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KING, NEWSMEN, EMPLOYE PHONES TAPPED

Robert Kennedy Approved FBI 'Taps

WASHINGTON (AP) — The late Atty Gen. Robert F. Kennedy approved FBI wiretaps on two newsmen and four government employes as well as on civil rights leader Martin Luther King, the Senate intelligence committee was told today.

Committee counsel John Elliff said the taps as well as similar wiretaps on the home telephones of top aides to President Franklin D. Roosevelt "were undoubtedly precedents J. Edgar Hoover had in mind" when he carried out orders from the Nixon White House to install wiretaps on newsmen and government officials.

Those wiretaps were installed in 1969 on the telephones of 17 reporters and government officials, including former White House aide Morton Halperin, who has filed a lawsuit challenging the legality of the action. Halperin's phone was tapped for 21 months.

The taps were installed in an attempt to stop suspected leaks of classified information to the press.

In related developments:

—Atty. Gen. Edward H. Levi said in an interview he has not ruled out disciplinary action against FBI agents involved in a campaign of harassment against King.

Levi said the attempt to discredit King, including a letter which King reportedly took as a suicide suggestion, "comes under the heading of outrageous."

—Charles E. Koen, a Midwest black militant leader, said in a telephone interview that Hoover, the late director of the FBI, was a victim of his own hatred.

FBI documents show Hoover approved a plan to discredit Koen, now a minister in Cairo, Ill., with anonynous letters accusing him of adultery and of being a bureau informant.

Koen said his wife received one of the letters. "They decided that wrecking of my marriage would derail me from my movement activities," he said. "I was able to save my marriage, but it was the strangest kind of situation..."

According to the FBI documents, the campaign against Koen began in November 1968 with a proposal by St. Louis FBI officials to send him an anonymous letter criticizing him for referring to the possible use of violence in his public speeches.

The letter would purport to be from members of Students for a Democratic Society in St. Louis and "would have an adverse effect on the consolidatory efforts of the SDS and the Black Liberators," according to the proposal approved by Hoover.

Two months later, Hoover authorized the FBI's Baltimore office to send an anonymous letter to the No. 2 man in the Black Liberator movement informing him that Koen was working for either the CIA or FBI.

The letter, signed "A Soul Brother," said Koen "was in Baltimore last week and spent most of his time in the Justice Building. Don't know whether that cat was talking to CIA or FBI."

The FBI documents also include a 1969 memo from the head of the FBI's St. Louis office who claims the campaign forced Koen's resignation as head of the Black Liberators, a black militant group.

In February 1969, after Koen had resigned as head of the Black Liberators, the FBI chief in St. Louis proposed mailing an anonymous letter designed "to alienate (Koen) from his wife and cause suspicion among the Black Liberators that they have a dangerous troublemaker in their midst," an FBI document said.

According to the proposal, Koen's wife, "appears to be a faithful loving wife" and "an intelligent, respectable young mother, who is active in the AME Methodist Church."

The anonymous letter would be sent to Mrs. Koen telling her that her husband has "been making it here with Sister Marva Bass and Sister Tony and then he gives us this jive 'bout their (sic) better in bed then (sic) you."

It was to be followed by sending a copy of the anonymous letter to Koen with the note "I understand she recently received this letter ... I suggest you look into this matter."

In a memo authorizing the operation, Hoover directed the agents to "use commercially purchased stationery and take the other precautions set out to insure this cannot be traced to this bureau."

The next and final step in the FBI campaign against Koen came in February 1971 when Hoover approved a proposal for circulating a cartoon sketch of Koen that "would emphasize the cost of Koen's attire and inquire as to the source of his funds."

New York Aid Plan Passes Senate Test

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's $2.3 billion loan plan for New York City passed its first opponents lost overwhelmingly in an attempt to send it back to committee.

Senate leaders say they have the 60 votes need to approve the petition.

By a vote of 57 to 23, the Senate voted to table a motion by Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., to send the loan bill back to the Banking Committee.

The vote set the stage for final action by the Senate on Friday.

It came after 21 senators petitioned to block a filibuster against the plan, approved by a 10-vote margin in the House. Backers of the measure hoped for final passage before New York faces its next default deadline Dec. 11.

Helms objected to the petition for cloture, saying he wanted to debate it. But such a petition is not debatable under Senate rules, which permit a vote on the petition two days after it is filed.

The House gave approval Tuesday to the measure on a vote of 213 to 203, with 38 Republicans and 175 Democrats voting in favor of the aid plan.

Sen. James B. Allen, D-Ala., said he would filibuster the bill when it reaches the Senate, but he admitted he thinks aid supporters will have the votes to invoke cloture and shut off the talkathon.

A filibuster could delay action on the bill because it takes at least two days to shut off debate. Opponents of the aid plan conceded after the House vote that backers of the bill have the momentum to get the measure through the Senate.

House approval of the bill brought relieved sighs from New York officials.

Mayor Abraham Beame said the vote shows "New York City still has friends and supporters around the country" and voiced doubt that the city would again have to ask the federal government for aid.

New York Gov. Hugh Carey said he was grateful for the vote and said it "has given us a chance to show the people of the United States that whatever have been our errors ... we are putting our affairs in order ... and will redeem ourselves."

But among the House opponents of the measure there was little enthusiasm about the prospects of New York remaining solvent.

Rep. Cobert Bauman, R-Md., said both Ford and the Republican party had been hurt by the aid plan. "The President will be damaged because first he took a position we shouldn't do this, then in three weeks made a complete turnabout. He made both sides angry," he said.

Bauman predicted New York City will not balance its budget and correct its own fiscal problems, adding, "I predict in a matter of months they will be back ... the American taxpayer will be socked."

Rep. Thomas L. Ashley, D-Ohio, chairman of the committee that drew up one New York aid bill, agreed he saw a chance that New York would return for more help, but based the prospects on the economy.

Ashley said Ford would have been hurt politically by not helping New York because "he would have been charged with breaking the back of the city.... That would have nailed down his defeat."

Patty Has Psychiatric Treatment

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Patricia Hearst is undergoing psychiatric treatment to help her overcome emotional trauma, according to her lawyer, who says she has lost weight and looks "pale and gaunt."

Dr. Elizabeth M. Richards, a child psychiatrist, began treating Miss Hearst Tuesday afternoon at the San Mateo County jail in Redwood City, defense attorney Albert Johnson said.

"The aim of the treatment is to aid her and help her in overcoming the emotional trauma we have all found she has been faced with in helping her prepare her defense to these charges and understanding the nature of them," Johnson said in an interview.

Defense lawyers got approval in October from U.S. District Court Judge Oliver J. Carter to have a private psychiatrist see Miss Hearst.

Johnson said Dr. Richards would treat the defendant "on many occasions." He said it was not likely the psychiatrist would be called as a witness in Miss Hearst's trial on bank robbery charges.

The World At-A-Glance

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford and Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger are seeking to soothe Israeli officials after a flap developed between the two governments over a reported U.S. promise to veto Palestinian participation in Middle East talks. Sources said Kissinger made the promise "in principle" by telephone last Friday night to Israel's Ambassador Simcha Dinitz, with a qualification that any veto first would have to be approved by the White House. But the next day, the United Sates gave its support in the United Nations to a compromise agreement extending the U.N. observer force mandate in the Golan Heights for six months while paving the way for Palestine Liberation Organization participation in talks on the over-all Mideast situation to be held by the Security Council in January.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The bill to extend this year's tax cut heads for action on the House floor where liberals will attempt to end some tax advantages. The House is expected to send the bill to the Senate tonight or Thursday. Both chambers face time pressures to finish the extension before adjourning for the year. The tax cuts now in effect expire Dec. 31.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House budget office is urging a delay in asking Congress for a new nuclear-powered aircraft carrier to help hold down defense requests next year, administration sources report. The Pentagon reportedly is preparing to ask President Ford to reject this proposal on grounds that a year's delay would only boost the already high cost of a carrier because of inflation.

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MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The most widespread agreement among the nation's city officials is that they disagree so fundamentally on school busing that they dare not try to take a stand on it as a group. As court-ordered busing to achieve racial integration emerged as a volatile issue in the 1970s, both the National League of Cities and its sister organization, the U.S. Conference of Mayors, avoided in each year, including this one, issuing any policy statement on school busing as a desegregation tool.

Board Ups Workmen's Comp Rates

AUSTIN (AP) — The State Board of Insurance today raised workmen's compensation rates an average of 7.1 per cent, effective March 1.

It was the same amount recommended by the board's staff at a Nov. 12 hearing at which the insurance industry sought a number of changes that would have resulted in a 12.3 per cent increase on Jan. 1.

About 40 per cent of all policies are renewed on Jan. 1, said Millard Flythe, the board's assistant manager of workmen's compensation.

"You can say this is a consumer item, because these policies will be renewed at the old rates instead of at a 7 per cent increase," Flythe said.

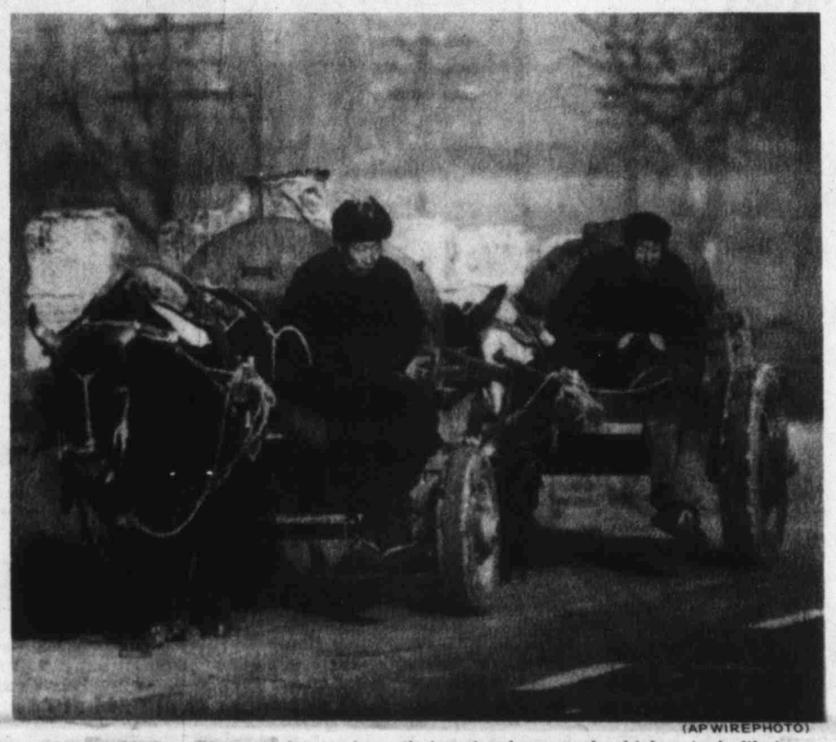
By categories of industry, these increases were ordered:

—Manufacturing, 11.6 per cent.

—Contracting, 3.4 per cent.

—Oil, 5 per cent.

—All other, 7.1 per cent.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

YAK POWER — Two cart drivers keep their animal-powered vehicles single file in the right lane as they plod slowly along a main road near Peking.

Palestines Promise Reprisals For Raid

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — The Palestine guerrila command today promised "immediate reprisals" for the big Israeli air raid Tuesday, and the Lebanese and Egyptian governments asked the United Nations Security Council for an urgent meeting to take up charges of aggression against Israel.

The Palestinians said it was "the biggest attack in the history of Israeli assaults against Palestinians in Lebanon," and a message on behalf of Pope Paul VI called it an "inadmissible gesture of violence."

Lebanese police said seven more bodies were recovered today, bringing the toll to about 100 killed and more than 150 wounded in the attacks on refugee camps and guerrilla bases in northern and southern Lebanon.

A telegram sent to Lebanon on behalf of Pope Paul VI said the pontiff was deeply saddened by the attack, which he felt "exasperates tension in the region and Lebanon."

Pope Paul appealed to all sides to put an end "to similar acts and show moderation and a concrete will to favor the way toward pacification." Vatican Secretary of State Jean Cardinal Villot sent the telegram to the papal nuncio in Beirut, urging him to convey the Pope's condolences to Lebanese authorities and relatives of the victims.

Egypt charged that by carrying out the raid Israel had violated the spirit of the troop disengagement agreements worked out by Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger between Israe and Egypt and Syria.

"We consider the Israeli aggression on Lebanon as an attack on Cairo and the Arab nation and hold Israel responsible for the dangerous consequences of those raids," Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy warned in Cairo.

"Egypt also considers this aggression as an Israeli violation of the spirit of the troop disengagement agreements on the Syrian and Egyptian fronts," he added in a statement to the official Middle East News Agency.

In New York, the Security Council was scheduled to meet privately at 3 p.m. EST for consultations on the issue.

Palestinian spokesmen said nearly half the victims were women and children living in camp hovels near guerrilla installations.

Lebanese Premier Rashid Karami appealed to world opinion "to deter the aggressor and purify society of arrogance and acts of violation of the rights of peoples."

He ordered Lebanon's delegation at U.N. headquarters in New York to ask for an urgent Security Council meeting to take up the aggression charges against Israel.

A rocket attack on several settlements in northern Israel was the first retaliation for the attack Tuesday. The Israelis said four border settlements were hit and that two men were injured slightly.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

GUERRILLAS PROMISE REPRISALS — Palestinian guerrillas of the Syrian-backed Saiqua group pose with an unexploded 500-pound bomb which they say was dropped during an Israeli air attach Tuesday on the Hahr el Bared refugee camp north of Tripoli, Lebanon. The Palestinian guerrilla command promised "immediate reprisals" for the raids in which they said 59 persons were killed and 140 wounded.

WATCH OUT

Watch out for "fair weather friends." High today and Thursday in the mid 70s. Low tonight, low 40s. Southwesterly wind 5-15 miles per hour through tonight.

Train Seige Continues

BEILEN, The Netherlands (AP) — Five Indonesians holding about 50 hostages aboard a hijacked train stranded in northern Holland opened fire on a would-be mediator today and released a Chinese cook with new demands.

More than 150 armed men ringed the train but kept out of range. Two persons were killed aboard the train shortly after the hijacking, and the men in the cordon made no attempt to get aboard.

The Chinese cook brought a message demanding an engineer for the train, food and drink for 55 persons, a bullhorn and medicine for an epileptic and a diabetic, officials said.

The hijackers opened fire on an official who drove toward the train in an attempt to open negotiations. One shot hit within 10 yards of the car, and the driver pulled back.

The Indonesians released four persons shortly after they took over the train, and three others escaped by jumping off. But police said a report that two other hostages jumped off and hid apparently was incorrect.

The Dutch government rejected an earlier demand from the hijackers that they be given safe conduct out of the country with some of their hostages. Justice Minister Dries Van Agt said Tuesday night that "under no circumstances" would the hijackers be allowed to leave the country with hostages.

Armed with pistols and a hunting rifle, the Indonesians seized the four-coach local train Tuesday, killed the engineer and another man and took the passengers hostage, officials reported.

The train was standing on the track in an open field, ringed by police, marine commandos and army marksmen. But they stayed 650 yards from the train because the Indonesians were "shooting at anything that moves," a police spokesman said.

Officials said the gang attached dynamite to the train and threatened to blow it up unless their demands were met.

The hijackers were reported to be militant exiles from the South Molucca or Spice Islands, the scene of an unsuccessful revolt against Indonesia in 1950. It was believed that they were trying to call attention to the South Moluccan independence movement.

Another demand apparently was for two transistor radios. But when a policeman stripped to his underwear and tried to take them to the train, the hijackers warned him off.

BULLETIN

A nine-man, three-woman jury returned a verdict of guilty at about 1 p.m. in the murder trial of Jackie Wayne Gaines, 34, after deliberating for 55 minutes in 118th District Court here.

Gaines was accused of killing his wife, Betty, at their home in Coahoma Feb. 5, 1972.

The jury is hearing testimony in the punishment phase of the trial this afternoon.

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Hostages Held In Paris Holdup

PARIS (AP) — Gunmen took a group of people hostage inside a bank near the Eiffel Tower after an attempted holdup today and demanded $2 million ransom and a getaway car, police said.

A passer-by was wounded in the foot in a burst of gunfire as the bandits entered the Credit Lyonnais Bank on Avenue Bosquet. A number of gunshots also were heard from inside the bank. The intruders also fired on a police car.

The exact number of gunmen and their hostages was not known. The police spokesman said the holdup men had demanded that the getaway car be brought to them after dark and that the ransom money be in U.S. currency. He said no direct threats had been made against the hostages.

The gunmen entered the bank late in the morning, only seconds ahead of armed guards of the Brink's money transporting company, who arrived routinely and followed the gunmen inside. The gunmen then grabbed the hostages.

After first contact between Commissioner Robert Broussard, assistant chief of France's antigang squad, and the gunmen, police tow trucks moved in to clear parked cars away from the street near the bank.

Earlier today, two gunmen escaped with the equivalent of $22,700 after holding a dozen staff and clients at gunpoint in a country bank at Rozay en Brie southeast of Paris.

Last September, two gunmen got $1.3 million ransom after holding seven hostages for a day in another central Paris bank. They eluded police in a high-speed chase through Paris.

Six persons were later arrested and charged with complicity in the holdup, but the money has not been recovered and the six have yet to go on trial.



Far-Fetched, Frightening

HR 2966 (same as S 626) now under consideration in Congress contains some provisions which are far-fetched if not frightening. Known more familiarly as The Child and Family Service Act of 1975, it opens the possibility of substituting governmental care for parental care.

And who makes the decision when the substitution is deemed proper? The HEW (government), of course. This is based on the premises that there are home situations where parental care is poor or lacking, and none can deny that. But who is to say that even well-intentioned government would be better than a unprofitable parent? Most astute child welfare experts of whom we know now accept the thesis that children usually are better off with parents, even under many undesirable circumstances, than with foster parents or state-operated homes.

There are situations under which children ought to be have authority and responsibility of their care transferred to others, but this transfer needs to be hedged about with numerous safeguards and not left to the whim of a governmental agency. That could lead to all sorts of mischief, including governmental indoctrination of whatever the party line might be. The communal aspects of this should send chills down the spines of freedom-loving people.

A word to our senators and representatives to oppose this act would be, we feel, timely and wise. Otherwise, if the measure is enacted the next step will be such zany things as freedom from any kind of home instruction, lay or religious, and the last semblance of nuded family discipline will be vanished.

Good News And Bad News

There's some good news and some bad news about the Hinson-Hazelwood college student loan funds provided to Texas college students.

The bad news is that 4,500 former student borrowers have defaulted on $5,200,000 of their obligations. The state has recovered some $3,000,000 of that through federal insurance.

The Texas attorney general is pursuing the remainder in an effort to collect. We think it will be a disservice if efforts are not pushed persistently in an attempt to collect all of it over the years. Students need to be aware that a debt is a personal and binding pledge and not to be dismissed simply because federal insurance has picked up the tab.

The good news is that nearly 21,000 former students have paid off their loans in full in an aggregate of $16,000,000. Another 20,000 plus are current with their repayment schedules for another $26,400. Further, repayments have reached a level now where the loan fund is approaching the point that it may become a true revolving fund. This fund is proving to be a wise investment for young people of the state who want an education bad enough to make a loan for it.

My Answer

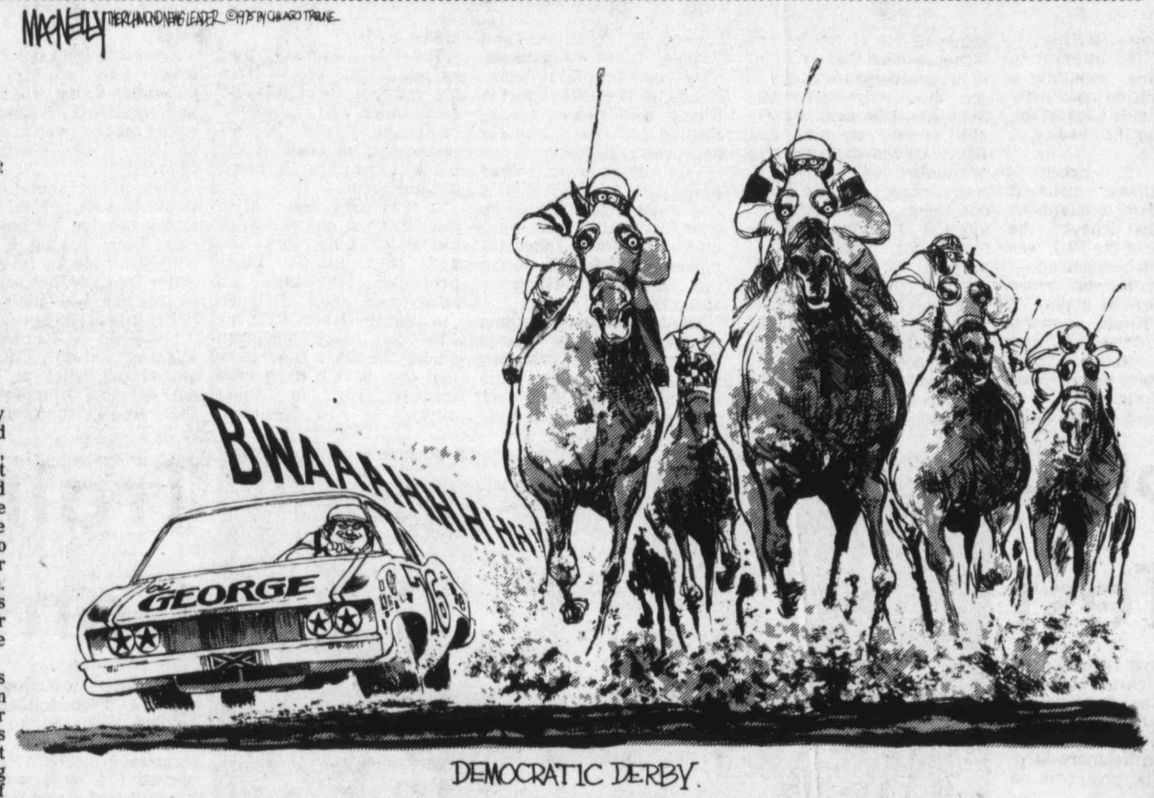
Billy Graham

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I was deeply moved by the film you helped produce called "The Hiding Place." However, it made me fearful that I might have to face persecution some day like that Miss Corrie ten Boom faced. I am afraid I could not stand up under the pressure. Is this a legitimate fear? — Mrs. W.C.V.

