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Peace-Vigil Staged At LBJ Ranch

By JACK KEEVER

JOHNSON CITY, Tex. (AP) — Almost 100 Texans — men, women and children — interrupted their Christmas weekend Sunday for a three-hour peace vigil near the LBJ ranch, urging President Johnson to use the power of his office to bring peace in Viet Nam.

They called on Johnson's administration to set the time and place for a peace conference.

The demonstrators, many of whom had come more than 200 miles to take part in the vigil, stood silently on the grass alongside Ranch Road 1, which passes in front of the President's ranch about 3 miles away.

They left their posts late Sunday afternoon to return home after a letter was given to Secret Service agent Clarence Knetsch, for delivery to the President who is at the ranch for the holidays.

Knetsch promised two spokesmen for the demonstrators a reply either before they left or by letter later in the week. One of the spokesmen, Houston chemical engineer Allen Clark, said as the orderly vigil broke up that they had had no word from the President.

The letter, drafted by the Houston Citizens for Action on Viet Nam, commended Johnson for the Christmas cease fire but urged further steps to halt the war — an end to bombing of North Viet Nam, a formal cease-fire and a statement from this country supporting free elections in Viet Nam.

Demonstrators were not allowed behind a wooden barricade, which crossed Ranch Road. Behind and in front of the barricade stood Secret Service agents and state troopers.

About half the demonstrators had driven 245 miles from Houston in a yellow school bus. Others came from Austin, 65 miles east, and Forth Worth, about 250 miles north.

A Fort Worth woman, Mrs. Morton Rosner, handed Knetsch a box of 2,500 Christmas cards bearing the same printed message calling on the President to halt the Viet Nam conflict. She said the cards were from a group called "Women's Strike for Peace."

About one-third of the demonstrators were women, some of whom had brought their children.

Poor People Robbed

JOLIET, Ill. (AP) — Burglars broke into Salvation Army headquarters over the weekend and stole 22 bags of food intended for the poor. Capt. Russ Zarguis of the Salvation Army said the bags of food were worth $15 each.



FLOODED DESERT IN ARIZONA—Normally sun-baked, Desert Willow guest ranch near normally dry Rillito river looks like this after a lot more rain than normal. Picture made near Tucson, Ariz. (AP Wirephoto)

Viet Casualties Light As Air Attacks Absent

By THOMAS A. REEDY

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — For the third straight day, the United States kept its planes out of North Viet Nam's skies today, but U.S. Marines killed 63 Viet Cong in ground skirmishes after a short, interrupted Christmas truce.

The Marines reported strikes against the Communists during patrols around the big U.S. air base at Da Nang, 380 miles northeast of Saigon. The Americans reported taking light casualties.

A squad of Leathernecks pounced on about 40 Viet Cong, killing 15 at a hamlet called Quang Ha No. 1.

Two hours later a Marine platoon near Quang Ha No. 2, about two miles southward, was attacked by 75 Viet Cong armed with automatic weapons.

The Americans called in artillery support, tanks and armed helicopters. When the brief encounter was over they counted the bodies of 41 Communists.

Marines, in other scattered actions against the Reds, reported killing seven Viet Cong during the day.

Air attacks were made only on suspected Viet Cong concentrations in South Viet Nam, U.S. spokesmen said. Ground action also was reported in low key for the past 24 hours.

Beyond confirming the suspension of the aerial war which steadily had been closing in on the Hanoi-Haiphong industrial belt, U.S. officials in Saigon said only that the orders came from Washington.

This raised speculation that the pause was a new invitation to North Vietnamese President Ho Chi Minh's regime to come to the peace table. U.S. officials declined to guess how long the lull would last.

In the south, U.S. casualty lists grew.

A U.S. Army truck carrying soldiers of the U.S. 1st Infantry Division hit a mine 30 miles north of Saigon. Casualties were reported heavy.

The Viet Cong detonated a mine at a government troop barracks at Sa Dec, 70 miles southwest of Saigon, just as two Vietnamese platoons were starting the work day.

"It killed or hurt a lot of soldiers," a U.S. Army officer said.

An adjacent compound for American advisers escaped the force of the explosion. A second mine was found and disarmed.

Twenty miles southwest of the barracks, a Communist mine blew up a Jeep, killing two American soldiers and an American civilian.

The Air Force raised its toll of losses to Communist missile fire over North Viet Nam to 10 planes. A spokesman said an F4-C Phantom jet downed during an assault on the Bac Cau bridge 85 miles north of Hanoi Dec. 19 had been hit by a Soviet-built surface-to-air missile. The pilot was rescued.

Some military commanders were reported concerned by the pause in air attacks since they felt it gave the Communists a chance to step up the movement of men and supplies toward the Ho Chi Minh Trail leading to the south.

No word came from President Johnson at his Texas ranch, but he reportedly still retained a glimmer of hope the fighting would not return to its pre-Christmas ferocity. The air pause was seen as evidence Johnson was waiting for some peace sign from Hanoi.

U.S. officials said the State Department had instructed the military command to extend the truce as long as possible. But even as the instructions arrived the Viet Cong had already broken the cease-fire with a rash of incidents, U.S. spokesmen said.

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LBJ Nurses Hope For Viet Let-Up

By FRANK CORMIER

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — President Johnson reportedly still retained a glimmer of hope today that the fighting in Viet Nam will not return to pre-Christmas ferocity.

The fact that the United States had not resumed bombings of North Viet Nam, even two days after the end of the cease-fire, was seen as evidence that Johnson still was seeking a peaceful settlement.

When the United States and South Viet Nam were considering last week a 30-hour Christmas cease-fire, so long as their troops were not fired upon, Johnson kept aloof from the eventual announcement and, publicly, the decision-making, "That's a matter to be decided in Saigon," said the Texas White House.

Johnson made no public comment on the cease-fire, even though he normally is quick to identify himself with good news.

In many quarters, his silence was interpreted as indicating reluctant to associate himself with a move that might go awry. And some observers were convinced after the cease-fire failed to hold, that this was his reasoning.

However, one source close to the President cast Johnson's aloofness in a different light by saying: "He is silent because he is listening."

In short, according to this source, Johnson said nothing because he was most interested in Hanoi's reaction. Reportedly, he did not want to cloud the atmosphere.

It was not happenstance either, it was said, that the State Department announced officially that American troops had been ordered not to fire except in self-defense, even after the end of the 30-hour cease-fire, and that the subsequent fighting was described as "unfortunate."

The President and the First Lady attended Sunday service at the First Baptist church in Johnson City. He shook hands with everyone in sight — even one of his Secret Service body-guards — and he signed autographs readily.

Urge Caution On Highways

State Highway Patrolmen Harold Kornegay and Wendell Rehm, taking note of an increase in highway fatalities in the county during 1965, today urged motorists to drive cautiously and observe all traffic laws during the remainder of the holiday season.

"The New Year holiday is coming up," said the officers, "and there will be increased traffic on highways and roads in the county. Watch out for the other driver; he may not be as careful as you."

The Patrolmen pointed out that driver error was a factor in all of the fatal motor vehicle accidents investigated by them during the past year. In 1965, there have been six fatal accidents in Scurry County. The officers also investigated a fatal mishap in Borden County and another one in Mitchell County during the year. City Police investigated one motor vehicle accident resulting in a fatality during the same period. In 1964, there was only one fatal motor vehicle accident in the county.

ON ROADS

Deaths Hit New High

By The Associated Press

The nation's three-day Christmas traffic death toll broke all records for holiday fatalities on the highways.

The death toll reached 707 today as late reports were verified. The previous record traffic toll was 706 for a four-day Christmas weekend in 1956.

Before the holiday, the National Safety Council had estimated deaths would run between 560 and 660.

The toll included records in a number of individual states. In Ohio, the state safety director Warren C. Nelson, said the 49 deaths made the highest toll for any weekend in 1965 and perhaps the highest since records have been kept. Louisiana's superintendent of public safety Thomas Burbanks, said that state's 32 was the worst toll since state police began keeping records 25 years ago.

Rain, sleet, snow and freezing temperatures over much of the nation added to the expected hazards of long-distance travel, minimum daylight and roads jammed with cars.

The Safety Council said 80 million vehicles were on the road during the 78-hour period, which started at 6 p.m. Thursday and ended at midnight Sunday night.

Several accidents accounted for dozens of deaths.

Shortly after the start of the holiday period, a bus traveling on icy pavement in Oregon skidded out of control, crashed and turned over. The accident Thursday took 13 lives.

The next day, five persons died when a car skidded out of control on an ice-coated bridge in eastern Oklahoma. Five persons died Sunday on a snowy road near Buffalo, Minn. Seven persons were killed in a collision west of Sublette, Kan., Sunday.

The total dead far exceeded the 578 killed over the 1964 Christmas weekend and the 428 fatalities during a recent non-holiday weekend. That weekend, from 6 p.m. Thursday Dec. 9 to midnight Sunday Dec. 12, was surveyed by the Associated Press to establish a comparison.

Disaster Declared In Flood Area

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Residents in flood-ravaged Arizona continued to mop up today while keeping hopeful eyes on the state Capitol for possible word of federal help.

Gov. Sam Goddard made an aerial inspection of the flood area and declared most of it a disaster area. He meets with other officials today to have the state underwrite its share of any federal aid.

C. A. Pugh, assistant regional director of the Bureau of Reclamation, made his own inspection of flood-damaged areas of central, eastern and southern Arizona.

