

today in brief

Wallace decision in January

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UPI) — Gov. George C. Wallace will announce shortly after Jan. 1 whether he intends to seek an unprecedented third term as governor, his news secretary said Sunday. Wallace would not confirm or deny the report. Wallace, 54, has been confined to a wheelchair since an assassination attempt during his 1972 presidential primary campaign left him paralyzed from the waist down.

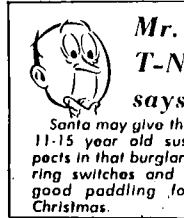
Grueing favors impeachment



SEATTLE (UPI) — Former Democratic Sen. Ernest Gruening of Alaska says President Nixon should be impeached immediately because he is guilty of "criminal conduct" in office. Gruening, 86, called on Congress to "have the courage" to remove Nixon from office. He made the statements in an interview during a stopover en route from Washington, D. C., to Alaska.

GM workers approve contract

DETROIT (UPI) — Nearly 420,000 auto workers at General Motors Corp. approved a new three-year labor agreement with the giant automaker by a better than 9-1 margin, the United Auto Workers announced Sunday. That left only ratification of a contract with GM of Canada and local contract bargaining at Ford and GM to wrap up the 1973 round of auto negotiations. The auto contract talks began at GM in mid-July.



Nabokov wins medal

NEW YORK (UPI) — Vladimir Nabokov, author of "Invitation to a Beheading," will receive the 1973 National Medal for Literature from the National Book Committee. Nabokov will receive the \$10,000 award at ceremonies during National Book Week in April. He is the ninth author to be cited.

Court approves payment plan

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Supreme Court let stand today decisions that the Agriculture Department is liable for reimbursing food stamp recipients for coupons they were qualified to get, even though errors were made by state administrators of the program. The high court rejected a department appeal from decisions to this effect.

Extremists vow to wreck plan

BELFAST (UPI) — Protestant and Roman Catholic extremists vowed today to wreck the Council of Ireland that was proposed Sunday as a means of bringing Belfast and Dublin closer together in hopes of ending four years of violence.

Foreign policy update hacked



CRANSTON, R. I. (UPI) — The United States needs to update its foreign policy in light "of the realities of the world of 1973," Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., said Sunday in an address. He said the U. S. should devote its efforts to feeding the hungry and aiding backward nations, not worrying whether or not they are "anti-Communist or on our side, whatever that means."

Glenn plans Senate race

CLEVELAND (UPI) — John Glenn, the first American to orbit earth, announced Monday that he will be a candidate for the U. S. Senate seat to be vacated by U. S. Attorney General-designate William B. Saxbe.

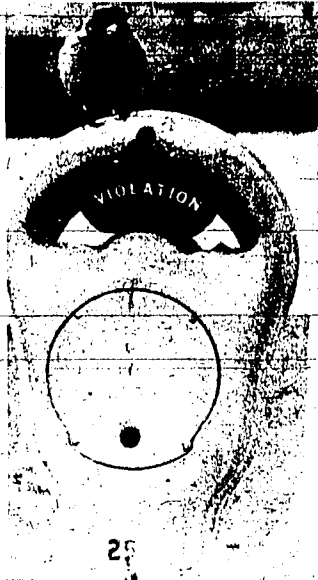
Hughes aides must face probes

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A U. S. district judge refused today to prohibit the Senate Watergate Committee from interrogating 16 associates of billionaire Howard Hughes in closed sessions. Judge Aubrey Robinson Jr. also said he would dismiss a suit brought by the Hughes group seeking a permanent ban on the executive session interviews. "The court cannot substitute itself for the judgment of the committee with respect to whether or not there is testimony that may fall into the areas of national security," Robinson said. "The committee is investigating a \$100,000 donation Hughes gave, through associates to President Nixon's close friend, Charles G. 'Babe' Rebozo.

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Just visiting

SPARROW takes a breather atop a parking meter in front of a restaurant in Cleveland, Ohio, but didn't receive a ticket although the meter was showing a "violation" flag. (UPI)

TF joint planning unit set

By GEORGE WILEY
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS — A city-county planning organization designed to develop a comprehensive land use plan for Twin Falls County will soon go to city and county officials for approval.

The Twin Falls City-County Joint Planning Council has prepared final drafts of its bylaws and articles of agreement between the city and county necessary for its operation.

According to County Commissioner Merl Leonard, chairman of the joint council, the bylaws and articles of agreement will be presented to the county and city in January. Leonard said Saturday presentation of documents is being delayed to give newly-elected members of the City Council the opportunity to vote on the articles and bylaws.

Budgeting for the joint council in 1974 cannot be completed until revenue sharing funds are freed the first week in January, Leonard said. The joint council was organized last summer to develop a coordinated comprehensive land use plan for the city and county. The council recently hired Boise planner David M. Richey as a professional planner for Twin Falls.

Technically, Richey will act as an adviser to the joint council, but he and his assistants will actually be in charge of drawing up an ongoing plan for Twin Falls city and county. The plan will then have to be approved by the joint council and the city and county governing bodies.

The articles of agreement for the joint council were prepared by Jack Muldoon, who represents the city zoning board on the council, and Joseph Fehrenbacher, Buhl, who represents the county cities-at-large. (Continued on p. 11)

Cassia test drill halted

MALTA — The drill ground to a halt Saturday as American Standard "temporarily abandoned" its second well near Malta.

Al Griffith, firm president, said the search for gas or oil at the site about five miles south of Malta was halted at a depth of 6,787 feet after less than a month of drilling. The well was not plugged, he said but had been "temporarily abandoned."

Within 30 days the firm will select a new site in the Malta area and set up the drill for a third well attempt. The first well was plugged at about 7,000 feet.

Cost rise due

TWIN FALLS — Idaho consumers are "going to see some significant price rises" in energy costs, according to Lloyd Howe, executive secretary of the Idaho Department of Commerce and Development.

Attending a meeting in Twin Falls today, Howe said the price rises would affect "all areas" of energy, including natural gas and electricity. (Related story, p. 11)

But the price rises might have a silver lining, according to Howe. Consumers might make a concerted effort toward conservation.

Sirica sends tapes to 'Gate prosecutor

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U. S. District Judge John J. Sirica turned over to the special prosecutor today two tape recordings involving meetings at which John W. Dean said President Nixon discussed the Watergate incident.

Sirica handed a single reel of tape containing copies of two recorded meetings to prosecutor Leon Jaworski at a brief meeting in his chambers. J. Fred Buzhardt, White House lawyer, attended the meeting.

The conversations between Nixon and his former legal counsel were the first received by Watergate prosecutors since Archibald Cox, who later was fired by Nixon, subpoenaed them nearly five months ago.

Asked by newsmen when the taped conversations might be presented to the grand jury, Jaworski said: "I don't know. We're going to first determine if they should be presented. If

we determine that, we'll proceed in a manner that seems appropriate."

The conversations delivered to Jaworski were those of a March 13, 1973 meeting involving Nixon, Dean and H. R. Haldeman, then White House chief of staff, and of a March 22 meeting involving those three and John D. Ehrlichman, then Nixon's chief domestic adviser, and former Attorney General John N. Mitchell.

Dean testified before the Senate Watergate committee last summer that so-called hush money and executive clemency for the Watergate burglars were discussed at the March 13 meeting and that elements of the Watergate cover-up were discussed again on March 22.

The two conversations were among four which the White House claimed no executive privilege when seven subpoenaed tapes were

delivered to Sirica Nov. 28. Sirica said he had been listening to two other tapes for which no privilege had been claimed and that he would hear arguments later on privilege questions raised for the remaining three conversations.

Jaworski announced that the White House delivered to him during the weekend many more tapes and documents than he had requested beyond materials originally subpoenaed.

The statement said, "responsive to requests of recent weeks, White House counsel on Saturday delivered to the special prosecutor a significant number of tape recordings, the contents of which will be carefully analyzed."

"Such of these as contain information material to the special prosecutor's investigations will be presented to the (Watergate) grand jury without delay."

Saigon forces alerted

SAIGON (UPI) — South Vietnam put its troops on special alert today, accusing the Viet Cong and North Vietnamese forces of "preparing for something."

In the only major fighting reported, South Vietnamese troops backed by warplanes and artillery launched a major new assault against North Vietnamese still holding out in the Central Highlands town of Kien Duc, 110 miles north of Saigon.

In Cambodia, political sources said President Lon Nol and two top advisers had finally accepted the standing resignation offer of Prime Minister Tan Tam. Saigon command spokesman Lt. Col. Le Trung Hien said a 48-hour battle lull up to this morning was unexplainable. "But our past experience shows that anytime they have a lull, they are preparing for something."

He reported only 93 alleged Communist cease-fire violations in the two days up to daybreak this morning, including 42 from Saturday to Sunday morning—the lowest one-day figure for the 11-month truce.

Hien said government commanders, suspicious of the sudden lull, ordered a troop alert of 60 per cent battle readiness on weekdays and 100 per cent on weekends. Full weekend alerts have been highly unusual since the Jan. 28 cease-fire.

Israel won't give ground

By United Press International

Israel said today it was ready to compromise at the Geneva Middle East peace conference but would not return to 1967 boundaries. And it said it will not negotiate at all with Syria until Damascus turns over a list of Israeli prisoners of

war held in its jails.

The statement came from Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan during a debate by the Israeli Parliament in Jerusalem on the POW issue.

"The government has decided not to sit with the Syrians if Israel does not receive the list of prisoners of war and if the Red Cross cannot visit them to ascertain that they enjoy the proper conditions," Dayan said.

The Arab oil nations asked Japan today to join other countries in putting economic pressure on the United States to win a better settlement for the Arabs at the Geneva conference beginning Dec. 18. They also announced another 5 per cent cutback of oil production as part of this worldwide pressure.

Israel and Egypt swapped charges of atrocities today. Israel informed the International Red Cross that the Egyptians murdered 28 of its men taken prisoner in the October war and inflicted torture and "inhuman behavior" on others. It had previously accused Syria of murdering 42 POWs. Egypt accused Israel of a widespread campaign of terror, intimidation and murder during and after the October fighting including the use of torture chambers for POWs and setting wild dogs on them.

TF man held

TWIN FALLS — Police early Sunday morning arrested a suspect in connection with the armed robbery of the Stinker station on Kimberly road a few hours earlier.

William Ruben Salaz, 23, Twin Falls, was booked in the county jail about 1 a.m. Sunday on a charge of armed robbery. He was also charged with disorderly conduct and destruction of city property.

Detective Capt. Tim Qualls said today while police were searching for the suspect who apparently walked into the Stinker station with a shotgun and escaped with about \$150, they received a report of a disturbance at a Twin Falls bar. Arriving at the bar, Qualls said, police arrested Salaz for disorderly conduct.

Qualls refused to disclose how police were led to charge Salaz with armed robbery. When Salaz was taken to the police station for interrogation he broke a window in the interrogation room, resulting in the destruction of property charge, Qualls said.

Salaz is being held in lieu of \$10,000 bond on the armed robbery charge and minor amounts on the other two charges.

Juveniles face break-in counts

TWIN FALLS — Twin Falls police over the weekend arrested five juveniles in connection with a string of at least 10 burglaries stretching back to July.

Detective Capt. Tim Qualls said the juveniles, ranging in age from 11 to 15, were arrested after months of "good, honest police work."

Qualls said the juveniles were charged with break-ins at Arrington Construction Co. on July 9 and again July 11, a break-in at the Twin Falls Public Library on July 16, and the burglary of several Twin Falls businesses over a period of months.

In a separate case, police arrested two other juveniles, 15 and 18, in connection with the Dec. 5 break-in at the United Presbyterian Church in which a soft drink machine was broken open.

In a third juvenile case, another young man, 15, was arrested Friday on two counts of grand larceny involving the theft of skis from a ski bus on Dec. 1.

All of the juveniles have been released to their parents awaiting further legal action, Qualls said.



Reviewing position

TALKING before opening of North Atlantic Treaty Organization meeting in Brussels is Secretary of State Henry Kissinger (right) and Donald Rumsfeld, U. S. permanent representative to NATO. Today, Kissinger appealed for better understanding among Western allies. (UPI)



Astronomer shrugs off comet as commonplace event in sky



LUBOS KOHOUTEK
... 'just a comet'

NEW YORK (UPI) — "It's just a comet," shrugged Lubos Kohoutek, the German astronomer who accidentally discovered the heavenly spectacle that has caught the attention of the world.

He and his wife, Christine, were among the 1,200 passengers of the Queen Elizabeth 2's "hunt the comet" cruise, a special excursion 400 miles into the Atlantic that sailed at 10 p.m. Sunday "in search of good weather."

"You see," said Kohoutek in halting English, "to an astronomer a comet is something normal in the night. Perhaps as many as 50 comets have been discovered in the last 10 years. I myself have discovered three. "But there's something disturbing in a comet to ordinary people. Perhaps that is because

a comet appears suddenly as something wild and extraordinary in the sky. It is not usual to see the sky in motion."

Kohoutek, a Czech-born scientist who works at the observatory at Hilmberg, Germany, told newsmen he was extremely interested in the report on the comet. Kohoutek, from the Skylab astronauts.

The 1,200 passengers aboard the Queen will have lectures and programs about the comet, which was named after Kohoutek because he was the first to report it. Those unwilling to rise at the crack of dawn for a good view will be able to see it later on the ship's television monitors.

"For me," said Kohoutek, whose wife calls him a shy scientist, "the comet is something special. It has changed

me. The publicity is too large for such a small object. I found it by chance and now it has brought me to America."

He wore an old, white shirt, a brown suit fraying near the collar and a thin tie, and spoke in a quiet voice. "I am happy to be here to explain what I know and see what I would like to know," he said.

What began as "two little diffused spots" in a photoplate has grown to be one of the brightest comets in years. "But you must understand," he said, "the comet could disintegrate before we ever see it; it's extremely magnificent as it can be."

The comet is visible with the naked eye shortly before sunrise every clear day in the southeast, low over the horizon.

Kohoutek said the comet poses "absolutely no danger" to the Earth.

Part lunar eclipse, visible from Valley

In case you wondered, that was a partial eclipse of the moon Sunday evening. It drew a lot of attention around the nation — including astronauts aboard Skylab 3.

An astronomer in Boise said it was a 10 percent eclipse of the moon, and was scheduled to last about two hours. It was noticeable in the Magic Valley area between 6 and 8 p.m., as the Earth's shadow darkened a small portion of the lower segment of the full moon.

The Johnson Space Center in Houston, Tex., confirmed the eclipse when it was noticed by Skylab crewman William R. Pogue. The center also received a telephone call from one woman who said, "All of a sudden it started turning black. What have you done to it?"

Food ties scored

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sen. James Abourezk, D-S.D., expressed dismay today over the close ties he said exist between government officials who regulate the food industry and the industry itself.

"Practically anywhere you turn, the governmental decision-makers who affect the food industry have some tie-in to corporate America," he said in a statement prepared for a Senate subcommittee hearing into "corporate giantism and food prices."

Abourezk cited these examples:

Vandals damage offices

TWIN FALLS — Vandals caused extensive destruction at Charter Seed Co. Saturday night.

Company employee Tom Keceley told police Sunday the firm's office at 301 Wall St. was entered between 7 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. Sunday by unknown means.

According to police reports, the person or persons broke the glass in a copy machine in the reception area, heaved a letter scale to the floor and scattered contents of counter drawers.

In an adjacent room, the vandals attempted to open a large vault and removed signal change from a dish. A soft drink machine was also pried open and changed removed. Other damage included smashing a glass bookcase door in the office of the firm's president and tearing a mounted goat's head off the wall. A seed testing machine was also thrown to the floor.

In a separate break-in Sunday, Hon. Victor of Sound Limited, 1246 Blue Lakes Blvd. N., told police an unknown amount of stereo equipment was stolen from the firm.

Seen...

Earl Walker walking along Main Avenue... Dorothy Dolling discussing cooking ducks... Rob Palne walking up Shoshone Street... Dorothy Kolar wearing pretty long skirt... Harvey Quessell and Jose Bongoches discussing bean and beef prices... Holly Dean making large furry dog stay outside... Clyde Butcher laughing a lot... Tom Remington taking Helen home early... Merv Mueller enjoying party... Carl Blickestaff wearing down filled vest to work at cold office... and overheard, "An eclipse. So that's what was wrong with the moon last evening."

Venezuela elections run close

CARACAS (UPI) — Unofficial results showed today that Venezuelans by an overwhelming majority rejected both leftist and rightist extremists in Sunday's presidential election.

Luis Herrera Campins, an unsuccessful candidate for the Social Christian Copel nomination, said unofficial tabulations showed that Copel and Accion Democratica were garnering 80 percent of the vote between them, compared to 60 percent in the 1968 election. Both parties are moderate, with Copel holding office at present.

