



PARK LAND DEED PRESENTED—City Manager John Line, standing left, and Sig Line. The new park will be named Line Park. (SDN Staff Photo)

The SDN Column

The Big Spring Herald reports that Howard County has received 31.74 inches of rain so far in 1980 and that makes it the third wettest year in history there. The Howard County record for moisture was set in 1932 when 34.25 inches were recorded and the second highest was 1919 when the total was 34.01. Scurry County's 1980 total is well below that of Howard, but our record is considerably higher. It is 44.02 inches, which fell in 1941. In fact, our 1980 total so far in Snyder ranks only 12th on the rainfall list since records were started in 1902. However, our 25.70 this year are the most received here in a single year since 1957, which was the year the big drought of the 50s was cracked.

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Speedy Nieman of the Hereford Brand relays this item from the Williamson County Sun: "In Houston, a robber entered a store, shot and killed a store owner, was captured, tried and sentenced to die. 'Sounds reasonable, doesn't it? Well, a state appeals judge ruled otherwise. The store owner, he said, had pulled a gun and shot at the robber first. Actually, if you would believe the judge, the robber just shot in self defense. The judge ruled the sentence invalid and turned the robber back on society. 'So, Mr. Store Owner, if a robber comes in, by all means give him the first shot. Otherwise, he'll go scot free for murdering you. Or, if you do shoot first, shoot straight. We do have some peculiar judges—or judges with peculiar ideas about justice—take your choice."

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Jerry Tidwell of the Hood County News notes that the Population Reference Bureau issued a report in October declaring that it now costs \$85,000 for the average middle-income family to raise a child. But he is not buying that. "Watching young people inhale the food served up Thanksgiving Day, we're inclined to go along with Parents Magazine," says Tidwell. "The magazine believes that the figure for raising a child to the age of 18 is more like \$254,000 without counting college."

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Here are more strange laws passed along by Craig Nieman of the Lamb County Leader-News: Under penalty of law, no horse shall be fed on any street in Norfolk, Va. Because hip pockets provide a convenient place for stashing pint bottles of alcoholic beverages, they are prohibited by South Carolina law. A Dyersburg, Tenn., law prohibits a girl from telephoning a man to ask him for a date. No ball team shall hit a ball over the fence or out of the ball park in Muskogee, Okla. In Oklahoma, a dead person cannot serve on a jury. In Roanoke, Va., it is against the law to advertise on a tombstone.—WACIL McNAIR



SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Thursday, 62 degrees; low, 25 degrees; reading at 7 a. m. today, 37 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1980, 25.70.

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and mild through Saturday. Highs 60s except low 70s Big Bend. Low 20s mountains and far west to 30s east of mountains.

Chrysler Proposes Freeze

DETROIT (AP) — Chrysler Corp. will propose a \$1.5 billion program of wage freezes, supplier price cuts, debt conversions and other measures as part of an application for \$400 million in federally guaranteed loans. The Associated Press learned today. The company, already the recipient of \$800 million in guaranteed loans, believes it is "politically and socially impossible in today's climate" to ask for further loans while giving wage increases, a source close to the company said. Chrysler's vice president for public affairs, Wendell Larsen, said he could neither confirm nor deny the program. The first step in the new program began at noon today with a meeting of 100 banks in Chicago. The banks were being asked to convert about \$500 million in existing unguaranteed loans to preferred stock. That would allow the company to keep paying interest but, in effect, to forego payments of the principal of the loans.

City Presented Park Land Deed

A deed was formally presented to the City of Snyder yesterday for land to be used as a new park. In its plans for developing the new park, the city council has established a park and recreation board. The new five-member board will be assigned the task of overseeing a park and recreation program under policies set by the council. It will be the first park for the city. Heretofore, the county parks department has provided parks and other recreational facilities to serve the entire area. Deed to the property for the new park was accepted Thursday at city hall by City Manager John Gayle.

Hanging Attempt Reported At Jail

A 37-year-old man lies unconscious and in serious condition at Cogdell Memorial Hospital following apparent attempted suicide in the city jail Thursday afternoon. Police Chief Bill Stone reported that Wilbur Jerrall, McCormick, 2012 Ave. O, had attempted to hang himself by attaching his trousers and shirt to his jail cell bars. McCormick was found about 2:50 p.m. with his clothes looped about his neck, but with his feet still touching the floor. Efforts to revive him were made by Sgt. Clay Scogin, Sgt. Dale Burns, and patrolman Richard McCulley. Stone said McCormick had been booked into the jail at 11:10 a.m. following a disturbance call at a local restaurant in which McCormick had allegedly attempted to leave without paying for his meal. He was booked on misdemeanor theft and public intoxication. Police were uncertain how long McCormick had lived in Snyder. Preliminary indications, they said, show he is from Lumberton, N.C., and was employed in this area as an oilfield roughneck. A hospital spokesman said this morning that McCormick has not regained consciousness since his ordeal yesterday.

Labor Has Own Choice

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Teamsters Union, the only major labor group to endorse Ronald Reagan for president, is using all its political muscle to block a leading candidate for labor secretary in favor of its "one choice," labor lawyer Betty S. Murphy.

An intensified drive by the nation's largest union to influence Reagan's choice for the Labor Department post, follows reports that the president-elect was leaning toward New Jersey construction executive Ray Donovan for the job. Jackie Presser, an influential vice president of the 2 million-member union, told Reagan's top adviser, Edwin Meese III, Wednesday that the union wanted "to make perfectly clear we have only one choice and that is Betty Murphy," said Teamsters spokesman Duke Zeller. Teamsters President Frank Fitzsimmons called Reagan on Thursday to re-emphasize the union's position, and although he could not get through immediately to the president-elect, he was told Reagan would get back to him, said Zeller. Indeed, one transition source said the message may be getting through. Until Wednesday, Donovan seemed assured of being picked.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gasoline prices could climb 40 to 45 cents a gallon by next summer, due to the Iran-Iraq war, a new congressional analysis predicts. Such an increase could occur even if the conflict ends by spring and the two Persian Gulf nations begin rebuilding their oil empires, said the analysis by the Congressional Research Service of the Library of Congress. Tighter supplies will be a major cause of the price increase, not only in higher prices for crude oil but also in refiners taking advantage of the tight market to recoup profits lost during this year's gasoline glut, said the study released Thursday. In addition, the study said, refiners are unlikely to dump their record inventories on the market — the historical practice, and one that helps hold down prices — because the war has convinced the industry that stockpiles are valuable assets and should be conserved.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gasoline prices might rise by 40 to 45 cents per gallon between now and mid-1981 if all the components of this increase are realized, the study concluded. Before their war, Iran and Iraq were exporting a total of 4 million barrels of oil a day. But those sales have virtually stopped. While the report estimated that the actual impact on global oil markets of the war is somewhat less — 400,000 to 1.4 million barrels a day — nevertheless "higher world oil prices will likely result in the aftermath of the war, even if it ends within the next few months." The world oil price was about \$32.50 per barrel before the Iran-Iraq war and had been expected to climb \$2 per barrel next month. But the report said that, "rather than this modest increase, a notably sharper one should be anticipated ... in a market where countries previously dependent on Iran and Iraq scramble to make up supplies on the spot market." The analysis said an "informed, best-guess reaction to the present situation" would put world crude oil prices at \$38 to \$40 a barrel next year. The analysis said such price increases would add 26 to 31 cents a gallon to gasoline prices by the middle of next year. But that is not the only impact gasoline prices will feel, the study said. Gasoline prices are federally controlled, but refiners can pass on their cost increases — an action refiners were forced by competition to forego during this year's supply glut.

NATO Powers Warn Soviets

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The NATO foreign ministers, declaring "Poland should be free to decide its own future" warned today they would react if the Soviet Union intervened in Poland, but did not specify what their governments would do. Soviet intervention would mean the end of East-West detente, they said. But it was generally accepted at the meeting that direct NATO military action would be undesirable and probably touch of a world war. A communique issued by the foreign ministers at the end of their annual winter meeting underscored the "great concern" felt by the allies at "the menace which hangs over Poland." The declaration said in part: "Poland should be free to decide its own future. The allies respect the principle of non-intervention and strongly urge others to do likewise. Any intervention would fundamentally alter the entire international situation. The allies will be compelled to react in the manner which the gravity of this development would require. Therefore the council will keep the situation in close and continuous review. At the same time genuine Soviet efforts to restore the confidence necessary will meet with a ready response from the allies."

The communique set the background of the year-old Soviet intervention in Afghanistan and what was described as Moscow's "continuing military buildup." The Soviets, the allies said, have used force in breach of the principles of the U.N. charter and international law. "Detente has brought appreciable benefits to East-West cooperation," their declaration went on. "But it has been seriously damaged by Soviet actions. It could not survive if the Soviet Union were again to violate the basic rights of any state; its territorial integrity and independence." The ministers also agreed that different forms of intervention would require different responses. So they ordered their permanent NATO representatives in Brussels to continue preparing for every conceivable set of circumstances.

And they agreed on arrangements to ensure speedy response to any Soviet action. Secretary of State Edmund Muskie said he and his colleagues at their first day-long meeting Thursday expressed "very strong, positive, unanimous expressions of points of view on the Polish situation." He told reporters any sort of Soviet intervention would be "the gravest sort of development, one that would call for the most serious kinds of responses." But he refused to specify any likely responses, and said: "Given the possible scenarios, I doubt that the ingenuity of man could construct an automatic response." The French, who traditionally take a maverick stance within the alliance, also emphasized the unanimity of the allies. Foreign Minister Jean Francois-Poncet said there were "no appreciable differences of viewpoints as to what should be done."

"The ministers made it clear that if there were an eventual Soviet intervention in Poland the consequences would be very grave on all levels — diplomatic, political, economic and defensive," he said. British Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington said the allies were making it "perfectly plain" to Moscow that the consequences of direct or indirect intervention "would be appalling." "We stressed that this is Poland's business which the Poles should settle," he said. "At the same time we are making clear we do not ourselves intend to intervene but only to help the economic situation in Poland." Italian officials said Muskie proposed a four-point plan of retaliation, including suspension of East-West negotiations, withdrawal of ambassadors from Moscow and other Soviet bloc capitals and cancellation of trade and credit deals and cultural exchanges.

Ask Us

Q—Why don't, or can't, the Snyder School Board allow extra days in the calendar next school year in case of bad weather and then dismiss earlier in May if extra days are not used. A—Virtually every conceivable method of anticipating such needs has been discussed at one time or another, but no solution that suits all has been found, says Supt. Bill J. Hood. Teachers are paid for 175 classroom-instruction days plus eight in-service days. If more are scheduled and then later are deleted, it would affect the pay scale adversely. If extra days were put in, there would be no dismissal in May—it would be June, unless starting time was moved up, and the local district has learned from experience that significant numbers of pupils are not going to show up before Labor Day, regardless. Taking the spring term into June makes conflicts for teachers who plan to take summer college courses, since the colleges register now in May.

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Iran Insists On Shah's Fortune

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Iran insists that the U.S. government must return the shah's fortune in the United States and rejects the American explanation that only the courts can dispose of it, the chairman of the Iranian hostage committee says. "The government of the Islamic Republic of Iran will definitely not accept the condition of submitting the case of the wealth of Mohammad Reza to the U.S. courts," said Behzad Nabavi, an adviser to Prime Minister Mohammad Ali Rajai and the head of a government committee handling the hostage crisis. His deputy, Ahmad Azizi, confirmed a report in the leftist Beirut newspaper As-Safir Thursday that the U.S. government proposed freezing the shah's assets in American banks while the U.S. courts decide if the money belongs to Iran or the shah's heirs. But both Azizi and Nabavi denied As-Safir's report that Iran accepted the U.S. proposal and that the 52 hostages, who today spent their 405th day in captivity, might be freed Christmas Day. "Whenever the U.S. accepts the Majlis (Parliament's) conditions and the Iranian government procedures, we can hope for release of the hostages," Nabavi said in an interview with Iran's official Pars news agency. Azizi, in a telephone interview with The Associated Press in Beirut, said the latest U.S. response to Iran's conditions, conveyed by Algerian intermediaries Dec. 4, was "more positive" than the first response Nov. 12. Asked when the hostages would be freed, Azizi said, "We still do not know. When we give the U.S. our reply, it will be known. We are now in the process of answering the U.S. and I do not think it will take very long." U.S. officials in Washington said there would be no comment until there was a reply from Iran.

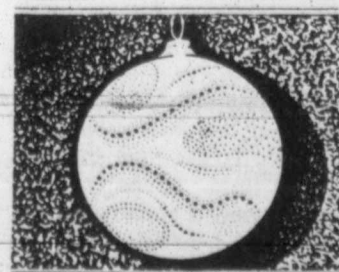
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Cataract Relief?

CHICAGO (AP) — Elderly people who take large doses of aspirin may be able to fend off the formation of blinding cataracts for up to 10 years, two studies say. However, the studies do not indicate that people who already have a bad case of cataracts can cure them with aspirin, according to Dr. Edward Cotlier, a Yale University ophthalmologist. Cotlier and his associates observed that elderly patients who were taking large amounts of aspirin to ease their rheumatoid arthritis — 2.3 to 2.7 grams a day for eight to 10 years — had a far lower incidence of cataracts than patients who did not take a lot of aspirin routinely.

Soviets Grain Imports Up

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Soviet Union is headed for a record year of grain imports, with or without all the wheat and corn it might otherwise have bought from the United States. According to a new Agriculture Department analysis issued Thursday, the Soviet Union is expected to import a total of about 34.5 million metric tons of grain from all foreign sources in 1980-81. A month ago, department experts projected Soviet grain imports in the year that will end next June '30 at 31 million metric tons, the same level as in 1979-80. But officials said that "recent new sales by Canada and Spain indicate greater availability to the USSR than previously anticipated" and that "large grain crops are in prospect in Argentina, a major supplier to the Soviets."



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tests in perspective

"Don't try to push your kids into your dream world," says Alice J. Irby.

Ms. Irby is a button-bright brunette in her 40s. Her daughter, Andi, 19, is "comfortable and doing fairly well" in her second year at the University of Virginia.

Alice Irby says she "didn't encourage Andi to strive for a highly competitive college" - that is, for the Ivy League.

The "dream world" Ms. Irby talks about is one that ambitious parents create for their children in the big leap from high school to college.

She knows. She has been a university teacher, and a director of admissions at Rutgers University in New Jersey. Two years ago she left Rutgers to come to Washington as vice president of the Educational Testing Service, the Princeton, N.J., outfit that prepares the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT).

You may recall that recently there was a big flap about the SAT, a standardized, multiple-choice test for college-bound high schoolers made up of separate verbal and math sections. A Ralph Nader investigative team took a hard look at the SATs and said they were unfair because they don't predict well enough, or predict the wrong things, or fail to measure traits of character, or are culturally biased, or are susceptible to coaching, or are devised in secret. Or all of the above.

Even before the investigative report came out last January, Nader-inspired Public Interest Research Groups had attacked the SATs and got New York's legislature to enact a law mandating that test answers be available to those who took the tests. For a price, naturally.

