

Good morning

News in brief

WINDY



The forecast for Pampa is for windy weather with a high near 50 today. The low tonight should be near 20 with the outlook for Christmas day being fair and warmer.

Two injured in crash

Two people were transported to Highland General Hospital late Saturday after an apparent car - motorcycle accident at 200 North Cuyler.

As of presstime officers investigating the accident were unable to give any details of the crash. Identity of the victim was being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

Light airplane missing

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Twenty Arizona Civil Air Patrol planes were in the air Saturday, searching for a

light plane missing since Wednesday on a flight from Scottsdale to Amarillo, Texas.

Violence continues in India

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — Police lobbed tear gas and swung clubs in several cities Saturday to break up violent protest demonstrations by supporters seeking freedom

for jailed former Prime Minister Indira Gandhi. By late Saturday, the death toll from the five days of demonstrations was reported to be 13.

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"The serious crisis of our civilization is caused not only by the shortcomings of the masses. It is not less the effect of a failure of the elite."
—Ludwig von Mises

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SALT talks end, no treaty signed

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — U.S. and Soviet negotiators broke off the strategic arms limitation talks in Geneva Saturday without an expected agreement and Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance turned his attention here to the stalled Mideast peace talks.

Failure to reach an arms accord in Switzerland was caused by an unexpected snag that developed Saturday morning after the two sides had nearly completed their work Friday night. In a brief statement at the airport after arriving in Brussels from Geneva, Vance spoke only of his planned meetings here on the Mideast with Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan and Egyptian Prime Minister Mustafa Khalil.

disagreement had existed. We agreed in principle on a meeting of the heads of the two states. The question of timing is to be a subject for careful consideration by both sides. Asked how he would describe the issues left, Gromyko said, "Some are important. Some are not. They must be resolved before there can be a summit." He expressed his satisfaction that "both sides are fully determined to complete their work within the shortest possible time."

less than Vance had hoped for when he flew to Geneva and said he wanted to reach a basis for signing an agreement at a summit meeting between Presidents Carter and Soviet President Leonid I. Brezhnev next month. Friday evening, American sources had said that a tentative deal had been struck and that Vance and Gromyko would announce it Saturday at noon. State Department spokesman Hodding Carter said at the time, "We are close to the end of the road."



More bodies sought

DES PLAINES, Ill. (AP) — Investigators tore down walls and ripped up flooring searching for the remains of young boys buried around the home of John Wayne Gacy. Officials said that the remains of two young men were found Friday, one of them buried in a 4-foot crawl space under the one-story house and the other under a garage behind the house.

On Saturday, investigators hauled plastic bags out of the house, but it could not be determined how many, if any, bodies had been found. Lt. Joseph Kozenczak, head of the Des Plaines Police Department's criminal investiga-

around the time he disappeared. On Friday, Kozenczak said at a bond hearing that Gacy admitted on Thursday that he had killed Piest. Kozenczak said personal effects, including identification and wallets, belonging to two missing youths were found in the house. He identified the youths as John Szyz, about 21, a former Des Plaines resident who disappeared in January 1977, and Gregory Godzik, 17, of Chicago's North Side who has been missing since Dec. 12, 1976. Police said they also found rubber sexual devices, chains and mirrors in Gacy's garage.

Kozenczak said the garage was built over a filled-in swimming pool, and police fear that other bodies may be buried there. Sheriff's Police Chief Edmund Dohbs, who is directing the search, said the entire house would be dismantled if necessary. He estimated that the search of the house, garage and an adjoining shed would take one week. The Tribune reported that a sheriff's investigator, who requested his name be withheld, said Gacy, who sometimes performed as a clown for children at parties and benefits, told police he strangled some of his victims.



SOLDIER SITS behind a triple-barreled Soviet-constructed anti-aircraft gun near the Bourj el Shimali Palestinian refugee camp in Lebanon. The gun, one of two dozen, was used by Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine members against Israeli war planes during a raid in South Lebanon last week. (AP Laserphoto)

108 die in airplane crash Controversy touched off

PALERMO, Sicily (AP) — The death of 108 persons in an Alitalia jetliner crash off the Sicilian coast early Saturday has sparked a controversy over the safety precautions at Palermo's airport, scene of two major crashes in six years. Authorities said only 21 of the 129 persons aboard the DC-9 survived when it plunged into the Tyrrhenian Sea about three miles short of the runway.

Cataia flight were Sicilians returning home for Christmas from their jobs in northern Italy and abroad, Alitalia said. An airline spokesman in Montreal said there were no U.S. or Canadian citizens on board. By late Saturday, 28 bodies had been plucked from the icy waters, the bodies of 16 men, 11 women and one 9-month-old child, officials said. The cause of the crash was not known, and survivors said nothing seemed to be wrong

with the aircraft until it hit the sea at 12:40 a.m. and sank. Two fishing boats nearby rescued all the survivors. In 1972 an Alitalia DC8, also attempting to land in darkness, crashed near the Punta Raisi Airport, killing all 115 passengers aboard. Alitalia, local law officials and the national government ordered separate probes as criticism of the airport mounted. The national news agency

ANSA reported that the airport lacked equipment for any rescue at sea. Angelo Bonfiglio, a Christian Democrat deputy and former president of the Sicily region, attacked its "inadequacies," particularly in "rescue" operations. The Rome afternoon daily Paesa Sera said Punta Raisi is "a real trap between the sea, the mountains and the winds. Foreign pilots evade it, the Italians land and take off with nervousness."

Love for Pampa helps

By JOHN PRICE
Pampa News Staff
When Pampa Tax Assessor Aubrey Jones retires Jan. 31, he will have worked for the city for 35 years and eight months "to the day," he says. Which gives him the longest tenure of any fulltime city employee — noted here because of the extremely high turnover rate among city workers. Attribute his tenacity at least partially to a fondness for this town. "People have asked me the last two or three years, 'Why don't you quit?' Jones says. "You can't just walk off on a job with people as good as there are in Pampa. "There's no better anywhere. Pampa's been awful good to us." School teacher, aeronautics instructor, policeman, tax assessor, photographer, "rock hound." Jones has had a variety of occupations during his lengthy career. He was born and reared in Waco, and moved to this area in 1928. "I really feel like a native of West Texas," he says. Jones got his bachelor's degree from West Texas State. "I was trained as a teacher, with a little business administration. I had no training for this (the assessor's job), he said. Jones and his wife, Rachel, moved to Pampa around 1942. He was working on his masters degree at Texas Tech when the U.S. entered

World War II, and "that stopped that. I reported to Uncle Sam." During the latter part of the war Jones taught aeronautics at the Pampa Army Air Force Base, and to a class of Pampa High School seniors. A colonel at the base lived around the corner from Jones, and "one day he said 'I understand you know something about aeronautics,'" Jones said. "I said yes, and he grabbed me before the draft did." "At the same time, they didn't have many policemen downstairs," he said, pointing to the floor of his second-story office in city hall. "I walked down there and they said 'What do you do at night?' So Jones became a police officer, working the 4 p.m. to midnight shift. "A lot of people didn't understand how you could be

connected with the city, the air base and the high school all at the same time," Jones recalls. "They just didn't have enough people then. "Those were rough days." He transferred from the police department to the tax office on Dec. 15, 1945, after the mayor and city manager asked him to become city assessor. "I'd already been

"One person was in here. There were no up-to-date maps or charts like we have today. We had one little map, but it was so out of date it was useless." During his 33 years as tax assessor, Jones has seen the assessed value of property on Pampa's tax rolls increase from approximately \$15 million in 1948 to more than \$66 million in 1978. "Thirty-three years," he sighed. "That doesn't seem like it's been that long." He says he's "very proud" of being recognized by the Society of Professional Assessors, a national organization, and he is number 123 of the registered professional assessors of Texas. But his first love is his work with crippled children as a Shriner, which he hopes to continue as long as he lives. His hobbies include photography, "which I have indulged in for many years," he said. "The other hobby my wife and I share is lapidary work — we work with rocks." Jones plans to actively pursue his hobbies after retirement; "we're going to travel a little bit and go rock hunting," he said. But he'll always return to Pampa. "People say, 'Where are you going to retire to? And I say, 'What do you mean?' This is home to my wife and I. "As far as we're concerned, this is one of the greatest places in the world to live."



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OPINION PAGE

The spirit of Christmas

There is the story of a West Texas rancher who had some boots made, but they turned out to be too tight. The bootmaker insisted on stretching them for the rancher.

"Not on your life," said the rancher. "These boots are going to stay too tight. Every morning when I get out of bed I got to corral some cows that busted out in the night and mend fences they tore down. All day long I watch my ranch blow away in the dust. After supper I listen to the radio tell about the high price of feed and the low price of beef, and all the time my wife is nagging me to give up the ranch and move to the city. Man, when I get ready for bed and pull off those tight boots, that's the only pleasure I get all day!"

It is interesting to observe that during the preparation for the Christmas season there appears to be a general spirit of festivity among people which does not always prevail during other times of the year. The complexities of life, our concerns and woes, seem to fade for those few days and our thoughts turn to the more simple pleasures Christmas brings. We delight in the holiday cheer and for that moment it is as the rancher pulling off his boots. How good it feels.

Maybe the experience of the spirit of Christmas is what God really intends for the human experience to be in our daily relationships. Jesus comes into a broken and tattered world to show us how to love and how to be loved. During the Christmas season even the hardest heart is often-times exposed through acts of love and mercy. Our "daily gods" of self, wealth, fame and fortune seem to diminish and fade into oblivion in favor of the God of gods. Everything seems to come into proper perspective, and everything is right with the world for that moment in time.

The fact is that Jesus was born into time, but to bring a spirit which could prevail through eternity. Christmas shows us there is hope beyond the everyday existence of the human creature. Christmas shows us there is more to life than rising feed costs and mending fences. With Christmas comes the insight that every person is capable of change, even the most hard-hearted.

When we push aside the tinsel and glittering lights of Christmas to invade its true depth and meaning, we realize that the greatest gift of all comes to us. God comes to bring peace among men of good will as we lift up our hearts and lavish in the hope Christmas brings. May the spirit of the God of Christmas permeate our very lives even beyond the season. Be a people of good cheer and hope. Blessed Christmas, everyday. **Editors' note: Today's guest editorial was written by the Rev. E. Dennis Smart, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Pampa.**

Looking back

1953
The Pampa Red Cross Chapter has been active in the national "Operation Santa Claus" project. The Red Cross contributes gifts and holiday entertainment to military personnel at remote bases and to servicemen in hospitals. The Pampa Chapter has sent money to the Amarillo Air Force Base hospital.

1954
Pampa Postmaster, W.B. Weathered said that this Christmas mailing season has been "the biggest and also the easiest year." Pampans have mailed their packages earlier and have spread the mailing over several days instead of jamming them up at the last minute.

1955
Horace Mann School has presented many Christmas programs this season. Many local businesses have purchased large ads in the Daily Spokesman, not to advertise but just to wish everyone a happy holiday season.

1963
A 12-acre site is being sought for a treatment plant when water becomes available in 1968 for the Canadian River dam project. Negotiations underway by the city commission to close a deal on the site on Kentucky Avenue for \$1,000 an

acre. Looking back
1967
Trina and Keith Catchings of 619 N. Hobart wrote Santa that they would like a big gun, some cars, a doll and sketch - a graph. And also a reminder to Santa not to forget the other kids.
1968
Danny Heil has been named Hustling Harvester for the second consecutive week for his outstanding play the past week for scoring 19 points during a basketball game.
1969
A six cylinder tune up on a Ford will cost \$10.50 at Harold Barrett Ford located on 701 W. Brown.
1968
On this day of this year the Pampa Daily News did not print a paper.

1973
Fire that started in the choir loft of the First Baptist Church had left the rest of the Sanctuary completely gutted. Estimated costs to rebuild the sanctuary are between a half million to a million dollars.
Belinda Hunnicut of 732 N. Dwight writes to Santa Claus saying that she wants a Baby Alive and some doll clothes for Christmas.
A three bedroom, unfurnished carpeted house with a large den and central heating can be rented for \$85 a month with a down deposit of \$25.

"Toy" computer

We have become so used to advances in electronics that stories on the subject are almost in the dog - bites - man category. That is, interesting but not really startling. Every once in a while, though, something impresses upon us anew just how far the field has progressed in only a few decades. Consider this: a new microcomputer the size of a stick of gum has roughly the same capabilities as the University of

Pennsylvania's x ultimate - dollar ENIAC computer - which weighed 30 tons, was housed in a room 50 feet square and reputedly dimmed every light in West Philadelphia when it was turned on back in the late 1940s. The man - bites - dog angle is that the new microcomputer is the basic component in a recently marketed \$40 "toy" - designed to teach mathematics to children.

Christmas poem

CHRISTMAS POEM

(after C.C. Moore)

By DR. MADSEN PIRIE

'Twas the eve of Recession, when all through the land Not a business was stirring, none lifted a hand The paychecks for welfare were hung on the wall In the hope that St. Jimmy would honor them all. The bureaucrats nestled all snug in their jobs, While visions of junketing danced in their heads; And Friedman and Hayek had warned of surprises And settled themselves to enjoy Nobel Prizes, When off in the Capital came such a clatter, I sprang to the T.V. to find out the matter. What there, to my eyes, but a strange apparition! 'Twas a Democrat President pulled by ambition! The driver was Southern, with charm and a grin; I knew in a moment it must be St. Jim. More rapid than eagles his servants they came, And he smiled and he drawled as he called them by name. "Now HUD! and now HEW! and come on F.T.C.! On F.D.A., OSHA, and on F.C.C.!" To the top of the spiral their costs climbed away As they increased their workforce and doubled their pay. When the money grew short, with delight they did roar As they jumped on the presses to crank out some more. So up to the heights of inflation they flew, While the prices they doubled, and doubled anew. And then in a twinkling I heard St. Jim drawl "Ah've decided tonight to be frank with y'all." His teeth - how they sparkled! His image shone bright, And everyone thought that he had to be right. He said, "The economy's melting like ice is, So we've got to have limits on wages and prices!" He passed not a law but went straight to his work And told all the businesses never to shirk From cutting price increases, wages as well. He promised, to Labor, the same he would tell. Then, laying his finger aside of his nose, And giving a nod, the opinion polls rose. He sprang to campaigning; his team gave a cry And their chief's popularity climbed to the sky. The policy failed to deliver the nation, And recession was added to compound inflation: But I heard him exclaim, as his course, he directed, "It's all right for me, now I've been re - elected!"
(Merry Christmas, everyone)



Paul Harvey

A welfare plan that works!

If any state is looking for a welfare plan that works, Utah's does.
In Utah anybody able to work has to work or his welfare payments are cut off.
So - in the whole state of Utah there are now fewer than 13,000 people on welfare. In New York City there are more than a million!
If our nation is ever going to do anything about its admittedly self - defeating welfare system it will have to be done between elections.
It is too much to ask any electable or elected official to turn his back on the welfare army of 13 million - plus their kin - plus their lobbyists.
Three recent presidents including President Carter have proposed welfare reform. Congress is planning to take another look at the subject next year - between elections.
Regionally, certain welfare reform proposals have been tested.
At federal government expense, Seattle and Denver have tried the "negative income tax" as an alternative. Those experiments, which began in 1971, have revealed that "people receiving what

amounted to a guaranteed income worked less - and families receiving the assistance broke up more frequently." So that noble experiment aborted.
President Carter realizes that any assistance system must include an incentive to work.
Also, Sen. Dan Moynihan, conducting hearings on welfare revision, hears from the Department of Housing and Urban Development that giving poor people money for housing didn't work either. Too frequently they spent the money on things other than housing.
Of all the welfare options the simplest appears most successful. It is - the "welfare" plan in the state of Utah.
All it amounts to is this: Anybody able to work works - or his welfare money is cut off.
It should be acknowledged that the work ethic never did go out of style in Utah. The Mormon Church has a welfare system of its own where, in accord with Scriptural admonition, citizens lay aside production during the green years for use in the lean years.
The Utah public welfare program is an adaptation of that.

In Utah, if you are unable to find a job, you are supplied with a job in some state, local or charitable work project.
This welfare program costs the taxpayers of Utah \$380,000 a year; it saves them \$1.5 million a year.
Yet it took three years to secure HEW permission to try it in Utah - and HEW is still resisting testing the same system in Colorado.
"Perhaps," says Sen. Moynihan, "because the bureaucrats see this system eventually putting them out of business."

Electric shock treatments may be helpful to yours taste.
Indirectly, at least, according to a U.S. Department of Agriculture release. Researchers report that beef carcasses subjected to electric shocks produced more tender meat, also brighter and of a more uniform color. Brief charges have been found to accelerate onset of muscle stiffening and prevent excessive shortening of muscle fibers that result in rougher meat.
Shock technique may be new to meat processing but not to retailing. Prices have been doing that to consumers for years.

Demand for mom's apple pie

Are Americans losing their taste for home cooking?
Such might be suggested by a consumer spending survey turning up the interesting fact, among others, that an increasingly large share of the household food dollar is being spent on eating out - 27 percent currently as against 20 percent 15 years ago.
Mom's apple pie isn't at fault, however. As analyzed by a Conference Board report based on Bureau of Labor Statistics findings, the shift in eating habits is not a matter of home cooking but of home composition. The eating - out habit is strongest among several growing categories of the population - the affluent,

the well - educated, the 25-34 age bracket, childless families and those with more than one wage earner.
As for American food preferences, the report finds beef still leading all meats, but fresh vegetables losing ground to the processed variety.
In alcoholic beverages, whiskey is declining in popularity, down from 37 percent of liquor spending in 1960 to 24 percent currently. Wines, on the other hand, are on the rise, up to 15 percent of spending from 6 percent in a similar period.
Most of us, however, are still on beer budgets - brew is holding steady at half of every liquor dollar spent.

Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today is Sunday, Dec. 24, the 358th day of 1978. There are seven days left in the year.
Today's highlight in history:
On this date in 1814, the United States and England signed the Treaty of Ghent in Belgium, ending the War of 1812.
On this date:
In 1524, Vasco da Gama, the Portuguese navigator who discovered the sea route to India, died.
In 1650, Edinburgh Castle in Scotland surrendered to the forces of Oliver Cromwell.
In 1866, a secret order called the Ku Klux Klan was organized in Pulaski, Tenn.
In 1942, the French administrator in North Africa, Adm. Jean Darlan, was assassinated in Algiers during World War II.
In 1967, President Lyndon Johnson returned to Washington for a family Christmas after a trip around the world that included a visit to American troops fighting in Vietnam and an audience with Pope Paul VI at the Vatican.

In 1976, Takeo Fukuda won office as premier of Japan in a narrow parliamentary vote.
Ten years ago: The U.S. Apollo VIII astronauts, in orbit around the moon, sent back a Christmas Eve prayer for peace.
Five years ago: Secretary of State Henry Kissinger gave an optimistic report to President Richard Nixon on the new Arab-Israeli talks in Geneva.
One year ago: It was announced that President Carter would meet in Iran with Jordan's King Hussein to try to persuade him to join the Israeli-Egyptian peace negotiations.
Today's birthdays: Choreographer Robert Joffrey is 48. Shortstop Frank Taveras of the Pittsburgh Pirates is 28. Cardinal John Patrick Cody of Chicago is 71.
Thought for today: I don't mind living in a man's world as long as I can be a woman in it - actress Marilyn Monroe, 1926-1962.

Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today is Monday, Dec. 25, the 359th day of 1978. There are six days left in the year.
Today's highlight in history:
On this date in 1776, George Washington's troops began to cross the Delaware River for a surprise attack against Hessian forces encamped at Trenton, N.J.
On this date:
In 1642, Sir Isaac Newton, the English mathematician who discovered the law of gravity, was born.
In 1786, a farmer revolt in Massachusetts known as "Shays Rebellion" began.
In 1818, the Christmas carol "Silent Night, Holy Night" was sung for the first time - in the village church at Oberndorf, Austria.
In 1821, Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross, was born in Oxford, Mass.
In 1936, mutinous war lords in China released the nation's leader, Chiang Kai-shek, after kidnapping him and holding

him 12 days.
In 1941, in the early days of the Pacific War, Japan announced the surrender of the British garrison at Hong Kong.
Ten years ago: The U.S. Apollo VIII astronauts spent a quiet Christmas in space as their spacecraft sped back to Earth after orbiting the moon.
Thought for today: My best wishes for your merry Christmases and your happy New Year's, your long lives and your true prosperities - Charles Dickens, English writer, 1812-1870.
The fame in Plains isn't what it used to be.
A scant two years after the election to the presidency of one of the Carter boys transformed it into an instant tourist center, interest in the Georgia town is reported to have slackened noticeably. Curio shops that blossomed in the first flush of national attention have folded and commercial development projects have yet to get off the ground that was purchased.
Plenty of outsiders continue to keep Plains on the beaten track, however. State tourist officials, who keep electronic count on auto traffic in the area, estimate the flow at a quarter of a million a year. And Plains notices its changed status in other ways, such as petty crime.
For example, a dozen or so city boundary signs have been stolen in the last two years. And they used to say that a soulver hunters' enthusiasm knows no limits.
What wasn't in a name
Some Carter boys make it and some don't.
Jimmy may have the lease on the White House nailed down for at least another two years, but Billy's celebrity status appears to have gone flat. A brewery is selling 8.8 million empty Billy Beer cans to a recycler for melting down.
As a publicity gimmick the personalized beer had plenty of guto, but as business it turned out to be a bust.
Silent Viennese Night
The Vienna Boys Choir has been an Austrian institution for almost 500 years and their caroling in the chapel of the old imperial palace a special Christmas tradition.
Forget it this year. A little - known law forbidding children under 15 to work during school holidays is being enforced for the first time in anyone's memory.
And probably for the last, since the issue is being referred to parliament. In a conflict between tradition and law in music-loving Vienna, there's no contest.

Briefly noted

Berry's World



Hill: Some patients abused, die

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Attorney General John Hill has come to the same conclusion reached by a congressional committee, Texas newspapers and the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare: Serious patient abuse, sometimes resulting in death, occurs among Texas nursing homes. But in a 231-page special task force report, Hill quickly points out that "the vast majority of Texas nursing homes appear to be fine facilities which provide their residents with a favorable environment and good quality of life."

Only an isolated number of homes experience deliberate injury to residents and those abuses are corrected upon discovery, an attorney general's task force report says.

However, other findings from the 17-month investigation point to severe problems even if on a limited basis. Hill called on the State Department of Health to

step up punitive action against abusive homes. David Bragg, chief of the attorney general's consumer protection division, headed the 15-member task force. The group interviewed patients and their families, inspected 113 homes, made night visits to several others and held three public hearings on the problem. Most homes were cooperative, the staff report said. But

Manor Nursing Home in San Antonio and Theall Nursing Home in Dallas — did not allow task force members inside. The Texas Nursing Home Association Inc. filed suit against one assistant attorney general involved in a night visit. That action is pending in Travis County state courts. Physical neglect of nursing home residents is a serious and recurring problem, the task force reported. One task force member discovered from state health department files that the Oak Cliff Nursing Center in Dallas employed a nursing director who was neither a registered nurse or a licensed vocational nurse. During 20 night visits to 18 nursing homes in the Dallas area, the task force found numerous examples of patients sitting in their own waste, partially clothed and unable to reach assistance call buttons.

Theft from patient rooms and misuse of their personal funds also occurs, the study said. Residents in one nursing home said staff members "checked" for potentially dan-

gerous drugs inside patient rooms at midnight and also after certain holidays. Patients reported personal articles being gone the next day and never discovered.