"This shows a consolidation of democracy in Venezuela," he said in a television interview.

Filter lack costs film

HOUSTON (UPI) — Many pictures taken of the Earth from Skylab 3 have been overexposed because astronaut William R. Pogue forgot to put the light filters in, according to space officials.

Pogue, Gerald P. Carr and Edward G. Gibson, taking most of today off with only a light work schedule, may get a chance to recoup some of the lost scientific information later in the 84-day flight when Skylab files over the same spots again.

Flight Director Neil Hutchinson said Sunday Pogue checked out the instruments during the first week of the mission but forgot to put the filters in the cameras. Without the filters, the settings on the battery of six cameras were wrong and too much light was let in, overexposing the film.

Hutchinson said some of the data can be saved by special film processing after the crew comes home Feb. 8, but most of it is lost. Of the six cameras, one has film that was probably not turned too much, one other will be worthless and the other four will be partially okay, he said.

The pilots have put the filters in now and the rest of the pictures should be exposed properly.

The astronauts pointed their telescopes at Mercury Sunday and the planet, the closest one to the sun, showed up as a small dot of light on television screens. They also photographed a partial eclipse of the moon.

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Magic Valley Obituaries

H.A. Schultz

JEROME — Herman A. Schultz, 93, Jerome, died Saturday evening at St. Benedict's Hospital of natural causes.

He was born May 4, 1880, at Ripon, Wis. He attended school in Wisconsin and later moved to Hanks, N. D. He was married to Helvina Ausland on June 25, 1919, at Hanks. They farmed in North Dakota until 1948 when he retired and they moved to Jerome.

He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by one son, Dr. Frederick Schultz, Eau Claire, Wis.; one daughter, Mrs. Henry (Grace) Pharris, Jerome; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, five brothers and five sisters.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Hope Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Robert D. VanNest officiating. Concluding services will be in the Jerome Cemetery.

Those who wish may make memorials to the Jerome Presbyterian Church. Friends may call at the Hope Chapel this evening and until 1:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Scotty Melton

FILER — Scotty Melton, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Melton, Filer Route 1, died at Twin Falls Clinic Hospital Saturday evening after a short illness.

Born at Twin Falls on Jan. 8, 1967, he was a first grade pupil in the Filer School and attended the Filer Baptist Church.

Surviving are his parents; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Melton, Filer, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Patterson, Filer; two great-grandmothers, Mrs. Hazel Brabb, Filer, and Mrs. Ruth Harrison, Filer; a great-grandfather, Gilbert Melton, Cookeville, Tenn.; and two brothers, Kevin Dwight Melton and Eddie Melton, both Filer.

Funeral services for the Melton boy will be conducted at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Filer Baptist Church with the Rev. Roy Watson officiating. Burial will be in the Filer IOOF Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials to the Twin Falls Easter Seal fund. Friends may call at White Mortuary, Twin Falls, until 2 p.m. Tuesday.

V.W. Jackson

BUHL — Vernon W. Jackson, 50, Buhl, died Sunday morning at St. Luke's Hospital in Boise following a long illness.

Mr. Jackson was born Aug. 4, 1914, in Stone County, Mo. He had lived in Idaho since 1955, coming here from Missouri. He was a former manager of Jackson's Cafe in Kimberly and of the Sport Shop Cafe in Twin Falls. At the time of his death he was a farmer in the Buhl area. He was married to Myrtle Ball in Springfield, Mo. in 1936. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Besides his wife, survivors include his father, Brady Jackson, Twin Falls; three daughters, Mrs. Jim (Darlene) Mitchell, Mrs. George (Donna) Allen, both Boise, and Mrs. Lee (Carolyn) Volkens, Jerome; three brothers; Ollis and Dallas Jackson, both Twin Falls, and Thurman Jackson, Jerome. There are six grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by White Mortuary, Twin Falls.

Funeral Services

JEROME — Funeral services for Marvin C. Davis, 41, Council, former Jerome resident who died Thursday at Boise, will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Council LDS Church. Burial will be in the Council IOOF Cemetery.

HEYBURN — Funeral services for Edward B. Schroek, 94, Emerson area, who died Saturday, will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Payne Memorial Chapel. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery.

Briefs

KIMBERLY — Mrs. J. Garland Gibbs, Kimberly, and Thomas Svaboda, Portland State University, were adjudicators Friday and Saturday at the Boise State College annual music festival.

Magic Valley Hospitals

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| Admitted:
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Mrs. Douglas Moore, Calvin Hoffman, Leona Gibbs, Francis K. Larson, Alpha Cederburg, Mrs. Ronald Goertzen, Mrs. Leslie Ude, Lauray Bonds, Mrs. Warren Thorne, Mrs. LeRoy McNeely, Richard Williams, John Tribulla, Mrs. Hubert Keltner, Elson Basom, Carroll Hayter, Leonard Wiseman, Mrs. Kenneth Corey, all Twin Falls; Mrs. Byrd Golay, Mrs. George Lyne, Mrs. Raymond Cordella, all Kimberly; Aaron W. Swanson, Heyburn; Mrs. Don Merrill, Jackpot; Pearl Price, Gooding; Mrs. Rudolf Severa, Ernest Meyer, both Buhl; Mrs. Boyd Bronson, Malta; Judith Russett, Ketchum; Mrs. Donald Egbert, Filer; Jana Chase, Rupert; Kimberly Gourley, John Gourley, both Jerome; Josephine Manning, Burley; Mrs. LeRoy Sparks, Paul. | Admitted:
Katie Heinze, Charles Card, Mrs. David Hanks, Mrs. Lloyd Robins, all Burley; Walter Mathews, Olive Southworth, both Oakley; and Mrs. Kenneth Johnston, Rupert. |
| Discharged:
Jeff Callen, Mrs. Sylvia Hatfield, Mrs. Ervin Kossart, Mrs. Jon Buttene, George Vandervegh, and Mrs. Randy Brooks, all Jerome; Mrs. Lawrence Cisco and daughter, Gooding; Michael Burnette, Spring Springs, Calif.; Gregory Sorensen, Richfield; Jeri Omohundro, Twin Falls. | Discharged:
Mrs. Arthur Siller, Mrs. Lillie Wannole, Mrs. Robert Pfeiffer, Carol Tresner, Sharon Knight, Stephanie Matlock, Marshall gebert, Robert Pearson, Mrs. Larry Loyd, Mrs. Morris Irish and son, James Pope, Blaine Pope, John Angerbauer, all Twin Falls; Andrew Trapp, Jotham Wiley, both Jerome; Linda McFarland, Mrs. Gary Lee, both Burley; Wayne Hamlett, Troy McCormick, both Filer; Mrs. Claude Bowman, Otto Steinbrink, both Rupert; Ethel Pinegar, Dennis Inchausti, Larry Anderson, Mrs. Carole Hilton, Rod Rosenbaum, Mrs. Mike Sherman and son, Mrs. Dave Wonenberg, Mrs. Gertrude Woodruff, all Buhl; Robert Cutler, Paul; Jesse Nauman, Hazelton; Dorothy Seymour, Murtaugh; Mrs. James Castro and son, Eden. | Discharged:
Edith Shillington, Mark DeWald, Alpha Mahlar, all Rupert; Leonard Kraemer, Merle Scott, both Paul; Betty Richardson, Hoyburn. |

Mindoka Memorial

Admitted:
Mary Ellen Frazier, Susan Bigelow, both Heyburn; George Packham, Mark DeWald, Eva Martz, all Rupert; and Katherine Forworne, Paul.

Births

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bigelow, Heyburn.

3 scouts honored

TWIN FALLS — Three men were presented woodbadge "beads" by the Snake River Area Boy Scout Council executive board this week.

Honored were Dale Christensen, Buhl, Council Order of Arrow advisor; Alan Bates, Kimberly, scoutmaster of Troop 42 sponsored by the Kimberly Methodist Church, and Blaine Shaffer, council program director.

Falls. Daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Golay, Kimberly, and to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Severa, Buhl.

Valley Briefs

TWIN FALLS — Goodwill Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Mattice, 1338 Maple Avenue, at 1 p.m. Wednesday for the annual luncheon and Christmas gift exchange. Roll call will be a personal prayer.

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Valley Briefs

TWIN FALLS — CSI Faculty Wives and Women want to remind members of the annual Christmas dinner at the Black Whale Inn at 8 p.m. Dec. 18. There will be a social hour beginning at 7 p.m. Last minute reservations should be made by calling the Black Whale Inn no later than Wednesday.

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Answer...

Funerals have been a significant event in every society in recorded history. Probably habit and tradition and religion and the awareness of death itself have all contributed to bring about the simple ceremony we call a funeral today in our Judeo-Christian society.

—Materially there is no reason for a funeral — the body of a deceased person can be buried, cremated or entombed without ceremony. The purpose of a funeral most certainly is to be found in the spiritual and physical fulfillment experienced by the family and friends of the deceased.

In a church or in a funeral home or at a graveside for only a few minutes out of all of the years in a person's life he is given an opportunity to reflect upon his relationship with the one who has died. A funeral very possibly is a time for the reestimation of human values.

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Anti-trust laws urged to block monopoly

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WASHINGTON — A retired Kraft Foods vice president told a Senate subcommittee Monday congress should write tough antitrust laws to block a trend toward monopoly in the food industry.

It should restrict mergers by large companies and limit the share of a product market any single company — or group of firms — could control, A.C. Hoffman of Northbrook, Ill., said.

"Only a handful of firms manufacture most of the things farmers use; and a walk down the aisles of any food supermarket will show only a few national brands of most items, plus the private brand of the china system," the former food company executive added.

In testimony prepared for the senate small business subcommittee on monopoly, Hoffman said present antitrust legislation "has failed in the basic sense that it has not prevented what is happening

"The first and most obvious step" is to enact legislation which would prohibit acquisitions by the larger corporations unless government decides competition would not be hurt, said Hoffman, who served as Kraft vice president and director of purchasing for 25 years until his retirement in 1970.

That won't alter present conditions, however, so Hoffman also suggested laws limiting the percentage of any given market that one or a few firms control, or laws requiring that at least a certain number of firms compete in a market.

As backup material, the Agribusiness Accountability project, a foundation-financed public interest research group, submitted figures on the 1966 share of markets held by the four largest firms active in those markets. For example, four others, 90 per cent of metal cans.

Other four-firm figures included 85 per cent control

over chocolate and cocoa products; 70 per cent of biscuits, crackers and cookies; 60 per cent of fluid milk; and 88 per cent of chewing gum.

Economists, Hoffman testified, are right in teaching that monopoly leads to restricted supply, higher prices and exorbitant profits.

Now they are also learning that monopoly power is accompanied by large advertising budgets, use of research to improve "the selling or cosmetic properties of products" rather than improve their basic quality, and lack of innovation because of reduced competition, he added.

Jim Hightower of the Agribusiness project also was called to testify as the subcommittee headed by Sen. Gary Lord Nelson (D-Wis.) began three days of hearings into "corporate giantism and food prices."

In prepared testimony, Hightower said corporate profits are climbing because of increasing economic

concentration. He cited increases for Del Monte profits of 21 per cent this year over last, 34 per cent for Esmark, 38 per cent for Pillsbury, 58 per cent for United Brands and 77 per cent for Iowa beef.

Hightower's group has been working with former Sen. Fred Harris and his New Populist Action in what they call Food Action Campaign "to raise people's awareness about this concentration of power and to support the need for strong public action against food monopolies."

These hearings and a petition pending before the Federal Trade Commission are the

culmination of that campaign's activities. Hightower warned that the same lack of competition that developed in the oil industry "is occurring now in the food industry."

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WALTER KNIGHT, 33, Colorado state penitentiary inmate from Natchez, Miss., sorts dolls which have been donated to some 40 inmates working on the prison's Operation Santa Claus in Canon City, Colo. The inmates have repaired 500 dolls, outfitting them with new hairdos and dresses. The project will supply the needy with 5,000 gift items. (UPI)

Helping Santa

Oil firm asks Canadian help

WOODS CROSS, Utah (UPI) — Husky Oil Co turned to Canada for the equipment to double the firm's refinery capacity here.

Al Gaultieri, refinery manager, said Husky purchased equipment from a shut-down Gulf Oil Co. refinery in Canada for a \$5 million expansion program at the northern Utah operation.

Gaultieri said the parts arrived in Utah this week, and the expansion should be completed by April of 1974. The refinery now processes

about 11,000 barrels of crude oil daily. The manager said the plant's capacity will be increased to about 22,000 barrels daily by next year.

Gaultieri said the new equipment will allow Husky's Utah operation to produce high octane, unleaded gasoline to meet federal guidelines that become effective in July of 1974.

He said the Cody, Wyo., firm plans to market most of the additional output in Utah and surrounding states.

School program set

JEROME — The boys and girls of the second grade will present their annual Christmas program Tuesday at 10:15 a.m. in the Junior High School auditorium.

Each class will present a Christmas song. The entire group will sing "Angel Bank," which will be accompanied with rhythm sticks and "Hush Little Baby."

The final feature of the

program will be a song story, "The Shoemaker and the Elves," narrators for the story will be Karla Dorman, Lisa Fisher, Bill Irish and Brian Ahrens.

Mrs. Donald Nutsch will accompany the program. Mrs. Ted Deck is elementary music instructor for this group.

There is no charge for the concert and the public is invited to attend.

CAA aide selected

JEROME — Mrs. Geoffrey (Lorraine) Marble has been appointed Jerome County Community aide for the Community Action Agency (CAA).

Mrs. Marble, who will function as a liaison between the government and the residents of Jerome County, will be available to assist any person or group who has a problem.

Mrs. Marble said her

primary objective is to establish a Jerome County recreational complex which would host such events as arts and crafts, teen dances, meetings, a game room and banquets.

Mrs. Marble specializes in ceramics, sculpture and art. She has been active in special education projects and 4-H during past years. She is presently a project leader in the Sugar Lovers 4-H club.

Proposals ready for plan group

TWIN FALLS — Several planning proposals including the one for Snake River Canyon rim in Twin Falls County will be discussed Wednesday afternoon in a meeting of the tri-county planning organization.

South Idaho Resource Planning and Development Association members will meet at 1 p.m. in the Idaho Power auditorium in Twin Falls.

On the agenda are a report from director Paul Kelly and proposals from special committee studying the Twin Falls County canyon rim, the Twin Falls County Rock Creek Park and a Bureau of Land Management proposal in Jerome County.

Recommendations from several soil conservation districts in Twin Falls, Jerome and Cassia counties will also be discussed as will new proposals for state land use legislation.

Members will be appointed to an A-95 review committee and new board members will be named.

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Women vs. minorities?

Portland Oregonian

Two factors are contributing to a developing conflict in higher education staffing: (1) Pressures are rising for the more extensive employment on college and university faculties both of women and members of minority races; and (2) the number of faculty vacancies (i. e. openings for appointment) is declining and is expected to continue to do so well into the 1980s.

It is true that women have been making greater strides than have minorities in academe. One reason is that the U. S. government has been threatening institutions with loss of federal funds unless "affirmative action" is employed to place women on faculties.

The current issue of the Chronicle of Higher Education carries tables showing that about 40 per cent of master's degrees and nearly 15 per cent of doctor's degrees went to women in 1971 in U. S. institutions.

Both women and minorities deserve a better break in employment on the faculties of institutions in which increasing numbers of women and minority students are enrolled.

Governor on limb

South Idaho Press

Some Idahoans have raised their eyebrows as Gov. Cal Rumpston of Utah plead with Gov. Cecil Andrus of Idaho to lift the Idaho protest against raising the water levels of Lake Powell in Utah-Arizona.

Park explained that Constance Lundberg of Salt Lake City solicited Idaho support of the conservationist cause after the U. S. 10th Circuit Court of Appeals reversed a lower court ruling in their favor.

Andrus together with 15 other governors received a three-page letter explaining why Utah, Colorado and Arizona want the lake level raised.

It does seem inappropriate for Idaho's attorney general to commit the state to such position in a faraway place. In fact such a performance falls outside the realm of constitutional duties of the office.

Likewise, the governor supported the hearings to expand the Primitive Area and Salmon River Breaks by some 1,500,000 acres expansion proposed by the Forest Service.

Memorial 13 as recommended by the legislature became the proposal for classification of the Salmon River Breaks and the Idaho Primitive Area — provides for a corridor along the Salmon River and totally revises the Idaho primitive area present boundaries with certain provisions which do not conform to even the broadest wilderness criteria set out in the National Wilderness Act.

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New VP's first speech shows his eloquence

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WASHINGTON — Gerald R. Ford assumed his role as vice president with a modest disclaimer that he lacked the eloquence of an Abraham-Lincoln.

But the Michigan Republican displayed a simple eloquence of his own, and an acute awareness of the grave problems that burden the administration he has joined, by stressing his "dedication to the rule of law" and the durability of the U. S. Constitution in an eight-minute "inaugural address."

