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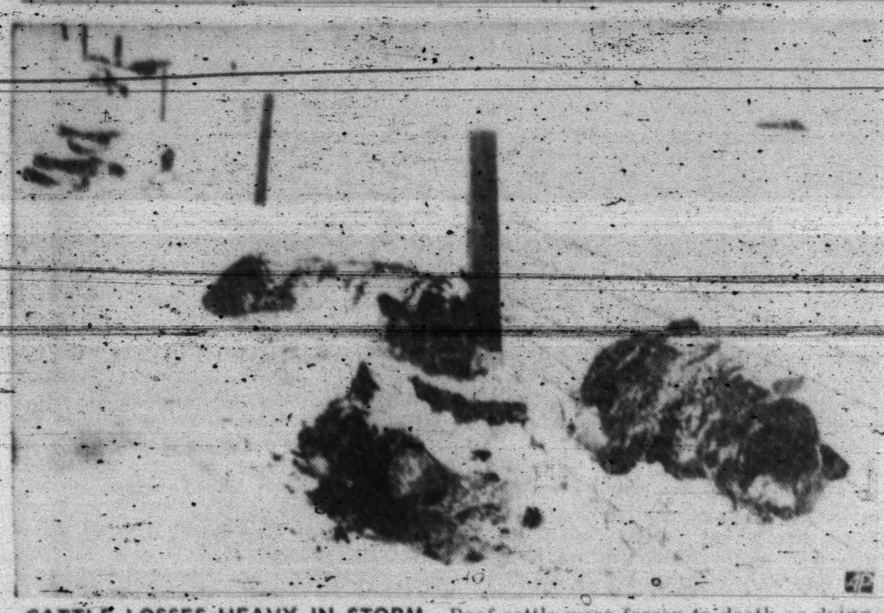


CATTLE LOSSES HEAVY IN STORM—Beef cattle were frozen to death or dying in snow-covered range country in eastern Montana, battered by a severe winter storm. Some cattle suffocated from ice jammed in their mouths and nostrils. These beeves were found 22 miles northwest of Glendive, Mont., one of the hardest hit areas. Ranchers continue a battle to rescue cattle that managed to survive. (AP Wirephoto)

More Heavy Snows In Pacific Northwest

By The Associated Press

Heavy snows choked mountain passes from California to Washington today while rains and gales continued to pound wide areas of the Pacific Northwest.

Eastern Washington and Oregon were under a snow blanket with some depths reaching 5 feet and more in some of the passes across the Cascades.

Whole gale warnings were up for coastal sections of the Pacific Northwest. Winds of 75 miles an hour lashed North Bend, Ore. this morning. By an odd quirk the temperature early today was warmer in North Bend, Ore., than it was in San Diego, Cal.

Newport, Ore., got 1.27 inches of rain in six hours and Eugene, Ore., measured one inch. Heavy rain falling on a 7-inch snow blanket made Portland, Ore., a sea of slush.

Yakima, Wash., measured 10 inches of snow on the ground as the storm moved toward the northern Rockies.

Early morning temperatures ranged from 14 below zero in Havre, Mont., to 69 degrees in Key West, Fla.

The northeastern section of the nation also was stung by fresh snow, rain and falling temperatures.

At least 25 deaths were attributed to violent storms that followed a coast-to-coast cold wave.

Although the South and many of the middle states are experiencing a warming trend, the northern corners of the nation had no relief.

With 8 inches of new snow today, portions of the Montana-North Dakota area were still digging out from the storms in an effort to save thousands of stranded cattle and sheep.

Hundreds of cattle suffocated as ice formed on their nostrils and mouths. North Dakota Gov. William Guy called a meeting with Civil Defense, National Guard and highway department officials to determine what can be done to help the snowed-in ranchers.

"I've never seen a storm like that one," said one North Dakota rancher. Some portions of the state were declared disaster areas.

Lightning, thunder, hail, snow and gusty winds struck sections of Montana as cold arctic air met with warmer Pacific air.

Lightning knocked the face from a clock in a Helena valley home.

Most of the state and federal highways were open to traffic but back roads were snowed in. Some officials said it would take weeks to open the country roads.

The Air Force planned to airlift five tons of hay to stranded cattle and sheep.

In the Northwest, mixed rain and snow caused hazardous driving conditions in Washington, where three persons died in traffic accidents. Two boys were killed in sledding mishaps near Seattle.

Audit Report Is Presented

The Scurry County commissioners court today received the audit report for the 1963 calendar year.

The report was presented by Rulfell Yorgesen and Charles Balkey of the accounting firm of Deffebach and Yorgesen. The accountants told the court that no major discrepancies had been noted in the conduct of the county's business during the year.

The court also took under consideration a contract for use of the water well near the Scurry County Nurses Home. The heirs of D. M. Cogdell offered the use of the well to the county for an annual rental of $1.

Peru Mine Blast Kills 57 Miners

LIMA, Peru (AP) — An explosion in a U.S.-operated coal mine in central Peru Sunday killed 57 miners and injured two others.

Reports from the mine, near Cerro de Pasco 125 miles northeast of Lima, said gas and coal dust exploded. The mine's output is used to make coke for copper, gold and silver mining operations at Cerro de Pasco.

It is operated by the U.S.-owned Cerro de Pasco Corp.

While rescuers dug for bodies, officials of the government and the mining company tried to determine the cause of the accident.

Purge Endangers S. Viet Regime

By MALCOLM W. BROWNE

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — The future of South Viet Nam's government and the war against the Viet Cong have been thrown into doubt by a weekend political purge by young Vietnamese generals.

The "Young Turks" dissolved the High National Council and arrested most of its nine members, plus more than 20 other leading politicians.

U.S. military and diplomatic officers made no official statement on the crisis — the country's sixth government upheaval in less than 14 months — but American displeasure was evident.

"This power play did not seem called for," said one U.S. official, "and basically we have to regard these generals as rebels against the duly constituted government."

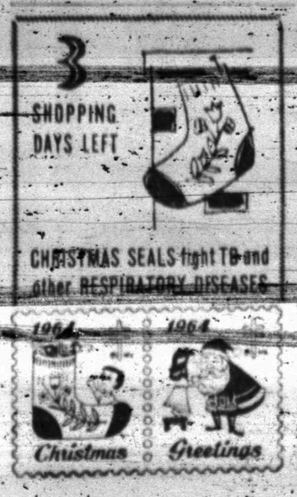
Premier Tran Van Huong and Chief of State Phan Khac Suu were still nominally in power. In a broadcast proclamation, the junta of young generals declared confidence in and support for both men.

U.S. officials said the latest assertion of overall authority by the military badly damaged the civilian government's position.

Brig. Gen. Nguyen Chanh Thi, commander of the 1st Army Corps, is the dominant member of the junta. He escaped to Cambodia in 1960 after failing in an attempt to overthrow the Ngo Dinh Diem government. Since Diem's death he has risen rapidly in the Vietnamese army.

Acting with him in Sunday's predawn, bloodless purge were Brig. Gen. Nguyen Cao Ky, air force commander; Brig. Gen. Le Nguyen Khang, Marine Corps commander, and Brig. Gen. Nguyen Van Thieu, 4th Corps commander.

Also in most official jails had been assigned to the chief of state's military staff, under guard to the mountains north of Saigon. All had been on the staff of the former chief of state, Lt. Gen. Duong Van Minh, and had been left at the disposal of his successor.



Docks Under New Threat Of Walkout

GALVESTON (AP) — New threats of a dock walkout from Maine to Texas broke out today when longshoremen tied up about 40 piers in New York.

While the pickets marched on the East Coast port, longshoremen worked without contract on the Gulf of Mexico segment of the coastline while negotiations continued here.

It could not be determined whether the wildcat walkouts in New York were in sympathy with the lack of progress in the Galveston talks or in protest of the contract settlement on the East Coast.

Workers will meet tomorrow night in New York to hear details of that contract from union leaders.

New York has about 350 piers. New York union leaders hurried to try to stop the walkouts.

Negotiators for shippers and the Gulf and South Atlantic District of the ILA indicated they would keep on trying to work out a contract agreement here.

Longshoremen will continue working on a day to day basis, District President Ralph A. Massey said, while negotiations are in progress.

Massey said the union could order dock workers to leave their jobs at any time and there remained a strong possibility of a strike which would paralyze shipping on the Gulf Coast and the Eastern Seaboard.

An 8 p.m. deadline for a West Gulf strike passed before Massey emerged from a bargaining session to make his announcement.

In New York, pickets appeared at a Grace Lines pier and a state waterfront commission spokesman blamed a contract dispute between ILA Local 791, oldest in the port, and shipowners. Workmen stayed on the job at a pier in Brooklyn, the only other one operating Sunday night.

WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Saturday, 41 degrees; low, 29 degrees; High Sunday, 62 degrees; low 35 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 40 degrees.

North Central Texas: Partly cloudy today and Tuesday. A little warmer today and in east Tuesday afternoon. Low tonight 32 to 48. High Tuesday 65 to 72.

Northeast Texas: Cloudy to partly cloudy today and Tuesday. A little warmer both afternoons. Low tonight 38 to 48. High Tuesday 64 to 70.

Northwest Texas: Fair today and Tuesday. A little warmer in north today. Low tonight 20 to 30. High Tuesday 63 to 70.

South Central Texas: Clear to partly cloudy today and Tuesday, except mostly cloudy with occasional rain near coast today and tonight. Low tonight 43 to 56. High Tuesday 60 to 74.

Southeast Texas: Mostly cloudy and a little warmer today and Tuesday with occasional rain, mainly near coast today and tonight. Low tonight 44 to 56. High Tuesday 61 to 69.

Southwest Texas: Clear to partly cloudy today and Tuesday. Low tonight 14 to 44 in north, 42 to 49 in south. High Tuesday 67 to 77.

Israeli, Jordanian Planes In Scrape

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Four Israeli jets clashed today with four Jordan fighter planes which Israel claimed had penetrated Israeli airspace over the Judean Desert on the western shores of the Dead Sea, the government announced. There was little shooting and none of the Israeli planes was hit, the official report added.

41 Reported Killed In Rail Collision

VILLAHERMOSA, Mexico (AP) — A speeding freight train rammed into the back of a halted passenger train in dense fog near here Sunday, killing 41 persons and injuring 75. Three of the injured were American tourists.

Nils Werner of Alhambra, Calif., was reported in critical condition. His right arm had been amputated and he was in danger of losing a leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson of Fresno, Calif., were reported suffering fractures and other injuries.

The accident occurred at the mountain village of Tacotalpa, 45 miles south of this capital of Tabasco State in southeastern Mexico. The area is about 600 miles southeast of Mexico City.

The Americans were on their way back to Mexico City after visiting the archaeological ruins of Palenque, in nearby Chiapas.

Authorities blamed the wreck on the fog and lack of attention on the part of the engineer of the freight train. A member of the freight train crew said the engineer apparently had been dozing and did not see the stopped train until too late.

The engineer, identified as Miguel Sanchez Cruz, fled from the scene.

The passenger train had left Tenosique, in Tabasco, and was on its way to Coatzacoalcos in Vera Cruz State. It had halted for a 10-minute routine stop when the freight train hit it.

US Freighter Helpless In Heavy Atlantic Seas

NEW YORK (AP) — A battered, cracked and imperiled American freighter wallowed helplessly in the stormy Atlantic today with the captain and two crewmen still aboard.

A Coast Guard cutter arrived on the scene about dawn and reported that winds had risen to gale force of 39 m.p.h., and high seas prevented boarding the stricken vessel.

The 7,600-ton freighter, the Smith Voyager, was listing to starboard at about 35 degrees.

Except for the master, Capt. Frederick W. Mohle, 59, and the other two men, the crew abandoned her Sunday. Another ship picked up 34 men, and the bodies of four others who died in the operation.

One man, of the crew of 42, was unaccounted for.

The rescue ship, the German freighter Mathilde Bolten, steamed toward Puerto Rico, reporting that some of the survivors urgently needed medical care.

The 311-foot Coast Guard cutter Rockaway radioed that it had reached the stricken American vessel, cracked amidship and drifting without power about 700 miles east southeast by the improvement in the sea's high winds and waves of up to 30 feet. The cutter radioed, standing by if feasible, with plans to put aboard boats to make contact with the crippled vessel.

However, signals determined that the three men still were aboard the ship.

There was no radio communications with them.

"If anything happens, if the ship starts to go down, we'll try to get them off with a shot lines or by floating down a raft from up windward," a Coast Guard spokesman said.

The 459-foot freighter, carrying 10,000 tons of grain, was bound from the Bahamas to Ceuta, Spanish Morocco, when shipping cargo burst her seams.

The break in No. 4 hold, just aft the midship deckhouse, reportedly was taking water and causing the extreme list in the ship. Her decks were awash.

Her main steam joint also was broken, leaving her without power.

As to whether she would sink, a Coast Guard spokesman said, "It's hard to say. She's been afloat for 24 hours now."

The ship left Houston Dec. 12.

Robbers Net Half-Million

PATERSON, N.J. (AP) — Six men held three priests and two truck drivers prisoners today and looted a bank truck and church safe of an estimated half a million dollars.

Details of the robbery were sketchy but police said the two truck guards and three priests were handcuffed and left in the rectory while the truck was looted.

The gunmen entered the rectory before the bank truck had arrived and took the priests prisoner. Then they awaited the guards.

When the two guards entered, they were seized and handcuffed. The truck had gone to the rectory to pick up cash, presumably from Sunday's church collections.

Police said the bandits forced a priest to open the church safe before the guards arrived. The bandits looted the safe and the truck, a panel type, of the First National Bank of Passaic County.

LT. GOV. PRESTON SMITH
... C-C Banquet Speaker

Lt. Gov. Smith Banquet Speaker

Texas Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith will be the speaker at the annual banquet of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce.

