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Sunday update

SCURRY CROP MAY HIT $13½ MILLION

1976 Cotton Moving To Gins

What could turn out to be a $13½-million Scurry County cotton crop is gradualy moving to the gins between spells of winter weather.

The harvest had regained momentum by the middle of the past week following a delay caused by heavy snow Nov. 12-13. Farmers were hoping that another wintry blast this weekend would have less moisture and avoid another long delay. Cotton strippers were virtually immobilized for 10 days or more following the big snow, but by the end of the week, gins were again running around the clock and a backlog was building up on gin yards. Ginning figures were reported approaching the 5,000-bale mark by the time this weekend's norther hit.

So far, the yield has appeared somewhat better than expected. Estimates of a total crop of around 35,000 bales now have been nudged upward to about 40,000 bales.

County Extension Agent Billy Roach said he now believes that the county will harvest as much cotton as it did in 1975, and possibly a bit more. The crop here last year totaled a little over 39,000 bales.

Roach said he also had been surprised by the apparent benefits this year's crop received from the diapause spraying program for boll weevils. The diapause program was designed primarily to enhance conditions for the 1977 crop by reducing the number of boll weevils that over-winter here. However, the program began Sept. 6 and Roach said that some cotton farmers sprayed for weevils on their own just prior to the beginning of the diapause program and managed to tie in perfectly with the county wide wffort. Fields where this occurred have cotton literally from the ground to the tip top of the stalk, Roach said.

Observers in several neighboring counties have become interested in the diapause program as a result of the success here.

Good prices for this year's cotton crop have made the producers especially anxious to get it out of the fields. Most of the cotton in this area yas been bringing 67½ cents to 68½ cents per pound. The great demand for cotton fiber has kep the prices attractive for producers and it also has resulted in a forecast of additional acreage next year. The acreage estimate for Texas has been increased by around a million acres over the total for 1976. The forecasters are predicting that some 5.3 million acres of Texas land will be devoted to cotton next year. This interest in increased acreage apparently stems from the fact that most of the Lower Rio Grande Valley and far south Texas 1977 crop already has been contracted at attractive prices.

Cotton has been a major economic factor in Scurry County for several decades, but the monetary value of this year's crop could be among the top. A 40,000-bale crop at 68 cents per pound would mean a total value of slightly over $13½ million.

"If we can just get good weather from now to Christmas, they'll get it out of the field fast," Roach said.

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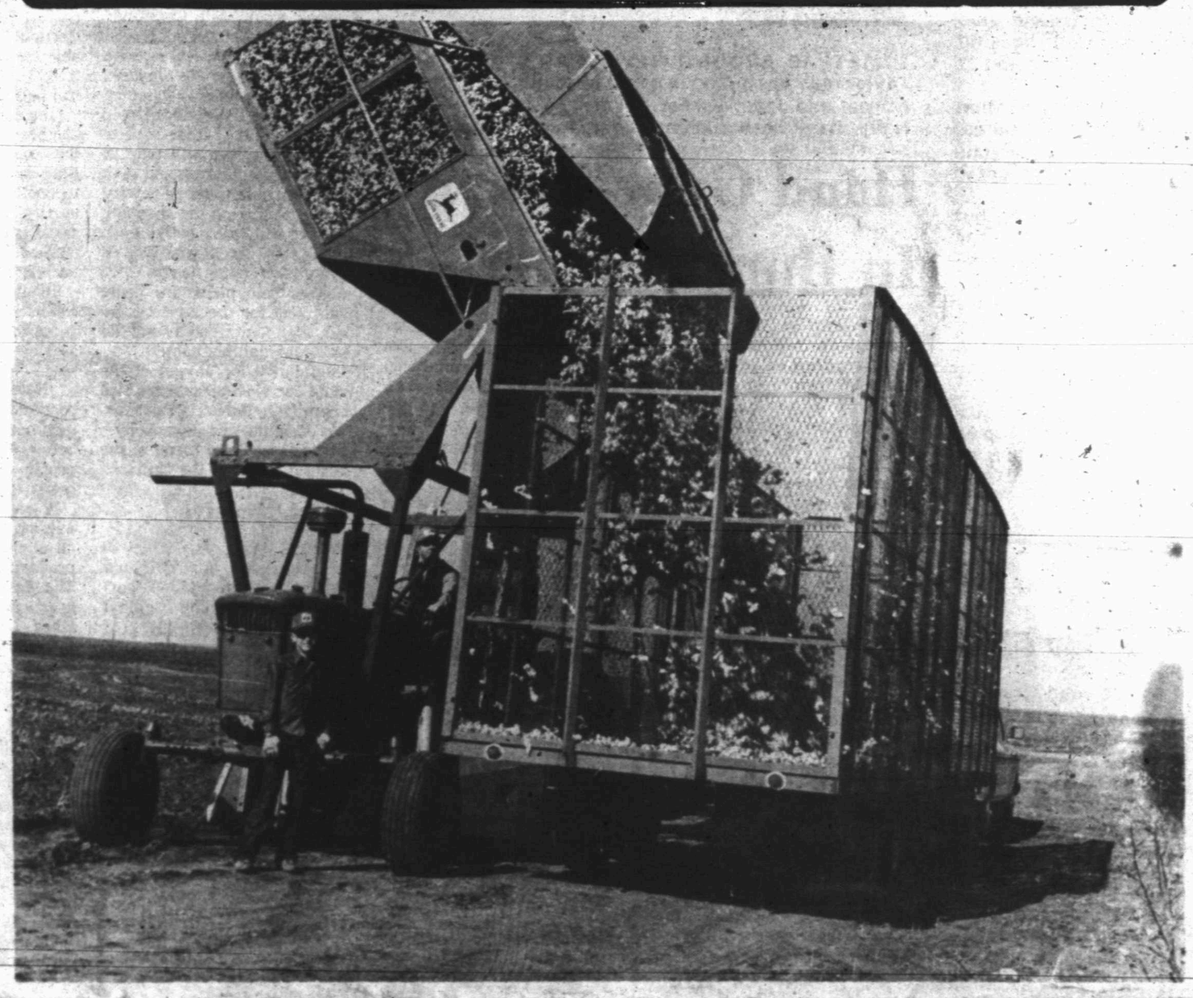

HARVEST MOVES ALONG—Mike Stipe dumps a cotton stripping machine's load into a trailer in a field northwest of Snyder as his son, Curtis, stands by. A lot of area farmers spent Thanksgiving holidays in the fields as they rushed to harvest the 1976 crop, which is bringing unusually good prices on the current market. (SDN Staff Photo)

Quake Victims Buried

MURADIYE, Turkey (AP)—Survivors picked up bodies from the courtyards of mosques and village streets in earthquake-ravaged eastern Turkey today and buried them. Officials said the death toll from the quake could exceed 5,000.

A total of 3,636 bodies were reported counted thus far in the devastated towns of Muradiye, Caldiran, Ercis and Diyadin near Turkey's border with Iran and Soviet Armenia. Authorities estimated that 4,000 persons were injured and 8,000 buildings destroyed.

New stories of death and destruction became known after relief teams reached some of the destroyed villages that were cut off by Wednesday's quake, the strongest in Turkey since tremors that killed 30,000 in Erzincan in 1939.

Forty-four students were killed in the village of Ucozlu, near Caldiran, when their primary school was shaken apart by the termors.

A house collapsed in nearby Alikelle, emtombing 80 persons during a wedding reception.

Search Planes Grounded

By The Associated Press

Search planes were still grounded in the hunt for once plane missing more than a week in northern New Mexico, when a second aircraft disappeared in a winter storm that spread over the state.

Each plane carried a minister and his wife.

Aboard the Piper Cherokee reported missing near Farmington late Friday were the Rev. and Mrs. Lee Corey of Aztec, authorities said.

Almost exactly a week earlier, a plane carrying the Rev. Jack Mackey and his wife, Edna, of Amarillo, Tex., disappeared while on a flight from Amarillo to Taos. Their last reported radio contact was with the Las Vegas, N.M., Airport.

United States Rebuked

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—U.S. allies and rivals joined forces in a 124-1 vote with only three abstentions to rebuke the United States for its repeated refusal to let Vietnam into the United Nations.

Only Britain, West Germany and Israel abstained Friday, and the United States cast the lone negative vote against a General Assembly resolution that rejected as trivial U.S. arguments against admitting Vietnam.

The SDN Column

After reading the story the past week about Mrs. Lloyd West being one of the first women to serve on a jury in West Texas following adoption of a constitutional amendment permitting them to do so, Sam Joyce reminded that women served on a jury in Scurry County back in the twenties.

It may not have been constitutional, but it seems that there was a county court case in which three women and three men formed a six-person jury here. One of the women was Mrs. Wade Winston, Sam Joyce's mother-in-law. The others were Mrs. R. D. English and Miss Alice Lindsey. They joined three men, S. J. Littlepage, A. M. McPherson and Marcus (Mark) Boyd to form the six jurors.

The Dec. 12, 1954 issue of The Snyder Daily News has a story about that early-day jury that included women. At that time, none of the jurors who still lived here could remember the exact date, but they believed that it was in the year of 1923. However, Dan Cotton, who was County Clerk in 1954, dug through some old records and found that checks for $3 each for jury service had been issued to Mrs. Winston and Miss Lindsey for jury service on Aug. 6, 1926. So, that pinpointed it and confirmed that it actually happened.

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How did it come about that women were selected for jury service in 1926, although a constitutional amendment was not passed until 1954 allowing that to happen? Well, it seems that back in those earlier days some courts ruled that the word "men" in the constitution actually meant "mankind" and that any human being could be considered a "man."

However, courts finally decided that it meant male persons only, thereby ruling out women for jury panels.

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Incidentally, Joyce disclosed that there was a Jaycee organization here prior to World War II, but it became inactive during the war and the Jaycees faded from the local picture until the present Jaycee club was chartered in 1950. The present Jaycee Club has been observing "Family Week" the past week. We plan to look up some records on that pre-WWII organization one of these days.

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Renal B. Rosson, former legislator and now a member of the Texas Health Facilities Commission, came "home" for Thanksgiving and stopped by our office briefly Friday morning. He said the commission he serves on has been kept busy and that he often finds himself called on to answer a lot of questions, since he is the only attorney on the commission.—WACIL McNAIR.

There's More In Store for Shoppers During Snyder's Santa Spectacular $3,800 In Free Gifts

Plans Are Announced For New Nursing Home Here

Plans for construction of Snyder Oaks Nursing Home were announced here this weekend.

The new facility will be operated by Robert Helton of Fort Worth and Delwin Burch and Tommy Littlepage of Graham. Approval of their application to the Texas Health Facilities Commission in Austin for a certificate of need here became final Thursday.

The operators said they planned to build a modern, 97-bed nursing home on a 5½-acre tract they have purchased on Thirty-seventh Street east of Faith Baptist Church.

Building plans are being finalized now, and they hope to begin construction in 60 to 90 days.

The operators said they had been working on the project for several months, and they expressed appreciation to a number of Snyder residents who assisted them and supported their application for approval of the project by the Texas Health Facilities Commission.

Lois Graves Realtors handled negotiations for the property where the new nursing home will be located.

Council To Inspect Several Facilities

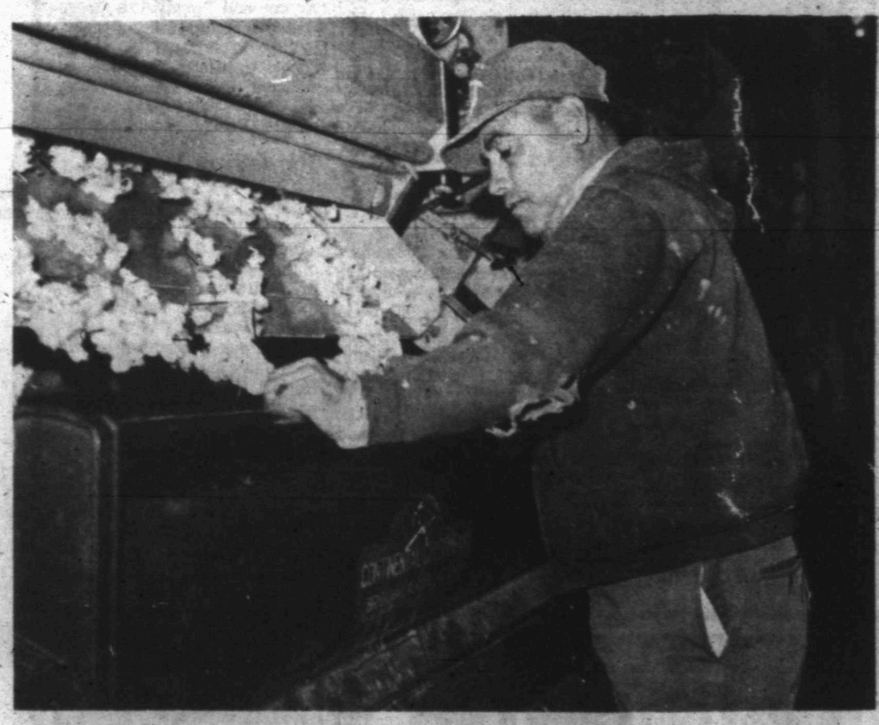
City councilmen will make a tour of some city facilities at the outset of a special session Monday.

They plan to meet at 5:30 p.m. and go to the police station to inspect the new addition to the building there, after which they will consider making final payment for the project.

They also will go to the city's sewage treatment plant south of Thirty-seventh Street on Avenue E to review equipment needs there, and then move to the water treatment plant at Thirty-first and Avenue M to look over the property and the street adjacent to the plant where an expansion project is planned.

When they return to the council chambers at city hall, they will consider bids for the sale of a 1964 Ford fire truck and plans to relocate the city tax office within the city hall.

The addition to the police station was completed recently, and the total contract price was $21,461.48. Upon official acceptance, final payment of $12,997.88 will be due the contractor Wadleigh Construction Co.



GOING THROUGH THE GIN—Henry Rocha, employe at the Paymaster Gin, watches cotton as it moves through the ginning process. The cotton harvest was beginning to gain momentum in Scurry County during the past week.

WORKING FOR GOODFELLOWS—Mrs. Oma Montandon does repair work on a doll contributed to the Snyder Goodfellows. She is one of several in the Retired Senior Volunteer Program who are helping repair items for the Goodfellows who will give them to youngsters for Christmas. Contributions of toys and dolls are being accepted at the Snyder Child Day Care Center and at the Texas Electric Service Co. office. (SDN Staff Photo)

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS 23 DAYS TO GO

12 Courses Set For Mini-Term

Registration will open Dec. 10 for the 10-day Midwinter session at Western Texas College.

Twelve courses are tentatively scheduled for the session. Students may earn three hours of college credit by attending classes for four and one-half hours per day from Jan. 3-8 and Jan. 10-13.

Students who are interested in the mini-session may contact the office of Dr. Duane Hood, Dean of Student Services and Registrar, for further information. Registration will continue through Dec. 24. All offices at the college will be closed from Dec. 27-31.

WTC Tree Lighting Set Monday Night

The third annual Christmas tree lighting program is planned at 6:30 p.m. Monday at Western Texas College.