Rep. Ted Weiss, D-N.Y., introduced a bill in the House seeking to transform the New York statute into federal law. Legislation similar to New York's was introduced in 23 state legislatures, but nothing came of it.

As it's turned out, only 7 percent of those taking SATs in New York send the \$4 needed to see the test answers, and these have been wealthier, white, high-scoring youngsters. New York law had another result, though: 20 of 26 testing programs, feeling harassed, left the state.

Weiss' legislation didn't go anywhere and isn't likely to. Its chief support, outside of Nader's organization, came from the 1.8 million-member National Education Association, which doesn't like testing because it tends to reflect on teacher's competence.

Now the 1980-81 round of SATs has begun. Between November and next spring there'll be seven national administrations of SATs, about 300,000 more will take the Princeton outfit's achievement test, and almost a million, mainly in the Midwest, will take the Iowa-based American College Testing exam.

All the tests are aimed at eliminating irrelevant variables in searching for how much a student knows. The idea is to maintain a constant scale over a period of time, despite changing test forms and different kinds of students.

The SAT shouldn't be frightening if a youngster has worked in school.

Alice Irby has some tips for parents and teen-agers:

"Don't get so exercised about the tests; they're only one factor in admission to college and seldom the most important."

"Don't get fixed on one college; think of at least three colleges, and think of them in terms of size, social and cultural climate, faculty and libraries."

She says, "The main thing is not to be anxious about one college or one test." Youngsters should have "a solid academic program in high school" and if they do, there's no need for coaching. "There are no quick fixes."

Most of the nation's parents seem to take this sensible view. Pollster Daniel Yankelovich recently checked parental sentiment about SATs and found that two-thirds of parents support them and feel they're unbiased.



at wits end

by erma bombeck

A couple from Chicago recently discovered it's not easy making a "home" out of a former "house of pleasure."

Oh sure, you can put in a nice lawn, a Doberman pinscher guard dog, a baby, and a huge sign that reads, "PRIVATE RESIDENCE, KEEP OUT," but to sex seekers, it's kinky and they still pound on the door at all hours of the day and night.

The story brought back memories of a "house" in my neighborhood that was vacated by a madam. Five of us sat around one afternoon and fantasized what a house would look like that was decorated in "Early Brothel."

"Well, I don't want to know," said Peg. "Just

knowing that house exists in a neighborhood that voted for Reagan is disgusting."

"It should be torn down," said Juanita. "I don't have time to stand at the window all day and check out the cars."

"I wouldn't have known it was there," shrugged Ardelle. "If I didn't get a glimpse of it through a hole in the south hedge."

"Wild horses couldn't get me in there," said Syl.

"What would you say if I told you I could get a key?" I asked.

They said in unison, "We'd kill for it."

From here on in, there is virtually no dialogue to report. Five long-married ladies who acted like they got their children from a 4-H project that got out of hand filed silently through the rooms observing, touching, each with her own private fantasy.

The kitchen was the size of a broom closet. It was just at first sight. We were stunned by a large room with nothing in it but a pull-down movie screen at one end. You'd have thought we had never seen a mattress floor before.

But it was the bedroom that stopped all of us dead in our tracks. A zebra-skin bar dominated one end of the room. There was a jacuzzi, a steam room, long flowing chiffon curtains, soft music that floated through the air and a shag carpet that went to your knees. A massive stone fireplace, was at the other end and mirrors were everywhere. Lots of mirrors.

Seeing a button, I pushed it. It was like show time. The mirrored ceiling came alive with small, dancing stars, creating a celestial mood. The large, round bed, swathed in red plush velvet, began to revolve slowly. Someone could have slung a dead cat through the window and no one would have moved. We just watched that bed go around...and around...and around.

Suddenly, Peg kicked off her shoes, spun through the air, landed in the middle of the bed and shouted, "Hot damn!"

The sign on the front yard read, "By appointment only." It figured.

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my turn

by john dunnam



It started out to be a good morning anyway. I managed to get out of bed early enough to stop at a local truckstop for a cup of coffee before starting the daily grind. A hot cup and a doughnut would sure hit the spot.

Who should I see upon entering the restaurant but a fellow I'll call Slick Nick in lieu of what I would really like to call him. I don't know how he does it but everytime I run into him he squeezes money out of me. Me, who neither lends nor borrows.

I thought about marching right over and demanding the ten bucks he owed me but demurred. It was too good of a day to let that louse spoil it. Besides, I could remember when it was \$25.

However, he spotted me and began emphatically waving for me to come over. I really didn't feel up to Nick's nonsense that early in the morning and before coffee but I could hardly ignore his flapping arms.

"I might as well get it over with," I thought and headed over to his booth with nothing less than a showdown on my mind. To my surprise he stuffed a ten dollar bill in my hand before I could slip behind the table.

"Here. I been meaning to get this back to you for a long time. I just don't feel right if I owe somebody even a nickle, you know what I mean?"

"Unuh."

"You're not mad are you? Let me buy you breakfast. No, no, I insist. Its the least I can do for a friend who didn't turn his back when I was down and out."

I couldn't believe it was happening. He winked one of his shifty eyes and a waitress appeared, a bit of magic in itself.

"Give this man what I had and put it on the same ticket," he said.

What he had was a breakfast steak with three scrambled eggs, hash browns, a large orange juice and a side

order of waffles with a glass of milk. You've got to hand it to Nick. He knows how to eat.

As I sat there watching the butter melt on his waffles I realized that I had misjudged the man. I felt obligated to offer him some friendly advice in the form of constructive criticism.

"You shouldn't borrow money from people, Nick. You risk alienating your friends. Did you ever ask yourself why you do it?"

"I need the money," he said with his mouth still full of steak.

"But you just have to pay it back. What have you accomplished?"

Wiping the last bit of A-1 Sauce off his chin he leaned back in the booth, held out his coffee cup for the waitress who seemed to lurk around our booth, and gave me one of his "you poor fool" smiles.

"I usually don't give away any of my trade secrets," he said. But since I've always considered you one of my special friends I'll clue you in to the facts of life. Anybody will loan you money if you hand them the right story. You're a fool not to take it."

"But you just have to pay it back," I said.

He just smiled.

"What do you do when some big bruiser you've put the touch on corners you and demands his money?"

"That's simple brother. You hit him up for some more money. Don't look at me like that. Think about it. If he turns me down he knows he's lost the old debt forever and if he gives me some more, well I can always use the extra bread. Take my word for it. If you owe somebody money, you own them."

"I've got to run along now, enjoy your breakfast. Could you get the tip, all I have is a fifty."

I watched him make his way to the register, give the cashier the ticket and some money. He then pointed in my direction and I duly waved my

hand. What a great guy. I sure had him figured wrong.

And he is so smart. After he left, I dangled over my feast and pondered the secret to success he had just revealed to me. He's right you know. There are only two types of people in the world, the givers and the takers. Lions and sheep, so to speak, and from now on I'm going to be a taker, I decided.

Immediately upon the revelation the world looked better, friendlier, less threatening. It feels great to be in command.

Even the waitress was friendly and anxious to flirt. "Do you know Nick? I just love that guy. The last of the big tippers," she laughed.

I reflected on this as I left, adding a dime to my customary quarter gratuity. What the heck, I would be having a lot more money to flash around from now on. I winked at the cashier as I swaggered toward the door.

"Where are you going buster? The tab is \$10.95."

"But I thought Nick took care of that," I protested.

"Nah, he was just changing a fifty. He told me you would get it." Then with pity in her eyes she added, "Somebody should have warned you about Nick. I thought you knew him."

It was still a pretty good morning for me though. With the \$10 I had recovered from Nick I was only 30 cents short and I beat the waitress back to the table by two steps.

john cunniff

reagan as underdog

NEW YORK (AP) — Once President-elect Ronald Reagan has put the pomp and ceremony of the inauguration behind him he must obtain a map that identifies the power centers in the Washington bureaucracy.

If he seeks to attack that bureaucracy without first determining who holds that power, says Eugene Jennings, his efforts to "get government off our backs" will be doomed from the start.

"The natives will win," said Jennings, a professor, author, and adviser to members of the corporate hierarchy, who wrote the book, so to speak, on ascending into the top levels of the corporate hierarchy.

Because of the special challenge in Reagan's promise to cut government, Jennings has been studying the federal bureaucracy and all its rites and powers in recent weeks. He is impressed with its power.

"Reagan may blunder if he follows advice to strike out immediately against the bureaucracy," said Jennings. "As formidable as the power of the presidency is, it is no match for the intractable bureaucracy."

In effect, said Jennings, the new president will be an enemy among the natives, "and whether it is Vietnam, Afghanistan or the Rose Bowl, the natives have the advantage." In Reagan's case, it is especially so.

"The home team that is lined against the Reagan cadre of appointees are bureaucrats protected by their GS ratings and years of service" who may not give a damn about what their new

master wants," he said.

An intelligent "immigrant," said Jennings, "would know that to turn an organization around he must first find and control the center of gravity in each department and agency."

"It is the middle managers. Here lies the real power of government. They are the ones who have the greatest competency about the law, policy, rules and regulations," Jennings stated.

What the immigrants must do, he continued, is obtain a map from the natives about who are the people occupying these centers. In short, determine who does and who doesn't know how to exercise power.

To seek to overwhelm the centers of gravity from the top, through appointments by Reagan, would fail for several reasons, said Jennings.

1. The law of nature is to survive. The need of new immigrants is to control. The natives survive by being controlled just enough. Smart natives eventually co-opt immigrants by teaching them how to survive.

2. Hierarchical authority — such as appointments made by the president — are no match for constituency or radial power. "Bureaucrats are no longer public servants but constituency servants," said Jennings.

He explained that "directions coming down from on top, as from a Reagan appointee, may be offset by bureaucrats reaching out to their constituencies, who have a vested interest in their survival."

These constituencies "might

include senators, representatives, and public interest groups. "In no time at all the immigrant chief is flooded with threats and litigation, and native power has won."

3. Any information that advance people may get from natives is subject to the law of survival. "Usually, immigrants don't know what they don't know, but natives know what the immigrants don't know." What the wise native supplies to the immigrant, claims Jennings, is whatever information the native needs to give the impression of cooperating.

4. Business management is no match for bureaucratic expertise. "Nowhere in the book of business management will you find rules for shrinking a bureaucracy. In short, Reagan is moving against a whole culture established before he got there and which no president in 40 years has mastered."

Jennings offers this advice: Do not be in a rush to seize control. Rather, take time to learn the power centers, and then cut with a fine, delicate knife rather than a poleax.

In six months, he declares, Reagan can acquire enough information to control sensitive positions in the center of government and then go on from there to cut back the size and cost of government.

The Department of Defense, originally designated the National Military Establishment, was created Sept. 18, 1947. It is headed by the secretary of defense, who is a member of the president's cabinet.

Build House To Fit Dog

NEW ROCHELLE, N.Y. (AP) — When constructing a doghouse, don't build it too large thinking your pet will be comfortable with extra indoor space.

To maintain warmth in cold weather, the house should be slightly larger than the dog, says Ruth Krebs of Pet Assistance, a humane society here which assists people in solving problems with pets.

Also, she advises that straw bedding will protect the animal from the cold ground.



the wagman file

Bob Wagman

WASHINGTON (NEA) — One of Ronald Reagan's chief campaign promises was to "slash welfare fraud" and return the administration of welfare programs to the states. It's easy to dismiss this pledge as campaign rhetoric given the size of the federal welfare bureaucracy.

But close advisers insist that the president-elect is very serious about returning welfare to the states - and already has a blueprint for doing so.

In June 1979, Rep. John Rousselot, a conservative Republican from California, introduced a welfare bill (HR-4460) considered so far out that it received little attention. Now that legislation is being examined closely, for it details how the Reagan administration hopes to reform the welfare system.

In fact, the real author of the Rousselot bill was Robert Carleson, California welfare director under Reagan and head of the Reagan transition team on welfare.

Under HR-4460, welfare reform would occur in two stages. First would come the reduction of fraud and waste, then the return to the states of welfare's administration and, later, of the taxing sources to pay for it.

Reagan and his advisers believe that the welfare rolls contain millions of ineligible and that billions of dollars could be saved by eliminating cheats and closing loopholes through new regulations and legislation.

bring about comparable savings on a national scale.

Critics assert, however, that the shrinkage in California's welfare rolls resulted not from Reagan's policies but from a sharp upturn in the economy that enabled many welfare recipients to obtain jobs.

As for returning welfare programs to the states, Reagan would start by changing the way the federal government pays for AFDC. Instead of simply receiving unlimited matching funds, each state would receive a block grant whose size would be determined by such factors as the state's previous welfare payments, population changes, economic conditions and unemployment. These "modifiers" would be substantially more restrictive than the current system, which bases increases in funding on the ever-rising consumer price index.

At first, federal formulas would be used in the distribution of these block grant monies to the poor. But states could also impose their own conditions (such as work requirements) tempered only by a few overriding federal guidelines (such as not requiring mothers with preschool children to hold paying jobs).

Meanwhile, demonstration programs would give several states sole authority over their eligibility requirements and disbursement formulas. The most successful programs would become models for other states.

After about five years, the block grants to the states would begin to be reduced by a set percentage yearly while some of the taxing sources would be returned to the states. The goal would be for the states to eventually raise and distribute welfare money without interference from

Washington.

If the states succeed in taking over AFDC, food stamps and Medicaid would probably be next.

Critics point out that states would be merely allowed - not required - to finance and administer this aid to the poor. So, states could slash the hearts out of their welfare programs, with the possible result being a return to the migrations of the poor 20 and more years ago from the south, where welfare payments were inadequate, to those Northern states where payments were high.

Nevertheless, Reagan and his closest advisers do not doubt that welfare can be successfully defederalized. So, look for the prompt re-introduction of Rousselot's bill in the next Congress with administration support. Welfare "reform" will likely be one of the first major issues to face the newly elected Senate and House.

ASTROGRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

December 13, 1980

Several changes in your basic lifestyle are likely this coming year. Some of these you will initiate yourself, others may be forced upon you. Regardless of how they occur, all will work to your liking.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Don't attempt to do more today than you know from experience you can manage. You'll perform well if you don't spread yourself too thin. Romance, travel, luck, resources, possible pitfalls and career for the coming months are all discussed in your Astro-Graph which begins with your birthday. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Yield to your compassionate impulses today where another needs your help and you're in the position to do so. Your good deeds will make you feel great.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Talking prematurely about something which could either make or save you money might prove unwise, especially if a friend is involved who doesn't want it discussed.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Don't become discouraged today if that which you attempt is not accomplished with your first effort. Victory will be yours if you keep plugging.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Situations requiring an imaginative touch will be the ones at which you can excel today. However, you may wind up sitting on your bright ideas rather than acting on them.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Friends today are likely to talk to you about things which they will discuss with others. You could even receive a tip on something profitable.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) When others offer you sound counsel today be a good listener, but don't discount your own clever ideas in the process. Blending the two spells success.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Unless you are careful today, the tomorrow syndrome may overtake you. You could come up with plausible reasons to put off responsibilities until later.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) A tempting proposal for quick gain today may be more fluff than substance. Investigate thoroughly before jumping in.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Being too indecisive could create problems for you today. Something which should be completed may be left undone. Face up to difficult decisions.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Tasks which do not require too much physical effort you will accomplish with ease today. Projects where you have to exert yourself may be overlooked.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're likely to be quite lucky today materially, provided no risks or gambles are required. Where you expect something for nothing, the reverse will be true. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

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thoughts

The man's request for help for his unbeliever after he had stated that he believed, sounds contradictory. But many people can understand his situation. They have some faith, but know they need more. The man had brought his son who had a dumb and deaf spirit to Jesus for healing.