The banquet is set for Jan. 15.

Smith, the state's 38th lieutenant governor, is a Lubbock businessman whose slogan is "Working for Texas."

Born on a farm near Georgetown, the seventh child of a family that came to count 13 children, Smith attended public schools in Williamson and Gaines Counties. He worked his way through high school at Lamesa and college at Texas Tech. He never left Lubbock after graduating from Tech, except when official duties took him to Austin and other Texas centers.

He was elected to the Texas House of Representatives in 1944 and served in that post for six years before voluntarily giving up his seat in the legislature. In 1956 he was returned to Austin by his West Texas homefolks, this time as State Senator from an 11-county district. After six years he moved up to the lieutenant governor's race and won the Democratic nomination over four strong opponents. He was elected in the general election by a 319,000 vote margin over his Republican opponent, and this past November was returned for a second term by a top heavy margin.

As a legislator Smith was author, co-author or active sponsor of bills establishing a permanent building fund for state colleges, creating the present underground water code, providing stability for the farm-to-market road system, and installing the Gilmer-Aikin Program to improve public schools. During his first session as lieutenant governor the legislature passed measures to enlarge the state's higher education system, regulate small loan companies, [illegible] of property ownership and transfer.

T. CORNELIUS DAVIS

Rites Here Today For T. C. Davis

Funeral services were to be held at 2:30 p.m. today for Mr. T. Cornelius Davis, 97, of 3007 Avenue V.

Born Dec. 9, 1867, in Webster County, Ga., Mr. Davis moved to Texas with his parents at the age of nine to Johnson County. He was married to Miss Beulah Davis in Hillsboro in 1893. Mrs. Davis died in November, 1963. They would have celebrated their seventieth wedding anniversary in December of last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis moved to Scurry County and settled in the Ennis Creek area, arriving here "on the first Sunday of December of 1897." Their first home was a dugout.

In 1948 they retired from the farm and moved to Snyder, although for a number of years, Mr. Davis continued to drive back and forth to the farm.

The funeral services were to be held at the First Baptist Church of Snyder with W. J. Chambers, Primitive Baptist minister from Lampasas, the Rev. Allan Cartrite, pastor of the Greenhill Baptist Church, and Dr. A. B. Lightfoot, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was to be in Snyder Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Mr. Davis is survived by four daughters, Mrs. W. D. Hart of Seminole, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Ray Noble and Mrs. Ben Laster, all of Snyder; two sons, Earl Davis of Snyder and C. R. Davis of Sunnyvale, one brother, H. L. Davis of Rotan, 26 grandchildren, 46 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers at Mr. Davis' funeral services were to be Duane Davis, Jimmie Hart, Louis Wells, Bill Stirman, Donald McGlaun, Trayis Brackeen and Travis Rinehart.

Italy Again Fails To Elect President

ROME (AP) — Italy's deadlocked Parliament failed again today to elect a president.

It was the ninth ballot and sixth day of voting with no winner.

Four parties—the Socialists, Democratic Socialists and Republicans of the center-left coalition government, and the Fascist Italian Social Movement—refused to ballot in protest over the stalemate.

Mrs. Scrivner Dies Sunday

Funeral services are pending at Bell-Seale Funeral Home for Mrs. Annie Mae Scrivner, 59, of Dermott. She died at 11:20 p.m. Sunday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Scrivner received serious injuries including a broken back in a one-car mishap at 3:15 p.m. Dec. 12 just north of Snyder on the Lubbock Highway when her car hit a pole. Investigating officers at the time said they believed Mrs. Scrivner had blacked out before the mishap occurred.

She is survived by her husband, A. W. Scrivner of Dermott; two daughters, Mrs. Velma Perry of Snyder, and Mrs. Gilbert Merritt of Dumas, and one grandson.

Odessa Man Dies In Plane Crash

ODESSA (AP) — A private plane, rented for a Sunday afternoon flight, crashed, killing one of the two men aboard.

Killed was David Haeber, Odessa insurance man.

The other man aboard was tentatively identified as Leon Cotrell.

The wreckage was found after dawn today five miles north of the Ector County Airport, where the men rented the Cessna 150 at 5:15 p.m. Sunday.

IN CONGO

Refugees Report More Slaughter

LEOPOLDVILLE, the Congo (AP) — Thirty more white hostages—all missionaries and their families, are believed to have been killed by rebels in the northeastern Congo, refugees arriving here said Sunday.

The missing include an American, Mary Baker of Richmond, Ind., and them.

She was first reported at Banalia, 62 miles north of Stanleyville, on Nov. 20.

Fifteen other missionaries were missing from Banalia and 14 more from Batwasende, 150 miles northeast of Stanleyville. Fourteen refugees freed at Batwasende. All the white hostages, who had been crammed [illegible] were taken out to be shot, she said.

"They separated us and the nuns from the others," she said. Eight Dutch Catholic priests, her husband, a British family and an Australian and a British woman were in the other group.

Other refugees said the mercenaries told them they found traces of a recent massacre at Banalia. Children's clothes, the habits of a nun and a priest and splashes of blood were discovered on the slope leading up to Banalia's ferryboat, the soldiers told them.

Mrs. Burk, the sole survivors included 11 Italian Roman Catholic nuns and two British women missionaries. They were [illegible] Batwasende. Mrs. Burk said the simbas became furious after contact government planes raided [illegible] Fourteen refugees freed at Batwasende. All the white hostages, who had been crammed [illegible] were taken out to be shot, she said.

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Mrs. Burk said the simbas (rebel soldiers) promised us three had not been killed.

Mrs. Burk's husband is among the missing.

Dear Abby...

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: My daughter's mother-in-law invited my daughter and her family for Christmas dinner, which is no big deal, because she has a fine big home with plenty of help in the house and she won't have to stand in the kitchen and prepare it herself. Well, she told my daughter to "bring her mother." I don't care for second-hand invitations. I have a telephone and it wouldn't have hurt this woman to pick up a phone and invite me herself. Just because I'm a poor widow and haven't a big splendid home to invite her back to is no reason for her to treat me like dirt. What do you think of a person who is this cruel and stuck up?

A POOR WIDOW

DEAR WIDOW: I think you are looking for a reason to be "mad" at your daughter's mother-in-law. Be grateful that she asked your daughter to bring you. The woman may be guilty of thoughtlessness, but don't label her as cruel and stuck up.

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DEAR ABBY: I am a 12-year-old girl and I have a problem. A girl friend of mine can attract boys very easily. She smokes, swears and wiggles. Her personality isn't too good and she isn't that pretty. I don't smoke, swear or wiggle. I have a pleasing personality and I'm fairly pretty. How can I attract a boy without really trying?

UNSUCCESSFUL BOY-SEEKER

DEAR BOY-SEEKER: I don't recommend smoking, swearing, or wiggling (at any age). You could work on developing your personality, but if you should happen to "attract" a boy at age 12, what on earth would you do with him?

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DEAR ABBY: How does one tell a dear friend, who is also a handsome, well-groomed, refined gentleman that the next time he goes to his barber, he should ask the barber to remove a large, unsightly blackhead on his right cheek, near his nose? It detracts from his otherwise clean-looking appearance.

SAN-CARLOS

DEAR SAN: I would never suggest that a barber remove ANYTHING from the face of a client. What appears to be a "blackhead" could be a mole, growth, discolored wart, or a number of other things which neither I nor a barber is qualified to diagnose. If the man is a dear friend, tell him to see a dermatologist for a professional opinion.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

FORT WORTH (AP) — Cattle 1,400; calves 500; standard and good heifers 18.50-19.00; cows 12.50; standard and good calves 15.00-18.50; good feeder steers 15.50-18.00; good and choice steer calves 16.50-21.00; good stock cows 11.50-13.50. Hogs 500; top 16.00-16.25.

Sheep 500; good and choice wooled lambs 19.00-20.00; good 17.00; good and choice shorn lambs 16.50-20.00; utility 13.50-16.00; ewes 5.50-7.25.

CHICAGO (AP)—Butter unchanged; 93 score AA 57¾. Eggs unchanged to 1 higher; A: whites and mixed 33½; mediums 28; standards 26¾.

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton was unchanged to 20 cents a bale lower at noon today. March 31.46, May 31.46, July 31.00.

STOCK AVERAGES

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	Indust.	Rails	Utils.	65 Stks.
Prev. day	463.6	179.8	166.8	323.6
Week ago	459.0	169.4	167.0	321.2
Month ago	475.4	179.8	166.0	331.7
Year ago	402.6	149.3	148.3	283.4
1964 high	475.9	189.6	167.1	332.6

Man Is Injured In Sunday Mishap

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated a one-vehicle mishap at 12:15 a.m. Sunday 1.3 miles west of Snyder on West Thirty-seventh Street.

Involved was a pickup truck driven by Connie Max Sumruld of Snyder. The driver apparently lost control of the vehicle, causing it to overturn. He received a badly broken right leg in the mishap, and was taken first to Cogdell Hospital and then transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Charges of DWI were filed against Sumruld this morning in county court.

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Williamson Service Held Here Sunday

Funeral services for Kenneth (Jo Williamson, Jr. were held Sunday at 2 p.m.

The services were held at the Thirty-fourth Street Church of Christ with Mayo B. Byers, minister of the church, and the Rev. Miller Robinson, pastor of the Colonial Hill Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Snyder Cemetery under the direction of Boiger Funeral Home.

Mr. Williamson was found dead on the family farm at 6 p.m. Friday.

Martinez Service Is Pending Here

Funeral services are pending at Bell-Seale Funeral Home for Mr. Sesario Martinez, 67, of 2409 Twenty-fourth Street.

Mr. Martinez died at Johnson Hospital in Loraine early today. He had been a resident of Scurry County since 1950.

The funeral services will be held at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with Fr. Peter Vergauwen officiating.

Mr. Martinez is survived by his wife; nine daughters; six sons; one sister and two brothers.

Miller Confirms Stand For Burch

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. William E. Miller said after a conference with Sen. Barry Goldwater today that GOP Chairman Dean Burch should keep on his job even if he has only a one-vote majority of the 132-member national committee.

Miller, the GOP vice presidential nominee, told a news conference after he and Rep. Bob Wilson of California had conferred with Goldwater at his apartment that the presidential nominee is standing firmly behind Burch.

Burch's replacement as national chairman has been demanded by party progressives as the symbol of the disastrous Republican defeat in the Nov. 3 election.

Former Vice President Richard M. Nixon, Gov. George Romney of Michigan, and others have said Burch should resign unless he can turn up a substantial majority in favor of his retention at a Jan. 22-23 show-down meeting of the national committee in Chicago.

Miller said he does not agree with that viewpoint. He said if Burch can summon even a bare majority he should stay on the job because any replacement then would represent only a minority of the committee.

Miller said he had been informed by Burch that the chairman believes he has majority support "at this time." The New York Congressman added he hopes the matter won't even be brought to a roll call showdown at the Chicago meeting.

Wilson, who heads the House Congressional Campaign Committee, said he agreed with Miller that Burch should stay on even if he has only a bare majority of the committee.

Burch did not attend today's conference at which his future was discussed.

Miller reported that Sen. Thruston B. Morton of Kentucky, head of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee, would arrive later in the day to confer with Goldwater.

Morton previously had said he would be unable to attend the session but subsequently changed his plans.

Goldwater, who didn't talk to newsmen, is expected to return to his home at Phoenix, Ariz. later in the day. He has contended that the efforts to remove Burch are directed primarily at him rather than at the chairman.

In this connection Miller said he thought it would be "unfortunate" to oust Burch. He said this would be a bad beginning for a "party of inclusion" which would attempt to exclude Goldwater from its councils.

This was a reference to a statement made by Republican governors at a recent Denver, Colo., meeting in which they called for "a party of inclusion" rather than "exclusion" as they confended Burch was making it.

Guilty Plea Heard In Court Today

In county court this morning Lee Cook of Garden City, Kan. pleaded guilty to a DWI charge which had been filed by the Scurry County sheriff's department. He was fined $200 plus costs of $26.35 and was sentenced to three days in jail.

In county court Sunday, Charlie Cargile of Snyder was released after posting $500 bond on a DWI charge which had been filed by the Snyder city police.

Suspects Held In Theft Investigation

Three suspects are being held by Snyder city police for investigation of the burglary of a cigarette machine late Saturday at Carlos' Little Mexico Cafe.

The thieves broke two large kitchen knives in attempting to open the machine, before using a large cleaver to open the cash box. An undetermined amount of money was taken.

Mishap Reported

The Snyder city police investigated a two-car mishap at 12:28 Saturday afternoon on Thirty-seventh Street just west of Avenue S.

Involved were a 1961 Mercury driven by Thelma King Raines and a 1961 Plymouth driven by Billy Jack Dryden, both of Snyder. Damage to the Raines car was estimated at $75 and to the Dryden car at $150. No injuries were reported.

Electra Postmaster Rites Set Today

ELECTRA, Tex. (AP)—Funeral services for William Slaton, former Electra postmaster and author of a cooking recipe book, were held this afternoon. Slaton, 77, died Sunday after a long illness.

Officials Say UN Needs 30 Million

BY WILLIAM N. OATIS

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — U.N. officials figure that the United Nations needs only $30 million or $60 million in voluntary contributions to pull out of the insolvency caused by $126 million in unpaid dues for peacekeeping operations.

