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The SDN Column

Baylor University's Southwest Conference Football Championship has stimulated nearly as many Bear stories as there were Aggie jokes a few seasons back.

The fact that Baylor is a denominational school makes it vulnerable to an even greater variety of humor, extending even into the pulpit. This is one characteristic that it must share with schools like Southern Methodist, Texas Christian, Notre Dame, etc. But for Baylor, the opportunity for it to emerge was a long time coming.

Someone sent us a clipping from the Tyler Telegraph which told of a message which was read to the congregation of the First Baptist Church there after the Bears decisioned SMU and then were awaiting the Texas-A&M game to learn their ultimate fate in the Cotton Bowl Race.

It went like this: "Green and gold in the Cotton Bowl!

"We slaughtered the Hogs! Butchered the Steers! Stomped the Frogs! Tamed Tech! Taught the Mustangs!

"Now, we must pluck the Owl and pray for Texas to humble the Aggies so we can enjoy green and gold in the Cotton Bowl!!!"

That was the parting message that Sunday (Nov. 24) of Dr. W. M. Shamburger, who, incidentally, is the father-in-law of the former Margurette Holt, daughter of Judge Wayland G. Holt. And Judge Holt himself noted that he intended to seek out some Cotton Bowl tickets, now that the issue has been settled to the complete satisfaction of the Baylor people.

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Of course many people in Snyder are more than casually interested in the BU Bears, even those who have no personal ties with the school, because Grant Teaff is the head coach who wrought the miracle on the Brazos.

There likely are very few around who remember the other coach who guided a Baylor football team to a conference title. He was a fellow by the name of Frank Bridges, who died some months ago.

Although we were not keeping up with college football in 1924, the last year that Baylor won the conference, we had a pleasant conversation with Bridges a few years ago while watching a baseball game. The former Baylor coach was scouting for the Chicago White Sox at the time. He recalled with fondness his teams at Baylor and readily volunteered the information that he left Baylor by request. Bridges was an innovator, one of those colorful tacticians who helped develop football into the game it is today. He also readily agreed that some of his innovations probably resulted in new rules being adopted. But he was a winner, and some believe he was years ahead of his time.

After leaving Baylor he maintained ties with the Baptists, taking the coaching job at Hardin Simmons, and he noted that he ultimately left there by request also, because he was still innovating. Subsequently, in the 30s, he joined Mose Simms at St. Mary's University at San Antonio in a valiant effort to put that school's football team in the limelight. Simms and Bridges booked nearly all of their games on the road, traveling from coast to coast in a red-white-and-blue bus which they claimed to be the longest in the world. When someone reported they had located another bus a few inches longer than that at St. Mary's, Simms and Bridges announced that they were building an addition on their bus.

After World War II, Bridges became a major league baseball scout, and he still was noted for his ability to evaluate athletic talent.—WACIL McNAIR.

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Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Dec. 3, the 337th day of 1974. There are 28 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1967, surgeons at a Cape Town, South Africa hospital reported a successful human heart transplant, the first of its kind.

On this date -

In 1808, Madrid surrendered to French forces under Napoleon.

In 1818, the former Confederate president, Jefferson Davis, was put on trial for treason in the U.S. Circuit Court for Virginia.

In 1894, the Scottish writer, Robert Louis Stevenson, died in Samoa.

In 1944, in World War II, American troops crossed the Saar River in Germany.

In 1962, London was blanketed by one of the worst fogs in years. Scores of people died of sulphur dioxide poisoning before the fog lifted four days later.

In 1966, six U.S. supersonic jets were shot down during air raids close to Hanoi in North Vietnam.

Ten years ago: Police at Berkeley arrested 796 University of California students in removing demonstrators from the school administration building.

Five years ago: Sixty-two persons aboard a French jetliner were killed when the plane crashed into the Caribbean after takeoff from Caracas, Venezuela, en route to Paris.

One year ago: Israel's first premier, David Ben-Gurion, was buried after simple services near the desert settlment where he had spend his final years.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Monday, 46 degrees; low, 24 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 24 degrees.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Partly cloudy with gradual warming tonight and Wednesday. Low tonight mid 20s north portion to upper 30s extreme south. High Wednesday mostly 60s except lower 70s Big Bend.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Partly cloudy and a little warmer tonight and Wednesday. Low tonight 32 to 37. High Wednesday 60 to 66.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS AT WTC—The Christmas lights were turned on Monday evening in the central courtyard at Western Texas College. Students and visitors gathered in the chilly evening and sipped hot chocolate as the WTC choir sang several carols. Strings of tiny, bright lights adorn the live trees in the courtyard and a tall, artificial Christmas tree rises from the Sentell Stage in the center of the courtyard.

Ford Admits Arms Pact Allows Continued Buildups

By KENNETH J. FREED
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The new U.S.-Soviet strategic arms agreement allows both countries to continue costly nuclear weapons buildups over the next decade, President Ford has acknowledged.

In a news conference Monday night, Ford said the accord, worked out last week in Siberia with Soviet Communist Party Leader Leonid I. Brezhnev, allows each country 2,400 long-range missiles and bombers.

Of that quota, both nations can place multiple warheads — MIRVs — on 1,320 missiles.

Although the President said this agreement "put a cap on the arms race," he described a situation in which both countries have great flexibility in increasing the number of MIRV missiles as well as the lifting power of each missile — "throw-weight" in military-diplomatic jargon.

For instance, the Soviet Union has about 2,200 long-range missiles, none of which is believed to carry multiple warheads. Moscow can and is expected to install MIRV warheads on up to the 1,320-missile limit.

The United States already has 822 of its 1,710 offensive missile force carrying multiple warheads. Ford made it clear Monday night the United States will push its MIRV program to the limit.

"We do have an obligation to stay up to that ceiling," he said of the figures worked out at the Vladivostok summit. "The budget that I will recommend will keep our strategic forces either up to or aimed at that objective."

Ford's claims for the agreement, which will run from 1975 to 1985 once technical details are worked out, came under immediate challenge from Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash.

In a telephone interview, Jackson said that "the total number is way out of order when you count the thousands of nuclear warheads that will be produced."

The Russians will be able to build "a new missile system when they don't have any now," he said, referring to the current lack of Soviet MIRVs.

In addition, the Washington Democrat said the cost of meeting the ceilings will be extraordinary.

Ford opened the news conference by segregating topics into two categories. He dealt first with the strategic arms question and then turning to domestic matters, primarily the economy.

He repeated his assertion that inflation remains the nation's worst enemy, although acknowledging that a recession "is a serious threat that already has hurt many citizens and alarms many more."

Goodfellows Need Toys

The Snyder Goodfellows still need toys and games for Christmas.

Those who wish to contribute used toys and games may leave them at the Lone Star Gas Co. office, or at the Child Day Care Center at Thirty-fourth and Avenue K. Toys contributed should be in a repairable condition.

Meanwhile, the Goodfellows began accepting cash contributions Monday at both Snyder banks. Money contributed will be used to purchase items needed for underprivileged families at Christmas.

Dr. K Urges Red Trade Bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger said today he cannot give specific figures on the number of Jews who will be allowed to emigrate from the Soviet Union and warned Congress against publicly pressuring Moscow on the issue.

But in a statement prepared for the Senate Finance Committee, Kissinger said that if the administration's trade bill giving the Soviet Union equal trading status is passed, "I do believe that we have every right to expect ... that the emigration rate will correspond to the number of applicants and there will be no interference with applications."

At the outset of his statement, Kissinger dealt briefly in general terms with the current worldwide economic crisis and said that "one of the principal problems is the unwillingness of too many nations to face the facts of interdependence."

The administration's trade bill, which has been bottled up in Congress for two years, is "in its entirety an absolutely essential tool if the United States is to be in a position to manage actively its over-all relations," Kissinger said.

Kissinger agreed to testify today before the Senate Finance Committee in hopes of winning the panel's approval of a major administration trade bill. Congress has amended the measure to encourage the Soviets to allow freer emigration for Jews and other minorities.

President Ford told his news conference Monday night the trade bill deserved special and immediate congressional attention because it would "help immeasurably in fighting both recession and inflation, by creating more jobs and providing more goods as well."

The bill would grant the President broad authority to lower tariffs and other trade barriers and to negotiate with other nations for freer trade and access to critical materials in short supply.

Kissinger is expected to provide details of how far the Soviets will go in lowering emigration barriers in return for U.S. trade concessions.

Kissinger, Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., and presumably high-level Soviet officials worked out an arrangement calling for the Soviets to ease their emigration restrictions for the 18-month period that the trade concessions would be in effect.

US Gold To Be Sold At Auction

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States will sell two million ounces of gold, valued officially at $84.4 million, from its government-held gold reserves, Treasury Secretary William E. Simon said today.

Simon also said the government will not ask for a postponement of the right for Americans to buy gold after Dec. 31.

He said the government gold will be sold at a public auction on Jan. 6 and that sales would be in quantities of 400-oz bars.

The General Services Administration will issue formal invitations for bids in about 10 days, Simon said.

The secretary also disclosed in testimony before the House Banking and Currency subcommittee that the government will consider selling additional gold in the future, although probably in smaller amounts.

Simon made clear the Jan. 6 sale of gold is directly connected to the decision of Congress to permit Americans to own gold, ending a 41-year-old ban on the private ownership of the precious metal.

He said that if the government did not sell some of its gold, an increase in gold imports would be required to meet speculative and industrial needs.

The sale of 2 million ounces will be only a small portion of the official U.S. gold supply of 276 million ounces.

Valued at $42.22 per ounce, the U.S. gold reserves are worth about $11.6 billion.

At the official price, a 400-ounce bar would cost about $16,800.

On world markets, gold has been selling for about $180 an ounce and it is likely the Treasury will sell its gold at something closer to the market price rather than the official price.

18 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

House Demos Shift Power

By EDMOND LeBRETON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Democrats who will dominate the new House have voted major power changes in their party, electing a liberal activist to head their caucus and cutting the authority of Rep. Wilbur D. Mills.

The process which began Monday, the first day of an organization caucus, is scheduled to continue today and throughout the week. The caucus is expected to vote today to increase the membership of the Ways and Means panel from 25 to 37, which could make possible a shift of its majority from conservative to liberal.

The caucus voted Monday 146 to 122 to strip the Democratic contingent of Ways and Means of its power to assign party members to other committees.

Assignments now will be made by the Democratic Steering Committee. That panel is composed half of the House leaders and their appointees and half chosen regionally by the caucus membership.

The decision was a blow to Mills, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee. The Arkansas Democrat burst again into the news over the weekend with a public renewal of his friendship with a stripper who plunged into the Washington Tidal Basin in October after a late-night party with Mills and others.

Backers of the change said the move was set and votes lined up before Mills appeared on stage with the stripper at a Boston night club over the weekend.

Rep. Phillip Burton of California was elected caucus chairman Monday, 162 to 111 over B.F. Sisk, also of California. Sisk, who had campaigned for party unity, said he will work with Burton but fears the election might be seen as a sign Congress will be "flying off into the wild blue yonder."

But Burton proclaimed, "The winds of change have reached the House." The prior caucus chairman was Rep. Olin E. Teague, D-Tex., whose term in that post expires with the present Congress.

The meetings Monday of the Democratic caucus and the Republican conference were the first such sessions under new rules that provide for organizing Congress before it convenes next month.

Incumbent leaders of both parties were re-elected: Carl Albert, D-Okla., Speaker, subject to the formality of House confirmation; Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., D-Mass., majority leader; John J. Rhodes, R-Ariz., minority leader; and John B. Anderson, R-Ill., Republican Conference chairman.

At the Republican organization meeting, Robert H. Michel, R-Ill., was elected Republican whip over John N. Erlenborn of Illinois and Jerry L. Pettis of California. The post was left open by the retirement of Leslie C. Arends, R-Ill.

In the contest for Republican Conference chairman, Anderson turned back, 85 to 52, a challenge by Charles E. Wiggins of California.

Republicans, outnumbered by Democrats at least 291 to 144 in the new House, had comparatively little to do and concluded their conference Monday.

Northeast Is Paralyzed By Major Snowstorm

By The Associated Press

Snow or freezing rain brought hazardous driving from the lower Great Lakes into the Northeast today, piling more weather woes on some regions still digging out from a monster weekend storm.

Heavy-snow warnings were in effect for parts of Vermont, northern and western New York and the mountains of West Virginia. Freezing-rain warnings covered parts of Ohio and Maine. Storm warnings were posted for Lake Ontario and gale warnings for Lakes Huron and Erie, the New England coast and the northern and central Pacific coast.

The season's first major snowstorm stranded thousands of motorists, or forced them to abandon their autos, in southern Michigan and adjacent sections of Ohio, where it dumped 18 to 20 inches of snow Sunday and Monday. Ranging into the Southeast, the storm piled as much as 15 inches of snow in southwest Virginia and up to 2 feet in mountain areas of West Virginia.

It also brought numerous power outages, traffic accidents and school and business shutdowns from Michigan to Maine.

But the foul weather also brought out the best in many people. In southeastern Michigan, where the heaviest snow of the century measured almost 19 inches, teen-agers joined to push car after car up an interstate highway ramp. A police man picked up a pregnant woman and rushed her to the hospital by snowmobile.

