Rape prevention: common sense, locks

By JEANNE GRIMES

Pampa News Staff The brutal murder of a pregnant Borger woman earlier this month, thought by some law enforcement officials to be the work of the "traveling rapist," has put added emphasis on something every woman should know - how to defend herself against a lapist

We women should do a lot of the things our grandmothers told us to do "said Susan Harris, of the Amarillo Rape Crisis Center Simple things, really Like locking doors and windows and not letting strangers into

'We tell women to be aware — that rape could happen to anyone. Ms. Harris said We tell them to try and think about the kind of person they are and what kind of things they are able to do

If a woman attempts to fight, she should fight as hard as physically possible. Richard Mills. Pampa police chief warned 'If you're going to hurt him, hurt him good

Before he's got his hands on you ... run and scream like hell. That's best

Mills and Lt. Keith Ferguson of the Amarillo Police Department cautioned against screaming once an attacker has his hands on you Ferguson also advised against it unless you believe your screams may bring help Screams can panic a

He compared the reaction with that of a person in a store when an alarm clock suddenly goes off The first reaction is to silence that

noise," he said. The police chief said elementary security

measures may discourage an attacker or at least give the victim valuable time to summon help "Don't put yourself in a rape situation,"

is the police chief's advice to women Keep your house locked and secured If you're driving, keep the car doors locked and if you're at a party or dance and someone you don't know offers to take you 'In Pampa women may feel safe because the traveling rapist hasn't struck there, but...women need to protect themselves.'

home, be cautious

"Don't admit strangers to your home at night Have your house key in hand before you get out of a locked car If you're a single woman living alone, have your phone listed by your initials." Mills said

If a rapist approaches you and you think you may be assaulted, you have to decide if you're willing to let him do it or if you'll attempt to hurt him." he said, adding. "If you're going to fight, you'd better be ready to kill or seriously injure the attacker. If you just scuffle that will normally arouse him a little more

The best thing is flight If you can get away, that's better than fighting

Mills pointed out the attacker known as the traveling rapist enters homes and apartments through unlocked doors or windows Since July 1975, there have been nine attacks on women "directly attributed to the traveling rapist." according to Ferguson

The Amarillo detective has headed a team of detectives assigned to the traveling rapist case for the past year. He said the actual number of rapes could be much

There is an axiom that says half of the actual rapes are not reported and half of those reported are not actual rapes," Ferguson said "A considerable number of valid rapes are never reported.

Detectives and the Amarillo Rape Crisis Center encourage women to report all attacks Ms Harris said the reports provide police with valuable information and the victim will not necessarily have to testify in court

We go for the best cases on prosecution, Ferguson said. "One woman might have a little thread of information that would prevent more rapes, that would save lives. If she doesn't come forward with information and someone dies, she has her own conscience to answer to

If you can't run and can't fight, the only thing left to do is to talk." Mills said Normally rape is a crime of assault, not passion It's not that they (rapists) love women more Actually they're quite afraid of women and use rape to hurt women

"If a girl does have to submit, she should attempt to remember as much as possible about the man and try to get a very good physical description. She should not attempt to shower or bathe until she is examined by a doctor. She needs to report it because if she doesn't that allows the rapist to go on to the next victim.

Ms. Harris said Amarillo has improved the ways in which rape victims are examined and questioned.

We are really well pleased with the public's change of attitude." she said. Rape victims get better treatment. The district attorney is taking cases to trial he wouldn't have taken before. Our biggest problem is jury attitudes. It's not the system; it's the juries

The couselor said speed in reporting a rape is essential.

'Most evidence is lost within 24 hours,

Nurse practitioners perform the pelvic (See Rape page 4)

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JANE P. MARSHALL

Some folks say it has to do with the moon phases. Others credit astrology And still others say a variety of factors influence our lives and cause cycles - which have been labeled bio-rythms

Whatever cause one selects, most will agree that life does have its ups and downs Yesterday was a down time for The News reporting staff

In the first place, a change in personnel resulted in some crossed wires and the city held a press conference announcing that Pampa water is safe to drink It is a story of some consequence since the quality of the water has often been discussed and debated by city residents

The story is in today's issue In the second place Judge Don Hinton decided that Gray County, after all, will not withdraw from the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission The News reported Tuesday that Hinton planned to notify the PRPC director of Community Action Services of the county's decison to withdraw

The News reporter talked with Judge Hinton early in the day and learned of his tentative decision to withdraw from the PRPC An attempt to contact the judge just before deadline time failed, so the decision was made to go with the story on the basis of the earlier interview

Judge Hinton notified The News just after the papers all had been printed with the erroneous story, and told of his decision to remain a part of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission

It was just one of those days

We seldom reprint thank you letters in The News but we make an exception in this letter from Mrs James Perdue

Mr Editor This is the only way I can think of to say how much I appreciate all the love and care the doctor and nurses at Highland General have given my mother They never get enough thanks and praise for all the great work they do I flew in from Virginia to see her and they were so good to me I just want all of them to know how nice it felt to know she was getting the very best of

everything Thank you. Mrs James

Nearly 500 people drowned in water - related accidents in Texas last year

Swimming accidents take the largest toll each year followed by fishing accidents

The Texas Department of Health Resources offers two solutions 1 never leave children without adult supervision, and 2. make sure everyone in the family knows

how to swim The Red Cross is offering swim lessons at city pools this summer: the mornings of July 4-15 and July 18-29

Prospective swimmers may register from 1 to 5 p.m. June 8 and 9 at the Red Cross office in



Going up in the air

Pampa band member Cheryl Birkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Birkes, 2356 Aspen, joined others of the Pride working at the annual Band Booster Club carnival. Cheryl, dressed as Raggedy Ann, attempts to sell a balloon to the somewhat unsure youngster, Chris Austin. The carnival, located on N. Hobart St. near the Catholic church, opened Tuesday evening and will continue through Sunday. Food, rides and amusement booths at the carnival drew a large crowd yesterday and band director Jeff Doughten said he expects the crowds to continue providing the weather continues fair.

(Pampa News photo by Gene Anderson)

Briscoe wants session

By LEE JONES Associated Press Writer AUSTIN Tex (AP) - Gov.

Dolph Briscoe says he wants to call a special legislative session on school finance but, in effect. has dumped the decision on lawmakers themselves.

He said he would call one only if given assurances by presiding officers of the House and Senate that legislators have agreed on a bill and will give it a two-thirds majority.

'As a time frame for a special session. I would not anticipate it until the middle of July," he told a news conference Tuesday, 16 hours after the regular session adjourned without approving a new plan for distributing state school aid

to local districts. He said he would ask the

same session to act on a bill reducing or eliminating the four per cent state sales tax on residential utility bills, another measure that died at midnight Monday

Briscoe said he did not want school districts stuck with the present state aid law under which more than 500 districts - nearly half the total - would lose money

He said that Lt Gov. Bill Hobby and Speaker Bill Clayton had agreed to activate the House and Senate education committees "to begin preparation of a bill.

'Assuming completion of this assignment and upon concurrence of the leadership of the House and Senate. I shall call a special session of the 85th Legislature," he said.

Briscoe acknowledged that a school finance bill passed late in the summer would have to be placed into immediate effect since school districts have an Aug 20 deadline to complete their budgets. This would require a two-thirds vote in each

sist upon assurances that such a majority would vote for a single bill before calling a special session.

He said his approach would speed up the session, which could run as long as 30 days.

Gray stays in PRPC

After giving some consideration to pulling Gray County out of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission. Judge Don Hinton decided to remain with the PRPC.

A story in The News Tuesday was incorrect in reporting the county had withdrawn from the commission.

member since 1971. Today

begins a new fiscal year for the organization and the decision to stay in it or leave had to be made by 5 p.m. Tuesday.

The PRPC is one of six regional planning commissions in Texas that receive financial support from member counties and its reported purpose is to work more closely with local Gray County has been a PRPC citizens and governments in dealing with the state.

Drinking water declared 'safe'

Pampa News Staff The Texas Department of Health Resources (TDHR) has conducted a chemical analysis of Pampa's drinking water and has declared it safe

In a letter addressed to Mayor R.D. Wilkerson, Floyd H Williams of the TDHR wrote. This report indicates that the water being supplied by the system meets the limits established by the National Interim Primary Drinking Water Regulations' promulgated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency on December 24. 1975 These regulations will be effective on June 24. 1977

City Manager Mack Wofford had recently expressed some concern that the chloride content might cause Pampa's water to fall below state

egulation revisions The chemical analysis report from the TDHR showed a chloride content of 333 milligrams per liter in Pampa water Sodium content was listed at 295 milligrams per liter, sulphate at 301 and bicarbonate at 201 Total dissolved solids were reported at 1130 milligrams per liter, total

alkalinity at 165 and total hardness at 275 The water sample analyzed was collected from the Pampa water system on March 23 by a TDHR

Wofford said that when the new regulations take effect June 24. "The state will check us on a yearly basis. They will come through without our knowledge and get a sample and run it through

In addition to the annual testing conducted by the state. "there are tests we have to run locally." the city manager said, "and there are tests we have to submit to the Department of Health Resources lab in Lubbock. We are required to submit 27 individual samples a month taken at random from over the district system.

He explained that a city map would be used and as many public places as possible selected for drawing the samples In taking the samples. "We first must sterilize

the faucet." Wofford said. It will be accomplished with a small benzyne torch In addition to the annual test by the state and

the tests done in the Lubbock lab, other testing is done in the city water department lab. What is being sought in these tests.

said, "is an organism, a little bug found in the digestive tract of warm blooded animals. If we get a positive reading it may be because we have not taken the sample correctly, the wind blew the organism into the sample, or maybe there is an organism. A positive reading does not mean you will become ill from drinking the water, it means

We chlorinate to kill any harmful bacteria that we are aware of that might exist in the water. Wofford said

After studying the new regulations and the contaminent levels set forth, Wofford said, "The liklihood of us ever exceeding any of these levels is so remote well, it is just very unlikely

Anger surfaces today over veterans officer

Hard feelings and angry words surfaced this morning when the Gray County Commissioners Court approached the county veteran service officer issue that first was brought to the attention of the commissioners at the last meeting. May 11

At that time several Pampa veterans complained about Warner Phillips, Gray County Veteran Service Officer

Mr. Phillips has some things he would like to say." Judge Don Hinton told the 40 persons in the courtroom at about 9 15 a m "I think we should give him this

Hinton then added. This courtroom is not going to be made into a veterans affairs

Phillips said. "I've been asked by the judge to explain the duties of my job

Before outlining those duties. he said. "I'm not going to have any bitterness in my heart against any of my accusers. and he invited anyone with questions or requests to come into his office to discuss it -"Not over the telephone everything that is done has to be

done over your signature. Phillips explained that he is an employe of the county, not the Veterans Administration, and his job "is to represent the veterans and widows and orphans as a go-between between them and the Veterans Administration.

Of the latter he emphasized. "I work with them, but I am not employed by them.

Phillips explained that he has no decision - making powers in

the matter of benefits. "Everything is adjudicated in Waco by very competent and efficient people ... The V.A. does not do things haphazardly. They

Warner explained that his job is not an easy one. The laws of the VA change every year

years I've been on this job than I have in a lifetime When Phillips completed his comments. Judge Hinton said.

have done more reading and

research in the three and a half

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I feel like everybody are grown men and can sit down and work

out the problems I'm behind Warner Phillips 100 per cent At that point a woman in the audience stood and asked Judge Hinton, "How do you know how

all these boys feel? We listened to them last week." he replied

"I can't see that he told anything that would help anybody." the lady said. Evidently you didn't

said in a calm manner. Other comments from the audience were more emotional. "I may be disabled, but I'm not stupid," one veteran said.

just a go-between," the judge

He told the commissioners about an incident that concerned a missing check. 'My check was not in the Post

Office and I did not know where my next meal was coming from

He said he contacted Phillips. but got no explanation for the missing check until he talked to a man in the Amarillo office who explained there had been a computer breakdown and the check would be forthcoming.

My complaint is simple ... had to go out of this town to get the help I could have gotten right here. the veteran concluded

reply but was interrupted when he mentioned the name of the Don't you mention Harvey Downs." a lady in the audience

Phillips began to comment in

cried out "You offered him \$3 a The judge interjected, again in a calm voice. "If you've got

problems, go to Mr Phillips and get it worked out The lady spoke out again saving that her husband finally did get financial help from the Veterans Administration but they "had to go to a lawyer to

Put somebody in there that knows what they're doing." she

Judge Hinton commented that he and the other commissioners have "had letters and phone calls in support of Mr. Phillips. He compared the situation to

himself and the commissioners We can't please everyone. understand when he said he was he said. The judge then continued with the agenda, apparently leaving

> further discussion of the veteran service officer situation for the executive session - (closed to public and press). The court met in executive

session but upon reconvening in open court at about noon, no action was taken. The Gray County commissioners passed a

resolution authorizing Hinton apply to the Texas Criminal Justice Division for a \$2500

The grant would be used to pay the court reporter's salary for the 31st Judicial District.

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More judges not the answer

Increased case loads and the growing complexity of for 34 more judges. courtroom cases are cited in the recommending to supervisors continuing pressure at all that the request be denied. jurisdictional levels for more judges

Chief Justice Warren Burger of the U.S. Supreme Court is no less reticent than the presiding judge of the smallest county system in advocating additioanle judgeships to attack backlogs.

But in Los Angeles, the county economy and efficiency

commission has taken a dim

view of a Superior Court appeal Perhaps there is a lesson in this for other parts of the nation

Commission chairman Robert Downey acknowledged the court's mounting problems, but proposed an alternative to the burden more judges would place on the taxpayers. The court, he said, should seek "every way to improve procedures and to expedite cases in order to maintain expenditures at the present level

The Commission's conclusion seems to reflect the taxpayers' mood: "The discipline of holding the judicial complement to the present level should have a positive effect in pressing the court to search for improvement

In other words, successful criminal justice does not correspond to increased public

Inside Washington

More tax money out window

WASHINGTON, May 28 -- It's utterly mindless and an unconscionable squandering of taxpayers' money, but it's

happening all the time Graphic illustration is two seemingly unrelated events in recent weeks

Under the insistent pressuring and wheedling of the State Department's entrenched bureaucrats, the House last month approved a \$5.2 billion 'replenishment' for the World Bank and related giveaway institutions

Last week, one of them, the International Development Association, sardonically known as the "soft loan branch of the World Bank," quietly allotted \$57 million in so-called loans to Ethiopia – now ruled by a ragtag pro-Soviet military clique that has murdered thousands and early this month curtly booted out 300 American medical educational and

scientific personnel The World Bank affiliate dished out this \$57 million despite the fact Ethiopia is in default on \$14,510,000 in U.S. credits - and the prospects of

ever collecting that are zero This mind-boggling IDA loan. ostensibly for road building and agricultural improvements, is in effect a giveaway It's for 50 years and interest - free, except for a token administrative charge It was granted without

the U.S. doing a thing to block it. As the State Department justifies that extraordinary negligence. "The U.S. abstained because of violations of human rights in Ethiopia

In other words, the State Department bureaucrats sternly punished Ethiopia's gory wholesale violators of human rights by looking the other way and doing nothing to prevent the IDA from handing them \$57 million of taxpayers' money

This is characteristic State Department logic and practice.

Thunderous Silence Ambassador Andrew Young's remarkable silence about the

Berry's World

barbarous violations of human rights in Ethiopia and Eritrea, the northwest province that has been grimly battling for independence for 16 years.

