



## WDHS Auditorium Destroyed

By THOM MARSHALL  
Pampa News Staff  
It will be a long day for White Deer High School Principal David Grayson and the teachers and others who are helping mop up water used to fight flames which destroyed the school's

auditorium early today. But he said about 8:30 a.m. today, while firemen still were on the scene, that it appeared classes could be resumed on Thursday.  
In addition to White Deer's volunteer fire department, Skellytown and Panhandle units

assisted in fighting the fire, which was reported at 4:58 a.m. according to Pleasant Meadows, White Deer fire chief. He estimated that there were about 40 firemen on the scene.  
"It was an easy fire," the chief said. "The only thing was

that it had a little over an hour's start on us."  
The chief said that the roof to the auditorium apparently had fallen in shortly before firemen arrived and he said that helped to contain the fire.  
Mike Purcell, White Deer

High's football coach who was helping mop up the halls, said that some of the first men to arrive in the scene had reported flames shooting 40 feet in the air above the auditorium. He said that Joanie Davis, a girl who lives across the street from the

school apparently was the one who turned in the alarm.  
School clocks were stopped at 3:44 but Purcell said the fire probably "going on longer than that before it burned through the wires."  
Grayson said that the cause of

the fire "had to be some kind of electrical short circuit."  
He said he arrived at the school "just at 5 a.m. and opened the front door as the fire department was driving up. I went back out to my car and got a Crescent and turned off all the gas to the building."  
There were no injuries reported in the fire.

The principal said that he expects clean up operations to be completed later today and "I feel like we'll be back in here tomorrow."  
He said that smoke and water damage throughout the building will be minimal.

The fire apparently was contained in the auditorium because of fire walls built into the structure when it was erected in 1952, replacing a school building that was destroyed in a tornado.

"Some people around here were remembering some complaints about the extra cost of the fire walls when the school was built," Purcell said.

He said that when the fire was reported the principal asked his wife to telephone all the male teachers to assist.

The heavy, laminated wooden doors which opened into the auditorium from the hall and the band room were charred black and cracked on the auditorium side, but apparently undamaged on the other side.

The school district reportedly had advertised for bids for new drapes, curtains and various stage equipment for the auditorium, but none of the items had yet been purchased or installed.

The principal said that enrollment at the White Deer High School currently is 165.

He said that, judging from his initial inspections, no books had been damaged by the water.

The outside walls of the school auditorium still stand, though cracked between bricks in spots, but the inside apparently is a total loss.

A woman looking over the damage and holding one of White Deer's future students in her arms, said, "It could have been so much worse."

Principal Grayson commented to Coach Purcell, "I'm just standing around here wondering where to start," then turned to one of the smudgey-faced firemen and told him, "I found my Crescent."



Fire's Out, School's Out

Firemen make absolutely sure that nothing is left smoldering in the area of White Deer High School that had been the auditorium before early today. When firemen received the call on the fire, it apparently had been burning for more than an hour. Dean Henthorn, a ninth grade White Deer student, stands just inside the auditorium beside one of the heavy doors that helped contain the flames and damage. Charred on one side, the several doors leading from other parts of the school to the auditorium appeared to be undamaged on the other side. Classes were called off today in White Deer, but are expected to resume on Thursday.

(Pampa News photos by Michal Thompson)



Complaint of the month seems to be natural gas bills in local homes.  
Bills are higher. One man told the News his home gas bill was up 80 per cent over last year, one woman caller reported her bill had more than doubled. The Pampa Independent School District gas bill was \$10,000 last month. A year ago it was \$6,500 for about the same time.  
One Pampa woman did something about her charge.  
To save energy and money she keeps most of her house shut off during the cold weather. And she only cooks one meal a day.  
But her gas bill reflected that her usage skyrocketed from 9 thousand cubic feet one month to 24 thousand cubic feet the next. And she didn't think that was right.  
So she called and complained. The gas company took another reading. Her gas bill was reduced by \$13.28.

In our rush to meet a deadline, the Pampa News Tuesday identified Buster Collins as Gray County sheriff rather than Gray county deputy sheriff.

The minute we discovered the error, we called Real Sheriff Rufe Jordan and assured him that we did not have information which he hadn't been told.

Collins might have felt like the preacher when a little boy said to him, "Hi, God." The minister said it was always nice to get a raise.

The Texas state government is at it again, spending tax money for clever little public relations programs which must have been conceived by a small mind at a big desk.

This one is an "Autoscope" which the Governor's Office of Traffic Safety has sent out to newspapers.

And it includes such juicy tidbits as "Libra: You are easygoing, but you know your limits. Don't let slow drivers incite you to do something rash." and "Sagittarius: Alert action could save a loved one. Get plenty of rest. Drive only when your mind is clear of alcohol and medication."  
Almost had a cattle rustling in Gray County Sunday. Seems like some show cattle were missing and a frantic call to the appropriate person brought this response: "I'll call the sheriff, but I'm going to wait until after the super bowl."

It turned out to be a false alarm, however. But it is interesting when priorities are revealed.

This note on the Postal Service comes from the South Bend Tribune in Indiana.

In the kind of basic economics most of us learned in school, there is a principle called pricing yourself out of the market. That is, charging so much for your product that customers won't buy it.  
Apparently the United States Postal Service does not believe in this principle, so it keeps raising its postal rates in order to reduce its operating deficits, and in doing so drives away more of its customers.  
Some companies, such as utilities, are experimenting with delivering their bills by hand rather than mailing them, as for the ordinary citizen, he's likely to mail fewer letters. Just because the Postal Service has a monopoly on first-class mail delivery by law doesn't mean that it automatically will continue to receive the patronage it had.

Gray County economy looks pretty good, even when compared with the rest of the Texas Panhandle.  
A federal employee in Pampa said that there are fewer bankruptcies filed for this area than for the Lubbock area.  
But it seems true that we complain about having no shoes until we see a person that has no feet.  
The cost of living is traumatic to handle, to pay for and to keep up with.  
But in Argentina, the cost of living rose 334.8 per cent during 1975. It was the worst rate in the South American country's history.

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"He that would govern others, first should be the master of himself."  
— Philip Massinger

## Locals Expect Price to Run

By ANNA BURCHELL  
Pampa News Staff

Former Congressman Bob Price of Pampa has called a press conference for 8:30 a.m. Feb. 2—the filing deadline for candidates in the 1976 election.  
While Price did not say what announcements he will make here it is the consensus that he will announce his plans to regain the congressional post he held for eight years.

"I expect he can win," Joe Curtis of Pampa 31st District Committeeman said this morning.  
Price was defeated by Congressman Jack Hightower of Vernon, a Democrat in November 1974.

Hightower has already filed for re-election.

"I feel like he (Price) will run a very good race," Curtis said. "Since Hightower hasn't done anything particularly wrong, he can't point to any particular achievements."

Contacted in Washington this morning by Bill Choyke, Pampa News Washington correspondent, Price said he is seriously considering an attempt to regain his 13th congressional seat.

"I can't tell you right now for I haven't made up my mind for sure," he said.

However, he acknowledged that in past weeks he has been

lining up political support to challenge Hightower.

Price, who is now working as a special consultant to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration in Washington, also criticized Hightower for his performance to date.

"He just hasn't done anything so far. That is not just political talk. The record speaks for itself," Price said.

During a recent visit to Pampa, Hightower was asked how he felt about Price as a prospective opponent.

"I knew when I ran it was for a two year term," he replied, indicating that he had expected a Republican challenger.

In a letter written Nov. 1 from the Price Ranch in Gray County, Price said:

"The only reason I am considering running again is that I am deeply concerned about the future of this country. I feel that our children deserve the same opportunities and the same freedom our parents left to us and if the liberals are left in control of Congress this will be impossible."

He said since he stepped down from his congression seat in January 1975 he had spent most of his time in Panhandle at his ranch.

"I have had time to listen and to think," he said. "It's been an

enjoyable period of my life and one that I feel has added a different dimension to my views. My philosophy of government is more conservative now than it was when I first announced for office in 1964."

He explained that following his 1964 election he had to make a transition from ranching to the difficult business of wrestling with the federal bureaucracy.

Price called Mrs. Julian Key Tuesday night to ask that she make arrangements for his press conference at 8:30 a.m. Feb. 2 in the hospitality room of the Citizens Bank & Trust Co.

### Living Cost Up Again

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The cost of living in December rose 0.5 per cent and gained 7 per cent during all of 1975, the Labor Department said today.

The December-to-December increase in the Consumer Price Index, the most commonly used method of measuring the inflation level, was well below the 12.2 per cent jump during 1974 and supported optimistic predictions by administration economists that inflation is moderating.

Service cost increases were the major factor behind inflation during December and the full year, said the department's final report of 1975.

## Ford Budget Emphasizes Defense

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Declaring opposition to "hollow" promises in an election year, President Ford today proposed a \$394.2 billion budget emphasizing stronger national defense, business and investor tax cuts to create jobs, and making elderly sick and working poor pay more of their own way.

In his only new initiative, Ford proposed a "welfare czar" to coordinate federal welfare, housing and food payments by setting uniform nationwide standards for benefits. The budget gave no details, but officials said Ford would reorganize the programs under executive authority subject to congressional veto.

Ford proposed greater cuts in individual income taxes beginning in July, but also asked for a maximum increase of \$49.50 next year in the Social Security payroll tax—the tax that cuts deepest into low and moderate income workers.

The President said defense and energy received the highest priorities in his proposal for fiscal 1977 being sent to Congress today.

"This is not a policy of the quick fix; it does not hold out the hollow promise that we can wipe out inflation and unemployment overnight," Ford said.

For the first time, a president's budget will be reviewed by the new joint congressional budget committee. It is likely to be frisky and independent both in dealing with Ford's proposals and suggesting its own.

Although he proposed spending \$43 billion more than the government will collect in taxes and other

revenues, Ford said the budget represented "responsible fiscal policy." The expected deficit in the current fiscal year is \$76 billion.

If we try to stimulate the economy beyond its capacity to respond, it will lead only to a future whirlwind of inflation and unemployment," Ford said. Ford gave this picture of his spending plans (in billions, may not add due to rounding. TQ is symbol for transition quarter, the three months between the end of fiscal 1976 on June 30 and the beginning of fiscal 1977 on Oct. 1. From FY 1977 on, the government's accounting year will begin in October instead of July.)

The budget will generate controversy in this presidential election year, but one of the potentially most explosive proposals—the higher payroll taxes to finance Social Security benefit increases—won support from Chairman Al Ullman, D-Ore., of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee.

Instead of raising the \$16,500 ceiling on wages subject to the 5.85 per cent Social Security tax in 1977, Ford proposed increasing the tax rate to 6.15 per cent. This would increase the maximum obligation to \$1,014.75 a year.

Economists consider this regressive because it takes 6.15 per cent of gross income from workers earning under \$16,500—but a declining percentage from those who earn more.

Ford recommended an \$8.3 billion increase in the defense budget, saying "We dare not do less."

The \$101.1 billion request, Ford said, means an

actual increase in spending beyond the boost to cover inflation. He said he would have to ask for more if the arms limitation talks with the Russians were not successful.

Ford called for a record \$5.1 billion to speed work on solutions to the energy crisis.

The new energy spending proposal was 19 per cent above this year's \$4.3 billion budget and included major increases for solar and geothermal power development, nuclear waste disposal research and synthetic fuel production.

"Assuring our nation's needs for energy must be among our highest priorities," Ford said, thus placing energy and defense as the sacred budget cows in a year when most federal programs are being trimmed or marking time.

Ford, who spent 1975 bogged down in a frustrating energy policy fight with Congress, proposed no bold new ventures in his fiscal 1977 budget. Instead he urged prompt enactment of programs sent to Congress last year but stalled, in many cases, by the policy battle.

He asked Congress to consolidate 59 grant programs for health, education and welfare into four block grant packages valued at \$17.7 billion and to give the states greater controls over spending these funds.

"In our domestic programs, my objective has been to achieve a balance between all the things we would like to do and those things we can realistically afford to do," Ford said.

His proposed revenue sharing and other reforms

would require the recipients of some federal aid, like Medicare, to contribute more toward their benefits.

Ford repeated his position of permanent tax reductions for individuals, businesses and investors. He also proposed special new tax advantages for lenders designed to pump funds into residential mortgages, and for builders in high unemployment areas. Individuals would gain an additional \$10 billion in tax cuts at midyear under the Ford plan.

Effective this year, there would be special incentives to encourage ownership of common stock. Taxes would be deferred on funds invested for at least seven years in stock purchase plans.

Ford said the budget was based assumptions that in calendar 1978 consumer prices would moderate to a 6.3 per cent annual increase, the unemployment rate would dip to an average 7.7 per cent and the Gross National Product adjusted for inflation would increase 6.2 per cent following a 2 per cent decline in 1975.

For the rest of the decade, Ford said the real GNP would grow at an annual rate of 6.5 per cent, consumer prices would ease to 4.2 per cent and unemployment fall to 5.2 per cent.

If Congress adopts this budget proposal and these economic projections hold true, Ford said the budget would "move into surplus in 1979 with increasingly large surpluses in subsequent years."

Because of a stronger economy and declining federal spending in ratio to the GNP, Ford said outlays for

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## Frontiers Of Freedom

By ANTHONY HARRIGAN  
As Americans celebrate their bicentennial, they are increasingly concerned about threats to freedom. They are reminded that the founders of this republic were determined to secure the blessings of liberty to posterity and, therefore, declared: "We mutually pledge our lives, our fortunes and sacred honor."

Americans aren't the only free people concerned about the survival of freedom, however. In Great Britain, for example — the source of America's free institutions, there is a growing awareness that freedom may not survive the end of this century unless strong action is taken to protect it.

