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The SDN Column

A few envelopes addressed to the Scurry County United Fund continue to trickle into the Chamber of Commerce office here, which made space available for the UF headquarters during the recent campaign.

The appeal for persons missed during the campaign to use the little coupon currently being published each day in The Snyder Daily News will continue until the first of the year. Then, UF campaign leaders hope to organize a "clean-up" effort to move the campaign nearer its goal.

The coupon will be published on Page 2 of the Daily News each day until Jan. 1.

The Scurry County United Fund has slightly over 70 per cent of its goal accounted for in contributions and pledges.

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A clipping from a Starkville, Miss., newspaper with an article on the work of Dr. D. D. Hardee has arrived in the Daily News office.

Dr. Hardee is a federal researcher at the U. S. Department of Agriculture's boll weevil research laboratory at State College, Miss. According to the article, he is optimistic over the possibility of eradicating the boll weevil from cotton-producing regions.

Dr. Hardee revealed the research had pinpointed some interesting characteristics of the boll weevil. For instance, male boll weevils have a peculiar type of B.O. which attracts other boll weevils, especially females. Their tendency to stick together may be their undoing, however.

If boll weevils are stamped out, Dr. Hardee predicted, some possible results may be lower retail prices for cotton products and reduced federal cotton crop price supports.

Dr. Hardee is the son of Mrs. R. A. Hardee, 3214 Avenue U, Snyder.

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Nearly everybody has a lot to do before Santa Claus arrives on Dec. 25, but Snyder Public School Pupils are eyeing Friday with almost as much anticipation as Christmas Day itself.

Classes will be dismissed Friday afternoon for two full weeks, meaning that teachers and pupils will report back on Jan. 6. Most college students also should be home by the weekend for their annual Yuletide holidays. —WACIL McNAIR

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Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Thursday, Dec. 19, the 354th day of 1968. There are 12 days left in the year.

Todays highlight in history:

On this date in 1777, George Washington and the Continental Army began their winter encampment at Valley Forge, Pa.

On this date:

In 1675, in the last battle in King Philip's war, British colonists defeated the Narragansett Indians in Rhode Island.

In 1932, Benjamin Franklin began to publish Poor Richard's Almanac.

In 1793, Napoleon Bonaparte recaptured the French seaport of Toulon.

In 1939, the crew of the German liner Columbus scuttled the vessel in mid-Atlantic to avoid capture by the British navy during World War II.

In 1941, Adolf Hitler, faced with military setbacks, dismissed his chief of staff and assumed personal command of the German army.

In 1946, war broke out in Indochina as troops under Ho Chi Minh launched widespread attacks against the French.

Ten years ago — An Atlas missile was put into orbit by the U. S. Air Force.

Five years ago — Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara arrived in Saigon to analyze a critical state in the South Vietnam war.

One year ago — President Johnson flew to Australia for memorial services for Prime Minister Harold Holt, who had drowned.

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THE WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Wednesday, 50 degrees; low, 23 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 23 degrees.

Northwest Texas: Fair and warmer tonight. Increasing cloudiness and a little warmer Friday. Low 20 in north to 30 in south. High Friday 48 in north to 60 in south.

North Central Texas: Fair and cool tonight. Partly cloudy and a little warmer Friday. Low 27 to 37. High Friday 57 to 64.

Northeast Texas: Fair and cool tonight and Friday. Low 28 to 32. High Friday 57 to 64.

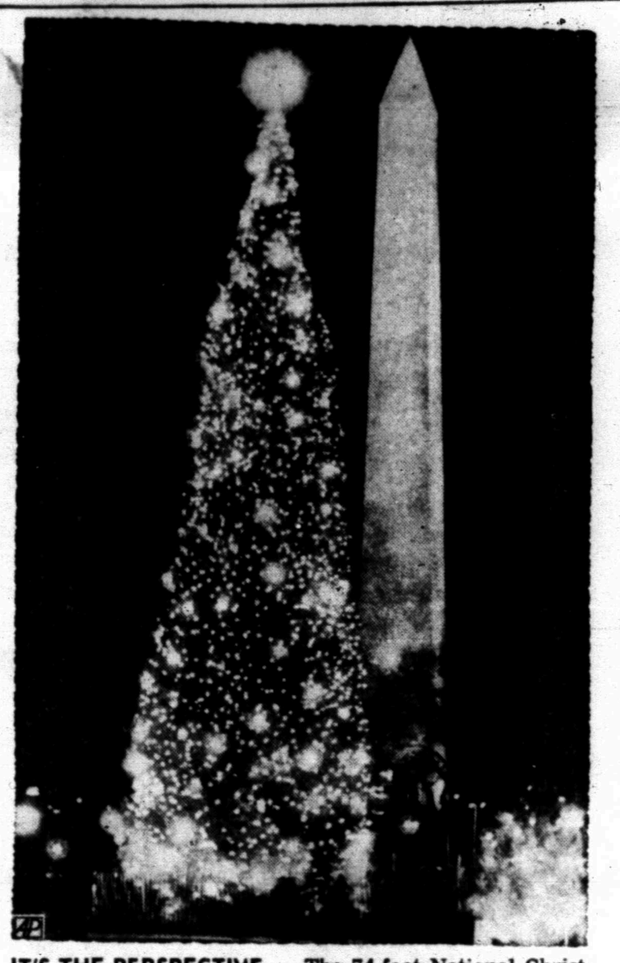
Coast: Northeast wind 6 to 15 knots becoming east to southeast tonight and Friday.

South Central Texas: Partly cloudy and cool tonight. Increasing cloudiness and a little warmer with slight chance of showers Friday. Low 35 in north to 60 in south. High Friday 60 to 72.

Southeast Texas: Partly cloudy through Friday. Cool tonight, warmer Friday. Low 38 to 50. High Friday 58 to 70.

Southwest Texas: Partly cloudy through Friday. Cool tonight, warmer Friday. Low 30 to 42. High Friday 50 to 62.

West of the Pecos: Partly cloudy through Friday. Cool tonight, warmer Friday. Low 28 to 40. High Friday 50 to 62.



IT'S THE PERSPECTIVE — The 74-foot National Christmas Tree appears as tall as the 555-foot Washington Monument which is far in the background. President Johnson lighted the 115-year-old Engalmann Spruce from a Utah national forest in ceremonies on Washington Ellipse. (AP Wirephoto)

January Oil Allowable Up

AUSTIN (AP) — The Railroad Commission raised the January statewide oil allowable today to 43.7 per cent of potential, breaking a four-month string of 41.3 per cent factors.

The January market demand factor will permit maximum production of 3,254,005 barrels a day next month, 127,559 more than in December.

Six of the 15 major crude oil buyers sought more oil next month than in December, four wanted less and five asked for the same amount.

Written nominations from major purchasers of crude totaled 2,908,014 barrels a day, an increase of 23,522 from this month.

The Bureau of Mines forecast of the January demand for Texas crude was 3,185,000 barrels daily, an increase of 170,000 from December.

In announcing the allowable increase, Commission Chairman Jim Langdon noted that floor nominations by purchasers had raised the total nominations to a level of 53,522 barrels a day more than this month.

Carter Grinstead of Humble said, however, that his company's refinery runs in December were considerably below November and Humble still has for sale 19,000 barrels a day of sweet crude for delivery in January. He said Humble expected some increase in refinery runs in January.

A spokesman for Clark Oil & Refining Corp. said his company needs 8,000 to 10,000 barrels

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Dan Lusby Is Named New Phone Co. Manager Here

Dan R. Lusby has been named manager here for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

He succeeds Gary Stevens who has been appointed unit manager in Amarillo.

Lusby joined Southwestern Bell in Lubbock in 1967 after graduating from East Texas State University. He holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree.

In Lubbock, Lusby has been a commercial staff assistant, working as a business office supervisor.

A resident of Paris, he attended Paris Junior College before going to ETS.

He and his wife, Kathyleen, will reside in Snyder.

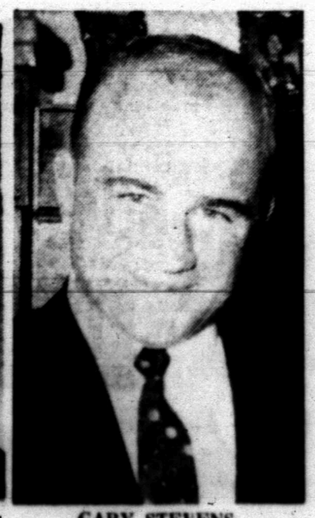
Stevens has been manager here for the past 20 months, coming from Odessa, where he was a commercial staff assistant. He joined Southwestern Bell in Amarillo in 1965 after serving with the Department of Public Safety for a year.

Stevens has been active in civic affairs in the area. He is a deacon in Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder.

He and his wife Jean are parents of a son, 2, and a daughter, three months.



DAN R. LUSBY
. . . New Bell Manager



GARY STEVENS
. . . Going To Amarillo

Cambodia, V'Cong To Free Some Americans

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — Cambodia announced today that it is releasing 12 American soldiers captured in the past year, and the Viet Cong offered to free three U.S. troops it holds and possibly more.

Prince Norodom Sihanouk, the Cambodian chief of state, told a news conference in Phnom Penh he was freeing 11 American soldiers and a South Vietnamese captured last July when their river boat strayed into Cambodian waters and an American helicopter crewman captured last month.

A Viet Cong spokesman in Paris said the three soldiers it is offering to release are Thomas Nelson Jones, Donald L. Smith and James W. Brigham. He gave no home addresses or other information.

The Australian Embassy in Phnom Penh, which represents the U.S. government in Cambodia, said it expected that the 12 Americans being freed there would be flown by commercial airliner to Bangkok Friday.

The U.S. and South Vietnamese commands in Saigon announced, meanwhile, that American, South Vietnamese and enemy casualties all increased last week although no major sustained ground fighting reported. The U.S. Command also reported four sharp skirmishes Wednesday in which it said American forces killed 131 enemy troops.

Prince Norodom Sihanouk the Cambodian chief of state, told a news conference in Phnom Penh he was releasing his prisoners so they can spend Christmas with their families.

Sihanouk called another news conference two hours later to announce he had received a "cordial" message from President Johnson. He said the President told him the release of the prisoners would contribute to an improvement in relations between their two countries. Johnson also assured him of the continuing friendship of the American people for Cambodia and its people," Sihanouk said.

In his announcement that he was freeing the prisoners the prince complained that Washington had fulfilled none of the conditions he set for the release, and especially that Johnson had not acceded to his request for a personal letter saying efforts would be made to stop violation of Cambodian territory by U.S and South Vietnamese troops.

The release of three Americans held prisoner by the Viet Cong was made contingent on a Christmas Day battlefield meeting between U.S. and Viet Cong delegations to arrange the transfer of the men. The proposal was made in a radio broadcast by the National Liberation Front, the political arm of the Viet Cong.

Although both the United States and South Vetnam have repeatedly refused to recognize the NLF, calling it an outlaw group and a tool of Communist North Vietnam, the U.S. Command said it is giving the proposal serious consideration.

"We welcome any indication of such a release," said a U.S. spokesman. "We are studying the statement."

The NLF broadcast said the Front had decided to release "a number of U.S.-puppet prisoners," suggesting the Viet Cong might release even more Americans and some South Vietnamese.

Temperature Plunges Across State

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Temperatures plunged rapidly early today as the state experienced the hardest freeze so far of the season.

Dust kicked up by strong gusty winds traveled across northern sections of the state behind a fast moving cold front and began pushing southeastward over almost all of Central and East Texas.

Before dawn, dust still was restricting visibility slightly in East Texas. Skies were clear elsewhere except over extreme South Texas and along the coast where high cloudiness prevailed.

A few showers and thundershowers were reported near the front mainly over the eastern half of the state.

Temperatures dropped rapidly in the dry air behind the norther.

Dalhart in the Panhandle recorded a low of 8 degrees before daybreak.

Amarillo had a low of 13.

Temperatures ranged from the 20s over the rest of Northwest Texas to the 30s in North Central and Northeast Texas to the 40s in South Texas.

Santa Phone Hooked Up

Santa Claus will have his own telephone in operation this evening in Snyder through cooperation of the Snyder Jaycees.

Gary Stevens, chairman of the project for the Jaycees, announced that youngsters here may talk to Santa Claus on the telephone by dialing 573-2691 between the hours of 6:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. this evening.

The Santa Claus telephone hook-up is an annual project of the Snyder Jaycees.



