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High Court Suit Won By Negro Homeowners

Recreation Facilities Ban Removed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court ruled 5 to 3 today that Negro homeowners may not be barred from recreation facilities open to their white neighbors.

Their right, said Justice William O. Douglas, stems from an 1866 civil rights law and if they are denied access they may sue in state or federal courts.

The decision does not cover private social clubs.

Rather, it covers swimming pools and other facilities shared by families that own homes in a particular suburban area.

The ruling was given in a case from suburban Fairfax County, Va., where a Negro family was denied use of a subdivision's recreation facility, Little Hunt Park.

The operators maintained the park and swimming pool were private and Negroes did not have legal right of entry. The Negro family and the white family which leased the home to the Negroes sued for damages but lost in Virginia courts.

Douglas said the court majority could find nothing to support the idea that Little Hunting Park was a private social club. "There was no plan or purpose of exclusiveness," he said. "It is open to every white person within the geographic area, there being no selective element other than race."

He added: "What we have here is a device functionally comparable to a racially restrictive convenant."

The decision was an extension of the court's ruling in June, 1968, that the 1866 law forbid raciaal discrimination in the sale or rental of all housing, private as well as public.

Douglas said transfer of the white family's share in Little Hunting Park went along with lease of the home.

TORRIJOS OUSTED
'Cool' Coup Takes Place In Panama

PANAMA (AP) — Brig. Gen. Omar Torrijos was ousted as Panama's top leader today while he was in Mexico City to attend a horse race.

An announcement by the military junta said Torrijos was removed as chief of the National Guard, the nation's only military force. It was from this post that Torrijos ran the country.

He was a coleader of a coup that ousted President Arnolfo Arias on Oct. 11, 1968, after he had served 11 days.

The junta's announcement indicated Torrijos' ouster was carried out by men who served in the No. 1 and No. 2 posts under him.

They are Col. Ramiro Silvera, who took over the National Guard command, and Col. Amado Sanjur, who became deputy commander. Silvera had been deputy commander and Sanjur the chief of staff.

A junta communique announcing the changeovers said that "neither personalities nor the exultations of the personality of officials have any place in the revolutionary regime."

The communique also said that "order prevails throughout the national territory and is being maintained and assured by the National Guard."

Torrijos had traveled to Mexico City over the weekend to attend the running of the Carribbean Cassic at the Hipodromo de las Americas.

Torrijos could not be reached for comment in Mexico City.

U.S. sources in Washington said they expected the junta to remain in power without Torrijos. They added that Sanjur is "civilian-minded" and his move into the junta leadership could be a step toward return to constitutional rule in Panama.

Militiamen Find Enemy Arms Cache

SAIGON (AP) — The Saigon government today claimed control over 92.5 per cent of South Vietnam's population. It was the highest percentage in the history of the Vietnam war but only one half of one per cent more than the claim last month.

The monthly report of the government's pacification program said that on Nov. 30 16.1 million of the estimated 17.5 million population were living under government control, 492,000 (or 2.8 per cent) were under Viet Cong control and 822,000 (4.7 per cent) were in contested areas, those where neither the government nor the Viet Cong is considered to have decisive control.

At the start of the year, the government claimed control over 13.8 million of the population, then estimated at 17 million. The extent of government control has expanded steadily since that time, according to the government figures.

On the battlefields, South Vietnamese troops reported killing 40 enemy soldiers with the help of artillery and bombers in a day of scattered fighting Sunday in the U Minh Forest in the Southern Mekong Delta. No South Vietnamese casualties were reported.

Other allied forces reported killing 216 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong in 17 other fights during the past 24 hours, most of them in the Mekong Delta and the provinces around Saigon. The U.S. Command said three Americans were killed and 17 wounded. Field reports put South Vietnamese losses at 17 killed and 46 wounded.

South Vietnamese headquarters reported that militiamen uncovered a big enemy arms cache that included 320 rifles and five antiaircraft machine guns 27 miles northwest of Saigon. Three soldiers guarding the stockpile were killed in a brief firefight, and three government troops were reported wounded.

American troops from the 1st Air Cavalry Division uncovered a four-ton North Vietnamese munitions stockpile during a sweep through the jungle eight miles from the Cambodian border and 83 miles northeast of Saigon. The find included 50 Chinese submachine guns, 11 rifles, two light machine guns, one flamethrower, 86,640 rounds of small arms ammunition, 449 mortar shells, and 269 rocket grenades.

$80 Million Enlargement At U.N. Due

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The U.N. Assembly's Budgetary Committee was expected to approve a resolution today authorizing an $80 million enlargement of U.N. headquarters so it can accommodate all employes working in New York.

The resolution also asked Secretury-General U Thant to look for potential locations for U.N. units other than New York and Geneva.

It urged the United States to examine "those conditions which adversely affect the delegations and staff of the United Nations in New York and to consider taking all necessary measures to alleviate the effect of such conditions."

Arab, African and Communist delegates had complained of high prices, housing problems, air pollution, crime, pornography and Zionist demonstrations in New York. They urged that the world organization decentralize.

The architects' plans for the enlargement call for lengthening part of the present headquarters 40 feet, erecting a new eight-story building in a park to the south across 42nd Street, and connecting the two by a bridge.

The city of New York will donate the one-acre park, valued at $12 million, and a new three-acre park will be laid out on a platformm five blocks long that will extend 80 feet out over the East River.

Thant says if he can start the project Jan. 1, it will be finished by the end of 1973.

Of the $80 million total, the United Nations is to pay $25 million, the United States and the city of New York $20 million each and the U.N. Development Program and the U.N. Children's Fund about $9 million. The rest will be sought from foundations.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

SEES PROGRESS IN U.S. PEACE GOAL — American industrialist Cyrus Eaton is shown speaking at the Hong Kong Foreign Correspondents Club today where he told of his eight days of meetings with North Vietnamese leaders in Hanoi. Eaton said he believes he made "some progress" toward convincing the North Vietnamese " that President Nixon and his administration seek peace and do not want to continue the war."

Nixon To Further Explain U.S. Troop Withdrawals

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon is expected to announce a third round of U.S. troop withdrawals from Vietnam when he speaks to the nation tonight in an updated report on his efforts to end the war.

The White House said the brief speech, to be carried live by network television and radio at 6 p.m. EST, will be an extension of the President's Nov. 3 nationwide address in which he outlined his plans for bringing the fighting to a close.

Nixon had said during his last news conference a week ago today he would announce another American troop pullout from the war zone by Christmas.

NO ESTIMATE

Nixon made no estimate then of the number of U.S. troops to come out of Vietnam and the White House in announcing this latest speech did not mention any figures, but widespread speculation has placed the total at 30,000 to 40,000.

So far, the administration has pulled out about 63,000 troops from the war zone, which means some 40,000 more must be withdrawn if Nixon is to meet the 100,000-man reduction goal he has set for this year.

Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird also declined Sunday to disclose how many troops might come out in the next round of withdrawals, but he said the situation is encouraging regarding South Vietnam's ability to take over more of the fighting.

Laird acknowledged little if any movement at Paris and he said there has been an increase of North Vietnamese infiltration into the South recently.

'CORNERSTONE'

But, the Pentagon chief said, "we have had great success this year" in the Vietnamization of the war, which he described as the "cornerstone" of administration policy in the war.

The secretary also said as of today the U.S. troop ceiling in the war zone is 484,000 men, a reduction of 63,500 troops since the administration took office nearly a year ago.

Laird spoke on "Issues and Answers," an ABC television-radio interview program.

Nixon's 100,000-man goal was stated during a news conference earlier in the year after former Johnson administration Defense Secretary Clark Clifford had said that that many troops should be withdrawn by the end of 1969.

Nixon told the news conference he hoped to exceed Clifford's goal.

Apollo 13 Rolls To Pad

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — Man's third voyage to the moon began at a crawl here today as technicians rolled out the Apollo 13 rocket and space craft.

The huge vehicle inched out of an assembly building at 5:50 a.m., EST, for the 3½ mile trip to the launch pad where it is scheduled to blast off in March.

Carried on a crawler transporter with tank-like treads at about one m.p.h., the rocket was expected to reach the pad in something over six hours. There will be frequent stops for technical checkups.

Three astronauts will ride the space craft off the launch pad March 12 on America's third attempted lunar landing expedition. The crew will be Navy Capt. James Lovell, Navy Lt. Cmdr. Thomas Mattingly and Fred Haise, a civilian.

Integration Hassle At Lamesa Schools

LAMESA, Tex. (AP) — Two leaders of a group that claims the Lamesa schools have not complied with government requirements for integration said they will meet with the school district Board of Directors tonight to discuss their demands before taking possible legal action.

The Rev. Patrick Hoffman, president of predominantly Mexican-American elementary school parent-teachers association, and Miss Pauline Jacobo, state president of the Citizens for Social Justice, requested the meeting.

Father Hoffman, pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe Roman Catholic Church and president of the V. Z. Rogers Elementary School PTA, and Miss Jacobo said that the Department of Health, Education and Welfare had approved the school district's plan for desegregation and had ordered its implementation by September, 1968.

School Supt. Alvin Cannady said the date for carrying out the plan is fall of the 1970-71 school term.

He said a building program to build the Lamesa Middle School as part of the HEW-approved plan is in progress.

The school under construction is to replace Lamesa Junior High.

Cannady said an HEW rpere-sentative visited the school district two months ago and indicated "everything was in good order," and the representative added that if it wasn't, the district would hear about it.

"And we haven't hard," Cannady said.

"This district has been building just as fast as we possibly could," Cannady said.



Second Set Of Sextuplets

LONDON (AP) — The five surviving babies from the second set of sextuplets recorded in Britain have "a better than 50 per cent chance of survival," one of their doctors said today.

Rosemary Letts, 23-year-old wife of a computer engineer, was delivered by Caesarean section of five girls and a boy early today, but one of the girls was stillborn.

Mrs. Letts had been treated with a fertility drug.

"They're lovely, really lovely, every one of them," said Mrs. Letts' husband, John, 25, as he looked at the five babies in their incubators. "I can't believe it's all over."

The couple was married in 1966.

Seven Perish In Bus Wreck

GAP, Pa. (AP) — A bus carrying 40 Eastern Star lodge members and guests with Christmas gifts for residents of a home for the aged skidded on a snowy highway Sunday, hit a power pole and toppled on its side in a field, killing seven and injuring 34.

The dead, all women, were from the Philadelphia area.

UF Contacts Begin

About 20 United Fund workers picked up cards today, for fresh contacts in the effort to help the annual campaign reach its $110,000 goal.

The drive is only $6.000 shy, and Victory Day has been set for Thursday, when residents will be asked to give $1, to be divided among 15 agencies, and help put the campaign over the top. Contributions can be mailed, taken by the office, or residents may call in and a worker will be dispatched to pick up the gift.

Opponents Of Gas Increase Testify

AUSTIN (AP) — Opponents of a proposed "gate rate" gas price increase by Pioneer Gas Co., which serves 61 West Texas cities, began testimony at a Railroad Commission hearing today.

Pioneer wants the rate boosted from 28 to 35.33 cents per 1,000 cubic feet. The firm said it costs 20 per cent more to buy gas from suppliers than it did in 1962.

Any increase granted by the commission must also be approved by individual city councils before it can take effect in the cities served by Pioneer.

The hearing was recessed from Nov. 24 until today at the request of opponents of the increase.

In Today's HERALD

Tax Conferees

Two major moves to resolve conflicts over the massive tax reform legislation confront a House-Senate conference committee starting work today in hopes of completing action before Christmas. See Page 4-A.

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COOL NIGHTS

Clear to partly cloudy through Tuesday. Mild days and cool nights. Mostly southerly winds 5-15 mph. High today low 70's, low tonight mid 30's, high tomorrow near 70.

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On The House For Veterans

PHOENIX, Ariz (AP) — Everything is on the house for 36 Vietnam war veterans who are guests of the Camelback Inn in its fifth annual "Christmas out of the Foxhole" celebration.

The men started their stay with breakfast in bed Sunday.

Before the week is out they will be guests at steak fries, swimming, golf, surfing and a community banquet with half the proceeds going into a Christmas shopping fund for them.

The men were flown here from Vietnam in a National Guard plane.

Their Vietnam tours have been completed and they are en route to discharge or reassignment.

CLASSES AID CHEER FUND

Sunday School classes, a couple of youngsters and adult friends joined over the weekend to help boost the Christmas Cheer Fund to more than $600.

This fund finances repair of toys done voluntarily by city firemen, and helps see to it that all needy children are remembered at Christmas. If it has any reserve, it will stand by to help families in distress at any time.

The appeal will be closing next week, so there's not much more time. You are invited to have a part, no matter the size of your gift.

Make your check to CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND and send to The Herald for acknowledgment.

Thanks to these good friends:

Mary Martha Class, Wesley Methodist	$16.50
Elizabeth McDowell Class, First Presbyterian	25.00
Christopher Class, First Christian Church	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bair	10.00
Rev. S. C. Guthrie	5.00
Suzie and Cindy Brasher, Ackerly	2.00
Previously acknowledged	$585.00
TOTAL TODAY	$637.50

CLOUDED BY MISUSE OF MONEY, BLUNDERING

Answer To Educational Needs

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government's multibillion-dollar answer to the educational needs of America's disadvantaged children is at a critical crossroads, its future clouded by evidence of blundering management and misuse of funds.

Title I, the heart of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, established a national goal of equalizing educational opportunities for all children by compensating for the disadvantages suffered by those who grow up in impoverished communities.

$4 BILLION

To this end, more than $4 billion has been appropriated over the past four years, including $1.2 billion in fiscal 1969.

Yet Title I has not worked out, so far, as its sponsors intended.

According to audit reports, money has been spent in the wrong places and in many instances has not reached the impoverished children who need it most.

Commissioner of Education James E. Allen Jr. recently appointed a special task force to take a hard look at the program.

Allen formed the study group after government auditors said they had come across cases like these:

—$16,000 in Title I funds went for a sewage disposal plant in Attala County, Miss.

—In three Georgia school districts — Gwinnett, Bibb and Muscogee counties—$870,000 was used to set up curriculum centers and a reading clinic to serve all schools, regardless of whether they were Title I targets.

—Detroit overcharged Title I by $1.3 million in one year for overhead costs which would have been incurred even if the district had not been participating in the program.

—In Fresno County, Calif., several school districts used $930,000 in Title I funds to construct, equip and operate a countrywide instructional television station designed for all children, including those not under the Title I program.

—In Milwaukee, Wis., $21,605 went for salaries of non-Title I school personnel. And in New Jersey, $44,000 was used to pay employes who devoted less than full time to Title I activities.

—Title I money paid part of the rent on a building housing administrative offices of a school district in Cairo, Ill.

NEW BUILDINGS

Title I funds went for construction of new buildings and equipment—including lawnmowers and janitorial supplies, the NAACP study said, and had been used to construct facilities such as swimming pools in deliberate attempts to sustain segregation.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

COOL PILOT—Rick Snyder, 11, St. Paul, Minn., poses alongside a basket he rode in on a three-mile balloon flight Sunday. The balloon broke tether, sending Rick into snowy skies. He knew how to guide it by adjusting propane burden and came down to a wet but safe landing in the Minnesota River. The balloon was displayed at halftime of the Minnesota-San Francisco pro football game.

'I'll Probably Go Up Again'

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. (AP) — Rick Snyder, the 11-year-old boy who rode a runaway balloon three miles to an icy bath in the Minnesota River, says "I wasn't scared, I was just thinking real hard about how I was going to get down."

Rick, a sixth grader, was swept aloft Sunday during halftime of a National Football League game between the Minnesota Vikings and the San Francisco 49ers.

Some 43,000 spectators watched as the 25-foot hot-air balloon broke its tether and soared into the snowy sky, barely missing a light tower at Metropolitan Stadium.

The ride ended three miles away, in the frigid waters of the Minnesota River.

"I was pretty high," Rick said, "I'd say about 1,000 feet. I was in the clouds part of the time."

Rick said he understood the operation of the balloon well enough to turn off the propane burner which heated the air inside it. But he said he picked the wrong time to do it.

"I saw I was going to come down in the river," he said "but there wasn't anything I could do about it. I turned the burner back on again, but it was too late. The balloon just sort of dragged into the river and I got out. Then the balloon drifted on and took off again."

Rick said he had to swim about 25 feet to shore in water over his head but had no difficulty.

The youth was picked up by a passing motorist and returned to the stadium in time for the end of the game, which Minnesota won 10-7. He had dried his clothes in a Vikings dressing room dryer.

The balloon was featured in a halftime show to promote the St. Paul Winter Carnival in January.

Rick's mother, Mrs. D. L. Snyder of St. Paul, had been in the balloon's gondola. She stepped out, expecting the balloon to rise to the end of its 200-foot tether. But the line snapped, and the red-and-white-stiped balloon rose quickly and was lost to sight.

Rick, whose parents are amateur balloonists, said he has been aloft before — but always at the end of a rope.

He said the experience hasn't dampened his enthusiasm for riding in balloons.

"I'll probably go up again," he said, "but it may not be for awhile now."

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Book Penned On Lurlene Wallace

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — The first copy of a book about the life of the late Gov. Lurleen Wallace has been given to her husband, former Gov. George C. Wallace.

Jack House, a former press secretary for both Wallaces, wrote the volume, called "Lady of Courage."

ZIP Coded Mail Moves

Postmaster Frank Hardesty is urging residents to mail as early as possible as the Post Office is getting busy. Big Spring's Post Office will process more than three million pieces of mail and parcels weighing more than 200 thousand pounds during the Christmas season, said Postmaster Hardesty.

"Since a piece of mail not ZIP coded may be handled as many as 10 or 12 times from deposit in the corner mail box until delivery, and ZIP coded mail is handled half that," he said, "the number of individual actions required by the postal service during this season is astronomical."

ZIP codes were developed to simplify mail handling, to cut out several hand separations, to ship mail by a more direct route and to save money. Hardesty reminds patrons that the use of free "local" and "out of town" mail separation bands are available at the Post Office and will help move the mail faster.

AT LEAST 24 KILLED IN TRAFFIC MISHAPS

Weekend Violence Claims 35 Lives

By The Associated Press

Violence in Texas over the weekend claimed 35 lives, 24 of them in traffic accidents.

Five persons were shot to death, two were electrocuted and one man died in a freak accident at Dallas Love Field where he backed into the whirling propeller of an airplane.

The Associated Press count began at 6 p.m. Friday and ended at midnight Sunday.

Two 13-year-old boys were electrocuted at Pearsall Sunday, apparently while trying to shake a rabbit from an irrigation pipe. Dead were Johnny Edwards and Kelly Morris. Officers said the pipe contacted an electric line overhead.

STABBED TO DEATH

A telephone operator at Houston was stabbed to death in a downtown parking lot. She was identified as Mrs. Diane Lee Jackson, 25. Officers sought her assailant.

Horace Butler, 39, died of gunshot wounds Sunday in San Antonio.

A two-car crash at an El Paso intersection Saturday killed Mrs. Sharon F. Hale, 22, of El Paso.

Separate accidents at Mt. Vernon, McKinney and near Sweetwater each killed three persons.

Killed in a two-car crash at the intersection of two farm roads 15 miles south of Sweetwater were Mrs. Zuellar Jones, 72, Miss Ada Hurley, 72, and her sister, Miss Susie Pearl Hurley, 76, all of San Angelo.

Separate one-car accidents at Mt. Vernon and McKinney killed three persons each.

MYSTERY WOMAN

Dead after the McKinney accident on Texas 24 were Terry Lynn Parker, 18, Henry H. Walker, 18, and Floyd Ray O'Neal, 17, all of McKinney.

The Mt. Vernon wreck killed Odell Moore, of Mt. Vernon, and P. J. Cheatum and P. J. Cheatum Jr., 20, of Memphis, Tex. Officers said the crash occurred on an Interstate 30 service road.

Kenneth Irvin Cook, 21, of Houston was shot to death by an off-duty policeman in Houston Saturday. Police said the shooting occurred during an attempted burglary at a drive-in grocery.

Jose Valdez Jr., 24, of Amarillo, died Saturday when he was struck by a car on an Amarillo street.

James R. Nalepa, 3, of Dickinson, died Sunday of injuries received Saturday when a car rolled over him.

Andrew Garcia, 17, of Leming, died in a two-car crash Saturday on U.S. 181.

The body of an unidentified woman was found Sunday at a Houston service station. Police began an investigation.

SHOT, KILLED

Vivian Gail Dugan, 13, of Huntington, died in a shooting accident there.