For this reason, Englishmen from many walks of life recently joined together to form the National Association of Freedom (87 Regent Street, London W. 1). This organization was created as a rallying point for freedom in the British Isles.

In an address at the first meeting of the Association, Lord De L'Isle, who holds Britain's highest decoration for wartime heroism — the Victoria Cross, said: "The first threat to freedom in Britain is a game of 'let's pretend' which prevents us from 'discovering' that we are traveling toward the drab collectivist reformatory intended for us by those who are not tolerant or easy-going or un-doctrinaire."

Lord De L'Isle warned that a principal threat to freedom is "the vast and growing machinery of government which is extending its tentacles into every cranny of the body politic."

He stated that another major threat to freedom is the "extra parliamentary power of the leaders of organized labor."

Lord De L'Isle said that "to the aim of subversive society ruled by a narrow self-perpetuating hierarchy posing as egalitarian, we oppose the idea of a free, open and vigorous one, governed by institutions where the settled will of the majority democratically expressed prevails under the protection of the rule of law."

It takes courage to stand up to the collectivists and totalitarians in the modern world. In Britain, it takes physical courage, for terrorists and Marxist hooligans have repeatedly attacked defenders of freedom. Ross McWhirter, an editor who openly opposed the Marxists, was slain by a terrorist gunman this winter.

Moreover, the collectivists employ economic weapons, including destructive strikes, to bend the people and government to their will. Peregrine Worsthorne, deputy editor of the Sunday Telegraph in London, discussed this aspect of the situation at the initial meeting of the National Association for Freedom.

"If socialist governments become the norm in this country," said Mr. Worsthorne, "and encourage further state control of the economy as a long-term trend, the fact that the press is part of the threatened private sector, and inevitably therefore unsympathetic to this move, will in time create a major political clash between it and the socialist government."

He added that "the spread of socialism would threaten the British system of free press very fundamentally and the sooner this is recognized the better."

These statements by Britons concerned about freedom make clear that threats to a free society exist throughout the English-speaking world. Organizations such as the new National Association for Freedom in Britain are vitally needed to deal with the abuses of labor union or government power and with the broader threats to liberty. The frontiers of tyranny are being continuously extended all over the world, including the so-called free world.

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## Nonproducing Bigwigs

Nonproducing executives may be costing U.S. industry more than obsolete equipment. Yet at a time when business is striving to cut costs and increase productivity, many firms ignore the drag of highly paid executives who should never have been placed in their jobs.

Cushing and Cushing, a Los Angeles consulting firm, estimates that more than 15 percent of the executives currently at work in American industry are unqualified for their jobs. By comparison, the latest McGraw-Hill survey of capital obsolescence shows that management considers only about 11 percent of its plant and equipment to be unproductive and obsolete.

When the Cushing estimate is projected on the Census Bureau's salary totals for the nearly nine million executives in the United States, the annual cost of the obsolete managerial talent comes to a staggering \$15 billion. That doesn't include bonuses, pensions and other fringe benefits normally paid to executives.

Why is it that so many executives hold jobs they cannot perform?

There are any number of reasons, but in fast-growing companies, especially,

individuals are often promoted from positions for which they were qualified into succeeding higher jobs for which they are less and less qualified (the Peter Principle).

Apparently the most frequent way a company has of getting rid of an incompetent executive is by paying him off to another company.

As to why a company would recruit an incompetent executive from another firm, the reason, says Bryant Cushing, is the common tendency of people, including top management, to assume that executives who have held prestigious jobs with prestigious firms must be highly competent — or they wouldn't have held the jobs, would they?

To avoid such an elementary blunder, companies must be willing to investigate executive candidates with greater care before hiring them, rather than relying on name, reputation or previous position.

"It's a question of comparing reality with resumes by asking the right people the right questions," says Cushing. And the "right people" include not only a candidate's former superiors but also his peers and subordinates.



## Don Oakley

### Salty solution for hungry world

By Don Oakley

As if the world did not face an acute enough problem already in feeding its burgeoning billions, another threat to the global food supply has appeared.

It is salt, creeping into farmland waters at a disturbing rate, reports NOAA magazine, a publication of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Salt is encroaching not only in coastal areas that have never been arable, excessive and growing amounts of salt are intruding into areas that have long been intensively irrigated, such as the lower Colorado River Valley, posing a major agricultural problem.

That's the bad news. The good news — and it could be very good news for an increasingly hungry world — is that the salt problem may literally contain the seeds of its own solution.

Many varieties of plants, called halophytes, can live comfortably with salt. Indeed, much of the earth's plant life actually depends on water that has a high salt content. This includes not only all the plant life in the oceans but many species of land plants, some of which can tolerate higher levels of salinity than that of seawater.

For the past three years, a team of scientists at the University of California in Davis, with support from NOAA's Office of Sea Grant and the National Science Foundation, has been engaged in an effort to make salt-tolerant plants even more so, as well as to develop new strains of valuable crop plants not now naturally tolerant to salt.

The goal is nothing less than the creation, through selection and breeding, of seed-bearing plants that can be grown in soil irrigated with either brackish water or seawater, or that can be grown directly in seawater in hydroponic tanks.

The process of developing such crop strains is a long-term one. But if it is successful, the results would be of inestimable value to the world. Crops could be harvested in regions presently totally unsuitable for agriculture. At the same time, the salty water itself could provide concentrations of several major plant nutrients — potassium, calcium, magnesium and sulfate — that are currently supplied by chemical fertilizers whose cost, in terms of both energy and dollars, is becoming increasingly high.



People once considered the heart, not the head, the seat of understanding and wisdom

## Berry's World



"If you don't win, it won't be the end of the world, but you will have to go back to taking the garbage out again!"



Tough Traction

### CONSERVATIVE ADVOCATE

## He Barges Into Controversy

By WILLIAM RUSHER

My brothers Bill Buckley and Kevin Phillips have fallen into public disagreement over the nature and proper strategy of American conservatism, and I am moved to barge into the controversy in the hope of illuminating it if resolving it.

Phillips is the bright young political analyst who back in 1969 brought the science of demographics to bear on the American political scene and predicted a long-term conservative upsurge based on the fast-growing population and anti-liberal sentiments of the South, Southwest and West. Unfortunately Phillips mistitled his book on the subject "The Emerging Republican Majority" (which, after all, is not quite the same thing as the conservative majority), and compounded that error by dedicating it to John Mitchell and Richard Nixon. But his basic insight was a sound one, and it has been eagerly plagiarized ever since by analysts of various persuasions or none.

I am not unmindful that in picking a fight with Buckley, who after all was perhaps the leading spokesman for American conservatism when Phillips was still learning about the birds and the bees, the brash young demographer may simply be indulging in a little artful self-promotion. But insofar as

Phillips' noisy animadversions on Buckley and the historic principles of conservatism are taken seriously, they are capable of doing a certain amount of damage that the conservative cause can ill afford.

Phillips can be forgiven for not knowing — after all, he wasn't around — the prodigies of diplomacy that Buckley has performed, these past twenty years, in persuading conservatism's notoriously fractious spokesmen to modulate their differences in the high interest of resisting liberalism more effectively. But I confess that I simply do not know where Phillips imagines a conservative majority will come from, if he succeeds in excluding from it the many millions of Americans whose concept of conservatism is far closer to Buckley's than to his own.

After all, insofar as Phillips can be identified with any recognizable constituency that one could plausibly call conservative, it is the Wallace bloc. This bloc polled nearly 10 million votes (out of 73 million) for the feisty Alabama governor in 1968, and I am certainly not disposed to sneeze at that achievement. But Barry Goldwater (whose best-selling "Conservative" was virtually co-authored by Buckley's brother-in-law Brent Bozell) racked up over 27

million votes (out of 70 million) in 1964, and even allowing for a fair amount of overlap it doesn't take a Mark Hanna to perceive which component is necessarily going to be the senior partner if we ever succeed in melding these two constituencies.

Phillips, though, will have none of this. He claims to draw his inspiration "from the uniqueness of the American experience and American society."

In Buckley's cosmogony, Phillips complains, "one never sees names like Abilene, Tallapoosa, Wabash or Wissahickon. There is little effort at seeking theoretical roots in American culture, at finding inspiration in the cascade of U.S. history or deriving ideology from the territorial pride and self-help of a hard-working ethnic neighborhood in Massachusetts."

Well, just for one thing, I think Br'er Phillips is underestimating Abilene et al., even in the process of apotheosizing them. You can bet your bottom dollar that, in the eyes of the residents, by far the most important building in that "hard-working ethnic neighborhood in Massachusetts" is the local church, rooted firmly in a Western cultural tradition that originated in Rome and the Middle East two thousand years ago. And if Phillips — a native New Yorker — ever actually gets to Tallapoosa, instead of merely worshipping it from afar, he will discover that Tallapoosans are much too sensible to suppose that their distinctive local culture and history (let alone those of Wissahickon) are capable of confronting and defeating, without without important allies, the twentieth century's deadly challenge to the human spirit.

The problem, then, for those conservatives who sincerely want unity, is to isolate and prize at their true worth the genuinely splendid achievements of Kevin Phillips in the field of political demography, while ignoring his pitiful attempts at philosophy and — quite simply — forgiving his apparently uncontrollable appetite for unnecessary and counterproductive quarrels.

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### Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

One form of health insurance is not to eat at our local beanery.

A toll cookie is a long distance telephone operator.



The older one grows, the handsomer one was.

They put the comics in the last section of the paper because, by the time you reach them, you need a good laugh.

You look at a watch to tell how long till or how long after — never to tell the time.

**ADAMS ELECTED**  
The third presidential election of the United States under the Federal Constitution was held and John Adams was elected president.



## Ray Cromley

### Chop off the head to kill a snake

By Ray Cromley

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — Organized crime costs your family and mine \$1,000 a year — \$50 billion nationwide.

It's expanding into legitimate businesses and fueling the corruption of officials and police. Yet, we're bumbling our attacks on the syndicates — going after insignificant targets, ignoring the jugular.

No syndicate can operate on any important scale for any length of time without large payoffs to officials or police, usually both. So long as these authorities go free, or if only a bribe recipient here or there is caught and jailed, a clamp-down on organized crime is impossible.

Investment capital and working capital are essential to any major syndicate operation. But our attacks on organized crime, in the main, ignore these truisms.

We are so obsessed with the thought we must catch the man actually running dope, stealing, strongarming or hijacking, that we end up with a barrel of small fry and, in total, a few billion dollars worth recovered from the \$50 billion the syndicates take home.

The men can be replaced at a dime a dozen. And the syndicate losses from law enforcement officers represent a minuscule percentage of the taxes most of us pay.

There are, as indicated above, only two roads to effective syndicate busting.

Some means must be found to search out and identify criminally acquired monies which is not so difficult as it sounds. And all such money, wherever invested, even in legitimate enterprises be confiscated. This may prove exceedingly difficult but there are laws which, in the main, would make this possible.

Further, there must be provisions for fines so large that syndicate operators, once caught, would have to dig so deeply into their capital and the capital of their associates, they might find a comeback next to impossible.

Typically, fines today are so small in comparison with profits, convictions normally put no crimp in the illegal operations of large or middle-sized syndicates.

It isn't enough to merely recover stolen goods.

Even the arrest and conviction of middle and upper rank syndicate management hardly gives pause to the operations. The top men are seldom caught and even more rarely convicted. Moreover, it is money that makes the operation go. More men will always be available for the syndicate if the money is there to pay them.

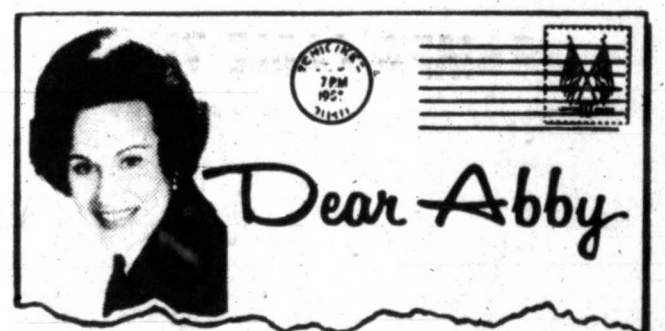
The second emphasis must come in a vastly expanded drive to determine what officials and what police are receiving bribes.

An audit system on personal spending and living standards must be set up for those police and officials in positions able to do favors for syndicates and major white collar criminals. Never mind the small fry — officials and police who can make a dishonest buck here and there by letting some insignificant lawbreaker off. There's neither the manpower nor dollars to monitor both the small-time chiseler and the big operator. But it might be effective to use the little man to give evidence on the men higher up.

In a real sense, the last pair of sentences is the moral of this column. Worry less about numbers of cases and small convictions. Worry more about drying up large amounts of syndicate capital. Shoot for the big deal, then much of the smaller crime may fall by the wayside.



The word halo is from the Greek Halos meaning a circular threshing floor.



## Former Boss Had Faults But He Wasn't THAT Bad

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: For three months during the past year I worked as a part-time secretary for a lawyer. I quit because I felt rather uncomfortable about certain things.

To start off with, my boss told me when I answered the phone to say that he wasn't in. It seems I had to constantly lie to his clients. Also, I know that he owed people a lot of money and was constantly dodging them.

Because I felt that he wasn't on the up and up, I quit. Now the problem is this: I plan to look for another job, but what do I put on the application blank where it says, "The reason for leaving your job?"

If I put down, "For personal reasons," it sounds as though he made a pass at me, which isn't true.

CLIFTON, N.J.

DEAR CLIFTON: Why not say that you were not happy with the working "conditions," which you weren't!

DEAR ABBY: I am 16 and very mature for my age. I have a 4-month-old baby son and a full-time job to support us.