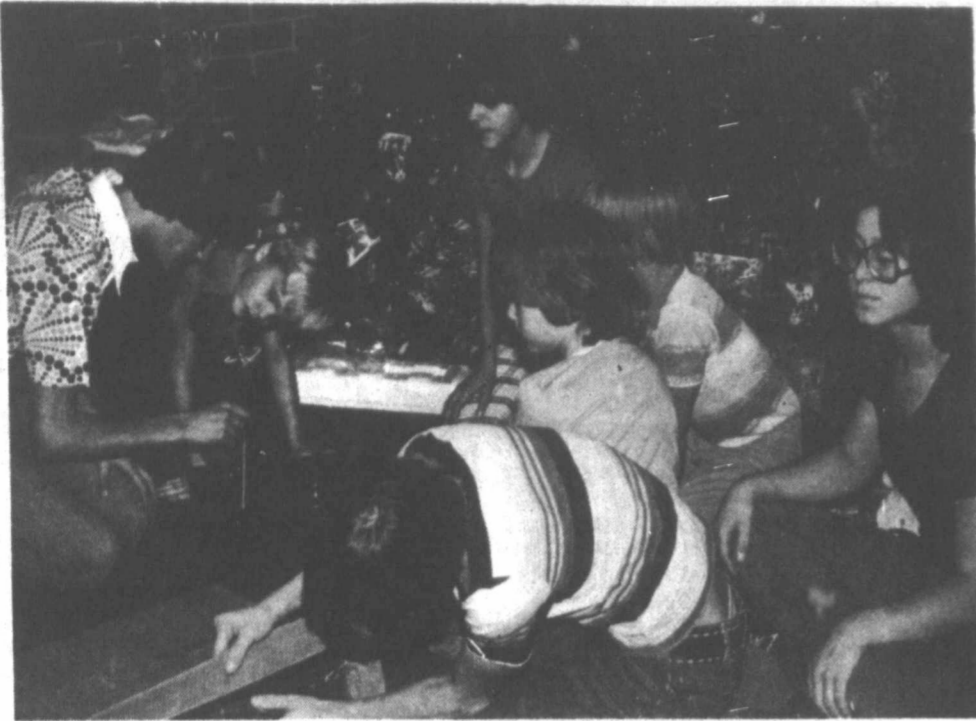
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MEMBERS of the Upsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi show youngsters at the Pampa Children's home how to use a stereo system donated to the home by the sorority. The Upsilon chapter also gave each child a T-shirt with their name printed on it as individual Christmas presents.

(Pampa News Photo)

Davis will 'explain' incriminating discussion

HOUSTON (AP) — Millionaire defendant Cullen Davis will "fully explain" next week his incriminating conversations with FBI informant David McCrory, a defense source said Saturday.

It will be a story, the source said, that is both "possible and plausible" and "the jury will believe him because it is the truth."

Davis, 45, a Fort Worth industrialist, is accused of masterminding a summertime plot to kill his divorcee judge. He will say he was framed. The state will say he is lying. Unless there is a last-minute switch in strategy, Davis goes on the stand Thursday to rebut McCrory, 40, the state's key witness in the protracted murder conspiracy trial.

"He is annoyed with the pace of the trial," the source said. "He wants the truth to be known and he wanted it to be known a lot quicker than it's coming out."

The trial began Oct. 30. The source said Davis was poised to tell his story last week and was "disappointed" when trial Judge Wallace Moore cut short the proceedings for a Christmas break.

"Everyone's having a good time but me," the source quoted Davis as saying. "He feels he's that much closer to freedom when they work full days instead of half days," the source said.

Judge Moore sent the jury home early Wednesday and Thursday, but said he did so because of difficulties in getting defense witnesses to Houston. Houston attorney Richard "Racehorse" Haynes and his Dallas colleague, Phil Burleson, would not divulge the identities of those witnesses.

But they are expected to take the stand Wednesday when court resumes and lay the final "predicate" for the defendant's long-awaited appearance.

The story Davis will tell is "not at all unbelievable if you know Cullen," the source said. The defendant's girlfriend, Karen Master, set the stage last week, telling the jury she received a telephone call Aug. 10 from someone she believed to be an FBI agent. She said Davis talked with

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MON.-WED	<p>9:00-10:20 *BA 113-1P BEGINNING TYPENWRITING BA 232-1P INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS ENG 113-1P ENGLISH COMPOSITION & READING HIST 213-1P AMERICAN HISTORY, 1500-1865</p> <p>10:30-11:50 BA 231-1P BUSINESS CORRESPONDENCE GOVT 213-1P AMERICAN NATIONAL PSY 204-1P CHILD PSYCHOLOGY ***BUS 2142-1P RECORD KEEPING</p> <p>1:00-2:00 *BA 133-1P BEGINNING SHORTHAND ***BUS 3013-1P BUSINESS LAW</p> <p>2:30-3:50 BA 141-1P OFFICE MACHINES ENG 113-2P ENGLISH COMPOSITION & READING *BA 214-1P PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING</p>	<p>7:00-10:00 *BA 134-1P INTERMEDIATE SHORTHAND ENG 113-4P ENGLISH COMP & READING GOVT 223-1P STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENG 123-1P ENGLISH COMP & READING MATH 113-1P COLLEGE ALGEBRA READ 123-1P READING DEVELOPMENT SOC 212-1P SOCIAL PROBLEMS PSY 204-2P CHILD PSYCHOLOGY BA 232-2P INTRO. TO BUSINESS NUTR 113-1P PRINC. OF NUTRITION BA 207-1P REAL ESTATE FINANCE</p>	<p>7:00-10:00 ART 223-1P CREATIVE HOBBIES BA 141-3P OFFICE MACHINES ENG 273-1P WORLD LITERATURE **GOVT 231-1P AMERICAN - STATE SPAN 113-1P CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH HIST 223-1P AMERICAN, 1865-PRESENT ECO 213-1P PRINC. OF ECONOMICS PHIL 137-1P COMP. STUDY OF RELIGIONS BA 124-1P REAL ESTATE APPRAISAL</p>	<p>6:00-10:00 BA 214-3P PRINC. OF ACCOUNTING 7:00-10:00 *BA 113-3P BEGINNING TYPENWRITING ART 101-1P OIL PAINTING (BEGINNING) MATH 105-3P INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA SPCH 113-1P BASIC TECHNIQUES-SPEECH ***BUS 2142-2P RECORD KEEPING ***BUS 3013-2P BUSINESS LAW</p>	<p>6:00-10:00 BA 224-1P PRINC. OF ACCOUNTING 7:00-10:00 BA 123-1P INTER. TYPENWRITING BA 206-1P REAL ESTATE LAW SOC 233-1P MARRIAGE HIST 233-2P HISTORY OF TEXAS PHIL 113-1P INTRO. PHILOSOPHY-RELIGIONS BA 133-3P BEGINNING SHORTHAND BA 114-1P REAL ESTATE PRINCIPALS</p>
TUE-THUR	<p>9:00-10:20 BA 141-2P OFFICE MACHINES SOC 243-1P INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY ENG 113-3P ENGLISH COMPOSITION & READING *BA 214-1P PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING</p> <p>10:30-11:50 *BA 133-2P BEGINNING SHORTHAND HIST 213-2P AMERICAN, 1500-1865 ***BUS 4020-1P OFFICE MANAGEMENT</p> <p>1:00-2:20 BA 231-2P BUSINESS CORRESPONDENCE GOVT 213-2P AMERICAN NATIONAL</p> <p>2:30-3:50 *BA 113-2P BEGINNING TYPENWRITING BA 232-2P INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS</p>				

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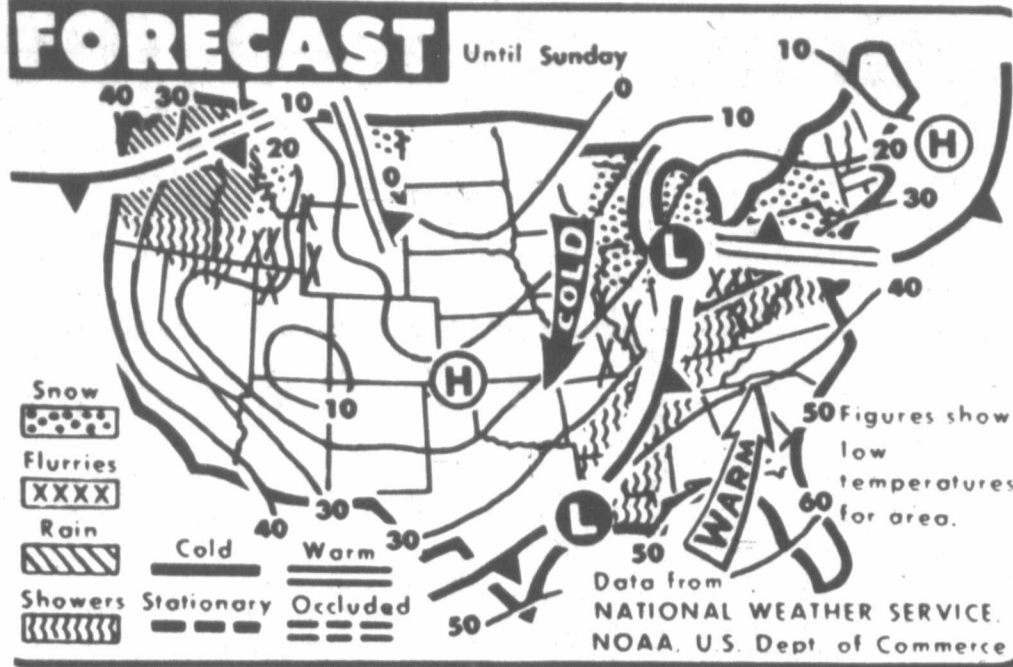
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WEATHER FORECAST by the National Weather Service calls for snow and flurries for the northern part of the nation from the Mississippi River to the Atlantic coast. Showers are predicted for Louisiana in a band northeast into Maryland while rain and showers are forecast for the Pacific Northwest. (AP Laserphoto)

Daily record

Highland General Hospital

Friday Admissions
M.L. Turner, Pampa.
Willie M. Ward, Canadian.
Connie L. Brown, 1029 N. Wells.
Jodie L. Burnett, 1141 Seneca.
Betty Rodgers, Perryton.
Betty Forkner, 410 Roberta.
Baby Girl Rodgers, Perryton.
Baby Girl Brown, 1029 N. Wells.
Baby Boy Brown, 1029 N. Wells.
Rena Johnson, 918 N. Nelson.
Adelle Osborne, 1315 Williston.
Dela T. Wood Leisure Lodge.
Rita J. Smith, Panhandle.

Dismissals
Mrs. Pamela Grubb, 1000 S. Nelson.
Baby Girl Grubb, 1000 S. Nelson.
Mrs. Gladys Ward, 321 Elm.
Baby Boy Ward, 521 Elm.
Mrs. Sandi Boyer, 542 Henry.
Baby Girl Boyer, 542 Henry.
Mrs. Ethel Bryan, 1145 S. Wells.
Mrs. Mary Veale, Skellytown.

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rodgers, Perryton a girl at 4:42 p.m. weighing 4 lbs. 8 1/2 oz.
Mr. and Mrs. David Brown II, 1029 N. Wells twins No. 1 a girl at 7:58 p.m. weighing 3 lbs. 7 1/2 oz. No. 2 a boy at 8:08 p.m. weighing 3 lbs. 6 1/2 oz.

About people

New Year's Eve Dance. Monday December 30th Pampa Optimist Club. Set - up furnished, \$15.00 a couple. (Adv.)

A trust fund has been established at the First National Bank for Julie Malone, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Graley Malone. She has spent 4 1/2 months in the hospital stricken with a brain virus which has left her paralyzed. (Adv.)

Merry Christmas Nick and Martey. We love you, Mom, Dad, Donna, Jimmy and Dusty. (Adv.)

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The staff and management of the Mayfayre Beauty Salon would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. (Adv.)

Police notes

An officer followed a vehicle from the 600 to the 300 block of S. Cuyler and arrested the driver, who was identified as Louis Morris Jackson, for driving while intoxicated.

A noon injury accident occurred at 300 Miami where John S. McBride of 925 Barnard hit an improperly parked vehicle.

An employee of Wilmart General Office Co., of 213 Tyng St., reported that someone had thrown a rock through the south side window of the building. Damages are estimated at about \$30.

Barbara Irene James of 1608 Evergreen reported that someone had thrown a brick at their pickup, shattering the windshield. Estimated value is \$40.

Kenneth Eugene Pearce of 120 S. Frost reported that someone had burglarized his vehicle, damaged the C.B. antenna and removed items from his vehicle. Total damages were estimated at \$105.

A 1969 Plymouth driven by Agnes Mae Morgan of 1901 Duncan struck a 1977 Chevy driven by Pearl M. Spaug of 720 E. Browning while backing from an unsafe parked position on the 100 block of S. Ballard. No injuries were reported.

A 1972 Mercury driven by Randall Lee Dorman, 1302 Birch, Perryton failed to yield the right of way to traffic when he struck a 1974 Buick driven by Reva Cox Rigby of 1121 Terrace. Dorman received minor injuries and was charged with failing to yield the right of way in a controlled intersection.

Michael Alan Lamberson of 1700 Grape and Barbara McNabb Keller of 1104 Darby were in an accident at the intersection of Foster and Lefors streets. Lamberson was cited for failing to yield the right of way.

Cecelia Ann Dewitt of 2225 Lynn St. reported the theft of \$200 from her purse in an employee locker at Heard and Jones Rexall Drug.

Martha Robertson Buckley of 1133 Seneca was backing from a parked position and hit the



JESS FARRIELL who looks like Santa, hands Pampa Nursing Home Center resident Vesta Davis a gift while activity coordinator Marty Donnell looks on during their annual Christmas party held Friday afternoon.

Texas weather

By The Associated Press
Gusting winds caused travelers warnings across far West Texas Saturday as the state recorded another fair and cool day.

The wind reached 50 mph in some gusts, which kicked up sand around El Paso and the Guadalupe Mountains.

Temperatures ranged from 39 at Dalhart to 72 at Brownsville. Forecasts called for continued fair skies and cool readings through Christmas Eve.

Municipal court report

Dec. 11-15
Disobeyed traffic signal-Joann Kneese Miller, \$15 and costs; Hazel White Kilcrease, \$15 and costs; Michael Earl Simpson, \$15 and costs; Scott Walter Rockwell, \$15 and costs; Sarah Ann Cooke, \$15 and costs; Raymond Wayne Herd, \$15 and costs; Norman Frank Fulps, \$15 and costs.

Expired Texas registration-Perry Arnold Moose, \$15 and costs.
Improper backing-John Calvin Arnold, \$30 and costs.

Unsafe backing-Walter Scruggs Eller, \$30 and costs.
Speeding-Donald Veit Rahmes, \$15 and costs; Roy Dale McDaniels, \$15 and costs; Lovon Brack Vayles Jr., \$19 and costs.

Failed to yield right of way-Terry Winford Bryant, \$30 and costs; Jewel Amelia Taylor, \$30 and costs.

Expired license plates-Renee Bridges Fikes, \$15 and costs.
Following too closely-Thomas Edenin Wheat, \$15 and costs; Thad Dodds Greene, \$30 and costs.

Violation of driver license code-Terri Lee Eads, \$15 and costs.

Fail to stop at school bus-James Henry Rice, \$15 and costs.

Expired motor vehicle inspection sticker-Mark Ford, \$15 and costs; Richard Carl Howard, \$15 and costs; Garland M. Walls, \$15 and costs.

Change of direction of travel unsafe-Tommy Joe Laycock, \$30 and costs.

Disobeyed stop sign-Ronald Lee Preston, \$15 and costs.
No driver license-Lula Mae Crow, \$20 and costs.
Improper turn-Wanda Ricketts Curry, \$25 and costs.
Crossed a fixed barrier-Wanda Ricketts Curry, \$25 and costs.

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Dennis Dale Mitchell and Christine Novella Mitchell
Deborah Kay McClelland and George Randy McClelland

Senior Citizens menu
Wednesday
Smothered steak or baked fish, mashed potatoes, english peas, carrots, toss or orange peach salad, cherry delight or egg custard, hot rolls.
Thursday
Pork roast or chicken enchiladas, candied yams, green beans, broccoli, lettuce and tomatoe or pear and cheese salad, apple cobbler or chocolate cookies, hot rolls.
Friday
Beef stew or chili, apple, cabbage, raisin or fruit and cheese salad, pineapple cake or pudding, hot rolls.

Bethlehem gets ready

BETHLEHEM. Occupied West Bank (AP) — Decorators mounted Christmas lights in Bethlehem Saturday as Israeli troops tightened security to safeguard holiday pilgrims from Arab guerrilla attacks.

Soldiers at roadblocks checked cars heading toward this hilltop town where Jesus Christ was born. Military squads patrolled Manger Square.

Workers ignored the soldiers as they put up lights in the square outside the 800-year-old Church of the Nativity. They framed with fir boughs a platform where 10 choirs will sing to thousands of worshippers on Christmas Eve.

Mayor Elias Freij, sending greetings "from the Christmas city of the world," made a special appeal to Palestinians "who need peace more than any other people." It is feared that terrorists of the Palestine Liberation Organization will strike during the holidays to show their anger at the Israeli-Egyptian peace negotiations.

The Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem will lead a procession Sunday afternoon from Jerusalem's Old City to Manger Square.

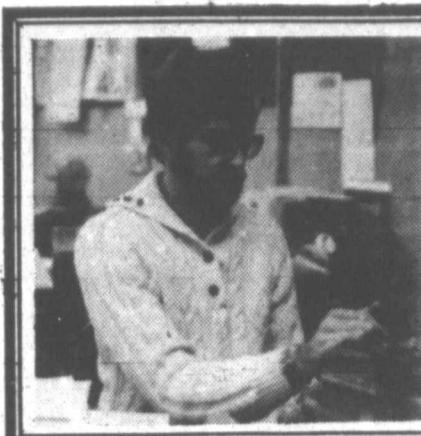
Police on white horses will accompany Monsignor Giacomo Guiseppe Beltritti on the five-mile journey.

Tourists from throughout the world have been issued special passes for the Christmas Eve festivities.

Choirs from the United States, Belgium, Norway, Sweden, Spain, South Africa and Bethlehem will perform until the Mass begins.

Protestant ceremonies will be held near Shepherds' Field, an olive grove outside Bethlehem where it is believed Christ's birth was first revealed.

Only a few hundred invited guests will attend the midnight Mass by Monsignor Beltritti in St. Catherine's Basilica, but the ceremony will be televised internationally. The crowd in Manger Square will be able to watch the Mass on a giant screen attached to an outside wall of Bethlehem's police station.



Behind the Scenes
with
Pampa News Managing Editor
Greg Hardin

WE WANT TO THANK everyone that took part in the Pampa Christmas Lighting contest. We have driven throughout Pampa and are simply amazed by all the beautiful decorations that are on display. We want to thank Floyd Sackett and his staff for helping in the contest also, and a very special thanks goes to Thelma Bray.

WE WANT TO APOLOGIZE to everyone that held a Christmas event that we didn't get by too. We were asked to go to so many places during the past few weeks that we just couldn't get to everyone.

WE WANT TO URGE everyone to drive safely this holiday season. Remember to watch out for the other guy as you travel.

TODAY, DURING THIS SPECIAL TIME of the year, we urge everyone to start regular attendance at the church of your choice.

WE HAVE BEEN FEELING THE PINCH of gas prices lately. We hope the city manager Mack Wofford will have some luck in the upcoming talks on gas prices for Pampa and the Panhandle. We are aware of the findings that the gas companies only need about half the money they requested. We hope that gas officials will look at what the poor consumers are faced with

these days when they are making their future requests.

WE WERE CERTAINLY GLAD this week when the story broke that Jeff Doughten was back as band director at Pampa High. We are pleased that the school board had the courage to reemploy Jeff when he asked for his job back. Not many employers have the understanding of the group of men that run our schools. A tip of the hat to you gentlemen. We hope that Jeff will be in Pampa for a long time to come. He has done a great job since he has been here and we are sure that he will continue to do so.

LAST WEEK AN INTERESTING story developed over Texas "blue laws". We watched very closely and then laughed at these ancient laws that we live by. We think that it is time the laws that no longer affect our day to day existence be done away with. We don't think our court system should be further burdened by these ridiculous laws.

WE WANT TO WISH everyone a very Merry Christmas. May you receive the joy of giving as you spend time with those you love.

PERSONAL NOTE: Merry Christmas Keyder.

Deaths

GEORGE H. WOODS
SHAMROCK (Sp) - George Harvey Woods, 79, died yesterday.

Services are pending with Richerson Funeral Home.

Mr. Woods was born in Clarksville and came to Shamrock in 1944 from Davis, Okla. He was a retired farmer and a member of Church of Christ. He and his wife Lillie Irene, were married in 1926 in Eastland.

Survivors include his wife, three sons, Billy and Clyde, both of Wellington, and James Melvin of Midland, three daughters, Mrs. Nellie Ruth Reeves of Amarillo, Mrs. Helen Mayden of Plainview, Mrs. Doris Smith of Canadian, a brother, Leonard of Sulphur, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Winifred Webb of College Station; 24 grandchildren and six great-grand-children.

Goldwater attacks China pact

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter's brief, nationally televised announcement of plans for recognition of communist China may go down in history as "10 minutes that lived in infamy," Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz., said Saturday.

In remarks prepared for a televised reply to Carter's announcement, Goldwater called it "a confirmation of the doctrine that might and size make right."

Carter went on the air Dec. 15 to reveal that the United States would extend diplomatic recognition to the People's Republic of China. He also said the 1954 U.S. defense treaty

Man seriously hurt

A Pampa man was reported in critical condition Saturday after the car he was driving left the roadway at a high rate of speed, a mile north of Pampa.

Texas Department of Public Safety troopers reported that Stephen Graig Plunk, 24, was in "extremely critical" condition after his car overturned on Texas Highway 70 about 7 p.m. Friday. Troopers said the Plunk vehicle traveled an estimated 750 feet after colliding with reflector posts on the roadway.

Officers said the victim was ejected from the vehicle as it turned end-over-end several times.

Trooper Wayne Williams said the vehicle was traveling between 90 and 100 miles per hour when it left the roadway.

Plunk was found lying on the ground 100 feet from the demolished vehicle.

The victim was treated at Highland General Hospital and then transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Local body expected

Melvin Meadows of Wheeler hopes the body of his daughter, who was a victim of the cult murder-suicide at Guyana, will arrive home sometime next week.

Meadows, 67, says the State Department had told him that the body of his daughter, Gladys Meadows Smith, will be returned to Wheeler for funeral services and burial. However, he has received no information on the status of the bodies of Mrs. Smith's five children, aged 8 to 13, who also died in Guyana.