DEAR MRS. V.: It is certainly natural to shrink back from pain and persecution. It must be said, however, that the Bible does not promise that all will be easy and comfortable for the Christian. I hope you are thankful for the peace we enjoy in this land, but there is no guarantee that Christians in our country will never face persecution. Today, many Christians in various parts of the world are suffering for their faith in Jesus Christ, and some face death daily.

Remember that the Lord Jesus faced the worst kind of persecution when He was taken to the cross, for He was entirely innocent. That is why Peter, writing to some First Century Christians who were facing persecution, reminded them of Christ's sufferings and promised God's strengthening: "Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal which comes upon you to prove you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice in so far as you share Christ's sufferings . . . And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, establish and strengthen you." I Peter 4:12-13, 5:10, RSV.

The best preparation for the future — regardless of what it holds — is a life that is lived daily in close fellowship and dependence upon God.



What Others Say

In only two short months since the Helsinki summit the Russians have caused a fair share of disappointment in the West. Their unwillingness to report Warsaw Pact Military maneuvers and determination to stonewall progress on humanitarian issues have served to reinforce the views of those who thought the conference was a mistake from the very beginning.

Hence any movement in a forward direction, however small, is a welcome one. Such a step is the Soviet agreement to ease exit and entry regulations for American journalists resident in Moscow. From now on they will receive multiple visas good for a year, enabling them to travel in and out of the country without frustrating bureaucratic delays. The United States will grant Soviet correspondents reciprocal treatment.

On the humanitarian front also the Russians gave Soviet chess champion Boris Spassky permission to marry a French-woman and granted Soviet writer Alexander Sokolov a visa to visit his fiancee in Austria.

What is regrettable in these cases, however, is that the Kremlin gave in only after outraged publicity about them in Western media. It seems clear the Russians do not intend to implement the sensitive human rights provisions of the Helsinki declaration without continuing pressure from abroad. Will it always take a storm of editorial protest to get favorable Soviet action on reunification of families and marriages between Russians and citizens of other countries? That certainly is not the spirit of Helsinki.

It remains the hope of those who labored hard to fashion the human rights provisions that the Soviet Union, as it continues to break out of its centuries-old isolation, will gradually come to accept certain human practices that are the standard behavior of civilized nations.

Moscow ought to realize that it only damages its own image and risks progress on the large problems of detente when it makes an issue of such human rights matters. For, whether it likes it or not, it is in these areas that many people in the West will decide whether the Soviet Union intends to use the Helsinki conference solely as a propaganda instrument or as a basis for achieving a genuine East-West accommodation.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

Americans ought to welcome King Olav of Norway as warmly as they are welcomed in his country, where memories embrace not only mutual resistance to the Nazis but also family ties to more than three million Americans of Norwegian ancestry. There are only a little more than four million Norwegians left at home.

King Olav's month-long tour from New York to Alaska commemorates the 150th anniversary of the beginning of that major surge of immigrants celebrated by novelist Ole Rolvaag in "Giants in the Earth." Rolvaag dedicated his book "to those of my people who took part in the great settling, to them and their generations." Those generations now include Norwegian-Americans in all walks of life, including such high visible ones as acting (Celeste Holm, Peter Graves) Music (Grant Johannesen), and news commentary (Eric Sevareid).

For a salute to the Norwegian heritage a Carnegie Hall, Mr. Sevareid has written "Letter to a Grandfather I Never Knew." It's the kind of letter many people in this nation of immigrants could write, expressing gratitude for all the varied — and not to be forgotten — national strengths that have formed the American grain.

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Human Energy Is Catalyst

John Cunniff

NEW YORK (AP) — As David Lilienthal assesses the condition of America there is a tremendous waste of human resources, an inaction, a negativism, a timidity of leadership, public and private, that is lamentable.

That, he said, is not the way to build the country, a country he suggests is still in a relatively early state of development.

"If we make up our mind, get the lead out, we'll find this is the greatest underdeveloped country in the world, and that it doesn't have to be timid and fearful of growth," he said. We are holding ourselves back, he added.

"We talk about the energy problem and conserving energy while we waste the basic energy, human energy, through unemployment and through lack of a massive program of across-the-board improvement of human skills," he said.

Lilienthal, 76, former chairman and chief architect of the Tennessee Valley Authority and later first chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, views many attitudes today to be a contraction of America's "can do" spirit.

"When you have to do things in this country some of the 'impossible' things happen," he said in an interview at his midtown office, after more than two years of what he described as growing impatience with inaction.

When the nation had to turn out aircraft in World War II it did so — somehow; when TVA had to build 12 dams simultaneously the dams got built; and energy and other developmental challenges can be met equally well, he said, if we just get moving.

The "defensive, overly-critical" spirit that prevails, he said, is unbecoming. "Most people aren't happy with the pride of their country being questioned; there is a latent, underlying optimism, and it must be released."

He continued: "This country isn't done. The 'limits of growth doctrine' is phoney," he declared flatly, maintaining it emerged from a continent where "France has its tongue hanging out and the European Russians are still dependent on the United States for food.

"This country is dead if it adopts the European style, the negative attitude toward growth," he said. "We should appreciate the basic dynamics of this country and forget our roots in Europe.

To Lilienthal, an "energy shortage" results from an underuse of human energy. Human energy, "drive, brainpower, creativity, imagination," puts other energy to work for human use.

Utilize this energy, he said, and you solve the problems of producing power for factories and homes, as well as the other essentials of life, including the development of a rich culture and sound government.

TVA didn't change people from being powerless, dispirited people by saving energy, he said. "It came from the use of energy," human energy in conjunction with the raw energy latent in the area.

His own company, Development and Resources Corp., has for the past 20 years worked on the large scale, integrated development of resources throughout the world. His experience: Human energy is the catalyst.

To develop the underutilized natural resources of this country, he said, will take spirit and leadership — human energy. And where will it come from?



Reaction Calls For X-Ray

Dr. G. C. Thosteson

Dear Dr. Thosteson: Recently my husband and I took a series of tests. We are both in our 60s. Among them was a TB skin test. This was the first experience for either of us with this test, and we both reacted positively.

Now we wonder if we should have chest X-rays. We've been told it is unnecessary.

We wonder if you would agree with this in a case like ours. — Mrs. M.R.E.

I believe an X-ray of the chest should be done, not only because of the positive TB skin test reaction, but because it could reveal other problems that can occur at your age.

It is not unusual for oldsters to produce a positive skin test. Such results mean only that your system has at some time in the past been invaded by the TB germ. It does not necessarily mean you have or ever had active tuberculosis.

A follow-up X-ray is a prudent precaution both you and your husband should take.

It's been found that while a sizeable percentage of the adult population reacts positively especially in congested urban areas a relative small segment has the active disease. TB statistics represent one of our remarkable medical success stories. In 1900 the death rate was on the order of 200 for each 100,000 of population. The latest statistics show a decline to less than 5 deaths per 100,000.

Incidentally, if there was a sputum examination made in the course of the series of tests you and your husband had, this might have included one for the presence of the disease organism. Check on this, but ask your doctor to have an X-ray taken, just to be on the safe side.

Dear Dr. Thosteson: I am a freshman, a boy, in high school, and I want to become a doctor someday. Although my letter is not pertaining to my health, I thought that perhaps you could give me some advice. I have considered being a volunteer in a local hospital, but I don't think they would accept me. I'm 14. What should I do? — N.T.

I'm afraid most of the hospital volunteer programs are more or less female oriented, although I can see no reason why an interested young man like yourself should be barred from any such programs.

There are some programs geared to teenage volunteer work, and you'd have to check with your local hospitals to see if they have any. Age limits vary, but your age may work against you, so you may have to bide your time in this.

Meanwhile, you should keep youir nose in your school books, and tailor your academic program toward the biological sciences. You should also be prepared for a long and somewhat arduous academic career followed by a period of internship, adding up to from seven to ten years after high school.

I think that your ambition is a commendable one, and I hope you fulfill it.



Nephews' Verve

Around The Rim

Julie Simmons

I imagine that it is the grace of growing older that I don't remember how I behaved when my family visited relatives during the period I was in the elementary grades.

I spent the Thanksgiving weekend in my parents' home "up north" in the Panhandle. My oldest brother and his family also spent the holiday visiting in Borger. They have two boys, Andrew, in second grade, and Scott, a mature fifth-grader.

WHEN I arrived at home my brother's family had been there for two days. My father had evidently exhausted all his ideas of entertaining his grandchildren in those days, for when I tapped on the garage window Friday evening to get their attention I was greeted with enthusiastic shouts of "Yea, Aunt Julie, you're here!"

I'm afraid I didn't quite live up to their expectations of fresh material for amusement. The weekend was a vacation for me and I have partially graduated into the vague category of adult since I no longer attend school and am employed.

There is still a strong bond between the grandchildren of my family and me since I grew up along with them. To them I am eons of years older than they are, but am the closest thing to a "kid" they have when they visit their grandparents. In fact, I have only graduated to the adult table during holiday meals in the last two years. It was always a matter of seating at my brother's house that stuck the kids at a card table in the den. But now they have a dining room table with a leaf and everyone can be seated together.

FRIDAY EVENING the boys informed me that the next day we would all go down to the canyons to shoot their new B-B guns. But Saturday turned out to be a bad day for going outside.

I have not seen weather like that for years. That morning the wind started blowing and filled the sky with the rest of the topsoil that had not already been blown away. When the wind subsided for a few moments the sun became visible and it started raining and the temperature dropped. Then the wind, rain and cold cycle started all over again. This went on all day with the wind exceeding 70 m.p.h.

The boys were still biting at the bit to go outside and, so being a good aunt, I volunteered to go with them on a little trek through a canyon. We started out during a lull in the weather, but the wind soon started blowing.

I was trailing behind the boys, hoping they would run and shout and get the ants out of their pants. But when Andrew started heading for the dirt bike trails I gathered them up for an excursion into the deeper part of the canyon. I was leading and got us into a part of the canyon behind some houses when our alloted 30 minutes was nearly spent. The quickest way out was up the side of the canyon. It wasn't too steep and we all made it up in one piece.

I thought we were going to be delayed half-way up the slope when we came upon an old car body that had been pushed down the slope of the canyon to someone's delight. The boys were fascinated because they don't see rusted, abandoned cars in the Richardson area of Dallas. I dissuaded them from further exploration and soon we were home.

I had enjoyed the nippy adventure with my nephews and my mission had been accomplished. The boys were content to stay inside the rest of the day with Andrew helping his father in the Hearts card game and Scott building and destroying domino cities.



'No Free Lunch'

Robert Novak

SAN DIEGO — Having maintained phenomenal popularity at home and achieved instant reputation in the nation by proclaiming there is "no free lunch," Gov. Edmund G. Brown, Jr., may now drastically revise the Democratic presidential outlook by a limited run in the primaries.

THE PRETENSE that Brown is satisfied and preoccupied being governor of California has been dropped by close supporters. Unless some liberal presidential hopeful breaks out of the Democratic pack, Brown now intends to run in — and be heavily favored to win — California's June 8 primary. Furthermore, there is serious thought about entering other late primaries.

Any showing of primary strength would undercut deep animosity toward Brown by party leaders from national chairman Robert S. Stauss on down. Thus, his supporters in California now view him as a leading candidate prospect for Vice President (particularly if Sen. Hubert Humphrey is the nominee) and a remote though not impossible presidential dark horse.

THAT JERRY Brown, 37 years old and a first-year governor, should be a serious prospect for the national ticket points to the failure of any Democratic hopeful to take hold. But what has attracted so much national attention to Brown without his leaving California's boundaries all year is a unique approach to issues which strikes sparks with the largely conservative middle class without alienating the party's dominant liberal wing.

BROWN'S TECHNIQUE was demonstrated here recently on his first visit to San Diego since the 1974 campaign for governor. With only a few days advance notice, it was announced Brown would answer questions at a roast beef luncheon at the U.S. Grant Hotel, tickets $5 apiece, first-come-first-served. Around 680 persons, looking like a cross-section of California, jammed the ballroom, with hundreds turned away.

Well over an hour of questions-and-answers was unique not only in the obvious, easy rapport between governor and constituents but his extraordinary tone: realistic, skeptical, generally bleak.

APOLOGIZING for having invited the voters to lunch and making them pay for it, Brown reiterated his slogan: "There's no free lunch." In response to complaints about budget cuts in education and highways, he declared the alternative was higher taxes. "You don't get something for nothing," he added. Brown urged his listeners not to "expect rosy tomorrows with no pain and no suffering," but to "recognize the inherent limits of government activity."

Other Brownism: "If you don't know where you're going, a plan is a good way to get there"; "Life is not a problem to be solved. Each day brings a certain amount of pleasure, a certain amount of pain"; because of less abundance, "we must make changes in the way we do business. It's not going to be easy."

THIS CALVINISTIC call for more work to achieve less abundance from a former Jesuit seminarian generates visible empathy from ordinary voters. More surprisingly, he has not turned off the party's famed Southern California doyens on the left.

At a private meeting with Brown in the Los Angeles home of former Democratic national committeeman Steve Reinhardt, some leaders of liberal-left groups did grumble that the governor continually described problems without offering solutions (an increasingly frequent criticism in California newspapers.).

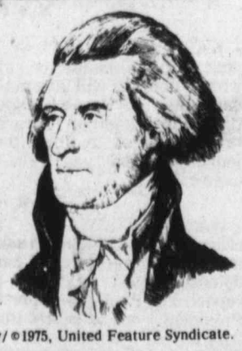
By and large, however, the liberal leaders praised Brown's first year in office (while complaining he is a bit too negative).

We Hold These Truths...

A Chronicle of America

Sink Britain:

Thomas Jefferson of Virginia: "Rather than submit to the rights of legislating for us, assumed by the British Parliament, I would lend my hand to sink the whole [British] island in the ocean."



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A Devotion For Today

"The Lord on high is mightier than the noise of many waters, yea, than the mighty waves of the sea." (Psalm 93:4).

PRAYER: O Lord, we thank Thee for Thy love which from our birth over and around us lies. We raise to Thee our prayer of grateful praise. In the name of Thy Son Jesus Christ, who revealed to us Thy great love and taught us to pray.

Court Won't Halt Carrillo Hearing

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Supreme Court refused today to halt the judicial hearing on whether suspended District Court Judge O. P. Carrillos qualified to be a judge.

Carrillo's lawyer, Arthur Mitchell of Austin, had asked the court to prohibit the State Judicial Qualifications Commission from hearing 10 charges against the Benavides judge.

Mitchell contended that a preliminary hearing should have been held to limit the scope of the proceedings and to permit Carrillo to prepare his defense.

A closed-door hearing conducted by Austin District Court Judge James Meyers is under way in Corpus Christi on the complaints against Carillo, who was recently convicted in federal court there on income tax evasion charges.

Mitchel said the refusal to grant a prehearing denied Carillo—identified in the supreme court proceeding simply as "Judge No. 5"—due process of law and violates the rights he would have had in a civil proceeding.

Impeachment proceedings also are pending against Carillo in the Texas Senate.

Agreement Expected In Airtrans Suit

DALLAS (AP) — The chairman of the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport Board says he expects an agreement by Friday on a billion-dollar legal dispute over Airtrans, the automated baggage and people mover at the airport.

"Informally, for the first time we've seen the kind of thing that Mr. (Paul) Thayer (chairman of LTV Aerospace Corp.) and I could put in a handshake," said board chairman Erik Jonsson. He added that the main problem now was to put the agreement in legal form.

The battle over Airtrans involves the airport board, the cities of Dallas and Fort Worth, eight major airlines and LTV, the developer of Airtrans.

Under the agreement, Airtrans could be put back in operation by next week. It was halted last October when the cities, the airport board and LTV failed to reach an agreement concerning its maintenance.

Talk of a possible settlement came after Ed Foreman, head of the regional office of the U.S. Department of Transportation, stepped into the dispute as a mediator. Other federal officials then indicated the government would ask for repayment of $7 million it invested in grants to build Airtrans unless an agreement was reached soon.

PUBLIC RECORDS

COUNTY COURT ORDERS

Kris Garner Terry, 21, Big Spring Mobile Lodge, pleaded guilty to carrying prohibited weapon, fined $100 and court costs.

Tommy Soto, pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, fined $50 and court costs, sentenced to 30 days in jail, probated six months.

MARRIAGES

No Van Doan, 23, 1510 B. Wood to Miss Mai Thi Phuang Nguyen, 24, 3608 Calvin.

Dennis Roy McElroy, 30, San Antonio, to Miss Sandra Kay Neskorik, 26, 3615 Calvin.

Zachary Aaron McWethy, 19, Brownfield, to Miss Esther Merlee Dennis, 22, 601 Caylor.

David Daniel Davenport, 37, 5103 Connally, to Miss Kim Anh Phom, 37, 4103 Connally.

Buddy Owens, 27, Chapparel Trailer Park lot 41, to Miss Suzanne Proctor, 21, 4206 Dixon.

Dennis Wayne Houston, 19, 1216 Lindberg, to Miss Deborah Lynn Carter, 20, 1216 Lindberg.

David Carlton Reiser, 19, 1201½ Frazier, to Mrs. Sherrill Ada Beekman, 22, 91 Biscayne.

WARRANTY DEEDS

B. M. Estes et ux to Knack J. Cox, et ux: lot 11 blk. 18, Monticello Addition.

Wilbert Royce Rainey et ux to Pat L. Amstrong et ux: west 75 feet of lot 3, blk. 3, Lockhart Addition.

Mac F. Moor et al to Ronald L. Rogers et ux: lot 7, blk. 8, Kentwood Addition.

Bill Duane Brooks et ux to John D. Hansen et ux: lot 14, blk. 27, College Park Estates Addition.

Muncey B. Cross et ux to Felix Perez et ux: lot 2, blk. 1, Avion Village Addition.

J. H. Eppler et ux to Earl F. Spiller et ux: tracts 13-14 of the H. E. Heaton Subdivision.

J. H. Eppler et ux to Earl F. Spiller et ux tract 14 of H. E. Heaton Subdivision.

City of Big Spring to O. C. Moore: lot 6, blk. 2, lot 12, blk. 3, McDowell Heights.

Janet Robb O'Brien to J. Y. Robb J.: sections 33-34-12-13-24-25-26, blk. 35-15, T&P, section 7-8, blk. 32-15, T&P, lots 11-12, blk. 29, Original Town of Big Spring, lot 2, blk. 62, Original Town of Big Spring.

Frances H. Fort to Mrs. W. R. Yates: lot 3, blk. 6, Highland Park Addition.

H. E. Tubb et ux to K-Lain, Inc.: 20.31 acre tract out of NW-4 of section 42-32-1S, T&P.

E. F. Spiller et al to Coahoma Contractor, Inc.: lot 11, blk. 3, lots 3-7-10-11, blk. 4, Furrh Addition of Coahoma.

Earl Spiller et al to Coahoma, Contractor Inc.: lot 10, blk. 3, lots 8-9, blk. 4, Furrh Addition of Coahoma.

Shelby Cole et ux, to Doris Ward Perkins: south 70.67 feet of lot 1, blk. 1 Clanton Subdivision.

Charles D. Hoover et ux to Burl Dee Davidson et ux: lot 4, blk. 6, Hall Addition.

Eleventh Place Shopping, Inc. to Cecil D. McDonald et ux: lot 12, blk. 5, Highland Park Addition.

Gaylan C. Harding et ux to Donald W. Cradduck et ux: lot 12, blk. 5, Kentwood Addition.

Jimmy Ray Smith et ux to Ernest D. Young et ux: lots 3-4, blk. 1, Jimmy Ray Smith Addition.

Hugh E. Rhyne et al to Homer T Hess Jr. et ux: lot 3-4, blk. 34, College Heights Addition.

Bobby Hughs et ux to Allen R. Hamilton et ux: lot 2, blk. 11, Washington Place Addition.

Hershel Johnson et ux to Van A. Lewis et ux: W-2 of south 122 feet of lot 5, blk. 2, Lockhart Addition.

Great Southwest Life Insurance Co. to Bill Neal Jr. et ux: parcel out of NE-4 of section 23-33-1S, T&P.

R. H. Weaver et ux to Leon Gonzales et ux: lot 1, blk. 1, North Side Addition.

Stanley L. Bogard et ux to Randall E Johnson et ux: lot 17, blk. 11, Washington Place Addition.

Jack Paul McCormick et ux to Larry F. Russell et ux: lots 1-2-3-4-5, blk. 11, Original Town of Forsan.

Woman Would Not Have NYC In Mess

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — New York City might have avoided its financial problems had a woman been mayor, says New York State's lieutenant governor, Mary Anne Krupsak.

"New York was spending money it didn't have, and I don't think that would have been allowed to continue under the kind of women I have seen in public life," said Ms. Krupsak.

She spoke Tuesday at a meeting of the National League of Cities.