A Marshall man, Billy Hue Henderson, 30, died in an auto crash later Friday night on a farm road just south of Marshall. Henderson's car and one driven by Leo McCray, 25, of Marshall were both demolished in the collision. McCray was taken to a Marshall hospital in serious condition. His wife and three persons riding with Henderson were less seriously injured.

Patricia Morales, 61, was shot and killed at a Houston residence shortly after midnight Friday in a fight which officers said involved several persons. A suspect, who was himself stabbed several times, was being held for questioning.

Pedro Polanco, 65, of Victoria was killed Friday night when his pickup truck and two cars collided at a Victoria intersection. Officers said Polanco's vehicle struck a tree after the initial collision.

NEAR ANDREWS

A San Antonio woman was killed and a Hondo man injured Saturday morning when their car failed to negotiate a curve entering Hondo, flipped and threw both out. Killed was Connie Dereieux, 26. The 21-year-old driver suffered only minor injuries.

A Dallas employe of an air freight company was killed Saturday as he stepped into the churning propeller of an airplane at Love Field. Investigators said the motor had been killed but the propeller was still turning when Donald S. Chastai 21, backed into it.

Ralph B. Hooper, 43, of Hobbs, N.M., was killed Friday night when his automobile and a truck collided head-on near the West Texas city of Andrews. The Texas Highway Patrol reported that Hooper was driving west in an eastbound traffic lane without lights when his car and the heavier vehicle collided on Texas 176. The driver of the truck was not seriously injured.

DEATH PLUNGE

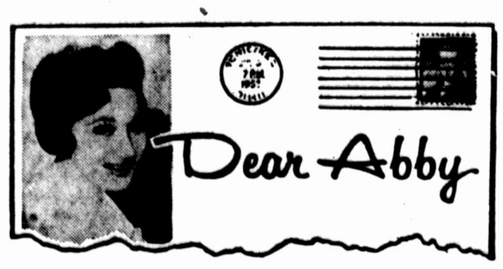
Mrs. Emma Fish, 37, was killed Saturday when she fell from the top of a seven-story parking garage adjacent to the high - rise Houston apartment building where she lived. A resident of the apartment building said Mrs. Fisk was looking through a pair of binoculars when she plunged to the concrete sidewalk below.

William Eugene Johnson, 24, of Kirbyville was killed early Saturday when his car ran off U.S. 96 and hit a gasoline storage tank.

Mrs. Shirley Hopkins, 45, of Austin was fatally injured Saturday and two other persons less seriously hurt in a two-car collision on an Austin city street.

Ted Lucas, 63, of Austin was killed in a three-car smashup Saturday on U.S. 71 about 20 miles west of Austin. His wife and another passenger were injured, but not seriously.

An infant and an elderly woman were killed Saturday in the collision of two automobiles about a half mile north of Canyon.



DEAR ABBY: Please rush me 10 "DO'S AND DON'TS" on how to get my husband back. He hasn't actually left me, he's just not here. I am 26 and Harold is 28 and he hasn't even held my hand since last June.

We have two adorable children. We had planned to have four, but if I'm going to have any more, I will have to look into artificial insemination. I've been complaining about this for a long time. Harold says he's "Tired." (But he's not too tired to play 36 holes of golf every Sunday!)

Then it suddenly hit me. I guess I just don't appeal to him anymore. I don't know why. I'm the same girl he chased all over the campus at Nebraska U. back in 1963. I haven't let myself go to seed and I know there's nobody else. I just hate to be the aggressor, but if I wait for Harold to make the first move nothing will ever happen. Besides, I have my pride. So please be a pal, Abby, and send me those 10 "DO'S AND DON'TS" on how to get my husband back. Thank you.

LOST HAROLD

DEAR LOST: I wish there were 10 "Do's and Don'ts" on how to revive a marriage, but there aren't. Every marriage is different. (And so is every "Harold.")

Face your problem squarely and tell it to Harold! Don't play a waiting game, and forget your pride. Harold obviously has a problem. It could be physical. Or emotional. In any case he has cooled off far too much for a young man who is still on the sunny side of 30.

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DEAR ABBY: I am a freshman in college. My boyfriend of three weeks invited me to spend a four-day ski-holiday with him during the Christmas break. He is a senior and a very nice guy.

My parents will be on a trip during that time, and I will be caring for my eight-year-old brother. Do you think it would be all right if I were to ask my boyfriend if I might take my little brother along? My boyfriend has already rented a chalet in the mountains, and I'm afraid if I don't go with him he might ask someone else. I like this boy a lot and don't want to lose him.

SOUTHERN CAL

DEAR SOUTHERN: Why not? Maybe your boyfriend has a little sister he'd like to bring along.

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DEAR ABBY: Your column in which you sounded a note of warning to those who could be having a "treat" instead of a treatment interested me.

Unfortunately, some properly licensed and presumably "ethical" therapists, both medical and otherwise, are now engaging in a wide range of body contact intimacies in the name of "sensitivity training" and other euphemisms.

I am aware that you must remain neutral with respect to your comments on techniques in the professions, but when you advised parents and responsible family members to use a little common sense and investigate any suspicious "treatment," I couldn't agree with you more.

If more people insisted on more information from doctors, psychiatrists, psychologists and others in the allied professions, "treatment" would cease to be a mysterious ritual, and could be much better understood by everyone. VIRGINIA JOHNSON, CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST

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DEAR ABBY: This is in response to SPOOK, who hated his October 31st birthday, and whose Patron Saint was "WOLFGANG." He ought to feel lucky. I have two children (13 years and eight years old) and they were both born on Halloween. And as if that wasn't bad enough, our name is FRANKENSTEIN.

Very truly yours,
MRS. P. FRANKENSTEIN,
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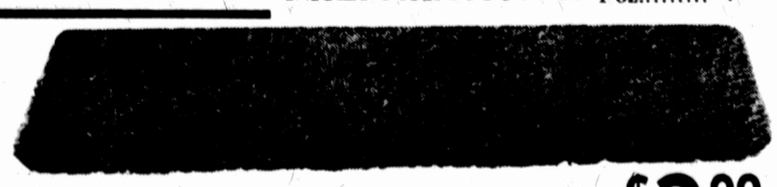
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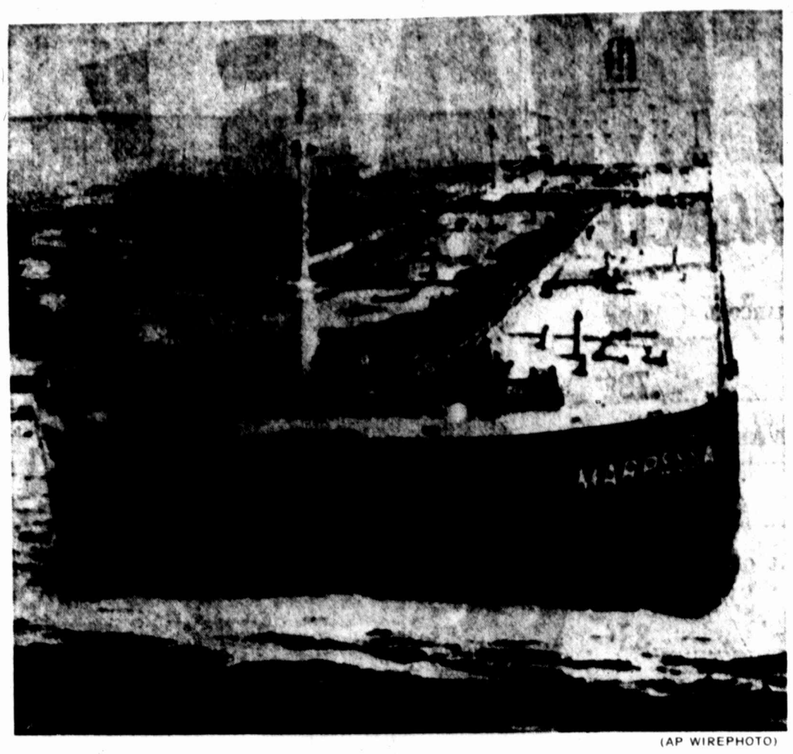
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DRAWING OF SUNK TANKER—This is an artist's drawing of the 207,000-ton tanker, Marpezza, which sank early today off the coast of West Africa on the second leg of her maiden voyage. The crew had been removed to another tanker Saturday.

Dutch Supertanker Sinks Off West African Coast

ROTTERDAM (AP) — The 207,000-ton Dutch supertanker Marpessa became the biggest ship ever sunk when she went down early today off the West African coast.

The Marpessa, owned by Royal Dutch Shell, was ripped by an explosion and fire last Friday. The crewmen put out the blaze, but water poured into the engine room and the tanker began to sink stern first. Ocean tugs tried to save her, but the ship sank 50 miles northwest of Dakar.

Two crewmen were injured in the explosion and two were reported missing. The survivors were taken aboard the British tanker Serenia Saturday. It was not known what caused the explosion.

The ship sank while en route to the Persian Gulf after delivering her first cargo of crude oil in Rotterdam. The Marpessa was built in Japan and delivered to Shell on Sept. 30. Because her cargo tanks were empty, the sinking did not raise a pollution problem.

Although the $13 million Marpessa was the biggest ship ever sunk, her sinking was not the most costly in maritime history. The loss in the wreck of the 118,285-ton tanker Torrey Canyon, off southwest England in March, 1968, totaled more than $25 million. This included $18 million for the ship and her cargo of 120,000 tons of crude oil and $7.2 million which the owners paid Britain and France for pollution damages.

Lloyds said the Marpessa was insured for a total of $15.6 million, and that $10.8 million was underwritten by the London market. The balance probably was spread around New York and other markets, and some may have been underwritten by Shell, a spokesman said.

Actor Is Fed Up With James Bond

LONDON (AP) — George Lazenby, the second actor to play superspy James Bond in movies, is reported so fed up with the role he won't attend the world premier next week of his film "On Her Majesty's Secret Service."

Lazenby, who has grown a beard and long hair and donned hippie-like clothes since making the film, said: "Bond is a brute. I've already put him behind me. I will never play him again. Peace man — that's the message now."

Gleason's Former Girl Will Marry

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Honey Merrill, Jackie Gleason's former girl friend, and singer Dick Roman say they plan to marry next Sunday at the Harolds Club casino, where he is performing.

Miss Merrill, a one time showgirl, worked on Gleason's television show before becoming his executive secretary and companion some years ago. She and the comedian split up last summer.

Lucky Break

PRINCETON, Ky. (AP) — Eldon Young looked under his house and decided it was a job for the Army.

Young saw something that looked like a bomb. A crew sent from Fort Campbell said it was a 105-millimeter howitzer flare shell, the kind used in World War II. The shell had been fired apparently but did not go off.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Weirs
5 Sweeten
10 Fruit stones
14 Bright-hued fish
15 Vanity
16 Like grapes
17 Gala affair
18 Like a bitter pill: 3 words
20 Volition: 2 words
22 Did household job
23 Pots and —
24 Curtain color
25 Palm inflorescence
28 Productive
32 Implied
33 Ambitions
34 — — nutshell
35 Above
36 Throb
37 Sand
38 Knight's title
39 Vestment
40 Greek island
41 Commemorative
43 Roadmaking machine
44 Peddle
45 Nail
46 Trace
49 Desirable
53 Saving: 2 words
55 Charles Lamb
56 Seed part
57 Net
58 Convent dwellers
59 Numerous
60 Party givers
61 Small card

DOWN

1 Remove
2 Mimic
3 Companion
4 Disinfectant for farm use: compound
5 Inscrutable one
6 Russian mountains
7 Maiden
8 Say further
9 Drawstring bag
10 Extinguish: 2 words
11 Russian name
12 Adopt
13 Vehicle
19 Perfume base
21 Delay
24 Wipe out
25 Store away
26 Courtyard
27 Oak product
28 Lack of good sense
29 Discharged
30 Join
31 Subsequently
33 Watchman
36 Frolicsome
37 Road slope
39 Mountain nymph
40 Rocky point
42 Too
43 Complains
45 Stubby
46 Bogus
47 African hartebeest
48 Shower
49 Sponsorship
50 Dim effect
51 Row
52 — as pie
54 Prefix; new

Puzzle of Saturday, Dec. 13, Solved



Horoscope

TOMORROW

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GENERAL TENDENCIES: You are eager to make all kinds of changes. You will seek new outlets by which to express yourself. But go slowly. Prepare yourself first. It's rather a time to study and to think out new ways to achieve your most cherished longings without taking action just yet.

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Use those good ideas you have to get the right results with person you want as backers. Show that you have discretion, though. Doublecheck everything that you do, say. Don't take any chnces.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You are wondering if your system is right for achieving personal aims, so think about it before you take any action. Get busy clearing up odd jobs that prevent your being as efficient as you want to be in other ways. Be clever, not lazy.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Your good friends give fine ideas, but first learn their methods where people like to argue too much. Trouble is something to be avoided right now, especially.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) You have the right ideas how to gain specific goals and can then also use them with or for bigwigs — you win both ways. Improve your credit. Be sure you pay bills on time.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You want to get started on some complicated matter, but it would be better to study every angle first. You are once more inspired how to reach your finest goals. Keep busy while the mental ball is rolling nicely.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Forget about going off on some tangent and get those responsibilities behind you quickly and conscientiously. Loved one may be rather difficult, but take it in your stride. He, or she, may not be feeling quite right.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You may think differently from associates but if you try to force your own views there could be a serious severance of connections. Avoid this, take care of that public affair that is a nuisance.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) All that work ahead of you should be handled in the most orthodox fashion or you could get into a state of confusion. Gain cooperation of co-workers. Get into fine detail and make a big impression on higher-ups.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Be discreet in gaining the favors of a charming person you like, or you lose out and others do not respect you. Steer clear of those who are unreliable and you avoid complications.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Stop trying to involve family in some schemes you have in mind. Factually, you should give them up yourself. Listen instead to what they have to suggest. Follow right thoughts, actions.

AQARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Forget those ideas you have which you want to impose on associates, or you lose their respect. It is important that you show you are conventional and reliable. Show idealism, also.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to March 20) Think objectively and in faith, and you are able to handle that worrisome fanancial matter. Listen to what a trusted adviser has to suggest. Don't take big chances with phony risks.

Two Big Moves To Resolve Conflicts Over Tax Bill

WASHINGHON (AP) — Two major moves to resolve the House-Senate conflicts over massive tax reform legislation confronted Congress today as efforts began to reach a compromise before Christmas.

Sen. Albert Gore, D-Tenn., said Sunday the Treasury Department had prepared an alternative plan for increasing the personal income tax exemption and would offer it to the conference committee on tax reform.

The House scheduled a vote on a separate bill increasing Social Security benefits by 15 per cent. The Senate tacked on these benefits in a rider to its tax reform bill but went further, boosting the minimum monthly payment from $55 to $100.

The center of action this week is the conference committee, where moves are expected to scale down the new Social Security benefits and tax slashes the Senate added during floor debate.

One of the biggest issues of about 100 substantial differences will be whether to grant tax relief to the nation's 70 million taxpayers through a cut in rates, as voted by the House, or by an increase in the exemption from $600 to $800, as voted by the Senate.

Many leaders expect the conference will hammer out a combination of increased personal exemptions and tax rate reductions to begin after 1970.

President Nixon promised to veto the measure if it contains the costly Social Security and tax exemption provisions written in the Senate.

Gore, a conference committee member who led the Senate fight to increase the income tax exemption, said he had learned the Treasury would offer its plan on behalf of the Nixon administration.

Lawmakers were uncertain whether Nixon objected to the increase in the exemption or the fact that Gore's amendment would make it effective next year and in 1971, thus putting an almost immediate strain on the Treasury.

The conferees also had scheduled the issue of taxing private foundations for consideration.

The House voted a 7½ per cent tax on the income of such foundations but the Senate came up with a lower levy on the assets of the foundations as a fee to pay the cost of administering regulation or foundation activities.

Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., chairman of the conference committee, said it will push hard for final disposition of the bill before the hoped-for pre-Christmas adjournment. Mills added, however, he could not guarantee success.

No Rain Forecast

By The Associated Press

Only patches of low clouds in the South and a little fog on the coast marred otherwise clear skies as today dawned.

The scattered low hanging clouds drifting over portions of South Texas, and fog along the Coastal Plains and portions of East Texas were expected to dissipate later.

Temperatures at an early morning hour ranged from the 30s over the Panhandle and Northwest Texas to the 60s along the Gulf Coast. Temperatures were expected to remain mild over most of the state, but turning colder in northern portions.

No precipitation was forecast for any section of the state.

District Case Load Is Up

The monthly report for November was issued from 118th District Court Friday, and shows a total of 1,338 cases pending on the docket. There were 61 new cases filed in November and judgment was reached in 44 cases.

Of the total case figures, 23 are for personal injury, 33 are for wokman's compensation, 209 are for divorce, one is an annulment, five are for delinquent children, 263 are tax cases, 605 are other civil cases, and 199 are criminal cases.

Cases taken care of during November include five for personal injury, 18 divorces, one a delinquent child, 17 other civil cases, and three criminal.

Dancer Loses Her Cobra Act

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Pauline Tatum, entertainer at a hotel in suburban El Segundo, is minus part of her dance act, a four-foot hooded cobra.

The City Animal Regulation Department seized the serpent Friday, saying there is no provision in the municipal code for possessing of a poisonous reptile. Miss Tatum told newsmen the reptile was defanged and harmless.



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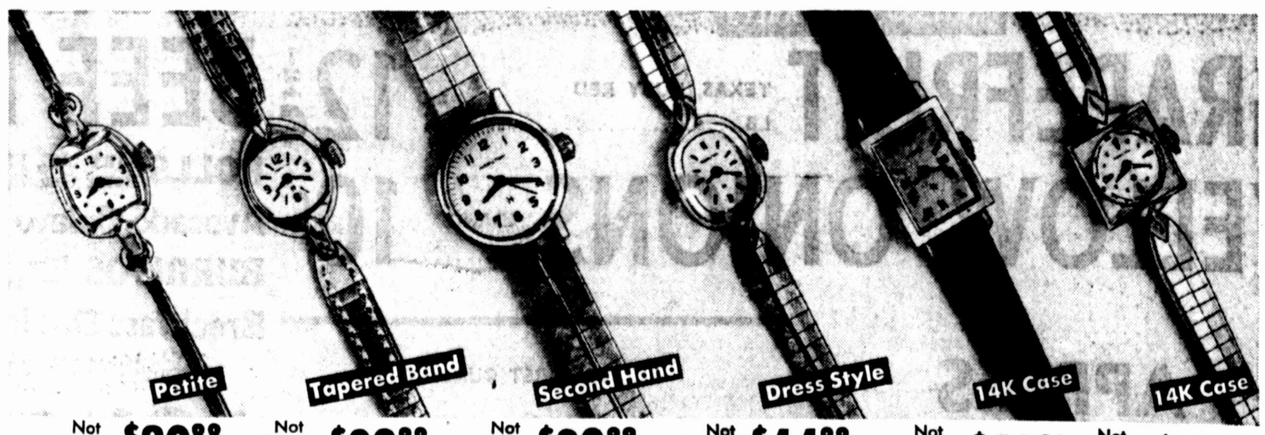
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Stabbing Death Of Coed Clues Elude 12 Officers

SAN MARCOS, Tex. (AP) — Hays County Sheriff Bobby Kinser said Sunday that a task force of 12 officers, working 16 hours a day, failed to find any clues into the stabbing death of a 21-year-old coed.

Martha Sue Thompson's body was found Thursday face down in the Blanco River under a concrete bridge on the outskirts of San Marcos.

A physical education major at Southwest Texas State University, Miss Thompson was last seen a week before her body was found. She was seen leaving a physical education class at a San Marcos high school.

An autopsy report showed she was stabbed 26 times. Her skull was fractured, she suffered a blow to the forehead, and the area about her nose bore abrasions.

"We've just kind of reached a stalemate right now," Kinser said Sunday. "Until we find somebody that saw her after that day (when she disappeared), we're kind of up a tree."

Kinser said officers went Saturday to the scene where the body was found, but found no clues.

Plans have been made by some friends of the victim to distribute handbills this week requesting anyone who might have seen her after she left the high school to contact authorities.

Third Lackland Training Instructor To Be Tried

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—A third Lackland Air Force Base drill sergeant faces trial today on charges of mistreating basic trainees.

A general court-martial was to convene at 1 p.m. following a 9 a.m. preliminary hearing for S. Sgt. Daniel W. S. Clark, 34, of Oberlin, Ohio, a veteran of 14 years in the military.