The 25-foot Christmas tree will be placed in the Central Courtyard and decorated with 50 sets of 50 blue and white lights. The lights will be turned on for the first time at the beginning of the Monday night program.

A program of music is also to begin at 6:30. Performing during the evening will be students from the college, sixth grade choirs from all Snyder elementary schools, the Belles of Joy, a handbell group from the First Baptist Church, the seventh grade girls' choir from Snyder Junior High School, and The Swingers from Snyder High School.

Hot chocolate will be served and Santa Claus will provide special sweet treats for the young children.

The public is invited to attend the program.

Sturdivant Rites Today

Funeral service has been set for 3 p.m. today at the Bell-Seale Chapel for Charlie Algermon Studrivant, 59, who lived at 109 Thirty-fourth Street. Mr. Sturdivant died Friday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

The Rev. L.W. Hatfield of Snyder and Ralph Aycock of Hermleigh will officiate. Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

A native of Borden County, Mr. Sturdivant had lived in Snyder since 1958. He was married on July 13, 1940, in Snyder to Miss Gladys Crabtree. She survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Jimmy Sturdivant of Snyder, Wayne Sturdivant of Bay City and Roy Sturdivant of Alexander, Ark.; two sisters, Mrs. Frances Hardy of Albuquerque, N.M. and Mrs. Della Beach of Odessa; eight brothers, Harold Sturdivant of Sacramento, Calif., Ira Sturdivant of Olathe, Colo., Olen Sturdivent of Odessa, A.E. Sturdivant of Hermleigh, Walter Sturdivant of Clovis, N.M., Lonnie Sturdivant of Albuquerque, John Sturdivant of Jane, Mo., and Alton Sturdivant of Clyde.

Pallbearers will be Buster Hudgins, S.T. Haines, Ray Derryberry, Marvin Boulware, Hubert Gregory and Paul Moore.

COOLER WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Friday, 78 degrees; low, 24 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 24 degrees.

West Texas: Much below normal temperatures continuing with a threat of snow mainly Panhandle and south plains and across higher elevations of Far West Texas. Highs 20s and 30s north to 40s south. Lows near 10 north to 30s south.

A WORD FROM THE PUBLISHER

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Burp!"

Most of us had to hurry back to work right after Thanksgiving, and it's a good thing considering the temptation to over eat on holidays.

These few thoughts might help to digest the bird and that rich dressing. If you have ever wondered where all that money for all those working hours went, you might find these figures interesting.

Taxes take a total of two hours and 39 minutes of each working day. That figures to one hour and 41 minutes for federal taxes and 58 minutes for state and local taxes.

Food and beverages take one hour and five minutes worth of work from your day while housing and household operation takes another hour and 32 minutres.

Clothing requires 29 minutes, transportation takes 39 minutes, medical care takes 25 minutes, recreation takes 19 minutes, and 52 minutes of your working day is spent under the "other" category.

Most of us get some "time off" at holidays, but some also spent part of the day working. The newspaper staff, for instance, worked until noon on Thanksgiving getting out the Thursday edition.

Some other folks worked a full shift, and for those kind of people we are most thankful. While many of us were courting heart failure in front of the tube, a dedicated group of men and women were on the job as usual.

I'm sure we'll omit some group, but here are just a few of the folks who made the day a little happier Thursday: policemen, firemen, nurses, doctors on call, utility plant operators, nursing home employees and ambulance attendants.

Signs of the times:

One local merchant reports good news. One of his regular welfare customers came in the other morning and announced he was leaving for "greener pastures."

Delighted, but curious, the merchant inquired about the man's destination.

"Georgia," was the reply as the man dropped another nickle in the peanut vending machine.---ROY McQUEEN.

County Court Pleas Heard

Three guilty pleas to misdemanor offenses were entered Friday in county court.

Joseph Tyler Fuller pleaded guilty to a charge of possession of less than two ounces of marijuana. He was fined $250 and sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail. He had been arrested by city police officers Nov. 26.

John Edgar Collins pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated. He was fined $100 and given a 30-day jail term probated for six months. He had been arrested Nov. 26 by city police officers.

The third guilty plea was entered by Terry Lee Love to a charge of DWI. Love was fined $100 and sentenced to 30 days in jail, probated for six months. He had been arrested Nov. 20 by city policemen.

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DISMISSALS: Mrs. David Olivarez and baby girl, James Scott, Jessie Perkins, Cherriann Derryberry, Elbert York.

Gas Processors Meet At Hobbs

The fall quarterly meetung ot the Permian Basin Chapter of the Gas Processors Association will be held Thursday evening at the Hobbs Country Club in Hobbs, N.M.

The hospitality hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time), followed by dinner at 7:30. F.B. Foster of United Chemical Co. will be the featured speaker and his topic will be "Corrosion Protection in Field Gas Gathering Systems."

A golf tournament will be held in conjunction with the meeting, starting at 10 a.m. Members and guests are invited.

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SOMETIME AROUND NEW YEAR'S—Elizabeth Taylor may be ringing in a new husband, No. 6. The actress and John Warner, former secrefary of the Navy, have been constant companions of late.

Hand Guns Taken In Burglary Here

A break-in at the Caprock Material Co. netted a burglar four hand guns valued at $601. City policemen reported that a window on the south side of the building was apparently the point of entry for the burglar. The burglary is believed to have occurred between 6 p.m. Nov. 24 and 7 a.m. Nov. 26.

Police officers were also told of a car burglary that occurred at 508 North Avenue T. Tonya May Nobles told officers that sometime between Nov. 24 at 6 p.m. and Nov. 26 at 11:30 a.m., someone entered her unlocked car and removed a wallet containing about $20 in cash.

Joan Lindsey of 901 Twenty-seventh Street told officers that a $50 bill had been taken from her wallet. The theft was reported to the police station 12:45 a.m. Saturday.

Four traffic accidents were also logged in reports at the police station.

The first mishap occurred at 7:41 a.m. Friday at the traffic circle southeast of town. Involved in the mishap were a 1973 Oldsmobile driven by a New Mexico woman, Naomi Davis, and a 1972 Chevrolet driven by Walter Jack Dupree. No one was injured in the mishap, but a wrecker was needed to remove Ms. Davis' vehicle.

The intersection of College Avenue and Twenty-fifth Street was the scene of a collision Friday at 2:46 p.m. A 1975 Buick driven by Clara Noah was in collision with a 1964 Chevrolet driven by Noah Brown.

Later Friday, at 3:09 p.m., a minor collision was reported at Thirty-seventh Street and Avenue V. A 1971 Toyota driven by Cathy Jinkins collided with a 1959 Chevrolet driven by Juan Garcia.

A hit and run mishap was also reported to officers shortly after 4 p.m. Friday. A 1975 Oldsmobile that was parked in the 2500 block of College Avenue was struck by a car which fled the scene of the accident. Only minor damages were reported to the Oldsmobile which was owned by John Brinner.

Professor Retires

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (AP) — Franklin H. Cook, an authority on the legal aspects of the power industries, has retired with emeritus rank from the law faculty of Pennsylvania State University.

Cook was a member of the University faculty for 39 years. He is the author of "Business and the Federal Law."

Projects Are Planned Here By Jaycees

Plans for sponsoring a special movie to benefit the Goodfellows was discussed Friday at the regular meeting of Snyder Jaycees. Jerry Richardson told the club that a movie will be sponsored at the Cinema on Dec. 11. Admission fee will be a new or usable toy. Name of the movie and show times will be announced later.

President Bob Clifton, who presided, announced that Jaycees and the Scurry County Ministerial Alliance will co-sponsor a community Christmas service at 7 p.m. Dec. 20 on the east side of the courthouse square.

Tommy LaRoux reported that Jaycees would sell Christmas trees just east of the square on Twenty-fifth Street, with proceeds going to the Jaycees annual Christmas Shopping Spree for disadvantaged children and other civic projects. Jaycees will take 24 disadvantage children and give each $10 in cash to spend as they choose. Following the shopping trip, they will return to the Sears Building of First Baptist Church for a gift-wrapping party.

Clifton said plans are being made also for the Jaycees annual "Call Santa" night and the Christmas lighting contest.

Nominated for Jaycee of the month for November were Joe Coronado, Robert Pinkston, Fred Castillo and Ron Kelly. The award will be made at the Dec. 3 meeting of the club.

Grant Received

WORCESTER, Mass.(AP) — The Worcester Art Museum recently received a $20,000 purchase grant from the National Endowment for the Arts.

Goodfellows Application

If you know of a person or family (elderly, disabled, a child), regardless of race, color or creed, living within the Scurry County area, who might be forgotten on Christmas Day, fill out this coupon and mail it at once to: The Goodfellows, P.O. Box 661, Snyder, Tx 79549. Last day to receive applications will be December 14. Please print name and address clearly, and fill in all the information requested. If all spaces are not completed correctly, request cannot be considered.

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Langdon Warns Of Oil Straits

By MAX B. SKELTON
AP Oil Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — The chairman of the Texas oil and gas regulatory commission says the nation could find itself in very desperate straits unless it develops contingency plans to meet another disruption in foreign oil supplies.

"I think our nation must recognize not only the possibility but the probability of the disruption of supplies we now depend upon from the Middle East and from other areas," said Jim Langdon, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission.

"We must develop realistic contingency plans to meet any disruption which is more probable than just merely possible. It is very likely to happen. It can happen any time."

Langdon said little progress has been made since 1972 when the commission said it was time for the nation to stress technology and develop other energy sources such as tar sands, shale oil, gasified and liquefied coal, solar energy, and nuclear power.

"Well, we've got a bunch of ration stamps, meaning we're going to require longer lines at service stations," Langdon said.

"Now, that is a hell of a damn poor contingent plan in my judgment. I think we can do better than that. I think the people of this nation deserve better than that."

It was in 1972 that the commission placed the Texas crude oil allowable on a 100 per cent production factor the first time. The state's once healthy excess producing capacity had vanished.

Langdon made his remarks in discussing the commission's recent action of backing away from the 100 per cent factor for the first time in 56 months by placing the December factor at 99 per cent.

The cutback amounts to only 7,500 barrels a day. Daily Texas output exceeds 3,200,000 barrels a day.

But Langdon contends the small cutback is important in that it underscores the point that domestic oil production continues to decline at a time it should be on an upward swing.

Langdon said the commission suspects the prolonged stay on the 100 per cent factor may have damaged some of the state's best wells.

Stated another way, this means the commission and its engineers suspect the long runs at maximum rates may be curtailing the lifetime of the wells and, possibly, curtailing the ultimate amount of oil the wells could produce under a lower but more efficient rate.

"If they are damaged or we think they are, we will probably continue to cutback on allowables until we find the level at which the damage ceases to occur," Langdon said.

Langdon said environmental restrictions have been placed on the development of some energy sources such as oil shale.

"Part of the national policy should be establishing a reasonable balance between cost and dependability and by dependability I mean energy resources that are available to us that cannot be unilaterally cut off by some Arab nation or others," he said.

"I mean energy we can depend upon that is produced right here in the United States and a balance between all these accomplishments and the protection of our environment. I think we can establish this type of balance."

Langdon said other producing states are experiencing similar rates of attrition.

"Texas is not unique," he said. "New Mexico's capability is depleting rapidly. Louisiana, I think, has lost production much faster than Texas. Oklahoma is scraping the bottom of their oil barrel."

Langdon said Texas expects to continue to be a factor in the nation's production of energy even though it is time to let other areas know the state will not be able to continue to supply the volumes of oil and gas they have received in the past.

He said Texas has large lignite coal deposits.

"We are beginning to develop our coal resources. We are developing our thermal power. We are beginning to look towards solar power in the state," Langdon said

Mrs. Hartman's Father Dies

Word has been received here of the death of Chalmer Lovedahl. Mr. Lovedahl, 83, died Wednesday in Iowa City, Iowa.

He was the father of Mrs. Becky Hartman, a former Snyder resident. Mrs. Hartman is the wife of the Rev. Henry Hartman, a former pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church here. Rev. and Mrs. Hartman moved from Snyder the first week of October to Windom, Kan.

Mr. Lovedahl died of complications of a stroke he sufferred several weeks ago.

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Dr. Lamb

Plenty wrong with this marriage

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I'm sure my husband or I need help. I have been married 34 years and my marriage is falling apart. We argue over nothing. It is mostly about his brother, who had surgery. He always refers to "my brother." He acts like the sun rises and sets in him and his whole family. He even kisses the sister-in-law on the mouth when he sees her. He acts like she is so attractive and she doesn't look any better than I do.

Everything their children do is great. Everything our children do is wrong. I know you are going to say I'm jealous, but I have heard it so much I'm tired of it all.

I have always been able to cope with this until our sex life went to pot. And this isn't my fault. I enjoy sex! He is tired. He works too hard. He is impotent. He is in his late 50s. I have begged him to talk this over with his doctor. He says nothing is wrong. He takes Aldomet, Valium, water pills daily and aspirin.

He has a nasty disposition and sudden changes in personality. You never know what to expect. After our last argument I moved out of his bedroom, and I really think he is glad.

DEAR READER—You both need help. To begin with look at your letter to me again. You refer to "I have been married" and "my marriage." It is WE and OUR. That may have something to do with your relationship with your husband.

Your husband has high blood pressure problems, and that is why he is taking medicine. The medicines may control his blood pressure but decrease his sexual capacity. His high blood pressure and medicines may also have affected his personality.

You may be able to help him by improving his life style. You can help him lose any excess weight he has. A gradual loss of any fat around the middle or elsewhere may lower his blood pressure. The best effect is obtained by getting rid of ALL the excess fat, not just part of it. That could decrease his need for medicines. Also eliminate any of the stimulating drinks that contain caffeine, such as coffee and tea. If you take an interest in his problem, help him with his diet and encourage enjoyable physical activity it may improve his attitude toward you.

Because of your husband's medical problem I agree that he should talk over his loss of interest in sex with his doctor. It is not an unusual symptom. I think you both should try to see a marriage counselor, but he should be made aware of your husband's medical problems.

When things go wrong between two people they are not likely to be compatible in the bedroom for long either. You can't fight all day and expect your husband to switch off his aroused hostility and love you tenderly at night. In many ways most people get out of marriage exactly what they put into it.

Remember that your husband's brother and sister-in-law are no threat to him. With his decreased capacity, you as a wife are. You will need to develop a helpful attitude if you want to get your marriage back on the track and encourage him to treat all of you better.

Your whole problem is not your husband's impotence, that is just a symptom, but to give you more helpful information I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-12, Impotence. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Just send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, Ny 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB—Six years ago I had infectious hepatitis. Recently I came into contact with someone who stated she had yellow jaundice. I would like to know if yellow jaundice is contagious and, if so, how is it transmitted? I would also like to know if these are similar diseases or what the differences between the two may be.

I have been told that a person who has had hepatitis is not permitted to donate blood. Is this true? Also, what damage is done to the liver if a person is infected with hepatitis a second time?

DEAR READER—Jaundice is a sign of many different diseases. It can be caused by pernicious anemia from vitamin B-12 deficiency. Or it can be caused from excess blood destruction in other forms of anemia.

Jaundice can be caused by any number of infections involving the liver, including yellow fever, and infectious hepatitis. In this instance the liver is no longer able to form bile and eliminate excess pigment.