The Red Cross went into action to help the more than 11,000 persons stranded in Michigan, among an estimated 35,000 stranded there and in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Maryland.

More than 20 persons suffered fatal heart attacks in Michigan alone while shoveling snow.

Some schools and businesses which were closed from Michigan to New England and into Appalachia on Monday planned to reopen today, depending on local conditions. But many remained closed, hoping to resume operations Wednesday. Detroit public schools and many others in southeastern Michigan were among those closed again today.

Two newspapers in Michigan, the Detroit News and Wayne Daily Eagle, failed to publish Monday editions. The snow forced cancellation of state and local governmental meetings. The judge and jury failed to show up for a murder trial at Detroit's Recorders Court.

Maryland called out National Guard units to help clear snow from western parts of the state Monday and to rescue an estimated 2,000 stranded motorists.

In Kentucky, where many schools were closed Monday and today, seven children were injured in a school bus accident.

Elsewhere, light snow moved into the Pacific Northwest mountains and rain fell on the coast. More than an inch of rain fell at Portland, Ore. Light snow also spilled into the northern Plains.

In contrast, fair weather spread over areas from Southern California to Florida and into the central Plains, the middle Mississippi Valley and the upper Great Lakes region.

Dr. McClurg Named Dean Of OTE At Jr. College

Dr. Gene R. McClurg has been named Dean of Occupational Technical Education at Western Texas College, Dr. Robert Clinton, president of the college, has announced.

Dr. McClurg's appointment was formally approved Monday night by the WTC board of trustees.

Dr. McClurg has been professor of electromechanical technology at WTC since last August. He replaces Gene Robertson who resigned to accept a position with San Jacinto College at Pasadena.

A native of El Paso, Dr. McClurg was graduated from Ysleta High School. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1955-58 and received the bachelor of science in physics from Texas Western College in May, 1963.

He earned the master of science degree in physics from Texas A&M University in 1969 and was awarded the Ph.D. from A&M in August, 1970.

Dr. McClurg taught physics, math and engineering at Odessa College from August, 1970, to December, 1972, and was also chairman for the admissions committee and head faculty advisor for the student government. In January, 1973, he became full-time manager of a stock car race track in San Angelo which he had owned and managed since May, 1972. When the track was closed by a driver walk out at the beginning of the 1974 racing season, Dr. McClurg became manager of marketing administration for Mitsubishi Aircraft in San Angelo.

DR. GENE R. McCLURG

Dr. McClurg is a member of the Society of the Sigma Xi, American Physical Society, AIP, AAPT, and AAPM.

In other business at the board meeting Monday night, the board voted to close the WTC campus for a week during the Christmas holidays—Dec. 23 to Jan. 30. This will result in two additional days off for classified personnel and these two days will be classified as bonus vacation time. The administration noted that a saving of some $3,000 or more in fuel, etc., would be achieved by closing the campus for the full week.

The board voted to accept a grant of $11,803.75 to conduct a project entitled "Model For Institutional Student Flow and Follow-Up." It will enable WTC to keep track of students after they leave WTC.

Discussion of purchasing procedures and plans for seeking bids on a warehouse building concluded the meeting.

The board recessed its meeting for some 15 or 20 minutes between 6:30 and 7 p.m. to go to the central courtyard for a Christmas tree lighting ceremony.

Next regular meeting of the board is set for Jan. 13.

HEADS FOR SATURN RENAMED

Pioneer 11 Survives Radiation Of Jupiter

By WILLIAM HELTON
Associated Press Writer

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (AP) — Pioneer 11 changed names today and headed for Saturn, after a perilous but successful confrontation with Jupiter's deadly radiation.

The unmanned 570-pound spacecraft dipped to within 26,600 miles of the surface of boiling, gaseous Jupiter at 9:22 p.m. PST Monday, coming three times closer than Pioneer 10 a year ago and climaxing a 21-month, 620-million-mile voyage.

At 10:24 p.m., scientists received a signal that the spacecraft had survived its close approach to Jupiter and was on its way to make man's first probe of mysterious, ringed Saturn in September 1979.

"I officially rechristen this spacecraft 'Pioneer-Saturn,'" James C. Fletcher, administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, said at a midnight news conference. He then undraped a huge color drawing of the spacecraft hovering near Saturn.

"It flew into the fiery mouth of a dragon and got scorched a little, but now it's headed for Saturn," said Robert S. Kraemer, director of NASA's planetary exploration programs. "It's a tough little bird and with a little luck it will make it."

Scientists threw up their hands in relief when they received a signal from the spacecraft after it successfully passed through Jupiter's searing radiation. The signal came a little more than an hour after scientists lost contact with the probe when it ducked behind Jupiter and reached a speed of 107,000 miles per hour — 25,000 m.p.h. faster than any man-made object ever has flown.

The spacecraft was operating normally after its encounter with Jupiter, although some minor irregularities were reported in a device that measures subatomic particles and another that makes infrared measurements, said Dr. John Wolfe, Pioneer project scientist based here at NASA's Ames Research Center.

"Since we're alive now I am sure we are going to stay that way," Wolfe said. "We got zapped with protons a little more than we expected, but we got less electrons."

He said the spacecraft was hit twice by micrometeorites. Scientists had expected it to be hit at least five times, and more hits could have damaged its instruments.

Wolfe also said Pioneer 11 data indicated Jupiter's magnetic force was twice as strong as that of earth.

The spacecraft departed the planet's dangerous radiation belt and, using Jupiter's gravitational pull as a slingshot, headed for Saturn, a journey of 3 billion miles from earth. The trip will take the spacecraft 100 million miles above earth's orbital plane and higher than any spacecraft has ever flown.

It is expected to rendezvous with Saturn in September 1979 and provide new information about that mysterious, ringed planet.

SANTA VISITS—Santa Claus came to Snyder for his first visit of the season Monday afternoon. He visited with youngsters in the central business district as he made his way around town to give the Christmas shopping season a sort of official sendoff.

Search For Bodies Ended

By JEFFREY MILLS
Associated Press Writer

UPPERVILLE, Va. (AP) — Authorities have ended their search for the bodies of 92 persons killed in the crash of a Trans World Airlines jetliner and now are seeking the cause of the crash.

Investigators recovered the plane's flight data recorder and the cockpit voice recorder Monday. They said they hope the instruments will enable them to determine why the Boeing 727 slammed into a fog-draped peak Sunday while approaching Dulles International Airport.

Firefighters and others searchers climbed over the mountainside Monday to find the bodies of the 85 passengers and seven crew members. O.R. Dube, Loudoun County fire marshal, said, "There might be pieces of bodies left, but no whole bodies."

The National Transportation Safety Board declined to speculate on causes of the crash. But other officials acknowledged the runway being approached by the plane was used infrequently and does not have a full "instrument landing system."

The plane should have been at 3,400 feet at the time it crashed near the top of the 1,754-foot-high mountain.

The full instrument landing system tells the pilot whether he is on the correct course, both horizontally and vertically.

John F. Leyden, head of the Professional Air Traffic Controllers Organization, said in a letter to President Ford that "it is our position that this accident could possibly have been avoided" if there had been a warning device on the plane to alert the pilot about his altitude.

Officials Of UMW Optimistic

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — United Mine Workers officials expressed otpimism today that a new contract would be approved by the rank and file, as scattered returns indicated a slim majority favoring the pact.

UMW President Arnold Miller had asked locals not to release preliminary vote totals "so as not to prejudice those still voting."

But scattered returns representing some 16,000 miners, about 13 per cent of the union's 120,000 working bituminous coal miners, showed the agreement was gaining approval from about 52 per cent of those voting.

District 12 in Illinois reported a vote of 4,194 for the contract and 4,368 against. But a UMW spokesman said the margin of defeat in that district was not as large as had been anticipated.

A union spokesman in Washington said the UMW expected to have enough results in by Thursday afternoon or evening to be able to make an announcement.

Early figures in eight Pennsylvania locals showed 683 votes for and 568 against the contract — representing a 58.4 per cent turnout in those locals. In another local, in Cambria County, the vote was 277 against, 160 for.

But in Alabama's District 20, a union spokesman said the vote was 2,130 to 995, with the largest local in the district still out.

Snowstorms hampered voting Monday and UMW President Arnold Miller ordered an extension through Wednesday. A union spokesman said the final results probably would not be available until Thursday.

A union spokesman said that even if the new pact is ratified, the earliest work could resume in UMW mines would be at midnight Sunday.

The UMW pulled its 120,000 members out of the pits Nov. 12 when the old contract expired, halting work at mines that produce 70 per cent of the nation's bituminous coal.

The strike has brought on layoffs for another 25,000 workers whose jobs are dependent on coal, especially employes in the steel and rail industries.

The miners, who earned $42 to $50 a day under the old contract, are voting on a new pact agreed upon by the UMW's 38-member bargaining council and the Bituminous Coal Operators' Association.

MRS. PEARL KEETON

Revival To Begin Tonight

A revival begins tonight at The Church of Nazarene and it will continue through Sunday, Dec. 8. Services will begin each night at 7:30 p.m. with the Sunday evening service at the regular time. Evangelist for the revival is Mrs. Pearl Keeton of Abilene.

The Keetons entered the evangelistic field in March, 1973.

She has served as District Missionary President of the San Antonio District for 16½ years. During this term she and her husband, C. B. Keeton spent two weeks in revival work in British Honduras. She has served as president of the Odessa Ministeral Alliance. She has pastored churches in Brownwood, Coleman, Corpus Christi, Broadmoor, Odessa and Austin.

She pastored the Odessa First Church of the Nazarene for 18½ years and Austin First Church of the Nazarene for five years. While at Austin, the church sent Mrs. Keeton and her husband to Europe, Egypt and the Holy Land on a tour. She will be telling some of the things of interest in the rivival here.

ROY ROGERS

SHS Graduate, Roy Rogers, Is Honored

Roy Rogers, a native of Snyder and a graduate of Snyder High School, has been named one of the Outstanding Young Men of America for 1974.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rogers, Route 1, Snyder.

In a letter to his parents advising of the honor, Doug Blankenship, chairman of the board of advisors for OYM, said: "Your son is one of a select number of young men from across the country to be awarded this honor on the basis of his civic and professional achievements. I am sure you are most proud of him and of the distinction he has brought to his family."

His complete biography, along with his many accomplishments, are featured in the 1974 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

Rogers, who now lives in Amarillo, is employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. as an installation supervisor. He is a graduate of Southwest Texas State University and is married to the former Suzanna Covey of Kemah. They have one daughter, Danna, 4.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Ora Harless, 310 Thirty-third; Dorothy Wilson, 2211 Twenty-seventh; Wayland Caldwell, 2402 Gilmore; Steve Perryman, 4501 El Paso; Christy Ballard, Rt. 1; Christopher Kelly, 1909 Coleman, Apt. 1; Jean Greene, 4503 College, Apt. 7; Frances Harty, 210 Thirty-eighth; Katherine Hardegree, 3728 Ave. U; Truda Service, Rt. 1, Box 66; Earnestine Nolan, 310 Thirty-sixth Pl.

DISMISSALS: Mrs. George Ward and baby girl, Maxine Thompson, Glen McCathern, Hoyle Hamilton, William Horton, Ottna Smith, Effie Lee.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Murphree, 1712 Twenty-eighth, are the parents of a 7 lb. baby girl, born at 10:03 p.m. Dec. 1 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

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MIDDAY STOCKS

By The Associated Press

AT&T	41¾	off ½
Atl Rich	89¼	off 1¼
Beth Stl	25⅛	off ⅜
Borden	18⅞	
Cat Trac	49⅞	off ⅜
Celanese	25⅛	off ⅜
Chrysler	7⅝	off ⅛
Cities Svc	43½	off ½
Coca Cola	49½	off 1½
Cont Oil	41½	
Dow Chem	53⅝	off ¼
duPont	88¼	off ⅜
Eastman	61½	off ½
El Paso NG	10⅜	
Exxon	61⅜	off ¼
Fairchild Cam	19⅞	
Ford	30¼	off ¼
Gen Elec	35⅜	off ⅝
Gen Foods	18⅜	
Gen Mtrs	30	
Gen Tel	17⅛	off ⅛
Gen Tire	11⅜	off ⅛
Goodrich	16¼	off ⅜
Great A&P	8¼	off ⅛
Gulf Oil	16⅝	off ⅛
IBM	169¾	off 1
Int Paper	35	off ½
Jhn-Man	16⅞	
John Joh	81⅜	off ⅝
Litton	3½	
Marathon	33⅛	off ⅜
Marcor	15⅛	off ⅛
Mobil Oil	32⅜	
Monsanto	9⅛	off ⅜
Penn Cent	1¼	
Penney	37¾	off ⅛
RCA	10¼	off ⅜
Safeway	33½	off ¼
Sears	46	up ⅛
Sony	4⅞	
Stand Ind	42½	up ¼
Sun Oil	37	off 1
Texaco	20⅞	off ⅛
Texas Inst	27¼	up ⅛
Un Carbide	39¼	off ⅜
Uniroyal	6	off ⅛
US Steel	37	off 1
Woolwth	9½	off ⅛
Xerox	56	off ½

LULAC Has District Five Session Here

The League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) hosted a district convention Saturday evening in the Scurry County Coliseum.