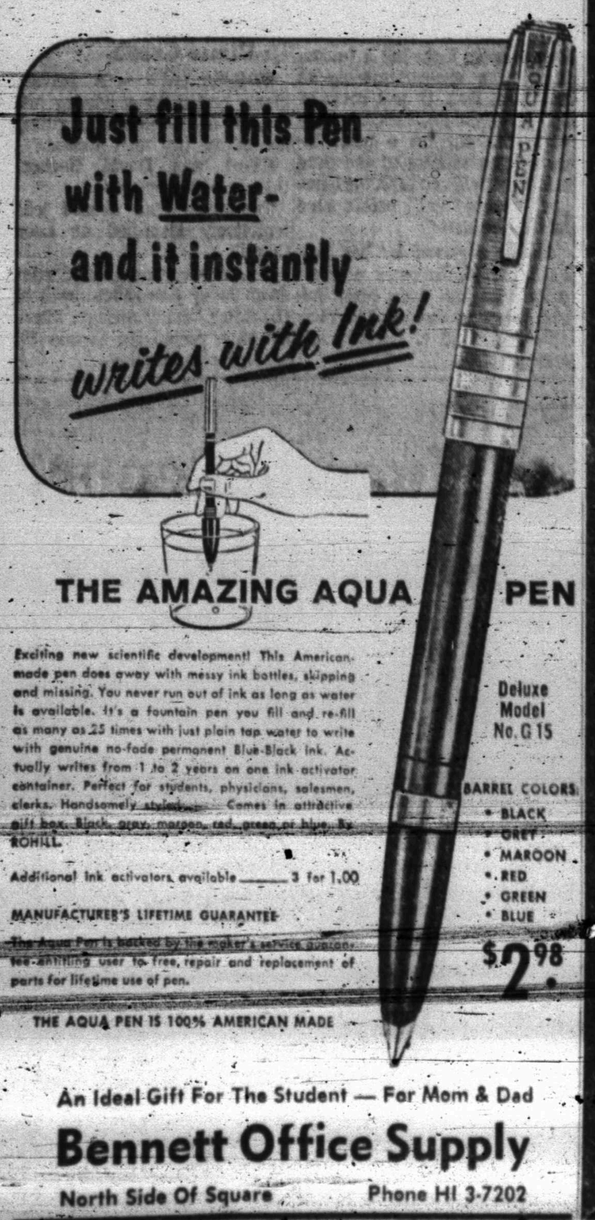
But they are having trouble getting the Russians to help raise that much, even though the United States has cut $9.4 million off the sum it insisted the Soviet Union should chip in.

Secretary-General U Thant and Alex Quaison-Sackey, president of the General Assembly, are negotiating with the two big powers in hopes of settling the dispute over peacekeeping assessments and voting rights before the assembly's Christmas recess begins Wednesday.

Some diplomats believed the assembly could resume Jan. 11 without risking a Soviet-U.S. clash over the issue.

More than four million square miles of fertile land in Africa are slowly being cleared of the deadly tsetse fly.

A New Exclusive At Bennett Office Supply



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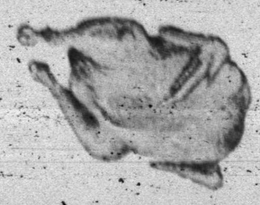

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Miss Shackleford, Mr. Weaver Wed In Cotton Center Methodist Church

In a candlelight ceremony at 6:30 p.m. Saturday December 19, 1964, Miss Sharon Ann Shackelford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shackelford of Cotton Center was married to William Franklin Weaver Jr.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin Weaver Sr. of 3008 Thirty-fourth Street, Snyder.

The Reverend Oran Smith of Lefors read the double ring ceremony in the Cotton Center Methodist Church.

White tapers glowed in candelabras draped with white ostrich plumes in the background and blanked on each side with more white tapers and white ostrich plumes.

Mrs. Oran Smith played traditional wedding selections on the organ and accompanied Mr. Joe McMennamy, vocalist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

She wore a gown of silk peau de soie and re-embroidered Alencon lace. It was designed with a portrait neckline, fitted bodice and long sleeves which ended in petal points. Appliqued lace motifs with pearls accented the neckline, sleeve points and front panel of the bouffount skirt. Sunburst pleats swept into a wide chapel train. A small pillbox covered with re-embroidered Alencon lace and pearls held her silk illusion veil. Her cascade bouquet was stephonatis centered with a white orchid. For something old she wore her great grandmother's wedding ring. For something new her bridal ensemble. She carried a borrowed handkerchief, wore a blue garter, and had the traditional penny in her shoe. She wore a string of cultured pearls, gift of the bridegroom.

Her gown was designed and made by her mother.

Maid of honor was Miss Carolee Oliphant of Crowell; Bridesmaid was Miss Sandra Windwehm of Cotton Center, a cousin of the bride. They wore identical dresses of red velveteen with long fitted sleeves. Their headpieces were white fur rings holding red tulle nose veils. Each carried a single white carnation.

The best man was Freddy Miller of Snyder. The groomsman was Roger Huber of Anson. The ushers were Richard E. Shackelford of Miami, Florida, brother of the bride, Larry Shackelford of Cotton Center, cousin of the bride, Bob Smith of Snyder, and Jack Butt of Clayton, New Mexico.

A reception was given in Fellowship Hall. The bride's table was covered with a white satin cloth overlaid with white net. Forming the centerpiece was a tall candelabra garlanded with Steck blossoms and Similax. Silver appointments were used. The reception party included Misses Twila Whitford of Earth, Sandy Turner of Seagraves, Sheri Keuhler of Brownfield, Kay Shurley of Sonora, cousin of the groom, Sherry Mixon of Cotton Center, Carol Sue Ebeling of Cotton Center, and Mrs. Bill McAlister of Lubbock registered the guest. Mrs. Eugene Heath of Cotton Center was overseer.

For traveling the bride wore a blue wool suit with blue suede trim and a blue pill box hat to match. The other accessories were black. She wore the orchid from her bouquet for her corsage.

The bride graduated from Cotton Center High School and is attending West Texas State University where she is a Junior. She is a member of Chi Omega Sorority and Student Education Sorority.

Weaver graduated from Snyder High School and is a Junior in West Texas State University. He is a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity and Block and Bridle Animal Husbandry fraternity.

Out of town guests were from Snyder, Sonora, Tyler, Lubbock, Jacksonville, and Miami, Florida.

The couple will be at home in the Lynette Apartments in Canyon after a short trip to points in New Mexico.

The bridegroom's parents were hosts for the rehearsal dinner at the Plainsman Hotel in Lubbock.

Mjss Patterson Performs At NTSU, Denton

DENTON — Ann Patterson of Snyder played oboe in an informal recital of works by North Texas State University student composers Wednesday.

She performed "Ballad for Oboe and Piano" with Preston Kies of Santa Monica, Calif., composer of the piece.

A freshman music major, Miss Patterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Patterson, 3798 Avondale. She is a 1964 graduate of Snyder High School.

Ira P-TA Musical Presented

The Ira Parent - Teachers Association met Wednesday night with a large group present. Mrs. J. L. Byars, president, presided.

Following a short business meeting a musical program was given by the Ira students. Given in the form of the Christmas story, Larry Holliday acted as master of ceremonies, Renoka Hooker and Renee Patterson assisted at the piano.

The program was presented by Mrs. Pete Hester, Chairman, assisted by Mrs. Floyd House, Mrs. Billy Caulley, Mrs. J. D. Hooker, Mrs. Lyndon Solomon, and Mrs. Tommy Williams, music teacher.

Refreshments of doughnuts, coffee and punch were served by Mrs. Bill Daves, hospitality chairman.

Avary-Miller Wedding Announced

Mr. George Avary of Denison, Texas, announces the marriage of his mother Mrs. Lois Avary of Snyder, to Mr. Owen Miller, Ash Route.

The couple exchanged double ring vows on Friday, December 18th in Fredrick, Okla.

After a few days trip they will be at home at 2804 Thirty-third Street, Snyder.

WOMEN'S CALENDAR

MONDAY

Teen - age square dancers Christmas dance at Sunray Gas Plant.

Lamar P-TA meets at 7:30 p.m.

Travis Junior High P-TA will hold its regular monthly meeting, 7:30 p.m. in auditorium. After short business meeting, a musical program will be presented by 7th grade band and choral numbers. Refreshments in cafeteria following. All parents and public cordially invited.

Lamar P-TA, 7:30 p.m. in auditorium. Special musical program. Parents and public cordially invited.

TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association meets at Snyder Country Club.

Snyder Toperettes meets at 7 p.m. in Stanfield Cafeteria.

Martha Ann Ladies game day will not be held. Next regular meeting will be Dec. 29, masterpoint day and luncheon at 10 a.m.

Beginners Have Christmas Party

The children of the Beginner Department of Avenue D Baptist Church held their Christmas party Thursday morning. Teachers sponsoring the party were: Mrs. R. L. Treat, Mrs. Marvin McDonald, Mrs. Keneth Terral, Mrs. Billy Morris, Mrs. W. J. McCarty.

Games were played around the Christmas tree in the fellowship hall. The children were given gifts of "play - do" and jumping ropes. Christmas tree cookies and fruit drink were served to the ones present: Robert Early, Michael Treat, Jessie Wayne Morris, Elaine James, Tori Dennis, Sharon Strickland, Teri Powell, Connie Terral, Shelia McDonald, Bryan Lewallen, Connie Morris, Mary Burgett, Tracy Dennis, Teresa Treat, Vickie Morris, Jean Burgett, Charlotte Morris, Paul McDonald, Nancy Treat and Rusty Terral.

School Menu

TUESDAY

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CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

WOMEN

The Snyder (Texas) Daily News, Mon., Dec. 21, 1964

Waugh Starts His Life Book

A LITTLE LEARNING. By Evelyn Waugh.

There is a beginning here of a chronicle of how a writer is made. It is the first part of Waugh's autobiography, reaching a little past his college years.

He describes his genetic heritage starting with his great grandparents, and besides the professional men listed (lawyers, soldiers, doctors) it is interesting that in the family tree there were several writers as well as a painter.

He moves next to his family environment, his mother and nurse, his childhood stimuli, his early friends and companions. And then comes a very sympathetic portrait of his father, a publisher and writer; it is admirably done in the reticent English way.

He tells about his education, a miserable boarding school in the time of World War I and his undistinguished rather disastrous years at Oxford, followed by a very sticky bohemian interval.

For American readers, this may seem to be a slow-moving typically British account, sauntering along in 19th Century, or earlier, fashion. Waugh makes no attempt, magazine-wise, to hook the reader's fancy with anecdotal spice or dramatic incident. Yet what its low-key, sober tone, it is a revealing document.

Waugh's early years are spun into a web of observations that may seem to be other world, even Atlantic to be archaic, recordings of another day. But it must be remembered that out of this writer's beginnings came some biting indictments of 20th Century life. We have here a view into the conventional background from which came unconventional perspectives of our troubled and troublesome era.

Stuart Goes Frog Trouncin'

SAVE EVERY LAMB. By Jesse Stuart.

Jesse Stuart has discovered Stuart Land of the wild ground hogs, deer in the mule and hills and hollows of Greenup County, Kentucky this would be a good time to start.

The present book is a collection of stories, articles and excerpts from novels, spanning a good many years of writing.

Two of the three sections are concerned with the author's boyhood experiences filled with remembrances of hunting, of wild and domesticated animals, and family life on a rugged farm in the days before tractors. The third section is about his family in more recent years, still in the same neighborhood.

The backwoods adventures include a frog-trouncin' contest, a turtle hunt, running a huge trapline, and raising six baby squirrels. There also is an episode in which the boy, desperate to save a bull calf from the slaughterhouse, digs ginseng roots to earn the ransom which will save his pet.

Hunting dogs are an important part of that early life. One story is about the last wildly successful hunt of an aging dog named Black Boy Apaloosy is about a small dog, Jerry Boy trying to kill [illegible] and the latter gets belled when he swaps a cold-collared for a hot-collared one.

Reading this book is like visiting another world, and even another century. Visit this world while you can. For as Stuart warns at the back of the book, the wildlife of the hills is fast disappearing.

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Scientists Seek Key To Big Chest Full Of Riches

(EDITOR'S NOTE — In the issue of Sunday, Dec. 20, The Snyder Daily News published a report on research being conducted at laboratories of the General Atomic Division of General Dynamics in San Diego, Calif., aimed at taking fuel from water. The research is being conducted under joint sponsorship of the Texas Atomic Energy Foundation and General Atomic. This is the first in a series of articles dealing with further details of the project).

One barrel of water from the Gulf of Mexico or the Rio Grande may one day provide enough fuel — equivalent to 75 tons of coal — to generate all the electricity to satisfy the needs of the average American home for 50 years.

That is the prospect that beckons to the scientists engaged in the controlled fusion (thermonuclear) research program jointly sponsored by the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation and General Atomic Division of General Dynamics.

If the scientsits succeed in their efforts to create a controlled and self - sustaining fusion reaction, and if they can then design a power plant to harness this tremendous energy to the economic generation of electric power, man will have no more worries about energy supplies for millions of years to come.

He will simply take fuel from the oceans, lakes and rivers — abundantly and cheaply — and will, in effect, be "burning" water to supply energy. Thus, controlled fusion is sometimes referred to as the ultimate source of energy.

The fuel for fusion power plants would be deuterium, or, as it is often called, heavy hydrogen. Deuterium is the heavy isotope which is found in ordinary hydrogen in the ratio of one part in about 6,500.

Extraction of deuterium from ordinary water is a relatively inexpensive process, even with present-day techniques.

It has been estimated that the waters of the world contain some 10 to 50 trillion tons (40 or 50 followed by 12 zeros) of deuterium.

To have similar energy resources of coal, one - tenth of the earth would have to be composed of coal, preferably in a layer 300 miles thick near the surface where it could be mined.

An 8-ounce glass of water contains an almost invisible speck of deuterium about six thousandths of a gram. Yet that tiny speck, if it could be "burned" with the same efficiency as fossil fuels are used today, would do the work of 200 pounds of coal and would illuminate a home for weeks.

