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US' Big Bombers Pound DMZ Targets

By GEORGE ESPER
Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — U.S. B52 bombers returned to blast North Vietnamese targets in the demilitarized zone again today despite the threat of more SAM missiles like the three the Reds fired at them in the same area Wednesday night.

The huge high-altitude bombers pounded troop concentrations and artillery positions in the northern half of the DMZ, seven miles north-northwest of the U.S. Marine outpost at Con Thien. Earlier in the day they blasted suspected Communist infiltration routes along the Cambodian border.

At the same time, the U.S. Command disclosed a new amphibious and helicopter assault by Marines along the northern sector where 35,000 Communist troops are believed concentrated.

There was no report of any more SAMs being fired when the B52s returned Friday.

In other raids today, the big bombers pounded two suspected infiltration routes within a few miles of the Cambodian border. One strike was 68 miles northwest of Saigon where supplies filter into War Zone C. The second was 89 miles north of Saigon near the Bu Dop Special Forces camp which the Communists assaulted last month.

The new Marine assault, also aimed at taking Communist pressure off the northern frontier area, was centered about five miles below the demilitarized zone along the coast of Quang Tri Province.

A battalion of Marines, about 1,000 men, landed Thursday morning from helicopters and from ships of the U.S. 7th Fleet.

U.S. headquarters said the only significant action so far occurred shortly before dark Thursday when one Marine company exchanged small arms and machinegun fire with an enemy force of unknown size entrenched in a complex of bunkers. Four Marines were killed and nine were wounded. Communist casualties were not known.

U.S. cruisers and destroyers also turned their big guns on Communist positions along the northern frontier, and fighter-bombers also raked enemy strongpoints.

Flying from carriers in the Tonkin Gulf, Navy A4 Skyhawk bombers attacked a suspected SAM missile site 25 miles north of the DMZ but no damage assessment was announced. Other Skyhawks dropped 250-pound bombs on a North Vietnamese artillery post 10 miles northwest of the U.S. Marine outpost at Gio Linh.

The northeast monsoons confined U.S. air strikes to secondary targets in the southern panhandle of North Vietnam Thursday for the second straight day. U.S. pilots flew 90 missions.

The SDN COLUMN

It's a small world.

Me and my nephew (David Stone of California) had entered Turner's Cafe in Lamesa. We had planned to eat and then hit the road again for Odessa to see the Tigers tangle with Ector in a basketball tilt.

Noticing that all of the booths were filled, a kindly gent of about 60 offered to share his table with us. He was sitting alone.

As we joined him, I glanced at the stranger and had the impression that he looked familiar to me. After introductions were exchanged, we discovered that the kindly stranger was none other than Ed Connally, cousin of Gov. John Connally. There was a distinct family resemblance. The hair and facial features especially resembled those of the governor.

Conversing with Ed, we discovered that he is a great sports fan. He told us of the time he used to watch Dizzy Dean and several of the oldtime baseball players perform at Houston. (Ed lives at La Porte near the metropolis). He told us that Elmer, Dizzy's brother, used to sell peanuts in the stands at the same time Diz was performing on the field.

"I used to be a good ventriloquist," said Ed, "and I got a kick out of yelling at Elmer and getting him to look for me.

"I'd tell him, 'Bring some peanuts up here.'

"He'd go where the voice sounded like it came from and ask, 'Where are you?'

"And, I'd answer — throwing my voice in a different direction — 'Here, over here.'

"I don't think he ever did catch on," laughed Ed.

In Connally's opinion, Dizzy is one of the most talented baseball players ever to toe a mound — and one of the most interesting sports announcers ever to handle a mike. (That Wabash Cannon Ball did have a certain appeal. Wonder what ever happened to Diz?)

After we learned that Ed was in Lamesa in

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Today In History

Today is Friday, Dec. 22 the 356th day of 1967. There are nine days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1945, the United States and Britain recognized the new Yugoslav republic.

On this date—

In 1696, the founder of the colony of Georgia, James Oglethorpe, was born.

In 1775, the American Continental Naval Fleet — Two frigates, two brigs and three schooners — was organized under the command of Ezek Hopkins.

In 1894, the French army captain, Alfred Dreyfus, was found guilty of treason in a court-martial which inflamed world opinion.

In 1942, U.S. heavy bombers raided Rangoon, Burma, during World War II.

In 1944, also during World War II, the American general, Anthony McAuliffe, said "nuts" when the Germans demanded that he surrender at Bastogne, Belgium.

In 1963, America's month of official mourning for President John F. Kennedy ended with a candlelight ceremony at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington.

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THE WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Thursday, 58 degrees; low, 19 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 19 degrees.

Southwest Texas: Freeze warning tonight. Fair through Saturday. Colder tonight with a hard freeze in all sections. A little warmer Saturday afternoon. Low tonight 18 in north to 30 in south. High Saturday 44 to 56.

Northwest Texas: Fair tonight and Saturday. A little warmer in north tonight and over area Saturday. Low tonight in 20s. High Saturday in 50s.

Northeast Texas: Fair and colder tonight. Fair day. Warmer Saturday. Low tonight 24 to 30. High 30. High Saturday in 50s.

North Central Texas: Fair tonight and Saturday. Warmer Saturday. Low tonight 24 to 3. High Saturday in 50s.

South Central Texas: Freeze warning tonight for all except extreme south. Decreasing cloudiness and colder tonight with freezing temperatures early Saturday in all except extreme south and along immediate coast. Fair and cold Saturday. Low tonight 24 in north to 38 in extreme south. High Saturday 40 in north to 58 in south.

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FLOWERS AND RAIN — President Lyndon Johnson receives a flower lei on his rain-soaked arrival in Honolulu where his plane stopped to refuel enroute to Melbourne, Australia, to attend memorial services for Prime Minister Harold E. Holt. (AP Wirephoto)

Mercury Dips To New Lows

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A wave of cold rolled across the Midwest and headed for the East Friday, driving down temperatures 40 degrees in some places.

Pueblo, Colo., recorded a low of -8, tying a record for Dec. 22 set in 1911.

The first day of winter chilled most of the nation. Temperatures ranged down to -25 in Miles City, Mont., -12 at the Grand Canyon in Arizona, -22 in Williston, N.D., -6 in Duluth, Minn., -8 in North Platte, and -5 in Rapid City, S.D.

Chicago's official temperature plunged 46 degrees in 24 hours, from 61 to 15.

Mild weather ruled the Atlantic Coast as the cold air moved in that direction. Rain fell from New England southward through the Appalachians to the central section of the Gulf region. More than an inch fell in Knoxville, Tenn.

The cold followed widespread tornadoes, thunderstorms and rain.

Blizzards which swept the Dakotas tapered off to flurries.

The final day of autumn was marked by literally dozens of Tornadoes. Hardest hit was Potosi, Mo., where three persons died and 40 were injured early Thursday.

The twisters continued in almost summertime numbers throughout the day, striking parts of Illinois, Indiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Texas and other communities in southeast Missouri. Except for the Potosi storm, most damage was relatively light.

Eighteen were injured in the southeast Missouri town of McBride and two persons received injuries when a twister swiped at Booneville, Miss., late in the day.

Downpours ranging up to 5 inches swamped northeast Indiana and sent rivers into lowlands as far south as LaFayette where the Wabash rose to 2 feet over flood stage.

KIDDIE SHOW IS SET SATURDAY

The annual Kiddie Show for the benefit of the Goodfellows program has been scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Saturday at the Ritz Theater.

Youngsters will be admitted to the show if they bring a can of food or a usable toy for contribution to the Goodfellows. The entertainment will include a Disney feature film, along with cartoons.

LBJ Rests In Thailand

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

President Johnson took off from Australia today on his way home, and later was reported to have arrived in Thailand for the night.

There was no direct word from Thailand, but advices received by The Associated Press said the President was understood to be spending the night at Khorat air base, one of the sites the United States has developed for the defense of Thailand and to bomb North Vietnam.

No official confirmation of the trip was expected until the President's departure. That was the pattern followed last year when Johnson visited Cam Ranh Bay in South Vietnam.

Death Ends Journey To Colorado City

WAXAHACHIE, Tex. (AP) — A pickup truck and an automobile collided headon in a fiery mass early today, killing four persons and critically injuring three others.

The dead included Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Anthony Amadeo of Morgan City, La., and their 15-year-old daughter, Jo. Three of the Amadeo couple's other children were taken to Dallas' Parkland Hospital in critical condition.

The Texas Department of Public Safety said the Amadeos were en route from Morgan City, to Colorado City, Tex., to spend Christmas with relatives.

The driver of the pickup truck was Willie Lee Hollins, 37, of Dallas. He was alone in his truck when the two vehicles collided 4.8 miles west of Waxahachie on U.S. 287 in the predawn hours.

Hollins body was badly burned and it could not be determined immediately whether he died of crash injuries or fire.

In critical condition were Sadie Amadeo, 14, Mary, 10, and Tony, 8, all children of Amadeo and his wife, Mae Dell.

Identification of Hollins was made difficult because his clothing and identification papers burned in the flames that erupted from his pickup truck after the crash.

Pope Renews Peace Appeal

By DENNIS REDOONT

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Paul VI called on the United States today to suspend the bombing of North Vienam and offered anew to mediate the war. He said he was grieved and astonished that previous offers of mediation and honest attempts for peace had been rejected.

The pontiff's new appeal for an end of the bombing came on the eve of a possible visit to the Vatican by President Johnson on his way home from Australia. There have been reports here and in Washington that Johnson wants to see the Pope to explain the U.S. position on Vietnam. But there has been no confirmation that a stopover here was being arranged.

Hanoi in the past has rejected the Pope's offers to serve as a mediator in Vietnamm

The Roman Catholic leader has praised U.S. peace proposals that the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong have steadily turned down.

"Many voices have requested us to exhort one of the participants to suspend bombing," the Pope said.

"We have done it before and we do it again," he added.

The appeal was contained in a 28-page address delivered to the College of Cardinals. They had assembled at the Vatican to extend Christmas greetings to the Pope.

Continuing his reference to Vietnam, the Pope said:

"May violence cease in all its forms.

"We are certain that the final goal to pursue is not an oppressive victory, but security, peace and liberty for all.

"Frank and loyal negotiations are the only constructive road for true peace."

Charge Filed In Theft At Burned Store

City Police apparently have cleared a burglary at Gibson's Discount Center that occurred the night after a fire destroyed the building Nov. 5.

"There was over $1,000 worth of merchandise taken in the burglary," said Chief of Police Stephen Clark. "Included in the haul were two shotguns, eight 'walkie-talkies', ammunition, rifle scopes, binoculars and many other items."

Arrested in connection with the case was Lawrence Culbertson, 122 Milburn. He was charged in Justice of the Peace Court here with felony theft and remanded to County Jail in lieu of $1,000 bond.

Chief Clark and Detective Sergeant Bobby Goodwin have been working on the case.

Clark said that a warrant also has been issued for the arrest of another suspect in the case. His identity was being withheld until his apprehension.

"We know where he is, and he has indicated that he will return to Snyder to stand trial," said Chief Clark.

One of the two suspects is a former assistant manager at the firm.

TRAINS, PLANES, BUSES

Brace For Holiday Travel

By BOB MONROE
Associated Press Writer

Airlines, railroads and bus lines geared up today to handle the first peak push of the holiday travel season as millions of Americans crisscrossed the country trying to get home for Christmas.

Although the transportation rush began about a week ago, most carriers said the peak days would be today and Jan. 2. Some lines predicted passenger volume records for the period.

Continuing a trend of recent years, many airlines also reported heavy bookings to resort areas including Miami, Hawaii, Mexico and the Caribbean islands.

The National Safety Council in Chicago estimated that the extra millions of drivers on the nation's streets and highways over the weekend would mean from 625 to 725 fatalities.