Willie Serna, LULAC District Director of District Five, San Angelo, presided.

Ricardo Corrales, local president, welcomed those attending. LULAC councils represented were from Snyder, Odessa, Runnels' County, Winters and San Angelo, and all gave reports on their activities.

Feature speaker for the evening was Manuel Gonzales of Waco, LULAC State Director. He reminded the group that LULAC is over 45 years old and is the largest organization in the United States representing the Mexican-American population. He challenged the local clubs to get involved, saying that no organization can do the work, but it must be done by individual members. He said that not all Spanish speaking citizens have the same problems...that the problems of the Puerto Ricans and Cubans are not necessarily the same as the Mexican-American. He pointed out that education of the young Mexican-American and the care of the aged Mexican-American as two areas where problems exists.

The next LULAC district meeting will be held in San Angelo.

Service For Post Editor

POST—Funeral rites have been set for 10 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Cross Catholic Church here for Charles L. Didway, 63, editor of the Post Dispatch who died early Monday in a Lubbock Hospital following a long illness.

Didway, who had been editor of the Post newspaper for 22 years, was a native of Arkansas, but had lived in Texas for many years, having been employed by newspapers in Levelland, Brownfield, Muleshoe and Littlefield before settling in Post.

He was named Post's outstanding citizen of 1974 for his community work. He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Charlene Farris of Dallas; two sons, Walter of Post and Curtis Didway of Pampa; and five grandchildren.

Mayors Told To Look To States For Assistance

By MAX B. SKELTON
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Mayors of the nation's cities have been told they should look to the states instead of the federal government for assistance in overcoming tax and crime problems.

Gov. Calvin L. Rampton, D-Utah, chairman of the National Governors' Conference, said states have failed fully to meet their responsibility to units of local government.

Patrick V. Murphy, president of the Police Foundation, said crime is destroying parts of some cities and that the attitude at the state level seems to be to let the mayors shoulder the burden alone.

"Demand that state governments accept their responsibility," said Murphy, former police commissioner in New York City and Washington, D.C.

Rampton and Murphy spoke Monday at the National League of Cities convention being attended by more than 4,000 municipal officials.

Rampton said that, despite soaring costs, the states generally have been in rather good financial positions while cities and counties have been encountering fiscal difficulties.

"We should look seriously to the possibility of eliminating the property tax," he said.

He also said revenue sharing has been a necessary adjustment to equalize revenue sources because of the near preemption by the federal government of the income tax field.

"However, it is merely an adjustment, and we should look forward to restructuring our tax sources at all levels of government so that each level on its own will have adequate sources of revenue," he said.

"We could then return to a situation where the level of government which has the responsibility for rendering a service also has the responsibility for establishing tax levels."

Rampton said it is sometimes difficult to convince state legislators the property tax no longer adequately meets the needs of government but that this, and other problems, do not appear insurmountable.

"Furthermore, the problems of revising our tax structure, difficult as they may be, are not nearly as great as the problems which are going to continue to face all units of local government in attempting to supply services in an inflationary period from the non-productive property tax," Rampton said.

Murphy said a crazy-quilt fragmentation of the nation's criminal justice system has created an inability to deal with crime.

Two Mishaps Are Reported

Minor damage resulted from two motor vehicle collisions here yesterday.

The first one occurred at Thirty-seventh and Avenue U at 4:12 p.m. Involved were the 1959 Model Chevrolet of Gary Laverne Allen of Fort Worth and the 1970 Model Chevrolet of Marvin Barry Blalock, Route 1, Box 251, Ira.

The other one occurred at Thirty-second Street and Avenue F at 6:26 p.m. Involved were the 1966 Model Chevrolet of Hubert James Urdy of Fort Worth and the parked 1966 Model Pontiac of Danny Dean Crower of Star Route 5B, Ira.

Firemen Called

City Firemen answered a call to a car fire at Twenty-eighth Street and Avenue R at 9:35 p.m. Monday. There was minor damage to the 1967 Model Chevrolet of Jerry Fore.

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Warming Trend Forecast

By The Associated Press

Freezing cold was still putting up stubborn resistance to a promised warming trend today across about the northern two-thirds of Texas.

Skies were generally clear except for clouds over the south tip of the Lower Rio Grande Valley and part of the Lower Texas Coast.

Near dawn the freeze zone extended as far south as Houston, College Station, San Antonio and Midland.

Readings at the colder points included Dalhart 20 degrees, Junction 25, Amarillo 26, San Angelo 27, Wichita Falls and Wink 28, Beaumont-Port Arthur 31 and Austin, Big Spring, College Station, El Paso, Texarkana and Tyler 32.

At the same hour it was 53 at Brownsville, the warmest spot.

Top marks Monday afternoon ranged from 61 at Alpine and Marfa in far West Texas down to 49 at Lubbock.

Forecasts again called for slow warming in all sections and clear to partly cloudy skies.

Pleas Heard In County Court

Two guilty pleas were entered in county court yesterday.

John Luther Smith pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated. He received a $100 fine plus court costs and a 30-day jail term, probated for six months. He was arrested Dec. 1 by High Patrolmen.

Joe Morgan Simmons pleaded guilty to driving while his license was suspended. He received a $25 fine plus court costs and a 72-hour jail term. He was arrested Nov. 29 by Highway Patrolmen.

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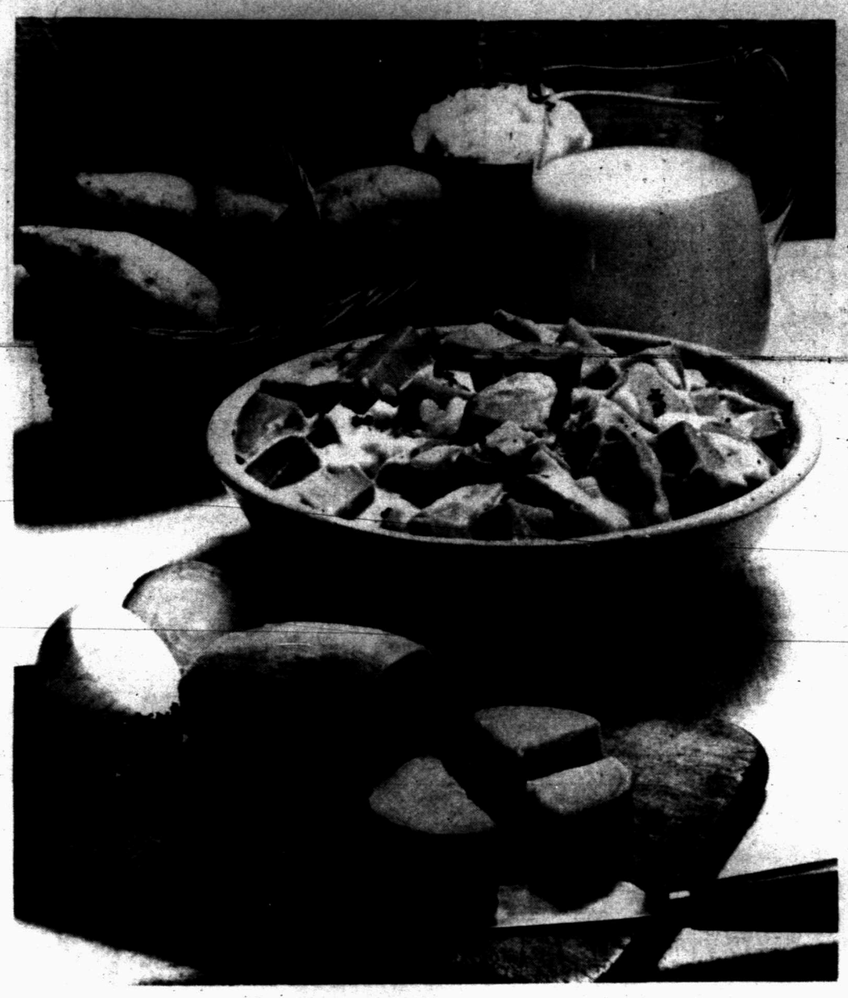

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Home Built In 1909 To Be Tour Feature

The historical marker in the front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfe at 3200 Thirty-second St. reads in part, "Stately colonial home with ionic pillared porches and balconies on the front and east sides. Built for F.J. Grayum, early day druggist, in 1909."

The Wolfes have done extensive remodeling to the home but have kept so many of the original features.

The glass in the front door is the original beveled glass. All of the original brass hardware still remain on the doors and windows.

The stair case and circular railing require only a clear coat of varnish when the remodeling was done.

The mantel above the fireplace is centered with a beveled mirror. The columns on each side of the mirror are the same ionic designs as the front pillars.

A lighting fixture was found in the attic when they were remodeling. They had it electrified and is now used in the living room.

One of Mrs. Wolfe's favorite rooms is her kitchen. The cabinets have such an unusual finish and are arranged for convenience of use.

The color scheme used in the kitchen and breakfast area, along with two windows give a warm sunshine effect to this home.

The home is filled with antiques of different kinds. Mrs. Wolfe said they were chosen, not for the sake of antiques, but because they liked the different pieces of furniture.

There are two family heirlooms that show a place of prominence in the Wolfe home. The first, you will see, is a chair in the entrance hall. This has been in the family for 140 years. The other is a set of Haviland china which is displayed in the dining room in a beautiful antique case.

The second floor is one you will not want to miss.

The remodeling has consisted of taking out walls and making a larger master bedroom, bath and dressing area.

A light pink shag carpet sets the color scheme for the huge master bedroom.

The headboard of the bed is made from a French door that was originally used in the home. Pink velvet was placed behind the panes of glass to complete this unusual headboard.

The other four bedrooms upstairs are very charastic of this design of home, large and comfortable.

With all of the extensive interior remodeling, and the addition of a garage, this "stately colonial home" has only been improved.

Because of the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, this home, built in 1909, is a part of the heritage of Snyder that has been preserved.

Tickets for the 1974 Woman's Club tour of homes may be purchased for $1.00. The homes will be open from 5:30 to 9 p.m. Friday.

WOLFE HOME—Included in the Woman's Club tour of homes this year is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolfe. Their home, which was built in 1909, will be a highlight of the tour. Shown above is the corner fireplace and mantel that is as beautiful today as it was when it was built in 1909.

Women Learning

BRIARCLIFF MANOR, N.Y. (AP) — Briarcliff College, a private women's college here, has established a program it calls the Institute of Public Affairs. The institute offers Briarcliff students specialized courses in government and the social sciences, integrated with the natural sciences and the humanities, in order to train them for public service and leadership.

Emphasizing the need for this two-year course of study, Briarcliff Academic Dean Selby Jeffe says, "We estimate that women will be in the forefront of determining public policy at all levels of government within the next eight to 10 years. We want our young women to be prepared."

Young children are too immature and lack the experience to know what is safe in their home and neighborhood. They need guidance and some limits for their own protection, Ilene Carrington, family life education specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, advised.

New Ways To Serve N. Carolina Yams

Have you ever checked the nutrition pedigree of a yam? It's really impressive. One medium, 5 x 2 inch, peeled yam, provides more than twice the recommended daily allowance of vitamin A for an adult, almost ¾ of the vitamin C, a tenth of the iron, a tenth of the thiamine, and provides other vitamins and minerals.

This substantial package of nutrition is available at your market now in the new crop of red-gold yams from North Carolina. These potatoes cook beautifully by the simplest methods such as boiling or baking. They have luscious, moist texture and the characteristic sweetness and robust flavor of the yam. There's just nothing like a fresh yam for a sturdy flavor treat to round out a meal.

The United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association suggests that you try North Carolina's yams in new ways. A good trick is to serve these potatoes in some of the styles usually reserved for white potatoes. How about Creamed Fresh Yams? These potatoes when cubed and boiled, then served in a savory cream sauce, make a delightfully different potato course.

Another interesting way to vary yams is to prepare them in Roesti style, following the Swiss recipe, but using the red-gold potatoes for a change. The crispy brown, crusty Roesti style is a pleasant surprise when applied to yams, an unusual flavor treat that is not difficult to prepare. The trick is to shred the raw yams on a coarse grater and boil them for just 5 minutes. Then comes the cooking in butter in a skillet till the brown crust forms. Delicious!

Get your share of North Carolina's yams to prepare in these ways and by your own favorite recipes, too.

CREAMED NORTH CAROLINA YAMS

3 large yams, pared and cubed (4 cups)
¼ cup butter or margarine
2 tablespoons chopped fresh onion
2 tablespoons flour
1 chicken bouillon cube
1 teaspoon salt
1½ cups milk
1 tablespoon chopped fresh parsley

Cook yams, covered, in 1 inch boiling water for 15 to 20 minutes or until tender. In large saucepan melt butter, add onion and cook until tender. Blend in flour; add bouillon cube and salt. Gradually stir in milk, and cook, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens and comes to a boil. Add drained cooked yams and parsley. Serve immediately.

Makes: 6 to 8 servings.