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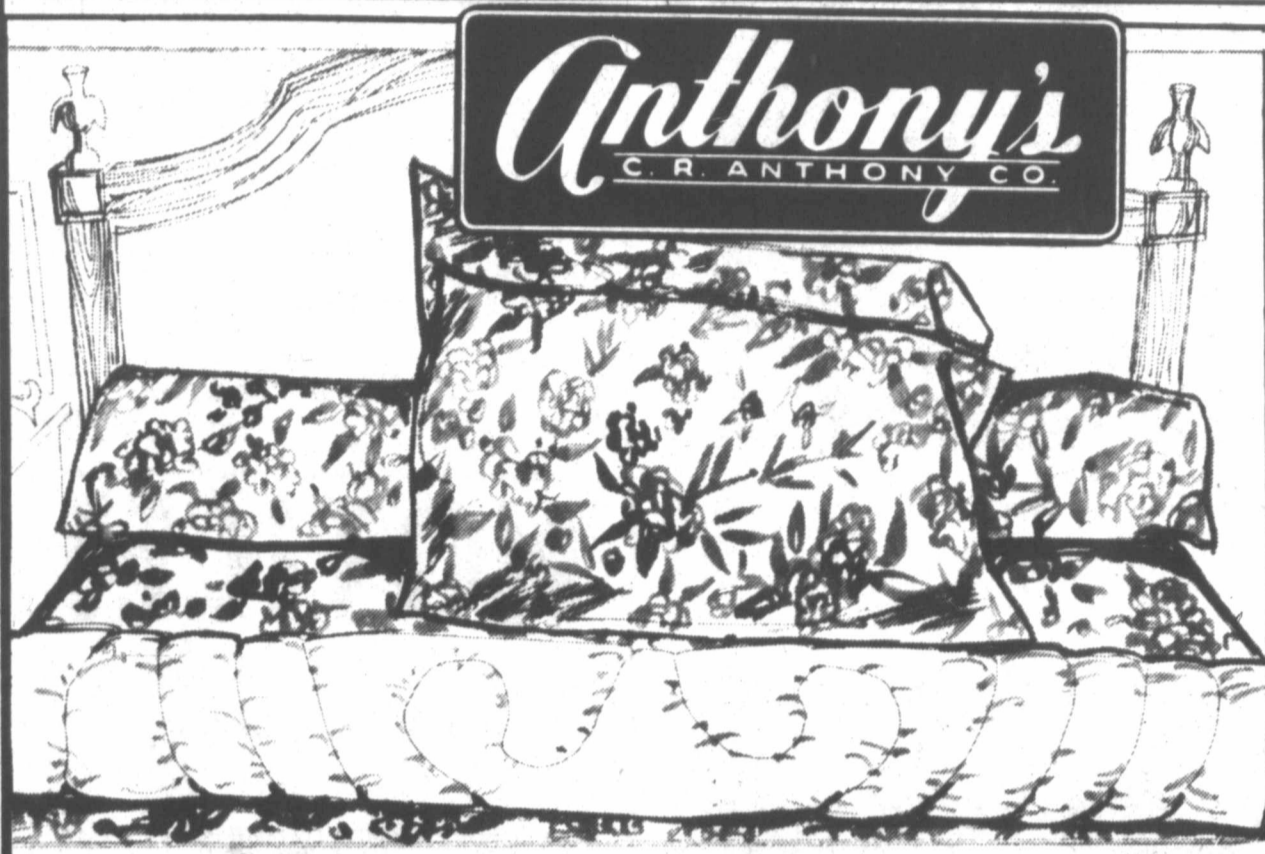
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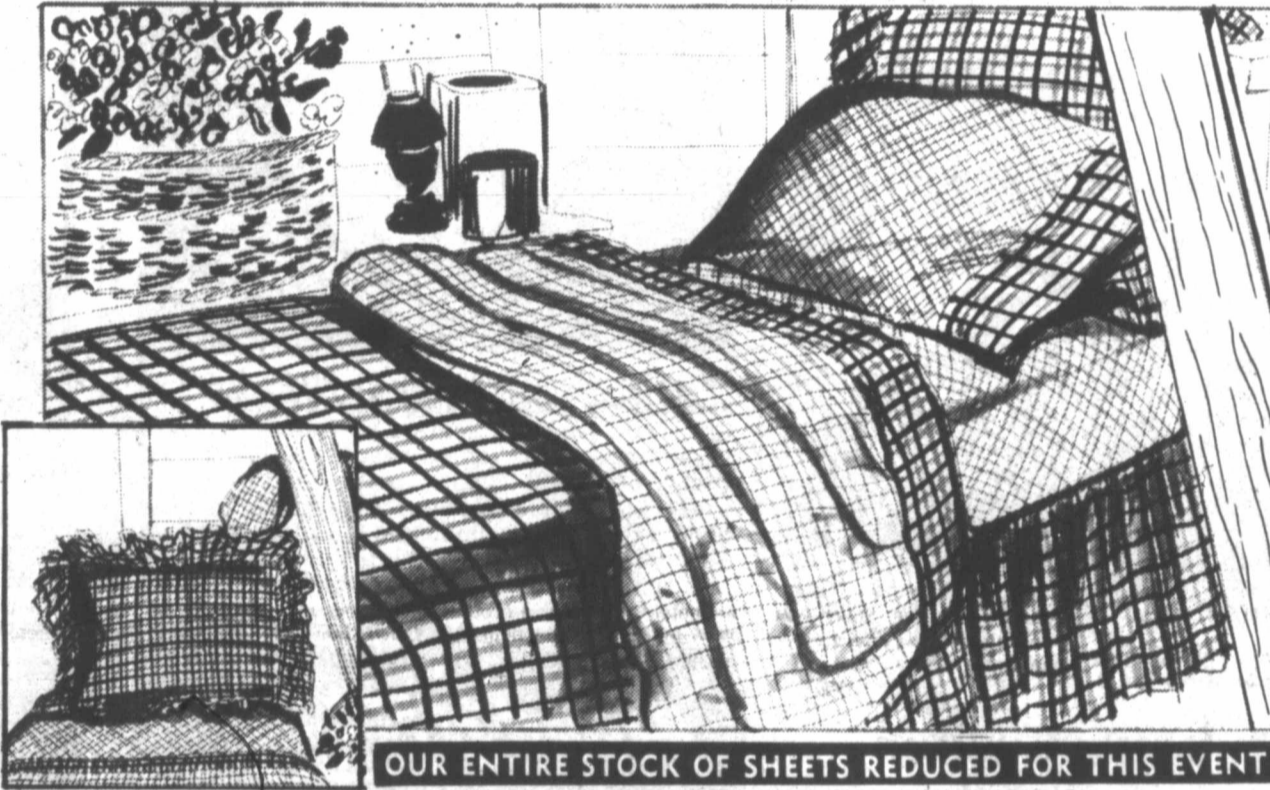
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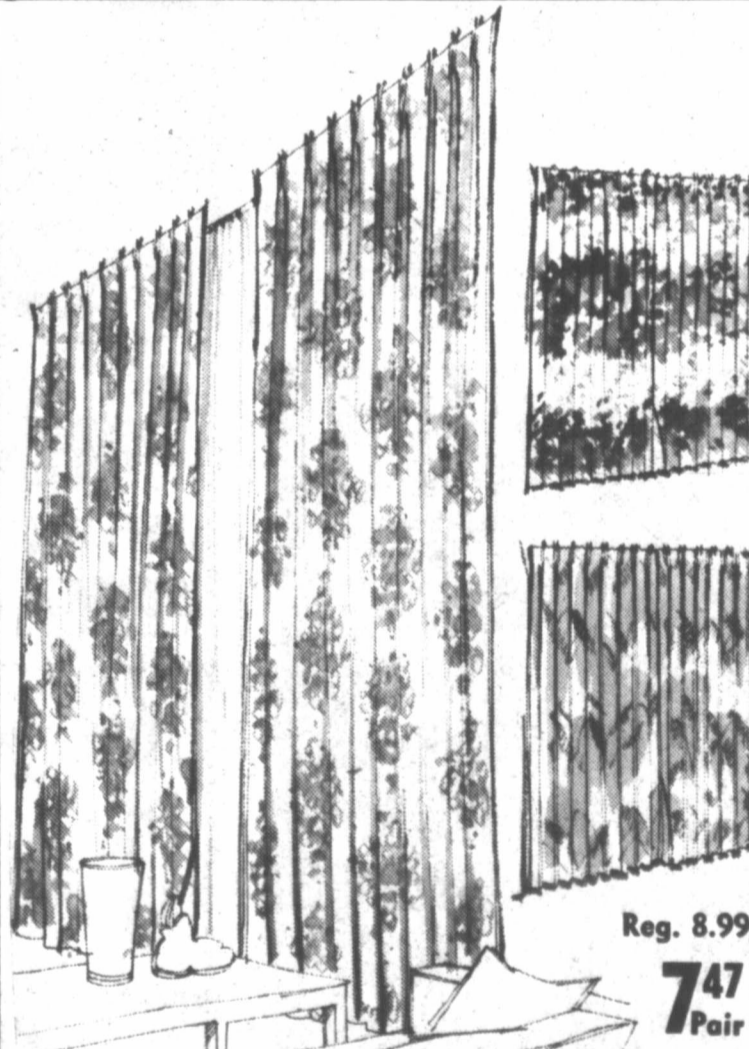
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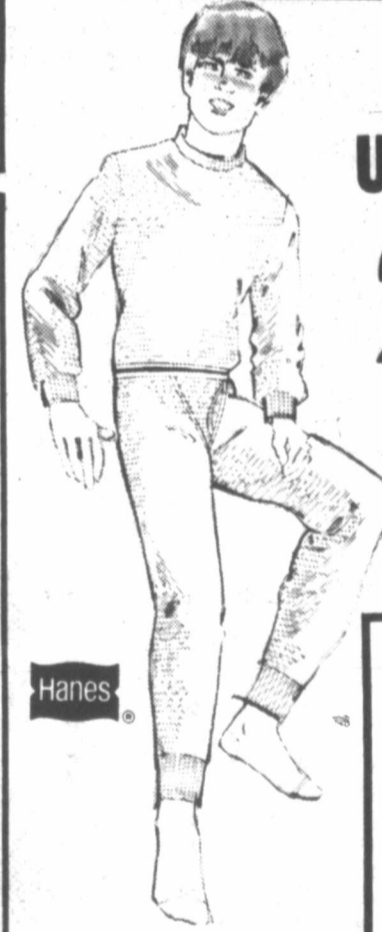
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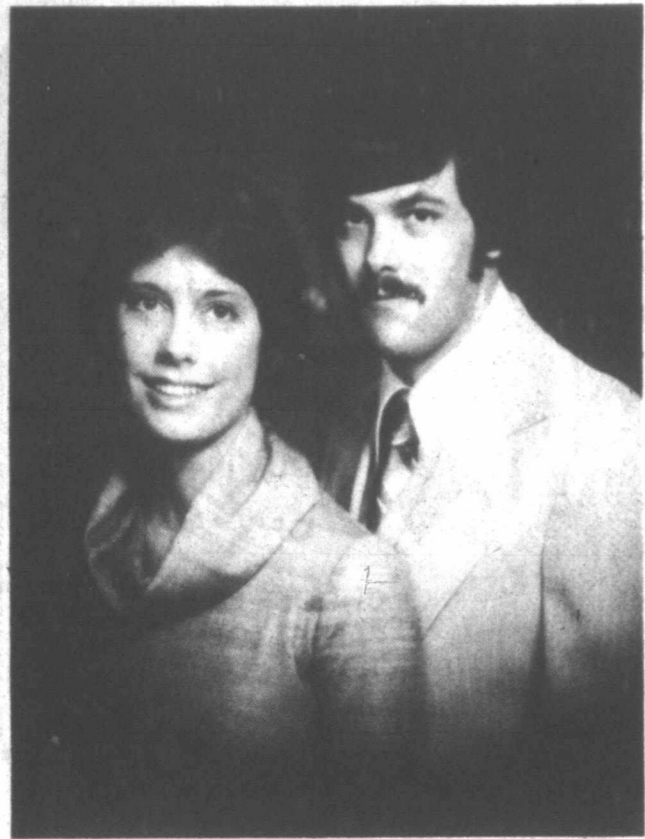
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Burgess-Pryor engagement

Debra Diane Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Burgess of Stratford, Texas, will become the bride of James Rex Pryor, Jr. James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Rex Pryor, Sr. of Skellytown and is presently employed by the Getty Oil Co. in Eunice, N.M. James graduated from White Deer High School and attended Frank Phillips College for one year. Debra is a 1977 graduate of Stratford High School and also attended Frank Phillips College for a year and a half.

At Wit's End

By ERMA BOMBECK

I have always admired women who can wear a one-size swimsuit. That is, either a size 12, a 14, or a 16. I wear all three sizes at the same time.

In the modern-day vernacular, I can't seem to get it all together. My friends tell me exercise is the secret. It's not how much weight you carry, it is how it is packaged and distributed.

I stood in front of the mirror the other morning and assessed myself. Imagine if you will the state of Texas. I look terrific at Amarillo, but by the time I hit Dallas and Fort Worth, I begin to blouse, and don't really thin out again until Corpus Christi. (But after Houston, who hangs on to see Corpus Christi?)

I've exercised. I really have. Once I signed up for a course at the neighborhood YWCA. The classes were held in a church and because of the popularity of the class, we were put in the church proper. One afternoon the minister visited and paused long enough to see me in a pair of faded pedal pushers trying to touch my nose to my bent knee which was resting on a pew and said, "You are desecrating the altar." I transferred to a cake decorating class and licked my way to six additional pounds.

For awhile, I used to eat my dessert at breakfast while watching a Swedish girl on television. She held me spellbound by winding her leg

around her neck. I watched and listened to her for over a year and one day I wheezed, strained and gasped and finally got one of my ankles hooked over the other. I quit before I really hurt myself.

The idea of going to a spa really intrigued me. I thought how great it would be to splash around in the water and steam your pores and ride a bicycle to nowhere, but going to a spa is like having a cleaning lady. You can't go to a spa anymore than you can have a cleaning woman walk into a house that needs cleaning. Somehow, I just couldn't get myself in shape for a towel.

For the last year, I have watched my husband faithfully execute his Air Force exercises (which could account for the decline in enlistments). If there is anything in this world more boring than a man who exercises regularly, I have not met it.

"You should join me," he keeps insisting. "A few pushups; a little jogging. It's good for the old body."

"Then why aren't your knees straight when you bend over to touch your toes?"

"I suppose you could do it better?"

"Sure, by letting my fingernails grow 14 inches."

He thinks he's fooling around with some amateur.

Singers have favorites too

HOLLYWOOD — Top singers have their favorite Christmas songs, just like everyone else.

"Silent Night" is Anita Bryant's favorite.

"For seven years I toured our bases overseas at Christmas with Bob Hope and each time I would close the show with 'Silent Night.'"

To Ella Fitzgerald, the best carols are "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and "O Come All Ye Faithful."

Andy Williams' favorite is a little-known song called "Some Children See Him." It tells how children around

the world see the baby Jesus — some of them see Him as light-skinned, some see Him as dark and some in other hues.

"This song gets the message across that Christmas is for everybody," Williams told the ENQUIRER.

Former cowboy star and country singer Gene Autry's favorite is "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," which he introduced in 1949.

The song is an 'ugly duckling' story. Rudolph was a real underdog, and because of Christmas gets a break.

Deck the halls with festive touches



"... ON THE THRID DAY of Christmas, my true love gave to me" ... a pair of pretty Christmas bells to hang on my Christmas tree. This the second pair in an annual collectors' series inspired by the carol, "The Twelve Days of Christmas," and features the French Hen and Colly Bird, each perched atop its own silver-plated bell. The Partridge and Turtle Dove ornaments are also available. Every year, a new pair of Twelve Days Bells will be issued by Reed & Barton Silversmiths' till the collection is complete.



Post-holiday relief for the housekeeper

Every good thing must come to an end, and so must the holiday festivities. Planning and preparing for company are some of the highlights of the season, but afterwards you must, of course, clean up after your guests.

Easy clean-up

With some know-how and a bit of pre-planning, after-party clean-ups can be easier to accomplish. These tips may help:

Plan to do just one room at a time, starting with the most-used areas—the kitchen and dining room—and leaving the other rooms for last.

Your own holiday!

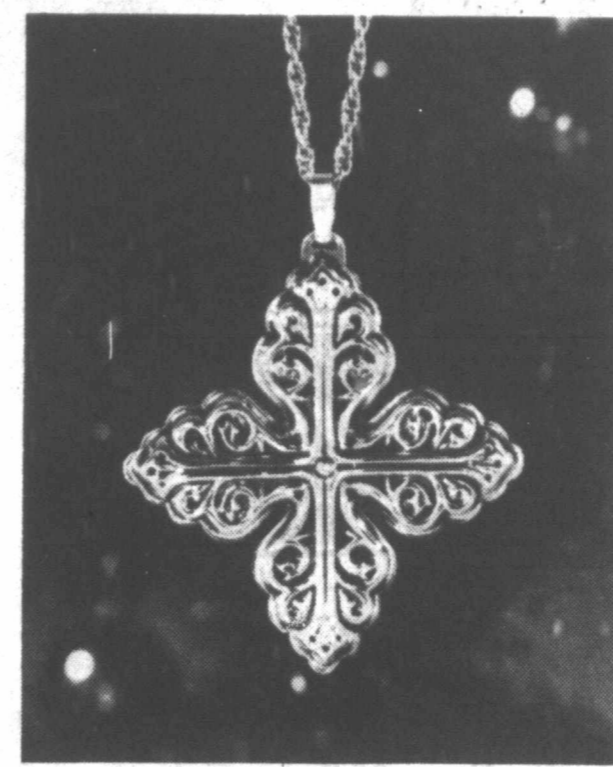
Once the major cleanup is completed, treat yourself to a vacation from housework and relax. After you've worked so hard to make this occasion a special one, you deserve a "holiday" of your own!

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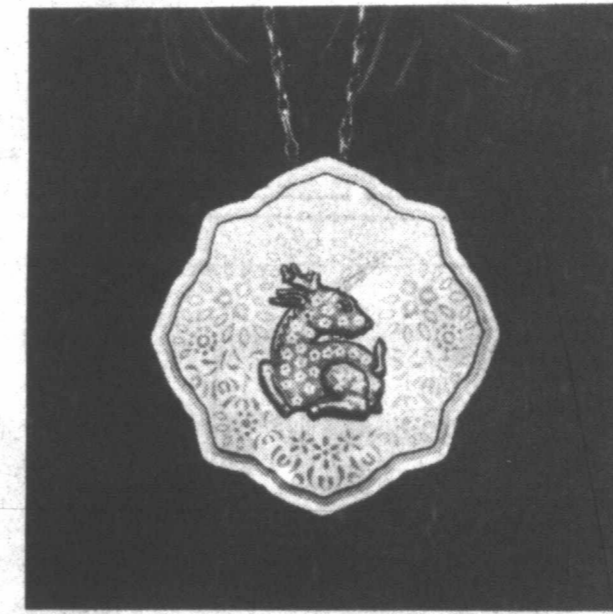
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- Planning a holiday get-together for family or friends? A little know-how can ward off party-time disasters. For general stains and spills on furniture and carpets, apply soda water. Wait about 10 minutes, then blot with a paper towel and let dry. Finally, vacuum to remove residue and revive the carpet fiber's nap.
- Go easy on the sugar when preparing holiday punches. Sugar-base punches leave dark stains when spilled. Instead try an inexpensive American champagne punch, and add the extra ingredients to give it the "kick" you want without the sugar base.

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GOOD NEWS DEPT.



A number of people to whom a good night's sleep is only a dream may be pleased to know that science seems to have found a pleasant, nonaddictive sleep inducer: bananas and milk.

According to Dr. Ernest Hartmann of Tufts University's School of Medicine, a nice big bowlful of bananas in milk at bedtime may do as much for you as a sleeping pill.

Both foods, he explains, contain a substance known as L-tryptophane. This appears to work by increasing the amount of serotonin produced in the brain. The serotonin, in turn, promotes the transmission of nerve impulses among certain cells

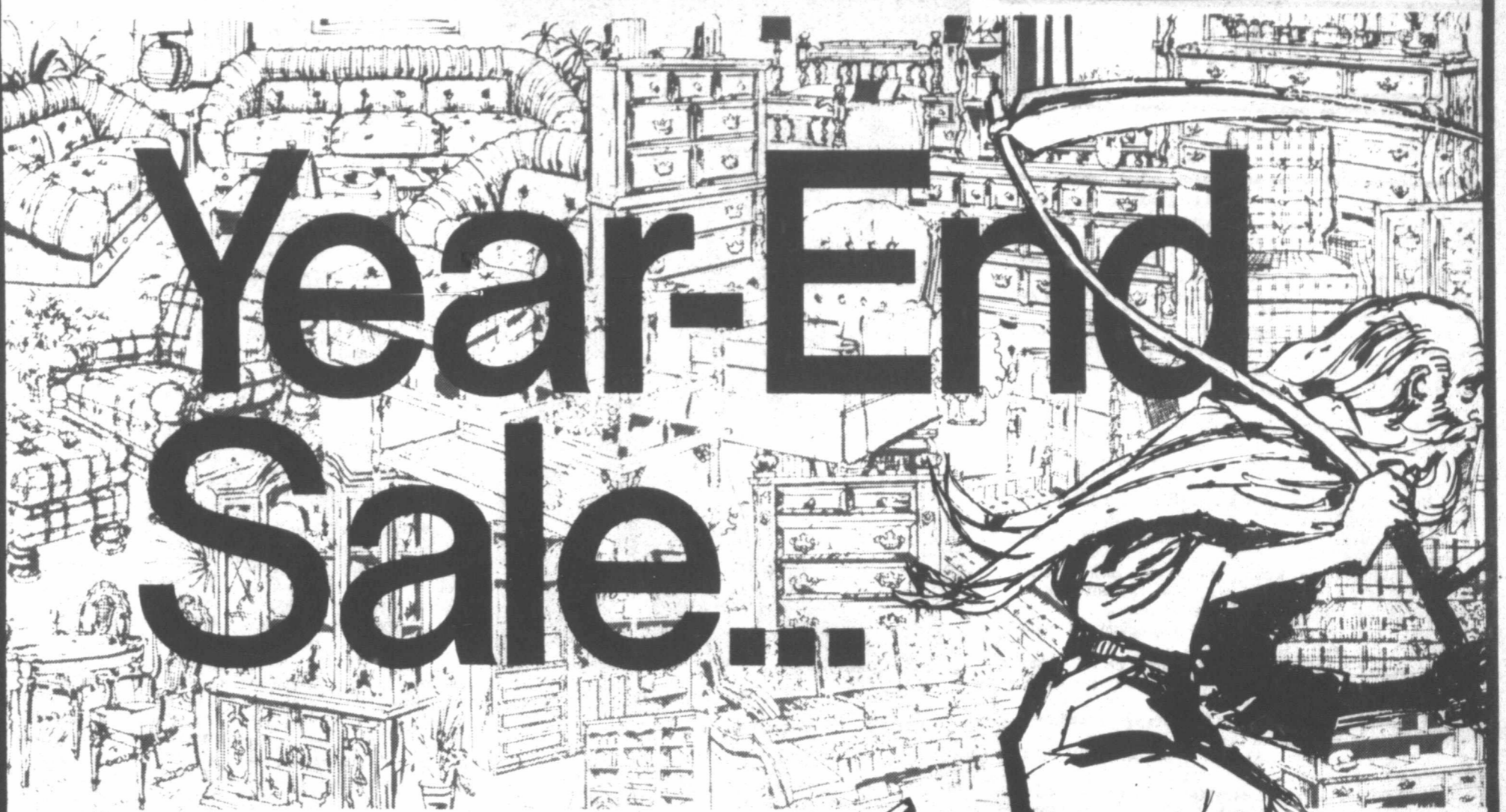
in the brain, including the ones that trigger sleep.

Fagan students give recital

The students of Lois Fagan were presented in a piano recital on December 16.

Those performing were Kim Coffee, Deena Kelley, Jennifer Cochran, Shelly Britton, Angela Cochran, Jennifer Blum, David Powers, Cathy Jones, Phillip Powers, Shelly Cochran, Debra Stubblefield, Shelly Barker, Willa Perkins, and Valorie Pangle.

Refreshments were served, followed by a Christmas gift exchange.



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Advice

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: When my husband's mother came to live with me and my husband 23 years ago, she made our lives so miserable that I vowed I would never bring such misery to my children if I ever had to live with them. One day I sat down and wrote myself a letter containing some "rules." I put in an envelope marked, "To be opened on the day I go to live with one of my children." Then I put it away.

I've been widowed and self-sufficient for eight years, but I was recently forced to give up my job and go to live with my daughter. I'm submitting that letter. Perhaps your older readers might benefit from it, as I intend to. Here are the rules:

- Give what you can toward your keep. Any budget will stretch just so far.
- Keep yourself clean and neat. Fresh undies and daily baths are a must.
- Remember, it is THEIR home. Give them privacy at every opportunity.
- Try to make your own friends and develop interests outside the home.
- If you suspect they would like to go away on a vacation, but are hesitant because of you, offer to visit another relative or friend so they will be free to go.
- Don't offer any advice or express any opinion on family matters unless asked.
- Volunteer information that they might be too embarrassed to ask for, such as arrangements for your burial, hospitalization, etc.

