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# Man-set fire chases Californians from homes

(AP) - A brush fire, fueled by bone-dry chaparral and fanned by gusty winds, roared down from the Santa Ynez Mountains

today, destroying expensive Spanish-style homes and threatening the downtown of this picturesque coastal community

Many executed by communists

conian measures pursued by the communist government in Cambodia are responsible for the deaths by execution, hunger and disease of "tens if not hundreds of thousands" of people, the Carter administration says. Outsiders can't state pre-

available to us, we have concisely the number of Camcluded that Cambodian authorbodians who have died since ities have flagrantly and systhe communist takeover in tematically violated the most 1975, said Charles H. Twining, basic human rights," Holbrooke the U.S. Foreign Service's exsaid, adding pert on Cambodia, in testimony Tuesday before a House intermitted offensive killings; fornational relations subcommittee cibly relocated the urban populooking into human rights violalation; brutally treated supporters of the previous government

Assistant Secretary of State Richard C. Holbrooke testified, however, that some "journalists and scholars guess that between half a million and 1.2 million have died since 1975."

The only thing that is certain, Holbrooke said, is that "the number of deaths appears to be in the tens if not hundreds of thousands

And he said he estimated that "for every person executed, several have died of disease or malnutrition or other factors. which were avoidable if the government itself had not followed the kind of policy which seeks to completely transform a society by applying purely draconian measures."

Holbrooke said the Cambodian government has refused to accept medicines from abroad that could have been used to save many lives.

Subcommittee members approved a resolution deploring Cambodian human rights violaHundreds of persons fled

tions after hearing the adminis-

Twining and Holbrooke

agreed in their testimony Tues-

day that the Khmer Rouge gov-

ernment is among the most

Based on all the evidence

They have ordered or per-

and suppressed personal and

After systematic killings in

1975 of Cambodians associated

with the deposed government of

Lon Nol, he said, the regime

began executing "all other in-

Cambodians marked for execu-

tion were shot to death, but lat-

er the most common form of

execution was "to hit the

people on the back of the head

with a hoe handle or an axe

handle" in what apparently

was an effort to save ammuni-

Twining said most information on Cambodia, which is vir-

tually sealed off from the rest

of Southeast Asia, has come

from refugees.

Twining said that at first

political freedom.

tellectuals

tration officials testify.

repressive in the world.

Seventeen persons were reported injured, most of them suffering from smoke inhalation or minor burns from wind-carried firebrands. No deaths were reported.

were destroyed.

the blaze which raged out of

control in the northeast section

of the city, less than one mile

from the city's courthouse and

about two miles from the Pacif-

ic Ocean. At least 150 homes

Shortly before dawn, the winds shifted and blew from the sea into the fire, then died down altogether.

At first light, five bombers and two helicopters began dropping chemical fire retardants on the fire.

The absence of wind was a hopeful sign for the 500 fire fighters who had been battling the blaze since it began around 7 p.m. Tuesday at Sycamore Canyon, near the Riviera, the city's most exclusive residential section where homes cost at least \$250,000.

Although the wind stopped, a U.S. Forest Service spokesman said he had "no idea at all" on when the blaze would be contained, the first major step toward putting it out. A fire is contained when a fire lane has been cleared completely around

The Forest Service and the city fire department provided the estimate of the 150 homes destroyed. However, a fire department spokesman said the number of residences damaged "would obviously be much higher, but we don't have any good idea right now.

Ken Bishop, a spokesman for He said he had never heard the city fire department, had of anyone being tried by a earlier estimated that "at court in Cambodia and that least" 200 homes had been demany of those who were exestroyed. He also said some percuted were simply marched out sons might be missing

of their villages and never There were unconfirmed reheard from again.

ports of looting but police and sheriff's deputies said they had made no arrests

Aside from the neighborhood known as the Riviera, the flames licked into Sycamore Canyon and Montecito and got as far south as the edge of Westmont College.

Rather than go to one of the seven evacuation centers set up by relief groups, many of the well-to-do persons checked into the numerous motels or hotels scattered around the city

Anguished homeowners used garden hoses to wet down their wood shingle roofs as fierce winds blew a storm of sparks and ashes ahead of the advancing flames, which could be seen more than 20 miles away.

It was the fourth major fire in 13 years in Santa Barbara. The others were in 1964, 1968 and 1971

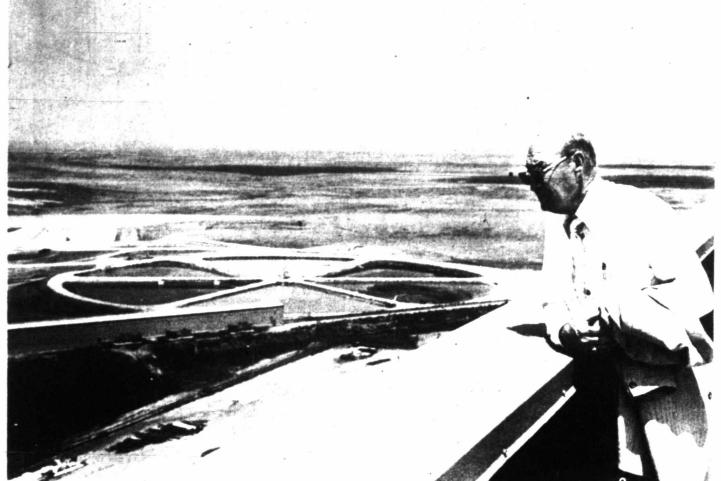
Fire fighters had a difficult time reaching the fire area because of the winding, narrow roads that made it difficult for trucks to pass. In addition large crowds of sightseers gathered along the roads, further hampering efforts to get at the

Police said they had received reports of looting and would arrest anybody who was not authorized to be in the area.

Dennis Orbus, a U.S. Forest Service spokesman, said the blaze was fueled by chaparral brush and eucalyptus trees, both full of oily sap. He said the fire started in the Los Padres National Forest and definitely was man-caused.

"It's completely out of control. We have no idea when we will have containment," Orbus save homes nestled in the mountain foothills.

The fire knocked out power in the city of 75,000 persons and emergency generators were being used. At least one injury was reported, but there were no immediate details.



Lots of energy

Melvin Kunkel, local manager of the Southwestern Public Service Co., looks over the surrounding countryside from atop the 17-story Harrington power plant near Amarillo. The plant has been operating for a year

with the first of three coal - fired generators planned for the site. Another plant with two coal - fired units is being planned for the South Plains, near Lubbock.

# SPS okays second plant

By THOM MARSHALL Pampa News Staff

The men in power at Southwestern Public Service Co. are so pleased with the performance of the first SPS coal - fired generating plant they voted Tuesday to construct another somewhere near Lubbock

Roy Tolk, chairman of the board of SPS. made the announcement during a press reception luncheon in the Harrington Number One plant which has been burning coal into electric energy for the past year.

About 150 SPS officials and newsmen from throughout the 45,000 square - mile area served by SPS attended the luncheon program and toured the 17-story plant.

A second unit at the Harrington Station is under construction and is scheduled to begin operating in 1978. A third unit is planned to go on the line in 1980. Each of the

Hill blasts Briscoe in Pampa

three Harrington units will have generating capability of 356,700 watts.

The South Plains plant to be built near Lubbock — exact location not yet determined. Tolk said - will cost about \$210 million and will have an output of about 550 megawatts. It is expected to be operating by 1982.

Frank Lee, director of public relations for SPS, said the new plant will be named the Tolk Station, in honor of the board

Plans call for a second unit to be operational by 1984 at the Tolk Station

In his luncheon speech, Tolk said that for the first time, SPS has added more than 10,000 customers in one year. The landmark came in June when a 12-month total reached 10.049 new customers in the area served by SPS.

That just shows you how dynamic this

part of the country is," he told the audience.

In order to generate electricity for its customers, SPS hauls a million tons of coal a year from Wyoming and has contracts with the mines for at least 140 million tons. A unit train currently makes the round trip every 100 hours - from the mines to the Harrington plant.

The 110-car train is pulled over an 800-foot trestle at the plant while the coal drops through doors on the bottom of each car. The entire train can be unloaded in 26

Pollution-control equipment required to keep sulpher and other matter from entering the atmosphere in coal smoke required about a third of the total cost of

The boiler stack at the Harrington Station is 250 feet tall and is lined with acid-proof brick.

both for good prices on products

leaving the state and to protect

the state's right to utilize its own

resources within its boundaries

In a question and answer -

period, Sam Haynes of McLean

asked if the University of Texas

will ever again have a

Hill replied by saying the

Southwest Conference is quite

competitive. Other questions he

fielded included ones

-a state lottery - "I'm not a

-the jail standards

commission - "It is quite a

problem at the local level. I feel

sorry for the Dallas situation. I

think we need to work with local

officials to build new jails. We

are a humane society ... We

don't need motels for the

He later commented to

Deputy Sheriff Nickols that the

attorney general's staff would

work up some guidelines for

county commissioners and

sheriffs concerning the jail

Speaking of other problems

confronting him, he said that

crime prevention and drug

traffic are high priority items

but concerning the illegal alien

situation, he said he is waiting

for President Carter to "come

"I want to see how Congress

As his visit closed, Carol Mackey, a Pampa teacher,

stood and said, "I've listened

closely. I like what you say. I

Other stops Tuesday included

down with a program.

sure hope you'll run."

will deal with it," he said.

competitive football team.

lottery advocate

opposed to bingo

inmates '

situation.

without federal controls

### Use of neutron bomb debated in Germany

BONN, West Germany (AP) cities that would result from - A growing debate over the possible stationing of the neutron bomb in West Germany may threaten tentative American plans to deploy the weapon in Central Europe.

Key figures in the ruling Social Democratic party have denounced the new bomb, which is designed to kill while causing relatively little damage to prop-

The defense committee of the Bundestag, West Germany's parliament, is scheduled to review the bomb when the Bundestag reconvenes in September. And Defense Minister Georg Leber has called for a public debate over deployment of the weapon in this country.

Chancellor Helmut Schmidt says more study is needed before his government can decide whether to accept the ultra-sophisticated weapon.

But Schmidt acknowleged to reporters that the neutron bomb could give the North Atlantic Treaty Organization "considerable psychological and strategic problems."

Discussion of the controversial weapon has dominated the West German press in recent weeks, and it has become the principal issue of debate in the West German capi-

President Carter says he has not made a final decision on whether to order production of the bomb although he considers the weapon to be in the United States' security interests.

Supporters of the bomb in Congress insist it is needed to counter the Soviet-led Warsaw Pact's superiority in tanks and ground troops in Central Europe. They point out the bomb could kill thousands of Soviet soldiers in a future European war without the destruction of

the use of conventional nuclear

The neutron warhead produces twice the deadly radiation of a conventional nuclear bomb but less than one-tenth as much blast power, heat and fallout The deadly radiation emitted is relatively short-lived, lasting no more than a few hours.

U.S. defense officials want to deploy the warhead on Lance missiles and artillery shells. Many of the bombs presumably would be stationed in West Germany, where most NATO troops are stationed.

The debate here over the weapon was launched last week by Egon Bahr, the Social Democrats' federal secretary, who wrote in a magazine article that the bomb was "a symbol of perverted thinking."

Bahr, who negotiated treaties with Poland and East Germany as part of West Germany's detente with the East bloc, said development of a bomb that kills people while protecting property made him wonder whether mankind has gone

Alfons Paweiczyk, Social Democratic chairman of the parliamentary subcommittee on disarmament, told a news conference the neutron bomb might block Western efforts to obtain an arms control treaty with the Soviets and an agreement with the Warsaw Pact to reduce forces in Central Eu-

But Manfred Woerner, defense spokesman for the conservative opposition party, the Christian Democratic Union, said the bomb "met German interests" and gave the West a good chance of countering Warsaw Pact ground forces in any

By ANNA BURCHELL Pampa News Staff The year 1979 is absolutely

the last chance we have to strengthen school finances before the court does it for us," Texas Attorney General John Hill said Tuesday in Pampa. Arriving by helicopter about

4:30 p.m. at the M.K. Brown Auditorium parking lot, Hill was driven to the Senior Citizens Center where he addressed an

estimated 200 persons — and left little doubt that he will become a candidate in 1979 for the governor's race.

Primary issues will include a reasonable maximum on property taxes and energy, along with school finance, he told a Pampa News reporter who rode with him and Mrs. Hill from the landing site

Mary Simpson of Pampa welcomed Hill and those who accompanied him. Gray County Chief Deputy Sheriff Shirley Nickols escorted the Hills and Mrs. Simpson to and from the helicopter, piloted by Joe Batson of Amarillo, former 31st District

Democratic Committeman. Hill spoke of nursing home problems in Texas and said he plans to investigate every one of

"There are some bad apples but most are in good shape,"

he said. Asked if more complaints on the homes originated in privately owned or chain - operated facilities, Hill replied that he had received

complaints from both He was introduced by Tim Haigood, president of the Top O' Texas Democratic Club.