She said women officeholders she knows appear to be more candid than some male oficials. She attributed the difference to the women's background in idealistic voluntary organizations.

Navy Collision Victim Dies

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — PO 2.C. Michael W. Kawola, 21, of Troy, N.Y., died Tuesday night of burns he suffered in a collision between the carrier John F. Kennedy and the cruiser Belknap last Nov. 22.

Seven other men died earlier as a result of injuries suffered in the collision near Sicily.

A spokesman for the Surgical Research Institute at Brooke Army Medical Center said Kawola was one of five Navy men badly burned in the collision. They were brought to the medical facility Nov. 26.

The spokesman said the other four men were still in serious condition.

They are PO 2.C. Andrew Gallagher of Suffolk, Va.; William Wages of Charlotte, N. C., a fireman; Van E. Wood of Welch, W. Va., a machinist mate; and Leo J. Mullin of Ashland, Mass., a maintenance technician.

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Sale 3.60

Women's slipper.

Reg. 4.50. Acrylic pile scuff with tip dyed cuff. In light blue, pink, woodhue or green. Sizes 4 to 10.



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Sale 3.19 to 14.00

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Sale 13.60 to 21.60

Reg. $17 to $27. Pre-school, prep, and varsity sizes in boy's leisure suits. 100% polyester. Assorted colors. Regulars and slims. Sizes 4 to 20.

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Farabee Named To Health Unit

AUSTIN — Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby today announced his three appointments to the Texas Coordinating Commission for State Health and Welfare Services which was created by the 64th Legislature.

They are: Sen. Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls, Sen. Tati Santiesteban of El Paso, and Sen. A. R. (Babe) Schwartz of Galveston.

Under provisions of House Bill 2164, the commission will review and comment on any state agency applications for federal grants for health purposes. The commission also is charged with making a continuing study and analysis of the services and programs of all health-related state agencies.

In addition to the three senators named by Hobby, the commission will include three members of the House of Representatives appointed by the speaker, three citizens named by the governor, and various state agency heads.

Big Spring Due To Get Water Quality Money

The City of Big Spring may become eligible for Texas Water Quality funds to improve its sewage treatment plant, following a meeting in Austin in mid-December.

Bill Brown, director of utilities, attended a meeting of the Texas Water Quality Board prior to Thanksgiving and learned that Big Spring is 23rd on a lengthy list of cities that are in need of funds to bring their departments up to water quality standards.

Water quality officials told the city officials at the meeting that the top 117 cities on the long list would probably become eligible for application for funds after their mid-December board meeting.

The total amount of the grant will be $700,000. City of Big Spring must come up with $175,000. The remaining $525,000 will be state and federal funds.

The funds, if obtained, will be used for improvements of the sewage treatment plant and the outfall sewer line.

Clayton Goes To Israel

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — House Speaker Bill Clayton leaves Dec. 7 for a 10-day visit to Israel at the invitation of that nation's government.

Press secretary George Works said the Israeli embassy called the visit a fact-finding mission but had not elaborated on its exact purpose.

MOD Mothers' March Slated Here Jan. 19

The March of Dimes Mothers' March in Big Spring will be Jan. 19, Rose Teems, MOD executive secretary, announced at the CapRock chapter's board meeting Tuesday night.

Money raised by the Mothers' March is used in March of Dimes' work against birth defects.

Last year the six-county CapRock chapter raised nearly $12,000 in such campaigns as the Mothers' March, an airlift, walkathon, powderpuff football game, radio marathon on KHEM and direct mail appeals.

"We want to make everyone aware of the serious problem of birth defects," said Mrs. Teems. "We urge citizens of Big Spring to join us in the fight that may one day save future generations from the threat of congenital mental and physical handicaps."

Mrs. Teems said that she and Mothers' March co-chairmen Darlene Leatherwood and Carol Reeves still need volunteers to walk the Mothers' March in several neighborhoods. Volunteers may call Mrs. Teems at the March of Dimes office, ph. 263-3401.

The chapter's Mothers' March in Snyder will be Jan. 26, which is also the date for the chapter's first Mothers' March in Lamesa in many years.

Jan. 16 was slated for a March of Dimes Tenn-a-thon headed by Barry Stephens, pro at the Figure 7 Tennis Center.

The board heard a presentation by Mrs. Woody Kloor on the idea for a March of Dimes children's talent show in Big Spring. The possibility of such a program will be discussed further in January.

Though a major portion of March of Dimes money goes to national birth defects research, local chapters do provide some patient aid, and the board made allocations for medical help to two local children having birth defects.

Board members at the meeting were chapter chairman Vaughn Martin, Edith Gay, Mattie Watson, Norma Porter, Felice Logan, Craig Fischer, Ray Owen, Carole Owen, Ruby Phillips and Rose Teems.

WEATHER

NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST TEXAS: Clear with little temperature change through Thursday. Low tonight lower 30s mountains and mid 30s north to near 50 south. High Thursday mid 60s mountains to 70s elsewhere.

TEMPERATURES

CITY	MAX	MIN
BIG SPRING	73	31
Amarillo	71	33
Chicago	34	24
Denver	61	34
Detroit	37	12
Fort Worth	69	39
Houston	69	47
Los Angeles	78	51
Miami	83	61
New Orleans	58	43
Richmond	50	29
St. Louis	52	27
San Francisco	63	48
Seattle	54	53
Washington, D. C.	48	31

Sun sets today at 5:41 p.m. Sun rises Thursday at 7:31 a.m. Highest temperature this date 83 in 1954. Lowest temperature 17 in 1921. Most precipitation 1.20 in 1947.

Sorley New FCA Prexy

Floyd Sorley was named president of the local adult chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes at the meeting held Monday morning.

Other officers elected were Ray Lawlis, secretary-treasurer; Cotton Mize, membership chairman; Craig Fischer, program coordinator; and Hayes Stripling Jr., recorder.

In addition to the above officers, two past presidents, Al Valdez and Dr. Charles Warren, will serve on the board of directors.

The local chapter is affiliated with FCA chapters all over the world. The Fellowship seeks to promote Christian work and fellowship within the adult chapter as well as advance the programs of the local student groups of the same organization.

Young men and women of the organization meet weekly at the high school. The adult group meets at 7 o'clock each Monday morning at Coker's.

Anyone interested in the FCA program can apply for membership.

DEATHS

Ben Brown

Ben Brown, 82, died in a local hospital at 8:40 p.m., Tuesday. Services will be at 2 p.m., Thursday in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel, with Dr. Jimmy Law, pastor of the College Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will occur in Trinity Memorial Park.

Mr. Brown, a farmer before he retired, was born April 8, 1893, in Limestone County, Tex. He married Ama Pearl Joiner Feb. 28, 1918, in Big Spring. She died Jan. 28, 1964. He moved here in 1910. Mr. Brown was a member of the Baptist Church.

He resided in the Vincent community until 1951, when he moved to Seminole. He returned to Big Spring in 1964.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. J. E. (Mary) Fortson, Big Spring; two grandsons, David Fortson, Kermit, and Dwight Fortson, Lewisville; a granddaughter, Karen Fortson, Big Spring; and two sisters, Mrs. Anne Wolf, Big Spring, and Mrs. Mattie Bishop, Lamesa.

Civil Air Patrol Vet

Mrs. David A. Bates, vice commander of the Big Spring Flight Group, has been a member of the Civil Air Patrol for two and a half years. She has worked in the field of material and supply in units in Florida and El Paso, and holds the grade of second lieutenant.

Lt. Bates has assisted on air search as an observer in the aircraft, and is also a member of the ground team. She is the mother of two children, both of whom are active in the local CAP unit.

The Big Spring unit sponsors a blood donor program as a continuing project to assist the community in meeting the needed blood supply.

The Civil Air Patrol, a civilian auxiliary of the U.S. Air Force, is open to both men and women from the ages of 13 and up.



LONE STAR DISTRICT LEADERS
Sam Hunnicutt and Walter Wheat

AWARDS PRESENTED AT ANNUAL EVENT

Scout Leaders Described As 'Temple Builders'

People who work with boys and girls in Scouting were described at the annual Lone Star district meeting Tuesday evening as "temple builders."

Dr. Kenneth Patrick, pastor of the First Baptist Church, told volunteers at the recognition dinner that they were undergirding the nation by helping youth develop a sense of patriotism and heritage, self-reliance, spirituality and duty.

"In the every-day tasks," he said, "it is too easy to forget that we are in the business of building men."

Numerous awards were distributed at the banquet held in the Howard College SUB, and Sam Hunnicutt, district chairman, was installed for another term along with his slate of officers. Steve Odom, Buffalo Trail council executive, made the installation.

George Zachariah, in a Bicentennial Minute, saluted Troop No. 1, the "oldest continuously registered troop west of the Mississippi," on the occasion of its 65th birthday. He also cited Nelda Allen for compiling the troops' history, which will be preserved permanently in Heritage Museum.

The District Award of Merit, the first given in the district, went to Joe Pickle, who became a Scout in 1922 and has a record of continuous registration in Scouting in various capacities including Troop 5 scoutmaster, district chairman, council vice president. Larson Lloyd, who like Pickle was a product of old Troop No. 1, made the presentation.

Installed on the district committee with Hunnicutt were Walter Wheat, vice chairman; Temple Kern, finance chairman; Joe Pickle, public relations; Tom Locke, manpower; Arnold Marshall, resources; Bill Priebe, Scouting chairman; Ruby Bruns, cubbing chairman; J. Kipp Metzger, leadership training; Dr. Paul Koshi, conservation; MSgt. Don W. Seiler, Air Force representative. Art Hyman is the district executive.

Those winning the President's award for achieving Round-Up goals were:

Pack 100 (David Jansch, cubmaster), Pack 136 (Robert Doolin), Pack 179 (William Lyons), Pack 187 (Joe Bradley), Pack 238 (Canuto Ramirez), Pack 305 (A. J. Pirkle), Troop 16 (Bill Mims), Troop 146 (Gary Swiden), Troop 401 (Charles Burks), Troop 249 (Richard Acuna), Post 236 (Mrs. Pamela Weldele).

Summertime pack awards went to Pack 63 (Robert Oliver), Pack 305 (A. J. Pirkle).

Recognized for the Scouter's award were Ruby Bruns, Charles Burks and Clem Jones; for den leader's training, Virginia Oliver and Donna Priest; and the Scouter's Key, David Jansch, Canuto Ramirez and Austin Ferguson. The coveted 25-year service award went to Ferguson, who has been one of the district's most active workers.

Exposition participation citations went to Pack 136, Pack 33, Post 236; the council Spring camporee award to Troop 33, and Fall camporee to Troop 401.

Joe Whitten, accompanied by Mrs. Bill McRee, furnished the music, and Rev. Louis Moeller, Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, gave the invocation. Arnold Marshall presided, and banquet chairman Walter Wheat, with Ruby Bruns, furnished decorations. Webelos of Pack 305 provided the closing flag ceremony.

THE DOROTHY GARRETT CORONARY CARE UNIT

Gift Of $60,000 To Methodist Hospital In Lubbock Announced

A gift of $60,000 to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock from the Dora Roberts Foundation of Big Spring was announced by George M. Brewer, president of the hospital.

Proceeds of the foundation gift are dedicated to the establishment of The Dorothy Garrett Coronary Care Unit, according to the announcement. Mrs. Garrett is the widow of Horace Garrett, grandson of Dora Roberts, pioneer settler and rancher in West Texas who is commemorated in the Peter Hurd mural in the rotunda of the first museum at Texas Tech University.

In addition to the Dora Roberts Foundation gift, personal gifts by Mrs. Garrett and her daughter, Melinda Sue Garrett, and by their friends make possible the expansion of the present coronary care facilities. This life-saving area, designed for patients with heart disease, was established in 1965 as one of the first in Texas.

In providing for the new facilities, Mrs. Garrett said: "I feel at home in Methodist Hospital, and I have great regard for its cardiologists, heart surgeons and coronary care nurses, who actually saved my life three times. They are the most capable and dedicated specialists that I have ever seen."

Since the start of open heart surgery in 1970 at Methodist Hospital, and with the increasing incidence of heart attacks, the need for expansion of coronary care facilities is most important. The present 12 specially equipped and monitored rooms will be expanded to 23 rooms designed to provide expert care for cardiac cases of all types.

"These gifts for the expansion of the coronary care unit," stated Brewer, "are most timely and will permit us to start the renovation plans very soon. We are deeply grateful for the interest of the Garrett family and that of the trustees of the Dora Roberts Foundation."

Select Four County Nominees As Health Agency Leaders

Four Howard County nominees were included in the final selection of a Health Systems Agency for the area of the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission when the areawide nominating committee met Monday night at Terminal.

A meeting was held in the Howard County courtroom here this morning to announce the final selections. From Howard County the two "providers" selected are Norman Knox, Malone-Hogan Hospital administrator and Ron Cohorn, Big Spring State Hospital. Tony Ortiz, Howard College counselor and Lanny Hamby, local attorney, were named the two consumers from this county.

In all the board includes three physicians, two hospital administrators, one nurse, two mental hospital personnel, one dentist, one optometrist; one pharmacist and a number of lay people including attorneys, bankers, an artist, a filling station owner, minister, county commissioner and farmer county judge.

From Odessa, consumers include Dr. Nathan Galloway, Gordon Epperson, Dorothy Jackson and Kenneth Bentsen. Consumers from Odessa include Salvador Guerro, Earl Francell, Jesse Combs, Thacker Cole and Paul McCollom.

The lone representatives from a combination of Glasscock, Borden Loving and Terrell counties is Judge Jim Burkett of Gail.

The Midland providers include Dr. Viola Coleman, Billy J. Cook and Bob Dickson. The consumers are Durwood Wright, Richard Saldano and Marshall McCree.

Other providers named include Dr. James Burkholder, Andrews; Tommy Longbotham, Monahans. Consumers include Jim Coffee, Lamesa, Reeves Cothes, Seminole; John Gammitt, Kermit and Ruben Peterson, McCamey.

Crane, Pecos and Martin Counties are also due a representative each, still to be named.

The 17-county Permian Basin Region is singular in that it was selected to serve as one area, due to advance work done in the region on such items as regional emergency care and other projects.

Other areas of the state are placed in blocks of 500,900 population and have less voice in their decisions in regard to hospital and nursing home grants and other projects.

Harold Hall of Big Spring, who is secretary of the Permian Basin Regional Planning Council board, said, "The fact that we are in a smaller group is due to the far-seeing of Ernie Crawford, executive director of PBRPC, Harley Reeves, medical coordinator and other staff members of the PBRPC."



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Five Local Employes Of Pioneer Natural Gas To Be Honored Today

Five Big Spring residents will be honored 7 p.m. today at Pioneer Natural Gas Corporation's annual service award dinner for employes in its natural gas division, to be held at the Ranchland Hills Country Club, Midland.

Local employes of the firm receiving the honor were James P. Balios, Garland T. Land, Dearl Pittman, Ruth B. Manuel, and Bill Norris.

Dearl Pittman, district manager of Big Spring, Garland T. Land, engineering assistant of Big Spring, and James P. Balios, office manager of Big Spring, each have 20 years service with the company.

Those with 15 years service are Ruth Manuel, distribution office clerk in the Big Spring office, and Bill Norris, senior general plant operator, Big Spring.

K. Bert (Tex) Watson, president of Pioneer, will present the awards at a banquet. A total of 187 awards, representing 2,390 years of combined total service, are being presented this week throughout Pioneer's system.

Phone Rate Increase To Be Sought In Lamesa

LAMESA — A 28.3 rate increase will be sought by the General Telephone Company here, officials of the firm have indicated to the Lamesa city council.

The announcement was made to councilmen at their regular meeting Monday night. Bob Saunders of Brownfield, representing General Telephone, told the council his company is not receiving the percentage of return on investment necessary for the company to improve telephone service to Lamesa.

Mayor Lloyd Cline said the city is strongly opposed to the increase, "especially with the service from General Telephone."

Several business representatives from Lamesa appeared at the meeting and complained of poor service. Saunders agreed to look into the service problems.

The representative told the council the proposed increase would enable his company to receive from 8.5 to 9 per cent return on the fair value of its investment.

The net revenue on its investment would increase 75 to 80 per cent, he said.

The council decided to table the rate increase for further study and voted to hire outside help in studying the rate request.

FATE OF ACCUSED KILLER GAINES MULLED BY JURORS

Returned Home With Guns Loaded After Touring Bars

By JOHN EDWARDS

After drinking beer at seven different Big Spring bars, Jackie Wayne Gaines, 34, said he returned home late with loaded guns hoping to catch prowlers.

Instead, Gaines told an 118th District Court jury Tuesday afternoon that he accidentally shot his wife to death at their home in Coahoma Feb. 5, 1972.

After giving a rambling account of their troubles and the events leading to the shooting, Gaines faced District Attorney, Bob Moore, who accused him of lying.

At one point, court reporter Jerry Spence interrupted the two, saying: "One at a time, come on now."

"The story the defendant wants you to believe, the one he's worked on for four years, is insane," District Attorney Robert H. (Bob) Moore III said in his final arguments.

"If he had four years" and did lie, Roy Ford, defense attorney, said "it looks like to me that he'd manufacture a better one.

"It's definitely possible it happened the way he said it happened," Ford said.

"We haven't got an eye witness" to the shooting Ford said, noting the girl did not see the shot fire.

"Jackie Wayne Gaines is a guilty man," Ford said. "But here is what he is guilty of" — being drunk, paranoia and negligence.

The jury began deliberations at 11:25 a.m. today.

Gaines said he had been working night shift in the oil fields and had been unable to sleep.

He took his clothes, Gaines said, to make his wife think he was leaving.

If he waited until he usually arrived home after work, late at night, Gaines said he thought he might catch the prowlers who frequently bothered the family about that time. He found none.

"Well, do you want to put the guns up and go to bed?" his wife, Betty, asked.

No, Gaines said he thought he would look outside once more.

Then, he laid his head on the kitchen table, the shotgun resting in his hands across his legs, parallel to the floor, Gaines said. He said he felt a tugging at his arm.

"She (his wife) said don't pull it," Gaines said. "I said okay. I'm trying not to."

"The only reason she stayed in front of that gun was my son was right there in that baby bed," Gaines said.

When the gun went off it sounded like "rain", Gaines recalled.

Gaines suggested his stepdaughter, Dorothy Marie Rowe, then 9, was trying to get the shotgun from him.

"I saw her at the end of the bed and run jump back in the bed," Gaines explained.

District Attorney Moore recalled Dorothy to the stand.

"From that time he drove up until you heard the shot, did you ever leave the bed?" Moore asked. "No" she said.

Because no evidence had been presented that Sheriff A. N. Standard was a competent photographer, Roy Ford, defense attorney, objected unsuccessfully to a photo being shown the jury.

The photo showed Mrs. Gaines lying dead besides a hole in the sheet rock wall. There were wall stains above head level, Moore said.

Gaines said Texas Highway Patrolman Jimmy Parks pushed at the wall with his foot, then added: "If she was standing up when it went off, it would have hit her in the leg."

Attacking another part of Gaines' story, Moore started to read the jury two statements said signed by the defendant.

The jury was instructed to leave while Ford opposed efforts to have statements by Gaines read in court. One had two dates, Feb. 5 and 25, and Gaines said "I don't remember nothing about it (the statements)." Judge R. W. Caton permitted the jury, on its return, to hear the statements.

Where in the statements, Moore demanded, did Gaines mention prowlers or his arm being pulled?

"Well, I've got two men standing over my shoulder, saying let's put it this way," Gaines claimed.

Gaines told how he met his late wife in Socorro, N.M., while "I was in the process of getting a divorce."

Betty said she had taken shock treatment, Gaines said.

After marrying, they learned Gaines's divorce was not final. When the divorce decree was issued, Gaines said they remarried in Roswell, N.M.

"She accused me of things her former husband had done," he claimed.

Moore said attendance records showed Gaines attended every service at Trinity Baptist Church when his wife left him once.

Once, Gaines said he was charged with threatening his wife's life although he was innocent. The couple talked to County Attorney W. H. (Bill) Eyssen Jr. about "dropping charges." They got marriage counseling at the Big Spring State Hospital.

Gaines later noted that after the shooting, he was first sent to the Rusk State Hospital, because he was judged insane at the time and not competent to stand trial. He was released and found sane.

"My wife was real paranoid," Gaines added.

Gaines denied having beaten his wife after finding tire tracks and foot prints by their home.

"Did you ever in a fit of madness hold a gun at the baby's head and threaten to kill it?" Moore questioned. No.

Gaines did not remember breaking open the door to his sister's house when his wife went there once. But the defendant admitted that he had burned clothes with gasoline and torn the phone off the wall.

Don Brashears, Gaines' former crew chief, remembered Gaines asked him to honk so Mrs. Gaines would know it was her husband coming home. She kept a loaded gun, he was told. He described Gaines as "just quiet."

Terry Carter appeared as a witness for the defense but did not testify after attorneys conferred with Judge Caton.

Mrs. Lulu Adams, justice of the peace for Precinct 2, testified for the prosecution that she twice read "his rights" to Gaines on the night he was arrested. She repeated the procedure because he appeared to be intoxicated, Mrs. Adams testified. "I never saw anybody any more intoxicated."

She told about the murder victim lying on the kitchen floor. "Her face was just — her face . . ." and the JP simply made a motion across her own face and shook her head.

Justice of the Peace Walter Grice, JP for Precinct 1, place 1, now retired, also testified. He testified that he could not recall the defendant "but I have covered so many cases," but he admitted it was his signature on the rights form.