"And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord I believe: help thou mine unbelief." — Mark 9:24

BRIDGE

Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Difficult hand approaches

NORTH		12-12-40	
♠ A 7 5			
♥ 9 4			
♦ 9 7 6 5 3 2			
♣ A K			
WEST		EAST	
♠ 10 3 2	♠ J 9 8 4		
♥ J 8 3 2	♥ Q 10 7		
♦ A 10	♦ Q 8 4		
♣ J 10 9 5	♣ Q 7 2		
SOUTH			
♠ K Q 6			
♥ A K 6 5			
♦ K J			
♣ 8 6 4 3			
Vulnerable: Neither			
Dealer: South			
West	North	East	South
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
Opening lead: ♣ J			

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Here is another hand from an IMP match. The bidding, opening lead and down one result was the same at both tables.

At table one South led a diamond from dummy at trick two and played the jack. West won with the ace and led another club. Declarer cashed his diamond king. Since it was impossible to drop both the queen and 10, he could not set

up dummy's diamonds and made just eight tricks.

At table two South played his king of diamonds. West took his ace and when South led his jack of diamonds later on East held back his queen and once more the diamond suit was dead.

The table one South was bitter about the whole thing. He commented: "I played the diamonds correctly and it did me no good. I am just unlucky."

Neither declarer had made the hand, but number one had been the man who misplayed it. Neither player was going to work the way the cards lay, but the jack play was going to lose unless East had made a mistake and ducked with ace-queen-small in which case either player would have won.

Transfer the ace and queen between the East and West hands and the king play made by declarer number two would have won so his play had been the correct one. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

More American fashions are "catching on" abroad.

Made-in-America leisurewear, actionwear and Western looks are in demand in other countries, says Becky Saunders, a clothing specialist.

Mrs. Saunders is on the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System.



YOUNG MUSIC MAKERS—Students of all ages performed in a Christmas recital at the Bethel Studio of Music Saturday. Representing the younger generation were (top left) Anne Osborn, Judson Morrison, Jayna Gilbert, Celia Feinsod, Starlett Allen, (second row left) Lena Walker, Michelle Holmes, Myste Malone, Dayla Church, (kneeling left) Curtis Cox, George Fuentez and David Holmes. (SDN Staff Photo)



PLAYING PRETTY MUSIC—Jane Kirby (top left), Michelle Osborn, Hayley Vineyard, Gloria Flack, (second row left) Becky Graham, Ginger Bryan, Angela Castillo, Cindy Martinez, (kneeling left) Charlie McCormick and Paul Marble were just a few of Mrs. Wayne Bethel's students who entertained family and friends with pretty music Saturday during an afternoon recital. (SDN Staff Photo)



CHRISTMAS CAROLS—Reminding that Christmas will soon be here, students at Bethel's Studio of Music performed a variety of Christmas carols during an evening recital Saturday. Included in the performance were (first row left) Lisa Thrift, Lisa Thompson, Teresa Dodson, (second row left) Tammy Farmer, Julie Roemisch, Randy Cook and Sam Raborn.



SOUNDS OF MUSIC—Sounds of music filled the air Saturday night when students of Mrs. Wayne Bethel performed Christmas selections for family and friends in a recital. Performers included (first row left) Teka Eicke, Stephanie Weaver, (second row left) Don Osborn, Lisa Robbins, Linda Walker, Kay Lyn Hammack and Virgil Feinsod.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SATURDAY
People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center, 6:30 p.m.
Scurry County Girl Scout Christmas Bazaar, Girl Scout Hut, 2300 33th, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

To get smoke stains off limestone fireplaces, scrub with household cleanser, advises Mary Lou Rowland, a housing and home furnishings specialist.

Mrs. Rowland is on the home economics staff of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas A&M University System.

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Christmas Recital Presented By Bethel Music Students

Sounds of Christmas filled the air Saturday when Mrs. Wayne Bethel presented her pupils in an afternoon and evening recital at the Bethel Studio of Music.

Grades 1-6 performed at 3 p.m., while grades 7-12 played at 7:30 p.m.

Parents and the immediate families were guests for the ensemble playing. Pupils performed Christmas selections on two pianos and organ. Other instruments used in the day's music included bongo drums, maracas, auto harp, recorder, sleigh bells, melodia bells, tamborines, wood sticks and triangles.

In the afternoon recital, several parents accompanied their children in various selections. Mrs. Bethel also accompanied several of her students in music pieces.

Group participation included Christmas carol singing. Randy Cook was narrator for the evening concert.

Following each recital, guests and students were treated to a reception of Christmas goodies in the studio garden room.

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Make a few recipe adjustments, and you can microwave many conventional dishes.

Adjust convention recipes to microwave by reducing the liquid by 1/4, fats by 1/2, seasonings slightly and cooking time to 1/3 of the

original recipe, says Marilyn Haggard, a foods and nutrition specialist.

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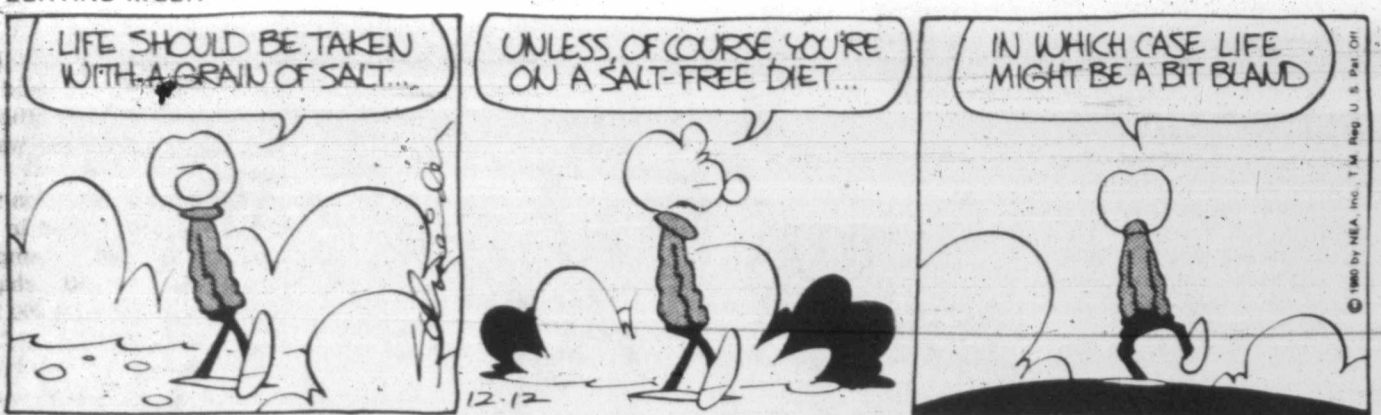
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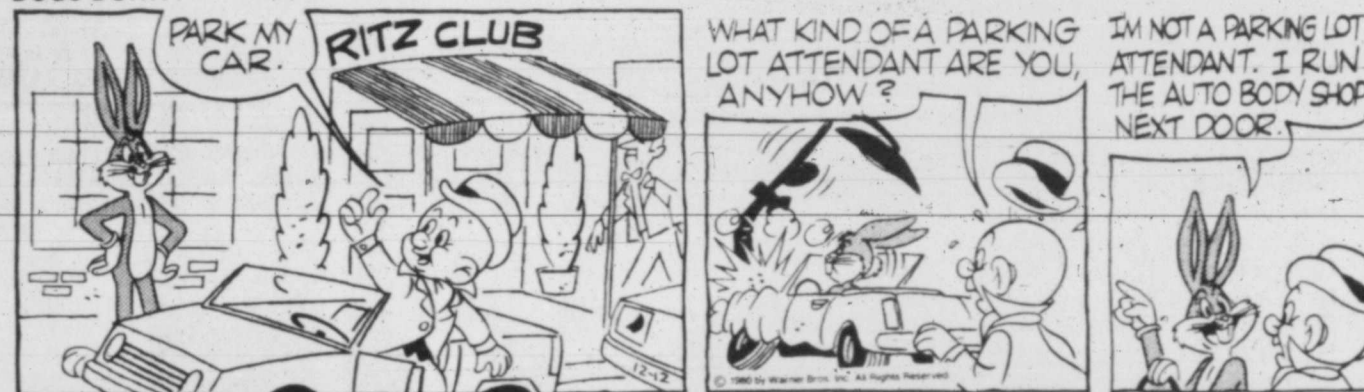
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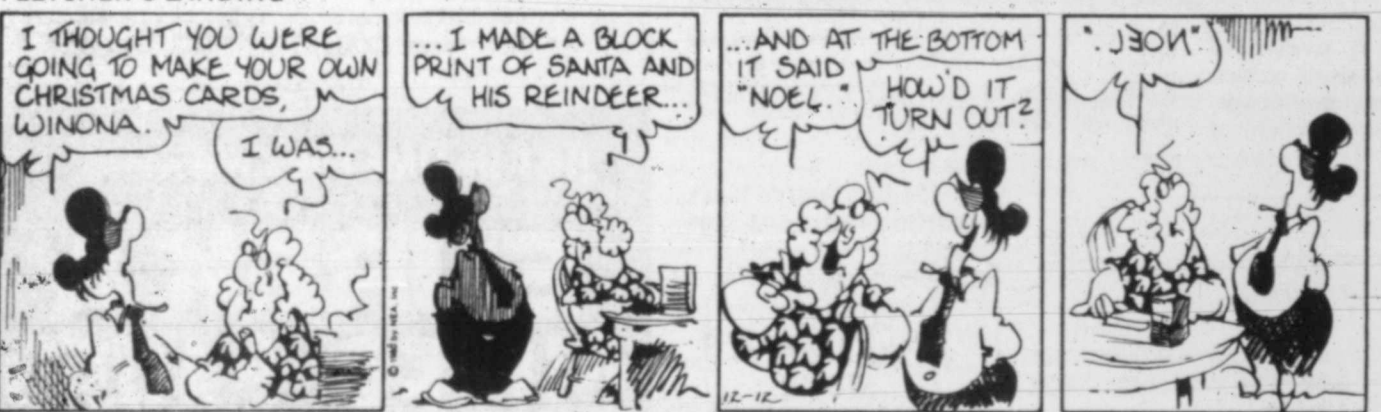
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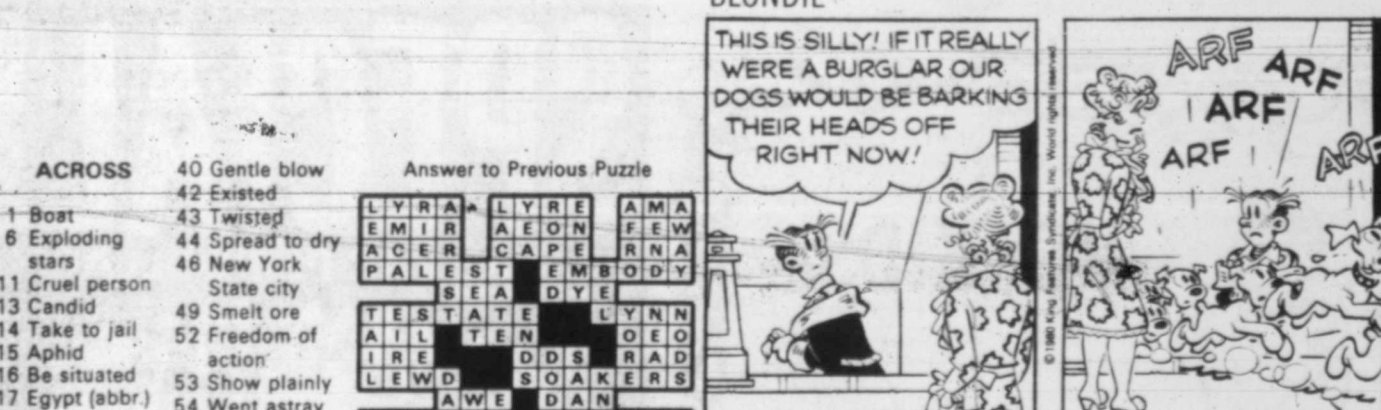
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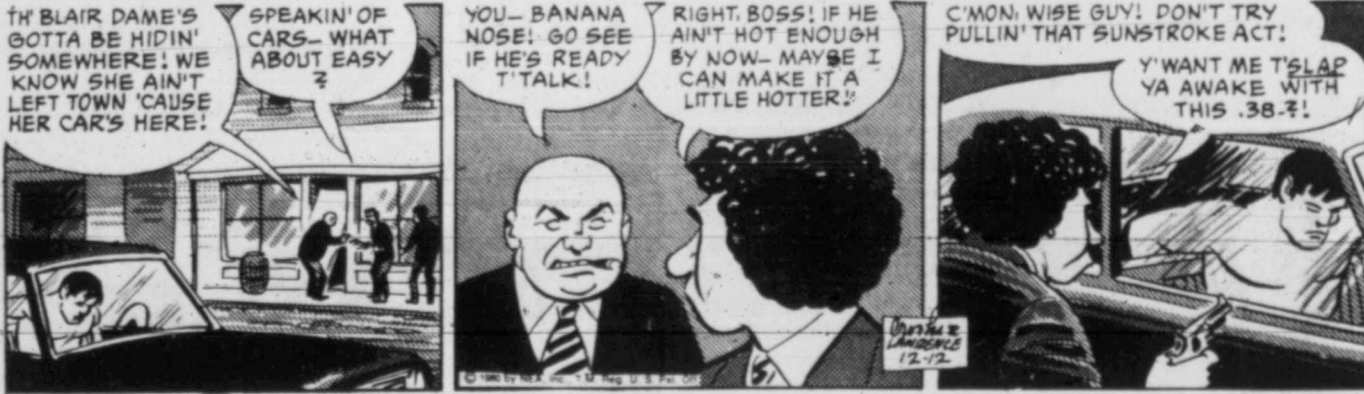
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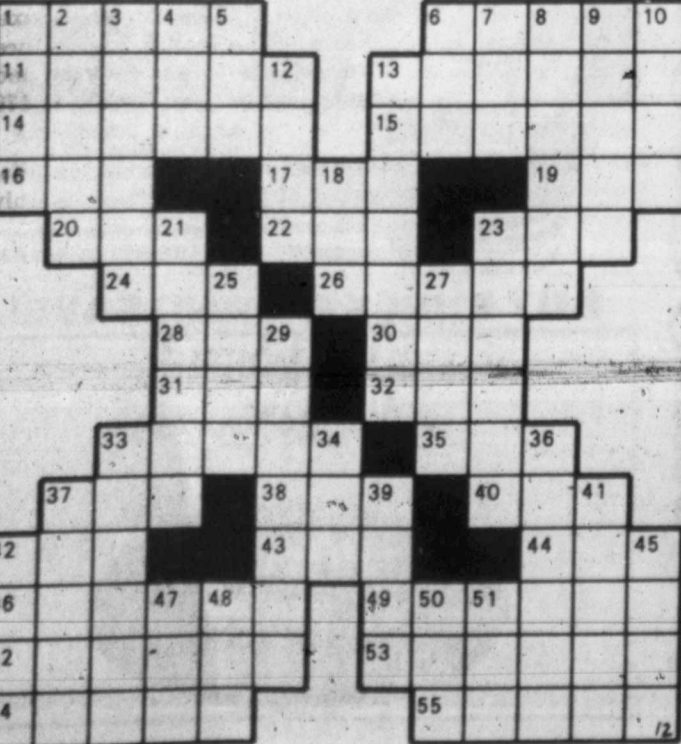
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- 1 Christian holiday
- 2 Weird
- 3 Trade
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- 5 On same side
- 6 Negative prefix
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- 8 Curved
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- 10 Feminine (suffix)
- 12 Piece of luggage
- 13 Hairy
- 18 Canine cry
- 21 Wolfish
- 23 Did not exist (contr.)
- 25 Polynesian god
- 27 Severed
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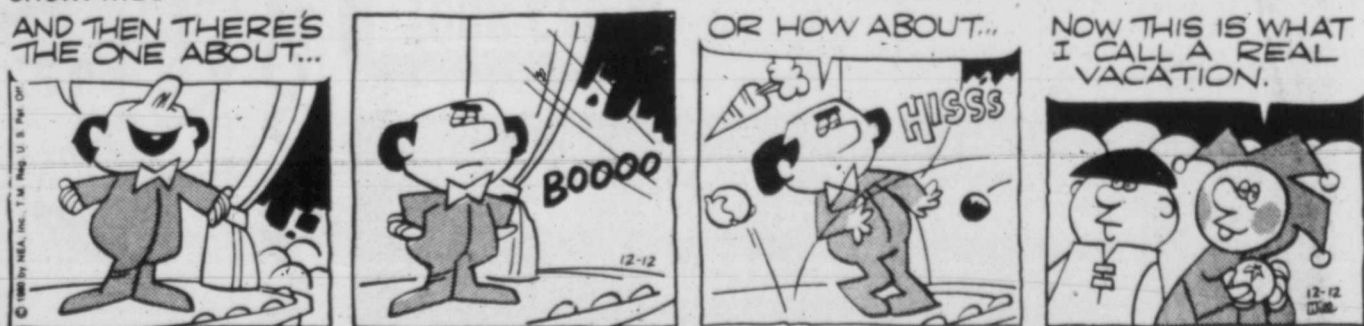
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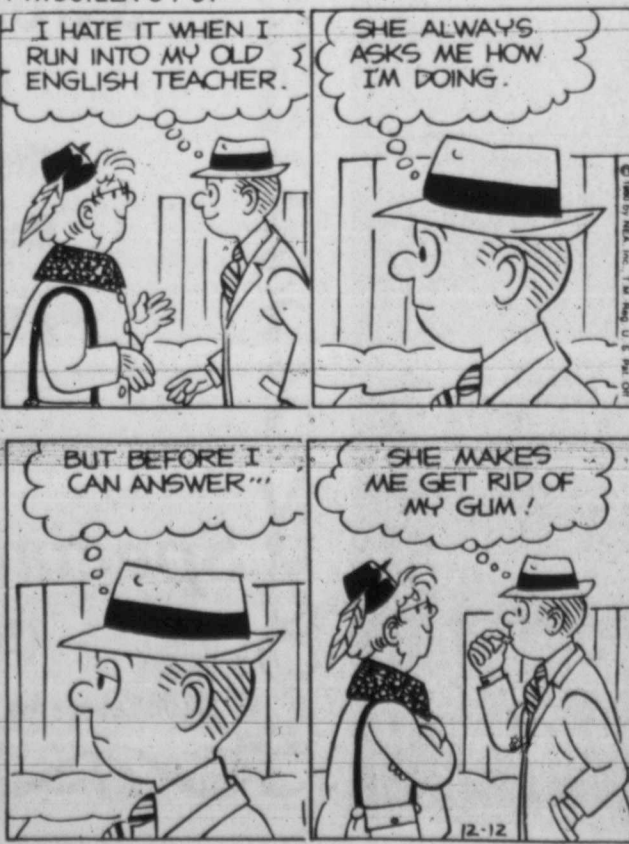
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28 Initiated By WTC Phi Theta Kappa Unit