"I don't think we can go along with the present governor," Hill said. "I want to see that Texas gets fair values for its products

and he didn't do so. (The attorney general talked of "the present governor" without once mentioning the name of Dolph Briscoe.)

"It would take very little to monitor the utility bills," Hill said. "Our elderly citizens have real problems and if we don't deal head on with property taxes, I don't know where it will He commented that the

produced in our state. We feel

that it is a battle that won't be

won overnight ... the governor

apparently has no influence in

Washington — if so, he hasn't...

Hill said "the present

governor" had an opportunity to

remove the tax from utility bills

utilized it.

governor has said 'no new taxes," but "just raised the old ones," and added that \$1 billion in new property taxes have been assessed in the state over the past four and a half years. Hill said one of the reasons he

is considering the governor's race is to help the property tax There are other reasons.

too," he said. "Public office is to serve in, not just ceremonial, not a place to come and go as you please. I'm embarrassed over some of the things that are not happening," he commented about the governor's office.

Hill said his priorities include education, taxes, senior citizens and nursing homes. "We'll improve the interests

of the people who help make this country," he said. "I assure you whomever I appoint will be alive and represent the whole state." Hill said he came to Pampa to visit with friends and "to test the He said he will complete a tour

of the state in August and an appreciation reception is set for Sept. 15 in Austin. He said he would announce his political plans soon after that

"We're certainly encouraged over what we are finding." he Borger, Canyon and Amarillo. Weather

Temperatures will reach into the low-90s today and the mid-90s on Thursday after an overnight low in the upper-60s. There is a chance of thunder showers tonight



Landing in parking lot

Attorney General and Mrs. John Hill arrived in Pampa Tuesday afternoon by helicopter which landed at the M.K. Brown Auditorium parking lot. The attorney general is expected to formally announce his candidacy for governor in mid-September. He spoke at the Pampa

Senior Citizens Center where a coffee hosted by supporters was held. Mary Simpson and Lois Wilkinson, who were in charge of arrangements said enthusiasm for Hill's campaign here is optimistic.

(Pampa News photo by Ron Ennis) Speaking of the energy

### The Pampa News

EVER STRIVING FOR TOP O' TEXAS TO BE AN EVEN BETTER PLACE TO LIVE

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To discharge this responsibility, free men, to the best of their ability, must understand and apply to daily living the great moral guide expressed in the Coveting Commandment.

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### The mineral shut-off

Energy and energy fuels are necessary to keep. the wheels of industry and commerce turning, and it is good that so much thought is directed toward solving energy problems. They must be solved if our economy is to remain healthy.

Those same wheels of industry must also have the basic material resources upon which to turn. Not much is being said about our dependence on many vital metals which we must import. Nor is there a great deal of awareness of the extent to which domestic production of basic mterials is being inhibited

Mineral supplies have determined the rise and fall of empires. They have created population patterns and the evolution of industry and the arts. But the present preoccuption with energy tends to obscure the basic role of minerals.

We are becoming more dependent on imports every day. Right now we import 29 per cent of needed iron ore and 85 per cent of the aluminum ore used. In refined metals we import 45 per cent of gold. 64 per cent zinc, 71 per cent nickel and virtually all of the manganese, tin, chrominium, graphite and cobalt. Some of these vital meals come from nations of political instability.

The need for greater domestic endeavor in procuring metal resources has never been greater. But demands for impossible environmental purity are placing too great a burden on the mining industry. On top of the proliferation of regulations and controls comes demands of more and more areas banned for

Mining has been called, "looking for Nature's needle in Nature's haystack." Minerals must be procured where they are, not where someone might wish them to be. Much of the untapped potential lies within public lands in the West. Yet governmental action has been closing more and more of these lands to mineral exploration. Almost three - fourths of these areas have now been declared off limits to mining.

Road building in these same areas has disturbed more scenic surface in this generation than all the mining which has or could be done since mineral development began. It is fine to have the roads so that people can enjoy the beauty and indulge in the recreation afforded.

Without mineral sources there will be no need for the roads. The cars, the equipment and even the necessities for back - packers depend on utilization of source materials

Mining can be allowed on public lands and still leave a vast overwhelming shade of them free for preservation of wilderness, wildlife, scenic beauty and recreation.

It is time for reality and logical perspective to supersede the prevalent emotional and irrational approach to this vital issue. We cannot afford the present fanatical activities engendered by pseudo environmentalists and implemented by career conscious politicians

Let's face the facts: this nation runs the risk of having its mineral supplies shut off abroad and locked up at home



'My personal inclination is to cut and run, but who the heck wants asylum in South Korea these days?

### Today in history

By The Associated Press Today is Wednesday, July 27, the 208th day of 1977. There are 157 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1953, an armistice was signed at Panmunjom, ending the Korean War after more than three years of fighting.

On this date -In 1789, the U.S. Congress established the forerunner of the State Department, the Department of Foreign Affairs. In 1922, the United States formally recognized the countries

of Albania, Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia In 1941, during World War II, Japanese forces landed in

In 1954, Britain and Egypt agreed on terms ending British control of the Suez Canal

In 1955, Austria regained sovereignty after 17 years of occupation by foreign troops. In 1960, a Republican Nation-

al Convention in Chicago nominated Richard M. Nixon for president. Ten years ago: President

Charles de Gaulle returned to France after causing a big stir in Canada by espousing indpendence for Quebec and canceling a meeting with Prime Minister Lester Pearson.

Five years ago: Britain sent 4,000 more troops to Northern Irish Republican Army.

One year ago: A powerful earthquake shook a wide area in Northern China, including the capital of Peking. The extent of damage and casualties was not disclosed.

Today's birthdays: Former big league baseball manager Leo Durocher is 71. Former World Bank President George Woods is 76.

Thought for today: Fishing is the chance to wash one's soul with pure air. It brings meekness and inspiration, reduces our egotism, soothes our troubles and shames our wickedness. - President Herbert Hoo-

Inside Washington

### The deuce is a loser

By Martha Angle and Robert Walters

WASHINGTON (NEA) - The Treasury Department, which has been having its troubles revamping the nation's coins and currency, has a new problem on its hands: the deuce is a dud. The \$2 bill that began rolling off the government's printing presses in April 1976 just isn't "selling." Although more than

500 million of the bills have been issued to date, only about 45 per cent of them have actually gone into circulation. Unless usage improves substantially over the next few years, Treasury will probably yank the \$2 bill off the market. From the government's viewpoint, currency is like any other product: if it doesn't "sell," it isn't worth printing.

The problem with the \$2 bill, according to government officials, is not ordinary consumer resistance but the reluctance of retail merchants to utilize and circulate the new denomina-

Supermarkets, convenience stores and other retail outlets have been slow to stock up on \$2 bills. This means relatively few are given out as change to customers and consequently. the bill has not obtained widespread circulation.

Officials say the merchants offer all sorts of excuses for not using the \$2 bill. Some claim they have no space in the cash register for a new denomination, although manufacturers of the machines insist there is an extra compartment which could be used for the \$2 bill. Other merchants fret about the possibility of employee carelessness in handling the bill, fearing it will be mixed up with \$1 bills.

"It's just a matter of habit, a reluctance to change procedures," said James A. Conlon, director of the Bureau of Printing and Engraving. "We have every evidence that the average citizen is receptive, and we're working now to bring the retail community around.

At one point, the Treasury Department planned a \$300.000 public relations campaign to promote use of the \$2 bill. But the idea was dropped when several top officials decided the taxpayers might look askance at an expenditure of more than a quarter-million dollars to promote a bill worth only \$2.

One helpful businessman sent the department a sample Tshirt emblazoned with a facsimile of the beleaguered bill and a slogan, "Use the Deuce!" He offered to start producing the shirt in large quantities as a patriotic gesture, but the Secret Service - which doesn't think much of any reproductions of official currency — confiscated the sample and vetoed further

The only place in the country where the \$2 bill has gained widespread acceptance is Portland, Ore., where executives of the Safeway supermarket chain and the Plaid Pantries convenience stores made a concerted effort to circulate the bill. As a result of their campaign, use of the bill jumped 2,000 per cent in just over a month. "The Portland experience

proves it can be done." Conlon said. There is a considerable potential savings to be gained if the government can persuade people to use the \$2 bill, since the printing of \$1 bills now accounts for 60 per cent of the annual

workload of the Bureau of Printing and Engraving. The Bureau currently prints about 1.8 billion \$1 bills each year, at a cost of \$15.25 per thousand. Because the \$1 bill is so heavily used, it has an average life span of only 18 to 20

But if the Treasury Department can ever achieve its original goal of replacing half the \$1 bills in circulation with the new \$2 bill, the government can save some \$5 to \$6 million

"It's going to take considerably longer than the five years we had expected, but the thing makes so much sense pragmatically that we just have to believe the deuce will win

doing.

A small, patriotic gyp?

# Interest in U.S. savings bonds soars

a handful of slack periods the

program has grown and

By Tom Tiede

WASHINGTON - (NEA) -It should not be easy to sell 6 per cent money in an 8 per cent market during times of nearly 10 per cent inflation, but the government is doing it spectacularly well. The Treasury Department says it is selling more U.S. Savings Bonds to more U.S. residents than at anytime since the end of World War II

Some \$709 million worth of Savings Bonds were peddled during May, bringing total sales for the first five months of 1977 to nearly \$3.5 billion. Both figures are unprecedented in peacetime America, and delighted officials of the program say they expect this year's sales to reach \$8 billion for the first time since 1945

But while the bureaucracy is pleased that at least one of its efforts is increasingly popular, there are critics who say it is now too popular. Some economists and politicians feel that the venerable Savings Bond is, if not a big fraud, at least a small gyp.

Nobel Prize-winning economist Milton Friedman believes the government should be ashamed of itself for selling securities that pay out less per annum than inflation takes away. And gadfly financial consultant Eliot Janeway says the bonds are a lousy investment, not even as

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profitable as a simple account in any savings and loan bank. Also, there is critic Fortney

'Pete'' Stark of the U.S. House of Representatives. Before politics he owned a bank in Oakland, Calif., where he urged customers to redeem their bonds and invest the money wisely. Today he still thinks Savings Bonds are a pipoff of consumers, adding he personally "wouldn't touch the goddamn things

To say the least, such criticism of Savings Bonds is unusual. Since 1917, when Americans were first asked to invest in "Liberty Bonds," and thereby help sink the Kaiser, the investment program has become steeped in emotion and patriotism. Even in the cynical 1970s, half of all Americans who save money save some of it in Savings Bonds.

The modern version of the government enterprise was instituted in 1935. The nation was then recovering from the Great Depression, and "Baby Bonds" were conceived as a way for people to "buy a piece of the nation's future." The program was touted as the first sophisticated investment specifically tailored to the workaday U.S. citizen

Then came Adolf Hitler. Baby Bonds were renamed 'Defense Bonds.'' and thereafter "War Bonds." Few cared that the investment return was a thin 2 per cent, over a 10-year maturity; it was wartime and the idea of personal profit had been replaced with one of national survival. In 1945 Americans bought almost \$10 million worth of the certificates.

Not surprisingly, bond purchases fell dramatically following the war. And for a time the government con-

### Capitol comedy

The administration figured out how to prevent Social Security from going broke. Start a retirement village in the Artic.

One way to save millions of gallons of gas is to design cars

Solar energy has always been popular in congress. On any sunny day the members rush out

that run by windmills.

Amin began to suspect England didn't want him to arrive when it fogged out the sidered getting out of the Savings Bonds. small securities market. Instead, it renamed the bonds once again, this time as Savings Bonds, and except for

profited for three decades. To date the government has sold \$230 billion worth of bonds, or more than four billion individual certificates. Clearly, it is one of the most phenomenal success stories in investment history. Jesse Adams, acting director of the Treasury Department program, says Savings Bonds

the world today. But for all its success and valiant history, is the program a good investment? Critics say no. Though the interest rate on bonds has been increased many times, to a current 6 per cent, and the maturity period is now only five years, even program directors admit it is not competitive with the simplest of

are the widest held security in

ordinary savings accounts. A Savings Bond will return only 4 per cent in the first year of its purchase; a bank savings account will return at least 5 per cent. As for money held for the long term, banks say that a \$1,000 certificate in a savings and loan company is worth about 8 per cent over a

six-year run, 2 per cent more

than the same amount in

Besides this, as Rep. Stark believes it, the government cheats Savings Bond investors with a dark form of economic discrimination. He says that while the ordinary citizen who buys Savings Bonds is given 6 per cent interest, the richer citizen who invests in larger

THE WORLD **ALMANAC'S** 

1. Passports for travel outside the United States are issued to American citizens by which authority? (a) U.S. State Department (b) U.S. Public Health Service (c) U.S. Transportation Department. 2. When it is 12 o'clock noon in New York City, it is (a) 11:30 p.m. (b) 10:00 p.m. (c) 1:00 a.m. the following day in

Saigon. 3. The architect who designed the White House in Washington, D.C. was (a) Stanford White (b) James Hoban (c) Frederick Law Olmsted

ANSWERS:

1. (3) 2. (C) 3. (b)

securities, such as Treasury notes is rewarded with a superior rate.

