



A hoarse cackle and a sudden wild flurry of wingbeats are what thousands of hunters will be hoping to hear throughout the Texas Panhandle tomorrow morning [Saturday] before they see a ringneck cock flush from cover ahead of them such as the one pictured here. The 1976 pheasant season, which runs 16 days and includes three full weekends, will kick off 30 minutes before sunrise tomorrow and continues through Dec. 26. Shooting hours end 30 minutes after sunset each day with a bag limit of two cocks per day and a possession limit of four. The Brand will feature a special cover page on pheasant hunting in the Sunday edition. [PHOTO BY JIM STEIERT]

## Horde Of Hunters Will Take To Fields

# Ringnecks Fair Game Sat.

BY JIM STEIERT  
Brand Outdoors Writer

Thirty minutes before sunrise tomorrow (Saturday), one of nature's most colorful upland gamebirds, the Chinese ringnecked pheasant, becomes fair quarry for sportsmen throughout the Panhandle.

AND IF THE past few years are any indicating, up to 10,000 hunters will be taking to the stalk fields and playa lakebeds in the Magic Triangle area of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer Counties Saturday.

With "pheasant mania" running rampant among the area's male populace this weekend, virtually no likely-looking cover will go unsearched.

And if you're hoping to book a room at a local motel for the weekend, you can just about forget it. Your chances of finding accommodations here are pretty slim with a massive influx of hunters from southern Texas and surrounding states.

Opening weekend of pheasant season means booming business for local restaurants, motels, and sporting goods dealers.

A RECENT check by Texas Parks & Wildlife Department officials revealed a

59 per cent increase in the ringneck population in the 14 Panhandle counties checked.

Highest populations were noted in Deaf Smith County, particularly in the area surrounding Hereford, and some areas were reported to have a population of one cock per hen.

All census indications point toward an outstanding hunt during the 16 day season, which includes three full weekends, concluding Dec. 26.

Possession limit is four cockbirds after the first day of hunting, which the limit two cocks per day.

THE LARGE ringneck population attests to the remarkable success of pheasant in the local area.

The exotic gamebirds were first introduced to this area by landowners and townspeople who released them in 1946 or 1947.

The population expanded to a huntable level in just 18 years, and now Deaf Smith County is widely recognized as one of the state's premiere pheasant hunting areas.

State Game Warden Chuck Cosper of Hereford feels that more cover will be available for hunters to work this year, in comparison to 1975, and points out that

the hunting should be just as good as last year.

BUT IF hunters expect to go out and work any cover they please, they might have a rude awakening when an irate landowner files trespassing charges against them.

"The first priority should be to obtain permission to hunt from the landowner," said Cosper. "Trespassing has become a big problem here in recent years and more and more cases are being filed, so sportsmen should make sure of where they are hunting and have permission in order to avoid problems," he added.

Landowners wishing to post their property should place signs at all of the main entrances.

Hunters are also reminded to remember their manners where electric fences are concerned.

LOCAL LANDOWNERS running cattle on their property often complain of gates left unclosed or electric fences which have been knocked down, creating a great deal of extra work for them.

The warden emphasized that any local landowner encountering a problem with trespassers should contact the sheriff's office.

Two other violations which are common are shooting from public roadways and shooting hens, with the fine for taking hens ranging from \$25 to \$200.

"We would remind hunters that they need to leave the head and feet attached to the carcass of the bird until they get it to its final destination," said Cosper.

THE HEAD and feet of the birds are used to determine their sex during road checks.

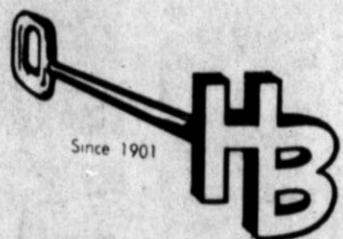
Game wardens from other areas of the state will be called into the local area this weekend, and with as many as 15 additional wardens working the area, there's a good chance you'll be checked if you're afield.

With wily cockbirds surprisingly tough to kill, the Hereford warden recommends magnum loads of No. 6 shot in 12 and 20 gauge guns, in order to avoid crippling problems.

"These birds can hide effectively when they're wounded, so if you only wing one, chances are you'll have a hard time finding him without the aid of a dog," Cosper commented.

SHOTGUNS need not be plugged to

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## Donations Given Girlstown At Lions Christmas Party

The Hereford Lions Club hosted an estimated crowd of 500 persons at its annual Christmas Party Thursday evening at the Bull Barn.

Special guests of the Lions at the gala event were 83 girls from Girlstown U.S.A.'s Borger and Whiteface campuses, and several residents of the local King's Manor.

The party was highlighted by the presentation by Lion Jim Tucker, auction chairman, of a check in the amount of \$2,666 to Marshall Cooper, Director of Girlstown.

The check, representing the proceeds from the Lions Club Girlstown Auction, brought the total amount of money and goods given to Girlstown by the Lions to an estimated \$3,000.

In addition, Corlis presented Cooper with a check for \$525 for the Girlstown Coat and Shoe Fund. The amount represents a donation of \$2.50 per member of the club.

In addition to the honored guests several Lions International dignitaries

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15 DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

## Hunters Can Start Day At Breakfast

Bleary-eyed pheasant hunters can wake up before going afield Saturday morning with a hearty breakfast, courtesy of the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary.

AUXILIARY MEMBERS will be serving up breakfast from 4:30 to 7:30 a.m. at the Hereford High School cafeteria.

The menu will include scrambled eggs, ham, biscuits and gravy and coffee, at a price of \$2.50 per plate.

Popular with both local and out of town hunters, the auxiliary breakfast is now in its fourth year.

AUXILIARY MEMBER Mrs. Jay Spain commented, "This project was launched as a fund-raiser, but it has become such a tradition with a lot of folks that it is a good public relations project for us now."

Proceeds from the breakfast will be used to purchase additional equipment and supplies for the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department.

As a special service to hunters, the auxiliary will have both resident and non-resident hunting licenses available for purchase at the breakfast.



### In Appreciation

Santa Claus, alias Charles Watson, presents Lions Club president Clete Corlis with a token of appreciation from the club at the annual Christmas Party Thursday night. The "present" consisted of a bouquet of roses mounted alongside a cow patty. Corlis also received the suit he was wearing from the club in appreciation of his work. [BRAND PHOTO]



### Demonstrated Ability

The rugged features of an early day Indian come through in vibrant colors as Ben Konis, Amarillo artist, demonstrated his ability that an canvas during a public showing of his artistic work which is

on display at Hereford State Bank through today. He has paintings exhibited in galleries throughout the Southwest. [PHOTO BY PHYL SMITH]

## Swine Flu Inoculation Program Here Winds Down After Today

By BOBBY TEMPLETON  
Brand News Editor

If a Swine Flu epidemic does come, it'll probably get of us as a majority of Hereford and United States residents have failed to obtain inoculations from the feared disease.

Apparently, most citizens aren't fearing it as much as government officials thought they ought to when the first set out to immunize 215 million U.S. citizens under its mass inoculations program started earlier this year. As of the latest report, only 35 million had received shots for the flu and less than 2,000 local

residents have supposedly been given the inoculations.

THE MAJOR EMPHASIS of the statewide program is ending today including the big push locally to administer the shots but they will be available through the rest of this month according to Dr. Howard Johnson, city health officer. An exact count on the number inoculations was not known but he said that about 2,000 doses of the flu vaccine had been received.

He confirmed state level decisions of the State Department of Health Resources to discontinue the active

inoculation program. However, vaccines will be offered to those wishing them through the rest of December.

"We're going to give shots the rest of the month but the benefit is negligible since we're moving into flu season," Johnson said. January is considered by most experts as the peak of the swine flu season, or when the disease is most contagious.

Including the Hereford Public Health Clinic and both local private medical clinics, participating agencies have administered most of the doses that have been received locally.

THESE INOCULATIONS will protect people starting about three weeks after being given and therefore, Dr. Johnson recommends strongly that people receive their shots as soon as possible. To insure that most persons were adequately protected, doctors were trying to administer the shots no later than today so that immunity would be offered through the most dangerous period of the flu season.

"The longer it is put off the less

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### Large Donation Made

WICHITA FALLS (AP)- A retired Midwestern University educator who says he never earned more than \$12,000 annually was able to "save a little money" during his 39-year career at the school.

Dr. D.L. Ligon, 72, and his wife donated \$100,000 Thursday to the small university's fundraising campaign.

"I've been in the teaching business for 52 years and during that time my wife and I have been able to save a little money," said Ligon.

### Ford Waits On Nuclear Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)- The Ford administration will not put into effect a new policy aimed at curbing nuclear proliferation in order to give President-elect Carter a chance to offer his own plans, government officials say.

At the same time, European diplomats disclosed that President Ford's program of controls, proposed during the election campaign, won greater support from the Soviet Union and its Communist partners than from America's own allies in a secret London conference last month.

### Hostage Compromise Accepted

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)- A compromise between Western and Arab nations has lifted the first big obstacle to a comprehensive United Nations treaty against the taking of hostages.

As a result, a West German resolution calling for a 35-nation panel to draft the treaty next year was expected to win strong approval today from the General Assembly's legal committee.

Subsequent passage by the full assembly is largely a formality.

### weather

West Texas: Partly cloudy through Saturday. Turning colder most sections tonight. Widely scattered showers west of the Pecos tonight. Low tonight near 20 north to mid 30s south. High Saturday 40s north to near 60 south.

### obituaries

Adela Rameriz

**Lions**

attended the party. Included in that group were International Director Ed Flood of Amarillo, and District 27-1 Governor Jimmy Pigman.  
The Hereford High School Leo Club, represented by president Greg Pagett, vice president Tommy Weaver, and

**Pheasant--**  
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three shell capacity for hunting the colorful ringnecks, but guns must be plugged if gunners intend to take ducks or geese in addition to pheasant on opening day.  
Pheasant may also be hunted from a vehicle on private property, but the practice of dragging fields with cables or chain strung between vehicles is discouraged.  
If you're a local hunter and don't get your limit during the opening weekend, there's still room for optimism during the remainder of the season.  
HUNTER INTEREST tapers off after the initial weekend, and a dedicated hunter can find birds with less competition in the final days of the season.

secretary-treasurer Sabra Hacker, also made a presentation to Girlstown.  
Angie Ekright and Claudia Breaux, president and vice president of the Whiteface campus, were on hand to accept an Air Hockey Game from the Leos.