He is the third Lackland training instructor to be tried on charges of abusing new recruits last summer at Lackland's correctional custody unit.

The first two sergeants were convicted on a total of three charges in separate court-martials earlier this month. Each was reprimanded and fined $225.

They could have received dishonorable discharges. Clark faces the same possibility.

Among the four charges against Clark are claims that he struck an airman in the chest with his fist and struck another trainee on the forehead with his hand.

He also is charged with ordering two recruits to stand with their chins against a pole, their hands against their sides and feet extended from the pole.

Two weeks ago at Lackland, Sgt. Ronald E. Wood, 29, of Indianapolis, Ind., was found guilty on two of five counts of mistreating trainees, including a charge that he ordered a recruit to run through a darkened barrack and be struck by other recruits.

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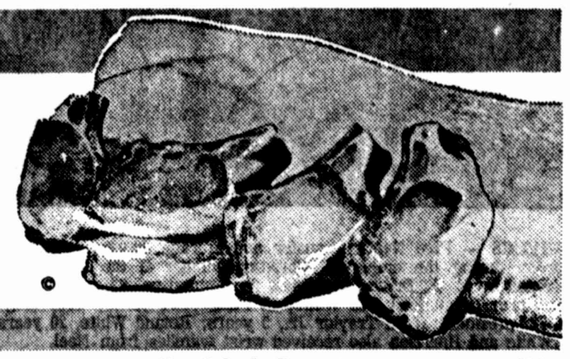
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Walnut Meats — Diamond Green Label 16-oz. Pkg. $1.29
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RECEIVE MEDALS — Houston's Mayor Louie Welch (far left) visits with Astronauts Charles "Pete" Conrad (second from left), Richard Gordon (third from left) and Alan Bean (far right) after awarding them individuals medals at a dinner last night. The presentation made to the Apollo 12 crew is the highest City of Houston award.

America's Astros Honored At $100-A-Plate Dinner

HOUSTON (AP) — More than 1,200 persons attending a $100-a-plate dinner gave American astronauts a standing ovation Sunday night.

The dinner was sponsored by the National Jewish Fund. Proceeds will go toward planting a forest in Israel honoring the American space corps.

More than 20 astronauts, including Apollo 12 crewmen Charles Conrad Jr., Richard F. Gordon Jr. and Alan L. Bean, attended.

Former Texas Gov. John Connally said the Apollo spacemen "reflected man's insatiable curiosity" and said they were "a force of unity—a force that links all Man in brotherhood."

Texas Gov. Preston Smith presented a state proclamation lauding the Apollo accomplishments, and Houston Mayor Louie Welch presented the Houston Medal of Valor to the Apollo 12 crew.

Apollo 14 commander Alan B. Shepard received the proclamation. "If you like what's gone on in the past, keep your eyes open because things get better next year," Shepard said.

In receiving the Houston medal, Conrad said "There'll be a lot bigger steps as we continue.

Television personality Johnny Carson served as master of ceremonies, and singers Nancy Ames and Phyllis McGuire entertained.

Deadline For Odessa Show

Today is the deadline for making application for the Sand Hills Hereford and Quarter Horse Show, Jan. 4-10, in Odessa, according to Howard County Agent Paul Gross, who said that nearly 300 steers are expected at the annual 4-H and Future Farmers of America show.

Assistant County Agent Jim Allison said this morning that he expects to register eight steers from Howard County but that no sheep, which are also accepted for the show, have been entered from the area.

Allison said that Robert and Pat O'Daniel each plan to show one steer, Dolores Lankford will show three, and Richie Tubb will also show three.

Girl Treated After Accident

An accident Sunday morning on FM 669 sent a 15-year-old girl through a car windshield and on to Hall-Bennett Memorial Hospital, but Joan White was treated and released with no serious injuries. Miss White was riding in a car driven by her mother, Mrs. Bonnie White, 602 Linda Lane, when it apparently collided with the back of a car driven by William Garver, Gail Route, as he attempted to turn left. Both cars were traveling north.

Texas Highway Patrolman Bill Robinson investigated the incident and said there was about $500 damage done to the White's car and $350 to Garver's car.

WEATHER

NORTHWEST TEXAS: Clear to partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Mild in afternoon and cool tonight. Low 32 to 45. High Tuesday 50 northwest to 70 south.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS EAST OF THE PECOS: Clear to partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Mild afternoon. Cool tonight. Low 34 north to 48 south. High Tuesday 65 to 78.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS WEST OF THE PECOS: Fair through Tuesday. Mild afternoon. Cool tonight. Low tonight 26 to 42. High Tuesday 62 to 78.

CITY	Max.	Min.	Rain
BIG SPRING	64	33	
Chicago	38	24	T
Denver	67	31	
Fort Worth	72	38	
New York	36	33	.46
St Louis	42	26	.03

Sun sets today at 5:43 p.m. Sun rises Tuesday at 7:40 a.m. Highest temperature this date 83 in 1908; lowest temperature this date 11 in 1920. Maximum rainfall this date .28 in 1937.

Scout Planning

The Buffalo Trails planning conference is set for 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Memorial Christian Church on the Andrews highway in Midland. All the various operation committees and the board will make plans and objectives for 1970.

Course Slated For Nurserymen

A short course for nurserymen will be held by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Austin at the Sheraton Crest Inn, Jan. 11-13. Registration fee is $17.50 which includes a banquet ticket for the evening of Jan. 12.

Eighteen persons are serving on the short course staff and two are from College Station. Everett E. Janne, landscape horticulturist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Robert H. Rucker, landscape architect, department of Soil and Crop Science, Texas A&M University.

Inquiries for further information about the course, including registration forms, should be sent to the Texas Association of Nurserymen office in the Lobby Suite, Commodore Perry Hotel, Austin, Tex., 78701.

Crowd Enriched By Fine Rendition Of 'Messiah'

What has to be termed the musical highlight of the Christmas season was the presentation of Handel's impressive "The Messiah," at the First United Methodist Church Sunday evening.

This program has become a tradition through the years, and Sunday's rendition could well be classed among the best. The audience was probably the largest yet — a capacity auditorium — to indicate growing interest in this musical masterpiece so capably done by Big Spring talent, with the aid of other West Texans.

Credit goes to Larry Stanley, who, as director, kept all his group coordinated in mood, in tempo and response.

Adding to the impressiveness of the music was the work of John Stanley at the organ, and the string ensemble from Texas Technological College, directed by Paul Ellsworth. The orchesta was superb. A special flavor to the accompaniment was added by the harpsichord, with Mary Grenier, an expert, at the keyboard.

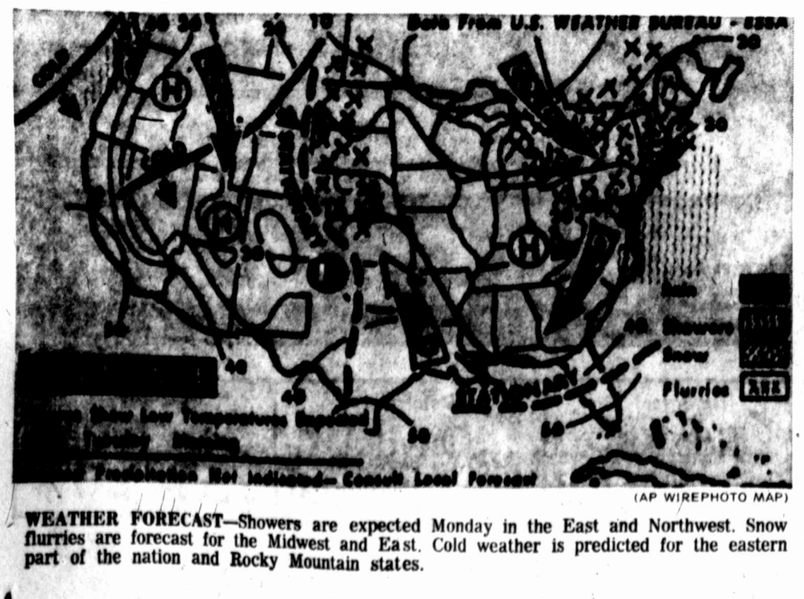
Soloists, some of them tried and true performers in Big Spring, carried their roles beautifully. They included Kenneth Roach, tenor; Lucia Taylor, alto; Marilyn Newsom and Joyce Bradley, sopranos, and Kenny Sheppard, bass.

The Messiah music ranges from the sublime to the majestic, and voices of the large choir — made up of members of the Methodist chancel choir, the H.C.J.C. choir and special guests — responded with discipline to Larry Stanley's direction. The blending of voices, strings and other instruments caught the spirit and projected it with high competence.

All passages, whether in the spirit of submissiveness or glorious exaltation, were woven into a wonderfully moving fabric. The notable Hallelujah Chorus brought the audience to its feet, but as stirring was the final chorus . . . "Blessing and honour, glory and power, be unto Him . . ."

The large crowd departed with the enjoyment of an hour of great musical and spiritual enrichment. Actually, if the setting and atmosphere had been different, there undoubtedly would have been a massive standing ovation for the fine collection of talent which joined together so capably.

—BW.



(AP WIREPHOTO MAP)

WEATHER FORECAST—Showers are expected Monday in the East and Northwest. Snow flurries are forecast for the Midwest and East. Cold weather is predicted for the eastern part of the nation and Rocky Mountain states.

Hardin Given Prison Term

Judgment of two to 12 years in the state penitentiary was entered in 118th District Court late Friday for Delbert L. Hardin, 35, who was found guilty of being a habitual burglar when he was convicted of burglary Friday.

Hardin was arrested April 24 and charged in an April 23 burglary of a local grocery store, and he was indicted for the offense by the Howard County Grand Jury July 23. He had been in jail since his arrest on $1,500 bond.

Two other cases set for trial last week, one civil, Coy Ford et ux vs. Derwin Hansford, and another criminal case, against George Davenport for theft over $50, will be reset for trial, since time ran out last week.

District Clerk Fern Cox said today that no more juries will be called until after the first of the year, however.



(Photo by Danny Valdes)

SAFE DRIVERS — Five Neel's Transfer and Storage drivers were awarded safe driving pins Saturday during the employes' Christmas dinner at the Downtown Tea Room. Pins were presented by E. P. Driver, insurance representative. Safe drivers never charged with an accident are: (from left) Bill White, 12 consecutive years; Tom Traylor Sr., 17 years; Willard Neel, president; Tom Traylor Jr., 5 years; Roland White, 20 years; Alvie Harrison, 21 years. White and Harrison also received wrist watches from Neel.

Company Honors Louis McKnight

Louis McKnight was honored by the Equitable Life Assurance Society at the annual North Texas Agency awards banquet held at the Downtown Holiday Inn, Dallas, for his outstanding sales performance in the field of individual life insurance and also was honored at a brunch held at Brennan's for those who were in the top ten of a recent Equitable sales campaign.

McKnight has been with the Equitable six years and during this time has often been recognized for his sales achievements. He has qualified this year as a member of the National Leaders Corps, one of the highest groups in Equitable's national rankings. As a member of the National Leaders Corps he and his wife will attend the National Leaders' Corps meeting at the Century Plaza, Los Angeles in March of 1970.

Other awards and honors received during 1969 include qualifying for The Equitable's Group Millionaire Club, National Sales Achievement Award and Equitable's Gold Production Growth Award.

Lake To Close For Holidays

The gates to Moss Creek Lake will be closed for 30 days beginning Tuesday while lakekeeper Ikie Rupard takes a vacation. Rupard reports that the lake level is still some eight-10 feet below normal, but water from Lake J. B. Thomas is being pumped in to raise the water to a satisfactory height. The lake area will be re-opened to the public Jan. 15.

Deadline For Home Contest

Thursday is the deadline for calling in entries to the Chamber of Commerce for the home decorating contest. The contest will be judged Friday; and only four homes have registered.

The Chamber of Commerce is urging all who have decorated their home to register with the chamber. Names and addresses will be announced so others may drive around the city viewing the homes.

TESCO is providing three prizes for winners of the contest. First prize is a Reddy-lite, yard light, second, and third are electrical appliances such as an electric blanket.

Homes will be judged on a point basis with artistry and ingenuity up to 30 points; lighting and technique up to 30 points; originality up to 20 points; and symbolic portrayal up to 20 points. Three couples chosen by the Chamber Christmas committee will serve as judges.

Four home owners registered are: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beck, 612 Baylor; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Milam, 1619 Purdue; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moelling, 1405 Mesa Drive; and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meigs, 802 Birdwell Lane.

Ward's Store Burglarized

The Montgomery Ward Store in Highland Shopping Center was entered sometime Sunday night by burglars who stole at least $75 in stereo equipment and two firearms.

Officer Gerald Harrison said he saw a broken window in the south side of the store around 10 p.m. Sunday and discovered the theft. Store manager S. W. McElroy, 1700 Laurie, was called and determined that a pistol and a double-barrel shotgun had been taken from the store's gun cases and two stereo tape players were taken from the shelves. He said a further inventory would be taken today to determine if other merchandise had been stolen.

Plans For Library Are Being Studied

Three representatives of the cultural affairs committee of the Chamber of Commerce met with Howard County Commissioners this morning and discussed plans for remodeling the old post office building with architect Oen Puckett. Commissioners reserved action on acceptance of the plans pending further study but initial reaction was favorable from both the commissioners and the committee representatives.

Viewing the plans, which show a conference room, listening room, viewing room, and child's reading room on the main floor along with regular library shelving and check out center, were Mrs. Harold Davis, Mrs. E. H. Boullion Jr., and Mrs. Richard Davis. The representatives had several questions concerning the plans and suggested that a drive-up book return be included somewhere on the grounds.

"I can't take much credit for these plans," said Puckett, "this is just what was suggested to me by the state librarian."

Puckett said his plans include lowering the ceiling in the building, closing the windows with tile and brick, and using petitions to form the various rooms.

'I would also suggest a dumb waiter," Puckett said, "the basement will be used for storage of books and it would be easier to move them up to the shelves on the first floor with a waiter instead of having to carry them up the stairs."

County Judge Lee Porter reminded the court that a considerable amount of shelving is available for library use from the old county school superintendent's office.

"That should about double our shelving capacity from what is in the present library," the judge said.

County commissioners also accepted the low bid of three submitted for a half ton pickup today, from Bob Brock Ford, Inc., for $2,100. Other bids were submitted by Pollard Chevrolet Co. for $2,150; and from Broughton Truck and Impliment Co., Inc., for $2,300.

No Meetings On Tax Consolidation

No meetings between the City of Big Spring and Howard County concerning either consolidation of tax collection or the appointment of a new tax appraiser to succeed Novis W. Womack, who retires Jan. 1, have been set for before Thursday. A joint committee from the two agencies, as well as the school board, is scheduled to meet at 2 p.m. to interview applicants for the tax appraiser's post, County Judge Lee Porter said this morning.

Driver Injured

Mrs. Betty Irene Conley, 614 Colgate, escaped serious injury when the car she was driving collided with a car driven by Orval L. Green, Rt. 1, at 4:45 p.m. Saturday at the intersection of Fourth Street and Birdwell Lane. Mrs. Conley spent Saturday night under observation at Malone and Hogan Foundation Hospital and was released Sunday.

Juvenile Officer Has 34 More Youths Referred

Thirty-four juveniles were referred to Juvenile Officer Keith Jones during November, and 26 were counseled and released to parental custody.

Nine referrals were for attempted burglary, and four for each offense of burglary, minor in possession, disturbance, and shoplifting. One child was referred for each of the following: a traffic violation, possession of a prohibited weapon, a sex offense, violation of city ordinance, arson and burglary, traffic warrant, runaway, drunk, and possession of marijuana.

There are currently 12 children on supervision in Howard County, eight are girls. One boy on supervision was committed to the Texas Youth Council during November. Four girls are on official probation and one girl was released from probation.

Twenty-three parents visited the probation office during November and 40 parents were contacted by telephone. Forty-five children were counseled in the office and eight were contacted by telephone.

Six children were visited by Jones in the juvenile section of the county jail, and two trips were made to the Gatesville school to place four boys. One boy was placed in the West Texas Children's Home, Pyote.

There are presently 13 boys from Howard County in placement with the Texas Youth Council and at the Gatesville State School for Boys. One girl from Howard County is at the Gainesville State School for Girls and one at the Corsicana State Home.

Four boys and four girls are currently on parole from the Texas Youth Council in Howard County.

Heith Serves As Justice

Bobby Heith served as one of the nine Supreme Court Justices in the Youth in Government project at Austin during the weekend.

The Big Spring Sophomore Hi-Y's bill made it to the Senate floor where it lost in a close vote. The measure would have limited the liability of physicians to that of an ordinary citizen when rendering aid as an act of mercy at the scene of an accident or disaster or in the case of sudden illness.

In balloting, Rey Aymond, Dallas, was elected governor and Sharon Casey, San Antonio, was named chief justice to maintain the big-city hold on top office elections. Bobby Heith finished fifth in a field of nine for chief justice.

The Sophomore Hi-Y bill was presented by Bob Carlile.

Accompanying the 16 delegates from the Big Spring Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y clubs were Curtis Mullins, Y general secretary, Bill Schwarzenbach, Mrs. Henry Rimmer, and Mrs. John Thomasson.

House Ransacked

R. C. Jones reported his house at 703 E. Fifteenth had been ransacked Sunday night. Investigating officers arrived at the scene around midnight and said furniture throughout the house had been overturned, broken glass was strewn about the rooms, and a knife was stuck in a pillow in the bedroom. Jones told police this was not the first time his house had been vandalized and he suspected a Lubbock man in the incident.

Big Springer In Baylor Choir

A Baylor University student from Big Spring is a member of the Baylor oratorio chorus that will present Beethoven's "Ninth (Choral) Symphony" Tuesday. She is Judy Barber the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Barber, Big Spring. A 1969 graduate of Big Spring High School, she is a freshman piano major.

The performance of Beethoven's Ninth, in honor of the 200th anniversary of the birth of the famous composer, will be at 8:15 p.m. in Waco Hall on the Waco campus.

BBC's Sex-Cat

LONDON (AP) — In the mature view of the British Broadcasting Corp., Brigitte Bardot at age 36 has outgrown sex-kittenhood. The C publicity department said a spectuacular scheduled for Christmas holiday broadcast will "exploit every possible facet of the French sex-cat's personality."

Stereo Stolen

J. C. Jones, 1110 N. Aylford, told police Sunday morning stereo tape equipment was taken from his automobile sometime Saturday night while the car was parked at his residence. The equipment was valued at more than $50.

MISHAPS

Big Spring High School parking lot: Douglass S. Daniel, 2303 Allendale, and Michael O. Bradshaw, 1609 Main, 12:12 a.m.

Benton and Northeast Tenth: Janie Rubio, 306 NE 10th, hit fire hydrant, 4:46 p.m.

DEATHS

Mrs. Nancy Smith, Dies Of Burns

Mrs. Nancy Smith, 20, died at 6 a.m. Sunday at Brooke Army Medical Center, San Antonio, of burns she received when the light airplane her husband was piloting crashed Nov. 29 near Rohrsville, Md.

Her baby died shortly after being born at the hospital Saturday, according to an information official at the hospital. Both are being sent today to the Joseph Grawler's and Son Funeral Home, Washington, D.C., where the funeral is pending.

Mrs. Smith's husband, 2nd Lt. Steven Lane Smith, 23, is with class 70-08 of the 3561st Student Squadron at Webb AFB. The Smiths were visiting Mrs. Smith's parents during the Thanksgiving leave in Maryland.

Lt. Smith had rented a Piper Comanche for recreational use from a Frederick, Md., airplane rental service. He and his wife and sister-in-law, Virginia Ann Webb, 22, Bethesda, Md., had been flying for 30 minutes when the plane crashed into trees on South Mountain, three miles east of Rohrsville, midway between Frederick and Hagerstown.

The crash ruptured a gas tank and the plane burst into flames, seriously burning Mrs. Smith. The door of the plane had jammed and the three had to struggle through a window.

Lt. and Mrs. Smith were treated at Washington County Hospital and Walter Reed Army Medical Center, then flown Nov. 30 to the burn treatment center at Brooke General Hospital. There Mrs. Smith remained in critical condition. Lt. Smith is reported to be in good condition at the hospital now.

Jackie W. Goode, Rites Tuesday

Jackie Wayne Goode, nearly three-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Goode, 2513 Lynn, was found dead at home at 8 a.m. Friday. Slaughter ruled that the infant died of natural causes. The child was born Sept. 23 in San Angelo.