YAM ROESTI

2 cups shredded pared raw yams (3 large yams)
½ cup chopped fresh onion
1 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon chopped fresh parsley
½ cup butter or margarine

Pare yams and shred on a coarse grater. Add to boiling water in saucepan and simmer for 5 minutes. Drain well. Mix yams with onion, salt and parsley. Melt butter in a large skillet. Add yams and press flat with spatula to cover bottom of pan. Cook over low heat until a crisp brown crust has formed on the bottom. Turn yams with a flat spatula and brown on other side. Serve hot.

Makes: 6 servings.

1975 To Be Woman's Year

COLLEGE STATION—1975 will be International Women's Year, as proclaimed by the General Assembly of the United Nations, Dr. Jennie Kitching reported this week.

"The International Women's Year offers a unique opportunity for organizations and individuals in the United States to focus attention on the advancements of women's status and the recognition of women's responsibilities and achievements," the family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, pointed out.

"The goals established for the year are to promote equality between men and women in the total development of friendly relations and cooperation among nations and to world peace."

Non-governmental organzations of women in several countries promoted the idea that the United Nations should designate a year for women. Years have been set aside previously for human rights, population, and international cooperation, she said.

Observance of 1975 as International Women's Year will involve stock-taking to determine progress made on the rights and responsibilities of women, and on steps which still need to be taken.

"The Year can be a staging time for new programs and ideas which would be set in motion and continue past 1975.

"The Year should involve men as well as women. Men have a stake in International Women's Year, because the Year, through aiding women, will help the family, local community and the nation as a whole," Dr. Kitching said.

She pointed out that attention can be focused on women's important role in such matters of national interest as health, education, agriculture, nutrition, transportation, consumer issues, the energy crisis, housing and children. It will not be limited to women's rights and responsibilities narrowly defined.

"In cooperation with the United Nations, former President Nixon proclaimed 1975 as International Women's Year for the United States. Also, the American Home Economics Association passed a resolution endorsing International Women's Year," she said.

A United States passport is valid for five years and may be used for travel to all countries except Cuba, North Korea and North Vietnam.

SCHOOL MENU

SECONDARY SCHOOL
December 2nd - 6th

Wednesday
Hamburger Steak
w-Cream Gravy
Fresh Apple Slice
Baked Potato Half
w-Butter & Paprika
Collard Greens
Banana-Nut Celery Salad
Peanut Butter Cookie
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

Thursday
Diced Tom Turkey w-Giblet Gravy
Over Fluffy Steamed Rice
Fresh Garden Peas w-Butter
Carrot & Raisin Salad
Citrus Fruit Jello
Hard Rolls & Butter
Milk

FRIDAY
Submarine Sandwich on French Roll
(Balogna, Salami, Ham Cheese)
Potato Chips
Lettuce & Tomato Salad
Pinto Beans
Apple Pie
Milk

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
December 2nd - 6th

WEDNESDAY
FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Music is the Universal Language of Mankind
Snoopy Dog in Homemade Boat w-Condiments
Catsup, Mustard, Chopped Onion
Western Style Chili
French Fries
Collard Greens
Chocolate Cake w-Chocolate Icing
Milk

THURSDAY
FOOD FOR THOUGHT: A Wise Head Makes a Close Mouth
Chicken Spaghetti
Chopped Parsley
Buttered Peas
Jellied Cranberry Salad
Apple Half
Hot Rolls
Milk

FRIDAY
FOOD FOR THOUGHT: The Mouse That Hath but one Hole is Quickly Taken
Tiger Growl Sandwich (alias (Cheese & ham)
w-Lettuce & Tomato
Beef Vegetable Soup
Chilled Fruit
Milk

The Low Carbohydrate, High Protein, and High Fat Diet has been shown to raise cholesterol levels in the blood. This fad diet is dangerous to patients with coronary artery disease.

Woman's Calendar

TUESDAY

TOPS No. 56 meets at 7 p.m. at the Stanfield School.

Twentieth Century Club meets at 2:30 p.m. at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Hostess is Mrs. Charles Tyer.

Beta Sigma Phi meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Art Guild meets in the home of Mrs. Silas Devenport, 2405 Twenty-seventh St. Hostesses are Mmes. Silas Devenport, Myron Roe and Bill Teaff.

WEDNESDAY

Sparkle City Squares will have a workshop at the National Guard Armory at 8:30 p.m. Sleepy Browning is caller.

THURSDAY

Snyder Garden Club meets at 12 noon at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. The hospitality Committee is hostess.

ABWA meets at the Martha Ann Woman's Club.

FRIDAY

Martha Ann Woman's Club Bazaar begins at 4 p.m. The Sandwich Supper begins at 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. The tour of homes will be held from 5:30 p.m. to 9 9 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the Woman's Club.

SATURDAY

The Atheneum Study Club will hold a Christmas Social. Hostesses are Mrs. J.M. Kayser, Mrs. Don Dillard, Mrs. Ted Zeck and Mrs. Mel Gilbert.

Naumburg Contests To Be Held

NEW YORK (AP) — The Walter W. Naumburg Foundation, in celebration of its 50th anniversary, will hold competitions in strings, voice and piano in the fall of 1975. The competitions are open to musicians between 17 and 30. Each firzt prize will be $1,500 and two subsidized recitals in Alice Tully Hall in Lincoln Center.

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Hairdresser Gives Women Wig Tips

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

It's time to take a fresh look at wigs in anticipation of the holiday season, says hairdresser Andre Douglas, 23, of New York. Andre "thinks" wigs because he has grown up in a wig era and has a number of young "30-ish" clients.

"The wig is really an important accessory to busy women who do not have time to get to a hairdresser or even to fit an appointment into their schedules. But many have been turned off wigs for one reason or another.

"This disenchantment may have occurred because they have chosen a wig hurriedly or for price or because it looked good on someone else."

The selection of a wig should take some time. You must find a wig that complements your face, figure and lifestyle, and then buy it. And it should be tried and fitted properly by your hairdresser who will cut and adjust it to your face. It should be thought of as a hairdo, not a hat.

"And don't purchase it because it looks good on the mannequin. It is something a hairdresser should try to avoid or she will lose a customer. It is a hairdresser's responsibility to make sure the wig looks good on the customer," he insists.

Andre passes on some of his "secrets" about wigs. For example, a wig should be placed right on your hairline, but women often cover their hair completely with a wig. The cap should be pinned to your own hair and should be combed after it is pinned, not before. You can't style a wig properly when it is moving about, he explains.

Many synthetic wigs are frosted, providing highlights that are particularly exciting and natural looking with holiday clothes, he points out.

Streaking is another technique that takes a wig out of the ordinary. And some women prefer the "frankly wig" look obtained by wearing different colored wigs.

A woman can look completely different in wigs of different styles, creating an exciting aura about her at holiday time, he says. Many of his clients have a wardrobe of wigs that serve as glamorous time-savers during a busy social season. He likes a windblown hairdo for slinky styles, a pageboy with bangs for sports clothes and the frosted wigs worn for casual elegance.

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Bargain Prices Make Shares An Ideal Gift

By JOHN CUNNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Would you like to buy your kids a Christmas gift at a discount? A gift that should last well beyond the six-hour destruct time of so many toys? A gift that is educational and even profitable?

"Don't interrupt, there's more," said a salesman, an earnest but gaunt figure. "Listen," he said, and he related how this simple, inexpensive gift might:

"Protect against inflation, help pay educational costs or provide a start for a future business, teach the owner about our economic system, probably inspire him to great wealth and ..." There was a pause: "Help a poor broker."

While almost every traditional gift is higher in price this year, stocks are depressed, so much so that few people seem to be considering them as gifts. Even the New York Stock Exchange has dropped its holiday promotion.

The Securities Industry Association, which speaks for brokers, feels that this year might be a better time than ever to give shares as gifts, mainly because of the bargain prices.

Nobody can guarantee those prices will rise again, but if the past is a criterion there's a very strong likelihood they will be. And youngsters have a long time that can be used waiting.

Giving gifts of stock to minors once was a complicated undertaking.

Now there are laws in every state that permit gifts to minors of securities—and in some states gifts of insurance and annuity contracts—with a parent retaining custodial responsibilities.

The procedure, while simple—almost any brokerage house can handle the transaction—is a serious matter. The giver never can take back the gift, although the custodian may sell the securities if the proceeds are used for the youngster's benefit.

While prices of many blue chips are low, a prospective buyer must also consider that a commission must be paid. On orders of less than $2,000 that commission is negotiable, which means it might pay to shop around.

Merrill Lynch, the largest brokerage house, offers this illustration of charges on some small orders:

One share at $15 a share: about a $5 minimum.

10 shares at $15 a share: $8.14

100 shares at $15 a share: $34.65

Orders should be placed well ahead of Christmas in order for the transaction to be completed. Ordinarily it takes five business days for the certificates to be readied and sent to the buyer.

Two Giants This Season

MIAMI (AP) — The 1974 Atlantic hurricane season, which ends today, spawned fewer big tropical storms than usual. But two giants, Fifi and Carmen, gorged themselves.

The season, which began June 1, had four hurricanes and seven name storms, compared to the average six and nine, respectively.

Fifi, by ordinary standards, was a gentle hurricane. But its 110-mile-an-hour winds and relatively low surge tides caught rural Honduras unprepareid, killing 3,000 to 5,000 people.

Carmen was the strongest hurricane in five years. It ripped through the Yucatan, killing three people, destroying Chetumal, Mexico, and leaving hundreds isolated and homeless.

The carmen wore itself out, but gained renewed strength in the Gulf and plowed into Louisiana, where it destroyed more than $90 million worth of sugar cane crops. Two deaths were blamed on the storm.

Other hurricanes brushed the northeast coast of the United States, but little damage was reported.

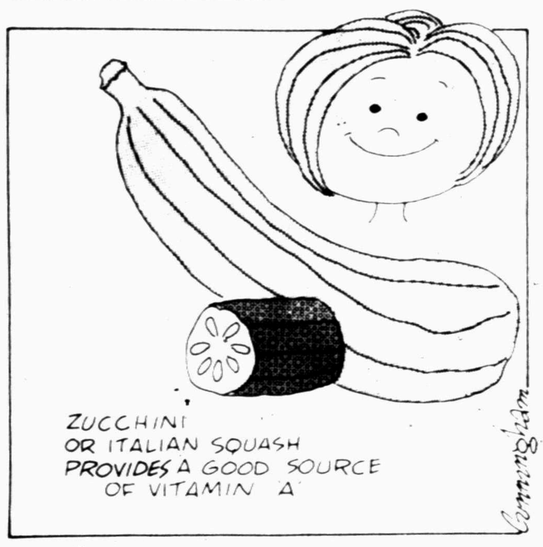
The first 13 names chosen by hurricane center officials for 1975 are Amy, Blanche, Caroline, Doris, Elouise, Fay, Gladys, Hallie, Ingrid, Julia, Kitty, Lilly, and Mabel.

General Dynamics Gets Contract

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Air Force has awarded General Dynamics Corp. a $7.4-million increase in a contract for F111 fighter planes, even though President Ford is seeking to cancel congressional authorization for 12 more planes.

An Air Force spokesman said Friday that the additional money is intended to keep the F111 production line open in case it is decided later to buy the planes. Ford earlier this week asked Congress to cancel the authorization as part of a series of budget cutbacks.

Junior Editors' Quiz on ZUCCHINI



QUESTION: *What is zucchini?*

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ANSWER: Zucchini is the Italian name for a species of squash which are sometimes called marrows. It is narrow with green or green striped skin. It is usually picked and marketed before it is fully mature. At this time the seeds and skin are tender and it may be cooked without peeling or waste. It may be steamed, fried or baked in many variations. Many people prepare zucchini mixed with tomatoes and onions.

Squash belongs to the Cucurbitaceae or gourd family, a large group of plants which includes cucumbers, pumpkins, many kinds of squash, and the inedible hard-skinned fruit used as containers or ornaments. Several types of squash were known to the Indians of America, centuries before the arrival of the white men.

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

Polish Record In Top Ten

By LINDA DEUTSCH
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — And then there's the one about the Polish record that has made it into the top ten. A Polish joke? Far from it.

"My Melody of Love," a bouncy song with lyrics half in Polish, half in English, has taken off in a startling climb to the top of the national record charts. It is rocketing '60s singer Bobby Vinton to a remarkable comeback as "the Polish superstar."

And the only joke is on the eight record companies who turned down the song when it was first offered.

"The reaction has been unbelievable," says Vinton. "This is really bringing out Polish pride."

At his East Coast concerts, he has been mobbed by Polish fans.

Vinton, in his early 30s, has quickly become the central figure in a "Polish Power" movement aimed at squelching the negative jokes and remarks about Poles.

A noncontroversial pop singer who gained fame with such ballads as "Roses are Red," "Blue Velvet," and "Every Day of My Life," Vinton has always proclaimed his Polish heritage.

"I always used to do a Polish number in my act, but it was a polka and I did it kind of funny. My mother would always say: 'Why don't you do a Polish song seriously instead of throwing it away?'"

When his mother came to visit from Pittsburgh, Pa., earlier this year, they discussed the subject again.

"She said: 'Why don't you do a nice Polish song?' I said: 'I don't know any Polish songs.' So I decided I would write one."

His mother helped with the Polish lyrics, although Vinton knows the language himself. Born Stashu Bobby Vinton in Cannonsburg, Pa., Vinton spent his early years in Polish parochial school.