The liver may be damaged by chemicals—including alcohol—to the extent that it cannot rid the body of pigments that cause jaundice. The liver can also be damaged by cancer.

The drainage of bile from the liver may be blocked, causing jaundice. This can occur from stones in the bile duct, small obstructions in the smallest bile ducts or even a tumor surrounding the bile duct from cancer of the pancreas.

There are two forms of infectious hepatitis that cause jaundice (and both can occur without evident jaundice, too.) One type is from a virus in contaminated food or water. This disease is contagious in the way that food poisoning is contagious, and if you do not eat or drink anything containing the virus you will not catch the disease.

The other form of hepatitis was once called serum hepatitis as it is transmitted by the blood. It tends to occur after receiving blood or plasma that contains the virus. It can occur when a cut or break in the skin is exposed to bodily secretions containing the virus. Surgeons have a high risk of being infected, from a nick in the skin and contamination from a person who harbors the infectious virus. Drug addicts who use contaminated needles are apt to get this form of hepatitis.

The persistence of the virus in blood and bodily secretions has resulted in blood banks trying to avoid obtaining blood from anyone who has ever had the disease, and that usually means turning down all potential donors who have had jaundice. A blood test is also done to determine if a person has had an infection or is a carrier of the virus.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 7-8, Living With Your Liver, to give you more information on how the liver works and what causes jaundice. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. You can't tell how much damage will result from infectious hepatitis. Many people recover without any apparent residual damage.

I should add that serum hepatitis (Hepatitis B) can be transmitted in other ways besides needles and blood transfusions. I do not know what kind of jaundice your friend has, but everyone needs to know that this form of hepatitis can also be transmitted by sexual intercourse.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

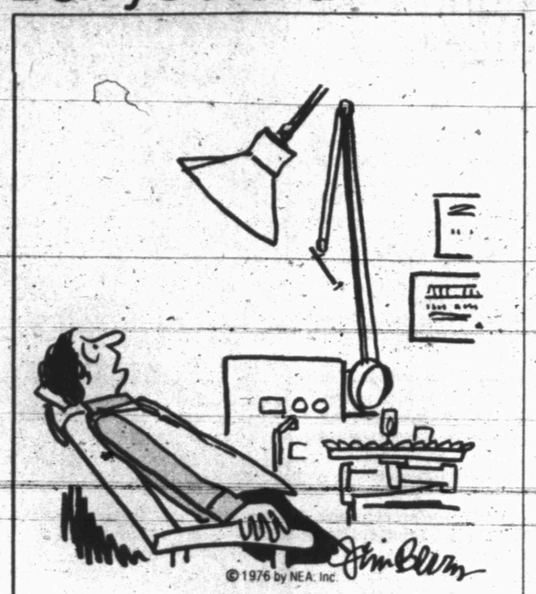
Christmas Time To Pick Spouse

CHICAGO (AP) — Christmas is traditionally a time for prayer and celebration. But in some countries it's also a time to pick a spouse, according to World Book Encyclopedia.

Swiss youths may visit nine fountains on their way to midnight services and take three sips of water from each. Legend says if they do this, they will find their future husband or wife waiting at the church door.

In Czechoslovakia, a girl can "predict" her wedding plans by putting a cherry twig in water on December 4. If it blossoms before Christmas Eve, she will marry sometime that year.

Berry's World



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"Of all the stupid things! Why did I go to 'Marathon Man' and watch that drilling scene LAST NIGHT?"

DIVERSIFIED

BY BILLY E. ROACH
COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT

COTTON BURS AND GIN TRASH:

One of the many problems associated with harvesting cotton is what to do with burs and gin trash at the gins. Since the elimination of burning the disposal of this product has caused a lot of head scratching.

There has been some suspicion in the past years that large piles of trash provide good overwintering quarters for boll weevils. Last spring trap catches near bur piles as compared with good native overwintering sites indicated that these large bur piles contained larger numbers of overwintered weevils than the best native habitat.

We realize that these burs and gin trash are used quite advantageously, by livestock producers as supplemental feed. These usually disappear as the winter progresses.

To help ease this situation we would like to suggest that these bur piles used for cattle feed be made smaller and more shallow. If burs were placed in this manner and cattle allowed to eat and further scatter the burs, survival of weevils would be more difficult.

If burs are applied to the land, they should be well spread and turned under as soon as possible. This would destroy any live weevils that were present.

PECAN INSECT AND DISEASE CONTROL

If your pecans were like mine this year, you were probably a little disappointed when you harvested. Now is a good time to assess your pecan insect and disease control program and make necessary changes for next year.

According to our plant disease specialist, the homeowner who is trying to produce pecans without following a complete spray program can be compared to a swimmer who decides to swim across a lake but will use only one arm. He will thrash around a lot but his chances of getting to the other side are very slim. That pecan grower who is following only parts of a program may thrash around a lot at the end of the season but his crop of good pecans will be very short.

Homeowners that have pecan trees should get a copy of the Fact Sheet, L-1140 entitled "Suggested Spray for Homeowners" and follow the program that is outlined. In years of above average rainfall, or during periods of heavy rainfall, additional fungicide applications may be required. The fact sheets are available at our office in Agriculture Complex Building on east highway.

Poetry President

THIBODAUX, La. (AP) — Dr. Glen R. Swetman, professor of English at Nicholls State University, was recently elected president of the National Federation of State Poetry Societies.

Feds To Study Steel Increases

By The Associated Press

The price of steel is going up Dec. 1, and the federal government wants to know why.

The round of price increases was started Wednesday by the National Steel Corp., the nation's third largest producer, which boosted prices by about 6 per cent. Four other steelmakers quickly followed suit.

The sheet products affected by the increase are used to make automobiles and consumer goods including appliances, but how the retail prices of those items will be affected was not immediately known.

Following National Steel's price hike announcement, the Council on Wage and Price Stability said in Washington it had been directed by the White House to begin a study of the increases. The council has no power to order the steelmakers to roll back prices, however.

National, a major producer of flat-rolled products, said the increases would cover only part of its increased costs, and asserted that sheet product prices have lagged behind prices on other steel products.

National said the increases would be effective Dec. 1.

Also announcing price hikes were Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp., Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp., Armco Steel Corp., Inland Steel Co., and Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co.

The timing of the move surprised some industry observers, since the chairman of U.S. Steel Corp., the largest producer, had said earlier this month that any price changes would come next year.

If the market sustains the increases, their effects on the economy will be left for President-elect Jimmy Carter, when he moves into office in January.

Carter, meanwhile, sought this past week to quiet speculation that he is strongly considering a tax cut to give the economy a boost.

Elsewhere in business this week:

—The price of the Mexican peso in exchange markets dropped this week to 3.5 cents from 4 cents, its third devaluation since this summer. The devaluation means that a dollar will buy 28.5 pesos now compared with 22 pesos a week ago and 12.5 pesos this August.

—Sears, Roebuck & Co., the nation's largest retail store chain and catalog business, reported a 34 per cent increase in third quarter earnings over a year ago.

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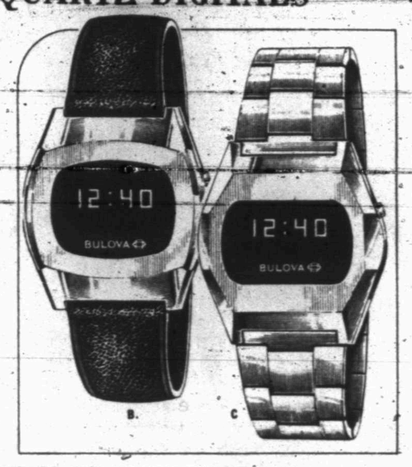

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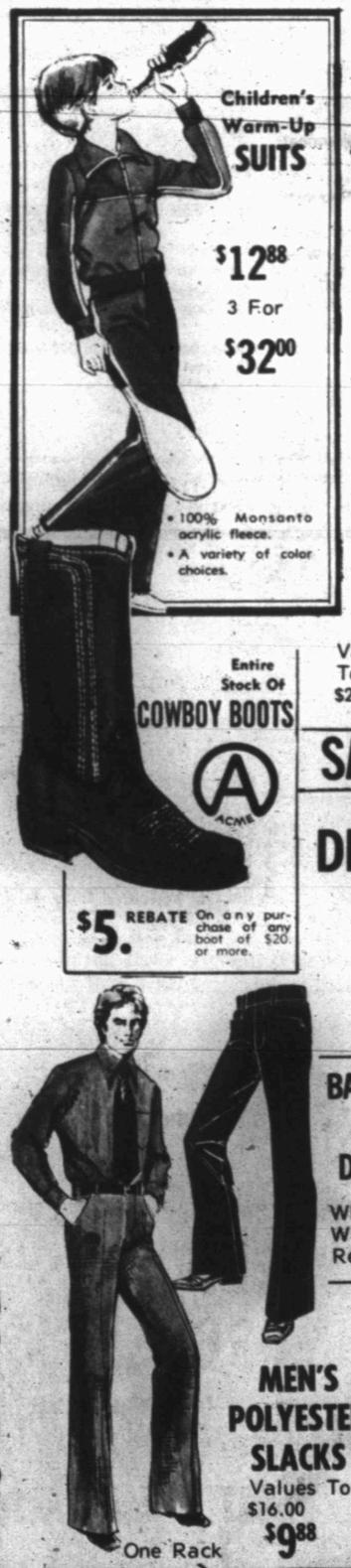

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Rita Guerra, James Brady United In Church Ceremony

Rita Guerra and James Michael Brady were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony at Colonial Hill Baptist Church Nov. 13 at 3 p.m. Rev. Miller Robinson officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Guerra, Diamond M Ranch, Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brady, 1850 South Yates, Denver, Colo.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an ivory candlelight peau de soie two piece gown. The gown was trimmed with Chantilly lace and re-embroidered with seed pearls. The jacket with a long full peplum with a ruffle of miromist was also trimmed with Chantilly cutout roses and re-embroidered seed pearls. Her shoes were covered with the same Chantilly lace and re-embroidered with seed pearls. Her shoes were trimmed by Mrs. Pat Falls, a friend of the family. Her headpiece had a short shoulder length veil. The bouquet was trimmed with blue carnations and a blue and white streamers tied with love knots.

For something old she wore her maternal great-grandmother's gold wedding band; something borrowed was a beautiful antique diamond broach belonging to Mrs. Pat Falls; something blue was a garter given to her by Mrs. Doug Whetsel, a close friend of the family.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was her cousin Linda Jimenez of Ft. Worth. She wore a light blue satin gown trimmed in ivory lace.

Little Miss Andrea Garcia was flower girl. She wore a royal blue satin gown trimmed in ivory lace and wore tiny light blue roses with royal blue velvet ribbon in her hair, she carried a basket covered in ivory lace with royal blue velvet bows.

Petra Quiros, Mary Luera, Selma Hill and Pat Luera, all of Snyder and Mrs. Ed McDonald, sister of the bride of Big Spring served as bridesmaids. They wore royal blue satin gowns, trimmed in ivory lace. The bride's dress and all her attendants attire were designed and fashioned by the bride's mother.

The bridesmaids and maid of honor carried nosegays of lace and little white and light blue roses with royal blue and white streamers. Their headdress was fashioned with one royal blue rose with all royal blue streamers and a tiny blue rosebud at the end of each streamer. They were made by Mrs. Pete Jimenez of Ft. Worth.

Mike Taylor of Snyder attended the bridegroom as best man. Don Henderson of Midland, Ed McDonald of Big Spring, brother-in-law of the bride, Dan Fisher, Earl Krieg and David J. Guerra, brother of the bride, served as groomsmen.

Ed McDonald, David Guerra and Earl Krieg served as ushers.

Mrs. Mitch Rambin registered wedding guests. The register table, covered with a white cloth, was centered with a candelabrum.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Guerra chose a rose pink formal length gown. A corsage of rose pink carnations complimented her attire. Mrs. Brady wore a formal length mint green gown, complimented by a corsage of white carnations.

Mrs. Mike Mitchell, pianist, accompanied Mrs. Albert Mac Taylor as she sang "Love Story" and "The Lord's Prayer". Both selections were sung in Spanish.

The bride's parents hosted the reception at the fellowship hall of the church. The bride's table was covered with a lace pleated cloth that hung to the floor. Appointments of silver and crystal and a centerpiece of greenery, blue votive candles and white alabaster doves adorned the table. The beautiful six tier white wedding cake, trimmed with blue and light blue wedding bells, was made by Mrs. Pete Jimenez. Presiding at the bride's table were Mrs. Bill Caldwell, sister of the bride and Miss Frieda Stephens.

The groom's table was covered with a royal blue skirt and a gold lace overskirt. The centerpiece was a brass and marble candelabrum with blue roses and candles. A brass coffee service and crystal completed the table setting. German chocolate cake, made by Mrs. Pete Jimenez, was served by Miss Tana Springer and Miss Barbara Lacik.

Andrea Garcia and Terri de la Cruz of Ft. Worth handed out rice bags.

Parents of the groom hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Shack.

The bride, a graduate of Snyder High School, was employed by Chevron Oil Co. in Snyder. The groom, a graduate of Colorado State University, is employed by Chevron Oil Co. in Denver, Colo.

After a short wedding trip to El Paso and other points in Texas, the couple will be at home in Denver, Colo.

Out-of-town wedding guests were from Midland, Big Spring, Ft. Worth, Irving, Edinburg, Paris, Houston, San Angelo and Austin, Denver and Colorado Springs, Colo.

Caverns Upstaged

STANTON, Mo: (AP) — The multimillion-year-old formations are not the scene most photographed by tourists visting Meramec Caverns here.

Upstaging the formations is a lifelike statue of Jesse James, the notorious outlaw, who used the hideout in the cave during the 1870s.

"Tourists enjoy having their pictures taken in front of Jesse," says Bob Hudson, cave manager.

Columbia University in New York was originally named King's College.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MONDAY

Christmas tree lighting ceremony, 6:30 p.m., Central Courtyard at Western Texas College. Public invited.

HOPE For Tomorrow will meet at 6 p.m. at the Learning Resource Room at WTC.

Weight Watchers will meet at 7:00 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

TUESDAY

Alpha Study Club will meet at 3 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Katie Jackson as hostess.

THURSDAY

Snyder Writers Guild will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the West Texas State Bank Community Room.

FRIDAY

The annual Chili Supper and Bazaar will be held from 5-8 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club. A tour of homes will be held in conjunction with the events. Tickets are $1.50 for the supper and $1 for the tour of homes, and may be purchased from club members or at the woman's club.

Open duplicate bridge at 1:30 p.m. at Snyder Country Club.

SATURDAY

The annual Newcomer's Club Christmas Party will be held in the Thomas Scannicchio home, 2604 Thirty-fourth St. The event, for members and their husbands, will begin at 8 p.m.

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♣ Q

Both vulnerable

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Opening lead — Ace ♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

The late Walter F. Wyman of Boston was a regular contributor to the early Bridge World magazines. Not only was he a fine player and writer, but a delightful person and a great gentleman.

The bidding may be explained in part by the fact that North and South had a 40-point part score, so that two spades made game.

North really should have bid three spades over the last-ditch three clubs bid by Mr. Wyman who sat West, but this was 1930 and people were afraid of overcalls. Anyway, North did pass and South tried three diamonds which became the final contract.

