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The SDN Column

The television networks have been scrambling around more than usual in recent weeks in efforts to line up attractions to replace new fall shows that were ignored by most viewers. This is a seasonal activity of the networks, but probably more new shows fell flat in the fall of 1975 than ever before. One, of course, was Howard Cosell's Saturday Night show, which, in the last ratings we saw, came in 68th on a list of 68 that were rated that week.

But television is not without its good points, and a clipping from the Gatesville Messenger, dropped on our desk by the Rev. Miller Robinson, points up one of them. The Gatesville paper's "Cowhouse Philosopher" noted that he had seen a survey report which showed that 44 per cent of a group of youngsters 4 to 6 perferred watching TV to having their fathers around. He suggested that the figure might have been higher if the survey had not be taken just before Christmas and the kids knew where their toys came from.

However, it could be a two-way street, it was emphasized, and the fathers were not consulted in the survey. "How many fathers prefer having their kids glued to the TV than hanging on to them?"

Also, there was a new slant on the influence of TV on kids and its significance.

"When they see a car go off a cliff on the screen, or hear that some cereal will make them strong, they know it's all pretend. It trains them to know later on that when some politican says he's going to reduce taxes, he's just going on."

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Television is at its best, we think, when it enables us to watch a football game in the comfort of our own living room or den, even when the playing field resembles an ice hockey arena, as it did at Pittsburgh last Sunday while the Steelers and Oakland Raiders were playing.

So, in these past 20 to 25 years, all of us have come to depend on television for various purposes. And, of course, we could not let the subject drop without reminding that television leans heavily on newspapers occasionally. On many evenings Johnny Carson wouldn't have much of a monologue without the daily papers.

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Joe Carroll, who was Snyder's city attorney until he moved to Austin last spring to accept appointment to the Texas Water Rights Commission, has written us, and among other things, confirms that the Dallas Cowboys still are followed closely at his house and that he is happy that the Cowboys had on their white suits last Sunday at Los Angeles.

"I forget who told you about their not being able to win in blue uniforms, but it has been a well-known fact for years in my house," Carroll says.—WACIL McNAIR.

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Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, Jan. 8, the eighth day of 1976. There are 358 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1815, U.S. forces under General Andrew Jackson defeated the British in the Battle of New Orleans. The battle was the closing engagement in the war of 1812.

On this date:

In 1642, the Italian astronomer, Galileo, died.

In 1679, the French explorer, La Salle, reached Niagara Fallas.

In 1918, President Woodrow Wilson outlined 14 points for peace after World War One.

In 1923, France began the military occupation of the Ruhr Valley in Germany.

In 1959, Premier Charles de Gaulle became President of France.

In 1961, two trains collided near Woerden in the Netherlands, killing 91 persons.

Ten years ago: de Gaulle began his second seven-year term as the French President by approving an extensive reshuffling of the cabinet.

Five years ago: the United States apologized for a bomb explosion outside a Soviet cultural building in Washington.

One year ago: Federal Judge John Sirica ordered the release from jail of the Watergate figures, John Dean, Herbert Kalmbach and Jeb Stuart Magruder.

Bicentennial footnote: Two-hundred years ago today, General George Washington issued orders from his Cambridge, Mass., headquarters for troops to go to New York to deal with Loyalists on Long Island, defend New York City and insure control of the Judson River.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Wednesday, 33 degrees; low, 11 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 11 degrees.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Mostly clear and not as cold tonight. Sunny and much warmer Friday. Low tonight mostly in 20s except teens mountains. High Friday 57 to 65.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Fair tonight and Friday. Not as cold central and west portions and continued cold east tonight. Warmer over area Friday. Low tonight 13 northeast to 26 west. High Friday 44 northeast to 58 southwest.

South Central and Southeast Texas: Freeze warning tonight. Fair and cold tonight with freeze most sections. Fair Friday with warming trend beginning in afternoon. Low tonight 18 to 28. High Friday 52 to 64.

Upper Texas Coast: Small craft advisory is in effect. North winds 15 to 25 knots and gusty, gradually diminishing to mostly east 5 to 10 knots by tonight and southeast 10 to 15 knots Friday afternoon. Seas 3 to 5 feet near shore and ranging to 10 feet and rough well offshore. Seas gradually decreasing tonight and Friday.

Nine Labor Men Resign Panel To Protest Veto

By ROBERT A. DOBKIN
AP Labor Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nine labor members of a key presidential advisory committee on the construction industry quit today in protest over President Ford's veto of a bill expanding union picketing rights.

The union chiefs, representing the nation's major construction unions, accused Ford at a news conference of double-crossing them. They vowed to withhold their political support from Ford in the 1976 presidential campaign.

"We have neither the disposition nor the time to play charades with a management which has indicated it is merely a proxy for the most virulent anti-union forces in the United States and a President who is overwhelmed by that group," declared President Robert A. Georgine of the AFL-CIO Building and Construction Trades Department.

The labor leaders share spots on the presidentially appointed collective bargaining committee in construction with ten construction industry representatives. They met today at the Labor Department but Labor Secretary John T. Dunlop, chairman of group, was not present. The labor leaders walked out of the meeting and announced their resignations.

Dunlop, who drafted and supported the common site picketing bill which was vetoed by Ford last week, is considering resigning from the Cabinet.

The labor secretary had no immediate comment on the walkout of the labor leaders, nor did the management representatives.

The mass resignation of the labor members is likely to put pressure on Dunlop to resign. He has indicated that he would quit if he saw that he could no longer effectively serve the President.

At the news conference, Georgine said no one believes any longer Dunlop can speak for the President or the administration. Asked if the construction union leaders would support Ford politically, they replied in unison, "no way."

Georgine said the vetoed bill would have helped resolve many of the problems plaguing the construction industry. He said it originally was supported by management, but charged that both contractors and the President "folded and fled" when opposition developed from the National Right To Work Committee, the National Association of Manufacturers and the National Chamber of Commerce.

Among those resigning from the committee was Teamsters president Frank E. Fitzsimmons, whose 2.2 million-member union is the nation's largest. Asked about his support for Ford, Fitzsimmons replied, "if he can't support labor, I don't know how labor can support him."

Ford had said he would sign the picketing bill, but then he vetoed the measure after pleas from industry leaders and Republican conservatives.

LONE CRASH SURVIVOR MEETS DAD—Theresa Seymour, 11-year-old survivor of a Dec. 21 plane crash that killed her mother, stepfather, and stepsister, arrived in El Paso, Tex., to join her father, Paul Seymour, left. Theresa survived the crash near Klamath Falls, Ore., with her Chihuahua pup, "Baby." See Story Page 9. (AP WIREPHOTO)

11-Degree Reading Chills Area

The Snyder area had its lowest thermometer reading of the season this morning as subzero cold numbed parts of the Panhandle for the second straight day.

The official low here was 11 degrees, following a high of only 33 degrees on Wednesday.

Thermometers plunged to -3 degrees at Perryton in the Panhandle before dawn. At the same hour the warmest spot in Texas at 31 degrees was McAllen in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Official observers said only a light freeze nipped at citrus groves and winter vegetables in the semitropical Valley, however, and prospects for damage appeared negligible.

Adding to widespread discomfort were stout north winds which buffeted eastern parts of Texas for a second day. Wind warnings flew the length of the Texas Coast. In West Texas, however, the winds shifted back to the south and dropped to around 10 miles per hour in most places.

Temperatures nosedived as skies cleared throughout Texas. Forecasts promised more of the same — clear and cold through another night. A little warming was promised by late Friday.

It was the most severe weather this season for most sections. The National Weather Service reported the chill was the sharpest in a decade around Galveston, the resort island city along the Upper Texas Coast.

Temperatures in early morning at other points included Dalhart 3 degrees, Amarillo 8, Abilene, Childress and Wichita Falls 9, San Angelo 11, Dallas-Fort Worth, Lubbock and Tyler 12, Midland-Odessa 13, Longview and Texarkana 14, Waco and Wink 15, College Station 16, Austin and Lufkin 19, Del Rio 20, Cotulla, Houston and San Antonio 21, Victoria 23, El Paso and Palacios 24, Alice 27, Corpus Christi 28 and Brownsville 29.

LENDING PLAN OKAYED

Attacks Staged At IMF Meet

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer

KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP) — Two gunmen opened fire outside the United States Consulate late Wednesday, killing one policeman and critically wounding another in the second anti-American attack of the day on the diplomatic mission, police said today.

Two other policemen were killed and a third injured in an ambush by six gunmen earlier Wednesday as a wave of anti-American, anti-South African and politically motivated violence swept the Jamaican capital, where world finance leaders are attending the International Monetary Fund meetings.

The United States and other industrialized nations on Wednesday agreed to a compromise plan to increase lending to poor nations, averting a deadlock at the meeting.

Police said two gunmen suddenly opened fire on two Jamaican policmen on guard duty outside the U.S. Conulate compound about 11:25 p.m. Wednesday. Policeman Cecil Clarke died instantly from gunshot wounds in the head and abdomen, and policeman Guy Minto was rushed to Kingston Public Hospital in critical condition with neck and abdomen wounds.

Hours earlier, the U.S. Embasy had demanded increased police protection from the Jamaican government at its three buildings following a stone-throwing attack by several hundred demonstrators. Several Jamaicans waiting for visas were hit by rocks and a Jamaican consulate employe was slightly injured by flying glass from a broken window.

The demonstrators had been protesting the presence of a lone South African representative at the IMF meeting, for three days. On Wednesday, the protestors began carrying anti-American placards as well and marched a half-mile to the consulate compound where the rock-throwing incident began.

Under the plan hammered out at a dinner meeting of finance ministers Wednesday night, about $3 billion more will be made available for lending to all nations, with a major share for underdeveloped countries, as part of the IMF's regular lending program.

The plan is part of a package of financial and monetary reforms that is expected to receive the final approval of the IMF's interim committee at a meeting today.

U.S. Treasury Secretary William E. Simon was the last holdout against the expanded lending plans, claiming they were not needed and would add to worldwide inflation. But he told reporters Wednesday night, "We'll finalize the agreement tomorrow as I promised you."