Pugh said federal funds can be made available immediately if the affected regions are declared a disaster area by President Johnson. Tucson suffered an estimated $1.25 million in damage to its trunk sewer line as the raging Rillito River ripped away two miles of the line.

In eastern Arizona, citizens of Safford and Clifton were moving back into homes filled with mud when the Gila River overflowed its banks last week.

Storm Rages In Northwest

By The Associated Press

An intense storm hurled high winds, rain and snow at the Northwest today.

Gale warnings went up on the northern stretches of the Pacific Coast, and heavy snow warnings went out to the northern Rockies.

Rain fell in coastal areas.

Four inches of snow in Burns, Ore., thickened the snow cover there to eight inches.

An inch of snow whitened eastern Washington.

Harsh cold spread from Montana across the Central Plains. Temperatures dropped to 22 below zero in Broadus and Lewistown, Mont., and to 17 in Willistan, N.D., and Beresdh, Minn. The mercury shrank to -3 in North Platte, Neb., and -2 in Rapid City, S.D.

Humphrey Begins Far East Tour

By HARRY KELLY

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hubert H. Humphrey wings toward the Far East today on his first major overseas trip as vice president.

The week-long Asian journey to the Philippines, Japan, South Korea and Nationalist China may be largely ceremonial. But the war in Viet Nam, Humphrey says, will be a prime topic in his private talks with leaders of the four friendly governments.

The foreign travel may also help strengthen Humphrey's image at home, as it did for Richard M. Nixon and Lyndon B. Johnson.

Although Johnson traveled to 28 countries when he was vice president, Humphrey's most talked-about trip was the one he didn't make — when Johnson sent Chief Justice Earl Warren instead of the vice president to represent the United States at Sir Winston Churchill's funeral.

Generally, Humphrey has been kept on a short tether, laboring as liaison between the White House and Congress and giving speeches within the United States.

Coincidentally or otherwise, the White House announced the plans for Humphrey's Asian trip after a public opinion poll whose findings apparently surprised Humphrey's staff. Johnson said he had selected Humphrey as his No. 2 man because he was equipped to be a good president. But the recent poll showed that the majority of people sampled was not as sold on Humphrey as Johnson said he was.

To accompany Humphrey to the Far East, Johnson is sending one of his own closest advisers, presidential aide Jack Valenti.

Humphrey said Sunday on the Mutual Broadcasting System's "Reporters' Round-Up" that "as a vice president sir, you are not supposed to be at the front of the stage. I consider my role to be one of working with the President, working within the government and then to take the policies of the government out to the people to explain as best I can, as to how this government is attempting to fulfill its responsibilities on the world scene."

Boy Uses Gift To Commit Murder

DEGGENDORF, Germany

they have arrested a 14-year-old schoolboy for killing another boy with a letter opener he got

N-Experts Clash Over Defenses

By RALPH DIGHTON
AP Science Writer

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — Two prominent scientists clashed today over the value — or danger — of proposals to spend billions on antimissile systems and fallout shelters.

"Reliance upon a defense system of such extraordinary complexity may bring more risk than safety," said Dr. Barry Commoner, head of the Department of Botany at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. Edward Teller, University of California physicist and one of the inventors of the atomic bomb, countered: "A strong civil defense is our best hope of preventing nuclear attack."

The two were scheduled speakers in a symposium on civil defense at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the largest scientific convention of the year, attended by more than 5,000.

The difference of opinion came at a briefing prior to the [illegible] authority on antimissile systems they may [illegible] the effects of radiation on man's feel they can defeat us. But if [illegible]

Commoner, in authority on [illegible] at Berkeley, Mich., [illegible] Commoner [illegible] Teller [illegible] attack.

[illegible] Teller said strong civil defense measures are vital as a deterrent.

The Russians, characteristically, avoid taking risks, Teller said.

Commoner took issue with Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara of giving a "woefully inadequate" picture of the immediate and eventual damage from nuclear war.

He predicted epidemics of human and animal diseases, crop destruction by radiation, erosion and sterilization of the land resulting from massive destruction of vegetation, and the triggering of possibly catastrophic climatic changes.

These, as well as immediate destruction from blast heat and radiation, he said, lead me to conclude that this nation, its population, its economic wealth, its social fabric — all that we speak of as our civilization — would be irrevocably lost following a major nuclear war."

He conceded that some scientists would disagree with him but insisted "there can be no disagreement that it is absolutely impossible to be certain of our own survival."

WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Friday, 49 degrees; low, 25 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 25 degrees; High Saturday, 55 degrees; low, 25 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Sunday 30 degrees; High Sunday, 61 degrees; low, 33 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 33 degrees.

North Central Texas: Decreasing cloudiness tonight and Tuesday. Warmer in north, a little warmer in south Tuesday. Low tonight 30 to 40. High Tuesday 52 to 62.

Northeast Texas: Partly cloudy to clear tonight and Tuesday. Warmer in afternoon. Low tonight 32 to 40. High Tuesday 52 to 60.

Northwest Texas: Cloudy tonight. Occasional freezing drizzle in north, ending early this afternoon. Colder today Tuesday. Low tonight 23 in north to 35 in south. High Tuesday 52 to 60.

South Central Texas: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Cooler in extreme north tonight, warmer in most sections Tuesday. Low tonight 32 to 40. High Tuesday 52 to 60.

Southeast Texas: Partly cloudy and [illegible]

2 GIs Charged With Aiding Cong

NAHA, Okinawa (AP) — The U.S. Army said today it has charged two GIs with aiding the enemy during two years of Viet Cong imprisonment and is investigating to determine whether they will be put on trial.

The two soldiers are Sgt. George E. Smith of Chester, W.Va., and Spec. 4 Claude McClure of Chattanooga, Tenn., who were released by the Viet Cong last month. They will remain on Okinawa until a final decision on their cases, the spokesman said.

After an extensive investigation, he said, they were charged with preparing and furnishing and delivering to the Viet Cong certain documents, statements and writings inimical to the interest of the United States.

The spokesman said the two Special Forces men have been provided defense attorneys. In accordance with U.S. military [illegible] being studied to determine if they will face a trial by court-martial.

They were captured in November 1963 when guerrillas overran the Hiep Hoa camp northeast of Saigon.

They were released last Nov. 27 at the Cambodian border during a period of demonstrations in the United States against the Viet Nam war. After a week in Phnom Penh, capital of Cambodia, the two were flown to Bangkok and then to Okinawa.

They denied to American television newsmen that they had told a news conference in Cambodia they would return to the United States and join the campaign against the war in Viet Nam.

The two claimed their statements had been misinterpreted. CBS correspondent Murray Fromson quoted Smith as saying: "I did not use the word campaign. What I said was that I would like to see strong efforts made to end the war in Viet Nam."

NBC newsman Jack Perkins said Smith told him he was sch[illegible] ... just more brain[illegible]

Three Wounded In Shooting Here

An apparent family quarrel at 3002 Avenue J at 12:10 p.m. Friday exploded into violence, leaving three persons in serious condition with gunshot wounds.

Charged with assault with intent to murder following the shootings was Manuel P. Gallegos, 36. Justice of the Peace Cone J. Merritt set bond at $6,000.

Receiving emergency treatment at Cogdell Memorial Hospital were Antanicio Flores, 68, his wife, Martina Flores, 53, and a step-son, Jesus Mirelez, 19. All resided at the Avenue J address. Bell-Seale ambulance took the woman and her stepson to the hospital and Flores was taken there by Bolger and [illegible]

[illegible] Gallegos is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Flores.

After receiving emergency treatment, Martina Flores was transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Sheriff's authorities said he was shot several times in the stomach and once in the right leg. Martina Flores was shot in the head and the slug lodged in the back of the neck, according to officers, who said she was transferred to John Sealy Hospital in Galveston. The stepson also received stomach wounds. Surgery on him was performed at Cogdell Memorial Hospital, where his condition was described as satisfactory.

Officers did not disclose details of the shooting although they said Gallegos apparently had been struck in the head with a rock prior to the shooting. Officers took [illegible] a Scurry County Police area car [illegible] the scene after the shooting. [illegible] has been [illegible]

Dear Abby...



By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: Though I've been an avid reader of your column for years, I never thought I'd be writing to you, but I couldn't resist answering your call for opinions of those in Vietnam about what kind of homecoming they'd prefer. Right now I am in a San Francisco Hospital recovering from injuries I suffered in Vietnam. I don't feel like any kind of hero and I don't want to be treated as one when I go home. Like most of the guys in Vietnam I had a job to do and I did my best. I was unlucky enough to be a Viet Cong target, but that doesn't make me a hero. The real heroes of this conflict are the medics, the evacuation pilots and the Red Cross. Anyone who wants to wave a banner, should wave it for THEM.

MIKE BURNS, NO HERO
DEL MAR, CALIF.

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DEAR ABBY: You asked for opinions on the advisability of "Mom" decorating the house and most of the neighborhood in honor of her "boy" returning from combat duty.

As a combat veteran of World War II, may I say that there is no more nauseating reference to military personnel than the word "boy". As much as Moms resent it, there are no "boys" in the fighting service. They are all MEN, and should be referred to as such.

These men did not, nor are they fighting for "Mom's apple pie." They are fighting a dirty rotten war in a number of dirty rotten places for the same reason we fought and will fight again if called upon — TO SURVIVE UNDER A SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT IN WHICH WE BELIEVE AS AGAINST A SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT IN WHICH WE DO NOT BELIEVE. It's that simple!