Against the normal lead of the nine of hearts (no one had tried the lead of third best from three back then) East would try to cash three heart tricks. South would ruff, draw trumps and wind up with game and rubber.

The normal lead was not made. Walter led his ace of spades first. Then he shifted to a heart. East won and led back a spade. It was obvious to East that Walter had led a singleton ace. It was equally obvious to South who played low. Walter took his queen, put his partner back in with a second heart and set the contract by means of a spade ruff.

Ask the Jacobys

We continue to get questions about how far the bidding should be carried when there is a part score and the opener makes a forcing two bid.

The answer to this question is that responder must bid once, but may pass opener's minimum rebid of his own suit.

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The Jacobys will answer individual questions if stamped, self-addressed envelopes are enclosed. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MONDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Whip butter and honey together for serving with hot breads.
Poor Boy Steak w-Country Gravy
Buttered Green Beans
Creamed Potatoes
Chilled Fruit Cocktail
Hot Rolls & Butter
Milk

TUESDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Blend peanut butter and honey together for sandwich or hot bread spread. Add applesauce for variety.
Hot Dog on Bun w-Homemade Chili
Condiments: Catsup-Mustard-Chopped Onion
Pork & Beans
Creamy Cole Slaw
Chocolate Pudding
Milk

WEDNESDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Whip together concentrated orange juice and butter to make a vitaminized spread for hot rolls.
Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich
Campbell's Tomato Soup
Orange Wedge
Applesauce Cake
Milk

THURSDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Whip equal parts of nonfat dry milk and water. Fold into flavored gelatin mixture.
Deep Sea Fish Sticks
Condiments: Catsup & Tartar Sauce
Cole Slaw
Rosy Applesauce w-Cowboy Cookie
Cornmeal Rolls & Butter
Milk

FRIDAY

HOUSEHOLD HINTS: Sprinkle chocolate bits and nutmeats over top of cake before baking.
Sausage & Cheese Pizza w-Grated Cheese
Buttered Mixed Vegetables
Tosses Salad w-Italian Dressing
Pineapple Upside Down Cake
Milk

SECONDARY SCHOOL

Chicken Fried Steak w-Country Gravy
Buttered Green Beans
Mashed Potatoes
Apple Cobbler
Milk

TUESDAY

Italian Spaghetti w-Ground Beef Parmesan Cheese, Garnish
Tossed Garden Salad w-Dressing
Sliced Peaches
Applesauce Cake
Garlic Bread w-Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Deep Fried Catfish Filets w-Condiments: Catsup & Tartar Sauce
Baked Potato Half
Creamy Cole Slaw
Strawberry Banana Pie
Cornmeal Twist
Milk

THURSDAY

Grilled Cheese Sandwich w-Western Chili
Carrot & Celery Sticks
Fresh Fruit
Cherry Cake
Milk

FRIDAY

Manager's Choice

According to National Geographic Society, no one knows the origins of the inhabitants of Madagascar, the world's fourth largest island.

DECEMBER WEDDING PLANNED—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Riley announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tonya Kay, to Douglas Gene Phipps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phipps. A December wedding is planned. (Photo by Craft)

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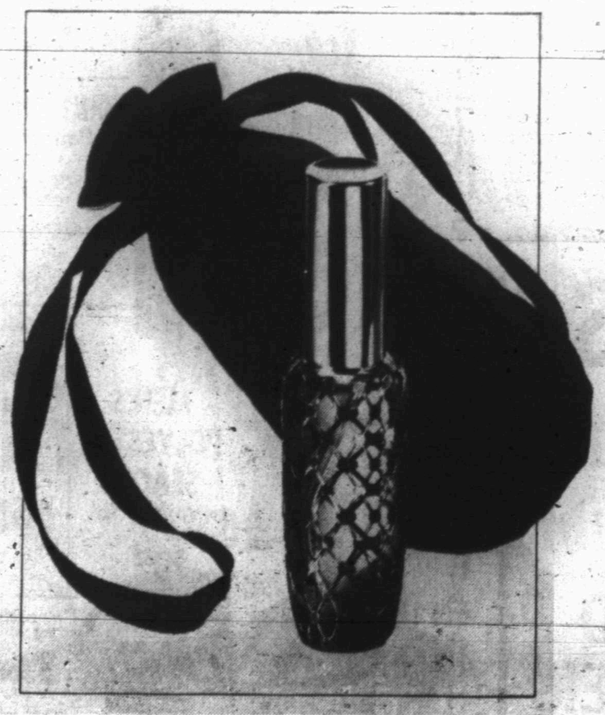

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Tour Of Homes Slated Dec. 3

After a lapse of two years, a tour of homes will again be sponsored by the Martha Ann Woman's Club in conjunction with the annual Christmas bazaar and chili supper Dec. 3, beginning at 5 p.m. and continuing until 8 p.m.

New homes to be seen are the Bill Seales, 2501 Thirty-fourth St. Bill Ziskes, on Towle Park Road, and Worth Sayners, 2601 Thirty-fourth St.

Price for the chili supper is $1.50 and for the tour of homes $1. Tickets may be purchased from members of the participating clubs or at the Martha Ann Womans' Club.

One enters the Seale home through a hall laid with flagstone and turns to the left into Mrs. Seale's favorite room the kitchen, with lime green and white cabinets, yellow and white checked shades and curtains, an oven and microwave above, both built into a partitioning brick wall. A bricked archway over the cooking area gives an illusion of openness into the wide hall that leads to other rooms of the house.

Very new and versatile features of the built-in stove are the convertible charcoal grill and the Jenn-Air ventilator, which draws cooking odors downward and out.

Beyond the attractive room divider is the dining area, carpeted in green. Above the table, a colorful light fixture equipped with rheostat.

A few steps down from the dining room is the spacious living room in which the colors of lime green yellow, and burnt orange are continued.

One end of the room is dominated by a brick wall with fireplace. From the rows of windows on the east overlooking the patio, a panoramic view of the city can be enjoyed.

Other rooms of interest are their son's room, decorated in red and black; the master bedroom; his and her bathroom; and the utility room.

Mrs. Seale stated that in order to have their individual preferences, she and her husband drew the plans for their new home.

Built around an atrium, the expansive Spanish designed house of dark brick with white tile roof is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ziske and family.

An enclosure leads into the large living room, the special features of which are the paneled wall on the left, covered with a collection of paintings and brick fireplace on the opposite side. A tile floor of beige and brown Spanish design extends through the living room, hall and kitchen.

Massive furniture upholstered in leather occupies one end of the living room. At the other end are sofa and chairs in blue and yellow velvet.

A colorful aquarium with exotic inhabitants is sure to create interesting conversation.

In the kitchen, a barbeque island is equipped with a Jenn-Air ventialtor. Gleaming stainless steel covers the cabinet tops, and above are cabinets of polished natural wood.

Off the hall leading from the kitchen are three bedrooms, each decorated in the taste of the individual occupying the rooms.

An innovation of the walk-in closet is the light switch which turns on and off with the opening and closing of the door.

In the other bedroom wing, leading from the living area, are the master bedroom in colors of brown and beige, and son Billy's room done in deep blue and beige.

Adjoining the master bedroom is a triangular-shaped study.

Featured in this area is a walk-in closet approximately twelve by twelve feet. A center cube, designed for shoes and with drawers for small articles of clothing is of special interest.

This home is the epitome of comfort and practicality.

A beautifully landscaped miniature courtyard flanks the walk leading to the entrance of the Worth Sayner home at 2601 Thirty-fourth St.

The floor of the entry hall is onyx which the Sayners imported from Guadalajara, Mexico. One must see it to appreciate its beauty.

In the living room, a row of delft plates from Copenhagen stretch across the paneled wall to the left. They were designed by Hans Christian Anderson and are collectors items.

Colors of green, beige and orange are chosen for the furniture and repeated in the carpet.

The beamed cathedral ceiling enhances the charm of this spacious room. An old-time ceiling fan from the old Wooten Hotel in Abilene is an interesting feature as well as the large, round marble-topped coffee table with claw feet. It was once a dining table, and converted into a coffee table by Mr. Sayner.

Two large western paintings by Harry Brunk hang on opposite walls.

A fireplace at one end and a wall of windows overlooking the patio are the finishing touches to this delightful room.

Mr. Sayner's study displays mementoes of travels and hobbies, including an interesting clock from Switzerland and a rare coin collection. A large desk, a television and comfortable chiars, complete the decor.

A unique feature is the bath, off the study. The shower divider becomes a built-up tile wall which eliminates the need for a shower curtain, Mr. Sayner's own design.

Outstanding features of the spacious kitchen are the stove with the Jenn-Air ventilator and the marblized formica cabinet tops.

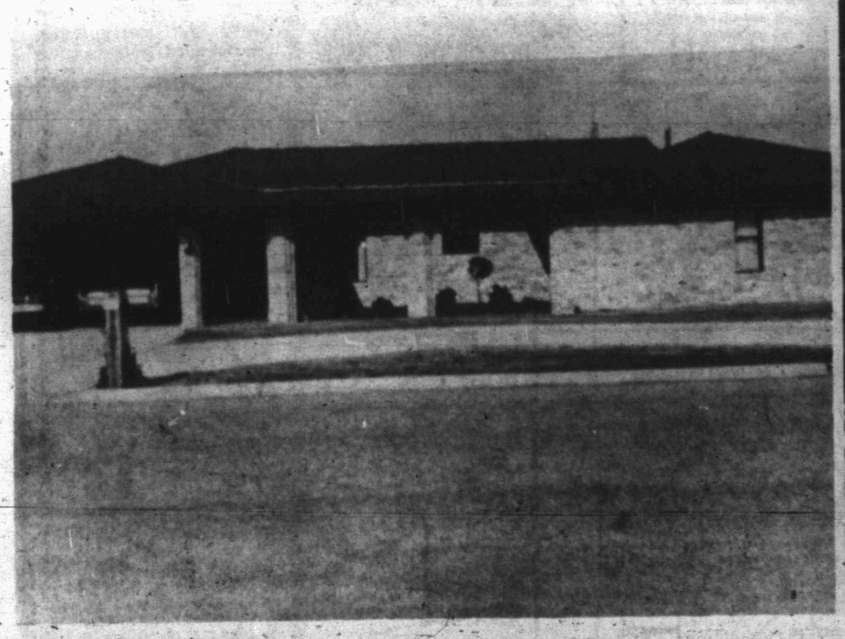
On the wall of the hall leading into the guest bedroom is an unusual display of backs of menus, framed and hanging, mementoes of a cruise taken by Mr. and Mrs. Sayner.

A walk from the house leads to a hobby house in which Mr. Sayner spends much of his leisure time.

TOUR OF HOMES—The Bill Seale home, located at 2501 Thirty-fourth Street, will be open to the public Dec. 3 for the Tour of Homes, sponsored by Martha Ann Woman's Club.

FAVORITE ROOM—Finnie Seale's favorite room is the kitchen. She designed the area to be both cheerful and convenient. The bricked archway over the cooking area gives an illusion of openness to the Seale home.

MASTER BEDROOM—The master bedroom of the Seale home is carpeted in lemon yellow with splashes of lime green carried out in the decor. (Bright cheery colors are obviously favorites of Finnie Seale). Items in the wall grouping above have special meaning and add a personal touch to the room.



MINIATURE COURTYARD—A beautifully landscaped miniature courtyard flanks the walk leading to the entrance of the Worth Sayner home at 2601 Thirty-fourth St. Their home will be featured in the Tour of Homes.

Coming's And Going's

Justin Hood and Stephanie Smith of Austin are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Floyd and Steve are Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Babcock of Monahans.

Visiting in the Avon Rushing home this week has been his mother, Mrs. L.E. Rushing of Winnsboro. Also home for the holidays were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Almond and Shawn of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rushing of Amarillo.

Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wallace, Gary, Steve, Lesa, Jan, Amy and Kim of San Angelo.

BARBEQUE ISLAND—A barbeque island equipped with the Jenn-Air ventilator is a unique feature in the Ziske kitchen. The barbeque can be converted into a grill.

SPANISH STYLE—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ziske, Towle Park Road, will be featured in the Tour of Homes slated for Dec. 3. Black brick with white tile roof are characteristic of the Spanish Influence.

WESTERN SCULPTURES—A collection of western sculpture by Mike Gorman is one of the many treasured pieces of art to be found in the Ziske home. They have several of Gorman's original works.

UNIQUE CHAIR—Bill Ziske stands beside the Cattle Baron chair, a gift from his wife on his birthday, which by the way is on April Fools Day. She contrived the chair at her first visit to the Annual Rattle Snake Round-Up at Sweetwater. Also a unique item in their home is the picture (bottom left) made by Mrs. Ziske father. The picture is made of inlaid woods in their natural state, "A lost Art" Ziske commented.

MASSIVE FIREPLACE—Mr. and Mrs. Worth Sayner, 22601 Thirty-fourth St., will welcome visitors to their home Dec. 3 during the Tour of Homes to be held from 5-8 p.m. The lovely massive fireplace is the focal point of the large living area.

PICTURESQUE VIEW—From the master bedroom, Mrs. Sayner enjoys a picturesque view of Snyder. The landscaped backyard, fenced in cross-ties, is also in view

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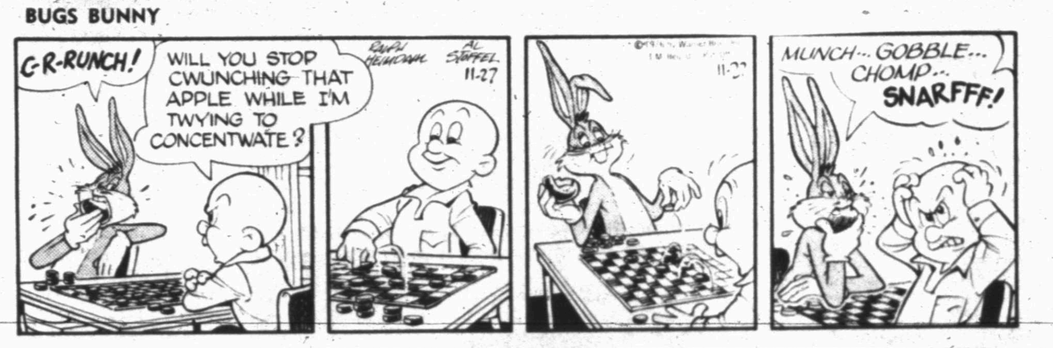

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ACROSS

1 Good (Lat.)
5 Criticize severely (colloq.)
8 Franklin and Hur
12 More than
13 Cameroon tribe
14 Circular
15 Ice mass
16 Comedian Sparks
17 Greek Juno
18 Nosed
20 Jaunty
21 Meal
22 Day (Heb.)
23 Peace (Lat.)
26 Most inclined to slumber
31 Let in
33 Cooled lava
34 Skin problem
35 Not plump
36 Female religious (abbr.)
37 Composer Dvorak
38 Makes temple for
41 Admit
42 Auxiliary (abbr.)
43 Greek letter
45 Religious poem
48 Seasoning
52 Woman's name
53 Few (Fr.)
54 Island in the Mediterranean
55 Lament
56 Badly
57 Employs
58 Lively
59 Compass point
60 Thaw

DOWN

1 Dunks
2 Level
3 Roman emperor
4 Rye fungus
5 Gland
6 Retired
7 Give silent assent
8 Arty
9 At all
10 Spy employed by police
11 Kill
19 Varmint
20 Kitsch
22 Affirmative reply
23 Become faded
24 Arabian port
25 Christian holiday
27 Get as deserved
28 Outer (prefix)
29 Flaky storm
30 Volunteer state (abbr.)
32 Mist for breathing
36 High die number
37 Very pale
39 Alcoholic beverage
40 Bastion
44 Intestinal part
45 Splendor
46 Wild plum
47 Ceylon moss
48 Units of sound
49 If not
50 Biblical character
51 Speedy
53 Greek letter (pl.)