The Psi Zeta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at Western Texas College has initiated 28 new members, Dr. Mary Hood, faculty sponsor, said.

Phi Theta Kappa is the only nationally recognized honor fraternity for students in junior colleges. To be eligible for membership, students must be carrying at least 12 hours of college work and must maintain a 3.2 grade point average.

The new members at WTC include:

J. D. Helms of Abilene, a journalism major, editor of the campus newspaper, The Western Texan, and a member of the WTC Press Club. He plans to continue his studies at the University of Texas at Austin. A graduate of Abilene High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Helm.

Marty Terry of Big Spring, an electrical engineering major and a member of Eta Mu Theta, the campus organization for students in electromechanical technology. He was graduated from Big Spring High School and is the son of Rick and Celia Terry.

Norma Jo Erwin of Colorado City, who is majoring in sociology and health field studies. Mrs. Erwin plans to continue her studies at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin in Odessa.

Lynda Cain of Coral Springs, Fla., a journalism major, vice president of the Press Club and secretary of the Student Senate. She plans to complete her baccalaureate degree at North Texas State University. A graduate of New Deal-Coral Springs High School, she is the daughter of Bill and Joyce Cain of Coral Springs. She is a second-year cheerleader at WTC.

Rhonda Reynolds of Crosbyton, a journalism major, assistant editor of the yearbook, Trailblazer, social chairman of the Baptist Student Union and a member of the Press Club. Miss Reynolds is a graduate of

Crosbyton High School and is the daughter of Jim and Beth Reynolds. She plans to transfer to Texas Tech University following completion of her studies at WTC.

Laura Marie Shaw of Dickens, a mid-management major.

Annell Harris of Dickens, an education and psychology major. Mrs. Harris plans to continue her studies at Texas Tech after leaving WTC.

Pam Holland of Olton, a law enforcement major, member of the Student Senate and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She also serves as manager of the WTC Dusters. She was graduated from Springlake-Earth High School and is the daughter of W. P. Holland Jr.

Steven Mark Holder of Post, an electromechanical technology major. He is a graduate of Post High School and is the son of A. J. Holder.

James Walker of Post, an electromechanical technology major. He is a graduate of Post High School.

Joyce Saffel of Rule, an education major. She is making plans to continue her education at either Midwestern State University or Hardin-Simmons University.

Jo Ellen Jenkins of Rule, a speech therapy or education major. She also plans to transfer to either Midwestern or Hardin-Simmons.

Pearl McDaniel of Roscoe, an elementary education major. She plans to transfer to Angelo State University from WTC.

Patricia Prewit of Stamford, a business major. Mrs. Prewit will continue her studies at either McMurry College or Abilene Christian University.

Olive Casady of Stamford, who has not designated a major. She is employed as city secretary at Stamford.

Barbara Baker of Sweetwater, a general business major.

Brenda Sue Parker of Sweetwater, a business major. She plans to continue her studies at Hardin-

Simmons University. Cathy Twomey of Sweetwater, an accounting major. She is planning to transfer to Angelo State University.

Denna Kay Danford of Winters, a specialized education major, a sophomore representative to the Student Senate and a cheerleader. Miss Danford is a graduate of Winters High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Danford of Winters. She plans to transfer to Texas Tech or Angelo State.

Snyder students inducted are Jearlende Anderson, an elementary education major; Karen J. Buchanan, a nursing major; Shari Cotton, a physical education major; Norma Jo Early, a business administration major; Guy Thomas Kerrick, a mechanical engineering major; Donna Jo Layne, a legal secretarial studies major; Shirley Joan Pylant, a business administration-education major; Richard D. Schulze, a business administration major, and Barbara Severs, a law enforcement major.

Clarification On Las Vegas Coupons

SALEM, Ore. (AP) — Oregon Attorney General Jim Brown said Thursday a Dallas, Texas, firm has agreed to not to misrepresent the purchase price of Las Vegas casino coupons sold by the company.

Brown said World Travel, Inc., and two of its officers entered into a voluntary compliance agreement in which they also said they will not use mass mailings telling coupon recipients they have been "specially selected" to receive the offer and that they will disclose all conditions on use of the coupons.

Brown said any Oregonians who bought coupon packages prior to Dec. 3 are entitled to refunds if they are dissatisfied after getting the packages.

Under the state's consumer protection laws, a voluntary compliance agreement means the company doesn't admit guilt but agrees not to violate the terms of the document under threat of fines of up to \$25,000.

Brown said the agreement was signed by Don Cronn, company president, and John Femrite, vice president.

Anne Bolgyn, the second wife of Henry VIII, was beheaded in 1536.



Official Mourning Period A Matter of Judgment

By Abigail Van Buren
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DEAR ABBY: My neighbor was married for many years to a man who finally died of cancer after suffering for over a year. They both knew he was terminal. At his funeral she cried and carried on, telling everyone she didn't think she could live without her beloved husband.

Well, three months later, this "grieving" widow is dating. Last evening a man called for her at 7 p.m. They left together and returned at 10:10 p.m. and his car stood in front of her house until 4 a.m.

Don't you think for a grieving widow she is rushing things a little? I was always under the impression that the official mourning period was one year. Or is that a thing of the past?

DALLAS

DEAR DALLAS: People handle their grief in their own ways. There is no official mourning period. For some it begins when the "terminal" verdict is handed down. The grieving widow has my sympathy. Not only does her beloved husband die a lingering death with cancer, she's spied upon by a nosy, suspicious, uncharitable neighbor.

DEAR ABBY: I am Jewish and my husband is Catholic. We have two daughters. One is being raised Catholic and the other Jewish. (We gave them their choice.) No problem. Our household celebrates the Jewish holidays and Catholic too.

Every year I have sent Christmas cards from "our family," but this year I was going to skip it because I work and am taking some classes at the "U." I was just too busy.

My 13-year-old daughter who is Catholic offered to address and sign the cards, which was fine except that I had to spell all the names for her and give her the addresses, plus mail them, which was time consuming.

Before my daughter addressed the cards, which my husband had bought, I went through them and pulled out all the overly religious ones with Jesus, Mary and the Three Wise Men on them.

My husband said I had no right to do that — that it is his holiday and I was showing prejudice against his religion. Furthermore, it's my duty as his wife to send the cards.

I say I am going beyond the call of duty by sending the cards. Also, a Christmas card wishing friends good health and happiness for the coming year has as much Christmas spirit as one with Jesus, Mary and the Three Wise Men on it. What do you say?

MIXED MARRIAGE

DEAR MIXED: Since the Christmas cards were from "the whole family," if you had a preference as to what kind of cards you wanted sent, you should have taken the time to help in their selection and expressed your objection to the "overly religious" ones. But since you didn't, you should not have screened and censored them.

CONFIDENTIAL TO YOU: During this holiday season, when entertaining guests you don't know very well, if they refuse a cocktail, immediately serve them a non-alcoholic beverage. (Never say, "Oh, have just one.")

If you are serving punch, eggnog or any beverage containing liquor or wine, announce it loudly. And never, never "sneak" an intoxicant into a beverage. Don't load drinks, and don't coax a guest who has had enough to have "just one more."

If you're driving, don't drink. And if you're drinking, don't drive. And should a guest become intoxicated in your home, either take him home or send him home in a taxi.

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CPR Course Set Saturday

Basic procedures to be followed when administering cardiac compression, artificial respiration and treatment of choking victims will be studied in an eight-hour course Saturday at Western Texas College.

Students will pay fees of \$20 each for the course. The class will meet in room 111 of Building 7A with Winnie

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Federal Charges Filed In Food Store Extortion

WACO, Texas (AP) — Two brothers have been arraigned on federal charges in connection with last weekend's telephone calls to a grocery chain that demanded \$60,000 in cash in exchange for the location of groceries that supposedly had been laced with strychnine.

U.S. Magistrate Roy Rutland set the bond of Steven Van Howard, 24, and David Wayne Howard, 21, at \$100,000 Thursday on charges of interference with interstate commerce. Police Chief Larry

Scott said state charges of attempted theft of more than \$10,000 were being prepared against them.

Two other men have been accused of participating with them in the plot, in which a telephone caller said food had been poisoned in three of the chain's six Waco stores.

Officials of the HEB grocery chain said they considered the poisoning claim a hoax, but closed six Waco stores for 3½ days and replaced 680 tons of food rather than take the chance.

Federal charges also were prepared against Daniel Ray Glenn, 23, but he remained hospitalized Thursday for treatment of a diabetic condition.

A fourth man, David Lloyd Foster, 19, was arrested Wednesday night and arraigned on the state charge. Peace Justice John Cabaniss set Foster's bond Wednesday at \$100,000.

Greg Rampton, an FBI agent from Austin, said he agreed with HEB officials that the extortion call was a hoax.

"There is no indication that there was any poison in the food at any time," Rampton said. The federal charge carries a possible \$10,000 fine and 20 years in prison, and the state charge a maximum penalty of ten years and a \$5,000 fine.

Peanut Butter Supplies Thin

DALLAS (AP) — Peanut butter — that beloved American diet staple, that gooey substance just perfect for spreading, that wonderful brown gunk that goes so well with chocolate and bananas — is suddenly in short supply.

It seems peanut butter has fallen victim to the Heat Wave of 1980. Scorching temperatures wilted peanut crops across the country and this year's harvest was a whopping 42 percent lower than last year's.

Subsequently, supplies are spread thinner and thinner and prices are getting higher and higher.

"Please don't take my peanut butter," cried one distraught Plano housewife after vainly searching several supermarkets for the large, economy jar of the delectable glop.

"I've got two teenagers and they're eating me out of house and home. Peanut butter is the last bastion," she moaned.

Local supermarket managers surveyed this week said there is no danger that peanut butter will disappear from the shelves, but they estimate they are getting only 80 percent of last year's supplies.

Some stores have imposed a limit, but one manager said the restriction only fueled the peanut butter fire.

"They (shoppers) buy whatever the limit is," said the manager, who asked not to be named. "If the limit is three, they buy three instead of the one they came after."

Lynn Trammel, a buyer for Tom Thumb Page Supermarkets, said the case price of peanut butter jumped to \$18

last year to \$20 in October, then shot to the current level of \$30.

"The 40-ounce peanut butter, the largest jar we carry, costs almost \$4," she said.

She said she is limiting the amount of peanut butter each store can order "so they won't hoard it."