Concludes the congressman: "The program is scandalous For its part, the Treasury Department says that critics

of the bond program have a misconception of its aims. "It's not an investment plan," says Jesse Adams, "it's a savings plan." He grants there are ways for people to earn more interest on their money, "but there is no better way for people to save their money than with Savings Bonds

Evidently, millions of people agree with the Treasury argument. Americans are now saving \$73 billion worth of the bonds, and adding to it. Last year's sales should be up a half billion from last year. On the average, approximately \$1 million in bonds is being sold every hour.

A gyp? If so it is an immensely popular one. Surveys indicate that every third family now owns Savings Bonds. And 680,000 Americans are working as volunteer bond salespeople. The wars have ended, and so has the Great Depression, but bonds are as popular as ever; even critics concede that all government programs should age so

July 28, 1977

Friends in a position to help move things your way where your work or career is concerned this coming year. You must be willing to take the initiative and follow-up on their leads.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There's a possibility you may tackle a doit-yourself project around home that gets you in water over your head. Best you call in professionals VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) im-

today. If you fall on your face, regrets will be long-lasting. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're generous with those you love today, but you attach conditions to your gifts. If the recipients won't

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Act in accord with your impulses and likely to travel in a circle.

your offer

21) An opportunity may be offered to you today in confidence. To reveal its nature would be like sawing off the limb you're sitting on.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Though you are quite ingenious today, timing is all-important. If you try to implement plans prematurely, they'll fizzle

QUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You're an expert at getting your

Astro Graph

day. However, another may interfere in an attempt to block

pulses to get mixed up in risky ventures should be kept in check An affront like that would be very irritating.

agree to comply, you'll withdraw

intuitions today. The longer you mull things over, the more you're SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec.

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What well-known Detroit TV personality

law while being paid to uphold it?

on the 70th floor of the Plaza to watch seven

tons of fireworks explode over the river.

Booze and food were supplied by the host,

thus guaranteeing the presence of a herd of

press and TV representatives who would

watch your kids twirl sparklers in your

Bill Kennedy, Detroit's TV movie man,

was there, smartly attired in white shoes.

white pants, dark jacket, red - and - white

striped shirt, and white tie. I am detailing

what he was wearing so you will

understand my wife's consternation when

she discovered what he wasn't wearing.

backyard if the refreshments were free.

The back page It is a strange attitude for a woman

whose hobby is losing my socks in the dismayed my wife by showing too much laundry. But my wife firmly believes a skin at a fancy party in the Plaza Hotel? man's shins should be covered for all social Why was a Plaza house detective ordered occasions which do not require him to be to "get those people out" of a room on the under water or under sheets. 35th floor the night of the fireworks?

How did that house detective violate the My wife is bugged by droopy socks. Pat has proclaimed that socks should reach to IT'S GOSSIP TIME again. If you want the knees, tightly, so that when a man hikes the answers, keep reading (Don't you just his pants to sit down on the Johnny Carson program, no skin will show. My wife and I were invited to a huge suite

Our marriage was probably saved when Paul Newman crossed his legs on TV and revealed flesh between the top of his socks and the bottom of his trousers. I can now insist that Pat treat me with the love and respect deserved by a husband who looks better than Paul Newman, if only around the ankles

Anyway, you can imagine Pat's dismay when Bill Kennedy sat down and revealed no socks at all. Not a thread.

You may wonder why it takes me so long to get my news into print. It's because it takes me so long to walk to work. It takes so long because my socks are so tight they fight back. Often I am elasticized into taking three steps backward for every two steps forward. No one ever said it was easy to be more handsome than Paul Newman.

But back to the gossip. Coming down on the Plaza elevator. I stood next to a house detective carrying a walkie - talkie. He received a message saying: "A window has been broken on the 35th floor. Get those people out of that room. I envisioned a drunken brawl featuring

top-level Oldsmobile and Chevrolet executives who had disagreed while swapping engines in the darkness between flashes of fireworks. Juicy stuff with which to titillate you unmercifully.

So I investigated and discovered an old lady's chair had tipped backward, slightly cracking a window, and the occupants wanted another room with an uncracked

Oh well. I think you should know that house detective was smoking on the

### Bernice Bede Osol

You're industrious today, but

only up to a point. If results don't

come quickly enough, you'll

probably set aside what you're

Avoid being overly attentive to a

person one you're fond of

doesn't like. Your actions may

seem to be like a slap in the face

Fatal Experiment

In his travels through the

Persian Gulf area and

Mesopotamia Alexander the

Great heard tales of a kind of

'water' that seeped out of the

ground and burned. He didn't

believe it until he tested it by

pouring the strange fluid over

a boy, then igniting him with a

torch. Petroleum is now the

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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area's chief product.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

foot in the door today, but then

what? Have your game plan worked out before you ring the doorbell. PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) It's not wise today to become indebted to people you don't know

well. They could be the salt of the earth - or the opposite ARIES (March 21-April 19) Something unusual will handen from which you could profit to-

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If you have coworkers on a project, don't attempt to make changes without advising them.

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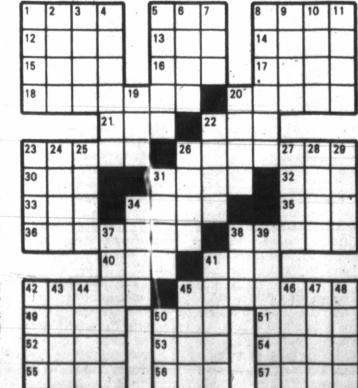
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# South, Southwest suffer 'Sunbelt crime syndrome'

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) - Booming cities of the South and Southwest are suffering from a "Sunbelt crime syndrome" that far exceeds crime rates in the decaying cities of the North, says a criminologist.

Paul Brantingham, a professor at Florida State University, took the FBI Uniform Crime Reports for 1975 and ranked 250 U.S. cities according to their crime rates in seven categories.

The results, released Tuesday, are discouraging both to longtime residents of the new boom-towns and the many notherners who moved to the Sunbelt.

The medium-sized cities of the industrialized Northeast and Midwest come off relatively good," he said in a telephone interview. "It's the Sunbelt that looks bad, with Florida, California and Arizona near the top.'

Brantingham's top 10 crime cities are all in the South or Southwest. Sunbelt cities dominate the statistics for murder, rape, aggravated assault, burglary and theft, while Snowbelt cities rank high only in robbery and auto theft.

"It looks to me like a Sunbelt syndrome," he said. "The areas that are engaged in massive growth produce social and physical settings in which all kinds of crime can go on. Growth creates several important social opportunities for

Four medium-sized Florida cities fall into this situation, ranking among the 10 cities with the highest per-capita theft rates in the nation. Daytona Beach and Fort Lauderdale rank No. 1 and No. 2 respectively. Only one Northern city, Kalamazoo, Mich., is among the top 10 in theft.

"Florida's suburbs, its mobile population and its tourism also serve as invitations to the criminal," Brantingham said. "Burglaries seem easier to pull off in a suburban neighborhood accustomed to strangers moving in and out."

He noted that eight of the top 10 and 15 of the top 20 cities in the per-capita murder rate are in the

Some experts have attributed the South's longstanding murder problem to a number of factors. such as a heritage that looks upon violence as a problem-solver, a lack of gun control and even the warm weather that can touch off tempers.

Based on all seven of the serious offenses used in the FBI reports, Brantingham's top 10 crime cities are: Las Vegas; Daytona Beach, Fla.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Miami; Tucson, Ariz.; Fort Lauderdale, Fla., West Palm Beach, Fla., Gainesville, Fla.; Bakersfield, Calif.; and Little

# Viet teacher reports on MIAs

WASHINGTON (AP) - A Vietnamese teacher who was a member of the communist parliament is preparing to tell Congress about reports ne heard in Hanoi of missing Americans who are living in iails in Vietnam.

Nguyen Cong Hoan, who fled from Vietnam to Japan in March and arrived in the United States as a refugee two days ago, told a House panel on Tuesday that he had "heard news" about Americans still listed as missing.

Hoan's information on the MIAs was not from any direct contact, he admitted, but were "rumors" from a "completely truthful" source. He said he could not publicly identify the source for fear of putting the

source in danger. "I can only say that I hear some rumors that there are still some Americans living in jail in Vietnam but I cannot be more specific than that." he

N.Y., who conferred with Wolff With his House subcommittee and Hoan late Tuesday, would on Asian and Pacific affairs not divulge whether the former scheduled to take up the MIA Vietnamese lawmaker had shed question today, Rep. Lester any important new light on the Wolff, D-N.Y., reportedly in-MIA question.

tended to pursue Hoan's report

are listed as missing in action

Rep. Benjamin'A. Gilman, R-

**Area farmers** 

protest action

Area agricultural producers

will meet Friday in Pampa to

discuss protest actions now

underway at local, state and

The meeting will be at 8 p.m.

Producers are organizing

with the sincere belief and

dedication that family

agriculture is threatened with impending ruin, that the

nation's policy makers have

failed to recognize and answer this problem, and that we find no

other alternative to active protest," said spokesman Fred

S. Vanderburg Jr. 'As

concerned producers, we will

make active and visible protest

to make the government and

public aware of the serious

problems facing our nation's

Proposed actions include

mailing agricultural

commodities to Austin. Other

Mills joins firm

mer Rep. Wilbur D. Mills.

whose liaison with an Argentine

striptease dancer cost him his

career as a powerful congress-

man, is joining the Washington

Mills, once the chairman of

the tax-writing House Ways and

Means Committee, will do tax work but no lobbying for the

important law firm of Shea,

Gould, Climenko and Casey.

office of a New York law firm.

WASHINGTON (AP) - For-

actions will be discussed

agriculture.

national levels of government.

in the Court House annex.

to discuss

behind closed doors.

in Southeast Asia.

"I can only say it warrants further examination by our Some 1,800 Americans still committee." Gilman said.

Hoan told a House hearing Tuesday that he was elected to South Vietnam's national assembly in 1971 and had a reputation as a critic of then-President Nguyen Van Thieu.

Following Saigon's collapse in 1975, he said he was handpicked by the communists to

serve in the Hanoi-based parlia- his family behind, out of disment last year. He said he fi- illusionment with Hanoi's opnally fled the country, leaving pression of the people.

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# Begin disappointed

Minister Menahem Begin today expressed "deep sorrow and disappointment" in U.S. criticism of Israel's policy of settling Jews in the occupied West

Bank of the Jordan River. From the floor of the Knesset, the Israeli parliament, Begin also announced that the cabinet had empowered its committee on settlement 'to decide on establishing new set-

"Its decisions will be as if taken by the full government. Begin said. But there was no indication in his 90-minute speech that new Jewish villages would be built immediately.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Pres-

ident Carter, winding up his

talks with Italian Prime Minis-

ter Giulio Andreotti, is focusing

on the implications of growing

Communist party influence in

U.S. officials said Carter,

meeting with Andreotti today,

is likely to take a sympathetic

view of an unpredecented ar-

rangement under which the

communists helped formulate a

program to deal with italy's

most pressing domestic prob-

Variable rate

loans to drop

The Federal Land Bank of

Houston will reduce the interest

billing rate on variable rate

loans to 7% per cent effective

Aug. 1, announced Bob

Williams, manager of the

Spearman - Pampa Federal

Land Bank Association of

The reduction will affect \$1.04

billion in variable rate loans to

18,026 Texas farmers and

The variable rate loan was

introduced by the Houston Bank in July, 1969, and provides for

the rate to fluctuate with the variation in the cost of money, Williams said. A more favorable money market has made possible the billing reduction. The Federal Bank of Houston makes long - term real estate

loans on farm and ranch land and rural residences throughout

Texas. The local association services loans for Gray, Roberts, Hemphill, Hutchinson

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ranchers

the Rome government.

man in Washington Tuesday had called the establishment of Jewish settlements in occupied territory "an obstacle in the

In their White House talks last week, President Carter reportedly asked Begin to refrain from building new settlements in occupied Arab territories until after the opening of a resumed Geneva peace conference on the Middle East, prob-

ably in October. The cabinet's settlement committee Tuesday approved the granting of full legal status to three Jewish settlements in the ish nationalists in defiance of the previous Israeli govern-

The committee's decision required the endorsement of the full cabinet. Begin's statement that the committee could act alone indicated it had that en-

State Department spokesman Hodding Carter III said Tuesday the administration was "deeply disappointed" by the committee action. But Begin said of the committee's stand: "It was a very fine decision I approve completely.