The Kappa Iota chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi also got into the act, and presented Cooper with a check in the amount of \$400. Linda Brisendine and Donna Jones represented the sorority. The money came from proceeds of a Benefit Bridge party held by the chapter.  
The program for the party consisted of entertainment by the Hereford Youth Choir under the direction of Bill Devers.

**Shots**

protection is offered," the doctor said.  
Concerning the exact purpose of the monoavalent and bivalent forms of the vaccine, Dr. Johnson explained that the monoavalent is recommended for those between 18 and 65 years-old who are healthy because it contains immunity one virus. "These are people who are stronger and have built up resistance to other forms (viruses) of flu."  
The bivalent contains A-Victoria and New Jersey strains of the swine flu and offers protection from these viruses. It is

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Following the performance of the choir, Santa Claus himself made an appearance as the party began to wind up with the presentation of gifts to the girls.  
Each girl received a blanket from the club, in addition to personal gifts from their sponsoring Lion. The ladies in attendance also received a small gift from the club.  
After embarrassing Lion Sweetheart Karen Fox with a gag gift, the Lions presented her with a set of luggage in appreciation for her work within the club.  
Corlis also received a new suit from the club as is the usual practice, and Santa presented several members with gag gifts.

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recommended for the less healthy people who are older than 65-years-old and those with chronic illnesses. These people need the added immunity offered in the vaccine.  
The Hong Kong strain of flu, which was more prevalent in earlier years, is not feared today.  
Inoculations throughout the rest of the month may be obtained through an individual's own physician or at the Public health clinic if necessary.



**Special Presentation**

Jim Tucker, chairman of the Lions Girlstown Auction Committee, presents a check for proceeds of the auction to Girlstown Director Marshall Cooper at the Christmas party Thursday night. The auction raised over \$2,000 for Girlstown. (BRAND PHOTO).

**Obituaries**

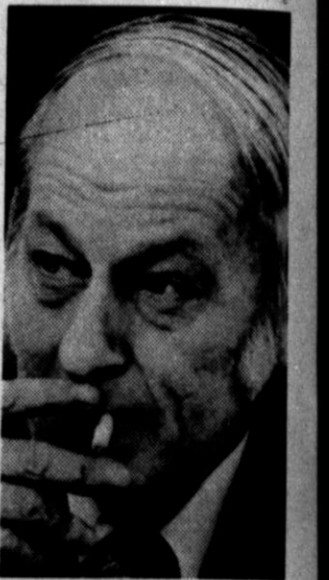
ADELA RAMERIZ

Services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church for Mrs. Adela Rameriz of 501 Brevard with the Rev. Jose Gilligan, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in St. Anthony's Cemetery by Smith & Co. Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rameria died Tuesday in Deaf Smith General Hospital. She was a former resident of Lubbock and had come to this community ten years ago. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Survivors include the widower, Edmond; four sons, Juan Manuel of Portland, Ore., John of Canon City, Colo., Joe of the home and Ray, who is stationed with the Armed Forces in Germany; her father, Mike Curasco of Hemet, Calif., two sisters, Manuela Sanchez of Amarillo and Cruz Rameriz of Midland; five brothers, Juan and Ray Sanchez of Midland, Ramon Hernandez of Las Cruces, N.M., Inez Sanchez of Stantion and Lorenzo Sanchez of Midland; and seven grandchildren.



**RENE LEVESQUE**, Quebec's new separatist premier, says his goal is independence for the province but continuing association with the rest of Canada. The new relationship, however, would be one of equality with Quebec developing its French identity free of the "paralyzed, federalism or worse than that, the arrogant and over-centralized federalism" of Ottawa.

**Salesman In Wrong Place At Bad Time**

HILLSBORO (AP) - A traveling salesman from Burleson, Tex., very literally, was in the wrong place at the wrong time and did exactly the wrong thing near here Thursday afternoon.  
Returning home from Corsicana, the 30-year-old man stopped his 1975 Mercedes at a roadside park on Texas 122 about 4:15 p.m. to throw away a soft drink bottle. Moments later he was arrested for investigation of extortion.  
"It's not every day that you look in a trashcan and see money," said the man, a church deacon who asked that his name not be printed.  
The trashcan was a bag from the Citizens National Bank of Hillsboro. It was placed there by officers trying to trap an individual who telephoned the bank's vice president, George Bonner, half an hour earlier.  
The rough voiced extortionist demanded that \$4,000 be placed in that trashcan at the exact time the Burleson man stopped there to discard his pop bottle.  
"I looked in the bag and I could see there was a \$10 and

receipt books with a rubber band around them," the salesman said. "So then I looked in the other trashcan to see if there was more."  
Officers, hidden nearby and watching, said he did precisely what an extortionist making a pickup would do.  
"He just whipped in there," Hill County Sheriff Ray Pettit said. "He looked through both cans before he found it."  
After dentering there was no more money in the cans, the man got into his car and began driving toward Hillsboro to return the bag, he said.  
"Then I looked into my rear view mirror and I saw I had a lot of company," he said.  
Behind his car were FBI agents, Texas Rangers, sheriff's deputies, highway patrolmen and others.  
The startled salesman, who works for a Fort Worth firm, was arrested and driven to Waco, where Department of Public Safety officers gave him a polygraph examination.  
Pettit said the man was released as a suspect after readily passing the lie detector test.

**LaPlata Honorees Listed**

Pat Hughes Principal of La Plata Junior High School, has announced those receiving academic honors for the first trimester. Students achieving perfect 5-point grade averages are listed here according to grades. In 9th grade Joycelyn Aven, Brenda Brown, Randall Carnahan, Janelle Coupe, Karen Drake, Randall Ellis, Robert Fish, Ginger Freeman, Lynn Garrett, Jennifer Griffin, Timothy Hamlett, Dee Hairgrove, April Holly, Tracy Keating, Lisa McCabe, Brian McCustian, Terry Melugin, Barry Morgan, Delma Padilla, Melinda Reinart, Melisa Tatum, Steven Veigel, Gary Vogel, Carla West, Sheri Whitaker.  
In 8th grade - Jacquelyn Antwine, Susan Brown, Robert Boyd, John Foster, Linda Garcia, Terri Harkins, Kelly Killough, Willa Lawson, William Lyles, Jill Paschel, Erin

Record, Elizabeth Rudd, Doug Schroeter, Christopher Schumacher, Karol Shook, Crystal Zinser.  
In 7th grade - Beth Anderson, Steven Barkowsky, Steven Barrett, Kevin Coupe, Jeffery Coupe, Jeffery Cospser, Kimberly Conrad, Graciela DeLaCruz, Don Delozier, Cheryl Fariss, Robert Foster, Sandra Fairweather, Barry Jossorand, Marsalyn King, Cathy Lane, Cynthia Lomenick, Elaine Reinart, Rhonda Reinart, Mika Robinson, Kimberly Sims, Andy Stengel, Brenda Straffuss, Lisa Snyder, Trent Thomas, Alan Wartes, Glenna West, Cheryl Walterscheid, Glyndia Wilson, Carol Zinser.  
Students earning 4.5 grade point averages are as follows:  
In 9th grade - Kyle Behrends, Dora Casarez, Corey Christie, Karla Driskill, Wade Easley, Robert Edwards, Karen

Evans, Kerry Hacker, Jeff Milam, Ricky Moore, Brian Rahfhs, Marta Stribling, Karen Trice, Doyle Vogler, Tania Wilson.  
In 8th grade - Terri Bethune, Robby Cook, Tim Dodge, Jeffrey Flippo, Shelley Gerk, Scott Gentry, Celia Goebel, Monica George, John Jossorand, Jennefer Jorde, Penny Olson, Lucy Ortega, Cheryl Oakley, Shari Perkins, Brian Peeler, Greg Robinson, Donna Schlabs, Theresa Schilling, Brent Self, Christi Welty, Melinda Walterscheid, Diane Warden, Leona Warren.  
In 7th grade - Joseph Barber, Tammy Behrends, Lovina Bone, Kelly Cassels, Christy Duncan, Brent Glenni, Susan Goss, Gina Griffin, Salehi Igal, Joan Kalika, Caroline Kearns, Annette Lafuente, Kyle Lytal, Karen Milton, Deborah Rogers, Amy Schumacher, Sharon Skaggs.

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**Ashley Says Firing Resulted From Not Cooperating In Bell Probe**

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Former Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. executive James Ashley says he was fired from his \$55,000-a-year job after he refused to cooperate with the company in a probe of the late T.O. Gravitt.  
Gravitt was head of Bell's Texas operations when he committed suicide at his Dallas home in October 1974 after the investigation. Ashley was fired after the probe.  
Ashley, who described Gravitt as a close personal friend and confidant, testified for the second day Thursday in his \$4 million invasion of privacy suit against Southwestern Bell. He was to face cross-examination today.  
Ashley said he was advised from his suspension from the company on Oct. 9, 1974, by C.L. Todd, San Antonio manager for Southwestern Bell.

He said Todd told him: "Ashley, you may get some money out of this but you'll never live to enjoy it."  
In November 1974, Ashley joined with the Gravitt family to file a \$29 million libel and slander suit against Southwestern Bell. No date has been set for trial of this suit.  
Ashley alleges, in his current invasion of privacy suit, that Bell wiretapped his telephones and improperly used his long distance call records after he

filed the \$29 million suit.  
He testified Thursday that he contacted friends and associates within Southwestern Bell after he filed the suit. He said he hoped they would help him assemble information he needed in the action.  
But Ashley said his friends soon were confronted by Southwestern Bell security men warned the people not to talk with Ashley, that they were watching him closely.  
Ashley also testified that he checked his home telephones

and believed they were bugged. He said friends told him the company knew every move he made, every call he placed, he talked with and what he said.  
In the past two years, Ashley said he has lived with "a constant feeling of never being alone."  
He also testified Thursday that Gravitt, before his death, warned him that his telephones were wiretapped by company security officers. Gravitt said his own phones also were bugged, Ashley said.

**Dictators Credited for U.S. Sweep Of All Nobel Prizes**

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) - The United States collects all the Nobel Prizes being given this year at ceremonies tonight, but the physics winner says it may not make a clean sweep again unless the U.S. government puts more money into basic scientific research.  
Another 1976 laureate, novelist Saul Bellow, said some of the credit must go to Hitler, Mussolini and Stalin because they drove Europe's best minds to America.