Describing himself as "a man of the Congress," where he served for 25 years, Ford also paid obeisance to a Congress that has felt ignored and bypassed.

and very, very well."

With President Nixon seated at his side, Ford became the first man to accede to the vice presidency under the 25th Amendment. The swearing-in ceremony at a joint session of the House and Senate, took place in the midst of scandals that brought down his predecessor, Spiro T. Agnew, and threaten the tenure of the President himself.

Ford's brief remarks were destined to be scanned for clues to his own expectations, but more importantly, for an index to his leadership potential. For there could hardly be a man or woman in the House chamber who did not entertain the possibility that events might propel the 60-year-old vice president into the White House.

Significantly, his first tribute was paid to the Constitution.

Constitution.

He then pledged his support and loyalty to the President, in a stark, simple sentence. Next, he spoke of the Congress feelingly, of his family with warmth and simple affection, and of "new generations of concerned and courageous Americans."

His speech was free of airs and pretense, and as he had promised, brief and plainly spoken. He had apparently reasoned that "in this moment of visible unity," it would have been pretentious and unseemly to speak of the anguish of the times, of the uncertainties that surround the man at his side who would determine whether he was to do important work or simply preside over the Senate and serve as a functionary on such groups as the National Council on Youth Fitness.

"I am a Ford, not a Lincoln," he said of himself, the automobile analogy lost on none in the chamber. It bespoke a sense of modesty and fitness that made him a popular colleague in the House, even though often opposed by liberal Democrats and civil rights proponents for his conservative positions.

Aware that his mandate now extends beyond the province of his party and the district he served in Michigan, he pledged himself to the rule of law and "equal justice for all Americans."

Nearly 200 years ago, John Adams, another vice President, had said, "I am nothing but I may become everything." An echo of that sentiment hung heavy in the chamber as Ford spoke his piece.

Ford may be GOP's '74 hope

By JAMES M. NAUGHTON

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WASHINGTON — Now that Gerald R. Ford has become the nation's 40th vice president, a number of Republicans in Congress hope that he will soon become the 38th President.

They expect and desire the resignation of President Nixon. His resignation would relieve them of the need to face up to an eventual vote on his impeachment.

But if Nixon does not step down voluntarily by next spring, or somehow restore widespread public confidence in his administration, some of Ford's old colleagues in the House of Representatives are likely to join in any impeachment move against the President.

The reason, outlined privately in the last few days by typical Republicans, is a basic one: their own political future is at stake.

The elevation of Ford, from House Republican leader to vice president, may prove to be a watershed in the Nixon presidency. It provides a successor, certified as honest by investigations in the Senate and House.

More than that, it represents escape — Democrats from the prospect of being accused of partisanship if they moved to impeach the President while a Democrat, House Speaker Carl Albert, was next in line of succession, and Republicans from an elementary fear of defeat in the 1974 elections.

In public, Republican spokesmen exude confidence that Nixon's Watergate afflictions will not be contagious in the 34 Senate and 435 House campaigns to be conducted next year.

Campaigns don't rise or fall too often any more on what's happening in Washington," said Sen. William E. Brock of Tennessee, the chairman of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee.

In private, though, Republicans designing a strategy for the 1974 elections predict disaster — a net loss of five of the 43 seats they have in the Senate and as many as 75 of the 191 seats they have in the House — if Nixon is still President and still beleaguered next Nov. 7.

To a large extent, the wish is father to the thought. Nixon has said several times recently that he will not "walk away" from the job to which he was elected. Even so, his fellow Republicans say that "the odds are increasing geometrically that there is going to be a resignation."

The House Judiciary Committee is not expected to produce a report on its impeachment inquiry before next spring, a time when many members of Congress will be engaged in primary campaigns. A vote on a resolution of "impeachment" by an incumbent representative would undoubtedly become a campaign issue.

No one, among those members of Congress and campaign aides consulted this week, would suggest that an impeachment vote would be based solely on political considerations. But there was general recognition that the attitude of Congressional constituents would be at least a factor in the equation.



VICE PRESIDENT FORD — next President?



Suez opening wins nod

WASHINGTON — Israeli Prime Minister Golda Meir has firmly but informally passed word to the Nixon administration that Israel would not object to a reopening of the Suez Canal — even without Israel's guaranteed right of immediate passage — as part of a first-stage Israeli withdrawal from the Egyptian Sinai peninsula.

What makes that private message to Washington so intriguing is that it dramatizes Israel's growing awareness that it must display unprecedented flexibility in the peace talks with formally begin eight days hence.

No final settlement that did not guarantee Israel freedom of passage through the Suez Canal would be worth the ink it was written with. But what Prime Minister Golda Meir wants President Nixon to understand is that even though her coalition government is waging a tightening battle for reelection on Dec. 31, and hence is highly defensive about publicizing concessions to the Arabs or the U.S., she understands the extraordinary emergency and the need for compromise.

One variation of the plan now under study in Israel would be the complete withdrawal of Israeli forces from all Egyptian territory on the west bank of the canal to the mountain passes 20 miles east of the canal.

Coupled with that would be Egyptian withdrawal of all but symbolic forces from the east bank of the canal and Israeli consent to reopening the famed canal closed by the Israeli invasion of Sinai in the six-day war of 1967.

Then, the Geneva peace conference would adjourn for several weeks to let both parties carry out this initial step in the tortuous process of transforming 25 years of war to something better.

If both sides managed to survive this initial phase, the peace conference would then be reconvened and negotiations would continue toward a second phase. This would require further Israeli withdrawal, possible discussion of hard guarantees to Israel on free passage of the Strait of Tiran into the Gulf of Aqaba, and

many other issues. Again, the second phase would be another testing period, a slightly more difficult experiment in compromise, during which the Geneva conference again would take a vacation to see how it worked.

The most serious question raised by this piece-at-a-time strategy is not whether Egypt will accept so slow a pace but whether the oil-rich Arab countries, particularly Saudi Arabia, will accept it.

For Egypt's President Anwar Sadat, the withdrawal of Israel from the canal to the Mitla Pass, the start of work on reopening the canal



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and the flying of the Egyptian flag over the demilitarized western Sinai would be no small victory.

There is some reason, moreover, to hope that such preliminary Israeli withdrawal would begin to ease the oil squeeze.

If true, King Faisal of Saudi Arabia, the most powerful Arab leader by virtue of his control of nearly one-fourth of the world's oil reserves, may be ready to ease his oil boycott in order to refill his depleted treasury (cash then to be paid, ironically, to Moscow for Soviet weapons).

Thus, Israel's confidential ideas about the shape of the Geneva peace conference are worth serious study here and in Cairo. They mark the first glimmer of hard realization in Israel that Oct. 6 was indeed a turning point — that, as White House counselor Melvin R. Laird said on Dec. 3, "The only friend and supporter Israel has in the world today is the U.S. government" — and the U.S. government wants a settlement.

Thoughts

Young girls seem to be spending more money on cosmetics now, in order to look natural.

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US-Canadian relations improving

By GRAHAM HOVEY

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OTTAWA — In the October issue of Foreign Affairs, Prof. Robert M. Dunn Jr. of George Washington University characterizes relations between the governments of Canada and the United States as "probably more strained than at any time in living memory."

In Ottawa, that assessment seems out of date. Canadian officials insist that relations with Washington are much improved, in both climate and substance, from those of two years ago. Major hazards loom — the energy crisis and trade policy top the list — but each side seems to be approaching them with enhanced awareness of the other's feelings and necessities.

Thus, in a television address on the energy shortage, Prime Minister Trudeau deplored charges that Canada was "kicking the US while it's down." He promised to continue sending the United States all the oil Canada could spare because, "We are friends, and friends care about each other's problems."

And thus, in a recent appearance before a House foreign affairs subcommittee, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State Julius Katz asked Americans to remember that "Canadian oil is not our own," and that in discussing the oil supply problem, "Canadian views and policies must be recognized and respected."

Katz's remarks contrasted so strikingly with the hectoring and bullying the Canadians had absorbed in Washington during John B. Connally's time as secretary of the treasury that the Toronto Globe and Mail printed them fully and prominently.

Scars remain, however, from Connally's ham-handed effort to force one-sided trade concessions from Canada as part of the Nixon administration's emergency economic measures of 1971. This sorry and wholly unnecessary episode gave momentum to what Ottawa calls Option Three, a long-term strategy designed to reduce Canada's vulnerability to arbitrary American actions, whether by government or by private corporations and investors.

"I can add," John Connally told Canadian officials in demanding an immediate turnaround in the trade pattern. But the figures he was adding overestimated Canada's trade surplus by \$600 million for 1970 and \$900 million for 1971, according to the "reconciled" statistics hammered out by a joint U. S. -Canadian committee.

Canada consistently underestimated its surplus but by significantly lesser amounts than the American overcalculation.

The joint committee is now trying to build a system for prompt agreement on trade figures in order to prevent the kind of misunderstanding that stoked passions in both capitals in 1971.

This exercise is a splendid example of how to narrow differences and retain the precious ingredients of trust and civility, for the imperative dialogue of a time when a changing Canada is asserting its independence with greater conviction and the United States is tempted by the false lures of protectionism and narrow nationalism.

Union aid questioned

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In the current turmoil it is not possible to predict exactly what will come out of Congress in the way of reforming the laws governing political contributions.

The notion that all we need to do is pass the campaign bills along to the Treasury is probably simplistic. And the notion that you can keep an individual contributor down to a maximum expenditure of \$3,000 is constitutionally presumptuous. If Mr. Jones decided he wants to take out a full page ad for the purpose of complimenting candidate Kennedy's position on world affairs, will they really be able to stop him?

The disposition to be dissatisfied with the existing laws, notwithstanding the elusiveness of the remedy, is altogether healthy. And the Watergate fever is going a long way in persuading people that there is at least a presumptive distrust of political contributions.



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If a dairy farm contributes to the Nixon reelection, it is assumed that the reason is that the Nixon Administration will raise the support price of milk.

It isn't necessarily the case, of course, but in an imperfect world, we tend to ride our suspicions. And as we stimulate the public conscience, all sorts of things that have been taken for granted are suddenly up for reconsideration. And this means, ladies and gentlemen, that the reformers may very well, in the weeks and months ahead, all of a sudden find that as they accept routinely contributions in cash and in services from the labor unions, a huge spotlight, financed and trained by themselves, is going to be shining on them; and they will be sore afraid.

Sore afraid because a great many senators and congressmen owe their positions to contributions from the labor unions. It is literally impossible to put a value on these, but responsible analysts (for example Victor Riesel), have acknowledged as not preposterous, a figure as high as \$60 million, and nobody puts the figure at less than \$10 million.

What is most interesting is the value of non-cash contributions by the big labor unions. To ascertain this, the Ervin Committee has sent out a detailed questionnaire to 80 labor unions, requesting their cooperation, but suggesting, ever so politely, that any failure to give that cooperation could result in being called before the committee and asked questions under oath.

The questionnaire asks how many union employees did what in behalf of presidential candidates. Some labor union leaders are anxious to conceal the direct participation of their members in campaign politics. Others do not appear to mind if the public knows how active is their role.

That important difference begins to recede from the public mind. There are, as a matter of fact, more stockholders than there are members of labor unions, and it is a joke on Karl Marx that they are often the identical people.

The Watergate investigations have a long way to go before they are convincingly vindicated, but the questionnaire to the labor union leaders suggests a reassuring independence of spirit. We will need, of course, to see how Congress handles any legislation to curb union spending. Ironically, we'll have to see whether the public interest can override the union dollar when it comes to a vote.

US oil exports continuing

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NEW YORK — While the Arab embargo on oil shipments is reducing United States oil imports, the country continues to export crude oil and petroleum products.
 In October, for instance, the United States exported 7.51 million barrels of crude and products, or 242,000 barrels a day.
 These exports have created a tempest, which some — mostly oil industry and government officials, contend is a temper in a teapot but that others — mostly liberal politicians and consumer activists — contend is more like a "tempest in a Teapot Dome."
 Exports thus far this year of about 238,000 barrels a day represented only 1.4 per cent of American consumption of 17.4 million barrels a day and 2.5 per cent of domestic production of

9,227,000 barrels a day.
 By far the largest item of export and lubricating oils and other greases, which accounted for more than 4 million of the 7.5 million total exports.
 These items are not in short supply and have little or no bearing on the present world energy situation.
 Three items in short supply, however, are presently being exported and in increasing quantities at least up to the end of October — gasoline, distillate oils and residual oils. In October, 493,789 barrels of gasoline were exported; 650,365 barrels of distillate fuel oil and 620,615 barrels of residual oil.
 Industry estimates are that the total quantities of these products exported in the first 10 months would meet U. S. demand for only

three days in residual oil, for 16 hours in distillate oil and for 4 hours in gasoline.
 The leading critic of these exports, Rep. Les Aspin (D-Wis.), says he realizes that the amounts are not very much but contends that "there is absolutely no reason to export any oil during a shortage."
 Aspin is also concerned about profiteering on the exports. He has pointed out that 247,000 barrels of gasoline were sold to Brazil in October at a price of about 23 cents a gallon compared with the domestic price of about 20 cents a gallon at wholesale.
 He is worried that exports may increase and has introduced a bill with 47 other sponsors that would prohibit exports of fuel oil, gasoline, residual oil and propane except for reprocessing purposes.

Flame goes out

RENO, Nev. (UPI)—An "eternal flame" lit in March by a returned Vietnam prisoner of war was extinguished Sunday to conserve energy during the national fuel crisis.
 The flame at the Pioneer theater auditorium was lit by returning POW Maj. Robert Waggoner, in honor of Vietnam veterans.
 Mills C. Baldwin, state commander of the American Legion, said fuel for the flame was cut off until the energy crisis is ended.

Appeal set

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Bristol-Myers Co. is planning to appeal a ruling Sunday by a Federal Trade Commission judge that its "Dri Ban" deodorant was falsely advertised as dry.
 The firm was ordered to stop using deceptive television commercial demonstrations for "Ban and dozens of other products it turns out.

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IRS agents checking price gouge charges

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Internal Revenue Service agents fanned out across the nation "in force" today investigating truckers' complaints of fuel price gouging.
 An IRS spokesman said Sunday he could not estimate how many agents would be patrolling the highways, but "come Monday morning I expect they will be out in force."
 William E. Simon, head of the Federal Energy Administration, promised prompt action against "those who are exploiting the current fuel shortage" after a meeting with IRS Commissioner Donald Alexander and a series of conferences between representatives of truckers, President Nixon and government officials.
 But the Fraternal Association of Steel Haulers in Pittsburgh called for a nationwide truck shutdown Thursday and Friday to protest fuel shortages for their vehicles.
 A group of independent truckers also planned a work stoppage Thursday and Friday which organizers said could involve 100,000 drivers.
 In other energy-related developments:
 —Russell Train, head of the Environmental Protection Agency said Sunday in a UPI interview that Americans can expect to breathe dirtier air — particularly on the East coast — as EPA approves permission to burn dirtier fuels because of the energy crisis.

Oil firms see US use below federal figures

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WASHINGTON — Leading international oil companies have prepared an estimate of this country's expected fuels shortage that is appreciably lower than the government's estimate.
 The Foreign Petroleum Supply Committee which represents 27 companies, is expected to advise administration officials at a meeting here Tuesday that the shortage of crude oil and refinery products in the first three months of 1974 will be between 2.5 million and 2.8 million barrels a day, depending on military requirements.
 The latest government estimate, used by President Nixon on Nov. 25, was a first-quarter deficit of 3.5 million barrels a day against anticipated "normal" consumption of 19.7 million barrels a day.
 The difference in assessments emerged from interviews last week with senior officials of several major international oil companies. They agreed to speak candidly on the condition that neither they nor their companies were identified.
 These other points emerged from the interviews:
 —The executives believe that Saudi Arabia's oil minister, Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Al-Yamani, is "more flexible" about ending the embargo on shipments to the Netherlands and the United States than his public statements have indicated. There is some hope that the Dec. 18 Arab-Israeli talks at Geneva will lead to a lifting of the embargo against the Netherlands. They might allow more oil from foreign — but not necessarily Arab — countries to reach the United States.

—In Kuwait, Arab oil producing states said in a Sunday communique that they will lift their ban on oil shipments to the United States the moment Israel starts withdrawing from all Arab territory, including Jerusalem, occupied in the 1967 war. A withdrawal timetable would have to be guaranteed by the United States.
 —This week the House will consider its version of the National Emergency Energy Act proposed by Nixon and the administration bill to set up an independent government agency to oversee energy research matters.
 —The House and Senate will try to reconcile differences between their version of a bill bringing back Daylight Saving Time as a fuel saving measure.
 —A Special hearing will be held in the House today on a proposal to give the Atomic Energy Commission control of a \$20 billion energy research program.
 —Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., told the United Mine Workers constitutional convention at Pittsburgh Saturday that the oil industry steered the White House into the energy crisis and financed it with a \$4 million campaign contribution to re-elect Nixon.
 —Some state officials feel that the Sunday closing of gas pumps and reduced highway speeds limits is saving lives with fewer traffic accidents.