BATTLE FOR LIFE — Frogman from RAF rescue helicopter off Lowestoft, England, on east coast, attempts to save life of a fisherman, shown in water, trapped by his leg in metal plates of a breakwater after capsize of his Craft. The fisherman, identified as Norman Morrison, 28, held out for two hours but finally disappeared under the gale-lashed sea. (AP Wirephoto via cable from London)

Apollo Countdown Hits First Snag

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — The lengthy Apollo 8 countdown hit its first technical snag today, but it was a minor one and was not expected to affect Saturday's planned blastoff of three astronauts toward an orbit around the moon.

The problem cropped up as the launch crew prepared to pipe supercold liquid hydrogen into the three fuel cells that will produce electricity for Apollo 8. A valve in the pumping system did not respond and had to be replaced.

A spokesman for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration said the problem delayed the fueling operation about four hours. He noted, however, that several aspects of the countdown, which started Sunday, were ahead of schedule and there was plenty of time to make up for time lost because of the faulty valve.

The spokesman said the launch team expected to catch up during a planned built-in hold of more than five hours, scheduled this afternoon before the so-called terminal countdown starts at 8:51 p.m. This is one of six such periods worked into the countdown to handle such contingencies.

During flight, the fuel cells combine liquid hydrogen, at a temperature of 423 degrees below zero, and liquid oxygen, at 297 below, to produce electricity and a byproduct of water for astronaut drinking.

The three astronauts who will fly the mission slowed their rugged training pace as Saturday's launch neared. They climbed into a spacecraft trainer in the morning and planned to huddle with launch officials in the afternoon.

Aquanauts Practice Dive

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — Five aquanauts who successfully completed a simulated dive to a depth of one-fifth mile ednreuth depth of one-fifth mile under the sea were being kept under observation today for possible signs of the bends.

The divers, smiling and apparently in good physical condition, emerged at 7:02 p.m. Wednesday from the hyperbaric chamber in which they began their trip Dec. 2.

About 50 persons, including three Navy admirals, greeted the divers with cheers and applause.

The chamber was kept dry but increased pressures were produced by changing the interior atmosphere. The divers were subjected to the same conditions they would find in an open sea to depths of 1,000 feet, far deeper than man has ever gone.

The Navy plans to begin dives in the open sea next year off the

ROADS, SKIES ALREADY BUSY

Flu May Slow Holiday Travel

BY THE ASSCCIATED PRESS

The nation's roads, rails and skies are getting more crowded every day as Christmas approaches and thousands of Americans head for home or vacation spots. There are indications, however, that the outbreak of Hong Kong flu may ease travel congestion.

An Associated Press survey showed airlines, bus companies and railroads in most major cities expect record crowds during the Christmas season.

In several areas, however, spokesmen for travel companies said the passenger load has been spread out somewhat because of early school and college closings due to flu.

"We're all getting a break with the flu epidemic," said Virgin McKibben, assistant regional manager of Greyhound Bus Co. in Washington. McKibben said the flu is "scattering the travel over an extended period."

He expects the congestion to get worse, however. "The day we're all dreading is the Sunday after New Year's when everybody is going to be returning at the same time," McKibben said. "Lord help us. It is going to be something out of this world."

In most cities, the question is not whether there will be record holiday crowds, but simply how high the records will be.

An Eastern Airlines spokesman in Philadelphia said the carrier expected a 60 per cent increase this year in travel to Florida and Puerto Rico. United Airlines said it has added 14 extra sections on flights from Philadelphia, expecting 33 per cent more passengers than usual.

Harry K. Malone, Jr., assistant manager of the Atlanta Airport, said he expected extreme congestion, but did not know whether the crowds would be worse than last year.

Malone said much of the rush was due to military personnel from nearby Fort Benning and other installations.

The air traffic controllers—who staged a "follow-the-book" campaign and snarled travel last summer—apparently do not plan to resume their slowdown.

A spokesman for the Air Transport Association said in Chicago that airlines in the Windy City expect no unforseen delays providing the weather is good. Dan Vucurevich, the tower chief at O'Hare International Airport said he would have an "adequate" staff on hand to handle peak traffic, even though several controllers have the flu.

Times Says Shriver Has Accepted Post

NEW YORK (AP) — Sargent Shriver has accepted an invitation from President-elect Nixon to serve as the chief U.S. representative to the United Nations, the New York Times said today.

In a Washington datelined story the Times said Nixon is expected to announce the appointment in the next day or two and that some members of Congress were prepared for an announcement at any time.

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Paris Delegates Trade Charges

PARIS (AP) — The United States has told North Vietnam that a Viet Cong attack on Saigon could bar serious peace talks and cause a resumption of the bombing of the North, the North Vietnamese said today.

The North Vietnamese informants reported this after a secret session with U.S. negotiators apparently failed to break the long deadlock over how to start an expanded conference on ending the war.

America's Cyrus R. Vance and Hanoi's Ha Van Lau traded charges and repeated their past rival proposals for conference table shape designs and other procedural items still in dispute, the North Vietnamese said.

Diplomats in close touch with developments agreed that the two deputy chiefs of their delegations had made no progress at their session, the first since last Friday.

The no-progress outcome of the private session—the fifth between the two conference procedures—left in doubt when there might be an opening of the conference that President Johnson once announced would begin Nov. 6.

Johnson's Nov. 1 order to stop U.S. bombing of North Vietnam was part of a package arrangement supposed to lead to an expanded peace parley but the rival diplomats have yet to agree on procedures.

A North Vietnamese communique said Vance called today's session and that he repeated "old American propositions concerning the conference table, the order of speakers according to the U.S. conception of the conference as two-sided."

"At the same time," the Hanoi delegation statement continued, Mr. Vance said there was information that 'the armed forces of the South Vietnamese National Liberation Front' (the Viet Cong) are preparing to attack Saigon."

Vance "declared that if this happens, "It would create a situation such that it would be impossible to carry on serious talks and to continue the halt in bombing of North Vietnam," the North Vietnamese said.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Chaplain: Rev. Vernon Hagar

ADMISSIONS: Mary Wampler, Post Rd.; Shelley Lane, Rt. 1; Roy Lewis, 3734 Austin; Manuel Herrera, 305 Twenty-seventh; Guadalupe Tijerina City; J. R. Robertson, 805 Twenty-fifth.

DISMISSALS: Norma Clements, Raymond Tavarez, Rachel Rosser, Misti Meyers.

Honors Earned By Snyder Student

WACO — Sharon Jean Rutledge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rutledge of Snyder, is one of 65 Baylor University students honored for academic performance during the 1968 summer session.

To make the dean's list during the summer sessions, students must have a grade point average of at least 3.60 of a possible 4.00. Miss Rutledge had a straight 4.00 average for the summer.

Local Soldier Draws Promotion

FT. BLISS — Robert F. Bevers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Bevers, 2209 Avenue O, Snyder, was promoted to Army staff sergeant while assigned to the U. S. Army Air Derense School at Ft. Bliss.

Sgt. Bevers entered the Army in May 1964, completed basic training at Ft. Polk, La., and was last stationed in Vietnam.

The 23-year-old sergeant is a 1963 graduate of Post High School.

His wife, Lejenia, lives in El Paso.

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January Oil

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a day more of crude and "has been unable to turn it up."

Nominations, by major purchasers, in barrels per day for January:

Atlantic Richfield 75,500.
Cardinal Petroleum Corp. 25,985.
Cities Service 70,500.
Continental 36,000.
Gulf 226,400.
Humble 456,000.
Mobil 300,000.
Pan American 360,000.
Phillips 111,500.
Shell 153,000.
Sinclair 105,000.
Standard of Texas 44,520.
Sun 128,000.
Texaco 180,000.
Union of California, nominating for Pure Oil, 59,000.

Powerful Intelsat 3 Moving To Target

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — Intelsat 3, the most powerful communications satellite ever launched, sped through space today on target toward a stationary outpost high above the Atlantic Ocean.

"Based on preliminary data it appears the spacecraft is in a good transfer orbit," project officials reported after tracking the spaceship nearly 12 hours.



CHRISTMAS PROGRAM — These 4th, 5th and 6th grade students at Stanfield Elementary School recently presented "Christmas Around The Earth," a program of carols and customs of nine countries. Virginia Whitson, music teacher at Stanfield, directed the program. Members of the P-TA saw the performance at their meeting.

Nixon Move Steadies Price Of Gold

LONDON (AP) — President-elect Nixon's backing of the official U.S. gold price of $35 an ounce steadied Europe's bullion and foreign exchange markets today.

The price of gold eased off Wednesday's six-month high in European markets, and the dollar strengthened in the foreign exchanges.

David Kennedy, who is to be Nixon's treasury secretary, refused at a news conference in Washington Tuesday to commit the new administration to defending the official price. His comments touched off speculation the price might rise.

But Nixon's chief spokesman, Ronald Ziegler, said no change was anticipated.

Giggling Workmen Not Really Drunk

WICHITA FALLS (AP) — Four workmen who were crawling around on their hands and knees and giggling at each other in a store being remodeled here weren't drunk.

Police said they had been overcome by fumes from some glue they were using in the remodeling.

The men, led into the fresh air by firemen summoned to the scene, quickly recovered.

To Study Rail Safety

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) — Texas A&M University's Texas Transportation Institute will undertake a $35,000 railroad safety research project for the Federal Railroad Administration.

Snyderite In Who's Who

DALLAS — Jerry Vestal, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Vestal of Snyder and a senior at Southern Methodist University, has been listed in the 1968-69 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

Vestal is a senior at SMU majoring in social science.

The annual directory of distinguished students has been published since 1934, and carries only the names of students whose academic standing, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential are decidedly above average.

"Who's Who" lists campus leaders from over 1,000 of the nation's institutions of higher learning.

Two Vehicles Are Damaged In Crash

Minor damage resulted from a two-car mishap in the 2500 block of Avenue I at 1:50 a.m. Thursday.

Involved were the parked 1961 Model Dodge of Buster Morgan, and the 1962 Model Ford of Rickey Bob Morris, 900 Twenty-sixth Street. Damage to Morris' car was placed at $125, and damage to the other vehicle was set at $75.



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Kraft Miracle Whip Quart 49c

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Shurfine PIE CHERRIES 303 Can 39c

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Food King SALAD CHERRIES 10-Oz. 37c

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AT CHRISTMAS PARTY — The Lambda Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held a regular meeting and Christmas party Tuesday evening in the home of Carla Barnes, 2708 Thirty-seventh Street. The home was gayly decorated in the Christmas theme and games were played after gifts were exchanged. Patsy Elliott gave a very appropriate program during the evening's activities.



THE SNYDER PALETTE CLUB held an exhibit and tea Tuesday afternoon at Martha Ann Woman's Club with over 100 paintings on display. Mr. Dick Cheatham of Lubbock who will be leaving for San Francisco the first of the year was a special guest. He has conducted a fall workshop in Snyder recently and had high praise for the talented artists of our city. Pictured above from left, Laverne Lee, Mr. Cheatham and Liz Bell.



MAN'S SALAD — Wedges of iceberg lettuce served with blue cheese dressing and scallions (green onions).

Men Choose This Favorite Salad

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

America's favorite salad may well be wedges of iceberg lettuce with blue cheese dressing.

That's a big statement. What do we base it on? The fact that time after time at restaurants with table d'hote menus, it's listed on the salad selection. Diners — especially men —order it in preference to other salads.

To please the men in the family as well as yourself, you may want to keep this excellent recipe for All Round Blue Cheese Dressing at hand to serve with iceberg lettuce.

We call the dressing "all found" because it may be varied a number of ways. Here are half - dozen suggestions:

1. Add a scallion (green onion) or two to the salad plates. Or mince the scallions (bulb and part of the green portion) and strew over the dressing after it has been spooned onto the lettuce.

2. Sprinkle the lettuce - and-dressing combo with bits of crisply cooked bacon.

3. Add fruit to the salad plates, using whatever fruit is at hand. Fresh strawberries are a surprising but delightful addition. So is melon, from cantaloupe to watermelon. Peaches, pears and pineapple make a good contribution. So do grapes.

4. This dressing, after chilling also makes an excellent dip for radishes and carrot and celery sticks. Cauliflowerets, too. In this cake provide paper napkins to catch driboles. Or for a thicker dip, beat some of the dressing into cream cheese; for party fare, you might also want to add a suspicion of brandy.