Or take a pitcherful of water. Some day the one eighth of a gram of deuterium it contains may provide all the electricity required by the average family over a period of one year (approximately 4,000 kilowatt hours). Nearly two tons of coal would be required to do the same job.

In the fusion reaction, deuterium is capable of producing more than a million times as much energy, per gram, as can be obtained through conventional combustion processes.

The State of Texas, with an installed electrical generating capacity in excess of 39,000,000 kilowatts, is consuming electric power at the rate of about 54-billion kilowatt hours a year.

If the fusion reaction can ultimately be harnessed to the production of commercial electricity, at an efficiency of 35 percent, those 54 billion kilowatt hours could be supplied from the deuterium fuel contained in 12 million gallons of water. The deuterium fuel itself — to supply electric power to the entire State of Texas for one year at the present rate — would amount to less than one and one-half tons, as compared — in energy content — to nearly 20 million tons of coal.

The water from a one-inch rainfall over a 450-acre area (less than a square mile) could easily supply those 12-million gallons of water.

There is enough water in the Gulf of Mexico to supply all of Texas' electrical requirements, at the present rate, for 12 million years, and enough to supply the entire United States for close to one million years, without touching the deuterium in the Atlantic or Pacific oceans or the Great Lakes.

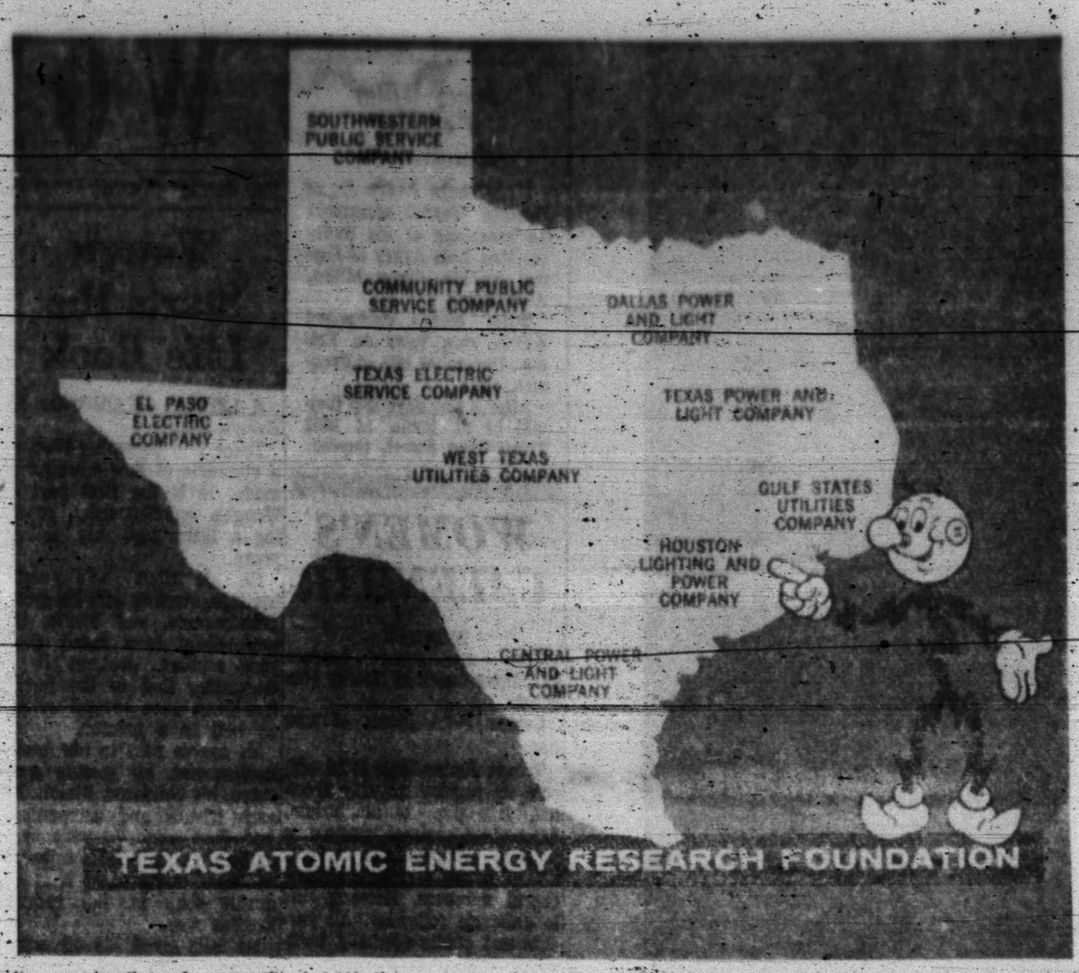
The deuterium available in the water of one backyard swimming pool, if used at present - day fuel efficiencies, could supply the power requirements of a city of one-million people for several months.

The world's rapid population growth and its swelling per capita consumption of energy challenged the ingenuity of man to find new fuels and new sources of energy.

Even if the rate of energy consumption were to rise to a level 1,000 times greater than at present, there would be enough deuterium fuel on hand to last millions of years — perhaps a billion years.

Today the scientists working on controlled fusion research find themselves in much the same position as a man who has discovered a locked treasure chest crammed with immense riches. He cannot open it because he has not found the key.

The scientists of the controlled-fusion research jointly sponsored by the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation and General Atomic are searching for that key.



Volunteers Help Lad To Recover

BRANDENBURG, Ky. (AP) — Every day you can find a group of adults and teen-agers crawling around the floor of Mark Hicks' home playing cowboys and Indians.

This is not child's play. It's part of an intensive "creeping and crawling" program designed to restore 8-year-old Mark to a normal life.

A substantial segment of the residents of this village near Louisville — housewives, farmers, ministers, factory workers and high school students — are taking part.

Mark's troubles began in the summer of 1963 when a case of measles damaged his brain.

After his release from the hospital, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hicks, started a program of physical therapy to teach Mark to walk and talk again. He learned to walk, and to repeat words, but still couldn't perform such simple tasks as feeding himself.

That's when physicians prescribed the "creeping and crawling" program. The idea is to activate undamaged cells in Mark's brain by retracing his development from infancy. It's working.

"The words are flying now," says Mrs. Hicks.

The family doctor says there is a chance that Mark will be recovered in two years.

Mark's parents and his sister, Marilyn, 17, began the program with the help of friends. Then one of the friends recruited some helpers. Now more than 200 volunteers are participating.

Since Mrs. Hicks must spend much of her time with her son, volunteers handle many household chores. Some have contributed money.

"I knew people were good," says Mark's father. "I just didn't know how good they were."

Argentine Doctors Go On Strike

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — Doctors in public health hospitals went on an indefinite strike for higher wages today.

Skeleon crews manned emergency wards, but the Medical Federation said they would be withdrawn Wednesday if the doctors' demands were not met.

HOSPITAL NOTES

COGDELL HOSPITAL

(It is requested that visiting be done only during visiting hours at 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 8:30 p.m.)

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James Snowden, 907 Twenty - eighth Street, are the parents of a 7 lb. 5¾ oz. baby boy born at 3:44 a.m. Dec. 20 at Cogdell Hospital.

Bill May Abolish Death Penalty

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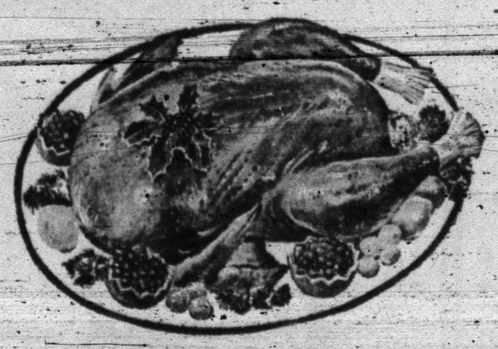

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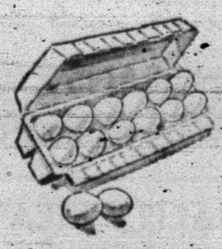

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Tigers Win Tourney; Face Hamlin Tonight

The Snyder Tigers, winners of at the end of the third period two consecutive tournaments, The Bengals fell behind late in perform before the home folks the fourth, but pulled it out in again tonight when they host the last three minutes of play. the Hamlin Pied Pipers in Tiger Leslie Brown scored 17 points Gym.

The Bengals have just returned from Brownwood where they decisioned the host Lions, 53-50, to win the AA-AAA division title of the Brownwood Invitational Tournament.

The Brownwood finals proved to be a big chore for the locals, who now sport a 12-1 won-lost record. The Tigers jumped out to a 15-0 lead in the first quarter, still led by 31-26 at the half, but the Lions closed it up and went into a deadlock at 42-42 at the end of the third period.

and pulled in 11 rebounds for the Tigers, while Drew Ballard with 14 points was the only other Snyder player in double figures. The Tigers were relatively cold from the floor, hitting only 13 of 34 for 38 per cent in the first half and 4 of 13 for 30 per cent in the second half. However, they controlled the ball most of the time and hit 19 free shots. Brownwood hit 14 of 26 from the field for 42 per cent and the first half and 10 of 18 for 55 per cent in the second half.

Leslie Anderson and Drew Ballard of the Tigers were named to the all-tournament team.

In their second round game, the Tigers walloped the Breckenridge Buckaroos, 63-43. Anderson was top scorer with 15 points, while Vestal with 13 and Bullard with 11 also were in double figures.

In the game with Breckenridge, the Tigers hit 12 of 25 field shots for 48 per cent in the first half and 12 of 21 for 39 per cent in the second. Breckenridge hit 7 of 12 for 58 per cent in the first half, but cooled to 14 of 26 in the second half. Phillip Floyd and Jerry Vestal had 7 rebounds each and Brown had 6 as the Tigers led in rebounding, 33-31.

Tonight's game with Hamlin is a return match. The Tigers won an 88-52 decision in Hamlin in their second game of the season. However, the Pied Pipers are reported much improved since their early games. Tonight's action will begin at 6:15 p.m. with a B game.

SNYDER (53)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Bullard	5	1	2	11
Anderson	3	1	4	7
Featherston	1	0	1	2
Brown	3	1	2	7
Vestal	2	1	2	5
Floyd	1	2	0	4
Totals	17	10	9	53
BROWNWOOD (39)	F	FT	PF	TP
Carmichael	2	0	4	4
Richey	1	0	3	2
Harris	5	2	1	12
Thompson	3	2	1	8
Hensley	3	2	1	8
Sealey	0	0	1	0
Totals	14	6	11	39

SNYDER (63)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Bullard	5	1	4	11
Anderson	5	5	4	15
Featherston	1	2	5	4
Brown	4	1	3	9
Crowell	3	1	2	7
Vestal	4	5	3	13
Floyd	3	0	3	6
Totals	24	17	23	65
BRIDGE (43)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Bass	5	1	1	11
Everett	3	0	3	6
McCall	1	2	1	4
Wilson	3	2	4	8
Lankford	1	0	2	2
Newell	0	0	1	0
Totals	14	15	16	43

SPORTS

Fluvanna's Boys, Girard Girls Win

FLUVANNA — Host Fluvanna led all the way to win the championship of the boys division of the Fluvanna Invitational Basketball Tournament, but the Fluvanne girls were edged out in the finals Saturday night.

Although they led all the way, Fluvanna boys took a close, 51-49 decision over Dawson in the finals. Girard girls decisioned Fluvanna girls, 34-24, in the finals of the girls division.

Hermleigh defeated Dawson, 38-35, in the girls division consolation finals, while Girard boys decisioned Hermleigh boys, 74-29, in the consolation finals of the boys division.

Fluvanna boys had three men in double figures in the championship finals as Bobby Hall roped 18 points, Joe Beaver 16 and Richard Contreras 15. Keith Haynes and Steve Burkett scored 13 each for Dawson.

Beth Williams scored 22 points to pace Girard girls over Fluvanna girls in their championship finals. Oralia Ynguanzo led Fluvanna with 12.

In the girls consolation finals, Hermleigh's Sandra Fritz scored 25 points, while Ann Thomas topped Dawson scorers with 20.

Bruce Browning roped 28 points for Girard boys in the consolation finals, while Don Taylor's 8 was high for Hermleigh.

Named to the girls all-tournament team were Beth Williams of Girard, Oralia Ynguanzo of Fluvanna and Pam Sallee of Ira, forwards, and Sherill Corley of Hermleigh, Brenda Wilson of Dawson and Linda Altman of Post, guards.

Members of the boys all-tournament team are Alvin Petty of Dawson, Don Taylor of Hermleigh, Bruce Browning of Girard, Furrion Vargas of Post, Bobby Hall and Henry Contreras both of Fluvanna.

Next basketball action at Fluvanna will be tonight when the Fluvanna junior high teams host Hobbs junior high teams.

GIRLS CONSOLATION

HERMLEIGH GIRLS — Sandra Fritz 11-3-25; Marilyn Darden 1-7-9; Virginia Finch 2-0-4; Totals 14-10-38.

DAWSON GIRLS — Ann Thomas 7-6-20; Norma Weeks 1-0-2; Linda Harp 3-5-11; Terrie Juter 0-2-2; Totals 11-13-15.

BOYS CONSOLATION

HERMLEIGH BOYS — Don Taylor 3-2-8; David Creswell 2-2-6; Ray Etheredge 1-0-2; Bradley Brannon 3-1-7; Jimmy Hudgins 1-2-4; Danny Peterson 1-0-2; Totals 11-7-29.

GIRARD BOYS — Darrell Hollingshead 5-3-13; Bill Williams 2-4-8; O'Dell Hamilton 1-0-2; Bruce Browning 13-2-28; Ronnie Gregory 7-1-15; Dennis Spray 3-2-8; Totals 31-12-74.