King Carl Gustaf hands out the five prizes - worth \$160,000 each - to seven Americans at ceremonies this evening in the Stockholm Concert Hall.  
In addition to Bellow for literature, the winners are Burton Richter of Stanford University and Samuel C.C. Ting of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology for physics, William N. Lipscomb of Harvard for chemistry, Milton Friedman of the University of Chicago for economics, and Baruch S. Blumberg of the University of Pennsylvania and D. Carleton Gajdusek of the National Institute for Neurological Diseases for medicine.  
No Peace Prize is being given this year.

"There's a certain amount of pride that we're all Americans, but I think it's an accident. The awards are for work that was done over a long period of time and started a long time ago. You can't say it's because of the great way America treats science. The fact is government support for basic research is going down.  
"If this stimulates more support, then I'm all for a little nationalism. But we'd better be careful or there won't be another such occasion."

**Smith And Co. Ambulance Used in Wreck**

Smith and Co. furnished the ambulance that delivered Curtis Bill Peerman, the victim of a one-vehicle turnover, to the Deaf Smith General Hospital Thursday. It had been incorrectly identified as a Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home vehicle.  
Smith and Co. Funeral Home is the only source of ambulances in Hereford at present. The other funeral home used to run ambulances here.

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# YHT Contributes To Local Project

Members of the Hereford chapter, Young Homemakers of Texas, made a donation to project Christmas Card during their meeting Tuesday evening in the Southwestern Public Service Reddy Room.

Other business considered included discussion of the organization's current fund-raising project, photography sessions of children with Santa Claus. A photographer is stationed at Sugarland Mall from 4-6 p.m. each Friday, from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. each Saturday and from 5-8 p.m. Dec. 21-23.

Members were reminded that the state YHT convention will be held at Fort Worth next month.

The devotional was delivered by Mrs. Harry Hardisty. It was announced that the next

meeting is scheduled Jan. 4 in Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room.

Recognition was given to guests, who included Mrs. C.P. Urbanczyk, Amy Cole, Dawn Lyons, Evelyn Morrison, Carmela Brock and Phyl Smith.

Members present, who have not yet been mentioned, included Mmes. Jim Culpepper, Larry Alley, Roy Carlson, Larry Dearing, Bud Kelley, Louis Montano, Mike Solomon, Connie Urbanczyk and Martin Urbanczyk.

Also, Mmes. Bill Abbott, Rick Goss, John Hagar, Tony Hardin, Deana Beemes, Barbara Weatherford, Miss Ann Bradley and Mrs. M.T. Burelsmith.

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## 'Y' Campaign Supported

On behalf of Hereford's YMCA committee, Robert Mayfield accepts a \$100 donation from Dorothy Szydoski, president of the American Association of University Women. The AAUW compiled this contribution from proceeds of a garage sale, held here earlier this fall.

## Small Blaze Occurs During Club Party

A Christmas meeting of La Plata Study Club Tuesday night was interrupted by excitement when a candle arrangement in the home of Ruby Boston caught fire. The small blaze was promptly extinguished by club members.

Otherwise, the party went as planned, with the entire club membership in attendance. Secret pals were revealed and gifts exchanged.

There was no business session other than the announcement that the next meeting is scheduled Jan. 4 in the home of Mrs. Doug Barlett.

Present for the festivities were Mmes. W.D. Askew,

Bartlett, Jack Brown, Emil Dettman, Marvin Hall, Melvin Hoover, Charles Kelley, Karl Mannscheck, Lewis McCustian, Ansel McDowell and J.D. Neill.

Also there were Mmes. James McDowell, O.G. Nieman, Elmer Patterson, Frank Prowell, Ken Rogers, A.J. Schroeter, Philip Shook, Bob Sims, Don Taylor, Harlan VanderZee, Raymond White and Louis Woodford.

## Hospital Notes

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL**

Modesta Acevedo, 409 Barrett; Curtis Perryman, Box 664, Baird, Texas; Dianne Pierson, Route 3; Jess Robinson, Route 1; Beulah Robison, 139 Sunset Drive; Isabel Ybarra, Box 1183; Janice Allred, Box 19, Wildorado; Eva Banegas, 305 Bennett.

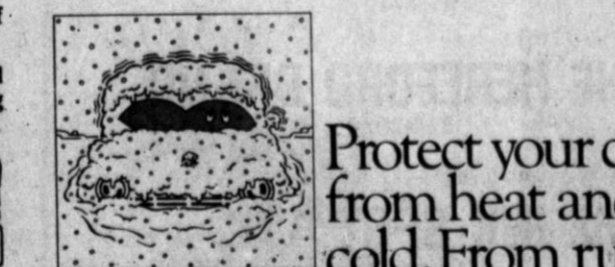
Crecy Byrd, 310 Avenue H; Esmeralda Cavazos, 621 Whittier; Jeane Coker, 228 Hickory; Richard Dickson, 341 Avenue A; Floyd Dunavant, 524 Sycamore; Alice Gilleland, 323 Avenue I; Frances Gonzales, 407 Long; Alyene Lomenick, Route 2; Zeola McGaughey, Star Route.

George Parker, 604 Irving; Waneen Ragsdale, Route 3; Emma Suit, 709 N. Miles; George Tate, Box 807, Glen Rio, N.M.; Gudelia Villegas, 245 Catalpa; Connie Weatherford, 118-A S. Centre.

**DISMISSALS**

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## Bippus HD Women Hold Yule Party

A Christmas party was held by members of Bippus Extension Club Wednesday in the home of Mrs. C.F. Homfeld.

Special guests were Mrs. Tom Draper, former extension agent here, and Mrs. Inman Larson.

Mrs. Jimmy Bradley presided during the business session and announced that the County Home Demonstration Council is selling spices. She introduced Mrs. G.V. Hall and Mrs. J.V. Perrin, who read Christmas stories during the program segment.

Then, Mrs. Kenneth Homfeld led the club in singing traditional Christmas carols.

The hostess served refreshments and gifts were exchanged.

Other members present included Mmes. Jerry Homfeld, and Wayne Sifford.

## WHO'S NEW BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Monroe, Adrian, are the parents of a daughter, Tami Lyn, born Dec. 8 and weighing seven pounds, five ounces. They also have a son, Jason, two years old.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buel Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hall are the maternal grandparents, all of Hereford.

## ROOKIE COOKIE BAKE SALE IS TOMORROW

Members of Merry Maidens 4-H Club will be holding a "rookie cookie bake sale" beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday in Sugarland Mall. The public is invited to attend the sale.

Quickly made: commercial sour cream and mayonnaise plus crumbled blue cheese stirred together for a dressing for salad. You can use the ingredients in the proportions that are available or that you prefer.

## Ann Landers Crush Causes Problem



**DEAR ANN:** I've never had a problem I couldn't handle myself, but now I'm in a spot that may not sound like much to you but for me it's hell.

I'm a 29-year-old, happily married man with three beautiful daughters. The problem is a 19-year-old girl (I'll call her Mary). She lives with her parents in the upstairs of this duplex.

Mary claims that she is madly in love with me. She comes downstairs the minute she knows I'm home. My wife keeps saying, "That girl sure has a crush on you." I deny it because I don't want to make trouble for the poor kid.

Mary calls me at work every day -- says she will die if she doesn't hear my voice. I've asked her to cut it out but she calls anyway. I've also told her I am not the right man for her, but she swears she can't live without me. Mary has lost 20 pounds in the last two months and goes into crying spells when I tell her she ought to find a nice guy her own age.

What can I do about this terrible situation, Ann? I'm a -- Nervous Wreck

**DEAR N.W.:** There's a lot you aren't telling me -- like how did this "poor kid" get so hung up on you? But that's another letter, Buster.

For her sake as well as your own, you must tell Mary she is not welcome in your home in the future. Let her know if she telephones you at work again you will hang up on her. Then do it.

The problem persists because of your ambivalence and gutlessness. There are times when a person must be cruel to be kind -- and this is certainly one of those times.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** My husband, Mike, got into a little trouble with the law and is now in the penitentiary paying his debt to society.

Our two children (ages 3 and 5) and I moved in with my parents. Mom and Dad have always had a hard time financially. Now with three more mouths to feed I know it must be a terrible strain on them. Of course, they never say anything. They are too kind and considerate for that.

I feel I should go to work and carry my share of the load. I used to be a pretty good typist and could brush up in a couple of weeks. Mike writes to me

almost every day and is dead set against the idea of me working in an office. He keeps repeating, "A mother belongs at home with her children." Mike insists that if I were "more saving" I could manage on my father's check.

I feel guilty watching my mother trying to stretch the meat loaf by adding a lot of oatmeal and bread crumbs and pretending that milk and fresh fruit suddenly don't agree with her. My older child is already in kindergarten and the younger one loves to be with Grandma. But Mike is a stubborn man and I'm afraid I'll never get his permission to go to work. What should I do, Ann? -- Zanesville

**DEAR Z.:** Mike has no right to tell you where YOU ought to be, considering where HE is. Go out and get yourself a job and tell your husband you must do what you feel is decent and honorable. ...

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**IF YOU ARE OVER 16, DON'T READ THIS!!**

This article is directed toward you kids. I want you to stop and think with me a minute about Christmas and what it could mean. Not only to you, but to the people around you.

Christmas seems to center around presents and what you are going to give Uncle Joe and maybe what you are going to get.

Actually, giving is what Christmas means because it is the celebration of God's gift of Jesus. But, instead of thinking about presents, let's think in terms of intangibles. (Those are things you can't touch.)

This Christmas season give a part of yourself to the people who mean a lot to you. Here are some ways you can do this.

- 1) Say "thank you" for time and effort that someone gives to you.
- 2) Help with extra chores.
- 3) Cook a meal for your Mother, even if you are a boy.
- 4) Observe your best manners.
- 5) Don't talk back.
- 6) Wear a smile.

Try these things for just two days, and see if you feel like you have the Christmas spirit. I'll bet you'll even feel a bit like Santa!

## Sorority Schedules Party For Husbands

The annual Christmas party of Kappa Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority was held Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Joe Paetzold. Gifts were exchanged among secret pals.

During the business meeting members were reminded that a Christmas party will be held for husbands Saturday at K-Bobs Steak House. It was also announced that \$408 was raised on benefit bridge and will be presented to Gristown Thursday at the Lion's Christmas party. Other ideas for future money-making projects were discussed.

Mrs. Butch Grover presented a program on Christmas traditions and how they originated.

The hostess, Mrs. Paetzold, and Mrs. Calvin Jones served ham, salad, hot rolls and relishes along with eggnog and hot apple cider.

