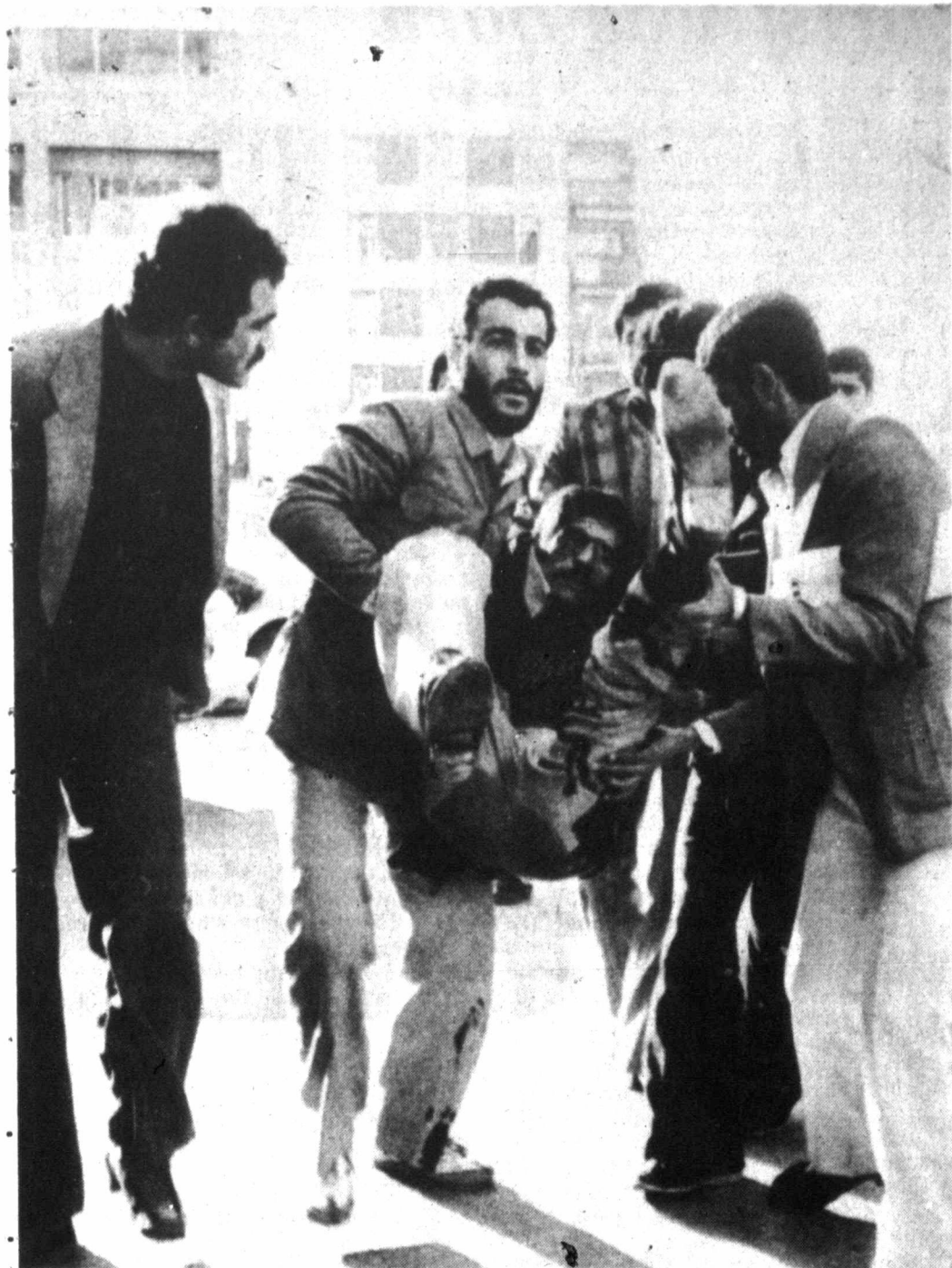




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Iranian leader gunned down by motorcyclists

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Gunmen on motorcycles assassinated a leading member of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's revolutionary regime at Tehran University today, killed one of his bodyguards and wounded another one.

Dr. Mohammad Mofateh, a member of the ruling Revolutionary Council and head of the Theology Department at the university, was shot in the head and died three hours later at Taleghani Hospital, a hospital spokesman announced.

Tehran Radio said the assassins rode up beside Mofateh in front of the Theology Department and opened fire with automatic weapons, hitting his two guards.

The broadcast said Mofateh escaped the initial volley and ran into the college, but the attackers pursued him and shot him inside the building.

A spokesman for the Revolutionary Council described Mofateh as "one of the active and known personalities who fought for the Islamic revolution, a

Tehran University professor, the director of the Theology Faculty and in charge of Committee No. 5."

The duties of Committee No. 5 were not immediately known.

There was no immediate comment from Khomeini, who was at his headquarters in Qom, the Shiite Moslem holy city 100 miles south of Tehran.

In other developments in Iran the students holding 50 Americans hostage in the U.S. Embassy blasted Foreign Minister Sadegh Ghotbzadeh today for talking too much and falsely encouraging the Carter administration, and said "the least" they will do is try the captives for spying unless the shah is returned to Iran.

The declaration followed a new endorsement of the students' actions by Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, and the assassination today of a close associate of Khomeini that was sure to inflame the situation. The ruling Revolutionary Council blamed the killing of Ayatollah Mohammad Mofateh and his two guards on

the CIA and SAVAK, the ousted shah's secret police.

Ghotbzadeh said after the shah fled from the United States to Panama over the weekend that some of the hostages might be freed before Christmas, but the students said none of the captives would be freed and all would be tried. They repeated their position in a state radio broadcast today.

Khomeini also castigated the U.S. government at a televised news conference Monday night with Arab journalists. But Khomeini said if President Carter "descends from his ivory tower to sit with us on the ground and tries to establish mutual understanding, we will reciprocate, provided he compensates us for the cruelties inflicted so far."

The ayatollah took note of contradictions between the students and his foreign minister, saying that the suggestion by foreigners that the students were directing Iran's foreign policy was a lie.

Mexico can't have cake and....

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Lloyd Bentsen has called for new evidence of friendship from the Mexican government to counteract what he termed "political sniping" undermining U.S. efforts to end the Iranian crisis.

"The Mexicans really cannot have it both ways," the Texas Democrat said Monday in a Senate speech. "They cannot count on our future cooperation in vital areas such as trade while courting our enmity on an issue as sensitive and compelling for America as the crisis in Iran."

Bentsen criticized Mexico's decision denying the return of deposed Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi to his home-in-exile in Cuernavaca after first indicating that it would be permitted.

"Yet when the shah's scheduled departure from this country became imminent, Mexico changed its mind, reneged on its commitment and created a new element of crisis in an already difficult situation," Bentsen said.

Comments by Mexican President Jose Lopez Portillo on the U.S. dollar's value and his criticism of President Carter's decision to freeze Iranian assets also were not helpful to the effort to free the American hostages in Tehran, Bentsen said.

He said he had heard Lopez Portillo remark while preparing for discussions, "Never mind the platitudes. How about the actions?" Bentsen said he had seen Mexican actions regarding Iran, and was not impressed by them.

The Texas senator later told reporters all of the actions were within Mexico's sovereign rights, but taken together they represented an objectionable pattern.

Bentsen said he had not cleared the speech or discussed its contents with the Carter administration because he wanted it considered as a "friendly warning" rather than an official U.S. stance.

"I just think we have to make them understand that they just can't play to the political left and undermine our position when we are trying very hard to get our people free," he said.

Bentsen added that his growing unhappiness with Mexico was shared by others in the Senate.

Base suite named for Shah

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — There's a new Shah Suite at Lackland Air Force Base's visiting officers quarters. But don't go expecting a palace just because Iranian royalty stayed there.

The comfortable, but by no means plush, Chennault Suite is being renamed in honor of the deposed Iranian monarch who spent two weeks there before leaving Saturday for Panama.

Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, reputed to be one of the world's richest men, roughed it in a drab, wooden, two-story barracks built for cadets during World War II and converted 16 years ago into modest suites for visiting colonels and generals. The daily rate is \$4 per person.

"These are nice by military standards, but I'm sure it's a budget motel room compared to what the shah is used to," said Maj. Elliot Johnson as he led reporters on a tour of the quarters.

The shah didn't even get the best of the 12 suites in the building. Security problems prevented that. His

bedroom window in the best suite would have overlooked a road rather than a fenced courtyard.

The Shah Suite is a small, two-bedroom apartment on the second floor. The decor approximates that of a good, but not luxurious, hotel.

The shah's bedroom has one bedside table and lamp, a dresser, a plastic clock radio, a Gideon Bible and a brass bed — a new one, not an antique. The sheets are military issue. There is daily maid service.

The austere bathroom has no tub, only a shower.

A large console color television dominates the living room. There is also a couch, two easy chairs, a small desk and chair and a tiny kitchenette. The Shah Suite comes with complimentary Air Force stationery in the desk drawer.

Lackland's VOQ is a row of four asbestos-shingled barracks built in 1941 for aspiring air cadets. Few Air Force bases still use World War II vintage buildings for visiting officers.

Until the shah's barracks building was remodeled

about three years ago for VIPs, all of the VOQ quarters were Spartan by even military standards. "I stayed in there before they remodeled them. Believe me, they were terrible," Johnson said.

The entire senior officers building was reserved for the shah, his wife, Air Force security agents and the shah's bodyguards, aides and dogs.

The four-barracks complex, usually empty during the holidays, was sealed off.

Bruce Gulsby, the VOQ's civilian manager, acknowledged that a few rules had to be altered for the facility's celebrated visitor.

For instance, the instructions posted on the wall forbids pets. The shah's Great Dane and his wife's poodle always accompany the royal couple.

"A special exemption was made. The dogs stayed in a laundry room," said Gulsby.

The notice in the hall sternly states: "No weapons or ammunition will be retained in the facility. Such items will be registered and stored at the Security Police."

Duke at home in chains, boy recovering at home

By DEBORAH BRIDGES
Of The Pampa News

Many Pampa residents were dismayed to see the St. Bernard responsible for attacking a Pampa news carrier recently back in the care of the owners.

On December 2, the large dog, known as "Duke", reportedly pulled Trent Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Watson of 101 N. Dwight, from his bicycle and attacked the boy. Lying on his face, Watson was bitten on his back and legs. Between 60 and 70 stitches were required in the Highland General Hospital Emergency Room to repair the damage done by the dog bites.

The 11-year-old boy was in the process of delivering papers for the Sunday Pampa News when the mishap occurred.

In first reports after the accident, the animal control warden was given permission to destroy the dog. Mrs. Wayne Hughes — owner of the animal — confirmed this saying the animal control people later told her they could not destroy the dog. Duke would have to be observed for a 10-day period before he could be killed, she reportedly was told.

Having recently undergone a change in personnel, the new animal control warden, Don Clem, said he understood the dog was to be destroyed after the 10-day period by the Gray County Veterinary Clinic where the St. Bernard was taken for observation.

Dr. M. W. Horne of the clinic reported the Hughes had not signed a release allowing the dog to be killed. He said he had recommended to the couple that Duke be killed or taken to the country

where it would not be around any children.

"We are not going to keep the dog," Mrs. Hughes stated. She explained they had received an offer from a Perryton rancher who live alone to take the animal. If this man should not claim the dog this week, she added, her brother from Wichita Falls has agreed to take Duke back to the kennels when he returns after Christmas.

There is no way the dog can escape from the residence, Mrs. Hughes said, explaining her husband had bought the heaviest chain possible, wrapped it twice around the animal's neck and then secured it to a pole set in concrete. Duke is also enclosed in a patio fence with the yard fence locked as well, she commented, adding "He's not going anywhere." Again she stressed, "the dog will be gone after Christmas."

Mrs. Wanda Watson, Trent's mother, said all of the stitches have been removed. He is healing well, although there will be some scarring, she commented, adding his activities are still limited at this time and he has not been able to return to delivering papers.

The main problems now, Mrs. Watson said, is coping with the nightmares and the difficulty going to sleep he is experiencing as a result of the attack. Trent told his mother, "I just can't go to sleep. I keep seeing that accident before my eyes." She said he was also upset when he discovered the dogs were loose.

A german shepherd and a poodle belonging to the Hughes were also reportedly involved in the attack. These two animals have since been returned to their owners.

Disabled need assistance at Christmas time; send funds to Salvation Army

A disabled woman in her late 30s draws \$200 per month from Social Security for her disability but half of that money goes to pay the utility bills.

She is separated from her husband and lives with her teen-age son, who is in high school.

She was recently dismissed from the hospital.

Help make someone's Christmas a little happier. If you would like to help someone less fortunate than you during this holiday season, contact the Salvation Army at P.O. Box 1458 or give them a call at 669-9921.

John calls for reduced budget at \$125 dinner

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — The quickest way to halt inflation is to provide the incentives that would encourage Americans to begin saving and investing their money, Republican presidential hopeful John Connally said Monday night.

If elected, Connally told a news conference before a \$125-a-person fund raiser at the Civic Center, he would support a tax-reform bill to provide such incentives.

"By accumulating capital," the Democrat-turned-Republican said, "interest rates would come down."

The former three-term Texas governor called for sweeping changes in fiscal thinking and education Monday.

Connally said reduced federal spending, less bureaucracy, a balanced budget and a balanced foreign trade account are necessary to salvage

the economy. He said the United States had a \$28.5 billion deficit against the world last year.

Regarding bureaucracy, Connally singled out as particularly odious federal regulations that hamper the stability and growth of businesses.

He said he would do away with class-life depreciation, substituting depreciation schedules of ten years on industrial or commercial buildings, five years on equipment, three years on rolling stock and one year on installations mandated by such government departments as the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Unfettering of business, Connally predicted, would bring a building boom. Other dividends, he said, would be plant modernization and, most critical of all, an increase in the productivity of the working man.

Weather

The forecast calls for fair conditions, becoming partly cloudy Wednesday. Tuesday's high will be near 60; the low will be in the mid 20s. Wednesday's high will be in the mid 60s. Winds will be variable. Monday's high was 50; the low was 27.

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PARTNERS in the Hub are, left to right, Kemp Kenyon, Chuck Smith, Jr. and Jim Smith. (See story, Page 5)



BOUND FOR EGYPT is Sam Brown, 12, of Easley, S. C., who is shown here in New York City wearing his special jacket. The youngster is en route to Egypt at the invitation of President Anwar Sadat, who responded to a letter from Sam with an expenses-paid trip.

(AP Laserphoto)



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OPINION PAGE

Bureaucracy miscalculates, you pay

Because not enough Californians are or will be bringing their cars into the state-monopoly smog-test stations, those who do are going to have to pay higher prices.

This is confounding. When a business is short of customers, it usually must lower its prices to attract more buyers. Not so the exhaust sniffers.

Apparently Hamilton Test Systems, the firm awarded the franchise to test all cars that change owners within the Southern California smog basin, is not to blame for the \$7 surcharge to be imposed starting next month.

The new fee is additional to the \$11 regular charge for the inspection, and will apply to those cars that fail the first test and must come back for a second. Currently, more than half the vehicles tested must pay a return visit.

Hamilton gets a set rate of about half the \$11 charge per test, and none of the additional \$7. It is guaranteed a minimum yearly fee in case a shortfall in the number of cars would threaten its ability to amortize the cost of those inconvenient test stations.

And indeed, just a shortfall is occurring — some 25 percent below expected volume. The state Air Resources Board, whose baby this smog-check program is, cited this downturn in announcing the need for the added \$7. Seems the "overhead" of operating the government's end of the monitoring (the ARB, DMV and Bureau of Automotive Repair are all involved) isn't getting covered by a mere half of the \$11 first-inspection charge.

In a follow-up interview with Bill Sessa of the ARB, however, we learned that the fewer number of cars showing up for tests these days is not the major part of his agency's problem. Rather, it is that the legislature has balked at authorizing mandatory testing for all cars annually in California beginning in 1981, as the ARB was counting on.

Obviously, such an expected influx of millions more vehicles to the testing stations would have meant millions more dollars to keep the state "overhead" going. But the legislature and the ARB are involved in an extended tussle, as some elected officials resist the horrible harassment that the agency's designs portend for their constituents. As a result, ARB has not gotten its cherished mandatory, universal smog checks — at least for now.

Having miscalculated both the number of cars that would register a change of ownership and the cooperation it could expect from the legislature, the ARB needed someone to cover its errors. It's found plenty of suckers, at \$7 a head.

Be thankful you live in Pampa!

Gun control reform punishes the guilty

Eleven years ago, in a reflexive effort to "do something" about the murders of Martin Luther King and Robert Kennedy, Congress passed the Gun Control Act of 1968. It was a fairly typical instance of federal policy-making under stress — with results that could have been, and were, predicted.

To the surprise of virtually no one who has studied such matters, the '68 law has done virtually nothing to impede the growth of crime in our society. All the indices of criminal activity — including armed robbery, assault and homicide committed with a firearm — have continued moving upward at their usual giddy pace, with no evidence that the law had affected the problem in any way whatever. All of which suggests, to those who favor gun control, that the law didn't go nearly far enough.

A number of congressmen and senators, however, have come up with a different reading of the subject. They note that, while the '68 law has done nothing visible to alter behavior patterns among the criminal element, it has done a great deal to infringe the liberties of the law-abiding. In particular, they charge the law has been used to harass citizens engaged in the perfectly innocent sale and collection of guns, and has given the enforcement agency — the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms — inordinate power to impose unreasonable regulations.

A number of examples are cited by Sen. James McClure, R-Ida., and Rep. Harold Volkmer, D-Mo. They point out that, under the existing gun law, there is no clear definition of what constitutes "engaging in the business" of selling firearms and ammunition — and charge that BATF refuses to provide one. As a result, a given individual may be (1) denied a dealer's license on the grounds that his level of transactions is too small to constitute a

business, (2) cited by BATF thereafter for doing business without a license.

McClure and Volkmer give numerous other such examples under existing law: seizure of firearms that have nothing to do with alleged criminal violations, searches and seizures without sufficient probable cause, onerous record-keeping requirements, enforcement of regulations that were never intended by Congress, and so forth. To remedy the situation, these lawmakers — along with more than 50 co-sponsors in the House and Senate — have proposed a bill they call the Federal Firearms Law Reform Act of 1979.

The McClure-Volkmer bill seeks to straighten out the ambiguities of the 1968 law, lay down stricter guidelines for the BATF enforcement activities, and overturn specific measures the agency has taken which, in the view of the legislators, violate the original will of Congress.

Among other features, the reform bill would establish clear standards for determining who is "engaging in the business" of dealing in firearms; require BATF to have reasonable grounds for believing a violation of the law had occurred before inspecting the premises of a licensee; establish a "legislative veto" over BATF gun regulations; and create a uniform standard for sales to out-of-state residents.

Also, the McClure-Volkmer bill seeks to strengthen existing law in the other direction, beefing up mandatory sentencing provisions for crimes committed with a firearm. Under this bill, a defendant committing a second violent offense involving a gun would be ineligible for probation or parole until his minimum sentence had been completed. In other words, rather than mauling millions of innocent people in rigid controls, McClure and Volkmer would seek to restrain criminal behavior by punishing the guilty. It's a novel idea, but it just might work.

The day Christ was born

By Jim Bishop

(Third of a series of eight)

The final few miles to Bethlehem were fatiguing to Mary and Joseph. Joseph stumbled many times in the dark and, over his shoulder, he asked his wife if she was quiet. When they were two miles from Bethlehem, she said no. She felt uncomfortable, she said, but it was bearable and she had no complaint. She hoped that they would reach the inn in time.

Joseph leaned forward to pull the ass a little faster. He reached the city of David and found, to his dismay, that there were multitudes of people, some sleeping beside the road. He had not realized that there were so many who belonged to the House of David, as did he. The inn was to the left, built on a cliff of rocky soil overlooking the valley. Joseph went directly to the inn, knowing that he would find room there or he would find it nowhere.

He left Mary and the animal outside, and assured his wife that he would make arrangements. She too could see the crowds. Some families were sleeping outside the inn, against the wall. She said nothing. Joseph started to go inside, then stopped and returned.

"Under the law," he said, "you must have a midwife at once. Let me first find one."

She shook her head no. The important thing, she said, was privacy. She was not worried about assistance. God had promised to take care of her, and she needed no additional help.

Joseph entered the inn. The floor of the main room was full of sleeping people. The young man sought the proprietor. With supplication on his face, he begged for a small private place for his wife, who was with child. The owner listened and threw up both hands. Where? he asked. Where would you go for privacy? His own family had no room in which to sleep. Every cubit of space had been rented three days ago, and some of the transients were taking turns sleeping in one place.

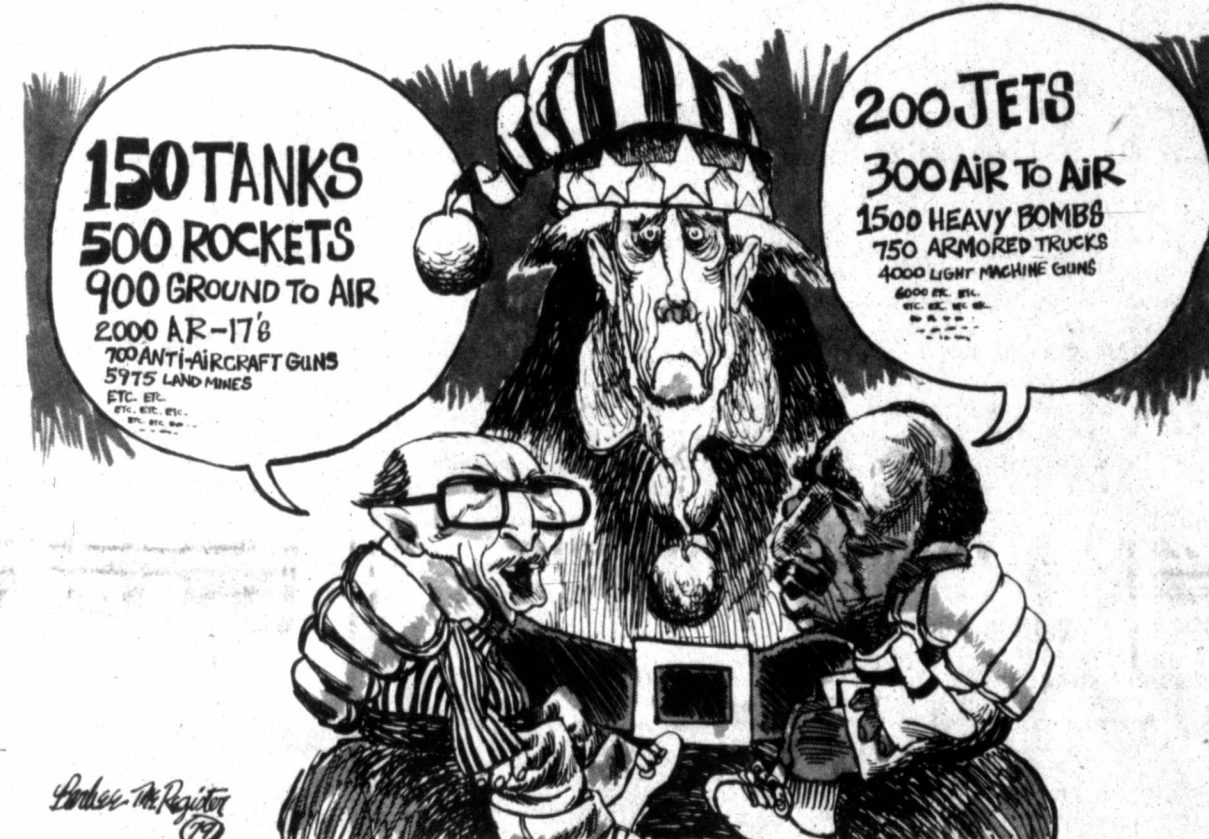
My wife, repeated Joseph in a tone this side of begging, is outside. She will have her first-born in an hour or two. Can you not please find a room? A little room? The owner became irritable. Every house, every field in Bethlehem was filled with people from all over Judea.

The owner's wife heard part of the plea. She called her husband aside and asked questions. The night was chill, she said. Look at the men outside the inn, sleeping with their cloaks over their noses. Why could not the young man take his wife to the cave below, the cave where the animals were kept?

The owner shrugged. If Joseph wanted privacy, he said, the only place left was down the side path to the cave where the asses and small animals were kept. The young man was welcome to it, if one wanted to bring a baby into the world in a place like that. Joseph inclined his head. "I am grateful," he said. "I thank you."

Joseph dragged his feet returning to Mary. He told her the news. She was not vexatious, in fact, she seemed to be relieved. "Take me," she said. "The time grows short."

There were paths leading from both sides of the inn down the side of the cliff. In front, as on the bow of a big ship, there was an entrance to the cave, which had been carved out a long time ago. Joseph paused to light his small lamp, then led the donkey inside. He turned to look at Mary, and, in the yellow rays, he saw that she was in deep fatigue.



Food for thought

by Paul Harvey

First Lady Rosalynn Carter visited the Cambodian refugee camps, returned home to plead with Americans to contribute money for starving Indochinese.

Where does it end? Now in India, after the worst drought in 60 years, Indians face famine; already there is starvation in that nation of 550 million population.