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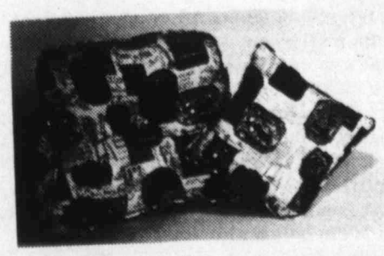
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Police Search For Four Missing Restaurant Employes

OAKLAND PARK, Fla. (AP) — Police are conducting an intensive search today for four employes who mysteriously vanished from a supper club Tuesday morning.

Police in this Fort Lauderdale suburb theorize it might be a case of robbery-abduction but say they really aren't sure. There have been no ransom demands and nothing is known to be missing.

"We don't know what happened," said Detective Sgt. Charles Hemp. "But I can tell you one thing. I'm worried, darn worried."

Police said a chef arrived for work at 9:30 a.m. and found the office door unlocked and the office empty. The personal belongings of the four employes were found untouched, their autos were still in the parking lot and there was no sign of a struggle, officers said.

The four were identified by police as Joseph P. McCartney, 29, the restaurant's manager; Gail Rieckmann, 35, the bookkeeper-secretary; and Marrian Haston, 31, and Neata Harvard, 27, both maids.

Mrs. Harvard and Mrs. Haston, a mother of four, are sisters.

Officers said McCartney was seen riding in the front seat of a car that made two passes around the restaurant early Tuesday.

Police speculated that the four may have been taken by gunmen who might have been recognized by one or more of the employes.

"Everybody is out on the investigation," said Detective Harold Hancock. "We're assuming we're involved with a robbery-abduction."

A heavy safe that should contain the night's receipts of $6,500 to $7,500 did not show any signs of having been tampered with. Police said they planned to drill into the safe later today to see if anything was missing.

Morton Browne, owner of the club named Bocaccio's, said McCartney and Mrs. Rieckmann were the only persons who knew the safe's combination.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

A SENIOR ADVISOR — Pearl Bailey takes some time Tuesday to give some advice to a pair of youngsters examining a display of UNICEF cards at United Nations headquarters in New York City. The advice was not a formal part of Miss Bailey's duties as senior advisor to the U.S. delegation to the U.N. Youngsters are Karen Green, 13, Elmsford, N.Y., left, and Jose Rodrigo, 11, of Guatamala City, Guatamala.

House Bill May Halt Natural Gas Shortage

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Commerce Committee is sending to the House floor a bill designed to relieve natural gas shortages anticipated for the next two winters by temporarily removing federal price controls.

Rep. John D. Dingell, D-Mich., said the bill "should help alleviate the threatened unemployment consequences of natural gas shortages...while protecting the individual homeowner from higher prices."

The bill approved by the committee Tuesday would allow interstate pipelines experiencing the most severe shortages to purchase additional supplies of natural gas from intrastate producers.

Intrastate gas, produced and sold within one state, is not controlled by federal price guidelines and sells between $1.20 and $2 per thousand cubic feet. Interstate gas, produced in one state and sold in others, is controlled at 52 cents per thousand cubic feet at the wellhead.

Intrastate producers are unwilling to sell their gas at the lower, regulated interstate rates.

Since 1954, the major oil companies, which produce the bulk of natural gas in the United States, have sought to have price controls removed from all natural gas.

The commerce bill exempts from existing price ceilings only gas that otherwise would be unavailable to the interstate pipelines and permits purchases only through April 15, 1977.

After that, the Federal Power Commission is required to report to Congress on the effectiveness of the program.

The Commerce Committee's energy and power subcommittee is working on a longterm bill dealing with the natural gas problem.

The Senate has passed a bill that would gradually deregulate natural gas over the next five years, but the House energy leadership does not want to remove all federal price controls.

Rocky, Connally To Address Group

HOUSTON (AP) — Vice President Nelson Rockefeller and former Texas Gov. John Connally will be among speakers at next week's Southern Republican Conference.

There also is speculation that both President Ford and Ronald Reagan might attend the Dec. 12-13 meeting to discuss the 1976 campaign with Republicans from 12 southern states.

The tentative schedule for Dec. 13 lists speeches by special guests at both a luncheon and an evening banquet prompted speculation that Ford and Reagan might attend although neither is listed on the agenda.

The conference, sponsored by the Southern Association of Republican State chairmen, is designed to promote informal discussions by party leaders and elected officials at all levels.

Both Connally and Rockefeller are to give keynote addresses the afternoon and evening sessions Dec. 12.

Others expected to participate in the conference include Mary Louise Smith, the national Republican chairman, Agriculture Secy. Earl Butz, Republican Govs. James Holshoser of North Carlina, Mills Godwin of Virginia and James Edwards of South Carolina, eight U.S. senators and 28 members of the U.S. House.

The conference was organized six years ago and has previously been held in New Orleans, Memphis and Atlanta.

Local 1926 Meets Thursday

The American Federation of Government Employes-local 1926 will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m. in the Union Hall located near Cosden Oil and Chemical Co.

All civilian employes at Webb AFB are invited to attend.

Art, Craft Fair Action

Saturday and Sunday are the dates of the Second Annual Howard County 4-H Club sponsored Art and Craft Fair and Sale.

Co-sponsoring the event is the Bicentennial Commission of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

There is no admission charge.

Funds raised by this event are used by the Howard County 4-H clubs to finance activities carried throughout the year.

Involved in planning and operation of the Art and Craft Fair are the Howard County 4-H Adult Leaders Association, the Howard County 4-H Council, members of the 4-H Clubs in Howard County, the bicentennial Commission of Chamber of Commerce and the Tourist Development Council and the Howard County Fair Association.

Artisans and craftsmen from far and near will be exhibiting this year. Their work is among the best. The public is invited to buy Christmas gifts or just see the excellent arts and crafts on display.

The event is again going to be held in the Dora Roberts Building at the Howard County Fair Grounds in Big Spring. The times are Saturday 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and Sunday 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

Candidate Says RRC Should Have Denied Raise

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Texas Railroad Commissioners should have refused to let Lo-Vaca Gathering Co. pass through increased costs for natural gas, Rep. Lane Denton, D-Waco, says.

Denton talked about the increased rates Tuesday after announcing his candidacy for a commission vacancy.

"I would have voted against the rate increase and I would have advocated a strong investigation," he said. Later Denton added he would vote to repeal the rate order were he elected.

The Railroad Commission issued an interim emergency rate order in 1973 which let Lo-Vaca increase costs despite contracts with various customers.

Several customers including San Antonio, Austin, Corpus Christi and the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) filed suit. LCRA won $27 million in its suit. Other actions are pending.

Denton said rates approaching $2 per thousand cubic feet are unreasonable.

However, he said that even if elected he might have trouble getting one of the two other railroad commissioners to vote with him to repeal the rate order.

Denton repeatedly blasted big Texas business interests, adding he wanted to protect Texans from "the giants of industry who were claiming this state as their own private domain."

He said his campaign would be "people money against big money."

On other issues Denton said:

—An oil depletion allowance should be maintained only for independent operators.

—Strict regulation of the Texas energy industry is needed.

—A moratorium on building nuclear power plants is needed.

—The state should give tax incentives for developing solar energy.

MISHAPS

100 block Main: James Shalicky, 1623 E. 17th, Mellie Yocham, 1309 Mobile, 2:28 p.m. Tuesday.

15th and Lancaster: Fern W. Smith, 706 Lorilla, Eulalia M. Martinez, 1406 Young, 3:50 p.m. Tuesday.

FM 700 and West Hwy. 80: Elijah W. Vickers, Box 1592, Tom E. Wilson, Rankin, 4:27 p.m. Tuesday.

Front of Northcrest Apartments: parked, San Juana Rogers, 1002 W. Main Apt. 62, rolled into parked car of Walter Green, 1002 W. Main, Apt. 11.

Library Patrons May Check Out Models Of Body

The Permian Basin Medical Society Auxiliary has made available to Howard County Library patrons a collection of take-apart models of the human body.

These models may be checked out for three weeks.

Models of the hand, foot, knee joint, and vital organs — such as the heart, brain and kidney — are presented in realistic three dimensional aspect.

The models are not toys, however, they are a learning devise and will provide excellent illustrations and focal points of learning experiences, said Rebbecca Taylor, reference librarian.

This week is fine-free. No fine will be charged for overdue books.

Beginning today all books will be due on or before December 24. The library will conduct a year-end inventory between Christmas and New Year's. Your cooperation by having your books returned by Christmas Eve will help in the task tremendously.

Resume Air Mail To Viet

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Postal Service says air and surface first class mail deliveries between the United States and South Vietnam have been resumed.

Officials said Sunday that the resumption covers only first class letters which weigh an ounce or less.

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Service to South Vietnam was first suspended last April 29, was resumed on Aug. 4 and then resuspended Sept. 2.

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Judge Asks Publisher To Kill Column

KANSAS CITY (AP) — U.S. District Judge John W. Oliver has asked a newspaper publisher to voluntarily kill a newspaper column rather than force the judge to decide whether it should be published.

The column, by Louis M. Kohlmeier, concerns a sensational antitrust case in the dairy industry. It appeared in the St. Paul Pioneer-Press on Nov. 11. It has inspired a petition for a restraining order that would prohibit its republication in the December issue of the monthly paper published by the National Farmers Organization.

The column connected the antitrust case with Watergate and suggested President Ford should cancel the government's acceptance of the consent decree that settled the case, now on appeal, when it was before Oliver.

The main issue is whether an NFO attorney maneuvered to get secret documents in the antitrust case onto the public record, planted them with Kohlmeier and inspired the column.

Oliver ruled Tuesday that a decision to kill the column would be justified on the grounds that the column is inaccurate. But he also questioned whether a story or viewpoint should be prohibited because it may contain erroneous material. Kohlmeier has not publicly responded to allegations of inaccuracy.

The restraining order is being sought by Associated Milk Producers, Inc., of San Antonio, Tex., and the Bank for Cooperatives of Houston, Tex., which claim the editorial was based on documents made available by the bank for use in the antitrust litigation with the stipulation that they be kept secret except for use in the lawsuit.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

AND NO MISTLETOE! — Frank Hochmayr of Nisswa, Minn., seems on good terms with deer penned on Northern States Power Co. plaza in Minneapolis. The animal is among six deer and reindeer on display during holiday season.

Missing Girl's Skeleton Found

HOUSTON (AP) — Juvenile authorities said today they will resume an investigation into the disappearance and death of a teen-age girl whose skeleton turned up in northeast Harris County.

The bones, found last week by youngsters, were identified Tuesday night as those of Patricia Kaye Humphreys, 15, who disappeared more than five months ago.

Medical authorities said the skeleton showed a scar on the skull that matched a similar scar on the missing girl's skull that was caused by brain surgery.

In addition, pieces of clothing near the body resembled garments belonging to the girl, homicide detectives said.

The cause of death was not determined at once, medical authorities said. They said an autopsy was ordered and a comparison of dental records with the teeth of the skeleton will be made.

The Humphreys girl was last seen June 26 at a drive-in theater in northwest Harris County. The bones were found behind a church about 15 miles from the theater.

Police said they had notified the mother of the missing girl, Pat Scarber, who now lives in Stratton, Neb.

Medical officers said the remains would be sent to Henrietta, Tex., for burial.

Ky Learns Of Viet Execution

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — Nguyen Cao Ky, former vice president and premier of South Vietnam, says Communists executed 200 South Vietnamese military officers about three weeks ago and that he has no doubt there will be future executions.

Ky said Tuesday he learned of the executions from reliable sources, adding that he officers were executed because in the past they "gave the Communists a hard time."

Ky made his comments at a news conference before speaking on the Virginia Commonwealth University campus.

While he spoke inside a campus building, about 15 persons who said they were with an organization called Youth Against War and Fascism picketed outside, carrying anti-Ky banners and chanting, "Ky sold dope while the people died."

Ky has been accused by various groups of being involved in the heroin trade.

Ky, now living in northern Virginia, denied this at his news conference, saying, "I was prime minister for two years. If I wanted to make money, I could do it legally, so why would I have to engage in such traffic to get money?"

'Crimeless' Twon Policed By 75-Year-Old Marshal

LYONS, Ind. (AP) — "Don't crowd people, especially young people. Be fair and you'll get along."

That's the anticrime formula of William O. Jackson, town marshal of Lyons, where there hasn't been so much as a break-in in 16 years.

Jackson, a 75-year-old retired railroad foreman and ex-cop in Kansas City, and his deputy have kept things quiet in this southwestern Indiana community of 700 persons. Recently, the town board gave Jackson a plaque in recognition of his record.

Jackson works from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. seven days a week and "when the bell rings, I'm ready to go to work."

He said he can spot a stranger "in nothing flat. The fact not many people move around at night helps. Mischief is easier to spot."

The marshal, a widower with four children, also gets plenty of help from his deputy, Frank Manella, 59.

"We keep on the watch and that's about all we have to do," Manella said. "I've been with Jackson for 13 years, and things are real quiet here. That's the way we want it."

"We have a post office, hardware store, grocery store, restaurant, farm equipment store and some other businesses here, but there is no trouble."

Jackson, a native of Ottawa, Kan., blames hard times for the crime spiral elsewhere.

Noted Tech Doctor Dies

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — Funeral services were pending today for Dr. William W. Frye, a noted medical educator and a specialist in tropical diseases, who died here Tuesday of an apparent heart attack.

At the time of his death, the 72-year-old Frye was one of five specially designated University Professors at Texas Tech University here.

Frye came to Texas Tech as a special consultant in August 1974 after serving as dean and later chancellor at the Louisiana State University Medical School in New Orleans. He was named dean of the Tech medical school in May 1973 and served in that capacity until August 1974, when he was awarded the rank of University Professor.

A native of Iowa, Frye received his B.S. degree from Iowa Wesleyan and an M.S. and Ph.D. from Iowa State. In 1939, he received his M.D. from Vanderbilt School of Medicine.

During his career, Frye taught at Iowa Wesleyan, Iowa State, Vanderbilt, Tulane, LSU and the Mount Sinai School of Medicine in New York City. He was instrumental in the development of the University of Costa Rica Medical School and helped establish the International Center for Medical Research and Training in Costa Rica.

The author of more than 100 medical books and articles, Frye was the recipient of awards from the Society of Exotic Pathology of Paris, University of Costa Rica, University of Mexico School of Medicine, Iowa State and Iowa Wesleyan.

He is survived by five children.

Scientific Alibi Convinced Judge

LOS ALAMOS, N. M. AP — Paul VanderMaat, in front of a judge to answer a speeding ticket, argued that the ionized air that precedes a thunderstorm affects a speed radar unit.

He said that he was charged with traveling 33 miles an hour in a 25-mile-an-hour speed zone, but that a thunderstorm struck in the area some 15 minutes after he was ticketed.

Municipal Judge Raymond E. Hunter said that made sense, likening it to static on the radio and saying that static electricity in the air could bend the otherwise straight radar beam and result in a false reading.

He found VanderMaat innocent.

Both are theoretical physicists at Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ A 10 9 8
♡ K J 10 7
◇ A K 7 4 3
♣ Void

WEST	EAST
♠ J 7 6 4 3	♠ K Q
♡ 6	♡ 9 8 3 2
◇ J 9	◇ Q 10 8 6 5
♣ Q 10 6 5 3	♣ K 9

SOUTH
♠ 5 2
♡ A Q 5 4
◇ 2
♣ A J 8 7 4 2

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	1 ◇	Pass
1 ♡	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	6 ♡	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Four of ♠.

Looking at West's hand, it is difficult to guess which card proved the downfall of South's heart slam. Would it surprise you that the six of hearts took the crucial trick and there was nothing declarer would do about it?

Despite the fact that there was obviously a partial misfit on the hand, it is hard to fault North for driving to slam when he learned of South's heart suit. South could easily have held another key card in his hand, such as the king of clubs, that would have made the contract a laydown. As it was, the slam was beaten only because East starred on defense.

In view of the auction, West should have led his singleton trump. His holding in the minor suits suggest that declarer would have difficulty establishing a long suit, so it was odds-on that the hand could be played on a crossruff. Therefore, it was essential to cut down on declarer's ruffing ability as quickly as possible.

When West led a spade, declarer received a temporary reprieve. He had four top tricks in the side suits. If he could score all eight of his trumps separately, he would be home. So he won the ace of spades in dummy, cashed two top diamonds for a spade discard, and started on his crossruff.

Declarer had noted West's jack of diamonds on the second round of that suit, so he decided to come to his hand with a spade ruff. He cashed the ace of clubs, pitching a diamond from dummy, ruffed a club on the table and led another spade. Had East discarded on this trick, or ruffed low, declarer would have overruffed with the five and then make the rest of his trumps with a high crossruff.

East, however, was equal to the occasion. He ruffed with the eight of trumps and declarer was forced to overruff with the queen. A club ruff in dummy was followed by the last spade. East ruffed with the nine and declarer overruffed with the ace. Another club ruff put declarer in dummy for a diamond lead. He ruffed with his last trump—the five—but West was able to overruff with the six! Declarer had to concede a diamond at the end for down one.

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Louisiana Jones reported a burglary at 310 N. Scurry with 15 half-dollars and assorted pennies taken from his residence.

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Going To Court To Get Children Out Of Vigil

MENA, Ark. (AP) — James R. Cavner Sr. is going to court hoping to remove his two teenaged children from a small house at Grannis where 25 people are waiting in isolation for the end of the world.

Cavner, of Corona, Calif., alleged in his suit that his son, James Jr., 17, and daughter, Valerie Gayle, 14, will suffer "irreparable harm from not continuing their education."

The mother, Ann Nance Cavner, a participant in the religious vigil that started Sept. 29, was granted custody of the children when the couple was divorced at El Paso, Tex., in 1965, Cavner's petition said.

Judge Alex G. Sanderson Jr. of Texarkana has ordered the mother and children to appear at a Dec. 18 Chancery Court hearing at Mena.

The petition, which asks for a change of custody, said the children were taken from school at Wicks, about 20 miles south of Mena, on Sept. 29 when the vigil started.

Cavner was granted visitation rights in 1967 and learned the children were in the house when he came to visit them for the Thanksgiving holidays, according to his attorney, Frank J. Gamble III of DeQueen.

Juvenile Court Judge J. B. Stevenson ordered six school-aged children taken from the vigil and returned to school in October. School attendance is mandatory until the eighth grade in Arkansas. Valerie Gayle was in the ninth grade and James Jr., was a senior when they were withdrawn from school, the petition said.

Cavner alleged that the "religious cult, or group, intends to keep his two minor children in their home against their will, or, if with their acquiescence through a process of mental subjugation, until the end of the world, which in all rationality, he feels will not come within his or their lifetime."

He said the rest of the community of Grannis — population 177 — was opposed to the action of the group and that "it is possible, and there have been rumors, that some type of vigilante or mob action might be taken against the group in which these two minors are held."

The vigil started after one member of an unorthodox religious group — known by townspeople as the Sunlighters — said he had a vision from God that the second coming of Christ was about to occur. The vision told the group to stay together in isolation until Christ came. Most of the vigil members are relatives.

The townspeople say several dates for the arrival of Christ have passed, but that vigil members say the delays are "God's will."

Stevenson has said the vigil members have lost their jobs, have had their cars repossessed for nonpayment, have had their vacant homes burglarized and may lose their homes to creditors.

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Dallas Lawyer Named To Replace Sarah Hughes

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas lawyer Patrick J. Higginbotham, who was named Tuesday by President Ford to succeed U.S. District Court Judge Sarah T. Hughes, said, "No position offers a greater opportunity for a lawyer to serve his country."

The nomination is subject to Senate confirmation. If approved, the 37-year-old Higginbotham would be the youngest sitting federal judge.

A native of Alabama and a graduate of the University of Alabama Law School, Higginbotham received extensive recommendations from Dallas lawyers, civic leaders and politicians, including Sen. John Tower, R-Tex. Tower recommended Higginbotham to Ford last August when Judge Hughes announced her retirement from active duty on the bench at the age of 78.

"I'm grateful the President has expressed his confidence in me and for the recommendation of Sen. Tower," he said.

Higginbotham, whose practice has been in civil litigation, was involved in an American Bar Association study on freedom of the press and shield laws and wrote a dissenting opinion which essentially was adopted as ABA policy. He concluded in the study that there is a greater threat to First Amendment freedoms through shield laws.

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Hofheinz Re-Elected Mayor Of Houston

HOUSTON (AP) — Mayor Fred Hofheinz, successful in his bid for re-election, said today he is anxious to get his program for the next two years rolling.

Hofheinz, 37, campaigning on a platform of success in law enforcement, public transit and fiscal responsibility, defeated Frank Briscoe, a former Harris County district attorney, in a runoff Tuesday.

The race was close during the early returns but Hofheinz, riding a late vote from minority residential areas, surged to an unsurmountable lead.

Complete unofficial returns gave Hofheinz 137,456 votes and Briscoe 104,650. Hofheinz received 56.7 per cent.

Briscoe, 49, coming out of a 10-year retirement from public office, conceded about two hours after the polls closed.

"It's a victory for the people of Houston," Hofheinz said. "We not only won, we really won."

He said Houston will be a "better city," the next two years.

"We made it a very good race," Briscoe said. "We started from nowhere against an incumbent mayor with an entrenched black vote of support. We've run a good race.

"You do the best you can and the trick is to be satisfied with your efforts."

Briscoe had charged that Hofheinz increased the city's budget by 47 per cent in two years and built a political machine by adding hundreds of persons to the city's payroll.

Briscoe said it was not the proper time to think about the possibility of running again in 1977.

In the lone race for city councilman, Louis Macey, a businessman, defeated Jeanne Elliott, an investor, by a vote of 114,971 to 84,860.

Two contests for positions on the school board were settled in close elections.

