

Red Raiders Host Rice In Bid For SWC Upset

An Editorial

A Challenge: Integrate Athletics

About 19 months ago, the Texas Tech Board of Directors handed down one of the most significant rulings in this school's history.

The ruling—a decision to allow Negroes to attend Texas Tech—drew flurries of criticism and praise from all over the state.

SINCE THEN, MUCH of the criticism has vanished and, mostly, only praise remains. Integration has worked here. There has been no parallel to the riots and trouble which plagued Little Rock and Ole Miss.

THE DAILY TOREADOR, in an editorial after the 1961 decision, said admittance of Negro students presented an opportunity to show "that maturity and reason are a part of the life at Texas Tech."

Techsans met that challenge, now the TOREADOR asks that another call be answered:

Integrate athletics at Texas Tech.

We admit that several problems will accompany athletic integration in the Southwest Conference. Scheduling of athletic events, especially as far as the Southeastern Conference is concerned, is a key area. The state of Louisiana, for example, does not permit schools in the state to compete against integrated teams. In addition, Texas Tech quite possibly will be considered an "upstart" if it—as the conference's newest school—starts athletic integration.

ON THE OTHER HAND, we see athletic integration as something that will be of lasting benefit to the conference. The Negro has shown in other schools he is capable of being a leader in athletics as well as in the classroom. We like to think of the Southwest Conference as an athletic powerhouse—and it does pull away its share of wins—but a glance at the top ten of any sport shows the SWC behind the Big Ten and the Big Eight, among others.

Two Tech students attended a recent conference of Southwest Conference schools at Fort Worth, with integration the key topic. Other schools made it plain that, because of present conditions, only two members of the conference are in a position to break the color barrier in athletics—the University of Texas and Texas Tech. They also indicated they will follow suit if Tech takes the lead.

TO INITIATE ATHLETIC integration here would be a tremendous prestige victory for Tech, in our opinion. We realize that to do something for prestige only is not good. But more than prestige is involved.

If Texas Tech does not make the first move, it probably will be made by Texas, which already has the jump in the athletic recruiting race. Red Raider football is in one of its worst drouths. Even though the next few grid seasons are being billed as the best in a decade, can we afford to give Texas an advantage as far as Negro athletes are concerned?

We are tired of the cry that Texas Tech is the "baby" of the conference and should not be the one to initiate action. We feel Tech is on a par with any school in the conference. If we are in a position to do so something for the good of the conference, let's not stay in the background.

Our voice is strong; let it be heard.

A JANUARY POLL of Negro students at Tech revealed most were well pleased with their acceptance and the overall friendliness of the college. They were almost unanimous, however, in wanting one thing: athletic integration. Several felt there were quite a few outstanding athletes of their race who would come to Tech if they could participate here.

The more Junior Coffeys and James Jacksons who leave the South Plains to play elsewhere, the more Texas Tech will be hurt by the "gentleman's agreement" barring the Negro from competing in Southwest Conference.

Consensus is that athletic integration is only two or three years away, but to wait those few years for the University of Texas to take this forward step will be a backward step for Tech.

We should act now, for a better Texas Tech.

CHARLES RICHARDS
—Daily Toreador Editor

By RAY FINFER
Toreador Sports Editor

Texas Tech's Red Raiders play host today at 8 p.m. in Municipal Coliseum to the Rice Owls.

THIS IS THE BEGINNING of a last ditch attempt of the Raiders to end the conference play with a .500 mark. They must win three of the last four games for a 7-7 record.

Bobby Gindorf, leading the Raiders in SWC scoring, will head the starting five for Tech. Gindorf has a 13.9 average. His running mate at forward will be Glenn Hallum with a 13.6 average. Harold Denney will start at center with a 12.6 mean, and guards will be Sid Wall, 10.1 and Tom Patty, 10.3.

RICE WILL SEND out Larry Phillips, 6-5, and Eli Spradley, 6-5, as forwards; Herb Steinkamp, 6-0, Dick Cramer, 6-1, or Barry Rodrigue, 6-2, as guards and Kendall Rhine 6-9, center.

If the two teams seem to have trouble grabbing rebounds today, it may be because more than half of their shots have been hitting the basket. In their last meeting in Houston, Tech

hit 54 per cent of their field goal attempts and Rice connected on 52 per cent.