Vinton, who had not made a record in a year, teamed up with his former record producer, Bob Morgan,, and cut a demonstration record. Then they began peddling the unusual tune. Eight record companies rejected it.

Finally, he took it half-heartedly to ABC records.

"Jay Lasker (president of ABC Records) heard it and said: 'That's a hit if I ever heard one,'" Vinton says.

The record was released Aug. 8. It already has sold a million copies.

Miss Vicki On NJ Welfare Rolls

CAMDEN, N.J. (AP) — Singer Tiny Tim's estranged wife, "Miss Vicki," has been on the New Jersey welfare rolls since August, the Philadelphia Sunday Bulletin says.

The newspaper quoted a Camden County welfare office employe as saying "Miss Vicki," whose maiden name is Victoria Budinger, has received $235 a month since Aug. 28. She reportedly is now in England with the couple's 3-year-old daughter, Tulip.

She and Tiny Tim were married in 1969 on Johnny Carson's "Tonight" show before a television audience of 45 million and were separated last January. Tiny Tim's road manager, Jim Cappy, said he doubted Miss Vicki was on welfare. "Tiny is sending her money," Cappy said. "He sends her enough money for the baby every month."

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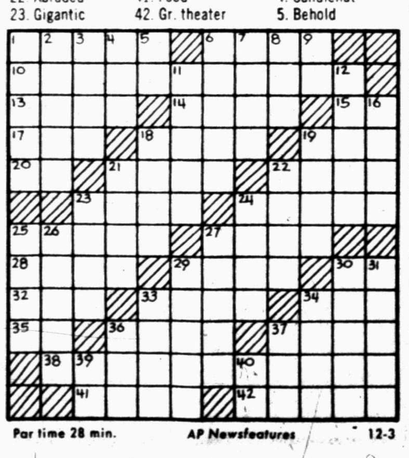

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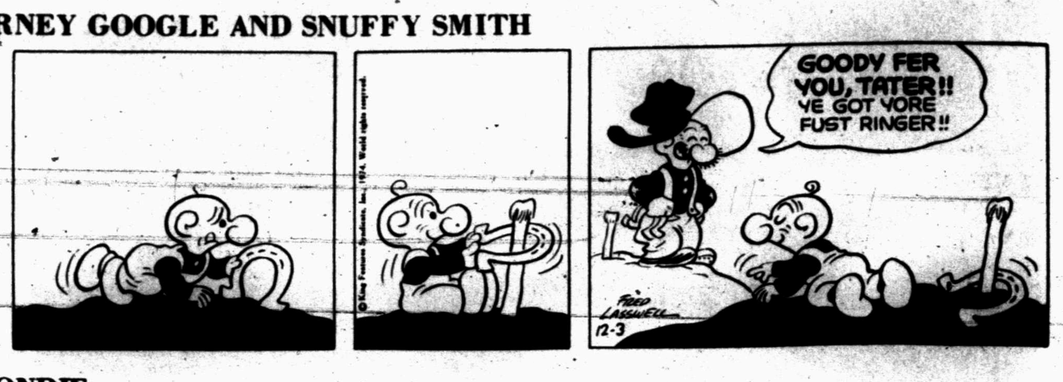

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Westerners Rip NMJC

ROSWELL, N.M.—The Western Texas College Westerners rallied in the second half here last night to score an impressive 106-87 victory over a good New Mexico Junior College team in the first Western Junior College Athletic Conference contest of the season. It was the Westerners' eighth straight victory without a loss.

The Westerners opened with a man to man defense but found themselves behind, 28-37 after the first 10 minutes. So, Coach Mike Mitchell changed into a 1-3-1 half-court trap and the Westerners began catching up. They trailed, 47-48, at halftime, but dominated the second half. Rebounds in the first half were about equal, but the Westerners held a big edge in the second half.

Bob Miller, 6-5 soph guard from Seaford, New York, set a school scoring record for the Westerners, pouring in 39 points to eclipse the 38-point record held jointly by Fred Allen and Harold Ward. Six Westerners hit in double figures as the team hit 49 of 81 for 54 per cent from the field and 8 of 11 at the line.

Joining Miller in double figures were Norman Barnes with 16 points, Eugene Harris with 12, Ken Fowler with 11, and James Smith and Brian Minor with 10 points each. New Mexico had four men in twin figures, led by Mike Russell, who pitched in 25 points. Eric Gandy roped 16, Robert Jenkins meshed 14, and Jesse Cleaver posted 10.

The Westerners grabbed a total of 44 rebounds, led by Harris with 16.

"It was a big victory for us because they're one of the contenders for the crown," said WTC Coach Mike Mitchell.

"Road victories are always hardest to come by," he continued. "We played an outstanding game. I don't see how Miller could have done a better job. Everyone that played, played well. New Mexico is an excellent team."

The Westerners have another big game here Thursday night when they host another conference contender in Amarillo Junior College.

WTC (106)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Covington	2	0	1	4
Jones	1	0	0	2
Fowler	4	3	1	11
Harris	6	0	3	12
Barnes	8	0	4	16
Millaer	18	3	3	39
Klopton	1	0	0	2
Smith	4	2	3	10
Minor	5	0	4	10
TOTALS	49	8	19	106
NMJC (87)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Wood	2	0	4	4
Jenkins	5	4	4	14
Lewis	0	2	1	2
White	0	2	1	2
Russell	12	2	3	25
Gandy	7	2	0	16
Arrent	4	0	3	8
Poppa	2	1	0	5
Cleaver	5	0	2	10
TOTALS	37	13	18	87

WTC 47 49 106
NMJC 48 39 87

Travis Wins Two

Travis 9th grade won two tilts over Coahoma here last night with the 9th grade A team winning, 91-39, and the 9th grade B team winning, 57-27.

The A team took a 23-8 lead in the initial period and easily breezed to victory. Tony Cobb roped 24 points, Richard Willis pitched in 20, Lucious Jeffery netted 16, and James Wells meshed 15. Greenfield was high point man for the Coahoma A with 18 points.

The Travis B team took a 14-8 lead in the first quarter and outscored its opponent in each succeeding period. Dennis Pitts pushed in 24 points, and Johnny Velasquez notched 20 to spark Travis. Myers led Coahoma B with 10 points.

COAHOMA A (39)—Spears 0-3-3; Shaw 2-1-5; Greenfield 5-8-18; Douglas 4-1-9; Marvin 2-0-4; totals 13-13-39.

TRAVIS A (91)—Cobb 12-0-24; Jeffery 8-0-16; Wells 7-1-15; Willis 9-2-20; Thompson 1-1-3; Ollison 4-0-8; Clayton 1-3-5; totals 42-7-91.

Coahoma A 8 6 14 11—39
Travis A 23 24 16 28—91

COAHOMA B (27)—Bennett 0-2-2; Hinson 1-0-2; Caldwell 1-0-2; Brown 3-0-6; Myers 3-4-10; Fryrear 1-1-3; Marvin 1-0-2; totals 10-7-27.

TRAVIS A (57)—Pitts 12-0-24; Rios 1-0-2; Velasquez 10-0-20; Terry 2-0-4; Chapman 3-1-7; totals 28-1-57.

Coahoma B 8 5 6 8—27
Travis B 14 17 16 10—57

Hunter Enters Famed Hall

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — Catfish Hunter of the Oakland A's, the Cy Young Award winner as the best pitcher in the American League last season, was among five inductees into the North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame Monday.

He is from Hertford, N.C.

Among the others inducted was Buck Leonard, who played in the old Negro League and is a member of the baseball Hall of Fame.

GOLFER ELDER HONORED—Lee Elder, the first black golfer to qualify for the Master's Golf Tournament, poses with his wife, Rose, and President Ford at a reception in Elder's honor Sunday night at a Washington Hotel. (AP Wirephoto)

Heisman Trophy To Griffin

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Archie Griffin, a speedy and powerful tailback who weaved his way to a national rushing record as the leader of Ohio State's crunching ground attack, was named winner of the 1974 Heisman Trophy today.

The fourth of seven sons of James and Margaret Griffin of Columbus, Ohio, the 5-foot-9 Griffin became only the fifth underclassman in 40 years to win the award as college football's outstanding player.

Griffin, a junior who has gained an NCAA record of 100 or more yards in 22 consecutive games and who led the nation in total rushing yardage this year, was presented as the Heisman winner at the Downtown Athletic Club.

His selection had become almost a foregone conclusion as the 185-pound runner continued his record assault throughout the 1974 season. The award now gives Griffin a chance to do what no other player has ever done—win the Heisman twice.

In becoming the 38th offensive back to win the award, Griffin completed a sensational string of performances that dates back to the opening game of the 1973 season, when he was a sophomore. Last year he placed fifth in the Heisman voting.

"I've never had a player like Arch," said Ohio State Coach Woody Hayes. "He's remarkable not only because he is the best runner we have ever had, but also because of the way he blocks and his over-all ability as an athlete. If ever anyone was deserving of the Heisman Trophy it is Archie Griffin."

In the 1974 season, Griffin, who already is the all-time Ohio State and Big Ten leading rusher, was the key to the Buckeye attack, carrying 236 times for 1,620 yards, an average of 147.3 yards a game as Ohio State posted a 10-1 record. He scored 12 touchdowns. Griffin will appear in his third consecutive Rose Bowl game on New Year's Day against Southern California.

Griffin's leading competition for the Heisman Trophy was another outstanding tailback, senior Anthony Davis of Southern California, who rushed for 1,354 yards and scored four times against Notre Dame last Saturday after most Heisman votes were cast.

Football fans will get their third chance to compare the strengths of the two swift runners in the Rose Bowl.

Others placing high in the voting were quarterbacks Tom Clements of Notre Dame and Dave Humm of Nebraska and Oklahoma halfback Joe Washington. But for Washington to have won would have required overcoming his school's NCAA probation, which denied him the television exposure that all the other candidates received.

Oklahoma captured baseball and tennis titles in the Big Eight in 1974.

Oklahoma Top Ranked

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
AP Sports Writer

The Oklahoma Sooners have finished the regular 1974 college football season atop The Associated Press rankings.

In their final game Saturday, Oklahoma defeated Oklahoma State 44-13 and earned 49 first-place votes and 1,198 of a possible 1,220 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

It marked the fourth week in a row for Oklahoma in the No. 1 position. The Sooners, on probation and ineligible for post-season competition, completed their campaign with an 11-0 record.

Alabama was runner-up for the fourth consecutive week. The Crimson Tide, also 11-0, shaded Auburn 17-13 last Friday and received 12 first-place votes and 1,112 points. Alabama plays Notre Dame in the Orange Bowl the night of Jan. 1.

Ohio State and Michigan, which finished a week earlier, held onto the 3-4 positions with 982 and 828 points respectively.

But Southern California climbed from sixth to fifth thanks to that incredible 55-24 rout of Notre Dame, which dropped the Irish from fifth to ninth and killed any lingering dreams of a second straight national championship.

The new national champion will be crowned by The AP following the bowl games. The final poll will be released at 6:30 p.m., EST, on Thursday, Jan. 2, 1974, to morning papers of Friday, Jan. 3.

Despite its loss to Alabama, Auburn rose from seventh to sixth. Penn State moved up from 10th to seventh by trouncing Pitt 31-10 and Nebraska, which finished a week earlier, jumped from ninth to eighth. The Cornhuskers replaced Texas A&M, which lost to Texas 32-3 and skidded from eighth to 16th.

Rounding out the Top Ten is Maryland, the highest position of the season for the Terrapins, who also finished the regular season a week ago.

The Second Ten consists of Texas, Baylor, North Carolina State, Michigan State, Miami of Ohio, Texas A&M, Brigham Young, Florida and Arizona, with Pitt and Wisconsin tied for 20th.

Last week, it was Maryland, Miami, N.C. State, Michigan State, Houston, Baylor, Texas, Pitt, Wisconsin and BYU.

By The Associated Press

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points tabulated on basis of 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-etc.:

1.	Oklahoma (49)	11-0-0	1,198
2.	Alabama (12)	11-0-0	1,112
3.	Ohio State	10-1-0	982
4.	Michigan	10-1-0	828
5.	So. California	9-1-1	781
6.	Auburn	9-2-0	544
7.	Penn State	9-2-0	502
8.	Nebraska	8-3-0	500
9.	Notre Dame	9-2-0	369
10.	Maryland	8-3-0	258
11.	Texas	8-3-0	254
12.	Baylor	8-3-0	239
13.	No. Car. St.	9-2-0	228
14.	Michigan St.	7-3-1	197
15.	Miami, O.	9-0-1	154
16.	Texas A&M	8-3-0	79
17.	Brig. Young	7-3-1	31
18.	Florida	8-3-0	28
19.	Arizona	9-2-0	20
20.	Pitt	7-4-0	18
	(tie) Wisconsin	7-4-0	18

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Boston College, Clemson, Harvard, Houston, Mississippi State, North Carolina, Oklahoma State, Temple, Tennessee, Tulsa, UCLA, Utah State.