Regarding white-ruled Rhodesia and South Africa, the voluble Atlantan declaims endiessly about "violation of human rights About Moscow puppet ruled Ethiopia, not a word nor about the \$57 million in interest free loans IDA shoveled out to them - with the "benign neglect" of the State Department

The same goes for World Bank president Robert McNamara. whose remarkable career ranges from tight - fisted czar of the Pentagon to bleeding heart boss of the World Bank and its giveaway affiliates.

It was McNamara who conceived the 18 billion 'replenishment' scheme for the World Bank group - with the U.S. putting up \$5.2 billion. Launched in the Ford administration, he readily won former Secretary Kissinger's hearty backing and the State Department threw its high powered lobbying and pressuring behind it

Steamrolled through the House in April it's now pending in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee dominated by a bipartisan internationalist minded majority

Barring White House intervention, which appears unlikely, the huge giveaway will probably be voted. Favoring that is lack of public attention and forceful opposition Lush Pickings

That's the way McNamara and other World Bank officials have gotten away with granting themselves eye - popping salaries and juicy perquisites.

They're even more munificent than United Nations boodling and that's choice. Also, UN pay scales are under some scrutiny. but the World Bank fixes its own and that's that, as follows

World Bank — president Also noteworthy is \$114,000, plus \$16,000 for "housing and representational

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but since we installed it we've saved

THOUSANDS of gallons of water!"

president, \$98,280; vice president, \$78.870; executive directors, \$77,400; alternative executive director, \$56,730.

Inter-American Development Bank — president, \$56,475, plus \$16,000 "expense allowance"; executive vice president, \$90,300; executive directors. \$74.750 alternate executive directors, \$54,850

Asian Development Bank -president, \$51,500; vice president, \$45,000, executive directors, \$38,500; alternate executive directors, \$38,000

The top brass aren't the only ones on the take.

report. "All employees of the World Bank are authorized to travel first class in Africa Asia and Latin America. By economizing in this regard, the World Bank could have saved \$1.5 million during the period July 1974 to July 1975

The Inter-American Development Bank funded 76 trips by spouses at an average cost of \$1,721 On another occasion, 52 spouse trips were funded at an average cost of \$1.768 During the period January 1974 to September 1975. other banks funded 268 trips by spouses of which the most expensive averaged \$3.497 Four

admonished

Yeah! That could well be But that's not stopping the State Department from exerting its utmost to ram through Congress the \$5.2 billion replenishment, or to lift a finger to deter doling out \$57 million of taxpayers' money to the blood. drenched Marxist rulers of Ethiopia, making a mockery of human rights and just about

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Dear Mr. Carter: We'd just like to say that we agree wholeheartedly with General Singlaub's recent remark on your Korean withdrawal plans _AND HAVE SO STATED PUBLICLY !!!

Anxiously awaiting your recall orders, we are the boys of Company'C' Camp Casey, Korea. Sincerely, Ruts Milton Neely

Conservative advocate

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Lesson in Spanish politics

By WILLIAM A. RUSHER WASHINGTON - Spanish politics are forgivably far from the minds of most of us most of the time, but thoughtful Americans are keeping a close eye on the elections to be held in Spain on June 15th. The question is not so much who will win most observers expect Spaniards to distribute their votes widely across the spectrum, with centrist Premier Adolfo Suarez forming a new government boasting coalition support. The really critical issue is whether Spanish politics thereafter will sort themselves out in such a way as to permit an effective opposition to Suarez to

grow up on the right as well as

on the left, or only on the left. Superficially, the prospects for keeping Spain out of the clutches of its Communist party indefinitely look pretty good. Despite the scarcely - concealed desire of the world's liberals and leftists to turn the clock back to 1936 and act as though Franco's 40-year hegemony had never occurred, it is a new and predominantly anti - Communist generation of Spaniards that will be casting its first free ballots next month. Nobody under 50 can even remember a Spain without Franco To most Spaniards today, communism stands for chaos, bloodshed and atheism. Despite Communist leader Santiago Carillo's desperate efforts to humanize

large segment of left - liberal

Western opion following blindly

along, are already preparing

their fall - back position. The

Spanish socialists, who

altogether are expected to pull

about twice as many votes as the

Communists, will also be in

official opposition to the centrist

Suarez government, and will be

sorely tempted, as the months

and years roll by, to join an

electoral coalition with the

Communists — as the French

Socialist party has already

done. When Suarez has been

forced to take enough necessary

but unpopular economic

measures, the Communists

reason, that will be the moment

for the Socialist - Communist

Please note, however, that

this scheme depends upon a

Socialist - Communist coalition

being the only feasible

alternative to a centrist regime.

That is the situation in both

coalition to take over.

his party's image, most observers think the Spanish Communists will be lucky to win 10 per cent of the votes on June But the Communists, with a

cost \$4.749 Indignantly, the Senate study

These financial institutions are not self - sustaining. They require periodic replenishment of capital to continue financial operations The interlocking system of high salaries and extraordinary fringe benefits and perquisites threatens to undermine the prestige and authority of these international

everything else.

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France and Italy today - and that is precisely why, in both countries, the friends of freedom (not to mention the friends of NATO and Uncle Sam) are hanging on by the skin of their teeth, with prospects good for Socialist - Communist victory in the near future.

How did France and Italy get into such a mess? Its principal architect, strangely enough, was the long - time chief of America's CIA, the late Allen W. Dulles. It was Dulles' brilliant inspiration to oppose communism in Western Europe after World War II by supporting only centrist and left center parties, to the total exclusion of the political right. This has undeniably worked, and worked well, during most of the three ensuing decades.

But inevitably the pro American centrist and center left parties in Italy and France grew old in power, ceased to generate really fresh new talent. and all too often became corrupt

The voters in both countries would dearly love to turn them out to pasture, if only for a time; but the only possible alternative, in either case, is to elect a leftist coalition pledged to bring Communists into the government. The French and Italians will probably do exactly that anyway; like America's Republicans. Western Europe's Communists will "win" sooner or later, merely by being the only other choice on the ballot.

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Commentary

Solar energy future is now

By Don Oakley

The future of solar energy is now.

Contrary to the popular impression that harnessing the heat of the sun is one of those "exotic" energy sources whose development is many years away, a veritable boom is taking place in the solar energy field.

A recent estimate by the federal Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) indicates that some 5,000 homes in the United States are now heated completely or in part by solar energy units. Two years ago, there were just 183 such homes

In addition, approximately 5,000 new solar hot water heaters are in operation, plus uncounted thousands of solar swimming

The boom is barely beginning. According to one expert, the number of buildings heated by solar is doubling every six or eight months. "It's exploding."

In his energy message, President Carter expressed hope that the number of solar homes would jump to 2.5 million in the near future, spurred by his proposed tax credit to homeowners and businesses converting to solar. Last year, the Department of Housing and Urban Develop-

ment spent \$4 million to encourage construction of nearly 1,500 solar homes. Lending institutions are also financing an increasing number of solar homes, not all of them in sunny parts of the country by any means.

A typical homeowner on Long Island, for example, can reduce his hot water heating bill by 50 per cent with a solar

Hundreds of companies are becoming active in the field, ranging from giants like Grumman, General Motors and General Electric to small ones like Mor-Flo Industries of Cleveland and Universal Solar Energy of Miami.

A spokesman for Mor-Flo, which also makes gas and electric water heaters, predicts that solar water heaters will have sales of \$893 million within five years, \$2.4 billion within 10 years and \$4.1 billion in 15 years.

This is only a small part of the action. Nationally, says the founder of Universal Solar Energy, solar heating and cooling will become a \$50 billion industry in the foreseeable future.

With so many different solar collectors now available, costing from several hundred to a couple thousand dollars investments that can be recovered in a few years even if the prices of conventional fuels don't continue to rise — the question is why we still think of solar energy as "sometime in the

One reason, suggests Joseph G. Gavin, president of Grumman Corp., may be the name. Solar energy sounds like space technology, something exotic, complicated and expensive. Actually, anyone reasonably handy with tools can build a solar collector from materials readily available from a local lumber vard.

Another reason for the misperception, he says, is that most publicity about solar energy has to do with future-oriented research projects being conducted by such agencies as ERDA and NASA. Solar energy is also wrapped up in the idea of 'energy independence," which is asking more of it than it will ever be able to deliver.

But while more research is certainly needed, and while solar energy will never account for more than a small, though significant, percentage of our total energy needs, the country is overlooking the opportunity to use what we have right now,

Solar energy requires no invention, no new government agencies, no new installation or servicing skills, no new manufacturing or distribution methods.

All it requires is for individual homeowners who are fed up with the rising cost of fuel to realize that they can become not just energy consumers but energy producers - now.

Judge takes over school promotions

By DR. MAX RAFFERTY Abe Lincoln, who knew his law courts, once commented: "A judge is as apt to be honest as any other man - and no more

It is with this quotation plus a longer one by Thomas Jefferson that I wish to dedicate today's column to federal judges in general and to Alabama's Frank Johnson in particular:

The germ of dissolution of our federal government is in the federal judiciary: an irresponsible body, working like gravity by night and by day. gaining a little today and a little tomorrow, and advancing its noiseless step like a thief over the field of jurisdiction until all shall be usurped from the states and the government of all be consolidated into one.

'10 this I am opposed. When all governments ... shall be drawn to Washington as the center of all power, it will render powerless the checks provided. and our government will become as venal and oppressive as the government from which we separated.

With these winged words from the founder of American liberalism ringing in our ears. let me lay a few questions on you, Judge Johnson.

The other day you ruled that Dothan, Ala., school superintendent A.C. Allen must appoint vice principal James Smith and no other to the position of high school principal. apparently because Smith happens to be black. How did you suddently acquire the

expertise, the knowledge and the training in educational administration to decide which applicant for a principal's job is the best qualified?

Will you also dictate which doctor in the local hospital is best fitted to be appointed chief brain surgeon? Is your medical knowledge less than your experience in school administration? Or — to let it all hang out - isn't it true that you've never had any majors, minors, classes, degrees or indeed the veriest vestige of fitness in either of these two great professions?

I've spent a whole lifetime accumulating the skills which enable me to evaluate candidates for school positions, and I can assure you it's no cinch. Yet all this training and experience would be useless in any attempt on my part to decide - for example - which lawyer would make a good judge. Yet you have no hesitation in barging into a profession at least as old and as complex as your own and making a unilateral decision as to who should be a high school

Why? What combination of brass, cheek, effrontery and sheer, downright gall enables you to play God?

This kind of decision is what Jefferson and all the Founding Fathers intended locally elected school boards to make, and well you know it. They pointedly omitted all mention of education in the Constitution, thereby assuring — they thought — that

schools and schooling would be run forever by the states and their sub-agencies, the school

What the devil is a federal judge doing messing around in a local school personnel question, then? I don't care whether Mr. Smith is black, white, mauve or puce. The question is, or should iolly well be, only this: Does the local board of education and its appointed superintendent think he's the best person to run the

For you - one man, and a non-school man at that - to decide you're right and

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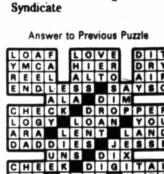
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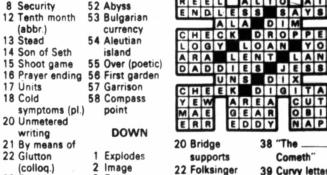
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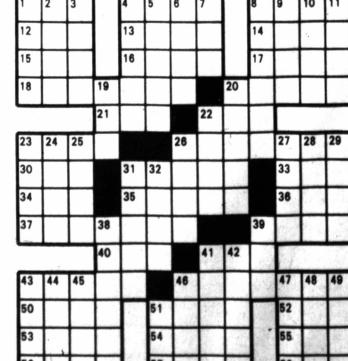
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Astro Graph

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This coming year, bonds between you and the one you love will be strengthened by a fortunate chain of events. Collectively, you will find new goals to

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Treat all you encounter as warmly as you would a friend today This applies even to those with whom you've never had a good

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your strength today lies in unselfishly trying to acquire things for those you're genuinely fond of. It could be a sweetheart or a family

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

Priority should be given today to day you are especially skillful at issues where you and your mate

you make a dynamic team. CANCER (June 21-July 22) You'll be doubly motivated today. Part of your pleasure comes from the challenge, part from the reward for doing a difficult job

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your

friends are prepared to back you

up today, whatever the needs.

However, you must lay all the

facts on the line.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) This is your kind of day. You have com plete control over events. Your natural take-charge instinct gets things on the course you think

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Roadblocks that seem insur-Take up the cudgel today for one mountable to the family are easiwho stands unjustly accused. ly circumvented by your clever methods. Step in. Show them the You'll make a favorable impression this person will never forget.

should be worth the gamble.

Bernice Bede Osol SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) To-

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec 21) Someone already quite fond of you will be further endeared by the way you life a serious burden from their shoulders today and dispatch it with ease.

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CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Do for others today, but don't operate in a manner to single you out as the hero. Eventually everyone will know what you did.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) A more bold front than usual is your forte today. You may have to take a calculated risk, but it

The Magenta Line...sipped not gulped

Intracoastal Waterway is supposed to be sheer tranquility and nautical romance. It didn't quite work out that way for AP Newsfeatures writer Sid Moody, enroute south to the Bahamas and the Bermuda Triangle. He picked a tough year, but sailors - active and armchair - will relish his account.

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By SID MOODY **AP Newsfeatures Writer**

The Intracoastal Waterway is a vagrant. meandering down the Atlantic Coast as mindlessly as a day dream.

Sometimes — often — it is as inspiring as shaving. Some parts are beautiful. It is meant to carry you south - or north. But sometimes it goes westerly for hours, days, at a time. Sometimes it tries to hide in a cypress swamp. Occasionally it rolls with the surge of the sea, always near at hand, which the Waterway skirts like a bashful

Its main charm is that it is a continuum, a passage through time in which you and your boat are both spectators and participants. It snakes like a water moccasin 1,090 miles from Norfolk to Miami.

Twisting your way southward at 612 knots (a little more than seven miles an hour) the countryside imperceptibly changes hardwoods in Virginia to pines in North Carolina, palmettos in South Carolina, vast tawny marshes in Georgia, palms in Florida. At that glacial speed you almost move south with autumn or north with spring. Either way the migrating birds are with you, fugitives on the wing.

The big power boats, their hired captains bombing them along at flank speed as their wakes climb up the muddy banks, can reach the sun in a week. Sailboats could power it in maybe two and a half. But who wants to? The Intracoastal should be sipped, not gulped. Drop the hook and shuck some local oysters. Watch the birds. Stop at a country drawbridge with its inevitable general store and stock up on fresh ham and local lore

That's the ideal, anyhow. My passage wasn't that idyllic, thanks to a burnedout engine in Morehead City, N.C. I started in October and finished in February. The plan, if anything as unpredictable as

to get the 36-foot wooden sailboat named Dixie south in the fall, pick it up in February and drop from sight for six months in the Caribbean.

But within half an hour of leaving home port on Maryland's Eastern Shore, we had wrapped the propeller around a crab trap float and found the boat had an all-consuming desire to sink.

The engine expired the day after Jimmy Carter's election. It required 10 weeks of radical surgery to install a new diesel so Amy was in public school in Washington by the time we broke ice out of Morehead City the end of January and began moving down the now deserted Waterway. A cabin heater that fed on cannel coal was all that stood between me, sons Clarke and Mike and a friend, Ray, and instant quick freezing like woolly mammoths in a Siberian glacier.