State Department spokesman Carter said he was uncertain whether the Israeli action lei-

Among U.S. officials, there

are widely divergent views on

the implications of direct com-

munist participation in the Ital-

These views range from ex-

treme alarm, on the one hand,

to one of almost total indiffer-

Carter's own attitude is

somewhere in between these

two points of view. One official

said the President is not indif

ferent to growing communist

power in Italy but will do noth-

ing to interfere with that coun-

try's democratic processes.

ian government.

ence on the other.

gitimizing the settlements violated any understanding reached during Begin's visit.

State Cyrus R. Vance, said "We have consistently made clear, including in our recent talks in Washington, our view that the establishment of settlements in occupied territories is not only contrary to the fourth Geneva convention but also constituted an obstacle to the

on the conduct of war prohibits the establishment of settlements in occupied territories. The West Bank, almost totally populated by Arabs, was seized from Jordan in the 1967

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# A State Department spokes-

peacemaking process."

tlements" in the West Bank.

West Bank established by Jew-

Rome communists worry Carter

After his call at the White

House, Andreotti was scheduled

to meet with foreign affairs ex-

perts from both houses of Con-

gress and later with Treasury

Secretary W. Michael Blumen-

During a 90-minute meeting

Tuesday, Carter and Andreotti

conferred on global security

questions, deferring an ex-

change of views on Italy's polit-

Andreotti's Christian Demo-

crats scored a narrow election

victory over the communists

over a year ago, but his party's

mandate was so thin that one

U.S. official said, "At the time,

we didn't give him any more

In a toast following a White

House state dinner Tuesday

night, Carter noted that Italy's

economic and social problems

had reached crisis proportions

a year ago. He said Andreotti's

leadership has enabled Italy to

make progress that is "impres-

Other U.S. officials also

speak admiringly of Andreotti's

accomplishments, but wonder

how long the Communist party.

than six weeks in power.

His statement which he said was approved by Secretary of

peacemaking process.

The fourth Geneva convention

Trustees of the Grandview Hopkins Independent School District approved three major points of a short agenda in their meeting Tuesday night.

The board issued three teacher contracts, said Superintendent T.J. Adkins. No

The board accepted a high bid from Melvin Douthit of Pampa on the sale of a school bus, and approved a system of free and reduced - price lunches as provided by the state.

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The Bears are playing in the new movie "Bad News Bears in Breaking Training," and even the best efforts of "Annie" star Andrea McArdle and an appearance by Gov. Hugh Carey weren't enough for the Broadway team to overcome the Bears prowess.

CAPE MAY, N.J. (AP) -Fundamentalist radio preacher Dr. Carl McIntire "will do anything he can to get his puss in the papers." Mayor Arthur

Blomkvest says The city and McIntire, a defrocked Presbyterian minister based in Collingswood, are disputing who has the right to station lifeguards and collect the beach fees on the beaches in front of McIntire's Congress Hall and Windsor Hotels.

McIntire says the city is illegally collecting fees on his beaches and owes him more than \$30,000 He also said he and members of his Cape May Bible Conference would "take possession of the beaches.

TOKYO (AP) — After two days in Japan, Leonard Woodcock, former president of the United Auto Workers, has left for China to begin his job as chief of the U.S. liaison office

He made no statement before departing Tuesday on a Chinese jetliner, but earlier this month said that in normalizing relations between Washington and Peking. "I'll do what I'm told."

LONDON (AP) - It would have been a splendid day to walk a tiger or go punting on the Thames. And it wasn't a bad day to go to Buckingham Palace and have tea with Queen Elizabeth II either

The queen invited 9,000 people to share her finger sandwiches and a cup of tea on a sunny Tuesday afternoon. Almost everybody wore a hat and had a good time. Two bands played sipping music under striped tents and Prince Philip made jokes The Queen smiled all the time and everybodysmiled back

British sovereigns hold three garden parties annually for guests specifically invited by the royal household

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) -Country music star Faron Young is suing Capitol Records. his former label, for more than \$150,000 in back royalties.

In a suit filed Tuesday in Chancery Court in Nashville. Young alleges that a private audit of his royalties showed Capitol shortchanged him

The head of Capitol's legal department could not be reached Tuesday for comment on the suit

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) -Sen. John McClellan. D-Ark. has been ordered by his physicians to take a two-month period of rest

McClellan, 81, was hospitalized at Bantist Medical Center here Friday, shortly after attending a funeral for his brother, William J. McClellan, 73. in Sheridan, Ark.

In a statement released Tuesday. McClellan's physicians said the senator has been suffering from chest discomfort. which they blamed on over-ex-

The senator underwent surgery earlier this year at Walter Reed Army Hospital in Washington for the placement of a

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) - State Sen. Jack Gordon has confounded just about everyone by disclosing a \$105 gift from The Beer Fairy," an unidentified lobbyist.

Gordon's gift disclosure form on file with the state Elections Division shows only two entries for the 1976 calendar year: \$75 from Disneyworld and \$105 from The Beer Fairy.

The Miami Beach Democrat says the gift was from someone he never found out who who kept leaving cases of beer at his Tallahassee apartment during the 1976 session, when Gordon was chairman of the Senate Appropriations Com-

"I don't know why he singled me out." Gordon said. "... I felt it ought to be reported so I decided to make up a name.

Under Florida law, elected state officials are required to report annually every gift they receive worth more than \$25, as well as the giver's name and address. For the Beer Fairy's address. Gordon typed in: "Your Guess Is As Good As

PETERSBURG, Fla (AP) - "I just got into the car The dog didn't bark or anything. I petted him, told him he

That, Billy Wayne Farley says, is how he drove away in a K-9 police cruiser that had an attack dog in the back seat.

Farley, 29, says he wanted to demonstrate that policemen need to lock their station house and squad cars. He says he took the car after taking a small electric fan from the sta-

Police didn't say much. They charged him with auto burglary and petty larceny for the fan. He was released on his own recognizance

Police say officer Marty Hart went into the station house Tuesday to check out a man seen wandering around the lobby The car motor was left running to keep the air conditioner going for the sake of Gavalin. the attack dog

As Hart entered in the front Farley apparently walked through the basement, unlocked because of construction, and left with the fan

Farley drove to the police parking lot annex about a block away and was getting out when he was seen, according to in-

PORT LAVACA, Tex. (AP) - James Tagert decided his sore throat was worth a quick trip to the hospital. So he simply set his helicopter down in the hospital's front lawn near

the emergency room Tagert, a drilling engineer on an offshore oil rig. was flying to work with another man Monday when they spotted the hos-

Astonished emergency room personnel said Tagert's common cold symtoms didn't warrant immediate treatment, so they hailed a cab and went to a nearby clinic.

They returned later, climbed into their helicopter and flew to

The hospital has no landing



Police dispatcher moves

Frances Lambright, dispatcher for the Pampa Police Department for the past seven years, has accepted a position as dispatcher for the Houston Bellaire Police Department and will report for duty Aug. 5. She is in the process of moving today. Mrs. Lambright, a resident of Pampa fo 30 years, said she wanted to live nearer her son. "It's an opportunity that's hard to turn down," she

said. She added that leaving Pampa will be difficult. "Those people at the police station have been my life for the last seven years," she commented. Mrs. Lambright said her new job will be the same type work she did in Pampa. She praised the Pampa Police Department for the "fine people they have ... I have nothing but kind remarks for all of them."

(Pampa News Photo by Ron Ennis)

# was a nice dog and how pretty he was. He even licked my hand." Idea for movie plot plot triggered busnaping

idea for a movie plot triggered the real-life kidnaping of 26 children and their school bus driver, according to reports published after surprise guilty pleas by three young men accused of the bizarre crime

New information about the case's most baffling aspects came forward Tuesday following guilty pleas in Alameda County Superior Court by James Schoenfeld, 25, his brother Richard, 24, and Frederick Woods, 25. In published reports

 A defense attorney and two of the kidnapers were quoted as

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — An saying the crime began as a plot for a movie but evolved from fantasy to real-life terror.

-Mary Schoenfeld, mother of Richard and James, called the kidnaping a "one-time fling" by her boys, whom she said had been "good straight kids." -The kidnapers' frantic reac-

tions to news that the children had escaped from a makeshift cell were revealed in reports about diary entries and letters by the trio, reportedly used as evidence during sealed grand jury hearings. Woods and the Schoenfelds

changed their pleas to guilty Monday in the ransom kidnaping, which carries a maximum penalty of life imprisonment with the chance of parole. But they reaffirmed innocent pleas to five counts of kidnap with bodily harm, which carries a maximum penalty of life in prison with no chance of pa-

The three are accused of abducting their victims at gunpoint on a narrow country road in central California on July 15. 1976. transporting them by van 95 miles north to a Livermore rock quarry and imprisoning them in a buried moving van. The captives burrowed out after nearly 18 hours in the

"It started out as a lark, as a movie plot," said Lester Gendron, attorney for James Schoenfeld. "Woods talked to them about the possibility of a movie plot. Mrs. Schoenfeld, in a weeping

interview with the Redwood City Tribune, described her sons as good kids who were Eagle Scouts, loved the outdoors and made cars "their whole life.

She said television and movies should share some of the blame for the ordeal. "The movies portray police as stupid

# Trade deficit doubles

nation's trade deficit more than doubled in June to a record \$2.8 billion, the 13th deficit in a row. the government reported today.

The United States sold \$10.1 billion in goods abroad, a decrease of about 3 per cent. while buying \$12.9 billion in products from other countries. an increase of 11 per cent, the government said That put the trade deficit for

the month at \$2.8 billion a sharp rise from May's \$1.2 billion deficit, which was the smallest of the year. An increase in oil imports

from \$3.1 billion in May to \$3.9 billion in June accounted for much of the higher imports, the Commerce Department said. In a speech in Bonn, Germa-

ny, today, Asst. Secretary of Commerce Frank Wheil, said the demand for high priced foreign oil has upset the U.S.

could take us a decade or more to get back into sustainable equilibrium

Wheil told German business-

men in Bonn that the United

States as the world's largest

oil importer, will have to hear its fair share of trade deficits. Administration officials have said the continuing trade deficits should not be cause for concern because it shows the United States is contributing to economic growth in the rest of the world. They have called on

West Germany and Japan, among others, to also have trade deficits this year. However, Rep. Henry R. Reuss. D-Wis., chairman of the House Banking Committee, has said large deficits could lead to the depreciation of the U.S. dollar in international money mar-

kets In its trade report, the Com-

of insulation from the 48-inch

has said that without the oil im-

ports, the U.S. trade ledger

Treasury Department

big contributor to the deficit was the increase of \$256.7 million in imports of machinery and transport equipment. Imports in motor vehicles and parts rose by \$118.2 million.

The decline in exports was spread over a broad range of products. Crude materials exports declined by \$157.3 million; soybeans showed a particularly large loss at \$275 mil-Exports of all food and live

animals were down \$86.3 million, and mineral fuels and lubricants were down \$51.9 million, although coal exports increased \$9 million.

Exports of machinery and

million, particularly because of fewer sales abroad of aircraft. spacecraft, and parts. The June figures brought the

total trade deficit for the year to \$12.6 billion, about double the \$6 billion deficit recorded for all of last year.

The string of deficits began with a \$431 million trade deficit in June 1976 and grew to \$1.7 billion in January. In April the deficit reached its most recent record of \$2.6 billion, before falling off to \$1.2 billion in May.

The administration is predicting a deficit of about \$23 billion to \$25 billion for the year, entirely because of the oil

### Says Congress is anti-black, poor

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter and the Congress

Rep. Parren Mitchell, D-Md. in an address Tuesday at the National Urban League convention, also suggested that Carter may be using a different standard in dealing with blacks who criticize him than the one he uses for white critics.

The administration's position on issues of importance to blacks has been debated throughout the convention. National Urban League director Vernon Jordan criticized the administration in a speech earlier in the week, and four top aides to the President have delivered speeches defending Carter's programs

Mitchell said that under prior administrations an anti-black attitude developed that is shifting into racism."

During presidential camwhat was meant," he said.

He said the problems that confront blacks and the poor

"For starters, we look to the White House and the President to turn it around and start moving us toward the front burner. he said.