RUSSELL TRAIN
 ... more dirty air?

Standard fuel list proposed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A Pentagon task force has recommended that the military standardize its fuel needs in order to reduce the demand for hard-to-get specialized fuels.
 Pentagon sources said Sunday that such a standardization program would both ease Defense Department difficulties in obtaining adequate fuel and improve efficiency at refineries by reducing demands that they produce small quantities of a large number of petroleum products.
 The Defense Energy Task Group said 35 separate types of eight basic petroleum products are now required to operate planes, ships, land vehicles and other equipment and to heat military installations.
 "In view of current petroleum product shortages, the Defense Standardization Board should pursue the standardization of fuels within the Department of Defense with a sense of urgency," the task group said.
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Nobel prizes awarded

STOCKHOLM (UPI) — The winners pick up their Nobel Prizes today at ceremonies in Stockholm and Oslo, but the best known and most controversial will not be attending the gala awards ceremonies.
 U.S. Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger will be in Brussels "resting up" for a second day of conferences at the ministerial meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

Dutch rise

THE HAGUE (UPI) — The net income of the Netherlands in 1972, on the basis of market prices, was 135,170 million guilders (\$50.583 billion), a rise of 14 per cent over 1971, the Central Statistics Bureau said.

The kings of Sweden and Norway will carry on with the gala award presentations, however, somehow trying to ignore the absence of two of the winners of the world's most coveted prizes.

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Nixon's net worth listed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Following are statements on the net worth of President and Mrs. Nixon on Jan. 1, 1969, and on May 31, 1973.

Jan. 1, 1969		May 31, 1973	
Assets			
Cash in banks	\$59,752	Cash in banks	\$59,752
Due from Mudge, Rose, Guthrie & Alexander	128,011	Due from Mudge, Rose, Guthrie & Alexander	128,011
Due from estate of Hannah Nixon	13,577	Due from estate of Hannah Nixon	13,577
Cash value of life insurance and civil service pension fund	44,593	Cash value of life insurance and civil service pension fund	44,593
Investment in stock of Fisher's Island, Inc. (at cost)	199,801	Investment in stock of Fisher's Island, Inc. (at cost)	199,801
Investment in real estate (at cost)	539,367	Investment in real estate (at cost)	539,367
Miscellaneous accounts receivable	2,718	Miscellaneous accounts receivable	2,718
Total Assets	\$988,569	Total Assets	\$988,569
Liabilities			
Mortgages, notes and loans payable	609,880	Mortgages, notes and loans payable	609,880
Due to Tricia Nixon	20,000	Due to Tricia Nixon	20,000
Federal income payable	37,087	Federal income payable	37,087
State income tax payable	7,351	State income tax payable	7,351
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	6,161	Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	6,161
Total Liabilities	681,368	Total Liabilities	681,368
Net Assets	\$307,141	Net Assets	\$307,141
May 31, 1973			
Assets Cash in Banks		Assets Cash in Banks	
Key Biscayne Bank, Key		Key Biscayne Bank, Key	

Biscayne, Fla. including certificates of deposit, due June 21, 1973	\$250,000	Other banks	\$426,313
Accounts and notes receivable	28,609	Income tax withheld in excess of estimated taxes	19,810
U. S. Savings Bonds, Series E, at cost (face amount \$5,300)	3,976	Cash value of life insurance and Civil Service Pension Fund	44,593
Land, buildings and furnishings, at cost, less accumulated depreciation: Residential properties:		Key Biscayne, Fla.	311,929
San Clemente, Calif.	571,167	San Clemente, Calif.	571,167
Improved real estate, Whittier, Calif.	77,616	Office furniture, Washington D.C.	3,553
Total assets	\$1,512,957	Liabilities	
Withholding tax payable	355	Accrued interest and real estate taxes	20,399
Deferred income tax accrued	33,000	Mortgages payable	206,241
Obligation for note payable issued by Trust for San Clemente property	204,440	Total liabilities	524,435
Total Liabilities	524,435	Net Assets	988,522

Contributions shown by Nixon

1970 contribution voided	UCLA Alumni Association (100.00)	Total	2,524.00
			1972
Southern California School of Theology	200.00	Connecticut Preservation and Restoration Commission	25.00
Commission	25.00	Marble Collegiate Church	50.00
Holy Rosary Church	20.00	Total	285.00

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Washington National Symphony	100.00	Baptist Community Hospital	11,000.00
American Legion Auxiliary	12.00	UCLA Alumni Assn.	100.00
Mount Pleasant Cemetery Assn.	100.00	Billy Graham Evangelistic Assn.	4,500.00
Eisenhower Medical Center	500.00	East Whittier YMCA	250.00
TV Memorial Fund	500.00	American Heart Assn.	100.00
Duke University Lytle Fund	250.00	D. C. TB & Respiratory Association	100.00
Total	7,512.00	Total	1971
Boys Club of America	100.00	East Whittier Friends Church	1,000.00
American Legion Auxiliary	12.00	Heart Research Fund	100.00
Duke University Lytle Fund	250.00	United Negro College Fund	500.00
Eisenhower Medical Center	500.00	D. C. Tuberculosis and Resp. Assn.	100.00

1070 contribution voided UCLA Alumni Association (100.00)

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Israel Defense Minister Gives opinion

ISRAEL Defense Minister Moshe Dayan said that Israel will have to give in a little bit in the December Mideast Peace negotiations in Geneva. Dayan appeared on CBS television's issues and answers Sunday. (UPI)

Kleppe faces difficult time

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Thomas S. Kleppe, administrator of the Small Business Administration, faces one of the most difficult assignments of his career this week as the House Small Business subcommittee resumes its investigation of alleged illegal loan making in SBA.

Kleppe's testimony will determine the future of his agency's loan making authority, since subcommittee members are reluctant to give the SBA any more money until questions so far raised in the investigation have been resolved.

Already, Kleppe has lost all hope of action on a \$2.3 billion increase in loan authorization pending before the subcommittee.

Although a proposal to fund the agency until the investigation is completed has been placed before the subcommittee, members say they won't consider the temporary funding until Kleppe finishes his testimony. If Kleppe fails to adequately answer the questions asked of him this week, the SBA may be allowed to run out of money for its loan and lease programs until the

Agreement reached on Ulster proposals

(c) N. Y. Times Service LONDON — Britain, the Irish Republic and the moderate Protestant and Roman Catholic leadership of Northern Ireland agreed tonight on sweeping proposals for the future of Ulster.

The agreement, announced after 50 hours of talks including two all-night sessions, left some important issues unresolved. But it included major concessions by all sides, and it cleared the way for the first joint Protestant and Catholic coalition in the history of Northern Ireland to take office, probably early in January.

When the weary delegations emerged from the site of the talks, a Civil Service college in Berkshire, 27 miles from here, they were clearly delighted. Prime Minister Edward Heath of Britain called the agreement "a very considerable

achievement." John Hume, a leader of the Northern Catholic delegation said simply: "I am very happy."

Prime Minister Liam Cosgrave of the Irish Republic said he believed a package had been agreed on "which can respond to the needs of the present situation." Cosgrave is a careful man with his words, but his driver comment did not

hide his satisfaction. Perhaps the most dramatic point of what is clearly a historic agreement — whether it is a successful one, only time will tell — was the decision that both the Republic of Ireland and Britain will make solemn pledges about the status of Northern Ireland and deposit them at the United Nations. They will thus be given

international status and their observance will come under the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice. Dublin has pledged its recognition that the present status of Ulster, with its link to Britain, cannot be changed except by a majority decision in the north. This is the first such statement by the Irish Republic, whose constitution still contains a clause claiming jurisdiction over the whole island.

The suspicion by the Northern Protestants that the Republic seeks to force them into a united Ireland is one of the deep-seated obstacles to a political accord.

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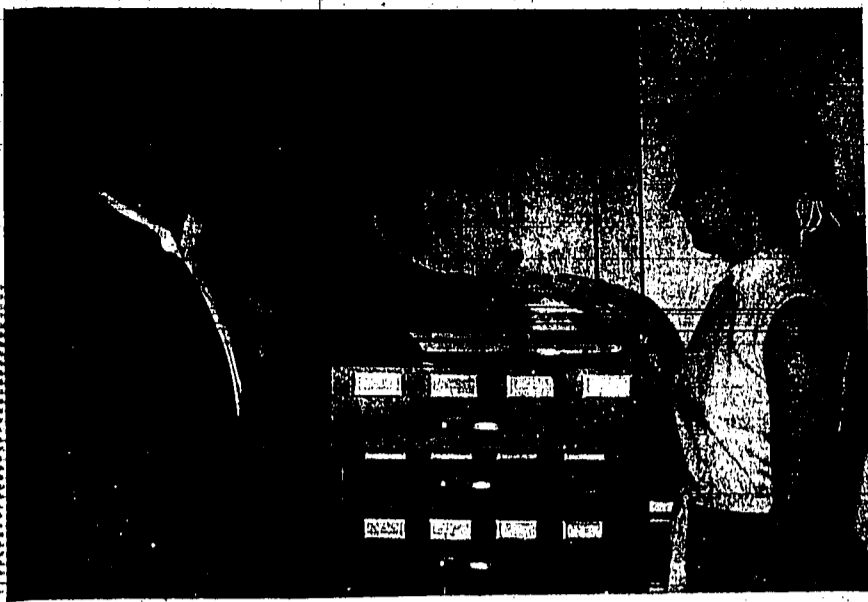
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Accepts check

PLANS TO ORDER another microfilm file cabinet similar to the one now in use are made by Dr. Steve Lincoln, Library board member, Arlan Call, librarian, and Terry Wood, Junior Club member, from left. Miss Wood presents a \$325 check from the Junior Club to purchase the new file.

Sunday birth

(CAGLIARI, Italy (UPI) — Police said it was a good thing for Rachelle Marganelli, 37, that she went into labor on Sunday, when pleasure driving was banned.
"In normal conditions the baby might well have been born on the trip," said the patrolman who drove Mrs. Marganelli to a hospital in time for her to give birth to a son.

TF library plans to purchase file

TWIN FALLS — Another microfilm file will be purchased by the Twin Falls Public Library as a result of a gift received Friday from the Twin Falls Junior Club.
The \$325 check was presented the library by Terry Wood, Junior Club committee

member, and represents proceeds from the club's 14th annual style show, "Tonst to the Holidays."
The Junior club has assisted the library with the purchase of other microfilm equipment for filming periodicals and newspapers to conserve library space.
The first microfilm cabinet was purchased by the club in 1971 and the new one to be ordered will be similar.

Early detection valuable

TWIN FALLS — Dr. Wayne Carte, medical director of the South Central Health District, says the early identification of hepatitis is one of the most beneficial factors in treatment of the disease.
He said the early identification and reporting of the disease will help health officials in control of exposure to others and provide for preventative measures.

Dr. Carte said Hepatitis may be defined as an inflammation of the liver. The cause of the disease process may include chemicals, bacterial infections, protozoan infections, or viral infections.
Dr. Carte said there are two forms of viral hepatitis which have been identified.
He said the Idaho Department of Health had 342 cases of infectious hepatitis in

1971; 310 in 1972 and 157 cases through the 49th week of 1973. The average number of cases per year has been 163 for the past five year period, he said.
There have been six cases reported this winter in the Filer area, but officials say there is no connection through a central social outlet such as schools and the number does not constitute an epidemic.

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Colts surprise Dolphins 16-3

BALTIMORE (UPI) — The hapless Baltimore Colts, rising up behind a suddenly-tough defense, took advantage of the absence of Bob Griese to stun the Super Bowl champion Miami Dolphins 16-3 Sunday in the biggest upset of the year in the National Football League.

The Colts—who had been beaten 44-0 by Miami earlier this year and had been shut out by the Dolphins in their last four successive meetings, jumped out to a 16-0 lead after three quarters and then hung on to thwart several Miami scoring threats in the final period.

Running backs Lydell Mitchell, with 104 yards, and Bill Olds, with 50 yards and a two-yard touchdown run in the third quarter, accounted for the majority of the Baltimore offense.

The Colts' other scores came on a 19-yard first quarter field goal by George Hunt and a two-yard scoring pass in the second quarter from quarterback

Marty Domres to tight end Tom Mitchell.

Miami was quarterbacked by veteran sub Earl Morrall instead of Griese because Coach Don Shula, with another AFC Eastern Division title already clinched, didn't want to risk an injury to Griese on the rain-slick field.

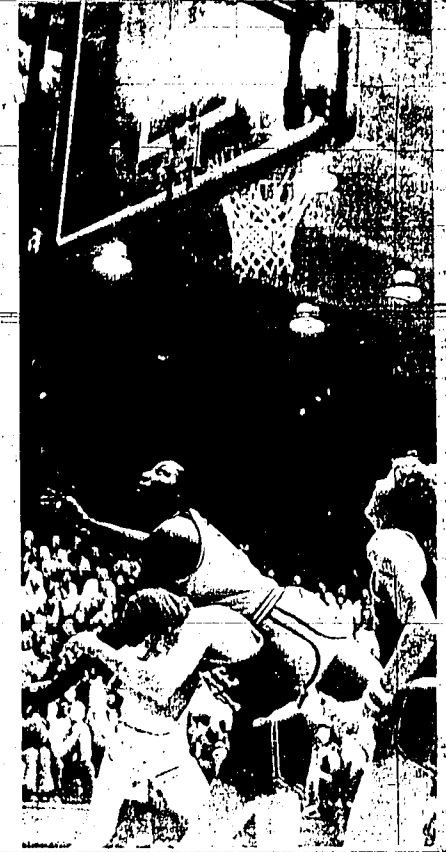
Trailing 16-0, Miami attempted to charge back in the fourth quarter and twice the Dolphins got within the Colts' 20-yard line—only to settle for a single, 10-yard field goal by Gary Vepreman. The Colts batted down two passes and intercepted another in their own end zone.

It was the Dolphins' second loss of the season against 11 wins. The Colts record is now 3-10.

Miami also had one scoring opportunity in the first half but was unable to take advantage of it. Marlin Briscoe dropped a 34-yard pass from Morrall in the end zone and on the following play Vepreman was wide on a 42-yard field goal attempt.



Tom Barker—jumping, shooting, hustling



Eagles rally to defeat Jets 24-23

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — Cornerback John Outlaw returned an intercepted pass 45 yards for a touchdown Sunday to clinch a comeback that lifted the Philadelphia Eagles to a 24-23 victory over the New York Jets.

Quarterback Al Woodall, playing because Joe Namath was sidelined with a swollen

knee, piloted the Jets to a 17-0 lead in the first half before the Eagles' offense got going under the methodical direction of Roman Gabriel.

Gabriel drove the Eagles 63 yards in 50 seconds just before the half ended to score on a two-yard pass to Don Zimmerman and started the second half with a 62-yard scoring pass to Harold Carmichael.

Bobby Howfield then kicked his second of three field goals for the Jets, but Tom Dempsey booted a 40-yard field goal to keep the Eagles three points back midway through the third period.

On the second play following the ensuing kickoff of the Eagles, Outlaw grabbed a Woodall sideline pass at the 45-yard line and dashed into the end zone.

Howfield added a 41-yard field goal with 3:35 left in the game, but the Eagles held the Jets on four plays at midfield when the Jets got the ball again with 2:06 to play.

The Jets, with Namath nursing a knee swollen in a practice session last Thursday, turned Emerson Boozer loose for 160 yards on 21 carries and two touchdowns in their bid to gain commanding lead in the first half.

Boozer scored both of his TDs within a 96-second span of the first quarter on an 11-yard pass from Woodall and a two-yard scamper around his left end.

Woodall drove the Jets 76 yards after the opening kickoff for their first scoring thrust, highlighted by a 49-yard pass to tight end Rich Caster.

CSI's step two of Barker's hope to play for U.S. champion

Tom Barker, the best big man the College of Southern Idaho has ever had, is right on schedule in the series of steps that he hopes someday will take him to his ultimate goal—winning the national collegiate championship.

The visit to CSI is really a step out of the way for Barker but he's enjoying it immensely and in retrospect finds it exactly what he needs.

He started his plan by going to University of Minnesota—for two reasons.

The first was the presence of some great talent there and the second was the recruiting charm of Coach Bill

Musselman. But it is the first part that weighed most in Minnesota's side.

"I wanted to learn how to play defense inside... how to block shots. I knew they had (Jim) Brewer and I thought if I could play with him I'd learn a lot in a hurry," Barker says.

He says he picked up some valuable aid in that department and now is trying to refine these things and new ones into his own game and style.