These rules were written over 25 years ago. I read them often and am determined to keep them.

SEVENTY-SIX AND HOLDING

DEAR ABBY: Our eldest daughter had to get married at 18, after having gone steady with a "very nice" boy for three years, so we made a rule for the younger children: NO GOING STEADY.

Now we are having trouble with our 15-year-old daughter. She wants to go steady. We said no, she has to have a date with another boy between dates with her special boyfriend. She says no one else asks her.

Tell me, Abby, how can parents keep their children from going steady? We know from past experience that it is dangerous, and we don't want any more "hurry-up" marriages in our family. But if the kids don't want to go with anyone else, or if no one else asks them, what can parents do?

TRYING HARD

DEAR TRYING: Instead of making rules, if parents would work toward building the kind of relationship with their children that lends itself to straight talk on a sensible, unemotional basis, they would fare better.

Let your children know why too much togetherness puts a strain on two normal young people who have a strong physical attraction for each other. Explain that this attraction is usually equated with love—but don't put it down and say it's only puppy love.

Tell them that the only way to reduce temptation is to reduce the time spent together alone.

Tell them that you are aware that when young people think they are in love, the more they make out the more difficult it is to control their desires, and they seldom do less when they're together than they did the previous time. Let them know that you understand and trust them, but you are opposed to going steady because you want to help them, not punish them. And then, Mother, you will have less to worry about.

CONFIDENTIAL TO YOU: If you want to have a truly merry Christmas, call someone you suspect might be alone and include him or her in your plans.

Ask Dr. Lamb

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have a hiatal hernia. Some years ago two dogs chased me from the bus line and caused me to fall on an iron. It was sideways between my breasts when I fell on it.

I went to a doctor for I could hardly breathe, but nothing showed then. My husband had to lower me in bed by holding my hands and helping me raise up. Through all the years it is better sometimes and worse others. I take a hernia tablet but I don't know what it is.

I have spells of pain that go to my throat and feels as if someone had his hands around my throat choking me, besides all the pain through my chest at the same time. If I eat or drink water, that will usually stop the choking and pains.

I'm 5 feet 6 and I try to keep my weight down. The doctor told me to eat something when the pain starts and this does help. Last summer I was in the hospital four days to see if these pains are from my heart or the hernia. I was in oxygen because the pains were so bad. The problem was not my heart.

I carry antacids in my purse all the time because if I start having pain and take the antacid soon enough, it will stop them. As I get older will this condition get worse? I noticed in one of your columns you mentioned a Health Letter on hiatal hernia. I need all the information I can get. Would you please send it to me?

DEAR READER — As you know, a hiatal hernia means a rupture of the stomach through an enlarged hole in the diaphragm. We all have a normal hole in the diaphragm. The usual cause of this problem is just an excessive enlargement of this hole. Women tend to develop this during pregnancy and possibly because of pregnancies, women are more prone to this disorder than men.

There are a few instances

in which the diaphragm can be injured and cause a hernia. I don't know whether that is true in your case, but in view of your history of injury, it could be a factor. Whether it is a complication of childbirth, obesity or injury, the end results can sometimes be very disagreeable as you described.

Many people have a small hiatal hernia and never have any symptoms, but large ones or severe ones can cause severe chest pain as you described and the pain may be so severe and of such a nature as to resemble a heart attack. Sometimes all a doctor can do is put a patient with such complaints into the hospital and observe them for a few days in order to tell what the problem really is.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 4-8, Hiatal Hernia, that you requested. Other readers who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

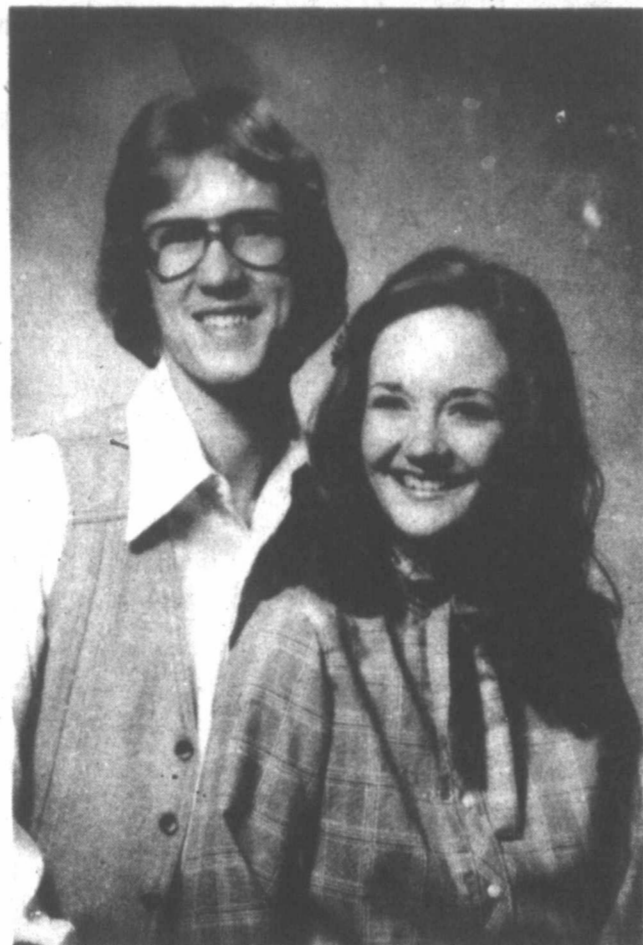
This issue will give you needed information on small meals to prevent regurgitation of acid content of the stomach into the lower esophagus. It will also give you more information about daily living patterns such as keeping your bed elevated, how long you should wait after eating before you lie down and the importance of not wearing any tight or constricting device around your abdomen. Your antacid medicines are fine but all the other measures that you need to correct in your living pattern will help make life a little easier.

I hope your hernia will not get worse as you get older, although there is certainly no guarantee about it. One of the things you can do that will help prevent difficulties is to eliminate any obesity that you might have.

Polly's Pointers

By Polly Cramer.

DEAR POLLY — Those who use food coupons should read the expiration date carefully and be sure to have the amount of merchandise required. Checkers get very disgusted with those shoppers who only pick up one item when they need two or three to get the coupon price. The customer usually wants to use the coupon and then runs back to get the required amount while everybody in line waits. — D.K.



Hopkins-Brown engagement

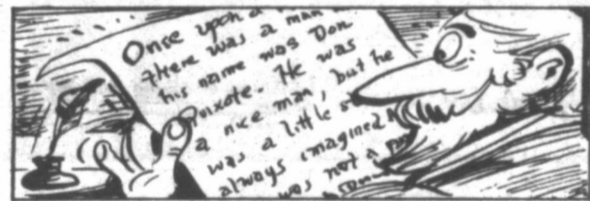
Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hopkins of Miami announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Kay, to David Brown of Cordell, Oklahoma. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Brown, Cordell. Debra graduated from Miami High School and is a pharmacy major at Southwestern State University. David is a business management major, and will graduate in the spring of 1979 from Southwestern University at Weatherford, Okla. Marriage vows will be exchanged on January 12 in the First United Methodist Church in Miami with the Rev. Tommy Ewing of Plainview officiating.

Orr students give a recital

Organ and piano students of Mrs. Darville Orr were presented in a recital at Tarpleys Recital Hall on December 17 at 2:30 p.m.

Those performing were Kelli Snider, Rhonda Patton, John Locke, Missie Day, Karen Peeler, Jennifer Stewart, LaBrenda Driver, Beth Veach, Dean Birkes, Deana Chumbley, Stacie McDonald, Brent Chapman, Terri Tolbert, Kim Peeler, Angie Day, Suzy Wheeler, Valrie Bradford, Jon Barton, Jana Arrington, Casey Rice, Diane Harvey, Tracey Poole, Karla Harris, Sharla Vaughn, Kathryn Peeler, Andrea Adcock, Kimberly Locke, Damon Harvey, Julie Adams, Robin Pahlow, Denise Chapman, Shelly Stout, Sherri McDonald, Michele Houston, Kerri Carter, Ricky Chapman, Lori Helton, DeLynn Ashford, Tonia James, Dana Dykes, Renee Houston, Karen Muncy, and Jimmy Ashford.

Refreshments were served by Janice Snider, Patsy Poole and Reta Chumbley.



Cervantes began writing "Don Quixote" while in jail.

We Wish you a Merry Christmas

Midst the joys of a truly old fashioned Christmas, we stop for a moment to wish our dear friends all things bright and beautiful!

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Pampa Post Script

By JUNE ALEXANDER

Just a few of our neighbors from Canadian who were in Pampa this past weekend enjoying the holiday scene: Blossom and Raymond Newell with their daughter Georgia King, Helen and Frank Shaller, Doris and Joe Brock, Helena and Dr. Teddy Durocha, Sally and Bud Brainard.

Dr. Durocha a General Practitioner, and his wife Helena come to the Panhandle from Poland via Johannesburg, South Africa, and have been in this country only a few months.

No wonder Pam Turek doesn't like to stay at home. After just a few days as a lady of leisure she broke two toes. It seems a roll of newsprint fell off a closet shelf onto her foot. Better hurry back to work Pam, where it's safe.

Shirley and Lem Greene are now in their newly completed house just outside White Deer. Shirley is "doing" the interior with the help of friend Margaret Dauer of Panhandle.

Did you know that A.J. Hindman, a local innkeeper for 34 years, has also been a Pampa volunteer fireman for 43 years?

One of our town's residents, Ann Felter, has a widely read

author as a mother. Mrs. John Gasparotti of Moberly, Mo., writes under the name of Elizabeth Seifert and has had eighty novels published in the past forty years. At age 81 she still averages two novels a year, most of which have a medical theme. Ms. Seifert originally wanted to be a doctor, but at that time it was next to impossible for a girl to get into medical school. "You've come along way, baby!"

Joni Daniels, looking like fire and ice with her blond hair and wearing a red sequined dress ... Dr. Charles Ashby, very dapper in his cravat ... Wanda Hudson, splendid in a Halston the color of burnished copper ... Dr. Joe Donaldson, wearing a bright red necktie decorated with a sparkly green Christmas tree ...

Roy Bourland has a certain claim to fame: he used to play third base for the Philadelphia Athletics under Connie Mack. More impressive than that, for the past 31 years he has taken the time every Sunday morning to visit patients in the local hospitals. No Santa Claus? Of course there is. He's everywhere, all year long. We just don't always look in the right places.

Joyeux Noel



FOXY FANTASY ... Fur continues to be the ultimate gift. New styles this season feature padded shoulders, tapered hemlines, three-tail scarves and the richest, most luxurious colors, designed to match or compliment blonde or red haircoloring shades.



Mr. and Mrs. Keith Wilson Gray-Wilson wedding

Carolyn Gray, daughter of Mrs. Jim Duty of Plainview, and Keith Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Wilson of Santa Fe, N.M. were married November 16 in Las Cruces, N.M.

DECORATING TRENDS... by Charlie's

FIRST IMPRESSIONS

The Christmas wreath on the front door speaks a welcome message in this season of good will. And when visitors step through the door, the entrance to your home, or foyer, also tells a story.

First impressions are lasting ones — a good reason for taking a look at your entry to see what it is saying for you. An entry should first of all be inviting. It can also be dramatic. (In this small area, for example, you can afford to use a luxurious wallpaper.)

Entries can also be functional, and they need not be restricted to the conventional console and mirror arrangement. An antique umbrella stand, a small storage chest, a pair of small chairs, a drop-leaf table — these are only a few of the possibilities.

Whether your entry is a separate foyer or a part of the living area, give it the attention it deserves — because it is sure to get the attention of any guests.

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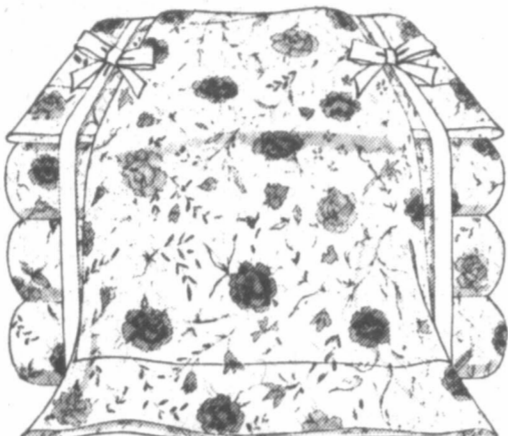
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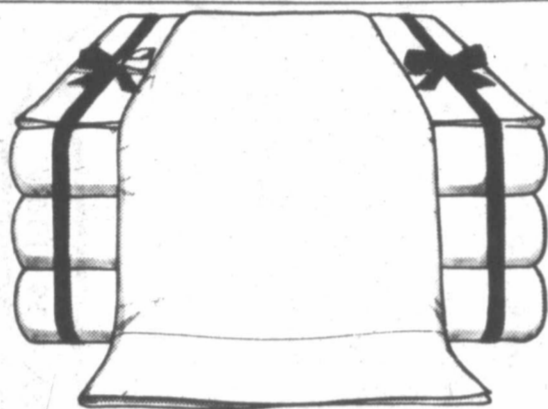


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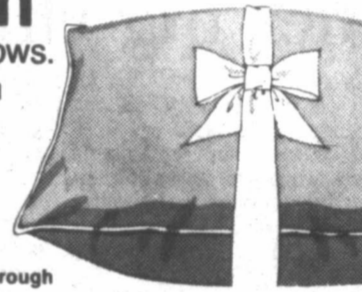
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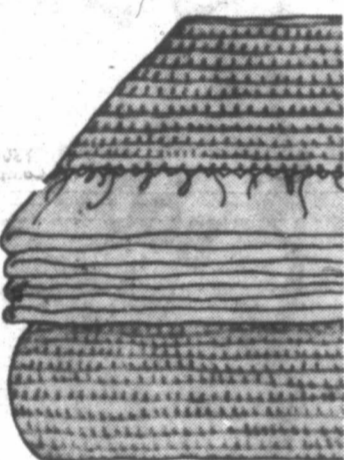
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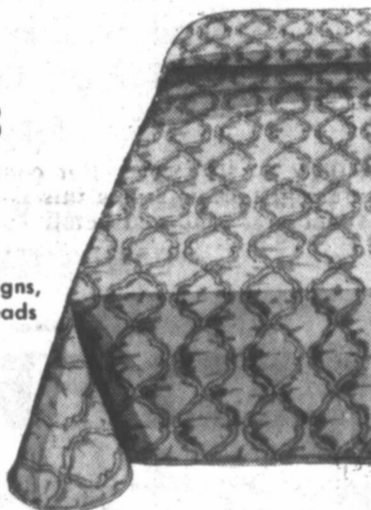
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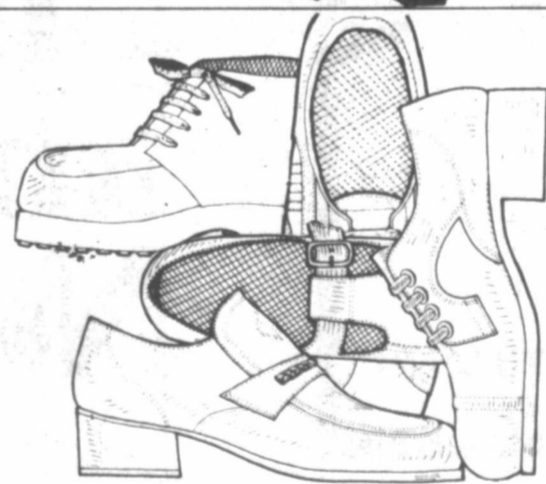
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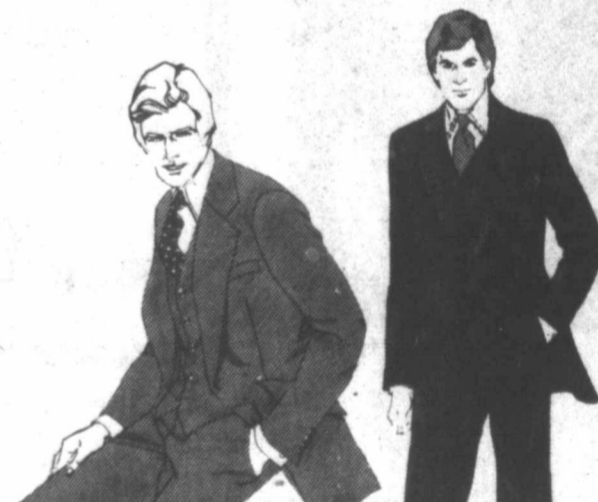


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Homemakers News

By ELAINE HOUSTON
County Extension Agent
MICROWAVE IDEAS:

For cooking milk-type dishes, like scalloped potatoes, that tend to boil over — grease the sides of the dish. This helps minimize boilovers since milk slips back on a greasy surface rather than climbing. You can reduce extra liquid in casseroles or in other mixtures by removing the cover during the last half of the cooking time. If a cover is desired, use a paper towel.

If some one in the family needs a hot, wet pack, moisten a towel and microwave it about 30 seconds. This method saves time and water.

Make your own sweetened condensed milk. The microwave is not essential for the preparation, but it is a time saver. Here are the directions:

$\frac{1}{2}$ cup cold water
 $\frac{1}{4}$ cups non-fat dry milk powder

$\frac{3}{4}$ cups sugar
Measure water into 2-cup glass measure. Gradually stir in milk powder until smooth.

Microwave (high) $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 minute or until milk is steaming hot.

Stir in sugar until dissolved. Allow to cool before using. Use as a substitute in recipes for 1 can (14 oz.) sweetened condensed milk.

Makes about 11-13 cups.

Re-heat leftover popped corn.

Place $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of water in the microwave along with the popped corn and microwave 1 to

2 minutes. It will taste freshly popped.

PIE FREEZING HINTS

Use spices sparingly — especially cloves, for they have the tendency to become bitter. Pumpkin pies are best frozen unbaked. Pecan pies should be baked before freezing. For ease of storage and less storage space, freeze pastry in flat rounds! Freeze first, then separate with paper and package well.

YOGURT SNACKS

$\frac{1}{2}$ cups finely chopped fully cooked ham

1 - 8 oz. carton (1 cup) plain yogurt

$\frac{1}{4}$ cup (1 oz.) shredded Swiss cheese

$\frac{1}{4}$ cup finely crushed saltine crackers (8 crackers)

2 tbsps. butter or margarine, melted

1 to 2 tps. caraway seeds
6 eggs

In a medium bowl combine ham, yogurt, cheese, cracker crumbs, butter, (or margarine) and caraway seed. In small mixer bowl beat eggs on medium speed of electric mixer about 6 minutes or till thick and lemon-colored. Fold eggs into yogurt mixture till well blended. Pour mixture evenly into a greased 8x8x2 inch baking pan. Bake in a 375 degree oven for 25-30 minutes or till evenly browned. Cut into squares and serve hot.

Makes 12 to 16 servings.

This top-rated yogurt snack tastes like a crustless quiche —



Fallon-Simon engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Ben DeWitt Fallon of 2236 Charles announce the engagement of their daughter, Pernie Wagner Fallon, to William Henry Simon of Pampa. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Leo Simon of 1203 S. Hobart. The bride elect is a 1973 graduate of Pampa High School and received a Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree from Arizona State University. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority and the Society of North American Goldsmiths. Simon is a 1973 graduate of Pampa High School and attended North Texas State University. He is employed by Pampa Office Supply. The couple plans a February 18 wedding in St. Matthew's Episcopal Church.

Pampa Optimist Club
Members of the Pampa Optimist Club and their families held a covered-dish Christmas dinner December 18. A lifetime membership to the Optimist Booster Club was given to Nona Payne in appreciation for her contributions to the youth programs of the organization, by Optimist president Calvin Lacy.

Entertainment was provided by the Freshman Choir and the Treble Choir of Pampa High School, under the direction of John Woickowski, P.H.S. Choral Director.

A presentation was also made to Walter Hyatt for his work selling Christmas trees for the Optimist Club.

Santa Claus also made a guest appearance, and gave candy to the children at the gathering.

Goodwill Home Extension Club members met recently for a Christmas party and luncheon in the home of Mrs. Cecil Barnett.

New officers for 1979 were installed by Helene Hogan.

They are: Mrs. Charlie Dell Sartor, President; Sidney Jackson, Vice-President; Joy Maule, Secretary; Barbara Austin, Treasurer; Cora Lee Robertson, Council Delegate; and Laura Kilgore, Telephone Chairman. Mrs. Hogan presented a gift to each officer

pertaining to her duties.

The hostess gift was won by Mrs. Jackson. A gift of appreciation was presented by the Club to Mrs. Barnett, outgoing President.

Members assisting with the program "Meals on Wheels" and brought Christmas gifts for a local nursing home.

Guests attending were: Mrs. Francis Eckart, and Mrs. Holden Kramer.

Varietas Study Club

Mrs. J.E. Gunn was hostess to Varietas Study Club at the annual Christmas party on December 12. Mrs. J.E. Gibson presented the program, giving two Christmas readings, "Keeping Christmas" and "Home For Christmas".

Homemade gifts were exchanged. Members brought boxes of gifts to be taken to Girls' Town in Borger. The group sang Christmas carols, with Mrs. Gunn playing the organ accompaniment.

Beta Sigma Phi Rho Eta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met recently in the Flame Room of the Pioneer Natural Gas Building for their regular meeting. Ettavie Michael presided.

The program was presented by Dolores Cross and Wanetta Hill, from Shaklee Center, who showed a film entitled "Good Nutrition" and also showed

some Shaklee products.

A Christmas party for the chapter's children was held Dec. 17 in the Flame Room. Santa Claus presented each child with a gift and candy.

To enable members to spend the holidays with their families, the regular meeting scheduled for December 25 was cancelled.

Hostesses for the meeting were Lisa Crossman and Connie Holland.

Lambda Chi Alpha

Alonzo Rock Hudson and Matt Chon Hudson are among the 132 fall semester pledges to the 15 national fraternities at North Texas State University.

Alonzo and Matt, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. O. Ray Hudson, 940 S. Hobart, pledged the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity.

Kappa Kappa Iota

Gamma Conclave of Kappa Kappa Iota Sorority met recently in the Coronado Inn for the annual Christmas breakfast.

Hostesses were Gwyn Hulsey, Jerry Davis, Allene Coker, and Edna Begert. The room was decorated with holiday appointments to foster the festive mood of the season.

Frances Walls read the Christmas story, "The Gifts of the Magi."

The group concluded the morning with a gift exchange. Twenty-five members were present.

Club Scout Pack 422

Club Scout Pack 422 met on December 18. A Christmas basket was presented to Irvie Smith and a potted plant was presented to Cubmaster Jack Shaw and his wife Marlene. Nine cubs received awards.

Canned goods were collected for Pampa Children's Home and a book WE AMERICANS was presented to the library of Horace Mann School in memory of Sam Begert.

On December 19, the Cub Scouts presented food to the Pampa Children's Home and were given a tour of the Home by Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Patton.

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An actress awaits her big chance

NEW YORK (AP) — Dana Smith works as a receptionist. But that's just to pay the rent. Her profession is acting.

"It's such a cliché; everybody in New York is an actress. It's amazing — since I've come to New York, three out of four women I meet, every cashier, every receptionist, every waitress, everyone wants to be an actress," she said.

"Many of them are dilettantes, they all couldn't possibly be serious, and yet they are taking up room and space for those of us who are. They, too, can get interviews and get into certain auditions, whether their talent merits it or not, and it makes it hard to fight through the crowd to get the opportunity and the recognition that you need."

Miss Smith, 24, is a member of the American Federation of

Radio and Television Artists (AFTRA). She has appeared in the CBS Television soap opera, "Search for Tomorrow"; she was "Lady Macbeth" at the Barter Theater in Virginia; and she has appeared in the off-Broadway production of "Once in a Lifetime."