William Harwell, a transportation executive, defeated Augustina Reyes, a former teacher, 10,919 to 9,895 and William Holland, a retired educator, defeated Dr. Edith Jones, a physician, 14,605 to 13,331.

The total vote in the mayor's race was 224,681 just about the number election officials had predicted would turn out. The city has 600,000 eligible voters.

This was about the same number who turned out for the Nov. 4 general election, when Hofheinz led a five-man field.

Dick Gottlieb, a former city councilman who ran third in the general election, endorsed Briscoe in the runoff but took no active role in the campaign.

Party affiliations are not required in Houston city elections but both Briscoe and Hofheinz are Democrats.

Army Enrollees To Get Leave

The U. S. Army again is offering a special holiday leave plan, as announced here today by SSG James A. Ashworth, local U. S. Army recruiter at 109 E. 3rd.

"This program" he said, "is designed especially for young men and women contemplating enlistment (Dec. 15-24) in the Army, but who want to spend Christmas and New Years at home," he said. "The number of days that may be authorized is dependent upon the actual day of enlistment. Full pay and allowances will begin on the day of enlistment even though enlistees are on leave status before reporting for basic training."

Howard County 4-H Clubs Donate Bell

An assembly bell has been donated to the Texas State 4-H Center at Brownwood by the Howard County 4-H Clubs.

Following the return of the Howard County 4-H group who attended the Tri-County Camp there in August, the 4-H'ers decided to donate a bell.

Taking the lead in this donation was J. E. Peugh, adult leader of the Knott 4-H club. His search led him to an antique bell in Tahoka.

Following the purchase, the bell was mounted on a metal pole and set up at the 4-H Center under the leadership of Peugh. Assisting in the pole setting were Danny Peugh of the Knott 4-H club, Bret Griffith of the Coahoma 4-H club and Bruce Griffith, county extension agent.



(AP WIREPHOTO)

TOPPING THE TREE — A plastic bell adorns the top of the National Christmas Tree as decorating got underway Tuesday in the nations capital. The White House is in background.

Noted Jurist Dies While Hunting

HOUSTON (AP) — Funeral services were scheduled Thursday morning for U. S. District Court Judge Ben C. Connally, a firm believer that conferences in chambers were an effective means of expediting cases.

Connally, who would have been 66 Dec. 28, died Tuesday while on a south Texas hunting trip.

A family spokesman said Connally died of a heart attack while hunting on the Encino Division of the King Ranch. He was pronounced dead at a Falfurrias hospital.

Hunting with him were his wife, Sally Connally, and two other judges for the Southern Judicial District of Texas, Judge Owen D. Cox of Corpus Christi and Judge Reynaldo Garza of Brownsville.

Survivors also include a son, Tom, and a daughter, Louise Connally Storm.

U.S. District Judge Allen B. Hannay of Houston, who had known Connally for more than 35 years, said he was "a great lawyer, a great judge. He was a very keen-minded person. He was a person of great energy and a hard worker."

Connally announced his formal retirement last Dec. 28 but had continued to handle cases in Houston under his status as a senior judge.

He had been a federal judge since 1949 and lawyers knew he would be strict, firm and fair when ruling on requests for delays.

"If you don't dispose of cases, you don't dispense justice," Connally once said.

He was born in Marlin, the son of the late U.S. Sen. Tom Connally. The elder Connally wept when he stood outside the Senate chambers in 1949 and received word of the Senate's confirmation of his son's appointment by President Harry S. Truman. The senator had not participated in the proceedings. Connally was 39 at the time of his appointment the youngest federal appointed judge in the Southern District.

Connally handled the integration suit involving the Houston Independent School District, the nation's sixth largest. The case originally was filed in 1966 and Connally made it clear from the start he opposed mass bussing.

"I am unalterably opposed to such procedure and would impose this upon the school district only if specifically required to do so by an order of a higher court," he said in a 1970 ruling.

He guided the district through several integration formulas and eventually approved a magnet school system involving 35 schools that offer special courses.

The magnet system replaced a formula under which youngsters from 25 elementary schools were bused from one school to another.

Geo. H. Lewis & Sons funeral home will be in charge of funeral services scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday.

Utilities Plan To Add Cost To Bills

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The state public utility commission says it has learned that two electric companies are illegally adding—or planning to add—to consumers' bills the assessment they are required to pay for the commission's upkeep.

It indicated there might be others.

The commission said it received a consumer complaint against Southwestern Public Service Co. of Amarillo and a voluntary disclosure from Houston Lighting and Power.

Garrett Morris, chairman, issued a statement in which Erwin and commission member George Cowden concurred.

"It has come to my attention that certain utilities which will eventually come under the jurisdiction of this commission have already, are planning to, or are considering passing on to their ultimate consumers a rate increase equal to the assessment they are required to pay under the provisions of the Public Utility Regulatory Act of 1975," Morris said.

The assessment is one-sixth of one per cent of the companies' gross revenues.

Brooke Hospital Suite Named For Johnson

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Former President Lyndon B. Johnson would be happy that the Brooke Army Medical Center suits where he stayed will be used as a patient lounge, his widow says.

"Lyndon was a great one for spreading benefits around to as many people as possible," Lady Bird Johnson said. "I know he would be as happy about this as I am."

Mrs. Johnson spoke Tuesday at the dedication of the suite on the seventh floor of the hospital at Ft. Sam Houston. The lounge will be named for the former president.

"We were always very happy with the concern and care showed us during Lyndon's six visits here," she said. This is a splendid way to use the suite now."

Johnson used the suite between the times he became president in 1963 and his death at the hospital Jan. 22, 1973.

After Johnson's death, the suite was used by returning prisoners of war.

The suite now will be used as a lounge, chapel and offices.

Mrs. Johnson refused to answer any questions dealing with politics. "I'm no longer in the political area, so I don't feel it would be right for me to say anything about what's going on."

"I just spend my time traveling and working as a University of Texas regent," she said. "And, of course, spending time with my children and grandchildren.

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CHICAGO AP — Laundering of children's cotton flannelette sleepwear, using hard water and soap or non-phosphate detergents, can impair their fire-retardant properties, according to the Water Quality Assn.

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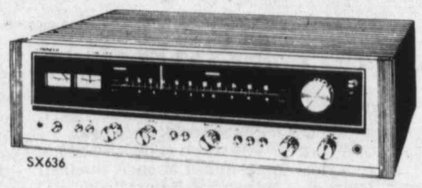
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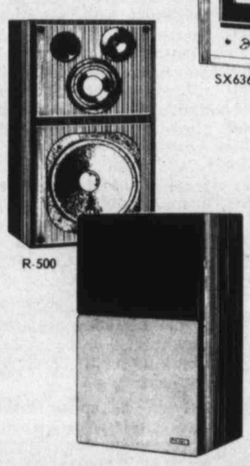
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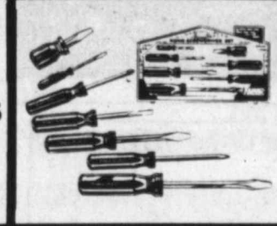
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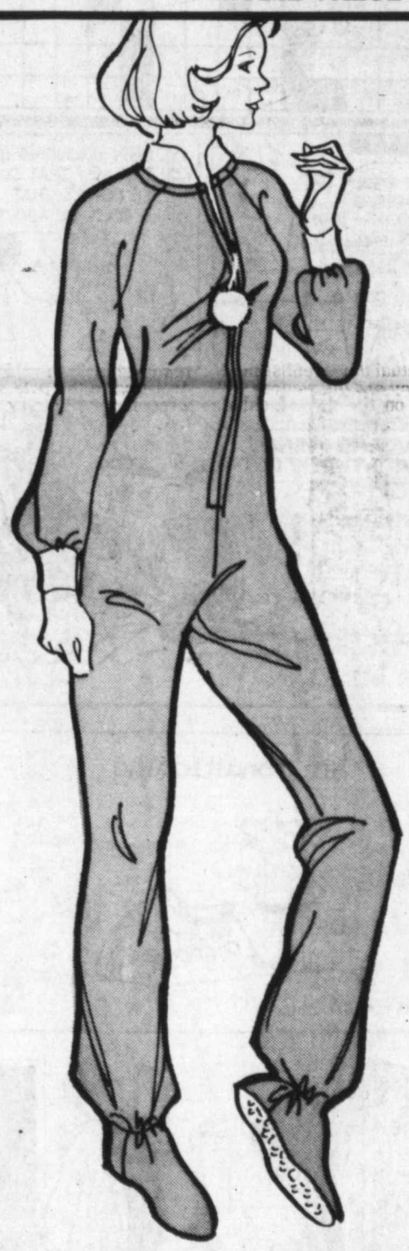
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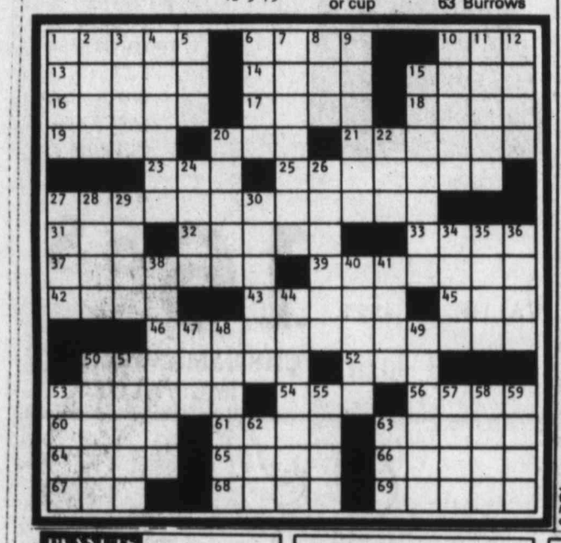
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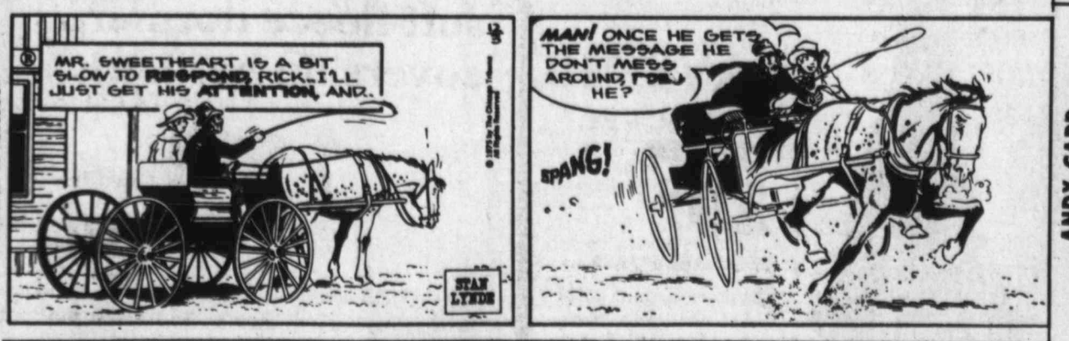
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Westbrook News

Thanksgiving day guests of the Gerald Rollins were Rollins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Rollins of Snyder; his sisters, Mrs. Lynne Welborn of Midland and Mrs. John Stuard of Stanton, and their families. Also visiting in the Rollins' home were the Jerry Stuards of Midland and J. K. Williamson of Westbrook.

The Max Richards family of Lamesa were Thanksgiving Day guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rice visited recently with the Rev. and Mrs. Gene Farley in Abilene.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Clawson were their children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clawson, Mrs. C. J. Findeisen and son of Corpus Christi, Mrs. A. D. Sparks of Wills Point, Mrs. Kathleen Prater and children of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Miller and grandchildren of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Tommy Bryant and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Reed and son, and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sullivan and children, all of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clawson and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jarnigan, all of Coahoma. The Sullivans, the Reeds and the Bryants visited with their father, Herman Sullivan, and the Don Hendersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Choppy Rees and Kent Bradley visited Mrs. Rees' brother, Robert Milliken, and his family in Oklahoma City, Okla. during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dawson and family spent the holidays in Dallas with relatives.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Altis Clemmer were Mrs. J. B. Wilkinson and Mrs. Joe Brown of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Clemmer and the R. L. Clemmers of Colorado City.

Mrs. G. L. Anderson of Colorado City had all her children home for the holidays. Children visiting with their parents were M.Sgt. Dale Anderson of Carswell Air Force Base in Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson and family, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Clemmer and Gaines L. Anderson Jr., all of Colorado City.

Sgt. Anderson just received his discharge from the United States Air Force after serving 20 years. He left Sunday to join his wife and daugher at their home in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Anderson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Motley. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson visited with her mother, Mrs. Ed Putman.

Mrs. J. K. Williamson returned Tuesday from California where she spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Lonnie Hoyle, and family at Mission Viejo and with Miss Jo Ann Patterson in Santa Ana.

Mrs. Williamson accompanied Mrs. R. L. Patterson of Big Spring and Mrs. Virginia Cartwright and Mrs. J. E. Terry of Elgin.

Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Cartwright and Mrs. Terry will remain in California with Miss Patterson for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson were in Lubbock recently to attend the funeral of his nephew, Calvin Wayne Kelly.

Holidays guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Bob Manning were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clark, and her brother, James Clark, of Whitewright. Also visiting with the Mannings were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Thompson and son of Lamesa.

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Dear Abby

Reader Explains Basics Of Indian Faith, Worship

DEAR ABBY: My mother died in a hospital a year ago and one thing still bothers me.

I wish all those ministers and priests who go around to visit the sick would not tell them they should prepare to meet their God.

This happened to my mother, and she said she had no idea she was going to die. She did, of course, but I just know that had it not been for the minister's visit, my mother would have lived longer. She just gave up hope.

In the first place, the minister shouldn't even have visited my mother because she didn't belong to his church. She was an American Indian and didn't belong to ANY church.

We Indians believe that our church is the whole world. In all Good Books, it says, "The Lord created heaven and earth," so we worship any time, any place — not in a building, only once a week. And there is never a collection plate. Worship is free.

If you think this will help people to understand the faith of the American Indian, please put this in your column. Thank you.

JIMMY LITTLE TURTLE
HARRISBURG, PA.

DEAR JIMMY: I do and I will. Thank you for writing.

DEAR ABBY: My fiance and I are planning our wedding for next spring. All of those I've selected for my bridesmaids have accepted. My problem: Two of the girls are very overweight.

After attending a wedding not long ago where four bridesmaids were overweight and four were slim, I decided I didn't want these heavy girls to be in my wedding. The procession was terrible. Fat, skinny, fat, skinny, fat, skinny and finally, fat, skinny.

I just can't let my fat friends ruin my wedding. I know I should have thought of it before I asked them, but I didn't.

Abby, this will be hard for me since we've all grown up together. How can I tell the news to my two fat friends without hurting their feelings.

FAT-FREE WEDDING

DEAR FAT-FREE: You can't. And if you are that hung up on having uniformly slim bridesmaids, hire professional models. You've made your commitments. Stick with them.

AAUW Day Group Studies World Pluralism

The day study group of the American Association of University Women met Monday morning in the home of Mrs. Lota Wiley.

Sister Janice Jolin, public health nurse of Big Spring and Howard County, spoke to the club members concerning the formation of a Christian organization called FISH. The Greek word for fish was used by the early Christians as a secret symbol of their faith. Sister Jolin hopes to organize the group with the help of area churches and clubs.

The study program was presented by Mrs. Joey Grathwol. She spoke on "World Pluralism and the Human Encounter." Mrs. Grathwol said that the melting pot idea that all U.S. immigrants should give up their language, customs and religions to conform to the Anglo-Saxon way of life is being challenged.

She stated that educators are stressing the concept of pluralism through the use of new textbooks, projects and language courses. Students between the ages of 6 and 12 are being taught to appreciate the cultures and languages of the minority groups.

Members discussed the statements made by Mrs. Grathwol.

A Christmas party will be held at 7 p.m., Dec. 15 in the Pioneer Gas Flame Room. The theme of the party will be "Christmas Traditions Around the World." Members may invite guests.

Books for pre-schoolers at the Northside Day Care Center are being collected by the AAUW members. Books may be donated at the Christmas party.

Mrs. Ulrey Hosts Family Reunion

Mrs. R. D. Ulrey of 420 Dallas hosted a family reunion on Thanksgiving day.

Family members attending included Mr. and Mrs. Owen Scott, Silver Spring, Md.; the J. O. Scott family, Yuma, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dekker, Albuquerque, N. M.; Dale, David and Dean Dekker, Lubbock; the Allen Hart family, Waco; and the John Ulrey family, Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott will remain in Big Spring until after Christmas.

Johansen Gives Slide Program On Local Parks

Johnny Johansen presented a program on Big Spring parks during the Christmas party of the Organic Soil Builders.

Members met Monday evening in the fellowship hall of the First Presbyterian Church for a dinner.

Johansen gave a slide presentation on the projects and new features of the city parks. Slides of the Lakeview park showed the new watering system installed. Improvements and new trails in other city parks were depicted in the slides.

A section of slides showed the city nursery where trees and shrubbery are grown for use throughout the city.

The next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 5 in the home of Preach Martin, 1604 Wood.



MARRIAGE PLANS — Mr. and Mrs. Philip R. Palmer, 1416 Stadium, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rebecca Helen, to Larry Lynn Pierce.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pierce, 1405 E. 18th.

The ceremony will be performed on Jan. 3 in the Phillips Memorial Baptist Church by Chaplain Lee Butler.

Project Aims To Involve Elderly

DURHAM, N.H. (AP) — A summer program at five New Hampshire colleges and universities has launched a New England-wide program designed to eliminate "planned obsolescence" for the elderly.

The program, dubbed "Elderhostel '76," centers on the idea that the elderly can enrich their lives by attending college and mixing with students, both young and old.

Program director Martin Knowlton says the program proved so successful last summer that in 1976 it will be expanded to 20 colleges and universities in the six New England states.

"From inquiries we have received it looks like Elderhostel could spread nationwide, but we'd like to see it administered on a regional level. There's more control that way," he said.

The program is funded primarily through private and federal grants, but participants are required to pay a $50 per week fee. More than 300 persons, ranging in age from 55 to 91, enrolled in the programs in New Hampshire last summer. Knowlton says 2,500 are expected in the regional programs.

The hostels, Knowlton said, are designed to erase "one of the most despicable aspects of industrial society: the disturbing concept that people are all used up after age 65."

"After that age people are faced abruptly and simultaneously with retirement, inadequate pensions, increased immobility and loss of friends," Knowlton says. "Our program is aimed at stimulating the elderly out of this agism trap."

In Elderhostel, each participating school sets aside for a designated portion of the summer standard dormitory accomodations and provides each week a minimum of three one-week courses. The courses are taught by regular faculty members.

"The courses are designed to help the elderly see themselves as related in a meaningful way to the course of the world," Knowlton said. "We do not specify what courses be offered. Our only requirement is they be of good intellectual content."

One of the courses that schools are encouraged to offer is an oral history seminar in which participants interview one another and discuss their recollections of events.

One seminar, which Knowlton describes with pride, turned out to have five participants with labor union backgrounds and a sixth who was an industrialist. Their memories of labor-management confrontations early in this century were preserved on tape.

Paul A. Miller, a member of the Elderhostel board of directors, said the program combines "learning, working and leisure" and may help the elderly avoid emotional and intellectual stagnation.

"I don't believe the way we handle retirement in society is a workable concept," Miller, president of the Rochester Institute of Technology, says. "It seems to me that the schools and colleges have done precious little in extending their resources to the older people."

Bridge Club Names Winners

Members of the Coahoma Bridge Club had a country stew dinner prior to the bridge competition on Monday evening. The club members met in the home of Mrs. Glenn Mitchell.

Winners for the evening were Mrs. Billy Jack Darden, high; Mrs. Billy Spears, low; Mrs. Wendall Walker, bridge-o; and Mrs. Jody Sory, deuce prize.

A Christmas party will preceed the next bridge meeting slated for 6:30 p.m., Dec. 15 in the home of Mrs. Jody Sory.

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Johnson To Speak

Charley Johnson, quarterback for the Denver Broncos professional football team, will be the speaker for the fall banquet sponsored by the Big Spring Quarterback Club.

Johnson, an alumnius of BSHS, likely is ending a distinguished football career this season. Those close to the all-pro quarterback who formerly starred at St. Louis and at Houston, said he had indicated recently he was considering hanging up his moleskins. Then, on the heels of this, he had to be called back into the lineup and suffered multiple injuries.

The banquet, which will honor football players, their dates and their parents, the same for volleyball players, will be held Jan. 10, according to Paschall Odom, co-captain of the QBC. He urged sports fans to reserve this date on their calendars.

Arch Eyes Pro Ball

NEW YORK (AP) — Where does Archie Griffin go from here?

Well, his next stop is Pasadena, Calif., for a Rose Bowl date with UCLA and then, hopefully, it's on to pro football for the only player ever to win the Heisman Trophy twice.

Hopefully, that is, because Griffin stands only 5-foot-9 — if you press him he'll confess to 5-9½ — and weighs 184 pounds, a drop in the bucket among all those gargantuan pro linemen he'll be running into.

"I'd like to play pro ball," Griffin said Tuesday at the Downtown Athletic Club where he was announced as the Heisman winner for an unprecedented second year in a row. "I want to help my family out because they've helped me in all my endeavors.

"But I really don't want to go into that now because we have another game to play and I'd trade both Heismans for the national championship. That's been the goal of our team since I was a freshman. This is the closest now we've ever come."

Bing Rips LA Lakers

By The Associated Press

The Washington Bullets have been waiting for Dave Bing to play up to expectations since the beginning of the National Basketball Association season.