5. Flat anchovy fillets, drained and cut into small pieces, add more tang to the dressing. Add the anchovies only to the portion of dressing that will be used immediately.

6. Capers add piquancy. Drain them, if they're liquid - packed, and add a generous amount to the dressing. If the capers are salt-packed, rinse them in cold water before adding.

ALL ROUND BLUE CHEESE DRESSING

4 ounces blue cheese (⅓ cup packed down), room - temperature
¼ cup commercial sour cream
¼ cup buttermilk
1 tablespoon cider vinegar
¾ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon white pepper
¼ cup salad (not olive) oil

In a small bowl with a sturdy fork, mash the blue cheese. Gradually work in the sour cream, buttermilk and vinegar. Add the salt, pepper and oil. Beat vigorously, preferably with small whisk, to make as smooth as possible. (Makes 1¼ cups.) Turn into a jar; cover tightly if inside of jar lid is not rust-resistant, cover first with a couple of layers of transparent plastic wrap. Store in the refrigerator. Serve with wedges of iceberg lettuce.

Green Beans And Apples

1 pound snap beans, cut into 1-inch lengths
1 cup boiling water
1¼ teaspoons salt
3 tablespoons butter
3 large tart green apples 1¼ pounds), pared and cut into ½-inch cubes
2 tablespoons flour
3 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon lemon juice

In a covered saucepan, boil beans with water and salt until tender — about 8 minutes. Drain and add enough water to bean liquid to make 1¼ cups; set aside. In a 10-inch skillet, melt 2 tablespoons of the butter; add apples; cover and cook gently, shaking pan often, until tender — about 5 minutes. Turn beans over apples in skillet. In the clean saucepan, melt the remaining 1 tablespoon butter; stir in flour; add 1¼ cups bean liquid and, stirring constantly, cook over moderately low heat until slightly thickened; simmer 5 minutes and stir in sugar and lemon juice; pour the thin sauce over beans and apples. Mix gently and reheat. Some of the apples will break up. Makes to 8 servings.

See Beauty In Small Things

The tiny size of a snowflake in no way diminishes its loveliness. Its diminutiveness, in fact, only increases its beauty in our eyes.

Similarly, the beauty of Christmas day comes alive when we fully perceive the importance of little things: shadows of candlelight, gleam of silver, smell of balsam and the crackle of fire at the Christmas hearth.

The voice of a friend, the embrace of a loved one, the eager rush of a child's fingers to open long-awaited gifts — these small memories can richly fortify us through lonelier days ahead.

Seeing beauty in small things can bring unexpected adventure to the humblest Christmas gathering. So, if Christmas this year is stripped and bare compared to years gone by, set about — in small ways — transform it!

No space for a tree? No fire at the hearth? Then glorify the corner of a room with a tiny, handmade tree — fashioned of pinecones, or miniature apples, bananas, oranges and nuts.

Arrange fragrant evergreen boughs in a large vase or two, and for extra measure, create an extravagant red - ribboned evergreen swag for your doorway — either inside or out.

Christmas day is more, of course, than festive decorations. It is meeting - again time, the day when we are buttressed by the presence of those we love. Blessed is the woman surrounded by friends and family who with her ignite the light of love.

But what if family ties are gone? Twice blessed is the woman who still keeps the spirit of Christmas and ignites the light for a gathering of friends.

If your gathering is small, you have all the more reason to rejoice. For where only four or five assemble, there are greater possibilities for the truly personal encounter.

The early Greek Christians knew the invisible power of small gatherings. And their special word for small groups — "Koinonia" meaning "fellowship of the Holy Spirit" — is still relevant this Christmas season.

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WOMEN'S CALENDAR

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CONQUISTADOR AS COURTURIER

Spain's Design On Fashion

MADRID (AP) — Three thousand irate Spaniards stormed the ancient streets of Madrid leading to Plaza Mayor one day, shedding government blood as they ran, all in the name of high fashion.

They were fighting mad because King Carlos III had banned the long black capes and slouch hats his 18th century subjects wore. For his part, King Carlos was angry because the rest of the world called his cape-wearing countrymen villainous.

Sword-bearing devotees of the cape rose in rebellion and forced a royal retraction at the cost of one death and many punctured policemen.

If nothing else, it proved Spaniards take dress seriously and lends today some substance to Spain' formal entry into the world race for the millions spent on high fashion.

Spain has launched its assault with a variable amount of government money and a small group of middle-aged designers mostly little known to world buyers. Experts figure it's going to take up to five or more years to dent the defenses of Paris and Rome.

In historic Spain, where everything has happened at least once, there was a time when it exported style as well as the siesta, when the dons were fashion arbiters to whom Western royalty turned for guidance.

Now, after 200 year or so, Spain has gone to miniskirts instead of Flouncy flamenco dress and aims to be a conquistador as a couturier.

"Spain begins with several handicaps," said bouncy Eusebio Marbel, a retired designer who manages his young nephew, Marbel Jr., at 23 youngest of Spain's current designers.

"Spain doesn't have enough good designers to take a top place in the fashion world. It must subsidize and develop good young designers."

Marcos Chacon, president of the government textile union, saw another international difficulty for Spanish designers. "You know, the Spanish designer has been designing for Spanish women, who are short and fat. He will have to begin designing for a different type figure."

Countess Isabel Vacani of Madrid, who isn't short and fat, spends part of her time touting a group of Spanish designers and part of her time promoting herself as a personality. The young countess-model is miniskirt deep in plans for exporting to the middle-class market in the United States, and she thinks some things besides design figure in.

"The textile industry must measure up. Right now the top people have to design their own cloth and import it from Italy or England," she said. "And another thing, if we want to get into the middle-class market, we're going to have to have quality control.

Designing didn't die out in Spain during its centuries of eclipse. Designers just emigrated to be successes. Balenciaga, the Spanish classicist who retires at the end of 1968, made it big in Paris after discovering he couldn't do the job in Spain.

The term classicist has been somewhat of a problem, too, since it has meant to many buyers that Spanish fashions would be conservative, changing little from year to year and producing little to startle madam into squanderng her money.

Matter of fact, Spanish designers aren't all that hidebound. There is Paco Rabanne, who deserted Spanish architecture to invade Paris salons with metal dresses, seminudity and experiments in plastic moulding instead of the traditional needle and thread.

Spain will trot out its high fashion originals for spring and summer of 1969 in January at Madrid, just ahead of the Paris and Rome shows. The first such combined showing came in Barcelona last summer and drew, by report, two score buyers and a small percentage of the world fashion press.

Road Work Discussed

The Texas Highway Department held a pre-construction meeting Wednesday at the Scurry County Courthouse to permit county, state and law enforcement organizations to discuss the problems that might arise during the construction of US 180 from 7 miles West of Snyder to Snyder and US 84 from 8 miles Northwest of Snyder to near FM 612.

This work began Tuesday and is to be completed well within the allotted time of 175 days. The Texas Highway Department Resident Engineer stated that the full cost of this work would be approximately $582,000.

Public groups present included Scurry County Officials, representatives of Texas Highway Department and Texas Department of Public Safety, T. B. Brown and T. V. Mussett. Representatives of T. M. Brown and Sons, Inc., Contractors on the project.

One Texan Included In Casualty List

WASHINGTON (AP) — One Texan was on the latest Vietnam War casualty list released Wednesday by the Defense Department.

He was Air Force S. Sgt. Jesse J. Bradshaw, husband of Margaret L. Bradshaw, of 2302 Talunar Lane, Wichita Falls, who died not as a result of hostile action.

Cotton absorbs perspiration.

Kidnap Case Under Wraps

By RAY BELL
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — Kidnaped coed Barbara Jane Mackle apparently is alive and unharmed, a source close to the family says, but he declines to elaborate.

In fact, he says he has been "ordered" not to discuss the case with anyone.

The source, who was in touch with the girl's parents Wednesday, said Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Mackle "have reason to believe" their daughter has not been harmed. However, he refused to say whether that presumption was based upon some contact between the girl's abductors and her wealthy parents.

Investigators, still working under air-tight secrecy, will not discuss the case.

"There have been no developments," the FBI office in Atlanta reported. "I'm sorry, but we still have no comment at this time."

The source, however, confirmed that the girl's parents have returned to their plush home at Coral Gables, Fla. He also indicated they are awaiting an expected development in the abduction.

Meanwhile, there were reports that the FBI is acting on the assumption that the Tuesday morning kidnap had been planned at least a week in advance.

The Atlanta Constitution, in its Thursday edition, quoted an unidentified FBI agent as saying, "We're traveling on the belief that it was a preplanned ransom kidnaping. All you have to do is look at the kind of family she comes from. They have a lot of money."

The girl's father is secretary-treasurer of Deltona Corp., a $65 million homebuilding firm in Miami. Among other interests, he heads the corporation which owns Key Biscayne Hotel where President-elect Nixon vacations.

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Inaugural Parade Birdproof?

WILMETTE, Ill. (AP) — Joe Fink, the unsung hero of four presidential inaugurations, has completed his vital part in preparations for the next one.

So that President-elect Nixon and his entourage won't need umbrellas Jan. 20, Fink has bird-proofed the inaugural parade route between the White House and the Capitol.

"Otherwise, the starlings would cause the dignitaries to lose some of their dignity," observed Fink, 63, of Wilmette, in an interview.

He and eight workers spent 12 days spraying the 100 trees along Pennsylvania Avenue with 2,000 gallons of a chemical he invented 22 years ago and produces at his National Bird Control Laboratory.

"It's a nonpoisonous chemical which deters birds from landing," said Fink. It irritates their feet.

His $10,600 contract with the inaugural committee guarantees to keep starlings away from Pennsylvania Avenue for at least four months.

Until Fink came to the rescue, the birds used to disturb inauguration festivities and parade participants.

"Thousands upon thousands of birds attended those parades," Fink said. "You couldn't see the sky for them. Trees along the route were littered with them."

Spectators in stands under the trees had to raise umbrellas for protection, he said.

"Then in 1953 the Department of Parks asked us for a demonstration," Fink recalled. "They'd tried everything but nothing worked. Nobody thought we'd work, either. But the next day every tree around was covered with birds except those trees we'd treated. And the next day we got the assignment for President Eisenhower's inauguration."

This inauguration will be the first one for which Fink will be on hand to observe the results of his handiwork.

"I'm holding final inspection Jan. 10 so I think I'll stick around for it," he said. "I was never able to make it to the others, although I was always invited."

MADE TO FEEL UNWELCOME

Jews Are Leaving Poland

By MARTIN ZUCKER
Associated Press Writer

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — The Chopin Express, running from Moscow to Viefina, picks up Polish Jews with one-way tickets every evening at Warsaw's Gdansk station.

They are mainly professional people and skilled workers who consider themselves refugees as a result of internal Communist bickering in this esuntry. Many have been dismissed from jobs and made to feel unwelcome in the land where they were born, and where three million of their kind died at the hands of the Nazis.

The exodus was started by a June 1967 speech of the Communist party leader, Wladyslaw Gomulka. In it he denounced Polish Jews who rejoiced at Israel's victory over the Arabs in last year's Middle East war, and warned against a "fifth column" of Zionists.

Since that time, by the best available estimate, 3,000 Jews have left Poland and several thousand more are believed to have started procedures to emigrate. The Jewish population is 25,000 to 30,000, compared to 3.5 million prewar.

During the Nazi occupation, which began in 1939, Catholics and Jews were treated brutally.

Many Jewish Communists found wartime sanctuary in the Soviet Union. There they played a role in the formation of Polish forces which fought beside the Red army soldiers who pushed back the invading German army.

These Jews, and other Communists who fled to the Soviet Union, acquired many powerful positions in the tough postwar, Moscow-controlled Stalinist regime.

But many of them were swept out of power during the de-Stalinization wave which ushered in the Gomulka era.

In the following years a group known as the Partisans—openly nationalistic, reputedly anti-Semitic and unfavorable to liberalization—began striving for more influence.

One ploy was accusing Jews of adopting anti-Socialist attitudes and replacing them in jobs.

The routine activities, let alone the intrigues, of Communist parties are normally blanketed by secrecy. Observers collect rumors, strands of information, sift the controlled press and try to piece it all together.

An explanation which has gained credence ascribes the current exodus to the Partisans, led by Gen. Mieczyslaw Moczar, the former interior minister and secret police chief and head of the powerful National Veterans Association. It is said that reports from Moczar last year were fed to Gomulka telling of Jewish officials who welcomed the Israeli victory, failed to echo the party line of staunch Arab support or criticized that party attitude.