SCORES

By The Associated Press

EAST

Navy 60, Dickinson, Pa. 41
Northeastern 82, Merrimack 78
Colgate 82, Ithaca 65
Vermont 92, Dartmouth 72
Harvard 83, Springfield 70
Providence Col. 79, Cal-Fullerton 69

SOUTH

Morehead St. 98, Australia 88
Wm. & Mary 69, Haverford 55
S. Carolina 88, Bucknell 74
Virginia 77, Wash. & Lee 69
Vanderbilt 73, St. Johns, N.Y. 53
Auburn 77, S. Florida 52
Tulane 97, Memphis SW 59
NE Louisiana 93, Hardin-Simmons 80
Mississippi St. 91, Samford 80
Va. Tech 86, Florida 85
NW Louisiana 76, McNeese 70
La. College 76, SE Louisiana 66
W. Kentucky 90, Madison 72
Jackson St. 113, Dillard 74

MIDWEST

Michigan St. 82, C. Michigan 78
Indiana St. 77, La. Tech 72
Michigan S. 82, C. Michigan 78
Ohio St. 96, Butler 69
Alabama 74 Okla. St. 67
Kentucky 80, Miami, O. 73
Wichita St. 88, S. Dakota 64
Kansas 85, Augustana, S.D., 50
Oklahoma 89, NE Missouri 71
Oral Roberts 85 Wis.-Milwaukee 70
Okla. City 95 Tex. Christian 91
Loyola 94, Loras 77
S. Illinois 70, St. Mary's, Tex. 67
Missouri 92, Rice 67

SOUTHWEST

Murray State 79, Texas 69
Arkansas St. 74, Ga. Southern 72
Texas Tech 98, Adams St. 72
Tex. Wesleyan 77, Tarleton 72
Louisville 91, Houston 87
McMurry 73, Angelo St. 69

FAR WEST

Air Force 61, Doane 56
Boise St. 96, Utah St. 87
Denver 78, Western St. 69
Utah 92, Rutgers 89
Idaho St. 92, L. A. Loyola 70
Athletes in Action 71, Whitman 60
Washington St. 76, San Diego St. 67
St.Mary's, Cal. 81, San Fran. St. 76
Gonzaga 91, Portland St. 87, OT
California 73, Seattle 71

Miami Thrashes Cincinnati 24-3

MIAMI (AP) — Paul Brown watched Miami's defending National Football League champions thrash his Cincinnati Bengals 24-3 Monday night and sighed, "They're back in the Super Bowl swing."

The Dolphins, who have been in the past three Super Bowls and won the last two, agreed.

"This was our best performance of the year," said Miami Coach Don Shula, whose 9-3 team can assure itself of its fifth straight playoff berth by beating Baltimore Sunday.

Quarterback Bob Griese, who completed 11 of 13 passes for 118 yards and threw four-yard scoring passes to Mercury Morris and Jim Mandich, said the Dolphins have the ability to excell in crucial games.

"It's nice to know when the chips are down and it's a big game, we're going to get it," said Griese.

The Dolphins' defense held the Bengals to just 66 yards rushing, 61 of the yards coming in the second half. Ken Anderson, the American Football Conference's leading passer, was held to 119 yards on 14 pass completions — 100 yards below his average.

Cincinnati's biggest scoring threat was killed in the third quarter when Anderson was tackled by linebacker Bob Heinz for no gain on fourth down at Miami's four-yard-line.

The Bengals only score came on a 29-yard field goal by Horst Muhlmann after Miami's Mercury Morris fumbled at the Dolphins' 22. It was the only flaw made by the Dolphins, who in turn recovered three of five Cincinnati fumbles.

The Dolphins got a 43-yard field goal from Garo Yepremian and ended the scoring with a two-yard run by Benny Malone in the fourth quarter.

A key factor in Miami's 30th straight win at home was the running of fullback Larry Csonka, who came back from a nagging ankle injury to total 123 yards in 24 carries.

"There wasn't much argument about that one," said Brown of the game. "We had trouble getting receivers downfield. You're allowed one check (on a receiver) and they were doing it effectively and legally."

Brown's own playoff hopes all but died with the defeat. The Bengals, 7-5, would have to win their final two games while Pittsburgh, 8-3-1, would have to lose both for Cincinnati to win in the AFC Central Division.

Safety Dick Anderson summed up the Dolphins' outlook, saying, "We have to keep playing games like this to win and get into the playoffs and Super Bowl. They are all must games from here on out."

Tigers Host Brownwood

The Snyder Tigers host the Brownwood Lions at 7:30 tonight in the Scurry County Coliseum in a non-district basketball contest.

"They're still playing football, and I don't know what kind of team they have," declared Tiger Coach Bob Moore.

The two schools tangled once before in bi-district play in Brownwood in 1972, and the Tigers won that game, but the Lions gave it everyting they had and Coach Moore isn't expecting an easy game.

Moore said any one of several boys could start for the Tigers tonight. If he goes with the lineup that started in the last game, Snyder will have Larry Johns, 6-3½ senior, and Randy Gressett, 6-3 junior, at post; Sid Perry, 6-0 senior, and Chester Cobb, 6-2 junior at wing; and, either Robert Alderete, 5-9 senior, or Kelly Ragland, 5-10 junior, at guard.

Welton Cobb, 6-0 senior, and Roy Lee Carter, 6-2 senior, both are getting back in the swing of things after competition in football and could break into the starting lineup any time. Both lads play either post or wing.

Johnny Joe Eicke, 6-1 junior, is ready for action at post, and two football boys--Danny Brumley and Greg Gafford--are ready for action at wing and guard, respectively. Both are 5-11 seniors.

There will not be a junior varisty or sophomore game tonight since Brownwood is only bringing its varsity squad.

Snyder is still unbeaten for the season, having knocked off three Class AAA teams and Levelland, favorite to win District 1-AAA.

Defense has been the strong point of the Tigers in past years, and this year's team also is tough on defense. This year's squad, however, seems more adept at scoring than last year's team. But, then, 10 lettermen return off of that team.

The Tigers will be at the Plainview Tournament Thursday through Saturday.

Final Tiger Grid Statistics Given

The Snyder Tigers finished their 11 game football slate this season with 2,890 yards rushing.

Tailback Welton Cobb was the leading rusher with a net gain of 917 yards on 132 carries. Fullback Rickey Howell gained 701 yards on 155 thrusts. Tailback Tim Flynn had 427 yards on 72 carries, and quarterback Win Bunch netted 386 yards on 61 carries. Fullback Larry Gee had 120 yards on 16 carries, and halfback David Mayes had 186 yards on 41 thrusts. Danny Brumley gained 41 paces on 5 carries, Steve Green collected 34 paces on 7 efforts, and Robert Ramirez had 8 yards on 4 carries.

Bunch was the leading passer with 495 yards on 22 completion out of 66 attempts for three touchdowns. Green completed 2 of 6 for 36 yards, and Welton Cobb completed 3 of 4 for 24 yards and 1 touchdown.

Roy Lee Carter was the leading receiver with 6 receptions for 129 yards. David Mayes caught 4 passes for 125 yards and one touchdown. Kenny Thompson had 4 receptions for 70 yards and one touchdown. Welton Cobb caught 3 passes for 64 yards. Bernie Weems had 1 reception for 40 yards, and Kerry Fritz had 2 receptions for 34 yards and 1 touchdown. Rickey Howell caught 2 passes for 16 yards, and Green had 1 catch for minus 5 yards.

Gee had the most kickoff returns, 6, for 123 yards. Tim Flynn returned 5 for 103 yards. Welton Cobb returned 2 for 35 yards, and Danny Brumley returned 2 for 22 yards. Kenny Thompson had 1 return for 11 yards, and Robert Ramirez had 1 return for 10 yards. Welton Cobb led in punt returns with 10 for 61 yards. Dennis Young returned 6 punts for 35 yards. Thompson had 3 returns for 20 yards, and Mayes had 2 returns for 16 yards.

Dane Witherspoon kicked 16 of 19 extra point attempts and hit 3 of 6 field goal attempts. Ricky Beard hit 7 of 10 extra points.

Rickey Howell was the scoring leader with 66 points. Welton Cobb was runner up with 48, Win Bunch 30, Dane Witherspoon 25, Tim Flynn 24, Ricky Beard 7, and David Mayes, Danny Brumley, and Kerry Fritz, 6 points each.

Welton Cobb and Roy Lee Carter tied for the most tackles with 179 each. George Willis had 113 tackles, Tim Sonnier 11, and Dennis Young 104. Jackie Simpson and Bernie Weems each had 78 tackles, Greg Gary had 72, Mike Freeman 59, and David Mayes 51. Nineteen boys had less than 50 tackles each.

Tim Sonnier and Mike Freeman led in fumble recoveries with 2 each while Bernie Weems, Danny Brumley, David Mayes, Richard Huddleston, Greg Gary and George Willis each had 1 recovery.

Dennis Young led in interceptions with 7 for 151 yards. Bernie Weems stole 3 aerials for 28 yards, Roy Lee Carter had 2 interceptions for 14 yards, Kenny Thompson intercepted 1 for 15, and Danny Brumley intercepted 1 for 0.

Gridders Honored

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — The New England Football Writers Association selected John Provost of Holy Cross and John Chandler of Williams College for the Golden Helment outstanding player award Monday night.

Harvard's Joe Restic was selected Coach of the Year while Harvard end Pat McInally won the Harry Agganis Award as New England Senior Player of the Year.

Peter Gorniewicz of Colby won the Senior Achievement Award and Northeastern Associate Director of Athletics Joe Zabilski won the George C. Carens award for outstanding contributions to collegiate football.

Dusters Host ACC Tonight

Sporting a 4-1 record, the Western Texas College Dusters entertain Abilene Christian College's varsity at 7:30 tonight in the WTC gym.

"I don't know much about them, but they beat McMurry handily (so did WTC)," said Coach Sid Simpson of the Dusters. "It should be a good ball game."

The Dusters' only loss this season was to third ranked Temple Junior College.

Simpson said the same girls probably will start tonight. That would include Bobbie Jones, 5-11 freshman from Clint, and Theresa Beal, 5-10 freshman from Coahoma, at post; Melisa Taylor, 5-7 freshman from Gail, and Marilyn Payten, 5-11 freshman from Lubbock, at forward; and, Rhonda Teel, 5-7 freshman from Big Lake, at guard.

Simpson has several other girls he can call on, including Sandra Jimenez, 5-9 freshman forward from Victoria; Debbie Sharp, 5-9 sophomore post from Wylie; Judy Simmons, 5-6 sophomore guard from Ackerly; Darilynn Stewart, 5-7 freshman forward from Tarzan; Deanna Michulka, 5-7 freshman guard from Crosbyton; Dale Mitchel, 5-8 freshman guard from Coahoma; and Cindy Klepper, 5-7 sophomore post from Roscoe.

June Sterling, 5-4 sophomore guard from Coahoma, still is out with a knee injury and probably will not be back for several weeks.

Attend Moto Cross Races

The Snyder Dirtdobbers Moto-Cross Club attended the Moto-Cross races at Big Spring Sunday afternoon.

Roy Bennett placed fifth in the 125 cc class, winning a trophy for his efforts. Other members attending were David and Donald Bennett; Mike and Jeff Laurens; and Lane Allen.

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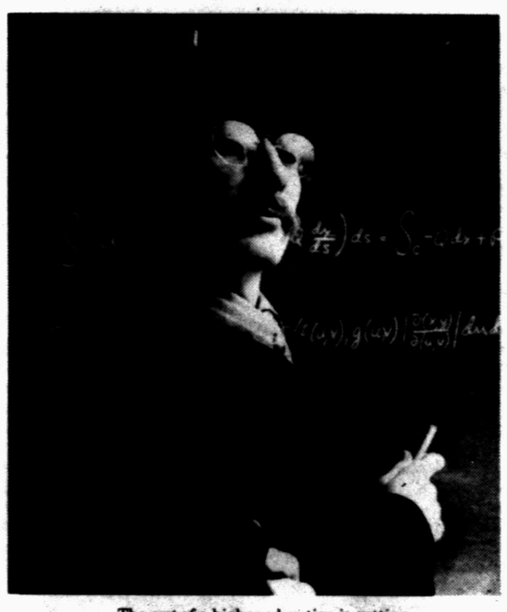

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BACKSTAGE WITH THE 'BOMBSHELL'—Arkansas Rep. Wilbur D. Mills stands with Fanne Foxe, the stripper called "The Washington Tidal Basin Bombshell" after her late-night plunge into the water while traveling with Mills. Mills joined her backstage Sunday before beginning her final day's performances in Boston. (AP Wirephoto)

Mills Rebuked By Judy Petty

By TERENCE HUNT
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, amid conflicting statements about his health and a movie career for stripper Fanne Foxe, has been rebuked by his former election opponent for his renewed friendship with "The Tidal Basin Bombshell."

The criticism was issued Monday by Republican Judy Petty of Little Rock, Ark., as Mills returned here from a weekend appearance on stage in Boston with Miss Foxe, who now strips under the name "The Tidal Basin Bombshell." Miss Foxe, whose real name is Annabel Battistella, also has performed under the name "The Argentine Firecracker."

Mrs. Petty said Mills' actions with the 38-year-old stripper have brought ridicule "to the people who placed their trust in him.

