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Doctor Kennedy, of Dallas, became the one-hundred-and-eleventh president of the Association at the 1974 meeting in Washington. The House of Delegates adopted a set of 14 standards for dental prepayment programs.

Doctor Kennedy, a general practitioner, was a member of the House of Delegates from 1965 to 1973. He also served the Association as a member of the Task Force on National Health Programs in 1970-1971. Doctor Kennedy was editor of the *Texas Dental Journal*, and served as president of the Dallas County Dental Society, the Texas Dental Association, the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners and the Texas Academy of General Dentistry. After graduating from Baylor University College of Dentistry in 1940, he was a full-time faculty member there before entering the Navy in 1942. He was born in Oklahoma in 1917.

Nelson A. Rockefeller was sworn in as vice president December 19, 1974. Saudi Arabian King Faisal, 70, was shot dead by a nephew. The South Vietnamese government surrendered to the Communist Vietcong and the North Vietnamese April 30, 1975. The merchant ship *Mayaguez*, seized by Cambodian forces, was recaptured by the United States Marines. Spacecraft of the United States and the Soviet Union were linked together 140 miles above the Atlantic Ocean.