The Air Transport Association in Washington reported that air lines nationwide were providing 150,000 additional daily seats on scheduled flights during the periods from Dec. 15-23 and Jan. 1-7.

During the same period last year the lines provided 100,000 extra daily seats. An ATS spokesman said this year was "probably the greatest additional service in airline history."

Railroads also added service but at least three lines said they did not expect to handle record crowds unless bad weather forces airlines to cancel flights and made driving hazardous.

Greyhound Bus Lines' Chicago headquarters said that since Dec. 15 it had moved 75,000 troops—the equivalent of five divisions—on holiday leave from Army installations around the nation.

Spokesmen for Continental Trailways bus line in Dallas said its operations were at about the same level as last but down from preholiday estimates due to the snow storms in the Southwest.

Resort travel was particularly heavy with Miami reporting the largest holiday crowd of tourists on record. The top Miami Beach hotels said the Christmas week had been booked solidly for a month.

An Eastern Air Lines spokesmak said it expected holiday travel to Miami would show an increase of 45 per cent over 1966.

In the West the most striking increase was on flights to Hawaii. A Pan American World Airways spokesman said, "Hawaii, like Mexico, has become a popular place to spend Christmas." United Air Lines said "business over there is fantastic."

$2¼ Million Pact Let By CRMWD

BIG SPRING — Subject to checking by the engineer, a $2,251,828 pipeline contract has been awarded by the Colorado River Municipal Water District to Panhandle Construction Company of Lubbock.

The project involves 33 miles of 36-in. diameter concrete steel cylinder pipe from Big Spring to the Martin County pump station. The line will parallel an existing 27-in. line and will join with 27-in. and 33-in. lines now in operation from the pump station to Odessa. The new section is the first leg in the pipeline system that will connect with the new lake to be impounded at Robert Lee. Bids on the Big Spring - Robert Lee leg may be taken early in the latter half of 1968.

Panhandle's bid was $41,941 under that submitted by Elm Fork Construction Company of Dallas. Gilven-Terrell of Amarillo ranked third with a proposal of $2,340,313.23. The top bid for concrete pipe was $2,994,447. Two bids for steel pipe were in this range — $2,939,751 and $2,969,998. This was the first time the district had listed specifications for steel pipe and officials were pleased with the bids, indicating that steel might be more competitive on the major section which has considerable high pressure pipe.

Right of way for the pipeline has been secured, said O. H. Ivie, general manager, and

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'DEAR SANTA — HELP' — "Duchess," a two-year-old prize-winning German Shepherd appears pooped in front of her Christmas tree with paws folded over her ears in hopeless effort to escape din of Christmas carols and incessant howling of her ten 2½-week-old youngsters. Tree is decorated with award ribbons and on floor are some 39 trophies Duchess has won in obedience and trial competition. She is owned by Ken Hickey of Orlando, Fla. (AP Wirephoto)

SANTA and the PIGWIDGEN

By LUCRECE BEALE

CHAPTER SEVENTEEN
MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

Claus rushed back to the castle to delay the contest. The Pigwidgen was impatient. He knew only he could lift the box of magic because it was screwed to the top of the North Pole. He was anxious to defeat Claus at last.

"But give me a change of clothes!" begged Claus. "What I am wearing is not suitable for so serious a contest."

"Oh, very well," said the Pigwidgen crossly, and he ordered clothes brought to Claus.

Nothing large enough to fit could be found. Finally the pygmies discovered a bolt of red cloth. Quickly they cut out and stitched together a red suit. It was a fine and handsome outfit but, unfortunately, too large. Claus stuffed several pillows under his coat to make it fit. Then, looking like a roly poly red rubber ball, he followed the Pigwidgen to the lake.

The tiny box sat on top of the ice. Claus bent over. He wrapped his hands around the box. He gave a mighty heave. The box did not move. Claus pried. He pushed. He pulled. The box did not move.

The Pigwidgen cried, "You have lost! Now you will turn to stone!"

Claus shook his head and heaved once more. Suddenly the ice split, there was a snap below the water and Claus raised the box high over his head.

The Pigwidgen turned pale. "You have lifted the North Pole itself!" he gasped incredulously.

Claus smiled. He knew that it was Patrick Tweedleknees who had done it. The elf had broken under the ice near shore and had swum underwater to the pole. All the time Claus was heaving Tweedleknees was under the ice sawing on the pole until the tip broke free.

The Pigwidgen said mournfully, "All my power is now yours."

"And what of the curse that has put all the children in the land to sleep?" asked Claus. "And the curse that keeps all elves underground?"

"You may break them," said the Pigwidgen. "The power is yours. My people are yours. This land is yours. But there is one thing you must know. No human being who has come to this land can leave. Though you will live forever you can never go home again."

"Never?"

"Once each year and then only if you have a message to give."

Claus was very sad. What was the good of living forever and having so much magic power if he could not do what he had loved the most: to sit in his little workshop at home and make toys for the children of the village?

Tweedleknees appeared. He tugged at Claus' big red trousers. "It is a good land," he said gruffly. "The elves can move here from their underground caves. The pygmies can stay here. We can all make toys and once a year you can take them not only to your own village but to children everywhere. All the world will love you and call you Saint Nicholas or Santa Caus."

Claus brightened. "I can fill a sled with toys and the reindeer can fly me," he said happily. "I will send for Mrs. Claus and she can make sugar plums and sweet meats to stuff in sockings."

"And always wear red because that red suit has brought us luck," said Tweedleknees.

"But," said the Pigwidgen, "what of the message you must give in order to visit the world?"

"That's easy," said Claus. "I shall deliver our toys on Christmas Eve and my message will be 'Merry Christmas!'"

And that is the tale of how Saint Nicholas came to be the Santa Claus we know today. It may be true or it may not. It really doesn't matter. The message is the same:

"Merry Christmas to all!"



"Merry Christmas to all!"

Michigan State's 1968 non-conference foes are Syracuse, Baylor and Notre Dame.

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NATO Units Reassigned To Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — A total of 2,500 men will be reassigned from the U.S. Army NATO forces in Germany to three Texas bases, Sen. Ralph Yarborough, D-Tex., announced Thursday.

Yarborough said the Army had informed him the troops will be redeployed to Ft. Hood, near Temple; Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, and Ft. Bliss at El Paso.

The Army said, according to Yarborough, that the troops will remain under NATO command, and their equipment will be kept in Germany so they can rejoin forces there, combat ready, on short notice.

The 6th Battalion (Hawk), 61st Artillery (Ad) and 171st Ordnance Platoon (guided missile) will be assigned to Ft. Bliss, and the 485th Preventive Medicine unit to Ft. Sam Houston.

Redeployed to Ft. Hood will be the 524th Engineer Company (topographic); Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment of the 36th Medical Battalion; 664th Ordnance Company (ammunition); Company D 1st Signal Battalion (combat area); Company D, 16th Signal Battalion (combat area); Company D, 26th Signal Battalion (combat area); Company D, 93rd Signal Battalion (combat area); Company D, 440th Signal Battalion (combat area); 96th Transportation Company (heavy trucks) and 552nd Signal Company (operations).

Also, the senator's office said, it has learned the 601st Tactical Control Group of the Air Force, about 70 men, will be reassigned to Bergstrom Air Force Base near Austin next summer.

Mother Indicted In Baby's Death

FORT WORTH (AP) — Mrs. Frances Forman, 39, was indicted for murder Thursday in the Oct. 31 beating death of her tiny son, James, 19 months.

She has been in jail since she and her husband were arrested Nov. 4. The husband, Travis Forman, 32, was no-billed Tuesday by the grand jury.

Power Official Has Big Job Waiting

DENISON, Tex. (AP)—David Terry, a Texas Power and Light Co. official here whose job is to promote the use of electrical energy, figures his sales work is cut out for him.

His wife engineered a neighborhood Christmas decoration project that involved a block of hurricane lamps. All were lighted with candles.

Transplant Patient Is Buried Today

By DAVID J. PAINE
Associated Press Writer

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — Louis Washkansky, first man ever to receive a transplanted heart, was buried today by the rabbi who married him 21 years ago.

The surgeon who headed the transplant team, exhausted by efforts to save Washkansky from pneumonia while the transplanted heart still beat strongly, did not attend the funeral and prepared to leave for a television appearance in the United States.

Prof. Christian N. Barnard was represented at the funeral by his younger brother, Marius, also a member of the transplant team. Several hundred people, including Mayor Gerald Ferry, gathered at the Jewish cemetery in the picturesque garden suburb of Pinelands. The chief rabbi of Cape Town, Prof. Israel Abrahams, conducted the traditional Jewish ceremony.

Dr. C. Botha, the pathologist who was one of the key figures in the transplant was chief pallbearer.

Washkansky's widow, Ann, 41, showed signs of distress as the casket was lowered into the grave.

Washkansky, a 53-year-old wholesale grocer, lived 18 days after the historic transplant Dec. 3 which gave him the heart of a 25-year-old woman who had been injured fatally when hit by a car.

At a news conference seven hours after Washkansky's death Thursday, Prof. Barnard said pneumonia was the cause and he saw no evidence that Washkansky's body had rejected the foreign heart.

"As soon as the occasion arises, we will do the next heart transplant," he said.

Ropesville Brothers Killed In Mishap

LEVELLAND, Tex. (AP) — Two brothers from the Ropesville community were killed, and their father and another brother suffered serious injuries in a one-car accident near Levelland late Thursday.

The Department of Public Safety reports the driver, 17-year-old Alber Amador, and two o his three companions were thrown out at the automobile as it overturned. The accident was 14 miles south of Levelland on Farm 441.

Two of the car's occupants—the driver and his 18-year-old brother, Armando Amador—died after being taken to South Plains Hospital at Levelland.

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connection with his job as a government cotton classifier, we asked him if he knew Adoph Holloman.

"You bet I do," he said. "I broke him in on his first job—he and my son used to run their hound dogs together."

Like said. It's a small world.

Oh, yes. Ed casually let it slip that he attended Southwest Texas State at the same time you-know-who went to college.

Of course we know a few people who are going to school there now — the Kizer boys (Roy and Ray), just to mention a couple.

It sure is a small world. Ain't it?

Before we got out of that cafe we ran into three women, all of whom are former Snyder residents — and all of whom know my wife, I hasten to add.

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We never did get to Odessa. There just wasn't time to make it for the tipoff when we got out of that cafe. So we went to the Lamesa - Ysleta game. O. W. Follis, the Tornado coach, hasn't changed a bit.

"That Snyder is beating everybody," he declared. "Why, they score 80 points or more in every game; why, I'll bet we couldn't score that many points if the other team backed off and let us shoot at the basket," he concluded.

—BUCK SITTON

Innkeeper Gets Paid

A local innkeeper who was defrauded of a night's lodging was paid by the person who defrauded him after the suspect had a "conversation" with Detective Sergeant Bobby Goodwin.

Goodwin, according to Chief of Police Stephen Clark, tracked the man to Lubbock. He agreed to pay for the lodging after the conversation with Goodwin.

The incident involved the Purple Sage Motel on the East Highway.