It was then, the explanation has it, that Gomulka made his "fifth column" speech. Poland broke relations with Israel.

Soon afterward there were reports of four Polish generals having been retired for failure to circulate anti-Israeli propaganda. Jews in the military, ministries and journalism began losing their jobs.

In March, student demonstrations provided another opportunity for changes. The disturbances, protesting cultural and civil policies of the regime, were blamed on Zionists, revisionists and ex-Stalinists allegedly seeking to return to power.

The influential role of Jews in Stalinist Poland was told and retold. Wholesale dismissals began. Among the first to go were Jewish officials whose student sons and daughters were said to have been members in a debate club. Professors were fired, called revisionists and spawners of antistate theories and protectors of dissidents.

Gomulka observed "a certain unfriendly relation" to Jews in the Polish community but attributed this to party rebuffs of "Zionist slanders."

Poland is a young country, with 70 per cent of its population and 58 per cent of the party members under 40. The dismissals, the appeals to patriotism and Polishness by the Partisans were palatable to many eager for changes and advancement, especially comrades in the provinces.

What happens to the Jews still in Poland remains to be seen. One certainty is that they continue to go—most by train. The exodus has increased from 30 or 40 a month last year to several hundred a month now.

The journey in most cases leads to Vienna for processing by Jewish agencies, then to Israel, the United States, Great Britain, France or other countries.

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FED TURNS NIGGARDLY

Tight Money May Be Back

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — The Federal Reserve may be willing to run the risk of a credit crunch in an effort to girdle an economy now bursting at the seams. It may be the lesser of two dangers.

The existing danger is from inflation. The risk in tightening credit is that it might provoke too great a slowdown.

The ingredients of a crunch seem to be present in the Fed's action this week. First it raised the discount rate, the rate at which banks borrow money, from 5.25 per cent to 5.50 per cent. Money thus was made more expensive.

Second, the Fed took no action to remove the lid on the rates banks may pay to attract deposits. If it had been raised the banks could attract more money from business for the purpose of relending. Money thus was made less available.

The net effect is that demand will far exceed the availability of loanable funds. Credit-sound customers may be refused loans. Tight money may be back with us.

The Fed seems to feel it has good reason to turn niggardly. This economy of the United States is out of shape, swollen too large for the frame. Not all the size is muscle some is fat.

By making money less available the Fed hopes to slow economic activity to what is considered sustainable. And what better way of doing this than to make less available the credit that permits economic activity?

Credit demands today are phenomenal. Spending by corporations for expansion is forecast to run anywhere from 5 to 13 per cent, and most of this would be borrowed. Consumer credit demands also are near records.

Much of this demand is the result of an inflationary psychology, which means that although prices are high now, many individuals and corporations believe they will be even higher tomorrow.

When such a psychology grips an economy it means the very existence of inflation is the cause of still more inflation. People rush to buy now; tomorrow will be too expensive.

As an economic adviser to President Johnson once noted, this is like a fat lady eating chocolates. Knowing that she is overweight but unable to face the facts, she dispels her anguish by eating more chocolates.

In terms of that analogy, the fat lady is now being put on a more stringent diet. She won't starve, perhaps, even though she might believe the end is near. But she is likely to lose some weight.

There is a health hazard, of course, in restricting credit, which is the food and fuel of economic expansion. The danger is recession, an anemia of the economy whose onset is sometimes difficult to discern.

How's Your Collection Of Memories?

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — Memory is man's best companion.

The richest man is he who has the most and pleasantest memories. Your own collection is pretty extensive if you can look back and remember when—

Cigarettes sold for 10 cents a pack, and for a dollar you could buy enough beefsteak to feed a family of five.

Boys under 17 rarely paid much attention to girls and thought they were all silly and flighty.

Butchers wore straw cuffs and straw hats while on the job.

A literal heaven and a literal hell were tremendous realities to the vast majority of people and the unsettled question as to which place they would wind up in kept them uneasy for a lifetime.

The safest mailbox where lovers could exchange their letters was a hole in a tree.

It wasn't an uncommon sight at all to see an old farm grandmother puffing contentedly on a corncob pipe as she went about her household chores.

If a man in a small town was out of work, he could usually find meat for the pot by taking up his shotgun, going out into the fields, and knocking over a few rabbits.

A girl of yesterday had enough fabric in one petticoat to provide a 10-year supply of today's miniskirts.

The world of dogs and small boys was in perfect balance—there seemed to be a dog for every boy in America, and as long as he had that dog he was never too lonely.

At Christmas, every family had a real live tree with honest green needles—not counterfeit trees of chill plastic.

The most popular man in any neighborhood was the friendly iceman who let the kids clamber in back of his truck or wagon and pick up cool ice chips from the wooden flooring.

Father's finest hour of the week came after Sunday dinner when he stretched out and took a long nap, and woe to anyone who interrupted his slumber. Uusually he slept, in summer at least, with a section of the Sunday newspaper over his face to keep away pestering flies.

Movie houses featured serial thrillers on Saturday afternoons, and children wondered how they could endure a full week of agony before they'd find out how Eddie Polo, Pearl White or Ruth Roland would manage to escape from peril in the next chapter.

America was still the land of wide open spaces, and even in big cities there were more parking places than there were cars.

You could get a big-sized candy bar for a nickel and a double-dip ice cream soda for 15 cents.

Sell Rodeo Equipment

BURKBURNETT, Tex. (AP) —A new business—believed to be the only one of its kind in the world—has opened here, specializing in equipment for professional rodeo cowboys.

The Jim Houston Championship Rodeo Equipment Co. is owned by Jim Houston and Winston LeJurne.

The two decided to build the business when some rodeo cowboys complained about not having the right equipment. Houston, who was 1962 Rookie of the Year of the Rodeo Cowboys Association (RCA), and LeJurne, who is not a rodeo performer, said rodeo cowboys had to buy other equipment and modify it to their needs. The new company designs special equipment and will also custom build items on order.

The two men hope to start a school for rodeo riders soon.

Schools Must Register

DALLAS (AP) — Trade, technical and business schools in Dallas must register with the city government under terms of a new city ordinance. The filing deadline was set for Jan. 1.

Dog And Money Are Both Returned

DENISON, Tex. (AP) — The Denison Herald ad department finally has outdone its boast that "Herald want ads get results."

Minutes after she accepted an ad about a lost cocker spaniel dog, Mrs. Lois Hall, the Herald's want ad taker, glanced out the front door and saw a dog answering the description wandering down the street.

She alerted the owner, Mrs. J. R. Tuerney, and the dog was recovered before the ad was published. Mrs. Tierney got both her dog and her money back.

Junior Editors Quiz on NURSERY RHYMES



QUESTION: *How did nursery rhymes get started?*

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ANSWER: Older children, naturally, have grown out of the nursery rhyme period, yet we can all look back and remember the fun we had singing them. What was the magic they held for us? First, perhaps, it was all the dancing and jumping around. Small children need to stretch their muscles; it makes them feel great. Then there was the rhythm as we danced back and forth. We put this catchy rhythm into words that danced back and forth too, like "I wish I may, I wish I might, have the wish I wish tonight." The rhythm and catchiness of the words were almost more important than their meaning. Children have danced and sung jingles since the earliest times, but the jingles were rarely written down and could not have been widely passed around until the days of the printed book. In 1744, Englishman John Newberry published the first collections of nursery rhymes, such as Tommy Thumb's Pretty Song Book and Mother Goose's Melody. Mother Goose stories had appeared before, in France, but without rhymes. Newberry's books helped to spread nursery rhymes far and wide.

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(Linda Jones of Fort Collins, Colo., wins a prize for this question. You can win $10 cash plus AP's handsome World Yearbook if your question, mailed on a postcard to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper, is selected for a prize.)

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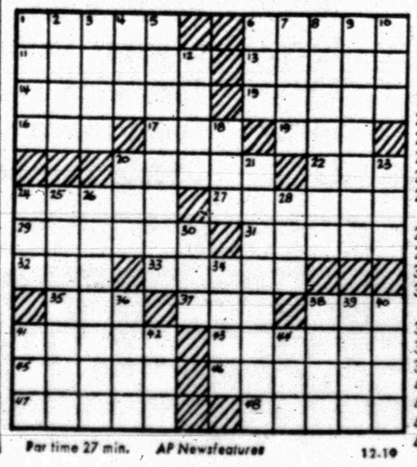
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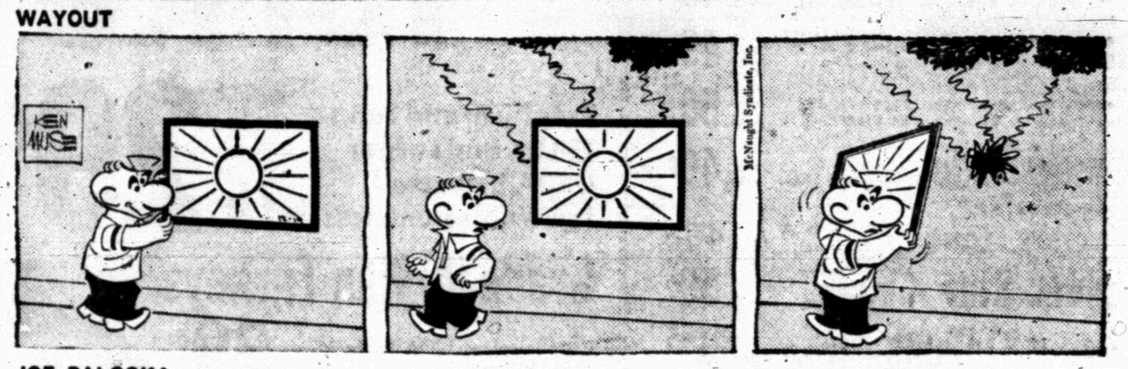
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Trinity Rises To Third Place

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Kentucky Wesleyan has almost doubled its lead today over runner-up Central State of Ohio in the latest Associated Press' small-college basketball poll after tacking two more victories onto its unbeaten record.

The Panthers, winners over Arkansas State and Southwest Missouri State last week for a 5-0 mark, drew 12 first-place votes and 268 points in the balloting by a national panel of 14 sports writers and broadcasters.

The Owensboro, Ky., team's lead is 62 points compared to 33 last week. Central State collected two votes for the top position and 206 points in the latest vote based on games through last Saturday. Central State was idle last week.

Trinity, Tex., and Ashland, Ohio, traded places, Trinity rising to third after winning three games last week. Fairmont W.Va., climbed four positions to fifth. Long Beach State, Cheyney State, Youngstown, Stephen F. Austin and Gannon Pa., round out the Top Ten in that order.

Stephen F. Austin gained the most ground, advancing from a tie for 19th to the No. 9 spot. Stephen F. Austin is 6-1 after beating McNeese State 92-87 in its only game last week.

South Dakota State, 4-2, is the only new team in the rankings. SD State moved into 19th place. Winston-Salem State and Westminster, Pa., who were tied for ranking positions a week ago, dropped out of the Top 20.

The Top 20, with first-place votes, records and total points:

1.	Ky. Wesleyan (12)	5-0	268
2.	Cent. St., Ohio (2)	2-1	206
3.	Trinity, Tex.	6-1	184
4.	Ashland, Ohio	4-0	163
5.	Fairmont, W.Va.	6-0	136
6.	Long Beach State	5-1	110
7.	Cheyney State	3-0	107
8.	Youngstown	3-0	64
9.	Stephen F. Austin	6-1	63
10.	Gannon, Pa.	3-2	61
11.	Nevada Southern	2-2	56
12.	SW Louisiana	4-4	49
13.	SW Mo. State	4-2	34
14.	W. Va. State	4-0	31
15.	Monmouth, N.J., St.	5-0	30
16.	Kenyon, Ohio	3-2	27
17.	Earlham	5-1	25
18.	San Diego State	3-0	23
19.	So. Dakota State	4-2	62
20.	Evansville	2-1	20

Diamond Great Dies

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Henry L. "Hank" Severeid, who sports writers say dropped just one foul ball during his long career as a catcher with the American League, will be buried here today.

Severeid, 77, died in his sleep Tuesday. He was former manager of the San Antonio Missions and for 15 years served as catcher for the St. Louis Browns, Cincinnati Reds, Washington Senators and New York Yankees. At the time of his death, he was still active as a scout for the Boston Red Sox.