She hasn't gotten that "big part" yet, but she's working on it. She takes acting lessons and would like to take voice and singing lessons, when she can afford it.

"I really look forward to the moment when I am earning enough money from my chosen profession to survive because it would just be so significant to me so many things. I mean, first, it would mean that most of my time would be dedicated to something that I'm interested in, and, second, it would mean that there is truly a place for me in this business and that

I'm able to carve out a life for myself in this very difficult profession," she said.

Miss Smith can't remember a time when she wasn't interested in acting. As a young child, she would imagine signs that read, "starring Dana Smith."

She took part in plays during high school and graduated from Syracuse University in New York with a bachelor of arts degree from the School of Visual and Performing Arts. She also studied briefly at the London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art in England and at the Circle in the Square theater in New York.

"Acting has always seemed like the perfect thing to do," she said, "and my fantasies about acting have given way to a real, real dedication, and a real love for the craft of acting. In college I did very well, and I

have been described as being the one or two best talents that graduated from the school in the past 10 years. But I worked very hard and I continue to do so."

Miss Smith says one of the problems with the profession of acting is that no one wants you until everybody wants you.

"If they haven't heard of you, if you are an unknown quantity, they assume that you are of no value, that you're inconsequential, and it's like 'Catch 22.' Until you get the chance to prove otherwise, it's very, very difficult," she said.

Miss Smith says she isn't worried about not getting "that big part" yet because she feels that she has the quality of a more mature woman and that things will start happening for her in the years ahead.

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So that our employees may celebrate the Christmas holidays with their families, all Furr's Cafeterias will be closed after the noon meal on Sunday, December 24, and all day Christmas, Monday, December 25. We will re-open during regular hours on Tuesday, December 26.

In the meantime, Furr's extends to each of you this greeting and heartfelt wish for a joyous holiday season.

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The Pampa News TV Listings

SOUND COUNTRY

When the Harlem Globetrotters came to Nashville to have their visit of the world-famous Grand Ole Opry film, the father of country music, Roy Acuff, was on stage to introduce them to a number of his good friends and fellow performers. In the midst of a rousing chorus of "Sweet Georgia Brown," the Trotters were joined by Tom

T. Hall, Jack Greene, Jeannie Seely, Jeannie C. Riley and Porter Wagoner. Bruce Cook, preparing an article for *GEO* magazine on the business world of country music, has interviewed Nashville industry executives including booking agent Tandy Rice, and country music artists including Kitty Wells, Don Gibson, Tom T. Hall and Jeannie C. Riley. Focusing on people or "human geology,"

GEO publishes regular German and French editions and plans Spanish and Japanese editions. The first regular American issue will appear early next year. John Hansen of Prestige Attractions was in Nashville recently to interview and film country artists for Australian television. Hansen intends to capture Jim Ed Brown and Jeannie C. Riley at their homes.

the week ahead movies



SUNDAY

(NBC) THE BIG EVENT: 8:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 7:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"Huckleberry Finn" 1974 Jeff East, Paul Winfield. The musical adaptation of Mark Twain's now-classic story of hijinks and adventure on the Mississippi. (R)

(ABC) SUNDAY NIGHT MOVIE: 9:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 8:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"It Happened One Christmas" 1977 Mario Thomas, Orson Welles. The classic Christmas story of a remarkable young woman and a lovable apprentice angel who team up to make a miracle. (R)

(NBC) MONDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES: 9:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 8:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"Green Eyes" 1976 Paul Winfield, Rita Tushingham. Disillusioned and uncertain about his future, a young Vietnam veteran journeys back to Southeast Asia where he desperately searches for the son he left behind. (R)

(CBS) TUESDAY NIGHT MOVIES: 9:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 8:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"Terror Out of the Sky" 1978 Erem Zimbalist Jr., Dan Haggerty. A suspense-filled story of a trio's attempt to stop an invading force of killer bees.

(NBC) BIG EVENT MOVIE: 9:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 8:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"Christmas Miracle in Carfield U.S.A." 1977 Mitchell Ryan, Kurt Russell. A build-up of dangerous gases causes an underground explosion in an unsafe mine that traps some of the miners and sets off a frantic race to save their lives. (R)

(CBS) MOVIE SPECIAL: 8:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 7:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"Les Misérables" 1978 Richard Jordan, Anthony Perkins. The drama recounts Victor Hugo's classic tale of Jean Valjean, an escapee from prison where he has been serving a sentence for stealing a loaf of bread to feed his starving family. Hardened by the long years of cruel, unjust treatment, Valjean at first faces his freedom with an urge for revenge.

(NBC) WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES: 9:00 PM E.S.T., P.S.T. - 8:00 PM C.S.T., M.S.T.
"Car Wash" 1976 Richard Pryor, George Carlin. The hip comedy about a day at the Deluxe Car Wash in Los Angeles, where radio contests, religion and revolution mix with politics, put-downs and prostitutes—and nobody gets hurt. (R)

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sports action for the week

SUNDAY

(ABC) CHAMPIONSHIPS OF THE U.S. GOLF ASSOCIATION: 12:00 NOON E.S.T. - 11:00 AM C.S.T.

(CBS) NFL TODAY: 12:30 PM E.S.T. - 11:30 AM C.S.T.

This pre-game show features National Football League news and features and other sports news.

(CBS) NFC PLAYOFF GAME: 1:00 PM E.S.T. - 12:00 NOON C.S.T.

The game will feature the teams with the best records other than the three NFL division winners.

(PBS) JUNIOR DAVIS CUP TENNIS: 2:00 PM E.S.T. - 1:00 PM C.S.T.

Finals play of the competition from Miami, taped at an earlier date.

(NBC) NFL '78: 3:30 PM E.S.T. - 2:30 PM C.S.T.

This pre-game show features National Football League news and features and other sports news.

(NBC) AFC PLAYOFF GAME: 4:00 PM E.S.T. - 3:00 PM C.S.T.

Live coverage of an American Football Conference playoff game.

(CBS) PEACH BOWL: 1:00 PM E.S.T. - 12:00 NOON C.S.T.

Purdue University vs. Georgia Tech, from Atlanta, Ga.

(NBC) FIESTA BOWL: 3:30 PM E.S.T. - 2:30 PM C.S.T.

Live coverage of this colorful contest in which the Razorbacks of Arkansas meet the Bruins of UCLA at Sun Devil Stadium in Tempe, Ariz.

(CBS) NBA ON CBS: 4:00 PM E.S.T. - 3:00 PM C.S.T.

Philadelphia 76ers vs. New York Knickerbockers, from Madison Square Garden, N.Y.

FRIDAY

(ABC) GATOR BOWL: 9:00 PM E.S.T. - 8:00 PM C.S.T.

Live coverage of the game between Clemson and Ohio State, from Jacksonville, Fla.

SATURDAY

(CBS) NFL TODAY: 12:30 PM E.S.T. - 11:30 AM C.S.T.

This pre-game show features National Football League news and features and other sports news.

(CBS) NFC PLAYOFF GAME: 1:00 PM E.S.T. - 12:00 NOON C.S.T.

The game will feature the teams with the best records other than the three NFC division winners.

(CBS) SPORTS SPECTACULAR: 4:00 PM E.S.T. - 3:00 PM C.S.T.

(NBC) NFL '78: 3:30 PM E.S.T. - 2:30 PM C.S.T.

This pre-game show features National Football League news and features and other sports news.

(NBC) AFC PLAYOFF GAME: 4:00 PM E.S.T. - 3:00 PM C.S.T.

Live coverage of an American Football Conference playoff game.

(ABC) WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS: 5:00 PM E.S.T. - 4:00 PM C.S.T.

Downhill World Cup Skiing, from Italy; World Acrobatics Championship, from Bulgaria; Report of the National 500 stock car race.

(NBC) COLLEGE BASKETBALL '78: 11:30 PM E.S.T. - 10:30 PM C.S.T.

Kentucky vs. Notre Dame.

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In Lam, Ham, Jam Jones Sun Bowl Horns stampede Terrapins, 42-0

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Olympian Johnny "Lam" Jones, freshman A.J. "Jam" Jones and senior Johnny "Ham" Jones dazzled Maryland with the Lam, Jam and Ham Sun Bowl show Saturday in the Texas Longhorns' runaway 42-0 stampede of the Terrapins.

The 13th-ranked Terrapins made the mistake of not taking winds gusting to 45 mph after they won the opening toss and were behind 21-0 after Texas' first three possessions.

Johnny "Lam" Jones, a junior from Lampasas, Texas, and a member of America's victorious sprint relay team in Montreal, scored touchdowns on a seven-yard reverse and a 29-yard scoring pass from Mark McBath.

"Jam" Jones, a speedster from Youngtown, Ohio, tallied

on runs of one and 14 yards and gained 100 yards rushing against the vaunted Terp defense.

"Ham" Jones, a senior from Hamlin, Texas, gained 104 yards rushing and bolted 32 yards for a touchdown.

The 14th-ranked Longhorns, runners-up in the Southwest Conference, smothered Atlantic Coast Conference Maryland with a magnificent defense led by safety Ricky Churchman. It was the first time since 1970 that Maryland had been shut out.

Texas intercepted four passes and sacked Maryland quarterback Tim O'Hare five times in the rout, which was Maryland's biggest margin of defeat since 1973.

A national television audience and a record Sun Bowl crowd

of 33,122 sat through this windy 44th annual post-season affair.

Both Texas and Maryland completed their seasons with 9-3 ledgers.

Besides his touchdown pass to "Lam" Jones, McBath, who started only his first game of the season three weeks ago, also scored on a two-yard run.

"Ham" Jones was voted most valuable offensive player while Texas defensive end Dwight Jefferson was named most valuable lineman.

Maryland got into trouble after its first possession on a 57-yard punt by Dale Castro into the small gale which was breezy enough to make the National Weather Service issue travel advisories.

Camped on the Maryland 43, McBath expertly picked the Terp defense to the seven-yard

line, where he flipped the ball to "Lam" Jones on a reverse and the fleet junior scored standing up.

Less than two minutes later, Texas was on the scoreboard again after taking possession on the Terp 49. "Ham" Jones rambled 23 yards to set up "Jam" Jones' one-yard run.

After a 26-yard Castro punt into the wind, Texas collected its third first-period touchdown operating from the Maryland 40.

McBath found "Lam" Jones blazing behind Maryland defensive back Steve Trimble for a picture-perfect 29-yard touchdown pass.

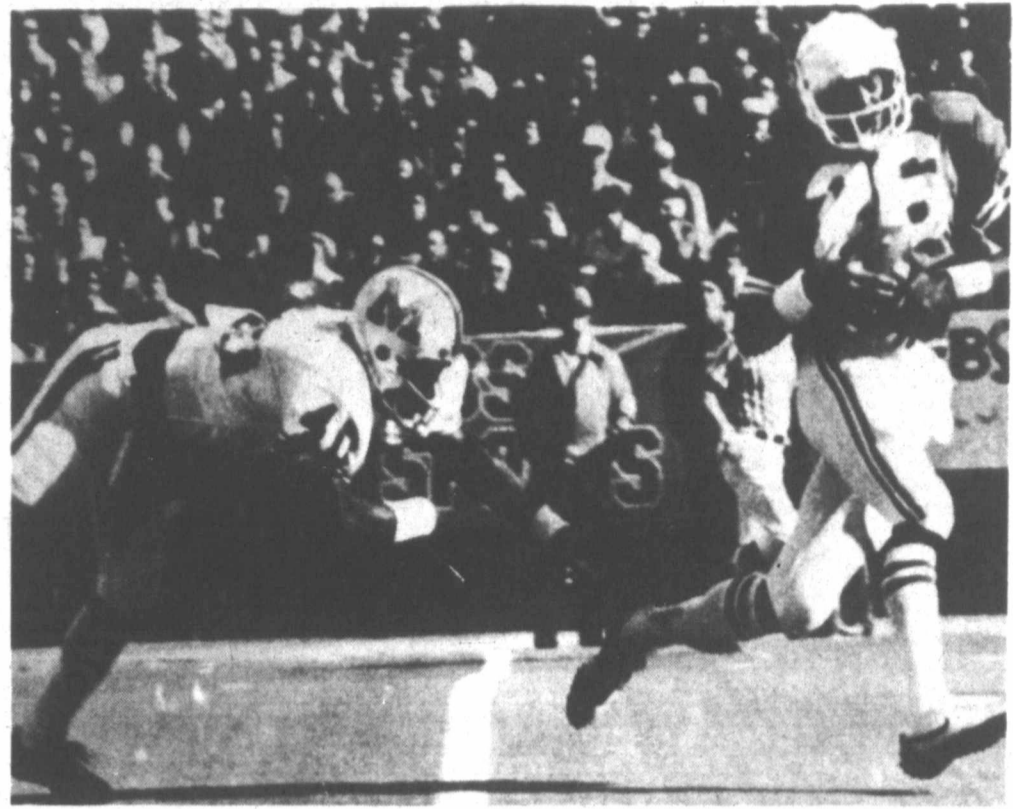
Maryland charity set up the fourth Texas touchdown early in the second quarter. Charles Vaclavik recovered a fumble at the Terp 22. "Jam" Jones ran

for 14 and McBath kept for two on the option to make it 28-0 at halftime.

Maryland	0	0	0	0	0
Texas	14	7	14	6	42
TEX—Lam Jones 7 run (Erzleben kick)					
TEX—Jam Jones 1 run (Erzleben kick)					
TEX—Lam Jones 29 pass from McBath (Erzleben kick)					
TEX—McBath 2 run (Erzleben kick)					
TEX—Jam Jones 14 run (Erzleben kick)					
TEX—Ham Jones 32 run (Erzleben kick)					
A—33,122					

First downs	Maryland	Texas
Rushes-yards	25	58-220
Passing yards	214	45
Returns-yards	9	29
Passes	17-43-4	2-7-0
Punts	8-37	7-41
Fumbles-lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-yards	5-35	7-42

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS
RUSHING—Maryland, Atkins 10-15. Texas, Jam Jones 19-100, Ham Jones 14-104.
PASSING—Maryland, O'Hare 12-27-316. Tex 5-16-1. Tex, McBath 2-5-45.
RECEIVING—Maryland, Richards 4-52. Carriaci 4-52. Texas, Lam Jones 3-45.



UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS wide receiver Johnny (Lam) Jones (26) steps out ahead of Maryland's defensive back Steve Trimble (40) and scores in the first period of their game in the Sun Bowl Saturday. (AP Lasephoto)

Stratford new Class 4A champions

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Stratford's Craig James, the all-time leading Class 4A rusher, scored three touchdowns including an 80-yard game-breaker Saturday to lead the Spartans to the state 4A football championship with a 29-13 victory over defending champion Plano.

James, who carried only six times for 29 yards in the first half, broke loose on Stratford's first offensive play of the third quarter and ran 80 yards to give the unbeaten Spartans a 19-7 lead.

James finished the game with

168 yards rushing on 13 carries and scored 19 of the Spartans' 29 points. He also caught a 46-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Mark Gabrich in the first quarter and ran 11 yards for another score in the second quarter.

James completed his school-boy career with a total of 2,411 rushing yards.

Stratford led 13-7 at halftime on the sharp passing of Gabrich who completed his first six passes of the game and finished the half with six of eight completions for 135 yards.

Plano, which gained the fi-

nals with a pair of narrow victories, scored in the second quarter on a halfback pass when quarterback Steve Ulmer lateraled to Perry Haynes who in turn threw 41 yards to Carl Smith in the end zone.

Plano, which advanced to the semi-finals with a victory declared on first downs after tying Tyler and then narrowly beating Odessa Permian on a pair of field goals last week, threatened in the closing minutes when Ronnie Mullins returned an interception from his own goal line to the Plano 48.

But the Stratford defense killed

the drive.

The Wildcats never gave up, striking for their final score with 48 seconds to play when Jacob Vanderkroon caught a 13-yard touchdown pass from Ulmer.

Stratford, 15-0, scored on its second possession of the game when James got behind Plano defensive back Carl Smith and ran untouched into the end zone on the 46-yard pass-run play.

Moments later Plano's Ricky Gaddis fumbled and Stratford's David DeBesse recovered at the Stratford 43. Gabrich then hit

passes of 19 yards to Robert King and 25 yards to James' 11-yard run.

Plano	0	7	0	0	7
Stratford	7	13	7	2	29
Stra—James 80 run (kick blocked)					
Stra—Smith 41 pass from Haynes (Mansion kick)					
Stra—New 10 pass from Gabrich (Crow kick)					
Stra—Vanderkroon 13 pass from Ulmer (kick failed)					
A—29,468					

First downs	Plano	Stra
Rushes-yards	17	213
Passing yards	100	100
Passes	14-28-1	8-14-1
Punts	4-27	2-45
Fumbles-lost	2-1	6-3
Penalties-yards	2-10	5-45

Bowl games

- Monday's Games**
Peach Bowl
At Atlanta
Purdue (8-1) vs. Georgia Tech (7-4-0), 1 p.m.
Fiesta Bowl
At Tempe, Ariz.
UCLA (8-5-0) vs. Arkansas (9-2-0), 3:30 p.m.
Dec. 29
Blue-Gray Game
At Montgomery, Ala.
Blue vs. Gray, 7 p.m.
Gator Bowl
At Jacksonville, Fla.
Clemson (10-1-0) vs. Ohio State (7-3-1), 9 p.m.
Dec. 31
Bluebonnet Bowl
At Houston
Stanford (7-4) vs. Georgia (9-1-1), 8 p.m.
Jan. 1
Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
Notre Dame (8-3-0) vs. Houston (9-2-0), 2 p.m.
Sugar Bowl
At New Orleans
Penn State (11-4-0) vs. Alabama (10-1-0), 2 p.m.

Harvesters fall to Wichita Falls

The Pampa Harvesters fell at the hands of Wichita Falls Rider 59-53, Friday night after a stunning upset of Wichita Falls Hirschi in Thursday's contest.

The Harvesters started the ball game slow but by the second quarter were matching Rider cagers point for point.

Pampa went to the dressing room at half time trailing the Wichita Falls team by one.

Ron Faggan led the Harvesters attack dropping in 12 points on the night while Steve Stout, who had a team high of 26 points against Hirschi, could only manage five buckets against the strong Rider defense.

During third quarter action Pampa pulled in front of Rider by one but were unable to keep up with the red hot shooting of Rider.

Melvin Myles of Rider totaled a game high 20 points hitting virtually every attempt at the basket. Rider teammate Dan Harbor added 15 to help pace Wichita Falls during the final half.

Doug Skaggs added 10 points for Pampa while Joe Jeffers tallied eight points on the night.

During the contest against Hirschi Faggan managed 20 points in the hard fought battle for a higher ranking in the tournament.

Curtain raises on college bowl play

By HERSCHEL NISSENSEN
AP Sports Writer

The curtain goes up this week on the next-to-last act of the college football season, a four-scene, four-bowl production that will serve as a lead-in to the national championship showdown on New Year's Day.

The melodrama begins with a pair of games on Monday, including the Peach Bowl in Atlanta, apparently rescued from the clutches of the arch-villain non-attendance thanks to an 11th-hour telephone campaign by the heroine, Janet Rodgers.

Fair Janet also is known as Mrs. Pepper Rodgers. Mr. Rodgers also is known as Franklin Cullen Rodgers and coaches the Georgia Tech team, which meets 17th-ranked Purdue in the 11th—and almost the last—Peach Bowl.

Also on tap Monday as part of a merry college football Christmas is the Fiesta Bowl at Tempe, Ariz., between eighth-ranked Arkansas and No.

15 UCLA. This scene features the annual tragedy involving a couple of Arkansas players and a member of the opposite sex.

The stage is then quiet until Friday night when seventh-ranked Clemson, minus Coach Charley Pell and with 30-year-old Danny Ford at the helm, opposes No. 20 Ohio State and ageless Woody Hayes in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla.

And while everyone still is sober on New Year's Eve — well, almost everyone — No. 11 Georgia meets high-powered Stanford in the Bluebonnet Bowl in the Houston Astrodome.

The last — and national championship — act will be played out on Jan. 1, headlined by the Sugar Bowl shootout in New Orleans between No. 1-ranked Penn State and runnerup Alabama.

At the same time, defending national champion Notre Dame, ranked No. 10 in The

Associated Press poll, meets ninth-ranked Houston in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas. That's where the Fighting Irish won the 1977 crown by demolishing Texas, but this time it's just a fun game.

Later in the day comes the Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif., between third-ranked Southern California and No. 5 Michigan, both once-beaten and hoping for an eventual No. 1 ranking. So is fourth-ranked Oklahoma, which closes out the bowls by taking on No. 6 Nebraska in the Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla., under the lights.

The Peach Bowl, which has the national television contract for the first time, received a mandate from the National Collegiate Athletic Association to sell 40 percent of Atlanta Stadium's 60,000 seats locally.

"If we don't sell 6,700 more tickets, I would say the Peach Bowl is a thing of the past," George

Crumbly, the bowl's executive director, said last Wednesday.

However, Mrs. Rodgers started an all-out telephone sales campaign, along with the wives of some assistant coaches.

"People may not believe it," she said, "but I'm not doing this because my husband is the football coach at Tech. This isn't Tech's bowl; it's Atlanta's bowl. I was really upset when I read that the Peach Bowl was about to lose its NCAA sanction because they couldn't sell enough tickets locally. I just decided it was time to get the troops together."

Georgia Tech's troops, however, may be without Eddie Lee Ivery, one of the nation's top runners with 1,562 yards, who has an ankle injury. Purdue is led by sophomore quarterback Mark Herrmann. And even with Mrs. Rodgers' help, the Peach Bowl may not attract as many as 40,000 spectators.

Committee attempts to evaluate the intent of the individuals involved. Some of the penalties available against a violating institution include reprimand and censure, probation, ineligibility for NCAA championship events and NCAA-connected television programs, loss of scholarships and even loss of programs.

NCAA will catch up with Edgar Jones

By FRED ROTHENBERG
AP Sports Writer

The NCAA, which has been trying for three years to make Edgar Jones ineligible to play basketball, will finally catch up to him in a Nevada court next August. By that time the elusive "Mr. Jones" should be playing pro ball.

How's that for a moot point? Jones, a star at Barringer High School in Newark, N.J., was accepted to the University of Nevada-Reno in 1975 on the basis of a high school transcript that did not list his several failing grades and did not compute a grade point.

The NCAA, which investigated the Jones case after a number of schools rattled on Nevada-Reno, said the legitimate transcript would show that Jones fell well below the mandatory 2.0 or C average necessary to become a student-athlete at a Division I school. The NCAA also said a high school must certify a student eligible for admission, and Barringer said Jones was not eligible.

"Everyone else applied the rule properly," said David Berst, NCAA enforcement director. "Reno said it wouldn't."

The NCAA Infractions Committee put Nevada-Reno on one-year probation in 1976 and ordered the school to do the same to Jones, which it reluctantly did. However, Jones got an injunction against the probation and has not missed a game, while building the Wolf Pack into a basketball power.

Jones' lawyer, Frank Fahrenkopf, said the NCAA should not be able to deny a student-athlete the right to play without a hearing. "Playing college basketball can be valuable for taking a kid out of the ghetto and giving him a chance in life. His right to a hearing is fundamental," Fahrenkopf said.

Then there is the NCAA pursuit of Jerry Tarkanian, who was found guilty by Long Beach State of various recruiting violations while he was coaching the basketball team there. He then went to Nevada-

Las Vegas, where the NCAA found more illegal contacts with recruits, illegal inducements, plus an alleged attempt to get some people to lie to NCAA investigators.

The Infractions Committee recommended that Tarkanian be relieved of his coaching duties for two years, an action taken by the university but halted by a court order. Under the ethical conduct section of the NCAA Manual, the school can take action — but more often does not — if coaches and athletes do not "deport themselves with honesty and sportsmanship at all times."