The backward nations better stop producing more babies and start producing more food.

Agriculture Secretary Bergland says they will need to increase food production by 75 percent within 20 years or THEY WILL NEED A LOT MORE THAN WE HAVE.

Though languages differ over the world, expressions of joy and pain, laughter and tears, seem the same.

This misleads us to imagine that people the world over place the same value on human life that we do. They do not.

In most of the world—MOST of the world—values are so unlike ours that people eat people; babies are traded for favors; life begins and ends without our degree of

either passion or compassion, with neither sacrament nor ceremony.

There is no way that you and I are ever going to comprehend a society that feeds cows and starves babies.

Recently the Food and Agriculture Organization, an agency of the United Nations, met in Rome to consider the worsening world problem of too little food.

Nobody present said anything about the parallel problem of too many babies.

Our Agriculture Secretary Bergland was there, explaining how, as of now, half a billion people don't have enough to eat—and how their numbers will increase at a rate which will require more and more help from what he referred to as "the rich nations."

Not one word about any obligation on their part to restrain their sex appetite.

He did say that the poor nations should do more to develop their own agriculture, increase their own food supply, improve their own nutrition.

But enlightened Americans—planning to have only as many babies as we can afford to feed—cannot comprehend the attitude of the unenlightened.

Lifestyles American style

O.K. So you already know that franchising has been one of the hottest business operations of the '70s.

But do you know what is currently the hottest franchise product?

If you answered burgers, tacos, photo prints or massages, you're out of date.

It's the suntan — or, more precisely, technology's counterfeit of nature's real thing.

Tanning salons — establishments consisting of a number of fluorescent lamp-lined booths — are springing up across the country, according to a Wall Street Journal report. Business for most is brisk to booming as the public responds to the appeal of a golden glow without the bother of all that time and sweat in the sun.

Business is even better for a clutch of companies (with inspired names on the order of Plan-a-Tan and Tantrific) doing the franchising. For an initial fee of \$15,000 and up plus a percentage of the gross, they

set an independent entrepreneur up in business. And with any business sense at all and a decent location — usually a shopping mall — he can recover his stake in a few months of operation.

There are, however, some drawbacks to this rush of the pale-skinned public to fry itself like franchised chickens. Medical authorities and the Food and Drug Administration, which has new safety regulations pending, are concerned about excessive exposure to ultraviolet radiation, the effects of which include wrinkling, premature aging and potentially cancer.

Actually, as one critical dermatologist points out, for all that a golden tan may connote affluence and sophistication it is nothing but the body's reaction to injury from ultraviolet radiation. It does nothing for you — "except maybe as a status symbol."

And there you have it — the explanation of the entire phenomenon if not the bottom line of the entire decade.

Joseph apologized. He said that he was sorry that the Hospice of Chamaaan had no room for her, but she could see the crowds of people. He was ashamed that he had failed her in this hour.

For a moment, Mary studied her husband. She brought a tender smile to her face. She told her husband that he had not failed her. Mary looked around at the haltered cattle, the few lambs, some asses and a camel. If it is the will of God, she said, that His son should be born in a place like this, she would not question the wisdom of it.

At the age of fifteen, Mary would undergo her trial alone, untended by midwife or friend, just as, thirty-four years later, her son would undergo his trial alone. She asked Joseph to build a small fire on the path outside the inn's stable, and to fetch some water from the goatskin. Joseph did as she directed.

Joseph collected clean straw from the feed boxes, cleaned out a stall, and arranged the straw as a bed and placed his cloak over it. Then he looked for wood outside, and found none. He went back up to the Hospice, and bought some charcoal from the owner. When the water was hot, he filled a jar, and brought it to Mary with some cloths. She was standing, hanging onto the wall of the stall with both hands.

Her head was down, and he could not see her face. In fear, he asked her to name what he could do. She said to go outside and tend the fire and heat more water and to remain there until she called him. The animals watched impassively as Mary sank to the straw.

No one came down from the inn to ask how the young woman felt. If she prayed, no one heard except the animals, some of whom stopped chewing for a moment to watch; others of whom opened sleepy eyes to see.

Joseph, sitting by the fire, had run out of prayers and promises. He looked up toward the east, and his dark eyes mirrored a strange thing: three stars, coming over the Mountains of Moab, were fused into one tremendously bright one. His eyes caught the glint of bright blue light, almost like a tiny moon, and he wondered about it and was still vaguely troubled by it when he heard a tiny, thin wail, a sound so slender that one had to listen again for it to make sure.

"Joseph," it was a soft call, but he heard it. At once, he picked up the second jar of water and hurried inside. The lamps still shed a soft glow over the stable, even though it seemed years since they had been lighted.

The first thing he noticed was his wife. Mary was sitting tailor-fashion with her back against a manger wall. Her face was clean, her hair had been brushed. There were blue hollows under her eyes. She smiled at her husband and nodded. Then she stood.

She beckoned him to come closer. Joseph, mouth agape, followed her to a little manger. In the manger were the broad bolts of white swaddling she had brought on the trip. They were doubled underneath and over the top of the baby.

Mary smiled at her husband as he bent far over to look. There, among the cloths, he saw the tiny red face of an infant. This, said Joseph to himself, is the one of whom the angel spoke. He dropped to his knees beside the manger. This was the messiah.

From the book "The Day Christ Was Born," by Jim Bishop.

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Tomorrow: The Shepherds.

Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today is Tuesday, Dec. 18, the 352nd day of 1979. There are 13 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:
In 1865, the 13th Amendment to the Constitution was adopted, abolishing slavery.

On this date:

In 1777, George Washington's troops went into winter quarters in Valley Forge, Pa.

In 1787, New Jersey became the third state to ratify the Constitution.

In 1903, the United States and Panama formalized a treaty placing the Canal Zone in American hands in perpetuity, for an annual rent.

In 1973, Syria refused to attend the Mideast peace talks in Geneva.

In 1975, the United States, Israel and eleven other nations withdrew from the UNESCO meeting in Paris because of a dispute over the meaning of Zionism.

Ten years ago, Britain abolished the death penalty for murder.

Five years ago, the Soviets denied they'd given the United States any specific assurances of easier immigration in return for trade benefits and credits.

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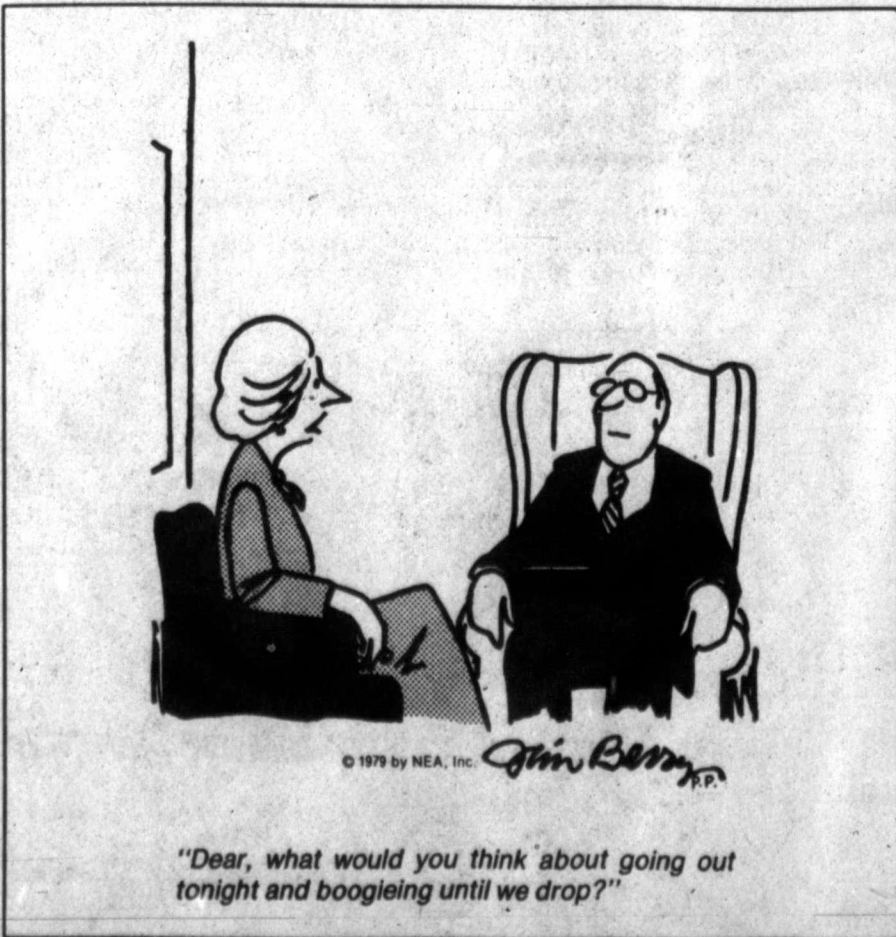
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President Carter has proclaimed today "national unity day" in support of U.S. hostages in Iran. (AP Laserphoto)

Utilities can charge for advertising

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Natural gas utility companies in Texas will be allowed to charge customers for part of their advertising costs, but not as much as they had wanted.

The Texas Railroad Commission adopted a rule Monday authorizing utilities to count as much as 0.2 percent of their gross revenues as allowable expenses for advertising when requesting rate increases.

Pioneer Natural Gas Co. of Amarillo had proposed a rule that would have let gas utilities include up to 0.5 percent of their revenues for advertising and for charitable contributions.

The commission, however, accepted the recommendation of hearing examiner Tom Hill to permit 0.2 percent for advertising only.

The commission said the rule does not allow money spent on political, religious or social causes to be counted in rate requests, nor money used to promote wasteful uses of energy.

Critics of the rule at a July 17 public hearing included utility analyst Jack Hopper of Electric Consumers of Texas, Inc.

ACORN — Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now — and Plainview City Councilman Tom Almon.

After the commission adopted the rule Monday, Hopper scheduled a news conference today to comment on the changes.

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Solons study 'windfall'

WASHINGTON (AP) — The "windfall profits" tax passed by the Senate, which would tax the oil industry \$99 billion less than a House version, is heading into a congressional negotiating committee with little prospect for a compromise this year.

The task facing the Senate-House conference committee is to hammer out a measure that over the next 11 years will cost the oil industry somewhere between the \$178 billion voted by the Senate and the \$277 billion passed by the House. The conferees will be under pressure to make sure the oil industry is provided ample incentives to increase production.

By rough estimate, the Senate bill, passed 74-24 Monday night, would capture about 38 percent of the net "windfall" expected to be taken by the oil industry in the 1980s because of President Carter's decision to remove federal price controls from U.S. crude oil.

The House-passed bill would take about 61 percent. The president, who proposed the tax, told reporters at a state dinner Monday night he was glad the bill passed the Senate.

But a statement released by the White House also said the Senate bill "falls considerably short of the House bill."

"We will continue to push for a strong bill which is fair to producers, consumers and taxpayers," it said.

The American Petroleum Institute's president, Charles J. DiBona, said: "The tragedy of the Senate bill is that it would give oil companies nowhere near enough to generate the level of domestic investment that must be made to decrease our reliance" on the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries. The API is a trade group for the oil industry.

Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., who will head Senate conferees on the measure, called the bill "a lot better than the alternative," meaning Carter's option to reimpose price controls on U.S. crude oil if Congress does not enact a strong tax.

The senators and House members who will strive for a compromise will meet for the first time Wednesday. Aides say there appears little chance they can complete their work by Friday night, when they are due to start a holiday recess.

Barring unlikely sessions between Christmas and New Year's Day, final action will thus probably be delayed until early in January. If there is a delay, the new tax would be imposed retroactively to Jan. 1.

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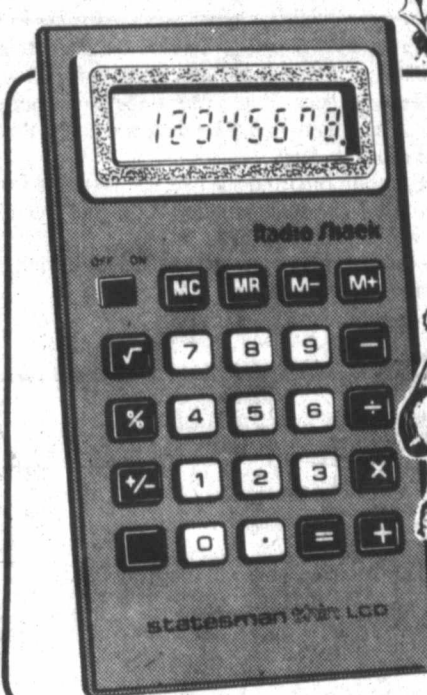
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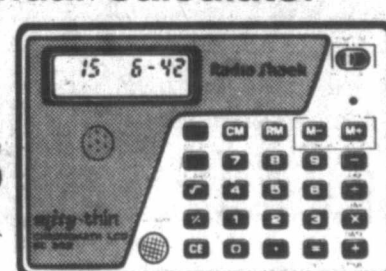
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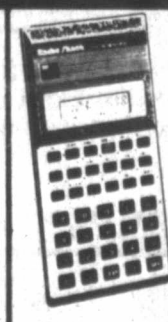


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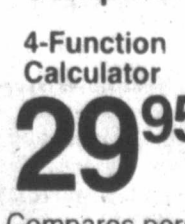
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Services tomorrow

BLACKSHER, Claude Lee — graveside services, 2 p.m., Fairview Cemetery.
HILL, Burl Anderson — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, Wheeler.
WOODWARD, Patricia Ratzlow — 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Borger.

deaths and funerals

OLGA SAVCHENKO
 Services for Mrs. Olga Savchenko, 62, mother of Ruth Steger of Pampa, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Big Timber, Montana with Sheldon Vik, minister of the Church of God, officiating. Burial will be in Mountain View Cemetery.
 Arrangements are under the direction of Lowry Funeral Home of Big Timber.
 Mrs. Savchenko died Sunday.
 She was born in Livingston, Mon. April 9, 1917 and married George Savchenko October 12, 1935.
 Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Ruth Steger of Pampa; one son, Paul of Anacortes, Wash.; two sisters; one brother; and three grandchildren.
 She was preceded in death by one son, LaVern.
 Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, Boy Scouts of America or the First United Methodist Church of Pampa.

BURL ANDERSON HILL
 WHEELER — Services for Burl Anderson Hill, 74, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jerry Hogan, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home.
 Mr. Hill died Monday in Shamrock.
 He was born in Walters, Okla. and moved to Wheeler County with his parents when he was an infant. He lived in the area all his life and was a farmer and rancher.
 Survivors include one son, Buck E. Hill of Albany, Ore.; one daughter, Mrs. Agnes Cline of Eugene, Ore.; one brother, Harold Hill of Wheeler; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

PATRICIA R. WOODWARD
 BORGER — Services for Mrs. Patricia Ratzlow Woodward, 56, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Lyman P. Wood, pastor, and Dr. Mahlon E. Ingham officiating. Burial will be in the Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Ed Brown and Sons Funeral Directors.
 Mrs. Woodward died Monday.

She was born in Wellington and moved to Hutchinson County in 1943. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.
 Survivors include her husband, Albert E.; one son, Russell Ratzlow of Austin; two daughters, Mrs. Linda Lewis of Borger and Mrs. Brian Taylor of Slidell, La.; two brothers, Henry and James Sullivan, both of Wellington; one sister, Mrs. J.W. Dickens of Big Spring; and four grandchildren.

CLAUDE LEE BLACKSHER
 Graveside services for Claude Lee Blacksher, 68, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Claude Cone, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whaley Funeral Directors.
 The body will lie in state Wednesday at Carmichael-Whaley until the service.

Mr. Blacksher died Saturday in Tulsa, Okla.
 He was a retired vice-president of Skelly Oil Co. He lived in Pampa in 1954 when he served as district superintendent of Skelly. He had lived in Tulsa since then.
 Survivors include his wife; one brother; two sisters; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Oklahoma Baptist Boy's Home.

DOUGLAS PAUL DOLLAR
 ALLISON — Services for Douglas Paul Dollar, 26, were at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Allison School with the Rev. Ernie McGaughey, pastor of the Allison Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Zybach Cemetery in Allison. Arrangements were by Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.
 Mr. Dollar died Sunday in Custer City, Okla.
 He was a graduate of Allison High School and for the past five years had been employed by Parker Drilling Co.
 Survivors include his parents; one brother; and his grandmothers.

minor accidents

There were no minor accidents reported to the Pampa Police Department during the 24-hour period ending at 7:00 a.m. today.

daily record

HIGHLAND GENERAL HOSPITAL Admissions	Skellytown
Kathrine French, 1805 Beech	Daniel Graves, 825 Bradley
NORTH PLAINS HOSPITAL Admissions	Dismissals
Mildred Nicholas, Borger	Lewis Burns, Stinnett
Charles Pavillard, Amarillo	Ann Barger, Borger
Kim Bishop, Borger	Evelyn Storey, Borger
Elizabeth McCormick, Borger	Thomas Ray, Borger
Pauline Laman, Borger	Deborah Jennings and baby boy, Borger
Elbert Dixon, Stinnett	Albert Gregg, Borger
Lilly Pinard, Stinnett	Roy Sanford, Borger
Robert Williams, Borger	Intogene Graham, Borger
Eula Coffey, Fritch	Births
Priscilla Martinez, Borger	A boy to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bishop, Borger
Rufus Cooper, Madill, Okla.	SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
Dismissals	Billy Payne, Shamrock
Ann Barger, Borger	Emma Lowe, Shamrock
Evelyn Storey, Borger	Fred Abila, Eric, Okla.
Thomas Ray, Borger	Dismissals
Deborah Jennings and baby boy, Borger	Frank Howell, Shamrock
Albert Gregg, Borger	Roselee Martinez, Wellington
Roy Sanford, Borger	MCLEAN HOSPITAL Admissions
Intogene Graham, Borger	Vivan Blackwell, McLean
Births	Dismissals
A boy to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bishop, Borger	None
SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions	GROOM HOSPITAL Admissions
Billy Payne, Shamrock	Syvel Hall, Phillips
Emma Lowe, Shamrock	Mary Jones, Claude
Fred Abila, Eric, Okla.	William McBee, Skellytown
Dismissals	Dismissals
Frank Howell, Shamrock	Kathy Smiles, Pampa
Roselee Martinez, Wellington	James Babcock, Amarillo
None	Lee Crowell, Groom

police report

Susan E. Richardson, 2136 N. Russell, reported someone stole a .357 Magnum Colt pistol from her husband's pickup while it was parked in front of the residence. Entry was made by opening a small wing window. Also taken was a welding hood. The items were valued at approximately \$500.

Jo Brown of 1001 Sumner reported she had just returned from town when someone shot the back window out of her vehicle. Value of the window was estimated at \$75.

The Pampa Police Department responded to 35 calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7:00 a.m. today.

stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa:	Beetle Foods
Wheat 3.91	21%
Milo 4.10	46%
Corn 3.90	46%
Soybeans 5.27	28%
The following quotations show the range within which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation:	Getty 49%
Ky. Cent. Life 16 1/2-17	Kerr-McGee 63%
Southland Financial 21 1/2-22 1/2	Pennsey's 26%
So. West Life 41 1/2-41 3/4	Phillips 49%
The following 10:30 N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by the Pampa office of Schneider Bernet Hickman, Inc.	PNA 25%
	Southwestern Pub. Service 12 1/2
	Standard Oil of Indiana 49%
	Texas 39%
	Zales 19%
	Gold 472.00
	Silver 232.50

fire report

6:15 p.m. — A dumpster caught on fire at 921 S. Sumner. Little damage was reported.



'AUTHORIZED? PERSONNEL' entered through a broken window of Pampa High School and opened the school's bank-type vault, PHS principal Paul Payne reported this morning. It appears the vandals took keys from the vault — leaving "a lot of money", Payne said — and used them to enter the wood shop and the vocational building of the school. Less than \$10 in all was taken, Payne commented, adding the break-in was mainly "vandalism and a nuisance". Having occurred several times in recent years, Payne termed the burglary, "a regular Christmas gift every year". The suspects — believed to be juveniles — left their mark, Payne remarked, in the form of size 8 1/2 to 9 bare footprints throughout the vandalized areas. Juvenile officer Ron Howell is expected to take over investigation of the break-in in a police spokesperson said today. (Photo by William McCarley)

Leukemia study surprising

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — The leukemia risk should be no greater to graduates of high schools in areas where petrochemical plants abound than anywhere else, the Texas Department of Health reported today.
 The health department study was prompted by a National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health report that showed workers at synthetic rubber plants in the vicinity of Port Neches-Groves face a "moderately increased" risk of leukemia.



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TEXAS

By The Associated Press
 The season's first cold front seems to be loosening its grip on Texas today as warmer temperatures are forecast for most of the state.

A few clouds should hover over the coastal regions, but the rest of the state will be clear to fair.

Early morning lows dipped to 30 in Abilene and Houston, but the state's chilliest reading was at Wink where the mercury dropped to 20.

Today's highs should be in the 60s in the Panhandle and Central and South Texas. The rest of the Lone Star State can expect highs in the 50s.

NATIONAL

By The Associated Press
 Rain fell throughout the Pacific Northwest this morning as a cold front spread across the area. The rain, combined with snowmelt from the cascades, was causing flooding along the Washington and Oregon coasts.

In the mountains of northern Idaho and northwestern Montana rain or snow was possible during the day. There was also a chance of snow showers along the lower Great Lakes.

The Northeast was under a cold snap with high temperatures reaching only into the low 20s in southern New England and the low teens in northern New England.

A warming trend continued in areas east of the northern Rockies. A few locales in Montana were in the 30s with the high plains in the 40s.

The Northeast was the coldest area overnight. New England was near zero while New York and the Great Lakes region were in the teens.

Temperatures around the nation at 2 a.m. (EST) ranged from three below zero in Rumford, Maine, to 64 in Key West, Fla.

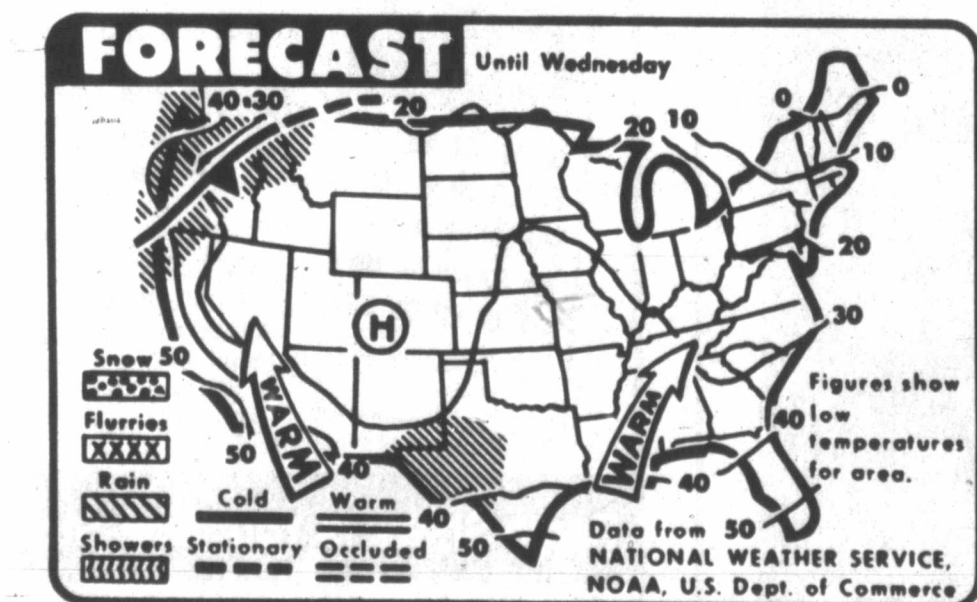
Here is a list of temperatures and weather conditions in key cities around the country and in nearby Canada as of 2 a.m. EST today:

Eastern U.S.: Atlanta 25 clear; Boston 16 windy; Cincinnati 16 partly cloudy; Cleveland 8 clear; Detroit 11 clear; Miami 57 clear; New York 21 windy; Philadelphia 20 clear; Pittsburgh 10 clear; Washington 24 partly cloudy.

Central U.S.: Chicago 18 partly cloudy; Denver 42 partly cloudy; Des Moines 21 clear; Fort Worth 26 clear; Kansas City 23 clear; Louisville 21 cloudy; Minneapolis-St. Paul 21 cloudy; Nashville 18 clear; New Orleans 33 clear; St. Louis 22 clear.

Western U.S.: Anchorage 9 snow; Los Angeles 57 foggy; Phoenix 52 clear; Salt Lake City 23 foggy; San Diego 57 clear; San Francisco 46 hazy; Seattle 53 rain.

Canada: Montreal 3 below zero; Toronto 18 windy.



WARM WEATHER is expected in the forecast period for the Southwest and Southeast but most of the nation will continue cold. Rain is forecast for the Northwest and western Texas.

(AP Laserphoto)

TEMPS

Albany	Albuquerque	Amarillo	Anchorage	Asheville	Atlanta	Baltimore	Birmingham	Bismarck	Boise	Boston	Charltn WV	Chicago	Cincinnati	Cleveland	Columbus	Denver	Des Moines	Duluth	Detroit	Duluth	Fairbanks	Hartford	Helena	Houston	Ind'apolis	Jacks'ville	Juneau	Kan's City	Las Vegas	Little Rock	Louisville	Memphis	Miami	Milwaukee	Mpls-St. P.
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FORECAST

North Texas
 Mostly fair and warmer today and tonight. Increasing cloudiness west Wednesday. High temperatures today 53 to 61. Lows tonight 34 to 38. Highs Wednesday 62 to 66.

