELOQUENCE

1 Place Knife Reg. 28.00 SALE 14.00
1 Place Fork Reg. 52.00 SALE 26.00
3 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 38.00 SALE 19.00
4 Iced Beverage Spoon Reg. 42.00 SALE 21.00
1 Butter Serving Knife Reg. 31.00 SALE 15.50
1 Sugar Spoon Reg. 36.00 SALE 18.00
1 Tablespoon Reg. 72.00 SALE 36.00

LUNT DELACOURT

2 Place Knife Reg. 28.00 SALE 14.00
3 Place Fork Reg. 52.00 SALE 26.00
3 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 38.00 SALE 19.00

LUNT CONCORDIA

4 Teaspoon Reg. 27.00 SALE 13.50
4 Place Knife Reg. 25.00 SALE 12.50
5 Place Fork Reg. 45.00 SALE 22.50
5 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 33.00 SALE 16.50
5 Place Spoon Reg. 38.00 SALE 19.00
1 Butter Serving Knife Reg. 29.00 SALE 14.50
1 Sugar Spoon Reg. 32.00 SALE 16.00
1 Tablespoon Reg. 65.00 SALE 32.50

TOWLE NOVAMTIQUE

1 Teaspoon Reg. 26.00 SALE 13.00
3 Place Knife Reg. 37.50 SALE 18.75
4 Place Fork Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
1 Cold Meat-Butter Fork Reg. 70.00 SALE 35.00

TOWLE MANDARIN

2 Place Fork Reg. 40.00 SALE 20.00
4 Salad Pastry Fork Reg. 36.00 SALE 18.00
1 Place Spoon Reg. 36.00 SALE 18.00

TOWLE EL GRANDEE

8 Iced Beverage Spoon Reg. 33.00 SALE 16.50
1 Butter Serving Knife Reg. 30.00 SALE 15.00
1 Cold Meat-Butter Fork Reg. 69.50 SALE 34.75
1 Gravy Ladle Reg. 69.50 SALE 34.75
2 Lemon Fork Reg. 22.00 SALE 11.00
1 Sugar Spoon Reg. 36.00 SALE 18.00
1 Tablespoon Reg. 66.50 SALE 33.25
1 Tablespoon, Pierced Reg. 66.50 SALE 33.25

FINE CRYSTAL

LENOX CRYSTAL

13 Stem Demension Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
2 Stem Green Mist Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
25 Stem Blue Mist Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
18 Stem Montclair Reg. 9.25 SALE 4.62

ALLANTIS CRYSTAL

11 Lisbon Hiball Reg. 9.00 SALE 4.50
5 Stem Lisbon Goblet Reg. 9.50 SALE 4.75
6 Stem Lisbon Champagne Reg. 9.00 SALE 4.50
4 Faro Hiball Reg. 8.50 SALE 4.25
3 Stem Faro Cordial Reg. 8.50 SALE 4.25
4 Fatima Hiball Reg. 10.50 SALE 5.25
4 Stem Fatima Wine Reg. 10.00 SALE 5.00
6 Stem Fatima Champagne Reg. 10.50 SALE 5.25
2 Stem Setubal Goblet Reg. 10.00 SALE 5.25
2 Stem Setubal Champagne Reg. 10.00 SALE 5.25

FINE CRYSTAL

LENOX CRYSTAL

24 Stem Weatherly Reg. 9.25 SALE 4.62
27 Stem Intrigue Reg. 9.25 SALE 4.62
20 Stem Rapture Reg. 9.25 SALE 4.62
4 Stem Shadow Green Reg. 9.00 SALE 4.50
11 Stem Plum Blossom Reg. 11.00 SALE 5.50

FOSTORIA FINE CRYSTAL

39 Stem Richmond Reg. 9.75 SALE 4.87
30 Stem Engagement Reg. 9.75 SALE 4.87
16 Stem Cameo Reg. 11.00 SALE 5.25
13 Stem Sheffield Reg. 9.75 SALE 4.87

MADEIRA CASUAL CRYSTAL

98 Stem Smoke Reg. 5.00 SALE 2.50
144 Stem Olive Reg. 5.00 SALE 2.50

CHINA

NORTIKE PROGRESSION

1-45 Pc. Set Petals Plus Reg. 199.95 SALE 99.97
2-45 Pc. Set Happy Days Reg. 199.95 SALE 99.97
2-45 Pc. Set Au Naturel Reg. 199.95 SALE 99.97

NORTIKE CHINA

1-92 Oc. Set Fragrance Reg. 379.95 SALE 189.97
2-45 Pc. Set Reverie Reg. 189.95 SALE 94.97
1-45 Pc. Set Brittany Reg. 189.95 SALE 94.97
2-45 Pc. Set Maytong Reg. 179.95 SALE 89.97
1-45 Pc. Set Asian Song Reg. 189.95 SALE 94.97
1-45 Pc. set Serene Garden Reg. 189.95 SALE 94.97

NORTIKE CHINA OPEN STOCK

5 Tulane Salad Plate Reg. 4.50 SALE 2.25
9 Tulane Bread and Butter Reg. 3.25 SALE 1.62
4 Tulane Tea Saucer Reg. 2.75 SALE 1.37
2 Tulane Tea Cup Reg. 5.00 SALE 2.50
1 Tulane Sugar and Lid Reg. 11.95 SALE 5.97
4 Tulane Fruits Reg. 4.00 SALE 2.00
2 Tulane Platters Reg. 22.95 SALE 11.47
9 Tulane Soups Reg. 4.50 SALE 2.25
2 Reverie Dinner Plate Reg. 7.75 SALE 3.87
2 Reverie Salad Plate Reg. 7.75 SALE 3.87
2 Reverie Tea Cup Reg. 5.00 SALE 2.50
2 Reverie Tea Saucer Reg. 2.75 SALE 1.37
2 Reverie Bread and Butter Reg. 3.25 SALE 1.62
11 Maytone Dinner Plate Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
12 Maytone Dinner Plate Reg. 4.25 SALE 2.12
2 Maytone Bread and Butter Reg. 3.00 SALE 1.50
10 Maytone Tea Cup Reg. 4.50 SALE 2.25
11 Maytone Tea Saucers Reg. 2.50 SALE 1.25
1 Maytone Large Round Bowl Reg. 15.95 SALE 7.97

1 Maytone Small Round Vegetable Reg. 11.95 SALE 5.97
1 Maytone Gravy Reg. 17.50 SALE 8.75
5 Early Spring Dinner Plate Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
6 Early Spring Salad Plate Reg. 4.25 SALE 2.12
13 Early Spring Bread and Butter Reg. 3.00 SALE 1.50

8 Early Spring Tea Cup Reg. 4.50 SALE 2.25
17 Early Spring Tea Saucer Reg. 2.50 SALE 1.25
8 Early Spring Soup Reg. 5.50 SALE 2.75
2 Early Spring Gravy Reg. 16.50 SALE 8.25
10 Early Spring Fruit Reg. 3.75 SALE 1.87
8 Blythe Dinner Plate Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
9 Blythe Salad Plate Reg. 4.25 SALE 2.12
14 Blythe Bread and Butter Reg. 3.00 SALE 1.50
8 Blythe Tea Cup Reg. 4.50 SALE 2.25
7 Blythe Tea Saucer Reg. 2.50 SALE 1.25
11 Blythe Soup Reg. 5.50 SALE 2.75
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2 Blythe Dus. Vegetable Reg. 15.50 SALE 7.75
1 Blythe Med. Platter Reg. 21.25 SALE 10.62
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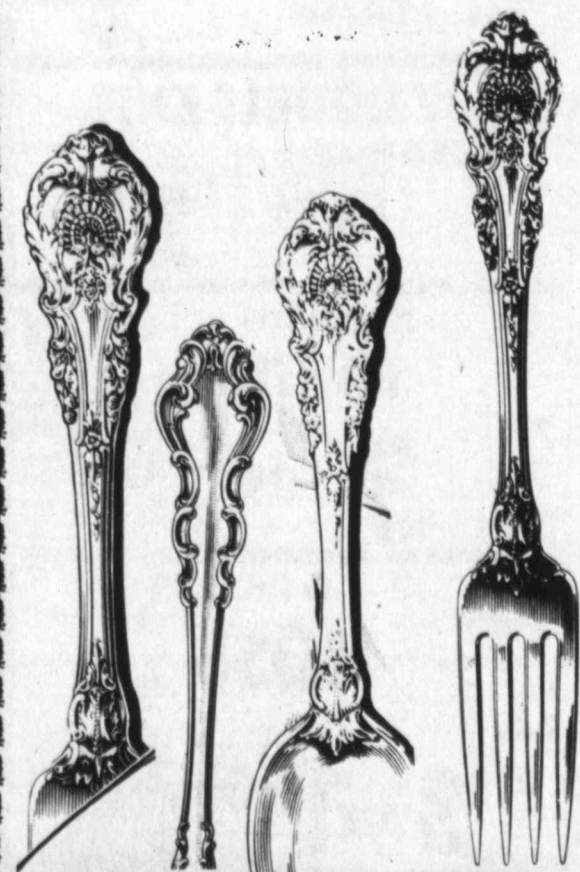
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8 Navarre Bread and Butter Reg. 7.50 SALE 3.75
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SPODE

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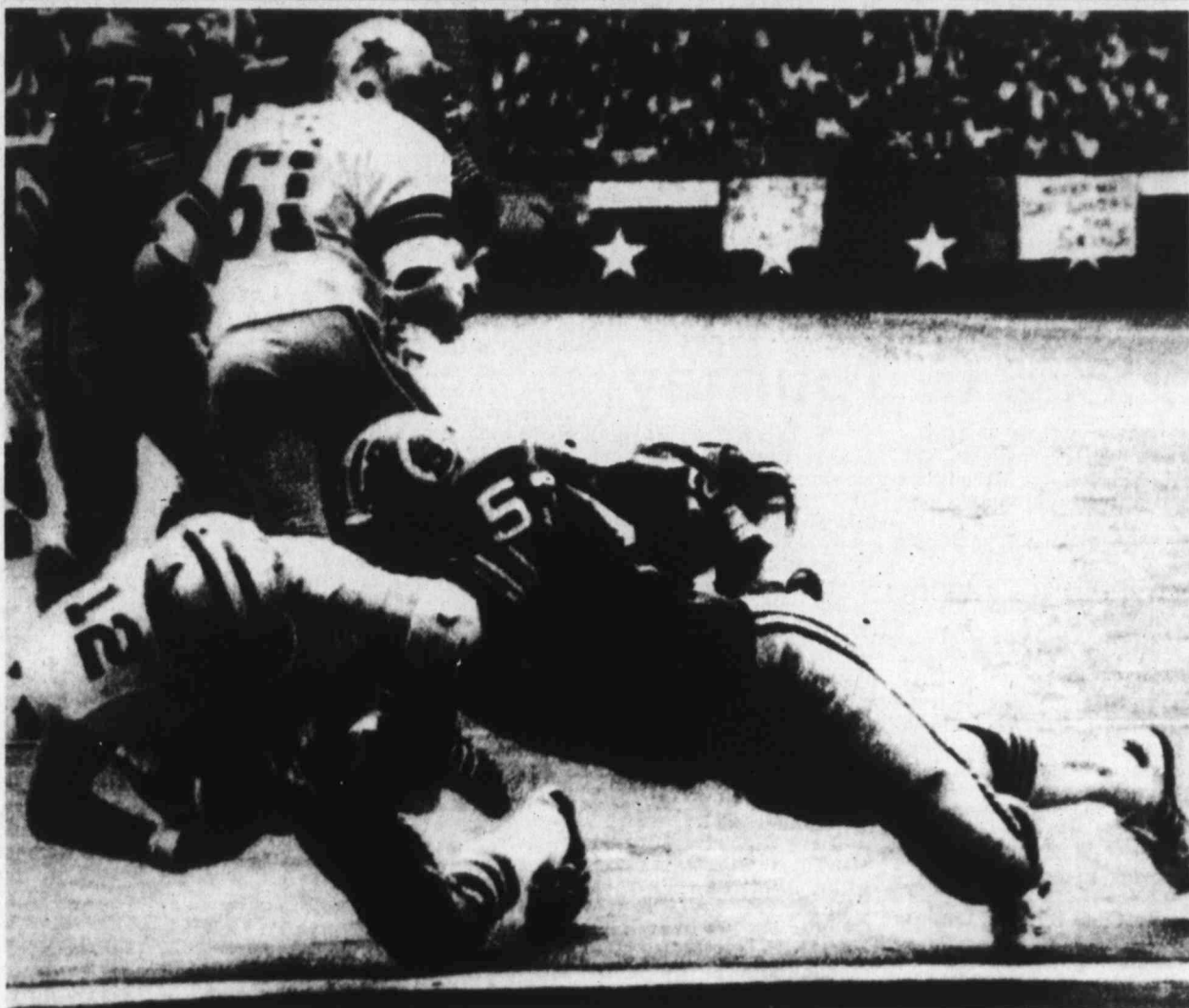
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STAUBACH SCORES — Dallas Cowboys quarterback Roger Staubach carries into the endzone to score for Dallas during second period of game Saturday with the

Washington Redskins in Irving, Tex. Redskins linebacker Harold McLinton (53) tries to stop him on the four yard run.

(AP WIREPHOTO)

PLASTIC MAN LAUGHS Dallas In Playoffs

DALLAS (AP) — If you think Dallas Coach Tom Landry is a "plastic man" as one of his former players called him, you should have been in the dressing room Saturday after a rousing 31-10 victory over Washington earned the young Cowboys a National Football League playoff berth.

"It's been a miraculous season ... 9-4 was beyond my imagination," laughed the usually stoic Landry.

Landry turned to a writer and laughed again: "Anyone who had been to our preseason camp would agree."

The Cowboys brought 12 rookies back from camp, but it was veteran quarterback Roger Staubach, shaking off the boos of the hometown crowd who delivered in the pressure-cooker showdown.

Staubach threw two touchdown passes and scored once to rally Dallas from a 10-point first period deficit.

Staubach received a tremendous lick from a Washington defender on a four-yard touchdown run that proved to be enough for the winning margin deep in the first half.

"I bruised the ribs pretty good ... It felt like I was shot," said Staubach, who paid a personal debt to the Redskins who had victimized him in an earlier Washington victory over Dallas.

Landry said, "Roger was tense and throwing the ball too high, but he settled down and got better."

"You could feel it on the sidelines, the feeling was there. There was no question about it; we were ready. It is one of our most thrilling seasons considering what we came into the regular season looking for."

"Now we are in the playoffs and we will play anybody ... tomorrow if



(AP WIREPHOTO)

ICE CREAM MAN GRIMACES — As he (Redskins) Coach George Allen watches his charges lose chance at playoffs for first time in five years.

The fired-up Landry went on: "We won with 12 rookies and I didn't really dream of that happening. We'll go play Minnesota in sub-zero (weather) if we have, too."

A solemn Redskins Coach George Allen said: "Dallas deserved to win. They were a better team."

Then Allen, as though he did not know his team had been eliminated from the playoffs, added: "We still have a good football team, good enough to be in the playoffs, but we probably won't get there."

The Cowboys made certain of that.

Dallas' defense let Washington cross midfield only once in the second half and twice intercepted the harassed Johnson.

The score could have been worse if Dallas had taken advantage of a mental lapse by the stunned Redskins.

Middle linebacker Lee Roy Jordan of the Cowboys

corralled a backward pass that hit the ground. Officials ruled that the ball could not be advanced and Dallas got possession on the Washington 19. Fullback Robert Newhouse fumbled the ball back to the Redskins to prevent the score from mounting.

Staubach, who completed only two passes in the first half, finished the day with 10 of 19 for 153 yards.

The wounded Kilmer, who came into the game with a sore shoulder and a broken bone in his left foot, could manage only 12 completions in 25 attempts for 135 yards.

He lost 19 yards in sacks as the Cowboy rush ripped apart the Washington offensive line.

Johnson managed only two of eight passes for 25 yards in his brief appearance.

Newhouse ripped through the "Over the Hill Gang" for 90 yards in 17 tries.

This marks the first time in five years that Washington failed to make the NFL playoffs and is Dallas' ninth visit in the last decade. The Cowboys string of eight consecutive playoff appearances was broken last year.