Dr. Stephen Horn, president of Long Beach State, said his school was embarrassed by Tarkanian's illegal practices but was helpless when the coach went to Nevada-Las Vegas. Only the players were punished. The guilty ones could

not play and the innocent ones lost their chance for big-time exposure because the team was weakened and it could not go to the NCAA Tournament anyway.

"Every reader of the sports pages knows that under present conditions, when the rules are broken, students may suffer, teams may be penalized and institutions shamed," said Horn. "At the same time, the professionals—the coaches—simply get another job at another institution."

Many people call for the college presidents to set the tone for the sports programs, making it clear that winning is important but not at the expense of legality.

"We're supposed to lead society, not reflect it," said Coach Dean Smith of North Carolina. "The presidents should fire the coaches who put the teams on NCAA probation,

for example, an illegal cash payment between an alumnus and a recruit when the two principles deny everything. "We won't penalize people for what we don't know," he said.

Many coaches interviewed by The Associated Press agreed that the NCAA was trying but was faced with an impossible task. "The NCAA does a diligent job," said Coach Dave Gavitt of Providence. "But it's a big country, and the intensity to win has gotten so great that I personally think cheating is getting out of hand."

Obviously some violations are more serious than others, and the NCAA said its infractions

committee attempts to evaluate the intent of the individuals involved. Some of the penalties available against a violating institution include reprimand and censure, probation, ineligibility for NCAA championship events and NCAA-connected television programs, loss of scholarships and even loss of programs.

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Almost all of town's youth die

EDITOR'S NOTE — A day before the Christmas school break, a bus filled with school children from three villages in western Spain was crushed by a locomotive. La Sagrada, population 200, lost 14 of its 22 youngsters — all but ending the town's next generation.

By FENTON WHEELER
Associated Press Writer
LA SAGRADA, Spain (AP) — There will be no Christmas Eve Mass in this tiny Spanish town to celebrate the birth of Christ. Fourteen of the town's 22 chil-

dren died last week in a bus and train collision, virtually wiping out its younger generation. In sorrow, the town's residents have cancelled their traditional Christmas Eve celebrations and have declared a year of mourning.

"The generation is finished," said Eduardo Sanchez, a retired Roman Catholic priest who lost a 6-year-old nephew in the Thursday tragedy. "I don't know what will happen."

"We cannot have a Christmas Mass because it traditionally is

one of joy, one to celebrate the birth of Christ," said the parish priest.

In a few horrible seconds, 14 of La Sagrada's 22 children between the ages of 6 and 14 perished when a huge diesel locomotive plowed broadside into a school bus at a fog-shrouded crossing. Children from two other villages were killed and by Friday, at the start of the Christmas school break, 28 were dead.

Others were hospitalized and some of them may not live to remember the frantic shouts of

schoolmates to the bus driver. "A train is coming! A train is coming!"

More than 30 others were injured among the 80-plus youngsters and two adults on the bus. The driver survived and the government says he may face charges. Survivors said the driver told students the bus would make the crossing safely.

"The bus driver made a mis-

take and it was fatal. He thought he could beat the train to the crossing," says Palmira Lopez. "But the children, the poor children."

Nearly every town resident had a relative in one of the coffins carried on the shoulders of weeping grandfathers, uncles and fathers through the rest mud of the town's unpaved streets at Saturday's funeral.



TEN PAMPA FAMILIES were awarded holiday plants for their community spirit during the Christmas Lighting Contest. Addresses of first place winners (above) are: 1124 Willow Road, 1909 Duncan, 601 N. Somerville, 600 Deane Drive and 534 Harlem. Addresses of second place winners (below) are: 2208 Zimmers St., 1706 Duncan, 1300 Williston, 414 E. Browning, 944 S. Wells. (Pampa News Photo)



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Oil executive shot, killed in Iran

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — An American oil executive was killed in a hail of machine gun fire as he drove to work Saturday in the Iranian city of Ahwaz. In the northern city of Mashhad, opposition sources said troops fired into an anti-shah demonstration, killing 29 and wounding 100.

The American executive, Paul Grimm, 56, of Marlborough, Conn., was the first U.S. citizen killed in Iran in two years. More than 1,900 Iranians have been slain in a year of turbulence aimed at toppling Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi.

only. American officials said Grimm was riddled by bullets as he drove to work alone about 7 a.m. in Ahwaz, 390 miles southwest of Tehran. His assailants were unknown.

An unidentified Iranian oil official was killed about the same time in Ahwaz, authorities said, but they could not say if the cases were related.

"It was a very well-planned operation, not a bunch of kids playing around," said an American source who asked not to be

identified. "A group of three were lying in wait on a side street. They had apparently been studying his movements."

The source said the gunmen fired from behind a wall as Grimm turned his car from a small road near his home onto a main road leading to his office.

Grimm was acting managing director of the Oil Service Company of Iran, a consortium of foreign oil companies that runs Iran's petroleum industry for the state oil monopoly Grimm

is survived by a widow and three children.

Elsewhere, youths taunted armed guards at the closed campus of Tehran University where 100 professors were in the third day of a sit-in demanding the institution's reopening. It has been closed since September. No serious incidents were reported.

Strikes by anti-shah workers at Khomami's urging, in the Ahwaz area in recent weeks have crippled the Iranian oil industry.

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8:00	Mickey Mouse Little Rascals	Lucy Show				Mr. Rogers Educational Programs	Captain Kangaroo	Comedy Capers The Seaview	Mr. Rogers Educational Programs
9:00	F70 Club	Movie	Christmas At Washington Cathedral		Sesame Street	Sesame Street	All In The Family Price Is Right		Sesame Street
10:00	Lighthouse		High Rollers Wheel Of Fortune		Happy Days Family Feud	Electric Company Educational Programs	Love Of Life	FBI	Electric Company Educational Programs
11:00	Christmas With Mrs. G	Love Am. Style Movie	America Alive		\$20,000 Pyramid Joker's Wild		Young & Restless Search For Tomorrow	Ironside	
12:00	Big Valley		Midday		News	Cross-Wits	Peach Bowl: Purdue vs Georgia	Movie: "A Christmas Carol"	
1:00	Lucy Show	I Love Lucy	Doctor		One Life To Live		Tech	Gene Lockhart Music Of Christmas	
2:00	Heckle & Jackie Flinstones & Friends	Mickey Mouse Flinstones & Friends	Another World Fiesta Bowl		General Hospital			Christmas Special	
3:00	Woody Woodpecker Spideeman & Heroes				Edge Of Night Buz Bunny & Friends	Boys Town Choir Over Easy	NBA On CBS Philadelphia Search For New York	Popery & Friends Battle Of Planets	Boys Town Choir Over Easy
4:00	The Monkees Beverly Hills	I Dream Of Jeannie Beverly Hills			Gilligan's Island Partridge Family	Lilies, Yoga & You Mr. Rogers		Kroffts Superstars Gilligan's Island	Lilies, Yoga & You Mr. Rogers
5:00	Special: "Oliver Twist"	Andy Griffith My Three Sons	NBC News	Movie	Mary Tyler Moore ABC News	Sesame Street		I Love Lucy Dick Van Dyke	Sesame Street

More duty collected

WASHINGTON (AP) — An official of a broadcast industry group is asserting that there is "a clear trend" away from local newspaper-broadcasting cross-ownership.

John Dimling, vice president and director of research for the National Association, said in 1970 there were 94 newspaper-television joint ownerships representing 14 percent of the TV stations in the country. The number dropped to 43 by 1978.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department has ordered a quarantine on the Northern Mariana Islands to prevent the spread of cattle fever ticks.

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(Pampa News Photo by Elena Callen)

U.S. oil prices provide exploration 'disincentive'

By MAX B. SKELTON
AP Oil Writer
HOUSTON (AP) — Michel T. Halbouty says he awoke mad.

The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Nations had just announced plans to increase crude oil prices to \$14.54 a barrel by October.

"It is really crazy," said Halbouty, a Houston independent operator and an internationally known geologist.

"How can the American public increase the foreign payments deficit to pay these people nearly \$15 a barrel and still pay domestic operators \$5.31 for the majority of the 8 million barrels a day produced in this country."

The former president of the 15,000-member American Association of Petroleum Geologists said the difference in prices is

the reason why U.S. oilmen are not going out hunting for new reserves.

"Based on my studies, I can definitely say we will be able to find in the future as much oil as we have found in the past in the United States and more gas in the future than we have in the past," Halbouty said.

"But we are not going out and find it unless we have the incentives to do so and the greatest disincentive is the \$5.31 for oil."

Halbouty said 80 percent of the drilling rigs now at work at drilling in areas nearby are offsetting proven production.

"All they are doing is producing at faster rates," he said. "But the reserves have already been estimated. We are not increasing our reserves position one bit."

Halbouty said sufficient capital is not available to do real wildcatting on the scale that is needed.

"We are not going out in the boondocks and doing a hell of a lot of wildcatting like we should," he said.

"This all stems from two congressional bills. The first took away the percentage depletion allowance and took \$3.5 billion from the industry. The 1976 compromise bill that extended crude oil price controls and removed other tax benefits took away another \$3.5 billion. The \$7 billion taken away from industry affected our operations procedures. It affected our exploration thinking. That \$7 billion damn near killed us."

That is why, he said, the only oil find of any consequence the United States has had in the last 10 years is the Overthrust Belt in Wyoming and Idaho. "This was an area which took guts to go in and drill," he said.

"But the reason the area is being drilled is because the acreage was purchased prior to those two congressional actions. I doubt very seriously the companies would have drilled that wildcat area with today's prices and conditions. But they already had the acreage and either had to do something with it or let it go. So they decided to drill."

Halbouty said tremendous quantities of oil and gas await to be discovered in such areas as Northern California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Western Utah, Arizona, and Nevada.

"We just haven't drilled the wells," he said. "If we had drilled in that area as many wells as in Harris County (Houston) we'd probably have found a hell of a lot of gas. But just very few wells have been drilled."

Halbouty said he puts his money where his mouth is. "I drilled the deepest well ever drilled in Idaho and got a dry hole," he said.

Debate on searches continues

By W. DALE NELSON
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A few minutes after 8 a.m. on March 17, 1962, a policeman reached into a washing machine in the cellar of a Baltimore home and fished out a dark-colored coat and a pair of trousers.

His action led to an armed robbery conviction, a landmark Supreme Court ruling on police seizures and, indirectly, the current debate in Congress about whether and how to curb the search powers of police.

The controversy in Congress stems from a more recent decision of the nation's highest court upholding an unannounced search by police of the files of a student newspaper at Stanford University.

News media representatives asked Congress for legislation that would overturn the decision, saying such searches could lead to disclosure of confidential material which, in turn, would dry up news sources.

At hearings before a Senate subcommittee last Tuesday, the only argument was about how far Congress should go. The Carter administration has proposed outlawing surprise searches of newsrooms and other writing-oriented work areas only. Sen. Birch Bayh, D-Ind., and others have introduced bills that would offer the same protection to all citizens except those suspected of crimes.

Meanwhile, state district attorneys are expected to renew their opposition to any restrictions, arguing that they would hamper investigations and that the danger of police rummaging through newsrooms is slight.

"The general consensus of the board of directors of the National District Attorneys Association is that there is no need for remedial legislation," said Paul Perito, the association's special counsel.

The question is expected to be the principal press freedom issue in the 96th Congress which convenes Jan. 15. Many both in and out of the news media, however, argue that it goes beyond the concerns of the press and affects privacy rights of all citizens.

The clothing seized in Baltimore matched descriptions of that worn by an armed bandit who had fled a cab company office with \$363.

The man of the house was ar-

rested. In a trial in which the clothing was evidence, he was found guilty. The Supreme Court upheld his conviction in 1967. In doing so, the court threw out the age-old rule that police could not search a person's belongings for "mere evidence" but only for stolen goods, contraband or instruments such as a gun that had been used in a crime.

This paved the way for the court's May 31 ruling in the Stanford Daily case.

On April 9, 1971, demonstrators seized the administrative offices of the university hospital. When police tried to eject them, nine officers were injured.

On April 11, the Daily carried photographs of the demonstration. The next day, four policemen came to the paper's office with a warrant saying there was reason to believe that photographic evidence of the assaults could be found there.

The police searched various places but found no unpublished pictures and took nothing with them when they left.

A federal judge and the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals both ruled that since no one at the paper was suspected of a crime, authorities should have tried to obtain the evidence through a subpoena, allowing the newspaper to contest such a subpoena in court.

The Supreme Court reversed in a 5-3 decision. Justice Byron White, for the majority, said search warrants are directed at things, not persons. He said it makes no difference whose property the things are on as long as police have reason to believe the things will be useful as evidence.

Justice Potter Stewart, dissenting, said the Constitution singles out the press for special protection — more, he said, than the offices of a doctor or a bank. Justice Thurgood Marshall agreed.

Justice John Paul Stevens, in his dissent, called the decision an "offensive intrusion on the privacy of the ordinary citizen."

Fifteen bills were introduced in Congress in response to the ruling. Some covered only the media, some everybody. The administration on Dec. 13 unveiled its own proposal, which goes further than the congressional bills in some ways but not as far in others.

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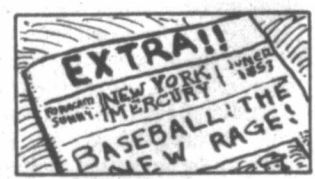
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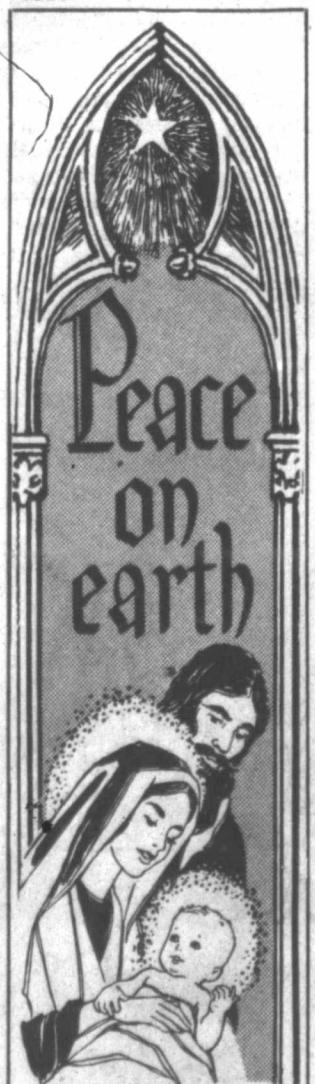
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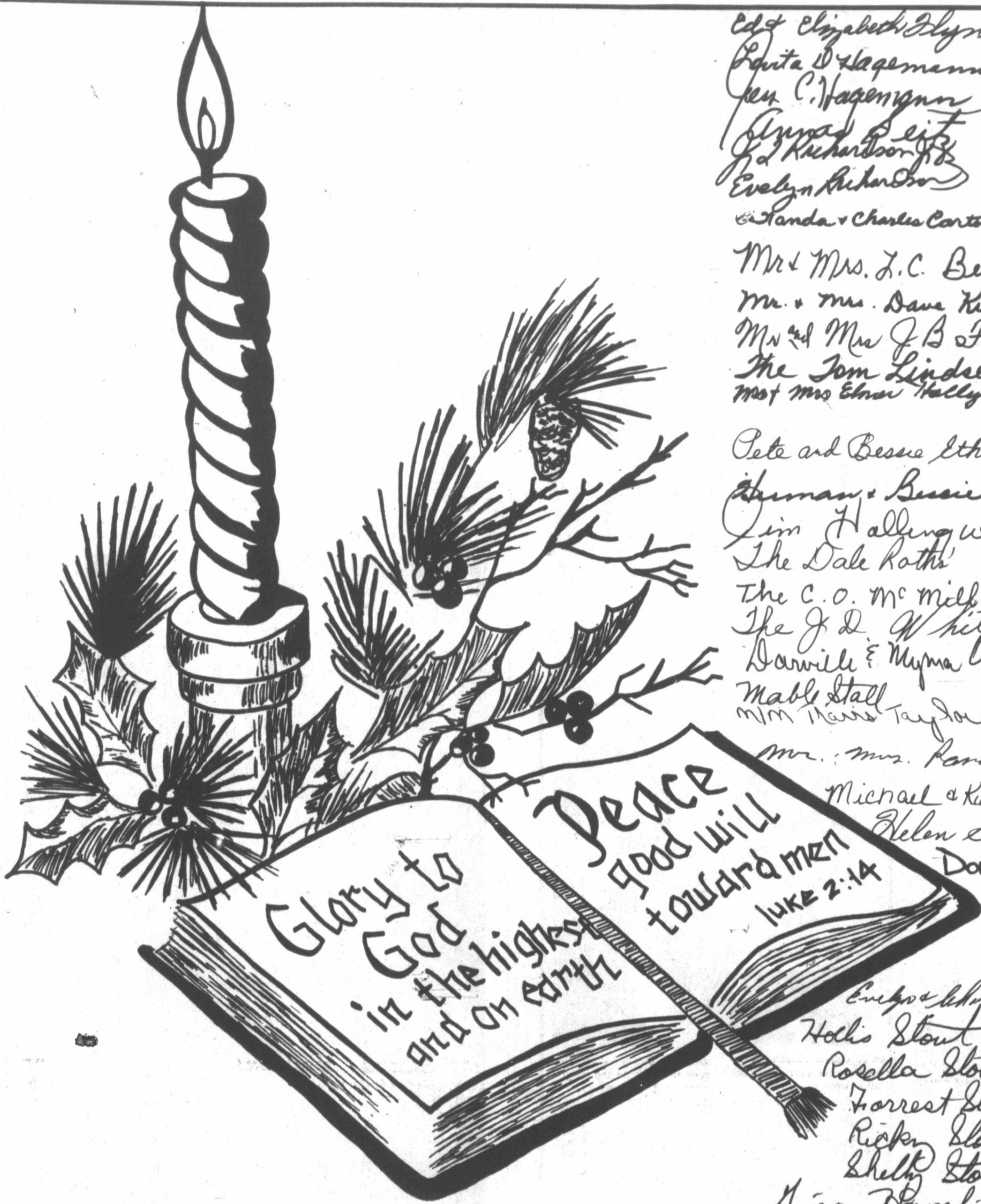
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Popularity of classics grow

Disco music may be the fad of the moment, but if you consider longevity a measure of popularity, then classical music may be the most popular in history. And now, interest in classical music is comparable to interest in disco, as public exposure to symphonic music becomes more widespread.

In the last few years, the popularity of classical music has grown rapidly. In 1977, sales of classical albums topped \$105 million. Some 27 million people have attended a symphony orchestra concert in the last year, and nearly ten million adults regularly listen to classical music on the radio.

According to one observer who should know, a big reason for that new found popularity is the medium of the masses. Sir Georg Solti, music director of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, points out that many of the nation's leading orchestras — including his own — are now featured in television performances intended to reach a broad cross section of Americans.

In 1979, the Chicago Symphony will enter the 1979 television season with a series of three concerts to be aired on the Public Broadcasting System January 15, 23 and 29. The series, "Symphony Night Fever...with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra," features on successive programs, Russian composers Mussorgsky, Prokofiev and Shostakovich; Wagner overtures; and Berlioz's *Romeo and Juliet*.

Sir Georg believes that television programs such as this series will be as important a tool for popularizing classical music in years to come as records and phonographs have been in the past.



"Television is extremely important in two ways," he says. "It's important as a vehicle for musical education now, and it is of equal importance for the future because of the development of home videotape equipment. I project a situation in which we soon will have as many videotapes at home as we have phonograph records there today."

Solti believes the taped television concert preserves a legacy for classical music fans of the future. "What would we give if we could see Wagner in action or Mahler in action, or perhaps Toscanini in action?" Solti asks. "It's very important to preserve the way we make music today."

Solti sees other forces besides television contributing to the rising popularity of classical music, including a growing interest in all the arts. "The interest in painting

is enormous," he said, "and they're selling more books today than ever before. It is not only music that is increasing in popularity; there is a general cultural expansion of which classical music is a big part."

Paradoxically, Sir Georg attributes the increase in attendance at live concert performances to televised classical programs. He believes that classical music has long had an elitist image which alienated many persons, especially young people. "Television is a wonderful medium against elitism," Solti says, "because it doesn't exclude anybody. Millions of young people can watch the program and develop a taste for the live experience." He is convinced that programs such as "Symphony Night Fever...with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra" will open up the world of the concert hall to many who have not yet discovered that classical music is for everyone.

BOOK CHAT: McMurtry's Movie

Texas author Larry McMurtry's latest novel, "Somebody's Darling" is a deft piece of satire—about Hollywood and the men and women who work and woo in that fabulous factory of day dreams. The "darling" of the title is Jill Peel, an Oscar-winning Hollywood animator who has just risen to fame as a marketable feminist director for a picture called "Womanly Ways". The novel is in three parts, each a

first-person narration by a different character. Book I is told from the angle of world-weary Joe Percy, a 63 year old screenwriter and a long time friend of Jill. In Book II we get the story from Owen Oarson, a former Texas tractor salesman, trying to make it big as a movie producer. He's Jill's choleric lover. In the last Book, Jill Peel has her own say. Chronologically, each book picks up where the other left off and by the time it's all over

McMurtry has piled up a bitterly funny indictment of life in and about legendary Tinsel Town. Incidentally, McMurtry does take Texas to California (and to a hilarious movie shooting site in Rome) in the persons of two drinking devil-may-care Lone Star screenwriters named Elmo Buckle and Winfield Gohagen.

There's lots of volcanic sex in this book, so much sex, both actual and implied, in fact, that it's easy to miss the violence tossed in to lighten the lava. But the novel is above the vicious pettiness McMurtry describes so brilliantly, and if I had to boil the book down into a moral I'd have to say it was about how one friendship—that between Jill and Joe—manages to survive with some grace amidst all the insanity.

"Somebody's Darling" did me the favor of striking me funny. Laughing out loud over a book, while alone, is probably the closest thing reviewer will ever come to hearing the sound of one hand clapping, a good raucous substitute for mystical mirth.

—Dan Lackey



THESE KIDS were only a few of the many children who took part in a festive Christmas Party held Wednesday at the Lovett Memorial Library. Refreshments were served, songs were sung, stories were told. And there was a puppet show called "Santa Claus and His Dog". The program was sponsored by the library and Friends of the Library.

Famous book reissued

One should have a plausible reason for reviewing a book first published more than a half-century ago, even if it is regarded as one of the great anti-war tracts in U.S. literature.

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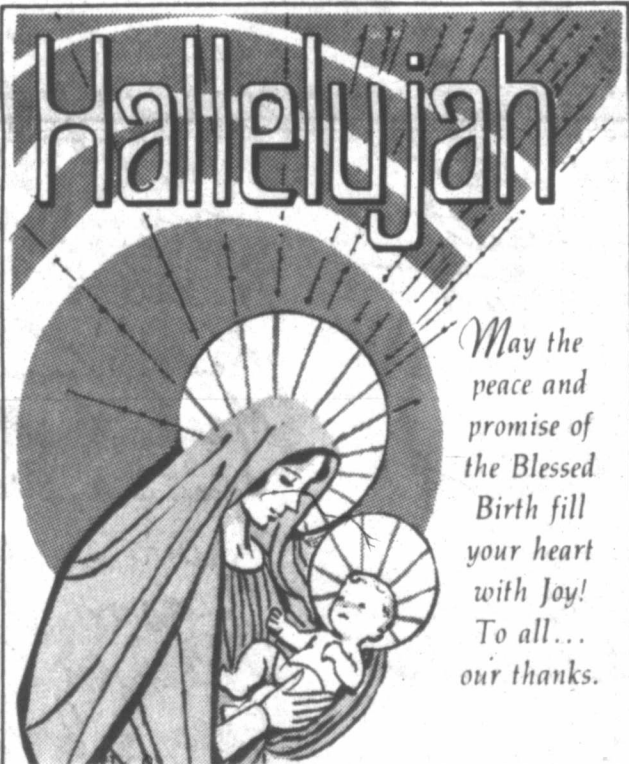
The book follows the author's somewhat eccentric punctuation, which later became more famous in the poetry he wrote.