So tell Mom not to embarrass her son with decorations and tinsel more appropriate to a little boy's birthday party. Their "boys" are gone, and those who are fortunate enough to return are MEN.

G. P. S. (MAJOR, INF., AUS RETIRED) SAN FRANCISCO

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DEAR ABBY: Take the word of an old "gyrene," who was at Guadalcanal in 1952 and ended his service in Korea, that any lad who has seen jungle combat will not appreciate a brass band on his return home.

As an afterthought, wouldn't it be nice if we could arrange to have our dirty-necked, bearded, draft-card-burning "little boys" serve their service time as latrine police? I'd rejoin the Marine Corps to help put those clowns through 12 weeks of boot camp.

F. E. M., CHICAGO

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DEAR ABBY: Apropos your recent letters about soldiers coming home from Vietnam: I was reminded of my own homecoming from the A. E. F. in France in 1919. My buddy and I were discharged at Camp Grant, Rockford, Illinois, and we arrived at the Chicago railroad station at about 3 P.M. We decided to get a couple of bottles of beer and some hamburgers to see if they still tasted the same. Then we went back to the R. R. station where I was to catch a train home. My buddy lived only 20 blocks from the Chicago depot. After a while, although I hated to say goodbye, I asked him what he was waiting for, and he said, "I know my folks are going to make a fuss over me when I get home, so I am waiting for it to get dark." And I'm sure he did. I never saw him again. God bless him. Yours truly,

W. J. SHEA,
BELLEVILLE, ILL.

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DEAR ABBY: Just a line about "Homecoming Veterans." As a World War II veteran, I know that any welcome that comes from the heart is never out of place. On my "Big Day", I found a "WELCOME HOME, DADDY" sign on the stairs leading to our apartment. It was placed there by my wife, six-year-old son and three-year-old daughter. That was New Year's Day, 1946.

Nearly twenty years later we are looking forward to our son's arrival home after a six-year absence. He, too, has been fighting a jungle war as a Lt. in the Congolese Army. As a volunteer against Communism he said in one letter that he was proud to be using his U. S. Army (101st Air Borne) training for such a worthwhile endeavor.

Now he's coming home, but there will be no bands, no signs and no demonstrations. You see, Abby, he was killed in action on April 8th, 1965. We are waiting quietly until we can say, "Well done, son, welcome home." Thank you for listening.

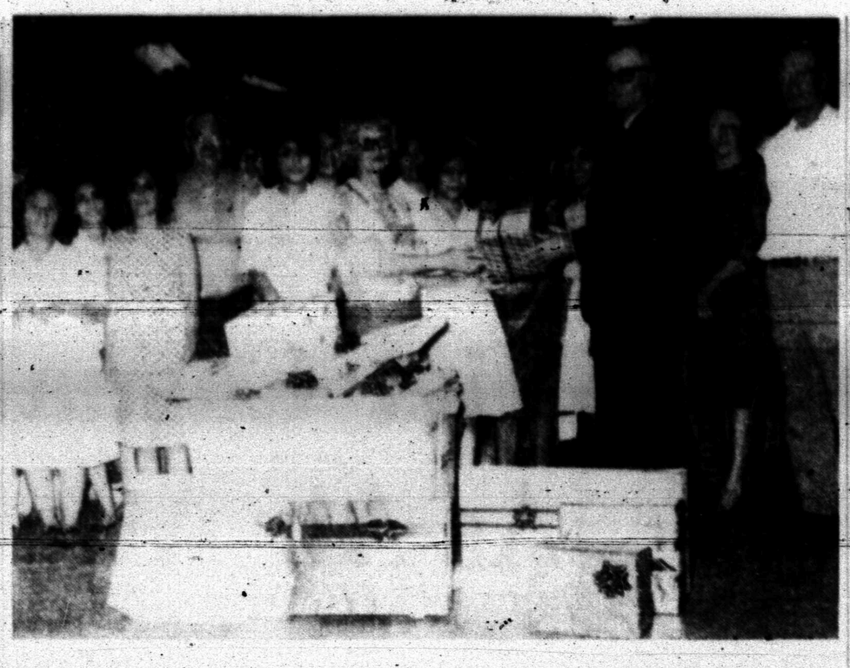
RICHARD J. GUILFOYLE, SR.
PHOENIX, ARIZ.

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Troubled? Write to ABBY, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif. for a personal reply, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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For Abby's booklet, "How To Have A Lovely Wedding," send 50 cents to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif.



CHRISTMAS PARTY—Employes of Snyder Laundry and Dry Cleaning, 1401 Twenty-sixth, exchanged gifts during a Christmas Party at the firm Friday afternoon. Bentley Baize, owner, is shown presenting one of the employes with a gift. He also passed out Christmas bonus checks. (Staff Photo).

Rotary Club Banquet Set

The Snyder Rotary Club will have its annual Christmas banquet tonight at the Steak House, Don Browning, chairman of the banquet committee, has announced.

The banquet will begin at 7 p.m.

Dr. A. B. Lightfoot will serve as master of ceremonies and special presentations will be made to some Rotarians.

Entertainment will be presented by the Accents, a men's quartet from Abilene Christian College. The quartet is composed of John Morris, a sophomore from Duncan, Okla.; Mark Springer, a freshman from Glenview, Ill.; Linden Penland, senior from Natalia, and Ron Heuss, senior from Belton.

The Accents sing popular, a cappella, barbership and folk music. They have sung on television and for many school assemblies.

Two-Car Mishap Logged Sunday

State Highway patrolmen investigated a two-car mishap at the Snyder exit road of U.S. 84 southeast of town about 1:15 p.m. Sunday.

Involved were cars of Lota Butchee, Schooler, O'Donnell, and Deeota Poore Odom, Floydada. Damage to Schooler's 1960 Model Oldsmobile station wagon was set at $100, and damage to the other vehicle, a 1962 Model Ford sedan, was estimated at $25.

To Fort Worth

Dud Arnett of Cuthbert was transferred Saturday by Bolger Ambulance from Root Memorial Hospital in Colorado City to Harris Hospital in Fort Worth.

Burning Airliner Makes Safe Landing

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — A Tokyo-bound jet airliner with 41 persons aboard and an engine in flames made a safe landing Christmas Day just after taking off from San Francisco International Airport.

Debris fell into a populated area without causing injury or property damage.

The 31 passengers and 10 crew members escaped down an emergency chute after three of ten tires blew out from heat of friction as the Japan Air Lines DC8 screeched to a stop across San Francisco Bay at Oakland International Airport.

The fuel-laden jet had taken off for Tokyo four minutes earlier.

TODAY'S MARKETS

FORT WORTH (AP) — Cattle 800; calves 200; choice steers 25.80, good 22.10-22.50; choice heifers 24.40, standard and good 20.00-21.00; cows 14.75-16.00; standard and good calves 20.00-22.80; choice feeder steers 26.30-26.60, good and choice 22.00-24.20, standard 20.00-21.00; choice heifers 22.40-22.70, good 20.50-21.40, utility and standard 17.00-19.00; choice heifer calves 22.10-22.40.

Hogs 75; top 27.00-27.50.

Sheep 125; choice wooled lambs 25.00; shorn 25.00, good 23.00; ewes 7.50.

NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton was inactive at noon today. Bids: March 28.55, May 29.00, July 29.06.

CHICAGO (AP)—Butter uncharged; 93 score 65. Eggs 1c to 1c lower. A whites mixed 36; mediums 37; standards 36.

Associated Press Stock Averages

	Indust	Rails	Util	60 Stocks
Previous day	921.4	194.1	168.5	357.7
Week ago	915.5	193.3	166.1	354.1
Month ago	870.8	189.6	171.7	353.3
Year ago	867.8	169.0	166.0	322.2
1965 high	921.4	194.5	178.2	357.7

Pair Victims Of Shootings

FORT WORTH (AP) — Two men who had been at odds for more than six months were shot to death Sunday night in two separate locations in suburban Blue Mound.

Victims of the shootings were Jeral James Rogers, 33, of Blue Mound and Edward Floyd Comley, 26, of Fort Worth.

Blue Mound Police Chief Thurman Ellison said Comley apparently killed Rogers while the latter watched television with his wife and three children in his home. Then, Ellison said, Comley apparently took his own life after stopping his car on Farm Road 156, about a mile from the Rogers home.

Chief Deputy Medical Examiner Feliks Gwozdz ruled Rogers' death a homicide. He returned a verdict of suicide in Comley's death.

Pleas Are Heard In County Court

Francis P. Cortinez was handed a $200 fine plus court costs this morning in County Court after he pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully carrying a pistol. He was arrested Dec. 25 at a party.

Bond of $500 each was set for Helen Hall and Ronnie Clarence Morris both charged with DWI. Morris entered a plea of innocence. He was arrested Sunday. The woman was arrested Dec. 23. She posted bond and was released.

Firemen Called Out

City Firemen answered one call on Christmas Day. They were called 10 miles out on the Lubbock Highway about 11:20 a.m. when the wiring in a 1961 Model Dodge driven by Garry Grous, a Colorado City man, caught fire. The motorist extinguished the flames with sand by the time the firemen arrived. Damage was minor.

Two Children Die In Amarillo Fire

AMARILLO (AP)— Fire swept through a small home here Saturday night, claiming the lives of two children and critically burning another child.

Victims of the fire were Isaiah Powell Jr., four months old, and his sister, Pamela Powell, one year old. Critically burned was Kenneth Henderson, four years old. Mrs. Isaiah Powell Sr., 17, mother of the victims said she went to a grocery store shortly before the fire broke out.