SUCH PERFORMANCE was not a fluke. The current crop of Tech shooters are the most accurate in Texas Tech history — despite their 4-6 SWC record.

The team, after a slow start, is hitting 45 per cent of field goals for the season and 48 per cent in conference action. Best previous marks were 44.1 per cent in season play by the 1960 Raiders and 45.2 per cent by the 1961 and 1962 teams in conference.

DENNEY, WHO HIT 23 points in the loss to Arkansas last week, leads the Raiders in season scoring with a 13.3 average. Gindorf is eighth in SWC scoring with a total of 139 points, while Hallum is ninth with 136 points.

Rice's Kendall Rhine is the leading scorer in conference play with over 22 points a game.

TEXAS IN LEADING the conference with a 10-0 record is followed by Rice with a 7-3 mark; A&M, 6-4; Arkansas and SMU tied at 4-4; Tech, 4-6; Baylor, 2-8 and TCU, 1-9.

Other SWC action today finds Texas at SMU, TCU at A&M and Arkansas at Baylor.

Students Make Gadget To Test Kiss Power

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — The University of Miami clamped down Friday on the kissometer, a gadget designed by electrical engineering students to measure the power of a kiss.

There will be no kissing on campus, officials ruled, and students may test the machine only with handshakes.

Three students — Tatiana Pri-

lutchi, 18, a bouncy brunette; John Woods, 21, and Don Barachak, 21—made the machine a project to be exhibited at a university engineers exposition.

The kissometer is rigged with flashing lights and ringing bells. The lowest quality kiss flashes a sign that says "DEAD FISH." A better smooch will register "WOW" and the hottest smack-

er brings a "WOW" and rings a bell.

After the exposition opens, officials said, visitors may enter the kissing booth and test the machine if desired.

"It all depends on what's inside," said Tatiana. "If you feel all tingly inside, your kiss will show it."

The man and woman inside the booth hold an electronically charged probe in their hands. It sends a minutes amount of current through their bodies. When their lips meet, the circuit is completed.

An assistant professor, Gerald Berman, said the three students learned more about electrical engineering from the project than they would have learned from hours of lectures.

Deadline Set For Filing SC Petitions

Deadline for filing petitions to run for Student or Freshman Council is 5 p.m. Monday.

Campaign posters may be put up after this time.

Candidates must fill an expense form of not over \$20, a form of eligibility, and a petition with 75 signatures for Freshman Council and 100 for Student Council.

The March 1 election will fill six vacancies in the Freshman Council, two Student Council spots in business administration and another in engineering. The runoff, if necessary, will be March 4.

Details of campaign rules may be picked up in the Student Council office.



Kissometer?

KISS TOO POWERFUL—After reading about Miami University students, these two Techsians decided to build their own kissometer to test their kissing power. But when contact was made the gadget blew a fuse. However, the couple seemed quite unaware of the machine's failure to work.

—Staff Photo by Vernon Smith

Visitation Classes...

Classes open to visitation next week have been announced by the Student Honors Council. They are:

Biology 142. — Dr. P. V. Prior will speak on "Photosynthesis and Energy Transfer," in Science Bldg., room 217, at 10 MWF.

Economics 232. — Mr. Jarvis Witt will lecture on "Indifference Curve and Consumer Rationality," in C&O Bldg., room 124, at 10 MWF.

English 134. — Dr. Hugh Pendexter III will speak on "Adonais" and other works of Shelley, in C&O Bldg., room 124, at 10 TTS.

Man and the World non-credit honors course. — Dr. J. W. Davis' topic will be "Social and Political Organization," in Social Science Bldg., room 215, at 11 TTS.

Each week certain honors classes are open to any Tech student

SING SONG MEETING

Sing Song leaders will meet Monday at 5 p.m. in Music Bldg., room 202 for an informative session on rules and presentation of the Interfraternity Sing Song April 19.



RECORD RUN—Philip Simpkins, Houston sophomore, heads for the finish line and a new 22.2 second Tech pool record in the 50-yard free style. Bill Perkowski of Air Force Academy finished second as the academy beat Tech 62-33 in a swim meet Friday. Simpkins was just .3 of a second shy of the 21.9 national record in the event. Simpkins' teammate, Terry Smith, was third in the race.