T. A. Berry Dies; Rites Set Friday

T.A. Berry, 82, a resident here since 1900, died at 6:25 p.m. Wednesday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital, following a long illness.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p.m. Friday at the Bell-Seale Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. J.R. Reedy and the Rev. Cone Merritt officiating. Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Berry was a native of Marquez, Tex., and moved here at the age of 7. He was married on Jan. 21, 1915, in Snyder to Miss Annie Mae Carter. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Wilson and Mrs. Thayne Mebane, both of Snyder; a son, L.A. Berry of Snyder; a sister, Mrs. Kate Sanders of Bakersfield, Calif.; 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Mr. Berry was a retired farmer.

Ruling Awaited On Quarantine

DIMMITT, Tex. (AP) — A state district court judge was expected to begin unsnarling today a state-federal clash over the control of cattle disease in Texas.

Judge John Boyd scheduled a hearing on whether he should issue a permanent injunction requiring the state to follow federal guidelines on the control of brucellosis, or Bangs' disease, in order to avoid a federal quarantine on the interstate shipment of Texas cattle.

Both the U.S. Department of Agriculture and a federal court in Austin are awaiting Boyd's ruling before further action in the case.

Boyd issued a temporary restraining order Dec. 30 in a suit filed against the Texas Animal Health Commission by the Associated Milk Producers, Inc., and four individuals.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture said Jan. 2 it would delay the threatened quarantine until Friday, after the hearing in Boyd's court. It also said it would delay a cutoff of about $3.7 million in federal funds for use in controlling the disease, a highly contagious cause of abortion in cattle which may be transmitted to humans as undulant fever.

Meanwhile in Austin, a ruling in a related suit is pending the outcome of Boyd's hearing. U.S. District Court Judge Jack Roberts has declined to rule on a challenge of the federal quarantine brought by the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association until Boyd issues a ruling.

CONGRESSMEN BLAMED FOR LEAK

CIA Director Is Mum On Funding In Italy

By DAVID C. MARTIN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — CIA Director William E. Colby said today the agency has "not spent a nickel in Italy in the past few months," but he stopped short of denying reports that the CIA has begun to funnel $6 million to anti-Communist elements in Italy.

Asked in an interview on NBC-TV's "Today" show whether the CIA planned to spend money in Italy, Colby replied: "I am not at liberty to discuss details."

During the interview, one day after public reports of covert CIA funding in Italy, Colby blamed members of Congress for leaking intelligence secrets.

White House Press Secretary Ron Nessen said Wednesday there is "a strong suspicion in the White House" that the reports of CIA funding originated in Congress. Asked to be more specific, Nessen replied: "I could but I won't."

Nessen declined to confirm or deny the CIA was paying the funds, but an authoritative source elsewhere confirmed the operation, which was initially disclosed in The Washington Post and The New York Times.

In Italy, hundreds of thousands of civil servants staged a nationwide 24-hour strike today demanding new work contracts as the Christian Democrats, hit by a government crisis, ruled out cooperation with Communists in forming the next cabinet.

A role for the Communist party was a key factor in the collapse of Christian Democratic Premier Aldo Moro's 13-month-old minority coalition Wednesday night.

In his interview, Colby noted that the law requires him to brief six congressional committees on covert operations, and he cited what he said was a statement made about the 1776 Continental Congress: "The Congress consists of too many members to keep secrets."

Colby deplored that "almost everything reported to the Congress is reported to the press.

"Now this is not a way to keep secrets," he said, and mentioned "two congressmen" in particular who have said publicly that Colby briefed them on covert CIA activities in Italy.

Colby did not name the congressmen, but such statements have been made by Reps. Wayne L. Hays, D-Ohio, and Leo J. Ryan, D-Calif., members of the International Relations Committee.

The $6 million was going directly to members of the Christian Democratic and Democratic Socialist parties in an attempt to head off what Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger considers alarming advances by Communists in Europe, according to the authoritative source.

Hayes and Ryan were publicly critical of CIA activities in Italy.

Hays said he was concerned that the CIA would have no control over how the money was spent and that the "minute it becomes known" the net effect would be a gain for the Comunists. Hays said he told Colby, "Whoever dreamed this up should have his head examined."

Ryan said the CIA declined to turn over the names of the individuals receiving the money. Instead, the comittee was told it was simply being advised of the program, as required by law, and that President Ford approved it, Ryan said.

Civil Servants Strike In Italy

ROME (AP) — Hundreds of thousands of civil servants staged a nationwide 24-hour strike today demanding new work contracts as Italy's Christian Democrats, hit by a government crisis, ruled out cooperation with the Communists in forming the next cabinet.

The walkout closed most government offices and some schools, and delayed rail and air traffic, including complete paralysis of Rome's international airport at Fiumicino.

The protest, planned before Christian Democratic Premier Aldo Moro's coalition fell Wednesday night, underscored Italy's unemployment situation. The jobless rate is put at seven per cent of the work force with close to 40 major firms reported in financial difficulty.

Moro, meanwhile, formalized the last acts of his resignation by announcing his decision to officials of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate.

Political leaders, contemplating the ruins of their 13-month-old government, began jockeying for position in Italy's 33rd postwar administration — the only alternative to premature general elections likely to favor the ambitious Communist party.

Leone summoned party leaders for consultation beginning Monday.

The issue of a role for Western Europe's largest Communist party was a key factor in the collapse of Moro's coalition. Moro resigned after the Socialist party, Italy's third largest after the Christian Democrats and Communists, withdrew its parliamentary voting support.

The Socialists complained that the Moro government ignored their economic proposals and their demands that the Communists be given a hearing in the formulation of government policy.

President Giovanni Leone asked Moro, 59, to stay on as caretaker premier. The president today began the traditional series of interviews with political leaders, looking for someone who might be able to put together a new coalition that could get a majority in the Chamber of Deputies.

Any government must be built around the Christian Democrats, and the Christian Democrats must have the support of the Socialists or the Communists to get a majority. But Il Popolo, the Christian Democratic newspaper, today rejected the Socialist demand for an opening to the Communists.

"An emergency solution that includes Communist association in the governing majority cannot be accepted," a front-page editorial said. "It would be a useless waste of time to pursue that kind of idea."

The Communists, who advanced to within two percentage points of the Christian Democrats' 35 per cent of the vote in regional elections in June, demanded a hearing.

Valley Prepares For Freeze

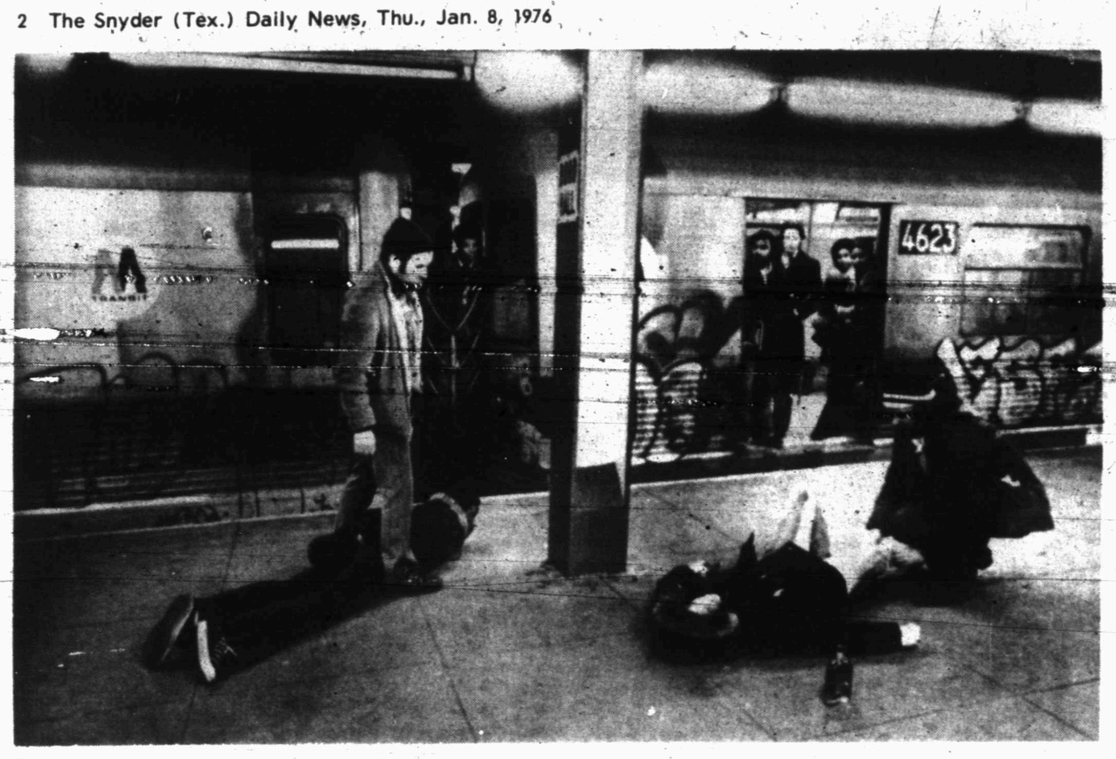
AUSTIN (AP) — Agriculture Commissioner said Lower Rio Grande Valley citrus growers set out smudge pots today in hopes of preventing major damage from expected below-freezing temperatures tonight.

"If temperatures remain below 26 degrees for more than four hours major damage could be experienced by the citrus industry," White said.

He said forecasts for the heart of the citrus area in Mission and Edinburg ranged from four to six hours of 26-degree weather to possibly one hour of 24-degree weather tonight.

However, he said if the cloud cover that moved over the area this morning remains and high pressure cell sweeps on out into the Gulf before nightfall, the freeze danger will ease.

This season's citrus crop is forecast at 16.8 million boxes, a 42 per cent increase over last year's production. He said value of this season's expected harvest is 20 per cent above last year's $25.4 million.



MUGGER TAKES BAIT; GETS CAUGHT—A member of New York City's Transit Police Department's new decoy squad, left, stands over a man caught while attempting to rob a second decoy in a Brooklyn subway station. The second decoy, right, is aiding a woman accidentally knocked down during the chase. A police spokesman says the decoys, who dress up as bums, drunks and even women, are helping to reduce subway crime. (AP Wirephoto)

3 Charged In Thefts, Burglaries

Three Snyder men, all 23, were charged with a total of nine counts of burglary and two counts of theft yesterday in Justice of the Peace court here.

Shelby James Jones Jr. was charged with three counts of burglary and one count of theft. He allegedly burglarized Hall Drug last Saturday night, and on Nov. 23. Jones also allegedly burglarized the Food Basket on Twenty-fifth Street Jan. 2, and is charged with felony theft at the Food Basket on College Avenue Dec. 2.