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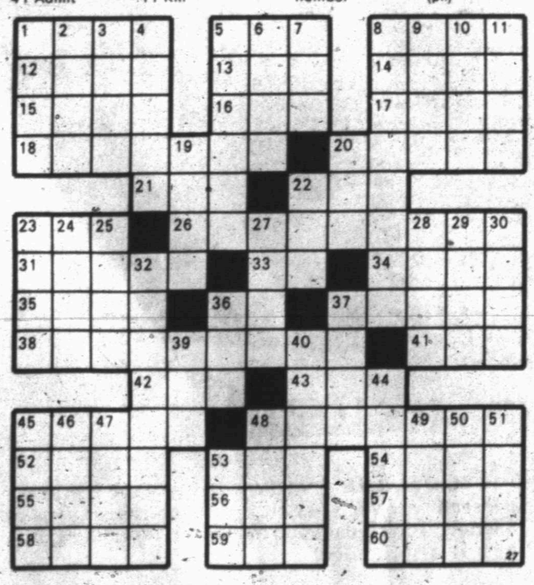

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Skull Find May Provide Clues To 'Bodo Man'

DALLAS (AP) — The recently discovered almost complete facial skeleton of "Bodo man" may provide some clues to the living habits of the first "men" (homo erectus) who lived 500,000 years ago, Southern Methodist University anthropologists say.

The discovery in Ethiopia of what is believed to be the only complete Homo erectus face known to science was announced Friday by Dr. Fred Wendorff, Henderson-Morrison professor of anthropology at SMU and leader of the expedition.

Wendorff said the well-preserved skull was found by the Rift Valley Research Mission sponsored by SMU and other institutions under the direction of Jon Kalb, an American geologist living in Ethiopia.

It was discovered by Alemayehu Safaw of the Ethiopian Ministry of Culture and Yale University Primatologist Paul Whitehead near the eastern bank of the Awash River, a region rich in archeological data.

Tests indicate the skull could be as much as half a million years old, said Wendroff.

SMU scientists said they expect to find more of the skull and perhaps the skeleton that goes with it when they return to the site.

"For the first time, we may be able to understand something of the variety of activities and the amount of sophistication of these Paleolithic hominids," Wendorff said. "One of several interesting puzzles that intrigue us is the question of how they were able to kill, for example, a hippopotamus."

He said the remarkable preservation of the delicate facial bones and animal skeletons was due to the fine silt from a nearby lake that covered them shortly after they were deposited on the ground.

Fossilized skeletons of nine hippopotami and partial skeletons of several crocodiles and antelope also were found in the area about 40 meters from where the fossil face was discovered.

The ten-member expedition also found hand-axes in strata above and below that bearing the fossil face.

Members of the expedition said the area appeared to have been a base camp and butchering site for Bodo Man and his family or tribe.

The first homo erectus known to science was found in Central Java in the 1890s.

Since that time, fragmentary remains of some 50 individuals with similarities to the first "Java man" have been found in the area.

The biggest concentration of the species found to date was near Peking where the fragmentary remains of 75 individuals were unearthed beginning in 1927.

Cylinders Aren't Worth Their Salt

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Cylinders just aren't worth their salt anymore as containers, some manufacturers say. They're switching to rectangular boxes to save space on supermarket shelves.

But some shoppers appear reluctant to give up the sturdy, round cardboards that children have used for play telephones and grade school art projects.

Earlier this month, Leslie Salt Co. of Fremont and Safeway food stores of Oakland started packaging sodium chloride in boxes.

"Boxes fit neatly on grocery and household shelves, whereas cylinders leave space where corners would be," said Ron Murphy, vice president of Leslie. "Market research indicates that shoppers will buy boxes once they become used to them."

The cylindrical cartons — three layers of cardboard wrapped around an asphalt liner — were introduced before World War I, because the boxes of that era weren't considered strong enough.

Morton, one of Leslie's competitors, says it doubts that the boxes of 1976 are strong enough either.

"They look like sugar boxes," said Morton's Northern Californian manager, Clem Teeters. "Boxes just aren't strong enough to prevent leaks, given the usual handling they receive.

"On the other hand, if you're under 200 pounds and you step lightly on one of our cylinders, it doesn't cave in. That's good packaging."

At one Safeway store here, manager Bob Young predicted it will "take shoppers a long time to break an old habit. Look at the shelf."

ASTRO-GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

For Sunday, Nov. 28, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You'll be difficult to reach today because you're not apt to tell others what's on your mind. Open up. Let your hair down.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't make mountains out of molehills today. You're a bit too sensitive and you're prone to treat minor infractions too seriously.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) A wise man once said, "It isn't whether you win or lose, it's how you play the game." A good thing for you to recall today.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Others are likely to find fault with your views today because of the way you plead your case. Don't be apologetic if trying to sell bold daring ideas.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Mixing business and pleasure is an elixir that will turn bitter in the glass. Put aside the pursuit of profit. Just have some fun.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You're not very cooperative today, particularly with those you care the most for. Oddly enough, you'll feel their requests infringe upon your time.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct 23) Concentrate on what you do today, especially if working with sharp tools. You must be extra-safety-conscious.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) The long shot may be more appealing to you today than the sure thing. Realistically this will only get you a bunch of losing tickets.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You have a low boiling point today. Laugh off the trivial like you usually do.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Instead of looking for hidden meanings, take peoples' actions more at face value. You're reading more into them than is really there.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Leave your credit cards at home today if you'll be out with high rollers, or you'll wind up in the deficit column.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You'll feel uncomfortable among aggressive people today. Seek the company of friends who have no axes to grind.

Your Birthday

Nov. 28, 1976

Some basic changes in your life style are in the offing for you this year. Some of them may be unsolicited on your part, but they will be beneficial.

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For Monday, Nov. 29, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Let compassion take precedence over logic today. You'll get more enjoyment from that which you do from your heart.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) This should be a pleasant day with friends, so long as nothing material is at stake. A misunderstanding could arise moneywise.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your chances for success look quite good today, even though you will have a reluctant ally. Persons you didn't count on will be there to take up the slack.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) This could be a very productive day if you devote your efforts to things of a creative nature. Pull out the stops where your imagination is concerned.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Joint ventures appear to be a source of profit today, provided they're not too speculative. Play it close to the vest.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Base your decisions today on the big picture. Once you get the comprehensive view, you'll see how the smaller pieces fit.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Putting forth a little extra effort or doing favors today for persons who have an effect on your career could pay a large bonus at a future date.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're very popular today. Others will go out of their way to help you, but take care that a well-meaning friend doesn't give you poor business advice.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be patient today. Good things will come to you if you're willing to wait. Stir matters up and you'll dilute your luck.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Don't let pettiness play a role in your actions today. Be generous and forgiving. You'll win others to your banner more readily.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your chances for gain look exceedingly keen today if you concentrate on situations that could add to your resources.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Although you may have some minor disappointments today, everything should work out in the long run. Keep the faith.

Your Birthday

Nov. 29, 1976

Your chances for gain look very bright this year. In fact, your beneficial happenings could come through two different sources.

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CORRIE TEN BOOM

Special Film Tonight At First Baptist

"Corrie: Behind the Scenes with the Hiding Place," a full-length color motion picture, will be shown at 7 o'clock tonight at the First Baptist Church.

The film is based on the actual experiences of Corrie ten Boom, who, with her father, sister and brother provided refuge for countless Jewish families. A secret room was constructed in their home as a hiding place for use during Gestapo raids during World War II. The ten Boom's activities were discovered and they were sent to prisons and concentration camps.

Filmed in Holland, the film was produced to give people who have seen "The Hiding Place," or read Corrie ten Boom's many best-selling books an opportunity to hear her share many of her memories about her life in Holland, her family and her lifetime of service to others, said Kenneth Bliss, director of distribution for World Wide Pictures, which released the film.

"Corrie ten Boom, now in her eighties, has a tremendous vitality, a deep spiritual commitment, and a profound love for her fellow man," said Bliss. "We believe we have succeeded in transmitting a part of her zest, personality and source of strength through this film."

The Rev. Ken Andress, pastor of First Baptist Church, said the showing of the film is open to the public free of charge.

"We encourage families to attend together for what we believe will be a memorable experience," he said.

Charge Dropped On Dick Gregory

WASHINGTON (AP) — Comedian Dick Gregory, arrested Thanksgiving Day for picketing the South African Embassy, had trespassing charges against him dropped in District of Columbia Superior Court, court officials said.

An assistant to Gregory said the picketing was to protest detention laws in South Africa.

The charges were dropped Friday.

LET'S JUST PRAISE THE LORD.
ADV.

THE PASTORAL COUNSELOR

By JOHN ZELL GASTON III

(Editor's Note--These columns are presented as a public service by the Pastoral Care Center, 1804 Twenty-sixth Street, in the hopes that readers will find in them hints on how to live happier and more effective lives. If you have a question you would like Mr. Gaston to consider in a future column, you may write him in care of this newspaper, or phone him at 573-8222.)

IS MARRIAGE OUTMODED?

Everything is being challenged. Nothing sacred is left that cannot be questioned. This is a good thing, for when something harmful and something we need are closely associated, to keep the good we often hold onto the harmful, like if a posion ivy vine is growing at the base of the apple tree. If you are afraid to try to separate the poison ivy from the apple tree, then every time you want apples you have to risk the itch.

It is a good thing to challenge the institution of marriage. We are all of us too familiar with couples who are living in constant misery, who seem to be united only by bond of hate, who seem to speak to each other only to pierce each other with venom.

We really wonder what holds them together, and if they would not be much better off living apart.

Sometimes we are tempted to try to destroy the whole thing. One man, in his despair, said "There ought to be a law, a constitutional amendment, completely forbidding marriage." Science fiction stories have suggested future societies where men and women were forced to live apart, and were bred scientifically to better the race. The only time I know of this ever being tried has been in some slave societies. For some reason or another, those societies have not lasted too long.

So far, no one has come up with a workable alternative to one man and one woman living together for a long period of time. A good many things are being tried. Divorce has been made easy. Easy in the legal sense, that is. But what happens? A few divorcees are happy in their new found freedom. But most soon divide themselves into two groups: there are those who hotly deny that they ever want to marry again. Most of these suddenly find themselves married again. And they wonder what trapped them. The others are openly searching for a mate. Many of these, after they marry again, wonder why.

Some have just tried living together. The idea being that if we are not forced by any external pressure, like the marriage bond, if we are always free to choose to leave at any time, then choosing to remain is always an act of love. Some of these work out quite well. Of course, there is tragedy here, too. Often one who is really unable to form a deep relationship will enter this arrangement, and soon leave. In a few years there is quite a string of heartbreaks.

Some have decided that a single couple is just not enough. The pressures of our kind of life are too great for any two people to bear. What is really needed is for several couples to unit, to live together, so that each can contribute a part, and each is supported and helped by a lot more people than just one. That way, when husband and wife get locked into an argument, the rest can help both sides to pull out of it.

Sometimes this works. But it takes mature people who are willing to take the time to work out their differences. If it is hard to learn to get along with one person, it is that much harder to learn to get along with three of four.

What is the solution? It is not easy. It seems that those who learn how to work out their differences can eventually make any of the various forms of marriage work. If they cannot learn to do this, whatever relationship they have is going to be miserable. If they are miserable in one form, they are most likely to be miserable in another. Maybe the problem is not with the form of marriage, or with whom you picked. Maybe your problem is with who you are. Maybe that is good, for whenever everything is said and done, the only person that you can change is you.

Lawyer Suspended From Practice

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Jack L. Chestnut, a Minneapolis lawyer convicted of accepting an illegal donation to Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey's 1970 campaign, has been suspended from practice in the U.S. District Court of Minnesota.

Chief Judge Edward J. Devitt on Friday made the five-month suspension retroactive to Oct. 22, conforming with a suspension imposed by the Minnesota Supreme Court.

Chestnut, who was Humphrey's campaign manager, was fined $5,000 and sentenced to four months in prison after his conviction last June in connection with a $12,000 contribution from Associated Milk Producers, Inc.

Goldwaters Have Separated

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Barry Goldwater Jr., R-Calif., and his wife Susan have separated after four years of marriage, according to a spokeswoman for the congressman.

She said Friday that the couple separated last week. Mrs. Goldwater has worked in Washington for a real estate firm.

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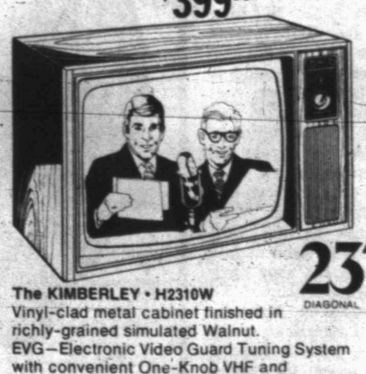

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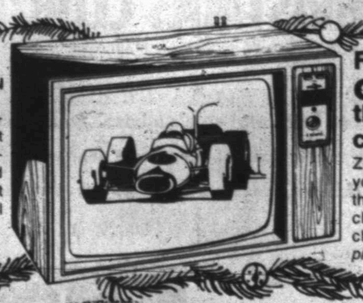

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Bengals Hoping To Deal Steelers Knockout Punch

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

Six weeks ago, the Pittsburgh Steelers were staggering and apparently on the verge of going down for the count. Now they're up and punching harder than ever, and trying to land a few knockout punches of their own.

The two-time Super Bowl champs were a dismal 1-4 back when they took on Cincinnati, which had won four of its first five games.

Pittsburgh beat the Bengals 20-6 and proceeded to win its next five games, three by successive shutouts.

Now Cincinnati is back, this time on its own turf. And the Bengals can deal the Steelers a knockout punch, with a little bit of help.

If Pittsburgh, 7-4, loses Sunday in Cincinnati and the New England Patriots, 8-3, beat the Broncos in Denver, the Steelers' dream of reaching—and winning—a third straight Super Bowl will die even before the playoffs begin because Pittsburgh won't be in those playoffs.

In Sunday's other games it's the New York Jets at Baltimore, Philadelphia at Washington, New Orleans at Los Angeles, Seattle at the New York Giants, Miami at Cleveland, Chicago at Green Bay, Atlanta at Houston, Kansas City at San Diego and Tampa Bay at Oakland. On Monday night, Minnesota is at San Francisco.

On Thursday, Dallas staved off a frantic last-minute St. Louis drive to post a 19-14 victory while Detroit withstood a record-breaking performance by O.J. Simpson to down Buffalo 27-14.

The Steelers know how important Sunday's game in Cincinnati—and the next two against Tampa Bay and Houston—are in the quest for yet another National Football League title.