Graveside rites will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of River-Welch Funeral Home. Mr. and Mrs. Goode are members of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are the parents; two brothers, Brian Goode and Steven Goode; one sister, Deborah Goode, all of the home; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Goode, Temple, and Mrs. Diamond Adams, San Angelo.

Ross B. Martin, Wreck Injuries

COLORADO CITY (SC) — Ross B. Martin, 63, Loraine, died in an Abilene hospital this morning from injuries received in a Dec. 6 auto accident north of Loraine. Funeral is pending at Kiker and Son Funeral Home, Colorado City.

Mr. Martin was born Feb. 2, 1906, in Hill County. He married Clara Tribble in Hill County, May 25, 1923, and moved to Snyder in 1942. They came to Loraine in October, 1967. Mr. Martin farmed and worked for Holder Construction Company in Snyder for many years. He was a member of Crockett and Smiley Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Loraine; a son, Ross Calvin Martin, Omaha, Neb.; four daughters, Mrs. Sybil Jones, Snyder, Mrs. Billie Baker, Midland, Mrs. Betty Morris, Loraine, and Mrs. Karen Blackledge, Pasadena; a brother, Robert Martin, Snyder; three sisters, Mrs. Esty Applegate, Covington, Mrs. Ollie Thompson, Hesperia, Calif., Mrs. Lula Walcup, Valiant, Okla.; and 15 grandchildren.

MARKETS

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20 Rails	off .27
15 Utilities	off .04
Allis Chalmers	23⅜
American Airlines	31⅛
American Crystal Sugar	21¼
American Motors	9
American Petrofina	33
American Photocopy	13½
American Tel & Tel	50⅛
Anaconda	28⅝
Baker Oil	23
Baxter Labs	30⅛
Bethlehem Steel	26⅞
Boeing	29
Botany	9⅝
Braniff	10⅝
Bristol-Myers	71¼
Brunswick	19
Cabot	30¾
Cerro Corp	23⅞
Chrysler	35⅛
Cities Service	39⅞
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Penn Central Railroad	28½
Pepsi-Cola	52⅜
Phillips Petroleum	23
Pioneer Natural Gas	13
Procter-Gamble	106
Ramada	31
RCA	35⅞
Republic Steel	34⅛
Revlon	65
Reynolds Metals	31¼
Royal Dutch	38¾
Scott Paper	33⅜
Searle	47⅜
Sears Roebuck	67⅛
Shell Oil	43¾
Siboney	2⅞
Sperry Rand	38⅛
Standard Oil, Calif.	49
Standard Oil, Ind.	45½
Standard Oil, N.J.	62⅝
Sun Oil	43
Swift	29
Syntex	70¾
Tandy Corp	60½
Texaco	29
Texas Eastern Gas Trans	25⅜
Texas Gas Trans	31⅛
Texas Gulf Sulphur	20⅝
Texas Instruments	213¼
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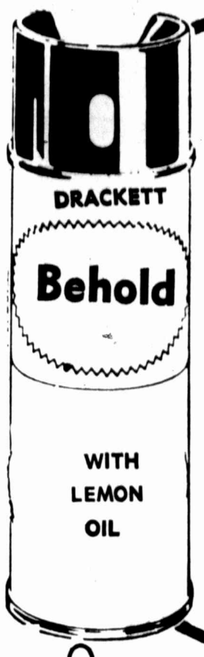
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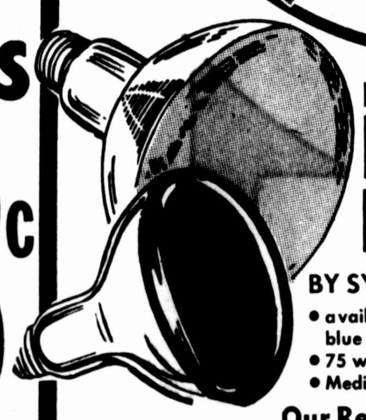


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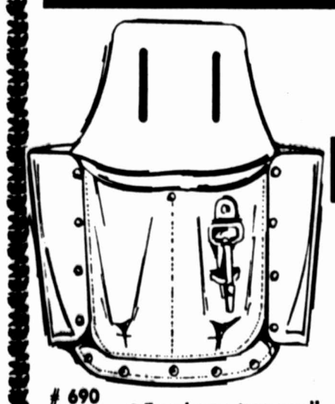


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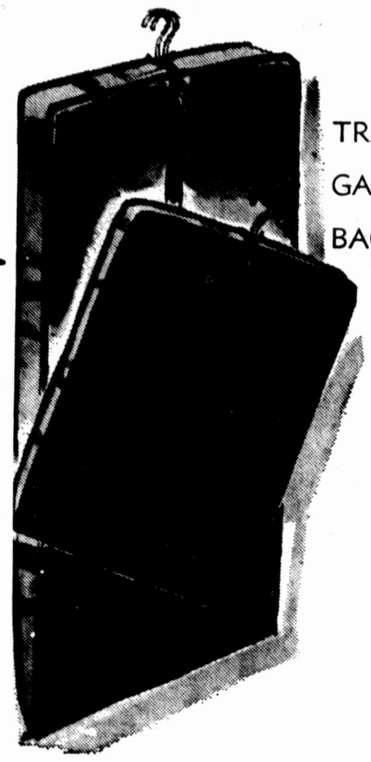
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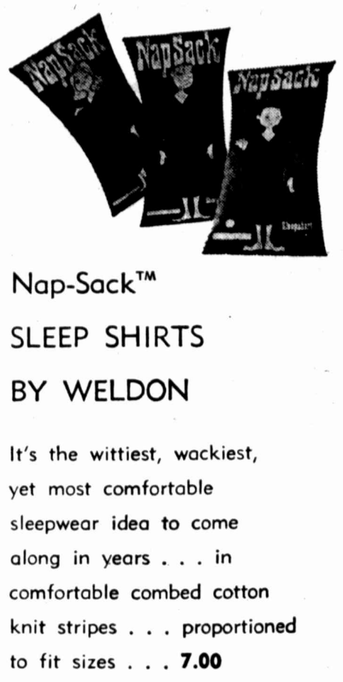
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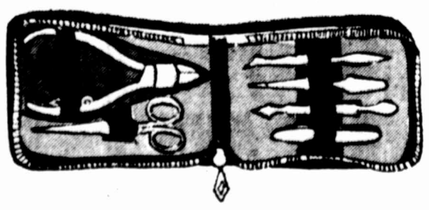
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THE HOUSE OF HEROD AND JESUS—1

Monarchs Seal Partnership; From Defeat To Power

(Editor's note: This is the first in a six-part Christmas series about Herod the Great, king of Judea when Jesus was born. That event usually is presented only in the context of conditions in Judea at the time. But its impact was world-wide. Its implications were general, not provincial, and it therefore should be seen against its total background in human history. The series, beginning with this first part, "The Growth of Rome," seeks to offer that wider perspective.)

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

Carved figures of the skygod, Zeus, and his offspring god of war, Ares, decorated the prow of the ship that headed north from Joppa along the coastal route and then west toward the Isle of Rhodes. King Herod stood at a forward gunnel, pondering his fate.

By every omen, he faced summary execution. He had sided with the wrong Roman in the struggle for imperial dominion. Yet he had survived desperate predicaments before, and now he weighed the stratagems for overcoming this present plight.

Apprehensive, grim-browed, his eyes like fiery dart-points in the wind, he sailed to confront the new master of the Roman Empire, the lord of the world, the emperor Gaius Octavius, later titled the revered one, Augustus.

"Divi Filius," read inscriptions on coins bearing his name and image. "Son of Gods." And many a temple shrine and crossroads altar, called "lares," were dedicated to the emperor's worshipped genius.

The time was the 186th olympiad — an era of many deities and mystic cults, of the Roman pantheon of Jupiter, Mars, Bacchus, Juno, Diana and Venus; and of their Grecian counterparts, Zeus, Ares, Dionysus, Hera, Artemis and Aphrodite.

It also was the age in which Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, under the rule of Herod, styled "the Great."

Herod had set forth across the sea the year after the forces of his confederate, Mark Antony, were crushed by Octavius at the bay of Actium in 31 B.C., driving Antony and his seductress, Egypt's Queen Cleopatra, to suicide.

Herod spat, fingering the knife at his belt. He once had considered killing Cleopatra himself, when she sought to cajole him to her bed to infuriate Antony against him. He should have slain her, for Antony's good and his own, or better still, set the hounds on her.

Mistakenly, he had supported the passion-smitten Antony, impelled by Cleopatra into fighting Caesar. Now the triumphant new Caesar held in his hands the future of the Judean kingdom — and its king.

Herod shivered, drawing the sable-trimmed purple cloak closer about his shoulders.

He was a shrewd, hard, ambitious man, of "severe and unrelenting disposition," writes Flavius Josephus, an historian of that time. "He was brutish and a stranger to all humanity." Yet he was "such a warrior as could not be withstood."

Fighting men "stood amazed," watching him throw the javelin, wield the sword or shoot the arrow. He also was "a most excellent hunter" with "great skill in riding horses. In one day he caught 40 wild beasts" — bears, stags, wild asses.

But now, at the age of 43, Herod's body had grown heavy and slack. His ringed fingers gripped the ship sides, and the remembered horror of the hounds struck through him again, their foam-rimmed fangs and wild eyes plunging toward him, merging with faces of suspected foes, of the gloating Octavius, of his own wife, Miriamne.

His fist slammed against the railing, and he turned and strode back toward his cabin in the stern, the steady, growling rumble of the oars reverberating through the three-decked trireme, manned by a crew of 200 mariners and royal guards.

So far, in 15 bloodstained years of fighting for power in his realm, 10 of them as king by imperial edict, Herod had skillfully shifted his alliances from one Roman overlord to another, as the reins of power changed hands.

It had been a death-strewn trail for them and for him.

He had drawn his methods from his crafty father, Antipater, who himself had switched allegiances — from Pompey, the Roman conqueror of the east, including Jerusalem in 63 B.C., to the rival who overpowered him, Julius Caesar, under whom Herod first was named governor of Galilee and Samaria.

With a troop of 200 horsemen and three companies of 2,000 armed footmen, Herod had roved the territory, wiping out resistance, terrorizing towns, wreaking carnage on the rebellious Galilean village of Cana, near Nazareth, home of Joseph and Mary, where Jesus would grow to manhood.

Herod captured and executed the rebel guerrillas led by Hezekias, and at one point, lowered soldiers in chests to the mouths of mountain caves, using grappling hooks and fire to bring the holdouts into the open. Then he killed them — men, women and children.

After Julius Caesar was murdered on the Ides of March, 44 B.C., Herod had thrown his lot with the assassins, Brutus and Cassius, who named him governor of all Syria.

He had swept through Samaria, his forces augmented by two legions of 6,000 men each and 1,000 horsemen supplied by the Romans. He then turned west and fought his way into Jerusalem for the first time in 43 B.C., putting to rout the Jewish heir to the throne, Antigonus, whose nationalist forces would plague Herod for years.

However, Herod's ties to Julius Caesar's assassins had become shaky when Octavius, the slain Caesar's grand-nephew and adopted son, and his general, Mark Antony, combined against them. Herod had turned to wooing Antony, plying him with gold, for which Antony named him tetrarch of Judea.

But soon afterward, the army of Antigonus, in league with Parthian forces, beseiged Jerusalem, tricked Herod's emissaries to their death with a false peace ruse, and seized the city, pillaging it. Antigonus, of the Jewish Hasmonean dynastq, was proclaimed king.

Herod fled to Rome, ingratiating himself to both Octavius and Antony. Who appointed Herod king of Judea in 40 B.C., an act confirmed by the Roman Senate, half of whose members — 300 of them including the famed orator Cicero — had been slain by Octavius' troops in solidifying his control.

The bloodbath Octavius imposed in shoring up his power also had included 2,000 equestrians, next in rank to senators, slaughtered by the future emperor, whose later decree for a tax census brought Mary and Joseph to Bethlehem.

Both Octavius and Antony feasted Herod in Rome, and joined him in offering sacrifices in the Temple of Jupiter on the Capitoline hill.

Subsequently, however, when Octavius turned against the carousing Antony who was moonstruck by the voluptuous Cleopatra in Egypt, Herod supported his close patron, Antony — only to see Antony's and Cleopatra's sluggish fleet defeated at Actium by the swift, small warships of Octavius.

Now, Herod's crown — and his life — hung in the balance. All depended on yesterday's foe, Octavius, the new Augustus Caesar, who was still in Greece at Rhodes from whence his victory celebrations echoed through the empire.

The "most divine Caesar," went hymns to him, according to the Roman historian Seutonius. "The beginning of all things . . . the birthday of the god." Incense and obeisance were offered him as the progeny of Venus.

It was a mood, a yearning for theophany, that seemed to permeate that time. But it was not the advent of Augustus that transformed man's history. It was rather the birth of an obscure Jewish infant, born to a migrant, houseless peasant's wife.

"Come, thou longed-for one," wrote the poet Virgil, expressing the psychic hungers of that harried, fanatically searching age, its air charged with superstitions, dreams, mystery cults, a myriad of fancied gods and feverish rituals seeking some hidden revelation.

And the long-haired priestess Sibyls at Delphi, inhaling the smoke from their tripods and vapors from the caverns beneath the temple of Apollo, muttered their ambiguous chants of advice to troubled pilgrims.

In this ancient atmosphere, Herod had schemed, killed and battled for supremacy over the vital Jewish peninsula, which linked three continents, although he was not Jewish himself, but an Idumean from Arabian areas to the east.

After he had gained appointment as Judean king by Antony and Octavius in Rome, he had returned, marching through Galilee, then southward, pausing to capture Joppa, and then, with added troops supplied by Antony, to attack Jerusalem.

It was a two-year seige, broken off intermittantly for forays on neighboring towns, pressed with catapults, battering rams, trenches and towers for bowmen. Altogether, Herod had 11 legions totalling 66,000 foot soliders and 6,000 cavalrymen in the long struggle.

The city put up a stubborn, furious defense. As the ancient historian Josephus puts it, Judaism's "whole nation was gathered together" and fought with heroic zeal, its defenders at times striking out in hand-to-hand combat to destroy the seige weapons.

But the Romans rebuilt them, and finally crashed into the city, ravaging it, unleashing a rampage of killing in streets, houses and crowds. "No pity was taken either on infants or the aged, nor the weaker sex," Josephus says. "Nobody restrained their hand from slaughter, but, as if they were a company of madmen, they fell upon persons of all ages without distinction."

By that conquest, in 37 B.C., Herod's Roman appointment as king became a reality. He executed members of the Jewish council, the Sanhedrin, and set up a new one. He put to death the Jewish general, Pappus, and 45 civilians adherents of Antigonus, who was turned over in chains to Mark Antony and later beheaded at Herod's request, even though Herod married Antigonus' niece, Miriamne, in the midst of the seige.

It was six years later that Antony himself and his Egyptian paramour were driven to death by Octavius, the new emperor, whose unlikely favor King Herod now needed in order to keep his crown, or even his head.

Brooding through the days and nights of his Mediterranean voyage, he had decided on his method. It would have to be bold, impressive. He would get nowhere by self-accusing repentance and fawning pleas, after aiding an enemy of the victor.

So Herod determined to play it on a straight-forward basis of political practicalities.

After the ship docked in the great harbor of Rhodes, its entrance still marked by the fallen Colossus, he left his diadem in his cabin and made his way bare-headed to Octavius' quarters, abustle with couriers, diplomats and porters.

A guard ushered him into a curtained side chamber, where Octavius bent over a table of maps. Herod stood rigidly, hearing his own breathing.

After a long moment, Octavius turned and looked at him with cool speculation, a hint of scorn in his gaze. Then he shrugged and turned to lean over the maps again, his back to Herod, and said softly, "It is told that Herod hast wagered on a losing horse."

As quoted by Josephus, Herod offered no denials, no apologies. He said, "O Caesar, as I was made king of the Jews by Antony, so do I profess that I have used my royal authority in the best manner and entirely for his advantage."

At that blunt declaration, Octavius straightened and eyed Herod again, in some surprise. Herod went on, admitting that he had supplied grain and auxiliaries in Antony's fight against Octavius.

"When I was no longer able to assist him in the war, I gave him the best advice I was able. I told him there was but one way of recovering his affiars, and that was to kill Cleopatra. I promised him that if she were once dead, I would afford him money and walls for his security and an army and myself to assist him in his war against thee."

Octavius smiled faintly, impressed by this bold-tongued, unabashed puppet king. "But none of these advices would Antony attend to," Herod went on, preferring his own rash resolutions, which have happened unprofitably for him, but profitably for you." So it had, and Octavius pursed his lips approvingly.

"I have laid aside my diadem and am come to thee, having my hopes of safety in thy virtue," Herod said. "I desire that thou wilt first consider how faithful a friend, and not whose friend, I have been."

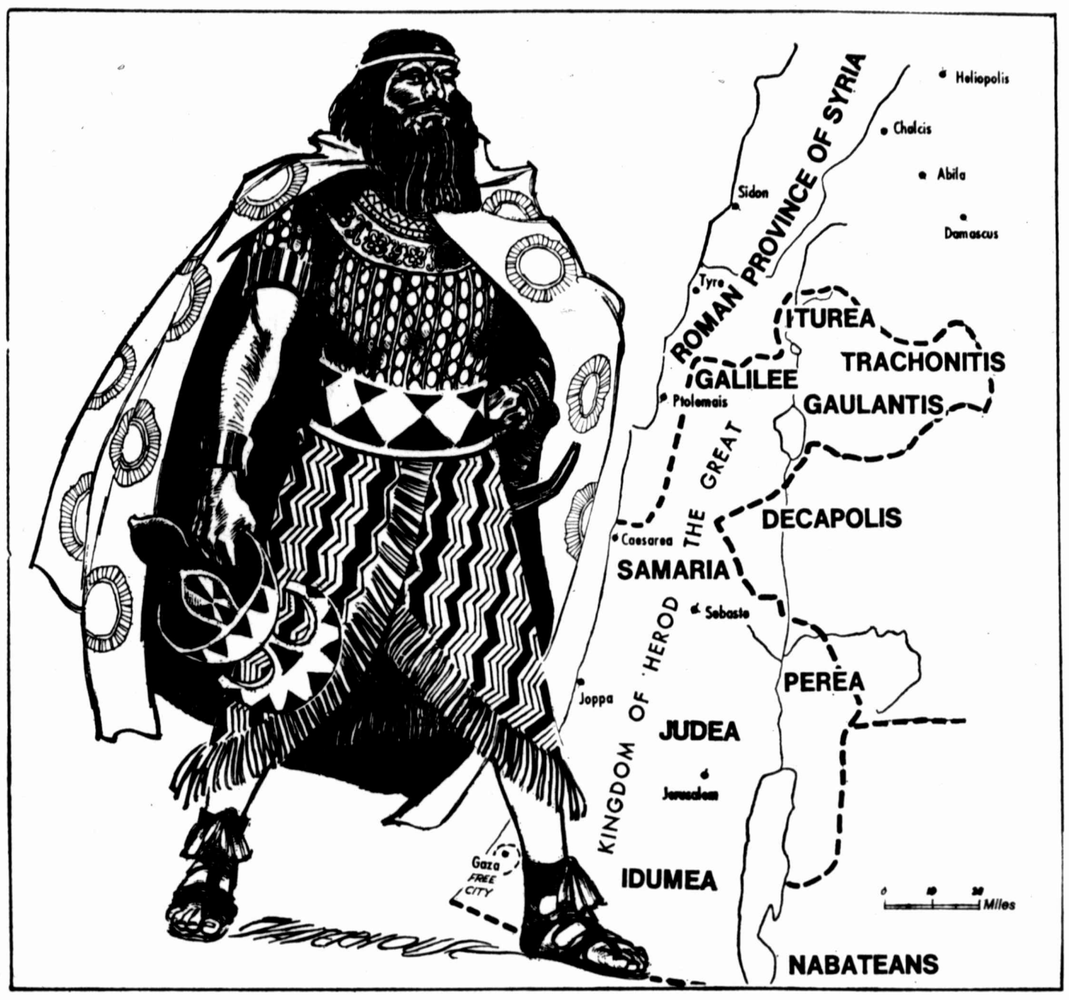
It struck the point, and Octavius, a decisive change coming over his countenance, walked over to Herod and put a hand on his shoulder. "Thou shall not only be in safety but thou shalt be a king, and that more firmly than thou were before, by reason of the fastness of thy friendship."

He dropped his arm, adding a two-edged admonition. "Exhibit yourself as constant a friend to me as you were to Antony."