Clebern Warford was charged with three counts of burglary. He allegedly burglarized Munden's Discount Center, Dr. John Hamblen office, and Dr. Carl Dillaha's office, Oct. 15.

Billy Wayne Guynes was also charged with three counts of burglary, and one count of theft. He allegedly burglarized Munden's, and the offices of Dr. Hamblen and Dr. Dillaha Oct. 15. Guynes also allegedly committed felony theft at the Food Basket on College Avenue Jan. 2.

Jones and Guynes were arrested Monday afternoon at their residences and Warford was arrested Tuesday morning by City Police and Sheriff's Authorities.

Detective Mike Elkins of the Snyder Police Department said another suspect is in custody in some of the cases, but he will have to be brought back here from another state to be charged.

He also stated that several persons had been arrested during investigation in the case, but they have been released.

Warford and Guynes have both posted $7500 bond, while Jones remains in county jail in lieu of bond in the same amount.

Two Vehicles Are In Mishap

City Police investigated a two-vehicle mishap yesterday at 4:41 p.m. at the intersection of Twenty-seventh Street and College Avenue.

Involved were a 1971 Ford driven by Virginia Barnes Young of Ukiah, Calif., and a 1973 Chevrolet pick-up operated by Donald Roy Sellars of 3211 Cherry street. There was considerable damage to the car and minor damage to the pick-up.

Plea Is Heard In County Court

Lloyd Steve Chambers pleaded guilty in county court yesterday to driving while intoxicated, and received a $100 fine plus court costs, and 30 days in jail probated for six months. He was arrested Jan. 1 by City Police.

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Winter Weather Grips Nation

By The Associated Press

Bone-chilling cold continued to hover over much of the northern half of the nation today as the Midwest dug out from up to six inches of snow and the upper South and Northeast dealt with sleet and freezing rain.

Hazardous driving conditions in the affected areas led to hundreds of accidents and at least four deaths.

Below zero temperatures were reported Wednesday in cities throughout Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and North and South Dakota.

Winds of more than 30 miles per hour blew the newly fallen snow in many areas into drifts two and three feet deep. Coupled with icy and snow-covered highways, travel was extremely hazardous in many sections of the Midwest.

"It hasn't been a serious snowfall," said Phil Shideler of the National Weather Service in Topeka, Kan. "The main problem has been blowing and drifting in the northeast" part of Kansas.

Scattered school closings were reported in the Kansas, Missouri North Carolina and Oklahoma.

Three deaths in Wisconsin were attributed to the storm. The victims were all Milwaukee-area residents who collapsed and died Wednesday while shoveling snow.

In Green Bay, Wis., two escapees from the Green Bay Reformatory decided it wasn't worth fleeing in the the 17-below-zero weather Wednesday night and called authorities to come get them.

"Come and get us, it's too cold," the Brown County sheriff quoted the men as saying.

Snow continued to fall in parts of Pennsylvania today, where two persons were killed in traffic accidents Wednesday on ice-slickened roads in the Philadelphia area.

State and local police reported dozens of traffic accidents.

The storm was expected to dump up to six inches of snow in western Pennsylvania and as much as a foot in the Northeast.

"It's a mess, a sheer sheet of ice. I couldn't tell you how many collisions we've had," said State Police Sgt. William Karvois, referring to the Schuylkill Expressway in Philadelphia.

Two other persons were killed Wednesday on icy roads in North Carolina.

Police in Washington, D.C., and suburban Maryland and Virginia reported 420 nonfatal traffic accidents on Wednesday during the morning rush hour as freezing rain created nasty driving conditions.

Freezing rain also covered most of Alabama on Wednesday, and driving conditions were hazardous.

The National Weather Service in North Dakota predicted temperatures today would hit 30 degrees below zero.

However, warmer temperatures were forecast for Friday, when the highs were expected to be around zero.

MIDDAY STOCKS

By The Associated Press

Alcoa	42⅝	off	⅛
AT&T	51½	up	¼
Atl Rich	94⅝		
Beth Stl	35¾	up	⅛
Borden	26¾	off	¼
Brit. Pet.	12	off	⅛
Cat Trac	73⅜	off	⅛
Celanese	44¼	up	¼
Chrysler	11½	off	¼
Cities Svc	40½	up	¼
Coca Cola	86	off	¼
Cont Oil	65¼	off	⅝
Dow Chem	96⅞	off	⅛
duPont	133⅛	off	¾
Eastman	109¾	off	⅜
El Paso NG	12½		
Exxon	91⅛	off	⅝
Fairchild Cam	41	up	¾
Ford	45¾	off	⅛
Gen Elec	49⅝		
Gen Foods	28⅜		
Gen Mtrs	59¼	up	⅛
Gen Tel	25⅝		
Gen Tire	18⅞	off	½
Goodrich	20⅛	up	⅛
Great A&P	10¾		
Gulf Oil	21½	off	¼
Glf St Ut	14	up	⅛
Hart-Hk	18⅜	up	⅛
Hous LP	23½		
IBM	228⅝	up	⅛
Int Paper	60	off	¼
Jhn-Man	24¼	off	⅛
John Joh	91⅜	up	¼
Litton	7⅛		
Marathon	45⅝	off	1¼
Marcor	28½	up	⅛
Monsanto	78½	off	1¼
Penn Cent	1⅜		
Penney	52¾		
Phill Pet	54¼	off	½
RCA	20⅞		
Safeway	46⅜	off	¼
Sears	69¾	off	½
Sony	10⅛		
Stand Ind	44¾		
Sun Oil	27⅞	off	⅛
Texaco	25⅜		
Texas Inst	99	up	¼
Un Carbide	64¾	off	⅛
Uniroyal	8⅝	up	⅛
US Steel	69½	up	¼
Woolworth	22¾	off	⅛
Xerox	53	up	¼

Firemen Called

The Snyder Fire Department was called out yesterday morning at 11:20 a.m. to a grass fire 15 miles north of Snyder on U.S. 84. Only minor damage resulted.

Honor Rolls At Fluvanna

FLUVANNA — Fluvanna Independent School District has announced the honor rolls for the past six weeks.

Making the 'A' honor roll are: 3rd grade, Railyn Rundell; 4th grade, Misty Merritt; 6th grade, Vickie Gregory, Dawn Meacham and Tammy Merritt; 9th grade, Zenda Ball and Vickie Jones.

On the 'B' honor roll are: 4th grade, Keith Martin; 6th grade, Mitchell Gill and Ricky Summers; 9th grade, Elizabeth Bilano, Phil Jones and Anita Ynguanzo; 11th grade, Susie Jones and senior, Rene Bilano.

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Increase In Benefits To Veterans Here

Benefits paid to veterans and their families in Scurry County increased by some 30 per cent over the previous year, according to the annual report from the Veterans Affairs Commission in Austin to Elmer L. Taylor, Scurry County Service Officer.

"Last year more than $647,732 was channeled by the Veterans Administration to veterans in your county, and your office was responsible for serving the majority of these cases," said Charles L. Morris, Director of the Texas Veterans Affairs Commission, in his year end report to Taylor.

"The program for assistance to veterans is a vast one, requiring the services of competent persons to counsel veterans and their families on benefits that are available to them," Morris reminded. "By law, the veteran or a member of his family must take the initial step in applying for benefits due, and the basic task you perform in aiding veterans to secure the benefits to which they are entitled is a most needed and vital service.

"We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the excellent working relationship which exists between your office and our commission," Morris said.

Dickenson Rites Today

Funeral service was set for 10:30 a.m. today at Abilene for Bert W. Dickenson, 56, owner of Snyder Nursing Home. Mr. Dickenson, a former hospital administrator here, had lived in Abilene the past two years. He died Tuesday following a long illness.

The Rev. Miller F. Robinson, pastor of Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder, was to officiate at the funeral service. Burial was to be in Elmwood Memorial Park at Abilene.

His wife, the former Virginia Lee Donaldson, whom he married in 1955, preceded him in death last October. Surviving are four sons, Mike, Steve and Tim, all of the home, and Larry Tice of Hurst; and a brother, W.A. Dickenson of Abilene.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ellard, 2711 Ave. F, are the parents of a 7 lb. 12 oz. baby girl, born at 2:17 p.m. Jan. 7 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

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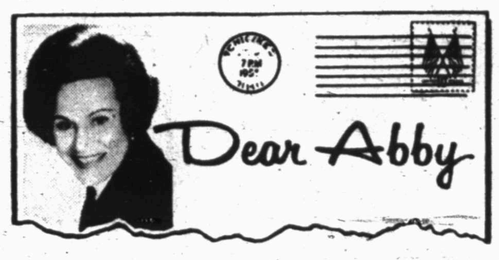

Bird Lover Scores Abby For Cruelty to Mynas

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Your advice to "move that cursing myna bird to the garage, basement or some other isolated place so people won't be offended by its vulgarity" was strictly for the birds.

If a bird is isolated for a long period of time, it will become listless and unhappy. Birds need the sound of a human voice or the company of other birds to keep them happy and healthy.

Also, myna birds are tropical birds, and as such, they are highly susceptible to pneumonia and should be kept warm and out of drafts. (I lost two canaries in one week by foolishly placing them in a drafty kitchen.)

Please, Abby, in the name of humanity, print this!

BIRD LOVER

DEAR BIRD LOVER: All right. Here's your letter. Now, all you folks out there, please keep your birds warm!

DEAR ABBY: My sister and I are now 21 and 19. We are married now, but when we were young (12 and 10) we were both sexually molested by our brother-in-law on numerous occasions. We were never very close to our mother, and we had no father, so we had nobody to turn to. We were naive and very frightened, so we just kept it to ourselves.

The problem is not ours now because what has happened is in the past, but this brother-in-law is now the father of two adopted daughters, ages 4 and 6, and we are afraid that he might molest them.

How do we go about telling our sister that her husband is abnormal? Is it too late for us to do anything now to prevent him from molesting his children?

BEEN THROUGH IT

DEAR BEEN: Try to establish a close relationship with the two little girls so that they will tell you if their father takes any indecent liberties with them. I don't recommend your telling your sister or anyone else. Bringing up the past now could create an ugly situation needlessly, but do keep your eyes open!

DEAR ABBY: I've been married for 40 years to a lovely, compassionate, gentle woman. She's about as near to perfection as a wife can be. But she has developed a habit in recent years that has begun to irritate me no end.

If a woman acquaintance dies, my wife develops instant "compassion" for the widower, and it's, "Let's invite poor Jim over for dinner, or bridge, or for the evening."