—Staff Photo

National Officer To Speak At Phi Psi Founders' Day

Dr. Louis D. Corson, national president of Phi Kappa Psi will speak at the fraternity's Founder's Day dinner 7:30 p.m. today at Lubbock Country Club.

This is the first time a national president in office has visited the Phi Psi chapter at Tech. Tuesday marked the 10th anni-

versary of the local chapter and the 111th anniversary of Phi Kappa Psi. The dinner celebration was delayed until today for Dr. Corson's arrival.

Area alumni, members from Oklahoma and Colorado, the local chapter of Phi Psi and new pledges will attend the dinner.

Dr. Corson presently is Director of Retired Professor Registry under the Ford Foundation in Washington, D.C.

He is listed in "Who's Who in America," "Who's Who in South and Southwest" and "Who's Who in Education."

Dr. Corson attended West Virginia University where he received his BA and MA in education. He received his doctorate in education at Stanford.

Prior to directorship he was Dean of Men at Florida State University from 1953-1955 and at the University of Alabama from 1955-1957.

Union Honors Recipients Of Sears Awards

Tech's 14 recipients of Sears Roebuck Foundation Scholarships will be honored at a 6 p.m. banquet Monday in the Union Bldg., room 205. The scholarships are for the 1962-63 academic year.

W. E. Lusby, vice president of the Dallas Foundation, will present awards to three home economics students and 11 agricultural students.

Home economics winners are Melinda Anne Goen, Norma Faye Haddox and Velma Mae Rich. Agricultural honorees are John Rudolph Baumgardner, Michael Allen Cole, James Russell Conrad, Lee Jimmy Everitt, Donald Charles Herzog, Dale Turner Hood, James W. Jones, Edwin Henry Meyer Jr., Victor E. Schoenwolf, Darrell N. Ueckert and Danny Keith McCook.

Deans, assistant deans and department heads of the two schools will attend the banquet.

Convocations End All Rush Activities

Final rush week activities for Tech's 11 men's social fraternities will end at 2:05 p.m. today.

At that time the doors to the Agriculture Auditorium will be closed and no more rushees may enter. The two convocations will begin at 1:05 p.m. and 2:05 p.m. Each is expected to last about 30 minutes. A rushee may sign his final bid at either session.

Thomas Stover, assistant dean of student life, will discuss "Finances and Requirements of pledging" and Mike Denton, assistant fraternity advisor, will analyze "Responsibility of Pledge-ship" at each session.

To be eligible to pledge a rushee must have had a 2.0 grade average for the preceding semester and cannot be on disciplinary probation.

A rushee must list the fraternities he wishes to pledge in order of preference. He may list all fraternities if he desires.

Denton predicted that 225 or more men may sign bids during the convocation.

Lists naming the rushees that will pledge each fraternity will be released in the Union Snack Area between 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Saturday.

"During the past semester," Denton said, "things have happened to indicate that a change in the present rush system would

be beneficial to fraternities. The present system is too expensive in terms of time, money and grades."

Will Astronaut Man Unicycle In Space Try?

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP)—An American astronaut has ordered a unicycle.

The order to Push Button Container Corp., Albuquerque, came from spaceman M. Scott Carpenter who wanted the unicycle sent to National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Houston, Tex.

D. E. Cornell III, an official of the corporation, told Carpenter junior high school students can learn to ride the unicycle in 90 minutes.

"Since I assume you will be learning under the force of gravity, it may well take you an hour or so longer," he said.

Cornell said he didn't know why the astronaut wanted the unicycle but he was pretty sure it's not meant for use in space.

PEACE CORPS TEST

The Peace Corps Placement Test will be administered on campus at 9 a.m. today in room 204 of the East Engineering Bldg.

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SKY'S THE LIMIT—Nancy Henry, sophomore from Lubbock, casts her kite to the winds in practice for the annual Kappa Alpha Theta kite flight. Supervising onlookers are left to right, Kay Taylor, Midland freshman and Ellen Heathington, Dallas freshman.

The flight will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at the parade grounds, south of the Music Bldg. All Theta pledges are required to fly their decorated kites before they may be initiated. A combo will provide music and refreshments will be served after the flight.