The Weather Elsewhere

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	High	Low	Pr.
Albany, rain	50	46	T
Albuquerque, clear	27	14	..
Atlanta, rain	67	52	.06
Bismarck, clear	0	-18	..
Boise, snow	28	24	.02
Boston, rain	44	41	T
Buffalo, cloudy	65	38	.43
Chicago, clear	62	16	.34
Cincinnati, cloudy	69	26	1.06
Cleveland, cloudy	65	28	.51
Denver, cloudy	28	12	..
Des Moines, clear	56	10	.02
Detroit, cloudy	61	26	.63
Fairbanks, clear	10	-14	..
Fort Worth, clear	70	28	..
Helena, snow	0	-8	T
Honolulu, rain	72	70	T
Indianapolis, cloudy	67	23	.89
Jacksonville, clear	80	64	..
Juneau, cloudy	23	21	..
Kansas City, clear	59	12	.11
Los Angeles, clear	59	43	..
Louisville, cloudy	69	30	.78
Memphis, cloudy	75	30	.50
Miami, cloudy	79	76	..
Milwaukee, clear	57	13	.07
Mpls.-St.P., clear	51	1	..
New Orleans, rain	80	49	.84
New York, cloudy	54	50	..
Okla. City, clear	56	19	.02
Omaha, clear	25	8	..
Philadelphia, rain	62	49	T
Phoenix, clear	50	31	..
Pittsburgh, cloudy	67	40	.25
Ptlnd, Me., cloudy	43	38	..
Ptlnd, Ore., rain	35	30	.47
Rapid City, clear	13	-5	..
Richmond, cloudy	55	44	..
St. Louis, cloudy	67	19	.72
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	23	11	..
San Diego, clear	69	40	..
San Fran., cloudy	50	44	..
Seattle, rain	48	34	.62
Tampa, clear	80	68	..
Washington, cloudy	54	47	..

(T—Trace)

Publisher Eludes Greek Military

By GRANVILLE WATTS
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — Greece's leading woman publisher claimed today that she slipped past her guards and escaped from house arrest in Athens a week ago, but the military junta in her homeland claimed she was released last Friday and was free to come or go at will.

Mrs. Helen Vlachos, a conservative, arrived in London Thursday. She told newsmen today she dyed her gray hair black, changed her hair style, left her glasses off and got past a guard outside her apartment door and possibly one outside her apartment building.

But in Athens, Minister of Public Order I. Tzevelekos told newsmen: "She was released from house arrest on Friday. She was free to come and go. She did not ask for permission to leave the country, but had she done so we would not have hampered her."

The woman left behind her husband and two sons, 19 and 20 years old. Asked if she feared reprisals against them, she replied: "I am not happy about that."

Mrs. Vlachos said King Constantine's attempt to overthrow Greece's military dictatorship was "amateurish."

"Everybody in Greece knew about it," she said. "It had to fail. It was impossible."

She said after the king's countercoup failed, she decided to leave Greece because "I would have to wait for a long time for something to happen again." She said she would apply for political asylum in Britain.

Fire Was In Garza County

City Firemen answered 2½ calls yesterday.

They put out a grass fire in the 100 block of Beaumont at 3:15 p.m., then extinguished a car fire at Fifteenth Street and Avenue M at 4:40 p.m. Owner of the vehicle was identified as Rudy Amorce.

At 8:10 p.m., they received a call to a car fire "two miles south of Dermott" on U. S. 84. Enroute to the scene, they were notified the fire was in Garza County. So they returned to Snyder.

Firemen and Highway Patrolmen from Garza County handled the call.

Officials here have received no further information concerning the fire, but passing motorists notified the Snyder Daily News that the vehicle was seen upside down on the highway and was burning.

Kim Morsman will captain Yale's 1968 soccer team.



HEART DOCTOR—Dr. Barnard, chief surgeon of heart transplant patient Louis Washkansky, is shown discussing his recent heart-transplant operation in Cape Town, South Africa. He said the transplanted heart functioned well until the last. (AP Wirephoto by cable from Cape Town)

Scene Is Brightened

Five-hundred to 750 luminaries will brighten up the scene at the J. T. Roberson residence, 2804 El Paso Christmas Eve night.

Luminaries are lighted candles placed in paper sacks. Sand in the bottom of the sacks prevent them from blowing away.

"We're trying to get all of the neighbors to put luminaries in front of their houses next year," said Mrs. Roberson.

"Candles are a big problem this year," she explained, "—we can't seem to find enough of them."

She invited area residents to look at the luminaries when they are lighted.

"They'll be burning Christmas Eve night and perhaps the night before that," she concluded.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Chaplain: Rev. Jerry Speer

ADMISSIONS: Clyde Burns, 1808 Thirty - eighth; J. B. Patterson, Rt. 1.

DISMISSALS: Mrs. Morris Browning and baby boy, Ellen Harrell, Mrs. R. R. Johnson and baby girl, Henry Overton, Vina Davis, Agnes Brown, Edwin Murphy, Mae Smith, Raul Hernandez.

Pleas Are Entered

G. W. Proctor of Snyder pleaded guilty in County Court Thursday to three separate charges of swindling by worthless check. The offenses occurred during the period from July 30, 1967 to Dec. 19, 1967.

He was handed a 40-day jail term plus court costs for each offense.

CRMWD—

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there should be no impediments to an early start on the job.

CRMWD directors also gave approval to plans for a diversion works and side storage on the Colorado River in northwestern Mitchell County. The diversion dam will be only six feet high across the channel, but pumps capable of lifting 90 million gallons per day will boost normal and flush flow mineralized water into the 2,500-acre foot side storage reservoir.

Similarly, bids were authorized for the huge lift pumps, and the land committee and general manager were authorized to firm up a site and acquire land as soon as the Texas Water Rights Commission gives its approval to the diversion project plans.

The general manager and engineer were authorized to explore means of making available to San Angelo a supplemental water supply should San Angelo be interested.

The board also gave the green light to participation on a 50-50 basis with the Texas Railroad Commission in plugging at least three abandoned oilwells on the reservoirs' shed. These are wells whose operators are no longer in business or available for recourse, yet the wells are contributing to pollution of the watershed. There may be others to plug, Ivie said.

Bids will be received on 17 oil well mounds on Jan. 9, and the board will meet the following day to take action on them. These mounds will be in the Humble IAB field of Coke County to get wells in the new lake basin "in the dry."

Work on the dam above Robert Lee is now about 52 per cent, Ivie told the board. Despite some lost time due to weather, the contractor, Clement Bros., is running on schedule if not slightly ahead. Good progress is being made on the rerouting of State 158 (Sterling City-Robert Lee) highway around the south end of the dam, he said.

Minor Damage

Minor damage resulted from a two-vehicle mishap at Avenue S and Twenty - sixth Street at 2:50 p.m. Thursday.

Involved were the 1964 Model Chevrolet of Ann Elizabeth Kelly, 2209 Forty - first Street, and the 1964 Model Ford stationwagon of Kenneth Wayne Neeper, 300 Thirty - second Street. Damage to the stationwagon was placed at $75, and damage to the car was set at $20.

Sergeant Bobby Goodwin investigated the collision.

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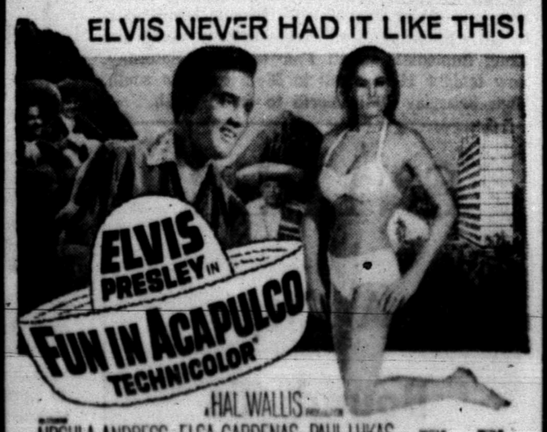
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THE ALTRUSIAN DAUGHTERS Study Club met Wednesday at the Martha Ann Woman's Club for its annual Christmas party and luncheon. Hostesses for the event are pictured above. From left, Mrs. A. D. Dodson, Mrs. R. E. Patterson, Mrs. T. J. Adams and Mrs. Harry Ward. Highlighting the program was a speech by Mrs. Ward on the "The Art Of Giving".

Southwest Book News

By ROBERT E. FORD
Associated Press Writer

THE EMERGENCE OF THE NEW SOUTH 1913-1945, By George B. Tindall (Louisiana State University Press, $12.50)

"The Emergence of the New South" is the 10th book in a monumental series that tells of the South since 1607.

The beginning of this volume coincides with the election of Woodrow Wilson, considered a Southerner and called the first southerner in the White House in a half century. Some ex-Confederates still served in Congress.

A great many persons still recall this period, and it may strike most as a sterile time in the South as far as history is concerned although not so nationally. Tindall finds the opposite.

As the South entered the era, it had little to offer except raw materials. Leaders complained with considerable justification that eastern money and industrial tycoons were interested in the South only as a sort of colony which could be exploited.

Two conflicting images of the South dominated the outlook of the remainder of the nation: The embattled South deep in poverty of money and ideas, and the progressive New South.

World War I gave the South a taste of what industry could do, and the establishment began a theme of cheap labor to lure more manufacturing. When the cheap labor situation disintegrated, the promoters began stressing an Anglo-Saxon labor supply of all things, claiming such workers were more contended and better workers.

How successful these industrial campaigns were can be seen on all sides today, however.

Industry was not the only activity of the South. Threaded through the store are such men as Walter Prescott Webb, The Man Bilbo, Josephus Daniels, the Rev. J. Frank Norris, Sen. Morris Sheppard, Huey Long, Jesse Jones, John Nance Garner, Martin Dies Sr., Maury Maverick, Alfalfa Bill, Sam Rayburn, Pat Harrison, James Byrnes, Claude Pepper, Sen. Walter George.

A book of this scope and size cannot be compressed into a review. But some of the more interesting sidelights as seen by the author.

The demagogues of the 1910s produced some of the greatest progress of the period—in contrast to the status quo conservatives—in government, social improvement and education.

The South had the same old farm problems as today along with the same old proposals for solutions.

It was a period of increased segregation, at least in the 1910s, and cotton disease and discrimination began to send Negroes northward.

The racial riots during and after World War I make today's "long hot summers" sound like a movie rerun. The Negroes of the period had so little hope that the best they asked was an anti-lynch act. The number of lynchings seems incredible today and the cruelty of some of them sound like the Dark Ages.

The Ku Klux Klan revival could have produced another Nazi-type movement had it possessed the leadership of a Hitler.

The problems talked about now were present then except that no one was trying to do much about them—slums, farm problems, states rights, dropouts, education, discrimination.

The armed forces remained rigidly segregated through World War II to the point that it really was a white man's war in the front lines.

But perhaps it was Franklin D. Roosevelt who really set the South of an upward surge economically with many measures with, for a time, strong support from even the conservatives.

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THE SPECTRAL SANTA CLAUS, By Harold T. Davis (Naylor, $2.95)

For 15 years, Dr. and Mrs. Harold T. Davis have marked each holiday season with an original Christmas story mailed to friends.

Now the series has been collected along with the original illustrations. The stories are for either adults or children, preferably for reading to the youngsters. Dr. Davis calls them tales, poems and other whimsies."

The author is professor of mathematics at Trinity University. He has a long list of publication credits both in his professional field as well as books of general interest, some of them humor.—(The AP)

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CHARLES UMLAUF, SCULPTOR. Foreword by Gibson A. Danes, introduction by Donald B. Goodall. (University of Texas Press, $10).

Charles Umlauf came off a Michigan farm to the Chicago Art Institute and for 25 years has taught sculpture and drawing at the University of Texas. But in the meantime, he has found time to turn out a tremendous amount of sculpture in which religious themes predominate. Many pieces have been done on assignment by churches.

Says Umlauf, "All art which is significant and lasting must have a religiousness about it."

The University of Texas has just published an extensive group of photographs of his work.

All the works have a brilliance to them. His style is known as "traditional," but that depends on definition. Much of his production could be classified as something else, indicting Umlauf's versatility.

He works in almost all mediums—bronze, wood, marble, linestone, cast stone.

The book is excellent for browsing and simply for studying of any page. The extensive foreword by Gibson A. Danes is a detailed biography.—The AP

Vegetable Soup Is For Supper

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

A hearty vegetable soup often fills the bill for Sunday night supper. Served with toasted sandwiches, it makes a satisfying meal.