Bing, a six-time All-Star, two-time All-NBA, and former league scoring champion and Rookie of the Year, finally did it Tuesday night. And the sputtering Bullets, overwhelming favorites to repeat at Central Division champions, broke a four-game losing streak with a 107-104 comeback victory over the Los Angeles Lakers.

The veteran Bing, who had averaged 22.6 points per game in nine years with Detroit before being traded to Washington for Kevin Porter prior to this season, had averaged only 12.7 in 15 games with Washington.

Against the Lakers, he scored 22, including 13 in the fourth quarter and eight in the final 6½ minutes, after the Bullets had rallied to tie the score 95-95.

In other NBA games, the New Orleans Jazz whipped the Buffalo Braves 108-96, the Houston Rockets trounced the Chicago Bulls 91-77, the Seattle Super Sonics downed the Kansas City Kings 101-90, the Phoenix Suns trimmed the Golden State Warriors 115-98, the Boston Celtics edged the New York Knicks 103-100, and the Cleveland Cavaliers topped the Portland Trail Blazers 91-80.

Jazz 108, Braves 96

Ron Behagen scored 27 points and pulled down 13 rebounds, and rookie Jim McElroy, starting his first pro game, produced 19 points, helping the Jazz end a four-game losing streak and saddle Buffalo with its sixth straight setback, the Braves' longest losing streak in two years. Buffalo's Bob McAdoo, the NBA's top scorer, poured in 40 points and grabbed 16 rebounds.

Rockets 91, Bulls 77

Rudy Tomjanovich's 21 points and Kevin Kunnert's 15 led Houston to its first victory over slumping Chicago in four years. "If things don't improve, we may have to go with five rookies," fumed Chicago Coach Dick Motta after watching his team's record drop to 4-13, worst in the league.

SuperSonics 101, Kings 90

Fred Brown pumped in 31 points and Bruce Seals collected 21, 10 in the fina period, sparking fast-breaking Seattle past Kansas City. Larry McNeill paced the Kings with 24 points and Nate Archibald scored 23.

Celtics 103, Knicks 100

Dave Cowens scored 25 points, grabbed 21 rebounds and sank two decisive free throws with 59 seconds left, helping Boston beat New York for the ninth straight time over two seasons.

Cowboys' Kicking Game Has Coaches Fretting

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Cowboy kicking game has dropped so low that quarterback Roger Staubach asked assistant coach Ermal Allen the other day: "Do Mitch Hoopes' passes count against mine in the statistics?"

Hoopes is the Cowboy punter and has been forced to pass three times and run for his life on another occasion when he thought the blocking had broken down. Hoopes has had one punt blocked and averages less than 40 yards per kick.

Kicking specialist Toni Fritsch has made only 19 of 32 field goal attempts and missed two extra points. He blooped a 35-yard field goal try against the New York Giants Sunday that barely trickled into the end zone.

Fritsch's kickoffs have been so weak that the opponent usually starts with the ball on his own 35 yard line.

Punt return specialist Golden Richards has a 10-yard average on returns, including a 54-yard touchdown romp, but cost Dallas one game with a fumble and mishandled a punt Sunday that hit at the 50 and rolled deep into Dallas territory.

Dallas Coach Tom Landry took note of the kicking game Tuesday and said "It's not something that can't be corrected."

Landry said it in such a firm voice that you got the impression the Cowboys were working on it that very minute.

Dallas plays in St. Louis Sunday for the Natonal Conference Eastern Division leadership and Landry said the kicking game would be one of the keys.

"Jim Bakken (of St. Louis) is one of the finest field goal kickers in the country, but you can never tell about kickers," said Landry. "Look what happened to Minnesota."

Minnesota's Fred Cox missed two field goals and an extra point last Sunday against Washington and the Vikings tumbled from the ranks of the unbeaten 31-30.

"Mitch had to pass (against the Giants) because someone missed an assignment," said Landry. "We'll get that fixed."

With that Landry dismissed talking about the kicking game at his weekly press conference. Obviously, the Cowboy players would hear about it until kickoff Sunday.

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POSTERS TO HELP FINANCE U.S. OLYMPIC PROGRAM — Olympic medalists Rob Mathias, left, and Jesse Owens, display posters based on their past Olympic exploits Tuesday during news conference in New York. Conference was held to announce the sale of a service of posters, "Great Moments in U.S. Olympic History." Proceeds of the poster sale will help finance the U.S. Olympic program.

Utah Franchise Is Dissolved By ABA

CHICAGO (AP) — Fighting a year of "financial problems," the American Basketball Association has dissolved the Utah franchise and is gearing itself to surviving as a seven-team league.

Commissioner Dave DeBusschere made the announcement proclaiming the end of the Utah franchise after ABA owners met for some six hours Tuesday and said four Utah players had been sold to the St. Louis Spirits for a "substantial amount of cash" which will be used to pay off creditors of the Utah Stars.

The players sold to St. Louis included Moses Malone, Randy Denton, Steve Green and Ron Boone. The rest of the Utah roster will undergo normal waiver procedures with the league collecting any money gained through the waivers.

The ABA is now reduced to seven teams with the Baltimore Claws and the San Diego Sails having previously folded.

"We will still have our playoffs and our All-Star game at Denver with Kentucky meeting the league All-Stars," said DeBusschere. "We will have to make some minor schedule adjustments but basically we'll go with the same schedule."

The ABA is now down to seven teams including franchises in New York, Virginia, Kentucky, Indianapolis, San Antonio, Denver and St. Louis.

"We will be a stronger league," said DeBusschere. "Our product is strong and we are still looking forward to a possible merger."

Tulsa Dominates All-MV Platoons

TULSA (AP) — Champion Tulsa dominated The Associated Press all-star football teams of the Missouri Valley Conference team with 12 of 25 selections.

The choices were announced Tuesday after balloting by sportswriters of the Valley area.

West Texas State had five members among the all-star selections, New Mexico State had four, Drake three and Wichita State one.

Unanimous choices were Tulsa wide receiver Steve Largent, who tied a Valley record with 32 career touchdown receptions and Rick Engles, Tulsa's punting specialist, who was second nationally.

Nine members of the all-star team, including Largent, were repeaters from 1974.

The others named for the second time were quarterback Jeb Blount, offensive lineman West Hamilton, Defensive lineman Greg Fairchild, linebacker Byron Franklin, and defensive back Buddy Tate, all of Tulsa.

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — The Associated Press Missouri Valley all-star football team: First team:

Offense: Ken Steinke, Tulsa, tight end; Steve Largent, Tulsa, wide receiver; Duriel Harris, New Mexico State, wide receiver; Wes Hamilton, Tulsa, offensive lineman; Carl Dean, New Mexico State, offensive lineman; John Jacobi, West Texas State, offensive lineman; Jeff Lloyd, West Texas State, offensive lineman; Bernie Head, Tulsa, center; Jeb Blount, Tulsa, quarterback; Jim Herndon, Drake, running back; Carlisle Cantrell, Tulsa, running back; Todd Gaffney, Drake, place kicker.

Defense: John Ayers, West Texas State, defensive lineman; Jim Kasper, Tulsa, defensive lineman; Mark Spivey, Drake, defensive lineman; Greg Fairchild, Tulsa, defensive lineman; Byron Franklin, Tulsa, linebacker; Jim Pratt, New Mexico State, linebacker; Jeff Nunn, West Texas State, linebacker; Dave Warren, Wichita State, linebacker; Mishael Kelson, West Texas State, defensive back; Kevin Black, Tulsa, defensive back; Buddy Tate, Tulsa, defensive back; Donnie Ross, New Mexico State, defensive back; Rick Engles, Tulsa, punter.

5-AAAA

Abilene Winner

District 5-AAAA teams fared well in competition on the hardwoods Tuesday evening. Abilene High beat back Wichita Falls Rider 71-65, but Abilene Cooper ran into a tough Lubbock Coronado team and dropped a 69-58 decision. San Angelo Central grabbed a 45-35 victory over Brownwood.

Roger Riddlehoover had 15 points in Cooper's effort against Coronado, but Brian Smith's 20 points and Vic Henry's 14 points propelled the Lubbock team ahead. After a 14-14 deadlock at the first quarter, Coronado pulled away with 21 points in the second while Cooper could get only eight. Cooper is now 1-5 for the season.

Andre Hickman with 29 and Mike Little with 22, paced Abilene to its victory over Rider. James McKee led Rider with 18, followed by Herb Palmer and Mike Nell with 14 each. Down 33-31 at the half, Rider roared back before Hickman poured 11 points through in the fourth to preserve the Abilene maggin.

It was Steve Speer with 16 and Arnold McDowell with 15 who led San Angelo to an easy victory, thanks to a 19 point second quarter while Brownwood was getting six. McDowell had been averaging 35 points a game but had a cold night from the field. Angelo is 2-1, Brownwood 0-2.

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PEPPY'S SON

Jeb Blount, a member of the All-Missouri Valley football team this year, is the son of R. E. (Peppy) Blount, former Big Spring High School and the University of Texas football player. Peppy and his family now reside in Longview.

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OU's Leroy Selmon Is Given Outland Trophy

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. (AP) — Leroy Selmon, Oklahoma's super-quick, 256-pound defensive tackle, today was awarded the Outland Trophy as the outstanding lineman in college football.

The Football Writers Association of America, which selects the award, picked Selmon as it announced its All-American football team.

The Outland Trophy is awarded annually to the outstanding interior lineman in college football. The award was started in 1946.

Selmon led a list of 26 players named to the team, including four running backs. They were two-time Heisman Trophy winner Archie Griffin of Ohio State, Ricky Bell of Southern California, Tony Dorsett of Pittsburgh, and Chuck Muncie of California.

Quarterback of the team is Texas wishbone artist Marty Akins.

Oklahoma, Nebraska and Penn State each had two players on the squad.

The other Sooner was running star Joe Washington, who was added as a kick return specialist. Nebraska had center Rik Bonness and defensive back Wonder Monds and Penn State had offensive lineman Tom Rafferty and linebacker Greg Buttle.

Here is the 1975 Football Writers' All-American team:

Offense

Receivers: Don Buckey, North Carolina State, and Larry Seivers, Tennessee.

Center: Rik Bonness, Nebraska.

Offensive linemen: Randy Cross, UCLA; Ken Jones, Arkansas State; Tom Rafferty, Penn State, and Ted Smith, Ohio State.

Running Backs: Ricky Bell, Southern California; Tony Dorsett, Pittsburgh; Archie Griffin, Ohio State, and Chuck Muncie, California.

Quarterback: Marty Akins, Texas.

Defense

Linemen: Leroy Cook, Alabama; Steve Niehaus, Notre Dame; Ken Novak, Purdue, and Leroy Selmon, Oklahoma.

Linebackers: Greg Buttle, Penn State; Sammy Green, Florida, and Ed Simonini, Texas A&M.

Backs: Don Dufek, Michigan; Tim Fox, Ohio State; Chet Moeller, Navy, and Wonder Monds, Nebraska.

Place-kicker: Bob Berg, New Mexico.

Punter: Tom Skladany, Ohio State.

Kick returner: Joe Washington, Oklahoma.

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Longhorns Rip Lamesa, 55-46, For Third Win

By TOMMY HART

Operating on the theory that if you put the ball in the air a lot, enough of your shots will go through to keep you in contention, the Big Spring Steers hurried past the Lamesa Tornadoes, 55-46, here Tuesday night.

James Griffin's Bold Gold hasn't yet developed that scoring touch so necessary in basketball but the resident quintet is so aggressive it is going to pose a problem for any team. The Steers simply won't give up.

Lamesa is no humpty-dumpty team, despite its 1-3 record. The Tornadoes, coached by the astute O. W. Follis, raced through its 1974-75 season without a loss and wound up with another Class AAA state championship.

The Lamesa club, hamstrung Tuesday with the loss of its 6-4 sophomore center, Clarence Wellington, will be slow in shaping up but it'll develop the necessary clout by the time the District 3-AAA season gets here.

The Longhorns fell behind early in the game but kept battling back and trailed by only two points (at 28-26) by half time. The provincials sensed they were the better team when second half play started and they set out to prove it. They outscored the Lamesans, 16-10, in Round Three. Lamesa tied it briefly in the fourth, at 44-44, but the Steers stared down adversity to win going away.

Jim Zapp, although he got in early foul trouble, displayed a swift pair of hands under the boards and wound up with 13 points.

Bubba Stripling steadied the Steers' play with some excellent floor play. He had only eight points for the night, but two of his field goals came late in the contest, when the issue could have gone either way. He, no doubt, would have scored more had he been inclined to take his shots rather than feed off to his team mates. He was very waspish on defense, too. Some like it hot and Bubba apparently is one of them.

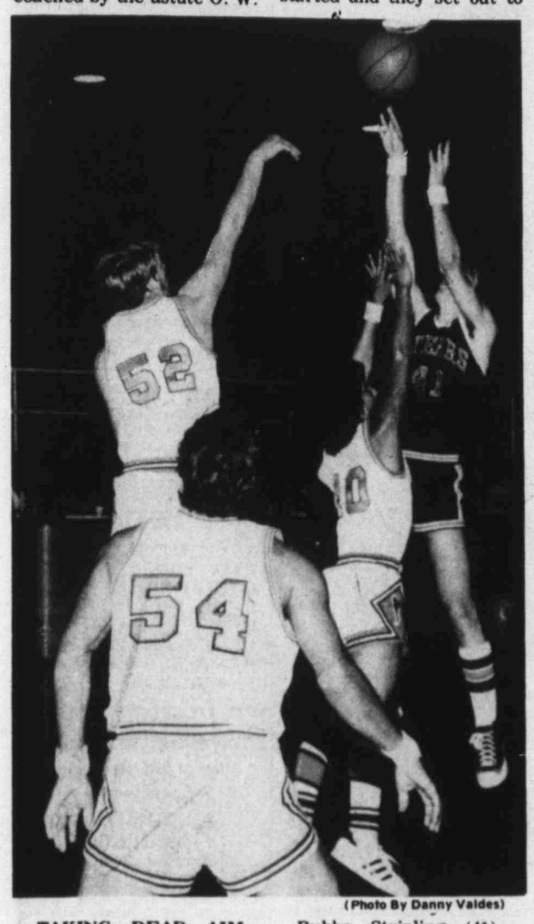
Rob Aldridge led all the Steer scorers with 14 points while Jim Ray accounted for 12.

The Tornadoes' best weapon appeared to be the outside shooting of Larry Arrendondo, who receipted for 18 points. In the middle going, Arrendondo stung the Steers numerous times with his pinpoint shooting.

In the end, it was Big Spring's ability to hit at the line that swung the issue the Steers' way. The two teams tied in field goals, at 20 each, but the Longhorns made good 15 times in 21 attempts in gratis pitches while Lamesa had only 12 opportunities in penalties shots and made good only half of those.

Big Spring ran its record to 3-2. Its other wins have come over Plainview. The locals have lost to Snyder and Andrews. In four starts, Lamesa has beaten only Seminole. The Tors' other losses were to Odessa Ector.

Big Spring also won the JV contest, 56-38. Benito Rubio led the Shorthorns in that one with 17 points. The Lamesa JV unit is also 1-3 on the year.



(Photo By Danny Valdes)

TAKING DEAD AIM — Bubba Stripling (41), harrassed by three members of the Lamesa team, puts the ball in the air for a bell-ringer in Tuesday night's game here, won by Big Spring, 55-46. Bubba's aggressive play had much to do with Big Spring's win. No. 52 is Ray Pearson; No. 54, Larry Arrendono; and No. 10, Arnold Martinez.

BS (55)	fg	ft-a	pf	tp
Jim Zapp	4	5-6	3	13
Jim Ray	6	0-1	4	12
Rob Aldridge	5	4-5	0	14
Richmond Zapp	1	0-0	0	2
Bubba Stripling	3	2-3	0	8
Bill Arencibia	0	0-0	0	0
Casey Wilder	1	1-2	0	3
Elroy Green	0	0-0	2	0
Mark Moore	1	2-2	4	2
Mike Harris	0	1-2	0	1
Totals	20	15-21	13	55

LAMESA (46)	fg	ft-a	pf	tp
Arnold Martinez	2	2-2	2	6
Anthony Manuel	0	0-2	0	0
Euel Hawkins	4	2-4	3	10
Jeff Spencer	0	0-0	4	0
Danny Flenniken	2	0-2	2	4
Blaine Dodson	0	0-0	0	0
Guy Price	3	0-0	1	6
Eddie Kerr	0	0-0	2	0
Ray Pearson	1	0-0	4	2
Larry Arrendondo	8	2-2	4	18
Totals	20	6-12	19	46
Big Spring	10	26	42	55
Lamesa	16	28	38	46

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BS JV (56) — Evans 2-0-4; Spence 1-0-2; Hughes 1-0-2; Jones 4-2-10; Kimble 3-0-6; Coffman 1-3-5; Rubio 8-1-17; Perry 1-0-2; Poss 1-4-6; Brodman 1-0-2. Totals 23-10-56.

LAMESA (38) — Martinez 2-0-3; Scarborough 2-0-4; Robinson 3-0-6; Lee 2-3-7; Castillo 0-1-1; Hughes 0-1-1; Pinkerton 2-1-5; McCurley 0-1-1. Totals 13-12-38.

BIG SPRING	14	27	37	56
LAMESA	8	18	24	38

Coahoma, Sands Slight Tournament Favorites

FORSAN — The Coahoma girls and the Sands boys are slight favorites in the Forsan Invitational Baksetball Tournament, which gets under way at 9:30 a.m., Thursday and continues through Saturday night.

Four team trophies will be given in each division. In addition, 12 girls and ten boys will be awarded all-tournament trophies at the conclusion of play.

Eight games are on tap Friday, with the final contest scheduled to start at 8:30 p.m.

Consolation finals are booked for 11 a.m., and 12:30 p.m., Saturday. The third place contests will be at 2 p.m., and 3:30 p.m. The titles go on the line at 6 p.m., and 7:30 p.m.

Pairings:

Girls:
Sands vs Sterling City, 9:30 a.m.; Grady vs Coahoma, 12:30 p.m.; Robert Lee vs Borden County, 4 p.m.; Ira vs Forsan, 7 p.m., all games on Thursday.

Boys:
Sands vs Sterling City, 11 a.m.; Grady vs Coahoma, 2 p.m.; Robert Lee vs Borden County, 5:30 p.m.; Ira vs Forsan, 8:30 p.m.

Four Decisions Racked Up By Coahoma Teams

COAHOMA — Coahoma dominated play with Stanton here Tuesday night, capturing decisions in all four games played.

Margin in the varsity boys' game was 58-51. The varsity girls finished on the long end of 50-39 score to run their record to 5-2.

In the boys' JV contest, Coahoma triumphed, 71-37. The Coahoma JV girls started the sweep with a 44-19 success.

Russell Kennedy led the varsity boys with 17 points, one more than team-mate Ken Kelso. The Bulldogs are currently 3-1 on the year, having lost only to Greenwood.

Jones kept Stanton in contention with a 14-point effort.

In the varsity girls' game, the Coahoma depth played a big role as time and again girls came off the bench to lend authority to the Bulldog effort.

The Coahomans had three players in double figures, Nancy Wood setting the pace with 16 points. Ronnie Bloodworth also counted 16 for Stanton.

Terry Don Roberts led the Coahoma JV boys with 20 points. Tommy Morrow tallied 12 for Stanton.

Mickey Schafer had 13 points for the Coahoma girls JV club while Young registered nine to lead Stanton.

Boys' Varsity:

FORSAN (38) — Ralph Miranda 7-0-14, Gary Tidwell 2-0-4, Darrin Crooks 5-0-10, Brad Stevens 3-0-6, Randy Cregar 1-0-2, Dennis Baggett 1-0-2; Totals 19-0-38.
SANDS (43) — Steve Bodine 0-1-1, Johnny Robles 4-0-8, Twiggy Wiggington 2-3-8, Andy Anderson 7-0-14, Martin Nichols 2-6-10, Steve Feaster 1-0-2; Totals 17-9-43.

FORSAN	12	22	32	38
SANDS	8	19	33	43

Girls' Varsity:

FORSAN (39) — Letha Strickland 10-2-22, Teresa West 1-0-2, Beverly Strickland 5-0-10, Melissa Frank 0-1-1, Jaylene Saunders 1-0-2, Alice Morena 0-2-2; Totals 17-5-39.
SANDS (68) — Ann Nichols 6-0-13, Rene Roman 8-7-23, Connie Hughes 4-0-10, Jill Floyd 6-4-16, Susan Martin 2-1-5, Debbie Parker 0-1-1; Totals 27-14-68.

FORSAN	8	16	28	39
SANDS	21	41	53	68

Girls' game:
COAHOMA (50) — Nancy Wood 7-2-6; Becky Snell 4-5-13; Deborah Meyer 4-3-11; Karen Shirley 3-2-8; Barbara Ward 0-2-2. Totals 18-14-50.
STANTON (39) — Ronnie Bloodworth 5-6-16; Vicki Christian 7-0-14; Dianna Wells 2-1-5; Connie Christian 2-0-4. Totals 16-7-39.

COAHOMA	6	19	36	50
STANTON	6	12	28	39

Boys' game:
COAHOMA (58) — Russell Kennedy 7-3-17; Ken Kelso 6-4-16; Gary Roberts 4-2-10; Charles Tindol 3-3-9; Bill Jennings 0-4-4; Danny Thomas 1-0-2. Totals 21-16-58.
STANTON (51) — Jones 6-2-14; Glynn 5-3-13; Richardson 4-1-9; Hanson 3-0-6; K. McCalister 2-1-5; Brown 1-0-2; D. McCalister 1-0-2. Totals 22-7-51.