The gambit had worked. Herod accompanied the emperor as his fleet sailed to Tyre. He rode with the emperor and his army southward to Jerusalem, where Herod feted him, presented him with gifts and 800 talents of silver, and supplies of food, gear and arms for his men on their march to Egypt, which also became a Roman province. Octavius, in turn, enlarged Herod's Judean kingdom, returning to him rich lands of psalm and balsam that Antony had given Cleopatra.

Thus was sealed the partnership of the two monarchs, Augustus Caesar, founder of the Roman Empire, and Herod, king of Judea. They ruled when another sovereignty became manifest to mankind, one that lit the world and that deepened the furies which hounded the cunning Herod.

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ANSWERS TO BRIDGE QUIZ

Q. 1—Opponents vulnerable. As South you hold:
♡A 7 4 ◇K 10 5 4 3 2 ♣AJ 10 5
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ◇	Dble.	Pass	1 ♠
?			

What do you bid now?

A.—Two clubs. While the normal procedure is to rebid a six card suit before showing a four carder, exceptional treatment is recommended in the present instance for, if the bidding reaches some higher number of spades when it gets back to you, you may rightly fear to show the clubs. By showing both suits now you will place partner in a better position to take appropriate action should a competitive bidding sequence develop.

Q. 2—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠8 6 3 ♡J 10 4 ◇6 3 ♣KQ9 5 2
The bidding has proceeded:

West	North	East	South
1 ♠	Dble.	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 NT	Pass	?

What do you bid now?

A.—Three no trump. Partner's double and subsequent rebid of two no trump, after you have promised nothing, shows in the neighborhood of a two no trump opening. Your six points will provide sufficient strength for game.

Q. 3—Both sides vulnerable, as South you hold:
♡A 10 4 3 2 ◇AQ 10 6 ♣KJ 10 8
Your right hand opponent opens the bidding with one heart. What do you bid?

A.—Pass. There is no action you can take that is not fraught with great danger. A take-out double will surely produce a spade response from partner and there is no suit you can show conveniently. Your best hope for a profit is to hope that the opponents bid themselves into trouble.

Q. 4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠Q 8 7 4 ♡AQJ 10 6 5 ◇ 10 9 3
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South
1 ♣	Dble.	?

What do you bid?

A.—Two hearts. While you have the values for a redouble, such action is not recommended due to the void in partner's suit. However, a mere bid of one heart might be treated by partner as an effort to show some mediocre hand containing a reasonable heart suit. A jump bid is, therefore, recommended which in our system is considered to be a one round force.

Q. 5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠6 ♡10 9 3 ◇KQJ 7 ♣AQ10 4 3
The bidding has proceeded:

North	East	South	West
1 ♡	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ◇	Pass	?	

What do you bid now?

A.—Three diamonds. This is admittedly an underbid but it would not be good tactics for you to take any action that would carry the bidding past the three no trump level. Since you made a strength showing response initially, partner will surely play you for a sound hand.

Q. 6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠10 ♡Q 6 2 ◇K 10 9 8 6 ♣AKQ 4 3
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	1 ◇	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♣	2 ◇	3 ♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	4 ♡	Pass

What do you bid now?

A.—Four spades. This may seem like a strange preference with but one spade; however, partner's jump rebid in spades before even showing the hearts indicates that he has at least six and very probably seven spades. He will thus be able to stand repeated diamond forces much better in his longest suit.

Q. 7—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠K ♡AKQJ 9 8 ◇Q 9 4 3 ♣A 2
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♡	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
3 ♡	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
?			

What do you bid now?

A.—Five hearts. Prospects for slam are excellent if partner has any sort of diamond control. The sudden leap beyond game, when all other suits have been mentioned, clearly asks him if he can take care of the diamond situation.

Q. 8—Both sides vulnerable. As South you hold:
♠8 6 3 ♡KQ ◇A 7 2 ♣AKQ 6 5
The bidding has proceeded:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	3 ◇	Pass	3 NT
?			

What do you bid now?

A.—Pass. You have the opponents in a contract that is virtually beaten off the top so why push them into one that might be a laydown? East's vulnerable three no trump bid makes it pretty certain that your partner has totally worthless holding for you.



Israel's New Government Will Hold Onto Jerusalem

JERUSALEM (AP) — Premier Golda Meir presented her new coalition government to the Israeli Parliament today and pledged that Israel will hold on to the Arab Territory it occupied in the 1967 war until peace comes to the Middle East.

The 71-year-old woman leader said, however, that Israel will never despair of seeking peace with its Arab neighbors.

She blasted the Soviet Union, charging it with supplying arms for the Arabs to use in attempting to destroy Israel. She said since the 1967 war the Russians have furnished Egypt $2 billion worth of military equipment and Syria and Iraq $600 million worth.

She said the Russians are not interested in a peaceful settlement in the Middle East, for "without tension in the area the chief reason for Soviet influence in it would disappear." She also attacked France for refusing to deliver the 50 Mirage jet fighters Israel purchased and Britain for reneging on an agreement to sell Israel Chieftain tanks.

Mrs. Meir stressed Israel's long friendship with the United States but spoke of a "contradiction" in last week's policy statement by Secretary of State William P. Rogers. She warned against a "gradual erosion" of the U. S. position on ways of achieving peace in the Middle East.

The new 24-man cabinet has seven new faces, is younger and is considered more hawkish that its predecessor. There was only one surprise, the appointment of Brig. Gen. Ezer Weizman transport minister. Weizman, 45, has been chief of military operations. He is a brother-in-law of Defense Minster Moshe Dayan.

Dayan and Foreign Minister Abba Eban retained their posts, and Yigal Allon returned as deputy premier.

The new coalition has 102 votes in the 120-member Knesset.

In her policy speech, Mrs. Meir warned that no amount of "international pressure" or acts of Arab terror would force Israel back to the situation it was in before the 1967 war.

Earlier the new government published a program of action emphasizing that Jersusalem's Jewish and Arab sections would remain united as Israel's capital and that the army would be strengthened "to deter and repulse aggression."

In Moscow, the Soviet Union indicated Sunday it may reject the new U.S. peace plan for the Middle East. The Soviet Communist party newspaper Pravda said "the obvious fact that the United states is supporting the Israeli ruling circles and their aggressive actions cannot be hidden."

It was the first high-level Soviet reaction to the proposal communicated in October to the Russians and the Egyptians. Israel rejected the plan last week after Secretary of State William P. Rogers outlined its chief points, including the internationalization of Jerusalem.

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(From the 'Upper Room')

A Good Case, But—

When the House and Senate conferees get together on a tax bill, one of the thorny problems they may have to work around is the proposal of Sen. Gore that the personal exemption be raised to $800 per year.

A mighty good case can be made in equity for an increase but its chances are not exactly bright. The basic deduction has remained constant over the years while only the price of everything else has gone up and up and up, but so has the rate of taxation. If $600 was a fair rate a generation ago, why wouldn't this amount plus the percentage of decrease in purchasing power over the years be added to it be fair now?

The answer is probably in several directions, notably two. Foremost, this is a source of easy revenue—revenue which the treasury desperately needs in order to keep from widening the deficit. Second, this money represents for the most part that contributed by every taxpayer, even the very lowest on the totem pole. With inflation still a major force threatening to blow off the patches. Some $15 billion more net spending money in the hands of those who most assuredly would probably spend it is something more worrisome than would be the revenue lost through a substantial increase in the deduction.

Straightforward

The United States Information Agency, created in 1953 as a permanent replacement for World War II propaganda activities, has since been a controversial stepchild of American foreign policy. An open society with a free press naturally has misgivings over any "official news agency," and then there is the perhaps insoluble argument over what is really the "true" version of the American story that USIA and its Voice of America broadcasts, news services, and publications are supposed to tell.

There has been criticism, for example, of the new USIA director, former television executive Frank J. Shakespeare Jr., for tailoring an informational output both too conservative and too defensive of President Nixon's Vietnam war policies. The USIA also has been criticized for selecting biased collections for its libraries abroad.

However, in the handling of the My Lai massacre story, the USIA had a hard decision to make, politically and morally, and fortunately it made the right one and carried it out with courage.

Particularly astute was this USIA statement:

"Neither the Army nor the government is making an attempt to explain the incident away by arguing that such things happen in all wars. Nor has there been any attempt to dismiss the incident because it is the first really large-scale alleged violation of military conduct by American troops in an admittedly difficult and complex war. Furthermore, there is no inclination to justify the incident on the ground that the other side has done the same thing on a much larger scale."

The rest of the world will not judge the United States, as a nation and a society, on the basis of such an incident as is now unfolding, however ghastly it may prove in fact to be. But America will be judged on how the collective conscience of its people reacts to the revolting revelation. The USIA had to report the full story in order to present a credible account of that reaction. And reports from abroad already indicate that any other handling of this lamentable event would have been diplomatically disastrous.



'LOOKS LIKE REFORM IS BECOMING A LYNCHING'

David Lawrence

Tax Reform And Politics

WASHINGTON — The country is witnessing a significant example of how the Congress of the United States struggles with a most complicated piece of legislation — tax reform — and fails to operate efficiently in its law-making function.

A committee in the House of Representatives drafts a bill after relatively short hearings, and the measure is presented to the House for a "yes" or "no" vote, with no amendments allowed. Then the Senate Finance Committee takes up the same measure, holds lengthy hearings, and submits a bill to the Senate for consideration, thus opening the way for all kinds of amendments to be tacked on without regard to their effects on the revenues to be collected by the government.

POLITICS DOMINATE the scene. Some members, perceiving that they might curry favor by increasing the Social Security payments, quickly pushed through an amendment raising benefits. This, however, would cost the U.S. Treasury $6.5 billion, without any provision being made for a similar sum to be collected next year in taxes to pay for the new benefits. Again and again, amendments were offered to take away alleged "loopholes for the rich," but the additional money that would be collected in taxes is nullified by proposed expenditures in other directions.

PLAINLY THE writing of a tax bill cannot be done on the floor of the Senate. Nor can the task be left to a Senate-House conference committee as a few members from each house try to draft the final version. For then both houses have only one choice — namely, either to vote against the entire bill and sacrifice some of the good points in it, or to vote in favor of the measure and put the whole revenue-collecting program of the executive branch of the government into disarray. Thus, $8 billion have been added to the bill in taxes for 1970 and then offset by new benefits. In addition to higher Social Security payments, a tax credit for costs of higher education would reduce revenues by $1.7 billion. A revision of the investment credits granted to business would cost $700 million.

CONGRESS IS torn apart by political influences that prevent the drafting of an equitable tax bill. Instead of delegating the job to a joint committee of the House and Senate in the first instance and submitting the proposed legislation to each house for subsequent approval or for amendments, the custom is to leave the whole matter to a conference committee of the two houses, whose report usually covers many changes that have not been thoroughly examined.

THE FEDERAL government today collects about $190 billion in taxes. How can the rates be equitably applied? Loose talk about "avoidance" of taxes has created the impression that all of the proposed amendments are desirable. Not enough effort has been made, however, to find out just what the effects will be over a period of years.

If there is one subject that ought to be nonpartisan and nonpolitical, it is tax reform. And if there is one legislative measure that requires not weeks but many months to put together, it is a new tax bill.

IT IS POLITICALLY attractive, for example, to recommend that the personal exemption be raised from $600 to $800. But the average citizen doesn't realize that this means a loss of $6.5 billion in tax revenues and the expenditure of this same sum by the public at a time when the administration is trying to curb unnecessary spending.

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Billy Graham

I become paralyzed with fear when I am asked to do anything in public. How can I overcome this? T.K.

Self-consciousness is a natural inhibition, and you should not be self-conscious about it. It may interest you to know that every public speaker has to fight to overcome self-consciousness. When you hear me speak on radio, TV, or in person, you know nothing of the battle I have had to overcome this common foe of public speakers. I have never spoken anywhere, at any time, without accompanying feelings of nervousness, and feelings of inadequacy.

But the difference is: I don't let them keep me from performing my duty, and exalting Christ. I know that most of my anxiousness is imaginary, although it may seem very real. One verse that helps me is this: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." Self-consciousness can be replaced with God-consciousness, and then we experience the thrill of knowing that His strength, not ours, is being exerted on our personalities, and that creative life is flowing through us. Don't let fear paralyze you. Conquer by transferring your thoughts from self to God, and little by little you will find triumph over these natural fears.

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Hal Boyle

Found A Place To Live Yet?

By D. M. KREISHER
(Substituting for Hal Boyle)

NEW YORK (AP) — People in big cities are reputed to be cold and unfriendly to strangers, but newcomers to New York gain instant membership in a club that entitles them to endless sympathy and advice.

The group is the "Hunting for a Home Club," a fellowship of blood, sweat and tears shared by nearly everyone of moderate or lower income who has tried to find a place to live in this city where living space is one of the rarest commodities.

The newcomer is welcomed into the club by his new fellow workers, by deskmen and bellboys at the hotel he uses as a base while hunting and by others who learn of his status.

"Found a place to live yet?" has almost replaced "Glad to meet you" as a greeting for new coworkers.

The depth of emotion expressed by the wellwisher is a good indication of the time lapse since he went through the same trauma.

"Just moved into the city?" a waitress asks a customer reading the real estate ads over his breakfast coffee. "Still looking for a place to live? Miserable isn't it?"

Such expressions of concern can go a long way toward subduing the waves of frustration and hopelessness that engulf the home hunter after a few days of futile search.

Of more questionable value is the abundance of advice veterans of the home-hunting campaign give to the greenhorn. The ideas are valid in most cases, but, unfortunately, also are known by most of the other contestants in the frantic game.

The most common technique is to search the real estate section of the newspapers, particularly the massive section in the Sunday New York Times. Old pros will tell you the section can be obtained in certain locations as early as Thursday and is readily available on Saturday.

The sight of this seemingly endless selection is at first reassuring. But, after combing the columns for ads that match his aims in size, costs and locations, the seeker takes the greatly reduced list and a handful of dimes to the nearest telephone. There he probably will find most of the openings were taken days ago.

After days or weeks, depending on his patience, the home seeker either revises his rent limit upward, his desires in a home downward, or settles for an area of the city a little less desirable.

Or he could give in and resort to a broker—easier on the nerves and more reliable probably but it means a loss of face among those who "did it on my own." It also cost more money. A month's rent used to be the standard fee, but it's going up.

"Ten per cent of a year's rent is the legal limit, but I know some brokers are charging 15," said one broker who only asked 10 per cent.

By one means or another, the newcomer eventually finds a place and settles in, scarred but wiser, and waits to greet the next greenhorn with, "Found a place to live yet?"

John Cunniff

The Losing Passenger Trains

NEW YORK (AP) — Slowly but steadily the railroad industry feels it is winning a difficult battle to convince the American people that its position regarding passengers and profits does have some merit.

There were days not long ago, railroad men concede, when a good part of the American population thought they were crying wolf. The disbelievers included passengers, employes and government representatives.

The railroad men shouted for years that they were losing money on long-haul and commuter passenger service, and so they fought to discontinue scores of trains. The public didn't believe; it suspected instead that the books were being juggled.

The question was asked: "If the United States is really the strongest industrial nation on earth, why is it that it cannot provide passenger service equal to or better than that of less developed nations?"

Why, asked passengers, did the equipment in some American railroad stations look like it dated from Civil War days, if not actually, then in design. Many passengers concluded that the railroads were hinting broadly that they didn't want passenger business.

Public opinion hasn't changed in a very dramatic way, but you can easily perceive now that it isn't what it was just a year ago. The railroad men seem to be getting a more positive, less doubting, reception.

A good deal of hard work has gone into changing the image and a lot of researchers and publicists and lobbyists have worked like coolies to do so. But events also have begun to break their way.

And during this past summer the Interstate Commerce Commission released a study that confirmed some of the industry's arguments. It showed that the lines studied were losing heavily on passenger traffic and perhaps, as a result, heading for trouble in other areas as well.

The increased use of the automobile and the airliner are said to be the chief reasons for the decline of rail passenger traffic. And the statistics do, of course, show a tremendous increase in these other transportation forms.

The United States has built the world's greatest highway system, and there is now one car for every 2.5 residents, compared with one in 35 in Japan and about one in 14 or 15 in Europe.

Such figures permits the railroads to argue that environmental changes developed in this nation that are the nation's, not the railroad's alone, to solve. Competition in this country has simply become too great.

To Your Good Health

What A Bundle Branch Block Is

By G. C. THOSTESON, M.D.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: When a condition is described as a left block or bundle branch block, would that mean that the left chamber of the heart is blocked? All of it? And what about those small arteries that grow when some larger one is closed? Is there heart surgery for this? Also, why does an electrocardiogram not show this difficulty? — R.W.

Forget the idea that such a block means that any chamber of the heart is blocked (there are four chambers, two on the right, two on the left side).

Rather, what makes the heart beat? It is an impulse carried by nerves to the heart muscle. The impulses are conducted by highly specialized fibers which are assembled in a "bundle" with one running through the right side of the heart, one through the left side.

A "block" or interference or delay retards the passage of the impulse. This can occur on either the right or left side, and can slow the heart beat or interfere with its regularity. (Left bundle branch block commonly follows heart disease.)

The block may cause enough change in heart sounds to be detected with a stethoscope, but in any case an ECG (electrocardiogram) will detect the situation readily. There are distinct, recognizable changes to indicate whether the right or left bundle is involved.

There is no surgery for this, but medications as well as pacemakers are used to compensate when necessary.

Your question about arteries opens up a pretty big subject. To put it briefly, a heart attack is what happens when some branch of the artery system feeding the heart muscle is shut off.

That deprives the heart muscle of its nutrition — its blood supply.

Our arteries aren't like railroads, leading to specific points. Arteries, instead, are more like the branches of a tree. The big branches have smaller branches, and the smaller branches have myriads of twigs, and the twigs have leaves.

So it is with a main artery. smaller branches, and smaller ones yet. So if one large branch is incapacitated, the smaller branches will gradually enlarge, to absorb the work in a neighboring area — in this case, to take over the task of feeding the heart muscle.

It isn't a complete takeover. But it helps, helps a lot. That, indeed, is the reason why, after the first critical period, people recover from heart attacks.

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"Tips On How To Stop Smoking," by Dr. Thosteson, will help you give up the habit. To receive a copy of the booklet, write to Dr. Thosteson in care of The Herald, enclosing with your request 10 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Around The Rim

No 'Party' For Taxpayers

One thing and another:

I applaud those citizens who, concerned with the constant rise in tax rates, have banded together to try and make the long-suffering public more conscious of the cancerous menace.

Everyone who pays and pays and pays should feel vitally concerned with the organization's aims and ambitions.

That brings to mind a worried woman who called one of the vigilant group and asked: "Do the taxpayers have a party?"

"Very seldom," came the patient reply, "very seldom."

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WOULD YOU like to have your own buffalo grazing in your back yard? They're still available, you know.

Live animals are still being sold in at least three public auctions. They can be had at the Wichita Mountains Wildlife Refuge in Cache, Okla.; the Fort Niobrara National Wildlife Refuge in Valentine, Neb., and the National Bison Range in Moiese, Mont.

Take plenty of deodorant.

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CALIFORNIANS have become so sensitive about their booming divorce rate they no longer refer to it as such. Out there, a legal separation of mates is called "dissolution of marriage."

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RAMPARTS MAGAZINE recently used this quote in an article on the destruction of our ecology:

"It is the top of the ninth inning. Man, always a threat at the plate, has been hitting Nature hard. It is important to remember, however, that NATURE BATS LAST."

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IT IS ALSO sobering to note (quoting Gov. Ronald Reagan) that, since 1945, more than one million acres of California's prime agricultural land — the land on which is produced 43 per cent of the nation's fruits and vegetables — has been lost to the bulldozer.

Furthermore, contractors continue to tear up an average of 112 new acres daily in the state. Gov. Reagan warns that in another 60 years all the economically productive soil will have been used up in his commonwealth for housing tracts. That's quite a legacy to leave to the state's children.

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IN GREAT BRITAIN, homes are so cold that owners could hang meat in them. The average Briton wears sweaters around his scatter rather than try to warm up the place during the cold months.

Some landlords in this country do the same. A tenant was complaining recently that his apartment stayed so cold that every time he opened the door his light came on.

—TOMMY HART

Holmes Alexander

Mr. Nixon And The Future

WASHINGTON — No man was ever great by imitation, Dr. Sam Johnson observed, and neither did any statesman achieve greatness merely by surviving problems left by his predecessors, Mr. Nixon's detractors are beginning to say.