Mrs. Trammel predicted current prices will hold until the end of the year, but will be on the rise early in 1981.

In 1935, T.E. Lawrence, better-known as Lawrence of Arabia, died as a result of a motorcycle accident.

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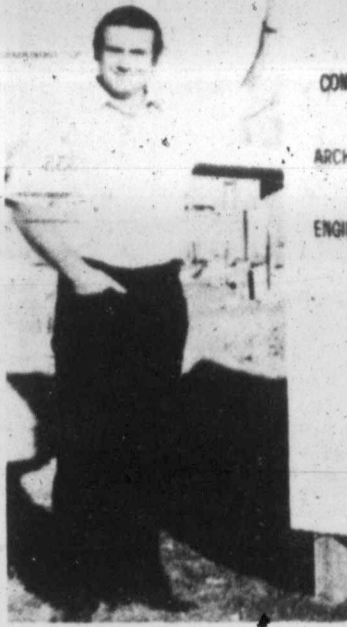
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NEW CHURCH - Rev. Thomas Jordan stands beside the sign board at the site of the new Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church where construction is soon to start. The church congregation has raised what money it can, said Rev. Jordan, and appeals are going out to the community at large for additional funds. (SDN Staff Photo)

Church Seeks Funds To Rebuild Burned Facility

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, destroyed by a fire nearly a year and a half ago, is being rebuilt and an appeal is going out for funds. The estimated cost of the new church will be at least \$250,000, said Rev. Thomas Jordan, the church priest. Against that sum, \$100,000 has been obtained through a loan, \$35,000 has been paid to the contractor, \$11,000 has been paid to the architect, and \$51,000 is currently in the bank. The balance is needed.

The church congregation, through "constant fund raising activity," has raised all the money it can, said Jordan, and he is appealing to additional help from the community. "A church is a tremendous asset to any community in enabling its members to be law abiding and good citizens which necessarily stems from a knowledge and respect for God's law," said Jordan. "We firmly believe that we are not only aiding our own com-

munity of Our Lady of Guadalupe but the entire community of Snyder in the long run." Building materials for the new church are expected to arrive by Christmas, and construction is expected to begin a short time later. Already the foundation has been poured. The new church, which will have a seating capacity for 500, will not be an elaborate structure. "It will not be an elaborate building, just a functional building," said Jordan. Jordan said persons wishing to make donations may send their money to Rt. 3, Box 135. Those wanting more information may call 573-3866 or 573-7142. Jordan said he is grateful for donations received so far.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Ball

Mrs. Lome Frances Ball, 80, of Fluvanna, died at 9:30 p. m. Thursday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p. m. Saturday at the Fluvanna Baptist Church. The Rev. Buck Hatfield of Snyder and the Rev. Ray Cunningham of Fluvanna will officiate and burial will be in the Fluvanna Cemetery, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home. A native of Erath County, she had lived at Fluvanna most of her life. She was married in 1915 at Fluvanna to Ethan Ball. He preceded her in death in 1962.

Surviving are a daughter, Dorothy Trott of Odessa; four sons, E. L. Ball and Nolan Ball, both of Snyder, Dean Ball and Duke Ball, both of Fluvanna; and a sister, Mrs. Snow Kennedy of Lubbock.



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Takes time for weight loss

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB - I am 5 feet 3 and weigh 160 pounds. I am not a very big eater. I do have cereal for breakfast, a half sandwich for lunch, fruit and decaffeinated coffee. For dinner I do have a slice of any meat - about seven ounces - very little vegetables, very seldom potatoes and I like a green salad with dressing. Now and then I like to nibble on garbage. I have very poor will power. Would you please send me a balanced diet so I can lose at least 20 to 30 pounds? I feel very uncomfortable with all this bloat.

DEAR READER - You may as well settle down to a long-term project as you can't lose 20 to 30 pounds of fat in a few weeks. Even if you ate nothing at all and starved, you would only lose about a half pound of muscle a day. You'd lose water and empty out your digestive system which would look good on the scales, but that is not body fat. It is not a good idea to lose muscle from a fast or many of the overly restricted fad diets either.

The diet plan in The Health Letter number 4-7, Weight Losing Diet, which I am sending you, is a balanced 1200 to 1300 calorie diet. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. It will provide the basis for a balanced diet that you can use after you have lost the excess pounds of fat.

You'll need to exercise daily too in order to avoid loss of body muscles and body protein. Don't expect or hope to lose more than about a pound of real fat a week. You'll lose more the first week but it won't be fat loss.

Remember that a pound of body fat contains 3500 calories. To eliminate one pound of body fat you have to eliminate 3500 calories from your diet or use 3500 calories more than you consume through activity. If you can have a 500 calorie a day deficit through a combination of an improved diet and increased exercise, that will amount to the calories in a pound of fat each week. It will also begin to build the kind of program you should follow to avoid obesity for the rest of your life. That is a lot better than the yo-yo fad diets that so many people try.

DEAR DR. LAMB - My husband and I have been married for two years and we would like to start a family. We need to know the best time of the month for a woman to get pregnant. I'm sure there are many other couples like us who have heard so many different stories. We've heard the middle of the menstrual cycle and a week before the menstrual phase are the best time. Which is true? Also how long does this best period last - just hours or days?

DEAR READER - Most women are not absolutely

regular, but a fairly good rule is that ovulation occurs 14 days before the onset of the menstrual flow. If you are fairly regular, you can pretty well predict when that day will be.

The ovum doesn't last long - perhaps only six hours - but the sperm may last two or three days. So if sex has occurred within two days of the exact time of ovulation, there is a good chance that a pregnancy will follow. That, of course, depends upon a healthy ovum and an adequate number of healthy sperm.

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Reagan Cabinet Picks Back Announced Goals

WASHINGTON (AP) - Ronald Reagan's first eight Cabinet choices - all white, male and Republican - are speaking up quickly in favor of the president-elect's plans to reduce taxes, cut the federal budget and strengthen national defense.

Still to come after presentation of the first group Thursday: Reagan's decision on a secretary of state, an important foreign policy post that retired Gen. Alexander Haig seems increasingly likely to fill.

The first eight selections included New York financier Donald T. Regan as treasury secretary, Reagan confidant Caspar Weinberger as defense secretary and his personal lawyer, William French Smith, as attorney general.

There were no surprises as Regan's aides also introduced Rep. David A. Stockman of Michigan as budget director, Reagan campaign manager William J. Casey as CIA director, retiring Sen. Richard S. Schweiker, R-Pa., as secretary of health and human services, Connecticut industrialist Malcolm Baldrige as commerce secretary and deputy Republican Party chairman, Drew Lewis as transportation secretary.

Regan, chairman of Merrill Lynch & Co., the nation's largest brokerage firm, joined Baldrige in labeling inflation the nation's "No. 1 problem."

Both tax cuts and budget cuts are needed to fight in-

flation and stimulate productivity, said Regan, whose appointment gives the Cabinet roster an economic spokesman the Reagan team hopes will be respected in both Congress and in financial circles.

Stockman, who will inherit the job of molding the federal budget into the shape Reagan wants, noted that during the campaign Reagan promised at least a 2 percent cut, "and I think there's no indication that we will back off from that."

Weinberger, who won the nickname "Cap the Knife" for his budget-cutting work in former President Richard M. Nixon's administration, was asked about his plans now for national defense.

He refused to be specific but said, "I support a strong American military force

wherever it is in our best interest to do so."

Regan still must name seven more Cabinet-level appointees, and various sources say he will move quickly to nominate Haig as secretary of state - perhaps by this weekend.

All the appointments are subject to Senate confirmation, and there have been reports Haig could face Democratic opposition because of his role in the Watergate scandal as Nixon's last chief of staff.

However, Sen. Howard Baker, R-Tenn., who will take over as majority leader in January, said Thursday he expects Haig to be appointed by Reagan and confirmed by the Senate.

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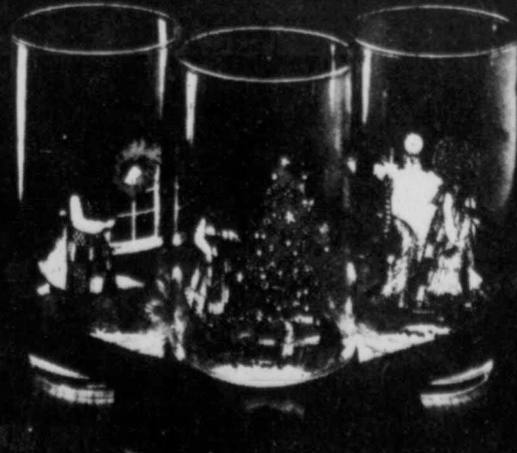
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VFW Slates Yule Party

The VFW Post 8231 and its Ladies Auxiliary will have the annual Christmas party at the post home Saturday at 6:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served.

Ladies are asked to bring a gift for a lady and men are asked to bring a gift for a man. The regular Saturday night dance will follow at 9 p.m. for all members and guests.

The VFW Post will also host a children's Christmas party at the post home Dec. 19 from 6 p.m.-8 p.m. Santa Clause will be there.

The regular meeting of the VFW Post 8231 and Ladies Auxiliary will be Monday at 7 p.m. in the post home. Supper is being served after the meeting.

The auxiliary will have a special election for the office of junior vice president during the meeting.

Jamestown, Va. - the first permanent English settlement in North America - was founded in 1607.

Lubbock Schools Dominate First Day Of Tournament

Lubbock schools dominated play here yesterday as two overtimes, a mild upset and a near-record breaking performance highlighted the first day of the 26th Annual Canyon Reef Tournament.

The 16 teams were to begin battling again as early as 8:30 this morning, with Big Spring taking on Burkburnett in consolation action.

Yesterday's confrontations limited to eight the number of

teams eligible for the Canyon Reef crown, and neither the defending champion or the 1978 title holder are among them.

Lubbock Estacado, Amarillo Caprock, El Paso Austin, Morton, Abilene High, Lubbock Monterey, Borger and Lubbock High all advanced. Abilene was the 1979 runner-up, while Borger took consolation honors last year. Abilene's win did not come

easily as Tye Sasin had to come up with six overtime points in leading the Eagles to a 70-68 double-overtime victory over 1978 champion Mineral Wells.

The game was tied at 58-58 after four quarters, and 64-64 after the first overtime. Sasin's 24 points led the Eagles, while John Chalk added 15. Chuck Brooks paced Mineral Wells with 24, aided by Brian Jenkins' 14.

In the day's other other overtime contest, Lubbock Estacado out-pointed San Angelo Central 65-60. The score was 56-56 at the end of regulation.

James Barnett and Rodney Guyton led the Matadors with 22 and 17 points. Hercules Miller had 18 for the Bobcats, while teammates Paul Hayes and Gregg Diebitsch added 14 each.

Meanwhile, Lubbock High's Kirk Cole fell just short of tying a Reef record as he basked 14 freethrows to help lead the 5A school over Abernathy, 68-57. Central's Charles Bishop set the record of 15 charity shots in one game last year.

Cole came up with 26 points to lead his team, while Mike Hill added 12 more. Joey Garcia and Roger Pinson had 18 and 12 for Abernathy.

High scorer of the day was Borger's Gregg Belton, who chunked in 34 points in leading the panhandle team to a 68-64 victory over Big Spring. Three other Borger players were in double figures.

Fletcher Johnson and James Doss led the Steers

with 15 and 14 points.

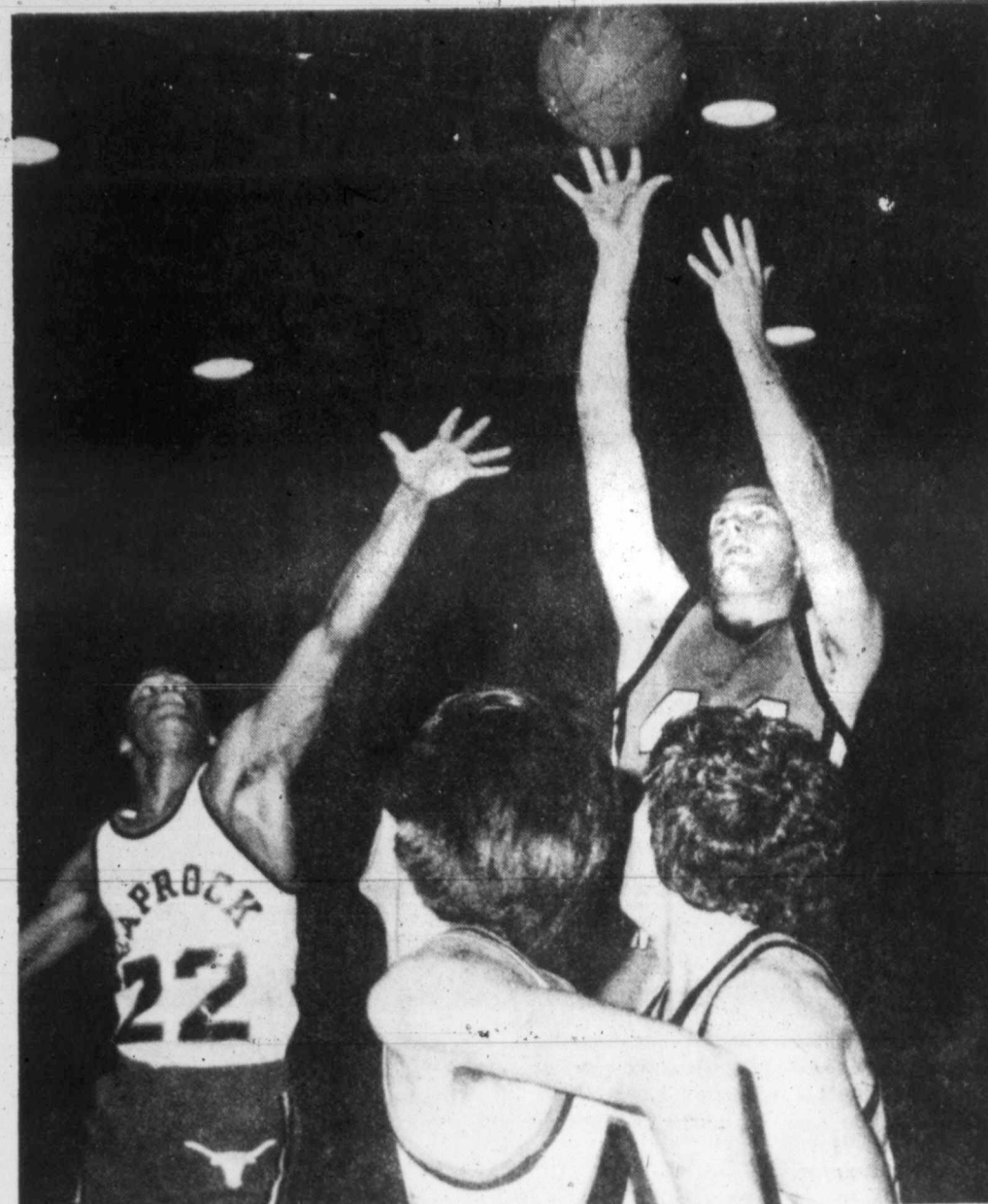
The biggest upset of the day came when Class 2A Morton defeated 5A Odessa Permian, 78-71. The surprise was not a complete shocker, however, as Morton has been picked to finish high in the state this year.