South Texas
 Cloudy extreme south and partly cloudy elsewhere today. Increasing clouds from the west tonight becoming mostly cloudy Wednesday. A slight chance of showers extreme south Wednesday. Warmer temperatures. Highs today 55 to 60. Lows tonight mid 30s northwest to upper 40s south. Highs Wednesday mostly in the 60s.

West Texas
 Fair today becoming partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Warmer today and Wednesday. Widely scattered showers south Wednesday. Highs today 50s most sections except 60s Panhandle and Big Bend. Lows tonight 20s north and mountains to 30s south. Highs Wednesday 60s most sections except 50s mountains.

Upper Coast Lower Coast
 Northwest to west winds 10 to 15 knots today and west to southwest near 15 knots tonight and Wednesday. Seas 4 to 6 feet today and tonight. Scattered showers.

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GUY HAZLETT, Highland General Hospital administrator, accepts a citizen's band radio from Jo Anne Proctor, secretary of the Gray County REACT club. The club donated the CB to the hospital for use in disaster situations. REACT has already presented radios to the police department and to the National Guard Armory.

(Staff photo)

Hub to open store in July

Hub Clothiers has announced the opening of a store here in July, 1980, at the intersection of Kingsmill and Cuyler Streets in the Rose Building.

Chuck Smith, president and partner in the Hub Corporation said "This move to Pampa is one we've anxiously anticipated for several years. Pampa is the center of one of the busiest, most diversified, fastest growing regions in the country."

Jim Smith and Kemp Kenyon, the other two partners are equally enthused about the opening. According to Smith, "the Rose Building is a landmark in Pampa and we are happy to occupy such a location."

The Rose Building formerly housed the J.C. Penny Store. Hub Clothiers was established 73 years ago by O.M. Saylor and Frederick Kendall.

The store first known as Saylor and Kendall, was located at 414 Polk Street. Expansion caused the store to move to larger quarters at 412 Polk Street. Some time after the opening it was incorporated with Saylor, Kendall and W.O. Allen.

1917 saw the store change hands to Kendall and a former employee, Z.G. Fine, the name became Kendall & Fine Co.

Allen returned to Amarillo in 1920 and purchased the firm, which was by now Kendall's alone. Another name change occurred, and the store was known as Allen's Store for Men and Boy's.

During the Panhandle's oil boom in 1926, the store sold out to Scheinburg—Quicksilver & Co. From then on the name the store was called the Hub.

Scheinburg was in charge of the business in 1934 at its new location, 604 Polk.

Howard M. Smith was promoted to manager in 1932 and his son, Chuck Smith, joined him as salesman in 1934. Eight years later H.M. Smith became a partner in the Hub S.Q. stores in Amarillo, Lubbock, Odessa, and Borger.

Smith purchased the Amarillo Hub outright in 1950, and sold his interest in the other three S & Q stores to devote full time energies to the Amarillo store.

The popularity of the business produced a large growth in business. Consequently the Polk Street location was remodeled and enlarged in 1953.

Howard Smith, another son with clothing business experience, joined the firm in 1955.



THE DESIGN of the new Hub Clothier store is shown in these architectural renderings.



Pampa woman aids Amarillo Cancer Center

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center under construction in Amarillo will receive a \$50,000 contribution in the name of a Gray County pioneer.

Mrs. J.C. Vollmert of Pampa is making the donation.

"I am taking this opportunity to support a program that I know will benefit many of our friends and neighbors," she said. "I am happy to give to something that can be of so much help to people who need special medical care."

Vollmert came to Gray County in 1908 from Kansas. He initially bought 80 acres and lived in the area as a farmer and rancher until his death in 1968. He was active in civic affairs and a member of the First Baptist Church.

E.L. Green and other Pampa residents are currently working on a campaign to provide additional support for the Harrington Cancer Center. Other campaigns are already underway in Borger, Canadian,

Dalhart and Dumas. Almost \$2.75 million has been raised in the total campaign.

The cancer center is being built on the Amarillo Medical Center, directly between High Plains Baptist Hospital and the Texas Tech School of Medicine. It will serve as a treatment center for ambulatory patients and will provide the latest services in equipment and treatment for cancer care.

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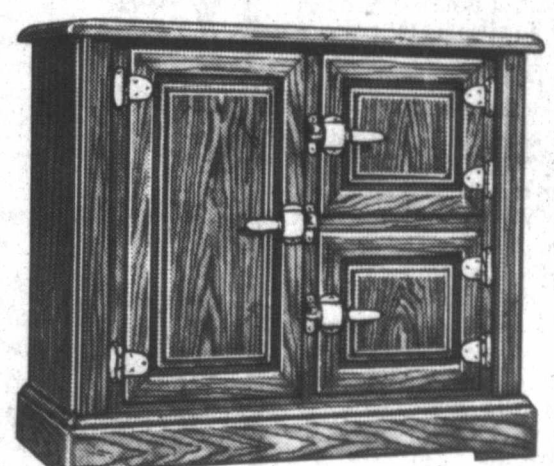
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Carter's popularity up

NEW YORK (AP) — More than half of the public now wants to see Jimmy Carter run for re-election, a remarkable reversal from the negative sentiments about the president in the last six months, an Associated Press-NBC News poll says.

Carter's handling of the Iranian crisis has helped give his standing with the public the largest boost of his tenure in office. But with more than 10 months left before the election, the seemingly intractable problems of the economy and energy are still major weak spots for Carter's image.

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, for one, has promised to make Carter's handling of the economy a central theme as Kennedy tries to defeat Carter in the battle for the Democratic presidential nomination.

In the poll taken Dec. 11 and 12, 56 percent of those interviewed by telephone said they would like to see Carter run for re-election next year. Thirty-one percent would not like to see him run and 13 percent of the 1,595 adults interviewed across the country were not sure.

This is quite a change from before the Iranian crisis.

As recently as September, 59 percent opposed a Carter re-election bid, while only 33 percent supported one. Eight percent were not sure.

Only three weeks ago, the November AP-NBC News poll found a 41-46 split against a Carter re-election bid.

Democrats now favor a Carter try for a new term by 62-28 and independents by 53-32. And — for the first time since the question was introduced in the polling in August 1978 — Republicans say they would like to see him run again, by a 52-36 edge.

This reversal can be traced to Carter's handling of the Iranian crisis, which has also sparked a major surge in his overall job rating as the public overwhelmingly approved of his efforts to free 50 Americans held hostage in Iran.

Carter's overall job rating has leaped 21 points since the crisis began and 15 points since the last AP-NBC News poll three weeks ago.

Forty-five percent of those questioned Dec. 11-12 said Carter's work overall is excellent or good. Forty-one percent said his work has been "only fair" and 12 percent rated it poor. Two percent of the 1,595 adults interviewed nationwide by telephone were not sure.

In mid-October, before the hostages were seized Nov. 4, 24 percent rated his work excellent or good and another 24 percent rated it poor. Half called his efforts only fair. The rest were undecided.

The AP-NBC News poll taken Nov. 27-28 found 30 percent rating his work excellent or good, 49 percent only fair and 18 percent poor.

Three percent were not sure.

On foreign policy, 48 percent in the most recent poll said Carter's work has been excellent or good, up from 24 percent in October. Thirty-three percent said it has been only fair, down from 43 percent. Fifteen percent called it poor, just over half the 28 percent found in October. The remainder each month was undecided.

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Wholesale gasoline prices have been raised as much as six cents a gallon in the last week as major producers responded to announced retroactive crude oil price increases.

But other factors are at work in the market including inflation, Iran's embargo on oil shipments to the United States and revised government rules on the mark-up gasoline dealers are allowed, analysts say.

Crude oil price increase expected to be approved by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries this week could push up prices by as much as an additional 10 cents a gallon, analysts say, based on reports from the OPEC meeting in Caracas, Venezuela.

"The brunt of it will hit in February," said Mark Emond, editor of the Los Angeles-based newsletter that covers the gasoline industry. "February ought to be a nasty month."

On Monday, Standard Oil Co. of California, which markets under the Chevron brand name, and Exxon Corp. said they were raising wholesale gasoline prices 6 cents a gallon in response to Saudi Arabia's decision to boost crude prices \$6 a 42-gallon barrel to \$24.

Chevron also raised the price of heating oil 6 cents a gallon. Exxon has announced a price increase on some of its distillate products of 3 cents a gallon.

Since last week, Mobil Corp. and Texaco Inc. have raised the price of a gallon of gasoline 3 cents; Standard Oil Co. of Indiana, 2 to 3 cents; CITGO, a penny; and Sun Co., 2 cents.

Chevron, Mobil, Texaco and Exxon depend heavily on Saudi oil, and analysts expect Texaco and Mobil also to raise their prices in response to the Saudi move.

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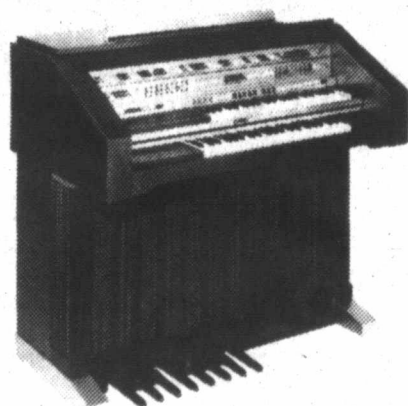


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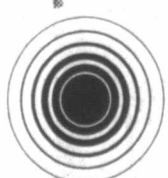
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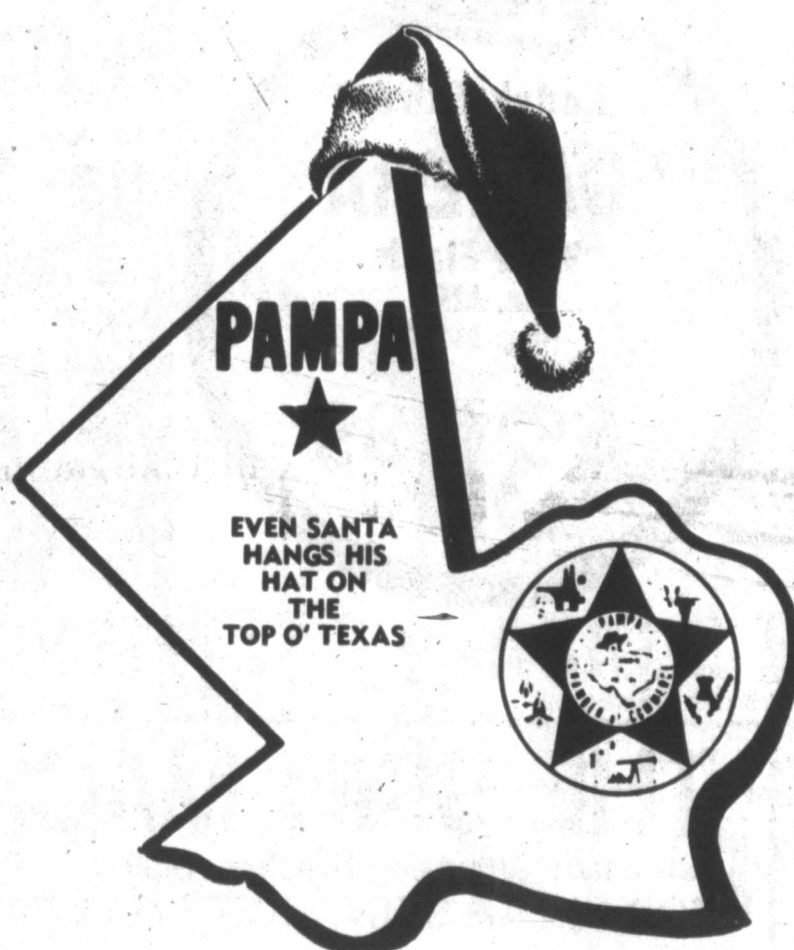
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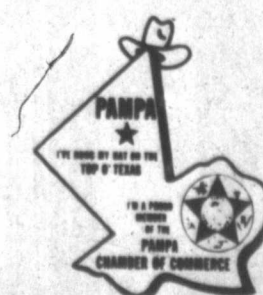


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No one knows how many tips are given and received at Christmas. Many of those who get tips are reluctant to talk about them — officially at least.

The givers are more willing to discuss the subject, but no two people seem to agree on how much, who, when and how.

Where will it all end? Here is a light-hearted, A-to-Z look at the etiquette and economics of holiday tipping:

—Airline attendant. They're not allowed to accept tips.

—Bartender. An extra reward if he or she regularly sends you home before you've had one too many.

—Cab driver. Twenty percent is pretty standard. If you have the courage, you can subtract for loud music, insults and general discomfort.

—Driverman. Does he get you a cab when it's raining?

—Elevator operator. A definite yes. Elevator operators are so rare in these days of automation, they qualify for protection as an endangered species.

—Fireman. It probably wouldn't hurt to buy two tickets to the firemen's ball.

—Garage attendant. Take the number of dents added to your car since last

Christmas. Subtract the number of broken headlights. Tip the difference.

—Hairdresser. Do you really want to risk green hair?

—Insurance agent. He or she gets commissions, not tips.

—Janitor. If you can find him, tip him.

—Khomeini. He doesn't celebrate Christmas.

—Lawyer. Did you win or lose?

—Mailman. Do you want your Christmas cards now or next June?

—Newspaper boy or girl. Is the paper on the porch or in the bushes?

—Oil deliverer. How cold is it?

—Plumber. Does he come when you call? How soon?

—Qatar. Doesn't need the money; it's one of the OPEC countries that just raised oil prices.

—Representative and senator. Giving money to congressmen is sometimes called bribery.

—Telephone operator. How long do you spend on hold?

—Uncle Sam. You already give. Regularly. It's called income tax.

—Vintner. Not unless he finds you a bottle of 1959 Lafite for \$5.

—Waiter or waitress. How often does your rare steak arrive well-done?

—Xerox operator. Copy your colleagues.

—Yourself. If you have anything left.

—Zookeeper. Only if you're the one in the cage.

5,000 residents return home after massive tank explosion

TAYLOR, Mich. (AP) — About 5,000 residents returned to their homes after firefighters from six Detroit suburbs extinguished a flash fire at a gasoline storage tank.

The fire raged out of control for nearly 24 hours Saturday and Sunday, sending orange flames and black smoke into the sky and forcing evacuation of nearby residents. It finally was brought under control about 3 a.m. Sunday, authorities said.

Two house trailers were destroyed in the fire, but no serious injuries were reported.

About 4,000 of the evacuees returned home Sunday morning after spending the night with relatives or at a disaster shelter set up at a community center.

Another 1,000 residents of a nearby trailer park residents were sent home early Sunday night, Taylor police said, after the remaining 800,000 gallons of gasoline was drained from the charred tank.

The blaze, blamed by Clark Oil Co. officials on the successive failure of three safety devices, was contained when foam was pumped into the 1.2-million-gallon tank, fire officials said.

The fire set off an explosion that rocked Taylor, a southern Detroit suburb of 85,000. The flames could be seen from downtown Detroit, more than 15 miles away.

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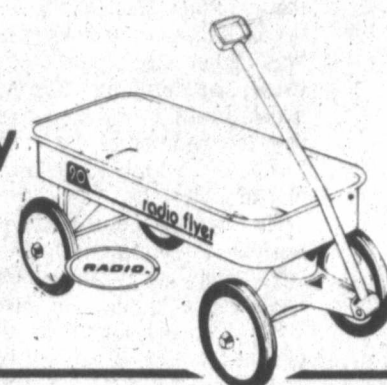
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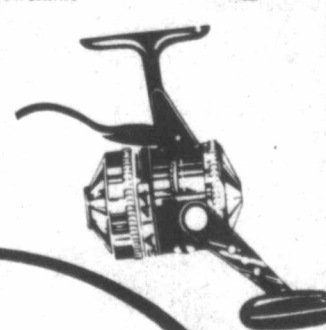
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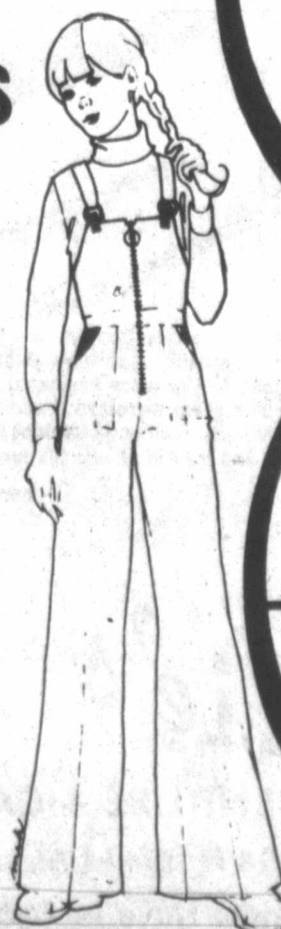
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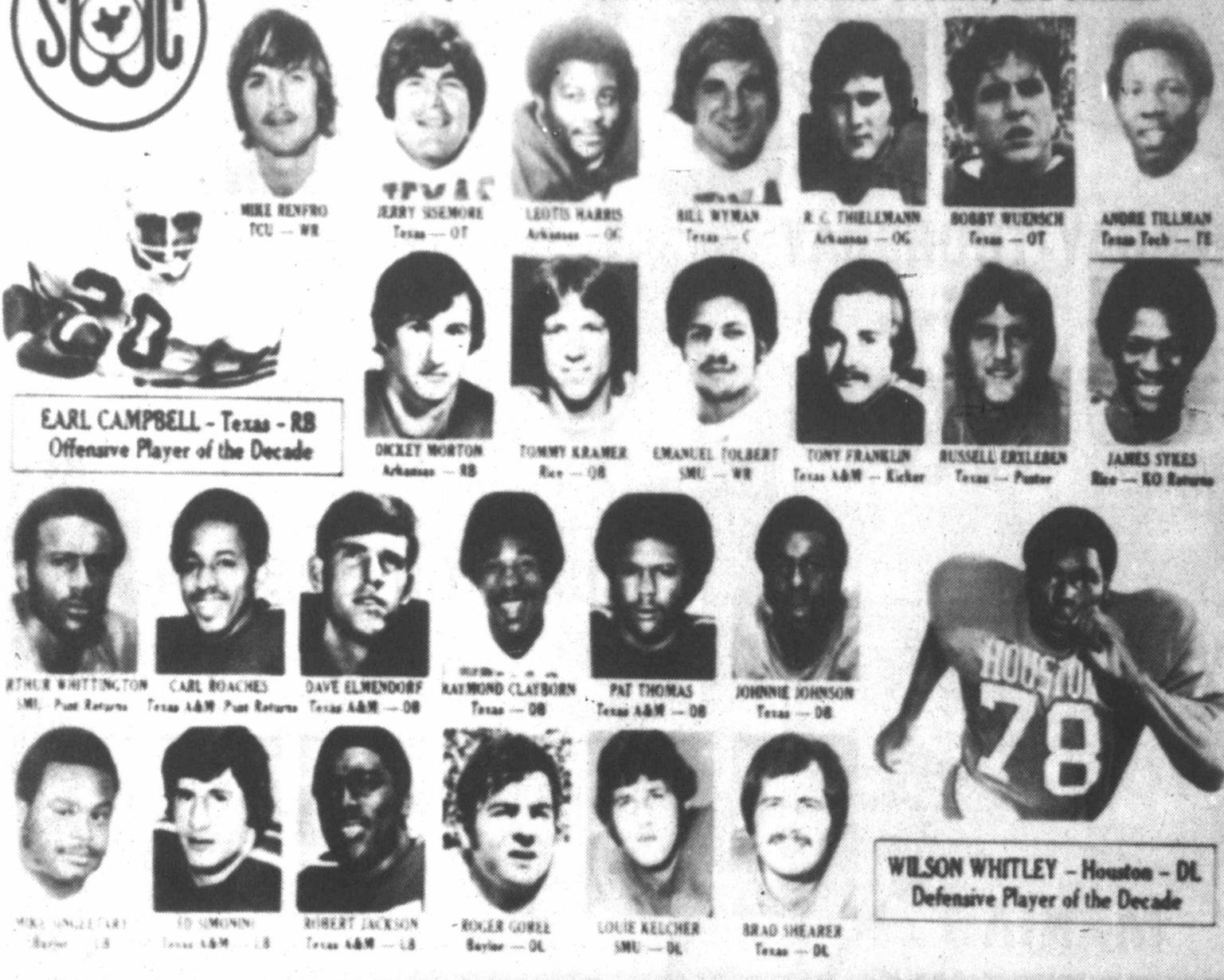
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One report is that a beer company is paying \$10 million to have its product designated the official suds of the 1984 Games in Los Angeles.

The late Avery Brundage must be spinning in his grave. He was a stuffy, stodgy old character — this straight-backed millionaire who ruled the Games with an iron fist as president of the International Olympic Committee from 1921 until his death in May 1975.

He thought the Olympics should be purely amateur, as mandated by Baron Pierre de Coubertin, father of the modern Games — contests among everyday people competing for the pleasure merely of taking part while promoting international good will.

How really naive. Did these two dreamers really believe such ideals were possible in a world bloated with national pride and ambition and ripped by differences in political ideologies?

Did they believe that the Soviet Union and other Communist nations could negate their basic doctrine and not subsidize the strongest Olympic force their governments could afford? Or that America would stand still and allow its athletes to be relegated to secondary status?

Let's face it. Money is the name of the game. It's hard to find an ounce of amateur blood left in it. The five multicolored rings should be painted pure gold. The official emblem should show, instead of a flaming torch, a hand holding aloft an open check book.

Americans have trumped the Communists' ace card — government subsidy for athletes — with its own big weapon: capitalistic commercialism. We can no longer cry that the Russians and East Germans are beating us with pros. We have our own pro version, perhaps necessary but no purer.

The U.S. Olympic credo is: "America doesn't send our athletes to the Olympics. Americans do." True. Americans and their corporations.

Sports in brief

NEW YORK (AP) — The Atlanta Hawks' power forward, Dan Roundfield, has been named the National Basketball Association's Player of the Week for the period ending Dec. 16.

Roundfield had 53 points and 37 rebounds to help the Hawks to a 3-0 record last week as Atlanta downed New York last Wednesday and Philadelphia Friday and Saturday.

The 6-foot-8 Roundfield beat out center Swen Nater of San Diego and guards Fouts Walker of Cleveland, Paul Westphal of Phoenix and Norm Nixon of Los Angeles for the weekly honor.

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — The 1980 Western Olympic Boxing Trials have been scheduled here for the last week in May, said Jack Zappone, president of the Inland Empire Amateur Athletic Union. Zappone said Monday the trials are expected to attract nearly 400 amateur boxers from throughout the western United States. The week-long tournament will include more than 100 events.

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Martin apologizes

DALLAS (AP) — Defensive tackle Harvey Martin says he regrets he threw a funeral wreath in the Washington Redskins dressing room after the Dallas Cowboys rallied for a 35-34 victory Sunday, knocking Washington out of the NFL playoffs.

"That was dumb and something I guess a member of the Dallas Cowboys shouldn't do, throwing that funeral wreath in the locker room at a time when they were down and they'd been defeated, and we all knew that," Martin said Monday in a television interview with WFAA-TV's Bill McAtee.

"I'm sorry I did it. As a matter of fact, I sent a telegram to Coach (Jack) Pardee and the Washington Star and Post up there, apologizing for my action. I want to try to carry on with the tradition of the Dallas Cowboys, which is class," Martin said.

The Cowboys, down 34-21 with less than three minutes to play, were taking verbal abuse from the Redskins on the field. After Dallas scored twice in the closing minutes to pull out the victory, Martin wasted no time in delivering the wreath personally to the Washington locker room.

Martin was apologetic Monday.

"I thought at the time that's what I should do, since they gave it to me."

Huskies arrive

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — The Washington Huskies scheduled another light workout today in preparation for Saturday's game with the Texas Longhorns in the Sun Bowl.

The Huskies' first practice was Monday, just three hours after they arrived here. Six of the 122 players who made the trip will miss the game because of injuries, including Washington's top rusher, Joe Steele.

Washington coach Don James said he thought the two teams would be well matched, but said

Texas has a better defense than any of the Huskies' regular-season opponents.

James said his team would need plenty of heavy practice session before the 11:30 a.m. MST Sun Bowl contest.

"We've had a long time off and, with exams, we haven't had that much work," he said.

The Longhorns are scheduled to arrive Wednesday and start "light practices" Thursday.

Texas' leading runner, A.J. Jones, also will watch the game from the sidelines because of an injury.

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DENVER BRONCOS Dave Preston is pushed to the deck by San Diego Chargers Ray Preston, right, after taking a pass from Broncos quarterback Craig Morton Monday night during their AFC West championship game in San Diego. (AP Laserphoto)

San Diego captures West title

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Like a proud old prize fighter, San Diego wide receiver Charlie Joiner kept coming off the mat. And in the end, he delivered the knockout punch.

"Charlie took such a beating," said Chargers' Coach Don Coryell, "but he kept coming back and playing."

Joiner, 32, capped his finest National Football League season with a 32-yard touchdown reception from Dan Fouts that put the Chargers permanently in Monday night's 17-7 victory over the Denver Broncos.