First published in 1922, when Cummings was 23, "The Enormous Room" was widely

hailed as one of the best three books about World War I, along with John Dos Passos' "Three Soldiers" and Ernest Hemingway's "A Farewell to Arms."

Although it is a tract against war, there are no battle scenes and no shots are fired.

Cummings and a friend, both with pacifist leanings, volunteered as ambulance drivers in a unit attached to the Red Cross.



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Check of meat locker turns up facts on herd

ABILENE — A recent check by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department personnel at a local Abilene meat locker handling deer has furnished some interesting facts about the Taylor county deer herd.

"We checked one hundred buck deer harvested in Taylor county since the season opened Nov. 18 and 58 percent of these deer were 1 1/2 years of age," said Don Davis, P&WD wildlife biologist.

"Another 39 percent were from 2 1/2 - to - 4 1/2 years of age and only one buck was 6 1/2 years old," Davis continued.

When the Taylor county study is compared to other regions of the state, it is apparent that the

deer herd consists of mainly young deer with few trophy animals available for the deer hunter to harvest.

A comparison of the Taylor county deer herd which has a 12 percent trophy buck population is quite low when South Texas deer herds are comprised of a 30 percent trophy buck population.

There can be several reasons for this condition in Taylor county. First, a heavy crop of fawns were produced in 1977 which were 1 1/2 years old this fall when harvested by hunters. Second, the hunting pressure is heavy in several areas of Taylor county.

Most deer hunters are looking for a trophy buck to harvest

first. If none are found, the hunters will harvest younger deer as they did this fall.

Another factor in the study indicated a 30 percent drop in the overall deer population this summer. Record drought conditions were experienced in the area and the dry condition could have affected the antler growth since 38 percent of the 1 1/2 - year - old bucks were classed as spikes.

Normally, an average white-tailed buck should have four points during his second year. Only one of the young bucks checked at the meat locker had eight points.

Spike buck studies indicate genetic background and

growth. An average white-tailed buck with a below-normal intake of food could develop spike antlers. This same buck should grow normal antlers if ample food is available during the spring and summer which is the critical period.

However, when a white-tailed buck has plenty of food and still only produces spike antlers, it is apparent that genetic background and not available food supplies are the cause of the inferior antler growth.

When these deer studies are completed by the P&WD, recommendations will be made on the length of the deer season and harvest of bucks in Taylor county.

In Agriculture

By JOE VANZANDT
County Extension Agent
CATTLE OUTLOOK BRIGHT
In a recent newsletter Dr. Ernest Davis, Extension Livestock Marketing Economist, presented his outlook on cattle. The following is a copy of Ernest's comments.

In fact, as I begin to look at current prices and project prices for next spring, it almost exceeds the wildest of dreams. For example, between mid-April or May of 1979, my forecast of Choice 400-500 pound feeder steer prices could range from \$82 to \$87 per hundredweight, 600-700 pound Choice feeder steer prices could reach \$74 to \$79 per hundredweight. Unless there are large clusterings of fed cattle marketings, Choice fed steer prices should average in the low \$60 range by April and occasionally fluctuate up to the mid to high \$60 range. If this occurs, fleshy, high-yielding

slaughter cows will sell for as high as \$49 to \$51 per hundredweight. The price of slaughter bulls may reach or exceed \$60 per hundredweight. Top quality cow-calf replacement pairs could commonly range between \$800 to \$1,000 per pair. Many of these prices seem preposterous, but remember last year when I forecasted \$40 per hundredweight cow prices by June, 1978, and how preposterous that sounded then.

Oh, by the way, unless tampered with or unless consumers reduce their demand for beef, this cattle market should remain strong at least through 1982. Look at the cattle cycle and see for yourself. A good rule of thumb has been, when cow herd expansion reaches or exceeds 3 percent per year for three consecutive years — LOOK OUT! The opposite holds true for improved prices, i.e., when cow liquidation

reaches or exceeds 3 percent per year for three consecutive years — OH BOY!

ESTATE PLANNING AND THE NEW TEXAS INHERITANCE TAX LAW

Estate planning, in a broad sense, involves the making of present plans for the accumulation, conservation and future use on one's assets. Effective estate planning should provide for an orderly transfer of property during one's lifetime and after death, with a minimum of expenses.

Important considerations in developing an estate plan are these:

— Inventorying assets and taxable wealth.

— Establishing financial

security with minimum erosion.

— Deciding on alternatives based on the individual and the family's desires and goals.

— Establishing plans for property transfer using wills and trusts.

— Making plans for sufficient ready cash for payment of taxes, death and administrative costs.

Estate plans should be reviewed periodically. During the 1970's, inflation has resulted in substantial increases in the value of land, buildings, equipment, livestock, minerals and other assets. Consequently, a review of the estate situation may establish that a potential tax liability will exist upon the death of the owner.



Long wagon ride remembered here

The long trip by covered wagon didn't just end when the automobile began, back in the late 1890's. The covered wagon creaked on for many, as it did for Hattie Dunn, her husband, and the first three of twelve children, when they left Eastland County, Texas, in November of '23, and traveled 260 miles west to Dickens County, in a caravan of two wagons covered and one open, on the strength of six teams of mules and a single saddle horse.

"We were looking for a better place to live, a better place to go," says Elmer Dunn, one of the three children, who was eight at the time of the trip, but seems to remember the 27 days it took from Eastland to Dickens as if it were yesterday. "Dad followed the oil fields all of his life and all I know is the oil field. It was mostly cow trail roads in those days, there wasn't too many roads to amount to anything then... but it was kinda fun at night when the coyotes would get to howling and the way we camped out with kerosene lanterns."

Hattie Dunn herself doesn't remember the trip quite so well. She was ninety years old last November 25, and she now lives at the Pampa Nursing Center, where her daughter-in-law, Bonnie Dunn (Elmer's wife), works as nurse's aid. The elder Mrs. Dunn still loves to sing (her favorite is "Amazing Grace") and likes to quip, "I'm just as mean as ever."

"But that's not really so," says Bonnie Dunn. "Hattie's been a Christian ever since she was thirteen. She prayed every day for all of her boys during the war and not one of them was hurt. She was always helping someone—the sick or the needy. And she always said 'if you can't say something good about someone, don't say nothing at all'. You know Mama never had a drink except for wine she had to take for medicine three years ago—and that made her mad. No tobacco either."

"Hattie is blind, you know," she continued. "She first lost her sight in 1967 and was blind for

three years but she prayed to the Lord to restore her eye sight and she did get it back for a while. But she really likes it here. This is a beautiful place and she gets excellent care."

Hattie Dunn begins to sing her favorite "Amazing Grace" and son Elmer says, "That's Mama's song. Papa's was 'Little Church in the Wild Wood'. Mama is always singing or praying or preaching."



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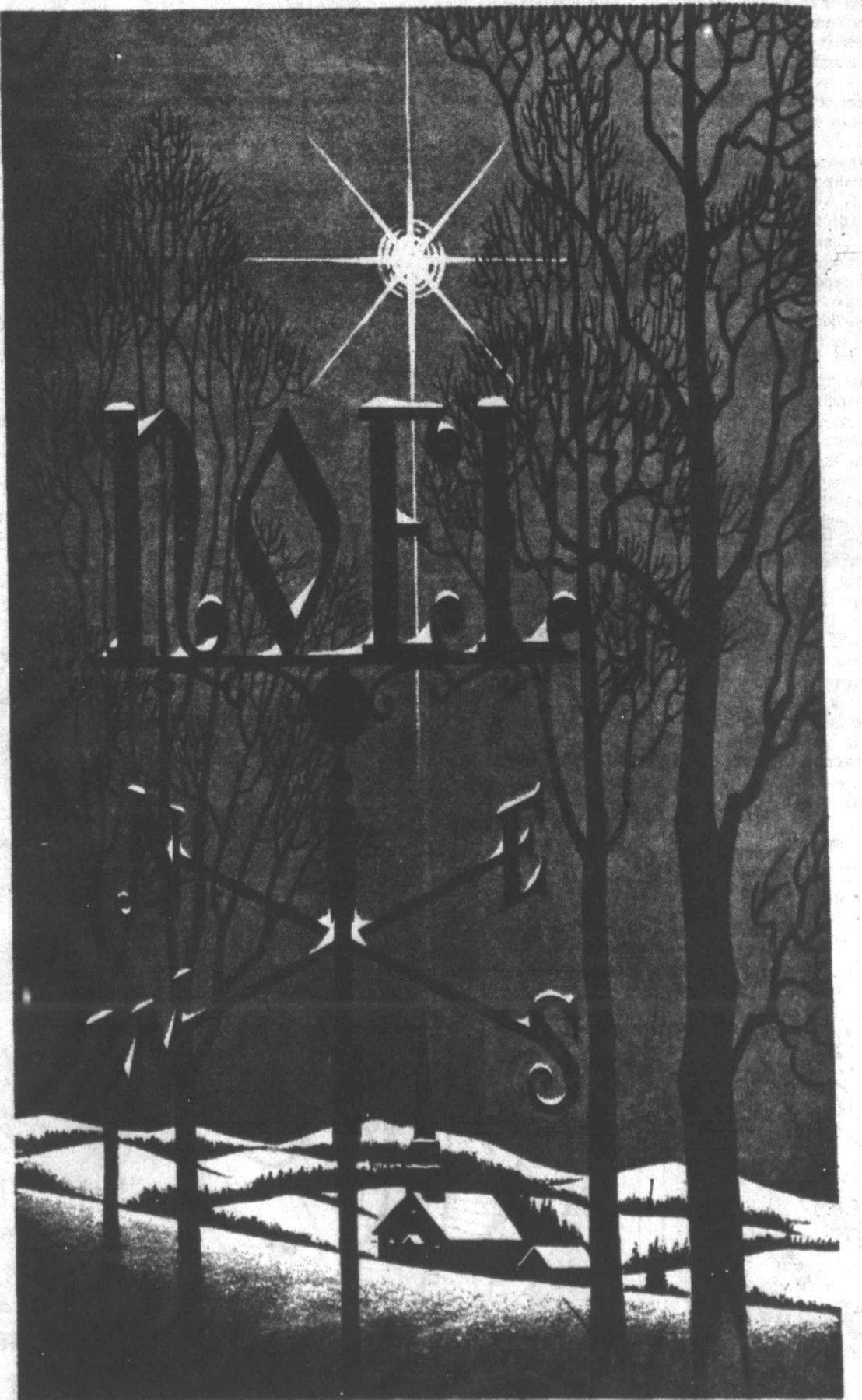
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New trap for coyotes

By GREG THOMPSON
Associated Press Writer
UVALDE, Texas (AP) — The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service "Grinches" here have a lethal Christmas surprise for the wily coyote — an experimental trapping method based on chirping dimstore Christmas ornaments.

It really wasn't planned as a present for the pesky predators that cause Western ranchers untold livestock and crop damage. It just worked out that way when wildlife biologists discovered the cheap plastic ornaments that emit bird calls were perfect for their research into sound lures.

Seventy "Christmas kits," each containing several dozen synthetic baits and the Christmas ornament sound lures, were recently sent for testing to government trappers across the western United States.

"It's amazing they work so well, they're so cheap-looking," said wildlife biologist Dr. Frank Turkowski. "Some trappers have already responded and it does work."

"The technology of predator calling is a real old one. We wanted to come up with a small, inexpensive device that a trapper can use in conjunction with a trap," added Turkowski.

The silvery, fist-sized ornament, which costs about \$3, has a small battery-powered radio device inside that will merrily chirp away for two or three weeks, just like those you hear in the dimstores.

But Turkowski said trappers

don't just hang the Christmas ball on a mesquite tree. The ornaments are camouflaged or buried in tan plastic bags.

"We would have preferred another color so we wouldn't have to camouflage them, but the manufacturer in Taiwan would not fill a special order," he said.

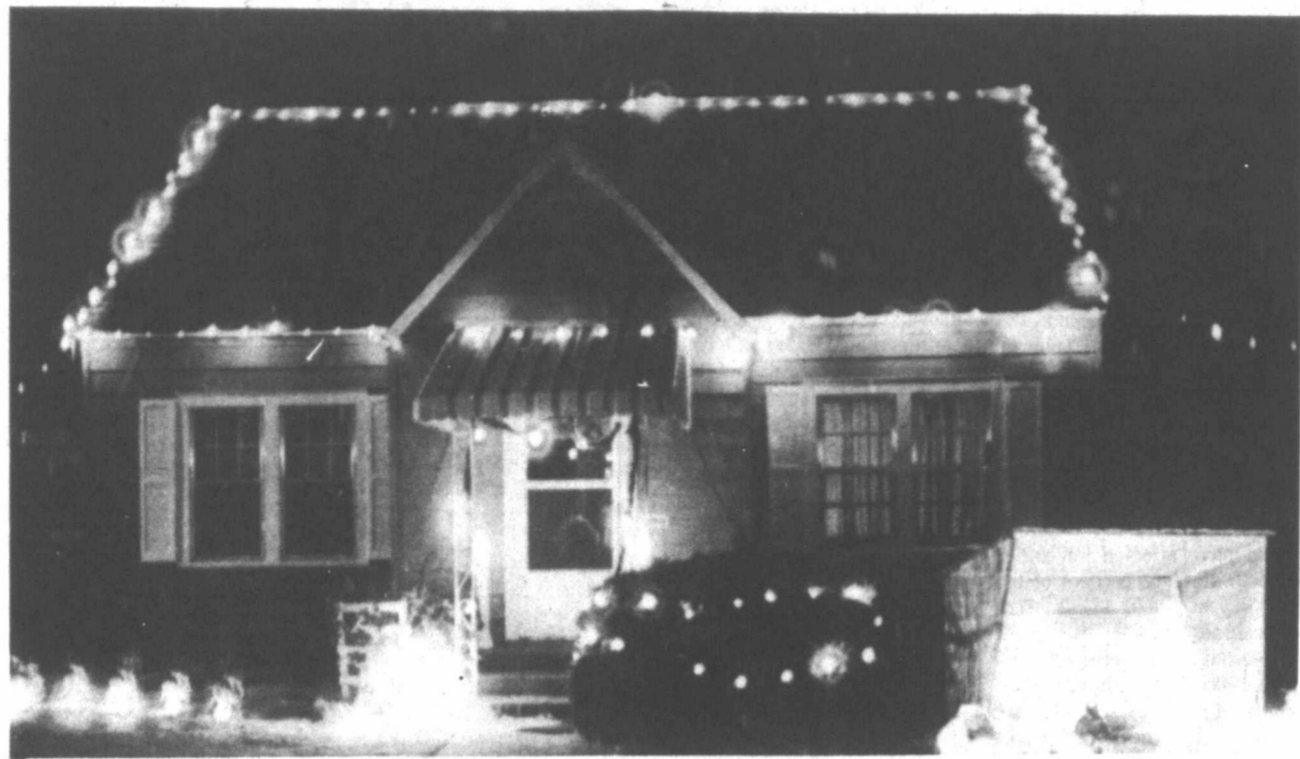
The coyote traps, or M-4s, are buried, mortar-like devices that shoot a cyanide cartridge when their baited, exposed barrel is nudged by a predator. They are baited with one of a variety of experimental synthetic baits and scattered near the chirping Christmas ornaments.

The wily coyote wanders over to check out the source of the birdcalls. And then it's Wham! — Merry Christmas.

"The coyotes are pretty opportunistic and curious," Turkowski said. "They might think it's a game bird or just be curious. If they're not thinking about food, their curiosity will get them."

The sound lure research grew out of the agency's development of new synthetic baits for predators. Turkowski said researchers are working on a sound lure device they hope will emit the sounds of a wounded jackrabbit or mouse.

The synthetic baits are copies of natural animal or food scents conjured up by the agency's chemists. Early results show that several of the synthetic baits are more effective than current commercial baits, Turkowski said.



Santa has trouble at gas station

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN
AP Special Correspondent
ALOFT WITH SANTA (AP)

— If you read the auto club bulletins or caught Dan Rafter's expose on "60 Minutes," you know rolling through Georgia can be quite an adventure when you pull into one of those ripoff gas stations on Interstate 75.

A big ole country boy hunkers down to check your tire pressure and zip, with a concealed knife, goes the rim of your new steel belted radials. Or the dude in the overalls tops off your battery acid, and as soon as you drive off the battery explodes. Somehow an Alka-Seltzer tablet has found its way into the chamber.

Happens all the time, they say, but what if...

Now late on Christmas Eve Santa pulls into one of these tourist traps to water his reindeer and get some grease for his sled runners.

"Ho-ho-ho," he says in his forthright friendly fashion, which is a mistake. Nobody around here talks like that unless they're freaked out on high octane bourbon.

Of course being from the North Pole, Santa hasn't heard

about the bad trips that can befall an unwary tourist.

Probably heading down to Florida like the rest of them rich Yankees, conclude the big ole boys whispering greedily among themselves, and the trouble starts as soon as Santa heads to the rest room and Calhoun ambles out to check the sled runners.

Right off, Santa gets suspicious about the mountains of new tires and sled runners piled up behind the station.

Concentrating as he does all year round on the good things people do, Santa might not be

all that much into human greed and consumer ripoffs, but he's no Homer Hick

He knows something is fishy when the sled collapses two minutes after Calhoun gets done greasing the runners. Then the battery in Rudolph's red nose, which had been running down, suddenly starts smoking and shooting off sparks. Next the harness comes apart and jingle bells are jingling all over the pump island.

"Gonna need a whole new transmission," sympathizes Calhoun.

"And one of our never-die-

non-alkaline batteries," adds Stonewall.

"Never make Macon on those runners," laments Billy Joe.

"Ho-ho-ho," answers Santa, making a secret signal to his faithful elves. "We already have been to Macon."



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Accidents climb

LUBBOCK — Even though the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department hunter safety division is holding their breath and crossing their fingers, it seems as though the total number of hunting injuries and fatalities will be near the 1977 mark.

"We totaled 80 accidents and 17 fatalities in 1977 and as of Dec. 14, we have already tallied 65 accidents and 14 fatalities this year," said Theron D. Carroll, hunter safety coordinator.

"If reports keep coming in from the field as they have been lately, 1978 will be comparable with last year," continued Carroll.

Hunting accidents in the Panhandle and South Plains have not occurred or are not reported so far and the P&WD is hoping the trend will continue with no injuries or fatalities.

The extreme cold experienced by opening-day pheasant hunters is no excuse to drink alcoholic beverages in an attempt to keep warm. Even though the subject drinking these liquids feels warm, scientific evidence shows that the beverage actually lowers the body temperature.

Not only is the consuming hunter lulled into believing he or she is warm, but the keen reflexes necessary to operate in the field and make sound judgments as to the target are inhibited by the alcoholic effect on the body.

Keeping the muzzle pointed in a safe direction at all times will also increase you and your hunting companions chances of a safe hunting season.



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STUDENTS from Pampa High's Building Trade Class pour concrete for one of the new concession stands at the football stadium. (Pampa News Photo by John Price)

News quiz

1. Pioneer Venus I swung into orbit around Venus and sent back its first pictures. The spaceship's 300-million-mile voyage had begun when it was launched last. (a) Jan. 31; (b) March 23; (c) May 20.
2. Spanish voters in a nationwide referendum gave solid support for a democratic constitution to end transition from the Franco era. The constitution is Spain's: (a) first ever; (b) seventh since 1812; (c) 34th since 1492.
3. Top Democratic and Republican leaders in the House of Representatives were re-elected as the caucuses of both parties met and began to organize for the Congress which will convene on Jan. 15 — which is: (a) the 96th Congress; (b) the 97th Congress; (c) the 98th Congress.
4. The acting mayor chosen by fellow Board of Supervisor members to succeed the late George R. Moscone as 38th mayor of San Francisco was: (a) Rose Bird; (b) Catherine Alioto; (c) Dianne Feinstein.
5. Six of the nine European Common Market countries agreed to adopt a new currency-linking system on Jan. 1. The three stay-out countries were: (a) West Germany, Holland, Belgium; (b) Britain, Ireland, Italy; (c) France, Italy, Denmark.
6. A leading Soviet conductor defected while on tour in the Netherlands. He is: (a) Kirill Kondrashin; (b) Igor Oistrakh; (c) Gennadiy Nikolayevich Rozhdvensky.

ANSWERS: 1.c 2.b 3.a 4.c 5.b 6.a.

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Church pulls Armenians together

By HARRY DUNPHY
Associated Press Writer
ECHMIADZIN, U.S.S.R. (AP) — The Echmiadzin Cathedral here is one of the oldest churches in Christendom. It was built in 303 A.D. by St. Gregory, who, it is said, saw a vision of Christ on this spot.

On a recent Sunday the cathedral was crowded with small children, teen-agers, married couples and elderly people, their faces bathed in the glow of flickering candles. Congregations of Russian Orthodox Churches, by contrast, usually consist mostly of old women.

But this cathedral is the St. Peter's of the Armenian Orthodox Church, which through the centuries has pulled the Armenian people together, despite their worldwide dispersal, and helped them keep a national identity. They number seven million today, and call many lands home.

Vazgen I, the 130th successor to St. Gregory the Enlightened,

who was the church's first patriarch, says the church is flourishing despite his Holy See's location in the officially atheistic Soviet Union.

"Of course the state is atheistic," says the 70-year-old, white-bearded supreme patriarch, or Catholicos as he is called. "But it is also a fact that in our inner religious life there is no hindrance or inter-

ference. Just the opposite. The state displays a kind, helpful, respectful attitude."

Such statements are common from churchmen in the Soviet Union who are anxious to maintain what is at best a precarious existence.

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4-H center place to be.

By MARILYN TATE
County Extension Agent

The Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood is the place, and January 13th and 14th are the dates for a 4-H Teen Leader and Advisor Retreat. Marilyn Tate, Gray County Extension Agent points out. She adds that this week-end training will include lots of fun-filled and action-packed learning activities for 4-H Teen and Adult Leaders who work with younger 4-H members.

For further information and registration details, those interested in participating should contact the Gray County Extension Office located in the Courthouse Annex or phone 669-7429.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

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Winter wheat plantings get boost

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Encouraged by substantially higher prices, farmers have boosted their winter wheat plantings 8 percent for the 1979 harvest. The Agriculture Department

said Thursday that the crop could produce about 1.44 billion bushels when harvested next summer, up 15 percent from this year's reduced yield.

Farmers planted 51.5 million acres of winter wheat this fall, compared to 47.7 million planted a year ago for the 1978 crop, the department's Crop Reporting Board said.

Yields were estimated to average 28 bushels per acre planted, compared to 26.2 bushels for the 1978 crop.

The forecast, the first by the department on 1979 winter wheat prospects, was based on surveys made Dec. 1.

Winter wheat accounts for about three-fourths of the total U.S. wheat production. The remainder will be planted in the spring and harvested later in 1979.

It will be at least six months before the crop is ready for harvest and its outcome will depend greatly on the weather in major producing areas this winter and next spring.

However, the board said that as of Dec. 1 the crop generally was in "fair to good" condition throughout the nation and that it benefited from rain and snow last month.

The report said farmers in Kansas, the leading wheat producer, may harvest 314.6 million bushels next year, compared to 306 million bushels in 1978.

As they were required to do in 1978, wheat farmers will have to set aside part of their cropland to qualify for federal price supports for the grain harvested next year.

However, farmers will not begin signing up for the 1979 program until later this winter and then will have until some time in the spring to adjust their acreage to conform to the set-aside program. Those dates have not been announced.

Acreage set-aside requirements also will be in effect for 1979 corn and other feed grains planted next spring.