The second day out opened with a wet snow storm that left two inches on deck and down my collar. The sight that epitomized the nation's gelid state this winter of discontent was a great blue heron standing on a mud flat without pants and baring its

long skinny legs to the elements while it tried to hide its dripping beak under an armpit. Dixie's smokestack, meanwhile, was belching black smoke like a Mississippi paddle wheeler under full draft, coating everything and everybody with oily

My belief that South should be warmer than North Carolina just by virtue of name was foiled six miles from the border where a pontoon drawbridge, a Rube Goldbergian device that floats open on a pivot, had run aground at low tide. We threw over an anchor and watched birds.

That night in Myrtle Beach, S.C., the dockmaster allowed the now inevitable observation that "we ain't never had a winter like this."

At Charleston, my wife came aboard for the duration, Mike and Ray left for college and we pushed on into a maze of marshes with no sign of life except for the birds bickering in the reeds.

The next night we steamed in to Hilton Head with our plume of smoke lending an industrial touch to the resort island.

Below Savannah the Waterway coils for 80 miles through deserted marshes with only hummocks of high land and trees on We crossed the Florida line at 1225 hours

February 9. It was still two-sweater weather in Daytona Beach - "We had snow on the

ground until 11 a.m.," a man said. By the time we passed the Kennedy Space Center, looming beyond genuine palm trees, the coal fire was finally banked

and the crew began cleaning off the soot.

The Waterway now went through everybody's back yards. We could look in picture windows to see people at lunch. We had almost outplodded winter and the 50 pounds of ice we had on-loaded at Morehead City 800 miles back needed replenishing. If we needed any confirmation of eternal summer the Waterway guide said we could spot Jack Nicklaus's house if we kept a weather eye out. On Feb. 14 we pulled into Palm Beach and tied up to a hefty 46-foot ketch that was soon off for the

The Intracoastal was behind us now, even though you can follow the magenta line all the way to Brownsville. Tex., if you have enough coal - and time. Veterans of the perience. It's something that's taken for granted, like puberty or other rites of

It's a long preparatory, leading you and

your boat to the ultimate medium, the sea. John Mckenzie, owner of the ketch, asked me over for a dram with him, his wife and his parrot, an African Gray he picked up on some mysterious visit to the Biafran War His wife had a poodle with pink painted toenails, which neither McKenzie nor the parrot had too much use for.

McKenzie and the boat were recuperating from almost sinking in the Gulf Stream, which can be a fierce body of water, as we were to find out, when a "norther" throws hard winds against the current. A 25-cent hose clamp let go on his water intake, and the engine compartment flooded. Bulkheads kept the rest of the boat from filling up, but KcKenzie put his wife in the dinghy just in case.

"Next to go was the parrot," he said. Even after 1,000 miles down the Waterway, I'll say one thing about boats. They bring out the priorities in a man's life.

Waggoner Carr on Sharpstown scandal

'I would have been convicted'

By JACK KEEVER **Associated Press Writer**

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Former Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr believes that only Watergate and the passage of time - cooling white-hot passions - kept him from spending the rest of his life behind bars

In the final footnote of his new book, Carr says public sentiment would have resulted in his conviction on charges growing out of the Sharpstown bank scandal if he had been tried in 1972.

That was the year an Abilene jury convicted Speaker Gus Mutscher of conspiring to accept a bribe from Houston bank promoter Frank Sharp and assessed him a five-year probated sentence.

After repaying most of a \$320,269 bank loan he owed when the Sharpstown State Bank was closed, Mutscher was released from probation and was appointed county judge in vasnington County last year

With time to think," writes Carr, "I have decided that if I had been tried at the time Mutscher was. I would have been convicted, because the pressure

WASHINGTON (AP) - Fed-

Tuesday.

high. There had not been time for things to begin to settle where people were thinking sanely again.

When I was tried things had had two years to cool down, two years for Watergate to come along, and people had begun to make sense out of it. Mutscher was tried at a time when he flat didn't have a

Carr recounts three years of trials and tribulations in a book to be published June 15 -Waggoner Carr Not Guilty!

After Watergate exploded in Washington. Carr decided to write the book because he said, "there's history here. Carr theorizes that he got

caught in a widespread attempt by President Nixon's administration to discredit prominent Democrats in several states thought to be important to Nixon's election in 1972. "It seemed in 1971 that my

leader of the Democratic Party in Texas." writes Carr

He first learned of federal government charges against him Jan. 18, 1971, two hours be-

Federal courts may award

them if they qualified.

of public opinion was still fever fore the "Victory Dinner" that honored Gov. Preston Smith and Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes on the eve of their second inaugural.

> Carr was accused of manipulating the stocks of several corporations, notably National Bankers Life Insurance Co. of

> He claims he never owned but 100 shares of NBL stock, and he sold them in 1963 for a profit - "nothing sizeable" and had met Sharp only twice.

Nevertheless, he was indicted twice for allegedly defrauding NBL of \$582,000 to pay personal debts and for securities fraud. mail fraud, false filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and conspiracy.

His 39-month ordeal "dried up" his law practice, wiped out his \$1.5 million estate and sunk him \$75,000 in debt to his family and friends.

A former bank president. Carr had to borrow \$3,500 from bond, because banks wouldn't loan him money after he became an accused man.

A Fort Worth law firm set a \$100,000 price on defending him.

Evidence introduced at trials

showed that most long-haul

drivers are white while most

city drivers are black and Mex-

In 1976, the Supreme Court

ruled that individuals proving

they were victims of job dis-

ican-American.

so Carr undertook his own de- Taylor Jr. permitted Carr and

bear," he says, "was the cool and questioning looks from many whom I had long considered friends. Others told me they were afraid to call for fear my phone was tapped.

"But the hardest of all to

He said he became "sort of a recluse. I didn't have anything really to make me get out and walk down the street. I was a shocked and lonesome man.

"I am convinced," Carr writes, "that the decision to smear and ruin me was reached at the highest levels of the Nixon administration because I had the temerity to challenge Sen. John Tower, R -Tex., and former Texas Atty. Gen. Will Wilson, who switched to the Republican Party and

served in the Justice Department A Dallas Jury acquitted Carr in March 1973 on 12 counts of

numerous federal officials including Nixon - for a hearing on Carr's allegations that he was the victim of a scheme to destroy past and present Democratic politicians in Texas to insure Nixon's re-election. Carr notes whimsically that the subpoena for Nixon went

unanswered, and the defend-

ants never got back \$325 they

other defendants to subpoena

sent to cover the president's commercial plane fare to Dal-Former U.S. Attys. Gen. John Mitchell. Richard Kleindienst and others appeared in court but Taylor denied Carr's mo-

dictment In April 1974, a jury again found Carr innocent

tion to dismiss the second in-

Former Watergate prosecutor Leon Jaworski wrote Carr that his acquittal "proves two things: firs that you were innocent and next that you were a damn good lawver.

Bryant to sing in Texas

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Singer Anita Bryant will sing for Texas lawyers, after all.

Gibson Gayle, president of the State Bar. Tuesday said Miss Bryant will perform at the bar convention in Houston June

Our agent, Ed Gerlach, tells me that Miss Bryant's husband and manager, Bob Green, has accepted the invitation to perform at the president's dinner. Gayle said. I am looking for

ception and dinner." Earlier. Gayle said he would not complete negotiations on a contract with Miss Bryant, but last week he announced he had

ward to a most enjoyable re-

reassured by Houston police they could keep the peace. Miss Bryant has been criticized for her outspokenness on homosexuality and equal rights

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Jan Fully demonstrates the panels made by Solaron which gather solar energy to be used in the home. (Pampa News photo by Gene Anderson)

Poor-like windows catch sun's rays for energy

in one second than mankind has used since his existence.

Lloyd Russell, owner of Buyers Service in Pampa, is making the most of this fact. He has set up a solar display to illustrate effective utilization of solar energy at 405 E. Kingsmill this month. It is mounted on a trailer and demonstrates how solar energy can heat water.

According to Russell, the solar display consists of two solar

The sun puts out more energy collector panels, a small, motorized air handler and a source of water

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) -The chairman of the state Republican Party says Gov. Dolph Briscoe is responsible for the legislature's failure to enact a

in Texas. Ray Hutchison said Briscoe failed to provide the needed leadership on the issue.

new public school finance law

"Texas has its own energy crisis," Hutchison told reporters here Tuesday. "His name is Dolph Briscoe.

A proposed school finance measure died in the waning hours Monday night of the 1977 legislative session, and Hutchison called the action "the most collossal failure I've ever ob-

"If Briscoe had devoted as much energy and leadership to school finance as he did to the highway bill, then we'd have a .The 3'X6'2'X7" (door size)

panels are two panes of dual glazed glass mounted over an absorber plate. As the sun passes through the glass panes the heat is absorbed by the plate beneath. Air flowing under this plate is heated by it and passed through a duct to the air handler. Here the hot air passes over water filled coils heating

new school finance law," he

Hutchison urged Briscoe to immediately call the legislature back into special session to work on a school finance measure. He said failure to provide a new method of financing would turn the state's schools over to the federal courts

He said the present method of school financing, primarily through ad valorem property taxes in each district, is discriminatory and probably unconstitutional

"Briscoe's policy was to make the rich schools richer and the poor schools poorer," Hutchison said.

Briscoe, meanwhile, said he is considering calling the lawmakers back to Austin somereturns to the panels to be re-heated by the sun.

'An important factor Russell said, 'is that this operation requires little or no maintenance. The motor in the air handler runs on standard household current and would probably add \$2 per month to your electricity bill. In return for heating all water for household use, this is not a bad exchange." Russell plans and installs solar equipment.

"I first became interested in solar energy when I realized the increasing shortage of current fuels," he said. "I feel there is a definite future in this field." Russell has attended lectures

and seminars sponsored by solar companies.

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eral courts may award retro-The circuit court said that active seniority to minority emshould be done whether or not ployes who can prove other the individuals had ever apmembers of their race were plied for road jobs, on the theovictims of discrimination in the ry that past discrimination would have made their applipast, the Supreme Court ruled cations pointless. The justices said, however, The Supreme Court, voting 7-

seniority to minority

that the past discrimination 2. went along with part of the cannot date back before the lower court's reasoning. But enactment of the 1964 Civil the high court ruled that drivers who claim they were dis-Rights Act took effect In a pair of companion cases criminated against before enforcement of the Civil Rights involving such seniority for law are not entitled to relief drivers in the long-haul trucking industry, the court said and that no person may be giveven persons who had not apen retroactive seniority to a plied for long-haul jobs have date before the law's enactthe right to prove they are entitled to some relief for past

discriminatory practices. The case involved challenges by blacks and Mexican-Americans in San Antonio, Tex., of company policies and union contracts under which city drivers, who pick up goods from warehouses and deliver them locally, may not transfer with seniority to higher paying long-haul jobs.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, in decisions in 1974 and 1975, ruled that certain trucking firms and locals of the Teamsters Union had "locked in" blacks and Mexican-Americans to city driver jobs.

To correct that discrimination, the circuit court said all mirority drivers should have a chance to apply for long-haul jobs and be allowed to carry their seniority with

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Cuba, US agree on diplomats

United States and Cuba have a tentative agreement to exchange diplomats for the first time since the 1961 break in relations between the two countries, sources say

Most details of the proposed exchange were worked out in New York by negotiators for the two sides, the sources said here Tuesday. They said an announcement is expected short-

The development represents another major step by the Carter administration toward restoration of formal ties with the Marxist Cuban government. even while the Cubans move military technicians in Ethiopia and otherwise establish their presence in Africa and Latin

That's just the point," one U.S. official said. "It will be easier to talk to them about what they've been doing.

A formal resumption of rela tions may be far off, although in Plains, Ga., that "full friendship" with Cuba is an ultimate

"I think we moved some first, faltering steps," Carter told reporters while taking a walk in his hometown. "But it eventually depends on them. We'll move as fast as they

He said he had exchanged friendly messages with Cuban President Fidel Castro.

After Castro ousted the rightist Batista government in 1959. the United States was cautious in its diplomatic dealings with the new government. Within two years, however, Washington concluded that Castro was exporting revolution.

The Eisenhower administration severed relations during its final weeks in office, and then the Kennedy administration supported an economic boycott and approved an unsuccessful invasion by exiles.

Carter is reversing that trend. His administration has

eased restrictions on Americans traveling to Cuba and has agreed on new maritime bound-

The American diplomats to be stationed in Cuba will operate a so-called "interest section" in the Swiss embassy in Havana. Technically, they will be looking after such mundane matters as legal difficulties encountered by American tour-

Cuban diplomats will set up a parallel office in the Czechoslovakian embassy here

Actually, the primary function of the representatives will be to handle the full range of diplomatic problems between the two countries. U.S. officials said the Americans will try to reunite families separated by the cutoff in relations.

Former President Gerald R. Ford, commenting on the steps to closer U.S.-Cuban ties, said Tuesday he has "grave reservations" about Carter's com-

'Energy plan will work'

spite administration warnings to the contrary. Americans will be able to comply with President Carter's energy plan without sacrificing their standard of living, congressional budget analysts say

A Congressional Budget Office report released Tuesday said a national effort to meet Carter's energy goals would not involve dramatic shifts in the American lifestyle

Congressional analysts also say the President's energy advisers are substantially overestimating the savings his proposal would mean

At a news conference called to release the report. Alice Rivlin, congressional budget director, said the plan either will have to include more mandatory conservation standards or Carter will have to set new time limits for meeting his

The choices are to come up

with a tougher plan or to have a longer timetable," she said. Discussing the effect Carter's proposals would have on the nation's lifestyle, the 132-page report said Americans will be driving more by 1985 than they are now even with enactment of a proposed standby gasoline tax and a new tax on "gas guz-

The 15,000 miles an average American family now drives each year would increase to about 17,000 under the President's energy plan, the report

said. Without the energy plan. the average mileage per family would be about 18,000 miles. Despite higher prices for gasoline, the cost of driving per mile would decrease when already existing federal standards for gasoline mileage are combined with the Carter proposals, the report said.

It said the cost of driving would decline by 8 per cent be tween now and 1985 if Carter's

While Carter's proposals would mean slight rises in both inflation and unemployment analysts predicted no severe dislocations of the economy. The American standard of liv ing will contiunue to rise, the

Farm commodity prices up

farm commodities, including the big consumer items of meat and potatoes, are putting further pressure on family food budgets, the government says.

Prices of raw farm products rose 2 per cent from April 15 to May 15. the sixth consecutive increase, the Agriculture De-

WASHINGTON (AP) - Con- partment said Tuesday. The As a group, meat accounts oil-producing nations "came un- phasis on this agreement, say- being discussed "informally." prices also were 2 per cent for about 30 per cent of family rayeled today a U.S. spokeshigher than a year ago

The department's Meat Ani mal Price Index, which includes beef and pork, rose 6 per cent during the month. Cattle rose 20 to an average of \$36.10 per hundredweight on the hoof and hogs were up \$4.70 to

Pampa boy 'stable' after home explosion

A Pampa boy, burned over 60 projected for the boy's release per cent of his body in a May 14 fire, continues in "stable condition in the Shrine Burn Institute in Galveston.