To get to the point, I'm very much hung up on a guy who is 20. He's a real great guy until he starts drinking, then he gets terribly mean towards everyone—including me. He wants to fight, and he says a lot of things for which he is sorry afterwards.

When he's sober he begs me to forgive him, saying he didn't mean to hurt me, and because I love him I give him another chance.

I can't count the chances I've given him already. Should I break off with him the next time he gets drunk, or stay with him and hope he outgrows his drinking problem? He keeps promising he will do so.

HOPELESS IN MONTANA

DEAR HOPELESS: Be a wise girl and quit seeing him right now. Tell him that AFTER he has solved his drinking problem, you will pick up where you left off. No one "outgrows" alcoholism. Suggest he call Alcoholics Anonymous, and if he's as "great" as you say he is, he will.

DEAR ABBY: I am on Social Security and have been doing alterations (sewing) to make ends meet. One of my neighbors asked me if I would alter her dress. It had a full skirt and the hem alone took me three hours to turn up.

When the lady came to pick up her dress, she brought me some flowers from her garden, said, "Thank you," and walked out the door. Abby, I nearly fell on my back! I'm not sewing for flowers.

Abby, dear, how would you have handled this?

SPEECHLESS

DEAR SPEECHLESS: I would have stopped her before she got out the door, and said, nicely, "That will be dollars please."



# Ford Asks for Cut in Farm Programs

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford today called for cuts in a number of farm and rural programs, including some which Congress jealously has defended in the past against attacks from administration economists.

The total proposed Agriculture Department spending in fiscal 1977 was \$10.753 billion, down sharply from the \$14.214 billion in the current year.

But most of the \$3.461 billion in apparent cuts were based on proposals Congress may not accept — including cutbacks in child nutrition, conservation and food stamp aid — or on bookkeeping transfers resulting from timing sales of government loan paper to private investors.

Ford's new budget disclosed the White House will propose

legislation combining a number of conservation subsidy programs, currently funded at about \$220 million a year, into a single program officials said would be budgeted at \$90 million.

Operations affected would include the Agricultural Conservation Program, under which the government pays farmers half or more of the cost of

approved conservation practices. Congress recently rejected an administration request to shelve \$90 million of the \$175 million it previously voted for this aid in the current fiscal year.

The budget showed that farm support costs, at comparatively low levels in recent years because no support subsidies are being paid grain and cotton

producers, may decline further in the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1 — largely because of expected reductions in the cost of supporting tobacco following a cut in flue-cured tobacco planting allotments for 1976.

Net spending by the Department's Commodity Credit Corp., an umbrella figure which includes price support and disaster subsidy costs and other related items — excluding costs of a commodity export credit program — was estimated for the upcoming budget year at \$968 million, down \$163 million from the current year.

Total direct payments of federal cash to farmers, made up mostly of conservation and disaster subsidies, was forecast at \$597 million compared with \$586 million in the current year and nearly \$4 billion in 1973.

Ford said Congress could cut spending another \$500 million if it would adopt programs proposed by the administration in 1975 to reform a disaster payment system for grain and cotton farmers and to relax peanut production controls. No action has been taken on either bill.

There were some real changes

in spending proposed, however, including a \$194 million cutback in overseas food aid resulting from expected lower prices for shipping an almost unchanged volume of food; and a \$450 million cut in export sales credits which officials noted could be quickly expanded if needed.

Also, Ford asked Congress to eliminate all appropriations for rural water and waste disposal grants, rural development and fire protection grants, and grants for farm labor housing and self-help housing. Appropriations for those items in the

current fiscal year totaled \$314 million.

Planned spending on farm research, marketing and consumer protection changed little. Room was made for a number of sizable research fund increases because some construction costs will not recur.

Ford wants to continue the \$5 million increase Congress recently voted to stiffen grain inspection, and there will be a new \$4 million pilot program — in cooperation with Virginia and North and South Carolina — to test a plan for eradicating the boll weevil.

## Money To Sewage Plants

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford today proposed giving state and local governments \$3.77 billion for sewage plant construction in the next

fiscal year, a 60 per cent hike over this year's funding and almost double that spent in fiscal 1975.

The payments — made by the

Environmental Protection Agency under the Federal Water Pollution Control Act — represented the most significant increase in the EPA budget for fiscal 1977 starting Oct. 1.

Ford expressed displeasure, however, with the way America's water cleanup program is lagging. He said the new sewage plant funding will be the last before he proposes reforms in the pollution control act.

He also said he plans to propose changes in the Clean Air Act, making it easier for power plants and industries to burn coal, to provide a better balance between the nation's environmental and energy goals.

"Approximately \$10 billion of the \$18 billion allotted to the states for construction of waste water treatment plants currently remains unobligated," Ford said. He said \$6 billion would be unobligated at the start of the

new budget year and "consequently, no new budget (obligation) authority is requested for 1977."

The changes in the water pollution act, Ford said, will focus federal aid on "meeting the needs of existing population" and providing new incentives to meet water quality standards in the most efficient way.

In all Ford proposed \$4.5 billion in EPA spending in fiscal 1977, a 40 per cent increase over the current year's \$3.2 billion.

The new budget included the addition of 2,573 people to the 25,837 who now enforce regulations on air, water, pesticide and noise pollution. It boosted enforcement spending 6 per cent to \$56 million.

But spending was cut 22 per cent, to \$305 million, for developing pollution control standards and research spending was cut 9 per cent to \$160 million.

## Cancer in Blacks

By AL ROSSITER Jr., UPI Science Editor

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A new analysis of U.S. cancer statistics shows black males have been afflicted with more cancer and are dying of it at higher rates than whites.

The biggest factor in the increasing death rates for blacks was lung cancer.

The figures showed cancer rates increased 36 per cent in black men between 1947 and 1969 while cancer in white males went up 6.7 per cent. The incidence of cancer in black and white women dropped 15 and 13 per cent during the same period.

There were even greater increases in death rates for black men, rising 59 per cent to 217 per 100,000 between 1950 and 1973. Cancer deaths among white men went up 19 per cent to 173 per 100,000.

The statistics, published Monday in the American Cancer Society journal CA, also showed that cancer has been diagnosed earlier in whites than in blacks. Early diagnosis and treatment improves the patient's chances of surviving.

Lung cancer rates were particularly high in black men, jumping 233 per cent between 1947 and 1969 with death rates from the disease increasing 324 per cent between 1950 and 1973. Lung cancer increased 133 per cent in whites with death rates going up 165 per cent.

Cancer rates in black males were lower in 1947 than in whites, with 282 cases per 100,000 in whites and 248 per 100,000 in blacks. But in 1969, 301 cases were reported in the same population size for white males and 337 for blacks.

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F78-14	\$50	<b>35.00</b>	2.58
G78-14	\$53	<b>37.10</b>	2.74
H78-14	\$57	<b>39.90</b>	2.94
G78-15	\$55	<b>38.50</b>	2.81
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# Obituaries

**LANE AARON TRACY**  
Lane Aaron Tracy, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tracy, of Wheeler died Tuesday.  
Funeral services were 10:30 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Wheeler with the Rev. David Campbell officiating. Graveside services will be at 2:30 p.m. in the South Persimmon Cemetery in Sharon, Okla., by Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.  
Survivors include the parents; one sister, Lance of the home; one sister, Larissa of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Darden of Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Tracy of Ponca City, Okla.; and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Fronia Darden of Woodward, Okla.

**CYNTHIA ANN YOUNG**  
Cynthia Ann Young, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Young of Perryton, was stillborn Monday.

Services will be at 2 p.m. at Ochiltree Cemetery by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home with the Rev. Burpo, pastor of the Church of God, officiating.

Surviving are the parents; two sisters, Laciada and Mayleen; and one brother, Mark, all of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Young and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens, all of Perryton.

**RUFUS T. DICKINSON**  
Rufus Thomas "Dick" Dickinson, 69, of McLean, died Tuesday.

Services will be 3 p.m. Thursday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Herman Bell, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery by the Lamb Funeral Home.

Mr. Dickinson was a native of Hillsville, Va., and moved to McLean from Sayre, Okla., in 1930. He married Pearl Porter in 1927 in Cheyenne, Okla., and was a retired manager of the Puckett's Food Stores in McLean and Shamrock. Mr. Dickinson was a member of the First Baptist Church, Masonic Lodge 889 and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

Survivors include the widow; two daughters, Mrs. J.R. Smith and Mrs. Stephen Neas, both of Houston; three brothers, Posey of McLean, W.A. of Cape Charles, Va., and Jess of Trinidad, Colo.; one sister, Mrs. A.W. Brown of Amarillo; and four grandchildren.

**IVA FRANCIS MOORE**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Iva Francis Moore, 87, of 329 N. Wells, will be 2 p.m. Thursday in Highland Baptist Church with the Rev. M.B. Smith, pastor, officiating. Burial in Memory Gardens Cemetery will be by Carmichael - Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Moore died Monday in Highland General Hospital.

**JESS J. HULSEY**  
Jess J. Hulsey, 80, of 927 S. Hobart, died Tuesday in Highland General Hospital.

Services will be 2 p.m. Thursday in the Central Baptist Church with the Rev. Ted Savage, pastor, officiating. Burial in Memory Gardens Cemetery will be by Carmichael - Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Hulsey was born in 1895 in Stigler, Okla., and moved to Pampa from Holdenville, Okla., in 1926. He married Pearl McCafferty in 1935 in Las Cruces, N.M. Mr. Hulsey was a barber in Pampa and was a member of the Central Baptist Church.

He is survived by the widow; two sons, Walter of Odessa and O'Neal of Amarillo; one brother, Bill of Pampa; seven sisters, Mrs. Ida Young, Mrs. Nancy Cain, Mrs. Clemmie Packett, Mrs. Lucille Ataway, all of Pampa, Mrs. Ruby Epperley of Borger, Mrs. Edith Platter of Cushing, Okla., and Mrs. Grace Reynolds of Riverbank, Calif.; five grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

# Ford To Reorganize Programs

(Continued from page 1)  
education, training and social services would decline "both in absolute and relative terms."

Ford said his plan would halt the national drift toward a weaker private sector and a central government controlling more and more aspects of American life.

Unless this trend is slowed or reversed, Ford said "the issues of the future would surely be focused on who gets what from an economy of little or no growth rather than, as it should be, on the use to be made of expanding incomes and resources."

Here are highlights of Ford's proposal:  
**DEFENSE**

An \$8.3 billion increase to \$101.1 billion, signifying a real increase in spending over inflation. The administration wants to continue development of such expensive and sophisticated weapons systems as the

B1 bomber and the Trident submarine.  
**ENERGY**

A record \$5.1 billion to speed work on solutions to the energy crisis. The proposal was 19 per cent above this year's \$4.3 billion budget and included major increases for solar and geothermal power development, nuclear waste disposal research and synthetic fuel production.

The new budget included a 30 per cent hike in energy research spending, to a total \$2.75 billion, with \$1.4 billion going to atomic energy, \$900 million to nonnuclear efforts and \$450 million to basic supporting research.

**TAXES**

Permanent tax reductions for individuals, businesses and investors, but higher Social Security payroll taxes. New tax advantages for lenders who pump money into home mortgages, and for builders in high unemployment areas. Individuals would gain an

additional \$10 billion in tax cuts at midyear under the Ford plan.  
**SOCIAL WELFARE**

A \$205.3 billion budget for Social Security, welfare and other domestic aid programs, an increase of \$6.8 billion over estimated 1976 spending. He asked Congress to consolidate 59 grant programs into four block grant packages valued at \$17.7 billion and to give the states greater control over spending these funds.

**ENVIRONMENT**

A 60 per cent increase to \$3.8 billion for construction of sewage treatment plants in his major environmental proposal. He recommended amendments to the Water Pollution Control Act to focus federal aid on meeting the needs of existing population and to provide new incentives for states and local governments to meet water quality standards in the most efficient manner.

**TRANSPORTATION**

Increase mass transit formula grant funding by 30 per cent while limiting the percentage available for operating expense. Restructure bankrupt Northeast-Midwest rail freight system with \$2.1 billion over next five years.

**AGRICULTURE**

Slashes in a number of farm and rural programs including conservation subsidies and commodity credit items Congress has defended jealously against prior attacks from administration economists. Ford also would reform a disaster payment system for grain and cotton farmers and relax peanut production controls.

**CRIME**

An additional 500 federal agents in 11 cities with the worst crime rates to help stop the use of handguns and rising sale of hard drugs. Four new federal prisons, an increase in prosecuting attorneys, and more U.S. marshals.



## Injured in Accident

A Pampa woman was treated at Highland General Hospital and released this morning following a two car accident at Browning and Ballard. She is Gailya Smith Thomas, 33, of 310 E. Browning. Driver of the other vehicle was Billy Clyde Cox, 44, of 733 Deane Drive.

The accident was investigated by Officer Leroy Slater of the Pampa Police Department. Damages to both vehicles were extensive, he said.

(Pampa News photo by Jeanne Grimes)

# Concorde Jets Take Off From Paris, London

**LONDON (UPI)** — Two Anglo-French Concorde jetliners took off from airports in Paris and London today, inaugurating the age of supersonic air travel with a mighty roar.

At precisely 11:40 a.m. (6:40 EST), the droopy-nosed birds lifted off simultaneously from London's Heathrow and Paris's Charles de Gaulle airports bound for Bahrain and Rio de Janeiro on their champagne maiden flights.

When they land, British Trade Secretary Peter Shore said, "the world will be only half the size it was this morning."

For the first time, it became possible for commercial airline passengers flying westward to arrive earlier than their departure time.

After 14 years of development and a joint French-British investment of \$3 billion, British Airways and Air France proclaimed "the day of glory has arrived."

Each of the jets—gangling slumped-nosed creatures on the ground but sleek as arrows in flight—carried 12-member crews and 100 passengers.