But after that first year Barker figured Minnesota and he were through. He left Minnesota because "I didn't agree with him (Coach Musselman) on some points as a man... I didn't like the idea of a slow, deliberate offense. I can probably adjust to it but I'd rather play faster. They were graduating a lot of good players and it didn't seem like their recruiting program was replacing them."

More importantly, Barker felt he needed a lot of game time. "I didn't play much at Minnesota last year... didn't play at all in some games. There's no way practice, even against the best like Minnesota had last year, will substitute for actual game experience," Barker says. "In fact, I think the lack of game experience is my biggest weakness now."

When CSI came into the picture, through ex-Minnesota teammate Ron Behagen, Barker had no way of knowing the Eagles will play 37 games during the season with a possibility of 11 thereafter in tournament competition.

"That might be a little too much, but I'm enjoying it," he smiles.

Barker hails from Harlinger, Tex., a town of about 40,000.

with one high school. He was heavily recruited as a senior but has no idea of how many schools contacted him.

"My high school coach kept track of most of the mail and I don't think I even saw it all. But I already had a pretty good idea of which schools I'd choose from," he reports.

Now that he's out of the NCAA ranks again, the four-year college coaches are beating a path to Twin Falls. There were eight coaches in the stands on CSI's opening night. The dormitory phone starts ringing about 8 a.m. and sometimes is still going around midnight. The average is probably a personal contact every day or two with three or four phone calls.

This also is a favor to college coaches from Coach Jerry Hale as he leaves it open. A lot of coaches clamp all contact off when the season starts. Coach Hale believes that Barker is mature enough to handle this type of pressure or harassment as the case may be. But if Tom hollers for help, Coach Hale will end it.

"It seems like it goes in cycles," he says of the recruitment. "For a while there are only a couple of calls or maybe a visit. Then for two or three days it seems like they're all here," Barker says.

"It's a lot easier this time," he admits. "Now I know the ropes (about recruiting). I can listen, then turn it out of my mind and go study or play a game and it doesn't bother me."

Toward that final goal Barker has only one requirement in the last school he'll choose. "I don't care which part of the country it is," says the man who's played in the southwest, north midwest and intermountain area. "But I want to go to a school that has some great players coming up... like North Carolina State or Notre Dame... who could logically win it (the NCAA title) in the next two years."

No thoughts about pro basketball right now for Barker. He's learning his trade. The national championship comes first and, if a junior-college title should come along, too, that's just a bonus. But those watching him feel that Barker doesn't have to win any team championships, national or less. His future seems pretty well fixed.

Rimrock tops Bliss in opener

GRANDVIEW — Rimrock won its opening game of the season Friday night by defeating the Bliss Bears 87-47.

Bliss opened an 18-8 first quarter lead with Rimrock fighting the season opener. In the second period and gained the lead for the remainder of the game. Rimrock led 25-10 at the half.

In the third quarter Rimrock went to a 16-point margin by completely dominating the boards. Shane Jolley pulled down 35 rebounds for Rimrock.

In the preliminary game Rimrock beat Bliss 85-47.

Rimrock	21	16	10	14	61
Bliss	10	12	10	15	47
Totals	31	28	20	29	108

Butte is tourney winner

HAILEY — Butte of Arco boasted eight individual champions Friday as it claimed a four-team invitational wrestling tournament at Wood River High School.

Arco ended the day with 115 points, followed by Wood River at 87, Kimberly 35 and Jerome's Jayces with 28 1/2.

- Results of the championship round include:
- 98 pounds — Amy, Butte, pinned Secora, Kimberly.
 - 105 pounds — McAfee, Butte, pinned Ivio, Wood River.
 - 112 pounds — Gini, Butte, pinned Hunt, Kimberly.
 - 119 pounds — Sherbin, Wood River, pinned Waddoups, Butte.
 - 128 pounds — O. Gonzales, Butte, pinned Barkes, Wood River.
 - 132 pounds — R. Gonzales, Butte, declination Thomason, Jerome, 8-0.
 - 138 pounds — Shay, Wood River, declination Betzer, Butte, 7-4.
 - 145 pounds — Amy, Butte, pinned Jensen, Wood River.
 - 155 pounds — Fife, Wood River, pinned Crozier, Jerome.
 - 167 pounds — Handy, Butte, pinned Zoll, Wood River.
 - 185 pounds — Coburn, Butte, pinned Houston, Wood River.
 - Heavyweight — Killen, Wood River, declination White, Kimberly, 10-2.

Grammer scores 26 in victory

GOODING — Gooding St., led by Mike Grammer with 20 points, edged the Filer juniors 54-52 Friday night.

The Wildcats jumped to a 18-12 lead in the first quarter and led 25-24 at halftime.

Filer retained their slim lead at 38-25 in the third period but in the final action, Grammer hit six free throws and four field goals to bring Gooding St. the victory. Lincoln brought the Wildcats within two points on a three-pointer with six seconds left.

Filer defeated Gooding St. 63-18 in the preliminary game.

Gooding St.	16	11	10	17	54
Filer	10	12	10	20	52
Totals	26	23	20	37	106

Pittsburgh tops Houston 33-7 to assure playoff position

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — Terry Bradshaw, making his first start in six weeks, fired two touchdown passes, Roy Gerela kicked four field goals and the defense performed brilliantly Sunday to spur Pittsburgh to a 33-7 victory over Houston, virtually assuring the Steelers a playoff berth.

Snapping a three-game losing streak, Pittsburgh dominated the game throughout. The Steelers took a 9-4 record. If the Steelers win their final game next Saturday against San Francisco, they are assured at least the wild card berth in the AFC playoffs and would meet the Western Division champion in the first round.

Gerela, the first Steeler to score 100 points in two different seasons, kicked field goals of 49, 31, 20 and 42 yards. His second three-pointer was set up when linebacker Henry Davis recovered a fumble on the Houston 48.

Interceptions by linebacker Andy Russell and Loren Toews paved the way for Gerela's last two field goals. Bradshaw, who suffered a right shoulder

separation Oct. 28th against Cincinnati, threw both TD passes in the second period. His 15-yarder to Barry Pearson, climaxing a 79-yard drive in 11 plays, brought the Steelers from a 7-3 deficit into the lead for good. His three-yard pass to Steve Davis wound up a 41-yard march.

The defense enabled another score in the third period. Linebacker Jack Ham recovered a fumbled center snap by Dan Pastorini in the end zone to expand Pittsburgh's lead to 27-7.

The Oilers took a 7-3 lead in the first period when Joe Blahnk intercepted — a Bradshaw pass at the Houston eight and raced down the right sideline 87 yards to the Pittsburgh five. Following a procedure penalty, Pastorini hit Mack Austin with an 11-yard scoring pass.

The Oilers' deepest penetration otherwise was to the Pittsburgh 47-yard line.

The Steelers' four pass interceptions gives them 32 for the season, an all-time team record.

Lions crush Chicago 40-7

DETROIT (UPI) — Bill Munson-passed for two touchdowns and Mel Farr ran for two more Sunday as the Detroit Lions crushed NFC Central Division foe Chicago, 40-7, the 10th loss for the Bears in 13 games.

Munson hit 14 of 27 passes for 162 yards as the Lions leveled their season record at 5-0, 6-1.

Defensive back Lem Barney set up two of the first three Detroit touchdowns with an interception and a long punt return. Barney picked off a Gary Huff pass at the Chicago 32 early in the second quarter and returned it to the Bear 10. Farr punched in from four yards out two plays later.

After Munson hit Al Barnes with a 23-yard touchdown pass, Barney again went to work, returning a punt 42 yards to the Chicago 32. Farr again was the beneficiary, scoring from seven yards out seven plays.

Huff, replacing quarterback Bobby Douglass who injured his left knee the first time he carried the ball in the first quarter, got Chicago's only points with 32 seconds left in the first half on a six-yard touchdown pass to reserve tight end Bob Parsons.



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O.J. Simpson nears record

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. (UPI) — O. J. Simpson ran for 219 yards to move within 60 of Jim Brown's one-season record, scored one touchdown and set up another with a 70-yard run to power the Buffalo Bills to a 37-13 victory over the New England Patriots Sunday on a snow-covered field.

Simpson's yardage, in 22 carries, gave him 1,803 yards for the season, just 60 short of Brown's record set in 1963. The Bills have one game remaining, next Sunday against the New York Jets.

Rookie quarterback Joe Ferguson threw two touchdown passes to Bob Chandler, both in the second half—a 37-yarder and a six-yarder set up by Simpson's run from the Buffalo 20 to the New England 10.

Simpson went over 200 yards early in the fourth quarter and received a prolonged standing ovation from the 72,470 fans

when the offense left the field. Simpson carried the ball over from the six early in the second quarter to put the Bills in front, 14-3.

Wallace Francis returned a kickoff 90 yards early in the game and John Loyoldt kicked three field goals—24, 20 and 34 yards—to account for the Bills' other scoring.

Simpson had only 43 yards in the first half, but broke loose for his 70-yard run at 5:02 of the third quarter. Early in the fourth quarter, he had successive runs of 28 and 25 yards to set up Loyoldt's third field goal.

Jim Plunkett completed a 64-yard pass to wide receiver Reggie Rucker, then took it in from the five himself for the Patriots' only touchdown at 12:33 of the third quarter. Jeff White kicked 14 and 12-yard field goals.



FORMER OLYMPIC heavyweight wrestler Chris Taylor grimaces as he breaks his opponent's hold during his debut as a professional wrestler in Minneapolis. Taylor won a silver medal at the Munich Olympics in 1972 but recently signed a professional contract. Taylor defeated Rene Goulet in the early minutes of his first match by using a bear hug. (UPI Telephoto)

What happens next, Chris?

Field goals let St. Louis upset Atlanta Falcons 32-10

ATLANTA (UPI) — Veteran Jim Bakken kicked six field goals Sunday to lead the St. Louis Cardinals to a 32-10 upset over Atlanta, virtually knocking the Falcons out of a wild-card berth for the NFC playoffs.

The Cardinals, playing without injured quarterback Jim Hart, were behind 10-0 midway through the first period when Atlanta converted a fumble and a pass interception into a field goal and a touchdown.

But with rookie Gary Keithley at the controls, St. Louis completely dominated play the rest of the way, holding the Falcons to a net of only 19 yards in the first half while forging back to a 10-10 tie. St. Louis continued its domination in the second half when Bakken kicked five of his field goals and had another blocked.

Bakken scored 20 points in the contest to give him a grand total of 1,002. His first field goal was a 35-yarder in the second period that cut Atlanta's margin to 10-3 and he added the tying conversion after Jim Otis climaxed a 62-yard St. Louis march with a one yard plunge with 6:15 left in the half for the Cardinals' only touchdown.

Bakken, who holds the NFL record of seven field goals against Pittsburgh in 1967,

connected on kicks of 46, 35, and 31 yards in the third period to build the Cardinals a 19-10 lead and added 37 and 28-yard field goals in the final quarter.

Bakken had another attempt of 32 yards with 4:59 left in the ball game but Atlanta tackle Mike Tilleran broke through to block that one.

The Falcons recovered a fumble at the Cardinal 25 and jumped into the lead 6:08 after the game began on a 32-yard field goal by Nick Mike-Mayer.

Two minutes, 19 seconds later cornerback Tom Hayes intercepted a Keithley pass at

the St. Louis 38 yard line and raced in for the touchdown.

The victory was only the fourth this season for the Cardinals who have eight losses and a tie and Atlanta, which also was upset last week by Buffalo, is now 8-5.

The Cardinals scored another touchdown on the final play of the game when tight end Jim McFarland scooped up a fumble by teammate Donnie Anderson at the Atlanta 32-yard line and carried the ball into the end zone.

13-year-old breaks record

SYDNEY, Australia (UPI) — Thirteen-year-old Sydney schoolgirl Jenny Turrall smashed the world record for the women's 1500 meters freestyle Sunday, becoming the youngest world record holder in her sport.

Her record time of 16 minutes 49.9 seconds was set during an interclub meet at a suburban, 50-meter freshwater pool.

Miss Turrall's time stripped 4.2 seconds off the former world record set by Jo Harshbarger of the United States in August.

Staubach leads Dallas past Washington 27-7

IRVING, Tex. (UPI) — The pin-point passing of Roger Staubach turned Washington mistakes into Dallas points Sunday, brought the Cowboys a revengeful 27-7 victory over the Redskins and put Dallas within one victory of making the Super Bowl playoffs for the eighth straight year.

Although Dallas and Washington had identical 9-4 records atop the NFC East, the 20-point Cowboy win gave them the edge in deciding the division's playoff representative.

The Cowboys, having lost to Washington by seven points earlier in the season, needed to defeat the Redskins by eight Sunday to have the edge in determining the division's playoff team. Dallas must defeat St. Louis next week to insure the division playoff spot.

Washington can still be the NFC's wild-card team with a win next week over Philadelphia.

After a cautious first half in which Dallas took a 3-0 lead, the Cowboys erupted in the second half thanks to Redskin turnovers. Calvin Hill, who

surpassed the 1,000 yard rushing mark for the second straight year, scored on runs of one and two yards and Staubach himself scored on a five-yard rollout.

Toni Fritsch contributed field goals of nine yards in the second quarter and 27 yards in the final period.

The Redskins averted their first shutout in three seasons when Ken Stone picked up a blocked punt and ran 12 yards for a score with less than four minutes to play in the game. The Redskin offense drove the ball into scoring territory three times in the first half and on all three occasions Curt Knight missed field goal attempts—the shortest of which was 23 yards.

Dallas' two field goals came after Washington fumbles and the Cowboys' first touchdown followed a fumble by the Redskins' Charlie Harroway at his own 39.

Staubach, who completed 16 of 25 passes for 223 yards, hit rookie Drew Pearson for 13 and 15 yards to set up Staubach's five-yard touchdown run that gave Dallas a 10-0 lead. On the

Cowboys' next two possessions, they drove 70 and 67 yards for clinching touchdowns.

On the first of those drives, Staubach hit Bobby Hayes with a key 31-yard reception on which Redskin cornerback Pat Fischer tried and failed to pull off game-turning interception. The next time Dallas got the ball, Staubach hit Walt Garrison with 15 and 10 yard passes to set up Hill's second score.

Hill carried 27 times for 110 yards to leave him with 1,103 yards.

Saints upset 49ers 16-10

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — Archie Manning threw a 37-yard touchdown pass to Jubilee Dunbar and Bill McClard kicked three field goals to give the New Orleans Saints a 16-10 upset victory over San Francisco Sunday.

McClard hit field goals of 10, 20 and 29 yards for the Saints, although he missed a 40-yarder in the first quarter.

Denver retains playoff hopes

SAN DIEGO (UPI) — Charlie Johnson threw touchdown passes of 24 and 15 yards and Jim Turner kicked four field goals as the Denver Broncos kept their National Football League playoff hopes alive with a 42-28 victory over the San Diego Chargers Sunday.

The Broncos, now 7-4-2, visit the 8-4-1 Oakland Raiders next Sunday to settle the American Conference Western title.

Johnson, conference leader in touchdown passes, hit Riley Odoms with a 24-yard scoring aerial in the first quarter and put the game out of reach at 39-14 with a 15-yarder to Haven Moses in the third quarter. He completed 15 of 26 for 216 yards.

The Chargers crept to 39-28 with 8:32 left in the fourth quarter when runs of 24 and 20 yards by Robert Holmes set up a one-yard touchdown drive by Cyd Edwards for one score and rookie quarterback Dan Fouts connected with Jerry Levis on a 69-yard pass play. Levis took the ball on his 45, pivoted

away from three defenders, and out-raced them to the goal line.

The Chargers had one last chance for their 12, but Calvin Jones intercepted a Fouts pass on San Diego's 42 and Turner kicked a 29-yard field goal.

Turner field goals of 35 and 25 yards were the difference as Denver held a shaky 20-14 halftime lead, but Johnson guided the Broncos 61 yards to a touchdown the first time they got the ball in the third quarter. A 21-yard end-around by Odoms and an eight-yard third down reception by Odoms set up Joe Dawkins' two-yard touchdown run.

Turner kicked a 15-yard field goal the next time Denver got the ball, and a safety and Johnson's touchdown pass to Moses closed out the third quarter.

The victory gave Denver its first winning season ever. The best they had ever done previously was 5-9 in 1962, also the last time they had beaten the Chargers in San Diego.

Cincinnati topples Cleveland 34-17

CINCINNATI (UPI) — Ken Anderson threw three first-half touchdown passes to rookie Larry Curtis, one a 70-yard bomb—as the Cincinnati Bengals took an important step toward the playoffs by whipping arch-rival Cleveland 34-17 Sunday.

Cincinnati, winning its fifth in a row and wrapping up a perfect 7-0 home slate, upped its record to 9-4 and needs only

to defeat Houston next week to win the American Conference Central Division title and move into the playoffs against the Miami Dolphins.