They are saying, that is, that by ending the war, by cooling inflation, by absorbing the shocks of racial and radical dissent, the President will come to the end of his tenure with no better than a negative record and will write only a "Who's Nixon?" chapter for the history books.

WHILE THIS projection is comforting to wound-licking Democrats and other Nixonphobes, it does not take into account the President's pluck and luck as a figurehead on the prow of the ship of technology. John Kennedy spoke of frontiers and Lyndon Johnson of a great society, but it's Mr. Nixon who's at the tiller in the winning of the moon-race, in the breakthrough of sensational social uses of nuclear power and in the dawn of supersonic civilian transport.

THE TROPHIES of moon-racing are being frittered away, I think, in TV spectaculars and in knowledge-sharing with an ungrateful world, but not so with nuclear applications and advanced aviation. Here we possess not only the superior skills (supply) but also the needs (demand), and we can be as selfish as squirrels in hoarding what's ours.

DR. GLENN SEABORG, AEC chairman, points out that nuclear-generated electricity soon can give us a "junkless civilization" by burning up all the waste matter that now pollutes air, water and city dumps. Two physicists, also from Dr. Seaborg's Atomic Energy Commission's shop, followed with much more detail about the use of a "fusion torch" which would reduce all forms of industrial and human waste back into elemental carbon, oxygen, sulphur and the like.

When it comes to personal credits, Mr. Nixon can be very chesty about the expected fall-outs from the Supersonic Transport program. He himself gave the go-ahead signal, which was a nervy one to give since it calls for government investment at a time of tax kick-backs to the taxpayer and of skimping on many Federal plans which are in much more popular demand than speedier passenger planes.

BUT SST, since it will produce American employment and American profits, is an exercise in fairly remote as well as fairly immediate self-interest. The program develops a new structural material, titanium, which is stronger, lighter and more fire-resistant than other metals used in construction, and the program develops air-traffic control to the point that almost eliminates pilot-error throughout civil aviation. SST would be worthwhile, however, quite aside from air travel, for it feeds new methods into food-processing, desalination of water, improvement of mass surface transportation and mechanized noise-control over every sort of engine that passes through or above our clamorous cities.

MR. NIXON occupies the presidency not only as the sanitarian to clean up the Kennedy-Johnson mistakes which find us at war abroad and at home, but he is historically positioned to reign at a time of scientific applications that are immensely practical.

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Burleson Reports

Wait For Evidence On 'Atrocities'

WASHINGTON — There is little doubt and, in most instances, well documented, that there has never been a war in which there have not been atrocities committed on both sides of the conflict. This has been especially true in civil and revolutionary wars when one side fights with underground guerrilla type tactics. In these cases it becomes impossible to always distinguish between friend and foe or sometimes between men and women, children and adults. It is known that in the guerrilla type operation combatants often masquerade as civilians and often use civilians as suppliers, spies, shields and assassins. A mine laid by a school boy shatters the body as if it were laid by an adult soldier.

HISTORY MENTIONS that the Bolsheviks in the Russian Revolution of 1917 had women out in front of them to first face the Cossacks.

In World War I the British were accused of conducting terrorist campaigns in which atrocities were committed before joined by the Americans against the Germans.

There is, however, usually a great deal more added than facts support. This may be called the "campaign" of atrocity accusations for propaganda purposes. There were the horror stories about the Nazi, the French in Algeria, the Kuomintang in China, Batista in Cuba and the accusations against the United States that germ warfare was used in the Korean war. The fact remains that there has been some truth about atrocities by the very nature of war. The exception — the germ warfare in Korea.

IT IS POSSIBLE and likely that some American soldiers in Vietnam have committed acts that, whatever the provocation, must be defined as atrocities. The truth should be faced and individuals judged. It is another thing, however, for American soldiers, whether individually, by platoons, companies or on up to every boy in Vietnam to be judged by ugly sensationism and used as a front for an attack on US policy and leadership. This type of propaganda is grist for the propaganda mill of our enemy and even shakes up our friends who support our position in Vietnam.

IT IS DIFFICULT for anyone who has not been there to know what they might do under a given circumstance. The individual soldier coming out of the jungle into the clearing of a village known to be occupied by the Viet Cong, weary and afraid, may not always be able to identify an enemy ready to take his life. These overwhelming conditions may well cause an American soldier, whose business it is not to fight in the first place, to act in a way that he would never think of otherwise.

THIS IS A rationale and not an excuse. Neither is it any justification that the enemy's atrocities in the Vietnam war are so little noticed by those who now are so ready to criticize our side. It is proved that the enemy faced in Vietnam has been the perpetrator of unspeakable atrocities but not sensationalized as has been the accusations against our American men.

Before passing judgment on who did what, where and when, it behooves all, including public communications, to wait for evidence from legal and competent sources to establish guilt.



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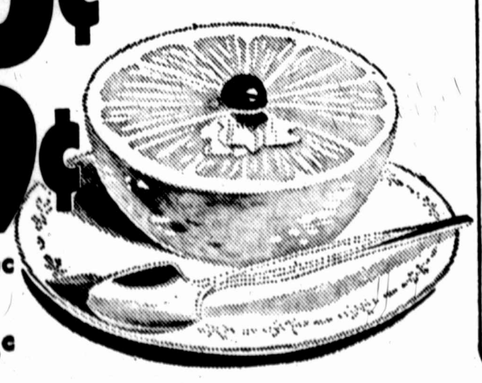
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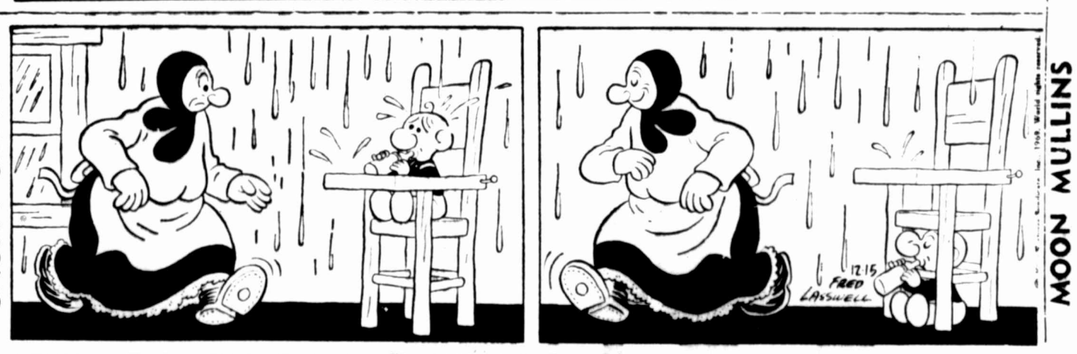
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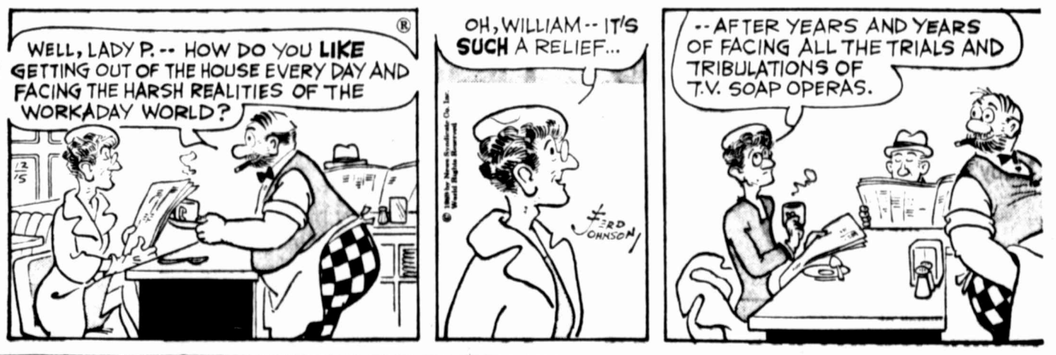
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Hitters Are Reasserting

BOSTON (AP) — The hitters reasserted themselves in 1969 American League action as Rod Carew of the Minnesota Twins led the way with a .332 average —the highest to win the batting championship since 1961.

Official statistics released by the league office over the weekend confirmed that there were six .300 hitters this year compared to only one in 1968's year of the Pitcher. The batting average for the entire league was .246, an increase of 16 points over last year's .230 figure.

Carew's average was by far the best of his three-year major league career, following marks of .292 and .273. It was 31 points better than Carl Yastrzemski's title winning .301 percentage a year ago, and was the second highest winning average in the 1960s, topped only by Norm Sash's .361 mark eight years ago.

The 24-year-old left-handed hitting Minnesota second baseman actually was batting higher for the first part of the season, flirting with the .400 mark until late June. He tailed off thereafter, but still wound up far in front of teammate Tony Oliva and Boston's Reggie Smith, who tied for runnerup honors at .309.

Killebrew won his sixth home run title with 49 and his second runs batted in crown with 140 en route to selection as the league's Most Valuable Player. The RBI total was a new personal high, while the homer output matched his previous career high set in 1964.

Oliva led the league in hits for the fourth time with 197 and in doubles for the third time with 39.

Reggie Jackson of Oakland led in runs scored with 123, Del Unser of Washington in triples with eight, and his teammate Frank Howard in total bases with 340.

Tommy Harper of Seattle stole 73 bases, the most since 1915 when Ty Cobb set the AL record of 96.

Minnesota's West Division champions had the best team batting average, .268, three points higher than Baltimore's East Division and league pennant winners.

No Progress During Talks

SAN JUAN, P.R. (AP) — "We see no end in sight at this moment."

With those words, Marvin Miller armed with a new three-year contract as executive director of the Major League Baseball Players Association, summed up the latest round of fruitless negotiations between the players and club owners.

After two days of talks, which Miller said was to hear "a detailed report on the (owner) committee's latest offer," the two sides were described Sunday as "nowhere near agreement."

A strike over pension benefits and other benefits last year delayed the opening of spring training for most players. There was no word on whether it might come down to a strike again, but Miller complained about what he called "a lack of progress" after 15 meetings.

Neither Miller nor Tom Haller of the Los Angeles Dodgers, representing the National League, would go into details of the meetings. "I don't think it would be helpful," Miller said.

But the more important topics were believed to include the number of games in a season, reserve clause, minimum salary and grievance procedure.

Sunday's session included a meeting between the players and Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

CURLING? NO, FOOTBALL — When officials had to resort to wielding a broom in an effort to locate a yard-line marker in the Minnesota-San Francisco game Sunday at Minneapolis, it looked more like smoothing the way for a curling iron. The Vikings managed to mush to a 10-7 victory in the heavy snowstorm and remain unbeaten.

Balloon Trip Almost Steals Show, As Vikings Win 12th

By The Associated Press

Eleven-year-old Rick Snyder must have been an inspiration to Minnesota quarterback Joe Kapp. Rick took to the air at halftime, then Joe went to the air in the fourth quarter to bring the Vikings their 12th straight National Football League victory.

Rick and his mother were in the gondola of a 25-foot-hot-air balloon participating in the halftime show of the Vikings-San Francisco game played Sunday in a snowstorm in Minnesota. When Mrs. Snyder got out of the gondola, the balloon broke its mooring and carried Rick three miles, landing in the Minnesota river.

A passing motorist got the boy out of the river and returned him to the stadium in time to see Kapp, who threw only 10 passes, put the ball in the air for a 52-yard scoring strike to Gene Washington for the victory.

In other NFL action Sunday, Detroit, 8-4-1, thrashed Los Angeles, 11-2, 28-0; Washington, 7-4-2, held off New Orleans, 4-9, 17-14; Green Bay 7-6, topped Chicago, 1-12, 21-3; Cleveland, 10-2-1, took St. Louis, 4-8-1, 27-21; the New York Giants, 5-8, edged Pittsburgh, 1-12, 21-17, and Atlanta, 5-8, trounced Philadelphia, 4-8-1, 27-3. Capitol Division winner Dallas, 10-2-1, beat Baltimore, 7-5-1, 27-10 Saturday.

Coastal Division champion Los Angeles, with quarterback Roman Gabriel sitting out most of the first half, simply couldn't get untracked against Detroit, being held to 96 yards total offense. Ex-Ram Bill Munson passed for two touchdowns, Erroll Mann booted four field goals and the Lions also got a safety.

Charley Harraway ran 12 yards for a touchdown and caught a 30-yard pass from Sonny Jurgensen for another and Curt Knight kicked a 19-yard field goal as Washington built a 17-0 halftime lead, then withstood New Orleans. The victory assured the Redskins of their first winning season since 1955.

After a scoreless first half, Green Bay exploded for 21 points in the third quarter. Two of the touchdowns were scored by Travis Williams on a 29-yard run and a 60-yard pass from Don Horn. Chicago's Gale Sayers, the NFL's leading rusher, gained 90 yards in 25 carries and boosted his total to 972 yards.

Oilers Need Help For Raider Match

By The Associated Press

Coach Clive Rush of the Boston Patriots is one man who has respect for the Houston Oilers, who are supposed to lose to the Oakland Raiders in an American Football League playoff match Saturday.

The Oilers wrapped up the regular season Sunday by scoring 10 points in the last four minutes to beat Boston 27-23 and Rush said afterwards:

"It was a strong effort by Houston which should help them in the playoffs."

Houston will need all the help it can get. Pete Beathard, playing with a foot injury, passed for two Oiler touchdowns, including an eight-yarder to Jim Bierene to tie the score, and helped save his team the embarrassment of going into the playoffs with a losing record. The Oilers wound up 6-6-2 while Oakland, the winningest team in the AFL, defends its Western title with a 12-1-1 record.

The Raiders won their division by beating Kansas City in a 10-6 nail-biter Saturday.

In Sunday games, the New York Jets, 10-4, whipped Miami 27-9 to give the Dolphins the worst record in the AFL, 3-10-1; San Diego, 8-6, pounded Buffalo, 4-10, 45-6 and Denver, 5-8-1, beat Cincinnati, 4-8-1, 27-16.

The Oilers play Oakland under the new playoff system which pits hhe Western Division champion against runner-up in the East. The Jets, defending world champions and Eastern Division winners, challenge Kansas City, No. 2 in the West, in the other playoff game. The winners meet for the league title on Jan. 4.

Joe Namath passed for two Jets' touchdowns in the first period against Miami and then retired to the bench to protect his wobbly knees for the Kansas City game.

San Diego's Lance Alworth became the first man in pro football to catch a pass in 96 straight games when he caught a nine-yard toss from quarterback John Hadl during the Chargers' rout over Buffalo. Alworth wound up the day with seven catches for 122 yards and a touchdown.

Denver ripped open a tight game by going ahead 17-16 early in the fourth period on Bobby Howfield's 51-yard field goal and clinched the victory when Pete Liske hit John Embree after moving the ball to the Bengal three with a 71-yard pass to Frank Quayle.

Mart Is Cast As Cinderella Team

By The Associated Press

If there's a Cinderella team in the Texas schoolboy football championship playoffs this weekend, it has to be the Mart Panthers.

In order to advance to Friday's Class A championship game against defending champion Sonora, the Panthers had to defeat the state's first and second ranked teams on successive weekends.

In the quarterfinals two weekends ago, the Panthers shocked top ranked White Oak 12-7 and thrived again last week on their underdog role by upending second ranked Poth 14-7.

Mart and Sonora meet at Austin's Nelson Field Friday at 7:30 p.m. to get the big weekend of high school football rolling. Champions in classes AAAA, AAA and AA will be named in games Saturday.

The focal point of the championship finale will be Waco's Baylor Stadium where two state champs will be named Saturday.

Wichita Falls and San Antonio Lee collide at 2 p.m. for the Class AAAA championship and Brownwood and West Columbia tangle at 8 p.m. to decide the Class AAA champion.

Iowa Park meets surprising Klein Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in Arlington's Memorial stadium for the Class AA crown.

Klein joins Mart as one of the surprise teams in the schoolboy championship games. The Bearkats were forecast to exit in last week's semifinals against top ranked Lufkin Dunbar.

But Klein fought Dunbar to a 23-23 tie and advanced to the finale on first downs 17-13.

Comstock Is G-City Victor

GARDEN CITY — Comstock, led by the sharp shooting of Webb Williams, a junior, romped to a 60-44 victory over Mertzon and took the boys championship of the Garden City basketball tournament here Saturday night.

Mertzon held Comstock to 9-8 through the first quarter, but then Comstock pulled to a 31-16 margin to settle the issue.

Earlier, Flower Grove had broken the game open in the third quarter to win the girls title 60-51 over Sands.

Named to the all-tournament teams were:

GIRLS — Forwards: Melanie Boyd (Mertzon) Gloria Dodd (Forsan) Sandra Nichols (Sands); Virginia Pribyla (Flower Grove) most valuable. guards: Rita Pribyla (Flower Grove), Jo Ann Coleman (Sands), Judy Halfmann (Garden City); Judy Cave (Flower Grove), most valuable.

BOYS — Phillip Tankersley (Mertzon), Jim Raglin (Grand Falls) Mike Hail (Water Valley), Johny Peugh (Sands) and Andy Cash (Comstock); Webb Williams, (Comstock), most valuable.

Garden City will entertain Flower Grove teams here at 7 p.m. Thursday, then at 2 p.m. Friday the girls open against Fluvanna and at 3:20 p.m. the boys against Fluvanna in the Borden Tournament at Gail.

The boys championship box:

COMSTOCK (61) — Webb Williams 14-2-30, Hutto 2-0-4, Brotherton 5-2-12, Cash 2-0-4, Rivera 3-2-8, Bobb 1-1-3. Totals 27-7-61.

MERTZON (44) — Tankersley 5-5-15, Palmer 3-4-10, Shelton 2-3-7, Ethridge 2-0-4, Noelke 4-0-8. Totals 16-12-44.

Comstock	9	31	45	61
Mertzon	8	16	22	44

Rebels Host Steer Quint

The Big Spring Steers, sporting a 4-8 seasonal slate, commence District 4-AAAA basketball play Tuesday night when the team travels to Midland for a bout with Lee.

Big Spring also has another game on tap this week. Coach Kirby Pugh's roundball squad will play Odessa Ector here Friday evening.

After a short break for the holidays, the team will begin earnest preparations for the Borger tournament, which begins Dec. 26. The Steers will face Clayton High School (N.M.) in their first tournament outing.

BS Runners Win Places

Big Spring runners, while falling short of the top 10 in individual performances, nevertheless turned in respectable times in the state cross-country meet in Austin Saturday.

Local runners were bunched between 28 and 82 in a field of 196 entries in Division II (enrollment up to 2,000). The inning time was 9:32, which sliced five seconds off the old record.

Garland Braun, coach, said that this terminated the cross country for the season and that after the holidays his charges would concentrate on track events.

Big Spring placers were Danny Smart 28 with 10:20; Walter Campbell 47 with 10:31; Mark Jones 62 with 10:39; Johnny Turner 74 with 10:46; and Roman Ramirez 82 with 10:51.

Freeman Forced To Play, So He Makes Dallas Pay

By The Associated Press

The Dallas Chaparrals wouldn't let Don Freeman of the Miami Floridians enjoy a well-earned rest, so Freeman made them pay for it.

Freeman had 39 points and the Floridians a 13-point lead midway in the fourth quarter of an American Basketball Association game Sunday night. But Dallas rallied and Freeman had to come back in the final two minutes to score six more points and clinch a 119-115 victory.

Skip Thoren helped the Floridians with 28 rebounds. Cincy Powell scored 30 points and Manny leaks 27 for Dallas.

In other Sunday games in the ABA, New Orleans downed Washington 104-94 and Denver trounced Los Angeles 122-101.

New Orleans opened up a five-game lead over second-place Washington in the Western Division but lost star guard Jimmy Jones for approximately two weeks with strained ligaments in his left knee in a first-quarter fall. Jones went into the game averaging 26 points.

Steve Jones led New Orleans with 29 points, and Mike Butler added 29. Gary Bradds topped Washington with 21.

Larry Jones scored 27 points and Spencer Haywood poured in 26 and grabbed 26 rebounds as Denver won its first game in two starts under new Coach Joe Belmont. Merv Jackson paced Los Angeles with 29 points.

Saturday in the ABA, Carolina edged Miami 100-96, New York took Kentucky 116-111, Dallas topped Indiana 106-101 and New Orleans edged Pittsburgh 102-99.

Coahoma's QB Club To Meet

COAHOMA — The Coahoma Quarterback Club has slated an important meeting for 7:45 p.m. today in the high school cafeteria. Among items on the agenda is a firming of the date, speaker and other details of the football banquet. All members are urged to be on hand for this session.