So what do we have for you? A special soup combination — fresh brussels sprouts and carrots cooked in thickened canned condensed chicken broth. The broth is made extra savory with onion and other seasonings, and it is given extra body with light cream and egg yolk.

If you follow our suggestion and offer toasted sandwiches with the soup, you may want to make the sandwiches of cheese. Our way of preparation: make sanwiches of white bread (homemade type) and generous slices of natural cheddar cheese. Lavishly butter the outside of each and then toast very slowly in a heavy skillet until both sides are a beautiful golden brown and the cheese has partly melted. If you use a 10-inch skillet, you can toast 3 sandwiches at a time — two whole ones and one cut in half. The first batch can be kept warm in a low oven while you toast the next batch.

SUPPER SOUP

2 tablespoons butter
1 small onion, chopped
2 tablespoons flour
2 cans (each 10½ ounces) condensed chicken broth, undiluted
2 cartons (each 10 ounces) fresh brussels sprouts, halved
2 medium carrots, pared and sliced very thin
½ teaspoon salt
White pepper to taste
Pinch of nutmeg
¼ teaspoon dried marjoram leaves
1 cup light cream
1 egg yolk

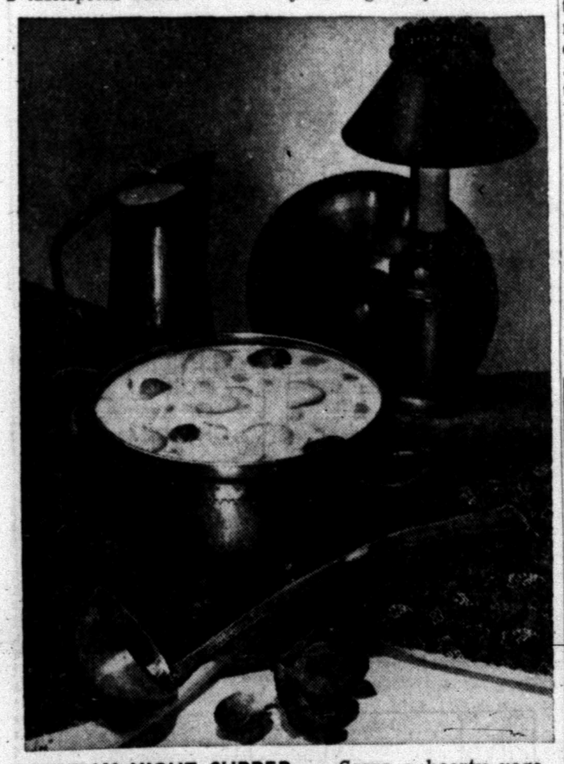
In a large saucepan (about 3 quarts) over low heat, melt the butter; add the onion; cook, stirring often, until golden. Stir in flour. Remove from heat.

Gradually add the chicken broth, stirring after each addition until there are no flour lumps. Return to moderately low heat; cook, stirring constantly, until slightly thickened and boiling.

Add sprouts, carrots, salt, pepper, nutmeg and marjoram. Cover and boil gently until sprouts and carrots are tender-crisp — 5 to 10 minutes. Add cream and heat very gently; do not boil.

In a small bowl with a fork, lightly beat egg yolk; gradually but vigorously stir in about half a cup of the soup liquid; stir back into soup. Stir constantly over very low heat for a minute or two to allow egg yolk to cook and give body to soup. Makes 6 servings.

Note: If the boiling of the thickened broth with the vegetables is done carefully, the soup should be of good consistency and have good flavor after the cream and egg yolk are added. But if by some chance the broth evaporates a good deal, you may want to add extra undiluted broth and cream to the finished soup, adjust the seasoning and reheat very gently—stirring constantly — without boiling.



SUNDAY NIGHT SUPPER — Serve a hearty vegetable soup that features fresh brussels sprouts.

Sandwiches Aplenty

Thin slices of roast lamb tucked inside bread which has been buttered and spread with a thin film of mint jelly provide delightful eating.

Hearty open-faced sandwiches will please the carolers if you invite them in for a snack. Spread mashed canned baked beans over buttered slices of Boston brown bread, sprinkle with grated Cheddar cheese and top with bacon strips. Broil until bacon is crisp.

Ham sandwiches can be broiled if they're topped with a mixture made of ¼ cup butter or margarine creamed with an equal amount of brown sugar and 2 teaspoons prepared mustard.

Boneless Lamb Appears As Treat On Crisp Noodles

Make a delectable treat out of boneless lamb strips by braising with mushrooms. Then serve both over Chinese noodles. It's a combo hard to beat for good flavor.

Lamb and mushrooms are harmonious as flavor mates. Only a small amount of one spice is needed to point up this entree as a special. It's ground cloves that add the exotic touch to this simple dish.

Dredging the lamb in flour makes it easy to brown the meat, thus contributing to the flavor of the entree.

Julienne Lamb and Mushrooms

2 pounds boneless lamb, cut into strips
Flour for dredging
3 tablespoons lard or drippings
1½ teaspoons salt
¼ teaspoon ground cloves
½ cup water
½ pound fresh mushrooms or 1 can (4 ounces) mushrooms, drained
1 cup milk
2 to 3 tablespoons flour
1 can (3 ounces) Chinese noodles

Dredge meat in flour. Brown meat in lard or drippings. Pour off drippings. Season. Add water, cover and cook slowly for 1 hour. Add mushrooms and cook 15 minutes. Add milk and thicken the mixture with flour. Serve on Chinese noodles. 6 to 8 servings.

Big houseplants need space around them and comfortable large containers so they will grow well and have a well-balanced, solid appearance. Big rubber plants, fiddleleaf figs, Kentia palms, and schefflera plants look best when placed in pots upon the floor. Here they most closely resemble a real outdoor garden.

Succulent plants — perfect for dish gardens — are actually vegetable camels, because of their astounding ability to assimilate, pipe, and store water. There are nearly thirty separate groups of plants that include varieties which are succulent — and each of the remarkable blooms in ninety percent water.

Sandra Brinner Honored With Gift Coffee

Miss Sandra Kay Brinner, bride-elect of Mr. Robert Shelton Coursey of Atlanta, Georgia, was honored with a gift coffee Saturday morning in the fellowship hall of Trinity Methodist Church.

The honoree's chosen colors of red and white were carried out on the serving table and in room decor. Appointments were in crystal and silver. Lynnelle Burns, Linda Spence, Mrs. Frank Weaver and Mrs. M. M. Rambin presided at the table. Guests were registered by Roezella Brinner.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Mmes. J. Y. McKinnon, Jack Nesbit, Mel Galloway, Charles Blakey, Bentley Baize, Nell Spence, Matt Allen, Rupert Short, Billy Longbotham, M. M. Rambin, Paul Gray, James Lowe and Frank Weaver.

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Misfit Fiscal Calendar Is Troublemaker In Congress

By EDMOND LeBRETON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Everyone knows Jan. 1 is New Year's Day. But the federal government doesn't conduct its money affairs on that basis.

Practically all individual citizens run their affairs, are taxed, keep their books and generally live on the basis of a Jan. 1-Dec. 31 year.

But, like many state and local governments, Uncle Sam operates July 1-June 30. His bookkeepers aren't welcoming a New Year this season—they're just logging the halfway mark in fiscal year 1968.

This wouldn't matter much if Congress observed the same calendar as the executive branch. But the lawmakers go along with the general population, starting their sessions in January.

The timing misfit causes increasing trouble. But the chances are something may be done about it.

The July 1 fiscal year start is a holdover from the days of a smaller, simpler national government. Congress, even when it used to convene in March, could easily provide for the modest financial needs of such a government by July and the fiscal year could get under way with the books nice and tidy.

But when fiscal year 1968 began last July 1, Congress had passed just 1 of the 13 money bills needed to finance the government. The others were at various stages in the long legislative process. Five had not even cleared the House, where all originate, and legislative action on two was not completed until the last day of a long session, Dec. 15.

In such circumstances Congress falls back every year on a rickety device called the "continuing resolution." It is a hastily passed authorization for departments whose appropriations are pending to keep on spending at aproximately the current rate.

This year the routine approval of continuing resolutions got snarled with a congressional drive to put mandatory spending curbs on the lawbooks.

In the hassle, part of the government payroll, including that of the poverty program, was held up briefly.

If Congress had been appropriating for a year beginning Jan. 1, 1968 instead of July 1, 1967, much trouble would have been avoided, Congress could have saved time, federal budgeting and administration of agencies could have been more orderly.

Proposals have come up to shift the government fiscal year so it coincides with the calendar year.

There is real steam behind the move now. It is supported by key members of the House Government Operations Committee and individual members ranging from liberals to such a powerful fiscal conservative as Chairman Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., of the House Ways and Means Committee.

The calendar change would not solve all the problems of government budgeting and appropriating, which are admittedly in sore need of a thorough overhaul.

But Congress shies away from sweeping changes and the fiscal year shift—which would involve one-time appropriations for 18 instead of 12 months—appears the step most likely to be taken.

Junior Editors Quiz on ICE CREAM BARS



QUESTION: *How do they make chocolate-covered ice cream bars?*

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ANSWER: Ice cream is made from milk and cream with sugar and flavoring added, as well as small amounts of some stabilizer such as gelatin. In some cases, eggs are added. When the ice cream has been mixed and stirred, it is called a mix. To make chocolate-covered bars, the mix is run from the freezer to a mold (2). The mold shapes the bars. Then the sticks are put in (3). The mold goes into a brine tank which is very cold (4). Passing into a tank of water (5), the bars are loosened from the mold. They go on to a chain drive convoy where they are held upright and dipped into liquid chocolate (6). Next, they go into a cooling system and then into bags—all done automatically by machinery. What happens then? You take over. You may just look and bite (A); in summer, swing and bite (B); in winter, read and bite (C); just any old time, have a party (D) or give your dog a treat (E). (F) shows some new ideas in ice cream bars—other good tasting things have been added, such as toffee.

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(Cindy Perone of Norristown, Pa., wins a prize for this question. You can win $10 cash if your question, mailed to Junior Editors in care of this newspaper, is selected for a prize.)

And Bells Of Heaven Rang Out

EDITOR'S NOTE—the following column, written a number of years ago, is reprinted at the request of a number of readers.

By HAL BOYLE

It was Christmas Day in heaven.

God sat upon His eternal throne far above the fleecy clouds and watched the pilgrim souls come into His everlasting kingdom from the vast fields of space.

They came from dominions within mankind's ken and dominions beyond that ken. And a soft clamor rose from them, and it had the sound of a wind with many voices.

God looked out at the great void—star colliding with star, a comet's tail brushing out an old world here, creating a new world there—and pondered His celestial traffic problem.

He was feeling in a philosophical mood. He reached down among the mass of pilgrim souls plodding toward the gold door of heaven. He lifted one up in His mighty hand. It was a human soul.

"Why, here's one from earth," He said, musingly. "Look at it. So much of fluff about it—and so little character. So little of performance wrapped up in such great pretense."

God turned and spoke to One who stood at His right side:

"So many like it crowd up from that little mudball earth I sent you down to save, My Son. And all crying for divine mercy—the mercy they do so little in life to win. Shall I extend it to them?"

And then answered Him the voice that most men have most yearned to hear:

"Yes, Father, forgive them."

"But why, My Son? There are those more deserving."

"Because I promised it to them in Your name."

"But I have sent You to many universes beyond this earth—larger, more important realms of matter," said God. "Why does Your love always return to these lost prisoners of earth? Were they so kind to You?"

"Many did not recognize me, Father, but I told them that if they did they would be forever free."

"But they stretched You upon a cross of wood and drove a spear into Your side, My Son. And You want to reward them?"