Mitchell also expresed concern at an exchange Monday between Carter and Jordan

Jordan criticized the Presitration could hurt the aspiramorning was 1.19 inches at tions of those groups. Amarillo Mitchell said Carter has been

criticized before by labor, business and Jewish leaders among others, but reacted differently. If Carter's statement to Jordan was a rebuke, "then it would suggest to me that there

Widespread thunderstorms brought briefly heavy rain across a big part of Texas during the night and more were expected today The moisture brought a little

relief from torrid heat but also made itself felt in sharply increased humidity.

Most of the rain fell in the Panhandle-Plains sector, in North and East Texas and in West Texas east of the Pecos River. While radar detected dowpours at rates up to two inches per hour, the biggest amount reported before the storms tapered off in early

A weak cool front which set

### National weather By The Associated Press

A band of scattered thunderstorms ranged over the northern Plains states into Minnesota today, while another system of storms stretched from Texas and eastern New

On the record

**Obituaries** 

Graveside services for Mrs.

Clarese Olivia Kirby, 80. 87

Russell, Kan., were in the

Forrest Park West Cemetery

here on Monday. Mrs. Kirby

died Saturday in the Garretson

Retirement Home in Russell.

Funeral arrangements were by

the Sullivan Family Funeral

Mrs. Kirby was born in

Mrs. Kirby was in the signal

from 1910 to 1960. A former

resident of Waskom, Tex., she

moved to Panhandle in 1974 and

to Russell in May, 1977. She was

a member of the Waskom

Survivors include a son.

Clarence E. Kirby of Hays.

Kan : a sister, Mrs. Amye

Echols of of Sugarland, Tex :

United Methodist Church.

and four grandchildren.

Directors of Marshall, Tex.

died in 1974.

MRS. CLARISE OLIVIA EDGAR BARRON **STEPHENSON** KIRBY SHREVEPORT, La. AMARILLO - Funeral

services for Edgar Barron Stephenson of Amarillo. formerly of Pampa, will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the Memorial Park Chapel in Amarillo. Dr. Moore, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Amarillo, will officiate. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery by Memorial Park Funeral Home

Pittsburg, Tex., in 1896. She married Clarence Percival Mr. Stephenson was born in Kirby in 1928 in Marshall. He 1886 in Sims, Ark. He died Tuesday. He was married to Bessie Lee Cherry in 1909. department of the T&P Railway

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Survivors include the widow: two sons. Lester B. Stephenson and Karl N. Stephenson, both of Amarillo, two daughters, Mrs. J.L. Havens of Odessa and Mrs. Alvin Bell of Pampa; one brother. Arvin Stephenson, of Fort Sumner, N.M., one sister, Mrs. Dewey Slaton of Pampa: eight grandchildren and four great - grandchildren.

### **Highland General Hospital**

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Dismissals Ms. Ashley Dunkel, Pampa. Clarence Robertson, Lefors. Mrs. Juanita Suttle, 520 N.

Russell Mrs. Addie Lard, Pampa. Clyde Thompson, 1018 Reid.

Mrs. Lucille Enright McLean. Mrs. Helen George, Amarillo.

Mrs. Margaret Thompson. Clarendon Mrs. Mymia Traywick, 1101 S.

Farley. Mrs. Margarette Cox. 2128 N Zimmers.

Mrs. Patricia White, Borger Buck Durning, 513 N. Warren. Millie Gray, 1701 Duncan. Russell Jackson, Lefors, Births

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### Mainly about people

Mrs. Raiph Randel of Panhandle has been named an ambassador for the fifth annual Texas Folklife Festival, Aug. 4-7 in downtown San Antonio. Mrs. Randel is one of 100 festival ambassadors who serve as the direct contact between their community and the Festival. They distribute posters and information, serve as media contacts and make speeches on the festival throughout their

J.C. Roberts, Pampa, was honored July 13, at the 90th annual international convention of The Order of United Commercial Travelers of America (UCT), at Hot Springs Ark. He is one of 20 men who were recognized for their outstading accomplishments in membership recruitment during

At the July 26 meeting of Pampa Sunrisers Toastmasters Club Jay Boettner and Larry. Plooster were tied for the Best Speaker Award. Both Boettner and Plooster were presenting the Basic Training Speech in which the speaker demonstrates his persuasive methods. Jim Olsen won the Best Table Topics Award. The Best Evaluator Award went to Bill Watson. The group meets at 6:15 a.m. every Tuesday in the Pioneer Natural

Gas Flame Room, 220 N.

and Foster reported a shoplifter

morning no action has been

Ballard

accidents Tuesday.

and other points of interest. Arleigh Hoover, Box 4. Canadian (Adv)

Sale: Little Big Shop, 1330 N. Banks Large size double knit slacks \$9.95, and \$14.95. Swim suits, cover-ups, shorts, tops, all 15 per cent off. (Adv.)

Tinney Lumber over-stocked on 3 tab shingles. While they last \$17.95 a square. (Adv.)

### Police report

Pampa police investigated juvenile three thefts, one report of vandlism and two non-injury The Allsup's at Starkweather

Magazines were reported taken from a convenience store at 1106 Alcock and \$9 worth of gasoline was taken from a self service pump at Alcock and in the store. Police said this Hobart. Vandals threw a rock through taken yet against the suspect, a

a window at 1218 Barnes.

### Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler Grain of Pampa.
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Texas weather By The Associated Press

off the turbulent storms was about stalled across Northeast Texas and neighboring areas of Oklahoma Forecasts held out prospects

for more scattered thunderstorms across the eastern twothirds of Texas with locally heavy rain likely in the southeast part of the state. Temperatures near dawn

ranged from 60 at Marfa in the West Texas mountains and 66 at Amarillo and Dalhart in the Panhandle up to 82 at Waco in Central Texas.

Readings topped 100 degrees at more than a dozen points Tuesday. Leading the parade at 105 were Fort Worth, Junction, Wells and Wichita Mineral

Mexico across the Gulf states to Florida and North Carolina.

> Skies remained nearly clear from New England and the northern Atlantic Coast through the Ohio Valley,

# Miner arrested for line blast

FAIRBANKS, Alaska (AP) — \$7.7 billion pipeline, but they A 26-year-old miner has been arrested and charged with setting the explosions that state officials have branded "an amateurish attempt at sabotage" along the Alaska pipe-

Larry Wertz was arrested Tuesday night as he walked along the Elliott Highway, about 10 miles north of Fairbanks and only two miles from the explosion site. State troopers said Wertz was

carrying a rifle and a pistol in a shoulder holster when he was arrested. Wertz who works a claim in an old historic gold mining area, has never worked on the pipeline "as far as we know," said Lt. George Pollitt of the state police.

'Information from citizens who had some knowledge of his activities led to his arrest," said Pollitt. Wertz was charged with ma-

licious destruction of property

and held on \$100,000 bail.

Pollitt said officers had obtained a search warrant to check Wertz's home, near where he was arrested. Police suspected that commercial dynamite had been

used in the explosions, which

caused minor damage to the

had no idea how much was

used, Pollitt said. The transmission of oil was not interrupted, pipeline officials said. The first crude oil from the Prudhoe Bay oil fields was expected to reach the icefree port of Valdez late this afternoon, completing an 800mile journey that began June

Pollitt said officials didn't know when the series of at least five explosions took place in a wooded area north of Fairbanks. They were reported Monday night

He said, however, that a trooper on patrol in the same general area early last Wednesday reported hearing a series of explosions. The trooper reported that he

investigated but said he could not find the source of the exploions. He did not go onto the pipeline right-of-way, however, Pollitt said. 'We can't conclude that those explosions at 3 a.m. were the

pipeline, but we are checking that possibility," Pollitt said. Deputy Commissioner Larry Talbert of the state Department of Public Safety said that wires, batteries and what ap-

same explosions involved in the

peared to be detonators had been found at the blast site.

"It was an amateurish attempt at sabotage or some professionals trying to look like amateurs," Talbert said

Pollitt said the explosions caused "noticeable dents" in two vertical support columns on an elevated section of the

Prospective state witnesses in

a \$240,000 civil suit filed here

several months ago against

Packerland Packing Co. Inc. for

alleged violation of the Texas

Clean Air Act were interviewed

Monday and Tuesday by state

Paul G. Gosselink, assistant

attorney general of Texas, and

with the Texas Air Control

Board, said even though

Packerland closed its plant here

in February the state will

continue the suit for damages on

We also want a permanent

injunction if Packerland decides

The suit is scheduled for jury

to reopen." Gosselink said.

alleged violations.

David Sterneibt, an attorney

attorne vs

The Commerce Department, however, has begun a drive to encourage companies to sell

would be in balance

trial in the 31st District Court in Wheeler on Sept. 20. Judge Grainger McIlhaney

"The court is more persuaded by a petition with 800 names. significant number who may have feelings." Judge saying that it would be in the

State continues suit against Packerland

> granted Packerland's request for a change of venue on July 15, 1976 after a petition containing 800 names stating those persons thought something should be done about the odor situation was presented to the court.

> This is a suggestion of a McIlhaney commented in best interests of the people to move the trial to Wheeler where residents are not personally involved

are reflecting an anti-black, anti-poor sentiment that is delaying programs aimed at solving the problems of minority groups, says the chairman of the Congressional Black

paigns, candidates used code words like welfare cheats and chiselers and busing to appeal to middle Americans, Mitchell said. "Nobody said black people, but everyone knew

rhetoric is bearing fruit in Congress. He cited three instances: numerous attempts to attach anti-busing provisions to any type of legislation where it seems feasible, efforts to deny federal funds for school desegregation tools like pairing and clustering and attempts to deny funds for a civil rights survey.

have been put on the back burner in Congress.

dent for his handling of the problems of the poor and minorities, and Carter responded the criticism of his adminis-

is a double standard being used by the White House," Mitchell

### **Advice**

### Dear Abby By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have a friend who calls me every evening and tells me her troubles. One hour is a short conversation with her. Only it's no conversation because she does all the talking.

I have plenty of troubles of my own. My husband spends the whole weekend in front of the TV drinking beer and smoking one cigarette after another

We have three teenage boys. They're all on drugs and can't get along with each other or their father. Our daughter is 22, out of work, divorced, and she has three kids which I take care of while she runs wild.

I am ready to put my head in a gas oven but I never tell my troubles to anyone. This friend with all the problems says she is seeing a

psychologist and he tells her it's good for her to talk about her problems. Well, it may be good for HER, but it's bad for ME. What should I do?

PROBLEMS OF MY OWN

DEAR PROBLEMS: Tell her that you wrote to Dear Abby, and SHE said it's bad for YOU to listen to somebody's problems every evening for an hour. And if that doesn't help, cut her short in self-defense.

DEAR ABBY: What do you think of a college-educated couple who, instead of hiring a sitter for their 3-year-old son, take him wherever they are invited? I don't mean on casual bridge evenings, but to a late dinner party to which six other couples had been invited. We don't have extra bedrooms as yet, and Mr. and Mrs. S. show up at the door with little Johnny all ready for bed. (Our bed!) They didn't ask us if we minded, nor did they make any excuses for bringing him.

Naturally, the child fusses a little, being in a strange bed and all, and his parents take turns running in and humoring him, which disrupts the entire party. These people can afford a sitter just like the rest of us, but they have taken the child with them ever since he was a month old. Any comments?

PARTY SPOILED

DEAR SPOILED: If this couple spoiled ONE of your parties, shame on them. If they spoiled TWO, shame on

Your complaints are valid, but if you want action, I suggest you address your complaints to the offending

DEAR ABBY: There's nothing wrong with keeping your Christmas tree up all year. It's a good conversation piece, and it helps to keep the dog in the house.

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

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DEAR DR. LAMB - My 10019 question concerns the reliability of these weight clinics advertised in some magazines.

My daughter started going to one yesterday, and the diet she showed me looks like the weight would fall off without the shot a day they claim helps. They charge \$20 a week for the shot.

The diet has plenty of vegetables, chicken only twice a week, and fish once, no red meat.

hearing from you on this. I West United States. Some of health is my main concern.

DEAR READER - I couldn't give you a blanket endorsement or condemnation of the weight clinics advertised, there are so many

But I can tell you that if your daughter is paying for human chorionic gonadotropin (HCG) injections commonly used by some weight clinics, she is wasting her money. In a recent study reported in the Journal of The American Medical Association, (November 29, 1976) control patients getting salt water injections as placebos did as well as those getting the hormone shots. The diet and

physical activity is the thing. In that regard, unless that diet your daughter is on contains quite a bit of milk or cottage cheese I would guess it is nutritionally inadequate. I am sending you The Health Letter number 4-7, Weight Losing Diet to provide your daughter with a balanced healthy 1200 calorie diet that she can use. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I hate to write this but I want to know if there is such a thing as a wood tick? I have something on my neck that feels like it's going in deeper and every once in a while it is like a needle being pricked into me. Some people tell me they'll kill you if something isn't done. So what can be

DEAR READER - Yes. there surely are ticks and they may be in wooded areas. They I would sure appreciate occur in both the East and the cause Rocky Mountain spotted fever - even if the tick is from the East.