Fire officials said the two children died of suffocation.

Don Sterling Rites Held

Funeral for Don Sterling, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sterling of Ira, was held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the First Methodist Church with Rev. Marvin Roark, minister from Ira, officiating. He was assisted by Myron Crawford. Burial followed in Hillside Memorial Gardens under the direction of Bell - Seale Funeral Home. The youth died Friday morning at his home after a lengthy illness.

Surviving are the parents of the home; two sisters, Connie and Leigh Ann Sterling, also of the home; the grandparents, Mrs. Rosie Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sterling; and several aunts and uncles.

Plane Lands On Bridge

NEW YORK (AP)—Woodrow Leone, 47, driving his truck across the George Washington Bridge, looked in the mirror and saw an airplane.

A moment later the wingtip of the small plane, carrying two men, nicked Leone's truck and landed in the middle of the bridge. The two occupants of the plane walked away with minor injuries. Leone, from Guttenberg, N.J., was unhurt.

The pilot, Phillip Ippolito, 19, of the Bronx, told police he was going to land the single-engine plane in the Hudson River after the engine failed. But his passenger, Joseph Brennan, 39, of Hackensack, N.J., told Ippolito he couldn't swim.

The damaged plane veered off the truck and came to rest in the two center lanes of the giant bridge, which connects New York City with New Jersey. The lanes were not being used because of the light Sunday morning traffic.

Farmers To Meet In Washington

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Council of Farmer Cooperatives will hold its 37th annual convention here Jan. 18-20.

The meeting is expected to focus attention on the trend by farmers and their leaders on organizing stronger marketing associations or cooperatives to bargain for better prices.

Kenneth D. Naden, executive vice president, said expansion of the farm marketing cooperative movement will be a major matter for the convention. The council represents cooperatives with a total membership reported at 3 million.

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After Runaway Slows Down

EVENTS LEADING UP TO THE COMEDY. By Elliott Nugent.

This autobiographical account of an eminent theatrical career could be subtitled "The High Price of Success."

With blunt honesty and candor, the sometimes star-director - producer - playwright, son of vaudeville parents, reports on the manic - depressive merry - go - round that he found himself riding 20 years ago and which he since learned to control.

"There must be something cheerful about such an accretion of wisdom, discretion, and philosophy, and if I can think what it is I shall tell you," he begins this memorandum to his grandchildren. And at the end he pleads:

"Pray for me — and for all good people of whatever religion who live in this lovely and often frightening world. God knows we need such petitions."

Through 300 pages of straightaway narrative, Nugent describes a boyhood typical of such memoirs; the first, quick triumphs, and the ensuing storm of tumult. It is the latter section of quietly outspoken narration that provides the greatest fascination, as he went in and out of jails, jags and mental institutions.

Having worked with most of the "names" of his acting generation, he casts interesting sidelights on James Thurber, with whom he wrote "The Male Animal," and a score of contemporaries. It is journalistic rather than profound, the penitential summation of what life can be like in the limelight.

Revive Coffee Table

Reclaiming a second-hand or well - used coffee table can be fun as well as profitable in terms of creating a conversation piece. Especially if the table top is covered, a surfacing of colorful ceramic tile which also is burn and stain proof will result in a unique piece of [illegible] Top grade ceramic tile made in the U.S.A. comes in more than 100 colors and many designs.

County 4-H Council Sets Future Dates

The County 4-H Council met in the Extension office with Judy Tate chairman, presiding, and led the group in the 4-H motto and pledge recently.

Helen Stirl read the minutes, and they were approved.

For a Christmas program the 4-Hers sang Christmas songs, led by Mr. Virgil Mott from 2 to 4 p.m.

Dates for future activities were set. They are: Share the fun, Jan. 22, 7 p.m.; County-wide committee meeting Jan. 8; Food Show, 1 p.m. at Union community center; Team demonstration, March 19, 2 p.m. at Ira community center; District Food Shpw, April 2.

Those present at the meeting were: Judy Tate, Shirley Stirl, Lou Alice Mathis, Linda Wiggins, June Stansell, Sue Sorrells, Wilma Stirl, Gwen Calley, Elaine McAuthor, Jan Bellamy, Vinita Blankenship and Debra Eikes.

Leaders present were: Mrs. Stirl, Mrs. W. F. Mathis, Mrs. Smallwood, Mrs. Wiggins, Mrs. Tate and Miss Butts.

Peel fresh ripe pears and cut into lengthwise sections; team the pears with membrane-free fresh orange sections. Serve this refreshing combination as a dessert.

Spicy Artichokes

1 can (14 ounces) artichoke hearts (water packed)
1 cup cider vinegar
2 tablespoons sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
5 or 6 whole cloves

Drain the artichoke hearts — there should be 10 to 12. Place them in a shallow container (7½ by 3½ by 2½ inches is a good size). In a small saucepan over low heat, stir together the vinegar, sugar, salt and cloves until gentle boil. Spoon out the cloves and insert one in the center of 5 or 6 of the artichoke hearts; add the hot vinegar mixture. Cover and chill, turning once, for at least 1 hour. Drain thoroughly. Makes 5 to 6 servings — 2 hearts per portion. Nice on a relish tray with ripe olives, canned whole pimientos marinated in garlic-flavored olive oil; cream-style cottage cheese; and mustard sauce.

Fluvanna News

By MRS. J. R. JONES

Mrs. Lewis Beaver and her daughter, Mrs. Pat Williams of Joplin, Mo., flew to San Maria, Calif. last week to spend several weeks with another daughter, Mrs. Ara Hale.

Those visiting recently with Horace Carmichael who is confined to the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring were, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Holder, Mr. and Mrs. Eula Hunnicutt and R. B. Wills.

Mrs. James Stansell, Mrs. Bill Stansell and Tressia and Mrs. Sam Shoemaker were Lubbock visitors on Monday.

Mrs. Bill Stansell gave her sister, Mrs. James Stansell a surprise birthday dinner at her home recently. Those present for the occasion were Mrs. R. L. Montgomery, Treva, Danny and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kinder and children of Slaton, Mrs. Geo. Mosely of Jacksboro, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stansell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gregory and Vickie of Snyder; James Stansell, Bobby, Joe Welden and Sandra, Bill Stansell, June Gwin, Johnny, Steph, and Tressia and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stansell of Fluvanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren and Mrs. Jack Hunnicutt and Mrs. Sandy Holder visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carmichael at the Veterans Hospital where he is a patient in Big Spring. Mrs. Jackie Holder and children of Andrews met Mrs. Sandy Holder there and Keith returned home with his grandmother to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Markham of Allison spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ray Fulford and Mr. Fulford. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Victor Fulford and children of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keller of Snyder visited in the Fulford home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tucker, Ricky and Rhonda of Ralls visited over the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shoemaker, Carla and Pam.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Reeder were her brother, Mr. and Mrs Frank Taylor and grandson, Andy, of Midland.

Clyde Cox of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Bessie Maynard recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herring and the employees of Precinct No. 2 and their families enjoyed a Christmas supper at the Union community center on the night of Dec. 16.

The Home Demonstration Club members and their families and guests had their annual Christmas supper at the community center on Dec. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Smith, Dewey Smith and their mother, Mrs. Lula Smith, all of Rotan, visited her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones recently.

Those helping Ricky Don Summers of Dumas celebrate his second birthday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Reeder, included Mrs. Jerry Reeder, Trucilla, and Shanna Gay of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Summers of Dumas, Mrs. W. A. Reeder and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones of Fluvanna.

Mrs. Loyd Ainsworth and Mrs. Burl Belew were hostess on Dec. 14th to the annual Christmas party and supper of El Cortoce Club at the community center.

The 4-H Club members, their leaders and mothers, met at the community center on Dec. 15 in the afternoon for their Christmas party.

Mrs. Lonie Ball, Duke and Nolan visited last Sunday in Hermleigh with Bro and Mrs. Bob Criswell and Mr. and Mrs. Punch Kennedy and other relatives.

Mrs. Ralph Miller and Mrs. Bill Jennings were hostesses to the Couples Bridge Club annual Christmas party and supper at the community center recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert Jones and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowe of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane of Anson recently.

Fluvanna new post office building which is under construction is progressing nicely.

Mrs. Cora Patterson who has been in Prague, Okla. visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Milligin and John for two weeks, returned to her home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Price and girls were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warren and children of Midland.

Mrs. Bessie Maynard visited her son, Don Cox, Donna and Rex of Gail last Sunday after church services.

A large crowd attended the Christmas program at the Methodist Church Sunday night given by the Baptist and Methodist children of each church.

Round Top News

By BRENDA DURHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowers celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday. A large number of friends and relatives were on hand to wish them happiness for many more years.

Mrs. Jerry Curtis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Stringer of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burt, Dawn and Scotty of Big Spring visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sheid Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sheid Jr. over the weekend.

Terry Meador spent Sunday through Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Wood and family in Big Spring.

Linda Durham spent Friday night with Linda Fuller who is home from college for the holidays. She is a student at Howard Payne College in Brownwood.

Judy Overby spent Friday night with Brenda Durham.

Don Hairston of Austin and Linda Hairston of Andrews are home for the holidays. Don attends the University of Texas.

Mrs. Graham Smith was in Colorado City Monday afternoon to visit Mrs. Betty Smith.

Linda Durham spent Sunday with Joan Whitehead.