"Mr. Mills' re-election was not a mandate to continue his affair with the Argentine Firecracker," said Mrs. Petty, who declined during the campaign to make an issue out of an October incident when park police stopped Mills' car in Washington and Miss Foxe emerged from the auto and jumped into the Tidal Basin.

Meanwhile, a Little Rock newspaper which supported Mills' re-election, the Arkansas Gazette, said in an editorial today that if Mills "cannot forego his public indiscretions and if he prefers the life of show business to the life on Capitol Hill," he should resign his congressional seat to devote fulltime efforts to his "new line of work."

The editorial also said that voters "didn't re-elect Wilbur Mills to make appearances in burlesque theaters nor, for that matter, to engage his energies in scenario writing and Hollywood talent scouting."

Following his appearance on Saturday with Miss Foxe in Boston, Mills told a reporter the next day that he had written a movie script that would make the stripper a star. He also said he had done a take-off on former President Richard M. Nixon that he had submitted to a film producer.

However, he said here Monday that he had only been joking. "I only said I was thinking about writing a script," Mills said. "I don't know anything about script-writing."

Even so, he said he had some ideas he could pass along to others for a successful movie idea.

Mills said he traveled to Boston and appeared on stage "to dispel all these innuendoes." He said he would not have made the appearance if he was trying to hide a clandestine relationship with the woman.

Mills also moved to scotch rumors that he and his wife might be considering ending their 40-year marriage. "Certainly not," he said. When his wife was asked in a telephone interview if she and her husband might separate, she replied: "That's a very personal question. I have no comment." Then she hung up the phone.

The congressman said here he is tired and looking forward to a rest after the current House session ends, but added that there was nothing to reports he had suffered a heart attack. However, in Boston he told a newsman he was under heavy sedation for a heart condition, adding that it was his second attack.

Senator Denies Gravitt Gifts

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — A newly-elected state senator says he received no contributions from the late T. O. Gravitt but that two other Bell Telephone Co. executives donated a total of $150 to his campaign.

Sen. Kent Hance, a Lubbock Democrat, disclosed the contributions Monday after his name surfaced in a news story from San Antonio concerning Bell political campaign policies.

Hance said his records indicate he received $100 from Sam Holcomb and $50 from M. L. Kopf last October. Holcomb and Kopf, both of Dallas, are vice presidents in Bell's Texas operation.

Hance said he knows neither of the two Bell executives.

Ward K. Wilkinson, vice president an supervisor of Bell's public affairs department, said Monday that executives were "encouraged" to contribute to the campaigns of political candidates but he refused comment when asked if they were coerced to do so.

Southwestern Bell has denied such coercion and other allegations made after Gravitt, formerly head of Bell's Texas operation, killed hiself Oct. 17 at his Dallas home.

Gravitt's family and another former Bell executive, James Ashley of San Antonio, have since filed a $29.2 million slander and libel suit against the company.

Bell officials have denied, among other things, that some 140 of its top executives were under orders to contribute earlier this year to Texas politicians favored by the company.

Hance's name was mentioned in personal records of Gravitt indicating that Gravitt wrote checks to five Texas politicians last April.

Hance told The Associated Press he had checked his records and found nothing indicating he received money from Gravitt or Wilkinson.

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Is relatives' concern for the widow—or her will?

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I am a 74-old-old childless widow. My husband left me a nice home and well off financially. Some close relatives are now pressing me to sell my house, buy a trailer, and move to another state so they can look after me.

Abby, I don't need "looking after." If that day ever comes, I plan to use my money to live out my days in a nice nursing home. I can certainly afford it.

These relatives ignore everything I say to them in this regard and keep pressuring me to sell my home and make plans to live near them. I am sure if I were penniless, they wouldn't be so eager to look after me.

My will does not include any of my family. Everything is going to charity.

In case you think I'm getting senile, let me assure you that I am not. How do I get these relatives to leave me alone?

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DEAR PESTERED: Assure them emphatically that if you ever feel the need of their help, you will let them know. Then mention the fact that you are leaving everything to charity.

DEAR ABBY: Exactly a year ago today we lost our only child—a beautiful 16-year-old boy. He and I were returning home from a fishing trip in a blinding rainstorm. I skidded, lost control of the car and we landed in a ditch. My son's neck was broken and he died before I could get him to a hospital. I walked away with a small cut on my nose.

My wife hasn't been the same since. I know she blames me for the boy's death, but I give you my word, I wasn't going fast, I wasn't careless, and it was one of those freak accidents that couldn't be helped. I've tried to explain this to her a thousand times, but she doesn't seem to hear me. We're practically strangers, Abby, and I can't snap her out of her depression. I once suggested that she get psychiatric help and she said she wasn't "crazy."

Can you help me? We once had a good marriage.

NOT GUILTY

DEAR NOT: Your suggestion of psychiatric help is the only solution. If you can't persuade her, perhaps someone whose judgment she trusts can. Your family doctor? A clergyman? A dear friend? Others who have suffered similar heartbreaking tragedies have found their way back to normalcy and peace of mind with professional help. I urge you to find a way to lead her to it.

DEAR ABBY: I feel sorry for the bride who was afraid the best man would spoil her wedding because he was in a wheelchair.

When I was married seven years ago, my father, who could walk only with the help of crutches, "walked" me down the aisle. (He offered to let my uncle walk me so he wouldn't "slow up" the wedding procession, but I wouldn't hear of it.)

I wore a slim long wedding gown so it wouldn't get in his way, and when we walked down the aisle together there wasn't a dry eye in the church.

Today Daddy uses a wheelchair, and if I were being married now I would push his wheelchair down the aisle just to have him there.

I love your column, Abby. It has often helped me. Maybe I can help someone now.

DIANE IN PUEBLO, COLORADO

DEAR DIANE: You have. You've given my readers a wonderful warm feeling. And me, too. Thanks for writing.

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Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding," send $1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

Rites Pending For Briscoe's Mother

UVALDE, Tex. (AP) — The mother of Gov. Dolph Briscoe is dead at 86. Mrs. Dolph Briscoe Sr. died Monday afternoon at Uvalde Memorial Hospital, where she had been in critical condition since Oct. 18.

The governor had been at her bedside most of that time, cancelling the final days of his reelection campaign.

Funeral arrangements were pending, but burial will be in the Briscoe family cemetery in Fort Bend County.

Georgia Briscoe had lived in Uvalde since 1914, when she and her husband of one year, Dolph Briscoe Sr., moved from Fort Bend County to open a car agency and an oil dealership. At his death in 1954, Briscoe was a leader in ranching and financing.

Mrs. Briscoe was a member of the Uvalde Garden Club, El Progresso Club, and Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a member of the Episcopal church.

She was the daughter of William Montgomery Briscoe of Fort Bend County. She was born Oct. 1, 1888.

Survivors include the governor; a sister, Mrs. Frank Willeford Jr. of Bellaire; two brothers, Mason and Andrew Briscoe of Fort Bend County; and three grandchildren, Dolph Briscoe III, a student at the University of Texas at Austin; Cele Briscoe, a student at Southern Methodist University and Mrs. Edward Vaughn.

China Produces Tons Of Sugar

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — The Republic of China's ambassador to the United States says Taiwan's sugar exports help offset expensive oil imports for the island country.

James C.H. Shen said, "We export as much sugar as we can. We fill an annual quota to the United States of somewhere between 50 and 60 metric tons."

He added, "We produce 800,000 tons of sugar every year and consume one fourth of it."

Shen said a deposit of natural gas on Taiwan also has made his government optimistic about easing high energy costs.

Shen, a journalist educated at the University of Missouri, was in San Antonio for Monday night's National Chinese Opera Theater.

In written English, the most frequently used words are, in order: the, of, and, to, a, in, that, is, I, it, for, as. The most used in conversation is I.

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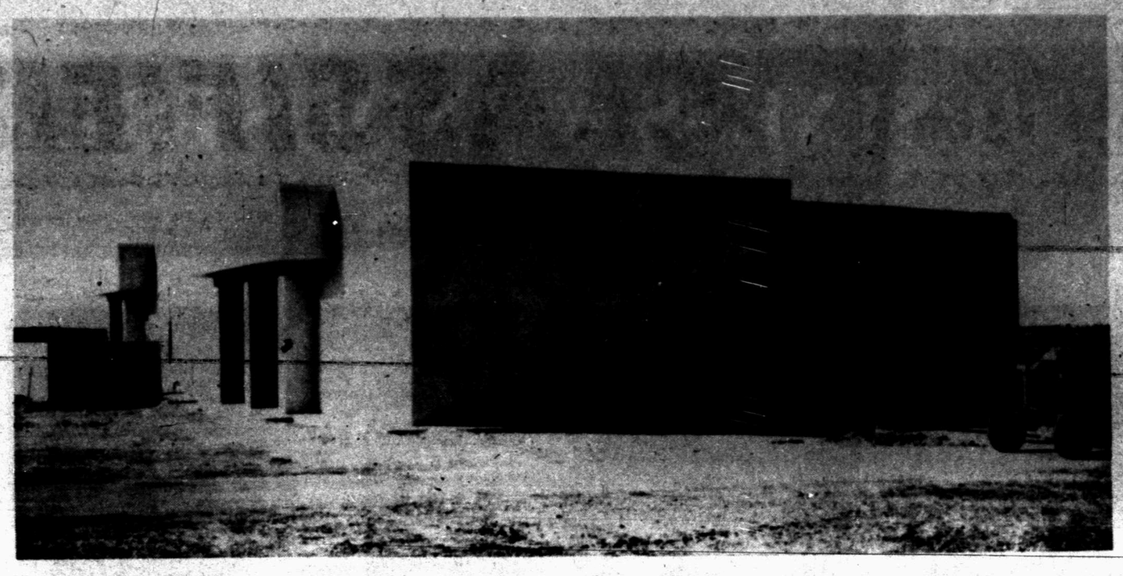

BAPTIST STUDENT CENTER NEAR COMPLETION—This building being constructed on the Western Texas College Campus by churches of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association is nearing completion. The Baptist Student Center will provide a place for Bible study programs and Christian recreation. Cost of the building willl be $134,000 and $109,000 already has been raised. A drive is in progress to raise the remaining $25,000 by Dec. 31. Mrs. F.G. Sears is chairman of the finance committee. Baptist leaders said a religious survey at WTC had shown over 600 WTC students indicating a Baptist preference.

Lawyer Indicted

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dallas lawyer Edward L. Markham Jr. has been indicted by a federal grand jury on charges that he made false statements to the U.S. Patent Office.

The Justice Department said Markham was accused of making false statements in 1970 and 1972 in connection with an application on an inexpensive form of housing construction.

The three-count indictment returned Monday in U.S. District Court in nearby Alexandria, Va., also accused Markham of concealing important facts about the applications.

The indictment said the application attempted to convince the patent office the construction techniques were discovered by Edris Roberts of Santa Ana, Calif., and Billy J. Shipley of Bryan, Tex., when the actual inventor was Orlando F. Klein of Dallas.

The charges against Markham carry a maximum penalty of five years in prison and a $10,000 fine on each count.

High Murder Rate Not Expected To Drop Soon

WASHINGTON (AP) — The record-setting U.S. murder rate is not likely to decline until the 1980s when post-World War II babies have matured, a new government report said today.

The National Center for Health Statistics, an arm of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, based that prediction on homicide statistical trends dating back to the 19th century and on the statistical fact that persons between 15 and 29 years old are more likely to be assailants or victims than any other age group.

Statistical expert A. Joan Klebba said an estimated 20,518 persons were murdered last year in the United States, a rate of 9.8 deaths per 100,000 population. The previous record was 9.7 murders per 100,000 in 1933 during the depths of the Great Depression.

The Klebba study disclosed that 40 per cent of the 1972 murder victims and 60 per cent of those arrested for homicide were aged 15 to 29 years, representing in part the "population bulge" of persons born between World War II and the Korean War.

"If the age group 15-29 continues to account for such a high percentage of the victims and those arrested, a downturn in the homicide rate cannot be expected until the 1980s, when the largest birth cohorts of the 1940s and 1950s will have reached 30 years of age or more," it said.

A cohort is a group of individuals having a statistical factor in common in a demographic study, such as year of birth.

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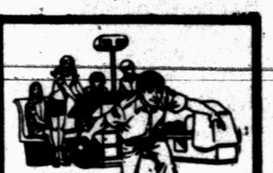
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Scout District Banquet Is Set

DAVID MURRAH

David Murrah, assistant archivist of the Southwest Collection at Texas Tech Universtiy in Lubbock, will be the featured speaker tonight at the annual Lone Buffalo District Banquet of the Boy Scouts of America for Scurry and Mitchell Counties. Murrah is a part-time instructor of history at Texas Tech and upon the completion of his dissertation, will receive his Ph.D. degree from Texas Tech.

He graduated from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene in 1964 and has done graduate work at West Texas State University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, in addition to the work at Texas Tech. Before moving to Lubbock in 1971, Murrah taught for five years in Springtown and Morton High Schools.

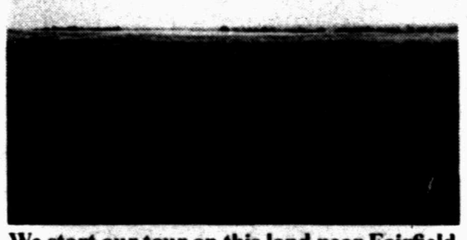
He is a native of Gruver and has authored articles for the Yearbook of the West Texas Historical Association, the "Cattleman," and area newspapers. He is married to the former Ann Lynskey of Morton and they have three children.