Russell Hughes, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B.P. (Pete) Hughes, was injured in an explosion at his home six miles west of Pampa at the Cabot Kingsmill Camp. The boy was flown to the burn

center later that day

A spokeswoman with the Khiva Shrine Temple in Amarillo said a letter received by the Temple reported the boy was "holding his own" and was being "watched quite closely..."

The spokeswoman said young Hughes was burned on 60 per cent of his body and 16 per cent of that area was third degree burns — the most serious degree of burns. No date has been

from the burn center. The fire in which the boy was injured was one of 24 alarms responded to by units of the Pampa Fire Department

Fire Marshal L.V. Bruce said there were 19 city runs and five county runs during May and the Hughes boy suffered the only fire - related injuries during that

Pampa firefighters extinguished six automobile fires and five dwelling fires during the month

Four trash fires were reported and one mobile home blaze was extinguished. There were two mercantile fires, two structure fires and two other fires during

Bruce said the department made two rescue calls during

spending according to department economists. Compared with a year ago, however, prices of meat animals were 6 per cent less

Department experts say retail food prices will go up about 6 per cent this year compared with a 3.1 per cent gain in 1976.

But they say around half of the 1977 gain will be because of soaring prices for coffee, cocoa, seafood and other products which do not originate on U.S.

The report said that the price index for potatoes, sweet potatoes and dry beans rose 20 per cent last month with higher potato prices leading the way. Even so, the index was 1 per cent less than a year ago.

Overall prices of poultry and eggs declined 5 per cent last month and averaged 6 per cent below May of last year, the de-

Dutch looks at mediators

(AP) - The Dutch government sought clarification today of a request for outside mediators by South Moluccan terrorists holding at least 55 hostages on nine days.

The cabinet, after a meeting that lasted past midnight. asked the terrorists just what kind of mediation they wanted and who might be acceptable.

Underwriters celebrate anniversary

Among those at the Pampa Club Tuesday to celebrate the 25th anniversary of Life

Underwriters were L.E. Thomas, president, Borger; Don Lane, Pampa attorney;

Delbert Woolfe, Pampa, secretary - treasurer, and Larry Jines, Perryton, vice -

carried out or what they would

motherhood" and that the ma-

jor problems remained to be

Western spokesmen also had

said Tuesday that this energy

agreement, which would not be

concerned with oil prices, de-

pended on whether the

industrialized nations met the

economic demands of

Claude Cheysson of the Eu-

ropean Common Market, the in-

dustrial nations' chief represen-

tative in the group working on

energy and financial questions.

had said Tuesday that details

on the form and subject matter

mained to be decided. He told

reporters a final agréement de-

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North-South package could be

Vance proposed at the confer-

ence opening on Monday that

the 18-month dialogue on world

economic problems continue

energy consultations re-

developing countries

Carter today placed less em-

president. Lane spoke to the group on "It's performance that counts.

Agreements collapse

in North-South talks

PARIS (AP) — Preliminary out detailing how they would be

settled

agreements on some of the ma-

the conference of rich, poor and

Secretary of State Cyrus R.

Vance delayed his departure

minute difficulties in reaching

minimum agreement State De-

partment spokesman Hodding

He said the problems arose in

tough negotiating today be-

tween the 19 developing and

eight industrialized nations.

The talks, known as the North-

South dialogue, were scheduled

reached in negotiations within

specialized working groups fell

apart when the negotiators took

a broader view of the issues to-

The oil-producing countries

were reported by Western

spokesmen Tuesday to have

agreed in principle" to the

key Western demand for contin-

uing consultations on global

energy problems, though with-

The tentative accords

from Paris because of the last

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jor economic questions facing cover.

then about food deliveries but no response by midmorning to the request for clarification. Johan Manusama and other moderate leaders of the 40,000

in ending a similar siege in December 1975, when South Moluccan extremists seized a train and the Indonesian consulate in Amsterdam But an open letter Tuesday from young supporters of the

terrorists spoke of a division between the extremists and the moderate leaders. The Amsterdam newspaper De Volkskrant said Moluccan sources reported Manusama would be "thrown

Rosalvnn makes hit

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) - Rosalynn Carter made a hit with Costa Rica's president and got some advice on her husband's human rights campaign from the Central American nation's foreign minister. Having Mrs. Carter in the

country was "exactly the same as if President Carter had arrived and made personal contact," said President Daniel Oduber at a reception Tuesday night following nearly two hours of talks with the U.S.

milde, 10 miles south of Assen, where four teachers are captives of a second group of extremists who held 105 schoolchildren for three and four days last week

(Pampa News staff)

past the current ministerial

session in Paris. Carter said to-

day this idea, which generated

little initial support, was still

Intensive negotiations contin-

ued as delegates from the 27

nations sought an agreement

today, the final scheduled day

Secretary of State Cyrus

Vance proposed at the confer-

ence opening on Monday that

the 18-month dialogue on world

economic problems continue

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session in Paris. The idea, re-

portedly sprung on the dele-

gates without prior con-

sultation, appeared to generate

little support among represen-

Success of the negotiations

appeared to hinge on the devel-

oping nations' being satisfied

the West had made a real ef-

fort to meet the demands they

put forward as a basis for re-

structuring the international

economic structure so they get

a bigger slice of the financial

tatives from the rich "North"

or the poor "South.

of talks.

The request for mediators was made Tuesday by the seven to 10 South Moluccans on the train outside Assen, apparently without the concurrence of the four extremists in the Bovensmilde schoolhouse. The direct telephone line between the train and the school broke down over the weekend, and technicians refused to run the risk of being shot to fix it.

Separate lines to the train and the school are still operating, and psychiatrist Dick Mulder continues to talk with the terrorists on behalf of the government. The Justice Ministry said the group on the train called back twice on Tuesday seeking a reply to their request for mediators. They were told the request was being discussed, a spokeswoman said.

Fire reported in flooded car

A Pampa Fire Department spokesman said the fire was

On the record

Obituaries

the Rev. Robert Lacewell,

pastor of Bible Baptist Church.

Additional services will be at 4

p.m. Thursday in Dodson, Tex.,

Cemetery. Arrangements are by

Alexander - Simpson funeral

Mr. Tabor was born in Dodson

and moved to Borger from

Hollis, Okla., 22 years ago. He

married Edith Chance in Vernon

in 1955. He was plant operator at

Phillips Co-Poly Plant and was a

member of Bunavista Baptist

Church and the Veterans of

Foreign Wars. He died Monday

Survivors include the widow:

one daughter, Mrs. Klonda Bell

of Pampa; two sons, Larry and

Robert, both of the home; one

sister, Mrs. Billie Frances

Horton of Shawnee, Okla.; his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

MRS. MARIE B. TAYLOR

Thursday in the First Baptist

Church here for Mrs. Marie B.

Taylor, 55. The Rev. Jack

Crownover, both of Dodson.

directors.

in Amarillo.

Pearce will officiate. Burial will SAMMY R. TABOR be in Ochiltree Cemetery by BORGER - Funeral services Boxwell Brothers Funeral for Sammy R. Tabor, 44, will be at 11 a.m. Thursday in Bunavista Baptist Church with

Mrs. Taylor died Monday. She was born in Ringling, Okla., and had been a Perryton resident for pastor, officiating. Assisting will 12 years. She moved there from be the Rev. Leonard Forsythe,

> Survivors include the widower, Delmar Taylor; two sons, Donnie Meek of California and Lloyd of Perryton; four sisters, Mrs. Louise Crawford of Perryton, Mrs. Sue Bocox of Perryton, Mrs. Jo Ann Marshall of Amarillo and Mrs. Fay Ball of Cedar Hill; her mother, Mrs. Anna Smith of Perryton; two brothers. Johnny Smith of Perryton and G.E. Smith of Miami: and three grandchildren.

EVERETT A. HENTHORN Everett A. Henthorn, 81, 514 Warren, died Tuesday night at his home. Funeral arrangements are pending with Carmichael - Whatley Funeral Directors.

W. Tabor of Dodson; and his grandmothers, Mrs. Wesley Tabor and Mrs. William retired oil field driller, a veteran of World War I, a member of Masonic Lodge and a shriner. PERRYTON - Funeral services will be at 10 a.m.

Survivors include his widow. Mrs. Dorothy Henthorn; and two stepsons, Dell Bellflower of Breckenridge, Colo., and V.R. Bellflower of Pampa.

Tuesday Admissions Mrs. Jessie Bridwell, 906 Twiford

Mrs. Mary K. Flue, Borger Mrs. Mildred Cash, McLean. Mrs. Ethel Jones, Borger. G.N. Frost, 1108 S. Sumner. Mrs. Sarah Hernandez, 424 N.

Mrs. Ila K. Green, Phillips. Michael Manning, 310 N. Faulkner

Mrs. Janet R. Romines, 1142 S. Dwight. Baby Girl Flue, Borger Mrs. Aldine H. Lawrence, 1028

S. Nelson. Floyd L. Barrett, Pampa. Mrs. Ruby Underwood, 217 N.

Gillespie

Mrs. Tena D. Holmes, Pampa Claude A. Taylor, 628 N.

Mrs. Deborah A. Moore, Canadian.

John T. Mullins, 635 N. weighing 8 lbs. 7 ozs

Mainly about people

The Gray County Executive Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Coronado Inn. The meeting is open to the

Air Force Master Sgt. Harold M. Bews, son of Mrs. Carol M. Stafford of 917 N. Gray St., has arrived for duty at Andrews AFB. Md. He is a telecommunications systems control technician with a unit of the Military Airlift Command who previously served at Clark AB. Phillippines. The sergeant is a 1953 graduate of Sopa

Springs (Idaho) High School. Jim Baker of McLean was among students recognized at annual awards ceremonies this spring at the Southwestern State University School of Pharmacy. Weatherford. Baker received

A Pampa man was awaiting transfer to Gray County Jail this morning in lieu of a \$500 bond on a driving while intoxicated

Harley Woods, 44, of 604 Davis, was arrested Tuesday following an accident at Hobart and Alcock. Police said Woods was apparently trying to turn left on a red light when the van he was driving was in collision with a pickup driven by Danny Holman, 16, of 1233 S. Farley.

Holman and two passengers Robert Sikes, 16, of 1241 S. Farley, and William Holman, 18, Metropolitan Ambulance. They were treated and released.

scene of the accident and he was later stopped by police and charged with DWI, failure to yield right - of - way and failure to leave information at the scene of the accident.

He was born at Okmulgee. Okla., and was a resident of Pampa for 35 years. He was a

Highland General Hospital

Dwight John R. Caffee, Panhandle. **Dismissals**

Mrs. Lois Cates, 1933 N Christy. Virgel Weaver, Skellytown. Mrs. Sharron Brown, 1538 N. Sumner

> Mrs. Marty Leffew. Clarendon Baby Girl Leffew, Clarendon. Mrs. Lorene Hendricks, 1909

Mrs. Kathleen Taylor, 932 S. Baby Boy Taylor, 932 S.

William Langley, Mobeetie. Mrs. Kate Thomas, 314

Wynne. Mrs. Margaret McGahen, 730

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Flue. Borger, a girl at 5:44 p.m.

the Phi Delta Chi Brother of the Year Award and Dennis the Rho Chi Research Award

Charles W. Lanehart, Jr., 1970 graduate of Pampa High School. is one of 113 graduates of Texas Tech University School of Law in Lubbock this spring. The hooding ceremony was conducted May 14. His wife. Paula Davis Lanehart, also graduated. Lanehart is the son of former Pampa residents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lanehart, now of Duncan, Okla. He is currently associated with the Bryan Chappel law firm in Lubbock, and his wife is associated with

Bring your report cards to Pampa Roller Rink and get Free Passes for A's, B's, and C's.

charges in Municipal Court.

Pampa Police received

reports of seven thefts and two

non-injury accidents Tuesday

A CB radio antenna was

Thieves removed a tailgate

the Davis law firm of Lubbock.

Police report \$32.50 on each of the other two

and they investigated one non-injury accident Monday. reported taken from a vehicle at 1221 E. Francis and three antennas were removed from a vehicle at 529 Powell. Antennas were also removed from vehicles parked at 607 Powell

of 1233 S. Farley - were taken to Highland General Hospital in Woods reportedly left the

He was arraigned before

Justice of the Peace Venora Cole who set the \$500 bond on the DWI charge. Woods was also fined

from a 1977 pickup at Culberson Stowers Chevrolet, 805 N. Hobart, and they took hood emblems from six new Chevrolets. The loss was estimated at \$175 Ten sheets of plywood were

and 508 Lowery.

reported taken from 2600 Cherokee. Police said thieves had cut the steel bands on a stack of plywood.

The Pizza Inn. 2131 Perryton Parkway, reported a gouple had walked out without paying a \$3.76 check

Stock market

Texas weather

By The Associated Press Thundershowers and small hail buffeted the area between Lubbock and Midland today while Texas forecasters predicted further thunderstorm activity in most sections of the

Golf ball-size hail and heavy

rain that forced motorists to travel less than 10 miles per hour on the highway was re-ported in the Denver City area of Yoakum County and in the vicinity of Woodrow. Strong winds, heavy rains and small hail were reported in Gaines County near Seminole.

Kape

(Cont. from page 1)

examinatins of rape victims in Amarillo. Ms. Harris said this is less traumatic than having a pelvic performed by a male doctor, especially for young girls who have never had a pelvic examination.

Ms. Harris said studies indicate about 40 per cent of the rapes could be prevented. "The thing is people just don't think it is going to happen to them. We encourage people to take measures to protect themselves," she said. "If they live alone. we say they should have a dog. Don't go up to a car to give directions; let people go to

about rape. "A lot of women have been programmed to think there is nothing they can do if they get in trouble, that they're just helpless

the gas station for information. We

encourage women to kind of use their heads

victims. She said homes and apartments should be given a thorough security check. In Pampa, residents may call the Pampa Police Station and ask for Lt. Det. J.J. Ryzman, crime prevention officer. Mills said the security checks are a public service

available at no charge. "When we talk about prevention, we say your main purpose is to stay alive," Ms. Harris said. "It (rape) is a degrading. horrible thing, but it is not a fate worse than

death. Death is the worst thing. It is humiliating for a woman to go through a rape trial. I can understand them not wanting to go through the trial.

Ms. Harris said attacks by the traveling

rapist have "put more interest on

prevention. We've gotten some reward money on the traveling rapist. Women are also advised to travel in groups whenever possible. Harold Comer, district attorney, said one of the definitions of rape is when a woman

is "compelled to submit by force, threats or The attacker does not necessarily have to

display a weapon, Comer said. If a woman has a reasonable belief that unless she protects herself she will suffer rape or death, she can defend herself by any means possible," the district attorney said. "It boils down to the word of the victim against the word of the defendant and the jury has to decide who is telling the truth. The judge will tell jurors they are the sole judges of the weight to be given each

witness' testimony and credibility." One of the major difficulties encountered after a rape has been committed is the attitude of people toward the victim. "People can be unbelievably cruel

toward the victim," Ferguson said. "We have problems with family members," Ms. Harris said. "Under Texas law a woman is her husband's property. There is a lot of anger in rape cases and it is often turned against the victim. One of our biggest problems is that sexuality is not talked about openly in families. Ferguson noted that the traveling rapist

has become more violent in his attacks on

women. The murder of Abbe Rodgers

Hamilton in Borger, if indeed it was the

work of the traveling rapist, would be the first time he has killed a victim. "I think he probably thought he murdered the Hereford victim," Ferguson said. "But she survived ... I think it is the The Amarillo detective stressed the

danger to women throughout the

Panhandle. The rapist has struck in

Amarillo, Canyon, Hereford and, possibly, "A rapist with this much time to spend can drive to different towns. Women need to protect themselves. In Pampa women may feel safe because he hasn't struck there, but he could drive from Amarillo to Pampa in less than an hour. People need to think minutes, not miles," Ferguson said. And not all protection efforts should be

directed against the traveling rapist. Ferguson said, "There are other rapists active in the Panhandle. I just hope we don't have two like this one (the traveling

Toos Faber, spokeswoman for the Justice Ministry, said there had been telephone conversations with the terrorists since

South Moluccans living in The Netherlands were instrumental

A fire caused by a flooded carburetor caused light damage to a 1965 Ford belonging to Lacy Lee of 1204 S. Faulkner.

eported at 8:52 p.m. Tuesday The car was at the intersection of Duncan and Worrell.