"Forgive them, Father. They knew not what they did."

The Lord shook His great head, and said:

"My Son, You think too much about that single mudball in the clouds. Your duty is not one satellite or a single star. Your obligation is the sky."

And Jesus replied:

"But today it is My birthday on earth, Father, and the earth is as beautiful as the morning."

He held out His hand in mute appeal. And God put the small frightened human soul within that hand. And His Son set down that human soul with infinite tenderness, safe in the golden sanctuary He had promised long ago.

And the bells of heaven rang in gladness, just as they did on earth, wherever men remembered.

Wolf Almost Made It To Rancher's Door

PARIS, Tex. (AP) — The wolf wasn't exactly at William Ritchey's door. But the Paris rancher spotted the huge male only 400 yards from his breakfast table—and killed it with two rifle shots.

Ritchey was having breakfast when he spotted the wolf. He made the kill within sight of heavily-traveled U.S. 24 six miles south of Paris.

The Northern Hemisphere welcomes winter on Dec. 21 at the moment of the winter solstice, when the sun has reached the end of its southward movement across the sky and the nights are longest and darkest.

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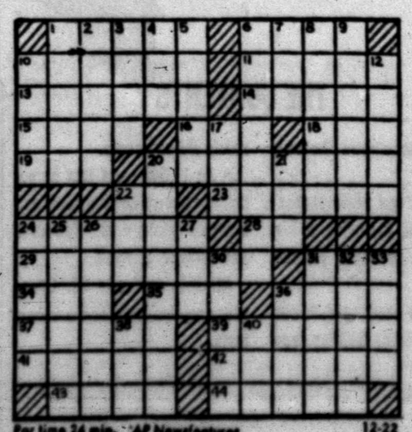
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Hand (Writing) On Wall: Packers Lose

By JACK HAND
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — It is hard to imagine a Vince Lombardi-coached team losing three in a row but the Hand-picker is tabbing the aroused Los Angeles Rams to beat the Green Bay Packers Saturday in the big pro football game of the weekend.

Dallas should rise to the occasion in the Cotton Bowl and knock off the Cleveland Browns Sunday in the Eastern Conference final to set up a Ram-Cowboy battle for the NFL title Dec. 31 at Los Angeles.

All are on television (CBS).

Houston, needing only a win or tie over improved Miami Saturday night to eliminate the New York Jets, should qualify for the AFL championship game at Oakland, also Dec. 31.

The regular NFL season ended last Sunday with a 72-31-9 record for this groggy selector. With three to go in the AFL it's 39-14-2 for an over-all total of 111-45-11.

Incidentally, we did pick three of the four NFL division winners in the preseason series with the Rams, Packers and Cowboys coming through. But Pittsburgh? What happened, Bill Austin?

NFL

Los Angeles 27, Green Bay 20-(Saturday)-The Rams had to get lucky with a blocked punt in the final minute to shade the Packers 27-24. Green Bay crippled then and still lists Jim Grabowski as doubtful. Donny Anderson and Ben Wilson to play with injuries. Home field and weather advantage would seem to give Packers the advantage but the Fearsome Foursome chased Bart Starr out of the pocket two weeks ago and should do it again after manhandling John Unitas last week. Rams have momentum. Packers are the old pros. We just have to believe this is the year of the Rams.

Dallas 21, Cleveland 14-(Sunday)-Battle of battered quarterbacks with Doc Meredith playing despite broken nose and damaged knee and Frank Ryan troubled by ankle and arm injuries. When they met opening day Cowboys won 21-14 on two TD passes by Meredith and interception by Chuck Howley. Dallas intercepted Ryan three times and smeared him four while holding Leroy Kelly to 11 yards and Ernie Green to six. Cowboys inconsistent, but best at home. Browns finished strong, forgetting last week's second string effort at Philadelphia.

AFL

Houston 21, Miami 14 (Saturday night)-Oilers need only a tie to wrap up Eastern title. Dolphins gave them real trouble Dec. 3 but Houston won 17-14 despite two TD passes by Bob Griese. Hoyle Granger ran for 111 yards and Woodie Campbell 141. Defense should win it for Houston.

New York 24, San Diego 21 (Sunday)-If Houston clinches Saturday, forget this one. The only excitement could be Namath's quest for a pro passing record. If Oilers fall, Jets can force tie playoff by win.

Oakland 28, Buffalo 17-(Sunday)-Raiders won 24-20 when it counted. This is a nothing game except for Daryle Lamonica who sat on Bills' bench for years. Raiders already in, Bills out of everything.

Kansas City, Denver and Boston are finished.

Hoosiers Arrive

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The newly arrived Indiana football team split the day with work and fun today, while the same was true of its Rose Bowl rival, University of Southern California.

Morning workouts were slated for both teams, the Hoosiers of the Big Ten in Pasadena's Brookside Park, and the Trojans of the Pacific-8 on their own Bovard team.

GET OUT HARMONICA FOR DARYLE LAMONICA

By CHARLES MCMURTRY
Associated Press Sports Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — A quarterback whose best season at Notre Dame was 5-5, who was drafted 24th by a team that never started him, then traded him away, is 1967's Most Valuable Player in the American Football League.

He is Daryle Lamonica of the Oakland Raiders, champion of the AFL's Western Division.

His selection by 27 sports writers and casters for The Associated Press award was announced Thursday.

Informed of the honor as he was putting on his uniform, Lamonica gasped, "O-o-o-h!" in surprise, then exclaimed: "I'm almost speechless.

"That's one of the highest honors I've ever had. It's a once in a lifetime thing. It is fantastic. It's really kind of a shock — and a great feeling.

"I can't give my teammates enough credit. I made a lot of mistakes. They were patient all season and helped me a lot."

Oakland's Coach of the Year, John Rauch, also selected for The AP by sports writers and sports casters, warmly applauded Daryle's selection.

Rauch — in only his second year as a head coach — is responsible for the trade that brought Lamonica from Buffalo last spring. He patiently tutored Lamonica in the intricacies of his complex offense system.

Under them, Oakland won the Western title with a 12-1 mark and goes for an AFL record in the regular season finale here Sunday against Buffalo. San Diego set the record at 12-2 in 1961.

Buffalo tied it in 1964, when it won the championship. Lamonica, a reserve quarterback, came off the bench five times to win games in which the Bills were trailing.

Bluebonnet Coaches Coy

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — University of Colorado coach Eddie Crowder says he will be able to name his starting quarterback today for Saturday's Bluebonnet Bowl meeting with the University of Miami, a seven-point favorite.

After practice on a wet field Thursday, Crowder said: "If I were playing right now, I'd start Dan Kelly," the 5-10 senior who was replaced as starter this year by sophomore Bob Anderson, a 200-pounder who led the team to an 8-2 record. Anderson twisted an ankle in the Air Force game and was still limping slightly when the Buffs arrived in Houston.

"If Kelly does start, you'll see a reckless little football player," Crowder told a news conference. "He'll get you on your feet with his quickness and speed."

Both teams arrived Thursday shortly before a cold front barged into town with heavy rains. The squads were treated to a barbecue, and Crowder said afterward it was hard to read whether his men were developing an appropriate distaste for the Hurricanes.

Speaking about Miami coach Charlie Tate, Crowder said, "Maybe Charlie will say something harsh about our players so they can read it in the paper."

"You got a great ball club, Eddie," called Tate, who refused to give the Buffs any edge for the charity classic.

Tate said Colorado is "a team a great deal like us . . . a four-deep defense and the same stunts."

Cage Coaches Court Steve

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Ever hear of Steve Turner? If you're a basketball fan, chances are you will.

At 7-foot-2, Turner is taller than UCLA's Lew Alcindor, still growing and is being courted by most of the nation's major college basketball teams.

In fact, his doctor figures that the senior at suburban Bartlett High School may reach 7-5.

Turner, who can effortlessly touch the backboards, has led Bartlett to a 12-0 won-lost record and the State's No. 1 ranking in The Associated Press high school poll.

"Yes sir, he's the biggest reason our team is No. 1 in the state," declares Bartlett Coach Glenn Essary.

Essary said more than 120 colleges are actively trying to recruit his tall center.

Among those taking notice, he said, are Tennessee, Memphis State, North Carolina, Georgia, Louisiana State, Mississippi, Mississippi State, Georga Tech, Vanderbilt, Southern Cal, Alabama Auburn, Michigan State, Tulsa, Louisville, Cincinnati "and just about every college in the country."

Steve now weighs 240 pounds and Essary has had him running track and on a weight proning track and on a weight probama, Auburn, Michigan State, grade,

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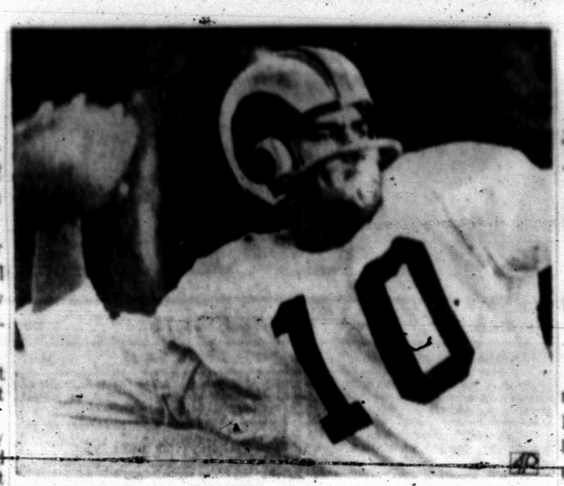
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GABRIEL DRAWS BEAD — Quarterback Roman Gabriel of the Los Angeles Rams is a picture of determination as he unleashes a pass during a workout for playoff game against Green Bay Packers for Western Division championship of the National Football League. Game will be played in Milwaukee. (AP Wirephoto)

Pipers Call Cage Tune, But Muskies Keep Pace

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Pittsburgh Pipers are putting all kinds of pressure on the Minnesota Muskies, but Minnesota seems to be bearing up under it all right.

The Pipers won their 10th straight American Basketball Association game Thursday night, downing Houston 114-105, but the Muskies beat New Jersey 105-94 to keep its one-game grasp on the Eastern Division lead over red-hot Pittsburgh.

In other ABA games Thursday night, Dallas beat Kentucky 120-99 and Oakland downed Denver 116-94.

In the National Basketball Association's only game Thursday, Baltimore topped Chicago 116-106.

The Pipers and Mavericks were tied no less than 14 times in their game at Pittsburgh before a pair of baskets by Art Heyman put the Pipers ahead for good. Connie Hawkins led the Pittsburgh scorers with 29 points and Jerry Pettway led Houston with 23.

Minnesota didn't take the lead for good until early in the fourth quarter. Mel Daniels had 23 points for the Muskies and Tony Jackson had 21 for the Americans in the game in Minnesota.

Dallas' 21-point victory margin was the largest it has ever enjoyed. The balanced Chaparral attack had seven players in double figures with Bob Verga getting 24. Darel Carrier had 28 points to lead the Colonels in a game at Dallas.

Oakland erupted for 38 points in the fourth quarter against Denver in breaking up what had been a close game on the West Coast. The Oaks opened up a 91-87 lead with five minutes to play and then pulled away. The Rockets were held to 19 points in the last period.

Levern Tart, the league's top scorer, paced the balanced Oakland attack with 27 points. Wayne Hightower was high for Denver with 23.

Earl Monroe scored 21 of his 25 points in the second half and Kevin Loughery and Ray Scott added 21 points each to lead the Bullets to victory. Keith Erickson had a career high of 34 points for the Bulls in the contest at Chicago.

Oilman Wants Palm Greased

HOUSTON (AP) — The oil man who owns the Houston Oilers, K. S. "Bud" Adams Jr., says he is tired of making up a $300,000 deficit each year for the privilege of watching seven home games in Rice Stadium. Seattle, he says, might be a happier home for his club.