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GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIP

FLUVANNA GIRLS — Rinda Bruner 4-2-10; Oralia Ynguanzo 5-2-12; Debbie Mathis 1-0-2; Totals 10-4-24.

GIRARD GIRLS — Beth Williams 9-4-22; Nelda Walker 0-1-1; Donna Dyer 5-0-10; Debra Goodall 0-1-1; Totals 14-6-34.

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BOYS CHAMPIONSHIP

FLUVANNA BOYS — Richard Contreras 7-1-15; Bobby Hall 9-0-18; Joe Beaver 6-4-16; Henry Contreras 0-2-2; Totals 22-7-51.

DAWSON BOYS — Keith Haynes 6-1-13; Randy Good 4-0-8; Alvin Petty 5-0-10; Steve Burkett 6-1-13; David James 2-1-5; Totals 23-3-49.

BOWLING

UPS & DOWNS LEAGUE

STANDINGS: Bill's Auto Salvage 43-17; Team 6, 38-22; Chief Pump & Supply Co., 35-29; Norton's Humble, 31-33; Bobbie's Chat & Curl 30-34; Little Mexico 29-35; Holt Music Co., 26-38; Walton Construction, 24-40.

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Team 6 2202, Norton's Humble 1875, Little Mexico 1791.

HIGH TEAM GAMES: Team 6 685-673, Norton's Humble 652, Team 6 644.

IND. SERIES: Pat Hackley (Chief Pump & Supply) 542, Mary Reynolds (Bobbie's Chat & Curl) 525, Betty Tatum (Norton's Humble) 517.

IND. GAMES: Pat Hackley 197-193, Freda Childress, (Team 6) 190, Mary Reynolds 187.

SPLITS MADE: Holt Music — Rozelle Wall 3-10, Joyce Webb 2-7, Bill's Auto — Jackie Baldwin 3-10, Iva Martin 5-8-10, Nelda Vaught 3-10, Little Mexico — Nell Fowler 3-10, Norton's — Ruth Bookout 4-5-7, Team 6 — Evelyn Evans 3-10.

Lincoln Girls Take Title At Plainview

PLAINVIEW — Snyder Lincoln's girls team turned back Olton, 34-28, in the finals to win the girls division of the Plainview tournament here Saturday night.

The Lincoln boys team lost to Floydada, 84-59, in opening round play, but won the consolation bracket by default when Olton failed to produce enough players for the consolation finals.

Lincoln girls had trounced Floydada, 51-40, in their first round game. The Lincoln girls now have won 11 and lost only one.

In the championship game, Johnnie Goosby had 19 points, Pearlie Scott 12 and Emma Garrett 3 for Lincoln. Evelyn Brazier had 12 rebounds. Josephine Springer had 17 points to pace the Olton scoring.

In the first round game with Floydada, Pearlie Scott had 29 points, Johnnie Goosby, 20, Yvonne Sanders 2, Evelyn Brazier led in rebounds with 14. Floydada's top scorer was Shirley Minner with 27 points.

Vernon Clay got 16 points to pace Lincoln boys in their first round game. Paul Barnes had 15, Billy McClain 13, M. C. Pearson 6 and Curtis Clay 5. Curtis Clay also led in rebounding with 12. Jowell Storey scored 28 points for the Floydada boys.

The Lincoln boys team has now won 6 and lost 8.

The tournament concluded pre-Christmas activity for the Lincoln basketball teams.

KINGS & QUEENS LEAGUE

STANDINGS: Team 3 Farrar - Stephens - Evans 44-12, Team 8 Bunch - King (Incomplete) 32-16, Team 7 Bunch - Thompson (Incomplete) 27-21, Team 5 Ballards Truck Stop 24-31½, Team 4 Von Roeder Sands 24-32, Team 1 Slate-Pierce 23-33, Team 4 Central Tire Service 22½-33½, Team 2 Gabers 22-34.

TEAM SERIES: Gandys 2269, Team 3 2253, Team 8 2235.

TEAM GAMES: Team 3 948, Gandys and Ballards 784, Central Tire Service 774.

MENS SERIES: Bill Smith 536, Stanley Noah 534, Jr. King, 509.

MENS GAMES: H. R. Stephens 204, Stanley Noah 200, 195, O. R. Brown 200.

LADIES SERIES: Barbara Newman 481, Iva Martin 466, Margie King 463.

LADIES GAMES: Evelyn Evans and Lily Farrar 183, Margie King 182, Iva Martin 181.

SPLITS MADE: Ed Edwards 3-10, O. R. Brown 3-10, Joe Rollins 6-7-9, Wilma Brown 3-10, Patty Slater 5-10, J. L. M. Thomson 2-5-7, Stanley Noah 3-10.

Dick Butkus Top Lineman

By The Associated Press

Dick Butkus, the 6-foot-4, 250-pund linebacker from Illinois who won All-America honors for the second straight year, was named the outstanding lineman of the 1964 college football season in the annual Associated Press poll today.

The Illini star, recently signed by the Chicago Bears of the National Football League, collected 53 votes in the balloting by 425 writers and broadcasters. Steve DeLong, All-America linebacker from Tennessee, was second with 15 votes, followed by Jack Snow, Notre Dame's stellar end, with nine.

Butkus made of assisted on 132 tackles in nine Illinois games. On one series of downs against UCLA he made the tackle on the first two downs and intercepted a flat pass on the third. He also played center in key short-yardage situations.

Pete Elliott, the Illinois coach, called Butkus "the finest player I ever coached." And the big linebacker was additionally praised by these comments by voters participating in the AP poll:

"He is perhaps the greatest linebacker ever" and "he was an outstanding all-around player with a mediocre team."

Bills Favored To Win Title

By BOB GREEN
Associated Press Sports Writer

The hard facts from the statistics sheets and a quick review of recent history would point to a Buffalo victory over San Diego next Saturday in the American Football League's title game.

But it's those pesky, unpredictable intangibles that have a way of turning things around and make it impossible to answer these questions until Saturday afternoon in Buffalo.

Will Buffalo's momentum, plus the lift of the Eastern Division clinching 24-14 decision over Boston Sunday, be enough to carry the Bills to their first title in the five-year history of the league?

Or will defending champion San Diego be able to shake off the disturbing effect of two straight losses, including a 21-20 upset at the hands of Oakland, and nail down a second straight title?

San Diego Coach Sid Gillman

SWC Has A Short Slate

By The Associated Press

It's a very short schedule in Southwest Conference basketball this week for which the teams should be happy — four of the five games are intersectional, something at which the league has been doing rather poorly this season.

Last week the teams proceeded to lose seven while winning five and this rivalry was the first showing thus far.

Baylor took a couple of games to remove it's last unbeaten team in the conference and both of them were of the intersectional variety — 97-78 to Vanderbilt and 82-64 to Florida State.

Texas A&M won two out of three and gained the best season record, replacing Baylor. The Aggies are 6-2 while Baylor is 5-2.

Arkansas did the most toward helping the intersectional record when the revitalized Porkers beat Tulsa 65-64 and the Phillips Oilers 72-70.

Tulsa had beaten Southern Methodist the previous week by 19 points. Which may have furnished a good comparison of a couple of the conference teams.

Another comparison this subject came when A&M licked Rice 69-60 in the Bluebonnet Classic at Houston.

Texas A&M had an erratic week although winning more than it lost. The Aggies first licked Houston 74-67 but lost 59-49 in a return engagement.

Texas Tech also continued to play erratically. The Red Raiders took an 85-79 licking from Oklahoma but whipped Nebraska 82-78.

But Tech's Dub Maiale continued his steady play. The all-conference Red Raider ran his scoring total to 150 points and has the best average in the league — 25.0 per game.

Jean Beasley of Texas A&M has the most points, 169, but has played in two more games.

Monday Texas Christian hosts Centenary while Texas Tech gets Colorado in Lubbock and Texas plays Howard Payne at Austin. Tuesday Rice engages Missouri at Houston and Wednesday Missouri plays Southern Methodist in Dallas.

That winds up action for the week as the teams take out for the Christmas holidays. They return next week when tournament time arrives. They'll be playing all over the South and in Oklahoma then.

Liberty Tilt Will Remain Under Roof

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
Associated Press Sports Writer

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — The Liberty Bowl is here because it got too cold there.

"Here" is this south Jersey coastal resort, scene of Saturday's sixth annual Liberty Bowl college football's first indoor bowl game.

"There" is — or rather was — Philadelphia, where the bowl spent its first five years and no matter how hot the action was on the field things were always cold, cold, cold.

It was cold in Atlantic City, too — 31 degrees, to be precise — but it was a comfortable 60 inside cavernous Convention Hall as Utah thrashed West Virginia 32-6.

"Artistically, everything was perfect," said promoter A. F. (Bud) Dudley. "And we came out all right financially, too, thanks to television and a group of private individuals who underwrote the game for $25,000.

"We'll go here next year and, I hope, for many years to come," he promised.

BOWLING

EARLY BIRDIES LEAGUE

STANDINGS: Red Robins 37½-22½, Falcons 36½-23½, Cardinals 34-26, Eagles 32½-27½, Larks 27-33, Sparrows 24-36, Woodpeckers 24-36, Cuckoos 20-40.

HIGH TEAM SERIES: Cardinals & Spares 1736, Red Robins 1696, Cuckoos 1653.

HIGH TEAM GAMES: Cardinals 633, Red Robins 632, Spares 610.

HIGH IND. SERIES: Freda Childress 548, Barbara Newman 485, Cecil Fulks 474.

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SPLITS PICKED UP: Norma Beck 5-10, Norma Thompson 2-7, Irene Masters 5-6-10, Ruth Hicks 5-10, Ida Thurston 5-10, Jennie Lou Hartman 3-10, 5-10, 5-6.

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In addition to the key games involving Buffalo and San Diego, the other regular season finals saw Kansas City win New York 24-7 and Houston beat Denver 34-15.

Jack Kemp was the prime mover for the Bills against the Patriots as a swirling snowstorm and Boston's line contained the rush of Gilchrist and Gray Carlton.

Kemp opened with a 57-yard scoring pass to Elbert Dubenion and sneaked across for the other two himself after setting them up with passes.

Boston's long chance to get back into the frosty game came in the first period when a Halo Parilli pass to Tony Romeo went 37 yards for a touchdown, but a two-point try for conversion failed. That made it 7-6, Buffalo, and the Bills had a 17-7 halftime margin on a Kemp sneak and Pete Gogolak's 12-yard field goal.

"This was the big one for us," Buffalo defensive back George Saimes said. "Were over the hump now and we'll take San Diego. We had this mental block about not beating Boston."

Oakland's Clem Daniels sparked the Raider comeback, running for 120 yards in the final quarter against San Diego. He accounted for 57 in the winning drive, capped in the closing minutes on a 12-yard touchdown pass from Tom Flores to Billy Cannon and Mike Mercer's winning conversion kick.

George Blanda set season records for pass attempts, 505, and completions, 262, in the Oilers' victory. Chuck Henningan caught eight for a season total of 101, a record.

Len Dawson passed for two touchdowns for the Chiefs, who evened their season record at 7-7. The Jets' Matt Snell ran for 103 yards, setting a rookie rushing mark of 945 for the season, but the Jets still lost their seventh straight on the road.

Bowl Defeat Found Vaught With Manners Unprepared

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Jerry Rhome and an unexpectedly tough Tulsa defense exploded Mississippi's favored spot in the Bluebonnet Bowl.

But the 14-7 Tulsa victory led to some sharp criticism of the Ole Miss Rebels.

While the passing whiz wiped out Mississippi — which had been an 11-point favorite — Rebel Coach Johnny Vaught's postgame actions ired sports writers.

Vaught, a Texas Christian University graduate and long a favorite among Texas football fans, initially was upset by two late fourth quarter rulings by the officials.

Then, he apparently was ired at having lost the game, the eighth consecutive bowl game for the Rebels.

He kept a group of irritated sports writers waiting in 39-degree cold for a half-hour after the game. They had to wait until all the players had filed out the door.

In his Monday column, Houston Post Sports Editor Mickey Herskowitz described the Bluebonnet Bowl a perfect one except for Ole Miss manners.

"(At Mississippi) football is played for blood and money, and they don't let you forget it," Herskowitz wrote.

"Ole Miss came to Houston aware that it had just two obligations to the Bluebonnet Bowl. To have 11 bodies on the field at 2:30 Saturday and to send someone around after the game to the cashier's window to pick up their check.

"This was probably the best, the most exciting spectator's game of all the Bluebonnet Bowls, and nothing the Rebels did on their way to defeat so ill became them as what transpired after it.

"They blamed their 14-7 loss to Tulsa on the officials, which is a crybaby thing.

"There is no defense for bad manners or pettiness," Herskowitz wrote, not in reality, losing its first game or its fifth, as was the case with Ole Miss Saturday.

"Perhaps there would be less of an impulse to condemn Vaught and the Rebels if they did not suffer so by comparison to the good humor, gratitude and the eagerness to cooperate of Glenn Dobbs and his Tulsa players."

Mississippi had given Tulsa's national pass champion Rhome a rough time in the early stages — he was thrown for losses eight times — but he scored the tying touchdown in the second quarter and won the game with a 35-yard pass to Eddie Fletcher in the third period.

And at the same time he tacked on two Bluebonnet records to his string of 17 NCAA marks.

Stunned by the unexpectedly deep Tulsa defense, the Rebels failed to get past the Tulsa 44-yard line in the second half.

When he finally talked to the writers, Vaught commented on three decisions that annoyed him in particular.

He felt Kenny Smith had recovered Jeff Jordan's fumbled punt in the third quarter but Tulsa was awarded possession and moved to the game's winning touchdown.

Then in the fading minutes, the Rebels were assessed a clipping penalty on a fourth down Tulsa punt and an Ole Miss pass theft was nullified by offsetting penalties.