Dear Abby By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I'm half-crazy trying to find the recipe for your fabulous "can't fail" cheesecake. I cut it out of your column nine years ago, and whenever I've made it, I got raves. I never told anyone where it came from and never gave it out, and now I've lost it. Maybe God is punishing me for my selfishness. If I'd given it to just one friend, I could call her and get it back. - Will you please send me another one?

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"JUST DESSERTS" IN N.J.

DEAR JUST: Your letter gives me an ideal opportunity to say something I've been wanting to say for 20 years. I can't help you because you failed to include your name and address. If it appeared on your envelope you are out of luck because the envelopes are discarded when my mail is

Also, when I request something, I always enclose a stamped, addressed envelope for a reply. I feel that since I am asking for a favor, the least I can do is to provide the

This month I have had approximately 2,000 requests for information about the "Salvation Army Missing Persons Bureau," "Fat Fannie Panty Hose," my "Ten Commandments for Husbands and Wives" and the usual letters from students asking me to help write their term papers. All expect me to fulfill their requests and pay the postage as

So, dear readers, if you want a favor, the least you can do is include a stamped, addressed envelope.

DEAR ABBY: I knowingly broke the law by failing to file or pay my income tax. Knowing that I could be caught is driving me crazy. I'm even afraid to call the IRS out of fear that any questions will give me away.

Please, Abby, if there is any way I can pay now without going through a court proceeding and possible sentence, tell me about it. This is constantly on my mind and is becoming too much of a mental burden to bear

ANXIOUSLY AWAITING YOUR REPLY

DEAR AWAITING: Write to the IRS and "fess up." I understand that those who voluntarily admit to breaking the law are dealt with more leniently than those who are

DEAR ABBY: A friend of mine sent for your booklet on "What Teenagers Want To Know," and he said it was the greatest. I want one, too, but it says in the paper to send \$1 plus a long, 24 cent stamped envelope. Please tell me how long a long envelope is.

Your doctors may be in-

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and treatment by Dr. R.R.

Buchholz of the VA Center in

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1976). In normal people who

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Since your surgery was for

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Health Letter number 1-5.

Ulcers — Duodenal, Stomach.

Others who want this general

information can send 50 cents

with a long, stamped, self-

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Send your letter to me in care

of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New

DEAR DR. LAMB - I need

your advice concerning our

water supply. We had a well

drilled with a rotary drill 120

feet deep. Our pump is 10 feet

from the bottom. When we

boil this water the utensil gets

white and chalky from the

that would have any effect on

calcium won't hurt you. Some

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having the water tested for

possible contamination. The

well must be adequately

removed from any bacterial

source such as barn yards in

rural areas. Anyone who

wants to have well water

tested could check with the

nearest public water depart-

ment or county health office

to find out how to get this done

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

in his community

We would like to know if

DEAR READER - No. The

calcium in the water.

our health

York, NY 10019

DEAR FRANCIS: Nine inches long. Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope please.

Ask Dr. Lamb Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

treat these.

DEAR DR. LAMB - I have Tenderizer has been used to a problem with my stomach three golf-ball-sized phytobezoars to be exact. I am not mentally ill - I hope so have not ingested any hair or other matter.

After my gastrectomy in January 1975 I ate anything that a normal person would eat. No solution to my these are quite rare, and are problem is forthcoming other usually caused by persimanother operation. The surgeon has said so and I know so. I'm 5 feet 7 and weigh 90 pounds. I'm a widow of 60 and live in an apartment with two cats and hold down a full time

Do you know of any medicine I might take that would dissolve these things? Right now I'm afraid to eat. period. Puree mostly

DEAR READER - I suspect that the phytobezoars were formed from eating oranges. This problem occurs in a number of people after having an operation on the stomach - or cutting the vagus nerve to the stomach. They are masses of food fibers that are not digested. You are fortunate that these masses are in the stomach, and not obstructing the small

Among the foods that cause these are oranges (but not orange juice) figs, coconuts, apples, green beans, sauerkraut, berries, potato peel and brussels sprouts. These foods should all be avoided after surgery on the stomach

The oranges may be chewed but the fiberous sacks refill with digestive juices and pectin to form masses. You might have the same problem with

grapefruit.
Those in the stomach can be broken up and washed out. You may be surprised to learn that Adolph's Meat

Polly's pointers Polly Cramer

DEAR POLLY - My Pet Peeve is with advertisers and others who print instructions, etc. with black letters on a dark background. I admit I do have eye trouble but I have heard others with good eyes make the same complaint. — RUTH.

DEAR POLLY — I am an professional registered engineer

answering Mrs. C.L.R. who wants to repair her old pump type reed organ. I am pleased to advise her that the best way to restore these old organs is to install an electric suction fan to take the place of the bellows. - W.D.S.

DEAR POLLY - Today almost everyone wears a wig at one time or another. One of the problems is hair escaping, particularly in front of the ears. This is more often the case with the new short wigs and with the petite head sizes. I cut off one foot of old panty hose, about 14 to 16 inches from the toe, and stretch this over my hair, tuck it in and roll it up as far as I want. I secure the back and sides of the hose with bobby pins although it holds firm without them. Put the wig over this hair holder and find no hair shows. The wig also stays in place

tighter and does not slip. - MRS. A.B.S. DEAR POLLY — If you would like to keep your thin sliced bacon from curling up, lay it flat on the griddle and then pull up in two or three places to make puckers. The bacon will not curl up but will look crisp and nice after being cooked slowly.

DEAR POLLY - When he poured the concrete for his patio floor, my son was all prepared with a trowel he made himself. He cut a square section out of a gallon plastic milk carton with a handle and then tacked this to a board. It worked perfectly.

Polly will send you one of her signed thank-you newspaper coupon clippers if she uses your favorite Pointer, Peeve or Problem in her column. Write POLLY'S POINTERS in care of this newspaper.

New dictionary has the last words

By Norman Nadel

NEW YORK - (NEA) -Americans love dictionaries. According to a Gallup poll four years ago, 87 per cent of the population have a dictionary at home, no matter how old, how small or how inadequate. Equally surprising, 40 per cent of the people had bought their reference books in the preceding five years.

That is only one of several good reasons why new dictionaries keep appearing on the market, and why publishers consider them a good investment of time, talent and money.

How come they're so popular? Nobody knows for sure, but Walter D. Glanze has an idea. A linguist fluent in a number of languages, and equally learned in science and mathematics, he is senior editor of the reference department at Bantam Books, Inc., and managing editor of "The Scribner Bantam English Dictionary," newly published (80,000 words, \$8.95 plain, \$9.95 thumb-indexed).

'When you start a dictionary, as we started this one 10 years ago," muses Glanze, 'there are many motives: the profit motive, the scholarly challenge, and figuring out

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Nonfiction

perience.

1. Roots, Alex Haley

2. Passages, Gail Sheehy (Dut-

3. Your Erroneous Zones,

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suburban living.

(Doubleday). A powerful

statement on the black ex-

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Wayne W. Dyer (Funk &

Wagnalls). A little self-help.

(Knopf). Growing up in

Hollywood as the daughter

Simon & Schuster). Grow-

ing up in Washington as the

counsel to an infamous

6. The Grass is Always

Greener Under the Septic

Tank, Erma Bombeck

(McGraw-Hill). The joys of

(Macmillan). Sex, sex and

Leon Jaworski (Reader's

Digest Press). The

Watergate special

prosecutor tells his version.

Beverly Sills (Bobbs-

Merrill). Is that any name for

(Putnam). Life in the out-

9. Bubbles: A Self-Portrait,

10. Intermission, Anne Baxter

a prima donna?

7. The Hite Report, Shere Hite

8. The Right & The Power,

4. Haywire, Brooke Hayward

5. Blind Ambition, John Dean

how to make a dictionary not only different but better, more useful.

"In almost every country in the Western world there is a regulative agency for language: the Academie Francaise in France, and similar bodies in Spain, Italy, Germany. But there is no such body in English. England does have an Oxford-Cambridge upper-crust orientation, as a kind of unofficial guide to what is right or wrong, in usage and pronunciation.

"In America there is no such orientation. My speculation is that the tremendous popularity of dictionaries here can be ascribed to the absence of a regulative authority. People almost stand in awe before the dictionary, which becomes the agency to determine spellings, meanings and

big a book it should be. "It would have been easier. simpler and less expensive to do a dictionary 50 or 60 per cent larger," explains managing editor Glanze. "Keeping a dictionary down to 80,000 reference words takes more mental effort than doing one of 120,000 or 130,000. We

John Cheeve

1. Falconer, John Cheever

2. Oliver's Story, Erich Segal

3. The Rich Are Different,

in the grand tradition.

and power in Florida.

6. Raise the Titantic!, Clive

ship that couldn't sink.

7. The Crash of '79, Paul E.

Erdman (Simon & Schuster)

The BIG Crash (still to come)

and what happens after it.

(Delacorte). A roman a clef

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Robert Ludium (Dial)

Another dandy Ludlum, but

more than you might expect.

Gardner (Knopf). An ex-

ploration into art and life in

an odd novel within a novel

8. The Users, Joyce Habe

Haber knows very well.

9. The Chancellor Manuscript

10. October Light, John

Trinity, Leon Uris (Doubleday). Gripping saga

of Ireland and its troubles.

Condominium, John D.

MacDonald. No Magee here

but a dandy story of greed

Cussler (Viking). Carefully

constructed thriller starring

(Knopf). Not your ordinary

(Harper & Row). Yes,

Oliver's back and somebody

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Susan Howatch (Simon 8

Schuster). Historical gothic

"Best sellers" aren't necessarily what people are actually

Fiction

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reading. This list, prepared by the American Library

Association, is based on most-requested books from the

shelves of libraries in 150 key cities around the country.

An early and vital decision

in dictionary-making is how

thought there was little purpose in adding another longer dictionary to the several at

Dr. Edwin B. Williams, general editor of this new larger desk dictionaries still words for reference.

written with relatively small Version of The Bible gets by with 6,000 different words.

hand."

work, who died two years ago at the age of 83, had made a number of preparatory studies. He found out that in most cases, people who have use no more than about 80,000

Glanze assumes, as did Williams, that if you don't find a word in the 80,000-word book you will go directly to the two biggest: Webster's Third (460,000 words) or Random House (260,000)

However, even 80,000 is far more than most Americans know and use. According to surveys, the average American recognizes about 20,000 words. Very few actually use more than 12,000, and the average for ordinary speech is under 2,000. In some segments of society it is under 500. Not more than 15,000 Americans know more than 100,000 words.

But great works have been vocabularies. The King James

Homer wrote his epics with 9,-000 Milton used 11,000 and Shakespeare's dramatic vocabulary comes between 15,000 and 20,000.

According to Glanze, the new Scribner Bantam has a number of "Firsts:" for example, he claims it is the first to define "alkaline battery" correctly: "dry battery in which the positive pole is manganese dioxide, the negative pole zinc, and the electrolyte 30 to 40 per cent potassium hydroxide, and whose voltage is 1.5.

Among words included which previously had been in no other dictionary are: health food, psychosciences, tax loss, petrodollars, stagflation, videodisk, valet parking, Jimmy Carter, PLO (Palestine Liberation Organization), Benin (new name for Dahomey in West Africa), Belize (was British Honduras), Ho Chi Min

(formerly the city of Saigon). and street name (Wall Street colloquial for a stockbroker who holds a customer's securities in his own name).

labor unions, a Princeton

graduate who chose to work in

the New York slums.

Swanberg does a marvelous

job of bringing this giant of a

man down to readable size

and of skillfully intertwining

his life with some of the most

fascinating events in recent

Swanberg is also a Pulitzer

In the contemporary

thought category, Freudian

Prize winner for his biography

American history.

of Henry Luce,

He hopes the new reference book will be in use 50 years from now, but admits that changes probably will be made about every five years, as the language continues to change. "No language I know of has the flexibility and malleability of English," he says. "English can take any word and make it its own, by

changing the pronunciation, or ending, or meaning, or spelling. English has been absorbing everything for centuries.

Our Fathers," a book about

the two million Eastern Euro-

pean Jews who migrated to

America. The son of Russian

immigrants from the

Ukraine. Howe has an obvious

empathy for his subject. This

extraordinary book examines

with great care and feeling

everything from living con-

ditions on the Lower East Side

to Jewish contributions to

categories of children's

literature, poetry and transla-

tion were, respectively,

Katherine Paterson for "The

(Crowell), Richard Eberhart

for "Collected Poems: 1930-

76" (Oxford University Press)

and Li-li Ch'en for "Master

Romance: a Chinese

Chantefable' (Cambridge

University Press)

LUNCH AT:

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Winners in the remaining

American culture.

About books

Good writing rewarded

Capsule reviews prepared by the American Library Assn

By Carol Felsenthal

Although it's no longer uncommon for writers to get rich and famous, commercial success and public acclaim are still relatively rare. And, in any case, there's little correlation between "doing well" and writing well.

That's why awards that recognize good writing are so essential. They give authors who aren't glamorous or trendy or outrageous enough to qualify for talk show stardom the recognition and sales their

books deserve. Although winning a National Book Award (NBA) was once considered the highest of literary honors, the awards have recently fallen on hard times, particularly since their takeover two years ago by the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters. In fact, during the 28th annual awards ceremony in New York last month, gossip had it

Judges are chosen and members;

Silly though the above comment may appear, passing one's physical prime does not necessitate passing one's critical and creative prime. A THE SPECTATOR BIRD by Wallace Stegner (Doubleday, \$6.95.) NORMAN THOMAS: THE LAST IDEALIST by W.A. Swanberg (Scribner's, \$14.95.) THE USES OF ENCHANTMENT by Bruno Bettelheim (Knopf,

WORLD OF OUR FATHERS by Irving Howe (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$14,95.)



Wallace Stegner

child psychologist Bruno Bettelheim won for "The Uses good case can be made for all of Enchantment: the Meaning the 1977 NBA winners. and Importance of Fairy The Spectator Bird" by Tales," a convincing plea for veteran novelist Wallace parents to expose their Stegner is an entertaining, tightly-written novel about a 69-year-old arthritic man. "I am just killing time till time

gets around to killing me' protagonist Joe Allston broods as he reflects on his uncommitted and rootless life as a "wisecracking fellow traveler in the lives of other people and a tourist in his own." In the midst of a bland retirement, he and his wife are forced to confront an unsettling incident which occurred 20 years earlier.