The victory was sweet for Staubach who was the goat of Washington's 30-24 overtime victory in Washington Nov. 2. Staubach threw an interception then slugged a Redskins player to set up Washington for the winning touchdown.

Staubach said later, "It was the dumbest play I ever made."

There were 4,000 no-shows in 65,000-seat Texas Stadium.

The Redskins loss continued the Washington jinx of never having beaten the Cowboys in Texas Stadium.

Sports Stats, Scores And Standings

National Football League											
National Conference					American Conference						
Eastern Division					Eastern Division						
W	L	T	Pts	PP	W	L	T	Pts	PP		
S. Louis	9	3	0	250	243	Buff.	7	5	0	250	
Dallas	9	4	0	249	247	Ind.	7	5	0	247	
Wash.	8	5	0	215	222	Ind.	7	5	0	247	
Pho.	3	9	0	250	189	Ind.	7	5	0	247	
N.Y. Jets	3	9	0	250	162	Ind.	7	5	0	247	
Central Division					Central Division						
Minn.	11	1	0	917	332	150	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Det.	6	6	0	500	215	224	Ind.	7	5	0	247
G. Bay	3	9	0	250	199	250	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Chic.	3	9	0	250	129	328	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Western Division					Western Division						
K.L.A.	10	2	0	833	280	127	Ind.	7	5	0	247
S. Fr.	5	7	0	417	223	229	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Ast.	3	9	0	250	196	258	Ind.	7	5	0	247
N. Ori.	2	10	0	167	134	290	Ind.	7	5	0	247
American Conference					American Conference						
Eastern Division					Eastern Division						
W	L	T	Pts	PP	W	L	T	Pts	PP		
Miami	9	3	0	250	336	199	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Balt.	5	7	0	417	216	283	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Buff.	7	5	0	383	373	306	Ind.	7	5	0	247
N. Eng.	3	9	0	250	223	206	Ind.	7	5	0	247
N.Y. Jets	3	9	0	250	221	318	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Central Division					Central Division						
Pitt.	11	1	0	917	335	138	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Cinn.	10	2	0	833	279	194	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Hous.	8	4	0	667	245	190	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Cleve.	7	10	0	167	148	337	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Western Division					Western Division						
K. Oak.	10	2	0	833	321	208	Ind.	7	5	0	247
Denver	5	7	0	417	216	283	Ind.	7	5	0	247
K. City	5	7	0	417	248	273	Ind.	7	5	0	247
S. Diego	11	1	0	883	148	282	Ind.	7	5	0	247
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West Texas 69, McNeese 60											
Houston 87, St. Mary's, Tex. 78											
Rice 78, Texas Arlington 69											
East Texas State 67, Central Okla. State 53											
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Texas A&M 103, Texas Christian 78	
East Texas State 67, Central Oklahoma State 53	
Sul. St. 77, Eastern New Mexico 71	
New York Islanders 5, Toronto 3	
Texas Wesleyan 78, Oklahoma Baptist 72	
Boston 137, Houston 120	
Dallas Baptist 100, Bethany Nazarene 60	
Buffalo 103, Chicago 101	
McMurry College 78, Phillips 77	
Midwestern (Tex.) 83, Oklahoma Baptist 72	



FRANCO ON THE MOVE — Pittsburgh Steelers running back Franco Harris (32) cuts behind the block of teammate Larry Brown (87) on Cincinnati Bengals safety Tom Casanova on a 13-yard run during the first period of their game in Pittsburgh Saturday. Pittsburgh won, 35-14.

Steelers Win Third Divisional Title

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Franco Harris rushed for 118 yards and a pair of touchdowns and Pittsburgh's defense forced two damaging turnovers in the Steelers' 35-14 victory over Cincinnati Saturday.

League Needs Place To Play

The National Little League needs lots of help to insure them of a ball park to play in next April. The land on which the present park is located has been sold. The league will be relocated to a site in the Silver Hills Addition just southeast of the American Legion Hall. An urgent call is being given to all present, past, and future parents of "Little League baseball players" for assistance in relocating the present facilities to the new site.

Money, materials, and manpower are urgently needed. The ground work for the new park has already begun. The site has been leveled and the turf established. Anyone willing to work, furnish materials or equipment, or donate funds for construction is urged to contact either Daryle Pittman, 263-4514 or Bill Mims, 267-6669.

Cuero Is Upset By Ennis, 13-10

By The Associated Press Ennis surprised most Texas schoolboy football watchers Friday night by upsetting Cuero for the state Class 3A schoolboy football title.

The 13-10 loss by the Gobblers ruled a bid for a third straight state title and also broke a 44-game winning streak, longest current unbeaten span in the nation. In other games, Class 2A and A finalists were determined Friday night. By identical 20-14 scores, Childress beat Decatur and La Grange whipped Hampshire-Fannett in 2A semifinals.

In Class A, DeLeon humbled top-ranked Seagraves 37-7 and Schulenburg outscored Groveton 37-28.

Like many football upsets, the Ennis triumph was keyed by a long kickoff return for a

Cincinnati Saturday which gave them their third division title in four seasons.

It was the 11th straight triumph for the Steelers, 12-1, and it assured them of a home playoff berth as champions of the Central Division of the American Football Conference.

Cincinnati fell to 10-3 with its sixth straight loss at Three Rivers Stadium, but the Bengals still have a chance at a wild card playoff berth.

The Steelers, who set a club record with 12 victories in one season, took the lead

for good 6:20 into the game when Terry Bradshaw threw a three-yard touchdown pass to Lynn Swann to conclude a 68-yard drive.

Later in the first quarter, the Steelers extended their lead to 14-0 when they converted a Boobie Clark fumble into a 42-yard touchdown play. Dwight White shook the ball loose. It was grabbed by linebacker Jack Lambert, who ran 21 yards before laterailing to cornerback J.T. Thomas, who raced the last 21 yards for the touchdown.

The weekly statistics carry a long list of the top pass receivers in the American Football Conference but nobody posts a record of the tight ends who grab the most passes. Just for a change, here is the catching order among those muscular men who have to catch passes and block down on the linebacker.

Without a look at the figures, the average fan probably would pick out Rich Caster of the Jets as the tight end most likely to top the heap. Or maybe Riley Odums, the Denver regular whose 42 receptions were the

best among tight ends in the AFC last year. They're right up there too.

It may come as a surprise to find the current co-leader is Pat Curran, a former Los Angeles Ram, who was traded to the Chargers August 13. In six years with the Rams, who used him on special teams and as a backup for Bob Klein as the second tight end, Curran caught only nine passes for 83 yards. He started one game at fullback for the Rams in an injury situation at Buffalo in 1970.

Curran caught eight passes in one game against the Patriots, November 9 and currently has 42 receptions for 565 yards, tied with Caster who has caught 42 for 775 yards. Other tight ends in the AFC with good records as receivers include rookie Oscar Roan of the Browns, rookie Russ Francis of the Patriots, Riley Odums of the Broncos, Raymond Chester of the Colts, and Billy Masters and Walter White of the Chiefs.

"It's really terrific to play a whole game," says Curran, a Milwaukee school teacher in the off-season. "I love San Diego. It's a beautiful place."

Cuero struck back in the third period on a 58-yard pass and run play to the Ennis one from quarterback Gregory Arroyo to split end Darrell Cooper to set up Lloyd Wesley's TD plunge.

Then with 1:48 left in the third quarter, Joe Campbell booted a 45-yard field goal to give Cuero a 10-6 lead.

In the fourth quarter, Ennis went on a nine-play, 59-yard drive that was culminated when 200-pound running back Mark Gant ran for 10 yards and the winning touchdown with 5:06 left in the game. Gant carried two potential tacklers into the end zone.

high ranking and an eventual title shot. Bobick currently is ranked 10th by the World Boxing Council.

Neumann was supposed to be the toughest of Bobick's 33 pro fights. He ended up as the former Olympian's 30th knockout victim, and now Futch wants Joe Bugner, the former European champion who lost a 15-round decision to world champ Muhammad Ali last July as Bugner's next opponent.

"I feel it was my best fight as a pro or as an amateur," said Bobick, who has been under the tutelage of Futch and the management of former heavyweight champ Joe Frazier, who was absent Friday night, for his last eight fights. "I felt I was in command at all times."

Big Sandy Camellia Bowl Is Won Wins Grid By Northern Michigan Crown

JACKSBORO, Tex. (AP) — Junior halfback David Overstreet rallied Big Sandy from its first deficit of the year with three touchdown runs as the Wildcats defeated Groom 28-2 Saturday for the Texas Class B state football title.

Overstreet was tackled in his own end zone for a first period safety, but he put Big Sandy ahead for good with touchdown runs of one and 26 yards in the second quarter.

It was the third year in a row that Big Sandy has won or shared the Class B title. The Wildcats finished the season with a 14-0 record and have a 62-1-1 mark for the past five years. Big Sandy has not been defeated in the past 41 games.

Gary Chalk scored from three yards out and Overstreet added another touchdown on a run of six yards, both in the final period.

Overstreet finished the year with 56 touchdowns and rushed for 3,029 yards.

Big Sandy set the state high school scoring record with 820 points and allowed only 15 points in 14 games.

Groom was limited to three first downs and two of those came in the opening minutes of the game.

Overstreet led the Wildcats with 82 yards and fullback Cris Britten paced Groom with 46 yards.

Midlander All-Stater

AUSTIN (AP) — Champion San Antonio McCollum dominated the Class 4-A girls state all-tournament volleyball team, placing Barbara and Betty Campbell and Maria Guerra on the all-star squad.

The other 4-A all-tournament players are Ala Pahoa of runnerup Killeen, Tish Madison of Midland and Vickie Harmon of Nederland.

In Class 3-A, the all-tournament team includes Teresa Jones, Stacy Garrett and Jane Parks of champion Monahan; Beverly West and Pam Hill of Beaumont South Park; and Leslee Kammeyer of runnerup Gregory-Portland.

The 2-A all-stars are Janet Stavino, Debbie Pieper and Lillian Kramer of champion Needville; Jan Dike and Loretta Johnson of runnerup Van; and Kathy Thetford of Denver City.

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BOWLING

BLUE MONDAY LEAGUE RESULTS — Nutro Chemical 4, City Pawn 0; General Welding 3, Reid Bros. 1; Ye Olde Pottery Shoppe 4, First National Bank 0; Ted Ferrell 3, State National Bank 1; Larry's Locks 4, Knight's Pharmacy 0; Ye Olde Pottery Shoppe 4, Knight's Pharmacy 0; Margaret Cooper, 222 and 304, high team game and series; Ye Olde Pottery Shoppe, 165 and 212.

STANDINGS — Ye Olde Pottery Shoppe, 38-14; Larry's Locks, 37-15; First National Bank, 29-23; Ted Ferrell, 29-23; State National Bank, 27-25; Reid Bros., 25-23; City Pawn, 20-31; Nutro Chemical, 20-32; General Welding, 19-28; Knight's Pharmacy, 15-37.

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Forsan Wins Third Place In Tourney

GREENWOOD — Forsan won third place in both divisions of the Greenwood Basketball Tournament here Saturday.

The girls had to go all out

Odessans Win In Local Meet

Odessans won both divisions of the annual YMCA Racquetball Tournament which ended here Saturday.

Ron Tinkstaff captured the Class A flight by turning back David Lopez, Big Spring, in the finals, 21-2, 4-1.

In Class B finals, Lorenzo Wiggins, Odessa, beat a fellow townsman, Joe Van Arksdale, 21-17, 20-21, 21-14.

The tournament attracted a total of 26 players. Doubles champions will be determined in a February meet.

Results:

Division: Ron Tinkstaff, Odessa, over David Lopez, Big Spring, 21-2, 21-14. Consolation winner — Mike Sledge, Odessa, over George Fierro, Big Spring.

Division: Lorenzo Wiggins, Odessa, over Joe Van Arksdale, Odessa, 21-17, 20-21, 21-14.

Consolation winner was Jim Bubela, Big Spring, over Neel Ryan, Big Spring.

Coahoma Girls Are Defeated

ABILENE — Coahoma lost out in the second round of the HSU Girls' Basketball Tournament here Friday to Midway, the defending titlist, 67-37.

Becky Snell counted 20 points and Deborah Meyer 17 for Coahoma.

In other quarterfinal round games Friday, Merkel outlasted May, 50-49; Comanche trounced Eastland, 73-41; and Wylie edged by Anson, 69-43.

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Randy Awrey bolted 68 yards for a touchdown on the first play of the second half Saturday and Northern Michigan, winless a year ago, beat Western Kentucky 16-14 in the Camellia Bowl for the NCAA Division II football championship.

The sophomore halfback broke a tackle at the Northern Michigan 35-yard line and outran the Western Kentucky secondary to lift the Wildcats from a 14-10 halftime deficit.

Dan Harves then missed the extra point, but Western Kentucky could not take advantage of the break.

The Hilltoppers drove from their 17 to the Northern Michigan eight in the fourth quarter, but Barry Henry's 25-yard field goal try into a stiff wind sailed just wide with 7:05 to play.

Northern Michigan, 0-10 in 1974, finished the season with a 13-1 record, including three victories in the postseason playoffs. Western Kentucky wound up 11-2.

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Brothers Eye Cup

HOUSTON (AP) — Leroy and Dewey Selmon of Oklahoma were among the four finalists named Saturday for the sixth annual Vince Lombardi Award honoring the nation's outstanding collegiate football lineman.

Also named as finalists by a nationwide committee of coaches and sports reporters were Steve Niehaus of Notre Dame and Ed Simonini of Texas A&M.

The winner will be announced Jan. 22 at a \$100 a plate dinner benefiting American Cancer Society research.

The Selmons are brothers of Lucius Selmon, also an Oklahoma star who was a 1973 Lombardi finalist.

Leroy Selmon played left defensive tackle while Dewey was the middle guard this season for Oklahoma's Big Eight conference champions. Leroy was named recipient of the Outland Trophy two weeks ago. Leroy is 6 feet 2 and weighs 256 pounds, Dewey 6-1 and 257.

Niehaus, 6-5 and 265, was the runnerup in Outland balloting.

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SURFING SILHOUETTE — High winds churning up the surf in Miami Beach, Fla. Saturday, provided this silhouette of a surfer against a rough sea.

A&M, Texas Dominate All-Southwest 11's

DALLAS (AP) — The Texas Aggies and the Texas Longhorns dominated the Associated Press 1975 All-Southwest Conference football team but the Coach of the Year came from a school where they are shouting "Ho, ho, ho, it's Arkansas in the Cotton Bowl!"

Texas A&M and Texas each landed eight players on the SWC's No. 1 offense and defense as selected by the league coaches.

The Coach of the Year was Frank Broyles, whose expertise threw the final SWC

championship race into a three-way tie with a stunning 31-6 upset of Texas A&M on the final day of the season. "I'm very flattered to get the Coach of the Year award," said Broyles. "I wake up every day and read the paper to make sure I wasn't dreaming we beat A&M."

"It's so sweet. There are no in-betweens in this business. You are either overjoyed or so low you can't find anything to get under."

Texas quarterback Marty Atkins, who injured a knee in the next to last game against

Texas Christian then re-injured it against Texas A&M, was named The Offense Player of the Year.

All-American Texas A&M linebacker Ed Simonini was the Defensive Player of the Year and George Woodard, a 249-pound freshman fullback from Van Vleck, was tabbed the Newcomer of the Year.

Texas A&M, which compiled a 10-1 record in the regular season, landed running back Bubba Bean on the offense and end Blake Schwarz, tackle Edgar Fields, linebackers Ed Simonini, and Garth Ten Napel, and backs Pat Thomas, Lester Hayes and Jackie Williams on the mythical defense. Texas, a 9-2 team, countered with offensive first teamers in tackle Bob Simmons, guard Will Wilcox, quarterback Atkins, and running back Earl Campbell plus punter Russell Erxleben and front line defenders tackle Brad Shearer, linebacker Bill Hamilton and back Raymond Clayborn.

Arkansas, the Cinderella team of the season with a 9-2 record a berth in the Cotton Bowl, placed guard R.C. Thieleman, center Richard LaFarge, running back Ike Forte and defensive end Johnnie Meadows on the first team, plus kicking specialist Steve Little.