COAHOMA	12	34	44	58
STANTON	4	16	41	51

Toros Defeated In Cliffhanger

SNYDER — Snyder Lamar won a cliffhanger from the Big Spring Ninth Grade Toros, 68-66, here Monday evening. It was the first game of the season for the Big Spring team.

Mark Poss led the Toros in scoring with 66 points. Crayton paced the Lamar team with 17.

The Toros return to play Thursday night at 5:30 p.m., in Coahoma.

Sands Is Winner In Pair

FORSAN — The Forsan B boys salvaged a 44-42 win here Tuesday night while Sands was winning both the boys' varsity, 43-38 and the girls' varsity game, 68-39.

This leaves the Forsan boys' varsity with a 2-2 record, the girls with 1-7 and the B boys with 1-1. Next games will be here in the Forsan invitational tournament starting Thursday morning.

Sands captured the boys varsity contest from the free-throw line, hitting nine of 14 opportunities. Forsan got only one free throw and missed that. It was not until the end of the third quarter that Sands overhauled the host team, then pulled away. For Forsan Ralph Miranda had 14 and Darrin Crooks 10, while Andy Anderson with 14 and Martin Nichols with 10 set the Sands' pace.

Sands' girls had four girls in double figures, led by Rene Roman with 23. Letha Stickland led Forsan girls with 22.

In the B contest, Dennis Baggett and Tom Posey each had 12 for Forsan, and Sammy Anderson matched this for Sands.

Nastase Serious

STOCKHOLM (AP) — The $100,000 Masters Tennis Tournament has turned into a serious business for Ilie "Nasty" Nastase.

The whole reputation of the temperamental Romanian star is on trial as the Professional Tennis Council, which governs the world circuit, cnverges on this city to watch the end of the tournament and discuss his latest antics and disqualification.

Members of the council were expected Wednesday, and high on their agenda is the question of a code of conduct for the players. Nastase's behavior last Sunday, when Arthur Ashe walked off the court in protest, will obviously come into the discussion.

An odd feature of the situation is that Ashe, as president of the Association of Tennis Professionals, is a member of the council.

Nastase made no protest when the tournament committee reversed its earlier decision and awarded the match to Ashe.

"What chance do I have against President Ford?" Nastase said.

Nastase has been disqualified from matches three times this year. He is also due to face an independent tribunal in London to appeal against the confiscation of his runnerup prize in a tournament in Toronto, where the organizers accused him of not trying.

Nastase was a model of good behavior Tuesday night when he defeated Manuel Orantes of Spain 3-6, 6-4, 6-4 and kept his hopes alive of reaching the semifinals.

Some of the organizers wanted him to make a public apology on court for the incidents in his match against Ashe, but he refused.

"I am too tired to make speeches," Nastase said.

"Anyway, why should I apologize? Ashe is the one who ought to apologize. He left the court and walked out on 4,000 people."

Dunbar Is Steer Foe

Big Spring has drawn Lubbock Dunbar as a first round opponent in the Plainview Basketball Tournament. The meet gets under way Thursday and continues through Saturday night.

The Longhorns and Dunbar square off at 2:30 p.m., Thursday. A win there would send the Longhorns back into action at 5:30 p.m., Friday against the survivor in the Midland Lee-Lubbock High encounter. A loss would relegate the Bold Gold to the loser's bracket and an 11:30 starting time Friday.

The championship contest in the eight-team meet will start at 8:30 p.m., Saturday. Consolation finals are down for 2:20 p.m., Saturday while third place will be determined in a game beginning at 5:30 p.m., that day.

First round pairings (all games on Thursday):

11:30 a.m. — Snyder vs Clovis, N. M.; 2:30 p.m. — Big Spring vs Lubbock Dunbar; 5:30 p.m. — Midland Lee vs Lubbock High; 8:30 p.m. — Plainview vs Palo Duro.

Bear Star Has Knee Surgery

CHICAGO (AP) — Wide receiver Ron Shanklin of the Chicago Bears has undergone surgery for torn cartilages in his left knee.

Shanklin, a six-year National Football League veteran who came to the Bears in August from the Pittsburgh Steelers, was injured in a preseason game with the Miami Dolphins. He was placed on the injured reserve list Oct. 25, and was operated on Tuesday.

Pro Cage Results

NBA

Eastern Conference Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philphia	12	6	.667	—
Boston	10	6	.625	1
Buffalo	9	10	.474	3½
New York	7	15	.318	7
Central Division				
Atlanta	10	7	.588	—
Houston	9	8	.529	1
Washington	8	8	.500	1½
N. Orleans	8	10	.444	2½
Cleveland	8	11	.421	3
Western Conference Midwest Division				
Detroit	10	5	.667	—
K.C.	7	9	.438	3½
Milwaukee	7	11	.389	4½
Chicago	4	13	.235	7
Pacific Division				
G.State	12	6	.667	—
L.A.	14	8	.636	—
Phoenix	8	7	.533	2½
Seattle	11	10	.524	2½
Portland	8	12	.400	5

Tuesday's Results
Washington 107, Los Angeles 104
New Orleans 108, Buffalo 96
Boston 103, New York 100
Cleveland 91, Portland 80
Houston 91, Chicago 77
Seattle 101, Kansas City 90
Phoenix 115, Golden State 98

Wednesday's Games
Chicago at Boston
New Orleans at Philadelphia
Seattle at Houston
Los Angeles at Detroit
Portland at Milwaukee

Thursday's Games
Portland at Atlanta
Cleveland at Kansas City

Ford Invited To Houston

HOUSTON (AP) — Sponsors of the 1976 Vince Lombardi Award, presented annually to the nation's top lineman, hope to have another former distinguished college lineman in the audience for the Jan. 15 dinner — President Gerald Ford.

Ford, a former center at the University of Michigan, has agreed to serve as honorary chairman of the 1976 dinner and also has been invited to attend the dinner personally. No action has been taken on that invitation.

The Lombardi Award, a 45-pound granite trophy, is named in honor of the former Green Bay and Washington coach who died of cancer. All proceeds go to the American Cancer Society for research.

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Amarillo	1	0
South Plains	1	0
Western Texas	1	0
Ft. Phillips	1	0
NMMI	0	1
Midland	0	1
Odessa	0	1
Clarendon	0	1
NMJC	0	1

Monday's Results
Howard College 83, NMMI 71; Amarillo 83, Midland 81; South Plains 107, Odessa 92; Western Texas 62, Clarendon 50; Frank Phillips 76, NMJC 73.

Thursday's Games
Midland College at Howard College; Clarendon at South Plains; Amarillo at Frank Phillips; Western Texas at NMJC; Odessa at NMMI.

SPORTS NUGGETS

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No. Ten now and counting . . .

That's where Howard College's Marvin Johnson stands on the all-time Hawk basketball scoring list. The 36 points Marvelous Marv amassed against NMMI here the other night gave him a career total of 1,083 points.

Should Johnson hit his norm (33 points) against Midland College here Thursday night, he would overtake Eddy Nelson on the all-time HC list. Nelson, a home-grown product, wound up his career at the local college with 1110 points, ten less than Bob Williams of the great 1952-53 clubs accumulated.

No. One on the all-time HC scoring charts is peerless Archie Myers. Over a period of two years, he scored 2,199 points for an average of 30 points plus.

Taylor Williams (1661), Thomas Bledsoe (1583), Leroy Lumzy (1365), Walt Carter (1345), Robert Jackson (1171), Tom Carter (1146), Williams and Nelson are the only ones above Johnson in the all-time Hawk scoring derby.

Since the 1975-76 season began, Marvin has eclipsed the scoring aggregates of such HC greats as Curt Papp (who went on to star for the University of Texas), Jim Knotts and Ernest Turner.

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In reply to those who have asked . . . yes, Coach Harold Wilder of HCJC does plan to have a basketball brochure this year, as soon as he can find the time to complete work on it.

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When Texas Tech fielded its first basketball team in 1926, its tallest player was 6-3 Kenneth Hemphill. There are ten players on this year's Tech squad taller than Hemphill was, including four who stand 6-9.

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The average player's salary in the NBA is said to be $109,000 but that may take a sharp dip, if Bill Daniels, owner of the sinking Utah Stars of the ABA, is any kind of a prophet. Daniels says most pro cage teams are taking a bath, financially speaking.

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Members of the Texas Rangers cut in on the World Series swag for $290.15 each, if they qualified for full shares.

Incidentally, Billy Martin earned series loot totaling $397.76 from two clubs — the Rangers and the New York Yankees. — By T.H.

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Columbia 83, CCNY 77
Niagara 78, Pittsburgh 69
Penn St. 93, Lehigh 45
Army 62, Upsala 48
Brandeis 79, MIT 76
Franklin & Marshall 66, Delaware 64
Dominican, N.Y. 99, NE Bible 47
St. Anselm's 73, Babson 61
Buffalo St. 79, Mercyhurst 71

SOUTH
Florida St. 90, Rollins 47
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HOUSES FOR SALE A-2

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Three lots and two houses on corner of 12th and Scurry. Zoned Comm. Ideal for new business. All for $14,850.

Off Snyder Hwy, ½ acre, house to be moved.

Choice Gregg St. location, 150 foot frontage. Corner lot where the Action is. $40,000. Building included.

Two bedroom, bath and ½ on East 13th St., needs lots of work, worth the money for $8,500 cash.
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Builders! Have 12 residential lots all in same block on East Side. Priced right.

REDUCED to $12,000 on 2 Bdrm, good carpet, Atch Gar, excellent water well, fruit trees, all close in on 1 Acre.

COMFORTABLE — 3 Bedroom, nice dining area, corner lot on East side, only $9,000.

2 BDRM ROCK — w-extra bdrm & large workshop off garage, nice fireplace, ducted cool, blt-in oven, vacant. On 2 corner lots.

2 BDRM — cent. heat-cooling, crpt., 2 Blks to Marcy Sch, corner lot w-room for 2 more buildings.

COMMERCIAL BLDG — 1600 sq. ft. brick. Residential neighborhood location. Vacant.

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BEST REALTY
1108 Lancaster 263-2593

LOW DOWN PAYMENT
On 4 room house. Large corner lot. Needs repair.

SEE TO APPRECIATE
This unusual house. Basement area has kitchen, dining-den, bedroom, bath, utility & storage. Upstairs unfinished. Low equity. Owner financing.

NEAR HAMILTON
379 acre ranch — ½ cultivation, nice air conditioned home, good grass, water well, tank stocked with fish.
Noble Welch 267-8338
Dorothy Henderson 263-2593

Your Daily HOROSCOPE
from the CARROLL RIGHTER INSTITUTE

FORECAST FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1975

GENERAL TENDENCIES: You can take action on aims successfully the first part of the day, but later you need to act cautiously and avoid contentious persons.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Confer with bigwigs for advice, ideas and approval, then be careful of taking risks later. Organize thinking. Handle credit.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) You have fine ideas in a.m. so put them in operation. A newcomer gives you fine advice early. Iron out any mistakes in new ventures.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Morning sees you accomplishing a good deal, but take no risks of any kind later in the day. Try to please closest tie.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Cement better relations with associates in a.m. Health problems should be handled later in day. Reconcile with opponent.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Handle important work in daytime as evening is apt to be rather tense. Come to a better understanding with co-workers in a.m.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Get into creative work early in day and then play, relieve tensions. Take time for preparations, even where recreation is concerned.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Quietly do whatever will make those you reside with happier and then sit back and enjoy their appreciation. Study profitable new interests.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Do research for needed information, then analyze it well. Use tact in dealing with associates for better rapport in future.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Morning is excellent for finding better ways to add to present income, but later get down to work at hand. Analyze expert's ideas.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Go after personal aims in a.m., then later help others gain theirs. Improve appearance and health. Gad about town in p.m.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Quietly study how to put some plan to work successfully, then get busy with work you have to do. Home is best bet in p.m.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Listen to the suggestions of a dynamic friend in a.m. Go after that personal aim. You need more rest so get it in p.m.

HOUSES FOR SALE A-2

LUXURIOUS COMFORT for those with descriminating taste features 3 large bedrooms plus master Suite, formal living room and comfortable den with flagstone fireplace, built in kitchen and formal dining. Set in choice neighborhood. Upper 50's. La Casa Real Estate. 263-7061.

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"One Call Does It All"

SMILE IN STYLE — when this lovely 3 bdrm 2 bth total electric brk home is yours, beau carpet & drapes, dbl garage, many extras and only $35,000.

RELAX — Not a thing to do but move into this 3 bdrm 2 bth home on 1 acre located in the Forsan School Dist., priced in the mid 20s.

LOOK IT OVER — You will be surprised at this 2 bdrm home, pretty carpet & drapes, central air, panel heat, att. garage, lg yard and just $14,000.

BEST BUY — Very neat 2 bdrm home on lg lot in Sand Springs, nice carpet & drapes, a bargain at $5,350.

LOOKING FOR VALUE — 2 bdrm, lv rm, den, sep dining, new carpet, R-air, convenient location, $10,000

OLDER HOME — 3 lg bdrms, sep dining, lg liv rm with fireplace, $10,500.

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IMMACULATE HOME
Four large Bdrm including master suite and 3 bth. Has formal living & spacious den with frpl for entertaining, breakfast bar & formal din. Backyard features large covered patio & tile fence. Loads of storage, double carport water well & city wafer.

FOR THE HORSEMAN
Country home featuring 3 Bdrms, 2 bths, den with frpl, blt-in kit and double garage. large barn, horse stalls on fenced 1½A. good water.

COUNTRY CHARM
Is expressed thru out this home with 3 large bdrms, huge living room with frpl, large kit & din. Fenced ½A.

BETTER HURRY!!!
If you want this 3 bdrm 2 bth br in kentwood. Blt in kit, carpt, fnc corner lot. All for 22,500.

NOT EXPENSIVE
but comfortable & tastefully decorated. Large living room, cozy kit & sep. din. 3 Bdrms, central heat and air.

LOW MONTHLY PAYMENTS
and easy move in on this 3 BR home with carpet, new paint & central heat. $7500.00.

COOK & TALBOT
1900 SCURRY CALL 267-2529
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263-2072

Both Town & Country?
Yes you can have your cake and eat it too! All the beauty of a country setting, yet within minutes of shopping centers. 3 bedrooms and 2½ baths, all built in, carpeted and draped throughout. Double carport. Just $34,000.

Standing Room Only
Is your home getting too small for a growing family? If so you need to see this Large 3 bedroom and separate den, large dining room, fenced. Total $12,500.

Reduced for Quick Sale
Two (2) large bedroom, separate dining room, carpeted and draped, corner lot, single garage with work shop. Total $8750.

Large house in College Park.

FOR SALE: Newly redecorated three bedroom brick, draped and carpeted, central heat and air, utility room, storage house in back, patio, new tile fence. Call 263-7068 or 263-2354.

FARMS & RANCHES A-5

10 ACRES FOR sale, water available. Owner will finance. Call 263-6988.

FOR SALE: Two acres four miles Snyder Highway. Good water well, with mobile home. 263-0673.

MOBILE HOMES A-12

D&C Sales
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MOBILE HOMES A-12

1975 THREE BEDROOM 14x70; Unfurnished. Washer, dryer, central air, heat. Vacant, no equity, assume payments. 263-6935.

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RENTALS B

FURNISHED APTS B-3

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1, 2 & 3 Bedroom
Call 267-6500
Or Apply to MGR. at APT. 36
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FURNISHED HOUSES B-5

REDECORATED
Three bedroom, 1½ baths, private dining & living room, carpeted throughout, washer & dryer, central air & heat, fenced yard, yard maintained, water, sewer, trash, cable TV paid. $193 month. 267-5546 — 263-3548.

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Washer, central air conditioning and heating, carpet, shade trees, fenced yard, yard maintained, TV Cable, all bills except electricity paid.
FROM $80
267-5546 263-3548

10x57 MOBILE HOME, $140 a month. Close to base, to couple only, no children, no pets, $100 deposit. 263-2341 or 263-6944.

LOTS FOR RENT B-11

TRAILER SPACE: Moss Lake Road, Coahoma school district. $45, water paid, nice. Call 393-5551.

ANNOUNCEMENTS C

LODGES C-1

STATED MEETING Big Spring Lodge No. 1340 A.F. and A.M. 1st and 3rd. Thurs. 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. 21st and Lancaster.
Sandy Huff, W.M.

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SPECIAL NOTICES C-2

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CLEAN RUGS like new, so easy to do with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, $2.00. G. F. Wacker's Store.

RECREATIONAL C-3

FOR SALE: Stocker Catfish. Jones Fish Farm, Rt. 2, San Saba, Texas. Call 915-372-5511.

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LOST AND FOUND C-4

FOUND: FEMALE German Shepherd on FM 700 near US 80. Call 263-8663 or 267-6461.

BLACK FEMALE Doberman Pinscher, four months old, 25 pounds, red collar with bells. 267-6228. Reward.

REWARD: LOST in vicinity of West 80. Shaggy, white toy Poodle; male. Call 263-8262.

PERSONAL C-5

IF YOU Drink It's Your Business. If You Want To Stop, It's Alcoholics Anonymous Business. Call 267-9144, 263-4021.

WANTED: DAILY commuter with pickup between Big Spring and Lamesa for extra money. Call collect 806-373-8259; ask for David.

DO YOU need a driver. Short or long trip. Call 263-0439.

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EMPLOYMENT F

HELP WANTED F-1

TEXAS REFINERY CORP.
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EXECUTIVE secretary, heavy shorthand & typing, exp. ..... $500+
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JOURNEYMAN CARPENTERS WANTED. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE. REDUCED INITIATION FEE THROUGH DECEMBER 31ST. CARPENTERS LOCAL 1634 EAST HWY. 80.

Day & Night help wanted
Part or full time. Apply in person only.
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EARN $250 PER thousand stuffing envelopes. All materials supplied. Send stamped self addressed envelope to C. R. Associates, Box 575, Carrollton, Texas 75006.

WANTED EXPERIENCED Journeyman carpenters. Top pay, apply Carpenters Hall. East, right across Highway from Cosden.

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Tractor trailer experience required. 22 years age minimum, steady non-seasonal $900 month guaranteed. Opportunity for advancement. Call T. E. MERCER TRUCKING CO., 915-366-8875.

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MATURE WOMAN to care for infant in my home, starting January 1976, light housekeeping, salary negotiable. Phone 263-1124.

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AVON
DREAMING OF A "GREEN" CHRISTMAS? As an Avon Representative, you can earn cash to pay those holiday bills. Call Dorothy B. Cross, Mgr. Tele No. 263-3230.

DOMESTIC COLUMN J

CHILD CARE J-3

MATURE WOMAN live-in and care for two girls, (2 years) - (10 months). Inquire 267-6848 after 6:00 p.m.

LAUNDRY SERVICE J-5

WILL DO ironing, pickup and delivery, $1.75 a dozen. Also do experienced sewing, 263-0805.

FARMER'S COLUMN K

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Prompt service on all types of water systems. Complete line of pumps and accessories for home or farm. Well cleanouts, casing, all types of pipe. Call Larry Schaefer at 263-8592 or 267-5963.

FARM EQUIP. K-1

JOHN DEERE backhoe, 1975 model, less than 500 hours. Selling due to loss of work. Also two dump trucks, 1971 and 1973 Chevrolet, new 5-yard beds. 915-756-2565.

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One — HESSTON SP55C Self-propelled cotton stripper. Burr extractor. Good condition. $9,750.

TWO — 1973 John Deere 482 self-propelled cotton strippers. Excellent condition. $14,975 each.

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Big Spring, Texas
263-1246

GRAIN, HAY, FEED K-2

HAY FOR sale: $1.50 per bale. For more information 399-4589 after 6:00 p.m.

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Here it stands with all it's glory for only 14,500. Sits on 100x140 commercial cor. 2 trge homes, live in front home w-4 bdrm 2 bth form. din rm. Lge kit w-pantry. Back house has 3 lge bdrms. Would make excelt rental.

SEEK AND YE SHALL FIND
All the ivly qualities this home possesses This 3 lge bdrm 2 bth older home w-form Din rm that opens onto hge liv rm. Sets on 2 lots in ivly loc. 3 sep drives w-crpt & gar. for strge. BARGAIN!!! 12,500.

BISCUITS FOR YOUR BASKET?
"It's time to fill yours" and this five unit rental can bring it to U. 3-2 bdrm apart., 1-2 bdrm. house, 1-1 bdrm apart. All for 17,000. Location keeps them rented. Income of 440 mo.

"HOME IS WHERE THE HEART IS"
and you will simply fall in love w- this clean attr 2 bdrm home. Gold carpet in liv rm & hall. Family sze kit, gar and fnced yd. Top Loc has meorable view. 16,500 tot. Call for appt

FOR THE GOURMET
Precision kit, Lvly wd cabinets spac but conv. arranged. Sep din rm w-Span. air New acc ceiling thru out 2 lge bdrms & den or 3 bdrms Nice Wk Shop w-gas & elec. gas grill — patio furn., All for $8800. C today!!!!

SCOOP IT UP!!
"Buy of the century" 2 bdrm home in top loc 6,250. terms Available

"CHOICE FOR THE LADY OF YOUR HEART"
buy her a Christmas she'll never forget. A glorious 9 rms, 2 stry home. filled with good tidyings All modern conveniences at finger tips. Yet this home is filled aroma of American past. 4 acres w- corrals & irr well C today. Chistmas is Near!

ATTENTION INVESTORS!!!
20 acres close to new Hospital a sound invest. top Bldg site w-room for a lge active family. Land is scarce. Land is priceless!!

DWN TWN LOT
150 fot corner just off Runnels St. Priced to sell. Terms

WE'VE SHOPPED THE TOWN OVER!!
Heard this before? Look no further This property is quality possessed in quanity demanded. 2 for the price of 1, 3 bdrm 2 bth in front would make ivly home and rent out back 1 bdrm. See and u will agree!