Whenever we have a party, she says, "Don't you think we should invite poor John? He must be so lonely."

She is the only one among our many friends who has this type of interest and compassion.

Abby, I have had it. How do I put a stop to it without appearing to be a jealous husband?

UPSET IN URBANA

DEAR UPSET: Look at it this way: Should YOU ever find yourself alone, wouldn't you want to be shown the same compassion and interest?

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send $1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (26¢) envelope.

Adult Courses Are Resumed

Adult Education courses at Western Texas College will resume tonight at 6:30 in the Learning Resource Center.

Classes meet each Tuesday and Thursday night from 6:30-9 o'clock in room 203 in the LRC. Adults interested in enrolling in the classes for the first time may enroll at 6:30 tonight or next Tuesday, Gerald Corkran, instructor, said. The classes will continue through the spring semester.

The Adult Education courses offer instruction at no charge to adults who want to prepare to take GED tests or who wish to improve basic skills for personal use. Those enrolled begin their work at the level they feel is needed for them and work at their own speed with the help of the instructors. Math students, for example, may study math ranging from multiplication to algebra.

Persons interested in the classes are invited to attend any class session or to call Kay Sheffield at the college, 573-8511, extension 274, for information.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Osa Reed, 3205 Ave. G; Ross Williams, Rt. 2; James Clayton, 312 East Central, Amarillo.

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Hazan Found, Six Are Hunted

PARIS (AP) — A telephone number found in the trouser cuff of a suspect led police to kidnaped record company chief Louis Hazan Wednesday night, and today the police were hunting for six of his kidnapers.

The telephone number was that of a walled house in Trembley les Villages, a small town 70 miles west of Paris. Inside, police found Hazan chained and gagged in a cupboard but unhurt after a week in captivity.

The police said five other members of the kidnap gang, including the leader and his brother, had been arrested, and none of the $3.4 million ransom demanded had been paid.

Hazan, 54-year-old chief executive of Phonogram, France's largest producer of phonograph records, was kidnaped from a company board meeting Dec. 31 by six men posing as musicians. They took him out in a large wicker basket.

The break in the case came Tuesday night when police seized two brothers in their 30s, with minor criminal records, who came to a ransom rendezvous at the Place de la Bastille in central Paris.

A third member of the gang was seized Wednesday morning. It was in his cuff that the vital phone number was discovered. As the police entered the house chat sealing the wall, three men guarding the kidnaped man fled.

Hazan was "very shaken but unhurt," the police reported. They said he had been brought to the house a short time before.

Hazan told newsmen he had been kept in the dark all the time, with a hood over his face and his eyes taped.

He said he was "very well treated," fed regularly, taken twice daily to the toilet and given medicine for his stomach ailment.

AF Names New Liaison Officer Here

Jerrell W. Row, a retired Air Force Senior Master Sergeant, has been appointed as a liaison officer for the United States Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps. His appointment was announced this week by Captain E.C. (Al) Pierce of San Angelo, coordinator for the liaison officers in West Texas.

Row will furnish information concerning the Air Force ROTC to students and counselors in local high schools and the Snyder community.

The new liaison officer will visit the high schools and advise students on all aspects of the Air Force ROTC program. He will assist highly qualified students in applying for an Air Force ROTC scholarship.

Row completed over 20 years active Air Force service while in the electronics and ballistic missile career fields. He saw service throughout the United States and Europe. His military decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal and Air Force Commendation Medal. Row is currently an instructor in occupational technology at Western Texas College.

Students or parents interested in obtaining information about the Air Force ROTC may contact Row by writing 3504 Irving Ave., or calling him at 573-9854 in Snyder.

JP Is Speaker For Kiwanis

Justice of the Peace Bobby Goodwin of Precinct 1 was guest speaker at the regular luncheon meeting of the Noon Kiwanis Club, held Wednesday at the Snyder Country Club.

He discussed the duties of his office, pointing out that his office handles cases involving checks of insufficient funds. He also said his office has jurisdiction over cases where renters refuse to pay rent or move.

The speaker was introduced by J.C. Massingill. The meeting was presided over by Sam Kitching, club president.

Monte West also was a guest of the club.

Theft Reported

The Snyder Police Department is investigating the theft of a car battery.

G.W. Ferguson reported to police that the item was taken from a car parked in a storage house at Hometown Motors over the weekend.

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BRIDAL SHOWER—Mrs. John Miller, nee Susie Hester, was feted with a bridal shower Jan. 6 at the Ira Community Center. Hostesses for the event were Mmes. Inez Wilson, Howard Sterling, J.L. Byars, Billy Calley, J.L. Clark, Tommy Cotton, Ethel Dunn, Donnie Dunn, Horace Fowler, John Floyd, O.W. Holladay, Leon Huddleston, Macky Holladay, R.C. Howard, Jimmy Layne, J.W. Nettles, Jackie Pevehouse, Terry Roe, Leona Smallwood, Travis Stokes, Pete Sterling, W.R. Sterling, Jr., Mickey Sterling, Tommy Sterling, John Taylor, E.J. Vineyard, Johnny Weir, Jimmie Wilson, Weldon Wiggins, and Charles Bearden. Pictured are (from left) Mrs. W.W. Hester and Mrs. Thelma Bishop, grandmothers of the honoree, Mrs. Richard Hester, sister-in-law of the honoree, Mrs. Pete Hester, her mother, the honoree, Mrs. Eddie Miller, mother of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Linda Hurtado, his sister.

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Edior

FIREPLACE PICNIC
Egr Casserole CarrotSticks
Cracked Wheat Bread
Apples Cookies

CRACKED WHEAT BREAD
1 package dry yeast
1½ cups lukewarm water
2 to 2½ cups all-purpose flour
1 cup stone-ground wholewheat flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon sugar
½ cup finely cracked wheat
1 egg white, lightly beaten

Dissolve yeast in the water. Stir together 2 cups all-purpose flour, the wholewheat flour, salt, sugar and cracked wheat; make a well in the center. Pour yeast mixture into the well and mix with the hand to form a soft dough — it may be sticky. Turn out on a well-floured surface and, adding more all-purpose flour if dough sticks, knead until smooth and elastic — about 5 minutes. Place in a greased bowl; turn to grease top; cover with a damp cloth. Let rise in a warm, draft-free place until doubled — about 1 hour. Punch down dough. Divide into 6 portions. Form each into a loaf and place in six small greased 4½ by 2½ by 1½ inch loaf pans. Brush with egg white and bake in a preheated 375-degree oven until lightly browned and loaves sound hollow when tapped on bottom — 30 minutes. For a very crisp crust, brush bread again with egg white halfway through baking. Cook on a wire rack.

(Adapted from a delightful cookbook, "Entertaining Menus" by Anne Willan.

BRIDE-ELECT HONORED—A bridal shower honoring Miss Sherene Shoemaker, bride-elect of Jimmy Ray Digby, Jr., was held Jan. 6 in the fellowship hall of Faith Baptist Church. Hosting the event were Dolly Batchelor, Jan Pierce, Linda Wilson, Linda Hulsey, Betty Elam, Betty Mengus, Jackie Wadkins, Dorothy Jones, Freda Ravon, Shirley Snyder and Shirley Hatfield. Pictured are (from left) Juanita Fowler, grandmother of the honoree, Diane Shoemaker, her mother, the honoree, Mrs. Jimmy Digby, mother of the prospective bridegroom and Mrs. I.L. Wilson, his grandmother.

Top Ten

Best-selling records of the week based on Billboard Magazine's nationwide survey:

"Convoy," C. W. McCall
"I Write the Songs," Barry Manilow
"Theme from 'Mahogany,'" Diana Ross
"Love Rollercoaster," Ohio Players
"Saturday Night," Bay City Rollers
"Fox on the Run," Sweet
"I Love Music," O'Jays
"That's the Way (I Like it)," KC and the Sunshine Band
"Love To Love You Baby," Donna Summer
"Times of Your Life," Paul Anka

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♥ 8 3
♦ K 9 7
♣ K 7 4

WEST
♠ A 4
♥ Q J 10 6 4
♦ Q 6 4
♣ J 9 2

EAST
♠ 9 6 5
♥ K 9 2
♦ 10 8 5 3
♣ Q 10 6

SOUTH (D)
♠ K J 3
♥ A 7 5
♦ A J 2
♣ A 8 5 3

Both vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 N T
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2 N T	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead — Q ♥

By Oswald & James Jacoby

When you transfer with a bad hand you follow up the transfer with a pass. When you transfer and want to bid game next, you just bid it. When you want to just invite game in your transfer suit you do that by bidding three.

When you want to give your partner a choice between game in suit, or in notrump while not actually forcing to game your rebid is two notrump.

With 5-3-3-2 distribution and eight high-card points North transfers to two spades and rebids two notrump. He might well have dropped the bidding at two spades, but his 10 of trumps caused him to go ahead.

South looked at his 4-3-3-3 distribution and 17 points. He decided that good trumps plus the three side aces made a game bid a good gamble and decided on four spades rather than three notrump.

In the play, South won the heart lead and knocked out the ace of trumps. The defense played two more hearts. South ruffed in dummy, drew the last trumps and a small club. Clubs broke and the diamond finesse was not needed.

Ask the Jacobys

A frequent question is how to make sure that your partner won't forget when you use a transfer bid.

The answer to that one is that at first you keep it simple. Just diamonds for hearts and hearts for spades. Then be sure to remind him when you sit down to play. If he still forgets, either give up the transfer or give up the partner.

(For a copy of JACOBY MODERN, send $1 to: "Win at Bridge," c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019)

Community Calendar

THURSDAY

Twilight Garden Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Charles Tyer, hostess.

Musical Coterie will meet at 8 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

FRIDAY

Open duplicate bridge at Snyder Country Club at 1:30 p.m.

Altrurian Club will meet at 3 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Dave Harlin, hostess.

SUNDAY

Open duplicate bridge at Snyder Country Club at 1:30 p.m.