By dethroning Denver as AFC West champs, San Diego, 12-4, ended a 14-year title drought and gained the home field advantage throughout the playoffs.

Denver, 10-6, must travel to Houston Sunday for a battle of wild card clubs.

Afterwards, nursing 12 stitches over his right eye and a painful hip bruise, Joiner called it "the biggest touchdown of my career."

"A championship is special. You don't know how hard we worked for this," said the 11-year veteran, who, ironically, was drafted by Houston 10 years ago as a defensive back.

With John Jefferson, San Diego's most dangerous receiver, sidelined with a rib injury, Joiner became a marked man — the key in the Chargers' aerial circus.

His third quarter touchdown, which broke a 7-7 tie, came after he was knocked

out of the game with the hip injury. Shortly after the touchdown he was kayoed again, suffering a cut over the eye, but returned after a second trip for medical care.

"They weren't cheap shots," said Joiner. "I was just the victim of circumstances. I got a splittin' headache...but I love it."

"If there's a better competitor than Joiner, I've never seen him," said Chargers' owner Gene Klein, who threw a bear-hug on the veteran receiver as the game ended.

Joiner's touchdown catch helped Fouts make history. The completion propelled Fouts past Joe Namath, who set the all-time NFL single season record in 1967 with 4,007 yards.

Fouts, who was 17 of 29 for 230 yards, finished the 16-game regular season — Namath did it in 14 games — with 4,082 yards. He shrugged off his incredible season, saying "if you're in this game for records, you won't go very far. Winning is what's important."

Coryell said the victory represented his proudest moment in coaching.



By Murray Olderman

OAKLAND, Calif. (NEA) — He is a hairy, bearded giant who has made his living the last decade in the most physical way — matching strength, agility and sheer will on the NFL front lines with other imposing hulks.

He is also a sensitive, introspective man who wonders about what he has been doing. And he has had the acuity to put it down in words.

That, more than anything, has branded Pat Toomay, author, as a maverick in the insular world of pro football — where anyone who has the temerity to question the mystique of the game is immediately suspect.

The strange thing is that Toomay genuinely loves the

physical combat. He is loathe to divorce himself from it.

Even now, at 31 — discarded at one time or another by all four teams he has played for, including his present employers, the Oakland Raiders — Toomay is not sure he won't be giving it one more try when next season rolls around.

Raiders owner Al Davis, who has had to step in personally to make sure that Toomay was kept on his team's roster, says: "I believe he can play. And he senses that. In a four-man line, he's comparable to many defensive ends in the league."

In training camp last summer, the other 27 NFL teams passed up the opportunity to claim Toomay for \$100 when the Raiders put him on

waivers.

Here was a man who had been a regular defensive end the last three of his five seasons with the ultra-successful Dallas Cowboys (1970-74); who had been the defensive MVP for the Buffalo Bills (1975); who had played every defensive down of every game for the hapless Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 1976; who had joined the Raiders and become their best pass rusher for two seasons (1977-78).

Yet there didn't seem to be employment for him in the NFL.

Why? Because Toomay a few seasons back had written a book called "The Crunch" — a dispassionate account of his years with the Cowboys.

But more importantly because it became knowledge

around the NFL that he has been working on a football novel for the last three years (and still is).

Dallas made him a sixth-round draft choice out of Vanderbilt in 1970, and he played for the team in two Super Bowls. His fourth season with the Cowboys, he was paid \$30,000.

So Toomay played out his Dallas option at \$27,000 in 1974 (a 10 percent cut in salary). When the WFL subse-

quently folded, he signed in 1975 with the NFL Buffalo Bills, who had acquired the rights to him from Dallas.

"I was the first player in the history of the Dallas franchise to leave of his own volition," claims Toomay proudly.

Macy directs attack with surgeon's skill

By BOB GREENE
AP sports writer

The University of Louisville's basketball squad billed themselves as the "Doctors of Dunk" last season. But Kentucky's Kyle Macy is a specialist, according to University of Georgia Coach Hugh Durham.

"Macy's like a surgeon out there," Durham said after Macy scored 28 points and directed the third-ranked Kentucky Wildcats to a 95-69 Southeastern Conference victory over previously undefeated Georgia. "He comes down the floor and does open heart surgery on you and then moves to the other side and does something over there."

Even Kentucky Coach Joe B. Hall agrees.

"In my book, Macy is the best basketball player in America," Hall said. "I wouldn't trade him for anybody."

The Wildcats had more than Macy going for them as they posted their eighth consecutive victory after a season-opening loss to top-ranked Duke. Dwight Anderson added 20 points and Kentucky's defense allowed Georgia only five shots during the final six minutes of the first half.

"I was concerned that we had reached a mental and emotional peak (in the victory over Indiana), but it didn't seem to affect us," Hall said. "I underestimated the value of our depth."

"We are coming off the bench and playing well. Our depth and fresh players blew it out."

Kentucky outscored Georgia 16-0 in the six-minute span that saw the Wildcats go from a 29-28 lead to a 45-28 halftime advantage.

"The only way we could win the game was to stay close. Close the gap with four or five minutes to go. Then anything could happen," Durham said. "We didn't though. We let that son of a gun slip away. Actually, it kind of exploded away."

Marshall University set a collegiate free throw shooting record — hitting all 31 of its attempts — in a 115-97 victory over Davidson in a Southern Conference game. The old record of 24 consecutive free throws was set by Duke against Davidson in 1978.

Sophomore Robert Price scored 22 points, hitting 10 of 11 field goal attempts. James Campbell had 22 and Greg White 20 for Davidson.

Missouri, ranked No. 16, ran its record to 8-0 with an 84-73 victory over Oral Roberts. Curtis Berry led the Tigers with 19 points and 11 rebounds.

Ray Blume's 25 points paced 19th-ranked Oregon State past Montana State 105-80 and reserve Mike Young tallied 19 points to lead No. 20 Arkansas to an 86-68 victory over Oklahoma City University.

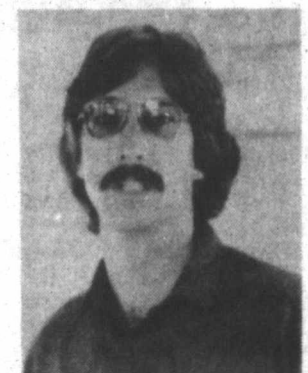
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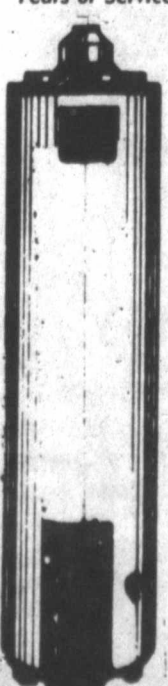
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American League
NEW YORK YANKEES—Traded Tommy Cruz, outfielder to the Minnesota Twins in exchange for Dave Coleman, outfielder. Acquired Andre Robertson, shortstop from the Toronto Blue Jays for an undesignated amount of cash.
National League
PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Named Jim Mahoney, manager of their Portland team in the Pacific Coast League.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CINCINNATI BENGALS—Fired Homer Rice, head coach, and his entire coaching staff — Mike McCormick, Boyd Dowler, Charley Winner, Dick Modzelewski, Howard Brinker, George Seifert, and Frank Gansz.
COLLEGE
AIR FORCE ACADEMY—Named Tom Backus assistant football coach.
BOISE STATE—Announced that Dave Campo, assistant football coach, resigned to accept an assistant coaching job at Oregon State University.
NEW MEXICO—Fired Norm Ellenberger, head basketball coach.
WISCONSIN—Signed Dave McClain, head football coach, to a two-year contract extension.

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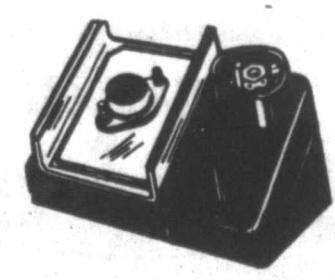
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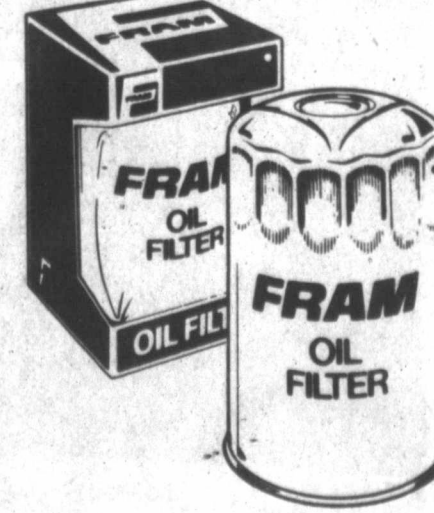
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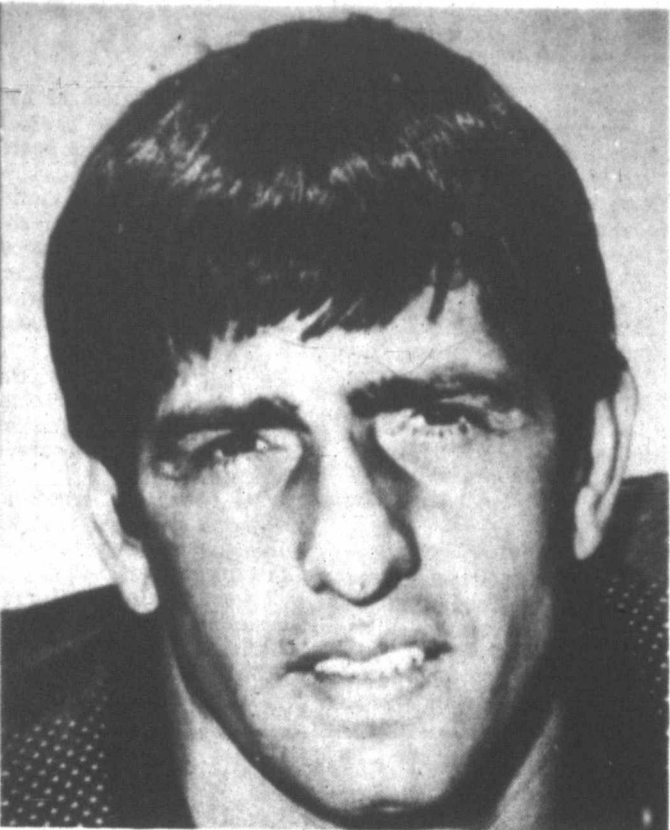


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Josef Odermatt is No. 2, so he races harder

By Murray Olderman

SNOWBIRD, Utah (NEA) — The dream is always the same, and so is the effect. Josef Odermatt wakes up and finds himself bathed in sweat. And unnerved.

"I see this other guy trying to catch me," says Odermatt, reliving the dream. "Well, actually, I can't see him, but I can feel him. He's gaining on me, and I'm pushing to stay ahead."

Does the other guy beat him?

"That's when I wake up," Josef Odermatt of Dallenwil, Switzerland, and Aspen, Colo., is a professional skier, and he used to be one of the very best in the world.

In fact, for three straight years (1976-78), Josef was the second best overall on the World Pro Skiing circuit.

But nobody remembers the guy who finishes second. For years, until he won the Masters in 1973, Tommy Aaron made a fetish of being unknown in golf. Bill Johnston was the perennial tennis runner-up to Bill Tilden at Forest Hills in the Golden '20s. Ralph Metcalfe trailed Jesse Owens in the sprints a generation ago. Auto racer Dan Gurney never quite made it to the checkered flag at Indy.

"I think," says Josef Odermatt, "maybe I was born with a 'two' on my back."

Josef came to this country six years ago, at the age of 21, not knowing a word of English. And completely obscure as a skier.

He had never competed in the Olympics. A blithe spirit who rebelled against authority, he'd quit the Swiss national ski team.

As a pro, he was an immediate sensation, winning three races as a rookie — finishing third overall on the WPS tour.

The next two years, he jumped to second on the WPS circuit behind the fine French veteran, Henri Duvillard. In 1977, with Duvillard retired, Odermatt was primed for a title push. But he was thwarted by the sudden emergence of a quiet Austrian youngster, Andre Arnold, as the No. 1 pro.

Last season, while Arnold picked up over \$100,000 in official earnings — a milestone in this fledgling sport, which is just a decade old — Odermatt barely made expenses. He fell to eighth place in his worst season on the World Pro Skiing circuit. The only race he won last year was a Pro-Am competition here at Snowbird, a prelude to the main event. His victory was worth \$300.

Hard times hit the blond Swiss boomer as he travels the tour, which has taken him from the Catskills of New York to Japan, California and the Rockies. It was another winter of discontent for the man who still has won more prize money than any skier in history.

Pro skiing — the world circuit opened again in Europe this November — is a precise, demanding exercise in which hundreds and thousands of a second are crucial. As originally designed, it was tailored for Odermatt because it consisted of two main events, the slalom and giant slalom.

Odermatt is a slalom expert, and he thrives on the revolutionary pro concept of a pair of racers on the course simultaneously, weaving through the gates head-to-head.

"You don't need to turn your head to know he's there," Josef explains in his accented but now-fluent English. "It's just like you're walking and you sense someone is following you. I can shut out the announcer (on the loudspeaker) and the crowd, but I can hear that guy behind me. The main thing is not to panic when you're about to be passed. That's why in my dreams I'm always being chased or chasing someone."

Odermatt had high aspirations for the elusive World Pro Skiing title — until the circuit altered its format to add downhill skiing as a regular event. That was Odermatt's albatross.

Championship skiers tend to be specialists. Franz Klammer, who was the Austrian glamor boy of the 1976 Olympics, excels in the downhill. Put him in the slalom against the pros, says Odermatt, and he'd flounder.

Top amateur Ingemar Stenmark of Sweden — who wins Odermatt's vote as the best skier in the world — is incomparable in the slaloms because "he has perfect form for his build, he doesn't make mistakes."

(Stenmark, set for the 1980 Olympics is only now getting into downhill. He was seriously injured during practice runs for that event.)

Along with Arnold, Walter Tresch, another Swiss who is currently second among the pros, has the adaptability to pick up points in all the ski events.

"My problem," says Odermatt, "is I haven't done downhill since I was a kid and broke three vertebrae in my back."

"You can't use giant slalom technique, like I do, without losing time. So when they put in downhill, right away my chances to be No. 1 were zero."

But he keeps skiing because that's all he knows.

The frustration of losing has made Odermatt somber. No more magazine layouts of him in a hot tub with a stewardess.

How Irish Mike fights to win

By Howard Siner

NEW YORK (NEA) — As a prize fighter, Irish Mike Duffy of Brooklyn, N.Y., gets \$100 per bout. And an ear full of blood.

This rookie pug with traces of cauliflower ears at the opposite end of the spectrum from Sugar Ray Leonard, Vito Antufermo and Roberto Duran.

Nobody ever watched him fight on any \$1 million TV card from a Las Vegas casino. Those once-a-month boxing magazines don't cite him as a flashy newcomer. Ring promoters Don King and Bob Arum have never heard of him.

Yet Irish Mike — just like America's tens of thousands of neighborhood pros — clutches a 1940s-style dream. Someday, someday...

Duffy, unbeaten as a welterweight-junior middleweight after six money fights, realizes, of course, that time is running out. He is 25 years old.

Several times, Duffy, who turned pro in 1978 after a 27-8 amateur record, has been forced to have blood drained from the inside of his left ear. After recovering, he climbs back into the ring. To face more pounding.

"I just want to be a contender," explains Duffy. "I definitely want to be a champion. But I'm hoping first to become a contender."

His record: Pete Mancini (at Jersey City, N.J.), KO, Round 3; Nino Cosmo (Jersey City), Dec., Round 4; Peter O'Keefe (Jersey City), KO, Round 2; Cosmo (Weehawken, N.J.), rematch, KO, Round 2; Irving Booth (Staten Island, N.Y.), KO, Round 1; and Johnny Saxon (Staten Island), Dec., Round 4.

Not much? Well, it's earned Irish Mike, who fights out of the Bath Beach Boxing Club under manager-trainer Bobby Barbera, a bit of fame in Brooklyn. To admirers, he's "Time Bomb" Duffy. The jokers call him "Canvas Back."

It was a cousin who first got Duffy ("I used to fight in the street") interested in organized boxing. That led along a heavily traveled path from Police Athletic League bouts, to Golden Gloves prelims, to pro matches.

"I like the part where you become somebody," Duffy says. "People wave to you and say hello. To me it's the recognition. Usually, I sell about 50 tickets. That's what promoters like about me. I'm a good draw."

Despite his ear woes, Duffy looks like a made-in-Hollywood champion. A 150-pounder, he has rugged features, a bull neck and rock-hard muscles.

"I'm more of a boxer than a puncher," he admits. "I'm a right-hander. I don't just throw punches. I never really trade sloppy punches."

Against Booth, for instance, Duffy stunned the local crowd in a tiny high school gym by dropping the Newark, N.J., fighter in just 30 seconds. Tight jabs, hooks, and uppercuts devastated the loser as he back-pedaled.

Next for Duffy came trouble. While training for the Saxon fight, he reinjured his tender ear. Having to go the four-round distance didn't help.

"The ear looked like an ashtray by the end of the fight," says Duffy. "It felt like it was five pounds on my head. I had a 45-minute operation after the fight to let the blood out. And another one three days later."

Warned by the doctors to lay off longer between fights, Duffy complains: "I've got to take it easy for a while. But I miss it already."

Actually, Irish Mike earns his living as a construction worker in Manhattan. His real job (40 hours a week) makes for a tough schedule.

"I always stay in shape," says Duffy. "Usually, I get up every day at 4 in the morning. I run two or three miles. I'm at work from 9:30 until 4 o'clock. Then I go to the gym until 9 at night. I do it every day."

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NY Rangers	14	14	5	33	125	123			
Atlanta	13	13	4	30	102	105			
NY Islanders	10	13	6	26	105	103			
Washington	6	20	5	17	87	125			
Smiley Division									
Vancouver	13	12	3	33	107	102			
Chicago	10	11	10	30	84	93			
Winnipeg	11	17	4	26	90	123			
St. Louis	9	17	5	23	85	111			
Colorado	9	17	3	21	97	112			
Edmonton	7	18	7	21	99	127			
Wales Conference									
Adams Division									
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Boston	17	8	5	39	111	87			
Minnesota	15	7	7	37	121	95			
Toronto	14	12	3	31	107	97			
Quebec	12	15	3	29	101	111			
Norris Division									
Montreal	15	11	6	36	116	101			
Los Angeles	14	11	5	33	129	120			
Pittsburgh	11	9	9	31	103	102			
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Ellenberger fired as Lobo coach

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — Norm Ellenberger's reign over the University of New Mexico basketball program apparently has come to an end, although the flamboyant coach still has one last hope.

Ellenberger, known as "Stormin' Norman" during the days when his free-wheeling basketball teams were chalking up victories and attracting large crowds, was fired Monday by University President William E. Davis.

But Davis said Ellenberger can appeal the decision to the university's board of regents.

Neither Ellenberger nor his attorney, David Norvell, were available for comment on whether they would appeal. But Norvell left the door open for such an action by saying in a letter to Davis that he did not believe "due process had been afforded his client."

Davis said Norvell told him in the letter that Ellenberger had not been able to speak for himself while his status at the university was being considered because of a grand jury investigation. The grand jury is looking into possible mail fraud and bribery involving the junior college transcripts of a player on the UNM basketball squad.

Davis said at a news conference Monday that he received the letter from Norvell earlier in the day. He said it was in response to a letter of dismissal for Ellenberger that he had delivered to the attorney Sunday.

He said he had reached the same conclusion as the university's Athletic Council, which decided after a hearing Friday that Ellenberger had violated regulations of the university, the Western Athletic Conference and the NCAA.

Top college teams

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records and total points. Points based on 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.

1 Duke (24)	6-0	1,126
2 Ohio State (15)	5-0	1,070
3 Kentucky (5)	7-1	1,030
4 Notre Dame (3)	6-0	940
5 Indiana (1)	4-1	886
6 DePaul	4-0	817
7 Louisiana State	4-0	817
8 North Carolina	4-1	727
9 Purdue	5-0	689
10 Syracuse	5-0	600
11 Louisville	5-0	547
12 Virginia	5-0	474
13 Iowa	6-0	369
14 UCLA	5-1	289
15 St. John's	5-2	225
16 Missouri	6-0	281
17 Georgetown, DC	4-1	181
18 Brigham Young	6-1	167
19 Oregon State	6-1	162
20 Arkansas	5-0	140

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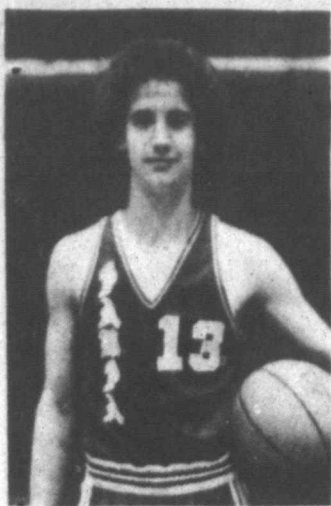
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STEVE GLOVER, a 5-10 senior, directs the offensive attack for the Pampa Harvesters.

Pampa faces Dumas club

The Pampa Harvesters face another stiff challenge when they go against highly-regarded Dumas at 7:30 p.m. there tonight.

"Dumas has some big, strong kids," Pampa Coach Garland Nichols said. "They're very well-coached."

The Demons, 8-3, are sparked by 6-2, 200-pound Randy Davis, an all-state football candidate.

"He's probably their best all-around player," Nichols added.

Pampa is coming off a split against a pair of tough opponents. The Harvesters turned back Liberal, Kans., 55-54, Friday night, but succumbed to Borger, 54-36, Saturday night.

The Harvesters may have to face Dumas without their top scorer, Ronnie Faggins, who twisted an ankle in the Borger game.

"Ronnie is a doubtful starter and I don't know

yet who I'm going to work in there," Nichols said.

Charles Nelson is expected to work the other forward spot while Cedric Parker will handle the pivot chores. Steve Glover and Joe Jeffers will in the backcourt.

The Lady Harvesters will try for three in a row tonight, meeting Dumas at 7:30 p.m. at home.

Pampa has topped Liberal, 56-51, and Borger, 54-36, in the next two outings which has made Coach Mary Thomas quite happy.

"It's been a whole team effort," Thomas said. "They've gone out ready to play."

The win over Borger Saturday night is clear proof that the Lady Harvesters have improved considerably since the season first started a dozen games ago. Borger had whipped Pampa, 54-37, earlier in the first round of the Hereford Tournament.

Allen sets record

All Billy Allen did Monday night was log 19 assists, break the school record of 15 he set last season as a freshman, score 17 points and lead Southern Methodist to a 119-92 rout of Georgia State.

But his father — SMU coach Sonny Allen — says Billy is not the best guard he's ever coached.

"Dave Twardzik (now with the Portland Trailblazers) was the best," said the elder Allen after watching his son's record-breaking show.

"But Billy is good."

Scheduling problems solved

By L.D. STRATE
Of The Pampa News

Pampa High Athletic Director Ed Lehnick has just gotten one of his biggest headaches out of the way for another year.

Finding opposition for the 1980 football Harvesters has been like looking for the proverbial needle in a haystack. It took Lehnick approximately one month to complete the 10-game schedule, after calling long distance across Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas so many times he thought the telephone was another finger.

Why the difficulty? Lehnick gave two reasonable explanations.

"We don't enjoy a central geographical location, which means the miles traveled has to be considered by both teams. Then there's not too many schools in a five-team district like we are, and that makes it hard to schedule non-district teams," Lehnick said.

Two Oklahoma teams, Altus and Lawton, are on the Harvesters schedule, while Kansas-based Liberal almost made the list. Lawton, a new opponent, takes the place of Plainview, who was dropped from the schedule.

"We thought we were going to get Liberal, but

they asked me to hang on for a few days before making a final decision," Lehnick said. "I waited on them as long as I could and then I just had to start looking for another team before we ended up with nobody."

Lehnick will be able to keep the aspirin bottle in the medicine cabinet next year. Home and away games for the 1981 season will be in reverse order with one exception: Pampa plays at Lawton on a Thursday night.

"Lawton High and Cameron (a Lawton college) use the same field, so we had to work around that conflict. We didn't want to play on Thursday, but it just couldn't be helped," Lehnick said.

The 1980 Harvester grid schedule is listed below:

September
5-Hereford, 7:30 p.m. there; 12-Dumas, 7:30 p.m. here; 19-Lawton, 8 p.m. here; 26-Borger, 7:30 p.m. here.

October
3-Altus, 8 p.m. there; 10-Lubbock Monterey, 7:30 p.m. there; 17-Amarillo Caprock, 7:30 p.m. here; 24-Tascosa, 7:30 p.m. there; 31-open date.

November
7-Palo Duro, 7:30 p.m. there; 14-Amarillo High, 7:30 p.m. here.

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — It's getting to be a habit for Tom Watson. The red-haired rifleman of the links has won the PGA money championship for the third year in a row.

Watson's earnings of \$462,636 in 1979 topped his 1978 purse total by almost \$100,000.



A DEJECTED Craig Morton sits on the bench Monday night in the closing minutes of the AFC West championship game in San Diego as he watches his team go down to defeat, 17-7. The

Chargers won the game and division, but the Broncos still participate in the playoffs in the wildcard bracket.