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Officials Of CRMWD Are Optimistic

Despite the hearing's first-day project was made a target in and in the hearing before the cause of what opposing lawyer Texas Water Commission and considered questionable quality, week, officials of the Colorado because of power users might River Municipal Water District have to pay and because of said they are confident that their applica- tenure. The latter was made an tion for a permit to impound a issue Tuesday through Frank Combs and Robert Lee will be ap- It verified that CRMWD was proved.

They will get the answer in a much more solid position probably in the first half of than it was the original January. The TWC resumed the hearing Tuesday because of Texas and its many supply problems elsewhere and of a ruling that testimony could not be crowded in last week due to a one-day recess because of a death in one of the counsel's family.

The CRMWD got in all but one of its witnesses and the line of cross examination made several things clear. The foremost is that interests from Lake Buchanan to the Gulf, particularly those along the seven reservoirs which comprise the Highland Lakes, are aroused not so much at the CRMWD's proposal as they are at the potential result of developing all the lakes which various agencies have suggested.

When Elbert Hooper, CRMWD attorney, objected to bringing in speculation about other lakes on the grounds the CRMWD had nothing to do with them and that they were purely conjectural, both Sen. Charles Herring, representing the Lower Colorado River Authority and the City of Austin, and Frank Erwin, representing tourist and real estate developments along the lakes, vigorously maintained

"This is the heart of the matter."

They were permitted to press the point. They agreed that this was the first link in a chain of reservoirs they thought would drastically cut the amount of water in existing lakes.

The second thing that they appear to seek in the vigorous contest of the application is to serve notice that it's war at the waterside from now on. When S. W. Freese, CRMWD engineer, blandly mentioned that this area would have to be looking for still another source of water by the late 1980's, he was asked where the district would go. He cited the Stacey location on the Colorado just below the confluence of the river and the Concho River. Opposing attorneys protested to be aghast and asked "Where is this going to end?"

A third objective the opposition seems to seek is to get into the record commitments or indications which will hamstring operations or dictate the amount and mode of release of water by downstream users.

Several lines of attack have been formed. The first is to challenge the claims of projected growth for West Texas. Questions were directed in an effort to create the impression that West Texas was once a luxuriant semi - desert and would be again once oil is gone. Similarly, assaults were made upon the amount of water which the CRMWD seeks to impound [illegible] initial conservation storage. Salvo after salvo was fired on the district's arrangement with oil companies to furnish waters temporarily in surplus for repressuring and waterflooding of oilfields.

Finally, the feasibility of the

Winter Makes Timid Entry Into Texas

By The Associated Press

Winter appeared to be making its official bow into Texas almost apologetically today. It was that mild, compared to the bitter cold in which much of the state shivered last week.

Widespread fog and low clouds held early morning temperatures above freezing nearly everywhere in the state.

Clear skies made Wichita Falls an exception. It recorded an overnight low of 26 degrees.

Fair weather also prevailed elsewhere in the Panhandle-Plains sector and most of Southwest Texas.

Fog hung low before daylight around El Paso, Childress, Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco, College Station, McAllen, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Victoria, Palestine, Carrizo Springs, Lufkin and Texarkana.

The Weather Bureau predicted occasional light rain or drizzle tonight or tomorrow along the middle and upper Texas coast. Cooler air was due to move into the Panhandle again tonight.

New long range forecasts, however, indicated dry weather and temperatures several degrees above normal the next five days. This gave promise of pleasant Christmas weather except for the prediction of a cooling trend near the weekend.

Cubans Shoot 3 Americans

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Three agents of the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency were executed by a firing squad for "crimes against the nation's integrity and stability," Havana Radio said today.

Other agents were sentenced to prison terms of one to 30 years, the radio said. It did not say how many others were involved.

The Miami-monitored broadcast identified the U.S. agents shot to death as Ricardo Ulloa Olivera, Daniel Montero Camalier and Desiderio Valladares.

Ulloa and Montero were formerly in the Cuban militia, the radio said. It said Valladares was one of the leaders in what it termed a "CIA nestsite of espionage" in the Western Union Front."

Havana Radio said the spying had been operating in Pinar del Rio province.

Mother, Daughters Die In Collision

SPIRO, Okla. (AP)—A mother and her two daughters were killed in a head-on collision 4 miles east of here on U.S. 271 Sunday.

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Budget Cutting Tops Johnson's Holiday Agenda

By KARL R. BAUMAN

JOHNSON CITY, Tex. (AP) — President Johnson gave budget-cutting top priority today as he settled down at the LBJ Ranch for the Christmas holidays. He planned to discuss spending with his budget director and three Cabinet officers.

Press secretary George E. Reedy described Johnson as determined to reduce spending requests "as prudently as he can, and as far as he can within the limits of efficiency and effectiveness."

Many administration officials in Washington are predicting that by New Year's Day, Johnson will have whacked federal spending proposals below $100 billion for the year starting July 1, 1965. He has said this will be difficult, but he did it last year after making some negative forecasts.

Those on hand at the ranch [illegible] Budget Director Kermit Gordon, Secretary of Commerce Luther H. Hodges, Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall and Dr. Donald Hornig, presidential assistant for science and technology.

A Budget Bureau official said in Washington Saturday that about 10 departments and agencies are appealing from the spending limits recommended by Gordon, and that it's now up to the President to make the final decisions.

John T. Connor, who will succeed Hodges as secretary of commerce in January, also came from Washington with the President so he could sit in on discussion of the department's budget requests.

Original spending requests of 70 departments and agencies totaled $108.5 billion. Actual spending during the current fiscal year is currently estimated at $97.2 billion.

Some reductions have been made in the spending requests, but by how much has not been disclosed. These requests were only for existing programs and do not include new programs Johnson plans to recommend such as funds for the depressed Appalachia region.

Administration sources have said that none of the recommendations in Johnson's "Great Society" program will be specifically costly in [illegible] first year.

Some increases in government spending are inevitable because of legally fixed outlays for such things as veterans benefits, interest on the debt and government pay raises.

There are indications Johnson may balance these by moving against such programs as [illegible] and atomic energy, cutting out unneeded installations and programs of lesser priority.

Work on the budget has to be completed by New Year's Day because it has to go to the printers then to be ready for Congress 15 days after the new session opens Jan. 4.

Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. Johnson and their 17-year-old daughter, Luci Baines, and the various government officials, arrived at Bergstrom Air Force Base near Austin Sunday after a flight of just under three hours from Andrews Air Force Base near Washington. From Bergstrom all except Luci flew by helicopter the 65 miles to the Johnson ranch. Luci got in some visiting with friends before driving to the ranch in company of a Secret Service agent.

The older Johnson daughter, Lynda Bird, 20, has classes at George Washington University until Wednesday.

Some 200 persons saw Johnson's helicopter take off from the south lawn of the White House. Usually only a few persons are permitted within the [illegible] for presidential take-offs.

The 200 were members of the families of White House correspondents who were touring the executive mansion at the President's invitation.

TELLS HOW SHE CAPTURED GUNMAN — Judy Jershin, 18, Wichita University, Wichita, Kan., freshman, who grabbed a jailbreaker's gun left on the seat of her car after he had ordered her out and held him at gunpoint until police arrived. The fugitive, Richard Lee McArthur, 22, was described by police as "extremely dangerous with homicidal tendencies". (AP Wirephoto)

New Satellite To Measure Radiation

By HOWARD BENEDICT

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — The Explorer 26 satellite soared into orbit today to measure space radiation and the threat it poses to men and machinery flying deep into space.

The 101-pound windmill-shaped satellite shot aloft from Cape Kennedy at 4 a.m. aboard a towering Delta rocket which blazed brilliantly into the pre-dawn darkness.

The flight control center announced an hour later that tracking information indicated all three stages of the booster had fired with precision and drilled the payload into space.

Launch director Robert Gray said that "everything seems to be working just as expected."

Explorer 26 was aimed at a looping course intended to take it 15,800 miles away from earth before it swings back as close as 200 miles at the low point of its orbit.

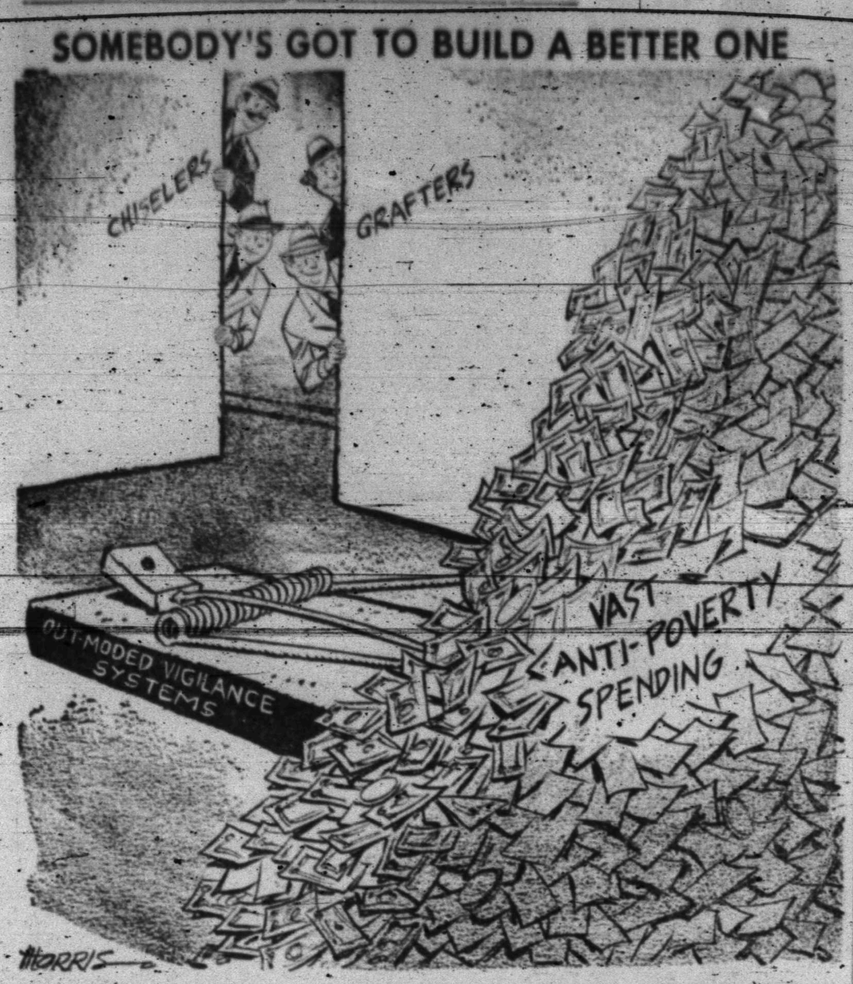
Because of the eccentric path sought, the satellite was to make one global circuit every seven hours.

Officials said it would require several hours to determine accurate orbital figures.

The newest in a long line of Explorer satellites is to carry on work started by its predecessors in probing basic scientific mysteries of space.

The Explorer experiments were designed to provide the most extensive information yet on how high-energy radiation particles become trapped in the earth's magnetic field to form the Van Allen belt, and the danger the belt poses to men and machinery flying future flights [illegible]

Virginia was the first of the colonies to take a census — in 1624.



Santa Must Have Promised Merry Christmas To LBJ

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press News Analyst

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson couldn't have a much better Christmas. He has everything going for him.

There's no crisis in sight. He has four years as President ahead. The country is prosperous. His own Democrats, in control of Congress, outnumber the Republicans tremendously.

Worse than that for his opposition, the decimated Republicans are even divided on where they go from here.

The Russians, having scuttled Nikita Khrushchev, are trying to get accustomed to being without him, but the Red Chinese are just as mad at them as they were at Khrushchev.

Johnson made so few promises in the election campaign he is free to go in almost any direction now and by soft-pedalling what he has in mind he has saved himself from criticism before he gets started.

Although the United States is the strongest military power on earth, the NATO Allies are disagreeing among themselves but they have been doing that quite a while and Johnson can not be blamed for it.

In fact, if they start getting along soon, he will probably get much of the credit since, instead of barging into the differences, he presents himself as the spreader of oil on troubled waters.

Even the civil rights turmoil has subsided a bit. And, thanks to the Supreme Court's approval of the ban on discrimination in places like hotels and restaurants, one big cause of trouble has had much of the sting taken out.

Johnson would like to keep the budget for next year below $100 billion, and he will be working at it on his Texas ranch this week, getting ready to present his figures to Congress in January.

But even here if he cannot reach the desired figure, a storm is unlikely because he has already done such a good job of creating an image of himself as a penny-pincher.

True, he does not seem to have figured out yet how to handle the press. He has been trying it every which way, in big news conferences announced ahead of time; in peripatetic conferences with a handful of reporters on the White House lawn; or in his office with small, selected groups of newsmen, who can report what he says so long as they do not say he said it.

Nevertheless, he has been getting along all right, even with such mixed up arrangements, and no wonder. As President, he will keep on making front pages when he says anything and when he doesn't.

Fidel Castro is still a pain, but he was a pain to President John F. Kennedy, and there is no immediate need for a solution.

The Communists in Viet Nam are making a mess of any Johnsonian hopes for a quick or easy victory, but Kennedy had to sweat that one out too, and by playing pretty mum Johnson is keeping down the anxiety factor.

There is no sound of fussing among the Cabinet members he inherited from Kennedy and as they depart one by one, as they probably will, it will all be done with a public exchange of sweet regrets, thus preserving a position of harmony.

All this quietude, being a bit abnormal in the White House, may not last much beyond the first of the year. But, until then, Johnson can enjoy his Christmas tree, saying thanks to Santa Claus for a happy holiday.

The only way a justice of the Supreme Court of the United States can be removed from office is by impeachment. Proceedings must be initiated by the House of Representatives and carried out in the Senate.