Regardless of what you have it should be looked at Only that way can one be certain what it is that is bothering you. Go see your doctor. It it is a tick he can take it out If it is something else, it may need to be taken out too.

The peak period for "tick fever' is from May to September. In children, the illness may be misdiagnosed as measles to begin with, even though the times of year for measles and Rocky Mountain spotted fever are different That should provide you with about as good a description of the onset of the illness as you can get, a febrile illness with a rash. Certainly any such illness regardless of what the final diagnosis is, deserves

medical attention. Those who live or work in tick-infested areas can get some protection by having their clothing impregnated with tick repellents

Because of the volume of mail Dr. Lamb cannot answer your letters personally but he will answer representative letters of general interest in his column

### Polly's Pointers **Polly Cramer**

**DEAR POLLY** — I have too many white sweaters and would like to learn how to dye a white sweater dark

DEAR E.M.H. - Some polyesters and acrylics will not absorb dye as well as others so it is necessary to test a small swatch. This is sometimes hard with a sweater as there are no wide seams or hems to cut away but do find some place even if you have to sacrifice a pocket. Follow directions explicitly and those in the dye box will give all the necessary information. Do be sure the sweater is clean and DAMP (not even one small dry spot) or it will show up differently after the dyeing. Do be careful not to overcrowd garments in the vessel being used for the dyeing. -POLLY.

DEAR POLLY While doing my spring house cleaning I noticed my plastic pail was leaking and when I held it up to the light a couple of small holes or cracks were visible. I wanted to get on with the job so I squeezed a small amount of bathtub sealer on the outside of the pail, over and into the cracks, and then smoothed it out with a moistened finger. That was

several weeks ago and I am still using the pail. —MRS. I.M.D.

DEAR POLLY — I used to have so much trouble keeping my floors free of leaves that were tracked in, particularly in the TV room that has an outside door. It seemed I was constantly sweeping up things that had been tracked in so I put a rug out side the door but that did not help until I sprayed it with hair spray and now all I have to do is to sweep the rug off in the yard. Everything clings to the rug. I even had some flowers arranged in a horn that kept shedding so I sprayed them, too

DEAR POLLY - When opening a new jar of instant tea or coffee I unscrew the metal lid but instead of tearing off the paper seal inside I slit it in half with a paring knife and only remove one-half of the label. This leaves the other half to use as a leveler for measuring out a teaspoon or tablespoon This keeps one from getting out too much or too little - VIVIAN



Capsule reviews prepared by American Library Assn.

By Denise Murcko Wilms

The horse and riding bug bites most youngsters sooner or later. Books like "Misty of Chincoteague," "National Velvet," or the Black Stallion and Island Stallion series trigger dreams of owning a horse - a hunter, of course; some noble animal that will carry its rider to the heights

Sometimes it's just a passing fancy, but for a significant number of youngsters this horse stuff is serious business. Several recent books aim to suit the needs of these young horse fans, especially the new owners and riders among

Patrice Clay's "Your Own Horse' should be required reading, not only for owners, but also for youngsters still dreaming about owning a horse. The author (who recalls how as a child she longed in vain for a horse, and finally got one when she was a high school student in Saudi Arabia) blends a personable easygoing style with a wealth of practical information. It's Clay's intention to help youngsters avoid the dilemma she faced: "Now that I've got what I've always wanted what do I do with him?' Therefore, she wastes no time in letting readers in on the joys and the responsibilities of horse ownership.

Cost — not only of the initial purchase of an animal, but also of care and upkeep - is one of the first items up for

YOUR GWN HORSE by Patrice Clay (Putnam, 127 pages, \$6.95.) THE COMPLETE BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO HORSEBACK RIDING

by Gil Paust (Doubleday, 179 pages, \$5.95). IN THE SADDLE by Jane Sholinsky (Messner, 80 pages, \$6.97.)

discussion. Rightly so, since owners will be faced with significant ongoing expenses; among them boarding bills, farrier or blacksmith services once every six to eight weeks to shape hooves and reset or replace worn shoes, basic tack such as saddle, bridle, blankets and various grooming supplies and, of course, regular food and veterinary expenses - horses need

routine vet visits, just like

cats and dogs. Youngsters - or parents ready and willing to undertake the expense can then learn to shop for a mount. One of the ground rules here is to have a vet check out the animal you've decided on. But, so that young buyers can begin making an educated choice, Clay offers guidelines on where, and where not, to shop, what to look for in the way of training, conformation (how the horse is physically put together) and behavior. Later chapters describe equipment, ranging from simple buckets and sponges to proper stabling and outfitting. Care guidelines encompass feed needs - how much, what kind, when - and grooming habits. First aid is another important topic. Clay

maintenance section" that focuses on feet and teeth, both common problem areas. A discussion of injuries and illnesses plus first aid procedures follows.

More comprehensive in scope but more formal in style is Gil Paust's "The Complete Beginner's Guide to Horseback Riding." This book is really a one-volume reference source, since Paust includes a brief history of the horse, equine terminology and a look at the various breeds before getting down to explaining basic riding techni-

The author launches this discussion with a horseman's proverb. "A green horse and a green rider are a poor color combination," meaning that beginning riders should learn on a well-trained animal that "can forgive you your mistakes." He also believes that proper riding instruction from a professional is essential for new riders. A sound knowledge of horsemanship benefits both horse and rider, enabling them to work like the team that they are.

To prep riders for their first formal instruction, Paust takes them through the basic of mounting, dismounting,

assuming a correct seat and riding the various gaits. Here the tone is solicitous and supportive, with mistakes or uneasiness anticipated. More advanced riders get the same treatment in Paust's discussion of the basics of jumping; a skill which, the author stresses, should be taught only

by a trained horseman. In line with Paust's total approach, he also includes a section on horse care and maintenance which duplicates much of Clay's advice. Final chapters counsel riders on how to get involved in shows

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or organized group riding. Aside from the overlap on horse care, Clay and Paust complement each other, together forming a quick, solid reference source, which should prove indispensable to the young rider.

Horse sense--practical, easy

Both of these books are geared to upper elementary or junior high age readers.

Younger enthusiasts who want riding instruction on a simpler level might turn to Jane Sholinsky's "In the Saddle.

The text is less complex than Paust's, yet in no way patronizing. Black-and-white photographs are plentiful and do a fine job of illustrating reining, proper seat, mounting, etc





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# Leaders failed to assess nuclear energy

EDITOR'S NOTE: The spectre of a runaway spread of nuclear weapons if haunting world leaders. It would threaten global stability. Regional conflicts could draw the super-powers into a clash imperiling the survival of mankind. In the third of a five-part series, AP diplomatic correspondent Arthur L. Gavshon describes efforts toward control of nuclear materials.

By ARTHUR L. GAVSHON **Associated Press Writer** 

WASHINGTON (AP) - In 1953, Jimmy Carter was 29. His father had just died and young Carter had quit the Navy to run the family business. President Dwight D. Eisenhower unfolded his "atoms for peace" plan.

Today, President Carter is grappling with the task of stopping those atoms for peace from turning into weapons of nuclear war.

Carter also is chasing a related goal, seemingly shelved in the 1950s and 1960s because of the pressures and preoccupations of the cold war. It is the goal of limiting, cutting and ultimately removing all nuclear arsenals from earth.

Authors of Eisenhower's "atoms for peace" plan had just emerged from a decade of secrecy during which the United States virtually monopolized the commercial application of nuclear power.

A mix of motives led to the sharing and selling of American know-how and equipment to countries outside the Communist orbit

There was a wish to help newly launched foreign energy programs. There were exaggerated hopes of the benefits the new technology would bring. There was a political need to counter what had become a world wide protest against atomic experimental shots and "the bomb

Finally, there was a rush by the corporations which had worked on U.S. weapons programs to corner what promised to be a bonanza market for reactor systems at \$1 billion

In spreading tools and knowhow for the new industry, U.S. authorities failed to assess fully the nature of nuclear energy.

There are not two atoms, one peaceful and one military, wrote political scientist Dr. Albert Wohlstetter of the University of Chicago. "They are the same atom. Dr. Fred C. Ickle, former di-

rector of the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, said last year: "Many mistakes were made in the way we executed the (Eisenhower) idea." One of the mistakes was to

forget the advice given on May 31. 1945, by Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, who urged colleagues not to think of the Abomb "as a new weapon merely, but as a revolutionry change in the relations of man and the

Another mistake was a failure to provide space and facilities for the safe, timeless storage of spent nuclear fuel.

Spent fuel discharged by power reactors contains a variety of highly radioactive elements including plutonium which can be used for making bombs. Plutonium possesses what scientists call "a half-life" of 24,000 years. This means its radioactivity decreases by half in the first 24,000 years, by half of the remainder in the next 24,000

For years, spent nuclear fuel has been accumulating around the world in swimming-pool like depositories, but this is only a stopgap which can last 30 years or so. The United States, which supplied the fuel in the form of slightly enriched uranium, is supposed to buy most of the spent fuel back.

years and so on.

No U.S. agency has come along with a foolproof plan for permanent storage of the spent fuel beyond the reach of wouldbe saboteurs or to the satisfaction of environmentalists. U.S. officials have disclosed that huge disposal tanks in Hanford, Wash.. contain most of the waste fuel discharged from Pentagon-controlled reactors. The 130 or so tanks, officials say, have sprung at least 16 leaks, meaning hundreds of thousands of radioactive liquids have been soaked up in the soil or nearby rivers.

Countries supplied by the United States already have piled up enough spent fuel to make more than 1,000 A-bombs - at least 4,000 metric tons discharged by about 30 reactors since the 1950s.

U.S. and European firms in the past 23 years have sold nearly 300 power and research reactors in about 40 countries

The Arab oil embargo and the five-fold hike in oil prices caused the demand for nuclear power to surge. Nations rushed to place new orders. U.S. officials project that by the mid-1980s, there could be 700 or 800 nuclear plants of varying technologies operating in the industrialized and developing worlds

During the presidential campaign, Carter vowed to try to stop the spread. One of the President's first acts was to ask the Central Intelligence Agency — which monitors this sort of data worldwide — for an up-to-date appraisal of the number of countries in reach of a nuclear weapons capacity.

Several nations are on the verge," Carter reported. He named no names. But U.S. officials privately listed "near-nuclears" as Argentina, Brazil. Canada, Egypt, Israel, Iran, Japan, Pakistan, South Africa. Sweden, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, West and East Germa-

Any effort to curb the nuclear weapons spread is a race against time. The feeling in the White House is that only a year or two remains in which to head off what could become a free-for-all rush for weapons by several countries operating nuclear plants.

Carter has said he hopes that the United States, by example, persuasion and even pressure in some situations, will lead the way toward a new and safer system for controlling nuclear energy development. The President's aides say they believe they have Soviet backing for this goal.

Carter's strategy centers on curbing production of plutonium around the world. Plutonium is the basic material needed to make "fission" - or atomic - bombs. It also is used as a trigger for the far more powerful hydrogen - or thermonuclear - bomb.

To make a bomb it takes: Less than 10 pounds of pure plutonium; about 18 pounds of plutonium extracted from spent uranium fuel or about 22 pounds of plutonium oxide. There are various ways in

which nonweapons states can

and have obtained plutonium. About 10 countries have been buying it quite legally from the United States since the early approximately 2,200 pounds of it have been exported. Plutonium also can come from research reactors already operating in more than 50 foreign countries. It can be extracted from the waste uranium fuel discharged by ordinary U.S.-type light water reactors sold to about 30 countries.

And finally it will be produced in immeasurable quantities when the new generation of reactors — the fast-breeders begin functioning in Europe and Japan shortly. As the name suggests, "breeder" reactors yield more plutonium that they consume as fuel - a doubled output in every 10-year cycle.

In April, Carter suspended commercial production of plutonium and announced plans to cancel a \$2.2 billion Oak Ridge. Tenn., fast-breeder reactor. The Senate ignored his wishes and recently approved \$75 million for the facility. Carter has proposed an inter-

national study program to develop safer, alternative fuel cycles. He also is trying to reach a new strategic arms limitation pact with Russia

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weapons for the indefinite future." he says. "unless we (nuclear weapons states) demonstrate progress toward the goal of control, then reduction and ultimately elimination of nuclear arsenals." The superpowers and Britain are treaty-bound to

The Carter administration has set out to reinforce the framework of agreements designed to safeguard reactors, fuels and materials against misuse or attack.