Those attending were Mmes. Temple Abney, Tom Carter, Steve Jones, Sparky Stephens, Dan Warrick, Randy Griffith, James Head, Judy Wall, Neal Howell, Dwight Turner, Tommy Stoy, Chuck Boyd, Butch Grover, Lynn Brisendine, Calvin Jones and Steve Jones.

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**WEDNESDAY:** Chili beans, mixed greens, buttered corn, hot fruit pie, cornbread and butter and milk.

**THURSDAY:** Baked turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, english peas, celery stick, fruit salad, slice bread and milk.

**FRIDAY:** Bar-b-que beef, tater tots with catsup, tossed salad, jello with pineapple, cookie, kitchen made bun and milk.

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**TUESDAY:** Fish sticks and tartar sauce, baked potato, tossed salad, applesauce, rolls and milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Turkey Chow Mein, cranberry sauce, peas, jello and milk.

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When the bright leaves of autumn are gone from the trees  
And the branches are suddenly bare,  
Soon the mirror-like ponds will be starting to freeze  
As the cold winter wind fills the air,  
While the glistening white of a snowfall so deep  
Paints a beautiful scene at its best,  
In the cycle of nature when life goes to sleep  
And our weary old world is at rest.  
You will learn through your Church what the winter is worth,  
As you gaze at the snow-covered land:  
It's the promise of God for new life on the earth,  
In the spring that will soon be at hand!

— Gloria Nowak

A pine tree stands so lonely  
In the North where the high winds blow,  
He sleeps; and the whitest blanket  
Wraps him in ice and snow.  
— Heinrich Heine

"The snow from heaven...  
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## KKK Blamed For Attack On Marines

CAMP PENDLETON, Calif. (AP)—A civil rights leader says the Ku Klux Klan is to blame for an attack by black Marines on white Leathernecks because the white supremacy group had inflamed emotions.

Comments of the Rev. Jesse Jackson of Chicago, head of Operation PUSH People United to Save Humanity, came during a surprise appearance Wednesday at Camp Pendleton.

Jackson said his purpose in visiting the nation's biggest Marine base was to conduct prayer with the 14 blacks charged with conspiracy and assault in the Nov. 13 raid on a barracks room in which seven white Marines were holding a beer party.

The blacks, who thought they were raiding a KKK meeting and were armed with pipes and screwdrivers, sent six of the white Marines to the hospital.

The KKK provoked the incident, even though Klan members were not the ones who were attacked, Jackson told a press conference after talking with the jailed men, their

military lawyers and Maj. Gen. Carl Hoffman, the base commander.

The Marine Corps did not disclose what Hoffman and Jackson discussed.

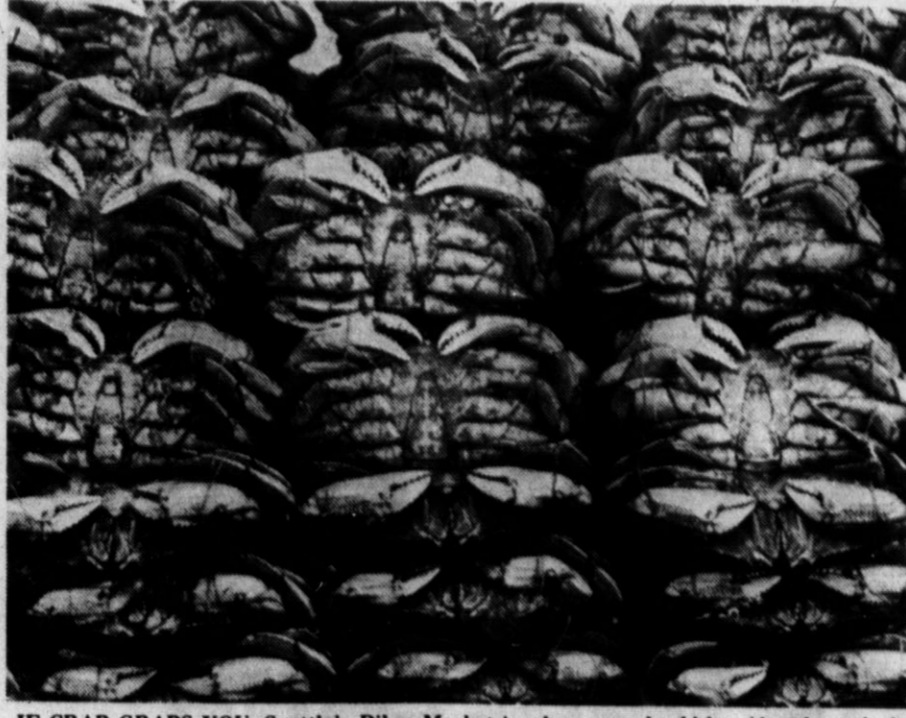
Hoffman on Monday had refused to meet with David Duke, imperial wizard of the KKK, who made an appearance during the start of pretrial hearings for the black Marines.

Duke and demonstrators supporting the blacks were involved in a brief scuffle broken up by military police.

Michael Pancer, an attorney with the American Civil Liberties Union, announced he planned to meet with Klan leaders to decide if the ACLU will help represent 16 alleged KKK members who have been scattered across the nation by transfers since the incident.

"Our client is the Bill of Rights," Pancer said.

The Marine Corps has admitted transferring men whose names were found on an alleged KKK membership list during a sweep of the barracks in which the brawl took place.



IF CRAB GRABS YOU, Seattle's Pike's Market is where you should be. Already cooked crabs are piled high on the Puget Sound waterfront.

## Witchcraft Said Effective Medicine In Curing Warts

BY G.C. MCDANIEL  
AP Science Writer

CHICAGO (AP)—Burying a dead cat at midnight can cure warts as effectively as medical treatment, a dermatologist says. Or you might try rubbing the wart with grasshopper spit or milkweed juice.

Whatever the treatment, the crucial ingredient is faith that it will work, said skin specialist Dr. Jerome Litt of the Case Western Reserve University school of medicine in Cleveland.

He told a news conference at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology this week that he has had "spectacular results" using a "special wart tape"—ordinary sticky tape on which he puts an impressive-looking label.

Litt said he tells his patients that if they wear the tape over the wart, the wart will drop off. It usually does, he said, especially when the patients are impressionable children.

Doctors aren't sure how the "witchcraft" works, he said. It has been suggested that the

methods stimulate secretion of body chemicals which fight the virus that causes the horny growths.

Almost everybody has warts at one time or another, although they may not be recognized and often go away without treatment.

Dr. H.J. Whyte of Emory University's School of Medicine in Atlanta said all warts are caused by the same virus, but they vary in appearance depending on where they are

situated—such as planter warts flattened by pressure on the bottom of the foot.

Medical means of removal include cutting them off or using chemicals to burn them off. But the problem often is to remove them so that they do not leave a scar, Whyte said.

Because warts are caused by a virus, they are contagious. They most often affect children, who have not developed immunity to the virus as most adults do.

## Man Killed In Dallas Shootout

DALLAS (AP)—Police gunfire killed one young man and wounded another seriously moments after a supermarket holdup Thursday night.

Officers said the dying man told them he and his partner committed another robbery in which a food store clerk was killed here Nov. 19.

Authorities said an informant's tip to the Fort Worth metro squad about the impending stickup at a Safeway store in Pleasant Grove district on Dallas' east side caused a squad armed with shotguns, rifles and pistols to surround the place beforehand.

Police spokesman said David L. Daily, 18, of Dallas held up the place as they watched in hiding, and Harold Heitzman, 20, of Hurst waited for him in a car outside.

Daily died about two hours later of wounds which officers said he suffered in a shootout which followed. Heitzman was treated at a hospital for wounds in both legs.

Police spokesman Bob Shaw

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Humor, says Temple University mathematician John A. Paulos, must be logical to be funny.

A good humorist must have a logical mind and an instinctive grasp of paradox as well as a quick wit. He must be able to see the incongruities of two opinions or ways of life within the same logical context, Dr. Paulos explains.

Logicians, demagogues, "true believers" and people of that caliber are notoriously lacking in humor," says Dr. Paulos, who has made a study of it. "They lack perspective. They're rigid, inflexible, usually very dull and often dangerous."

## House Heads Pronounce Leadership

WASHINGTON (AP)—Although the 95th Congress will not convene for four weeks, the House already is getting a look at what it can expect from a speaker-designate who says, "I'll be the leader and make no mistake about it."

The Democrats who control the new House by more than a 2 to 1 margin completed their top leadership Wednesday with the naming of Rep. John Brademas of Indiana as whip.

A proposal before the Democratic caucus Wednesday would have made the whip post elective. This would have opened the way for a contest, with some defeated candidates for majority leader as possible contenders. The caucus shouted down the proposal.

The incoming speaker, Thomas P. O'Neill of Massachusetts, and the new majority

leader, Rep. Jim Wright of Texas, wanted the right their predecessors had of naming the third man in the leadership, the whip. They got it.

Appointed along with Brademas was Rep. Dan Rostenkowski of Illinois as chief deputy while the Democrats consolidated their new leadership 5 swrh. Republicans reelected their top leaders.

Without opposition, Rep. John J. Rhodes of Arizona was named to continue as minority leader, Rep. Robert H. Michel of Illinois as whip and Rep. John B. Anderson of Illinois as conference chairman.

Rep. Del Clawson of California was elected chairman of the Republican Policy Committee and Rep. Bill Frenzel of Minnesota chairman of the Republican Research Committee.

## Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Dec. 10, the 345th day of 1976. There are 21 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1898, a treaty was signed in Paris officially ending the Spanish-American War and ceding the Philippines, Puerto Rico and Guam to the United States.

On this date: In 1520, Martin Luther publicly burned the Papal Bull excommunicating him from the Roman Catholic Church.

In 1817, Mississippi became the 20th state of the Union.

In 1896, the Swedish chemist and philanthropist Alfred Nobel died. The first Nobel Peace Prize was awarded in 1901, on the fifth anniversary of his death.

In 1913, Leonardo da Vinci's Mona Lisa was recovered, two years after its theft from the Louvre in Paris.

In 1941, in the Pacific War, Japanese planes sank two British battleships in the South China Sea.

In 1964, Dr. Martin Luther

King Jr. became the 12th American to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

Ten years ago today: Algeria agreed to an American proposal to try to arrange Vietnam peace talks.

Five years ago: David Packard resigned as the Deputy Defense Chief in the Nixon Administration.