Boyle Opens His Mail Once More

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

America's 22½ million teenagers spend an estimated $11 billion yearly.

Probably the most contagious of all human diseases is ergasiophobia — the fear of work.

One in every 10 U.S. families — some five million in all — is now headed by a woman. In a third of these families there is a child of school age, and in an additional 23 per cent a child under 6.

If you don't receive at least 15 Christmas cards, you aren't as popular as the average guy.

Scientists at the University of Alabama are working on a chewing gum they hope will help prevent dental decay.

In eight out of 10 cases of automobile theft the culprit is a boy under 20.

It costs as much to produce a television commercial today as it used to take to put on a three-act dramatic play. One recent 90-second auto commercial required the cooperation of 200 people in five states over a four-month period. The final bill was $27,000.

History lesson: What president carried a bullet in his arm for 20 years? He was Andrew Jackson, who was wounded in a duel in 1812. The imbedded bullet wasn't removed until 1832. Perhaps the most cantankerous of all White House residents, Jackson, according to some authorities, engaged in approximately 100 brawls and duels in his lifetime.

Hitting the silk: Sky divers plummet earthward at a speed of up to 160 miles an hour until their parachutes open. They then slow down to 16 feet a second, or less than 11 miles an hour.

Folklore: If your ears ring, it means the weather will change soon. To dream about fire is a sign you will soon become involved in a quarrel. Never sing before breakfast unless you want to cry before supper. Sneeze on a Monday and you can expect danger; but sneeze on a Tuesday and you will kiss a stranger.

Nature notes: Beavers are able to gnaw while submerged without getting water in their mouths. If you think that's easy, try it yourself. A cricket only an inch long can make a chirp loud enough to be heard almost a mile. Cottontail rabbits have a real longevity problem: Because of their many enemies, only one in 20 lives to be a year old. That's why they're so interested in multiplying.

Quickies: About 70 per cent of U.S. youths now complete high school. The three best-paying occupations today are medicine, law and dentistry. In Tibet, one of every six persons is a priest.

It was Sir David Eccles, British statesman, who observed, "If a man has good manners and is not afraid of other people, he will get by — even if he is stupid."

The New England section of the country received its name from Capt. John Smith. The wooded hills, narrow green valleys and rocky hillsides reminded him of his native England.

Junior Editors Quiz on CORAL

QUESTION: How is coral made?

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ANSWER: This is the question Phyllis is asking herself as she admires a beautiful coral necklace her father gave her for a birthday gift. Coral is so hard it looks like stone, indeed, it is limestone, but this has been formed by tiny animals called coral polyps. The polyps look like minute flowers, but the petals are really tentacles surrounding a mouth which is on top of a sack-like body. Needing protection and support, the polyps take calcium which is dissolved in sea water and deposit it around their bodies in the form of hard calcium carbonate. Most coral animals crowd together, their combined cups forming many strange and beautiful shapes such as at upper right and lower left.

It is the gathering of billions of these tiny animals which made the famous coral reefs. Corals need water at temperatures above 70 degrees, so they are found in tropical and subtropical areas. Corals provide the foundation for many of the romantic tropical islands, some of which, the atolls, are circular in shape, with coral reefs surrounding an area of quiet water, the lagoon.

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FOR YOU TO DO: The kind of coral used for jewelry often comes from the Mediterranean Sea. Find it on a map and see if you can get a bit for your mineral collection.

(Marilyn Weiner of Fort Morgan, Colo., wins today's coveted prize of Compton's Illustrated Science Dictionary plus $10 cash for this question. Mail yours on a post card to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper, and you may win the week's grand prize of Compton's Pictured Encyclopedia.)

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. [illegible]
5. [illegible]
8. [illegible]
11. [illegible]
12. Psyche
13. Mountain in Alaska
14. Norwegian saint
15. Ruin
17. Relay remounts
19. Youngster
20. Algonquian Indian
21. Malice
24. Acquaints oneself
28. Conger
29. Existed
30. Smirked
33. Overact
36. Vase
37. Negligent
38. Use of gesso
42. Connotation
45. Diva's specialty
46. Many times
47. Diamond [illegible]
48. Would-be gentleman: slang
49. Devoured
50. Summer in Paris
51. Female sheep

DOWN
1. Perfume
2. West Point mascot
3. Composer of "Cantique de Noel"
4. Deny
5. Edits
6. Ripen
7. Stations
8. More robust
9. Difficulty
10. Wages
16. Faucet
18. Cupid's title
22. Golf mound
23. Of old
24. Be in debt
25. Batter
26. Single out
27. Nestle
31. Epoch
32. Hire
34. Dress leather
39. Developed
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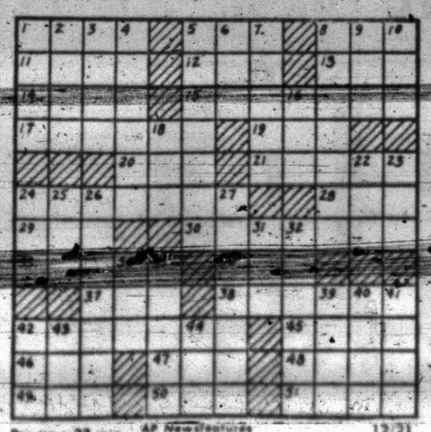

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Long, Shocking Testimony Tells Horrors Of Auschwitz

By LOYAL GOULD

FRANKFURT, Germany (AP)—The horrors of Auschwitz have been unfolding before a German court for a year now.

The shocking testimony is clearly wearing on the judges and jury who must listen to it. They have at least another month to go, with no verdict expected before March.

Of the 21 defendants on trial, 14 were free on bail when the sessions began Dec. 20, 1963. Of these, 9 have been jailed on the basis of incriminating evidence given in the courtroom. The other 5 never know when testimony will jail them too. Aware of this, each brings to every trial session an overnight bag with pajamas, soap, a toothbrush and an extra white shirt.

In more than 120 court sessions, over 250 witnesses have testified about deliberate savagery at the German extermination center in Poland.

Documentary evidence shows that, during its five years of operation, untold millions perished in Auschwitz — Nazi Germany's biggest and smoothest-functioning death factory. They were victims of mass gasings, burnings, hangings, shootings, torture, starvation, disease and overwork as slave laborers.

The majority were civilians — Jews, Slavs and Gypsies considered undeserving of life in the Third Reich. But they also included American, British, French, Canadian and Soviet prisoners of war, forced at pistol point to shed their uniforms minutes before entering the gas chambers.

The descriptions by survivors often revolt courtroom visitors. Presiding Judge Hans Hofmeyer weeps unashamedly on hearing witnesses tell such details as this:

Defendant Wilhelm Boger — nicknamed "the Devil of Auschwitz" by former inmates — tore babies from their mothers' arms and tossed them alive onto gasoline-sprayed piles of burning bodies "where they rolled around like little fire balls."

Defendant Perry Broad shot raven-haired, teen-age Jewish girls after sexually molesting them.

"Doctor" Josef Klehr, a day laborer before becoming an enlisted SS medical aide, forced young boys to hold their struggling fathers while the defendant stabbed their elders' hearts with a hypodermic needle containing lethal carbolic acid.

Judge Hofmeyer, whose face and bearing clearly show the emotional strain he is under, has girded himself for at least another month of similar testimony before adjourning the court session to ponder the guilt or innocence of the defendants. He will be joined in his deliberations by two assistant judges and four jury members.

The proceedings started after four years of preparation.

Richard Baer, the last Auschwit commander, died of a heart attack in pretrial confinement. Also missing is Joseph Mengele, an Auschwitz physician accused of performing "medical experiments" that either killed or permanently crippled. Mengele is rumored to be hiding in Paraguay.

Coverage of the trial by Frankfurt newspapers has been highly detailed. The appearance of trial stories in the rest of the German press depends largely on their dramatic content.

But even this seems too much for many Germans. Letters to the editors frequently contain reader demands that the past be forgotten. Many also write that the defendants were soldiers who carried out orders.

Nationwide polls show that of the West Germans questioned, a majority, up to 70 per cent in some cases, oppose war crimes trials as strong as they resist extending the German statute of limitations for wartime murder beyond next May 8, the scheduled expiration date.

Rockwall Woman Killed In Crash

TERRELL (AP) — Mrs. Avriele Mary Potter, 22, of Rockwall was killed as her husband's pickup truck skidded on a wet road and overturned into a ditch.

Her husband, Raymond Potter, and their 22-month-old son escaped injury. Both were thrown clear as the vehicle rolled four times.

The accident happened just north of Terrell on Texas 205.

Teachers Organize To Back Pay Raise

BATON ROUGE (AP)—The Louisiana Teachers Association (LTA) is embarked on a policy of building up political muscle to back teacher pay raises.

The organization rejected a strategy of strike at its convention here Saturday, approving a plan of political organization instead.

To most LTA leaders, Gov. John McKeithen was the political villain in their failure to win the full pay raise recommended by the united school committee. Its scale would have raised the pay of the state's 36,000 public school teachers by an average of $1,200 a year each. Louisiana teachers are paid by the state.

Instead, the November legislature called by McKeithen approved a raise averaging about $550 a year. The LTA accused the governor of breaking a political pledge.

US, W. Germany Eye Super-Tank

By BEM PRICE

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States and West Germany are deeply involved in the joint design of a way-out main battle tank for the 1970s — and trying to resolve a real nuts and bolts problem.

A Defense Department official said in an interview that the design requirement calls for a great "jump over the operational capabilities of every tank now extant or on the drawing boards."

While details are highly classified, it is reported that the tank has been designed to operate effectively on a battlefield saturated with atomic, chemical and bacteriological weapons.

This means that it would be resistant to the fire and blast of a near miss by a tactical nuclear weapon, that it would be sealed against the entry of chemicals and bacteria.

These requirements mean that the tank will carry either its own oxygen supply for the crew or an extremely efficient filter and air conditioning system.

There has been a hint from Willis M. Hawkins, assistant secretary of the Army for research and development, that the tank may not even be made of steel.

Further, the Defense official said, it is possible the tank may not use wheels and tracks, but will operate on a cushion of air.

The weapons system to be mounted on the tank could be a tube-fired rocket — or a rocket and a gun in combination.

There are reports that another requirement for the tank is a nuclear capability of its own.

As for that nut and bolt problem:

The West Germans measure their nuts, bolts and screws on the metric system — centimeters — while the United States uses the linear system — inches and feet.

This produces a variation in the number of turns over a given distance and thus the pitch of the threads are different. Under these conditions a U.S. bolt will not fit a German nut — and vice versa.

So critical is this problem, since it involves considerable retooling by one nation or the other, that it has been bucked in the United States up to Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and in Germany to Defense Minister Kai-Uwe von Hassel.

The Defense official said this was one of the subjects of discussion between McNamara and Von Hassel when they met last month.

In the United States the tank's development is under the jurisdiction of the Army Materiel Command and is the specific responsibility of Maj. Gen. Welborn G. Dolvin, highly decorated tank veteran of World War II and Korea.

The cost of the program is being shared by both nations, each putting up $20 million to develop a prototype.

The tank's preliminary design is to be submitted to both nations later this month or early in 1965, the source said.

The desirability of such a tank was in the talking stage for more than a year before the $377,000 basic study contract was let to Lockheed Aircraft Corp. in August 1963.

Under terms of the agreement some parts will be made for the prototyp in Germany, others in the United States. Both countries will develop independent production facilities upon acceptance of the prototype.

The Defense source said the premise is that all present tanks will be obsolescent on a 1970 battlefield.

The new experimental tank is to replace the present main battle tank, the M60, which weighs 102,000 pounds combat loaded and which carries a 105-millimeter gun.

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Santa Claus' Mayor Notes City's Growth

SANTA CLAUS, Ga. (AP) — Santa Claus is on the move this Christmas season.

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The mayor said the population of the city has increased from 5 in 1960 to 28 at present. "We've issued permits for three or four new homes and [illegible] ward to an additional 12 to 16 [illegible]," he said.

During the Christmas season, Salem said, letters from all over the world arrive to be postmarked.

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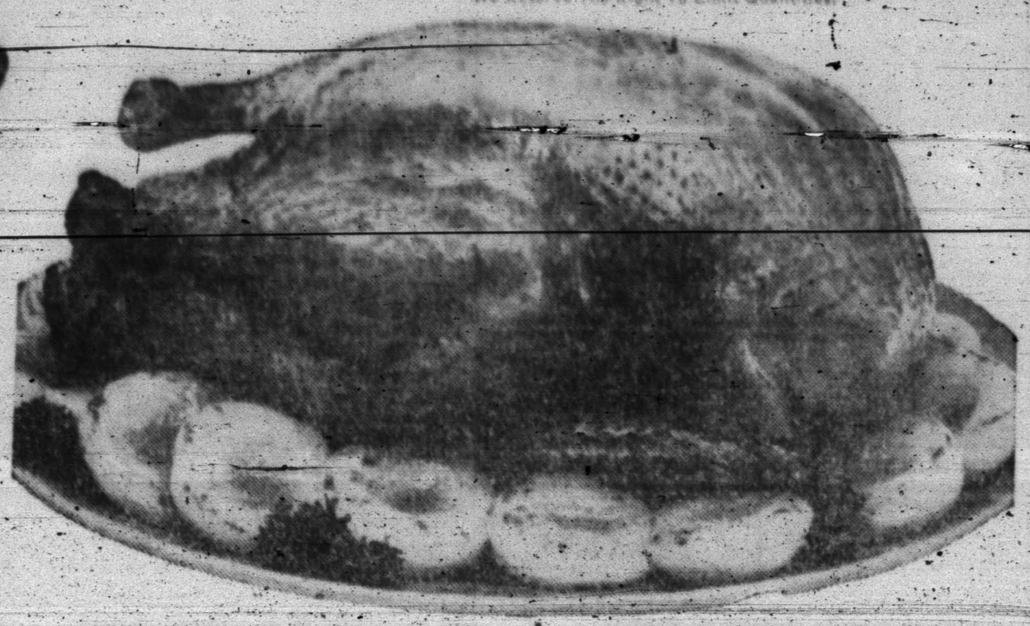

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SNYDER AREA OIL

New wildcats have been staked during the past week in the Scurry Area in Stonewall, Kent, Fisher, and Borden Counties and a Borden project is testing for a discovery completion.