(AP Laserphoto)

Stars defeat Leafs

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — Some fancy puck handling by Al MacAdam and a near brawl highlighted the Minnesota North Stars 5-1 victory over the Toronto Maple Leafs Monday night.

MacAdam scored two goals in the first period and one in the second for his third career hat trick, and first since joining the North Stars in the merger with Cleveland last season.

Mike Eaves also scored in the first period for Minnesota and Mike Fidler added a goal in the third period for the Stars, who won their fifth game in six starts.

Dave Williams scored Toronto's goal in the first period of the game. It was the only game played in the NHL last night and it was interrupted by more than 100 minutes in penalties and two game misconducts.

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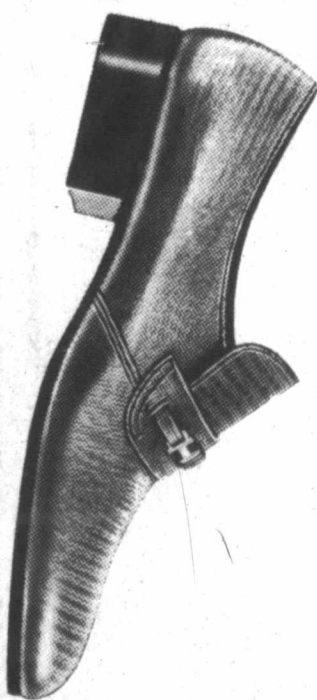


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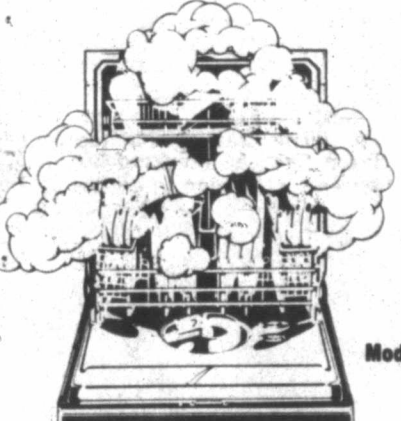
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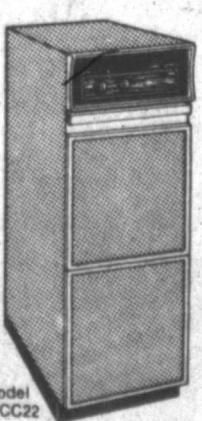
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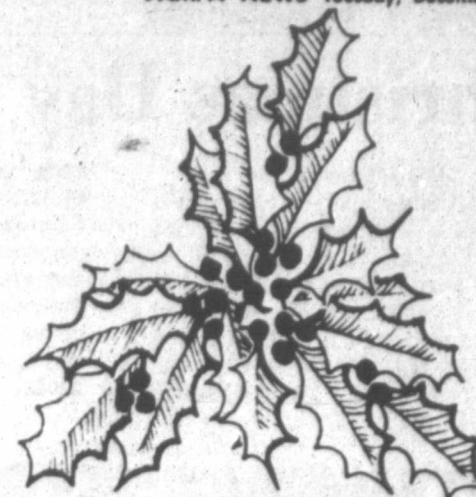


NESSERLODE PIE is the kind of lavish dessert that's right for holiday feasting.



TWO SPECTACULAR and scrumptious Christmas desserts bound to win you praise are a Tangerine Date Pudding with tangerine sauce and a snowy Orange Walnut Yule Log.

An assortment of holiday edibles



Christmas time is the occasion to really create some lavish and exciting treats that will have holiday sweet-tooths oohing and aahing. It's as much a tradition to outdo yourself in the kitchen as it is to send out cheery cards and festoon the halls with boughs of holly and sprigs of mistletoe.

Lavish delicacies, made with painstaking care and offered in the spirit of love, are in keeping with the holiday. Turn your hand with some of these elegant desserts and you'll reflect the warmth of the Christmas season on your festive table.

STEAMED TANGERINE DATE PUDDING

2 cups plus 1 tablespoon sifted all-purpose flour, divided
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/2 cup butter or margarine
1 cup dark brown sugar, firmly packed
2 eggs
1 tablespoon Florida tangerine rind
1/4 cup milk
1/2 cup Florida tangerine juice
1/2 cup chopped dates
1/2 cup chopped walnuts
Sift together 2 cups flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and cinnamon; set aside. In large mixing bowl cream butter and brown sugar. Beat in eggs and rind. Add sifted dry ingredients to creamed mixture alternately with milk and tangerine juice, beginning and ending with dry ingredients. Coat dates with remaining 1 tablespoon flour. Stir dates and walnuts into pudding mixture. Turn into well-greased 1 1/2 quart steamed pudding mold. Cover mold tightly; place on rack in heavy, deep kettle with 2 inches boiling water. Cover; steam about 2 hours. Adjust heat to keep water boiling gently throughout steaming period. Unmold. Serve with Tangerine Sauce.
Yield: 8 servings.

TANGERINE SAUCE

1 cup sugar
2 tablespoons cornstarch
1 1/2 cups Florida tangerine juice
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
In medium saucepan combine sugar and cornstarch. Stir in tangerine juice. Cook, stirring constantly, until mixture comes to a boil. Boil 1 minute. Stir in butter.
Yield: About 2 cups sauce.

NESSERLODE PIE

1 prepared 9-inch pastry crust
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1/2 cup sugar, divided
1 1/2 cups milk
3 egg yolks, slightly beaten
1/2 cup heavy cream, whipped
1/2 cup mixed candied fruit
1/4 cup chopped dark raisins
chocolate holly leaves
Prepare pastry crust according to favorite recipe. In top of a double boiler blend gelatin and 1/4 cup sugar. Stir in milk and egg yolks. Cook over hot, not boiling, water stirring constantly, until custard thickens and coats a spoon. Stir in rum extract. Chill until mixture mounds when spooned. Beat egg whites until foamy. Gradually add remaining 1/4 cup sugar and continue beating until stiff, glossy peaks form. Fold chilled custard into egg whites. Fold in whipped cream, candied fruit and raisins. Spoon into prepared crust. Chill several hours or until set. Garnish with chocolate holly leaves and additional whipped cream, if desired.
Yield: One 9-inch pie

To prepare chocolate holly leaves, place a piece of aluminum foil on a small cookie sheet. Melt 1 square semi-sweet chocolate over hot, not boiling, water. Pour hot chocolate onto foil and spread into a 6-inch square. Chill until chocolate is firm. Make a pattern of a holly leaf on heavy paper; cut out. Place over chocolate and trace pattern with point of knife. Refrigerate leaves until serving time.

ORANGE WALNUT YULE LOG

1 1/2 cups sifted cake flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 1/2 cups sugar, divided
1 tablespoon instant coffee
5 tablespoons water
3 tablespoons frozen concentrated orange juice, thawed, undiluted
1 teaspoon vanilla
5 eggs, separated
1 cup finely ground walnuts
1/2 teaspoon salt
confectioners' sugar
Whipped Cream Filling
2 oranges, peeled and sectioned
Grease a 15x10-inch jelly roll pan and line with waxed paper. Sift together flour, baking powder and 3/4 cup sugar; sift again.

Set aside. Dissolve coffee in water; stir in concentrated orange juice and vanilla. In small mixing bowl beat egg yolks until thick and lemon colored. Add coffee mixture. Gradually add flour mixture. Fold in walnuts. In large mixing bowl, beat egg whites and salt until foamy. Gradually add remaining 3/4 cup sugar, beating until soft peaks form. Fold in egg mixture one-third at a time. Turn batter into prepared pan. Bake in 325 degree F. over 12 to 15 minutes. Cool cake in pan 5 minutes; invert onto clean towel which has been heavily sprinkled with sifted confectioners' sugar. Roll cake and towel loosely; cool. Unroll cake; fill with half the Whipped Cream Filling and re-roll. Place on serving dish. Frost with remaining filling. Garnish with orange sections. Refrigerate until serving time.
Yield: 12 servings.

WHIPPED CREAM FILLING

2 cups heavy cream
2 tablespoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
2 teaspoons frozen concentrated orange juice, thawed, undiluted
Whip cream with sugar and vanilla until stiff. Fold in orange juice concentrate.

LADY BALTIMORE CAKE

1 package (about 18 ounces) white cake mix
1 1/2 cups sugar
2 egg whites
1/2 cup water
1 tablespoon light corn syrup
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup chopped dark raisins
1/4 cup chopped walnuts
1/4 cup cut-up dried figs
2 tablespoons chopped maraschino cherries
1 teaspoon grated orange rind
Prepare cake in two 9-inch layers according to package directions. Cool. In the top of a double boiler combine sugar, egg whites, water, corn syrup, vanilla and salt. Beat with electric mixer at high speed, 1 minute. Place over rapidly boiling water and beat at high speed until soft peaks form, about 7 minutes. Pour into a large bowl and continue beating until thick enough to spread. Fold raisins, nuts, figs, cherries and orange rind into one third of frosting. Spread between layers or cake. Use remaining frosting for sides and top of cake.
Yield: One 9-inch layer cake.



Have a holiday cookie exchange

Families gathered together trimming the tree, singing carols, making and feasting on festive meals—these are the delightful Christmas customs we cherish. 'Tis the season to be merry, and also the season to show our friends and relatives how much we care by exchanging gifts.

One of the charming traditions associated with Christmas gift-giving is that of Santa Claus, who, according to lore told to children, travels around the world in a reindeer-driven sleigh, shuttling up and down chimneys with his never-ending bag of gifts to place under the tree for elated young folks to discover on Christmas morning.

This year, play Santa Claus yourself with a cheery Christmas cookie exchange. It's a merrymaking activity that will please adults as well as the little folks. Each person makes one large batch of cookies and then gathers with friends and relatives to exchange and sample the home-baked wares. The result is a gloriously rich assortment of many different kinds of cookies, with less time spent in the kitchen. It's a convivial way to get a variety of Christmas goodies without going to a lot of fuss and trouble.

Feature one or more of the following delicacies at a Christmas cookie exchange and it's certain they will be a "must" on everyone's Christmas list!

NO-BAKE TANGERINE BALLS

1 package (12 ounces) vanilla wafers, finely crushed
2 cups confectioners' sugar
1 square (1 ounce) semi-sweet chocolate, finely grated
1 can (6 ounces) frozen concentrated tangerine juice, thawed, undiluted
1 can (3 1/2 ounces) flaked coconut
In medium bowl combine wafer crumbs, sugar, chocolate, and tangerine concentrate; mix well. Form into 1/2-inch balls. Roll balls in coconut. Place in covered container; chill.
Yield: 9 dozen.

DECORATED CHRISTMAS COOKIES

3 cups sifted all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1/4 teaspoon baking soda
3/4 cup butter or margarine
1/2 cup frozen concentrated orange juice, thawed, undiluted

1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 egg white, beaten
decorative colored sugars

Sift flour, cinnamon, nutmeg and baking soda into large mixing bowl. Cut in butter with pastry blender until mixture resembles coarse cornmeal. Pour concentrated orange juice into small saucepan; heat to boiling. Quickly blend in sugar. Add to flour mixture; add vanilla; mix well. Chill 6 hours or overnight. On floured board roll chilled dough out to 1/4-inch thickness. Cut into different shapes with floured Christmas cookie cutters. Place on baking sheet. Brush with beaten egg white. Sprinkle with colored sugars. Bake in 350 degree F. oven 10 minutes. Remove from oven, cool 1 minute. Transfer to wire rack, cool.
Yield: 3 to 4 dozen.

ORANGE BAR COOKIES

1 cup butter or margarine (room temperature)
2 1/4 cups sugar, divided
2 and one-third cups sifted all-purpose flour, divided
3/4 teaspoon orange rind
4 eggs
1/2 cup orange juice
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
confectioners' sugar
Cream butter and 1/4 cup sugar. Stir in 2 cups flour and orange rind. Press dough into a 13x9-inch baking pan. Bake in 350 degrees F. oven 20 minutes. Meanwhile, in container of electric blender combine eggs, remaining 1 1/4 cups sugar and one-third cup flour, orange juice and baking powder; process 10 seconds. Pour over partially baked cookie dough; return to oven and continue to bake 25 minutes longer. Cool thoroughly. Sprinkle with confectioners' sugar. Cut into triangles.
Yield: 2 dozen cookies

HOLIDAY SPICE COOKIES

3 cups unsifted all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup butter or margarine
1 cup sugar
1 egg
2 teaspoons vanilla
Sift together flour, baking powder, cinnamon, nutmeg, cloves and salt. Set aside. In a large bowl cream butter with sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Mix in sifted dry ingredients. Cover. Chill dough 2 to 4 hours. Divide dough into quarters. Place one quarter dough on lightly floured board. Refrigerate remaining dough. Roll chilled dough to 1/4-inch thickness; cut with cookie cutters. Place on ungreased baking sheets. Bake in a 375 degree F. oven 10 to 12 minutes. Remove from sheet, cool on wire racks. When cool, decorate as desired.
Yield: 3 dozen cookies.

CHOCOLATE SUGAR COOKIES

2 1/2 cups unsifted all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 squares (2 ounces) unsweetened chocolate
1 cup butter or margarine
1 cup sugar
1 egg
1 teaspoon vanilla
Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Set aside. Melt chocolate over hot, not boiling water; cool. In a small mixing bowl, cream together butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Gradually beat in dry ingredients. Cover. Chill 2 to 4 hours. Divide dough into quarters. Place one-quarter dough on lightly floured board. Refrigerate remaining dough. Roll chilled dough to 1/4-inch thickness; cut with cookie cutters. Place on ungreased baking sheets. Bake in a 375 degree F. oven 10 to 12 minutes. Remove from sheet and cool on wire racks. When cool, decorate as desired.
Yield: 3 dozen cookies.



DECK THE HALLS with boughs of holly and festoon the holiday table with an assortment of citrus-accented cookies for a festive Christmas cookie exchange.

'Christmas Day Bird Count' logs observation research

By Lia Herse

Are you a devoted nature lover and a serious, not necessarily professional, bird watcher? You might be interested in volunteering your services to participate in hiking trips organized by dedicated ornithologists working out of the offices of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the National Audubon Society, and the Research

Center of Cornell University Laboratory of Ornithology.

These walkin'-watching outings are prepared and planned for one specific purpose: keeping track of the North American bird population. Its fluctuations during its annual cycle, as well as the various changes that take place in the bird habitat, are recorded.

Each field trip, which is an annual event, is open to all bird lovers — professional as well as amateur. One trip, known throughout the bird watcher's world as the "Christmas Day Bird Count," is scheduled every year between the middle and the end of December. It derives its name from the tradition initiated at the turn of the century by Frank M. Chapman, a dedicated, self-taught ornithologist who set out with several other amateur bird watchers to hike and count on birds on Christmas Day in 1900.

The tradition continued through the decades that followed. The only difference today is that you can choose any day between the middle and the end of December. Also, as a result of expanded interest in conservation projects and wildlife, the modern-day Christmas census involves the cooperation of several thousand youngsters and women of all ages. In recent years they have made a valuable contribution to the winter research.

In order to qualify as a "Christmas" birder, an individual must be willing, his or her health permitting, to spend at least eight hours in the field (beginning at any time) during one day. The bird count could start at midnight or in the early morning hours, depending on a bird watcher's interest. For those interested in nocturnal birds, such as owls, hawks and other birds of prey, the darkness of the night will play an important part in the bird count.

The mode of transportation is a matter of choice: bicycles, snowshoes, boats and snowmobiles are all good, depending on the geography and climate of the region. Good legwork means walking and basic field hiking.

Birders report at the end of their workday to a group leader in a prearranged location, often a restaurant or local hotel. Here they exchange notes and observations.

Compiled lists are sent to the National

Audubon Society's headquarters in New York. In a recent survey more than 200 species of birds were observed in one day for a total bird count of more than 70 million!

Another bird count field trip open to all amateur and professional bird watchers is conducted by the Ornithology Center of Cornell University in the spring of each year. The purpose of this study is to record the habits of nesting birds.

By counting and recording territorial calls in early spring and by studying types of nesting sites and incubating activities of various birds, naturalists and conservation specialists are able to detect any change that might affect the annual life cycle of wild birds.

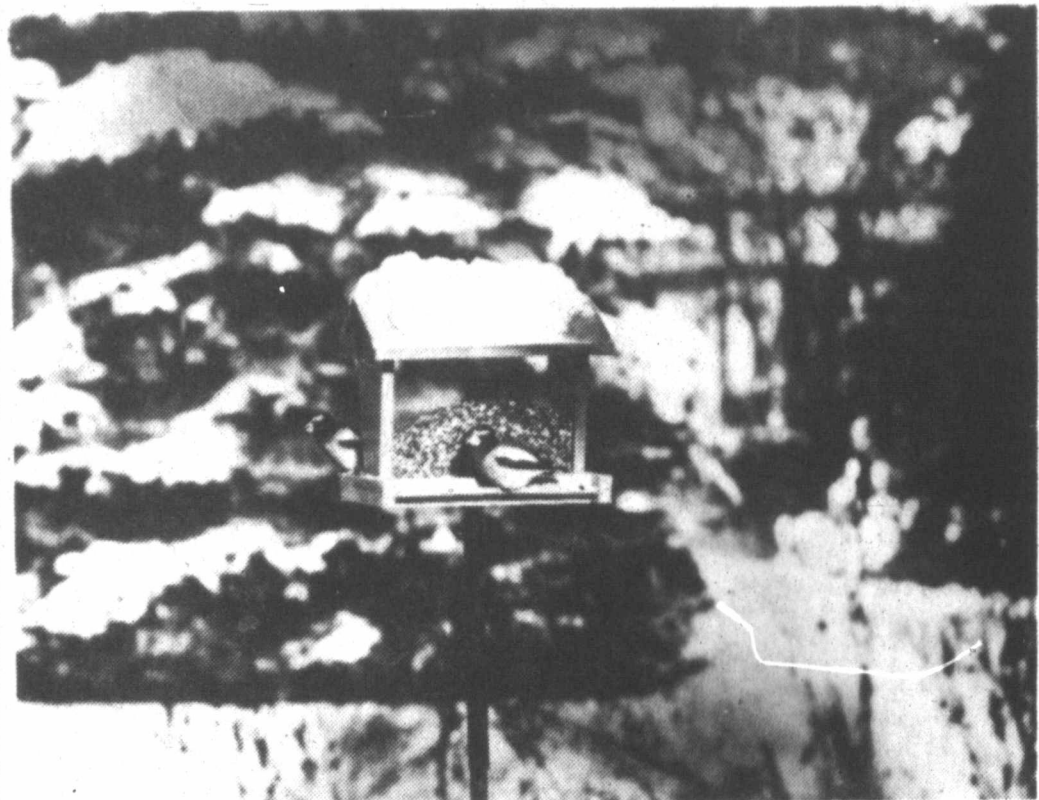
In recent years this study, along with the Christmas Day bird count, has been responsible for the restoration of almost-extinct birds of prey, such as the bald eagle and the peregrine falcon.

Also to its credit, the Cornell Laboratory has successfully launched a program for the promotion of advanced clinical ornithology. The author-ornithologists who direct the program recently succeeded in doctoring and hatching DDT burdened wild bird eggs which were too thin-shelled to hatch in their natural state.

For more information about the spring bird nesting study, write Cornell University Laboratory of Ornithology, 159 Sapsucker Woods Road, Ithaca, N.Y. 14853.

Bird lovers interested in specialized bird counts, such as the one-day bald eagle count in the Great Lakes region or the falcon census of the California coastline, can get detailed information by writing to the bird Research Laboratory, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Laurel, Md. 20810.

Those interested in joining the Christmas Day bird census can write to the National Audubon Society, 950 Third Ave., New York, N.Y. 10022.



TWEEN 12 AND 20

By ROBERT WALLACE, Ed.D.

Dr. Wallace: I'm a 16-year-old boy who has a problem with my girlfriend. I have another friend (a girl) whom I have known for three years and I take her out once in a while.

When I do this, my girlfriend gets mad and makes me call her and tell her everything that happened on the date. My girlfriend says she loves me and trusts me but she doesn't show it.

What should I do? — Mark, Wierton, W.Va.

Mark: Either be true to your girlfriend or break up with her. You have a girlfriend, and I don't see why it is necessary to date another girl while she sits at home.

I was under the impression that a girlfriend is "your one and only."

Dr. Wallace: I am a busy

13-year-old girl and the time I have to myself is very precious. I share a bedroom with a younger sister while my youngest sister, 7, has a bedroom to herself.

Now the time has come that I would like a room to myself. I talked with my mother and she agrees with me but leaves the final decision to my 7-year-old sister who refuses to take our other sister, 10, as a roommate. I would appreciate your comments. — Patti, Dubuque, Iowa

Patti: In this situation I think that you should have a room by yourself, and feel that it is your mother's responsibility to make the move, not your 7-year-old sister.

Dr. Wallace: My boyfriend went into the Army a month ago and in that little time, he seems to have

changed.

I have written faithfully every day and all I got was two phone calls and two letters in return. Is there a reason for this? — Laura, Nashua, N.H.

Laura: Entering the military, especially the first few months during basic training, is a great change emotionally as well as physically for the recruit. During basic training almost every minute of every day is planned by the Army.

I'm not making excuses for your boyfriend, but I would continue writing to him faithfully every day and wait until you see him on his first leave before deciding if he has changed.

Two letters and two phone calls in four weeks isn't too bad.

Write to Dr. Robert Wallace, TWEEN 12 and 20, in care of this newspaper.

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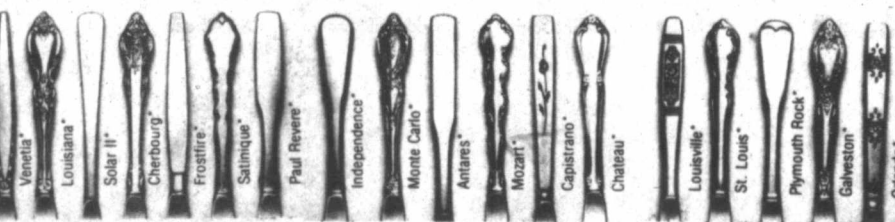
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Pushing the Sno-Shoo is much like pushing a baby carriage, with the steel

handle apparatus being similar, reports Suntrak Industries here.

The concept of the Sno-Shoo can be traced back three centuries to the Finns and Scandinavians. Earlier models were passed through generations of families and were constructed with wood or metal handles and scoops. They tended to be very heavy, said Bill Carper, president.

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DEAR ABBY

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: When I telephone a business executive, I expect HIM to answer the telephone. I don't want to waste my time telling some \$700-a-month, coffee-break secretary who I am, and why I'm calling.

An executive who can't pick up the phone and say "Hello" shouldn't be an executive.

I once called someone and his secretary asked, "Who's calling?"

I said, "This is Kelly's Bar, and he has about \$100 worth of tabs here, and I want to know when he's coming in to cover them." (How did I know his secretary was his wife? It cost him a mink stole.)

So, all you big-shot executives out there, when someone calls you, pick up the phone and say "Hello." No more "Who's calling?"

BILL IN LONG BEACH

DEAR BILL: You rattled the wrong cage, mister. If I didn't have a secretary screening my calls, I'd never be able to answer my mail or write this column. And please don't begrudge a secretary her coffee break. She needs it after trying to deal with people like you!

DEAR ABBY: I'm engaged to a terrific gal, but Suzie and I don't see eye to eye on one small matter.

Last Saturday we had a date for a formal dinner dance at a private club. I rented a tuxedo, and Suzie said she was surprising me with a neat new outfit she bought especially for the occasion.

When she came to the door, I was surprised, all right! Abby, she was wearing a TUXEDO—exactly like mine! I was speechless. I knew she was hurt, but I had to tell her the truth. I had bought her a corsage but it would have looked ridiculous on a tuxedo, so she left it home. I knew she wanted to wear the tux, so I didn't ask her to change into a dress.

Well, we went to the dance looking like a brother and sister act; she was the only female there in a tuxedo. I was uncomfortable all evening, but she thought she looked great. Anyway, I felt funny dancing with someone who was dressed like me.

Am I old-fashioned? I wonder how many other men feel as I do.

ONE TUX IS ENOUGH

DEAR ONE TUX: Some women look great in tuxedos, and it's fashionable, but I'd wager that most men prefer a more feminine look for a formal affair.