Stegner's past work includes "Big Rock Candy Mountain" and the Pulitzer-Prize winning novel "Angle of

In the biography category, W.A. Swanberg won for his intriguing biography of Socialist Norman Thomas - the man who ran for president six times, for Congress, for the U.S. Senate, for Mayor of New York, for Governor, for Alderman, even for Borough President of Manhattan and who managed to chalk up an unbroken record of decisive losses. "This moment is unique in Thomas' career. Swanberg said in his acceptance message, "At last, nine years after his death, Norman Thomas has won.'

Thomas was an enigma - a Presbyterian minister who died an agnostic, a Socialist who was a thorn in the side of Duncan Insurance Agency

wants you to meet

Brian Duncan



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children to folk literature. The message of this jargon-laden, **STOCKADE** and alternately sensitively and clumsily-written book, is that exposure to faily tales is 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. essential to a child's **CHOPPED** emotional maturation. While Bettelheim's Freudian interpretations of classic **STEAK** fairy tales are enchanting and his case for the power of folk \$**1**59 literature is solid, his dismissal of the rest of children's literature as shallow is unconvincing. **CHICKEN** Irving Howe won in the

history category for "World of

Lovett Library lists newbooks Non-Fiction

Bernard Haldone's "Career Satisfaction and Success," John Richard Young's "Schooling for Young Riders," Eugene Kennedy's "On Becoming a Counselor," Laura Torbet's "How to Do Everything with Markers," Time - Life's "The Birth of Writing," E.B. Potter's "Nimitz," Volta Torrey's "Wind

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BOOK REVIEWS

authorities think it might help you. With such a deep well you are not likely to have contamination from surface PRAYER. By Joan Didion. Sidrainage, but for most home mon & Schuster. 272 Pages.

Joan Didion examines delusion with the exactitude of a master jeweler about to split a precious stone in her fine new novel. "A Book of Common

Miss Didion places delusion and reflect the light from all possible angles. She observes how the surface colors change and looks deeply into the center, only to find that the light has once again scattered that the interior has dissolved Hence, the line between that

from complications. In Boca Grande, Charlotte is swept up by the shaky politics of a republic in upheaval and

and the edges have merged. which is real and its opposite shifts with kaleidoscopic rapidity in Boca Grande. an imaginary Central American country

in which the novel is set. Charlotte Douglas has arrived in the country for an extended visit. Her passport states that she is a tourist but she is in fact a woman who has undertaken the hazardous personal mission of unloading the freight of the past and living the present in a state of semi-

reality and ethereal optimism. She left her second husband to travel with the man she divorced, who is debauched and dying, and she leaves him behind for Boca Grande. Her daughter. Marin, a student terrorist. commandeered a jetliner. bombed it and disappeared. Her attempt to have another child at age 40 resulted in a premature infant who died

A BOOK OF COMMON becomes a chance casualty to a revolutionary coup, a romantic idealist who dies hopeful.

A Book of Common Prayer is a novel of many subtleties plugged into a high-current outlet. It is a complex, fascinating work. Miss Didion's language is characteristically spare and artfully understated, but it is not as lean as her last novel. "Play **Associated Press**

> THE CHANCELLOR MANU-SCRIPT. By Robert Ludlum. Dial. 448 Pages. \$10

Taking off on the premise that fiction can be closer to truth than reality itself. Robert Ludlum builds his novel on the claim that FBI chief J. Edgar Hoover did not die a natural death but was assassinated.

Carrying this a step further. Ludlum contends that Hoover possessed a mass of damaging data on the backgrounds of prominent people that could have prompted many to want to see him out of the way.

The action centers around Peter Chancellor, a popular young novelist who was persuaded to abandon a budding career as an investigative writer and turn to fiction instead by Inver Brass, a secret organization of national leaders operating as a sort of shadow government.

With a combination of luck and daring that strains credulity at times. Chancellor personally takes on the titans of Inver Brass who have been using him as bait to ensnare those they wanted to exploit.

> Tom Hoge **AssociatedPress**

that this year's awards might

be the last The publishers and literary critics who were predicting the NBA's demise charged that the sober, proper Academy had zapped all the energy, creativity and excitement, not only out of the ceremonies - which were once invigorated by chic parties and political tensions but also out of the choices.

presided over by Academy Academy membership, while a great honor, is also a belated honor. It's true that the Academy's roster reads like a "Who's Who" of creativity - Saul Bellow, Truman Capote, Lillian Hellman, Henry Miller, Tennessee Williams, Andrew Wyeth and Leonard Bernstein among others - but there's no denying that gray heads dominated when the

for a press conference. The fiction jury, which included Orville Prescott, New York Times literary critic, 1942-46, praised its choice, 'The Spectator Bird," for, of all things, its "sensible

judges and winners assembled

ORIGINAL OIL PAINTINGS

Sue Rattiff

On exihibition at-

las pampas galleries

Sue Ratliff, from Littlefield, Texas, will be one of the featured artists at the June fourth and fifth exhibition at las pampas galleries. Sue will present oil paintings that reflect her love of people and the Southwest Among her collection are various paintings of Indians The popularity and rapid success of her work can be attributed to her use of vivid colors used in a subtle manner so as to create a unique mood for each individual painting. The public is invited to attend the show and visit with Sue and the other artists and view their

Saturday June 4, 7-9 p.m. Sunday June 5, 1-3 p.m.





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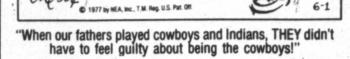
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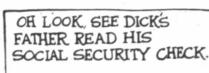
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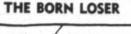


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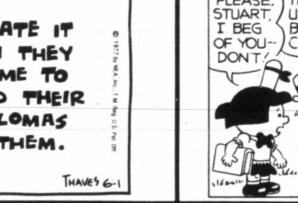
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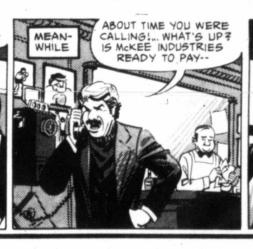








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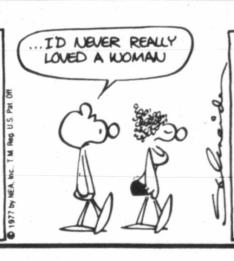


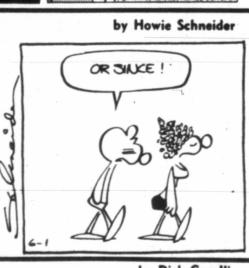




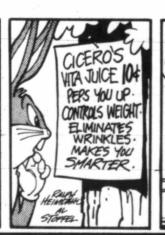








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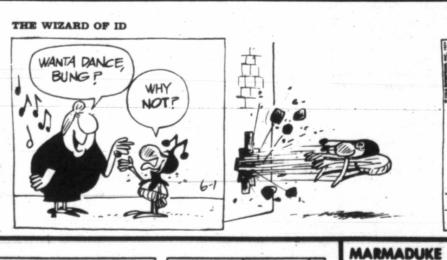




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SHORT RIBS

JUPITER IS IN THE



LINED UP







by Frank Hill IT'S TIME TO ASK THE FOR A RAISE!

"Did you ask Marmaduke to help you with your rock collection?"

Portland knots series, shuns Blazermania

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) -Blazermania may be sweeping the city of Portland, but all is calm with the young basketball

"I'm not impressed." said a grim-faced Maurice Lucas after the Trail Blazers routed the Philadelphia 76ers 130-98 Tuesday night, tying their National Basketball Association championship best-of-seven series 2-

"I won't be impressed until we win the final game," the 6-

games into the 1977 baseball

season, the New York Mets

have decided to start all over

So, forget if you can that 15-

29 record that was the worst in

the major leagues. Remember

instead that under new Man-

ager Joe Torre, the Mets are

The new start, after all, had

to begin somewhere. The Mets

decided the best place would be

So Torre was named pilot of

the club Tuesday night and

broke in with that rarest of

Shea Stadium commodities, a 6-

2 victory over the Montreal

Expos. It was a game in which

the Mets hustled from start to

finish, another commodity that

had not always been in evi-

Torre. "They seemed to be try-

ing for me. After they do it for

me. I hope they do it for them-

The Mets had lost six straight

"They played like heck," said

dence this season.

in the manager's office.

undefeated

foot-9 Portland forward said. "I'm not excited, just ready."

Lucas and his teammates had everything their way in Game Four. Guard Lionel Hollins, who hit just four of 17 shots in the third game of the series. made nine of 16 Tuesday night and led all scorers with 25 points. Lucas had 24 points and 12 rebounds. And both sat out most of the final quarter as Coach Jack Ramsay employed

his reserves. But there were no whoops of

Hustling Mets romp

lack incentive.

didn't think so.

he said

in Torre's pilot debut

and nine of 10 under Manager

Joe Frazier when time ran out

on him. Worse than the losing

streak, the team seemed to

"It makes an awfully long

The club seemed to retract

its collective resignation after

the change in pilots. A 12-hit at-

tack that included three dou-

bles and a triple made it al-

most easy, even though Torre

"It's easier playing. I think."

But his new job was not ex-

actly a surprise to him. The

Mets' brass had asked him out

about managing more than a

week ago when the club started

going sour. And Torre, who re-

ceived a contract for the bal-

ance of this season as well as

1978 and 1979, started doing his

homework early. One assign-

ment was versatile Lenny

Randle, who has played a half-

"I tried to be inconspicuous

about it," said Torre. "I kind of

dozen positions.

year if you quit in May." said

joy or wild celebrations in the Portland locker room.

"The margin of victory is not significant," cautioned Ramsay. "It's just a victory. We're now in a three-game series and two of the games are on Philadelphia's court.'

He meant that two straight home-court triumphs had gotten the Blazers back where they started when the series began, needing a victory on the 76ers' court. They will get their chance Friday night in

casually asked him if he had

Randle, who had a single

double and two walks and

scored twice Tuesday night, re-

"I told him I had and then I

But Randle was smart

Then I told him there were

enough to know something was

only two places I hadn't been

on a baseball field-in the bull-

pen and behind the bat. And I

said, 'Please don't put me

For the moment, Randle does

not have to worry about that.

Torre plans to use him as the

regular third baseman with vet-

eran Felix Millan, benched in

Frazier's final weeks, returning

to fulltime duty at second. John

Milner, platooned by Frazier,

will be the regular first base-

man. He celebrated that move

with a pair of broken-bat sin-

gles against the Expos that

asked him why." the utilityman

said. "He told me he had a bet

ever played third base."

called the conversation.

I said 'Well, you win.'

team." said Blazers guard Dave Twardzik. "When Philadelphia won that first game. you would have thought it was the seventh game of the series

the way they acted."

"We're not a very emotional

pressed by their own awesome show of basketball strength Tuesday night, the 76ers were. "Every time they touched the ball it went in," sighed Phila-

delphia's Darryl Dawkins. "We

If the Blazers were not im-

were blitzed." The Blazers hit nine of their first 10 shots, ripped open a 19-4 lead five minutes into the game, and Philadelphia never got any closer than 11 points after that.

"Portland was super, absolutely super," said 76ers Coach Gene Shue. "They took control early. They threw us out of whatever we wanted to do. They were in complete control. In fact, it was barely a game."

It appeared Philadelphia would get a chance to make a run at the Blazers when Portland's Bill Walton drew his fifth foul and left the game with 7:02 remaining in the third quarter and the 76ers trailing 71-57.



Without a manager or wife

Bruce Lietzke is the hottest new golfer on the pro tour, finishing last season with earnings of just under \$70,000. What makes the 25 - year - old unique is that he has no manager. "Maybe the long run will prove me an idiot," says Lietzke in an interview in Golf Digest. "But I don't want anybody telling me which tourna-ments I should play and which I shouldn't." Lietzke's freedom means so much to him that he also remains happily unmarried.

Rumors haunt Lucchesi

Asked if he thought the in-

cident was blown out of propor-

tion. Lucchesi said "You people

have a job to do. If there's a

Lucchesi wasn't saying so but

story you have to stay with it.

Robinson obviously had second-

guessed his manager, and it

the sky clears and I think

that's what will happen here."

He added "I don't want to go

down in history as the first ma-

jor league manager to be as-

saulted by one of his players. I

Tornadoes come and then

didn't sit lightly.

said Lucchesi.

By DENNE H. FREEMAN AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) - A tornado went over Frank Lucchesi's house Tuesday on the Texas Ranger manager's off

day.
"That's all I need," Lucchesi quipped.

But maybe my luck is changing ... it didn't hit anything," he added.

Lucchesi, the insiders are whispering, is under fire. Offices pools are making predictions on just how soon Lucchesi will be sacked after majority owner Brad Corbett re-

turns from Europe. "I don't see why there's all that speculation when we are only five and one-half games out of first place," said Lucchesi. "Now, if we were in last place some 12 to 13 games out

I'd be very concerned. day trying to make telephone contact with executive vice president Eddie Robinson.

"H was out," said Lucchesi. Lucchesi was the target of a Robinson telephone call Monday between games of a doubleheader loss to Seattle. The 48-year-old Ranger skipper angrily shouted in the clubhouse That bleep should be general manager instead of executive vice president.

Obviously, Lucchesi meant 'manager' since Danny O'Brien is the team's general manager

Headlines proclaiming "Two losses and Clubhouse Incident Rock Rangers" and "Lucchesi, Robinson engage in Dispute Between Games" were splashed across two of the local news-

Be prepared for

Penn is expected to be tested by Syracuse in the opening round Thursday of the varsity eight-oared crew competition in the 75th Intercollegiate Rowing Association championships.

Lucchesi, of course, was re-

ferring to being punched by

Lenny Randle during spring

Penn favored

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) -

Penn and Cornell appear to be strong contenders for the heavyweight championship

room - has provided over the last 63 years.

Vast tennis complexes are popping up all over the place from California to Boston to Miami - with courts stretching as far as the human eye can see. Private promoters have pumped millions into worldwide tour tournaments - the Grand Prix, WCT, Virginia Slims, WTT, you name it.

Hills - even with all its

snobbery and lack of elbow

Yet none has been able to eclipse in interest and exposure those old standbys of the game's primitive years - Wimbledon, Forest Hills, Roland Garros in Paris and Kooyong in

Wimbledon, the Mother Queen of all tennis tournaments, 100 years old this year. has, thank goodness, stoutly resisted change. Its grass continues green and lush. Old ladies still sit on the lawn and eat strawberries and cream. The Queen, dukes and princesses rarely miss a day in the Royal

Stuffy? Sure. But there still is a majesty about the event that can be found in few other sports spectaculars. Imagine moving the All-England Championships to Trafalger Square or Blackpool

If we can save Grand Central Station from extinction, why not Forest Hills?

Karate lessons set

Community Center will offer a series of new Karate lessons beginning June 7. A progressive class for those who have taken Karate before will meet on Tuesday nights beginning June 7 from 6:00-7:30 p.m. A beginners class will meet on Wednesday nights beginning June 8 from 6:00-7:30 p.m.

By WIII GRIMSLEY

AP Special Correspondent

A precious piece of Ameri-

Tradition takes another blow

W.E. "Slew" Hester, Jr., new

sociation, paints a grandiose

picture - 32 hard-surface

courts, 1,875 parking spaces, a

new stadium seating 21,000 and

departure from West Side's

stuffy country club atmosphere.

To most of us longtime tennis

buffs, it leaves us cold. It

looms as just another \$5 million

slab of concrete partitionaed by

The flavor is gone. No

amount of money, no plethora

of artificially surfaced asphalt

courts can buy what Forest

steel wire and nets.