One year ago: The House Select Committee on Intelligence withdrew its recommendation that Secretary of State Henry Kissinger be held in contempt of Congress for withholding subpoenaed documents on covert operations in foreign countries.

Today's birthday: Actress Dorothy Lamour is 62.

Thought for today: Half the accidents happen in the kitchen, and usually the husband has to eat them. - Anonymous.

Bicentennial footnote: Two hundred years ago today, in Paris, the British insisted that France not recognize the American envoy, Benjamin Franklin, describing Franklin as an emissary of rebels.



PIERRE ELLIOTT Trudeau, Canadian prime minister, says his government has only one mandate, "to govern the whole country", and will not negotiate any form of independence for Quebec as a result of the victory in provincial elections of the separatist Parti Quebecois.



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## Divorced Catholics Not Barred From Communion

NEW YORK (AP)—Whatever else it accomplishes, the precedent-setting Roman Catholic strategy in Tennessee to woo back lapsed Catholics is highlighting an often unrealized point—that divorced Catholics are not barred from Holy Communion.

Church leaders say it has been widely and erroneously assumed that such members are so excluded when they aren't—a fact strongly brought out in the wide open communion service in Memphis.

It welcomed all Catholics, whatever their situations, to share in the consecrated elements. Besides divorced Catholics and others long inactive, the unique feature was that it also included those in

second marriages.

Unlike the merely divorced who are normally free to continue sharing communion, the remarried are considered in a different clouded category.

Under church law, they are excluded from communion unless prior marriages have been found null by a church court, or privately, through "Good faith" decisions of conscience in consultation with church counselors.

The objective of the Tennessee approach is to encourage those in second marriages to initiate procedures to regularize their standing in the church—and also to get other alienated Catholics to clear up their problems.

To that reconciling purpose, Bishop Carroll T. Dozier offered general absolution—forgiveness en masse—to 12,000 participants at the Memphis service last Sunday, whatever their past difficulties keeping them from the church.

All were welcomed to partake of the eucharistic sacrament. A similar service for an expected 10,000 was scheduled this Sunday in Jackson, Tenn., another city of the diocese.

In connection with the blanket forgiveness, applied under special provisions for "emergency" situations such as to troops in combat areas, participants were instructed also to seek individual resolution of their problems.

That meant individual private confession within a reasonable period, ordinarily the required means for absolution of serious sin, and additionally for remarried Catholics, seeking procedures to rectify their status.

Normally, this involves putting their cases before a diocesan marriage tribunal to nullify earlier marriages. These courts have tripled their issuance of annulments in recent years in this country, through broadened criteria and simplified procedures.

But the heavier processing has barely dented the problem—an estimated 3 million Catholics in second marriages, among an estimated 6 million who have divorced.

The Tennessee inclusive absolution and welcome of all to communion—temporarily erasing any barriers but contingent on further processes to remove obstacles for the future—stirred varying church reactions.

## THE WORLD ALMANAC'S Q&A

1. Thomas Nast, in his political cartoons of the late 19th century created both the donkey and the elephant to represent the Democratic and Republican parties. True-False.
2. The U.S. Bureau of the Mint makes coins for foreign countries. T-F.
3. The first college in the United States to adopt coeducation was . . .

### ANSWERS:

1. True 2. True 3. Oberlin, in 1835

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6:30 DAY OF DISCOVERY
6:30 REVIVAL FIRES
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6:30 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING
6:30 MR. GOSPEL GUITAR
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6:30 FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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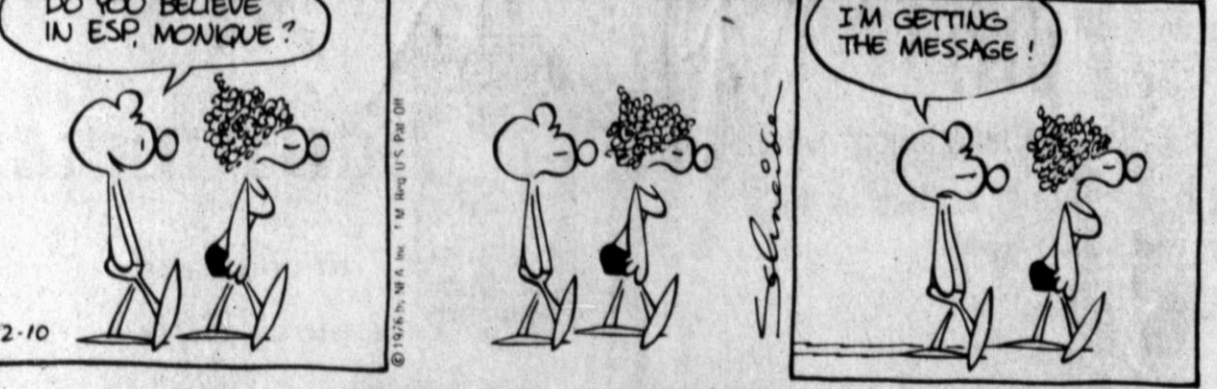
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## Navy Suffers High Desertion Rate

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Navy suffered its highest desertion rate on record during fiscal 1976, and Navy officials say they don't know why.

As a result, the Navy has formed a special study group to determine the cause and recommend actions to cure the problem.

The Navy experienced a mounting desertion problem during the fiscal year that ended last summer, while the Army was registering its best record in 10 years.

The Marine Corps record was improving, although its desertion rate still is the highest of all the services, and figures show the Air Force has virtually no desertion problem, and never has had one.

Desertion became a major problem, particularly for the Army and the Marines, during the Vietnam war. With the end of that war and the change from a draft-based to an all-volunteer force, Pentagon officials had voiced hope that the problem would recede and possibly all but disappear.

But the newly released figures suggest the problem persists, although the Army appears to be getting it under

control.

The Pentagon figures show the Navy desertion rate climbed to 24.8 per 1,000 enlisted men during the fiscal year that ended June 30. This was more than 2 per cent worse than 1975 and more than double the highest Navy rate during the Vietnam War.

The Army, which was hit by a desertion rate as high as 73.5 per 1,000 men in 1971, was down to 17.7 in fiscal 1976.

The Marine desertion rate of 69.2 per 1,000 men last year was much worse than all the other services, but it represented a major improvement over the 105 rate Marines suffered the previous year.

The Air Force's desertion rate was only 1.2 per 1,000 men. It never has risen above 2.8, even during the Vietnam war.

Asked why its desertion rate has climbed to a record level, the Navy said it has established "no confirmed reasons for the trend."

Vice Adm. James D. Watkins, the Navy's personnel chief, created a study group in September "to research all facets of the problem and to make recommendations to deal with it," the Navy said.



## On Wall Street

By BOB HILL

President-elect Carter has already started to grapple with the unemployment problem. The chief economic dilemma of the 1970s has been getting unemployment down and inflation down at the same time. Lots of luck, Mr. Carter.

Business will probably be asked to shoulder a much larger share of training hard-core unemployed than in previous Democratic Administrations. The unemployment problem is really one of fitting people who are not easily employed into jobs that offer more than mere subsistence wages. Two groups of problem unemployed are minorities and youth. Mr. Carter has indicated a preference to use business resources instead of public works and public service employment. The free enterprise system will be asked to absorb one million additional workers by 1980, when Mr. Carter hopes to have cut the unemployed figure to 4 per cent and 4 1/2 per cent.

The first part of the program would be to deal with the high unemployment rate among the disenfranchised, such as black teenagers where the unemployment rate is over 38 per cent.

Those who lack the basic skills to even hold a job would be paid enough to make it more attractive than public assistance while attending classroom training sessions combined with some sheltered work experience. The second part of the program is to move people who would ordinarily wind up in a dead-end, low-paying job into an entry-level job with potential for advancement.

Business would be given incentives to hire and train the disadvantaged with the government reimbursing the employers for the added cost of hiring low-productivity workers. Hopefully, on-the-job training would raise their productivity to a level where the government subsidies would no longer be necessary. The government would also offer loan guarantees to encourage business to locate in areas of unusually high unemployment, such as urban ghettos.

The refreshing thing about the Carter approach to the problem is the role of business in helping to lick the problem. It may not be completely successful but it will be a lot better than Uncle Sam doing it.

# Mexican Tourists Like What U.S. Manufactures

BY TOM WELLS  
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Mexico is a nation of smugglers. But the offenders are not professionals sneaking Pre-Columbian art or drugs into the United States.

They are Mexican tourists and foreign residents returning to Mexico from the United States with treasures of shampoo, cosmetics, car parts, electric razors, transistor radios, calculators, televisions, tools, clothing and other manufactured goods.

The items are usually cheaper and of better quality than similar Mexican-made products. But it is illegal to bring them into the country without paying high import duties.

The idea is to force Mexico residents to buy Mexican-made goods, but the program does not appear to be helping much. Mexico has a \$1.5 billion trade deficit, more than double what it was six years ago.

Smuggling has become such a serious problem that the government is spending untold hundreds of thousands of dollars on an advertising campaign against it.

"Contraband is against Mexico," say the billboards, newspapers, radio and television advertisements. Some full-page ads have even run in U.S. magazines distributed here.

The principal theme is that contraband robs Mexicans of jobs by reducing Mexican sales, which in turn reduces employment.

"The official propaganda tells us about the damage it does," said the prestigious Mexico City morning daily El Sol, the largest in a chain of 34 newspapers. "But no one tells us why it exists."

"If Mexican products were good and inexpensive there wouldn't be any need to try to defeat smuggling or to mount expensive campaigns aimed at

people's conscience," El Sol said in the editorial. "The contraband simply wouldn't exist."

El Sol said that U.S. companies and other transnationals that are supposedly the object of the import restrictions are the greatest beneficiaries of the restrictions.

The transnationals, by not having to compete with imported products, "establish various levels of production quality for their subsidiaries—high for the advanced countries, low for the poorer ones," said El Sol.

"Because of this, although the technology is supposedly the same, a Ford made in the United States or a Volkswagen in Germany are better than those in Mexico," the newspaper said.

One business source, the head of a television factory, said that Mexican televisions still have not advanced to solid state circuitry and still use the old-fashioned maze of wire and tubes. Yet a television of the same brand and same size is usually 25 per cent more expensive here than in the United States.

Many of the washing machines sold in department stores have the exposed wringers that went out of style on U.S. machines many years ago.

The anti-smuggling campaign probably would be effective if it were not for almost institutionalized corruption in Mexico.

Hardly anyone pays the import duties when bringing foreign purchases into the country. People do pay the customs officers to turn their heads.