Two sophomores made the first team offense—slick receiver Mike Renfro of Texas Christian and Campbell.

DALLAS (AP) — Here is the 1975 Associated Press All-Southwest Conference football team.

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE
Split end—Mike Renfro, 6-0, 175, Soph., Fort Worth, Texas Christian.
Tackles—Bob Simmons, 6-5, 245 Sr., Temple, University of Texas; and Henry Sheppard, 6-6, 240, Sr., Cuero, SMU.
Guards—R.C. Thieleman, 6-3, 234, Jr., Houston Spring Branch, University of Arkansas; and Will Wilcox, 6-0, 230, Sr., Houston Spring Branch, Texas.
Center—Richard LaFarge, 6-4, 245, Sr., DeWitt, Ark. Arkansas.
Tight end—Pat Felix, 6-2, 225, Sr., San Antonio McCollum, Texas Tech.
Quarterback—Marty Atkins, 6-0, 200, Sr., Portland, Texas.
Runningbacks—Earl Campbell, 6-1, 225, Soph., Tyler, Texas; Bubba Bean, 6-0, 194 Sr., Kirby, Texas A&M; and Ike Forte, 6-0, 199, Sr., Texarkana, Tex., Arkansas.
Punter—Russell Erxleben, 6-0, 192, Placekicker—Steve Little, Arkansas.

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE
Ends—Blaine Schwanke, 6-2, 175, Jr., Houston, Texas A&M; and Johnnie Meadows, 6-1, 214, Jr., Haynesville, La., Arkansas.
Tackles—Edgar Fields, 6-3, 240, Jr., Austin, Texas A&M; and Brad Shearer, 6-4, 245, Soph., Austin, Texas.
Noseguard—Ecomet Burley, 5-11, 241, Sr., Lubbock, Texas Tech.
Linebackers—Ed Simonini, 6-0, 214, Sr., Las Vegas, Nev., Texas A&M; Garth Ten Napel, 6-2, 205, Sr., Eulises, Texas A&M; and Bill Hamilton, 6-3, 213, Jr., Las Cruces, N.M., Texas.
Backs—Pat Thomas, 5-9, 180, Sr., Plano, Texas A&M; Raymond Clayborn, 6-1, 183, Jr., Fort Worth, Texas; Lester Hayes, 6-2, 208, Jr., Houston, Texas A&M; and Jackie Williams, 5-11, 178, Sr., Plano, Texas A&M.
X (NOTE: Some SWC teams played without a noseguard.)
Offensive Player of the Year—Atkins, Texas.
Defensive Player of the Year—Simonini, Texas A&M.
Newcomer of the Year—Running back George Woodard, 6-1, 249, Van Vleck, Texas A&M.
Coach of the Year—Frank Broyles, Arkansas.

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE
Split end—Ed Lofton, 6-0, 176, Sr., Brooklyn, N.Y., Rice.
Tackles—Gerald Skinner, 6-5, 260, Jr., Malvern, Ark., Arkansas; and Glen Buijoch, 6-5, 253, Houston, Sr., Texas A&M.
Guards—Guy Thomas, 6-1, 240, Sr., Dallas, SMU; and Bruce Welch, 6-4, 260, Sr., Houston, Texas A&M.
Center—Billy Gordon, 6-2, 231, Port Arthur, Texas.
Tight End—Richard Osborne, 6-5, 228, Sr., San Antonio, Texas A&M.
Quarterback—Scott Bull, 6-5, 202, Sr., Jonesboro, Ark., Arkansas.
Running backs—Wayne Morris, 6-0, 210, Sr., Dallas, SMU; Cleveland Franklin, 6-2, 212, Jr., Brenham, Baylor; Jerry Eckwood, 6-0, 192, Soph., Brinkley, Ark., Arkansas.

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE
Ends—Tank Marshall, 6-5, 258, Jr., Dallas, Texas A&M; and Tim Campbell, 5-11, 192, Frosh., Tyler, Texas.
Tackles—Jimmy Dean, 6-5, 251, Jr., Lake Jackson, Tex., Texas A&M; and Linebackers—Rodney Norton, 6-3, 200, Sr., Cleburne, Rice; Robert Jackson, 6-3, 220, Jr., Houston, Texas A&M; and Rick Fenlaw, 6-2, 194, Amarillo, Tex., Texas.
Backs—Arington Burns, 6-1, 195, Soph., Arlington, Baylor; Curtis Jordan, 6-1, 190, Sr., Lubbock, Texas Tech.; Bo Busby, 6-1, 192, Jr., Monticello, Ark., Arkansas; Tim Pulliam, 5-11, 190, Sr., Fort Worth, TCU.

Griffin Is Upstaged By Can Bitterness Gone For Mustang Ace

NEW YORK (AP) — Les Horvath, the former Ohio State star, once told his wife-to-be she could throw out anything in his bachelor apartment except the Heisman Trophy he won in 1944. That, he said, was something special, something she might never see again.

A short time later, they visited the Glenn Davieses, who also lived in the Los Angeles area, and there was Davis' 1946 Heisman on the mantel. Not long after that they visited the Tom Harmon and there on the mantel was Harmon's 1940 Heisman.

"What's so special about that trophy?" the future Mrs. Horvath is supposed to have said. "All our friends have one." But no one has two... except Archie Griffin.

Ohio State's current star received his second Heisman Trophy Thursday night at the annual \$50-a-plate Heisman dinner but for once in his record-breaking career he was upstaged... by his family.

"A long list of Griffins," Archie quipped as he introduced his parents, James Sr. and Margaret Griffin; older brothers James Jr., Larry and Daryl; younger brothers Raymond, Duncan and Keith, and 10-year-old sister Crystal, "my little heart."

Not to mention a soon-to-be Griffin, Loretta LaFitte, Archie's fiancée.

It was a family-size real-life American success story, proving, Archie said, that "no goal is unattainable and no standard too high to reach if you're willing to put out an effort. I hope other young men and women will see the great American dream as something we can all share."

Archie Griffin, a black from a large Columbus, Ohio, family—the six oldest sons have all played college football—whose father was held two jobs for 25 years because he says his wife "has enough work to do around the house," Archie Griffin, supposedly too small at 5-foot-9 and 184 pounds to stand up to the rigors of big-time college football, who set an all-time major college rushing record of 5,176 yards.

"Archie doesn't act any different after winning two Heisman Trophies," Darryl Griffin said. "We won't let him. If he gets big-headed, we'll beat him up. We must be thankful for our parents. They really brought us up the right way. I don't know how they did it, but they did. We are what our parents made us to be."

But don't get the idea that Archie Griffin is perfect.

"He has one weakness he's too nice a guy," said his coach, Woody Hayes, who reportedly doesn't have that problem. "If he walks outside and 100 kids want his autograph, he won't leave until the last one is gone. He's a better young man than he is a football player."

In his acceptance speech, Griffin said the thrill of becoming the first player to win the Heisman twice "far surpasses the feeling of a year ago. Not many people expected me to win the Heisman a second time and not many people expected Ohio State to win the national championship. I want that badger than ever."

The Buckeyes are the nation's No. 1-ranked college football team and seem a cinch to win the national championship if they beat UCLA in the Rose Bowl.

SUNLAND RESULTS

SATURDAY

FIRST (6 fur) — Bradley's Alibi 17.60, 6.20, 4.40; Kaimana 4.00, 3.40; Awful Canful 4.40, Time 1:14.15.
SECOND (870 yards) — Dean of Men 30.00 2.40; Top Chic 6.40 4.40 Pat's Real Red 3.20; Time 46:23; Quin Paid 14.20; HGO Paid \$184.00.
THIRD (10 fur) — Shadow Flash 11.80 5.80 3.40; Vexor Reed 4.40 2.40; Speckled Trace 2.40; Time 19:98; Quin Paid \$27.60.
FOURTH (330 yards) — Dial Go 30.00 9.00 4.40; Hustling Jet 4.60 3.20; Chip Oh 3.20; Time 17:95.
FIFTH (One mile) — Ronlway 10.40 5.20 3.00; Mr. Chaimell 4.80 2.80; Canales Eye 2.40; Time 1:41.0; Quin Paid 12.40; Daily Double Paid \$214.40.
SIXTH (5 1/2 fur) — Slim Burn 13.80 5.00 3.20; Flashy Burn 4.20 2.40; Cattle Khai 2.60; Time 1:06 4.5; Quin Paid \$15.00.
SEVENTH (6 fur) — Evil Maid 39.40 16.60 6.00; Bower's Misty 10.40 4.20; Lovelicious 2.80; Time 1:13.15; Quin 5:15.00.
EIGHTH (6 fur) — Skiff Victory 11.60 7.60 3.40; Melay Madam 15.20 5.20; Battle Scout 2.40; Time 1:12 2.5; Quin Paid 72.80.
NINTH (one mile & one-eighths) — Shesha Duncie 10.40, 4.40, 5.00; My Type 5.60, 4.20; Shubby's Kid 3.40. Time 1:12 3.5.
QUINELLA — PD. 42.20.
TENTH (5 1/2 fur) — Flag Star 24.40, 10.40, 5.00; Mrs. Glimp 44.20, 8.40; Morris Pan Gil 2.60. Time 1:05 4.5. EXACTA — PD. 490.40.
ELEVENTH (5 1/2 fur) — Port Thessian 36.40, 10.40, 4.20; Lively Isle 3.60, 3.20; Cap Of Life 3.00. Time 1:04 2.5.
TWELFTH (6 fur) — Kelly's Caper 42.40, 17.40, 7.00; Tower Glo 4.40, 2.80; Lucy Wing 3.80; Tili Bolero 3.20. Time 1:13 1.5.
THIRTEENTH (5 1/2 fur) — Stormy State 11.40, 5.80, 4.00; Strong Tide 9.20, 12.80; Garlic City 6.80, 6.20. Time 1:10 2.5.
QUINELLA — PD. 52.80.
QUINELLA — PD. 41.80.
BIG QUINELLA — PD. \$3,162.20.
ATTENDANCE — 3,050.
TOTAL HANDLE — \$225,617.

AP Sports Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Ira Terrell stooped in a chair that was never meant for a man 46 feet 8 and flipped the pages of the official Southern Methodist University file folder under his name.

It was an odd contrast. While Terrell looked at pictures and clippings of his happy years in high school and hopeful early days at SMU, he talked about his year of exile as a self-professed scapegoat.

"I was a victim," Terrell said of the National Collegiate Athletic Association investigation which revealed Terrell took \$50 on two occasions his freshman year from SMU assistant coach Mike Pinkham for "personal expenses."

That \$100 has jeopardized a possible professional career which could set him up financially for life.

He was declared ineligible for athletics his junior and senior seasons, a penalty no other individual has ever suffered for nonscholastic reasons.

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"My penalty was really harsh considering the violation involved. I was wrong, but this had happened to other people at other places. They were just

trying to make me an example to show their power. It really felt unjust," Terrell said.

His eyes were fixed on a glossy photo of himself driving at the basket.

The NCAA announced its decision on Terrell in September 1974 and, when initial appeals failed, he was publicly bitter about it. But now, more than a year later, he sat in a small SMU athletic office and spoke unemotionally and quietly about his discontent.

It was as though he was talking about someone else he believes was wronged.

He said the worst shock was when the first appeal was turned down by the NCAA Eligibility Committee.

"I had been in real good spirits when they first announced I was ineligible," Terrell said. "I thought we had a real good case for the appeal and I was still practicing with the team. It really hit hard when the first appeal failed and it began to look like I wouldn't play."

NEW APPROACH

The next appeal was before the NCAA Council and this time SMU officials tried a different approach. The first time Terrell was interviewed by conference phone but on the second try

he appeared in person before the council in Washington, D.C.

Unlike many who are much taller and bigger than average size persons, Terrell's presence does not intimidate and his handshake does not crush.

That tense day in Washington, D.C., it was not intimidation but sincerity which won a partial reprieve.

"I have a feeling they thought I was the arrogant 'Star of the team' type who had gone to the coaches

demanding money in return for playing basketball. I think I convinced them I'm not the type of person who would demand money. I was immature, just 18 years old, and I went to the coach as a friend, asking for money the way you ask any friend for money. If I had known \$100 would cause all this, there's no way I would ask for it."

In January, the NCAA announced its final decision—Ira Terrell would sit out the rest of his junior season but eligibility would be restored for the 1975-76 campaign.

So after a year of waiting, Terrell can again take the floor for his senior year with the Mustangs, a fact which makes life easier for new Coach Sonny Allen.

But gone are the days when Terrell was regarded by many as the savor of SMU and Southwest Conference basketball.

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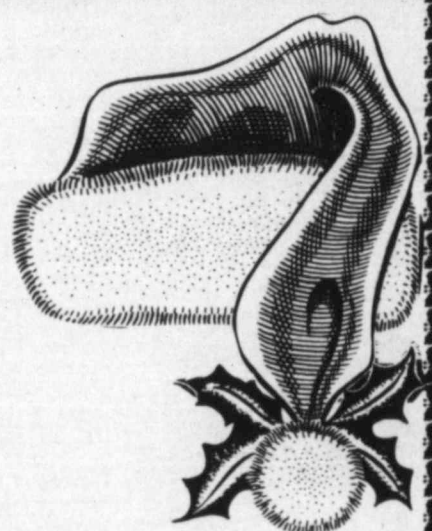
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Playoff Idea Is Opposed By SWC

DALLAS (AP) — The Southwest Conference went on record Saturday as against a national collegiate championship football playoff.

Cliff Speegle, conference commissioner, said that will be the official conference position at the National Collegiate Athletic Association's (NCAA) meeting Jan. 14-15 at St. Louis.

Speegle said individual SWC schools will vote "overwhelmingly" against a game (after regular bowl games) to determine a national football champion.

The conference also announced at a news conference following its three-day winter business meeting that it issued private "reprimands" to a number of member institutions.

"That's all we can say," Speegle said. "It would be out of character for us to comment further on these reprimands."

Speegle also would not comment on published reports that Southern Methodist University and SMU assistant football coach Julius Glosson are under separate NCAA and conference investigations of alleged recruiting violations.

He said academic problems in the second semester at various conference schools was the main objection against the proposed national playoff.

"We also believe it would make the season just too long. These players start in August and we felt a playoff would be too much of an extension," Speegle said. "A bowl game is different from a playoff. We look at a bowl as a reward for achievement during the regular season. We want to keep bowl games as a reward rather than just another national playoff semifinal."

Speegle said the conference tentatively approved added guidelines for its polygraph policies, adopted last year as an investigative tool, which he said will conform to state statutes in Arkansas and Texas.

The conference also announced it is giving its support to the Texas Association for Inter-collegiate Athletics for Women. He said this means the majority of member schools will vote against a proposal to put women's athletics under administration of the NCAA.

In other action, the conference announced: —Minimum prices for football tickets will remain at \$7.

—Baylor University will host the conference tennis and golf championships next April 23-24 and the track championships May 21-22.

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—Conference cross country championships will be extended from four miles

to six miles to conform with the distance used in the NCAA championships.



SERVICE CLUBS MIX IT UP
Resident Dusters win a pair

Webb Dusters Achieve Two Wins Over Reese

The Webb AFB Dusters capitalized on free throws and bench strength to snag their first basketball wins of the season with 73-66 and 76-65 victories over the Reese Rattlers here last weekend.

After some close and frustrating losses, the Dusters finally got into the win column Saturday night. Forward Leon Fisher kept up his 25 points per game scoring average by sizzling the nets for 28 points in leading a Webb attack that clinched the game on charity tosses.

The Dusters hopped on 37 Rattler infractions to score 21 points from the line. Fifteen of those points came in the second half and helped the Dusters overcome a 29-24 halftime deficit.

With both squads sinking 26 field goals, the Rattlers converted on only 14 of 30 tosses from the stripe. Webb took command late in the second half of the seesaw tilt as Rattler frontliners began to foul out. Five Reese players, including four starters, were forced to make premature exits from the contest.

Forward Lee Sanders began the Rattler parade to the bench with eight minutes to go in the game. As other Rattlers followed, the Dusters broke open the game and went on to win by seven.