British Airways Capt. Norman Todd and Air France Commandant Pierre Dudal, linked by radio communica-

tions, began their takeoff runs at precisely the same time.

Passengers on the flights will sip vintage wine, munch gourmet meals and get their pillows fluffed by specially trained cabin staff while the Concorde cruises 10 miles above the earth at twice the speed of sound.

The VIP treatment may make up for the narrow two-abreast seats and the screech of air slipping past the pencil shaped aircraft.

Hundreds of spectators jammed the terminals at the two airports along with officials and newsmen to plug their ears and watch the takeoffs, carried live on French television.

The Air France arrival in Rio was to be beamed by satellite to five continents—part of the flashy and costly publicity campaign designed to sell Concorde to skeptics who regard it as a financial and ecological fiasco.

Inaugural passengers paid \$676 to fly from London to the Persian Gulf state of Bahrain. The 3,515-mile trip takes 3 1/2 hours, trimming 2 1/2 hours of flying time from subsonic competitors.

The 5,260-mile trip from Paris to Rio de Janeiro cost \$1,476 and

lasts 6 1/2 hours, a five-hour savings.

The inaugural flights highlight 14 years of technical cooperation between Britain and France and mark another step in the tortuous history of the Concorde, attacked by opponents around the world for its noise and its \$60 million per plane price tag.

In two weeks, Transportation Secretary William Coleman will decide whether to allow the Concorde to fly from London to the United States or bow to opponents of the aircraft and bar it from American soil.

Securing the lucrative London to America route is a key factor for the commercial success of the Concorde.

So far only British Airways and Air France have purchased Concorde. Iran and China have expressed some interest, but U.S. firms have kept hands off. France and England pooled their resources on the project after six years of independent research. They originally projected the total cost at \$700 million but inflation drove the tab up to \$1 billion.

Concorde's only competitor is the Soviet Tupolev-144, in service as a freight plane within Soviet Union since Dec. 26.

# Bell Curtails Assistance

**DALLAS (UPI)** — Insurance agent H. T. "Red" Garrison often picks up the phone to contact new residents in Fort Worth. Since their numbers are not yet in the telephone directory, he usually dials 411.

But since the latter part of 1975, he has had to curtail this practice. Because of a Southwestern Bell request granted by the Fort Worth city council Oct. 29, Garrison can make only five free calls per month to the 411 number. After that, it costs 20 cents a call.

Garrison and his partner, Frank Blackstone, gathered 6,680 names on petitions protesting the new charge, but the city council held to its ruling.

"We don't object to the phone company charging a fee for numbers in the directory, but we do object to charging for numbers not in the directory," he said.

"This hurts insurance men, real estate men and churches," he said. "It will hurt anyone who uses the phone a lot. We don't care about the 'elbow leavers' (the person who dials 411 with his elbow propped on the phone book)."

But, he admits, "We've been defeated."

Customers in Fort Worth, El Paso and Wichita Falls are now limited to five free calls per month to the 411 directory assistance number, with the 20-

cent charge applied to subsequent calls.

Pay phones, hotels and the handicapped are exempt. "To be perfectly frank with you, we're attempting to shift the cost of directory assistance use to the people who really use the service," said Southwestern Bell spokesman Jim Pattillo.

"The five free calls cover the situation of a new person in the exchange area," he said. In Dallas the practice would save Bell \$2.4 million in annual expenses of \$156 million, Pattillo said.

"If you knock as much as 72 per cent of the calls out, you can eliminate a great number of personnel — through attrition," he said. "There have been no layoffs due to the policy."

And, he added, "that will relieve the pressures for another rate increase."

The move is a national policy of the Bell System, and across the nation phone companies report a 50-80 per cent drop in volume of 411 calls in locales with the directory assistance limit.

In Houston, the city council authorized the company to begin charging for directory assistance Jan. 1. But before the new policy began, the council put a hold on the ordinance.

Councilman Frank Mancuso

asked his city's public service department to investigate reports Southwestern Bell late last year disconnected 35 trunk lines handling directory assistance calls.

"By disconnecting these trunks, it has made it very difficult for the phone user to get 411," Mancuso said. Bell officials termed the charge "ridiculous" and planned this week to ask again for adoption of the 411 charge.

The Dallas city council is cautiously studying a Bell request, as is the council in Austin, asking for the 411 charge soon as part of a rate increase package.

A spokesman for Bell in San Antonio said there is as yet no plan to ask for the charge. In El Paso, the city council granted Mountain Bell's request for the charge effective Sept. 1, 1975, and asked for a report on its effectiveness after 120 days.

Bell had projected a \$230,000 reduction in expenses, and the report indicated a \$241,000 savings. The report also indicated 3.9 per cent of the customers in the El Paso area were paying for directory assistance.

Robert Gable, city manager and budget officer, said he believes city officials were pleased with the new policy.

However, north of El Paso at the New Mexico border, the city council of Anthony, Tex., turned down Bell's request.

Town administrator Mike Mendoza explained, "We don't agree the charge is necessary. We feel they (Mountain Bell) have a weak argument."

Mendoza said many of the 2,400 residents are on fixed income and would be hurt by the charge.

## Mainly About People

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## Credit Union To Elect New Directors

Election of three directors to serve 3-year terms, a financial report and review of committee activities will highlight the 22nd annual meeting of the Pampa Municipal Credit Union at 4 p.m. Friday in the M.K. Brown Civic Auditorium.

The credit union membership consists of 272 city employees and members of their immediate families. It is owned by city employees and operates separately from city government with offices at 825 W. Francis St.

Ray Fisher, a fire department captain is president of the group and will preside at Friday's meeting.

Current officers of the credit union in addition to President Fisher are: Forrest Floyd, treasurer - manager; Charles Smith, vice president; E.O. Devoll, membership officer, and board members Don Hendricks and J.A. Martindale.

## FLOATING GENERATOR

**SAN ANDRES, Colombia (UPI)** — A floating electric generator has been anchored off the Caribbean island of San Andres, one of Colombia's principal tourism resorts, to solve the island's power shortage.

With the new \$250,000 generator mounted on a ship, power rationing was lifted on San Andres Nov. 17.

Other incidents on the Pampa Police Department blotter included assault, vandalism and disorderly conduct.

A man who was being arrested for intoxication fought police who were attempting to subdue him. He struck at one officer and

# Coach Received Money

**AUSTIN, Tex. (UPI)** — Some senators have changed their minds about allowing indicted Senate Secretary Charles A. Schnabel to keep his \$37,500-a-year job pending trial on theft and misconduct charges. UPI learned today.

Some of the 18 senators who voted to keep Schnabel Jan. 5 told UPI confidentially they will vote differently now because of continuing disclosures of wrongdoing by Schnabel.

Senators appeared to be particularly shocked by disclosures this week of a University of Texas coach on Senate payrolls while he was drawing fulltime pay from UT and the discovery of Schnabel's initials and social security number engraved on a camera rented by the Senate.

L.G. William P. Hobby told reporters he will encourage the Senate to vote again on Schnabel. Senators voted 18-13 to keep Schnabel Jan. 5 over Hobby's opposition.

"His bad judgement makes his position here very tenuous," one senator said.

Prosecutors seized the camera and all Senate purchase and rental records for the past seven years. Tuesday. Also picked up were copies of canceled paychecks indicating the UT athletic official drew state pay for at least a month that he did not work at the capitol.

UT director of athletic events James Blackwood denied receiving state payroll checks in October or November, 1974, but State Treasurer Jesse James Tuesday released copies of canceled checks showing they

were endorsed by Blackwood and cashed through his bank.

"I worked three months and I received three checks and that's the only checks I ever received," Blackwood said. Records show he was hired as a proofreader by Senate Secretary Charles Schnabel, who has been indicted on charges of theft and official misconduct.

Blackwood says he was not on the UT payroll when he worked for the Senate and says he left the capitol when he was appointed Oct. 21 as assistant track coach in charge of the athletic dining hall.

Persons working at the Senate with Blackwood said he edited transcripts of the 1974 Constitutional Convention and quit several weeks before the work was completed — near Thanksgiving.

# Special Ed Head Set For Thursday Meeting

Dr. Charles Meisgeier, special education department head at the University of Houston, will discuss "The Needs of the Special Children and their Parents" at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the First Methodist Church patio room.

Dr. Meisgeier is a former professor of special education at the University of Texas in Austin. He developed a plan for mainstreaming special education children into more than 40 school systems and has

Some workers said he worked less than three months — the time he says he was on the job.

James H. Colvin, UT vice president for business affairs, said Blackwood was employed at 88.75 per cent time as a coach on Oct. 21 and picked up as a fulltime employe on Nov. 1 with a salary of \$960 a month.

Blackwood drew \$673 a month — \$507 take home — from the Senate.

Investigators for District Attorney Robert Smith questioned Blackwood Monday and again Tuesday and picked up copies of his bank deposit records for 1974.

Blackwood reportedly claimed at one point to have endorsed his November Senate check and turned it back in uncashed to someone at the Capitol.

served on the Mental Health Human Resources Committee in Washington, D.C.

He has also been executive director of the Texas Association for Retarded Children and Chief Consultant for Retardation, U.S. Office of Education.

The public is encouraged to attend Thursday's meeting, according to Dr. Dan Long, superintendent of Pampa public schools.

# Renovation Course Set

A five-week furniture renovation workshop is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. Jan. 28 in the courthouse annex meeting room.

Mrs. Ray Hudson will serve as instructor and will present step by step directions on how to refinish furniture.

A \$1 registration fee will be charged for the workshop. Participants in the first

session are asked to bring a paper pad for taking notes. Meeting dates and details about the workshop will be discussed Wednesday morning.

The public is invited to attend the meeting to be sponsored by the Gray County Family Living Committee.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the Gray County Extension Office.

# Police Nab Choplifter

attempted to escape.

A 24-year-old woman reported that she told the man with whom she is living that she wanted to go to her home in another city, and he struck and choked her. She was advised that she could file charges today.

Paul Grant Sims of 2100 Coffee told police his automobile had been vandalized during the past month. He said that on Jan. 16 someone broke the radio

antenna off and on Jan. 19 the rear license plate and bracket were broken. Estimated damage was \$15.

Sims requested patrol of his residence.

Anna Mary Holder of 837 E. Craven reported the picture window in her living room had been shot apparently with a BB or pellet.

Three accidents were investigated on Tuesday afternoon during the 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. shift.

## Stock Market Quotations

The following quotations show the range within which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation

Franklin Life	18 1/2	19
Ky. Cent. Life	6 1/2	6 3/4
Southland Finance	8 1/2	9 1/4
So. West Life	22 1/2	25 1/4

The following 10-30 N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by the Pampa office of Schneider Bernst Hickman, Inc.

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Cabot	22 1/2
C. L. Langer	48 1/2
Cities Service	42 1/2
DIA	51 1/2
Burr-McGee	214 1/2
Penney's	33 1/2
Phillips	35 1/2
PNA	30 1/2
Skelly	69 1/2
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# Lebanese Army Troops Driven from Position

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — Thousands of Palestinian troops from Syria have driven Lebanese army troops from a strategic crossroads position and advanced into the foothills of Mt. Lebanon in an apparent attempt to grab as much territory as possible today before a cease-fire is called.

The clash, about 25 miles east of the war-ravaged capital, was the first between the Palestinians and the Lebanese army, and reinforced an all-out Palestinian and Moslem assault that left most of the countryside under Moslem control.

Official Lebanese sources said an estimated 4,000 troops of the Syrian-based Palestine Liberation Army crossed into east Lebanon Tuesday to link up with another 4,000 massing around Chouara in the Bekaa Valley, 25 miles east of Beirut.

Diplomatic observers said the sweeping offensive apparently was launched to secure as much territory as possible before today's arrival of Syrian officials in Beirut to discuss a truce.

The three-man Syrian delegation included Foreign Minister Abdel Halim Khaddam, Chief of Staff Maj. Gen. Hikmat Chehabi and Air Force commander Vice Air Marshal Najji Jamil, who planned to meet Lebanese President Suleiman Franjeh.

But, due to the deteriorating military and political conditions since Monday, there was growing concern among Arab diplomats and other observers that the Syrian mediation may have come too late.

## Bynum Woman Seems Missing

AUSTIN, Tex. (UPI) — Police say if they cannot find a 22-year-old woman and verify her story involving the mace spraying of an Armarillo legislator, they will have to drop their investigation.

Rep. Ben Bynum, D-Amarillo, Tuesday denied he tried to force his way into the apartment of Sharon Ward during the weekend and said wire service reports were wrong.

Police were called to her apartment Saturday and found Bynum had been sprayed with mace and appeared to be drunk. Since the initial police report, however, officers say they have not been able to find the woman.

"The reports from the wires were completely erroneous," Bynum said. "The lady involved was causing a terrible commotion in the apartment house. I went out to calm her down. I tried to get her to go back into her room."

"She did go back and came out and shot a chemical in my face. It completely scorched and burned the hide. Then I made her go back into her apartment. She said she was going to call the police and I said 'that's okay with me' and she did."

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Christian forces underscored that belief in a Tuesday night broadcast over the Voice of Lebanon, their pirate radio station, in which they issued a declaration of no-peace with the Palestinians.

Since the stepped-up fighting Monday, the number of casualties has risen to more than 150 dead and 325 wounded, police said. The estimated toll for nine months of civil war climbed to more than 9,500 dead and 20,000 wounded.

Moslem leftists and Palestinian guerrillas also launched a fierce assault on Christian positions in downtown Beirut, shelling the commercial center with rockets and mortars in an effort to capture two main squares.

The armor and artillery-backed troops — the military arm of the Palestinian Liberation Organization — have been in the Bekaa since Monday, but first clashed with the Lebanese army Tuesday night when they advanced on the nearby, Maki crossroads, a strategic junction that controls routes over the 5,000-foot high mountains to south and central Lebanon.