Top Country-Western Hits

Best-selling country-Western records based on Cashbox magazine's nationwide survey:

"Convoy," C. W. McCall
"Just in Case," Ronnie Milsap
"The Blind Man in the Bleachers," Kenny Starr
"Warm Side of You," Freddie Hart & The Heartbeats
"Country Boy (You Got your Feet in L.A.)," Glenn Campbell
"When the Tingle Becomes a Chill," Loretta Lynn
"Where Love Begins," Gene Watson
"Me and Old C.B.," Dave Dudley
"Easy as Pie," Billy "Crash" Craddock
"Looking for Tomorrow," Mel Tillis

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CELEBRITIES ON THE COUCH

By Dick Maurice

Chuck Woolery, host of NBC-TV's, "The Wheel of Fortune" has been aiming at a show business career since childhood – but he didn't know it until after college. Chuck, who was born and raised in Ashland, Kentucky, served for two years in the U.S. Navy prior to enrolling at Kentucky State College. Still not considering a show business career, he worked as a wine consultant and a flour salesman for several years after college. Finally realizing that the business world wasn't his thing, he went to Nashville, Tennessee where he began writing and performing country music. A friend helped him get his first acting job, in a movie called "Jamaica Reef," and that led him to Hollywood in 1971. He was on his way!

MAURICE: Did you know at first where you wanted to pursue your career?

WOOLERY: I knew exactly where I wanted to pursue my career. I'm basically a composer and writer and singer and I went straight to Nashville. And I was there for 7 years. I ended up in Nashville writing songs for other people and I had my own group there for a while. A few hit records I produced and wrote.

MAURICE: How did you get to be a game show host?

WOOLERY: I did a pilot for *Merv Griffin Productions* called "Shoppers Bizare" which was the name of it at that point of its evolution, and it was rather bizarre. I had done Merv's show a couple of times as a singer and sat on the panel with him. He called me one day and asked me if I had ever done a game show. I said, well my credentials are that I grease my own car and if that's any credentials for doing a game show then I'm willing to do it. He called me in and I did it. They liked me and here I am.

MAURICE: I understand that you don't like to be referred to as the star of a TV show. You are referred to as the host of "The Wheel of Fortune."

WOOLERY: I requested that. I love the word star. That would be terrific. But I really don't feel like I'm a star – to put things in perspective. I have a daytime TV show and it's kind of difficult, in all honesty, to think of myself as a star.

MAURICE: When you went into show business, what were you looking for – fame and fortune?

WOOLERY: Well, actually I wanted to be a super-star. I still do. That's definitely what I want to be.

MAURICE: Are you concerned about being type cast as a game show host?

WOLLERY: I have to admit that it did cross my mind prior to accepting this show. But I really consider myself a performer and I came out to Hollywood to do a lot of different things. In this business the beauty of it affords you a multifaceted area to go in to – producing, writing, directing, and hosting a game show. They are all part of it.

MAURICE: Are you a religious person? Do you believe there is something beyond life?

WOOLERY: I'm not a religious person as most people think of it. However, I am a spiritual man. I'm a believer. I believe in Jesus and I trust Him as my personal Lord. So I'm there. I don't make any bones about it, if someone asks me about it.

MAURICE: If you had one wish, what would you wish for?

WOOLERY: That's really kind of simple. It may sound trite but I was discussing some things the other day with my pastor. I think if I had one wish, it would be peace, and that would be peace for everybody – each individual and that would pretty well take care of the world situation if we all had peace, wouldn't it?

Synthetic Rubber Use Rises

HOUSTON (AP) — A Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. official predicts the consumption of synthetic rubber will in 1976 approach the record U.S. consumption level of 1973.

B.A. Risinski, manager of Goodyear's Houston chemical plant, attributed the anticipated increase in requirements to improving business conditions. He said the 1976 increase in consumption could be as much as 20 per cent over 1975.

Most of the nation's synthetic rubber plants are on the Texas and Louisiana coasts.

Risinski said synthetic rubber production to meet both domestic and export consumption requirements in 1976 will total 2.55 million metric tons.

He said Goodyear expects continued strong demand for industrial products. He said this and a return in demand for automobile related rubber products and an improving foreign export market will provide the impetus for the significant recovery of the synthetic rubber industry.

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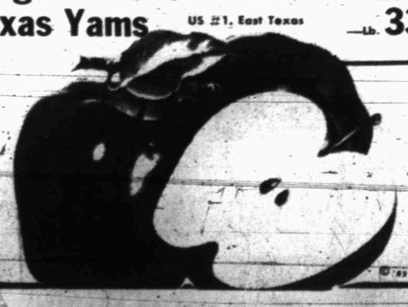

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Westerners Rally, Nip Angelo St. JV, 80-78

SAN ANGELO—The Western Texas College Westerners were a little sluggish in their first appearance after the holidays, but they still managed to defeat the Angelo State Junior Varsity, 80-78, in a non-conference basketball tilt here last night to boost their season record to 10-2. The hosts were bolstered with the appearance of several varsity players in the lineup.

WTC took an 18-13 lead, but the momentum shifted to Angelo and the hosts were able to build a 43-33 lead at halftime.

"We didn't play well in the first half," declared Westerner Coach Mike Mitchell.

But then, this was the first game for the team after the holidays. All of the boys got to go home for the holidays and didn't return to the campus until last Sunday night. The team got in only two workouts—Monday and Tuesday—before returning to action yesterday.

Western hit only 14 of 39 from the field in the first half. They played much better in the second half, outscoring Angelo 23-6 in the first five minutes of the second half. WTC held an 8 to 10 point lead most of the second half, but Angelo rallied to pull within two points in the last two minutes. With 50 seconds remaining in the game and holding a two point lead, the Westerners began to stall until there was only six seconds left in the game.

"We moved the ball better and were getting better shots in the second half," Mitchell pointed out.

He said the Westerners were getting a lot of second and third shots off the boards in the second half. However, he said the big difference in the game was better rebounding by WTC in the second half. As a team, the Westerners pulled 45 rebounds off the boards, led by Larry Orton, who had 15.

Also, the Westerners shot better in the second half, hitting 16 of 33 from the field.

Scoring was balanced by both teams. Five Westerners hit in twin figures. Orton notched 17 points, Darryl Smith scored 16, Lawrence Butler hit for 13, Stanley Clington put in 12, and Tyrone Clopton collected 11 points. For Angelo, Frank Washington tallied 15, Jim Vaszaukas 13, and Dick Clarady and Robert Criner, 12 each.

The Westerners meet South Plains at 8 tonight in the Texan Dome in Levelland in a Tripleheader. Friday, they meet Ranger JC at 6:30 p.m., and they take on Lamar, Colo. at 6:30 p.m. Saturday. All of the games will be in the Dome.

South Plains is 11-3 for the season and leads the WJCAC race with a perfect 4-0 mark. Tonight's contest, however, is a non-conference game.

WTC(80)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Person	1	2	2	4
Covington	5	2	1	12
Butler	6	1	4	13
Corder	1	4	1	6
Clopton	4	3	4	11
Tisdale	0	1	4	1
Smith	7	2	2	16
Orton	6	5	1	17
TOTALS	30	20	19	80

A.ST.JV(78)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Vaszaukas	6	1	5	13
Washington	6	3	4	15
Clarady	6	0	4	12
Criner	4	4	5	12
Waggoner	3	1	1	7
Bandy	3	0	1	6
Sisson	1	2	5	4
Sigler	3	2	4	8
TOTALS	32	13	29	78

WTC 33 47 80
A.S. 43 35 78

Former Texas Schoolboy Star Named Top Offensive Rookie

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The Atlanta Falcons apparently thought Mike Thomas might be a troublemaker and passed over him at the last-minute before the Washington Redskins drafted him. He is now rated as the best rookie in pro football.

Atlanta's top draft choice, California quarterback Steve Bartkowski, also received strong support for top rookie honors.

Thomas described the events of the 1975 pro draft as he rested Wednesday in a motel room on a recruiting swing through Central Texas with his brother, Jimmy, a former pro who is now an assistant coach at Texas Christian University.

Thomas, an ex-schoolboy star at Greenville, Tex., was rated the top player in Texas high school football in 1971, and Oklahoma won a recruiting struggle for him with such national powers as Southern California, Ohio State, Michigan and Texas.

He recalled, however, that he "hated every minute" at OU and transferred to Las Vegas-Nevada after his sophomore season, when he played behind Greg Pruitt, now a star with the Cleveland Browns.

Thomas said what made up his mind to transfer was that Coach Chuck Fairbanks of OU had promised he would play in the Sugar Bowl game against Penn State but kept him on the bench.

At 5-foot-10 and 185 pounds, he had two good years at Las Vegas, and "the day of the (1975) draft I was contacted by the Atlanta Falcons with the third round coming up. They called and said, 'We heard you had a little trouble at Vegas'—they said something like, 'If we draft you, do you think you can get your head straight?'"

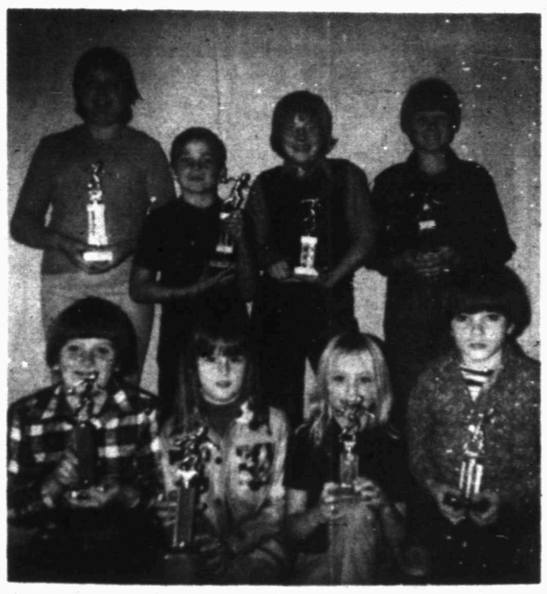
"I told them, 'I don't even want to come to Atlanta,'" Thomas recalled, his voice rising, and the Falcon spokesman hung up. He indicated he resented the question.

Thomas was drafted in the fifth round by Washington as the Redskins' first draft pick and, after talking to Coach George Allen, he signed a two-year contract.

Thomas said he was aware of Allen's reputation for being wary of playing rookies, but "I think what really changed his philosophy as far as (using) my type of running back—not very large—was Terry Metcalf," who had had several explosive games against Washington.

"He (Allen) said, 'I can tell you, I'm planning on using you this year,' and I thought, 'Oh yeah.' I went to camp, and I was thinking, 'Mike, you've just got to make the team, make the team.'"

TOP BOWLERS—At the Christmas tournament of the Scurry County Junior Bowling program Dec. 20, the Junior-Senior league (ages 13 and up) winners were pictured top row, left to right, (First Place) Nancy Brim and Kevin Jackson, bottom row, (Second Place) Donna Browning and Ricky Snowden.