In his column Wednesday, Harold Scherwitz, sports editor of the San Antonio Light and a friend of Severeid, discribed the veteran catcher as a "giant in stature and accomplishments" who lived baseball 24 hours a day and played even when his fingers were broken.

"They signed me to catch," Severeid once said of his gnarled hands, battered by the many foul tips that whizzed off the bats of the great hitters. "And catch I did, even with busted fingers."

Scherwitz told how the great Ty Cobb once told catcher Severeid he would steal every time he got on base. Severeid threw him out three times. "A remarkable feat against the greatest baserunner in the history of the game," Scherwitz said.

Severeid entered the majors in 1911 with Cincinnati and hit .304 his rookie year. His lifetime batting average in the majors was .289. He was with the Redlegs until 1915, played with St. Louis from 1915 until 1925 and ended his major league career with the Yankees in 1926.

He managed the Missions from 1933 through 1935.

Survivors include his widow and three daughters.

SCORES

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Wednesday's College Basketball

East

Seton Hall 72, Hofstra 66
Army 64, St. Francis, N.Y. 33
Columbia 82, Fordham 73
Yale 91, Brown 62
St. John's, N.Y. 73, Providence 53
Long Is. U. 70, Wagner 59
Syracuse 71, Penn State 51
Bucknell 100, Delaware 82
Princeton 88, New York U. 76
LaSalle 68, Canisius 56

South

Louisville 67, Memphis St. 66
Tampa 87, Florida A&M 81
La. St. 93, Florida 89, OT
So. Caro. 75, East Caro. 61

Midwest

Butler 67, West. Kentucky 65
Missouri 79, Tulane 73

Southwest

Tex. Christian 89, Hawaii 59
Pan Amer. 66, Okla. State 62

Far West

Cincinnati 71, California 70



EARLY BIRDIES BOWLING LEAGUE

TEAM STANDINGS: Sparrows 27-19; Red Robins 32-24; Gooney Birds 31½-24½; Doves 26-30; Roadrunners 23½-32½; Eagles 18-38.

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Red Robins 1742; Sparrows 1740; Doves 1711.

HIGH TEAM GAMES: Sparrows 625; Gooney Birds 616-611; Red Robins 600.

HIGH IND. SERIES: Betty Wooldridge 539; Ila Ruth Newton 526; Laurajean Komma 503.

High Ind. Games: Ila Ruth Newton 223; Betty Wooldridge 218; Noreen Ball 209.

SPLITS CONVERTED: Ruby Neves 4-5; Ila Ruth Newton 3-10; Laurajean Komma 3-10; Billie Morgan 5-6-10.

WISHBALL

TEAM STANDINGS: Rains Well Service 36-20; Sunray DX 34-22; Dover Corporation 33-23; McAlister Transfer 31-25; Blue Sunoco 29-27; Sun Oil Production 26-30 Sun Pipe Line 25½-30½; Sun Swatters 25-31; Tracer Survey 24-32; Harbison Fischer 16½-39½.

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Sun Oil Prod. 3024; Blue Sunoco 2967; Sunray DX 2835.

HIGH TEAM GAME: Sun Oil Prod. 1087; Blue Sunoco 1036; Blue Sunoco 996.

HIGH IND. SERIES: J. Beard 587; D. Powell 583; C. Talbot 536.

HIGH IND. GAMES: J. Beard - C. M. Word 222; D. Powell 221; J. Pate 202.

INDUSTRIAL

TEAM STANDINGS: Neves Chevron 37½-14½; B. J Welding 29½-22½; Home Town Motor 28-24; Snyder Lanes 27-25; Rains Well Service 18-34 K&M Sunoco 16-36.

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Neves 1778; Rains 1744; Sunoco 1717.

HIGH TEAM GAMES: Neves 621; Home Town Motors 608; Rains 604.

HIGH IND. SERIES: R. Neves 541; S. T. Rains 509; W. Monroney 507.

HIGH IND. GAMES: E. Sears 204; S. T. Rains 195; W. Monroney & R. Neves 194.

Claiborne Spurns Baylor's Offer

WACO, Tex. (AP) — Baylor University—spurned by Virginia Tech's head football coach Jerry Claiborne—resumed its search for a successor to head football coach John Bridgers, who was fired Nov. 29.

Claiborne became the second coach Wednesday to withdraw his name from the coaching stakes after the five-man faculty athletic council had voted to offer the job.

Texas assistant Mike Campbell was picked last Friday, but declined. Arkansas assistant Cecil Ingram withdrew his nam although he was not offered the post.

Fresh speculation centered around three assistants who have been interviewed by the athletic council, including Dave Smith of Southern Methodist, Mervin Johnson of Arkansas and Bill Beall of Louisiana State.

Claiborne, offered a five-year contract at $28,000 a year plus other fringe benefits including a television show, said in Blacksburg, Va., "I haven't slept for two nights while trying to reach a decision."

Claiborne said he decided not to forego the football program he has built up at VPI in the past eight years. He compiled a 52-27-1 record during that time.

Claiborne was the red-hot pick of various Baylor alumni groups, particularly those from Houston and West Texas.

He visited Baylor Monday and Tuesday under a veil of secrecy. Claiborne met with the Baylor faculty athletic council for three hours and talked with President Abner V. McCall for another hour.

A Baylor official said Claiborne had "checked everything very thoroughly."

Claiborne reported to have have been given complete freedom in picking his own staff and was offered an increased recruiting budget.

Now the athletic council headed by Edwin P. Horner is under the gun again to get a coach while a few prospects remain in the schoolboy football crop.

"And I haven't even got my Christmas cards mailed yet," Horner moaned.



PINNED IN RACER — Lucien Bianchi, chief driver of a British-entered Citroen in the London to Sydney, Australia, marathon, is shown being freed from wreckage after it crashed head-on into another car at Nowra, Australia, 113-miles short of the finish line. Bianchi received facial injuries and bruises. Hs co-driver, Jean Claud Agier, was at wheel when crash took place. Bianchi and Agier had been expected to win race. (AP Wirephoto via cable from Sydney)

DENVER NIPS HOUSTON

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Last place in the American Basketball Association's Eastern Division was the only thing at stake, but Fred Lewis and Bobby Hooper figured out a way to add a little drama to Indiana's 122-118 overtime victory over Miami Wednesday night.

Hooper calmly drilled in a 26-foot three-point shot with just 14 seconds left to tie the game 109-109 and force the overtime, then Lewis scored eight of the Pacers 13 points in the extra session for the victory.

Meanwhile, New Orleans rallied from behind to trip New York 117-113 at Jackson, Miss.. Denver whipped Houston 111-102 and Kentucky stopped Los Angeles 115-107 in the night's other games.

In the National Basketball Association, Baltimore topped San Francisco 109-100; Detroit shelled San Diego 124-112, New York beat Boston 104-98, Atlanta checked Milwaukee 122-116, Phoenix defeated Cincinnati 123 - 114 and Philadelphia whipped Seattle 115-111.

Indiana, paced by Bob Netolicky's career high 39 points, had led 58-55 at halftime in a game that was tight all the way. Lewis finished with 29, while Skip Thoren topped the Floridians with 28.

New Orleans trailed by nine points at the start of the final quarter before rallying to defeat the Nets. Gerald Govan's tip-in with 43 seconds left put the Bucs ahead 115-113, and Steve Jones iced with a pair of free throws with 14 seconds remaining.

James Jones and Austin "Red" Robbins each scored 27 for New Orleans, while Walt Simón had 28 for New York.

Larry Jones scored 15 of his 27 points in the last quarter to spark Denver past the Mavericks. Denver led 59-53 at the half, but Houston managed to trim the lead to 101-99 with 2:55 remaining. But then the Rockets outscored the Mavericks 10-1 to put it out of doubt.

Lonnie Wright shared scoring honors with Jones with 27, and Stew Johnson had 22 and Willie Somerset 20 for Houston.

Darrell Carriers and Louie Dampier teamed for 61 points in sparking Kentucky to its come-from-behind victory over the Stars.

The Colonels didn't lead until they took a 78-76 advantage midway through the third quarter. Los Angeles managed to stay close until Carrier and Dampier triggered a late spurt that put the game out of reach.

Carrier finished with 33 points and Dampier had 29. Ed Johnson had 24 for the Stars.

SPORTS

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MORRALL IS MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

BALTIMORE (AP) — Earl Morrall, obtained in a trade as a backup quarterback for John Unitas, played the role to the hilt during the 1968 National Football League season.

Morrall not only replaced the ailing Unitas as the Baltimore Colts' quarterback, he also succeeded Unitas as the NFL's Most Valuable Player in the annual Associated Press poll.

The 34-year-old Morrall, playing for his fifth NFL team, accepted the honor Wednesday about as unobtrusively as he took over as Baltimore's No. 1 signal caller.

"This is certainly the biggest personal honor I've ever received," he said quietly. Then came a gross understatement:

"Never in my wildest dreams did I think anything like this would develop at the time of the trade."

The Colts picked up their gem at bargain basement rates—swapping reserve tight end Butch Wilson to the New York Giants during the exhibition season.

At the time, Unitas was bothered by his chronic elbow tendonitis but performing capably. An injury to reserve quarterback Jim Ward actually spurred the Colts to make the deal.

But Unitas tore a muscle in his elbow in the final preseason game and, suddenly, Morrall was No. 1.

In his 13th season, Morrall wound up as the league's top passer under the NFL's complicated grading system—about the only passing honor which has eluded Unitas during a distinguished career.

Morrall completed 182 of 317 passes for 2,909 yards and 26 touchdowns while leading Baltimore to a 13-1 record, the Coastal Division championship, and Sunday's Western Conference title game against the Minnesota Vikings.

Morrall, who also was named the NFL All-Star quarterback, received 35 votes in the balloting by a panel of 48 writers and sportscasters from the 16 league cities.

Leroy Kelly, the Cleveland running back who won the NFL rushing title, was a distant second with five votes, followed by Cleveland quarterback Bill Nelsen, who received four.

There was one vote each for John Mackey, Baltimore tight end; Dick Butkus, Chicago middle linebacker; Bob Lilly, Dallas defensive tackle, and Gale Sayers, Chicago running back.

Secrecy Surrounds Wedding

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — When Julie Nixon and David Eisenhower said they wanted their wedding Sunday to be a private affair, they really meant it.

The guest-list for the marriage of the daughter of the President-elect to the grandson of the former president is still a secret—although it has been learned there are few political or public figures included.

Information about Julie's wedding gown, her attendants' dresses, the single-ring ceremony at Marble Collegiate Church and the reception at the Plaza Hotel will not be released until the last minute.

And there will be no news coverage allowed either of the ceremony or the reception.

"Julie said she did not want anyone watching that wedding who was not a personal friend or someone she knows," Mrs. Gerry Van der Heuvel, Julie's mother's press aide, said Thursday.

Mrs. Van der Heuvel did give out a few tidbits—including the fact that the ceremony will be broadcast, via closed circuit television, to former President Dwight D. Eisenhower who is in Walter Reed Army Hospital recuperating from a series of heart attacks.

She also said that David's sister Barbara Anne, who was married Nov. 16, will be a bridesmaid and her husband, Fernando Echavarria-Uribe of Bogota, Colombia, will be an usher. Julie was one of Barbara Anne's attendants.

Asked about parties for the bride, Mrs. Van de Heuvel said there would be a luncheon given for Julie Friday at the Cosmopolitan Club by Susan Harvin of Houston, Tex., who will be a bridesmaid.

The rehearsal will be Saturday afternoon, by which time the church will be decorated with Christmas greenery and red and white poinsettias the Nixons requested for the platform at the head of the aisle.

'Gringos' Prevail

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY (AP) — U.S. swimmers—backed by victories by Olympians Don McKenzie, John Ferris, Mark Spitz and Mitch Ivey—swept every event Wednesday night in the Gold Stars of Swimming competition with Argentina and Uruguay.

Tigers Enter Fort Stockton Tourney

The Snyder High School Tigers will be seeking their 10th basketball victory of the season Friday afternoon at Fort Stockton in the first round of the annual Basketball Tournament there.

The first round foe is Monahans, and the tilt is on tap for 4:30 p.m. Coach Ned Underwood's Bengals have not lost a tilt since the Irving tournament a couple of weeks ago. Since then, the Bengals have won five in a row, including an impressive 83-69 triumph over Lubbock Dunbar in the finals of the Canyon Reef Tournament.

Although Coach Underwood is proud of the performance of the Tigers, he cautions against over optimism.