"We've got to win the rest and get help—and we're looking desperately to find out where the help is coming from," says linebacker Andy Russell.

If it comes from anywhere, Denver would be a nice place to start. The Patriots, who beat Pittsburgh in their lone meeting of the season, hold a one-game edge over the Steelers among runner-up teams in the American Conference, so the Steelers not only have to catch the Patriots, they have to overtake them.

Denver isn't just trying to play the role of spoiler, either. The Broncos, 7-4, still have a reasonably solid shot of their own at the AFC wild card.

The Pats, though, are still trying to catch first-place Baltimore in the East. They trail the Colts by one game.

Washington's Redskins are still hanging in there, with a shot at the playoffs. If they turn back the Eagles this Sunday and the Jets next Sunday, their hopes will probably ride on the regular-season finale, a shootout against the Cowboys in Dallas.

The Rams can become the third team to clinch a division title, joining Oakland and Minnesota. Los Angeles needs some help from the Vikings, though. If the Rams defeat New Orleans and the Vikes down San Francisco on Monday night, a fourth straight Ram title in the NFC West is locked up.

Bowl Games At A Glance

By The Associated Press

Saturday, Nov. 27
NCAA Division III Playoffs
Semifinals
At Collegeville, Minn.
St. John's, Minn. vs. Buena Vista, Iowa
At Towson, Md.
Towson State vs. St. Lawrence, N.Y.
NCAA Division II Playoffs
First Round
At Akron, Ohio
Nevada-Las Vegas at Akron
At Newark, Del.
Northern Michigan at Delaware
At Richmond, Ky.
North Dakota State at Eastern Kentucky
At Bozeman, Mon.
New Hampshire at Montana State

Saturday, Dec. 4
KNUTE ROCKNE BOWL
Nevada-Las Vegas-Akron winner vs. Delaware-Northern Michigan winner

Friday, Dec. 17
At Pontiac, Mich.
North-South Shrine game

Saturday, Dec. 18
TANGERINE BOWL
At Orlando, Fla.
Oklahoma St. vs. Brigham Young

Monday, Dec. 20
LIBERTY BOWL
At Memphis, Tenn
Alabama vs. UCLA

Friday, Dec. 24
At Montgomery, Ala.
Blue-Gray Classic

Saturday, Dec. 25
FIESTA BOWL
At Tempe, Ariz.
Wyoming vs. Oklahoma

Monday, Dec. 27
GATOR BOWL
At Jacksonville, Fla.
Penn State vs. Notre Dame

Friday, Dec. 31
PEACH BOWL
At Atlanta
Kentucky vs. North Carolina

ASTRO-BLUEBONNET BOWL
At Houston
Nebraska vs. Texas Tech or Houston

Saturday, Jan. 1
COTTON BOWL
At Dallas
Maryland vs. SWC champion

SUGAR BOWL
At New Orleans
Georgia vs. Pittsburgh

ROSE BOWL
At Pasadena, Calif.
Michigan vs. Southern Cal

ORANGE BOWL
At Miami
Ohio State vs. Colorado

Sunday, Jan. 2
SUN BOWL
At El Paso, Tex.
Texas A&M vs. Florida
At Palo Alto, Calif.
East-West Shrine game

Saturday, Jan. 8
HULA BOWL
At Honolulu
East All-Stars vs. West All-Stars

Sunday, Jan. 16
JAPAN BOWL
At Tokyo
East vs. West

Six Snyder Teams See Action Monday

Six Snyder basketball teams will see action Monday.

The sophomore boys will be at Abilene for a 6:30 p.m. contest. The 8th and 9th Grade boys Black team will host Colorado City at the junior high at 5:30 p.m. The 8th grade girls host Jayton at the high school at 5:30 p.m., followed by a 6:30 p.m. contest between the 8th Grade Gold boys and Jayton. The 9th grade girls will be at Lakeview for a 6:30 p.m. tussle.

Tuesday, the varsity Tigers host Odessa Permian in the Scurry County Coliseum at 8 o'clock following a sophomore and junior varsity contest.

Thursday, the Varsity boys will be in the Plainview Tournament. The tourney will continue through Saturday. Also on Thursday, the 8th grade boys Black and Gold will tangle with each other at 4 p.m. at the junior high. At 6 p.m. on Thursday, the girls junior varsity has two games scheduled at the high school with Midland providing the opposition. At 5 p.m. Thursday, the 8th Grade Girls Black and Gold and the 9th grade girls will be at Slaton beginning at 5 p.m.

Friday and Saturday, the junior varsity boys will host the Snyder Tournament. Also on Friday, the varsity and junior varsity girls will be at Rotan for a 6 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. contest.

SCORES

By The Associated Press
Class 4A Regionals
Lubbock Monterey 10, El Paso Coronado 8
Spring Branch Memorial 21, Houston Kashmere 10
San Antonio Churchill 40, San Antonio Holmes 13
Class 3A Quarterfinals
Perryton 13, Brownwood 0
Gainesville 35, Longview Pine Tree 14
Beaumont Hebert 42, Waco Midway 14
Gregory-Portland 29, New Braunfels 16
Class 2A Regionals
Childress 34, Floydada 13
Ozona 30, Post 14
Bowie 53, Wylie 14
DeKalb 21, Whitehouse 19
Anahuac 16, Bellville 14
Rockdale 21, West 17
Halletsville 23, Hays Consolidated 6
Yoakum 13, Port Isabel 9
Class A Regionals
Hart 14, Memphis 12
Seagraves 34, Hamlin 0
DeLeon 32, Clifton 7
Muenster 38, Whitewright 14
Frankston 16, Overton 15
Mart 26, Shelbyville 15
Barbers Hill 26, Granger 7
Poth 20, Lytle 8
Class B Quarterfinals
Groom 7, Forsan 6
Gorman 14, Italy 6
Corsicana Mildred 10, Anna 7
Class 2A TCIL Championship
Houston Marion 14, Galveston O'Connell 14 (co-championship)

Tommy Kramer of Rice had only two of his 74 passes intercepted in Rice's first three games in 1976. He averaged 24 completions a game.

Agase Is Victim Of The Times

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (AP) — Purdue's Alex Agase, called "a victim of the times" by Athletic Director George King, is on the list of unemployed football coaches today.

Agase, 54, was fired on Friday, less than a week after he finished his fourth losing season at Purdue with a 20-14 loss to Indiana. His four teams compiled an 18-25-1 mark overall.

"I have no bitterness," said Agase, whose greatest moment in 14 years of college coaching was an upset of then-No. 1 Michigan three weeks ago.

"I had a great love for Purdue when I came here, and I leave with a great love for Purdue. I asked for four years and got it. Everybody tried to help, but we just didn't win enough."

King said he was "personally saddened" by Agase's dismissal.

"Alex happens to be a victim of the times as they relate to major college athletics today," King said. "Football serves as a financial base for the entire athletic program, and therefore the loss of revenue from booster club support and gate receipts has to be a major concern for any administrator."

Purdue went 40-10 in the five years before Jack Mollenkopf retired in 1969, beating Southern California in the 1967 Rose Bowl. But the Boilermakers have had just one winning season since then—a 6-5 record in 1972 under Bob DeMoss, now assistant athletic director.

Rumors of Purdue officials' dissatisfaction with Agase began last year when the Boilermakers lost their first five games. Purdue won four of its last six games in 1975, then three of its first five this season before a three-game slide started rumors flying again.

A 16-14 upset of Michigan gave Agase a temporary reprieve, but the loss to Indiana may have tipped the scales against him.

John Hadl To Guide Oilers

HOUSTON (AP) — John Hadl sympathizes with troubled Houston Oiler quarterback Dan Pastorini, but not enough to give Pastorini his starting job back for Sunday's National Football League game against Atlanta in the Astrodome.

"I didn't come here to be a backup quarterback," Hadl said as he prepared to help the Oilers break a six-game losing streak in the 1 p.m. kickoff.

The balding, 36-year-old Hadl figures he still has a few good years left. "Fran Tarkenton is a year older than I am," Hadl said. "I've never been hurt and there's no one smarter at this game."

Hadl replaced Pastorini three games ago against Cleveland when Pastorini went down with a rib injury. Pastorini has recovered sufficiently to return but Coach O.A. "Bum" Phillips says Hadl has earned another start against the Falcons.

"Dan doesn't have as much experience as I do," Hadl said. "We're good friends and we've talked about this but Dan is at the stage in his career where he has to learn patience. He's got to let other people earn their paychecks. He can't try to do it all himself.

"I remember when I was at San Diego, I was always trying to win games with the big play. It doesn't work that way. You have to take what you can get."

The Oilers have shown offensive improvement under Hadl's direction but their losing streak has continued. They now are 4-7 for the year, the same as Atlanta, which has registered upsets the last two weeks against San Francisco and Dallas.

The Falcons are led by quarterback Scott Hunter and former Texas A&M running back Bubba Bean, who leads the team in rushing with 417 yards on 112 carries.

The Oilers were temporarily reduced to four defensive linemen last week when they lost defensive end Tody Smith to the injured waivers list. Smith was claimed by Buffalo.

The Oilers signed Joe Owens, 6-2, 225, to an Oiler contract. Owens played at San Diego for Phillips his rookie season and made 19 quarterback sacks.

Punting also could be a problem if Pastorini's ribs aren't healed. Oiler place kicker Skip Butler was thrown into the game as a punter last week with poor results.

Dusters Play Monday

"We've had so many injuries I'll just have to wait until Sunday night before naming a starting lineup," said Coach Sid Simpson of the Western Texas College Dusters who take on the Ranger Junior College Rangers at 6 o'clock Monday night in Ranger.

"Of course, we'll start Temi Baker and Barbara Denman if they can play," said Simpson, "But they could hardly walk the other day after practice."

Baker is a 5-8 sophomore guard from Knox City, and Denman is a 5-9 sophomore forward from Hobbs. If they are unable to start, they will be replaced by Cindy Luttrull, 5-10 freshman forward from Laverne, Okla., and Pam Tatum, 5-8½ freshman from Happy.

The other three starters for the Dusters will be Rosemary Scott, 5-8 sophomore guard from Slaton; Brenda Jurecek, 6-1¼ sophomore post from Eola; and, Janice Verden, 6-1 sophomore post from Wheeler.

Other Dusters ready for action are Cathy Minton, 5-6 freshman guard from Snyder; Debby McIvor, 5-11 freshman post from Ft. Stockton; Marketa Sisson, 5-2 sophomore guard from Van Horn; and, Jamie Branch, 5-3 sophomore guard from Aspermont.

Coach Simpson said Ranger is 1-1 for the season. The Dusters are 3-1.

Aziz Signs With Braves

SEATTLE (AP) — Zaid Abdul-Aziz, former Seattle SuperSonic, has signed to play with the Buffalo Braves of the National Basketball Association, his attorney says.

Lawyer Robert Mussehl said Friday Abdul-Aziz reached agreement with Bob MacKinnon, the Braves' general manager, on a contract that includes lucrative playoff incentives.

The 6-10 Abdul-Aziz played for Seattle as Don Smith in 1971 and 1972, then returned to Seattle last year under his Islamic name. He is beginning his ninth pro season.

Buffalo made room for him by waiving 6-9 reserve center Clyde Mayes.

Mason On Golf Tour

MASON, Ohio (AP) — The 1977 tour by the Professional Golfers Association will again include a stop here Sept. 22-25 where a $150,000 purse will be sought.

This will be the fourth Ohio Kings Island Open, with a $7,500 award to touring professionals during the Pro-Am to be held Sept. 21.

The tournament started in 1973 as a $125,000 event. It will be played one week later because of the Ryder Cup matches in Great Britain the previous week.

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ENG 132-10	Composition II		AcS B-110	D.Lancaster
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ENG 233-10	Masterpieces of Literature		AcS C-104	W.Jones
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HIS 132-10	U. S. History Since 1865		AcS C-103	H.Krenek
JOU 230-10	News Photography (Lab for JOU 230 TBA)	$5	SC-105	M.McBride
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Perryton Shuts Out Brownwood

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD
AP Sports Writer

Houston Kashmere, which held the No. 1 ranking in Texas schoolboy football for most of the season, lost to area rival Spring Branch Memorial 21-10 Friday night to kick off the second weekend of playoff action with a bang.

Both teams were 11-0 going into the game, with Memorial rated fifth in the final Associated Press high school poll.

Eighth-ranked San Antonio Churchill swamped San Antonio Holmes 40-13 and unbeaten but unranked Lubbock Monterey slipped by El Paso Coronado 10-8 in other 4A regional games Friday night.

Most of the 4A regionals, including No. 4 Temple versus No. 6 Sherman at Texas Stadium and defending champion Port Neches-Groves against Galveston Ball at the Astrodome, were to be played Saturday.

Class 3A quarterfinals went mostly according to form as top-ranked Beaumont Hebert crushed Waco Midway 42-14, No. 2 Gainesville blasted ninth-ranked Longview Pine Tree 35-14 and No. 8 Gregory-Portland whipped New Braunfels 29-16. But in a mild upset, seventh-ranked Perryton shut out No. 3 Brownwood 13-0.

In Class 2A, top-ranked Bowie had little trouble disposing of Wylie 53-14, while No. 5 Rockdale outscored 10th-ranked West 21-17 in the only regional game involving two Top Ten members. Other games saw third-ranked Childress blast Floydada 34-13, No. 4 Ozona manhandle Post 30-14, seventh-rated DeKalb nip Whitehouse 21-19 and No. 9 Anahuac edge Bellville 16-14.

Third-ranked Seagraves and No. 4 Barbers Hill, the only playoff survivors in the Class A Top Ten, stayed alive by beating Hamlin 34-0 and Granger 28-7, respectively. Clifton, which eliminated top-ranked Aledo at the bi-district level, fell 32-7 to unranked defending champion DeLeon in another Class A regional.

NCAA Hit By Numerous Suits

In recent years, the National Collegiate Athletic Association has been the target of numerous lawsuits which have stemmed from NCAA rulings, regulations, probations and suspensions. The following article examines some of the causes for this apparent trend, its cost to the NCAA and the sentiment it has produced among NCAA schools.

By JOHN NELSON
AP Sports Writer

Even the National Collegiate Athletic Association has difficulty keeping track of the lawsuits in which it is involved. The NCAA estimates, however, that it spends an average of $1,000 a day on litigation.

The reasons for this litigation—spawned so often in past years by NCAA actions aimed at major conference schools like Alabama, Minnesota and Oklahoma—go beyond the work-a-day routine of big college sport.

Many close to the litigation, on both sides, see it as a social trend.

"We're all becoming more and more involved in these legal entanglements. It's happening everywhere," says Wayne Duke, commissioner of the Big Ten Conference, where Minnesota currently is suing the NCAA after the Gophers were put on indefinite probation over the eligibility of three basketball players.

"Generally speaking, I think administrators of sports programs, collegiate and pro, are very much concerned that much of our athletic affairs are handled through legal means," says Duke.

"I think it all goes back to a very prophetic statement, ironically enough made by a Big Ten attorney, after I had suspended two University of Minnesota basketball players.

"He looked the judge in the eye and said, 'It'll be a very sad day, indeed, when we have to build every basketball court next to a federal court.'"