The President is offering greater incentives in terms of fuel and technological cooperation to those nations which have not yet become parties to the world treaty to stop the spread of nuclear weapons. Countries which do not accept the treaty will be treated less favorably in the area of nuclear cooperation than adherents.

The United States, Russia and Britain — the only weapons states which signed the pact. officially called the nonproliferation treaty - promised to cut back their arsenals and pass on the benefits of their technologies to nonweapons states. In return, the nonweapons states promised to stay out of the nuclear arms league.

Umpiring all this is a fragile global agency, based in Vienna, called the International Atomic Energy Agency. Its task is to monitor, inspect, record and in

**COW WOWS** 

VIENNA. Ohio (AP) - A 12year-old Holstein cow named Breezewood Patsy Bar Pontiac has again ambled off with the world champion butterfat title.

Her owners, Herman and Henry Gelbke, who farm near here, reported Patsy produced 47,500 pounds of milk and 2,230 pounds of butterfat in 365 days about five times the production of an average cow.

Patsy's mom held two national butterfat records and her grandma held the national title for 13 years.

other ways check that nonweapons states do not cheat. Carter is trying to build up its powers and, thus far, has received no. serious oppositin from the Russians

The agency's inspectors are offered training in the United States. The latest in American instruments are provided. The American contribution to the agency has almost doubled to \$20 million. And Carter is insisting that every country receiving U.S. help in the nuclear field must expose all its nuclear activities to agency in-

Carter also has built on an initiative launched by former President Gerald R. Ford to coordinate more closely with those industrialized nations which export nuclear plants, expertise and materials. The London-based "suppliers"

group of 15 nations meets regularly, swaps data and writes rules of what should or should not be sold to specific countries. The group has brought allied, neutral and Communist countries together Deep differences have sur faced nevertheless

The French, West Germans to do the same thing. They arand Japanese suspect that Carter's efforts to defer the U.S. breeder program and plutonium production may be intended only to pressure others called a "plutonium economy.

gue that they lack the energy resources available to the United States and therefore have to build up what is being

breeder technology is far ahead of the American program, giving them the chance to break the long U.S. monopoly of the

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# Seadock fails; regulations blamed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Oppressive government regulations have been blamed for the failure of the Seadock deepwater oil port project.

The opinion was expressed Tuesday by major oil company executives who gave Congress little reason to hope that the project can be revived.

The testimony came before the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, which is looking into the reasons for the collapse of the consortium of oil companies that was to build the \$700 million facility 26 miles off the coast of

Hugh Scott, president of the

Prisoners file suit against jail

ways room for improvement in

law enforcement and "some-

times it takes things like this

The suit was filed on behalf

of the prisoners by the Texas

Civil Liberties Union (TCLU).

TCLU attorney John Buckley

said in Austin the suit was one

of several his organization had

filed against some of the county

ceived an answer to the suit.

Palo Pinto County Judge

Robert H. Smith said he would

confer with Patterson and the

larly when you note the cultur-

al organizations and artists of

the city successfully applied for

\$1 million in arts endownment

grants and the total for the

state was \$2.9 million this

The interior designers society

presented Miss Hanks its

Thomas Jefferson award for

outstanding contributions to the

preservation of America's cul-

Miss Hanks became chair-

man of the independent federal

agency in 1969 and since that

time the budget has climbed

from \$8.5 million to \$85 million.

Grand Opera is \$55,000 higher

than last year and is designed

to support the 1977-78 season.

The grant to the Houston

The Alley Theatre received

\$92,000 for support of next

year's play season. The Hous-

ton Museum of Fine Arts re-

ceived \$57,630 for construction

of two early 20th Century salons and \$20,000 toward the pur-

tural and natural heritage.

year," she said.

nying the allegations.

Houston gets arts grant

suit to get the changes.

Buckley said.

PALO PINTO. Tex. (AP) ity." he said. "Today on big A new jail may be built before weekends we might go over the a law suit filed by some prisonmaximum by one or two ers in the current facility is re-The prisoners' suit also seeks solved. Palo Pinto County Shera court order to prohibit Patiff Ray Patterson says. terson from separating prisoners by race. Patterson denied

Patterson said Tuesday that the North Central Texas County had already received \$500,000 in "We do separate the prisonstate funds to go with county ers but only to segregate the money to finish the new jail. high risk people and try to keep He said the new building should them from fighting," he said. be completed in about a year. Patterson said there is al-

Fifteen prisoners in the current facility filed a class action suit this week in U.S. District Court in Fort Worth claiming. among other things, that the conditions are so bad that some prisoners plead guilty just to get out of the jail

Some allegations in the suit are fabrications, said Patterson, who added that the 37year-old jail does not meet present day standards.

The suit alleges also that the jail could be a fire trap and that meals are often cold and lack nutritional value. "The prisoners eat better

than I do," Patterson said. Patterson said the new structure will have 30 beds - six

more than the current facility. "There's a lot of room for improvement in our present jail," Patterson said. "But we are making progress to alleviate the situation.

HOUSTON (AP) - Nancy

Hanks, chairman of the Nation-

al Endowment for the Arts, has

revealed that grants of \$464,130

have been approved for Hous-

Miss Hanks said other Texas

awards may be revealed later

The 10 new grants bring the

Houston total to \$1,048,130 for

The grants ranged from \$230,-

000 for the Houston Grand Opera Association to \$2,000 to El-

lsworth Milburn for string

The announcement came dur-

ing a two-hour workshop ses-

sion, a part of the the annual

conference of the American

Miss Hanks said the Houston

area has an excellent record

for providing substantial pri-

vate support for arts programs

which not oply benefit local

residents but which stiumlates

important to Houston, particu-

business and attracts visitors. "It is obvious the arts are

Society of Interior Designers.

quarter music composition.

the fiscal year of 1977.

ton artists and organizations.

"It is just in the last few months that we have begun to approach our maximum capacand Exxon, which together represented 52 per cent of Seadock's financial backing, pulled out this year because thegovernment "apparently concluded that the members of Seadock were a bunch of scoundrels."

Protesting that they were trying to faithfully carry out the Deepwater Port Act of 1974. representatives of the Department of Transportation noted that negotiations are proceeding satisfactorily with another consortium that plans to build a deepwater port off the coast of Louisiana. And they said they would be willing to resume ne-

supertankers. President G.E. Uthlaut of the Exxon Pipeline Co. said in an interview after his testimony that his company is making no efforts to get back into the Seadock project, in which it had already invested more than \$3 million

> He said the government would have to make a "substantial change in its position" to rekindle Exxon's interest. In addition, he said, Exxon would like to see more companies sharing the financial burden of the project. But Uthlaut said Exxon still believes the deepwater port is needed.

the greed of the oil companies.

Brooks said the oil company

plan for operating Seadock was

"an unconscionable abuse of

the American consumer" that

the government "fortunately

Brooks, however, would pre-

fer to see federal aid for im-

proving the harbor at Galves-

ton, in hie district, so it can

handle the new generation of

recognized for what it was."

Jack Brooks of Texas blamed said his company already has begun planning for the 1980s without a deepwater port. It will expand its onshore wharf at Beaumont, Tex., he said, to take care of its imported crude oil needs for the next few

> There were several key problems in their negotiations with the government over the deepwater project, the executives

> One was the government's insistence that the liability for oil spill damage extend beyond the Seadock Corp. to its parent companies. Limiting the liability to Seadock would limit the amount that each company could lose in the event of a disastrous spill

> The extent to which the Department of Transportation would assume control of pipelines belonging to Seadock's owners is another problem. they said. The department was insisting on certain rules involving those pipelines to make sure that the port was available to all oil shippers, not just the

### Puberty begins at night

gins at night.

"In the last seven years, we've begun to understand that sleep is a very active period of endocrine secretion," the associate professor of internal medicine and pediatrics said.

This research has taught us that the fluctuating secretory episodes of the pituitary hormones during sleep are in some way related to the normal endocrine onset of puberty." Bo-

their work while their patients doze. The volunteer subjects are hooked to a blood-monitoring device that painlessly draws the some of the life fluid every 20 minutes.

A brainwave monitor is used

samples.

The changes are touched off by increasing secretions of gonadotropins, which stimulate the production of the sex hormones that turn teenagers into adults, he explained.

The secretions subside when the teenager awakens but Boyar says the hormones continue to pump during the sleeping

Once adulthood is reached. however, the secretion levels remain constant - unaffected

The researcher believes the information will help in determining if a patient is just undergoing normal late puberty or experiencing hormonal dis-

This technique isn't something a doctor can do in his office. It's expensive and difficult. You have to have someone with the patient for a 24-hour period and you need the laboratory backup. No patient could afford it." Boyar said.

Since the treatment is part of a research project, there is no charge to patients and normal volunteers are paid for their

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DALLAS (AP) - The fastest analyzed along with the blood

way to manhood is through sleep, says a Dallas researcher who maintains that puberty be-

Dr. Robert Boyar, using sophisticated equipment at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, says his research shows that hormonal secretions that eventually separate the men from the boys are most active while teenagers are asleep.

jails in the state. Similar suits are also pending against jails in Burleson (Caldwell) and McLennan (Waco) Counties, Buckley said he had not re-

four county commissioners in drafting an answer formally de-Boyar and his colleagues do Those prisoners wouldn't be happy if we kept them in a Holiday Inn," Smith said. 'They've got to gripe about

to record the various stages of

rate liability" and keep the profits from the deepwater port

on those provisions would have allowed the companies to "hide behind a veil of limited corpoto themselves, Brooks said. The project can save \$1 per

Government failure to insist

barrel on the cost of imported oil. It would allow importation of oil in supertankers that cannot use most onshore ports, according to boosters of the project. They would discharge the oil at buoy-like terminals, and it would be pumped ashore in underwater pipelines. Seadock was supposed to handle 2.5 million barrels per day.

The remaining companies in the Seadock Corp. would try to keep the company alive for as long as possible, Scott said. But he said he had no reason to hope that new investors would be found. Unless they are, the project is dead, he said.

A law that would allow the state government to issue revenue bonds to finance the deepwater port if private investors will not was recently passed by the Texas Legislature.

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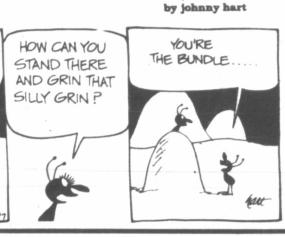


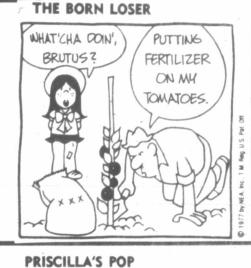


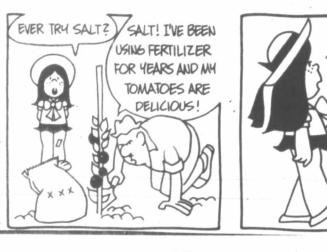
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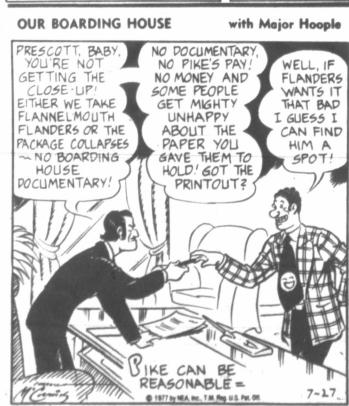
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"Al somebody down at Sol's Construction Yard and he sounds very angry!"

By TOM KENSLER

Pampa News Sports Editor Kermit's Roy Peden, 57, won medalist honors with a three under - par 68 in besting 168 senior golfers at the qualifying round of the 43rd Tri-State Seniors Golf Tournament at the PCC Tuesday.

Peden, who played baseball for Texas A&M, sizzled the course with a three - under 32 on the front nine, and breezed home with a 36 on the homestretch.

Five strokes back is tournament rookie J.B. White of Lubbock at 73, along with defending medalist Eddie Smith of Tishomingo, Okla., and Doug Roush of Amarillo. Roush won the Tri-State in 1974.

Defending champion Web Wilder comfortably made the

championship flight of 32 golfers by shooting a 75. Last year's runnerups, Hart Brooks of Grand Prairie and Harold DeLong of Shawnee, Okla.

qualified with 77s. Also qualifying for the championship flight was 1975 Tri-State champ Carroll Weaver of Sinton, who is tied at 74 with four others.

Four Pampa golfers made the championship flight, including Clinton Evans who won an eight-man coin flip to grab the final spot in the 32 man field. Also qualifying were H.C. Grady who sparkled with a 74, and Chester Darnell and Ed Myatt

The 32 members of the qualifying flight will play 54 holes of stroke (medal) play,

with the qualifying round added to the total for a 72-hole score. Those golfers not qualifying for the championship flight were divided into nine other flights of match play. The four finalists from each flight will compete in a stroke play round on Friday to

determine the champions. Due to the length of the qualifying round, team and age group scores will be figured today and awards will be presented tonight.