Billy Cadenhead and Bruce Johnson scored 17 each to lead four players in double figures for the Indians. The Panthers were paced by Mike Anderson and Kenneth Armstrong, with 18 and 13 points.

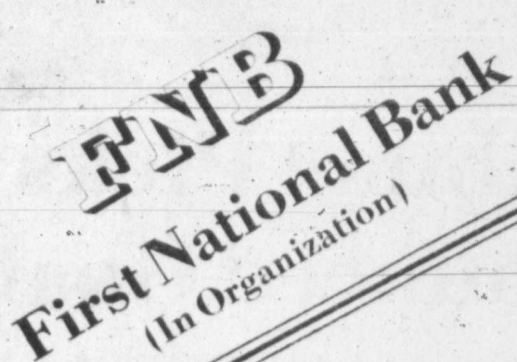
El Paso Austin made its first showing here a profitable one, sending Sweetwater to the consolation bracket with a 52-41 victory. Leon Bryant and Joe Parades led with 20 and 12 points, while the Mustangs were motivated by Rodney Griggs and James Whisenant with 15 and 12 each.

A third Lubbock team made the grade when Monterey tripped up Burkburnett, 59-40 as Gary Hodges and Ian Hyslop hit for 21 and 17 points. Bruce Burks and Sid Chambers led Burk with 9 and 8 points.

In the other game played



REEF ACTION—Snyder's Kris Seale shoots over a couple of Amarillo Caprock defenders in first-half play of the Canyon Reef Tournament yesterday. Amarillo defeated the defending Reef champs, 68-49 to advance in the winner's bracket. Among those shown for Amarillo above is Johnny Thurman (22). (SDN Staff Photo)



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Caprock Gets Past Defending Champs

Snyder's Tigers relinquished the Canyon Reef Tournament crown here yesterday afternoon, falling to Amarillo Caprock, 68-49.

The Tigers, who were in the game until the fourth quarter, join eight other teams in bidding for the consolation prize.

Coach George Byerly's troops were to face San Angelo Central at 10 this morning in the coliseum. Winner of the game plays in the consolation semi-finals at 1 Saturday. The loser plays tonight at 8:30.

Snyder played the final quarter and a half without

leading scorer Eric Arnold, who had dumped in 10 first-quarter points. Arnold, 12 for the game, left the contest with an injured ankle.

His absence may or may not have made a difference but the Tigers did appear to lose momentum at the time. Coach Byerly commented, "It may have in this case, but it shouldn't. We've got to have more depth than that. He did have a good first half, but that shouldn't make or break a team."

Snyder jumped in front early and led 16-11 going into the second quarter, though

neither team hit well through the second period.

It was with 2:55 remaining that Snyder got its first points of the stanza, giving the score an 18-17 look. The totals locked at 20-20 before John Wilson, Barry Blackmon and Arnold came up with five points to give the Tigers a 25-20 lead at intermission.

Caprock's Longhorns held the winning hand in the second half, however. Todd Tenorio led the attack with 10 third-period points - mostly via long distance dialing. Amarillo caught the hosts with just over

(see Tigers, page 11)

Canyon Reef Tourney Results

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Moreland 1 0 2	Wesley 0 1 3 1	Anderson 0 0 10	Lambert 1 2 4
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Buzzer Shot Stops Wranglers

WTC's Westerners got a buzzer shot from Donald Warren to exit Odessa 86-84 here yesterday and take a 2-2 conference record into the holiday break.

The Westerners, now 10-3 on the season, will be idle until the annual ABC Tournament in Big Spring, Jan. 8-9.

With the score tied at 84-84 and six seconds on the clock, Snyder's three sophomores went to work. Keith Denis took the inbound pass from all the way upcourt and shoveled it to the game's standout, Chuck North. North, who played the game with a broken finger, drove under the basket where

he located teammate Warren waiting out on the short wing. From there, it was a simple matter of flipping it to the big man who slipped in the six-foot shot pressure shot like it was a layup. The buzzer sounded as the ball was in the air and naturally the Westerner team and fans went berserk.

Western Texas had held a 16-point, 67-51 lead with 11:23 to go in the game, but several turnovers aided in the Wranglers' comeback.

"We played 30 minutes of good basketball and then we

lost our concentration," said Coach Larry Dunaway. "We got 16 points ahead and started getting careless. We've still got too much sandlot in us. We're not disciplined enough."

Dunaway had his team in a version of the four-corners offense: keep moving the ball to the open man, run the clock and shoot only the high percentage shots.

The strategy was working, but with over 10 minutes left in the game, Odessa was slowly catching up as the quick-handed Wranglers managed

to cause several turnovers. But although Odessa managed to trim the lead to three points on several occasions, the Westerners would not relinquish the lead. Eight points by North, four by Ceasar Scott, two by Denis and another from Troy Stevenson in the final 7:11 kept the visitors at bay until playmaker Craig Ehlo went to work.

Ehlo, the leading scorer in the conference, almost did the Westerners in during the final seconds. The Lubbock native hit a bucket to make the score

84-80 with 24 seconds left, then stuck up two freethrows for an 84-82 figure with 20 ticks on the clock.

His intentional foul to Stevenson put the Westerner out of the game, and when substitute Dwayne Dickey's freethrow bounded from the rim, Ehlo was there to grab the rebound and call time out with 13 seconds showing on the clock.

It took the Wranglers Danny Wright only seven seconds to score the tying points, and with six ticks left, it appeared the game would go

into overtime. But WTC also called time to talk it over, then came up with the sophomore-to-sophomore connection for the gamewinner.

"The guys executed the last play perfectly from start to finish," said Dunaway. "Chuck drew the defense and Donald broke exactly where he should have for the bank shot. As soon as Chuck got the ball too him I thought it was all over. My only concern is that he (Warren) wouldn't get it off before the buzzer."

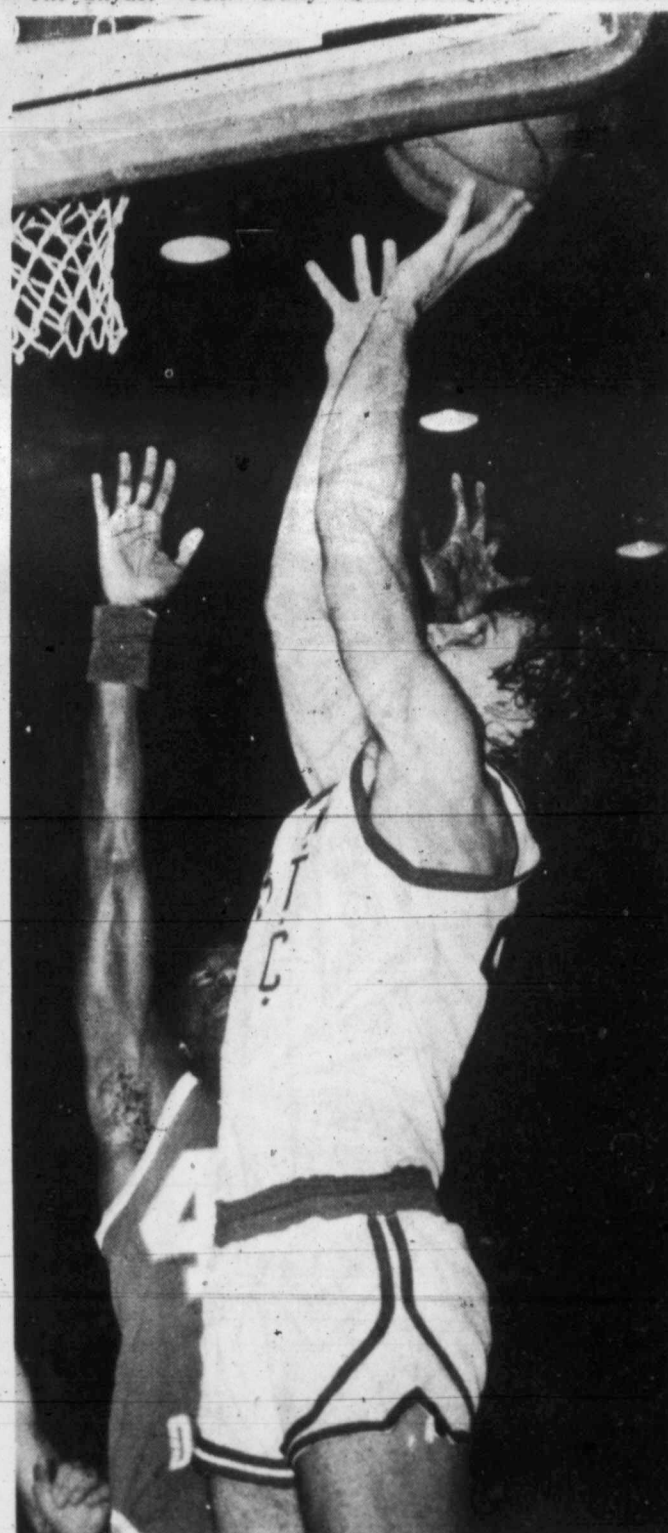
North scored a Westerner season high of 34 points in the contest while Warren basketed 13 points and Dickey and Denis added 10 apiece. Lee and Scott notched 8 each.

No word was available on the seriousness of Stevenson's injury, which occurred when Ehlo threw a forearm which struck the Trenton, NJ athlete in the nose, but it left Dunaway hot.

"Ehlo is a great player, but I lost some respect for him when he did that," the coach commented. "It was an obvious cheap shot. If he wanted to foul him he could have just pushed him or anything. There's no excuse for doing what he did."

Stevenson left for New Jersey this morning and will, presumably, see a doctor there if he needs it.

Ehlo came away with 23 points to lead Odessa. Kevin Maddox and Steve Sula added 15 each and Wright scored 14.



UNDER FOR TWO—Westerner Chuck North sticks up two points against Odessa's Kevin Maddox during second-half action of last night's game here. North, playing with a broken finger, scored 34 points to help WTC to an 86-84 victory. Teammate Donald Warren scored the winning bucket as the buzzer sounded. (SDN Staff Photo by Bill McClellan)

Odessa Winner Despite 2nd Half Duster Effort

Tigers

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four minutes left, 32-31, then outscored them 12 points to four until the buzzer.

From there, 44-35, Caprock expanded its lead to 21 points and eventually the 68-59 victory.

Byerly said Snyder got away from its game plan in the second half.

"We talked about working the ball inside at halftime. They (Caprock) were in foul trouble already and we thought we would be able to take the ball inside," said Byerly. "But we turned right around and went for a quarter and a half without doing that."

"And, they were heating up. I'm sure they felt like they didn't play a good first half," the coach said of Caprock. "I do know that we played poorly during the second half."

Amarillo hit well in the final two periods, while Snyder must have thought someone sewed the Tiger net shut. Several turnovers in succession led to Amarillo's comeback, and turned into a landslide the locals could not stop.

It was the eighth loss of the season for Snyder, which falls to 2-8. Byerly refused to be anything but optimistic, however.

"We've still got a lot of tournament left and some time after that. Fortunately, all of this doesn't make any difference when district play gets here. Obviously we'd like to win a few more before we get there though."

Barry Blackmon's 14 points led Snyder, while Arnold had 12 and John Wilson added 11. Tenorio paced Caprock with 22.

Western Texas College's Dusters became the third straight conference victim of the surprising Odessa Wranglerettes here last night, 63-60.

It was a disheartening loss for the Dusters, who, after falling behind 47-27 at one point, took a brief lead late in the game, only to see Odessa win the contest at the freethrow line.

The Dusters, 2-1 in conference play, wrap up the 1980 portion of their season Tuesday against non-loop foe Ranger at Ranger. The girls then take a holiday break until

January.

Western Texas scored only five first-half field goals to go down 40-25 at the half. Coach Joe Cushing wasn't clear on what his teams' problem was.

"We just stunk up the gym. I don't know if we were worried about Odessa or if we took them too lightly. We were very, very tight," he said. "I will say that I'm extremely proud of them for the way they came back in the second half."

Odessa advanced the 15-point halftime lead to 20, 47-27, before the Dusters began to gain momentum. With 15:02 left in the game, Wranglerette

Karen Enderle, a long range shooter, committed her fifth foul. WTC's Shari Teal bucketed the follow-up freethrows and the Dusters were off and running.

The clock showed 12:10 when Odessa scored its 53rd point, and it wasn't until 5:18 the visitors found the hoop again as Western Texas rattled off 19 straight points to gain a 54-53 lead. Teal led the rally with eight points. Linda Holubec added six more.

The advantage went back and forth in the final minutes, with WTC holding at best a three-point edge. Fate, and

the freethrow line, was to be with the Odessans, however.

Odessa scored its final nine points of the game from the charity stripe, beginning at 2:22 when Teal fouled out and put Jackie Skinner at the line. Skinner, the Wranglerettes' playmaker, basketed one of the shots to make the score 58-56 in favor of WTC.

Just four seconds later, Angela Dykes went to the line and tied the score at 58-58. Western Texas regained the lead as Valerie Wells scored from the line, 60-59, but the freshman got her fourth foul moments later and Cheryl Horton scored a charity shot.

Earlier in the game, Cathy Wallace and Tanya Wells had fouled out within three seconds of each other for Odessa. That pattern was to repeat itself on the other end of the court as Teal went out at 2:22, Stella Bickley got her fifth at 1:04 and Wells was sideline 3 with 26 seconds left.

Skinner's effort at the line was off when Bickley bought her fifth foul, but when Wells went, Horton was on target, and put the visitors up 61-60.

A late shot by Holubec bounded from the rim, and in the scuffle for the ball, Skinner was awarded another pair of freethrows to ice the game at 63-60.

"We're just going to have to forget this one and get on with it," said Cushing. "This doesn't put us out of it (the conference race) by any means. Odessa's not going to win all the rest of their conference games."

Teal's 22 points, nine rebounds and four steals paced the WTC effort. Wells added 14 points and had 13 rebounds and five steals. Holubec poured in 17 points and had five steals. Other individual statistics had Cindy Maddox with five assists and three steals and Bickley with six rebounds and four assists.