"The season is far from over," he said, "And we have some strong teams in our district."

His immediate concern, however, is the competition at Fort Stockton. El Paso Eastwood, a Class AAAA team, and Crane, a perennial power in AA circles, are included in the field. Eastwood tangles with Andrews at 6:30 p.m. Friday in the other "upper bracket" tilt. The "lower bracket" schedule pits Crane against Pecos at 1 p.m. Friday and host Fort Stockton against San Angelo Lake View at 8 p.m. Friday.

Second round tilts for winners are on tap for 12 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. Saturday with the third place skirmish set for 6:30 p.m. and the championship at 8 p.m. First round losers vie at 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Saturday with the battle for 7th place set for 3 p.m. and the Consolation finals set for 5 p.m.

Trophies will be given to the top three teams as well as to the Consolation winner.

Three Tigers made the All-Tournament team at the Canyon Reef tournament. The three are all front court men — juniors Wesley Bishop (6-0), Jim Patrick (6-2) and senior Benny Ward (6-1). Ward and Bishop both hurt Dunbar with their great outside shooting. Patrick is strong on the boards, and he can fire well from the top of the circle. He also looked good on inside fakes.

It was the overall hustle of the team, however, that pleased Underwood most. Other bright spots were the smooth ball handling and play making of guards Jodi Williamson and Bill Hood. Both are seniors.

Both got into foul trouble early in the finals tilt with Dunbar, and Underwood was able to put in Lee McNair and Randy Rushing and "save" Williamson and Hood until later when stalling tactics became important. Both alternate guards came through in fine style.

Juniors Dennis Carlton and Dennis Wolfe both can be counted on for spirited efforts under the boards. Jerry January, 6-1 senior, is out for the season with a knee injury. Bruce Almond, 6-1 sophomore, has been of considerable help to the varsity. He controls and fires the ball well.

Monahans, the first round foe, lost by a 24-point margin to Lamesa Tuesday night.

Kittens In Key City Tournament

The Snyder "B" team Kittens are entered in the third annual Kev City Junior Varsity Basketball Tournament at Abilene.

Coach Jerry McLeod's boys will be out to rebound after a close loss to Seminole in their last outing Tuesday. Their first round foe is Midland, a Class AAAA team, and the tilt is set for 3:15 p.m. Saturday. Also in the lower bracket are Cleburne and Abilene. They tangle at 4:45 p.m. Saturday.

The action begins at 12:15 p.m. Saturday with Hobbs, N. M. and Abilene Cooper colliding, followed by a 1:45 p.m. skirmish between Midland Lee and San Angelo.

Second round tilts on the winner's side are set for 1 p.m. Monday, and 2:30 p.m. with the third place clash on tap for 7:30 p.m., followed by the championship at 9 p.m. On the loser's side, tilts are on tap for 9 a.m. Monday, 10:30 a.m., 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Coach McLeod's team has been consistently effective with four to five boys hitting in double figures in most of the games. Starters include junior Ronald Ward (6-1) and sophomores Glenn Rambin (5-11), Danny Farmer (6-2), Jeff Stewart (6-4) and Bid Cooper (5-10).

Also ready are junior Ronal Gladson (6-2) and sophomores Billy Kay (6-1), Dennis Breedlove (6-1), and Tony Breedlove (6-2).

Now Santa Is Using An Airplane

NORTH POLE, Alaska (AP) — The mechanical revolution has finally caught up with Santa Claus—he's got an airplane now.

But Con Miller, 56, who doubles as Santa Claus during the Christmas season, said he'll still keep the reindeer team.

Miller said he's presently snowed under with Christmas mail that has been sent to this small town of 600 persons 14 miles southeast of Fairbanks, where he serves as mayor and postmaster.

But, as soon as the holiday season is over he intends to resume using a $14,000 plane he won in a recent contest.

"Once I get my license, I'll be able to get around a little faster," he said.

Miller estimates that when Christmas Day arrives he and Mrs. Miller and their 7-year-old daughter, Merry Christmas, will have processed about 700,000 letters.

"We are getting heavy mail this year from places like Australia, New Zealand, Ireland, Scotland. I had a letter from Kenya and we have had several from East Germany," he said.

There's also been mail from GI's in Vietnam. Many fathers in uniform write Santa here and ask him to re-mail their letters home with the North Pole postmark, he said.

Santa's family is now deeply involved in politics.

Miller's son Terry, 25, became the youngest man ever elected to the Alaska state Senate, last month. The elder Miller serves on the state board of paroles.

Silver now is primarily an industrial element. It goes into the manufacture of everything from electric toasters to guided missiles.

Handed Life Sentence

DALLAS (AP) — Carl Edward Hudson, 22, of Sherman was sentenced to life imprisonment when he pleaded guilty to charges of rape and murder with malice in the Third Criminal District Court here.

The sentence was assessed Tuesday by Judge James B. Zimmerman.

Hudson was charged with the Dec. 4, 1967, rape-slaying of Mrs. Tommie Mae Kirkpatrick, 29, at her home near Sherman. Police said he entered the home shortly after Mrs. Kirkpatrick's husband left for work and stabbed her eight times.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick was the mother of two girls.

Hudson's case was moved to Dallas on a change of venue. He has been in jail since his arrest almost two months after the incident.

Reelected President Of State Fair

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Robert B. Cullum was reelected Wednesday to a fourth one-year term as president of the State Fair of Texas.

Joe B. Bunker, executive vice president and general manager, was also reelected along with all other officers including:

James W. Aston, treasurer; Arthur K. Hale, secretary; John Stemmons, first vice president; and Dewey Presley, L. T. Potter, Ben Carpenter and J. Glenn Turner, vice presidents.

'Pokes Are Respected

CLEVELAND (AP) — Jim Houston recalled the old days, when Dallas was a new team in the National Football League.

"Their offense was so complicated that they made errors or drew penalties," the Cleveland Browns' linebacker and co-captain said. Then he returned to the present.

"That doesn't happen much anymore," Houston said. "They are all thoroughly familiar with it by now. This is pretty much a veteran team with excellent personnel."

Houston and the Browns' defensive unit worked the hardest Wednesday to get ready for the NFL's Eastern Conference playoff with the Cowboys at Municipal Stadium Saturday.

The biggest worry seems to be to try and figure out what the Cowboys will do.

"They do a good job of disguising their plays," Houston continued. "After they shift from the I to another formation we automatically make the defensive adjustment. This must be done constantly and we just can't afford any mental lapses."

Dallas has beaten the Browns four straight times, including a 52-14 victory in the Eastern Conference playoff last year in the Cotton Bowl.

A sellout crowd, meaning over 80,000, is predicted for Saturday.

Jr. High Tilts On Tap Today

A full slate of Junior High basketball contests are scheduled today.

Lamar 8th grade hosts Post at 6 p.m. while the Travis 8th and 9th grade teams will be at Colorado City for a program that begins at 5 p.m.

In 7th grade action, the Red tangles with the Gray and the White meets the Blue.

The 8th and 9th grade teams, after today's contests, will not see action again until Jan. 6th when Travis hosts Goliad and Lamar visits Runnels. The 7th grade program resumes after the holidays on Jan. 9th with the Red testing the Blue and the Gray meeting the White.

Borden Cage Tournament Begins Today

The annual Borden County Invitational Basketball Tournament began at 12:10 p.m. today with Garden City's girls meeting Southland.

Other tilts in the girls division pitted Union (Brownfield) against Flower Grove at 2:50 p.m., Sands against New Home at 5:30 p.m. and Fluvanna against host Borden County at 8:10 p.m. today.

First round action in the boys division today pits Southland against Garden City at 1:30 p.m., Union (Brownfield) against Flower Grove at 4:10 p.m., New Home against Sands at 6:50 p.m. and Fluvanna against host Borden County at 9:30 p.m.

Winners of the Borden County - Fluvanna and Southland-Garden City tilts in the girls division vie at 8:10 p.m. Friday with losers contests on tap for 2:50 p.m. Friday and 5:30 p.m. Friday. The Consolation finals are set for 3:20 p.m. Saturday. The second round upper bracket winners tilt is set for 9:30 a.m. Saturday with the third place tilt at 6 p.m. and the finals at 8:40 p.m.

In the boys division, Friday games are scheduled for 4:10 p.m., 6:50 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. The Consolation finals is set for 4:40 p.m. Saturday with the battle for third place set for 7:20 p.m. and the championship at 10 p.m. Saturday.

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Synopsis: Ding Dong goes to the Purple Witch but he cannot see her. She is dying for lack of something to read.

CHAPTER 15
HIPPIE POEMS

All the time the Purple Witch was dying Ding Dong stood outside her door hoping that somewhere a book would be found that would make her well so that he could ask for the purple thread.

The Purple Witch Doctor came out of the bedroom looking very solemn indeed.

"She is eating her book mark," he announced. "Soon all will be over."

"The book mark!" cried Ding Dong aghast. "But — that's the purple thread!"

"Yes. It is her most valued possession because it reminds her of all she's read."

"But she can't eat it!"

"She doesn't want to leave it behind. When she has finished it, she will die."

"I won't let her," shouted Ding Dong. He brushed past the asonished doctor and burst into the Purple Witch's room.

She was sitting by the window chewing on the purple thread. She looked sadly up at Ding Dong but she couldn't really see him because she didn't have on even one of her five pairs of glasses. She thought he was the Witch Doctor and she murmured sorrowfully, "Oh, doctor. It is so sad. If I had just one new thing to read I would recover for I'd be refreshed enough to go through my whole library again."

"I have something you've never read!" cried Ding Dong, digging frantically into his paper bag. "Listen!" He read one of the poems given him by the hippies of Hippieville.

"Up goes the elevator
"Down goes the alligator.' "

The Purple Witch stopped nibbling on the purple thread.

"Fingers Freeze
"Parakeets sneeze," read Ding Dong.

The Purple Witch got out of her chair and cocked her head, listening.

"Fishes swim

"These are poems by hippies," said Ding Deng.

"To keep in trim," went on Ding Dong.

The Purple Witch put on all her five pairs of glasses. "What is this? What are you reading?

"Poems by hippies. There are lots of them."

The Purple Witch snatched the bundle of poems from his hands and began to read. Her eyes grew bright and her cheeks rosy. "Something new at last!" she breathed. "What originality! What depth of feeling! How they go to the heart of the matter! How do they do it?"

"I bet you could do it, too," said Ding Dong hopefully.

"If only I could! How refreshed I would be!" She thought and thought and finally she said slowly,

"When the north wind blows
"I like — I like — I like
"To wiggle my toes!"

"There!" exclaimed Ding Dong. "You are a hippie poet."

"My dear boy," said the Purple Witch joyfully, "I am well again. How can I ever repay you?"

Ding Dong pointed to the purple thread still dangling from her fingers. Only an inch or so had been eaten. "Will you give me that?"

"My book mark! I cannot read without it!" she protested. Then she said, "But I won't need it any more. From now on I shall write hippie poems and leave it to others to read." Smiling shyly, she gave the thread to Ding Dong.

Tomorrow: Popcorn Popper..

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11:30 Eye guess
11:55 News
12:00 Patty Duke
12:30 Make Deal
1:00 Days of lives
1:30 Doctors
2:00 Other world
2:30 Don't say
3:00 Match game
3:25 News
3:30 Romp room
4:00 Comics
5:00 Beaver
5:30 Hunt-Brink
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6:20 Sports
6:30 News-wthr
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KMID—Friday Evening
6:30 Chaparral
7:30 Name game
9:00 Star trek
10:00 News-wthr
10:30 Tonight

KCBD LUBBOCK Ch. 11—Scat 8

KCBD—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
7:00 Report
7:05 Farm news
7:25 Weather
7:30 Today
8:25 Report
8:30 Today
9:00 Judgement
9:25 News
9:30 Con'tration
10:00 Personality
10:30 Squares
11:00 Jeopardy
11:30 Eye guess
11:55 News
12:00 Report
12:15 Closeup
12:30 Make deal
1:00 Days our life
1:30 Doctors
2:00 Other world
2:30 Don't say
3:00 Match game
3:25 News
3:30 Betwitched
4:00 Wells Fargo
5:30 News
6:00 News

KCBD—Thursday Evening
6:30 Drum boy
7:00 A. Williams
8:00 Bob Hope
10:00 News
10:30 Tonight
12:00 N. Mex. Rep.