Abe Martin of Amarillo won the Colonel Bogey Award, last night, which is annually presented to a golfer for service to the organization. sportsmanship, and character.

Yesterday's round was played under ideal conditions and the course received raving reviews

First and second flights teed off today at 8 a.m., while the championship flight started at 8:32 a.m. The final flight of the

day was scheduled for 1:50 p.m.

Tri-State Championship
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Tishomingo, Okla.: Doug Roush, Amarillo.
74 - R.C. Grady, Pampa; Boyd Stevens.
Borger; Pred Pike, Amarillo: Carroll
Weaver, Sinton.
75 - Chester Darnell, Pampa; Otis
Garner, Austin; C.L. Duniven Jr.,
Amarillo; C.E. Sibert, Deer Park; Paul
Mose, Arlington; Ed Mystt, Pampa;
Ernest Price, Childress.
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**Sports** 

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### Salinas leads South tonight

By DENNE H. FREEMAN **AP Sports Writer** 

DALLAS (AP) - Listen to schoolboy basketball All-America Gilbert Salinas talk about himself and you'd swear he was club-footed and five-feet

"Everyone expects me to be a super star but I'm really not that much of a crowd pleaser," says the quiet-spoken, articulate bluechip from San Antonio Burbank, who stands 6-11 WITHOUT his sneakers.

The lanky Salinas, who weighs only 210 pounds, says "I don't have super moves. But I think I'm an all-around player. People don't get to see my complete statistics. They judge only the scoring."

Salinas, who is Notre Damebound, can score. He averaged 21 points per game in taking Burbank to the Class 4A schoolboy finals.

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assists, the rebounds and the blocked shots," says Salinas who leads the South against the North tonight at Dallas Convention Center in the annual Texas High School Coaching School All-Star game.

He adds, "Some players have the ability to jump over buildings and don't have basketball sense. Now, I think I do.

"It would be difficult for me to start and have to produce immediately," says Salinas. "It's a difficult thing and I'm not sure I could stand the pressure. I'll be playing against people better than me and I'll

Salinas is already a hardened All-Star game competitor and has vet to score in the double figures.

need a year or two to adjust."

"Well, for example, in the New York game it was so freelance when the guards brought the ball down that the only time you could get it was a rebound," he says. "I'll get the

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some guards who will pass it." The North will be hardpressed to match Salinas in height. Ralph McPherson of Arlington and R. Q. Tolliver of Munday both stand 6-7 or four inches below the towering Salinas as the tallest players

New York Nets won just 22

games during the 1976-77 Na-

tional Basketball Association

season. But they score a sig-

nificant off-the-court triumph

Tuesday when they received

permission to move to New Jer-

Boyce Honea of Houston Milby is the South coach. Some 6,000 fans were expected for the 7:30 p.m. tipoff.

demnity provision of the merg-Coach Kenneth Cleveland of Dimmitt High School have to Dan Carter Salutes the customers

of the day-Mr. & Mrs. Tom Perkins

The settlement allows the

Nets to play in Rutgers Univer-

sity's new 8.500-seat gymna-

sium in Piscataway, N.J., for

at least one season, then move

into a prospective 20,000-seat

arena to be built in the Hacken-

In exchange, the Nets will

give the Knicks "financial and

other considerations," accord-

ing to O'Brien. It was reported

that these financial considera-

tions could be \$4 million, in ad-

dition to the \$3.2 million owed

the Knicks from a \$4 million in-

sack Meadowlands.

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Nets win legal battle

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### Back in time

Pampa's Chris Dixon is called safe after scrambling back to second when he overslid the bag during a successful steal in yesterday's victory over Littlefield. Second baseman Robert Flores walks the ball back to the

pitcher in disgust. Dixon was two for three, and scored a run in the win which sends host Pampa against hothitting Del Rio at 8 p.m. tonight.
(Pampa News photo by Ron Ennis)

# Pampa licks Littlefield

By TOM KENSLER **Pampa News Sports Editor** The Pampa Babe Ruth League all-stars moved a step closer to a West Texas Tournament crown with a convincing 7-2 victory over Littlefield at Optimist Park Tuesday.

In other Tuesday contests, Del

Rio whipped Dumas, 13-5, and Graham eliminated Lubbock.

year - olds on the Pampa squad, limited Littlefield to three hits in going the distance for the win. Ledford allowed Littlefield baserunners in only the third

### Tennis tourney scheduled

The Pampa Tennis Club is sponsoring a women's singles tournament this weekend, July competition.

The tourney will get underway at 9 a.m. on Saturday, and the

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adults, and \$1 for students. The tournament is open to all area players. There will be a consolation round.

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New York (Figueron 9-7). (n)
Detroit (Arroyo 5-6) at Chicago (Wood 5-2). (n)
Cleveland (Fitzmorris 2-6) at
Kansas City (Leonard 9-9). (n)
California (Brett 7-5) at Oakland (Medich 6-4). (n)
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Seattle (Wheelock 5-4). (n)
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New York 8. San Francisco 3
Wednesday's Games
Cincinnati (Soto 8-8 and Seaver 16-5) at Chicago (Krukow 7-7 and Burris 9-10)
New York (Matlack 5-12) at
San Francisco (Knepper 4-4)
Houston (Larson 6-3) at Pittsburgh (Jones 2-4). (n)
Atlanta (Solomon 1-1) at St
Louis (Undewood 5-4). (n)
Montreal (Bahnsen 6-2) at
San Diego (Griffin 5-4). (n)
Philadelphia (Christenson 9-5) at Los Angeles (Sutton 16-5).

Thurnday's Games
Cincinnati at Chicago
Philadelphia at Los Angeles
Houston at Pittsburgh. (n)
Atlanta at St Louis. (n)
Only games scheduled

### Foreman signs

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP - Chuck Foreman has agreed to a two-year extension of his contract with the Minnesota Vikings, ending more than a year of bitter dispute between the star running back and the National Football League team

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and fourth innings, while retiring the last 10 batsmen in

For the second straight night, Ronnie Ledford, one of two 14 Pampa's leadoff batter Greg Quarles scored in the first inning after reaching on a walk. Keenan Henderson knocked in Quarles with a sacrifice fly to right when a strong throw by second too late.

Also like Monday's game against Lamesa, Pampa tallied five runs in the second frame. Lloyd Remy started the inning by reaching first on an error by third baseman Joe Rodriguez. After Chris Dixon and Keith Stone walked, Ledford helped his own cause with a two-run

Quarles followed with a liner over shortstop for two more, and eventually scored for the fifth run of the inning

Rueben Torres, who started the game at shortstop, took over for starting pitcher Brady Bradley after Quarles' hit, and held Pampa to only an unearned run in the sixth.

But the damage had been done, as Pampa was never really threatened

Littlefield's run in the third came on a double by Joe Rodriguez, knocking in Tommy Williams who had walked. In the fourth. Littlefield's stocky

catcher Alvin Canteras timed a Ledford fastball on the nose and sent the ball winging toward the 340 mark in right - center for a double. Canter as stole third and waltzed home when catcher Clyd Coffee overthrew third baseman Remy.

Mark Jennings hit a booming triple to left in the sixth to drive Pampa run.

Pampa will play tough Del Rio in an 8 p.m. contest tonight. Del Rio came back from a 5-0 deficit to whip Dumas, 13-5, in the afternoon game on Tuesday. They have scored 34 runs in two tournament games.

In other games today, Dumas plays Lamesa at 5:30 p.m., and Littlefield faces Graham at 3 p.m. In each game the loser will be eliminated from the tournament competition.



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**Associated Press Writer** WASHINGTON (AP) -There's an easy, almost painless way for President Carter to chop \$9.7 billion out of the defense budget. He could shift the costs of retirement checks for current military pensioners out of the Pentagon budget.

But the cut would not decrease overall federal spending by one single penny. The an-

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nual tab would be moved into the government's income security account, which includes Social Security, welfare, food stamps, unemployment insurance, civil service retirement and pensions paid by the Veterans Administration.

This accounting change is one of the steps now under consideration in the Carter adminis-

fense Department and the Office of Management and Budget would make the rapidly rising costs of pensions more obvious in the budget. And they would, for the first time, make the true future costs of pensions visible by putting them into the federal spending plan.

workers' pensions.

"Our grandchildren are going to have to shoulder a pretty heavy burden," said one official of the pension costs. "We have to start writing down what our debts are."

Carter promised during his campaign to cut billions from the defense budget, a pledge he has not thus far fulfilled. By shifting current pension costs.

Carter could, after a fashion, fulfill his promise. changes

However, if all the changes Those who favor the change were enacted, the Pentagon say paying retirement checks budget would increase. Estifor former military personnel is not related to maintaining namates of the increase range from \$500 million to \$4.2 billion, tional security and should not depending on economic condibe paid from the defense budget. Pension costs have eaten up Administration sources say a larger and larger chunk of an initial decision on most of the Pentagon budget, rising to the changes is expected within 8.2 per cent in 1978 from only a month by Defense Secretary

Harold Brown for the fiscal

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These are really accounting

pension would be increased or

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that have little direct effect on

Shifting current retirement

spending," said one source.

decreased by these changes.

1979 budget.

1% per cent in 1962. Organizations of retired military personnel are against any change

Militar y retirement is unique. We consider it a relevant part of the career package," said Col. George Hennrikus of the Retired Officers

A Congressional Budget Office report said such groups 'may oppose transferring the

appropriation from defense to income security because the switch makes military retirement appear to some as a form of welfare to which a social stigma may seem to be at-

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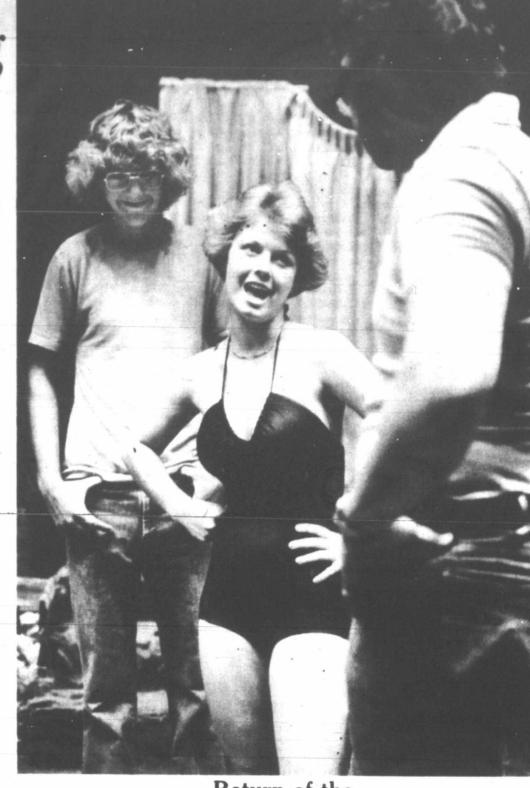
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### (Pampa News photo by Ron Ennis)

### FDA seizes Laetrile tablets in Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) -'Gestapo tactics' were used by Food and Drug Administration agents in their seizure of a shipment of 5,000 Laetrile tablets, a dealer of the substance claims after a raid on his Parker County home.

James Haas said agents seized a shipment of Laetrile that had just arrived from U.S. Pharmaceutical in Mosinee Wis., and was destined for a cancer patient at Fort Worth.

"What they're doing is what Hitler did. They're going doorto-door dealing in fear." Haas

"I knew it was coming. It was no secret it was going to happen; it was just a matter of when," he said, noting that the raid came only three days before a demonstration is to be staged at the Dallas office of the FDA

Jerry Henderson, program manager for FDA consumer affairs at Dallas, said the administration contends that interstate shipment of the cancer treament is still illegal, although several states, including Texas, have passed legislation legalizing the substance.



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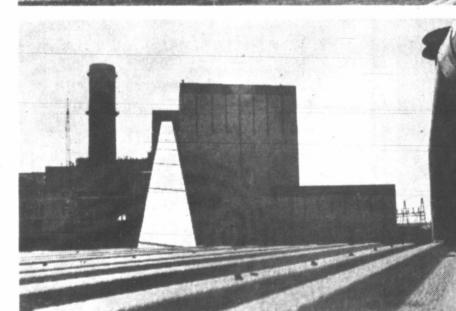












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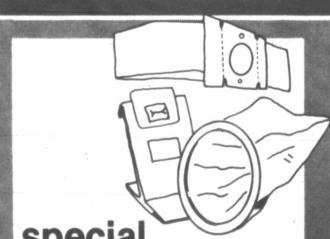


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