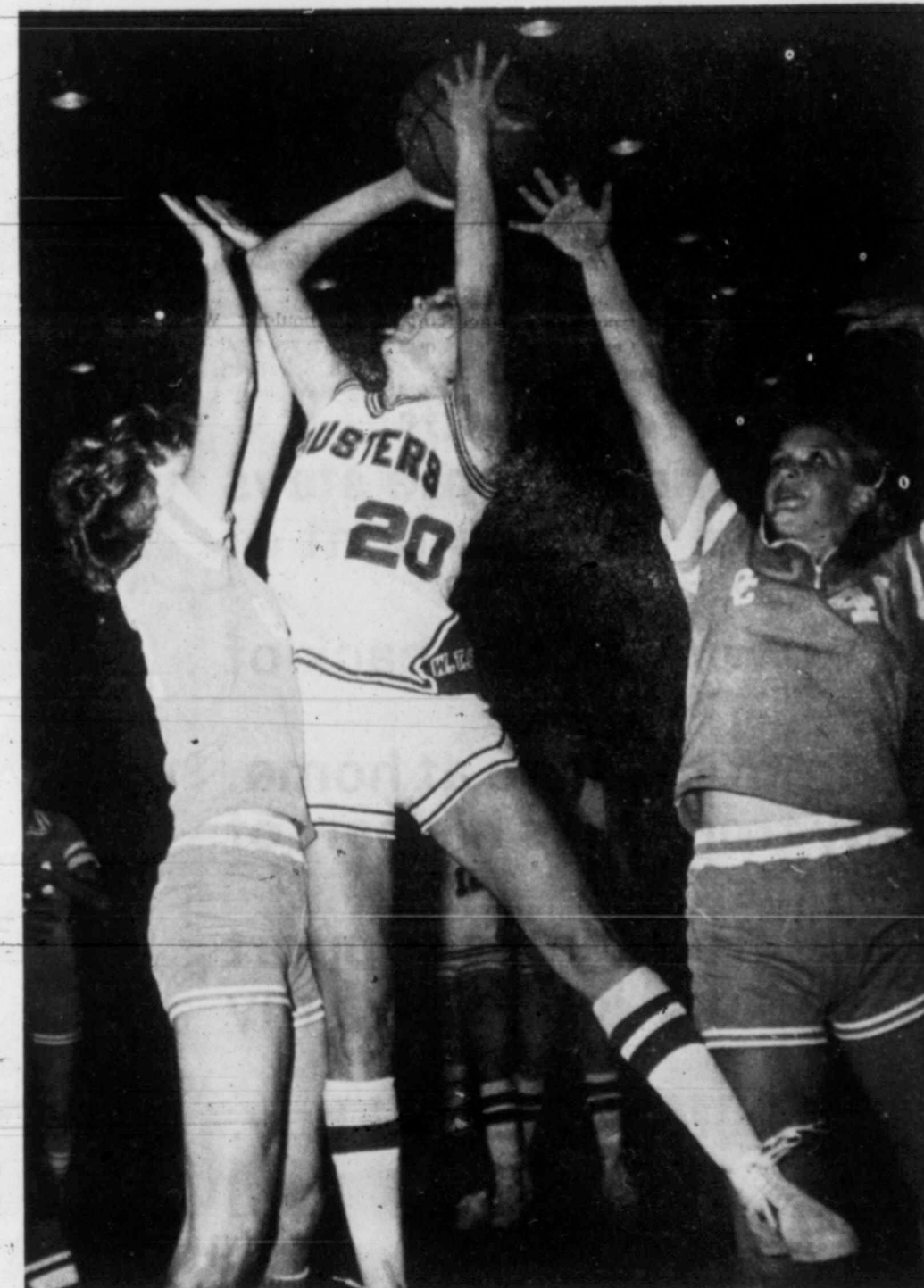
Dykes led Odessa with 13 points. Others in double figures were Horton with 11 and Skinner and Wells with 10 each.

DUSTERS (60)—Maddox 12 3 3; Bickley 0 5 0; Holubec 7 3 2 17; Rodolph 0 2 3 2; Wells 3 5 14; Anderson 0 1 1 1; Teal 7 8 5 22; Watson 0 0 2 0. Totals 18 24 34 29 60.

ODESSA (84)—Wallace 0 3 5 3; Skinner 4 2 2 10; Wells 3 4 5 10; Dykes 4 5 4 13; Galnet 1 3 1 5; Horton 3 5 2 11; Enderle 3 1 5 7; Okenfuss 2 0 4 4. Totals 20 25 35 29 63.

WESTERNERS (86)—Dickey 5 0 10; Lee 4 0 5 8; Denis 4 2 4 10; Stevenson 1 1 2 3; Scott 1 6 4 8; North 11 12 23 34; Warren 6 1 4 13; Smith 0 0 2 0; Baker 0 0 1 0. Totals 33 22 24 86.

ODESSA (84)—Ehlo 8 7 4 23; Maddox 7 1 5 15; Schmech 2 0 5 4; Wright 7 0 4 14; Williams 1 0 1 2; Ivy 1 0 1 2; Knodel 1 0 2 2; Sula 5 5 1 15; Teasley 3 1 4 7. Halftime: WTC 44, OC 33.



TOUGH INSIDE—WTC Duster Linda Holubec finds the going tough inside against Odessa as Cathy Wallace and Karen Enderle (40) provide good defense. Behind by 20 at one point, the Dusters eventually took the lead, only to lose in the final seconds, 63-60. (SDN Staff Photo by Bill McClellan)

Midland Ranked No. 1 In First Juco Poll

HUTCHINSON, Kan. — Midland College, to practically no one's surprise, has been ranked as the No. 1 junior college basketball team in the nation, according to the first NJCAA poll of the season.

The Chaps, 11-0 when the poll was released, compiled 132 points and nine of a possible 22 first-place votes.

NJCAA POLL	
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2. Cooke Cty, TX	143 1
3. Jackson, MI	124 1
4. Kankakee, IL	106
5. Allegheny, PA	76
6. Gadsden, AL	76
7. Westchester, NY	73
8. Hiwassee, TN	59
9. Tyler, TX	45
10. Crowder, MO	26
11. Jamestown, NY	24
12. Three Rivers, MO	24
13. CC Baltimore, MD	23
14. Arizona West	20
15. Gainesville, GA	19
16. Roxbury, NJ	18
17. Gloucester, MA	15
18. Walker, AL	16
19. Hutchinson, KS	10
20. Ferrum, VA	10
21. Miami-Dade, FL	10
22. Trinidad, CO	10
23. SUNY, NY	10

Lubbock

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yesterday, defending champion Snyder was defeated by Amarillo Caprock, 68-49. Todd Tenorio got 22 for the Longhorns while Barry Blackmon had 14 for Snyder.

Play was to continue through this morning, afternoon and into the evening. Saturday's finals begin at 5 with the third place game, followed by consolation at 6:30 and the championship match at 8, all at the coliseum.

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Class 2A Semifinals
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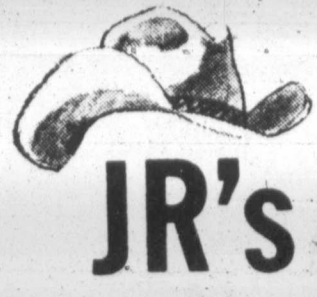
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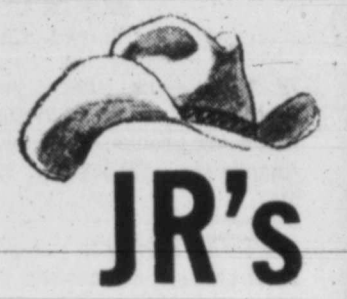
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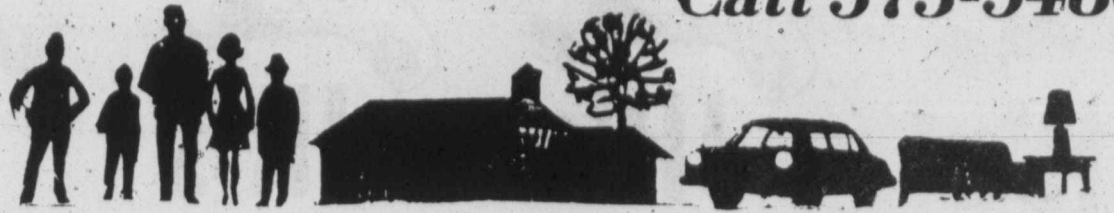
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1977 CHEVY pickup, V-8 standard. \$2300. 1973 Olds Delta 88. 1970 Buick as is. Make an offer. 573-5265, 2210 Ave. Z.

1976 CHEVY Good Times van. PS, PB, automatic, Pioneer FM cassette, 8-track, booster, new tires. Call Lyn 573-5488 days, 573-5701 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: 73 Pontiac, 4 door. \$800. Call 573-6219.

FOR SALE: 1975 T-Bird. Loaded. See at 3207 40th or call 573-9096 after 5.

71-FORD 1-ton moving van. Roll up door. Very good mpg. 1955 Ford Town sedan. Showroom condition. 26,000 miles. Must sell. 573-3424 evenings.

FOR SALE: 1978 Trans Am. Good condition, \$5,750.00. Call 573-8272 after 6.

FOR SALE: 1974 Dodge Dart. 1973 AMC Gremlin. Can be seen at 2300 Ave. M or call 573-6489.

FOR SALE: 1976 Chevy 4-wheel drive Scottsdale. SWB, white & burgandy. 12x65 tires, spoke mags, 42,000 miles. AC, PB, PS. Needs transmission repair. 573-0064 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: 74 Chevrolet pickup. Loaded: 44,000 actual miles. Call 573-7456.

FOR SALE: 78 Olds. Cutlass Supreme, PS, PB, tilt, 231 V6, good gas mileage. Good car, \$3,800. Call 573-8277.

FOR SALE: 427 truck engine & 4 speed Muncie parts. Call 573-0957.

1976 GMC van. 350 cu. in., 4 bb, power brakes & steering, factory air, paneling, carpet, wall insulated, sun roof & vent. For sale or trade for pickup of equal value. 573-8682.

1975 JEEP Wagoneer. Clean v-8, auto., A-C. Quadra-Trac 4 wheel drive. \$3400. Also 1975 Vega. Auto., A-C. Call 573-0753.

NICE CHRISTMAS present. 1977 Triumph convertible. Excellent condition. Good gas mileage. Call 573-2939.

1975 STARFIRE. A-C, AM-FM, PB, PS. Good gas mileage. Good tires. \$1800. Call 573-2012.

79 SILVERADO diesel pickup. Clean, new tires. Bounty Hunter metal detector with discriminator. Like new. 573-0236.

FOR SALE: 1973 Cutlass Supreme. Loaded, good condition. Call 573-0582.

MOTORCYCLES 110

FOR SALE 1980 XR250 Honda Dirt Bike. 573-7673.

FOR SALE: 1977 Honda XR75. \$195. Call 573-6248.

WANT AD

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573-7133
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FIRST NATIONAL Bank (In Organization) is accepting applications for future employment. Experience in note department or proof operation desired. Contact Russell Shannon, 1823 25th or call 573-4041 for appointment.

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NEEDED: A few good men & women. Can earn \$800 to \$1200 month part-time. Snyder Area. Call collect (915) 965-3468.

NEED SALESMAN. Experience preferred but would consider training. See Howard Gray at Brown & Gray Motors, 711 25th.

NEED DEPENDABLE person with low mileage car for route. Apply in person to Snyder Daily News, 2103 25th St.
PART-TIME & full-time help. Pick up applications at either Dairy Queen. Company insurance furnished.

The Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center, 306 W. 3rd, Big Spring, Tx., has an immediate opening for a Masters Level CCC Eligible Speech Pathologist. Salary range is negotiable, dependent on background, experience and qualifications. Contact: Larry Bristo, Box 2213, Big Spring, Tx. 79720. Phone (915) 267-6387.

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WANTED: PORTER & maids. Apply in person office of American Motor Inn.

WOMAN'S COLUMN 210

PERSONAL LOANS \$10-\$100 to working men and women. Call Shirley at Timely Finance, 2409 Ave. R. 573-9335

REGISTERED CHILD care in my home. Call 573-6177.

WILL BABYSIT Friday nights, Saturday or Sunday. Call 573-3698.

WORKING FATHER currently seeking Nanny. Two children age 2 & 5. Room & board, salary negotiable. Call 573-7664 or come by 2805 36th after 6 p.m.

WANTED: PERSON to live-in with elderly couple. Husband is ill. Salary, room & board. Call 573-8970.

FARMER'S COLUMN 220

BABY RABBITS, \$2.50. 4-5 lb. fryers, \$3.00. Some breeder stock. Rabbit manure. Call 573-9436.

CUSTOM PLOWING. Call 573-6670.

COMPLETE HORSE service available - breaking, training, shoeing, and trimming. Kent Mills, 573-2073.

FOR SALE: Exotic birds. Finches, \$5 ea., Parakeets, \$7.50 ea., White Cocktails, \$65 each. 863-2737.

851 FORD tractor & 6' tandem disc. Newly overhauled. 573-9969 or 573-0690 after 5:30 p.m.

FOR SALE: New John Deere 4 bottom roll over mold boards, \$4,750. New John Deere 283 strippers, \$11,600. \$SAVE\$ on any John Deere tractor or implement. Call Gary, 735-2912.

56 HUSKY modular pallets, 32' metal. \$150 each. Call 573-3273.

SILVERNECK BANTAMS for sale. 3011 Ave. V.

WANTED: LOW houred John Deere #6600 or #7700 combine with or without cutting platform. Call collect for Kenny at (405) 327-2830 evenings.

SPORTING GOODS and SUPPLIES 240

DOUGLASS CATFISH FARM. Now open on Sat. & Sun. By appointment. Alive, dressed or you catchum. Call before coming. Sylvester, Tx 993-4644.

FOR SALE: Delta Wing hang glider for towing & soaring. Good price. Call 573-2442.

1973 SCAMPER 9 1/2' pop-top camper. Fits LWB pickup. Rudy, 2405 37th. 573-2147; 3937. Asking \$1,095.00.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

I BUY used furniture. Jim Lemons, 573-0809.

KEEP CARPETS beautiful despite footsteps of a busy family. Buy Blue Lustre. Rent a electric shampooer, \$2. at Clark Lumber.

LARGE EVEREST Jennings wheelchair for sale. Call 573-0957

LUMBER FOR sale. 2x4's from \$1.8 footer; inside & outside doors from \$10, storm doors from \$10 up. Frank Reyes, 817 Lamar St., Colorado City, 235-2221.

MESQUITE FIREWOOD. Delivered. Call 766-3672 or 766-3517 after 7 p.m.

ORGASONIC MADE by Baldwin. In good condition. \$500. Call after 5 p.m. at 573-5330.

PUPS TO be given away. 1978 175 Enduro Yamaha. Low mileage. Ideal Christmas. 573-4295.

RENT TO OWN NEW 25" CURTIS MATHIS COLOR CONSOLE TV OR HOME ENTERTAINMENT CENTER DOLLAR TV AND RENTAL 573-4712

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STEVENS SEWING MACHINES. New Home, Electrohx cleaners. Repair all makes. Bargains. Local 863-2224, Sweetwater, 245-2889.

SOFA WITH matching rocker & a Lazy-Boy recliner. Excellent condition. Phone 573-2789.

SQUARE DANCE clothes & petticoats for sale. Size 8-10. Call 573-8970.

10 SPEED BKS 26" racing bicycle for sale. \$100. Call Westside 66, 573-6722.

WATERBED. \$99.95. Call 573-5381 Monday thru Saturday, 9-6.

WANT RELIABLE party to assume payment on Singer Touch & Sew console model sewing machine. Original price \$649.95, balance \$148.50 or \$22 a month. 573-4760.