Making his threat to move public Thursday, Adams said his decision is up to Houston fans.

"I'll have a good indication whether they want us to stay after we begin our season ticket sale in February," he said. "We lost more than 4,000 season tickets this year compared with last year. If we were to go down to 7,000 in 1968 there's no question I'd move the team."

The American Football League, which Adams helped found, has awarded a franchise to Seattle, which votes Feb. 15 on a $43 million bond issue to be issued for a stadium somewhat like the Harris County domed stadium, the Astrodome, in which the Oilers do not play because of what Adams considers unreasonable rent.

Cardinals Clip Girard Two Times

HERMLEIGH — The Cardinals pounded Girard twice here last night in non-district basketball tussles. The host girls won 60-42, and the boys triumphed 84-50.

Hermleigh's girls outscored their opponents in every quarter except the last one as four girls finished the night in double figures: Sharon Pieper (20), Sherry Adams (12), Susan Peterson (12), and Jane Wall (10). However Gail Carr of Girard captured scoring honors with 24 points, and her teammate, Elaine Melton, pitched in 16 points.

The Cardinal boys posted more points in every period than Girard with Ted Winter scoring the most points of the tilt — 30. Tom Chorn was runnerup with 27, and Ronnie Helm collected 14. High point man — for Girard — and the only foe to finish with 10 or more points was Dennis Spray with 22.

Hermleigh will meet Trent there Jan. 2 in its next tilt.

HERMLEIGH GIRLS (60) — Pieper 10-0-20; Wall 3-4-10; Adams 4-4-12; Peterson 4-4-12; Taylor 2-0-4; Holdridge 1-0-2; totals 24-12-60.

GIRARD GIRLS (42) — Carr 11-2-24; Melton 4-8-16; Stephens 1-0-2; totals 16-10-42.

HERMLEIGH BOYS (84) — Chorn 11-5-27; D. Peterson 3-2-8; Winter 14-2-30; Averitt 1-3-5; Helm 7-0-14; totals 36-12-84.

GIRARD BOYS (50) — Spray 9-4-22; Gunn 3-2-8; Daugherty 0-5-5; J. Chunn 2-2-6; Smith 2-2-6; R. Chunn 0-3-3; totals 16-18-50.

Misery Loves Company?

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Southwest Conference basketball teams worsened their intersectional record Thursday night in four games—losing them all.

Baylor tries Oklahoma City in Waco tonight in an attempt to better the SWC mark against outside foes. The Bears, with a 5-1 mark so far—best in the circuit—could come up with a victory.

Thursday night, Alabama whipped Arkansas 82-65 at Tuscaloosa, Army downed Rice 64-58 at Houston, Denver beat Texas Tech 73-63 at Lubbock, and Georgia Tech's Ramblin' Wreck defeated Texas Christian 70-67 at Atlanta.

Denver, in beating the Red Raiders at Lubbock, was taking its second victory over Southwest Conference opposition in two nights. Wednesday night, the Pioneers downed Southern Methodist 86-81 in Dallas.

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Dallasite Takes Fight To Capitol

HOUSTON (AP) — A Dallas conservationist said Thursday he is going to Washington Jan. 2 with his fight against a golf course to be built on the northernmost haunt of a rare bird, the golden-cheeked warbler.

Dallas lawyer Edward C. Fritz said he would ask the Farmers Home Administration to deny a $75,000 matching grant request for construction of a nine-hole course at Meridian State Park near the Central town of Meridian.

State Sen. J. P. Word, D-Meridian, last September led a group which got the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission to agree to lease a big chunk of the 461-acre park for the course.

The request was not on the board's agenda, and caught conservationists off guard.

Other members of the golfing group include the senator's brother, C. K. Word Jr., who is the mayor of Meridian, and Bob Wells, Bosque County administrator for the FHA.

Fritz said in an interview Thursday that the FHA should not finance destruction of the bird's grounds when he Department of the Interior is dedicated to buying sanctuaries for endangered species.

The Dallas lawyer said the site on the chalky, hilly Balcones Escarpment is a poor place to build a golf course because the soil cover is thin.

"After those chalk cliffs are cleared, the golfers will soon be shooting on fairways of nothing but limestone flakes," Fritz said.

Sen. Word said Thursday, "I can't believe everybody in Texas ought to take a back seat to the Audubon Society."

He said that Meridian, population 895, is 50 miles from the nearest course, in Waco, and that the Meridian course would be open to anyone who could pay the greens fee.

FORMER COUGAR

Little Running Back Wins Huge Honors

By HAL BOCK
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Dick Post, the San Diego running back who was overlooked for three rounds in the professional football draft, was named the American Football League's Offensive Rookie of the Year today by an Associated Press panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

Post, who played brilliantly when Paul Lowe was injured early in the season, attracted 17 of the 27 ballots cast by three-man committees in each of the AFL's nine league cities.

Gene Upshaw, Oakland's tough offensive guard, and Miami's fast developing quarterback, Bob Griese, drew four votes each while Denver running back Floyd Little and Miami's Jack Clancy, a split end, each picked up one ballot.

Post, at 5-foot-9 and 190 pounds, is one of pro football's smallest running backs, but his size never was a handicap. He has gained 647 yards in 156 carries, a 4.1 average, and has scored seven touchdowns.

"When you're smaller," says Post, "You have to have speed and quickness or you're dead. My size hasn't hindered me."

It almost did. Charger Coach Sid Gillman had planned on using the youngster as a backup man at flanker behind Lance Alworth and Gary Garrison, two of the AFL's best at that position.

His speed and size had convinced Gillman that Post would be an ideal man for the job. "When you get a fellow like this, usually if you place him on the outside, he can gain more ground there than anywhere else," says Gillman.

So Post started in camp working behind Alworth and Garrison. He was, to say the least, disappointed.

"I knew those two guys were so great that I'd never get a chance to play," he says. "When they moved me back to the backfield, you can imagine how happy I was."

Backfield Coach Charlie Waller was the man most responsible for the move. Waller had scouted Post when the little guy was playing his college ball at the University of Houston, and hounded Gillman to shift him to the Chargers' running corps.



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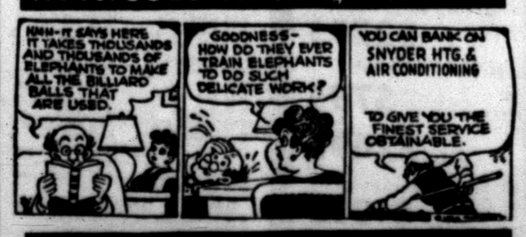
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DEAR ABBY: Is it possible for a man to love two women at the same time? My husband started driving an unmarried girl to work and back every day because she lives near here and they work at the same place. She is 23 and my husband is 44. He admitted that he has been seeing her other times, and he says now he can't give her up because he is in love with her. This has been going on for about a year.

I told him if he wanted her, I would give him a divorce, but he says he loves me and the children (we have four) and he can't give me up either. I am just heartsick over this and don't know what to do. Should I tell him he's got to make a choice? Or should I just throw him out? I still love him.

HEARTSICK

DEAR HEARTSICK: If this cheap affair with a co-worker can be called "love" then it is possible for a man to "love" as many women as he can find time for. He's having his cake and eating it too.

Don't throw him out. Tell him that he has 3 months in which to make a decision. Try to be compassionate, gentle and understanding, but let him know you will not share him. I'll bet he stays home.

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DEAR ABBY: Some time ago you had a letter in your column from a married woman who hid her wedding ring under her gloves when she went to work because she felt that wives should not work, and she was ashamed.

You should have told her to take off her gloves and stop living in the dark ages. Statistics show that 57 per cent of all married women work.

I have babysat, cooked and done the marketing, in addition to running my own business while my wife worked, kept house and handled all the correspondence and bookkeeping for my business. As a result we now have two healthy well-adjusted boys, a home, house trailer, two cars, a mountain cabin, and other property—all paid for.

This would not have been possible had my wife been "ashamed" to work. We are very happy with the arrangement and proud of our joint accomplishments.

E. L. IN L. A.

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DEAR ABBY: Kindly tell that ninny who was "irked" because some woman brought a boy who appeared to be about 12 into the ladies' room, that if she had used her head she would have realized that no mother would do such a thing unless it was absolutely necessary. I have a handicapped son who is also 12, and as tall as I am, and I would not send him into a men's room alone. THAT is the reason I take him where I can go.

ALSO IRKED

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DEAR ABBY: Being a Methodist minister, your column on what to call the in-laws interested me. In preparing young couples for marriage, I suggest that instead of addressing the mother of one's mate as "mother-in-law, which has become the butt of so many jokes, they use, "Mother-in-love."

How many young couples before marriage consider carefully that their "in-loves" really give them a bit of a preview of what their mates will be like after 25 years? Sincerely,

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Almost one-third of the class withdrew while in scholastic difficulties, with whose graduating in the bottom half of their high school classes having the highest drop-out rates.

British Prime Minister Harold Wilson wants to reduce the number of hereditary peers who have voting rights in the House of Lords and to curb its power to delay legislation.

TV Schedules

KRBC ABILENE Ch. 9

KRBC—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Today	12:30 Make Deal
7:25 Harry Holt	1:00 Days Lives
7:30 Today	1:30 Doctors
8:25 Devotions	2:00 Other world
9:00 Judgment	2:30 Don't say
9:25 News	3:00 Match game
9:30 Con'tration	3:25 News
10:00 Personality	3:30 Fam. game
10:30 Squares	4:00 Talking
11:00 Jeopardy	4:30 Newlywed
11:30 Eye guess	5:00 Date game
11:55 News	5:30 News-w'thr
12:00 News-weather	6:00 News
12:15 S. Chappel	

KRBC—Friday Evening

5:00 Bid-Buy	9:00 Alamein
6:30 Tarzan	10:00 News
7:30 Star trek	10:30 Tonight
8:30 Accidental	

KRBC—Saturday Programs

8:00 Super 6	4:00 B. Anderson
8:30 President	4:30 College bowl
9:00 F'stones	5:00 Sw'stakes
9:30 Samson	5:30 McGee Rep.
10:00 Birdman	6:00 Jeannie
10:30 Atom Ant	6:30 Maya
11:00 Top Cat	7:30 Get Smart
11:30 McCool	8:00 Movie
12:00 Bowling	10:15 News
12:30 Movie	10:30 Comment
2:15 Movie	10:45 Tonight

KCBD LUBBOCK Ch. 11—Scat 5

KCBD—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Headlines	12:55 News
7:05 Farm news	1:00 Days our life
7:25 Weather	1:30 Doctors
7:30 Today	2:00 Other world
9:00 Judgement	2:30 Don't say
9:30 Con'tration	3:00 Match game
10:00 Personality	3:30 Date game
10:30 Squares	4:00 Donna Reed
11:30 Eye guess	4:30 Lassie
11:55 News	5:00 Wells fargo
12:00 Report	5:30 News
12:15 Closeup	6:00 News
12:30 Make deal	

KCBD—Friday Evening

6:30 Tarzan	10:00 News
7:30 Movie	10:30 Tonight
9:00 Ac. family	

KCBD—Saturday

7:00 Roy Rogers	2:30 Bowling
8:00 Super Six	3:30 D. Powell
8:30 President	4:30 College bowl
9:00 F'stones	5:00 Star trek
9:30 Samson	5:30 McGee
10:00 Birdman	6:00 Report
10:30 Atom Ant	6:30 Maya
11:00 Top Cat	7:30 Get smart
11:30 Cool McCool	8:00 Movie
12:00 King Kong	10:00 News
12:30 Journey	10:30 Movie
1:00 Movie	