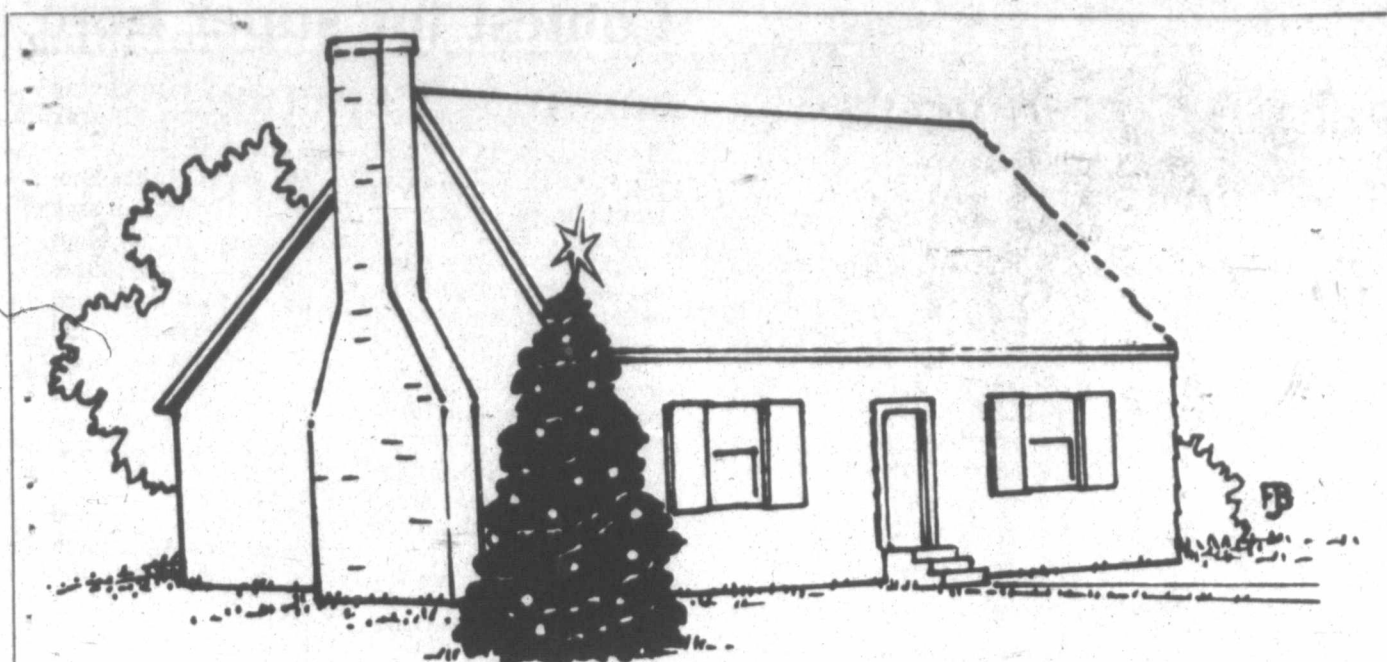
DEAR ABBY: The 31-year-old divorcee who has one child and wants another said she had no husband or boyfriend, but considered asking some guy to "do her a favor" and father her child. I'm glad you told her to scrap the idea. She's a fool. But any guy who'd consent to granting her the "favor" would be a bigger fool.

When her baby is born, it will cost money. As the child grows, the costs increase. When she needs money, she will ask for it. When her request is refused, she will apply for welfare. When she goes on welfare, the state will file a paternity suit. When paternity is declared, the father's wages will be garnished. When his paycheck doesn't come, his wife will discover the whole affair.

I'm not just guessing. I know, because it happened to me. That one "favor" has cost me \$10,000 so far, and I'll be paying for it for another 15 years!

Sign me...

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Season's 'greetings' with live Christmas tree

A live Christmas tree is a good way to decorate your house this season and enhance your environment for years to come.

Check first with your local nursery for the type of tree best suited for your area. Some popular choices are Scotch pine, Douglas fir, balsam fir, blue spruce, black spruce and Eastern red cedar.

Here are a few tips:
— Buy a tree whose roots are wrapped in burlap. Make sure the tree is not too big to

handle easily.

— Dig a hole for the tree in advance when the soil is soft. Line the hole with straw to prevent it from freezing over.

— Move the tree indoors gradually. Put it in your garage first, then in your basement, and finally in the room where it will be displayed.

— Keep the tree indoors no longer than one week. Avoid direct sunlight, radiators and heat vents.

— Use miniature lights. Large lights may damage your tree.

— Water your tree lightly: just enough to keep the rootball from drying out. Too much water may cause new growth which could not withstand the winter cold.

— Check with your local nursery or country agricultural agent for transplanting instructions; or you may want to leave the tree in the garage until winter is over, and then transplant in the spring.

Making old-fashioned, spicy gingerbread men cookies

One of the special and most delicious customs at Christmas is snappy, spicy gingerbread men cookies. Since the whole family loves them, why not have the whole family join together in a happy baking spree? Here's our quick 'n' easy recipe:

Gingerbread Cookies:
1 cup packed brown sugar
3 eggs
1 cup margarine or butter, softened
1 1/4 cups molasses
1 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon baking soda
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1 teaspoon ground allspice
1 teaspoon ground cloves
1 teaspoon ground ginger
3 cups all-purpose flour plus

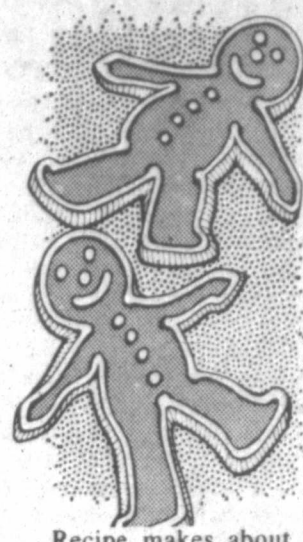
5-6 cups (to be used later)
8" gingerbread man cookie cutter
Early in day: In a large bowl with mixer at low speed, beat first 11 ingredients, until just mixed, constantly scraping bowl with rubber spatula. Increasing speed to medium, beat 2 more minutes, scraping occasionally. Using a wooden spoon, stir additional 5 to 6 cups of flour into dough, to make it stiff. Divide dough in half and wrap in plastic wrap. Dough can be used immediately or refrigerated for up to two days.

Preheat oven to 350° F.

On a lightly floured surface roll half the dough with a lightly floured rolling pin, until 1/4" thick. With gingerbread man cookie cutter, cut as many cookies as possible. Using a pancake turner, arrange cookies on lightly greased cookie sheet, handling carefully. Bake 12 minutes until cookie edges are firm; loosen cookies from sheet and remove to wire rack to cool.

Roll scraps and using remaining dough, repeat.

Using white frosting, prepared or your own home made favorite, and raisins, decorate gingerbread men.



Recipe makes about 2 dozen cookies.

DR. LAMB

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

Early therapy can help victim of stroke

DEAR DR. LAMB — I'm writing to you about my daughter who is 65 years old. She went to town with her cousin. She came home 10 minutes after she had left and said she felt funny and couldn't stand on her left foot. She wanted to go to the bathroom so I put my arm around her but before we got to the there she went down with no feeling in her left foot and all her left side.

We called the doctor and he said she had a stroke. He put her in the hospital but two weeks have passed and there has not been any improvement. She gets two therapy treatments a day but her hand and foot are useless. She has a good mind and has never had high blood pressure and didn't smoke. Why would something strike her just like that? Will

she ever get better? Her doctor tells her it will take time. I really need her and miss her so much.

DEAR READER — Of course you miss her. It's always a shock when you see someone who appears to be perfectly healthy develop some sudden severe illness such as a stroke or heart attack. It's true that smoking cigarettes, having high blood pressure and having high cholesterol levels all increase your risk of having either a stroke or a heart attack. The fact that you don't have any of these risk factors doesn't guarantee that you won't have one. It just decreases the risk.

By the time a woman reaches 65 years of age in our society, she frequently has quite a few fatty cholesterol deposits in her arteries to the brain, to the heart and elsewhere in the body just like men. That's why the rates of heart attacks for men and

women become equal at about that age. At earlier ages, they are more common in men.

Strokes are sometimes confusing to people because they can produce such a wide variety of symptoms. Almost all of our visible body functions are passed through the brain. Moving your feet, hands and body all depend on going through the central switchboard of the brain itself. The same applies to speaking, swallowing and various facial movements.

A stroke involves damage to an area of the brain. If it happens to be an area that controls the left arm and left leg, they may be paralyzed as in your daughter's case. A different area might involve the right arm and right leg and they would be paralyzed. Still a different area might affect the speech.

To give you a better idea of what strokes are and what can be done about them, I am

sending you The Health Letter number 2-5, Strokes, Cerebral Vascular Accident — Cerebral Thrombosis. Other readers who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

To prevent strokes you should do about the same things you do to try to prevent heart attacks. Stay lean, stay on a low-fat, low-cholesterol diet, stay physically active

and don't smoke cigarettes. The same measures are important after a stroke has occurred to avoid a second one. Certain medicines are also important.

Many patients can be significantly improved by early therapy. The fact that your daughter is in the hospital and getting therapy is in her favor. Such early therapy often will help a person regain his speech more rapidly if it is possible or regain better muscle function.

Chinese to begin 'Year of Monkey'

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. — The beginning of the year 4678 on the Chinese calendar will be celebrated Feb. 16. It marks the New Year called the "Year of the Monkey." The Chinese base their calendar on a 12-year cycle, each year named for an animal.

According to Chinese lore, persons born in the year of the monkey have talent, good common sense, and tendencies toward snobbishness, reported Chun King Oriental foods. Those years are 1920, 1932, 1944, 1956, and 1968.

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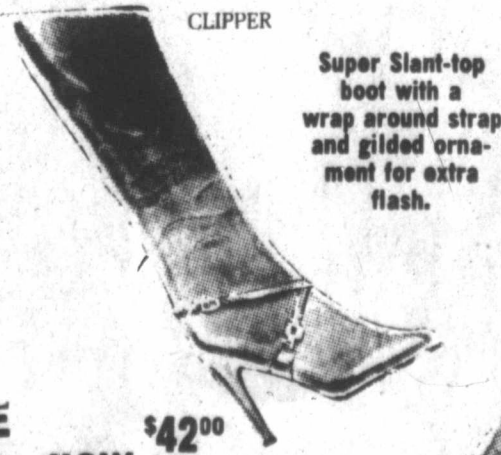


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MENDING MATURE MARRIAGE

By Louise Pierce

Hunting season may bring squabbles

Each year hunting season descends upon us again. We wives ought to be used to it, anticipate it and prepare for it. But, somehow or other, I never do.

Every hunter, young or old, seems to delight in the sport. But in my opinion, gained through forty-plus years of experience, the older the hunter, the greater is his dedication and enthusiasm.

That can disturb the equilibrium, elevate the blood pressure, activate stress and cause the wife to tear out most of her hair.

When this year's season has dawned, Otis announced that he had been invited to hunt with a rancher sometime that week. Imagine my surprise when he dashed home one morning at 11 o'clock and sang out, "We're leaving at noon. Can you get my lunch and make a thermos of coffee and locate my hunting coat and find my boots?"

With my eyes and my mouth wide open, I nodded. But I took a full five seconds to think through his requests for instant action. Lunch meat and bread leaped from the frig to the table with salad and fruit alongside. I asked, "Where's the likeliest place for your boots to be?" He said, "Oh, you know the possibilities, honey. Any one of the three closets where we keep stuff."

As he finished his last bite, I was pouring him into his coat and boots, sliding his gun under his arm and kissing the back of his head. And I was thinking, Oh, for the younger years when he used to plan these things!

As all you hunters' wives know, there are some disadvantages to these sudden

attacks of bringing home birds or "sending them to Dallas" when missed. There's always a bird or two.

There is the surety that your kitchen will be a mess of innards and feathers by dark — and that, even after a thorough house cleaning, the tiniest of the feathers will be found behind the TV in the living room, inside your purse in the bedroom and even on the front screen to amaze callers.

There is the certainty that he'll leave muddy boots and soiled jacket and wet pants by the back door. There is the probability that you will help clean the birds (I've never been asked to do that, for which I'm deeply grateful, but many of my women friends do it regularly). And you will be expected to praise the hunter to the skies.

But there is another side to an older husband's love of hunting. It is the realization that he has not lost his zest for the testing of his special skill. It shows him that he can hike as far and as fast as he used to, that he can shoot as straight and brag as loudly as he ever did about getting his limit.

I've decided that we should never dampen such spirits. Once when I voiced sympathy for the quail, Otis said, "They wouldn't have survived anyway. The hawks were getting three times as many as we did." I didn't protest any more. I considered myself as worthy of a quail dinner as any hawk in Texas.

Other advantages include the admiration of his fellow hunters for his marksmanship, if any. There is his pride of accomplishment. There is his great lift of

being out in the open with his friends. There is the joy of being healthy and happy enough to enjoy a hunt. And there is the pleasure of serving quail at your next company dinner.

So let us clean up the feathers and the dirty boots. Let us greet the scratched face with a kiss. Let us say, "You got THAT MANY! That's wonderful!" Even if he got only two or three, we can exclaim over his hitting anything at all.

DEAR LOUISE: My husband and I have been married 29 years and he's been an avid hunter every year of that time. He insists on playing host to all his hunting friends. They clean birds in our back yard and then dress them in our sink. He expects me to hand out coffee and sandwiches while they are doing the quail and pheasants. Then he always invites the bunch to our house for the big dinner. I cook the birds and make hot rolls and pies. The other wives (six of them) make dressing and bring vegetables and potato chips. I've threatened to leave home during hunting season. My husband says if I do, he'll know I don't love him and HE'LL leave home. An unreasonable — or is he? D.A.

DEAR D.A.: You both are. But surely you won't either one let a few days of quail season each year separate you when the rest of the time is apparently happy. Ask him to help you clean up. And ask the other women to do some of the cooking. Even ask who wants to host the dinner next time because you've done it so long. And praise your hunter for bringing home the meat course. If you brag on him enough, he might help you with the house work.

The robin--

the legendary symbol of the spirit of giving

The robin, long familiar as a harbinger of spring is also a centuries old symbol of Christmas. One of the earliest English Christmas cards shows a robin in a snowbank, and one is tempted to ask what this cheery bird has to do with the holiday.

Legend has it that the robin played a vital part in the first Christmas, so it is not unusual to find him portrayed on Yuletide cards and decorations.

The Holy Family was not alone when they took refuge in the stable at Bethlehem. According to legend, a small brown robin, perched on a rafter, watched the three Magi present their gifts to the newly born Christ Child. The bird seemed to sense that something unusual and wonderful was taking place, and noticed, after the departure of the Three Kings, that the stable fire was dying. Only a few coals smoldered as the Holy Family lay sleeping.

The small bird swooped down to fan the embers in a brave attempt to revive the dying fire. Flapping his wings valiantly, the small robin fanned the embers back to life, and as the flames burned brighter, they singed his breast, scorching his brown feathers a brilliant red. The robin continued fanning the fire through the night keeping the Child warm! Since then, the robin has worn a red breast . . . a symbol of his gift.

The spirit of giving is personified in the robin, and he too gave a precious gift to the Babe in the manger. The legend also observes that the robin's gift has a deeper meaning . . . the giving of one's self . . . the true spirit of Christmas.

Clay objects may have been first sales slips

AUSTIN, Tex.—Tennis ball-size clay objects, called bullae, may be the world's first sales slips, according to Dr. Denise Schmandt-Besserat of the University of Texas here. She has found that the 8,000-year-old balls contain tiny clay tokens of various shapes and markings.

Dr. Schmandt-Besserat, who appears in the science film series "The Search for Solutions," theorizes that the bullae identify goods bought or sold, such as sheep and goats. If her theory is correct, it pushes back by 2,000 years the roots of writing, invented by the Sumerians.

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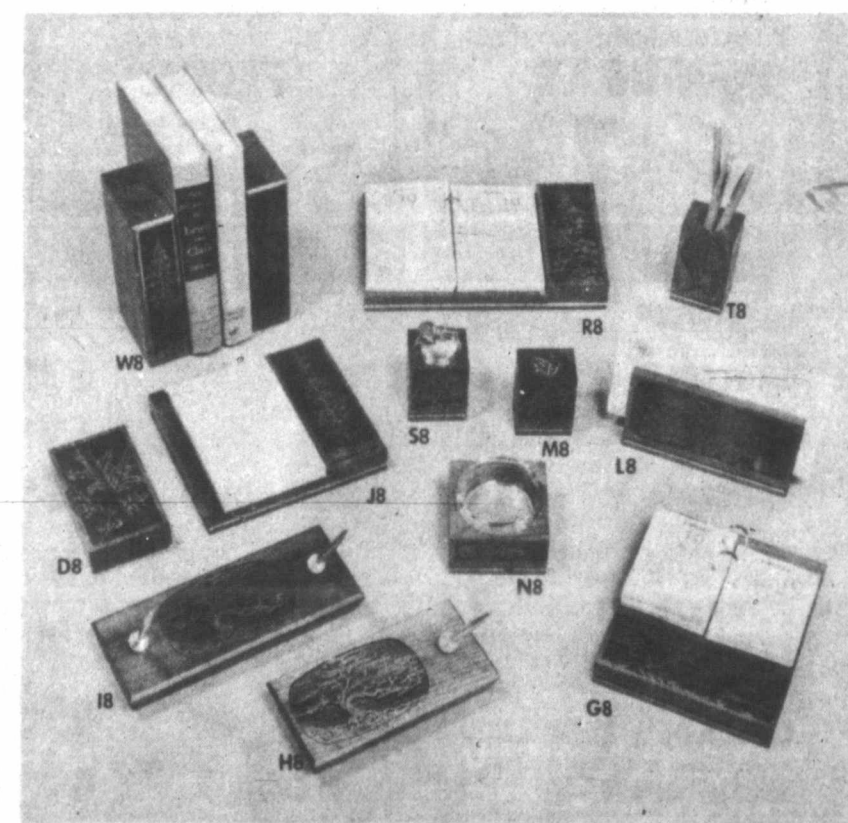
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KENTUCKY GOVERNOR John Y. Brown, center, listens as his wife Phyllis George, right, and actress Tammy Grimes exchange small talk under the tree at Luchow's restaurant in New York. The three were among the 400 who attended a premiere party Saturday night following the opening of the film, "The Electric Horseman", starring Robert Redford, Jane Fonda and Willie Nelson.

Food books make ideal gifts for many on Christmas list

By Gayner Maddox

Food books may make ideal gifts for many people on your Christmas list.

The following books are among the most interesting new offerings. All have a certain style, a degree of novelty and an excellent choice of recipes.

Yes, they are as expensive as most new books.

First is the large (8 1/2 by 11 1/2 inches) and handsome "The Complete Book of Herbs and Spices" by Sarah Garland (Viking Press, \$25).

The book traces the history of spices from earliest times through the present. There are many recipes featuring herbs and spices as well as charming watercolor illustrations.

The section on herb gardens will delight nature lovers with its color photos. There are sections on household uses of herbs including candle making.

The cosmetics chapter goes into herbal hair conditioners and shampoos. There are also sections on herbs for colds, coughs, fevers, first-aid, relaxation and digestion.

Another delightful volume is "Jane Grigson's Vegetable Book" (Atheneum, \$19.95), which offers 607 pages of information on how the English get pleasure and health from eating many vegetables, both familiar and exotic.

The English were never noted for the way they cooked vegetables. This book strives

to correct that impression.

The author advises how to prepare 75 vegetables. She has been doing just that for some time and has acquired an excellent reputation.

Her slightly witty, always well-bred discussions of the history of her chosen vegetables makes delightful reading.

And the book's paper jacket beautifully reproduces an 18th-century painting of a provincial kitchen — including the family's white cat.

"The Whole World Cookbook" (Scribner's, \$15.95) contains an international collection of 1,500 recipes. It's a treasure house of some of the

best cooking instructions in the world.

The minds of those who believe women's achievements have not been fully chronicled may be eased by "Favorite Recipes of the Great Women Chefs of France" (Holt, Rinehart and Winston, \$14.95).

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Matthew 2:11

St. Matthew tells us that the Wise Men selected these exotic treasures, above all others, as their special offerings to the baby Jesus. They were the first Christmas gifts of all.

The gifts brought by the Three Kings all had magical associations: gold for the sun mystery, frankincense as the smoke-maker, and myrrh, the healer. The Wise Men were also believed to have had occult powers.

The Magi, kneeling in tribute, express the love and awe Christ evokes in all who believe in Him.

Church scholars consider the gold to mean love or Christ as King of the World; the frankincense, prayer or Christ as the King of Heaven; the myrrh, suffering or a symbol of Christ's approaching sacrifice.

The Bible does not mention containers for the gifts, artists over the centuries have created them. A casket holds the gold coins, a vessel for the frankincense, an urn for the myrrh.

Today we easily recognize the value of the gold, but we are not as familiar with the value of frankincense and myrrh. These two aromatic resins, used in making incense, were very costly at the time of the Birth of Christ. To this day they are used at many Christian altars.

An old poem which expressed the ancient belief that "incense owns a deity neighbor" is further evidence that frankincense and myrrh were worthy gifts for the Prince of Peace.

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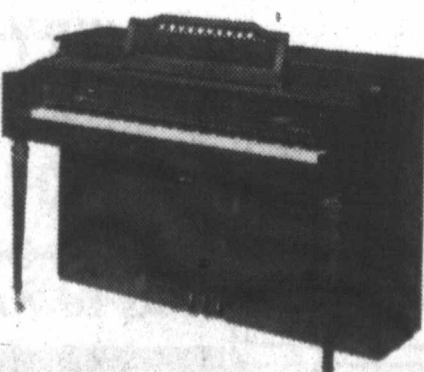
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CHICAGO'S STATE STREET MALL, which allows only bus traffic, is empty of vehicles in the first day of a strike against the Chicago Transit Authority by locals 241 and 308 of the Amalgamated Transit Union. Members defied a court order to halt the strike.

(AP Laserphoto)

Another look: Prop 9 cents

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP) — It was billed as a campaign to "pound some cents into Congress," and it ended when a coal truck delivered two tons of pennies to Washington, D.C.

Organizers of Proposition 9 Cents, which took its name from the 1978 inflation rate, said in August they hoped to deliver more pennies in the future. Now they say they have no intention of trying it again — it was a financial disaster.

"We thought we would pull it through," said John McCormack, who headed the public relations end of the campaign. "It was a very big task for a small number of people. The financial thing caught up with us and we had to put the brakes on."

Proposition 9 Cents grew from a bank's plan for a series of advertisements to educate people about inflation.

"We were very concerned about inflation and we wanted to do something about it," said Stephen Stark, marketing director for the First National Bank of Ceredo. Stark went to McCormack and soon several communities had joined in the drive to collect nine pennies from each of 250,000 area residents, then deliver the money to Washington to help reduce the national debt.

"Every one of us is losing money because the federal government spends more — while politicians tell us to live on less — and fuels inflation," McCormack said in July.

But by the time the loaded coal truck reached the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, it was carrying about 50,000 donations — \$4,700 — and about \$60,000 of the total expense of \$147,000 was absorbed as a loss by the advertising company. The rest was paid off by area businessmen.

"The organization is pretty much in limbo now; nothing much is anticipated," Stark said in a recent interview. "Most banks and businesses don't want to get involved in things of a controversial issue."

But Stark says that considering this year's double-digit inflation, "I think it's a good indication that what we were trying to say was right on the money."

The campaign drew some criticism, including the disapproval of Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd, a West Virginia Democrat. Byrd said there were other causes of inflation that government spending and protesters often sought federal assistance for home projects.

"I still think it's a good idea," said McCormack. "The concept of Proposition 9 gave the man on the street the opportunity to give his opinion for less than a postage stamp," he said. "To the extent it focused on national inflation, it was worth every penny."

1970's housing

NEW YORK (AP) — The house in the 1970s wasn't just a man's castle. It also was his hedge against inflation, his savings, his tax break, his investment, the hope for his children's education and his retirement.

Single-family homeowners now have an equity of more than \$1.5 trillion in more than 55 million units, or \$28,000 per unit, compared with 1970 figures of \$656 billion on 46.8 million units, or \$14,000 per unit.

Prices changed. The median sale price of existing single-family homes in 1970 was \$23,000. The National Association of Realtors found a median of \$56,000, 143.5 percent higher, in 1979.

New home prices rose even faster. Commerce Department figures show the typical single-family home sold for \$23,400 in the first year of the decade, and about \$64,200 in the last, a difference of 174 percent.

Postwar babies, the population surge that began after World War II and which earlier had changed education, art and politics, had a lot to do with it.

"These were new buyers," explained a real estate analyst. "They didn't sell one home to buy another. They were brand new demand." They demanded singles, duplexes, apartments, mobiles, coops, condos.

In the decade of the 1970s the housing stock of the country grew by 15 million units, from 67.7 million to 82.8 million, despite the loss of roughly a half-million old units a year, mostly in inner cities.

Inflation spurred the boom, among other things forcing renters to seek a piece of the action, to buy their own home rather than continue to pay ever-higher rents. Even the swinging singles joined in.

Owning a home, people found, was indeed a hedge, with median prices year after year rising more than inflation in general, often as much as 25 percent or 30 percent more.

In mid-1979, the consumer price index was growing at a 13.2 percent annual rate, but existing single-family homes had risen 17.2 percent in the preceding 12 months. All gain, said owners.

The picture is changed as the decade ends. The prices and financing bear little resemblance to those of the 1970s. Some talk fearfully of a coming price deflation, others of more inflation.