35 WATT PA amplifier. AKG mike & mike stand with boom. Call 573-8139.

DOGGS-PETS, ETC. 290

POODLE SHOP. Poodle grooming. 4 blocks east of Clairmont Hwy. on Hargrove. 573-3921 or 573-4497.

REGISTERED RAT Terrier at stud for sale. 18 months old, all shots. \$125. Stud service, \$50. C.T. Merritt, 573-7726.

THREE PUPPIES to give away. 2 months old. Call 573-9983 after 6.

GARAGE SALES 310

3 Family Garage Sale clothes (child's 2-4), women's clothing, vacuum cleaners, luggage, drapes, dishes, 2 record players, 8-track player, plants, boots, whatknots, odds & ends 3108 40th St. Sat. & Sun. 9 to 4

FOR SALE: Antique trunks. Also restored, refinished old trunks. Call 573-7164 after 5.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE, \$90.00 per cord. Delivered. Call 915-854-1569.

FOR SALE: Shelled pecans & homemade quilts. Call 573-3861 or 573-3926.

FOR SALE: Black & white TV with cabinet. \$40. Call 573-6620.

GOLD GAS stove for sale. Apartment size. Phone 573-7802.

HIDE-A-BED SOFA, \$75. 12'x24' wood frame building, \$200. Snare drum with stand, case & practice pads, \$75. Memphis electric guitar, \$150. Call 863-2345.

Moving Sale Sat. 8 a.m. til 7 513 32rd St.

PRE-CHRISTMAS SALE
Dresses (1-22 1/2) 75% off
Blouses (S-M-L) 75% off
Skirts (Jr. & Lad.) 75% off
Slacks (Men's & Lad.) 50% off
Work Clothes 50% off
Children's Clothes 50% off

SECOND TIME AROUND
RESALE SHOP
2415 College
Snyder, Texas
Wed. thru Sat. 10-5

Garage Sale
113 E. 25th
Sat. Only 10:30 to 6:00
lots of misc. from 5¢ to \$1

RENTALS 330

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Large hall for rent to private parties, conventions, company parties, etc. 300 CAPACITY 573-9335, 573-9415, 573-5102 or 573-7208

MOBILE HOME lots for rent. 100 block of 30th St. Call 573-3355.

NICE CARPETED Coleman apartment. Couple only. Call 573-9515 for appointment.

QUIET COUNTRY living. Large trailer spaces for rent. Clairmont Hwy. 573-0459, 573-6507.

THREE BDRM. house for lease. Prefer no children. Call 573-0104 days, 573-0528 after 6.

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT for rent. Redecorated. No pets, no children. 2604 Ave. V.

FURNISHED SMALL apartment. Bills paid. No kids, no pets. Call 573-3402 or 573-4879.

ONE BDR. furnished apartment. \$40 per week. Located 2 miles west on Lamesa Hwy. Call 573-9226 or 573-8341.

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14x70 3 bdrm. bath mobile home for sale. Call 573-8948.

CASH FOR your 2 year old or older mobile home. Call 573-9001.

WANT TO BUY-RENT 350

NEED TO purchase home or duplex, well located, from owner. Buy equity or owner finance. Can make substantial payment. Reply to P.O. Box 949-G, Snyder, Texas 79549.

REAL ESTATE 360

611 East Highway
JACK & JACK
Realtors
573-8571
573-3452

VERY UNIQUE...2 bedr. home in Old West Snyder, new carpet, fireplace, cathedral ceiling.

LOTS OF ROOM...3 bedr. 2 bath with living room and LARGE den, double garage. Mid \$30's.

PRICE REDUCED! Very neat 3 bedr. frame home. 3309 Ave. A. FHA or VA loan available.

5 ACRE tract of land with barn, water well and fence on Colorado City Hwy.

LARGE OLDER home in old West Snyder, 3 bedr. 2 bath brick, double garage. \$52,000.

SELLING FOR APPRAISED Value of \$49,000...3 bedr. 2 bath brick with large workshop PLUS .5 acres of land. West of town.

CLOSE TO EAST Elementary...3 bedr. brick with living room and separate cozy den. Only \$39,500.

These are only a few of our listings, please call us for information on others.

Joyce Reaves... 573-8619
Joan Tate... 573-8253
Kathy McFaul... 573-8319
Howard Jones... 573-3452
Dolores Jones... 573-3452

120 ACRES ALL FARM, for lease. 7 1/2 miles SE Snyder, Pleasant Hill community, \$30.00 acre or best. 214-253-0160.

BUYING OR SELLING?
2 BR 1 bath. Good buy in Southwest Snyder.
9 1/2 acres, mobile home, large bldg. good well.
70 acres east, good well and good land \$525 per acre.
120 acres south, all cult. good water well.
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BEAVERS REAL ESTATE
Office: 573-9422
Virginia Eime, 573-3713
Jean James, 573-9785

Midland Heights Show Found To Be Pure Soap

By PETER J. BOYER
LOS ANGELES (AP) — One of the luxuries enjoyed by TV soap operas is that they're judged apart from other TV entertainment. Viewers tend to indulge soaps their weaknesses in areas of dramatic structure, execution and dialogue. Character is the thing in soaps.

What I'm trying to say is, CBS' new prime time soap, "Secrets of Midland Heights," could become a hit show in spite of its dreariness.

In a very busy debut episode last Saturday, "Midland Heights" showed itself to be a creature grossly fat with overacting and ludicrous situations. But, in the way soaps are, it was also sort of amusing.

It's like this... Midland Heights is a little town out there somewhere in

Soapsville County, where every citizen's life is a tangled web of deceit, lust, passion and sorrow, and where all the webs are interconnected.

The burg is run by old lady Millington (Martha Scott), a crusty old bird whose people founded Midland Heights. Running point for Mrs. Millington, and for himself, is Guy Millington (Jordan Christopher), the series' chief misanthrope.

Of Guy's many reasons for unpleasantness, the most pressing seems to be that his niece, Ann (Doran Clark), somehow stands between him and the family fortune. Ann's mother is suggested to be insane, and Guy is most willing to assist Ann along a similar path.

Ann loves a poor dropout, John. So, Guy has John run out

of town. John might be saved, though, by Holly and Teddy, who... never mind. Let's just say "Secrets of Midland Heights" wasted no time in setting up shop.

Some of the situations were just too goofy to let pass without a snicker. There's a lot of emphasis on adolescents in this soap, so it wasn't surprising to find in the first episode a young virgin seeking to alter her situation. She talked a young man into going to a motel with her. Who do you suppose was in the next room, consummating infidelity? The girl's mother.

Who do you suppose the girl's mother was with? The boy's father. (Tee hee. I have to giggle even now.)

Prohibition was repealed in the United States in 1933.

MARKETS

NEW YORK (AP) Morning stocks:				RCA		
High	Low	Last	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	
Alcoa	61 1/2	61	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	
Am Airlin	9	8 3/4	27	26 1/2	26 1/2	
Am Motors	4 1/4	4 1/4	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	
Amer T&T	34 1/4	34 1/4	14 1/4	14 1/4	14 1/4	
ArmedInd	63 1/2	63	55	55	55	
AtRichf s	25 1/2	25	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	
Beth Steel	37 1/2	36 3/4	15 1/2	14 1/2	15	
Borden	24 1/4	23 1/4	40 1/2	40	40 1/2	
Brit Pet	38 1/2	38 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2	
Burling Ind	18 1/2	18	98 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	
CaterTr	57 1/2	57 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	82	
Celanese	49 1/2	49	73 1/2	73	73	
Chrysler	5 1/4	5 1/4	49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2	
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CocaCola	30	29 1/2	57 1/2	57	57	
ComconInc	62 1/2	62 1/2	123 1/2	123	123	
DowChem	31 1/2	31 1/2	16 1/2	16	16	
duPont	37 1/2	36 3/4	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	
EastAirl	7 1/2	7 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	
EastKodak	64	63 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	
ElPasCo	25	24 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Esmark	52 1/2	52 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Exxon	78 1/2	78 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	
Firestone	10 1/4	9 1/4	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	
FordMot	19 1/2	19 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	
Gannett Co	50 1/2	50 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/2	59	
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Gen Elec	56 1/2	56 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Gen Food	28 1/2	28	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Gen Motors	43 1/2	43 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
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Gen Tire	18 1/2	18	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Goodrich	20 1/2	20 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Goodyear	15 1/2	15 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
GriffPac	4 1/4	4 1/4	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Gulf Oil	44 1/2	43 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
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PhillipsPet	53 1/2	52 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Polaroid	24 1/2	24 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
Proct Gamb	65	64 1/2	17 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	
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Man Shoots Daughters Then Commits Suicide

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas homicide detectives say a series of personal tragedies left Edgar Pilcher "extremely depressed" and probably triggered a shooting rampage in which the father shot his daughter and pregnant stepdaughter before firing a bullet into his head.

Pilcher, 50, died early today at Parkland Hospital. A spokesman said earlier he was in extremely critical condition was "comatose with severe brain damage."

His youngest daughter, Paula Pilcher, 17, was in surgery Thursday night at Baylor Hospital but was listed in fair condition with a gunshot wound to the throat.

Pilcher's stepdaughter, Cindy Whiddon, 22, who was eight months pregnant, was in critical condition at Baylor

Hospital with a wound in the chest. She was taken to surgery Thursday night.

Hospital officials said doctors delivered a daughter by Caesarean section and said the child was healthy.

The shooting occurred about 4 p.m. Thursday in the Pleasant Grove section of Dallas, where Paula Pilcher had recently moved in with Cindy Whiddon and her husband, John.

"The man was apparently depressed. He had an auto accident in 1967 that left him partially paralyzed on one side because of a broken neck, and he and his wife were divorced two years ago," said J.R. Pool, a Dallas police investigator.

"In October, he and his wife got back together for a week, but she left him and left a note.

This had been eating at him, and he and his youngest daughter had moved in with another daughter in Arlington."

But a week ago, Pilcher and his youngest daughter "had some type of spat" and she moved in with her stepfather, Pool said.

Miss Pilcher told police her father came to her stepfather's house about 3:45 p.m. Thursday, quarreled with her, then told her he was going to kill her and pulled out a .32-caliber pistol from a coat pocket.

Paula Pilcher, the first one shot, ran outside after being wounded in the throat and called police and an ambulance. Mrs. Whiddon's husband was driving home from work at the time of the shooting and arrived just after an ambulance.

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BIRTHS

Mary and Richard Hernandez, Rt. 2, are the parents of a 7 lb. 1 1/2 oz. baby boy born at 9:30 a.m. Dec. 11 at D. M. Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Amelia and Freddie Hernandez, Rt. 3, are the parents of a 6 lb. 14 1/2 oz. baby boy born at 2:09 a.m. Dec. 11 at D. M. Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Number 76 Takes Turkey

Number 76 is the number good for a free turkey in a contest sponsored by the Snyder High School junior class. Entrants became eligible for the turkey by making a donation to the Goodfellows through a member of the class.

The Goodfellows provide aid to the needy in the community during the Christmas season.

The turkey was donated by Everybody's Thriftway supermarket. The person holding number 76 should contact Stocky Roberts at 573-8347 to redeem the turkey.

Underwear Thief Angers Residents

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Police and some angry residents are searching for a burglar who steals women's bras and panties and stows them in a woody hideaway described by one victim as an "underwear altar."

Officers say the burglar needs a psychiatric evaluation, but some folks here say he just better not fall into their hands.

The discovery was made by Terry Howard, 19, who stumbled onto the hideout and its plywood platform during a search for the stolen underwear of his fiancee and sister.

"There were clothes all over the ground," Howard said. "I just followed them until I came to his hide-out."

"It was scary as hell," Donna Streeter, one of a number of women whose homes have been rifled for lingerie, said of the hideout.

"There were negligees and underwear all hung up around the platform," she said. "There were dirty books all over the place and panties had been used as markers in them. Women's things were all over the woods. Some of them had been ripped and torn."

There have been numerous break-ins in the area, but the burglar has taken only women's clothing and adult magazines.

Terry Topolski said his 22-year-old wife and his mother, who lives with them, have lost all their underwear to clothesline thefts. His wife also lost some dresses.

The victims have heard noises at night, found finger smudges on their windows, footprints in the dirt and garbage cans overturned.

There have been eight break-ins in the neighborhood in the past month, he said. Each time, women's lingerie was stolen.

The plywood platform in the secluded area was about four feet square. Hanging about three feet above it was a board on which about 30 brassieres were draped. About 15 pairs of underwear were neatly folded on the platform.

Over The Hill Gang Active In Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The "Over The Hill Gang" that has been robbing supermarkets in the Dallas area is the same group responsible for several robberies in Oklahoma this past year, Oklahoma City police said Thursday.

The gang's first robbery may actually have taken place at a northwest Oklahoma City pharmacy in October 1979 before the group graduated to specializing in supermarket heists, Police Sgt. Jim Woodie said.

Earlier this week, Woodie and another Oklahoma City investigator returned from Dallas where law officers from Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana compared notes on holdups in their states.

The group was tagged "The Over The Hill Gang" because two members are believed to be in their 50s and 60s and one reportedly wears a hearing aid. Two others members are believed to be between 35 and 40 years old.

Woodie said the "exact method of operation" was used in robberies in Oklahoma City and Texas over the past year and the descriptions of the robbers are the same.

"We have concluded that the robberies did start in Oklahoma City in 1979," the detective said.

He said the last Oklahoma robbery the gang is believed to have been involved in was at a Skaggs Alpha Beta super-

Junior Posse Picks Officers

The Scurry County Junior Sheriff's Posse met Thursday and elected officers for the 1981 term. The new officers are: Jimmy Cumbie, president; Billy Stroud, vice president; Tammy Bruns, secretary; Victor Bruns, parade marshal; Debi Bruns, reporter. Voting delegates are Cumbie, Stroud and Mark Thompson.

Miss Bruns was chosen queen. Alternate queen is Cindy Stroud. Third runnerup was Lee Ann Sellars.

District 4, Region 6 of the American Association of Sheriff's Posse will have its annual banquet at Towle Park Barn Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

Scurry County area residents under the age of 18 and who own a horse are encouraged to join the club, says Miss Bruns. The club meets the second Thursday of each month.

Suspects Are Nabbed

The Scurry County Sheriff's Office reported that two suspects wanted in connection with a six-month old burglary have been arrested this week in San Angelo.

Taken into custody were Alfred Bixler and William McAnally, both of San Angelo, who are wanted for the June break-in of Falco Trucking in which \$2,000 worth of tools were stolen.

Indictments against the two men were returned here earlier this month.

The two men remain in San Angelo where they face other charges.

The Mediterranean island of Malta, an independent republic since 1974, has an area of 122 square miles and a population of some 316,000.

Snyderite In Honor Society

Peggy Day, a junior elementary education major at Abilene Christian University, has been initiated into the Kappa Delta Pi chapter of the Theta Epsilon Kappa Delta Pi is an honor society which encourages high professional, intellectual and personal standards and recognizes outstanding contributions to education.

Mrs. Day has also been selected for Alpha Chi. This society consists of the top ten percent of the student body.

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