Duster pivot Lester Orndorff joined Fisher in double figures with 13 points. The Webb center took his usual pounding under the boards and grabbed crucial rebounds.

The Rattler strike force was led by forward Mark Henderson with 17 points. Belvin Eddington and Sanders each added 14.

The Dusters won convincingly in Sunday's battle. After winging out to a 32-24 halftime lead, the home team led by as much as 20 during the final stanza.

The Duster bench, paced by guard Paul Wilson, poured in over a third of the Webb point total. The speedy playmaker penetrated the Rattlers' sagging 3-2 defense for 15 points.

Fisher again led all scorers by blistering the nets for 21 points. Orndorff and player-coach Curtis Marshall each chipped in 11.

Lee Sanders canned 18 and Nate Jones ripped in 14 for the losers.

This week's games will be the final ones for Fisher who has an assignment overseas. Jack Rudiger and Warren Hobbs are slated to suit up for the first time Friday night and they'll be trying to fill the offensive void left by Fisher in future games.

The Sonics invade the Duster den riding a three game winning streak. The 4-1 Dyess squad is coming off of two wins over McConnell AFB, Kan. and a victory last week over a team from Abilene Christian College.

Earl Morris, a 6 foot 1 guard, leads their attack with a 13.8 scoring average. Their big man, 6 foot 6 Ron Jones, is averaging 10 rebounds and 2.5 blocked shots per game.

SAYS ALLEN No Taste For High Scores

DALLAS (AP) — Washington Redskins Coach George Allen has a reputation for being about as tight-lipped as Dallas Cowboys coach Tom Landry is stone-faced.

Howard Cosell George Allen is not. But Allen sat still for an interview that appeared Saturday in the Dallas Times Herald before the National Football League game between the Redskins and the Cowboys.

Allen responded to questions about the Redskins' sagging defensive work in recent weeks.

"I've got to get on the rules committee," Allen said. "I don't like these basketball scores. To me, great defense is part of the game. I think if the NFL is not careful it'll take too much defense out and cheapen all these offensive records. You can't cut receivers any more. Ten yards for holding. Hash marks moved in. Offensive linemen using their hands more and more. As soon as you bump somebody it's a penalty."

"Probably the next thing is we'll be playing with 10 men on defense. I think any time you take defense from any sport you reduce the quality of play. I'd rather see a well-pitched baseball game or a basketball game in which both teams score less than 100 points. I know Tom's defense is going down, too, somewhat."

Allen said the Cowboys' motu formation is not new to him. "I used to use some form of that back in 1948-49-50-51. In fact, that was my offense. In games I've looked at recently, Roger (Staubach) has taken quite a beating because New England really dogged him. It's not quite as effective as it was earlier, that's a good formation and I'm familiar with it. I think he's taken some soundings on that he wouldn't get from a normal formation."

Allen had these observations, too: On rumors he is considering a coaching job at San Diego: "Just another rumor that got started that was inaccurate."

On his temperament: "I'm emotional myself. I like emotional people. I don't see anything wrong with yelling, screaming, jumping up and down."

Hamlin Nudges Colorado City

HAMLIN — Hamlin toppled Colorado City, 46-39, in a District 6-AA basketball game here Friday night. Starlet Covington led the Hamlin surge, scoring 26 points. Greenlee counted 19 for Colorado City. Hamlin's junior varsity also won, 31-17.

Houston Oilers Lust For Big Upset Today

OAKLAND (AP) — The man at the top, Al Davis, has let the Oakland Raiders' players know he expects a good performance in Sunday's game against the Houston Oilers.

"I was unhappy with the way we played," the team's managing general partner said after Monday night's 17-10 victory over Denver, which held the Raiders' offense to 178 yards.

"Sure, he was disappointed. The game was on national television and we didn't play well," said George Blanda, the 48-year-

old placekicker who is four points short of 2,000 for his career. "But I'd rather play badly and win than play well and lose."

Oakland, 10-2, won the American Conference West title two weeks ago. The Raiders have won seven straight games but still need one more victory to make sure they open the National Football League playoffs at home Dec. 27 or 28.

"Houston leads the AFC in rushing defense. That's a challenge for us," Coach John Madden says.

The Oilers, 8-4, moved from fifth to first in that category last weekend by holding San Francisco to just five net yards running in a 27-13 victory over the 49ers. But Coach Bum Phillips' young team, third in the tough AFC Central, is out of contention for a playoff spot.

"With our schedule, if we had made the playoffs we'd have had a good chance of going all the way," says quarterback Dan Pastorini.

The Oilers were beaten twice by both Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. The teams they've beaten include Miami and Washington.

Houston is ranked 11th in the conference on offense and, noted Madden, "that's surprising, but, of course, Billy Johnson has gotten a lot of yards for them on returns."

The second-year player they call "Billy White Shoes" in Houston returned a punt 76 yards last week, being stopped by the 49ers two yards short of the end zone. But he's gone all the way on three punt returns and on one kickoff return.

Johnson's 17-yard average on punt returns is best in the NFL, but Oakland rookie Neal Colzie, with 604 total yards on 44 returns, is just

eight yards short of the NFL record set by Oakland's Roger Bird in 1967.

Johnson has 560 yards on punt returns, so he could beat Colzie to the record.

The passing combination of Ken Stabler and Fred Biletnikoff was the only smooth-working part of Oakland's offense against Denver, accounting for 77 yards. The Raiders were without running backs Clarence Davis and Marv Hubbard, recuperating from injuries, and may go without them on Sunday too.

Oakland's defense, which sacked Broncos' quarterbacks 10 times, will be aiming at Pastorini on the rushes and trying to stop the running of Ronnie Coleman, who has 703 yards this season.

Boat Ramp Has Been Replaced

One of the original boat launching ramps near Lake Thomas Lodge has been replaced with a new and longer one.

Work has been completed on a 30-ft. wide concrete slip from the present elevation of 2225.00 feet on a slope 470 feet long, said R. A. Schooling, administrative assistant for the Colorado River Municipal Water District. Top of the launching slope is at an area scheduled for paving in early Spring. A paved road connects with FM 1298.

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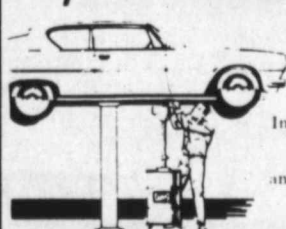
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State Hospital Decorates Campus For A Joyous Holiday

By JULIE SIMMONS

The holiday verse appearing on the entrance door to the adolescent unit of the Big Spring State Hospital expresses the Christmas wish of the staff, volunteers and residents of the hospital. It reads, "May all those who enter here bring their bit of Christmas cheer."

The Christmas season at BSSH is a joyous month-long holiday. Everyone involved with the hospital and the residents gets caught up in the holiday preparations in late November.

A resident shopping trip on Nov. 20 to Woolworth's commenced the holiday preparations. W. R. Prindible, store manager, and his staff opened the store that evening for a shopping spree. Each hospital resident had a certain amount of money to buy presents for his or her family and luxuries or necessities for personal use.

Volunteers from the Retired Senior Volunteer Program assisted with the residents' purchases. Woolworth's furnished refreshments during the event.

The First Baptist Church youth choir was the first of several musical programs slated during the season. They sang in the BSSH Chapel on Dec. 7.

Activities and programs at the hospital are becoming more frequent as Christmas Day approaches. The Nuts and Bolts of First United Methodist Church will present a musical program for the residents this afternoon at 3 p.m., followed by an open house and tours of the hospital. The Christ Lutheran Church of Odessa will carol in the units at 4:30 p.m. today.

The annual Christmas services will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the BSSH Chapel. James Kinman will conduct the service.

The Central Baptist Church Youth group from Odessa will entertain the residents at 2 p.m., Saturday. The First Methodist Church handbell choir will perform at 2 p.m. next Sunday.

Staff and residents have decorated the halls, nurses stations and doors of many of the wards and units. Eight entrance doors were entered by the units in a door decorating competition. The winning door was decorated by Units 3 and 4. An angel made from colored crepe paper gave a stained glass effect to the front of the door.

Judges, Mrs. Dene Sheppard, Mrs. Janell Davis and Miss Julie Simmons, selected the door after touring the hospital to see all the decorations around campus. They awarded \$10 to the units to be used in the Christmas celebrations planned for the holidays.

Unit parties began with the Center Point Home

Demonstration Club hosting a party for Unit 10 NW on Dec. 9.

The Southern Belles HD Club of Lamesa will sponsor a party at 2 p.m. Monday for Unit 10 NE. The 1948 Hyperion Club and the Potpourri Club will cohost a holiday party for Unit 11 at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

The annual Christmas parties for all units will be held Wednesday evening. Volunteer groups from Big Spring and the surrounding communities will assist with the parties by providing refreshments and having several club members attend.

The West Wind band will play during the party for Units 1 and 2. Alpha Chi chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha and Mu Zeta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will host the party.

Units 3, 4 and 7 and the Community House will celebrate the Christmas season with a party in the auditorium. The Leon White band will furnish music during the evening. Clubs assisting with the party include Midland Auxiliary, Kiwanis Club, Cactus chapter of ABWA, the Evening Lions club, the Eagles and its Auxiliary, and the Airport HD Club.

A party in Unit 5 will be given for approximately 50 residents by the Lamesa Colorado City and Ackerly Circuit Riders. The Ezzell Band will provide music during the party.

The ABC Club, Rotary Club, Baptist Temple Women, John A. Kee Rebekahs and the Webb-Spring Lions Club will host a Christmas celebration for residents of Unit 6 in the ward. The Gonzales Band will furnish entertainment.

Residents of Unit 9 will be entertained by the Jim King Band. The party will be hosted by the Downtown Lions, Underwriters Association, Non-Commissioned Officers Association, Woman's Forum and the Spring City chapter of the ABWA.

A party in Unit 10S will be given that evening for approximately 100 residents. The Pascual Porras Band will play for the party. Clubs hosting the celebration are Rebekah Lodge 284, and the Past Noble Grands, the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association, the Social Order of the Beauceants, the B&PW Club and the Civitans.

Residents of the Halfway House and of Work Village I and II will also be given parties during the Christmas season.

Lee May of Midland, Bob Taylor and Jim Baum will visit the parties on Wednesday evening as Santa Claus.

The staff and residents of the Big Spring State Hospital are making the Christmas of 1975 a very merry one for all to remember.



(Photo By Julie Simmons)

FIRST-PLACE DOOR DECORATION — Judges, Mrs. Janell Davis, left, and Mrs. Dene Sheppard, present the \$10 in prize money and a blue ribbon to Mrs. Lulu Williams, medication assistant and Miss Mary Garcia, attendant. They helped design and construct the crepe paper angel door decoration for Units 3 and 4.

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Section C

Big Spring Herald

By JULIE SIMMONS

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(Photo By John Edwards)

TRIMMING THE TREE — Mrs. Dawn Murphy, attendant in Unit 5, gives the final touches to a beautiful Christmas tree in the dining hall of the ward.



(Photo By John Edwards)

YULETIDE GREETINGS — Mrs. Carla Thompson, ward clerk, and Fred McJohnson, activity supervisor, want the young people they work with to enjoy the Christmas season. They and other staff members and residents of Units 1 and 2 have decorated the entire ward and have built a manger scene in the yard in front of the ward.

Santa Plans Visits In Big Spring



(Photo By John Edwards)

Santa Claus will take out from his busy last minute preparations for Christmas to visit in area homes each evening this week.

Santa has enlisted the members of Alpha Kappa Omicron sorority to help him schedule the visits. Anyone wishing Santa to come to his home to talk with the children may call 263-6135 to make an appointment.

The jolly toymaker will have to commute between the North Pole and Big Spring and can only make house calls the evenings of Dec. 15 through 20.

An elf will accompany Santa during each visit to help pass out candy and take down the requests of the children.

Children of Big Spring and the surrounding communities should remember that Santa will be in town this week and be on their best behavior. You never know when he may be listening for hints of Christmas wishes.

GOODIES FROM SANTA — Tera Sims sits on Santa's lap while Karri and Kyle LaRochelle look in Santa's bag for some treats. While Santa Claus visited in the LaRochelle home, he heard the children's Christmas wishes and gave each of them a treat from his gift bag.

Tera is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sims and Karri and Kyle are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Clay LaRochelle.



(Photo By John Edwards)

FINAL TOUCHES — Mrs. Frances Johnson, charge attendant, Mrs. Ollie Buckett, activity director, and Dr. Robert Tinley, unit physician, put the final touches on the decorations in the entry hall of Unit 10S.

Christmas Meeting Held By HD Club

City Home Demonstration Club members met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Alton Underwood with Mrs. Ervin Daniels as cohostess.

Mrs. Neil Norred opened the meeting with a thought

for Christmas. She included several interesting facts about Christmas history. The first Christmas celebration was held in Texas in 1883. The first appearance of a Christmas tree in Texas occurred in 1846.

Mrs. Al Lancaster gave a devotional entitled "These Gifts We Bring."

Members exchanged gifts that they had made, baked or grown.

The Underwood home was decorated for the season. The Underwoods' Christmas tree was made from a large mesquite tree wrapped in refined cotton and decorated with ornaments.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a green net cloth and centered with poinsettia, greenery and red candles.

The next meeting will be at 2 p.m., Jan. 9 in the Texas Electric Reddy Room with Mrs. M. F. Hodnet as hostess.

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Couple Marries In Candlelight Ceremony

Mrs. Jeanie J. Hamby and Jim Wilson were wed in a candlelight ceremony held Friday evening in the First Christian Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe L. Gillean, 1206 Lancaster. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson, 2304 Roberts Drive.

The bride was escorted by her son, Jeremy Brandt Hamby. The Rev. William H. Smythe officiated during the ceremony.

The bride chose to wear a Victorian style, floor-length dress of apricot voile over a matching material. The bodice featured a scoop neckline which tapered in to form a high collar. The gathered sleeves were full to the elbow, with the lower sleeves fitting tightly to the wrist. The gown was designed with a natural waist and a slightly gathered skirt which was accented with Chantilly lace bands. The bodice and sleeves were also accented with lace.

She carried a bouquet of ivy and white roses centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Debbie Ingram of Dallas was the honor attendant. She wore a floor-length dress of orange, apricot and green floral print. Mrs. Jack Cathey Jr. was the bridesmaid. She wore a dress in shades of orange. Both carried bouquets of German ivy.

Robert Wilson, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man with Ben Paulkner serving as the groomsman. Ushers were Robby Robertson and Frank Weeks of Tucson.



MRS. JIM WILSON

A dinner party in honor of the newlyweds was held at

the K-C Steakhouse immediately following the ceremony.

The Don Chapman family of Odessa attended the wedding.

Wilson is affiliated with the Wilson Construction Company and the R-E-Bar Ranch, where the couple will reside.

Mrs. Wash Hosts Party For Oasis Garden Club

Members of the Oasis Garden Club, their husbands and guests attended a dinner party in the home of Mrs. C. V. Wash Tuesday evening. Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith was

cohostess.

Special guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stipp, Mrs. Wallace Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tubb and Mrs. B. Bonner. Christmas decorations were used throughout the home and Christmas lumanarias lined the circular driveway.

Past Matrons Meet For Breakfast

Members of the Past Matrons Club of the Coahoma Chapter 499, Order of Eastern Star met last Friday morning at Coker's Restaurant for a quail breakfast.

Mrs. Norman Read and Mrs. Tom Barber were the hostesses. They made the plate favors which were felt covered purse-size tissue holders.

Refreshments were served from a table decorated in a Christmas theme.

Mrs. A. B. Martin presided during the business meeting. Mrs. John Westmorland gave the invocation.

The Christmas program was given by Mrs. Don McKinney, Mrs. Leroy Hendrick and Mrs. Ernest Garrett. Mrs. McKinney presented an informative talk on the origin of various Christmas tree traditions. Mrs. Hendricks gave a reading of the "Birth of Christ" from the works of Laura Haunes.

After the program, members exchanged gifts.

The next meeting will be at 9 a.m., Jan. 4 with Mrs. Don McKinney and Mrs. Jasper Gibson as hostesses.

Cindy Roberts Received Rainbow Degree At Meeting

Cindy Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Roberts received the degree of the order at the Tuesday evening meeting of the Big Spring Assembly 60, Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Worthy Advisor Kerrie Sue Knox presided.