The purpose of the set-aside programs is to help curb production of wheat and other grain.

A year ago, in its initial 1978 winter wheat report, the department forecast the crop at 1.32 billion bushels. The harvest turned out to be about 1.25 billion bushels.

Production of 1978 spring-planted wheat was about 550.4 million bushels, making a total wheat crop this year of about 1.8 billion bushels, the first harvest in three years under 2 billion bushels.

If the 1979 spring wheat crop turns out to be around 500 million bushels — roughly in line with this year's harvest — the total wheat output in 1979 could be around 1.94 billion bushels, based on the Dec. 1 winter wheat indication.

Meanwhile, wheat prices are up significantly from a year ago, averaging \$3.05 a bushel at the farm nationally in November, compared to \$2.46 a year earlier, according to USDA surveys.

One reason for the price improvement is the government's reserve program in which farmers can store grain for up to three years, keeping it off the market so that prices go up.

As of Dec. 8, about 407.5 million bushels of wheat were stored under the program, enough to meet U.S. domestic needs for more than eight months.

Exports also are large and have helped boost wheat prices. For the marketing year that will end May 31, the USDA estimates exports will require about 1.15 billion bushels, compared to 585 million bushels for domestic needs.

The wheat left over June 1, when the new 1979 marketing year begins, is expected to total around 1.04 billion bushels, down from almost 1.18 billion last June 1.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although some farmers are able to produce crops by using "organic" fertilizer instead of industrially prepared chemicals, a new government report says there isn't enough manure, sewage sludge and other wastes

to do the job effectively on an overall basis.

The report, "Improving Soils with Organic Wastes," was prepared by an Agriculture Department task force over a six-month period this year and delivered to President Carter and Congress recently.

Copies of the report were distributed Thursday to reporters by the department. A spokesman said the 157-page report, ordered by Congress in the "Food and Agriculture Act of 1977, cost about \$24,000.

"Increased use of organic wastes on land could reduce the need for commercial fertilizers as a source of nitrogen (a primary ingredient used by crops) only to a limited extent," it said.

"The nitrogen in organic wastes not currently applied to the land amounts to 4.5 million tons. This amount is far short of the current annual demand for 10.6 million tons of commercial fertilizer nitrogen."

But the report added that organic wastes — which include residues from crops as well as manure, industrial and municipal wastes — do have a value for controlling soil erosion and improving soil tilth (physical condition) that commercial fertilizers cannot do.

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Jitters may be good for sales

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — Something just doesn't fit, and it's somewhat akin to Santa Claus and the chimney, as you might conclude after comparing these two statements made in just the past few days.

—From Citibank's survey of consumer confidence: "High prices and sharply decreased buying power have combined to give American consumers their worst case of economic jitters since the end of 1976, the latest Citibank survey shows.

"The survey showed the consumer confidence index, based on the proportion who are optimistic versus pessimistic, has dropped to 30, lowest since just after the presidential election two years ago."

—From a spokesman for a large Midwest department store chain who asked not to be named:

"It appears this will be at least the third straight very strong Christmas."

Citibank's survey is supported by similar studies by other consumer analysts. And the department store spokesman's comments are repeated by large numbers of other retailers.

Varying conclusions can be drawn from this evidence: that sellers exaggerate; that polls mislead; that jitters are conducive to buying. And to some extent, there is a degree of truth in all three.

You can hardly blame a retailer for reporting good business, even when business is only fair, because his job is to sell. Reports of strong sales, it is felt, make the reluctant buyer feel he is out of step.

It's an old story, the report of

booming sales before Christmas and then cash-raising sales a week later.

And polls can mislead, despite an ability sometimes to foretell broad economic directions and levels. Long ago, some polls told of consumers too fearful to be interested in cars and houses, whose sales soared.

But are jitters conducive to buying? It seems that way, because the allegedly jittery consumer has bought and bought, and borrowed to buy more. This is documented as fact. And it has prolonged the expansion.

The more meaningful question is why consumers are acting in this strange way, and the apparent answer is they have become cynical, and convinced that what's economically bad today becomes worse tomorrow.

Fully four in five of those accounting for today's spending say they have troubles living within their budgets. Two of three say conditions will worsen in the next six months. Or so the Citibank survey states.

Sentenced to jail

HAMBURG, West Germany (AP) — A West German court has sentenced a sales clerk to 42 months in prison after he was convicted of stealing 23 paintings valued at \$800,000 from Hamburg's Kunsthalle Gallery.

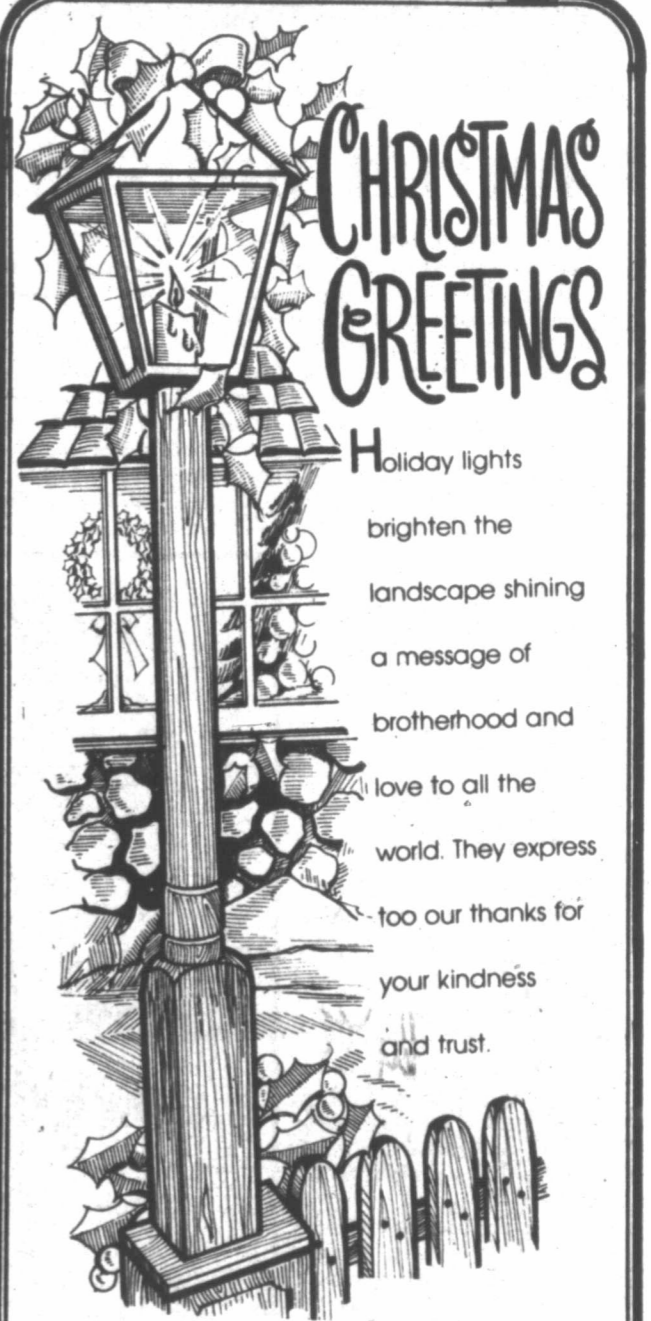
Police recovered all the paintings, including works by Renoir and Degas, shortly after Juergen Primus stole them. But the damage he did by cutting them from their frames amounted to about \$65,000, the court said



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Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

December 25, 1978

This coming year will be rather unusual in many respects. Hopes will become realities, but not necessarily the way you envisioned they'd be brought about.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You're a marvelous catalyst today and your presence among your peers will put everyone in a holiday mood. Get out and spread your sunshine around. Like to find out more about yourself? Send for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter by mailing 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth sign.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Things are under way to bring about something you've secretly hoped for. A sudden shift in conditions may make this now possible.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Bonds can be greatly strengthened today with persons important to you. It's imperative to let them know how much you care for their friendship.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Not only will you receive those items you've been hoping for, but there could also be an enormous surprise in store for you today.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A chance get-together with one you didn't expect to see will make your day today. This should be an exceptionally nice Christmas.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You won't mind a bit if some tasks to make this a happy day fall on you. You'll enjoy the action, as well as the chance to show off your abilities.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Don't turn down any invitations to festive gatherings today. You could meet someone very special with whom you'll have a great deal in common.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Today, you could receive something that you longed for, but wouldn't buy for yourself. The donor will be one you'd least expect.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Wherever you go today you are likely to be the center of attention. Your appearance and warm manner will draw others to you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Persons you've treated generously will take great pleasure today in reciprocating to the best of their abilities. Happy surprises are in store for you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) There are many people anxious to see you today, so arrange your schedule accordingly. Put "visiting old friends" at the top of your list.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be as jubilant a receiver as you are a giver today. Others will be as excited to make you happy as you will be to bring joy to them.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

STEVE CANYON

By Milton Caniff

AT THE U.S. AIR FORCE MUSEUM IN DAYTON, OHIO

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SIDE GLANCES

By Gill Fox

"We'll have the pork... sweet for me, and sour for her!"

THE WIZARD OF ID

By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart

EITHER I GET MORE MONEY, OR I TAKE MY MAGIC TO ANOTHER KINGDOM

SHOW HIM THE ONE WHERE YOU PULL THE COIN OUT OF HIS EAR

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Bollen

I'LL HAVE TO ASK FOR YOUR RESIGNATION, HENROD.

WELL, THE ANSWER IS "NO!"

EEK & MEEK

By Howie Schneider

HI, THERE...

ALL BY YOURSELF?

HEY!

IF YOU'RE TOO SHORT, GET A BARSTOOL

B.C.

By Johnny Hart

I'D LIKE TO GIVE SOMETHING THIS YEAR THAT REFLECTS THE TRUE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS.

I THINK YOU JUST PUT ME OUT OF BUSINESS, LADY.

PRISCILLA'S POP

By Al Vermeer

THE THOUGHT OF ANOTHER BIRTHDAY MAKES MY STOMACH CHURN!

BE THANKFUL YOUR STOMACH IS CHURNING, DEAR!

IT'S A GOOD SIGN!

YOU'RE NOT GETTING OLDER, YOU'RE GETTING BUTTER!

WINTHROP

By Dick Cavalli

I WONDER WHAT CREEPY-CRAWLIES EAT?

ANYTHING THAT DOESN'T EAT BACK.

I'M SORRY I ASKED.

ALLEY OOP

By Dave Graus

WITH ANY LUCK, WE SHOULD HAVE THIS THING OPERATIONAL BY THE TIME YOU TWO GET BACK!

OKAY, DOC! SEE YOU LATER!

WHERE DO YOU WANT TO GO, COOLA?

THE DRUGSTORE! I'M GOING TO GET SOME PRESENTS FOR THE FOLKS BACK IN MOO!

TUMBLEWEEDS (P)

By T.K. Ryan

GIVE TO A WORTHY CAUSE?

ANY MONEY'D PROBABLY GO TO BUY YOU BOOZE!

MAKE GRIMY GULCH BEAUTIFUL

MAKE GRIMY GULCH BEAUTIFUL

CAN YOU THINK OF ANY OTHER WAY?

THE BORN LOSER

By Art Sansom

I'LL JUST STAND HERE AND LET HER DRINK ME IN.

SHE WAS TOO AWK-STRUCK TO NOTICE.

FRANK AND ERNEST

By Bob Thaves

AS NEAR AS I CAN FIGURE IT, MY ALUMINUM SYNTHETIC CHRISTMAS TREE WAS TOO CLOSE TO THE ARTIFICIAL FIRE IN MY ELECTRIC FIREPLACE, AND IT SHORT-CIRCUITED THE FLUORESCENT IMITATION CANDLE-LIGHT IN MY SIMULATED FOLD-OUT NATIVITY SCENE.

PEANUTS

By Charles M. Schulz

THEY SURE HAD THEIR NERVE LAUGHING AT MY STORY... HA!

HOW ABOUT THIS THING WITH ALL THE REINDEER PULLING THE SLEIGH THROUGH THE AIR? NO WAY!

I DON'T CARE HOW MANY REINDEER HE HAD, THEY COULD NEVER PRODUCE ENOUGH LIFT TO GET A SLED IN THE AIR...

NO WAY! HUH, BIG BROTHER?

NO WAY! MERRY CHRISTMAS!

SHORT RIBS

By Frank Hill

SCROOGE I AM THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS PAST.

GIVE CRATCHIT A BIG RAISE.

(YES, SIR! YES, SIR!)

IT BEATS GOING OUT ON STRIKE.

Do You Know—

- Eating bananas or licorice while you're taking certain drugs can be fatal?
- Vitamin C in combination with large amounts of aspirin can produce aspirin toxicity in some people?
- The most effective remedy for bee stings is application of a teaspoon of meat tenderizer?

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The People's Pharmacy

By Joe Graedon

Jan. 7, 1979
in the

The Pampa News

To pages of "The News"

People's Pharmacy coming soon

Americans spend \$13.6 billion each year on prescriptions and over-the-counter medications, yet they seldom know the functions and potentially harmful interactions of the drugs they purchase.

Pharmacologist Joe Graedon does and he investigates the entire spectrum of drugs and health products and reports in plain English his findings twice weekly in his syndicated King Features column, The People's Pharmacy.

The column was inspired by Graedon's remarkably successful book with the same name. The book has sold more than 600,000 copies and remains on the best-seller list over a year after its publication.

The People's Pharmacy explains what those pills your doctors prescribed really do and just what those over-the-counter medicines really are.

He discusses the simple actions and serious interactions, common side effects and important facts rarely mentioned by physicians. There are columns on home remedies — those that work and those that don't.

Graedon also writes about vitamins. He advises, for example, that there is something we should know if we are going to take Vitamin C for a cold. "Take it with aspirin and you're wasting your time because aspirin decreases its effectiveness."

"People should know that mixing drugs with each other or even with everyday foods can cause severe reactions or nullify a drug's effectiveness," Graedon said. "They should know that some medicine is a waste of money and that some drugs produce side-effects that doctors don't always tell

patients about." Graedon uses bananas to make his point. They can be lethal when combined with MAO inhibitor drugs given for high blood pressure and depression. "The interaction can be greatly increased blood pressure. It's the same with avocados, pickled herring or other foods with tyramine enzyme."

"Doctors don't tell patients enough," he insists. "They say if they told the patients about the possible side effects the patients would worry too much or start imagining things. I'd still rather have 10 or 20 false alarms and catch the one serious reaction."

Graedon has an advanced degree in pharmacology from the University of Michigan. He received his B.S. from Pennsylvania State University in general science and psychology and for two years worked in the Laboratory of

Neuropharmacology at the New Jersey Neuro-Psychiatric Institute in Princeton, N.J. His research included the study of neurochemical factors involved in mental illness as well as sleep investigation.

After receiving his master's degree in pharmacology from the University of Michigan Graduate School in 1971, he taught clinical pharmacology and directed the pharmacology laboratory program for medical students at the University of Oaxaca, Mexico while his wife collected data there for her thesis on medical anthropology.

Graedon is now guest lecturer for the Duke University Physician Associate Program and School of Nursing, and is a popular radio and television guest. He has appeared on many of the nation's top shows, including "Good Morning, America" and "Today." He also is a regular guest on the University of North Carolina radio network and National Public Radio, and he answers questions dealing with pharmacology over WMCA-AM radio in New York City.

Stamps in the news

By SYD KRONISH
AP Newsfeatures

Four new sets of stamps have been issued by Israel to commemorate a variety of subjects, completing that country's 1978 schedule.

A set of two stamps portrays a pair of prominent figures in Israel's modern history — David Ben Gurion and Vladimir Jabotinsky. Another stamp hon-

ors the new Shaare Zedek Medical Center in Jerusalem. A third is dedicated to the United Jewish Appeal. The fourth is a set of three on behalf of the Museum of Islamic Art in Jerusalem.

Ben Gurion was the first Prime Minister of Israel and the man whose voice announced to the world the re-birth of an ancient nation on May 14, 1948.



Merry Christmas

Wishing you all the blessings of a joyous holiday season. Sincere thanks one and all.

RAY'S SADDLE SHOP
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Scene to be repeated as Carter makes choice

WASHINGTON (AP) — The scene is likely to be repeated more and more as President Carter moves closer and closer to final decisions on the new federal budget.

The leaders of one liberal group or another, after conferring with the president or one of his senior aides, are standing in the White House driveway.

Stamping their feet and rubbing their hand against the icy winter weather, they complain to a circle of reporters about the treatment they are getting at the hands of a Democratic administration bent on turning in a tight budget to fight inflation.

While they conduct their impromptu, but predictable news conference — there have been two such sessions in the past two weeks with black leaders — White House aides are busy trying to convince others that, in Carter's words, the administration will produce "a well-balanced budget and a fair budget."

This is a period that Carter calls the most difficult in the seasons of the presidency. It is a period when leaders of busi-

ness, union officials, representatives of minorities, women and veterans traipse into the White House to seek a share of the federal pie.

It is a period when, in the words of one administration official whose job involves trying to placate everyone, "you have the traditional problem" of agency chiefs laying budgetary problems at the doorsteps of their neighbors.

Carter, meanwhile, has been making an apparent effort to calm the fears of liberals, who were never the backbone of his support.

Throughout recent weeks, Carter's speeches have been spiced with language that can't hurt his standing among liberals — those most likely to complain when he submits his tight budget proposals that he is overlooking pressing social needs of the country.

His appearance at the Democratic Party's midterm conference in Memphis gave him several opportunities to make his point.

Consider, for example, his words to a group gathered to talk about the economy and inflation:

"If I do make a mistake (on the budget) it will be on the side of those who are most dependent on the government, the poor and the deprived and the disadvantaged who are looking for a better life and who can only find a better life, in my opinion, with a Democratic administration."

How about curbing the arms race with a strategic arms limitation treaty?

I contemplate a much more drastic cut in overall missile levels of all kinds in SALT III than we will be able to accomplish in SALT II."

So, while Carter's budget cutters have been putting the ax to his spending proposals, and rumors circulate that social welfare programs are being skinned back, the president is being skinned back, the president is being let down by those with possible complaints know that he is still on their side, even if the money isn't.

Too hot for laundromats

By MARY CAMPBELL
AP Newsfeatures Writer

"In Europe, we're so successful, Ray can't go out and do his laundry. He'd be mobbed," says Dennis Locorriere, one of the lead vocalists in Dr. Hook, about the seven-man group's other lead vocalist, Ray Sawyer.

"Everybody in music complains about that kind of thing,

but who ain't looking for it?"

Dr. Hook has a hit single, "Sharing the Night Together." The song started December by jumping into the 10 best-selling records in the U.S. and kept climbing. The Capitol album it's from, "Pleasure & Pain," also is climbing the charts. Dr. Hook has three gold singles already, "Sylvia's Mother," "The Cover of the Rolling Stone" and "Only 16."



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Charles Colson, sucking on an unlit pipe, his wife by his side, beams with satisfaction. John and Maureen Dean push through the crowd to join the Colsons in celebrating the elec-

tion of Richard M. Nixon as president.

Producer-director George Schaefer watches the action atop a high stepladder at the edge of the crowd, then calls, "Cut." The 150 extras put down their glasses of ginger ale and colored water. We are at the Ambassador Hotel, doing duty as Washington's Shoreham Hotel.

"Blind Ambition" is an eight-hour recount of the White House years of John Dean and his wife that ended in Watergate. It will air next May in four two-hour episodes on CBS.

Martin Sheen and Theresa Russell star as John and "Mo" Dean, with Michael Callan as Colson, Graham Jarvis as John Ehrlichman, Laurence Pressman as Robert Haldeman, and Rip Torn as Nixon. Stanley Greenberg ("The Missiles of October" and "Pueblo") wrote the script from Dean's book, "Blind Ambition," and Mrs. Dean's book, "Mo." "Blind Ambition" is a story with neither villains nor heroes — except a flawed one.



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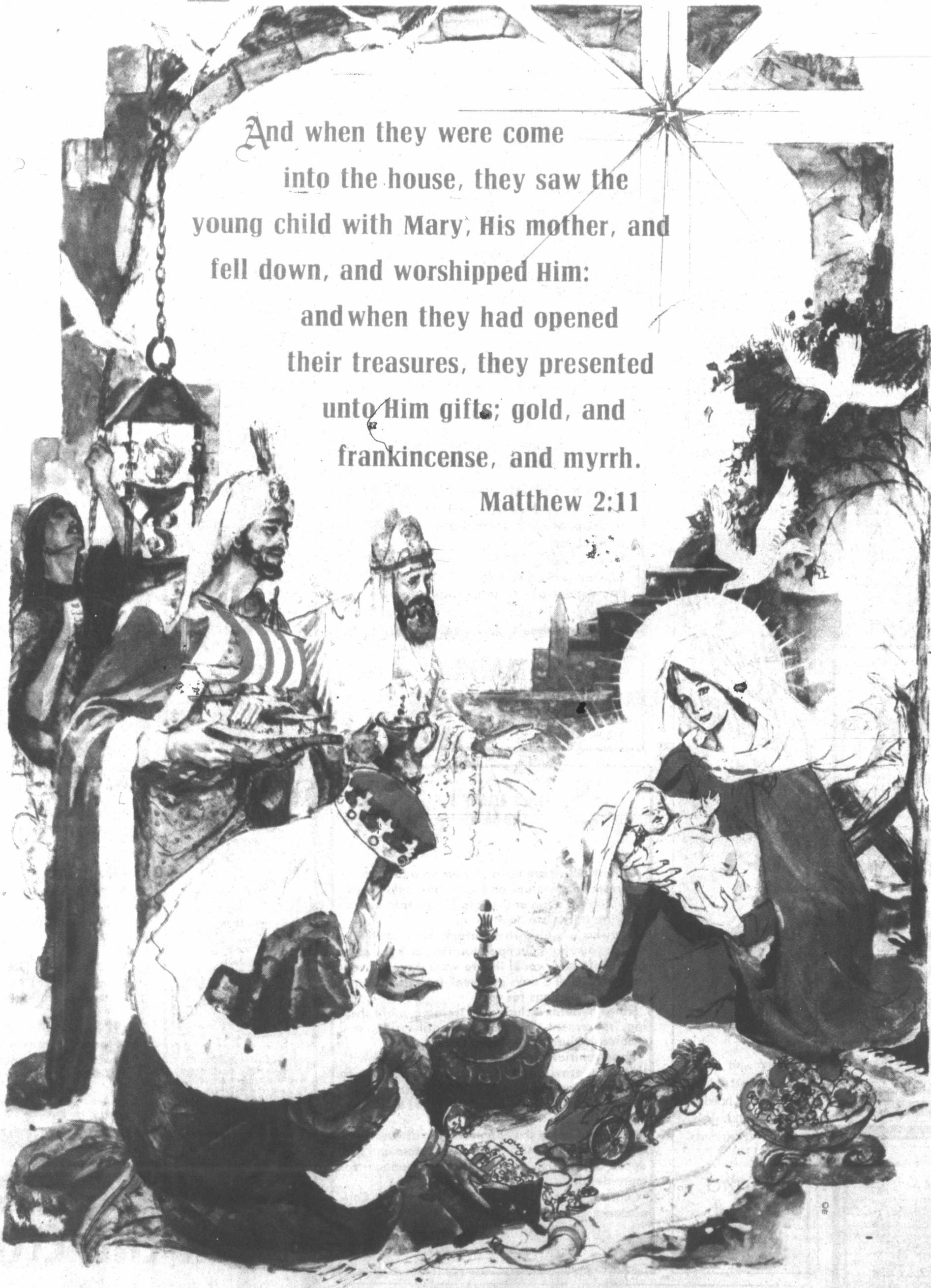
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And when they were come
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 young child with Mary, His mother, and
 fell down, and worshipped Him:
 and when they had opened
 their treasures, they presented
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 frankincense, and myrrh.
 Matthew 2:11



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