—Staff Photo

Initial Week Of Intramurals Reaches End

The first week of girls basketball intramurals ended Thursday, with all teams playing at least one game. Badminton and table tennis tourneys are now in the quarter finals.

Miss Margot Purdy, instructor in charge of the program, said, "The intramural program is providing fun and healthy recreational activity for participating girls."

Independent League games were played Monday and Tuesday. Bible Chair beat West III, Knapp II topped Town Girls and Newman Club, West I beat Knapp I and Doak defeated BSU.

Wednesday and Thursday Sorority League teams played their games. Results were: Pi Beta Phi over Alpha Chi Omega V, Pi Beta Phi I over Sigma Kappa I. Kappa Alpha Theta over Sigma Kappa II. Delta Delta Delta I over Alpha Chi Omega I, Delta Gamma over Alpha Chi Omega II, Alpha Chi Omega III over Sigma Kappa II, Gamma Phi Beta over Delta Delta Delta II.

Remaining contestants in the badminton singles tournament are Laurelle Wheatley, Pam Hughes, Susie Peterson, Michele Stephens, Sandy Seeman, Kakkie Shaughness, Susan Graham, Frances Rogers, Carol Miller, Cissy Clark, and Carol Page.

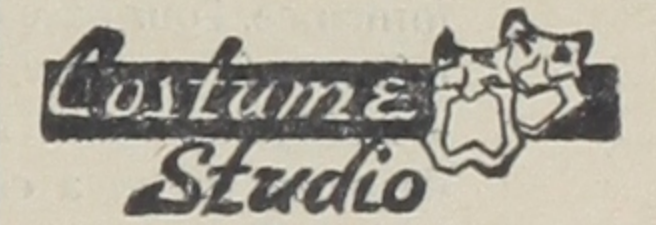
Three Journalists Talk At Meeting

A panel discussion by three senior journalism majors on "The Student Looks at the Weekly Press" will be a major topic of the 14th Annual Mid-Winter Meeting of the West Texas Press Assn. meeting at the Pioneer Hotel today and Sunday.

Participating in the discussion will be Claudette McInnis from Brownwood, editor of the Lamb County Leader in Littlefield, Charles Richards from Jayton, editor of THE DAILY TOREADOR, and Max Jennings from Levelland, managing editor of the TOREADOR.

The panel, moderated by Ralph Sellmeyer, assistant professor of journalism, will begin at 10:50 a.m. Sunday.

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Concert Sunday

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ORCHESTRA CONCERT

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Soloists will be William Harold, violinist, and Robert Humiston, oboist.

SUNDAY MOVIE

"The Fountainhead," starring Raymond Massey, Gary Cooper and Robert Patricia Neal, will show Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the Coronado Room of Tech Union.

AWS MEETING

The Association of Women Students will meet in open session at 5 p.m. Wednesday in Tech Union.

Representatives from any campus organization may attend to nominate candidates for AWS offices.

TECHSAN PROMOTED

Dr. Bruce C. Browning, former Tech assistant professor of education, was recently named chief

administrator of academic affairs at Cerritos College, Norwalk, California.

WALLACE TO MEET

Dr. Ernest Wallace, professor and graduate advisor of the history department, leaves Saturday for a meeting of the executive council of West Texas Historical Association in Abilene.

DEAN ATTENDS MEET

Dr. Willa Vaughn Tinsley, dean of home economics, is attending Area In-Service Education Con-

ference for home economics teachers in Nacogdoches. Dean Tinsley will speak to the conference on "Serving More People As We Grow Professionally."