The loss dropped Cleveland to 7-4-2, and coupled with Pittsburgh's victory over Houston Sunday, eliminated the Browns.

Anderson, who completed 11 of 19 passes for 197 yards, connected with wide receiver Curtis on touchdown passes of 70, 20 and 0 yards in the first half as the Bengals jumped to a 21-3 halftime lead. Curtis' three TD catches in the game tied a Bengals' record.

Rookie Boobie Clark scored a touchdown on a one-yard run and Horst Muhlmann kicked field goals of 45 and 10 yards for Cincinnati in the second half.

Cleveland scored on Van Green's 15-yard run with a fumble recovery, a six-yard pass from Mike Phipps to Goster Richardson and a 40-yard field goal by Don Cockroft.

After building a comfortable 24-3 lead, the Bengals saw the margin whittled to 24-17 on the touchdowns by Richardson and Green 1:39 apart in the third quarter.

But Clark's one-yard TD run late in the third period and Muhlmann's 45-yard field goal midway through the final period lifted the Bengals' lead to 34-17.

Mistakes killed three Cleveland drives in the final quarter.

Standings

National Football League Standings
By United Press International
American Conference

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Atlanta	11	2	0	.846	309	143
Buffalo	8	5	0	.615	225	214
New England	8	4	0	.682	245	262
N.Y. Jets	4	9	0	.308	224	273
Baltimore	2	10	0	.217	238	334
Central						
Pittsburgh	9	4	0	.692	210	194
Indianapolis	7	4	0	.636	259	207
Cleveland	7	4	0	.636	217	225
Houston	1	12	0	.077	175	426
West						
Oakland	7	4	0	.636	237	225
Denver	7	4	0	.636	237	225
Kansas City	4	5	1	.455	218	232
San Diego	5	10	1	.333	187	353
National Conference						
East						
Dallas	9	4	0	.692	357	300
Washington	7	4	0	.636	287	179
Philadelphia	5	7	1	.423	200	355
Columbus	4	8	1	.346	203	332
N.Y. Giants	2	9	1	.208	213	291
Central						
Minnesota	11	2	0	.846	265	161
Detroit	6	4	1	.591	244	213
Green Bay	4	7	2	.385	181	259
Chicago	3	10	0	.231	195	313
West						
Los Angeles	10	2	0	.833	318	155
Baltimore	8	4	0	.682	304	214
San Francisco	7	4	0	.636	248	282
New Orleans	5	8	0	.385	153	296
A clinched division title						
Saturday's Results						
Minnesota 31 Green Bay 7						
Oakland 27 Kansas City 7						
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Sunday's Results						
Indianapolis 24 Cleveland 17						
Denver 42 San Diego 28						
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Boise rail depot study complete

BOISE — An architectural study has found the old Union Pacific Railroad depot in Boise suitable for the state's official bi-centennial meeting house. Atty. Gen. W. Anthony Park, chairman of the state's bi-centennial commission, told a news conference Friday the group was "most interested in the possibility of preserving this truly unique building in a public way and for the public."

train stopped coming through Boise in 1971, but has been maintained by railroad crews. It has a room large enough for 450 people, Marler said and "would make an appropriate center of focus for our bi-centennial celebration."

J. M. Nell, executive director of the bi-centennial commission, said contacts with the railroad indicated the building was not for sale. But he said he was "intrigued" about the possibility of leasing it.

Officials emphasized that no final decision had been made about the building and no cost estimates were available should it be chosen.



THE MEXICAN-American table was one of the most popular spots during the bazaar preceding the Bickel PTO auction Friday night. Proceeds will be used to purchase equipment for the school.

Popular spot

Bickel PTO auction takes in over \$900

TWIN FALLS — About 200 people attended the Bickel Parent Teacher Organization auction which took place Friday night in the school cafeteria.

Proceeds of the bazaar and auction totaled over \$930.

Donations by many business firms in Twin Falls as well as personal donations of merchandise filled the stage area, according to Mary Lou Newbery, project chairman for the event.

One of the larger items auctioned was a pool table donated by Jack Muldoon

which brought \$100. Proceeds will be used to purchase playground equipment and to buy artificial grass to be placed under some of the existing equipment to protect the children from injury which often results from contact with the black top which covers the playground area.

Principal of the school, Clarence Parker, said he was very pleased by the turn out and the enthusiastic bidding and PTO members discussed making the auction an annual event.

DECS tests fail to clear systems

BOISE — A federal report has found the Department of Environmental and Community Services (DECS) isn't providing the services necessary to monitor drinking water systems.

A summary of an evaluation of the state's water supply program, compiled by the federal Environmental Protection Agency found that five of 28 water supplies sampled failed to meet bacteriological quality standards, included among the five are Hazelton and Hollister.

The report says "It is evident that Idaho must implement an expanded water supply program with increased commitment in the overall spectrum of activities that will

assure the state's residents and visitors an adequate and safe supply of drinking water.

Vaughn Anderson, DECS director of categorical programs, said the department was aware of the problems cited in the report. Anderson said there had been no health problems, however. "We have not kept up with the needs." But he said that since DECS was reorganized more personnel has been placed in the regions and the staff is able to conduct more field supervision. He said an inventory of all water systems should be completed by early 1974.

The EPA report was based on information gathered in 1971 and 1972.

DECS promises to clarify stream laws

BOISE — The Department of Environmental and Community Services has assured two state lawmakers it will not "unilaterally introduce minimum stream flow legislation" during the 1974 legislative session.

In a letter to Rep. Vernon Ravenscroft, R-Tuttle, and Sen. James Yost, R-Wendell, DECS administrator James A. Bax wrote the department did support the concept of establishing minimum flows to protect water quality. Bax also said other governmental agencies and the public should be involved in creating specific proposals.

Bax's letter was prompted by a public hearing Nov. 29 in Twin Falls on the Upper Snake

River Basin Water Quality Management Plan. The administrator said the wording in the report on stream flow legislation was "vague and subject to misunderstanding." He said it would be clarified before the final report was issued.

The draft study committed DECS to aiding "in developing proposed legislation for the state legislature requiring that water quality and aquatic life in stream flows are to be recognized as beneficial water uses and therefore make it necessary to protect these uses. This action should be initiated and incorporated into the law at the earliest date possible."

Soviets increase military might

(c) Chicago Sun-Times BRUSSELS — The United States and its European allies warn that the Soviet Union has amassed the military might to launch a worldwide attack.

Despite East-West negotiations to relax tensions, Defense Sec. James R. Schlesinger and the defense ministers of the NATO countries cautioned Friday that the Soviets continue to increase their military strength in all fields.

"The Soviet Union," they said, "now possesses a capability for the worldwide use of military power well in excess of that needed to defend their own territory."

Meeting on the 32d anniversary of the U. S. entry into World War II, the NATO defense ministers sought to

smooth over their differences in the face of what they perceived as a new military threat from the Soviet Union. Schlesinger urged the Europeans to make a "bigger contribution" to the military alliance and promised the United States would respond by maintaining its high troop level in Europe.

He expressed some disappointment that the Europeans failed to commit themselves to "covering a greater share of the 2.5 billion balance of payments deficit involved in keeping the 309,000 US troops in Europe."

But US officials said the Europeans, meeting in closed session with Schlesinger, indicated they were "entirely sympathetic" to the US program.

Publications warns of diaper rash medication

(c) New York Times Service NEW YORK — A leading medical publication has warned about the potential hazards of allergy and deafness among infants whose skin is smeared with an antibiotic ointment for diaper rash.

The Medical Letter said in its issue published Friday that the antibiotic ointment is "applied repeatedly to large areas of raw skin in infants with diaper rash." Such frequent smearing on injured skin could cause absorption of the drug in amounts sufficient to produce harmful effects to the body.

Permanent deafness produced by the antibiotic, called neomycin, can progress up to months after a person stops taking the drug, the Medical Letter's editors said.

Other antibiotics like streptomycin, kanamycin, gentamicin and vancomycin also can produce deafness. The Medical Letter said that neomycin could act in concert with such drugs when they had been prescribed for a patient earlier.

At the same time, the publication's editors joined the growing list of medical journals that have criticized the overuse of antibiotics. The Medical Letter said that "no convincing evidence" exists that the topical use of antibiotics is effective in healing or preventing skin infections.

Neomycin is a component of a prescription drug called

Mycolog. The Medical Letter spokesman said that some pediatricians often prescribe Mycolog for diaper rash without properly instructing a mother about the drug's potential hazard.

The Medical Letter physician also pointed out that Mycolog was not warranted in treatment of diaper rash because the condition does not result from an infection caused by bacteria. Antibiotics are effective only against bacteria; the specific type of bacteria determines which antibiotic a doctor prescribes.

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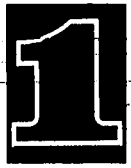
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AP leader scores policies

TWIN FALLS — Nolan Victor, Twin Falls, state chairman of the American Party in Idaho said today the uncontrolled inflation is a direct outcome of devaluation of the dollar and poor fiscal policies.

Victor said the skyrocketing prices of fuel and other commodities have been preplanned and the government financiers and leaders are part of those plans.

"Inflation is being used to keep our national economy from collapsing and as we get deeper in debt it will be necessary to accelerate the age of inflation."

"One of the objectives which is being achieved from this cycle is to make all Americans dependent upon government assistance in one form or another, which has brought a loss of our basic freedoms," he said.

Springer sale plan for TF fair eyed

TWIN FALLS — Possibilities of adding a Twin Falls County dairy springer heifer sale to the agenda of the county fair are being explored by a group of area dairy farmers.

Seven dairy producers met Thursday with County Agent Lyn Merrick to discuss such a sale and hear reports on the Gem County 4-H dairy springer heifer program. Attending in addition to Merrick were Maurice Allen, George Talbot, Bob Holloway, Bill Holloway, Harry Eslinger, and Harvey Lampe.

The group Talbot as chairman and Merrick as secretary of a committee to organize plans for a sale. A list of regulations for participating in the sale was approved by those attending.

Members decided a commission fee of 45 per cent participant will be charged and each participant limited to the sale of one animal per year. Participants must be members of a county 4-H club or PFA chapter. All consignments must be Bang's vaccinated and tested within 30 days of the sale; must be straight bred with no cross breed heifers

accepted and heifers must be bred to a bull of the same breed with a certificate provided by the seller.

Heifers will be pregnancy tested and re to calve within 90 days of the sale. The consignments will sell in the order of placing in the sale heifer class with the special "sale heifer class" to be arranged with the county fair board.

Bob Holloway, Buhl and Harvey Lampe, Twin Falls will work with Talbot from the Shoshone-Jerome area to select a group of uniform heifers of correct age and size for the 1974 sale. They have tentative set Jan. 5 as the date for a "shooting day" to review a and select possible consignments.

The sale committee will meet again Dec. 20 at 8 p.m. in the county Extension Service office. All interested persons are invited to attend. Merrick said the committee is part of the county 4-H program with the University of Idaho, U. S. D. A. and county governments cooperating.



DR. RICHARD WHITE holds grass plug.

Grass 'plugs' reclaim mine district barrens

MOSCOW, Idaho (UPI) — Researchers from the University of Idaho are employing a new grass planting technique in their efforts to reclaim 7,000 acres affected by mine wastes and smaller fumes in the Coeur d'Alene district.

The latest effort is called "plugging" and involves the planting of small sods of grass and soil which have been transplanted from nursery stock to experimental plots throughout the area.

Dr. Richard White, assistant professor of range management at the Idaho College of Forestry, Wildlife and Range Sciences, said the experiment has been at least partially successful.

He said many of the plugs were at a critical growth stage when they were transplanted from the nurseries and then died from a harsh environmental elements.

"By planting plugs that have been raised past

the critical seedling stage in nurseries, the stronger, more vigorous grass can become established," White said.

He said a thick, soil-holding cover of grass is desirable to minimize erosion and provide a foundation for shrubs and trees on the steep slopes of the rich mining district.

White said the plugs, planted about two feet apart are similar to grass plugs which are sold commercially for golf courses and home yards.

He said the grass continues to grow, expanding out each year.

"Grass plugs planted last spring have spread to six times their original size, despite a dry summer," White said.

The technique will be used on additional sites in the mining district next spring.

Projected crop gains for '74 being hedged

By BERNARD BRENNER

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Agriculture department experts are beginning to hedge their "projections" or sharply increased production of major crops next year.

The change is more a matter of tone than of any specific shift in predictions. The farm agency continues to publish projections showing corn production could leap from around 5.7 billion bushels this year to a record 6.4 billion bushels in 1974.

An "outlook digest" report, just published by the department, goes on to predict that we can "look for record wheat and corn crops, plus more rice" in 1974. It says strong demand may lead to a bigger cotton crop too, although soybean production may go down.

The same report, however, includes a cautious note which officials will be able to point to later if their hopes are disappointed. It says the availability of vital farm production supplies "is a questionable factor."

The report notes that stocks of nitrogen fertilizer are likely to be short, although the government's recent action in lifting price ceilings could help divert a considerable amount of fertilizer out of export channels. This would make more available for American farmers.

Even if the fertilizer situation eases, however, the report adds that the fuel shortage "currently appears to be extremely critical." Experts say the government has promised top priorities for agricultural fuel uses, but their report added:

"Even so, short input supplies coupled with very high prices demanded for what supplies are available could hold 1974 crop production below the levels farmers would like to achieve."

Fuel and fertilizer are not the only items on the shortage list for farmers. A recent study by a government economist, published late last week, reported that current developments in the fiber twine industry indicate U. S. farmers will be facing a shortage of baler twine for making hay next year.

Agriculture Department officials, meanwhile, say their state offices have been relaying back reports by farmers who assert that if they're going to increase production next year, "they want assurance the necessary fuel supplies will be available to see crops through to market."

The grass roots reports say farmers are less concerned with assurances from government officials than from their regular oil company suppliers. The report adds the fuel companies have not been able to provide such assurances in most cases so far.

Farm

Hereford sale returns listed

SALMON — The joint production sale at the Clark Hereford Ranch here Thursday saw 171 head of animals sold for a total \$169,075.

The high selling bull was Lot 10, CH Dan Mischief 247, and was purchased by Jim Waddoups, Darlington, for \$3,180.

High selling registered bred heifer, CH Lady Mischief 252, was purchased by Douglas R. Harper, Malta, for \$25. CH selling heifer calf was CH Mischief at 373 purchased by

Fred Mathews Herefords, Buffalo, Mont., for \$550.

Biggest volume buyer was Clint Bliton, Mackay, who purchased three bulls and 35 head of commercial heifers for \$16,750.

Forty-nine bulls sold for \$56,800 for an average of \$1,159. Clark said "we are very happy with the results of the sale. It was the best one we have held."

Consigning animals were the Clark Hereford Ranch, Larry Daniels, Fisher, Herefords and Dan French.

Fertilizer demand up beyond US production

WASHINGTON — Fertilizer producers will not be able to "fully satisfy" the "burgeoning" 1974 crop fertilizer demand despite the fact that fertilizer supplies for domestic use liked 12 per cent July-October, the Fertilizer Institute claims.

Producer inventories of the product at the end of October were 39 per cent below a year ago since domestic disappearance was up 12 per cent and exports up 7.5 per cent, TFI President Edwin Wheeler announced.

Citing the 17 per cent July-October domestic supply increase, Wheeler reiterated that farmers and fertilizer producers are simply faced with the job of managing fertilizer shortages.

Wheeler singled out that

supplies of nitrogen products (on the index that shows the production of the major 20 fertilizer products during July-October was up nine per cent) were down 45 per cent from the end of October. Production of nitrogen products was up six per cent from a year ago and eight per cent for the July-October period.

Urea production continued to lag and was down 17 per cent from a year ago for the month of October and down seven per cent July-October. Ammonia production was up three per cent from a year ago. Disappearance up eight per cent and the ending inventory down 46 per cent.

Phosphate products were listed as the only group of fertilizer products showing a

decline in disappearance. Use fell five per cent. Production of the five-product group was down three per cent.

Phosphate rock supplies at the end of October held at an unusually low 8.4 million ton figure, a volume that represents less than three months production. Wet phosphoric acid production was down two per cent July-October — concentrated superphosphate down 11 per cent, diammonium phosphate down two per cent.

On the TFI fertilizer index, the group of five potash products showed a ten per cent production gain but a 21 per cent disappearance increase kept inventories 44 per cent below those at the end of October, 1972. Potash movement during October was up 32 per cent despite rail car shortage problems, TFI said.

Multinutrient use soared 58 per cent for mixed fluids and 40 per cent for mixed solids over 1972. Production of the two products was only up 42 and 35 per cent, respectively.

Mixed fertilizer October disappearance was "likely" a record setter, TFI said, citing the month's use at 24 and 58 per cent, respectively.