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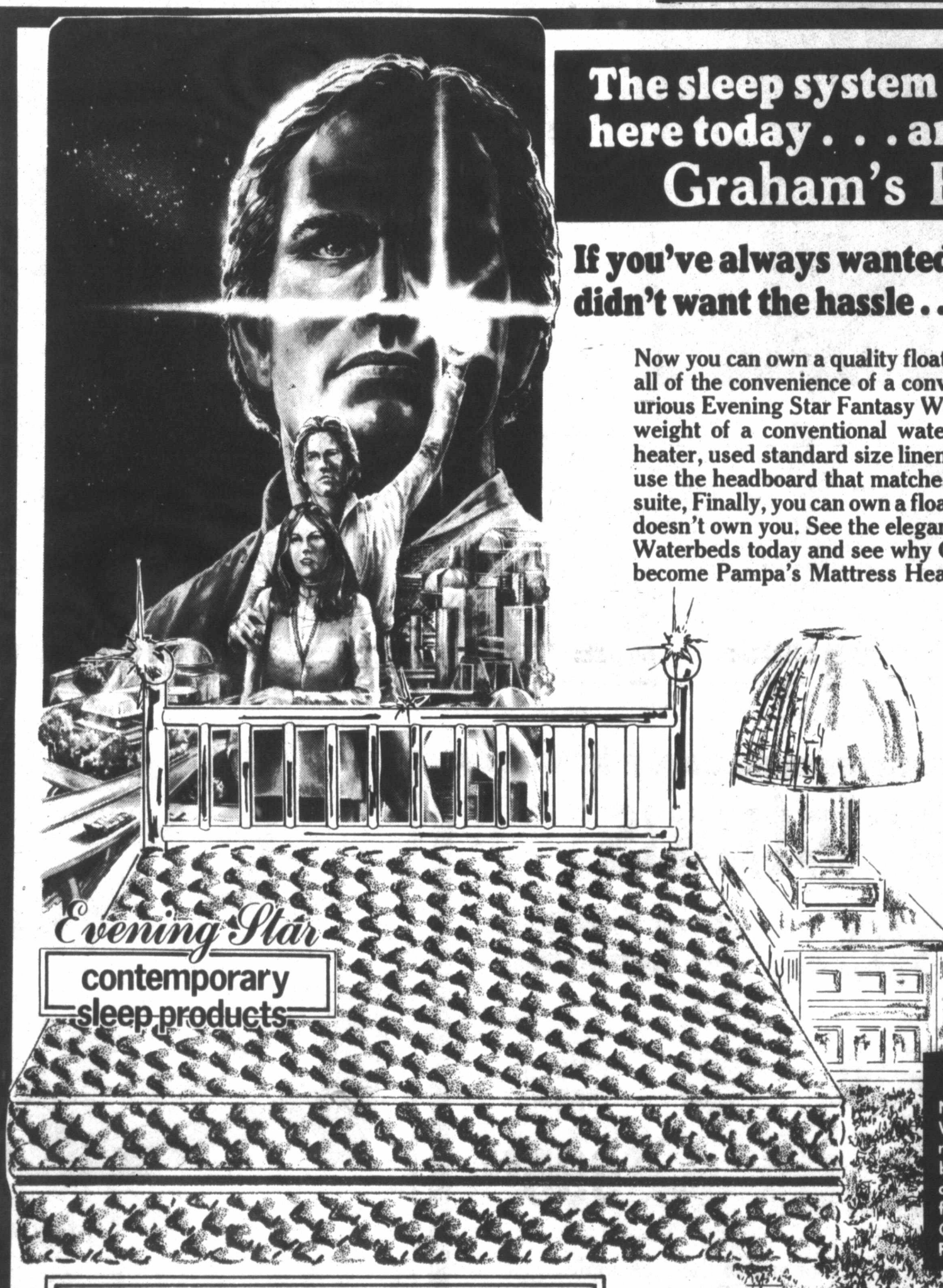
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TUESDAY

EVENING

- 6:00 **STARTREK 'I, Mudd'** (60 mins.)
- 6:30 **SANFORD AND SON**
NEWS
OVER EASY Host: Hugh Downs. Guest: Walter Lantz, master film animator.
- 7:00 **CBS NEWS**
BEWITCHED
NBA BASKETBALL Atlanta Hawks vs New York Knicks (2 hrs., 30 mins.)
NEWLYWED GAME
TIC TAC DOUGH
MACNEIL LEHRER REPORT
HOLLYWOOD SQUARES
I DREAM OF JEANNIE COLLEGE
- 7:30 **BASKETBALL**
CASPER'S FIRST CHRISTMAS Casper's Christmas Eve at home decorating and waiting for Santa Claus is shattered by Hairy Scarey, who resorts to devilish tricks when some friends gather for a party.
'79 NATIONAL GYMNASIIC CHAMPIONSHIPS
HAPPY DAYS After 25 years of marital bliss the Cunninghams renew their vows and Fonzie gives the bride away, but two bumbling caterers are the ones who guarantee it's a hilarious night everyone will remember.
THE WHITESHADOW A beautiful girl, ensnared in the world's oldest profession, returns home and resumes her high school romance with Curtis Jackson. (60 mins.)
GUNSMOKE
A FAMILY CIRCUS CHRISTMAS The characters from the popular comic panel-Billy, Dolly, Mommy, Daddy and PJ-react differently when Jeffy asks Santa Claus to bring his Granddad down from Heaven for the holiday.
ANGIE It's bedlam at the coffee shop when Angie plunges into a battle against a new fast-food restaurant that threatens to put her out of business.
VOICES
SKINFLINT: A COUNTRY CHRISTMAS CAROL Singer-songwriter Hoyt Axton plays Cyrus Flint, a banker whose only passion is the welfare of his bank, and Mel Tillis and Lynn Anderson star as a couple who are unable to afford the cost of much needed operation for their son. (2 hrs.)
MOVIE (ADVENTURE)

- 8:00 **Legend Of The Great Northwest** Denver Pyle, John Young, Warm, exciting film about the loyalty of a man and his dog. (Rated G) (78 mins.)
- 8:30 **THREE'S COMPANY** Chrissy's father, the Rev. Snow, stops in for a visit but is soon found stepping out with an attractive woman-whom unknowingly is about to cause the break up of Chrissy, Jack and Janet.
- 9:00 **NOVA: Blindness: Five Points of View** Although some eye diseases can now be treated through medicine and surgery, once vision is lost it is rarely restored. Tonight, Nova looks at five people struggling to save their threatened vision. (90 mins.)
- 9:30 **HAWAII FIVE-O** When the inhabitants of a privately-owned Hawaiian island dig up the remains of two young people and bury them at sea to insure that autopsies will not be performed on the bodies, McGarrett launches an investigation of the reputedly accidental deaths. (60 mins.)
- 10:00 **MARY TYLER MOORE**
TAXI The cabbies get a shock when Rev. Jim's new pet arrives at the garage and turns out to be a racehorse.
BOB NEWHART SHOW
700 CLUB
ELIZABETH R
ABC NEWS CLOSEUP "Homosexuals" An intimate and unusual portrait of how certain gay men and lesbians see themselves, and what they believe to be important in their lives. (60 mins.)
PARIS Bogart goes underground to help stamp out a vicious gang of truck hijackers. (60 mins.)
MOVIE (DRAMA) "Invasion Of Johnson Country" 1976 Bill Bixby, Bo Hopkins. A footloose Bostonian and a Wyoming cowboy team up in the old west to try blocking a private Army's land grab scheme. (2 hrs.)
MOVIE (SUSPENSE) "The China Syndrome" 1979 Jack Lemmon, Jane Fonda. Television reporter stumbles onto the story of a nuclear accident. (Rated PG) (2 hrs., 3 mins.)
WORLD AFIRED In the tiny Central American country of El Salvador, Archbishop Oscar Romero has made the church a focal point of opposition to the government.
NEWS
SOUNDSTAGE

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WEDNESDAY

EVENING

- 6:00 **STAR TREK** "Metamorphoses" (60 mins.)
- 6:30 **SANFORD AND SON**
NEWS
EMMET OTTER'S JUG-BAND CHRISTMAS
OVER EASY Host: Hugh Downs. Guest: Billy Daniels, singer.
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JIM ROCKFORD, PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR
MOVIE (ADVENTURE) "Wake of the Red Witch" 1948 John Wayne, Gig Young. The story of a feud between an East Indian trade monarch and a hell-raising Sea Captain ends in a loss of gold and a woman they both love. (2 hrs.)
REAL PEOPLE Tonight's scheduled segments for this holiday show include the nation's "official" Santa Claus, a visit to a school where pupils are taught how to be Santas, and a tour of a toy factory. (60 mins.)
DAVID SHEEHAN'S HOLLYWOOD "EIGHT IS ENOUGH" When Nicholas accidentally starts a fire that destroys the celebration of Tom and Abby's first anniversary, the unhappy youngster leaves home in search of a new family. (Repeat: 60 mins.)
NEWS DAY
DR. SEUSS' HOW THE GRINCH STOLE CHRISTMAS The miserly Grinch tries to erase Christmas from the tiny town of Whoville by stealing all the material symbols of its Yuletide celebration.
GUNSMOKE
RICH LITTLE: A CHRISTMAS CAROL The master mimic performs multiple roles in yet another rendition of Dickens' classic tale. (60 mins.)
AMERICA
THE TINY TREE The tale is about a little girl who is in need of a merry Christmas and is treated to one by a very unique pine tree.
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DIFF'RENT STROKES The puppy that Arnold rescues from traffic bites him on the hand and the lad faces a series of painful rabies shots unless the dog can be found.
CHARLIE'S ANGELS Kris finds her life in danger when an ex-gangster, haunted by the past, fears for his life and hires the Angels to protect him and find out who murdered his wife. (Repeat: 60 mins.)
GREAT PERFORMANCES "She Loves Me" This production of the 1963 Broadway musical features Gemma Craven as Amalia and Robin Ellis ("Poldark") as George. The story centers around their meet-

- ing. Outstanding among the many musical production numbers is the final shopping scene, "Twelve Days to Christmas."
- 8:30 **THE FAMILY MAN** A dramatic special about a happily married man drawn into a romance with a younger woman who is having problems with a violent former boyfriend. Stars: Edward Asner, Meredith Baxter Birney. (2 hrs.)
- 9:00 **MARY TYLER MOORE**
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TIME WAS: 1930's
BOB NEWHART SHOW
UPSTAIRS, DOWNSTAIRS
BEST OF SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE Host: Candice Bergen. (Repeat: 60 mins.)
VEGAS Dan Tanna teams with Shannon Kane, a beautiful narcotics agent, to smash a murderous organization that uses classic car auctions in its smuggling operations. (60 mins.)
MOVIE (COMEDY-DRAMA) "The World of Henry Orient" 1964 Peter Sellers, Paula Prentiss. Two fifteen-year-old girls fall in love with a concert pianist, vain about his prowess with women. (2 hrs.)
WORD OF FAITH
MOVIE (HORROR) "It Lives Again" Frederic Forrest, Kathleen Lloyd. The murderous infant from "It's Alive" passes its curse to three more babies in this terrifying sequel. "It Lives Again" opens as the original baby's father tries to warn expectant parents that their children will be marked for destruction. (R) (98 mins.)
WAKE UP AMERICA
LAST OF THE WILD
NEWS
GREAT PERFORMANCES "Choreography by Balanchine" Part IV. This excursion through five of George Balanchine's most joyous works, is presented by leading dancers of the New York City Ballet. (90 mins.)
WIDE WORLD OF TRUTH
MOVIE (WESTERN) "Bad Man's River" 1972 Lee Van Cleef, Gina Lollobrigida. A notorious western gangster is hired by a revolutionary leader to blow up an army arsenal, only to double-crossed. (115 mins.)
THE TONIGHT SHOW Host: Johnny Carson. Guests: Mac Davis, Joyce Van Patten. (90 mins.)
CBS LATE MOVIE "BLACK SHEEP SQUADRON: New Georgia On My Mind" A tough marine colonel announces that his troops are going to lead the invasion of New Georgia Island and that Pappy's men are to fly cover for him. (Repeat) "EL CID," Pt. II, 1961 Stars: Charlton Heston, Sophia Loren.
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MOVIE (DRAMA) "An Unmarried Woman" 1978 Jill Clayburgh, Alan Bates. A woman whose husband leaves her must learn to cope with being single.

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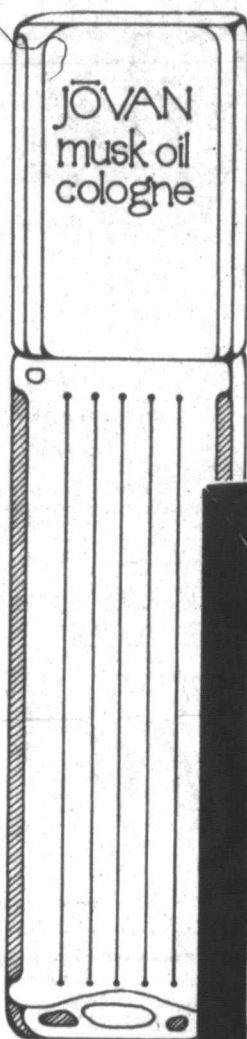
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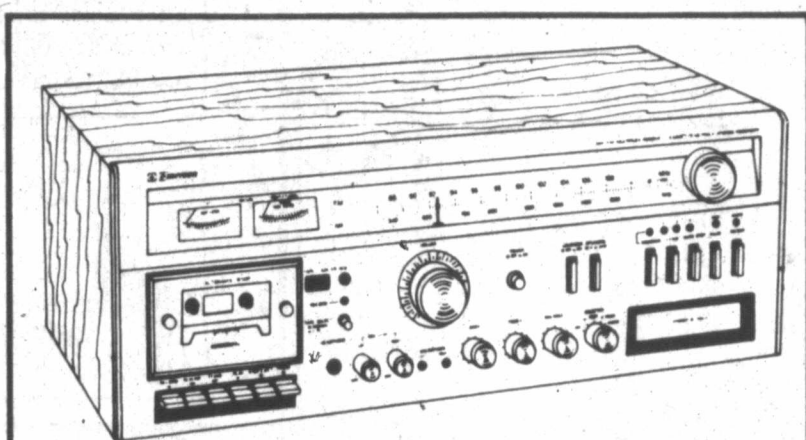


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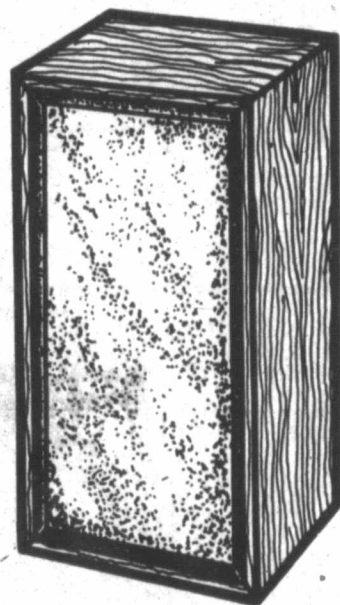
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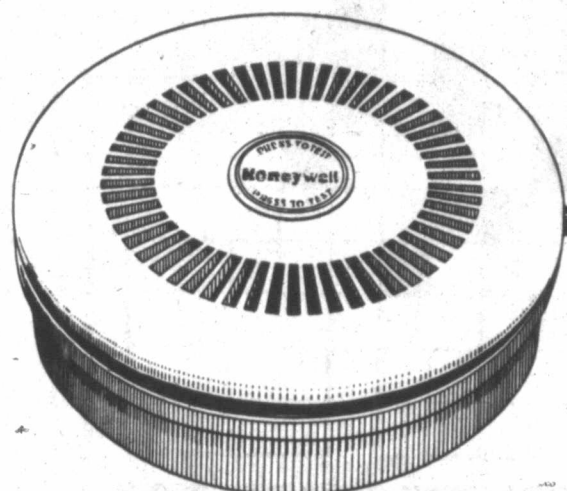
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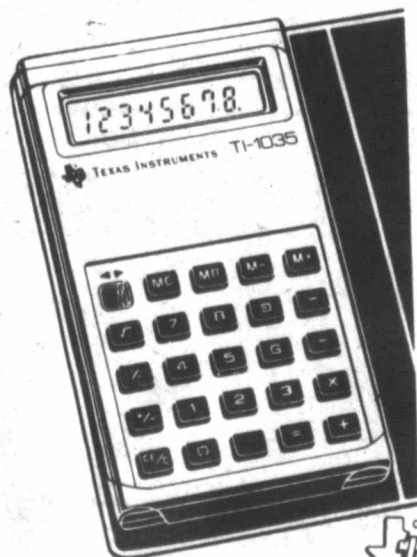
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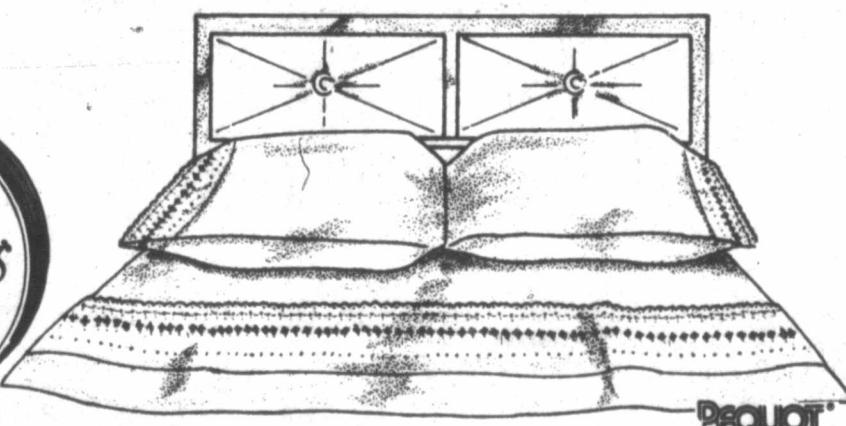
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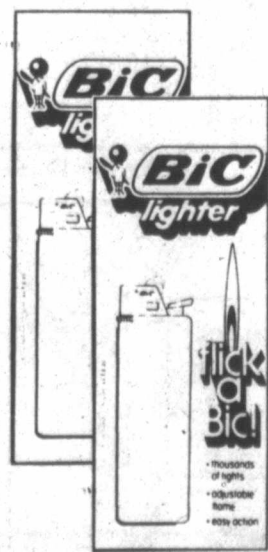


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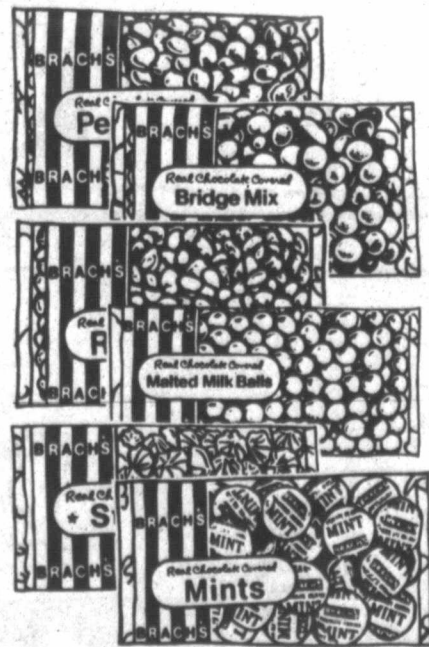
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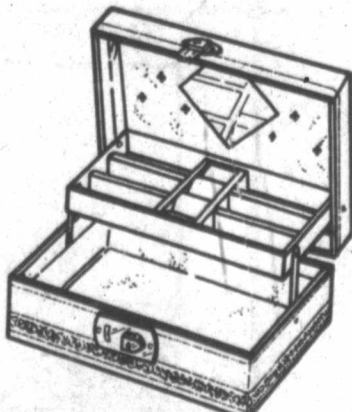
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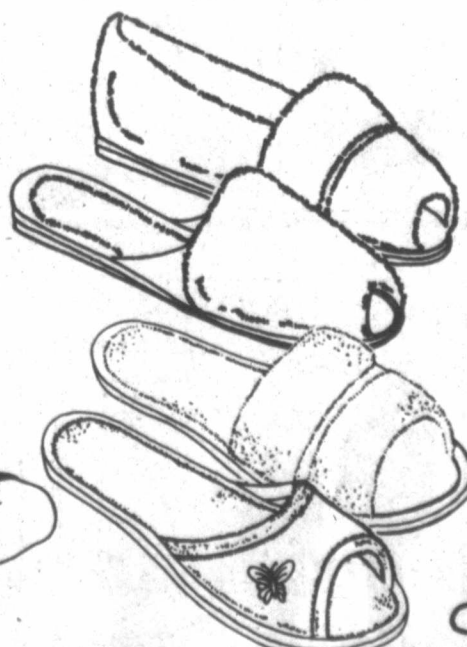
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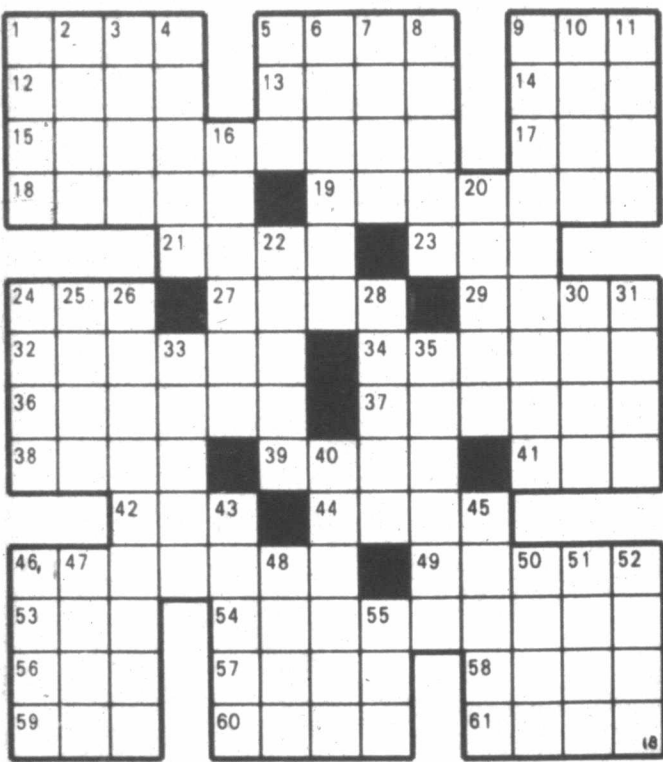
1 Chicken
5 Grows old
9 Actress Arden
12 Feast in
13 Hawaii
14 Woman's name
15 Actor Sparks
16 Study of word derivation
17 Spread to dry
18 Valuable possession
19 Something unexplained
21 Boy (Sp.)
23 Griddle
24 Actress Gabor
27 Farmyard sound
29 Beehive State
32 Most ill-boding
34 French province
36 Collect
37 Green rust
38 Mideast seaport

DOWN

1 Insect
2 Ins and
3 Methods
4 Cavity
5 Feel
6 Undisposed
7 Omelet-like
8 Arbitrary assertion (colloq.)
9 Amuse
10 Swerve
11 Swirl
16 Indolent
20 Confidence
22 Explosive (sl.)
24 Margin
25 Cruet
26 Making plans
28 Destroyed
30 Skin ailment
31 Warmth container

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

December 19, 1979

Ventures or enterprises you either originate or have a hand in controlling will be luckiest for you this coming year. Don't wait for others to get your show on the road.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Sometimes we have to content ourselves with partial success instead of a complete victory. The important thing is not how much you win, but that you come out ahead. Travel, resources, romance, possible pitfalls in your career for the coming months ahead are all discussed in your new Astro-Graph Letter which begins with your birthday. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) In matters affecting your self-interests today, you may not realize the strength of your position, and you'll see yourself as the underdog rather than the odds-on favorite.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) In your dealings today, don't look for what others can do for you. Rather, see what you can do for them. This attitude will gain what you hope for.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) What you want to achieve today may not come about on the first try, but it will result if you're tenacious and persistent. Make a strong second or even third effort.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you've been having bad luck kicking off a plan, enlist the aid

of someone more mature or experienced. You'll be put on the right track.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Guard against accepting as gospel bits of information received behind closed doors today. Bank only on facts from reliable sources.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Jumping to conclusions before taking time to investigate what lies behind an issue could cause a rift today between you and your date. Look before leaping.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Arbitrate any discord that might arise today between you and a co-worker, rather than leaving things unsettled. Give-and-take is required.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) This could be a profitable day for you, provided you are practical in business and financial matters. Things left to chance may not work out.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Always doing the same things with the same people can get you in a rut. It's time to spread your wings a bit. Seek fresh faces and new interests.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Be positive and optimistic, but don't kid yourself today regarding serious issues. Rose-colored glasses won't make wrongs right.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you do something for a friend today hoping to get something better in return, you're going to be disappointed. Don't make the gesture for selfish reasons.