The NCAA currently is involved in at least five lawsuits. But new actions spring up almost by the day, in local and state courts. Some suits began years ago and now are dormant.

In 1972, the NCAA spent $129,000 in legal fees involving litigation against it. In the first six months of 1976 alone, the NCAA spent $182,000, according to figures confirmed by several sources.

"It's happening in all quarters," says Dave Cawood, public relations director of the NCAA. "It's the trend.

"We're spending an enormous amount of money to defend our rules. And they are being upheld, so they're just as valid now as they've ever been, and there's more case law to support the rules, because of the suits, than we ever have had before."

The NCAA never has lost a court battle. It has lost on the local level, but thus far the higher courts have backed up the NCAA.

"Three of our actions now are in state courts," Cawood said, "and that's where we're most likely to lose, and that's why it costs us so much."

One of the suits in state court was brought by the University of Oklahoma, seeking to stop an NCAA regulation limiting the size of coaching staffs. Last month, the State Supreme Court ruled in favor of Oklahoma. But the NCAA undoubtedly will appeal.

By the nature of our legal system, these lawsuits have made adversaries of the NCAA and its member schools. Admittedly, there has been talk of pulling out of the NCAA and forming alternate organizations.

While no one seems to really expect a mass exodus from the NCAA, a move now afoot to form a Collegiate Football Association belies the seriousness of these sentiments.

Some of the most vocal criticism of the NCAA and most loyal support of the CFA has come from the South.

"Obviously, there are differences within the NCAA among its membership," says Southeast Conference Commissioner Boyd McWhorter, a prime mover in the CFA. "And, as you well know, a good many of our problems seem to revolve around the sport of football. Until these problems are solved, we are going to continue to have our differences."

McWhorter says the CFA, which meets Dec. 20 in Dallas, was formed to work within the framework of the NCAA "to make us more effective in proposing legislation and lobbying for its passage."

"There was a proposal from the West Coast some time back," says McWhorter, "that bowl and television revenues be divided among all NCAA schools. Of course, it wasn't passed, but many people in the South said if it had, it would have disintegrated the NCAA. It's not one single ruling that has caused the problems but a steady progression of rules, restrictive in nature, that have affected major college football.

Atlantic Coast Conference Commissioner Robert James believes much of the litigation results from "a change in NCAA policy that they ... not declare students ineligible" but instead rely on the schools to do that.

"When we have to act here, generally some friend or the parents say, 'Well, we're going to take you to court.' And certainly that's their privilege." Invariably, that suit also involves the NCAA.

"If everyone had their wishes, the NCAA would not have punitive powers," James says. "But if we come into a problem area and decide, 'Here is a good way to resolve this problem,' the first thing a coach does is question whether it will disadvantage his team. If it does, then he says, 'Let's make it an NCAA rule and impose it on everyone.'"

Bill Madlock Keeps Eye On Salaries

CHICAGO (AP) — Bill Madlock's contract doesn't expire until Dec. 31. But he's keeping a sharp eye on the kinds of salaries this season's crop of baseball free agents are commanding.

"They're good ballplayers and have good records," says the Chicago Cubs' star third baseman. "I'm at least in the same class with them and I've done a couple of things they haven't."

Madlock, who led the National League in batting the past two seasons, says he wants to remain with the Cubs and won't ask for more money than he thinks he's worth.

"I want no more than the other guys get who play baseball and have records that compare with mine," he says. The problem for the Cubs is that there are few players with records like his.

Madlock batted .339 with 15 home runs and 85 runs batted in last season. By comparison, Joe Rudi hit .270 with 13 homers and 94 RBIs and Don Baylor batted .247 with 15 homers and 68 RBIs. Both signed with California, Rudi for a reported $2 million over five years and Baylor for a reported $1 million over the same period.

Madlock reportedly received $85,000 last season, his third full year in the majors, all with the Cubs. He played 21 games for Texas in 1973.

Steers Defeat Tigers, 71-54

BIG SPRING—A poor shooting performance by the Snyder Tigers in the second half enabled the Big Spring Steers to score a 71-54 victory in a non-district basketball match here Friday night.

The Snyder varsity boys hit only 6 of 32 from the field for 19 per cent in the second half. They scored only four points in the third quarter. Big Spring had led by only 18-17 after one quarter and 38-36 at halftime. But, the poor third quarter enabled the hosts to take a 53-40 lead. They also outscored Snyder in the fourth period, 19 to 14.

Three Snyder boys hit in double figures, led by Tony Cobb with 22 points.

Brad Browning contributed 14, and Randy Courtney put in 13. For Big Spring, Bubba Stripling, and Casey Wilder each roped 12 points. Kenneth Perry contributed 11 points, and Mike Harris put in 10.

Big Spring also won the junior varsity contest, 70-56. The score was tied 8-8 after one period, but Big Spring went ahead 30-20 at halftime, and 52-36 after three quarters. Latta led the Steer JV attack with 27 points. Goss was high point man for the Snyder JV with 12.

The Tigers host Odessa Permian Tuesday night. They are 2-2 on the season.

SNYDER (54)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Jeffery	0	0	2	0
Courtney	5	3	5	13
Lewis	0	1	2	1
Browning	5	4	2	14
Cobb	8	6	3	22
Johnson	1	2	2	4
TOTALS	19	[illegible]	26	54

B. SPRING (71)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Evans	1	0	1	2
C. Wildel	5	2	4	12
S. Wilder	1	0	1	2
Perry	4	3	3	11
Crosby	1	33	4	5
Green	2	0	4	4
Jones	3	3	3	9
Stripling	6	0	3	12
Poss	0	0	1	0
Harris	5	0	0	10
Rubio	1	2	0	4
TOTALS	30	11	34	71

Snyder 17 19 4 14—54
Big Spring 18 20 15 19—72

SNYDER JV (56)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Goss	5	2	1	12
Medrano	0	0	1	0
Crayton	3	3	3	9
Everton	2	0	0	4
Farmer	2	2	2	6
Taylor	3	0	0	6
Hicks	1	0	2	2
Johnson	4	0	3	8
Sullenger	0	0	1	0
Hinton	1	3	2	3
Short	3	0	0	6
TOTALS	23	10	15	56

B. Spring JV (70)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Sullivan	0	2	0	2
Latta	12	3	2	27
Anderson	2	0	2	4
Wright	7	4	4	18
Mann	0	1	0	1
Burgeron	0	0	1	0
Coffee	2	0	4	4
Rice	1	0	4	2
Nichols	2	0	4	4
Foreman	4	0	2	8
TOTALS	30	10	23	70

Snyder 8 12 16 20—56
B.S. 8 22 22 18—70

Ozona, Childress To Collide Here

The Ozona Lions and the Childress Bobcats will meet in a Class AA high school quarterfinals football game at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Snyder's Tiger Stadium.

The Ozona team walloped the Post Antelopes, 30-14, at Odessa, while Childress thumped the Floydada Whirlwinds, 34-13 at Amarillo in Friday night's playoff action to earn the right to advance to the quarterfinals.

It was announced almost immediately that the two teams would play their quarterfinals game in Snyder. The Snyder Chamber of Commerce Athletic Committee had extended invitations to both teams prior to their second round games to play here in the event they were victorious Friday.

Childress, rated No. 1 in the United Press International rankings and No. 2 in the Associated Press poll, is now 12-0 for this season, including two playoff victories. The Bobcats, who defeated Spearman in their bi-district game, are averaging 34 points per game, which they scored against Floydada.

Ozona, rated No. 4 by the AP and No. 9 by UPI, also is 12-0, and went into its game with Post by virtue of a 27-7 triumph over Alpine in bi-district play.

Hawks Can Win On The Road

By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

It took a hastily called team meeting to get the point across, but yes, the Atlanta Hawks can indeed win on the road.

The Hawks snapped a 28-game road losing streak by beating the New York Nets 109-105 at the Nassau Coliseum as John Drew scored 33 points, including 29 in the second half and 17 in the fourth quarter.

Atlanta had not won away from home since Jan. 27, 1976, when they eked out a 114-113 decision over the New York Knicks.

Elsewhere in the National Basketball Association, the Cleveland Cavaliers beat the Boston Celtics 108-92, San Antonio edged Golden State 123-121, Buffalo beat Detroit 124-119, Philadelphia defeated the New York Knicks 114-103, Indiana topped Milwaukee 109-98, Kansas City defeated Denver 120-110, Seattle beat Chicago 101-97 and Los Angeles edged Portland 99-96.

Cavs 108, Celtics 92

Cleveland raised its record to 13-4, best in the league, by winning at the Boston Garden and snapping the Celtics' five-game home winning streak. Swingman Bobby Smith led a balanced attack with 24 points and guards Austin Carr, Dick Snyder and Jim Cleamons combined to add 46.

Braves 124, Pistons 119

Ernie DiGregorio was the spark as Buffalo snapped a six-game losing skein. He scored 20 points, including 10-for-10 from the free throw line to raise his streak to 35 in a row; grabbed a career-high 13 rebounds, and handed out eight assists in his 40 minutes.

Spurs 123, Warriors 121

George Gervin's 12-footer with 13 seconds remaining gave San Antonio its seventh straight home victory before a crowd of 12,306.

WTC In Finals

ROSWELL—Western Texas College's Westerners defeated the University of Texas at El Paso junior varsity, 74-54, here Friday night in the second round of the Wool Bowl Basketball Tournament.

The Westerners were to meet New Mexico Military Institute in the finals Saturday afternoon. NMMI beat New Mexico Junior College, 87-74, in the other semifinal contest.

Warrant Issued

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) —A warrant was issued Friday for the arrest of New England Whaler Coach Harry Neale in connection with a Thursday night fighting incident that injured three persons, police said.

Neale allegedly swung a hockey stick at persons behind the players' bench during a World Hockey Association game, authorities said. Three persons were struck, including Mrs. Treva Duncan of Hoover, who asked that the warrant be issued, police said.

The case will go before City Recorder's Court Dec. 17, police said.

C. W. Cope, chief of security for the Birmingham-Jefferson Civic Center, said Friday police potection at future hockey games will be "beefed up."

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The Arlen Brooks Family

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PERSONAL A-5

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CELEBRITIES ON THE COUCH

By Dick Maurice

By: DICK MAURICE

Bob Newhart first made his mark in show business as a standup comedian. Today, he makes people laugh as the star of his own TV series. Born on Sept. 5 in Chicago, he once had a law career in mind. He and his wife, Ginny, are the parents of three children and live in Hollywood.

MAURICE: I understand you are a great believer in spending a major portion of your time with your family?

NEWHART: I've had the stardom. I've had the Emmies and the recognition and I know the feeling isn't all that great. The main problem is, there's never enough time to enjoy stardom. Or whatever you choose to call it. You end up working every waking moment and pretty soon, you begin to realize there are some things far more important. Like time spent with the family.

MAURICE: You're not the typical comedian. Do you think you are difficult to write for?

NEWHART: I'm probably one of the hardest people to write for. In the final analysis, about ninety per cent of my stuff is conceived on the stage. People tend to laugh at what's true, they like to laugh at themselves. The violators of what I'm describing are the ones who laugh the hardest. But I've got to start with a sound premise. Something steeped in fact, or based on the realities of human nature. Otherwise, I'm dead.

MAURICE: Were you always interested in comedy and do you find yourself funny?

NEWHART: I was always interested in comedy, and admittedly influenced by Bob & Ray, Bob Benchley, Dick Van Dyke, and even George Bernard Shaw. To me, comedy was looking at life obliquely. I knew I made people laugh but I was never sure why. But slowly my confidence began to build. That's really what it's all about, a series of confidence-building steps until one day you're the star of your own show.

MAURICE: You play the role of a psychiatrist. Have you ever gone to one?

NEWHART: Sure! Three visits to be exact. My wife was going at the time and I didn't think it was fair to let her go and for me not to. So I went with my feet dragging into the office. I quit after three sessions. Actually, I didn't think my hangups were that severe. And, too, in comedy you worry that you may change something that will effect your work. You may become so introverted or introspective that you lose your ability to be funny and make people laugh. It has been known to happen with comedians, and I didn't want to take the risk.

MAURICE: You appear to be a shy man. Was there ever a point in your career when you were frightened of audiences?

NEWHART: Oh sure I had early fears and I'll even tell you how I overcame them. Before I went on, I would nervously peek out of the curtains at the audience, looking for drunks or possible hecklers who might cause trouble. Whenever one of them interrupted my routine, I would just go to pieces. Then I would wake up in the middle of the night and tell myself, 'Oh, that's the line I should have come back with.' Or, 'Why didn't I say that?' Then one night I was opening in Las Vegas and got to my dressing room just in time to slip into a tuxedo. As the curtain rose and I walked out onto the stage, I suddenly thought 'Oh, my God. I haven't checked the audience.' But all at once I realized that it really didn't matter, that whatever happened I could handle it. And I did, but it had taken me 7 years to get that sort of confidence. Now I look forward to the drunks—I can handle them as part of my act.

MAURICE: Is it true that you won't tell jokes?

NEWHART: I believe a joke insults the intelligence of the audience. They can see it coming.

In 1900 two-thirds of Americans lived in rural areas. Now less than 10 per cent are considered rural.

42 Countries Represented In College

SINGAPORE (AP) — Fostering international understanding through education may be a difficult task but that is exactly what the United World College of South East Asia is doing.

The College is really equivalent to American secondary school and has students, ranging in age from 11 to 18, from 42 countries.

Originally known as St. John's School, it was built on 60 acres of land by the British Armed Forces in 1964. But when the British forces were withdrawn from this island republic in 1971, it became the Singapore International School, run by the International Chamber of Commerce.

Earlier this year it underwent its last name change. There are two other similar colleges, the United World College of the Atlantic in South Wales, Britain, and the Lester B. Pearson College of the Pacific in Vancouver, Canada. All three schools are largely organized by prominent businessmen, leading citizens and eminent politicians and diplomats, according to John Marshall, deputy headmaster of the United World College of South East Asia.

To help slow learners who need individual attention, the school maintains a student-teacher ratio of 12 to 1. The school has 1,250 students, including 300 boarders.

The Singapore government does not allow the school to accept Singapore citizens as students but there are no other limitations — except the tuition, which is about U.S. $1,908 a year (boarders pay about U.S. $3,870). Marshall explained that the entire school's expenditure was met by these fees.

About 20 per cent of the students are British, 10 per cent Australian, 7½ per cent each Malaysian and American. The others are from Japan, India, Sri Lanka, Pakistan, Indonesia, Taiwan, France, Germany and Holland.

Birds Victims Of Poisoning

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif. (AP) — Nearly 600 flocking pigeons and blackbirds that have dropped from their treetop roosts and died in the streets of this city in the past three days may have been victims of poisoning, officials say.

More birds were still dying Thursday, said David Romero, the city's public service director.

He said the bizarre phenomenon was first noticed when "our street sweeper discovered several hundred dead birds in the heart of downtown Wednesday morning."

Hugh Thompson, of the state Department of Fish and Game, said state officials had not determined what caused the deaths, but he said poisoning was likely.

"I think they probably picked up some kind of poison," Thompson said. "If it was all one bird species it might be congenital or some kind of disease, but this involves two kinds of birds."