Murrah will speak on the theme of the banquet, "Scouting: Stairway to Success" from a historical point of view.

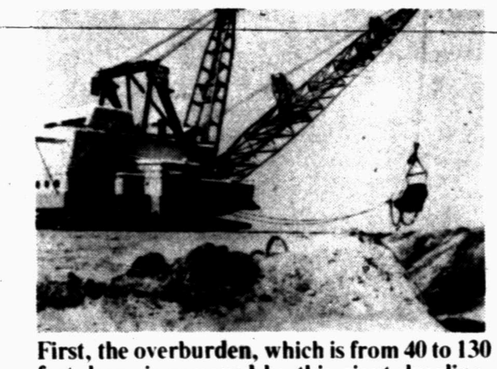
The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Wesley Hall. Glen Polk will be the master of ceremonies. The banquet is for the leaders of all Cub, Scout, and Explorer units, and for the parents of the boys in these scouting units to show their appreciation to the leaders for taking their time to work with their boys in the Scouting Program. Also, any other person interested in the Scouting program is invited to attend. Tickets may be secured through the unit leaders or may be purchased at the door for $2.25 per person.

Recognition awards will be given at the banquet and it is important all unit leaders, whether den leaders, Cub-masters, Scoutmasters, or whatever, attend the banquet.

Take a two-minute tour of our important lignite coal operation.

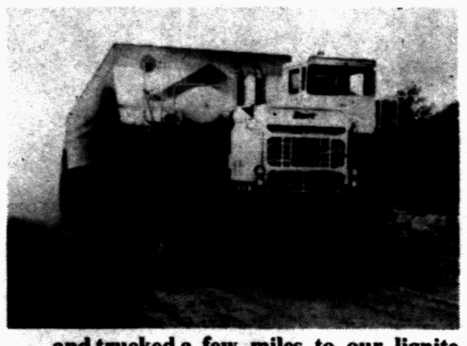


We start our tour on this land near Fairfield, Texas. Beneath it lie large deposits of lignite, a soft, low sulphur content coal.



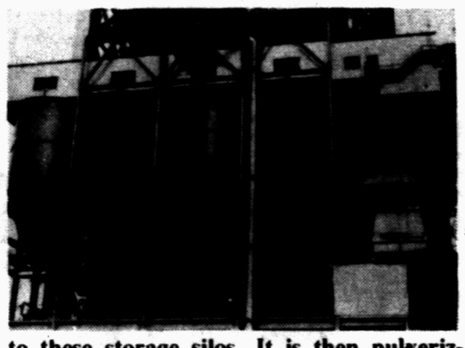
First, the overburden, which is from 40 to 130 feet deep, is removed by this giant dragline.

This exposes thick seams of lignite coal over 100 feet wide and a mile or more in length. The lignite is removed, loaded . . .



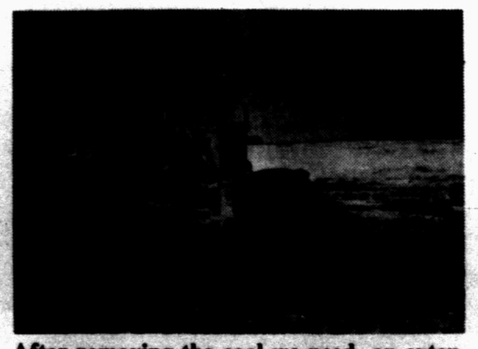
. . . and trucked a few miles to our lignite-fueled Big Brown electric generating plant.

At the plant the lignite is placed on a conveyor belt which takes it through a series of crushers. . .

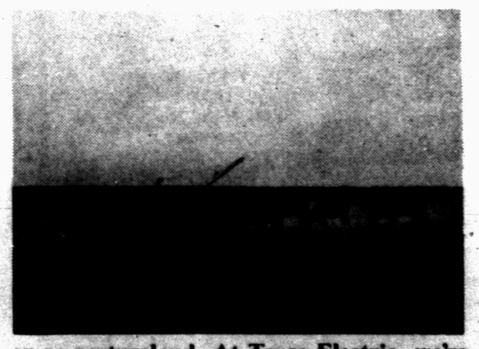


to these storage silos. It is then pulverized to a fine powder which will burn much like natural gas . . .

to make the steam that runs the turbine-generators. We need this lignite to help reduce our dependence on natural gas and oil, because both are increasingly expensive and hard to obtain.



After removing the coal we need, an extensive reclamation program begins. Within months this same land is used for raising crops . . .



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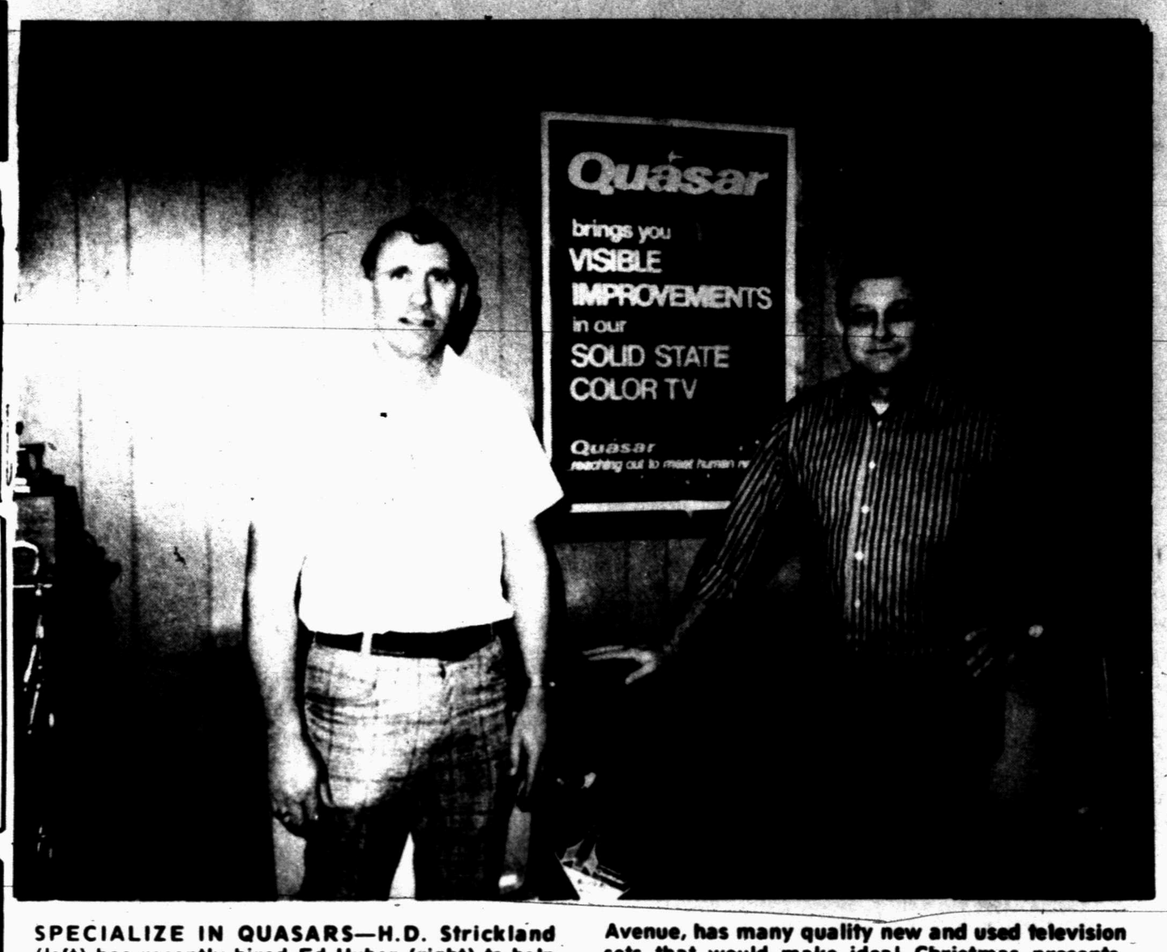

SPECIALIZE IN QUASARS—H.D. Strickland (left) has recently hired Ed Huber (right) to help him with television repairs. Ed has over 20 years experience in the electronics industry. Strickland, owner of Strickland's TV Service, 2413 College Avenue, has many quality new and used television sets that would make ideal Christmas presents, including the world-famous Quasar sets with one-button tuning.

Strickland Provides Complete Service For All Makes Of TV

Strickland's TV Service, 2413 College Avenue, provides a complete service center with all the latest equipment to work on your television set. Strickland makes service calls to all parts of town, and he works on all brands of television sets.

Strickland is happy to announce the addition of Ed Huber to his firm. Ed has 20 years of experience in the electronics field.

Strickland has just received a new (first of its kind) remote unit that can be easily installed in your home to make any black and white or color set into a remote set. He will install this to your set for only $99.95. It would make a perfect Christmas gift. Strickland invites you to come by his shop to see this unit operate.

Strickland's TV Service sells Quasar television sets. H.D. Strickland, owner, said, "I have serviced all brands of televisions on the market and I believe the Quasar is by far the most reliable and easiest to service." Replacement panel boards are less costly to replace in event of service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Strickland invite you to come by their shop to see cation attempted to convince the are interested in a used set, they have a good supply of black and white or color sets.

Now is the time to lay away that small black and white set for your children for Christmas or buy a color set for the family.

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SANTA'S HELPERS—Santa Claus has chosen Hinshaw's House of Flowers, 2804 College Avenue, as his Snyder workshop. At least that's what appears to be the case in this picture of a window decoration at Hinshaw's. Elves and employes at Hinshaw's are busy making up gift goodies.

Christmas Decorations, Gift Ideas Plentiful At Hinshaw's

Hinshaw's House of Flowers, 2804 College Avenue, owned and operated by Hershel and Pat Hinshaw, has many wonderful gifts for Christmas.

Included among their wide selection of gifts are clocks, terrariums, music boxes, brass, copper and pewter figurines, Spanish and early American objects, candles, candles rings and candle holders and bookends.

Of course, Hinshaw's has fresh flowers for all occasions, including the holiday season. Especially popular at this time of year are poinsettia plants, azaleas, mums, kalanchoes, and cyclamens as well as ivy and green plants.

Hinshaw's also has many home and office decorations and 16 varieties of Mr. Christmas Insta-shape Christmas trees that are on sale now. You can get $5 off of any tree from 6 to 7½ feet in height.

"We also are the Snyder dealer for Russell Stover candies," Hinshaw pointed out.

Hinshaw's has a good selection of Christmas decorations—a wonderland of boughs, garlands, wreaths, wall pieces, mantle pieces and coffee table and TV arrangements.

Although the House of Flowers already has held its annual Open House (Nov. 17), guests are still welcome to visit Hinshaw's and browse around any time throughout the holiday season.

Hinshaw's is a member of three floral delivery systems—FTD, Florafax and AFS—and can have flowers sent to the person of your choice virtually anywhere in the world.

"Like any other business, we expect shortages too," Hershel pointed out, "And, for this reason, I would encourage you to get your orders in early."

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Shirley Black Arrives In Ghana

ACCRA, Ghana (AP) — Shirley Temple Black, U.S. ambassador-designate, has arrived here to assume her appointment. She arrived Monday, accompanied by her husband and daughter Doris.

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Homesick Man Frees Hostages

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A would-be robber who wanted to go home for Christmas released five hostages unharmed and surrendered after police agreed to fly his mother here from Dallas, Tex.

John L. Gilliam, 26, was booked Monday for investigation of robbery, kidnap and burglary. Raymond J. Tompkins, 25, an alleged accomplice, was arrested earlier after unsuccessfully posing as a released hostage. He was booked on the same charges.

Marie Maxwell, Gilliam's sister, said in a telephone interview from Texas that Gilliam's parole officer from a previous robbery conviction had refused to let him go to Dallas for Christmas.

"It would have been the first time in 20 years the whole family — seven brothers and two sisters — would have been together for Christmas," she said.

She said Gilliam, a Vietnam veteran, hadn't seen his mother, Louise Gilliam, in three years.

"Those weren't the best laid plans of mice and men right from the beginning," Police Inspector Tim Casey said of the bungled holdup and standoff at Petrini Plaza Market near the Golden Gate Park Panhandle. "The whole thing blew up in their face."

Casey said the pair's first goof was to tell store guard Chico Garcia to "act natural" after he was forced to open the door by two men wearing ski masks. Garcia went instead to the front office and told the secretary to call police.

The pair, armed with two .38-caliber pistols, took seven early morning supermarket workers hostage and held them in a boiler room to wait for an employe with the combination to the safe.

Meanwhile, 25 heavily armed police surrounded the store. When the gunmen found out, they fired a single shot over the head of a hostage and retreated with their victims to an upstairs office. Police said the robbers threatened to kill themselves and their hostages.

Police said that about an hour after they surrounded the market, three persons emerged, all of whom identified themselves as hostages. But officers said they discovered that one was actually one of the bandits.

The episode ended some 6½ hours after it began when Gilliam released the remaining five hostages and gave up.

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