Mrs. Houston Cotton, Mrs. Fred Cotton, Mrs. Mark Holmes and Mrs. Damon Cotton were in Big Spring Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Blake Durham, Mrs. Billy Durham and Eulene Koch were hostesses for a Christmas party held in the home of Mrs. Blake Durham Tuesday afternoon. Those attending were Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. Houston Cotton, Mrs. Mark Holmes, Mrs. Graham Smith, Mrs. Bertha Ellis, Mrs. Leslie West, Mrs. Charlie West and Janet, Mrs. Johnny Wemken, Mrs. Bill Hairston, Linda Hairston, Mrs. Nian Howard, and Mrs. Ann Carlton. The group exchanged gifts and enjoyed homemade fruit cake and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Durham visited Mrs. J. E. Shipp and Mr. Arvil Allen who are in Cogdell Hospital, Sunday afternoon.

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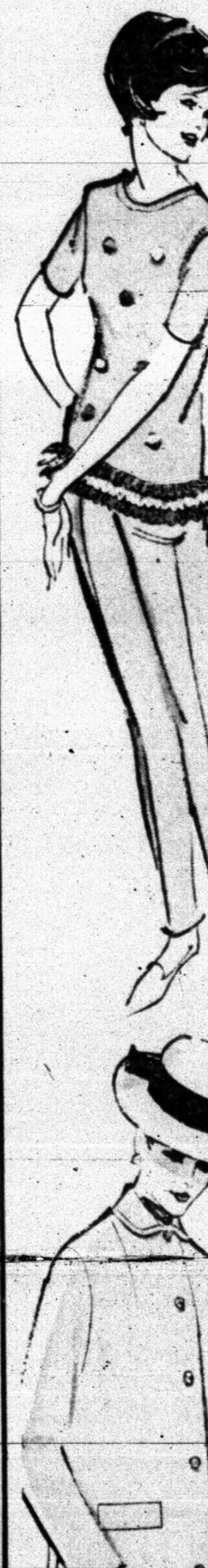


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Johnson-Labor Honeymoon Quickly Drawing To End

By NEIL GILBRIDE
AP Labor Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite all the sweet talk at the AFL-CIO convention, the honeymoon between President Johnson and organized labor appears to be over.

There's no real threat of divorce, but there is a distinct chance of separate maintenance if the Democrats don't make good in January on their chief premarital pledge to the labor unions.

The promise was to repeal section 14B of the Taft-Hartley Act, which permits the states to outlaw union shop contracts requiring all employes to join a union.

Johnson couldn't — or didn't — make Congress deliver the pledge this year to the politically powerful labor movement with its millions of votes.

AFL-CIO President George Meany, who once could dictate high Labor Department appointments, now can't even get an audience with Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield.

With just two weeks left until Congress convenes, all Meany wants to know is when Mansfield plans to bring up 14B in the Senate and how hard he would fight to break another Republican filibuster like the one that blocked the repeal bill this year.

Is Mansfield avoiding Meany, perhaps with the tacit agreement of Johnson, who at best has been lukewarm in his support of the repeal bill?

"Draw your own conclusions," grumbles the unhappy Meany, who months ago warned that the federation may have to take a hard new look at its relationships with both major political parties.

Most of the recent AFL-CIO convention in San Francisco was devoted to voicing strong support for Johnson's Viet Nam policies, "but we would have done that no matter what administration was in office — even Eisenhower," said a federation spokesman.

Labor, pledging all-out 1966 political support to some of the freshmen liberal House Democrats who voted to repeal 14B before the Senate filibuster blocked its final passage, really has no choice now but to string along with the administration.

But should Johnson, Mansfield and other Democrats fail to deliver on 14B early next year, organized labor might well zip shut its pocketbook in the 1968 presidential election year.

"We put a lot of muscle, manpower and money in Johnson's 1964 victory and Johnson knows it well," said the federation spokesman in confidently predicting repeal of 14B early next year.

But many labor leaders believe less in the chances of repeal than they do in Santa Claus.

But where else, in the present political scheme of things, can the labor movement go?

Federation spokesmen bristle at this question.

"We're not captives" of the Democrats, one said.

Another alternative, they hint, is formation of a labor party, like Britain's — but, they concede privately that is not very practical.

What, then, can the labor chieftains do — if finally disenchanted with Johnson and the Democratic party — in future elections?

Said one high spokesman for the federation:

"We can stay home" on Election Day.

Junior Editors Quiz on PONIES



QUESTION: Is the pony a separate breed of horse?

ANSWER: Scientists tell us that prehistoric horses once were small and had toes instead of hoofs. Gradually they grew larger. By the time man appeared, three different kinds of horses had developed. There were large, wild horses in Flanders which were domesticated for use by the knights in the Middle Ages, who needed huge animals to carry their heavy armor. These were called "great horses" — nowadays we speak of them as draught horses, some modern breeds being the Shire, Belgian and Clydesdale. Fast, medium-sized horses were found in the Near East and were highly developed by the Arabs. In 1519, the Spaniards brought some of these beautiful Arabian horses to America. Many medium-sized breeds have been developed from them, such as the Thoroughbred, Tennessee Walking Horse and so on. Spoken of together, these medium breeds are called light horses. Ponies are not a special breed of horse, but simply a kind of horse smaller than the others, standing less than 58 inches high. The Shetland pony (in picture) is often ridden by children, but it must be carefully trained first. Other pony breeds are the Welsh, Connemara and Dartmoor.

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FOR YOU TO DO. Color the picture. The armor on knight and horse could be light blue, with the horse's body deep brown — but leave white around his boots. Put some bright colors on the cowboy with his horse light brown. The pony can stay black and white, but color the little girl, her hair might be gold or red. 12-27

Truce In Viet Nam Meant Little

The World's Weekend
By The Associated Press

The Christmas truce in Viet Nam lay crumpled.

A watching world, hopeful the cease-fire would extend into lasting peace, learned that military actions had continued.

A U. S. military spokesman in Saigon conceded the 30 - hour cease-fire was never really in effect. A spokesman said Sunday there had been 84 significant Viet Cong actions during the Communist and American cease-fire periods. U. S. and allied forces officially resumed the war.

Even as the guns boomed in the bullet-shattered truce, Pope Paul VI sent a personal appeal to North Vietnamese President Ho Chi Minh and South Viet Nam's chief of state, Nguyen Van Thieu.

In his message, without precedent in Vatican annals, the Pope expressed profound gratitude for the truce and said he prayed to God "so that responsible chiefs of state be helped to make this peaceful Christmas a step toward the establishment of a just and fraternal peace for all Viet Nam." The Pope was reported concerned, and disappointed over the truce failure but determined to press ahead with his personal peace efforts.

Vatican sources said the Pope also sent a Christmas message to President Johnson on Viet Nam. The text was not released immediately at the Vatican.

Across the world from Saigon in Bethlehem, Jordan, an estimated 20,000 visitors descended on the Holy Land for the birthday of the Prince of Peace.

Christmas Eve brought the announcement of the engagement of President Johnson's younger daughter, 18-year-old Luci Baines, to Patrick John Nugent, 22.

The announcement came after a Johnson family get-together at the LBJ Ranch. Nugent produced a three-diamond ring which he first showed to the President and got approval to slip it on Luci's finger.

Nugent, a June graduate of Marquette University, and Luci first met on a blind date in Milwaukee last June. He is a member of the Wisconsin Air National Guard and has been stationed at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Tex., for the past month.

Christmas Day, they flew to Chicago in a private plane for a visit with Nugent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nugent in Waukegan, Ill.

Christmas brought tragedy, too. Some 700 Americans died in Christmas holiday traffic accidents. The toll surpassed the three-day holiday record of 600 set during the 78-hour period in 1955.

A new incident marred the Christmas spirit at the Berlin wall, where bursts of East German gunfire killed one man and may have killed or seriously wounded another. The shooting followed an apparent attempt by West Germans in a car to smash through the barriers into West Berlin, taking East German refugees with them.

Despite the incident, more than 75,000 West Berliners visited relatives in Communist East Berlin Sunday on the ninth day of the 16-day Christmas-New Year's day pass period.

Cuban Seamen Ask Asylum In Japan

OSAKA, Japan (AP) — The captain and three other officers of a Cuban freighter walked into the U.S. consulate general today and asked for political asylum.

Japanese police told the Kyodo News Service the men were frightened because their ship had been ordered to carry weapons from Shanghai, in Communist China, to North Viet Nam.

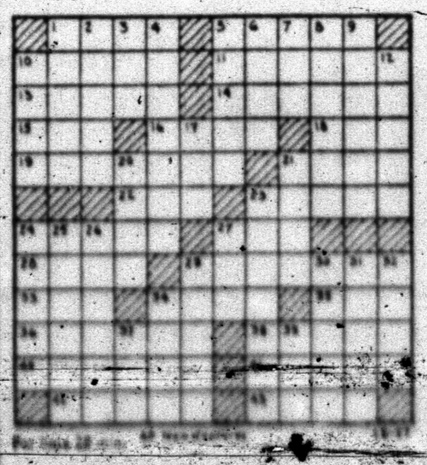
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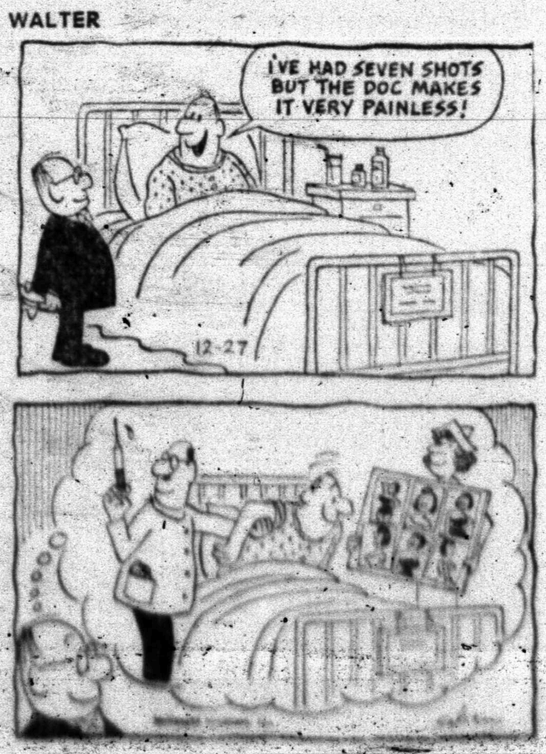
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SPORTS

SPORTSCUTTLE

Don't expect miracles when Snyder hosts Lamesa Friday in the opening District 3-AAA basketball game for both teams. The visitors from the west will be heavy favorites.