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COLLEGE PARK
The very cleanest, neatest home you're likely to see. Decorated with a talented touch, this 3 br, brick home is one for your consideration. Good east side neighborhood nr college & shopping. $20's.

$7,750.
Tidy, recently remodeled cottage near VA hospital. 2 large bdrms. Central heat, carpet, fenced yd, garage. Easy terms. Also 3 bdrm 1 bth frame home with rock finish — only $3,600. Low down payment.

HOUSE WITH ACREAGE
5 acres ideal for cultivation or animals. Modern spacious brick home, 3 br, 2 bths, formal liv rm, large den, wtr well, garage. Nr town. Low $40's.

BEEN LOOKING?
Compared to recently sold homes and other "fine buys" on the market this 3 br 2 bth brick with builtins, in Douglas Addn. seems worth the money. Fenced yd. Garage, Marcy school. Under $20,000.
Peggy Marshall 267-6745
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Wm. Martin 263-3758

FARMS-COMMERCIAL
1. Half section-219 cultivation.
2. Older home, barn, 240 acres-South of Big Spring.
3. Commercial store or warehouse -W 4th-$21,500.

NOT EVERYONE
has time, money or inclination to remodel. If you do, consider this home with great location & possibilities. Loc with expensive homes nr college, it offers 3 br, 1 bth, lge kit, exposed beams, huge den, massive, eye-catching fireplace plus 1 bth cottage. $16,000.

WEBB AFB FAMILIES
Located in good area near your work, shopping, golf course, city park. 3 bdrm 2 bth, brick. Heated swim pool. $20's.

STARTING OUT
—or slowing down, this home meets your needs. You'll admire its cozy charm — dining area view into enclosed patio garden. 2 br den or 3rd bdrm. carpet, fenced yd, storage house. $14,000.
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Charles (Mac) McCarley 263-4455
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HOUSES FOR SALE A-2

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Lila Estes 267-6657
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HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

HIGHLAND HOLIDAYS
Lovely executive home in Highland South w-over 2200 sq. ft. living area. 3 hugh bdrms. 2 full bths. Woodburning frplc in pnld. den, formal dining rm. All the extras your family will enjoy. Under const. now. $48,000.

COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS
that you can buy this roomy 4 bdrm. brick in lovely location for only $22,700. 1¾ ceramic bths, new crpt. thruout, big corner lot, ref. air. Hurry!

OVER THE RIVER
& through the woods will be your family's song when you spoil them with this special brick in Silver Heels. 4 bdr. 2 bths., big den w-log burning frplc, unique kit. w-blt. ins, enclosed patio. All on ten wooded acres. Fifties.

HOLIDAY ENTERTAINING
will be a pleasure in this attractive Kentwood home w-big den, sep. liv. rm., 3 bdrm, 1½ bths, decorator kit. w-blt. ins., new crpt. Dbl. gar. Twenties.

FAMILY COMFORT
for the season ahead in this spacious Brick home on Cindy. Lrg liv areas, 3 bdrm 1¾ bth, blt. in kit. huge utility rm, lrg. patio across back of house, strg. house, gas bar-b-q & nite light. High 20's.

A CRACKLING FIRE
in corner frplc will brighten your holidays in this better than brand new home on Navajo. 3 bdrm. 1¾ bath. Lovely kit. w-blt. ins. & din. area w-bay window overlooking beautifully landscaped yard w-lrg. patio. New heating & ref. unit, fenced. Dbl. car space. Low 40's.

START THE NEW YEAR
with a wise investment. Make offer on 3 lots on East 4th St. 50x140 each.

CORNUCOPIA OF LUXURY — ELEGANCE
new listing on Vicky St. If you don't snap this one up early, someone else will. Only 2 yrs. old, luxurious 3 bdrm, 2 bth, frml rooms plus huge comfortable den w-frpl. Beautiful blt. in kitchen. Oversize bths. Priced in 40's.

A HOME FOR ALL SEASONS
on Chapman Rd. Custom blt. 3-2 brick w-spacious pnld. den w-wood burning frplc. Dream kit. w-ample ash cabinets & blt. ins. Sep. liv. rm. Dbl. gar., fenced. On ½ acre. Thirties.

PERSONALITY COTTAGE
ready for you to move right in. Old fashioned parlor w. W-B fireplace opens to big formal dining rm., cozy kit. w-neat breakfast nook, 2 bdrms, sing. gar. In Washington Place. Teens.

TIS THE SEASON
to settle your family in this well kept 3 bdr. 2 bth. home near base. New crpt. & cooler, fenced, sing. gar. Mid teens.

GROW YOUR OWN
turkeys & yams. Let us show you acreage North or South of City. Reasonably priced. Will V.A.

A LOAF OF BREAD,
a Pumpkin Pie, and You is what this 3 bdrm, 2 bth brick home on Johnson needs for the holidays. Cen. heat, ref. air, cozy den, lge lvg-din, fully crpted. $31,000.

SNUGGLE IN
and enjoy this warm 3 bdrm frame on East Side. Big den, sep. liv. rm., fncd. Well located on corner lot. Only $14,000.

REAP THE BENEFITS
that good investments bring. 75x150 ft. corner lot on East 4th, $8,000, or ½ acre lot on Hilltop Rd w-septic tank & natural gas, $2,600.

THIS HOME COMES GIFT WRAPPED!
Lvly green exterior paint and plush avocado shag cpt on inside. 2 bdrm, den, pretty kit., workshop in detached gar., tile fence. Under 20 thousand.

CONSIDERING INVESTING IN THE NEW YEAR?
Real estate is your best buy and this 2 bdrm on Canary for $7,500 would make an excellent rental. Owner will finance.

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UNDER $20,000.

OIL MILL ROAD — 3 bdrm. 1 bth. w-advantages of "Country Living". Reap the benefits of having your own garden. Only 5 min. from downtown.

601 CIRCLE — 3 bdrm. 1½ bth. Ideally located near Shopping Center, Schools and College. Lots of outside storage.

1200 LLOYD — 2 bdrm. 1 bth. w-den. Perfect for beginners or retired couple. A real bargain.

1519 TUCSON — 2 bdrm. 1 bth. w-newly re-modeled family size entertaining room, blt. in bar. Spanish decor. Many possibilities for family enjoyment.

1306 COLBY — 3 bdrm. 1 bth. New carpet. Nice quiet street. Call to see.

3709 CONNALLY — 3 bdrm. 2 bth. Brk. within walking distance of Marcy School.

UNDER $25,000

3200 DUKE — The house of PLUS's. 2 bdrm. 2 bth. brk. w-formal liv., lg. den w-dining. NEW refrig. cooling & heating system, dbl. car gar. Freshly painted inside & out. Lovely landscaped yd. w-patio for your entertaining pleasure.

2208 LYNN — You'll be impressed w-this 3 bdrm. 2 bth. brk. Liv. rm., din-den area, new carpet, elec. blt. ins. Sngl. car gar., cent heat & cool.

2511 CINDY — Immediate possession. Enjoy Xmas in this most attractive 3 bdrm. 2 bth. brk. home. Carpeted, gas blt. ins. sngl. car cpt., fncd back yd. You'll like the neighborhood.

NEW HOME — Available in 6 wks. Still time to choose your carpet & colors. 3 bdrm. 2 bth. brk. in KENTWOOD. $35,500. w-95 per cent financing

MOVE IN TODAY — 2512 Larry. Cozy 3 bdrm. home in Kentwood is waiting w-paneled din. rm., front kit., tiled entry, enc. gar., refrig. air, and so much more for $26,500.

LOOK ON THE OUTSIDE — 2517 Ann Dr. Look on the inside, you'll agree this is a find. 3 bdrm. 2 bth. formal liv., brk. walled kit. & den. Bonus rm. for relaxation or play. Low 40's.

TRIPLE TREAT — In College Park. Completely equipped kit. for Mom, huge patio & storage for Dad, paneled family rm. for the kids, formal liv. & din. for all, 3 lg. bdrms., 2 bths. Under $45,000.

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Some Firms Use Lie Detectors

FRESNO, Calif. AP — Lie detector tests are being used by a relatively small number of Fresno businesses to help screen job applicants.

Those using the tests are many small businessmen being hurt by employe thefts and searching for a way to solve the problem, according to Mel Cheney, operator of a Fresno lie detector company. He reports among his clients are service stations, janitorial services, convenience stores, truck stops, restaurants, inventory services and liquor stores.

TRUCKS FOR SALE M-9

FORD GAS F700 truck tractor wi n air conditioner, 391 V8 engine, five speed, two speed rear axles. Broughton Truck and Implement Co. 910 Lamesa Hwy. 267-5284.

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MUSICAL INSTR L-7

BRAND NEW: Gibson Standard guitar, model J-45. For more information call 267-7135.

SPORTING GOODS L-8

1976 LOW PROFILE custom 20 foot Jet boat tandam trailer, many extras. $5,895 Regular $8,600. Sell to first buyer. See at 2611 Cindy. 263-8605 — 263-0731.

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MISCELLANEOUS L-11

ATTENTION
HUNTERS & TRAPPERS
Fur buyer will be in Big Spring at Rip Griffin Truck Terminal, each Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m., beginning December 5th. We buy green and dry furs of all kinds. Skin case all furs, like Opossum. (Not open up the middle.) We also buy deer hides. Well handled furs bring top prices.
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WANTED TO BUY L-14

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PIANOS, ORGANS L-6

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2000 W. 3rd 267-5661

No Chance Of Fed Law Actions

WASHINGTON (AP) — Any chance for Senate action this year on revising and consolidating federal criminal laws has been lost.

The massive bill, almost 10 years in the making, is now before the Senate Judiciary Committee where major amendments will be offered.

The committee's subcommittee on criminal laws and procedures, headed by Sen. John L. McClellan, D-Ark., completed its final draft of the proposed criminal code more than a month ago.

McClellan and other sponsors had hoped for full committee action on it before the present session of Congress ends around mid-December, but they now acknowledge there is no prospect of this.

One reason is the extraordinary size and complexity of the measure and the controversy over some of its provisions. The report on the measure by McClellan's subcommittee runs more than 1,300 pages.

In addition, the Judiciary Committee may be tied up for much of the time left in the present session with President Ford's nomination to fill the Supreme Court vacancy left by the retirement of Justice William O. Douglas.

McClellan said he sees virtually no possibility that any progress can be made on the bill before the next session of Congress. This will throw the controversy into an election year.

However, McClellan said that as a member of the commission appointed by the late President Lyndon B. Johnson in 1967 to propose a federal criminal code, he wants to give the Senate an opportunity to vote on the legislation.

Companion measures have been introduced in the House, and the Judiciary Committee there has said it will start hearings two weeks after the Senate completes action.

McClellan, and Sen. Roman L. Hruska, R-Neb., ranking minority member of the criminal laws and procedures subcommittee, have said they expect the bill to be amended further.

But they and other sponsors, as well as opponents of some provisions, emphasize the desirability of pulling all the federal criminal laws into a single code.

Hruska recently noted, for example, that there are more than 70 different provisions on theft alone in present law. Definitions and penalties vary, depending on whether the theft was from the mails, a bank, an employe welfare plan and so on.

A major purpose of the legislation is to overcome problems of this kind by clarifying, updating and consolidating criminal laws now scattered through 11 volumes of federal statutes.

"Those who would defeat the bill would have us return to present law, with its outdated, inadequate, irrational, unjust, and piecemeal disarray," Hruska said.

Opponents do not quarrel with the objective of establishing a federal crime code for the first time. Their disagreement is with specific provisions that they argue go too far or do not go far enough.

Pecan Weevil Detected In Howard County

In areas where the pecan weevil has become established, the weeveil has the potential to completely destroy a large per cent of developing nuts on a tree.

The pecan weevil has been detected in isolated areas of Howard County and West Texas during past years, said Bruce Griffith, county extension agent.

With the increased plantings of pecan trees in commercial orchards and in home landscapes in the Trans-Pecos area, the distribution of this insect pest needs to be deermined so control programs can be initiated.

The female pecan weevil deposits eggs in a pecan after the nut kernels have hardened.

Creamy white grubs hatch from the eggs and feed inside nuts during the fall.

When the grubs reach maturity, they chew a round hole about one-eight nch in diameter in the nut shell and emerge from the nut and drop to the ground to overwinter in the soil.

Pecans should be examined at harvest time for the possible exit hole of the grub. Pecans with a small round hole cut in the nut sheels should be collected in a plastic bag or jar and submitted to the county extension agent's office in the courthouse basement.

Your cooperation on this pecan weevil survey will be greatly appreciated by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of the Texas A&M University System.

MISHAPS

500 block of State: Charles Kenneth Chrane, 1101 E. 6th, and two parked vehicles belonging to Richard Leroy Paus, Box 4442 Webb AFB and James Ray Paris, Box 3688 Webb AFB, 12:12 a.m. Chrane was taken to the hospital for minor injuries Tuesday.

VANDALISM

Mrs. J. Robinson, 1216 Mobile, reported somebody chopped down a tree in her yard and also broke a window in a vehicle parked at that address.

LEGAL NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTIONS 12-23 and 12-25 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY REVISING THE CHARGES FOR THE COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND TRASH:
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS:

I.

THAT Section 12-23 of the Code of Ordinances be amended as follows:

Sec. 12-23. Commercial and business rates

Commercial and business establishments shall be charged at a rate to be established by the sanitation superintendent on the basis of cost of service determined by the volume or time consumed, but the rate for business or commercial establishments shall not be less than four dollars ($4.00) per month. Public, business, and commercial institutions will receive sanitation container service if it proves to be the best and most satisfactory method of handling the refuse. The sanitation superintendent shall make a study to determine the advisability of collection by sanitary container and, if practical, then the City of Big Spring will furnish a container or containers to be used in the removal of trash and garbage. The monthly charges will be determined from the following schedule. The charges are determined by container size and number of collections per week.

Container size (cubic yards)	Pickups per week	Monthly rate
3	3	$18.00
4	3	$24.00
3	6	$30.00
4	6	$42.00

Any customer who uses more than the amount of containers specified herein shall be charged at the rate of fifty cents ($0.50) per cubic yard per month for all excess volume.

II

THAT Section 12-25 of the Code of Ordinances by amended as follows:

Sec. 12-25. Residential rates.

Charges for the collection and removal of garbage and trash by the city from houses, buildings, and premises used for residential purposes shall be as follows:

Single family residence $3.00
Duplex apartment, triplex apartment or garage apartment, each unit $3.00.
Group housing, including tourist courts with cooking facilities, each unit $2.50.
Apartment building or complex of four 4 or more units, each unit $2.50.

The maximum service to be rendered for the above residential classes shall be two collections each week. Any additional service requested and rendered in excess of such maximum shall be charged for at the rate of three dollars ($3.00) per trip.

III

PASSED AND APPROVED on the first reading at a regular meeting of the City Council on the 11th day of November, 1975, with all members voting "aye" for the passage of same.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the second and final reading at a regular meeting of the City Council on the 25th day of November, 1975, with all members present voting "aye" for the passage of same.

SIGNED:
WADE CHOATE, Mayor
ATTEST:
THOMAS D. FERGUSON,
City Secretary
NOVEMBER 30, 1975
DECEMBER 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 1975

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ENGAGE IN WEATHER MODIFICATION ACTIVITIES

Notice is hereby given that the Colorado River Municipal Water District, 400 East 24th Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720, who holds License No. 76-5 of the State of Texas, issued December 18, 1974, and renewed September 1, 1975, intends to engage in an operation to change or attempt to change by artificial methods the natural development of atmospheric cloud forms for and on behalf of the Colorado River Municipal Water District, P.O. Box 869, Big Spring, Texas 79720, and will conduct the program of weather modification designed to increase precipitation by means of the aerial application of silver iodide or other articial nuclei as follows:

1. The area over, or within which, equipment may be operated shall include the counties of Lynn, Garza, Kent, Dawson, Borden, Scurry, Fisher, Martin, Howard, Mitchell, Nolan, Glasscock, Sterling and Coke.

2. The target area, within which the precipitation is intended to be enhanced, can be described as follows:

The boundary may be described by a line beginning at a point of origin at Big Spring, Texas, and running along Highway 87 in a northwesterly direction to Lamesa, thence northnortheast on Highway 87 to the north border of Dawson County, thence east along the north border of Dawson, Borden and Scurry Counties to Highway 84; thence southeast along Highway 84 to Roscoe, in Nolan County; thence south-southeast to Maryneal; thence southwest to Silver in Coke County; thence south-southwest to Highway 87 at a point approximately 13 miles northwest of Sterling City; thence northwesterly along Highway 87 to the point of origin at Big Spring, Texas.

3. The materials, equipment and methods to be used in conducting the operation within this area of approximately 3500 square miles include a 3 cm radar system, cloud seeding aircraft, and the application of silver iodide ice nuclei, hygroscopic nuclei, or other nuclei considered appropriate to the artificial nucleation of clouds or weather systems.

4. The person in charge of this program shall be Owen H. Ivie, Colorado River Municipal Water District, Big Spring, Texas.

5. The program will be operational during the period from March 1st to November 30 during the years 1976, 1977, 1978 and 1979.

6. Any persons who feel they may be affected in some adverse way by this program may file a complaint with the Texas Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas, 78711.

SIGNED: OWEN H. IVIE
Colorado River Municipal Water District

November 19, 26, December 3, 1975

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LATE SHOW
Friday and Saturday
X-RATED
12:00



(AP WIREPHOTO)

ROCK BURST SENSOR — Hecla Mining Co. engineer John Langstaff adjusts a geophone, a tiny microphone imbedded in the rock, at the 3,800-foot level of the Lucky Friday Mine. The sensors will detect "rock bursts," which sometime explode in dangerous releases of energy from brittle rock under extreme pressure.

New Devices Save Lives In Underground Mines

MULLAN, Idaho AP — Deep in the mines here, rocks explode — and kill.

Six miners have died in the past 10 years because of "rock bursts," three in the last 10 months, but mining officials hope to predict these often-fatal explosions of energy.

Major bursts have torn out timbers and sent rocks cascading down on men in mines throughout the Coeur d'Alene Mining District, one of the world's richest areas for gold, silver, zinc, lead and other minerals.

Rock bursts occur when mining has released pressure weighing on brittle quartz in the veins — stress often more than 25,000 pounds per square inch.

The sound of a burst has been likened to a dynamite blast, crack of a rifle and a sonic boom.

But some brusts are harmless. The rocks "spit at you in little flakes," said a mining executive.

One rock burst forecasting project is under way at Hecla Mining Co.'s Lucky Friday Mine at Mullan.

It is wired with 23 seismic monitoring devices on the five production levels of the silver-lead-zinc property where the ore vein plunges thousands of feet into the earth at a 70-degree angle.

Drawing on research which began in 1967 by the Bureau of Mines at the Galena Mine in Silverton, Hecla engineers strung the Lucky Friday with 20,000 feet of wire attached to microphone-like instruments called geophones.

Every seismic event is detected by a geophone, amplified 1,000 times and fed into a computer on the surface. The computer scans the 23 geophones and calculates where a block of rock is undergoing seismic activity. As a rock block begins to collapse under pressure, there is an audible pop.

"We watch over an area, and if noise is generally increasing, it indicates the area may be approaching its limits," said John Langstaff, Hecla's chief rock engineer.

Then engineers use explosives to unstress the pressured rock.

There have been no significant rock bursts in the Lucky Friday since the system became operational 22 months ago. Its prediction capabilities remain untested.

Robert E. Riley of Spokane, Wash., an inspector with the federal Mining Enforcement-Safety Administration, said that "ultimately we hope this research will allow engineers to predict rock bursts and design mines so stresses won't be concentrated near where people work."

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Dental Plans Cause Stir

HOUSTON (AP) — The Texas Dental Association, gearing for an influx of patients newly covered under company dental plans, said Tuesday it has created controversy with the insurance carriers by denying X-rays on routine examinations.

The TDA represents 5,500 dentists across the state.

Company dental plans are somewhat new in Texas but are increasing as part of managment-labor contracts. The TDA said Southwestern Bell will provide dental care benefits to 280,000 Texans as of Jan. 1.

Numerous other companies started in November or December.

TDA spokesman Dr. Charles Lewis of Muleshoe said insurance companies occasionally need an X-ray examination to determine whether the particular work done is covered under their plan.

"But we are strongly opposed to the routine submissions of X-rays to third parties," Lewis said.

Lewis, in charge of implementing guidelines said, "There is ample evidence elsewhere in the United States that some carriers are using the X-ray as a negotiating instrument for less adequate care and fee determination—rather than benefit determination for the patient. Further, an X-ray by itself cannot tell the whole story."

"We are offering a workable alternative to the carrier—a free consultant, appointed by local component TDA societies, to acquire X-rays and render opinions in the case of marginal claims," Lewis said.

"Not all companies require the X-ray, but we need to have a definite policy for those that do and that is the purpose for the consultant we provide," he said.

Lewis said Texas dentists also are refusing to take "assignment," meaning the patient signs a form allowing the doctor to seek payment from the insurance company.

Star-Telegram Veep Named

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — President-publisher Amon Carter Jr. announced today the appointment of Jack Butler as vice president and editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Jack Tinsley, who has served as assistant to the editor, was named executive editor, a new position.

Butler, 58, has been editor of the newspaper since 1963. He previously was city editor, courthouse reporter, political writer, news editor and assistant managing editor.

Tinsley, 40, has been with the Star-Telegram 14 years, and for the past 15 months has directed the newspaper's transition into electronic editing.

He was reporter and education writer before becoming night city editor, Sunday editor, assistant managing editor and assistant to the editor.

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