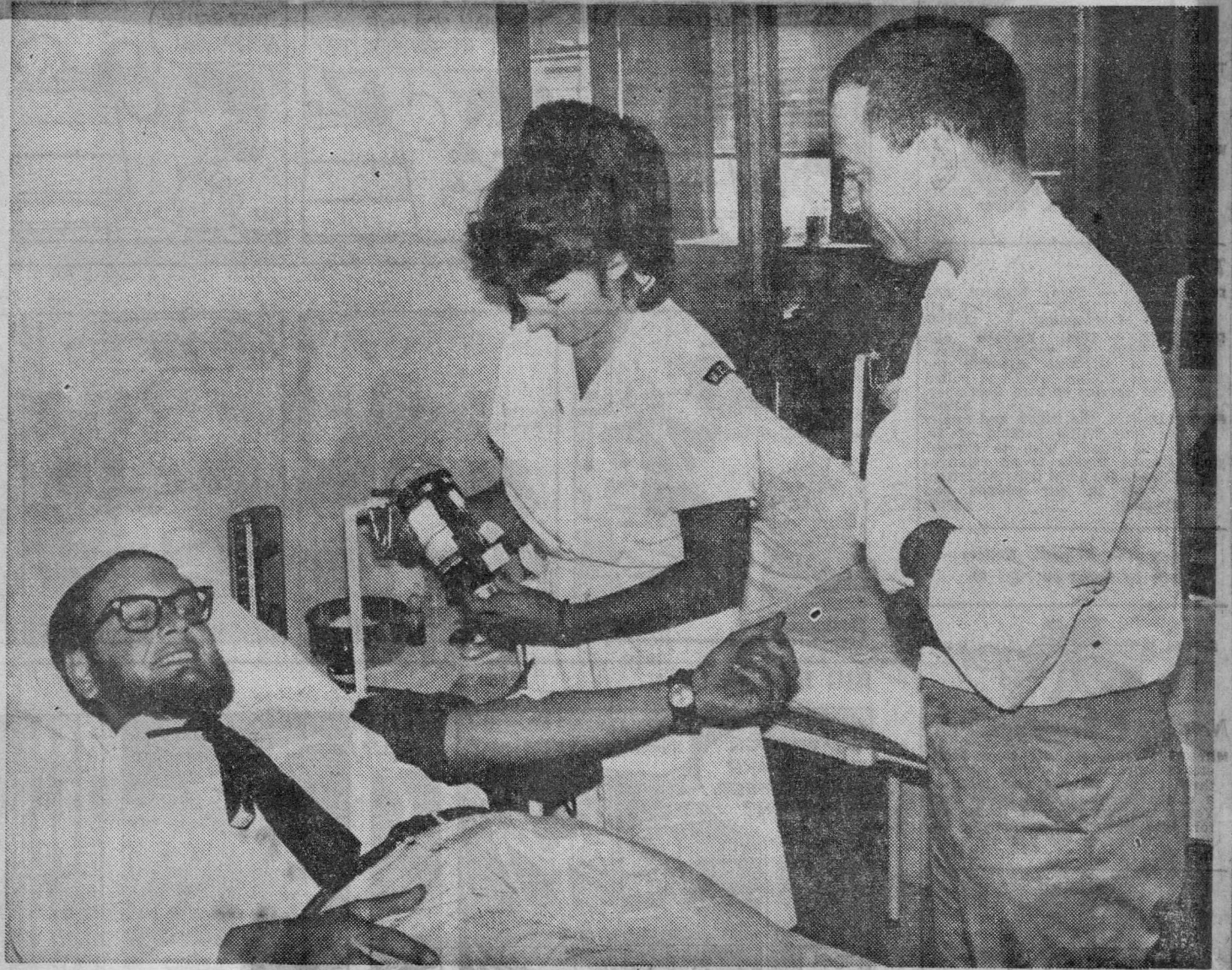


# Ice-men give blood



**Danie Joubert, leader of the South African-Belgian Antarctic expedition which left Cape Town yesterday, smiles after giving a pint of blood at the Western Province Blood Transfusion centre yesterday.**

**About 20 other team members also gave blood before leaving in the South African supply ship RSA. Among them was the Belgian leader and geologist Dr. T. van Autenboer.**

**Looking on in the picture is Mr. Roger Fagnoul, pilot and member of the Belgian team. The nurse is Miss Sippora Hobbelman.**

**Mr. Joubert said that the team was giving blood because the transfusion centre had always supplied blood for the Antarctic base. The men had also been inspired by the heart transplant performed in Cape Town.**