Lamesa is the choice to win the district crown, and the Tigers have been tabbed for a sixth place finish in the field of seven teams. Scribes think Lake View will come in second, Levelland third, Sweetwater fourth, and Brownfield fifth—all ahead of Snyder. Only Littlefield, say the prognosticators, will wind up behind the Tigers.

According to the way Snyder and Lamesa stack up on paper, the Tigers will be doing well to hold the pre-season favorites to a 20-point margin of victory.

None of the top eight boys on last season's fine team are back in the fold. Coach Ned Underwood has only three returning lettermen: Bill Blum, 5-10 Senior, Tom Duke, 5-11 Senior, and Steve McMahan, 6-2 Senior.

There are only two other Seniors on the team: Vernon Clay (5-11), and Ronnie Laster (6-3). Laster is the tallest player on the squad, but he hasn't competed in the sport since Junior High School. Clay and Langston Powell (6-0) Junior, had prior experience at Lincoln.

Only two boys up from the "B" team will be of much help: Sandy Wellborn, 5-8 Junior, and Bobby Clardy, 6-1 Junior. Two good young players—Tom Bullard and Eldon Woodward—are at least a year away from realizing their full potential. Both have only Freshmar experience. Tom, at 5-7, is a good all-round player. Eldon, at 6-1, has been a pleasant surprise in the matter of point production.

One lad recently promoted from this year's "B" team may be of some help. That is Mickey Almond, 5-11 Soph., who is a better than average shooter.

Perhaps the strongest point on the entire squad is desire. That can go a long way and help them pull a few upsets, but the overall disadvantage of inexperience seems to be too big to be offset by spirit.

Lamesa, the pre - season choice, has several returning lettermen. They have speed, height, depth and experience. O. W. Follis, in his 20th year with the Tornado, led Lamesa to one state championship in 1960, and this could be the year that they repeat.

Steve Robertson, 6-5 Senior center, has perhaps as much natural ability as any boy in the district. He was a starter last season. Other top returning lettermen are Gene Everheart, Bob Wiggins and Gary Mayfield. These three have good speed and are top ball-hawkers on defense. Mayfield, at 6-1, is the tallest of the three.

Jay Thompson, a 6-2 forward, would have been a starter with Lamesa last year but was ineligible after moving there from Amarillo Tascosa. He's eligible this year and may be the best all-round player in the district.

Arthur Callaway, who was promoted to the varsity towards the end of last season, was not expected to compete this year. Scarlet fever kept him off his feet most of the football season, but he's back in the gym and could be a real asset before the campaign ends. He's tall, fast and great on rebounds.

The favorites also have plenty of depth in Jimmy Williams, the leading scorer on the "B" team last season, and Pat Fees, 6-2 shooting ace who may become a top pro or college prospect by the time he is a senior.

There are others of course, including a young giant who played with the 8th grade team last year. This season, he has consistently hit in double figures. But, then, why go on. It is enough to say that Lamesa has won two tournament championships and one consolation prize in non-district action.

Better try to get all the points you can if you're a betting man.

Stars Draw Top Money

By MIKE RATHET
Associated Press Sports Writer

It's front and center this week for the traditional year-end bowl games that bring the college football season to a close and figure to lift the bidding between the two professional leagues for standout talent to break-the-bank proportions.

The bidding may reach an unprecedented level right at the start Friday when Texas Tech's Donny Anderson finishes his college career in the Gator Bowl game against Georgia Tech at Jacksonville, Fla.

The Gator Bowl game triggers the weekend action that also includes the Sun Bowl and the East-West games on Friday and concludes with the Big Four on Saturday — the Rose, Cotton, Sugar and Orange bowl classics.

Some one dozen high draft choices figure to be signed at the end of the games and, if you can believe some of the prices being mentioned, Anderson may lead the collection of six-figure signees with a contract in the neighborhood of $800,000.

"It is not beyond the realm of possibility that Anderson will receive $800,000," says owner Bud Adams of the American Football League's Houston Oilers, bidding against the National League's Green Bay Packers for Anderson's services.

Also mentioned as a prospect in the $500,000 or above range is Missouri's standout back, Johnny Roland, up for grabs between the NFL's St. Louis Cardinals and the New York Jets of the AFL.

Here's a current scorecard on the top signed players and the contracts they reportedly received:

1. Texas linebacker Tommy Nobis, $700,000 from Atlanta, NFL.

2. Illinois fullback Jim Grabowski, $625,000, Green Bays, NFL.

3. Kentucky quarterback Rick Norton, $350,000, Miami, AFL.

4. Oklahoma linebacker Carl McAdams, $325,000, New York, AFL.

5. Kentucky halfback Rodger Bird, $300,000 Oakland, AFL.

6. Michigan tackle Bill Yearby, $250,000, New York, AFL.

7. Tennessee linebacker Frank Emanuel, $200,000, Miami, AFL.

Besides Anderson and Roland, those other top draft choices remain to be signed after this week's bowl games — Missouri tackles Francis Peay and Butch Allison, Florida guard Larry Gagner and tackle Randy Jackson, Nebraska tackle Walt Barnes and end Freeman White, Michign State tackle Hal Lucas, Arkansas halfback Jim Lindsay and LSU tackle George Rice.

They'll be lining up this way on the bowl schedule:

Gator Bowl at Jacksonville — Georgia Tech, 6-3-1, vs. Texas Tech, 8-2.

Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex. — Texas Western, 7-3, vs. TCU, 6-4.

Shrine Game at San Francisco — East-West all-star teams.

Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif. — Michigan State, 10-0, vs. UCLA, 7-2-1.

Cotton Bowl at Dallas, Tex. — Arkansas, 10-0, vs. LSU, 7-3.

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans, La. — Missouri, 7-2-vs. Florida, 7-3.

Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla. — Nebraska, 10-0 vs. Alabama, 8-1-1.

Packers Stop Colts, 13-10, In 'Sudden Death' Playoff

By KEN HARTNETT
Associated Press Sports Writer

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) — The Green Bay Packers have survived a fight to the death against the gallant Baltimore Colts, but the scars may show next Sunday when they face Cleveland for the National Football League title.

Injured Packer quarterback Bart Starr and halfback Paul Hornung couldn't hide the pain in the locker room after a 25-yard Don Chandler field goal gave Green Bay a 13-10 sudden death victory in the playoff for the NFL's Western Conference crown.

"I can't get dressed," said Hornung, battered by the sky-high Colts defense, out to win a conference title for a team with a running back at quarterback.

Hornung's ribs ached, and so did his knee and wrist. He spoke and breathed with difficulty and held his head stiffly to one side.

Starr appeared to be only slightly better off. He had to be assisted from the field after the very first play from scrimmage when he rammed at full speed into a Colt blocker in trying to stop Don Shinnick's 25 - yard touchdown ramble with a recovered fumble.

Starr refused to discuss his injury, but his ribs were swathed in tape and he moved rigidly.

"I'm pretty sore," he admitted.

End Boyd Dowler was also hurt, aggravating a chronic ankle injury. Tight end Bill Anderson, who made seven more catches after his first-play bobble that allowed the Colts' only touchdown, was so groggy that he couldn't remember game details.

"This was the roughest game I've ever been in," said Packer defensive back Herb Adderley.

The game was a savage defensive struggle.

The Colts, with Tom Matte at quarterback because of injuries to John Unitas and Gary Cuozzo, needed to get defense-induced breaks to win. They got them, but they weren't enough because the Packers also got breaks.

The critical one came with about five minutes gone in the third period and the Packers' trailing 10-0.

Tom Gilburg went back to punt on fourth down with the line of scrimmage at the Colts' 40. The pass from center Buzz Nutter was high and Gilburg had to leap for it, then struggle to get the ball under control. By the time he did, the Packer defenders had swarmed in and nailed him at the 35.

Zeke Bratkowski, who completed 22 of 39 passes for 248 yards after replacing Starr, threw to Carroll Dale who made a diving catch at the one. Hornung, who was sidelined a quarter later, went in from there.

The Packers tied it on Chandler's first field goal—a 22-yarder with only 1:58 left to play in the game. A 15-yard penalty against the Colts aided the tying drive.

Still another break came in the extra period after runs by Matte moved the ball into field goal position with eight minutes gone in the overtime.

Lou Michaels, who had kicked a 15-yarder in the second period, tried a field goal from the 47. This time the ball from center was low. There was a split-second delay in teeing the ball and the kick was short.