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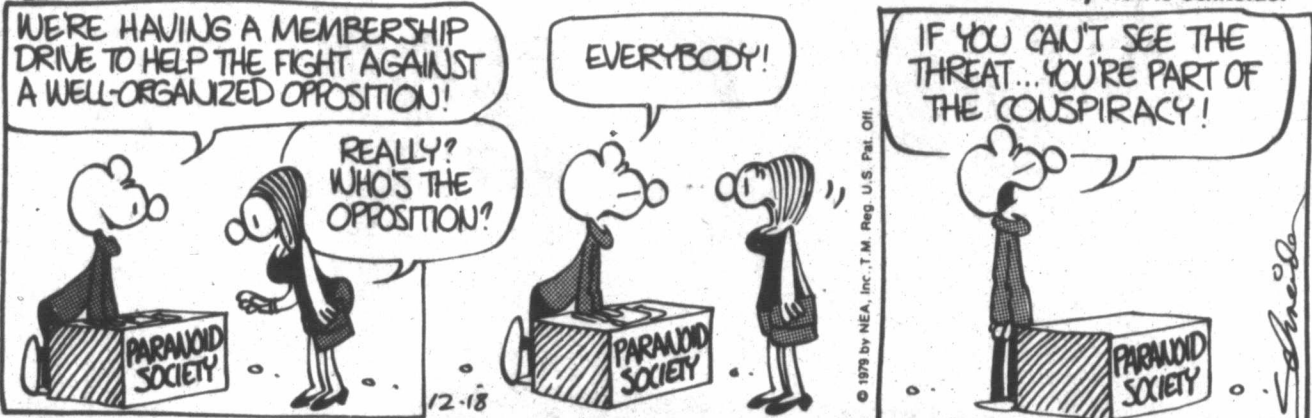
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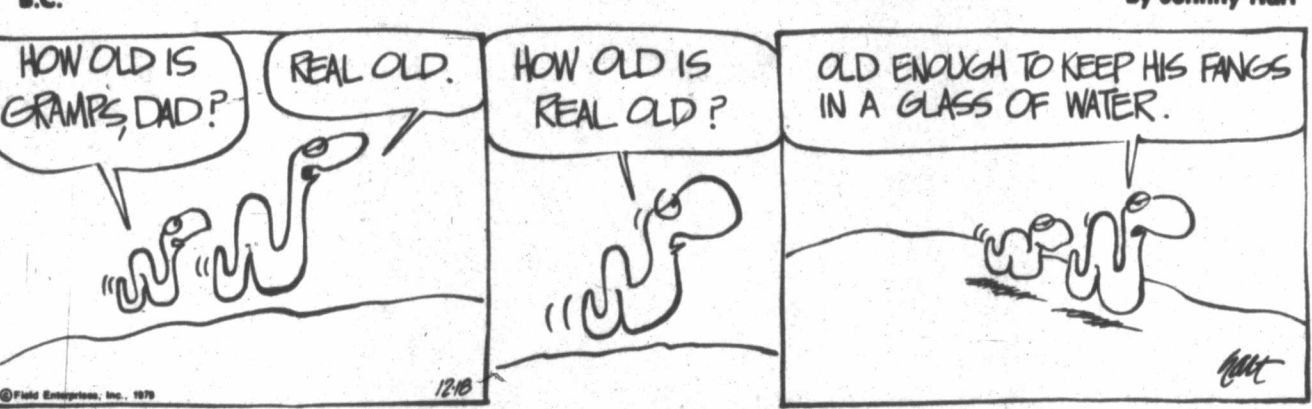
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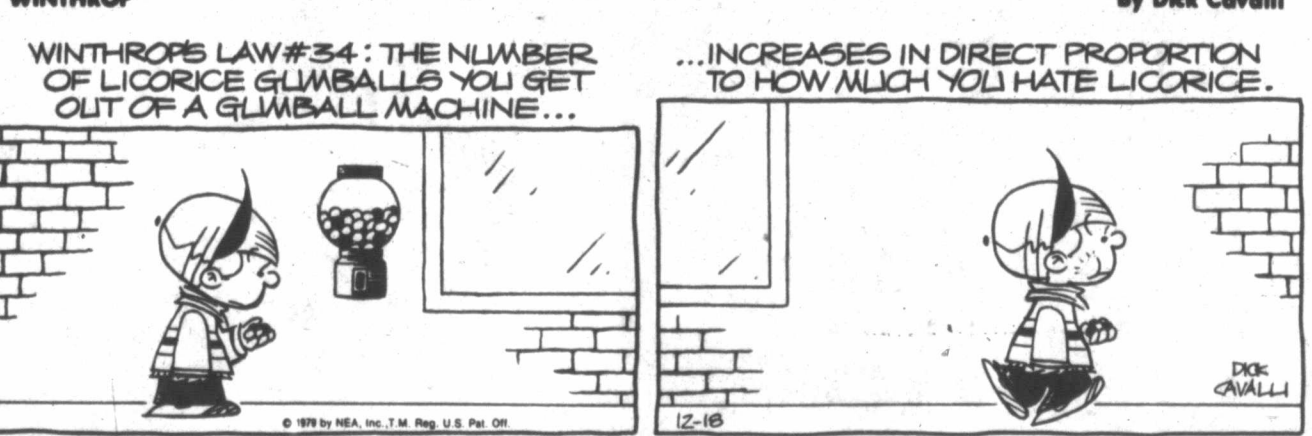
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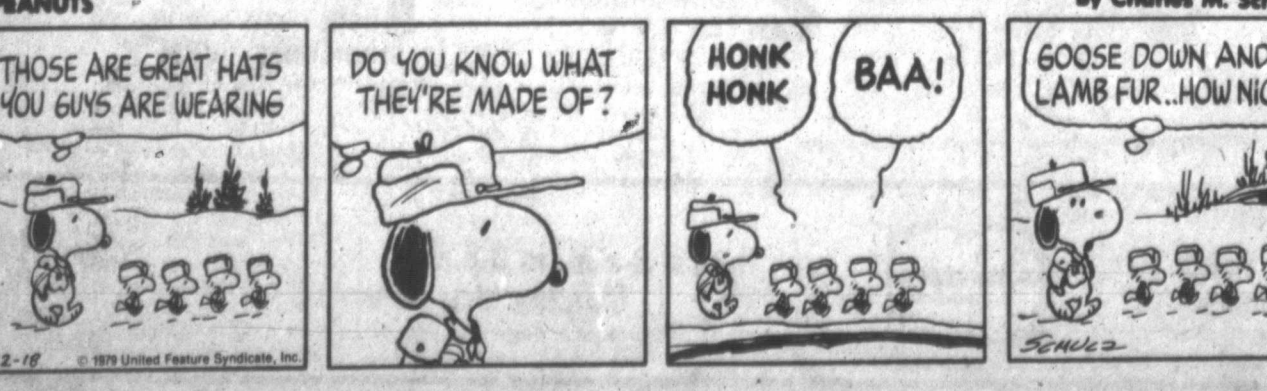
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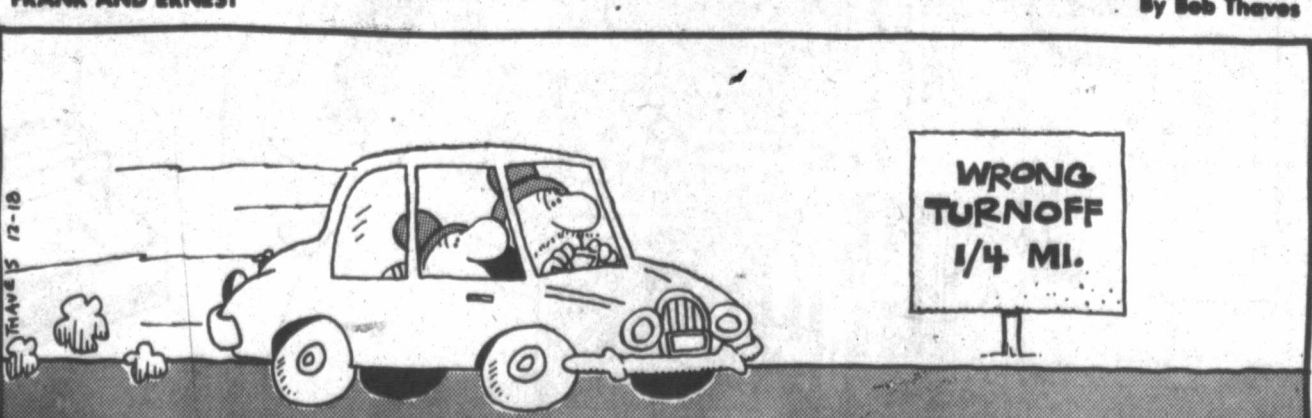
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By Bob Thaves



GARFIELD

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Names in the news

DETROIT (AP) — An international romance that sprouted in Paris and bloomed during a honeymoon across the globe may end in Wayne County Circuit Court.

The divorce trial of retired Ford Motor Co. Chairman Henry Ford II and his estranged wife, Cristina, is expected to begin Feb. 18. The tentative date was announced Saturday by Circuit Judge John R. Kirwan following a closed-door hearing on the suit Thursday.

The couple separated in January 1976 and Mrs. Ford filed a lawsuit seeking separate maintenance in December 1977. Ford countered with a suit seeking legal separation in 1978, and later that year filed for divorce.

The two met at a Parisian dinner party. Ford divorced his wife, Anne, in 1964 and married Cristina a year later. The Fords honeymooned in Acapulco, the Riviera and the Bahamas.

NEW YORK (AP) — At first glance, say the editors of People magazine, "1979 was not a year to write home about." But the magazine says a number of people who made news this year were intriguing, encouraging and even inspiring.

The list of the 25 "Most Intriguing Personalities" published in the magazine's year-end issue, includes:

—Meryl Streep, "the most intelligent actress now at work."

—Bolshoi Ballet defector Alexander Godunov, who "made his bravest leap last August in defecting from the Soviet Union...but has yet to give a single performance."

—Megan Marshack, who was with former Vice President Nelson Rockefeller when he died. "The mystery woman in Rockefeller's death has not answered a single public question and continues to live in partial seclusion," said the magazine.

Other nominees included first lady Rosalynn Carter, actress Bo Derek, Chrysler Chairman Lee Iacocca, author Tom Wolfe and divorce lawyer Marvin Mitchelson.

DETROIT (AP) — The Equal Rights Amendment might be less offensive if it was not intended to support "perverted and improper sexual conduct" and to eliminate "needed protection against the abuse of women," says former Michigan Gov. George Romney.

And Romney, retired president of American Motors Corp. and former secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, said he supported the decision of the Mormon Church, of which he is a member, to excommunicate ERA backer Sonia Johnson. Church officials said Mrs. Johnson was excommunicated because she attacked the church while campaigning for ERA.

"At an international women's year meeting, lesbians and the homosexuals and the moral pervers (cited) this amendment as a means of eliminating any basis of moral criticism," Romney said in an interview with Sunday's Detroit News.

Children more important than sex

NEW YORK (AP) — Among 20,000 women sending in answers to a questionnaire, more than half said "feeling close to someone" and "my children" were most important to them, according to McCall's magazine. Good sex was fifth among the choices given.

McCall's said its questions were addressed to women who were married or living with a man.

With the women permitted to give more than one answer, the question "What is most important to you now?" was answered "feeling close to someone" by 61 percent, and "my children" by 54 percent.

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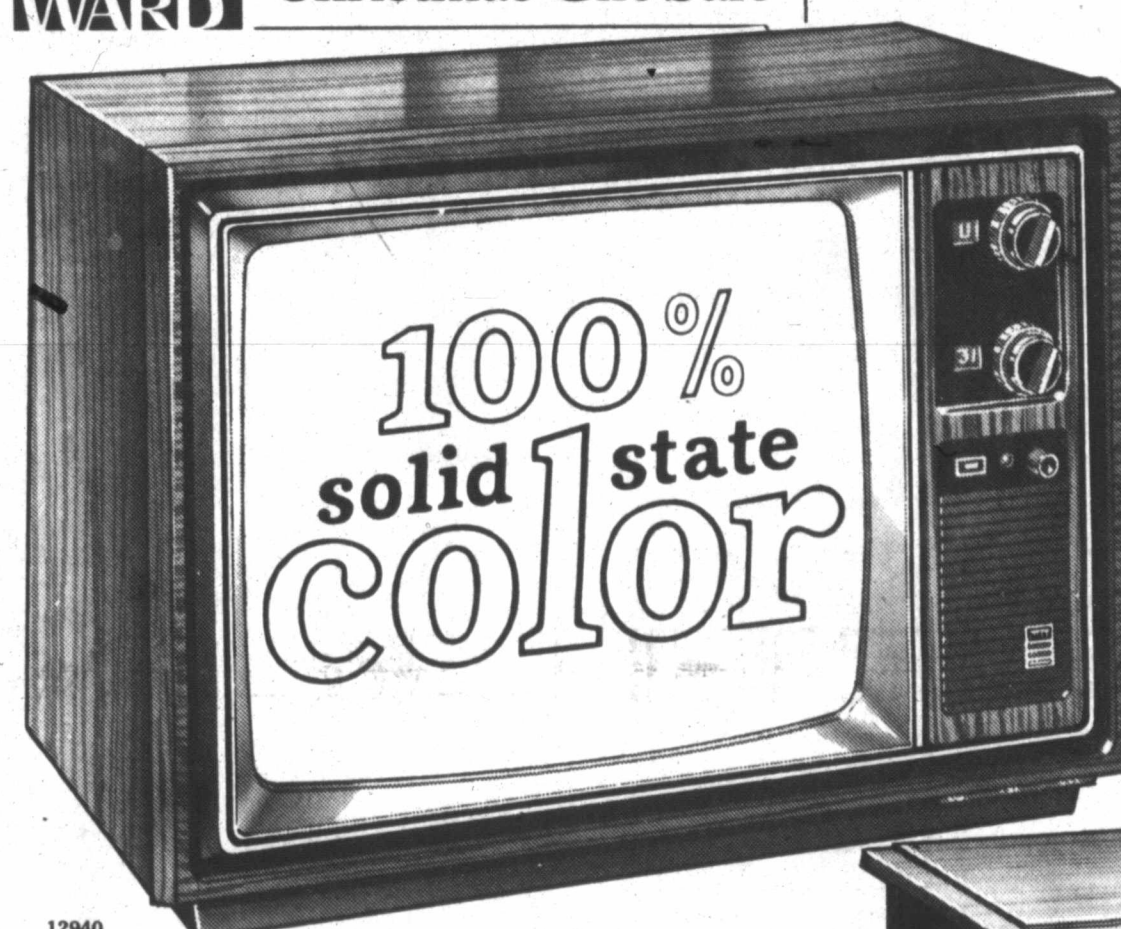
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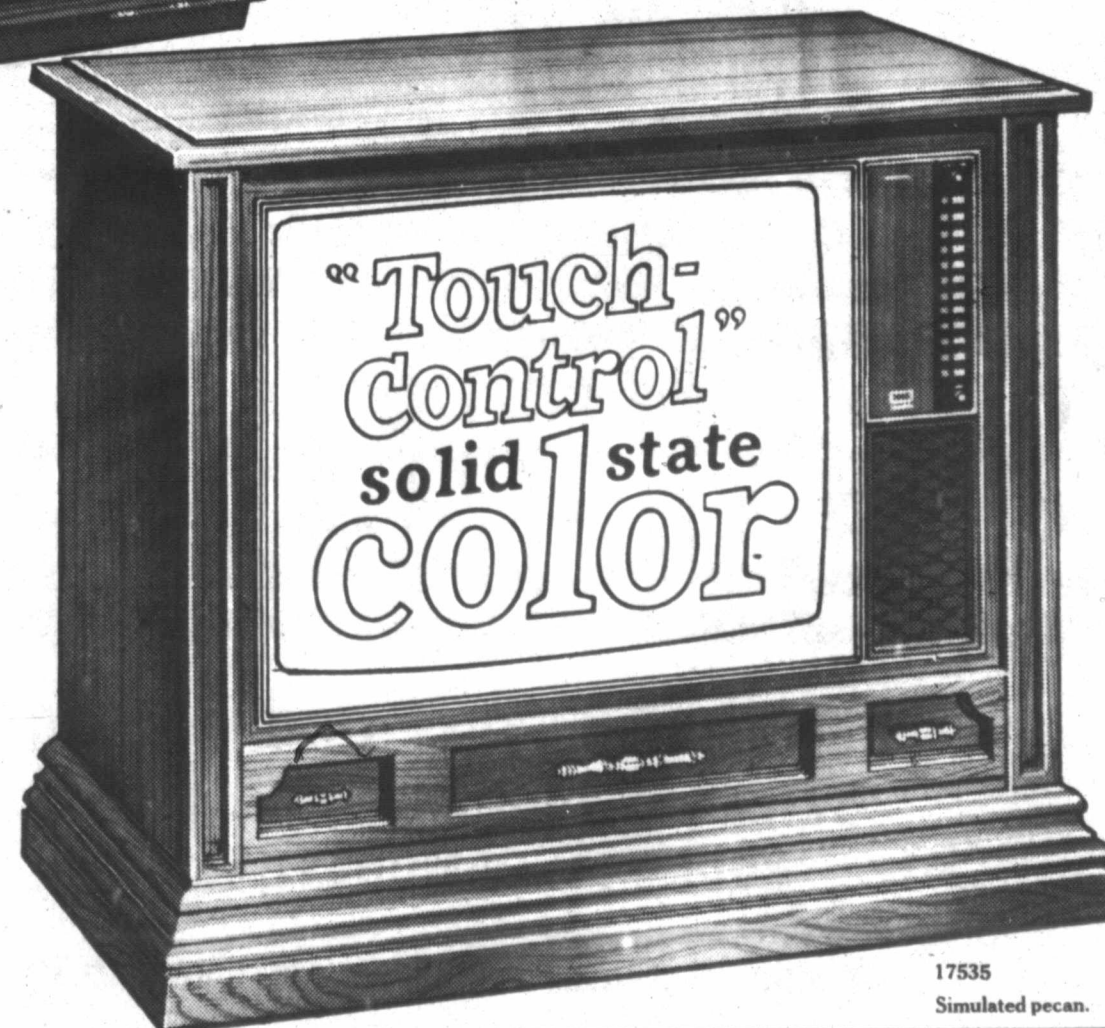
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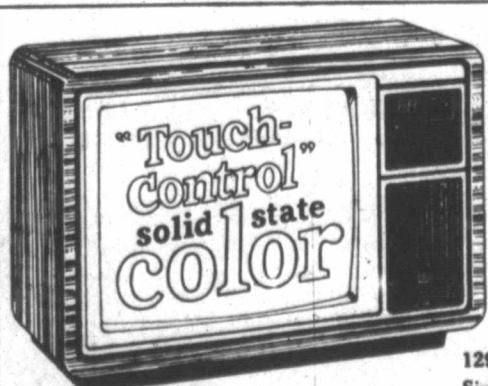
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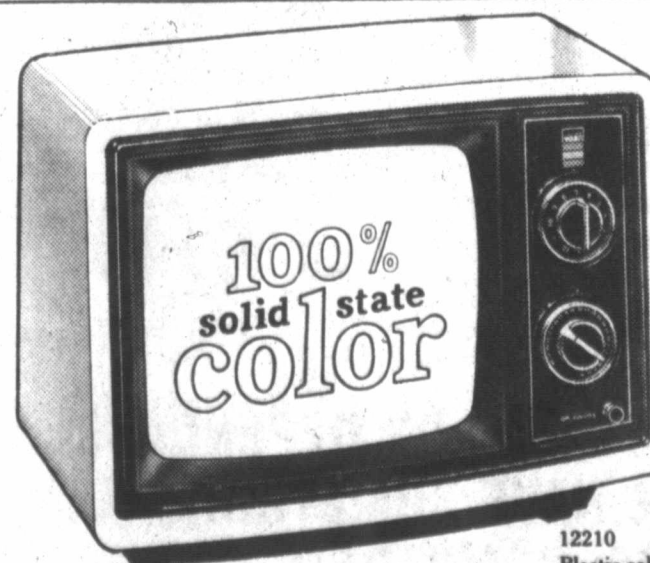
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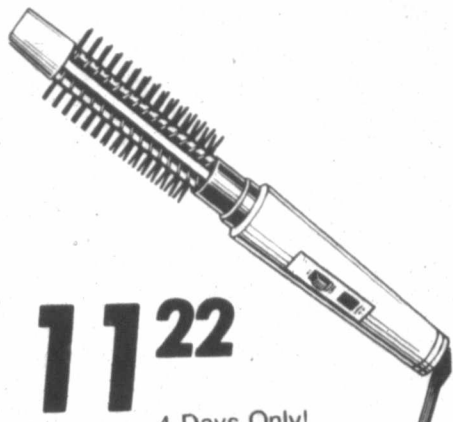


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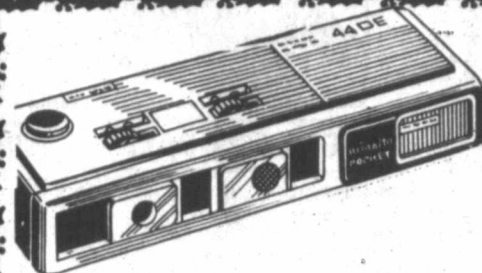
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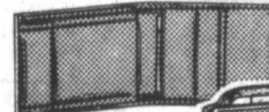
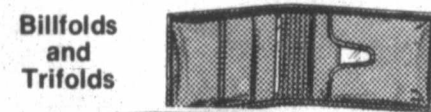
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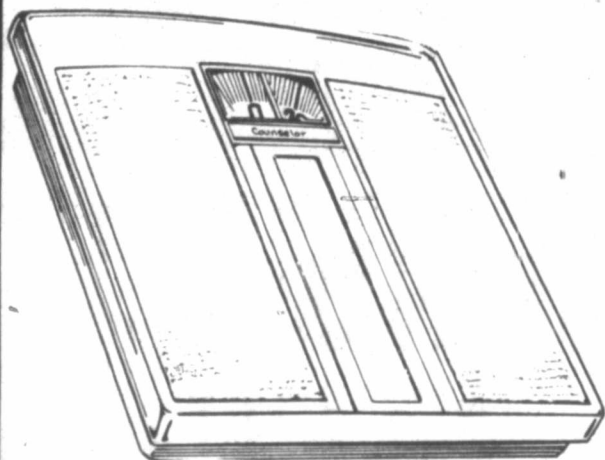


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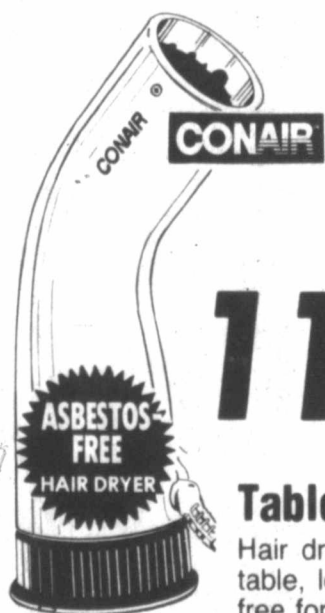
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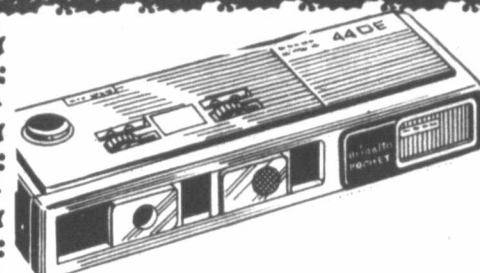
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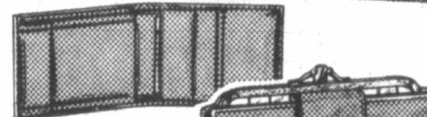
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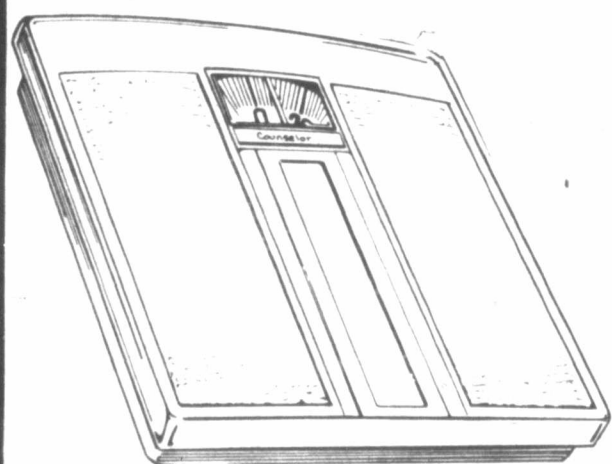


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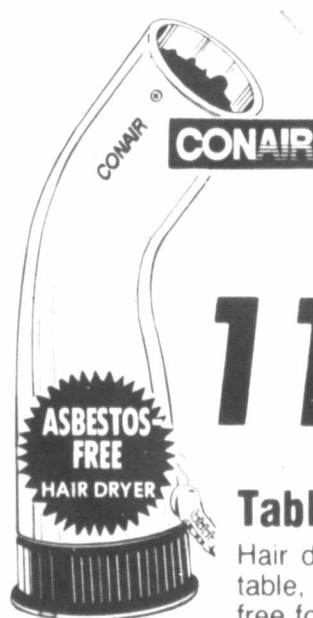
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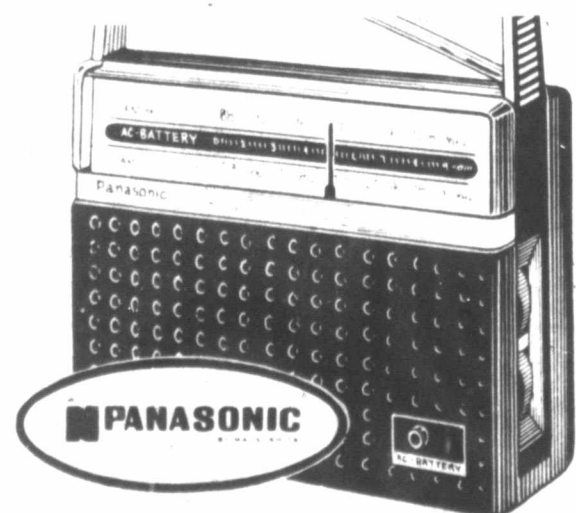


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