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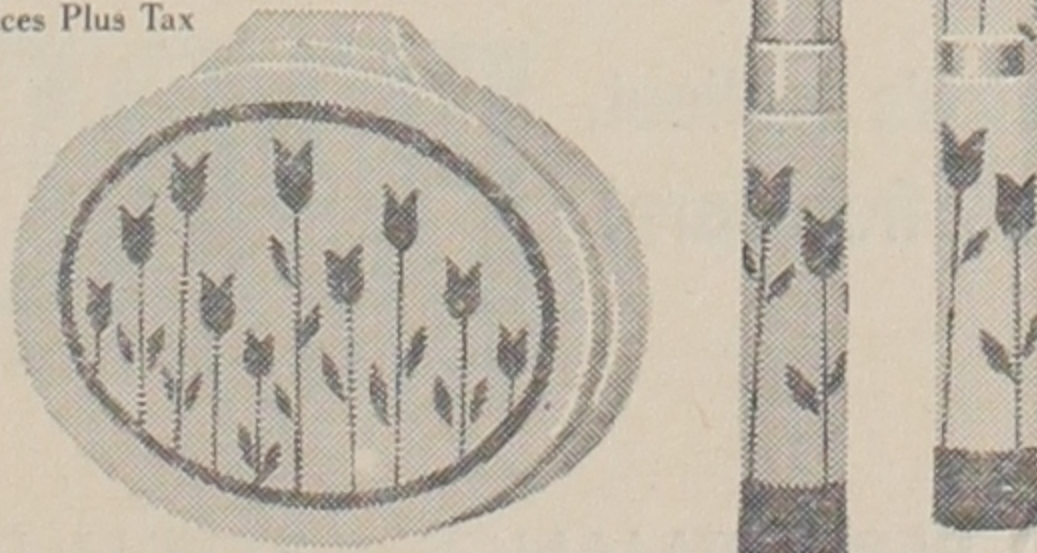
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