The Colts, who will now go to an NFL playoff bowl meeting with Dallas in Miami, Fla., Jan. 9 were held by the Packers to 143 yards rushing and only 32 passing. Baltimore got nine first downs. Green Bay netted 250 yards in the air, 362 yards overall and 23 first downs.

The Colts stayed in the game with the help of Shinnick's touchdown, pass interceptions by Bob Boyd and Jerry Logan that nipped Green Bay drives, and a goal line stand that stopped the Packers' on the one on three straight running plays in the first half.

The Packers defeated the Colts twice in the regular season which both teams finished with identical 10-3-1 records.

The deadlock had forced the conference playoff, the first in the NFL since 1958 when the New York Giants defeated Cleveland 10-0 and then went on to meet the Colts in the championship game. The Colts won the title that year 23-17 in the only previous sudden death finish in the NFL.

Kemp-led Bills Charge Gillman 11

By RON ROACH
Associated Press Writer

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP)—San Diego Charger coach Sid Gillman once remarked: "We can't win with Jack Kemp."

Apparently Gillman's Chargers can't win against him, either.

Kemp led the Buffalo Bills to the American Football League championship for the second straight year Sunday, embarrassing his former mates with a 23-0 shutout. He did it last year, 20-7.

Three years ago, Kemp incurred a sprained finger on his throwing hand and the Chargers wanted to put him on the injured list. But the Bills executed the coup of AFL history, picking up Kemp for the $100 waiver price.

Sportswriters selected Kemp the game's most valuable player, a role for which Jack was chosen by the Associated Press for his play all year.

Kemp got all the points he needed in the first quarter by firing an 18 - yard touchdown strike to end Ernie Warlick.

Moments later, Butch Byrd delivered the conquering blow by racing 74 yards down the sideline to score on a punt return.

Pete Gogolak managed to enter the defensive stalemate long enough to boot three second half field goals of 41, 39 and 32 yards.

Kemp completed 8 of 19 passes for 155 yards but his completions were made when needed.

Charger quarterback John Hadl hit on 11 of 23 pass attempts for 140 yards but had two interceptions and was plagued by the hard - charging Bill defenders.

The Chargers threatened to get on the scoreboard three times. Two drives bogged down and Herb Travenio failed on field goal attempts of 35 and 31 yards.

It was the fourth time the Chargers lost an AFL title game, winning only in 1963. The Bills are 2-0 in the big one.

A crowd of 30,361 witnessed the battle in Balboa Stadium.

The Bills received $5,189.92 apiece for winning and the Chargers, $3,447.85 for losing.

South Rises Again, 21-14

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Howard Twilley got his first taste of the Orange Bowl Saturday and Miamians got their first look at one of their prize pro football packages.

Twilley grabbed only four passes for 69 yards but one was a diving catch of a 30-yarder that brought the South within striking distance of its tying touchdown en route to a 21-14 victory over the North.

Twilley has been signed by the Miami Dolphins of the American Football League.

He made some slick moves Saturday in the face of defensive harrassment that stripped him of his classic square-out pattern.

South defensive players found the no-blitzing rule a bother.

"With so short a time to put offensive plays in, blitzing might be too much," South Coach Glenn Dobbs said. "It does place a limitation on the defense, although this year the defensive teams didn't seem to need much help."

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MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — The Atlanta Falcons apparently came up with a winner when they dipped into the small-college ranks and picked quarterback Randy Johnson of Texas A&I as their second choice in the National Football League draft.

Playing against major college rivals for the first time, Johnson shattered three passing records Saturday when he led the South to a 23-19 conquest of the North in the annual Blue-Gray game.

The 6-foot-4 senior, admittedly awed by the speed and ability of the North team, passed like a professional and engineered two fourth-quarter scores that wiped out a 19-8 North lead.

Johnson wound up with 20 completions in 33 passes for 308 yards. He tossed two touchdown strikes, scored one himself on a plunge and passed for a two-point conversion.

Although he was named Little All-America quarterback, Johnson was almost unknown nationally until he was drafted by the Falcons.

Johnson's passing overshadowed the running of Willard Sander of Ohio State, voted the top offensive player for the North after he gained 77 yards rushing.

Outside Foes Rip Southwest Cagers

By The Associated Press

Southwest Conference basketball teams play 14 intersectional games this week and can catch up for the season if they win as many as 11 of them.

But the way things have been going, this would seem virtually out of the question. The conference just hasn't been doing well at all along the intersectional front.

But this week will wind up all outside play and next week the teams start battling each other. They are bound to win half their games that way.

Last week was rather dismal with Texas beating Memphis State 80-72 and Texas Christian upsetting Oklahoma City University 103-93 for the only victories. Southern Methodist fell to Centenary 87-81, Texas to Northwestern 73-71 and Texas Tech to Kentucky 89-73.

It's almost all out tournament play this week.

Texas A&M and Arkansas, tied for the season lead with 5-1 records, play in the All-College at Oklahoma City and Sun Carnival at El Paso respectively.

Rice tries to get its first victory as it matches field goals with Arkansas State in the Arkansas State tournament at Jonesboro, Ark.

The Owls have averaged 82 points per game but have yet to win one.

Texas Christian, with awesome scoring strength but unable to halt the other side quite well enough, picked up its confidence in thumping Oklahoma City. The Horned Frogs try their luck against Idaho in the Lobo Invitational at Albuquerque Tuesday night.

Texas will be in Seattle to play in the American Legion tournament Wednesday and Thursday. Seattle University is the Longhorns' first foe.

There are some single games, too. Baylor hosts Connecticut Tuesday night and Southern Methodist does the same Thursday night. Texas Tech tries New Mexico State at Las Cruces Tuesday night. The Red Raiders are trying to break out of a three-game losing slump.

Four Eye Famed Hall

DALLAS (AP)—Blackie Sherrod, executive sports editor of the Dallas Times Herald, will be master of ceremonies when four athletic heroes are inducted into the Texas Sports Hall of Fame next Friday.

The luncheon, co-sponsored by the Texas Sports Writers Association and the Dallas Salesmanship Club, will draw about 1,000 persons. They will be there to see Willie Shoemaker of Fabens, Tex., all-time great jockey; Pinky Higgins of Dallas, former major league player ang manager; Raga Matthews of Fort Worth, [illegible] football immortal, and the late Bill Lee Hamilton, Texas first All American, enshrined in the Hall of Fame.

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1960 FORD	Station Wagon, 6 Cylinder, Std. Trans., R&H	$495
1961 FORD	Tudor, 6 Cylinder, R&H, Good Car	$595
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1961 MERCURY	Fordor Sedan, Auto. Trans., R&H, Extra Clean	$995
1965 COMET	Fordor Sedan, Auto. Trans., Factory Air, R&H	$1895
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Services Set For Former County Judge

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—Funeral services for Marvin A. Childers, 80, of San Antonio, a former South Texas county judge and district judge and longtime leader in the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge, will be held Tuesday.

Services will be held in the Travis Park Methodist Church with burial in Mission Burial Park.

SNYDER AREA OIL

Two new wildcat operations have been staked in Stonewall County and two have been planned for Nolan County, one of which is a re-entry of an old dry hole.

Malcolm D. Abel of Midland No. 1 T. T. Hart is a 6,500-foot Ellenburger prove eight miles north of Aspermont in Stonewall, on the north edge of the Gloria Gay, West (Tannehill) pool.

It spots 467 feet from north and 1,787 feet from west lines of section 150, block D, H&TC survey and 1½ miles northwest of Ellenburger production in the same field.

Gordon Oil Co. of Abilene No. 1 A. T. Halbert is planned to test the Bend conglomerate at 6,200 feet nine miles northeast of Aspermont, 1½ miles northwest of the Old Glory multipay fiend in Stonewall. It is 3,150 feet from north and 467 feet from west lines of Alice Stephenson survey No. 44.

Esker E. Smith Jr. of San Antonio will drill No. 1 S. L. McNay as a 5,600 - foot Gardner probe in Nolan County, two miles south of Hylton, ⅝ mile southwest of the depleted McNay (5,200 - foot Gardener) pool, 6,765 feet from north and 3,300 feet from east lines of Maria Candida Zuniga survey No. 298.

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English Jackson, Inc. of Longview No. 1 L. W. Ross is a re-entry and clean out to 5,450 feet for Strawn tests in a 6,284 - foot dry hole 12 miles northeast of Sweetwater in Nolan county.

Drilled by Roark & Hooker and Philips of Abilene in 1954, it is 2½ miles northwest of the White Flat multipay field. 3,000 feet from north and 529 feet from west lines of Francis Rutherford survey No. 268.

American Petrofina Co. of Texas, operating from Big Spring, will drill No. 1 Winters, ¾ mile northeast of Vincent in Howard County, as a location south offset to the recent discovery and lone producer in the Coronet (Canyon) pool.

Site spots 467 feet from north and east lines of the southeast quarter of section 6, block 25, H&TC survey and contract calls for total depth of 7,700 feet.

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Marshall & Winston, Inc. of Midland has spotted location for the No. 1 Lena Ross Watson as a 6,000 - foot test of the Strawn 10 miles northeast of Rotan in Fisher County.

It is 1,787 feet from south and 1,869 feet from west lines of section 285, block 2, H&TC survey, one location southeast of the opener of the two - well Lena Green (Strawn) pool.

J. M. Huber Corp. of Midland No. 1 Clarence Porter is slated as a ⅝ - mile southwest outpost to the three - well Clara Good (Fusselman) pool, 15 miles southwest of Gail in Borden County.