Members made plan to go Christmas caroling on Wednesday evening. Girls will meet at 6 p.m. at the Big Spring Nursing Inn.

Plans were completed for a Mother-Daughter Tea with line officers and their mothers as hostesses. The tea will be held in the home of Mrs. Charles Beil from 2-4 p.m. on Dec. 21.

Zina Wood reported on the Christmas banquet which

was held in the Masonic Banquet room Dec. 6 with 85 persons attending. Guests attended from the Midland Rainbow Order and from Westside Center.

The Westside Choir performed several musical selections. A Christmas story was read by Mary Jane Wright and a Christmas reading was given by Emily Boyd. Miss Jean Sauze from Midland directed a joint meeting after the program.

Rebekahs Elect 1976 Officers

New officers of the Big Spring Rebekah Lodge 284 were elected at the Tuesday evening meeting held at the IOOF Hall.

The officers will be named and installed in January. Members reported that the biennial salad supper held Dec. 9 was a success.

The lodge Christmas party was held Thursday evening at the IOOF Hall. Mrs. Pat Conley gave a Christmas poetry reading.

Santa Claus distributed gifts among members and guests.

Superstitions For Christmas

Most people associate superstitions with Halloween, but Christmas has its full share.

Researcher Sally Hopkins of Hallmark Cards says that in the Pennsylvania Dutch country there's a belief that cattle can talk at Christmas, and that on Dec. 25 water in wells and fountains turns into wine.

In the Ozark Mountains, says Miss Hopkins, some folk swear that cocks crow all together at 3 o'clock on Christmas morning.

Taking a bath or changing underwear at Christmas brings on sickness, says another legend, while spinning or sewing on Christmas Day means bad luck and dew on Christmas morning prevents illness, according to other seasonal folk tales.

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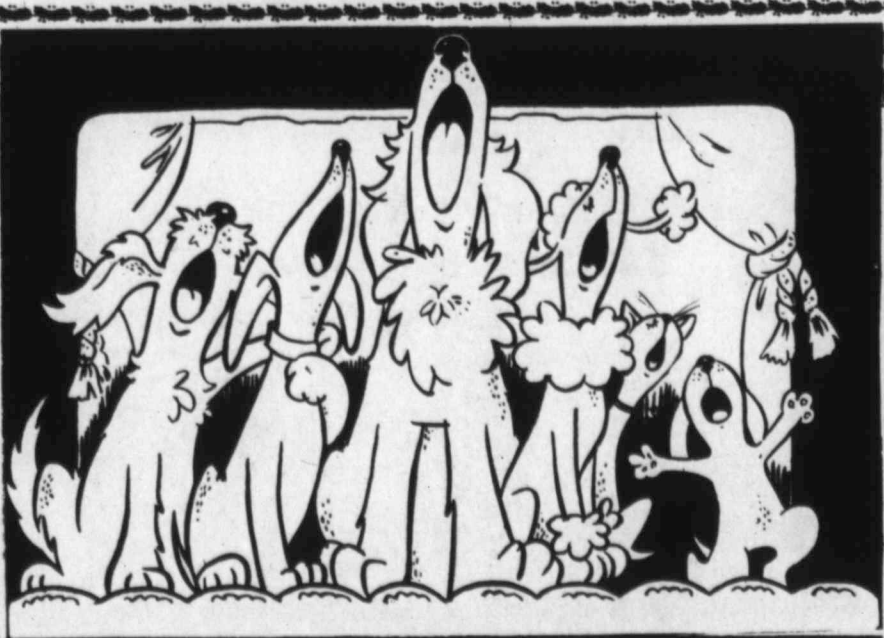
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Forsan Report

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Shoults recently returned from a trip during which they visited with their daughters and their families: the Mac Alexanders of Houston, the C. L. Girdners of Austin and the C. G. Griggs of Lamesa.

Mrs. J. H. Cardwell was a recent guest of her daughter's family, the T. D. Breithaupts of Odessa. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Edens in Odessa and with Mrs. and Mrs. J. N. Edens in Dallas.

Mrs. Don Murphy is now at home after spending several weeks in Houston in Herman's Hospital where she underwent surgery.

Weekend guests of Mrs. H. H. Story were her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Pfanner, of Richardson, and their son, Clark, Mrs. R. G. Strom of San Angelo also visited with her mother, Mrs. Story.

Hamlin Elrod has returned to his home after being dismissed from Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

Mrs. O. W. Scudday attended the Seventeenth Institute for Tax Assessors held on the University of Texas campus in Austin last weekend.

She visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith, Kingsland, before returning home. Smith was a former superintendent of the Forsan Independent School District. Mrs. Smith formerly taught in the Forsan High School.

Mrs. Don Limbecker, Mrs. Scudday's mother, is visiting with her daughter and family.

The Scuddays visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mathews, of Eastland this weekend.

The Dorcas class of the Forsan Baptist Church held a Christmas party and gift exchange recently in the

home of Mrs. J. W. Overton. Participating in a Christmas program were Mrs. L. T. Shoults, Mrs. Joe Evans, Mrs. Ted Henry and Mrs. J. L. Barron. Class members brought gifts to donate to the Big Spring State Hospital.

Green Thumb Garden Club Has Party

Package wrapping demonstrations highlighted the Christmas party of the Green Thumb Garden Club held Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Elmo Wasson.

Mrs. G. R. Robinson and Mrs. Roscoe Cowper were cohostesses.

Mrs. Jack Woodall displayed some Christmas wrapping paper she had made by stencilling a design on tissue paper.

Mrs. Dewey Ray showed the members package ornaments she had worked in needle point and small dolls she had made to enhance her gifts.

Mrs. Toots Mansfield displayed a package wrapped in brown paper with a paper angel decoration.

Mrs. Cowper gave a reading from the essay "The Christmas Dinner" by Washington Irving. The essay discussed old English Christmas customs. Mrs. Cowper had made a papier mache bear's head and a peacock as mentioned in the essay which she showed.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. John Hogan at 10 a.m., Jan. 6.

Skit Highlights Beta Omicron Chapter Meeting

A skit portraying the skills and tactics used by women in the past to help achieve their goals was given during the Thursday evening meeting of Texas Beta Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Members met in the home of Mrs. Pam Carroll.

Mrs. Mary Adams and Mrs. Jean Denton presented the program and participated in the skit which also featured Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Mary Alligood.

Mrs. Willie Sutton was welcomed as a guest.

During a business meeting, two committee appointments were made: Mrs. Connie Scasny, publicity committee and Mrs. Alligood, social committee.

Mrs. Paula Howard reported that the proceeds from a recent bake sale will be used to help a local needy family.

Members discussed plans for the Valentine Ball.

The next meeting will be a salad supper at 7:20 p.m., Dec. Thursday in the Barcelona Apartments club room.



MRS. CASEY LOVELACE

Couple Weds In Church Service

Miss Lee Ann Mashburn and Casey Lovelace exchanged wedding vows in an afternoon ceremony on Dec. 6 in the College Baptist Church.

Dr. Jimmy Law united the couple before an arch flanked by candelabra and baskets of mixed flowers. Mrs. Julie Shirey, organist, furnished wedding music during the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mashburn, 1809 Alabama. She is a graduate of Big Spring High School.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lovelace, 1907 Runnels. He is a graduate of Big Spring High School and is currently employed by M. M. Casey and Associates of Austin.

The bride's dress was of candlelight voile styled with a natural waistline marked

with a satin band. The bodice featured a lace inset and high collar. The long, full sleeves were accented with lace. She wore yellow roses in her hair and carried a matching bouquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Casey of Austin attended the couple.

Prior to a wedding trip to Ruisodo, the couple was honored at a reception in the church activity center. Miss Stephanie Renshaw registered guests. Miss Kim Brock, Miss Angela Hodnett and Miss Ladon Grantham served at the reception.

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FOCUS ON FAMILY LIVING Insure Holiday Safety In Home

By SHERRY MULLIN

County Extension Agent

Accidents can ruin a holiday, especially Christmas. And, since the Christmas season provides additional fire hazards with combustible trees and decorations or faulty lighting sets, safety precautions deserve added attention.

Begin your campaign for a safe Christmas by selecting a fresh-looking, firm-needed Christmas tree. Stand it in water as soon as you get home, and place it on a sturdy stand containing water once you take it indoors. Place the tree away from all sources of heat such as fireplaces and radiators.

Don't rely on do-it-yourself flameproofing treatments for your tree. The borax-boric acid solution sometimes recommended is not effective for flameproofing trees. And many aerosol sprays are only partially effective. In short, there is no satisfactory home treatment for flameproofing a Christmas tree.

Buy only lighting sets that have the Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc. (UL) label. Lighting strings with loose connections, broken sockets and frayed insulation should be replaced.

Use noncombustible materials such as metal, glass and asbestos for tree decorations, and remove gift wrapping as soon as possible as they pose a definite fire

hazard. A final precaution for a safe holiday season is to keep your children under close supervision. And have a family escape plan just in case a fire does strike.

Use these guidelines when selecting a tree. Freshness is important when selecting a tree. The needles should be pliable, not brittle. Run your finger down

a branch — the needles should adhere to each twig.

Shake or bounce the tree on the ground lightly to see that the needles are firmly attached. If only a few drop off, the tree is fresh, and with proper care should retain its freshness indoors throughout the holiday season.

The limbs should be strong enough to hold ornaments.

The fragrance should be strong and have a good green color.

Saw off butt end of tree because this aids in the absorption of water. Place the tree in a stand that can contain water. Refill the container daily as the tree will require a lot of water.

The longer a tree is indoors, the more combustible it will become. Only turn lights on when someone is in house. Never go to bed or leave the house with tree lights on.

Party Slated By Chapter

The annual Christmas party for the Order of the Eastern Star chapter 67 will be held at the local OES Temple on Tuesday.

Gifts will be exchanged and all members are invited to attend, according to Mrs. Violetta Ballou, worthy matron.

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Vietnamese Couple Weds In Church

Miss Mai Phuong Thi Nguyen and No Van Doan were wed in an American ceremony on Nov. 29 in the First Baptist Church. Both are originally from Vietnam and are now living in Big Spring.

Both the bride and bridegroom's parents are still living in Vietnam. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Triah Thieu Nguyen and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Day Van Doan.

The Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. W. W. Grimes furnished wedding music.

The altar was enhanced with an archway entwined with greenery flanked by candelabra and baskets of blue and white gladioli.

The bride wore a formal-length dress of white satin styled with a low round neckline trimmed with bouffant lace. The long teardrop sleeves were accented with lace. Her veil of Chantilly lace fell from a white satin crown. She carried a bouquet of blue and white carnations.

Miss Nancy Peery was the maid of honor, with Tuan Minh Vu as best man. Ushers were Ba Van Tran and Hung Doan Tran.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held after the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church. A white organdy cloth covered the table which was centered with a silver candelabrum. Nga Hang Thi Tran and Tri Thi Phan served refreshments.

The bride is employed at Walls Industries and the bridegroom is employed by Fiber Glass Systems. The couple will reside in Big Spring.

Westbrook News

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Clawson were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Board, of Modesto Calif.

Mrs. Dalton Conway, Mrs. C. W. Newton and Mrs. T. W. Daughtrey are patients at Root Memorial Hospital.

Bill McCain has been dismissed from Root Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson were in the Ennis Creek community near Snyder last Sunday to attend the annual Anderson Christmas dinner along with other relatives. Mrs. Kelley Blalock and Mr. and Mrs. George Blalock hosted the dinner.

The annual Christmas party of the Golden Age club was held on Dec. 2 in the Ocotillo Club room. A turkey dinner was served.

The Rev. Bob Manning, pastor of the First Baptist Church gave the Christmas devotion.

Christmas decorations enhanced the setting. Members and guests began a fund to install carpet in the club room.

Mrs. Altis Clemmer and Mrs. D. G. Rollins spent Friday in Abilene.

Bake Sale Rescheduled

The bake sale scheduled for yesterday by the Big Spring Steer Band had to be cancelled due to conflicts. It has been rescheduled for Saturday Dec. 30 at Highland Mall between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. All proceeds go toward financing preparations for CR '76, also the Spring tour.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Epifanio Gonzales, Gail Route, a girl, Irene, at 10:23 a.m., Dec. 5, weighing 8 pounds, 3 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee Rodgers, Gail Route, a boy, Brandon Lee, at 4:20 p.m., Dec. 5, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wayne McNew, 2500 Santa Monica, Odessa, a girl, Heather Dawn, at 7:57 a.m., Dec. 8, weighing 7 pounds, 12 1/4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Campbell, 2100 Scurry, a girl, Juliana Lynn, at 2:45 p.m., Dec. 8, weighing 7 pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Douglas Lindseth, 1714 Goliad, a boy, Bradley James, at 7:05 p.m., Dec. 4, weighing 7 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Townsend, 1809 39th, Snyder, a boy, Bradley Dwaine, at 8:20 a.m., Dec. 5, weighing 4 pounds, 5 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gregg Jr., 2415 Main, a boy, Jeremy Wayne, at 9:15 p.m., Dec. 5, weighing 6 pounds, 8 1/4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ayers, 1601 W. 5th, a girl, Helen Michelle, at 2:09 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 5 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lee Allen Jr., Gail Route, Box 166, a boy, Jonathan Shane, at 10 a.m., Dec. 7, weighing 7 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mielke, 96B Gunter, a boy, Charles Brant, at 1:40 p.m., Dec. 8, weighing 7 pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scarbrough, 1204 Lamar, a boy, Bryan Douglas, at 7:54 p.m., Dec. 7, weighing 6 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Tuttle, Gail Route, Box 2, No. 42, a boy, Christopher Brian, at 4:44 a.m., Dec. 8, weighing 8 pounds, 8 1/2 ounces.

Born to Capt. and Mrs. Allen Simonic, 13A Albrook, a boy, Adam Daniel, at 5:50 a.m., Dec. 8, weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Gary Raccuglia, 2302 Morrison, a girl, Melissa Joy, at 4:37 p.m., Dec. 8, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Householder, 1404 Princeton, a girl, Mandy Diane, at 7:12 p.m. Dec. 8, weighing 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Belew, 1418 Tucson, a girl, Brandi Ann, at 4:46 p.m., Dec. 9, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Galey, Southland Apartments, a girl, Heather Aline, at 5:50 p.m., Dec. 9, weighing 6 pounds, 3 3/4 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Spence, Arah Route, Snyder, a boy, Brian Carl, at 5:34 p.m., Dec. 10, weighing 7 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Tate, Box 42, Westbrook, a girl, Tanya Elizabeth, at 6:20 p.m., Dec. 10, weighing 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

Band Boosters

Slate Meeting

The Coahoma Band Boosters will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school band hall. All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting.

Miss Wright Weds William Crutcher

Miss Cynthia Kris Wright and William Preston Crutcher were married the evening of Nov. 26 in St. Paul United Methodist Church in Midland.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Durward Wright of Midland. Mrs. Jason Crutcher of 4004 Connally, Big Spring, is the mother of the bridegroom.

The Rev. Tommy Nelson officiated during the ceremony. Pianist for the service was Mrs. Tom Hansen.

The bride received a bachelor of arts degree in advertising from Texas Tech University. She is program director of KMID-TV. The bridegroom graduated from Tech with a degree in psychology. He is employed by the Texas State Welfare Department.

Attending the couple were Miss Teresa Ivey and Danny Leake, of Lubbock.

Garth and Brad Wright, brothers of the bride, were the ushers.

Marcy PTA

Slates Meeting

The Marcy Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the school cafeteria.

Mrs. Ramona Bunker will report on the PTA state convention held recently.

Joe Mower will give a report from the project committee.

A Christmas musical will be given by the fourth grade students under the direction of Mrs. Linda Mason.



MRS. WILLIAM PRESTON CRUTCHER

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held in the home of the bride's parents. This couple will reside at 2802 B Delano, Midland.

Doan Speaks To Council

Landre Doan of the Texas Department of Public Welfare spoke during the Retired Senior Volunteer Advisory Council meeting on Dec. 10 held in the Senior Citizens Center, Big Spring.

He spoke about a transportation program beginning in Howard County for Medicare patients.