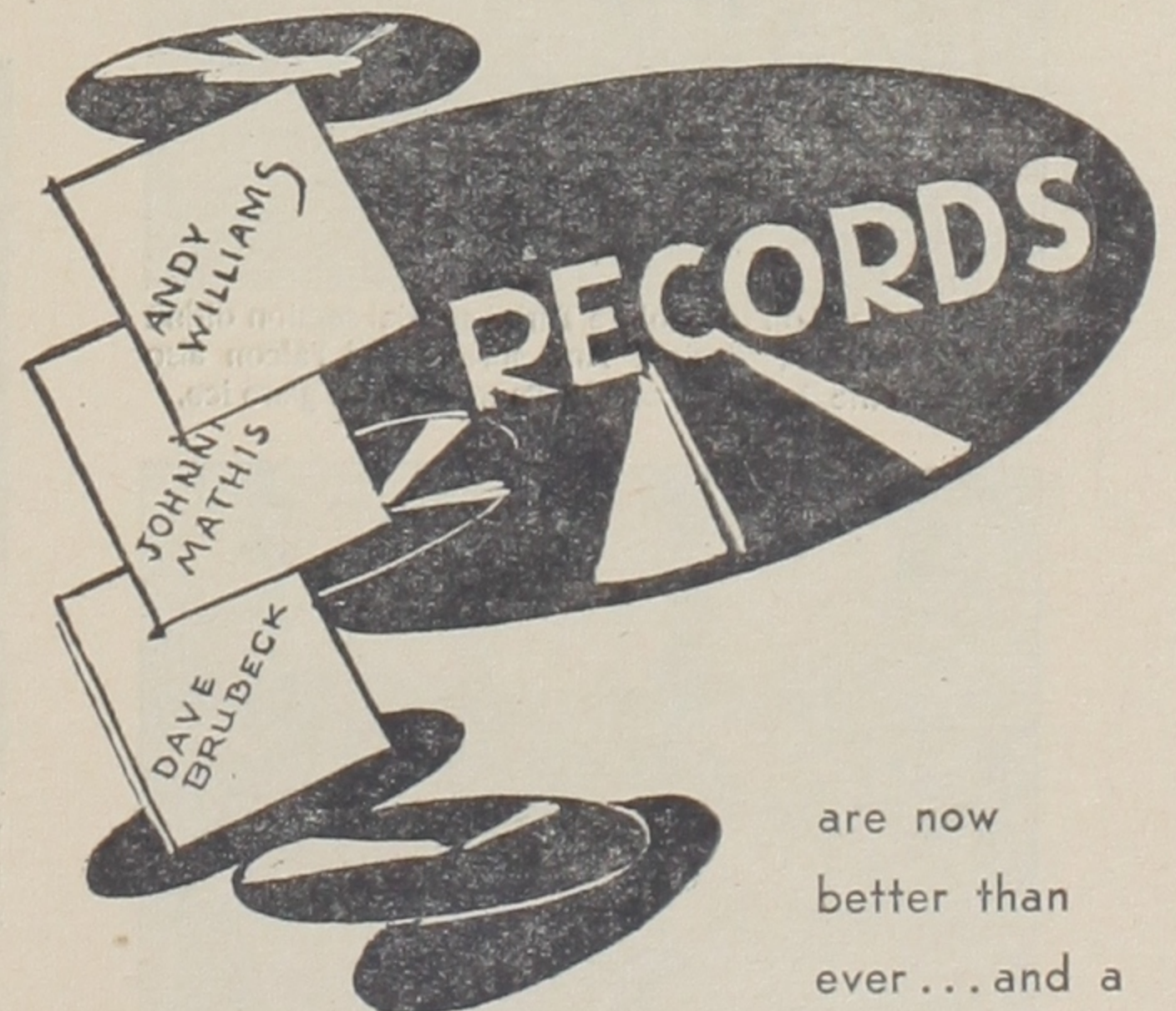
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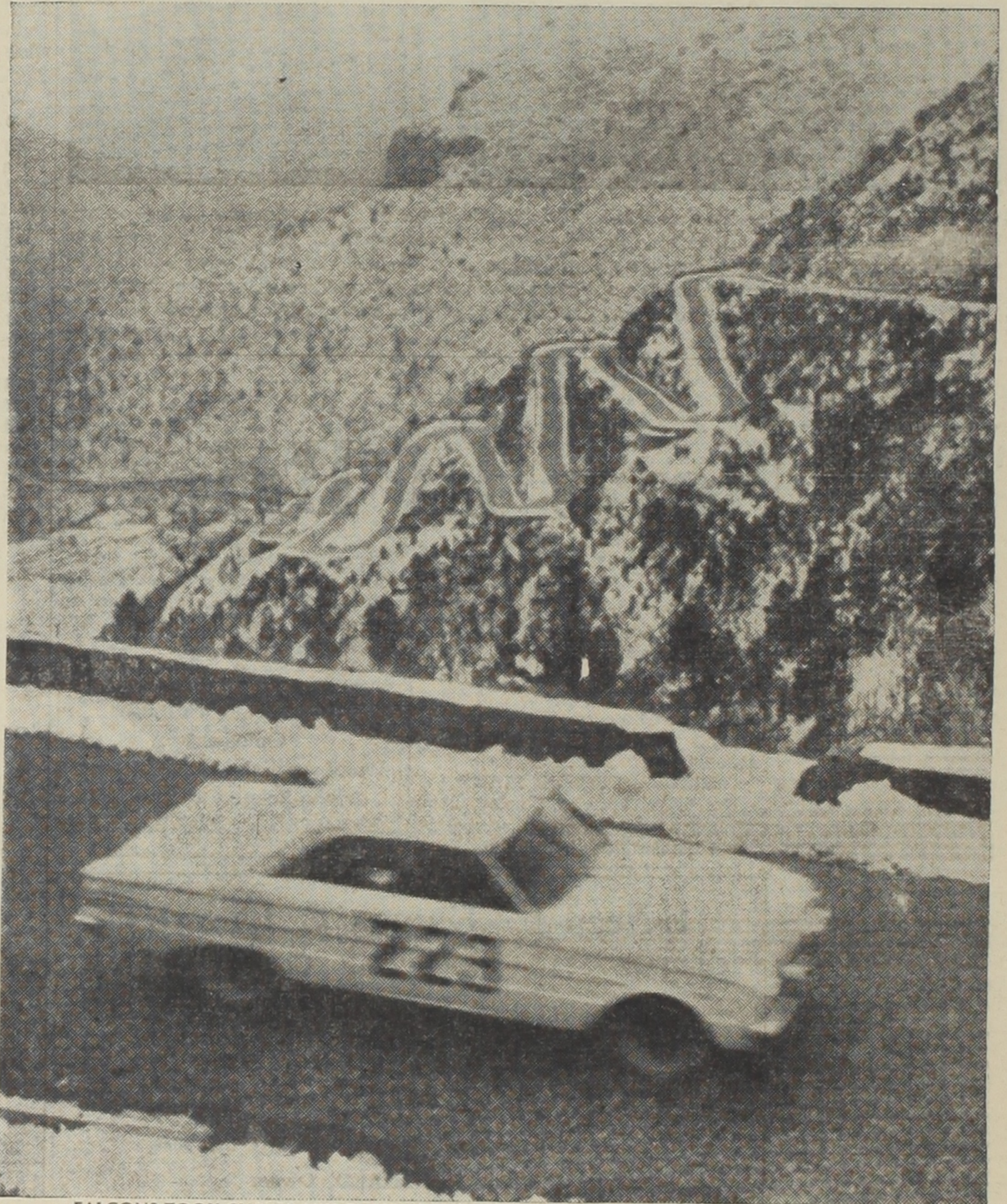