KMID MIDLAND Channel 2

KMID—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

7:00 Today	1:00 Days of lives
9:00 Judgment	1:30 Doctors
9:25 News	2:00 Other world
9:30 Con'tration	2:30 Don't say
10:00 Personality	3:00 Match game
10:30 Squares	3:25 News
11:00 Jeopardy	3:30 Romp room
11:30 Eye guess	4:00 Comics
11:55 News	5:00 Beaver
12:00 Masterson	5:30 Hunt-Brink
12:30 Make deal	6:00 News-wthr
12:55 News	

KMID—Friday Evening

6:30 Tarzan	9:00 3 for danger
7:30 Star trek	10:00 News-wthr
8:30 Wagon train	10:30 Tonight

KMID—Saturday Programs

8:00 Super 6	4:30 Col bowl
8:30 President	5:00 Beaver
9:00 Roy Rogers	5:30 News
10:30 Bid-buy	6:00 News-wthr
11:00 Top cat	6:30 Maya
11:30 Cool McCool	7:30 Get smart
12:00 For rangers	8:00 Movie
12:30 Hwy. Patrol	10:15 News
1:00 Movie	10:45 Tonight

KTXS SWEETWATER Ch. 12

KTXS—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:00 Semester	12:15 Farm facts
6:30 Farm news	12:25 Weather
7:00 Weather	12:30 World turns
7:05 News	1:00 Many Splen.
7:30 Cartoons	1:30 Houseparty
8:00 Capt. K'roo	2:00 Hospital
9:00 C. camera	2:30 Edge night
9:30 Hillbillies	3:00 Sec. storm
10:00 Andy	3:30 Shadows
10:30 Van Dyke	4:00 Fugitive
11:00 Love life	5:30 News
11:25 News	6:00 News
11:30 Search	6:10 Sports
11:45 Guiding life	6:20 Weather
12:00 News	

KTXS—Friday Evening

5:00 Batman	10:00 News-w'thr
6:30 utcracker	10:15 focus
7:30 Gomer	10:45 Movie
8:00 Memory	12:15 Sign off
9:00 Judd	

KTXS—Saturday

6:00 Summer Sem	3:30 Blue Bonnet
6:30 Cartoons	5:30 C. Junction
7:00 Capt K'roo	6:00 Flying nun
8:00 F'stein	6:00 P. Wagoner
8:30 Her'loids	6:30 J. Gleason
9:00 Shazzan	7:30 L. Welk
9:30 Space ghost	8:30 W. Sonnett
10:00 Moby Dick	9:00 Iron horse
10:30 Superman	10:00 News-wthr
11:30 Bandstand	10:20 Theater
12:30 Football	12:00 Sign off

KERA & KRLD—Dallas Scat 2

KERA KRLD—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

9:00 Flight six	2:30 Spanish
9:15 New horiz.	2:45 Friendly G.
9:30 Discovery	3:00 Newsreel
10:00 Fam. living	3:15 Spanish
10:30 What's new	3:45 Round'bout
11:00 Learning	4:00 Classroom
11:15 Spanish	4:30 Local issue
11:30 Science	5:00 Sing
11:45 Public affairs	5:30 Driver Ed
12:45 Homemaking	6:00 Health
1:15 Adv. learning	6:45 Friend giant
1:30 New horizon	6:00 Feature
1:45 French chat	6:30 What's new
2:15 Science lab	

KERA & KRLD—Fri. Eve

6:30 Wild West	10:00 News
7:30 G. Pyle	10:30 Merv Griffin
8:00 Movie	12:00 Playhouse

KRLD—Saturday

6:28 Sign on	2:15 T. Landry
6:30 Semester	2:00 Gourmet
7:00 Capt. K'roo	2:30 D. Meredith
8:00 Frankenstein	3:45 NFL Today
8:30 Her'loids	6:00 News
9:00 Shazzan	6:30 Gleason
9:30 Space ghost	7:30 Three sons
10:00 Moby Dick	8:00 Hog heroes
10:30 Superman	8:30 Pet junction
11:30 Quest	9:00 Mannix
12:00 L. Ranger	10:00 Death Valley
12:30 Roadrunner	10:30 News
1:00 Wrestling	11:00 Movie
1:30 D. Meredith	12:30 Vespers

KWAB BIG SPRING Channel 4

KWAB—Mon. thru Fri. Daytime

5:55 Sign on	11:45 Guid life
6:00 Semester	12:00 News
6:30 Farm news	12:15 Farm facts
7:00 Weather	12:25 Weather
7:05 News	12:30 World turns
7:30 Cartoons	1:00 Many splend
8:00 Capt. K'roo	1:30 Houseparty
9:00 Can. camera	2:00 Hospital
9:30 Hillbillies	2:30 Edge nite
10:00 Andy	3:00 Sec. storm
10:30 Van Dyke	3:30 Shadows
11:00 Love life	4:00 Fugitive
11:25 News	5:30 CBS News
11:30 Search	6:00 News

KWAB—Friday Evening

5:00 Bat Man	10:00 News
6:30 utcracker	10:15 Football
7:30 Gomer	10:45 Thatre
8:00 Xmas memo'	12:45 Sign off
9:00 Judd	

KWAB—Saturday

5:55 Sign on	12:00 Sweepstakes
6:00 Semester	12:30 Football
6:30 Cartoons	3:00 Blue Bonnet
7:00 Capt. K'roo	4:00 Flying nun
8:00 F'stein	6:30 Gleason
8:30 Her'loids	7:30 L. Welk
9:00 Shazzan	8:30 W. Sonnett
9:30 Space ghost	9:00 Iron horse
10:00 Gandy time	10:00 News wthr
10:30 Superman	10:20 Th atre
11:30 Beatles	12:00 Sign off

WFAA DALLAS Scat 3

WFAA—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:00 GP Lift	1:00 Newlywed
6:30 M. Cox	1:30 Dream girl
6:55 News	1:55 N ws
7:00 L&Hr dy	2:00 Hospital
7:30 Pep'mint	2:30 Shadows
8:25 Doctor	3:00 Dating
8:30 Early show	3:30 Fam game
10:25 News	4:00 Temptation
10:30 Mom in law	4:30 Sumpn else
11:0 Talking	5:30 News
11:30 Treasure Isle	6:00 News-wthr
12:00 Fugitive	

WFAA—Friday Evening

6:30 Wizard	11:00 Weather
7:30 Ray Conniff	11:02 Movie
8:30 W. Sonnett	12:45 Movie 2
9:00 Judd	3:00 Movie
10:00 News	5:00 Movie
10:30 Movie	

WFAA—Saturday

6:30 Deputy Dang	6:30 Dating
7:00 Pep'mint	7:00 Newlywed
8:00 Casper	7:30 L. Welk
8:30 Fantastic 4	8:30 Iron Horse
9:00 Spiderman	9:30 M. Dillon
9:30 Cen. earth	10:00 News
10:00 King Kong	10:30 Movie
10:30 Jungle	12:30 News
11:00 Beatles	12:45 Movie 2
11:30 Bandstand	2:15 House call
12:30 Movie	2:18 FBI
2:45 C. Times	3:19 Prayer
3:00 football	3:20 Sign off
5:30 Football	

KLBK LUBBOCK Ch. 13—Scat 6

KLBK—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

5:55 Sign on	11:30 Search
6:00 Semester	11:45 Guid. light
6:30 Farm news	12:00 News
7:00 Weather	12:30 World turns
7:05 News	1:00 Many Splend
7:30 Morn show	1:30 H'party
8:00 Capt. Kanga	2:00 Hospital
9:00 C. Camera	2:30 Edge night
9:30 Hillbillies	3:00 Sec. storm
10:00 Andy	3:30 Hollywood
10:30 D. van Dyke	4:00 Fugitive
11:00 Love life	5:30 News
11:25 News	6:00 News

KLBK—Friday Programs

5:00 Bat Mnn	10:00 News-w'thr
6:30 utcracker	10:30 Theater
7:30 Gomer	12:30 Late show
8:00 Xmas memo'	2:30 Sign off
9:00 Judd	

KLBK—Saturday Programs

5:55 Sign on	12:30 Football
6:00 Semester	3:30 Blue Bonnet
6:30 Carnival	5:30 Coun' Junct.
7:00 Capt. K'roo	6:00 P. Wagoner
8:00 Frank'stein	6:30 Gleason
8:30 Herculoids	7:30 L. Welk
9:00 Shazzan	8:30 W. Sonnett
9:30 Space ghost	9:00 Iron horse
10:00 Moby Dick	10:00 News
10:30 Superman	10:20 Theater
11:30 Bandstand	12:30 Sign off

KTVT FT. WORTH Scat 4

KTVT—Mon. Thru Fri. Daytime

6:45 Meditations	12:30 Romper room
6:50 News	1:00 Hollywood
7:00 Theatre	2:30 Hon'moonars
8:30 Pat Boone	3:00 Capt. Zero
10:00 Per. Match	3:30 Popeye
10:30 J. LaLanne	4:00 M. Mouse
11:00 Hallmark	4:30 Flintstones
11:10 News	5:00 Munsters
11:30 Cartoons	5:30 Twilight zone
12:00 Sea Hunt	

KTVT—Friday Evening

6:00 Rifleman	10:15 Movie
6:30 Cheyenne	11:00 Late show
7:30 Maverick	12:30 Outdoors
8:30 Lawman	12:35 News
9:00 Movie	12:45 Meditations
10:00 News	12:50 Sign off

KTVT—Saturday Programs

8:25 Meditations	4:00 C. Weaver
8:30 Movie	4:30 Singing
10:00 Leprechaun	5:00 P Wagoner
10:30 8th man	6:00 Wilburn bros
11:00 Yukon	6:30 Jamboree
11:30 Digest	7:30 Grand opry
12:00 Point of view	8:00 B. Owens
12:30 Parents	8:30 Anderson
1:00 Farm show	9:00 Carousel
1:30 Theatre	9:30 E. Tubb
2:25 Outdoor	10:00 Wrestling
2:30 Mexicana	11:30 News
3:00 All Golf	

Specialists Join Starr At Center

BEAUMONT (AP) — Two professional employes have been added to the staff of the Beaumont State Center for Human Development, H. K. Morrow, director, has announced.

Dr. Peter James Chandler will be the psychologist for the center and Miss Delores Barnes will be language development specialist.

Turkey breeders are trying to develop a giant bird with invisible pinfeathers, sturdy legs and a pleasant disposition.



SPREAD CHEER — The Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association Youth Choir sang Christmas carols from the north steps of the Scurry County Courthouse last night, despite plunging temperatures, to warm the spirits of area residents. The group began its caroling in Colorado City and went from there to many points in Snyder. Youth director is Charles Whitlock, pastor of the Knapp Baptist Church, and Frank Pruitt of the First Baptist Church in Colorado City is choir director of the Association.

Be still

"Wha zeal . . . ! In all things ye have approved yourselves to be clear in this matter." 2 Corinthians 8:11.

In zest for, life, we like to tell
There's a way of staying well
By willing health —in truth, we pray—
A petition that drives our aches away!
So in will to live and joy to be here,
We can bring a heaven very near!

WILL CURTIS

First Christian

Sunday School will begin at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship at 10:50 a.m. at First Christian Church.

The Rev. William N. Parkey will take his sermon topic from Luke 2:16.

A candlelight and Communion Service will be held at 11 a.m. Sunday and visitors are invited. First Christian Church is located at 2701 Thirty - seventh Street.

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First Baptist

Sunday Morning Dr. A. B. Lightfoot's message will be "The Gospel of Christmas." Sunday school will begin at 9:45 with the morning worship at 11 a.m. There will be no evening services.

Miss Beth McCloskey will bring the special music Sunday morning. She will sing "O Holy Night."

Next Wednesday night the schedule will return to normal with the fellowship meal beginning at 5:45, WMU, youth organizations and teachers and officers meeting. Prayer service will be at 8 p.m.