Cost of the classes for an eight

The Pampa Youth and week course is \$20.00 for members and \$28.00 for

> conduct both of these classes. **************** Dan Carte salutes the customer

> > of the day -

Jimmy McBroom

non-members. Don Carter will

Houston foils LA again

pitcher James Rodney Richard says he pitches the same against the National League Western Division leading Los geles Dodgers as he would against anyone else-even Ja-

"If they are standing up right they are dangerous," Richard said Tuesday night after he hurled a 7-hit 5-2 victory over the Dodgers, extending LA's losing streak to four in a row and assuring Houston of its first series victory since April 28. "They're no different just because they're in first place."

record at 4-4, got off to a slow start against the Dodgers, who took a 2-0 first inning lead on Steve Garvey's two-run double after Ted Martinez and Reggie Smith had singled.

"I've been falling behind at the beginning of the game. said Richard, who last season became only the second 20game winner in Houston's history. "I may have to start warming up longer or pitching between times to keep my

After allowing back to back singles to start the third by Da-

Richard, who evened his

LAS CRUCES, N.M. (AP) -The commissioner of the Missouri Valley Conference says there's no fine print in a national letter of intent

MVC boss puzzled

Mickey Holmes said Tuesday he found it "exceptionally difficult" to understand how persons could not realize they were signing a national letter. He described the disclaimer of a national letter as being in "rather bold print."

Two Marshall, Tex., high school basketball stars, Roshern Amie and Anthony Burns, said last week they were bamboozled into signing national letters of intent to attend New Mexico State University in Las Cruces

NMSU basketball coach Ken

at signing mixup Hayes said, however, there couldn't have been any misunderstanding, but he doesn't want any unhappy players and 'we will try to accommodate

> Commissioner Holmes said his knowledge of the matter was based only on news accounts, and he has not been asked to examine the situation. Burns and Amie said they

signed letters on May 4 but believed they were only Missouri Valley Conference letters of intent and not national letters.

A conference letter has the effect of eliminating only other schools within that conference from signing that player. Signing a national letter means a player cannot sign with any other four-year school.

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New York (Zahn 6-3) at Minnesota (Guidry 3-1), (n)
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St. Louis (Dierker 1-1), (n)
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New York at Montreal, (n)
Houston at Cincinnati, (n)
Houston at Cincinnati, (n)

ard, 44, retired 21 of the final 24 batters. Dusty Baker singled in the fourth and seventh innings and Rick Monday was in the ninth. This is a business to me.

Richard said. "When I go out there I am serious. I could be pitching against Japan and I would feel the same. I don't under-estimate anybody.

The Astros narrowed Los Angeles lead to 2-1 on Joe Ferguson's ninth homer of the season in the fourth inning. Enos Cabell's single in the sixth tied the score at 2-2 and set the stage for Houston's three-run

Houston won it on run-scoring singles by Julio Gonzalez, Willie Crawford and Cliff Johnson. Gonzelez' hit was the game-

Despite losing four games in a row. Los Angeles Manager Tom Lasorda is maintaining an optomistic approach.

Youth meet set

The West Texas Association of the AAU Junior Olympics will hold its Track and Field Preliminary Meet on Saturday. June 4th, at Amarillo's Tascosa High School

Competition will be divided into five classifications for both boys and girls: bantam (ages nine and under); midget (10 and 11) junior (12 and 13): intermediate (14 and 15); and senior (16 and 17).

Each of the divisions will include the 100 yd. dash, long jump, high jump, 440 relay, and 50 yd. dash. The juniors. intermediates and seniors will also compete in the 220, 440, and 880 yd. dashes, the mile run, shot put, and discus. Teams and

clubs will furnish field event

equipment Ribbons will be awarded for the first four places in each

Meet registration will begin at 8:30 on Saturday morning, with the events scheduled to begin at 10:00. Entry fee will be \$.25 per event per person.

Arrangements have been made with the West Texas Amateur Athletic Union for participants to register with the AAU on the morning of the meet.

The national sponsor of the AAU Junior Olympics is Sears, Roebuck and Company, with Kiwanis East being the local

League leaders By The Associated Press Tex. 65: Palmer. Bal. 63: Eck-ersley. Cle. 56

By The Associated Press
American League
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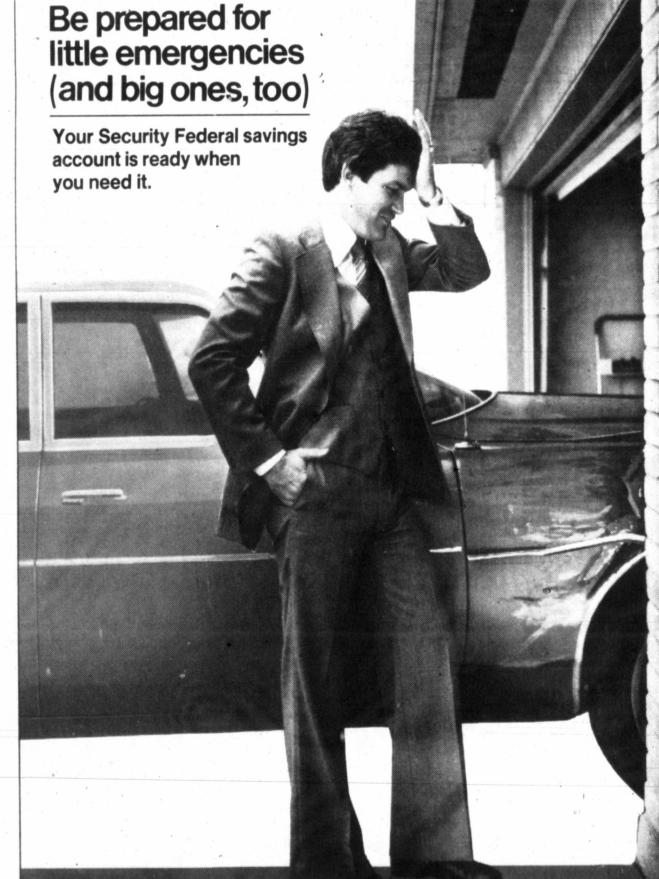
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Knapp. Chi. 5-2, 714, 5.19;
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Money crunch injures independent refiner

Associated Press Writer

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) -A chain of events touched off by escalating foreign crude oil prices is threatening the survival of Commonwealth Oil Refining Co., one of the nation's largest independent petroleum refiners.

Corco is in the midst of a financial crisis which executives openly admit may force it to seek reorganization under Chapter 11 of the Federal Bankruptcy Act. Trading in Corco's stock has been suspended and the firm is frantically seeking at least \$20 million in immediate loans.

Corco, which has all of its production facilities in Puerto Rico and is the commonwealth's latest industrial

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trak, the government-subsidized

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Amtrak said Monday the only

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accompanied by a paying adult.

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11 can ride at the normal half-

fare. Amtrak said children un-

run through Nov. 30.

nine cities

past several years. But the latest squeeze began last month.

Gulf Oil Corp. filed suit for \$9 million. It alleges Corco never paid for two shipments of crude oil, one from Venezuela and one from Cabinda, the Angola enclave where Gulf produces. In both suits, Gulf sought to

attach Corco's major bank deposits and its receivables. Corco was able to block the New York suit, but not the action in Puerto Rico. As a result of Gulf's actions.

a nine-bank lending group led by Citibank, has frozen \$20 million of Corco's major bank de-

A spokesman for Citibank has said the Gulf attachments prompted the lending group to step in to protect its interests.

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in notes that start maturing -Although Corco's net sales rose to \$1.1 billion in 1976 the company reported a loss of \$3291 million for the year, with

ing in the fourth quarter:

lion in long-term debt and

about \$37 million in short-term

debt. A major lender is Tesoro

Petroleum Corp. of San An-

tonio, which also owns about 37

The bulk of the debt, how-

ever, is under a long-term cred-

it agreement with the nine-bank

lending group. This agreement

consists mainly of \$140 million

\$26.7 million of the deficit com-

per cent of Corco's stock.

In documents filed recently with the Securities and Exchange Commission, Corco said it has experienced shortages of ash and working capital because of losses from operations and other factors

"This effect has in turn impaired the ability of Corco to meet certain financial tests contained in its credit agreement and to obtain raw material supplies at l'avorable prices under satisfactory credit terms," the documents said.

Gary W. Davis, president and chief executive officer of Corco at its San Antonio executive headquarters, told stockholders a month ago that unless the current financial situation is alleviated "it may be necessary for the company to seek the protection of the courts in a

ready come from the Federal Energy Administration, which has granted it some relief by adjusting the formulas it uses in its program to equalize differences in crude oil costs for U.S. refiners.

The refiner, which depends almost entirely on expensive imported oil, has argued that its receipts from the entitlements program haven't equalized its costs for imported crude and naptha with those of other U.S. refiners who have access to cheaper domestic supplies.

But Corco says the help is minimal. It had asked for relief totaling \$96 million from the FEA, but said it was granted only \$7.2 million.

The government entitlements program and Corco's huge petrochemical complex in Puerto Rico, which includes a 161,000barrels-per-day refinery, helped Tesoro decide to make its major investment in Corco in 1975. Joint venture agreements, arranged in the late 1960s, are another major source of financial

Corco says the long-term contracts, made prior to the quadrupling of foreign oil prices in the 1970s, now force it to supply chemical feedstocks to such joint-venture plants at costs below that of the raw materials needed to produce the feeds-

Other factors, Corco says, are high loan interest costs and a decline in demand for pet-

But "the main thing has been the burdensome contracts, really," said Dr. Robert West Jr., board chairman of Tesoro Petownership in the refiner. roleum, which has found its 37

per cent ownership of Corco to be an increasing burden. Tesoro paid \$83 million for the stock in June 1975 and has loaned Corco \$62 million to grounds. Corco's debt obligations also could be restruc-

Tesoro itself reported a loss of \$1.2 million for its fiscal first quarter ended Dec. 31, compared with a \$4.8 million profit in the same period a year ear-

"If it hadn't been for the (joint-venture) contracts, Commonwealth would be able to live with them (its creditors). but the contracts are becoming progressively worse as the OPEC nations force the price of crude oil higher and higher." West said in a recent interview.

West, however, sees no major threat to Tesoro as a result of Corco's problems

According to West, Tesoro might actually gain by a Chapter 11 reorganization of Corco, because "if it did this. Corco could re-emerge from Chapter 11 or whatever it would be in and be an ongoing concern.

"Quite frankly, that is what I would expect to happen if it does go into Chapter 11," he

"Chapter 11 is not necessarily doomsday or the end of the world, although many people think it is," said West.

As a major lender, Tesoro would stand in line with others Tesoro's biggest loss would likely come through its stock

West said he believed a reorganization of Corco under Chapter 11 would allow the so far. courts to reject or renegotiate some of the company's exisiting contracts on economic

Corco is negotiating with its major lenders to defer much of the company's commitments. The lenders' decisions to provide more lenient credit terms have allowed Corco to avoid

default on its debt obligations Additionally, Corco announced recently that the government of Puerto Rico and its

Puerto Rico Water Resources

Authority-a major Corco cus-

assistance in providing addi-

tional cash to the company. The aid, however, was conditioned on Corco's obtaining concessions from other lenders involved, including those who attached the company's bank de-

posits. And Ashland Oil has said it is considering making a major investment in the Puerto Rican



Soviet Union makes souvenirs

The early manufacturer catches the souvenir buyer appears to be a new Soviet motto. Artist Natalya Goncharova displays items for the 1980 Summer Olympics to be held in Moscow. The souvenirs are already in production at the Leningrad Decorative Glass Factory.

Country school teaches about life in the city

By MARGARET NELSON

Associated Press Writer HARTLAND FOUR COR-NERS, Vt. (AP) - The flatlanders are coming, and sooner or later they'll want to buy Chester Eaton's farm.

Eaton says running a dairy farm on 260 acres of upland soil isn't easy, but he's not about to sell. Eaton says when he looks across his land at the Connecticut River, all the mornings that begin at 4 a.m. in the

freezing cold are worth it. But it's the peaceful quality of this Vermont village and the view of the river that are the very things that are bringing what Hartland residents call "flatlanders" in droves Second home developments, aimed at city dwellers from New York and Connecticut, are driving land prices and taxes up.

Eaton and small farmers like him across the country have chosen farming because it allows them to be outdoors most of the time, because it's "good, honest work," because it's far away from the complexity and hustle of cities.

But as the land underneath their tractors increases in value, it is awfully tempting to sell the back pasture to a flatlander from "New Yawk Cit-ay" to meet the mortgage.

Farming also means 14-hour workdays and the constant spectre of financial insecurity. Sometimes selling or renting the land can make them just as much money with none of the backbreaking work.

You struggle all year, there is never enough time in the day to do what you need to do. You have to love it, or you wouldn't be able to stand it. " Eaton

Eaton shares the farm chores with his son, who also drives a bus for extra income. The family also sells maple sugar they make from sap from the numerous maple trees on their property. And just recently, they sold some hill land off in lots at the edge of the farm.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture notes that there are

operation today as opposed to 4.1 million just 20 years ago. Some of the attrition represents consolidation of small farms into larger more mechanized operations, but much of the It is easy to subdivide and is and is no longer being farmed

The flatlanders have got it. The department attributes the gradual demise of the small farm to the high cost of energy. rising taxes — as land becomes ever more valuable - the uncertainty of agricultural markets and the high cost of mort-

gage money. In the White Mountain resort of Conway, N.H., Dave Nichols and his wife say that people are always approaching them and trying to buy their land, which commands a spectacular view of Mt. Washington.

Land values in Conway have skyrocketed in the past 10 years. The high price of land, combined with the uncertainty of milk distribution outlets, mean there are only six farms

The town has no zoning ordinance and no building codes, and Nichols says developers have come into town like carpetbaggers and developments are cropping up "worse than

New Hampshire, in an effort to bolster the lot of independent farmers, has passed a "current use assessment law" which allows the land to be assessed on its worth as farm land rather than its value on the open mar-

In total, 42 states in the country have passed such current use laws to preserve open land as a natural resource. Two other states, Wisconsin and Louisiana, have amended their con-

In Michigan, where land values in rural areas are also escalating, farmers are countermanding their normally independent image and banding together to fight against high

The current use law might mean a difference in assessment of, say, \$300 an acre for

now only 2.2 million farms in farm land and \$7.800 an acre for land under development.

Farmland is particularly attractive to developers because it is clear, usually has good drainage and access to roads. rock five feet down to interfere with foundations

Vermont taxes its farmers on the land's value on the real estate market, but leaves assessing up to the local listers. In Hartland, the local listers are themselves farmers, and Eaton says assessments remain rea-

sonable But the tiny town sits between two major recreational developments — one in nearby Quechee and a second down Vermont 12 in Barnard, which has taken over almost one-tenth of the town. Real estate developers say that it is only a matter of time before the pressures

are felt in Hartland. Hartlanders recently attempted to plan for a future population influx by formulating the Hartland Open Space plan. The town planning commission spent almost a year drawing up the plan which would have given a tax break to residents who kept their land

The town eventually defeated the plan by a margin of 3 to 1. Opponents said they feared that their own property taxes would go up if the plan were enacted. In Vermont, the average farm was worth \$62,348 in 1969: the figure is \$120,200 now.