Custom officers must supply a set amount of money each day to their superior, who must in turn forward some of the bribe money to Mexico City officials. If an American or other

foreigner who is not familiar with the openness of bribe paying tried to cross the border with a new hairdryer or other electrical gadget and does not offer a bribe, the customs officer usually suggests bluntly that a time-consuming inspection—perhaps four or five hours, senior—can be provided by paying a tip.

Then starts 15 minutes of near formal bargaining over the amount of the bribe—like a turkey mating dance.

"A U.S. foreign correspondent and his family recently returned from vacation in the United States with about three dozen wrapped Christmas presents, most of them mailed to San Antonio from the United States.

Customs inspects all packages mailed to Mexico. Packages sometimes disappear.

The customs officer at the Nuevo Laredo station, just across the border from Laredo, Tex., demanded \$50.

At Nuevo Laredo, fifteen minutes of arm-waving by both parties and polite arguing about the probable value of the gifts resulted in a \$30 bribe. The alternative was to return the packages to the United States, or pay duties equal to the value of the items while waiting several hours for customs officers to get around to the inspection.

Most Mexicans and the customs officers themselves do not see anything illegal about either the imports or the bribery. It is referred to as "arrangements."

The president of a big chemical factory in Monterrey, Mexico's principal industrial center and the country's third largest city, said that he can order anything from industrial equipment to a motorcycle from the States. He said he can have it delivered to his door by simply picking up the phone and paying

a 10 per cent "service charge" to the person who brings the contraband across the border. The "service charge" includes the bribe to customs.

**AGRICULTURE STUDENTS ARE ON THE RISE**  
UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (AP)—Student enrollment in the College of Agriculture at the Pennsylvania State University for the fall semester totaled 3,650, an all-time record for the college.

Robert E. Swope, assistant dean for resident education in the college, noted the increase in total enrollment from 3,463 last year and said that it was estimated that 70 per cent of the students came from urban and suburban areas of the state.

## Ford Forms Group To Unify Party

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Ford wants to join a high command that would aim to unify the Republican party and drive toward a 1980 GOP victory.

He summoned the reigning factional leaders of the GOP to a White House summit Thursday and got them to agree to a party superstructure in which all would take part.

"We are not kingmakers," Ford said after meeting with Ronald Reagan, John B. Connally and Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller.

For that reason, Ford said, they had agreed to "not pick or choose" the party's next national chairman, a selection the Republican National Committee will make Jan. 14-15.

The high command the President envisions would be similar to the one formed after the Republican party was drubbed in the 1964 election when Barry Goldwater was the GOP's presidential candidate.

Ford called it a coordinating committee.

"I think it would be constructive to have all four of the group that met this afternoon on the coordinating committee, but they would not necessarily dominate the committee, the President said. "In 1965 there were roughly 30 members, so I think the four of us could contribute to the work..."

Ford also said, "I think the Republican tent is big enough, broad enough, to encompass the four individuals who met here this afternoon."

Ford said that when the four some meet again, it will draft "some recommendation to the new national chairman as to the format of the organization" of the coordinating committee. He gave no further details of how the group would work or what relationship it would have to the Republican National Committee.



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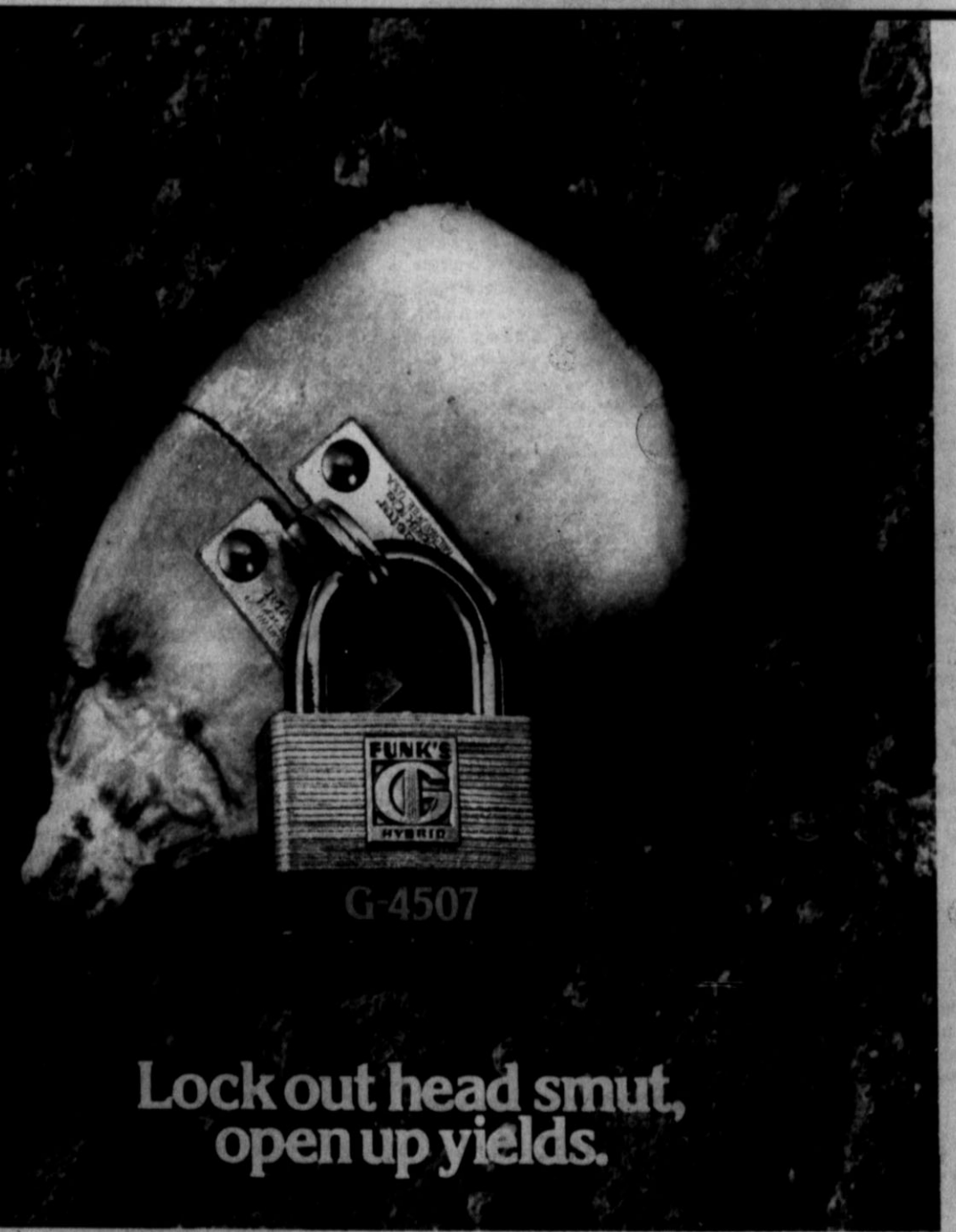


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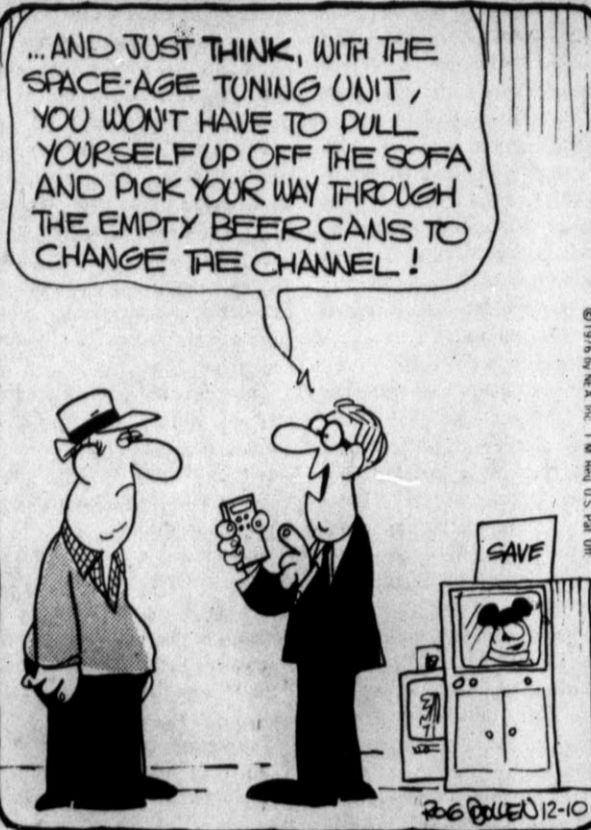
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# McAdoo Shuffles Off From Buffalo

NEW YORK (AP) - The long, sometimes bitter negotiations that brought three-time National Basketball Association scoring champion Bob McAdoo to the New York Knicks from Buffalo finally are over. But now the Knicks have to negotiate all over again - with McAdoo.

The struggling Knicks, who have been playing sub-.500 ball this season before thousands of empty seats nearly every game in Madison Square Garden, acquired the coveted McAdoo, a lithe 6-foot-10 center-forward, and reserve forward Tom McMillen from the Braves Thursday night for center-forward John Gianelli and a reported \$3 million.

during Buffalo's game against the Philadelphia 76ers and his status for New York's next game - at home against Phoenix Saturday night - is uncertain.

Obtaining the 25-year-old McAdoo ended the Knicks' 1 1/2-year quest for the outside-shooting big man who has won the NBA scoring title each of the past three seasons and has averaged 23.7 points and 13.2 rebounds per game this season. His NBA career scoring average is 28.2, including 34.5 in 1974-75, his best season.

He is trying to become only the second player in NBA

history to win four consecutive scoring championships. Wilt Chamberlain won the title seven years in a row, from 1959-60 to 1965-66.

The 6-foot-11 McMillen, 23, is in his second NBA season and averages 5.1 points and 3.5 rebounds. He was Buffalo's top draft selection in 1974, but the Rhodes Scholar did not join the Braves until last season.

The slender 7-10 Gianelli, 26, is averaging 10.8 points in his fifth NBA season. The Knicks acquired him from Houston in 1972.

The deal was consummated only one day after it appeared that the trade was dead and Buffalo co-owner Paul Snyder had said he would try to sign McAdoo to a new contract. Also, McAdoo's agent, Bill Madden, had said Wednesday that the Knicks "were definitely out of this thing."

McAdoo, the Braves' No. 1 pick in the 1972 draft the NBA's Rookie of the Year in 1972-73 and the league's Most Valuable Player in 1974-75, is in the final year of a five-year contract worth \$400,000-\$200,000 in cash and \$200,000 in deferred payments.