Council members approved the budget for staff travel and volunteer expense. They also discussed

publicity ideas for the RSVP program in Howard, Mitchell and Dawson counties.

The council issued an expression of thanks to the volunteers in Howard County who stuffed packets for the March of Dimes Drive.

Council members were present representing Big Spring, Lamesa and Colorado City. Others present included Don DeLeeuw, chairman of the Volunteer Council of the Big Spring State Hospital; Ms. Nancy Easley, RSVP director; Ms. Sue Gamble, RSVP secretary; Mrs. A. V. Nixon, RSVP Clerk from Colorado City; and Mrs. Juanita Mayfield, RSVP clerk from Lamesa.

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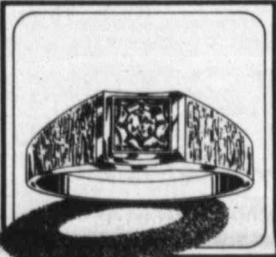


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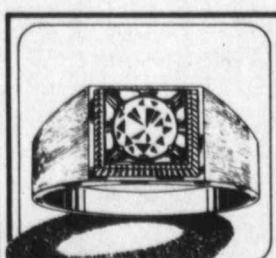
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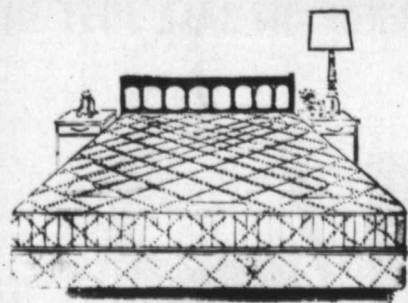
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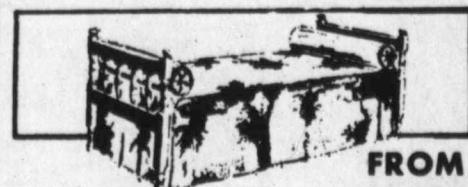
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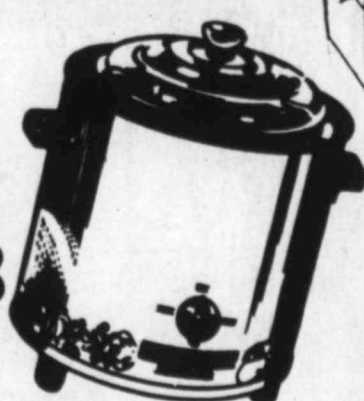
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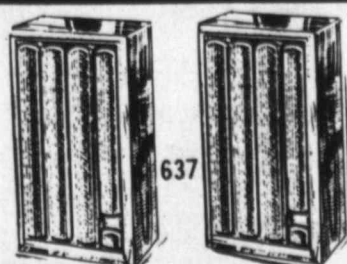
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The Coahoma club took six of the 11 winning categories. Mrs. Lois Rhoton was the chairman of the Tasting Corner. She recorded 52 entries in seven divisions.

Winners according to division and category were:

Snacks: Beef jerky, Dana Westbrook of Gayhill 4-H.

Breads: Oatmeal bread, Donna James of Coahoma 4-H.

Cookies: Ranch style cookies, Robin Ethridge of Coahoma 4-H. Iced cookies, Carmen Holman of Coahoma 4-H.

Cakes: Layer, heavenly coconut cake, Karla Holman of Coahoma 4-H. Pound, apple cake, Toby Bryant of Gayhill 4-H. Icebox, fruit cake, Jana Long of Knott 4-H.

Pies: Banana pie, Leslie Guitard of Knott 4-H.

Candy: Uncooked, Stan Parker of Knott 4-H. Cooked, Sharon Tiddol of Coahoma 4-H.

Main Dishes: Sour cream enchiladas, Darla Harrington of Coahoma 4-H.

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Then, one of my professors (an old, married man of 47) told me that I had a very good mind but that I didn't know how to study. Then, he offered to teach me.

I said, "Great," but when he told me he had the key to a friend's apartment for the instruction, I told him I wasn't interested. He looked crushed!

Last week, I went to the health service with an infected toe, and the doctor, who must have been 50, asked me for a date. He really was gross and wouldn't take no for an answer. I finally told him he was too old for me. I know I

hurt his feelings. When you tell a young guy to get lost, he accepts it and there's no hassle, but you can't turn down an older man without destroying his ego. How come?

HATES HASSLES

DEAR HATES: Men are no different from women. No one wants to be turned down because of age. Don't waste your tears on older men. If they approach enough young gals, they're bound to find one who digs older men.

DEAR ABBY: I read in your column where to send for a form to donate my eyes after death. Then I heard that they don't want anyone's eyes unless they have perfect vision, which I do not have. Is that true?

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Alpha Kappa Omicron Marks Anniversary

Alpha Kappa Omicron sorority members celebrated the club anniversary Tuesday evening with a salad supper prior to the business meeting in the home of Mrs. Lou LaRochelle.

Plans were completed for the Christmas party which will be held Friday for

members and their husbands. They will meet at the Brandin' Iron Restaurant for dinner and then go to the home of Mrs. Charla Huckabay for a party.

Each member brought a wrapped gift to be taken to the Mountain View Nursing Home.

Mrs. Jan Sims gave each member who enrolled her daughter into the Legacy program of Beta Sigma Phi the charm and information book for the new member. New Legacy members are Karri LaRochelle, Danika Huckabay, Kim Tucker, Michelle Carlile and Becky Stencil.

Mrs. Carolyn Dyer read a thank-you letter from Mrs. Laura Proctor, the sorority adopted sister at the Mountain View Nursing Home, for all cards and visits during the holidays.

Decoration workshops for the Valentine Ball will begin in January.

Mrs. Margaret Ray, Howard County clerk, spoke on changes brought about by the women's liberation movement.



MARRIAGE PLANS — Mr. and Mrs. Felix Petrosky of Needville announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ree Ann, of Big Spring to Clayton D. McKinnon of Garden City.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray S. McKinnon Sr. of the Elbow Community.

The couple plans to marry on Dec. 27 in the Needville Methodist Church.

Girl Born To Belvins

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray Belvins of 1243 Overhill, Houston, announce the birth of their daughter Kena Michelle, on Nov. 20 at 4:53 p.m.

The infant was born in Houston and weighed seven pounds and one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smart of Big Spring are the maternal grandparents.

Miss Merlee Dennis Weds McWethy Friday Evening

Miss Merlee Dennis became the bride of Zachary Aaron McWethy in a Friday evening ceremony in the First Assembly of God Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burl Dennis, 601 Caylor. She is a graduate of Evangel College in Springfield, Mo. and is employed as an elementary migrant teacher in Brownfield.

McWethy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene McWethy of Oxon Hill, Md. He attended Evangel College and is now completing a degree in microbiology at Texas Tech University. He is employed in the physical therapy department at Brownfield General Hospital.

The couple will live in Brownfield.

The Rev. Doug Metzgar, associate to the David Wilkerson Crusade, officiated during the ceremony. Roger Thrower of North Carolina, sang and accompanied himself on the guitar. Miss Kristi Haynes also sang and was accompanied by Mrs. Shirley Ryals, organist.

The couple stood before an altar enhanced with branched candelabra, spiral candelabra and three baskets of fall flowers.

The bride's gown was of white chiffon over matching material styled with a natural waistline and a slightly gathered floor-length skirt. Flower appliques accented the bodice and skirt ruffle. The dress featured a chapel-length train. She carried a French bouquet of white and peach roses and white camellias tied with matching ribbons and lace.

Mrs. Metzgar of Lindale was the matron of honor. Miss Jodie Priest of Shepherd, Mich. served the



MRS. ZACHARY AARON McWETHY

bride as maid of honor with Miss Keri Haynes as bridesmaid. They wore empire-styled dresses of green India gauze cloth. Panels of antique lace accented the front of the dresses. Lace also trimmed the long, bell sleeves. The attendants' flowers were peach and orange camellias tied with matching ribbon.

Dave MacDonald of Norwich, Conn. was the best man with Tim McWethy, of Baltimore, Md. brother of the bridegroom, as groomsman.

Julie Lopez was the flower girl with Jay Lopez as ring bearer.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held in the Texas Electric Reddy Room. Mrs. Dwayne Haynes, Miss Sharon White, Miss Janie Russell and Mrs. Ted

Party Held By Sewing Club

Friendship Sewing Club members met in the home of Mrs. R. A. Chambers Wednesday afternoon for a Christmas party.

Cohosting the party were Mrs. O. O. Brown and Mrs. Ethel Bartlett.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses and members exchanged gifts.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ethel Bartlett at 2 p.m., Jan. 8.

Welder served refreshments from a table laid with a ruffled organza cloth.

Guests attending from out-of-town included Mrs. Tim McWethy, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Bertha Bogue, Carthage, Mo.; and Mrs. Roger Wright, Teresa, Tammy and Tina Wright, all of Northfield, Minn.



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Past Matrons Elect Officers

The Past Matrons Club of Big Spring Chapter 67, Order of Eastern Star, met Tuesday evening at the Spanish Inn to elect officers to serve during 1976.

Officers elected were Mrs. C. E. Gressett, president; Mrs. Eugene Gross, vice president; Mrs. Ocie Mason, secretary; and Mrs. Wayne

Parish, treasurer. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Mary Arnold Hefley, Mrs. Pyrie Bradshaw and Mrs. Charles McCarley.

Mrs. R. D. Ulrey gave the invocation.

Visitors were Mrs. Helen Scott and Mrs. Louise Lawrence.

Members reported 116 visits made to ill members during the past month.

Mrs. Steve Baker, Mrs. George Dabney and Mrs. Joe Hayden were honored for their birthdays.

Genealogical Society Meets

The Genealogical Society of Big Spring met Thursday evening in the Howard County Library. Bill Stegald presided at the meeting.

Mrs. W. H. Daniels of Cape Girardeau, Mo. is seeking information about her ancestors. Her great grandfather is believed to have been in a hospital in the Big

Spring area near the end of the Civil War.

Her grandfather, William John Daniels, was born in Big Spring in 1862.

Anyone having information regarding Mrs. Daniels' ancestors may contact Bill Stegald at 267-6033.

Mrs. Linda Atkins reported that she has received a picture of her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Inks, taken on their 50th wedding anniversary.

The next meeting will be at 7:15, Jan. 8 in the Howard County Library.

Children Honor Parents On Anniversary

The children of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grant will honor their parents on their 25th wedding anniversary with a reception at 2:30 p.m. today in the Grant home at 1803 Morrison.

Children hosting the party are Miss Jodi Grant and Mrs. Peggy Billingsley of Turners Falls, Mass. and Mrs. E. R. Thompson Jr. sister of Mrs. Grant.



MR. AND MRS. W. L. VAUGHAN

Vaughans Celebrate Anniversary At Party

In celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Vaughan will be honored at a reception from 2:30-5 p.m. today in the First United Methodist Church.

All friends and relatives

are invited to attend the celebration. The couple requests no gifts.

The reception will be hosted by the couple's children and grandchildren and their families, including the Bob Vaughans of Hobbs, N.M.; the Paul Capens of San Marcos; and the Guy Sinclairs of Denver, Colo.

Recognizing Christmas

Alabama in 1836 was the first state to grant legal recognition to Christmas, researchers for Hallmark Cards report. By 1890 all states and territories acknowledged Christmas, including the District of Columbia in 1870. Christmas is the only annual religious holiday to receive this official commendation.

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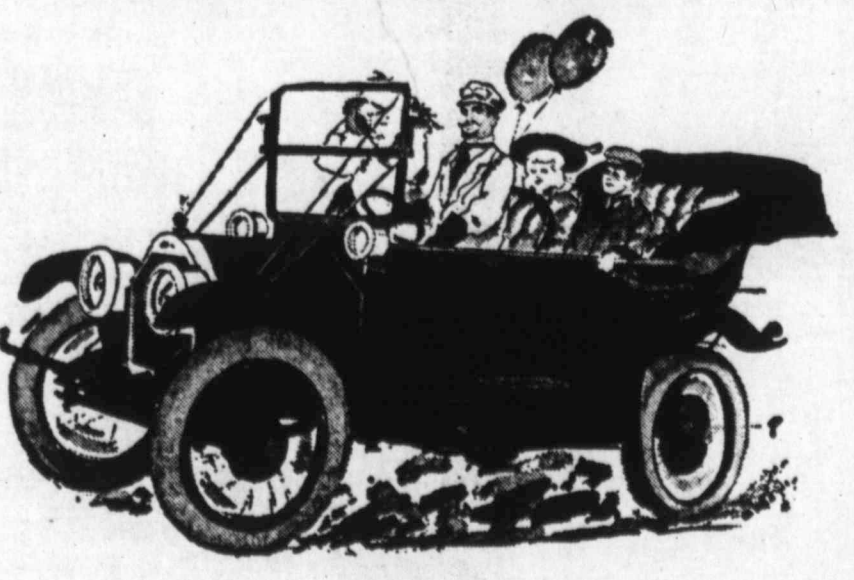
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Approximately 100 students of Mrs. Burson will perform. Mrs. Burson is the dancing instructor at the YMCA and youth center.

**FOR YOUR PLEASURE
December Calendar Filled
With Christmas Events**

By JAMES WERRELL
It's official. Christmas is just around the corner and the evidence is easy to find throughout the area. Big Spring has its Yule lights blazing and shoppers crowd the streets.

If you happen to be in Lubbock in search of the right gift for some impossible-to-please relative, be sure to drive by the Texas Tech Campus and get a look at the Carol of Lights display. An impressive array of colored lights outline the buildings along the main drive and the science building sports a two-story wreath.

Closer to home, a host of area churches will sponsor special Christmas programs including music, dramatic presentations and the promotion of good cheer for the season.

First United Methodist Church, 4th and Scurry, will present a program today, 6 p.m. entitled, "Many Moods of Christmas." The program will feature the Chancel Choir, the Nuts and Bolts, various soloists, the Festival Handbell Choir, the Recorder Consort and the twin pianos in joyous music of the holiday season.

Then, on Wednesday Dec. 24, 6:30 p.m., First United will present the favorite traditional music of Christmas along with a Candlelighting Service.

On Monday, 8 p.m. the Apostolic Faith Chapel, 14th and Goliad, will present a four-act play, "Why Christmas?" by Elinor Brown. All seats are free and the play is invited.

Today at 7 p.m. the Crestview Baptist Church Choir will present its annual Christmas Cantata. The program will be held at the church on Gatesville Street and will be on the theme, "The Night the Angels Sang," by John W. Peterson. The cantata sets to beautiful music the dramatic events

surrounding the birth of Christ, beginning with the message of the angels to the shepherds on the hillside near Bethlehem. There will also be a play presented by the Youth Department preceding the cantata at 6 p.m. depicting the "Christmas Story". The public is invited to attend both presentations.

The Kaleidoscope Company of the Permian Playhouse will entertain the young and young-at-heart with a final performance of "The Steadfast Tin Soldier" today, 2:30 p.m. The play is based on the story by Hans Christian Andersen and tells

**HD Club
Hosts Party
At BSSH**

Members of the Center Point Home Demonstration Club gave a party for residents of Ward 10, Big Spring State Hospital. They served refreshments to 200 patients.

After the party at the hospital, club members attended a Christmas party and luncheon in the home of Mrs. Charles Linley.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Kelly of Lubbock were welcomed as guests.

Mrs. Alden Ryan gave the devotional on Christmas. She read Matt. 2:1-12.

During the party, members exchanged gifts and Mrs. Linley presented each of the members with a hand-drawn ornament from the Christmas tree.

Kelly won the door prize and also said a blessing for the food.

The members were reminded of the Howard County HD Club Christmas party to be held at 2 p.m., Dec. 16 at Kentwood Center. The Center Point Club will decorate the tree. Each woman is asked to bring a gift not exceeding \$2.

**Sunday School
Class Meets**

The Gleaners Sunday School class of the Baptist Temple Church met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Roselee Hill for a Christmas party.

Mrs. Addie Hill gave a devotional on "The Christmas Story." Members exchanged individual gifts and Mrs. Mildred White, class teacher, presented each member with a gift.

Gifts will be given to the shut-in members of the class.

Mrs. Bernice Micallef was a guest.

Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Bob Wren, Mrs. Ollie Milton and Mrs. Ilietta Peterson furnished refreshments.

**Choraliers Sing
At Club Meeting**

The Howard College Choraliers presented a program of Christmas music to the members of the Music Study Club during the Wednesday guest meeting of the club.

Members met in the home of Mrs. Charles Bell with hostesses Mrs. C. L. Carlile, Mrs. Ocie Mason and Mrs. E. S. Dawson. Mrs. James Little was the program leader.

The Choraliers were directed by Mrs. Kenneth Sprinkle and accompanied by Harlan Thornton, pianist. Members will meet at the First United Methodist Church on Jan. 14.

**Gilbert-Bradberry
Wedding Held Thursday**

Mrs. Linda Gilbert and Bill Bradberry, both of Big Spring, were married Thursday evening in the Veterans Administration Hospital Chapel.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. J. M. Fields of 502 Young and the late J. M. Fields.

Bradberry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bradberry of North Birdwell Lane.

Chaplain Clayton Hicks officiated during the ceremony.

Mrs. Bradberry is a nurse at the VA Hospital and Bradberry is employed by Cabot Corporation. They will reside at 1710 Benton.

**Ruth Class
Has Party**

Members of the Ruth Class of the North Birdwell United

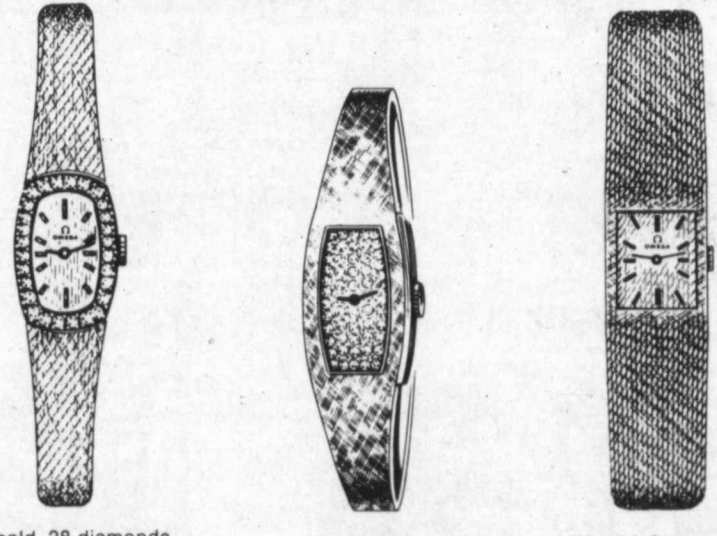
Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Fanny Kent on Monday evening for a Christmas party.

Mrs. Eltie Pettitt gave the prayer. Mrs. Ellie Bearden read a holiday poem. The Christmas story from Luke 2 was read by Mrs. Alice Smith.

Refreshments were served from a table decorated in a Christmas theme. After the refreshments were served, members exchanged gifts and played games.

The women made plans to fill Christmas baskets to take to shut-ins.

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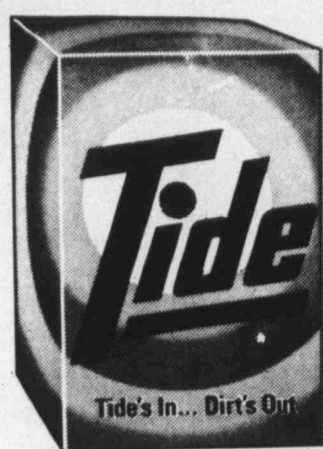
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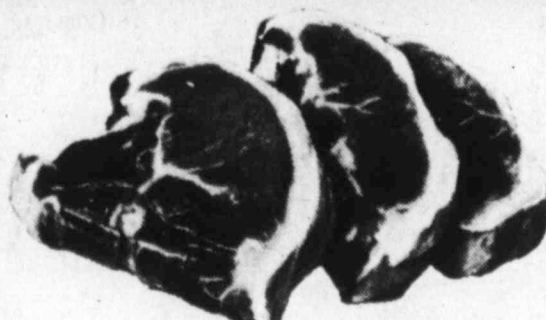


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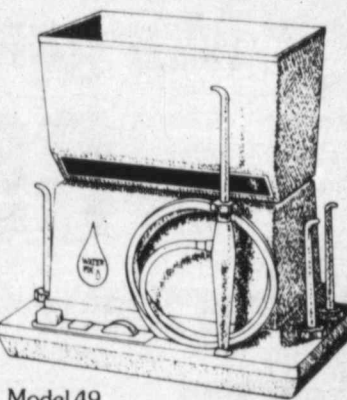
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House Approves Funds To Study Women In Society

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House, approving plans for a "National Women's Conference" to assess the place of women in society, has authorized \$5 million to be spent on the project.

By a 252 to 162 vote, the House authorized the money for a series of state and regional meetings next year leading up to a national conference. The Senate is expected to take the bill up shortly.

Sewing Club

Reelects Officers

Members of the Sew and Chatter Club reelected the 1975 officers to serve another term in office at the Christmas dinner party held Wednesday evening the home of Mrs. Marvin Sewell.

A gift exchange was held and members prepared a basket of food and donated a quilt for a needy family of the area.

Members set a goal to make six quilts during the coming year.

The New Year's dinner will be at 12:30 p.m., Jan. 1 in the home of Mrs. C. Y. Clinkscales, 705 E. 18th. Each member will bring a covered dish and come dressed in her bicentennial costume.

The yearbook committee made plans to begin work on the new books. Members are Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. M. A. Cook and Mrs. Twila Lomax.

Rep. Bella Abzug, D-N.Y., praised the men who spoke up for the bill and who argued it was time for women to meet to "evaluate where American women are at, where they want to go and how to get there."

Conservatives had opposed the bill on grounds that the conferences would provide a forum for lobbyists for the Equal Rights Amendment, which bans discrimination on the basis of sex. Four more states must ratify the ERA before it becomes part of the Constitution.

The sponsors apparently surprised the opponents of the measure by accepting an amendment to prohibit lobbying by conference participants.

Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., an opponent of the plan, said the conferences would polarize women. He said if data is needed on the specific problems of women, as some advocates had argued, then state status of women commissions should be able to get it.

Many congresswomen said women were indeed polarized on many issues — and this was even more reason why conferences should be held in each state or region, to insure participation by women of all ages, ideologies, income and status.

"This is not a lobbying effort. We do not hold the same views. We have differing opinions and styles," said Rep. Margaret Hechler, R-Mass. "We are not monolithic."

Cafeteria Menus

WESTBROOK
MONDAY — Hot dogs with chili meat; baked potatoes; butter lettuce wedge; peaches; peanut butter cookies and milk.
TUESDAY — Fried chicken and gravy; steamed rice; green lima beans; buttered squash; biscuits; butter, syrup, honey and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Meat loaf, blackeyed peas; tossed salad; cake with orange icing and milk.
THURSDAY — Beef stew with vegetables; cheese or peanut butter sandwiches; applesauce; milk and brownies.
FRIDAY — Turkey and dressing; giblet gravy; cranberry sauce; stuffed celery; milk and green beans.
WESTBROOK BREAKFAST
MONDAY — Cereal; orange juice

and milk.
TUESDAY — Toast; jelly; oatmeal; apple juice and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Biscuits, honey; sausage; orange juice and milk.
THURSDAY — Cinnamon rolls; orange juice and milk.
FRIDAY — Rice crispie bars; orange juice and milk.
BIG SPRING ELEMENTARY
MONDAY — Chili mac and cheese; chuckwagon beans; creamed new potatoes; coconut pudding; hot rolls and milk.
TUESDAY — Fried chicken; whipped potatoes; spinach; hot rolls; strawberry-cranberry cream pie; whipped topping and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Meat loaf; buttered steamed rice; cut green beans; hot rolls; peach cobbler and milk.
THURSDAY — Turkey, dressing; cranberry sauce; buttered whole kernel corn; fruit salad; hot rolls; chocolate cake and milk.
FRIDAY — Fish fillet; catsup; pinto beans; potato salad; corn bread; butter ice box cookies and milk.
RUNNELS, GOLIAD & SENIOR HIGH
MONDAY — Chili mac and cheese or hamburger steak; gravy; chuck wagon beans; creamed new potatoes; coconut pudding; hot rolls; chilled diced peaches and milk.
TUESDAY — Fried chicken or stuffed peppers; whipped potatoes; spinach; tossed salad; hot rolls; strawberry French cream pie; whipped topping and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Meat loaf or roast beef; gravy; buttered steamed rice; cut green beans; cole slaw; hot rolls; peach cobbler and milk.
THURSDAY — Turkey, dressing; cranberry sauce or baked ham; early June peas; buttered whole kernel corn; fruit salad; hot rolls; chocolate cake and milk.
FRIDAY — Fish fillet; catsup or corn chip pie; pinto beans; potato salad; corn bread; carrot sticks; butter ice box cookies and milk.
COAHOMA
MONDAY — Chili mac with cheese; blackeyed peas; tossed salad; brownies; cornbread; butter and milk.
TUESDAY — Beef & bean burritos; cream potatoes; lettuce wedge; french dressing; glazed applesauce cake; hush puppies; butter and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Turkey, dressing; giblet gravy; green beans; potatoes; cranberry sauce; banana pudding; hot rolls; butter and milk.
THURSDAY — Hamburger steak; cream gravy; early June peas; buttered carrots; fresh fruit; hot rolls; butter and milk.
FRIDAY — Pimiento cheese sandwiches; vegetable soup; potato chips; ambrosia; whipping cream; crackers, butter and milk.
FORSAN
MONDAY — Burritos; buttered potatoes; salad; stuffed celery; pineapple cake.
TUESDAY — Steak & gravy; whipped potatoes; green beans; hot bread; jelly salad and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Bar-B-Q weiners; pinto beans; spinach; corn bread; cinnamon cookies; fruit and milk.
THURSDAY — Hamburgers; french fries; lettuce; onions; pickles; graham crackers & peanut butter; fruit and milk.
FRIDAY — Fish sticks; baked beans; vegetable salad; hot bread; fruit and milk.
ELBOW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
MONDAY — Macaroni and cheese; blackeyed peas; vegetable salad; milk; diced peaches; and bread.
TUESDAY — Red beans; baked potatoes; spinach; corn bread; prunes and milk.
WEDNESDAY — Hamburgers; french fries; bread; applesauce and milk.
THURSDAY — Green enchiladas; English peas; carrot salad; bread; fruit and milk.
FRIDAY — Meat and cheese sandwiches; potato chips; pickles; apples and milk.



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BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1975

Named To County ASCS Panel

Donnie Reid, a well known Howard County farmer, was named to the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASCS) committee by delegates to the ASCS county convention, held Dec. 10, at the ASCS Office.

The delegates also elected R. C. Thomas and Joe Mac Gaskins as first and second alternates to the committee.

Reid will be serving a three year term. He is actively engaged in cotton farming and is also involved in livestock production. He has previously served on the committee for 1 year prior to the new term. The new term begins Jan. 1.

The county ASC committee is responsible for local administration of government farm programs such as cotton, disaster, feed grains, and emergency programs.

The vacancies were filled by farmer-delegates who are newly-elected ASCS community committeemen for 1976. Community committees assist the county committee in farm program administration and help keep farmers informed of program provisions.

Tim Hall, County Executive Director of Howard County ASCS also reminded farmers not to destroy any cotton that would not be harvested. A visual inspection will be made to erase those acres off of the farmers' earlier certification.

Also, the signpost for flood damaged lands will continue

Sterling Discovery

H. G. Sledge No. 1 Roy Glass has been completed as a Sterling County Canyon gas discovery 14 miles west of Sterling City.

It had a calculated absolute open hole flow of 1,314,000 cubic feet of gas per day, gas-liquid ratio 148,232-1, and condensate was 63.5 gravity. Operator fraced perforations from 7,900-8,050 with 300,000 gallons. Bottom of hole was 8,250 where 4 1/2-in. string was set. The location, 727 from the south and 467 from the east lines of section 19-27, H&TC, puts it 4 1/2 miles northeast of the Big Salute Canyon Oil field.

Bright and Schiff No. 1-32 Glass, a Sterling wildcat, was below 2,100 feet, and Cities Service No. 1-A-B Ferguson, which had perforated from 7,171-251 feet, was preparing to test. The operator had swabbed formation and load water from Montoya-Ellenberger perforations from 8,713-761.

through Dec. 31. Anyone who has terrace, cropland or waterway damage so severe that he cannot repair with his own resources should contact the ASCS and find out about the program.

Glasscock Gains Two Completions

Glasscock County gained two new outcrop completions to the Spraberry Trend area, and four locations.

Diamond Shamrock No. 3 J. B. Zant recovered 15 barrels of 37-gravity oil and 25 barrels of water a day on potential test. Perforations from 6,875-8,298 were acidized with 1,800 gallons and fraced with 156,000 gallons. The venture extends Spraberry production half a mile east. It is 11 miles southeast of Stanton.

Enserch Exploration No. 1 A. C. Hoelscher, half a mile southeast extension to STA and 12 1/2 miles southwest of Garden City, pumped 14 barrels of 35-gravity oil and 30 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 2,150-1. Perforations 6,349-7,943 were acidized with 3,500 gallons and fraced with 175,000 gallons. Location is 1,980 from the north and east line section 10-35-5s, T&P.

John L. Cox No. 2-C Brunson will be a mile east stepout and is located 1,320 from the south and west lines section 35-36-3s, T&P. Cox No. 2-C Brunson, 3/4th mile northwest stepout, will be 1,320 from the north and east lines of section 17-35-4s, T&P. Both will go to 8,600 feet.

John L. Cox No. 1 Edith Cook will be 3/4th mile northwest of STA pay, and is 28 miles southeast of Midland. Location is 1,320 from the north and west lines section 17-35-4s, T&P.

Five-O Production No. 1 J. F. Priddy will be a 3/4th mile southwest stepout to the Zant San Andres field and is targeted to 4,000 feet. Location is 330 from the south and 1,650 from the east line section 27-36-2s, T&P.

Not Approved By Local C-C

A Bicentennial promotion being sold in Big Spring is not approved by the local Chamber of Commerce, Terry Hanson, chamber manager, stated here late Friday.

He stated that any merchants approached in regard to any promotion which is said to be approved by the chamber should check with the chamber office for additional information.



Bicentennial Town Crier

How was it done in the olden days? The fifth grade class of Mrs. Helen Ray Ebling will soon know, for they plan to celebrate "Christmas In The Colonies" Dec. 16 at Moss School. Students will cut their own tree and decorate it with handmade ornaments, as well as dressing in colonial garb and enjoying food of the era. A living history lesson! Thanks, Helen.

The Marines have landed and the cavalry is in sight! Thanks to the new Chamber of Commerce BASIC program, youth and vigor will be added to the Bicentennial Commission work force. BASIC students choosing to serve with us include Shauna Hill, Sherry Huckabee, Cathy Valdes, Jennie Speegel and Irene Little. We look forward to their help and ideas.

The 1953 Hyperion is giving Heritage Museum bicentennial coins as thank you gifts to Bicentennial speakers, an appropriate token of our birthday celebration. Gerri Atwell advises us that a limited number of bronze coins remain at \$3.15 each. Stop by Heritage Museum and pick one up before it's too late.

Jack Alexander had just time to pick up his flag order before he and daughter Beverly took off for Europe to visit one of his sons. Jack and Fern will donate the flag to the VFW Post 1772 in Spur, Tex., in honor of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Alexander. The Alexander family holds the local record for most flags ordered this

year. Way to go, Ray!

If you missed the 4-H Arts and Crafts show, put it on your calendar for next year. Sherry Mullin seemed calm and collected when we visited at the Bicentennial Festival Committee rest station. The three pretty Snodgrass girls, Jeanette, Sheri and Robyn, acted as hostesses there and were all decked out in patriotic colors. The crafts were great — we could have browsed all day!