KCBD—Friday Evening
6:30 Chaparral
7:30 Name game
9:00 Star trek
10:00 News
10:30 Tonight
12:00 N. Mex. Rep.

KRBC ABILENE Ch. 9

KRBC—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
7:00 Today
7:25 Harry Holt
8:25 Devotions
9:00 Judgment
9:25 News
9:30 Con'tration
10:00 Personality
10:30 Squares
11:00 Jeopardy
11:30 Guess
11:55 News
12:00 News
12:15 S. Chappel
12:30 Make Deal
1:00 Days' Lives
1:30 Doctors
2:00 Other World
2:30 Don't say
3:00 Match game
3:25 News
3:30 One life
4:00 Treasure Isle
4:30 Rat patrol
5:30 Huntley
6:20 Sports
6:30 News-wthr
6:00 News

KRBC—Thursday Evening
5:00 That girl
6:00 News
6:30 Drum boy
7:00 A. Williams
8:00 Bob Hope
9:00 Dean Martin
10:00 News-weath
10:30 Tonight

KRBC—Friday Evening
5:00 Bid-Buy
6:30 Chaparral
7:30 Name-of-game
9:00 Star Trek
10:00 News
10:30 Tonight

KERA & KRLD—Dallas Scat 2

KERA, KRLD—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
9:00 Flight six
9:15 New horiz.
9:30 Discovery
10:00 Fam. living
10:30 What's new
11:00 Learning
11:15 Spanish
11:30 Science
11:45 Public affairs
12:45 Homemaking
1:15 Ad learning
1:30 New horizon
1:45 French chef
2:15 Science lab
2:30 Spanish
2:45 Friendly G.
3:00 Newsreel
3:15 Spanish
3:45 Roundabout
4:00 Classroom
4:30 Local issue
5:00 Sing
5:00 M Musgoers
5:30 Driver ed

KERA & KRLD—Thurs Eve
6:00 Next door
6:30 Casals
7:00 Drivers ed
7:30 French chef
8:00 Speaking
9:00 Festival
10:00 News
10:30 M Griffin

KERA & KRLD—Fri. Eve.
5:30 Folk guitar
6:00 Chess
6:30 Wild West
8:00 Movie
10:00 News
10:15 Cowboys of
10:45 M Griffin

KTXS SWEETWATER Scat 6

KTXS—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
5:58 Sign on
6:00 Semester
6:30 Farm news
7:30 CBS News
8:00 Capt. Kange
9:00 Lucy
9:30 B. Hillbillies
10:00 Andy
10:30 Van Dyke
11:00 Love Life
11:25 News
11:30 Search
12:00 News
12:30 Sheila Rawls
12:35 Weather
12:30 World turns
1:00 Many Splendr
2:00 Sec storm
2:30 Edge night
3:00 House party
3:25 News
3:30 Gen. Hospital
4:00 Dark Sha
4:30 Funny you ask
4:55 Children Dr.
5:00 Newlywed
5:30 News
6:00 News

KTXS—Thursday Evening
6:30 Flying nun
7:00 Hawaii 5-0
8:00 Movie
10:00 News-w'thr
10:30 Hell, fighter
11:00 Avengers
11:30 Avengers

KTXS—Friday Evening
6:30 Outcast
7:30 Gomer
8:00 FBI
9:00 Judd
10:00 News
10:30 Ugly girl
11:00 Journey

KTVT FT. WORTH Scat 4

KTVT—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
6:40 Meditations
6:45 News
7:00 Theatre
8:30 Romper Room
9:00 Jack LaLanne
9:30 Girl talk
10:00 Move
11:30 Report
12:00 P.D.Q.
12:30 Miss Brooks
1:00 Hollywood
2:30 Hon'mooners
3:00 Capt. Zero
3:30 Popeye
4:00 Flintstone
4:30 Batman
5:00 Munsters
5:30 Twilight Zone
6:00 Have Gun
6:30 Rawhide

KTVT—Thursday Evening
10:00 Football
10:30 News
11:00 Xmas atFAO
12:30 P. Mason
8:30 Wanted
9:00 Movie
10:00 News
10:15 Movie
11:00 Movie
12:30 News
12:50 Meditations

KTVT—Friday Evening
6:30 Westerners
7:30 Per Mason
8:30 College show
9:00 Movie
10:00 News
10:15 Movie
11:00 Late Show
12:30 Sports
12:35 News

KLBK LUBBOCK Channel 13

KLBK—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
5:58 Sign on
6:00 Semester
6:30 Farm news
7:30 CBS News
8:00 Capt. Kange
9:00 Lucy
9:30 B. Hillbillies
10:00 Andy
10:30 Van Dyke
11:00 Love life
11:25 News
11:30 Search
12:00 News
12:30 World Turns
1:00 Many Splendr
2:00 Sec storm
2:30 Edge night
3:00 House Prty
3:30 Gen. Hospital
4:00 Fun' you ask
4:30 Shadows
5:00 Bewitchee
5:30 News
6:00 News

KLBK—Thursday Evening
6:30 Football
7:00 Hawaii 50
8:00 Movie
10:00 News weath
10:30 Hell fighter
11:45 P. Gunn

KLBK—Friday Evening
6:30 Mod Squad
7:30 Gomer
8:00 Outcast
9:00 Judd
10:00 News
10:30 Meredith
10:45 Movie

WFAA DALLAS Scat 3

WFAA—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime
5:59 Inspirational
6:00 Op. Lift
6:30 M. Cox
6:55 News
7:00 Peppermint
8:25 News
8:30 Early show
10:00 D Cavett
11:00 Bewitched
11:30 Treasure isle
12:00 ream house
12:30 Funny you ask
12:55 C.Doctor
1:00 Newlyweds
1:30 Date game
2:00 Hospital
2:30 One life
3:00 Shadows
3:30 Movie
4:00 News
4:30 News-wthr

WFAA—Thursday Evening
6:30 Ugliest girl
7:30 dewitched
8:00 That girl
8:30 Journey
9:30 Marshals Dil
10:00 News
11:00 Joey Bishop
12:30 News
12:45 FBI
12:46 Prayer

WFAA—Friday Evening
6:30 Entertainment
7:30 Felony sq.
8:00 Don Rickles
8:54 Movie 2
9:30 Will Sonnett
10:00 News
11:00 Movie
3:30 Movie
4:30 Movie



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SPACE FOOD: The luscious meal shown on the plates winds up trimmed down to that shown in the plastic packages to the left of the picture. The Apollo 8 astronauts will be eating these packaged meals; which are the equivalent in food value to the meal. A water gun, also shown, is used to reconstitute the food, which the astronauts squeeze out from the package. (Photo by NASA)

Spacemen To Eat Turkey, Fruitcake

WASHINGTON, D.C. — There will be turkey and fruitcake aboard Apollo 8 as it circles the Moon over Christmas but it won't exactly be home style.

The turkey and fruitcake will be in bite-size bits, coated with an edible gelatin to control stickiness and to prevent crumbling.

Even though it wouldn't win any culinary awards, the food is nourishing, reasonably tasty and can be stored in a compact space. This last is an important consideration on the National Aeronautics and Space Administration flight.

Basically the food is of two types — bite-sized or freeze-dried. Foods are vacuum packed in a container of four-ply laminated plastic film to protect them from moisture, loss of flavor, oxygen invasion or microbial spoilage.

Bite-size foods are eaten just as they come from the package. The freeze-dried type have to be reconstituted with water.

Freeze-drying removes just the water from the food, leaving essential oils and other carriers of flavor. The food has a porous texture and is extremely lightweight as it retains only two or three per cent of its orginal water content.

The laminated plastic container in which the freeze-dried food is packed is fitted with a one-way spring-activated water injection valve at one end and a folded eating tube at the other end. The food can be kept at room temperatures for long periods of time.

To prepare the freeze-dried food, the astronaut inserts a pistol-like water probe through the valve and injects water to rehydrate the food. When it is rehydrated the food is squeezed through the eating tube of the container directly into the mouth.

When he has finished his meal, the astronaut removes a germicide tablet from the outside of the package and puts it inside to inhibit spoilage of the residue.

Experience gained during the Mercury and Gemini manned missions in preparation, handling and consumption of space foods provided a valuable background for the development of foods for the Apollo program.

Apoll menus have additional food items to give the astronauts a wider variety from which to select.

To make the food more palatable, the Apollo spacecraft is equipped so the astronauts may use either hot or cold water to reconstitute their food and beverages. Water can be heated to about 150 degrees F.



By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: I am a 47-year-old eligible man who is very much interested in a beautiful 26-year-old model. She has two children and her divorce (for which I am paying) is now pending.

I bought her a new car and have spent over $2,000 on clothes for her and her children in the last 6 months. She says she will marry me when her divorce is final, but in the meantime, I don't see much of her.

She sees me every Monday night, but on Tuesdays she sees an old boyfriend she says she is letting down easy. On Wednesdays she has to go out with her boss. On Thursday she goes out with the girls. On Friday she stays home and does her laundry, and the week-ends she lets her husband come over (against the orders of his lawyer) because he misses the kids.

My friends say I am being taken for a ride. Am I?

LAKE FOREST

DEAR LAKE: Not only are you being taken for a ride, you'll be lucky if you aren't killed in the traffic.

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DEAR ABBY: I have an uncle who is getting on in years. He has made a lot of money during his lifetime and has spent very little of it.

He's a self-made man and never finished grammar school, so we know he's not got any college to leave his money to. Also, he's not a church-type, so they aren't getting any.

What I am getting at is this: I know he has a will because he mentions from time to time that he has "changed" it. I don't want to ask any questions of him or the lawyer, but how can I find out how much he will leave when he goes?

RELATIVE

DEAR RELATIVE: I can tell you. He will leave it ALL.

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DEAR ABBY: My father-in-law (I'll call him "Papa Joe") has been making his home with us ever since my mother-in-law died 2 years ago.

I am by nature the affectionate type and think nothing of kissing relatives hello and goodbye. Yesterday when I came home from marketing I gave Papa Joe a little peck on the cheek like always. He grabbed me and said he didn't want THAT kind of kiss. Well, this floored me because he is 65 and I am 27. I told him that it was the only kind of kiss he was going to get from me, then he tried to force me to kiss him on the lips. I was petrified. Fortunately, he heard my husband's car pull into the carport, so he let me go.

Abby, my father-in-law is retired and is home a lot, and now I don't want to be alone in the house with him. He begged me not to tell his son, but I feel so uncomfortable around the old man now I wish he would move. But what excuse can I give my husband? Should I tell him the truth? Papa Joe could afford to live alone if he wanted to, and he has other children he could live with. Please advise me soon.

DEAR FRIGHTENED: Tell Papa Joe that he has one week to tell his son that he is moving out, and if he doesn't, you will be forced to tell him that you no longer want his father living there. And, why.

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CONFIDENTIAL TO "STILL LOOKING" IN THE HILLS OF BEVERLY: I agree, a man should be particular, but looking for a long time doesn't necessarily insure the best choice. Many a butterfly flits over all the flowers, only to land on a weed.

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Snyder FFA Is First In 10 Events

The Snyder Future Farmers of America Chapter took first place awards in 10 contests and second place awards in five others at the annual Lone Wolf District FFA Awards Banquet at Sweetwater.

Becky Mebane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thayne Mebane, was elected Lone Wolf District Sweetheart and will compete in the Area II election next May.

Arlie Eicke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seabourn Eicke, was named the Star Chapter Farmer of the Lone Wolf District.

The Snyder Chapter earned first place awards in FFA Quiz, Junior Chapter, Conducting, Senior Chapter Conducting, Junior Farm Skills, Crops Judging, Grass Judging, Dairy Products, Wool Judging, Poultry Judging and Range and Pasture Judging.

Second place awards were won by Snyder FFA in Meat Judging, Land Judging, Senior Farm Skills, Radio and Livestock Judging.

Hermleigh Soldier Assigned In Vietnam

CHU LAI, Vietnam — Army Private First Class Perfecto Castillo Jr., 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perfecto Castillo Route 2, Hermleigh, has been assigned to the 26th Engineer Battalion, Americal Division near Chu Lai, Vietnam, as a surveyor.

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Martin Eyes Cotton Gin Pollution

AUSTIN (AP) — Courts would have to determine whether exclusion of cotton gins from a penal statute on air pollution would make that statute unconstitutional, says Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin.

Martin issued his opinion Wednesday in answer to questions posed by Sen Criss Cole, Houston, Chairman of the Committee for the Study of Land Use and Environmental Control.