Now, the Knicks have to sign him and reportedly will give him a five-year contract worth \$500,000 per year. They also will pick up his deferred payments - which the Braves did not want to do - starting in 1988.

However, if the Knicks do not sign him, he becomes a free agent at the end of the season. When the Knicks will be able to use, however, is questionable.

McAdoo suffered a pulled groin muscle Wednesday night

# Playoff Hopes On Line

BY BRUCE LOWITT  
AP Sports Writer

You remember the Pittsburgh Steelers, don't you... the team everyone was burying at the beginning of the season when it lost four of its first five games.

Well, they are so deep, they are about to strike oil - Houston oil, that is. On Saturday, it could all come together.

That 1-4 start this National Football League season had people wondering. Obviously something was wrong with the two-time Super Bowl champions.

Whatever it was, it is gone. There has not been a better team since then. The Steelers have reeled off eight straight victories and allowed a minuscule 28 points in those games, four of them shutouts.

And after trailing Cincinnati virtually all season, they stand one victory away from killing the Bengals' and longest Cleveland's hopes of winning the American Football Conference Central title.

Cincinnati is at the New York

Jets and Cleveland is at Kansas City Sunday. If the Steelers lose Saturday, the Sunday games would be important since Cincinnati could be the division champion with a victory or, if the Bengals lose, too, the Browns would be the divisional champions. But if Pittsburgh wins, the Browns and Bengals will be just playing out a season of frustration.

In Saturday's other action, it will be Minnesota at Miami and Los Angeles at Detroit. In Sunday's other games, it will be St. Louis at the New York Giants and Washington at Dallas with the Cards and Redskins fighting for the National Football Conference wild card playoff berth; Buffalo at Baltimore and New England at Tampa Bay, with the Colts and Patriots fighting for the AFC East title and the loser winding up with the conference wild card spot; Seattle at Philadelphia, Green Bay at Atlanta, Denver at Chicago, San Francisco at New Orleans and San Diego at Oakland.

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# Owners Propose Fragmented Schedule For Washington

By DICK JOYCE  
AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Major league baseball extended a tentative, if weak, hand in the direction of Washington, D.C., today in an obvious effort to placate an impatient Congress.

Again, baseball has proposed a fragmented schedule for Washington, whereby the Baltimore Orioles of the

By The Associated Press

TOKYO (AP) - Forty-nine professional golf tournaments will be held in Japan next year with total prize money amounting to more than \$3.48 million, the Japan Pro Golf Association said today.

One of the leading tournaments is the Taiheiyo Club Masters with total prize money of \$300,000. It is scheduled for the first week of October.

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) - Veteran outfielder Leron Lee says he will play with the Lotte Orions in Japan next year.

Lee, a major leaguer since 1967, was released last month by the Los Angeles Dodgers.

A left-handed hitter, Lee signed with the St. Louis Cardinals in 1967 and also has played for San Diego and Cleveland. He batted .300 for the Padres in 1972.

Lee said Thursday he would be filling an opening on the Orion's roster left by the retirement of former Dodgers infielder Jim Lefebvre, who will become a coach with the Japanese team. He did not disclose his salary.

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Safety Clarence Duren will be lost to the St. Louis Cardinals for their National Football League game Sunday against the New York Giants, a team spokesman says.

American League would play some of their home games in PFK Stadium in the nation's capital starting in 1978.

Commissioner Bowie Kuhn made the announcement Thursday night, then immediately left for Washington to meet today with the Select House Committee on Professional Sports. The committee was expected to recommend today to Congress that baseball lose its exemption from antitrust laws, a privilege it has enjoyed since 1922.

There has been strong political pressure put on baseball to return the sport to Washington, from which it last withdrew after the 1971 season. And Kuhn has long been urging that Washington land a franchise.

Calling it "the most appropriate method of providing baseball to Washington, D.C.," both the National and American leagues proposed that Baltimore play a "suitable" number of games in the nation's capital, plus the presidential opening game, the All-Star game every three years and exhibitions.

If that plan fails, the National League cleared the way for either an existing National or American League team to move to Washington. That would seem to be an open invitation for Charles O. Finley to move his troubled Oakland A's AL franchise to Washington. But the cantankerous owner steadfastly insists he will not be going to the nation's capital.

If an American League club were to move to the National, that would give each league 13 teams, Charles Fenney, the National League president, said in that case, there would have to be interleague play.

Meanwhile, the NL extended Fenney's contract for two years.

He has held the post since 1969.

There was only one trade involving major league teams Thursday. The Atlanta Braves obtained slugging outfielder Jeff Burroughs, the AL's 1974 Most Valuable Player, from the Texas Rangers in exchange for five players. They were outfielders Ken Henderson and Dave May and pitchers Roger Moret, Carl Morton and Adrian Devine.

With the interleague trading deadline ending at midnight PST, 32 players have been traded, in 11 deals this week. There will be another interleague trading period from Feb. 15-March 15.

The National League, which normally has a unanimous vote requirement for franchise matters, also reduced it to three-fourths majority for one year in matters exclusively concerning the Washington situation.

In another matter, Kuhn said an effort was made to move up the start of the league championship playoffs and World Series. The AL approved a proposal to start on Tuesday and the NL requested they start on Wednesday.

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# Jayhawks Nip Rams Upset Challenge

By KEN RAPPOPORT  
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) - At Kansas, basketball is a shining image and there is no trouble recruiting good players.

At Fordham, the image is tarnished and the school is trying to keep up with the others in New York, no less the Kansases of the world.

For a few hopeful moments Thursday night at Madison Square Garden, Fordham's rookie coach, Dick Stewart, thought he had made a giant leap forward. But he wound up taking a step backward with a 57-48 loss to the Jayhawks.

"I hate to lose," said Stewart.

who has lost two of four games so far this season. "but I'm afraid we might lose a few more before I get this program back on its feet."

The Rams, who played prior to Rutgers' 73-52 victory over Manhattan, played with finesse through most of the game. But they finally were checkmated by the superior Jayhawks.

"They did a good job," said Kansas Coach Ted Owens of Fordham's deliberate offensive game that provided the Rams with a 31-30 lead as late as eight minutes into the second half.

"They dictated most of the game."

But at that point, the Rams played less than perfect ball, making sophomore mistakes. And the bigger, quicker Jayhawks took advantage of them and outscored Fordham 19-5. That burst provided them with a commanding 49-36 lead with less than three minutes remaining.

John Douglas led the Jayhawks with 20 points and helped them with their decisive spurt in the middle of the second half.

The Manhattan-Rutgers game was interesting until the

Scarlet Knights broke it open with a 20-6 burst at the start of the second half. Hollis Copeland scored 20 points and Ed Jordan added 16 for the winners.

"We played two different halves," said Manhattan Coach Jack Powers, whose club held a 28-27 lead at intermission.

Syracuse, the nation's No. 20 team, was the only ranked club in action Thursday night. The Orangemen, led by Roosevelt Bouie and Larry Kelley, crushed Biscayne 87-63.

Elsewhere, Jake Poole scored 20 points and Texas - El Paso withstood a frantic West Texas State rally to post a 59-58 victory over the Buffaloes; Terry Tyler scored 18 points, pacing a balanced attack as the University of Detroit stopped Cleveland State 78-66; Alvin Wright's 26 points powered Memphis State over Drake 79-74; Lynbert Johnson connected for 20 points as Wichita State defeated Hardin-Simmons 84-74, and Mississippi State trimmed Northeast Missouri State 107-58 behind Ricky Brown's 29 points.

Trent Grooms and James Collins sparked a 10-point scoring burst in the second half

as Kent State defeated Penn State 73-70; Edgar Jones' field goal with four seconds left gave Nevada - Reno a 53-51 victory over Oregon State; Geoff Huston scored 26 points and

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) - For the second time in less than a week, a player has quit the Indiana University basketball team.

Freshman Mike Miday, a 6-foot-8 forward, quit Thursday, saying he made the wrong choice of schools.

Last Saturday, senior Trent Smock left the team after returning this season under a

new fifth-year eligibility rule.

A spokesman for Coach Bobby Knight said Miday reported he was unhappy, and Knight replied that if he felt that way, it was better for both the team and Miday if he quit and dropped out of school.

Miday had 18 points and 11 rebounds, averaging 14 minutes playing time in Indiana's first three games.

# Pooley Leads Qualifiers

BROWNSVILLE (AP) - Sheldon Pooley of Riverside, Calif., carried a one-stroke lead over eight second-place golfers into today's second round of the Professional Golfers Association qualifying school.

Pooley fired a three-under-par 67 Thursday.

Tied for second were: Graham Marsh of Australia; Michael Shea of New Orleans; Kenneth Webb of Aurora, Colo.; Thomas Valentine of Gainesville, Ga.;

Walter Kuchar of Holly Hill, Fla.; James Whittenberger of Memphis, Tenn.; Bruce Ford of Lynn Haven, Fla.; and Dillen Van Dyke of Conroe, Tex.

Some 350 golfers competed on three Brownsville area courses Thursday.

The field will be cut to 120 after Saturday's third round, and trimmed again after the fifth round Monday and the sixth round Tuesday.

# Hereford Girls Take On Pampa

Pampa High School will bring two squads of girls to Hereford tonight to play the Hereford girls basketball team, and one team from Stanton Junior High.

Stanton will play one of the visiting teams at 5:45 and the high school girls will play beginning at 7:30. Both games will be played in the La Plata gym.

Coach Roy Shipp, and assistant Danny Haney are directing the girls this year, the

first for girls basketball at HHS in some 40 years.

"We've had a lot of interest shown by the girls," Shipp says. The coaches have 32 sophomore girls playing this year.

In addition, some 150 girls are playing on six teams each at Stanton and La Plata.

"Next year we hope to play both a JV and a sophomore schedule," Shipp said. Hereford's tentative schedule for the future would include the Amarillo schools, Pampa, Borger, Dumas and possibly some others.

The high school girls will play Pampa twice more the rest of the season, but most of the schedule calls for contests against the junior high teams. The junior high teams participate on a strictly intramural basis at the present.

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# Wrestling Features Tag Team Match

Lions Club wrestling features Black Gordman and El Gran Goliath in a top tag team wrestling match at the Bull Barn Saturday night. With a combined weight of 270 pounds, the dynamite duo will take on Teddy Dibiase and Ricky Romero in the main event.