Projected to a possible total depth of 9,900 feet, it is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 16, block 32, T-3-N T&P survey.

B. L. McFarland, Inc. of Midland has plugged and abandoned at total depth of 7,500 feet the No. 1-445 Goldie West and others, a Scurry County wildcat 11 miles north of Snyder. It is 2,338 feet from north and 1,682 feet from west lines of section 445, block 97, H&TC survey.

Dairymen Eye Diet Woes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Dairy Association says the role of diet—and particularly animal fats, including milk fat—could become what it terms a "hot issue" in 1966.

In a report on public relations for dairymen, the association said milk producers have very much at stake in such a controversy.

"Dairymen cannot afford," it said, "not to ask themselves the frightening question: 'What happens if the public begins to reject milk fat because the public begins to believe the advice of the American Heart Association?'"

The heart association last June issued advice suggesting that the general public should "eat less animal (saturated) fat" because of its possible adverse effect on the heart and its blood system.

The dairy group's report said the fact is the tide is running against animal fats at the present time.

To Appeal Vigil Order

HOUSTON (AP)—Dr. Morton Rieber, the Texas Psychiatric Institute research specialist who was ordered not to attend Sunday's "peace vigil" outside the LBJ Ranch, has said he would appeal that order today.

Dr. V. John Kinross-Wright, acting director of the institute, told Rieber last Wednesday he would be fired if he went. Rieber said Saturday no appeal was possible until today, after the vigil.

Rieber said he would reluctantly obey the order but he criticized it as "a gross violation of the freedom of speech."

Rieber, 31, has been active in the Houston Citizens for Action on Viet Nam, the group that sponsored Sunday's vigil near the President's ranch.

A native of New York City, Rieber has lived in Houston six years. He took his bachelor's degree at UCLA and his medical degree at the University of Iowa. He is an assistant profes-

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Grape Drink	or ★Fiesta Punch ★Apple-Grape. Welch—32-oz. Can	3 for $1
V-8 Cocktail	or Town House ★Unsweetened Orange Juice ★Sweetened Orange Juice ★Natural Grapefruit Juice—46-oz. Can	2 for 79¢

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Maryland Club Coffee	All Grinds 1-Lb. Can	87¢
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Noodles Romanoff	Kraft—7-oz. Pkg.	47¢
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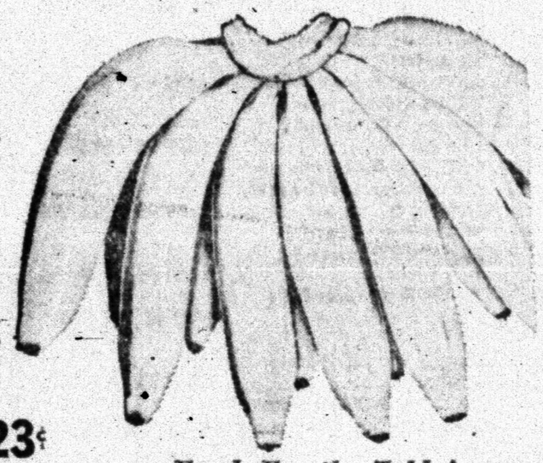
Beverages	Cragmont. Assorted Flavors. (Plus Deposit)—Quart Bottle	10¢
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Sesame Stix	Lone Star—5-oz. Pkg.	39¢
Mixed Nuts	Fisher's King Size—13-oz. Can	89¢
Red Cherries	Empress. Maraschino with stems—8-oz. Jar	37¢
Fancy Onions	Towle. Cocktail—4½-oz. Jar	29¢
Pecan Halves	or Pieces. Azar brand. 12-oz. Pkg.	75¢
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Bell Peppers	So good in salad—Each	10¢
Limes	Tart and piquant—3-Count Package	15¢

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Paper Napkins	Charmin. 80-Count Box	2 for 29¢
Toilet Soap	Jergens—Bath Size Bar	10¢
Dog Food	Friskies. Regular. 15-oz. Can	6 for 87¢
Dog Food	Pooch. Regular or Liver. 1-Lb. Can	3 for 29¢
Dried Prunes	Breakfast Size. Town House.	2 Lb. Pkg. 49¢
Sweet Relish	or Hot Dog. Zippy—13-oz. Jar	29¢

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PIZZA MIX With Cheese—15½-oz. Pkg. 49¢

Sausage 17-oz. Pkg. 59¢ } **Pepperoni** 17-oz. Pkg. 69¢

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Sliced Pimiento	Dromedary—2-oz. Jar	2 for 29¢
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Tomatoes	Gardenside—No. 303 Can	6 for $1
Pork & Beans	Van Camp—No. 303 Can	2 for 35¢
Evaporated Milk	Lucerne—14-oz. Can	7 for $1
Powdered Sugar	Imperial—1-Lb. Box	17¢
Baking Powder	Clabber Girl—10-oz. Can	17¢
Ground Nutmeg	Crown Colony. 1½-oz. Can	59¢
Diet Food	Sego Liquid. Assorted—10-oz. Can (Lucerne Slenderway 8-oz. Can 4 for 89¢)	3 for 89¢

Dairy-Delicatessen Values!

Egg Nog	Lucerne—½-Gal. Ctn.	79¢
Large 'A' Eggs	Breakfast Gems. Grade "A" Quality. Large Size—Doz.	57¢
Margarine	Coldbrook. Solid—1-Lb. Pkg.	6 for $1
Biscuits	Mrs. Wright's. Sweetmilk or Buttermilk—8-oz. Can	6 for 39¢
Cream Cheese	Lucerne—3-oz. Pkg.	10¢
Cottage Cheese	Lucerne. All Styles—1-Lb. Ctn.	25¢

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Aspirin	Safeway Buffered—100-Count Bottle	59¢
Alka-Seltzer	For upset stomach—Large Size	59¢
Milk of Magnesia	Phillips—4-oz. Bottle	39¢
Pres-to-logs	For the fireplace—½-Cu. Ft. Ctn	69¢
Cocktail Napkins	Assorted Colors—Pkg.	35¢

Snack Crackers	Nabisco. Party Partners—9-oz. Pkg.	43¢
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Blackeye Peas	Bel-air—10-oz. Pkg.	4 for $1
Perch Fillets	Captain's Choice—1-Lb. Pkg.	2 for $1
Breaded Shrimp	Festal. Captain's Choice—10-oz. Pkg.	69¢

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Ground Beef (3-Lb. Chub Pak $1.29) Safeway—1-Lb. Chub Pak 45¢

Dry Salt Jowl For New Year's Dinner—Lb. 29¢

Sliced Bologna	★Jumbo ★Square ★All Beef—8-oz. Pkg.	3 for $1
Neuhoff Smokies	Value on appetites. 12-oz. Pkg.	69¢
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Revenues Of CRMWD Up Over 1964

Deliveries will fall short of a year ago but revenues will be up, the November statements of the Colorado River Municipal Water District indicates.

Through the first 11 months water sales are about 366,000,000 gallons under the same time a year ago, but revenues are up by $54,000. This is due to somewhat lower deliveries to member cities of Odessa, Big Spring and Snyder during 1965 and at the same time higher deliveries to oil companies. The final figures may narrow the consumption gap but it will not materially change the picture. Sales will aggregate around 11¼ billion gallons for the year.

During November, sales to Odessa, Big Spring and Snyder amounted to $118,769, making $1,351,779 for the first 11 months. The same period in 1964 yielded $1,434,226. Oil company sales for November amounted to $98,594, making $1,080,844 for the 11-months period well above the last year. This year an additional $21,105 has been collected for pipeline fees, whereas in 1964 this particular operation did not exist. Recreational collections of $41,967 are about $10,000 under the previous year, reflecting a consistently lower level of Lake J. B. Thomas all year.

Total operating and administrative expenses for November stood at $57,202, making $716,137 for the year, or less than the $767,197 for the first 11 months of 1964. The lower water production total lessened costs.

The $1,780,734 excess of revenues over operating expenses goes to retires bonds and pay interest on the CRMWD system. Of the total of 10,511,146,000 gallons sold during the 11-months of 1965, 91.5 per cent came from Lake Thomas, 6.5 per cent from city wells and lakes, and only 2 per cent from the Martin County well field.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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DISMISSALS: Orvill Allen, Randy Beasley, Jim Jackson, James Hall, Jeffery Gilbert, Mrs. Irwin Green and baby girl, Minnie Kellum, Matthew Davis, Leros Brown, Alanacio Flores, Ruth Raudadobaugh, Robinson baby boy, Cora Hart, James Feather, Mrs. Anstico Carbajal and baby girl, Charles Marchbanks, George Lloyd, Patrick Rodriquez, Arthur Melton.

Service For Ex-Resident

Funeral services have been set for 2 p.m. Tuesday at Coleman for Mrs. A. B. Mitchell Jr., former Snyder resident.

Mrs. Mitchell, 32, died at 2:30 p.m. Sunday. She was the widow of the late A. B. Mitchell Jr., whom she had married in Snyder in 1949.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clark of Snyder; a daughter, Debra Collette Mitchell of Coleman; a son, Max Duane Mitchell of Coleman; two sisters, Mrs. Dale Wisner of Del Rio and Mrs. Joe P. Pruitt of Roscoe; and a brother, A. E. Clark Jr. of Earth.

The Rev. Eugene Traylor and the Rev. Carl Elder will officiate at the funeral service at Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman. Burial will be in the Coleman Cemetery.

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