January is Graded Choir enrollment month. Those not enrolled in one of the choirs will have an opportunity to enroll.

CHURCH NEWS

CHURCH NOTES

First Methodist

The Rev. Elza Phillips of Big Spring will bring the message at the Sunday morning worship service which begins at 10:55 a.m. Special music will be furnished by the Chancel Choir under the direction of Mrs. Bob Womack, director, and Mrs. Linda Rehm, organist.

Church School begins each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. There is a class for everyone.

There will be no evening service or MYF this Sunday.

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Bethel Baptist

Sunday morning activities for Bethel Baptist Church will be as follows: "Happy Holiday to You," will be the sermon topic of R. Virgil Mott on The Back To Bethel Broadcast Sunday morning at 8:38 a.m.

The morning service will begin at 9:45 a.m. Twenty minutes will be spent in opening assembly and then the people will assemble in the sanctuary at 10:05 for the morning service.

Rev. J. H. Skiles will preach for both services at Bethel Sunday. "No Room in the Inn," will be his sermon topic for the morning service.

Training Union will begin at 6:30 p.m. The departments will spend 20 minutes in opening assembly, and the assemble at 6:55 p.m. for the evening worship service. "And God Said," will be the sermon topic of Rev. Skiles.

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Our Lady Guadalupe

Masses on Sundays are at 8 and 10 a.m. and on week days at 7 a.m. Wednesday services start at 7 p.m. with Apostolic for the Cursilliastas and Youth Hour, Confessions, Mass, Instruction, Holy Communion and School of Religion. Group meetings are after Mass.

On First Fridays there is evening Mass at 7:30 p.m. School of Religion for Grammar School children is held on Monday from 4 to 5 p.m. and Sundays from 9 to 10 a.m.

The Holy Name meets on the second Monday of the month, Guadalupanas the first Monday, Daughters of Mary and CYO fourth Monday and the Altar Boys on the fourth Saturday of each month. The Parish Council meets on the second Sunday, after the 10 o'clock Mass.

Ft. Herman Valladares, M.A., is Pastor of the church, located at Avenue K and Thirteenth Street. Services are in English and Spanish.

East Side C-C

Don Browning will be the speaker at the services at East Side Sunday. For the 8:15 a.m. radio service his subject will be "Christ Exalted." At the 10:25 a.m. worship service his subject will be "Lovest Thou Me More Than These." For the 6 p.m. worship service his topic will be "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Bible classes for all ages are held each Sunday morning at 9:30. Ladies Bible classes are held at 9:30 each Wednesday morning with classes for pre-school children. The mid-week worship service is held each Wednesday evening at 7:30. Visistors are always welcome.

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St. John's Episcopal

Morning Prayer is set for 10:30 a.m. Sunday, the fourth Sunday in Advent, at St. John's Episcopal Church.

The Christmas Eve Festival Holy Eucharist is set for 11:30 p.m.

The Christmas Holy Eucharist is set for 10 a.m. Monday. Fr. Charles L. Bowyer is vicar of the church, which is located at 2214 Forty - second Street.

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Grace Lutheran

"There Stands One Among You," will be the topic of Pastor John Bollinger's sermon at Grace Lutheran Church Sunday morning. The text is John 1: 19-28.

The Adult Sunday School class will continue its study of the Book of Revelation. This Sunday's topic for discussion will be "The Church in the World."

Sunday School begins at 9:15 followed by the worship service at 10:30.

Christmas Eve services will begin at 11:15 p.m. Rev. Bobby McMillan, Pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, will preach the Christmas Eve sermon and members of Trinity Methodist Congregation will join with Grace Lutheran Congregation in this worship service.

Visitors are always welcome in the services. The church extend a special invitation to the Christmas Eve service.

Trinity Methodist

The morning worship service will begin at 10 a.m. this Sunday, and there will be no Church School for this Sunday only. The fourth candle on the Advent wreath will be lighted by two members of the Elementary Division, and the pastor's sermon topic is "What is Christ For Us Today? The Prince of Peace!"

A special Christmas Eve Communion service will be celebrated at Grace Lutheran Church at 11 p.m. Sunday. The congregations of Trinity Methodist Church and Grace Lutheran Church will combine for this special worship service. Pastor John Bollinger, Grace Lutheran Church, will be the celebrant for the service, and Bobby J. McMillan, Pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, will be the speaker for the service. The sermon topic will be "The Sign of The Times." The service will end around midnight, and the Christ Candle will be lighted in the Advent wreath symbolizing that the season for preparation has now been fulfilled in the coming of the Christ.

The pastor and his family will be out of town from Dec. 25 to Dec. 28.

A special watch-night party has been planned for the congregation of Trinity Methodist Church on Sunday, Dec. 31. This party will begin at 8 p.m. and will end with a worship service around 11:30 p.m. Bridge and forthy-two tables will be set up for the adults, and a movie, "Pinky," will be shown to the youth. Refreshments will be served and a time for visiting and fellowship will also be offered. The party will end as the New Year is greeted.

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Colonial Hill Baptist

Sunday School will begin at 9:45 a.m. Sunday at the Colonial Hill Baptist Church with the morning worship service at 11 oclock. The pastor, Miller Robinson, will use as his sermon subject, "No Room," taken from Luke 2: 1-7.

There will be no Training Union this Sunday evening. The evening worship service will be at 6 p.m. The message for the evening will be, "Christmas Gifts You Cannot Buy," taken from Matthew 2: 1-11.

The church office will be closed Monday and Tuesday for the Christmas holidays.

Prayer Service will be Wednesday evening beginning at 7:45 p.m.

Avenue D Baptist

On Christmas Eve, the Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a.m. The pastor will preach at the 11 a.m. service on the subject. "Why Do Men Fail to Find Christ?" The evening service will be at 6 p.m.

Wednesday evening the regular meetings of the auxiliaries will be held. Prayer meeting will begin at 7:30 with choir rehearsal to follow.

Thursday is the day for visitation.

The young people of the church are planning a New Year's Eve party. They will invite their friends and the party will begin after the evening worship service, Dec. 31.

The college young people will have Student Night at Christmas on Dec. 31.

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Green Hill Baptist

Services at the Green Hill Baptist Church will be at the regular time Christmas Eve Sunday, with the Sunday school beginning at 9:45 a.m. and the morning worship at 11. The pastor will preach for both the morning and the evening worship service.

Training Union is at 6:30 and the evening worship at 7:30 p.m.

The teachers and officers will meet on Wednesday at 7 p.m. and the mid-week prayer meeting service is at 7:45.

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First Presbyterian

"The Christmas Light" will be the sermon topic of the Rev. John Gordon at the Sunday morning worship service at First Presbyterian Church. The Scripture reference is Isaiah 5: 2-3 and Luks 2: 13-20.

There will be a Christmas Eve candlelight service at 11 p.m. Sunday.

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St. Elizabeth's Catholic

There will be Holy Masses at 7:30 and at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 24, at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church.

On Christmas Day there will be masses at midnight, at 8:30 a.m. and at 9 a.m.

Snyderite's Father Dies

J. G. Cargile Sr., father of West Texas State Bank President Hubert Cargile, died at 5 p.m. Thursday at Fort Worth.

Death came in Methodist hospital on the day before Mr. Cargile's 86th birthday. He had made his home with a daughter, Mrs. Vernon M. Jones.

In addition to Mrs. Jones and Hubert Cargile, survivors include another son, J. G. Cargile Jr. of Fort Worth, five grandchildren, including Joe Cargile of Crosbyton and Mrs. Claude Hicks of Abilene, and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Tioga. Beck Funeral Home of Pilot Point is handling arrangements.

Student Completes Practice Teaching

Henry Parrott, an agricultural education major at Texas Tech, recently completed his practice teaching in the vocational agriculture department at Snyder High School under the supervision of W. R. McMullan.

This practical portion of teacher training consist of seven weeks of training in a vocational agriculture department, just as majors in the filed will be working upon graduation.

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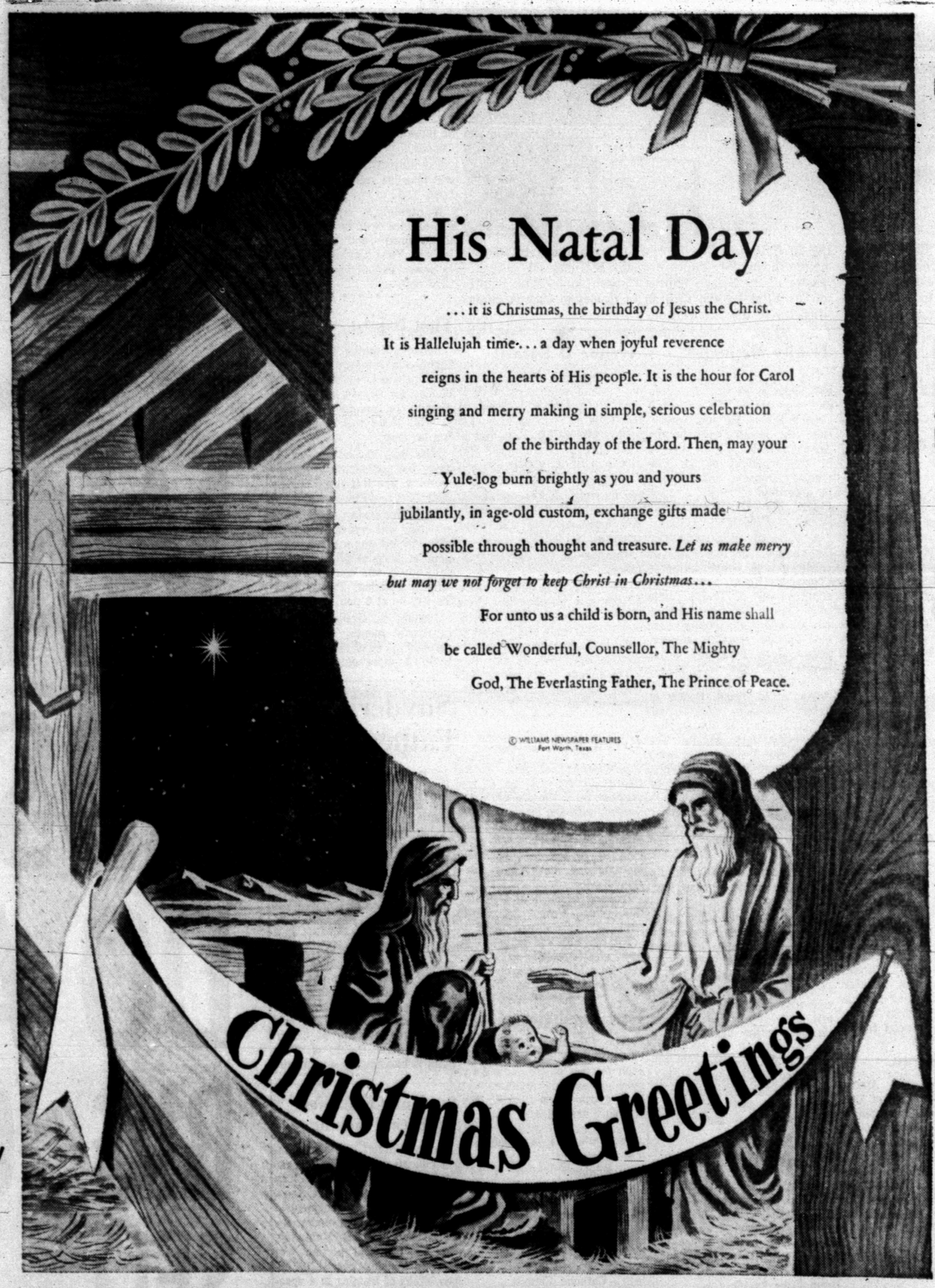
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