Claiming to be from New Mexico, and constantly voicing a put-down of their Latin peers, the two Mexicans are said to actually be from Torreon in Old Mexico. Their never-stop tactics and roughhouse ways have earned them respect all over the United States, although the fans regard them with something less than affection.

Dibiase, 240-pound ex-foot baller from West Texas State University, is the son of the late great Iron Mike Dibiase, who died in the ring in Lubbock seven years ago. Recently voted wrestling's Rookie of the Year, Dibiase seems slated to follow in his father's footsteps.

Romero, perhaps the most popular Mexican wrestler anywhere in many years, brings ring cunning and speed into the squared circle. He weighs 224 pounds. Last week Romero and Dibiase defeated Dennis Stamp and Alex Perez in a wild Western States Tag Team Championship match.

Perez and Stamp held on to the title since they were disqualified in the last fall. Titles may not change hands on disqualification.

315-pound Tank Patton will clash with popular junior heavyweight contender Jerry Kozak. Kozak will be sporting his burly opponent over ninety pounds. The former Canadian, who promoted wrestling in Amarillo, is considered a top

contestant for Pat Barrett's Junior Heavyweight Championship.

Opening action Saturday Night will see 235 pound Rip Hawk, the spoiler from Charlotte, North Carolina, take the measure of former sumo great Kazuo Sakurada of Japan. Sakurada hails from Hokkaido, and weighs 265 pounds.

Hawk is just coming off a recent thirty day suspension ruled by the National Wrestling Alliance for constant interference in other matches, and for unethical ring methods.

Lions Club officials announced that there would be no wrestling for a couple of weeks, after this Saturday's show, in observance of the holidays.

Action Saturday night at the Bull Barn starts at 8:00 p.m.

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When the game is over

Glorified athlete to everyday citizen

By Murray Olderman

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. — (NEA) — Bill Bradley, the Rhodes scholar forward of the New York Knicks, has written a marvelous book, probing the inner psyche of the professional athlete.

"While their physical skill lasts," writes Bradley, "professional athletes are celebrities — fondled and excused, praised and believed. Only toward the end of their careers do the stars realize their sense of identity is insufficient. . . . In my case, I've been preparing for the end since my first year, but even so I can only hope that I will manage easily the withdrawal from what Phil Jackson calls 'my addiction.'"

These thoughts were poignantly brought to mind the other day when the phone rang, and the voice on the other end boomed out sonorously. "This is Cookie . . . you know," Carlton Chester Gilchrist. "An old friend."

Cookie Gilchrist had been one of those professional athletes who was a celebrity. In the early years of the fledgling American Football League, striving for respectability, he was the greatest of fullbacks. He did not have the credentials of a Jim Brown, his contemporary, but there were valid claims he was a better all-around football player. He was the AFL's first star of national stature in the pre-Namath days.

He was also contentious and congenial, the former quality making him a football itinerant who was shunted from Buffalo (where he had his peak years) to Denver to Miami, the latter quality making him a delight for writers. In 1968, peddled once again to Cincinnati, his bad knee throbbing, Cookie Gilchrist quit abruptly at the age of 33. "There comes a time in every man's life," he said, "when he must sacrifice fame and glory for a productive role

in the business and social community."

Cookie Gilchrist is now 41 years old. He looks good. His weight is at 240 pounds, even lighter than when he played. His smile glows as it always did. He doesn't drink or smoke and even abstains from caffeine. He carries around a Bible in his shoulder bag which is well-thumbed and which he says he reads every day.

The years since he stopped playing have been rough for him.

His marriage, to a Russian girl in Toronto had already broken up. His two boys live in Canada with their mother and aren't the least interested in athletics. His liaison with one of the most famous black models in America broke up after a couple of years because, she told Cookie, he couldn't support her in the style she was used to.

That really blew his mind. "You say you love me," he said to her, "but I'm not a good enough man for you." He got into a dope trip, popping pills. He sampled cocaine. He drank. He had started a C.G. Mayd Services, Ltd., for domestics, in Denver and that had gone under.

Three years ago, Gilchrist took stock of himself. "You've got to be more than a football player," he had once said. "You've got to be a person."

He looked around and realized that his own adjustment from what Bradley calls "the mixed blessing of notoriety" to "that inexorable terror of living without the game" was not a phenomenon, nor even unique. Lenny Ford, who was voted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame last year, died drunk and broke in a rundown hotel. Bob Ferguson, an All-American fullback at Ohio State, slipped into obscurity and was rediscovered during a two-week coma, from which he is now making a painful

recovery.

The dilemma has not been restricted to the black athlete. Jackie Jensen found conversion to the real life of the non-athlete a traumatic experience. Even Jerry West, the Laker great who has retired economically fixed for life, is emotionally strung out — what do you do with your day after you've played 36 holes? on the golf course?

Three years ago, Cookie began work with an organization called The United Athletes Coalition of America and Canada. The purpose is to help athletes rehabilitate after their playing days are over, to get them in the mainstream of society or into youth work, a logical extension of their own lives.

"The comedown for too many is hard and fast," he says.

His program has been endorsed in the Congressional Record by Congressman Jack F. Kemp, who was his teammate and quarterback with the Buffalo Bills when they won the AFL championship.

But for three years, Cookie has had problems getting the non-profit organization off the ground. The problems are essentially money. People tell him, "That's nice, what you're trying to do." But no one comes forth with the bankroll.

Part of the problem is Cookie. As a player, his main hassles with management were over money. He was supposed to be unmanageable and intractable. The stigma whether deserved or not, lingers. "He is suffering from his reputation," says O.J. Simpson. "It catches up with you."

So Cookie has had to rely on himself to keep his dream going. He estimates that he has gone \$100,000 in debt.

But he persists in his plans to establish rural training centers for former athletes, in northern California, and allied youth camps.

To meet criticism that he has no professional expertise in this area — he didn't even go to college, jumping

straight from high school in Brackenridge, Pa., to the Canadian League — he is accepting a fellowship at the University of California at San Diego. It was proffered by Dr. Arnold J. Mandell, the psychiatrist who is persona non grata with the pro football establishment for his controversial year spent counseling the San Diego Chargers on drugs and other problems.

Cookie plans to attend the university in the late summer and fall and will study psychotherapy methods. He wants to show, most of all, that he can be the guinea pig for the transition of glorified athlete to everyday citizen.

The National League had five 20-game winners in 1976, led by Randy Jones' 22 for the San Diego Padres.



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Intensity is Monte Clark's demon

SAN JOSE, Calif. — (NEA) — "I don't know all the answers," says Monte Clark, as a preface to his new job.

"If I did, I'd be a cab driver and not a football coach."

Clark, an imposing bulk (6-6 and 270 pounds), is making his debut as a head coach, with the San Francisco 49ers. He is also the youngest head man in the National Football League.

Monte is not as suave as say, Chuck Noll of the Pittsburgh Steelers. Or as expressive as Don Shula of the Miami Dolphins. Or as animated as George Allen of the Washington Redskins.

Monte is intense. It's a dominating quality among all men who aspire to success in

this taxing profession — from George Halas to the late Vince Lombardi.

And he's pragmatic.

"Two four-letter words," he says, "are the key to winning football. W-a-n-t. And that's no good if you don't follow it up with the action of w-o-r-k."

Monte applied those qualities himself to stretch a career as an offensive tackle of average talent to 11 seasons, with the 49ers, Dallas and Cleveland. In 1970, he was planning on playing one more year and was scrimmaging in a pre-season basketball game to get in shape when someone stuck a finger in his eye.

A nerve was paralyzed and

I got double vision," recalls Monte. "I started thinking. I had enough trouble blocking one guy."

Shula had just taken over the Miami Dolphins and was putting together a coaching staff. Monte heard he needed someone to handle the offensive line. He called Shula to apply.

"We don't know each other, and we don't want to make a mistake," said Shula. "Tell me some people I can check with."

Clark had anticipated the question. He gave Shula a list. The next morning, Monte got a call. "Come on down," said the Miami coach. "You got a job." Sight unseen, Monte had

never coached a day in his life.

At Miami, he took five men discarded by other teams — center Jim Langer, guards Larry Little and Bob Kuechenberg, tackles Norm Evans and Wayne Moore — and molded them into the best offensive unit in the game, the key to three straight Super Bowl appearances. All of them received all-pro honors at one time or another.

"Linemen," says Monte, "learn to live with the idea they're not going to get glamor attention. They adopt a defensive philosophy, like, 'Any man can run' with a ball. It's not that heavy."

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Oilers Will Be Up For Steelers Clash

HOUSTON (AP). The Houston Oilers, in Pittsburgh Coach Chuck Noll's words, will be trying to make the Steelers look foolish Saturday.

The two-time Super Bowl champs, who lost four of their first five games and then reeled off eight straight victories, can win the American Football Conference's Central Division title with a victory over the Oilers.

The Steelers' Cinderella comeback was made possible Monday when Oakland defeated Cincinnati.

"We would look pretty foolish if Oakland beat Cincinnati and then we go down to Houston and lose," said Noll, who jerked the Steelers back into contention for their third straight Super Bowl title. "All that we've worked for would go down the drain."

For the Oilers, who saw their season go down the drain long ago, it also is a big game. With a disappointing 5-8 record, the Oilers would like nothing better than to end the season with a victory over the Steelers.

"This certainly adds a little excitement to our final game," Oiler Coach O.A. "Bum" Phillips said. "We're glad to have the opportunity to play in such a game."

Adding more sparkle to the game will be the return of quarterback Terry Bradshaw as

the Steeler starter after missing two games with a sprained right wrist.

Rookie quarterback Mike Kruczek, who has directed the Steelers through most of their winning streak, will return to the sideline. "I've always said Terry would be our quarterback when he's 100 per cent," Noll said. "He's 100 per cent now."

The Oilers also will be returning to starting quarterback Dan Pastorini, who suffered rib injuries in a game against Cleveland and lost his starting job to backup John Hadl. It will be Pastorini's first start since his injury.

The Steelers' defense has been the backbone of their comeback odyssey, shutting out four of their last eight opponents and allowing only 28 points in their last eight games.

The Oilers, despite a 32-16 loss to Pittsburgh, are the only team to score a touchdown against the Steeler defense during their eight-game string.

From their sloppy beginning, the Steelers defense has risen to the top of the NFL in total defense and rushing defense. They also lead the league in rushing offense backed by Franco Harris and Rocky Bleier.

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Miami	6 7 0 .462	Atlnta	4 9 0 .308	152	288
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