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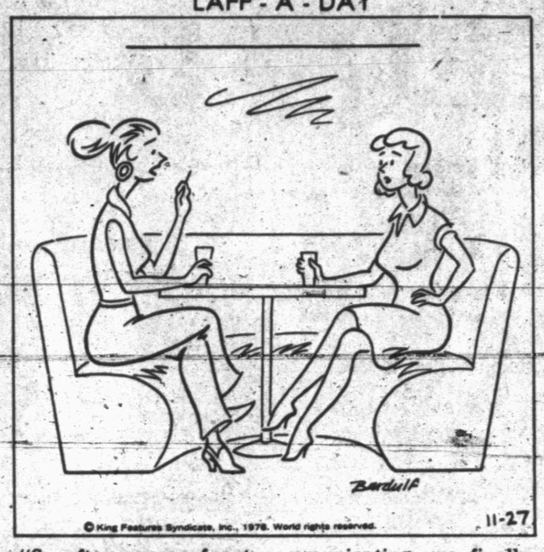

"So after years of not communicating, we finally started to communicate, and I discovered he was really a bore."

Metulla Is Tense And Touristy

METULLA, Israel (AP) — Tour buses and tanks mix uneasily at this town on the Israel-Lebanon frontier, a border that manages to be tense and touristy at the same time.

The tour buses grind up the road from Tiberias, past newly stationed Israeli armored troops. The closest town to Metulla is Qiryat Shemonah, where Palestinian terrorists based in Lebanon killed 18 Israelis in 1974.

"Is this a tense area?" a middle-aged woman from Milwaukee, Wis., asked nervously when her group arrived at the border fence on Thursday. A rain-soaked throng of Druze people from Lebanon provided the tourists with a colorful distraction from the tanks, armored personnel carriers and infantrymen they had seen along the road.

The Israeli government does not permit tourists into what it considers dangerous areas. Scores of foreign visitors are allowed to trek daily to Metulla, the northernmost settlement in Israel, to view the operations associated with the "good fence" policy through which Israel gives humanitarian aid to the people of south Lebanon.

But some tension has developed along the 69-mile border between the two nations during the past two weeks as Syrian troops forced an end to the Lebanese civil war between Moslems and Christians.

The Syrians, who make up the backbone of an Arab peacekeeping force, have said they plan to move into southern Lebanon to stop sporadic battles between Christians and Moslems. Israel has said it will not tolerate Syrian troops or Palestinian guerrillas in the area, once used as a base for guerrilla raids across the border.

Israel reinforced the border with more troops and tanks, and Jerusalem proposed that a "local gendarmerie of armed villagers" or regular Lebanese army troops enforce the truce in southern Lebanon.

A government source said Friday that Israel did not expect a direct answer, but added, "nobody expects a conflagration at the border."

Sources in Beirut said Lebanon's president has offered a compromise under which Syrian troops would move into southern Lebanon but would stay 10 to 12 miles from the Israeli border.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Eddie Reece McHaney of Hermleigh and Welda Kay Feaster of Hermleigh.

Robert Durst Jr. of Snyder and Rose Lucille Thompson of Snyder.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

Ex parte Alejandro Tavarez, application for occupational driver's license.

William E. Johnson vs. Texas Employer's Insurance Assn., suit for workman's compensation.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

In the matter of the marriage of Roy Ivey and Livia Kristan Ivey, divorce granted.

Ex parte Alejandro Tavarez, application for occupational driver's license granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Paula Hernandez and Alejandro Hernandez, divorce granted.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Wadleigh Const. Inc. to Kenneth E. Davis, trustee for Stephen Tablott, et al, all of the north 126.6 feet of the Bootheland Homesite in section 179 in blk. 3 in Scurry County.

T.B. Graves, et ux, to Nick Martinez, et ux, 1 acre of land in the northeast ¼ of section 16 in blk. 3 in Scurry County.

Annie B. Ketchersid to Myrthal Callaway, et al, all of the east 50 feet of lot 4 in blk. 46 in Snyder.

Jerry D. Birdwell, et ux, to Dave Haywood, et ux, all of lots 1 through 8, and 17 through 24, all in blk. 22 of the Belmont Park Heights Addition to Snyder.

A.L. Brewster, et ux, to Perrilla Brewster, all of lots 1 and 2 in the Snyder Shopping Center in Snyder.

Mrs. Pearl Voss to the city of Snyder, the west 100 feet of lot 1 in blk. 32 of the T.N. Nunn's Second Addition to Snyder.

Jimmy R. Hudgins, et ux, to Karol Don Jenkins, et ux, the north 40 feet of lot 7 and the south 25 feet of lot 6 in blk. 3 of the Scott and Browning Addition to the city of Snyder.

David Pena, et ux, to James R. Patterson Jr., a portion of lot 3 in blk. 74 in Hermleigh.

J.L. Clark and Leona Smallwood, co-executors of the estate of Ada Lee Clark, to Roy Goswick, et ux, a .0216 acre tract of land in the northeast ¼ of section 120 in blk. 97 in Scurry County.

Lillian Carol McKinney, et vir, to Lillian Cutbirth, the west 120 feet of the south 90 feet of lot 3 in blk. 50 of the Grayum and Nelson Heights Addition to the town of Snyder.

Ruby Lee, et al, to Petra G. Jasso, a portion of section 179 in blk. 3 in Scurry County.

Howard Limmer, et ux, to Truett Bryan, et ux, all of the west 55 feet of lot 10 in the east 20 feet of lot 9 in blk. 5 of the Park Place Addition to the city of Snyder.

Clemey Andress to Ben Hazelwood, all of lots 9 and 10 in blk. 31 of the Andress Heights Addition to the city of Snyder.

Billy G. Pylant, et ux, to Billy R. Tarter, et ux, all of lot 1 in the Scott and Browning Addition in Scurry County.

Prentiss Bass to John Albert Wake, et ux, all of lot 8 in blk. 8 of the Bassridge West Addition to Snyder.

J.R. Berry, et ux, to Robert Randel Smith, all of the south 90 feet of lot 7 in blk. 34 of the Wilmeth Addition to Snyder.

Gilbert P. Proctor to Jean Newton, all of the south 90 feet of lot 3 in blk. 24 of the Grayum and Nelson Heights Addition to Snyder.

J.H. Guelker, et ux, to Lynn Smith, all of lot 3 in blk. 1 in section 1 of the Parkway Addition to Snyder.

N.R. Clements, et ux, to Jonisue Cogdell Stiff, a tract of land 30x100 feet in lot 3 in blk. 3 of Snyder.

H.R. Gannaway, et ux, to Jerry M. Gannaway, et ux, the north 26 acres of land in the northwest ¼ of section 232 in blk. 3 in Scurry County.

New Geothermal Plant Inaugurated

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — This Central American country recently inaugurated a new geothermal plant named "Ahuachapan 1," which uses volcanic steam deep in the earth to produce electricity.

The venture gives the small country the distinction of being the second country in Latin America and the eighth in the world to use geothermal sources for electric power.

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Employe Thefts Are Increasing

GARDEN CITY, N. Y. (AP) — There are 415 known ways to steal money and-or goods from employers and new methods are being discovered almost every day, according to a recent study by the Dale System, Inc.

"A clerk in a busy New York City candy store under-rings every sale by one penny and takes home $5 a day — for 22 years. A super market manager in Oklahoma City sets up his own cash register at peak periods and in three months collects $75,000 his employers never knew about," noted Dale statisticians.

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These prizes must be redeemed at the stores awarding the certificate by Dec. 24, 1976 to be honored.

Registration stands have been set up at each store, where a theatre-type ticket having corresponding numbers on each end will be issued. One end will be placed in a box, the second will remain in the possession of the store patron.

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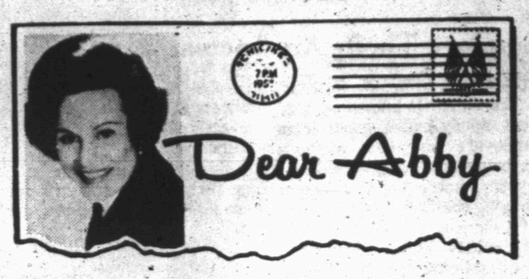

Mom Can't Love Her Ugly Duckling

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I know I should be grateful that my 13-year-old daughter is healthy and bright, but she is so ugly that it's hard to love her. I am often cruel to her, and then I feel guilty because I know it's not her fault that she's not better-looking.

Both my husband and I are fairly attractive. We've done everything to help her—teeth straightened, good hair cut, nice clothes, treatment for acne, etc., but she's still a very homely girl.

I find myself bitter and resentful of my friends' attractive children because my daughter is so ugly. What can I do?

CRUEL AND FEELING GUILTY

DEAR CRUEL: If you condition your love on the cosmetic qualities of your daughter, you are the ugly one, only your ugliness doesn't show.

I regard your frank confession as a cry for help. Get into therapy before your "bright and healthy" daughter suffers serious psychological damage from your cruelty and sadly twisted values.

DEAR ABBY: My husband went on a 10-day business trip recently, and he wrote me three letters. He addressed the first one to "Mary Smith," the second to "Mrs. Mary Smith," and the third to "Ms. Mary Smith."

I have a friend who studies psychology, and she told me that my husband's addressing me as he did—carefully avoiding using "Mrs. John Smith"—was his way of "de-wifing" me.

I should add that when my husband returned from the trip, he was as affectionate and loving as ever, and he certainly didn't "de-wife" me then.

What do you think of my friend's theory?

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DEAR PERPLEXED: Not much. And if I were you, I would "de-friend" her.

DEAR ABBY: I've been married for four years, but my husband still maintains the bachelor apartment he had before he married me. (He and I are now living in my apartment.)

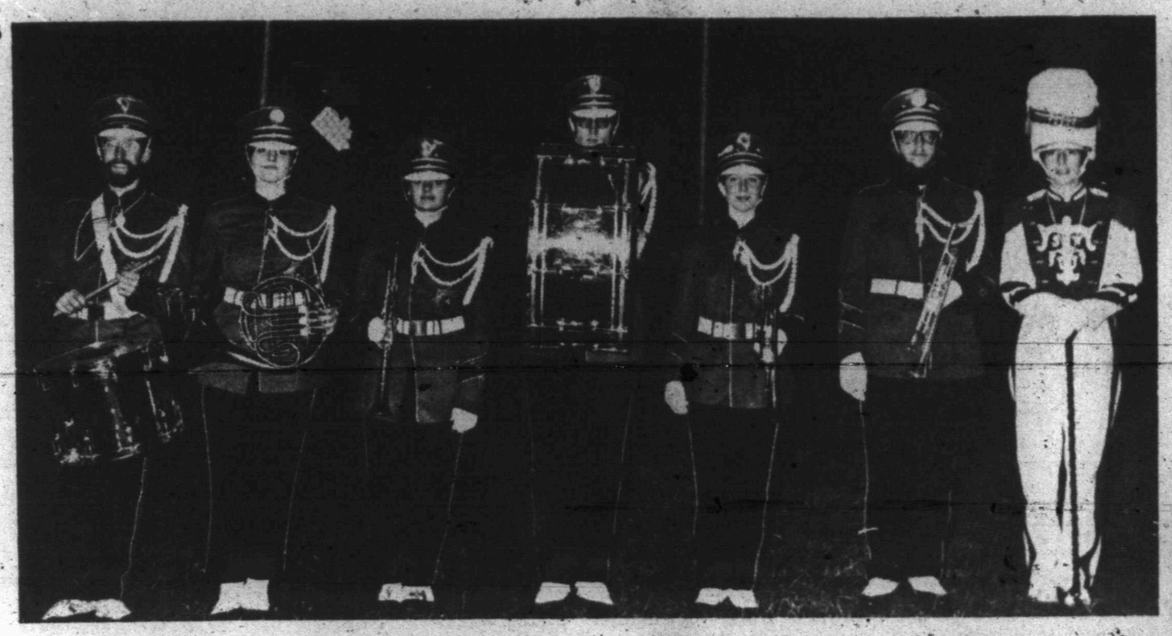
We are in need of a new TV. He has a very good one in his apartment, which is hardly used and was purchased just before we were married, but he refuses to move it over here, even though nobody is getting any use out of it where it is.

This is only a minor issue. Why he needs to keep that apartment is what really bothers me. He keeps kidding me about wanting a place to go in case we have a fight or decide to separate.

I care for him a lot and would hate to break up over his keeping that apartment. How do you figure this?

IRKED IN N.J.

DEAR IRKED: Your husband's insistence on keeping an apartment suggests that your marriage is near the reef. Why not ask him to rent a "retreat" for you? His excuse is as flabby as the idea is shabby.



IN SWT MARCHING BAND—Southwest Texas State University's marching band combines fast-paced precision marching with contemporary music at home game halftime performances and has appeared during the halftimes of professional football games in Dallas and Houston. Among the 120 band members are, left to right, Rusty Wells of San Angelo, Vicky Brooks of Midland, Teri LeBeuf of Lubbock, Jim Davis of Colorado City, Dorette Davis of Abernathy, Steve Donnell of Abilene and Angie Amato of Ira. Miss Amato, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Amato, plays trombone in the band.

Man To Jail For Christmas

MILWAUKEE (AP) — A 56-year-old man who has lived in the stairwells and corridors of a city building for two years has been sent to jail for 90 days so he won't be alone for Christmas.

"That's the only way he's going to get a merry Christmas," County Judge Ralph Gorenstein said Friday as he sentenced Eddie Lowman on a disorderly conduct charge.

Lowman was evicted on Thanksgiving Day from the city's Safety Building, headquarters for municipal and county courts and the sheriff's department. Authorities said he was able to sleep in the building because thorough patrols were rare.

Lowman apparently subsisted on sandwiches provided by janitors and by rummaging through garbage cans in the building or on the nearby Civic Center Plaza.

He was charged after he told the judge he would not move out of the building voluntarily.

Deputies said the gray-haired, sad-eyed man has told them he has given up on life. He also has told police that he has a son and daughter but does not want to burden them with his troubles.

Wallet Stolen In 1946 Is Found

WARMINSTER, Pa. (AP) — Karl Regul never expected to see again the wallet that a group of drunken soldiers stole from him in 1946. In fact, he says he'd forgotten all about it.

Now, thanks to carpenters in Maryland and a newspaper story, it looks as if he'll get his crumbling leather wallet back.

The wallet, containing a $25 war bond, a picture and personal papers but no money, was found recently when an old base hospital was being torn down at Ford Meade, Md.

"It was quite a shock hearing something about it after 30 years," said Regul, a 49-year-old tool and die maker. "I'll tell you, it was kind of weird. I'd like to get it back. It's a part of my past."

Joseph Ahl, base carpentry foreman, said the wallet was found by his workmen hidden in a ceiling support seven feet from the floor.

"Some of the cards and papers really were in bad shape but the bond and the picture were in really good shape," he said.

Ahl tried without success to get in touch with Regul by letter and telephone using Regul's old Philadelphia address.

Then state police dispatcher Patricia Miller read an Associated Press story about the wallet in the Lancaster, Pa., New Era.

She ran Regul's name through a state computer containing drivers' registrations and came up with his current address in this suburb of Philadelphia.

Miss Miller called a Lancaster reporter, who in turn called The AP.

It turned out that Regul had already heard about the wallet — from a retired officer who had also read a story about it in an Army newspaper.

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