"Heavy exchanges of artillery took place and the army withdrew another mile into the Mt. Lebanon foothills," the sources said.

They said Zahle, a city of 60,000 Christians 25 miles east of Beirut, was also under "heavy shelling."

Palestinian and Moslem forces, backed by PLA tanks and

armored columns, swept through much of the Lebanese countryside Tuesday, sending thousands of desperate Christians fleeing in their path.

Heavy fighting rocked this shell-shattered capital as Christians, Moslems and Palestinians battled for control of what little was left.

Christian Interior Minister Camille Chamoun called for "immediate intervention by the United Nations, either through the Security Council or by members such as the United States."

Chamoun charged Monday that Syrian army troops had entered with the PLA forces, but authoritative diplomatic sources denied the presence of Syrians.

Israel, which has threatened to take "defensive measures" if Syria invaded Lebanon, appeared to be adopting a low-key attitude.

Defense Minister Shimon Peres, touring the Lebanese border Tuesday, repeated his warnings against Syrian intervention, but said Israel had no cause to intervene at the present time.

Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, in Copenhagen en route to Moscow, said Tuesday the United States would oppose "all outside intervention" in Lebanon.

Diplomats generally agreed that foreign intervention — by Syria or Israel — could trigger the fifth Middle East war since the formation of Israel in 1948.

# Ford Wants Burst of Energy

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Armed at last with an energy policy law, President Ford today proposed a record \$10.4 billion effort to speed the birth of new fuel industries and develop untapped power sources for an energy-short nation.

Ford's energy spending plan for fiscal 1977 was 30 per cent above this year's \$7.9 billion budget. It included major increases for solar and geothermal power development, conservation, nuclear waste

disposal research and synthetic fuel production.

Taxpayers would have to foot the bill for \$6 billion of Ford's total request. The budget showed the balance would be paid by a \$4.4 billion return to federal coffers from offshore lease sales and royalties, reactor fuel sales and the sale of electricity by federal power generating agencies.

The taxpayers' share of the present energy budget was \$4.6 billion.

"Assuring our nation's needs for energy must be among our highest priorities," Ford told Congress. He put energy on a par with defense programs that he said must expand despite an overall effort to reduce the growth of federal spending.

Federal Energy Administrator Frank Zarb predicted Ford will have no serious trouble winning passage of the new budget, although there may be sharp debate over synthetic fuel

and nuclear energy proposals.

Administration officials said congressional and administrative actions already have put the United States 80 per cent of the way toward its goal of ending reliance on the oil cartel by 1985.

But Zarb said the administration will be forced to scale down plans for having 200 new atomic power plants in operation by 1985 because so many utilities last year dropped or delayed plans to build nuclear reactors.

Ford's new budget provided the first funds for a \$100 billion government loan agency to underwrite the birth of energy industries too risky and expensive to attract private funding.

It boosted funds for atomic reactor research, including the controversial fast breeder reactor, by 41 per cent to \$1 billion. And it provided \$18.2 million to start work on a 10-megawatt solar power plant, largest in the world, in New Mexico.

# Kidnaper Wounds Self

CLOVIS, N.M. (UPI) — A convicted murderer, rebuffed when he asked his seventh kidnap victim to kill him, shot and wounded himself Tuesday in a futile attempt to avoid capture, state police said.

Officials said John D. Burton, 42, who avoided police for three days while crisscrossing northeastern New Mexico, was in fair condition at Clovis Memorial Hospital, where he underwent surgery for a gunshot wound in the chest.

Burton allegedly kidnaped seven persons in three separate incidents since he escaped from the Springer Boys' School Saturday. The latest hostage was Albuquerque taxi driver Manuel J. Miller, who was kidnaped Monday after picking up Burton at an Albuquerque bar.

Miller, who was unharmed, said he and Burton drove about 400 miles in Albuquerque, Santa

Fe. Las Vegas, Santa Rosa and Fort Sumner before winding up at the farm house 10 miles west of Melrose, Burton's hometown.

The cab ran out of gas on a dirt road near an old railroad siding called Cottonwood Grove. Miller said they walked to a farm house owned by James Dickenson, where Burton asked him to "do me one last favor. I want you to kill me."

"No," replied Miller. "My job is to drive."

He said he turned away for a moment to close a bedroom door so Burton wouldn't notice some guns hanging on the wall. At that point, he said, he heard a shot.

"I immediately hit the deck and he fell beside me in a pool of blood. For a moment I didn't know whether the shot came from outside or inside. Burton

then said, 'I told you they wouldn't take me back alive.'"

Police said Burton apparently shot himself with a .357 Magnum revolver he had taken from a state policeman he allegedly abducted Saturday. Hospital officials said the bullet "went through his left lung but missed his heart."

Besides the state police officer, Burton allegedly kidnaped a woman and her two children Saturday and a rancher and his 17-year-old daughter on Sunday. They were all released unharmed.

Burton pleaded guilty to second-degree murder in 1957 in connection with the beating death of a man at Clovis.

A trimester is an academic calendar period of about 15 weeks.

# Grain Agency May Lose

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — U.S. Agriculture undersecretary John A. Knebel says the Greater Baton Rouge Port Commission may lose its status as a grain export inspection agency because of a failure to investigate alleged corruption.

A federal grand jury has indicted three Baton Rouge port commission inspectors on

charges they accepted \$67,130 in bribes as part of a conspiracy to misgrade soybeans.

Knebel told a news conference Tuesday that failure of the state agency to police its employees was a major concern to the Department of Agriculture.

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# Single Parent Family Needs Understanding

By JEANNE LESEM  
UPI Family Editor  
The single parent family and the single adult are growing problems in Jewish life in America, says Gerald B. Bubis, director of the School of Jewish Communal Service of Hebrew Union College — Jewish Institute of Religion, in Los Angeles.

Bubis said part of the dilemma stems from the traditional organization of the synagogue as a family-based institution. Synagogues and temples and their congregations will have to adjust, he said, to serve the needs of these singles as well as the traditional family unit of mother, father and children.

become heads of households, to manage money, he said.

"There's very little child care service. Often it is sectarian, not the community itself and not a public function.

"A single parent feels left out. That parent may be a widow unprepared to become head of her household, or a widower who feels he is overlooked because temple or synagogue affairs focus on father-son and mother-daughter programs. We need parent-child activities.

"It's a new phenomena, saying 'I want to be a parent, but I don't want a spouse. I will just breed.' It has got to be tremendously tough for the grandparents.

"I know of one case, a woman who was divorced, but who wanted another child and

told her parents she was pregnant. She had the child, but no wedding. It was very painful for the parents, who are supporting the daughter and the two children in a second household.

"The parents have not confronted it publicly. They live in separate communities and pretend it never happened.

"I also know of a case where a single parent sent out birth announcements, who bragged about it.

"We must sensitize ourselves much more to the variance. Single parent families won't go away; they will grow in numbers."

Bubis said single parents are not just adults who never married. They may be

widows, widowers or divorced. "Some men tend to deny that any problem exists. They are so busy trying to be late teenagers that they can't be serious adults."

"This rubs off on children because 'I don't think kids listen to parents, they watch them and establish an imitative pattern.'"

Some single parents develop self-image problems, as in the case of a professional man's middle-aged wife who sought a divorce. She had not worked for 25 years.

"She asked herself, 'What did I do wrong, how should I have dealt with the problem, can I make it by myself?'"

"How does she update herself in a market where youth is at a premium? Even her kids are angry; they live with her, and their

stability has gone." He said divorce is not as damaging psychologically in a younger marriage where the wife initiated the action. "It calls for team action, counseling, vocational rehabilitation, child care services."

Bubis said preliminary work has been done in the Chicago area to create a network of Jewish agencies for this purpose. Counseling groups are going to be needed in synagogues, he added.

The problem is partly financial. Membership, which is the economic base of synagogues, can be expensive. Some single parents drop out because they cannot

afford the fees. "I have a hunch they don't want to leave," Bubis said. Many synagogues sponsor summer day camps. More and more single parents want to use these services for their children, but cannot pay the fees.

He said some cities and many synagogues have a sliding scale of dues, and YM and YWHA's tend to follow suit.

"I have a hunch that a voucher system might be the wave of the future for those who cannot afford a Jewish education at school. Vouchers paid for by the community have been touched on very gingerly in some places."



## Colberts Feted on Golden Day

Allene and Miles Colbert were guests Dec. 20 at a two-hour reception in the Hospitality Room of the Citizens Bank and Trust Co., honoring their golden wedding anniversary. Friends and family attended the festivities which were hosted by the Colberts' seven children — Laverne Crenshaw of Oakland, Calif., Ontario Miller of San Diego, Calif., Jewel Adams of Denver, Colo., Aaron Colbert, Helen Stone, Loretta Watie and Miles Colbert Jr., all of Pampa. Colbert is employed by Highland General Hospital. He and his wife, Pampa residents since 1958, live at 1076 Prairie Drive.

## At Wits End

By ERMA BOMBECK  
If President Ford and Henry Kissinger really want to know how they're doing on the road to detente, they should check out what fashions are influencing American women.  
At one time, people really trusted the government. When the United States embraced a nation in friendship, that was it! We all rushed out and bought clothes that reflected their culture. That was before we got stuck with a closet full of Nehru jackets, a style that flourished for about six days.  
The other day as Maxine and I were picking our way through the racks in the sportswear department, I held up a red satin oriental jacket with black braided loops and a mandarin collar and asked, "What's this?"  
"How much is it?"  
"Twenty-six dollars."  
"Eighty-one."  
"You want an honest answer?"  
"Of course."  
"I wouldn't pay \$26 for it if Barbara Walters wore it with a China Doll wig."

"Why are you so cynical?"  
"Not cynical... just cautious. I was going to buy an angora sweater the other day, but I'm going to wait and see what direction we're moving."  
"That's ANGOLA!" I said. "And besides, you're being too hard on this country. After all, our African bush jackets are still in and so are our Russian boots and big fur hats."  
"In until when?" snapped Maxine bitterly. "I have a \$34 pair of knee-length boots hanging in the balance over the disarmament talks. One disagreement and they're out!"  
"Maybe," I suggested, "by that time the White House will have established detente with New York City and we can palm them off as an American style."  
"It's a possibility," she said. "But you know what I really dread? Those sheets that you wear draped over your head and secured with a black ring and those long black robes that are impossible to drive in."  
"I know," I sighed. "It's a big price to pay for a couple gallons of gasoline and a quart of oil."

# Lady Private Eye Fills Bill

HOUSTON (UPI) — Carol has been a prostitute, insurance saleswoman, barmaid, secretary and truck driver — all in the line of duty.  
She's actually a private eye.  
Her real name isn't Carol and she says it might be dangerous if she was identified. Her life has been threatened more times than she likes to remember.  
She agreed to a meeting outside a southwest Houston nightclub. Thoughts of what a female private investigator would look like produced images of some manly creature in a creased pants suit.  
Instead, out of the car stepped a very attractive woman in her late 20s, dressed in a complimentary dark green dress, her long blonde hair spilling down her back.  
She doesn't behave like fictional detectives, she explained. For one thing, she is not armed — except with confidence.  
"I'm better than 90 per cent of the men in this business. Put me and any man on the same case and I'll run circles around him."  
Off the case?  
"I enjoy being a female female," she said. "There

is a place for women in this business and you don't have to give up femininity."  
"One of these days in about seven years, I'll get serious about life. I'll go back to the country and find me a good old plowboy and get married and have a passel of kids. But not just now."  
She may be having fun, but along the way makes about \$40,000 a year as head of her own company and can be most professional. She can't abide a "jackleg," a term applied to unscrupulous people in her business.  
There are certain jobs she won't tackle because they likely would require physical strength or violence. She avoids both.  
She has never carried a pistol and has never had to use physical force to get out of a jam in her eight years as a detective.  
"I've had to talk a blue streak a time or two, though," she said.  
Carol sat in a dark corner of the club, stirring her scotch and water, often chain smoking, talking about the different cases she has worked.  
"My most exciting one? That's easy. I worked undercover as a prostitute for six weeks out of state."

She couldn't go into detail but she said she posed as a barmaid-prostitute to keep an eye on someone. All of her "customers" were part of the disguise. "We had prearranged code words," she said. "One of them would come in and pick me up. We would leave for awhile and I would come back flashing money."  
She said she knew it was a dangerous case and was followed 24 hours a day by another detective in case of trouble. She was glad to see it end.  
Her most enjoyable case, she said, was following a man on and off for two years to show he wasn't incapacitated as he had claimed in an injury lawsuit. Confronted with Carol's photographs of him, the man quickly agreed to settle for less than one-tenth his asking price.  
"That gave me more pleasure than any of the others," she said. "I knew that man and was determined to prove he was lying."  
One type job she won't handle is domestic cases. Just because she avoids jobs requiring physical strength, she claims a little danger never scared her off.  
"I'll try anything," she said.