Transamerica Oil Co. of Houston No. 1 Anna Hecht is to be a 5,000-foot Canyon sand wildcat in Stonewall County, two miles northeast of Aspermont.

It is one mile southwest of the Herbst pool and spots 660 feet from south and east lines of section 96, block D, H&TC survey.

Roy Guffey Oil Co. of Dallas will drill No. 1 Alexander Trust Estate as a 3,800-foot Swastika sand wildcat in Stonewall County, 12 miles southeast of Aspermont.

Location is 1,660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 8, Austin & Williams survey No. 349. It also is 1¾ miles southeast of the Moutray - Moore (Swastika) pool discovery.

Ashmun & Hilliard Oil Co. of Midland has staked location in Kent County, eight miles southeast of Clairemont for the No. 1 Wallace, a 4,200 - foot Noodle Creek wildcat.

It is 1¾ miles southeast of the Noodle Creek opener in the Wallace Ranch pool and spots 660 feet from south and east lines of section 414, block 2, H&TC survey.

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Sheets & Walton Drilling Co. of Breckenridge No. 1 Minor Alexander Estate is a 4,000-foot Swastika sand wildcat in Fisher County, six miles north of Hamlin.

It is one location southeast of the depleted Swastika opener in the Hamlin, North region and drillsite is 850 feet from northwest and 1,100 feet from east lines of William E. Kaye survey No. 5.

T. F. Hodge of Fort Worth will re-enter and deepen to 3,500 of Flippen tests in the No. 1 J. J. Mayberry, a 3,284 - foot one location northeast of the depleted Flippen opener in the McCaulley field of Fisher County.

It is one mile southeast of McCaulley, 3,650 feet from north and 1,900 feet from east lines of section 56, block 1, HT&B survey and was plugged by Street Investment Co. in 1942.

Pan American Petroleum Corp. No. 1 W. J. Beekman is planned as an 8,350-foot Dean sand prospector in Southwest Borden County, three miles southeast of Ackerly.

It is 350 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 17, block 33, T-3-N, T&P survey and two miles northwest of the Modesta (Canyon) pool. The project is a re-entry and clean out of a Camp Oil Co. failure at total depth of 9,140 feet in 1959.

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Lario Oil & Gas Co. of Midland has a Wolfcamp oil strike in prospect in Borden County nine miles north of Vincent at the No. 1 W. Ed Murphy.

The project drilled to a total depth of 6,852 feet in the Pennsylvanian as a ¾-mile west outpost to the Von Roeder (Pennsylvanian) pool and set 4½-inch casing. That formation was perforated with casing notches at 6,831-40 feet and tested unsuccessfully.

Then it was plugged back to 6,100 feet and the Wolfcamp was perforated at 6,063-67 feet. That interval was washed with 400 gallons of mud acid and treated with 500 gallons of regular acid.

It kicked off and flowed on a preliminary test for 24 hours through a 14-64 - inch choke and recovered 120 barrels of 40.5-gravity oil plus two barrels of water.

Gas - oil ratio was estimated at 1,000 - 1 and flowing tubing pressure was 185 pounds. The project is shutin while a storage tank is being erected.

There is no nearby Wolfcamp production. Site is 660 feet from south and 467 feet from east lines of section 92, block 25, H&TC survey.

Crown Central Petroleum Corp. of Houston No. 1 J. B. Pumphrey, seven miles east of Aspermont in Stonewall County, has been completed as a location east extension to the Pumphrey, North (Bend conglomerate) pool.

It potentialed for a daily flow of 114 barrels of oil, gravity unreported, from an open hole interval at 4,448-4,500 feet through a 12/64 - inch choke. Gas - oil ratio was 420-1 and no treatment was used.

Location is 467 feet from north and west lines of H. B. Dance survey, abstract 68.

LeClair Operating Co., Inc. of Abilene has completed No. 1-10 City of Rotan Unit as a location northwest extension to the Rotan (upper Hope lime) pool of Fisher County.

It is in the city limits of Rotan, 2,269 feet from south and 422 feet from west lines of section 124, block 2, H&TC survey. Perforations at 3,938-43 feet yielded 114.84 barrels of 37.6-gravity oil, pumping on the 24-hour potential test. No water or treatment was reported.

Texas Oil & Gas Corp. of Dallas will drill No. 1 Post - Montgomery Estate as a location west offset to the recent discovery and lone producer in the Post, Northwest (Glorieta) pool of Garza County.

It is eight miles northeast of Post, contracted to 3,600 feet and spots 467 feet from north and east lines of section 9, block 4, K. Aycock survey.

J. E. Mergele and W. G. Wiegel Jr. of Abilene No. 1 Ussery is a 5,800-foot Strawn operation in Nolan County, 13 miles southeast of Sweetwater.

It is ⅝ mile southwest of the Hard Rock (King sand and Strawn) field and is located 2,018 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 109, block X, T&P survey.

Store Begins Cleanup Job

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Workmen began an around-the-clock cleanup job today in the famed Neiman-Marcus specialty store, where a weekend fire inflicted loss estimated at up to $5 million.

President Stanley Marcus said the downtown store will reopen Jan. 11.

Fire broke out in the seven-story structure before dawn Saturday, playing havoc with costly Christmas decorations and stock.

Marcus, on the basis of a $12-million to $15-million inventory, placed the damage to stock and building at around $5 million. He said the cleaning operation would require about 10 days.

"Then we'll need a week to freshen up and try to get rid of the smoke smell," Marcus said. "We'll come out of these ashes like a phoenix with a more beautiful store than before."

Increased Actvity Planned For Duke

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Increased activity was scheduled today for the recuperating Duke of Windsor, who underwent abdominal surgery in Methodist Hospital last Wesnesday.

The 70-year-old former British monarch already has walked in the hallway outside his room with a minimum of assistance.

He sat for short periods, read newspapers and watched television over the weekend. He continued on a liquid diet.

The surgery was for removal of an artery blister known medically as an aneurysm.

BUSINESS and INDUSTRIAL NEWS

"ANOTHER EMPTY ONE!" says Chico Boston as he sadly views an empty pie plate from the Beacon Restaurant kitchen. "As a matter of fact," Chico says, "there sure are a lot of empty pie pans around the Beacon lately." Chico thinks it seemed to get a lot worse (from his viewpoint at least) when the Beacon started serving their Christmas Special of home-made egg nog pie.

Festive Fare Is Added To Menu At Beacon Restaurant

One of the nicest things during the holiday season are the good things to eat that suddenly appear — those special "goodies" that are often a tradition with many families.

Such a tradition in the Floyd Boston home was an egg nog pie which Mrs. Boston's mother had been making every Christmastime.

This year when egg nog pie rolled around, Mrs. Boston decided that there was no sense in keeping it all to themselves. The only question was, would it be practical to make the pies on a large enough scale to take care of the customers at the Beacon Restaurant.

But the only way was to try it and find out. Well, sure enough, it could be done, and, as expected, the Beacon's customers appreciated the old family recipe.

Not only did they order egg nog pie at the restaurant — they wanted to take the pies home too. So, obliging folks that the Bostons are, they made that possible too.

The only thing they ask is that if folks want one or more pies, they call ahead and order them so that they'll have some idea of how many to prepare.

The egg nog pies at the Beacon Restaurant are just another example of the effort they make there to give folks what they want.

Other examples along this line include the Merchant's Lunch which was added to the menu just a few months ago and is becoming increasingly popular. And no wonder it's popular!

Just imagine a satisfying, full meal consisting of home - made soup, a salad, choice of meat, two vegetables, coffee or tea, hot rolls and butter, and home-made desert, and all for just 95 cents!

Something else that's been added at the Beacon Restaurant is Spanish food. At this time of year, when the weather's a bit nippy, south of the Border dishes hit the spot. And so the Beacon has them.

Of course the full menu is still available at the Beacon. Still the most popular steak is the 12-ounce Beacon Special. The Special steak is a loin steak, cut from prime beef only.

As a matter of fact, all steaks at the Beacon carry the USDA "prime" rating — less than that is not considered good enough for the customers of the Beacon Restaurant.

If a person wants just a snack, the Beacon can furnish that too. A cup of coffee along with a slice of the Beacon's Cherry-O Cream Pie (which can also be ordered as blueberry, blackberry or pineapple as well as cherry) is not only delicious but satisfying as well.

Snyder folks enjoy the Beacon Restaurant. But that's not all they enjoy of the facilities there. This time of year, they consider the Beacon's guest rooms as "their" guest rooms. Friends and family who come to Snyder for the holidays enjoy staying at the Beacon where all of the facilities of this fine motel are at their disposal.

Further, folks who stay at the Beacon don't feel they are imposing on the hospitality of relatives or friends. They don't crowd the house or disrupt the routine. They just enjoy their visit.

A reservation at the Beacon is one of the most thoughtful things one can do for visitors. The friendly folks at the Beacon will do everything they can to make a visitor's stay in Snyder enjoyable — whether it's just long enough to eat at the restaurant, or if it's a stay of several days. They welcome the chance to be of service.

Texas Deaths Total 29 On Weekend

By The Associated Press

Twenty-nine persons died violently in Texas during the weekend including 18 killed in traffic accidents.

The toll was recorded between 6 p.m. Friday and midnight Sunday. These were among the latest victims:

Three persons were killed and two injured Sunday in a two-car collision 6 miles southeast of Kaufman on U.S. 175. The dead were Aubrey Tarkington, Mrs. Irene McLaughlin and Sheryl Pinson, 7, all of Dallas.

Julia Easley, 71, of Henrietta and Delbert Meek, 29, of Mesquite were killed in a collision Sunday in Irving. Two other persons were injured.

Harry Upson, 46, was killed by a shotgun blast at Texarkana Sunday. Police held a woman for questioning.

Stanley Briggs, 42, was found shot to death at the edge of a hospital parking area in Dallas Sunday. A pistol lay beside the body.

Gus Pappas, 28, of Azle drowned in Eagle Mountain Lake near Fort Worth Sunday. A justice of the peace said Pappas apparently fell out of his boat while setting out duck decoys.

James Clift, 18, of Denison, a student at North Texas State University, was killed Sunday when his car overturned near Denison.

Joe Hungo, 35, of Fort Worth was killed early Sunday when his car crashed into a concrete tunnel wall on U.S. 183 at Fort Worth's Greater Southwest International Airport.

Wyletta Thornton, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Thornton, perished Sunday as fire raced through the family's two-story home in Wichita Falls. Seven other members of the family were hospitalized, six for inhaling smoke.

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Weakness Of British Pound Affecting Business Conditions Around The World

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NEW YORK (AP) — The international financial doctors have taken the British pound sterling off the critical list but not off the ailing list.

And its continuing basic weakness still affects America's own financial status and planning — in world trade, interest rates, balance of payments, the world price of gold, even the worries besetting the stock market.

A $3 billion, 11-nation bailout fund halted a serious run on the pound and since then its exchange value has rallied. But the fundamental ailment — too much outgo of pounds for imports and too small a return flow of pounds for British exports, —continues.

The uneasiness over the pound's future shows up in that very market — the futures market.

The spot price for pounds is 2.78 (official $2.80). But for 90-day delivery speculators or businessmen hedging their activities can buy the pound for $2.77.

The thinking is that the pound might still fall to that level which is below the $2.78 at which the Bank of England is ordered to support it. So the fear of devaluation is diminished but not silenced.

The United States becomes involved both in furnishing the largest share of the $3 billion fund the Bank of England could use to bolster the pound against any day-by-day runs, and in the methods which Britain is taking to try to cure the real ailment — its balance of payments deficit.

The latest move — postponement of the repayment of $138.1 million in interest and principal due the United States this month on postwar loans — cuts the British deficit by that much.

It also increases America's own balance of payments deficit.

Estimates of this year's U.S. deficit, a bit in excess of $2 billion, were based on expectations of British payment, along with many other items. Postponement of payment will raise the U.S. deficit by $138 million. This may seem a small amount. But the deficit is the sum of many small amounts.

The United States has been affected directly by other measures the British government has taken in the last two months to fight off its financial ailment.

First it slapped a 15 per cent surcharge on imports. Americans may see some of their British market shrink.

Then the Bank of England boosted its lending charge to 7 per cent from 5 per cent. The U.S. comparable charge, the Federal Reserve discount rate, was quickly raised to 4 per cent from 3½ per cent. Other short-term interest rates in America rose, but so far the government has discouraged any increase in long-term interest rates here.

Uneasiness about the future of the pound, and perhaps even of the dollar, is blamed for the recent rise in the price of gold.

It had been selling on the London free market at around $35.08 an ounce (roughly the U.S. official price). Now it has climbed close to $35.13 cents an ounce, the highest point since the 1962 Cuban crisis. A premium price for gold can carry the threat of another drain on the U.S. reserves, which so far this year has all but halted.

Close ties of the dollar and the pound as the world's standards of foreign exchange keep Britain's troubles close to american financial markets. And some of the uncertainty that still persists is credited with causing at least part of the weakness that has plagued the American stock markets through most of December.

Most financial authorities express confidence that Britain has out of previous ones since World War II. It's how she does it, and how long it takes, that Americans are watching.

The average life span of the alcoholic is some 12 years shorter than that of the nonalcoholic.

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