Chandler Makes Some Progress

GARDEN CITY — Jack Chandler, injured in a football game here in early November, continues to convalesce from the effects of a broken neck. He is awaiting physical therapy. Jack has been able to move his arm and has made some movement with the digits. He has feeling in his legs, too.

Grady Teams Undefeated

LENORAH — Both the Grady boys and girls repeated a familiar story in sweeping to the championship of the Stanton Junior High basketball tournament over the weekend.

The girls defeated the Stanton B team 31-8 in the first round, then measured Greenwood 39-14 before edging Coahoma 35-30 for the title.

The boys took out Coahoma 34-20 in the first round, then clipped Greenwood 51-30 for the championship.

This left the girls with a 15-0 record and the boys with a 14-0 record, said Coach Skipper Driver. The teams will go to Greenwood Thursday for a crucial game in opening the second half of district play.

In the girls game, Darilyn Stewart, Rosalind Welch, Debbie Hildreth and Lea Perry played sharp defense. Jody Yates and Billy Howard contributed 12 points each to lead the boys in the first round. The box scores:

GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIP

GRADY (35) — Pribyla 5-3-13, Haggard 4-3-11, Glaze 4-3-11. Totals 13-9-35.
COAHOMA (30) — Meachens 3-0-6, Keene 5-1-11, Griffin 2-3-7, Beal 2-2-6. Totals 12-6-30.

GRADY	6	18	29	35
COAHOMA	6	11	20	30

BOYS CHAMPIONSHIP

GRADY (51) — Yates 4-0-8, Guiterrez 2-2-6, Cruz 9-1-19, Greenhaw 0-1-1, Howard 1-7-9, Standefer 3-1-7, Sawyer 0-1-1. Totals 19-13-51.
GREENWOOD (30) — Madrid 3-1-7, Gamel 3-0-6, Hawley 2-4-8, Casbeer 0-1-1, Howard 1-1-3, Gonzalez 2-0-4, Lamberth 0-1-1. Totals 11-11-30.

GRADY	10	21	43	51
GREENWOOD	4	11	19	30

Ex-Big Springer Is Trinity Coach

A former junior high school coach in Big Spring, Gene Offield, has been named head football coach at Trinity University in San Antonio.

Offield has been coaching for 14 years He is a native of Breckenridge and a 1952 graduate of Hardin-Simmons University.

He lettered in football there under Warren Woodson, who now is the athletic director at Trinity.

During the 1966-67 season, Offield was an assistant at New Mexico State. He has been out of football the past year.

Offield replaces Earl Gartman, whose contract was not renewed.

MORTON BIG DIFFERENCE

Cowboys Gain Momentum With Eye On Browns

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Cleveland is uppermost in the minds of Dallas Cowboys as they continue to gain momentum for their National Football League Eastern Conference playoff with the Browns Dec. 28.

"We have been thinking about Cleveland since they beat us last year in the playoffs," Cowboy coach Tom Landry said.

Meanwhile, though, the Pokes are also concentrating on matters at hand, as evidenced in their 27-10 victory over Baltimore Saturday.

"Our passing game looked better than it has for several weeks. The Colts are pretty good back there and they're not going to give you a whole lot," said Landry after the nationally televised game in the Cotton Bowl.

Quarterback Craig Morton passed for two touchdowns and the Cowboy pass defense made its best showing of the year with four interceptions.

Landry alternated rookie Otto Brown and veteran Mel Renfro at the right cornerback spot. Brown picked off one pass, Renfro got two and left cornerback Cornell Green intercepted yet another.

"It's been so long since I had played cornerback I didn't really know what I was doing," said Renfro. "I really prefer the free safety position, but we're trying to get ready for Cleveland I do what's best for the team."

Baltimore coach Don Shula had a compliment for Brown's work at the right cornerback. "I thought the kid they put out there on the corner in the first half (Brown) did a good job."

Shula said, however, "Morton was the biggest difference. He burned us a couple of times when he got out of the pocket."

Veteran Colt Johnny Unitas suffered three of the interceptions. "I was a little bit high on a few balls," he commented.

Raiders To Meet Arizona Tonight

By The Associated Press

Texas Tech, which tumbled from the unbeaten ranks last week, tries to keep its head above water against Arizona tonight in the only game involving a Southwest Conference basketball team.

The Raiders started last week's schedule with a 2-0 standard but ran into the likes of Colorado and New Mexico to close out last Saturday with a 3-2 mark. Tech whipped Oklahoma 66-64 last Monday.

SWC teams played a bush schedule of 21 games last week winning only nine to fall behind intersectional competition 16-20.

Texas, the pre-season choice, also started last week unbeaten with a 2-0 record but finished the week 3-2 after a futile West Coast trip that included losses to California (Santa Barbara) 100-85 and second ranked UCLA 99-54.

The Baylor bears moved into a three-way tie for the early season lead with victories over the University of Texas at Arlington 98-79 and Southwest Louisiana, 95-68.

Texas, Tech, and Baylor all have 3-2 records followed by Texas Christian and Rice at 2-2, Texas A&M and SMU at 1-3 and Arkansas 1-4.

In other games this week Colorado State is at Texas A & M Tuesday and Texas goes to Oklahoma State on Wednesday and Brigham Young is at Texas Tech Thursday.

SMU pulled the shocker of last week's games, winning its first game of the season by defeating previously unbeaten Georgia Tech 77-66. TCU upended Oklahoma City in another upset Saturday 79-61.

Abilene Eagles Upset Hobbs

ABILENE — Abilene High scored its most significent basketball victory of the season here Saturday night by defeating Hobbs, N.M., 96-95.

In another portion of a doubleheader played in the Abilene High gym, Abilene Cooper kayoed Fort Worth Western Hills, 60-44. Hobbs was unbeaten in four starts going into the Abilene game.

Jones Figures In HP Victory

ALPINE — Howard Payne, benefitting from 39 points scored by Fred Davis, routed Sul Ross, 119-100, here Saturday night.

Tommy Jones, freshman from Crane, scored 14 points for the Yellow Jackets. His cousin, David Jones of Stanton, counted five. Another Stanton product, Tommy Glynn, tallied two. The win was the eighth without a defeat for Howard Payne.

QB Club Grid Banquet Slated For This Evening

The Quarterback Club is hoping for a crowd of 300 or more when the annual football banquet is held at 7:30 p.m. today in the high school cafeteria. Fans may still get tickets ($2.50) at the door.

Bob Wright, member of a famous Texas coaching family, will be the speaker. Wright, who hails from Ballinger, is a former Howard Payne coach and is the son of Pooch Wright, who also cut a swatch in Texas schoolboy and college coaching. His brother is the Brownwood coach.

Several awards will highlight the occasion, said Spike Dykes, coach. Among them are trophies for outstanding lineman, outstanding back of the year; also the coaches award which goes to some player who has shown the most dedication, leadership, achievement, etc.

There will be a trophy for the squad member with the highest scholastic award; a trophy from the Webb NCOA for outstanding team contribution; and finally the Mad Dog award to the outstanding defensive lineman of the year.

Dunbar Champ

SNYDER — Lubbock Dunbar defeated Lubbock Estacado, 86-73, in the finals of the annual Canyon Reef Basketball tournament here Saturday night. Midland High edged Snyder for third place, 67-66.

BS Golf Ass'n Meets Tuesday

The Big Spring Golf Association has called an important meeting for 6 p.m. Tuesday at the club house at the Municipal Golf Course. Election of officers for 1970 is on tap, said Bob Waters, president, and all members are urged to take part. Plans for the year will be up

Pherigo Letters

SAN ANGELO — Bobby Pherigo, Coahoma, won his second varsity football letter at Angelo State University the past season, coach Grant Teaff has announced.

He was one of 31 players who gained varsity numerals.

Alcindor Upstages Hayes Third Time

By The Associated Press

Alcindor continues to upstage Hayes in pro basketball's Lew and Elvin show.

Rookie Alcindor of the Milwaukee Bucks outdueled Hayes for the third time in as many meetings this season and led the Bucs to a 118-105 victory over San Diego in the National Basketball Association Sunday night.

Alcindor, the 7-foot-2 sensation from UCLA, poured in 32 points as the Bucks won their third straight game. Although outscored, Hayes held a 16-7 rebounding margin over Alcindor.

In other NBA games Sunday, the Los Angeles Lakers beat Seattle 131-127, Cincinnati outlasted Phoenix 137-130 in two overtimes and Philadelphia defeated Chicago 126-121.

In Saturday NBA games, Baltimore pounded San Diego 117-105, San Francisco beat Detroit 104-97, Philadelphia turned back the New York Knicks 100-93, Milwaukee routed Atlanta 121-100 and Phoenix defeated Cincinnati 126-110.

The Lakers snapped a four-game losing streak, thanks to 37 points from Elgin Baylor. Baylor's heroics included a streak of 10 consecutive field goals. The victory overshadowed a 45-point performance by the Sonics' Bob Rule.

Cincinnati scored 22 points in two overtimes to beat Phoenix.

Oscar Robertson and Herm Gilliam led the Cincinnati assault in the second overtime, with Robertson hitting for eight points and Gilliam four.

Robertson finished the night with 37 points, a total equalled by the Suns' Connie Hawkins.

George Wilson and Billy Cunningham provided the scoring impetus in Philadelphia's victory over Chicago. Cunningham, who topped the 76ers with 32 points, sank two foul shots with 35 seconds left putting Philadelphia ahead to stay. Wilson came off the bench and contributed 23 points.

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Nearly 550 Latins March In Support Of Boycott

CRYSTAL CITY, Tex. (AP) — Nearly 550 Mexican-Americans, including elementary school pupils for the first time, boycotted schools for the fifth day today.

The boycotters, protesting what they call discrimination in this Southwest Texas city's school system, marched peacefully from Crystal City High School to Savala Elementary School.

By actual head count, more than 540 Mexican-Americans, ranging in age from tiny elementary school pupils to high school seniors, joined the long procession.

Spokesmen for the protesters earlier said some 300 parents had voted to keep their children out of school in support of the boycott for changes in school policies.

Sevirita Lara, 17, one of the spokesmen for the boycotting pupils, estimated that at least 200 elementary pupils were taking part in the march.

She said 80 or 90 more pupils from a nearby migrant school also joined the march.

The action came after a parade through downtown streets by hundreds of Mexican-Americans that drew an estimated 1,500 demonstrators Sunday afternoon.

No incidents were reported during the march, which was led by a police car. The marchers had a parade permit.

The boycott has been in effect against Crystal City High School and an adjacent junior high since last Tuesday. Goals of the action are changes in the school system, such as Mexican-American culture courses, bilingual education, and hiring of Mexican-American counselors.

Crystal City's population of about 10,000 is more than 80 per cent Mexican-American. Most of the 1,500 pupils in the city's schools are Mexican-American.

The Sunday marching was the climax to a rally of about 500 persons in a park. Hundreds more joined the march as it progressed through town.

The boycott came after the school board refused to consider a list of grievances presented by spokesmen for the protestors. Representatives of the pupils have rejected an offer by school officials to meet with parents only to discuss the grievances.

Leaders and spokesmen for the Mexican-Americans have said they see no end in sight for the boycott.

Other developments over the weekend included a spokesman for the demonstrators saying a boycott has been urged against a large grocery store here. Severita Lara, 17, said the call was issued after two pupils were fired from their part-time jobs at the store.

Store officials had no comment.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

FREE DRINKS—Out on a $1,000 property bond for selling liquor last Sunday, Espanola bar owner Benny Lujan offers free drinks to assistant district attorney. Lujan opened again Sunday in Santa Fe, N.M. DA James Thompson filed a complaint Saturday. Lujan was arrested and out on bond within 15 minutes.

Republicans Lay Plans For Elections In 1970

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans laying the groundwork for the 1970 election plan to feature President Nixon as their top campaigner, congressional Democrats as their No. 1 political targets and control of the Senate and Southern governorships as major toals.

But the leadership of the GOP drive was thrown in doubt by Rep. Rogers C. B. Morton's announcement he will confer with Nixon Tuesday on whether to continue as chairman of the Republican National Committee or step down to run for the Senate in Maryland.

Although Morton indicated he felt a Senate race fell within the commitment he made to Nixon and the GOP upon assuming the chairmanship last April, many top Republicans thought he would continue in the party post unless he came under strong pressure from the President to run.

Lack of a suitable successor for Morton in the party post is considered a prime problem.

Morton's statement came at the end of a three-day conference of the Republican Governors Association in Hot Springs, Ark., at which GOP strategy and campaign plans emerged.

Jim Allison, the deputy national chairman, said in an interview he expects Nixon to play a major role in the GOP drive to capture Congress and retain its 32-18 majority of governorships.

Allison said Vice President Spiro T. Agnew would draw the brunt of fund raising speech assignments. But he added he expects Nixon to appear in all major battleground states next fall—as he did this year for the two successful Republican gubernatorial candidates in New Jersey and Virginia.

The GOP's chief campaign target was evident as four top Republicans aimed their fire at Democrats who control Congrss.

Agnew attacked "the irresponsible tinkering" of Senate Democrats on the tax reform bill; Atty. Gen. John Mitchell said failure to pass money bills and anticrime proposals has "substantially hamstrung" the administration's war on crime; Morton accused congressional leaders of dragging their feet; and Gov. Raymond P. Shafer, the new association chairman, called the failure of Congress to pass needed bills unfortunate.

Republicans are talking with increasing confidence of winning the Senate, where they need a net gain of seven to produce the 50-50 tie that would enable Agnew to cast the decisive vote.

As for governorships, Gov. Louie B. Nunn of Kentucky, the new RGA vice chairman, and Buehl Brentson, its executive director, both pointed the GOP goal toward the south.

Five of the 11 Democratic governorships being contested are in the South.

Children's Shows Very Big On Tube

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — With the approach of the holidays, children's shows are very big with the television networks. NBC and CBS presented two specials over the weekend, both primarily designed for the young audience.

"Hans Brinker and the Silver Skates," a famous and familiar children's book, was reconstituted as a two-hour musical for NBC Sunday night.

"J.T.," the first of four specials in CBS' new "Children's Hour" was a mid-day offering of CBS Saturday. It was an unusual and often perceptive story about a young Negro growing up in a tough slum.

The 100-year-old story of Hans Brinker was full of fascinating film shot in Holland in winter and part of the show seemed like an extemporaneous ice show. The story was heavy with plot and, since it was acted seriously, was often quite painful—as when the impoverished Brinker children were being taunted and snubbed by a nasty little snob.

The two hours did demonstrate that not all stories are susceptible to musical adaptation. The production numbers seemed to be dragged in by the heels and the principals had a way of bursting into song—pretty forgettable tunes—in a most awkward fashion. Actually, they detracted from the total.

The tale is set in the 1830s in a town near Amsterdam and the show benefitted by the period sets and quaint costumes. Hans and the silver skates—a prize in a skating race—were only incidental to the story about how Hans persuaded a famous surgeon to operate on his ailing father.

Eleanor Parker played the mother and Richard Basehart was the doctor, but the show belonged to a young British actor, Robin Askwith, who played Hans as such a good, sober, unselfish boy that he deserved the happing ending.

"J.T." was the little boy who in the opening scene was shown stealing a transistor radio from a car. After that we followed him, cinema verite style, around rubbish-littered streets and up the stairs of a shabby tenement. The story was about J.T. finding a sick cat, attempting to nurse it and feed it back to health, only to have it die. Then, a gift of a kitten he at first rejected, changed his attitudes.

Children may have taken the story at face value, but it has facets—the grim slum surroundings, black-white relationships, the lack of a father in the home—that adult viewers could appreciate. The one wrong note was the pat windup, with J.T., saddened by the cat's death, returning the stolen radio and then suddenly being imbued with Christmas spirit.

Kevin Hooks, young son of actor Robert Hooks, played the title role. He was most appealing as the shy, silent little boy. His mother was played by Jeanette Du Bois in a way to show the tension and fatigue of the family breadwinner.

It was a curiously adult program for a young audience, but it was ambitious and of high quality.

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How Texas Solons Voted On Key Issues

WASHINGTON (AP) — How Texas members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes last week:

House

On passage, 330 to 33, of a bill appropriating $70 billion for defense including $345 million in deployment funds for the Safeguard antimissile system: For passage — Brooks, D; Burleson, D; Cabell, D; Casey, D; Collins, R; de la Garza, D; Dowdy, D; Eckhardt, D; Fisher, D; Gonzalez, D; Kazen, D; Mahon, D; Pickle, D; Price, R; Purcell, D; Roberts, D; Teague, D; White, D. Not voting — Bush, R; Patman, D; Poage, D; Wright, D; Young, D.

On amendment to the foreign aid appropriation, approved 250 to 142, to increase military assistance to South Korea by $50 million and to retain $54.5 million for aircraft for Nationalist China: For the amendment—Burleson, Cavell, Casey, de la Garza, Dowdy, Fisher, Gonzalez, Kazen, Mahon, Patman, Pickle, Poage, Price, Purcell, Roberts, Teague, White, Wright. Against the amendment — Brooks, Bush, Collins, Eckhardt. Not voting — Young.

On passage, 200 to 195, of a bill to appropriate $1.6 billion for foreign aid: For passage — Brooks, Bush, Cabell, de la Garza, Fisher, Gonzalez, Kazen, Mahon, Patman, Pickle, Purcell, Teague, Wright. Against passage — Burleson, Casey, Collins, Dowdy, Eckhardt, Poage, Price, Roberts, White.

Not voting — Young.

Senate

On amendment to the tax reform bill, rejected 29 to 50, to limit deductions for farm expenses to actual farm income plus $15,000, an amount that could be reduced further by the amount the taxpayer's income from other sources exceeded $15,000: Against the amendment—Tower, R. Not voting—Yarborough, D.

On amendment to the tax reform bill, rejected 16 to 23, to include as a tax preference item the increase in the value of property donated to universities and for other charitable purposes: Against the amendment—Tower. Not voting—Yarborough.

On amendment to the tax reform bill, rejected 24 to 52, to impose on specified tax preference items—income that escapes taxation altogether or pays at a reduced tax rate such as capital gains—a graduated tax raising to 15 per cent on perferences over $100,000 and starting with the first $5,000 of such income: Against the amendment—Tower. Not voting—Yarborough.

On amendment to the tax reform bill, rejected 25 to 63, to eliminate the tax exempt status of direct political contributions to labor unions but permitting indirect contributions: Against the amendment—Tower, Yarborough.

On amendment to the tax reform bill, rejected 27 to 59, to eliminate the tax exempt status of political contributions to labor unions, including indirect payments: For the amendment—Tower. Against the amendment—Yarborough.

On amendment to the tax reform bill, approved 65 to 24, to weaken restrictions on the liberal depreciation allowances now allowed on real estate: For the amendment — Tower, Yarborough.

On amendment to the tax reform bill, approved 65 to 30, to authorize the President to impose quotas when an import threatened a domestic product: For the amendment — Tower. Against the amendment—Yarborough.

On motion, accepted 55 to 26, to table and thus kill an amendment to the tax reform bill that would have granted a tax credit for contributions to senatorial campaigns: Against the motion—Yarborough. Not voting—Tower.

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BUSINESS PROPERTY A-1

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DEN AND 2 BDRMS
Bit-in kitchen, carpet, drapes, $750 equity — $87 mo.

TERRIFIC BUY!
In Wash Pl. All big, big rms. Elec log fire in 28 ft liv rm. Fine bdrm and bath for mother-in-law. Owner will finance. Move in, be ready for Santa. Just $13,500.

ALL FOR $16,000
20 ft. den, 17 ft. kit, 29 ft. liv room-dining room, 3 bdrms, 2 full baths, choice location with canyon view.

QUALITY HOME
Spanish decor, den, cor firpl, all elec kit, quiet study or din room, dbl gar. Total $18,300 — $154 mo.

A BARGAIN AND A ½!
3 bdrm home. Only $1200 cash, $50 pmts. Home and ½ of furniture for only $5,000 total.

FORSAN PROPERTY
older home in fine condition, pretty yd and nice location. $5500 total, terms.

NEAR COLLEGE
neat, all new carpet, 3 bdrm. Pretty sunny kitchen. Fncd bk yd, $83 pmts.

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Ready to open—2-bdrm cottage, encl garage, beautiful hdw floors, with oval hooked rugs, spotless kit, plumbed washer-dryer. Tile fncd yd, total $7000.

WELCOME SANTA
at the hearth of center firepl, hub of liv-din-kit. 3-bdrm, 2-bath, fresh paint, new carpet thru-out this brick home, refrig air. Only $18,000.

CHRISTMAS TREE
will twinkle as you enter this cozy brick HOME, corner lot. 3-bdrm, 2-bath, den, fully carpeted and draped. Equity buy, $125 mo.