New road sign code explained

SHOSHONE — A program on the new international code traffic signs was presented to Magic Grange members Friday evening.

Mrs. Ivan Hopkins, representing the Civic Club in Shoshone, showed the films, and explained them. The signs are designed to make travel codes throughout the world uniform. Mrs. Hopkins said.

Completion date for information painted on the highways and erection of the signs, less lettering, will be done in 1973 with the entire project to be completed by the end of 1974.

Mrs. Evan Guthrie, lecturer, served at the Friday evening event.

Exports cut US cotton supply

WASHINGTON — With world cotton supplies for 1973-74 the biggest ever, the Agriculture Department said today only the U. S. is expected to show fewer stocks Aug. 1 than at the beginning this season — those stocks dropping to 3.9 million bales because of large export volume.

Foreign countries, on the other hand, are expected to add up to 1.5 million bales to their stocks, the larger share being in importing countries although exporters may also build stocks.

The world stock increase at the beginning of next season will be the third substantial build-up in the same number of years.

With 1973-74 world cotton production estimated by the Agriculture Department at 59.9 million bales, the net increase of 600,000 bales results from a one million bale increase by communist countries and the

600,000 bale drop in the U. S. crop forecast Nov. 1 at 13.2 million bales.

The 100,000 bales extra non-Communist countries will produce result from important increases in Central America, India, Iran, East Africa and the Sudan, balanced by decreases in Mexico, Brazil, Turkey and Pakistan, the department said.

Total world cotton consumption is estimated at 58.2 million bales for 1973-74, 1.5 million bales up from last year's usage. Consumption increases came outside the U. S.; inside the country, consumption is slated to fall five percent, to 7.1 million bales.

The most significant consumption hike — to 10 million bales — is expected to be in major non-Communist exporting countries because they now see the advantage of producing textile products

rather than raw materials for export, the department said.

Importing countries may also hike consumption by a little more than four per cent, to 20.2 million bales. Consumption in Western Europe will be up 100,000 bales due to a Portuguese and United Kingdom combined 160,000 bale increase offset by small

decreases in several other major textile producers.

Communist country consumption was placed at two per cent, or 450,000 bales, higher than the 20.6 million use last year. The USSR is expected to use 300,000 of the extra bales; other eastern European countries the other 150,000 bales.

Aide sees no rise from fuel shortage

MOBILE, Ala. (UPI) — A federal farm economist says he expects no rise in food prices because of the fuel shortage.

Dr. Don Paarlberg, director of agricultural economics for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, said, "I really don't think the fuel situation is going to boost the price of food by any appreciable amount. I think the farmers will get the fuel they need to get the crop in and attended."

"They won't have as much as they want," he said. "But they can conserve fuel and I do not expect the supply of food ... to be inhibited in any major sense by the fuel problem."

Paarlberg said "profits will be a little harder to come by" in 1974.

But, he said, he sees no indication that farm prices will drop back to "where they were two years ago before the upsurge began."

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Abigail Van Buren

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Abby, will you please help us pass the word?
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DEAR VOLUNTEER: Will it You bet! What better holiday gift could a parent receive than to know that his child away from home is alive and well?

DEAR ABBY: I know for a fact that my father is having an affair with another woman. My brother is 21, and I am 26, so we both know what it's all about. Our problem is, should we tell our mother? When we approached Dad, he denied it as we expected he would, but we know it's a fact. If we tell Mom, we will feel responsible for her hurt. If we don't tell her, she will find out eventually, and when she does she will feel that we have betrayed her by keeping it from her.
I am sure Dad will get caught sooner or later, but it is so difficult to see him lying and cheating. Should we wait and let him hang himself? Or should we tell Mom what we know and pray for the best?
IN THE MIDDLE

DEAR IN: It's Dad's affair. Let him hang himself. The old saw, "The wife is always the last to know," ain't necessarily so.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 52-year-old widow. My son is being married. The bride's mother is putting on the wedding. She sent me an invitation so I called her up and asked her if I could bring my gentleman friend as an escort. She said: "No, I have you fixed up with Frank for the wedding."
I told her I didn't care for Frank, so she said: "If you don't care for Frank, you can go with Paul."
I asked her how old Paul was, because I didn't know him. She said he was in his late twenties!
I then said: "I don't want any kid my son's age to escort me. I have a steady gentleman friend, why can't I bring him?"
She said: "Because we can't handle any more than we have already invited."
Abby, don't you think I should have been allowed to bring my own escort to my son's wedding? He's not just another guy. We are serious about each other, and will probably marry.

DEAR MOTHER: The bride's mother isn't up on her wedding etiquette. As the mother of the groom, you should have been asked to submit a list of those guests you wanted invited to the wedding. Had this been done, your friend would have received an invitation.

CONFIDENTIAL TO MY READERS: A suggestion for a practical gift to a shut-in, a senior citizen who has difficulty in getting out to shop, or for one who is on a limited budget; a selection of greeting cards for all occasions, books of postage stamps, and a packet of postcards.

Bridge

Jacoby

Experts describe proper play

NORTH			
♦ 953			
♥ 754			
♠ A Q 9 8 3			
♣ A K			
WEST			
♦ K Q J 10 2			
♥ Q 9			
♠ 65			
♣ J 10 8 7			
EAST			
♦ 74			
♥ J 8 6			
♠ K 4 2			
♣ 9 6 5 3 2			
SOUTH (ID)			
♦ A 8 6			
♥ A K 10 3 2			
♠ J 10 7			
♣ Q 4			
West North East South			
14	24	Pass	17
Pass	47	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—K♦			

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Oswald: One of the disadvantages of being an expert is that people don't expect you to make mistakes.
Jim: "Beginners" make mistakes. Average players make mistakes. So do experts, but they make fewer mistakes than others.
Oswald: "Today's South grabbed the spade lead, cashed his ace and king of trumps and proceeded to lose the diamond finesse. East led back—a spade—and South wound up losing two spades in addition to the king of diamonds and the queen of trumps."

CARD Sense
The bidding has been
West North East South
Pass 2N.T. Pass ?
You, South, hold:
♦ K J 6 5 ♥ A 8 3 2 ♠ K 10 4 ♣ 6 5
What do you do now?
A—Bid three notrump. Your partner has 18 or 19 balanced points. You have 11 so, you have no slam interest.
TODAY'S QUESTION
Instead of bidding two notrump your partner has rebid to two clubs. What do you do now?
Answer Tomorrow



MR. AND MRS. MARVIN GARTNER

Barbara Lynn Douglas weds Gartner

BUHL — Barbara Lynn Douglas became the bride of Marvin E. Gartner in an afternoon ceremony Nov. 25 at Clover Trinity Lutheran Church.
The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. T. D. Johnson before beauty baskets of pink, lavender and white goldoli and mums and candelabra holding white tapers. Matching arrangements were placed on the altar.
Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Bud Douglas, Buhl. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gartner, Filer.
The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white peau de soie gown fashioned with a scoop neckline, long lily-point sleeves, sunburst effect fitted bodice, with tiny self covered buttons to the waistline at the back.
The bouffant skirt fell to a chapel length train accented by Alcon lace. Her shoulder length veil of bridal illusion was held by a scalloped tiara of Alcon lace trimmed with seed pearls and sequins.
She carried a bouquet of lavender goldoli and baby pink roses on a white Bible given by her maternal grandmother, Mrs. L. E. Green. She wore a diamond pendant, a gift from the bridegroom.
Christy Wright served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Tammy Gartner, sister of the bridegroom, and Cherrie Simpson, cousin of the bride. Lisa Toning, Boise, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.
Taperlighters were Alena Hopwood, Buhl, cousin of the bride, and Korrine Eggleston, Buhl, niece of the bridegroom.
Rick Gartner, Filer, served as best man for his brother. Groomsman were Mitchell Douglas, brother of the bride, and Terry Gartner, brother of the bridegroom. Ushers were Ray Eggleston, Bill Hatfield, both Buhl, and Dee Toning, Boise, brothers-in-law of the bridegroom.
Mrs. Vernon Lassen was organist and accompanied Judy and Rhonda Smalley. A reception honored the couple immediately after the

ceremony in the school multi-purpose room.
The bride's table was centered by the four-tier wedding cake. The base of the cake was formed by four heart shaped cakes decorated in lavender and pink and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. The cake was made by Mrs. Gerald Evans, Buhl.
Reception assistants were Yvonne O'Neal, Denver, Colo., aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Bill Hatfield, Mrs. Ray Eggleston and Mrs. Dee Toning, all sisters of the bridegroom. Ladies of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League assisted.
Cindy Williamson was in charge of the guest book. Cindy Lowder, Lynn Walden, Dusty Finney, Justine Novak, Terry Hopwood and Kathy Eggleston were in charge of the gifts.
Following a wedding trip to Sun Valley the couple will be at home south of Filer where the bridegroom is engaged in ranching.

The bride was honored at pre-nuptial parties given by Cindy Lowder and Lynn Walden; Margie and Bonnie Haviland and Mrs. Rick Gartner, Mrs. Bill Hatfield and Mrs. Ray Eggleston.
Special guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Green, maternal grandparents of the bride. Out of town guests were Yvonne O'Neal, Denver, and Mrs. and Mrs. Dee Toning and family of Boise.

Valley Briefs

GLENNIS FERRY — The Methodist Women's Christmas luncheon will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Greer Hall. All members are urged to attend. Mrs. Lafa Harris will present the devotionals and a Christmas program will follow.

GLENNIS FERRY — Mrs. Lee Nichols is preparing a Christmas musical program for high school singers. She invites anyone who wishes to sing with the group to come to practice each Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the high school.

TWIN FALLS — Zenobia Club No. 2 will hold a Christmas Party at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Morris Carlson, one-quarter mile north of Deadman's curve, near Filer. A gift exchange will be held.

Program given

SHOSHONE — A program explaining the problems and loneliness of the elderly and widows and widowers was given at the Baptist Women's Mission Society meeting Wednesday night.
Mrs. Luella L. Kinsey was program chairman, and helped the group outline ways that others could assist the lonely persons.
Mrs. Ray Webb conducted the business meeting and announced the next meeting for 2 p.m. Dec. 20 at the home of Mrs. Ormer Shook.
Mrs. L. M. Hatmaker was toastess this week.

Prosperity hurts US consciences

(c) Chicago Sun-Times
WASHINGTON — Chicago Sun-Times columnist Ann Landers says her 1,000 letters a day have shown her that "prosperity has grown a fatty tissue around our consciences."

Miss Landers whose syndicated advice column reaches 34 million readers, said businessmen and others who would not steal from friends think nothing "of giving employers a half-empty day."
Teen-agers today, she told a full house at the National Press Club, are "different" from what they were 10 years ago, when she began writing her column.
"How can we expect them not to change?" she said. "They have different problems, different pressures,

different parents." Young people, she said, "are the victims of the affluent society." They have, she added, "too much money, too much riding around in cars with no place to go."
She said she constantly advises readers that "we are all destined to be unhappy at some time in our lives, because if we were all happy all the time, we would be nuts."
One of her goals in her columns, she said, was to stimulate interest in medicine, particularly in persuading people to bequeath their bodies and organs for research.
"When I die, I am leaving my body to Harvard medical school," she said. "The problem is that some of the doctors want it now."

Literary art guild has yule program

TWIN FALLS — Literary Art Guild members and their husbands heard the CSI Readers Theatre presentation of "Christmas Collage" at a meeting Friday night.

The students were directed by Mrs. Marion Tanner. The meeting was preceded by a buffet dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salisbury. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Fen Covington, club president.

The holiday theme was carried out in Christmas decorations throughout the house. A small Christmas tree decorated with favors of

bookmarks for the women and a Christmas ornament for the men.

Christmas carols were sung by the CSI Madrigal Singers before the performance and during intermission.

Mrs. Gordon Crockett was chairman, assisted by Mrs. John Coleman, Mrs. William Jones, Mrs. Doug Brown and Mrs. Glen Leggett.


The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Byron Averett "Don't Grow Old — Grow Up" will be reviewed by Mrs. Wendell Petty.

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1 cup raisins
1 cup sugar
3 eggs
1 tablespoon flour
1/2 cup walnuts
1/2 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cube butter or margarine

Cook raisins in saucepan and drain. While they cook, mix egg yolks, flour and milk. After draining the raisins, add this mixture and cook until thickened. Add nuts, vanilla and butter. Cool and fill baked nine inch pie shell. Top with meringue.



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EYES
AROUND THE
TREE
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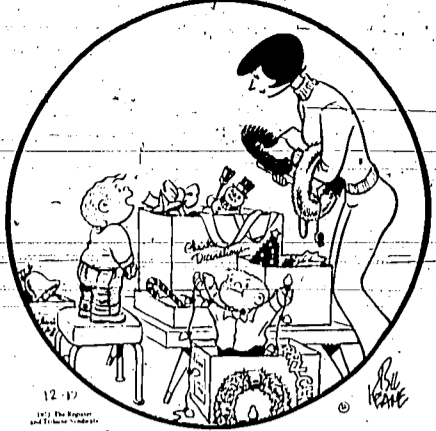
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"I hope we have an OLD-FASHIONED Christmas like we had when I was little."

Horoscope

Carroll Righter

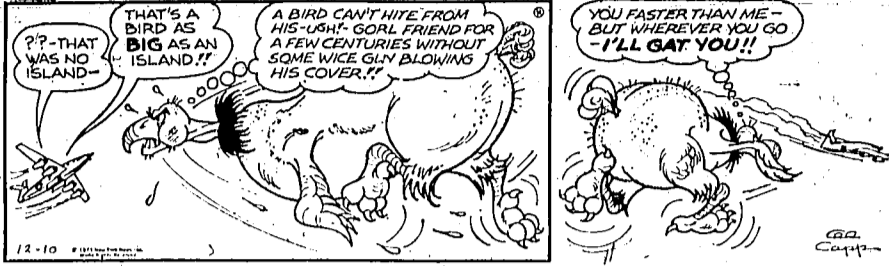
FORECAST FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1973

GENERAL TENDENCIES: A good day for handling whatever has to do with your home or family matters that are of concern to you. You see romantic activities in a more accurate light now and can do what pleases your most intimate tie. Be happy.
ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Being certain that all utilities are in fine working order is wise now. Do some light entertaining at home and enjoy good friends.
TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Get those errands done and make sure there are enough groceries in the house. Handle correspondence that brings you important data.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Try to study your financial situation more accurately so that you know how to invest wisely. Gain the assistance of a business expert.
MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Take health treatments you need and get yourself in trim for bigger things ahead. Evening is fine for the social.
LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Coming to a far better understanding with your closest tie is possible now. Talk over with an expert how to become more successful.
VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Ideal day to make headway via the good auspices of friends who are interested in your welfare. Be a more precise person.
LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Bringing your special capabilities to the attention of higher-ups is one way of getting ahead now. Improve your credit rating.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) You are thinking on a lofty plane and can solve problems wisely and make big strides in your career. Avoid one who likes to argue.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Don't procrastinate any longer in taking care of responsibilities. Be romantic tonight and show that you have a sense of humor.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Try to please co-workers more and keep promises you have made. Don't be so indifferent with mate and show more devotion.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Delve into all that work awaiting your attention. You can settle a situation with a fellow worker that has long been stewing.
PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) If you make plans early you can have a delightful time at recreations you enjoy. Mate understands and agrees with your views.
IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be born with a most-pronounced love nature and needs to be given the right courses in psychology so that this life can be both happy and successful, otherwise the opposite could occur. Much success is possible in business, in the educational field, in law, and in medicine.
"The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to YOU!