WINNERS—Others winners in the Christmas meet were pictured Bantam league (ages 9-12), top row, left to right, (First Place) Becky Edwards and Charles Bollinger, (Second Place) Vicki Glasscock and Ronny Lindsey, bottom row, left to right, Midget Bantam division (ages 8 and under) (First Place) David Jackson and Jackie Parham, (Second Place) K'ana Scott and Chuck Snowden.

Houston's Braziel Honored

NEW YORK (AP) — Robert Brazile, who went from "Mr. Versatile" at Jackson State to "Mr. Valuable" with the Houston Oilers, was named the National Football League's Defensive Rookie of the Year today by The Associated Press.

The 6-foot-4½, 250-pound outside linebacker, the Oilers' No. 1 selection in the college draft and a starter in their lineup even before the season began, received 41 of the 78 votes cast by a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

He easily outdistanced Oakland Raiders cornerback Neal Colzie from Ohio State, the runnerup with 17 nominations. Others in the voting included Los Angeles Rams cornerback Monte Jackson, Dallas Cowboys defensive end Randy White and San Diego Chargers defensive tackle Louie Kelcher.

"This wasn't a goal of mine," Brazile said when told of his selection. "I just wanted to come into the NFL and play."

And what of the future? "The next goal? The Super Bowl," he replied. "And for myself, well, whatever I did this year, it's to do it better next year."

Bum Phillips, the Oilers' first-year head coach, was unbounded in his praise of the 22-year-old Brazile. "It's only a matter of time before he's the best linebacker in football," he said.

Rose Wins Hickok Award

NEW YORK (AP) — Pete Rose of the baseball champion Cincinnati Reds won the 26th annual Hickok Professional Athlete of the Year today, beating golfer Jack Nicklaus and heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali in close voting by sports writers and sportscasters.

Rose received 31 first-place votes and 155½ points. Nicklaus, who won his fifth Masters and fourth PGA National titles in 1975, received 29 first-place votes and 138 points while Ali, the 1974 Hickok winner who made four title defenses, got 21 first-place ballots and 121 points.

Rick Barry of the National Basketball Association champion Golden State Warriors finished fourth with 76½ points, and Minnesota Vikings' quarterback Fran Tarkenton was fifth with 55.

Completing the first 10 vote-getters were outfielder Fred Lynn of the Boston Red Sox, 53; second baseman Joe Morgan of Cincinnati, 40; Wimbledon tennis champion Arthur Ashe, 32; running back O.J. Simpson of the Buffalo Bills, 28, and Bobby Clarke of the National Hockey League champion Philadelphia Flyers, 10.

Rose, the 15th baseball player to win the award, received a belt valued at more than $15,000 at a luncheon at a midtown hotel.

SCORES

By The Associated Press

EAST

Syracuse 55, Fordham 48
Pittsburgh 70, W Virginia 61
LIU 99, C.W. Post 72
Detroit 83, St. Bonaventure 81, OT
Iona 69, Fairleigh Dickinson 60
Marshall 89, Temple 83
St. Michaels 74, New Hampshire 72

SOUTH

Maryland 82, Geo. Washington 72
Virginia 63, Wake Forest 58
Navy 77, Baltimore Loyola 72
North Carolina 83, Clemson 64
N.C. St 82, Appalachian 51
VMI 82, Furman 67
E Ky. 63, Morehead 62
Tulane 92, Duke 82
Jacksonville 68, S. Ala. 62

MIDWEST

Bowling Green 88, C. Mich. 72
W Mich. 78, E Mich. 58
Cincinnati Xavier 82, Canisius 64
Missouri 90, Lafayette, Pa. 77
Evansville 81, S Illinois 76
Ball St 74, N Illinois 72
Miami 76, Toledo 73
Ill. Wesleyan 80, DePauw 54
Creighton 50, San Diego 48, OT

SOUTHWEST

Angelo St 69, Texas A&I 60
Oklahoma City 86, Hardin-Simmons 77

FAR WEST

Fresno St. 82, Los Angles St. 78
Pacific 57, Nebraska-Omaha 49

EXHIBITIONS

Athletes in Action-West 78, Okla. 53

Runnels Beats Ninth Black

The Snyder 9th grade boys Black basketball team dropped a 56-38 decision to Big Spring Runnels here Monday.

Snyder led 9-5 after one period, but Runnels took a 26-19 margin at halftime and outscored the hosts in each of the remaining two periods.

Rubio sparked the Runnels attack with 21 points, and Crosby contributed 10 points. For Snyder, Mark Davis and Richard Dupuy shared scoring honors with eight points apiece.

RUNNELS (56)—Evans 4-0-8; Rubio 8-5-21; James 3-1-7; Crosby 5-0-10; Smith 2-2-6; Lara 2-0-4; totals 24-8-56.

SNYDER (38)—Crayton 3-0-6; Davis 4-0-8; Duncan 0-2-2; Forbes 3-0-6; Dupuy 4-0-8; Hinton 3-0-6; Robertson 1-0-2; totals 18-2-38.

Runnels 5 21 14 16—56
Snyder 9-10-11-8—38

According to the American Bowling Congress, seven husband and wife teams have achieved 300 games. Last wife to achieve the perfect game was Norma Hill of Lawton, Okla., last August.

Majors Draft Three Trojans

By FRED ROTHENBERG
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The University of Southern California, one of major league baseball's most productive farm systems, sent three more of its stars to the major leagues, and Trojans Coach Rod Dedeaux was delighted to see them go.

"I'm real happy for them. I guess their leaving school was an economic decision, and I'm all for it," said Dedeaux, whose three biggest stars in 1975 were all top draft choices in Wednesday's winter free agent baseball draft. "But I guess this means we'll automatically finish in the second division of the Pac-8."

Steve Kemp, a junior at Southern Cal who sported a .351 batting average in 1974 and a .435 mark in 1975, was selected by the Detroit Tigers as the No. 1 pick in the regular phase of the draft, which was for first-time draftees and players chosen a year or more ago who have not signed.

Then, after 174 more free agents went in the regular phase, the Minnesota Twins opened the secondary phase — for players selected last June but still unsigned — by selecting right-handed pitcher Pete Redfern, a standout hurler at Southern Cal the past two seasons.

Dedeaux quickly found that he wasn't losing three amateurs, he was gaining three professionals, when the San Francisco Giants, selecting next, picked Dennis Littlejohn, USC's big catcher and clean-up hitter.

"We were expecting it," said Justin Dedeaux, Rod's son and his main assistant coach, who called Littlejohn "the best catching prospect in the United States."

Rod Dedeaux had similar praise for Kemp — the No. 3 batter in the USC lineup — calling him "the best unsigned hitter in the country."

The Tigers could be licking their chops over that endorsement since, two years ago, Dedeaux called his then-top player the best prospect in the country, and that player was Fred Lynn, 1975's Most Valuable Player and the Rookie of the Year in the American League.

Justin Dedeaux said Lynn and Kemp were at similar development levels offensively in their junior years, although defensively, Lynn was leagues ahead of Kemp.

"Lynn was the complete outfielder; Kemp is not a major league outfielder yet," said Justin, who scouted Kemp and steered him toward USC. "But at the plate, both are very aggressive hitters, they both have the ability to hit to the opposite field, and they both have outstanding power.

Jayton Has Cage Tourney

The Snyder High School junior varsity girls and the sophomore boys basketball squads will be participating in a junior varsity tournament at Jayton today and Saturday.

The girls were scheduled to meet the Spur JV girls this morning at 11 a.m., with the sophomore boys tangling with the Spur JV boys at 12:15 p.m. this afternoon.

Tomorrow night the varsity and junior varsity boys teams will challenge the Sweetwater Mustangs in Sweetwater in another District 3-AAA encounter with the JV's getting underway at 6:15 p.m., and the varsity tilt at 8 o'clock in Mustang Gym.

Snyder High School's varsity and junior varsity girls will be hosting the Roscoe girls here at the Scurry County Coliseum tomorrow night in 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. tussles.

Scribes Name Gideon Best

DALLAS (AP) — Jim Gideon, the University of Texas righthander who led the Longhorns to the NCAA baseball title, has been named the Amateur Athlete of the Year by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

Gideon won 17 games in a row last year and was undefeated in two seasons of play in the Southwest Conference. He pitched a no-hitter against Southern Methodist.

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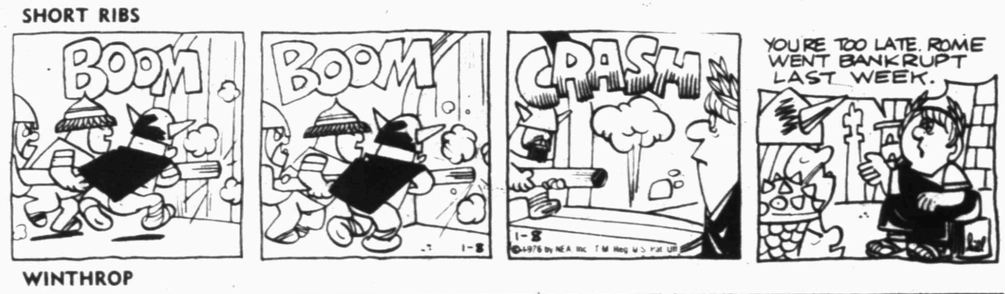

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35 Hail
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39 Sherbets
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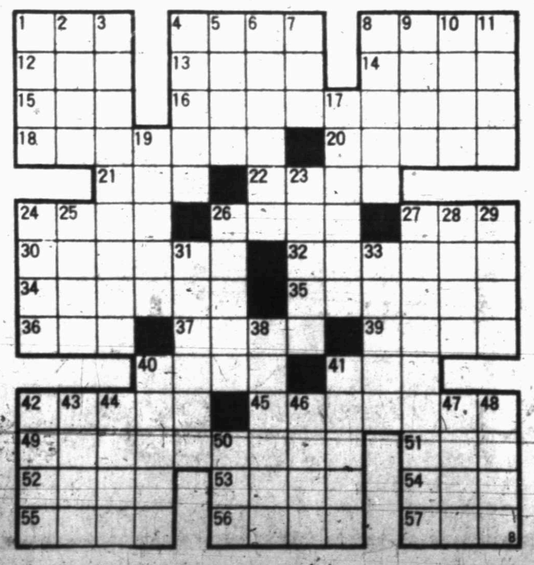

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'White Gold' Helping Ski Resorts To Top Records

By LEE MITGANG
AP Business Writer

Snow, the white gold of the nation's 5 million to 7 million skiers, has been falling heavily at many favorite ski resorts, helping them to smash holiday attendance records.