## KARPIN ON BRIDGE

By FRÉD KARPIN

Q 1 — Both sides vulnerable. As South, you hold:  
♠ AK843 ♥ 972 ♦ 9643 ♣ 4  
The bidding has proceeded:  
West North East South  
1♦ 1♥ 2♦ ?  
What do you bid?  
A. Two hearts. Whenever partner overcalls, it must be assumed that he has at least a five-card suit. Hence you know that you have a minimum of eight hearts between you, an ideal trump suit. If you bid two spades instead, you may catch partner with only one or two spades, thus ending up in an inferior trump suit. Q 2 — Neither side vulnerable. Sitting South, you hold:  
♠ KJ852 ♥ AQ107 ♦ 3 ♣ 96  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South West  
1♠ Pass 1♥ Pass  
3♣ Pass 3♥ Pass  
3NT Pass ?  
What do you bid?  
A. Five spades. You have the type of hand with which you should invite partner to bid a slam, rather than make a unilateral decision that a slam is makable. The five-spade call will give partner the opportunity of employing his judgment in determining whether or not to bid the slam.  
Q 3 — Both sides vulnerable. Sitting South, you hold:  
♠ 85 ♥ AKJ82 ♦ Q4 ♣ AJ107  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1♥ Pass 2NT Pass  
? ?  
What do you bid?  
A. Three clubs. Despite partner's expressed desire (and ability) to play the hand at notrump, it might well be that it should be played at hearts. By bidding three clubs, you give partner the opportunity of showing heart support, if he has it. If he rebids three notrump, you will pass.  
Q 4 — Neither side vulnerable. As South, you hold:  
♠ AJ875 ♥ KQ104 ♦ 6 ♣ J109  
The bidding has proceeded:  
North East South West  
1♠ Pass 1♦ Pass  
3♣ Pass 3♥ Pass  
3NT Pass ?

What do you bid?  
A. Five clubs. Partner's three-club rebid denoted a hand of about 18 points and, in all probability, a six-card suit. A slam might well be in the cards. Also, whenever a player bids two suits, and then jumps in a third suit, he is showing a singleton in the fourth suit. All in all, your hand is just about right to invite partner to bid a slam in clubs.  
Q 5 — Both sides vulnerable. Sitting South, you hold:  
♠ AQ75 ♥ AK9862 ♦ AJ3 ♣ 2  
The bidding has proceeded:  
South West North East  
1♥ Pass 2♥ Pass  
? ?  
What do you bid?  
A. Two spades. A game is a certainty. The question is whether a slam is in the cards. Whatever partner now bids, it is your intention to make another forcing bid — in diamonds — on the next round. Should partner raise either your spade or diamond bid, you should undertake a small slam contract in hearts.



## Celebrity Parents Celebrate 50th

Raymond and Hildreth Barnard of 2505 Christine celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Jan. 13 at a dinner party hosted by their children, Russell and Ardis, at the Pampa Club. The Barnards were married in Stillwater, Okla., and moved to Pampa from Kingsmill in 1951. Barnard worked for Celanese. Their son, Russell, is publisher of Harper's Magazine and traveled from New York for the party. Ardis Barnard McCullough returned to Pampa from San Diego, Calif. Also attending the party was Mrs. Barnard's brother, John Johnson of Covington, Okla. (Pampa News photo by Michal Thompson)

## Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise:  
I am an elderly widow living alone. I don't use many potatoes so when I bought 10 pounds I always had some that spoiled before I could use them.  
So now I buy the smaller potatoes, wash and boil them unpeeled in salted water. Drain and let cool uncovered. Then put them in plastic bags and freeze.  
Now when I fry a hamburger, sizzle a steak, etc. I take out one potato, peel it while it is still frozen and put it in the pan beside the hamburger. I save on cooking time and spoilage.  
A.W.  
Well, we tried this in our office kitchen and it worked! After we took the frozen potatoes out of the freezer, we re-boiled them until hot and were they good! U-m-m-m... This would be a great way to use the potatoes in salad or stews.  
A.W., you sure weren't a potato-head when you figured out this sweet idea.  
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Dear Heloise:  
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Granny  
Dear Heloise:  
My son thought your readers might be interested to hear how we save time looking up telephone numbers.  
When our phone books arrive, we find the section with our

town and with one snip, cut off the upper corner of these pages with a diagonal cut.  
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Here is one solution to the problem of strings tangling around the wheels of pull-toys. In the fish supply department of your local pet or discount store, you can buy the clear plastic air-line tubing for use with fish tank filters.  
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Then cut the edges to shape of the tag.  
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Dear Heloise:  
Here is a little trick that maybe not everyone knows: To get the threads working properly when putting on a lid, if you back it up and reverse the screwing on, then go forward, the threads will mesh like

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Simple, but oh how true!  
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## School Drops Sex Class

FELTON, Calif. (UPI) — Sex education courses in the San Lorenzo Valley Unified District high schools have been dropped because parents objected to an instructor telling students he decorated his Christmas tree with contraceptives.  
"The primary complaint I've heard is that the lesson on contraceptives was taught in a flip manner," an official said Monday.  
"The person who taught it should never have said that he decorated his Christmas tree with contraceptives," the official said.

## HD Clubs Extend Invitation

Homemakers interested in joining a home demonstration club are invited to attend a get-acquainted coffee at 10 a.m. Thursday in the Courthouse Annex Meeting room.  
Extension agent Elaine Houston invites anyone interested in homemaking to attend. There are presently seven active home demonstration clubs in Pampa (six daytime and one evening). Interest in home demonstration club work has increased to the point where new clubs need to be organized.  
The purposes of home demonstration clubs are: to stimulate interest in better homemaking; to increase appreciation of home life and family relations; to develop ideals of true economy and thrift by putting into practice the improved methods in home demonstrations; to develop in women and girls a new environment, and more happiness in their community life.  
Home demonstration clubs meet once or twice a month (depending on club members preference) for a regular business meeting, program and recreation. Extra activities such as luncheons, tours, arts and craft sessions are also held.  
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# Cities Suffers Decline

Interruptions of Cities Service Gas Company natural gas deliveries to all except residential and small commercial gas consumers during recent cold weather in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma were due in part to declining gas supplies.

The coldest average readings over the company's pipeline system in several years resulted in a complete halt in gas deliveries to six of its eight categories of customer usage.

Robert H. Chitwood, company president, said that "between Jan. 7 and the early morning hours of Jan. 10, a demand of large users for some one billion cubic feet of natural gas per day could not be served."

Even before the current gas shortage, many larger users were required to use alternate fuels during periods of peak gas demand. But last week was the first time this winter that customers using as little as 3 million cubic feet per month were affected by the sales restrictions.

"Clearly we need new gas supplies to offset older depleting leases," Chitwood said. "Competition for new production is keen and federal price controls will not allow us to pay producers the market price. Fortunately there is legislation pending in congress which would solve that particular problem and would stimulate the search for new fields and maximize recovery from low deliverability wells. Needed producer price deregulation faces a critical vote in the U.S.

House of Representatives in the near future — perhaps next week when the new session begins."

The company supplies more than half of Kansas' total natural gas requirements, and nearly half of all the gas consumed in the state of Missouri. The gas supply available to our pipeline system will continue to decrease until

the effects of 'deregulation can be realized," he said.

The company's curtailment estimates last autumn, based on normal weather, indicated a substantial increase in curtailments this winter over a year ago. But thus far the weather, including last week's sustained low temperatures, has been nine per cent warmer than normal, thereby alleviating the

situation to some extent. "The purpose of curtailment is to protect the supply for the individual home user — consumers who would be most affected and inconvenienced by curtailment," Chitwood said.

## Neeley Retires After 31 Years

Bernard E. Neeley of Skellytown, a repairman-for-Skelly Oil Company, has retired after more than 31 years of service.

Neeley joined Skelly's manufacturing department in 1944.

He is a member of the Church of Christ. He and Mrs. Neeley, Pauline, have two children, Neel Kingsley and Jerry.

# Oil and Gas

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## Skelly's Board Approves Record High Expenditures

Record high capital expenditures are scheduled for 1976 by Skelly Oil Company and its subsidiaries, according to the company's president, James E. Hara.

Skelly's board of directors has approved a capital expenditure budget of \$325 million for 1976. This is approximately \$125 million greater than the amount spent for capital projects in 1975, and represents an increase of over 60 per cent. Skelly's capital expenditures totaled \$160 million in 1974 and are estimated at \$200 million for 1975.

Hara said that a substantial

portion of the budget is allocated for acquisition of offshore acreage, based on federal offshore sales expected to be held in 1976.

In 1975 the company found it necessary to curtail its originally announced capital spending because of reduced cash flow resulting from additional income taxes due to the elimination of percentage depletion and limitations on its recovery of cost increases imposed by the regulation of industry selling prices.

"By rolling back the selling price for crude oil, the recently

passed energy bill will have the effect of reducing funds that the petroleum industry would have spent in exploration and development work here in the United States," said Hara.

"While our nation needs more domestic oil and gas reserves, the new legislation actually works against achieving this goal. The country certainly would be better served by allowing the mechanisms of supply and demand to work in a free market, untangled by governmental encumbrances," he said.

## Intentions To Drill

HEMPHILL - Canadian, S.E. (L. Douglas) - Diamond Shamrock Corporation - Billie Jarvis & Sons, Inc. "A" No. 4-2300 f S & 1900' f E lines of Sec. 217, C, G&MMB&A - PD 7500

HEMPHILL - Canadian, S.E. (L. Douglas) - Diamond Shamrock Corporation - Billie Jarvis & Sons, Inc. "A" No. 5-2100' f W & 1700' f S lines of Sec. 217, C, G&MMB&A - PD 7500

HEMPHILL - Wildcat - Diamond Shamrock Corporation - John C. Isaacs, Jr. et al "D" No. 2 - 467' f N & 467' f W lines of Sec. - - - James Curtis - PD 7300

HEMPHILL - Wildcat - Natural Gas Anadarko, Inc. - Mathers No. 1 - 660' f S & 660' f W lines of Sec. 132, 42, H&TC - PD 6270 - Plug Back

HUTCHINSON - Panhandle - North Star Petroleum Corporation - Sears - Bivins No. 1 - 330' f W & 990' f S lines of Sec. 84, 46, H&TC - PD 3200

OCHILTREE - Spooner (Mississippi) - Phillips Petroleum Company - Buschman "A" No. 1 - 660' f W & 5500' f N lines of Tract No. 3, - William Wilmuth - PD 7600 - Replacement

POTTER - Panhandle (Red Cave) - Gas Producing Enterprises, Inc. - Bivins "D" No. 5 - 4280 - 2610' f E & 1170' f S lines of Sec. 5, 0-18, D&P - PD 2300

POTTER - Panhandle (Red Cave) - Gas Producing Enterprises, Inc. - Bivins "D" No. 5 - 5580 - 1950' f E & 460' f S lines of Sec. 5, 0-18, D&P - PD 2300

### Completions

CARSON - Panhandle - Jay - Dee Producing Company - Burnett E. No. 2 - Sec. 3, 5, 1&GN RR - Compl. 9-675 - Pct. 13 BOPD - GOR 28 - Perfs. 2928' - 3026' - PBTD 3040

CARSON - Panhandle - Claude Robinson Oil & Gas - Burnett Section 54 No. 1 - 54 - Sec. 54, 4, 1&GN - Compl. 12-12-75 - Pct. 5 BOPD - GOR 45300 - Perfs. 3006' - 3240' - TD 1287

CARSON - Panhandle - Claude Robinson Oil & Gas - Burnett Section 54 No. 2-54 - Sec. 54, 4, 1&GN - Compl. 12-12-75 - Pct. 16 BOPD - GOR 18910 - Perfs. 3118' - 3374' - TD 3400

HEMPHILL - Humphreys (Douglas) - McCulloch Oil Corporation of Texas - Mathers No. 21 - Sec. 166, 41, H&TC - Compl. 12-14-75 - Pct. 5000 MCF-D - Perfs.

OCHILTREE - Allen & Parker (Marmaton) - Northern Natural Gas Co. - Wright - 136 No. 1 - Sec. 136, 10, SPRR - Compl. 1-1-76 - Pct. 121 BOPD - GOR TSTM - Perfs. 6748' - 6874' - PBTD 7083

### Plugged Wells

CHILDRESS - Wildcat - Taubert, Steed & Gunn - Franklin Wyatt Lease - Sec. 728, H, W&NW RR CO.

Well No. 1 - Plugged 11-12-75 - TD 6030 - Dry

Hempill - Buffalo Wallow (Hunton) - Gulf Oil Corporation - Fillingim Lease - Sec. 88, M-1, H&GN RR - Well No. - Plugged 12-31-75 - TD 20483 - Gas

OCHILTREE - Kiowa Creek (Lower Morrow) - Dyco Petroleum Corporation - Keffer Lease - Sec. 1026, 43 H&TC - Well No. 1 - Plugged 12-16-75 - TD 9380 - Dry