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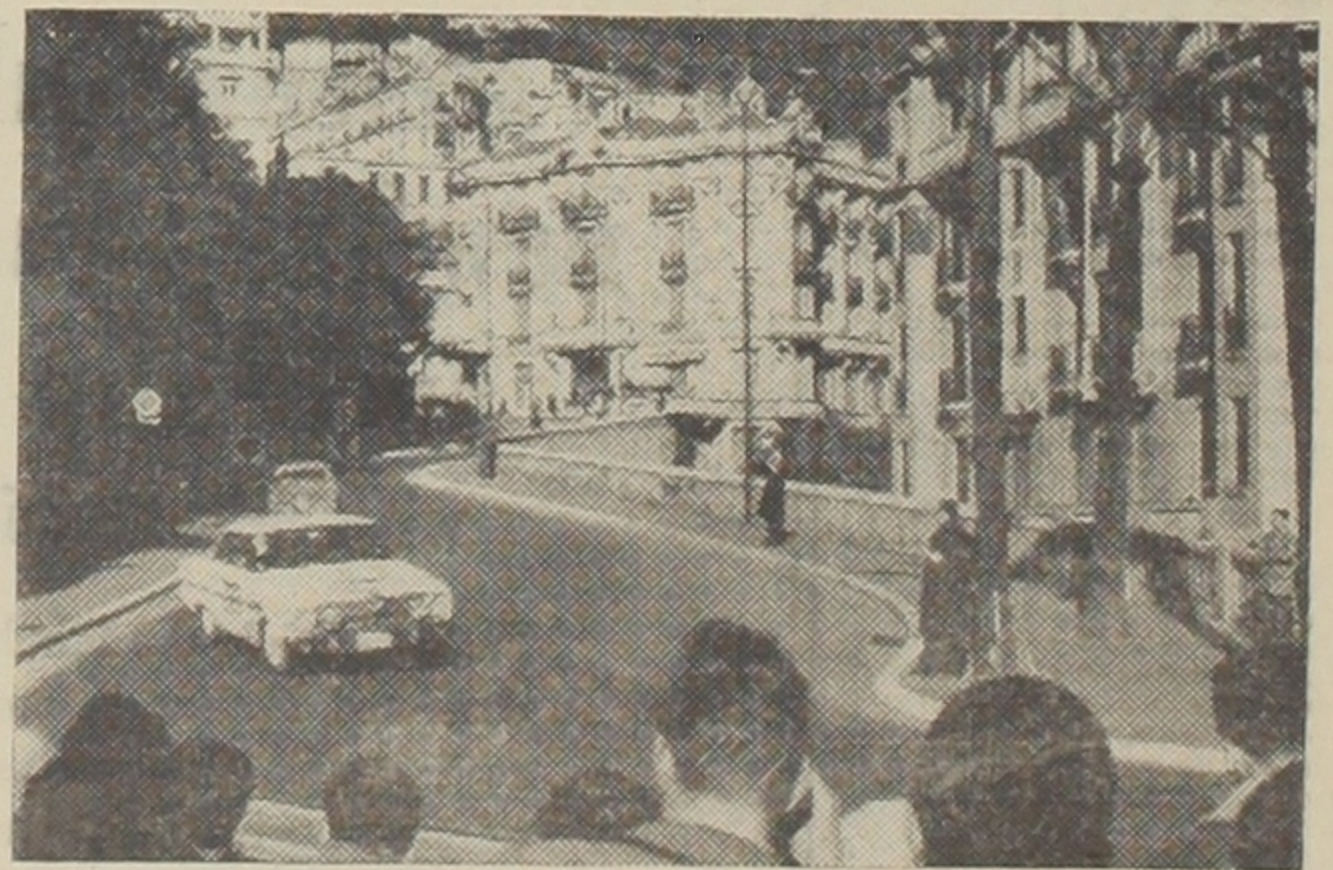
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