The state had almost four million acres in farms in 1950. as opposed to less than two million in 1977. In New Hampshire, the number of farms in the state has dwindled from 15,800 in 1950 to 2,600 today. The number of acres under cultivation has dropped from 1.8 million to

If the trend continues, it will change the character of predominately rural areas. And the people who travel there for the green landscapes are in for

State to pay attorney's fee

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Atty. Gen. John Hill's bill allowing successful plaintiffs in open records suits to obtain their attorneys' fees from government agents that withheld documents has won final passage

Representatives and senators pproved the compromise bill ithin minutes of each other Monday, sending it to Gov. Dolph Briscoe for signature.

Hill's staff and a House-Senat e conference committee drafted the compromise bill. At Hill's request, the comnittee withdrew its previous eport that contained a provicials to withhold documents if disclosure would cause a loss of federal funds.

Sen. Max Sherman, D-Amarillo, and Rep. Ben Z. Grant, D-Marshall, the sponsors, pushed the rewritten bill through to final passage without opposition.

A key provision eliminates possible penalties of six months jail and a \$1,000 fine for those who divulge information held confidential under the open records act's various ex-

torney general's department

used in a chilling and outrageous way.

In one instance, reporters for en El Paso newspaper were ar-rested for publishing a minor's arrest record. Charges later

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Kidnapers release ambassador

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala (AP) - El Salvador's ambassador to Guatemala, freed by leftist kidnapers with a bullet wound in his foot said he was hooded, questioned constantly and given two cups of

Ambassador Eduardo Casanova Sandoval, 58, said the kidnapers left him in a small canyon on the south side of Guatemala City Tuesday afternoon and told him to count to 100 before taking off his blindfold. He

said he removed it at 30. climbed out of the canyon and flagged a passing motorist who took him home

two days, he appeared in good condition as he received con-Casanova said he was shot in gratulations from diplomats. government officials and other Postmasters perturbed friends who called at his home. An underground leftist group kidnaped Casanova Sunday afternoon and demanded that a

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Postal Service, which increased salaries for its top officials without issuing a press release. is upsetting postmasters by going public with their pay.

'If a postmaster's salary is published, people in the town who make less money are bound to be resentful," a spokesman for postmasters

The public relations department of the mail agency, sending out news releases and letters to the editor, is disclosing information about area post offices, including the pay of the local postmaster.

As an example, a letter by Postal Service spokesman D. Jamison Cain, published in the Beckley, W. Va., Post-Herald and Register, informed readers that the Coal City, W. Va., postmaster earns \$19.044 in salary and benefits

Frank Miklozek, executive director of the National Association of Postmasters, charged Tuesday the Postal Service policy is designed to create resentment against postmasters. He said the move is part of a campaign to eliminate manypost-

master jobs. But Cain said the public relations effort is an attempt "to show how important the Postal Service is to the local econo-

Another Postal Service source expressed surprise that the postmaster association is complaining about public pay disclosure. He said the organization is suing the government over some raises that were

withheld. "I would think that they would be glad to have their salaries made known," the source

Although the Postal Service's

about salary disclosure top 18 executives received pay raises last month, no press releases were issued, Cain said, because all 18 are staying in

> The agency's top executive, Postmaster General Benjamin F. Bailar, now receives \$66,000. the same as a Cabinet official. Future executive pay hikes

their present jobs.

will be made public. Cain said. Miklozek also charged that the Postal Service, in publicizing postmasters' salaries, is "laying the groundwork" for closing post offices.

The Postal Service for years has eyed the potential savings in closing money-losing rural

A recent internal study said closing 17,000 of the 30,000 post offices would save \$490 million a year. Postal officials say that no such widespread closings told him they were members of the Popular Liberation Front in El Salvador, bút "they talked like Guatemalans. They did not sound like Salvadoreans."

The ambassador said he may have issued an order thought he was kept in a farmhouse and was forced to lie on policeman charged with exthe floor

"I had a hood over my head, and they questioned me all the time," he said.

The kidnapers' statement charged that Casanova was responsible for the disappearance of hundreds of "patriots and revolutionaries" during the 10 years he headed El Salvador's national guard, his country's

Meanwhile, U.S. Treasury Secretary W. Michael Blumenthal told a news conference the Carter administration does not believe "using terrorist means to fight terrorists or extralegal means to deal with people who are outside the law is a policy that can succeed over the long

Fowler quits Dallas FEA

DALLAS (AP) - Anticipated changes at the Federal Energy Administration's Dallas regional office began Tuesday with director Delbert Fowler announcing his resignation. Fowler called the action "a

the right foot during the kid-

naping. He said his captors

treated the wound and gave

him antibiotics. Although he

said he had nothing to eat for

five-page statement from it be

read publicly before the Inter-

American Development Bank's

board of governors, which is

holding its annual meeting in

The statement, read in four

languages to the 1,200 delegates

at their opening session Mon-

day, attacked the military gov-

ernments of El Salvador and

Guatemala and charged that

the bank and other develop-

ment agencies did not help the

The statement was signed by

the Guerrilla Army of the Poor.

which the police say is made

up of Guatemalan students.

Guatemala City.

routine thing" but changes have been anticipated since President Carter chose John O'Leary to head the FEA in January amid a congressional investigation of regional office

kept policeman from jail ficials reported they had recovered the money from Villarreal BROWNSVILLE, Tex. (AP) during an early-morning raid of a Brownsville service station. A Mexican federal judge

By MILLER BONNER

Associated Press Writer

which keeps a former Mexican

torting \$14,000 from a Kentucky

A spokesman in the federal

judge's office in Nuevo Laredo

would neither confirm nor deny

reports that Oscar Alberto Solis

Villarreal had obtained an

"amparo" which would shield

the former commandant of the

Matamoros Police Department

Villarreal is wanted by au-

thorities in Matamoros and

Brownsville for allegedly taking

\$14,000 from Perry Lee Greer

of Lexington, Ky. Greer and his

son, Perry Lee Greer Jr., filed

complaints in this border city

stating Villarreal had held the

younger Greer for more than 22

hours before his father deliv-

The elder Greer said he took

\$14,000 in \$50 and \$100 bills on

March 16 across the inter-

national bridge linking Mata-

moros with Brownsville and

gave it to a Mexican policeman

sitting in a patrol car. The

younger Grer, a student at

Southwest Texas State in San

Marcos, was released un-

harmed and accompanied his

father back across the bridge.

ered the ransom.

from arrest until his trial.

man out of jail.

Federal judge may have

The cash was returned to Greer along with an apology and vow they would capture "all the culprits" involved. More than two months have

passed since the incident, however, and Villarreal has not been arrested although a Matamoros policeman and the man in charge of the state police unit in Matamoros have been fired and are awaiting trial. But Villarreal, the alleged

ringleader of the group, is still "I don't think they ever will (arrest Villarreal)," said Cam-

eron County assistant Dist. Atty. Joe K. Hendley. "And I'll tell you why I say that. "A couple of Saturdays ago, a snitch (informant) told us

Villarreal was sitting in the Piedras Negras Bar in Matamoros buying drinks for his friends," continued Hendley.

"It seems to me like if he was there, he should be able to be picked up."

Ricardo Salacie, who returned to Matamoros after a two-month absence to replace the former head of the state police unit, said he doubted Villarreal was visiting bars with his friends.

We have two men looking for him full-time," said Salacie. Four days later. Mexican ofhelp and hiding on a ranch." Help from whom?

"We don't know," Salacie re-

Asked if Villarreal had obtained an amparo, Salacie said, "I heard he was going to get one in Nuevo Laredo but never

showed up before the judge." "When it gets down to local politics and mordida (bribery). you've got a local problem in Mexico and as to whether they will send one of their compadres to a Mexican prison. I doubt it," offered Hendley. "It is my understanding that Villarreal already has an amparo,

If captured and convicted in Mexico. Villarreal faces a prison sentence of "at least 16 years," said Salacie.

Villarreal, 44, and an American citizen born in Brownsville. is charged with theft of more than \$10,000; a third-degree felony, and faces a maximum sentence of 10 years in prison and a \$5,000 fine if convicted in Texas.

Lt. Lube Limas of the Brownsville Police Department said an arrest warrant was sent on April 7 to Gary. Ind. where Villarreal was believed to be visiting his brother.

"I don't think Villarreal was up there, but we sent them the warrant just in case he shows

STAMPS

Women get credit identity

WASHINGTON (AP) - The federal government believes a woman should have a credit

identity of her own. A Federal Reserve Board



WT honor graduate

Leslie Karen O'Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard O'Neal of Pampa. has graduated Magna Cum Laude from West Texas State University in Canyon. Miss O'Neal received a bachelor of arts degree in English. She was a member of Alpha Chi, national college honor society; Sigma Tau Delta, national English honor society; and Phi Gamma Nu. national social science honor society. She will attend Texas Tech

quires credit companies to meet requests to record information about a married couple in the name of both the wife

and the husband The rule is designed to aid women who become divorced. widowed or who want their own accounts

"If a woman gets divorced or widowed and tries to open a new account, it's very, very hard to do." a Federal Reserve Board spokesman said. "She has no credit identity. So this is an attempt to rectify this situ-

Asked if the rule might stir up a dispute among some couples, the spokesman said, That's a family matter

The new rule is a result of a 1974 law banning discrimination by marital status in the granting of credit. The Federal Reserve Board, which sets monetary policy, was instructed by Congress to write the regu-

Under the rule, credit card companies and some big merchants will mail out letters with their bills in the next few months describing rights under the Equal Credit Opportunity

"If your account with us is one that both husband and wife signed for or is an account that is being used by one of you who did not sign, then you are entitled to have us report credit information relating to the account in both your names," the

"If you choose to have credit information concerning your account with us reported in

and return it to us. The letter goes on, "Federal regulations provide that signing

and sign the statement below

your name below will not change or increase your or your spouse's legal liability on

The form can be returned to the credit company with the signature of either snouse

A Federal Reserve spokesman said the new rule applies to open-ended credit accounts. in which people can add to

not affect department store accounts which are open-ended only to pay off a few purchases, or most grocery stores or banks, which are covered by other regulations.

their accounts at will. It does

Names in the news

PORT STANLEY, Canada (AP) — Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians celebrate their golden anniversary Saturday at an Ontario club only a stone's throw from the place the orchestra first played in

Lombardo began his career here at Hopkin's Casino. The group will play at the Stork Club. only 2,000 feet from where the casino stood.

LOS ANGELES (AP) -'Charlie's Angels' begins production Wednesday for its second season, but Farrah Faw cett-Majors won't be in the epi-

The role written for Miss Fawcett-Majors will be played by Cheryl Ladd, who was signed last week to play her younger sister.

Miss Fawcett-Majors, 30, who had played Jill Munroe in the hit ABC series, told the producer last March she would not return. She said she planned to pursue a career in motion pic-

She said she hadn't signed a contract, but the producer sued, saying that accepting its terms and compensation amounted to the same thing.

Miss Ladd. 25. was signed to play Kris Munroe, either as a fourth angel or to temporarily step into Miss Fawcett-Major's role if she did not return. The other angels are Kate Jackson and Jaclyn Smith.

NEW YORK (AP) - An aide to Henry Kissinger says the former Secretary of State hasn't decided if he'll teach at Columbia University.

"He still hasn't made up his mind whether to accept the Columbia offer," the aide said Tuesday

A spokesman at the university said the offer of an endowed chair in political science was still open to Kissinger, and added. "The next piece of news on this is expected from Kissinger's office.

The New York Times said in its Tuesday editions that Kis-

singer might turn the offer down out of sensitivity to criticism of the offer and because other commit Washington would make the position incon-

PLAINS, Ga. (AP) - Amy Carter has a boyfriend and his name is Scott Roberson

Scott, who like Amy is 9 years old, brought Amy a foothigh stack of comic books from Plains to nearby Peterson Field, where he went Tuesday with the President's mother to meet Amy and her father.

Amy was clearly glad to see him. She greeted him before she greeted Miss Lillian, the President's mother.

"That's her boyfriend," said Miss Lillian, confirming it. They have just always been sweethearts," added Scott's

BEVERLY HILLS. Calif. (AP) - Wedding bells for heavyweight boxing champ Muhammad Ali and Veronica Porche, the mother of his 1year-old daughter Hana, will ring June 19 at the Beverly Wilshire Hotel, says a hotel

Arrangements for the wedding were made by Miss Porche, whose family lives in Los Angeles. Val Vaillancourt. the hotel spokesman, said Tuesday. The wedding will be in the Grand Trianon Ballroom with a reception in the adjoining Petit

It will be the third marriage for the 35-year-old champion and the first for Miss Porche, a fashion model in her mid-20s.

Ali's first wife was Sonji Roi. He has four children by his second wife, Kalailah Ali, formerly known as Belinda Ali.

The median family income of persons who bought homes during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, was \$21,615, reports the National Association of Home Builders. The median price of the homes they pur-

Homosexuals couldn't marry

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) - The chief sponsor of measures that would prohibit homosexuals from marrying each other or adopting children in Florida says they constitute "a message that we are tired of you and wish you would go back in the closet."

The bills passed the state senate Tuesday, 37-0 and 31-3. They've already been through the house, and Gov. Reubin Askew's press secretary said Askew will sign both.

"The problem in Florida is that homosexuals are surfacing to such an extent that they are

infringing on average normal people who have a few rights. too," said the sponsor, Sen. Curtis Peterson.

A late amendment to the adoption bill would allow any person turned down for an adoption to have the reason made public, in order to prevent rumors that the person could be a homosexual.

A Dade County ordinance prohibiting discrimination against homosexuals has attracted national attention and

Inspected



University School of Law Source unknown in supper club fire

SOUTHGATE, Ky. (AP) -Investigators say their theories about what started the Beverly Hills Supper Club fire are still just opinions," and they haven't agreed on where blaze broke

State Police Commissioner "indicates they did carry out Ken Brandenbuprgh said Tuesday that officials had all but ruled out the theory that the fire began in the basement. But State fire Marshal Warren Southworth said nothing had been established or ruled out

He added, however, that "there is no evidence whatsoever that arson was involved

When asked whether a basement generator is a prime suspect. Southworth replied, "No, I don't think so." He said officials are not in agreement that the fire started in the basement, which had been generally. reported over the weekend.

Meanwhile, Campbell County Coroner Fred Stine lowered the number of persons killed in the fire from 160 to 158. All but six have been identified at the makeshift morgue in a nearby armory.

Gov. Julian Carroll said Tuesday that the investigation of the fire may be completed sometime next week. But Brandenburgh said it would be at least a month before a report is

Southworth noted that the owner of the club. Richard > that caused it, but it seems log-Schilling, was notified by letter ical," Bailey said.

March 3, 1976, that Deputy Fire Marshal John Bramlage had discovered four deficiencies at the nightclub during an inspection Feb. 5, 1976. Southworth said an exchange

of letters on file with his office

(corrections of) those four defi-Schilling was ordered in the letter to install approved emergency lighting at several locations or repair an emergency standby generator to insure lighting facilities in case of

power failure He also was ordered to install an additional exit sign over a bar exit door

The letter ordered upgrading

of doors to protect storage areas and it also ordered the inspection of boilers by the boiler bureau of the State Fire Marshal's office One early theory on the fire's

origin centered on the small Zebra Room, where some waitresses said they first saw the flames. There was speculation that a smoldering cigarette in that room might have been the

Busboy Walter Bailey, who had directed guests out of the large Cabaret Room, said Tuesday that cigarette butts from diners' ashtrays were routinely folded into dirty linen before being tossed down the chute to the basement. "I can't be sure