Business was especially good over the Christmas holiday in the New England states, New York, Pennsylvania and Michigan. Some resorts in those states said it snowed over the holidays this season for the first time in five years.

Colorado, Idaho and Wyoming areas have been getting their usual mountains of snow. Aspen, Col., reports it broke a single-day attendance record on Dec. 30 with 17,722 skiers, and attendance for the Christmas week was up 16 per cent from last year's record.

Vail, Colo., President Ford's vacation spot, reported that lift ticket sales shot up 42 per cent over December 1974 to $1.2 million.

New York State's Commerce Department surveyed 12 ski areas, and nine said business was better than last season.

An Associated Press spot check showed the only bleak skiing spot in the nation is the Far West. Two ski resorts in California and one in Nevada were closed temporarily this week because of lack of snow.

Hans von Nolde, a spokesman for California's Squaw Valley ski area, said business over-all is down 25 to 30 per cent.

"We are actually in better shape than many others," he says. "The people are just waiting for the good stuff to move. If the snow is good, then I think we are far away from being a disaster area."

A white Christmas is more than just a song title to ski resort operators. Cal Conniff, a spokesman for the industry organization, the National Ski Areas Association, estimates that 25 to 30 per cent of an area's annual business takes place over Christmas and New Year's.

Conniff estimates that over-all, holiday skiing business was up 15 to 20 per cent across the nation from last season.

Lift ticket prices, for the most part, have held steady from last season or gone up about 10 per cent in some areas. The range is from a low of about $7 a day at Big Tupper in New York's Adirondack Mountains up to $11 and beyond at the big, artificial snow-making areas like Stowe, Vt., and Hunter, N.Y. Vail and Aspen, Colo., and Sun Valley, Idaho, each increased their one-day adult prices to $11 from $10 this season.

Some areas surveyed say that skiers — faced with average per-day expenses of $50 to $60 for food, accommodations, lift tickets and equipment — are becoming more dollar-conscious.

In response, some resorts like Jiminy Peak in Massachusetts are offering package-deal savings with a Bicentennial flavor. At Jiminy, Monday is "Berkshire Day," Tuesday is "Albany Day," and Thursday is "Connecticut Day," when residents of those areas can get $2-$3 discounts on lift tickets.

Houston Port Trade Holds Level

HOUSTON (AP) — The chairman of the Port of Houston Commission says tonnage handled by the Port last year will be about the same as 1974's record 89 million tons.

Fentress Bracewell predicted that figure Wednesday despite a recession in world commerce.

Taxpayers Ask IRS

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Q. I recently moved to a State which taxes personal property. How do I determine which of these qualify as deductible personal property taxes?

A. First, a deductible personal property tax must be an ad valorem tax, that is, one based on the value of the personal property. It must also be imposed on an annual basis, even if it is collected more or less frequently.

A tax based on anything other than the property's value is not deductible. Therefore, if property such as your car is taxed on its value, and other criteria such as weight or gas mileage, only the portion of the tax attributable to the value is deductible.

The tax may be considered to be imposed on personal property even if in form it is imposed on the exercise of a privilege. For example, an ad valorem tax called a registration fee, imposed on your car for the privilege of using the highways, is still considered a property tax.

Q. I understand that I may be able to claim additional tax credits for some of my exemptions this year. For which of them may I claim the credits?

A. Provisions of the Tax Reduction Act of 1975 allow you to reduce their income tax liability by $30 for each person for whom you are entitled to claim a personal dependency deduction. Personal exemptions may be claimed for yourself, your spouse and each dependent. However, you may not claim the additional credits for age and blindness exemptions. The credit is in addition to the $750 deduction allowed for each exemption to which you are entitled. However, your total personal exemption credit may not exceed your income tax liability.

Q. I am supporting my parents who qualify as my dependents and who live with me, and I think I may be entitled to a head of household tax rate. How can I qualify?

A. Generally, you must be unmarried on the last day of the year, maintain the household for your dependent parents and contribute over half the cost of its maintenance. You need not live in the same home as your parents.

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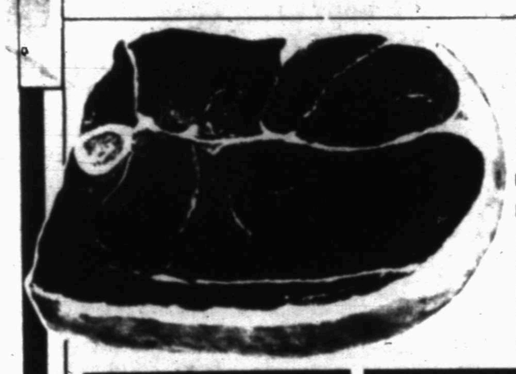

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Piggly Wiggly, Buttermilk or Sweetmilk **Canned Biscuits** 8-oz. Can 10c
Piggly Wiggly **Buttermilk** Gal. Ctn. 69c
Pillsbury, Caramel, Orange, Cinnamon, Raisin, Danish **Sweet Rolls** 11-oz. Can 79c
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Golden Ripe **Bananas** Lb. 22c
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Ford, Reagan Spokesmen Disagree On Poll Results

By DAVE RILEY
Associated Press Writer

President Ford's campaign officials say a poll showing a 7 per cent drop in Ford's popularity is a temporary setback resulting from voter apathy. But a spokesman for Ronald Reagan indicated he thought the figures mean the country is looking for leadership.

Ford, who has yet to make his first 1976 political trip, went by motorcade Wednesday from the White House to his campaign headquarters six blocks away. He met about 130 campaign workers and expressed continued confidence in his campaign manager, Howard H. Callaway.

But a short time later, a campaign spokesman said the Ford election committee had been told the results of a new Gallup poll showing a decline in Ford's popularity to 39 per cent, only two points above his all-time low Gallup rating.

As Ford was making his first visit to his own campaign headquarters, Reagan, his rival for the Republican presidential nomination, ended three days of campaigning in New Hampshire and flew to North Carolina.

A Ford aide said the campaign committee was "obviously concerned" about the poll but added, "As we get near the primary dates, support will harden and we think it will swing back to the President as his policies and programs become known. Such sizeable shifts of support for candidates are not surprising at this stage of the campaign."

In a statement, the Ford spokesman said polls made for Ford show "softness of support for all candidates because of voter apathy and a lack of information on any of the candidates and what they stand for."

But a spokesman for Reagan said, "We've known all along that the country has been looking for some leadership — somebody who would try to get Washington off their back. We've looked at this — the mood of the country (as reflected in polls) — and it doesn't change anything we're trying to do. It's a long way from here to the convention."

The Harris poll reported Wednesday that initial public reaction to the former California governor has been positive. Harris said a 45 to 25 per cent plurality believes Reagan "is no ordinary politician because he wants to cut federal spending and cut back the federal bureaucracy" and 44 to 25 per cent agreed with Reagan's hard-line stand toward Russia.

Reagan spent the last day of his campaign swing through New Hampshire doing essentially the same thing he did the first two days — defending his plan to cut $90 billion from the federal budget by transferring responsibility for many social and welfare programs to the states.

At a news conference in Concord, he said his plan had been "misrepresented," but he would not say who was misrepresenting it.

Ford backers have pictured the plan as one that might lead to new state taxes. New Hampshire does not now have sales or income taxes. Reagan was questioned on the plan at nearly every New Hampshire stop, but he said in Concord he believed he had put the issue "to rest" with his explanations.

Comptroller Opens WATS Phone Service

AUSTIN—Comptroller Bob Bullock said his office began operation Tuesday of a toll-free WATS line to answer general taxpayer questions.

He said the number is 1-800-292-9687.

"Information is like oil to the machinery of business or government," Bullock said. "Without it we just can't run as well."

The Comptroller said his office deals directly with more than half a million taxpayers, nearly all of whom have a question from time to time.

"If they don't get an answer," Bullock said, "they might make a mistake on their return. That will cost them and us money to correct."

He added that every person in the state, "even a kid buying a 15c candy bar," deals indirectly with his office by paying the state sales tax and is equally entitled to answers about taxes.

Bullock said the toll-free line will be in operation from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, with extensions in each taxing division, as well as in the legal division and tax information office.

Taxpayers with specific questions on matters already being negotiated with the Comptroller's Office should contact the persons with whom they have been dealing directly, he said. Bullock said many taxpayer questions can best be answered by contacting the local district office, listed under "Texas, State of Comptroller of Public Accounts" in the telephone directory.

Cpl. Bell Helps Clear Minefields

Marine Lance Corporal Raymond T. Bell Jr., son of Mr. R.T. Bell Sr. of 3905 Muriel Drive, Snyder, recently participated in "Nimbus Stream," a two-month operation to clear minefields from Egyptian territorial waters near Port Said, while assigned to the Marine Security Guard Platoon embarked in the helicopter carrier USS Inchon.

He also took part in wreath-laying ceremonies at the Tomb of the Egyptian Unknown Soldier in Alexandria, Egypt, during the cruise.

Bell presently serves with 1st Battalion, 2d Marine Regiment, 32d Marine Amphibious Unit, and is currently deployed to the Mediterranean.

A 1973 graduate of Snyder High School, he joined the Marine Corps in April 1973.

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IN PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

Carr Says Texas Demos Will Have Six Choices

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Texas Democrat voters apparently will have about six choices presented them May 1 in the so-called presidential primary election, says liberal Democrat leader Billie Carr, Houston.

"I'm looking for us (liberal Democrats) to get 30 per cent of the national convention delegation easily," Mrs. Carr told a Capitol news conference Wednesday.

Ninety-eight of the state's 130-member delegation to the national convention will be elected May 1 in the 31 state senatorial districts. Voters will ballot directly on delegates by name although each will be identified as a supporter of a presidential nominee candidate or as "uncommitted." Another 32 delegates will be selected at the June 18 state convention on the basis of a straw poll at the convention.

Mrs. Carr said present indications are that the senatorial district ballots will carry delegate slates supporting presidential candidates Lloyd Bentsen, George Wallace, Jimmy Carter, Fred Harris and Sarge Shriver, plus the "uncommitted" slates.

There is no direct vote on the candidates themselves.