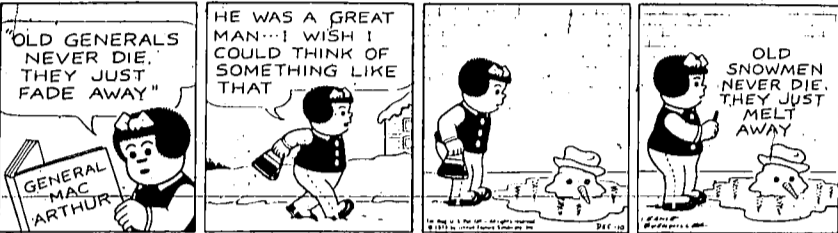
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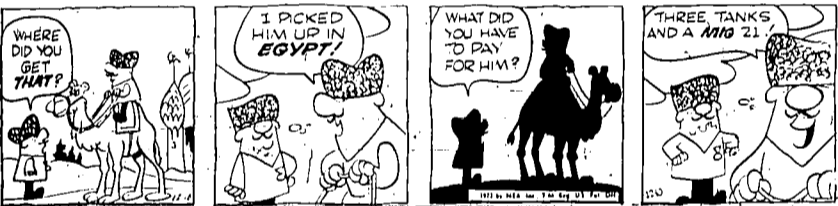
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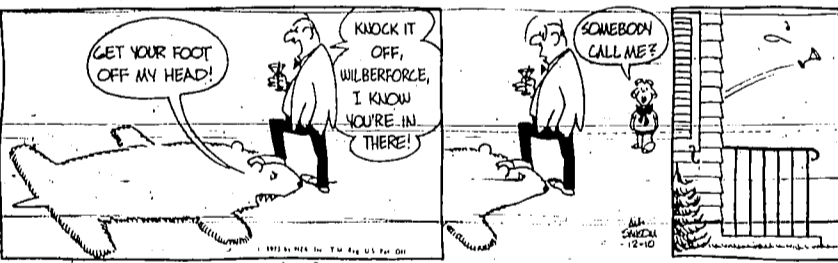
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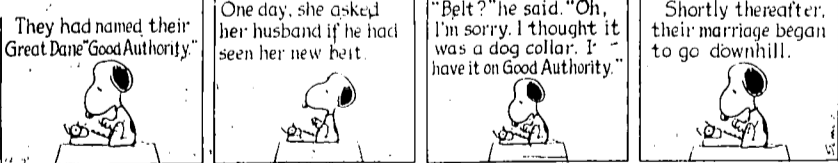


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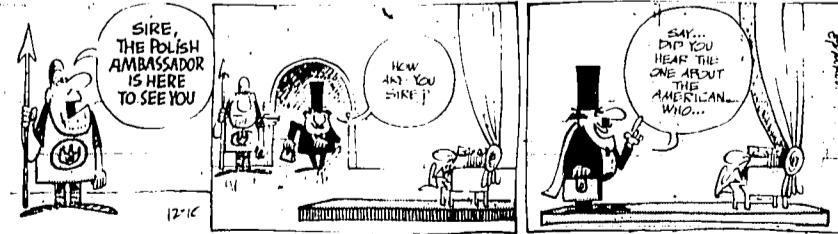
By Roger Bollen



PEANUTS



WIZARD OF ID



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What's What

L. M. Boyd

A dressmaking factory in New York City's garment district employed more than 100 women. They walked up and down numerous flights of stairs. Or ran. Despite warning signs, bright lighting, even monitors, girls fell. Injuries were many. Finally, the owners in a flash of genius mounted full-length mirrors on all the stair-landings. The accident rate dropped remarkably almost to zero. Now, if it told, the girls tend to walk with great deliberation as they pass their own reflections.

Top speed of a human sneeze is about 200 m.p.h. No dieter should overlook the fact that the gum on the back of a U.S. postage stamp contains about a tenth of a calorie. Know what an octopode is? An infant octopus. An experienced restaurant man contends some chefs paint overcooked steaks with beef juice to make them look rarer. A third of all elopements end in divorce.

MR. PRESIDENT

Q. "What's President Nixon's astrological sign?" A. He's Capricorn. The goat Capricorns are said to be stubborn, somewhat solitary and exceedingly nifty on their feet in high procrastratic places.

To his list of redundancies, our Language man has added "past history," "true fact," "widow woman," "now beginning" and "hot-water-hater." Any other?

Numerous Russian women in the Caucasus Mountains still wear leather underwear.

LOVE AND WAR

Item No. 548-B in our Love and War man's file on matrimony is this remark by Louis K. Anapacher: "Marriage is that relation between man and woman in which the independence is equal; the dependence mutual, and the obligation reciprocal."

In the middle of the Great Depression, a roving army of half a million men, women and children rode the freight trains, here and there and everywhere. A retired blackman told me his job was to run them off. Relatively few were professional tramps, he said. And those always obeyed orders. But the enormous majority of amateur hoboes resented their treatment mightily. They retaliated with thievery and vandalism and sabotage. Hardly anybody realized its seriousness. Was as though a half a million guerrilla fighters set out to destroy the railroads.

Price of a never-before-married bride in New Guinea now is said to be \$240. A once-married girl costs about \$30. But a woman with more than two marriages in her record is not marketable.

Was a time when honey was used as an embalming preparation.

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Singing

CROSSWORD puzzle grid with clues for 'Singing'.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Grid of answers to the previous puzzle.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 64.

MAJOR HOOPLE



Market Review

NEW YORK (UPI) — Stocks moved irregularly in fairly active trading on the New York Stock Exchange Monday, with investors apparently undecided about the staying power of last week's technical rebound.

The Dow Jones industrial average had dropped 2.48 to 835.57 shortly before noon. The combined advance of 49.74 points registered last Thursday and Friday was the best two-day gain in the history of the popular market barometer. But analysts said there was little substance in the news to account for the upsurge.

Advances led declines, 717 to 589, among 1,650 issues traded. Few issues showed much movement either way in Monday's early going.

Noon volume came to roughly 7,500,000 shares, compared with Friday's 10,570,000 shares in the same time.

Holding back buying somewhat, according to analysts, was a move by Chase Manhattan Bank and several other major business lenders raising their prime lending rate by 1/4-point to 10 percent. First National City Bank of New York kicked off the new rise last Friday.

General Motors led the actives, gaining 1 1/4 to 49 1/2 on 55,700 shares. The stock, a major loser during the market's recent five and one-half week tailspin, has finally attracted buyers the past three sessions.

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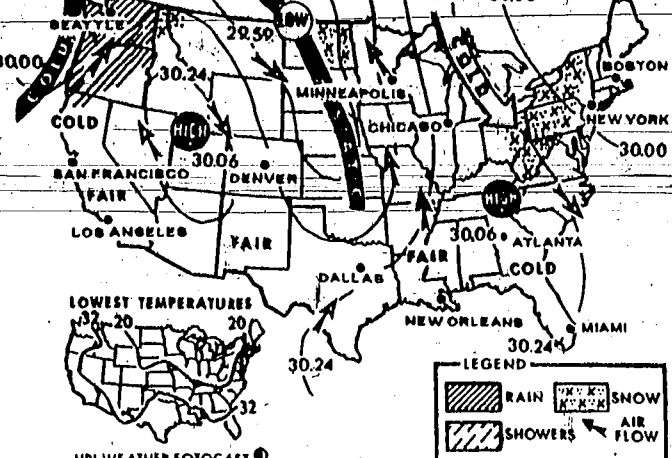
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Amtrak	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	1 1/2
Amgen	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	2 1/2

Firm pays
BOISE (UPI) — Directors of Morrison-Knudsen Co., Inc., Friday declared a cash dividend of 20 cents per share. The dividend will be paid Feb. 4, 1974, to stockholders of record on Dec. 31. Five new staff officers were also elected at the meeting.

Idaho Valley Weather Report National Temperatures

High-Low

Alberdeen	30-14
Bolao	42-28
Buhl	31-20
Burley	34-20
Caldwell	38-21
Emmett	42-25
Fairfield	33-9
Gooding	35-25
Grangeville	39-23
Hagerman	37-20
Homedale	34-25
Idaho Falls	28-16
Jerome	36-24
Kimberly	34-10
Kuna	34-10
McCall	33-4
Mtn. Home	38-23
Lewiston	42-30
Parma	33-22
Pocatello	33-16
Preston	38-10
Rupert	33-21
Soda Springs	30-6
W. Yellowstone	20-2



National Temperatures

City	High	Low	Pop.
Atlanta	46	38	53
Boston	58	48	74
Buffalo	34	33	31
Charlotte, S.C.	57	42	...
Chicago	36	10	104
Columbus, O.	43	28	02
Denver	37	23	...
Des Moines	31	10	...
Detroit	41	25	03
El Paso	62	25	...
Houston	58	41	...
Indianapolis	38	21	04
Jamez	37	32	11
Kansas City	36	23	...
Los Angeles	85	57	...
Memphis	51	35	...
Miami Beach	68	50	...
Mpls. St. Paul	30	02	04
New Orleans	54	35	...
New York	55	37	186
Orlando	61	39	01
Phoenix	79	50	...
Pittsburgh	35	31	34
Portland, Ore.	53	41	...
Raleigh	57	30	...
Richmond	50	29	02
St. Louis	44	18	...
Salt Lake City	41	25	...
San Francisco	54	43	...
Seattle	44	37	...
Spokane	31	25	...
Tampa	60	52	...
Washington	50	37	...
Wichita	45	22	...

Cloudy skies return

Twin Falls, northside area, Burley-Rupert: Partly sunny this afternoon; increasing cloudiness tonight, leading to a chance of light snow Tuesday. Lows tonight in the teens. Highs Tuesday in the middle 20's. Synops: A stagnant high pressure system which settled over Idaho during the weekend will give way to an approaching low

pressure disturbance by Tuesday. After a partly sunny and warmer day today, increasing clouds tonight will lead to a chance of light rain, or snow changing to rain Tuesday. Present indications are that precipitation, if any, will be light. Increasing southerly winds ahead of the disturbance

Twin Falls Temperatures

Day	High	Low
Yesterday	31	20
Last	7	4
Normal	41	23

Commodity Futures 11 a.m. Today

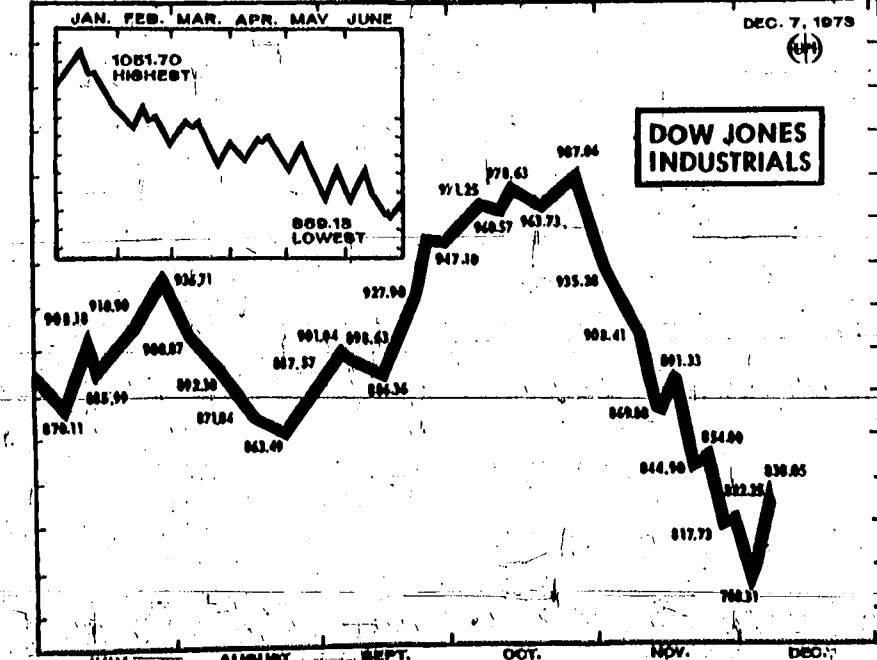
Prev. Close	High	Low	11:00 a.m.
May Idaho potatoes	9.10	9.22	9.16
May Maine potatoes	9.00	9.15	9.02
Dec. live cattle	32.20	36.20	37.60
Apr. live cattle	47.47	48.47	47.90
Dec. hogs	41.47	42.92	42.10
Dec. wheat	434	430	427
Dec. corn	282 1/4	284	280 1/4
Dec. eggs	6605	6695	6615
Dec. silver	307.50	313.50	313.50
Jan. silver coins	2205	2233	2190

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING ON FUEL TAX REGULATIONS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Tax Commission of the State of Idaho will on January 2, 1974, at its offices at 317 Main Street, Boise, Idaho, at 10:00 a.m., hold a hearing pursuant to Idaho law and in particular Chapter 24, Title 63, Idaho Code, at which hearing interested persons may present their views, data or arguments, orally or in writing. The subject of such hearing will be the addition of new regulations for the administration of the Idaho Motor Fuels Receipt Tax, Motor Fuels Use Tax and Aircraft Fuel Receipt Tax Regulations. The regulations to be adopted involve the following subjects and issues:

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circumstances under which a distributor's license will be revoked, the imposition and incident of the motor fuels use tax; the type of gallons on which the tax is to be reported; the procedure and circumstances under which a supplemental return may be filed; the procedure and circumstances under which a distributor may deduct distributions to the Idaho National Guard, the presumption of distribution of all motor fuel received; the procedure and circumstances under which the one per cent (1) deduction afforded the retail dealer to cover shrinkage, evaporation, spillage or handling losses; the requirement of the issuance of invoices by distributors; the type of distributor report to be used; the applicability of the collection procedures of the motor fuels receipt tax to the aircraft fuel receipt tax; the refundability of the license application fee for licensed distributors; requirement of a bond or collateral security and what is acceptable collateral security and the

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First Sec. Co.	37.50	38.50
Ida. 1st Nat'l.	46.00	48.00
Cont. Life	3.50	3.75
Ida. Pwr.	49.00	55.00
Itmn. Gas	14.75	15.12 1/2
N. King	23.50	24.25
Long. Fiber	110.00	124.00
Pac. Eng.	.75	1.12 1/2
Pac. St. Life	1.87 1/2	2.12 1/2
Rogers Bros.	17.25	18.25
Sierra Life	3.00	4.00
Surety Life	3.37 1/2	3.75
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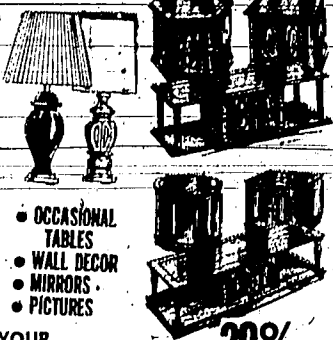
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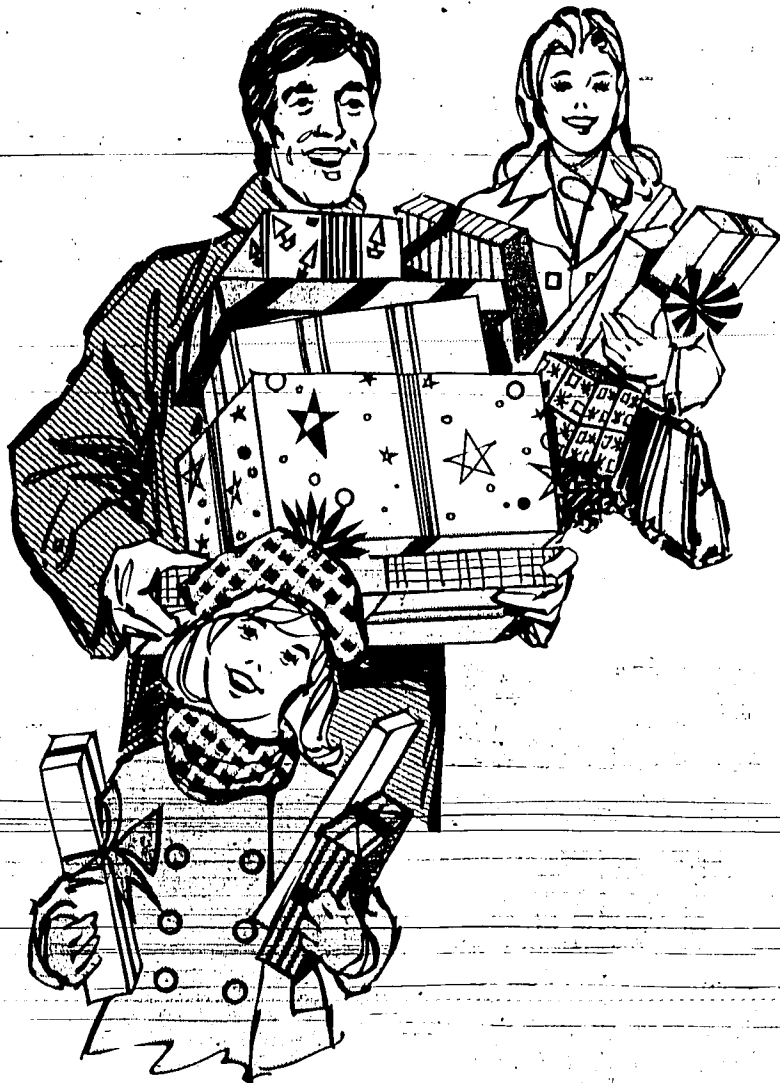
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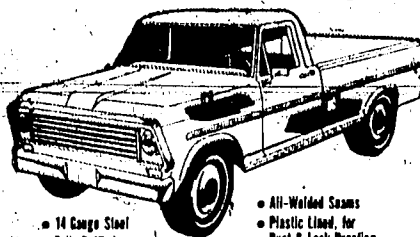
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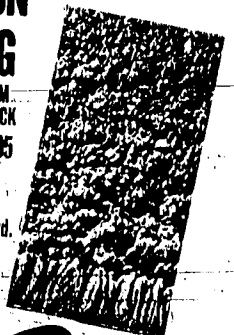
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