In another opinion Martin held that a milk product containing more than 2 per cent butterfat but less than 3.25 per cent is not "milk" as defined in the state Milk Regulation Act, but it still is subject to regulation some cases.

On the pollution question, Martin said:

"A reasonable basis must exist for the exclusion of any particular business from the effect of a penal statute or the statute will be unconstitutional as unduly discriminating against the other businesses affected by the statute.

"The existence or non-existence of facts warranting exclusion must be determined by the legislature and is subject to review by the courts."

Martin said the operation of a business that results in air or water pollution may be a violation of a penal statute providing for a $10-$100 fine for injuring the health of persons residing in the vicinity of such business.

The only statute that names pollution as a penal offense today pertains to water pollution, Martin said. It provides for a $5-$100 fine for washing, bathing or in any way polluting any lake, pond or stream "within the public grounds of Texas."

In the milk opinion, requested by State Health Commissioner James E. Peavy, Martin said the Milk Regulation Act provides that milk products must conform to the definitions in the act. If they do not, they would be misbranded. The act provides for penalties in misbranding cases.



BOOST GOODFELLOWS — From left, Mike Line, Susan Ferrell and Mary Ray, students at Lamar Junior High School, display canned goods collected by the student council for the Goodfellows. The Goodfellows will see that needy families get the food. Jim Lynch, student council sponsor, said this is the ninth year that the Lamar group has aided the Goodfellows.

Tech Suspect Found Insane

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — Benjamin Lach, 24, charged in the Dec. 4, 1967 slaying at Texas Tech of a cleaning woman, was found insane Wednesday.

A jury of 10 men and two women handed down the verdict in Lach's sanity hearing and recommended that he be hospitalized.

A former graduate student at the West Texas school, Lach was charged with the knife-slaying of the woman in a school laboratory.

Wednesday's jury decision will not affect Lach's being tried at a later date in the event he later is declared sane, Dist. Atty. Alton Griffith said.

Griffith said Lach will probably be transfered to Rusk State Mental Hospital where the only state maximum security ward for mental patients is located.

Lach remains in the Lubbock County Jail awaiting a judgement from Judge Howard C. Davison. Griffith said that judgement would probably come within the next few days.

Devil's Hole State Park, N.Y., the smallest on the Niagra frontier, was the scene of a massacre of British wagon trains in 1763. The attack was to avenge the loss of the French portage business from Lake Ontario to Lake Erie.

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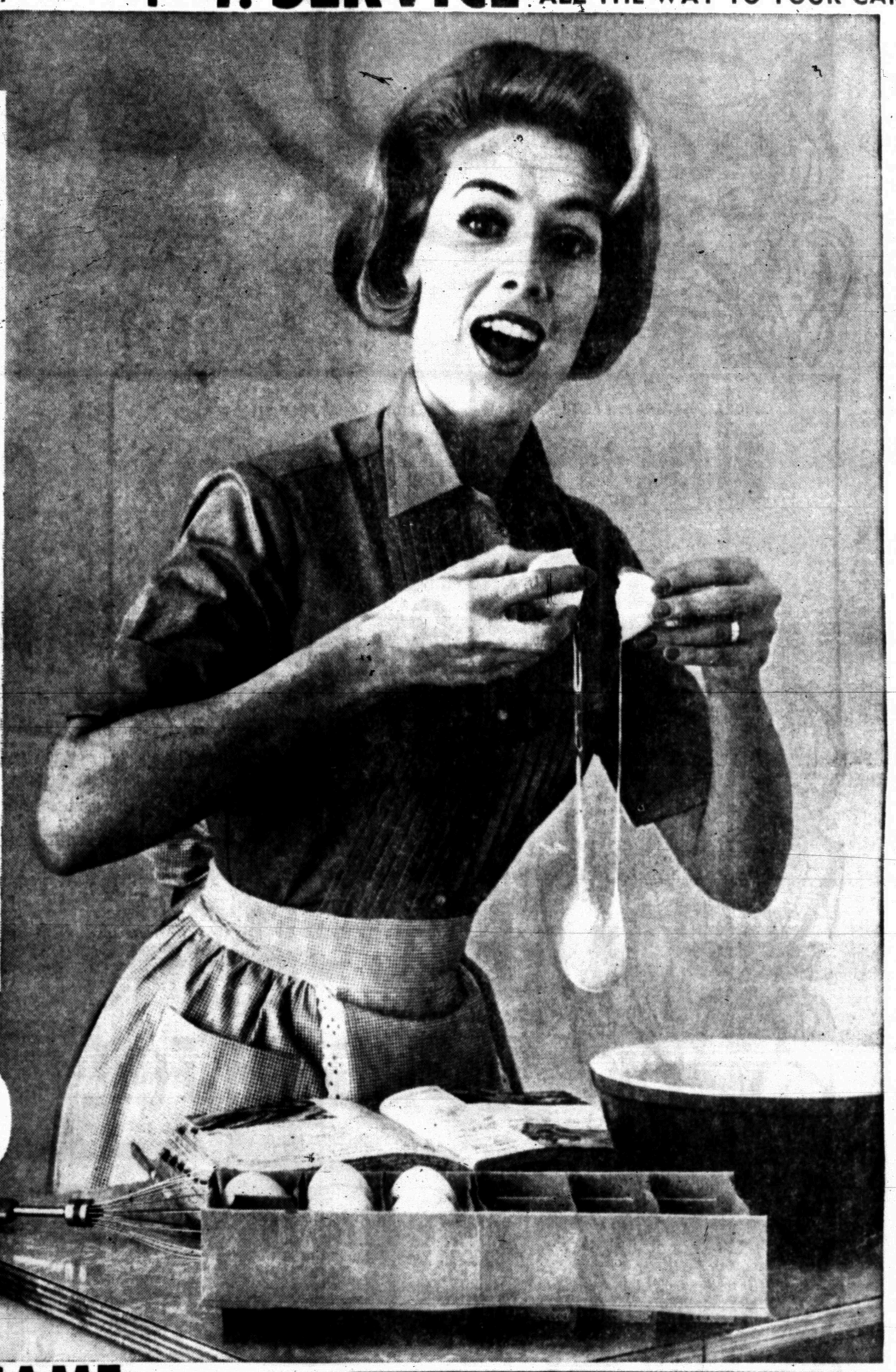
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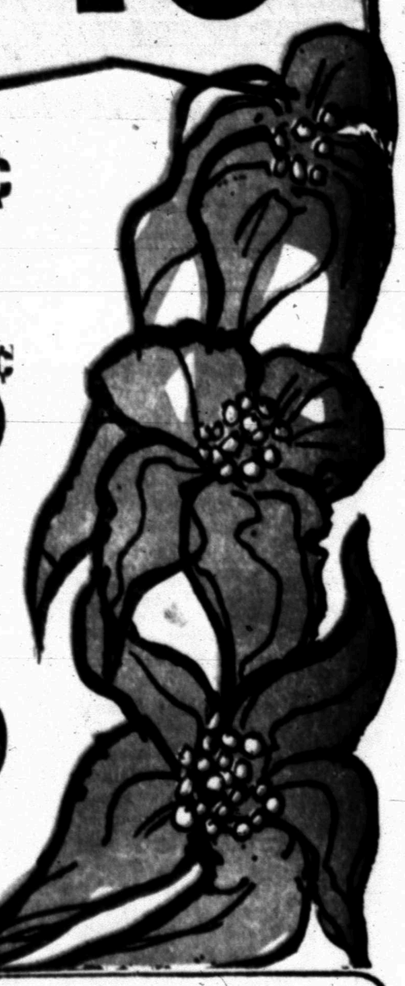
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Gap Widens For Income In Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The gap between per capita income in Texas and that of the rest of the nation has steadily widened over the past decade, a University of Texas business researcher says.

Robert Ryan of the Bureau of Business research reported his findings in Texas Business Review.

In 1958, he said, per capita personal income in Texas was $217 below the national average.

"Even with increasing incomes in Texas the margin between the Texas and the U.S. per capita figures had widened to $341 by 1962 and to $433 by 1967," Ryan said.

Texas' per capita income level of $2,704 in 1967 topped all Southern and Southwest states except Florida and Virginia, Ryan said. Over the rest of the country only two other states ranked below Texas, Vermont and South Dakota.

"Certainly in no other state of Texas' industrial stature did residents have lower average incomes. For example, the 1967 levels were $3,149 in Pennsylvania, $3,212 in Ohio, $3,158 in Wisconsin, $2,993 in Missouri and $3,481 in Washington.

Ryan included a map showing 42 counties in which he said 20 per cent or more of all families had incomes over $10,000 and 150 counties in which 30 per cent or more of all families had incomes less than $3,000.

No counties fit in both categories, and 52 fit in neither.

"Though New York has its heavily publicized Harlem and West Side, and Chicago its South Side, those poverty pockets are conspicuous mainly because of their concentration. Texas has low income areas large enough in area to swallow up the entire state of New York," he asserted."

Ryan said that in general the state's most prosperous counties have major industrial cities or high-level petroleum or agricultural production. With few exceptions, the rural farm counties without heavy petroleum production fall into the lower income category, he said.

He described three conspicuous low-income zones: The Lower Rio Grande Valley, almost all counties south and west of San Antonio and Corpus Christi; a belt of farmland down the eastern side of the state; and another belt stretching across the state just north of Central Texas.

The primary influence on South Texas poverty "has been the rapid immigration of unskilled Mexicans into South Texas over several decades," Ryan said.

"These immigrants have tended understandably to concentrate in Spanish-speaking colonies in South Texas cities. Handicapped by lack of training and by a lack of facility in English, they have failed to keep pace economically with most Texans.

"Further, many Spanish-speaking families have come rather recently from environments in their native country so lacking in opportunity, or even hope, that they are often resigned to accepting a standard of living that seems shockingly inadequate to most Anglo-Americans."

The McAllen, Pharr, Edinburg metropolitan area ranked lowest in the nation in 1966, with per capita income 42 per cent of the national average, Ryan said.

He said only four Texas metropolitan areas matched or topped the national average per capita income in that year —Midland, Dallas, Amarillo and Wichita Falls.

"It is evident . . . that many families are still unable to live up to the aspirations regarded as reasonable, if not obligatory, for all Americans," he said.

"It might be possible, in fact, for Texas to close the per capita income gap except for one factor, the population of Texas has been increasing at a faster rate than the nation's population, and this trend seems likely to continue indefinitely."

Each Day Bonus For The Blaibergs

By DAVID J. PAINE
Associated Press Wrier

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — Each new day is a bonus for Philip Blaiberg. It takes him farther along a path no living being has ever trod before.

Blaiberg is the world's longest —living heart transplant patient. His continued survival is charting a course for hundreds and perhaps thousands likely to die from heart disease.

Some heart transplant patients are falling by the wayside, but the bald, chubby retired dentist is striding into the unknown. Nearing the end of his first year of extended and rejuvenated life, Blaiberg is making plans for the future.

When he got his new heart he was bedridden and fighting for breath with perhaps days to live.

Now he is arranging a trip overseas and living life as fully as can be expected for a man of 59 who has undergone major surgery followed by serious setbacks.

Cape Town sprang into the world spotlight when early Sunday, Dec. 3, 1967, Dr. Christian Barnard transplanted a young woman's heart into Louis Washkansky, 53.

This pioneer operation captured the imagination of millions and the news soon leaked that Blaiberg was to be Barnard's second patient.

Arrangements were made to sneak Blaiberg into Groote Schuur Hospital Dec. 21, a public holiday. A deterioration in his condition forced doctors to admit him Dec. 14, but they succeeded in getting him into the hospital unseen.

The next day Blaiberg met Barnard for the first time.

Six days later the lean, boyish-looking surgeon broke the news to him that Washkansky had died from pneumonia.

Blaiberg, clutching at a straw, chose to go through with his own treatment.

On Jan. 2 Barnard took the heart of a mulatto, Clive Haupt, 24, who died from a brain hemorrhage, and grafted it into Blaiberg's chest.

The new heart started beating spontaneously. A few hours later Blaiberg had regained consciousness although he said later he could remember nothing of the following four or five days.

Since those days surgeons all over the world performed about 100 heart transplants. While the operation is relatively simple, the problem of maintaining life after it is far from solved.

Only 16 of the first 50 heart transplant patients are alive. The survival rate of the next 50 is at this stage much better, but time almost inevitably will take its toll.

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