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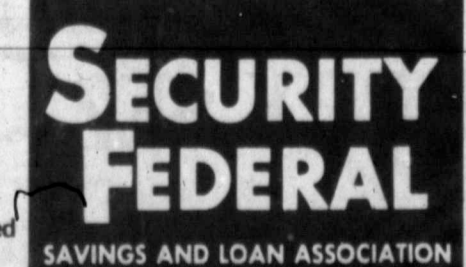
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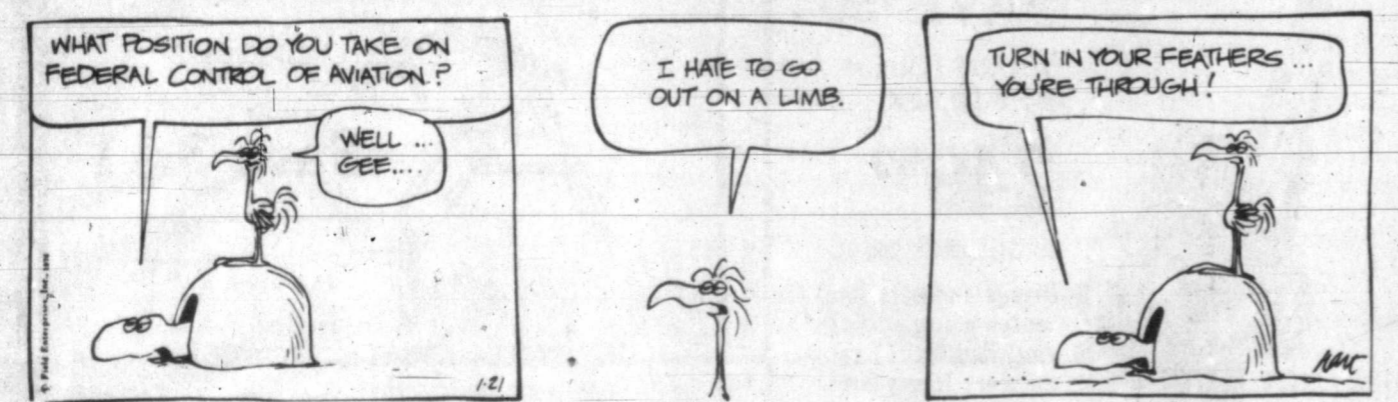
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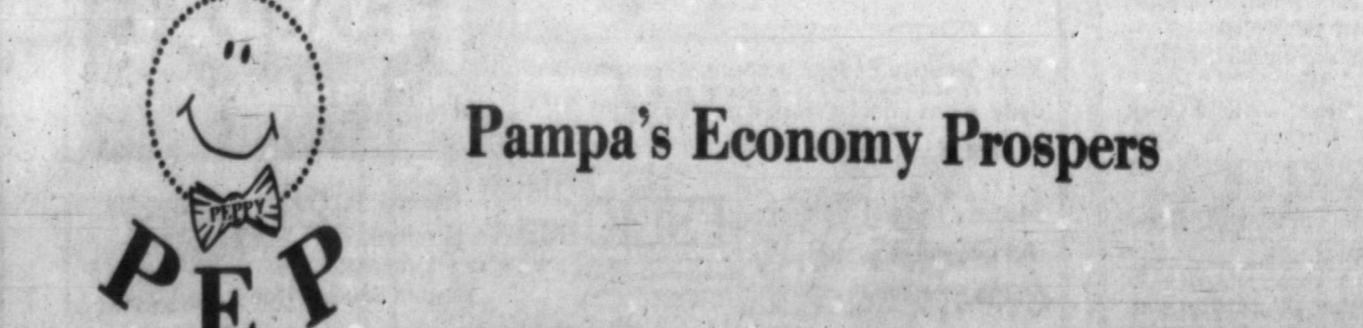
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It Sims To Me...

# Amarillo High Now Playing Best, Say Coaches

Modesty can be overdone, but when Amarillo High's Gary Abercrombie says that his team is overrated, he does it in such a tone that you almost believe him.

Abercrombie, the enthusiastic second-year coach of Amarillo High, displayed obvious surprise on hearing that the five other district coaches said that the Sandies were playing the best of any of the six 3-AAAA teams going into the conference race.

"They're crazy," said Abercrombie concerning the coaches' pre-district poll. "I'd say Pampa should be ranked first, Borger second, Tascosa third and us fourth."

Why fourth? The Sandies are red-hot, having won eight of their nine last nine games (the only loss was to powerful Lubbock Coronado 61-57) en route to a 13-6 non-conference record.

"I just don't know if we can beat these people. We're not winning by much — we're winning a lot of close games. We're just not playing good enough to win district," Abercrombie said.

Abercrombie, like the others, does believe that the race for the championship will be between four teams — Amarillo, Pampa,

Borger and pre-season favorite Amarillo Tascosa — with the other two schools (Amarillo Caprock and Amarillo Palo Duro) having a say in who wins the "golden ball."

"There's not a super team in the district," Abercrombie said. "Anyone is capable of beating anyone else. I think Pampa, Borger and Tascosa may be a little farther ahead than we are, though."

"Caprock and Palo Duro will beat somebody in that top four, I guarantee you that, I just don't believe there's a dominant team in the district."

Pampa Coach Robert McPherson agrees, almost verbatim.

"I think it's gonna be a good race. I think there's four teams that can win it and the other two are gonna have a hand in it," McPherson said.

"This is the most balanced district since I've been here. We're gonna have to be emotionally ready to play every night out."

The first "night-out" is Friday. Pampa hosts Caprock, Palo Duro visits Tascosa and in a crucial league-opening encounter, Amarillo High entertains Borger.

"That'll be a key game in the

first half of district," Abercrombie predicted. "We've got to win that one. We have a definite schedule advantage in the first half with Pampa and Borger at our place."

Borger owns the best record (18-3) of the 3-AAAA schools. The Bulldogs are led by 6-6 junior Jason Welch, the district's top scorer with an 18.2 average. 5-11 junior Ricky Dickson with a 13.5 average, and 6-11 junior leaper Mike Jackson with an 11.4 average.

The three juniors will put Borger in the contender category.

"We're shooting the ball probably as well as any team we've had in the past," said Borger Coach Duane Hunt, a 10-year veteran in 3-AAAA.

"We may have a little more quickness than other teams I've had. The kids have got a lot of character — they've worked awfully hard."

Hunt, like Abercrombie, realizes the importance of the district opener.

"It's a big one; it really is. Depending on how we do in that first one could be vital."

Hunt's Bulldogs may be in for a dogfight against the Sandies, the district's tallest team. Amarillo's Mike Smith, a 6-2 junior guard with a 14.8 scoring

average. Gary Holcomb, a 6-4 senior forward averaging 12.5 points and nine rebounds, and Eric Jacobson, a 6-6 junior with a nine-point average, pace the physical Sandie offense.

Abercrombie explained Amarillo's success.

"We've probably got good or better size than most people. Sometimes we score a lot of points, sometimes we don't. Our main concern is trying to score

and not feel we can be a contender."

The Longhorns, 7-11, are inexperienced, but have talented players, including 6-6 junior Jay Hunt (15.5 scoring average), the district's leading rebounder with a 9.8 average.

sophomore guard Bruce Nipp, a solid all-around player, and senior guard Mark Leonard.

Leonard may be the district's finest outside shooter and is scoring at a 13.5 clip. He does have a problem, though — inconsistency. Like the song goes — when he's hot he's hot; when he's not, he's on the bench.

Caprock was 10-20 last season. At first glance, that record makes this year's 7-11 mark seem quite impressive.

However, the Longhorns had won seven games at this state last season.

McPherson refuses to take Caprock lightly, however. He said (as if you didn't know), "Anybody's capable of winning on any given night."

Pampa is the defending district champion. The Harvesters are 16-4 (prior to last night's Monterey contest) and ranked 13th in the state by the Texas Basketball Coaches Association.

White doesn't feel Pampa is as strong as last year's team.

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# Butz Urges All-out Wheat Production

By DOUG LOWENSTEIN  
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Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Despite steadily declining wheat prices, Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz this week renewed his call for all-out wheat production by American farmers.

Butz asserted in an interview with Pampa News' Washington bureau that the recent drop in wheat prices is a result of "transportation and storage problems" caused by "an extremely short harvest period." He rejected claims of some farmers that the recently lifted embargo on grain sales to

the Soviet Union was to blame for the price drop.

"I don't know how they can feel victimized about (the embargo) when our shipments to Russia this year are at the highest level ever. We've sold the Russians 13.4 million tons of grain this year from our 1975 crop. We're loading boats to the Russians just as fast as we can."

"Boats right now are backed up at Russian ports six weeks waiting to unload. If they had bought another two or three million tons we couldn't ship it now anyway," the Secretary said.

In urging continued all-out production, Butz said prices "have hit their bottom. They'll gradually improve from here on." He said the storage and transportation back-ups are "moving out," foretelling a more orderly flow of wheat to market.

Butz's rosy price forecast led him to reject a raise in the wheat loan price of \$1.7. The program is designed to prevent a market glut by enabling farmers to "loan" their wheat to the government for a one year storage period.

"A few years ago," Butz said,

"the government was a heavy owner of wheat corn and cotton. Now we don't own any of that. Our farmers are doing better now than when the government was in the commodity business. If government got back in it," he predicted, "we'd shortly have to go back into a program of curtailed output, quotas and allotments, the same sterile farm policy we followed for 40 years."

The farmers have never had it so good, Butz said, and there's no reason to tamper with present policy.

"Our present policy pays off.

It's given farmers nationally the highest level of net income the last three years that they've ever had. The best we could do prior to 1972 was \$17.5 billion in 1970, and that included about \$4 billion in government payments. In 1975, our farmers income will be around \$25 billion without those huge government payments."

Secretary said the present wheat price of about \$3.55 is "not a distressed price." He said the loan level would not be raised unless prices fall to around the target level of \$2.06 a bushel.

In another area, the former Purdue University professor

said he personally favors a Federal-State grain inspection system to replace the existing private system. The private system has come under attack recently after it was discovered that some inspectors had received bribes from export firms in return for shortweighing and misgrading grain.

Under a Federal-State system, the state governments would be responsible for setting up inspection at interior elevators while the Federal Government would conduct inspections at export outlets.

Private inspectors would be eliminated. Such a system would be similar to the one used for meat inspections.

Despite Butz's desire for a government inspection system, the Ford Administration has proposed tightening up the existing system rather than making fundamental changes for economy reasons.

Congress will take up the grain inspection issue early this year and is expected to pass a bill scrapping the private grain inspection network. If such a bill is sent to the White House, Butz said he would recommend that it

be signed, despite the opposition of the White House budget unit.

Butz said the latest scandal in the food stamp program, in which some food stamp vendors have delayed depositing receipts in the federal reserve banks and instead used the money for their own purposes was probably unavoidable. He said such abuses are to be expected in a program the size of food stamps and little could be done to prevent them.

USDA officials believe that some of the receipts have been embezzled and may never be recovered.

# Ford To Name Welfare Czar

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford today said he intends to name a "welfare czar" to set uniform, 50-state standards for the elderly, sick and poor to receive federal

welfare, food and housing subsidies.

The administration is proposing a new approach to reform, existing income assistance programs without massively restructuring programs

all at once," Ford told Congress in his 1977 fiscal budget message.

Ford said he has executive authority to reorganize welfare programs, subject only to congressional veto. Administration officials estimated it would take seven or eight years to carry out the changes.

The proposal would mesh four categories of federal aid for the elderly, sick and poor. These are food stamps, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Supplemental Security Income and "Section 8" low rent housing.

These programs now are administered by the Departments of Health, Education and Welfare; Agriculture; and Housing and Urban Development. Each department has a different criteria for eligibility, and in some cases, states even set eligibility requirements with wide variations.

The administration offered no specifics today, but provided broad guidelines for carrying

out the reforms.

Food stamps would be restricted to households with net monthly income at or below the poverty level. A standard \$100 per month would be allowed for computing net income with an additional \$25 per month for the elderly.

AFDC payments would be awarded only after applicants actively sought work. No welfare would be paid if "suitable" work was offered and the applicant turned it down. Child care would be provided during job searches.

Rent subsidies would be based entirely on the recipient paying 25 per cent of net income. Tenants now can receive subsidies, regardless to their rent-paying ability.

A national standard would replace varying state eligibility requirements for SSI, a program for the elderly, blind and disabled.

Ford today proposed to charge the elderly and disabled under Medicare a net additional \$1.3

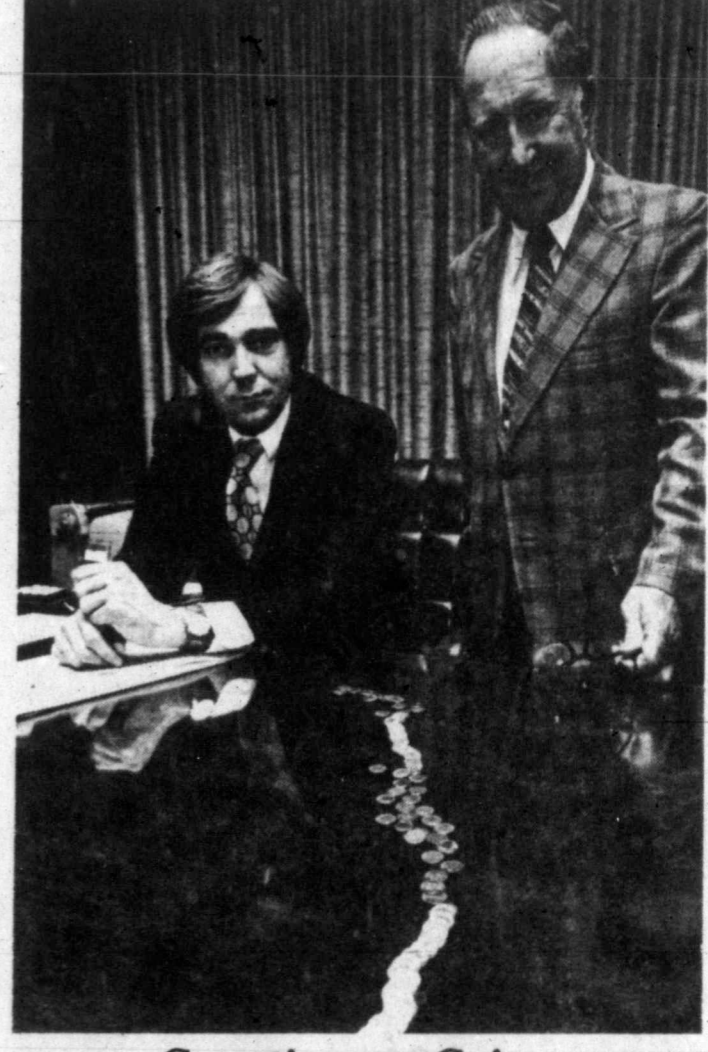
billion for their health care next year.

Ford said in his budget he would propose legislation to protect persons aged 65 and older or disabled against the "catastrophic" costs of major medical illnesses but require them to pay more out of pocket than they do now for hospital services and doctor bills.

Under this plan, none of a projected 25 million persons eligible for Medicare in 1977 would pay more than \$500 a year

for hospital or nursing home care or \$250 a year for doctor bills. Savings to 3 million beneficiaries from this proposed protection would amount to \$538 million.