WRAP UP THIS BARGAIN
Only $500 cash needed, no payment 'til Jan. 1, 3-bdrm, 2-bath, enclosed gar, near Base. $85 mo.

INVITE THE FAMILY
for Christmas dinner in this lrg paneled din rm. All-ele ckit, separate util rm, 3-bdrm, 2-baths. This brk HOME like new thru-out, located 1 full acre. Loan established.

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Perfect Christmas Gifts
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REAL ESTATE A

HOUSES FOR SALE A-2

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loan ..... 6% assumption, less than 20 to pay, $1,000 equity for this 3 bdrm, brick, 2 baths, built-in kit, dining area, fenced, near school.
WANT TO TRADE UP???
to a better—larger—home in Park Hill. 4 bdrms, study or 5 bdrms, large den with fireplace, built-in kit with dining area plus formal dining, dbl gar. Will consider a trade.
MAKE AN EQUITY OFFER
(1)—2 bdrms, 1 bath, fenced, att gar, loan balance $3,950. Washington Sch.
(2)—3 bdrms, 1 bath, eat-in kit, large fenced yard, Goliad Sch.
DON'T HAVE CASH
for that large down payment? Then see this 3 bdrm, carpeted throughout, 1¾ bath home, kit with built-ins plus bar, att gar, $9,850.
BIG HOME—BIG LOT—LITTLE PRICE
lrg carpeted living rm, formal dining rm, 2 lrg carpeted bdrms, den, eat-in kit, 100 ft lot. $6,500. Walk to school.
FRESH-AS-A-DAISY
yellow as a jonquil. 2 bdrms, den, new carpet, pretty kit, walk to College Park Shopping Center. Low down payment, if yellow isn't your cup of tea we have green, white and gray. Pmts could be as low as $80 to $92 per mo.
OLDER—
home, 12 rooms and 3 baths, ideal as triplex or for a large family, $12,500.
LOOK A'HERE
(1)—6 rms, corner lot, $2,000 Total.
(2)—2½ bdrms, fenced yard, for $3,750.
(3)—like new 2 bdrm, att gar, $6,250.
HIS AND HER CARPORT
3 bdrms, new carpet, good kit with oven-range, dining area, large fenced yard, low down pmt and price right.
SO WHO'S PERFECT?
this one is designed for family living, 3 lrg carpeted bdrms, 2 baths, den with fireplace with many more goodies, dbl gar, fenced, $19,000.
LADY IN DISTRESS
this old gal needed some paint and powder, living rm with fireplace, dining rm, 3 large bdrms, central air-heat, dbl gar, Goliad Sch, $5,000.
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2 bdrms near Webb, $60.
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2 BEDROOMS, GOOD location, completely renovated, 1406 Aylford Street. First Federal Savings and Loan, 267-8252.
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Three bedrooms, two baths, brick, fully carpeted, built-ins. On Ann Street. $1200 equity.
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REAL ESTATE A

HOUSES FOR SALE A-2

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SUBURBAN — 3 bdrms, completely carpeted, alum. siding, 3 rms, bath on back of lot, ½ acre, good orchard, $12,500.
COLLEGE PARK — Brick, 4 bdrms, 2 baths, completely carpeted, lrg den, corner firepl, bit-ins, gar. $16,800.
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CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
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HEATON ADDN. — $2,500 full equity—$148 month, brick, 3 bdrms, 1¾ baths with dressing table. Den, built-ins, double garage. 6½% Int., all this on ½ acre.
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HOUSES FOR SALE A-2

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No need to be — see this 5 bdrms, 3 baths, complete adult privacy, oodles closet space, carpet, HUGE kit. Roast chestnuts 'round cozy firepl., 20x40 sep. hobby house, dbl. carport.

LOTS FOR SALE A-3

LOTS FOR sale, Monticello Addition, $500 and up. 2308 South Monticello.

FARMS & RANCHES A-5

½ SECTION FARM in Martin County. ¼ minerals, $200 per acre. Call 263-4668.

RENTALS B

RENTALS:

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BEDROOMS B-1

SPECIAL WEEKLY rates. Downtown Motel on 87, ½ block north of Highway 80.

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FURNISHED APTS. B-3

3 ROOM, NICELY furnished apartment, carport, Cable TV, washer connections. 1701½ Main.

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LARGE 3 ROOMS, bath, furnished duplex. Tub and shower, utilities paid. 1623 East 3rd, 267-2698.

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UNFURNISHED APTS. B-4

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FURNISHED HOUSES B-5

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RENTALS B

FURNISHED HOUSES B-5

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TWO BEDROOM furnished house, 11th Place. McDonald Realty, 267-6097 or 263-7615.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES B-6

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MISC. FOR RENT B-7

PRIVATE TRAILER Space for rent, large lot. Call 263-2341 or 263-6944.

ANNOUNCEMENTS C

LODGES C-1

STATED MEETING Big Spring Lodge No. 1340 A.F. and A.M. every 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome.
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Richard E. Mitchell, H.P.
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Willard Sullivan, Rec.

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SPECIAL NOTICES C-2

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EMPLOYMENT F

HELP WANTED, Male F-1

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COSMETICS J-2

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MONDAY EVENING

3	:00	Letters to Laugh-In	Gomer Pyle	Gomer Pyle	Dark Shadows	Monday Matinee	Mighty Mouse	Investigating Scienc
	:15	Letters to Laugh-In	Gomer Pyle	Gomer Pyle	Dark Shadows	Monday Matinee	Mighty Mouse	Spanish I
	:30	Romper Room	General Hospital	Movietime	Movie	Monday Matinee	Popeye	What's New
	:45	Romper Room	General Hospital	Movietime	Movie	Monday Matinee	Popeye	What's New
4	:00	Komic Karnival	Let's Make A Deal	Movietime	Movie	Bozo's Big Top	Flintstones	Classroom 400
	:15	Komic Karnival	Let's Make A Deal	Movietime	Movie	Bozo's Big Top	Flintstones	Classroom 400
	:30	Komic Karnival	Dark Shadows	Movietime	Movie	Bozo's Big Top	Batman	Misteropers
	:45	Komic Karnival	Dark Shadows	Movietime	Movie	Bozo's Big Top	Batman	Misteropers
5	:00	Rifleman	Bewitched	Admiral Foghorn	News	Space Angel	Munsters	Sesame Street
	:15	Rifleman	Bewitched	Admiral Foghorn	News	Space Angel	Munsters	Sesame Street
	:30	Huntley-Brinkley	Walter Cronkite	Walter Cronkite	What's My Line?	Little Rascals	I Love Lucy	Sesame Street
	:45	Huntley-Brinkley	Walter Cronkite	Walter Cronkite	What's My Line?	Little Rascals	I Love Lucy	Sesame Street
6	:00	News, Weather	Local News	News, Sports	Channel 8 News	F Troop	Rifleman	What's New
	:15	News, Weather	Here 'n' There	Weather	Channel 8 News	F Troop	Rifleman	What's New
	:30	My World	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke	The Music Scene	Darrell Royal	Big Valley	Driver Education
	:45	My World	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke	The Music Scene	Darrell Royal	Big Valley	Driver Education
7	:00	Rowan & Martin	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke	The Music Scene	Financial Final	Big Valley	World Press
	:15	Rowan & Martin	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke	The New People	Financial Final	Big Valley	World Press
	:30	Rowan & Martin	Here's Lucy	Lucy Show	The New People	The 7:30 Movie	Perry Mason	World Press
	:45	Rowan & Martin	Here's Lucy	Lucy Show	The New People	The 7:30 Movie	Perry Mason	World Press
8	:00	Movie	Mayberry RFD	Mayberry R.F.D.	The Survivors	The 7:30 Movie	Perry Mason	Net Journal
	:15	Movie	Mayberry RFD	Mayberry R.F.D.	The Survivors	The 7:30 Movie	Perry Mason	Net Journal
	:30	Movie	Doris Day	Doris Day	The Survivors	The 7:30 Movie	Peyton Place	Net Journal
	:45	Movie	Doris Day	Doris Day	The Survivors	The 7:30 Movie	Peyton Place	Net Journal
9	:00	Movie	The Survivors	Carol Burnett	Great Dollar Robbery	Della	Movie	Close-Up
	:15	Movie	The Survivors	Carol Burnett	Great Dollar Robbery	Della	Movie	Close-Up
	:30	Movie	The Survivors	Carol Burnett	Great Dollar Robbery	Della	Movie	Interface
	:45	Movie	The Survivors	Carol Burnett	Great Dollar Robbery	Della	Movie	Interface
10	:00	News, Weather	News, Weather, Sports	News, Weather, Sports	Channel 8 News	Della	News, Weather	Casals Master
	:15	News, Weather	News, Weather, Sports	News, Weather, Sports	Channel 8 News	Cinema 39	Movie	Casals Master
	:30	Tonight Show	Merv Griffin	Merv Griffin	Channel 8 News	Cinema 39	Movie	Folk Guitar
	:45	Tonight Show	Merv Griffin		Channel 8 News	Cinema 39	Movie	Folk Guitar
11	:00	Tonight Show	Merv Griffin	Merv Griffin	Joey Bishop	Cinema 39	Movie	Sign Off
	:15	Tonight Show	Merv Griffin	Merv Griffin	Joey Bishop	Cinema 39	Movie	
	:30	Tonight Show	Merv Griffin	Merv Griffin	Joey Bishop	Cinema 39	Movie	
	:45	Tonight Show	Merv Griffin	Merv Griffin	Joey Bishop	Cinema 39	Movie	

TUESDAY MORNING

6	:00				Operation Lift			
	:15				Operation Lift			
	:30		In-farm-ation	Sunrise Semester	Murray Cox		News	
	:45		In-farm-ation	Sunrise Semester	Channel 8 News		Theatre	
7	:00	Today	In-farm-ation	News	Mr. Peppermint		Theatre	
	:15	Today	In-farm-ation	News	Mr. Peppermint		Theatre	
	:30	Today	Morning News	News	Mr. Peppermint		Theatre	
	:45	Today	Morning News	News	Mr. Peppermint		Theatre	
8	:00	Today	Captain Kangaroo	Capt. Kangaroo	Real McCoys		Theatre	Driver Education
	:15	Today	Captain Kangaroo	Capt. Kangaroo	Real McCoys		Theatre	Driver Education
	:30	Today	Captain Kangaroo	Capt. Kangaroo	Movie		Romper Room	TBA
	:45	Today	Captain Kangaroo

'Friendly Neighbors' Host Holiday Party

The "Friendly Neighbors" at Forsan extended their friendliness Saturday at their Christmas party held in the Home Economics Department of the Forsan school and included many from out of town.

Among the guests to join the group were Mr. and Mrs. Duke Lipscomb, who now live in Matador, but for a number of years ranched near Forsan. Other long - time friends of Forsan present were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hinds. He began his school teaching years at the Forsan school, and their daughter, Mrs. Robert Goodlett, is now on the Forsan faculty. Others from Big Spring were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watkins, Mrs. Opal Keisley, Mrs. Mae Franklin, Mrs. Mamie Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parks. D. L. Bennett came from Colorado City.

Refreshment tables were placed about the room and were gaily decorated with seasonal greenery and poinsettias. The central table was covered with a green cloth and centered with a nut ring surrounding Christmas candles. A Christmon tree was featured at the end of the room.

Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Dena Lawson, Garden City; Mrs. J. D. Leonard, Big Spring; Mrs. V. E. Phillips, Mrs. Ted Henry, Mrs. James Smith, Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. Jessie Louis Overton, Mrs. Jessie Overton, Mrs. Lois O'Barr Smith, Mrs. Mary Archer, Mrs. Benny Blizzard and Mrs. Lenn Glass.

Forty-six guests registered.

Regular meetings of the Friendly Neighbor group are held on the first Friday of each month. The January meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Louis O'Barr Smith with Mrs. Joe Hoard as cohostesses.



WOMAN OF THE YEAR—Shirley Temple Black, member of the United States delegation to the United Nations, flashes her familiar smile from earlier years in filmdom as she holds trophy after being named "woman of the year" by the Sarah Coventry organization. She was given the trophy last week at the U.S. mission to the U.N. in New York City. The organization, representing 40,000 American women, gives the award annually.

Bill Colemans Host Party

The Spoudazio Fora Study Club held its couples' Christmas dinner Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill C. Coleman, 1100 Lloyd. A hospitality hour began at 6:30 o'clock.

Cohostesses were members of the hospitality committee, including Mrs. Charles Neefe and Mrs. Hulan Harris.

Gifts were exchanged from a gaily-decorated tree, and dancing comprised the entertainment.

The polished refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of red carnations, blue spruce and sugar plums.

Guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Domer.

Lectures For Club

"Tables for Friends" was the lecture topic when Mrs. Dale Smith spoke Wednesday in First Federal Community Room to members and guests of the Four O'Clock Garden Club.

Mrs. Smith had prepared tables for most every occasion, ranging from an informal breakfast or brunch to buffets and formal dinners.

The main point stressed by the speaker was that everything used on the table should be practical, scaled to size and pleasing to the eye. She emphazised a compatible blending of textures, sizes and designs of all table accessories.

In discussing table ettiquette, Mrs. Smith gave rules regarding cloth lengths and appointment placement, remarking that the use of table mats is popular, simple and flexible for decorative purposes.

"One may get away from complicated napkin folds by using the simplest method — ring holders," said Mrs. Smith, "and these are things which can be made by the hostess."

After the program, club members reconvened at Holiday Inn for a luncheon, with Mrs. Guy Cook, president, presenting a gift to Mrs. Smith. Other guests were Mrs. Bill Brown and Mrs. Dave Sissel.

The Jan. 14 meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Paul Koshi, 4033 Alma Circle.

Opti-Mrs. Club Has Game Party

A couples' dinner and game party was held Friday evening for members of the Opti-Mrs. Club in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Clark, 2302 Clanton. Mrs. Jack Price was cohostess.

Gifts were exchanged from a green Christmas tree, games of "42" and bridge were played.

A wreath adorned the fireplace, and angels were placed at the entryway. Quartet tables were laid with linen cloths and centered with candles.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Jones.

The next meeting will be Jan. 13.

Tuesday Luncheon

The Center Point Home Demonstration Club will hold its Christmas luncheon at 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, at Furr's Cafeteria.

Hints From Heloise

Dear Heloise:

Try as I might, when I cook fresh yellow squash — usually called goose neck — I cannot get the sand off, no matter what I scrub it with.

Now when I buy it the only answer I have learned is to take my potato peeler and actually peel it!

It takes off such a thin slice that it does not harm the squash at all.

Another trick I learned from an old-time cafe man was never buy those big squashes. They are tough. Pick out the smallest ones you can find and they are always tender . . . Mary Jane Thies

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LETTER OF THOUGHT

Dear Heloise:

My grandmother, who lived to a ripe old age, wore bifocals. She told me once that she held her chin high and through the bottom lenses saw things nearby. As she lowered her head and looked through the upper portion, she saw things at a distance.

Then I asked her how she could see when she bent her head and looked high over the top of her glasses. She smiled and told me when she bent her head all she could see was GOD . . .

It's not a household hint, but maybe it is. If more people bowed their heads to see God, the world might be a better place in which to live . . . Mrs. Irene Morris

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Dear Heloise:

Plastic wrap that becomes so frustrating when unrolled because it is so unruly, has always been one of my pet peeves.

I've found that this helps a lot:

Try keeping it in the refrigerator, box and all . . . you'll have no more sticky mess and it even adheres to the bowls, or what have you, a lot better . . . Linda Watson

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Dear Heloise:

If you own a good wool blanket or puff that is nice and warm but really too small to give you adequate overhang on a large bed:

Try machine-stitching an extension such as a two-foot-wide strip of old sheeting along one long side of the quilt.

This extension gets tucked under the foot of the mattress when making the bed. What used to be the length of the quilt now goes crosswise on the bed and hangs over adequately, and what used to be the width of the quilt now runs lengthwise on the bed. And because the quilt itself is not used for tucking in at the foot, it should reach up to your chin nicely.

The sheet extension won't shrink in the washing or dry-cleaning process . . . A Reader

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Dear Heloise:

I am an ex-school teacher and always keep a drawing compass in my kitchen drawer.

I find so many uses for it. I use it to punch holes in the children's belts, make a whole in woodwork before screwing in a cup hook, or make a circle of pastry and on and on.

It also comes in mighty handy to poke out the holes in the salt and pepper shakers when they get clogged . . Mrs. P.

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Dear Heloise:

My wee tots just can't seem to master paint brushes when they make their drawings.

I save all of my old toothbrushes and they now paint with these.

The children find them much easier to hold and they really seem to have a great time with them.

Sure saves cleaning up messy little hands and brushes . . . Mrs. McC.

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This column is written for you . . . the housewife and homemaker. If you have a hint or a problem write to Heloise in care of The Herald. Because of the tremendous volume of mail, Heloise is unable to answer all individual letters. She will, however, answer your questions in her column whenever possible.

(Write Heloise in care of the Big Spring Herald.)

Beauceant Coffee Held

The home of Mrs. Harry Middleton, 1110 Johnson, was the scene of a holiday coffee Saturday morning honoring members of the Social Order of Beauceant. Assisting Mrs. Middleton, a past president of the organization, as cohostesses were Mrs. R. V. Middleton and Mrs. Charles Buckner.

Guests, who included members of the Beauceant chapter in Midland, were served refreshments from a table covered with a festive red cloth and appointed with silver. The centerpiece was a silver candelabrum arranged with red poinsettias and candles. Punch was served from a china "Christmas" bowl.

The next regular meeting of the Beauceants will be held Dec. 22 at the Masonic Temple.

Club Entertains At Punch Party

The International Wives Club held a punch party Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Taylor, 102 Lincoln, where members had their husbands as guests.

The refreshment table was covered with a white damask cloth and centered with a holiday arrangement of flowers and greenery.

Mrs. Michael Suprenant, president, announced that the women will assist with a party Tuesday night at Big Spring State Hospital where gifts will be presented to each patient.

The Jan. 7 meeting at First Federal Community Room will feature as guest speaker, Capt. William Rosser of the Army.

Mrs. J. Peters Explains Symbols

Mrs. J. E. Peters told the meaning of Christmas symbols at Saturday's luncheon of the Friendship Sunday school class Wesley United Methodist Church, in the Downtown Tea Room.

Carols were played throughout dinner. The table was laid with white place mats and centered with a ceramic Santa Claus.

Mrs. E. R. Cawthron gave the invocation, and Mrs. Joe Jacobs presided.

Gifts were exchanged by the 16 members and six guests from a white tree trimmed with red ornaments.

Sewing Club Hosts Christmas Party

The Eager Beaver Sewing Club held a couples' Christmas party Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Freeman, 2110 Johnson. Games of "42" were played, and refreshments were served. The entertaining room was decorated with an silver Christmas tree with red decorations. The refreshment table was laid with a red and white cloth and held an array of Christmas candies and cakes.

Mrs. B. Bryant Hosts Christmas Luncheon

Mrs. Beulah Bryant, 900 Abram, was hostess at a Christmas luncheon Saturday in her home for members of the Berta Beckett Sunday school class of First Baptist Church.

The invocation was by Mrs. Bernice Slater.

The program, which followed the luncheon, was begun by Mrs. L. S. Patterson who recited the Biblical Christmas story of the birth of Christ. Mrs. O. N. Green read Christmas poems, after which Mrs. R. D. Ulrey led the group in singing carols. Piano selections were presented by Mrs. J. E. Hardesty and Mrs. S. H. Gibson. The closing prayer was by Mrs. Hardesty, and during a social hour, gifts were exchanged.

Joining the 18 members were four guests, Mrs. J. H. Broughton, Mrs. Eltha Whisenhunt, Mrs. Orville Bryant and Mrs. C. M. Burke, the latter of Corpus Christi.

The home was decorated for the holiday season, and dining tables held Christmas decorations.

Tuesday Luncheon

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Serving Hours 11 A.M. To 2 P.M.—5 P.M. To 8 P.M.
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11 A.M. To 8 P.M. Sunday

TUESDAY FEATURES

Turkey Pot Pie	59¢
Cheese Enchiladas with Pinto Beans and Hot Pepper Relish	69¢
Creamed Onions	20¢
Buttered Broccoli	25¢
Merry Cherry Salad	20¢
Guacamole Salad on Lettuce with Toasted Tortillas	35¢
Lemon Ice Box Pie	25¢
Raisin Pie	25¢

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"Alfred the Great"
David Hemmings
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