Mrs. Carr heads Texas Democrats Operation '76 which will try to get voters to select "nomcommitted" delegates in the May 1 primary. It is generally recognized as the liberal Democrats organization although several presidential candidates also are appealing to liberal party members.

"We are unified in our goal of getting as many liberal progressive delegates elected to the national convention as possible," she said.

Mrs. Carr said there are 24 senatorial districts, out of the 31, who will have an uncommitted delegates slates on the primary ballot. Presidential nomination candidate Harris expects to have Harris delegates on the ballots in about 10 senatorial districts while Shriver hopes to put Shriver delegates on the ballot in seven districts.

"I understand Jimmy Carter is still planning to have delegates in every district," she said.

Supporters of Bentsen, and Wallace have already said they will field a slate of delegates in each of the 31 districts.

"That's about the way the May 1 primary ballot will look," Mrs. Carr said.

She pointed out that for the first time there will be a strong contest in the state Republican primary for the presidential nomination, between Ronald Reagan and President Gerald Ford. She said Bentsen and Wallace will be vying for conservative voter support.

"My feeling is that our uncommitted slates will be attractive to those who want to say 'none of the above,'" she said.

Dr. Lamb

Cancer-drug scare is off

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I find it hard to believe your statement that a higher per cent of lung cancer in women occurs in the absence of smoking. Are you seriously suggesting non-smoking, childbearing age women are more prone to lung cancer than their puffing-away sisters?

DEAR READER—Of course not! You have read my statement out of context. Women tend to be free of lung cancer during the childbearing years. Men are prone to lung cancer during this age span. In men, over 90 per cent of the lung cancers occur in smokers. In women the percentage of lung cancers associated with smoking is nowhere near the 90 per cent. But the reason is because most of the rare cancers of the lungs seen in young women are the type not associated with smoking.

This certainly does not mean that I approve of smoking by young women or by anyone, male or female at any age.

DEAR DR. LAMB—Some time ago I read your column about packing a school lunch. I have a suggestion which has worked for me for years. You can freeze the sandwiches so that they are frozen when packed in the morning. By lunch time they are thawed and ready for eating, but still cool.

You can also prepare a quantity of sandwiches once a week and take them out of the freezer as needed.

DEAR READER—That is a useful suggestion and I am happy to pass it along. The way to prevent food bacteria from multiplying is by either keeping the food cold enough or hot enough. The frozen sandwich under usual circumstances will prolong the time it is cold enough to prevent excessive growth of bacteria that sometimes leads to food poisoning. But this doesn't eliminate the need to follow normal precautions in food preparation.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I am 37 and have high blood pressure very bad. I have been taking Aldomet for five years for my blood pressure. Is there any chance that I could get breast cancer from these drugs?

DEAR READER—Stop worrying about that. The drug that was mentioned with relation to breast cancer was resperine or Serpisil. Aldomet is not one of these and does not contain any of the reserpine medicines in it.

Furthermore, a more recently reported study (New England Journal of Medicine, June 26, 1975) of the chances of getting breast cancer if you take these medicines did not support the earlier widely publicized studies. In short, it looks like there is no connection at all between these medicines and breast cancer.

The problem in the earlier reports may have been in the way the studies were designed. So once again we learn that before you jump to conclusions you need to be very sure that your study is designed properly to permit such conclusions to be made.

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ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't take on unnecessary challenges today just to prove your point. Nothing will be accomplished by pitting yourself against another.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Bring things that irritate you out into the open today. Keeping them locked inside may cause you to harbor long-standing resentment.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Avoid becoming overly involved in a friend's problems. He may see your interest as a good excuse to dump the whole mess into your lap.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Be sure to give credit where credit is due today. Fail to, and you could lose a valuable ally.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You won't get the results you hope for by forcing those under you to obey. Being democratic and tactful works wonders.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be especially wary today of proposals that offer you "pie in the sky". You could wind up with a piece of burnt crust.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Don't make major domestic decisions today without consulting your mate. Behaving too independently will cause friction.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you expect to inspire perfection in others today, first set a good example. People emulate those they can look up to.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You're apt to be a bit too generous with your resources today. Don't bet on long shots — horses, stocks or people.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Keep in mind: You're prone to be more tolerant of casual acquaintances than you are of the family today. You're courting domestic disaster.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Don't permit your negative thought to gain the upper hand today. You'll never know if something will work unless you put it to the test.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Keep a reasonable rein on nonessential spending today. Manage money matters as prudently as possible.

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Dallas Retail Sales Up

DALLAS (AP) — Santa Claus was generous this year, according to Dallas retail merchants counting up record sales.

"It borders on the fantastic," said a spokesman for a large north Dallas shopping center, North Park. "I would say we had a 20 per cent increase in business this year over last, and we had increases last year, too."

Morris Rovinsky, chief financial officer for Zale Corp., said his jewelry chain achieved "a landmark" on the Saturday before Christmas when daily sales exceeded $10 million for the first time.

Rovinsky said sales were up 15 per cent over last Christmas and "the final seven or eight days of the season were phenomenal."

Richard Marcus, president of Neiman-Marcus, said, "There is no question that this is the best Christmas we have ever had. Business in general exceeded expectations, and those expectations were for increased sales."

Sears, Roebuck and Co. reported nationwide sales increased 11.5 per cent over 1974 and J.C. Penney Co. reported an 18.1 per cent jump.

Jack Miller, president of Sanger-Harris in Dallas said he was "surprised to see the degree that sales increased this year."

He added, "We are having double-digit increases now. We've seen continued strengthening of consumer confidence."

Bikini Thesis Hearing Set

BEAUMONT, Tex. (AP) — A Lamar University student who had her master's thesis rejected because she included a picture of herself in a bikini will get a hearing on the matter Jan 29.

Regents agreed Wednesday to give Kathryn King the hearing. Miss King submitted her thesis on celestrial navigation and included an illustration on the use of a sextant. She was on the beach and clad in the bikini.

She refused to elimanate the picture after school officials said she must.

Miss King told the school there is a federal requirement in programs granting funds to colleges and universities stating that students are entitled to hearings on their grievances.

Briscoe Dinner Is Set Monday

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas and Ford Worth Democrats will sponsor "An Evening of Affirmation" for Gov. Doph Briscoe Monday and charge $250 per person.

Jess Hay, member of the 180-person host committee, said proceeds will go toward retirement of $800,000 in campaign debts.

The black tie event will start with a reception at the Fairmont Hotel followed by a speech by Briscoe, dinner and dancing.

Hay, a Democratic national committeeman, said a similar function is expected to be held later in Houston.

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Panel Sees More Strike Opportunities In 1976

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Although there were more than 4,400 work stoppages in 1975, authorities on collective bargaining consider labor-management communications in 1975 to have been relatively smooth.

This year might produce a different record. The Conference Board assembled a panel on the subject, and after their deliberations they announced: "Members unanimously foresee an increased number of strikes in 1976."

The main reason for the somber forecast is that more contracts will expire in 1976 than in 1975, and thus, said the panel members, there will be more "opportunity" to strike.

True, but strikes don't occur simply because the opportunity is there. An opportunity to strike is unlikely to be exercised if nothing is to be gained or regained, and it appears that in 1976 both factors are involved.

Workers throughout the country are aware to the nickel of how much inflation has taken from their paychecks, and they seem intent on getting that money back, and more.

Studies by other organizations have demonstrated how prevalent is the feeling that inflation won't be conquered in 1976, and the panel members agree. They expect a rise in consumer prices of 7 per cent to 8 per cent.

"Inflation will be the largest single influence on negotiations next year," said the board, which describes itself as a non-profit educational and research organization utilizing the brainpower of business, labor and academia.

"To cushion workers against the effects of inflation, unions are expected to demand only 'normal' increases but also catch-up wage boosts and escalator clauses in their contracts," the board reported.

Union leaders might also, in the opinion of the board's panel, attempt to create more jobs by pressing for early retirements, longer vacations, more holidays, job transfer rights and restrictions on overtime.

While the prospects of work stoppages is high, said the labor authorities, the duration of the stoppages might be relatively short because of the desire by business and Washington to keep the economic recovery on track.

"Companies are expected to be better equipped financially to meet union demands," the board announced, "and the federal government is likely to pressure firms and unions to settle strikes quickly to protect economic recovery."

For those contracts successfully negotiated, the average first-year wage and benefit increase is expected to average between 10 per cent and 15 per cent, compared with about 11 per cent in 1975.

Only 59 per cent of the moon's surface is directly visible from the earth.

AFTER NINE YEARS

Girl In Crash, Dad Reunited

EL PASO, Tex. (AP) — An 11-year-old girl who seemed lost when she was discovered a few days before Christmas in the wreckage of a plane crash that killed her family found a lot of love this week in El Paso.

Pig-tailed, tearful Theresa Seymour hugged the father she had not seen for nine years and greeted nearly a dozen other relatives when she arrived here on a flight from the West Coast with an aunt and also with the Chihuahua puppy who survived the Dec. 21 crash.

An aunt called to her, "Theresita, Theresita, we'll take care of you."

Theresa said after the reunion, "I'm very happy to be here. I have many friends and relatives in El Paso."

She told half a dozen young cousins who gathered around her, "Yo se que mi mama esta en el cielo. I know that my mother is in heaven."

"I'm shook," Paul Seymour said Tuesday before his daughter's arrival. "What do you say after all these years?"

"The last time I saw her," he said, "she was a little devil, always playing tricks on me."

He was speechless as he hugged Theresa at the unloading ramp where her wheel chair was removed from the aircraft. Both her legs were broken in the crash.

Seymour told newsmen, "Our main concern now is to make Theresa happy."

Searchers found the little girl huddled with her puppy in the wreckage of the light plane that crashed on Bryant Mountain, about 35 miles southeast of Klamath Falls. Killed in the crash were Theresa's stepfather, Robert L. Condruff, 37, of Ft. Hood, Tex.; her mother, Frances M. Condruff, 47; and her half-sister, Maria Frances Foster, 14. The family was en route from Texas to Yakima, Wash., to visit Condruff's parents.

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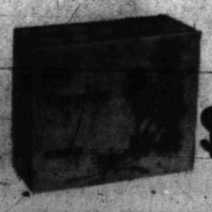

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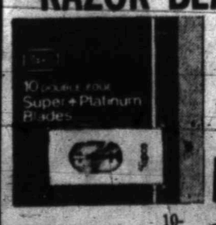

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