Tid-bits: The great Jack and Jill Choir performed for the incoming and outgoing directors of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce at their Monday luncheon. A lively way to start the new Chamber year! ... Even in the heat of the battle between our own Howard College Hawks and the Midland College Chaparrals, we couldn't overlook the bicentennial dress of Coach Harold Wilder. White suit, navy blue shirt, and a spectacular stars and stripes tie put it all together in a tastefully patriotic way. Who says fashion is a woman's world? ... Latest additions at the McMahon Concrete Co. are concrete trucks with red cabs and white mixers studded with blue stars. Now that's a star-spangled combination. A tip of the hat to the Chamber of Commerce Pride People, the Big Spring Garden Council, and the City Litter Investigation Committee for the general facelifting around town. Edna Womack can't be everywhere — or can she? Let's all resolve to be faithful Horizon stewards of this great land in 1976.

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F78-14	\$40	\$58	2.47
G78-14	\$43	\$62	2.62
H78-14	\$45	\$66	2.84
A78-15	\$34	\$49	1.93
G78-15	\$44	\$64	2.69
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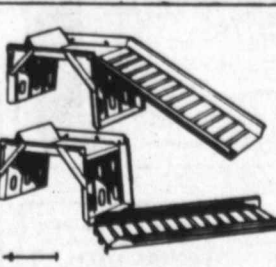
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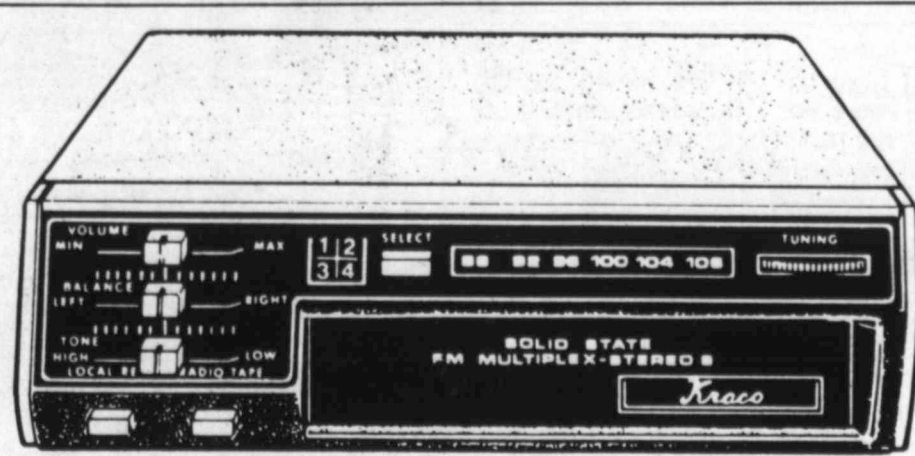
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Library Checks Out Books For Inventory

By REBBECA TAYLOR
OF COUNTY LIBRARY

The Howard County Library will close Dec. 24 for the Christmas holiday weekend.

All books checked out prior to Christmas week will be due then.

The staff will conduct an inventory before the end of the year and would appreciate return of as many books as possible before that time.

Avid readers may wish to take advantage of our free paperback exchange to fill in the reading gap. This collection as well as the Books-By-Mail program will be unaffected by the year-end inventory.

NEW CARDS

The Library will be closed Jan. 1. And on Jan. 2, new applications will be taken and new cards issued to all patrons.

Anyone living, working, attending school or owning property in Howard County is eligible for a library card free of charge.

Temporary residents and visitors may get a temporary card for a refundable deposit.

Patrons from outside the county who have a permanent home address and may wish to revisit the Howard County Library, can receive a regular card by paying a single, one-time only, fee of \$1.50.

40,000 BOOKS

The simple application form to obtain a library card requires your name, address, phone number, occupation and place of employment and the name of a local friend or relative and this or her address.

The Library card is your access ticket to more than 40,000 volumes of fun, adventure, hobbies and information.

Start the Bicentennial year right by obtaining a library card and using your right to read.

Records Enjoying 15 'Goodyears'

NEW YORK AP — The most successful Christmas record in history is Goodyear's "Great Songs" series which has sold more than 23 million copies.

Sold in single albums each Christmas since 1961, the record is now in its 15th edition and still is going strong.

The 1975 version features 17 all-time holiday favorites selected by Henry Mancini. And it includes several new arrangements of the oldies by The Mancini Orchestra.

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Nightly
7:10 — 9:15

Mahogany—the woman every woman wants to be and every man wants to have.

A Barry Gordon Film
Diana Ross Mahogany

DIANA ROSS AND BILLY DEE WILLIAMS—TOGETHER AGAIN!

LATE SHOW X-RATED 11:30
CALL FOR INFO

Gypsies Studied

Gypsy: The word evokes colorful horse-drawn caravans on country roads, sultry women reading palms by the light of a campfire, men in baggy pants playing the violin. But, as Peter Maas tells it, that's not the way it is.

Maas, author of "Serpico" and "The Valachi Papers," decided to do a book on gypsies when it came to him that here was an essentially invisible people. "...with all the governmental and corporate prying into everybody's personal lives these days, I became fascinated at the thought of so many gypsies the best part was nobody really knew how many living essentially as they had for hundreds of years, blithely escaping the massive surveillance and computerization that has been increasingly bugging the rest of us," he observes.

adding, "The amazing thing is that, except for police files and some welfare rolls, gypsies do not officially exist in the United States. They are not to be found, for instance, in census or immigration statistics..."

Maas' study is roughly divided into two sections. One concerns itself with the history of the gypsies from their probable origin in Northern India, the various tribes of gypsies and their wanderings that often resulted in persecutions, most recently in Nazi Germany — and with the customs of the Romany, customs that date back for centuries but still are essentially the same today.

Of less interest, although it begins promisingly enough, is Maas' account of the life of Steve Tene, an American gypsy designated leader of the tribes by his grandfather King Tene Bimbo.



FLIPS OVER GIRL — Brian Jenkins, 14, flips on a YMCA trampoline while Sandra Harbin 14, watches. The two are enrolled in a Y gymnastics course.

Phil Thomas
AP Books Editor

Criminals Portrayed

Crime, for many people, is no closer than the headlines in a newspaper. Not too many have active contact with law breakers or law enforcers. James Mills decided to get closer to this alien world. The result is "On the Edge," a collection of separate, yet related, pieces about life in that dangerous society.

Much of what is seen in Mill's tour of the dark side of life is repellent but, at the same time, fascinating. Touring the Broadway area with a tough, veteran detective, hearing a junkie tell what it's like to be hooked on drugs, or following a guard through his duties at an overcrowded New York City prison aren't the most pleasant of experiences. But they are educating: they are gripping.

Mills details his portrait of the people who live in this world with a fine, sure hand, never taking sides, letting only the facts — which he presents in crisp abundance — speak for themselves. The technique works well, leaving the reader to choose for himself what judgment, if any, to make.

While each of Mills' pieces is noteworthy, the most gripping are the ones which describe the life of a Family Court judge, and the wretched existence of a pair of junkies.

Phil Thomas
AP Books Editor

Pal Recalls Hemingway

KEY WEST, Fla. AP — The man who earned a place in literature by consistently out-hunting Ernest Hemingway often relives the hunt and his friendship with "Papa."

"Sometimes, when you sit down, don't you dream about the past? I often think about it and hunt it all over again in my mind," Charles Thompson says.

Thompson, at 76 his dark hair turned silver and his once-lean body no longer slim, doesn't hunt and fish much anymore. But he remembers Hemingway, generally regarded as one of the finest writers ever produced in America.

Recently, the long-time Key West resident told how he met Hemingway in 1928:

"George Brooks, a local boy Ernest later used in his books, told Ernest he knew a guy who liked to fish...I had a boat. I took him out in that. He was so pleased with it, he had three of his friends come down with him."

A smile creeps over Thompson's face. "When I went home to my wife that day, I told her: 'I met a man today who claims to be a writer.'"

The friends Hemingway brought with him were writers John Dos Passos and Archibald MacLeish, and Waldo Pierce.

"They were all fine men," Thompson says. "But Ernest and I liked to hunt and fish better than the rest."

Hemingway and Thompson, who owned a hardware store, became fast friends — fishing for tarpon in the Gulf of Mexico and hunting for elk in Wisconsin and rabbit in France.

In 1933, Hemingway invited Thompson to join him on a two-month African safari. Hemingway wrote "The Green Hills of Africa" about his defeats in hunting during that safari. Thompson was the character Karl.

The crowning blow to Hemingway's ego came near the end of the safari, when Thompson returned to camp with a kudu larger than the writer's.

"Why does he have to beat me so bloody badly," wrote Hemingway.

Thompson said the whole affair was "so unfair."

"Ernest was a better hunter and a better shot... But almost every time, I shot something bigger. It was just a freak," Thompson said.

Thompson's wife, Lorraine, said Hemingway

often stopped for visits after he left his home in Key West for one in Cuba. But in 1960, something didn't seem right.

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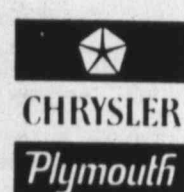
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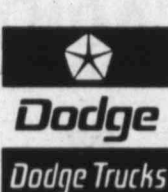


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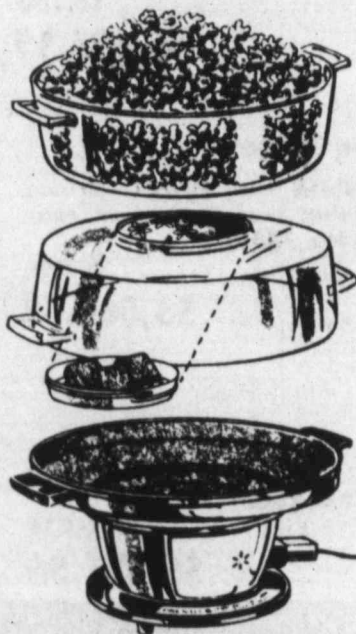
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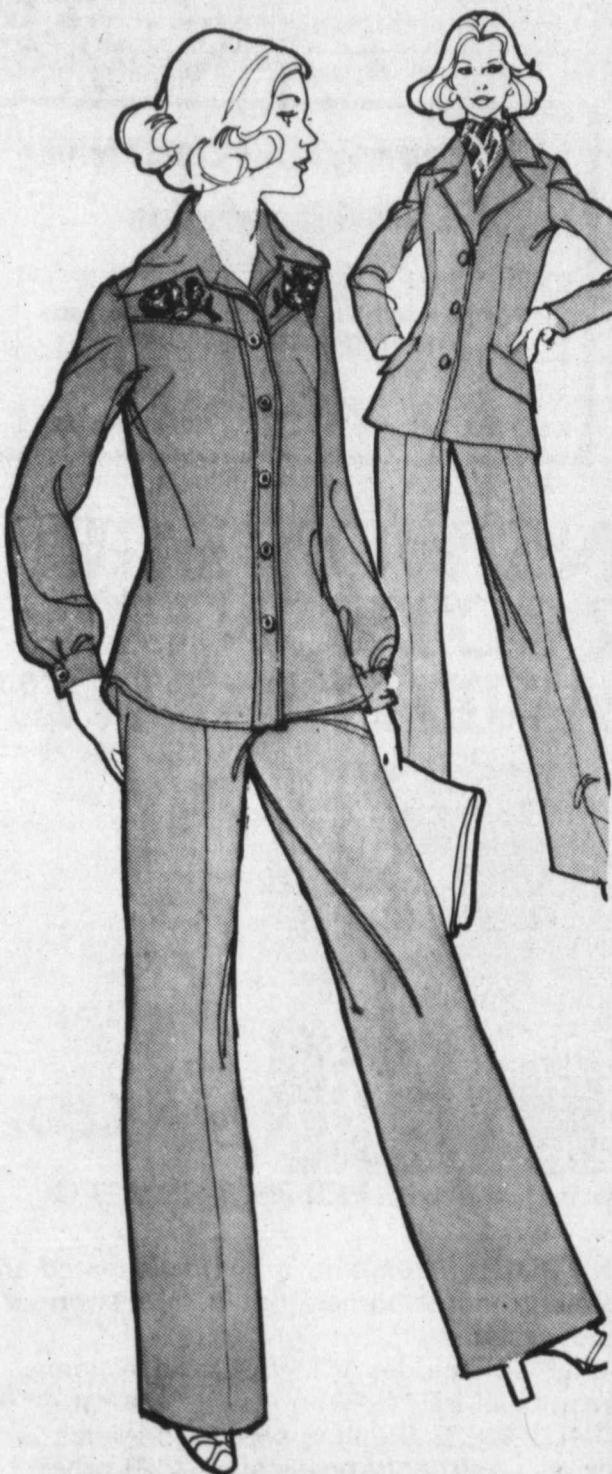
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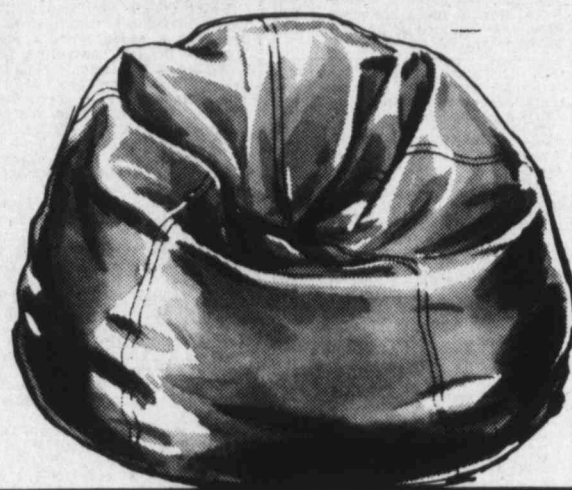
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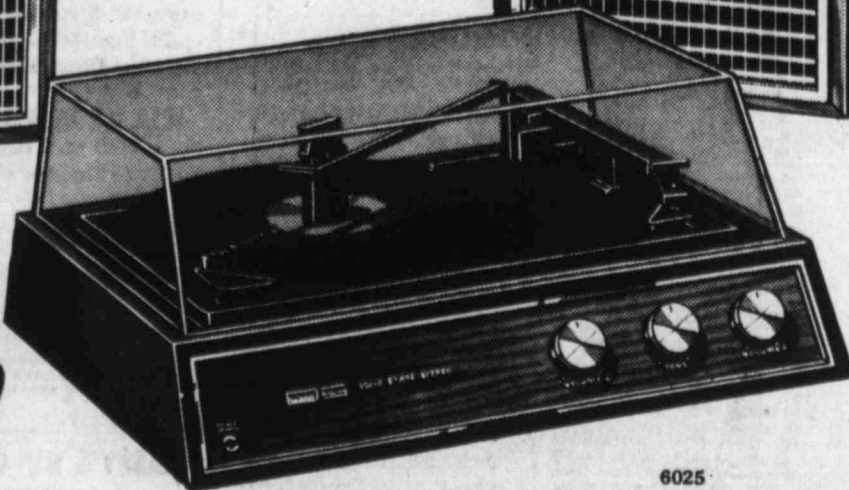
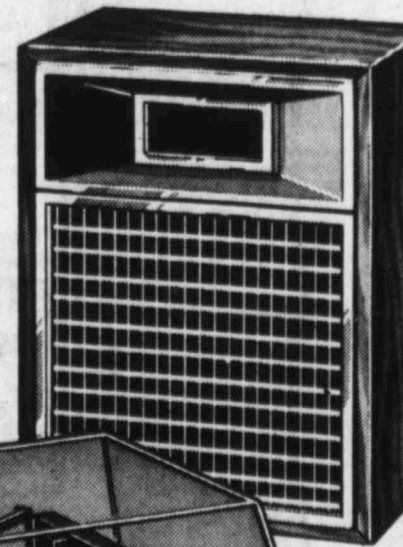
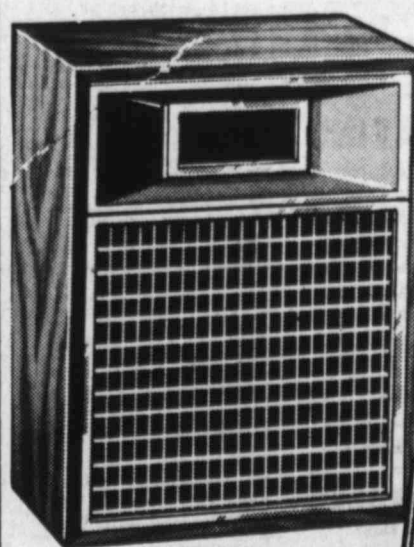
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