However, according to estimates by the Social Security Administration, Medicare beneficiaries would be required by the Ford plan to pay \$1.85 billion more toward their initial hospital, nursing home and doctor bill charges than they now pay.



Counting on Coins

The 1976 March of Dimes drive will begin Jan. 31 in Gray County when Tru-Teens and Key Club students and members of civic clubs canvass Pampa to collect money. Howard Weatherly, right, Gray County chairman of the national March of Dimes Foundation, meets with local attorney David Martindale to formalize plans. The local drive provided \$4,000 on patient care in Gray County last year and funds were used to purchase an incubator for the hospital. Forty per cent of the money collected will stay in the community and 60 per cent will be used for national research to combat birth defects.

(Pampa News photo by Michal Thompson)

## Palmetto Bend

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford asked today for \$16.4 million for the Palmetto Bend Project in Texas.

The project was the biggest Texas amount among the Bureau of Reclamation budget Ford relayed to Congress.

The Palmetto Bend budget request was nearly double the amount Ford had asked for the current fiscal year.

His budget outline said the new money will continue building the dam, clear and fence the reservoir, and relocate properties in the reservoir area. Construction will be started on recreation facilities, the budget outline said.

Ford also asked for \$1.5 million to be spent on the Nueces

River Project, for awarding contracts to build Choke Canyon Dam and related work. That money will come from advances from nonfederal sources and does not involve new appropriations.

Other Texas reclamation items in the new Ford budget included \$300,000 for the Lower Rio Grande Rehabilitation Project (Mercedes division), \$50,000 for the San Angelo project, and \$1 million for Rio Grande Project (El Paso County Water Improvement Dist. 1).

Ford also requested \$174,000 for appraisal and feasibility investigations, within Texas and \$466,000 for similar studies partly within the state.

## Winners Told In DECA Program

Winners in the Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) of Pampa High School's program were announced this week in the fields of advertising, display, job interview, sales demonstration and public speaking.

Advertising winners are Debbie Rogers, first place with Kerry Dawson and Jennifer McCausland as first runner-up. Brent Lewis was second runner-up.

Shelly Pilcher was first place winner in display. Runners up were Dana Smith, Tamara Martin and Adam Akst.

Winners in job interview were Leanne Hall in first place, with Sherry Skidmore, Scott Malone and Shelly Pilcher as runners-up.

Gary Sanders took first place in sales demonstration. First runner up was Dexter Turner with Sherry Skidmore and Dennis Laycock tied as second runner up.

John Hollar took first place in public speaking, and Ky Norman was first place runner up.

Gary Sanders and Leanne Hall will represent Pampa at Area VI contest in Lubbock Feb. 13-14 as "Outstanding Student Leaders."

Debbie Rogers and Shelly Pilcher will represent Pampa in advertising and display. Other winners will also represent the school.

Sanders has been elected to fill an unexpired term of State Historian and will travel to Austin on Feb. 6.

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## Docs With Patty Again

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Patricia Hearst was examined again Tuesday by the government psychiatrist who she and her attorneys have charged badgered her and drove her to hysterics.

Dr. Harry Kozol, Boston, arrived at the jail this morning to continue his interview of the newspaper heiress which she broke off in tears on Jan. 7. One of her attorneys, Albert Johnson, stood by outside the examination room in the jail as the examination took place.

Kozol's surprise trip to the jail came just 24 hours before a second court hearing was to be held on whether he should be allowed to proceed with his examination of Miss Hearst, who goes on trial next Monday on bank robbery charges.

Miss Hearst's attorneys had contended in a two-day hearing last week that Kozol should be forbidden from talking to Miss Hearst, but they were overruled by U.S. District Judge Oliver J. Carter, who warned that if Miss Hearst did not cooperate, he would forbid the defense from presenting its own psychiatric testimony about her mental state at the time of the robbery.

Capt. Don Hartnett, commander of the corrections division of San Mateo County,

said that Kozol routinely checked in with jail authorities and then proceeded to the interview. Hartnett said there were no problems in setting up the interview.

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## Union Men Charged

LAKE CHARLES, La. (UPI) — Five union members have been charged in connection with labor violence that killed one man and injured five others. Officials say there may be more arrests.

The state attorney general's office has joined the investigation of the incident, and the FBI is looking for possible violations of the Antiracketeering Act or the Racketeer-influenced and Corrupt Organizations Law.

The five men are all members of the AFL-CIO, but state AFL-CIO president Victor Bussie denied Monday that his union was responsible for the violence at the Jupiter Chemical Co. construction site last week. He said he hoped the guilty persons involved would be punished.

It was completely uncalculated for regardless of who committed the murder," said Bussie. "I hope that the proper authorities, and I'm confident that they will, see to it that the law is carried out and that person is properly

prosecuted and punished."

The suspects were arrested during the weekend after the Thursday battle between picketing members of the AFL-CIO and men in the multi-craft American Federation of Unions employed at the site. The unions are locked in a jurisdictional dispute.

Wilbert J. LeLeux, 34, was being held without bond for the first degree murder of AFU-member Joe Hooper, 26.

Charged with attempted murder were John H. Jensen, 36, and Kenneth E. "Pee Wee" Hooper, 33. The Hoopers were not related. Jensen, also charged with theft and four counts of aggravated criminal damage to property, was held in lieu of \$125,000 bond. Hooper's bond was set at \$75,000.

Benjamin Guillory, 24, of Westlake, La., and Raymond Jordan, 28, Sulphur, La., were held in lieu of \$10,000 bond on charges of carrying concealed weapons.

## Your Horoscope

By Jeane Dixon

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 21

**Your birthday today:** Adventures this year focus on philosophic lessons learned from your immediate environment and people around you. You are in a transformation from one chapter of your life to another and need to bring simplicity and direct methods to your work. Relationships must be redeveloped. Today's natives rarely accept advice. The men are dedicated to their career and seldom acquire dependents. The women are social and make many friends.

**Aries [March 21-April 19]:** Once you've sorted out this morning's jumbled signals, announce your achievements and what you have to offer. Don't step on someone else's toes.

**Taurus [April 20-May 20]:** Conditions pick up. Go ahead as if yesterday's mix-ups hadn't happened. Put in your bid or application and follow up with appropriate personal appearances.

**Gemini [May 21-June 20]:** Much of what takes place today is the result of positive action you took in the past. Stories are floating around; avoid the temptation to exaggerate.

**Cancer [June 21-July 22]:** Explore areas for possible advancement and begin putting together longer-range enterprises. Seek outside endorsement. A brief journey goes well if you don't dawdle.

**Leo [July 23-Aug. 22]:** You lack cooperation because people are slow to make up their minds or to do

anything about their conclusions. Apply for an increase or higher position.

**Virgo [Aug. 23-Sept. 22]:** You benefit from an improvement in job relations and a reorganizing of career. Use a more experienced worker's ideas by adding your own distinctive twist.

**Libra [Sept. 23-Oct. 22]:** Your persuasive powers are strong; don't dissipate them by bragging. It's what you actually accomplish that counts. You must lay aside routines for the moment.

**Scorpio [Oct. 23-Nov. 21]:** If you're cooking up a scheme, now's the time to spring it and to get people to join forces. Finances can be rearranged and investments expanded.

**Sagittarius [Nov. 22-Dec. 21]:** Seek advice and hold conferences with VIPs or

anyone who's able to further your cause. As you search, interesting facts emerge. Studying pays off.

**Capricorn [Dec. 22-Jan. 19]:** Associates are in a better humor. Attend to sales and negotiations. Travel yields new contacts and strange impressions; check them out thoroughly.

**Aquarius [Jan. 20-Feb. 18]:** If you're sure of what you want, proceed directly to get it, even though those around kill time, trying to decide what to do. You can't aid them until they ask.

**Pisces [Feb. 19-March 20]:** There's a better chance of getting somewhere now. Check to see if unused talents, experimental products can be marketed profitably. Whatever you learn is of lasting value.





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**UNFAIR PRACTICES**  
IPIALES, Colombia (UPI) — Motorists from Ecuador, an oil exporter and a member of the OPEC cartel, are forming long lines at gasoline stations in this border town of Colombia, which is barely self-sufficient in its petroleum needs.

Regular gasoline has recently risen in price in Colombia from 11 to 13.5 cents a gallon, but that's still three times as cheap as in Ecuador.

Ipiales merchants are grumbling that the Ecuadorean motorists clog the town, park their cars on the sidewalks, and why should the Colombian government subsidize fuel only to have the Ecuadoreans, who have oil to spare, cart it away in their tanks?

**AMBITION PLAN**  
BOGOTA, Colombia (UPI) — Alarmed by forecasts that Bogota could have 10 million inhabitants by the year 2,000, Medellin 8 million, Cali 6 million and Barranquilla 4 million, the Colombian Economic Development Ministry has embarked on an ambitious plan to halt migration to the cities.

The ministry plans to make intermediate cities of about 100,000 population like Girardot, Villavicencio and Buenaventura more attractive places to live by improving municipal services and employment opportunities.

**JET SERVICE**  
NEW YORK (UPI) — Pan American will inaugurate daily Boeing 747 jet services from New York to Munich, West Germany, on Jan. 11.

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**GARAGE & YARD SALE** Tuesday through Saturday, 713 S. Ballard. Antiques, record players, electric fans, car radios, electric heaters, hot plates, air conditioners, gas stoves, furniture, clocks, sweaters, motors, TV's and radios (some antique), 1 complete Model T frame in excellent condition. Over 700 miscellaneous items. \$ to 7 daily Don't forget, 713 S. Ballard.

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**104 Lots For Sale**  
CEMETERY Lots in Memory Garden. In Good Shepherd section. Call 273-8949 in Borger.

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# Predicts End of Gov Meddling

FREDERICK, Okla. (UPI) — Making more goods available is an effective way to fight inflation, Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Tex., said Monday night.

"There are those that have us believe economic growth leads to inflation," the Democratic presidential candidate said.

"They don't understand you can fight inflation by putting more goods on the shelf. They think you have to fight it by making it harder to buy what is already there. They are wrong, dangerously wrong."

Bentsen spoke at a Chamber

of Commerce banquet, concluding a day of campaigning which included earlier stops in Langston, Edmond and Oklahoma City.

In Oklahoma City, Bentsen said the days of federal interference in local affairs are coming to an end.

"There has, beyond question, been a very significant change in attitude about the ability of big government that may well return to the states much of the power and authority that the national government has delegated to itself," the Democratic

presidential hopeful said.

The Texas senator said many local problems had not been solved locally because they were too complex to yield easily to simplistic solutions.

In a speech at the Capitol, Bentsen praised House Speaker Carl Albert, Gov. David Boren and State Welfare Director Lloyd Rader, and paraphrased the late Sen. Bob Kerr and Will Rogers.

He was interrupted by applause twice during the 18-minute speech, once when he referred to Oklahoma's football

team as being No. 1.

Bentsen said he had known Kerr and remembered him saying he was against any combine that Oklahoma was not a part of.

"If I'm in the White House, Oklahoma will be a part of that combine," he said, drawing applause.

He noted that Missouri, Kansas and his home state of Texas have produced presidents and said, "I venture to say that Oklahoma has not been neglected whenever it had a neighbor in the White House."

He praised Albert, saying, "No one has served this nation with greater distinction during a trying time in our history than Carl Albert. He is a patriot, a dedicated legislator and a loyal Oklahoman."

Bentsen said Boren "has attracted a great deal of attention for the quality of his service" and will "have a long and successful political career" if he wants.

He referred to the nation's "welfare mess" and praised the "foresight" of Rader, longtime head of Oklahoma's welfare department.

Speaking of the role of Oklahoma and Texas in producing energy for the nation, he said, "I like to tell our friends from other parts of the country that we are delighted that the good Lord gave us our oil and gas resources..."


He said the energy bill recently signed by President Ford is "a fraudulent political promise" which will not roll back the price of energy and

"can only roll back the number of jobs" and increase the nation's reliance on Middle East oil.

Bentsen said he has little confidence that Washington can effectively solve the nation's problems "until it rediscovers its correct role in the federal system."

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**'Eternal Enmity':**  
John Hancock, a Massachusetts delegate to the Continental Congress: "Some boast of being friends to government; I am a friend to righteous government founded upon the principles of reason and justice; but I glory in publicly avowing my eternal enmity to tyranny."

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## Growth Rate Revealed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The nation's economic recovery continued in 1975's final three months at an estimated 6.5 per cent growth rate based on the Gross National Product adjusted for inflation, administration officials say.

The GNP data, to be issued today, followed economic reports Monday that showed manufacturers put idle machinery to work for the final six months of 1975 after 21 months of steady declines in capacity. Factory payrolls also increased

in the closing months of the year.

The Federal Reserve Board said manufacturers used 70.8 per cent of their capacity in the fourth quarter, up from 68.9 per cent in the third quarter. Machinery use hit bottom when only two-thirds was utilized in the April-June quarter when the recession officially ended.

The other reports were not so optimistic.

Despite rising factory payrolls, the Commerce Department said growth slowed in

personal income. It also said housing starts declined for both December and the entire 12 months of recession-struck 1975.

Real GNP rose a flat 12 per cent in the third quarter after holding steady in the second quarter. Administration officials said GNP increased about 6.5 per cent in the fourth quarter.

The growth in personal income was estimated at a 7.9 per cent annual rate that barely kept pace with the 6 to 7 per cent inflation rate by year's end.

Personal income increased 9.5 per cent in 1974.

Commerce said the growth rate in personal income fell off sharply in December from November. After climbing \$8.5 billion in November, the growth rate slowed to \$5.2 billion in December. Personal income in the last month of 1975 was estimated at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of \$1.3 trillion.

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